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Abbreviations

AC	Alpine Convention
ADTV	Average Daily Traffic Volumes
AMS	Arbeitsmarktservice Österreich
AMSL	Above Mean Sea Level
AOT	Accumulated Exposure Over a Threshold
APAT	L'Agenzia per la protezione dell'ambiente e per i servizi tecnici (Italian Agency for Environmental Protection and Technical Services)
ARE	Bundesamt für Raumentwicklung (Swiss Federal Office for Spatial Development)
ASFINAG	Autobahnen- und Schnellstrassenfinanzierungsaktiengesellschaft [Interstate and Highway Financing Inc. (AT)]
AT	Austria
AVW	Amt für Volkswirtschaft, Liechtenstein
AWNL	Amt für Wald, Natur und Landschaft, Liechtenstein
BAG	Bundesamt für Güterverkehr in Deutschland
BEV	Bundesamt für Eich- und Vermessungswesen in Österreich (Austrian Federal Office for Calibration and Measurement)
BFS	Bundesamt für Statistik in der Schweiz (Swiss Federal Statistical Office)
BGA	Bundesverband des Deutschen Groß- und Außenhandels (German Federal Office for Goods Transport)
BLS	Berner Alpenbahngesellschaft Bern–Lötschberg–Simplon (Bernese Alpine Rail Company)
BMVIT	Bundesministerium für Verkehr, Innovation und Technologie, Austria
BRAVO	Brenner Rail Freight Action Strategy Aimed at Achieving a Sustainable Increase of Intermodal Transport Volume by Enhancing Quality, Efficiency and System Technologies
BBT SE	Brenner Basistunnel Societas Europaea (European Corporation Brenner Base Tunnel)
CAFT	Cross-Alpine Freight Traffic
cfr.	Cross-reference
CH	Switzerland
CHF	Swiss Francs (Conversion rate as of 1 July 2006: 1 CHF = 0.63849 EUR)
CIG	Commission Inter-Gouvernementale (Intergovernmental Commission)
cp.	Compare
CSST	Centro Studi sui Sistemi di Trasporto (Italian Center for the Study of Transport Systems)
DB	Deutsche Bahn AG (German Federal Railway)
DE	Germany
DETEC	Swiss Federal Department of Environment, Transport, Energy and Communications
DG TREN	European Commission's Directorate-General for Energy and Transport
EC	European Community
ETCS	European Train Control System
EEA	European Environmental Agency
EEC	European Economic Community
ESPON	European Spatial Planning and Observation Network
EU	European Union
EU-15	15 EU Member Countries following the accession of Austria, Finland and Sweden in 1995
EU-25	25 EU Member Countries after the eastward enlargement on 1 May 2004
EUR	Euro
EUROSTAT	Statistical Office of the European Communities
ETA	Estimated Time of Arrival
ETCS	European Train Control System
FR	France
FSO	Swiss Federal Statistical Office, Switzerland
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GHG	Green House Gases
GIS	Geographical Information System
GPS	Global Positioning System
HDV	Heavy Duty Vehicle
ICT	Information and Communications Technology
IFEN	Institut Francais de l'Environnement (Environmental Institute of France)
INEA	Istituto Nazionale di Economia Agraria (Italian National Institute for Agricultural Economics)

INSEE	Institut National de la Statistique et des Études Économiques (National Institute for Statistics and Economic Studies, France)
IQ-C	International Group for Improving the Quality of Rail Freight Traffic on the North-South-Corridor
ISTAT	Istituto nazionale di statistica (Italian National Institute of Statistics)
IT	Italy
LAU	Local Administrative Unit
LDV	Light Duty Vehicles
LfStaD	Bayerisches Landesamt für Statistik und Datenverarbeitung (Bavarian State Office for Statistics and Data Processing)
LI	Liechtenstein
LLV	Liechtensteinische Landesverwaltung
LSVA	Leistungsabhängige Schwerverkehrsabgabe (Swiss Mileage Related Heavy Vehicle Tax)
LTF	Lyon Turin Ferroviaire
LUCAS	Land use and cover area statistical survey; introduced by EUROSTAT in 2000.
MC	Monaco
MRHVT	Mileage Related Heavy Vehicle Tax
MoT	Margin of Tolerance
NEAT	Neue Eisenbahn-Alpentransversalen (Swiss New Rail Link Through the Alps)
Nox	Nitrogen oxide
NRLA	Swiss New Rail Link Through the Alps (NEAT)
NUTS	Nomenclature of Territorial Units for Statistics
ÖBB	Österreichische Bundesbahnen (Austrian Federal Railway)
OD	Origin-Destination
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
p.a.	Per anno (per year)
Pkm	Person kilometres
PC	Passenger car
PM10	Particulate Matter < 10 µm
ppb	parts per billion
PPP	Public-Private-Partnership
PSA	Permanent Settlement Area
RCA	Rail Cargo Austria
RFF	Réseau Ferré de France (French Federal Railway)
RFI	Rete Ferroviaria Italia (Italian Federal Railway)
SABE	Seamless Administrative Boundaries of Europe
SCEES	Service Central des Enquêtes et Études Statistiques, Ministère de l'Agriculture
SI	Slovenia
SME	Small and Medium Sized Enterprises
SNCF	Société Nationale des Chemins de fer Français (French National Railway Company)
SOIA	System for the Observation of and Information on the Alps
TEN	Trans-European Networks
THEPEP	Transport, Health and Environment Pan-European Programme
TIPP	Taxe intérieure sur les produits pétroliers
Tkm	Tonnes kilometres
UBA Wien	Umweltbundesamt, Austria
UBA Berlin	Umweltbundesamt, Germany
UN-ECE	United Nations Economic Commission for Europe
VOC	Volatile Organic Compounds
WG EOI	Working Group on Environmental Objectives and Indicators
WG T	Working Group on Transport
WHO	World Health Organisation