List of Abbreviations, Terms, and Symbols

abbr.—abbreviation
addr.—form of address
adj.—adjective
adv.—adverb
archi.—architecture
agri.—agriculture
anat.—anatomy
astron.—astronomy
attr.—attributive
aux.—auxiliary
av.—aviation
bot.—botany
Budd.—Buddhist
(C)CP—(Chinese) Communist Party
Ch. med.—Chinese medicine
chem.—chemistry
coll.—colloquial
comp.—computer/computing
conj.—conjunction
const.—construction(s)
court.—courteous/polite
ct. w.—counting word
derog.—derogatory
dial.—dialectical (non-Mandarin)
dipl.—diplomacy
econ.—economics
electr.—electrical
fig.—figuratively
finan.—financial
gov’t.—government
gram.—grammatical
hon.—honorific
humb.—humbly
imper.—imperative
interj.—interjection
interr.—interrogatory
Jap.—Japanese
ling.—linguistics
lit.—literally
liter.—literature
loan w.—loan word
m.—meter
M.—measure (counting) word
mach.—machinery
med.—medicine
meteor.—meteorology
mil.—military
min.—mining
mus.—music
n. suf.—noun suffix
naut.—nautical
neg.—negation
no.—number
obj.—object
onom.—onomatopoeia
part.—particle
passive v.—passive voice
philos.—philosophy
phonet.—phonetic
photo.—photography
phys.—physics
physiol.—physiology
pl.—plural
pol.—politics
postp.—postposition
PRC—People’s Republic of China
pref.—prefix
prep.—preposition
print.—printing
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