

## Abbreviations and acronyms

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AIMS	Atlantic, Indian Ocean, Mediterranean and South China Seas
AOSIS	Alliance of Small Island States
BRIC <sup>1</sup>	Brazil, Russia, India and China
CARICOM	Caribbean Community
CSS	Commonwealth small states
CTP	CleanTech Park
DOTS	directly observed treatment – short- course
GDP	gross domestic product
HDI	Human Development Index
HIPC	heavily indebted poor countries
HPI	Happy Planet Index
ICT	information and communication technology
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IMR	infant mortality rate
MDGs	Millennium Development Goals
MDRI	Multilateral Debt Relief Initiative
MMR	maternal mortality ratio
MSI	Mauritius Strategy for Implementation
ODA	Official development assistance
PPP	purchasing power parity
PR	proportional representation
SIDS	small island developing states
SME	small and medium enterprise
UNDESA	UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNEP	United Nations Environment Programme
UNICEF	United Nations Children’s Fund
WEDO	Women’s Environment and Development Organisation
WHO	World Health Organization