

GLOSSARY

A

AGMARKNET	Agricultural Marketing Information Network
APEDA	Agricultural and Processed Food Export Development Authority
APMC	Agricultural Produce Marketing Committee
APMR	Agricultural Produce Marketing Regulation
APWM	Agricultural Produce Wholesale Market

B

BIS	Bureau of Indian Standards
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C

CA	Commission Agent
CACP	Commission for Agricultural Costs and Prices
CCI	Cotton Corporation of India
COSAMB	Council of State Agricultural Marketing Board
CWC	Central Warehousing Corporation

D

DIT	Department of Information Technology
DPC	Departmental Purchase Centre
DMI	Directorate of Marketing and Inspection

F

FA	Forwarding Agent
FCI	Food Corporation of India

G

GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GMM	Gross Marketing Margin

I

IJMA	Indian Jute Manufacturers Association
ISO	International Standard Organisation
IT	Information Technology

J

JCI Jute Corporation of India

M

MART Marketing and Research Team
MIS Market Intervention Scheme
MSP Minimum Support Price
MSR Marketed Surplus Ratio

N

NABARD National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development
NAFED National Agriculture Cooperative Marketing Federation
NBTDTP North Bengal Terai Development Project
NCDC National Cooperative Development Corporation
NIAM National Institute of Agriculture Marketing
NIC National Information Centre
NICNET National Information Centre Network
NGRG National Grid of Rural Godowns

P

PFA Prevention of Food Adulteration

R

RAL Regional Agmark Laboratories
RMC Regulated Market Committee
RO Regional Office

S

SAMB State Agricultural Marketing Board
SC Sub Centre
SFAC Small Farmers Agri-Business Consortium
STC State Trading Corporation
SWC State Warehousing Corporation

T

TE Triennium Ending
TRIFED Tribal Cooperative Marketing Federation

W

WPI Wholesale Price Index