

BROADBAND ACRONYMS

ACE	ADVANCED COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING
ACL	ACCESS CONTROL LIST
ADSL	ASYNCHRONOUS DIGITAL SUBSCRIBER LINES
Appt	APPOINTMENT
ATM	ASYNCHRONOUS TRANSFER MODE
AVC	ABORTIVE VISIT CHARGE
BAC	BROADBAND ASSURANCE CONTACT
BAD	BROADBAND ASSURANCE DIAGNOSTICS
BB	BROADBAND
BBFM	BROADBAND FAULT MANAGEMENT
BBIP	BROADBAND IP SERVICE IDENTIFIER
BBNTE	BROADBAND NETWORK TERMINATING EQUIPMENT
BPS	BROADBAND PROVISION SYSTEM
BT IPStream S	PROVIDING END USER ACCESS
BT IPStream Central	PROVIDING THE CUSTOMER ACCESS LINK
BOU	BROADBAND OPERATIONS UNIT
BT MSP	BT MULTI SERVICE PLATFORM
BTWP	BT WHOLESALE PORTAL
BWA	BROADBAND WIRELESS ACCESS
CAL	CUSTOMER ACCESS LINK
CAMSS	COMPUTER ASSISTED MAINTENANCE OF SPECIAL SERVICES
CAB	CABINET - CROSS CONNECTION POINT BETWEEN EXCH & EU
CAP	CAPACITANCE
CAT	CUSTOMER ACCEPTANCE TESTING
CAT5	CATEGORY 5 CABLE
CBR	CONSTANT BIT RATE
CCT	CIRCUIT

CMC	CUSTOMER MANAGEMENT CENTRE
CP	COMMUNICATIONS PROVIDER
CPE	CUSTOMER PREMISES EQUIPMENT
CRF	CUSTOMER REQUIREMENT FORM
CRC	CYCLIC REDUNDANCY CHECK
CSE	CUSTOMER SERVICE ENGINEER
CSS	CUSTOMER SERVICES SYSTEM
CUD	CUSTOMER USAGE BILLING
CWWC	CONFIRMED WORKING WITH CUSTOMER
D-SIDE	LINE - DP SIDE OF CABINET
DACS	DIGITAL ACCESS CARRIER SYSTEM
DCN	DROPPED CONNECTION
DCS	DISTRIBUTION & CUSTOMER SERVICES
DHCP	DYNAMIC HOST CONFIGURATION PROTOCOL
DMT	DISCRETE MUTLI-TONE (USB MODEM)
DN	DIRECTORY NUMBER
DNS	DOMAIN NAME SERVER
DOWNSTREAM	DATA TRANSPORTED FROM THE CUSTOMER TO END USER
DP	DISTRIBUTION POINT
DSL	DIGITAL SUBSCRIBER LINE
DSLAM	DIGITAL SUBSCRIBER LOOP ACCESS MULTIPLEXER
DSU	DIGITAL SERVICES UNIT
E-SIDE	LINE - EXCHANGE SIDE OF CABINET
ELF	EARLY LIFE FAILURE
EM	EMERGENCY MAINTENANCE
EU	END USER
EUDAL	END USER DIGITAL ACCESS LINK
EUDP	END USER DATA PATH
FMO	FIELD MAINTENANCE OFFICER
FNF	FAULT NOT FOUND
FOA	FIRST OFFICE APPLICATION

FOU	FIELD OPERATIONS UNIT
FOOTPRINT	DEFINED GEOGRAPHICAL AREA/GROUP OF POSTCODES
FR	FRAME RELAY
FRC	FAILED RECONFIGURATION
FTF	FAULTSMAN TEST FACILITY
GPMS	GENERIC PROBLEM MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
HEC	HEADER ERROR CORRECTION
HDAL	HOST DIGITAL ACCESS LINK
HGR	HOME GATEWAY ROUTER
ICMP	INTERNET CONTROL MESSAGE PROTOCOL
IDC	INSULATION DISPLACEMENT CONNECTION
IOC	INTERNET OPERATIONS CENTRE
IP VPN	INTERNET PROTOCOL VIRTUAL PRIVATE NETWORK
IP	INTERNET PROTOCOL
ISDN	INTEGRATED SERVICES DIGITAL NETWORK
ISP	INTERNET SERVICE PROVIDER
ISU	INTERACTIVE SERVICE UNAVAILABLE
IVOR	IMPROVING VISIBILITY OF REPAIR
IVV&T	INTEGRATION; VERIFICATION; VALIDATION & TESTING
LLU	LOCAL LOOP UNBUNDLING
LT2TP	LAYER 2 TUNNELLING PROTOCOL
LAN	LOCAL AREA NETWORK
LB	LOW-BAND
LED	LIGHT EMITTING DIODE
LNS	L2TP NETWORK SERVER [CISCO] - A HOME GATEWAY
LTRIP	LINE TEST & ROUTINING IMPROVEMENT PROGRAMME
MDF	MAIN DISTRIBUTION FRAME
MSI	MAJOR SERVICE INCIDENT
MSIP	MULTI-SERVICES INTRANET PLATFORM
MSO	MAJOR SERVICE OUTAGE
MSF	MAJOR SERVICE FAULT

MTU	MAXIMUM TRANSMISSION UNIT
MUX	MULTIPLEXOR CARD
NAT	NETWORK ADDRESS TRANSLATION
NCB	NO CONNECTION TO BLUE SCREEN
NCH	NO CONNECTION TO HOME GATEWAY ROUTER
NCR	NO CONNECTION TO RAS
NCAS	NETWORK CONFIGURATION & ASSIGNMENT SYSTEM
NCIF	NOT AN ACRONYM AN OPERATIONAL SUPPORT SYSTEM
NFM	NETWORK FAULT MANAGEMENT
NMC	NETWORK MANAGEMENT CENTRE
NRP	NETWORK ROUTE PROCESSOR
NSC	NO SYNCRONISATION
NSP	NETWORK SWITCH PROCESSOR
NTE	NETWORK TERMINATING EQUIPMENT
NWP	NO WEB PAGES
OAM	OPERATIONS, ADMINISTRATION AND MAINTENANCE
OCB	ORDER CONTROL BOARD
OLOs	OTHER LICENSED OPERTORS
OOH	OUT OF HOURS
OSD	OPERATIONAL SERVICE DATE
OSS	OPERATIONAL SUPPORT SYSTEMS
PAT	PORT ADDRESSS TRANSLATION
PET	PERMANENT ENGAGED TONE
PEW	PLANNED ENGINEERING WORKS
PING	PACKET INTERNET GROPER
PoP	POINT OF PRESENCE
POTS	PLAIN OLD TELEPHONE SERVICE
PPP	POINT TO POINT PROTOCOL
PPPoA	POINT TO POINT PROTOCOL OVER ASYNCHRONOUS TRANSFER MODE
PPPoE	POINT TO POINT PROTOCOL OVER ETHERNET
PSTN	PUBLIC SWITCHED TELEPHONE NETWORK

PSU	POWER SUPPLY UNIT
PTO	PRECISION TESTING OFFICER
PVC	PERMANENT VIRTUAL CIRCUIT
PVCC	PERMANENT VIRTUAL CIRCUIT CONNECTION
RADIUS	REMOTE AUTHENTICATION DIAL IN USER SERVICE
RAP	ROUTER ACTIVATION PLATFORM
RAS	REMOTE ACCESS SERVER
RARA	RANG AHEAD RANG AFTER
RASBOX	REMOTE ACCESS SERVICE BOX (CISCO ROUTER)
RTNR	RINGING TONE NO REPLY
RWT	RIGHT WHEN TESTED
SB	SYSTEMS BUSINESS
SCR	SLOW CONNECTION RATE
SDH	SYNCHRONOUS DIGITAL HIGHWAY
SDSL	SYMMETRIC DIGITAL SUBSCRIBER LINE
SFI	SPECIAL FAULT INVESTIGATION
SHDS	SHORT HAUL DATA SERVICE
SIDB	SERVICE INVENTORY DATABASE
SLOT	APPOINTMENT SLOT
SMC	SERVICE MANAGEMENT CENTRE
SMDS	SYNCHRONOUS MULTI-MEGABIT DATA SERVICE
SoHo	SINGLE OFFICE HOME OFFICE
SNE	SUB-NETWORK ELEMENT
SSB	SERVICE SELECTION BARRING
SSD	SERVICE SOLUTION DESIGN
SP	SERVICE PACKAGE (also formerly Service Provider)
STB	SET TOP BOX
SYNC	SYNCHRONIZED/SYNCHRONIZATION
TAM	TEST ACCESS MATRIX
TCP	TRANSMISSION CONTROL PROTOCOL
TOS	TERMINATION OF SERVICE

TPON	TELECOMMUNICATION OVER PASSIVE OPTICAL NETWORK
UNI	USER NETWORK INTERFACE
UPSTREAM	DATA TRANSPORTED FROM END USER TO CUSTOMER
URL	UNIFORM RESOURCE LOCATOR (FULL WEB ADDRESS)
USB	UNIVERSAL SERIAL BUS. INTERFACE
UTP	UNSHIELDED TWISTED PAIR
VC	VIRTUAL CIRCUIT
VDSL	VERY HIGH SPEED DIGITAL SUBSCRIBER LINE
VOIP	VOICE OVER INTERNET PROTOCOL
VP	VIRTUAL PATH
VPN	VIRTUAL PRIVATE NETWORK
WDM	WAVE DIVISION MULTIPLEXER
WOOSH	NOT AN ACRONYM BUT INTERNET BASED OPERATIONAL SUPPORT SYSTEM