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ABBREVIATIONS

BSE	Bovine spongiform encephalopathy
c.w.e.	Carcass weight equivalent
CAP Reform	Common Agriculture Policy Reform
CIF	Cost, Freight and Insurance
EU	European Union
EU-15	First 15 members of the European Union: Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, Sweden and United Kingdom.
EU-25	First 25 members of the European Union: EU-15 plus Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Poland, Slovakia, and Slovenia
FAPRI	Food and Agricultural Policy Research Institute
FMD	Foot and Mouth Disease
FOB	Free on board
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GMO	Genetic Modified Organism
INAC	Instituto Nacional de Carnes (National Meat Institute)
MERCOSUR	Mercado Común del Sur (Integrants: Argentina, Brazil, Uruguay and Paraguay)
MGAP	Ministerio de Ganadería Agricultura y Pesca (Uruguayan Agricultural Ministry)
NAFTA	North American Free Trade Agreement
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OIE	World Organisation for Animal Health
TRQ	Tariff rate quota
URAA	Uruguay Round Agreement on Agriculture
UK	United Kingdom
US	United States
WTO	World Trade Organization
ZMP	Zentrale Markt- und Preisberichtsstelle