Abbreviations and acronyms

AFD French Development Agency Agence française de développement

AI Artificial intelligence

API Application programming interface

AUC African Union Commission

A4AI Alliance for Affordable Internet

BEPS Inclusive Framework on Base Erosion and Profit Shifting

BMZ Federal Ministry of Economic Co-operation and Development (Germany)

Bundesministerium für wirtschaftliche Zusammenarbeit und Entwicklung

COVID-19 Coronavirus disease 2019

CRS OECD Creditor Reporting System

CSO Civil society organization

DAC OECD Development Assistance Committee

DFI Development finance institution
DGI OECD Digital Government Index

DPG Digital public good

DIAL Digital Impact Alliance

DPD EU Data Protection Directive
DPI Digital public infrastructure
D4D Digital for Development
EC European Commission

EU European Union

FCDO Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (United Kingdom)

G7 Group of SevenG20 Group of Twenty

GDP Gross domestic product
GNI Gross national income

GDPR EU General Data Protection Regulation

ICT Information and communication technology

ID4D World Bank Identification for Development initiative

IEA International Energy Agency

IFC International Finance Corporation

ILO International Labor Organization

INTERPOL International Criminal Police Organization
ITU International Telecommunication Union
JICA Japan International Cooperation Agency
KOICA Korea International Cooperation Agency

LAC Latin America and Caribbean

LDC Least developed country

LIC Low-income country

MNE Multinational enterprises

MIC Middle-income country

MSME Micro, small and medium-sized enterprise

NGO Non-governmental organisation
ODA Official development assistance

OECD Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

PAYG Pay-as-you-go

PPP Public-private partnership
SDG Sustainable Development Goal

SME Small and medium-sized enterprise

UN United Nations

UNCTAD United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

UNDP United Nations Development Programme

UNECA United Nations Economic Commission for Africa

UNICEF United Nations Children's Fund

USAID United States Agency for International Development

USD United States dollar VAT Value-added tax

WHO World Health Organization
WTO World Trade Organization



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