

ACRONYMS

Acronym	Full Naming Convention
A2/AD	Anti-Access/Area Denial
AA	Air-to-Air
AbMN	Airborne Mission Networking
ACT	AFT Cabin Trainer
ADS-B	Automatic Dependent Surveillance-Broadcast
A&FC	Airworthiness and Flight Characteristics
AI	Artificial Intelligence
AISR	Airborne Intelligence, Surveillance, Reconnaissance
ALFPK	Austere Location Force Protection Kits
AM	Amplitude Modulation
AMN	Airborne Mission Network
AMS	Aviation Management System
APAS	Active Parallel Actuator System
ASE	Aircraft Survivability Equipment
ASIF	All Source Information Fusion
ATD	Advanced Technology Demonstration
ATPIALS	Advanced Target Pointer Illuminator Aiming Laser System
ATW	Advanced Threat Warning
AvFID	Aviation Foreign Internal Defense
AVS	Air Variant System
AWR	Air Worthiness Release
BAA	Broad Area Announcement
BFT	Blue Force Tracking
BLOS	Beyond Line of Site
BOA	Basic Ordering Agreement
CASEVAC	Casualty Evacuation
C2	Command and Control
C3	Command, Control, and Communications
C4	Command, Control, Communications, and Computer
C4I	Command, Control, Communications, Computers, and Intelligence

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C4IAS	Command, Control, Communications, and Computer Intelligence Automation Systems
CA	Civil Affairs
CAAS	Common Avionics Architecture Systems
CAR	Combat Assault Rifle
CASEVAC	Casualty Evacuation
CBA	Cost Benefit Analysis
CBSA	Chase Boat Situational Awareness
CCFLIR	Combatant Craft Forward Looking Infrared Radar
CCA	Combatant Craft - Assault
CCH	Combatant Craft - Heavy
CCM	Combatant Craft - Medium
CCME	Combatant Craft Mission Equipment
CDR	Critical Design Review
CDU	Control Display Units
CERP	Capital Equipment Replacement Program
CFE	Contractor Furnished Equipment
CHMD	Color Helmet Mounted Display
CIO	Chief Information Officer
CIM	Civil Information Management
CIMDPS	Civil Information Management Data Processing System
CMNS	Combat Mission Needs Statement
CMS	Combat Mission Simulator
CNVD	Clip-On Night Vision Device
COD	Correction of Deficiencies
COP	Common Operational Picture
COSI	Clip-On Short Wave Infrared Imager
COTI	Clip-On Thermal Imager
COTM	Communications-on-the-Move
COTS	Commercial-Off-The-Shelf
CP	Counter-Proliferation
CPD	Capabilities Production Document

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CQC	Close Quarter Combat
CT	Counter-Terrorism
C-UAS	Counter - Unmanned Aerial Systems
DAMS	Distributed Audio Media System
DCGS-SOF	Distributed Common Ground/Surface System--Special Operations Forces
DCM	Defensive Countermeasures
DCS	Dry Combat Submersible
DCU	Data Concentrator Unit
DDS	Dry Deck Shelter
DI2E	Defense Intelligence Information Environment
DOD	Department of Defense
DRWG	Distributed Common Ground/Surface System Working Group
DT	Developmental Testing
DVE	Degraded Visual Environment
DVEPS	Degraded Visual Environment Pilotage System
DWS	Defensive Weapon System
EAC	Exploitation Analysis Centers
ECM	Electronic Countermeasures
ECOS	Enhanced Combat Optical Sights
ECP	Engineering Change Proposal
EDM	Engineering Development Model
EGPWS	Enhanced Ground Proximity Warning
ELINT	Electronic Intelligence
EMD	Engineering and Manufacturing Development
ENT/ASIF	Enterprise All Source Information Fusion
EO/IR	Electro-Optical Infrared
EOTACS	Expeditionary Organic Tactical AISR Capability Set
ER	Extended Range
ESA	Enhanced Situational Awareness
ETI	Evolutionary Technology Insertion
EUD	End User Devices

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EW	Electronic Warfare
FABS	Fly-Away Broadcast System
FAR	Federal Acquisition Regulation
FADE	Fusion Analysis and Development Effort
FCD	Field Computing Devices
FFRDC	Federally Funded Research Development Center
FDWS	Forward Defensive Weapon System
FM	Frequency Modulation
FMV	Full Motion Video
FOC	Full Operational Capability
FoS	Family of Systems
FRP	Full Rate Production
FSOV	Family of Special Operations Vehicles
FVL	Future Vertical Lift
FY	Fiscal Year
FYDP	Fiscal Year Defense Plan
GATM	Global Air Traffic Management
GCC	Geographical Combatant Commander
GCS	Ground Control Station
GEOINT	Geospatial Intelligence
GFE	Government Furnished Equipment
GIG	Global Information Grid
GMV	Ground Mobility Vehicle
GOTS	Government-Off-The-Shelf
GPPU	General Purpose Processing Units
GPS	Global Positioning System
GSK	Ground Signals Intelligence Kit
GTR	Gun Training Room
HEL	High Energy Laser
HF	High Frequency
HFIS	Hostile Fire Indicator System

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HFTTL	Hostile Forces Tagging, Tracking, and Locating
HHI	Hand Held Imager
HLM	Handheld Laser Marker
IC	Intelligence Community
IDIQ	Indefinite Delivery/Indefinite Quantity
ILS	Integrated Logistics Support
IM	Insensitive Munitions
INOD	Improved Night/Day Observation/Fire Control Device
IOC	Initial Operational Capability
IPN	Installation Processing Node
IR	Infrared
IRAD	Industrial Research and Development
IRCM	Infrared Countermeasures
IRSS	Infrared Suppression System
ISP	Integrated Survey Plan
ISR	Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance
ISR&T	Intelligence, Surveillance, Reconnaissance, and Targeting
IT	Information Technology
ITMS	Integrated Tactical Mission Systems
JIE	Joint Information Environment
JOS	Joint Operational Stocks
JTAC	Joint Terminal Attack Controller
JTWS	Joint Threat Warning System
LAM	Laser Aiming Marker
LCM	Low Cost Modification
LCS	Load Carriage System
LFT&E	Live Fire Test and Evaluation
LiDAR	Light Detection and Ranging
LMAMS	Lethal Miniature Aerial Munition Systems
LOS	Line of Sight
LPI/LPD	Low Probability of Intercept/Low Probably of Detection

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LRBS	Long Range Broadcast System
LRE	Long Range Endurance
LRIP	Low Rate Initial Production
LRU	Line Replaceable Unit
LSDB	Laser--Small Diameter Bomb
LTATV	Lightweight Tactical All Terrain Vehicle
LWIR	Long-Wave Infrared
MAAWS	Multi-Purpose Anti-Armor/Anti-Personnel Weapons System
MANET	Mobile Ad-hoc Networking
MCE	Military Construction Collateral Equipment
MEDVAC	Medical Evacuation
MELB	Mission Enhanced Little Bird
MERIT	Military Exploitation of Reconnaissance and Intelligence Technology
MFD	Multi-Function Display
MFP	Major Force Program
MG	Machine Gun
MGS	Modular Glove System
MICH	Modular Integrated Communications Helmet
MIP	Military Intelligence Program
MIPR	Military Interdepartmental Purchase Request
MISO	Military Information Support Operations
MLE	Military Liaison Element
MMP	Multi-Mission Payload
MPE	Maritime Precision Engagement
MPU	Mission Processor Unit
MS	Milestone
MSSEP	Mobile SOF Strategic Entry Points
MTA	Middle Tier Acquisition
MTD	Mission Training Devices
MTPS	Mission Training and Preparation Systems
MTS-B	Multi-Spectral Targeting System--B

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MTTE	Maritime Technology Transition and Exploitation
MWC	Mid-Water Column
MWIR	Mid-Wave Infrared
MWS	Missile Warning System
NDI	Non-Developmental Item
NDS	National Defense Strategy
NET	New Equipment Training
NGA	National Geospatial-Intelligence
NGFLIR	Next Generation Forward Looking Infrared Radar
NG CCFLIR	Next Generation Combatant Craft Forward Looking Infrared Radar
NGLS	Next Generation Loud Speakers
NLP	Natural Language Processing
NM	Nautical Mile
NRE	Non-Recurring Engineering
NSAV	Non-Standard Aviation
NSCV	Non-Standard Commercial Vehicle
NSSS	National Systems Support to SOF
NTM	National Technical Means
NVD	Night Vision Devices
OA	Operational Assessment
OCO	Overseas Contingency Operations
OEM	Original Equipment Manufacturer
OFP	Operational Flight Program
OT	Operational Test
OT&E	Operational Test and Evaluation
P3I	Pre-Planned Product Improvement
PCAS	Persistent Close Air Support
PCU	Protective Combat Uniform
PDR	Preliminary Design Review
PE	Program Element
PED	Processing, Exploitation, and Dissemination

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PGL	Precision Geo Location
PGM	Precision Guided Munitions
PISA	Predator Integrated Signals Intelligence Architecture
PME	Prime Mission Equipment
POR	Program of Record
PSM	Personal Signature Management
PSP	Precision Strike Package
PTT	Part Task Trainer
QL-CBA	Quick-Look Capabilities-Based Assessment
RAMS	Removable Airborne Military Information Support Operations System
RC-IED	Counter Radio Controlled-Improvised Explosive Device
R&D	Research and Development
RDT&E	Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation
RECCE	Tactical Reconnaissance Kit
RF	Radio Frequency
RFCM	Radio Frequency Countermeasures
RIS	Radio Integration System
ROP	Remote Observation Post
RSTA	Reconnaissance, Surveillance, and Targeting Acquisition
RWR	Radar Warning Receiver
SA	Surface-to-Air
SAFC	Special Applications for Contingencies
SAPNET	Special Access Program Network
SATCOM	Satellite Communications
SBIR	Small Business Innovative Research
SBUD	Simulator Block Updates
SCE	Special Communications Enterprise
SCO	SOF Cryptologic Operator
SDB	Small Diameter Bomb
SDN	SOF Deployable Node
SDN-EP	SOF Deployable Node--Extension Packages

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SDN-H	SOF Deployable Node-Heavy
SDN-L	SOF Deployable Node-Light
SDN-M	SOF Deployable Node-Medium
SDV	Sea, Air, Land (SEAL) Delivery Vehicle
SEAL	Sea, Air, Land
SEALION	Sea, Air, Land, Insertion Observation Neutralization
SFAC	Security Forces Assistance Craft
SGM	Small Glide Munition
SIE	Special Operations Forces Information Environment
SIGINT	Signals Intelligence
SIL	System Integration Lab
SIM	Sensor Integration Module
SIRFC	Suite of Integrated Radio Frequency Countermeasures
SKR	Silent Knight Radar
SMS	Special Mission System
SOCRATES	Special Operations Command, Research, Analysis and Threat Evaluation System
SOF	Special Operations Forces
SOF-P	Special Operations Forces--Peculiar
SOFNET	Special Operations Forces Network
SOFPREP	Special Operations Forces Planning, Rehearsal, and Execution Preparation
SOFSa	Special Operations Forces Support Activity
SOMPE	Special Operations Mission Planning and Execution
SOPGM	Standoff Precision Guided Munitions
SoS	System of Systems
SPCOM	Special Communications Field Segment - Enterprise
SPEAR	SOF Personal Equipment Advanced Requirements
SPPN	Special Purpose Processing Node
SMU	Special Mission Units
SR	Special Reconnaissance
SRTV	Secure Real-Time Video
SSE	Sensitive Site Exploitation

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STAMP	SOCOM Tactical Airborne Multi-Sensor Platform
STC	SOF Tactical Communications
STLD	Small Target Location Devices
STTR	Small Business Technology Transfer
STUAS	Small Tactical Unmanned Aerial Systems
SURG	Suppressed Upper Receiver Group
SWAP	Size, Weight and Power
SWCS	Shallow Water Combat Submersible
SWIR	Shortwave Infrared
TACLAN	Tactical Local Area Network
TAK	Tactical Assault Kit
TALOS	Tactical Assault Lightweight Operator Suit
TAS	Threat Awareness System
TCCC	Tactical Combat Casualty Care
TDL	Tactical Data Link
TENCAP	Tactical Exploitation of National Capabilities
TF/TA	Terrain Following/Terrain Avoidance
TOCNET	Tactical Operations Center
TMS	Tactical Mission Systems
TMMR	Technology Maturation and Risk Reduction
TPAN	Tactical Personal Area Networks
TRL	Technical Readiness Level
TTV	Team Transportable Variant
TTL	Tagging, Tracking and Locating
TV	Television
TVS/RSTA	Tactical Video System/Reconnaissance, Surveillance, and Target Acquisition
UARC	University Affiliated Research Agreement
UAS	Unmanned Aircraft System
UAV	Unmanned Aerial Vehicle
UGS/UMS	Unattended Ground Sensors/Unattended Maritime Sensors
UHF	Ultra High Frequency

ACRONYMS

UI	User Interface
URG	Upper Receiver Groups
VAK	Virtual Accompany Kits
VAS	Visual Augmentation Systems
VAS-BM	Visual Augmentation-Binocular-Monocular
VASWA	Visual Augmentation System-Weapons Accessories
VBIED	Vehicle-Borne Improvised Explosive Device
VBL	Visible Bright Light
VBSS	Visit, Board, Search, and Seizure
VHF	Very High Frequency
VTC	Video Teleconferencing
VTOL	Vertical Take Off and Landing
WAN	Wide Area Network
WPAN	Wireless Personal Area Networks
WPNAC	Weapons Accessories