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## **Acronyms**

AD	Anno Domini
BS	Bikram Sambat
CBRC	Community Based Rural Tourism
DDC	District Development Committee
DTDC	District Tourism Development Committee
FGD	Focus Group Discussion
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GoN	Government of Nepal
HAN	Hotel Association of Nepal
INGOs	International Non Governmental Organizations
Kms	Kilometers
MA	Master's of Art
NGOs,	Non Governmental Organizations
NTB	Nepal Tourism Board
NTY	Nepal Tourism Year
PCL	Proficiency Certificate Level
SLC	School Leaving Certificate
TU	Tribhuvan University
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization
USD	United States Dollar
VDC	Village Development Committee
Vol.	Volume
WTO	World Trade Organization
WW	World War