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### **ACRONYMS**

AAT: Automatic Audio Transcriber

CCF: Climate Change Forum

CRGE: Climate Resilient Green Economy
CPMS: Computer Project Management System

CSPro: The Census and Survey Processing System
DANIDA: Danish International Development Agency
DFID: Department for International Development
ECRC: Environment & Climate Research Center

EFCCC: Environment, Forest & Climate Change Commission

Ex-ACT: Ex Ante Carbon Balance Tool

GCF: Global Climate Fund GDP: Gross Domestic Product

GGGI: Global Green Growth Institute
GTP I: Growth and Transformation Plan I
GTP II: Growth and Transformation Plan II

ICT: Information and Communication Technology

IT: Information Technology
 IVR: Interactive Voice Response
 LDC: Least Developed Country
 M&E: Monitoring and Evaluation
 MoA: Ministry of Agriculture
 MoF: Ministry of Finance

MoI: Ministry of Industry

MSIP: Multi Sector Investment Plan

PMBOK: Project Management Book of Knowledge

PMER: Project Planning, Monitoring, Evaluation and Reporting

PSI: Policy Study Institute

PSNP: Productive Safety Nets Program

REDD<sup>+</sup>: Reduced Emission from Deforestation and Forest Degradation Plus

SIDA: Sweden International Development Agency

SMS: Short Message Service

SPSS: Statistical Package for the Social Sciences STATA: Software for Statistics and Data Science

tCO2e: Ton of Carbon dioxide Equivalent

UK: United Kingdom

### **ABSTRACT**