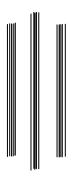
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# **ABBREVIATIONS**

Amt. Amount = & and = Avg. Average = B.S. Bikram Sambath = C.V. Coefficient of Variation = Earning After Tax **EAT** = Earning per share **EPS** = etcetra etc. = Fiscal Year F.Y. =

HBL = Himalayan Bank Limited

JVBs = Joint Venture Banks

NBL = Nepal Bank Limited

No. = Numbers

NRB = Nepal Rastra Bank

Rs. = Rupees

r = Correlation Coefficient

SCBNL = Standard Chartered Bank Nepal Limited

SEBO = Securities Board

T.U. = Tribhuvan University

viz. = namely

Vs. = Versus