

ACRONYMS

ABS	Australia Bureau of Statistics	SEB	Société d'Emboutissage de Bourgogne
BEA	Bureau of Economic Analysis	SEC	Securities and Exchange Commission
BoP	Balance of Payments	SIPO	State Intellectual Property Office of the People's Republic of China
BvD	Bureau van Dijk	SME	Small and Medium-Sized Enterprise
CANSIM	Canadian Socioeconomic Information Management System	SSNIP	Small but Significant Non-Transitory Increase in Price
ccTLDs	Country Code Top-Level Domains	TRIPS	Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights
CTM	Community Trade Mark	UDRP	Uniform Domain Name Dispute Resolution Policy
DOJ	Department of Justice	UK	United Kingdom
EBOPS	Extended Balance of Payments Services	UKIPO	United Kingdom Intellectual Property Office
EC	European Commission	UPP	Upward Pricing Pressure
EMA	European Medicines Agency	US	United States
EPO	European Patent Office	USD	United States Dollar
EFF	European Franchise Federation	USPTO	United States Patent and Trademark Office
EU	European Union	WIPO	World Intellectual Property Organization
FTC	Federal Trade Commission	WTO	World Trade Organization
GDP	Gross Domestic Product		
GI	Geographical Indication		
gTLDs	Generic Top-Level Domains		
ICANN	Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers		
INPI	Instituto Nacional da Propriedade Industrial		
IP	Intellectual Property		
JPO	Japanese Patent Office		
LIMA	International Licensing Industry and Merchandisers' Association		
M&A	Mergers and Acquisition		
MSITS	Manual on Statistics of International Trade in Services		
NAICS	North American Industry Classification System		
NBI	Nation Brands Index		
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development		
OHIM	Office for Harmonization in the Internal Market		
OPH	Output per Hour		
PPP	Purchasing Power Parity		
R&D	Research and Development		
RPM	Resale Price Maintenance		
SCB	Statistics Sweden		