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ACRONYMS

AAAS	American Association for the Advancement of Science
AGGRA	Atlantic and Gulf Rapid Reef Assessment
AIMS	Australian Institute of Marine Science
AR4	Fourth Assessment Report (Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change)
BRT	Biological Review Team
CARICOMP	Caribbean Coastal Marine Productivity Program
CBD	Center for Biological Diversity
CCA	Crustose Coralline Algae
CCSM	Community Climate System Model
CDIAC	Carbon Dioxide Information Analysis Center
CITES	Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species
CNMI	Commonwealth of the Northern Marianas Islands
COMBO	Coral Mortality and Bleaching Output (model)
COTS	Crown-of-thorns Seastar
CRED	Coral Reef Ecosystem Division
CREMP	Coral Reef Evaluation and Monitoring Project
CRT	Critical Risk Threshold
DDT	Dichlorodiphenyltrichloroethane
DESA	Department of Economic and Social Affairs (United Nations)
DIC	Dissolved Organic Carbon
DNA	Deoxyribonucleic Acid
ENSO	El Niño Southern Oscillation
ESD	Endangered Species Division
FKNMS	Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary
FR	Federal Register
GBR	Great Barrier Reef
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GIS	Geographic Information System
GLODAP	Global Ocean Data Analysis Project
HI	Hawai`i
IPAT	Impact=Population+Affluence+Technology (model)
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
ISA	Individual Species Account
ITS	Internal Transcribed Spacer
IUCN	International Union for Conservation of Nature
JIMAR	Joint Institute for Marine and Atmospheric Research
LBSP	Land-Based Sources of Pollution
NCAR	National Center for Atmospheric Research
NCCOS	National Centers for Coastal Ocean Science
NMFS	National Marine Fisheries Service
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NOS	National Ocean Service
NPS	National Park Service
NTU	Nephelometric Turbidity Units
NWFSC	Northwest Fisheries Science Center
OA	Ocean Acidification
OGC	Office of General Counsel
PDF	Portable Document Format
PIFSC	Pacific Islands Fisheries Science Center
PIRO	Pacific Islands Regional Office
RCUH	Research Corporation of the University of Hawai`i
RRR	Reefs at Risk Revisited
RSMAS	Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Sciences
SD	Standard Deviation

SE	Standard Error
SEFSC	Southeast Fisheries Science Center
SERO	Southeast Regional Office
SRES	Special Report on Emissions Scenarios
SST	Sea Surface Temperature
UK	United Kingdom
UN	United Nations
UNEP	United Nations Environment Programme
UNESCO	United Nations Educational Scientific and Cultural Organization
USA	United States of America
USFWS	United States Fish and Wildlife Service
USGS	United States Geological Service
USVI	United States Virgin Islands
UV	Ultraviolet
WDCGG	World Data Centre for Greenhouse Gases