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SECURITY TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION GUIDE (STIG) ACRONYM LIST

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STIG Acronym List

Introduction

File names for Security Technical Implementation Guides (STIGs) use the acronyms noted below to reduce file name length. This document is updated as needed.

Acronym List

| Acronym | Meaning |
|------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| AAA | Authentication, Authorization, and Accounting |
| ACI | Application Centric Infrastructure |
| ACF | Advanced Communications Function |
| Adobe DC | Adobe Document Cloud |
| AFS | Axonius Federal Systems |
| ALG | Application Layer Gateway |
| Akamai KSD | Akamai Kona Site Defender |
| API | Application Programming Interface |
| ASA | Adaptive Security Appliance |
| ASD | Application Security and Development |
| AP | AvePoint |
| BB | BlackBerry |
| BIND | Berkeley Internet Name Domain |
| BTS | Backbone Transport Services |
| BYOAD | Bring Your Own Approved Device |
| CA | Computer Associates |
| CAN | Canonical |
| CD | Crunchy Data |
| CL | Cloud Linux |
| DB | Database |
| DMZ | Demilitarized Zone |
| DSC | Data Storage Controller |
| DNS | Domain Name System |
| DXL | Data Exchange Layer |
| EAP | Enterprise Application Platform |
| EMM | Enterprise Mobility Manager |
| ENS | Endpoint Security |
| EOS | Extensible Operating System |
| EPAS | EnterpriseDB Postgres Advanced Server |
| ePO | ePolicy Orchestrator |
| EPMM | Endpoint Manager Mobile |
| ESS | Endpoint Security System |

| Acronym | Meaning |
|----------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| EVVM | Enterprise Voice, Video, and Messaging |
| FS | Forescout |
| FN | Fortinet |
| GPOS | General Purpose Operating System |
| HP | Hewlett Packard |
| HPE | Hewlett Packard Enterprise |
| HPE AOS | HPE Aruba Operating System |
| HMC | Hardware Management Console |
| HW | Honeywell |
| HYCU | Hybrid Cloud Uptime or Hyper-Converged Uptime |
| IB | InfoBlox |
| IBM | International Business Machines Corporation |
| IDaaS | Identity as a Service |
| IDMS | Integrated Database Management System |
| IDPS | Intrusion Detection and Prevention System |
| IIS | Internet Information Services |
| IOS | Internetwork Operating System |
| ISE | Identity Services Engine |
| KPE | Knox Platform for Enterprise |
| LAN | Local Area Network |
| LUW | Linux, Unix, and Windows |
| IE | Internet Explorer |
| IL2 | Impact Level 2 |
| MCM | Multi-Cluster Manager |
| MDB | MongoDB |
| MDM | Mobile Device Management |
| MI | Managed Instance |
| MLS | Multi-Layer Switch |
| MOZ | Mozilla |
| MS | Microsoft |
| NDM | Network Device Management |
| NTX | Nutanix |
| NV | Network Virtualization |
| PAN | Palo Alto Networks |
| PAW | Privileged Access Workstation |
| PGSQL | Postgres Structured Query Language |
| RACF | Resource Access Control Facility |
| REL | Releasable Embedded LAN |

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| Acronym | Meaning |
|---------|------------------------------------------|
| RGS | Rancher Government Solutions |
| RH | Red Hat |
| RHEL | Red Hat Enterprise Linux |
| RKE | Rancher Kubernetes Engine |
| RB | Riverbed |
| SCOM | System Center Operations Manager |
| SDN | Software Defined Networking |
| SEL | Schweitzer Engineering Laboratories |
| SPEC | Systems and Proposal Engineering Company |
| SQL | Structured Query Language |
| SS | Samsung |
| SSS | Soaring Software Solutions |
| SOL | Solaris |
| SLEM | SUSE Linux Enterprise Micro |
| SLES | SUSE Linux Enterprise Server |
| SYM | Symantec |
| TIE | Threat Intelligence Exchange |
| TM | Trend Micro |
| TOSS | Tri-Lab Operating System Stack |
| TMOS | Traffic Management Operating System |
| TSS | Top Secret Service |
| UEM | Unified Endpoint Manager |
| VAD | Virtual Apps and Desktops |
| VMW | VMware |
| VPN | Virtual Private Network |
| WIN | Windows |
| WLAN | Wireless Local Area Network |