

GEN 2.2 ABBREVIATIONS

A		ANSP	Air Navigation Service Provider
A	Airspace Classification ID	AO	Aircraft Operator
A/A	Air-to-Air	AOC	Aerodrome Obstruction Chart
AAL	Above Aerodrome Level	APAPI	Abbreviated PAPI
ABM	Abeam	APCH	Approach
ABN	Aerodrome Beacon	APDCH	Aircraft parking/docking chart
ACARS	Aircraft Communication Addressing and Reporting System	APIS	Aircraft Parking and Information System
ACAS	Airborne Collision Avoidance System	APP	Approach control office or Approach control
ACC	Area Control Centre	APR	April
ACFT	Aircraft	APRX	Approximate or Approximately
ACL	Altimeter Check Location	APU	Auxiliary Power Unit
ACN	Aircraft Classification Number	APV	Approach Procedure with Vertical guidance
AD	Aerodrome	ARC	Area chart
ADC	Aerodrome chart	ARO	Air Traffic Services Reporting Office
ADF	Automatic Direction Finding equipment	ARP	Aerodrome Reference Point
ADIZ	Air Defence Identification Zone	ARR	Arrive or Arrival
ADO	Aerodrome	ASAP	As Soon As Possible
AFIS	Aerodrome Flight Information Service	ASDA	Accelerate - Stop Distance Available
AFS	Aeronautical Fixed Service	ASM	Airspace Management
AFTN	Aeronautical Fixed Telecommunication Network	ASPH	Asphalt
A/G	Air-to-Ground	ASR	Aerodrome Surveillance Radar
AGL	Above Ground Level	ATA	Actual Time of Arrival
AIC	Aeronautical Information Circular	ATC	Air Traffic Control
AIM	Aeronautical Information Management	ATD	Actual Time of Departure
AIP	Aeronautical Information Publication	ATFM	Air traffic flow management
AIRAC	Aeronautical Information Regulation and Control	ATIS	Automatic Terminal Information Service
AIS	Aeronautical Information Service	ATS	Air Traffic Services
ALA	Alighting area	ATTN	Attention
ALS	Approach Lighting System	AUG	August
ALT	Altitude	AUW	All Up Weight
ALTN	Alternate or Alternating	AVASIS	Abbreviated Vasis
AMC	Airspace Management Cell	AVBL	Available
AMDT	Amendment	AVGAS	Aviation Gasoline
AMHS	Automatic Message Handling System		
AMSL	Above Mean Sea Level		
ANC	Aeronautical Chart 1:500 000		
ANCS	Aeronautical Chart 1:500 000 – small scale		

B		DCT	Direct
B	Blue	DEC	December
BA	Braking Action	DEG	Degrees
BCN	Beacon (Aeronautical Ground Light)	DEP	Depart or Departure or Departure message
BCST	Broadcast	DEST	Destination
BDRY	Boundary	DF	Direct to a fix
BL	Regulations for aviation	DH	Decision Height
BLDG	Building	DIST	Distance
BLW	Below	DLY	Daily
BRG	Bearing	DME	Distance-Measuring Equipment
BS	Commercial broadcasting Station	DMI	Danish Meteorological Institute
BTN	Between	DOC	Document (ICAO)
C		DOR	Designated operational range
C	Degrees Celsius (Centigrade)	DTG	Date Time Group
CA	Course to an Altitude	DTHR	Displaced THR
CAA	Civil Aviation Authority or Civil Aviation Administration	DVOR	Doppler VOR
CAC	Copenhagen Area Chart	E	
CAT	Category	E	East or Eastern longitude
CD	Candela	EAD	European AIS Database
CDR	Conditional Route	EAT	Expected Approach time
CH	Channel	EAUP	European Airspace Use Plan
CHG	Changed	EET	Estimated Elapsed Time
CIDIN	Common ICAO data interchange network	EGNOS	European Geostationary Navigation Overlay Service
CIV	Civil	ELEV	Elevation
CL	Candela	ELT	Emergency Locator Transmitter
CLSD	Closed	EMERG	Emergency
CM	Centimetre	EN	English
CNL	Cancel	ENE	East-North-East
COM	Communication	ENR	En Route
CONC	Concrete	ENRC	En Route Chart
COORD	Coordinates	EOBT	Estimated Off Block Time
COP	Change-Over Point	EQPT	Equipment
CRAM	Conditional Route Availability Message	ESE	East-South-East
CRC	Cyclic Redundancy Check	EST	Estimate or Estimated
CS	Call Sign	ETA	Estimated Time of Arrival
C/S	COSPAS/SARSAT	ETD	Estimated Time of Departure
CTA	Control Area	ETO	Estimated time Over significant point
CTR	Control Zone	EUM	European-Mediterranean Region
CWY	Clearway	EUUP	European Updated Airspace Use Plan
D		EV	Every
D...	Danger area (followed by identification)	EXC	Except
DA	Danish	EXER	Exercise
DA	Decision Altitude	EXP	Expect (expected, expecting)
DB	Decibel (Noise level)		

F		GPS	Global Positioning System
F	Degrees Fahrenheit	GRASS	Grass Landing Area
F	Fixed	GS	Ground Speed
FAB	Functional Airspace Block	GUND	Geoide Undulation
FAC	Facilities		
FAF	Final Approach FIX	H	
FAL	Facilitation of international air transport	H24	Continuous day and night service
FAP	Final Approach Point	HAA	Height above Airport elevation
FAS	Final Approach Segment	HAL	Horizontal Alert Limit
FATO	Final approach and take-off area	HAPI	Helicopter Approach Path Indicator
FAWP	Final approach waypoint	HAS	Height Above Surface
FAX	Facsimile transmission	HAT	Height above Touchdown zone elevation
FBZ	Flight Plan Buffer Zone	H+	Hours plus... minutes past the hour
FEB	February	HH+	All synoptic hours i.e. 0000, 0300, 0600 etc.
FIC	Flight Information Centre	HEL	Helicopter
FIR	Flight Information Region	HELC	Heliport Chart
FIS	Flight Information Service	HEMS	Helicopter Emergency Medical Service
FIZ	Flight Information Zone	HF	High frequency (3.000 to 30.000 kHz)
FL	Flight Level	HGT	Height or Height above
FLG	Flashing	HIS	Heliport Information Service
FLT	Flight	HJ	Sunrise to Sunset
FOD	Foreign Object Damage	HLDG	Holding
FM	From	HM	Holding/racetrack to a manual termination
FMS	Flow Management System	HN	Sunset to Sunrise
FMU	Flow management unit	HO	Service available to meet operational requirements
FRA	Free Route Airspace	HOL	Holiday
FREQ	Frequency	HOSP	Hospital Aircraft
FRI	Friday	HPA	Hectopascal
FPAP	Flight Path Alignment Point	HR	Hour(s)
FPL	Filed flight Plan	HRP	Heliport Reference Point
FRNG	Firing	HS	Service available during hours of scheduled operations
FT	Feet	HTZ	Helicopter traffic zone
FTP	Fictitious Threshold Point	HUM	Humanitarian
		HX	No specific working hours
G		Hz	Hertz (cycles per second)
G	Green		
GA	General Aviation		
G/A	Ground-to-Air		
GCA	Ground Controlled Approach system		
GEN	General		
GEO	Geographic or true		
G/G	Ground-to-Ground		
GLONASS	Global Orbiting Navigation Satellite System		
GLS	GBAS Landing System		
GMC	Ground movement chart		
GND	Ground		
GNSS	Global Navigation Satellite System		
GP	Glide Path		

I		LFC	Low Flying Chart
IAC	Instrument Approach Chart	LFCW	Low Flying Chart West
IAF	Initial Approach FIX IAP Instrument Approach Procedure	LGT	Light or Lighting
IAS	Indicated Air Speed	LGTD	Lighted
IAWP	Initial approach waypoint	LIH	Light Intensity High
ICAO	International Civil Aviation Organisation	LIL	Light Intensity Low
ID	Identifier or Identify	LIM	Light Intensity Medium
IDENT	Identification	LLZ	Localizer (old abbreviation)
IF	Intermediate approach FIX	LM	Locator Middle
IFR	Instrument Flight Rules	LO	Locator Outer
ILS	Instrument Landing System	LOC	Localizer (new abbreviation)
IM	Inner Marker	LONG	Longitude
IMC	Instrument Meteorological Condition	LPV	Localizer Performance with Vertical guidance
INFO	Information	LTA	Local ATS-area
INOP	Inoperative	LTD	Limited
INS	Inertial Navigation System	LTP	Landing Threshold Point
INT	Intersection	LVO	Low Visibility Operations
INTL	International	LVP	Low Visibility Procedure
IWP	Intermediate waypoint		
J		M	
JAA	Joint Aviation Authorities	M	Mach number
JAN	January	M	Metres
JAR	Joint Aviation Requirements	MAG	Magnetic
JRCC	Joint Rescue Coordination Centre	MAHF	Missed approach holding fix
JUL	July	MAINT	Maintenance
JUN	June	MAP	Aeronautical maps and charts
K		MAPt	Missed Approach Point
KFOR	Potassium Formate fluids	MAR	March
KG	Kilograms	MATF	Missed Approach Turning Fix
KHz	Kilohertz (kilocycles per second)	MAWP	Missed Approach Waypoint
KM	Kilometres	MAX	Maximum
KMH	Kilometres per Hour	MAY	May
KT	Knots	MDA	Minimum Decent Altitude
KW	Kilowatts	MDF	Medium frequency Direction Finding station
L		MEHT	Minimum Eye Height over threshold
L	Left	MET	Meteorological or Meteorology
L	Locator	METAR	Aviation routine weather report (in international meteorological figure code)
LAT	Latitude	MF	Medium Frequency (300 to 3.000 kHz)
LCN	Load Classification Number	MHA	Minimum holding altitude
LDA	Landing Distance Available	MHz	Megahertz
LDC	Landing chart	MIL	Military
LDG	Landing	MIN	Minutes
LDI	Landing Direction Indicator	MKR	Marker Radio Beacon
LED	Light Emitting Diode	MLS	Microwave Landing System
LF	Low Frequency (30 to 300 kHz)	MM	Middle Marker

MNM	Minimum	OCA	Oceanic Control Area
MNPS	Minimum Navigation Performance Specifications	OCA(H)	Obstacle Clearance Altitude (Height)
MO	Meteorological Office	OCC	Occulting (Light)
MOCA	Minimum Obstruction Clearance Altitude	OCH	Obstacle Clearance Height
MON	Monday	OCL	Obstacle Clearance Limit
MOTNE	Meteorological Operational Telecommunications Network Europe	OCT	October
MPH	Statute Miles per Hour	OFZ	Obstacle Free Zone
MSA	Minimum Safe Altitude	OM	Outer Marker
MSG	Message	OPMET	Operational meteorological (information)
MSL	Mean Sea Level	OPR	Operator (Operate, Operative, Operating, Operational)
MSSR	Monopulse Secondary Surveillance Radar	OPS	Operations
MTOM	Maximum Take-off Mass	O/R	On Request
MTOW	Maximum Take-off Weight	ORP	Operational Readiness Platform
MUM	Mu-Meter	P	
MWO	Meteorological Watch Office	P..	Prohibited area (followed by identification)
N		PANS	Procedures for Air Navigation Services
N	North or Northern latitude	PAPI	Precision Approach Path Indicator
N/A	Not Applicable	PAR	Precision Approach Radar
NAFO	Sodium Formate solids	PATC	Precision Approach Terrain Chart
NAT	North Atlantic	PAX	Passenger(s)
NAV	Navigation	PBN	Performance Based Navigation
NAVAID	Navigational Aid	PCL	Pilot-controlled lighting
NDB	Non-directional radio Beacon	PCN	Pavement Classification Number
NE	North-East	PERM	Permanent
NGT	Night	PIB	Pre-Flight Information Bulletin
NIL	None	PJE	Parachute Jumping Exercises
NM	Nautical Mile	PN	Prior Notice Required
NNE	North-North-East	PNDB	Perceived noise decibel
NNW	North-North-West	PPR	Prior Permission Required
NOF	International NOTAM Office	PROP	Propeller
NOTAM	A Notice containing information concerning the establishment, condition or change in any aeronautical facility, service, procedure or hazard, the timely knowledge of which is essential to personnel concerned with flight operations	PSN	Position
NOV	November	PSR	Primary Surveillance Radar
NR	Number	PTN	Procedure Turn
NTL	National	PWS	Present Weather Sensor
NW	North-West		
O			
OAC	Oceanic Area Control Centre		
OBST	Obstruction		

Q		SB	Self-Briefing area
QDM	Magnetic Heading	SBAS	Satellite-Based Augmentation System
QDR	Magnetic Bearing	SE	South-East
QFE	Atmospheric pressure at Aerodrome elevation	SEC	Seconds
QNH	Altimeter sub-scale setting to obtain elevation when on the ground	SELCAL	Selective Calling system
		SEP	September
		SFC	Surface
		SFH	Surface Friction Tester, High pressure tire
R		SID	Standard Instrument Departure
R	Red	SFL	Surface Friction Tester, Low pressure tire
R...	Restricted Area (followed by identification)	SIF	Selective Identification Feature
R	Right	SIGMET	Information concerning enroute weather phenomena, which may affect the safety of aircraft operations
RAC	Rules of the Air and air traffic services	SIWL	Single Isolated Wheel Load
RAIM	Receiver Autonomous Integrity Monitoring	SKH	Skiddometer
RAPCON	Radar Approach Control	SMC	Surface Movement Control
RAPM	Runway Aiming Point Marking	SMR	Surface Movement Radar
RCC	Rescue Co-ordination Centre	SNOWTAM	A special series NOTAM notifying the presence or removal of hazardous conditions due to snow, ice, slush or standing water associated with snow, slush and ice on the movement area, by means of a specific format
RDAF	Royal Danish Air Force	SODAR	Sound Detection And Ranging
RDH	Reference Datum Height (ILS)	SPECI	Aviation selected special weather report (in international meteorological figure code)
RDL	Radial	SPECIAL	Special meteorological report (in plain language) relating to improvement or deterioration of meteorological conditions
REC	Receive or Receiver	SPL	Supplementary flight Plan Message
REF	Reference to or Refer to	SPOC	SAR point of contact
REP	Reporting Point	SR	Sunrise
REQ	Request or Requested		
RESA	Runway End Safety Area		
RGL	Runway Guard Lights		
RMK	Remark		
RMZ	Radio Mandatory Zone		
RNAV	Area Navigation		
RNP	Required Navigational Performance		
ROFOR	Route Forecast		
RPL	Repetitive Flight Plan		
RSC	Rescue Sub-Centre		
RSR	EN ROUTE Surveillance Radar		
RTF	Radiotelephone		
RVR	Runway Visual Range		
RVSM	Reduced Vertical Separation Minimum		
RWY	Runway		
S			
S	South or Southern latitude		
SAR	Search And Rescue		
SAT	Saturday		
SAVS	Semiautomatic Weather observation System		

SRA	Surveillance Radar Approach	TUE	Tuesday
SRE	Surveillance Radar Element of PAR	TWR	Aerodrome control tower or Aerodrome control
SRR	Search and Rescue Region	TWY	Taxiway
SS	Sunset		
SSE	South-South-East	U	
SSR	Secondary Surveillance Radar	UAV	Unmanned Aerial Vehicle
SST	Supersonic Transport	UFN	Until Further Notice
SSW	South-South-West	UHF	Ultra High Frequency (300 to 3.000 MHz)
STANAG	Standardization Agreement	UIR	Upper flight Information Region
STAR	Standard instrument Arrival	ULM	Ultra-Light Motorized Aircraft
STOL	Short Take-Off and Landing	UNL	Unlimited
SUN	Sunday	U/S	Unserviceable
SUP	Supplement	USAF	United States Air Force
SW	South-West	UTA	Upper control Area
SWY	Stopway	UTC	Co-ordinated Universal Time
T			
T	Temperature	V	
TA	Transition Altitude	VAC	Visual Approach Chart
TAA	Terminal Arrival Altitude	VAR	Magnetic Variation
TACAN	UHF Tactical Air Navigation system	VASIS	Visual Approach Slope Indicator System
TAF	Aerodrome Forecast (24hr)	VDF	Very High frequency Direction-Finding station
TAP	Tapley-meter	VER	Vertical
TAR	Terminal Area Surveillance Radar	VFG	VFR Flight Guide, Denmark
TAS	True Airspeed	VFR	Visual Flight Rules
TCH	Threshold crossing height	VHF	Very High Frequency (30.000 kHz to 300 MHz)
TDZ	Touchdown Zone (RNAV approach procedures)	VIS	Visibility
TEL	Telephone	VMC	Visual Meteorological Conditions
TEMPO	Temporary/Temporarily	VNAV	Vertical Navigation
TF	Track to Fix	VOL	Volume
TFC	Traffic	VOLMET	Meteorological information for aircraft in flight
TGL	Temporary Guidance Leaflet	VOR	VHF omnidirectional radio range
THIL	Threshold Identification Light	VORTAC	VOR and TACAN combined
THR	Threshold	VPA	Vertical path angle
THU	Thursday	VSS	Vertical Surface Segment
TKOF	Take-Off		
TLOF	Touchdown and lift-off area		
TLX	Telex		
TMA	Terminal control Area		
TMZ	Transponder Mandatory Zone		
TOBT	Target Off-block Time		
TODA	Take-Off Distance available		
TODAH	Take-off distance available, helicopter		
TORA	Take-Off Runway Available		
TRA	Temporary Reserved Area		
TS	Trafikstyrelsen / Danish Transport Authority		
TSA	Temporary Segregated area		

W

W	West or Western longitude
W	White
WAC	World Aeronautical Chart (1:1.000.000)
WBAR	Wing bar lights
WDI	Wind Direction Indicator
WED	Wednesday
WEF	With Effect From
WGS-84	World Geodetic System, 1984
WIE	With Immediate Effect
WIP	Work In Progress
WNW	West-North-West
WPT	Waypoint
WRNG	Warning
WSW	West-South-West
WWW	World Wide Web
WX	Weather

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XBAR	Crossbar (of approach lighting system)
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Y	Yellow
YCZ	Yellow Caution Zone (Runway Lighting)

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Z	Indicates UTC
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