

Abbreviations

APC	Accelerated Pacification Campaign
ARVN	Army of the Republic of Vietnam
DMZ	Demilitarized Zone
CCP	Chinese Communist Party
CIA	Central Intelligence Agency
CMAC	Chinese Military Advisory Group
CORDS	Civil Operations and Revolutionary (later changed to Rural) Development Support
COSVN	Central Office for South Vietnam
CPSU	Communist Party of the Soviet Union
DAO	Defense Attaché Office
DIA	Defense Intelligence Agency
DEVN	Democratic Republic of Vietnam
GVN	Government of (South) Vietnam
ICP	Indochinese Communist Party
JCS	U. S. Joint Chiefs of Staff
MACV	Military Assistance Command, Vietnam
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
NLF	National Liberation Front
POL	Petroleum, Oil, Lubricants
PPBS	Planning Programming and Budgeting Systems
PRC	People's Republic of China
PSDF	People's Self Defense Force
ROEs	Rules of Engagement
RVN	Republic of Vietnam (South Vietnam)
RVNAF	Republic of Vietnam (South Vietnam) Armed Forces

SAM	Surface to Air Missile
SEATO	Southeast Asia Treaty Organization
VCI	Vietcong Infrastructure
VNQDD	Vietnam Nationalist Party
VWP	Vietnamese Workers' Party

