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A	Ampere	
A	Analysis (SASS-C)	
A	Austria	
A SMGCS	Advanced Surface Movement Guidance and Control Systems	
A/A	Air/Air	
A/C, a/c	Aircraft	
A/D	Analog-to-Digital	
A/D Converter	Analogue-to Digital Converter *	
A/G	Air-Ground *	
A/I	Accident(s)/Incident(s)	
A/L	Auto Land *	
A/P	Autopilot	
AA	Approved agency *	
AAA	Advanced ATC System Amsterdam / Contrôle régional avancé d'Amsterdam (FR)	
AAAV	Azienda Autonoma di Assistenza al Volo	
AAAVTAG	Azienda Autonoma Assistenza al Volo per il Traffico Aereo Generale (IT)	
AAC	Airline Administrative Control	
AAC	Aeronautical Administrative Communications *	
AAC	Alpha Attenuation Coefficient	
AACE	Airfield Approach Control Element	
AACI	Airports Association Council International	
AACO	Arab Air Carriers Organisation	

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AAF	ATM Added Functions
AAFCE	Allied Air Forces Central Europe
AAFG	ATM Added Functionality Sub-Group
AAFT	ATM Added Functionality Sub-Group
AAG	AIS Automation Group (EANPG)
AAG	AIS Automation Group
AAGDI / AGADE	Automated Air/Ground Data Interchange *
AAH	Autonomous Aircraft Hybrid
AAI	Average Arrival Interval
AAIM	Aircraft Autonomous Integrity Monitoring *
AAIS	Automated AIS
AAIU	Air Accident Investigation Unit
AALS	Advanced Approach and Landing System
AAM	Airline Administration Message
AAP	Advanced Automation Program (US)
AAR	Air-to-Air Refuelling
AAS	Aerodrome Advisory Service
AAS	Advanced Automation System (US)
AASI	Aeronautical Applications Service Interface
AASR	Airways and Airport Surveillance Radar *
AAT	Assigned Arrival Time
AAT	Alpha Attenuation Test
AATMS	Advanced Air Traffic Management System
AAUI	Aeronautical Applications User Interface
AB	Action (data input) Button
AB	Audit Board
ABAS	Aircraft-based Augmentation System (EGNOS)
ABC	ATC Bypass Complex (MADAP)
ABFG	ATM Basic Functionality Sub-Group
ABFG	ATM Basic Functions Sub-Group
ABI	Advance Boundary Information (OLDI message)
ABPSK	Aviation Binary Phase Shift Keying *
ABR	Available Bit Rate
AC	Assistant Controller
AC	Advisory Circular *
AC	Assessment Centre *
AC	Alternating Current
ACA	AUP / UUP Composition application (software)
ACA	Airspace Control Activity
ACA	Airport Co-ordinators Association
ACA	Air Traffic Centre Architecture (RADNET)
Acad	Academic establishments

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ACAD	Auto Computer Aided Design (Operator-Input + Display System)
ACAG	Airspace Co-ordination Agencies
ACAM	Airport Capacity Airside Modelling
ACARE	Advisory Council for Aeronautics in Europe
ACARS	Aircraft Communications, Addressing and Reporting System *
ACAS	Airborne Collision Avoidance System * / Système anticollision embarqué (FR)
ACAS I	Aircraft Collision Avoidance System Version 1 *
ACAS II	Aircraft Collision Avoidance System Version 2 *
ACAS III	Aircraft Collision Avoidance System Version 3 *
ACASA	ACAS Analysis
ACATF	ATC Centre Communications Architecture Task Force
ACC	Group of Experts on Accident Investigation (ICAO)
ACC	Area Control Centre * / Centre de Contrôle Régional (=CCR)
ACC Controller	Area Controller
ACC Loop	Anticipation-Action-Comparison Loop *
ACCA	Air Charters Carriers Association
ACCATF	Equipe spéciale "Architecture des communications des centres ATC" (FR)
ACCEL	Accelerate
ACCESS	Aircraft Control Console for Experiments and Simulations Studies
ACC-PC	ACC Planning Controller
ACCS	Air Command and Control System (NATO)
ACC-TC	ACC Tactical Controller
ACDMD	Air Collaborative Decision Making Demonstrator
ACE	Association des Compagnies Aériennes de la Communauté Européenne (FR)
ACE	Angiotensin Converting Enzyme
ACE	ATC Communications Environment
ACE	Altimeter Control Equipment
ACE	Allied Command Europe
ACF	Avion de Combat Futur (FR)
ACF	Area Control Facility. See ACC or ARTCC
ACFT	Aircraft
ACG	Group of Experts on the Abatement of Nuisance caused by Air Transport
ACG	Advanced ATS Concept Group
ACG	ATS System Concept Working Group
ACG	ATM/CNS Consultation Group / Groupe consultatif ATM/CNS (FR)
ACG	Austro Control GmbH
ACG	Advanced Concept Group (Eurocontrol)
ACH	ATC Flight Plan Change Message (IFPS)
ACH	ATC Flight Plan Change (CFMU)
ACI	Area of Common Interest * (SYSCO)
ACI	Airports Council International
ACID	Aircraft Identification * (ICAO)

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ACI-NA	Airports Council International – North America
ACK	Acknowledge(ment) message
ACL	Aeronautical Clearances Service
ACM	ATC Communication Management
ACM	Acceptance of (Radar) Co-ordination Message
ACM	Airspace Control Measures
ACMS	Aircraft Condition Monitoring System
ACN	Aircraft Classification Number
ACN	Austrian Communication Network
ACN	Airspace Co-ordination Notification
ACNUSA	Autorité de Contrôle des Nuisances Sonores Aéroportuaires (FR)
ACO	Airspace Co-ordination Order
ACOC	Agence Civile OTAN du Temps de Guerre (FR)
ACOD	Area Conflict Detection
ACP	Aeronautical Communications Panel
ACP	Airspace Control Plan
ACP	Abri Contrôle de Piste (FR)
ACP	African, Caribbean and Pacific States
ACP	Accept Message (OLDI)
ACP	Allied Communications Publication
ACP	Acceptance Message
ACP	Area Control Procedural
ACP	Azimuth Change/Count Pulses *
ACP	Airspace Crossing Acceptance Message
ACP	Aircraft Control Position (window)
ACPO	Aircraft Position Operator
ACPSC	Advisory Committee on Procurement and Sales Contracts (Eurocontrol/DF)
ACR	Atlantic Co-ordinated Route
ACS	Airspace Control System
ACS	Area Control Surveillance
ACS	Aircraft Call Sign
ACS	Advanced Communication System (EEC)
ACSA	Allied Communications Security Agency
ACSE	Application Control Service Element *
ACT	Activation message designator (OLDI)
ACT/LAM	Activation Message / Logical Acknowledgement Message
ACTF	Aeronautical Charting Task Force
ACU	Airspace / Antenna Control Unit. See BSU
AD	Airworthiness Directive *
AD	Air Defence
AD	Aerodrome *
AD	Administrative Domain * (ENOC)
AD	Airspace Data Section (CFMU)

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ADA *	High Order Programming Language
ADAC	Aeronautical Data and Charting
ADAGES	Action Plan Definition on the Basis of Architecture studies from GAAS for EATMS / Définition d'un plan d'action pour l'EATMS sur la base des études d'architecture du projet GAAS (FR)
ADAM	Air Defence and Airspace Management Directorate (NATO)
ADAP	Automated Downlink of Airborne Parameters
ADAPT	ATS Data Acquisition, Processing and Transfer Panel (ICAO)
ADB	Airports Database
ADC	Analog to Digital Converter *
ADC	Air Data Computer *
ADC	Air Defence Centre / Command
ADC	Aerodrome Control(ler)
ADCA	Air Defence Classification Area
ADCE	Aircraft Data Circuit-Terminating Equipment *
ADCP	Air Defence Command Post
ADD	Architectural Design Document (EATMS)
ADD	Average Delay per Delayed Flight
ADD	Air Derived Data
ADD	Architecture Description Document or Aircraft Downlinked Data
ADDI	Automated Digital Data Interchange (ICAO)
ADE	Air Defence Element
ADE	Autonomous Display Equipment
ADEG	ATS Data Exchange Group
ADEP	Aerodrome of Departure
ADES	Aerodrome of Destination
ADEXA	Air Defence Exercise Area
ADEXP	ATS Data Exchange Presentation (message format used for IFPS) ; ATS Data Exchange Program Format ; ATS Data Exchange Protocol Format / Protocole d'Echange de Données ATS (FR)
ADF	Automatic Direction Finding System*
ADF	Adjusted Delay Factor
ADFL	Augmented Dynamic Flight Leg
ADGE	Air Defence Ground Environment
ADI	Aerodrome Control Instrument
ADI	Attitude Display Indicator *
ADIDS	Advanced Data & Image Distribution System (CCTV Application)
ADIRS	Air Data Inertial Reference System *
ADIS (P)	Automated Data Interchange System (Panel) - ICAO
ADIZ	Air Defence Identification Zone
ADKAR	Abgesetzte Darstellung von KARLDAP Radardaten (DE)
ADLP	Airborne Data Link Processor *
ADM	Airborne Data Bus*
ADM	Administrative / Administration

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ADM	Average Delay per Movement
ADMAR	Abgesetzte Darstellung von MADAP Radar- und Flugplandaten (DE) / Affichage déporté des données radar du MADAP (FR)
ADMD	Airspace Data Management & Distribution
ADMIT	Administrative Information Technology
ADMSG	Aeronautical Data Modelling Study Group
ADNC	Air Defence Notification Centre (GR)
ADNET	Administrative Network (Switzerland)
ADNS	Aeronautical Radio Incorporated Data Network Service *
ADOC	Air Defence Operations Centre
ADOLT	Air Defence Liaison Team
ADORA	Analysis and Definition of the Operational Requirements for ATM
ADP	ATFM Delay Plan
ADP	Activity Predictor Display
ADP	Aéroports de Paris (FR)
ADP	Automated Data Processing or Auxiliary Data Processing
ADPG	ATM Data Processing Sub-Group
ADR	Advisory Route
ADR	Air Data Reference
ADR	Airfield Damage Repair
ADR	Average Delay per Regulated Flight
ADREP	Accident/Incident Reporting System
ADRS	Air Defence Radar Site
ADS	Automatic Dependent Surveillance * / Surveillance dépendante automatique (FR)
ADS-A	Automatic Dependent Surveillance-Addressed
ADS-B	Automatic Dependent Surveillance-Broadcast *
ADS-C	Automatic Dependent Surveillance-Contract *
ADS-C	ADS Contract
ADSEL	Address Selective SSR System (UK)
ADSG	ATC and DP Strategy Sub-Group
ADSIA	Allied Data Systems Interoperability Agency
ADS-ICG	ADS Internal Co-ordination Group
ADSP	ADS Processor
ADS-P	Automatic Dependent Surveillance-Panel (ICAO) *
ADS-PMB	ADS Programme Management Board
ADS-R	Automatic Dependent Surveillance-Report *
ADSU	ADS Unit
ADT	Approved Departure Time
ADTI	Additional Technical Information (ODS - ESCO)
ADUG	Airport Database User Group
ADV	Aerodrome Control Visual
ADVON	Advanced Echelon
AE	Application Entity *



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AE	ATM Engineering
AE	Automatic Evaluation (SASS-C)
AEA	Association of European Airlines
AECG	ACAS Evaluation and Co-ordination Group (EATCHIP)
AECMA	European Association of Aerospace Equipment Manufacturers
AEEC	Airlines Electronic Engineering Committee *
AEFMP	Algeria, Spain, France, Morocco, Portugal Project
AEGIS	ATM European Group for Improvement of Scenarios
AEGIS	Airborne Early Warning Ground Environment Integrated Segment
AEG-TFK	AEG-Telefunken
AEM BD	Airports & Environment Management Business Division (Eurocontrol - DAS Business Directorate)
AENA	Aeropuertos Españoles y Navegación Aérea (ES) / Spanish Airport and Air navigation Administration
AERA	Automated En-Route Air Traffic Control *
AEREA	Association of European Research Establishments in Aeronautics
AERO I/H+	Satellite Data 2, 3 services
AES	ATC Engineering Section
AES	Aircraft / Airborne Earth Station * (ICAO - ADS)
AES	Automatic Enhanced Surveillance
AEV	Annual Equivalent Value
AEW	Airborne Early Warning
AEWPD	Adapted EATMP Work Programme Document
AF	DME Arc to a Fix (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
AF	Air Force
AF	Audio Frequency (VCS)
AFAS	Aircraft in the Future ATM System
AFAST	Active Final Approach Spacing Tool
AFB	Air Force Base
AFC	ATC Frequency Change (service)
AFC	Airport Facilities Control (ICAO)
AFCAC	African Civil Aviation Commission
AFCNF	Air Force Central NOTAM Facility (US)
AFCS	Automatic Flight Control System *
AFD	Associated Flight Details
AFFSC (E)	Air Forces Flight Safety Committee (Europe)
AFG	Advisory Financial Group (ex-FCG/Eurocontrol) / Groupe Financier de consultation (FR)
AFG-TF	Advisory Financial Group - Task Force on the Audit and Control Boards
AFI	Africa-Indian Ocean Region (ICAO)
AFIL	Air Filed Flight Plan (CFMU)
AFIS	Airport/Aerodrome Flight Information Service *
AFISO	Aerodrome Flight information Service Officer
AFL	Actual Flight Level



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AFL	Assigned Flight Level
AFMS	Advanced Flight Management System
AFMSG	Audit and Financial Matters Sub-Group
AFN	Air Traffic Services Facilities Notification * (FANS)
AFN BD	Airspace/Flow Management & Navigation Business Division (Eurocontrol - DAS Business Directorate)
AFNOR	Association Française de Normalisation (FR)
AFP	Active Flight Plan Processing
APP	ATC Flight Plan Proposal
AFPA	Automated Flight Plan to Track Association
AFPL	ADEXP Filed Flight Plan (CFMU)
AFS	Aeronautical Fixed Services *
AFS	Advanced Functional Simulator
AFSATCOM	Airborne Satellite Communication *
AFSBW	Amt für Flugsicherung der Bundeswehr (DE)
AFSG	Aeronautical Fixed Services Group
AFT	Average Flight Time
AFTN	Aeronautical Fixed Telecommunication Network * / Réseau du Service Fixe des Télécommunications Aéronautiques (=RSFTA) (FR)
AFUU	Association Française des Utilisateurs d'Unix (FR)
AFW	Area Flows Window
AGA	Aerodromes (air routes and Ground Aids)
AGARD	Advisory Group on Aeronautical Research and Developments (NATO)
AGAS	High-Level European Action Group for ATM Safety
AGC	Automatic Gain Control (VCS)
AGC	Ad-hoc Group of Commissioners (SRC)
AGC	Air-Ground Co-operative ATS
AGCS	Air-Ground Communication System
AGCSG	Air/Ground Communication Sub-Group Meeting
AGDC	Air/Ground Data Communications
AGDC-SG	Air/Ground Data Communications Sub Group. See AGSG
AGDC-TF	Air/Ground Data Communications-TF (ODT)
AGDL	Air-Ground Data Link
AGDLS	Air-Ground Data Link System
Agency	The Eurocontrol Agency
AGIFORS	Airline Group of the International Federation of Operational Research Societies
AGINF	Air-Ground Infrastructure
AGL	Above Ground Level
AGLAE	Air-Ground Data Link Applications Experimentation (FR)
AGM	Administrative and Guidance Material
AGN	Agenda
AGOD	Advisory Group on Deliverables
AGR	Agreement



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AGSG	Air / Ground Data Communication Sub group
AGSVC	Air-Ground Services
AGVC-SG	Air/Ground Voice Communication Sub Group
AGY	Agency
AHD	Advanced Help Desk
AHDG	Assigned Heading
AHEAD	Automation and Harmonisation of European Aeronautical Data
AHGSO	Ad Hoc Group of Senior Officials
AHMI	Airborne Human Machine Interface
AHRS	Attitude and Heading Reference System *
AI	Aeronautical Information
AI	Artificial Intelligence
AIAA	American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics
AIB	Aeronautical Information Bulletin (EAD)
AIC	Aeronautical Information Circular *
AICB	Air Initiated Comm-B Protocol *
AICG	Airport Interface Co-ordination Group
AICG	Ab Initio Co-ordination Group
AICG	ACAS Implementation Co-ordination Group
AICM	Aeronautical Information Conceptual Model (EAD)
AID	Aid or Aircraft Identification *
AIDA	Aeronautical Information and Data handling Austria
AIDA	Airport Surface Operations and Integration of Data with ATC
AIDC	ATS Interfacility Data Communications (ICAO)
AIDS	Aircraft Integrated Data System
AIG	ACAS Implementation Group ; Automatic Input Generation
AIG	Accident Investigation [and Prevention]
AIL	Aeronautical Item Location Bank (ODS)
AIM	Aeronautical Information Management
AIM	ATFM Information Message (IFPS)
AIM	AFTN message type
AIM-FANS	Airbus Interoperable Modular FANS
AIMS	Aircraft Integrated Monitoring (Information Management) System
AIP	Aeronautical Information Publication *
AIPE	Autorité Investie du Pouvoir
AIPN	Appointing authority / Autorité investie du pouvoir de nomination (FR)
AIR	Air Control
AIR	Armament Initiative and Requirements
AIR 4653	Aerospace Information Report 4653 – (Flight Management Systems Review)
AIRAC	Aeronautical Information Regulation and Control *
AIRCOM	Aircraft Communications *
AIREP	Air-Report (ICAO)
AIRMET	Air Meteorological Information Report



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AIRPROX	The code word used in air traffic incident report to designate aircraft proximity (ICAO)
AIRPROX	Aircraft Proximity Report
AIRSAW	Airborne Situation Awareness
AIS	Aeronautical Information Services * (ICAO) / Service d'Information Aéronautique (=SIA) (FR)
AIS AHEAD	Aeronautical Information Services (AIS) Automation and Harmonisation of European Aeronautical Data (AHEAD) Programme
AISAP	AIS Automation Specialist Panel (EUROCONTROL)
AISAS	Aeronautical Information Services Automated System
AISC	Aeronautical Industry Service Communication *
AISC	Aeronautical Mobile Communications System Panel
AISG	AIS Automation Working Group (ICAO)
AISOPS	AIS Operations Sub-Group
AISPOP	AIS Planning and Operations Subgroup
AISS	Aeronautical Information Server System (ODS)
AIST	AIS Team
AISTEC	AIS Technical Sub-Group
AIS-TF	AIS Training Task Force
AISU	Aeronautical Information Service Unit
AITSC	Administrative IT Steering Committee
AIW	Area Infringement Warning
AIXM	Aeronautical Information Exchange Model
AKARD	Available Knowledge And required system Research and Development
AL	Alerting Service *
AL	Aircraft Label
AL	Albania
ALAR	Approach and Landing Accident Reduction Task Force
ALARP	As Low As Reasonably Practicable
ALB	Alternative Label
ALCC	Airlift Central Co-ordination Centre
ALCE	Airlift Control Element
ALCM	Air Launched Cruise Missile
ALD	Airlift Division
ALENA	Accord de libre-échange pour l'Amérique du Nord (FR) / North American Free Trade Agreement (=NAFTA)
ALERFA	Alert Phase *
Alert	Alert Phase *
ALIM	Altitude Limit (Positive RA Altitude Threshold)
ALLA	Allied Long Lines Agency
ALMC	Airlift Movement Cell
ALO	Air Force Liaison Officer
ALPA	Air Line Pilots Association
ALRC	Altitude Reconstruction



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ALRT	Alert
ALRTF	ATCO Licensing Review Task Force
ALS	Automatizovany Letisni System (CZ) / Automated Airport System
ALS	Automatic Line Switch (RMCDE)
ALS	Architecture Layer Structure (ISO)
ALT	Airborne Link Terminal
ALTRV	Altitude Reservation System
ALUG	AudioLAN Users Group
AM	Attribute Modification
AM	Airspace Management *
AM	Amplitude Modulation *
AM	Armenia
AM	Arrival Manager *
AMA	Airlift Management Agency
AMAN	Arrival Manager (APATSI) *
AMC	Airspace Management Cell *
AMC	ATC Microphone Check (service)
AMC	Aeromedical Centre
AMC	Acceptable Means of Compliance
AMC/CADF	Airspace Management Cell - ECAC Centralised Airspace Data Function
AMCP	Aeronautical Mobile Communication Panel * (ICAO)
AMD	Arrival manager Display
AMD	Administrative Management Domain
AMDAR	Aircraft Meteorological Data Relay Panel
AMDPA	Airspace Management Data Processing
AMDP-TF	EATCHIP Airspace Management Data Processing Task Force
AMDT	Amendment (ICAO)
AMDWP	Aeromedical Working Party
AME	ATM Message Exchange
AME	Authorised Medical Examiner
AMEG	Air Miss Evaluation Group (D)
AMHS	Aeronautical Message Handling Service
AMI	Administrative and Management Information Software
AMID	Approach Multi-Input Device (ODID)
AMJ	Advisory Material Joint
AML (WP)	Airfield Markings and Lighting (Working Party)
AMN	Airspace Management and Navigation (EATMP Unit)
AMOC	ATFM Modelling Capability
AMOC	ATFM Air Traffic Flow Management
AMOS	ARTAS Maintenance and Operational Support organisation
AMPS	American Mobile Phone System
AMRSG	ATCO Medical Requirements Study Group (UK)
AMS	ATC Model-Simulations Studies



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AMS	Aeronautical Mobile Service * (8.33 User Guide)
AMS	Airspace Management Service
AMS(R)S	Aeronautical Mobile Satellite (Route) Service *
AMSC	Allied Military Security Code
AMSL	Above Mean Sea Level
AMSS	Automatic Message Switching System
AMSS	Aeronautical Mobile Satellite System
AMSS	Aeronautical Mobile Satellite Services *
AMSSP	Aeronautical Mobile Satellite Service Panel
AMT	ADS Mediterranean Trials
AMTI	Adaptive Moving Target Indicator
AN	Access Node (RMCDE)
ANA	Aeroportos e Navegação Aérea (PT)
ANA-EP	Aeroportos e Navegação Aérea Empresa Pública (PT)
ANC	Air Navigation Commission * / Conference (ICAO)
ANC	Access Network Computer (RADNET)
ANCAT	Abatement of Nuisances Caused by Air Transport (ECAC environmental policy committee (ENVAL)
ANDB	Automated NOTAM Database
ANDRA	Advanced Node for Data Relay in ATN
ANDS	ANS Department
ANERC	Advanced New En-Route Centre (UK)
ANM	ATFM Notification Message (CFMU / ECAC States)
ANOVA	Analysis of Variance
ANP	Air Navigation Plan *
ANPP	Air Navigation Plan Publication
ANS	Air Navigation Service *
ANS/CR	Air Navigation Services of the Czech Republic
ANSA	International Advisory Group Air Navigation Services
ANSEP	Air Navigation Services Economics Panel (ICAO) / Groupe d'experts sur l'économie des services de navigation aérienne (FR)
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
ANSO	Air Navigation Services Offices (Irish aviation authority)
ANSP	Air Navigation Service Provider
ANT	Airspace and Navigation Team
AO	Arrival Operations
AO	Airlines Operator
AO	Aircraft Operator * (IFPS)
AO	Airport Operations
AO	ATM Operations
AOA	Aircraft Operating Agency (e.g. Airlines) *
AOA	ACARS over AVLC
AOA	ACARS Over AVLC



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AOB	Any Other Business
AOB	Air Order of Battle
AOB	Angle of Bank
AOC	Airline Operational Communications *
AOC	Aircraft Operations Centre (ICAO)
AOC	Aeronautical Operational Control *
AOC	Airline Operation Control
AOC	Auxiliary Output Chip
AOC	Air Operator's Certificate / Certificat de transporteur aérien (FR)
AOC	Assume of Control (ODID)
AOC	Aircraft Operating Company
AOC	Aeronautical Operational Communications
AOC	Advanced Operational Capability (EGNOS)
AOCD	Airport Operations Concept Document
AOCI	Airport Operators Council International
AOCP	Airborne Operational Computer Programme
AOF	Allocation of Functions
AOF	AIS Office (EAD)
AOI	Aircraft Operations Information
AOI	Area of Operational Interest
AOI	AIS Office
AOIS	Aeronautical Operational Information System
AoL	Area of Responsibility
AOM	Airspace Organisation and Management
AOM	Aircraft Operations Manual
AOP	Airport Operations Unit (EATM)
AOP	Aeronautical OSI Profile
AOP	Airport Operations Programme
AOPA	Aircraft Owner and Pilot Associations
AOPG	Aerodrome Operations Group (ICAO) / Groupe sur l'exploitation technique des aérodromes (FR)
AOPTF	Aerodrome Operations Task Force
AOR	Atlantic Ocean Region (ICAO)
AOR	Area of Responsibility *
AOR-E	Atlantic Ocean Region - East (ICAO)
AORTF	ATM Added Functionality Operational Requirements Task Force
AOR-W	Atlantic Ocean Region - West (ICAO)
AOS	Airport Operations Strategy Drafting Group
AOT	Airport Operations Team
AOU	Aircraft Operator Unit (CFMU)
AOWIR	Aircraft Operator What-If Re-routing / Outil de Simulation des Réacheminements destiné aux exploitants d'aéronefs (FR)
AOWP	Airport Operations Work Plan



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AP	Auto-Pilot
AP	Application Process *
APANPIRG	Asia/Pacific Air Navigation Planning and Implementation Regional Group *
APAPI	Abbreviated Precision Approach Path Indicator
APARMO	Asia/Pacific Approvals Registry and Monitoring Organization
APAS	Actions de promotion d'accompagnement et de soutien (STAR) (FR)
APATSI	Airport / Air Traffic Systems Interface * (ECAC) / Interface Services d'Aéroport-services ATS (FR)
APB	APATSI Project Board
APC	Airspace Policy Commission (ATFM)
APC	Aeronautical Passenger Communications / Correspondence *
APC	Aeronautical Public Correspondence
APC	Assistant Planning Controller
APD	Activity Predictor Display
APDLC	Aircraft Proximity Data Link Communication (ICAO)
APDSG	ATM Procedures Development Sub-Group
APE	Analysis Programme for Evaluation
APEC	Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation
APERMECA	Association pour le Perfectionnement des Méthodes de Contrôle de la Circulation Aérienne
API	Application Programming Interface (ODS)
APIRG	Africa-Indian Ocean Planning and Implementation Regional Group (ICAO)
APL	Abbreviated Flight Plan (IFPS)
APL	Applied Physics Laboratory
APL	ATC Flight Plan
APM	Architecture Project Management
APMB	ACAS Programme Management Board
APO	Airport Operator
APO	Aircraft Performance and Operations
APOD	Airport of Debarkation
APP	Approach Centre / Control *
APP controller /director	Approach controller/director
App.	Appendix
APPAG	ATFM Policies and Principles Advisory Group
APPA-SG	ATFM Policies and Principles Advisory Sub-Group
APP-ASS	Approach-Assistant
APR	Automatic Position Reporting
APS	Approach Control Surveillance
APSB	ACAS Programme Steering Board
APSG	ACAS Programme Steering Group
APT	Airport Traffic Management
APT	Airport Simulation
APT	Airport(s)



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APT	Airspace Planning Team (EATCHIP) became ANT (March 94)
APT BD	Airport Throughput Business Division (Eurocontrol - DAP Business Directorate)
APU	Auxiliary Power Unit
APV	Accuracy Position & Velocity
APW	Area Proximity Warning
AQAP	Allied Quality Assurance Publication
AQG	Agency Quality Group
AQP	Advanced Qualification Programme
A-QPSK	Aviation Quadrature Phase Shift Keying *
AR	Automatic Reminder
AR	Agency Representative (CIP)
AR	Air Route
AR-1	Approach Radar 1
ARAC	Aviation Rulemaking Advisory Committee
ARB	Authoritative Representative Body
ARC	Airlift Requirement Centre
arc	assigned rate of climb/descent
ARC	Advanced Research for/in Air Traffic Control
ARC 2000	Automatic Radar Control for the 21st Century (CEE)
ARCA	Advanced en-Route Centre for Air Traffic Management
ARCC	Air Rescue Co-ordination Centre
ARCH	Archives and Quality Control System (CFMU)
ARCID	Aircraft Identification * (CFMU)
ARCOS	Arrival Co-ordination System (D)
ARCP	Air Refuelling Control Point
ARDEP	Analysis / Assessment of Research and Development in Eurocontrol Programmes
ARDM	Airspace Regulation, Design and Management
ARDRS	Automatic Radar Data Recording System
ARDS	ATM Architecture and overall system engineering
ARETA	ATM with RNAV in Extended Terminal Area
ARFA	Allied Radio Frequency Agency
ARH	Architecture
ARIBA	ATM system safety criticality Raised Issues in Balancing Actors Responsibility
ARINC	Aeronautical Radio Incorporated (US)
ARINC 306	Guidance For Designers Of Aircraft - Electronic Installations
ARINC 307	Aircraft Integrated Data System Wire Bundle Provisions
ARINC 404A	Air Transport Equipment Cases And Racking
ARINC 406A	Airborne Electronic Equipment
ARINC 408A	Air Transport Indicator Cases And Mounting
ARINC 413A	Guidance For Aircraft Power Utilisation And Transient Protection
ARINC 414	General Guidance For Equipment And Installation Engineers
ARINC 415	Operation/Technical Guidelines On Failure Warning and Functional Test



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A

ARINC 419	Digital Data System Compendium
ARINC 421	Guidance For Standard Subdivision of ATA Spec 100 Numbering System for Avionics
ARINC 422	Guidance For Modification Status Indicators & Avionics Service Bulletins
ARINC 424	Navigation System Data Base *
ARINC 429	Mark 33 Digital Information Transfer System
ARINC 528	Airborne Tape Recorder
ARINC 533A	Airborne HF SSB/AM System
ARINC 541	Airborne Magnetic Flight Data Recorder
ARINC 542	Airborne Oscillograph Flight Data Recorder
ARINC 542A	Digital Flight Data Recorder
ARINC 551	Airborne Glide Slope Receiver - Mark 2
ARINC 557	Airborne Voice Recorder
ARINC 559A	Mark 2 Airborne HF SSB/AM System
ARINC 561	Air Transport Inertial Navigation System - INS
ARINC 566	Airborne VHF Communications Transceiver And Mark 1 VHF SATCOM System
ARINC 566A	Mark 3 VHF Communications Transceiver
ARINC 569	Heading and Altitude Sensor (HAS)
ARINC 569	Airborne Distance Measuring Equipment
ARINC 571	Inertial Reference System (INS)
ARINC 572	Mark 2 Air Traffic Control Transponder
ARINC 573	Aircraft Integrated Data System (AIDS) Mark 2
ARINC 574	Passenger Announcement, Entertainment & Service Multiplex System
ARINC 575	Mark 3 Subsonic Air Data System (Digital)
ARINC 576	Mark 4 Subsonic Air Data System
ARINC 577	Audible Warning System
ARINC 578	Airborne ILS Receiver
ARINC 579	Airborne VOR Receiver
ARINC 585	Electronic Chronometer System
ARINC 591	Quick Access Recorder For Aids System (OAR)
ARINC 592	Airborne Passenger Tape Record
ARINC 594	Ground Proximity Warning System (GPWS)
ARINC 595	Barometric Altitude Rate Computer
ARINC 596	Mark 2 Airborne SELCAL System
ARINC 597	Aircraft Communications Addressing And Reporting System (ACARS)
ARINC 597A	Enhanced ACARS Avionics
ARINC 59MA	Airborne Announcement Tape Reproducer
ARINC 600	Air Transport Avionics Equipment Interfaces
ARINC 601	Control/Display Interfaces
ARINC 602	Test Equipment Guidance
ARINC 602A	Test Equipment Guidance
ARINC 603	Airborne Computer Data Loader
ARINC 604	Guidance For Design And Use Of built-In Test Equipment (BITE)

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A

ARINC 605	Users Guide For ARINC 616 Avionics Subset Of ATLAS Language
ARINC 606	Guidance For Electrostatic Sensitive Device Utilisation & Protection, Sup. 1
ARINC 608	Standard Modular Avionics Repair And Test System (SMART)
ARINC 609	Design Guidance For Aircraft Electrical Power Systems
ARINC 610	Guidance For Design and Integration of Aircraft Avionics Equipment In Simulators, Supplement 1
ARINC 611	Guidance For The Design and Installation Of Fuel Quantity Systems, Sup. 1
ARINC 612	BITE Glossary
ARINC 613	Guidance for Using the Ada Programming Language in Avionics Systems
ARINC 614	Standard Firmware Loader For Avionics Shops
ARINC 615	Airborne Computer High Speed Data Loader, Supplement 3
ARINC 616	Avionics Subset of ATLAS Language
ARINC 620	Data Link Ground System Standard And Interface Specification
ARINC 623	North American Specification for ACARS-Based Messages
ARINC 624	Design Guidance For Onboard Maintenance System
ARINC 626	Standard ATLAS For Modular Test
ARINC 627	Programmers Guide For Smart Systems Using ARINC 626 ATLAS
ARINC 629	Multi Tester Data Bus
ARINC 629	Multi-Transmitter Data Bus
ARINC 631	Aviation Packet Communications Functional Description
ARINC 651	Design Guidance For Integrated Modular Electronics
ARINC 659	Backplane Data Bus for Integrated Modular Avionics
ARINC 701	Flight Control Computer System
ARINC 702	Flight Management Computer, Supplement 4 & 5
ARINC 703	Thrust Control Computer
ARINC 704	Inertial Reference System, Supplement 6
ARINC 705	Altitude and Heading Reference System (AHRS)
ARINC 706	Subsonic Air Data System
ARINC 707	Radio Altimeter, Supplement 6
ARINC 708	Airborne Weather Radar
ARINC 709	Airborne Distance Measuring Equipment, Supplement 8
ARINC 709A	Precision Airborne Distance Measuring Equipment
ARINC 710	Mark 2 Airborne ILS Receiver
ARINC 711	Mark 2 Airborne VOR Receiver
ARINC 714	Mark 3 Airborne SELCAL Systems
ARINC 715	Airborne Passenger Address Amplifier
ARINC 716	Airborne VHF Communications Transceiver
ARINC 717	Flight Data Acquisition And Recording System
ARINC 718	Mark 3 ATC Transponder
ARINC 719	Airborne HF/SSB System
ARINC 720	Digital Frequency/Function Selection for Airborne
ARINC 722	Electronic Equipment Protection Video System
ARINC 723	Ground Proximity Warning System (GPWS)



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A

ARINC 724	Mark 2 Aircraft Communications
ARINC 724A	Mark 2 ACARS Avionics
ARINC 724B	Aircraft Communications Addressing and Reporting System (ACARS)
ARINC 725	Electronic Flight Instruments (EFIS)
ARINC 726	Flight Warning Computer System
ARINC 727	Airborne Microwave Landing System
ARINC 728	Avionics Refrigeration and Cooling System (ARCS)
ARINC 729	Analog And Discrete Data Converter System
ARINC 730	Airborne Separator Assurance System
ARINC 731	Electronic Chronometer
ARINC 732	Mark 2 Airborne Passenger Audio Entertainment Tape Reproducer, Supplement 1
ARINC 735	Traffic Alert and Collision Avoidance System (TCAS), Supplement 1
ARINC 737	On Board Weight and Balance System. Supplement 1
ARINC 738	Air Data and Inertial Reference System (ADIRS)
ARINC 739	Multi-Purpose Control and Display Unit
ARINC 740	Multiple-Input Cockpit Printer
ARINC 741P2	Aviation Satellite Communication System Part 2 - Satellite Design
ARINC 741P1	Aviation Satellite Communication System Part I - Aircraft Installation Provisions
ARINC 741P4	Aviation Satellite Communications System Part 4 - Specification and Description Language
ARINC 742	Design Guidance For Windshear Warning and Guidance Equipment
ARINC 743	Airborne Global Positioning System Receiver
ARINC 743A	GPS/GLONASS Sensor
ARINC 744	Full Format Printer
ARINC 745	Automatic Dependent Surveillance, Supplement 1
ARINC 746	Cabin Communications System, Supplement 1
ARINC 747	Flight Data Recorder
ARINC 748	Communications Management Unit (CMU)
ARINC 750	VHF Data Radio (VDR)
ARINC 751	Gate-Aircraft Terminal Environment Link (Gatelink) - Aircraft Side
ARINC 752	TFTS Airborne Radio Sub-System
ARINC 753	HF Data Link System
ARINC 757	Cockpit Voice Recorder (CVR)
ARINC539A	Airborne 400 Hz AC Tape Reproducer
ARLO	Air Liaison Officer
ARM	ADS Report Message
ARM	Air Request Message
ARM	Anti Radiation Missile
ARM	Armenia
ARMATS	State Closed Joint-Stock Company of Armenian Air Traffic Services
ARN	ATS Routes and Associated Navigation Means
ARN-1 (Table)	Basic ATS Route Network in the Lower and Upper Airspace



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ARN-2 (Table)	Radio Navigation Aids Associated with the Basic ATS Route Network Terminal Area and Instrument Approach Procedures
ARN-V2	ATS Route Network – Version 2 (ECAC, EATMP)
ARN-V3	ATS Route Network – Version 3 (ECAC, EATMP)
ARO	Air Traffic Service Reporting Office *
ARP	Aerodrome Reference Point / Aerospace Recommended Practice
ARP	Automated Route Planning
ARP/TF	Task Force on Arrangements and Regulatory Processes governing the Route Charges System under the Revised Convention
ARPA	Advanced Research Project Agency
ARQ	Automatic Request Repeat / Automatic Response to Query
ARR	Arrival Message
ARR SP	Arrival Sequence Planner
ARS	Aeronautical Radio Navigation Service
ARS	Avoidance Routing Scheme
ARSA	Airport Radar Service Area
ARSC	Air Rescue Sub Centre
ARSR	Air Route Surveillance Radar * (US)
ART	Analysis and Replay Tool
ARTAS	Air Traffic Management Surveillance Tracker and Server System / Système de poursuite et serveur radar ATM (FR)
ARTAS TF	ARTAS Task Force
ARTAS/CAM OS	ATM Surveillance Tracker and Server / Central ARTAS Maintenance and Operational Support
ARTCC	Air Route Traffic Control Centre * (US)
Artemis	An ESA experimental telecommunications satellite hosting an EGNOS navigation transponder
ARTES 9	Advanced Research in Telecommunication Systems
ARTF	Administrative Reform Task Force
ARTS	Automated Radar Terminal System
ARTS	Area Radar Training Squadron (US)
ARU	Airspace Reservation Unit
ARYM	Ancienne République Yougoslave de Macédoine (FR)
AS	Airspeed
AS	Airspace
AS, A-S	Anti Spoofing *
ASA	Airspace Safety Analysis Group
ASA	Automatic Slot Assignment
ASA	Aviation Safety Alliance
ASA	Aircraft Situation Awareness
ASA	Automated Support to ATS
ASA System	Automatic Slot Assignment System
ASAG	Automated Support to ATS Focus Group
ASAP	Aircraft Separation Assurance Programme

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ASAP	As soon as possible / practicable
ASARS	Air Surveillance Airborne Radar System
ASAS	Airborne Separation Assurance System / Système de garantie de séparation des vols (FR)
ASC	Ascending
ASCAP	Automatic SSR Code Assignment Procedure
ASCB	Avionics Standard Communication Bus *
ASCII	American Standard Code for Information Interchange / Exchange *
ASCOT	Airport Slots Compliance Tools
ASD	Architecture and System Design Section (CFMU)
ASD	Air Situation Display
ASDA	Accelerate Stop Distance Available
ASDAR	Aircraft to Satellite Data Relay
ASDE	Airport Surveillance Detection Equipment
ASD-TF	Air Situation Display Task Force
ASE	Application Service Element *
ASE	ATM Systems Engineering
ASE	Altimetry System Error
ASE	Agence Spatiale Européenne (FR)
ASECNA	Agency for the Safety of Air Navigation in Africa and Madagascar * / Agence pour la Sécurité de la Navigation aérienne en Afrique et à Madagascar (FR)
ASEP	ACCS Surveillance Exploratory Prototype (NATO / SHAPE)
ASE-TF	ATM System Engineering Task Force (EATM)
ASHTAM	NOTAM relating to volcanic and/or dust activity (ICAO)
ASI	Asia Region * (ICAO)
ASI	Aerospace Sciences Inc.
ASIC	Application-Specific Integrated Circuit *
ASM	Ad-hoc Schedule Message (CFMU)
ASM	AirSpace Management *
ASMAC	Automated System for Management of Aeronautical Information and Charting
ASMC	Aerodrome Surface Movement Control
ASMC	Airspace Management Communications
ASMGCS	Advanced Surface Movement Guidance and Control Systems *
ASM-HB	Airspace Management Handbook
ASMI	Airport Surface Movement Indicator
ASM-SG	Airspace Management Sub-Group (Sub-Group of ANT)
ASM-SG	Airspace Management Subgroup (EATM)
ASMT	ATM Safety Monitoring Tool / Instrument de Contrôle de la Sécurité de l'ATM (FR)
ASMTF	Airspace Management Task Force
ASN	Aviation Safety Network
ASN	Abstract Syntax Notation *
ASN 1	Abstract Syntax Notation One *
ASNO	Approach Sequence Number



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A

ASO	Air Surveillance Officer
ASOC	Air Sovereignty Operations Centre
ASOC	Army Support Operations Centre
ASOP	Airspace Organisation and Procedures
ASP	AIRCOM Service Processor (SITA)
ASP	ATM Service Provider
ASP	Air Space
ASP	Air Navigation Service Provider
ASP	Arrival Sequence Planner
asp	assigned speed
ASP	Aeronautical Information Service Staff Profile Task Force
ASP	Adjustable System Parameter (ODS)
ASPP	Aeronautical Fixed Service Systems Planning for Data Interchange Panel *
ASQF	Application Specific Qualification Facility (part of EGNOS)
ASR	Airport Surveillance Radar * (TAR)
ASR BD	Agency Safety Regulatory Business Division (Eurocontrol)
ASRB	Agency Safety Regulation Bureau (EUROCONTROL)
ASRS	Aviation Safety Reporting System
ASRT	Air Support Radar Team
ASSR	Assigned SSR code (FPPS/DECADE)
ASTA	Airport Surface Traffic Automation
ASTER	Aviation Safety Targets for Effective Regulation
ASTERIX	Radar Data Exchange - Focus Group
ASTERIX	All purpose Structured Eurocontrol Radar Information Exchange
ASTF	Air Server Task Force
AST-FP	SRC Annual Summary Template - Focal Points Group
ASTP	ADS Studies and Trials Project
ASTRA	Customized version of ARTAS designed for airport surveillance
ASU	ACAS Support Unit
ASW	Air Situation Window
ASW	Anti Submarine Warfare
AT	Austria, Republic of Austria (ISO Country Code)
AT	Actual Time Count Down
AT	Air Transport
AT	At Time
ATA	Actual Time of Arrival *
ATA	Air Transport Association (of America)
ATAC	Airspace Traffic Data Capture
ATAF	Allied Tactical Air Force / Force Aérienne Tactique (=FATA) (FR)
ATAFF	Air Traffic Arbitrated Free Flight
ATAG	Air Transport Action Group
ATAR	Automatic Air Reporting
ATARS	Automatic Traffic Avoidance and Resolution System



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A

ATAS	Air Traffic Advisory Service *
ATC	Air Traffic Control * / Contrôle de la circulation aérienne (FR)
ATCA	Allied Tactical Communications Agency
ATCA	Air Traffic Control Assistant
ATCA	Air Traffic Control Association (US)
ATCAP	Air Traffic Control Automation Panel (ICAO)
ATCAS	(Sweden) ATC Automated System
ATCC	Air Traffic Control Centre / Centre de Contrôle de la Circulation Aérienne (FR)
ATCC	Air Traffic Control Clearance *
ATCEUC	Air Traffic Controllers European Unions Co-ordination
ATCgram	Illustration in graph form of the main functional levels of ATC systems
ATC-HMI	Air Traffic Control Human Machine Interface *
ATCI	Airport ATC and Information systems
ATCO	Air Traffic Controller or Air Traffic Control Officer / Contrôleur de la Circulation Aérienne (FR)
ATCRBS	Air Traffic Control Radar Beacon System *
ATCRU	Air Traffic Control Radar Unit
ATCS	Air Traffic Control Service * / Service du Contrôle du Trafic Aérien (=SCTA) (FR)
ATCSQ	Air Traffic Control Safety Questionnaire
ATCU	Air Traffic Control Unit
ATD	Along Track Distance *
ATD	Air Traffic Control & Data Processing
ATD	Actual Time of Departure
ATD	Air Traffic Services Development
ATDS	Airborne Tactical Data System
ATE	Automatic Test Equipment
ATFC	Air Traffic Flow Controller
ATFCM	Air Traffic Flow and Capacity Management
ATFM	Air Traffic Flow Management * / Gestion des courants de trafic aérien (FR)
ATFMC	Air Traffic Flow Management Communications
ATFMO	Air Traffic Flow Management Organisation
ATFMP	Air Traffic Flow Management Position (CFMU)
ATFMS	Air Traffic Flow Management System
ATFMU	Air Traffic Flow Management Unit
ATFR	Air Traffic Flow Regulator
ATG	Air Traffic Generator
ATI	Automatic Tracking Initiation
ATIC	Administrative and Technical Inspection Committee (Agency structure) / Mission d'Inspection administrative et technique (=MIAT) (FR)
ATIF	ATN Trials Infrastructure
ATILO	Administrative Tribunal of the International Labour Organisation / Tribunal Administratif de l'Organisation internationale du Travail (=TAOIT) (FR)
ATIS	Automatic Terminal Information Service *
ATLAS	Air Traffic Land and Air Study [or Airborne Systems] (European Commission)



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A

ATM	Asynchronous Transfer Mode
ATM	Air Traffic Management * + ... Message / Gestion de la circulation aérienne. (FR)
ATM 2000+	ATM Strategy for the Years 2000+
ATM 2000+ SB	ATM 2000+ Strategy Board
ATM R&D RG	European ATM Research and Development Programme Review Group
ATMAS	Air Traffic Management Automated System (It. ATFM)
ATMC	Air Traffic Management Centre
ATMCP	ATM Operational Concept Panel (ICAO)
ATMCT	Air Terminal Movement Control Team Centre (NATS UK)
ATMG	Air Traffic Management Group
ATM-IS	ATM Information Service
ATMO	Air Traffic Management Organisation *
ATMOS	Air Traffic Management Operating System
ATMS	Advanced Air Traffic Management System
ATN	Aeronautical Telecommunication Network * / Réseau de télécommunications aéronautiques (FR)
ATN EURET	see EURATN
ATN RD	Aeronautical Telecommunication Network Routing Domain
ATN RDC	Aeronautical Telecommunication Network Routing Domain Confederation *
ATNAVICS	Air Traffic Navigation, Integration and Co-ordination System
ATNC	ATN and Communication Architecture
ATN-ES	ATN End-System
ATNI	Aeronautical Telecommunication Network Internet *
ATNP	Aeronautical Telecommunication Network Panel * (ICAO)
ATNSI	ATN System Inc. (US)
ATN-VDL	Aeronautical Telecommunications Network / VHF Digital Link
ATO	Actual Time Overhead or Overflying (CFMU - CASA)
ATO	Airborne Traffic Observation
ATOC	Allied Tactical Operations Centre
ATOPS	Advanced Transport Operating System
ATOT	Actual Take Off Time (CFMU)
ATRAC	Air Navigation Services Employee Training Concept
ATRACC	ATC System for Riga Area Control Centre
ATRK	Alone Track Error *
ATS	Air Traffic Services * ; Services de la circulation aérienne.
ATS BD	Air Traffic Services Business Division (Eurocontrol)
ATSA	Air traffic Services Authority (Bulgaria & Croatia)
AT-SAT	Air Traffic Selection and Training (US)
ATSC	Air Traffic Services Communications *
ATSD	Air Traffic Situation Display
ATSEP	Air Traffic Safety Electronics Personnel
ATSEX	ATS External Communications



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A

ATSIS	Air Traffic Services Investigation System
ATSN	Air Traffic Service Network
ATSO	Air Traffic Services Operator
ATSO	Air Traffic Services Organisation
ATSORA	Air Traffic Services Outside Regulated Airspace
ATSP	Air Traffic Service Providers
ATSSD	ATS Standards Department
ATSU	Air Traffic Service Unit *
ATSup	Air Traffic Supervisor
ATT	Along Track Tolerance
ATT	Attitude Indicator
ATWR	Apron TWR
ATZ	Aerodrome Traffic Zone *
AU	Arbitrary Unit
Aud	Audio aids *
AUG	ARTAS User Group
AUP	Airspace Use Plan
AUS	Airspace Utilisation Service
AUSTRO CONTROL	Österreichische Gesellschaft für Zivilluftfahrt mbH (AT)
AUTOCAD	Automatic Computer Aided Design
AutoNav	Auto-Navigation
AUTOVON	Automatic Voice Network
AUW	All Up Weight
AV	Audio-visual aids *
AVASI	Abbreviated Visual Approach Slope Indicator
A-VASIS	Advanced Visual Approach Slope Indicator System
AVENUE	ATM Validation Environment for Use towards EATMS
AVG	Approach with Vertical Guidance
AVI	Audio/Video Interleaved
AVINOR	Norwegian Air Navigation Service Provider
AVLC	Aviation VHF Link Control
AVNET	Assitenza al Volo Network (IT)
AVOL	Aerodrome Visibility Operational Level
AVPAC	Aviation VHF Packet Communications *
AVT	ADS-B Validation Testbed
AW	Area Width
AW	Aerial Work *
AW/P	Active Way Point *
AWACS	Airborne Warning and Control System / Système de détection aéroporté (=SDA) (FR)
AWIR	Automatically generated What-If Re-routing / Outil de Simulation Automatique des Réacheminements (FR)
AWOG	All Weather Operations Group



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AWOP	All Weather Operations Panel * (ICAO)
AWOS	Automatic Weather Observing System *
AWP	Ancillary Working Position
AWP	Arrival Waypoint
AWX	All Weather
AWY	Airway *
AZ	Azerbaijan (ISO country Code)
AZ	Aerodrome zone
AZERTY	(arrangement of keys on keyboard, French style)

B

B	Belgium
B&D	Bearing and Distance
B&H	Bosnia and Herzegovina
B/C	Benefit / Cost
B/CRS	Back Course *
BA	Bosnia and Herzegovina, Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina (ISO Country Code)
BA	Barometric Altitude *
BAA	British Airport Authority
BADA	Base of Aircraft Data ; Aircraft performance Data Base
BAF	Belgian Air Force
BARS	Behaviour Anchored Rating Scales *
BARTCC	Berlin Air Route Traffic Control Centre
Base AM	Base Arrival Manager
Base AMD	Base Arrival Manager Display
BAST	Basic ATC Skills Trainer
BATAP	'Type-B' Application To Application Protocol
BAZ	Bundesamt für Zivilluftfahrt (Austria) (AT) / Austrian aviation authority
BCA	Border Crossing Authority
B-CAS	Beacon Collision Avoidance System
BCBP	Bilateral Communication Plan Co-ordination
BCD	Binary-Coded Decimal
BCP	Business Continuity Plan
Bd	Baud *
BDP	Brussels ACC Computer
BDP	Bureau de Piste (FR)
BDR	Battle Damage Repair
BE	Belgium (ISO Country Code)
BEE	Bureau Européen de l'Environnement (FR)
BEI	Banque Européenne d'Investissement (FR) / European Investment Bank
BELGOCONT ROL	Belgian Operator of Air Traffic Management, both for airport and en-route traffic
BEM	Boundary Estimate Message (SARP)



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B

BENELUX	Belgium, Netherlands and Luxembourg
BER	Bite Error Rate *
BERD	Banque européenne pour la reconstruction et le développement (FR) / European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (=EBRD)
BFD	Basic Flight Data message
BFL	Blocked Flight Level Area
BFS (Z)	Bundesanstalt für Flugsicherung (Zentralstelle) (DE)
BFWG	Budgetary and Financial Working Group
BG	Bulgaria (ISO Country Code)
BGD	Background
BHCA	Busy Hour Call Attempt
BHL-System	(Name of HR-registration system)
BIAC	Brussels International Airport Company
BIF	Deliver Implementation Benefits Faster (EATCHIP Adaptation)
BIH	Bureau International de l'Heure (FR)
BIRD	Banque Internationale pour la Reconstruction et le Développement (ONU) (FR) / International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (=IBRD)
BIRDTAM	Bird hazard noTAM (NOTAM reporting bird hazard) *
BIS	Boundary Intermediate System *
BIST	Build-In Self Test (ODS)
Bit	Binary Digit
BIT	Built-In Test
BITE	Built-In Test Equipment *
BM	Basic Measurement
BMD	Basic Measurement Display
BMS	Bureau Militaire de Standardisation (FR)
BMUN	Better Meet User Needs (EATCHIP Adaptation)
BN	Backbone Node (RMCDE/ RADNET)
BNC	BayoNet Locking Coax (connector)
BNC	Backbone Network Computer (RADNET)
BNF	Backus Naur Form
BNL	Benelux
BOI	Biographical Oriented Interview
BOS	Behaviour anchored Rating Scales
BP	Business Plan *
BPF	Band Pass Filter *
BPN	Boundary Point of Entry
bps	bits per second
BPS	Boundary Point Sector
BPS BD	Business Planning & Support Business Division (Eurocontrol)
BPSK	Binary Phase Shift Keying *
BPSX	Boundary Point Sector Exit
BRA	Bearing, Range and Altitude



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B

BRA	Basic Rate Access
Brief	Briefing
BRITE	Basic Research in Industrial Technologies for Europe = EURAM
B-RNAV	Basic Area Navigation / RNAV de base
BS	Band Stop (ACS)
BS	BootStrap (RADNET Introduction - MAS)
BSC	Binary Synchronous Communications (CFMU)
BSD	Berkeley Software Distribution
BSP	Aircraft Parameter Downlink (service)
BSS	Best Signal Selection (ODS)
BSU	Beam Steering Unit *
BT	British Telecom
BTC	Basic Training Course
BTEC	Business and Technician Education Council
BTH (R)	Beyond the Horizon (Radar)
BUP	Backup
BVR	Beyond Visual Range
BW	Bandwidth *
BWP	Budget and Work Programme Planning / Planification du Budget et du programme de travail (FR)
BY	Belarus (ISO Country Code)

C

C	Consumables
C Band	Frequency Band *
C, C-, C++	Programming Language
C/A Code	Course / Acquisition Code *
C/d	Capacity demand ratio
C/M	Carrier-to Multi-Path Ratio *
C/N	Carrier-to-Noise Ratio
C/N0	Carrier-to-Noise-Density Ratio *
C/S	Call Sign
C102 (TSO)	Helicopter Radar Approach, Issued 04/02/84 (RTCA DO-172, Issued 03/83)
C104(TSO)	Microwave Landing System (MLS) Receiving Equipment, Issued 06/82 (RTCA DO-174, Issued 03/82)
C105(TSO)	Optional Display For Weather Radar, Issued 06/84 (RTCA DO-174, Issued 03/81)
C110(TSO)	Airborne Thunderstorm Detector, Issued 01/01/01,(RTCA DO-187, Issued 11/84)
C115(TSO)	RNAV Equipment Using Multi-Sensor, Issued 06/86 (RTCA DO-187, Issued 11/84)
C118(TSO)	Airborne TCAS I Equipment, Issued 08/88 (RTCA DO-197, Issued 3/87)
C119(TSO)	Airborne TCAS II Equipment (RTCA DO-185, Issued 09/83)
C120(TSO)	RNAV Equipment Using OMEGA/VLF, Issued 01/88 (RTCA DO-185 issued 9/83)
C2 level	Security level in the United States Department of Defense
C2 Level	Security Level in the United States Department of Defense



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C

C31d(TSO)	High Frequency (HF) Communications Transmitting Equipment, Issued 04/84 (RTCA DO-163, Issued 03/76)
C32d(TSO)	High Frequency (HF) Communications Receiving Equipment, Issued /83
C34e(TSO)	ILS Glide Slope Receive Equipment, Issued 01/88 (RCTA DO-192, Issued 07/86)
C35d(TSO)	Radio Marker Receiving Equipment, Issued 04/71 (RTCA DO-143, Issued 01/70)
C36e(TSO)	ILS Localizer Receiver Equipment, Issued 01/88 (RTCA) DO-195, Issued 11/86)
C37d(TSO)	VHF Comm transmitting Equipment, Issued 08181 (RTCA DO-157, Issued 08/81 (RTCA DO-157, Issued 08/74)
C38c(TSO)	VHF Comm Receiving Equipment; Issued 08/81 (RTCA DO-156, Issued 08/74)
C38d(TSO)	Receiving Equipment, Issued 08/81 (RTCA DO-186, Issued 1/84)
C3CM(TSO)	Command, Control and Communications Countermeasures
C3T	Controller Tools and Transition Trials. See EVP.
C40c(TSO)	Airborne VOR Receiving Equipment, Issued 01/88 (RTCA DO-1996, Issued 11/86)
C41d(TSO)	Airborne ADF Equipment, Issued 05/86 (RTCA DO-179, Issued 05/82)
C4I	Command, Control, Communications, Computers and Intelligence
C50c(TSO)	Audio Selector Panel and Amps, Issued 01/83 (RTCA DO-170, Issued 01/80)
C57a(TSO)	Headsets And Speakers, Issued 01/83 (RTCA DO-170, Issued 01/80)
C58a	Aircraft Microphones, Issued 01/83 (RTCA DO-170, Issued 01/80)
C59	Selective Calling (SELCAL) Equipment, Issued 01/01 (RTCA DO-93, Issued 2/59)
C60b	RNAV Equipment Using LORAN -C, Issued 05/88 (RTCA DO-194, Issued 11/86)
C63c	Airborne Weather Radar, Issued 08/83 (RTCA DO-173 Issued 11/80)
C65a	Doppler Radar Air Speed Equipment, Issued 08/83 (RTCA DO-158, Issued 11/75)
C66b	Airborne DME (Distance Measuring Equipment), Issued 08/81 (RTCA DO-1514, Issued 04/60)
C67	Airborne Radar Altimeters, Issued 11/64 (RTCA DO-103, Issued 4/60)
C68a	Dead Reckoning Computer Equipment, Issued 08/83 (RTCA DO-158, Issued 10/75)
C74e	Airborne ATC Transponder Equipment, Issued 01/01 (RTCA DO 161A, Issued 05/76)
C87a	Low Range Radar Altimeters, Issued 01/01 (RTCA DO-155, Issued 01/74)
C91a	Emergency Locator Transmitter, Issued 04/85 (RTCA DO-183, Issued 5/83)
C92b	Ground Proximity Warning (GPWS) Equipment, 01/01 (RTCA DO-161A, Issued 05/76)
C94a	OMEGA Receiving Equipment, Issued 08/81 (RTCA DO-164A, Issued 09/79)
CA	Course to an Altitude (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
CA	Computer Associates
CA	Civil Aviation
CA	Conflict Alert
CAA	Civil Aviation Authority *
CAAC	Civil Air Authoriy - China
CAAS	Computer Aided Approach Sequencing
CAAS	Common AMHS Addressing Scheme
CAC	Centralised Approach Control

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C

CAD	Computer Aided / Assisted Design
CAD/CAM	Computer Aided Design / Computer Aided Manufacturing
CADAS	Computer Controlled Avionics Data Acquisition System
CADF	Centralised Airspace Data Function * (ECAC)
CADIN	Czech Automated Data Interchange Network
CADS	Combined Arrival and Departure Sequencing/Study (APATSI)
CADS	Computer aided Departure System
CAE	Computer Aided Engineering
CAEP	Committee on Aviation [Environmental] Protection Emissions Operational (Measures Working Group, WG/4) ; Commission on Aviation Environmental Protection (ICAO)
CAER	Computer Assistance for En-Route ATC
CAERAF	Common American-European Reference ATN Facility / Dispositif ATN de Référence commun pour les Etats-Unis et l'Europe (FR)
CAFAC	African Civil Aviation Commission
CAG	Circulation Aérienne Générale (FR) / General Air Traffic * (=GAT)
CAI	Civil Aviation Inspection
CAI	Computer Assisted Input
CAIIS	Computer Aided Imagery Interpretation System
CAIR	Confidential Aviation Incident Reporting
CAIRDE	Civil Aviation Integrated Radar Display Equipment (IRE)
CAL	Computer Aided Learning
CALLSGN	Callsign
CALM	Computer Assisted Landing Management System
CALS	Computer-aided Acquisition and Logistic Support
CAM	Computer Aided Manufacturing
CAM	Conflict Alert Message
CAM	Circulation Aérienne Militaire (FR)
CAMACA	Commonly Agreed Methodology for Airport Airside Capacity Assessment
CAMI	Civil Aeromedical Institute
CAMOS	Central ARTAS Maintenance & Operational Support
CAMPS	Computer Aided Message Processing System
CAMUS	Czech Automated Multi radar System
CAN Proj.	Croatian Air Navigation Project
CANAC	Computer Assisted National ATC Centre (B)
CANSO	Civil Air Navigation Services Organisation
CAO	Computer Assisted Operations
CAOFA	Co-ordination of Air Operations in the Forward Area
CAP	Controller Access Parameters
CAP	Combat Air Patrol
CAPAN	Capacity Analyser
CAPC	Civil Aviation Planning Committee (NATO)
CAPE	Computer Assisted Planning Experiment
CAPSIN	CAA Packet Switched Integrated Network (UK)



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CAR	Caribbean Region *
CARAT	Computer-Aided Route Allocation Tool
CARD	CNS Applications – Research and Development
CARD	Conflict And Risk Display (ODID)
CARE	Co-operative Actions of ATM Research and Development in Eurocontrol
CARFE	Conference on Airport and Route Facility Economics (ICAO) / Conference sur la gestion des aéroports et des installations et services de route (FR)
CARS	Controller Acceptance Rating Scale
CART	Classification And Regression Trees
CAS	Close Air Support
CAS	Calculated Air Speed
CAS	Collision Avoidance System
CAS	Calibrated Air Speed
CAS	Computerised Assessment System
CASA	Computer Assisted Slot Allocation (CFMU)
CASE	Computer Aided Software Engineering
Case	Case Study
CASI	CFMU Aircraft Situation Image
CASOR	Civil Area Services Operations Room
CAST	Consequences of future ATM systems for air traffic controller Selection and Training *
CASTA	Controller Associate for Strategic and Technical Advice
Cat	Category
CAT	Clear Air Turbulence
CAT	Commercial Air Transport
CAT	Computer Assisted Teaching / Training
CAT	Continuous Attention Task
CAT x	Category x Precision Approach (I *, II or III)
CAT-1	Category One
CATCAS	Copenhagen Air Traffic Control Automated System (DK)
CATCO	Chief ATC Operations
CATIA	TF on CNS/ATM Implementation Aspects
CATSA	Croatian air Traffic Services Authority
CATSIM	CAA Air Traffic Simulator (UK)
C-ATSU	Controlling ATS Unit
CAUTRA	Automated Computer System for Air Traffic / Coordinateur Automatique de Trafic Aérien (FR)
CAVOK	Clouds and Visibility OK
Cb	Cumulonimbus
CB	Central Battery
CBA	Cross Border Area *
CBA	Cost Benefit Analysis *
CBI	Computer Based Instruction *



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CBN	Common Backbone Network (subnetwork RAPNET = system of the national ATS, DFS = PSN)
CBPE	Computer-Based Practical Exercises
CBPM	Computer-Based Performance Measure
CBR	Constant Bit Rate
CBS	Cost/Benefit Studies
CBT	Computer Based Tool
CBT	Computer Based Training * / Formation assistée par Ordinateur (FR)
CC	Contextual Condition
CCB	Configuration Control Board
CCB	Change Control Board
CCC	Cellular CNS Concept
CCC	Central Computer Complex
CCC	Common Core Content (of ATC Training) *
CCC	Command, Control and Communications
CCCC	Cross Channel Co-ordination Centre
CCCI, C3I	Command, Control, Communications and Intelligence (network)
CCDS	Code Callsign Distribution System
CCE	Commission des Communautés européennes ; Commission européenne (FR) / Commission of the European Communities (=CEC) ; European Commission (EC)
CCESC	CEATS Chief Executive Standing Conference
CCF	Centralised Control Function (LATCC)
CCFT	Cold Cathode Fluorescent Tube
CCG	CEATS Co-ordination Group
CCG	CEATS Co-ordination Group / Groupe de Coordination CEATS (FR)
C-Channel	Circuit Mode Channel *
CCIP	Code-Callsign Input Position (MADAP)
CCIR	International Consultative Committee for RADIO
CCIS	Closed Circuit Information System
CCITT	Consultative Committee on International Telegraph and Telephone (ITU) / Comité Consultatif International Télégraphique et Téléphonique (UIT) (FR)
CCL	Code Callsign List
CCL	Croatia Control Ltd.
CCM	Centre de Contrôle Militaire (FR) / Military Control Centre (=MCC)
CCM	Computerized Control and Monitoring
CCMG	CEATS Civil/Military Group
CCMS	Committee on the Challenges of Modern Society (NATO)
CCP	Configuration Control Plan
CCP	Circuit Switched Public Data Network
CCR	Centre de Contrôle Régional (FR) / Area Control Centre *
CCR	Cancel Contract Request
CCS	Code CallSign
CCs	Contractual Conditions
CCTV	Closed Circuit TeleVision

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CCW	Counter-Clockwise
CD	Conflict Display (ODID)
CD	Course to a DME Distance (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
CD	Council Directive
CD&A	Conflict Detection and Avoidance
CD2	Common Digitizer 2
CD-2	Transmission format for radar data
CDA	Client Defined Area (CFMU)
CDA	Conflict Display Area. Coordination Approval / CoorDination Acceptance (message)
CDA	Current Data Authority (ICAO)
CDB	Central Data Base
CDG	Core Drafting Group (Selection)
CDG	Roissy Charles-de-Gaulle Airport
CDI	Coordination Information
CDI	Course Deviation Indicator
CDM	Collaborate (Cooperative) Decision Making * / Prise de décision en Collaboration (FR)
CDMA	Code Division Multiple Access *
CDN	Airspace Crossing Co-ordination Message
CDP	Central Data Processing
CDP	Computer Diagnostics Program
CDPS	Central Data Processing System
CDR	Critical Design Review
CDR	Conditional Route *
CDR	Conflict Detection and Resolution
CDR	Co-ordination Request (message)
CDRL	Contractual Deliverable Requirement List
CDRL	Contracts Data Requirements List (MAS/DFS - ODS)
CD-ROM	Compact Disk / Read Only Memory
CDS	Controller Display Support
CDSEPT	Committee to Develop Standards for Educational and Psychological Testing of The American Educational research Association, The American Psychological Association, and The National Council on Measurement in Education.
CDT	Command Delivery Time
CDTI	Cockpit Display of Traffic Information *
CDTS	Console Detailed Technical Specification
CDU	Control and Display Unit
CE	European Commission / Commission européenne
CE	Committee of Management (Eurocontrol)
CE/R	Enlarged Committee for Route Charges
CEAC	Conférence Européenne de l'Aviation Civile (FR) (ECAC)
CEAC	Committee for European Airspace Co-ordination (NATO Group) renamed on 27.4.98 by the North Atlantic Council (=NATMC)



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CEATS	Central European Air Traffic Services (Austria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Hungary, Italy, Slovakia and Slovenia [Bosnia, Herzegovina]) / Services de la Circulation Aérienne pour l'Europe Centrale (FR)
CEATS LSG	Central European Air Traffic Services Legal Sub Group
CEATS UAC	Central European Air Traffic Services Upper Airspace Control Centre
CEATS WGMI	CEATS Working Group on Management Issues
CEC	Commission of the European Communities ; European Commission / Commission des Communautés Européennes (=CCE) ; Commission européenne (FR)
CEE	Communauté Economique Européenne (FR)
CEE	Centre Expérimental d'Eurocontrol (FR) / Eurocontrol Experimental Centre (=EEC)
CEECs	Countries of Central and Eastern Europe ; Central and Eastern Europe Countries / Pays d'Europe centrale et orientale (=PECO) (FR)
CEF	Capacity Enhancement Function
CEFA	Co-operation for Environmentally Friendly Aviation (ERA, ACI, AEA, AECMA, EBAA, EUROCAE)
CEG	CESC Executive Group
CE-GPS	Complément européen au GPS / European GPS Overlay
CEI	Commission électrotechnique internationale (FR) / International Electrotechnical Commission (=IEC)
CELI	Congressional Economic Leadership Institute
CEMA	Chef d'Etat-Major de l'Armée (FR)
CEMT	Conférence Européenne des Ministres des Transports (FR) / European Conference of Ministers of Transport (ECMT)
CEN	Committee for European Normalisation
CENA	Centre d'Etudes de la Navigation Aérienne (DGAC/DNA)
CENELEC	Committee for European Normalisation in the Electrotechnical Field
CEO	Chief Executive Officer
CEP	Circular Error Probable *
CEPT	European Conference for Posts and Telecommunications
CER	Cancel Emergency Mode Request
CES	Central and Eastern European States
CES	Capacity Enhancement Service (ATFM)
CESAR	Course Evaluation Sheets Analysis and Reporting
CESC	Chief Executive Standing Conference
CESC	Chief Executive Standing Conference (see CEO)
CESNAC	Centre d'Exploitation des Systèmes de la Navigation Aérienne Centraux (FR)
CEU	Central Executive Unit * (ATM / CFMU) / Organe exécutif central (OEC) (FR)
CEU-E	Central executive unit with Responsibility for Eastern Europe / Organe exécutif central pour l'Europe de l'Est (=OEC-Est) (FR)
CEU-W	Central executive unit with Responsibility for Western Europe / Organe exécutif central pour l'Europe Occidentale (=OEC-Ouest) (FR)
CEV	Centre d'essais en vol (FR) / Flight Testing Centre
CEW	Civil Engineering Works
CF	Classification and Filtering



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CF	Course to a Fix (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
CFAR	Constant False Alarm Rate (or Regulation)
CFB	Central Flight plan Bank
CFCF	Central Flow Control Facility (US)
CFD	Consistent Flight Data
CFD	Change to Flight Data Message
CFDS	Central Flight Data Suite (PALLAS system)
CFE	Customer Furnished Equipment
CFEP	Communications Front End Processor
CFG	CEATS Financial Group
CFI	Customer Furnished Inputs
CFI	Court of First Instance of the European Communities
CFIT	Controlled Flight into Terrain
CFL	Cleared (Current) Flight Level *
CFM	EEC business area – support to ATFM (CFMU)
CFM	Central Flow Management (services)
CFM	Configuration Manager
CFMU	(Eurocontrol) Central Flow Management Unit * ; Organisme central de gestion des courants de trafic aérien (FR)
CFMU Area	States and Regions in the CFMU Operational Area
CFMUSC	CFMU Steering Committee
CFT	Call for Tender
CFTPД	Central File of Transponder Performance Data (ECC)
CFWG	CEATS Financial Working Group
CGCB	Common Ground Communications in the Balkans
CGSO	CEATS Group of Senior Officials
CH	Switzerland (ISO Country Code)
CHA	Character
CHAID	Chi Square Automatic Interaction Detection
CHAMP	Collaborative and Harmonised ATCO Manpower Training
Chap.	Chapter
CHASEIT	Collaborative Harmonisation of Architecture, System Engineering and Integration Techniques (internal Eurocontrol Agency)
CHG	Change Message (IFPS)
CHI	Computer-Human Interface
CHIEF	Project Switzerland (CH), Italy (IT), Spain (ES), France (FR)
CHIRP	Confidential human Factors Incident Reporting Programme
CI	Course to Intercept (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
CI	Configuration Item *
CIADN	Croatian Integrated Aeronautical Data Network
CIC	Clearances and Information Communications
CICT	Convergence and Implementation Coordination Team (renaming of SICT)
CID	Computer Interface Device

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CID	Case Inspection Delay
CIDIN	Common ICAO Data Interchange Network
CIEL	Common Interface Exchange Language
CIF	Common Interchange Format
CILO	Capacity Increase of Lower Airspace
CIM	Customer Information Management
CIMIC	Civil-Military Interface Committee
CIMIL	Civil/Military Co-ordination *
CIMSEL	Civil Military SSR Environment Liaison Cell
CINCAT	Capacity Increase through Computer Assistance Tools
CINCENT	Commander in Chief Central Europe
CINTIA	Control of Inbound Trajectories of Individual Aircraft
CIO	Conventional International Origin
CIP	Convergence and Implementation Programme * (EATCHIP) / Programme de Convergence et de mise en oeuvre / Réalisation (FR)
CIP	CFMU Implementation Plan
CIPD	Convergence and Implementation Programme Document * / Document "Programme de Convergence et de mise en oeuvre" (FR)
CIS	Commonwealth of Independent States (States of former USSR) / Communauté des Etats indépendants (=CEI) (FR)
CIS	Cooperative Independent Surveillance
CIS	Critical Incident Stress
CISCO	Cisco Systems Incorporated
CISD	Critical Incident Stress Debriefing *
CISM	Critical Incident Stress Management * (HRT)
CISMO	Centralised International System Management Organisation
CIT	Critical Incidence Technique *
CITRAC	Common Interface for Trajectory Calculation
CIU	Cabin Interface Unit
CIV	Civil
CJCE	Cour de justice des Communautés européennes ; Cour de justice européenne (FR) / Court of Justice of The European Communities (=CJEC, COJEC)
CJEC	Court of Justice of The European Communities (=CJEC, COJEC now European Court of Justice) / Cour de justice des Communautés européennes ; Cour de justice européenne (=CJCE) (FR)
CJI	Controller Justification Indicator
CL	Cleared
CL	Connectionless Mode Service *
CLA	OCM Clearance Echoback Message (message in the OCM Service)
CLD	DCL Clearance Message (message in the DCL Service)
CLIMAX	Multi-station carrier offset mode, with voting override
CLNP	Connection Less Network Protocol *
CLNS	Connection Less Network Service *
CLTP	Connection Less Transport Protocol *
CLW	Communications List Window



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CLX	OCM Clearance Message
CM	Configuration Management
cm	Centimeter
CM	Configuration (Context) Management *
CM	Common Memory (CBN - CNG)
CM	Conformance Monitoring *
CM	Critical Milestone (MAS/DFS - ODS)
CMA	Context Management Application
CMA	Central Monitoring Agency (NAT)
CMB	Combined * (PSR and SSR)
CMC	Constant Mach Climb
CMC	CIDIN Management Centre
CMC	Central Master Clock
CMCES	Comité Minstériel de Coordination Economique et Social (FR)
CMCSG	Civil and Military Co-ordination Sub-Group
CMG	Crisis management Group
CMIC	Civil Military Interface Standing Committee (New Convention) ; Comité permanent d'interface civile et militaire (FR)
CMID	Communciations "middleware"
CMIP	Contract Management and Inspection Procedures
CMIS/CMIP	Common Management Information Service / Protocol
CMM	Capability Maturity Model
CMMC	Common Maintenance Monitoring and Control
CMMC	Central Monitoring and Management Centre
CMOS	Complementary Metal Oxid Semiconductor
CMP	Configuration Management Plan
CMS	Common Modular Simulator (CMTP)
CMS	Central Message Switch
CMSA	Carrier Sense Multiple Access (ICAO-ADS)
CMT	Core Management Team
CMT	Critical Milestone Test (MAS/DFS - ODS)
CMTF	Equipe spéciale civile-militaire d'EASIE (FR)
CMTP	Common Medium Term Plan (Eurocontrol) / Plan commun à moyen terme (=PCMT) (FR)
CMU	Communications Management Unit *
CMV	Coverage Measurement Volume *
CN	Change Notice
CN	Corporate Network
CN	Permanent Commission for the safety of air navigation
CN	Common Network (INTNET/RADNET)
CNACC	Common National Area Control Centre
CNATCC	Common National Air Traffic Control Centre (Bulgaria)
CNES	Centre National d'Etudes Spatiales (FR) / French National Space Agency.



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CNG	Common Network Group
CNL	Cancel(lation) message (ICAO)
CNLCOND	ATFM Exceptional Condition Cancellation Message
CNLREG	ATFM Regulation Cancellation Message
CNS	Communication, Navigation and Surveillance *
CNS	Study Group of Alternates
CNS/ATM	Communication, Navigation and Surveillance * / Air Traffic Management *
CNS/ATM-1	Communication, Navigation and Surveillance * / Air Traffic Management Package 1
CO	Connection Mode Service *
COBALT	Common Objective Alignment Team (EATCHIP Adaptation)
COBT	Calculated Off Block Time (CFMU)
COC	Combat Operations Centre or Concept
COCESNA	Central American Corporation For Air Navigation Service *
COCOS	Computer Controlled SSR Code Assignment Procedures
COD	Common Medium-Term Plan Overview Document
CODA	Central Office of Delay Analysis / Service Central d'Analyse des Retards de Trafic (FR)
CODA	Centre d'Opérations de Défense Aérienne
CODEC	Coder/Decoder * (ACS)
CODOI	Centre d'Opérations de la Direction Opérationnelle Intégrée (FR)
CoE	Centre of Expertise
COF	Change of Frequency
COFA	Comando Operacional Força Aérea (PT)
COFAR	Common Options for Airport Regions
COFEE	Checked Operational data FEEder
COG	Coordination Group (meeting of the EANPG) (ICAO)
COHO	Coherent Oscillator
COHOR	Association française des coordonnateurs d'aéroport (FR)
COLL	Collapse
COLOC	Change of Location of Command
CoM	EUROCONTROL Committee of Management
COM	Circulation Opérationnelle Militaire (FR) / Operational Air Traffic * (=OAT)
COM	Communications (ICAO)
COM Team	Communications Team
COM/DIV	ICAO Communications Divisional Meeting
COM/MET	Communications / Meteorology Divisional Meeting
COM/OPS	Communications / Operations
COMALF-E	Commander of Airlift Forces – Europe
COMED	Combined Map and Electronic Display
COMG	Communications Group
COMIL	Coordination Centre for Military Airspace Use (D)
COMIL-1N	ATS Coordination Centre for Military Airspace Utilisation - Phase 1 Network



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COMLAN	COMmunication Local Area Network
Comm-B	Mode S downlink format DF20 or 21
COMNAV	Groupe de travail sur les Télécommunications et les installations de navigation (CEAC)
COMP	Operating Company
COMPAS	Computer Oriented Metering Planning and Advisory System (D)
COMSEC	Communications Security
COMT	Communications Team
COMUTA	Comité des Usagers du Transport Aérien (FR)
COMX	Undefined Future Communication System (ODS)
CON	Contract Change Note
CONDAR	Conflict Detection and Resolution
CONDOR	Confidential Direct Occurrence Report
CONF	Conflict
CONFACP	Conflict Accept
CONOPS	Concept of Operations of Mode S in Europe
CONP	Connection Oriented Network Protocol
CONS	Connection-Oriented Network Service
CONT	Continue
Cont'd	Continued
CONUS	Continental United States
COO	Coordinator
COORD	Co-ordination
COP	Co-ordination Point (SYSCO)
COP	Contingency Operations Plan
COPG	Common Operating Procedures Group
COPP	Connection Oriented Presentation Protocol
COPS	Common Operational Performance Specifications *
COR	Correlate
CORA	Conflict Resolution Advisor
CORA1	Conflict Resolution Assistant 1
CORBA	Common Object Request Broker Architecture
CorC++	Computer language
CORE	Controlled Requirements Expression
CORE	CORE Requirements for ATM Working Positions *
COROM	Cognitive Competencies Model
CORTA	Cellule d'Organisation et de Régulation du Trafic Aérien (ATMC French equivalent) (FR)
CORUM	Training and Human Resources Consultancy Company
COS	Chief of Staff
COS	Computer Operating Station
COSAAC	Common Simulator to Assess ATM Concepts
COSAC	Community System for Air Cargo

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COSIBA	COmmon SIMulations in the BAalkans
COSP	Connection Oriented Session Protocol
COSPAS	Space system for the search of vessels in distress (translated from Russian)
COST	(European) Cooperation in the Field of Scientific and Technical Research
COSYNUS	AIRBUS Training Database
COTP	Connection Oriented Transport Protocol
COTS	Commercial Off-The-Shelf (System)
CP	CWP Processor Unit
CP	Contact Person (Eurocontrol)
CP	Change Proposal
CP	Conflict Probe (PATs)
CP	Circular Polarisation
CPA	Closest Point of Approach
CPC	Constant Pitch Climb
CPC	Control and Processing Centre
CPCs	Certified Professional Controllers (US)
CPD	Continuous Professional Development *
CPD	CEATS Strategy, Planning and Development Programme
CPDLC	Controller Pilot Data Link Communications *
CPF	Central Processing Facility
CPG	CESC Preparation Group
CPI	Californian Psychological Inventory
CPL	Commercial Pilots License
CPL	Current Flight Plan *
CPL	Customer Priority Listing (NOG)
CPR	Conflict Prediction and Resolution
CPS	Central Print Service (ODS) / Central Processing System
CPS	Characters Per Second
CPT	Cockpit
CPU	Central Processing Unit
CR	Central Region
CR	Course to a VOR Radial (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
CR(A)OC	Central Region (Air) Operations Centre
CRAF	Computer Resolution Advisory Function
CRAF	Central Reservation Airspace Facility
CRAF	Civil Reserve Air Fleet
CRAFS	Civilian Request for Airspace and Flight Data System
CRAM	Conditional Route Availability Message *
CRAM	An AFTN message type
CRAMI	Centro de Retransmisión Automática de Mensajes Integrado (ES) / Automatic Messages Retransmission Integrated Center
CRATF	Communications Requirements Analysis Task Force
CRC	Control and Reporting Centre

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CRC	Cyclic Redundancy Check *
CRCO	Central Route Charges Office (Eurocontrol)
CRD	Conflict Risk Display
CRDA	Converging Runway Display Aid
CRDS	Colour Raster Scan Display
CRDS	CEATS Research & Development & Simulation Centre
CREME	Creating the EATCHIP Management Environment (EATCHIP Adaptation)
CRF	Central Repair Facility (RMCDE - MAS)
CRM	Cockpit / Crew Resource Management *
CRM	Collision Risk Modelling * (ICAO - ADS)
CRM	Co-ordination Revision Message
CRMCS	Central RADNET Monitoring and Control System
CRNA	Centre Régional de la Navigation Aérienne (DGAC/DNA/SCTA) (FR)
CRS	Schéma de Réacheminement d'Urgence (FR)
CRS	Contingency Routing System
CRS	Controller Route Sequence (FPPS/DECADE)
CRS	Computerised Reservation System
CRT	Choice Reaction Time
CRT	Cathode Ray Tube (ODS)
CS	Cesium
CS	Communication Systems
CS	Callsign or Contract Signature
CS	Czechoslovakia
CSA	Configuration Status Accounting
CSAC	Cooperative Structural Airspace Concept (ICAO)
C-SAS	Cranfield Situation Awareness Scale
CSC	Computer Software Component (ODS)
CSC	Computer Sciences Corporation
CSC	Common Signalling Channel
CSCE	Conférence sur la Sécurité et la Coopération en Europe (FR) / Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe (=CSCE)
CSCI	Computer Software Configuration Item (ODS)
CSCW	Computer Supported Co-operative Work
CSD	Concept and System Domain (EATMS)
CSD	Context Specification Document (EATMS)
CSD	Context and Scope Document
CSDT	Concept & Systems Development Team
CSDT	Context and System Domain Team
CSEL	Combat survivor evader locator
CSF	Critical Success Factor (EATMS, CSD)
CSFR	Czech and Slovak Federal Republic
CSI	Combined Safety Investigation
CSI	Critical Success Indicator

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CSM	Central Service Modules (RMCDE / RADNET)
CSM BD	Communication & Surveillance Management Business Division (Eurocontrol - DAS Business Directorate)
CSMA	Carrier Sense Multiple Access
CSMA/CD	Carrier Sense Multiple Access with Collision Detect *
CSN	Channel Sequence Numbers
CSP	Communication Service Provider
CSPD Unit	CEATS Strategy, Planning and Development Unit
CSPDU	CEATS Strategic Planning & Development Unit
CSR	Cursor
CSR	Customer Service Requests (NOG - database for DPN operators)
CSSR	Conventional SSR
CSU	Computer Software Unit (ODS)
CSU	Control Sector Unit
CSU-P	Centre Supervisor (MADAP)
CT	Centre (select)
CT	Cooperative Tools (PATs)
CT	Core Tasks *
CT	Core Team
CTA	Cognitive Task Analysis *
CTA	Control Area *
CTA	Calculated Time of Arrival * (CFMU)
CTAS	Center-TRACON Automation System
CTB	Co-operative Tube Based
CTC	Cancel All Contracts And Terminate Connection Request (ICAO)
CTD	Calculated time of Departure
CTF	Communication Task Force (EATCHIP)
CTG	Common Training Group (of AISAP)
CTI	Collegiate Training Initiative (US)
CTMO	Central Air Traffic Flow Management Organisation (ICAO concept)
CTO	Computed Time Over (CFMU - CASA)
CTO	Calculated Time Over *
CTOT	Calculated Take Off Time * (CFMU)
CTR	Controller or Control Zone *
CTRS	Common Time Reference System (ODS)
CTS	Command Tracking Stations
CTS	Contractual Technical Specification
CTWUEC	Committee of Transport Workers' Unions in the European Community (now FST Federation of Transport Workers' Unions in the European Union = acronym formed from its French title)
CU	Control Unit
CUG	Closed User Group
CUP	CWP-Unit Processor
CUP	Computer Utility Program



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C

CUR	Current Sector or Centre or Controller
CV	Curriculum Vitae
CVFR	Controlled Visual Flight Rules
CVO	Code Validity Overlap
CVR	Console Voice Recorder
CVR	Cockpit Voice Recorder
CVSM	Conventional Vertical Separation Minimum
CW	Clockwise
CWAR	Continuous Wave Acquisition Radar
CWBS	Contract/Complete Work Breakdown Structure *
CWBT	Computer/Web-Based Training
CWDPS	Central Weather Data Processing System
CWIR	CFMU Generated What-If Re-routing
CWP	Controller Working Position (ODS)
CWS	Collision Warning System
CY	Cyprus (ISO Country Code)
CYPRO	Cyprus Project for ATC Improvements
CYTA	Cyprus Telecommunications Authority
CZ	Czech Republic (ISO Country Code)
CZM	Conventional Zero Meridian
CZW	Conflict Zoom Window (ODID)

D

D	Display
D	Danger Area
D	Day
D	Germany
D&D	Distress and Diversion
D.O.T	Department of Transport
D/A	Digital-to-Analog
D/L	Data Link *
DA	Descent Adviser
DA	Dimensional Aspect
DA	Decision Altitude
DA	Direct Access (VCS)
DA/H	Decision Altitude Height *
DAA	Dynamic Airspace Allocation
DAARWIN	Distributed ATM Architecture based on RNAV, Workstations, Intelligent tools, and Networks
DABS	Discrete Address Beacon System (US)
DAC	Deployable ACCS Component
DAC	Direction Aviation Civile
DAC	Dynamic Air Traffic Control Test



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D

DACT	Dissimilar Air Combat Training
DAF	Demand Adjustment Factors (CFMU)
DAI	Direct Access Intercom (VCS)
DAISY	Distributed Airport Information System (RUN)
DAIW	Danger Area Altitude Warning (or Area Proximity Warning)
DAKOS	Daten Kommunikations-System (DE) / Network for German area
DAKOS/CBN	DAKOS Common Backbone Network (Germany)
DAP	Downlink Aircraft Parameter
DAP	EATM Directorate ATM Programmes (Eurocontrol)
DAPs	Downlinked Aircraft Parameters
DARC	Direct Access Radar Channel
DARGNE	Study Group on Designators for ATS Routes, Geographical Points and Navigation Elements (ICAO)
DAS	EATM Directorate ATM Strategies (Eurocontrol)
DAS	DME Based Azimuth System
DAS	Dual Attachment Station (ODS - FDDI)
DASA, Dasa	Deutsche Aerospace
DASR	Department of ATC Systems Research
DAT	Digital Audio Tape
DAT	Differential Aptitude Test
DATAS	Datalink and Transponder Analysis System
D-ATIS	Data Link Air Terminal Information Service
DATMAS	Danish Air Traffic Management Automated System
DATS TF	Delegation of ATS Task Force (ANT)
D-ATSU	Downstream Air Traffic Service Unit *
DAVINCI	Departure and Arrival Integrated Management System for Cooperative Improvement of Airport Traffic Flow
dB	decibel
DB	Data Base *
dB(HL)	Decibels (Hearing Loss)
DBC	Data Bank COMECON
DBE	Data Bank EUROCONTROL
dBi	decibel with respect to an isotropic antenna
dBm	decibel, referenced to 1 milliwatt
DBMS	Data Base/Data Bank Management System
DPB	Deutsche Bundespost (Telecom) (DE)
DBS	Data Base System
dBW	decibel, referenced to 1 watt
dBZ	decibel, units of reflectivity
DC	Departure Clearance * (ICAO)
DC, d.c.	Direct Current / Device Control
DCA	Designated Control Area
DCA	Director(ate) of Civil Aviation



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D

DCA	Lietuvos Respublikos Civilines Aviacijos Direkcija (LT) / Lithuanian State Enterprise
DCA	Department of Civil Aviation (various countries)
DCAM	Department Civil Aviation of Malta
DCC	Data Country Code (CCITT X.121 Structure)
DCC	Détachement Civil de Coordination (FR)
DCCVC	Direct Controller-Controller Voice Communication
DCDU	Datalink Control and Display Unit
DCE	Data Circuit-terminating Equipment (RADNET / RMCDE)
DCE	Data Communications Equipment *
DCE	Distributed Computing Environment
DCF	Discounted Cash Flow
DCF77	German time standard, Digital Clock Function emitting on 77.5 kHz with callsign DCF
DCFEP	Data (Digital) Communications Front End Processor
DCIA	Dependent Convergent Instrument Approaches
DCL	Departure Clearance
DCM	Downstream Clearance Message (Service)
DCM	Decomposition and Consolidation Matrix
DCM	Document Configuration Management (EATCHIP/EATMP)
DCOS	Deputy Chief of Staff
DCP	Display Control Panel
DCPC	Direct Controller Pilot Communication *
DCPs	Dedicated Personal Computers
DCR	Design Certification Review (ODS)
DCR	Display Control Readout (EAS)
DCRCO	Director Central Route Charges Office
DCS	Data Communications System
DCT	Direct Routing
DCT-LB	Direct Telephone – Local Battery
DCTS	Digital Communications Terminal System (UACM)
DCU	Display Control Unit
DCW	Digital Chart of the World
DCW-DEM	Digital Chart of the World - Digital Elevation Model
DDA	Downstream Data Authority
ddb	Dynamic Databank/Database *
DDC	Data Display Console
DDD	Detailed Design Document
DDE	Dynamic Data Exchange
DDL	Data Description Language
DDM	Data Display Monitor
DDP	Distributed Data Processing
DDP	Declaration of Design Performance



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D

DDS	Digital Data Storage
DDU	Display Drive Unit
DE	Germany (ISO Country Code)
DEA	Data Exchange Agreement
Debrief	Debriefing *
DECADE	DFS/EUROCONTROL Common ATC Development (ESCO)
DECCA	Hyperbolic Area Navigation System *
DECnet	Digital Equipment Network
DED	Director EATCHIP Development (in the former Agency structure) / Direction Développement EATCHIP (FR)
DEE	Data Entry Equipment
DEEC	Director of the Eurocontrol Experimental Centre
DEFAMM	Demonstration Facilities for Airport Movement Management (Alcatel)
Deg	Degrees (Radar Standard)
DEG	Data Environment Generator (ODS)
DEGS	Degraded Systems Capability
DEI	Directorate EATCHIP Implementation (in the former Agency structure) / Direction Réalisation d'EATCHIP (FR)
DEL	Deliverable *
DEL	Delete
DEM	German Marks
DEMETER	Distance Measuring Equipment Tracer
DEMETER	DME Metering (analysis tool for DME coverage / NAVSEP)
Demo	Demonstration *
DEP	Departure Message/List
DEP TC	Departure Tactical Controller
DEPA	Departure Airfield
DEPCOS	Departure Coordination System
DEP-VKL	Departure Controller
DER	Departure End of the Runway
DERA	Defense Evaluation and Research Agency (UK) (see QinetiQ)
DERD	Darstellung Extrahierter Radar Daten (DFS) (DE)
DERD-X	Display of Extracted Radar Data – Extension (-Mini Computer)
DERD-X/XL	Display of Extracted Radar Data – Expanded/Expanded with LAN
DES	Draft Eurocontrol Standard Document
DES	Data Exchange System
DESC	Descending
DEST	Destination Aerodrome (Airfield)
DETF	Data Exchange Test Facility
DETR	Department of the Environment, Transport and the Regions (UK)
DETRESFA	the code word used to designate a distress phase *
DEV	Domain Executive View
DF	Direction Finding * or Display Field (VCS)



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D

DF	Directorate Finance / Direction des Finances
DF	Direct to a Fix (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
DFDAU	Digital Flight Data Acquisition Unit
DFIS	Data Link Flight Information Service (ICAO)
DFL	Division Flight Level
DFL	Dynamic Flight Leg
DFS	Detailed Functional Specification (CBN - CNG)
DFS	German ATC Corporation (Deutsche Flugsicherung GmbH)
DFTI	Distance from Touchdown Indicator
DG	Drafting Group
DG8	Drafting Group 8 (HUM, HRT....)
DGAC	Direction Générale de l'Aviation Civile (FR)
DGAC	Direction Générale de l'Aviation Civile (FR)
DGCA	Director General of Civil Aviation
DGE	Director General Eurocontrol
DG-GNSSTF	Drafting Group of the Task Force on the allocation of GNSS costs
DGNSS	Differential Global Navigation Satellite System *
DGOF	Director General's Office
DGON	Deutsches Gesellschaft für Ortung und Navigation (DE) / German Institute for Navigation
D-GPS	Differential Global Positioning System * (ICAO - ADS)
DGS	Director General Secretariat
DGVII	Directorate General of Transport / European Commission
DH	Decision Height *
DHMI	Devlet Hava Meydanları İşletmesi (TU) / State Agency for Airports and Air Traffic Control
DHP	Direct Host Processor
DHR	Directorate Human Resources
DHT	Data Handling Tools
Di	Detectability
DIA	Data Information Analysis Business Division (Eurocontrol - DAP Business Directorate)
DIADAM	Distributed ATM Data Management
DIANA	Documento del Impacto de la Armonización / Integración de la Navegación Aérea en Europa (ES)
DIANS	Director Institute of Air Navigation Services
DIB	Directory Information Base
DICE	Direct Course Error
DID	Direct Identification Data
DIGEST	Digital Exchange Standards
DIL	Data Items List
DILCS	Dedicated Intelligence Loop Circuits System
DIN	Deutsche Industrie Norm
DIRA	Department for Interdisciplinary Relations of Aviation



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D

DIRCAM	Direction de la Circulation Aérienne Militaire
DIRECT	Dynamic Resectorisation and Route Coordination System
DIS	Data Displayed
DIS	Directorate Infrastructure ATC Systems and Support (Eurocontrol, EATMP) / Direction "Infrastructure, Systèmes ATC et Appui" (FR)
DIS/HUM	ATM Human Resources Unit (also know as HUM unit)
DIV	DIVert(ing) or DIVerging
DJD	Design Justification Document
DK	Denmark
DL	Data Link *
DLA	ATS message indicator for delay (ICAO)
DLARD	Data Link Application Requirements Document (Description) (ICAO)
DLASD	Data Link Application System Document
DLCRD	Data Link Communication Requirement Document
DLE	Data Link Entity *
DLF	Data Link Frame *
DLH	Deutsche Lufthansa (Germany)
DLIC	Data Link Initiation Capability (ICAO)
DLL	Data Link Layer *
DLL	Delay Locked Loop *
DLPU	Data Link Processing (Processor) Unit
DLR	Deutsches Zentrum für Luft- und Raumfahrt e.V. / German Aerospace Centre (formerly the 'German Aerospace Research Institute')
DLS	Data Link Splitter
DLW	Departure List Window (ODID)
DM	Departure Manager * (PATs)
DMA	Decision Making Aids
DMA	Divergence Monitoring and Alert
DMA	Direct Memory Access
DMA	Defense Mapping Agency *
DMAN	Departure Manager *
DMAS	Director Maastricht Control Centre
DMC	Detachment of Military Coordinators (FR)
DME	Distance Measuring Equipment *
DML	Data Manipulation Language
DMP	Documentation Management Plan
DMS	Database Management System
DMSS	Development Maintenance and Support Service
DNA	Direction de la Navigation Aérienne (DGAC) (FR)
DNAs	ECAC Directors of Air Navigation
DNIC	Data Network Identification Codes (CCITT X.121 Structure)
DNS	Digital Network Signalling
DOC	Designated Operational Coverage

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on the binocular icon in the window bar menu

D

DOC	Direct Operating Cost
DOC	Document (ICAO)
DoD	Department of Defence (US)
DoD MIL	Department of Defence - military
DODAR	Diagnosis, Options, Decision, Assessment and Revision
DOF	Date of Flight (CFMU)
DOI	Domain Of Interest
DOI	Department of Industry
DOP	Dilution of Precision *
DOP	Daily Operations Plan
DoR	Domain of Responsibility
DORA	Directorate Operational Research and Analysis (UK)
DOS	Disk Operating System
DOT	Department of Transportation
D-OTIS	Data Link Operational Terminal Information Service
DOTS	Dynamic Ocean Tracking System *
DOVE	Data Link Operational Validation Exercise
DP	Data Processing
DP	Data Processing
DP	Discussion Paper
DP&P	Data Processing and Peripherals
DPA	Distinguishing Path Attribute *
DPC	Defence Planning Committee
DPDG	Diplomatic and Protocol Drafting Group
DPE	Digital Plot Extractor
dpi	dots per inch
DPL	Displayed Flight Plan
DPL	Deputy Project Leader
DPL	Duplicate Plan
DPM	Delta-Plane Motorisé (FR)
DPS	Distributed Processing System
DPS	Data Processing System
DPS	Detailed Production Specification
DPSADD-TF	Data Processing Systems Architecture Description Document Task Force (ATD)
DPSK	Differential Phase Shift Keying
DPT	Dynamic Time-based Planning
DQTS	Data Quality Tool Set
DR	Disaster Recovery
DR	Dead Reckoning *
DRA	Defence Research Agency (UK)
DRACAS	Data Reporting And Corrective Action System
DRAM	Dynamic Random Access Memory
DRC	Dynamic Route Change



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D

DRC	Defence Review Committee
DRC	Data Recording
DRCP	Data Reduction Computer Program
DRDF	Digital Readout Direction Finder
DRF	Document Review Form
DRF	Departure Flow Regulation
DRH	Direction des Ressources Humaines (=DHR) (FR)
DRMS	Distance Root Mean Square *
DRUG	Dutch Radars Users Group (NL-Eurocontrol)
DRUM	Diagnostic Recorder for Usability Measurement
D-RVR	Data Link Runway Visual Range
DS	Data Source
DSA	Directory System Agent
DSA	Director(ate) Safety, Airspace, Airports and Information Services (Eurocontrol, EATMP) / Direction "Sécurité, Espace aérien, Aéroports et Services d'information" (FR)
DSAP	Destination Service Access Point (RMCDE / RADNET)
DSB	Double Side Band (8.33 User Guide)
DSC	Downstream Clearance
DSCVHF	Digital Selective Calling - Very High Frequency
DSF	Distribution and Switching Facility
DSI	Data Source Interface (ODS)
DSI	Denmark Sweden Interface *
DSM	Departure Suspense Message
DSP	Domain Specific Part *
DSP	Datalink Status Panel
DSP	Digital Signal Processor *
DSS	Data Systems Specialist
DSS	Decision Support System
DSS	Direct Subsystem
DSS	Direct Sequence spread Spectrum
DSS1	Digital Subscriber Signalling No1
DST	Decision Support Tools
DST	Direct Support Task *
DSU	Data-Source Selector Unit
DSU	Direct Support Unit
DT&E	Development, Test and Evaluation
DTE	Data Terminal Equipment * (RMCDE)
DTED	Digital Terrain Evaluation Data (ECAC)
DTED	Digital Terrain Elevation Data
DTF	Data Link Test Facility (ICAO)
DTMF	Dual Tone Multifrequency (code)
DTN	Data Transport Network

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on the binocular icon in the window bar menu

D

DTP	Desk Top Publishing
DTS	Data Terminal Set
DTS	Data Transmission System
DTU	Data Transmission Unit (VCS)
DTVOR	Doppler Terminal VOR
DU	Digital User Signalling
DU	Display Unit
DUA	Directory User Agent
DUA	Dedicated User Area
DUAT	Direct User Access Terminal
DUAU	Data Update and Access Unit
DUEV	Daten Übertragungs- und Verteiler-System (DE)
DÜS	Düsseldorf
DÜV	Datenübertragungs und Verteiler System (DE)
DVAS	Documentation and Visual Aids Specialist
DVI	Direct Voice Input
DVO	Direct Voice Output
DVOR	Distance VOR
DVOR	Doppler VOR
DVP	Development and Verification Platform (part of EGNOS)
DWP	Departure Waypoint
DYNAV	Dynamic Route Availability
DZ	Algeria (ISO Country Code)

E

E	Spain
E+M	signalling
EA	Europe Airports
EAA	European Aviation Agency
EAC	East Assistant Controller
EACAC	Evolutionary AIR Ground Cooperative ATM Concept
EACG	European ATFM Consultation Group
EACNSISG	EATCHIP Architecture and CNS Infrastructure Sub-Group
EAD	European AIS Database / Base de données AIS européenne
EAD	Earliest Arrival Date
EAD BUP	EAD Backup Site
EAD SF	EAD Surveillance Function
EAD SGR	EAD Sub-Group
EAD WP	EAD Working Position
EADCOS	EAD Co-ordination Subgroup
EADI	Electronic Attitude Director Indicator
EAD-ONL	EAD Online Environment
EAD-TDS	EAD Test and Development Environment



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E

EADTF	European AIS Database Task Force
EAD-TRG	EAD Training Environment
EAG	Event Analysis Group
EAG	European ATFM Group
EAG	European ATFM Consultation Group and its two Subgroups (Operations and Systems Sub-Group) / Groupe ATFM européen (FR)
EAIP	Electronic AIP
EAIP-TF	Electronic Aeronautical Information Publication (Task Force)
EAM	Eurocontrol Airspace Model
EAMG	(EATCHIP) European ATFM Management Group (supervision of the CFMU)
EAMG SSG	EAMG Systems Sub-Group
EAN	European ATSO Network
EANPG	European Air Navigation Planning Group * (ICAO)
EOA	Enseignement Assisté par Ordinateur (FR) (=CBT)
EAP	EATCHIP Alignment Process
EAPM	ECAC Airspace Planning Manual
EARTS	En-Route Automated Radar Tracking System
EAS	European AIS System
EAS	EUROCONTROL Advisory Service / Division "Services consultatifs d'Eurocontrol" (FR)
EASA	European Aviation Safety Authority ; Autorité européenne de la sécurité aérienne (FR)
EASG	EASIE ATM Support Group
EASIE	Enhanced Air Traffic Management and Mode S Implementation in Europe *
EAT	Expected / Estimated Approach Time *
EATCFMU	European Air Traffic Central Flow Management Unit
EATCHIP	European Air Traffic Control Harmonisation and Integration Programme (see EATMP) ; Programme européen d'harmonisation et d'intégration du contrôle de la circulation aérienne (FR)
EATCHIP LO	EATCHIP Liaison Officer
EATCHIP OCD	Operational Concept Document
EATCOS	ECAC TF on the Integration of European ATC Systems
EATF	EATMS Architecture Task Force
EATM	European Air Traffic Management (Eurocontrol)
EATMP	European Air Traffic Management Programme (former EATCHIP) / Programme Européen de gestion de la Circulation aérienne (FR)
EATMS	European Air Traffic Management System *
EATN	Experimental Aeronautical Telecommunication Network (RADNET)
EATN	European ATN
EAWDG	EATMS Architecture Workshop Drafting Group
EB	Executive Board (of the EUROCONTROL Agency)
EBAAA	European Business Aviation Association
EBCDIC	Extended Binary Coded Decimal Interchange Code
EBP	Emergency Bypass Processor (ODS)



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E

EBRD	European Bank of Reconstruction and Development (=BERD)
EC	European Commission
EC	European Community
EC	European Communities
EC	Executive Controller (also referred to as 'Radar Controller')
EC	Eyes closed
ECA	Executive Controller Assistant
ECAC	European Civil Aviation Conference *
ECAC area	European Civil Aviation Conference Area *
ECAC Reference Levels	European Civil Aviation Conference Area Reference Levels *
ECAC Strategy	European Civil Aviation Conference Strategy *
ECAF	ECAC Centralised Airspace Facility
ECAM	Electronic Centralised Aircraft Monitoring (airbone display)
ECARDA	European Coherent Approach to Research and Technological Development for ATM
ECBAG	EATCHIP Cost-Benefit Advisory Group
ECC	EATCHIP Co-ordination Committee
ECC-AIRS	European Co-ordination Centre for Aircraft Incident Reporting Systems (EC)
ECCG	Experimental Centre Consultation Group / Groupe Consultatif sur le Centre expérimental (FR)
eCE	enlarged Committee for Route Charges
ECEF	Earth-Centered-Earth-Fixed *
ECG	EATMP Communication Gateway
ECHO	EATCHIP CNS/ATM Holistic Model Using RM-ODP
ECHQ	Eurocontrol Headquarters
ECI	Every-Citizen-Interface
ECI	EAD Client Interface
ECIP	European Convergence and Implementation Plan / Plan européen de convergence et de réalisation (FR)
ECIPD	Document ECIP
ECIT	EAD Client Interface Terminal
ECIT-SDR	ECIT System Design Review
ECIV	ECI Validation Suite
ECM	Executive Control Message
ECM	Extended Callsign Menu
ECM	Electronic Counter Measure / Message
ECM	EATCHIP Co-ordination Meeting
ECMA	European Computer Manufacturers' Association
ECMT	European Conference of Ministers of Transport
eCN	enlarged Commission
ECODA	Enhanced Central Office for Delay Analysis
ECP	Engineering Change Proposal



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E

ECP	Expedite Clearance Procedure
ECR	Event Contract Request (ICAO)
ECRG	Experimental Centre Review Group
ECRSG	EATMS Concept & Requirements Sub-Group
ECSC	European Conference on Satellite Communications
ECSTF	ETFMS Communications and Systems Task Force
ECT	European Coordination Team
ECTF	EATMS Concept Task Force
ECU	European Currency Unit / Unité de compte européenne (FR)
ED	Error Detail
Ed(s)	Editor(s)
ED50	European Datum 1950 (Geodetic system)
ED70	European Datum 1970 (Geodetic system)
ED87	European Datum 1987 (Geodetic system)
EDA	Electro-Dermal Activity measurement
EDAG	European Delay Analysis System Advisory Group
EDAS	European Delay Analysis System
EDB	Environmental Data Base
EDD	Electronic Data Display
EDD / TID	EDD / Touch Input Device
EDDF	Environmental Data Processing and Distribution Function
EDDUS	EDD Update System
EDD-VKL	EDD-controller/planner-controller
EDI	Electronic Data Interchange / Echange de Données Informatisés (FR)
EDIFACT	Electrical Data Interface for Administration Commerce and Transport (ODS)
EDISOFT	Empresa de Serviços e Desenvolvimento de Software, S.A. (PT)
EDMS	Engineering Data Management System (ODS - MAS)
EDP	Electronic Data Processing
EDP	Environmental Data Processing
EDPD	Environmental Data Processing and Distribution
EDS	Explosives Detection System
EDV	Elektronische Daten Verarbeitung (DE) (=EDP)
EE	Estonia (ISO Country Code)
EEB	European Environmental Bureau
EEC	EUROCONTROL Experimental Centre (FR)
EEC	European Economic Community
EEC/BSC	Eurocontrol Experimental Centre / Building Steering Committee (decision DG)
EEE	Etudes, Essais and Experimentation
EEG	Electroencephalogram
EEI	Essential Elements of Information
EEIG	European Economic Interest Group
EEPROM	Electrically Erasable Programmable Read-Only Memory (EEC)
EES	European Eastern States



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E

EET	Estimated Elapsed Time *
EFDFMG	EUROCONTROL Flow Data and Flow Management Group
eFDP	European Flight Data Processing
EFIS	Electronic Flight Instrument System
EFL	Entry Flight Level *
EFL	Estimated Flight Level
EFMS	Experimental Flight Management System *
EFP	España-France-Portugal Plan (co-operation agreement)
EFPD	Extended Flight Plan Description
EFPM	Extended Flight Plan Message
EFPS	External Front Processing System (PALLAS system)
EFQM	European Foundation for Quality Management / Fondation européenne pour le management par la qualité (FR)
EFR	Extended Flight Rules (FREEER)
EFS	Electronic Flight Strip
EFS	Extended Flight Store
EFTA	European Free Trade Association
EG	Egypt (ISO Country Code)
EGA	Enhanced Graphics Adapter
EGATCM	Eurocontrol Guild of Air Traffic Controllers - Maastricht
EGATS	EUROCONTROL Guild of Air Traffic Services
EGD	EATMP Generic Document
EGERIA	Engineering Group for European Integration ATC
EGIP	European Gateway for INO Provision
EGNOS	European Geostationary Overlay Service * (SNA) / Service complémentaire géostationnaire européen de navigation (FR)
EGNOS-EM	European Global Navigation Overlay Service – East Mediterranean
EGPWS	Enhanced Ground Proximity Warning System
EGU	European Gliding Union
EHA	European Helicopter Association
EHD	Danger Area * (followed by identification) [NL]
EHF	Extremely High Frequencies *
EHQ	Eurocontrol Headquarters
EHR	Restricted Area * (followed by identification) [NL]
EHSI	Electronic Horizontal Situation Indicator
EHT	Extremely High Tension
EIA	Electronic Industries Association
EIAP	European Integrated Aeronautics Programme
EIB	European Investment Bank / Banque Européenne d'Investissement (FR)
EIF	Extended Interface Function
IIIC	Electronics Installation and Implementation Centre
EIPA	European Institute of Public Administration
EIRP	Effective / Equivalent Isotropic Radiated Power *



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E

EIS	EUROCONTROL Implementation Support
EIS	Environmental Information Sampling
EL	Electro-Luminescent
EL/KYB	Electro-Luminescent Keyboard
ELEV	Elevation * (environment)
ELINT	Electronic Intelligence
ELM	Extended Length Message *
ELS	Electronic Library Service (System)
ELS	Emergency Landing Strip
ELS-OP TF	Mode S Elementary Surveillance - Operational Introduction
ELT	Emergency Locator Transmitter
ELVIRA	Extremely Low Visibility Instrument Rotorcraft Approaches
ELW	Extended Label Window
EM	Error Mechanism
E-mail	Electronic mail service
EMAS	Environmental Management Audit System (Hamburg Airport)
EMB	Executive Management Board
EMC	ElectroMagnetic Compatibility
EMC	EATMP Management Committee
EMCC	EATMP Management Coordination Committee
EMCON	Emission Control
EMCR(ATC)	Requirements for European Class 3 Medical Certification of Air Traffic Controllers
EME	Eurocontrol Military Expert / Expert Militaire d'Eurocontrol (FR)
EMERALD	EMErging and Activities of reLeVance to ATM concept Definition (European Commission)
EMEU	EATMP Military Expert Unit
EMF	Exercise Management Facility (Simulator)
EMG	ElectroMyoGram
EMG	Emergency (ICAO)
EMG	EAD Management Group
EMH	EATMP Management Handbook
EMI	Electromagnetic Interference
EMIRA	Eurocontrol Maastricht Information Retriever Application
EMIS	EATCHIP Management Information System
EMM	Extractor Monitoring Message *
EMOSIA	European Model for ATM Strategic Investment Analysis
EMOTION 7	European Maintenance Of TCAS II Logic Version 7.0
EMP	ElectroMagnetic Pulse
EMS	European Mobile System
EMS	EATCHIP Management Support
EMSO	EATCHIP Management Support Organisation
EMSS	European Mobile Satellite Services
EMT	Eye-Movement tracking



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E

EMTO	ECAC Medium Term Objectives Group (to deal with 'Constraints to Growth')
EMU	Extended Memory Unit
EMU	European Monetary Union
EN	Euro Norm (CEE)
EN	Enabler
ENA	Escuela Nacional de Aeronáutica (ES)
ENAC	Ecole Nationale de l'Aviation Civile (FR)
ENAC	Ecole Nationale de l'Aviation Civile (FR)
ENAV	Ente Nazionale di Assistenza al Volo (IT)
ENG	Engineering
ENHANCE	EuropeaN Harmonised Aircraft Noise Control modelling Environment (NATS-DORA)
ENJJPT	Euro-NATO Joint Jet Pilot Training
ENNA	Etablissement National de la Navigation Aérienne (FR)
ENOC	European Network Operating(tion) Concept
ENPRM	Eurocontrol Notice of Proposed Rule-Making ; Avis européen de proposition de réglementation (FR)
ENR	En-route * (ICAO)
ENRI	Electronic Navigation Research Institute (US - ADS)
ENV	Environment
ENV	Environment System (CFMU)
EO	Executive Objectives (EATMS - CSD)
EO	Eyes Open
EOBT	Estimated Off Block Time * (CFMU)
EOC	Edge Of Coverage
EOCD	EATMS Operational Concept Document
EODP	EATMS Options Discussion Paper
EOG	ElectroOculoGram
EOIG	EGNOS Operators and Infrastructure Group – the ATS providers in the states formerly known as the IKD States
EOLIA	European Pre-operational Datalink Applications Project
EONS	Eurocontrol Open and Generic Graphic System / Système graphique ouvert et générique d'Eurocontrol (FR)
EOQ	European Organisation for Quality
EP	Expert Panel
EPAC	EATCHIP Policy and Allocation Committee
EPAC	Eurocontrol Programme Appraisal Committee
EPB	EATCHIP Project Board
EPC	Enhanced Planning and Coordination function (project of MDP phase I)
EPCM	Enhanced Planning Control Message
EPD	EATCHIP Planning Division (Eurocontrol)
EPG	EASIE Policy Group
EPHOS	European Handbook for Open Systems



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EPIC	European Programme for the Implementation of a Common geodetic reference frame (WGS 84)
EPIC	Extended PCM Interface Controller (ACS)
EPIC	Emergency Procedures Inforamtion Centre
EPM	EATCHIP Planning Method
EPM	Electromagnetic Protection Modification
EPMB	EASIE Programme Management Board
EPR, DGS/EPR	External and Public Relations / Relations extérieures et communication (FR)
EPROM	Erasable-Programmable Read-Only-Memory
EPRT	External Processing Response Time
EPS	Exercise Preparation Suite (Simulator)
EPSU	European Public Service Union
EPT	Estimated Parking Time *
EPT	Eurocontrol English language Placement Test
EQPM	Equipment and Systems
Eqpt	Equipment
EQUATOR	Environment for Qualitative Temporal Reasoning (AI)
Equipe R	Perception des redevances de route au titre des accords bilatéraux passés avec des Etats non contractants (FR) / Collection of air navigation charges under bilateral agreements with non-Contracting states (= R Team)
ER	En-Route *
ER TC	En-Route Tactical Controller
ERA	European Regional Airlines Organisation
ERABIS	(Swedish) Route Invoicing System
ERATO	En Route Air Traffic Organiser
ERCG	External Relations Coordination Group
ERCS	EXM Resistant Communications System
ERD	End Routing Domain *
ERDF	European Regional Development Fund / Fonds européen de développement régional (FR) (=FEDER)
ERFA	Conference on the Economics of Route Air Navigation Facilities and Airports (ICAO) / Conférence sur l'économie des installations et services de navigation aérienne de route et des aéroports (FR)
ERIP	EAD Remote Interface Package
ERIS	EATMP Referenced Industry-based Simulation & Trials Platform
ERIS	EATMP Reference Industry-Based ATM Simulation and Trials Platform
ERM	En-Route Metering
ERM	Estimate Revision Message
ERN	Earth Referenced Navigation *
ERNP	European Radio Navigation Plan (European Commission)
ERP	Extracted Route Points (FPPS/DECADE)
ERP	Effective Radiated Power *
ERP	Event-Related Potential
ER-PC	En-Route Planning Controller



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ERS	Extracted Route Sequence
ERS	Early Retirement Scheme
ERSS	Eurocontrol Radar Surveillance Standard
ERT	Execution Reference Time
ERV	ECM Resistant Voice
ES	Eurocontrol Standard * (Document)
ES	Emergency System (ODS)
ES	End Service / System *
ES	Spain (ISO Country Code)
ESA	Electronically Scanned Array
ESA	European Space Agency (=ASE)
ESARR	Eurocontrol Safety Regulatory requirements
ESARR 5	EUROCONTROL Safety Regulatory Requirement for ATM Services' Personnel (SRC)
ESC BD	European ATM Systems & Convergence Business Division (Eurocontrol)
ESCAPE	EUROCONTROL Simulation Capability And Platform for Experimentation * / Potentiel de simulation et plate-forme d'expérimentation d'Eurocontrol (FR)
ESCAT	Emergency Security Control of Air Traffic
ESCO	Executive Support and Coordination Office
ESDF	Environmental Static Data Processing and Distribution Function
ESDI	Enhanced Small-Device Interface
ESE	Equivalent Spherical Error
ESF	Essential Support Facilities
ESI	EAD System Interface
ESL	Entry Sequence List
ESME	Enhanced Simulation Modelling Environment
ESP	En-route Spacing (Program)
ESPRIT	European Strategic Programme for Research and Development in Information Technology
ESRS	EUROCONTROL Standard Document for Radar Surveillance in En-Route and Major Terminal Area
EST	Boundary Estimate Message
EST	Estimate message designator
EST	ATC Estimate
ESTB	EGNOS System Test Bed
ESTEC	European Space Technology and Research Centre
ESTEEM	Elaboration of a Strategy for the Transition from EATCHIP phase III to the EATMS
ESUP	Eurocat Support System
ET	Executive Task
ET	(Shuttle) External Tank
ET	Error Type
ETA	Estimated Time of Arrival * / Estimating Arrival
ETD	Estimated Time of Departure
ETE	Estimated Time of Entry

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ETFDD	Electronic Tabular Flight Data Display
ETFDM	Electronic Tabular Flight Data Message
ETFMS	Enhanced Tactical Flow Management System / Système amélioré de gestion tactique des courants de trafic (FR)
ETG	European GNSS Tripartite Group (European Community, Eurocontrol, European Space Agency)
ETL	Extended Track Label
ETMA	Extended Terminal Manoeuvring Area
ETMS	Enhanced Air Traffic Management System
ETO	Estimated Time Over * (significant point)
ETOPS	Extended Range Twin Engined Operations
ETOT	Estimated Take Off Time *
ETR	ETSI Technical Report
ETRAS	Easy Transported Radar Analysis System
ETREM	Eurocontrol Technical Requirements Model (EAS)
ETRF	European Terrestrial Reference Frame
ETS	Early Termination of Service
ETSI	European Telecommunications Standard(isation) Institute
ETX	Estimated Time of Exit
EU	Electronic Unit
EU	European Union
EU-ACA	European Union Airport Coordinators Association (represent more than 120 airports throughout the European Union)
EUCARF	European Central Altitude Reservation Facility
EUM, EUMED, Eumed	Europe Mediterranean Air navigation Region (ICAO)
EUR	Euro
EUR	European
EUR ANP	Air Navigation Plan in Europe (ICAO Region)
EUR ATN	European ATN
EUR RAN	European Regional Air Navigation (Meeting)
EUR RASC	Regional AIS System Centre inside the ICAO EUR region
EUR Region	European Region * (ICAO)
EURACA	European Air Carrier Assembly
EURAM	European Research in Advanced Materials = BRITE
EURAP	European Regional ATS Packet Switching Network (DAKOS+CBN)
EURATN	European experimental Aeronautical Telecommunications Network / Réseau européen de télécommunications aéronautiques (FR)
EURET	European Research for Transport (European Communities) ; Specific Resource and Technological Development Programme in the Field of Transport
EURO	Eurocontrol
Euro 88	States and Regions in the CRCO Are in 1988
EURO/5- States RSG	Eurocontrol/5-States Route Structure Group



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EUROCAE	European Organisation for Civil Aviation Equipment manufacturers / Organisation européenne pour l'équipement électronique de l'aviation civile (FR)
EUROCAEDS	European Organisation for Civil Aviation Equipment
EUROCONTROL	European Organisation for the Safety of Air Navigation *
EUROPILOTE	European Organisation of Airline Pilots Associations
EUROSIM	Eurocontrol Simulator at the Institute of Air Navigation Services
EUSTAT	Statistical Office of the European Communities
EUR-RAN	European Regional Air Navigation
EUTELSAT	European Telecommunications Satellite Organisation
EV	Earned Value
EVAS	EATMS Validation Strategy
EVP	EATMP Validation Project * (formerly C3T)
EVP	EATMP Validation Platform
EVS	Enhanced Visual System
EVS	Evaluation System (ODS)
EWA	Error Warning Area
EWAN	EGNOS Wide Area Network
EWBS	EATCHIP Work Breakdown Structure
EWG	Executive Working Group
EWP	EATCHIP Work Programme
EWP	EATMP Work Programme
EWP	Enhanced Working Position
EWPA	EATCHIP Work Programme Adaptation
EWPD	EATMP Work Programme Document
EWPD	EATCHIP Work Programme Document *
EWS	Experimental Workstation Simulator
EWS	Early Warning System
EWT	EATMS Working Team (CSD)
Ex	Exercises
ex GDR	ex German Democratic Republic
EXC	Executive Controller
EXCOND	ATFM Exceptional Condition Notification Message
EXP	Expected
EXPLT	Extrapolate
EXSPEC	Exercise Specification
extra EUR	Regional AIS System Centre outside the ICAO EUR region
RASC	

F

F	France
F&CM	Flow And Capacity Management
F/G	Foreground
F18	Field 18 of Flight Plan

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F

FA	Course from a Fix to an Altitude (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
FAA	Federal Aviation Authority
FAA	Federal Aviation Administration (US)
FAA-STD-042	National Airspace System Open System Interconnection Naming and Addressing (ISO Standards for Open Systems Interconnection and Data Communication published by ISO, International Standards Organisation).
FAATC	FAA Test Centre
FAC	Flight Augmentation Computer
FAC	Final Approach Course (same as IS)
FACC	Feature and Attribute Coding Catalogue
FACET	Fast ACC Capacity Evaluation Tool
FACF	Final Approach Course Fix
Facil	Facilitation
FACTOR	Development of Functional Concepts from the EATMS Operational Requirements
FACTS	Future Area Control Tools Support
FADE	Federal Aviation Administration's (FAA) Airline Data Exchange
FADEC	Full Authority Digital Engine Control
FAF	Final Approach Fix *
FAI	Fédération Aéronautique Internationale (FR)
FAN	False Alarm Normaliser (radar)
FANOMOS	Flight track and Aircraft NOise MONitoring System (RMCDE)
FANS	Future Air Navigation Systems * (ICAO)
FANS-1	Future Air Navigation Systems 1, an initial operational datalink package for the South Pacific
FANS-A	Future Air Navigation Systems A, an initial operational datalink package for AIRBUS aircraft
FANSTIC	Future ATS and New Systems Impacts on Cockpit
FAP	Future ATM Profile (simulation Brétigny) / Profil ATM futur (FR)
FAR	False Alarm Rate
FAR	Federal Aviation Regulations
FARAWAY	Fusion of Radar and ADS Data through two WAY datalink
FAS	Final Approach Segment *
FAS	Flight level Allocation System
FASID	Facilities And Services Implementation Document (ICAO)
FASTER	Future AO-ATM-Airports Synergy Towards Enhanced Operations
FAT	Force Aérienne Tactique (FR)
FAT	Factory Acceptance Test
FATA	Force Aérienne Tactique Alliée (FR) (OTAN) / Allied Tactical Air Force (=ATAF)
FATAC	French Air Force Tactical Air Command
FATCA	Federal Air Traffic Control Authority (Yugoslavia)
FATMI	Finnish Air Traffic Management Integration
FATUREC	Federation of Air Transport User Representatives in the EEC
FAWP	Final Approach Waypoint
FAX	Facsimile

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FB	FallBack
FBS	Fall-Back System
FBU	Flight Briefing Unit
FC	Feeder Controller
FC	Formalised Clearances
FC	Frequency Change
FC	Course from a Fix to a Distance (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
FCA	Functional Configuration Audit (MAS - ODS)
FCB	Frequency Coordinating Body
FCC	Federal Committee for Communications
FCC	Flight Control Computer
FCC	Flow Co-ordination Cell
FCD	Flow Control Decision
FCDS	Frequency Channel and Distribution System
FCE	Flow Control Execution
FCG	Financial Consultation Group (AFG)
FCM	Flow and Capacity Management
FCM	Flight Confirmation Message (CFMU)
FCNP	Fire Control and Navigation Panel
FCO	Future Concepts (EATCHIP domain)
FCOM	Flight Crew Operating Manual
FCOT	Future Concepts Team
FCR	Flow Control Request
FCS	Frame Check Sequence (RMCDE)
FCTL	Flow Control *
Fd	Doppler Frequency
FD	Flight Director
FD	Flight Data *
FD	Course from a Fix to a DME Distance (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
FDA	Flight Data Assistant
FDB	Full Data Block
FDDI	Fiber Distributed Data Interface (LAN - RMCDE / MAS)
FDDI	Fiberoptical Digital Data Interchange
FDE	Flight Data Exchange
FDE-ICD	Flight Data Entry – Interface Control Document
FDFM	Flight Data and Flow Management
FDFMG	Flight Data and Flow Management Group (CFMU)
FDG	Flight plan Data Generator
FDG	Flight Data Group (MAS)
FDM	Flight Data Management
FDMA	Frequency Division Multiple Access *
FDMAS	Flight Data Management Automated System (lt. ATFM)
FDMD	Flight Data Management and Distribution

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FDMS	Flight Data Management System
FDO	Flight Data Operations Division * (CFMU) / Division "Exploitation des données de vol"
FDP	Flight Data Processing / Flight-plan Data Processor
FDPD	Flight Data Processing and Distribution
FDPE-TF	Flight Plan Related Data Exchange Task Force
FDPI	Flight Data Processing Inter-operability (formerly eFDP – European Flight Data Processing System)
FDPS	Flight Data Processing System * / Système de traitement des données de vol (FR)
FDR	Flight Data Recorder (CDB / CFMU)
FDS	Flight Data Section
FDSU	Flight Data Storage Unit
FE	tones injected by the Far End switch
FEAST	First European ATCO Selection Test Package *
FEATS	Future European Air Traffic Management Systems (ICAO)
FEC	Forward Error Correction *
FED	Fonds européen de développement
FEDER	Fonds européen de développement régional (= ERDF)
FEP	Front End Processor
FES	Fixed Earth Station
FEV1/FVC	Forced Expiratory Volume (in one second) / Forced Vital Capacity
FFA	Functional Failure Analysis (ODS)
FFAP	FAA Free Flight Action Plan
FFAS	Free Flight AirSpace
FFI	Final Factory Inspection (CBN - CNG)
FFM	Frankfurt/Main
FFM	Free Flight Mode
FFS	Führungs und Förderungs System (DE) (DFS) / Leadership and promotion system
FFSC	Free Flight Select Committee (RTCA)
FFT	Future Functions Task Force (4-States/Eurocontrol)
FFU	Fire Fighting Unit
FHA	Functional Hazard Assessment
FHSS	Frequency Hopping Spread Spectrum
FI	Finland (ISO Country Code)
FIAT	First Installed Article Test
FIB	Forward Information Base *
FIC	Flight Information Centre *
FIC	Frequency Intercom
FIDS	(Swedish) Flight Information Display System
FIFO	First in, First out
FIFU/TF	Task Force on Financial Information to Users
FIN	Financial Services

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FIN	Finland
FIR	Flight Information Region * / Région d'information de vol (FR)
FIRST	Flexible Independent Radar Skill Trainer (MAS)
FIS	Flight Information Service *
FIS-B	Flight Information Service - Broadcast
FISC	Flight Information Services Communications
FISO	Flight Information Service Officer
FIT	Flight Integration Task
FIT	FANS Interoperability Team
FIT	Flight Plan Input Terminal
FIT	Factory Inspection Test
FITAMS	Flight Trials of ATN and Mode S activity
FIW	Flight Input (Information) Workstation (IFPS)
FIX	Fixpoint
FKE	Führungskräfte Entwicklung in der DFS (DE) / Management development programme
FL	Flight Level *
FLAS	Flight Level Allocation System / Scheme *
FLINT	Flight Intent Trials
FLIP	Flight Information Publication
FLIPCY	Flight Plan Consistency
FLO	Flow meetings
FLO	ATS/ATFM Co-ordination meeting (ICAO)
FLOE	Informal ATS / ATFM Co-ordination Meeting – Europe East
FLOEast	Informal Flow control Meeting – Europe East (ICAO/EANPG)
FLOS	Flight Level Orientation Scheme
FLOW	Informal ATS / ATFM Co-ordination Meeting – Europe West
FLOWest	Informal Flow control Meeting – Europe West (ICAO/EANPG)
FLOWTAM	NOTAM on ATFM Measures
FLS	Flight Suspension Message (CFMU)
FLT/PLN	Flight Plan *
FLTAB	Flight Level Table
FLTP	Flexible Luxembourg Training Platform
FM	Frequency Management
FM	Frequency Modulation
FM	Flow Manager
FM	Course from a Fix to a Manual Termination (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
FMAQ	Flight Management Attitudes Questionnaire
FMC	Flight Management Computer * / Control
FMCG	Flow Management Co-ordination Group
FMEA	Failure Modes and Effects Analysis
FMECA	Failure Modes, Effects and Criticality Analysis
FMG	Flow Management Group (ICAO)

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FMG	Frequency Management Group
FMGC	Flight Management and Guidance Computer
FMGS	Flight Management and Guidance System
FMI	Fonds monétaire international (FR) / International Monetary Fund (=IMF)
FMP	Flow Management Planning / Position * (CFMU - ECAC States) / Poste de gestion des courants de trafic (FR)
FMPG	Flow Management Planning Group
FmRgt	Fernmelderegiment (DE)
FMS	Flight Management System *
FMU	Flow Management Unit *
FMU	Flight Management Unit
FN	False Negative
FNM	Flight Notification Message (CFMU)
FNPT	Flight and Navigation Procedure Trainer
FNS	FREQUENTIS Network System
FOC	Full Operational Capability *
FOC	Flight Operations Control
FOCA	Federal Office for Civil Aviation (Switzerland)
FOCA	Floor of Controlled Airspace
FOCUS	Futura Posición del Controlador para UCS SACTA (ES)
FOM	Figure of Merit * (ICAO - ADS)
FOR-DEC	Facts, Options, Risks and Benefits, Decision, Execution and Check
FOU	Frequency of Use
Four-state BFWG	Four-State Budgetary and Financial working Group
FP	False Positive
FP	Flight Plan
FP	Framework Programme (of the European Commission)
FP 5	Fifth Framework Programme of the European Community for Research, Technological Development and Demonstration
FPA	False Plot Analysis *
FPAP	Flight Path Alignment Point
FPB	Flight Progress Board
FPC	Flight Planning Centre
FPCP	Flight Path Control Point
FPDETF, FPRDETF	Flight Plan related Data Exchange Task Force
FPDPS	Front Panel Data Ports
FPF	Flight Plan Fallback
FPFS	First Planned First Served
FPL	Filed Flight Plan * (ICAO format)
FPL	Full-Performance Level (US)
FPL	Flight Plan
FPL	(Filed) Flight Plan

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FPLA	Field Programmable Logic Array
FPLMTS	Future Public Land Mobile Telecommunications System
FPM	Flight Progress Message
FPM	Feet-per-Minute
FPM	Flight Position Monitor *
FPM	Flight Path Monitor (PATs)
FPO	Flight Plan Office
FPP	Flight Plan Processing
FPPS	Flight Plan Processing System
FPPU	Flight Planning and Flight Progress Updating
FPS	Flight Plan Server (MADAP)
FPS	Flight Progress Strip
FPS	Functional Performance Specification (EATCHIP)
FPT	Flight Plan Terminal
FPWO	Flight Plan Work Station Operator (IFPS)
FPZ	Flight Path Zone (ODID)
FQR	Formal Qualification Review
FQT	Formal Qualification Testing
FR	France (ISO Country Code)
FRA	Failure Reporting and Analysis (ODS)
FRA	Free Route Airspace
FRAC	Free Route Airspace Concept (Eurocontrol)
FrameAPS	Frame Maker Aeronautical Publishing System
FRAP	Free Route Airspace Programme
FRAP5	5th Free Route Airspace Project
FRB	Failure Review Board (ODS)
FREER	Free Route Experimental Encounter Resolution / Système expérimental de maintien autonome de la séparation sur routes libres (FR)
FREER	Freer Flight
FREGATE	Filtre de Régulation Ergonomique de la Gestion des Secteurs & d'Anticipation des Tâches Excessives (FR)
Freq	Next Sector frequency
FRF	Further Route of Flight
FRG	Federal Republic of Germany
FRM	Financial Resources Management Core Team
FRN	Field Reference Number
FRS	Functional Requirements Specifications (EATMS)
FRUIT	False Replies Unsynchronised in Time
FRUIT *	False Replies from Unsynchronised to Interrogator Transmission
FS	Foot Switch (VCS)
FS	Functional Statement (ICAO - ADS)
FSA	First System Activation (message)
FSD TF	Functional Specification Development Task Force (EASIE/MODE S)



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F

FSK	Frequency Shift Keying
FSM	Frequency Shift Modulation
FSP	Flight Strip Printer
FSPEC	Field SPECification (ASTERIX), field of variable length, indicating which data fields are present in a record and in which order (see also Record)
FSS	Flight Service Station * (US)
FSSkt-A	Flugsicherungssektor A (DE) / GAF sectors MAS UAC-Lippe Radar
ft	Feet
FTA	Fault Tree Analysis
FTC	Fast Time Constant
FTE	Full Time Equivalent
FTE	Full Time Employee
FTE	Flight Technical Error *
FTFM	Filed Tactical Flight Model (CFMU)
FTmn	False Track Length Mean
FTP	File Transfer Protocol
FTprob	False Track Probability
FTS	Functional and Technical Specification
FTS	Fast-Time Simulation System
FTsd	False Track Length Standard Deviation
FTT	Flight Technical Tolerance
FUA	Flexible Use of Airspace * / Utilisation flexible de l'espace aérien (FR)
FUAG	Flexible Use of Airspace Group (sub-group of APT). See FUSG
FUCOZOC	Fuel Consumption Estimator in a ZOC
FUSG	Flexible Use of Airspace Sub-Group (Sub-Group of ANT)
FUT, FCO	Future Concepts
FVHF	Future VHF System Study
FVS	Flight Verification System
FWC	Flight Warning Computer
FX	Field Extension Indicator (ASTERIX)
FY	Fiscal Year
FYP	Five Year Programme
FYROM	Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

G

G	Group Training
G/A	Ground / Air
g/dl	grammes per decilitre
G/G	Ground/Ground
G/T	Gain over noise Temperature Ratio
G/w	Gateway
G2G	Gate-to-Gate
GA	General Aviation *

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GAAP	Generally Accepted Accounting Principles
GAAS	Generic Approach for ATM Systems
Ga-As	Gallium-Arsenid
GACC	General Aviation Consultative Committee
GACS	Generic ATN Communication Service
GAF	German Air Force
GAFL0	German Air Force Liaison Officer
GAFO	German Air Force Office
GAFOR	General Aviation Forecast (Meteo)
GAIT	Ground-Based Augmentation and Integrity Technique *
GAMA	General Aviation Manufacturers Association
GAME	GEADGE/ADKAR Message Exchange
GAP	Global Action Plan
GARTEUR	Group for Aeronautical Research and Technology in Europe
GASC	Global Aviation Satellite Communications System
GASP	Global Aviation Safety Plan
GASR	Group of AGA Safety Regulators (AOT list)
GAT	General Air Traffic *
GATE	Group of ATM in the Eastern Part of the ICAO EUR Region, including Middle Asia
GATM	Global Air Traffic Management
Gb	Gigabyte
GB	Great Britain
GB	United Kingdom (ISO Countries Codes)
GBA	Geostationary Broadcast Area
GBAS	Ground Based Augmentation System
GBCC	Ground Based Control Complex
GBDA	Gestor de Base de Datos de Adaptación (ES) / Environment Data Base Manager
GC	Graphics Controller
GC	Ground Controller
GCA	German Cockpit Association
GCA	Government Quality Assurance
GCA	Ground Controlled Approach
GCAS	Ground-based Collision Avoidance System
GCE	General Certificate of Education
GCL	Graphical Information Category Cursor Line (EAS)
GCS	Ground Control Segment
GCSE	General Certificate of Secondary Education
GCST	Group for Coordination of STAR (Studies, Tests and Applied Research)
GCTA	Gestion des Courants de Trafic Aérien (=ATFM)
GCWP	Generic Controller Working Position
GD	General Display and Data Handling
GDCA	General Directorate for Civil Aviation (SP)
GDCE	Ground Data Circuit Terminating Equipment *

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G

GDLP	Ground Data Link Processor *
GDM	Graphical Information Category Dynamic Maps
GDOP	Geometric Dilution of Precision *
GDP	General Data Processor
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GDS	Gestionnaire de Supervision (FR) (OCD)
GE	Georgia
GEADGE	German Air Defence Ground Environment
GEDARC	Groupe d'Experts de Détection Automatique et Resolution des conflits (FR) (SPACDAR)
GEMS	Generic Error-Modelling System
GEN	General
GENOFIC	General North Sea Flight Information Centre
GEO	Geostationary Satellite Orbit *
GEOREF	Geographical Reference *
GEOS	Geo-Stationary Satellite
GEOSTAR	Multipurpose Satellite System Using Fixed Orbit Satellites (US)
GEPNA	Groupe Européen de Planification de la Navigation Aérienne (FR) (=EANPG) (ICAO)
GERAC	EANGP WG on Coordination of the Implementation & Operation of an Improved EUR AFTN/AFS
GERAC	Group on European Regional AFTN/AFS Implementation and Operation Coordination
GES	Ground Earth Station * (ICAO - ADS)
GETALIS	Sistema de Gestão de Tráfego Aéreo de Lisboa (PT) / Future Lisboa Air Traffic Management System
GFDI	GNSS Fault Detection and Isolation *
GFM	Graphical Information Category Fixed Maps
GGCS	Ground/Ground Communication System (ICAO)
GGDC	Ground/Ground Data Communication
GGDC-SG/GGDCSG	Ground/Ground Data Communications Sub-Group
GGSNIF	Ground/Ground Subnetwork Infrastructure
GGVC-SG/GVCSG	Ground/Ground Voice Communications Sub-Group
GHMI	Ground Human-Machine Interface
GHz	Gigahertz
GIB	Global Navigation Satellite System Integrity Broadcast *
GIB	GPS Integrity Broadcast
GIC	GNSS Integrity Channel *
GIC	Geostationary Integrity Channel *
GICB	Ground Initiated Comm B Protocol * (Mode S)
GIPS	General Image Processing System
GIPS	Global Initial Positioning System
GIPS	Giga Instructions Per Second

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G

GIS	Geographical Information System
GISP	Global Internet Service Provider
GLONASS	Global Orbiting Navigation Satellite System * / Système mondial de satellites de navigation (FR)
GLOSS	Global Sea Level Observing System
GLSU	GPS Landing System Unit
GM	Guidance Material
GmbH	Gemeinschaft mit beschränkter Haftung (DE)
GMC	Ground Movement control
GMD	General Meeting of Directors
GMS	Ground Monitoring System
GMS	Ground Movement Surveillance
GMT	Greenwich Mean Time. See UTC
GMU	GPS Height Monitoring Unit
GMV	Grupo de Mecánica del Vuelo (ES)
GNC	Global NAVCOM * (IATA/ICAO Conference)
GND	Ground Control service / facility
GND	Ground Level
GNE	Gross Navigational Error *
GNLS	GNSS Navigation and Landing System *
GNLU	GNSS Navigation and Landing Unit *
GNP	Gross National Product
GNS	Global Navigation System
GNSS	Global Navigation Satellite System * / Système mondial de navigation par satellite
GNSSP	Global Navigation Satellite System Panel * (ICAO)
GOMS	Goals, Operators, Methods, Selection (rules) *
GOSPAR	GPS Operational Control System Performance Analysis and Reporting
GOTV	GNSS Operational Test and Validation
GP	Glide Path
GPEA	Groupe Permanent de l'Espace Aérien (FR)
GPIWG	Glide Path Intercept Waypoint
GPS	Satellite Navigation and Global Positioning System *
GPS	Geographical Paging / Positioning System *
GPSSU	GPS Sensor Unit
GPTP	Guided Part-Task Practice *
GPV	GNSS Performance Validation
GPWS	Ground Proximity Warning System
GR	Greece
GRACE	Geographical Association and Classification of Events *
GRADE	Ground Return Area Digital Eliminator
GRANAS	Global Radio Navigation System (D)
GRAS	Ground-Based Regional Augmentation System
GRIGRI	Gestures, Recognition on Interactive Graphical radar Images

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GROBI	Graphical Object Interface
GROUP	Groupe Simulation *
SIMUL	
GRS	GroB-Rundsicht Radar (DE)
GrW	Group Work
GS	Ground Speed
GS	Glideslope *
GS	Graphical Station
GSA	Guided Skill Acquisition *
GSC	Gaining Stakeholder Commitment (EATM)
GSE	Ground Support Equipment
GSFL	Groupe d'experts "Sélection, formation et licences du personnel ATS" (FR) / ATS Selection, Training and Licensing Panel (Eurocontrol) (=STLP)
GSIMUL	Guided Simulation *
Gsimul	Group Simulation
GSM	Global System for Mobile Communications *
GSM	Graphical Information Category Scale Marking
GSNA	Ground-Supported Navigation Advisory
GSO	Geosynchronous Orbit
GSO	Group of Senior Officials
GT	Ground Transmitter
GT2	Ghost Track rate (radar standard)
GTB	General Tool Box
GTBF (4 Etats)	Groupe de travail budgétaire et financier (FR) / Four-State Budgetary and Financial Working Group
GTC	Gain Time Control
GTE	Groupe tripartite européen
GtG programme	Gate-to-Gate programme
GTID	Group training – Instructor-dependent
GTIS	Ground-based Traffic Information System
GTMD	Group Training – Material-dependent
GTO	Geosynchronous Transfer Orbit
GTP	Groupe de travail "Pensions" / Pensions Working Group (= PWG)
GTr	Ghost Track Rate
GTRC	General Technical Requirements and Conditions
GTS	Global Telecommunications System
GTVS	Ground based Transponder performance Verification System (SCT)
GUI	Graphical User Interface
GUI	Guidelines (EATCHIP/EATMP/EATM)
GUIDE	General User Interface Device (ODS)
GWL	Graphical Information Category Weather Lines

H

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on the binocular icon in the window bar menu

H

H	Hungary
H, h	Hour
H/M/L	High/Medium/Low (ATC Complexity)
H16	Hours 16, Availability 16 hours/day, 7 days/week
H24	Hours 24, Availability 24 hours/day, 7 days/week
HA	High Availability
HA	Holding to an Altitude (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
HAD	Human Aspects Development
HADAMARD	Multi-radar processing written in ADA
HAI	Helicopter Association International
HALO	High Altitude, Low Opening
HALS / DTOP	High Approach Landing System / Displaced Threshold Operations
HAMMER	High-level All-purpose Monitoring and Management Equipment for RADNET
HAT	Height Above Touchdown *
HATR	Hazardous Air Traffic Report
HAW	Horizontal Aid Window (ODID)
HBS	Hotline Back-up System
HCA	Human-Centred Automation
HCAA	Hellenic Civil Aviation Authority
HCD	Hard Copy Device
HCI	Human Computer Interface/Interaction
HCP	Hard Copy Printer
HCT	Human-Computer Trust
HD	Harmonisation Documents
HD	Help Desk
HDB	Historical Data Base (ODS)
HDBK	Handbook
HDD	Head Down Display
HDG	Heading *
HDLC	High Level Data Link Communication
HDLC	High Level Data Link Control Protocol * (RADNET)
HDOP	Horizontal Dilution of Precision *
HDS	Help Desk Staff
HED	Heading *
HEI	Human Error Identification
HEIDI	Harmonisation of European Incident Definitions Initiative for ATM (SQS)
HEL	High Energy Laser
HELLANET	Hellenic aeronautical Network
HEO	Highly inclined Elliptical Orbit
HEP	Human Error Probability
HEP	Horizontal Expansion Programme
HERA	Human Error in ATM *(Project)
HERAS	Hellenic Radar System

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on the binocular icon in the window bar menu

H

HERMES	Harmonised En-Route Metering and Spacing (Sequencing)
HESSD	Human Error, Safety and Systems Development
HEX	Horizontal Expansion (of 8.33 kHz deployment)
hex	hexadecimal
HF	High Frequency *
HF	Holding to a Fix (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
HF	Human Factors * (Modules = HRT)
HFDL	High Frequency Data Link
HFFG	Human Factors Focus Group
HFIAI	Human Factors in Incident and Accident Investigation (HRT)
HFS	Human Factors Studies
HFSG	Human Factors Study Group (ICAO)
HFSG	Human Factors Sub-Group (EATCHIP/EATM/HUM/HRT)
HFTE	Human Factors Testing and Evaluating
HFX	Holding Fix
Hg	Mercury
HHmm	Hours and minutes
HHMMSS	hour-hour / minute-minute / second-second
HI FI SIM	High-Fidelity Simulator *
HIDE	Harmonised, Integrated Development Environment
HIFA	Human Integration in Future ATM Systems *
HIP	Hearing of Interested Parties / Audition des parties intéressées (FR)
HIPER-LAN	High Performance Local Area Network
HIPS	Highly Interactive Problem Solver / Système hautement interactif de planification et de résolution (FR)
HIRO	High Intensity Runway Operations
HIRTA	High Intensity Radio Transmission Area
HIT	Hardware Integration Test (MAS/DFS - ODS)
HIT	Hughes Improved Terminal
HITL	Human-In-The-Loop
HLA	High Level Airspace
HLD	Hold List
HLDC	High Level Data Link Control
HLLC	High Level Link Layer Control
HLT	Heavy Load Threshold
HM	Holding to a Manual Termination (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
HMATTF	Handling of Military Air Traffic Task Force
HMD	Horizontal Miss Distance (filter) (TCAS/ACAS)
HME	Height Monitoring Element
HMI	Human Machine Interface * or Interaction / Interface Homme/machine (FR)
HMR	Helicopter Main Routes
HMT	Hand Microphone Telephones
HMU	Height Monitoring Unit * (in connection with RVSM)

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H

HMZ	Slovenian National Hydrometeorological Institute
HND	Hand over keyboard button
HNS	Host Nation Support
HNSE	Horizontal Navigation System Error
HO	Hours Office, Availability during office hours
HOA	Hand-off Acceptance
H-OFF-A	Hand-Off Accept
H-OFF-P	Hand-Off Propose
HOL	High Order Language
HOLD	Hold(ing)
HOOD	Hierarchical Object Oriented Design
HOP	Hand-off Proposal
HOP	Harmonisation of Operational Procedures (AT, CH, DE)
Hor	Horizontal
HOSP	Hospital Flight
HP	High Precision
HP	Horse-Power
Hp / hPa	hectopascal
HPA	High Power Amplifier *
HPC	Hughes Programming Centre (NPC)
HPD	Horizontal Polar Diagram *
HPRT	HMI Preview Response Time
HPZ	Helicopter Protection Zone
HQ	Headquarters (EUROCONTROL Agency)
HR	Croatia, Republic of Croatia (ISO Country Code)
HR	Human Resources
HRA	Human Reliability Assessment / Analysis *
HRD	Human Resources Directorate
HRFG	Human Resources Framework Group
HRI	Human resources International (Israël)
HRIS	Human Resources Information System
HRM	Human Resources Management * / Services de gestion des ressources humaines (FR)
HRP	Human Resources Planning and Corporate Services / Planification et aspects généraux des ressources humaines (FR)
HRPTSG	Human Resource Planning and Training Study Group (ICAO)
hrs	hours
HRS	ATM Human Resources Management Programme (EATMP)
HRS PSG	Human Resources Programme Steering Group
HRSC	Human Resources Steering Committee (Training Programme Ab Initio, CC)
HRT	Human Resources Team
HRV	Heart-Rate Variability
HS	Headset

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H

HSA	Hollandse Signaal Apparaten (NL)
HSCT	High-speed Civil Transport
HS-DTS	High Speed Data Transmission System
HSM	High Speed Modem
HSP	Human Factors Sub-Programme (EATM/HUM/HRS)
HSP	Human Factors Sub-Programme (EATM/HUM/HRS)
HST	High Speed Train
HST	Hypersonic Transport
HTA	Hermes Training Aircraft
HTA	Hierarchical Task Analysis *
HTD	History Trial Dots (ODS)
HTI	Human Technology Integration
HTML	Hypertext Markup Language
HTTP	Hypertext Transport Protocol
HTZ	Helicopter Traffic Zone
HU	Hungary, Republic of Hungary (ISO Country Code)
HUD	Head up Display
HUM	Human Resources (Domain/Unit)
HUM BD	Human Factors Management Business Division (Eurocontrol - DAS Business Directorate)
HUM RES	Human Resources
HUMR	Human Resources
HW, h/w	Hardware
HWCI	Hardware Configuration Item (MAS/DFS - ODS)
HWG	Harmonisation Working Group
HWP	Holding Waypoint
HWU	Hardware Unit
Hz	Hertz * (cycle per second)

I

I	Italy
I and Q Channels	In-phase and Quadrature channels *
I(Fd)	MTI Improvement Factor
I/A	Incident Analysis
I/O	Input / Output
I/R	Interrogator/Responsor
IA	Indirect Access
IA	Instantaneous Access
IA	International Alphabet
IA/CC	Indirect Access/Common Control
IA-5	International Alphabet Number 5 *
IAA	Irish Aviation Authority
IAAE	International Association of Airport Executives



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IACA	International Air Carrier Association
IACH	Individual ATC Flight Plan Changes (CFMU)
IACS	INTERGRAPH Aeronautical Charting System
IACSP	International Aeronautical Communications Service Providers
IAEA	International Atomic Energy Agency
IAF	Initial Approach Fix
IAFP	Individual ATC Flight Plan Proposal
IAG	Interim Airport Group
IAG	International Association of Geodesy
IAIP	Integrated Aeronautical Information Package (EATCHIP)
IAL	Instrument Approach and Landing (Chart)
IAL	International Air-radio Limited (UK)
IAM	Institute of Aviation Medicine
IAMF	International Aviation Monetary Fund
IANS	Institute of Air Navigation Services (Luxembourg)
IANSSC	IANS Steering Committee
IAO	Internal Audit Office
IAOPA	International Council of Aircraft Owner and Pilot Associations
IAPL	IFPS APL Message
IAR	Instrument Autonomous Rules
IAR, IARTF	Institutional Arrangements and Requirements Task Force
IARR	IFPS ARR Message
IAS	Indicated Air Speed
IASA	International Aviation Safety Assessment
IAS-TFA	Implementation of Airspace Strategy - Task Force "A" of ASMSG (Eurocontrol)
IAS-TFB	Implementation of Airspace Strategy - Task Force "B" of ASMSG (Eurocontrol)
IATA	International Air Transport Association / Association du transport aérien international
IATC	International Air Traffic Control
IATTF	IFPS Acceptance Test Task Force
IAW	In accordance with
IAWP	Initial Approach Waypoint
IB	Information (display) Button
IBAA	International Business Aviation Association
IBAC	International Business Aviation Council
IBAP	Industry Based Prototype
IBF	Institut für Begleitforschung und psychologisches Qualitätsmanagement (DE)
IBILS	Integrity Beacon Landing System
IBM	International Business Machines (US)
IBP	Industry-Based Prototypes
IBRD	International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (= BIRD)
IC	Integrated Circuit
IC	Intercom



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ICAA	International Civil Airport Association
ICAO	International Civil Aviation Organisation *
ICAO EUR	European Region of the International Civil Aviation Organisation
ICB	International Competitive Bidding
ICBM	Intercontinental Ballistic Missile
ICC	Inter-Centre Communications
ICCAIA	International Coordinating Council of Aircraft Industry Associations
ICCS	Integrated Communication Control System
ICCT	Internal Communications Core Team
ICCU	Intercomputer Communications Unit
ICCVC	Indirect Controller-Controller Voice Communication
ICD	Interface Control Document (OLDI)
ICET	IATA Capacity Enhancement Team
ICHG	IFPS CHG Message
ICIP	Initial CIP (APT)
ICM	Interline Communications Manual *
ICNA	Ingénieur du contrôle de la navigation aérienne (FR) / Air Traffic Control Engineer
ICNI	Integrated Communications, Navigation and Identification
ICNL	IFPS CNL Message
ICNL	Individual Cancel (CFMU)
ICO	Intermediate Circular Orbit
ICON	Involved Controllers
ICP	Interactive Control Panel
ICP	Internal Clarification Project
ICR	Interactive Conflict Resolution
ICR	Integrated Cancellation Ratio
ICT	Information and Communication Technology
ICWG	Interface Control Working Group
ICWS	Integrated Control Work Station
ID	Identification (ICAO)
ID	Identifier
ID	Information Display
IDA	Indirect Access (VCS)
IDA	Initial Distribution Area (IFPS)
IDB	Integrated Database (DBE + DBC)
I-DCTS	Interim Digital (Data) Communications Terminal System
IDHS	Intelligence Data Handling System
IDL	Interface Definition Language
IDMS	Integrated Database Management System
IDP	Initial Domain Part *
IDRP	Inter Domain Routing Protocol
IDS	Information Display System
IE	Ireland (ISO Country Code)



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IEC	International Electrotechnical Commission/Committee
IEEE	Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (US)
IEP	Information Exchange Programme
IES	Interface Editor System
IETF	Internet Engineering Task Force
IETF	Internal EATMS Task Force
IF	Intermediate Frequency *
IF	Initial Fix (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
IF	Intermediate Fix
IFA	Image Frequency Attenuation
IFALDA	International Federation of Airline Dispatchers' Associations
IFALPA	International Federation of Airline Pilots Association
IFATCA	International Federation of Air Traffic Controllers Associations / Fédération internationale des associations de contrôleurs du trafic aérien (FR)
IFATSEA	International Federation of Air Traffic Safety Electronic Associations
IfB	Institut für Begleitforschung (DE) / Institute for Evaluation Research
IFD	Initial Functional Description / EASIE
IFDS	Interactive Flight Data System
IFF	Identification Friend or Foe
IFFITAF	IFPS-DBE Functional Interface System Task-Force
IFFN	Identification Friend, Foe or Neutral
IFG-NME WG	Implementation Facilitation Group of the National Management Experts Working Group
IFL	Intermediate Flight Level *
IFLIPS	Integrated Flight Prediction System
IFOR	Implementation Forces (UN, NATO)
IFPD	Individual Flight Plan Data
IFPL	Individual Flight Plan Message
IFPL	IFPS Filed Flight Plan
IFPN	IFPS Network
IFPP	Initial Flight Plan Processing
IFPPS	Integrated Flight Plan Processing System
IFPRU	IFPS Responsible Unit
IFPS	Initial Flight Plan Processing System
IFPS, I²FPS	Integrated Initial Flight Plan Processing System * (CFMU) / Système intégré de traitement initial des plans de vol (FR)
IFPU	Initial Flight Plan Provisioning Unit
IFPU(-2)	Integrated initial Flight Plan Processing System (Unit 2)
IFPZ	IFPS Zone
IFR	Instrument Flight Rules * / Règles de vol aux instruments (FR)
IFRB	International Frequency Registration Board
IFSA	Institu Français de Sécurité Aérienne
IFTO	International Federation of Tour Operators
IGA	International General Aviation



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IGCN	Independent Ground Communications Network
IGP	Ionospheric Grid Point
IGS	International GPS Reference Network
II	Interrogator Identity
IIMSES	Initial Implementation of Mode S Enhanced Surveillance (a common project UK, France, Germany, Benelux, including POEMS)
IIS	Internal Information System
IISLS	Improved Interrogation Side Lobe Suppression *
IISLS	Improved Interrogation Side Lobe Suppression
IKBS	Intelligent Knowledge Based System
IKD States	In Kind Delivery States (France, Germany, Italy, Spain, UK, represented by their ATS providers DNA, DFS, ENAV, AENA, NATS)
IL	Israël (ISO Countries codes)
ILC	IATA Learning Centre
ILO	International Labour Organisation / Organisation Internationale du Travail (=OIT)
ILS	Integrated Logistic Support
ILS	Instrument Landing System *
ILSP	Integrated Logistic Support Program
IM	Information Management *
IMA	Integrated Modular Avionics
IMAGE	Instrument Macroscopique d'aide à la Gestion de l'espace (FR) (CORTA)
IMAL	Integrity Monitoring Alarm Limit
IMAP	Internet Message Access Protocol
IMAWP	Initial Missed Approach Waypoint *
IMC	Instrument Meteorological Conditions *
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IMM	Interacting Multiple Models, a generally applicable algorithm of track state estimation
IMO	International Maritime Organisation / Organisation maritime Internationale (= OMI)
IMP	Implementation Services
IMPACT	Information Market Policy Actions
IMPACT	Innovative Methodology for the Projection of ATM Concepts onto the Training of ATCOs
IMPACT	Methods and tools to assess IMPACT on future ATM systems *
IMPACT	Informal Management Panel for ATC Training
IMPACT (Model)	integrated Model of Perceived Awareness Control (model)
Impl	Implementation *
IMPLAN	Implementation Plan (Cross Reference for internal traceability)
IMTEG	ILS/MLS Transition EUR Group (EATCHIP)
IMUX	Input MULTipleXer
INA	Institut de la navigation aérienne (Luxembourg) / Institute of Air Navigation Services (=IANS)
InCAS	Interactive Collision Avoidance Simulator
INCERFA	Uncertainty Phase *



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Ind	Industry
IND SIMUL	Individual Simulation *
INFR-C	Infrastructure Creation
INI	Initial Approach Controller
INM	Integrated Noise Model (software developed by the US FAA, manufacturer Aerospatiale Matra Airbus)
INMARSAT	International Mobile Satellite Organisation *
INO	International NOTAM Operation (EATCHIP)
INR	Input Reconstruction
INRIA	Institut national de Recherche d'Information et d'Automatique (FR) / National Institute for Computer Science and Automation Research.
INS	Inertial Navigation System *
INST	Installation
INSTAR	Institutional Arrangements for European Air Traffic Management
INSTILUX	Eurocontrol Institute of Air Navigation Services (LU)
Int	International
INTELSAT	International Telecommunications Satellite Organisation
INTER	The ATN Internet Strategy
Interactive	Interactive training *
INTERCAUTRA	Internal CAUTRA protocol
A	
INTL	International
INTNET	Integration Network (for flight data exchange) / Réseau intégré pour échange de données de plans de vol entre Centres - civil/militaire (FR)
Intruder	Aircraft against which TCAS issues an advisory
INU	Inertial Navigation Unit
INV	Inventory Analysis
INV	Inverse / Inverted
INV	Innovative Studies and Technological Assessment (ARDEP)
INWP	Intermediate Waypoint
IO, I/O	Interoperability - Input / Output
IOATF	IFPS Operational Advisory Task Force
IOC	Initial Operational Capability *
IOCD	Initial Operational Concept Document
IOCP	Internal Operational Clarification Project
IOD	Issue of Data
ION	Institute of Navigation
IOP	Input / Output Processor (RMCDE)
IOP	Interoperability Programme
IOR	Indian Ocean Region (ICAO)
IOR	INMARSAT Indian Ocean Region
IOSS	Input Output Sub System
IP	Internet Protocol *
IP	Information Button (mouse)



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IP	Information Paper
IP	Information Processing Level
IPAG	Intellectual Property Advisory Group (Policy Guidelines for Intellectual Property Rights)
IPAS	Integrated Preparation and Analysis System
IPAX	Internet Protocol for Aeronautical Exchange
IPB	Inner Performance Boundary (Tunnel Concept) *
IPC	Intermittent Positive Control
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel for Climate Change
IPG	Integration Project Group
IPL	Initial Programme Loading
IPL	Intermediate Flight Plan
IPR	Intellectual Property Rights
IPRs	Intellectual Proprietary Rights
IPRT	Internal Processing Response Time
IPS's	Intellectual Proprietary Rights
IPSE	Integrated Programming Support Environment
IPSky	Internet Technology in the Sky
IPT	Internal Processing Time
IPv6	Internet protocol version 6
IQ	Intelligence Quotient
IQ	Iraq (ISO countries codes)
IQM	Integrated Quality Management (for Radar Sensor)
IR	Iran (ISO countries codes)
IR	Integrated Receiver
IRAS	Interactive Radar Analysis System
IREN	Incident Reporting European Network
IRF	Incident Report Form (DECADE)
IRF	Interrogation Repetition Frequency * (radar standard)
IRIG	(clock)
IRL	Ireland
IRMA	Intermediate Redesigned MCC Architecture (ESCO/DECADE)
IROI	Instantaneous Return on Investment
IRPL	Internal Repetitive Flight Plan
IRR	Internal Rate of Return
IRS	Interface Requirements Specification
IRS	Inertial Reference System
IRS	Intermediate Route Sequence (FPPS/DECADE)
IRT	Interrogation Repetition Time
IRU	Inertial Reference Unit
IRVR	Instrument Runway Visual Range
IS	Intermediate System *
IS	Iceland



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IS	Interface Specification
ISA	Independent Safety Auditor
ISA	International Standard Atmosphere
ISA	Instantaneous Self-Assessment
ISA	Innovative Slot Allocation
ISDN	Integrated Services (switched) Digital Network * (=RNIS)
IS-ES	Intermediate System - End System
ISL	Intermediate Supplementary Flight Level *
ISLS	Interrogation Side Lobe Suppression *
ISM	Information Security Manual
ISMF	Information Security Management Framework
ISMG	Institute Strategy and Management Group (EUROCONTROL, IANS)
ISO	International Standards Organisation / Organisation internationale de normalisation
ISO 10737	Transport Layer Management (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 7498-3	Basic Reference Model Part 3, Naming And Addressing (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 8072	Transport Service Definition (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 8073	Connection-Oriented Transport Protocol Specification (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 8073 AD 1	Connection-Oriented Transport Protocol Addendum 2, Class Four Operation Over Connectionless Network Service (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 8208	International Organisation for Standardisation X.25 Packet Level Protocol for Data Terminal Equipment Document.
ISO 8326	Basic Connection-Oriented Session Protocol Specification (Standards For Open System Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 8327	Basic Connection-Oriented Session Protocol Specification (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 8348	Network Service Definition (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 8348 AD 1	Network Service Definition, Addendum 1, Connectionless Mode Transmission (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 8473	Protocol For Providing The Connectionless-Mode Network Service (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 8649	Service Definition For The Association Control Service Element (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 8650	Protocol Specification For The Association Control Service Element (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 8822	Connection-Oriented Service Definition (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 8823	Connection-Oriented Presentation Protocol (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)



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ISO 8878	International Organisation For Standard Use Of X25 To Provide OSI (Open Systems Interconnection) Connection Mode Network Services (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 9000	International Standards For Quality Management, 1990
ISO 9072-1	Remote Operations - Part 1, Model, Notation And Service Definition (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 9072-2	Remote Operations - Part 2, Protocol Specification Version (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 9545	Protocol For Providing The Connectionless-Mode Network Service (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 9595	Common Management Information Service Definition (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO 9596	Management Information Protocol - Part 1, Specification (Standards For Open Systems Interconnection And Data Communication Published by ISO)
ISO/IEC	International Organisation for Standardisation / International Electrotechnical Committee
ISO/OSI	Interconnexion de systèmes ouverts (FR) / Open System Interconnection
ISPACG	Informal South Pacific ATS Co-ordination Group
ISPL	Individual Supplementary Flight Plan
ISPS	Information Security Policy Statement
ISQMS	Integrated Safety and Quality Management System (Safety Domain)
ISR	Independent Standby Radio
ISS	Indirect sub-System
ISS	Implementation Support Services ; Implementation Support to States / Services de mise en oeuvre rendus aux Etats (FR)
ISSS	Initial Sector Suite System (FAA)
IST	Indirect Support Task *
IT	Information Technology
IT	Italy, Italian Republic (ISO Country Code)
ITA	Institut du Transport Aérien / Institute of Air Transport
ITA	Integrated Task Analysis * (of ATCOs)
ITA	International Telegraphic Alphabet
ITA-2	International Telegraph Alphabet Number 2 *
ITAEG	Information Technology Advisory Expert Group (Standardisation, EPD - CEN/CENELEC/ETSI)
ITAM	Integrated Task Analysis Methodology *
ITASPS	Informal International Civil Aviation Organisation Trans Siberia, Trans Asia, Cross Polar Routes Steering Group (ICAO)
iTEC-FDP	Interoperability Through European Collaboration -- Flight Data Processing
ITF	International Transport Workers Federation
ITI	Italian Interface
ITID	Individual Training- Instructor-dependent
ITIRS	International Terrestrial Reference System
ITM	Intermediate Approach controller
ITMD	Individual Training Material-dependent
ITR	International Transit Route



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ITS	Integrated Tower Systems
ITSEC	Information Technology Security
ITSTC	Information Technologie Steering Committee
ITT	Invitation Property Rights
ITU	International Telecommunications Union * (=UIT)
ITU WARC-95	International Telecommunication Union World Radio Conference
ITU-R	International Telecommunications Union - Radio
ITU-T	International Telecommunications Union - Telecommunications
IUCM	IFPS Unit Configuration Manager
IVF	Independent Variable Filter
IVR	Immersive Virtual Reality
IVSN	Initial Voice Switched Network
IWGE	International Working Group on (air) Exercises
IWP	Intermediate Waypoint

J

JAA	Joint Aviation Authority (consists of 29 ECAC National Aviation Authorities / Autorités conjointes de l'aviation (FR))
JAA AMC	JAA Acceptable Means of Compliance
JAA OPS	Joint Aviation Authorities Operations Committee
JAAB/JAA-B	Joint Boards
JAAC/JAA CE	JAA Committee
JAARC	JAA Research Committee
JAC	Joint Airmass Committee (UK)
JACC	Joint Area Control Centre
JAMC	Joint Airspace Management Cell (UK)
JAR	Joint Aviation Regulations
JAR-ATS-OPS	Joint Airworthiness Requirements-Air Traffic Services-Operations
JAR-FCL	Joint Aviation Requirements - Flight Crew Licensing (JAA)
JAR-OPS	Joint Airworthiness Requirements Operations
JAVA	Java Programming language
JD TF	Job Description Task Force
JIT	Joint Implementation Team (chaired by Eurocontrol) (ESCO) MADAP/KARLDAP
JMCT	Job Management Consultative Team [job analysis]
JOINT	Joint Operational Incidents Training
JOT	Joint Operational Team (ESCO)
JPALS	Joint Precision Approach and Landing System
JPDA	Joint Probabilistic Data Association
JPEG	Joint Photographic Expert Group
JSP	Joint Services Publication
JSSI	JAA's Safety Strategy Initiative
JST	Joy Stick
JTIDS	Joint Tactical Information Distribution System *



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on the binocular icon in the window bar menu

J

JURG	Joint Users' Requirements Group (Eurocontrol Representative' in the IATA/AEA)
JVM	Java Virtual Machine

K

K, k	Symbol for kilo (103)
KABA	Kontrastive Aufgabenanalyse in Büro (DE) / Contrastive Task Analysis of Office Workplaces
KAR	Karlsruhe
KARLDAP	Karlsruhe Automatic Data Processing and Display System / Système automatique de traitement et d'affichage des données du Centre de Karlsruhe (FR)
KB	Kilo Byte
Kbps	Kilobits per second
KBS	Knowledge-Based System
KDS	Keyboard Display System (Station)
KECU	Thousands of European Currency Units
KEMA	Keuring van Elektrotechnische Materialen (NL)
KfV	Kuratorium für Verkehrssicherheit (AT) / The Austrian Traffic Safety Board
Khz	KiloHertz *
KIAS	Knots Indicated Air Speed
KIDS	Karlsruhe Interim DCTS
KIS	Keyboard Input Station
KLDAP	KARLDAP + Langen (D)
KLM	Royal Dutch Airlines
KLOC	thousand lines of code
Klu	Koninklijke Luchtmacht (NL) - Royal Dutch Air Force
km, KM	kilometre
Km/h	kilometres per hour
KNMI	Koninklijk Nederlands Meteorologisch Instituut (NL) / Royal Netherlands Meteorology Institute
KOX	Karlsruhe Operational Exchange
KPA	Key Performance Area (PRC)
KPI	Key Performance Indicator
KPT	Karlsruhe Planning Team
KR	Knowledge of Result
KR 20	A measure of the internal consistency, or homogeneity, or scalability, of a test material (Ferguson, 1976).
KSA	Knowledge, Skills, Abilities
KSAO	Knowledge, Skills, Abilities, and Other personal requirements
KSD	Kontrollstreifendruck (DE)
KT or kt	knots * (i.e. 1 NM/hour)
KTD	Keyboard Tabulator Display
KUAC	Karlsruhe Upper Aispace Control Centre
Kurtosis	A term which refers to the flatness or peakedness of one distribution in relation to another (Ferguson, 1976).

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K

KW, kW	Kilowatt
KYB	Keyboard

L

L	Locator
L	Luxembourg
L	Tones injected by the local switch
L/T	Long-Term
LA	LAN Adapter
LA	Local Action *
LAA	Local Area Augmentation *
LAA	Laboratoire d'Anthropologie Appliquée (FR)
LAAS	Local Area Augmentation System
Lab	Laboratory (sound or multimedia)
LACK	The positive logical response message used for air/ground data communications, as defined within the ICAO Manual for ATS Data Link Applications
LACK	Logical Acknowledgement *
LAD	Look Ahead Display
LADGNSS	Local Area Differential GNSS *
LADGNSS	Landing GNSS
LADGPS	Local Area Differential Global Positioning System
LAF	Local Adaptation Functions (MADAP)
LAHSO	Land & Hold Short Operations
LAM	Ljubljana ATC Data Processing System
LAM	Logical Acknowledgement Message * (OLDI)
LAMPS	Long Term ATCO Manpower Planning Simulation *
LAN	Local Area Network * / Réseau local
LAN NMS	Local Area Network Management System
LANDA	Logistics and Administration
LANSU	Local Air Navigation Service Unit (DFS)
LAP-B	Link Access Procedure (Protocol type B)
LAR/LRR	Long Range Radar
LARS	Lower Airspace Radar Service
LAS	Last Assigned Landing Slot
LAS	Lower Airspace Sector
LASER	Light Amplification by Stimulated Energy Radiation
LASKA	Learning And Skills Acquisition *
LASS	Local Area Augmentation System
LAT	Latitude
LATC	Local Air Traffic Control
LATCC	London Air Traffic Control Centre
LATCO	Licensing of Air Traffic Control Officers (ICAO Study Group)
LAU	Local Approach Unit

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L

LAW	Aviation Law
LB	Local Battery (circuits)
LBA	Luftfahrtbundesamt (D)
LCC	Lifetime Cycle Costing
LCD	Liquid Cristal Display
LCG	Load Classification Group
LCIP	Local Convergence and Implementation Plan
LCIPD	Local Convergence and Implementation Programme Document / Document CIP local
LCM	Late Change (modification) Message (designator) (IFPS)
LCN	Load Classification Number
LCN	Local Communications Network
LDA	Landing Distance Available
LDA	Landing Distance Available
LDB	Limited Data Block
LDGNSS	Local Differential Global Navigation Satellite System
LDGNSS	Local Differential Global Navigation Satellite System
LDT	Logistic Delay Time
Lec	Lecture *
LED	Light Emitting Diode
LEFCO	Project for the procurement of new ATM facilities in Nicosia ACC
LEFD	Local Essential Flight Details (MADAP)
LEN	Length Indicator
LEO	Low Earth Orbit
Les	Lesson */ Demonstration *
LF	Low Frequency *
LF	Late Filer (IFPS)
LFC	(Swedish) Air Defence Centre or (unit)
LFHB	Low Flying Handbook
LFL	Last (reported) Flight Level
LFP	Low Pass Filter *
LFPP	Limited Flight Plan Processing
LFS	Low-Fidelity-Simulation
LFV	Luftfartsverket (SE) (CAA of Sweden)
LgUM	Longitudinal acceleration Uniform Motion
LHCP	Left Hand Circular Polarisation
LHR	London Heathrow (UK)
LIDO	Lufthansa Integrated Dispatch Operation
LIM/MID/RAN	Limited Middle East Regional Air Navigation Conference (ICAO)
LINK 2000+	LINK 2000+ Programme
LIP	Light-pen
LISREL	Linear Structural Relations
LIW	Label Input Window



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L

LLC	Link Layer Control
LLC	Logical Link Control (RMCDE)
LLC-I	Logical Link Control - Class I
LLM	L-band Land Mobile
LLT	Low Light Television
LLTR	Low Level Transit Route
LLWAS	Low Level Windshear Alert System *
LLZ	Localizer * (part of an ILS system)
LM	Low/Medium ATC Complexity
LMO	Leadership Management and Organisation (EATCHIP)
LMT	Local Mean Time
LNA	Low Noise Amplifier *
LNA/DPLX	Low Noise Amplifier/Diplexer *
L-NAV	Lateral Navigation
LNO	Olno (Belgium sector indication)
LO	Local Oscillator
LoA	Line of Action
LOA	List of Abbreviations
LoA, LOA	Letter of Agreement * ; Letter of Offer and Acceptance
LOC	Lines of Communications
LOC	Loss of Control Accident
LOC.	Localiser *
LoFA	Longitudinal acceleration Fast Acceleration
LoFD	Longitudinal acceleration Fast Deceleration
LOFT	Line-Orientated Flight Training
LoL	Loss of Licence
LoL	List of Lots
LON	Longitude
LOP	Local Operating Procedure
LOPAR	Low Powered Acquisition Radar
LORAN, LORAN-C	Long Range Navigation */Hyperbolic Navigation System
LOS	Level Safety *
LOS	Line of Sight *
LoSA	Longitudinal acceleration Slow Acceleration
LoSD	Longitudinal acceleration Slow Deceleration
LoTA	Longitudinal acceleration Typical Acceleration
LoTD	Longitudinal acceleration Typical Deceleration
LOW	Lower airspace
LR	Linear Regression
LRC	Legal ReCording
LRC	Legal Requirement Cell

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on the binocular icon in the window bar menu

L

LRI
Légiforgalmi
és Repülőtéri
Igazgatóság
(Hungary)

LRL	Local Recording Logistics
LRM	Line Replaceable Module
LRM	Logical Rejection Message
LRNZ	Luftraumnutzungszentrale (DE) / Airspace and traffic management centre
LRR	Long Range Radar (SRE)
LRS	Local Route Sequence
LRU	Line Replaceable Unit *
LRU	Lowest Replaceable Unit
LRW	Long Range Warning (IFPS)
LS	Loudspeaker
LSA	Logistic Support Analysis
LSA	Lowest Safe Altitude
LSB	Least Significant Bit
LSC	Life Support Cost (Cyprus)
LSP	Loud Speaker
Lt	Sequence Time Requirement
LT	Lithuania (ISO Country Code)
LTF	Licensing Task Force
LTIOV	Latest Time Information of Value
LTM	Long Term Memory *
LTM	Local Traffic Management
LTO	Landing and take-off Cycle
LTOG	Long Term Objectives Groups (EASIE, PHARE, FEATS, COPS etc)
LTP	Landing Threshold Point
LTP	Legal and Technical Panel
LTSS	Long Term Systems Studies
LTV	Load Threshold Values * (CFMU)
LU	Luxembourg
LUG	Leerdam Users' Group
LUGS	Link up Glons-Semmerzake
LUX	Luxembourg (ISO countries Code)
LV	Laser Vision
LV	Latvia (ISO 2 character country Code)
LVA	Large Vertical Aperture
LVB	Luchtverkeersbeveiliging (RLD-NL)
LVNL	Luchtverkeersleiding Nederland (NL)
LVTO	Low Visibility Take-off
LWG	Licensing Work Group

M	Many-to-Many relationship
M	Modules (replaceable)
M	Symbol for Mega (10+6)
m	Symbol for milli (10-3)
m.	metre
m/sec	Metres per second
M/T	Medium-Term
MA	Member Association
MA	Message Assurance *
MA	Morocco (ISO Countries Codes)
MAAFAS	More Autonomous Aircraft in the Future ATM System
MAC	Military Airlift Command
MAC	Mid-Air Collision
MAC	Management Advisory Committee
MAC	Medium Access Control * (RMCDE)
MAC	Message for the Abrogation of Coordination (OLDI)
MACC	Military Area Control Centre
MACC	Manchester Area Control Centre
MACE	Malvern Capacity Estimate
MACE	Multi-criteria analysis for Concept Evaluation
MACEN	Mando Centra
MACS	Multiple Access Communications System
MAD	Model of Activity for Design
MADAP	Maastricht Automated Data Processing and Display System * / Système de traitement et d'affichage automatique des données du Centre de Maastricht (FR)
MADREC	Maastricht Data Recording *
M-ADS	Modified Automatic Dependent Surveillance (ICAO)
MAESCAPE	Eurocontrol Simulation Capability and Platform for Experimentation tailored to Maastricht UAC requirements
MAESTRO	Means to Aid Expedition and Sequencing of Traffic with Research and Optimisation / Moyen d'Aide à Ecoulement Séquencé du Trafic avec Recherche d'Optimisation (FR)
MAHF	missed Approach Holding Fix
MAHWP	Missed Approach Holding Waypoint
MAN	Manual Message
MAN	Metropolitan Area Network
MANACT	Manual Activation message
MANs	Metropolitan Area Networks
MANSUP	ATC Modernisation Project
MANTEA	Management of Surface Traffic in European Airports
MAP	Military Assistance Program
MAP	Mapping

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on the binocular icon in the window bar menu

M

MAP	Maintenance Action Plan
MAPI	Messaging Application Programming Interface
MAPt	Missed Approach Point
MAR	Mode A Reconstructor
MARRES	Manual Radar Return Exploitation System
MARS	Military Air Route Structure
MARS	Maastricht Reserve System
MARSA	Military Authority Assumes Responsibility for Separation of Aircraft
MART	Message Acknowledge Response Time
MARTOS	MADAP Real-Time Operating System
MAS	Multiple Access Store
MAS	Manage Airspace
MAS	Middle Airspace
MAS	Manual Assume of Control Message (OLDI)
MAS	Military Agency for Standardisation
MAS	Message Assurance Service
MAS (UAC)	Maastricht Upper Area Control Centre
MASAW	Minimum Safe Altitude Warning
MASOR	Military Area Services Operations Room
MASP	Minimum Aviation Specification Performance
MASPS	Minimum Aircraft System Performance Specification (ICAO) ; Minimum Aviation System Performance Standards
MASS	Multi-Aircraft Simplified Simulator
MASS	Multi Aircraft Simplified Simulator
MAST	Multi-Aircraft Simulation Terminal
MAST 4	4 States Integration and Maastricht Development Steering Group
MAT	Mackinnon Aerospace and Training
MAT	Message Acknowledge Time
MATCC	Military ATC Centre
MATD	Minimum Approach-to-terrain Distance
MATE	Multi-Aircraft Training Environment
MATIAS	Magyar (Hungarian) Automated and Integrated Air Traffic Control System
MATO	Military Air Traffic Operations
MATOS	Modélisation et Allocation de Tâches entre Opérateur et Système (FR)
MATRAC	Military Air Traffic Radar Control Centre
MATS	Manual of Air Traffic Services
MATSE	Meeting (of ECAC Transport Ministers) on the Air Traffic System in Europe
MATWP	Missed Approach Turning Waypoint
MAV	Medium Access Control
MAWP	Missed Approach Waypoint
MAZ	Mini ASCAP-ZKSD Coupling
MB	Megabyte
Mb	Milibars

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M

MB	MariBor
MBB	Messerschmitt, Bölkow and Blöhm (DE)
MB-II	Multibus II (RMCDE)
MBO	Management by Objectives
Mbps	Mega Bits per second
MBR	Mittel-Bereich radar
MBS	Mobile Broadcast Services
MC	Main Computer
MC	Monaco (ISO Countries Code)
MCA	Minimum Crossing Altitude
MCC	Main Computer Complex (Maastricht)
MCC	Mission Control Centre
MCC	Military Control Centre
MCDU	Maintenance and Control Display Unit
MCDU	Multi-Function Control and Display Unit
MCDU	Multi-purpose Control and Display Unit (ACARS)
MCE	Management Centre Europe (seminars/courses)
MCF	Manning Calculation Formula
MCG	Maastricht Co-ordination Group
MCG	Minimum Climb Gradient
MCH	Modified Cooper-Harper rating scale for system workload assessment
MCI	Mobile Communication Infrastructure
MCI	Mobile Communication Infrastructure
MCMG	Military Committee Meteorological Group
MCP	Management Control Point *
MCP	Mode Control Panel
MCS	Multi-Aircraft Cockpit Simulator
MCS	Monitoring and Control System
MCS	Master Control Station *
MCSG	Military Committee Staff Group
MCT	Maastricht Co-ordination Team
MCTR	Military CTR
MCU	Main CWP-Unit
MD	Moldova (ISO 2 characters Country Code)
md	Man Day
MDA/H	Minimum Descent Altitude/Height
MDD	Meteorological Data Distribution (function)
MDF	Main Distribution Frame
MDI	Minimum Departure Interval (CFMU)
MDI	Manage Document Inputs
MDI	Multiple Document Interface
MDNS	Managed Data Network Service
MDP	MADAP Data Processor



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M

MDP	Maastricht Development Plan
MDS	Minimum Detectable Signal
MDS	Management Document Storage
MDT	Mean Down Time
MEA	Minimum En-route Altitude (ICAO)
MEB	Main Earthing Bar
MECA	Model for the Economical evaluation of the Capacities of the ATM system
MECO	Main Engine Cutoff
MECU	Millions of ECU
MEDICIS	Mécanisme d'Echange et de Diffusion d'Information Cartes Inter Systèmes (FR)
MEDLL	Multipath Delay Lock Loop
MEDUP	Mediterranean Update Programme
MEDUP	Mediterranean Upgrade Programme
MEF	Minimum Essential Facilities
MEFISTO	Modelling, Evaluating and Formalising Interactive Systems using Tasks and Interaction Objectives
MEG	Magnetoencephalography
MEL	Minimum En-route Level
MEMPAC	CBT on Memory, Perception, Cognition and Attention *
MEO	Medium Earth Orbit
MERISE	Méthodes Eprouvées de Ralentissement Important et Significatif des Etudes(FR)
MES	Mobile Earth Station
MET	Meteorological or request METAR
MET	Meteorological (office) / Services Météorologiques pour la navigation aérienne(FR)
MET/AIS	Meteorological and Aeronautical Information processing System
MET/TF	Task Force on the Allocation of Meteorological Costs to Civil Aviation Users
METAR	Meteorological Aerodrome Report
METARS	Meteorological Aviation Routine Weather Reports / Actual Report
MEURO	Millions of EURO
MF	Multiplication Factor
MF	Metering Fix
MF	Medium Frequency *
MF	Manning Factor
MFA	Message Format Area
MFAL	Major Functional Areas List (ODS)
MFC	Multi-Frequency Coding (telephone system)
MFC/LB	Multi-Frequency Coding / Local Battery
MFC-R2	Multi Frequency Compelled - R2
MFDA	Military Flight Data Assistant
MFF	Mediterranean Free Flight
MFG	Manpower Focus Group
MFL	Military Flight List

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M

MFLOPS	Million Floating Point Operations per Second
MFPU	Mobile Field Processing Unit
MFS	Message from Shanwick
MFUR	Most Frequently Used route / Route la plus fréquemment utilisée (FR)
MGC	Main Graphics Controller
MGT	Management
MGV	Miss Generation Volume *
MHF	Medium High Frequency
MHS	Message Handling Services
MHT	Multi Hypothesis Technique
MHT	Multi Head Tracking
Mhz	Megahertz *
MIAT	Mission d'inspection administrative et technique (FR) / Administrative and Technical Inspection Committee (=ATIC)
MIB	Management Information Base *
MIC	Microphone (VCS)
MICA	Mode S Interrogator Code Allocation
MICAM	Military Code Allocation Method
MICoG	Mode S IC Co-ordination Group
MICUP	Méthode d'Interaction Constante des Unités Programmées (FR) / Computerized unit constant interaction method.
MID	Middle-East Region * (ICAO) / Moyen-Orient
MIDAS	Man-machine Integration Design analysis System
MIDS	Multi-Function Information Distribution System
MIF	MTI Improvement Factor
MIG	Mikojan - Gurevich
MIL	Military Organisations
MIL BD	Military Business Division (Eurocontrol)
MIL FS	Militärische Flugsicherung (DE)
MILATCC	Military Air Traffic Control Centre
MILE	Multiple Integrated Laser Engagement System
MIL-HDBK	Military Handbook
MILREP	Military Representation
MILSATCOM	Military Satellite Communications
MIL-STD	Military Standard
MIN	Message Identification Number
min	minutes
MINIPLN	Set of Flight plan related information provided by an FPPS to an ARTAS Unit, used for track labelling
MIO	Military Sector Input Operator
MIP	Multinational Information Production
MIPS	Million Instructions per Second
MIR	Master Inspection Record
MIRACULIX	Multi Interface Radarformat Calculator and User Line Information Exchange



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M

MIS	Manual Input Station
MIS	Management Information System
MIS	Management Information Service/Systems User *
MITRE	Massachusetts Institute for Technology, Research and Engineering
MIW	Message In Window
MK	The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
ML	Military
MLD	Military Liaison Division
MLDT	Mean Logistic Down Time
MLS	Microwave Landing System *
MLS	Microwave Landing System
MLT	Multi-Lateration
MM	Mental Model *
mm	Man-Month
mm	Millimetre
MM	Middle Marker *
MMC	Multimedia Computer *
mmHg	Millimeters of mercury (a unit of pressure)
MMI	Man-Machine Interface. See HMI
MMIL	Martin-Marietta International Link
MMOC	Martin-Marietta Overseas Corporation
MMPI	Minnesota Multi-phasic Personality Inventory
MMR	Multi-Mode Receiver *
MNC	Major NATO Commander
MNCC	Multinational Coordination Centre
MNPS	Minimum Navigation Performance Specification
MNPSA	Minimum Navigation Performance Specification Airspace *
MNS	Mobile Network Services
MNT	Mach Number Technique *
MNWG	Multi-national Working Group
MOA	Memorandum of Agreement
MOB	Mobile
MoC	Memorandum of Co-operation
MOC	Minimum Obstacle Clearance
MOCBITE	Maastricht Operational Computer Based Information, Training and Examination System
MOD	Ministry of Defence
MODCOND	ATFM Exceptional Condition Modification Message
MODE C	Altitude Reporting Mode of Secondary Radar (ICAO)
Mode S	Mode Select *
Mode S-SG	Sub-Group for the initial implementation of Mode S Enhanced Surveillance
MODREG	ATFM Regulation Modification Message
MOF	Mode of Flight *



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M

MoF	Minister of Finance
MOFL	Longitudinal Mode of Flight
MOFR	Mode S FDPS Requirements
MOFT	Transversal Mode of Flight
MOFV	Vertical Mode of Flight
MON	Centre of Expertise Monitoring
MONA	Monitoring Aids*
MONA User	Monitoring Aids User *
MOPS	Minimum Operational Performance Standards (Specifications) / FAA
MOPS	Minimum Operational Performance Specifications
MOR	Military Operational Requirements
MORS	Mandatory Occurrence Reporting Scheme
MOS	Minimum Operating Strip
MOSD	Mission, Objectives and Strategy Document
MOT	Ministry of Transport
MOT&E	Multinational Operational Testing and Evaluation
MOTNE	Meteorological Operational Telecommunications Network Europe
MOU, MoU	Memorandum of Understanding
MOUSES, MOUSES TF	Mode S Operational Use of Enhanced Surveillance Task Force
MOW	Message Out Window
MOX (-B)	Maastricht Operational Telephone Exchange (version B)
MP	Manpower Planning *
MP	Mental Picture *
Mp	Microprocessor
MP	Maintenance Plan
MPA	MOF Performance Analysis
MPA	Maritime Patrol aircraft
MPA	Military Planning Assistant
MPC	Message Processing Centre
MPC	Military Planning Controller
MPDR	Medium Powered Doppler Radar
MPEG	Moving Pictures Expert Group
MPL	Mini Flight Plan
MPLS	Multi-Protocol Label Switching
MPO	Management Project Office
MPO	Maastricht Project Office
MPR	Medium Powered Radar
MPR	Swedish National Board for Measurement and Testing
MPRT	Menu Preview Response Time
MPs	Manpower Planners
MPS	Minimum Performance Specification
MPS / MPSG	Manpower Planning Sub-Group

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M

MP-SEC	Management Planning System Evaluation and Control
MPT	Minimum Performance Transponder
MPX	Multiplex (Transmission)
MRA	Military Reserved Airspace
MRA	Mandatory Route Activation/Cancellation/Modification Message
MRC	Monitoring and Remote Control
MRC	Military Radar Controller
MRCA	Multirole Combat Aircraft
MRDP	Multi Radar Data Processing
MRDPS	Multi Radar Data Processing System
MRDV	Multi Radar Daten Verarbeitung / Multi-Radar Processing System
MRI	Master Record Index (MAS - ODS)
MRI	Magnetic Resonance Imaging
MRK	Marker (RLB)
MRL	Minimum Risk Level
MRM	Minimum Required Manoeuvre (OCD)
MRRP	Minimum Risk Routing Point
MRS	Monitoring and Ranging Stations
MRSA	Mandatory Radar Service Area
MRT	Mean Response Time
MRT	Monitoring R/T, an ACM service message
MRT	Multi Radar Tracking
MRTS	Multi Radar Tracker and Server (System)
MRT-VU	Multi Radar Tracking using Variable Update *
MRU	Projekt Marknadsföring Rekrytering Urval och Utbildning (SE) / Project for marketing, recruitment, selection and training for ATCO students, in Sweden
MRVA	Minimum Radar Vectoring Altitude
ms	millisecond
MS	Microsoft
MS TF	Mode S System Task Force
MSA	Minimum Sector Altitude
MSAS	MTSAT Satellite Based Augmentation System *
MSAW	Minimum Safe Altitude Warning
MSB	Most Significant Bit
MSC	Maastricht Steering Committee
MSC	Meteorological Services Communication
MSC	Miscellaneous Simulation Facility
MS-DTS	Medium Speed-Data Transmission System
MSF	Master Simulation Facility
MSG	Manpower Sub-Programme (HRS)
MSG	Manpower Sub-Group
MSG	Message
MSGDLP	Mode S Ground Data Link Processor



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M

MSK	Minimum Shift Keying
MSL	Mean Sea Level
MSP	Mode S Specific Protocol *
MSP	Multi-sector planning
MSRT	Mean Services Restoration Time
MSS	Message Storage System
MSS	Maintenance and Support Services
MSSA	Message Switching System
MSSR	Monopulse Secondary Surveillance Radar
MST	Multiple Sensor Tracking
MSTU	Multiple Stagger Trigger Unit
MSU	Management Storage Unit
MSUP	Military SUPervisor
MT	Malta (ISO 2 characters country Code)
MTA	Military Training Area
MTA	Message Transfer Agent
MTAC	Multiple Time Around Clutter
MTAT	Multiple Time Around Targets
MTBCF	Mean Time Between Critical Failures
MTBF	Mean Time Between Failure
MTBR	Mean Time Between Removals
MTCA	Medium Term Conflict Alert / Assistance (ODID)
MTCD	Medium Term Conflict Detection
MTCDR	Medium-Term Conflict Detection and Resolution
MTCEP	(Short) & Medium Term Capacity Enhancement Plan
MTD	Moving Target Detection *
MTD	Mean Down Time
MTD	Micro Tabular Display
MTF	Modulation Transfer Function
MTI	Moving Target Indicator *
MTMA	Major TMA
MTN	Mega Transport Network
MTOM	Maximum Take-Off Mass
MTOW	Maximum Take-Off Weight
MTP	Medium Term Plan
MTPA	Mobile Transponder Performance Analyser
Mtraq	Multi track quality (RADNET)
MTS	Memory Time Switch (ACS)
MTS	Manoeuvrable Target Simulator
MTSAT	Multi-Functional Transport Satellite *
MTTF	Mean Time To Failure
MTTR	Mean Time To Recover
MTTR	Mean Time To Repair/Restore (CBN - CNG)



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M

MTTRlru	Mean Time to repair LRU
MTTRp	Mean Time to repair product
MTTRsru	Mean Time to repair SRU
MTU	Master Trigger Unit
MU	Management Unit (ACARS)
MUAC	Maastricht UAC (Upper Area Control Centre)
MUDPIE	Multiple User Data Processing Interactive Environment
MURATREC	Multi Radar Trajectory Reconstruction (System) *
MUSAC	Multiple Switching and Confirming (VCS)
MUT	Mean Up Time
MUX	Multiplex
MVE	Move (RLB)
mW	Milliwatt
MW	Megawatt
mw	Man Week
MW	Microwave link
MWA	Message Warning Area
MWO	Meteorological Watch Office
MWP	Meteorological Working Position (CFMU)
MWT(A)	Mean Waiting Time, Administrative
MWW	Upper Wind and Temperature Forecast (message)
MXCOP	MADAP Exit Co-ordination Point
MXFL	MADAP Exit Flight Level

N

N	Neper
n	Symbol for nano- (10-9)
N/A	Not Applicable
N/C	Not Comparable
NABS	National Augmentation Broadcast System
NAC	North Atlantic Council
NACMA	NATO Agency for Air Command and Control System Management
NADC	NATO Air Defence Committee
NADGE	NATO Air Defence Ground Environment
NADIN	National Airspace Data Interchange Network (US)
NAEW & C	NATO Airborne Early Warnings (and Control)
NAFTA	North American Free Trade Agreement (Canada, US, Mexico)
NAGU	Notice Advisory to GLONASS Users
NAI	Non Automated Initiation
NAIA	New Athens International Airport
NAIS	Norwegian Aeronautical Information System
NAK	Negative Acknowledgement (ICAO)
NALLA	National Long Lines Agency

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N

NAM	North America Region * (ICAO)
NAMC	National Airspace Management Cell
NAME	Nadge - ADMAR Message Exchange
NAMILCOM	NATO Military Committee
NAMSA	NATO Maintenance and Supply Agency
NAMSO	NATO Maintenance and Supply Organisation
NANU	Notice Advisory to NAVSTAR Users
NAP	National Associated Programmes
NAP	Noise Abatement Operating Procedure
NAR	North American Route System *
NARDS	Norwegian Automatic Dependent Surveillance
NARFA	National Radio Frequencies Agency
NARG	Navigation Aids and Area Navigation Group (ICAO - EANPG)
NARSIM	NLR ATC Research Simulator
NAS	Naval Air Station
NAS	National Airspace System (US)
NAS	Network Administration System (DAKOS, FFM / RAPNET - MAS UAC)
NASA	National Aeronautics and Space Administration (US)
NASA RTLX	NASA Raw Task Load indeX
NASA TLX	NASA Task Load indeX
NASC	National AIS Service Centre
NASPAC	National Airspace Performance Analysis Capability
NAS-Plan	National Airspace Plan
NAT	North Atlantic Region * (ICAO)
NAT ADS	North Atlantic Automatic Dependent Surveillance
NAT ATMG	North Atlantic Air Traffic Management *
NAT CADAG	North Atlantic Communications Automation and Data Link Applications Group *
NAT CMA	North Atlantic Region Central Monitoring Agency
NAT IMG	North Atlantic Implementation Management Group *
NAT MWG	North Atlantic Mathematicians Working Group *
NAT OPS	North Atlantic Operations Managers Meeting *
MNG	
NAT PCO	North Atlantic Programme Coordination Office (ICAO)
NAT RSSIG	North Atlantic Reduced Separation Standard Implementation Group *
NAT SPG	North Atlantic Systems Planning Group *
NAT VSIG	North Atlantic Vertical Separation and Implementation Group *
NAT NAM	North Atlantic / North America (ICAO Regions)
NATCON	North Atlantic Concept
NATINAD(S)	NATO Europe Integrated Air Defence (System)
NATMC	NATO Air Traffic Management Committee (former CEAC)
NATMC	National Airspace and Traffic Management Centre (Germany)
NATMC	NATO ATM Committee
NATN	(Swedish) National Aeronautical telecommunications Network

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NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organisation
NATS	National Air Traffic Services (UK)
NATS	National Air Traffic Services (UK)
NATSPG	North Atlantic Systems Planning Group (ICAO)
NAT-TFG	North Atlantic Air Traffic Forecasting Group *
NAV	Navigation (Eurocontrol EATMP Domain name)
NAV-1	Radar Data System (Portugal)
NAVAID	Navigation(al) Aid
NAVDB	Navigation Data Base
NAVIAIR	Flyvesikrinstjenesten (Danish Air Navigation Service Provider)
NAVSAT	Navigation(al) aid. See SAT
NAVSAT	Navigation Satellite
NAVSEP	Navigation and Separation Specialist Panel
NAVSTAR	Navigation Satellite Timing and Ranging System
NBA	Finnish CAA (SU)
NBAA	National Business Aviation Association
NC	Non-Conformance
NC	Normally Connected
NC	Non-Critical
NCAA	NATO Civil Aviation Authority
NCAA	Norwegian Civil Aviation Authority
NCAB	National Civil Aviation Board
NCAIC	National Civil Aviation Information Centre
NCCA	No Clearance to Civil Aircraft
NCIPD	National CIP Documents
NCMS	Network Channel Management Station
NCN	Non Compliance Notification
NCOP	Entry Coordination Point
NCS	Navigational Computer System
NCS	Network Communication System
NCS	Network Control System / Station (CBN - CNG)
NCW	Non Conformance Warning *
ND	Navigation Display
ND	Network Digit (CCITT X.121 Structure)
NDA	Non Disclosure Agreement
NDA	National Distribution Agency
NDA	Next Data Authority (ICAO)
NDB	Non-Directional Beacon *
NDE	Node Processor
NDI	Non Development Items
NDS	Nuclear Detection System
NDS	Non-Deviation Status
NE	North / East



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N

NEA	Nederlands Instituut voor Economische Argumentatie (NL)
NEAN	North European ADS-B Network
NEAP	North European Application Project
NECP	Entry Coordination Point (MADAP)
NEF	Noise Exposure Forecast
NEGATIVE RA	RA applying maximum vertical rate (eg don't descend > 500 ft/min)
NEI	Noise Exposure Index
NERC	New En-Route Control Centre (UK)
NERC System	New En-Route Centre System (UK)
NES	Navigation Ground Earth Stations
NET	Network Entity Title *
Net	Network
NET BD	Network Capacity Business Division (Eurocontrol - DAP Business Directorate)
NETCAP	Network Capacity (simulator)
NET-TF	Circuit Provisioning and Network Management Task Force
NEWETOT	New Estimated Take-Off Time
NEWREG	New ATFM Regulation Message
NEXCOM	Next-Generation Air/Ground Communications
NEXRAD	Next Generation Weather Radar
NF	Noise Figure
NFL	Entry Flight Level * (Re-Entrant Flight)
NFL	Nachrichten für Luftfahrer (DE) (= NOTAM)
NFLGB	Nachrichten für Luftfahrt Gerichte Beratung (DE) (AIS)
NFPPDS	National Flight Plan Processing System
NFR	Non-Functional Requirement
N-FRG	Northern Federal Republic of Germany
NFS	Network Filing System
NFT	Nominal Flight Trajectory
NGSS	Next Generation Satellite System
NHIP	Nordic Harmonisation and Integration Programme
NIC	Network Interface Cards
NIH	Noise Induced Hearing Loss
NIK	Nicky VOR
NIM	Navigational Integrity Monitoring (ICAO)
NIMA	National Imagery and Mapping Agency (of the US Department of Defence (DOD))
NINS-NILS	New Integrated Navigation System - New Integrated Landing System
NIT	Nordic Implementation Team
NL	the Netherlands
NL	Network Layer *
NLA	New Large Aircraft
NLC	Netherlands Aviation College (NL) / Nederlands Luchtvaart College
NLES	Navigation Land Earth Station

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N

NLM	Nederlandse Luchtvaart Maatschappij (NL)
NLR	Nationaal Lucht- en Ruimtevaartlaboratorium
NLR	Nederlands Lucht- en Ruimtevaart Laboratorium (NL) / National Aerospace Laboratory
NLT	Not Later Than
NM	North Marker
NM	Negotiation Manager (PATs)
nm, NM	Nautical Mile * (1.852 m)
NMAC	Near Mid-Air Collision
NMC	Network Management Centre (RAPNET / MAS UAC / DAKOS)
NME/ad hoc	Ad Hoc Working Group of National Management Experts
NMIL	Nieuw Milligen
NMR	National Military Representative
NMS	Network Management System / Switch
NNCOP	New Node Change-Over Protocol
NNI	Network to Network Interface
NO	Norway (ISO Country Code)
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration *
NOAA	New Optimised Approach for ATSM Workshop (CFMU)
NOC	Network Operation Centre
NODE	NATS' Operational Display Equipment
NOF	NOTAM Office
NOG	Northern Telecom Network Operator's Group (CNG - CBN)
NOG OA&M	NOG Operations, Administration & Maintenance Subgroup (CNG - CBN)
NOG-FSG	NOG Features Subgroup (CNG - CBN)
NOKIA	Nokia Corporation
NOMAS	NOTAM Management System (NL)
NOPT	No Procedure Turn required
NORAC	No Radio Contact
NOS	Network Operating System
NOTAM	Notice to Airmen *
NOTAMC	NOTAM to cancel
NOTAMN	New NOTAM
NOTAMR	NOTAM to replace
NP	Network Protocol
NPA	Non Precision Approach *
NPDU	Network Protocol Data Unit (RMCDE)
NPL	Night Plan
NPO	Scientific Production Organisation [Russian]
NPO KIP	[Russian]. Scientific Production Organisation * ; Scientific Production Institute of Space Device Building
NPO PM	[Russian]. NPO Prikladnoi Mekhaniki (RU) / Scientific Production Institute for Applied Mechanics
NPRM	Notice of Proposed Rule Making

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NPV	Non-Precision Approach procedure with Vertical Guidance
NPV	Net Present Value
NR	Noise Rating
Nr.	Number
NRC	National Research Council
NRF	NATS Research Facility
NRL	(US) Naval Research Laboratory
NRP	North Reference Pulse
NRZ	Non Return to Zero (RMCDE)
NRZI	Non Return to Zero Inverted (RMCDE)
ns	Nanosecond *
NS	Navigation Separation
NS	Next Sector
NSAP	Network Service Access Point *
NSC	New Scottish Center
NSC	Notice to Airmen Selection Criteria *
NSD	Navigational Status Display
NSDU	Network Service Data Unit
NSE	Navigation System Error *
NSM	Network System (Sensor) Management
NSSG	Navigation and Separation Sub-Group
NSSR	Next/New Secondary Surveillance Radar Code (MADAP)
NSTB	National Satellite Test Bed
NSVN	NATO Secure Voice Network
NSWC	Naval Surface Warfare Centre
NT	Microsoft Windows NT Operating System
NT	Northern Telecom (RMCDE)
NTA	No Traffic Accepted Message
NTACNL	No Traffic Accepted Cancellation Message
NTAMOD	No Traffic Accepted Modification Message
NTE	Not to exceed
NTM F/T SIM	Nattenheim Fast Time Simulation
NTN	Network Terminal Number (CCITT X.121 Structure)
NTR	New Task Request
NTR/ADD	New Task Request/ADD
NTR/SRD	New Task Request/SRD
NTR/TL.ADD	New Task Request/Top Level ADD and ICD
NTRY	Entry *
NTSB	National Transportation Safety Board (US)
NTT	NERC Transition Team
NUA	Network User Address
NUDET	Nuclear Detection
NUP	North European ADS-B Network (NEAN) Update Programme



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NUP	NEAN (North European ADS-B Network) Upgrade Programme
NW	North / West
NXRPT	Next Reporting Point
NXT	Next

O

O	Oceanic
OAC	Oceanic Area Control Centre
OACA	Office of Airports and Civil Aviation / Office des Aéroports et de l'Aviation Civile
OACC	Oceanic Area Control Centre
OACI	Organisation de l'Aviation Civile Internationale / International Civil Aviation Organisation (= ICAO)
OACI	Organisation de l'Aviation Civile Internationale (ICAO)
OAG	Official Airlines Guide (CFMU)
OAS	Oceanic Automation System (ICAO - ADS)
OASIS	Operational Application of Special Intelligence Systems
OASIS	Open ATC System Integration Strategy (OCD)
OASIS	Open Architecture for Simulation Systems
OASIS	Oceanic Area System Improvement Study
OASYS	Obstacle Avoidance System
OAT	Operational Air Traffic *
OB	Off-Bore Sight Angle *
Obj.	Objective in CIP
OB	Obnova Radiolomunikaci (YU) / Renewal of Air-Ground Communications
OBS	OBservation Status
OBS	Organisational Breakdown Structure *
OBT	Off Block Time
OC	Object Correlator *
OCA	Oceanic Control Area
OCA/H	Obstacle Clearance Altitude/Height
OCAP	Out of Control Action Plan
OCD	Operational Concept Document
OCDE	Organisation de Coopération et de Développement économiques (FR)
OCIC	Operations Control Incident Centre
OCL	Obstacle Clearance Limit (ICAO)
OCL	Oceanic CLEarance delivery
OCM	Oceanic Clearance Message
OCP	Operational Computer Programme
OPC	Obstacle Clearance Panel
OCR	Operational and Certification Requirements
OCR	Optical Character Recognition
OCR TF	Operational and Certification Requirements Task Force
OCS	Operational Control Segment

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OCT	Onward Clearance Time
OCT	Operational Control Terminal (VCS)
OCTF	Operation Concept Task Force
OCU	Operational Conversion Unit
OCV	Operational Coverage Volume *
OCX	New Object similar to VBX
OD	Organisation and Development (Unit attached to the Director General)
ODA	Open Document Architecture
ODAPS	Oceanic Display And Planning System *
ODC	Office of Defence Cooperation
ODETE	On-line Data Exchange Terminal
ODF	Oceanic Development Facility (ICAO)
ODIAC, ODIAC-TF	Operational Development of Initial Air/Ground Data Communications Services
ODID	Operational Display and Input Development
ODIF	Open Document Interchange Format
ODIN	(Swedish) Briefing System (AIS)
ODP	ATM Operational Requirements & Data Processing
ODP	Open Distributed Processing
ODS	Operational Display System (ESCO)
ODS	Operator input and Display System / Système d'entrée en machine et d'affichage (FR)
ODT	Operational Requirements and ATM Data Processing Team
ODU	Output Distribution Unit
OEC	Organe Exécutif Central (CFMU) / Central Executive Unit (=CEU)
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (= OCDE)
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OEC-Est	Organe Exécutif Central pour l'Europe Orientale (FR) (CFMU) / Central Executive Unit East (=CEU-E)
OEC-Ouest	Organe Exécutif Central pour l'Europe Occidentale (FR) (CFMU) / Central Executive Unit West (=CEU-W)
OEM	Original Equipment Manufacturer
OFAC	Office Fédéral de l'Aviation Civile (CH) / Federal Office for Civil Aviation (=FOCA)
OFFPDR	Off Predetermined Route
OFIR	Oceanic FIR
OFIS	Operational Flight Information System
OFL	Off-Line *
OFS	Ordered Field Sequencing (ASTERIX)
OGM	Objectives > Goals > Mission
OH	Operational Handbook
OHA	Operational Hazard Assessment
OHP	Over Head Projector
OHTF	Operational Harmonisation Task Force
OI	Operational Improvement

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OI	Operational Improvement
OIDS	Operational Information Display System
OIS	Obstacle Identification Surface
OIT	Organisation Internationale du Travail (=ILO)
OJCT	On-the-Job Conversion Training
OJT	On-the-Job Training *
OJTI	On-the-Job-Training Instructor *
OL	Operating Location
OLDI	On-Line Data Interchange
OLDI	On-Line Data Interchange (automation in ATC)
OLDINA	OLNO, Diekirch, Nattenheim (Nattenheim area)
OLDISP	OLDI Specialist Panel
OLEVAT	On Line Exercise of Validation of Aircraft Trajectories
OLR	Off Load Route
OLRA	Off-Load Route Activation Message
OLRCNL	Off-Load Route Cancellation Message
OLRMOD	Off-Load Route Modification Message
OLS	Off Line System
OM	Ministerial Order
OM	Outer Marker *
OMC	Operational Monitoring Complex ; Operational Monitoring Cell (ACAS, AIG Sub-group)
OMD	Operational Management Domain
OMG	Object Management Group
OMG	Operational Monitoring Group (ACAS)
OMI	Organisation Maritime Internationale (FR) / International Maritime Organisation (=IMO)
OMM	Organisation Météorologique Mondiale (FR) / World Meteorological Organisation (=WMO)
OMT	Object Modelling Technique
ONL	On-Line *
ONP	Open Network Provision (Telecommunications)
OOA	Object Oriented Analysis
OOD	Object Oriented Design
OODBMS	Object-Oriented Database Management System
OOOI	Out (Departure Block Time)-Off (Take-off)-On (Landing)-In (Arrival Block time)
OOP	Object Oriented Programming
OOP	Operational Outline Programme
OOR	Outline Operational Requirement
OP	Operational (issues)
OP	Organisational Productivity
OPADD	Operating Procedures for AIS Dynamic Data (EATCHIP)
OPAL	Optimisation Platform for Airports, including Landside
OPAT	Office des Ports Aériens de Tunisie (FR) / Tunisian Office of Airports

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OPB	Outer Performance Boundary (Tunnel Concept) *
OPC	Operational Communications
OPD	Operational Procedures Document (EAD)
OPLAN	Operational Plan
OPLINK	Operational Data Link (Panel)
OPM	Operational Position Management
OPM	Office of Personnel Management
OPMET	Operational Meteo
OPN	Operational Planning Notes (MADAP-KARLDAP)
OPNET	Operational Network for ATS and System Management (Switzerland)
OPR	ATM Operational Requirements (EATCHIP Domain) ; ATM Working Rules and Operational Requirements
OPS	Operational Services, Centre of Expertise EEC
OPS	Operations
OPSEC	Operational Security
OPSP	Operations Panel
OPSroom	Operations Room
OQPSK	Offset Quadrature Phase Shift Keying
OR	Operational Requirement
ORA	Operational Research and Analysis Group
ORB	Object Request Broker
ORCAM	Originating Region Code Assignment Method
ORD	Operational Requirements Document (EATMS)
ORM	Operational Reply Message (CFMU)
ORMAQ	Operation Room Management Attitudes Questionnaire
ORQ	D-OTIS Request Message
ORs	Operational Requirements *
ORSG	Operational Requirements Sub-Group
ORTF	Operational Requirements Task Force
OS	Operating System
OSC	Operations Steering Committee
OSCAR	Orbiting Satellite Carrying Amateur Radio
OSD	Operational Scenarios Document
OSED	Operational Service and Environment Description
OSF	Open System (Software) Foundation
OSF	Open System Foundation
OSG	Operational Services Group (MAS)
OSI	Open Systems Interconnection *
OSIE	OSI Environment
OST	Operational Support Traffic
OSV	Officier de Sécurité des Vols
OTAN	Organisation du Traité de l'Atlantique Nord (FR) (= NATO)
OTD	D-OTIS Delivery Message



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OTD	Operational Target Date
OTD	Other Training Device *
OTF	Operational Task Force
OTF	Operational, Technical and Financial Working Group
OTF (VHF-OTF)	Operational VHF Task Force
OTF/BFWG	Combined Operational, Technical/Budgetary & Financial Working Group
O-TGS	ODS - Target Generation System
OTH (R)	Over The Horizon (Radar)
OTP	Overall Test Plan
OTR	Operational Turn Around
OTS	Off-The-Shelf
OTS	Oceanic Track System
OTS	Organised Track System
OTSG	Operational Training and Selection Group
OTSG	Operational Training and Selection Group
OTT	D_OTIS Termination Message
OTV	Orbital Transfer Vehicle
OUMSESTF	Operational Use of Mode S Enhanced Surveillance Task Force
OUNS	Operational Navigation System
OURASIE	Ourasie Toolkit, software X-windows toolkit built above Xt Intrinsics layer (CENA in-house product)
Own	TCAS II equipped aircraft - source of TCAS event

P

P	Process Log
P	Prefix (CCITT X.121 Structure)
P	Prohibited Area
P&H	Press and Hold (mouse)
P,R,D Area	Prohibited, Restricted, or Danger Area
P.ACCs	Pairs of ACCs
p.t.t	Push-to-Talk
PA	Provisional Acceptance
PA	Precision Approach *
PA	Participating Area
PAA	Plot Accuracy Analysis *
PABX	Private Automatic Branch eXchange
PAC	Pacific Region * (ICAO)
PAC	Preliminary Activation message (OLDI)
PAD	Packet Assembler Disassembler
PÄD	Problemmeldungs- und ÄnderungsDienst (non-conformance reporting & change system)
PADIS	Passenger and Airport Data Interchange Standards
PAK	Pilot Acknowledgement (service)

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PALLAS	Phased Automation of the Hellenic ATC System (new Greek ATC System)
PAM	Program for Analysis of MADAP
PAM	Pilot Acknowledgement Message
PAMCS	Panel on Air Space Management and Control Systems
PAMPLAY	PAM rePLAY system
PAMS	Published AIP Management System
PANS	Procedures for Air Navigation Services *
PANS-ABC	Procedures for Air Navigation Services - ICAO Abbreviations and Codes (ICAO Doc. 8400)
PANS-ATM	Procedures for Air Navigation Services - Air Traffic Management (ICAO Doc 4444)
PANS-OPS	Procedures for Air Navigation Services * – Aircraft Operations
PANS-OPS/I	Procedures for Air Navigation Services - Aircraft Operations - Flight Procedures (ICAO Doc. 8168/I)
PANS-OPS/II	Procedures for Air Navigation Services - Aircraft Operations - Construction of Visual & Instrument Flight Procedures (ICAO Doc. 8168/II)
PANS-RAC	Procedures for Air Navigation Services – Rules of the Air and Air Traffic Services
PAPI	Precision Approach Path Indicator
PAQ	Position Analysis Questionnaire *
PAR	Planning, Analysis and Reporting
PAR	Precision Approach Radar
PARADISE	Prototype of an Adaptable and Reconfigurable ATM Demonstration and Integration Simulator Environment
PARI	Precursor, Action, Result, Interpretation
PARI method	Precursor, Action, Result, Interpretation Method *
PARR	Problem Analysis, Resolution and Ranking
PARZOC	Parabolic Approximation of Aircraft Performance for use in a ZOC
PAT	Provisional Acceptance Testing (CNG - CBN)
PATA	Polish Air Traffic Agency
PATCG	PHARE Advanced Tools Co-ordination Group
PATCHWORK	Polish ATC Harmonisation Work programme (EAS)
PATCO	Professional Air Traffic Controllers Association (US)
PATN	PHARE experimental Aeronautical Telecommunication Network
PATROCLOS	Peripheral Airports Terminal Radars, ODS and Centrally Linked Operations System
PATs	PHARE Advanced Tools
PATs	PHARE Advanced Tools
PATWAS	Pilot Automatic Telephone Weather Answering Service
PAU	Primary Authorised User
PAX	Passengers
PB	Project Board
PBE	Peripheral Bus Extender (CBN - CNG)
PBL	Problem-Based Learning
PBRA	Plot Based Resolution Analysis
PBX	Private Branch eXchange



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P

PC	Planning Controller ; Provisional Council (Eurocontrol)
PC	Personal Computer
PC	Provisional Council (EUROCONTROL)
PCA	Physical Configuration Audit
PCA	Prior Co-ordination Airspace (Eurocontrol, FUA)
PCB	Printed Circuit Board
PCC	Project Co-ordinating Committee (PETAL)
PCC	Peripheral Computer Complex
PCC	Planning Co-ordination Controller
PCC	Polygone Co-ordination Centre
PCCB	Program Change Control Board (FPPS/DECADE)
PCD	Personal and Career Development *
PCD	Probability of Code Detection
PCD	Planning Controller Display
PCFL	Preferred Cruise Flight Level
P-channel	Packet Mode Channel *
PCI	Permanent Commission for Investigation (on ATS incidents) ; Permanent Committee of Inquiry
PCI	Protocol Control Information *
PCIP	Pilot Conversion and Implementation Plan
PCL	Pending and Coast List
PCL	Procedure Changeover Lines (IFF)
PCM	Pulse Code Modulation
PCM	Planning Co-ordination Message
PCMP	Project Configuration Management Plan (MAS - ODS)
PCMT	Plan Commun à Moyen Terme / Common Medium-Term Plan (=CMTP)
PCN	Pavement Classification Number
P-Code	Precise/Protected Code *
PCP	Project Control Plan
PCPU	PCM Central Processing Unit (VCS)
PCR	Periodic Contract Request (ICAO)
PCR	Post Conference Report
PCR	Problem Change Request
PCS	Process Control System *
PCT	Planning Control Theory
PCV	Probability of Code Validation
PCX	A window compatible BIT format
PD	PHARE Demonstration
PD	Pointing Device
PD	Plan Display
Pd, Pdet	Probability of detection *
PD/1	PHARE Demonstration 1
PD/1+	PHARE Demonstration 1+

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PD/1++	PHARE Demonstration 1++
PD/2	PHARE Demonstration 2
PD/2+	PHARE Demonstration 2+
PD/3	PHARE Demonstration 3
PDA	Plot Detection Analysis *
PDA	Planning Co-ordination Message Display Area
PDC	Peripheral Device Controller
PDC	Pre-Departure Clearance (message)
PDC	Private Data Channel
PD-Channel	Packet Data Channel *
PDES	Pulse Doppler Elevator Scan
PDF	Portable Data Format
PDF	Percentage of Delayed Flights * (Delay Parameter Abbreviations)
PDG	Procedure Design Gradient
PDL	Persistent Data Library
PDME	Precision Distance Measuring Equipment
PDN	Public Data Network *
PDOP	Position Dilution of Precision *
PDP	Polar Diagram Plotter
PDR	Pre-Determined Route
PDR	Preliminary Design Review
PDRP	Problem Detection and Resolution
PDS	Programme Development System
PDTWG	Plot Data Transmission Working Group
PDU	Power Distribution Unit
PDU	Protocol Data Unit * (RMCDE)
PE	Protected Earth
PE	Processor Element (CBN - CNG)
PE	Process Engineering
PE 90	Parameters of Earth, 1990. Russian Geodetic System
PEA	Parameter and Environment Assembler
PECO	Pays d'Europe Centrale et Orientale (FR)
PEGASUS	Pan-European Ground/Air Singl Unified ATM System
PEL	Planned Entry Level (to a sector or volume of airspace) (ODID)
PELA	Proficiency test in English Language for ATCOs *
PEM	Phone Emergency Module
PENS	Pan-European Fixed Network Service
PENV	Professional Environment
PEP	Performance Engineering Programme (long-term scientific studies)
PER	Packet Encoding Rules
PERT	Programme Evaluation and Review Technique
PES	Proposed Eurocontrol Standard Document
PETAL	Preliminary Eurocontrol Tests of Air/Ground data Link

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P

PEX	PHIGS Extended X-Windows System
PF	Pilot Flying
PFA, Pfa	Probability of False Alarm *
pFAST	passive Final Approach Spacing Tool
PFD	Primary Flight Display
PFD	Planned Flight Data (CFMU - CASA)
PFD	Probability of Failure Detection
PFE	Path Following Error *
PFI	Private Finance Initiative
PFL	Planned Flight Level
PFLext	Probability of Failure/Fault Localisation, external
PFLint	Probability of Fault Localisation, internal
PFM	Pre-Flight Messages (EW)
PFN	Pulse-Forming-Network
PFR	Probability of Failure Repair
PGMP	Pilot Group on ATCO Manpower Planning
PHA	Preliminary Hazard Analysis
PHARE	Poland, Hungary Aid for Restructuring of the Economy (European Commission)
PHARE	Programme for Harmonised Air Traffic Management and Research in Eurocontrol * ; Programmed for Harmonised Research in Europe / Programme de recherche harmonisée de l'Organisation Eurocontrol en matière de gestion de la circulation aérienne (FR)
PHAROS	Plan Handling and Radar Operating System (NL - Military)
PHIDIAS	Position Harmonisant et Intégrant des Dialogues Intéractifs (FR) / Harmonizing and Interactive Dialogue Integrating Position
PHIGS	Programmer's Hierarchical Interactive Graphics System
PI	Peripheral Interface (CBN - CNG)
PI	Procedure Turn to Intercept (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
PI	Performance Indicator
PIAC	Peak Instantaneous Aircraft Count
PIB	Produit Intérieur Brut (FR)
PIB	Policy Information Base *
PIB	Pre-flight Information Bulletin (EAD)
PICASSO	Control, Analysis and Monitoring of the Spanish Air Navigation System. Statistical application
PID	Pilot Information Downlink (service)
PIM	Programme Implementation Management
PIP	Plug In Panel
PIP	Product Improvement Package
PIREP	Pilot Report (ICAO)
PIRG	Planning and Implementation Regional Groups (ICAO, al)
PIU	Parent IFPS Unit
PKI	Public Key Infrastructure
PL	Poland

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P

PL	Pseudolite *
PLANE	Platform for Logistics and Aviation Networks in Europe
PLAN0	Procedures Linked to Abating Noisy Operations (ANCAT TF)
PLATON	new RDPS
PLB	Personal Locator Beacon
PLC	Planning Controller (also known as Coordinator)
PLL	Phase Locked Loop *
PLMN	Public Land Mobile Network
PLN	Flight Plan Conformance (new name is FLIPCY)
PLP	Packet Layer Protocol *
PM	Progress Meeting
PM	Programme Management
PM/FL	Process Monitoring / Fault Location
PMB	Project Management Bureau
PMB	Programme Management Board
PMC	Project Management Cell
PMCG	Preliminary Maastricht Co-ordination Group
PMCS	Performance Management Computer System
PMCT	People Management Core Team
PMD	Pre-warning Message for Departure
PME	Pre-warning Message Entry
PMO	Pre-warning Message OAT
PMP	Project Management Plan
PMR Steering Committee	Planning Monitoring and Reporting Steering Committee
PMS	Performance Management / Monitoring System
PMT	Plan à Moyen Terme (MTP)
PMW	Project Management Workbench (IFPS)
PMX	Planning Message Exit
PNF	Pilot Not Flying
PNNI	Private Network Node Interface
PNO	Public Network Operator
PO	Principle of Operation
PoACCS	Portuguese Air Command and Control System
PoAF	Portuguese Air Force
POB	Persons On Board
POC	Point of Contact
POD	Port of Debarkation
POE	Port of Embarkation
POEMS	Pre-Operational (development) European Mode S Enhanced Surveillance
POEMS	Pre-Operational European Mode S Station / Station sol pré-opérationnelle du Mode S en Europe (FR)
POG	Point of Gaze

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P

POP	Point of Presence
POR	INMARSAT Pacific Ocean Region
POR	Pacific Ocean Region
PoR	Point of Risk *
POS	POSItion
Positive RA	RA applying minimum vertical rate (eg climb)
POSIX	Portable Operating System Interface for Computer Environments
PPC	Physical Protected Circuit
PPC	Policy Planning Committee
PPD	Aircrew Preferences Downlink (Service)
PPD	Pilot References Downlink
PPD	Plans and Policy Division
PPI	Plan Position Indicator *
PPI	Points Per Inch or points per inch
PPL	Private Pilot License
PPM	Pages per Minute
PPM	Programme Portfolio Management (EATM)
PPM	Pulse Position Modulation *
PPM/TF	Task Force on the Possible Pricing Mechanisms
PPS	Precision Positioning Service/System *
PPS, pps	Pulses Per Second
PPSN	Public Packet Switching Network
PQM	Project Quality Manager
PQP	Programme Quality Plan
PQP	Project Quality Plan
PR	Plot Reconstruction
PR	Problem Report
PR	Position Reporting
PR	Primary Radar *
PR	Pseudorange *
PR, PRI	Primary (radar or unit)
PR/PSR	Primary (Surveillance) Radar
PRA	Primary Rate Access
PRA	Plot Resolution Analysis *
PRAISE	Preparation for Research and Development in Support of EATMS programme
PRAISE	Preparation of Functional Concepts from EATMS Operational Requirements
PRC	EEC business area – support to performance review
PRC	Performance Review Commission (New Convention) ; Commission d'examen des performances (FR)
PRE	Previous Centre
PRE	Preview
preC	PreCouncil (= to replace CE)
Pre-OJT	Pre-On-the-Job Training *

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P

Pre-Simul	Pre-Simulation
PREVAIL	PReparation for EGNOS VAlidation In approach and Landing
PREVI	Data Processing system to support the forecast and regulation of the air traffic (FR)
PRF	Percentage of Regulated Flights(Delay Parameter Abbreviations)
PRF	Pulse Repetition Frequency * (or recurrence)
PRI	Primary Surveillance Radar
PRI	Pulse Repetition Interval *
PRIF	PROC Interface Tool
PRL	Pilot Request, Level (service)
PRM	Precision Runway Monitor
PRN	Pseudo Random Noise
PRN Code	Pseudo Random Noise Code *
P-RNAV	Precision Area Navigation
P-RNAV	Precision RNAV
ProATN	Prototype Aeronautical Telecommunications Network
PROC	Procurement (tool)
PRODAT	PROSAT Data Link Experiment
PROFI	Multinational Project Financing
PROM	Programmable Read Only Memory
PRORES	Problem Resolution
PROSAT	Program Satellite (European Space Agency)
PROSIT	Problem Situation
PROVE	Pre-operational Validation and Experimental Trials Platform
PROVE	European ATC Pre-Operational Validation and Experimental trials Platform
PRP	Pulse repetition Period
PRQ	Pilot Request (service)
PRR	Performance Review Report
PRR	Pilot Request, Route (service)
PRS	Picture Repetition Store
PRS	Performance Review System
PRSG	Performance Review Sub-Group
PRT	Preferences Tool
PRT	Processing Response Time (Eurocontrol)
PRU	Performance Review Unit (New Convention) / Bureau d'examen des performances
PS	Power Supply (ACS)
PS	Problem Solver (PATs)
PS	Position Symbol
PSA	Passive Slot Allocation
PSA	Primary Subject Area
PSA	Provisional Site Acceptance
PSAP	Presentation Service Access Point

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P

PSB	Parallel System Bus (RADNET)
PSC	Project Steering Committee
PSC	Project Safety Committee
PSC	Performance, Standard, Conditions
PSDN	Packet Switched Data Network *
PSDN	Public Switched Data Network
PSE	Project Safety Engineer
PSE	Primary Surveillance Equipment
PSG	Programme Steering Group
PSMC-Channel	Packet System Management and Control Channel*
PSMSL	Permanent Service for Mean Sea Level
PSN	Packet Switching Network
PSP	Primary Spare Part
PSPDN	Packet Switched Public Data Network
PSR	Primary Secondary Radar
PSR	Primary Surveillance Radar *
PSS1	Private Signalling System 1
PSSA	Preliminary System Safety Assessment
PSSR	Present Secondary Surveillance Radar -code- (MADAP)
PST	Pacific Standard Time
PST	Project Supervision Team (EATCHIP)
PSTF	Pension Scheme Task Force
PSTN	Packed Switched Telecommunication Network
PSTN	Public Switched Telephone Network
PSTN	Public Switched Telephone Network
PSV	Pilotage sans visibilité (FR)
PT	Point
PT	Portugal
PTE	POEMS Test Environment
PTN	Public Telephone Network
PTO	Public Telecom Operator
PTO	(National) Telecommunications Service Provider
PTO	Preferred Time Over
PTOT	Provisional Take Off Time (IFPS)
PTP	Part-Task Practice *
P-t-P / pt to pt	Point-to-Point
PTRMC	Prototype Team Resource Management Courseware
PTS	PointS (route points)
PTS	Pre-Training Screen (US)
PTSD	Post Traumatic Stress Disorder *
PTT	Part-Task Trainer *
PTT	Post, Telephone and Telegraph (BE new Belgacom). Push-To-Talk

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P

PTT	Push to Talk
PTT	(National) Telecommunications Service Provider
PTW	Project Team Work
PU	Processing Unit
PUB	Publications and Charts (AIS-TF)
PUMA	Performance Usability-Modelling of ATM
PV	Performance Verification
PV	Present Value
PVC	Permanent Virtual Circuit *
PVD	Plan View Display
PVT	GNSS Position Velocity Time
PWG	Pensions Working Group
PWP	Physical Working Position
PWP	Published Way Point (CFMU)
PWR	Power *
PYM	Payment Milestone
PZ	Portotroz (SI)
PZ 90	Parameters of Earth 1990

Q

Q	Quadrature Component (MTI)
Q	Atmospheric Pressure
Q&A	Question and Answer
Q.23	Signalling system for PABX
Q.SIG	ATS-Q.SIG - standard for ATC. G/G voice communications
Q23	ITU-T standard
QA	Quality Assurance *
QAP	Quality Assurance Plan
QAR	Quality Assurance Representative
QAR	Quality Assurance Representative (DECADE)
QC	Quality Control (DECADE)
QCM	Quality Control Manager
QDM	Magnetic Heading (ICAO)
QDR	Magnetic Bearing (ICAO)
QF	Quality Factor (CFMU)
QFE	Atmospheric Pressure at Aerodrome Elevation
QFE	Altimeter setting that will indicate aircraft's height above the airfield
QFU	Runway in use
QHN	Altimeter Sub-scale setting (RLD paper)
QinetiQ	Formerly known as the UK 'Defence Evaluation and Research Agency' (DERA)
QM	Quality Management or Quality Manager
QNE	Standard pressure altimeter setting (1013.2 hPa)



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Q

QNH	Atmospheric Pressure at Nautical Height ; Q-code designation for atmospheric pressure at mean sea level
QNH/QFE	Altimeter pressure settings
QoS	Quality of Service *
QP	Quality Plan (MAS/DFS - ODS)
QPSK	Quadrature Phase Shift Keying
QQ	Question
QRA	Who Are You
QRPS	Route Points Store (Static Data Bank)
QSIG	Q-Reference Point Signalling (PSS1)
QTA	Cancellation of Flight Message
QTC	Quick Transit Centre (Airports)
QTE	True bearing (ICAO)
QTG	Qualification Test Guide
QuestionAIR	Computer-based ATM questions bank *
QUIS	Questionnaire for User Interface Satisfaction
QWERTY	arrangement of keys on keyboard for English style
QWERTZ	arrangement of keys on keyboard for German style

R

R	En-Route *
R	Report
r	Rate of change (climb or descent)
R	Red
R	Romania
R	Restricted Area
R Team	Collection of air navigation charges under bilateral agreements with non-Contracting States
R&D	Research and Development
R/T	Radio Telephonic Transmission
R/T or RTF	Radio Telephony *
R+B	Range and Bearing line
R2	Eurocontrol Signalling Protocol
R2	European signalling standard (Voice communication)
R2	Signalling system used for telephone exchanges
RA	Radio Access
RA	Routine Area *
RA	Risk Analysis * (TCAS)
RA	Registration Authority
RA	Radio Astronomy
RA	Resolution Advisory * (ACAS)
RAA	Regional Airline Association
RAARR	Radar Arrival *
RAAS	Radar à synthèse d'ouverture (FR) / Synthetic-Aperture Radar (=SAR)



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R

RAAS	Regional Area Augmentation System
RAC	Resolution Advisory Complement *
RAC	RUHR Assistant Controller
RAC	Rules of the Air and Air Traffic Services * (ICAO)
RACE	Runway Capacity Enhancement
RACGAT	Russian-American Air Traffic Coordination Group
RAD	Requirements Application Document
RAD	Radar
RADAC	Radar Verification Equipment in Norway
RADAR	Radio Detecting and Ranging
RADEP	Radar Departure *
RADIN	Radar Data Interchange Network
RADIN	Radar Data Interface
RADNET	Radar Data Network (for interchange of radar data / Réseau intégré (pour échange de données radar) (FR)
RADVIEW	Radar Verification Equipment in Norway
RAE	Royal Aerospace Establishment
RAF	Reference ATN Facility (US/Eurocontrol common project for development of the CAERAF)
RAF	Royal Air Force
RAG	Range-Azimuth Gate Generator
RAI	Italian Aeronautical Certification Authority
RAID	Redundant Array of Inexpensive Disks
RAIM	Receiver Autonomous Integrity Monitoring *
RAM	Responsability Assignments Matrix *
RAM	Random Access Memory ; Reliability, Availability and Maintainability
RAMBO	Reliable, Available, Maintainable, Benefits, Objectives
RAMCC	Regional Air Movement Control Centre
RAMS	Reorganised ATC Mathematical Simulator (EEC)
RAN	Regional Air Navigation (meeting)
RANSU	Regional Air Navigation Service Unit (DFS)
RAOC	Regional Air Operation Centre
RAP	Resource Allocation Process
RAP	Recognised Air Picture
RAP	Required Aircraft Performance
RAPCON	Radar Approach Control Facility *
RAPID	Recognised Picture Identification Distribution
RAPNET	(European) Regional Aeronautical Packet Switched Network (CBN + DAKOS)
RAPNET	"Four States" Area Network
RAPPI	Radar Access Plan Position
RAR	Restricted Area Requested
RAR	Risk Analysis Report
RARAD	Radar Advisory *

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R

RAS	Resource Allocation System
RASA	Requirements, Analysis, Strategy and Architecture (advisory group of Surveillance Team)
RASC	Regional AIS Service Centre
RASCAL	Radar Station Coverage Calculator
RASCAL	Radar Sharing Calculation
RASIF	Radar Simulator Flugsicherung
RASP	Radar Application Specialists Panel (MTPA / SSR)
RASP	Radar Surface Picture
RASS	Radar Analysis Support System
RASS-C	Radar Analysis Support System – Centre Level *
RASS-P	Radar Analysis Support System - Plot data
RASS-PDP	RASS - Polar Diagram Measurement Facility
RASS-S	Radar Analysis Support System – Sensor Level
RASS-T	Radar Analysis Support System - Track data
RASTA	Radar Statistics Program *
RASV	Responsibility Air Space Volume *
RATE	Remote Air Traffic Services Terminal
RATS	Radar Analysis and Test System
R-ATSU	Air Traffic Service Receiving Unit *
RATT	Radio Teletype
Rb	Rubidium
RBP	Radar Bypass Processor (MAS UAC)
RBS	Radio (Telephony) Backup System
RC	Radar Controller
RCA	Reduced Co-ordination Airspace *
RCC	Rescue Co-ordination Centre *
RCD	DCL Request Message
RCDS	Radio Channel Distribution and Switching
RCDSS	Radar Control and Display Subsystem
RCE	Radio Control Equipment
RCF	Radio Communications Failure
RCFEP	Radar Data Communications Front-End Processor (RADNET)
RCGSP	Review of the General Concept for Separating Panel (ICAO)
R-Channel	Random Access Channel *
RCL	Executive (i.e. Radar) Controller
RCM	Radar Co-ordinator (Controller) Message (Mil. ECM)
RCM	Statement of Basic Operation Requirement, Planning Criteria & Methods of Application (ICAO/AIS)
RCO	Remote Communications Outlet *
RCO	Route Charges Office (National Route Charges Office) / Centre émetteur national (FR)
RCO	Reduce Cumulative Overloads
RCP	Required Communication Performance

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R

RCR	Runway Condition Reading
RCRT	Refresh Cycle Response Time
RCS	Remote Control System
RCS	Radar Cross Section *
RD	Routing Domain *
RD	Risk Display (ODID)
RDBMS	Relational Database Management System
RDC	Routing Domain Confederation *
RD-Channel	Random Data Channel *
RDD	Raw Data Display
RDE	Radar Data Equipment
RDF	Radio Direction Finding *
RDG	Radar Data Generator
RDI	Routine Domain Identifier *
RDIF	Radar Data Interchange Format
RDM	Running Display Message
RDP	Radar Data Processor
RDPP	Radar Data Post Processor
RDPS	Radar Data Processing System *
RDQC	Radar Data Quality Control
RDR	Radar Data Recording
RDSS	Radar Determination Satellite System
RDTE	Research, Development, Trials and Evaluation
RE	Real Equipment
RE	Reserved Expansion Indicator
Real	Real time *
Real-time	Real-time Flight Data Processing Management and Distribution
FDMD	
REC	Request EOBT Change
REC	Recall (ICAO) / RECording
REC	Recommendation
RecDPS	Recording Data Processing System (PALLAS System)
REDAN	Spanish CAA Data Network.
REF	Reference
REFGHMI	Reference generic HMI
REG	Regulators
REJ	Rejection Message
REL	Release
REM	Roentgen Equivalent Man
REM	Radio Emergency Module
REM	Rapid Eye Movement
REMOCO	Remote Control (Supervision System)
REMP	Radar Replacement and Modernisation Programme

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R

RENAR	Réseau de la Navigation Aérienne (F network)
REP	Report
REP	Field Repetition Indicator
RER	Residual Error Rate
RER	Rerouting
RES	Radar Environment Simulator
RES	Radar Environment System
RESA	Runway End Safety Area (ICAO)
RESP	Response (ICAO)
RESTQ	Recovery Stress Questionnaire
RET	Airborne & ground retrofit (issues)
RET	Rapid Exit Taxi Way
RET	Revised EOBT
RETD	Revised Estimated Time of Departure
REV	REVision / REVise (message)
RF	Radius to a Fix (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
RF	Radio Frequency
RFC	Request for Comment
RFC	Radar Fallback Communication System
RFCA	Panel on Route Facility, Cost Accounting and Cost Allocation (ICAO)
RFCP	Route Facility Costs Panel (ICAO)
RFEP	Radar Front End Processor
RFF	Radar Fall-back Facility
RFG	Radio Frequency Generator
RFI	Radio Frequency Interferences
RFL	Requested Flight Level *
RFLT	Radio Frequency Unit *
RFM	Remote Field Monitor
RFP	Request for Proposal
RFP	Replacement Flight Plan (IFPS)
RFPD	Repetitive Flight Plan Data
RFPS	Radar data Front Processing System (PALLAS system)
RFQ	Request for Quotation
RFS	Radar Fallback System
RFS	Random Field Sequencing (ASTERIX)
RFU	Radio Frequency Unit *
RFZ	Restricted Flying Zone
RG	Review Group
RGB	Red Green Blue
RGCSP	Review of General Concept of Separation Panel * (ICAO)
RGIC	Ranging Integrity Channel
RGS	Remote Ground Station
RGS	Regional Ground Station



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R

RH	Radar Head
RHCP	Right Hand Circular Polarisation
RHD	Radio (or Radar) Horizon Distance
RHEA	Role of the Human in the Evolution of Air Traffic Management systems
RHP	Radar Head Processor
RI	Route Intercept
RIB	Routing Information Base *
RIC	Radar Integration Control
RICE	RTF Interface Control Equipment
RIG	Regional Implementation Group
RIMS	Ranging and Integrity Monitoring Station (GNSS-1/EGNOS)
RINAL	Portuguese Data Network
RIRP	Runway Incursion Reduction Program
RIRT	Russian Institute of Radio Navigation and Time (St. Petersburg)
RIS	Relational Interface System
RISC	Reduced Instruction-Set Computer
RISE	Retrieval and Interchange of Standards in Europe
RISO	Riso National Laboratory (Denmark)
RISP	Radar System Improvement Programme
RIT	RADNET Implementation and Integration Team
RITA	Réseau Intégré de Transmissions Automatiques (FR)
RITA	Replay Interface for TCAS Alerts
RJC	Airspace Crossing Reject Message (Airspace Crossing Dialogue)
RLB	Rolling Ball
RLBCS	Rolling Ball CallSign (input)
RLD	Rijksluchtvaartdienst (NL)
RLIM	Radar Data Line Interface Module
RLP	Remote Line Printer
RLSM	Reduced Lateral Separation Minimum
RLW	Regie der LuchtWegen (BE) / Régie des Voies Aériennes (BE) / Belgium Aviation Authority
RMA	Reliability, Maintainability, Availability
RMCD	Remote Master Control Desk
RMCDE	Radar Message Conversion and Distribution Equipment
RMCS	Remote Monitoring and Control System
RMK	Remarks
RMM	Remote Maintenance Monitoring
RMP	Required Monitoring Performance
RMP	Radio Management Panel
RMPS	Radar Message Processing System
RMR	Roke Manor Research
RMS	Root Mean Square
RMS Error	Root Mean Square error.

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R

RMScv	See RMSk (infinite) *
RMSpv	RMS peak value.
RNAV	Area Navigation * / Navigation de surface (FR) (OACI)
RNC	Required Navigation Capability
RNDSG	Route Network Development Sub-Group (EATMP)
RNIS	Réseau National à Intégration de Services (FR)
RNLAF	Royal Netherlands Air Force
RNP	Required Navigation Performance *
RNP5	Required Navigation Performance 5
RNP-AIRNAV	Required Navigation Performance - Area Navigation
RNPC	Required Navigation Performance Capability/Criteria
RNPTF	Required Navigation Performance Task Force
RO	Romania
RO	Router Function
ROAD	Representation of Overall ATM Development
ROBIN	Road billing network
ROC	Rate of Climb
ROC/D	Rate of Climb/Descent *
ROD	Rate of Descent
ROF	Request on Frequency (Message)
ROI	Return On Investment
Role	Role-play *
ROM	Read Only Memory (CD)
ROMATSA	Romanian Air Traffic Services Administration
ROMBULPO	Romania, Bulgaria and Poland *
ROPA	RAPNET Operations and Planning Agreement
ROR	Range Only Radar
ROS	Route Orientation Scheme
ROSAS	Regional Organisation of the Sequencing and Scheduling of Aircraft System
ROSE	Remote Operations Service Element
ROSE	Rational Object oriented Software Engineering
ROT	Runway Occupancy Time
ROZ	Restricted Operations Zone
RP	Reporting Point
RP	Radar Post
RPC	Regional Planning Criteria
RPF	Rapid Prototyping Facility
RPI	Radar Position Indication *
RPL	Stored Flight Plan
RPL	Repetitive Flight Plan * / Plan de vol répétitif (FR)
RPM / rpm	Revolutions Per Minute
RPOA	Recognised Private Operating Agency
RPS	Recording and Playback System / Route par pays survolé (FR) (= RSO)

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R

RPS	Radar Position Symbol *
RPT	Regular proficiency Training
RPU	Radar Processing Unit
RPV	Remotely Piloted Vehicle
RPVD	Radar Plan View Display
RPY	Replay
RQL	Request NOTAM List
RQM	Radar Quality Monitoring
RQN	Request NOTAM
RQP	Request Plan Message
RQP	Request for Flight Plan
RQT	ReQuesTing
RRA	Radar Recording Analysis
RRC	Recording Replay Computer (ODS)
RREC	Repetitive Flight Plan Recovery Message (IFPS)
RRI	Reference Router Implementation
RRP	Re-routing Proposal Message
RRP	Remote Radar Post
RRR	Radar Recorder (manufactured by COMSOFT)
RRR	Radar data Recording and Replay system (RADNET / application software COMSOFT)
RRU	Remote Radio Unit
RRV	Referred Revision Message (OLDI)
RS	Radar System
RS	NASC providing Regional Support (EAD)
RS	Reference Station
RS NATS	Recruitment Services NATS
RSA	Radar Service Area
RSAP	(RADNET) RMCDE Service Access Point
RSAP	Replenishment Spares Acquisition Program
RSC	Rescue Sub Centre
RSFTA	Réseau de Service Fixe des Télécommunications Automatiques
RSG	Route Structure Group
RSG	Research Study Group
RSI	Radiation Status Indicator
RSL	Raytheon Systems Limited
RSLS	Receiver Side Lobe Suppression *
RSM	Radar Service Message (RMCDE/ RADNET)
RSMC- Channel	Random System Management Control Channel *
RSMTF	Radar Separation Minimum Task Force
RSO	Route per State Over-flown
RSO	Reduced Spacing Operations

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R

RSQ	Radar Stores Occupancy Query
RSP	Required Surveillance Performance
RSPD	Reported Speed
RSPL	Recommended Spare Parts List
RSRE	Royal Signals and Radar Establishment
RSS	Radar Separation Standard
RSS	Radar Sub-System
RSS	ROOT Sum Squared
RSSP	Radar Systems Specialist Panel
RSTCA	Redevance pour services terminaux de la circulation aérienne (FR) / Approach/Departure charges
Rstd	Restricted (Time-Restricted Learning) *
RSURTF	RASS-S Upper Requirements TF
RSUS	RPL Suspension Message (CFMU)
RSYD	Release Subject to Your Discretion
RT	Real Time *
RT	Radio Telephony
RTB	Radar Tool Box
RTC	Radio Transmission Control
RTC	(European) Regional Technical Conference
RTCA	Radio Technical Commission for Aeronautics
RTCA	Requirements and Technical Concepts for Aviation. See also in Part II RTCA DO-...
RTD	Research and Development of Technologies
RTE-T	Réseau transeuropéen de Transport (FR)
RTF	SRC Requirements Task Force
RTF or R/T	Radio Telephony *
RTFM	Regulated Tactical Flight Model (CFMU)
RTI	D-RVR Delivery Message
RTIS	Road Travel Information Services
RTLS	Return To Launch Site *
RTMDE	RADNET Test Monitoring and Demonstration Equipment (colour screen)
RTO	Ready for Take Off, Reduced Take-Off and Landing
RTOS	Real Time Operating System
RTPC	Réseau Téléphonique Public Commuté (FR) / Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN)
RTPTS	RouTe PoinTS
RTQC	Real Time Quality Control
RTQC/A	Real Time Quality Control / Assessment
RTTR	Remote Transmission / Receiver
RTTR	D-RVR Request Message
RTS	Real Time Simulation
RTSE	Reliable Transfer Service Element
RTSIM	Real-Time Simulation



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R

RTT	Ready to Task
RTT	D-RVR Termination Message
RTT	Regie van Telegraaf en Telefoon (Belgacom) (BE)
RU	Russian Federation (ISO Country Code)
RU	Regulation Unit (Eurocontrol Unit)
RUG	RASS Users Group
RVA	Régie des Voies Aériennes (B)
R-VKL	Radar (executive-) controller
RVR	Runway Visual Range
RVSM	Reduced Vertical Separation Minimum *
RVSM Entry Point	Reduced Vertical Separation Minima Entry Point *
RVSM Exit Point	Reduced Vertical Separation Minima Exit Point *
RVV	Runway Visual Value
RWEWP	Runway End Way-point *
RWIWP	Runway Intercept Way-point *
RWY	Runway
RWY WP	Runway Waypoint
RX	Receiver Station

S

s	Second (unit of time)
S	Sweden
S1	The future (desired) state
SA	Selective Availability *
SA	Skill Acquisition *
SA	Satellite
SA	Salivary Cortisol
SA	Separation Assurance
SA	Situational Awareness *
SA	Security Architecture
SA Degradation	Selective Availability degradation (of satellite signals)
SA FG	Surveillance Architecture Focus Group
SA/BARS	Situation Awareness Behaviourly Anchored Rating Scales
SAAM	System for Assignment and Analysis at a Macroscopic level (8.33 User Guide)
SABENA	Société Anonyme Belge d'Exploitation de la Navigation Aérienne (FR)
SABET	Study of an ATC Baseline for the Evaluation of Team configurations
SAC	Strategic Air Command
SAC	System Assisted Co-ordination
SAC	System Area Code
SAC	Source Area Code (ASTERIX)
SACADO	SASS-C Advanced Development Office



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S

SACEUR	Supreme Allied Commander Europe
SACHA	Separation and Control Hiring Assessment (US)
SACLANT	Supreme Allied Commander Atlantic
SACMAS	SASS-C Development, Maintenance and Support
SACMO	SASS-C Management Office
SACON	Slovak Aeronautical Communication Network
SACSO	SASS-C Support Office
SACTA	Sistema Automatizado de Control del Tráfico Aéreo (ES) / Spanish Automated ATC System / Semi-Automatisation de Contrôle du Trafic Aérien (FR)
SAD	System Architecture Document
SADIS	Satellite Distribution of World Area Forecast System / ICAO Group
SADIS	(Swedish) Satellite Distribution System
SAE	Society of Automotive Engineers
SAF	Safety (EATMP domain)
SAF	EEC business area – support to safety monitoring
SAF BD	Safety Enhancement Business Division (Eurocontrol - DAP Directorate)
SAFA	Working Group on Safety of Foreign Aircraft (ECAC)
SAFER	Safety and Errors *
SAFI	Safety Monitoring for Indicators
SAGAT	Situation Awareness Global Assessment Technique
SAI	System Architecture Interface
SAICO	Swedish Aeronautical Information Computer Aided system
SAL	Slot Allocation List (CFMU)
SALADT	Screening Angle Analysis Digitised Terrain *
SALGOS	Système d'Aide en Ligne à la Gestion Opérationnelle de la Salle (FR)
SALIANT	Situation Awareness Linked Indicators Adapted to Novel Tasks
SALSA	Situation Awareness bei Lotsen der Streckenflugkontrolle im Kontext von Automatisierung (situation awareness of en-route air traffic controllers in the context of automation)
SAM	South American Region *
SAM	Slot Allocation Message (CFMU - CASA)
SAMHS	Spanish Aeronautical Messages Handling System
SAMSO	US Air Force Systems Command / Space and Missile Organization (now Space Division)
SAMTF	Safety Assessment Methodology Task Force
SAN	Satellite Access Node
SANe	Skill Acquisition Network
SAP	System Access Parameters
SAP	Service Access Point *
SAP	Service Access Point * (RMCDE)
SAP	Surveillance Appraisal Programme
SAPPHIRE	Satellite and Aircraft Database Programme for System Integrity Research
SAPS	Situation Awareness Probes
SAR	Search and Rescue

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S

SAR	Stand-Alone Receiver
SAR	Synthetic Aperture Radar
SARP	Signaal Automatic Radar Processing (NL)
SARPs	Standards and Recommended Practices (ICAO)
SARSAT	Search and Rescue Satellite Aided Tracking
SART	Situational Awareness Rating Technique
SAS	Single Attachment Station (FDDI)
SASHA	Situation Awareness for SHAPE
SASHA_L	Situation Awareness for SHAPE on-Line
SASHA_Q	Situation Awareness for SHAPE Questionnaire
SASKI	Name of an ATS Route reporting point
SASMAS	SASS-S Development, Maintenance and Support
SASS	Surveillance Analysis Support System * (ATC)
SASS-C	Surveillance Analysis Support System - Centre
SASS-C	SASS-C Development, Maintenance, Support and Services
DMSS	
SASS-S	Surveillance Analysis Support System – Sensor
SAT	Simulation Assessment Team
SAT	Satellite(s)
SAT	Static Air Temperature
SAT	Systems Approach to Training *
SAT	Site (System) Acceptance Test
SAT	Software Acceptance Tests
SATCAS	Selenia Air Traffic Control Automated System
SATCNS	Satellite Communications Navigation and Surveillance
SATCNS WG	Satellite CNS Work Group
SATCO	Signal Automatic Control
SATCOM	Satellite Communications
SATI	SHAPE Automation Trust Index
SATNAV	Satellite Navigation Sub-Group (NAVSEP TF)
GNSS	
SATORI	Systematic Air Traffic Operations Research Initiative (US)
SATP	Software Acceptance Tests Plan
SATS	Simulator System for Air Traffic Services
SATSA	Swedish ATS Academy
SAVAN	Système Automatique de Vérification en Vol des Aides à la Navigation (FR)
SAW	Surface Acoustic Wave Filter *
SB	Service Bulletin
SBAS	Space/Satellite Based Augmentation System
SBR	Spaceborne Radar
SBSR	Space Based Secondary Radar
SBT	Self Briefing Terminal
SBU	Service Business Unit

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S

SC	Standing Committee
SC	Special Corridor
SC	Senior Controller
SC	Sector Co-ordinator
SC	Single Click (Mouse Input)
SC	Security Council (UN)
SC	Stack Controller
SC	Simultaneous Call
SCAA	Swedish Civil Aviation Authority
SCAA	Servicio de Control de la Circulación Aérea (ES)
SCAA	Slovenian CAA
SCAN	Swiss Control Area Network
SCAT	Supersonic Civil Air Transport
SCAT-1	Special Category 1
SCAT-1 Approach	Special Category 1 Approach *
SCATANA	Security Control of Air Traffic and Air Navigation Aids
SCATCC	Scottish Air Traffic Control Centre
SCC	Satellite Control Centre
SCCB	Software Configuration Control Board
SCDT	Selected Controlled Departure Times
SCEAP	Steering Committee for External Assistance Projects
SCEPC	Senior Civil Emergency Planning Committee
SCF	Standing Committee on Finance
SCG	System Concept Group
SCHUKO	Schutzhaltung (DE) (earthing contact)
SCIA	Simultaneous Converging Instrument Approaches
SCM	Subcontractor Manager
SCOATCC	Scottish Oceanic Air Traffic Control Centre
SCORS	Surveillance Concepts and Operational Requirements
SCP	Support Computer Programme
SCPC	Single Carrier per Channel
SCPS	Satellite Communications Protocol Standard
SCR	Scroll
SCRAD	Steering Committee for Research, Analysis and Development
SCRR	Service Central de Redevances de Route
SCS	Strategy Concept & System (EATMP Unit)
SCSI	Small Computer-System Interface
SCT	Surveillance Coordination Team
SCTA	Service du Contrôle du Trafic Aérien (DGAC, DNA, France)
SCU	Satellite Communications Unit
SCU	Support CWP-Unit
SCV	Sub-Clutter Visibility

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S

SD	Statistical Display
SD	Senior Director, EATM Service Business Unit
SD	Software Development
SD	Serial Dialling
SD	Specialist Domain
SD	Standard Deviation *
SD'xx'	Specialist Domain 'number' (EATCHIP)
SDA	Système de Détection Aéroporté (FR) / Airborne Early Warning and Control System (=AWACS)
SDB	Static Data Bank (MADAP)
SDD	Software Design Document
SDD	Synthetic Data Display
SDD	Surveillance Data Distribution
SDDLC	System Design and Development Life Cycle
SDE	(EUROCONTROL) Senior Director, European Air Traffic Management Programme
SDE	System Development Environment
SDG	Sensor Data Generator
SDI	Single Document Interface
SDK	Software Development Kit
SDL	Standard Distribution List
SDLC	Synchronous Data Link Control procedures
SDLS	Satellite Data Link System
SDM	System Definition Manual (INMARSAT)
SDO	Selected Display Option (ODID)
SDO	Static Data Operations (Eurocontrol)
SDO	Supplementary Display Option
SDOE	Senior Director Operations and EATCHIP / Director principal Operations et EATCHIP (FR)
SDP	Surveillance Data Processing (Sub-group CCT/EATCHIP)
SDP	Second Development Project
SDP	Simulator Development programme
SDP	Software Development Phase
SDP	Software Development Plan
SDPD	Surveillance Data Processing and Distribution
SDPDS	Surveillance Data Processing and Distribution System
SDPS	Surveillance Data Processing System (ICAO)
SDPTF	Static Data Procedure Task Force
SDR	System Design Review
SDT	Stack Departure Time *
SDTF	SYSCO Development TF
SDU	Satellite Data Unit *
SDU	Static Data Update message
SDV	Simulator Development



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S

SE	System Engineering or System Engineer
SE	Sweden
SE	South / East
SE	Simulation Engine
SE	Strategy Element
SEAT	Site Equipment Acceptance Test
sec	Seconds
SECAM	Safety, Efficiency and Capacity in ATM Methodologies
SECRA	Secondary Radar *
SEE	Software Engineering Environment
SEL	Sector List Window
SELCAL	Selective Calling * (System)
Self	Self-paced Learning
SELREL	Selective Release
SEM	Semmerzake
SEMP	Software Engineering Management Plan
SEP	Spherical Error Probable *
SEP	Selective Employment Plan
SEP	Separation of Aircraft
SEROS	Semmerzake Radar Operating System (B / Military)
SES	Supplementary Equipment and Services
SEU	Software Engineering unit
SF	Surveillance Function
SF	Finland
SF	Scaling Factor
SFACT	Service de la Formation Aéronautique et du Contrôle Technique
SFC	Surface (Ground Level / Sea Level)
SFD	Start Frame Delimiter
SFI	Synthetic Flight Instructor
SFIE	Syndicat des Fonctionnaires Internationaux et Européens (FR) / Union of International and European Civil Servants (=UIECS)
SFL	Supplementary Flight Level
SFLA	Assign SFL
SFM	Simulation Facility Management (at EEC)
SFM	Simulation Facility Management
SFMC	Sickness Fund Management Committee
SFOR	Stabilisation Force (Sarajevo)
SFPL	System Flight Plan Processing
SFPL	Short Flight Plan (FDPS)
SFT	Simplified Fast Time Simulations
SG	Safety Group
SGAMI	Select Group for Assessing Manpower Issues

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S

SGBD	Système de Gestion de Base(s)/Banque(s) de Données (FR) / Database/Databank Management System (=DBMS)
SGC	Swept Gain Control
SGCAS	Study Group on Certification of Automatic Systems
SGR	Study Group for Route Charges
SGR	Study Group of the enlarged Committees for Route Charges (Eurocontrol)
SGS 85	Sovietic Geodetic System
SGSI	Subsistema Grabador y Servidor de Información (ES) / Recording and Data server subsystem
SHA	Safety Hazard Analysis
SHACC	SHAPE Airspace Coordination Centre
SHANDAP	Shannon Data Processing (System)
SHAPE	Solutions for Human Automation Partnerships in European ATM *
SHAPE	Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe
SHEL	Software, Hardware, Environment, Liveware
SHEL Model	Software – Hardware – Environment – Liveware Model
SHF	Super High Frequency *
SHF	Super High Frequency
SHL	Saville and Holdsworth Ltd.
SHORAN	Short Range Navigation
SI	Selective Interrogator
SI	Sector Indicator
SI	Situational Interview
SI	Slovenia, Republic of Slovenia
SI	Surveillance Identifier
SI	International System of Units
SIA	Service d'Information Aéronautique
SIC	Sector Intercom (VCS)
SIC	Source Identification Code
SIC	Subject Indicator Code
SIC	System Identification Code
SICASP	Secondary Surveillance Radar Improvements and Collision Avoidance System Panel * (ICAO)
SICCAP	Système Intégré de Commande et de Contrôle Aérien du Portugal (FR)
SICT	System Implementation Coordination Team
SICTA	Italian Consortium for the Applied ATM Research
SID	Standard Instrument Departure (Route) *
SID/STAR	Standard Instrument Departure / Standard Arrival Route
SIE	Standard Interface Equipment
SIF	Selective Identification Feature
SIGMA	Systemintegreging Gemensam Maskinvara (SE) / System Integration in Common Hardware
SIGMET	Significant Meteorological Information (broadcast warnings of weather hazards)
SIL	Safety Integrity Level



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S

SIL	Sector Inbound List Window
SIM	Simulator */ Simulation(s) (EEC service)
SIM	Subscriber Identification Module
SIM-5	Simulation Modernisation Project (EEC)
SIMM	Symbolic Integrated Maintenance Manual
SIMMOD	Simulation Model
Simul	Simulation *
SINTAC	Système Intégré d'Identification, de Navigation, de Contrôle de Trafic, d'Anticollision & de Communication (FR)
SIO	Sector Input Operator (MAS Ops Room)
SIOP	Society for Industrial and Organisational Psychology, Inc.
SIP	SMDS Interface Protocol
SIP	Slot Improvement Proposal Message (CFMU)
SIR	Serveur d'Information Radar (FR) [Radar Information Server]
SIRO	Simultaneous Intersecting Runway Operations
SIROCCO	Study of the Impact of Revised Operational Concepts on the CNS/ATM ODP Model
SIS	English Standard for Documentation
SIS	Signal In Space
SIS	Special Information System
SIS BD	Stakeholder Implementation Business Division (Eurocontrol - DAP Business Directorate)
SISG	Safety Improvement Sub-Group
SIT	System Integration Team (EATCHIP)
SIT	Subsystem Integration Test (DECADE)
SIT	Software Integration Test
SIT	Slot Issue Time Parameter (CFMU)
SITA	Société Internationale de Télécommunications Aéronautiques (FR) / Airline telecommunications and Information Service
SITAP	Simulator for Transportation, Analysis and Planning
SITD	Systems Integration and Test Department (ODS)
SITP	Software Integration Test Plan
SJA	Strategic Job Analysis
SK	Slovakia, Slovak Republic
SKIP	SKIP a sector
SLA	Service Level Agreement
SLAP	Slot Allocation Procedures
SLAR	Side-Looking Airborne Radar
SLB	Side Lobe Banking
SLC	Side Lobe Cancellation
SLC	Slot Cancellation Message
SLI	Supplementary Level Inbound (ODID)
SLM	Standard Length Message * (Mode S)
SLO	Supplementary Level Outbound (ODID)

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S

SLOA	Stakeholder Lines of Action
Slot	An arrival or departure time window reserved for a flight.
SLP	Speed Limiting Point
SLR	Satellite Laser Ranging
SLS	Side Lobe Suppression *
SLS	Service Level Specification
SLT	Scheduled Landing Time *
SLT	Slot Allocation
SLV	Statens Luftfartsvaesen (CAA/DK)
SLW	Sector Load Window
SLW	Selected Label Window
SM	Security Manager
SM	Stack Manager
SM	Systems Management
SMAA	Study for Mediterranean Area ADS
SMAE	Systems Management Application Entity *
SMAN	Surface Management (APATSI)
SMART	Specific, Measurable, Agreed, Relevant, Timely
SMART	Simulator for Multi-radar analysis for realistic Trade / Traffic *
SMART	Self-Managed Arrival Resequencing Tool
SMAS	STATFOR Medium-Term Forecast Access System
SMAS	Service Mobile Aéronautique par Satellite (FR) / Satellite Mobile Aeronautical Service
SMAW	Safe Minimum Altitude Warning
SMC	Station Monitoring and Control (RMCDE)
SMC	System Monitoring and Computer / Control
SMC	Systems Management Concept
SMD	Storage Module Device
SMDE	Software Maintenance and Development Environment
SMDS	Switched MultMegabit Data Service
SME	Subject Major/Matter Expert
SMEQ	Subjective Mental Effort Questionnaire
SMG	System Management Group of the AAG
SMGC(S)	Surface Movement Guidance and Control System
SMHI	Swedish government owned (civil) MET Institute
SMI	Special Message Identifier (ACARS message Type B)
SMI	Stakeholder Relations Management and International Co-ordination (EATMP Unit)
SMIDTS	Synthetic Movings Image Didactic / Tower Control Simulator (RLW/RVA)
SMITF	Safety Monitoring and Improvement Task Force
SMM	Sector Monitor Message (RMCDE)
SMM	Safety Management Manual
SMP	Simple Management Protocol

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S

SMR	Surface Movement Radar *
SMS	Safety Management System
SMSS	Surfface Movement Surveillance System (airports)
SMSTR	Systems Management Strategy
SMT	Station Management (FDDI / RMCDE)
SMTP	Simple Mail Transfer Protocol
SMX	Sub-Multiplexer
SN	System Notam
SN, S/N	Signal-to-Noise
SNA	System Network Architecture (IBM Network)
SNA	Satellite Navigation Application
SNAcF	Subnetwork Access Function *
SNAcP	Subnetwork Access Protocol *
SNASG, SNA-SG	Satellite Navigation Applications Sub-Group
SNDC	Subnetwork Dependent Convergence Function *
SNDCF	Sub-Network Dependent Convergence Facility
SNET	Safety Nets
SNICF	Subnetwork Independent Convergence Function *
SNIR, S/N	Signal-to-noise ratio *
SNME	Subnetwork Management Entity *
SNMP	Simple Network Management Protocol (RAPNET - CNG-)
SNOWTAM *	NoTAM on SNOW Conditions (Message containing snow fall information)
SNPA	Subnetwork Point of Attachment *
SNR	Signal-to-Noise Ratio *
SO	Standards Office (Eurocontrol)
So	The Present (undesired) state
SO	Specialist Objectives *
SOC	System / Sector Operations Centre
SOC	Start of Climb
SOE	Software Engineer
SOF	Stand-alone Operations Facility
SOFIA	Sequentially Outlining and Follow-up Integrated Analysis (EUROCONTROL Headquarters, EATMP, DSA, SQS)
SOFREAVIA	Société Française d'Etudes et de Réalisations d'Equipments Aéronautiques (FR)
SOGITS	Senior Official Group in IT Standardisation
SOIR	Simultaneous Operations on parallel (or near-parallel) Instrument Runways
SOL	Sector Outbound List (MDP)
SOP	Standard Operating Procedures *
SOR	State of Readiness
SORA	Safety Occurrence Reporting and Assessment in ATM
SOSG	Safety Oversight Study Group (ICAO)
SOTA	South Oceanic Transition area

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S

SOW	Statement of Work (ODS)
sp	Ground Speed
SP	Service Provider
SP	Special point
SP	Special Purpose Indicator (ASTERIX)
SP	Standard Precision
SP	Succession Planning
SP	System Parameter *
SPACDAR	Specialist Panel on Automatic Conflict Detection and Resolution
SPAF	Strategic Performance Analysis and Forecast
SPAM	Situation Present Assessment Method
SPAS	Sensor Performance Analysis Standard
SPDA	Surveillance Data Processing System Processing Delay Analysis
SPECI	Aviation Selected Special Weather Report
SPES	Single Pan-European Sky
SPF	Strategic Performance Framework
SPF	Strategic Performance Framework
SPF	Scratch Pad Field
SPG	Special Planning Group
SPG	SRC Strategy and Policy Group
SPI	Special Pulse (Position) Identification (SSR)
SPL	System Flight Plan
SPMP	Software Project Management Plan (ODS)
SPN	Short Plan Input
SPO	Special Project Office
SPORA	Specialist Panel on Operational Research and Analysis
SPR	Strip Printer
SPR BD	Sector Productivity Business Division (Eurocontrol - DAP Business Directorate)
S-P-R-c	Stimuli, Processing, Response, controlled executive
SPS	Siemens Plessey Systems
SPS	Standard Positioning Service *
SPS	STDMA/VDL Mode 4 Performance Simulator
SPSG	Spectrum Protection Steering Group (IATA)
SPSS	Statistical Package for the Social Sciences
sq. in.	Square Inch
sq-cm	cm2
SQE	Software Quality Engineer (DECADE)
SQL	Structured Query Language
SQM	Surveillance Quality Monitoring
SQS	Safety, Quality Management, and Standardisation (EATMP Unit)
SQU	Squelch (VCS)
SR	Slovak Republic
SR	Study Report

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S

SRA	Surveillance Radar Approach
SRB	Solid Rocket Booster
SRC	Safety Regulation Commission (New Convention) ; Commission de réglementation de la sécurité. See SRU
SRD	System (or Software) Requirements Document
SRD	System Research and Development
SRDTF	System Research & Development Task Force
SRE	Surveillance Radar Element of PAR System
SRE	Slant Range Error *
SRG	Safety Regulation Group
SRI	Stanford Research Institute
SRI	System Replay and Investigation
SRK	Skill-Rule Knowledge
SRM	Sector Revision Message
SRM	Slot Revision Message
SRP	Slot Revision Proposal (CFMU - CASA)
SRQ	Slot Request
SRR	System Requirements Review
SRR	Slot Revision Request (CFMU - CASA)
SRS	Schéma d'acheminement standard (FR)
SRS	Software Requirements Specification
SRS	Standard Routing Scheme
SRSG	Safety Regulation Sub-Group
SRT	Single Radar Tracker
SRT	Sort Route Transparent
SRU	Safety Regulation Unit (to support SRC). See SRC / Bureau de Réglementation de la Sécurité (FR)
SRU	Shop Replaceable Unit
SRV	Server
SS	Sector Supervisor
Ss	seconds
SSA	Smallest Space Analysis
SSA	System Safety Assessment
SSAP	Source Service Access Point (RMCDE / RADNET)
SSAP Selector	Session Service Selector *
SSB	Single Side Band
SSBA	Suite Synthétique de Benchmarks de l'AFUU (FR)
SSD	Synthetic Situation Display
SSDD	System/Segment Design Document
SSDG	Surveillance Strategy Drafting Group
SSE	Sum of Squared Errors
SSEA	Surveillance Data Processing System Systematic Error Analysis
SSEC	Static Source Error Correction

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SSG	System Sub-group
SSGHI	Surveillance Sub-Group on Harmonisation and Implementation
SSGS	Surveillance Sub-Group on Standards
SSGT	Surveillance Sub-Group on Tools
SSL	Secure Socket Layer
SSM	Standard Schedules information Manual (CFMU)
SSM	System Surveillance and Maintenance
SSM BD	Safety & Security Management Business Division (Eurocontrol - DAS Business Directorate)
SSO	STAR Support Office
SSP	Secondary Spare Part
SSP	Sole Source Procurement
SSP	Source Selection Panel (MADAP)
SSP	System Security Policy
SSPA	Solid State Phased Array
SSPSG	Structures for Service Provision Sub-Group (High Level Group Single European Sky (EU))
SSR	Solid State Relay
SSR	Secondary Surveillance Radar *
SSR	Software Specification Review
SSR Mode S *	Selective Address SSR
SSRBRIGHT	Highlight set code to target (input)
SSRC	Current SSR Code
SSS	Source Select Switch (ODS)
SSS	System/Segment Specification
SSSP	EU Subgroup on Structures for Service Provision (see SSPSG)
SST	Supersonic Transport
SSTS	Space Surveillance and Tracking System
S-SUP	Sector Supervisor (MADAP)
ST	Specialist Task (EATCHIP)
ST, S/T	Short-Term
STA	Sequence / Scheduled Time of Arrival (CFMU)
STA	Straight in Approach
STAC	Second Time Around Clutter
STANAG, Stanag	Standardisation Agreement (NATO)
STANINE *	Standard Nine Score
STANLY	Statistics and Analysis
STANS	Simulation facility of a Total Air Navigation System
STAR	Système de Traitement des Archives et Redevances (FR)
STAR	Second Time Around Returns (Radar)
STAR	Self Test and Repair
STAR	Sistema Telegráfico Automático de Retransmissão (PoAF) (PT)
STAR	Standard (Instrument) Arrival Route *

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S

STAR	Standard Terminal Arrival Route *
STAR	Surface to Air Recovery
STAR	Studies, Tests and Applied Research (former STT)
STARS	Standard Approach Procedures
STARS	Surveillance and Tracking Attack Radar System
START-OVER	Process of putting in action the COLD-STANDBY
STAT	Statistics
STAT	Second-Time-Around Targets *
STATFOR	EUROCONTROL Statistics & Forecasts Service
STB TF	Short-Term Benefits Task Force
StBf	Structured Briefing
STC	Sensitivity Time Control *
STC	Simulation Technical Coordinator
STC	SHAPE Technical Centre (NATO, The Hague)
STC	Steering Committee
STC	Short Time Constant
STC	Supplemental Type Certificate
STCA	Short-Term Conflict Alert
STCA	Short-Term Conflict Alert ; a ground-based safety net
STCD	Short-Term Conflict Detection
STCW	Short-Term Conflict Warning
STD	Software Transfer Document
STD	Scheduled Time of Departure (CFMU)
STD	Software Technical Designer
STD	Standard
STD	Standard Deviation
StDf	Structured Debriefing
STDMA	Self-organising Time Division Multiple Access
STEP	Social, Technological, Environmental and Political
STF	Selection Task Force
STF ARTAS, STFAD	Surveillance Task Force on ARTAS Development
STFAP	Surveillance Task Force on the Appraisal Programme
STFDPPAS	Surveillance Task Force on the Data Processing Performance Analysis Standard
STRDE	Surveillance Task Force on Radar Data Exchange
STFRL	Surveillance Task Force on Reference Levels
STFRSS	Surveillance Task Force on the Radar Surveillance Standards
STFSDIR	Surveillance Task Force on Surveillance data Distribution Infrastructure Requirements
STF-SDPS	Surveillance Task Force on Surveillance Data Processing Systems
STFSPAS	Surveillance Task Force on the Sensor Performance Analysis Standard
STFTE	Special Task Force of Training Experts
STFTV	Surveillance Task Force on Transponder Verification



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S

STG	Eurocontrol Standards Group . See SSGS
ST-ICD	Short-Term Interface Control Document
STIP	Système Central de Traitement Initial de Plans de vol
STL	Software Template Library
STLP	ATS Selection Training and Licensing Panel
STNA	Service Technique de la Navigation Aérienne (FR)
STOA	Scientific and Technological Options Assessment
STOL	Short Take Off and Landing
STORIA	Simulation Tool for Online Recording and Analysis
STP	Standardised Training Package
STP	Software Test Plan (MAS/DFS - ODS)
STP	Shielded Twisted Pair
STPV	Service du Traitement automatique des Plans de Vol (F-FPPS)
STR	Software Test Report (ODS)
STR	Service du Traitement des données Radar (F-RDPS)
STRANGE	Simplified Trajectory Generator
STRAT	Strategic Planning System (CFMU)
STRATPLAN	CFMU Strategic Planning Meeting (CFMU)
STRIDA	Système de Traitement, d'Identification et de Visualisation des Données de la Défense Aérienne (FR)
STS	Stand-by Telephone System
StS	Support to States (Eurocontrol)
STSMOD	Delay ac (input)
STT	Studies, Tests and Trials (now STAR)
STU	Selected Trajectory Update
STUD	Innovative studies (ARDEP)
SUA	Special Use Airspace
SUATMS	Single Unified ATM System
SUC	Start-Up Controller
SUCT	Surveillance analysis and Calibration Tools (ARDEP)
SUD	System Under Description
SUDP	Surveillance data Processing (ARDEP)
SUGST	Surveillance User Group - Sensor Tools
SUMI	Software Usability Measurement Inventory
SUP	Supervisor
SUP	Supplement
Sup. Pract.	Supervised Practices *
SUP/ACC	Supervisor Area Control Centre
SUP/APP	Supervisor Approach
SUP/MIL	Supervisor military
SUPPS	Regional Supplementary Procedures (ICAO)
SUPSIS	Supervisor (Centre and System)
SUR	Surveillance * (EATMP Domain)

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S

SURT	Screen Update Response Time
SURT	Surveillance Team
SurvITE	Surveillance Integrated Tested for EATMS
SUTP	Software Unit Test Plan
SV	Secure Voice
SV	Space Vehicle (Satellite)
SVC	Service
SVC	Switched Virtual Circuits * (RMCDE / SIR)
SVFR	Special VFR
SVGA	Super Video Graphics Array
SVID	System V Interface Definition
SVP	Supervisor
SVS	Synthetic Vision System
SVS	Sprachvermittlungssystem (DE)
SVVP	Software Verification and Validation Plan (ODS)
SW	South / West
SW, s/w	Software
SWAP	Severe Weather Avoidance Procedure
SWAT	Subjective Workload Assessment Technique
SWCI	Software Configuration Item (ODS)
SWG	Simulation Working Group
SWG	SRC Workgroup for liaison with EUROCAE WG
SWI	Swisscontrol Interface
SWIFT	Specifications for Working positions In Future Air Traffic Control
SWIM	System-Wide Information Management
SWORD	Subjective WORKload Dominance technique
SWOT	Strength, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Threats
SWP	Support Working Position (ODS)
SWP	Software Simulation Package
SWS	Software Service
SWU	Software Unit
SWY	Stopway (ICAO)
SXCOP	Sector Exit Coordination Point
SY	Syrian Arab Republic (ISO Countries Codes)
SYCA	System Capacity
SYCO	System Configuration
SYMA	System Manager
SYNBA	Synthetische Beanspruchungs- und Arbeitsanalyse (DE) / Synthetic Strain and Task Analysis
Sync.	Synchronous
SYSCIMIC	System supported Civil/Military Coordination
SYSCO	System Supported Coordination
SYSEVAL	System Evaluation

T	Tesla / Terminal
T&I	Test and Integration
t.b.d.	To be decided / discussed
TA	Task Analysis *
TA	Test Area
TA	Traffic Advisory * (ACAS)
TA	Transition Action
TA	Transition Altitude
TA	Track Analysis
TA	Terminal Arrival Area
TA	Track Accuracy Analysis *
TAAM	Total Airspace and Airport Modeller (Preston Group, Victoria, Australia)
TACAN	UHF Tactical Air Navigatoion aid
TACIS	Technical Assistance to the Community of Independent States (EC)
TACOT	Tactical Operational Tool
TACOT	TACT Automated Command Tool
TACT	CFMU Tactical Computer System
TACT	Tactical Flow Management Working Position
TACT data	Data required by or output by the CFMU TACT system.
TAD	Test and Development
TAD	Target Audience Description
TADIL	Tactical Distribution List
TAF	Terminal Area (Aerodrome) Forecast
TAFEI	Task Analysis For Error Identification
TAFT	Terminal Airspace Task Force (Eurocontrol)
TAG	Transitional Airport Group (APATSI)
TAI	International Atomic Time
TAI	Tätigkeitsanalyseinventar (DE) / Job-Analysis Inventory
TALK	(Swedish) VCS Upgrade Programme / System
TAM	Technical Acknowledgement Message
TAMP	Turkish ATC Modernisation Project
TAOIT	Tribunal Administratif de l'Organisation Internationale du Travail
TAR	Terminal Area (surveillance) Radar
TAR	Trials ATN Router
TAR	Tape Archive
TARA	Terminal Area RNAV Applications Task Force
TARAD	Tracking Asynchronous Radar Data
TARE	Telegraphic Automatic Relay Equipment
TARTAR	ATS Route Structure between Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Iran, Turkey
TAS	Traffic Advisory System
tas / TAS	True Airspeed *



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T

TASC	(Industry) The Analytical Science Corporation
TASP	Track Acquisition and Support Protocol
TATCA	Terminal ATC Automation * (FAA)
TATCI	Tallinn ATC Improvement project (Estonia)
T-ATSU	Transferring ATS Unit * (ICAO)
Tau	Range / Range rate (TCAS)
TB	Tellback
TBA	To Be Advised
TBA	Tellback Area
TBC	To Be Completed
TBD	To Be Determined or To Be Defined
TBD	To Be Defined
TBN	To Be Notified
TBS	Telephone Back-up System (VCS)
TBS-GA	Tätigkeitsbewertungssystem – Geistige Arbeit (DE) / Job-Assessment System – Mental Work
TC	Transit Corridor
TC	Tactical Controller
TC	Transition Concept
TC	Tactical Controller
TC	Typical Changes *
TC/OC	Technical Control and Operational Control
TCA	Terminal Conflict Alert *
TCA	Traffic Count Area (CFMU)
TCA	Track Continuity Area
TCA	Track-to-chain Association
TCAA	Transatlantic Common Aviation Area
TC-APD	Tactical Controller Activity Predictor Display
TCAS	Traffic Alert and Collision Avoidance System *
TCB	Training Co-ordination Board (Eurocontrol, IANS)
TCC	Traffic Control Centre
TCC	Thrust Control Computer
TCDP	Technical Control Data Processor
TCG	Training Consultation Group / Groupe consultatif sur la formation
T-Channel	Time Division Multiple-Access Channel *
TCL	Terminal Control
TCO	The Swedish Confederation of Professional Employees
TCOP	Transfer Coordination Point
TCP	Transmission Control Protocol
TCP / IP	Transmission Control Protocol / Internet Protocol
TCP/IP	Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol
TCPU	Touch Panel Central Processing Unit (ACS)
TCS	Test Case Specification



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T

TCT	Technical Control Terminal
TCWP	Threshold Crossing Way-point *
TDA	Track Detection Analysis *
TDAA	Track Detection Analysis
TDB	Track Data Block
TDCE	Telephone Distribution and Control Equipment
TDCP	Test Display and Control Panel
TDD	Time Division Duplex
TDF	Total Delayed Flights
TDF	Training and Development Facility
TDH	Training Development and Harmonisation (IANS)
TDH Unit	Training and Harmonisation Unit
TDM	Total Delay in Minutes
TDM	Time Division Multiplexing *
TDMA	Time Division Multiple Access *
TDOP	Time Dilution Of Precision *
TDR	Track Drop Rate *
TDR	Traffic Data Record
TDR	Target Data Receiver
TDS	Test and Development Sector
TDS	Test and Development System
TDS	Tactical Data System
TDS	Test Design Specification
TDSP	Training Documentations and Special Projects
TDWR	Terminal Doppler Weather Radars
TDZ	Touchdown Zone
TEAM SIMUL	Team Simulation
TEC	Technical ATM Systems and Logistics Support
TEC	Total Electron Content *
TEC, TECH	Technical
TEL	Telephone
TELIA	(Swedish) Telecommunications Provider
TEMP	Test and Evaluation Master Plan
TEN	Trans-European Network
TEN(-T)	Trans European Network (-Transport) (European Commission funding)
TEN-Telecom	Trans-European Telecommunications Network
TEPS	Trajectory Editor and Problem Solver
TERPS	Terminal Instrument Procedures
TERPS	Standard for Terminal Instrument procedures (US)
TES	Trials End System project
TETRA	Trans-European Trunk Radio
TETRAPOL	Trans-European Trunk Radio
TF	Task Force or Touch Field (VCS)



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T

TF	Track to a Fix (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
TFA	Test Flight Analysis
TFACS	Task Force on Assessment Centre Standards
TF-CCC	Task Force Common Core Content (EATCHIP).
TFD	Thin Film Diode
TFDATS	Delegation of ATS Task Force (ANT)
TFIS	Traffic Flow Investigation System
TFM	Traffic Flow Management
TFR	Tactical Flight Record (CFMU)
TFT	Thin Film Transistor
TFTR	Terrain Following Training Route
TFTS	Terrestrial Flight Telephone System
TF-TTM	TF on Technology Based Training Tools and Methods
TFV	Traffic Volume (CFMU)
TG	Task Group
TGDLP	Trials Ground Data Link Processor
TGF	Traffic Growth Factor (CFMU)
TGL	Temporary Guidance Leaflet (JAA)
TGV	Train à Grande Vitesse (FR) / High Speed Train
TH-CSF	Thomson CSF
THD	Total Harmonic Distortion
TI	Technologie de l'Information (FR) / Information Technology
TIA	Traffic Information Area
TIC	Time In Change
TIC	Transition Input Class
TICTAC	Time Constrained Trajectory Computation Trajectory predictor
TID	Touch Input Device
TIDE	Tactical and IFPS Development Environment
TIDmn	Track Initiation Delay Mean
TIDsd	Track Initiation Delay Standard Deviation
TIM	Transfer Initiation Message
TIM	Time
TIMERS	Traffic Intelligence for the Management of Efficient Runway Scheduling
TIP	Touch Input and Display Panel
TIS	Traffic Information Service *
TIS-B	Traffic Information Service - Broadcast
TIZ	Traffic Information Zone
TKX	Crosstell Tracker
TL	Transition Line (Level)
TL	Traverse Level
TLA	Title Line Area
TLAT	Technical Link Assessment Team
TLPD	Traffic Load Prediction Device



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T

TLPV	Tratamiento Local de Planes de Vuelo (ES)
TLS	Target Level of Safety *
TLS	Tactical Load Smoother
TLV	Type Length Value
TLX	Task Load Index (NAA)
TM	Technical Project Manager
TMA	Terminal Movement Area
TMA	Terminal Control Area
TMA	Terminal Manoeuvring Area
TMA-TC	TMA Tactical Controller
TMC	Terminal Control Centre
TMC	Technical Monitoring and Control
TMCS	Technical Monitoring and Control System (RMCDE / MADAP)
TMCU	Tower Main CWP Unit
TMRR	Temporary Minimum Disk Route
TMS	TeleManagement System
TMS	Tools Manager Server
TMS	Traffic Management System
TMSSG	Top Management Structure Sub-Group
TMU	Traffic Management Unit (FAA) *
TN	Track Number
TN	Trajectory Negotiation *
TN	True Negative
TN	Tunisia (ISO Countries Codes)
TNAV	Time Navigation *
TNO	A stereovision test (trade name)
TO	Technical Order
TO/L	Take Off/Landing
TOA	Terms of Agreement
TOAST	Team Oriented ATC Simulator Training *
TOAST	Technical, Operational and System Tests
TOC	Transfer Of Control
TOC	Technical Operators Centre
TOC	Top Of Climb
TOD	Top Of Descent
TODA	Take Off Distance Available (ICAO)
TOEFL	Test Of English as a Foreign Language
TOI	Temporary Operating Instruction
TOIT/TF	Task Force on the Treatment of Internal Tax
TOPL	Take Off Performance Limits
TOR	(Swedish) Briefing System (MET, Flight Plans)
TOR	Terms Of Reference
TORA	Take Off Run Available



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T

TORCH	Technical, Economical and Operational Assessment of an ATM Concept Achievable from the Year 2005
TOS	Traffic Orientation Scheme * (CFMU) / Schéma d'orientation du trafic (FR)
TOSCA	Testing Operational Scenarios for Concepts in ATM
TOT	Time Over Target
TOWP	Take Off Waypoint
TP	Trajectory Prediction * ; Transport Protocol
TP	True Positive
TP	Turning Point
TP-4	Transport Protocol, class 4
TPAS	Trajectory Predictor based Aircraft Simulator
TPD	Transition Programme Description (EATMS)
TPDR	Transponder *
TPDU	Transport Protocol Data Unit (RMCDE)
TPG	The Preston Group
TPIAS	Transition Plan for Implementation of Airspace Strategy
TPINS	Transition Plan For The Implementation Of The Navigation Strategy
TPL	Task Priority List
TPL	Transport Layer *
TPS	Test Procedure Specification
TPS	A mono-radar track format
TPT	Touchdown Point
TQM	Total Quality Management
TR	Test Report
TR	Trouble Report
TR	Track Reconstruction
TRA	Track Resolution Analysis
TRA	Temporary Reserved Airspace/Area
TRA	Required Time for Arrival
TRA	Traffic (type)
TRACER	Technique for the Retrospective Analysis of Cognitive Errors in ATM
TRACON	Terminal Radar Approach Control (US)
TRAFCA	Traitement Automatique des Fonctions de la Circulation Aérienne (FR) (Algeria)
TRAINDEV2	Integrated Eurocontrol Training Design Tool *
TRAMON	Traffic Monitoring
TRANSCOM	French public telecommunication network
TRAP	Technical Review and Audit Plan (ODS)
TRB	Tracker Ball
TRB	Transportation Research Board (4-States)
TRD	Transit Routing Domain *
TREE	Transit Radiation effects on Electronic Equipment
TREN	Transport and Energy (General Directorate EU)
TRF	Total Regulated Flights



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T

TRG	Technical Review Group
TRG	Training *
TRK	Track *
TRL	Transition Level
TRM	Team Resource Management *
TRMTFII	Team Resource Management Task Force II
TROL	Tapeless, Rotorless On Line
TRP	Thrust Rating Panel
TRR	Test Readiness Review (MAS - ODS)
TRSB	Time Reference Scanning Beam
TRUST	Terminal Routes Using Speed-Control Techniques (MITRE, CAASD)
TRY/PFL	Try Input of Planned Flight Level
TS	Track Server (MADAP)
TS	Trajectory System
TS	Transport Service User *
TS	Test Specification (ODS)
TS	Technical Supplement
TS	Technical Specification
TSA	Temporary Segregated Area *
TSAP	Transport Service Access Point *
TSCU	Tower Support CWP Unit
TSD	Time Sequence Diagram *
TSD	Traffic Situation Display (FREER)
TSDD	Test Synthetic Dynamic Display
TSDF	Time Slot Duty Factor
TSDG	Technical and System Development Group
TSE	Total System Error *
TSEA	Track Systematic Error Analysis
TSG	Training Sub-Group
TSGE	Tri-Service Group on Communications and Electronics (NATO)
TSIKADA	Russian four-satellite civil navigation system.
TSIKADA□M	Russian six-satellite military navigation system.
Tsimul	Team Simulation
TSO	Technical Service/Standard Order
TSO	Time Sharing Option
TSP	HRS Training Sub-Programme (EATMP)
TSr	Track Swap Rate
TSR	Terminal Surveillance Radar
TSRV	Transport System Research Vehicle
TSS	Target Software Server
TSS	Traffic Sub-System
TST	Test
TST	Trajectory Support Tool



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T

TSU	Technical Support Unit
TTA	Track Time-based Analysis
TTA	Tactical Training Area
TTC	Telemetry and Telecommand Centre
TTF	Total Flights
TTL	Time To Live
TTL	Transistor-Transistor Logic
TTL	Transistor-Transistor Logic
TPP	TCAS II Transition Program
TTR	Target Tracking Radar
TTS	Trails Transport Service (ATN)
TTY	Teletype Telex Machine
TU	Turkey (ISO Country Code)
TU	Temps Universel
TUC	Temps Universel Coordonné (FR) / Universal Coordinated Time (heure ZOULOU)
TUM	Time Update Message
Tut	Tutoring
TV	Television
TVE	Total Vertical Error
Tv-Tc	Transversal acceleration - Typical changes
TWDL	Two-Way DataLink
TWG	Training Working Group
TWI	Terminal Weather Information
TWIP	Terminal Weather Information for Pilots *
TWN	Tactical Weather Network
TWP	Technical Work Programme in the Air Navigation Field (ICAO) *
TWR	Tower Control Unit (Aerodrome Control Tower)
TWS	Technical Watch Supervisor
TWS	Track While Scan
TWS	Terminal Weather Service (ICAO)
TWT	Travelling Wave Tube
TX	Transmitter Station
Tx	Next waypoint ETA
TX / RX	Transmitter / Receiver (Radar head)
Txt	Text *
TXWY	Taxy Way
TYPE	Aircraft Type

U

U	
U/L	Upper / Lower - Upper Link
U/S	Unserviceable
UA	Ukraine (ISO Countries Codes)



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U

UAC	Upper Area Control (Centre) * ; Centre de contrôle de l'espace supérieur (FR)
UACC	Upper Airspace Control Centre
UAP	User Application Profile * (RMCDE)
UAR	Upper Air Route
UAS	Upper Airspace
UAT	Universal Access Transceiver
UAV	Unmanned Aerial Vehicle
UBL	Unspecified Bit Rate
UCDU	Universal Control and Display Unit
UDA	Upper Advisory (Service) Area
UDF	Ultra High Frequency Direction Finding Station
UDRE	User Differential Range Error
UEATMS	Uniform European Air Traffic Management System
UEO	Union de l'Europe Occidentale / Western European Union (=WEU)
UERE	User Equivalent Range Error
UFF	Ultimate Fallback Facility
UFN	Until Further Notice
UFO	Unidentified Flying Object
UFR	Upper Flight Region
UHF	Ultra High Frequency *
UI	User Interface
UIC	Unit Identity Code
UIC	Upper Information Centre
UIECS	Union of International and European Civil Servants
UIMS	User Interface Management System
UIR	Upper Flight Information Region / Région supérieure d'information de vol (FR)
UIT	Union Internationale des Télécommunications (FR)
UIVE	User Ionospheric Vertical Range
UK	United Kingdom
UKAATS	UK Advanced ATS
UKD	Upgrade ZKSD and coupling with DERD-X (DE)
UKNATS	United Kingdom National Air Traffic Services
Ukraviatsia	Ukrainian State Aviation Administration
UkSATSE	Ukrainian State Air Traffic Services Enterprise
UKW	Ultrakurzwelle (DE) / Ultra-Short Wave / Onde ultra-courte (FR)
UL	Upper Link (ATS route indication) or Uplink *
ULM	Ultra Léger Motorisé (FR)
UM	Uniform Motion
UMA	Unmanned Aircraft
UML	Unified Modelling Language
UMTS	Universal Mobile Telephone Service
UNHCR	United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
UNIN	Unusual / Emergency Situations



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U

UNINC	Unusual Incidents *
UNIX	Uniplexed Information and Computing Service
UNL	Unlimited
UPD	Update Plan Divergence
UPP	Upper airspace
UPS	Un-interruptable Power Supply
UPSEL	Update Selection
UPU	Union Postale Universelle (FR) / Universal Postal Union
URA	User Range Accuracy *
URANIA	Upgrading Athens Terminal Area and Interfacing to the PALLAS ACC system
URD	User Requirements Document
URE	User Range Error *
URET	User Request Evaluation Tool (MITRE Conflict Detection product)
URG	Urgency (ICAO)
URP	User Requirements Phase
URTF	User Requirements Task Force
US/USA	United States of America
USAF	US Air Force
USAL	User Access Level
USAREUR	US Army (Representative) in Europe
USART	Universal Synchronous / Asynchronous Receiver/Transmitter
USCG	United States Coast Guard
USD	US Dollar
USEF	Union Syndicale Eurocontrol France (FR)
USFSPEI	Union Syndicale Fédérale du Service Public Européen et International
USG	US Government
USNO	US Naval Observatory
USOAP	Universal Safety Oversight Audit Programme (ICAO)
USSPE	Union Syndicale – Service public européen / European Public Service Union (=EPSU)
UT	Universal Time
UTA	Upper (Traffic) Control Area
UTA	Upper Transition Area
UTC	Universal Time Co-ordinates * (CFMU) / Temps Universel Co-ordonné (FR) (=TUC)
UTP	Unshielded Twisted Pair
UUP	Updated (Airspace) Use Plan *
UVA	Utility Value Analysis

V

V	Volt
V	
V&V	Validation & Verification
V/M	Volts-per-meter



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V

V/STOL	Vertical or Short Take-Off and Landing
VA	Heading to an Altitude (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
VAА	Value Added Applications (MADAP)
VAC	Alternate Current Voltage
VAFOR	Very Advanced Flight Data Processing System Operational Requirement
VAFORIT	VAFOR Implementation
VAN	Value Added Network
VAP	Volumetric Airspace Penetration
VAP	Visual Aids Panel
VAPS	Virtual Applications Programming Software
VAQ	VHF Avionics Qualification
VAR	VCS, Ancillaries and Remote control system
VAS	Vienna ATCC Data Processing System
VAS	Vortex Advisory System
VASI	Visual Approach Slope Indicator
VAT	Value Added Tax
VAW	Vertical Assistance Window (ODID)
VBR	Variable Bit Rate
VBX	Visual Basic Extensions
VC	Virtual Circuit *
VC	Virtual Classroom
VCCS	Voice Communication and Control System
VCI	Voice Change Instruction, a message of the ACM service
VCO	Voltage Controlled Oscillator *
VCR	Visual Control Room
VCRI	Verification Cross Reference Index (ODS)
VCS	Voice Communication System
VCS	Voice Communications System
VCSS	Voice Communications Switching System
VCSTF, VCS-TF	Voice Communications System Specification Task Force
VD	Heading to a DME Distance (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
VD	Vertical Dispersal
VDC	Direct Current Voltage
VDD	Version Description Document
VDE	Verband Deutscher Elektrotechniker (DE)
VDEV	Vertical Deviation *
VDF	Very high frequency Direction Finding station
VDF	VHF Direction Finder
VDL	VHF Digital/Data Link * / Liaison de données VHF (FR)
VDL/4	VHF Data Link Mode 4
VDOP	Vertical Dilution Of Precision *
VDR	VHF Digital/Data Radio

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V

VDR	Validation Data Repository
VDU	Visual Display Unit
VDU	Video (Visual) Display (Distribution) Unit
VDX	Videotext
VE	Validation Environment
VeFC	Vertical Motion Fast Climb
VeFD	Vertical Motion Fast Descend
VEL	Velocity Leader
VENSIM	Ventana Simulator
Ver	Vertical
VESDA	Very Early Smoke Detection Apparatus (Fire alarm system)
VET	Visualisateur Electronique de Texte (FR)
VEX	Vertical Expansion (of 8.33 kHz deployment)
VF	Voice Frequency
VFOP	Visual Flight Rules Operations Panel
VFR	Visual Flight Rules *
VG	Validity Generalisation *
VGA	Video Graphics Array
VGS	VHF Datalink Ground Stations
VHF	Very High Frequency * / Très hautes fréquences (FR)
VHF R/T	Very High Frequency Radio/Telephony
VHFAMS	Very High Frequency Aeronautical Mobile Services *
VHF-OTF	VHF Operations Task Force
VHZ	Vereinigte Hauptzentrale (DE)
VI	Heading to Intercept (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
VICTOR	Visualización Integrada de Control de Torre (ES) / ATC Integrated display for TWR
VID	Visual Image Display
Vid	Video
VIP	Very Important Person
Vis	Visual aids *
Vis	Visit
VL	Very Low ATC Complexity
VLAN	Virtual Local Area Network
VLBI	Very Long Baseline Interferometry
VLCT	Very Large Capacity Transport
VLF	Very Low Frequency *
VLSI	Very Large Scale Integration *
VLUT	Video Look-Up Table
VM	Heading to a Manual Termination (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
VMC	Visual Meteorological Conditions *
VMMS	VHF Multi-frequency Management Unit
VN	Valid Negatives



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V

VNAV	Vertical Navigation *
VNSE	Vertical Navigation System Performance
VOB	Versioned Object Base
VOI	Volume of Operational Interest
VoL	Value of Life
VOL	Volume
VOLMET	Meteorological Information for Aircraft in Flight
VOLMET	Routine Weather Reports Broadcast on VHF
VOR	VHF Omni-directional Radio Range * (Beacon)
VOR/DME, VOR-DME	VHF Omni-directional Ranging / Distance Measurement Equipment
VORTAC, VOR-TACAN, VOR/TAC	Combined VOR and TACAN *
VOT	VHF Omnidirectional Range Test *
VP	Valid Positives
VP	Vertical Profile *
VPAE	Vertical Profile Angle Error *
VPD	Vertical Polar Diagram
VPDG	Validation Plan Drafting Group
VPIP	Vertical Intercept Point *
VPN	Virtual Private Network
VR	Heading to a VOR Radial (ARINC 424 Path Terminator)
VRRS	Voice Recording and Display System
VRS	Voice Response System
VS	Vocational Stabilisation
VSAT	Very Small Aperture satellite Terminal
VSCS	Voice Switching and Control System
VSD	Vision and Strategy Document (EATMS)
VSIG	Vertical Separation Implementation Group
Vsl	Visual Aids
VSM	Vertical Separation Minimum
VSP	Variable System Parameter
VSSG	Vertical Separation Sub-Group
VSWR	Voltage Standing Wave Ratio
VTN	Voice Telecommunications Network
VTOL	Vertical Take-Off and Landing
VTS	Vessel Traffic Services
VTT	Vertical Threshold Test
VVD	Vertical View Display
VWF	Video For Windows
Vx	Version x

W

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W

W	Watt
w	Wake Vortex category
WAA	Wide Area Augmentation *
WAAS	Wide Area Augmentation System * (US)
WAC	World Aeronautical Chart *
WACS	Wireless Airport Communications Systems
WAD	Wide Area Differential
WAD-GNSS	Wide Area Differential GNSS *
WADGPS	Wide Area Differential GPS *
WAFC	World Area Forecast Centre *
WAFS	World Area Forecast System *
WAGE	Wide Area GPS Enhancement program *
WAN	Wide Area Network *
WARC	World Administrative Radio Communication Conference
WARC-MOB	World Administrative Radio Communication Conference - Mobile Communication.
WBS	Work Breakdown Structure *
WC	Working Cell
WC	Waypoint Capture
WCG	Washington Consultant Group
WCL	Weather Channel
WDW	Window *
WEA	Whole ECAC Area
WEF	With Effect From
WEU	Western European Union (military matters) / Union de l'Europe Occidentale (=UEO)
WG	Working Group
WGCS-84	World Geodetic System/Standard (1984)
WGPDS	Word and Graphics Process Documentation System
WGR	Working Group on Route Charges
WGRSG	Sub-Group of the Charges Working Group
WGS	World Geodetic System * / Système géodésique mondial (FR)
WGS	World Geodetic Survey *
WGS-72	World Geodetic System/Standard (1972)
WGS-84	World Geodetic System 84, which is the ICAO recommended parameterisation of an ellipsoid earth model
WHORU	WHO aRe yoU
WIAS	Wetterdaten und Informations-Anzeigesystem (DFS) (DE)
WIE	With Immediate Effect
WILCO	Will Comply
WIMP	Windows, Icons, Mouse and Pointers (ODS)
WIPO	World Intellectual Property Organisation
WIRS	Wide Area Reference Stations
WKSP	Transmission Centres Workshop ; Data Transmission Workshop / Atelier des centres émetteurs de données (FR)



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W

WKSP	Transmission Centres Workshop
WLA	WorkLoad Assessment
WM	Working Memory *
WMB	Window Management Button
WMO	World Meteorological Organisation
WOC	Wing Operations Centre
WOD	Word Of the Day
WORM	Write Once, Read Many
WP	Way-Point *
WP	Work Package *
WP	Work Programme
WP	Working Paper
WP	Working Position
WPD	Work Programme Document
WPL	Work Package Leaders (EATCHIP)
WPM	Words Per Minute
WPn	First waypoint in the next sector
WPP	Working Position Processor
WPs	Working Positions
WPx	Next waypoint on the flight plan
WRC	World Radio-communications Conferences *
WS	Work Station
WS	Watch Supervisor
WSC	West Sector Co-ordinator
WTC	Wake Turbulence Category
WWW	World Wide Web (INTERNET)
WX	Weather
WXMS	Weather Mapping System
WYSIWYG	What You See Is What You Get

X

X.25	Packet Switched Data Network *
X25	Standard protocol in telecommunications
XAP	Crossing Alternate Proposal Message
XASM	Cancel Assume
XASP	Extended AIRCOM Service Processor
XBRIGHT	Cancel highlighting
XCM	Crossing Request Cancelation Message (OLDI)
XCONF	Delete CONFLICT
XCOORD	Cancel Co-ordination
XCOP	Exit Co-ordination Point
XCOR	Cancel Correlation
XECD	Cancel Executive Controller Message



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X

XEU	European Currency Unit (ECU)
XEXPLT	Cancel Extrapolation
XFDM	Cancel FDM
XFL	Exit Flight Level * (from a sector or volume of airspace)
XFRQ	Cancel Frequency message
XGEO	Cancel GEO
XHOLD	Cancel Hold
XIFL	Cancel Intermediate Flight Level
XIN	Military Crossing Intention Notifi-cation Message
XIN	Crossing intentions
XLS	Excel Programme
XMET	Cancel METAR
XML	Extensible markup Language
XMT	Excluding (Message)
XNSSR	Exit NSSR
XOFF/PDR	Cancel Off Predetermined Route
XPLN	Cancel Plan
XPNDR	Transponder *
XPT	Exit Point of a sector (ODID)
XQDM	Cancel QDM
XRA	Crossing Request Answer (SEROS / MADAP)
XRQ	Airspace Crossing Request Message (Airspace Crossing Dialogue)
XSFL	Cancel Supplementary Flight Level
XSSR	Exit SSR
XSSRBRIGHT	Cancel SSR highlight
XSTAT	Cancel Statistics
XTDCP	Cancel Test Display Control Panel
XTEDD	Cancel Test Electronic Data Display
XTK	Cross Track Distance *
XTRK	Cancel Track
XTRK	Cross Track Error *
XTT	Across Track Tolerance

Y

Y2K	Year 2000 bug
YU	The Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (ISO Countries Codes)

Z

ZDB	Zentrale Datenbank (DE)
ZKSD	Zentraler Kontrollstreifendruck (DE) / Central Flight Plan Data Processing & Strip Printing System
ZOC	Zone of Convergence
ZOE	Zone d'Echange



EATM glossary of acronyms and abbreviations

Tip: to find a specific term, use the Acrobat search : click on the binocular icon in the window bar menu

Z

ZSA	Zergo Security Architecture
ZVE	Zentrale Überwachung (DE)
ZVF	Zero Velocity Filter

Δ

Δ(delta)	Symbol for difference/increment
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E

ε (epsilon)	Symbol for azimuth increment
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Θ

Θ (Theta *)	Symbol for azimuth
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Λ

λ (lambda)	Symbol for wavelength
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M

μ (mu)	Symbol for micro (10-6)
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Π

π (pi)	Symbol for pi (approx. 3.14159)
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Σ

Σ (Sigma)	Symbol for sum
σ (small sigma)	Symbol for Standard Deviation

T

τ (Tau)	Symbol for time
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Ω

Ω (Omega)	Symbol for Omni directional.
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