## **Appendix A – Lists of Abbreviations**

А	Adenine
$A_1$	Adenine at the first position of triplet codon
$A_2$	Adenine at the second position of triplet codon
$A_3$	Adenine at the third position of triplet codon
AG	Adenine guanine
AT	Adenine thymine
Ala	Alanine
Arg	Arginine
Asn	Asparagine
Asp	Aspartate
bp	Base pairs
C	Cytosine
cds	Coding sequences
C <sub>1</sub>	Cytosine at the first position of triplet codon
$C_2$	Cytosine at the second position of triplet codon
C₃ CUB	Cytosine at the third position of triplet codon Codon Usage Bias
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_	Codon Adaptation Index
Cys ENC	Cysteine Effective Number of Codons
Fop	Frequency of optimal codons
G	Guanine
G₁	Guanine at the first position of triplet codon
$G_2$	Guanine at the second position of triplet codon
G₃ GC	Guanine at the third position of triplet codon
Gln	Guanine cytosine Glutamine
Glu	Glutamate
Gly	Glycine
His	Histidine
lle	Isoleucine
NCBI	National Centre for Biotechnology Information
Phe	Phenylalanine
Pro	Proline
RSCU	Relative Synonymous Codon Usage
Ser	Serine
T	Thymine
<u>T</u> 1	Thymine at the first position of triplet codon
T <sub>2</sub>	Thymine at the second position of triplet codon
T <sub>3</sub>	Thymine at the third position of triplet codon
Thr	Threonine
Tyr	Tyrosine
Val	Valine