

LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

AEDP	Alternative Energy Development Plan	HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus
ALPS	Alternative Pathways towards Sustainable Development and Climate Stabilization	HDI	Human Development Index
		HFA	Hyogo Framework for Action
BAU	Business-As-Usual	HLPF	High-Level Political Forum On Sustainable Development
BRICS	Brazil Russia India China South Africa	HSDI	Human Sustainable Development Index
CBD	Convention on Biological Diversity	IAASTD	International Assessment of Agricultural Knowledge, Science and Technology for Development
CBDR	Common But Differentiated Responsibility	IAEA	International Atomic Energy Agency
CCS	Carbon Capture And Sequestration	ICAO	International Civil Aviation Organization
CDP	Committee for Development Policy	ICSU	International Council for Science
CEB	Chief Executives Board for Coordination	ICUN	International Union for Conservation of Nature
CLEW	Climate-Land-Energy-Water	IEA	International Energy Agency
CLEWD	Climate-Land-Energy-Water-Development	IEAE	International Atomic Energy Agency
CLEWS	Climate-Land-Energy-Water-Water Strategies	IFAD	International Fund for Agricultural Development
CLEWs	Global Resource Scenarios Of The Climate-Land-Energy And Water Nexus	IGSAs	Intergovernmental Scientific Assessments
COP	Conference of Parties	IIASA	International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis
CSD	United Nations Commission on Sustainable Development	ILO	International Labour Organization
		IMF	International Monetary Fund
DAC	Development Assistance Committee	IMO	International Maritime Organization
DAU	Dynamics-As-Usual	IOM	International Organization for Migration
DMSP	Defense Meteorological Satellite Program	IPBES	Intergovernmental Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services
DSD	Division for Sustainable Development (of the United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs)	IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
		IPSO	International Programme on the State of the Ocean
ECESA	United Nations Executive Committee on Economic and Social Affairs	ISA	Integrated Sustainability Assessment
ECOSOC	Economic and Social Council	ISEW	Index of Sustainable Economic Welfare
ECLAC	United Nations Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean	ISSC	International Social Science Council
EJ	Exajoule	ITC	International Trade Centre
EPR	Environmental Performance Review	ITU	International Telecommunication Union
Eurostat	Statistical Office of the European Communities	JPOI	Johannesburg Plan of Implementation
EVI	Enhanced Vegetation Index	KTH	Kungliga Tekniska Högskolan (the Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden)
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations	LDCs	Least Developed Countries
FEEM	Fondazione Eni Enrico Mattei	LLDCs	Landlocked Developing Countries
forex	Foreign Exchange Market	MDG	Millennium Development Goal
GA	General Assembly	MEA	Millennium Ecosystem Assessment
GBO	Global Biodiversity Outlook	MEW	Measure of Economic Welfare
GDP	Gross Domestic Product	MIGA	Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency
GEA	Global Energy Assessment	MODIS	Moderate Resolution Imaging Spectroradiometer
GEO	Global Environment Outlook	NDVI	Normalized Difference Vegetation Index
GHG	Greenhouse Gas	NSC	National Safety Council
GIS	Geographic Information System	NCSA	National Center for Statistical Analysis
GLUCOSE	Global Least-cost User-friendly CLEWs Open-Source Exploratory model	NCTR	National Center for Transit Research
GNI	Gross National Income	NGO	Non-Governmental Organization
GNP	Gross National Product	NHTS	National Household Transportation Survey
GPI	Genuine Progress Indicator	NIPA	National Income And Product Account
GSG	Global Scenario Group	NNP	Net National Product
GSP	High-level Panel on Global Sustainability	NNS	Net National Saving
HANPP	Human Appropriation Of Net Primary Production	NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
		NRC	United States National Research Council

ODA	Official Development Assistance	UN DESA	United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development	UNDG	United Nations Development Group
OHCHR	Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights	UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
OHRLLS	Office of the High-Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States	UNECE	United Nations Economic Commission for Europe
OSEMOSYS	Open Source Energy Modelling System	UNEP	United Nations Environment Programme
OWG	Open Working Group	UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
PBL	Planbureau voor de Leefomgeving	UN ESCAP	Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific
PPP	Purchasing Power Parity	UN ESCWA	Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia
PRSP	Poverty Reduction Strategy Paper	UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
R&D	Research And Development	UNFF	United Nations Forum on Forests
RES	Reference Energy System	UNFIP	United Nations Fund for International Partnerships
RES	United Nations Resolution	UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund
RITE	Research Institute of Innovative Technology for the Earth	UNGA	United Nations General Assembly
ROI(s)	Return(S) On Investment	UN-Habitat	United Nations Human Settlements Programme
RSN-4	Report of the Fourth Meeting of the Regional Fishery Body Secretariats Network	UNHCR	Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
SAB	Scientific Advisory Board	UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund
SBSTA	Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice	UNICRI	United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute
SBSTTA	Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice	UNIDO	United Nations Industrial Development Organization
SCBD	Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity	UNISDR	United Nations International Strategy for Disaster Reduction
SD21	Sustainable Development in the 21 st Century	UNMAS	United Nations Mine Action Service
SDA	Shared Development Agenda	UNOPS	United Nations Office for Project Services
SDG	Sustainable Development Goal	UNRISD	United Nations Research Institute for Social Development
SDM	Security Distributing and Marketing	UNSC	United Nations Security Council
SDSN	Sustainable Development Solutions Network	UNSCEAR	United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation
SEA	Strategic Environmental Assessment	UNSD	United Nations Statistics Division
SEEA	United Nations Statistical Commission's System of Environmental-Economic Accounting	UNTT	United Nations System Task Team
SEI	Stockholm Environment Institute	UN Women	United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women
SG	Secretary General	UNWWAP	United Nations World Water Assessment Programme
SIDS	Small Island Developing States	USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
SNAs	System of National Accounts	USFWS	United States Department of Fish and Wildlife Service
SPM	Summary for Policymakers	WB	World Bank
SRES	Special Report on Emissions Scenarios	WBCSD	World Business Council for Sustainable Development
SUMAMAD	Sustainable Management of Marginal Drylands	WDI	World Development Indicators
SUNY-ESF	State University of New York - College of Environmental Science and Forestry	WEC	World Energy Council
TFSD	Task Force for Measuring Sustainable Development	WEF	World Economic Forum
TSIA	Trade Sustainability Impact Assessments	WEO	World Economic Outlook
TWAS	The World Academy of Sciences	WESP	World Economic Situation and Prospects
UCDP	Uppsala Conflict Data Program	WESS	World Economic and Social Survey
UNAIDS	Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS	WFP	World Food Programme
UNCCD	United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification	WHO	World Health Organization
UNCDF	United Nations Capital Development Fund	WIPO	World Intellectual Property Organization
UNCITRAL	United Nations Commission on International Trade Law	WITCH	World Induced Technical Change Hybrid
UNCTAD	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development	WMO	World Meteorological Organization
		WTO	World Trade Organization
		WWF	World Wildlife Fund