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| ACP | African, Caribbean, and Pacific |
| AFR | African Department (IMF) |
| AFTA | ASEAN Free Trade Area |
| AGOA | African Growth and Opportunity Act |
| APEC | Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation |
| ASEAN | Association of South East Asian Nations |
| ATC | Agreement on Textiles and Clothing |
| CAFTA-DR | Central America-Dominican Republic Free Trade Agreement |
| CAG | Committee on Agriculture (WTO) |
| CARICOM | Caribbean Community |
| CARTAC | Caribbean Regional Technical Assistance Center |
| CBI | Cross-Border Initiative |
| CBR | Committee on Balance of Payments Restrictions (WTO) |
| CEMAC | Central African Economic and Monetary Community |
| CFF | Compensatory Financing Facility (IMF) |
| CGATT | Committee on Liaison with the Contracting Parties of the GATT (IMF) |
| COMESA | Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa |
| CTFS | Committee on Trade in Financial Services (WTO) |
| CWTO | Committee on Liaison with the World Trade Organization (IMF) |
| DSB | Dispute Settlement Body (WTO) |
| DSC | Development Support Credit (World Bank) |
| DTIS | Diagnostic Trade Integration Study |
| EAC | East African Community |
| ECCU | Eastern Caribbean Currency Union |
| ECOWAS | Economic Community of West African States |
| ED | Executive Director (IMF) |
| EFF | Extended Fund Facility (IMF) |
| EFTA | European Free Trade Association |
| EPA | Economic partnership agreement |
| ESAF | Enhanced Structural Adjustment Facility (IMF) |
| ESF | Exogenous Shocks Facility (IMF) |
| EU | European Union |
| FAD | Fiscal Affairs Department (IMF) |
| FAO | Food and Agriculture Organization |
| FDMD | First Deputy Managing Director (IMF) |
| FDI | Foreign direct investment |
| FSAP | Financial Sector Assessment Program (IMF) |
| GATS | General Agreement on Trade in Services (WTO) |
| GATT | General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade |
| GDP | Gross domestic product |
| <i>GFSR</i> | <i>Global Financial Stability Report (IMF)</i> |
| GNP | Gross national product |
| GTAP | Global Trade Analysis Project |
| HIPC | Heavily indebted poor countries |
| HLWGC | High Level Working Group on Coherence |

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| <i>ICMR</i> | <i>International Capital Markets Report</i> (IMF) |
| IDA | International Development Association (World Bank) |
| IF | Integrated Framework |
| IFC | International Finance Corporation |
| IMF | International Monetary Fund |
| IMFC | International Monetary and Financial Committee (IMF) |
| ISI | Import substitution industrialization |
| LDC | Least developed country |
| MCM | Monetary and Capital Markets Department (IMF) |
| MDRI | Multilateral Debt Reduction Initiative (IMF) |
| MEFP | Memorandum of Economic and Financial Policies (IMF) |
| MERCOSUR | Common Market of the South |
| MFA | Multi-Fiber Arrangement |
| MFN | Most-favored-nation |
| MONA | Monitoring of Fund Arrangements (IMF) |
| NAFTA | North American Free Trade Agreement |
| NFIDC | Net food-importing developing country |
| NGO | Nongovernmental organization |
| NTB | Nontariff barrier |
| OECD | Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development |
| OTRI | Overall Trade Restrictiveness Index (World Bank) |
| PDR | Policy Development and Review Department (IMF) |
| PRGF | Poverty Reduction and Growth Facility (IMF) |
| PRSP | Poverty Reduction Strategy Paper |
| PSE | Producer Support Estimate (OECD) |
| PSI | Policy Support Instrument (IMF) |
| PTA | Preferential trade agreement |
| RED | Recent economic developments (IMF) |
| <i>REO</i> | <i>Regional Economic Outlook</i> (IMF) |
| RES | Research Department (IMF) |
| SACU | Southern African Customs Union |
| SADC | Southern African Development Community |
| SBA | Stand-By Arrangement (IMF) |
| SIP | Selected issues paper (IMF) |
| SMP | Staff-Monitored Program (IMF) |
| SRF | Supplemental Reserve Facility (IMF) |
| TA | Technical assistance |
| T&C | Textiles and clothing |
| TIM | Trade Integration Mechanism (IMF) |
| TNC | Trade Negotiations Committee (WTO) |
| TPR | Trade policy review (WTO) |
| TRI | Trade Restrictiveness Index (IMF) |
| UFR | Use of Fund resources (IMF) |
| UN | United Nations |
| UNCTAD | United Nations Conference on Trade and Development |
| UNDP | United Nations Development Program |
| USAID | United States Agency for International Development |
| USBTA | (Vietnam-) United States Bilateral Trade Agreement |
| USTR | U.S. Trade Representative |
| VAT | Value-added tax |
| VER | Voluntary export restraint |
| WAEMU | West African Economic and Monetary Union |
| <i>WEO</i> | <i>World Economic Outlook</i> (IMF) |
| WGTDf | Working Group on Trade, Debt, and Finance (WTO) |
| WGTI | Working Group on Trade and Investment (WTO) |
| WTO | World Trade Organization |