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**Abbreviations**

BIPM  International Bureau of Weights and Measures
CEO  chief executive officer
CGPM  General Conference on Weights and Measures
CIPM  International Committee for Weights and Measures
CMCs  calibration and measurement capabilities
DI  designated institute
EU  European Union
FSC  Forest Stewardship Council
GSP  good standardization practice
HACCP  hazard analysis and critical control points
IAF  International Accreditation Forum
IEC  International Electrotechnical Commission
IECEE  IEC System of Conformity Assessment Schemes for Electrotechnical Equipment and Components
IECEX  IEC System for Certification to Standards Relating to Equipment for Use in Explosive Atmospheres
ILAC  International Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation
ISO  International Organization for Standardization
IT  information technology
MRA  Mutual Recognition Arrangement (CIPM or IAF)
MSC  Marine Stewardship Council
NAB  national accreditation body
NMI  national metrology institute
NQP  national quality policy
NSB  national standards body
OIML  International Organization of Legal Metrology
QI  quality infrastructure
RAB  regional accreditation body
RIA  regulatory impact assessment
RLM0  regional legal metrology organization
RMO  regional metrology organization
SDO  standards development organization
SI  International System of Units
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<td>TBT</td>
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