

GLOSSARY

AA	avenue of approach
AAA	antiaircraft artillery
ACR	armored cavalry regiment
ACRV	a type Soviet equipment
ADA	air defense artillery
AE	aerial exploitation
AF	Air Force
AI	area of interest
ALO	air liaison officer
AM	amplitude modulated
ammo	ammunition
AO	area of operations
APC	armored personnel carrier
approx	approximately
arty	artillery
ASC	armored scout car
ASPS	all-source production section
AT	antitank
attn	attention
AVLB	armored vehicle launched bridge
avn	aviation
AZ	Arizona
BAE	battlefield area evaluation
bde	brigade
BE	basic encyclopedia
bldg	building
BLUFOR	Blue Force (US)
BMNT	beginning of morning nautical twilight
BMP	a type of Soviet personnel carrier
bn	battalion
BOS	battlefield operating systems
BRDM	a type of Soviet equipment
BRM	a type of Soviet equipment
BTR	a type of Soviet equipment
CAA	combined arms army
C ²	command and control
C ³	command, control, and communications
C ³ CM	command, control, and communications countermeasures
C&J	collection and jamming
CANE	Combined Arms in a Nuclear/Chemical Environment
CAS	close air support
cdr	commander
C-E	Communications-Electronics

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CESO	communications-electronic staff officer
them	chemical
CI	counterintelligence
CM&D	collection management and dissemination
C/MOB	countermobility
co	company
COA	course of action
Coil	collection
Comm	communication
COMSEC	communications security
con	contact
counter-	
reconnaissance--	all measures taken to prevent hostile observation of a force, area, or place (DOD)
CP	command post
CPT	captain
CR	counterreconnaissance
CSS	combat service support
CUCV	commercial utility cargo vehicle
DA	Department of the Army
DAG	division artillery group (Soviet)
DC	District of Columbia
DD	Department of Defense
decon	decontamination
def	defense/defensive
det	detachment
DF	direction finding
DIA	Defense Intelligence Agency
dist	distribution
div	division
DIVARTY	division artillery
DS	direct support
DST	decision support template
DTG	date-time group
DZ	drop zone
E	east
ECCM	electronic counter-countermeasures
ECM	electronic countermeasures
EENT	end of evening nautical twilight
ELINT	electronic intelligence
engr	engineer
EPB	electronic preparation of the battlefield
EPW	enemy prisoner of war
ESM	electronic warfare support measures
EW	electronic warfare

FAAR	forward area alerting radar
FASCAM	family of scatterable mines
FEBA	forward edge of the battle area
FIST	fire support team
FISTV	FIST vehicle
577	tracked operations vehicle (heavy division)
FLOT	forward line of own troops
fl t	flight
FM	(with number) field manual
FM	frequency modulated
FO	forward observer
FRAGO	fragmentary order
FSE	fire support element
FSO	fire support officer
fwd	forward
G2	Assistant Chief of Staff (Intelligence)
GMRD	guards motorized rifle division
GMRR	guards motorized rifle regiment
gp	group
GS	general support
GSR	ground surveillance radar
H	the time hostilities commence
HF	high frequency
HHOC	Headquarters, headquarters and operations company
HMMWV	high mobility multipurpose wheeled vehicle
HPT	high payoff target
hq	headquarters
hr	hour
HUMINT	human intelligence
HVT	high value targets
I&S	intelligence and surveillance
ID	infantry division/identification
IEW	intelligence and electronic warfare
IEWSE	intelligence and electronic warfare support element
IFF	identification, friend or foe (radar)
illum	illumination
IMINT	imagery intelligence
intcp	intercept
intel	intelligence
IPB	intelligence preparation of the battlefield
IR	information requirements
ITB	independent tank battalion
ITR	independent tank regiment

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JAAT	Joint Air Attack Team
JTCG	Joint Test Command Group
km	kilometer
km/h	kilometers per hour
lbs	pounds
LC	line of contact
LD	line of departure
LIC	low-intensity conflict
LOA	limit of advance
LOC	lines of communications
LOEA	limit of enemy advance
LOS	line of sight
LP	listening post
LOB	line of bearing
m	mechanized
m	meter
mag	magnetic
MAJ	major
MC	mobility corridor
M/CM/S	mobility, countermobility, and survivability
MCOO	modified combined obstacles overlay
mech	mechanized
MEDEVAC	medical evacuation
METL	mission essential task list
METT-T	mission, enemy, terrain, troops, and time available
MI	Military Intelligence
MIJI	meaconing, intrusion, jamming, and interference
min	minute
MOPP	mission-oriented protection posture
MP	Military Police
MR	motorized rifle
MRB	motorized rifle battalion
MRC	motorized rifle company
MRD	motorized rifle division
MRP	motorized rifle platoon
MRR	motorized rifle regiment
MSR	main supply route
MTLB	a type Soviet equipment
N	north
NAI	named areas of interest
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
NBC	nuclear, biological, and chemical
NET	not earlier than

NLT	not later than
no	number
NOD	night observation device
noncomm	noncommunications
NV	night vision
NVG	night vision goggles
OB	order of battle
obj	objective
O&I	operations and intelligence
OMG	operational maneuver group
OP	observation post
OPCON	operational control
OPFOR	opposing force
OPLAN	operations plan
OPORD	operations order
OPSEC	operations security
PIR	priority intelligence requirements
PL	phase line
plt	platoon
PMCS	preventive maintenance checks and services
PMI	preventive maintenance inspections
POL	petroleum, oils, and lubricants
poss	possible
POV	privately owned vehicle
prep	prepare
prob	probable
R&S	reconnaissance and surveillance
RAC	reconnaissance assault company
RC	Reserve Components
REC	radio electronic combat
recon	reconnaissance
REMBASS	Remotely Monitored Battlefield Sensor System
reconnaissance--	A mission undertaken to obtain, by visual observation or other detection methods, information about the activities and resources of an enemy or potential enemy; or to secure data concerning the meteorological, hydrographic, or geographic characteristics of a particular area. (DOD, NATO)
regt	regiment
retrans	retransmission
RII	request for intelligence information
RISTA	reconnaissance, intelligence, surveillance and target acquisition
Rkh	a type of Soviet equipment

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Rkh/m	a type of Soviet equipment
RP	release point
s	south
S2	Intelligence Officer (US Army)
S3	Operations and Training Officer (US Army)
S3-air	Air Operations and Training Officer (US Army)
S-A	seismic-acoustic
SA	surface to air
SALT	size, activity, location, and time
SALUTE	size, activity, location, unit, time, equipment (spot report format)
SAM	surface to air missile
SCARF	standard collection asset request format
scty	security
SEAD	suppression of enemy air defense
SIGINT	signals intelligence
SIR	specific information requirements
SITMAP	situation map
SMS	simultaneous monitoring system
SOI	signal operation instructions
SOP	standing operating procedure
SOR	specific orders and requests
SP	start point
SSM	surface-to-surface missile
Surv	surveillance
surveillance--	The systematic observation of aerospace, surface or subsurface areas, places, persons, or things by visual, aural, electronic, photographic, or other means. (DOD,NATO)
TA	theater army
TAA	tactical air army
TACFIRE	tactical fire direction computer system
TAI	target areas of interest
TB	tank battalion
TC	training circular
TE	tactical exploitation
temp	temperature
TF	task force
tk	tank
TNT	trinitrotoluene
TOC	tactical operations center
TOT	time over target
TOW	tube-launched, optically tracked, wire guided
TPL	time phase line
TR	tank regiment

TRADOC	United States Army Training and Doctrine Command
TTP	tactics, techniques, and procedures
UHF	ultra high frequency
us	United States
USAF	United States Air Force
USAICS	US Army Intelligence Center and School
USSR	Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
VHF	very high frequency
vic	vicinity
w	west