

## List of abbreviations

ACP	African, Caribbean and Pacific (countries)
AGOA	African Growth and Opportunity Act
ANC	African National Congress
APRM	African Peer Review Mechanism
APSA	African Peace and Security Architecture
AU	African Union
BCLME	Benguela Current Large Marine Ecosystem
BLNS	Botswana, Lesotho, Namibia, Swaziland
CARMMA	Campaign on Accelerated Reduction of Maternal Mortality in Africa
CBNRM	community-based natural resource management
CET	common external tariff
CIF	Construction Industries Federation of Namibia
CITES	Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora
CPC	Communist Party of China
DRC	Democratic Republic of the Congo
EDF	European Development Fund
EEAS	European External Action Service
EPA	Economic Partnership Agreement
EU	European Union
FAPLA	Forças Armadas Populares de Libertação de Angola (People's Armed Forces for the Liberation of Angola)
FATF	Financial Action Task Force
FDI	foreign direct investment
FLS	Frontline States
FNLA	Frente Nacional de Libertação de Angola (National Front for the Liberation of Angola)
FOCAC	Forum on China–Africa Cooperation
FTA	Free Trade Area
GATT	General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
HOSEB	Heads of State Economic Bilateral Meeting
ICC	International Criminal Court
ICJ	International Court of Justice
ISRI	Instituto Superior de Relações Internacionais (Higher Institute for International Relations)
JCC	Joint Commission of Cooperation
JTC	Joint Technical Commission
MCA	Millennium Challenge Account
MDG	Millennium Development Goal
MFN	most favoured nation

MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MPLA	Movimento Popular para la Liberación de Angola (Popular Movement for the Liberation of Angola)
NAM	Non-aligned Movement
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
NDF	Namibian Defence Force
NEPAD	New Partnership for Africa's Development
NGSIP	Namibian–German Special Initiative Programme
NPC	National Planning Commission
OAU	Organisation of African Unity
ODA	official development assistance/aid
OPDS	Organ on Politics, Defence and Security Cooperation
PEPFAR	President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief
PRC	People's Republic of China
PSC	Peace and Security Council
REC	regional economic community
RPRP	Rural Poverty Reduction Programme
SADC	Southern African Development Community
SACU	Southern African Customs Union
SPTTP	Special Preferential Tariff Treatment Programme
SWANU	South West African National Union
SWAPO	South West Africa People's Organisation
TDCA	Trade, Development and Cooperation Agreement
TEU	Treaty of European Union
UN	United Nations
UNGA	United Nations General Assembly
UNHCR	United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
UNITA	União Nacional para a Independência Total de Angola (National Union for the Total Independence of Angola)
UNSC	United Nations Security Council
US(A)	United States (of America)
USSR	Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
WTO	World Trade Organization
WWII	World War II/Second World War