

## LIST OF ACRONYMS

AAWSA	Addis Ababa Water and Sewerage Authority
ADB	African Development Bank
AGU	American Geophysical Union
AMCOW	African Ministerial Council on Water
AWDR	African Water Development Report
AWTF	Africa Water Task Force
BMBF	Federal Ministry of Education and Research, Germany
BoD	Burden of Disease
BPC	Botswana Power Corporation
Btus	British thermal units
CAP-NET	International Network for Capacity Building on Integrated Water Resources Management
CEPGL	Communauté Electrique du Benin
CSIR	Water Research Institute
CVM	Contingent Valuation Method
DP	Dynamic programming
DRC	Democratic Republic of Congo
EAC	East African Community
ECA	Economic Commission for Africa
ECOWAS	Economic Community of West African States
EDM	Electricidade de Mocambique
EEA	European Environment Agency
ENE	Empresa Nacional de Electricidade
ESCOM	Electricity Supply Commission of Malawi
ESI	Environmental Sustainability Index
EU	European Union
FAO	Food and Agricultural Organization
FCT	Federal Capital Territory
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GEF	Global Environment Facility
GIS	Geographic Information System
GNP	Gross National Product
GWP	Global Water Partnership
HDI	Human Development Index
HOMS	Hydrological Operational Multipurpose System
HWRP	Hydrology and Water Resources Programme
ICLARM	International Centre for Living Aquatic Resources Management

ICN	International Conference on Nutrition
ICZM	Integrated Coastal Zone Management
IDWSSD	International Drinking Water Supply and Sanitation Decade
IEA	International Energy Agency
IES	Irrigation Equipment Supply
IGWA	Interagency Group for Water in Africa
IHD	International Hydrological Decade
IHP	International Hydrological Programme
IMT	Irrigation Management Transfer
IPTRID	International Programme for Technology and Research in Irrigation and Drainage
ITCZ	Inter-Tropical Convergence Zone
IWMI	International Water Management Institute
IWRM	Integrated Water Resources Management
KVIP	Kumasi ventilated improved pit latrine
LEC	Lesotho Electricity Corporation
LPG	Liquified Petroleum Gas
MDGs	Millennium Development Goals
Mmt	Million metric tons
Mtoe	Million tons of oil equipment
NCBN-RE	Nile Basin Capacity Building Network for River Engineering
NEPAD	New Partnership for Africa's Development
NGOs	Non-governmental Organizations
NSA	Nubian Sandstone Aquifer
OECD	Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
PCM	Programme Cycle Management
PPP	Public-Private Partnership
PRSPs	Poverty Reduction Strategy Papers
RBOs	River Basin Organizations
RECs	Regional Economic Communities
RTACs	Regional Technical Advisory Committees
SADC	Southern African Development Community
SAPs	Structural Adjustment Programmes
SAPP	Southern African Power Pool
SEB	Swaziland Electricity Board
SIMIS	Scheme Irrigation Management Information System
SNDE	Société Nationale de Distribution d'Eau
SNEL	Société Nationale d'Electricité
TANESCO	Tanzania Electric Supply Company
TEC	Technical Committee

TIRL	Technical Indicator for Real Losses
UARL	Unavoidable Average Real Losses
UEMOA	West African Economic and Monetary Union
UMA	Arab Maghreb Union
UNCCD	United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification
UNCHS	United Nations Center for Human Settlements
UNCSD	United Nations Commission on Sustainable Development
UNEP	United Nations Environmental Programme
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund
UNGA	United Nations General Assembly
UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund
UNIDO	United Nations Industrial Development Organization
WAGP	West African Gas Pipeline
WA-NET	West African Capacity Building Network
WAPP	West African Power Pool
WARREDOC	Water Resources Research and Documentation Centre
WHO	World Health Organization
WHYCOS	World Hydrological Cycle Observing System
WID	Women in Development
WMO	World Meteorological Organization
WPI	Water Poverty Index
WRI	World Resources Institute
WSS	Water Supply and Sanitation
WSSCC	Water Supply and Sanitation Collaborative Council
WWAP	World Water Assessment Programme
WWDR	World Water Development Report
ZESA	Zimbabwe Electricity Supply Authority

