

Abbreviations and acronyms

BMU	Beach Management Unit	LVEMP	Lake Victoria Environmental Management Project
BOD	Biological Oxygen Demand	LVFO	Lake Victoria Fisheries Organisation
CCRF	Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries	LVFRP	Lake Victoria Fisheries Research Project
CITES	Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species	LVRLAC	Lake Victoria Regional Local Authorities Cooperation
CPUE	Catch per Unit Effort	MCS	Monitoring Control and Surveillance
DRC	Democratic Republic of Congo	MSY	Maximum Sustainable Yield
EAC	East African Community	NEMC	National Environmental Management Council
EARVL	East African Rift Valley Lakes	NTU	Nephelometric Turbidity Unit
EIA	Environmental Impact Assessment	PA	Protected Area
ENSO	El-Niño-Southern Oscillation	PPP	Purchasing Power Parity
EU	European Union	QC	Quality Control
GEF	Global Environment Facility	RRA	Rapid Rural Appraisal
GDP	Gross Domestic Product	SADC	Southern Africa Development Community
GNP	Gross National Product	SAP	Strategic Action Programme
HACCP	Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point	SSOP	Sanitation Standard Operating Procedures
HDI	Human Development Index	SST	Sea-Surface Temperature
ITCZ	Inter-Tropical Convergence Zone	Tecconile	Technical Cooperation for the Promotion of the Development and Environmental Protection of the Nile Basin
IUCN	International Union for Conservation of Nature	UNECIA	Universities of Northern England Consortium for International Activities
LMEMP	Lake Malawi Ecosystem Management Project	WHO	World Health Organization
LVB	Lake Victoria Basin		
LVDP	Lake Victoria Development Programme		

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