

Acronyms and Abbreviations

AAA	Analytical and advisory activity	IBRD	International Bank for Reconstruction and Development
AFR	Africa Region	IDA	International Development Association
ASTAE	Asia Alternative Energy Program	IEA	International Energy Agency
BEL	Bujagali Energy Ltd.	IFC	International Finance Corporation
BOOT	Build-Own-Operate-Transfer	IPO	Initial public offering
CEIF	Clean Energy Investment Framework	IPP	Independent power producer
CEPALCO	Cagayan Electric Power and Light Company	IREDA	India Renewable Energy Development Agency
CFB-IBRD	The World Bank's Carbon Finance Business	IRIN	Integrated Regional Information Networks (IRIN), U.N. Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs
CFU	Carbon Finance Unit	IUCN	World Conservation Union
CG	Competitive Grant (Facility)	LCR	Latin America and Caribbean Region
CHEEF	China Energy Efficiency Financing Project	LED	Light-emitting diode
CNG	Compressed natural gas	LLC	Limited liability corporation
CRESP	China Renewable Energy Scale-Up Program	MBIL	Moser Baer India Ltd.
DVD	Digital video disc	MIGA	Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency
EAP	East Asia and Pacific Region	MNA	Middle East and North Africa Region
ECA	Europe and Central Asia Region	NGO	Nongovernmental organization
EE	Energy efficiency	NOZ-PV	Netherlands Research Program PV
EEfSD	Energy Efficiency Action Plan for Sustainable Development	OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
EETG	Energy Efficiency Thematic Group	PNOC-EDC	Philippines National Oil Company's Energy Development Corporation
EIA	Environmental Impact Assessment	PV	Photovoltaic(s)
ESCO	Energy service company	PVMTI	Photovoltaic Market Transformation Initiative
ESMAP	Energy Sector Management Assistance Program		
FI	Financial institution		
FINESSE	Financing Energy Services for Small-Scale Energy Users		
FYR	Former Yugoslav Republic		
GDP	Gross domestic product		
GEF	Global Environment Facility		

QR	Quick Response (Facility)	UNEP	United Nations Environment Programme
RE	Renewable energy	UNF	United Nations Foundation
REDP	Renewable Energy Development Project (China)	VCD	Video compact disc
RETG	Renewable Energy Thematic Group	WBG	World Bank Group
SAR	South Asia Region	Y	Yuan (currency of China)
SDG	Solar Development Group	Units of Measure	
SHP	Small hydropower	GWh	Gigawatt-hour
SHS	Solar home system	km	Kilometer
SME	Small and medium enterprise	kWp	Kilowatt-peak
SSMP	Sustainable Solar Market Package	MW	Megawatt
UETCL	Uganda Electricity Transmission Company Limited	Wp	Watts-peak