

AA	Area Authority
AB	Able Seaman
ac	Alternating Current
ACoP	Approved Code of Practice (and Guidance)
AIS	Automatic Identification System (ship)
ALARP	As Low as Reasonably Practicable
AO	Area Operator
ARPA	Automatic Radar Plotting Aid
ARR	Arrival at Field
ASOG	Activity Specific Operating Guideline
BA	Breathing Apparatus
BEIS	Department for Business Energy and Industrial Strategy (Formally DECC)
BHAB	British Helicopter Advisory Board
BMS	Business Management System
BOP	Blow Out Preventer
BOSIET	Basic Offshore Safety Induction and Emergency Training
CAA	Civil Aviation Authority
CA-EBS	Category A Compressed Air Emergency Breathing System
CAP	Civil Aviation Publication
CAPEX	Capital Expenditure
CCR	Central Control Room
CCTV	Closed Circuit Television
CFU	Compact Floatation Unit
CMID	Common Marine Inspection Document

CO <sub>2</sub>	Carbon Dioxide
COMOPS	Combined Operations
COSWP	Code of Safe Working Practices for Merchant Seamen
COSHH	Control of Substances Hazardous to Health
CRT	Control Room Technician
CRO	Control Room Operator
CSO	Company Security Officer
CTS	Cargo Transfer System
CTV	Crew Transfer Vessel
CTL	Chief Team Lead
dc	Direct Current
DC	Daughter Craft
DCC	Data Control Centre
DCR	Dice Control Room
DEP	Departure from Field
DoC	Document of Compliance
DP	Dynamic Positioning
DPA	Designated Person Ashore
DPR	Daily Progress Report
DSC	Digital Selective Calling
DST	Decision Support Tool
DSV	Dive Support Vessel
DTA	Discipline Technical Authority
DTL	Deck Team Leader

ECC	Emergency Control Room
EBDs	Emergency Breathing Devices
EFTM	Enhanced follow target mode
ENF	Emergency Notification Form
ER	Emergency Response
ERP	Emergency Response Plan
ERRV	Emergency Response and Rescue Vessel
ERSC	Emergency Response Service Centre
ERT	Emergency Response Team
ERTL	Emergency Response Team Leader
ESDV	Emergency Shut Down Valve
ETA	Estimated Time of Arrival
ETD	Estimated Time of Departure
F&G	Fire and Gas
FGCP	Fire and Gas Control Panel
FMEA	Failure Modes and Effects Analysis
FME(C)A	Failure Mode and Effects (and Criticality) Analysis
FOET	Further Offshore Emergency Training
FPF1	Floating Production Facility 1
FPSO	Floating Production, Storage and Offloading Vessel
FRC	Fast Rescue Craft
FRDC	Fast Rescue Daughter Craft
FSGOG	Facility Specific Gangway Operating Guideline
FST	Flare Support Tower
FSU	Floating Storage Unit

GMDSS	Global Maritime Distress and Safety System
GPA	General Platform Alarm
GPM	Gallons per Minute
GPS	Global Positioning System
H <sub>2</sub> S	Hydrogen Sulphide
H&M	Hull and Machinery
HAZID	Hazard Identification (Study)
HCA	Helideck Certification Agency
HES	Hyperbaric Evacuation System
HIRA	Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment
HLO	Helicopter Landing Officer
HM:ERP	Hazard Management: Emergency Response Plan
HRF	Hyperbaric Reception Facility
Hs	Significant Wave Height
HSE	Health & Safety Executive
HSE	Health, Safety and Environment
HSEA	Health, Safety and Environmental Advisor
HSSE	Health, Safety, Security and Environment
HSEMS	Health, Safety and Environmental Management System
HSEQ	Health, Safety, Environment and Quality
HSSEMS	Health Security, safety Environment Management System
HVAC	Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning
IACS	International Association of Classification Societies

ICC	Isolation Control Certificate
ICS	International Chamber of Shipping
ID	Identification
IMCA	International Marine Contractors Association
IMO	International Maritime Organization
IMT	Incident Management Team
INLS	International pollution prevention certificate for the carriage of noxious liquids substances in bulk
IOGP	International Oil and Gas Producers
IOPP	International Oil Pollution Prevention Certificate
ISM	International Safety Management System (Ships)
ISPS	International Ship & Port Facility Security Code
ISSOW	Integrated Safe System of Work
JRE	Job Responsible Engineer
KM	Kilometer
kV	kilo Volt
LEL	Lower Explosive Limit
LOA	Length Overall
LOLER	Lifting Operations and Lifting Equipment Regulations
LSA	Life Saving Appliance
LTI	Lost Time Incident
MAC	Manual Alarm Call Point
MARPOL	Merchant Shipping Prevention of Oil Pollution Regulations

MCA	Maritime and Coastguard Agency
MGN	Marine Guidance Note
MHSWR	Management of Health and Safety at Work Regulations
ml	Meter Level
MMG	Marine Management Guidelines
MOB	Man Overboard
MOB	Man Overboard Boat
MOC	Management of Change
MS	Management System
MSF	Marine Safety Forum
NCGOC	National Coastguard Operations Centre
NGO	Non-Governmental Organisation
nm	Nautical Mile
NUI	Normally Unmanned Installation
O <sub>2</sub>	Oxygen
OCIMF	Oil Companies International Marine Forum
OIE	Operations Integrity Engineer
OIM	Offshore Installation Manager
OPEP	Offshore Pollution Emergency Plan
OPITO	Offshore Petroleum Industry Training Organisation
ORA	Operational Risk Assessment
OSC	On-Scene Communicator
OSC	On-Scene Co-ordinator
OSM	Operations Supervisor – Maintenance

OSM	Offshore Supervisor (Maintenance)
OSP	Offshore Supervisor (Production)
OVID	Offshore Vessel Inspection Database
OVIQ	Offshore Vessel Inspection Questionnaire
OVMISA	Offshore Vessel Management and Self-Assessment
OWS	Oil and Water Separator
P&I	Protection and Indemnity
pax	Passengers
PA	Performing Authority
PAPA	Prepare to Abandon Platform Alarm
PFEER	Prevention of Fire, Explosion and Emergency Response
PG	Pressure Group
PIC	Person in Charge
PLB	Personal Locator Beacon
PLC	Programmable Logic Controller
POB	Persons Onboard
PON	Petroleum Operations Notice
PPE	Personal protective equipment
ppm	parts per million
PMS	Planned Maintenance System
PRS	Position Reference Sensor
psig	Pounds per square inch (gauge)
PTT	Push to Talk
PTW	Permit to Work
PUWER	Provision and Use of Work Equipment Regulations

RA	Risk Assessment
RAO	Response Amplitude Operator
RAT	Riser Access Tower
RIDDOR	Reporting of Injuries, Diseases and Dangerous Occurrences Regulations
RO	Radio Operator
ROGI	Report of an Oil and Gas Incident
ROV	Remotely Operated Vehicle
RS	Rig Supervisor
SAGE	Scottish Area Gas Evacuation System
SAR	Search and Rescue
SBV	Standby Vessel
SCBA	Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus
SCC	Supplementary Confirmation Certificate
SCP	Secondary Control Point
SI	Statutory Instrument
SECEs	Safety and Environmental Critical Elements
SIMOPS	Simultaneous Operations
SMPEP	Shipboard Marine Pollution Emergency Plan
SMS	Safety Management System
SMS	Ship Management System
SNS	Safe Navigation System (Ships)
SOLAS	International Convention for Safety of Life at Sea
SOP	Safe Operating Procedure
SOPEP	Shipboard Oil Pollution Emergency Response Plan



SoV	Statement of Verification
SPA	Single Point Authority
SPHL	Self-Propelled Hyperbaric Lifeboat
SPM	Single Point Mooring
SPS	Special Purpose Ship
SSO	Ship Security Officer
SSOW	Safe System of Work
STCW	International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers
SWL	Safe Working Limits
SWL	Safe Working Load
Synergi	Incident Reporting System used to record, track and trend data
TA	Technical Authority TBT
TBT	Tool Box Talk
TEMPSC	Totally Enclosed Motor Propelled Survival Craft
TR	Temporary Refuge
TSR	Temporary Safe Refuge
UKOOA	United Kingdom Offshore Operators Association
UHF	Ultra High Frequency
<u>UMS</u>	Unattended Machinery Space
<u>UOS</u>	Unplanned Overnight Shelter
UPS	Uninterruptible Power Supply
VHF	Very High Frequency

W2W	Walk to Work
WAHR	Working at Height Restrictions
WCC	Work Control Certificate
WSS	Well Services Supervisor