

Abbreviations

AAOIFI	Accounting and Auditing Organization for Islamic Financial Institutions
ABS	asset-backed securities
AD	<i>anno Domini</i> (in the year of Jesus Christ)
ADB	Asian Development Bank
AH	after the <i>Hijra</i> (to indicate the year in the Islamic calendar)
AIM	Amana Ikhtiar Malaysia (an Islamic microfinance NGO)
b.	born (followed by year)
BBA	<i>bai' bithaman 'ajil</i>
BCCI	Bank of Credit and Commerce International
BIBF	Bahrain Institute of Banking and Finance
BIMB	Bank Islam Malaysia Berhad
BIS	Bank of International Settlements
BMA	Bahrain Monetary Agency
BMI	Bank Muamalat Indonesia
BMMB	Bank Muamalat Malaysia Berhad
BMT	Bait al-Maal wa al-Tamwil
BNM	Bank Negara Malaysia (central bank of Malaysia)
BNMN-I	Bank Negara Monetary Note–Islamic
BNMN-M	Bank Negara Malaysia Note– <i>Murabaha</i>
BRM	Bank Rakyat Malaysia
CBB	Central Bank of Bahrain
CGAP	Consultative Group to Assist the Poor
ch.	chapter
CIE	Commission for Islamization of Economy (Pakistan)
CII	Council of Islamic Ideology, Pakistan
CMF	commodity <i>murabaha</i> financing (Malaysia)
CMLF	commodity <i>murabaha</i> for liquid funds (Malaysia)
CMOF	commodity <i>murabaha</i> for obtaining funds (Malaysia)
CMP	commodity <i>murabaha</i> programme (Malaysia)
CRIE	Centre for Research in Islamic Economics
CSR	corporate social responsibility
d.	died (followed by year)
DIB	Dubai Islamic Bank

DJIMI	Dow Jones Islamic Market Index
DT	deposits <i>takaful</i> (deposit insurance)
ed.	edited by/editor
eds	editors
e.g.	for example (Latin <i>exempli gratia</i>)
ESIB	Egypt–Saudi Investment Bank
<i>et al.</i>	and other people or things (Latin <i>et alii</i>)
etc.	and so on (Latin <i>et cetera</i>)
EUROBOR	euro interbank offered rate
FIBE	Faysal Islamic Bank of Egypt
FSC	Federal Shari'at Court of Pakistan
FTSE	Financial Times Stock Exchange
GCC	Gulf Cooperation Council
GGCCI	Global Gulf Cooperation Council Index
GII	Government Investment Issues (Malaysia)
h.	<i>hadith</i>
HBFC	House Building Finance Corporation (Pakistan)
IBBL	Islami Bank Bangladesh Limited
ibid.	in the same book, article, passage, etc. (previously mentioned) (Latin <i>ibidem</i>)
IDB	Islamic Development Bank (Jeddah)
IFP	Islamic Finance Project
IFRN	Islamic floating rate note
IFSB	Islamic Financial Services Board
IIBID	International Islamic Bank for Investment and Development (Egypt)
IIFM	International Islamic Financial Market
IIBF	International Institute of Islamic Business and Finance
IIIE	International Institute of Islamic Economics (Pakistan)
IILM	International Islamic Liquidity Management
IIMM	Islamic Interbank Money Market (Malaysia)
IIRA	Islamic International Rating Agency
IIUM	International Islamic University Malaysia
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IMFN	Islamic Microfinance Network
INCEIF	International Centre for Education in Islamic Finance (Malaysia)
INID	Islamic negotiable instrument of debt (Malaysia)
IPO	initial purchase offer
IPDS	Islamic private debt securities
I-REIT	Islamic real estate investment trust
IRTI	Islamic Research and Training Institute (Jeddah)

LIBOR	London interbank offered rate
lit.	literally
LMC	Liquidity Management Centre
LOFSA	Labuan Offshore Services Authority (Malaysia)
MFI	microfinance institution
n.	note
n.d.	not dated
NICD	negotiable Islamic certificate of deposit
NIDC	negotiable Islamic debt certificate (Malaysia)
NGO	non-governmental organization
no.	number
OIC	Organisation of the Islamic Conference
p.	page
pp.	pages
PPs	participation papers (Iran)
PEP	politically exposed persons
PLS	profit–loss sharing
PTF	participants' <i>takaful</i> fund
Q.	Qur'an
RDS	Rural Development Scheme (of Islamic Bank Bangladesh)
SAMA	Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency
SBP	State Bank of Pakistan
SFH	special finance house
SSB	<i>Shari'ah</i> supervisory board
SSED	Small Scale Enterprise Development (Pakistan)
TFC	term finance certificate
TO	<i>takaful</i> operator
trans.	translator/translated by
UIA	unrestricted investment accountholder
vol.	volume
vols	volumes