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Word	Definition	Word	Definition
!	Indicates, "I have a comment"	CYA	1. See Ya. 2. Cover Your Ass.
\$0.02	Throwing in your two cents' worth.	CYALBR	See You All Later.
?	Indicates, "I have a question"	DIIK	Damned If I Know.
<arching eyebrows>	Indicates the speaker arches eyebrows	DIKU?	Do I Know You?
<chuckle>	Indicates the speaker chuckles	DIY	Do It Yourself .
<frown>	Indicates the speaker is frowning	DK	Don't Know
<g>	Grin	DLTBBB	Don't Let The Bed Bugs Bite.
<grin>	Indicates the speaker is grinning	dotgov	A government official (from the .gov ending of government domain names).
<smile>	Indicates the one writing the message is smiling	DTRT	Do The Right Thing
<smirk>	Indicates the one writing the message is smirking	DWIMC	Do What I Mean, Correctly.
<wink>	Indicates the one writing the message is winking	DWIMNWS	Do What I Mean, Not What I Say.
501	An excuse that's full of holes.	ESAD	Eat Sh** And Die
AAMOF	As A Matter Of Fact	ETLA	Extended Three Letter Acronym.
ADN	Any Day Now	F2F	Face To Face
AFAIC	As Far As I'm Concerned.	FCFS	First Come, First Served
AFAIK	As Far As I Know	FISH	First In, Still Here.
AFAIR	As Far As I Remember	FITB	Fill In The Blank
AFJ	April Fool's Joke	FOAD	F*** off and die
AFK	Away From the Keyboard	FOAF	Friend Of A Friend
AISI	As I See It.	FS	For Sale
ANFAWFOS	And Now For A Word From Our Sponsor.	FTASB	Faster Than A Speeding Bullet.
ANFSCD	And Now For Something Completely Different ...	FTF	Face to Face.
A-OLs	Administrators On-Line. Administrators who police on-line services.	FTL	Faster Than Light.
AS	Another Subject.	FUBAR	Fouled Up Beyond All Repair
ASAP	As Soon As Possible	FUBB	Fouled Up Beyond Belief.
ATSL	Along The Same Line.	FUD	Fear, Uncertainty and Doubt
AWC	After While, Crocodile	FURTB	Full Up Ready To Burst - describing hard drive.
AWGHTGTATA	Are We Going To Have To Go Through All This Again?.	FWIW	For What It's Worth
AWGHTGTWTA?	Are We Going To Have To Go Through With This Again?	FYA	For Your Amusement
AYOR	At Your Own Risk.	FYI	For Your Information
B4N	Bye For Now	GA	Go Ahead
BAK	Back At Keyboard	GAL	Get A Life
BBFN	Bye Bye For Now	GD&R	Grinning, Ducking and Running
BBIAB	Be Back In A Bit.	GD&RF	Grinning, Ducking, and Running Fast.
BBIAF	Be Back In A Few (minutes)	GD&WVVF	Grinning, Ducking, and Walking Very, Very Fast
BBL	Be Back Later	GDW	Grin, Duck and Weave.



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BBR	Burnt Beyond Repair.	GF	Girl Friend.
BCNU	Be seein' you	GFN	Gone For Now.
BEG	Big Evil Grin.	GFR	Grim File Reaper.
BF	Boy Friend.	GIWIST	Gee, I Wish I'd Said That
BFN	Bye For Now.	GLGH	Good Luck and Good Hunting.
BION	Believe it or not.	GMTA	Great Minds Think Alike
BOT	Back On Topic.	GOWI	Get On With It.
BRB	Be Right Back	GTSY	Great To See You.
BRS	Big Red Switch.	H&K	Hugs and Kisses.
BTA	But Then Again	HAK	Hugs And Kisses.
BTAIM	Be That As It May.	HHIS	Hanging Head In Shame.
BTHOM	Beats The Hell Outta Me.	HHO 1/2 K	Ha, Ha, Only Half Kidding.
BTOBD	Be There Or Be Dead.	HHOJ	Ha Ha Only Joking
BTW	By The Way	HHOK	Ha Ha Only Kidding
BWL	Bursting With Laughter.	HHOS	Ha Ha Only Serious
BWQ	Buzz Word Quotient.	HHTYAY	Happy Holidays to You and Yours.
BYE?	"Are you ready to say goodbye?" If so, the other person replies "BYE"	HOYEW	Hanging On Your Every Word
BYKT	But You Knew That	HSIK	How Should I Know.
BYOB	Bring Your Own Bottle	HTH	Hope That Helps!
BYOM	Bring Your Own Mac	IAAA	I Am An Accountant.
C&G	Chuckle and Grin.	IAAL	I Am A Lawyer.
CADET	Can't Add, Doesn't Even Try.	IAE	In Any Event.
CID	Crying In Disgrace.	IANAA	I Am Not An Accountant.
CMIIW	Correct Me If I'm Wrong	IANAL	I Am Not A Lawyer (but) A disclaimer which is usually followed by a legal opinion
CO	1. Conference. 2. Company.	IAW	In Accordance With
CSG	Chuckle, Snicker, Grin.	IBTD	I Beg To Differ.
CU	See You	IC	I See
CU2	See You, Too.	IIABDFI	If It Ain't Broke, Don't Fix It.
CUL	See you later	IIRC	If I Remember Correctly
CUL8R	See You Later	IIWM	If It Were Me . . . (or) If It Were Mine
CULA	See You Later, Alligator	IJWTK	I Just Want To Know
CWYL	Chat With You Later.	IJWTS	I Just Want To Say
IKWUM	I Know What You Mean	NIMBY	Not In My Back Yard.
IMA	I Might Add	NINO	1. Nothing In, Nothing Out. 2. No Input, No Output.
IMAO	In My Arrogant Opinion	NOYB	None Of Your Business.
IMCO	In My Considered Opinion	NP	No Problem.
IME	In My Experience	NQA	No Questions Asked.
IMHO	In My Humble Opinion	NTIM	Not That It Matters.
IMNSHO	In My Not So Humble Opinion	NTIMM	Not That It Matters Much.
IMO	In My Opinion	NTW	Not To Worry.

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IMPOV	In My Point Of View.	NTYMI	Now That You Mention It.
INPO	In No Particular Order	O	Over (completion of communication)
IOW	In Other Words	OATUS	On A Totally Unrelated Subject.
IRL	1. In Real Life (chat). 2. Industrial Robot Language. A high-level language used for the programming of industrial robots.	OAUS	On An Unrelated Subject.
ISS	I'm So Sure	OBO	Or Best Offer
ISSYGTI	I'm So Sure You Get The Idea!	OBTW	Oh, By The Way
ISWIM	If (you) See What I Mean	OIC	Oh, I See
ITFA	In The Final Analysis.	ONNA	Oh No, Not Again.
ITSFWI	If The Shoe Fits, Wear It.	ONNTA	Oh No, Not This Again.
IWALU	I Will Always Love You.	OO	Over and Out (end of communication)
IWBNI	It Would Be Nice If	OOTC	Obligatory On-Topic Comment.
IYFEG	Insert Your Favorite Ethnic Group (for ethnic jokes)	OTF	On the Floor (laughing)
IYSWIM	If You See What I Mean	OTFL	On the Floor Laughing
JAM	Just A Minute	OTL	Out To Lunch.
JAS	Just A Second.	OTOH	On The Other Hand
JIC	Just In Case	OTOOH	On The Other Other Hand.
JMO	Just My Opinion.	OTT	Over The Top; too much
JSNM	Just Stark Naked Magic.	OTTH	On The Third Hand.
JTLYK	Just To Let You Know .	OTTOMH	Off The Top Of My Head.
k	Okay	OWTTE	Or Words To That Effect.
KHYF	Know How You Feel.	PABG	Packing a Big Gun.
KIBO	Knowledge In, Bullshit Out	PDS	Please Don't Shout. (Shouting in chat mode is typing all in capital letters, which is considered rude.) Example: PLEASE DON'T SHOUT.
KISS	Keep It Simple, Stupid.	PLOKTA	Press Lots Of Keys To Abort.
KIT	Keep In Touch.	PMBI	Pardon My Butting In.
KMA	Kiss My Ass.	PMF	1. Pardon My French. 2. Pure Freaking Magic.
KWIM	Know What I Mean?	PMFBI	Pardon Me For Butting In
KYFC	Keep Your Fingers Crossed	PMFJI	Pardon Me For Jumping In
L	Laugh	PMIGBOM	Put Mind In Gear, Before Opening Mouth.
L8R	Later	PMJI	Pardon My Jumping In
LABATYD or LAB&TYD	Life's A Bitch And Then You Die.	PNCAH	Please, No Cursing Allowed Here
LJBF	Let's Just Be Friends	POSSLQ	Person Of Opposite Sex Sharing Living Quarters.
LLTA	Lots and Lots of Thunderous Applause.	ppl	People
LMAO	Laughing My Ass Off.	PTMM	Please Tell Me More
LMHO	Laughing My Head Off .	R U THERE?	Are you there?
LOL	Laughing Out Loud	RAEBNC	Read And Enjoyed, But No Comment.
LSHMBA	Laughing So Hard My Belly Aches	re	1 Hello again; regreet 2 In regard to
LSHMBH	Laughing So Hard My Belly Hurts.	rehi	Hi again
LTHTT	Laughing Too Hard To Type	RHIP	Rank Has Its Privileges.



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LTNS	Long Time No See	RL	Real Life (an abbreviation used in MUDs and chat)
LTNT	Long Time, No Type.	RLCO	Real Life Conference.
LTS	Laughing to Self.	ROFL	Rolling On Floor Laughing.
LUWAMH	Love You With All My Heart.	ROFLASTC	Rolling On Floor Laughing And Scaring The Cat.
LY	Love You.	ROFLGO	Rolling On Floor Laughing Guts Out.
MLA	Multiple Letter Acronym.	ROFLMAO	Roll On Floor Laughing My Arse Off.
MOF	Matter Of Fact.	ROTF	Rolling On The Floor
MOTAS	Member Of The Appropriate Sex	ROTFL	Rolling On The Floor Laughing
MOTD	Message of the day	ROTFLAHMS	Rolling On The Floor Laughing And Holding My Sides.
MOTOS	Member Of The Opposite Sex	ROTFLOL	Rolling On The Floor Laughing Out Loud
MOTSS	Member Of The Same Sex	RRQ	Return Receipt Request.
MTF	more to follow	RSN	Real Soon Now
MTFBWY	May The Force Be With You.	RSVP	Repondez S'il Vous Plait French for "please reply"; a notation often found on invitations
MYOB	1. Mind Your Own Business (chat). 2. A small business accounting package from Best!Ware.	RTBM	Read The Bloody Manual
NAVY	Never Again Volunteer Yourself.	RTFAQ	Read The Frequently Asked Questions
NBD	No Big Deal.	RTFF	Read The Freaking FAQ.
NFW	No Friggin' Way!.	RTFM	Read The F----- Manual. A gentle suggestion to users who ask questions they could have answered themselves
NHOH	Never Heard Of Him/Her	RTM	Read The Manual
NIH	Not Invented Here.	RTSM	Read The Silly Manual.
RTWFQ	Read The Whole Friggin' Question.	TPTB	The Powers That Be
RYFM	Read Your Friendly Manual	TRDMC	Tears Running Down My Cheeks.
RYS	Read Your Screen.	TSR	Totally Stupid Rules.
S	Smile	TTBOMK	To The Best Of My Knowledge
SAPFU	Surpassing All Previous Foul Ups.	TTFN	Ta Ta For Now
SCNR	Sorry, Could Not Resist.	TTKSF	Trying To Keep a Straight Face
SEC	Wait a second	TTUL	Talk To You Later.
SETE	Smiling Ear To Ear.	TTYAWFN	Talk To You A While From Now.
SFLA	Stupid Four Letter Acronym.	TTYL	Talk To You Later
SICS	Sitting In Chair Snickering.	TYCLO	Turn Your CAPS LOCK Off (Quit Shouting).
SLM	See Last Mail.	TYVM	Thank You Very Much
SMOP	Small Matter of Programming.	UOK	Are You OK?
SNAFU	Situation Normal: All Fouled Up	WAEF	When All Else Fails.
SO	Significant Other	WB	Welcome Back
SOL	SH** Out Of Luck	WDYMBT	What Do You Mean By That?.
SOS	1. Same Old Stuff. 2. Help!.	WDYT	What Do You Think?
SOW	Speaking Of Which.	WIBAMU	Well, I'll Be A Monkey's Uncle.
SUFID	Screwing Up Face In Disgust.	WIBNI	Wouldn't It Be Nice If
SWIM	See What I Mean?	WMMOWS	Wash My Mouth Out With Soap.



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SWL	Screaming With Laughter.	WNOHGB	Where No One Has Gone Before.
SYS	See You Soon.	WOA	Work Of Art.
TAF	That's All, Folks!.	WOTAM	Waste Of Time And Money.
TAFN	That's All For Now	WRT	With Regard To, or With Respect To
TANJ	There Ain't No Justice	WT	Without Thinking.
TANSTAAFL	There Ain't No Such Thing As A Free Lunch	WTB	Want To Buy
TARFU	Things Are Really Fouled Up.	WTF	What The F***?
TBYB	Try Before You Buy.	WTG	Way To Go!
TDM	Too Darn Many.	WTGP	Want To Go Private?
TFS	Three Finger Salute (Ctl-Alt-Del).	WTH	What the hell?
TFTHAOT	Thanx For The Help Ahead Of Time.	WTTM	Without Thinking Too Much.
TFTT	Thanks For The Thought.	WYGISWYPF	What You Get Is What You Pay For
TGAL	Think Globally, Act Locally.	XOXOXO	Kisses and hugs
THX	Thanks	YABA	Yet Another Bloody Acronym
TIA	Thanks In Advance	YAOTM	Yet Another Off-Topic Message.
TIC	Tongue In Cheek	YAUN	Yet Another Unix Nerd
TINWIS	That Is Not What I Said.	YGLT	You're Gonna Love This
TNSTAAFL	There's No Such Thing As A Free Lunch.	YGTI	You Get The Idea?
TNTL	Trying Not To Laugh	YGWYPF	You Get What You Pay For
TNX	Thanks	YIU	Yes, I Understand
TNXE6	Thanks A Million ("E6" means 10 to the 6th power = a million)	YIWGP	Yes, I Will Go Private
TOBAL	There Oughta Be A Law.	YKYARW	You Know You're A Redneck When
TOBG	This Oughta Be Good.	YMMV	Your Mileage May Vary (or your experience could be different)
TOY	Thinking Of You.		