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Annex II: Acronyms

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µatm	Microatmospheres	BET	Basic Energy systems, Economy, Environment, and End-use Technology Model
1.5DS	1.5 Degree Scenario	BEV	Battery Electric Vehicle
2DS	2 Degree Scenario	BNEF	Bloomberg New Energy Finance
ACCESS	Australian Community Climate and Earth-System Simulator	BNU	Beijing Normal University
ACCMIP	Atmospheric Chemistry and Climate Model Intercomparison Project	BRT	Bus Rapid Transit
ACCRN	The Asian Cities Climate Change Resilience Network	cm	Centimetres
ACOLA	Australian Council of Learned Academies	C	Carbon
ACs	Air Conditioners	CA	Conservation Agriculture
ADB	Asian Development Bank	CAF	Corporacion Andina de Fomento (Development Bank of Latin America)
ADVANCE	Advanced Model Development and Validation for the Improved Analysis of Costs and Impacts of Mitigation Policies	CAM	Central America/Mexico or Community Atmosphere Model
AEZ	Agro-Ecological Zone	CAMx	Comprehensive Air Quality Model with Extensions
AfDB	African Development Bank	CanESM	Canadian Earth System Model
AFOLU	Agriculture, Forestry and Other Land-Use	CanRCM	Canadian Regional Climate Model
AGCM	Atmospheric General Circulation Model	CAR	Small Islands Regions Caribbean
AI	Artificial Intelligence	CAS	Central Asia
AIM	Asia-Pacific Integrated Model	Cat-HM	Catchment-scale Hydrological Models
ALA	Alaska/Northwest Canada	CbA	Community-based Adaptation
AMAP	Arctic Monitoring and Assessment Programme	CBA	Cost-Benefit Analysis
AMOC	Atlantic Meridional Overturning Circulation	CBD	Convention on Biological Diversity
AMP	Adjusting Mitigation Pathway	CBDR-RC	Common But Differentiated Responsibilities and Respective Capabilities
AMZ	Amazon	CBS & GNH	Centre for Bhutan Studies and Gross National Happiness Research
ANT	Antarctica	CC	Carbon Capture
APEX	Air Pollutants Exposure Model	CCAM	Conformal Cubic Atmospheric Model
AR	Afforestation and Reforestation	CCC	Constant Composition Commitment
AR4	IPCC Fourth Assessment Report	CCCma	Canadian Centre for Climate Modelling and Analysis
AR5	IPCC Fifth Assessment Report	CCRIF	Caribbean Catastrophe Risk Insurance Facility
AR6	IPCC Sixth Assessment Report	CCS	Carbon dioxide Capture and Storage
ARC	Arctic	CCSM	Community Climate System Model
ASEAN	Association of Southeast Asian Nations	CCT	Cirrus Cloud Thinning
ASIA	Non-OECD Asia	CCU	Carbon dioxide Capture and Utilisation
AUD	Australian Dollar	CCUS	Carbon dioxide Capture, Utilisation and Storage
B2DS	Beyond 2 Degrees Scenario	CDD	Consecutive Dry Days
BASIC	Brazil, South Africa, India, China	CD-LINKS	Linking Climate and Development Policies – Leveraging International Networks and Knowledge Sharing
BC	Black Carbon	CDM	Clean Development Mechanism
BCC-CSM	Beijing Climate Center Climate System Model	CDP	Carbon Disclosure Project
BCM	Bergen Climate Model	CDR	Carbon Dioxide Removal
BECCS	Bioenergy with Carbon dioxide Capture and Storage		

CEA	Cost-Effectiveness Analysis	CRISPR	Clustered Regularly Interspaced Short Palindromic Repeats
CEC	Clean Energy Council	C-ROADS	Climate Rapid Overview And Decision-support Simulator
CEDS	Community Emissions Data System	CRU	Climatic Research Unit
CEMICS	Contextualizing Climate Engineering and Mitigation: Illusion, Complement or Substitute?	CSA	Climate-Smart Agriculture
CES	Constant Elasticity of Substitution	CSC	Climate Service Center Germany
CESM	Community Earth System Model	CSDI	Cold Spell Duration Index
CEU	Central Europe	CSIRO	Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation
CFCs	Chlorofluorocarbons	CSP	Concentrated Solar Power
CGCM	Coupled Global Climate Model	CSR	Corporate Social Responsibility
CGE	Computable General Equilibrium	CTC	Covenant Territorial Coordinator
CGI	Canada/Greenland/Iceland	CWD	Consecutive Wet Days
CGIAR	Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research	DACCS	Direct Air Carbon dioxide Capture and Storage
CH₄	Methane	DACS	Direct Air Capture and Storage
CHP	Combined Heat and Power	DALY	Disability Adjusted Life Year
CI	Confidence Interval	DICE	Dynamic Integrated Climate-Economy model
CIRED	Centre International de Recherche sur l'Environnement et le Développement	DJF	December, January, February
CISL	Cambridge Institute for Sustainability Leadership	DM8H	Daily Maximum 8-Hour exposure
CLM	Climate Limited-area Modelling	DNE21+	Dynamic New Earth 21 model
CMAQ	Community Multiscale Air Quality Modeling System	DOE	Department of Energy (USA)
CMIP3	Coupled Model Intercomparison Project Phase 3	DRI	Direct Reduced Iron
CMIP5	Coupled Model Intercomparison Project Phase 5	DRM	Disaster Risk Management
CMIP6	Coupled Model Intercomparison Project Phase 6	DTU	Technical University of Denmark
CNA	Central North America	E	Equilibrium, Evaporation or Evapotranspiration
CNRM	Centre National de Recherches Météorologiques	EAF	East Africa
CO	Carbon monoxide	EAIS	East Antarctic Ice Sheet
CO₂	Carbon dioxide	EAS	East Asia
CO₂e	Carbon dioxide equivalent	EbA	Ecosystems-based Adaptation
CO₂eq	Carbon dioxide equivalent	EC	European Commission
CoM	Covenant of Mayors	ECF	European Climate Foundation
COP	Conference of the Parties	ECMWF	European Centre for Medium-Range Weather Forecasts
COPPE-COFFEE	Programa de Planejamento Energético – COmputable Framework For Energy and the Environment	ECS	Equilibrium Climate Sensitivity
CORDEX	Coordinated Regional Climate Downscaling Experiment	EDGAR	Emission Database for Global Atmospheric Research
COSMO	Consortium for Small-scale Modeling	EEA	European Environment Agency
CRCM	Canadian Regional Climate Model	EGMAM	ECHO-G Middle Atmosphere Model
CRDPs	Climate-Resilient Development Pathways	E-HYPE	European Hydrological Predictions for the Environment
CRIEPI	Institut Central de Recherche des Industries Électriques	EJ	Exajoules
		EMEP	European Monitoring and Evaluation Programme

EMF	Energy Modeling Forum	F-gas	Fluorinated gases
EMIC	Earth-system Model of Intermediate Complexity	FGOALS	Flexible Global Ocean-Atmosphere-Land System model
ENA	East North America	FIO	First Institute of Oceanography
ENSO	El Niño-Southern Oscillation	FMNR	Farmer Managed Natural Regeneration
EOR	Enhanced Oil Recovery	FUND	Climate Framework for Uncertainty, Negotiation, and Distribution model
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency (USA)	FUSSR	Former Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
EPIs	Energy-Intensive Processing Industries	g	Grams
ERA	ECMWF ReAnalysis	GAMS	General Algebraic Modeling System
ERF	Effective Radiative Forcing	GBAM	Ground-Based Albedo Modification
ERFaci	Effective Radiative Forcing from aerosol-cloud interactions	GCAM	Global Change Assessment Model
ERFari	Effective Radiative Forcing from aerosol-radiation interactions	GCC	Gulf Cooperative Council
ESCOs	Energy Service Companies	GCEC	Global Commission on the Economy and Climate
ESL	Extreme Sea Level	GCM	General Circulation Model or Global Climate Model
ESM	Earth System Model	GCP	Global Carbon Project
ESR	Empirical Scaling Relationship	GDP	Gross Domestic Product
ESRB ASC	European Systemic Risk Board Advisory Scientific Committee	GE	General Equilibrium
ESRL	NOAA Earth System Research Laboratory	GEA	Global Energy Assessment
Eta-CPTEC	Eta Centro de Previsão do Tempo e Estudos Climáticos	GEM-E3	General Equilibrium Model for Economy - Energy - Environment
ETP	Pacific Islands region [3] or Energy Technology Perspectives model	GENeSYS-MOD	Global Energy System Model
ETS	Emission Trading Scheme	GeSI	Global e-Sustainability Initiative
EU	European Union	GFCF	Gross Fixed Capital Formation
EU-FP6	European Union Sixth Framework Programme	GFDL	Geophysical Fluid Dynamic Laboratory
EUG4	France, Germany, Italy, United Kingdom	GFR	Grid Flexibility Resources
EURO-CORDEX	European branch of the Coordinated Regional Climate Downscaling Experiment	Gha	Gigahectares
EV	Electric Vehicle	GHCNEX	Global Historical Climatology Network – Daily climate Extremes
EW	Enhanced Weathering	GHGs	Greenhouse Gases
FAIR	Finite Amplitude Impulse Response model	GHM	Global Hydrological Models
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations	GIS	Greenland Ice Sheet
FAOSTAT	Database Collection of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations	GISS	Goddard Institute for Space Studies
FAQ	Frequently Asked Questions	GISTEMP	Goddard Institute for Space Studies Surface Temperature Analysis
FARM	Future Agricultural Resources Model	GJ	Gigajoules
Fe	Iron	GLEAM	Global Livestock Environmental Assessment Model
FE	Final Energy	Glob-HM	Global Hydrological Model
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency (USA)	GLOBIOM	GLObal BIOSphere Management model
FF	Fossil Fuel	GLOFs	Glacial Lake Outburst Floods
FF&I	Fossil-Fuel combustion and Industrial processes	GM	Genetically Modified
		GMO	Genetically Modified Organism
		GMSL	Global Mean Sea Level

GMST	Global Mean Surface Temperature	ICSU	International Council for Science
GMT	Global Mean Temperature	ICT	Information and Communication Technology
GNHI	Gross National Happiness Index	IEA	International Energy Agency
GPP	Gross Primary Productivity	IEAGHG	IEA Greenhouse Gas R&D Programme
GPT	General Purpose Technologies	IFAD	International Fund for Agricultural Development
GRAPE	Global Relationship Assessment to Protect the Environment model	IFPRI	International Food Policy Research Institute
GSAT	Global mean Surface Air Temperature	IGCC	Integrated Gasification Combined Cycle
Gt	Gigatonne	IIASA	International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis
GTP	Global Temperature-change Potential	IIF	Institute of International Finance
GWA	Government of Western Australia	iLUC	Indirect Land-Use Change
GWP	Global Warming Potential or Gross World Product	IMACLIM-NLU	IMpact Assessment of CLIMate policies model – Nexus Land-Use model
ha	Hectares	IMAGE	Integrated Model to Assess the Global Environment
H₂	Hydrogen	IMF	International Monetary Fund
HadCM	Hadley Centre Coupled Model	IMO	International Maritime Organization
HadCRUT	Hadley Centre Climatic Research Unit Gridded Surface Temperature Data Set	IMPACT2C	Quantifying Projected Impacts under 2°C Warming
HadEX	Hadley Centre Global Climate Extremes index	INDCs	Intended Nationally Determined Contributions
HadGEM	Hadley Centre Global Environmental Model	INM	Russian Institute for Numerical Mathematics
HadRM	Hadley Centre Regional Model	IOM	International Organization for Migration
HAPPI	Half a degree Additional warming, Prognosis and Projected Impacts	IoT	Internet of Things
HDV	Heavy-Duty Vehicle	IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
HEV	Hybrid Electric Vehicle	IPSL	Institute Pierre Simon Laplace
HFCs	Hydrofluorocarbons	IRENA	International Renewable Energy Agency
HLCCP	High-Level Commission on Carbon Prices	ISIMIP	Inter-Sectoral Impact Model Intercomparison Project
HLPE	High Level Panel of Experts on Food Security and Nutrition	ISO	International Standards Organisation
HSRTF	Hurricane Sandy Rebuilding Task Force	ISSC	International Social Science Council
HTM	Holocene Thermal Maximum	ITF	International Transport Forum
HYMOD	HYdrological MODel	IUCN	International Union for Conservation of Nature
IAEA	International Atomic Energy Agency	IWG	Interagency Working Group on Social Cost of Greenhouse Gases
IAMC	Integrated Assessment Modelling Consortium	IWRM	Integrated Water Resources Management
IAMs	Integrated Assessment Models	JeDi	Jena Diversity-Dynamic Global Vegetation Model
IBA	International Bar Association	JJA	June, July, August
IBI	International Biochar Initiative	JMA	Japan Meteorological Agency
ICAMS	Integrated Climate and Air Quality Modeling System	JRA-55	Japanese 55-year Reanalysis
ICEM	International Centre for Environmental Management	JRC	European Commission – Joint Research Centre
ICLEI	International Council for Local Environmental Initiatives	JULES	Joint United Kingdom Land Environment Simulator
ICPDR	International Commission for the Protection of the Danube River	kcal cap⁻¹ day⁻¹	Kilocalories per capita per day
		km	Kilometres
		kt	Kilotonnes
		kWh	Kilowatt hours

KNMI	Koninklijk Nederlands Meteorologisch Instituut (Royal Netherlands Meteorological Institute)	MER	Market Exchange Rates
L	Litres	MERET	Managing Environmental Resources to Enable Transitions
L&D	Loss and Damage	MERGE-ETL	Model for Evaluating Regional and Global Effects of greenhouse gas reduction policies – Endogenous Technology Learning
LAM	Latin America and Caribbean	MESSAGE	Model for Energy Supply Systems And their General Environmental impact
LDCs	Least Developed Countries	Mha	Megahectare
LDMz-INCA	Laboratoire de Météorologie Dynamique – Interactions between Chemistry and Aerosols	MIROC	Model for Interdisciplinary Research on Climate
LDV	Light-Duty Vehicle	MISI	Marine Ice Sheet Instability
LE	Limited Evidence	MIT IGSM	Massachusetts Institute of Technology Integrated Global System Model
LED	Low Energy Demand or Light Emitting Diode	MJ	Megajoules
LGM	Last Glacial Maximum	MoCC	Ministry of Climate Change and Adaptation (Government of Vanuatu)
LIG	Last Interglacial	MOHC	Met Office Hadley Centre
LLCFs	Long-Lived Climate Forcers	MOPEX	Model Parameter Estimation Experiment
LNG	Liquefied Natural Gas	MPAs	Marine Protected Areas
LPG	Liquefied Petroleum Gas	MPI	Max-Planck-Institut für Meteorologie (Max Planck Institute for Meteorology)
LPJmL	Lund-Potsdam-Jena managed Land model	MPWP	Mid Pliocene Warm Period
LTA	Land Transport Authority of Singapore	MRFCJ	Mary Robinson Foundation – Climate Justice
LTGG	Long-Term Global Goal	MRI	Meteorological Research Institute of Japan Meteorological Agency
LUC	Land-Use Change	MRV	Measurement, Reporting and Verification
LULUCF	Land Use, Land-Use Change, and Forestry	MSR	Multi-Sector Risk score
m	Metres	Mt	Megatonnes
m³ cap⁻¹ yr⁻¹	Cubic metres per capita per year	N	Nitrogen
mg	Milligrams	N₂O	Nitrous oxide
mL	Millilitres	NAP	National Adaptation Plan
mm	Millimetres	NAS	North Asia
M&E	Monitoring and Evaluation	NASA	National Aeronautics and Space Administration
Ma	Million years ago	NASEM	National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine
MAC	Marginal Abatement Cost	NAU	North Australia
MacPDM	Macro-scale – Probability-Distributed Moisture Model	NCAR	National Center for Atmospheric Research
MAGICC	Model for the Assessment of Greenhouse Gas Induced Climate Change	NCCARF	National Climate Change Adaptation Research Facility
MAgPIE	Model of Agricultural Production and its Impact on the Environment	NCE	New Climate Economy
MAM	March, April, May	NDCs	Nationally Determined Contributions
MCB	Marine Cloud Brightening	NEA	Nuclear Energy Agency
MCCA	Mercado Común Centroamericano	NEB	North-East Brazil
MDB	Group of Multilateral Development Banks	NEC	National Environment Commission (Royal Government of Bhutan)
MDGs	Millennium Development Goals		
MEA	Millennium Ecosystem Assessment		
MED	South Europe/Mediterranean		
MEPS	Minimum Energy Performance Standards		

NETL	National Energy Technology Laboratory (US Department of Energy)	PDSI	Palmer Drought Severity Index
NEU	North Europe	PE	Primary Energy or Partial Equilibrium
NF₃	Nitrogen trifluoride	PET	Physiologically Equivalent Temperature or Potential Evapo-Transpiration
NGO	Non-Governmental Organization	PFCs	Perfluorocarbons
NH₃	Ammonia	Pg	Petagrams
NHD	Number of Hot Days	PHEV	Plug-in Hybrid Electric Vehicle
NITI Aayog	National Institution for Transforming India	PIK	Potsdam-Institut für Klimafolgenforschung (Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research)
NMVOG	Non-Methane Volatile Organic Compounds	PM₁₀	Particulate Matter with Aerodynamic Diameter <10 µm
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration	PM_{2.5}	Particulate Matter with Aerodynamic Diameter <2.5 µm
NorESM	Norwegian Earth System Model	POLES	Prospective Outlook on Long-term Energy Systems model
NO_x	Nitrogen oxides	PPP	Purchasing Power Parity
NPCC	New York City Panel on Climate Change	PR	Probability Ratio
NPP	Net Primary Productivity	PV	Photovoltaics
NPV	Net Present Value	R&D	Research and Development
NRC	National Research Council	RCA	Rosby Centre Regional Atmospheric Model
NSR	Northern Sea Route	RCI	Rotterdam Climate Initiative
NTP	Pacific Islands region [2]	RCM	Regional Climate Model
NYC	New York City	RCPs	Representative Concentration Pathways
NZAGRC	New Zealand Agricultural Greenhouse Gas Research Center	REDD+	Reducing Emissions from Deforestation and forest Degradation; and the role of conservation, sustainable management of forests and enhancement of forest carbon stocks in developing countries
O₂	Oxygen	ReEDS-IPM	Regional Electricity Deployment System model – Integrated Planning Model
O₃	Ozone	RegCM	Regional Climate Model system
OA	Ocean Acidification or Ocean Alkalinization	REMIND	REgional Model of INvestments and Development
OC	Organic Carbon	REN21	Renewable Energy Policy Network for the 21st Century
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development	RF	Radiative Forcing
OGCC	Optimal Gasification Combined Cycle	RFC	Reason for Concern
OHCHR	Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights	RGoB	Royal Government of Bhutan
OIF	Ocean Iron Fertilisation	RMI	Rocky Mountain Institute
ORCHIDEE	ORganising Carbon and Hydrology In Dynamic EcosystEms model	RNCFC	Reference Non-CO ₂ Forcing Contribution
ORR	NYC Mayor's Office of Recovery & Resiliency	RNCTC	Reference Non-CO ₂ Temperature Contribution
OS	Overshoot	Rx1day	Annual maximum 1-day precipitation
pp	People	Rx5day	Annual maximum 5-day precipitation
ppb	Parts per billion	SAF	Southern Africa
ppm	Parts per million	SAH	Sahara
ppt	Parts per thousand	SAI	Stratospheric Aerosol Injection
P	Precipitation or Phosphorous		
PAGE	Policy Analysis of the Greenhouse Effect model		
PAHO	Pan American Health Organization		
PCM	Parallel Climate Model		

SAMS	South American Monsoon System	SREX	IPCC Special Report on Managing the Risks of Extreme Events and Disasters to Advance Climate Change Adaptation
SAR	IPCC Second Assessment Report	SRM	Solar Radiation Modification
SAS	South Asia	SROCC	IPCC Special Report on the Ocean and Cryosphere in a Changing Climate
SAT	Surface Air Temperature	SSA	Southeastern South America
SAU	South Australia/New Zealand	SSPs	Shared Socioeconomic Pathways
SBSTA	Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (UNFCCC)	SST	Sea Surface Temperature
SCC	Social Cost of Carbon	STP	Southern Tropical Pacific
SCS	Soil Carbon Sequestration	SWAT	Soil & Water Assessment Tool
SD	Sustainable Development	SWF	Social Welfare Function
SDGs	Sustainable Development Goals	SYR	IPCC Synthesis Report
SDGVM	Sheffield Dynamic Global Vegetation Model	t	Tonnes
SDII	Simple Daily Intensity Index	tDM	Tonnes Dry Matter
SDSN	Sustainable Development Solutions Network	triI\$	Trillion dollars
SEA	Southeast Asia	T	Temperature or Transient
SEAPs	Sustainable Energy Action Plans	T&D	Transmission and Distribution
SED	Structured Expert Dialogue	TCR	Transient Climate Response
SEM	Semi-Empirical Model	TCRE	Transient Climate Response to cumulative CO ₂ Emissions
SF₆	Sulphur hexafluoride	TEAP	Technology and Economic Assessment Panel
SFM	Sustainable Forest Management	TFE	Thematic Focus Element
SIDS	Small Island Developing States	TFP	Total Factor Productivity
SIFMA	Securities Industry and Financial Markets Association	Tg	Teragrams
SLCFs	Short-Lived Climate Forcers	TIB	Tibetan Plateau
SLCPs	Short-Lived Climate Pollutants	TNn	Coldest night-time temperature of the year
SLR	Sea Level Rise	TOD	Transit Oriented Development
SM	Supplementary Material	TS	Technical Summary
SMA	Soil Moisture Anomalies	Tt	Teratonnes
SMHI	Swedish Meteorological and Hydrological Institute	TTs	Transition Towns
SO₂	Sulphur dioxide	TXx	Hottest daytime temperature of the year
SOLARIS HEPPA	SOLARIS High Energy Particle Precipitation in the Atmosphere	UCCRN	Urban Climate Change Research Network
SON	September, October, November	UHI	Urban Heat Islands
SO_x	Sulphur oxides	UITP	Union Internationale des Transports Publics (International Association of Public Transport)
SPAs	Shared climate Policy Assumptions	UKCP	United Kingdom Climate Projections
SPC	Secretariat of the Pacific Community	UN	United Nations
SPEI	Standardized Precipitation Evapotranspiration Index	UN DESA	United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs
SPI	Standardised Precipitation Index	UNCBD	United Nations Convention on Biological Diversity
SPM	Summary for Policymakers	UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
SR1.5	IPCC Special Report on Global Warming of 1.5°C	UNEP	UN Environment
SRCCCL	IPCC Special Report on Climate Change and Land		
SRES	IPCC Special Report on Emissions Scenarios		

Acronyms

UNEP-WCMC	UNEP World Conservation Monitoring Centre	WGII	IPCC Working Group II
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization	WGIII	IPCC Working Group III
UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change	WHO	World Health Organization
UNGA	United Nations General Assembly	WIM	Warsaw International Mechanism for Loss and Damage
UNICEF	United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund	WIO	West Indian Ocean
UNISDR	United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction	WITCH	World Induced Technical Change Hybrid Model
UN-OHRLLS	Office of the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States	WMGHGs	Well-Mixed Greenhouse Gases
UNRISD	United Nations Research Institute for Social Development	WMO	World Meteorological Organization
UNSCEAR	United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation	WNA	West North America
UNU	United Nations University	WRF	Weather Research and Forecasting
UNU-EHS	United Nations University – Institute for Environment and Human Security	WSA	West Coast South America
USD	United States Dollars	WSDI	Warm Spell Duration Index
UV	Ultraviolet	WTO	World Trade Organization
VISIT	Vegetation Integrative Simulator for Trace Gases	yr	Year
VKT	Vehicle Kilometres of Travel	ZEC	Zero Emissions Commitment
VOCs	Volatile Organic Compounds		
w/	With		
w/o	Without		
w.r.t.	With respect to		
W	Watts		
WAF	West Africa		
WAIS	West Antarctic Ice Sheet		
WAS	West Asia		
WBCSD	World Business Council for Sustainable Development		
WBGU	Wissenschaftlicher Beirat der Bundesregierung Globale Umweltveränderungen (German Advisory Council on Global Change)		
WBM	Water Balance Model		
WCED	World Commission on Environment and Development		
WCRP	World Climate Research Programme		
WEC	World Energy Council		
WEF	Water-Energy-Food or World Economic Forum		
WEM	World Energy Model		
WEO	World Energy Outlook		
WFP	World Food Programme		
WGI	IPCC Working Group I		

