

International Telecommunications Union (ITU) Standard ITU Phonetics

In 1947 the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO), adopted rules and procedures that standardized phonetics. In 1956 the International Telecommunications Union (ITU) adopted the ICAO phonetic alphabet. Today it is THE worldwide standard for military, naval, civilian aeronautical and maritime, search and rescue groups, public safety, (law enforcement being an exception); and...the A.R.R.L. Click [Here](#) to learn more by D. W. Thorne, K6SOJ

A--Alfa "AL-FAH"

B--Bravo "BRAH-VOH"

C--Charlie "CHAR-LEE" or "SHAR-LEE"

D--Delta "DELL-TAH"

E--Echo "ECK-OH"

F--Foxtrot "FOKS-TROT"

G--Golf "GOLF"

H--Hotel "HOH-TELL"

I--India "IN-DEE-AH"

J--Juliett "JEW-LEE-ETT"

K--Kilo "KEE-LOH"

L--Lima "LEE-MAH"

M--Mike "MIKE"

N--November "NO-VEM-BER"

O--Oscar "OSS-CAH"

P--Papa "PAH-PAH"

Q--Quebec "KEH-BECK"

R--Romeo "ROW-ME-OH"

S--Sierra "SEE-AIR-RAH"

T--Tango "TANG-GO"

U--Uniform "YOU-NEE-FORM" or "OO-NEE-FORM"

V--Victor "VIK-TAH"

W--Whiskey "WISS-KEY"

X--X-ray "ECKS-RAY"

Y--Yankee "YANG-KEY"

Z--Zulu "ZOO-LOO"