

Common Terms

Here's a list of some common terms and abbreviations used during repair procedures. These are not required, nor official. As such, this list is provided as a courtesy. You are encouraged to use whatever works for you, so long as others can understand easily. In general, + is used for an affirmative or a good result, and - for a negative or bad result.

Used during Repair Ops:

- **BC:** Wing Beacon.
- **Chemseal:** Hull Seal with Decontamination Limpet
- **CB:** A Code Black Situation
- **DC:** Disconnected, or kicked out of the game. Also used for game crashes.
- **FR:** Friend Request.
- **Fuel Rat:** A member of *The Fuel Rats* organization with a focus on emergency response for fuel shortages.
- **Inst:** Instance.
- **Killer Whales:** Hostile Players.
- **Mechanic:** Members of the Hull Seals.
- **Mode Conf:** Game Mode confirmed on Comms Panel.
- **Otter:** A Hull Seal with Fuel Limpet Controllers onboard, capable of providing emergency fuel.
- **Pied Piper:** A Seal on a Code Black who leads Clients to stars for fuel, providing a guide of safe range for scooping.
- **RC+:** Repair Completed.
- **RL+:** Repair Limpet Engaged.
- **PW+:** **Paperwork Complete.**
- **Seals:** This fine organization, or members thereof.
- **Sharks:** Hostile Ships.
- **Sys Conf:** System confirmed on the galaxy map.
- **Walrus:** A Hull Seal equipped for defensive, NPC-ONLY actions.
- **WR:** Wing Request.

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- **The Bubble:** Civilized Space, commonly fought over by powerplay factions.
- **Blob:** Did you know a group of seals is actually called a Blob?
- **Client:** The person in need of hull repairs.
- **Cascade Winging:** The way of quickly pulling CMDRs to an instance by entering with a wing, leaving, and pulling in more exponentially.
- **Dispatch:** The trained player coordinating the repair and assignment of Seals.
- **Pup:** A Seal-In-Training.
- **Drebin's Lament:** An unsuccessful Code Black.
- **XA:** Explorer's Anchorage, the most remote station in the galaxy. Located near the center of the galaxy.