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Abbreviations

ANU	The Australian National University
BQCMB	Beverly-Qamanirjuaq Caribou Management Board
CPR	common pool resources
DFAT	Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Australia
EEZ	Exclusive Economic Zones
ESCAP	Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific
FFA	Forum Fisheries Agency
FFC	Forum Fisheries Committee
FSM	Federated States of Micronesia
GDP	gross domestic product
IFA	Inuvialuit Final Agreement
ILG	Incorporated Land Group
LMP	Land Mobilisation Program
MARPOL	International Convention on the Prevention of Pollution from Ships
MTC	minimum terms and conditions
NLTB	Native Land Trust Board
NWMB	Nunavut Wildlife Management Board
NWT	Northwest Territories (Canada)
OPA	Office of Pacific Island Affairs
PNG	Papua New Guinea
SPC	South Pacific Commission
UNCLOS	United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme

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Foreword

With the inevitable lessening of the importance of traditional forms of management of land and water resources in Pacific island countries accompanying the development of the state and the internationalisation of these economies, common property problems have arisen in many natural resource areas. This publication covers many of the problem areas which have arisen and discusses various approaches to better management.

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