

Abbreviations

AD	Alzheimer’s disease
ADRN	Administrative Data Research Centres, United Kingdom
AIC triad	Availability, integrity and/or confidentiality of information
AMI	Acute myocardial infarction
APIs	Application programming interfaces
ATS	Algorithmic trading systems
BiOS Initiative	Biological Innovation for Open Society
BPP	Billion Price Project
CAGR	Compound annual growth rate
CancerLinQ	American Society of Clinical Oncology’s Cancer Learning Intelligence Network for Quality
CCD	Ciudad Creativa Digital, Guadalajara, Mexico
CCLA	City Climate Leadership Award
ccTLDs	Country code top-level domains
CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, United States
CDNs	Content delivery networks
CEPS	Centre for European Policy Studies
CER	Comparative effectiveness research
CLA	Contributor Licence Agreement
CODATA	Committee on Data for Science and Technology
CONIYT	National Commission of Technological Research, Chile
CSV	Comma-separated values
CT	Computed tomography
DBMS	Database management system
DDI	Data-driven innovation
DEC	Department of Environmental Conservation, New York State
DoS	Denial of service
DRM	Digital rights management
DSSs	Decision support systems
DW	Data warehouse
EBI	European Bioinformatics Institute
ECHO	European Collaboration for Healthcare Optimization
EDF	Électricité de France
EDW	Enterprise data warehouse
EHRs	Electronic health records
EITC	Earned income tax credits
EMBL	European Molecular Biology Laboratory
EMIF	European Medical Information Framework
ENoLL	European Network of Living Labs
EP	European Parliament
EPRs	Electronic personal records
ERDF	Électricité Réseau Distribution France

ERP	Enterprise resource planning
Esri	Environmental Systems Research Institute
ESSC	European Statistical System Committee
ETDE	Energy Technology Data Exchange
eTRIKS	Delivering European Translational Information & Knowledge Management Services
EU-ADR	EU Advanced Drug Reporting initiative or should ADR really be “Adverse Drug Reactions”? Please confirm
EUNOIA	Evolutionary User-centric Networks for Intraurban Accessibility, European Union
EuroHOPE	European Health Care Outcomes, Performance and Efficiency Project
Fing	Fondation Internet Nouvelle Génération, France
fMRI	Functional magnetic resonance imaging
GfK	Gesellschaft für Konsumforschung, Society for Consumer Research
GIS	Geographic information systems
GP	General practitioner
GPHIN	Global Public Health Information Network
GPS	Global positioning system
HCQI	Health Care Quality Indicators (OECD)
HDDs	Hard disk drives
HES	Hospital Episode Statistics
HGF	Hypothesis generation framework
HMO	Health care maintenance organisation
IaaS	Infrastructure as a service
IAPP	International Association of Privacy Professionals
ICC	Integrated circuit card
ICES	Institute for Clinical and Evaluative Sciences, Canada
ICGC	International Cancer Genome Consortium
ICS-CERT	Industrial Control System Cyber Emergency Response Team, United States
ICSTI	International Council for Scientific and Technical Information
ICSU	International Council for Science
ICTs	Information and communication technologies
IGOs	International governmental organisations
IEA	International Energy Agency
IEC	International Electrotechnical Commission
IEEE	Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
IETF	Internet Engineering Task Force
INTEGRATE	Integrative Cancer Research through Innovative Biomedical Infrastructures, European Commission
IoT	Internet of Things
IPRs	Intellectual property rights
ISO	International Organization for Standardization
ISPs	Internet service providers
ITU	International Telecommunication Union
JSON	JavaScript Object Notation
Kbit	Kilobit, equals 1 000 bits
M2M	Machine-to-machine (communication)

Mbit	Megabit, equals 1 000 000 bits
MGI	McKinsey Global Institute
MOOCs	Massive open online courses
MR	Magnetic resonance
NCDs	Non-communicable diseases
NDES	National Digital Economy Strategy
NFC	Near field communication
NHGRI	National Human Genome Research Institute
NIT	Negative income tax
NLP	Natural language processing
NPISHs	Non-profit institutions serving households
NSF	National Science Foundation, United States
OCR	Optical character recognition
ODbL	Open Database License
ODI	Open Data Institute, United Kingdom
OLAP	Online analytical processing
OLTP	Online transaction processing
OSS	Open source software
OSTP	Office of Science and Technology Policy, United States
PaaS	Platform as a service
PAW Conference	Predictive Analytics World Conference
PB	Petabytes
PCOR	Patient-centred health outcomes research
PCT	Patent Cooperation Treaty
PCTs	Primary care trusts
PEDW	Patient Episode Database for Wales
PET	Positron emission tomography
PGETIC	Global Strategic Plan for Rationalisation of ICT Costs in Public Administration, Portugal
PII	Personal identifying information
PNAS	Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences
ProMED	Program for Monitoring Emerging Diseases
PSI	Public sector information
QIN	Quantitative Imaging Network, United States
QoS	Quality of service
RDA	Research Data Alliance
RDF	Resource Description Framework
RFID	Radio frequency identification
RPAS	Remote piloted aircraft systems
SaaS	Software as a service
SALUS	Scalable, Standard based Interoperability Framework for Sustainable Proactive Post Market Safety Studies
SCOAP3	Sponsoring Consortium for Open Access Publishing in Particle Physics
Sense-OS	Sense Observation Systems
SGDR	Sui generis database right
SHAs	Strategic health authorities
SIM	Subscriber identity module
SIS	Swedish Standardization Institute
SNA	UN System of National Accounts

SPARC	Scholarly Publishing and Academic Resources Coalition
SPECT	Single photon emission computed tomography
SQL	Structured query language
SSDs	Solid-state drives
STRIDE	Stanford Translational Research Integrated Database Environment
TCGA	The Cancer Genome Atlas
TfL	Transport for London
TNO	Netherlands Organisation for Applied Scientific Research
TRANSFoRm	Translational Research and Patient Safety in Europe
TRIPS	Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights
UAV	Unmanned aerial vehicles
UKDBIS	UK Department for Business Innovation & Skills
URIs	Uniform resource identifiers
USPTO	United States Patent and Trademark Office
VRM	Vendor Relationship Management
WCT	WIPO Copyright Treaty
WIPO	World Intellectual Property Organization
WITSA	World Information Technology and Services Alliance
WPA	Wireless personal area
WT	Wellcome Trust
XML	eXtensible Markup Language



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