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Annex 01

Table of Abbreviations

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| 2.5G | Between Second and Third Generation |
| 2G | Second Generation |
| 3GPP2 | 3rd Generation Partnership Project 2 |
| 3GPP | 3rd Generation Partnership Project |
| 3G | Third Generation |
| 5GC | 5G Core Network |
| 5G-EIR | 5G-Equipment Identity Register |
| 802.11 | IEEE Working Group for the development of WLAN |
| 802.15 | IEEE Working Group for the development of WPAN |
| 802.16 | IEEE Working Group for the development of WiMAX |
| 802.2 | IEEE Working Group for the development of Logical Link Control |
| AAA | Authentication, authorisation, and Accounting |
| ACK | Acknowledgement |
| ACL | Asynchronous ConnectionLess |
| ADSL | Asymmetric Digital Subscriber Line |
| AF | Application Function |
| AMA | Active Member Address |
| AM | Amplitude Modulation |
| AMF | Access and Mobility Management Function |
| AMPS | Advanced Mobile Phone System |
| ANSI | American National Standards Institute |
| AP | Access Point |
| APN | Access Point Name |
| ARA | Access Request Address |
| ASIC | Application Specific Integrated Circuit |
| ASN.1 | Abstract Syntax Notation One |
| ATM | Asynchronous Transfer Mode |
| AuC | Authentication Centre |
| AUSF | Authentication Server Function |
| B2B | Basestation to Basestation |
| B2D | Basestation to Device |
| BCE | Binding Cache Entry |
| BNEP | Bluetooth Network Encapsulation Protocol |
| BS | Base Station |
| BSC | Base Station Controller |
| BSS | 802.11 Basic Service Set |
| BSS | Base Station Sub-system |

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| BTS | Base Transceiver Station |
| CA | Collision Avoidance |
| CCK | Complementary Code Keying |
| CDMA2000 | Code division multiple access 2000 |
| CDMA | Code division multiple access |
| CDMAone | CDMA one |
| CDR | Call Detail Record |
| CGF | Charging Gateway Function |
| CN | Core Network |
| CN | Correspondent Node |
| CPC | Continuous Packet Connectivity |
| CP | Control Plane |
| CRC | Cyclic Redundancy Check |
| CSCF | Call Session Control Function |
| CSMA | Carrier Sense Multiple Access |
| D2B | Device to Basestation |
| D2D | Device 2 Device |
| DAC | Device Access Code |
| dB | decibels |
| DIFS | Distributed Inter Frame Space |
| DL | Downlink |
| DSSS | Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum |
| EAP | Extensible Authentication Protocol |
| EDGE | Enhanced Data rates for GSM Evolution |
| EGPRS | Enhanced GPRS |
| eGTP | Evolved GTP |
| EIA | Electronic Industries Alliance |
| EIGRP | Enhanced Interior Gateway Routing Protocol |
| ELF | Extremely Low Frequency |
| eMBB | enhanced Mobile BroadBand |
| EM | Electro Magnetic |
| EMF | Electro Motive Force |
| eNodeB | Evolved Node B - Radio element in LTE |
| EPC | Evolved Packet Core |
| E-UTRAN | Evolved UTRAN |
| EV-DO | Evolution-Data Optimised |
| FBWA | Fixed Broadband Wireless Access |

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| FCC | Federal Communications Commission |
| FDD | Frequency Division Duplex |
| FDMA | Frequency Division Multiple Access |
| FDM | Frequency Division Multiplex |
| FEC | Forward Error Correction |
| FHS | Frequency Hop Synchronisation |
| FHSS | Frequency Hopping Spread Spectrum |
| FM | Frequency Modulation |
| GEAPON | Gigabit Ethernet Passive Optical Network |
| GFSK | Gaussian Frequency Shift Keying |
| GGSN | Gateway GPRS Support Node |
| GHz | Giga-Hertz |
| gNB-CU | gNB Central Unit |
| gNB-DU | gNB Distributed Units |
| gNB | Next Generation NodeB |
| GPON | Gigabit Passive Optical Network |
| GPRS | General Packet Radio Services |
| GRE | Generic Routing Encapsulation |
| GSM | Groupe Spécial Mobile |
| GTP | GPRS Tunnelling Protocol |
| GTPv2 | GTP version 2 |
| HCI | Host Controller Interface |
| HF | High Frequency |
| HiperLAN | ETSI standard for Wireless LAN similar to IEEE 802.11 |
| HiperMAN | ETSI standard for Wireless MAN similar to IEEE 802.16 |
| HLR | Home Location Register |
| HSDA+ | High-Speed Packet Access + |
| HSDA | High-Speed Packet Access |
| HSDPA | High-Speed Downlink Packet Access |
| HSS | Home Subscriber Server |
| I-CSCF | Interrogating-CSCF |
| IEEE | Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers |
| IGP | Interior Gateway Protocol |
| IMSI | International Mobile Subscriber Identity |
| IMT-2000 | International Mobile Telecommunications - 2000 |
| IMT-2020 | International Mobile Telecommunications – 2020 |
| IMT-Adv | International Mobile Telecommunications - Advanced |

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| IoT | Internet of Things |
| IP | Internet Protocol |
| IrDA | Infrared Data Association |
| IS-136 | Interim Standard 136 (Digital AMPS) |
| IS-2000 | Interim Standard 2000 (Cdma2000) |
| IS-856 | Interim Standard 8560 (CDMA EV-DO) |
| IS-95 | Interim Standard 95 (cdmaOne) |
| ISM | Industrial, Scientific and Medical |
| ISP | Internet Service Provider |
| ITS | Intelligent Transportation Systems |
| ITU | International Telecommunication Union |
| ITU-R | International Telecommunication Union - Radiotelecommunications |
| ITU-T | International Telecommunication Union - Telecommunications |
| JPEG | Joint Photographic Experts Group |
| kHz | kilo Hertz |
| L2CAP | Logical Link Control Applications Protocol |
| L2TP | Layer 2 Tunnelling Protocol |
| LLC | Logical Link Control |
| LMA | Local Mobility Anchor |
| LM | Link Manager |
| LMP | Link Manager Protocol |
| LNS | L2TP Network Server |
| LocDev | Service discovery application |
| LOS | Line of Sight |
| LTE | Long Term Evolution |
| MAC | Media Access Control |
| MAC | Medium Access Control |
| MAG | Mobile Access Gateway |
| MAN | Metropolitan Area Network |
| Mc/s | Megacycles per second |
| MHz | Mega Hertz |
| MIDI | Musical Instrument Digital Interface |
| MIMO | Multiple-Input Multiple-Output Antennas |
| MME | Mobility Management Entity |
| mMIMO | massive MIMO |
| mMTC | massive Machine Type Communications |
| MN | Mobile Node |

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| MPEG | Moving Pictures Experts Group |
| MS | Mobile Station |
| MU-MIMO | Multi User MIMO |
| NEF | Network Exposure Function |
| NFV | Network Functions Virtualisation |
| NG-RAN | Next Generation - Radio Access Network |
| NIC | Network Interface Card |
| nLOS | Near Line of Sight |
| NLOS | Non Line of Sight |
| NMS | Network Management Subsystem |
| Node-B | A BTS in WCDMA |
| NOMA | Non Orthogonal Multiple Access |
| NRF | Network Function Repository Function |
| NR | New Radio |
| NSSF | Network Slice Selection Function |
| NSS | Network Switching Sub-system |
| OBEX | OBject EXchange |
| OFDM | Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing |
| OSPF | Open Shortest Path First |
| OUI | Organisation Unique Identifier |
| PAN | Personal Access Network |
| PAPR | Peak to Average Power Ratio |
| PBA | Proxy Binding ACK |
| PBU | Proxy Binding Update |
| PCF | Policy Control Function |
| P-CSCF | Proxy-CSCF |
| PDA | Personal Digital Assistant |
| PDP | Packet Data Protocol |
| PDSN | Packet Data Serving Node |
| PGW | Packet Data Network Gateway |
| PHY | Physical Layer |
| PLMN | Public Land Mobile Network |
| PMA | Parked Member Address |
| PMIP | Proxy Mobile IP |
| PNAC | Port-based Network Access Control – 802.1x |
| PN | Pseudo Noise |
| PPP | Point-to-Point Protocol |

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| PTM | Point to Multipoint |
| PTP | Point to Point |
| PVC | Poly Vinyl Chloride |
| QAM | Quadrature Amplitude Modulation |
| QoS | Quality of Service |
| QPSK | Quadrature Phase Shift Keying |
| RADIUS | Remote Access Dial-up User Service |
| RAN | Radio Access Network |
| RFCOMM | RF COMMunications protocol |
| RF | Radio Frequency |
| RIP | Routing Internet Protocol |
| RNC | Radio Network Controller |
| RPC | Remote Procedure Call |
| RS | Repeater Station |
| RTT | Radio Transmission Technology |
| SAE | System Architecture Evolution |
| SBC | Session Border Controller |
| SC-FDMA | Single Carrier Frequency Division Multiple Access |
| SCO | Synchronous Connection Oriented |
| S-CSCF | Serving-CSCF |
| SC | Superposition Coding |
| SCTP | Stream Control Transmission Protocol |
| SDM | Spatial Division Multiplexing |
| SDN | Software Defined Networking |
| SDP | Service Discovery Protocol |
| SEPP | Security Edge Protection Proxy |
| SGSN | Serving GPRS Support Node |
| SGW | Serving Gateway |
| SHF | Super High Frequency |
| SIC | Successive Interference Cancellation |
| SIM | Subscriber Identity Module |
| SIP | Session Initiation Protocol |
| SISO | Single In, Single Out |
| SMF | Session Management Function |
| SMS | Short Messaging Service |
| SQL | Structured Query Language |
| SRD | Short Range Device |

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| SSB | Single Side Band |
| SSID | 802.11 Service Set IDentifier |
| SS | Subscriber Station |
| STA | 802.11 Station |
| SU-MIMO | Single User MIMO |
| SWR | Standing Wave Ratio |
| TCP | Transmission Control Protocol |
| TCS-AT | ATtention modem commands |
| TCS-BIN | Bluetooth Telephony Control protocol |
| TCS | Telephony Control Protocol |
| TDD | Time Division Duplex |
| TDMA | Time Division Multiple Access |
| TDM | Time Division Multiplexing |
| TIA | Telecommunications Industry Association |
| TIFF | Tagged Image File Format |
| UDM | Unified Data Management |
| UDP | User Datagram Protocol |
| UDR | Unified Data Repository |
| UDSF | Unstructured Data Storage Function |
| UE | User Equipment |
| UHF | Ultra High Frequency |
| UL | Uplink |
| UMB | Ultra Mobile Broadband |
| UMTS | Universal Mobile Telecommunications System |
| UPF | User Plane Function |
| UPF | User Plane Functions |
| UP | User Plane |
| URLLC | Ultra Reliable Low Latency Communications |
| USA | United States of America |
| UTRAN | Universal Terrestrial Radio Access Network |
| VHF | Very High Frequency |
| VLF | Very Low Frequency |
| VoLTE | Voice over LTE |
| WAP | Wireless Application Protocol |
| W-CDMA | Wideband Code Division Multiple Access |
| WEP | Wired Equivalent Privacy |
| WiFi | Wireless Fidelity (802.11) |

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| WiMAX | Worldwide Interoperability for Microwave Access (802.16) |
| WISP | Wireless Internet Service Providers |
| WLAN | Wireless Local Area Network |
| WPA2 | Wi-Fi Protected Access 2 |
| WPAN | Wireless Personal Area Network |
| WPA | Wi-Fi Protected Access |