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## **LIST OF ACRONYMS**

ADF	:	Augmented Dickey Fuller
ARDL	:	Autoregressive Distributed Lag Model
CBS	:	Central Bureau of statistics
CDS	:	Central Depository system
CR	:	Concentration ratio
FY	:	Fiscal Year
GS	:	Government Securities
IMF	:	International Monetary Fund
IPO	:	Initial Public Offering
MCR	:	Market Capitalization Ratio
MOF	:	Ministry of Finance
NEPSE	:	Nepal Stock Exchange
NRB	:	Nepal Rastra Bank
OSE	:	Organized Stock Exchange
OTC	:	Over the Counter
RGDP	:	Real Gross Domestic Product
SEBON	:	Securities Board of Nepal
SEC	:	Securities Exchange Centre
TOR	:	Turnover Ratio
TVTR	:	Total Value Traded Ratio
VECM	:	Vector Error Correction Model
WAN	:	Wide Area Network