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## Abbreviations

ANZUS	Australia, New Zealand and United States security treaty
ASEAN	Association of South East Asian Nations
DCLU	Developing Countries Liaison Unit
DWFN	Distant Water Fishing Nations
EEC	European Economic Community
EEZ	Exclusive Economic Zones
FFA	Forum Fisheries Agency
FIC	Forum Island Countries (excluding Australia and New Zealand)
FSM	Federated States of Micronesia
GSP	Generalised System of Preferences
LOS	Law of the Sea
MFA	Ministry of Foreign Affairs
PFL	Pacific Forum Line
PNG	Papua New Guinea
PIIDS	Pacific Islands Industrial Development Scheme
SPARTECA	South Pacific Regional Trade and Economic Cooperation Agreement
SPC	South Pacific Commission
SPEC	South Pacific Bureau for Economic Cooperation
SPF	South Pacific Forum
SPNFZ	South Pacific Nuclear Free Zone
SPNWFZ	South Pacific Nuclear-Weapons Free Zone
SRO	Single Regional Organisation
UN	United Nations