

# Acronyms

ACOE	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (DOD)
ADC	Animal Damage Control (USDA)
AID	Agency for International Development (DOS)
AMS	Agricultural Marketing Service (USDA)
ANS	Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force
APHIS	Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (USDA)
ARS	Agricultural Research Service (USDA)
ASCS	Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service (USDA)
AVMA	American Veterinary Medicine Association
BPA	Bonneville Power Administration (DOE)
BRD	Bureau for Research and Development (AID)
BSD	Biofuels Systems Division (DOE)
BMPs	Best Management Practices
CCC	Commodity Credit Corporation (USDA)
CDBG	Community Development Block Grants
CFSA	Consolidated Farm Service Agency
COE	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (DOD)
CRMP	Coastal Resource Management Program
CRS	Congressional Research Service
CRSP	Collaborative Research Support Program
CSRS	Cooperative State Research Service (USDA)
CSREES	Cooperative State Research, Education, and Extension Service (USDA)
CVM	Center for Veterinary Medicine (FDA)
CWA	Clean Water Act of 1977 (40 CFR)
DOC	Department of Commerce
DOI	Department of the Interior
DOD	Department of Defense
DOT	Department of Treasury
DOE	Department of Energy
DOS	Department of State
USDOTr	Department of Treasury
EDA	Economic Development Administration
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
ERS	Economic Research Service (USDA)
ES	Extension Service (USDA)

## Federal Involvement | Acronyms

ESA	Endangered Species Act
FACTA	Food and Agricultural Conservation and Trade Act of 1990
FARAD	Food Animal Residue Avoidance Databank (USDA program)
FAS	Foreign Agriculture Service (USDA)
FAS/ICD	Foreign Agricultural Service/International Cooperation and Development
FCA	Farm Credit Administration
FCCSET	Federal Coordinating Council on Science, Engineering, and Technology (OSTP)
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
FFDCA	Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act
FIFRA	Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
FmHA	Farmers Home Administration (USDA) (RDA's predecessor)
FOG	Financial Obligations Guarantee
FPPA	Federal Plant Protection Act
FSA	Farm Service Agency
FSIS	Food Safety and Inspection Service (USDA)
FWPCA	Federal Water Pollution Control Act
FWS	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (DOI)
GAO	Government Accounting Office
GRAS	Generally Recognized As Safe (FDA)
HACCP	Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point principles for seafood inspection
IIPR	Intentional Introductions Policy Review Committee of the ANS Task Force
INAD	Investigational New Animal Drug (FDA)
ISSC	Interstate Shellfish Sanitation Commission
IRS	Internal Revenue Service
IR-4	(assistance for chemical development for minor economic crops; now named NRSP-7)
JSA	Joint Subcommittee on Aquaculture (OSTP)
MMPA	Marine Mammal Protection Act
MPP	Market Promotion Program
MESP	Marine and Estuarine Sanctuary Program
NAA	National Aquaculture Act
NAA	National Aquaculture Association
NADA	New Animal Drug Application (FDA)
NADP	National Aquaculture Development Plan
NAL	National Agriculture Library (USDA)
NAIC	National Aquaculture Information Center (NAL/USDA)
NASAC	National Association of State Aquaculture Coordinators
NASS	National Agricultural Statistics Service (USDA)
NBIAP	National Biological Impact Assessment Program (USDA)

NBS	National Biological Survey (USDOJ)
NCRI	National Coastal Resources Research and Development Institute
NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act
NMFS	National Marine Fisheries Service (USDC)
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (USDC)
NPDES	National Pollution Discharge Elimination Systems permits (authorized in CWA)
NRAC	Northeast Regional Aquaculture Center
NRC	National Research Council (NAS)
NRCS	Natural Resources Conservation Service
NRI	National Research Initiative
NRSP-7	National Research Support Project-7
NSF	National Science Foundation
OCRM	Ocean and Coastal Resources Management (NOAA)
OICD	Office for International Cooperation in Development (USDA)
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
OSS	Office of Seafood Safety (FDA)
OSTP	Office of Science and Technology Policy (Executive)
RDA	Rural Development Administration (USDA)
RHCDS	Rural Housing and Community Development Services (USDA)
SBA	Small Business Administration
SBIR	Small Business Innovation Research Program (NSF)
SCS	Soil Conservation Service (USDA)
SDWA	Safe Drinking Water Act
SG	Sea Grant (USDC)
TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
TVA	Tennessee Valley Authority
UJR	United States-Japan (cooperative aquaculture program)
USDA	U.S. Department of Agriculture
USAID	U.S. Agency for International Development
USDOC	U.S. Department of Commerce
USDOJ	U.S. Department of the Interior
USDOD	U.S. Department of Defense
USDOT	U.S. Department of Treasury
USDOE	U.S. Department of Energy
USDOS	U.S. Department of State
USFS	U.S. Forest Service (USDA)
USFWS	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
USGS	U.S. Geological Survey (USDOJ)

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USHHS	U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
WAS	World Aquaculture Society