

GLOSSARY

AA&E	arms, ammunition, and explosives		cubic displacement, and distance to be flown, that may be transported by specified aircraft
AAFES	Army and Air Force Exchange Service		
AAR	Association of American Railroads		
abn	airborne	amb	ambulance
ABS	American Bureau of Shipping	amb1	airmobile
AC	Active Component	ambt	ambulatory
ACD	automated cargo documentation	AMC	Air Mobility Command; Army Materiel Command
acft	aircraft	AMCCOM	(US Army) Armament Munitions and Chemical Command
ACL	allowable cargo (cabin) load	AMCR	Air Mobility Command Regulation
ACofS	Assistant Chief of Staff	AMDF	Army Master Data File
ACR	armored cavalry regiment	AMEDD	Army Medical Department
ADA	air defense artillery	ammo	ammunition
A/DACG	arrival/departure airfield control group	amph	amphibious
ADC	area damage control	AMS	anchor mooring system
admin	administration	anchorage	a harbor, river, or offshore area that can accommodate a ship at anchor for quarantine, queuing, or discharge
ADP	automatic data processing	ANSI	American National Standards Institute
ADPE	automatic data processing equipment	ANSI/ISO	American National Standards Institute/International Organization for Standardization
ADPS	automatic data processing system	AOC	airlift operations center
AFB	Air Force base	AP	armor-piercing
AFOE	assault follow-on echelon	APC	armored personnel carrier
AG	Adjutant General	APOD	aerial port of debarkation
AGL	above ground load	APOE	aerial port of embarkation
Air Mobility Command (AMC)	the single-manager operating agency for designated airlift service; operates as a TCC of the USTRANSCOM; provides worldwide airlift and aerial refueling support for the DOD (formerly Military Airlift Command)	approx	approximately
AIS	automated information system	APU	auxiliary power unit
ALOC	air lines of communication	AR	Army regulation
allowable cargo (cabin) load	the amount of cargo and passengers, determined by weight,	ARINC	Aeronautical Radio, Incorporated
		armd	armored

arrival airfield control group	the organization that receives transported units from the Air Force carrier and controls them until released to their parent unit	BASE	basic Army strategic estimates
arty	artillery	BB	break-bulk
ASE	aircraft survivability equipment	bbl	barrel
ASG	area support group	BC	barge, cargo
ASIOE	Associated Support Item of Equipment	BD	battlefield distribution
ASMP	Army Strategic Mobility Plan/Program	bde	brigade
ASP	ammunition supply point	BDL	beach discharge lighter
ASR	alternate supply route	berth	designated area alongside a wharf or anchorage
AT	antitank	BMU	beachmaster unit
ATACMS	Army Tactical Missile System	bn	battalion
ATCOM	United States Army Aviation Troop Command	BOE	Bureau of Explosives
ATMCT	air terminal movement control teams	BP	boiling point
attn	attention	break-bulk	to unload and distribute a portion or all of a shipment
auth	authorized	brg	bridge
AUTODIN	automatic digital network	C	Celsius
aux	auxiliary	CAA	command arrangement agreement
aval	available	cal	caliber
avdp	avoirdupois	cap	capacity
avg	average	cargo offering	a requirement placed on a movement control authority by a shipping activity to obtain instructions for shipment of cargo
AVIM	aviation intermediate maintenance	cargo transporter	reusable, metal, shipping container designated for worldwide surface and air movement of supplies and equipment
avn	aviation	cart	cartridge
avoirdupois	weight a system of weights and measures based on a pound containing 16 ounces or 7,000 grains and equal to 453.59 grams	cav	cavalry
AVUM	aviation unit maintenance	CB	center of balance
AWR-3	Army War Reserve-3	cbt	combat
backhaul	shipment of material to or through an area from which the material had previously been shipped	CDE	chemical defense equipment
back loading	the act of loading outbound cargo on a semitrailer that delivered inbound cargo	CDI	cargo disposition instructions
		cdr	commander
		CDS	container delivery system

- C-E communications-electronics
- center of gravity the hub of all power and movement upon which everything depends; that characteristic, capability, or location from which enemy and friendly forces derive their freedom of action, physical strength, or the will to fight
- CEOI communications-electronics operation instructions
- CEWI combat electronic warfare intelligence
- CF causeway ferry; convertible freighter
- CFR Code of Federal Regulation
- CG center of gravity
- cgo cargo
- CH cargo helicopter
- chap chapter
- CHAP/VUL CHAPARRAL/VULCAN
- CHE cargo handling equipment
- CHET commercial heavy equipment transporter
- chg charge
- CINC commander in chief
- CINCCENT Commander in Chief, Central Command
- Civil Reserve Air Fleet Civil air carriers of US registry that contractually commit themselves to provide personnel, services, and aircraft to support AMC under stated emergency conditions
- CL centerline
- close operations offensive or defensive operations where forces are in immediate contact with the enemy
- co company
- CODES computerized deployment system
- COFC container-on-flatcar
- C of E Corps of Engineers
- combat service support the focus of logistics at the tactical level of war; the synchronization of essential functions, activities, and tasks necessary to sustain soldiers and their weapon systems in an area of operations; includes but is not limited to that support rendered by service support troops to arm, fuel, fix, move, man, and sustain soldiers and their equipment
- combat zone that area required by combat forces for the conduct of operations forward of the army rear area boundary
- COMINT communications intelligence
- comm communication
- commander's intent a concise expression of the purpose of an operation, a description of the desired end state, and the way in which the posture of that goal facilitates transition to future operations
- common service that function performed by one military service in support of another military service for which reimbursement is not required from the service receiving support
- common-user transportation a point-to-point transportation service managed by a single service for common use by two or more services or other authorized agencies for which reimbursement is normally required from the service or agency receiving support
- communications zone the rear part of the theater of war or theater of operations that contains the lines of communication, theater logistic bases, forward operating bases, and other agencies required for the immediate support and maintenance of the field forces; extends back to the CONUS base
- COMMZ communications zone
- COMPASS Computerized Movement Planning and Status System
- COMSEC communications security
- CONEX container express

- cont continued
- container a reusable cargo container that is assigned a permanent control number; and container (for example, crate) packed with more than one shipment unit and assigned a one-time, container-control number according to Appendix B3, DOD Regulation 4500.32-R
- container control activity an activity exercising overall administrative control of container service and the movement of cargo transporters to, from, and within a theater. This activity is assigned to the freight movement division of the movement control agency
- container control officer a designated officer within an installation who receives and dispatches cargo transporters and who is responsible for control, efficient use, and report of cargo transporters at that installation. Said officer has custodial property responsibility for cargo transporters from the time received until he reports their dispatch
- controlled route a route, the use of which is subject to traffic or movement restrictions
- control point a position along a route of march at which men are stationed to give information and instructions for the regulation of supply of traffic
- contr(s) container(s)
- CONUS continental United States
- coord coordination, coordinating
- COR cargo outturn report
- COSCOM corps support command
- CP command post; checkpoint
- CR curve resistance
- CRAF Civil Reserve Air Fleet
- CS combat support
- CSA corps support area
- CSR controlled supply rate; controlled supply route
- CSS combat service support
- CSSAMO CSS automation management offices
- CS3 combat service support system
- CTF commander, task force
- C3I command, control, and communications integration
- cu cubic
- CUCV commercial utility cargo vehicle
- CVA carrier, vertical assault
- CWR calm water ramp
- CZ combat zone
- DA Department of the Army
- DACG departure airfield control group
- DAMMS-R Department of the Army Movement Management System-Redesigned
- date shipped the date a shipment is released by the consignor to the carrier
- DBP drawbar pull
- DCD Directorate of Combat Developments
- DCSLOG Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics
- DD Department (of) Defense (form)
- DDC division data center
- dem1 demolition
- demobilization the act of returning the force and materiel to a premobilization posture or to some other approved posture; also involves returning the mobilized portion of the industrial base to peacetime conditions
- density weight displacement of freight per cubic foot or other unit of volume
- departure airfield control group the organization provided by the supported force that will control the deploying unit to be airlifted from the marshaling area until released to the TALCE at the ready line. Upon acceptance into DACG, all equipment belongs to the DACG commander until released to the Air Force. DACG functions are the same for any service that is being airlifted

deployment	the relocation of forces to desired areas of operations; the movement of forces within areas of operations	DS	direct support
det	detonating	DSA	division support area
DIA	Defense Intelligence Agency	DSN	defense system network
DIAM	Defense Intelligence Agency Manual	DSU	direct support unit
DISCOM	division support command	DTO	division transportation office(r)
dispatch route	a roadway over which full control, both as to priorities of use and regulation of movement of traffic in time and space, is exercised. A movement credit is required for its use by an independent vehicle or group of vehicles, regardless of number or type	DTS	Defense Transportation System
distribution system	that complex of facilities, installations, methods, and procedures designed to receive, store, maintain, distribute, and control the flow of military materiel between the point of receipt into the military system and the point of issue to using activities and units	DTT	destination truck terminal
div	division	DWT	deadweight ton(nage)
diversion	the rerouting of cargo or passengers to a new transshipment point or destination or to a different mode of transportation before arrival at ultimate destination	DZ	drop zone
DLA	Defense Logistics Agency	ea	each
DMA	Defense Mapping Agency	EAC	echelon above corps
DMAHTC	Defense Mapping Agency Hydrographic/Topographic Center	EAT	external air transport
DO	director of operations	ECCM	electronic counter-countermeasures
DOC	Department of Commerce	EDSS	equipment deployment and storage systems
doctrine	fundamental principles by which military forces guide their actions in support of national objectives. Doctrine is authoritative but requires judgement in application	elct	electronics
DOD	Department of Defense	elec	electric
DOI	Department of the Interior	EM	enlisted member
DOT	Department of Transportation	emerg	emergency
DPSC	Defense Personnel Support Center	eng	engineer
		EPW	enemy prisoner of war
		equip	equipment
		ETA	estimated time of arrival
		ETD	estimated time of departure
		ETR	export traffic release
		EXTAL	extra time allowance
		EZ	extraction zone
		F	Fahrenheit
		FA	field artillery
		FAW	front axle weight (in pounds)
		FC	floating causeway; field circular
		FCU	fuel consumption unit
		FLOFLO	float-on/float-off
		FLOT	forward line of own troops

FM	frequency modulated; field manual	GCA	ground-controlled approach
FMS	floating maintenance shop	gen	general
FMTV	Family of Medium Tactical Vehicles	GM	guided missile
FOH	front overhang	GMT	Greenwich mean time
force projection	the movement of military forces from CONUS or a theater in response to requirements of war or operations other than war. Force projection operations extend from mobilization and deployment of forces, to redeployment to CONUS or home theater, to subsequent demobilization	gp	group
FORSCOM	(United States) Forces Command	GP	general purpose
FOS	full operational status	GPM	gallons per minute
4K RTFLT	4,000-pound capacity rough terrain forklift truck	GR	grade resistance
frag	fragmentation	gross weight	for palletized cargo, total weight of the cargo, pallet, and tie-down equipment; for unpalletized cargo, the actual (scale) weight of the cargo
FRAGO	fragmentary order	GS	general support
frustrated cargo	any shipment of supplies and/or equipment which, while en route to destination, is stopped before receipt and for which further disposition instructions must be obtained	GSA	General Services Administration
FS	floor station	GSU	general support unit
FSS	fast sealift ship	GTL	gross trailing load
FSTC	United States Army Foreign Science and Technology Center	h	height
ft	foot, feet	H & S	hot and serve
ft/sec	feet per second	hazardous materials	any material that is flammable, corrosive, oxidative, explosive, toxic, radioactive, or unduly magnetic
FTRAC	full-tracked vehicle	HAZMAT	hazardous materials
fwd	forward	HCP	health and comfort pack
g	gravity; unit of force	HE	high explosive
G3	general staff operations	HEMAT	heavy expanded ammunition trailer
G4	general staff supply	HEMTT	heavy expanded mobility tactical truck
ga	gauge	HET	heavy equipment transporter
GAA	grease, artillery, and automotive	hgt	height
gal	gallon	HHC	headquarters and headquarters company
GBL	government bill of lading	HHG	household goods
		HICHS	Helicopter Internal Cargo Handling System
		highway traffic headquarters	headquarters exercising highway regulations to use highway transportation facilities and equipment most effectively according to assigned tasks.

Regulations provide guidance for planning, routing, scheduling, and directing actual use of the highways by vehicles, personnel afoot (including troops, refugees, and other civilians), and animals	inf infantry
HLPS heavy lift prepositioned ship	installation transportation officer a qualified individual appointed on competent orders to serve a military installation or activity that requires commercial transportation service. Said officer serves as a member of the technical staff of the commander of the activity to which assigned and as the point of contact between the installation or activity and the representative of the movement management system
HMMWV high mobility multipurpose wheeled vehicle	INTACS Integrated Tactical Communications System
HMMS HELLFIRE modern missile system	intel intelligence
HN host nation	intelligence the product resulting from collection, processing, integration, analysis, evaluation, and interpretation of available information concerning foreign countries or areas
HNS host nation support	intertheater shipments shipments that move into or out of the theater through water or aerial terminals
hosp hospital	in-transit visibility the immediate availability of data pertaining to the location of materiel in-transit from the provider to the requester (from the factory to the foxhole)
host nation support civil and/or military assistance rendered by a nation to foreign forces within its territory during peacetime, times of crisis, emergencies, or war; assistance provided during war is based upon agreements mutually concluded between nations	intratheater shipments movements originating and terminating within the theater
how howitzer	IPDS inland petroleum distribution system
HP horsepower	ISO International Standards Organization
HQ headquarters	ISU internal airlift/helicopter slingable container unit. The EDSS air dominant system certified for helicopter internal/external airlift, AMC aircraft, and combat off-load
hr hour(s)	ITO installation transportation office(r)
HRP highway regulation point	ITV in-transit visibility
HTH highway traffic headquarters	IWW inland waterway
hvy heavy	JLOTS joint logistics over the shore
IAW in accordance with	JMC Joint Movement Center
IBS Integrated Booking System	JTB Joint Transportation Board
ICC Interstate Commerce Commission	
ICODES Improved Computerized Deployment System	
IDA Institute of Defense Analysis	
IFR instrument flight rules	
imp imperial	
imperial of or relating to the British Imperial System of weights and measures	
in inch(es)	

JTF	joint task force	logistics	the process of planning and executing the movement and sustainment of forces in the execution of military operations. Logistics includes the design, development, acquisition, storage, movement, distribution, maintenance, evacuation, and disposition of materiel; the acquisition, preparation, maintenance, equipping, movement, and health service support of personnel; the acquisition or furnishing of services; and the acquisition, construction, maintenance, operation, and disposition of facilities. Logistics is an overarching function that must encompass the range of military operations. At the tactical level, logistics focuses on the traditional CSS functions of arming, fixing, fueling, manning, moving, and sustaining soldiers
km	kilometer(s)	logistics base	a principal or supplementary base of support; a locality containing installations that provide logistics or other support
KMIH	kilometers in the hour	logistics-over-the-shore operations	the loading and unloading of ships without the benefit of fixed port facilities
kn	knot(s)	LOGMARS	Logistics Applications of Automated Marking and Reading Symbology
KPH	kilometers per hour	LOLO	lift-on/lift-off
kw	kilowatt(s)	long ton	a unit of ship capacity or weight equal to 2,240 pounds
l	liter(s)	LOTS	logistics over the shore
LAPES	low altitude parachute extraction system	LRP	long range patrol
LARC	lighter, amphibious resupply cargo	LS	loadmaster station
LASH	lighter aboard ship	LSD	landing ship, dock
lb	pound(s)	LST	landing ship, tank
LCC	lighter control center	LSV	logistics support vessel
LCM	landing craft, mechanized	lt	light
LCU	landing craft, utility	LT	large tug; lieutenant
LE	low explosive	LTON	long ton
liaison	that contact or intercommunication maintained between elements of military forces to ensure mutual understanding and unity of purpose and action	LVAD	low velocity air drop
LID	light infantry division	LVTP	landing vehicle, track, personnel
liq	liquid		
LKA	amphibious cargo ship ¹		
LMSR	large, medium-speed roll-on/roll-off vessel		
LMTV	Light Medium Tactical Vehicle		
LO	liaison officer		
LOA	length overall		
load	a grouping of vehicles, equipment, and/or passengers to be loaded into a specific aircraft		
loading plan	a document that presents in detail all instructions for the arrangements of personnel and equipment aboard a given aircraft or vessel; also serves as a manifest		
LOC	lines of communication		
log	logistics		
LOGCAP	Logistics Civil Augmentation Program		

LWL	load waterline	mgt	management
LZ	landing zone	MHE	materials-handling equipment
m	meter(s)	mi	mile
m/sec	meters per second	MIH	miles in the hour
MA	marshalling area	Military Road Maneuver Network	the road system required by a commander for conducting a specific operation and for the required logistical support of that operation. It is defined and controlled (allotment of maneuver credits) by the military authorities, national or allied, according to the breakdown of responsibilities in the theater of operations
MAB	mobile floating assault bridge-ferry (US)	Military Road Network	includes all routes designated in peacetime by the host nations to meet anticipated military movements and transport movements, both allied and national
MACOM	major Army command	Military Sealift Command	the single-manager of ocean transportation to provide, under one authority, the control, operation, and administration of sealift for personnel, mail, and cargo of DOD; operates as a TCC of the USTRANSCOM (formerly Military Sea Transportation Service)
mag	magazine	military terminal	any water or aerial port of embarkation operated by or for a military department as a terminal facility for receiving, loading, unloading, and forwarding military personnel or property. This term includes commercial terminals where activities are conducted under the guidance of the military
maint	maintenance	Military Traffic Management Command	the jointly staffed, industrially funded major Army command, serving as the DOD single-manager operating agency for military traffic, land transportation, and common-user ocean terminal service; operates as a TCC of the USTRANSCOM
MAP	Military Assistance Program	MILSTAMP	Military Standard Transportation and Movement Procedures
MARAD	Maritime Administration	MIL-STD	military standard
MATCO	Military Air Traffic Coordination Office	MILSTRIP	Military Standard Requisitioning and Issue Procedures
materials-handling equipment	mechanical devices for handling supplies with greater ease and economy. Examples include forklifts, roller conveyors, and loaders		
materiel management	the supervision of supplies and equipment throughout strategic-, operational-, and tactical-level areas of operation		
max	maximum		
MC	movement control		
MCA	movement control agency		
MCC	movement control center		
MCO	movement control officer		
MCT	movement control team		
mdm	medium		
mech	mechanized		
MED	Mediterranean		
MEDDAC	medical department activity		
METL	mission-essential task list		
metric ton	a unit of internal capacity for ships equal to 100 cubic feet		
METT-T	mission, enemy, troops, terrain and weather, and time available		
mg	machine gun		

MILVAN	military-owned demountable container	MST	maintenance support team
MIN	minute	mtd	mounted
mk	mark	MTMC	Military Traffic Management Command
ml	milliliter(s)	MTMCTEA	Military Traffic Management Command Transportation Engineering Agency
MLB	metallic link belt	MTON	measurement ton
MLRS	multiple launch rocket system	MTP	motor transport plan/planning
MLW	mean lower water	MTV	medium tactical vehicle
mm	millimeter(s)	NA	not applicable
MMC	Materiel Management Center	nautical mile	international unit equal to 6076.11549 feet or 1,852 meters
M973/A1	carrier, cargo tracked, 1 1/2 ton	NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
mo	month(s)	Navaid	radio-navigation
mobilization	the process by which the Armed Forces or a portion thereof is brought to a state of readiness for war or other national emergency; includes activating all or part of the RC, as well as assembling and organizing personnel, supplies, and materiel	NBC	nuclear, biological, chemical
MOGAS	motor gasoline	NCO	noncommissioned officer
mole	a structure with a breakwater on one side and a loading/unloading facility on the other	NCOIC	noncommissioned officer in charge
movement control	the planning, routing, scheduling, and controlling of personnel and supply movements over LOCs; also, an organization responsible for these functions	NDRF	National Defense Reserve Fleet
MOVEPLAN	Military Application Program Package	NDT	net division tonnage
MP	military police	NEA	Northeast Asia
MPH	miles per hour	NICAD	nickel cadmium
MRC	manpower requirements criteria	NM	nautical mile
MRE	meal, ready-to-eat	no	number
MRP	movement regulating point	NSN	national stock number
MRS	Mobility Requirements Study	NSP	non-self-propelled
MRT	movement regulating team	NT	number of passing tracks
MSB	main support battalion	NTL	net trainload
MSC	Military Sealift Command	OB	route obstruction
MSR	main supply route	OD	olive drab
		off	offensive
		OG	olive green
		OIC	officer in charge
		op	operator, operations, operating
		OPCON	operational control

- operations other than war military activities during peacetime and conflict that do not necessarily involve armed clashes between two organized forces
- OPLAN operations plan
- OPORD operation order
- OPSEC operations security
- ORP ocean reception point
- OTT origin truck terminal
- outsize cargo cargo that exceeds the capabilities of the C-141B aircraft and requires the use of a C-5A/B
- OVE on-vehicle equipment
- oversize cargo any single item that exceeds any one of the following dimensions: 104 inches long, 84 inches wide, and 96 inches high, and will not fit on a 463L pallet
- oz ounce(s)
- pallet, 463L a flat base (platform) used for combining cargo, equipment, or a single load item to facilitate the storing, handling, and air transporting of these items with the Air Force 463L materials-handling system
- pax passengers
- PD point detonating
- perc percussion
- pers personnel
- pier a structure that projects from the shoreline to accommodate ships in discharge and loading. Often both sides are designed to receive ships
- PLL prescribed load list
- PLS palletized load system
- PM provost marshal
- PND Ports for National Defense
- PNL prescribed nuclear load
- POC point of contact
- POD point of debarkation
- POE point of embarkation
- POL petroleum, oils, and lubricants
- port of debarkation an aerial or seaport within the theater of operations where the strategic transportation of forces is completed; it may not be the force's final destination
- port of embarkation an air or sea terminal at which troops, units, military-sponsored personnel, unit equipment, and materiel are boarded or loaded
- port support activity a flexible support organization composed of mobilization station assets that ensures the equipment of deploying units is ready to load. The PSA operates unique equipment in conjunction with ship loading operations and is controlled by the military port commander
- POV privately owned vehicle
- POW prisoner of war
- PP&O plans, programs, and operations
- prct practice
- PREPO prepositioned
- prop propelling
- PSA port support activity
- psi pounds per square inch
- pst pass time
- pt point
- PZ pickup zone
- qt quart
- qty quantity
- QUADCON quadruple container. The EDSS ground dominant system used by units to deploy by sea. The primary surface/sea deployment system
- quay a structure running parallel to the shoreline used to accommodate ships for discharge and loading
- RAW rear axle weight (in pounds)

R/CW	ration, cold weather	RTFLT	rough terrain forklift truck
RC	Reserve Component	RWI	radio and wire integration
rd	rounds	S1	Adjutant (US Army)
RDD	required delivery date	S2	Intelligence Officer (US Army)
RDL	reference datum line	S3	Operations and Training Officer (US Army)
Ready Reserve Force	quick response ships in the National Defense Reserve Fleet, maintained in a high state of readiness by the Maritime Administration for activation in 5, 10, or 20 days. Part of the MSC program	S4	Supply Officer (US Army)
receiving transportation officer	the transportation officer serving the ultimate consignee	/s/	signed
ref	reference	SB	support base; supply bulletin
REFORGER	return of forces to Germany	S&P	stake and platform
refrig	refrigerated	SEABEE	sea barge
report of shipment	notification by the shipper to the consignee that a specific shipment is en route	sec	second
REPSHIP	report of shipment	SECDEF	Secretary of Defense
reserved route	a route, the use of which is allocated exclusively to a particular authority or formation, or that is intended to meet a particular requirement	SEDRE	Sea Emergency Deployment Readiness Exercise
RLT	rolling liquid transporter	SF	standard form
ROH	rear overhang	SGM	sergeant(s) major
RORO	roll-on/roll-off	short ton	a unit of ship capacity or weight equal to 2,000 pounds
ROS	reduced operational status	6K VRRFLT	6,000-pound capacity variable reach rough terrain forklift truck
route	the prescribed course to be traveled from a specific point of origin to a specific destination	SLWT	side loadable warping tug
RP	release point	SM	speedometer multiplier
RR	rolling resistance	SOI	signal operating instruction(s)
RRDF	roll-on/roll-off discharge facility	SOP	standing operating procedure
RRF	Ready Reserve Force	SP	start point; self-propelled
RT	running time	special cargo	cargo that requires special handling or protection, such as pyrotechnics or precision instruments
RTCC	rough terrain container crane	SPOD	seaport of debarkation
RTCH	rough-terrain container handler	SPOE	seaport of embarkation
		spotting	the placing of trailers, container transporters, or railcars where required to be loaded or unloaded
		sq	square
		SRC	Standard Requirements Code

SST system support team	column of 10 or more vehicles or by any vehicle of exceptional size or weight
S&T supply and transport	SUSV small unit support vehicle
STANAG standardization agreement	svc service, servicing
statute mile unit of distance equal to 5,280 feet (1,760 yards or 1.609 kilometers)	SWA Southwest Asia
std standard	/t/ typed
stlr semitrailer	T ton
st mi statute mile	TA theater army
STON short ton	TAACOM theater army area command
stor storage	T-ACS auxiliary crane ship ²
strategic airlift the continuous or sustained movement of units, personnel, and materiel in support of all DOD agencies between area commands or between CONUS and overseas areas. Strategic airlift resources have the capability to airland or airdrop troops, supplies, and equipment for augmentation of tactical forces when required	T-AKR auxiliary cargo, roll on/roll off ²
strategic mobility the capability to deploy and sustain military forces worldwide in support of national strategy; transportation actions using national assets, both military and civilian, in support of a force projection mission	TALCE tanker airlift control element
strategic sealift the afloat prepositioning and ocean movement of military materiel in support of US and Allied forces or other government-sponsored materiel deemed in the national interest. Strategic sealift includes both government owned and commercially acquired assets (US and foreign flag) and associated shipping services	tanker airlift control element a deployed element of an Air Force airlift control squadron. A composite organization tailored to support airlift missions transiting locations where C2, mission reporting, or support functions, are nonexistent or require augmentation
strategy the art and science of employing the armed forces and other elements of national power during peace, conflict, and war to secure national security objectives	TAV total asset visibility
sup supply	TB technical bulletin
supervised route a roadway over which control is exercised by a traffic control authority by means of traffic control posts, traffic patrols, or both. A movement credit is required for its use by a	TC training circular
	TCC transportation component command
	TCMD Transportation Control And Movement Document
	TCN transportation control number
	TD train density
	TDA table(s) of distribution and allowances
	TD2 double track TD
	TDY temporary duty
	TE tractive effort
	tk tank
	tlr trailer
	TM technical manual
	TMCA theater movement control agency
	TMO transportation movement office(r)

- TMR transportation movement release
- TMT transportation motor transport
- TNT trinitrotoluene
- TOE table(s) of organization and equipment
- TOFC trailer-on-flatcar
- Ton-miles a unit of measure expressed in number of STONs moved over a specific distance in miles
- total asset visibility the immediate availability of data pertaining to the location of materiel in storage or in transit from the provider to the requester
- TOW tube-launched, optically tracked, wire-guided missile
- TP transportation priority
- TPFDD time-phased force and deployment data
- trac tractor
- tracing the act of requesting the location of a shipment to expedite its movement or to establish delivery time
- traffic control post point on the highway where the military police enforce highway traffic control and furnish information and directions
- trans transportation; transporter
- TRANSCOM transportation command
- transportation control and movement document the basic cargo movement document containing the information necessary to make movement management decisions through the worldwide DOD transportation system
- transportation movement office an office designed to coordinate all movements to be carried out and to ensure maximum use of available resources. These movement offices are assigned to the communications zone, the field army, and the corps support brigade
- transportation movement release shipping instructions issued by a movement control authority in response to a cargo offering
- transportation officer the person appointed or designated by the commander of a military activity to perform transportation services and movement management at a district, base, installation, or activity. This term also applies to movement management officers
- trk truck
- trl trailer
- TRS transportation railway service
- TSM terminal support module
- TT terminal time; truck terminal
- TTP terminal transfer point; trailer transfer point
- TTU transportation terminal unit
- TVAR task vehicle availability rate
- UH utility helicopter
- UMO unit movement officer
- unit loading the loading of troop units with their equipment and supplies in the same ship, aircraft, or land vehicle
- URS unit reference sheet
- US United States
- USACASCOM United States Army Combined Arms Support Command
- USAF United States Air Force
- USARSO US Army, South
- USCG United States Coast Guard
- USCINCTRANSCOM Commander in Chief, United States Transportation Command
- USMC United States Marine Corps
- USN United States Navy
- USNS United States Naval ship (civilian manned)
- USTRANSCOM United States Transportation Command
- util utility
- VA Virginia
- veh vehicle

VPH	vehicles per hour	wown	without winch
VPK	vehicles per kilometer	WP	white phosphorous
VPM	vehicles per mile	WPOD	water port of debarkation
VSF	vessel stowage factor	WPS	Worldwide Port System
w	width	WR	washroom
w/	with	wt	weight
w/b	webbed belt	WTCA	water terminal clearance authority
WB	wheelbase	ww	with winch
wgt	weight	yd	yard
wharf	a general term for mole, pier, or quay	y	year
whl	wheeled	Z	Zulu Time; Greenwich Mean Time
wkr	wrecker	ZT	zone time
w/o	without		

¹ Navy category code for specific type of vessel (supports Navy/Marine amphibious operation)

² Managed and operated by Military Sealift Command