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ABBREVIATIONS

Archives, Libraries and Collections

AFSt	Archiv der Franckeschen Stiftungen (Halle an der Saale)
BBAW	Brandenburgische Akademie der Wissenschaften (Berlin)
PAW	Preußischen Akademie der Wissenschaften
BL	British Library (London)
Add	Additional
MS	Manuscript
KB	Koninklijke Bibliotheek (The Hague)
KBS	Kungliga Biblioteket (Stockholm)
LS	Linnean Society (London)
MfN	Museum für Naturkunde (Berlin)
GNF	Gesellschaft Naturforschender Freunde
ZMB	Bestand Zoologisches Museum
NHM	Natural History Museum (London)
NUL	Nottingham University Library (Nottingham)
RS	Royal Society (London)
SA	Stadsarchief Amsterdam (Amsterdam)
SBB	Staatsbibliothek zu Berlin (Berlin)
SUB	Stockholms Universitetsbibliotek (Stockholm)

UBA	Universiteitsbibliotheek Amsterdam (Amsterdam)
UBL	Universiteitsbibliotheek Leiden (Leiden)
UL	Universitätsbibliothek Leipzig (Leipzig)
UUB	Uppsala Universitetsbibliotek (Uppsala)

Other

<i>Allg. Nat. der Fische</i>	Marcus Élieser Bloch, <i>Allgemeine Naturgeschichte der Fische</i> (Berlin: Hesse, Realschule and J. Morino, 1782–1795)
aph.	aphorism
<i>Hist. anim.</i> IIII	Conrad Gessner, <i>Historiae animalium liber IIII</i> (Zurich: Christopher Froschauer, 1558)
<i>Hist. pisc.</i>	Francis Willughby and John Ray, <i>Historia piscium</i> (Oxford: Sheldonian Theatre, 1686)
<i>Ich.</i>	Peter Artedi, <i>Ichthyologia, sive opera omnia de piscibus</i> (Leiden: Conrad Wishoff, 1738)
OFB	Oxford Francis Bacon

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