Acronym	Full Naming Convention
AMN	Airborne Mission Network
ADS-B	Automatic Dependent Surveillance-Broadcast
ALFPK	Austere Location Force Protection Kits
AM	Amplitude Modulation
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
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
C4IAS	Command, Control, Communications, and Computer Intelligence Automation Systems
CA	Civil Affairs
CAAS	Common Avionics Architecture Systems
CAR	Combat Assault Rifle
CASEVAC	Casualty Evacuation
CCFLIR	Combatant Craft Forward Looking Infrared Radar
CCA	Combatant Craft - Assault
CCH	Combatant Craft - Heavy
CCM	Combatant Craft - Medium
CCME	Combatant Craft Mission Equipment

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
CNVD Clip-On Night Vision Device
COP Common Operational Picture
COTI Clip-On Thermal Imagers
COTM Communications-on-the-Move
COTS Commercial-Off-The-Shelf

CP Counter-Proliferation

CPD Capabilities Production Document

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
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

EMD Engineering and Manufacturing Development

EO/IR Electro-Optical Infrared

ER Extended Range

ESA Enhanced Situational Awareness ETI Evolutionary Technology Insertion

EUD End User Devices EW Electronic Warfare

FABS Fly-Away Broadcast System
FCD Field Computing Devices
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

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

HEL High Energy Laser

HF High Frequency

HFIS Hostile Fire Indicator System

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

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
JTWS Joint Threat Warning System

LAM Laser Aiming Marker
LCM Low Cost Modification
LCS Load Carriage System

LFT&E Live Fire Test and Evaluation

LMAMS Lethal Miniature Aerial Munition Systems

LOS Line of Sight

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

LRBS Long Range Broadcast System
LRIP Low Rate Initial Production

LRU Line Replaceable Unit

LSDB Laser--Small Diameter Bomb

LTATV Lightweight Tactical All Terrain Vehicle

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

MANET Mobile Ad-hoc Networking

MCE Military Construction Collateral Equipment

MEDVAC Medical Evacuation

MELB Mission Enhancement Little Bird

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 MPU Mission Processor Unit

MS Milestone

MSSEP Mobile SOF Strategic Entry Points

MTD Mission Training Devices

MTPS Mission Training and Preparation Systems

MTS-B Multi-Spectral Targeting System--B

MWS Missile Warning System NDI Non-Developmental Item

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

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

PE Program Element

PED Processing, Exploitation, and Dissemination

PGL Precision Geo Location
PGM Precision Guided Munitions

PISA Predator Integrated Signals Intelligence Architecture

POR Program of Record

PSM Personal Signature Management

PSP Precision Strike Package

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
SCO SOF Cryptologic Operator
SDB Small Diameter Bomb
SDN SOF Deployable Node

SDN-EP SOF Deployable Node--Extension Packages

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

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
STC SOF Tactical Communications
STLD Small Target Location Devices
STTR Small Business Technology Transport

STTR Small Business Technology Transfer STUAS Small Tactical Unmanned Aerial Systems

SWAP Size, Weight and Power

SWCS Shallow Water Combat Submersible

TACLAN Tactical Local Area Network
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

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

UAS Unmanned Aircraft System
UAV Unmanned Aerial Vehicle
UHF Ultra High Frequency

UGS/UMS Unattended Ground Sensors/Unattended Maritime Sensors

URG Upper Receiver Groups

VAS Visual Augmentation Systems

VAS-BM Visual Augmentation-Binocular-Monocular

VASWA Visual Augmentation System-Weapons Accessories

VBL Visible Bright Light

VBSS Visit, Board, Search, and Seizure

VHF Very High Frequency
VTC Video Teleconferencing
WAN Wide Area Network

WPAN Wireless Personal Area Networks

WPNAC Weapons Accessories