



# TAF ASSURED MIXED ENTERPRISES LIMITED

**Company profile**

**2024-2026**

## **BACKGROUND**

Trained Apiary Farmers (TAF) Assured Mixed Enterprises started as a small scale farm in 2008, with a primary intention of increasing the honey, fruits production and mixed farming as a business. The farm has 250 improved traditional bee hives, known as "Tugu" and 15 KTB hives that was support under N AADS program. We registered as a CBO with the Sub County authority on 8<sup>th</sup> April 2011 with the intention of providing skills, knowledge, materials, market and later to add value on our products.

### **Mr. Tom Anyii Okello (Managing director)**

Holds a bachelor's degree in social works and social administration, He conceived this idea during the workshop organized on Economic Management and Transformation by the Ministry of Finance, Planning and Economic Development and office of the President in 2007 in Kyankwanzi. Tom has extensively traveled to several other study tours like in Masaka, Mityana under President of the Republic Uganda's directives and Soroti, Arua, and other districts in Western Uganda from where he attained the inspirations and skills in beekeeping and fruit trees planting. He has great skills in organization.

## **LAND COVER**

The farm started on four acres of land that was customary owned it was four (4) acres and later in 2010 the farm extension was expanded of eight acres of land which was bought and currently the total land coverage which is fully utilized is twelve (12) acres.

In 2019 we expanded 4 acres were Taf Agri-Tourism farm and a training Institute is established. That now makes a total of 16 acres' farm land in used.

## **LEGAL STATUS**

TAF Assured Mixed Enterprises registered with the Uganda Registration Service Bureau (URSB) on 05<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2014 as a Limited Liability Company, with the mission of poverty eradication by increasing honey production in the region.

## **ADDRESS**

The farm is located in:

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## **MAJOR BUSINESS ACTIVITY**

We are engaged in: Apiculture, Aquaculture, Citrus, Mangoes, Ginger and other fruits productions, value addition, marketing and livestock husbandry as a powerful way of tackling poverty at the grassroots level.

TAF Assured Mixed Enterprises Limited is looking towards establishing and empowering the communities with modern agricultural skills and knowledge to transform their livelihoods.

## **Key Operational Areas**

Our activities are carried out in the Greater Northern Region of Uganda, but we intend to achieve a national or a countrywide coverage.

## **Vision**

Economic empowerment of people and support for ministry through the widespread introduction of b

eekeeping and general mixed farming

## **Mission**

To empower local people with skills and materials in modern farming, as a way of addressing rural poverty through value addition and wealth creation

## **General Objective**

To come up with well-structured plans for farmers, training, facilitation and value addition that will lead to the growth and development of modern farming in rural areas and transformation of people's lives.

## **Specific Objectives**

- i. To establish 50,000 hives and train a core contingent of 10,000 local community members and primary school pupils in the practice of beekeeping to meet the high demand for honey and other bee products.
- ii. To introduce a further more local people and students and pupils to modern mixed farming as a means of providing personal income job creation and reducing local poverty with a targeted 60% adoption rate in the first year.
- iii. Improvement of local health standards through the use of agricultural products such as: honey, propolis, venom, fertilized eggs, white meat among others.
- iv. To provide financial resources for the work of TAF Assured Mixed Enterprises Limited in youth, PWD's men and women leadership training and formation of groups.
- v. To establish an innovative model of microeconomic enterprises that can be replicated in other parts of Eastern Africa.
- vi. To establish an Agri-tourism farm, Agricultural training institute, fish hatchery and Lango cultural heritage Centre that can transform the whole world
- vii. To collaborate with the neighboring national parks that are existing in Uganda specifically northern Uganda like Murchison falls national park, Kidepo national park and other historical sites within the greater region
- viii. To bring back lango culture that most young people missed un yet it was so educative

## **PURPOSE OF ESTABILISHING TAF AGRI-TOURISM**

- i. To provide opportunities for visitors and learners to learn about culture and indigenous agricultural practices
- ii. To create job opportunities for the youth and the local communities
- iii. To enhance an enjoyment and recreation for visitors so as to promote a healthy and active lifestyle
- iv. To enhance awareness about the traditional staple food that's nutritive and have a long lifespan and also opportunities for visitors to learn about where these food comes from
- v. To provide modern cultural heritage centre like accommodation and recreations that can generate revenue to both Taf and the government
- vi. To create ready market for our products like smoked fish, honey, local chicken, local vegetables

## RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

- ✓ We have so far successfully trained over 10,000 beekeepers, students and out growers in the last three years, equipping them with the knowledge and skills in honey, fruits production, quality control and livestock husbandry management.
- ✓ We are supplying our honey products in Northern, Eastern, Central Uganda and outside countries such as Southern Sudan, UK, etc.
- ✓ We are training farmers, students and groups being supported by NGO's and Government institutions, on mixed farming value addition as a business at the farm premises.

## SOME OF THE PREVIOUS TRAINING ACTIVITIES CARRIED OUT AT THE FARM PREMISES

NO.	ORGANISATION	FIELD OF TRAINING	QTY OF PARTICIPANTS
1	Enterprise Uganda	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Entrepreneurship skills</li> <li>● General modern farming with value addition</li> </ul>	700 farmers from Lango and Teso sub regions
2	World Vision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Entrepreneurship skills</li> <li>● General modern farming with value addition</li> </ul>	80 farmers from Teso sub region
3	Caritas Kitgum, Moroto and Soroti	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● General modern farming with value addition</li> </ul>	120 farmers

4	Mercycorp Uganda	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● General modern farming with value addition</li> </ul>	100 Farmers from Karamoja region (Kotido, Amudat, Kabong, Karenga)
5	ZoA Pader and Agago	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● General modern farming with value addition</li> </ul>	500 farmers from Acholi sub region
6	PCU Ministries	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Modern Ginger production</li> </ul>	100 farmers
7	Nyabeya Forestry College Masindi	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management and value addition</li> </ul>	20 diploma students
8	Centenary Bank Staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Exposure visit on modern farm management</li> </ul>	60 staffs from loan department
9	Uganda Investment Authority (UIA)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Entrepreneurship skills</li> <li>● General modern farming with value</li> </ul>	120 Farmers from Lango Sub-region
10	Comboni college candidate classes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● General modern mixed farming</li> </ul>	140 Students
11	St.Katherine S.S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● General modern mixed farming</li> </ul>	80 Students
12	Mentor S.S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● General modern mixed farming</li> </ul>	40 Students
13	Okwang S.S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● General modern mixed farming</li> </ul>	25 Candidates
14	Aga Khan high School kampala	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>● General mixed farming</li> </ul>	80 students
15	UWESO/USAID	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>● Fruit tree management</li> <li>● General mixed farming</li> </ul>	230 Farmers from districts of: Lira, Omoro, Apac, Gulu, Mayuge, Jinja, Iganga, Kamuli, Tororo, Mbale, Bugiri etc.

16	DRC/ RHINO CAMP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>● Fruit tree management</li> <li>● General mixed farming</li> </ul>	20 Farmers from the Refugee camp in South Sudan
17	Ajalía SS Agago District	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>General mixed farming</li> </ul>	80 Candidates for both 'O' and 'A' level
18	Comboni College Ngetta- Lira	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>General mixed farming</li> </ul>	500 Candidates for both 'O' and 'A' level
19	Aduku Sub County Local Government Apach District	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>● Fruit tree management</li> <li>● General mixed farming</li> </ul>	40 Participants both Politician and Civil Servants
20	Chegere Sub County Local Government Apach District	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>● Fruit tree management</li> <li>● General mixed farming</li> </ul>	38 Participants both Politician and Civil Servants
21	PELUM UGANDA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Ecological soil fertility and proper land management</li> </ul>	20 NGO's representatives in Lango and Acholi sub region
22	ZOA Nwoya District	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>● Fruit tree management</li> <li>● General mixed farming</li> </ul>	500 farmers representatives
23	Ngetta Catechetical Pastoral Centre- Lira dioceses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>● Fruit tree management</li> <li>● General mixed farming</li> </ul>	120 Catechist (farmers) and Novices
24	Goal Uganda:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>● Fruit tree management</li> </ul>	7,500 farmers, Agago, Lira, Karenga and Abim, Omoro, Pader, Kitgum and Lamwo Districts representatives

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● General mixed farming</li> </ul>	
25	Mentor SS- Lira	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>● Fruit tree management</li> <li>● Fish farming</li> <li>● General mixed farming</li> </ul>	200 Candidates both O and A levels attained the training
26	District Local Governments in Lango, Acholi, Teso, West Nile and many other districts in Uganda	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>● Fruit tree management</li> <li>● Fish farming</li> <li>● General mixed farming</li> </ul>	5,000 representatives
27	Fields of life Uganda: Lango, Acholi, Karamoja, Teso and West Nile Sub region.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>● Fruit tree management</li> <li>● Fish farming</li> <li>● Organic farming</li> <li>● General mixed farming</li> </ul>	32 Participants
28	Woord En daad Grants Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Tree planting</li> </ul>	1,500 Youth and Women trained and supported in Lango and Acholi sub region
29	Ministry of water and Environment Kampala	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management and value addition on bee products</li> </ul>	25 Bee farmers from Lira and Oyam districts
30	AVSI Foundation Uganda	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management and value addition on bee products</li> <li>● Book keeping and financial management</li> </ul>	59 youth bee keepers from Lira Oyam
31	Bishop Tarantino College Ngetta	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>● Fruit tree management</li> <li>● Fish farming and management</li> </ul>	60 Candidates for 'O' level



		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ent</li> <li>● General mixed farming as a business</li> </ul>	
32	Unity college	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>● Fruit tree management</li> <li>● General mixed farming as a business.</li> </ul>	25 Candidates for 'O' level
33	Adwari Senior Sec. School	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>● Fruit tree management</li> <li>● General mixed farming as a business.</li> </ul>	66 Students from S.I-S.5
34	Ngetta Girls Primary School	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>● Fruit tree management</li> <li>● General mixed farming as a business.</li> </ul>	75 P.7 Candidates 2022
35	A lot of interested groups and individuals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Apiary management</li> <li>● Poultry management</li> <li>● Fish farming and management</li> <li>● Fruit tree management</li> <li>● General mixed farming</li> </ul>	They visit the farm on daily basis on an average of 5 people.
36	Agrisol Africa Ltd.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Bokashi Making</li> </ul>	10 staffs
37	BIYAYA SECONDARY SCHOOL AJUMANDI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Training entrepreneurship candidates on mixed farming as a business</li> </ul>	100 students

**NB.** And many other interested groups and individuals that had managed to visit the farm premises to acquire skills, knowledge and ideas to improve their livelihood through farming as a business.

## **BANKERS**

- *KCB Bank Lira Branch. A/C 2201998361*
- *DFCU Bank Lira Branch. A/C 01051025860498*
- ✓ **ACCOUNT NAME: TAF ASSURED MIXED ENTERPRISES LTD**

## **FEE STRUCTURES**

- Gate/ Training / Facilitation fees per head per day ..... 50,000=-
- Detailed training on mixed farming as a business fees per head .....100,000=-
- Breakfast ..... 7,000=-
- Food (water and soda inclusive) per plate ..... 15,000=-
- Accommodation per night .....20,000=-
- Traditional improved bee hive with metallic stand.....90,000=-
- Taf improved bee hives with top bar and metallic stand ..... 120,000=-
- Student on industrial training (full time) .....380,000=-
- Student on Industrial training (day time) ..... 280,000=-
- DIT (Directorate of Industrial Training) MOEAS Asst. fees .....100,000=-
- DIT full course and asst. 3 months ..... 600,000=-

## **ENTERPRISES AVAILABLE**

- Bee keeping
- Citrus production
- Mangoes production
- Ginger production
- Poultry keeping (Intensive, semi intensive and free range system being practice)
- Rabbit rearing
- Piggery
- Fish Farming, Fish hatchery
- Nursery bed management
- Agri-tourism in farming and cultural heritage

- Climate smart agriculture /Organic fertilizer (BOKASHI)

## SEVICES OFFERS AT THE FARM PREMISES

- Training of farmers and students in mixed farming as a business
- Honey processing
- Value addition
- Honey wine making and sales
- Consultancy
- Catering for visitors and others
- Accommodation for visiting farmers
- Supply of farm products and materials
- DIT Assessment
- General construction
- Cultural heritage center and Agri-tourism

## TOPICS OFFERS

- This is done as per the interest of visiting groups, Schools/ institutions and partners

## FUTURE PLANS

- Construction of modern training hall and Equipment's
- Construction of borehole, tank, solar, pump and Irrigation system
- Certification of products with UNBS.
- Establishment of buying and selling of products shop
- Construction of Agricultural Training Institute
- Fencing farm with chained link for security and tourist livestock rearing (Indigenous birds)
- Construction of poultry unit to accommodate 10,000 birds
- Support to youth, women and PWD's with training, support with traditional improved bee hives to improve on honey production and livelihood
- Construction of honey processing factory and machines
- Establishment of a mini zoo for smaller wild animals and birds for learners and tourist
- Construction of heritage/ cultural exhibition show room

- Purchase of farm /company lorry, tractor and.
- Purchase of Tourist Vans and Motorcycles
- Construction of swimming pool and recreational ground
- Construction Taf Guest houses/ Corteges
- Purchase of Incubator and accessories
- Construction of a modern fish hatchery with equipment's
- Construction of Taf Wine processing factory and machines.

## ACHIEVEMENTS

- \* Establishment of a training center for farmers and students.
- \* Expansion and purchase of 20 acres of land for farming and training activities
- \* Improvement on the traditional bee hives with Queen Chamber, store and a metallic stand to improve on production and control pest and predators.
- \* Improvement on traditional bee hive with Top bars
- \* Formation of TAF Co-operative society limited
- \* Winner of the third best farmer in Uganda in 2017 award and a trip to the Netherland. Sponsored by: Vision group, Netherland embassy, KLM Airlines and DFCU bank.
- \* Grant support from Woord and Daad in The Netherlands under BDMF.
- \* Establishment of Taf Agri-tourism farm after visiting The Netherlands in 2018
- \* **Partnership with International Ngo's like:** GOAL UGANDA, AVSI FOUNDATION UGANDA, CARITAS UGANDA, WORLD VISION, LWF, And GLRA etc.
- \* **Partnership with Government agencies Like:** NUSAF programs, Local Governments, Schools, Universities, Institutions and Individual Farmers/ Concern Communities

## SUPPORT TO NUSAF 3 PROGRAMME

TAF Assured Mixed Enterprises Limited provided the following services to NUSAF 3 Groups under water shades:-

- Supply of Traditional improved bee hive at a subsidized price of 90.000= instead of 100.000= fully baited and transport to the water shades in Lira, Dokolo and Kaberamido districts.
- Free basic training on bee keeping

- Provision of market for the bee products under the water shades

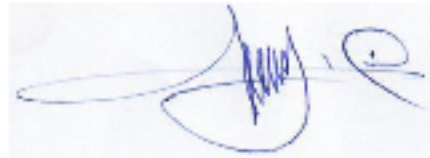
## KEY PERSONNEL

Managing Director	-	Mr. Tom Anyii Okello
Project Manager	-	Ms. Konga Winnie
Accounts & Administrative Officer	-	Ms. Otim Samuel

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Mr. Anyii Tom Okello	-	Managing Director
Mrs. Anyii Susan	-	Director
Mr. Olwit Jimmy Mao	-	Director

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**ANYII TOM OKELLO**

**MANAGING DIRECTOR (TAF ASSURED MIXED ENTERPRISES LIMITED)**

**SOME OF THE TRAINING, FARM ACTIVITY PHOTOS**



Youth groups getting skills on bee keeping at the farm premises



Farmers getting training of proper local chicken rearing and breed selection techniques at the farm premises by veterinary officer.



Farmers getting training on proper bee keeping management in a traditional improved hive at the farm



Farmers getting training on value addition at the farm practically



ARRIVAL AT THE AMSTERDAM AIRPORT AS  
ONE OF THE UGANDAN 10 BEST FARMERS 20

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I WAS AT THE MASSEY FERGUSON FACTORY  
IN THE NETHERLANDS

I WAS IN ONE OF THE COMMERCIAL FLOWER  
FARM IN THE NORTHERN PART OF NETHERLANDS

AT JINJA SHOW GROUND EXHIBITING FARM PRODUCTS  
WITH VALUE ADDITION





TRAINING STUDENTS FROM NYABEYA FORESTRY COLLEGE MASINDI AT THE FARM



TRAINING AND DISTRIBUTION OF BEE HIVE TO FARMERS IN DOKOLO DISTRICT UNDER NUSAF III PROGRAM



BEST FARMER TROPY AWARD



IN ONE OF THE POULTRY FOO LAYER BIRDS IN NETHERLANDS





A view of Taf fish ponds



Taf Administrative Block



TAF Improved Bee Hives ready for sale at TAF Premises.



Bee Hive installation in the Apiary



Rabbit unit



*Telela Cell, Telela Ward Ngetta Lira City East Division Lira City, Uganda*



Fields of life pupils and their teachers for Agriculture training at the farm



*Telela Cell, Telela Ward Ngetta Lira City East Division Lira City, Uganda*



Training Agrisol Africa Limited Staffs on BOKASHI making an organic fertilizer