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ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS

AD Anti-dumping
ANZCERTA The Australia New Zealand Closer Economic Agreement
BIS Bank for International Settlements
BOP Balance of Payment
BSE Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy (Mad cow disease)
CAFTA Central American Free Trade Agreement
CAMAD Common Analytical Market Access Database
CARICOM The Caribbean Community and Common Market
CEO Chief Executive Officer
CEP Centre for Economic Performance
CEPAL Comision Economica para America Latina y el Caribe
CEPII Centre d’Etudes prospectives et d’Informations Internationales
CEPR Center for Economic Policy Research
CGE Computable General Equilibrium
CIA Central Intelligence Agency
CIS Commonwealth of Independent States
CMEA Council of Mutual Economic Assistance
COMPAS Commercial Policy Analysis System
CRS constant returns to scale
CVD Countervailing Duty
EC European Community
EEC European Economic Community
EFTA European Free Trade Area
EU European Union
FAME forecasting analysis and modeling environment
FDI Foreign Direct Investment
FTA Free Trade Agreement
GATS General Agreement on Trade in Services
GATT General Agreement on Tariff and Trade
GDP Gross Domestic Product
GNP Gross National Product
GTAP Global Trade Analysis Project
HS Harmonized system
ICT Information and Communication Technology
IF Integrated Framework
IFPRI International Food Policy Research Institute
IMF International Monetary Fund
INRs initial negotiating rights
IPRs Intellectual Property Rights
IRS increasing returns to scale
ISIC International Standard Industrial Classification
IT Information Technology
ITC International Trade Center
ITC International Trade Commission
ITU International Telecommunication Union
LDCs Least-Developed Countries
MERCOSUR Southern Common Market
NAFTA North American Free Trade Agreement
NAMA Non-agricultural market access
NIEs Newly Industrialized Economies
NTBs Non-tariff barriers
ODCs other duties and charges
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<td>OPEC</td>
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The following symbols are used in this publication:

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- 0 figure is zero or became zero due to rounding
- - not applicable
- $ United States dollars
- € euro
- £ UK pound