



# Nigerian Sesame Crop Review and Outlook

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WE SUPPLY AFRICA'S FINEST HULLED SESAME SEEDS.



### Topics



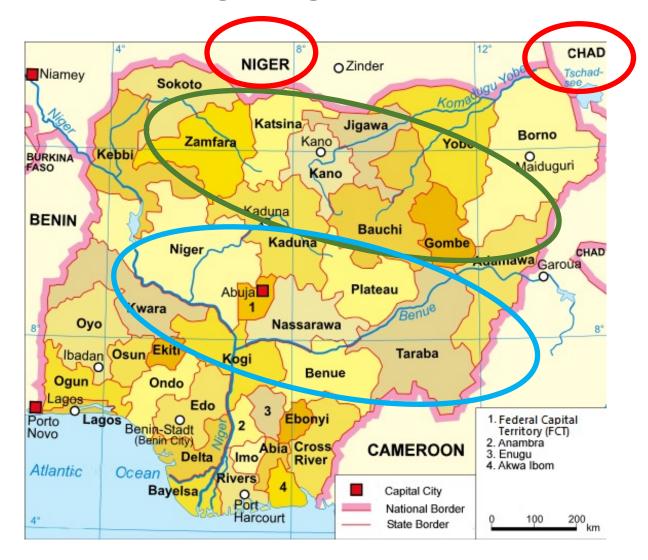


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Northern Belt

**Central Belt** 

**Border Trade** 





| CULTIVATION AREA (HECTARE) | ESTIMATED PRODUCTION (MTS) |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1,061,200                  | 290                        |

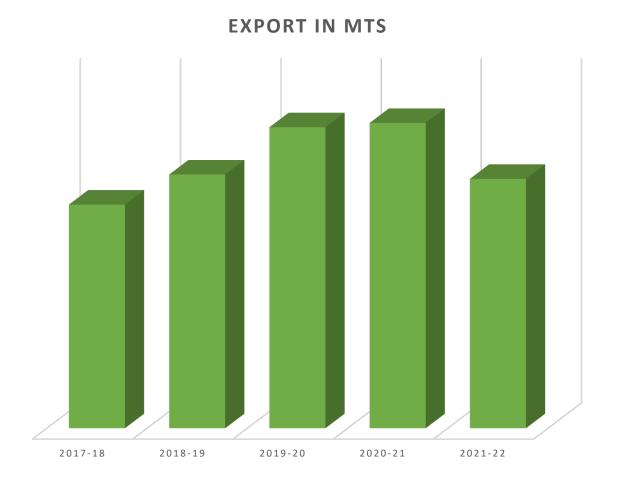
| Factors              | Effect   |
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| Price of other crops | Due to high realization for Soyabean, Sorghum, Millet and Maize, farmers had made switching from sesame seed farming in some areas. This reduced Sowing area for sesame seeds. |
| Weather              | Late rainfall in some parts of Northern Nigeria. Delayed sowing in North and North Eastern states.   |
| Pest & Disease       | No Major Impact reported   |
| Quality              | Overall quality is good and similar to last season.  |





| Season  | Export in MTS |
|---------|---------------|
| 2017-18 | 260           |
| 2018-19 | 295           |
| 2019-20 | 350           |
| 2020-21 | 355           |
| 2021-22 | 290+/-        |

Estimated Crop Shortage is 15-20 %



### Nigeria moving into Value Added sector





- Hulled Cargo Segment
- Sortex Sesame Seeds
- Sesame Oil
- Organic Certified Sesame Seed



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# Challenges in this Season



- Currency devaluation
- Shortage of Empty containers
- Shipping lines reduced free days
- Shipping lines are reluctant to give forward rates with validity
- Increase in Logistics cost
- Port Congestion in Lagos followed by PHC.

### Forward Outlook: Our View



We have already witnessed increase in the prices in the last 2 months.

With the overall shortage in Supply side (India, China, Ethiopia, Nigeria & Sudan) and not much deviation expected on the demand side, prices are likely to remain firm and we can expect some bullishness in the medium to long run.

#### Thank You!

Wish Everyone a successful Season!