

List of Abbreviations

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| CO ₂ | Carbon dioxide |
| K/Pg | Cretaceous-Paleogene |
| PETM | Paleocene Eocene Thermal Maximum |
| GoK | Gulf of Kachchh |
| m | Meters |
| km | Kilo meters |
| Sq. Km. | Square kilometer |
| SPOT | Satellite Pour l'Observation de la Terre |
| OC | Ocean Color |
| OCRS | Ocean Color Remote Sensing |
| SST | Sea Surface Temperature |
| NOAA | National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's |
| AVHRR | Advanced Very High Resolution Radiometers |
| CRW | Coral Reef Watch programme |
| DSS | Decision Support System |
| MMM | Maximum monthly mean |
| DHW | Degree Heating Weeks |
| MODIS | Moderate Resolution Imaging Spectroradiometer |
| SSS | Sea Surface Salinity |
| PSU | Practical Salinity Units |
| PPT | Parts Per Thousand |
| SMOS | Soil Moisture and Ocean Salinity |
| SMAP | Soil Moisture Active-Passive |
| CDOM | Colored Dissolved Organic Matter |
| OLI | Operational Land Imager |
| TM | Thematic Mapper |
| MODIS | Moderate Resolution Imaging Spectroradiometer |
| Z% | Photic depth |

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| Z _{SD} | Secchi depth |
| Kd | Attenuation coefficient |
| nm | nanometer |
| MSI | Multi Spectral Instrument |
| PAR | Photosynthetically active radiation |
| NDVI | Normalized Difference Vegetative Index |
| IDW | Inverse Distance Weighted |
| SSTs | Sea Surface Temperatures |
| CW | CoralWatch |
| CWHS | CoralWatch Health Score |
| DO | Dissolved Oxygen |
| NTU | Nephelometric Turbidity unit |
| BT | Bleaching Threshold |
| PA | Positive Anomaly |
| DHW | Degree Heating Weeks |
| MNP-S | National Marine Park and Sanctuary |
| GIS | Geographic information systems |
| PAR | Photosynthetically active radiation |