

ACRONYMS

AAI	:	Action Aid International
ACT	:	African Conservation Tillage Network
AAACP	:	The EU-All ACP Agricultural Commodities Programme
ACTESA	:	Alliance for Commodity Trade in Eastern and Southern Africa
AfDB	:	African Development Bank
AFOLU	:	Agriculture, Forestry and other Land Uses
AFSTA	:	African Seed Traders Association
AgWa	:	Automated Geospatial Watershed Assessment
AMCEN	:	African Ministerial Conference on Environment
AMPRIP	:	Agricultural Marketing Promotion and Regional Integration Project
AU	:	African Union
AUC	:	African Union Commission
AusAID	:	Australian Agency for International Development
CA	:	Conservation Agriculture
CAADP	:	Comprehensive Africa Agricultural Development Programme
CBT	:	Cross Border Trade
CIDA	:	Canadian International Development Agency
CIFOR	:	Centre for International Forest Research
CIP	:	International Potato Centre
CIMMYT	:	International Maize and Wheat Improvement Centre
COMESA	:	Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa
COMIFAC	:	Central Africa Forestry Commission
COMRAP	:	COMESA Regional Agro Inputs Programme
COP 17	:	Conference of Parties No 17
CSOs	:	Civil Society Organisations
DfID	:	Department for International Development
EAC	:	East African Community
EAGC	:	East African Grain Council
EC	:	European Community
EAFF	:	East African Farmers Federation
EAP	:	Environmental Action Plan
FANRPAN	:	Food Agriculture and Natural Resources Policy Analysis Network
FAMIS	:	Food and Agricultural Marketing Information System
FAO	:	Food and Agricultural Organisation
FEWSNET	:	Famine Early Warning System Network
FP	:	Focal Point
GAFSP	:	Global Agricultural and Food Security Programme
GISAMA	:	Guiding Investments for Strengthening Agriculture Markets in Africa
GM	:	Global Mechanism
IGAD	:	Intergovernmental Authority on Development
IFDC	:	International Fertilizer Development Centre
ILRI	:	International Livestock Research Institute
IMAWESA	:	Improved Management of Agriculture Water in Eastern and Southern Africa
IPCC	:	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
IPPC	:	International Plant Protection Convention
IPPSD	:	Investment Promotion and Private Sector Development Division
IWMI	:	International Water Management Institute
JFPI	:	Joint Fertilizer Procurement Initiative

MDGs	:	Millennium Development Goals
MDTF	:	Multi-Donor Trust Fund
MSU	:	Michigan State University
NEPAD	:	New Partnership for Africa's Development
OIE	:	World Organization for Animal Health
PAN-SPSO	:	Participation of African Nations in Sanitary and Phytosanitary Standard-setting Organisations
REDD	:	Reducing Emissions from Deforestation and Forest Degradation
REFORM	:	Regional Food Security and Risk Management Programme
RESAKSS	:	Regional Strategic Analysis and Knowledge Support System
RUFORUM	:	Regional Universities Forum for Capacity Building in Agriculture
RFBS	:	Regional Food Balance Sheet
RELPA	:	Regional Enhanced Livelihood in Pastoral Areas
RT	:	Roundtable
SACAU	:	Southern African Confederation of Agricultural Unions
SADC	:	Southern African Development Community
SMART –FS	:	Strengthening Markets for Regional Trade and Food Security
SPS	:	Sanitary and Phytosanitary
STDF	:	Standards and Trade Development Facility
STR	:	Simplified Trade Regime
TC	:	Technical Committee
UNFCCC	:	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
UNEP	:	United Nations Environment Programme
USAID	:	United States Agency for International Development
WTO	:	World Trade Organization