

Abbreviations

AAU	Assigned Amount Unit under the Kyoto Protocol
ACES	American Clean Energy and Security Act
AFB	Adaptation Fund Board
AFOLU	agriculture, forestry, and land use
BAU	business as usual
BCA	border climate adjustment
BTA	border tax adjustment
CC	climate change
CCS	carbon capture and storage
CDM	Clean Development Mechanism
CER	Certified Emissions Reduction under the CDM
CFL	carbon footprint labeling
CFU	World Bank Carbon Finance Unit
CITES	Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species
CLEAR	Carbon Limits + Early Actions = Rewards
CO ₂ e	carbon dioxide equivalent
COP	Conference of the Parties to the UNFCCC
COP 13	Bali Conference of the Parties
CTF	World Bank Clean Technology Fund
DDA	Doha Development Agenda
DEFRA	UK Department for Environment, Food, and Rural Affairs
EDF	Environmental Defense Fund
EGS	environmental goods and services
EIO	environmental input-output
EPA	US Environmental Protection Agency
ETS	emissions trading system
EU	European Union
EU ETS	European Union Emissions Trading System
GATS	WTO General Agreement on Trade in Services

GATT	WTO General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
GDP	gross domestic product
GEF	Global Environment Facility
GHG	greenhouse gas
GNP	gross national product
IBRD	International Bank for Reconstruction and Development
IEA	International Energy Agency
IFC	International Finance Corporation
IMF	International Monetary Fund
INCR	Investor Network on Climate Risk
IPAM	Instituto de Pesquisa Ambiental da Amazônia, or Amazon Institute for Environmental Research
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
IPRs	intellectual property rights
ISO	International Organization for Standardization
JI	Joint Implementation
KP	Kyoto Protocol
LDCs	least developed countries
LEED	Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design
LULUCF	land use, land use change, and forestry
MARPOL	International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships
MEA	multilateral environmental agreement
MFN	most favored nation
MIGA	Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency
MOP	Meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol
MRV	monitoring, verification, and reporting
NAI	Non-Annex I
NAMA	nationally appropriate mitigation action
NC	National Communication
NGO	non-governmental organization
ODA	official development assistance
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OPIC	Overseas Private Investment Corporation
PAS	Publicly Available Standard
ppmv	parts per million by volume
R&D	research and development
REC	renewable energy certificate or renewable energy credits
REDD	reducing emissions from deforestation and forest degradation

RFM	Reformed Financial Mechanism
RPS	renewable power standards
RTA	regional trade agreement
SCM	WTO Subsidies and Countervailing Measures Agreement
SD-PAMs	sustainable development policies and measures
SEC	US Securities and Exchange Commission
SNLT	sectoral no-lose target
SPS	WTO Agreement on the Application of Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures
TBT	WTO Agreement on Technical Barriers to Trade
TPRM	WTO Trade Policy Review Mechanism
TRIPS	WTO Agreement on Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights
TRIMS	WTO Agreement on Trade-Related Investment Measures
UNCED	UN Conference on Environment and Development
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
USAID	US Agency for International Development
WBCSD	World Business Council for Sustainable Development
WTO	World Trade Organization
WWF	World Wide Fund for Nature

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