A2C2S Army Aviation Command & Control System

AA Anti-Armor

AAR After Action Review

AAWG Alternative Analysis Working Group

ABIS Automated Biometric Identification System

ACAT Acquisition Category

ACO Administrative Contracting Officer

ACP Automatic Colt Pistol

ACTD Advanced Concepts Technology Demonstration

ADAS Advanced Distributed Aperture System

ADI Attitude Direction Indicator
ADM Area Deterrent Munitions

ADM Acquisition Decision Memorandum

ADM-NVG Advanced Digital Multi-Spectral Night Vision Goggle

ADP Automated Data Processing

ADRAC Altitude Decompression Sickness Risk Assessment Computer

ADSS Adaptive Deployable Sensor Suite
AEA Aviation Engineering Analysis

AECV All Environment Capable Variant (UAS)

AESP Autonomous Expeditionary Support Platform (medical)

AFCS Auto Flight Control System

AFROCC Air Force Operational Capabilities Council

AFSB Afloat Forward Staging Base (Naval Systems)

AFSOC Air Force Special Operations Command

AGE Arterial Gas Embolism

AGTV Armored Ground Tactical Vehicle
AHRS Attitude Heading Reference System
AIP (ASDS) Improvement Program
AIS Automated Information System
ALE Automatic Link Establishment

ALGL Autonomous Landing Guidance System
ALGS Advanced Lightweight Grenade Launcher

ALLTV All Light Level Television

ALMBOS Acquisition, Logistics, Management and Business Operations Support

AMHS Automated Message Handling System
AMP Avionics Modernization Program

AMR Anti-Materiel Rifle

AMSA Acquisition Management System

AMSA Alternative Material Solution Analysis

ANA Afghan National Army
ANP Afghan National Police
AoA Analysis of Alternatives

AOI Area of Interest

AOPBS Aircraft Occupant Ballistic Protection System

AOR Area of Responsibility

APB Acquisition Program Baseline

APC Acquisition Project Category (USSOCOM)

APM Assistant Program Manager (formerly System Acquisition Manager (SAM))

APWG Acquisition Protection Working Group

ARAP ASDS Reliability Action Panel

ARATS Aircraft Radar APQ-170 Test Station

ARB Acquisition Review Board

ARDC Army Research Development and Engineering Center

ARL Army Research Lab

ARL Army Research Laboratory

ARL - UT Applied Research Lab - University of Texas

ARV Armored Recovery Variant (MRAP)

AS Acquisition Strategy

AS&C Advanced Systems Concept

ASAD Advanced Studies and Development

ASC Aeronautical Systems Center
ASD Assistant Secretary of Defense

ASD (NII) ASD for Networks and Information Integration

ASD (SO/LIC) ASD for Special Operations and Low Intensity Conflict

ASDS Advanced Sea, Air, Land (SEAL) Delivery System

ASE Aircraft Survivability Equipment
ASFF Afghanistan Security Forces Fund
ASIC Application Specific Integrated Circuit

ASICD Application Specific Integrated Circuit Development

ASM Anti Structural Munitions

ASMA Alternative Solution Materials Analysis
ASOIE Associated Support Items of Equipment
AT&L (OSD) Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics
ATA Alternate (or Additional) Test Aircraft (CV-22)

ATACMS Army Tactical Missile System

ATD Advanced Technology Demonstration

ATD/TB AC-130U Gunship Aircrew Training Devices/Testbed

ATIRCM Advanced Threat Infrared Countermeasures

ATL Advanced Tactical Laser

ATM Asynchronous Transfer Mode

ATPIAL Advanced Tactical Precision Illuminator Aiming Laser

ATPS Advanced Tactical Parachute System
ATR Above Threshold Reprogramming

AT-UBA Advanced Technology Underwater Breathing Apparatus

Broad Area Announcement

ATV All Terrain Vehicle

AUV Armored Utility Variant (MRAP)

AvFID Aviation Foreign Internal Defense

AWE Aircraft, Weapons, Electronics

AWES Area Weapons Effects Simulation

BAFO Best and Final Offer

BAA

BAI Backup Aircraft Inventory

BALCS Body Armor Load Carriage System
BFM Business Financial Manager

BFT Blue Force Tracking
BGAD Blue Grass Army Depot
BIO Basic Input Output
BLOS Beyond Line-of-Site

BLOSeM Below Line-of-Site Electronic Support Measures
BMATT Brief Multi-Mission Advanced Tactical Terminal

BMS Battle Management System
BNVS Binocular Night Vision System

BOD Board of Directors
BOI Basis of Issue

BOIA Basis of Issue Approved
BOIP Basis of Issue Plan

BOIR Basis of Issue Requirement

BRP Bombardier Recreational Products
BTR Below Threshold Reprogramming
BUD/S Basic Underwater Demolition School
BULLDOG XL All-Terrain transport (AKA MUTT) vehicle

C2 Command and Control

C3I Command, Control, Communications, and Intelligence C4 Command, Control, Communications, and Computers

C4I Command, Control, Communications, Computers, and Intelligence

C4IAS Command, Control, Communications, Computers, and Intelligence Automation System

CAAP Common Avionics Architecture for Penetration

CAAS Common Avionics Architecture Systems

CAC Cost Accounting Codes

CAE Component Acquisition Executive
CAIG Cost Analysis Improvement Group
CAIV Cost as an Independent Variable

CALS Continuous Acquisition and Life Cycle Support

CAMS Combat Autonomous Mobility System

CAP Combat Air Patrol
CAP Cost Analysis Panel

CAPE Cost Assessment and Program Evaluation

CAPS Counter-Proliferation Analysis and Planning System

CAS Close Air Support

CASEVAC Group Level Casualty Evacuation
CAS-TIC Close Air Support - Troops in Contact

CAT Acquisition Category
CBA Concealable Body Armor

CBN Chemical, Biological and Nuclear
CBS Cost Breakdown Structure
CCB Configuration Control Board

CCCEKIT Combat Casualty Care Equipment Kit

CCD Charged Coupled Device (Forward Looking Infrared Radar Only)

CCD Coherent Change Detection

CCFLIR Combatant Craft Forward Looking Infrared (Radar)

CCH Combatant Craft - Heavy

CCJO Capstone Concept for Joint Operations

CCL Combatant Craft - Light CCM Combatant Craft - Medium

CCSA Combat Command Support Agency
CDD Capabilities Development Document

CDR Commander

CDR Critical Design Review

CEP Circular Error Probable/Probability
CEQ Council on Environmental Quality
CERP Capital Equipment Replacement Plan

CERP Cost Estimating Relationships

CERTEX Certification Exercise

CESE Civil Engineering Support Equipment

CET Capability Evaluation Team

CF&DR Conditional Fielding and Deployment Release

CFE Contractor Furnished Equipment
CFR Code of Federal Regulations

CI Counterintelligence

CIDS Capabilities Integration and Development Systems

CIDS Combat Identification
CINC Commander in Chief
CIO Chief Information Officer

CJSOAC Commander Joint Special Operations Air Component

CL Centerline (as in ASDS/JMMS)
CLR Combat Loss Replacement
CM Configuration Management

CMDS Countermeasure Dispensing System
CMNS Combat Mission Needs Statement

CMS Combat Mission Simulator CNO Chief, Naval Operations

CNSWC Commander, Naval Special Warfare Command

CNT Combating Narco Terrorism
CNVD Clip-On Night Vision Device

CO Contracting Officer

COA Cooperative Opportunity Analysis

COA Course of Action

CODEL Congressional Delegation

COE Corps of Engineers

COIL Chemical Oxygen Iodine Laser

COIL Contract of Interest
COIL Critical Operational Issue
COMSEC Communications Security
CONOPS Concept of Operations

COR Contracting Officer's Representative
CORB Command Operations' Review Board

CoS Chief of Staff

COTS Commercial-Off-The-Shelf

COW Cost of War

CP Concealable Pistol

CP Counter-Proliferation
CPAF Cost Plus Award Fee

CPARS Contractor Performance Assessment Reporting System

CPD Capabilities Production Document
CPI Critical Program Information
CPD Capability Paris Page 1

CRB Capability Review Board

CRIF Consolidated Rapid Integration Facility

CRM Comment Review Matrix
CRRC Combat Rubber Raiding Craft

CS Combat Swimmer

CS Confined Space (Light Anti-Armored Weapons)

CSAR Combat Survivor Evader Locator
CSB Configuration Steering Board
CSEL Combat Search and Rescue
CSH Combat Submersible - Heavy
CSM Combat Submersible - Medium

CSOLO Commando Solo
CSR Critical System Review
CT Counter Terrorism

CTP Critical Technical Parameters

CTTL Clandestine Tagging, Tracking, and Locating

CVR Cockpit Voice Recorder

CW Center Wing

CWG Capability Working Group

DA Direct Action

DAA Designated Approval Authority

DAB Defense Advisory Board
DAC Defense Acquisition Challenge

DAC Discretionary Access Control (in message system)
DAGR Defense Advanced Global Positioning System Receiver

DAMA Demand Assured Multiple Access

DARPA Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency

DAS Distributed Aperture System

DASD-CN Deputy Secretary of Defense - Counter Narcotics

DAWG Deputy Advisory Working Group

DCDR Deputy Commander

DCGS Data Common Ground/Surface System

DCS Decompression Sickness

DDL Digital Data Link

DDP Detachment Deployment Packages (Maritime)
DDR&E Director, Defense Research & Engineering

DDS Dry Deck Shelter
DEPORD Deployment Orders

DERF Defense Emergency Response Fund

DFARS Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement

DFAS Defense Finance and Accounting Service

DHEA Dehydroepiandrosterone

DHIP Defense Human Intelligence Program
DIAM Data Interface Acquisition Module
DIRCM Directional Infrared Countermeasures

DITPR Defense Information Technology Portfolio Repository

DITPR Directory Information Tree (message system)
DLR Depot Level Replacements (Replenishment)

DMCS Deployable Multi-Channel SATCOM

DMS Defense Message System

DMS Diminished Manufacturing Sources (ASDS)

DMT/DMR Distributed Mission Training/Distributed Mission Rehearsal

DNI Director National Intelligence
DoD Department of Defense

DoDD Department of defense Directive
DODI Department of Defense Instruction

DOE Department of Energy
DoP Director of Procurement

DOTMLPF Doctrine, Organization, Training, Material, Leadership & Education, Personnel & Facilities

DPAP Director of Procurement and Acquisition Policy

DPPC Deployable Print Production Center

DPS Defense Planning Scenarios

DROG Defense Resources Overview Guidance

DS&TI Designated Science and Technology Information

DSLD Dry Submersible Long Duration
DSO Direct Support Operators

DSRV Deep Submergence Rescue Vehicle

DSS Deep Submergence Systems
DT&E Development Test and Evaluation
DTA Development & Test Aircraft

DTT Desk Top Trainer

DUSD Deputy Under Secretary of Defense

EA Evolutionary Acquisition

EADS European Aeronautical Defense & Space Company (Airbus Parent)

EADS Expendable Airdrop Delivery System

EAPS Engine Air Particle Separator

ECAC Evasion and Conduct After Capture (part of SERE school)

ECHS Enhanced Cargo Handling System
ECM Electronic Countermeasures
ECO Engineering Change Order
ECOS Enhanced Combat Optical Sights
ECP Engineering Change Proposal

EDM Engineering Development Model
EFIS Electronic Flight Information System

EFP Explosively Forced Penetrator

EGLM Enhanced Grenade Launcher Module

EIR Embedded Integrated Broadcast System Receiver

EIRS Enhanced Infrared Suppression
ELT Emergency Locator Transmitter

EMD Engineering and Manufacturing Development

EMP Electromagnetic Pulse (weapon)
ENTR Embedded National Tactical Receiver

EO/IR Electro-Optical Infrared
EPRO Environmental Protection

ERTP Extended Trans-Regional PSYOP Program

ESA Enhanced Situational Awareness

ESG Expeditionary Strike Group (Naval Systems)
ESOH Environmental Safety and Occupational Health
ESWBS Expanded Ship Work Breakdown Structure

ETCAS Enhanced Traffic Alert and Collision Avoidance System

ETI Evolutionary Technology Insertion

ETV Extreme Terrain Vehicle
EUAS Early User Assessment
EUAS Expeditionary UAS

EVM Extended User Evaluation
EVM Earned Value Management

EW Electronic Warfare

EWAISF Electronic Warfare Avionics Integrated Systems Facility

EWO Electronic Warfare Officer

F&DR Fielding & Deployment Release
F2EA Find & Fix Exploitation Analysis
F3EA Find, Fix, Finish, Exploit, Analyze
FAA Federal Aviation Administration

FAA Functional Area Analysis

FAADC2 Forward Area Air Defense Command and Control

FABS Fly-Away Broadcast System
FAR Federal Acquisition Regulation
FATA Federally Administered Tribal Area

FBCB2 Force XXI Battle Command, Brigade and Below

FCD Field Computing Devices
FCT Foreign Comparative Testing

FEPSO Field Experimentation Program for Special operations

FID Foreign Internal Defense

FISA Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act
FLIR Forward Looking Infrared Radar
FMAV Fleet Maintenance Availabilities
FMBS Family of Muzzle Brake Suppressors

FMS Foreign Military Sales FMV Full Motion Video

FNA Functional Needs Analysis

FNM Foreign & Nonstandard Materiel

FOC Full Operational Capability
FOIA Freedom of Information Act
FOL Family of Loud Speakers
FOPEN Foliage Penetration
FOS Forward Operating Site
FOS (or FoS) Family of Systems

FOT&E Follow-on Test and Evaluation FPM Flight Performance Model

FRACAS Failure Reporting Analysis and Corrective Action System

FSA Functional Solutions Analysis

FSDS Family of Sniper Detection Systems

FSOV Family of SOF Vehicles

FSR Field Service Representative
FSW Family of Sniper Weapons
FSWG Force Structure Working Group

FTE Full Time Equivalent

FUE First Unit Equipped

FW Fixed Wing FY Fiscal Year

FYDP Future Year(s) Defense Plan

GAB Global Address Book (message system)

GATM Georgia All Terrain Monsters (Vehicle Manufacturer)

GBS Global Broadcasting System

GCC Geographical Combatant Commanders
GDF Guidance for the Development of the Force
GDIP General Defense Intelligence Program

GDS Gunfire Detection System

GDSOF Guidance for the Development of Special Operations Forces

GEF Global Employment of the Force

GEO Geological

GFE Government Furnished Equipment

GIG Global Information Grid

GMS-2 Gunship Multispectral System - 2 GMTI Ground Moving Target Indicator

GMV Ground Mobility Vehicles

GM-VAS Ground Mobility Visual Augmentation Systems

GOTS Global Observer (UAV)
GOTS Government-Off-the-Shelf
GPK Gunner Protection Kit

GPPC Gov't Property in the Possession of Contractors

GPS Global Positioning System
GR&A Ground Rules and Assumptions

GRID Global War on Terrorism (GWOT) Request Information Database

GSK Ground Signal Intelligence Kit

GSM Global System Mobile
GSN Global Sensor Network
GSP Global SOF Posture

HALE High Altitude Long Endurance
HAR Hazard Assessment Report

HASC House Armed Services Committee

HE High Explosive

HEI High Explosive Incendiary

HF High Fragmentation (munitions)

HF High Frequency

HFIS Hostile Fire Indicating System

HFTTL Hostile Forces Tagging, Tracking, and Locating

HH Hand Held

HHI Hand Held Imager

HIS Human Systems Integration
HLA High Level Architecture

HMMWV High Mobility Multi-purpose Wheeled Vehicle

HMU Hydrographic Mapping Unit

HOA Head of Agency
HOA Horn of Africa

HPFOTD High Power Fiber Optic Towed Decoys

HPMMR High Performance Multi-Mission Radio (PRC-117F)

HPS Human Patient Simulator

HRLMD Hydrographic Reconnaissance Littoral Mapping Device

HSB High Speed Boat

HSE Host Support Equipment

HSR Heavy Sniper Rifle

H-SUV Hardened-Sport Utility Vehicle

HUD Heads Up Display
HVI High Value Individual
HVT High Value Target

IAS/CMS Integration Avionics System/Cockpit Management System

IAT Integration Assembly & Test
IBR Intelligence Broadcast Receiver

IBS Integrated Bridge System (Naval System)

IBS Integrated Broadcast Service

IC Interim Configuration

ICA Independent Cost Assessment
ICAD Integrated Control and Display
ICD Initial Capabilities Document
ICE Independent Cost Estimate

ICLS Interim Contractor Logistics Support
ICS Interim Combat System (Naval Systems)

ICS Interim Contractor Support ICT Integrated Concept Team

IDAP Integrated Defensive Armed Penetrator
IDAS Interactive Defensive Avionics Subsystem

IDS Infrared Detection System

IDWS Interim Defensive Weapon System (CV-22 All-Quadrant Gun)

IED Improvised Explosive Devices

IFF Identify Friend or Foe

IFTS Integrated Financial Tracking System
IGPS (or iGPS) Iridium Global Positioning System

ILM Improved Limpet Mine

ILSP Integrated Logistics Support Plan
ILSS Integrated Logistics Support Strategy

IM Insensitive Munitions

IMFP Integrated Multi-Function Probe

INFOSEC Information Security

INOD Improved Night/Day Observation/Fire Control Device

INS Inertial Navigation System
IOC Initial Operational Capability

IOT&E Initial Operational Test & Evaluation
IOV Indigenous Operations Vehicle
IPC International Program Office
IPOC Initial Proof-of-Concept
IPT Integrated Product Team

IPUMA Intergraded Precision Underwater Mapping

IQAF Iraqi Air Force IR Infrared

IRAM Improvised Rocket Assisted Munitions (or Mortar)

IRCM Infrared Countermeasures
IRD Initial Requirements Document

ISAF International Security Assistance Force (NATO)

ISFF Iraqi Security Forces Fund

ISOCA Improved Special Operations Communications Assemblage

ISP Information Support Plan ISP Integrated Service Desk

ISR Intelligence Surveillance and Reconnaissance

ISSMS Improved SOF Manpack System
ISSO Information Systems Security Office

IT Information Technology
IT&E Integrated Test & Evaluation

ITMP Integrated Technical Management Plan ITPP Information Technology Project Plan

ITT Integrated Test Team

IUIDItem Unique IdentificationIWISIntegrated Warfare Info SystemJAMSJoint Attack Munitions Systems

JBS Joint Base Station
JCA Joint Cargo Aircraft

JCD Joint Capabilities Document
JCET Joint/Combined Exercise Training

JCIDS Joint Capabilities Integration and Development System

JCS Joint Chiefs of Staff

JCTD Joint Concept Technology Demonstration

JDAM Joint Direct Attack Munitions

JDISS Joint Deployable Intelligence Support System

JEM Joint Enhanced Multi-Purpose Inter/Intra Team Radio

JFA Joint Functional Area
JHL Joint Heavy Lift

JICO Joint Interface Control Officer

JIEDO Joint Improvised Explosive Device Office

JMC Joint Munitions Command

JMDSE Joint Medical Distance Support and Evacuation

JMISC Joint Military Info Systems Command
JMMS Joint Multi-Mission Submersible
JMPS Joint Mission Planning System
JMTG Joint Military Terminology Group

JOS Joint Operational Stocks

JPADS Joint Precision Airdrop System

JPATS Joint Primary Aircraft Trainer System

JPATS Joint Process Action Team
JPG Joint Programming Guidance

JPO Joint Program Office

JPOTF Joint Psychological Task Force

JREC Joint Resources Executive Council

JRMP Joint Resources Management Process

JROC Joint Requirements Oversight Council

JRWG Joint Resources Working Group

JSOAC Joint Special Operations Aviation Components

JSOC Joint Special Operations Command
JSOTF Joint Special Operations Task Force

JSTAR Joint Surveillance and Target Attack Radar System

JTAC Joint Terminal Attack Controller

JTC Joint Terminal Control

JTCITS Joint Tactical C4I Information Transceiver System

JTF Joint Task Force

JTRS Joint Tactical Radio System

JTWS Joint Threat Warning System

JUON Joint Urgent Operational Need

JWSTAP Joint Weapons Safety Technical Advisory Panel

KPP Key Performance Parameter

LAIRCM Large Aircraft Infrared Control Measures

LAN/WAN Local Area Network/Wide Area Network

LASAR Light Assault Attack Reconfigurable Simulator

LASIK Laser-Assisted IN-Situ Keratomileusis

LASSO Land and Sea Special Operations (mobility)

LAW Light Assault Weapon LBJ Low Band Jammer LCCE Life Cycle Cost Estimate Life Cycle Management LCM LCM Low Cost Modifications **LCMP** Life Cycle Management Plan Lightweight Counter Mortar Radar **LCMR LCSM** Life Cycle Sustainment Manager

LCSMP Life Cycle Sustainment Management Plan

LCSP Life-Cycle Sustainment Plan LDS Leaflet Delivery System

LEP Lightweight Environmental Protection

LEVUAS Long Endurance Vertical Take Off and Landing UAS

LFT&E Live Fire Test and Evaluation (Maritime)

LIO Lock In/Out (on ASDS/JMMS)
LIPT Logistics Integrated Product Team

LLTM Long Lead Time Material

LMAMS Lethal Miniature Aerial Munitions System

LMG Lightweight Machine Gun
LO Low Observable (UV)

LOE Limited Objective Experimentation

LOGSU Logistics and Support Unit

LOS Line of Sight

LPD Low Probability of Detection

LPI Low Probability of Intercept

LPI/D Low Probability of Intercept/Detection

LPI/LPD Low Probability of Intercept/Low Probably of Detection

LRBS Long Range Broadcast System

LR-GMVAS Long Range Ground Mobility Visual Augmentation Systems

LRIP Low Rate Initial Production
LRPP Long Range Planning Process
LRV Light Reconnaissance Vehicle
LSV Logistics Support Vehicle

LTAV Lightweight Tactical All Terrain Vehicle

LTD Laser Target Designator

LTDR Laser Target Designator/Rangefinder

LTI Lightweight Thermal Imager
LTT Locating, Tagging, Tracking
LTV Land Transport Vehicle
LVA Low Visibility Aviation

LVNS Low Visibility Non-Standard (Naval Systems)

LWC Low Volume Terminal LWC Littoral Warfare Craft

LWCM Lightweight Counter-Mortar

LWIR Long-wave Infrared M&S Modeling & Simulation

M2 Multi-Mission Unmanned Aircraft System

M4MOD M4A1 SOF Carbine Accessory Kit

MAAWS Multi-Purpose Anti-Armor/Anti-Personnel Weapons System

MACE Multi-Agency Collaboration Environment
MAC-II Mission Assurance Category Level 2

MADE Maritime Access to a Denied Environment
MAIS Major Automated Information System

MALET Medium Altitude Long Endurance Tactical (UAS)

MANPAD Man Portable Air Defense System

MARSOC Military Amphibious Reconnaissance System (Army NBOE)

MARSOC U.S. Marine Special Operations Command
MASINT Measurement and Signature Intelligence
MATT Multi-mission Advanced Tactical Terminal

MBE Mission Based Experimentation
MBITR Multi-Band Inter/Intra Team Radio
MBLT Machine Based Language Translator

MBMMR Multi-Band/Multi-Mission Radio
MBSS Maritime Ballistic Survival System
MCADS Maritime Craft Air Drop System

MCAR MC-130 Air Refueling MCD Man Caused Disaster

MCU Multipoint Conferencing Unit MDA Milestone Decision Authority

MDAP Major Defense Acquisition Program

MDNA Mini Day/Night Sight ME Military Equipment

MEDTECH Special Operations Medical Technology Development

MELB Mission Enhancement Little Bird

MET Meteorological

MEV Military Equipment Valuation

MFP Major Force Program
MFP Materiel Fielding Plan
MFP-11 Major Force Program-11

MICH Modular Integrated Communications Helmet
MIDS Multifunction Information Distribution System

MILDEP Military Department

MILES Multiple Integrated Laser Engagement System

MIP Military Intelligence Program

MISO Military Information Support Operations
MIST Military Information Support Teams

MIST Miniature ISR Technology
MIU Munitions Interface Unit

MK 8 (or MK 8 Mod 1) Mark 8 Sea, Air, Land (SEAL) Delivery Vehicle (SDV)

MK V Mark V Combatant Craft
MLE Military Liaison Element

MMA Material Management Activity (J4)

MMB Miniature Multiband Beacon
MOA Memorandum of Agreement
MOE Measures of Effectiveness
MONO-HUD Monocular Head Up Display
MOP Measures of Performance

MOSA Modular Open System Architecture
MOST Mobile Over the Snow Transport

MPARE Mission Planning, Analysis, Rehearsal and Execution

MPC Media Production Center

MPC Multi-Purpose Canine (Military Working Dog)

MPK Mission Planning Kits

MPOC Mission Predator Operations Center

MQ-1 Predator Unmanned Vehicle MQ-9 Reaper Unmanned Vehicle

MRAP Mine Resistant Ambush Protected

MRD Mission Rehearsal Device

MS Milestone

MSGL Multi-Shot Grenade Launcher
MSLO Mass Swimmer Lock-Out
MSV Maritime Support Vessel

MTBM Mean Time Between Maintenance

MTPS Master Test Plan

MTPS Mission Training and Preparation System

MTRC Mobile Technology Repair Center

MTs Mission Tasks

MTT Mobile Training Teams
MUA Military Utility Assessment

MUTT Mobile Utility Terrain Transport (aka Bulldog XL)

MWIR Mid-wave Infrared
MWS Missile Warning System

NAVAIR Naval Aviation Systems Command

NAVSCIATTS Naval Small Craft Instructor and Technical Training School

NAVSEA Naval Systems Engineering Command
NAVSPECWARCOM Naval Special Warfare Command
NBC Nuclear, Biological, and Chemical

NBOE Non-Gasoline Burning Outboard Engine

NC-MIO Non-Compliant Maritime Interdiction Operations

NDAA National Defense Authorization Act

NDI Non-Developmental Item

NEPA National Environmental Policy Act

NET New Equipment Training

NGES Northrop Grumman Electronics Systems

NGG Next Generation Gunship

NGLDS Next Generation Leaflet Delivery system
NGLRS Next Generation Long Range Strike
NGSB Northrop Grumman Ship Building

NIP National Intelligence Program

NISH National Institute of Severely Handicapped

NM Nautical Miles

NMF National Mission Force

NOSC Network Operations Systems Center

NRE Non-Recurring Engineering

NRT Near Real Time

NSAV Non-Standard Aviation

NSCV Non Standard Commercial Vehicle

NSS National Security Systems

NSSS (aka TENCAP) National Systems Support to SOF

NSW Naval Special Warfare

NSWC Naval Special Warfare Command

NTISR Non-Traditional Intelligence, Surveillance, Reconnaissance

NUWC Naval Undersea Warfare Center

NVD Night Vision Devices

NVEO Night Vision Electro-Optic
O&M Operations and Maintenance

OA/CW Obstacle Avoidance/Cable Warning

OACE Open Architecture Computing Environment
OAS Obstacle Avoidance Sonar (or System)
OAS Office of Aerospace Studies (Air Force)

OAS Organization of American States

OBESA On-Board Enhanced Situational Awareness
OCO Operator Compartment (ASDS/JMMS)
OCO Overseas Contingency Operations

ODNI Office of the Director of National Intelligence

OEF Operation Enduring Freedom

OEF-CCA Operation Enduring Freedom - South America Caribbean/Central America

OEF-H Operation Enduring Freedom - Horn of Africa
OEF-P Operation Enduring Freedom - Philippines

OEF-TS Operation Enduring Freedom - Trans Saharan Africa

OEP Operations Effectiveness Panel
OGA Other Government Agencies
OIF Operation Iraqi Freedom

OIO Offensive Information Operations
OMB Office of Management and Budget

OMMS Organizational Maintenance Manual Sets

ONS Operational Needs Statement

OPEVAL Operational Evaluation

OPG Operational Planning Guidance

OPTEVOR Operational Test and Evaluation Force
ORD Operational Requirements Document

OSA Open Systems Architecture

OSD Office of the Secretary of Defense
OT Operational Test (or Testing)
OT&E Operational Test and Evaluation

OTA Operational Test Agency

OTB Over The Beach
OTI One Time Inspection

OTRWG Operational Test Readiness Working Group
OWS Operation Willing Spirit (SOUTHCOM)
P3I Pre-Planned Product Improvement
PAB Personal Address Book (message system)

PAC Process Analysis Control

PACCM Psychological Operations Automated Command and Control Module

PAI Primary Aircraft Inventory

PAM Penetration Augmented Munitions
PARD Passive Acoustic Reflection Device

PC Patrol Coastal

PCO Procurement Contracting Officer

PCOR Primary Contracting Officers' Representative

PDA Personal Digital Assistant

PDAE Principle Deputy to the Acquisition Executive

PDM Program Decision Memorandum

PDR Pre-Design Refinement
PDR Preliminary Design Review
PDR Program Deviation Report

PDS Psychological Operations Distribution System

PED Personal Electronic Devices

PED Processing, Exploitation, Dissemination
PEO Program Executive Office (or Officer)

PESHE Programmatic Environment Safety and Occupational Health Evaluation

PFPS Portable Flight Planning System

PFS Principle for Safety

PGCB Precision Guided Canister Bomb

PGM Precision Guided Munitions

PGSE Peculiar Ground Support Equipment

PHST Packaging, Handling, Storage, and Transportation

PIA Post Independent Analysis

PIA Primary Training Aircraft Inventory
PIPT Program Integrated Product Team
PLCCE Program Life Cycle Cost Estimate
PLED Polymer Light Emitting Diode
PLTD Precision Laser Targeting Device
PM Program (or Project) Manager

PMAC Program Management Allocation Criteria

PM-MCD Project Manager for Mines, Countermeasures and Demolitions

PMSOA Program Specific Memorandum of Agreement
POBS Psychological Operations Broadcasting System

POE Program Office Estimate

POG Psychological Operations Group
POM Program Objective Memorandum

POMD Psychological Operations Media Display
POPAS PSYOP Planning and Analysis System
POPS Psychological Operations Print System

POPS PSYOP Print System
POR Program of Record

POTUS President of the United States

PPBE Planning, Programming, Budget, and Execution
PPHE Pre-Fragmented Programmable High Explosive

PPI POM Preparation Instruction

PPIED Pressure Plate Improvised Explosive Device

PPP Program Protection Plan
PRK Photo Refractive Keratectomy

PRTV Production Representative Test Vehicle
PSAS Persistent Surface Attack System-of-Systems

PSMOA Program (or Project) Specific Memorandum of Agreement

PSP Precision Strike Package
PSR Precision Sniper Rifle
PSR Program Support Review

PTLD Precision Target Locator Designator

PTT Part Task Trainer

QOT&E Qualification Test and Evaluation/Qualification Operational Test and Evaluation

QRF Quick Reaction Force

RAA Required Assets Available (or Availability)
RAM Reliability, Availability, Maintainability
RAMS Remote Activated Munitions System
RD&A Research, Development, and Acquisition
RDT&E Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation
REITS Rapid Exploitation of Innovative Technologies

RFF Request for Forces
RGR Ranger Regiment
RIB Rigid Inflatable Boat
RIS Radio Integration System

RMD Resource Management Decision

RMS Root-Mean Square

RMWS Remote Miniature Weather System
ROIP Radio Over Internet Protocol (IP)

ROSES Reduced Optical Signature Emissions System

RRT Rapid Response Team (CMNS)

RUT Realistic Urban Training

RVM Requirements Validation Matrix

RW Rotary Wing

RWR Radar Warning Receivers
RWS Remote Weapons Station
RWS Remote Weapons System
S&T Science & Technology

SADBU Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization

SAFC Special Applications for Contingencies
SAGIS SOF Air-Ground Interface Simulator

SAGIS Study Advisory Group

SAHRV Semi-Autonomous Hydrographic Reconnaissance Vehicle

SAMP Single Acquisition Management Plan

SAP Special Access Program

SAPR Sexual Assault Prevention and Response

SAR Selected Acquisition Report

SARC Sexual Assault Response Coordinator
SASC Senate Armed Services Committee
SAT Simplified Acquisition Threshold

SAW Small Arms and Weapons

SBIR Small Business Innovative Research

SBR System Baseline Review
SBSA Small Business Set Aside
SBT Special Boat Team
SBUD Simulator Block Update
SCAR SOF Combat Assault Rifle

SCAR Strike Control and Reconnaissance (Gunship)

SCG Security Classification Guide

SCI Sensitive Compartmented Information

SCPC Single Channel Per Carrier

SCSO USSOCOM Center for Special Operations

SDD System Design and Development

SDD System Development and Demonstration

SDN-M SOF Deployable Node-Medium

SDS Sniper Detection System

SDV Sea, Air, Land (SEAL) Delivery Vehicle
SDV-N SEAL Delivery Vehicle - Next Generation

SE Support Equipment SE Systems Engineering

SEAD Suppression of Enemy Air Defenses

SEAL Sea, Air, Land

SEALION Sea, Air, Land, Insertion Observation Neutralization

SEP Systems Engineering Plan

SERE Survival, Escape, Resistance, and Evasion

SFA Security Force Assistance

SHARK SOF High-Speed Agile Reachback Kit

SIC Special Identifiable (or identifier) Code (message system)

SIE SOF Information Enterprise
SIE SOF Information Environment

SIGINT Signals Intelligence
SIL Systems Integration Lab

SIPE Swimming Induced Pulmonary Edema
SIPRNET Secure Internet Protocol Router Network

SIRCM Suite of Infrared Countermeasures

SIRFC Suite of Integrated Radar Frequency Countermeasures

SIT Squadron Integration Training

SKOS Sets, Kits and Outfits SKR Silent Knight Radar

SLAAMRAM Surface Launched AMRAAM

SLAM Selectable Lightweight Attack Munitions

SLDW SOF Logistics Data Warehouse
SLED SOF Long Endurance Demonstrator
SLEP Service Life Extension Program

SLNBOE Submersible Lightweight Non-Gasoline Burning Engine

SMAX Special Operations Command Multipurpose Antenna, X-Band

SME Significant Military Equipment
SME Special Mission Equipment
SME Subject Matter Expert
SMG SOF Machine Gun

SMRS Special Mission Radio System
SNSL Standard Navy Stocking List

SO Special Operations

SOAE Special Operations Acquisition Executive

SOAL Special Operations Acquisition and Logistics Center

SOALIS SOAL Information System
SOAL-L/J4 SOAL Directorate of Logistics
SOAL-M SOAL Director of Management

SOAL-T SOAL Directorate of Advanced Technology
SOC Special Operations Craft (Naval Systems)

SOC Special Operations Command SOC-R Special Operations Craft-Riverine

SOCRATES Special Operations Command, Research, Analysis and Threat Evaluation System

SOCREB Special Operations Command Requirements Evaluation Board

SOCS Special Operation Command Surgeon SOEP Special Operations Eye Protection

SOF Special Operations Forces

SOFARS Special Operations Federal acquisition regulation Supplement

SOFC Solid Oxide Fuel Cell
SOFDK SOF Demolition Kit
SOFIV SOF Intelligence Vehicle
SOFLAM SOF Laser Acquisition Marker

SOFLRD SOF Laser Range Finder and Designator

SOFM Special Operations Center for Financial Management

SOFPARS SOF Planning and Rehearsal System

SOFSA SOF Forces Support Activity

SOFTACS SOF Tactical Assured Connectivity System SOFTAPS SOF Tactical Advanced Parachute System

SOFTAV Special Operations Forces Total Asset Visibility

SOIG Special Operations Inspector General
SOIS Special Operations Intelligence System
SOJA Special Operations Judge Advocate

SOJICC Special Operations Joint Interagency Collaboration Center

SOKF Special Operations Knowledge and Futures Center

SOLA Special Operations Legislative Affairs

SOLL Special Operations Low Level

SOMPE Special Operations Mission Planning Environment SOMROV Special Operations Miniature Robotic Vehicle

SOMS-B Special Operations Media Systems B

SONC Special Operations Center for Networks and Communications

SOO Statement of Objectives

SOP Standard Operating Procedure

SOPGM Standoff Precision Guided Munitions

SOPMOD SOF Peculiar Modification

SOPMODM-4 SOF Peculiar Modification-M4 Carbine

SORR Special Operations Force Structure, Requirements, Resources, and Strategic Assessments Center

SORR-J8-O USSOCOM Operational Test and Evaluation Directorate

SORR-J8-R USSOCOM Requirements Directorate
SOSE Special Operations Safety Office

SOST SCAR Ammo (munitions)

SOST Special Operations Special Technology

SOTD Special Operations Technology Development SOTVS Special Operations Tactical Video System

SOVAS HHI Special Operations Visual Augmentation System Hand Held Imagers

SOW Special Operations Wing SOW Statement of Work

SPC Systems Production Certification
SPE Senior Procurement Executive

SPEAR SOF Personal Equipment Advanced Requirements

SPG Strategic Planning Guidance
SPIKE Shoulder Fired Smart Round
SPP Strategic Planning Process

SPTC SOF Pre-Deployment Training Cycle SR Surveillance and Reconnaissance

SRCP Supplemental Resource Collection Process

SSC Surface Support Craft

START Special Threat Awareness receiver/Transmitter

SVEST Suicide Vest

SWALIS Special Warfare Automated Logistic Information System

TACTICOMP Tactical Computer
TAV Technical Availabilities
TAV Total Asset Visibility

TAWS Terrain Awareness and Warning System

TBI Traumatic Brain Injury
TCT Time Critical Target

TDS Technology Development Strategy

TERESA Tactical Edge and Response for Enhanced Situation Awareness

TES/TEZ Test and Evaluation Strategy
THDD Tactical Handheld Digital Devices
TILO Technical Industrial Liaison Officer

TOS Time on Station

TSOC Theater Special Operations Command

TSP Time Sensitive Planning
TST Time Sensitive Target

TST Trans Sahara or Trans Saharan (as in JSOTF-TS)

TTHM Titanium Tilting Helmet Mount UAGS Unattended Ground Sensor

UCMM Undersea Clandestine Maritime Mobility
UHMS Undersea and Hyperbaric Medicine Society
USASOC U.S. Army Special Operations Command

USG U.S. Government

V/STOL Vertical/Short Take-Off and Landing

VBSS Visit, Board, Search, and Seizure (Maritime)
VESTA Vibro-Electronic Signature Target Analysis

VSAT Very Small Aperture Terminal

VSM Very Small Munitions
VTC Video Teleconferencing

WIRED Wind Tunnel Integrated Real Time In the Cockpit/Real Time Out of the Cockpit Experiments and Demonstrations

WOT War on Terrorism
WRM War Reserve Materials

WRT With Regards To

WSADS Wind Supported Air Delivery System