

Appendix G. Table of Acronyms

Acronym	Term	Acronym	Term
AAP	Average Adjusted Purge	HB 44	NIST Handbook 44, “Specifications, Tolerances, and Other Technical Requirements for Weighing and Measuring Devices”
AOSA	Association of Official Seed Analysts	LP	Liquefied Petroleum
AIPL	Average Individual Piece Length	MAV	Maximum Allowable Variation
APL	Average Piece Length	NCWM	National Conference on Weights and Measures
ASTM	ASTM International	NIST	National Institute of Standards and Technology
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations	PSEL	Purge Sample Error Limit
CGA	Compressed Gas Association	Rc	Range of Package Errors
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency	Rt	Range of Tare Weights
FDA	Food and Drug Administration	SCF	Sample Correction Factor
FDCA	Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act	SEL	Sample Error Limit
FPLA	Fair Packaging and Labeling Act	SI	International System of Units
FSIS	USDA, Food Safety and Inspection Service	SDS	Safety Data Sheets
FTC	Federal Trade Commission	TTB	Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau
HB 130	NIST Handbook 130, Uniform Laws and Regulations in the areas of Legal Metrology and Fuel Quality	UPLR	Uniform Packaging and Labeling Regulation
HB 133	NIST Handbook 133, “Checking the Net Contents of Packaged Goods”	USDA	U.S. Department of Agriculture

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