

Abbreviations and acronyms

ADB	Asian Development Bank
ADP	Annual development programme (or plan) grants
BMDF	Bangladesh Municipal Development Fund
BOO	Build, own and operate
BOOT	Build, own, operate and transfer
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CEPA	Cambridge Economic Policy Associates
CDGK	City District Government of Karachi
CDIA	Cities Development Initiative for Asia
DAWASA	Dar es Salaam Water and Sewerage Authority
DAWASCO	Dar es Salaam Water and Sewerage Corporation
DBSA	Development Bank of Southern Africa
DCA	(USAID) Development Credit Authority
DCC	Dhaka City Corporation
DSM CC	Dar es Salaam City Council
FDU	Paraná State Urban Development Fund (Brazil)
GDP	Gross domestic product
GIS	Geographic Information System
GO	General obligation (bond)
IADB	Inter American Development Bank
IDFC	Infrastructure Development Finance Company (India)
IFC	International Finance Corporation (of the World Bank)
INCA	Infrastructure Finance Corporation Limited (South Africa)
KCC	Kampala City Council

KWSB	Karachi Water & Sewerage Board
LDIFs	Local Development Investment Funds (Vietnam)
LGAs	Local government authorities
LGLB	Local Government Loans Board (Tanzania)
LGO	Local Government Ordinance (Pakistan)
LGUs	Local government units
LGUGC	Local Government Unit Guarantee Corporation (Philippines)
MDF	Municipal development fund
MLGRDC	Ministry of Local Government, Rural Development and Co-operatives (Bangladesh)
O&M	Operation and maintenance
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OZT	Octroi and zila tax
PFC	Provincial Finance Commission (Pakistan)
PFI	Private financing initiative (UK)
PPP	Public-private partnership
PSP	Private sector participation
SADC	Southern Africa Development Community
TNUDF	Tamil Nadu Urban Development Fund
ULBs	Urban local bodies
USAID	US Agency for International Development
WASA	Water and Sanitation Authority
WPA	Water project account (India)
WSPF	Water and Sanitation Pooled Fund (India)

Currency equivalents

Exchange rate as of 15 September 2007, when the publication was drafted:

Bangladesh taka (BDT or Tk), US\$1 = Tk69.9

Indian rupee (INR or Rs), US\$1 = Rs40.46

Pakistan rupee (PKR or PRs), US\$1 = PRs60.58

South African rand (ZAR or R), US\$1 = R7.18

Tanzanian shilling (TZS or TSh), US\$1 = TSh1,275

Ugandan shilling (UGS pr USh), US\$1 = USh1,726

