

List of Abbreviations

A2/AD	Anti-Access/Area Denial
ACSA	Acquisition and Cross-Servicing Agreement
ADMM	ASEAN Defense Ministers' Meeting
ADSOM	ASEAN Defense Senior Officials' Meeting
ANZUS	Security Treaty between Australia, New Zealand and the United States of America
APEC	Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation
APSC	ASEAN Political and Security Community
AQAP	Al-Qaeda in Arabian Peninsula
ARF	ASEAN Regional Forum
ASC	ASEAN Security Community
ASDF	Air Self-Defense Force, Japan
ASEAN	Association of Southeast Asian Nations
AUSMIN	Australia United States Ministerial Consultations
AWACS	Airborne Warning and Control System
BCA	Budget Control Act of 2011, US
BMD	Ballistic Missile Defense
BMDR	Ballistic Missile Defense Review
CARAT	Cooperation Afloat Readiness and Training
CBO	Congressional Budget Office, US
CFC	ROK- US Combined Forces Command
CIA	Central Intelligence Agency, US
CIS	Commonwealth of Independent States
CMC	Central Military Commission, China
CMS	China Maritime Surveillance
CMSA	China Maritime Safety Administration
CNN	Cable News Network, US
CPC	Communist Party of China
CSTO	Collective Security Treaty Organization
DDOS	Distributed Denial of Service
DII	Defense Information Infrastructure
DiREx	Disaster Relief Exercise
DOD	Department of Defense, US
DPRK	Democratic People's Republic of Korea
DSOC	Department of Defense Strategy for Operating in Cyberspace, US
EAS	East Asia Summit
EDPC	Extended Deterrence Policy Committee, ROK

EEZ	Exclusive Economic Zone
EFV	Expeditionary Fighting Vehicle
ESPO	East Siberia-Pacific Ocean (oil pipeline)
EU	European Union
EWG	Expert Working Group
FCS	Future Combat System
FLEC	Fishery Law Enforcement Command, China
FSB	Federal'naya Sluzhba Bezopasnosti (Federal Security Service), Russia
FTA	Free Trade Agreement
F-X	Next Fighter
G20	Group of Twenty
GCC	Gulf Cooperation Council
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GPR	Global Posture Review
GPS	Global Positioning System
GSDF	Ground Self-Defense Force, Japan
GSOMIA	General Security of Military Information Agreement
IAEA	International Atomic Energy Agency
ICBM	Intercontinental Ballistic Missile
ICJ	International Court of Justice
IISS	International Institute for Strategic Studies, UK
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IRBM	Intermediate Range Ballistic Missile
ISR	Intelligence, Surveillance, Reconnaissance
JCS	Joint Chiefs of Staff, US
JMP	Joint Meeting Party, Yemen
JMSDF	Japan Maritime Self-Defense Force
JSF	Joint Strike Fighter
JSO	Joint Staff Office, Japan
JSTARS	Joint Surveillance and Target Attack Radar System
KAMD	Korea Air and Missile Defense
KGB	Komitet Gosudarstvennoy Bezopasnosti (Soviet Committee for State Security), Russia
KIDA	Korea Institute for Defense Analyses
KIDD	Korea-U.S. Integrated Defense Dialogue
KPA	Korean People's Army, DPRK
LANL	Los Alamos National Laboratory, US
LCS	Littoral Combat Ship
LIFG	Libyan Islamic Fighting Group

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LNG	Liquefied Natural Gas
MDA	Missile Defense Agency
MEB	Marine Expeditionary Brigade
MEU	Marine Expeditionary Unit
MINUSTAH	United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti
MIT	The Moscow Institute of Thermal Technology
MMCA	Military Maritime Consultative Agreement, US-China
MSDF	Maritime Self-Defense Force, Japan
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
NCO	Non-Commissioned Officer
NDC	National Defense Commission, DPRK
NDP	National Democratic Party, Egypt
NDPG	National Defense Program Guidelines, Japan
NLD	National League for Democracy, Myanmar
NLL	Northern Limit Line, Korean Peninsula
NLOS	Non-Line-of-Sight
NPR	Nuclear Posture Review, US
NPT	Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty
NSA	Negative Security Assurance
OCO	Overseas Contingency Operation
ODA	Official Development Assistance
PAC-3	PATRIOT Advanced Capability-3
PKO	Peacekeeping Operations
PLA	People's Liberation Army, China
PLAN	People's Liberation Army Navy, China
PSI	Proliferation Security Initiative
QDR	Quadrennial Defense Review, US
RCD	Rassemblement Constitutionnel Démocratique (Constitutional Democratic Rally), Tunisia
ROK	Republic of Korea
S&ED	Strategic and Economic Dialogue, US-China
SCM	Security Consultative Meeting
SCO	Shanghai Cooperation Organization
SDCF	Security and Defense Cooperation Forum
SDF	Self-Defense Forces, Japan
SITEC	Special Operations Forces Information Technology Enterprise Contract
SLBM	Submarine-Launched Ballistic Missile
SME	Small and Medium-sized Enterprise
SPDC	State Peace and Development Council, Myanmar

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SSD	Strategic Security Dialogue, US-China
SVR	Service of the External Reconnaissance of Russian Federation, Russia
TAC	Treaty of Amity and Cooperation in Southeast Asia
THAAD	Terminal High Altitude Area Defense
TTX	Table Top Exercise
UAE	United Arab Emirates
UAS	Unmanned Aircraft System
UAV	Unmanned Aerial Vehicle
UN	United Nations
UNCLOS	United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea
UNMISS	United Nations Mission in the Republic of South Sudan
USDP	Union Solidarity and Development Party, Myanmar
WHO	World Health Organization
WMD	Weapons of Mass Destruction
WPK	Worker's Party of Korea, DPRK
WTO	World Trade Organization

