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ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

BCBS Basel Committee on Banking Supervision

CAMEL Capital Adequacy, Asset Quality, Management Quality, Earning Quality

and Liquidity Sensitivity to Market Risk

CAR Capital Adequacy Ratio

GDP Gross Domestic Product

GLS Generalized Least Square

GMM Generalized Method of Moment

IRB Internal Rating Based

LLRGL Loan Loss Reserve to Gross Loans

LNTA Natural Logarithm of Total Assets

NIM Net Interest Margin

NPLGL Non-Performing Loan to Gross Loan

NPLR Non Performing Loan Ratio

NRB Nepal Rastra Bank

OLS Ordinary Least Square

ROA Return on Assets

ROE Return on Equity

RWA Risk Weighted Assets

SPSS Statistical Package for Social Science

US United States