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CGWB	Central Groundwater Board
CGWA	Central Groundwater Authority
MoWR	Ministry of Water Resource
GoI	Government of India
NCIWRD	Commission on Integrated Water Resources Development
NGO	Non Government Organization
APFAMGS	Andhra Pradesh Farmer Managed Groundwater Systems
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
UN	United Nations
IWMI	International Water Management Institute
NWP	National Water Policy
EPA	Environmental (Protection) Act
WQRC	Water Quality Review Committees
CRZ	Coastal Regulation Zone

SGWA	State Ground Water Authority
CWC	Central Water Commission
NEX	Nationally Executed
BIRDS	Bharathi Integrated Rural Development Society
FWS	Farmer Water School
FFS	Farmer Field Schools
NFE	Non Formal Education
PHM	Participatory Hydrological Monitoring
GMC	Groundwater Management Committee
HUN	Hydrologic Unit Network
HMN	Hydrological Monitoring Network
EGS	Employment Guarantee Scheme
AGY	Adarsh Gaon Yojana
BPL	Below Poverty Line
NREGA	National Rural Employment Guarantee Act
APWALTA	Andhra Pradesh Water Land and Trees Act
RWA	Resident Welfare Associations
BCM	Billion Cubic Metre