

**List of abbreviation used**

<b>Abbreviation</b>	<b>Full Form</b>
AAY	Antyodaya Anna Yojana
AMQC	Assistant Manager – Quality Control
APEDA	Agricultural & Processed Food Products Export Development Authority
APL	Above Poverty Line
APSWC	Andhra Pradesh State Warehousing Corporation
BPL	Below Poverty Line
CACP	Commission for Agricultural Costs and Prices
CAP	Cover and Plinth
CCP	Cabinet Committee on Prices
CGSCSC	Chhattisgarh State Civil Supply Corporation
CIP	Central Issue Price
CMCs	Custody & Maintenance Charges
CMS	Custom Milled Rice
CO	Circle Office
CWC	Central Warehousing Corporation
DCP	Decentralized Procurement Scheme
DCS	Director of Civil Supply
DFSCs	District Food & Supplies Controllers
DCSO	District Civil Supply Offices
DMO	District Marketing Officers
DMQC	District Managers – Quality Control
DRDA	District Rural Development Agency
DSOs	District Supply Officers
ECSC	Essential Commodities Supply Corporation
FAQ	Fair Average Quality
FCI	Food Corporation of India
FFW	Food for Work
FG	Food Godowns
FPSFIFO	Fair Price Shops First in First Out
FPS	Fair Price Shops
FSSM	Food Security, Subsidy and Management
Government of India	Government of India
GP	Gram Panchayats
HLC	High Level Committee of FCI
HTS	Hill Transport Subsidy
IISFM	Integrated Information System for Foodgrains Management
ISs	Inspection Squads
IT&C	Information Technology and Communications
KAs	Katcha Arhatias
KMS	Kharriff Marketing Season
Lmts	Lakh Metric Tonnes
MARKFED	Marketing Federation
Ministry	Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution, Department of Food & Public Distribution

MIS	Management Information System
MMTC	Mines & Mineral Trading Corporation
MORD	Ministry of Rural Development
MPRs	Monthly Progress Reports
MSP	Minimum Support Price
MT	Metric Tonnes
NAFED	National Agricultural Cooperative Marketing Federation of India
NCAER	National Council of Applied Economic Research
NEHU	North-Eastern Hill University
NGOs	Non-Government Organizations
NIC	National Informatics Centre
NSSO	National Sample Survey Organization
OMSS (D)	Open Market Sale Scheme (Domestic)
OMSS (E)	Open Market Sale Scheme (Export)
OTA	Over Time Allowance
PDCs	Principal Distribution Centres
PDS	Public Distribution System
PEC	Projects.Equipment.Commodities
PEO	Programme Evaluation Organisation
PIIs	Procurement Incidentals
PRIs	Panchayati Raj Institutions
PSUs	Public Sector Undertakings
RD Cess	Rural Development Cess
RMS	Rabi Marketing Season
SDCs	Sub-Distribution Centres
SFC	State Food Corporation
SGRY	Sampoorna Gramin Rojgar Yojana
SGSY	Swarnajayantiavranjanti Gramin Savrojgar Yojana
SHGs	Self Help Groups
SRM	Senior Regional Managers
SRSWR	Simple Random Sampling without Replacement
States/UTs	State Governments/Union Territory Administration
STC	State Trading Corporation
SWC	State Warehousing Corporation
SYGS	Seven Year Guarantee Scheme
TAs	Technical Assistants
TPDS	Targeted Public Distribution System
UCs	Utilisation Certificates
VC	Vigilance Committee