

List of Abbreviations

AC	Active Component
ADIZ	Air Defense Identification Zone
AI	Artificial Intelligence
A2/AD	Anti-Access/Area Denial
ACM	Alliance Coordination Mechanism
ACSA	Acquisition and Cross-Servicing Agreement
ADMM	ASEAN Defense Ministers' Meeting
APC	Armored Personnel Carrier
APEC	Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation
ARF	ASEAN Regional Forum ASEAN
ARG	Amphibious Ready Group
ARSA	Arakan Rohingya Salvation Army
ASEM	Asia-Europe Meeting
ASEAN	Association of Southeast Asian Nations
ATACMS	Army Tactical Missile System
AWACS	Airborne Warning and Control System
BBA	Bipartisan Budget Act
BBL	Bangsamoro Basic Law
BCA	Budget Control Act
BMD	Ballistic Missile Defense
BRI	Belt and Road Initiative
BRICS	Brazil, Russia, India, China and South Africa
BRN	Barisan Revolusi Nasional
CAS	Close Air Support
CBP	Continuous Bomber Presence
CEFC	CEFC China Energy
CEO	Chief Executive Officer
CIC	Combat Information Centre
CMC	Central Military Commission
CNPC	China National Petroleum Corporation
CNRP	Cambodia National Rescue Party
COC	Code of Conduct
CPC	Communist Party of China
CPP	Cambodian People's Party
CRRC	Combat Rubber Raiding Craft
CSG	Carrier Strike Group
CSIS	Center for Strategic and International Studies
CSTO	Collective Security Treaty Organization

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CUES	Code for Unplanned Encounters at Sea
D&SD	Defense and Security Dialogue
DII	Defense Innovation Initiative
DIUx	Defense Innovation Unit Experimental
DL	Distributed Lethality
DMZ	Demilitarized Zone
DOD	Department of Defense
DPRK	Democratic People's Republic of Korea
DSCA	Defense Security Cooperation Agency
DTI	Defense Technology Institute
EAC	Enhanced Air Cooperation
EDCA	Enhanced Defense Cooperation Agreement
EEZ	Exclusive Economic Zone
EIAs	Environmental Impact Assessments
EMP	Electromagnetic Pulse
ERI	European Reassurance Initiative
ESG	Expeditionary Strike Group
EU	European Union
EWG	Expert Working Group
FBI	Federal Bureau of Investigation
FDNF	Forward Deployed Naval Forces
FGFA	Fifth Generation Fighter Aircraft
FDO	Flexible Deterrence Option
FMS	Foreign Military Sales
FMV	Swedish Defense Materiel Administration
FOM	Public Opinion Foundation
FONOPs	Freedom of Navigation Operations
FSA	Force Structure Assessment
FTX	Field Training Exercise
FY	Fiscal Year
FYDP	Future Years Defense Program
G20	Group of Twenty
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GLCM	Ground Launched Cruise Missile
GMD	Ground-based Midcourse Defense
GSOMIA	General Security of Military Information Agreement
HA/DR	Humanitarian Assistance/Disaster Relief
HASC	House Armed Services Committee
ICBM	Intercontinental Ballistic Missile
IFC	Information Fusion Centre

IISS	International Institute for Strategic Studies
INCSEA	Incidents at Sea Agreement
INF	Intermediate-Range Nuclear Forces
INTERFET	International Force East Timor
IRBM	Intermediate-Range Ballistic Missile
ISIL	Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant
ISR	Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance
JASDF	Japan Air Self-Defense Force
JCS	Joint Chiefs of Staff
JGSDF	Japan Ground Self-Defense Force
JMMC	Joint OPEC-Non-OPEC Ministerial Monitoring Committee
JMOD	Japan's Ministry of Defense
JMSDF	Japan Maritime Self-Defense Force
JUSMAG	Joint US Military Assistance Group
KAMD	Korea Air and Missile Defense
KCNA	Korean Central News Agency
KMPR	Korea Massive Punishment and Retaliation
KPA	Korean People's Army
LCS	Littoral Combat Ship
L-SAM	Long-Range Surface-to-Air Missile
MANPADS	Man-Portable Air-Defense Systems
MaRV	Maneuverable Reentry Vehicle
MBT	Main Battle Tank
MCC	Maritime Command Centers
MDA	Missile Defense Agency
MDA	Maritime Domain Awareness
MEU	Marine Expeditionary Unit
MILF	Moro Islamic Liberation Front
MRBM	Medium-Range Ballistic Missile
MRF-D	Marine Rotational Force-Darwin
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
NCPO	National Council for Peace and Order
NDAA	National Defense Authorization Act
NDP	National Defense Panel
NDS	National Defense Strategy
NEC	National Election Committee
NORINCO	North Industries Corporation
NPR	Nuclear Posture Review
NPT	Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons

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NSIB	National Security Innovation Base
NSPM	National Security Presidential Memorandum
NSS	National Security Strategy
NWC	Naval War College
OCO	Overseas Contingency Operations
O&M	Operations and Maintenance
OPCON	Operational Control
OPEC	Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries
OSCE	Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe
PACOM	United States Pacific Command
PCA	Permanent Court of Arbitration
PLA	People's Liberation Army
PLAA	PLA Army
PLAAF	PLA Air Force
PLAN	PLA Navy
QDR	Quadrennial Defense Review
ROK	Republic of Korea
RC	Reserve Component
SAG	Surface Action Group
SCM	Security Consultative Meeting
SCN	Shipbuilding Construction, Navy
SCO	Shanghai Cooperation Organization
SCO	Strategic Capabilities Office
SCTT	Submarine Command Team Trainer
SDF	Self-Defense Force
S&ED	Strategic and Economic Dialogue
SLBM	Submarine Launched Ballistic Missile
SLEP	Service Life Extension Program
SLOC	Sea Lines of Communication
SSGN	Cruise Missile Submarine Nuclear-Powered
SSN	Nuclear-Powered Attack Submarine
START	Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty
TAI	Thai Aviation Industries
TARS	Tethered Aerostat Radar System
THAAD	Terminal High Altitude Area Defense
TISA	Trilateral Information Sharing Arrangement
TPP	Trans-Pacific Partnership
UAV	Unmanned Aerial Vehicle
UNSC	United Nations Security Council
USFJ	United States Forces Japan

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USFK	United States Forces Korea
VIP	Very Important Persons
VPN	Virtual Private Network
WMD	Weapons of Mass Destruction
WPK	Workers' Party of Korea
WPNS	West Pacific Naval Symposium

