

Abbreviations and acronyms

ACP	African, Caribbean and Pacific group of states
ACWL	Advisory Centre on WTO Law
ADR	alternative dispute resolution
AfT	Aid for Trade
BoP	balance of payments
BRICS	Brazil, Russia, India, China and South Africa
CSS	Commonwealth small states
DDA	Doha Development Agenda
DSU	Dispute Settlement Understanding
EU	European Union
FTA	free trade agreement
GATS	General Agreement on Trade in Services
GATT	General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
GDP	gross domestic product
GNI	gross national income
GVC	global value chain
ICT	Information and communication technology
LDC	least-developed country
MFN	most-favoured nation
MTS	multilateral trading system
NAMA	non-agricultural market access
NGO	non-governmental organisation
OECD	Organisation of Economic Co-operation and Development
PTA	preferential trade agreement
RTA	regional trade agreement
SDT	special and differential treatments
SPS	sanitary and phytosanitary standards
SVE	small vulnerable economies
TBT	technical barriers to trade
TiSA	Trade in Services Agreement
TPR	trade policy review
UN	United Nations
UNCTAD	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
WTO	World Trade Organization