

# Abbreviations

ACC/SCN Administrative Committee on Coordination/Subcommittee on Nutrition (United Nations)	NCHS National Center for Health Statistics (United States)
BMI Body mass index	SD Standard deviation
BMR Basal metabolic rate	UN United Nations
CED Chronic energy deficiency	UNDP United Nations Development Programme
CV Coefficient of variation	UNU United Nations University
DES Dietary energy supply	WHO World Health Organization
GDP Gross domestic product	
GNP Gross national product	
HDI Human development index	
IFPRI International Food Policy Research Institute	
LDCs Least developed countries	
LIFDCs Low-income food-deficit countries	