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Acronyms

AFTA – Asean Free Trade Area

ASEAN – Association of Southeast Asian Nations

AU – African Union

CAP – Common Agricultural Policy

CUTS – Centre for International Trade, India

DFA – Department of Foreign Affairs

DTI – Department of Trade and Industry

ECOWAS – Economic Community of West African States

EU – European Union

FDI – Foreign Direct Investment

FLASCO – Latin American Faculty of Social Sciences

G-20 – The Group of 20 developing nations

G-3 – The Group of 3 (also referred to as IBSA)

G-77 and China – The Group of 77 developing nations

GA – General Assembly

GATT – General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade

GDP – Gross Domestic Product

GNP – Gross National Product

GSP – Generalised system of preferences

IBSA – The India, Brazil and South Africa Dialogue Forum

ICONE – Institute for International Trade Negotiations, Brazil

IGD – Institute of Global Dialogue

IFI – International foreign investors

IMF – International Monetary Fund

IO – International Organisation

IPE – International Political Economy

ISI – Import Substituting Industrialisation

LDC – Less Developed Countries

MERCOSUR – Common Market of the South

MFN – Most favoured nation

MNC – Multinational Corporation

NAM – Non-Aligned Movement

NEPAD – The New Partnership for Africa's Development

NIC – Newly industrialised countries

NIE – Newly industrialised economies

NIEO – The New International Economic Order

OAU – Organisation of African Unions

OPEC – Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries

SA – South Africa

SACU – South African Customs Union

SADC – South African Development Community

SAIIA – The South African Institute of International Affairs

SAP – Structural Adjustment Programme

TIPS – Trade and Industrial Policy Strategies

TNC – Transnational Corporation

UNCTAD – The United Nations Conference for Trade and Development

UNDP – United Nations Development Programme

UNIDO – United Nations Industrial Development Organisations

UNSC – United Nations Security Council

US – United States of America

WB – World Bank

WTO – World Trade Organisation