

# **AMPP Acronym Glossary**

Number	Abbreviation	Meaning
1	AAQS	Ambient Air Quality Standards
2	AASHTO	American Association of State Highway Transportation Officials
3	ABC	Associated Builders and Contractors
4	ABS	American Bureau of Shipping
5	ACA	American Coatings Association
6	ACC	Area Coordination Committee
7	ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
8	ACI	American Concrete Institute
9	ACPC	Area Conference Program Committee
10	AGA	American Galvanizers Association
11	AIHA	American Industrial Hygiene Association
12	AIHC	American Industrial Health Council
13	AIM	Architectural and Industrial Maintenance Coatings
14	AISC	American Institute of Steel Construction
15	AISE	Association of Iron and Steel Engineers
16	AISI	American Iron and Steel Institute
17	ALAPCO	Association of Local Air Pollution Control Officials
18	AMPP GC	AMPP Global Center
19	ANAB	ANSI National Accreditation Board
20	ANS	American National Standard
21	ANSI	American National Standards Institute
22	APCA	Air Pollution Control Association
23	ΑΡΙ	American Petroleum Institute
24	APL	Approved Product Listing
25	APQC	American Productivity and Quality Center
26	AQCR	Air Quality Control Region
27	AREMA	American Railway Engineering and Maintenance of Way Association
28	ARS	Application Review Subcommittee
29	ASCC	American Society of Concrete Contractors
30	ASDWA	Association of State Drinking Water Administrators
31	ASEE	American Society for Engineering Education
32	ASHE	American Society of Highway Engineers
33	ASM International	Formerly American Society for Metals
34	ASME	American Society of Mechanical Engineers
35	ASNE	American Society of Naval Engineers

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36	ASNT	American Society for Nondestructive Testing
37	ASSE	American Society of Safety Engineers
38	ASTM	American Society for Testing and Materials
39	ATT	Applicator Train-the-Trainer Program
40	AWMA	Air & Waste Management Association
41	AWWA	American Water Works Association
42	BCF	British Coatings Federation
43	BCI	Bridge Coatings Inspector Program
44	BMP	Best Management Practices
45	ВоК	Body of Knowledge
46	BOTH	Bring on the Heat
47	BSI	British Standards Institute
48	BV	Bureau Veritas
49	C-1	Fundamentals of Protective Coatings training course
50	C-10	Floor Coating Basics
51	C-12	Spray Application Certification
52	C-13	Water Jetting Program
53	C-14	Marine Plural Component Program (MPCAC/C14)
54	C-2	Planning and Specifying Industrial Coatings Projects
55	C-3	Lead Paint Removal
56	C-5	Lead Paint Removal Refresher
57	C-7	Abrasive Blasting Certification
58	CA	Central Area
59	CAA	Clean Air Act
60	СААА	Clean Air Act Amendments (of 1990)
61	CAC	Central Area Conference
62	CAGE	Coating Alternatives Guide
63	САР	Corrective Action Plan
64	CARB	California Air Resources Board
65	CAS	Coating Application Specialist
66	СВТ	Computer Based Testing
67	CCA	Certified Coating Applicator
68	ССВ	Concrete Coating Basics
69	СССР	Coatings in Conjunction with Cathodic Protection
70	CCI	Concrete Coating Inspector Program
71	CDA	Confidential Disclosure Agreement
72	CDC	Centers for Disease Control

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73	CEAC	Conferences and Exposition Activities Committee
74	CEPC	Conferences and Events Program Committee
75	CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability
		Act
76	CERF	Civil Engineering Research Foundation
77	CEU's	Continuing Education Units
78	CFO	Council of Facility Owners
79	CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
80	СІН	Certified Industrial Hygienist
81	CIP	Coating Inspector Program
82	CJ	Corrosion Journal
83	CMS	Content Management System/Initiative
84	COE	Code of Ethics
85	COI	Conflict of Interest
86	СР	Cathodic Protection
87	СРСА	Canadian Paint and Coatings Association
88	CPSA	Consumer Product Safety Act
89	CPSC	Consumer Product Safety Commission
90	CPVC	Critical Pigment Volume Concentration
91	CPWR	Center to Protect Workers' Rights
92	CRM	Customer Relations Management System
93	CSB	Chemical Safety Board
94	CSC	Construction Safety Council
95	CSCP	Collegiate Student Certificate Program
96	CSCPTG	Collegiate Student Certificate Program Task Group
97	CSI	Construction Specifications Institute
98	CSLE	Concrete Service Life Extension Conference
99	CSP	Certified Safety Professional
100	CSR	Contractor Summary Report
101	CTGs	Control Technique Guidelines
102	СТЖ	Corrosion Technology Week
103	CUI	Corrosion Under Insulation
104	CWA	Clean Water Act
105	DA	Direct Assessment
106	DAC	Disciplinary Action Criteria
107	DBA	Design Basis Accident
108	DCC	Designing for Corrosion Control
109	DEP	DER Department of Environmental Protection

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Number	Abbreviation	Meaning
110	DIN	Deutsches Institute for Normung
111	DNV	Det Norske Veritas
112	DOD	Department of Defense
113	DOD CPO	Department of Defense Corrosion Prevention Office
114	DODSSP	Department of Defense Single Stock Point
115	DOL	Department of Labor
116	DOT	Department of Transportation
117	DPM	Document Project Manager
118	DTM	Direct to Metal
119	EA	Eastern Area
120	EAC	(1) Eastern Area Conference (2) Education Activities Committee
121	EAP	East Asia & Pacific Area
122	ΕΑΡΑ	East Asia & Pacific Area
123	EAS	Examinations Advisory Subcommittee
124	EC	Education Committee
125	ECM	European Corrosion Management Conference
126	EFC	European Federation of Corrosion
127	EHS	Environmental Health and Safety
128	EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
129	EPAC	Education Program Activity Committee (Conferences, Exhibits and Sponsorships)
130	EPAC	Education Program Advisory Panel
131	EPCRA	Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act
132	EPRI	Electric Power Research Institute
133	EU	European Area
134	EXPO	Expositions Administrative Committee
135	FHWA	Federal Highway Administration
136	FIC	Federal Information Center
137	FIFRA	Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act
138	FLBPE	Florida Board of Professional Engineers
139	FSCT	Federation of Societies for Coatings Technology
140	GSA	General Services Administration
141	HEPA	High Efficiency Particulate Air (Filter)
142	HQ	Headquarters
143	HUD	Department of Housing and Urban Development
144	IACET	International Association for Continuing Education and Training
145	IACS	International Association of Classification Societies
146	IAG	Instructor Advisory Group

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147	IBPAT	International Brotherhood of Painters and Allied Trades
148	IC	Internal Corrosion for Pipelines
149	ICA	Industrial Coating Applicator
150	lcorr	Institute of Corrosion
151	ICRI	International Concrete Repair Institute
152	ILI	In-line Inspection
153	ILZRO	International Lead Zinc Research Organization
154	IM	Individual Member
155	IMO	International Maritime Organization
156	ІМРАСТ	International Measures of Prevention, Application, and Economics of Corrosion Technologies (NACE Institute)
157	ІРСТ	International Protective Coating Technology Conference
158	IRC	Institute for Research in Construction
159	ISEA	International Safety Equipment Association
160	ISO	International Organization for Standardization
161	ISWG	International Standards Working Group
162	ITE	Institute for Transportation Engineers
163	IUPAT	International Union of Painters and Allied Trades
164	JPCL	Journal of Protective Coatings and Linings
165	KPI	Key Performance Indicator
166	КЅ	Key Strategy (often prefixed with the specific group's initial – ex Board Key Strategy as BKS) (Strategic Planning)
167	KSA	Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities
168	LAA	Latin America Area
169	MC	Marine Coatings
170	MCI	Master Coatings Inspector Certificate
171	МСТ	Marine Coating Technology
172	MECC	Middle East Corrosion Conference
173	MP	Materials Performance Magazine
174	MPC	Membership Program Committee
175	MPCAC	Marine Plural Component Applicator Certification
176	MPI	Master Painters Institute
177	MPWT	Materials Performance & Welding Technologies Conference
178	MRO175 (CRA)	Certified Under Corrosion Resistant Alloy
179	MRO175 (CS)	Certified Under Carbon Steel
180	NA	Northern Area
181	NAAQS	National Ambient Air Quality Standards

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182	NACE	National Association of Corrosion Engineers (NACE International)
183	NAEC	Northern Area Eastern Conference
184	NAVFAC	Naval Facilities Engineering Command
185	NAVSEA	Naval Sea Systems Command
186	NAWC	Northern Area Western Conference
187	NBPI	NAVSEA Basic Paint Inspector
188	NCSL	National Conference of State Legislatures
189	NESHAP	National Emissions Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants
190	NFPA	National Fire Protection Association
191	NGO	Non-Governmental Organization
192	NGSB	Non- Government Standards Body
193	NIBS	National Institute of Building Sciences
194	NII	NACE International Institute
195	NIICAP	NACE International Institute Contractor Accreditation Program
196	NIOSH	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
197	NISO STS	National Information Standards Organization Standards Tag Suite
198	NIST	National Institute of Standards and Technology
199	NLIC	National Lead Information Center
200	NomCom	Nominating Committee
201	NPCA	National Paint and Coatings Association
202	NPP	Nuclear Power Plant Symposium
203	NSF	National Sanitation Foundation
204	NSPS	New Source Performance Standards
205	NSRDC	National Shipbuilding Research and Documentation Center
206	NSRP	National Shipbuilding Research Program
207	NSTC	National Surface Treatment Center
208	NTIS	National Technical Information Service
209	NTPEP	National Transportation Product Evaluation Program
210	OAQPS	Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards
211	OCAT	Offshore Corrosion Assessment Training
212	OM	Organizational Member
213	OMAR	Alternate Representative of Organizational Membership
214	OMIM	Individual Member on an Organizational Membership Roster
215	OMOR	Official Representative of Organizational Membership
216	OPPT	Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics
217	OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
218	OSWER	Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response

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219	PAC	(1) Publications Activities Committee (2) Political Action Committee
220	РСА	Pipeline Coating Applicator
221	PCAFT	Pipeline Corrosion Assessment Field Techniques
222	PCAT	Pipeline Coating Applicator Training
223	РССР	Painting Contractor Certification Programs
224	PCI	(1) Protective Coatings Inspector Program (2) Powder Coatings Institute
225	PCIM	Pipeline Corrosion Integrity Management
226	PCS	Protective Coating Specialist
227	PDA	Polyurea Development Association
228	PDCA	Painting and Decorating Contractors of America
229	PEP	Personal Excellence Plan (Strategic Planning)
230	PIMS	Pipeline Integrity Management Seminar
231	РРОС	Public Policy and Outreach Committee
232	PPS	Products, Programs, and Services
233	PRS	Coating Inspector Peer Reviewer Subcommittee
234	PSPC	Performance Standard for Protective Coatings
235	QCI	Quality Control Inspector
236	QCS	Quality Control Supervisor
237	QN 1	Accreditation of Nuclear Coating Supplement
238	QMS	Quality management System
239	QP	Quality Procedure
240	QP 1	Application to complex industrial and marine structures
241	QP 2	Field removal of hazardous coatings
242	QP 3	Accreditation for Shop painting
243	QP 5	Accreditation for Coating and Lining Inspection Companies
244	QP 6	Accreditation for Contractor Metallizing
245	QP 7	Introductory Painting Contractor Program
246	QP 8	Accreditation for Installation of Polymer Coatings and Surfacings on
240	<b>v</b> . v	Concrete and other Cementitious Surfaces
247	QP 9	Accreditation for Standard Procedure for Evaluating the Qualifications of
		Commercial Painting and Coating Contractors
248	QPL	Qualified Products List
249	QS 1	Accreditation for Standard Procedure for Evaluating a Contractor's
		Advanced Quality Management System
250	R&R	Review and Reload (Strategic Planning)
251	RAC	Research Administrative Committee
252	RASIC	Responsible, Approving, Supporting, Informed, Consulted
253	RCMC	Research Committee Management Committee

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254	RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
255	RFP	Request for Proposal
256	RINA	Registro Italiano Navale
257	RIPS	Research in Progress Symposium
258	RIPSTG	Research in Progress Symposium Task Group (Technical Committees)
259	RPs	Recommended Practices
260	RSGTG	Research Seed Grant Task Group (Technical Committees)
261	RTG	Research Task Group
262	RTS	Research Topical Symposium
263	RTSTG	Research Topical Symposium Task Group (Technical Committees)
264	SAE	Society of Automotive Engineers
265	SB	Standards Board
266	SC	Standards Committee
267	SCAT	Shipboard Corrosion Assessment Training
268	SCOM	Standards Committees Operating Manual
269	SCQAMD	South Coast Quality Air Management District
270	SDO	Standards Developing Organization
271	SI	System International, or International System
272	SIP	State Implementation Plan
273	SMART	Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Realistic, Timely (Strategic Planning)
274	SME	Subject Matter Expert
275	SNAME	Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers
276	SP	Surface Preparation
277	SPC	Standards Program Committee
278	SPE	(1) Sophisticated Paint Endorsement (2) Society of Petroleum Engineers
279	SPFA	Steel Plate Fabricators Association
280	SPS	Student Poster Session
281	SPs	Standard Practices
282	SPTG	Student Participation Task Group
283	SSPC	The Society for Protective Coatings
284	STAG	Section Technology Advisory Group
285	STG	Specific Technology Group
286	STI	Steel Tank Institute
287	STINET	Scientific and Technical Information Network
288	SWOT	Strength, Weaknesses, Opportunities, Threats
289	TAG	Technical Advisory Group (to ISO)
290	тсс	Technical Coordination Committee

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291	тсі	Technical Community of Interest
292	TCR	Technical Committee Report
293	TEG	Technology Exchange Group
294	TG	Task Group
295	TIE	Technical Information Exchange
296	тм	Standard Test Method (Technical Committees)
297	TMG	Technology Management Group
298	ТРС	Technical Program Committee
299	ТРС	Technology Publishing Company
300	TRAC	Technical and Research Activities Committee
301	TRB	Transportation Research Board
302	TRT	Technical Response Team
303	TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
304	TSP	Total Suspended Particulate, Trisodium Phosphate
305	ттт	Train the Trainer
306	TU	Technology Update
307	UL	Underwriters Laboratories Inc
308	USACE	United States Army Corps of Engineers
309	UST	Underground Storage Tanks
310	VTS	Virtual Test Station
311	WA	Western Area
312	WAA	West Asia & Africa Area
313	WAC	Western Area Conference
314	WEF	Water Environmental Federation
315	WJTA	Water Jet Technology Association
316	WWTP	Wastewater Treatment Plant
317	Xml	eXtensible Mark-up Language

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