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List of Abbreviations

APKAS	Australian Paliochora-Kythera Archaeological Survey	LB	Late Bronze
ca.	circa	LBA	Late Bronze Age
Ch	chert	LC	Late Cycladic
cm	centimeter(s)	LH	Late Helladic
CSPS	Centre for Spartan and Peloponnesian Studies	LM	Late Minoan
d.	diameter	m	meter(s)
EB	Early Bronze	M	metal
EBA	Early Bronze Age	m asl	meters above sea level
EC	Early Cycladic	MAT	Mediterranean Archaeological Trust
EH	Early Helladic	MB	Middle Bronze
EM	Early Minoan	MC	Middle Cycladic
EPCA	Ephorate of Prehistoric and Classical Antiquities	MH	Middle Helladic
ext.	external	MM	Middle Minoan
F	figurine	mm	millimeter(s)
FN	Final Neolithic	mya	million years ago
g	gram(s)	P	pottery
INSTAP	Institute for Aegean Prehistory	Pb	pebble
int.	internal	PG	Protogeometric
KIP	Kythera Island Project	ST	stone tool
km	kilometer(s)	SV	stone vessel
L.	length	T.1, etc.	Trench 1, etc.
		th.	thickness
		w.	width

