

# Glossary of terms (Acronyms)



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Reference	Description
AAQG	Americas Aerospace Quality Group
AAR	Air-to-Air Refuelling
A2LA	American Association for Laboratory Accreditation
AC	Airworthiness Circular
ACARE	Advisory Council for Aerospace Research in Europe
ACS	Accessory Control Specification
ACSI	American Customer Satisfaction Index
AD	Airworthiness Directive
ADVENT	Adaptive Versatile Engine Technology
AE	Allison Engine Company (now Rolls-Royce Corporation)
ASD - EASE	Aerospace and Defence Industries in Europe - European Aerospace Supplier Evaluation
AEM	Advanced Engineering Memorandum
AEW	Airborne Early Warning
AEW&C	Airborne Early Warning & Control
AFRL	Air Force Research Laboratory (United States of America)
AH	Attack Helicopter
AIR	Aerospace Industry Reports (AIR Publications)
AJT	Advanced Jet Trainer
AM	Airworthiness Manual
AMC	Acceptable Means of Compliance
AMO	Approved Maintenance Organisation
AMRTT	Advanced Multi-Role Tanker Transport
AMS	Aerospace Material Specifications
AMS	American Military Standard
A&M	Approve & Maintain
ANSI - RAB	American National Standards Institute - Registrar Accreditation Board
AOG	Aircraft On Ground
AP	Accounting Period
AP	Asia Pacific (geographic region)
APAQG	Asia-Pacific Aerospace Quality Group
APQP	Advanced Product Quality Planning
APS	Aftermarket Purchase Services
AQIS	Australian Quarantine and Inspection Service
AQL	Acceptable Quality Level
AQP	Advanced Quality Planning
ARH	Armed Reconnaissance Helicopter
ARP	Aerospace Recommended Practices
AR&O	Aero Repair and Overhaul
AS	Aerospace Standard
ASA	Aviation Suppliers Association
ASD	Aerospace and Defence Industries of Europe
ASME	American Society of Mechanical Engineers
ASNT	American Society of Non-Destructive Testing
ASTM	American Society for Testing and Materials
ASTOVL	Assisted Short Take-Off and Vertical Landing
ATA	Air Transport Association (of America)
ATP	Advanced Turbo-Prop
ATS	Acceptance (Production) Test Schedule
AVD	Application for Variance / Deviation
AVT	Augmented Vectored Thrust
AWACS	Airborne Warning and Control System
AWS	American Welding Society
BCM	Business Community Management

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Reference	Description
BCP	Business Continuity Plan / Planning
BCR	Build Customer Relationships
BDD	Basic Design Document
BDLI	Bundesverband der Deutschen Luft und Raumfahrt Industrie E.V. (Association of German Aviation and Space Equipment Manufacturers)
BDS	Balanced Delivery Score
BER	Beyond Economic Repair
BFCU	Barometric Flow Control Unit
BFE	Buyer – Finished Equipment
BIE	Business in the Environment
BIQ	Build In Quality
BOF	Bought-Out Finished
BOM	Bill of Material
BOT	Blade-Off Test
BPM	Business Process Model
BPSD	Boeing Propulsion Systems Division
BQS	Balanced Quality Score
BR	Book of Reference
BS	British Standard
BSEL	Bristol Siddeley Engines Ltd. (now Rolls-Royce)
BSI	British Standards Institution
BSS	British Standard Specification
CA	Civil Aerospace
CAA	Civil Aviation Authority (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland)
CAAC	Civil Aviation Authority of China
CAAS	Civil Aviation Authority of Singapore
CAD	Computer Aided Design
CAE	Computer Aided Engineering
CAEW	Compact Airborne Early Warning
CAGE	Commercial and Government Entity (as in CAGE Code)
CAI	Contract Assurance Instruction
CAM	Computer Aided Manufacture
CAP	Component Approval Pack
CAR	Canadian Aviation Regulation(s)
CAR	Corrective Action Report/Request
CARAD	Civil Aircraft Research and Technology Demonstration
CBA	Cobalt Based Alloy
CB	Certification Body
CBT	Computer Based Training
CCDR	Customer Critical Design Review
CCF	Conformance Control Feature
CCP	Company Calibration Procedure
CCP	Component Care Process
CCR	Change Control Review
CCW	Component Cost Worksheet
CDM	Core Design and Manufacture
CDR	Critical Design Review
CFBU	Customer Facing Business Unit
CFC	Chlorofluorocarbon
CFD	Computational Fluid Dynamics
CHIP	Chemicals (Hazard Information & Packaging for Supply) Regulations
CHP	Combined Heat & Power
CME	Company Materials Engineering

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CMM	Co-ordinate Measuring Machine
CMRs	Carcinogens, Mutagens and Reproductive Toxics
CoC	Certificate of Conformity
CONQ	Cost of Non-Quality
COP	Commissioned Over-check Policy
CoS	Condition of Supply
COSHH	Control of Substances Hazardous to Health
COTS	Commercial Off The Shelf
CP	Component Proving
CQAS	Company Quality Acceptance Standard
CQC	Company Quality Control (Procedure) - no longer in use
CR	Change Request
CRB	Contract Review Board
CRI	Certified Release Inspector
CRM	Common Raw Material
CRM	Customer Relationship Management
CSR	Chemical Safety Report
CSR	Corporate Social Responsibility
CSR	Critical Supplier Review
CSS	Commercial Supply Specification
CTOL	Conventional Take-Off and Landing
D&M	Design and Make
DA	Defence Aerospace
DAEM	Deviation Advanced Engineering Memorandum
DANF	Defence Aerospace New Facility
DAR	Definition Alteration Request
DCM	Decontamination and Cleaning Methods
DCM	Defence Contract Management
DCMA	Defence Contract Management Agency
DCP	Design Change Proposal
DDP	Declaration of Design Performance
DDQP	Design & Development Quality Plan
DDR	Deviation Defect Request
DDRM	Design Definition Review and Audit Meeting
DEF CON	Defence Condition
DEF SPEC	Defence Specification
DEF STAN	Defence Standard
DEI	Data Element Identification
DEM	Definitive Engineering Model
DFM	Design for Manufacture
DFM&A	Design for Manufacture & Assembly
DFMEA	Design Failure Mode and Effects Analysis
DGS	Director General Submarines
DGS GS	Director General Submarines: General Specification
DGS MS	Director General Submarines: Material Specification
DGS PS	Director General Submarines: Process Specification
DIS	Design Issue Standard
DKD	Deutscher Kalibrier Dienst (German Calibration Service)
DLE	Dry Low Emission
DMAIC	Design, Measure, Analyse, Improve & Control
DMSRR	Development Material Specification - Rolls-Royce
DNS	Document Numbering System
DOA	Design Organisation Approval

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Reference	Description
DoD	Department of Defence
DOP	Departmental Operating Procedure
DPA	Defence Procurement Agency
DPM	Direct Part Marking
DPU	Defects Per Unit
DQR	Designated Quality Representative
DR	Design Review
DRPC	Design Responsible Party Company
DRQSC	Development Rationalised Quality Standard - Component Specific
DRPS	Development Rationalised Process Specification
DSIN	Design Scheme Issue Note
DSM	Drafting Standards Manual
EAQG	European Aerospace Quality Group
EASA	European Aviation Safety Agency (formerly JAA)
EASE	European Aerospace Supplier Evaluation
EBQ	Economic Batch Quantity
EBW	Electron Beam Welding
EC	European Commission
ECA	European Chemical Agency
ECM	Engineering Coordination Memorandum
ECPP	Engineering Critical Parts Plan
ECR	Engineering Change Request
EDI	Engineering Design Instruction
EDM	Electro Discharge Machining
EDS	Engineering Design Specification
EDS	Electronic Data Systems
EDT	Explanation of Drawing Terms
EEC	European Economic Community
EFE	Environmentally Friendly Engine
EFQM	European Foundation for Quality Management
EIS	Engineering Inspection Specification
EIS	Entry Into Service
ELE	Extended Lean Enterprise
EMAS	Eco-management and Audit Scheme
EMC	Electro Magnetic Compatibility
EMD	Engineering and Manufacturing Development
EMS	Engineering Material Specification
EMS	Environmental Management System
EPI	Europrop International (consortium for the Rolls-Royce TP 400 engine)
EPS	Engineering Process Specification
ER	Extended Range
ERB	Engineering Review Board
ERM	Elastomeric Rubber Materials
EROPS	Extended Range Operations
ES	Engineering Standards Specification
ESAR	Engineering Source Approval Required
ESSD	Electro-static Sensitive Devices
ET&D	Education Training & Development
ETOPS	Extended Range Twin-Engine Operations
EU	European Union
FAA	Federal Aviation Administration
FADEC	Full Authority Digital Engine Control
FAI	First Article Inspection

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Reference	Description
FAIR	First Article Inspection Report
FAQ	Frequently Asked Questions
FAR	Federal Aviation/Acquisition Regulation
FCBA	Future Carrier-Borne Aircraft
FCPA	Foreign Corrupt Practices Act
FCU	Fuel Control Unit
FFR	Fuel Flow Regulator
FIPS	Federal Information Processing Standards
FMEA	Failure Mode and Effects Analysis
FMECA	Failure Mode and Effects Criticality Analysis
FMU	Fuel Metering Unit
FIFO	First In, First Out
FJCA	Future Joint Combat Aircraft
FMMDS	Forging Method of Manufacture Data Sheets
FOC	Free of Charge
FOC	Full Operational Capability
FOD	Foreign Object Damage/Debris
FP	Fuel Pump
FP	Feathering Pump
FPA	Fixed Process Approval
FPI	Fluorescent Penetrant Inspection
FPIA	Fixed Process Initiation Agreement
FPR	Faulty Part Report
FPSOV	Floating Production, Storage and Offloading Vessel
FRACAS	Failure Recording Analysis and Corrective Action System
FRPS	Flotilla Reactor Plant Support
FTB	Flying Test Bed
FTE	Flight Test Engine
FTP	Flight Test Programme
FWP	FAIR Workbook Package
GAO	General Accounting Office
GAPL	General Arrangement Parts List
GCRS	Global Component Repair Services
GCRSA	Global Component Repair Services - Americas
GDT	Ground Development Test
GEAE	General Electric Aircraft Engines
GEM	Global Engineering Method
GER	Global Engineering Reference
GFE	Government Funded Equipment
GHG	Greenhouse Gas
GP	Group Procedure
GPC	Global Procurement Council
GPQSB	Global Process Quality System Board
GQP	Group Quality Procedure
GR	Goods Receiving / Received
GRIP	Goods Receiving Input Process
GS	General Specification
GS	Global Scorecard
GSE	Ground Support Equipment
GSP	Global Supplier Portal
HA	Horizontal Audit
HAESL	Hong Kong Aero Engine Services Limited
HAS	High Alloy Steel

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HASWA	Health and Safety at Work Act
HB	Hardness - Brinell
HP	High Pressure
HPV	Heavy Pressure Vessel
HQO / DQAG	Higher Quality Officer / Defence Quality Assurance Group
HRC	Rockwell C Hardness
HSE	Health & Safety Executive
HS&E	Health, Safety & Environment
H&S	Health & Safety
HUD	Head-Up Display
HV	Hardness - Vickers
I&S	Investments and Services
IAE	International Aero Engines
IAQG	International Aerospace Quality Group
IAQG-OASIS	International Aerospace Quality Group – Online Aerospace Supplier Information System
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IC	Inspection Certificate
ICS	IAE Company Supplier
IEM	Interpretive Explanation Material
IFO	International Field Office
IGV	Inlet Guide Vane
IHPTET	Integrated High Performance Turbine Engine Technology
IHRC	Inspection History Record Card
ILAC	International Laboratory Accreditation Co-operation
ILFC	International Lease Finance Corporation
IM	Installation Memorandum
IP	Intermediate Pressure
IPC	Illustrated Parts Catalogue
IPC	Inspection Procedure Card
IPCS	Indirect Purchasing Control Specifications
IPP	Improving Process Performance
IPT	Integrated Product/Programme Team
IQN	Invoice Query Notification
IRCA	International Register of Certificated Auditors
ISD	In Service Date
ISO	International Standards Organisation
ISPM	International Standard for Phytosanitary Measures
IST	Instrumentation Standards and Techniques
ITAR	International Traffic in Arms Regulations
ITFU	Intensive Flying Trials Unit
ITP	Industria de Turbo Propulsores S.A.
ITT	Invitation to Tender
JAA	Joint Aviation Authority (now replaced by EASA)
JAEC	Japanese Aero Engine Corporation
JANS	Joint Army-Navy Specification
JAR	Joint Aviation Requirements (now replaced by EASA)
JCA	Joint Cargo Aircraft
JDB	Joint Definition Bulletin
JDS	Joint Design Standard
JDT	Joint Delivery Team
JEP	Joint Engineering Procedure
JES	Joint Engineering Standard
JET	Joint Executive Team

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Reference	Description
JSF	Joint Strike Fighter
JV	Joint Venture
JVC	Joint Venture Company
KC	Key characteristic
KPI	Key Performance Indicator
LAIR	Last Article Inspection Report
LAS	Low Alloy Steel
LBA	Luftfahrt Bundesamt (German Airworthiness Authority)
LCF	Large Cargo Freighter
LCH	Light Combat Helicopter
LCL	Lower Control Limit
LCS	Littoral Combat Ship
LMP	Life Management Plan
LOH	Light Observation Helicopter
LOP	Local Operating Procedure
LP	Low Pressure
LP	Logistics Provider
LRI	Line Replaceable Item
LRU	Line Replaceable Unit
LTSA	Long Term Service Agreement
LUH	Light Utility Helicopter
MAM	Manufacturing Alteration Memorandum
MAR	Manufacturing Alteration Request
MCPP	Manufacturing Critical Part Plan
MCR	Manufacturing Change Request
MCRL	Manufacturing Capability Readiness Level
ME	Manufacturing Engineering
MEMS	Maintenance Error Management System
ME-P	Manufacturing Engineer - Purchase
MFR	A Text Element Indicator (TEI) identifying the design authority for a part / product
MI	Manufacturing Instruction
MIL STD	Military Standard
MIS	Management Information System
MIS	Material Inspection Specification
MISC	Miscellaneous
MLC	Manufacturing Laboratories Catalogue
MLP	Manufacturing Launch Plan
MLS	Materials Laboratory Services
MMRCA	Medium Multi-Role Combat Aircraft
MoD	Ministry of Defence
MoD QAR	Ministry of Defence Quality Assurance Representative
Mod. Std.	Modification Standard
MOE	Maintenance Organisation Exposition
MoM	Method of Manufacture
MOP	Measure of Performance
MoU	Memorandum of Understanding
MPI	Magnetic Particle Inspection
MPL	Master Parts List
MPS	Material and Process Specifications
MPV	Material Price Variance
MQI	Major Quality Investigation
MQIP	Manufacturing Quality Improvement Programme
MRA	Maritime Reconnaissance Aircraft



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MRA	Material Return Authorisation
MRA	Material Review Application
MRB	Material Review Board
MRCA	Multi-Role Combat Aircraft
MRI	Material Return Instruction
MRP	Material Requirements / Resource Planning
MRPC	Manufacturing Responsible Party Company
MRTT	Multi-Role Tanker Transport
MS	Material Specification
MSA	Measurement System Analysis
MSDS	Material Safety Data Sheet
MSPP	Manufacturing Sensitive Part Plan
MSRR	Material Specification Rolls-Royce
MT	Manufacturing Technique
MT	Marine Trent
MTC	Marine Total Care
MTE	Marine Trent Engine (Rolls-Royce)
MTI	Manufacturing Technique Instruction (Rolls-Royce)
MTM	Material Test Methods (Rolls-Royce Marine - Submarines)
MTP	Manufacturing Technical Package
MTU	Motoren und Turbinen Union (may be used to refer to Tognum AG)
MVA	Market Value Added
NAA	National Aviation Authority
NAAR	National Airworthiness Authority Representative
NAS	Nuclear Acceptance Standard
NBA	Nickel Based Alloys
NBAA	National Business Aviation Association
Nadcap	National Aerospace and Defence Contractors Accreditation Programme
NAB	National Accreditation Body
NAIA	National Aerospace Industry Association
NAS	National Aerospace Standard
NASA	National Aeronautics and Space Administration
NASSIS	North American Standards & Specification Information Space
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organisation
NAVLAP	National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program
NC	Numerical Control
NCA	Non-conformance Authority
NCR	Non-conformance Report
NDE	Non-destructive Examination/Evaluation
NDT	Non-destructive Testing
NDTS	Non-destructive Testing Specification
NEFMO	NATO Eurofighter Management Organisation
NETMA	NATO Eurofighter and Tornado Management Agency
NFH	NATO Frigate Helicopter
NGV	Nozzle Guide Vane
NIST	National Institute Standards and Technology
NMS	Nuclear Manufacturing Services
NPI	New Product Introduction
NPNP	No Purchase Order, No Payment
NRC	Non-recurring Costs
NRE	Non-recurring Engineering
NRV	Non-return Valve



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Reference	Description
NSN	NATO Stock Number
NTS	Notice to Suppliers
NTSB	National Transportation Safety Board
NQAR	National Quality Assurance Representative
O/D	Outside Diameter
O/H	Overhaul
OASIS	Online Aerospace Supplier Information System (IAQG)
OBU	Operational Business Unit
ODS	Ozone Depleting Substances
OEE	Overall Equipment Effectiveness
OEM	Original Equipment Manufacturer
OH	Occupational Health
OHSAS	Occupational Health and Safety Assessment Series
OII	Other Installation Item
OM	Overhaul Manual
OMAT	Overhaul Materials Manual
OTS	Off The Shelf
P&W	Pratt and Whitney
PA	Product/Process Audit
PAI	Piaggio Aero Industries
PBT	Persistent, bio-accumulative and toxic
PCA	Product/Project Change Authority
PCBs	Polychlorinated Biphenyls
PCB	Product Change Board
PCD	Process/Product Control Document
PCIT	Product Conformance Improvement Team
PCU	Propeller Control Unit
PDM	Product Data Management
PDS	Process Data Sheet
PDSA	Plan, Do, Study, Act (may also be stated as PDCA – Plan, Do, Check, Act)
PE	Process Excellence
PFMEA	Process Failure Mode and Effects Analysis
PIB	Procurement Information Booklet
PIC	Product Integrity Committee
PIM	Product Introduction Management
PIMGR	Product Introduction Management Gateway Review
PIP	Product Introduction Process
PIR	Problem Improvement Request
PLM	Product Lifecycle Management
PLMBP	Product Lifecycle Management Best Practice
PLMOP	Product Lifecycle Management Operating Procedure
PMA	Parts Manufacturer Approval
PMP	Preventative Maintenance Plan
PMR	Preliminary Material Review
PO	Purchase Order
POA	Production Organisation Approval
POAH	Production Organisation Approval Holder
PPDP	Performance and Personal Development Plan
PPM	Parts Per Million
PPP	Purchasing Policy & Practice
PQDR	Product Quality Deficiency Report
PRG	Production Readiness Guidelines
PRI	Performance Review Institute

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Reference	Description
PS	Process Specification
PSC	Parts Service Centre
PSQE	Plant Supplier Quality Engineer
PSV	Platform Supply Vessel
PTS	Product Test Specification
PWER	Provision and Use of Work Equipment Regulations
QAP	Quality Assurance Plan
QAR	Quality Assurance Representative
QAS	Quality Acceptance Standard
QASNDT	Quality Acceptance Standard, Non-destructive Testing
QASVA	Quality Acceptance Standard (Rolls-Royce Deutschland)
QCD	Quality, Cost, Delivery
QCDR	Quality, Cost, Delivery, Responsiveness
QCTP	Quality Control Test Procedure
QE	Quality Escape
QIR	Quality Information Record
QMS	Quality Management System
QN	Quality Notification
QOP	Quality Operating Procedure
QP	Quality Plan
QS	Quality Standard
R/H	Reheat
R/J	Ramjet
RATO	Rocket Assisted Take-Off
RB	Rolls By-Pass (gas turbine engine prefix designation e.g., RB211)
RB-M	Response Boat - Medium
RCM	Reactor Core Materials
REACH	Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation (and Restriction) of Chemicals
RELT	Rolls E.L. Turbofans Ltd
RESA	Request for Engineering Source Approval
RFA	Request for Alteration
RFI	Request for Information
RFP	Request for Proposal
RFQ	Request for Quotation
RFT	Right First Time
RFV	Request for Variation
RHFCU	Re-heat Fuel Control Unit
RII	Required Inspection Item
RIP	Reach Implementation Project
RJ	Regional Jet
R&D	Research & Development
R&O	Repair & Overhaul
RN	Release Note
ROM	Rough Order of Magnitude
ROS	Repair of Spares
RPN	Risk Priority Number
RPS	Rationalised Process Specification
RQS	Rationalised Quality Standards
RQSC	Rationalised Quality Standard - Component Specific
RQSG	Rationalised Quality Standard - Generic
RQSP	Rationalised Quality Standard - Process
RQST	Rationalised Quality Standard - Component Type
RRA	Regional Regulatory Authority

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RRA	Rolls-Royce and Associates (former name for Rolls-Royce's Submarines business)
RRC	Rolls-Royce Corporation
RRC (R&O)	Rolls-Royce Canada Repair & Overhaul
RRCEB	Rolls-Royce Corporation Energy Business
RRB	Rolls-Royce Brazil
RRD	Rolls-Royce Deutschland
RRECSB	Rolls-Royce Energy Customer Service Business
RREGT	Rolls-Royce Energy Gas Turbines Canada
RREP&PS	Rolls-Royce Energy Package & Power Systems
RRES	Rolls-Royce Energy Systems
RRES	Rolls-Royce Engineering Specification
RRESO	Rolls-Royce Engine Services Oakland
RRMP	Rolls-Royce Marine Power
RRMPOL	Rolls-Royce Marine Power Operations Ltd
RRMS	Rolls-Royce Marine Systems
RRMS	Rolls-Royce Management System (formerly the RRQMS)
RRMSP	Rolls-Royce Managed Service Provider
RRMES	Rolls-Royce Marine Electrical Systems
RRPE	Rolls-Royce Power Engineering Ltd
RRPE-CR	Rolls-Royce Power Engineering – Component Repair
RRPS	Rolls-Royce Production System
RRPS	Rolls-Royce Power Systems (also referred to as MTU or Tognum AG)
RRSP	Risk and Revenue Sharing Partner/Partnership
RRTM	Rolls-Royce Turbomeca
RRUK	Rolls-Royce (UK Aerospace)
RSD	Reliability and Safety Documentation
RTCU	Range Temperature Control Unit
RTM	Rolls-Turbomeca
RTP	Reduce To Produce
RTPE	Route to Process Excellence
SAB	Safety Assurance Board
SAE	Society of Automotive Engineers - SAE International
SAESL	Singapore Aero Engine Services Limited
SB	Service Bulletin
SBAC	Society of British Aerospace Companies
SBP	Supplier Briefing Pack
SCAC	Sukhoi Civil Aircraft Corporation
SCC	Supply Chain Capability
SCD	Source Control Drawing/Definition
SCMP	System Configuration Management Plan
SCPC	Supply Chain Planning Capability
SCRIA	Supply Chain Relationships in Aerospace (SBAC)
SCS	Supply Chain Strategy
SCU	Supply Chain Unit
SDL	Supplier Development Leader
SDLF	Shaft Driven Lift Fan
SDRO	Standard Data Records Office
SDS	Safety Data Sheet
SDS	Supplier Delivery Specification (Rolls-Royce)
SDP	System Design Process
SDURD	System Design and Unit Requirement Definition
SD&Q	Supplier Development & Quality
SFDM	Shop Floor Data Management

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SG	Specific Gravity
SIA	Supplier Initial Assessment
SIS	Supplier Information System
SJAC	Society of Japanese Aerospace Companies
SLA	Service Level Agreement
SLC	Shelf Life Code
SMC	Source and Method Control
SMP	Service Management Plan
SMT	Supplier Management Team
S/N	Serial Number
SOC	Shut-Off Cock
SORB	Sales and Operations Review Board
SOW	Statement of Work
SP	Service Provider
SPC	Statistical Process Control
SPFDB	Super-plastically Formed Diffusion Bonded
SPG	Special Process Group
SPIS	Services Packaging Instruction Sheet
STP	Special to Product Tooling
SPTE	Special to Product Test Equipment
SQE	Supplier Quality Engineer
SQEP	Suitably Qualified and Experienced Personnel
SQT	Supplier Quality Team
SRB	Sourcing Review Board
SRM	Scheme Review/Release Meeting
SRS	Submarine Rescue System
SSA	Sub-System Accountability
SSBN	Ship Submersible (Ballistic Missile) Nuclear
SSC	Shared Service Centre (Rolls-Royce)
SSCP	Sea Systems Controllerate Publication
SSN	Ship Submersible Nuclear
SSP	System Security Policy
SSSS	Strategic Sourcing Supplier Selection
ST	Specific Tool
STEP	Supplier Total Evaluation Process
STOBAR	Short Take-Off but Arrested Recovery
STOL	Short Take-Off and Landing
STOVL	Short Take-Off and Vertical Landing
S&OP	Sales & Operations Planning
SVHC	Substances of Very High Concern
SWOT	Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities, Threats
SWPM	Solid Wood Packing Material
TA	Triggered Assessment
TAESL	Texas Aero Engine Services Limited
TBO	Time Between Overhaul
TC	Total Care
TCCA	Transport Canada Civil Aviation
TEI	Text Element Identifier
TFP	Turbo Fuel Pump
TGL	Temporary Guidance Leaflet
TI	Technical Instruction
TM	Turbomeca
TOA	Technical Oversight Assessment

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TOAQ	Technical Oversight Assessment - Quality
TOAPC	Technical Oversight Assessment - Planning & Control
TOB	Terms of Business
TODD	Technical Oversight Assessment - Design & Development
TOQ	Technical Oversight Quality
TP	Turbo-Prop
TPE	Turbo-Prop Engine
TPM	Total Preventative Maintenance
TPT	Torque Pressure Transmitter
T/R	Thrust Reverser
TRCU	Thrust Reverser Control Unit
TRL	Technology Readiness Level
TRT	Turn Round Time
TS	Technical Specification
TS	Technical Surveillance
TSD	Technical Service Directory
TS&D	Transmissions, Systems & Drives
TSM	Technical Surveillance Metallurgist
TUAV	Tactical Unmanned Air Vehicle
TV	Technical Variance
TWP	Turbo Water Pump
UAV	Unmanned Air Vehicle
UCAV	Unmanned Combat Air Vehicle
UCL	Upper Control Limit
UKAS	United Kingdom Accreditation Service
USG	United States Government
U/S	Unserviceable
UTC	University Technology Centre
UTS	Ultimate Tensile Strength
VA	Vertical Audit
VPVB	Very persistent and very bio-accumulative
VSM	Value Stream Mapping
VSTOL	Vertical / Short Take-Off and Landing
VTOL	Vertical Take-Off and Landing
WB	Wide Body
WIP	Work in Progress
WLC	Whole Life Cost
WMCU	Water Methanol Control Unit
WPO	Work Package Owner
WPS	Works Process Specifications (Rolls-Royce)
XWB	Extra Wide Body
YTD	Year to Date