



HARLEY-DAVIDSON ACRONYMS

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AAR	After Action Review
ABC	Activity Based Costing
ACIV	Actual Cost Inventory Valuation
AIAG	Automotive Industry Action Group
AMA	American Motorcycle Association
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
APICS	American Production and Inventory Control Society
APQP	Advanced Product Quality Planning
ASI	American Software Incorporated
ASL	Approved Supplier List
ASQ	American Society for Quality
ASN	Advanced Ship Notice
BOD	Board of Directors
BOM	Bill of Materials
BPC	Best Practice Circle
BPM	Business Planning Meeting or Business Process Module
C/A	Corrective Action
CAB	Corrective Action Board
CAD	Computer Aided Design
CAR	Corrective Action Request
CD	Concurrent Delivery or Critical Dimension
CDC	Create Demand Circle
CHKFX	Check Fixture
CHP	California Highway Patrol (tire testing)
CFL	Capitol FL Line
CGP	Capitol Genuine Parts
CI	Continuous Improvement
CL	Category Leader
COE	Centers of Expertise in the Product Development Center
COGS	Cost of Goods Sold
COPS	Customer Order Processing
COV	Company Owned Vehicle
CPPDM	Concurrent Product and Process Development Methodology
CPIM	Certified Production Inventory Manager
CpK	Process capability factor with shifted mean
CPM	Certified Purchasing Manager (similar to APICS certif.)
CPPDM	Concurrent Product & Process Delivery Methodology
CQA	Certified Quality Auditor
CQE	Certified Quality Engineer
CQM	Certified Quality Manager
CTL	Capitol Transmission Line



CURES	Cumulative Use Risk Evaluation System
CXL	Capitol Sportster Line
DAC	Dealer Advisory Council
DBE	Disadvantaged Business Enterprise
DBWHD	Doing Business with Harley-Davidson
DC	Distribution Center
DFA	Design for Assembly
DFM	Design for Manufacturability
DFMEA	Design Failure Modes & Effects Analysis
DI	Design Intent
DILHR	Department of Industry Labor Human Relations
DMR	Discrepant Material Report
DNR	Department of Natural Resources
DOE	Design of Experiments
DRP	Distribution Requirements Planning
DSO	Direct Ship Order
EC	Electronic Commerce
ECN	Engineering Change Notice
EDC	European Distribution Center
EDI	Electronic Data Interchange
EO	Engineering Order
ERP	Enterprise Resource Planning
FACTS	Factory Actual Cost Tracking System
FEA	Finite Elements Analysis or Failure Effects Analysis
FLG	Functional Leadership Group
FMEA	Failure Mode and Effects Analysis
FPE	First Production Event
GES	General Engineering Specifications
GPMG	Genuine Parts Manufacturing Group
HD	Harley-Davidson
HDI	Harley-Davidson International
HDMC	Harley-Davidson Motor Company "The Motor Company"
HDTC	Harley-Davidson Transportation Company
HOG	Harley Owners Group
HPWG	High Performance Work Group
HPWO	High Performance Work Organization
HR	Human Resources
ISIR	Initial Sample Inspection Request
ISO	International Standards Organization
ITC	Information Technology Circle



JPIC	Joint Partnering Implementation Committee
KC	Kansas City
KCC	Key Control Characteristic
KPC	Key Product Characteristic
LJPIC	Local Joint Partnering Involvement Committee
LSC	Leadership and Strategy Council
M/C	Motor Clothes
MAN	Material As Needed
MBE	Minority Owned Business Enterprise
MCA	Material Cost Analysis
MOA	Modern Operating Agreement
MOB	Minority Owned Business
MOS	Modern Operating Structure
MPS	Master Production Schedule
MRB	Material Review Board
MRM	Management Review Meeting
MRO	Maintenance Repair Operating
MRP	Materials Requirement Planning
MSA	Master Supply Agreement
MSF	Motorcycle Safety Foundation
MTO	Make to Order
MYC	Model Year Changeover
NAPM	National Association of Purchasing Management
NCM	Non-conforming Material
NEC	National Electric Code
NPT	New Parts Tracking
NVA	Non value-added
NVH	Noise, Vibration & Harshness
OEM	Original Equipment Manufacturing
OPM	Office of Program Management
P&A	Parts & Accessories
PAR	Project Appropriation Request
PDC	Product Development Center
PDL2T	Product Development Leadership and Learning Team
PDN	Product Deviation Notice
PE	Purchasing Engineer
PEP	Performance Effectiveness Planning
PFMEA	Process Failure Mode Effects Analysis
PO	Purchase Order



POR	Production Order Release
PPAP	Production Part Approval Process
PPC	Product Planning Committee
PPG	Produce Products Group
PPB	Parts Per Billion
PPM	Parts per Million
PSC	Provide Support Circle
P-TAC	Purchasing Technical Advisory Committee on Supplier Quality Mgt.
PTO	Powertrain Operations
PUG	Purchasing Unity Group
QA	Quality Assurance
QCT	Quality, Cost, & Timing
QRL	Quality, Reliability and Leadership
QS	Quality System
R&R	Repeatability & Reproducibility
SAC	Supplier Advisory Council
SAE	Society of Automotive Engineers
SBE	Small Business Enterprise
SCM	Supply Chain Management
SDB	Small Disabled Ownership Business Enterprise
SIR	Sample Inspection Report
SOC	Statistical Operator Control
SOP	Standard Operating Procedure
SPC	Statistical Process Control
SQE	Supplier Quality Engineer
SSE	Supplier Systems Evaluation
SSL	Supplier Status List
TPC	Transportation Purchasing Council
TTF	Talladega Test Facility
TWA	Time Weighted Average
VA	Value Analysis
VE	Value Engineering
WBE	Woman Owned Business Enterprise
WOB	Woman Owned Business