Acronyms

a	year (annual)		
ADR Centru project	Centru Regional Development Agency, Romanian partner of PromoBio		
AFMC	Associative Forest Management Communities in Austria		
AIEL	Italian Agriforestry Energy Association		
BE2020+	Bioenergy 2020 + GmbH, Austrian partner of PromoBio project		
BFB	Bubbling Fluidised Bed Boiler		
BLTC	Biomass Logistics and Trade Centres		
CEN/TS	European Standard and Technical Specification for wood chips		
CEN/TC	European Standard for Solid Biofuels		
CEPF	Confederation of European Forest Owners		
CFB CHP	Circulating Fluidised Bed Boiler Combined Heat and Power Production		
СО	Carbon monoxide		
CO_2	Carbon dioxide		
CPI	Consumer Price Index		
d.b. DH	dry weight basis district heating		
€ = e	Euro, European Currency Unit, EUR		
Е	East		
EC	European Community		
ELY-centre	Centre for Economic Development, Transport and the Environment in Finland		
EN	European standard		
ESCo	Energy Service Company		
EU	European Union		
EUBIONET2	EU Bioenergy Networking Programme		
FC	Forest Communities in Austria (WV = Waldverband) Gcal giga = 109, cal = calories		
GCV	gross calorific heating value		
ICAS	Institute of Forest Research and Management in Romania		
IEA	International Energy Agency		
IEE	Intelligent Energy Europe -programme		

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ISPE	Institute for Studies and Power Engineering, Romanian partner of PromoBio project
KAPE	Polish National Energy Conservation Agency, Polish partner of PromoBio project
km ²	square kilometer
KPC	Kommunalkredit Public Consulting
ktoe	kilo = 103, toe = tons (ton = 1 000 kg) oil equivalent
kW	kilowatt
kWhel	kilowatt-hours electricity energy
Ky	Company form in Finland
Lei	Romanian National Currency Unit, RON
Metla	Finnish Forest Research Institute, Finnish Coordinator of PromoBio project
Mhy	Forest management association in Finland
MJ	mega = 106, joule = basic SI unit of energy
MW	megawatt
MWh	megawatt-hour
MWth	megawatt-hours thermoenergy
MWth	megawatt thermoenergy
Ν	North
NCV	net calorific value
NO _x	nytrogen oxide
NÖ	Niederösterreich = Lower Austria
Оу	Company form in Finland = Limited = Ltd.
PEFC	Programme for the Endorsement of Forest Certification Schemes
РЈ	peta = 1015, joule = basic SI unit of energy
RES	Renewable Energy Sources
ROMSILVA	National Forestry State-Owned Company in Romania
RON	Romanian National Currency Unit
SMEs	small and medium-sized enterprises
SO _x	Sulphur oxide
SRL	Romanian company form
t CO ₂	tons carbon dioxide

TE-centre	Centre for Economic Development, Transport and the Environment in Finland
TJ	tera = 1012, joule = basic SI unit of energy
TOC	Total Organic Carbon
UNIAG	Slovak University of Agriculture, Slovak partner of PromoBio project
VAT	Value Added Tax
VDI	Association of German Engineers (Verein Deutscher Ingenieure) VMI National Forest Inventory in Finland
VTT	Technical Research Centre of Finland, Finnish partner of PromoBio project
w.b.	weight basis
wt.%	weight per cent
zł	Polish National Currency Unit, PLN, złoty
ÖBf	Austrian Federal Forest Company
ÖKL	Österreichhisches Kuratorium für Landtechnik und Landentwicklung
ÖNORM	Austrian standard for e.g. wood chips