Abbreviations

ABC	Analyzing Bank Capital
ABA	American Bankers Association
BankG	Banking Act (Bundesgesetz über die Banken und Sparkassen)
BankV	Banking Ordinance (Vollziehungsverordnung zum Bundesgesetz über die Banken und Sparkassen)
BBA	British Bankers' Association
BCBS	Basel Committee on Banking Supervision
BIS	Bank of International Settlements
bn	billion
BNA	British National Archives
BoE	Bank of England
BoEA	Bank of England Archive
BSD	Bank Supervision Division (of the Bank of England)
C/A ratio	capital/assets ratio
CCC	competition and credit control
CEG	Comptoir d'Escompte de Genève
CH	Switzerland
CHF	Swiss franc
CLCB	Committee of London Clearing Bankers
DM	Deutsche Mark
EEC	European Economic Community
EUI	European University Institute
FBC	Federal Banking Commission
FDIC	Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation
FDICIA	Federal Deposit Insurance Improvement Act
FED	Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve
FFIEC	Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council
FINMA	Swiss Financial Market Supervisory Authority
G10	Group of Ten

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GDP	gross domestic product
HSSO	Historical Statistics of Switzerland Online
ILSA	International Lending Supervision Act
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IRB	Internal ratings-based
LDC	Less developed countries
LMA	London Metropolitan Archives
m	million
OCC	Office of the Comptroller of the Currency
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
p.a.	per annum
pp	percentage points
RBSA	Archive of the Royal Bank of Scotland
RWA	risk-weighted assets
SBA	Swiss Bankers Association
SBC	Swiss Bank Corporation (Schweizerischer Bankverein SBV/ Société de Banque Suisse)
SEC	US Securities and Exchange Commission
SERI	Secretariat for Education, Research and Innovation
SFA	Swiss Federal Archives
SNB	Swiss National Bank
UBS	Union Bank of Switzerland (Schweizerische Bankgesellschaft SBG/Union de Banques Suisses)
USNB	United States National Bank

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