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Acronyms

ANOVA	Analysis of variance
APHLIS	African Post-Harvest Loss Information System
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
g	gram
GRBD	Generalized Randomized Block Design
GSARS	Global Strategy to improve Agricultural and Rural Statistics
ha	hectare
HPHL	Harvest and Post-Harvest Loss
IRRI	International Rice Research Institute
kg	kilogram
LSD	least significant difference
OLS	Ordinary Least Squares
PHFLA	Post-Harvest Food Loss Assessment
PHL	Post-Harvest Loss
PSU	Primary Sampling Unit
RCBD	Randomized Complete Block Design
SDG	Sustainable Development Goal
SSU	Secondary Sampling Unit
TGM	Thousand Grain Mass method
TSU	Tertiary (or Final) Sampling Unit
UNDP	United Nations Development Program
UNID	United Nations Industrial Development Organization
VC	Value Chain
WLS	Weighted Least Squares

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