

Plumber Harmonized Level 3

ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

TERM	MEANING
AC	alternating current
AHJ	Authority Having Jurisdiction
ASME	American Society of Mechanical Engineers
AVB	atmospheric vacuum breaker
BTU	British thermal unit
CSA	Canadian Standards Association
DC	direct current
DCAP	dual check atmospheric port
DCVA	double check valve assembly
DuC	dual check valve device
FU	fixture unit
in. w.c.	inches water column
kPa	kilopascal
LAV	lavatory
LPM	litre per minute
MBH	thousand British thermal units per hour
m/s	metre per second
NPC	National Plumbing Code of Canada
OD	outside diameter
OS&Y	outside stem and yoke
PEX	polyethylene cross-linked
PRV	pressure-reducing valve
psi	pounds per square inch
psig	pounds per square inch gauge
PVB	pressure vacuum breaker
RP	reduced pressure principle backflow prevention assembly
TSBC	Technical Safety BC
TPR Valve	temperature/pressure-relief valve
ULC	Underwriters Laboratories of Canada
VAC	volts alternating current
WC	water closet

NOTE

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These acronyms and abbreviations will be included in the exam reference materials.