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ABBREVIATION

AHFI-	Aggregate Household Food Security Index
AMIB-	Agricultural Marketing Information Bulletin
AMDD-	Agricultural Marketing Development Directorate
APO-	Asian Productivity Organization
CBS-	Central Bureau of Statistics
DAMDD-	Department of Agricultural Marketing Development Directorate
DDC-	District Development Committee
FAO-	Food and Agriculture Organization
Ffw-	Food for Work
GDP-	Gross Domestic Product
GoN-	Government of Nepal
GTZ-	Gessell Seheft Fuer Technische Zusammenarbeit (The German Agency for Technical Co-operation)
HDI-	Human Development Index
HDR-	Human Development Report
IFPRI-	International Food Policy Research Institute
INGO-	International Non-Government Organization
MoAC-	Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperative
MoF-	Ministry of Finance
MoICS-	Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Supplies
NFC-	Nepal Food Corporation
NGO-	Non-Government Organization
NPC-	National Planning Commission

Mt.-	Metric Ton
RCIW-	Rural Community Infrastructure Work
SPFS-	Special Programme for Food Security
UG-	User Group
UN-	United Nation
UNDP-	United Nation Development Programme
VDC-	Village Development Committee
WB-	World Bank
WFC-	World Food Conference
WFP-	World Food Programme
WHO-	World Health Organization
WTO-	World Trade Organization