## Glossary of terms and abbreviations

ABS Australian Bureau of Statistics

AFFA Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry-Australia

AFTA ASEAN Free Trade Agreement

ANZCERTA Australia New Zealand Closer Economic Relations Trade Agreement

APEC Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation

AQIS Australian Quarantine Inspection Service
ASEAN Association of South East Asian Nations

Austrade The Australian Trade Commission

CER Closer Economic Relations

DFAT Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

EMDG Export Market Development Grants

EU European Union

FTAA Free Trade Agreement of the Americas
GATS General Agreement of Trade and Services
GATT General Agreement of Tariffs and Trade

GDP Gross Domestic Product
GM genetically modified

GMOs genetically modified organisms

ICT Information and communications technology

IP intellectual property
IT information technology

NAFTA North American Free Trade Agreement Mercosur Common Market of the Southern Cone MFN Most Favoured Nation

OECD Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development

OPEC Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries

R&D Research and development

SME Small and medium enterprises
TCF Textile, clothing and footwear

WTO World Trade Organization