

GLOSSARY

ACOTA	:	African Contingency Operations Training Assistance
ACP-EU	:	African-Caribbean-Pacific-European Union
AEO	:	Annual Energy Outlook
AOPIG	:	African Oil Policy Initiative Group
APCO	:	Advanced Petroleum Company
APPA	:	African Petroleum Producers' Association
ASEAN	:	Association of South East Asian Nations
AU	:	African Union
BBI	:	Bowman-Birk Inhibition
BCE	:	Bell Canada Enterprises
BGP	:	Bureau of Geophysical Prospecting
BHEL	:	Bharat Heavy Electrical Limited
BIPPA	:	Bilateral Investment Promotion and Protection Agreement
BP	:	British Petroleum
BPC	:	Blue Nile Processing Company Limited
BSI	:	British Standards Institution
CAR	:	Central African Republic
CCEA	:	Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs
CEO	:	Chief Executive Officer
CIA	:	Central Intelligence Agency
CIFP	:	Country Indicators for Foreign Policy
CNCEC	:	China National Chemical Engineering Corporation
CNOOC	:	China National Offshore Oil Corporation
CNPC	:	China National Petroleum Corporation
CNPCIS	:	CNPC International Sudan
COMESA	:	Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa
COPA	:	Crude Oil Pipeline Agreement
CPA	:	Comprehensive Peace Agreement

CPC	:	Communist Party of China
CPF	:	Central Processing Facilities
CPL	:	Central Petroleum Laboratory
CSI	:	Christian Solidarity International
CSIS	:	Centre for Strategic and International Studies
CSR	:	Corporate Social Responsibility
DRC	:	Democratic Republic of Congo
DTAA	:	Double Taxation Avoidance Agreement
EIA	:	Energy Information Administration
EPC	:	Engineering, Procurement and Construction
EPSA	:	Exploration and Production Sharing Agreement
EXIM Bank	:	Export-Import Bank
FDI	:	Foreign Direct Investment
GAFAT	:	Greater Arab Free Trade Area
GAIL	:	Gas Authority of India Limited
GDP	:	Gross Domestic Product
GNOP	:	Greater Nile Oil Project
GNP	:	Gross National Product
GNPOC	:	Greater Nile Petroleum Oil Company
GOSS	:	Government of Southern Sudan
GPC	:	Gulf Petroleum Company
GPI	:	Global Peace Index
IASPS	:	Institute for Advanced Strategic and Political Studies
ICB	:	International Competitive Bidding
IEA	:	International Energy Agency
IEDE	:	International Energy Development Corporation
IGAD	:	Intergovernmental Authority on Development
IMF	:	International Monetary Fund
IOC	:	International Oil Company
IPC	:	International Petroleum Corporation
IPO	:	Initial Public Offering

ISS	:	Institute for Security Studies
ITEC	:	Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation
JV	:	Joint Venture
LNG	:	Liquefied Natural Gas
MDTF	:	Multi-Donor Trust Fund
MEM	:	Ministry of Energy and Mining
MENA	:	Middle East News Agency
MMTP	:	Million Tons Per Annum
MNCs	:	Multinational Corporations
MOU	:	Memorandum of Understanding
MRPL	:	Mangalore Refineries and Petrochemicals Limited
NCP	:	National Congress Party
NELP	:	New Exploration Licensing Policy
NGO	:	Non Governmental Organisation
NIF	:	National Islamic Front
NIGC	:	National Iranian Gas Company
NLNG	:	Nigeria Liquefied Natural Gas Corporation
NNPC	:	Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation
NOC	:	National Oil Company
NPC	:	National Petroleum Commission
NYSE	:	New York Stock Exchange
OECD	:	Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development
OEPA	:	Organisation for Exploration and Production Authority
OGJ	:	Oil and Gas Journal
OIC	:	Organisation of Islamic Countries
OIL	:	Oil India Limited
OLS	:	Operation Lifeline Sudan
ONGC	:	Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited
OPEC	:	Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries
OVL	:	ONGC Videsh Limited
PCOSB	:	Petronas Carigali Overseas Sdn Bhd

PDOC	:	Petrodar Operating Company
PMSL	:	Petronas Marketing Sudan Limited
PRC	:	People's Republic of China
PRI	:	Political Risk Insurance
PWC	:	Price Water House Coopers
ROW	:	Right of Way
SBI	:	State Bank of India
SINOCHEM	:	China National Chemical Industry Import-Export Corporation
SINOPEC	:	China Petrochemical Corporation
SPC	:	Sudanese Petroleum Corporation
SPDC	:	Sudanese Petroleum Data Center
SPLA	:	Sudan People's Liberation Army
SPLM	:	Sudan People's Liberation Movement
UAE	:	United Arab Emirates
UK	:	United Kingdom
UN	:	United Nations
UNCTAD	:	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
USA	:	United States of America
USAID	:	United States Agency for International Development
WNPOC	:	White Nile Petroleum Oil Company
WTO	:	World Trade Organisation