

# List of Acronyms and Other References

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11 1A, etc.	—railroad container designations (DOT)	CVCF	—Commercial Vehicle Casualty File
49 CFR	—transportation section of the Code of Federal Regulations	CVSA	—Commercial Vehicle Safety Alliance
49-series	—series of STCCs specifically for hazardous materials	DMV	—Division of Motor Vehicles
5800.1	—see F5800. 1	DOD	—U.S. Department of Defense
A & H	—Alaska and Hawaii	DOE	—U.S. Department of Energy
AAR	—Association of American Railroads	DOT	—U.S. Department of Transportation
ABAG	—Association of Bay Area Governments	DVB	—divinyl benzene
ACE (ACofE)	—U.S. Army Corps of Engineers	ECE	—Economic Commission for Europe
AE	—Army Corps of Engineers codes (WSCS code)	ECOSOC	—Economic and Social Council
ANPRM	—Advanced Notice of Proposed Rulemaking	ENC	—East North Central
APA	—Administrative Procedures Act	EODA	—Explosive and Other Dangerous Articles Act
API	—American Petroleum Institute	EPA	—U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
ASME	—American Society of Mechanical Engineers	ESC	—East South Central
ATA	—Air Transport Association	Ex Parte	—legal proceeding before the Interstate Commerce Commission
ATA	—American Trucking Associations, Inc.	F5800. 1	—reporting form for HMIR
AUI	—Associated Universities, Inc.	FAA	—Federal Aviation Administration
BEA	—Bureau of Economic Analysis (U.S. Department of Commerce)	FARS	—Fatal Accident Reporting System
BEA Region	—Bureau of Economic Analysis Region (U.S. Department of Commerce)	FCS	—Freight Carload Statistics (ICC)
BMCS	—Bureau of Motor Carrier Safety	FEMA	—Federal Emergency Management Agency
BNPL	—Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratory	FHWA	—Federal Highway Administration
BWR	—boiling water reactor	FLETC	—Federal Law Enforcement Training Center
CAB	—Civil Aeronautics Board	FR	—Federal Register
CAER	—Community Awareness and Emergency Response	FRA	—Federal Railroad Administration
CERCLA	—Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act	FRERP	—Federal Radiological Emergency Response Plan
CFR	—Code of Federal Regulations	FRP	—fiberglass reinforced plastic
CHEMTREC	—Chemical Transportation Emergency Center	FSAC	—Freight Station Accounting Code—U.S. rail network
CHP	—California Highway Patrol	FWPCA	—Federal Water Pollution Control Act
CHRIS	—Chemical Hazards Response Information System	GAO	—U.S. General Accounting Office
CMA	—Chemical Manufacturers Association	GVWR	—gross vehicle weight ratings
COFC/TOFC	—container on flatcar/trailer on flatcar (piggyback)	HICA/MYDP	—Hazard Identification, Capability Assessment and Multi-Year Development Plan
CPI	—Consumer Price Index	HLW	—high-level waste
CTC	—Canadian Transport Commission	HMIR	—Hazardous Materials Incident Reports
CTS	—Commodity Transportation Survey (U.S. Bureau of the Census)	HMIS	—Hazardous Materials Information Service
		HMTA	—Hazardous Materials Transportation Act
		HSRI	—Highway Safety Research Institute (University of Michigan)
		IACP	—International Association of Chiefs of Police
		IAEA	—International Atomic Energy Agency

IAFC	—International Association of Fire Chiefs	NMFC	—National Motor Freight Classification
IAFF	—International Association of Fire Fighters	NMTDB	—National Motor Truck Data Base
IATA	—International Air Transport Association	n.o. s.	—not otherwise specified
ICAO	—International Civil Aviation Organization	NPRM	—Notice of Proposed Rulemaking
<b>ICC</b>	—Interstate Commerce Commission	NRC	—National Response Center (U.S. Coast Guard)
IDOT	—Illinois Department of Transportation	NRC	—U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
IIHS	—Insurance Institute for Highway Safety	NRT	—National Response Team
IM	—intermodal	NTSB	—National Transportation Safety Board
IMCO	—Intergovernmental Maritime Consultative Organization	NTTC	—National Tank Truck Carriers, Inc.
IMDG	—International Maritime Dangerous Goods	NWPA	—Nuclear Waste Policy Act
IMO	—International Maritime Organization	NYSTA	—New York State Thruway Authority
LLW	—low-level waste	OBPA	—Ogdensburg Bridge and Port Authority
LNG	—liquefied natural gas	OHMT	—Office of Hazardous Materials Transportation
LPG	—liquefied petroleum gas	OKI	—Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana
LSA	—low specific activity	ORM	—Other Regulated Materials
LWR	—light water reactor	ORNL	—Oak Ridge National Laboratories
LWT	—legal weight truck	OSHA	—Occupational Safety and Health Administration
MA	—Middle Atlantic	OTA	—Office of Technology Assessment
MC-301, etc.	—container codes applicable to trucks (see 49 CFR)	<b>OWT</b>	—overweight truck
MCCS	—Motor Carrier Census Survey (Bureau of Motor Carrier Safety, FHWA)	PATRAM	—Packaging and Transportation of Radioactive Materials
MCSAP	—Motor Carrier Safety Assistance Program	PCB	—polychlorinated biphenyls
MMTA	—Massachusetts Motor Trucking Association, Inc.	PIRS	—Pollution Incident Reporting System
MOU	—Memorandum of Understanding	PNW	—Pacific Northwest
MRS	—monitored retrievable storage	PPE	—personal protective equipment
MSDS	—material safety data sheets	PSCOG	—Puget Sound Council of Governments
MSHA	—Mine Safety and Health Administration	psi	—pounds per square inch
MTB	—Materials Transportation Board	Psw	—Pacific Southwest
MTU	—metric tons uranium	PTRA	—Port Terminal Rail Authority
NAC	—Nuclear Assurance Corp.	PWR	—pressurized water reactor
NAHMI	—National Alliance of Hazardous Materials Instructors	Piggyback	—trailers or containers carried on railroad flatcars
NASS	—National Accident Sampling System	RAMRT	—Radioactive Materials Routing Report
NCP	—National Contingency Plan	RCRA	—Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
NE	—New England	RPI	—Railway Progress Institute
NEPA	—National Environmental Policy Act	RQ	—reportable quantity
NFPA	—National Fire Protection Association	RRT	—Regional Response Teams
NHTSA	—National Highway Transportation Safety Administration	RSPA	—Research and Special Programs Administration
NIOSH	—National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health	SA	—South Atlantic
		SHMED	—State Hazardous Materials Enforcement Development program
		SIC	—Standard Industrial Classification
		SOLAS	—Safety of Life at Sea

SPCL	—Standard Point Location Code (geocodification of the U. S.)	TSC	—Transportation System Center
SSRMT	—State Surveillance of Radioactive Materials Transportation	TSCA	—Toxic Substances Control Act
STAA	—Surface Transportation Assistance Act	TSI	—Transportation Safety Institute
STCC	—Standard Transportation Commodity Code (ICC)	TSUSA	—Tariff Schedule for United States Annotated
Schedule A	—import commodity classification code (U.S. Customs)	UFC	—Uniform Freight Classification
Schedule E	—export commodity codes (U.S. Customs)	UMLER	—Universal Machine Language Equipment Register
TAF	—Truck Accident File (BMCS)	UN/NA	—United Nations/North American hazardous materials code
TDG	—Transportation of Dangerous Goods Regulations	UNK	—region unknown
TDI	—toluene diisocyanate	UP	—Union Pacific
TEMA	—Tennessee Emergency Management Agency	U.S.C.	—United States Code
TI	—Technical Instructions	USCG	—U.S. Coast Guard
TIBA	—Thousand Islands Bridge Authority	UTPS	—Urban Transportation Planning System
TI&U	—see TIUS	VMF	—Vessel Master File (U.S. Army Corps of Engineers)
TIUS	—Truck Inventory and Use Survey (U.S. Bureau of the Census)	WCSC	—Waterborne Commerce Statistics Center (Army Corps of Engineers)
TOFC/COFC	—trailer on flatcar (piggyback) /container on flatcar	WCSC	—waterborne commodity statistical codes flow database (Army Corps of Engineers)
TRAIN II	—railroad car location information exchange network and database	WMF	—Waterway Master File (U.S. Army Corps of Engineers)
TRU	—transuranic waste	WNC	—West North Central
		WSAF	—Washington State Accident File
		WSC	—West South Central