There are almost 2 million
French nationals in the
Indo-Pacific. 1,65 million
of them are in French
territories.

93% of France's exclusive economic zone is in the Indo-Pacific.

7,000+ French troops are permanently posted in the region within sovereignty missions or other stationed forces.

of trade between Asia and Europe transits via the South China Sea.



In 2019, trade between the Indo-Pacific region and Europe totalled €1,500 billion. In 2020,
French development
structure AFD's
commitments in the
Indo-Pacific reached
€3,9 billion.



There are 95
French schools in the region, with 53,000 students enrolled.

