

# LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

ADCP	Acoustic Doppler current profiler
AHI	Acoustic Habitat Investigator
ARMS	Autonomous reef monitoring structures
ASCII	American Standard Code for Information Interchange
AD	Anno Domini
AVHRR	Advanced very high-resolution radiometer
BLE	Bleaching
BLT	Belt transect
BP	Before Present
BPI	Bathymetric position index
BSP	Bureau of Statistics and Plans
CCMA	Coastal Monitoring and Assessment
CEDS	Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy
Chl-a	Chlorophyll-a
CNMI	Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands
COTS	Crown-of-thorns seastars
CRCA	Coral Reef Conservation Act of 2000
CRCP	Coral Reef Conservation Program
CRED	Coral Reef Ecosystem Division
CREIOS	Coral Reef Ecosystem Integrated Observing System
CREWS	Coral Reef Early Warning System
CRM	Coastal Resources Management
CRTF	U.S. Coral Reef Task Force
CRW	Coral Reef Watch
CTD	Conductivity, temperature, and depth
CUC	Commonwealth Utilities Corp.
DAWR	Division of Aquatic and Wildlife Resources
DEQ	Division of Environmental Quality
DFW	Division of Fish and Wildlife
DIC	Dissolved inorganic carbon
DTC	Data transaction center
DOI	U.S. Department of the Interior
EAR	Ecological acoustic recorder
EEZ	Exclusive economic zone
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
ESRI	Environmental Systems Research Institute Inc.
FLNTU	Combined fluorescence and turbidity sensor
FUN	Fungal infection
GAO	U.S. Government Accountability Office
GEPA	Guam Environmental Protection Agency
GIS	Geographic Information System
GPS	Global positioning system
GSF	Generic sensor format
GWQS	Guam water-quality standards
H <sub>2</sub>	Significant wave height
LAS	Local action strategy
LPI	Line-point intercept
MARAMP	Mariana Archipelago Reef Assessment and Monitoring Program
MCE	Mesophotic coral ecosystems
MMT	Marine Monitoring Team
MNM	Marine National Monument
MPA	Marine protected area
MSC	Military Sealift Command

NASA	National Aeronautics and Space Administration
NAVFAC	Naval Facilities Engineering Command
NAVOCEANO	Naval Oceanographic Office
NESDIS	National Environmental Satellite, Data, and Information Service
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NODC	National Oceanographic Data Center
NPS	National Park Service
OCS	Office of Coast Survey
ODP	Ocean data platform
OTH	Algal and cyanophyte infections and other lesions of unknown etiology
OTR	Ocean Trek Research
PCB	Polychlorinated biphenyls
PFM	Pure File Magic
PIBHMC	Pacific Islands Benthic Habitat Mapping Center
PIFSC	Pacific Islands Fisheries Science Center
PQS	Photoquadrat
PRE	Predation by COTS or corallivorous snails
PRS	Pigmentation response
QS	Quadrat
RAMP	Reef Assessment and Monitoring Program
RD	Roving diver
REA	Rapid Ecological Assessment
RMS	Root mean square
ROV	Remotely Operated Vehicle
SABER	Survey analysis and area-based editor
SAIC	Science Applications International Corporation
SBE	Sea-Bird Electronics Inc.
SD	Standard deviation
SE	Standard error of the mean
SGA	Skeletal growth anomalies
SHOALS	Scanning hydrographic operational airborne lidar survey
SPC	Secretariat of the Pacific Community
SPL	Sound pressure level
SST	Sea-surface temperature
STR	Subsurface temperature recorder
TL	Total length
TLS	Subacute tissue loss
TOAD	Towed optical assessment device
TTPI	Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands
TN	Total nitrogen
UG	University of Guam
U.S.	United States
USNS	United States Naval Ship
UV	Ultraviolet
VS	Voucher specimen
WPacFIN	Western Pacific Fisheries Information Network
WPFMC	Western Pacific Fishery Management Council
WSY	White syndrome
WTR	Wave-and-tide recorder
WWI	World War I
WWII	World War II

## Three-letter island codes:

AGR	Agrihan
AGU	Aguijan
ALA	Alamagan
ANA	Anatahan
ARA	Arakane Reef
ASC	Asuncion
FDP	Farallon de Pajaros
GUA	Guam
GUG	Guguan
MAU	Maug
MAU	Maug
PAG	Pagan
PAT	Pathfinder Reef
ROT	Rotan
SAI	Saipan
SAR	Sarigan
SRR	Santa Rosa Reef
STI	Stingray Shoal
SUP	Supply Reef
TAT	Tatsumi Reef
TIN	Tinian
ZEA	Zealandia Bank

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