

Abbreviations and acronyms

AEOI	Automatic exchange of information
AI	Invalidity insurance
ALM	Asset and liability management
ANQ	Association nationale pour le développement de la qualité dans les hôpitaux et les cliniques
ARE	Federal office for spatial development
AVS	Assurance vieillesse et survivants
BEPS	Base erosion and profit shifting
BFS	Bureau of federal statistics
BIS	Bank for international settlement
BSV	Federal social insurance office
CAO	Capital adequacy ordinance
CCB	Counter-cyclical buffer
CDIP	Conférence suisse des directeurs de l'instruction publique
CGSO	Conférence des gouvernements de Suisse occidentale
CGTs	Capital gains taxes
CoCos	Contingent convertibles
CPI	Consumer price index
CSRE	Centre suisse de coordination pour la recherche en éducation
DEA	Data envelopment analysis
DRG	Diagnostic-related group
EAER	Federal department of economic affairs, education and research
EFTA	European free trade association
EOI	Exchange of information
ETH Zürich	Eidgenössische technische hochschule zürich
FATF	Financial action task force
FDf	Federal department of finance
FEDRO	Federal roads office
FFA	Federal finance administration
FINMA	Financial market supervisory authority
FIT	Feed-in tariffs
FOAG	Federal office for agriculture
FOEN	Federal office for the environment
FOPH	Federal office of public health
FSI	Financial soundness indicators
FSO	Federal statistical office
FTA	Foreign trade association
GDP	Gross domestic product
GHG	Greenhouse gas

GNI	Gross national income
HAI	Housing affordability index
IRU	International Raiffeisen union
ITS-CH	Intelligent transport system – Switzerland
KOF	Business cycle research centre of EPF Zürich
LAMal	Loi fédérale sur l’assurance-maladie
LTV	Loan-to-value
MCAA	Multilateral competent authority agreement
NZZ	Neue zürcher zeitung
PET	Professional education and training
PISA	Programme for international student assessment
PPP	Purchasing power parity
PPPs	Public-private partnerships
PSEs	Producer support estimates
SAAS	Swiss academy of arts and sciences
SAMS	Swiss academy of medical sciences
SBA	Swiss bankers association
SBB	Schweizerische bundesbahnen
SECO	State secretariat for economic affairs
SFBC	Swiss federal banking commission
SFOE	Swiss federal office of energy
SFOH	Swiss federal office of health
SILC	Statistics on income and living conditions
SNB	Swiss national bank
STEM	Science, technology, engineering and mathematics
STRI	Services trade restrictiveness index
TBTF	Too-big-to-fail
TSE	Total support estimate
UAS	Universities of applied sciences
VET	Vocational education and training
WHO	World health organization
WTO	World trade organisation



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