

List of commonly used abbreviations

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. 4U = For You
. ACK = Acknowledged
. ADN = Any day now
. AFAIK = As far as I know
. AFJ = April Fool's Joke
. AFK = Away from keyboard
. AI = Artificial Intelligence
. ARE = Acronym-rich environment
. Av = Avatar
. B4 = Before
. B4N = Bye for now
. BAK = Back at the keyboard
. BBFN = Bye Bye For Now
. BBIAB = Be back in a bit
. BBL = Be back later
. B-DAY = Birthday
. <BEG> = Big evil grin
. BFD = Big f***ing deal
. BFN = Bye for now
. <BG> = Big grin
. BIOYIOP = Blow it out your I/O port
. <BL> = Belly laughing
. BOTEK = Back-of-the-envelope calculation
. BRB = Be right back
. BRB GTGP = Be right back Got to go pee
. BTA = But then again
. BTW = By the way
. CU = See you
. CU2 = See you to
. CUL = See you later
. CUL8R = See you later
. CYO = See you online
. DBA = Doing business as
. DFLA = Disenhanced four letter acronym
. DIKU = Do I know you
. DITYID = Did I tell you I'm distressed?
. DQMOT = Don't quote me on this
. DYJHIW = Don't you just hate it when .
. <EG> = Evil grin
. EMFA = Excuse me for asking
. EMFBI = Excuse me for butting in
. EOT = End of thread (end of discussion)
. ETLA = Extended three letter acronym
. F2F = Face to face
. FAQ = Frequently asked question(s)
. FD&R = Grinning ducking and running
. FISH = First in still here
. FLA = Four letter acronym
. FOMCL = Falling of your chair laughing
. FUBAR = Fucked up beyond all recognition
. FUBAR = Fucked up beyond all repair
. FUD = Fear, uncertainty and doubt
. FWIW = For what it's worth
. FYI = For your information
. <G> = Grin
. G2G = Got to go
. GA = Go ahead
. GAL = Get a life
. GD&R = Grins, ducks & Runs
. GIWIST = Gee, I wish I'd said that
. GMTA = Great minds think alike
. GOL = Giggling out loud
. GTRM = Going to read mail
. HHOJ = Ha ha only joking
. HTH = Hope this helps
. IAC = In any case
. IANAL = I'm not a lawyer (but)
. IC = I See
. IDGI = I don't get it
. IHA = I hate acronyms
. IIRC = If I recall correctly
. IIRC = If I Recollect Correctly

. IIRC	=	If I remember correctly
. ILU	=	I love you
. ILY	=	I love you
. IM	=	Immediate message
. IMHO	=	In my humble opinion
. IMNSHO	=	In my not so humble opinion
. IMO	=	In my opinion
. IOTTMCO	=	Intuitively Obvious To The Most Casual Observer
. IOW	=	In other words
. IPN	=	I'm posting naked
. IRL	=	In Real Life
. IYKWIMAITYD	=	If You Know What I Mean And I Think You Do
. IYSWIM	=	If you see what I mean
. JIC	=	Just in case
. JK	=	Just kidding
. K	=	OK
. KWIM	=	Know what I mean?
. L8R	=	Later
. LAFS	=	Love At First Sight
. LD	=	Later dude
. LDR	=	Long-distance relationship
. LJBF	=	Let's Just Be Friends
. LLTA	=	Lots of laughing and thunderous applause
. LO	=	Love Object
. LO	=	Lust Object
. LOL	=	Laughing Out Loud
. LRF	=	Little rubber feet
. LTR	=	Long Term Relationship
. LTM	=	Laughing to myself
. MorF	=	Male or Female
. MOTSS	=	Member of the same sex
. MOTOS	=	Member of the opposite sex
. NC	=	No comment
. NE1	=	Anyone
. NFW	=	No F***ing way
. NFW	=	No feasible way
. NG	=	Nice Guy
. Nice 2 CU	=	Nice to see you
. NM	=	Nothing much
. NP	=	No problem
. NRN	=	No response necessary
. OIC	=	Oh, I see
. OLL	=	Online love
. OTF	=	On the floor
. OTOH	=	On the other hand
. OTTOMH	=	Off the top of my head
. PANS	=	Pretty awesome new stuff
. PCMCIA	=	People can't master computer industry acronyms
. PDA	=	Public display of affection
. PEBCAK	=	Problem exists between chair and keyboard
. PITA	=	Pain in the ass
. PMFJIB	=	Pardon me for jumping in but...
. PMJI	=	Pardon my jumping in
. POTC	=	Peck on the cheek
. POTS	=	Plain old telephone service
. PPL	=	People
. PW	=	Password
. RI	=	Romantic Interest
. RL	=	Real life
. ROFL	=	Rolling on the floor laughing
. ROFLMAO	=	Rolling on the floor laughing my ass of
. ROR	=	Raffing out roud (see LOL)
. ROTFL	=	Rolling on the floor laughing
. ROTFLMAOWPIMP	=	Rolling on the floor laughing my ass of while peeing in my pants
. ROTFLMBO	=	Rolling on the floor Laughing my butt off
. RPG	=	Role-playing games
. RSN	=	Real soon now
. RTFM	=	Read the f***ing manual
. RU	=	Are you
. RW	=	Real World
. RYO	=	Roll your own (write your own program)
. SEG	=	S***-eating grin
. SEZ	=	Says
. SNAFU	=	Situation normal, all f***ed up
. SNAG	=	Sensitive New-Age Guy
. (X)SO	=	Ex Significant Other
. SO	=	Significant Other

. SOL = Sh*t out of luck
 . SOL = Smiling out loud
 . SOMY = Sick of me yet?
 . SOS = Same old stuff
 . SWAG = Stupid wild-ass guess
 . SYL = See you later
 . TAFN = That's all for now
 . TANSTAAFL = There ain't no such thing as a free lunch
 . TFH = Thread from hell
 . TGIF = Thank god it's Friday
 . TIA = Thanks in advance
 . TLA = three letter acronym
 . TL&EH = True Love and Eternal Happiness
 . TLK2UL8R = Talk to you later
 . TNX = Thanks
 . TPTB = The powers that be
 . TTFN = Ta-Ta for now
 . TTYL = Talk to you later
 . TU = Thank you
 . UAPITA = You're a pain in the ass
 . UW = You're welcome
 . <VBG> = Very big grin
 . <VBSEG> = Very big s***-eating grin
 . WBS = Write Back Soon
 . WDALYIC = Who died and left you in charge?
 . WFM = Works for me
 . WIBNI = Wouldn't it be nice
 . WT? = What the ?
 . WT? = Who the ?
 . WTFO = What the f***! Over!
 . WTG = Way to go!
 . WTGP? = Want to go private?
 . WU? = What's up?
 . WUF? = Where are you from?
 . WYSIWYG = What you see is what you get
 . YGBSM = You gotta be s***tin' me!
 . KYBHTLW = You Know You've Been Hacking Too Long When
 . YMMV = Your mileage may vary