

acronym

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

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acronym [acronym acronyms] *BrE* [ˈækɹənɪm] ^m *NAmE* [ˈækɹənɪm] ^m **noun**

a word formed from the first letters of the words that make up the name of sth, for example 'AIDS' is an **acronym** for 'acquired immune deficiency syndrome'

Word Origin:

1940s: from Greek **akron** 'end, tip' + -onym.

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[Date: 1900-2000; Origin: acr- 'beginning, end' (from Greek akr-, from akros; ⇨ [↑]acrobat) + -onym (as in homonym)]

a word made up from the first letters of the name of something such as an organization. For example, NATO is an acronym for the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

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