Acronyms

ADB Asian Development Bank

BFSRs Banking Financial Strength Ratings

BMR Balancing Modernization and Restructuring

BoP Balance of Payments

bps Basis Points

CAD Current Account Deficit
CBs Commercial Banks
CDS Credit Default Swap
CKD Completely Knockdown
COD Collection on Demand
CPI Consumer Price Index

CY Calendar Year

DAD Development Assistance Database

DAP Di-Ammonium Phosphate

DFID Department for International Development

DFIs Development Finance Institutions

DPBs Domestic Private Banks
DSC Defense Savings Certificate
EDL External Debt & Liabilities
EFS Export Finance Scheme

ENDA Emergency Natural Disaster Assistance

ER Exchange Rate
EU European Union

FBR Federal Board of Revenue FBS Federal Bureau of Statistics FCAs Foreign Currency Accounts FDI Foreign Direct Investment

FE Foreign Exchange

FECs Foreign Exchange Companies

FED Federal Excise Duty

f.o.b Free on Board FOREX Foreign Exchange

FPI Foreign Portfolio Investment

FY Fiscal Year

GDP Gross Domestic Product
GoP Government of Pakistan

GST General Sales Tax

H Half

HBL Habib Bank Limited
HRI House Rent Index
HSD High Speed Diesel

HSD Hemorrhagic Septicemia Disease

IBFT Inter Bank Fund Transfer

ILO International Labor Organization IMF International Monetary Fund

KDP Kecamatan Development Programme KESC Karachi Electric Supply Corporation

KIBOR Karachi Inter Bank Offer Rate

kg Kilograms

KP Khyber Pakhtunkhwa
LED Light Emitting Diode
LSM Large Scale Manufacturing
LTFF Long Term Financing Facility

MoM Month-on-Month

MoU Memorandum of Understanding
MINFA Ministry of Food and Agriculture

MPS Monetary Policy Statement
MPC Monetary Policy Committee
MRTB Market Related Treasury Bills

MT Metric Ton

MTBs Market Treasury bills

NBFIs Non Banking Financial Institutions

NDA Net Domestic Asset

NDMA National Disaster Management Authority

NEER Nominal Effective Exchange Rate

NFA Net Foreign Asset

NFC National finance Commission

NFI Net Foreign Investment NFNE Non Food Non Energy

NGOs Non Governmental Organizations

NPLs Non Performing Loans NSS National Savings Scheme OMOs Open Market Operations

PAMA Pakistan Automotive Manufacturers' Association
PASSCO Pakistan Agriculture Storage & Services Corporation

PIBs Pakistan Investment Bonds POL Petroleum, Oil and Lubricants

PPTFC Privately Placed Term Finance Certificates

PRI Pakistan Remittance Initiative

PSC Private Sector Credit

PSDP Public Sector Development Program

PSEs Public Sector Enterprises

Q Quarter

QoQ Quarter on Quarter

RAND Recover Aceh-Nias database

RBD Refined, Bleached and Deodorized REER Real Effective Exchange Rate

RFCAs Residents Foreign Currency Accounts

RGST Reformed General Sales Tax

RHS Right Hand Side
RPI Relative Price Index

Rs Rupees

SBA Stand-By Arrangement
SBP State Bank of Pakistan
SDRs Special Drawing Rights

SMEs Small and Medium Enterprises

SMEFD Small and Medium Enterprises Finance Department

SPI Sensitive Price Index SRO Statutory Regulatory Order

T-bills Treasury Bills

TCP Trading Corporation of Pakistan

TM Trimmed Mean

UAE United Arab Emirates
UK United Kingdom

UNDP United Nations Development Program

UNCTAD United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

USA United States of America

USAID United States Agency for International Development

VAT Value Added Tax
WHT Withholding Tax
WPI Wholesale Price Index

YoY Year on Year