

## Acronyms, abbreviations and units of measure

<b>A-Patch</b>	Autonomous patch for real-time detection of infectious disease
<b>ADP</b>	Alternative dispute resolution
<b>AHK</b>	German-Baltic Chamber of Commerce
<b>AI</b>	Artificial intelligence
<b>AIC</b>	Availability, integrity and confidentiality
<b>AIKA</b>	Quality Agency for Higher Education
<b>ALMP</b>	Active labour market policy
<b>ANSSI</b>	French National Cybersecurity Agency <i>Agence nationale de la sécurité des systèmes d'information</i>
<b>BBCE</b>	Baltic Biomaterials Centre of Excellence
<b>BCRD</b>	EU broadband cost reduction directive
<b>BIF</b>	Baltic Innovation Fund
<b>BIOR</b>	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment
<b>BURVIS</b>	Unemployment accounting and registered vacancy information system
<b>CAMART</b>	Excellence Centre of Advanced Material Research and Technology Transfer
<b>CCC</b>	Consumer Complaints Committee
<b>CDU</b>	National Guard Cyber Defence Unit
<b>CERT</b>	Computer emergency response team
<b>CF</b>	Cohesion Fund
<b>CFCA</b>	Central Finance and Contracting Agency
<b>CIIT</b>	Critical infrastructure of information technology
<b>CISA</b>	Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency
<b>CISC</b>	Cultural Information System Centre
<b>CMS</b>	Central Management System
<b>CNC</b>	Computer numerically controlled
<b>CPB</b>	Constitution Protection Bureau
<b>CPEA</b>	Consumer protection enforcement authority
<b>CRM</b>	Customer relationship management
<b>CRPC</b>	Consumer Rights Protection Centre
<b>CSCC</b>	Cross-Sectoral Coordination Centre
<b>CSDD</b>	Latvian Traffic Safety Directorate
<b>CSIRT</b>	Computer Security Incident Response Team
<b>DDN</b>	Data Driven Nation
<b>DDoS</b>	Distributed denial-of-service
<b>DIH</b>	Digital Innovation Hub
<b>DPA</b>	Data protection authority
<b>DPASC</b>	Data Protection Advisory Support Council
<b>DRR</b>	Dispute resolution and redress
<b>DSB</b>	Dispute Settlement Body
<b>DSI</b>	Data State Inspectorate
<b>DSL</b>	Domain-specific language
<b>EAFRD</b>	European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development
<b>EAS</b>	Electronic Application System
<b>EC</b>	European Commission
<b>ECC-Net</b>	Network of European Consumer Centres

<b>ECO</b>	Electronic Communications Office VAS Elektroniskie Sakari
<b>EDPB</b>	European Data Protection Board
<b>EEA</b>	European Economic Area
<b>eIDAS</b>	Electronic identification, authentication and trust services
<b>EMFF</b>	European Maritime and Fisheries Fund
<b>ENISA</b>	European Union Cyber Security Agency
<b>EQAR</b>	European Quality Assurance Register for Higher Education
<b>ERDF</b>	European Regional Development Fund
<b>ERP</b>	Enterprise resource planning
<b>ESF</b>	European Social Fund
<b>ESIF</b>	European Structural and Investment Funds
<b>EU</b>	European Union
<b>EUR</b>	Euro
<b>FDI</b>	Foreign direct investment
<b>FSDI Latvia</b>	Federation of Security and Defence Industries of Latvia
<b>FTR</b>	Fixed termination rate
<b>FTTB</b>	Fibre to the building
<b>FTTC</b>	Fibre to the curb
<b>FTTH</b>	Fibre to the home
<b>FTTP</b>	Fibre to the premises
<b>GB</b>	Gigabyte
<b>GBP</b>	British pound
<b>Gbps</b>	Gigabits per second
<b>GDP</b>	Gross domestic product
<b>GDPR</b>	General Data Protection Regulation (European Union)
<b>GHz</b>	Gigahertz
<b>GPEN</b>	Global Privacy Enforcement Network
<b>HEI</b>	Higher education institution
<b>IAC</b>	Internal Audit Council
<b>ICME</b>	Integrated computational materials engineering
<b>ICPEN</b>	International Consumer Protection and Enforcement Network
<b>ICT</b>	Information and communication technology
<b>IEA</b>	International Energy Agency
<b>INCD</b>	Israel National Cyber Directorate
<b>INFO</b>	Information Society Development Guidelines
<b>IoT</b>	Internet of Things
<b>IP</b>	Internet Protocol
<b>IPE</b>	Institute of Physical Energetics
<b>IPR</b>	Intellectual property right
<b>ISAC</b>	Information Sharing and Analysis Centres
<b>ISP</b>	Internet service provider
<b>IT</b>	Information technology
<b>IT CC</b>	IT Competence Centre
<b>IXP</b>	Internet exchange point
<b>IWC</b>	Latvian State Institute of Wood Chemistry
<b>JMOIC</b>	Joint Municipality Operative Information Centre
<b>KBC</b>	Knowledge-based capital
<b>KISC</b>	Centre for Cultural Information Systems <i>Kultūras Informācijas Sistēmu Centrs</i>
<b>LALRG</b>	Latvian Association of Local and Regional Government

<b>LEGMC</b>	Latvian Environment, Geology and Meteorology Centre
<b>LETA</b>	Latvian Information Agency
<b>LFICIS</b>	Latvian Fisheries Integrated Control and Information System
<b>LGDB</b>	Genome Database of the Latvian Population
<b>LIA</b>	Latvian Internet Association
<b>LIDA</b>	Latvian Investment and Development Agency
<b>LIKTA</b>	Latvian Information and Communication Technology Association
<b>LIX</b>	Latvian Internet Exchange
<b>LLKC</b>	Latvian Rural Advisory and Training Centre
<b>LLU</b>	Latvian University of Life Sciences and Technologies
<b>LMT</b>	Latvian Mobile Telephone
<b>LNB</b>	Latvian National Library
<b>LSRTC</b>	Latvian State Radio and Television Centre
<b>LTE</b>	Long-term evolution
<b>LUA</b>	Latvian University of Agriculture
<b>LUMIC</b>	Microsoft Innovation Centre
<b>LVM</b>	Latvia's State Forests
<b>LVRTC</b>	Latvia State Radio and Television Centre <i>Latvijas Valsts Radio un Televīzijas Centrs</i>
<b>M2M</b>	Machine to machine
<b>MB</b>	Megabyte
<b>Mbps</b>	Megabits per second
<b>MeKA</b>	Forest and Wood Products Research and Development Institute
<b>MFA</b>	Ministry of Foreign Affairs
<b>MHz</b>	Megahertz
<b>MIC</b>	Microsoft Innovation Centre
<b>MNEs</b>	Multinational enterprises
<b>MNO</b>	Mobile network operator
<b>MoA</b>	Ministry of Agriculture
<b>MoC</b>	Ministry of Culture
<b>MoD</b>	Ministry of Defence
<b>MoE</b>	Ministry of Economics
<b>MoEAC</b>	Ministry of Economic Affairs and Communications (Estonia)
<b>MoES</b>	Ministry of Education and Science
<b>MoF</b>	Ministry of Finance
<b>MoH</b>	Ministry of Health
<b>MoI</b>	Ministry of the Interior
<b>MoITAL</b>	Ministry of Industry, Trade and Labour (Israel)
<b>MoJ</b>	Ministry of Justice
<b>MoT</b>	Ministry of Transport <i>Satiksmes Ministrija</i>
<b>MoU</b>	Memorandum of Understanding
<b>MoW</b>	Ministry of Welfare
<b>Mtoe</b>	Million tonnes of oil-equivalent
<b>MTR</b>	Mobile termination rate
<b>MVNO</b>	Mobile virtual network operator
<b>NAF</b>	National Armed Forces
<b>NATO</b>	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
<b>NCE</b>	National Centre for Education
<b>NEPLP</b>	National Electronic Mass Media Council <i>Nacionālā Elektronisko Plašsaziņas Līdzekļu Padome</i>

<b>NGO</b>	Non-governmental organization
<b>NHS</b>	National Health Service
<b>NITSC</b>	National Information Technology Security Council
<b>NPI</b>	National Industrial Policy
<b>OECD</b>	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
<b>OGP</b>	Open Government Partnership
<b>OPGW</b>	Optical fibre ground wire
<b>OSCE</b>	Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe
<b>OSINT</b>	Open source intelligence
<b>OTT</b>	Over the top
<b>PBMTCC</b>	Pharmacy, Biomedicine and Medical Technology Competence Centre
<b>PDPL</b>	Personal Data Processing Law
<b>PIKTAPS</b>	Public Administration Information and Communication Technology Architecture Management System
<b>PMP</b>	Privacy management programme
<b>PPP</b>	Purchasing power parity
<b>PTAC</b>	Authority for Consumer Rights Protection
<b>PUC</b>	Public Utilities Commissions
<b>QoS</b>	Quality of service
<b>R&amp;D</b>	Research and development
<b>RCA</b>	Revealed comparative advantage
<b>RE</b>	Register of Enterprises of the Republic of Latvia
<b>RFID</b>	Radio-frequency identification
<b>RIS3</b>	National Research and Innovation Strategy for Smart Specialisation
<b>RSU</b>	Rīga Stradiņš University
<b>RTU</b>	Riga Technical University
<b>SaaS</b>	Software-as-a-Service
<b>SAO</b>	State Audit Office
<b>SCM</b>	Supply chain management
<b>SEA</b>	State Employment Agency
<b>SEAP</b>	Riga Smart City Sustainable Energy Action Plan for 2014-2020
<b>SEC</b>	Sector Expert Council
<b>SEDA</b>	State Education and Development Agency
<b>SENAR</b>	National Service for Rural Apprenticeship (Brazil)
<b>SFSB</b>	State Forensic Science Bureau
<b>SIPCR</b>	State Inspectorate for Protection of Children's Rights
<b>SLS</b>	State Land Service
<b>SMEs</b>	Small and medium enterprises
<b>SMILE</b>	Santa Monica Internet Local Exchange
<b>SMP</b>	Significant market power
<b>SNIFFPHONE</b>	Smart Phone for Disease Detection from Exhaled Breath
<b>SP</b>	State Police
<b>SPRK</b>	Public Utilities Commission <i>Sabiedrisko Pakalpojumu Regulēšanas Komisija</i>
<b>SRA</b>	Studies and Research Administration
<b>SRDA</b>	State Regional Development Agency
<b>SRS</b>	State Revenue Service
<b>STDI</b>	Science, Technological Development and Innovation
<b>STEM</b>	Science, technology, engineering and mathematics
<b>STEP-Up</b>	Strategies towards Energy Performance and Urban Planning
<b>SUMMA</b>	Scalable Understanding of Multilingual Media

<b>UIDAI</b>	Unique Identification Authority of India
<b>UL</b>	University of Latvia
<b>UN</b>	United Nations
<b>USD</b>	United States dollar
<b>USO</b>	Universal service obligation
<b>VARAM</b>	Ministry of Environmental Protection and Regional Development <i>Vides Aizsardzības un Reģionālās Attīstības Ministrija</i>
<b>VDSL</b>	Very high bit rate digital subscriber line
<b>VECC</b>	Vocational Education Competence Centres
<b>VET</b>	Vocational education and training
<b>VIIS</b>	Latvian State Education Information System
<b>VINNOVA</b>	Swedish Innovation Agency
<b>VPN</b>	Virtual private network
<b>VPVKAC</b>	Unified Customer Service Centres
<b>VRAA</b>	State Regional Development Agency
<b>WFS</b>	Web Feature Service
<b>WGI</b>	Worldwide Governance Indicators
<b>WMS</b>	Web Map Service
<b>WSIS</b>	World Summit on the Information Society



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