Corporate Profile

Industrial and Commercial Support Services

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Waco International’s operating brands on the African continent fall under the management umbrella of Waco Africa. These include Form Scaff - the largest formwork and shoring supplier in Africa, SGB-CAPE - South Africa's largest scaffolding supplier and industrial services provider and Abacus Space Solutions - a revolutionary innovator in modular and relocatable building.
SkyJacks are a major player in the hydraulic access and suspended platform markets. Sanitech are South Africa’s market leader in portable toilet hire sanitation services. The company also provides integrated hygiene services.
Committed to the Continent

Waco Africa is a leading industrial and commercial services company that provides cutting edge turnkey solutions in formwork, shoring, scaffolding, modular and relocatable buildings, portable sanitation, hygiene services, hydraulic access and suspended platforms. With 74.9% ownership by Waco International Limited and 25.1% by Bopa Moruo, Waco Africa plays a pivotal role in the ongoing development of Sub-Saharan Africa.

Sustainable Growth

With all Waco Africa brands occupying leading positions in their respective industries on the African continent, the growth potential for Waco Africa is seen as healthy and sustainable. Whilst foreign investment pours into the continent, the local brands that have been nurtured over time, with an African influence, will continue to reap resounding results.

Inspired by Values, Driven by Results

Waco Africa’s steadfast business values are embedded in the fabric of the company.

- Transparency
- Accountability
- Performance
- Best Practice
- Teamwork

These are living values that guide the behaviour of every staff member, every day. They inspire the ‘can do’ attitude that permeates the company and drives Waco Africa to deliver results that benefit their clients, country and continent.

We are Waco International

Waco Africa is the regional operating company of Waco International, a focused equipment rental and industrial services business with operations in Africa (South Africa and other sub-Saharan African countries), Australasia (Australia and New Zealand), the United Kingdom and Chile. The Group provides services in the areas of formwork, shoring and scaffolding, insulation, painting and blasting, hydraulics and suspended access platforms, relocatable modular buildings, portable sanitation products and integrated hygiene services.
Waco Africa’s Core Business

The core business of Waco Africa can be split into three separate lines of business:

• Formwork, shoring & scaffolding
  - The division consists of three separate companies - Form-Scaff, SGB-Cape and Waco Manufacturing. Independently operated, each company has enjoyed a lengthy and successful history on the African continent.

• Relocatable & modular buildings and sanitation (R&MBS)
  - This division consists of Abacus Space Solutions, a leading manufacturer and supplier of modular products, as well as Sanitech, the frontrunner in the provision of mobile sanitation and a burgeoning hygiene services supplier.

• Hydraulic access and Suspended platforms
  - These services are provided by Sky-Jacks, a well-established South African brand that has offered quality access solution for more than 30 years.
Established in 1963, Form-Scaff is a leading supplier of formwork and scaffolding to the construction and civil engineering industries. The company not only manufactures, hires and sells world-class products, but also provides design skills, technical advice and support. With over 35 branches nationwide, the company enjoys a growing footprint across the globe as well as a burgeoning international export market.
SGB-Cape is a specialist in design, supply and erection of access scaffolding and are renowned for their effective and efficient solutions within the construction, industrial and marine industries, the entertainment arena and special events. They are also experts in design and installation of thermal and acoustic insulation together with corrosion protection and asbestos removal.
Since 1978 SkyJacks has been a leading supplier of specialist access systems including Suspended Platforms, Aluminium Towers and Mobile Elevating Work Platforms (MEWPS). Operating nationwide, SkyJacks expert services are sought after within the construction, mining, industrial maintenance, building, events and film industries. SkyJacks enviable reputation has made them the preferred choice, from homeowners to large public corporations, the company provides the most advanced and up to date access systems on the market.
Situated in Elandsfontein, Gauteng, Waco Manufacturing has an 11,000 square metre factory producing over 2,000 tonnes of old and new generation products per month. The factory is equipped to meet the expanding sales and rental needs of the Waco companies’ clients. This bespoke facility enables the group to have the right equipment, in the right quantity, at the right place, price and time.
This South African owned company, formed in 1995, is well known for its high quality and cost effective modular building and unique space solutions. Having pioneered and optimised the design, manufacturing and installation of modular demountable buildings, this business has revolutionised the industry with the introduction of EzeeSpace (Abacus’ unique flat-pack modular solution) and EzeeCare rental villages. Abacus is also a preferred supplier to the Department of Education and is well represented in the mining, energy, construction and commercial industries.
Providing the Southern African market with mobile sanitation, Sanitech is reputed to be the market and technology leader. With 19 branches countrywide, the company operates two highly successful divisions, namely Sanitech Toilet Hire and Sanitech Hygiene. Established in the mid 1980’s, Sanitech was the first portable toilet hire company to supply sanitation facilities to areas where no sanitation infrastructure existed.

Sanitech is the leading supplier of ablution facilities at major events.
Opportunities for growth in Africa are abundant with Waco Africa’s current footprint covering over 20 centres on the continent including South Africa, Mozambique, Namibia, Zambia, Ghana, Madagascar, Tanzania, Angola, Mauritius, Uganda, DRC and Ethiopia.
Since 1963, South African company Form-Scaff has been designing, manufacturing, hiring and selling world-class formwork and scaffolding products. The high quality Form-Scaff products, created by specialised product development and technical support teams, have ensured that the company continues to maintain its age old position amongst other global suppliers.

**Products**

Form-Scaff’s products have been extensively used in many of South Africa’s landmark structures such as shopping centres, airports, stadiums and high-rise buildings as well as many key international projects. The product range is divided into vertical formwork, horizontal formwork, support work and scaffolding. The company also has an enviable reputation in specialised formwork producing countless high quality purpose made shutters for the local and international construction industry.

One of Form-Scaff’s strengths lies in the provision of underlying technical and engineering solutions to projects requiring formwork, shoring or scaffolding. The five design offices based in Cape Town, Durban, Johannesburg, Pretoria and Elandsfontein play a fundamental role in the company’s success by offering designs and layouts, equipment specifications and quantity breakdowns for their local projects. The design office based in Elandsfontein, at Form-Scaff’s Head Office, handles Special Projects which include the more complex and unique projects as well as all international ventures.

**Footprint**

There are more than 30 Form-Scaff branches covering South Africa, enabling equipment to be delivered on site quickly and cost effectively. A fleet of more than 80 trucks is on the road day and night making sure equipment is delivered to the customer on time.

Form-Scaff also has various International branches and continues to expand. The branches in Port Louis, Mauritius, Windhoek and Swakopmund in Namibia have been operating for over 25 years and the branch in Santiago, Chile for more than 10 years. From the beginning of 2013, Form-Scaff has opened a further 6 new branches in Kitwe and Lusaka - Zambia, Matshapa - Swaziland, Pemba – Mozambique, Accra – Ghana and Dar es Salaam – Tanzania.
SGB-Cape is the largest access scaffolding company in South Africa with a national footprint and offices in Zambia, Namibia, Ghana and Mozambique.

Access & Construction Scaffolding
With the ongoing development of scaffolding systems and components, SGB-Cape is able to provide continuously improved access solutions which in turn deliver improved safety and productivity.

Thermal Insulation & Cladding
SGB-Cape offers the supply and application of thermal insulation and cladding systems with a temperature range of between -200°C and 600°C. These services are designed to meet the requirements of specific industry sectors including the petrochemical, oil refining, power generation, paper and pulp, as well as general process engineering applications.

Marine Scaffolding & Offshore Personnel Supply
SGB-Cape is the leading access scaffolding supplier to the marine ship repair industry, marine mining sectors and oil and gas industries in the coastal areas of Southern Africa.

Quik-Deck
SGB-Cape is the sole distributor of the innovative Quik-Deck product which allows easy and safe access to the underside of bridges, Oil Rigs and other structures.

Entertainment & Events
A unique service is offered by SGB-Cape where systems are specifically designed to suit any required location or configuration. Products include tiered seating stands, platforms and decks, TV towers, podiums and stages.

Industrial Corrosion Protection
High pressure surface preparation and cleaning, abrasive blasting, ultra-high water blasting (UHP) and the application of specialised coatings, are additional services undertaken by SGB-Cape.

Asbestos Removal
SGB-Cape is an approved Asbestos Removal Contractor registered with the Department of Labour. The company’s services include safety surveys for clients.
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**Why Choose SkyJacks**

- With offices in Gauteng, KwaZulu-Natal and the Cape, SkyJacks has been renowned for their quality, service and delivery, earning their customers confidence and trust for over 40 years.

- Sole Southern African distributor for the world renowned Sky Climber powered suspended platform hoists and aluminium lightweight modular platforms.

- The most extensive range of mobile elevating work platforms (cherry pickers) including scissor lifts, mobile boom lifts, articulating boom lifts, Telehandlers and trailer mounted boom lifts.

- Supplier of premium aluminium scaffold towers.

- The SkyJacks state-of-the-art workshops and highly skilled technicians ensure safe, efficient, well-maintained equipment. SkyJacks technical training facility also provides training for operators, artisans, safety officers and engineers.

- The financial backing and support of a global company - Waco International.

**Products**

- Hire and installation of the Sky Climber range of Powered Suspended Platforms.


- Hire of Aluminium Scaffold Towers.

Full after-sales service includes spares, on-site servicing and workshop backup. The enhanced safety features of SkyJacks equipment ensures that your work force work safely and more productively.
In the early 1960’s a small company called Form-Scaff began manufacturing formwork and scaffolding components from a factory in Johannesburg. Today, almost 50 years later, Form-Scaff is South Africa’s largest supplier of formwork, scaffolding and support work solutions.

The manufacturing arm is now the auspices of Waco Manufacturing. Situated in Elandsfontein, Gauteng, Waco Manufacturing has an 11,000 square metre factory producing over 2,000 tonnes of old and new generation products per month. The operation has an IRCA 5-Star rating and is ISO 9001:2008 accredited.

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Waco’s rapidly growing export markets are testament to their ability to meet world-class design and quality standards.
Abacus Space Solutions also builds modular cabins that are specially designed and manufactured in a factory-controlled environment. Once completed they are transported from the factory on a flatbed truck or trailer to the required customer destination. This has been particularly successful in Abacus’ 15 year partnership with the Department of Education.

Building on over 14 years of experience in modular construction and their international expertise, Abacus’ has developed South Africa’s first locally manufactured and scalable flat-pack space solution – EzeeSpace. This concept has revolutionised factory to onsite modular projects by being able to meet the tighter timelines demanded by clients for site accommodation, offices, ablution blocks and communal buildings.

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The company also designs, manufactures and delivers complete on-site builds including offices, dormitories, schools, clinics and ablutions.

EzeeSpace

EzeeSpace is the foundation of Abacus EzeeStay villages, which service the mining, construction and energy industries. Village accommodation is a home-away-from-home environment, provided by EzeeStay villages, with a full array of quality on-site services. This solution aims to meet the growing lifestyle expectations of an on-site contracted workforce. The first EzeeStay village was built in 2013 and services the Kendal and Kusile areas outside Witbank.
Founded in 1982, Sanitech was South Africa’s first portable toilet and sanitation company. With over 20,000 ‘ready-to-hire’ units and operations, in all 9 provinces, and through a network of over 19 branches, Sanitech meets the nationwide requirements of companies such as Grinaker Ltd, Group 5, City of Cape Town, Sasol, WBHO, Eskom, Anglo and BHP to name but a few.

Sanitech Hygiene is a leading service provider of professional integrated facilities solutions.

With nationwide branches, Sanitech is the preferred supplier to many of South Africa’s leading companies and organisations. Driven by service and quality, Sanitech’s goal is to continually exceed client expectations.

Experience counts and Sanitech understands the importance of choosing a trusted supplier. With over 20 years local experience and the global support of Waco International, Sanitech offers a comprehensive range of hygiene services including, sanitisers, wipes, toilet tissue dispensers, sanitary bins, hand washing and hand drying components.

In addition to the supply of equipment and consumables, Sanitech also offers the services of Daily Cleaning, Deep Cleaning and Pest Control.

From the prestigious Xquisit trailer range, through to portable and practical site toilets, Sanitech has the solution. Sanitech’s portable toilets are manufactured from fibreglass or rotomoulded plastic and are used for major special events, government projects, informal settlements and construction sites. Sanitech currently holds both NOSA and OHSAS 18001 accreditation.

Sanitech are experts in the following key areas:

- special events
- government and informal sectors
- mining sector - above and below ground solutions
- construction and industrial sectors
- pumping of septic / conservancy tanks

Toilet Hire

Hygiene Division