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## Acronyms

ABAC	APEC Business Advisory Council
ACSI	Australian Coalition of Services Industries
ADB	Asian Development Bank Institute
AFAS	ASEAN Framework on Services
APEC	Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation
ASEAN	Association of Southeast Asian Nations
ASR	Australian Services Roundtable
BMG	Business Mobility Group
BoP	Balance of Payments
CEO	Chief Executive Officer
GATS	General Agreement on Trade in Services
GOS	Group on Services
GVC	Global Value Chain
ISD	Indonesian Services Dialogue
ITC	International Trade Centre
OECD	Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
PECC	Pacific Economic Cooperation Council
SAP	Services Action Plan
SME	Small and Medium-sized Enterprises
STAR	Services Trade Access Requirements
STRI	Services Trade Restrictiveness Index
TiSA	Trade in Services Agreement
TiVA	Trade in Value-Added
TPP	Trans-Pacific Partnership
UN	United Nations
UNCTAD	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
WTO	World Trade Organization

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