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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

ADH	Alcohol Dehydrogenase
ALDH	Aldehyde Dehydrogenase
APC	Antigen Presenting Cell
ASR	Age Specific Incidence Rate
BP	Base Pair
CI	Confidence Interval
CYP	Cytochrome P450
DNA	Deoxyribonucleic Acid
EGFR	Epidermal Growth Factor Receptor
FFQ	Food Frequency Questionnaire
GGT	γ-Glutamyl Transpeptidase
GSH	Glutathione
GST	Glutathione S-Transferase
GSTM	Glutathione S-Transferase Mu
GSTP	Glutathione S-Transferase Pi
GSTT	Glutathione S-Transferase Theta
HAs	Heterocyclic Amines
HNSCC	Head and Neck Squamous Cell Carcinoma
HPV	Human Papilloma Virus
ICD	International Classification of Diseases
Ile	Isoleucine
IQR	Inter-Quartile Range
ITC	Isothiocyanate

MLR	Multiple Logistic Regression
NAC	N-acetylcysteine
NAT	N-acetyl Transferase
NCR	National Cancer Registry
NNK	4-(nitrosomethylamino)-1-(3-pyridyl)-1-butanone
NNN	N'-nitrosonornicotine
OR	Odds Ratio
OSCC	Oral Squamous Cell Carcinoma
PAH	Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbon
PCR	Polymerase Chain Reaction
PCR-RFLP	Polymerase Chain Reaction – Restriction Fragment Length Polymorphism
pRB	Retinoblastoma Protein
ROS	Reactive Oxygen Species
SCC	Squamous Cell Carcinoma
SLR	Simple Logistic Regression
SPSS	Statistical Package for Social Sciences
TSN	Tobacco Specific Nitrosamine
Val	Valine
XME	Xenobiotic Metabolizing Enzyme