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JSOU SOF Abbreviations/Acronyms

AA&E	Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives
AAH-USA	Action Against Hunger-United States of America
ABN	Airborne
ACC	Air Combat Command; Area Component Commander; Area Coordination Center
ACCET	Accrediting Council for Continuing Education and Training
ACCM	Alternative Compensatory Control Measures
ACE	American Council on Education; Aviation Combat Element
ADCON	Administrative Control
ADE	Aerial Delivery Equipment
ADL	Advanced Distributed Learning
ADVON	Advanced Echelon
AED	Academy for Educational Development
AF	Able Focus, Air Force
AFDD	Air Force Doctrine Document
AFIAA	Air Force Intelligence Analysis Agency
AFISRA	Air Force Intelligence, Surveillance, and Reconnaissance Agency
AFO	Advance Force Operations
AFRES	Air Force Reserve
AFRICOM	United States Africa Command
AFSB	Afloat Forward Staging Base
AFSC	American Friends Service Committee
AFSOB	Air Force Special Operations Base

AFSOC	Air Force Special Operations Command
AFSOD	Air Force Special Operations Detachment
AFSOE	Air Force Special Operations Element
AFSOF	Air Force Special Operations Forces
AFSOTC	Air Force Special Operations Training Command
AIE	Alternate Insertion and Extraction
AIS	Automated Information System
ALE	Airlift Liaison Element, ARSOF Liaison Element
ALP	Afghan Local Police
AMC	Air Mobility Command; Army Materiel Command
AMCIT	American Citizen
AMHS	Automated Message Handling System
ANA	Afghanistan National Army
ANBP	Afghan New Beginnings Program
ANG	Air National Guard
AO	Area of Operations
AOB	Advanced Operational Base; Aviation Operations Branch
AOC	Air Operations Center (Capable), Air and Space Operations Center; Army Operations Center
AOR	Area of Responsibility
APEC	Asian-Pacific Economic Cooperation
AQ	Al Qaeda
AQAM	Al Qaeda and Associated Movement
AQAP	Al Qaeda in the Arabian Peninsula
AQIM	Al Qaeda in the Land of the Islamic Mahghreb
AQN	Al Qaeda Network
AQSL	Al Qaeda Senior Leadership
ARC	Air Reserve Component; American Red Cross; American Refugee Committee International
ARF	Association of Southeast Asian Nations Regional Forum
ARNG	Army National Guard
ARRS	Aerospace Rescue and Recovery Squadron
ARSOC	Army Special Operations Command
ARSOF	Army Special Operations Forces
ARSOTF	Army Special Operations Task Force
ASCC	Army Service Component Command(er)

ASD	Assistant Secretary of Defense
ASD/GSA	Assistant Secretary of Defense for Global Security Affairs
ASD/ISA	Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs
ASD/ISP	Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Policy
ASD/SOLIC&IC	Assistant Secretary of Defense for Special Operations/Low-Intensity Conflict and Interdependent Capabilities
ASEAN	Association of Southeast Asian Nations
ASFF	Afghanistan Security Forces Fund
ASG	Area Support Group
ASOCbT	Advanced Special Operations Combating Terrorism
ASOCbT-A	Advanced Special Operations Combating Terrorism Alumni
ASO	Advanced Special Operations
AT	Antiterrorism
ATA	Antiterrorism Assistance Program
ATAC	Antiterrorism Advisory Council; Antiterrorism Alert Center
ATF	Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms; Amphibious Task Force
ATFC	Afghan Threat Finance Cell
ATO	Air Tasking Order
AU	African Union
AvFID	Aviation Foreign Internal Defense
AVN	Aviation
AW	Able Warrior; Air Warfare
AY	Academic Year
AZ	Assault Zone
BBG	Broadcasting Board of Governors
BCD	Battlefield Coordination Detachment
BCT	Brigade Combat Team
BDA	Battle Damage Assessment
BDE	Brigade
BENS	Business Executives for National Security
BIS	Bureau of Industry and Security
BJA	Bureau of Justice Assistance
BN	Battalion
BOD	Board of Directors
BOIP	Basis of Issue Plan
BP	Be Prepared; Battle Position

BPC	Building Partner Capacity
BSA	Balanced Survivability Assessment; Brigade Support Area
BSSG	Brigade Service Support Group
BTO	Business Transformation Office
BUD/S	Basic Underwater Demolition/SEAL
C2	Command and Control
C3	Command, Control, and Communications
C3I	Command, Control, Communications, and Intelligence
C4I	Command, Control, Communications, Computers, and Intelligence
C4I2	Command, Control, Communications, Computers, Intelligence, and Interoperability
C4ISR	Command, Control, Communications, Computers, Intelligence, Surveillance, and Reconnaissance
CA	Bureau of Consular Affairs; Civil Affairs, Combat Assessment
CAA	Combat Aviation Advisor; Command Arrangements Agreement
CAB	Civil Affairs Brigade; Combat Aviation Brigade
CAC	Common Access Card
CAISE	Civil Authority Information Support Elements
CAMPS	Computer-Aided Mission Planning System; Consolidated Air Mobility Planning System
CAO	Civil Affairs Operations; Chief Administrative Officer; Counter-air Operations
CAOC	Combined Air Operations Center
CAP	Combat Air Patrol; Crisis Action Planning
CARE	Cooperative for Assistance and Relief Everywhere
CAS	Close Air Support
CAT	Crisis Action Team
CBM	Confidence-Building Measures
CBP	Customs and Border Protection; Capabilities-Based Planning
CBR	Chemical, Biological, and Radiological
CBRN	Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear
CBRNE	Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, and High-Yield Explosive
CbT	Combating Terrorism
CbTEIS	Combating Terrorism Executive Interagency Seminar
CbTNS	Combating Terrorism Networks Seminar
CCC	Cross-Cultural Communications Course; Crisis Coordination Center; Coalition Coordination Cell, Coalition Coordination Center
CCDR	Combatant Commander
CCIF	Combatant Commanders Initiative Fund

CCIR	Commander's Critical Information Requirement
CCJTF	Commander, Combined Joint Task Force
CCO	Complex Contingency Operations
CCSO	Capstone Concept for Special Operations
CCT	Combat Control Team; Collaborative Contingency Targeting
CCTC	Coordinating Counterterrorism Council
CD	Counterdrug
CDC	Civilian Deployment Center; Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
CDR	Commander
CE	Command Element
CERP	Commander's Emergency Response Program
CFA	Critical Factors Analysis; Committee on Food Aid Policies and Programs
CFIUS	Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States
CFSOCC	Combined Forces Special Operations Component Command
CF	Conventional Forces; Canadian Forces
CFT	Cross Functional Team
CFTP	Cross Functional Troop
CG	Commanding General
CGSC	Command and General Staff College
CI	Counterintelligence
CIA	Central Intelligence Agency
CIF	Commanders' In-extremis Force
CIFA	Counterintelligence Field Activity
CIMIC	Civil-Military Cooperation; Civil-Military Information Center
CINC	Commander in Chief
CIOP	Compartmented Information Operations Program
CJCS	Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff
CJCSI	Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Instruction
CJCSM	Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Manual
C/JFSOC	Combined Joint Force Special Operations Component
C/JFSOCC	Combined Joint Force Special Operations Component Commander
CJSOTF	Combined Joint Special Operations Task Force
CJTF	Combined Joint Task Force; Commander, Joint Task Force
CLO	Cognitive Learning Objective
CM	Countermine; Consequence Management

CM&D	Collection Management and Dissemination
CMCC	Civil-Military Coordination Center; Combined Movement Coordination Center
CMDCM	Command Master Chief Petty Officer
CME	Civil-Military Engagement
CMM	Conflict Management and Mitigation
CMO	Civil-Military Operations
CMOC	Civil-Military Operations Center
CMPASS	Civilian-Military Planning and Assessment Section
CMS	Cryptologic Material Security
CMSE	Civil-Military Support Element
CNA/O	Computer Network Attack/Operations
CNO	Chief of Naval Operations; Computer Network Operations
CNT	Counter Narco-Terrorism
COA	Course of Action
COAA	Course-of-Action Analysis
CoC	Change of Command; Code of Conduct
COC	Combat Operations Center
COCOM	Combatant Command
COG	Center of Gravity
COI	Community of Interest
COIN	Counterinsurgency
COLISEUM	Community Online Intel System for End Users & Managers
COM	Chief of Mission
COMAFFOR	Commander, Air Force Forces
COMAFSOC	Commander, Air Force Special Operations Command
COMARFOR	Commander, Army Forces
COMINT	Communications Intelligence
COMJSOTF	Commander, Joint Special Operations Task Force
COMNAVFOR	Commander, Navy Forces
COMPUSEC	Computer Security
COMSEC	Communications Security
COMSOC	Commander, Special Operations Command
COMSOCAFRICA	Commander, Special Operations Command Africa
COMSOCCENT	Commander, Special Operations Command Central
COMSOCEUR	Commander, Special Operations Command Europe

COMSOCKOR	Commander, Special Operations Command Korea
COMSOCPAC	Commander, Special Operations Command Pacific
COMSOC SOUTH	Commander, Special Operations Command South
CONOPS	Concept of Operations
CONPLAN	Concept Plan
CONUS	Continental United States
COOP	Continuity of Operations Plan
COP/CIP	Common Operational Picture/Common Intelligence Picture
COR	Change of Responsibility
COS	Chief of Staff
COSCOM	Corps Support Command
CP	Counter Proliferation
CPE	Collaborative Planning Environment
CPG	Contingency Planning Guidance
CRC	Civilian Response Corps; Collector Reporting Code
CRC-A	Civilian Response Corps-Active Component
CRC-R	Civilian Response Corps-Reserve Component
CRC-S	Civilian Response Corps-Standby Component
CRE	Contingency Response Element; Control Reporting Element
CRRC	Combat Rubber Raiding Craft
CRS	Catholic Relief Services
CRSG	Country Reconstruction and Stabilization Group
CS	Combat Support
CSA	Combat Support Agency; Chief of Staff
CSAR	Combat Search and Rescue
CSE	Center for Security Evaluation; Combat Support Equipment; Contingency Support Element
CSEL	Command Senior Enlisted Leader
CSF	Coalition Support Fund
CSG	Campaign Support Group; Counterterrorism Support Group; Cryptologic Support Group
CSS	Combat Service Support; Central Security Service
CSSE	Combat Service Support Element
CSST	Combat Service Support Team
CST	Cultural Support Team
CT	Counterterrorism

CTF	Counterterrorism Finance; Counter Threat Finance; Combined Task Force
CTFI	Counter Threat Finance Intelligence
CTFP	Regional Defense Combating Terrorism Fellowship Program Counterterrorism Fellowship Program
CTIN	Counterterrorism Intelligence Network
CTR	Cooperative Threat Reduction
CTS	Counterterrorism Section; Commodity Tracking System
CTTSO	Combating Terrorism Technical Support Office
CWIC	Consolidated Web Information Center
CWS	Church World Service
DA	Direct Action; Department of the Army
DANTAN	Detection Avoidance Navigation, Threat Avoidance Navigation
DAO	Defense Attaché Office/Officer
DARPA	Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency
DART	Disaster Assistance Response Team
DAS	Defense Attaché Office/Officer
DATT	Defense Attaché
DBHT	Deeply Buried Hardened Target
DCHA	Bureau for Democracy, Conflict, and Humanitarian Assistance
DCHA/OMA	Bureau for Democracy, Conflict, and Humanitarian Assistance Office of Military Affairs
DCM	Deputy Chief of Mission
DCMA	Deputy to the Commander for Civil-Military Activities; Defense Contract Management Agency
DCMO	Deputy to the Commander for Military Operations; Deputy Chief Military Observer
DCO	Defense Connect Online; Defense Coordinating Officer
DCS	Direct Commercial Sales; Defense Communications System; Defense Courier Service; Deputy Chief of Staff
DCTS	Defense Collaboration Tool Suite
DDC	Distribution Data Center
DDR	Disarmament, Demobilization, and Reintegration
DDS	Dry Deck Shelter
DDSO	Deputy Director, Special Operations
DEA	Drug Enforcement Administration
DEST	Domestic Emergency Support Team
DET	Detachment; Detainee

DFAS	Defense Finance and Accounting Service
DFT	Deployment for Training
DHHS	Department of Health and Human Services
DHS	Defense HUMINT Service; Department of Homeland Security
DIA	Defense Intelligence Agency
DIAC	Defense Intelligence Analysis Center
DIAL	Defense Intelligence Agency Liaison
DIME	Diplomatic, Information, Military, Economic
DIME-FIL	Diplomatic, Information, Military, Economic Finance, Intelligence, Law Enforcement
DIOCC	Defense Intelligence Operations Coordination Center
DIRLAUTH	Direct Liaison Authorized
DIRMOBFOR	Director of Mobility Forces
DIRSPACEFOR	Director of Space Forces
DJIOC	Defense Joint Intelligence Operations Center
DJTAFAC	Deployable Joint Task Force Augmentation Cell
DLCC	Distance Learning Coordination Committee
DMC	Defense and Military Contacts Program
DNI	Director of National Intelligence; Director of Naval Intelligence
DNSA/SC	Deputy National Security Advisor for Strategic Communications
DoA	Department of Agriculture
DoC	Department of Commerce
DoD	Department of Defense
DoDD	Department of Defense Directive
DoDI	Department of Defense Instruction
DoDIIS	Department of Defense Intelligence Information System
DoE	Department of Energy
DoJ	Department of Justice
DoL	Department of Labor
DOMEX	Document and Media Exploitation
DoS	Department of State
DoT	Department of Transportation
DOTMLPF-P	Doctrine, Organization, Training, Materiel, Leadership and Education, Personnel, Facilities, and Policy
DPC	Defense Planning Committee
DR	Disaster Relief

DRL	Bureau of Democracy, Human Rights, and Labor
DS	Bureau of Diplomatic Security; Directorate of Support; Direct Support
DS&T	Directorate of Science and Technology
DSCA	Defense Security Cooperation Agency
DSPD	Defense Support to Public Diplomacy
DSS	Defense Security Service; Diplomatic Security Service
DTA	Dynamic Threat Assessment
DTN	Defeating Terrorist Networks
DTO	Defense Technology Office; Drug Trafficking Organization
DTRA	Defense Threat Reduction Agency
DZ	Drop Zone
EA	Emergency Action; Electronic Attack
E&E	Escape and Evasion
EAM	Emergency Action Message
E&R	Evasion and Recovery
ECA	Educational and Cultural Affairs
ECCM	Electronic Counter-Countermeasures
ECM	Electronic Countermeasures
ECP	Experimentation Campaign Plan
ECTO	Emerging Counterterrorism Opportunity
EDA	Excess Defense Articles
EEB	Bureau of Economic, Energy, and Business Affairs
EEB/CBA	Bureau of Economic, Energy, and Business Affairs/Commercial and Business Affairs
EEB/CIP	Bureau of Economic, Energy, and Business Affairs/International Communications and Information Policy
EEB/EPPD	Bureau of Economic, Energy, and Business Affairs/Economic Policy Analysis and Public Diplomacy
EEB/ESC	Bureau of Economic, Energy, and Business Affairs/Energy, Sanctions, and Commodities
EEB/IFD	Bureau of Economic, Energy, and Business Affairs/International Finance and Development
EEB/TPP	Bureau of Economic, Energy, and Business Affairs/Trade Policy and Programs
EEB/TRA	Bureau of Economic, Energy, and Business Affairs/Transportation Affairs
EEFI	Essential Elements of Friendly Information
E EI	Essential Element of Information
EIPC	Enhanced International Peacekeeping Capabilities

ELINT	Electronic Intelligence
EMCON	Emissions Control
EMERC	Enlisted Military Education Review Council
EMIO	Enhanced Maritime Interdiction Operations
EOB	Electronic Order of Battle
EOD	Explosive Ordnance Disposal
EPR	Enlisted Performance Report
ERO	Enforcement and Removal Operations
ESC	Energy, Sanctions, and Commodities; Executive Steering Committee; Electronic Systems Center
ESF	Economic Support Fund
ESM	Electronic Warfare Support Measures; Expeditionary Site Mapping
ETRP	Expanded Transregional PSYOP
EU	European Union
EUROPOL	European Police Office
EW	Electronic Warfare
EXORD	Executive Order
F3EAD	Find, Fix, Finish, Exploit, Analyze, and Disseminate
FAA	Foreign Assistance Act; Federal Aviation Administration
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization; Foreign Area Officer
FARP	Forward Arming and Refueling Point
FAS	Foreign Agricultural Service
FATA	Federally Administered Tribal Area
FATF	Financial Action Task Force
FBI	Federal Bureau of Investigation
FCC	Functional Combatant Commander; Federal Communications Commission
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
FEST	Foreign Emergency Support Team
FFIR	Friendly Force Information Requirement
FHA	Bureau for Food and Humanitarian Assistance
FHP	Force Health Protection
FID	Foreign Internal Defense
FIG	Field Intelligence Groups
FISA	Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act
FISC	Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court

FITREP	Fitness Report
FLETC	Federal Law Enforcement Training Center
FM	Field Manual; Functional Manager; Financial Management
FMF	Foreign Military Financing; Fleet Marine Force
FMFP	Foreign Military Financing Program
FMS	Foreign Military Sales
FMTU	Foreign Military Training Unit
FO	Flag Officer; Forward Observer
FOB	Forward Operating Base
FOC	Full Operational Capability; Future Operations Cell
FOL	Forward Operating Location
FP	Focal Point; Force Protection
FPB	Fast Patrol Boat
FPOC	Focal Point Operations Center; Force Protection Operations Cell
FPS	Federal Protective Services
FRAGORD	Fragmentary Order
FRO	Flexible Response Option
FSB	Forward Staging Base
FSF	Foreign Security Forces
FSI	Foreign Service Institute
FSP	Field Studies Program
FTFN	Foreign Terrorist and Facilitator Network
FTN	Foreign Threat Network
FTO	Foreign Terrorist Organizations
FTTN	Fiber to the Node
FTTTF	Foreign Terrorist Tracking Task Force
FYI	For Your Information
GAC	Global Analysis Cell
GATE	Global Antiterrorist Environment
GATT	General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
GCA	GWOT Campaign Assessment
GCC	Geographic Combatant Command; Geographic Combatant Commander
GCCS	Global Command and Control System
GCTN	Global Combating Terrorism Network
GDF	Guidance for the Development of the Force

GEF	Guidance for the Employment of the Force
GESCC	Global Engagement Strategy Coordination Committee
GFM	Global Force Management
GFMIG	Global Force Management Implementation Guidance
GI&S	Geospatial Information and Services
GMSC	Global Mission Support Center
GO	General Officer; Government Owned
GPF	General Purpose Forces
GPOI	Global Peace Operations Initiative
GPS	Global Positioning System
GS	General Support; General Service
GSC	Global Synchronization Conference
GSEC	Global Strategic Engagement Center
GSET	Global Strategic Engagement Team
GSPL	GWOT Strategic Priorities List
GW	Guerrilla Warfare
GWOT	Global War on Terrorism
HACC	Humanitarian Assistance Coordination Center
HA/DR	Humanitarian Assistance/Disaster Relief
HAHO	High Altitude High Opening
HALO	High Altitude Low Opening
HAP	Humanitarian Assistance Program
HCA	Humanitarian and Civic Assistance; Head of Contracting Activity
HD	Homeland Defense
HDM	Office of Humanitarian Assistance, Disaster Relief, and Mine Action
HF	High Frequency
HHC	Headquarters and Headquarters Company
HHQ	Higher Headquarters
HIC	Humanitarian Information Center
HIU	Humanitarian Information Unit
HN	Host Nation
HNS	Host Nation Support
HOC	Humanitarian Operations Center
HOPE	Health Opportunities for People Everywhere
HP/PCL	High Priority/Priority Country List

HQ	Headquarters
HQMC	Headquarters Marine Corps
HRS	Humanitarian Relief Service
HSCC	Homeland Security Coordinating Committee
HSI	Homeland Security Investigations
HSIC	Homeland Security Intelligence Council
HSLADS	High Speed Low Level Aerial Delivery System
HSS	Health Service Support
HUMINT	Human Intelligence
HVT/I	High Value Target/Individual
IA	Interagency; Information Assurance; Individual Augmentee
I&A	Office of Intelligence and Analysis
IAA	Intelligence Authorization Act
IAAH	International Alliance Against Hunger
IACG	Interagency Coordination Group
IAEA	International Atomic Energy Agency
IAPP	Interagency Partnership Program
IARPA	Intelligence Advanced Research Projects Activity
IATF	Interagency Task Force
I&W	Indications and Warning
IAW	In Accordance With
IBRD	International Bank for Reconstruction and Development
IC	Intelligence Community
ICAF	Interagency Conflict Assessment Framework
ICD	Initial Capabilities Document; International Cooperation and Development Program
ICE	Immigration and Customs Enforcement
ICITAP	International Crime Investigation Training Assistance Program
ICP	Intelligence Campaign Plan
ICRC	International Committee of the Red Cross
ICW	In Conjunction With; In Coordination With
IDA	International Development Association
IDAD	Internal Defense and Development
IDP	Internally Displaced Person
IE	Intelligence Enterprise
IEC	Interagency Executive Council

IEP	International Engagement Program
IFRC	International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies
IGO	Intergovernmental Organization
IHL	International Humanitarian Law
IIP	International Information Programs
IIR	Intelligence Information Report; Imaging Infrared
IISR	Intrusive Intelligence, Surveillance, and Reconnaissance
IMC	International Medical Corps
IMET	International Military Education and Training
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IMS	Interagency Management System
IN	Office of Intelligence and Counterintelligence
INCLE	International Narcotic Control and Law Enforcement Program
INFOSEC	Information Security
INL	Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs
INR	Bureau of Intelligence and Research
INTERPOL	International Criminal Police Organization
INTERPOL-USNCB	International Criminal Police Organization-United States National Central Bureau
IO	Bureau of International Organization Affairs; Information Operations
IOB	Intelligence Oversight Board
IOC	Interim Operational Capability
IOM	International Organization for Migration
IOT	In Order To; Information Operations Team
IOTF	Information Operations Task Force
IPC	Interagency Policy Committee; Interagency Planning Cell
IPI	Indigenous Populations and Institutions
IPR	In-Progress Review; In-Process Review
IRC	International Red Cross; International Rescue Committee
IRCM	Infrared Countermeasures
IRR	Individual Ready Reserve
IRTPA	Intelligence Reform and Terrorist Prevention Act
ISAF	International Security and Assistance Force
ISB	Intermediate Staging Base
ISC	Information Sharing Council
ISD	Instructional Systems Development

ISE	Information Sharing Element; Information Sharing Environment; Intelligence Support Element
ISN	Bureau of International Security and Nonproliferation
ISN/RA	Bureau of International Security and Nonproliferation Office of Regional Affairs
ISO	In Support of; Office of International Security Operations
ISOF	Introduction to Special Operations Forces
ISOPREP	Isolated Personnel Report
ISPI	International Stabilization and Peace-building Initiative
ISR	Intelligence, Surveillance, and Reconnaissance
ISSF	Iraq Security Sector Fund
ITACG	Interagency Threat Assessment and Coordination Group
ITC	Individual Training Course
IW	Irregular Warfare
IWS	Information Work Space
J1	Personnel Directorate
J2	Intelligence Directorate
J3	Operations Directorate
J4	Acquisition and Logistics Directorate
J5	Strategy, Plans, and Policy Directorate
J6	Communications Systems Directorate
J7/9	Knowledge, Training, and Futures Directorate
J8	Force Structure, Resources, and Assessment Directorate
JAOC	Joint Air Operations Center
JASORS	Joint Advanced Special Operations Radio System
JAWS	Joint Advanced Warfighting School
JCD&E	Joint Concept Development and Experimentation
JCET	Joint Combined Exchange Training
JCIWC	Joint Contemporary Insurgent Warfare Course
JCMOCPW	Joint Civil Military Operations Campaign Planning Workshop
JCMOTF	Joint Civil Military Operations Task Force
JCRM	Joint Capabilities Requirements Management
JCS	Joint Chiefs of Staff
JCSE	Joint Communications Support Element
JCWS	Joint and Combined Warfighting School
JFACC	Joint Force Air Component Commander
JFC	Joint Force Commander

JFCC-ISR	Joint Functional Component Command for Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance
JFKSWCS	John F. Kennedy Special Warfare Center and School
JFLCC	Joint Force Land Component Commander
JFMCC	Joint Force Maritime Component Commander
JFSC	Joint Forces Staff College
JFSOC	Joint Force Special Operations Component
JFSOCC	Joint Force Special Operations Component Commander
JI	Jemaah Islamiyah
JIACG	Joint Interagency Coordination Group
JI&I	Joint Interoperability and Integration
JIANT	JSOC Information Automation Network
JIATF	Joint Interagency Task Force
JIC	Joint Integrating Concept; Joint Intelligence Center; Joint Information Center
JICC	Joint Intelligence Community Council; Joint Interagency Collaboration Center; Joint Information Coordination Center
JIOC	Joint Information Operations Center; Joint Intelligence Operations Center
JIPOE	Joint Intelligence Preparation of the Operational Environment
JIPTL	Joint Integrated Prioritized Target List
JISE	Joint Intelligence Support Element
JITF-CT	Joint Intelligence Task Force for Combating Terrorism
JLASS	Joint Land, Air, Sea, and Space Simulation
JLLIS	Joint Lessons Learned Information System
JMD	Joint Manning Document
JMET	Joint Mobile Education Team; Joint Mission Essential Task
JMISOTF	Joint Military Information Operations Task Force
JMMS	Joint Multimission Submersible
JNCC	Joint Network Operations Control Center
JOA	Joint Operations Area
JOC	Joint Operations Center
JOG	Joint Operations Graphic
JOPES	Joint Operations Planning and Execution System
JOPP	Joint Operations Planning Process
JP	Joint Publication
JPB	Joint Planning Board
JPG	Joint Planning Group

JPRC	Joint Personnel Recovery Center
JRCC	Joint Rescue Coordination Center
JSCP	Joint Strategic Capabilities Plan
JSIVA	Joint Staff Integrated Vulnerability Assessment
JSOA	Joint Special Operations Area
JSOAC	Joint Special Operations Air Component
JSOACC	Joint Special Operations Air Component Commander
JSOC	Joint Special Operations Command
JSOFPCC	Joint Special Operations Forces Pre-Command Course
JSOFSEA	Joint Special Operations Forces Senior Enlisted Academy
JSOFSILOS	Joint Special Operations Forces Senior Intelligence Leaders Orientation Seminar
JSOIWA	Joint Special Operations Irregular Warfare Advanced
JSQLAC	Joint Special Operations Legal Advisors Course
JMOMOC	Joint Special Operations Medical Orientation Course
JMOSE	Joint Special Operations Support Element
JMOSOC	Joint Special Operations Staff Officer Course
JMOTF	Joint Special Operations Task Force
JMOU	Joint Special Operations University
JMOWC	Joint Special Operations Warfighter Certificate
JMTAR	Joint Tactical Air Request
JMTCB	Joint Targeting Coordination Board
JMTD	Joint Table of Distribution
JMTF	Joint Task Force
JMTTF	Joint Terrorism Task Force
JMTTP	Joint Tactics, Techniques, and Procedures
JMTTP/MTTP	Joint Tactics, Techniques, and Procedures/Multiservice Tactics, Techniques, and Procedures
JMWAC	Joint Warfare Analysis Center
JMWICS	Joint Worldwide Intelligence Communications System
JMLE	Key Leader Engagement
JMLE	Law Enforcement
JMLeT	Lashkar-e Tayyiba
JMLFA	Lead Federal Agency
JMLNO	Liaison Officer
JMLOA	Letter of Assist; Letter of Offer and Acceptance
JMLOAC	Law of Armed Conflict

LOC	Line of Communications; Logistics Operations Center
LOGSU	Logistics Support Unit
LOOs	Logical Lines of Operation
MA	Management and Administration
MAGTF	Marine Air-Ground Task Force
MANPADS	Man-Portable Air Defense System
MANSINT	Measurement and Signatures Intelligence
MARLO	Marine Liaison
MARSOC	Marine Corps Forces Special Operations Command
MARSOF	Marine Corps Special Operations Forces
MATC	Mini-Armored Troop Carrier
MAVNI	Military Accessions Vital to National Interest
MAVT	Mapping and Visualization Team
MBN	Middle East Broadcasting Networks, Inc.
MC	Military Committee
MCCT	Mobile Command Communications Team
MCD	Mobile Communication Detachment
MCIA	Marine Corps Intelligence Activity
MCPO	Master Chief Petty Officer
MCPPI	Marine Corps Planning Process
MCS	Military Capabilities Study
MCU	Marine Corps University
MD	Military Diplomacy
MDMP	Military Decision-Making Process
METL	Mission Essential Task List
METOC	Meteorological and Oceanographic
MEU	Marine Expeditionary Unit
MFP	Major Force Program
MHE	Materials Handling Equipment
MI	Military Intelligence
MILCON	Military Intelligence Construction
MILDEC	Military Intelligence Deception
MILDEP	Military Intelligence Department
MILGP	Military Intelligence Group
MIP	Military Intelligence Program

MISG	Military Information Support Group
MISO	Military Information Support Operations
MISOC	Military Information Support Operations Command
MIST	Military Information Support Team
MLE	Military Liaison Element; Maritime Law Enforcement
MOA	Memorandum of Agreement; Military Operating Area
MOE	Measures of Effectiveness
MOIC	Methods of Instruction Course
MOP	Measures of Performance
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MPA	Mission Planning Agent
MSA	Mission Support Agency
MSF	<i>Médecins Sans Frontières</i> /Doctors Without Borders
MSG	United States Marine Security Guard
MSOAG	Marine Special Operations Advisory Group
MSOB	Marine Special Operations Battalion
MSOC	Marine Special Operations Company
MSOR	Marine Special Operations Regiment
MSOS	Marine Special Operations School
MSOSG	Marine Special Operations Support Group
MSOT	Marine Special Operations Team
MTG	Master Training Guide
MTT	Mobile Training Team
NA	Nation Assistance
NAB	Naval Amphibious Base
NADR	Nonproliferation, Antiterrorism, Demining, and Related Programs
NALE	Navy Liaison Element
NAR	Nonconventional Assisted Recovery
NAS	Naval Air Station
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
NAVOCEANO	Navy Oceanographic Office
NAVSOC	Naval Special Operations Command
NAVSOF	Naval Special Operations Forces
NAVSPECWARCEN	Naval Special Warfare Center
NAVSPECWARCOM	Naval Special Warfare Command

NAVSPECWARDEVGRU	Naval Special Warfare Development Group
NCA	National Command Authorities
NCC	Naval Component Command
NCES	Net-Centric Enterprise Services
NCIC	National Crime Information Center
NCIRC	National Criminal Intelligence Resource Center
NCIX	National Counterintelligence Executive
NCO	Narcotics Control Officer; Noncommissioned Officer; Noncombat Operations
NCOER	Noncommissioned Officer Evaluation Report
NCPC	National Counter-Proliferation Center
NCR	National Capital Region
NCS	National Clandestine Service
NCTC	National Counterterrorism Center
N-DEx	Law Enforcement National Data Exchange
NDIC	National Defense Intelligence College, National Drug Intelligence Center
NDS	National Defense Strategy
NDU	National Defense University
NEO	Noncombatant Evacuation Operation
NGA	National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency
NGO	Nongovernmental Organization
NIC	National Intelligence Council
NICC	National Intelligence Coordination Center
NIE	National Intelligence Estimate
NIMA	National Imagery and Mapping Agency
NIP	National Implementation Plan; National Intelligence Program
NIPF	National Intelligence Priorities Framework
NIRT	Nuclear Incident Reporting Team
NISP	National Intelligence Support Plan
NIST	National Intelligence Support Team
NIU	National Intelligence University
NJTTF	National Joint Terrorism Task Force
NM	Nautical Miles; Network Management
NMCC	National Military Command Center
NMIC	National Maritime Intelligence Center
NMJIC	National Military Joint Intelligence Center

NMS	National Military Strategy
NMSP-WOT	National Military Strategic Plan for the War on Terrorism
NN	Office of National Security Intelligence
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NOD	Night Observation Devices
NOL	NCTC Online
NORTHCOM	United States Northern Command
NOSG	Naval Operations Support Group
NPS	Naval Postgraduate School
NR	Naval Reserve
NRF	Naval Reserve Force; National Response Framework
NRO	National Reconnaissance Office
NRP	National Reconnaissance Program; National Response Plan
NSA/CSS	National Security Agency/Central Security Service
NSAV	Nonstandard Aviation
NSB	National Security Branch
NSC	National Security Council
NSC/DC	National Security Council/Deputy's Committee
NSC/IPC	National Security Council/Interagency Policy Committee
NSC/PC	National Security Council/Principal's Committee
NSC/PCC	National Security Council/Policy Coordinating Committees
NSCT	National Strategy for Combating Terrorism
NSD	National Security Division
NSG	National System for Geospatial Intelligence
NSPD	National Security Presidential Directive
NSS	National Security Staff; National Security Strategy
NSS/GE	National Security Staff, Directorate for Global Engagement
NSW	Naval Special Warfare
NSWC	Naval Special Warfare Center
NSW DEVGRU	Naval Special Warfare Development Group
NSWG	Naval Special Warfare Group
NSWTE	Naval Special Warfare Task Element
NSWTG	Naval Special Warfare Task Group
NSWTU	Naval Special Warfare Task Unit
NSWU	Naval Special Warfare Unit

NTC	National Targeting Center
NTM-A	NATO Training Mission-Afghanistan
NVG	Night-Vision Goggles
NWC	Naval War College
NWP	Navy Warfare Publication
OA	Objective Area; Operational Area
OAA	Operations, Activities, and Actions
O&M	Operation and Maintenance
OAS	Organization of American States; Offensive Air Support
OAS/CICTE	Organization of American States/Inter-American Committee Against Terrorism
OASD/PA	Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Public Affairs
OCHA	Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs
OCONUS	Outside the Continental United States
ODA	Operational Detachment Alpha
ODB	Operational Detachment Bravo
OE	Operational Environment
OEF-TS	Operation Enduring Freedom-Trans Sahara
OFAC	Office of Foreign Assets Control
OFDA	Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance
OGA	Other Government Agency
OHDACA	Overseas Humanitarian, Disaster Assistance, and Civic Aid
O/I	Operations/Intel
OIA	Office of Intelligence and Analysis
OIPR	Office of Intelligence Policy and Review
OJP	Office of Justice Programs
OJVOT	Office of Justice for Victims of Overseas Terrorism
OMB	Office of Management and Budget
ONI	Office of Naval Intelligence
ONSI	Office of National Security Intelligence
O/O	On Order
OPCON	Operational Control
OPCW	Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons
OPDAT	Office of Overseas Prosecutorial Development, Assistance, and Training
OPE	Operational Preparation of the Environment
OPG	Operations Planning Group

OPIC	Overseas Private Investment Corporation
OPLAN	Operation Plan
OPMEP	Officer Professional Military Education Policy
OPORD	Operation Order
OPSEC	Operations Security
OPT	Operational Planning Team
OPTEMPO	Operational Tempo
ORF	Organizational Representation Fund
OSAC	Overseas Security Advisory Council
OSC	Operational Support Command
OSCE	Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe
OSD	Office of the Secretary of Defense
OSES	Open Source Exploitation System
OSINT	Open Source Intelligence
OSIP	Open Source Intelligence Product
OSS	Office of Strategic Services
OTA	Office of Technical Assistance; Office of Terrorism Analysis
OTI	Office of Transnational Issues
OUSD/I	Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence
OUSD/P	Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Policy
OXFAM	Oxford Committee for Famine Relief
PA	Public Affairs
PAO	Public Affairs Office(r)
PB	Patrol Boat
PBL	Patrol Boat Light
PBR	Patrol Boat Riverine
PC	Priority Country; Patrol Craft
PCA	Posse Comitatus Act
PCC	Policy Coordination Committee
PD	Public Diplomacy; Program Director
PDB	President's Daily Brief
PDD	Presidential Decision Directive
PDOD	Public Diplomacy Office Director
PDP	Partner Development Plan
PDSS	Predeployment Site Survey

PED	Processing, Exploitation, and Dissemination
PE/OPE	Preparation of the Environment/Operational Preparation of the Environment
PIAB	President's Intelligence Advisory Board
PIG	Priority Intelligence Group
PIR	Priority Intelligence Requirement
PJ	Pararescue Jumper
PKO	Peacekeeping Operations
PKSOI	Peacekeeping and Stability Operations Institute
PM	Bureau of Political-Military Affairs
PM/PPA	Bureau of Political-Military Affairs/Office of Plans, Policy, and Analysis
PME	Professional Military Education
PN	Partner Nation
PO	Peace Operations
POA	Partners of the Americas; Plan of Action
POC	Point of Contact
POLAD	Political Advisor
POTUS	President of the United States
PPBE	Planning, Programming, Budgeting, and Execution
PPD	Presidential Policy Directive; Program Planning Document
PR	Personnel Recovery
PREPO	Prepositioned; Repositioning
PRM	Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration
PRT	Provincial Reconstruction Team
PSI	Proliferation Security Initiative
PTO	Pilot Team Operations
QDDR	Quadrennial Diplomacy and Development Review
QDR	Quadrennial Defense Review
RAP	Regional Action Plan; Review and Approval Process
R&S	Reconnaissance and Surveillance; Reconstruction and Stabilization
RATTV	Rescue All Terrain Vehicle
RC	Regional Command; Reserve Component
RDEC	Research and Development Center
RDT&E	Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation
REL	Releasable; Relative
REQCONF	Request Confirmation

RFA	Radio Free Asia; Request For Assistance
RFE/RL	Radio Free Europe/Radio Liberty
RFF	Request for Forces
RFI	Request for Information
RGR	Ranger
RGT	Regiment
RI	Refugees International
RIB	Rigid Inflatable Boat
RIP	Reconstitute in Place; Rewards Information Program
RIST	Regional Information Support Team
RLA	Resident Legal Advisor
ROE	Rules of Engagement
ROK	Republic of Korea
ROKN	Republic of Korea Navy
R/PPR	Office of Policy, Planning, and Resources for Public Diplomacy and Public Affairs
RSE	Ranger Support Element
RSM	Regimental Sergeant Major
RSO	Regional Security Officer
RSOI	Reception, Staging, Onward Movement, and Integration
RSOV	Ranger Special Operations Vehicle
RST	Regional Survey Team; Religious Support Team
RWG	Regional Working Group
RWOT/SWOT	Regional War on Terrorism/Supporting War on Terrorism
SA	Security Assistance; Situational Awareness
SACEUR	Supreme Allied Commander Europe
SAO	Security Assistance Officer; Security Assistance Organization
SAR	Search and Rescue
SASO	Stability and Support Operations
SATCOM	Satellite Communications
SA/WSO	Salvation Army World Service Office
SBT	Special Boat Team
SBTP	Special Boat Team Troop
SBTP-C	Special Boat Team-Coastal
SBTP-R	Special Boat Team-Riverine
SC3	SOCOM Combatant Command Course

SC	Strategic Communication; Security Cooperation
SCA	Support to Civil Administration
SCETWG	Security Cooperation Education and Training Working Group
SCI	Sensitive Compartmented Information
SCIF	Sensitive Compartmented Information Facility
SCO	Security Cooperation Officer; Security Cooperation Organization
SCP	Security Cooperation Plan
S/CRS	Office of the Coordinator for Reconstruction and Stabilization
S/CT	Office of the Coordinator for Counterterrorism
SC/US	Save the Children Federation, Inc.
SDGE	Senior Director for Global Engagement
SDME	Strategic Decision-Making Exercise
SDO	Senior Defense Official; Staff Duty Officer
SDV	SEAL Delivery Vehicle
SDVT	SEAL Delivery Vehicle Team
SEA	Senior Enlisted Advisor; Southeast Asia
SEAL	Sea-Air-Land
SEALTP	Sea-Air-Land Troop
SECDEF	Secretary of Defense
SEG	Strategic Engagement Group
SERE	Survival, Evasion, Resistance, and Escape
SF	Special Forces
SFA	Security Force Assistance
SFG	Special Forces Group
SFG(A)	Special Forces Group (Airborne)
SFOB	Special Forces Operational Base
SFOD	Special Forces Operational Detachment
SGM	Sergeant Major
SHOC	Special HUMINT Operations Cell
SIE	SOF Information Environment
SIG	Signal
SIGINT	Signals Intelligence
SIOC	Strategic Information and Operations Center
SIPRNET	Secret Internet Protocol Router Network
SJA	Staff Judge Advocate

SJFHQ	Standing Joint Force Headquarters
SME	Subject Matter Expert
SMEE	Subject Matter Expert Exchange
SMTB	Special Missions Training Branch
SNEP	Sovereign Nation Engagement Plan
SO	Special Operations
SOA	Special Operations Area; Special Operations Aviation
SOAG	Special Operations Aviation Group
SOB	Sample of Behavior
SOC	Special Operations Capable; Special Operations Command; Special Operations Craft
SOCAFRICA	Special Operations Command Africa
SOCbT	Special Operations Combating Terrorism
SOC	Special Operations Control Center
SOCCE	Special Operations Command and Control Element
SOCENT	Special Operations Command Central
SOCEUR	Special Operations Command Europe
SOC-JC	Special Operations Command-Joint Capabilities
SOCKOR	Special Operations Command Korea
SOCOM	United States Special Operations Command
SOC	Special Operations Command, Pacific
SOC-R	Special Operations Craft-Riverine
SOCRATES	Special Operations Command Research, Analysis, and Threat Evaluation System
SOC	Special Operations Command South
SOD	Special Operations Division
SODARS	Special Operations Debrief and Retrieval System
SOF	Special Operations Forces
SOFA	Status of Forces Agreement
SOFIACC	Special Operations Forces Interagency Collaboration Course
SOFM	Special Operations Center for Financial Management
SOFSA	Special Operations Forces Support Activity
SOFSEC	Special Operations Forces Senior Enlisted Course
SOG	Special Operations Group
SOJICC	Special Operations Joint Interagency Collaboration Center
SOJTF	Special Operations Joint Task Force
SOLE	Special Operations Liaison Element

SOLL	Special Operations Low Level
SOLO	Special Operations Liaison Officer
SOP	Standard Operating Procedure
SOPC	Special Operations Planning Course
SOPLE	Special Operational Planning Liaison Element
SOR	Statement of Requirement
SORDAC	Special Operations Research, Development, and Acquisition Center
SOS	Special Operations Squadron
SOSG	Special Operations Support Group
SOST	Special Operations Support Team
SOSTOC	Special Operations Support Team Orientation Course
SOTF	Special Operations Task Force
SOW	Special Operations Wing
SOWT	Special Operations Weather Team
S/P	Policy Planning Staff
SPP	Strategic Planning Process
SPTCONF	Support Confirmation
SPTREQ	Support Request
SR	Special Reconnaissance
SROE	Standing Rules of Engagement
SSC	Special Security Center; Surveillance Support Center
SSE	Sensitive Site Exploitation
SSO	Special Security Office
SSR	Security Sector Reform; Senior SOF Representative; Special Security Representative
STAR	Sensitive Target Approval and Review
STO	Special Technical Operations
STS	Special Tactics Squadron
STT	Special Tactics Team
SUPPACT	Support Activity
SVTC	Secure Video Teleconference
SWAT	Special Weapons and Tactics
SWCC	Special Warfare Combatant-craft Crewmen
SYNCHORDS	Synchronization Order
TA	Target Audience
TACON	Tactical Control

TARS	Theater Airborne Reconnaissance System
TCN	Third Country National
TCP	Theater Campaign Plan
TEL	Terrorist Exclusions List
TF	Task Force
TFFC	Office of Terrorist Financing and Financial Crimes
TFI	Office of Terrorism and Financial Intelligence
TFOS	Terrorism Financing Operations Section
TF/TA	Terrain Following/Terrain Avoidance
THREATCON	Terrorist Threat Condition
TIC	Troops in Contact
TIDE	Terrorist Identities Datamart Environment
TIP	Target Intelligence Package; Terrorist Interdiction Program
TIVASD	Terrorism and International Victim Assistance Services Division
TNT	Transnational Threats, Threat Finance and Counternarcotics Terrorism
TOA	Transfer of Authority
TOC	Tactical Operations Center
TOE	Table of Organization and Equipment
TOR	Terms of Reference
TOS	Theater Operating System
TOT	Time on Target
TPFDD	Time-Phased Force and Deployment Document
TRADET	Training Detachment
TRP	Transregional Psychological Operations; Target Reference Point
TRWI	Transregional Web Initiative
TSA	Transportation Security Administration
TSC	Terrorist Screening Center; Theater Security Cooperation; Theater Support Command
TSCP	Theater Security Cooperation Plan
TSCTP	Trans Sahara Counterterrorism Partnership
TSOC	Theater Special Operations Command
TST	Time-Sensitive Target; Tactical Support Team
TSWG	Technical Support Working Group
TTP	Tactics, Techniques, and Procedures
TTP&E	Tactics, Techniques, Procedures, and Equipment
UAR	Unconventional Assisted Recovery

UAS	Unmanned Aerial System; Unmanned Aircraft System
UAV	Unmanned Aerial Vehicle
UCMJ	Uniform Code of Military Justice
UCP	Unified Command Plan
UDT	Underwater Demolition Team
UFAC	Underground Facility Analysis Center
UHF	Ultra-High Frequency
UN	United Nations
UNAMA	United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan
UNDMT	United Nations Disaster Management Team
UNDP	United Nations Development Program
UNDPKO	United Nations Department for Peacekeeping Operations
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
UNHCHR	United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights
UNHCR	United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
UNHOC	United Nations Humanitarian Operations Center
UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund
UNJLC	United Nations Joint Logistics Center
UNMACA	United Nations Mine Action Center for Afghanistan
UNRWA	United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Middle East
USA for UNHCR	United States Association for the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
USACIL	United States Army Criminal Investigation Laboratory
USAF	United States Air Force
USAFRICOM	United States Africa Command
USAFSOS	United States Air Force Special Operations School
USAID	United States Agency for International Development
USAID/FFP	United States Agency for International Development/Office for Food for Peace
USAID/OFDA	United States Agency for International Development/Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance
USAID/OTI	United States Agency for International Development/Office of Transition Initiatives
USAR	United States Army Reserve
USARC	United States Army Reserve Command
USASOC	United States Army Special Operations Command
USC	United States Code
USCENTCOM	United States Central Command

USCG	United States Coast Guard
USCIS	United States Citizenship and Immigration Services
USCYBERCOM	United States Cyber Command
USDAO	United States Defense Attaché Office
USD(A&T)	Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology
USD(AT&L)	Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics
USD(C)	Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller)
USD(I)	Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence
USD(P&R)	United Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness
USD(P)	United Secretary of Defense for Policy
USD(R&E)	United Secretary of Defense for Research and Engineering
USDR	United States Defense Representative
USEUCOM	United States European Command
USG	United States Government
USIA	United States Information Agency
USNORTHCOM	United States Northern Command
USPACOM	United States Pacific Command
USSOCOM	United States Special Operations Command
USSOCOM/IATF	United States Special Operations Command Interagency Task Force
USSOCOM JICC	United States Special Operations Command Joint Interagency Collaboration Center
USSOCOM JOC	United States Special Operations Command Joint Operations Center
USSOUTHCOM	United States Southern Command
USSS	United States Secret Service
USSTRATCOM	United States Strategic Command
USTRANSCOM	United States Transportation Command
UW	Unconventional Warfare
VCTN	Virtual Counterterrorism Network
VEG	Violent Extremist Group
VEO	Violent Extremist Organization
VHF	Very High Frequency
VLS	Vertical Launch System
VOA	Voice of America
VSCC	Village Stability Coordination Center
VSO	Village Stability Operations
VSP	Village Stability Platform

WANGO	World Association of Nongovernmental Organizations
WARCOM	Naval Special Warfare Command
WARNORD	Warning Order
WFC	Warfighter Challenge
WFP	World Food Program
WHEM	Western Hemisphere
WHO	World Health Organization
WIC	Web Information Center
WIF	Warsaw Initiative Fund
WINPAC	Weapons, Intelligence, Nonproliferation, and Arms Control Center
WIRe	World Intelligence Review
WMD	Weapons of Mass Destruction
WO	Washington Office
WOT	War on Terrorism
WRI	World Relief Institute
WTO	World Trade Organization
WVUS	World Vision United States