## **Abbreviations and Acronyms**

ACP African, Caribbean and Pacific

AfT Aid for Trade

AGOA Africa Growth and Opportunity Act
APEC Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation
APTA Asia-Pacific Trade Agreement

APTIAD Asia-Pacific Trade and Investment Agreement Database ARTNeT Asia-Pacific Research and Training Network on Trade

ASEAN Association of Southeast Asian Nations AvW Anderson and van Wincoop model

CEPII Centre d'Etudes Prospectives et d'Informations Internationales

CEPR Center for Economic Policy Research constant elasticity of substitution

CVD countervailing duties

DDA Doha Development Agenda

DFQF duty free quota free

EIF Enhanced Integrated Framework

EU European Union

FTA free trade agreement

G20 Group of 20

GATT General Agreement on Trade and Tariffs GATS General Agreement on Trade in Services

GDP gross domestic product

GSP Generalized System of Preferences

GSTP Generalized System of Trade Preferences

GTA Global Trade Alerts

IF Integrated Framework
IMF International Monetary Fund
IPOA Istanbul Programme of Action
ITC International Trade Center

LDCs least developed countries

LDC-IV Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed

Countries

LLDC landlocked developing countries

MDG Millennium Development Goal

MDG-8 Goal 8 -Developing a Global Partnership for Development

MERCOSUR Mercado Común del Sur MFN most-favored-nation

MSG Melanesian Spearhead Group MTS multilateral trading system MOP margin of preference MR multilateral resistance

NAFTA North-American Free Trade Agreement

NGOs non-governmental organizations

OLS ordinary least squares

PACER Pacific Agreement on Closer Economic Relations

PICTA Pacific Island Countries Trade Agreement

PTAs preferential trade agreements

ROO rules of origin

RTAs regional trade agreements

SAFTA South-Asian Free Trade Area

S&D special and differential

SIDS small island developing states

TBT technical barriers to trade

UN United Nations

UNCTAD United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

UNCTADSTAT United Nations Conference on Trade and Development official

database

UNDP United Nations Development Programme

UNESCAP United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and

the Pacific

WEO World Economic Outlook

WITS World Integrated Trade Solution

WTO World Trade Organization