


ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

AACA	Afghanistan Assistance Coordination Authority	FSAP	financial sector assessment program
ACCSF	Asian Currency Crisis Support Facility	FY	fiscal year
ACRAA	Association of Credit Rating Agencies in Asia	GAD	gender and development
ADB	Asian Development Bank	GDIF	Global Debt Issuance Facility
ADF	Asian Development Fund	GDP	gross domestic product
Af/Afs	afghani/afghanis (currency)	GEF	Global Environment Facility
AfDB	African Development Bank	GMS	Greater Mekong Subregion
APEC	Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation	GNP	gross national product
APF	Asian Policy Forum	HIV/AIDS	human immunodeficiency virus/acquired immunodeficiency syndrome
ARIC	Asia Recovery Information Center	HOP	heads of procurement
ARSG	Afghanistan Reconstruction Steering Group	IAA	Interim Administration of Afghanistan
ARTF	Afghanistan Reconstruction Trust Fund	IADB	Inter-American Development Bank
ASEAN	Association of Southeast Asian Nations	IAE	internal administrative expense
ASG	Afghanistan Support Group	ICFTU-APRO	International Confederation of Free Trade Unions-Asian and Pacific Regional Organisation
AusAID	Australian Agency for International Development	ICR	interest coverage ratio
BIMP-EAGA	Brunei Darussalam-Indonesia-Malaysia-Philippines East ASEAN Growth Area	ICT	information and communication technology
BOT	build-operate-transfer	ICZM	integrated coastal zone management
CAREC	Central Asia Regional Economic Cooperation	IFO	investment fund operation
CARs	Central Asian republics	IG	implementation group
CDF	comprehensive development framework	ILO	International Labour Organization
CER	country economic review	IMF	International Monetary Fund
CFA	channel financing arrangement	IMT-GT	Indonesia-Malaysia-Thailand Growth Triangle
CFS	complementary financing scheme	IOS	interim operational strategy
CG	Consultative Group	IPA	interest payment assistance
CGA	country governance assessment	ISAF	International Security Assistance Force
CGAP	Consultative Group to Assist the Poorest	ISTS	information systems and technology strategy
CGIAR	Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research	IUCN	World Conservation Union
CLASS	Comprehensive Loan Administration and Servicing System	JBIC	Japan Bank for International Cooperation
CLICK	Center for Learning, Information, Communication, and Knowledge	JFICT	Japan Fund for Information and Communication Technology
CPI	consumer price index	JFPR	Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction
CRA	credit rating agency	JSF	Japan Special Fund
CSP	country strategy and program	JSP	Japan Scholarship Program
DFID	Department for International Development (of the United Kingdom)	KPS	knowledge products and services
DMC	developing member country	Lao PDR	Lao People's Democratic Republic
ECA	export credit agency	LBL	LIBOR-based loan
ECG	Evaluation Cooperation Group	LDC	least-developed country
ECP	euro-commercial paper	LIBOR	London interbank offered rate
EIA	environmental impact assessment	LTSF	Long-Term Strategic Framework
EIRRP	Emergency Infrastructure Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Project	LTTE	Liberation Tigers of Tamil Eelam
ERL	emergency reconstruction loan	MBL	market-based loan
FAS	Financial Accounting Standards	MDB	multilateral development bank
FDI	foreign direct investment	MDG	Millennium Development Goal
		MOF	Ministry of Finance
		MTS	Medium-Term Strategy

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NDB	National Development Budget
NDF	National Development Framework
NDP	national development program
NGO	nongovernment organization
OCR	ordinary capital resources
ODA	official development assistance
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
PAI	project administration instruction
PBA	performance-based allocation
PCG	partial credit guarantee
PCR	project completion report
PMAP	portfolio management action plan
PMCL	pool-based multicurrency loan
PMU	project management unit
PNG	Papua New Guinea
PPA	poverty partnership agreement
PPAR	project/program performance audit report
PPIAF	Public-Private Infrastructure Advisory Facility
PRC	People's Republic of China
PREGA	Promotion of Renewable Energy, Energy Efficiency, and Greenhouse Gas Abatement
PRF	Poverty Reduction Cooperation Fund
PRG	political risk guarantee
PRGF	Poverty Reduction and Growth Facility
PSALM	Power Sector Assets and Liabilities Management Corporation
PSCL	pool-based single currency loan
PSD	private sector development
PSO	private sector operations
QCBS	quality and cost-based selection
RAMS	road asset management system
REMU	Regional Economic Monitoring Unit
RLR	reserve to loan ratio
SABF	South Asia Business Forum
SASEC	South Asia Subregional Economic Cooperation
SDR	special drawing right
SME	small- or medium-sized enterprise
SOE	state-owned enterprise
SPC	safeguard policy compliance
SWIFT	Society for Worldwide Interbank Financial Telecommunications
TASF	Technical Assistance Special Fund
TCR	technical assistance completion report
TFET	Trust Fund for East Timor
TIPWG	Trade, Investment, and Private Sector Cooperation Working Group
TPAR	technical assistance performance audit report
UN	United Nations
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
US	United States
WSSD	World Summit on Sustainable Development
WTO	World Trade Organization