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ABBREVIATIONS

ADB	Asian Development Bank
ADBN	Agriculture Development Bank of Nepal
APROS	Agricultural Project Services Centre
CBS	Central Bureau of Statistics
CEDECON	Central Department of Economics
CGD	Citrus Greening Disease
DADO	District Agriculture Development Office
FAO	Food and Agricultural Organization
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
Ha	Hector
HHs	Households
JT	Junior Technician
JTA	Junior Technical Assistant
KG	Kilogram
MT	Metric Tone
MPHD	Master Plan for Horticulture Development
NARC	Nepal Agriculture Research Council
NPC	National Planning Commission
VDC	Village Development Committee