

Abbreviations

ABM	Anti-Ballistic Missile
AEC	Atomic Energy Commission
ASAP	Academic Strategic Alliance Program
ASC	Academic Computational Science Partnership Program
ASCI	Accelerated Strategic Computing Initiative
BWC	Biological Weapons Convention
BSL	Biosafety level
CAV	Common Aero Vehicle
CD	Conference on Disarmament
CIA	Central Intelligence Agency
CONOPS	Concept of Operations
CONUS	Continental United States
CTBT	Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty
CTBTO	Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty Organization
CWC	Chemical Weapons Convention
DARHT	Dual Axis Radiographic Hydrotest Facility
DOD	Department of Defense
DOE	Department of Energy
EU	European Union
FALCON	Force Application and Launch for the Continental United States
FCNL	Friends Committee on National Legislation
FMCT	Fissile Materials Cut-off Treaty
FY	Fiscal Year
GA	United Nations General Assembly
GAO	Government Accountability Office
GCD	General and complete disarmament
GNEP	Global Nuclear Energy Partnership
HEU	Highly enriched uranium
IAEA	International Atomic Energy Agency
ICBM	Intercontinental Ballistic Missile
ICJ	International Court of Justice
IEER	Institute for Energy and Environmental Research
IMS	International Monitoring System
IPCC	International Panel on Climate Change
IPFM	International Panel on Fissile Materials
LANL	Los Alamos National Laboratory
LLNL	Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory
LCNP	Lawyers' Committee on Nuclear Policy
MAD	Mutually Assured Destruction
MTCR	Missile Technology Control Regime
MIT	Massachusetts Institute of Technology
MOX	Mixed (Plutonium/Uranium) Oxide
MSP	Military Spaceplane
NAM	Non-Aligned Movement
NBC	Nuclear, Biological, Chemical
NGO	Non-Government Organization
NIF	National Ignition Facility

NNSA	National Nuclear Security Administration
NPT	Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty
NR	Nuclear Response
ODA	Official Development Assistance
OPCW	Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons
ORG	Oxford Research Group
OST	Outer Space Treaty
PAROS	Prevention of an Arms Race in Outer Space
PDD	Presidential Decision Directive
PPM	Parts per million
PSI	Proliferation Security Initiative
PTBT	Partial Test Ban Treaty
R&D	Research and Development
RCW	Reaching Critical Will
RFI	Request for Information
RRW	Reliable Replacement Warhead
SBSS	Science Based Stockpile Stewardship
SC	United Nations Security Council
SLBM	Sea Launched Ballistic Missile
SORT	Strategic Offensive Reductions Treaty (Moscow Treaty)
SPACECOM	Air Force Space Command
SSODIV	Fourth United Nations General Assembly Special Session on Disarmament
START	Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty
STRATCOM	Strategic Command
TMD	Theater missile defense
UC	University of California
UFPJ	United for Peace and Justice
UN	United Nations
UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
UNMOVIC	United Nations Monitoring, Verification and Inspection Commission
WILPF	Women's International League for Peace and Freedom
WMD	Weapons of Mass Destruction
WMD/E	Weapons of Mass Destruction/Effect
WSLF	Western States Legal Foundation