



ABBREVIATIONS / ACRONYMS

AMPRI	Advanced Material and Processes Research Institute
APCTT	Asian and Pacific Centre for Transfer of Technology
CBDT	Central Board of Direct Taxes
CBRI	Central Building Research Institute
CCMB	Centre for Cellular and Molecular Biology
CDC	Consultancy Development Centre
CDRI	Central Drug Research Institute
CDS/ISIS	Computerized Data Services/Integrated Set of Information Systems
CECRI	Central Electrochemical Research Institute
CEERI	Central Electronics Engineering Research Institute
CFTRI	Central Food Technological Research Institute
CGCRI	Central Glass and Ceramic Research Institute
CII	Confederation of Indian Industry
CIMAP	Central Institute of Medicinal & Aromatic Plants
CIMFR	Central Institute of Mining and Fuel Research
CITT	Centre for International Trade in Technology
CLRI	Central Leather Research Institute
CMERI	Central Mechanical Engineering Research Institute
CRRRI	Central Road Research Institute
CSIO	Central Scientific Instruments Organisation
CSIR	Council of Scientific & Industrial Research
CSMCRI	Central Salt & Marine Chemicals Research Institute
DBT	Department of Bio-Technology
DCPC	Department of Chemicals & Petrochemicals
DCSSI	Development Commissioner, Small Scale Industries
DRDO	Defence Research and Development Organization
DSIR	Department of Scientific & Industrial Research
ESCAP	Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific
EXIM	Export-Import
FC	Foreign Collaborations
FICCI	Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry
GST	Good and Services Tax
ICAR	Indian Council of Agricultural Research
ICAS	Indian Council of Ayurveda & Siddha
ICMR	Indian Council of Medical Research
ICSSR	Indian Council of Social Sciences Research
ICSTI	International Centre for Science & Technology Information
IDAMS	Internationally Developed Data Management System
IGIB	Institute of Genomics & Integrative Biology



IGNOU	Indira Gandhi National Open University
IHBT	Institute of Himalayan Bioresource Technology
IICB	Indian Institute of Chemical Biology
IICT	Indian Institute of Chemical Technology
IIFT	Indian Institute of Foreign Trade
IIIM	Indian Institute of Integrative Medicine
IIP	Indian Institute of Petroleum
IISc	Indian Institute of Science
IIT	Indian Institute of Technology
IITR	Indian Institute of Toxicology Research
IMMT	Institute of Minerals and Materials Technology
IMT	Institute of Microbial Technology
INFLIBNET	Information Library Network
INSA	Indian National Science Academy
IPR	Intellectual Property Rights
ISRO	Indian Space Research Organization
ITPO	India Trade Promotion Organization
LAN	Local Area Network
LCA	Light Combat Aircraft
MDR	Multi Drug Resistance
MIT	Ministry of Information Technology
MoU	Memorandum of Understanding
NACIDS	National Access Centres to International Database Services
NAFEN	National Foundation of Indian Engineers
NAL	National Aerospace Laboratories
NBRI	National Botanical Research Institute
NCAER	National Council of Applied Economic Research
NCL	National Chemical Laboratory
NCSI	National Centre for Science Information
NEERI	National Environmental Engineering Research Institute
NEIST	North-East Institute of Science & Technology
NGRI	National Geophysical Research Institute
NICMAR	National Institute of Construction Management and Research
NID	National Institute of Design
NIDC	National Industrial Development Corporation
NIFT	National Institute of Fashion Technology
NIIST	National Institute for Inter-disciplinary Science and Technology
NIO	National Institute of Oceanography
NISCAIR	National Institute of Science Communication and Information Resources
NISTADS	National Institute of Science Technology and Development Studies
NMCC	National Manufacturing Competitiveness Council



NML	National Metallurgical Laboratory
NPL	National Physical Laboratory
NRDC	National Research Development Corporation
NRFC	National Register of Foreign Collaborations
NSTMIS	National Science and Technology Management Information System
PSE	Public Sector Enterprise
SERC	Structural Engineering Research Centre
SIRO	Scientific and Industrial Research Organization
SME	Small and Medium Enterprise.
TCO	Technical Consultancy Organization
TDB	Technology Development Board
TEDO	Technology Export Development Organization
TePP	Technopreneur Promotion Programme
TIFAC	Technology Information Forecasting and Assessment Council
TM	Technology Management
TQM	Total Quality Management
UGC	University Grants Commission
UNCTAD	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
UNIDO	United Nations Industrial Development Organization
WIPO	World Intellectual Property Organization