

Acronyms and abbreviations

AIJ	Activities Implemented Jointly
AMIS	Agency-Managed Irrigation Systems
ASEAN	Association of Southeast Asian Nations
B2B	Business-To-Business
B2C	Business-To-Consumer
BOT	Build, Operate And Transfer
BTL	Biomass-To-Liquid
C2C	Consumer-To-Consumer
CAM	Computer Aided Manufacturing
CBS	Central Bureau For Statistics
CDM	Clean Development Mechanism
CEA	Central Eurasia
CERES	The Netherlands Research School for Resource Studies and Development
CERs	Certified Emission Reductions
CFP	Common Fisheries Policy
CIM	Computer Integrated Manufacturing
CIS	Commonwealth of Independent States
CNC	Computer Numerical Control
CRC	United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child
CSGA	Consortium for Self-Governance in Africa
CVM	Contingent Valuation Methods
DHS	Demographic and Health Surveys
DNC	Direct Numerical Control
DOE	Designated Operational Entity
DRE	EU Directive on Renewable Energy
EKC	Environmental Kuznets Curve
ESapp	Ecosystem Approach
ECOSOC	Economic and Social Council of the United Nations
EU	European Union
EU-ACP	European Union and the African, Caribbean and Pacific states
FCCC	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
FMIS	Farmer-Managed Irrigation Systems

FMS	Flexible Manufacturing Systems
GAO	Gross Agricultural Output
GATT	General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GHG	Greenhouse Gas
GIS	Geographical Information Systems
GNI	Gross National Income
GPS	Global Positioning System
GSP	Generalized System of Preferences
GWP	Gross World Product
HDI	Human Development Indicators
HDR	Human Development Report
HVA	High Value Agriculture
ICE	Immigration And Customs Enforcement
ICJ	International Court Of Justice
ICSU	International Council of Scientific Union
ICT	Information and Communication Technology
IFPRI	International Food Policy Research Institute
IFRI	International Forestry Resources And Institutions
ITQ	Individual Transferable Quota
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel On Climate Change
ISIC	Industrial Standard Industrial Classification
ITQ	Individual Transferable Quota
IUWM	Integrated Urban Water Management
KNMI	Royal Netherlands Meteorological Institute (Koninklijk Nederlands Meteorologisch Instituut in Dutch).
LCA	Life Cycle Analysis
MaGW	Social and Behavioral Science Council (Maatschappijen Gedragwetenschappen in Dutch)
MBR	Membrane Bio-Reactor
MDGs	Millennium Development Goals
M-P chain	Material-Product Chain
NEAP	National Environmental Action Plan
NGETs	New Generation Environmental Technologies
NIIS	Nepal Irrigation Institutions And Systems Database
NOW	Netherland Organization For Science
ODA	Official Development Assistance
OECD	Organization For Economic Cooperation And Development
PPP	Purchasing Power Parity
PES	Payments For Ecosystem Services

RDS-TMC	Radio Data Signal–Traffic Message Channel
RIVM	The Netherlands National Institute for Public Health and the Environment (Rijksinstituut voor Volksgezondheid en Milieu, in Dutch).
SEPA	State Environmental Protection Agency
SMEs	Small and Medium Enterprises
SMSAs	Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas
SPA	Statistical Classification Of Products By Activity
Switch	Switch Sustainable Water Improves Tomorrow's Cities' Health
TPF	Total Productivity Factor
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNEP	United Nations Environment Programme
UNESCO-IHE	United Nations Educational, Scientific And Cultural Organization-Institute For Water Education
UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention On Climate Change
VAM	Vulnerability, Adaptation And Mitigation
WCED	United Nations' World Commission On Environment And Development
WMO	World Meteorological Organization
WTO	World Trade Organization