	Military Abbreviations
А	Acting Or Assistant Or Army
AA OR A/A	Anti-Aircraft
AA&QMG	Assistant Adjutant & Quartermaster-General
AADC	Anti-Aircraft Defence Command
AACC	Australian Army Catering Corps
AACS	Australian Army Canteen Service
AACS	Army Airways Communications System
AACU	Anti-Aircraft Co-Operation Unit
AAF	Army Air Forces
AAG	Assistant Adjutant-General
AAL	Australian Air League
AALU	Australian Air Liaison Unit
ААМС	Australian Army Medical Corps
AAMWS	Australian Army Medical Women'S Service
AANS	Australian Army Nursing Service
AAOC	Australian Army Ordnance Corps
AASC	Australian Army Service Corps
AASL	Anti-Aircraft Searchlight
AAU	Air Ambulance Unit
AB	Able Bodied (Seaman)
ABD	Advanced Base Depot
ABDA	American-British-Dutch-Australian
ABDACOM	American British Dutch And Australian Command
ABO	Air Board Order
A/C	Aircraft
AC	Aircraftman
ACAUST	Air Commander Australia
ACCS	Aust Casualty Clearing Station
ACF	Australian Comforts Fund
АСН	Area Combined Headquarters
АСН	Australian Camp Hospital
ACNB	Australian Commonwealth Naval Board
ACNS	Assistant Chief Of Naval Staff
ACOFS	Assistant Chief Of Staff
ACS	Airfield Construction Squadron
ACSEA	Air Command, South-East Asia
АСТ	Acting
ACW	Aircraftwoman
AD	Aircraft Depot
ADC	Aide-De-Camp
ADF	Australian Defence Force

ADGMS	Assistant Director-General Medical Services
ADHQ	Air Defence Headquarters
ADM	Admiral
	Administration
ADML	Admiral
	Assistant Director Of Military Intelligence
ADMS	Assistant Director Medical Services
ADOS	Assistant Director Ordnance Services
ADS	Advanced Dressing Station
ADST	Assistant Director Of Supply And Transport
ADS&T	Assistant Director Of Stores And Transport
ADV	Advanced
ADVATIS	Advanced Atis
ADV LHQ	Advanced Land Headquarters
	Advanced Echelon
AEME	Australian Electrical And Mechanical Engineers
AEW&C	Airborne Early Warning And Control
AFC	Australian Flying Corps Or Air Force Cross
AFA	Air Force Association
AFCA	Australian Flying Corps Association
AFHQ	Air Force Headquarters
AFO	Admiralty Fleet Order
AFO	Air Force Orders
AFO	Air Fitter, Ordnance
AFPAC	Army Forces, Pacific
AFPO	Armed Forces Post Office
AFTS	Applied Flying Training School
AFTU	Air Fighter Training Unit
AFW	Aust Field Workshops
AG	Adjutant-General
AG	Air Gunner
AGH	Australian General Hospital
AGRS	American Graves Registration Service (Us Army)
AGS	Allied Geographical Section
AHQ	Air Headquarters Or Army Headquarters
AIB	Allied Intelligence Bureau
AIC	Australian Instructional Corps Or Australian Intelligence Corps
AIF	Australian Imperial Force
AIR CMDRE	Air Commodore
AIS	Aviation Instructional Staff
AITB	Aust Infantry Training Battalion
АКА	Attack Cargo Ship

ALC	Australian Landing Craft
ALO	Air Liaison Officer
	United States Naval Attache
АМВ	Ambulance
	Armed Merchant Cruiser
AMCROSS	American Red Cross
AMF	Australian Military Forces
АМОЕ	Air Member For Organisation And Equipment
AMP	Air Member For Personnel
AMS	Air Member For Supply Or Australian Minesweepers
AMSE	Air Member For Supply And Equipment
AN&MEF	Australian Naval And Military Expeditionary Force
	Australian National Council Of Women
ANF	Australian Naval Forces
ANGAU	Australian New Guinea Administrative Unit
ANLO	Australian Naval Liaison Officer
ANPB	Army Navy Petroleum Board
ANS	Air Navigation School
ANSIA	Army Navy Shipping Information Agency
AO	Area Of Operations
АОВ	Advanced Operational Base
AOC	Air Officer Commanding
AOD	Army Ordnance Department
AOC-IN-C	Air Officer Commanding-In-Chief
AOP	Air Observation Post
AOS	Air Observers' School
ΑΡΑ	Attack Transport
APD	Destroyer-Transport Or Transport, High-Speed
ΑΡΟ	Army Post Office
APU	Aircraft Performance Unit
AQMG	Assistant Quartermaster General
AR	Army Regulations
ARA	Australian Regular Army
ARC	Aircrew Reception Centre
ARC	American Red Cross
ARCS	Australian Red Cross Society
ARD	Aircraft Repair Depot Or Aircraft Receiving Depot
ARDU	Aircraft Research And Development Unit
ARMD	Armoured
ARO	Admiralty Reporting Officer
ARP	Air Raid Precautions
ARTY	Artillery

ASIR	Australian Station Intelligence Report
ASIS	
ASIS	Summary Armament Stores Issuing Ship
	Amament Stores issuing Ship Assistant Section Officer
ASO	
A/SR	Air-Sea Rescue
ASR	Air-Sea Rescue Flight
ASRF	Air-Sea Rescue Flight
ASST	Assistant
A/SW	Anti-Submarine Warfare
ASW	Anti-Submarine Warfare
ASWG	Australian Special Wireless Group
ASWS	Australian Special Wireless Section
A-TK or ATNK	Anti-Tank
АТС	Air Training Corps
АТС	Air Transport Command (Us)
ATD	Actual Time Of Departure
ATF	Australian Task Force
ATIS	Allied Translator And Interpreter Section
AUS	Army Of The U.S.
AUSTCROSS	Australian Red Cross
AVG	American Volunteer Group
AVM	Air Vice-Marshall
AWA	Amalgamated Wireless Of Australia
AWAS	Australian Women'S Army Service
AWC	Advisory War Council
AWFC	Australian Women'S Flying Club
AWL	Absent Without Leave
AWLA	Australian Women'S Land Army
AWM	Australian War Memorial
AWS	Air Warning Service
BAGS	Bombing And Air Gunnery School
BAMS	Broadcasts To Allied Merchant Ships
ВАТ	Battery
BATAAN	Codeword For Lennons Hotel In Brisbane
BBCAU	British Borneo Civil Affairs Unit
ВСАТР	British Commonwealth Air Training Plan (Eats Canada)
BCOF	British Commonwealth Occupation Force
BDE	Brigade
BDR	Bombadier
BEF	British Expeditionary Force
BFTS	Basic Flying Training School
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BGGS	Brigadier-General, General Staff
BGH	British General Hospital
BGS	Brigadier, General Staff
BHQ	Battery Headquarters
ВМ	Brigade Major
BN	Battalion
BOQ	Batchelors' Officers Quarters
ВОМ	Bombadier
BOR	Battery Operations Room
BOWO	Brigade Ordnance Warrant Officer
BPSO	Base Personnel Staff Office
BRIG	Brigadier
BRIGGEN	Brigadier General
BSIPDF	British Solomon Islands Protectorate Defence Force
BSU	Base Service Unit
втү	Battery
BTU	Base Torpedo Unit
BUDOCKS	Bureau Of Yards And Docks (Us Navy)
BUPERS	Bureau Of Naval Personnel (Us Navy)
CA (AA)	Coast Artillery (Anti-Aircraft)
CAA	Civil Aeronautics Authority
CAC	Commonwealth Aircraft Corporation
CAF	Citizen Air Force Or Chief Of Air Force
САМ	Chief Air Marshall
САРТ	Captain
C & R	Convoy & Routing
CARU	Control And Reporting Unit
CAS	Chief Of Air Staff
CASAC	Chief Of The Air Staff Advisory Committee
CASC	Commander, Army Service Corps
CATF	China Air Task Force
CAV	Cavalry
CB OR CBB	Central Bureau Or Central Bureau Brisbane
СВС	Careening Bay Camp
CCD	Civil Censorship Detachment
CCF	Chinese Communist Forces
CCRA	Commander, Corps Royal Artillery
ccs	Combined Chiefs Of Staff Or Casualty Clearing Station
ccs	Casualty Clearing Station
CD	Command
CDF	Chief Of The Defence Force
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CDFS	Chief Of The Defence Force Staff
CDH	Combined Defence Headquarters
CDL	Civil Defence Legion (Tasmania)
CDO	Commando
CE	Controller Of Equipment (Raaf) Or Corps Of Engineers
CDR	Commander
CE	Chief Engineer
CENPAC	Central Pacific
CEO	Chief Equipment Officer
CFD	Commander Of Fixed Defences
CFI	Chief Flying Instructor
CFS	Central Flying School
CG	Coast Guard
CGCF	Commonwealth Government Clothing Factory
CGI	Chief Ground Instructor Or Chief Gunnery Instructor
CGM	Conspicuous Gallantry Medal
CGS	Chief Of The General Staff
СНQ	Company Headquarters
СІ	Chief Instructor
CIA	Central Intelligence Agency
СІВ	Commonwealth Investigation Branch
СІВ	Combat Infantry Badge
СІС	Counter Intelligence Corps Or Combat Intelligence Centre
CID	Criminal Investigation Division
CI DIV	Counter Intelligence Division
CIGS	Chief Of The Imperial General Staff
C-IN-C	Commander-In-Chief
CINC	Commander-In-Chief
CINCAFPAC	Commander In Chief, Army Forces Pacific
CINCFE	Commander In Chief, Far East
CINPAC	Commander In Chief, Pacific
CINCPOA	Commander In Chief, Pacific Ocean Area
CINCUS	Commander In Chief, U.S. Fleet
CIS	Civil Intelligence Section
CIU	Communications Intelligence Unit Or Combat Intelligence Unit
CMF	Citizen Military Forces
CNF	Commonwealth Naval Forces
CNS	Chief Of The Naval Staff
со	Commanding Officer
сос	Commander Of Command
сою	Combined Operations Intelligence Centre
COL	Colonel Or Column
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COL GS	Colonel, General Staff
COMAIRSOLS	Command Air Solomons
COMAIRSOPAC	Commander Aircraft South Pacific
PAC	Commander, Amphibious Forces, South Australia
COMAST	Commander Australian Theatre
COMD	Commanded, Command Or Commander
COMDT	Commandant
COMFIS	Combined Field Intelligence Service (Later Nea)
COMFLOT	Commodore Flotillas
COMGENSOPAC	Commanding General, South Pacific
COMINCH	Commander In Chief (Us)
COMMN	Communication
COMNAVFE	Commander, Naval Forces Far East
COMSOPAC	Commander, South Pacific (Usn)
COFS	Chief Of Staff
СООР	Craft Of Opportunity
COR	Company Operations Room
C OF S	Chief Of Staff
COSSAC	Chief Of Staff To The Supreme Allied Commander
cosc	Chiefs Of Staff Committee
COTCPAC	Commander Operational Training Command, Pacific
СОҮ	Company
CPL	Corporal
СРО	Chief Petty Officer
CQMS	Company Quartermaster Sergeant
CRA	Commander, Royal Artillery (Of A Division)
CRE	Commander, Royal Engineers (Of A Division)
CS	Chief Of Staff
C/S	Check Sheet
CSDIC	Combined Services Detailed Interrogation Centre
CSG	Combat Support Group
CSM	Company Sergeant Major
CSO	Chief Signal Officer
CSS	Commonwealth Security Service
CTF	Commander. Task Force
CU	Communications Unit
cw	Chemical Warfare
CRU	Chemical Research Unit
CWA	Country Women'S Association
cwo	Communications Watch Officer Or Commissioned Warrant Officer
CWSF	Commander Western Sea Frontier

CWR	Central War Room
cwww	Council For Women In War Work
сти	The Commander In Chief Of The Netherlands East Indies Naval Forces
DA	Department Of The Army
DA & QMG	Deputy Adjutant And Quarter Master General
DAA & QMG	
	Deputy Assistant Adjutant And Quarter Master General
	Director Of Allied Air Intelligence
	Director Advanced Base Logistics Control Director Advanced Base Office Pacific
	Deputy Assistant Director Medical Services
DADOS	Deputy Assistant Director Ordinance Services
DAID	Department Of The Army Intelligence Division
	Deputy Air Officer Commanding
DAOC-IN-C	Deputy Air Officer Commanding-In-Chief
DAP	Department Of Aircraft Production
DAPM	Deputy Assistant Provost Marshall
DAQMG	Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General
DAS	Died At Sea
DAT	Directorate Of Air Transport
DBA	Died By Acceident
DBE	Died By Enemy (Facists)
DC	Detachment Commander
DCAS	Deputy Chief Of The Air Staff
DCGS	Deputy Chief Of General Staff
DCNS	Deputy Chief Of The Naval Staff
DCOFC	Deputy Chief Of Staff
DDL	Light Destroyer
DDME	Deputy Director Mechanical Engineering
DDMI	Deputy Director Of Military Intelligence
DDMS	Deputy Director Medical Services
DDMT	Deputy Director Military Training
DDST	Deputy Director Supply And Transport
DEMS	Defensively Equipped Merchant Ships (Or Shipping)
DF	Direction Finding Or Direction Finder
DFC	Distinguished Flying Cross
DFO	District Finance Officer (Australian Army)
DGAMS	Director-General Australian Medical Services
DGMS	Director-General Medical Services
DGS	Director-General Of Security
DGSP	Director-General Of Supply And Production
DIC	Died In Captivity

DIO	District Intelligence Officer
DIRPACDOCKS	Director, Pacific Division, Bureau Of Yards And Docks
DIV	Division
DMI	Director Of Military Intelligence
DMO & I	Director Of Military Operations And Intelligence
DMS	Director Medical Services
DMT	Driver Motor Transport
DMT	Director Of Military Training
DNI	Director Of Naval Intelligence
DNO	District Naval Officer
DO	Demi-Official (Letter)
DOAS	Died On Active Service
DOB	Date Of Birth
DOD	Date Of Death
DOI	Died Of Injuries
DOS	Died Of Sickness
DOW	Died Of Wounds
D OF O	Director/Directorate Of Organisation
DPTO	District Property Transportation Officer
DR	Director/Directorate Of Recruiting
DON-R	Motorcycle Dispatch Rider
DON-R DR NAVIGATION	Deduced Reckoning Navigation Or Colloquially Dead Reckoning
DR NAVIGATION	Deduced Reckoning Navigation Or Colloquially Dead Reckoning
DR NAVIGATION D. SIGS	Deduced Reckoning Navigation Or Colloquially Dead Reckoning Director Of Signals
DR NAVIGATION D. SIGS DSC	Deduced Reckoning Navigation Or Colloquially Dead Reckoning Director Of Signals Distinguished Service Cross
DR NAVIGATION D. SIGS DSC DSD	Deduced Reckoning Navigation Or Colloquially Dead Reckoning Director Of Signals Distinguished Service Cross Defence Signals Directorate
DR NAVIGATION D. SIGS DSC DSD DSIO	Deduced Reckoning Navigation Or Colloquially Dead Reckoning Director Of Signals Distinguished Service Cross Defence Signals Directorate Deputy Supervising Intelligence Officer
DR NAVIGATION D. SIGS DSC DSD DSIO DSM	Deduced Reckoning Navigation Or Colloquially Dead Reckoning Director Of Signals Distinguished Service Cross Defence Signals Directorate Deputy Supervising Intelligence Officer Distinguished Service Medal
DR NAVIGATION D. SIGS DSC DSD DSIO DSIO DSM DSO	Deduced Reckoning Navigation Or Colloquially Dead Reckoning Director Of Signals Distinguished Service Cross Defence Signals Directorate Deputy Supervising Intelligence Officer Distinguished Service Medal Distinguished Service Order Director/Directorate Of Training Director Of Technical Services
DR NAVIGATION D. SIGS DSC DSD DSIO DSM DSO DT	Deduced Reckoning Navigation Or Colloquially Dead Reckoning Director Of Signals Distinguished Service Cross Defence Signals Directorate Deputy Supervising Intelligence Officer Distinguished Service Medal Distinguished Service Order Director/Directorate Of Training
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DR NAVIGATION D. SIGS DSC DSD DSIO DSM DSO DT DTS D. WAAAF	Deduced Reckoning Navigation Or Colloquially Dead Reckoning Director Of Signals Distinguished Service Cross Defence Signals Directorate Deputy Supervising Intelligence Officer Distinguished Service Medal Distinguished Service Order Director/Directorate Of Training Director Of Technical Services Director Of Waaaf
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DR NAVIGATION D. SIGS DSC DSD DSIO DSM DSO DT DTS D. WAAAF DUKW DWB D/Z OR DZ EATS EBSR	Deduced Reckoning Navigation Or Colloquially Dead Reckoning Director Of Signals Distinguished Service Cross Defence Signals Directorate Deputy Supervising Intelligence Officer Distinguished Service Medal Distinguished Service Order Director/Directorate Of Training Director Of Technical Services Director Of Waaaf An Amphibious Craft Manufactured By Detroit United Keith Works Director Of Works And Buildings Dropping Zone Empire Air Training Scheme Engineer Boat And Shore Regiment
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ENGRS	Engineers
EO	Equipment Officer Or Engineer Officer
EPIP TENT	European Privates Indian Pattern Tent
EQPT	Equipment
ERA	Engine Room Artificer
ERP	Enemy Raid Precautions (Canberra)
ESB	Engineer Special Brigade
ESS	Economic And Scientific Section
ETA	Estimated Time Of Arrival
ETD	Estimated Time Of Departure
ETF	Estimated Time Of Flight
ETO	European Theatre Of Operation
FA	Field Artillery
FAA	Fleet Air Arm
FAC	Forward Air Controller
FANY	Female Auxiliary Nursing Yeomanry - A British Organisation
FAW	Fleet Air Wing (Us Navy) - Previously Know As Patrol Wing
FBI	Federal Bureau Of Investigation
FBRD	Flying-Boat Repair Depot
FCS	Fraser (Island) Commando School (In Queensland)
FD	Field
FD AMB	Field Ambulance
FDL	Forward Defended Locality
FEAF	Far East Air Forces
FEB	Far Eastern Bureau (Mew/Soe) (Psychological Warfare)
FEC	Far East Command
FECB	Far East Combined Bureau (Cryptanalysis)
FELO	Far Eastern Liaison Office
FFCF	Fighting Forces Comforts Fund
FIS	Foreign Intelligence Section (Canada)
FLD	Field
F-LT	Flight Lieutenant
FM	Finance Member Or Field Marshall Or Field Manual
FMO	Fleet Maintenance Officer
F-O OR F/O	Flying Officer
FOCAS	Flag Officer Commanding The Australian Squadron
FOD	Follow-On Destroyer
FOD	Forward Ordnance Depot
FOO	Forward Observation Officer
FOP	Forward Observation Post
FPO	Fleet Post Office

FRUMEL	Fleet Radio Unit Melbourne
FRUPAC	Fleet Radio Unit, Pacific
FS	Fighter Sector Or Field Security
F-SGT	Flight Sergeant
FSHQ	Fighter Sector Headquarters
FTS	Flying Training School
G-2	Intelligence Staff Of A Us Headquarters
G-3	Operations Staff Of A Us Headquarters
GC&CS	Government Code And Cypher School (Cryptology, Uk)
GCC	Ground Control Centre
GCHQ	Government Communications Headquarters (Uk)
GD	General Duties
GDD	General Details Depot
GEAM	Greater East Asia Ministry
GEN	General
GHQ	General Headquarters
GNR	Gunner
GOC	General Officer Commanding
GP	Group
GP CAPT	Group Captain
GR	General Reconnaissance
GRD	Guard
GRS	General Reconnaissance School
GS	General Staff
GSC	General Staff Corps
GSK	General Stores Keeper
GSO	General Staff Officer
GSO1	General Staff Officer, Grade 1
G STAFF	Operations Staff
G TIME	Golf Time Which Equals Gmt Plus 7 Hours
Н	Western Australian Time, 8 Hrs Ahead Of Gmt
HAA	Heavy Anti Aircraft
HBG	Heavy Bombardment Group
HDML	Harbour Defence Motor Launch
HE	High Explosive
HECP	Harbour Entrance Control Post
HEDRON	Headquarters Squadron (Us Navy)
HF DF OR HF/DF	High-Frequency Direction-Finding
НМА	His Majesty'S Australian
HMAS	His Majesty'S Australian Ship

нмсѕ	His Majesty'S Canadian Ship
HMIS	His Majesty'S Indian Ship
HMS	His Majesty'S Ship
HMNZS	His Majesty'S New Zealand Ship
НМТ	His Majesty'S Transport
НО	Hostilities Only
HQ	Headquarters
H TIME	Hotel Time Which Equals Gmt Plus 8 Hours
IASD	Inter-Allied Services Department
ІАТСВ	Interdepartmental Air Traffic Control Board
ІВМ	International Business Machine
I/C	In Command
IFF	Identification Friend Or Foe
IG	Inspector-General
IJN	Imperial Japanese Navy
ILO	Intelligence Liaison Officer
IMAC	First Marine Amphibious Corps
INDEP	Independent
INDMAN	Industrial Manager
INF	Infantry
INF BDE	Infantry Brigade
INSTR	Instructor
INT	Intelligence
INTELL	Intelligence
ю	Intelligence Officer
ISD	Inter-Allied Services Department
ISTD	Inter Service Topographical Department
ітѕ	Initial Training School
IX	Intelligence, Branch X
JAA	Hinoki Machine Cypher - Also Known As Purple
JAN GRID	Joint Army Navy Grid
JANIS	Joint Army-Navy Intelligence Study
JANWSA	Joint Army, Navy, War Shipping Administration
JBC	Foreign Office Cypher Book No. 1
JCP	Japan Communist Party
JCS	Joint Chiefs Of Staff
JIB	Joint Intelligence Bureau
JICPOA	Joint Intelligence Centre, Pacific Ocean Area
	Joint Operations Centre
JSPOG	Joint Strategic Plans And Operations Group

KIA	Killed In Action
	Kilo Time Which Equals Eastern Australian Standard Time Which Is Equal
K TIME	To Gmt Plus 10 Hrs
ктѕ	Knots
LARC	Lighter Amphibious Resupply Cargo Vessel
LAA	Light Anti-Aircraft
LAC	Leading Aircraftman
LANDOPS	Advanced Land Headquarters
LAC	Leading Aircraftsman
LAD	Light Aid Detachment
LASU	Local Air Supply Unit
L-BOM	Lance Bombadier
LCDM	Liaison Commission (Japanese) Demobilisation Ministries
LCH	Landing Craft, Heavy
LCI	Landing Craft, Infantry
LCI (G)	Landing Craft Infantry (Gunboat)
LCM	Landing Craft, Mechanised or Landing Craft Motorized
L-CPL	Lance-Corporal
LCPR	Landing Craft Personnel Ramp
LCS	Landing Craft Support
LCT	Landing Craft, Tank
LCV	Landing Craft, Vehicle or Landing Craft Vessel
LCVP	Landing Craft, Vehicle, And Personnel
LDF	Local Defense Forces
LDG	Leading
LEFT	Shipping Designator For Freight To Base Section 3, Brisbane, Queensland
LHQ	Land Headquarters Or Allied Land Forces Headquarters
LMG	Light Machine Gun
LMS	Lugger Maintenance Section (Darwin)
LNS	League Of National Security
LO	Liaison Office Or Liaison Officer
L OF C	Lines Of Communication
LOPU	Logistics Organisation Planning Unit
LRPG	Long-Range Penetration Group
LSD	Landing Ship Dock
L-SGT	Lance Sergeant
LSI	Landing Ship, Infantry
LSM	Landing Ship Medium
LSO	Legal Staff Officer
LST	Landing Ship, Tank
LT	Lieutenant (First & Second) Or Light

LT CDR	Lieutenant-Commander
LT-COL	Lieutenant-Colonel
LT-GEN	Lieutenant-General
	Leave And Transit Depot
LVT	Landing Vehicle Tracked
LW/AW	Light Weight Air Warning (Radar Station Developed By Awa)
MAC	Motor Ambulance Convoy
MAJ	Major
MAJ-GEN	Major-General
MAZE	Shipping Designator For Freight To Base Section 4, Melbourne, Victoria
MBDS	Main Bench Dressing Station
МС	Military Cross
MCAS	Marine Corps Air Station
MD	Military District
MDS	Main Dressing Station
ME	Middle East
MEIC	Middle East Intelligence Centre
MERCO	Merchant Ship Communications
MEW	Ministry Of Economic Warfare (Soe)
MFCU	Mobile Fighter Control Unit
MG	Machine-Gun
MGGS	Major General, General Staff
MGO	Master General Of The Ordnance
MGRA	Major-General, Royal Artillery
MHQ	Maritime Headquarters
МІ	Military Intelligence
MIA	Missing In Action
MI-5	Military Intelligence 5 (Uk, Internal Security)
MI-6	Military Intelligence 6 (Uk, External, See Sis)
MID	Military Intelligence Division
MIL	Military
MIS	Military Intelligence Service
MIS DIV	Military Intelligence Service Division
MISLS	Military Intelligence Service Language School
MIS-X	Military Intelligence Service - 'X' Section (Us)
ML	Motor Launch
MMG	Medium Machine-Gun
MMRS	Mount Martha Research Station (Victoria)
МО	Medical Officer
ΜΟΙ	Ministry Of Information
MP	Military Police

MRA	Maritime Royal Artillery
MRO	Military Reporting Officer
MSC	Motor Submersible Canoe Or "Sleeping Beauty"
MSF	Minesweeping Flotilla
M/T	Measurement Tons
MTF	Mobile Task Force
MTN	Mountain
мυ	Maintenance Unit
MUR	Melbourne University Rifles
MV	Motor Vessel
NAAFI	Navy, Army, And Air Force Institutes
NAOU	North Australia Observer Unit Or Nackeroos
NAP	Naval Auxiliary Patrol
NAS	Naval Air Station
NATS	Naval Air Transport Service
NBC	Naval Base Camp
NCO	Non-Commissioned Officer
ND	Naval District
NEA	North-East Area
NEAHQ	North East Area Headquarters
NEFIS	Netherlands East Indies Forces Intelligence Forces
NI	Netherlands Indies
NEI	Netherlands East Indies
NEI-AF	Netherlands East Indies Air Force
NEFIS III	Netherlands Forces Intelligence Service, Division lii
NIWOE	Netherlands Indies Welfare Organisation Of Evacuees
NES	National Emergency Services (New South Wales)
NG	New Guinea
NGAWW	New Guinea Air Warning Wireless (Independent) Company
NGF	New Guinea Force
NGIB	New Guinea Infantry Battalion
NGVR	New Guinea Volunteer Rifles
NICA	Netherlands Indies Civil Affairs
NID	Naval Intelligence Division (Formerly Naval Intelligence Department)
NIO	Naval Intelligence Officer
NLFED	Naval Landing Force Equipment Depot
NLO	Naval Liaison Officer
NOFT	Naval Overseas Freight Terminal
NOIC	Naval Officer In Charge
NORCALSEC	Northern California Sector, Western Sea Frontier
NORFORCE	Northern Territory Force Or Nt Force

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NORWESTSEC	Northwestern Sector, Western Sea Frontier
NRS	Natural Resources Section
NSA	National Security Agency
NSD	Naval Supply Depot
NT	Northern Territory
NT FORCE	Northern Territory Force Or Norforce
NTSRU	Northern Territory Special Reconnaissance Unit
NYDN	Not Yet Diagnosed Neurosis
ΝΥΜΙ	Navy Yard Mare Island
NYPS	Navy Yard Puget Sound
NZ & A	New Zealand And Australian Division
NZNB	New Zealand Naval Board
OATC	Overseas Air Traffic Control
ОВ	Operational Base
O/B	Order Of Battle
OBE	Officer Of The Order Of The British Empire
OBU	Operational Base Unit
oc	Officer Commanding
OC MED	Officer In Charge, Medical
OC SURG	Officer In Charge, Surgical
OD	Ordinary Seaman
ODF	Operational Deployment Force
OFFR	Officer
OG	Operational Group
ОНQ	Overseas Headquarters
OIC	Officer In Charge
OM/P	Oriental Mission/Propaganda (Soe Malaya)
ΟΝΙ	Officer Of Naval Intelligence (Us)
ООВ	Order Of Battle
OP	Observation Post
OPS	Operations
ORS	Other Ranks (Other Than Officers)
ORGN	Organisation
OSMG	Owen Sub-Machine-Gun
oss	Office Of Strategic Services
отс	Officer In Tactical Command
отѕ	Officer'S Training School
οτυ	Operational Training Unit
owi	Office Of War Information
РА	Philippines Army
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PAA	Pan American Airways
PAAC	Philippines Army Air Corps
PACORNALOG	Pacific Co-Ordinator Of Naval Logistics
PAF	Permanent Air Force
PATFOR	Patrol Force
PATSU	Patrol Service Units (Us Navy)
PATWING	Patrol Wing (Us Navy)
PAW	Petroleum Administration For War
PC	Patrol Craft
PD	Port Director
PDM	Publications, Drafting And Maps (Section)
PDR	Pounder
PDRC	Personnel Dispatch And Reception Centre
PHILRYCOM	Philippines Ryukyus Command
PIB	Papuan Infantry Battalion
PIR	Pacific Islands Regiment
PI	Platoon
РК	Park
PMF	Permanent Military Force
PMG	Postmaster General
PNF	Permanent Naval Forces
PNGDF	Papua New Guinea Defence Force
PNNCF	Pacific Northern Naval Coastal Frontier
PNR	Pioneer
Р-О	Pilot Officer
POR	Personnel Occurrence Reports
POW	Prisoners Of War
PPPC	Petroleum Pool, Pacific Coast
PRC	Personnel Reception Centre
PRO	Public Relations Officer
PRK	Park
PRS	Philippines Research Section
PRS	Philippines Regional Section
PRU	Photographic Reconnaissance Unit
P.S.C	Passed Staff Course
PSD	Public Safety Division
PSNCF	Pacific Southern Naval Coastal Frontier
PSS	Philippine Subsection
РТ	Patrol Torpedo (Boat)
PTE	Private
PUO	Pyrexia Of Unknown Origin
PW	Prisoner Of War

PWB	Psychological Warfare Board
PWC	Political Warfare Committee
PWCC	Prisoner Of War Control Center
QANTAS	Queensland And Northern Territory Aerial Services
QM	Quartermaster
QMG	Quartermaster General
Q STAFF	Quartermaster Staff
RAA	Royal Australian Artillery
RAAF	Royal Australian Air Force
RAAFCF	Raaf Comforts Fund
RAAFLO	Royal Australian Air Force London Office
RAAFNS	Royal Australian Air Force Nursing Service
RADAR	Radio Detection And Ranging
RAE	Royal Australian Engineers
RAEME	Royal Aust Electrical & Mechanical Engineers
RAF	Royal Air Force
RAGA	Royal Australian Garrison Artillery
RAAMC	Royal Australian Army Medical Corps
RAANC	Royal Australian Army Nursing Corps
RACAS	Rear Admiral Commanding The Australian Squadron
R & I	Research And Information (Section)
RANC	Royal Australian Naval College
RAN	Royal Australian Navy
RANC	Royal Australian Naval College
RANF	Royal Australian Navy Forces
RANNS	Royal Australian Navy Nursing Service
RANR	Royal Australian Navy Reserve
RANVR	Royal Australian Naval Volunteer Reserve
RAP	Regimental Aid Post
RAPWI	Recovered Allied Prisoners Of War And Internees
RAR	Royal Australian Regiment
RCAF	Royal Canadian Air Force
RCN	Royal Canadian Navy
RCT	Regimental Combat Team
RCU	Requisition Control Unit
RDF	Radio Direction Finding Or Radio Direction Finder
RE	Royal Engineers
RECCE	Reconnaissance
REGT	Regiment
RFA	Royal Field Artillery

RFC	Royal Flying Corps
RIAF	Royal Indian Air Force
RIN	Royal Indian Navy
RMC	Royal Military College, Duntroon
RMO	Regimental Medical Officer
RN	Royal Navy
RNAS	Royal Naval Air Service
RNC	Royal Naval College
RNR	Royal Naval Reserve
RNVR	Royal Navy Volunteer Reserve
RNZAF	Royal New Zealand Air Force
RNZN	Royal New Zealand Navy
RNZNR	Royal New Zealand Naval Reserve
RO	Routine Order
ROO	Rail Ordnance Officer
RSM	Regimental Sergeant Major
RSU	Repair And Salvage Unit
R/T OR R-T	Radio Telephony - Voice Transmissions
RTO	Rail Transport Officer
SACSEA	Mountbatten)
SAO	Senior Administrative Officer
SAP	Semi Armour-Piercing
SAS	Special Air Service
SASO	Senior Air Staff Officer
SC	Signal Corps Or Submarine Chaser
SCAJAP	Shipping Control Administration, Japan
SCAP	Supreme Commander For The Allied Powers
SCAPIN	Scap Directive To Japanese Government Index
SCO	Searchlight Control Officer
SEA	South-East Asia
SEAC	South-East Asia Command
SEC	Section Or Secretary
SEATIC	South East Asia Translation And Interrogation Center
SFIC	San Francisco Information Centre - Part Of Army Air Warning Service
SFTS	Service Flying Training School
SGT	Sergeant
S-SGT	Staff Sergeant
SHAEF	Supreme Headquarters, Allied Expeditionary Force
SH. D.	Shore Defence
SHQ	Station Headquarters Or Section Headquarters
SI	Special Intelligence (Cryptanalysis)
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SIA	Secret Intelligence Australia
SIB	Intelligence Bulletin
SIG	Signalman
SIGINT	Signals Intelligence
SIGS	Signals
SIONEA	Supervising Intelligence Officer, North East Area
SIS	Secret Intelligence Service Or Signal Intelligence Service (Us)
SISO	Senior Intelligence Staff Officer
SITREP	Situation Report
SLC	Searchlight Control Or Radar (Also Known As "Elsie")
SLU	Secret Liaison Unit Or Special Liaison Unit (British Ultra)
SMO	Senior Medical Officer
SMSO	Senior Maintenance Staff Officer
SNLF	Special Naval Landing Force (Japanese)
SNO	Senior Naval Officer
SNO	Senior Navigation Officer
SNOPG	Senior Naval Officer Persian Gulf
SO	Staff Officer Or Special Operations
SOA	Special Operations Australia
SOCALSEC	Southern California Sector, Western Sea Frontier
SOE	Special Operations Executive
SO(I)	Staff Officer (Intelligence)
SOPA	Senior Officer Present Afloat
SOPAC	South Pacific Area (Command)
SORE	Staff Officer, Royal Engineers
SPC	State Publicity Censor
SPR	Sapper
SPSO	Senior Personnel Staff Officer
SPTF	Seaplane Training Flight
SQN	Squadron
SRD	Services Reconnaissance Department
S-SGT	Staff-Sergeant
sso	Signals Security Officer Or Special Security Officers (Us Ultra)
SSOA	Senior Staff Officer Administration
STN	Station
STT	School Of Technical Training
ѕивсом	Subordinate Command, Service Force, U.S. Pacific Fleet
SUPSHIPS	Supervisor Of Shipbuilding
SWACH	South West Area Combined Headquarters
SWPA	South West Pacific Area
TAC-R	Tactical Reconnaissance

TAF	Tactical Air Force
TBS	Talk Between Ships (Radio)
TF	Task Force
TG	Task Group
т.н.	Territory Of Hawaii
т.і.	Treasure Island - San Francisco Bay
TI&E	Troop Information And Education
ТІС	Technical Intelligence Company
TID	Technical Intelligence Detachment
TIS	Translator And Interpreter Section
тк	Tank
тми	Torpedo Maintenance Unit
TNG	Territory Of New Guinea
Т/О	Table Of Organisation
T/O & E	Table Of Organisation And Equipment
тоо	Time Of Origin
TOR	Time Of Receipt
TPR	Trooper
TPS	Troops
TS	Top Secret
TSMG	Thompson Sub-Machine-Gun
TWX	Teletype Circuit
тwх	Teletype Circuit
TWX U/E	Teletype Circuit Unexploded
TWX U/E U/I	Teletype Circuit Unexploded Unidentified
тwx U/E U/I UK	Teletype Circuit Unexploded Unidentified United Kingdom
TWX U/E U/I UK UKUSA	Teletype Circuit Unexploded Unidentified United Kingdom Agreement
TWX U/E U/I UK UKUSA UN	Teletype Circuit Unexploded Unidentified United Kingdom Agreement United Nations
TWX U/E U/I UK UKUSA UN US	Teletype Circuit Unexploded Unidentified United Kingdom Agreement United Nations United States
TWX U/E U/I UK UKUSA UN US U/S	Teletype Circuit Unexploded Unidentified United Kingdom Agreement United Nations United States Unserviceable
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uso	United Services Organisation
USP	Universal Service Personnel
USS	United States Ship
USSR	Union Of Soviet Socialist Republics
VAC	V Amphibious Corps (Usmc)
VAD	Voluntary Aid Detachment
VAOC	Volunteer Air Observers Corps
VB	Bombing Squadron (Us Navy)
VC	Victoria Cross
VDC	Volunteer Defence Corps
VHF	Very High Frequency
V-J DAY	Victory Over Japan, 2 September 1945, Surrender Of Japan
VP	Victory In The Pacific
VP	Patrol Squadron (Us Navy)
VP-AM	Patrol, Amphibious (Us Navy)
VP-HL	Patrol, Heavy Landplane (Us Navy)
VP-HM	Patrol, Heavy Mining (Us Navy)
VP-MS	Patrol, Medium Seaplane (Us Navy)
WAAC	Women'S Army Auxiliary Corps (Later Known As Women'S Army Corps)
WAC	Women'S Army Corps
WAAF	Women'S Auxiliary Air Force (Uk)
WAAF	Women'S Army Air Force (Usa)
WAAAF	Women'S Auxiliary Australian Air Force
W A/G OR WAG	Wireless Air Gunner
WAGS	Wireless Air Gunners School
WANS	Women'S Australian National Service
WASP	Women'S Air Force Service Pilots (Usa)
WATC	Women'S Air Training Corps
wc	War Cabinet
W CDR	Wing Commander
WD	Waaaf Depot
WD	War Diary Or War Department
WDC	Western Defense Command
WDID	War Department Intelligence Division
WDIT	War Department Intelligence Targets
WE	War Establishment
WESC	Women'S Emergency Signal Corps
WET	War Equipment Table
WMU	Works Maintenance Unit
WNEL	Women'S National Emergency League (Or Legion?)

W-O OR WO	Warrant Officer
WO1	Warrant-Officer, Class 1
WO2	Warrant Officer Class 2
WOD	Warrant Officer Disciplinary
W/OP	Wireless Operator
WRAAC	Women'S Royal Australian Army Corps
WRAAF	Women'S Royal Australian Air Force
WRANS	Women'S Royal Australian Naval Service
WREN	A Member Of Women'S Royal Naval Service
WSA	War Shipping Administration
WSF	Western Sea Frontier
W-T OR W/T	Wireless Telegraphy (Coded Messages By Morse Code) Or Wireless Telegraph Or Wireless Telegraphist
WTU	Works Training Unit
WVNR	Women'S Voluntary National Register
"Y"	Intelligence From Direction Finding And Wireless Telegraphy
YMS	Us Motor Minesweeper
Z	Greenwich Mean Time (Universal Time)
Z-ES	"Z" (Force) Experimental Station (Cairns)
Z OF I	Zone Of Interior
Z TIME	Zulu Time Which Equal To Greenwich Mean Time