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ABBREVIATIONS

ADB/N	- Agricultural Development Bank of Nepal
AGDP	- Agricultural gross domestic product
AIC	- Agricultural Inputs Corporation
AMIB	- Agricultural Marketing Information Bulletin
APD	- Agribusiness Promotion Division
APP	- Agriculture Perspective Plan
APROSC	- Agricultural Projects Services Centre
ASCs	- Agriculture Service Centre(s)
AsDb	- Asian Development Bank
ASD	- Agricultural Statistical Division
CBO	- Community-based organization
CBS	- Central Bureau of Statistics
CDR	- Central Development Region
CF	- Community Forestry
CFUGs	- Community forestry user groups
CPFD	- Community and Private Forestry Division
CPRA	- Centre for Policy Research and Analysis
CYMMIT	- International Maize and Wheat Improvement Centre
DADO	- District Agriculture Development Office
DAP	- di-ammonium phosphate
DDC	- District Development Committee
DDc	- Dairy Development Corporation
DFAMS	- Department of Food and Agricultural Marketing Services
DDC	- District Development Committee
DFD	- Development Fund Department
DFOs	- district forest officers
DOA	- Department of Agriculture
DOAR	- Department of Agricultural Roads
DOI	- Department of Irrigation
DOLIDAR	- Department of Local Infrastructure Development
DOSTAMI	- Department of Shallow Tube Well and Minor Irrigation
DTW	- deep tubewells
DTWG	- District Technical Working Group
EDR	- Eastern Development Region
ES	- Economic Survey
FAO	- Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
FAO RAP	- Food and Agriculture Organization Regional Office for Asia and Pacific
FMD	- foot-and-mouth disease
FMIS	- farmer-managed irrigation system
FORESC	- Forestry Research and Services Centre
FWDR	- Far Western Development Region
FU	- fertilizer unit
FY	- fiscal year
GDP	- gross domestic product
HDI	- Human Development Index

HLFFDP	- Hill Lease Hold Forestry Development Project
HMG/N	- His Majesty's Government of Nepal
HVC	- high value crop
IAAS	- Institute of Agriculture and Animal Science
IAU	- independent analytical unit
IFAD	- International Fund for Agriculture development
JMA	- John Mellor Associates
JT	- junior technicians
JTA	- junior technical assistant
LRMP	- Land Resources Mapping Project
MDD	- Marketing Development Directorate
MLD	- Ministry of Local Development
MOA	- Ministry of Agriculture
MOAC	- Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives
MOF	- Ministry of Finance
MOFSC	- Ministry of Forest and Soil Conservation
MOP	- muriate of potash
MOWR	- Ministry of Water resources
MPFS	- Master Plan for the Forestry Sector
MWDR	- Midwestern Development Region
NARC	- Nepal Agricultural Research Council
NGOs	- non-governmental organizations
NISP	- Nepal Irrigation Sector Programme
NLA-Nepal	- National Labour Academy-Nepal
NLFS	- Nepal Labour Force Survey
NLSS	- Nepal Living Standard Survey
NPC	- National Planning Commission
NRB	- Nepal Rastra Bank
NSCA	- National Sample Census of Agriculture
NTDC	- Nepal Tea Development Corporation
PPS	- Pocket Package Strategy
PPP	- Pocket Package Programme
PRA	- Participatory Rural Appraisal
RAD	- Regional Agriculture Directorate
RARS	- Regional Agriculture Research Station
RBB	- Rastriya Banijya Bank
RFMDP	- Rural Financial Market Development Fund
SAC	- Subsidy Allocation Committee
SAPL	- Second Agriculture Program Loan
SFCL	- Small Farmer Cooperative Limited
SFDP	- Small Farmer Development Programme
SIFAD	- Selected Indicators of Food and Agriculture Development
SINA	- Statistical Information on Nepalese Agriculture
SISP	- Second Irrigation Sector Programme
SPPD	- Support for Policy and Programme Development
STW	- shallow tubewell
TLDP	- Third Livestock Development Project
UNDP	- United Nations Development Programme
VDC	- Village Development Committee
WDR	- Western Development Region