

ABBREVIATIONS

ADB	Asian Development Bank.
ACU	Asian Clearing Union.
AMU	Asian Monetary Unit.
ADP	Annual Development Program (in Bangladesh).
A.D.	anno domini.
B.B.S.	Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics.
BSTC	Bangladesh Standard Trade Classification.
BJMC	Bangladesh Jute Mills Corporation.
BTMC	Bangladesh Textile Mills Corporation.
BSEC	Bangladesh Steel & Engineering Corporation.
BCIC	Bangladesh Chemical Industries Corporation.
BSFIC	Bangladesh Sugar and Food Industries Corporation.
BMEDC	Bangladesh Mineral Exploration and Development Corporation.
BFIDC	Bangladesh Forest Industries Development Corporation.
BSCIC	Bangladesh Small and Cottage Industries Corporation.
CSCD	Committee on Studies for Cooperation in Development in South Asia.
c.i.f.	cost, insurance and freight.
DGCI & S	Director General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics (Govt. of India).
DAC	Development Assistance Committee.
EEC	European Economic Community.

EFTA	European Free Trade Association.
ESCAP	Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific.
f.o.b.	free on board.
FAO	Food and Agricultural Organisation.
GDP	Gross Domestic Product.
GNP	Gross National Product.
GATT	General Agreement on Tariff and Trade.
HYV	High Yield Variety (of seeds).
IMF	International Monetary Fund.
IBRD	International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (World Bank).
IDA	Industrial Development Association.
ICRIER	Indian Council for Research on International Economic Relations.
ILO	International Labour Organisation.
ICSSR	Indian Council of Social Science Research.
IIFT	Indian Institute of Foreign Trade.
MEN	Most Favoured Nation.
n.a.	not available.
n.e.s.	not elsewhere specified.
NAM	Non-Aligned Movement.
NEWO	New Economic World Order.
NIP	New Industrial Policy (in Bangladesh).
OPEC	Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries.
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development.

Rs.	Rupees.
RITC	Revised Indian Trade Classification.
SARC	South Asian Regional Cooperation.
SAARC	South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation.
SITC	Standard International Trade Classification.
SDR	Special Drawing Right.
Tk.	Taka.
TDA	Trade Development Authority (Govt. of India).
UN	United Nations (Organisation).
US	United States (of America).
UNCTAD	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development.
UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund.
UNIDO	United Nations Industrial Development Organisation.
USACDA	United States Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.
U.K.	United Kingdom.
U.S.S.R	Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.
U.A.E.	United Arab Emirits.
U.A.R.	United Arab Republics.
