

Acronyms and abbreviation

AAR	Association of American Railroads
AEO	Authorized Economic Operator
AETR	European Agreement concerning the Work of Crews of Vehicles engaged in International Road Transport
AFAC	Federal Agency of Civil Aviation (<i>Agencia Federal de Aviación Civil</i>)
ANPACT	National Association of Buses, Trucks and Trailers of Mexico (<i>Asociación Nacional de Productores de Autobuses, Camiones y Tractocamiones, A.C</i>)
API	Integral Port Administration (<i>Administración Portuaria Integral</i>)
APMT	APM Terminals
ARTF	Railway Transport Regulatory Agency of Mexico (<i>Agencia Reguladora del Transporte Ferroviario</i>)
ASA	Airports and Auxiliary Services (<i>Aeropuertos y Servicios Auxiliares</i>)
ASUR	Southeast Airports (<i>Aeropuertos del Sureste</i>)
ATI	Anti-Trust Immunity
CANACAR	National Chamber for Road Freight Transport (<i>Cámara Nacional del Autotransporte de Carga</i>)
CETA	Comprehensive Economic and Trade
CFI	International Phytosanitary Certificate
CGPMM	Ports and Merchant Navy General Coordination (<i>Coordinación General de Puertos y Marina Mercante</i>)
C-TAPT	Customs-Trade Partnership Against Terrorism
COFECE	Federal Economic Competition Commission (<i>Comisión Federal de Competencia Económica</i>)
COFEMER	Federal Commission for Regulatory Improvement of Mexico (<i>Comisión Federal de Mejora Regulatoria</i>)
COH	Operation and Schedule Committee (<i>Comité de Operación y Horarios</i>)
SRGT	Continuing Survey of Road Goods Transport
DGAC	General Direction of Civil Aviation (<i>Dirección General de Aviación Civil</i>)

DGAF	General Direction of Federal Road Transport (<i>Dirección General de Autotransporte Federal</i>)
DGDFM	General Direction of Rail and Multimodal Development (<i>Dirección General de Desarrollo Ferroviario y Multimodal</i>)
DGTFM	General Direction of Rail and Multimodal Transport (<i>Dirección General de Transporte Ferroviario y Multimodal</i>)
DoJ	Department of Justice of the United States of America
DoT	Department of Transport of the United States of America
FAA	US Federal Aviation Administration
FMCSA	Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration
FMVSS	Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards
FNM	National Railways of Mexico (<i>Ferrocarriles Nacionales de México</i>)
GATT	General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
GACM	Airport Group of Mexico City (<i>Grupo Aeroportuario de la Ciudad de México</i>)
GAP	Pacific Airport Group (<i>Grupo Aeroportuario del Pacífico</i>)
GBP	Great Britain Pounds
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
HPH	Hutchison Port Holdings
IASGO	IATA Safety Audit for Ground Operations
IATA	International Air freight Transport Association
ICAO	International Civil Aviation Organization
ICTSI	International Container Terminal Services Inc.
IDB	Inter-American Development Bank
IMT	Mexican Transport Institute (<i>Instituto Mexicano del Transporte</i>)
INEGI	National Institute of Statistics and Geography (<i>Instituto Nacional de Estadística y Geografía</i>)
ITF	International Transport Forum
ITM	Mexican Infrastructure and Transports (<i>Infraestructura y Transportes México</i>)
ITOC	Integrated Targeting and Operations Centre of New Zealand
JOC	Journal of Commerce
KCSM	Kansas City Southern Mexico
LA	Law of Airports (<i>Ley de Aeropuertos</i>)
LAC	Law of Civil Aviation (<i>Ley de Aviación Civil</i>)

LCPAF	Federal Law on Roads, Bridges and Motorised Transport (<i>Ley de Caminos, Puentes y Autotransporte Federal</i>)
LFMN	Federal Law of Measurements and Technical Standards (<i>Ley Federal de Metrología y Normalización</i>)
LGBN	General Law of National Properties (<i>Ley General de Bienes Nacionales</i>)
LGCPQ	Federal Law to Control Chemicals Precursors, Essential Chemical Products and Machines to Elaborate Capsules, Pills and Tablets (<i>Ley Federal para el Control de Precursores Químicos, Productos Químicos Esenciales y Máquinas para Elaborar Capsulas, Tabletas y Comprimidos</i>)
LGPGR	General Law to Manage and Prevent Residuals (<i>Ley General para la Prevención y Gestión Integral de Residuos</i>)
LIE	Law of Foreign Investment (<i>Ley de Inversión Extranjera</i>)
LNCM	Law of Navigation and Maritime Commerce (<i>Ley de Navegación y Comercio Marítimo</i>)
LP	Law of Ports (<i>Ley de Puertos</i>)
LRSF	Law of Rail Service (<i>Ley Reglamentaria del Servicio Ferroviario</i>)
LRPV	Law of the Public Register of Vehicles (<i>Ley del Registro Público Vehicular</i>)
LSN	Law of National Security (<i>Ley de Seguridad Nacional</i>)
LVGC	Law of General Communication Routes (<i>Ley de Vías Generales de Comunicación</i>)
MAF	Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry of New Zealand
MRA	Mutual Recognition Agreement
MVSS	Motor Vehicle Safety Standards
NAFTA	North America Free Trade Agreement
NEEC	New Scheme of Certified Enterprises (<i>Nuevo Esquema de Empresas Certificadas</i>)
NOM	Mexican Official Standards (<i>Norma Oficial Mexicana</i>)
OE	Office of Economics of the STB
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OMA	Centre North Airport Group (<i>Grupo Aeroportuario Centro Norte</i>)
PASA	Pre-Authorization Safety Audit
PCS	Port Community Systems
PROFEPA	Federal Procurement of Environment Protection (<i>Procuraduría Federal de Protección al Ambiente</i>)
PSO	Public Service Obligations

RAB	Regulatory Asset Base
RLA	By-law of the Law of Airport (<i>Reglamento de la Ley de Aeropuertos</i>)
SAFE	Framework of Standards to Secure and Facilitate Trade
SAC	Stand Alone Cost
SAGARPA	Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Rural Development, Fisheries and Feeding (<i>Secretaría de Agricultura, Ganadería, Desarrollo Rural, Pesca y Alimentación</i>)
SENASICA	National Service of Sanity, Safety and Agro food Quality (<i>Servicio Nacional de Sanidad, Inocuidad y Calidad Agroalimentaria</i>)
SIIF	Phytosanitary Inspections Information System (<i>Sistema de Información de Inspecciones Fito zoosanitarias</i>)
SCT	Ministry of Communications and Transport of Mexico (<i>Secretaría de Comunicaciones y Transporte</i>)
SME	Small and Medium Enterprises
SPS	Sanitary and Phytosanitary
STB	US Surface Transportation Board
TEU	Twenty-foot Equivalent Unit
TRS	Time Release Study
ULSD	Ultra-Low-Sulphur Diesel Fuel
UNECE	Economic Commission for Europe
USD	United States' Dollars
VUCEM	Mexican Single Window (<i>Ventanilla Única de Comercio Exterior Mexicana</i>)
WCO	World Customs Organization
WSG	World Scheduling Guidelines
WTO	World Trade Organization



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