

Abbreviations and acronyms

AEO.....	African Environment Outlook	HJRBDA.....	Hadejia-Jama'are River Basin Development Authority
CACID.....	Cellule d'Appui a la Conservation et aux Initiatives de Développement Durable	HNWCP	Hadejia-Nguru Wetlands Conservation Project
CAR.....	Central African Republic	ICB.....	International Competitive Bidding
CBD.....	Convention on Biodiversity	ILEC.....	International Lake Environment Committee Foundation
CBDA	Chad Basin Development Authority	IPCC.....	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
CCA.....	Causal Chain Analysis	ITCZ.....	Inter-Tropical Convergence Zone
CICOS	Commission Internationale du Bassin du Congo-Ubangi-Sangha	IUCN.....	World Conservation Union
CCNEDD.....	National Consultive Committee on the Environment and Sustainable Development (Cameroon)	IUCN-BRAO.....	IUCN's Regional Office for West Africa
CNEDD.....	National Council for the Environment and Sustainable Development (Niger)	KCWS.....	Kano City Water Supply
CPUE.....	Catch per Unit Effort	JEWEL.....	Jigawa Enhancement of Wetlands Livelihood project
DRC.....	Democratic Republic of Congo	KRIP	Kano River Irrigation Project
DSS.....	Decision Support System Project	LCBC.....	Lake Chad Basin Commission
EIA	Environmental Impact Assessment	NAP.....	National Action Plan
EPP	Emergency Preparedness Plan	NEAZDP	North East Arid Zone Development Programme
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations	NRBDCC.....	National River Basin Development Coordinating Committee
FEPA	Federal Environmental Protection Agency	ONG KARKARA..	Association Nigérienne pour la Dynamisation des Initiatives locales
FEWS.....	Famine Early Warning System	OP.....	Operational Policy
FCT.....	Federal Capital Territory	ORSTOM.....	Institut Français de Recherche Scientifique pour le développement en Coopération
FME.....	Federal Ministry of Environment	PDRM	Programme du Développement dans la Région des Monts Mandara
FMWR.....	Federal Ministry of Water Resources	PDRN	Programme du Développement pour la Région du Nord
GCM	Global Climate Model	PIR.....	Project Implementation Review
GEF.....	Global Environment Facility	PMU.....	Project Management Unit
GEO	Global Environment Outlook	PTF	Project Task Force
GKWS	Greater Kano Water Supply	RBDA.....	River Basin Development Authority
GNI.....	Gross National Income	SAP.....	Strategic Action Plan
HCNE	National High Committee on the Environment (Chad)	SCIP	South Chad Irrigation Project
HDI.....	Human Development Index	SECADEV.....	Le projet de Secours Catholique pour le Développement
HIA	Transboundary Health Impact Assessment		

SEMRY.....Rice Development Authority (Société pour l'Expansion et la Modernisation de la Riziculture dans la région de Yagoua)

SODELAC.....Lake Chad Development Society (Société pour le Développement du Lac)

SST.....Sea Surface Temperatures

STAP.....Scientific and Technical Advisory Program

TDA.....Transboundary Diagnostic Analysis

UNAIDS.....Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS

UNCCD.....United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification

UNCED.....United Nations Conference on Environment and Development

UNDESA.....United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs

UNDP.....United Nations Development Programme

UNECA.....United Nations Economic Commission for Africa

UNESCO.....United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization

UNEP.....United Nations Environment Programme

UNPP.....United Nations Population Division

USGS.....United States Geological Survey

WEHAB.....Water, Energy, Health, Agriculture and Biodiversity

WFP.....United Nations World Food Programme

WHO.....World Health Organization

WIWO.....Foundation Working Group International Waterbird and Wetland Research

WLP.....Waza-Logone Project

WPI.....Water Poverty Index

WRI.....World Resources Institute

WSSD.....World Summit on Sustainable Development

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