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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

APROSE	Agriculture Project Services Centre
ASARRD	Asian Survey on Agrarian Reform and Rural Development
CBS	Central Bureau of Statistics
CCC	Central Coordination Committee
DDC	District Development Committee
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization
FY	Fiscal Year
GM	General Manager
GNP	Gross National Product
Gos	Group Organizers
GTZ	German Development Programme
Ha	Hactare
IDP	Institutional Development Programme
IFAD	International Food and Agriculture Development
INGOs	International Non Government Organizations
MFAI	Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Irrigation
MOF	Ministry of Finance
NGOs	Non Government Organizations
NPC	National Planning Commission
NRB	Nepal Rastra Bank
SCC	Saving and Credit Cooperative
SFCL	Small Farmer Cooperative Limited
SFDB	Small Farmer Development Bank
SPIC	Sub Project Implementation Committee
SPOs	Sub Project Offices
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
VDC	Village Development Committee
WDP	Women Development Programme
WGOs	Women Group Organizers