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# ***SUMMARY of CHANGE***

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This Change 1--

- o Corrects the title of positions 4 and 5 of the troop program sequence number (TPSN) for nondivisional units to "sequence number" (sec I).
- o Clarifies the use of element sequence (ELSEQ) numbers and restricts the use of ELSEQ numbers to divisional and armored cavalry regimental units only (master units, less school troop brigades) (sec I, paras 5*b* and 5*c*).
- o Provides new table 1 to reflect changes (sec II, table 1).
- o Provides updated table 5 that better reflects organizations currently in the force. (sec II, table 5).
- o This publication--
- o Updates troop program sequence numbers (TPSN) to align the second and third positions of nondivisional TPSNs with standard requirement codes (SRC) to facilitate unit identity (throughout).
- o Updates element sequence numbers to current Army force structure (throughout).

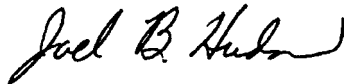
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**Summary.** This regulation defines policies used and the structure of troop program sequence numbers (TPSN). TPSNs are used for grouping major units and like units together for information retrieval.

**Applicability.** This regulation applies to the Active Army, Army National Guard, and the U.S. Army Reserve.

**Proponent and exception authority.** The proponent for this regulation is the Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans (DCSOPS). The DCSOPS has the authority to approve exceptions to this regulation that are consistent with controlling law and regulations. The proponent may delegate this authority, in writing, to a division chief within the proponent agency in the grade of colnameonel or the civilian equivalent.

**Army management control process.**

This regulation contains management control provisions, but does not identify key management controls that must be evaluated.

**Supplementation.** Supplementation of this regulation is prohibited unless prior approval is obtained from HQDA (DAMO-FDF), 400 Army Pentagon, Washington, DC 20310-0400.

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## Section I Introduction

### 1. Purpose

This regulation—

- a. Describes the procedures in the use and structure of the troop program sequence numbers (TPSN).
- b. Describes the TPSNs for current and planned organizations of the Army by using approved codes for all designations for tables of organization and equipment (TOE) and tables of distribution and allowance (TDA) organizations.

### 2. References

Required and related publications are listed in appendix A.

### 3. Explanation of abbreviations and terms

Abbreviations and special terms used in this regulation are explained in the glossary.

### 4. Responsibilities

a. Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans (DCSOPS). The DCSOPS has primary responsibility for promulgation and assignment of TPSNs to all Army elements.

b. Chief, Force Management and Integration Division, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans (ODCSOPS). Headquarters, Department of the Army (HQDA) (DAMO-FDF) has responsibility for the TPSN program. Major Army commands (MACOM) submit requests for assigning, changing, and/or correcting a unit TPSN to HQDA, ODCSOPS, ATTN: DAMO-FDF, 400 Army Pentagon, Washington, DC 20310-0400.

### 5. Use and structure of troop program sequence number

a. The TPSN is a code that groups units by mission, type, and size. The TPSN is an instrumental tool in data retrieval in the Structure and Manpower Allocation System (SAMAS) and other selected automated reporting systems in the Army. The structure of the TPSN is shown at table 1.

b. For TOE units, the TPSN has five basic positions. The TPSN positions group units by category (position 1), type (position 2), and master unit number (positions 3 through 5) or by category (position 1), TOE branch (positions 2 and 3), and sequence number (positions 4 and 5).

(1) Divisional and separate brigade/regimental units.

(a) The first position identifies category (0 for division; 1 for brigade, command, or regiment; or 8 for school troop brigades, see table 2).

(b) The second position identifies type of organization (0 through 9, see table 3).

(c) The third through fifth positions identify the master unit number.

(2) Nondivisional units (echelons above division (EAD)/echelons above corps (EAC)).

(a) The first position identifies category (see table 2).

(b) Positions 2 and 3 identify the TOE branch (see table 4).

(c) Positions 4 and 5 are used for the sequence number.

c. Examples of TOE TPSN are shown below.

(1) *Divisional, TPSN "01082."* First position "0" identifies the category as division (table 2); second position "1" identifies the type as airborne (table 3); third through fifth positions "082" identify the master unit number. In this example, TPSN "01082" represents the 82<sup>d</sup> Airborne Division.

(2) *Nondivisional, TPSN "20604."* First position "2" identifies the category as nondivisional combat (table 2); second and third positions "06" identify the TOE branch as field artillery (table 4); fourth and fifth positions "04" identify the sequence order.

d. For TDA units, the five-position TPSN groups organizations by category (position 1, see table 2); special class code (position 2, see table 6); activity code (positions 3 and 4, see table 7); and sequence order (position 5). Augmentation TDA to MTOE units will have the same TPSN as the unit it augments. All derivative unit identification codes (UIC) will have the same TPSN as their parent unit. Examples of TDA TPSNs are shown below:

(1) TDA, TPSN "46551." First position "4" identifies the category as supporting forces (table 2); second position "6" identifies the special class code as other activities (table 6); the third and fourth positions "55" identify the activity code as installation support services (table 7); and the fifth position "1" is used for sequencing. In this case, TPSN "46551" could be used to identify the Headquarters, U.S. Army Garrison at a U.S. Army Training Center.

(2) TDA augmentation, TPSN "01082." TDA augmentation units carry the same TPSN as the MTOE unit they augment. In this case, TPSN "01082" is used to identify a TDA augmentation to a MTOE unit in the 82<sup>d</sup> Airborne Division.

e. The element sequence number (ELSEQ) is a two-digit number (see table 5). It is assigned to certain master units providing a means of grouping like units together by certain categories.

(1) ELSEQ numbers are prescribed for units organically assigned to master units. To achieve a standard automated display of units having the same ELSEQ, the unit number and Combat Arms Regimental System (CARS) number will be used. The sort sequence should be by TPSN, ELSEQ, UNMBR, and CARS.

(2) The ELSEQ is used in master units to identify types of units, since all units carry the basic TPSN of the master unit. The following example illustrates the TPSN for a divisional master unit, TPSN "00001" and ELSEQ "10." First position "0" of the TPSN identifies the category as a division (table 2); second position "0" of the TPSN identifies the type as a cavalry division or brigade (table 3); third through fifth positions "001" of the TPSN identify the master unit number—the 1<sup>st</sup> Cavalry Division. ELSEQ "10" identifies military intelligence (MI) (table 5). In this case, TPSN "00001" and ELSEQ "10" identifies the MI communication-electronic warfare and intelligence (CEWI) battalion in the 1<sup>st</sup> Cavalry Division.

(3) (*Rescinded.*)

f. A sequence order number is assigned to TDA TPSNs (position 5) as a management tool for separating TDAs by function, thus enabling a more accurate data retrieval capability. Do not confuse this number with the ELSEQ.

g. For special class code, the following apply:

(1) TPSN assigned to training divisions are peculiar to these divisions and are not constructed using the standard TPSN number for master units. For TOE units, the second position of TPSN is used to identify Reserve training forces. A "1" in the second position is assigned to Reserve training brigades and organic unit(s). Unit number of training divisions will appear in third, fourth, and fifth positions. For example, in TPSN "61080" the first position "6" identifies training forces; second position "1" identifies Reserve brigade; third, fourth, and fifth positions "080" identify unit number.

(2) For TDA units, the second position is used for special class codes (see table 6); the third and fourth positions are TDA Unit Activity Codes (see table 7); the fifth position is used for sequencing. For example, in TPSN "59957" the first position "5" identifies the category as special activities (table 2); the second position "9" identifies the special class code as civil and reimbursable functions (table 6); the third and fourth positions "95" identify the TDA Unit Activity Code as activities not otherwise classified (table 7); and the fifth position "7" is used for sequencing. In this case, TPSN "59957" could apply to JUSMAG-K, as an example.

h. As long as a unit's mission or basic capabilities in a branch remain the same, the TPSN will not change. Reorganization of a unit to a later TOE series alone does not require a TPSN change. The latest published TOE number, series, and year are used in the TPSN. Units organized under an earlier TOE series will use the TPSN shown for the latest series. The TOE number and date under which a unit is currently organized will be shown until reorganization under the latest TOE number and date is effected.

i. Units organic to divisions, brigades, or school troops (TPSN first position 0, 1, or 8) will report the TPSN of the respective division, brigade, or school troop unit.

j. Branch designation associated with the heading "TOE Branch Type Unit" has been correlated with those in AR 71-32 for standardization. Subordinate elements of a parent unit will carry the branch designation of the parent unit.

## **Section II**

### **Codes and Element Sequence Numbers**

#### **6. Category**

The first position of the TPSN groups units, activities, and personnel by their primary mission generally, according to section I of the TOE or TDA. However, HQDA (DAMO-FDF) may change the first position of the TPSN of any unit from 3 through 9 to a first position of 2. This is done when a particular unit should be classified as nondivisional combat. These changes should be coordinated with HQDA proponent agencies. Codes are shown at table 2.

#### **7. Branch code**

a. For master units (categories 0, 1, and 8), the second position of the TPSN defines the type of TOE organization. Codes are shown at table 3.

b. For other than master units, the second and third positions of the TPSN define the type of TOE organization. Codes are shown at table 4.

#### **8. Unit level codes**

Unit level codes (ULC) at table 8 are provided as a ready reference only. (See Joint Pub 1-03.3 for use of ULC.)

**Table 1  
Structure of TPSN**

**TPSN for TOE Divisions, Brigades, Regiments**

Category Title	Master Unit Category Position 1	Type Position 2	Category Code Master Unit Number Position 3, 4, 5	ELSEQ Position 6, 7
Divisions	0	See table 3	Unit Number	See table 5
Brigades, commands, and regiments	1			
School troops brigades	8			

**TPSN for Nondivisional TOE (EAD/EAC)**

Category Title	Category Code Position 1	Unit Type Code Position 2, 3	Sequence Order Position 4, 5	Not Used Position 6, 7
Nondivisional combat	2	See table 4	Sequence number	Blank
Support to combat forces	3			
Supporting forces	4			
Special activities	5			
School troops nondivisional	6			
School troops support	7			

**TPSN for TDA UNITS**

Category Title	Category Code Position 1	Special Class Position 2	Activity Code Position 3, 4	Sequence Order Position 5	ELSEQ Position 6, 7
Support to combat	3	See table 6	See table 7	As required	Blank
Support forces	4				
Special activities	5				
Training forces	6				
Trainees, transients, holdees, and students	7				
Control groups	8				

**Table 2**  
**Codes for unit, activity, personnel categories**

Code	Description
0	<b>Divisions.</b> TOE units and augmentations to TOE units assigned to combat divisions. USAR divisions (training) are listed under first position 6 of the TPSN
1	<b>Brigades, commands, regiments.</b> TOE units and augmentations to TOE units organically assigned to separate maneuver brigades, commands, or regiments.
2	<b>Nondivisional combat.</b> Units organized to perform a tactical combat mission.
3	<b>Support to combat forces.</b> Units that have the primary mission of providing support to the combat forces or units that are a part of a theater command or task force formed for combat operations.
4	<b>Supporting forces.</b> Units and elements that have the primary mission of performing other support functions not part of combat forces.
5	<b>Special activities.</b> Units and elements that have the mission of handling international, joint, liaison, diplomatic, political, research, or recreational and morale activities provided for the benefit of the Army or the Armed Forces.
6	<p><b>Training forces.</b> Units or activities engaged in training and personnel being trained.</p> <p><i>a. Trainers.</i> Units organized to provide training for, or advice to, units or individuals; units organized to provide essential administrative support to schools, training centers, and other training activities.</p> <p><i>b. Trainees.</i> Enlisted members assigned to training centers and other miscellaneous training activities for initial entry military occupational specialty training. Includes processing and en route time to, and between, training activities and follow-on training.</p> <p><i>c. Students.</i> Personnel taking courses of instruction in excess of 22 weeks at formal Army service schools, schools of the other Services, joint colleges, allied schools, and civilian instruction. Includes initial entry training for officers.</p>
7	<p><b>Transients, patients, and prisoners.</b> Personnel not charged to the authorization of a TOE or TDA organization.</p> <p><i>a. Transients.</i> Trained personnel on travel, proceed, leave en route, or temporary duty (TDY) en route status while on permanent change of station (PCS) orders between duty stations.</p> <p><i>b. Holdees.</i></p> <p>(1) <i>Patients.</i> Persons assigned on PCS basis to medical holding detachments.</p> <p>(2) <i>Prisoners.</i> Persons dropped from the assigned strength of an operational or training unit and confined in a military detention facility after a court-martial sentence. Includes persons assigned to correctional training facilities for motivational and behavioral rehabilitation.</p> <p>(3) <i>PCFs.</i> Persons assigned to personnel control facilities (PCF) pending disposition from their cases. Includes returned from dropped from military control status.</p> <p>(4) <i>Separatees.</i> Persons assigned to a separation transfer activity for discharge or separation from active duty.</p>
8	<p><b>School troops.</b> TOE units required at certain installations (primarily those with a Service school) to provide training support, excluding Army training centers and professional schools in category 6.</p> <p><i>a. Brigades.</i> TOE units and augmentation to TOE units originally assigned to separate brigades.</p> <p><i>b. Nondivisional.</i> Organized tactical combat units. Units organized with a tactical combat capability that provide training support.</p> <p><i>c. Support.</i> Units that provide training support, but normally have the primary mission of providing support to the combat forces, or that are part of a theater, command, or task force formed for combat operations.</p>
9	<b>Control groups.</b> Personnel or units not provided for in categories 1 through 8, including Army Reserve control groups.



**Table 3**  
**Codes for type of TOE organization-master units**

Branch and Type	Code
Cavalry division or brigade	0
Airborne division or brigade	1
Armored division or brigade	2
Infantry division or brigade	3
Infantry division (mechanized) or brigade (mechanized)	4
Air Assault division	5
Not used (formerly Berlin Brigade)	6
Infantry division (light) or infantry brigade (light)	7
Cavalry regiment	8
Aviation brigade (EAD)	9

**Table 4**  
**Codes for types of TOE organizations, other than master units**

Numerical Code	Alphabetical Code	Branch and/or Type
01	AV	Aviation
03	CM	Chemical
05	EN	Engineers
06	FA	Field Artillery
07	IN	Infantry
08	MD	Medical
09	OD	Ordnance (Missile Maintenance)
10	QM	Quartermaster
11	SC	Signal
12	AG	Adjutant General
14	FI	Finance
16	CH	Chaplain
17	AR	Armor/Cavalry
19	MP	Military Police
20	MH*	General
27	JA	Judge Advocate
30	MI	Military Intelligence
31	SF	Special Operations
32	AS	Security
33	PO	Psychological Operations
34	MI	Military Intelligence
41	CA	Civil Affairs
42	CS	Composite Service
43	OD	Ordnance (Maintenance)
44	AD	Air Defense Artillery
45	PI	Public Information
51	HQ	Army
52	HQ	Corps
55	TC	Transportation
57	AB	Airborne (Div/Bde HQ)
63	CS	Composite Service
67	AA	Air Assault (Div/Bde HQ)
77	IN	Infantry (Light) (Div/Bde HQ)
87	AR	Heavy Division (Div/Bde HQ)
97		Training Division

Notes:

\* MH refers to Military History

**Table 5**  
**Element sequence numbers**

ELSEQ	Type Unit
BLANK	FF Record
00	HHC division or separate brigade and HHT Armored Cavalry Regiment
01	Aug division or brigade
02	Band
03	Military Police
04	Chemical
05	Air Defense Artillery (VULCAN/STINGER)
06	Air Defense Artillery (AVENGER)
07	Air Defense Artillery (BFVS)
08	Engineer (ABN/AA/IN(L)/SEP BDE/ACR)
09	Signal
10	Military Intelligence
11	Rear Area Operations
12	HHC Brigade
13	Infantry (Airborne)
14	Infantry (Air Assault)
15	Infantry (Mechanized)
16	Armor
17	Armored Cavalry Squadron (ACR)
18	HHB DIVARTY
19	Target Acquisition Battery (TAB)
20	105T (ABN)
21	105T (AA)
22	105T (IN(L))
23	155SP (3X6/2X1)
24	155SP (3X6/1X2)
25	155SP (3X6/2X1) (SEP BDE)
26	155SP (3X6/1X2) (SEP BDE)
27	155SP (3X6) (FXXI)
28	BLANK
29	155SP (1X6)
30	MLRS (3X6)
31	HIMARS Battery (IBCT)
32	HHD Engineer Brigade
33	Engineer Battalion (ERI)
34	HHC Aviation Brigade
35	Attack Helicopter
36	Assault Helicopter
37	Medium Helicopter
38	Command Aviation
39	Reconnaissance Squadron
40	Division Cavalry (3X2)
41	HHC/MMC DISCOM
42	Main Support Battalion (ABN/AA/IN(L))
43	Forward Support Battalion (ABN/AA/IN(L))
44	Main Support Battalion (AR/MX)
45	Forward Support Battalion (2X1)
46	Forward Support Battalion (1X2)
47	Brigade Support Battalion (BSB) (IBCT)
48	Support Squadron (ACR)
49	Support Battalion (SEP BDE)
50	Aviation Intermediate Maintenance Company (AVIM)
51	Division Aviation Support Battalion (DASB)
52	Infantry (Light)
53	General Support Aviation Battalion (GSAB)
54	Brigade Reconnaissance Troop (BRT) (FXXI)
55	Division Support Battalion (DSB) (FXXI)
56	Infantry Battalion (IBCT)
57	Reconnaissance Surveillance Target Acquisition Battalion (RSTA) (IBCT)
58	Anti-Armor Company (IBCT)
59	Engineer Company (IBCT)
60	Signal Company (IBCT)
61	Military Intelligence Company (IBCT)
62-99	RESERVED*

Notes:

\* Numbers designated as RESERVED are controlled by HQDA (DAMO-FDF). The Division Chief, DAMO-FDF must expressly approve the designation and use of any RESERVED number.

**Table 6**  
**Special class codes**

Code	Description
6	<i>Other.</i> Activities not otherwise classified. Department services. Activities administered by HQDA, as distinguished from those administered by Army field commands.
8	<i>TTHS.</i> Persons not chargeable to the personnel authorization of a TOE or TDA organization (AR 600-8-6 and AR 680-29).
9	<i>Civil and reimbursable functions.</i> Activities requiring segregation for specific accounting purposes.

**Table 7**  
**TDA unit activity codes**

Code	Management
	<b>COMMAND AND MANAGEMENT</b>
01	Office, Secretary of the Army and Chief of Staff
02	Office, heads of DA Staff Agencies
	<b>COMMAND AND MANAGEMENT</b>
03	Headquarters of major field commands
04	Department of Army field activities and special projects
	<b>INTELLIGENCE</b>
07	Military surveys and maps
08	Intelligence activities
	<b>TRAINING</b>
10	Training center
11	School training
12	Miscellaneous training activities
13	Training devices and publications
14	Readiness Regions
	<b>RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT</b>
15	Research and development
	<b>INDUSTRIAL</b>
17	Industrial mobilization
	<b>MATERIEL</b>
19	Procurement offices
20	Manufacturing
	<b>SUPPLY DISTRIBUTION AND MAINTENANCE</b>
21	Cataloging standard
22	Depot supply
25	Receipt, storage, issue
27	Supply control points
28	Post supply
29	Depot maintenance
30	Field maintenance
31	Property disposal
	<b>ARMY-WIDE SERVICES</b>
33	Welfare and morale services
36	Dining facilities
38	Personnel processing
39	Preservation of order
40	Miscellaneous administrative activities
42	Finance activities
43	Audit activities
45	Communications and/or photographic services
46	Operations of ports and other transportation facilities
48	Disposition of remains
49	Supply management offices
	<b>MEDICAL AND HOSPITAL</b>
50	Operation of hospitals
51	Operation of separate health clinics
53	Specialized facilities and services
	<b>INSTALLATION SUPPORT SERVICES</b>
55	Installation support services
57	Preservation of order
58	Communications and photographic services

**Table 7**  
**TDA unit activity codes—Continued**

Code	Management
59	Transportation services
61	Maintenance of facilities
62	Comptroller, fiscal, and finance
65	Construction
<b>JOINT PROJECTS</b>	
67	Military missions (including MAAGs)
68	Charter schools
69	Joint Headquarters
70	Armed Forces information and educational programs
71	Miscellaneous joint projects
<b>NATIONAL GUARD</b>	
75	National Guard Bureau
76	Regular National Guard support
<b>ARMY RESERVE AND ROTC</b>	
78	Reserve headquarters
80	Reserve Readiness Regions
81-82	USAR technical groups
83	Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) support units
85	Reserve Officers' Training Corps
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>	
90	Civil functions
91	Military government
92	Security of occupied areas
95	Activities not otherwise classified
99	Students and unidentified operations

**Table 8**  
**Unit level codes**

(See JCS Pub 6, Vol II, for definition and use of ULC)			
Code	Definition	Code	Definition
A	Numbered Army	HHT	Headquarters and Headquarters Troop
ACD	Academy	HM	Home
ACT	Activity	HMC	Headquarters and Maintenance Company
ADM	Administration	HQ	Headquarters
AF	Numbered Air Force	HQC	Headquarters Company
AFY	Air Facility	HQD	Headquarters Detachment
AGP	Army Group	HQS	Headquarters and Service Company
AGY	Agency	HSB	Headquarters, Headquarters and Service Battery
ANX	Annex	HSC	Headquarters, Headquarters and Support Company
AP	Air Patrol	HSP	Hospital
AR	Area	INS	Installation
ARS	Arsenal	ISP	Inspector
AST	Air Station	IST	Institute
AUG	Augmentation	LAB	Laboratory
B	Barge	LIB	Library
BAS	Base	MAA	Military Assistance Advisory Group
BD	Board	MAB	Marine Amphibious Brigade
BDE	Brigade	MAG	Marine Air Group
BKS	Barracks	MAW	Marine Air Wing
BLT	Battalion Landing Team	MEF	Marine Expeditionary Force
BN	Battalion	MER	Merchant Ship
BND	Band	MGR	Manager
BR	Branch	MGZ	Magazine
BSN	Basin	MIS	Mission
BT	Boat	MSC	MSC Ship
BTY	Battery	MSF	MSC one-time character
CAY	Corps Artillery	MTF	Maintenance Float
CEC	Communications-Electronics Complex	MUS	Museum
CEP	Communications-Electronics Package	NSC	Navy Support Craft
CGC	USCG Cutter	NSL	No Significant Level
CGE	College	OBS	Observatory
CLN	Clinic	ODC	Office of Defense Corporation
CMD	Command	OFC	Office
CMP	Camp	OFF	Officer
CO	Company	OIC	Officer-in-Charge
CPS	Corps	OL	Operating Location
CRW	Crew	OMC	Office of Military Cooperation
CTP	Port Captain	PKG	Package
CTR	Center	PKT	Packet
DAO	Defense Attaché Office	PLT	Platoon
DAY	Division Artillery	PLN	Plant
DEP	Depot	PO	Post Office
DET	Detachment	PRT	Port
DIR	Director/Directorate	PTY	Party
DIV	Division	PVG	Proving Ground
DMB	Detachment for MAB	RCT	Regimental Combat Team
DMF	Detachment for MAF	REP	Representative
DMR	MAB Detachment Residual	RES	Reserves
DMT	II MAB Detachment Residual	RGN	Region(al)
DMU	Detachment for MAU	RGT	Regiment
DSP	Dispensary	RLT	Regimental Landing Team
DST	District	RNG	Range
DTL	Detail	SCH	School
ELE	Element	SCM	Support Command
FAC	Facility	SCO	Service Company
FAR	Field Artillery	SCT	Sector
FLO	Flotilla	SEC	Section
FLT	Fleet	SHP	Shop
FMF	Fleet Marine Force	SIP	Ship, Foreign/Merchant
FTR	Force Troop	SQ	Squadron
FOR	Force	SQD	Squad
FT	Flight	SS	Shop Stores
GAR	Garrison	SST	Substation
GRP	Group	STA	Station
HBD	Headquarters, Headquarters Company, and Band	STF	Staff

**Table 8**  
**Unit level codes—Continued**

(See JCS Pub 6, Vol II, for definition and use of ULC)

Code	Definition	Code	Definition
HHB	Headquarters and Headquarters Battery	STP	Special Troops
HHC	Headquarters and Headquarters Company	STR	Store
HHD	Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment	SU	Subunit
HHS	Headquarters, Headquarters and Service Company	SUP	Supervisor
SVC	Service	TRN	Train
SYD	Shipyards	TRP	Troop
SYS	System	TU	Task Unit
TE	Task Element	U	Unit
TF	Task Force	USS	U.S. Ship
TG	Task Group	WG	Wing
TM	Team	WKS	Works
TML	Terminal		

## **Appendix A References**

### **Section I Required Publications**

#### **Joint Pub 1-03.3**

Joint Reporting Structure, Status of Resources and Training System (SORTS). (Cited in para 8.)

#### **AR 71-32**

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## **Glossary**

### **Section I Abbreviations**

**abn**  
airborne

**ACR**  
armored cavalry regiment

**AR**  
Army regulation

**ARNG**  
Army National Guard

**AVIM**  
aviation intermediate maintenance

**bde**  
brigade

**CARS**  
Combat Arms Regimental System

**DA**  
Department of the Army

**DCSOPS**  
Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans

**div**  
division, divisional

**FEMA**  
Federal Emergency Management Agency

**HHC**  
headquarters and headquarters company

**HHT**  
headquarters and headquarters troop

**HQ**  
headquarters

**MAAG**  
Military Assistance Advisory Group

**MACOM**  
major Army command

**MI**  
military intelligence

**MTOE**  
modification table of organization and equipment

**ODCSOPS**  
Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans



**PCF**

personnel control facility

**PCS**

permanent change of station

**ROTC**

Reserve Officers' Training Corps

**SRC**

standard requirement code

**TAB**

target acquisition battalion

**TDA**

tables of distribution and allowances

**TDY**

temporary duty

**TOE**

table(s) of organization and equipment

**TPSN**

troop program sequence number

**UIC**

unit identification code

**USAR**

United States Army Reserve

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**Section III****Special Abbreviations and Terms**

This publication uses the following abbreviations, brevity codes, and acronyms not contained in AR 310-50.

**APS**

Army prepositioned stocks

**CEWI**

communication-electronic warfare and intelligence

**DASB**

division aviation support battalion

**EAC**

echelons above corps

**EAD**

echelons above division

**ELSEQ**

element sequence number

**HQDA**

Headquarters, Department of the Army

**IDN**

initial distribution number

**MLRS**

multiple launch rocket system

**SAMAS**

Structure and Manpower Allocation System

**THAAD**

theater high-altitude air defense

**TTHS**

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**ULC**

unit level code

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