

Acronym List

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Acronym	Full name	Comments
JAFNA	Joint Air Force NASA Facility	Now called the Radar Atmospheric Research Facility
JAROS	Japan Resources Observation System Organization	
JAS	Journal of the Atmospheric Sciences	
JASIN	Joint Air-Sea Interaction experiment	Part of GARP, proposed by U.K. Meteorological Office
JASON		Group of physicists at Stanford that study various projects and are funded by government defense money
Java		An object-oriented, platform- independent language from Sun, now widely used to create applets and applications for the Internet
JAWOP	Joint Automated Weather Observing Program	NWS/FAA
JAWS	Joint Airport Weather Studies	UCAR, NCAR, RAP
JCAE	Joint Committee on Atomic Energy	
JCL	job control language	

JCP/ PO	Joint Climate Program/Projects Office	
JCS	Joint Chiefs of Staff	DOD
JEC	Joint-Evaluation Committee	NCAR, UCAR, NSF
JEFNIC	Jeffco Network Infrastructure Completion Project	NCAR, Jefferson County Airport
JEM	Joint environmental monitoring	
JERS	Japan Earth Remote Sensing Satellite	
JERS-1	Japanese Earth Resources Sensing Satellite 1	
JES	Job Entry System	
JFSP	Joint Forecast System Project	
JETDLAG		part of EUROTRAC
JGOFS	Joint Global Ocean Flux Study	IGBP
JGR	Journal of Geophysical Research	
JHU	Johns Hopkins University	
JHWRP	Joint Hawaii Warm Rain Project	
JIC	Joint Implementation Committee	NCAR
JICA	Japan International Development Agency	
JICC	Japanese ICC	
JICP/PO	now JOSS, Joint International Climate Projects/Planning Office	UCAR, 9/96 changed to Joint Office for Science Support

JILA	Joint Institute for Laboratory Astrophysics	University of Colorado and NBS
JMA	Japan Meteorological Agency	See MRI
JMG	Joint Meteorological Group	of the JCS, Joint Chiefs of Staff
JMOF	Joint Meteorological Observing Facility	Now called BAO, instrumental tower NCAR/NOAA/CIRES
JMRNSC	Joint Meteorological Rocket Network Steering Committee	Includes people from DOD, NASA, ISWIS, and USAF
JMSC	Joint Meteorological Satellite Communication	NASA
JOC	Joint Organizing Committee	NCAR
JODC	Japan Ocean Data Center	
JOI	Joint Oceanographic Institutions, Inc.	
JONSWAP	Joint North Sea Wave Project	GARP
JOSS	Joint Office for Science Support	a UCAR program, JOSS was originally formed by the merger of two separate UCAR programs: the Joint International Climate Projects Planning Office (JICP/PO) and the Office for Field Project Support (OFPS)
JPL	Jet Propulsion Laboratory	NASA, Pasadena, CA
JPOP	Japanese Polar Orbiting Platform	
JPS	Joint Planning Staff	JOC
JSC	Johnson Space Center	NASA
JSC	Joint Scientific Committee	WCRP, supersedes GAPP/JOC

JSPO	Joint Systems Program Office	NEXRAD
JTA	Job Table Area	
JvNC	John von Neumann National Supercomputing Center	Princeton, New Jersey, established in 1985 by the Consortium for Scientific Computing, Inc., which was a consortium of 13 academic institutions
JVNTSC	John Volpe National Transportation Systems Center	
JWG	Joint working group	


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