



## Industrial Abbreviations

Choose one of the abbreviations.

- \* find out what the letters/abbreviations stand for
- \* research the organization/event/meaning
  - goals and purposes
  - membership/attendance
  - development of the organization/event
  - importance to the region's industry
  - impact on the people and the economy
  - important people involved in the organization/event
  - historical significance of the organization/event
  - present-day effectiveness/involvement



## Industrial Abbreviations

AAISW (Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers)

AFL (American Federation of Labor)

AISE (American Institute of Steel Engineers)

ALPA (Air Line Pilots' Association)

BSIC (Basic Steel Industry Conference)

CIO (Congress of Industrial Organization)

CCSC (Coordinating Committee Steel Companies)

COLA (Cost-of-Living Adjustment)

DMS (Denominational Ministry Strategy)

EGL (Electro galvanizing Lines)

EI (Employee Involvement)

ESOP (Employee Stock Ownership Plan)

ENA (Experimental Negotiating Agreement)

EV (Extended Vacation Plan)

FAA (Federal Aviation Administration)

GM (General Motors)

GIS (Guaranteed Income Security)

IAM (International Association of Machinists)

J & L (Jones and Laughlin)

LMC (Labor-Management Committee)



LMPT (Labor-Management Participation Teams)

LTV (Ling-Temco-Vought)

MVUC (Mon Valley Unemployed Committee)

NLRB (National Labor Relations Board)

NWLB (National War Labor Board)

OPEC (Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries)

PPH (Paid Personal Holidays)

PBGC (Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation)

PATCO (Professional Air Traffic Controllers Organization)

QWL (Quality of Worklife)

STC (Steel Tripartite Committee)

SWOC (Steel Workers Organizing Committee)

SUB (Supplemental Unemployment Benefits)

UAW (United Auto Workers)

USW (United Steel Workers)

WPB (War Production Board)