

WHAT DOES THE EUROPEAN UNION DO FOR GUADELOUPE?

EU funding 2014-2020



Some **expected results** on this EU support:

- ▶ 1 400 companies supported in developing business plans
- ▶ 150,000 additional households benefiting from high-speed Internet access
- ▶ 70,000 people benefiting from better treatment of wastewater
- ▶ 36,000 unemployed people benefitting from training
- ▶ Reintegration of 11,000 young early school leavers
- ▶ Support to 100 young farmers and 1800 farms benefiting from modernisation aid

IN ADDITION

€64.3 million
under the **European cooperation programme** for the Caribbean area.

€131 million
under the **European Maritime Fisheries Fund** for the French outermost regions

POSEI, the specific agriculture programme for the outermost regions can support the French outermost regions with **up to €278 million per year.**

Specificities of other EU policies

The outermost regions benefit from specific or derogating measures, in areas such as agriculture, state aid and taxation, in order to mitigate the impact of their specific constraints and boost economic growth. Guadeloupe in particular, benefits from a specific taxation regime for the commercialisation in France of locally produced traditional rum as well as from the exemption or reduction of the dock dues to goods produced locally.

EXAMPLES OF PROJECT SUPPORTED BY THE EU IN GUADELOUPE



Improving reception facilities for cruise ship passengers

EUROPEAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT FUND

EU funding: €1.5 million

Cruise activity in Guadeloupe is rapidly growing. This EU-funded project consists of the construction of two hangars specifically intended to accommodate cruise ships calling at Pointe-à-Pitre, thus improving the quality of service offered to passengers.



Improving connectivity

EUROPEAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT FUND

EU funding: €1.85 million

The 'CARIBSKY-PAIRE' Interreg project aims to develop regional inter-island air traffic. The project supports the construction of a common ticket management platform among different regional airlines, which will help to better serve around thirty Caribbean destinations.