

## ASTRONOMY Acronyms

AAS	=	American Astronomical Society
AIF	=	Astronomical Instrumentation Facility
ASAS-SN	=	All Sky Automated Survey for SuperNovae
CCAPP	=	Center for Cosmology and AstroParticle Physics
DEMONEXT	=	The <b>DE</b> dicated <b>MON</b> itor of <b>EX</b> otransits and Transients
DESI	=	Dark Energy Spectroscopic Instrument
FPS	=	Focal Plane System (aka: Sloan Digital Sky Survey Five Focal Plane System)
ISL	=	Imaging Science Laboratory
KASI	=	Korea Astronomy and Space Science Institute
KELT	=	Kilodegree Extremely Little Telescope
KMTNet	=	Korea Microlensing Telescope Network
LBT	=	Large Binocular Telescope
LCO	=	Las Cumbres Observatory
LVMI	=	Local Volume Mapper Instrument (aka: Sloan Digital Sky Survey Five Local Volume Mapper Instrument)
LVM	=	Local Volume Mapper)
MODS	=	Multi Object Double Spectrograph
MDM	=	Since MIT is no longer part of MDM, and additional members have been added, <b>MDM is no longer an acronym</b> , it's just the name of the observatory.
NOAO	=	National Optical Astronomy Observatory
ODEE	=	Office of Distance Education and eLearning
OSIRIS	=	Ohio State InfraRed Imager/Spectrometer
OSC	=	Ohio Super Computer
SAAO	=	South African Astronomical Observatory
SDSS	=	Sloan Digital Sky Survey
SMARTS	=	Small and Moderate Aperture Research Telescope System
SOCC	=	State of Ohio Computer Center
TESS	=	Transiting Exoplanet Survey Satellite
TNC	=	The Network Center (computer server center)

## **Administrative Acronyms**

AM	=	Asset Management
AP	=	Accounts Payable
ASC	=	Arts and Sciences College
DBT	=	Department Budget Table
DPST	=	Deposit
DRD	=	Direct Retro Distribution
F & A	=	Facilities and Administrative Costs
FML	=	Family Medical Leave
FPL	=	Faculty Professional Leave
FTE	=	Full Time Employee
GF	=	General Funds
HRA	=	Human Resource Actions
IDB	=	Inter-Departmental Billing
ISD	=	Internal Service Delivery
JE	=	Journal Entry
JRNL	=	Journal
OBA	=	Other Bank Activity
ODP	=	Off Duty Pay
OSP	=	Office of Sponsored Programs
OSURF	=	Ohio State University Research Foundation
PAA	=	Payroll Accounting Adjustment
PI	=	Principal Investigator
RIF	=	Reduction in Force
RT	=	Release Time