Abbreviations

A&R	Artist & Repertoire
ACM	*Autoriteit Consument en Markt* (Authority for Consumers and Markets)
ADAMI	*Administration des Droits des Artistes et Musiciens Interprètes* (Administration of the Rights of Performing Artists and Musicians)
ADR	alternative dispute resolution
AEPO-ARTIS	Association of European Performers' Organisations
AHRC	Arts and Humanities Research Council
AIE	*Artistas Interpretes o Ejecutantes de España* (Performing Artists of Spain)
AIMP	Association of Independent Music Publishers
AIPPI	*Association Internationale pour la Protection de la Propriété Intellectuelle* (Association for the Protection of Intellectual Property)
ALS	artist and label services
AREC	Artists Rights Enforcement Corporation
ARPU	average revenue per user
B2B	business-to-business
B2C	business-to-consumer
BAM	*Beroepsvereniging voor Auteur-Muzikanten* (Professional Association for Author-Musicians)
BEUC	*Bureau Européen des Unions de Consommateurs* (European Bureau of Consumer Unions)
BGB	*Bürgerliches Gesetzbuch*
BGBl	*Bundesgesetzblatt*
BGH	*Bundesgerichtshof*
BMAC	Black Music Action Coalition

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BRMA	Belgian Recorded Music Association
BS	*Belgisch Staatsblad*
BSCG	Belgian Screen Composers Guild
BUMA	*Bureau voor Muziek-Auteursrechten* (Bureau for Music Copyrights)
BVerfG	*Bundesverfassungsgericht*
BVMI	*Bundesverband Musikindustrie* (Federal Music Industry Association)
CC	Creative Commons
CCFG	Cultural Creators Friendship Group
CCIs	cultural and creative industries
CEL	Code on Economic Law
CIS	Common Information System
CISAC	*Confédération Internationale des Sociétés d'Auteurs et Compositeurs* (International Confederation of Societies of Authors and Composers)
CJEU	Court of Justice of the European Union
CMA	Competition and Markets Authority
CMO	collective management organisation
CNM	*Centre National de la Musique* (National Centre for Music)
CPI	*Code de la Propriété Intellectuelle*
CRM	collective rights management
CSPLA	*Conseil Supérieur de la Propriété Littéraire et Artistique* (High Council for Literary and Artistic Property)
D2C	direct-to-consumer
D2F	direct-to-fan
DCFR	Draft Common Frame of Reference
DCMS	Department for Digital, Culture, Media & Sport
DIY	do-it-yourself
DKV	*Deutscher Komponistenverband* (German Composer Association)
DRM	digital rights management
DSM	Digital Single Market DSP digital service provider
EC	European Commission
ECJ	European Court of Justice
ECHR	European Convention on Human Rights
ECtHR	European Court of Human Rights
ECSA	European Composer and Songwriter Alliance
EDM	electronic dance music
EEA	European Economic Area
EEC	European Economic Community

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EMMA	European Music Managers Alliance
ER	equitable remuneration
EU	European Union
FAC	Featured Artists Coalition
FACIR	*Fédération des Auteur·rices, Compositeur·rices et Interprètes Réuni·es* (Federation of Authors, Composers and Performers United)
FIM	*Fédération Internationale des Musiciens* (International Federation of Musicians)
GALM	*Genootschap Artiesten Lichte Muziek* (Society of Light Music Artists, now 'de Muziekgilde')
GDPR	General Data Protection Regulation
GEMA	*Gesellschaft für musikalische Aufführungs- und mechanische Vervielfältigungsrechte* (Society for Musical Performance and Mechanical Reproduction Rights)
GESAC	*Groupement Européen des Sociétés d'Auteurs et Compositeurs* (European Grouping of Societies of Authors and Composers)
GRD	Global Repertoire Database
GVL	*Gesellschaft zur Verwertung von Leistungsschutzrechten* (Society for the Exploitation of Neighbouring Rights)
IAO	International Artists Organisation
ICMP	International Confederation of Music Publishers
IFPI	International Federation of the Phonographic Industry
ILO	International Labour Organization
IMMF	International Music Managers Forum
IMPEL	Independent Music Publishers European Licensing
IMPF	Independent Music Publishers International Forum
IMPALA	Independent Music Companies Association (originally: Independent Music Publishers and Labels Association)
INA	*Institut national de l'audiovisuel* (National Audio-Visual Institute)
IP	intellectual property
IPRs	intellectual property rights
IPRED	Intellectual Property Rights Enforcement Directive
ISPs	internet service providers
ISRC	International Standard Recording Code
ISWC	International Standard Musical Work Code
JORF	*Journal Officiel de la République Française*
M&A	mergers and acquisitions
MLC	Mechanical Licensing Collective

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MMA	Music Modernization Act
MME	Music Moves Europe
MMF	Music Managers Forum
NDA	non-disclosure agreement
NMPA	National Music Publishers Association
NMUV	*Nederlandse Muziek Uitgevers Vereniging* (Dutch Music Publishers Association)
NORMA	*Naburige Rechtenorganisatie voor Musici en Acteurs* (Neighbouring Rights Organisation for Musicians and Actors)
NVPI	*Nederlandse Vereniging van Producenten en Importeurs van beeld- en geluidsdragers* (Dutch Association of Producers and Importers of Image and Sound Carriers)
OCSSP	online content-sharing service provider
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
P2P	peer-to-peer
PALM	*Professionele Auteurs Lichte Muziek* (Professional Authors Light Music)
PEC	AHRC Creative Industries Policy & Evidence Centre
PECL	Principles of European Contract Law
PICC	Principles of International Commercial Contracts
PPD	published price to dealer
PPL	Phonographic Performance Limited
RAAP	Recorded Artists Actors Performers
RIAA	Recording Industry Association of America
RRP	recommended retail price
SABAM	*Société d'Auteurs Belge – Belgische Auteurs Maatschappij* (Belgian Authors Society)
SACEM	*Société des Auteurs, Compositeurs et Éditeurs de Musique* (Society of Authors, Composers and Music Publishers)
SAI	*Société des Artistes Interprètes* (Society of Performing Artists)
SENA	*Stichting ter Exploitatie van Naburige Rechten* (Foundation for the Exploitation of Neighbouring Rights)
SLRP	suggested retail list price
SMEs	small and medium-sized enterprises
SNEP	*Syndicat National de l'Édition Phonographique* (National Union of Phonographic Publishing)

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SPEDIDAM	*Société de Perception et de Distribution des Droits des Artistes-Interprètes* (Collecting and Distributing Society for the Rights of Performing Artists)
Stb	*Staatsblad*
STEMRA	*Stichting tot Exploitatie van Mechanische Reproduktierechten voor Auteurs* (Union for the Exploitation of Reproduction Rights for Authors)
TEU	Treaty on European Union
TFEU	Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union
TRIPS	Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights
UrhG	*Urheberrechtsgesetz*
UCC	Universal Copyright Convention
UCPS	User-Centric Payment System
UDHR	Universal Declaration of Human Rights
UGC	user-generated content
UKIPO	UK Intellectual Property Office
UNAC	*Union Nationale des Auteurs et des Compositeurs* (National Union of Authors and Composers)
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
UrhDaG	*Urheberrechts-Diensteanbieter-Gesetz*
UWG	*Gesetz gegen den unlauteren Wettbewerb*
VAT	value-added tax
VGG	*Verwertungsgesellschaftengesetz*
WIN	Worldwide Independent Network
WIPO	World Intellectual Property Organization
WPPT	WIPO Performances and Phonograms Treaty
WTO	World Trade Organization

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