

7.2 Acronyms

Following is a list of acronyms that are used in the cotton industry or by Government, which may appear in this publication.

ABARE – Australian Bureau of Agricultural and Resource Economics

ACCRC – Australian Cotton Cooperative Research Centre (also Cotton CRC)

ACEC – Australian Cotton Exhibition Centre

ACGRA – Australian Cotton Growers' Research Association

ACIC – Australian Cotton Industry Council

ACRI – Australian Cotton Research Institute

ACSA – Australian Cotton Shippers Association

APSRU – Agricultural Production Systems Research Unit

APVMA – Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicine Authority (formerly NRA)

AWM – Area Wide Management

BMP – Best Management Practices

Bt – *Bacillus thuringiensis* (crystal protein expressed in INGARD® and BOLLGARD II®)

CA – Cotton Australia

CCA – Crop Consultants Australia

CCCCRC – Cotton Catchment Communities Cooperative Research Centre (also Cotton CRC)

CGA – Cotton Growers' Association

CIE – Centre for International Economics

CRC – Cooperative Research Centre (see CCCCCRC)

CRCIF – Cooperative Research Centre for Irrigation Futures

CRDC – Cotton Research and Development Corporation

CSIRO – Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation

DAFF – Department of Agriculture Fisheries and Forestry

DIPNR – Department of Infrastructure, Planning & Natural Resources (NSW)

ICAC – International Cotton Advisory Committee

IP – Intellectual Property

IPM – Integrated Pest Management

L&WA – Land & Water Australia

MDBC – Murray Darling Basin Commission

myBMP – The cotton industry's best management practices program.

NRME – Department of Natural Resources, Mines and Energy (Qld)

NSW DPI – New South Wales Department of Primary Industries

DAFF Queensland – Queensland Department of Agriculture Fisheries and Forestry

RCMAC – Raw Cotton Marketing Advisory Committee

TIMS – Transgenic and Insect Management Strategy committee

TRC – Technology Resource Centre (at the ACRI)