

linus Common Abbreviations

Abbreviation	Word/Phrase	Abbreviation	Word/Phrase	Abbreviation	Word/Phrase
=	is (was), equals, same as	≠	different, not equal	& <i>,</i> +	and
>	greater than, more than	<	less than, smaller than	b/c	because
→	results in, leads to, causes	←	result of, affected by	1	go up, increase, rise
→	go down, decrease, fall	w/	with	w/o	without
w/in	within	gov.	government	dept.	department
mph	miles per hour	so./no.	southern/northern	Sa Su	Saturday, Sunday
am pm	morning afternoon	M T W R	Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	N S E W	(the) North (the) South (the) East (the) West
x	(multiple) times	#	number	int'l	international
s.o s.b s.th	someone somebody something	hr. wk. mo. yr.	hour week month year	K M B	thousand million billion
re:	regarding, about	%	percent, percentage	\$	money, dollar
e.g.	for example, for instance	EX	example	i.e.	in other words
/	per	B4	before	ppl	people
p.	page	pp.	pages	@	at
n/a	not applicable, does not apply	min.	minimum	max.	maximum
U.S. USA	United States of America	Eur.	Europe (European)	UK	United Kingdom
N.A.	North America (North American)	FR	France (French)	Can.	Canada (Canadian)