
Acronyms

AD	antidumping
AFL-CIO	American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations
AgJOBS	Agricultural Job Opportunity, Benefits, and Security Act
AGOA	African Growth and Opportunity Act
Alianza	Alianza para el Campo
AMS	aggregate measurement of support
ASERCA	Apoyos y Servicios a la Comercialización Agropecuaria
ASF	Auditoría Superior de la Federación
Banamex	Banco Nacional de Mexico
bcf	billion cubic feet
BECA	Border Environmental Cooperation Agreement
BECC	Border Environment Cooperation Commission
BEIF	Border Environment Infrastructure Fund
BIE	Banco de Información Económica database (INEGI)
BLS	Bureau of Labor Statistics
BRRR	Bus Regulatory Reform Act
BTU	British thermal unit
CAFE	corporate average fuel economy
CAFTA	Central American Free Trade Agreement
CAW	Canadian Auto Workers
CBI	Caribbean Basin Initiative
CBM	coalbed methane
CDC	US Centers for Disease Control
CEC	North American Commission for Environmental Cooperation

CET	common external tariff
CFE	Comisión Federal de Electricidad
CIC	Citizenship and Immigration Canada
CIMARIs	Integrated Centers for Handling, Recycling, and Disposal of Hazardous Waste
CITT	Canadian International Trade Tribunal
CLC	Commission on Labor Cooperation
CNOOC	China National Offshore Oil Company
COFIDAN	Corporación Financiera de América del Norte
Conasupo	La Compañía Nacional de Subsistencias Populares
CPS	Current Population Survey
CRE	Comisión Reguladora de Energía
CT	Congreso del Trabajo
CTM	Confederación de Trabajadores Mexicanos
CUSFTA	Canada-US Free Trade Agreement
CWB	Canadian Wheat Board
CVD	countervailing duty
DOC	US Department of Commerce
DOE	US Department of Energy
DOL	US Department of Labor
DOT	US Department of Transportation
DOV	dried on vine
DSB	WTO Dispute Settlement Body
DSU	WTO Dispute Settlement Understanding
ECC	Extraordinary Challenge Committee
ECE	Evaluation Committee of Experts
ECM	Energy Consultative Mechanism
EEP	Export Enhancement Program
EIA	Encuesta Industrial Anual
EIM	Encuesta Industrial Mensual
EIS	environmental impact statement
EKS	environmental Kuznets curve
EPA	US Environmental Protection Agency
ERO	electricity reliability organization
ESI	Environmental Sustainability Index
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization
FDI	foreign direct investment
FERC	Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
FINASA	Financiera Nacional Azucarera SA
FSIR	Fair and Secure Immigration Reform
FSLMRA	Federal Service Labor-Management Relations Act
FTA	free trade agreement
FTAA	Free Trade Area of the Americas
FTC	Free Trade Commission (NAFTA)
GATT	General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade

HFCS	high-fructose corn syrup
HS	Harmonized System
HTS	Harmonized Tariff System
ICSID	International Center for Settlement of Investment Disputes
IDP	NADBank Institutional Development Cooperation Program
ILO	International Labor Organization
IMSS	Instituto Mexicano del Seguro Social
INE	Instituto Nacional de Ecología
INEGI	Instituto Nacional de Estadística, Geografía, e Informática
INET	Indigenous Network of Economies and Trade
INS	Immigration and Naturalization Service
IRCA	Immigration Reform and Control Act
IT	information technology
ITA	US International Trade Administration
ITI	intraindustry trade index
JPAC	Joint Public Advisory Committee
LCE	Ley de Comercio Exterior
LGEEPA	Ley General del Equilibrium Ecológico y la Protección al Ambiente
LIRLF	Low Interest Rate Lending Facility
LNG	liquefied natural gas
MAI	Multilateral Agreement on Investment
MEA	Multilateral Environmental Agreement
Mercosur	Mercado Común del Sur
MFA	Multi-Fiber Arrangement
MFN	most-favored nation
MJDS	Multi-Jurisdictional Disclosure System
MOU	memorandum of understanding
mtrv	metric tons raw value
NAAEC	North American Agreement on Environmental Cooperation
NAALC	North American Agreement on Labor Cooperation
NADBank	North American Development Bank
NAEWG	North American Energy Working Group
NAFTA	North American Free Trade Agreement
NAFTA-TAA	NAFTA Transitional Adjustment Assistance
NAICS	North American Industry Classification System
NAO	national administrative offices
NEP	National Energy Program
NERC	North American Electric Reliability Council
NGO	nongovernmental organization
NLRA	National Labor Relations Act

NLRB	National Labor Relations Board
OECD	Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
OPEC	Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PAFN	Programa Ambiental de la Frontera Norte de Mexico
PAN	Partido Acción Nacional
PCB	polychlorinated biphenyls
Pemex	Petróleos Mexicanos
PITEX	Programa de Importación Temporal para Producir Artículos de Exportación
PRB	Population Reference Bureau
PRD	Partido de la Revolución Democrática
PRI	Partido Revolucionario Institucional
Procampo	Programa de Apoyos Directos para el Campo
Profepa	Procuraduría Federal de Protección al Ambiente
RPS	renewable portfolio standard
RTO	regional transmission organization
SAW	special agricultural worker
SCM	WTO Agreement on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures
SEC	Securities and Exchange Commission
Secofi	Secretaria de Comercio y Fomento Industrial
Sedesol	Direcion de Residuos Solidos Municipales
Semarnat	Secretaría de Medio Ambiente y Recursos Naturales
SIC	Standard Industrial Classification
SIMBAD	Sistema Municipal de Bases de Datos database (INEGI)
SITC	Standard International Trade Classification
SLA	US-Canada Agreement on Trade in Softwood Lumber
SMD	standard market design
SOLVE	Safe, Orderly, Legal Visas and Enforcement Act
SPS	sanitary and phytosanitary
STPS	Secretaria del Trabajo y Prevision Social
SUV	sport utility vehicle
SWEP	Solid Waste Environmental Program
SWL	softwood lumber
TAA	Trade Adjustment Assistance
tcf	trillion cubic feet
Telmex	Telefonos de Mexico
TFP	total factor productivity
TN	temporary visa (NAFTA)
TRIMs	WTO Agreement on Trade-Related Investment Measures
TRQs	tariff rate quotas
UAW	United Auto Workers
UFW	United Farm Workers

UI	unemployment insurance
UNCITRAL	United Nations Commission on International Trade Law
UNICEF	United Nations Children’s Fund
UNT	Unión Nacional Trabajadores
USCIS	US Citizenship and Immigration Services
USITC	US International Trade Commission
USTR	United States Trade Representative
WAFP	Wheat Access Facilitation Program
WHO	World Health Organization
WTO	World Trade Organization

