



# Corporate Profile

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Investments in agriculture are the best weapons against hunger and poverty, and they have made life better for billions of people.

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## **Vision Statement**

Our purpose is to ensure availability, accessibility and affordability of essential commodities, feed and food products across key global markets. We build sustainable agricultural supply chains and create value to farmers and consumers.

## **Mission Statement**

Our sustainable farming and investment in agricultural innovation are paramount and represent the best means to increase productivity and crops yields, preserve natural resources and tackle food security at large.



# From Our CEO

## Welcome to Silvex International Limited!

At Silvex, we are proud to be an indigenous company based in Kano State, Nigeria, with a strong focus on Agribusiness, Commodity Trading, Carbon Trading, Exports, and Logistics. Our commitment to excellence, innovation, and sustainability drives our operations as we strive to make a positive impact in the international market.

In today's interconnected world, we recognize the immense potential that lies in international market penetration. We are dedicated to expanding our reach and establishing strong partnerships across borders. By leveraging our expertise and embracing advancements in technology, we aim to create a global presence for Silvex International.

Agribusiness lies at the core of our operations, and we understand the crucial role it plays in ensuring food security, economic growth, and environmental sustainability. We are passionate about harnessing the power of technology to revolutionize the agricultural sector.



**Abubakar Usman Adam** CPM, FCHRM, MBCL  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

From precision farming techniques to data-driven decision-making, we are committed to implementing innovative solutions that enhance productivity, efficiency, and sustainability in agribusiness.

Furthermore, we recognize the urgent need for climate action and sustainability in today's world. Silvex International is deeply committed to playing a significant role in addressing environmental challenges. Through our expertise in carbon trading, we actively contribute to reducing greenhouse gas emissions and promoting sustainable practices. We believe that sustainable business practices are not only essential for the planet but also create long-term value for our stakeholders.

As the CEO of Silvex International, I am proud to lead a team of dedicated professionals who share our vision and values. Together, we strive to make a difference by embracing technology, fostering international collaborations, and driving sustainable practices in Agribusiness, Carbon Trading, and beyond.

I invite you to explore our profile and learn more about our diverse range of services. Whether you are a potential partner, customer, or stakeholder, we are committed to delivering exceptional value and building long-lasting relationships.

Thank you for your interest in Silvex International Limited. We look forward to embarking on a journey of growth, sustainability, and global impact together.

Sincerely,

*Abubakar Karfi*  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER  
**Silvex International Limited**

Our CEO

# About Us



## About Us:

**Silvex International Limited** is a wholly indigenous and rapidly growing integrated Agribusiness, Mining and Logistics company with diverse interest in commodity aggregation, processing and trading. Incorporated in year 2014 under the relevant laws of the federal Republic of Nigeria, the Company came into being through innovative ideas to be promising, dynamic and prime example of African potentials in Agribusiness, Commodity Trading and Mining.

**Silvex** seeks to meet the technical objectives in areas of locally researched and reliable products and services, which would enable us, deliver our products and services to reputable local and international buyers in timely manner. **Silvex** at all time use the standard of international best practices to eliminate any form of unethical dealings, we shall at all times ensure that we provide both quality products and services as well as fair pricing to our esteemed customers.

**Silvex** at all times have strategic partnership with firms and or persons who have innovative ideas for unlocking and enhancing the growth of agribusiness and or commodity dealings in Nigeria and beyond.

**Silvex** is also be committed to build trust and cooperation with relevant stakeholders with a view to formulate workable framework, which would support Africans and African Governments achieve self-sufficiency, economic prosperity and food security as part of our corporate social responsibility (CSR).



# Our Interest:



## Commodity Trading



**Silvex International Limited** has achieved technical expertise, valuable experience, and financial competence in the field of commodity trading. This enables us to deliver our locally researched and reliable products and services to reputable local and international buyers in a timely manner.

## Agribusiness

**Silvex International Limited** is a leading expert in Agribusiness, specializing in the production of quality inputs, seeds, and offering comprehensive technical, financial, advisory, and management services across the agricultural value chain. We excel in domestic and international trade facilitation and investments in Agribusiness. Our focus lies in projects financing, attracting strategic partnerships, and interventions aimed at cultivating innovative ideas for profitable and viable investments in agriculture.



## Export

**Silvex International Limited** is actively engaged in the export of various products, leveraging our expertise in commodity trading and agribusiness. We ensure that our export operations adhere to international standards and regulations, guaranteeing the timely delivery of high-quality products to our global customers. With a strong network and deep understanding of international markets, we strive to expand our export portfolio and establish long-term partnerships with international buyers, fostering mutually beneficial relationships that drive growth and contribute to global trade.



## Climate/Carbon

Recognizing the urgent need for climate action and sustainability, Silvex International Limited actively participates in climate and carbon trading initiatives. We are committed to reducing greenhouse gas emissions and promoting sustainable practices across industries. Through our expertise in carbon trading, we facilitate the trading of carbon credits, enabling organizations to offset their emissions and contribute to a greener future. Our focus on sustainability aligns with our broader mission of creating a positive impact on the environment while driving economic growth. By engaging in climate and carbon trading, we aim to foster a more sustainable and resilient future for generations to come.



At Silvex we understand the critical importance of efficient logistics execution in commodity trading. Timely movement and transportation of commodities are not only commendable but also necessary components for proficient trading and transactions across key global markets. We prioritize shipping, warehousing, packaging, disposal, and security of commodity products and services throughout the agribusiness supply chain. Our professional logistics handling adds significant value to our products and services, ensuring quick cash collection strategies within the framework of financial regulations.

## Logistics

# Our Services



# Our Services:

**Silvex International Limited's** commitment to healthy consumption is evident through their involvement in farming, production, collaboration with smallholder farmers, packaging, marketing, exports, warehousing, consultancy, and acting as a commodity deal brokerage. By maintaining control over the supply chain and engaging in various activities, Silvex International Limited ensures the highest quality standards, promotes sustainability, and contributes to the growth of the agricultural sector in Nigeria and beyond.

**Silvex International Limited's** Silvex International Limited prioritizes healthy consumption through various measures. Firstly, they engage in farming and production to ensure the quality and safety of their products. By cultivating crops using sustainable practices, Silvex International Limited guarantees that the nutritional value is preserved and that the final products meet the highest standards. Additionally, they collaborate with smallholder farmers as a backward integration measure, fostering a diverse and sustainable supply of raw materials. This collaboration not only supports local communities but also empowers farmers by providing them with training and resources.

Furthermore, Silvex International Limited takes care of the entire supply chain to maintain the quality of their products. They handle packaging, marketing, exports, and warehousing in-house, ensuring that their products are properly packaged, effectively promoted, and made available to both local and international markets. This comprehensive approach allows them to control the entire process, from cultivation to distribution, guaranteeing the highest quality standards.

In addition to their core activities, Silvex International Limited offers consultancy services to farmers, businesses, and organizations in the agricultural sector. Leveraging their expertise, they provide guidance and support to optimize operations and promote sustainable practices. Moreover, the company serves as a commodity deal brokerage, facilitating fair and transparent transactions between buyers and sellers in the agricultural industry.



The logo for THE BARANDA CLIMATE SMART FARM ESTATE. It features a stylized landscape with a house, trees, and a windmill above a field of rows. The text "THE BARANDA" is in green, "CLIMATE SMART" is in yellow, and "FARM ESTATE" is in red.

# THE BARANDA CLIMATE SMART FARM ESTATE

**Silvex International Limited's** takes pride in its Baranda Climate Smart Farm Estate, a vast land spanning 1000 hectares located in Jigawa state. This innovative agricultural venture serves as a beacon of sustainable farming practices and economic development. The estate is home to over 10,000 ingrower and outgrower farmers who cultivate a diverse range of crops, including rice, soybeans, and more.

At the Baranda Climate Smart Farm Estate, Silvex International Limited has created a thriving ecosystem that not only ensures the production of high quality crops but also generates employment opportunities. With over 10,000 jobs already created, the estate serves as a catalyst for economic growth, empowering local communities and contributing to the overall development of the region.

By implementing climate-smart farming techniques, Silvex International Limited demonstrates its commitment to sustainable agriculture. The estate serves as a model for environmentally friendly practices, utilizing methods that minimize the impact on natural resources while maximizing productivity. Through the adoption of advanced technologies and responsible farming methods, Silvex International Limited strives to achieve optimal yields while preserving the ecological balance of the land.



Our Projects





**Silvex International Limited's** operates a vast 1000-hectare land dedicated to the Living Carbon initiative. This initiative is a remarkable undertaking aimed at combating climate change and promoting carbon sequestration through the establishment of carbon-rich ecosystems.

The Living Carbon project is a testament to Silvex International Limited's commitment to environmental sustainability. By strategically planting trees and vegetation, the company creates carbon sinks that effectively absorb and store carbon dioxide from the atmosphere. This proactive approach not only helps to reduce greenhouse gas emissions but also contributes to the restoration and conservation of natural habitats.

The 1,000 hectare land serves as a haven for a diverse range of plant species, fostering biodiversity and providing a sanctuary for various wildlife. Silvex International Limited ensures the sustainable management of this land, employing responsible land-use practices and implementing ongoing monitoring and maintenance protocols. By actively participating in the Living Carbon initiative, the company showcases its dedication to environmental stewardship and the preservation of natural resources.

Through the Living Carbon project, Silvex International Limited plays a crucial role in mitigating climate change and promoting ecological balance. By actively sequestering carbon and preserving biodiversity, the company contributes to the global effort to combat climate change while creating a positive impact on the local ecosystems.



Our Projects



**Silvex International Limited's** operates a 10,000-hectare Commodity Trading Estate in Nassarawa state. This estate serves as a centralized hub for agricultural commodities, facilitating trading activities and promoting economic growth in the region. With modern infrastructure and facilities, the estate accommodates storage, processing units, and marketplaces for efficient and transparent transactions. The establishment of this estate creates employment opportunities, stimulates the local economy, and contributes to the overall development of the agricultural sector .

Silvex Commodity Trading Estate will plays a crucial role in streamlining the agricultural value chain. It provides a platform for farmers, traders, and other stakeholders to engage in buying, selling, and processing various agricultural commodities. By reducing post-harvest losses and ensuring fair pricing, the estate helps improve the profitability of farmers and traders. Additionally, Silvex International Limited organizes training programs to empower individuals in the sector, contributing to long-term sustainability and success.

Silvex International Limited's operation of the 10,000-hectare Commodity Trading Estate in Nassarawa state demonstrates their commitment to fostering economic growth and development in the agricultural sector. Through this estate, they create a centralized marketplace, stimulate the local economy, and provide employment opportunities. By streamlining the supply chain and promoting fair trading practices, the estate contributes to the overall prosperity of the region and supports the long-term sustainability of the agricultural sector.



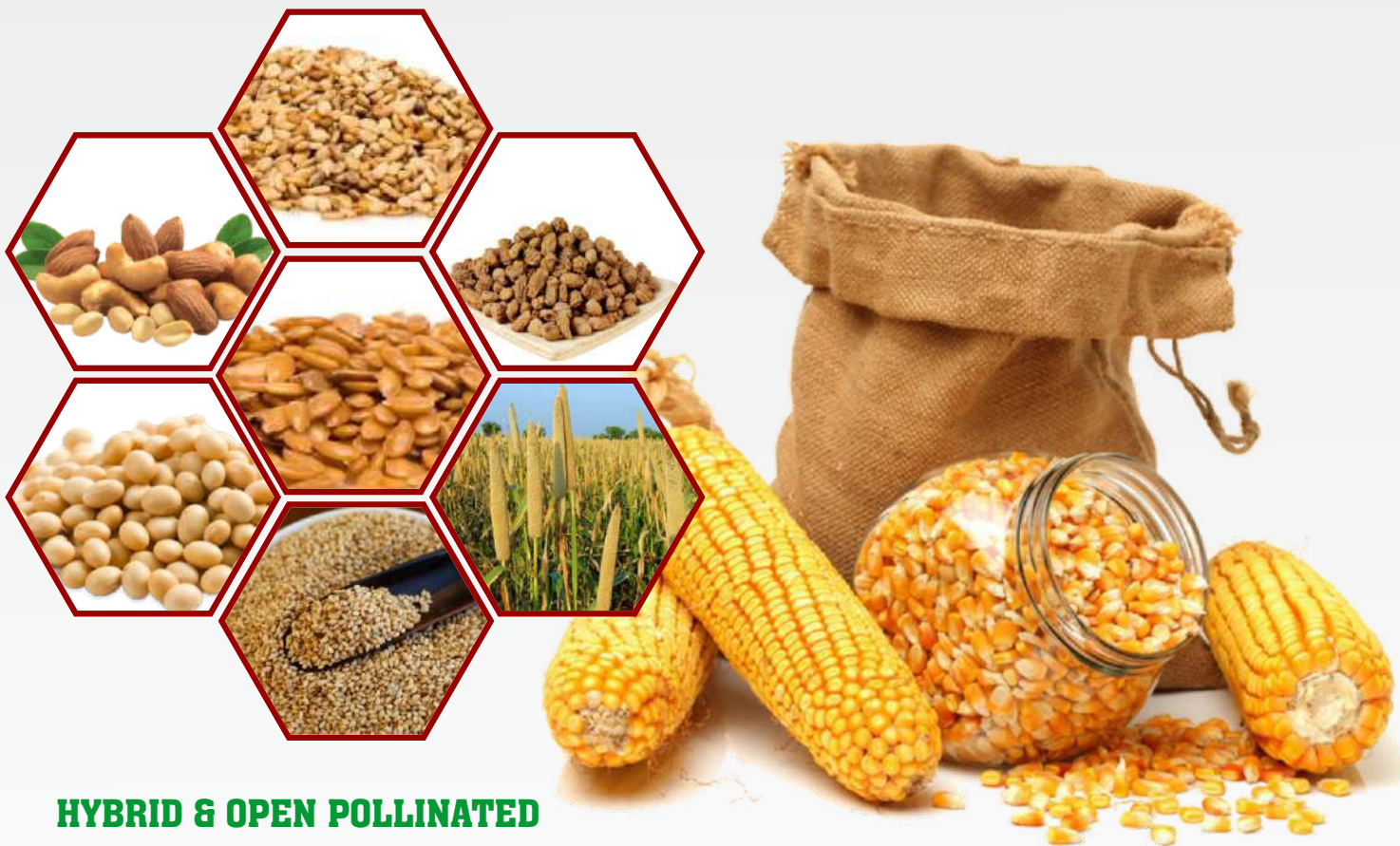
Our Projects



**Silvex International Limited's** operates Sabanah Seed, a subsidiary company dedicated to producing a wide range of high-quality seeds for farmers. Sabanah Seed plays a vital role in supporting agricultural productivity and ensuring food security by providing farmers with reliable access to superior seeds.

As a sub-company of Silvex International Limited, Sabanah Seed focuses on the research, development, and production of seeds that are well-suited to local farming conditions. They employ advanced breeding techniques, genetic selection, and rigorous quality control measures to ensure that the seeds they produce exhibit desirable traits such as high yield potential, disease resistance, and adaptability to specific climates and soil conditions.

Sabanah Seed offers a diverse portfolio of seeds, including those for staple crops like maize, rice, wheat, and soybeans, as well as specialty crops like vegetables, fruits, and forage crops. By providing a wide range of seeds, the company caters to the diverse needs of farmers, enabling them to optimize their agricultural practices and maximize their yields.



**HYBRID & OPEN POLLINATED  
VARIETY SEEDS FOR LEGUMES,  
CEREALS & VEGETABLES**

**Our Projects**

# Our Trading Crops:



**Cocoa**



**Ginger**



**Maize**



**Cashew**



**Cowpea**



**Soya Beans**



**Melon Seed**



**Hibiscus**



**Wheat**



**Sesame**



**Peanut**



**Sorghum**



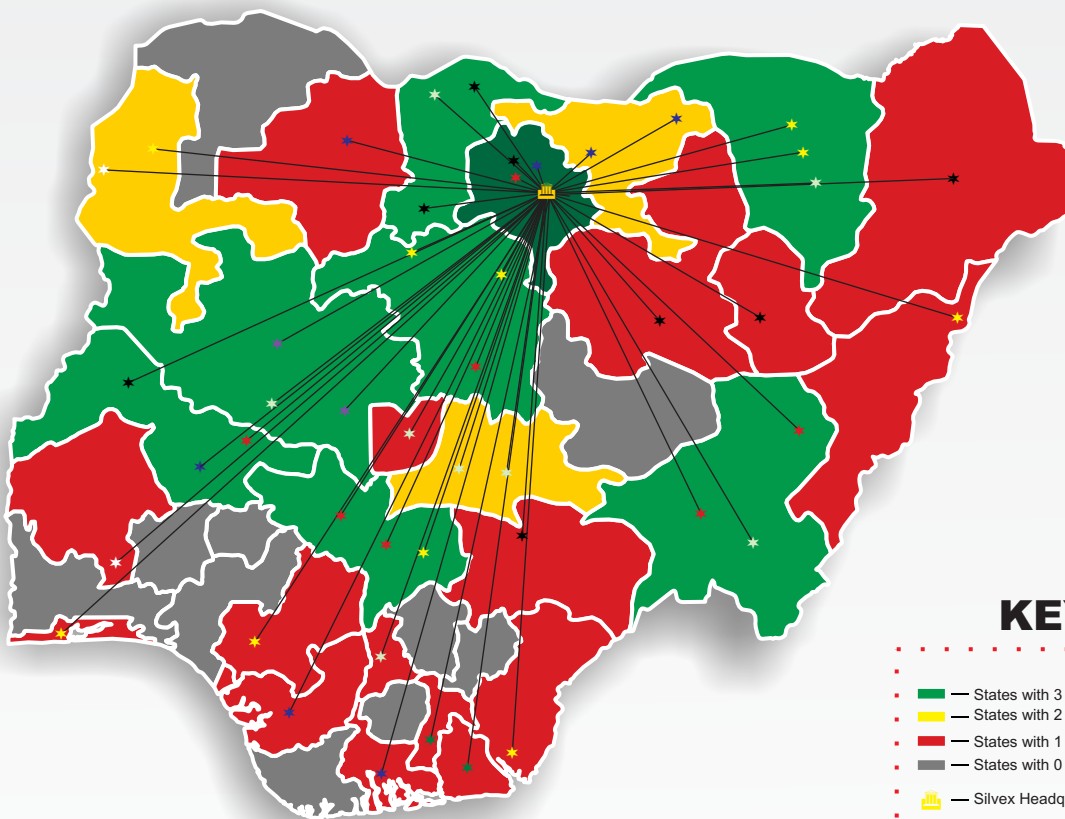
**Rice**



**Cassava**



**Millet**



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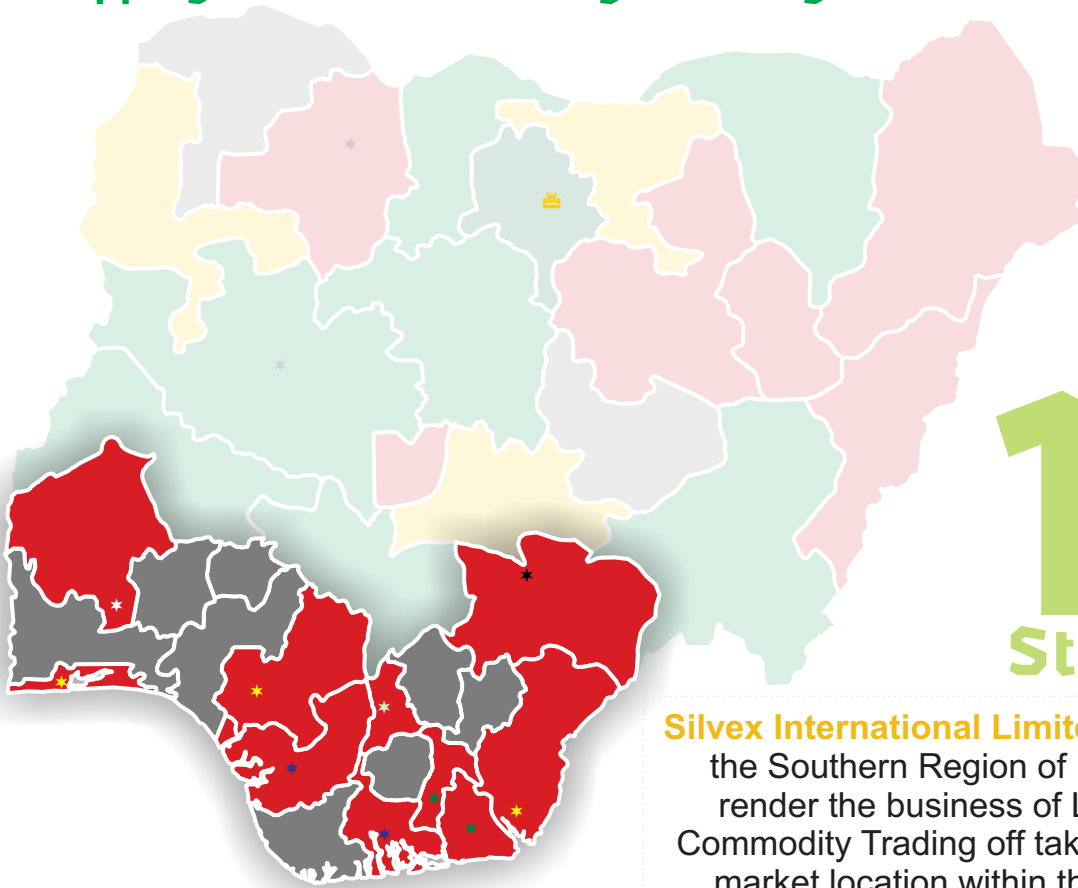
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Locations

**Our Presence**

# Silvex Logistics & Commodity Trading

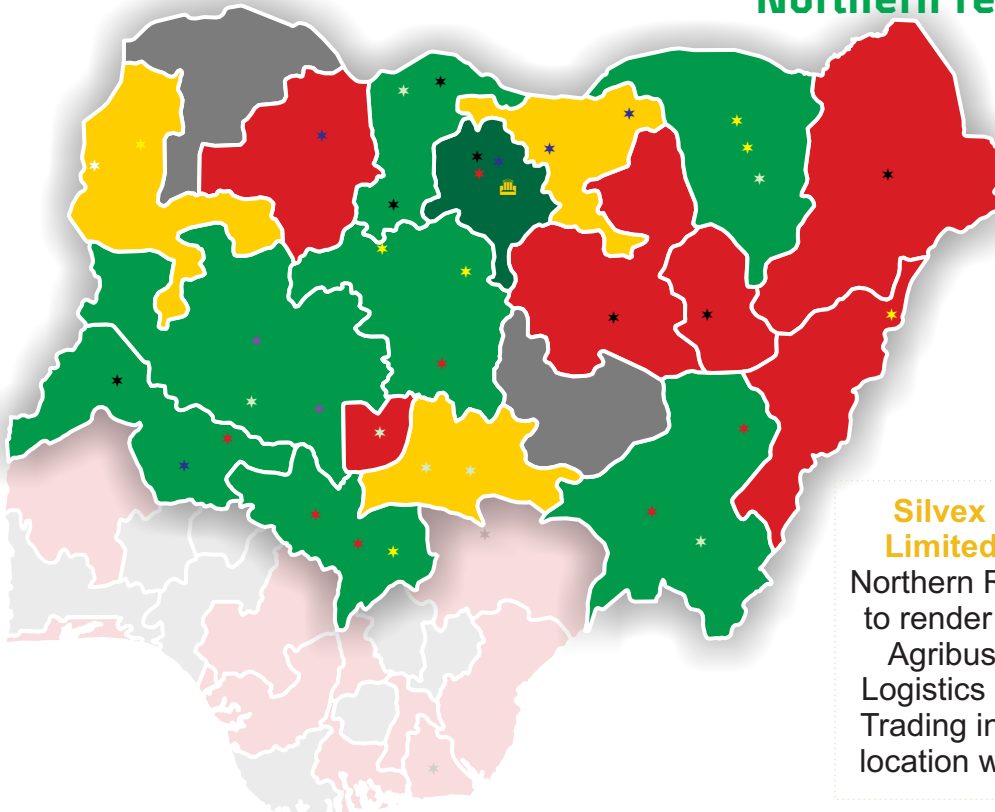
## Mapping In the southern region of Nigeria



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States

**Silvex International Limited** existed in the Southern Region of Nigeria to render the business of Logistics, Commodity Trading off take in various market location within the region.

## Silvex Agribusiness, Mining, Logistics and Commodity Trading Mapping In the Northern region of Nigeria



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States

**Silvex International Limited** existed in the Northern Region of Nigeria to render the business of Agribusiness, Mining, Logistics and Commodity Trading in various market location within the region.

Our Presence



Silvex Rice

# TOMATO QUEEN

**Silvex** Tomato Queen Parboiled Rice is made of carefully picked long-grain rice paddy grown in the rich and fertile land of Northern Nigeria. Tomato Queen is a great source of protein, energy and carbohydrates. This product goes through modern milling techniques with all the most recent technologies and equipment for cleaning, destoning, parboiling, milling and polishing, making it to be the best among equals and the best choice for our customers.



Our Products

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# Silvex SESAME SEED

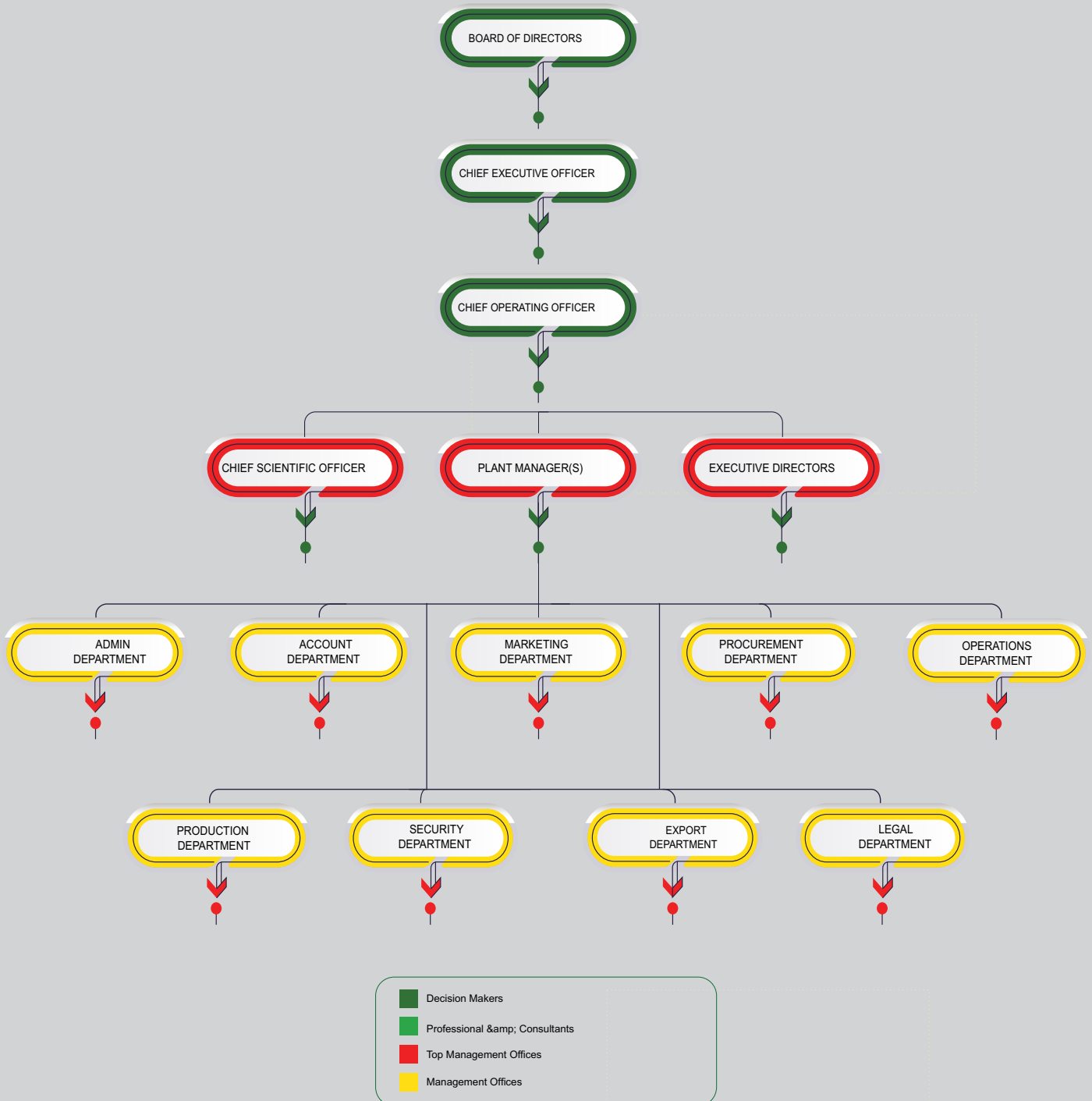


**Silvex** Sesame Seed is a cleaned, well refined, beautifully packaged and 100% Natural hulled seed. A great source of Fiber and Protein, Silvex Sesame Seed is packed with nutritional contents that help the bones and tissues in the body to stay healthy. It also helps develop the muscles, hormones, blood vessels, nerves and improves cell signaling. It is also a great source of vitamin B and other minerals such as thiamin, riboflavin, niacin, pantothenic acid, vitamin B6 and folate.



Our Products

# ORGANOGRAM







# Human Resources

We have some of the best trained in our team leading with clear vision for our growth. Some of the professionals includes but not limited to: Agricultural Economist; Certified Financial Experts; Business Development Experts; Contract and Commercial negotiation Experts; Expert in Seed Breeding; Strategic Human Resource Management experts; Experts in Accountancy; Business and Information Technology Specialist; Logistics; Supply-Chain Warehousing Management Specialist respectively.



**NURA ADO**  
*Senior Field Operation Manager.*

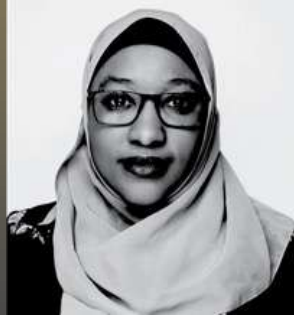
An experienced Project manager with intensive experience in managing over 7000ha farm land in Kaduna State and other places like Ghana etc.

*A Graduate, Certified Project Manager. M.Sc, Crop Management, Bayero University, Kano.*

**SAADATU A. MOHAMMAD** Esq. AcArb.  
*Admin/Legal Manager.*

A corporate Attorney with specialization in corporate/Commercial Practice, Dispute resolution, Environmental Law, Member Nigerian Institute of Chartered Arbitrators.

*She is a member of Nigerian Bar Association, Member Young African Leader Initiative (YALI), A Member, Amnesty International.*



**AISHA IMAM GALADANCHI**  
*Head - CSA.*

Project Management Expert with multiple years of experience in Project Management, Supervision, Design and Planning.

*Aisha is a graduate of Agriculture from Bayero University Kano, A master Degree in Agronomy (In View).*

**SAIFULLAHI ISYAKU**  
*Procurement Manager.*

A graduate of Kano University of Science and Technology, Wudil, (B.Sc. Chemistry). with over 6 years of combined working experience in Agribusiness, Procurement, Start-up, and other Agro Allied related business.



# Top Management Team



Abubakar is a self-motivated and highly energetic leader with negotiation skills in commercial contract and promising young Executive who has more than Ten (10) years voluntarism, public services and private sector backgrounds; his areas of engagements and expertise includes: human resources management, research, production, business negotiations and warehousing management, practical Executive Assistant; Cofounder and Principal partner of Silvex International Limited.

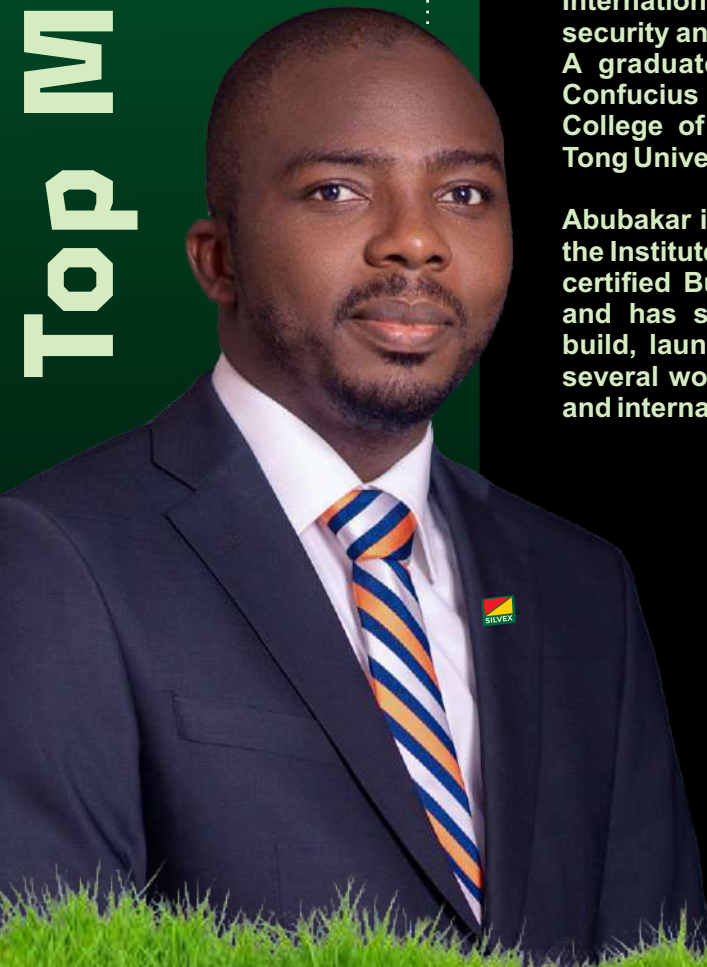
He is also a member of various boards and enterprises with viable ventures. He acquired experiences and attained record of success in challenging projects; he has experience in working with multicultural and interdisciplinary teams; recognized for high teamwork skills, patience and reasonable supervisor with great leadership skills. He sat in number of boardrooms (both in public and private sectors) where critical decisions were made. He has facilitated and participated in dozens of seminars; conferences and workshops locally and internationally, aimed at capacity buildings. He also participated in panels of talent hunt/recruitment; promotion; re-skilling and or workforce development, retention and management.

Mr. Abubakar is currently a PhD candidate in Human Resource Management in the eminent management University; Utara University, Malaysia; (with research interests in Workplace Automation, Impact of Artificial Intelligence on Job Security and Policy Responses in Nigeria) he also obtained Masters in Business and Commercial Law (with research interest in regulatory and Policy Perspective in contract farming and de-risking Agriculture production in Nigeria, 2018). He bagged another Masters in Social Welfare Education (with research interest in Workforce Productivity and Welfare, 2015) both from prestigious Bayero University, Kano. He is a Certified Personnel Manager by the HRM Professionals and Certification institute Lagos and Fellow Chartered Institute of Human Resources Management, Lagos respectively.

His hobbies include; mentorship, leadership development and soft skills advocacy. Mr. Abubakar is married with children. He is a recipient of exemplary leadership award, achievement awards and certificates of honor.

**Abubakar Usman Adam** CPM, FCHRM, MBCL  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER





Abubakar is an accomplished operations executive, astute entrepreneur, business and strategy consultant with successful track records of overseeing project planning processes, field operations, export logistics and international trade.

A curious conceptual thinker and a born problem-solver with a penchant for retooling ideas, Abubakar Stops at nothing every time; reinventing to deliver value across the agricultural value chain. He has been associated with the company since it's inception as promoter, co-founder and a pioneer director. He is responsible for the overall work of the company and is instrumental in taking strategic decisions for the company.

Abubakar is an alumnus of the prestigious Dangote Business School, Bayero University Kano, where he studied Masters of Business Administration specializing on Agribusiness Management (MBA-Agribusiness). He is a PhD Economics candidate at Othman Yeop Abdallah Graduate School of Business, University of Utara, Malaysia. His major research interests are: Agribusiness and International Trade with particular focus on global food security and commodity exchange in developing countries. A graduate of ESAE Benin, he is an alumnus of the Confucius Institute of the University of Lagos and the Antai College of Economics & Management of Shanghai Jiao Tong University China.

Abubakar is a Certified Financial Analyst and a member of the Institute of Agribusiness Management of Nigeria. He is a certified Business Development Service Provider (BDSP) and has supported/mentored aspiring entrepreneurs to build, launch and run their businesses. He has attended several workshops, seminars and trade fairs/show locally and internationally. He is a recipient of several awards.

## Abubakar Garba Ibrahim

CFA, MBA

CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER



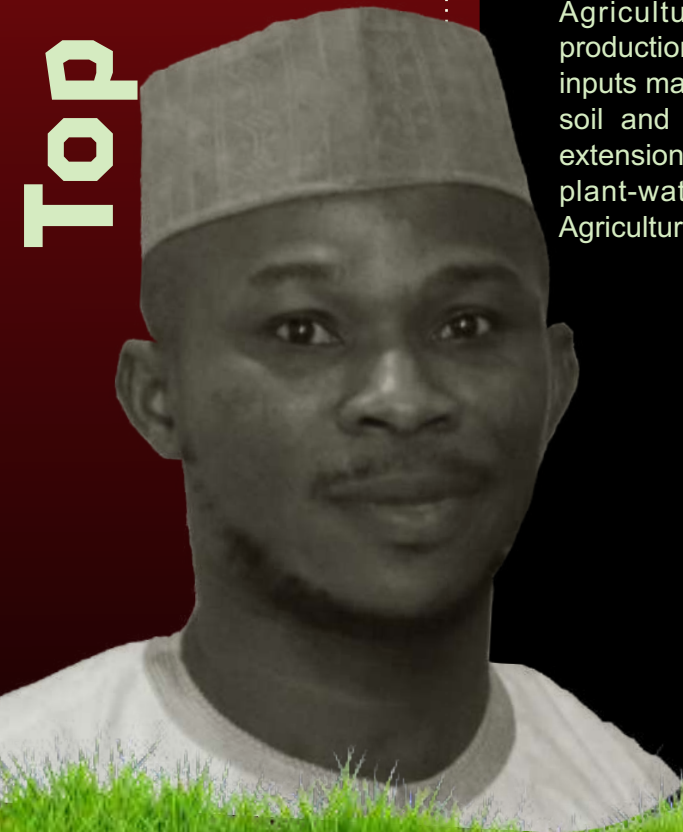
# Top Management Team



Abdulwahab is a plant breeder, biostatistician, Agricultural Researcher, Academic and Consultant with over 10 years' experience in the Agricultural sector in Nigeria, Tanzania and China. He is a creative and enthusiastic Molecular Plant Breeder and Agronomist with experiences in the Agricultural Industry. He has experience in designing and carrying out field (on-farm and on-station) and laboratory experiments with respect to Crops, Soil and Water relations. He also has experience in instrumentation analysis (LCMS, UPLC, HPLC, GC, NIR); Seed enterprises; Farmer Trainings; Agricultural Value-Chain analysis; and creation of farmer groups and cluster. He is also experienced in starting up and managing Agribusinesses.

Abdulwahab has vast experience in writing scientific articles and Technical reports. Abdulwahab possess excellent analytical and communications skills and dedicated approach to working in a highly controlled and field working environment.

Abdulwahab is also experienced in developing agronomic strategies for enhanced food production; development and strengthening of agricultural value chains; development and management of both small- and large-scale Agribusiness, and provision of Agricultural market linkages. His experience in the Agricultural sector cuts across plant breeding, seed production, molecular analysis, crop production, agricultural inputs market and business, Irrigation agronomy, horticulture, soil and water management, Agricultural Economics and extension, Environmental impact analysis, modeling of soil-plant-water-environment system, Agro-Meteorology and Agricultural Biotechnology.



**Abdulwahab Salisu Shuaibu** <sup>PhD</sup>  
AGRONOMIST/PLANT BREEDER



Our Customer/Clients are central to our performance and success story. therefore, we are duty bound to provide them with unique and unequal satisfaction through our quality control and assurance measures; by so doing we make sure our customers/Clients get value for their monies from our products and services at all times within the specified time frame.



Some of Our Clients & Partners

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Our Clients

As part of our acceptance of reality of the 21st century; we utilize and apply best and safe technology in our production/farm management; employees performance appraisals; surveillance; data gathering and storage; warehousing; sales; contract execution and financial transactions to meet the daunting needs of our customers.





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Antecedents

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