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| AAOIFI: | Accounting and Auditing Organization for Islamic Financial Institutions |
| BCCI: | Bank of Credit and Commerce International |
| BMA: | Bahrain Monetary Authority |
| CBI: | Central Bank of Iran |
| CMC: | Central Bank <i>Musharaka</i> Certificates (Sudan) |
| DJIM: | Dow Jones Islamic Market Index |
| DJS: | Dow Jones Sustainability World Index |
| DJW: | Dow Jones World Index |
| EURIBOR: | Euro Interbank Offered Rate |
| FSA: | Financial Services Authority (UK) |
| GCC: | Gulf Cooperation Council |
| GII: | Government Investment Issues (Malaysia) |
| IAS: | International Accounting Standards |
| IDB: | Islamic Development Bank |
| IFSB: | Islamic Financial Services Board |
| IIFM: | International Islamic Financial Market |
| IIRA: | Islamic International Rating Agency |
| ISDA: | International Swaps and Derivatives Association |
| LIBOR: | London Interbank Offered Rate |
| NPP: | National Participation Paper (Iran) |
| OIC: | Organization of Islamic Cooperation |
| PLS: | Profit-and-Loss Sharing |
| REIT: | Real Estate Investment Trust |
| SMEs: | Small- and Medium-Sized Enterprises |
| SPV: | Special Purpose Vehicle |
| UAE: | United Arab Emirates |