
Acronyms and Abbreviations

CDM	Clean Development Mechanism Kyoto Protocol
CMR	carbon management response
COP	Conference of the Parties
CTIC	Conservation Technology Information Center
ED	Ecosystem Demography
EPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
FACTS	Forest-Atmosphere Carbon Transfer and Storage
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
FIA	Forest Inventory and Analysis (U.S. Forest Service)
GPP	gross primary production
Gt	gigaton
ha	hectare
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
LULUCF	land use, land use change, and forestry
Mg	megagram
Mt	megatons
NASA	National Aeronautics and Space Administration
NEE	net ecosystem exchange
NEP	net ecosystem production

NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NPP	net primary production
NRI	National Resource Inventory
Pg	petagram
ppm	parts per million
SBSTA	Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technical Advice
Tg	teragram
UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
USDA	U.S. Department of Agriculture
USGS	U.S. Geological Survey
yr	year