

Abbreviations and Acronyms

AC	Air Conditioning
BLS	Bureau of Labor Statistics
CDM	Clean Development Mechanism
CEMS	Continuous Emission Monitoring System
CH ₄	Methane
CER	Certified Emission Reduction
CCAR	California Climate Action Registry
CCX	Chicago Climate Exchange
CO ₂	Carbon Dioxide
CO ₂ -eq	Carbon Dioxide Equivalent
EF	Emission Factor
EHS	Environmental Health and Safety
EPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
EPER	European Pollutant Emission Register
EU ETS	European Union Emissions Allowance Trading Scheme
GHG	Greenhouse Gas
GAAP	Generally Accepted Accounting Principles
GWP	Global Warming Potential
HFCs	Hydrofluorocarbons
IMP	Inventory Management Plan
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
IPIECA	International Petroleum Industry Environmental Conservation Association
IPM	Integrated Planning Model
ISO	International Standards Organization
JI	Joint Implementation
KPI	Key Performance Indicator
MWh	Megawatt-hour
N ₂ O	Nitrous Oxide
NEMS	National Energy Modeling System
NGO	Non-Governmental Organization
NO _x	Nitrous Oxides
PFCs	Perfluorocarbons
QA/QC	Quality Assurance/Quality Control
SF ₆	Sulfur Hexafluoride
T&D	Transmission and Distribution
UKETS	United Kingdom Emission Trading Scheme
UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
WBCSD	World Business Council for Sustainable Development
WRI	World Resources Institute