## **Acronyms and Abbreviations**

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A2/AD	anti-access/area denial	BIS	[U.S.] Bureau of Indu
ABMS	Advanced Battle Management System	BRI	Belt and Road Initiativ
ACM	Alliance Coordination Mechanism	BTF	[U.S.] Bomber Task F
ACPHEED	ASEAN Center for Public Health Emergencies and Emerging Diseases	CAI	Comprehensive Agree
ACSA	Acquisition and Cross-Servicing Agreement	СВР	Continuous Bomber P
ADB	Asian Development Bank	CCG	China Coast Guard
ADD	[ROK] Agency for Defense Development	ССР	Chinese Communist P
ADF	Australian Defence Force	CDC	[U.S.] Centers for Dis
ADMM-Plus	ASEAN Defence Ministers' Meeting Plus	CECC	[U.S.] Congressional-
AFB	Air Force Base	CEE	Central and Eastern E
AFC	[U.S.] Army Futures Command	CFC	Combined Forces Cor
AFP	Australian Federal Police	CIS	Commonwealth of Ind
AFP-GHQ	Armed Forces of the Philippines – General Headquarters	CISA	[U.S.] Cybersecurity a
AI	artificial intelligence	CIUS	Confucius Institute U.
AIIB	Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank	CJADC2	Combined Joint All-D
AIS	automatic identification system	CLCS	Commission on the Li
AIT	[U.S.] American Institute in Taiwan	CMC	[China] Central Milita
ARF	ASEAN Regional Forum	CNQP	[Vietnam] Cong Nghi
ASBM	anti-ship ballistic missile	COC	Industry) Code of Conduct
ASDF	[Japan] Air Self-Defense Force	CONUS	Continental U.S.
ASEAN	Association of Southeast Asian Nations		
ASIO	Australian Security Intelligence Organisation	COVID-19	novel coronavirus dise
ATACMS	Army Tactical Missile System	CSDP	Common Security and
AUSMIN	Australia-U.S. Ministerial Consultations	CSG	carrier strike group
AWACS	Airborne Warning and Control System	CSTO	Collective Security Tr

BAKAMLA	[Indonesia] Badan Keamanan Laut Republik Indonesia (Indonesian Maritime Security Agency)
BAPPENAS	[Indonesia] Badan Perencanaan Pembangunan Nasional (Ministry of National Development Planning)
BIS	[U.S.] Bureau of Industry and Security
BRI	Belt and Road Initiative
BTF	[U.S.] Bomber Task Force
CAI	Comprehensive Agreement on Investment
СВР	Continuous Bomber Presence
CCG	China Coast Guard
ССР	Chinese Communist Party
CDC	[U.S.] Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
CECC	[U.S.] Congressional-Executive Commission on China
CEE	Central and Eastern Europe
CFC	Combined Forces Command
CIS	Commonwealth of Independent States
CISA	[U.S.] Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency
CIUS	Confucius Institute U.S. Center
CJADC2	Combined Joint All-Domain Command and Control
CLCS	Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
СМС	[China] Central Military Commission
CNQP	[Vietnam] Cong Nghiep Quoc Phong (General Department of Defense Industry)
COC	Code of Conduct
CONUS	Continental U.S.
COVID-19	novel coronavirus disease
CSDP	Common Security and Defence Policy
CSG	carrier strike group
CSTO	Collective Security Treaty Organization

DFE	dynamic force employment	HR/VP	High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy/
DMO	Distributed Maritime Operations		Vice President of the European Commission
DOC	Declaration on the Conduct	HVP	hyper velocity projectile
DOD	[U.S.] Department of Defense	IMF	International Monetary Fund
DPRK	Democratic People's Republic of Korea	INF	Intermediate-range Nuclear Forces
DTT	Defense Trilateral Talks	IRF	Interim Readiness Frigate
E2DE	escalate to de-escalate	ISR	intelligence, surveillance, and reconnaissance
EABO	Expeditionary Advanced Base Operations	IUU	illegal, unreported, and unregulated
EAR	Export Administration Regulations	JADC2	Joint All-Domain Command and Control
EAS	East Asia Summit	JADO	Joint All-Domain Operations
EASR	East Asian Strategic Review	JSTARS	Joint Surveillance Target Attack Radar System
EEZ	exclusive economic zone	JWC	Joint Warfighting Concept
EMS	electromagnetic spectrum	KAMD	Korea Air and Missile Defense
ESDP	European Security and Defence Policy	KCNA	[DPRK] Korean Central News Agency
EU	European Union	KPA	[DPRK] Korean People's Army
EUGS	EU Global Strategy	LCS	littoral combat ship
FBI	[U.S.] Federal Bureau of Investigation	LMC	Lancang-Mekong Cooperation
FCC	[U.S.] Futures and Concepts Center	LMS	littoral mission ship
FDI	foreign direct investment	LNG	liquefied natural gas
FOIP	-	LOCE	Littoral Operations in a Contested Environment
	Free and Open Indo-Pacific	LRASM	long-range anti-ship missile
FONOP	freedom of navigation operation	L-SAM	long-range surface-to-air missile
FSB	[Russia] Federal'naia sluzhba bezopasnosti (Federal Security Service)	LST	landing ship tank
FTA	Free Trade Agreement	MD	Minister of Defense
GDP	gross domestic product	MDC2	Multi-Domain Command and Control
GSDF	[Japan] Ground Self-Defense Force	MDL	Military Demarcation Line
GSOMIA	General Security of Military Information Agreement	MDO	Multi-Domain Operations
HA/DR	humanitarian assistance and disaster relief	MDOC-F	[U.S.] Multidomain Operations Center – Forward
HIMARS	High Mobility Artillery Rocket System		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

MDT	Mutual Defense Treaty	OPCON	Operational Control
MDTF	[U.S.] Multi-Domain Task Force	OSCE	Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe
MEF	minimum essential forces	PC	Project Convergence
MERS	Middle East respiratory syndrome	PCR	polymerase chain reaction
MOD	[Japan] Ministry of Defense	PESCO	Permanent Structured Cooperation
MPA	maritime patrol aircraft	PIF	Pacific Islands Forum
MRL	multiple rocket launcher	PLA	[China] People's Liberation Army
MRO	maintenance, repair and overhaul	PPE	personal protective equipment
MSDF	[Japan] Maritime Self-Defense Force	PRC	People's Republic of China
MSI	Maritime Security Initiative	PSBB	[Indonesia] Pembatasan Sosial Berskala Besar (large-scale social restrictions)
MSSARS	multipurpose submarine search-and-rescue ship	QMV	Qualified Majority Voting
NAS	Naval Air Squadron	RAFPMP	[Philippines] Revised AFP Modernization Program
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization	RAMSI	Regional Assistance Mission to Solomon Islands
NBC	nuclear, biological, and chemical	RIMPAC	Rim of the Pacific Exercise
NCSC	[U.S.] National Counterintelligence and Security Center	RINO	Republican in name only
NDPG	[Japan] National Defense Program Guidelines	RMAF	Royal Malaysian Air Force
NDS	[U.S.] National Defense Strategy	RMN	Royal Malaysian Navy
New START	New Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty	ROK	Republic of Korea
NHK-1	Nike Hercules Korea-1	SAR	[China] Special Administrative Region
NIDS	[Japan] National Institute for Defense Studies	SAREX	Search and Rescue Exercise
NLL	Northern Limit Line	SARS	severe acute respiratory syndrome
NPC	[China] National People's Congress	SCM	Security Consultative Meeting
NPT	Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons	SCO	Shanghai Cooperation Organization
NSC	National Security Council	SDF	[Japan] Self-Defense Forces
NSM	Naval Strike Missile	SIGMA	Ship Integrated Geometrical Modularity Approach
NSS	[Japan] National Security Secretariat	SLBM	submarine-launched ballistic missile
OAS			
UAS	Organization of American States	SM-3	Standard Missile-3

SRBM	short-range ballistic missile
SSA	Space Situational Awareness
SVR	[Russia] Sluzhba Vneshney Razvedki (Foreign Intelligence Service)
THAAD	Terminal High Altitude Area Defense
TPP	Trans-Pacific Partnership
TSD	Trilateral Strategic Dialogue
TTIP	Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership
UAV	unmanned aerial vehicle
UN	United Nations
UNC	United Nations Command
UNCLOS	United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
USFK	United States Forces Korea
VFA	Visiting Forces Agreement
WFP	World Food Programme
WHO	World Health Organization
WPK	[DPRK] Workers' Party of Korea
XPSB	[China] Xinjiang Public Security Bureau
XUAR	[China] Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous Region
17+1	17 Central and Eastern European countries plus China