## **Abbreviations**

ACP African, Caribbean and Pacific countries

AGOA African Growth Opportunity Act

CNPC China National Petroleum Corporation

DAC Development Assistance Committee (of the OECD)

EPA Economic Partnership Agreement

EU European Union

FDI foreign direct investment

FOCAC Forum on China-Africa Cooperation

GDP gross domestic product
HS Harmonized System

LDC Least Developed Country
MFA Multi-Fibre Agreement

OECD Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

PPP purchasing power parity

Sinopec China Petroleum and Chemical Corporation

SSA sub-Saharan Africa

UNCTAD United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

WITS World Integrated Trade Solution

WTO World Trade Organization