



ABBREVIATION	
CP&F	Contracting, Purchasing and Finance
CPS	Cardinal Point Specification
CSI	Contract Support Item
CSI	Commercially Sensitive Information
CWI	Contract Work Item
DAOS	Design Approved Organisation Scheme
DBS	Defence Business Services
DCI	Defence Council Instruction
DEFCON	Defence Condition
DEFFORM	Defence Form
DEFSTAN	Defence Standard
DE&S	Defence Equipment & Support
DH	Duty Holder
DIN	Defence Information Notice
DMC	Domestic Management Code
DO	Design Organisation
EED	Electro-Explosive Devices
EMC	Electro-Magnetic Capability
Eoi	Equality of Information
EPA	Estimated Process Average
EVM	Earned Value Management
FM	Facilities Manager
GFA	Government Furnished Asset



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GFE	Government Furnished Equipment
HIDAR	High DATA Rate
IEC	International Electrotechnical Commission
IPR	Intellectual Property Rights
ISA	Independent Safety Auditor
ISO	International Standards Organisation
JSC	Joint Support Chain
JSP	Joint Service Publication
KPI	Key Performance Indicator
LDs	Liquidated Damages
LOFAR	Low Frequency Analysis and Recording
MAA	Military Airworthiness Authority
MDT	Merlin Delivery Team
MOD	Ministry of Defence
MRI	Master Record Index
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organisation
NDA	Non Disclosure Agreement
NSN	NATO Stock Number
OIC	Officer In Charge
OJEU	Official Journal of the European Union
PDS	Post Design Services
PM	Project Manager
PO	Patent Office



ABBREVIATION	
PTL	Project Team Leader
QA	Quality Assurance
QAR	Quality Assurance Representative
QMP	Quality Management Plan
QMS	Quality Management System
QPM	Quarterly Project Meeting
RA	Regulatory Articles
RAF	Royal Air Force
RDD	Required Delivery Date
RFA	Royal Fleet Auxiliary
RN	Royal Navy
RNAS	Royal Navy Air Station
RTS	Release To Service
SAL	Security Aspects Letter
SCD	Service Commencement Date
SI	Special Instruction
SOR	Statement Of Requirement
STF	Sonobuoy Test Facility
STI	Special Technical Instruction
TAA	Type Airworthiness Authority
TAF	Task Authorisation Form
TID	Technical Information and Data
UEL	Ultra Electronics Ltd



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ABBREVIATION	
UK	United Kingdom
US	United States (of America)
VAT	Value Added Tax
WBS	Work Breakdown Structure