

# List of abbreviations

ANC	African National Congress
APC	Armoured personnel carriers
APRM	African Peer Review Mechanism
ASAS	Association of Southern African States
ASEAN	Association of Southeast Asian Nations
ASF	African Standby Force
AU	African Union
BCP	Basotho Congress Party
BLS	Botswana, Lesotho and Swaziland
CADSP	Common African Defence and Security Policy
CAF	Central African Federation
CBMC	Constituency Building and Mobilisation Campaign
CEWS	Continental early warning system
CFSP	Common foreign and security policy
CODESA	Convention for a Democratic South Africa
COMESA	Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa
CONSAS	Constellation of Southern African States
CSBM	Confidence- and security-building measures
CSECE	Conference for Security and Co-operation in Europe
CSCSA	Conference for Security and Co-operation in Southern Africa
CSS	Critical security studies
CSSDCA	Conference on Security, Stability, Development and Co-operation in Africa
DRC	Democratic Republic of the Congo
DTA	Democratic Turnhalle Alliance
EAC	East African Community
ECA	Economic Commission for Africa
ECAS	East and Central African States
ECOWAS	Economic Community of West African States
EU	European Union
FAA	Angolan Armed Forces
FDI	Foreign direct investment
FLS	Frontline States
Frelimo	Front for the Liberation of Mozambique
FSAEC	Federation of the Southern African Economic Community
GDP	Gross domestic product

GNU	Government of National Unity
ICJ	International Court of Justice
IDP	Internally displaced people
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IR	International relations
ISCDS	Interstate Committee for Defence and Security
ISDSC	Inter-State Defence and Security Committee
ISIS	Institute of Strategic and International Studies
ISPDC	Interstate Politics and Diplomacy Committee
ISPO	Indicative Strategic Plan for the Organ
ISS	Institute for Security Studies
MCPMR	Mechanism for Conflict Prevention, Management and Resolution
MDP	Mutual Defence Pact
MNR	Mozambique National Resistance (also Renamo)
MPLA	Popular Movement for the Liberation of Angola
MSDC	Mechanism for the Settlement of Disputes and Conflicts
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organisation
NEPAD	New Partnership for Africa's Development
NGO	Non-governmental organisation
NP	National Party
OUA	Organisation of African Unity
OCCLA	OUA Co-ordinating Committee for the Liberation of Africa
OPDS	Organ on Politics, Defence and Security
PAC	Pan Africanist Congress
PAP	Pan-African Parliament
PC	Personnel carrier
PCWC	Permanent Committee of Wise Persons
PF	Patriotic Front
PSC	Peace and Security Council
PTA	Preferential Trade Area
Renamo	Mozambique National Resistance (also MNR)
RPTC	Regional Peacekeeping Training Centre
RISDP	Regional Indicative Strategic Development Plan
SACU	Southern African Customs Union
SADC	Southern African Development Community
SADCC	Southern African Development Co-ordination Conference
SADF	South African Defence Force
SAISDS	Southern African Institute for Security & Development Studies
SAP	Structural adjustment programme

SAPEM	Southern African Political and Economical Monthly
SARPCCO	Southern African Regional Police Chiefs Co-operation Organisation
SCGDD	Standing Conference on Governance, Democracy & Development
SIPO	Strategic Indicative Plan for the Organ
UANC	United African National Congress
UDI	Unilateral Declaration of Independence
UK	United Kingdom
UN	United Nations
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNITA	Union for the Total Independence of Angola
US	United States
USSR	Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
ZANU	Zimbabwe African National Union
ZAPU	Zimbabwe African People's Union