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Company Profiles
It is with great pleasure that we introduce this compilation of company directory, showcasing the Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (SMEs) that have actively participated in the West Africa Competitiveness Program (WACOMP) capacity development trainings within the cassava value chains.

Through our partnership with the International Trade Centre (ITC), UNIDO and ECOWAS under WACOMP funded by the EU, we remain committed to fostering sustainable economic development in West Africa by enhancing the competitiveness of SMEs, promoting inclusive growth, and contributing to the overall development of the cassava sector on one hand and other selected value chains.

This compilation provides a comprehensive directory of selected MSMEs in the cassava value chains, offering a glimpse into their locations, products and capabilities, and innovations in the cassava value chains. In the pages that follow, you will find a diverse array of companies, each with its unique story and journey towards excellence. From farm to fork, these SMEs are pivotal players in the regional cassava value chains, driving economic transformation and creating employment opportunities.

We extend our heartfelt appreciation to the participating SMEs, trainers, and all stakeholders who have played a role in making the WACOMP technical assistance and capacity development a success. This compilation is a celebration of your achievements and a testament to the collaborative efforts that continue to shape the cassava sector in West Africa.

As we navigate the challenges and opportunities in the evolving landscape of agribusiness, may this compilation inspire and serve as a valuable resource for networking, collaboration, and furthering the growth of the cassava value chains.

Thank you for your dedication and resilience.

Ruben ALBA AGUILERA
Acting Head of Cooperation, European Union Delegation to Nigeria and ECOWAS
The International Trade Centre (ITC) is the joint agency of the World Trade Organization and the United Nations. It is the only development agency that is fully dedicated to supporting the Internationalization of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development (MSMEs). This means that the agency enables SMEs in developing and transition economies to become more competitive and connect to International markets for trade and investment, thus raising incomes and creating job opportunities, especially for women, young people, and poor communities.

ITC works closely with governments as well as institutional and private sector partners in developing countries across its six focus areas:

1. Providing Trade and Market Intelligence.
5. Promoting and Mainstreaming Inclusive and Green Trade.
6. Supporting Regional Economic Integration and South-South Links.

ITC’s mission is to foster inclusive and sustainable economic development, and contribute to achieving the United Nations Global Goals for Sustainable Development. ITC works towards creating ‘trade impact for good’.

The West Africa Competitiveness Programme (WACOMP)

The West Africa Competitiveness Programme (WACOMP), funded by the European Union, aims to support several selected value chains at the national and regional level in order to promote structural transformation and better access to regional and International markets while taking into account social and environmental concerns. The Programme was adopted under the 11th European Union Development Fund (EDF) Regional Indicative Programme for a total amount of €120m.

The major objectives of the programme are to strengthen the competitiveness of West African countries and enhance their integration into the regional and International trading system. To reach this overarching goal, the programme will work to:

- improve performance, growth and contribution to the industry,
- regional trade and exports of selected value chains,
- and improve the business climate at national and regional levels.

The programme, which is aligned to support the implementation of the West African regional policies and programmes, including the West Africa Common Industrial Policy (WACIP), West Africa Quality System Programme (WAQSP) and ECOWAS Private Sector Development Strategy, will be instrumental in creating the foundations and promoting access of West African countries to the EU External Investment Plan (EIP).

The Programme has 16 National components and 1 regional component. Each country is individually responsible for the implementation of its component and the ECOWAS Commission, with the support of West Africa Economic and Monetary Union (WAEMU/ UEMOA) Commission, is responsible for the implementation of the regional components and for the coordination of the programme through a programme overall steering committee to be convened once every year. A number of technical partners will support implementation at the country and regional levels.
INTRODUCTION

Out of the 419 applications received by the International Trade Centre in response to the WACOMP Cassava call for applications, 410 companies were considered eligible, having headquarters in one of the ECOWAS/UEMOA countries and Mauritania. The following analysis builds on the data provided through the applications from the 410 eligible companies:

Main areas of applicants:

- Producer
- Processor/Transformer
- Producer + Processor
- Producer + Processor + Trader
- Trader/Distributor

Top 5 countries of applicants:
1. Nigeria: 234
2. Benin: 69
3. Togo: 24
4. Ghana: 18
5. Ivory Coast: 13
6. Others: 52

Applicants under 35 years of age: 71%

Women Owned businesses: 77%

Exporting: 16%

The International Trade Centre together with its partners carefully selected 38 cassava companies in the ECOWAS countries and Mauritania to feature in this WACOMP Cassava directory.
Cassava production in ECOWAS region

Cassava, also known as tapioca, manioc or yucca, is a woody shrub grown in the tropical and subtropical regions of the world mainly as an edible carbohydrate for its starchy tuberous root. The crop is widely grown in rain-fed cropping regimes where farmers rely heavily on rainfall to decide when to plant and harvest it.

Depending on variety grown, soil fertility and other favourable weather conditions, cassava stems take at least six months to bear edible roots. For commercial purposes, farmers allow the crop to mature for 10–12 months. However, if the plant is not harvested after 15 months, the edible roots might become more woody or rotten (depending on variety and soil conditions). As shown in Figure 1, cassava is produced in all ECOWAS countries, with greater intensity along the Atlantic coast. On the African continent, 52% of total cassava production is in West Africa compared to 25% in East Africa in 2020. Cassava is one of the most important tropical root crops in West Africa.

Cassava consumption in ECOWAS region

Cassava is used for a large variety of food and non-food uses (see table below). The leaves are relatively rich in protein, and the storage root is consumed as a source of food, starch products and biofuels. After a successful harvest, subsistence farmers process it for family use. Those who cultivate the crop for commercial purposes often sell locally within their own communities, but new industrial uses are emerging, creating a demand for the tuberous roots beyond local communities in West Africa. Some of the by-products of cassava that create these demands for large orders are: starch, flour, chips, eba, akpu (fufu) and abacha (bobozi/flakes).

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<th>Products</th>
<th>Country/Region</th>
<th>Processing</th>
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<td>Chips/flour</td>
<td>Global</td>
<td>Peeling roots, cutting into pieces, retting (optional), and drying</td>
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<tr>
<td>Gari</td>
<td>Global</td>
<td>Pre-gelatinized cassava granules obtained by root peeling, grating, pressing/fermentation, flaking, and pre-gelatinization by roasting in wood fires in large stoves with the addition of palm oil.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Atiéké</td>
<td>Ivory Coast</td>
<td>Cassava semilose-obtained as a result of operations analogous to those of the preparation of gari; except that pre-gelatinization is carried out by steam cooking</td>
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<td>Fufu</td>
<td>Central Africa, Ghana, East Africa</td>
<td>Paste cooked from fresh roots (foo foo) or chips flour (ugali), or from fresh fermented (water fufu) or dried (fufu) pulp.</td>
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<td>Chikwangue or Kwanga</td>
<td>Congo, Cameroon, Gabon, Central Africa, Republic</td>
<td>Fermented cassava paste cooked in vegetable leaves (banana, ginger). The different local names differ in terms of the fermentation conditions of the tubers during the retting and of the possible addition of other ingredients (palm oil in the case of Mintoumba).</td>
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<td>Nkondo</td>
<td>Cameroon, Gabon, Nigeria</td>
<td>Household conservation form of cooked cassava. Cooked roots are dried or dried and then soaked in water with daily change of the soaking water. The product is consumed as snack.</td>
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<td>Ntoba mbodi</td>
<td>Congo</td>
<td>Sliced and fermented cassava leaves.</td>
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Cassava trade in ECOWAS

Trade in cassava and cassava products in the ECOWAS region is currently dominated by smallholder farmers, small-scale marketers and processors who deal in traditional uses of cassava supported by services provided by a range of transporters, input dealers and agri-dealers. Research, extension and financial services are somewhat available, with limited influence on the performance of the cassava and cassava products markets.

Globally, cassava is exported in three forms: as a human food, as a starch, and as an animal feed ingredient. Similar to the domestic markets, price and quality competition exists in the starch and animal feed export markets. There is less competition in the human food export market. No ECOWAS nation is currently a major net exporter of cassava and cassava products. ECOWAS' share of global export or import of cassava is less than 1%.

This is mainly because most of the cassava produced is consumed locally as human food, but also due to the inability of ECOWAS producers to compete in the export market. The export market for cassava chips and pellets and cassava starch is highly price competitive. There are other barriers to entry owing to the large scale of some of the markets, quality requirements, variability in price, and the established contacts between European and North American importers and the major exporters such as Thailand and the Kingdom of Cambodia (see table below). The major importers of cassava are primarily the People's Republic of China, the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam and the Kingdom of the Netherlands.

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BENIN
Funkè Palms Oils are engaged in processing agricultural products such as palm nuts and cassava into improved gari, tapioca, cassava flour, lafu and its derivatives.

### Cassava

**Type of Products:**
Gari, Edible cassava flour / Lafun, Cassava starch / Tapioca, Improved coconut curry with milk and pineapple

**Capacity in tonnes:**
30

### Export & Certifications

**Currently exporting to:**
Burkina Faso, Gabon, Mali, France

**Certifications:**
ANM, DNPIO

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**CEO**

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👩 Youth Owned or Led

👩 Woman Owned or Led

**Established**

2014

**Contact Information**

**Address:**
Soyo Winbatin, Allada, Atlantic, Benin

**Language Spoken**

French

**Number of Employees**

3 (2 women)
Général Production et Services Bénin specializes in the processing of fruit and vegetables into juices. They have developed the “Bio Drink” brand through which they offer juice cocktails such as Pineapple Mango, Pineapple Orange, Pineapple Watermelon, Pineapple Beetroot, Pineapple Soursop and others to their customers who are people resistant to industrial sugar.

Cassava and Mango

Part of: Fenacotab

Number of Employees
4 (1 woman)

Established
2015

Cassava
Type of Products:
Fresh cassava tubers - sweet variety
Capacity in tonnes:
5

Mango
Type of Products:
Mango juice, Mango nectar
Capacity in tonnes:
2

Contact Information
Address:
719 Abomey Calavi, Benin

Language Spoken
French and Fon

Youth Owned or Led
Woman Owned or Led

Part of: Fenacotab

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BURKINA FASO
Merveille Production du Kénédougou is a company that processes cassava into gari, tapioca, attieke, cassava flour, starch and cassava paste. The company is supported by the Programme d’appui à la promotion de l’entrepreneuriat agricole (PAPEA), the PDA, 2SCALE and the Maison de l’entreprise du Burkina Faso. Their products are sold in Burkina Faso and other countries.

**Cassava**

Part of: Ecopride Cooperative and Multipurpose Society

**Number of Employees**
22 (20 women)

**Established**
2019

**Contact Information**
Address:
Orodara Sector 04, Burkina Faso

**Language Spoken**
French

**Type of Products:**
Fresh cassava tubers - sweet variety, Fresh cassava tubers - bitter variety, Cassava leaves, Gari, Attiéke, Edible cassava flour / Lafun, High quality cassava flour (HQCF), Cassava for cattle feed, Cassava paste

**Capacity in tonnes:**
480

**Export**
Currently exporting to:
Mali
Organisation Inter-Profession Filière Manioc (OIFIMA-BF) are engaged in processing and marketing products derived from cassava, such as: dehydrated attiéké, fresh attiéké, enriched dehydrated attiéké, enriched infant flours, tapioca, placalie, gari, starch, etc.

Cassava

Part of: Coopératives Locales du Burkina, de Côte d’Ivoire, du Ghana et du Togo

Number of Employees
428 (420 women)

Established
2017

Contact Information
Address:
Tampouy, Echangeur du Nord, Ave Yatenga, Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso

Language Spoken
French, Bambara/Dioula, Mooré

Type of Products:
Fresh cassava tubers - sweet variety, Fresh cassava tubers - bitter variety, Gari, Attiéké, Edible cassava flour / Lafun, High quality cassava flour (HQCF), Cassava for livestock feed, placali

Capacity in tonnes:
15,000

Export & Certifications
Currently exporting to:
Canada, Dubai and France

Certifications:
HACCP
GAMBIA
Mbobanjack Enterprise provides processed food in attractively labelled and package. They have been operating as a food processing outfit for the past eight years and plans to expand its production to allow the enterprise to consolidate its market base and also satisfy the increasing demand for its products.

**Mango and Cassava**

**Number of Employees**
6 (6 women)

**Established**
2024

**Cassava**

**Type of Products:**
- Casava leaves, Attiéké, Eddible cassava flour / Lafun, Fufu, Cassava chips

**Capacity in tonnes:**
2,800

**Mango**

**Type of Products:**
- Mango juice, Dried mango, Mango jam / marmelade, Mango syrups

**Capacity in tonnes:**
2,500

**Contact Information**

*Address:*
Old Jeshwang Market, Serrekunda, Gambia

**Language Spoken**
English

**Certifications**
HACCP, ISO 9001, Food Safety, GHP, ISO 9001 2015, Equals.
GHANA
Christaa Agricultural Ventures are engaged in processing fresh cassava into a variety of products such as coconut gari mix, margarine gari mix, soybeans gari mix, high-quality cassava flour, and banku mix powder. They also produce cassava bread, cassava cookies, cassava chips, and cassava chin-chin while adding value to them by selling them to local and foreign markets.

Cassava

Part of: Ashanti Mampong Cassava Value Association

Number of Employees
25 (16 women)

Established
2009

Contact Information
Address:
Plot 70 Old Damang, Mampong, Ghana

Language Spoken
English

Cassava

Type of Products:
- Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety, Gari, Edible cassava flour / Lafun, High quality Cassava Flour (HQCF), Cassava starch / Tapioca, Fufu, Cassava bread, Cassava chips

Capacity in tonnes:
720
Dispark Ghana Ltd. is an Agribusiness company producing and processing cassava. They work closely with smallholder farmers in the cassava production value chain to help them add value and extend the shelf life of cassava and its products.

- **Cassava**
- **Part of: Central Region Cassava Producers (smallholder farmers)**

**Number of Employees**
- 15 (9 women)

**Established**
- 2014

**Cassava**

**Type of Products:**
- Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety, Gari, Cassava chips

**Capacity in tonnes:**
- 100

**Certifications**
- GlobalGAP

**Language Spoken**
- English

**Address:**
- AG81 Obom Junction Road, CX:002-1683, Ghana
FruVeg Farms Ltd. Co. is an export-oriented company dealing in production, aggregation and value-addition of agricultural products. They are located in Accra, Ajumako and Pokrom.

### Mango and Cassava

#### Part of: Ghana International Cassava Stakeholders Platform

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#### Cassava

- **Type of Products:** Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety
- **Capacity in tonnes:** 2,800

#### Mango

- **Type of Products:**
  - Fresh mango - Floridian variety for international markets (Kent, Keitt, Palmer, Zill, Valencia, Smith, Irwin and Haden),
  - Fresh mango - Floridian variety for local and regional markets (Brooks, Davis - Haden, Miami Late, Springfels, Beverly, Eldon and Ruby),
  - Dried mango
- **Capacity in tonnes:** 2,500

#### Language Spoken

- English

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**Contact Information**

**Address:**
EU 78 Aduemi Street, GA-353-3149
Abeka, Cross River, Ghana
JOCACRISPIN Nigeria Ltd. is a cassava processing company that believes in hygiene, quality and healthy living to transform the system. Their production borders from cultivation through in-growers and out-growers of improved varieties. Their prime products are Yellow Garri and White Garri with unique characteristics such as sand-free, fermented, hygienically processed, longer shelf life and customer satisfaction for money.

- **Cassava**
- **Part of: Ghana International Cassava Stakeholders Platform**

**Number of Employees**
7 (5 women)

**Cassava**

**Type of Products:**
- Gari, Edible cassava flour / Lafun, High quality Cassava Flour (HQCF), Fufu, Cassava for livestock feed

**Capacity in tonnes:**
4

**Contact Information**
**Address:**
Mallam Gbawe - Telecom, Ghana

**Language Spoken**
English

**Certification**
HACCP
Tropical Starch Company Ltd. was established in response to the need to process and add value to the abundant cassava crop which is cultivated in the Abura Asebu Kwamankese District with the aspiration of addressing post-harvest losses which is indeed the major challenge confronting cassava producers, diversifying the rural economic base and improving the standard living of the farmers who form the majority of the population in the district.

**Cassava**

- **Number of Employees**: 25 (15 women)
- **Established**: 2004
- **Type of Products**: Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety, Gari, High quality Cassava Flour (HQCF), Cassava starch / Tapioca, Cassava chips
- **Capacity in tonnes**: 10
- **Contact Information**: P. O. Box 75, Abura Dunkwa, Ghana
- **Social Media**: Facebook: Tropical Starch Company, Instagram: TropicalStarch
- **Language Spoken**: English and Fante
IVORY COAST
Nouvel Esprit de Managers (NEM) specializes in the industrial production of cassava by-products, such as fresh and dehydrated attiéké.

**Cassava**

Part of: Coopérative des Vendeurs de Manioc de Samaké

**Number of Employees**

4 (2 women)

**Established**

2007

**Contact Information**

Address:
220 Logement, Adjamé Quartier, Abidjan, Ivory Coast

**Cassava**

**Type of Products:**
Cassava leaves, Attiéké, Edible cassava flour / Lafun, High quality cassava flour (HQCF), cassava peel

**Capacity in tonnes:**
6

**Language Spoken**

French

**Export**

Currently exporting to:
Canada, France and Italy
NIGER
Global Business Vert is engaged in distributing and marketing dried mango as well as selling agricultural inputs and food products in Niger.

- **Cassava and Mango**

- **Part of: Groupement Wadata de Gaya**

**Number of Employees**
4 (1 woman)

**Cassava**
Fresh cassava tubers - sweet variety, Fresh cassava tubers - bitter variety, Gari, Edible cassava flour / Lafun, Cassava for livestock feed, Improved seed

**Mango**
Fresh mango - Polyembryonic variety (Nunkourouni - Cat's head, Dadiani - Long mouth, Number One - Coastal mango, Mangotine, Green mango), Fresh mango - First monoembryonic variety (Amélie, Julie, Sabot, Djibelor et Cuisse Madame), Dried mango, Improved seed

**Established**
2018

**Certification**
RCCM

**Contact Information**
Address:
Rue RN1, sis au face Sonibank
Dosso, Niger

**Language Spoken**
French
Le Pro des Tubercules are engaged in food processing of cassava tubers into gari, cassava flour, tapioca and statu (gum).

Cassava

Part of: Coopératives de production Tela/Gaya

Number of Employees
7 (4 women)

Established
2021

Contact Information
Address:
Dosso, Niger

Language Spoken
French, Zarma, Haoussa

Type of Products:
Gari, Edible cassava flour / Lafun, High quality cassava flour (HQCF), Cassava alcohol

Capacity in tonnes:
2

Certification
RCCM, NIF
NIGERIA
Association of Cottage Industrialists of Nigeria is a group of nano, micro and small enterprises engaged in farming and manufacturing.

Mango and Cassava

Part of: Cottage Industrialists Multi-Purpose Cooperative Society Ltd.

Number of Employees
59 (40 women)

Established
2010

Cassava

Type of Products:
Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety, Cassava starch / Tapioca, Cassava for livestock feed

Capacity in tonnes:
500,000

Language Spoken
English

Mango

Type of Products:
Fresh mango - First monoembryonic variety (Amélie, Julie, Sabot, Djibelor and Cuisse Madame), Mango juice, Mango butter

Capacity in tonnes:
200,000

Certification
CAC

Contact Information

Address:
12 FOMWAN office Complex opp Chisco motor behind MFM Church Utako Abuja, FCT, Nigeria

Youth Owned or Led
Woman Owned or Led
Amineru Nig Ent Ltd (Amineru Foods) is engaged in the processing and packaging of agro-food flour products such as cassava tubers into their derivatives - Soured Garri, Yellow Garri, Edible Cassava Starch Flour and Odorless Fufu Flour. In line with the global demand for health and economic empowerment, their mission is to contribute to improving global food security, empower women and youths through job creation and generate wealth.

Cassava

Part of: Integrated Cassava Processors Association Cooperative

Number of Employees
6 (5 women)

Established
2018

Cassava

Type of Products:
Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety, Gari, Edible cassava flour / Lafun, High quality Cassava Flour (HQCF), Cassava starch / Tapioca, Fufu

Capacity in tonnes:
50

Contact Information
Address:
46B Plymouth Road, Benin City, Edo State, Nigeria

Language Spoken
English

Certification
Fair Trade labels, NAFDAC, FDA, SON
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**Mango and Cassava**

**Part of: Fadama Cassava Cooperatives**

### Number of Employees

10 (5 women)

### Cassava

**Type of Products:**
Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety, Fresh cassava tubers - Bitter variety, Gari, Edible cassava flour / Lafun, High quality Cassava Flour (HQCF), Cassava starch / Tapioca, Fufu, Cassava chips, Cassava for livestock feed, Vitamin A Cassava. Cassava Stem

**Capacity in tonnes:**
1,000

### Mango

**Type of Products:**
Fresh mango - Polyembryonic variety (Nunkourouni - Tête de chat, Dadiani - Bouche longue, Number One - Mangue du littoral, Mangotine, Mangot vert), Fresh mango - First monoembryonic variety (Amélie, Julie, Sabot, Djibelor and Cuisse Madame), Fresh mango

**Capacity in tonnes:**
500

### Export

Currently exporting to Ghana, Italy, Togo

### Contact Information

**Address:**
Block O, Shop 170, Mabushi Ultramodern Market, Kado, Abuja Nigeria

**Language Spoken**
English
Dasun Integrated Farms Ltd. cultivates crops such as cassava, plantain, ginger and turmeric. They are also engaged in agro-processing of cassava producing white and yellow garri, plantain flour, and spices.

- **Cassava**
- **Part of: Local Farmers Community**

**Number of Employees**
3 (2 women)

**Established**
2017

**Contact Information**
Address: No 7, Alhaji Lateef Shofowora Street Gbagada, Lagos, Nigeria

**Type of Products:**
Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety, Casava leaves, Gari

**Capacity in tonnes:**
5

**Language Spoken**
English

**Export & Certification**

**Currently exporting to:**
Canada, UK and USA

**Certifications:**
NAFDAC
Hydromart Integrated Ltd. is an agricultural engineering company with keen interest in soil and water management, food processing and waste management in Nigeria.

**Cassava**

**Number of Employees**
5 (2 women)

**Established**
2021

**Contact Information**
Address:
KM 6, opposite Gateway Mortgage Bank along Idiroko Road Ota, Sango Otta, Nigeria

**Language Spoken**
English

**Type of Products:**
- Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety, Gari, Edible cassava flour / Lafun, High quality Cassava Flour (HQCF), Cassava starch / Tapioca, Fufu, Cassava for livestock feed

**Capacity in tonnes:**
100

**Certification**
Organic labels, Brand Reputation through Compliance Global Standard (BRCGS), CAC, Smedan
Jessy Jay International manufactures agro-produce storage innovation systems and processing equipment. They add value and increase income generation from highly perishable farm produce. They also apply research findings to improve crop and animal yield in the agriculture business, increase marginal income or profit for farmers and investors.

Mango and Cassava

Part of: Apex Multipurpose Corporative

Number of Employees
12 (5 women)

Established
2002

Cassava

Type of Products:
Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety, Fresh cassava tubers - Bitter variety, High quality Cassava Flour (HQCF)

Capacity in tonnes:
10

Contact Information
Address:
Police Officers Wives Association, shopping complex, in Computer Village, Ikeja, Lagos Nigeria

Language Spoken
English

Mango

Type of Product:
Dried Mango

Capacity in tonnes:
10
Keystone Mercantile Limited deals in production, aggregation and marketing of processed agricultural commodities.

- Mango and Cassava
- Part of: More Agro Farmers Cooperative

**Number of Employees**
12 (4 women)

**Established**
2009

**Cassava**
**Type of Products:**
Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety, Gari, Eddible cassava flour / Lafun, Fufu, Cassava chips

**Capacity in tonnes:**
200

**Language Spoken**
English

**Mango**
**Type of Products:**
Fresh mango - First monoembryonic variety (Amélie, Julie, Sabot, Djibelor and Cuisse Madame), Dried mango

**Capacity in tonnes:**
100

**Export**
Currently exporting to:
Ghana and Benin
Mercyreen Agro Producing and Processing are engaged in the agro-processing of cassava to produce garri, cassava flakes (tapioca), cassava flour. In addition, they also produce carrot oil, coconut oil, coconut flakes, ginger oil and coconut flour.

- **Cassava**
- **Part of: Owit Nig. 50MAWSP**

### Contact Information

- **Number of Employees**: 6 (4 women)
- **Established**: 2016
- **Type of Products**: Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety, Gari, Cassava starch / Tapioca, Fufu
- **Address**: No.4 Johnny Okafor Avenue, Area C, New Owerri, Imo State, Nigeria
- **Language Spoken**: English

**Capacity in tonnes**: 30
Nutrient Life Group is a conscious brand with a global perspective, dedicated to reshaping the African food system. They strive to create healthy, valuable food products that will revolutionise the way people eat through farming, processing, marketing and redistribution. They are communally-minded, working to connect the relationship between health and food, while also investing in human and agro development.

- **Cassava**

  **Part of:** Cassava Growers Association of Nigeria (Ogun State Chapter)

- **Number of Employees**
  45 (17 women)

- **Established**
  2016

- **Contact Information**
  **Address:**
  96B Isabo Road, Oke-Yeke, Abeokuta, Ogun State, Nigeria

- **Type of Products:**
  Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety, Fresh cassava tubers - Bitter variety, Gari, Eddible cassava flour / Lafun, High quality Cassava Flour (HQCF), Cassava starch / Tapioca

- **Capacity in tonnes:**
  200

- **Language Spoken**
  English
**Odihiagro Enterprises** is an company that seeks to meet the growing demand for cassava derivatives. They process, sell and supply high quality garri, starch, fufu, flour and animal feeds.

**Cassava**

**Part of: Farmers Empowerment Multipurpose Cooperative Society Ltd.**

**Number of Employees**
8 (3 women)

**Established**
2021

**Cassava**

**Type of Products:**
Gari, High quality Cassava Flour (HQCF), Cassava starch / Tapioca, Fufu, Cassava for livestock feed

**Capacity in tonnes:**
2

**Certification**
NAFDAC

**Language Spoken**
English
Oklan Best is an exporting firm that focuses on the integration of farmers into global markets and the processing of raw agriproducts. They provide training, and planting materials and increase access to finance for agribusiness stakeholders. With its interest in shea butter, cassava, yam, plantain, mango, and other foodstuffs and spices, they have provided innovative solutions to enhance farmers’ resilience and diversify their income.

**Cassava**

- **Number of Employees**: 23 (9 women)
- **Type of Products**: Mango butter
- **Capacity in tonnes**: 5

**Mango**

- **Type of Products**: Cassava leaves, Gari, Edible cassava flour / Lafun, High quality Cassava Flour (HQCF), Cassava starch / Tapioca, Fufu, Cassava chips
- **Capacity in tonnes**: 100

**Export & Certification**

- **Currently exporting to**: Canada, Gambia, UK, USA
- **Certifications**: HACCP, GlobalGAP, FDA

**Contact Information**

- **Address**: 5A Leaf Road, Old NTC Warehouse, Iyaganku, Ibadan, Oyo State, Nigeria
- **Language Spoken**: English
**Pleroma Farms And Agribusiness Ltd.** are engaged in organic farming of agro-commodities, food processing and packaging to solve the food insecurity in Nigeria and around the globe. They have farms in 5 states in northern Nigeria and work with over 200 rural women smallholder farmers and youths, empowering them to have decent work, fend for their families, reinvest into their livelihoods and provide diverse opportunities that will further empower them.

- **Cassava**

  - **Part of:** Women Smallholder Farmers and Growers Association

  - **Number of Employees:** 15 (8 women)

  - **Established:** 2019

  - **Cassava**
    - **Type of Products:** Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety, Gari, Eddible cassava flour / Lafun, High quality Cassava Flour (HQCF), Cassava for livestock feed

  - **Capacity in tonnes:** 10,000

- **Export & Certification**
  - **Currently exporting to:** Togo, UK, USA
  - **Certifications:** HACCP, FDA

- **Language Spoken:** English

**Address:** Plot 1118, Oladipo Diya Way, Gudu District, Abuja, Nigeria
Royal Pearls Resources Ltd. is an innovative Agro-based enterprise whose area of business involves flour processing, packaging, and marketing of nutritious High-Quality Cassava Flour (HQCF) and other Cassava derivatives for domestic and export markets. They work directly with women who work on the farms and who produce our primary source of raw material (cassava tuber).

- **Cassava**
- **Part of: Ken Omoku Cassava Processing Cooperative**

**Number of Employees**
6 (4 women)

**Established**
2020

**Type of Products:**
Gari, High quality Cassava Flour (HQCF), Fufu

**Capacity in tonnes:**
10-100

**Export & Certification**
Currently exporting to:
Canada, Ghana, UK

**Certifications:**
SON, FDA

**Contact Information**
Address:
122, Obi-Wali Road, Rumuigbo, Port Harcourt Rivers State, Nigeria

**Language Spoken**
English
St Paul Cassava Producing Concept are engaged in cassava production, processing, cassava project management, training and developing programs for cassava farmers.

- Cassava
- Part of: Nigeria Cassava Growers Association

**Number of Employees**
35 (20 women)

**Established**
2018

**Cassava**

**Type of Products:**
Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety, Gari, Cassava starch / Tapioca, Cassava chips, Cassava for livestock feed

**Capacity in tonnes:**
4,000

**Contact Information**

**Address:**
No. 48 Sunny Obodiwe Street Off Old Sapele/Agbor Road, Obiaruku, Delta State, Nigeria

**Language Spoken**
English

**Certifications**
ISO 9001, CAC
Olusola Elizabeth Adeniran
sollissy@yahoo.co.uk
+234 806 689 6618
Woman Owned or Led

Sollissy Foods and Beverages Ltd. are passionate about goal 1 and 2 of SDGs through processing, packaging, marketing and distribution of quality food products to ensure zero hunger and to eradicate poverty.

Cassava

Number of Employees
20 (12 women)

Established
2013

Contact Information
Address:
Baba Egbe Bus Stop, Ekoro Road, Abule Egba, Lagos, Nigeria

Language Spoken
English

Type of Product:
Gari

Capacity in tonnes:
10

Currently exporting to:
Canada, UK, USA

Certification:
FDA
Woke-Sam Farmer’s Agro Geo Cooperative Society Ltd. is a general farming and agro-food processing venture, with main objective of producing and processing primary agricultural produce using innovative technology. They process cassava into other commodities such as garri, flour, starch and ethanol to sell them to the local and foreign markets. They use local readily available raw materials for their operations.

Cassava

Part of: Nigeria Cassava Growers Association

Number of Employees
46 (17 women)

Cassava

Type of Products:
Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety, Gari, Cassava starch / Tapioca, Cassava chips, Cassava for livestock feed

Capacity in tonnes:
4000

Certifications:
ISO 9001, CAC

Address:
Plot A12/12, Joseph Wayas Lane, 3rd Avenue, State Housing, Calabar, Nigeria

Established
2021

Contact Information

Language Spoken
English
Worldquest Multipurpose Concept Ltd. is a female-led business with a vision to reduce agricultural wastage by producing quality food products of international standard. They use the best quality raw materials to produce nutritious foods while employing best practices in their production process to retain maximum nutritional value. Their commitment to the highest standard is the foundation of trust in their brand.

**Cassava**

**Part of: Ecopride Cooperative and Multipurpose Society**

**Number of Employees**
9 (6 women)

**Established**
2013

**Cassava**

**Type of Products:**
Gari, Cassava starch / Tapioca, Fufu

**Capacity in tonnes:**
40

**Mango**

**Type of Product:**
Dried mango

**Contact Information**

**Address:**
No 4 Dele Fakunle Ifako, Gbagada, Lagos, Nigeria

**Language Spoken**

English

**Certification**

HACCP
Senegal
SYNAVAL is an organization of ambitious young agripreneurs with roots in the Senegal River Valley who are joining forces and expertise to create a complete value chain from production to marketing, processing and service provision. Their raison d’être is to stimulate and boost the agricultural and food transition towards a resilient agrosystem, by deploying innovative and responsible solutions and products in line with the principles of regenerative agriculture.

**Type of Products:**

**Cassava**
- Fresh cassava tubers - sweet variety
- Capacity in tonnes: 65

**Mango**
- Fresh mango - Floridian variety for international markets (Kent, Keitt, Palmer, Zill, Valencia, Smith, Irwin and Haden), Mango juice, Mango nectar, Dried mango, Mango jam/marmelade, Sliced mango
- Capacity in tonnes: 135

**Companies**
- **Cassava and Mango**
- **Part of: GIE Samba Nor Fall**

**Contact Information**
- **Address:** Richard Toll, Senegal
- **Certifications:** HACCP, ISO 9001
- **Language Spoken:** Arabic, English and French

**Established**
- 2021

**Number of Employees**
- 6 (2 women)

**Youth Owned or Led**
- Yes

**Woman Owned or Led**
- Yes

**Partnership**
- Part of: GIE Samba Nor Fall
SIERRA LEONE
Lion Food Snacks & Beverage (SL) Ltd. manufacture local food products made from Sierra Leonean raw materials. They are working to be a leading supplier of nutritious, homegrown food in Sierra Leone through the use of innovative value chain techniques and symbiotic relations with harvesters to develop quality products. Since their establishment, they have steadily grown by adding value to what they harvest – all locally from the best and most nutritious ingredients.

- **Cassava**

- **Part of: Mumamia Cooperative and Mabanta Cooperative**

**Number of Employees**

10 (6 women)

**Established**

2008

**Cassava**

**Type of Products:**

- Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety
- Fresh cassava tubers - Bitter variety
- Gari
- High quality Cassava Flour (HQCF)
- Fufu
- Cassava bread

**Capacity in tonnes:**

10

**Language Spoken**

English

**Contact Information**

Address:

3 Personage Street Waterloo
Village Western Area Rural District, Waterloo, Sierra Leone
Nianda Agriculture and Trading Company has been working with various outgrower organizations in Sierra Leone, especially in Lungi, and Port Loko district for over ten years to strengthen their production and productivity. The company has its own nucleus farms of vegetables, cassava, and cashews. We also have a greenhouse where they do most of our nursery for our farmers. They employ qualified staff with good agronomy backgrounds to give support to their farmers.

**Cassava**

**Number of Employees**
15 (9 women)

**Type of Products**
**Cassava**
Fresh cassava tubers - Sweet variety, Casava leaves, Attiéké, High quality Cassava Flour (HQCF)

**Capacity in tonnes:**
100

**Established**
2011

**Contact Information**
**Address:**
47 Sanders Street, Freetown, Sierra Leone

**Language Spoken**
English

**Export**
Currently exporting to:
Belgium, UK and USA
Women and Youth in Agricultural Development Initiative (WaYADI) started as a small-scale business cultivating cassava for gari and fufu processing. In 2018, WaYADI embarked on a cassava full value chain and began developing additional products such as High-Quality Cassava Flour (HQCF) for bread and confectionaries. With 15 hectares of nucleus farm, they operate to empower and encourage women and youth within the operational communities.

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**Language Spoken**

English

**Certification**

Local Content Agency Certificate
TOGO
Expertise Bio Agricole is a firm of expertise in sustainable agriculture, specializing in studies, consultations, training, support, coaching, and knowledge management. The firm has a component for setting up and managing ecological and organic farms, marketing and export and import trading in ecolo-biological agricultural products and inputs.

**CEO**

Combé ANANI

expertisebioagri@gmail.com

+228 908 59285

**Address:**

300m après la station Somayaf d’Adeticopé, Lomé, Togo

**Number of Employees**

7 (3 women)

**Established**

2020

**Type of Products:**

**Cassava**

- Fresh cassava tubers - sweet variety, Gari, Fufu

- Capacity in tonnes:

  15

**Mango**

- Polyembryonic variety (Nunkourouni - Cat’s head, Dadiani - Long mouth, Number One - Coastal mango, Mangotine, Green mango), Fresh mango - Floridian variety for international markets (Kent, Keitt, Palmer, Zill, Valencia, Smith, Irwin and Haden), Mango juice, Dried mango

- Capacity in tonnes:

  5

**Export & Certification**

- Currently exporting to: France

- Certifications:

  Organic Labels

**Contact Information**

- Address:

  300m après la station Somayaf d’Adeticopé, Lomé, Togo

**Language Spoken**

French and English
Majeste Services (Maser) is a company engaged in agribusiness (mango and manioc as well as some of their derivatives) and import-export of machinery and agricultural inputs to ecological standards.

Cassava and Mango

Part of: Inades Formation

Number of Employees
3 (1 woman)

Established
2022

Contact Information
Address:
Agoe Kossigan, Rue Agoè Nyivé,
Lomé, Togo

Language Spoken
English and French

Cassava

Type of Products:
Fresh cassava tubers - sweet variety, Cassava leaves, Gari

Capacity in tonnes:
40

Mango

Type of Products:
Mango Juice

Capacity in tonnes:
20

Export

Currently exporting to:
Benin, Ghana, Ivory Coast
Nouvelle société de commercialisation des produits agroalimentaires is a company with a cassava processing plant.

### Cassava

- **Type of Products:**
  - Gari, High quality cassava flour (HQCF), Cassava starch / Tapioca

- **Capacity in tonnes:**
  - 35,000

### Export & Certification

- **Currently exporting to:**
  - Mali, Nigeria, USA

- **Certifications:**
  - HACCP, ISO 9001

### Contact Information

- **Address:**
  - Agoè, Lomé, Togo

- **Language Spoken:**
  - French and Ife

### Established

- **Year:**
  - 2016

### Number of Employees

- **Total:**
  - 65 (15 women)

### Youth Owned or Led

- **Type:**
  - Woman Owned or Led

### Part of:

- TNTP, Adess Vision, Ayetsè, Fad-Togo, Ayefounè, Nagniré
Tropi Techno is an organic production company involved in the development of the oilseed (soybean, groundnut), tuber (cassava, yam, sweet potato) and fruit (mango, citrus) sectors.

- **Cassava and Mango**
- **Part of:** Kabou, Bangeli, Manga, Balanka, and Tchaloude

**Number of Employees**
5 (2 women)

**Established**
2018

**Cassava**
**Type of Products:**
Fresh cassava tubers - sweet variety, Fresh cassava tubers - bitter variety, Cassava leaves, Gari, Cassava starch / Tapioca, Cassava for livestock feed

**Capacity in tonnes:**
300

**Mango**
**Type of Products:**
Fresh mango - Polyembryonic variety (Nunkourouni - Cat’s head, Dadiani - Long mouth, Number One - Coastal mango, Mangotine, Green mango), Fresh mango - First monoembryonic variety (Amélie, Julie, Sabot, Djibelor and Cuisse Madame), Fresh mango - Floridian variety (Kent, Keitt, Palmer, Zill, Valencia, Smith, Irwin, Haden Brooks, Davis-Haden, Miami Late, Springfels, Beverly, Eldon and Ruby).

**Capacity in tonnes (Mango):**
100

**Contact Information**
**Address:**
Rue Winners Chapel, Lomé, Togo

**Language Spoken**
French