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List of abbreviation

3D	Three dimensional
a*	Redness
ABTS	2,2'-azino-bis 3-ethylbenzothiazoline-6-sulphonic acid
Al	Aluminum
ALP	Alkaline Phosphatase
ALPT	Alanine Aminotransferase
ANOVA	Analysis of variance
AOAC	Association of Official Analytical Chemists
AST	Aspartate Aminotransferase
ATCC	American type culture
Av	Average
b*	Yellowness
BDL	Below Detectable Limit
BHA	Butylated Hydroxyanisole
BLAST	Basic Local Alignment Search Tool
Ca+	Cationic calcium
CCD	Central composite design
cm	Centimeter
CV	Coefficient of variation
Df	Degrees of freedom
DMSO	Dimethyl sulfoxide
DPPH	2,2-diphenyl-1-picrylhydrazyl
EDTA	Ethylenediamine tetraacetic acid
EE	Encapsulation efficiency
FBS	Foetal Bovine Serum
FCR	Folin-ciocalteu Reagent
g	Gram
GA	Genetic algorithm
GAE	Gallic acid equivalent
GC-MS	Gas Chromatography-Mass Spectrometry
GI	Gastrointestinal
h	Hour
H	Hydrogen atom
H ₂ SO ₄	Sulfuric acid
Hb	Haemoglobin
HCl	Hydrochloric acid
HPLC	High Performance Liquid Chromatography

IC50	Half maximal inhibitory
IR	Infrared
L*	Lightness
LPS	Lipopolysaccharide
M	Molarity
m/z	Mass by charge
MAE	Microwave assisted extraction
mg	Milligram
mm	Millimeter
MRS	De Man, Rogosa and Sharpe
MTCC	Microbial Type Culture Collection
MTT	3-(4, 5-dimethylthiazolyl-2)-2, 5-diphenyltetrazolium
MW-US	Microwave and Ultrasound
N	Normality
ND	Not detected
nm	Nanometer
NMR	Nuclear magnetic resonance
NO	Nitric Oxide
p	p-value
PCA	Product component analysis
PCR	Polymerase Chain Reaction
ppm	Parts per million
R ₂	Correlation coefficient
RBC	Red Blood Cells
RMSD	Root Mean Square Deviation
RMSE	Root mean square liquid
ROS	Responsive Oxygen Species
RP	Reducing Power
RP-HPLC	Reverse Phase High Performance Liquid Chromatography
rpm	Rotations per minute
RSM	Response surface methodology
RT	Retention time
s	Second
SD	Standard deviation
SEM	Scanning electron microscopy
SGF	Simulated gastric fluid
SIF	Simulated intestinal fluid
t	Time
TFC	Total flavonoid content

TPC	Total phenolic content
UAE	Ultrasound assisted extraction
UHPLC	Ultra-High-Performance Liquid Chromatography
USA	United State of America
UV	Ultra-Violate
UV-VIS	Ultraviolet-visible
W	Watt
w/v	Weight by volume
w/w	Weight by weight
XRD	X-ray diffraction value
α	Alpha
μg	Microgram
μm	Micrometer