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ACRONYMS

CF	Community Forest
CFUG	Community Forest User Group
GoN	Government of Nepal
e.g.	For Example
sBMCFUG	Bhagwati Mahila Community Forest User Groups
HHs	House holds
DDC	District Development Committee
DFO	District Forest Officer
NGO	Non-Government Organization
INGO	International Non-Government Organization
NTFP	Non Timber Forest Products
VDC	Village Development Committee
NF	National Forest
Mgmt	Management
NPC	National Planning Commission
PF	Panchayat Forest
PPF	Panchayat Protected Forest
OP	Operational Plan
MPFS	Master Plan for the Forest Sector
DOF	Department of Forest
DADO	District Agriculture Development Office
T. U.	Tribhuvan University