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Abbreviations

The abbreviations of titles of periodicals or serial publications used in Transactions follow the principles set down in British Standard 4148 (1970). In addition, the following abbreviations are regularly used in Transactions:

- APS  Archaeological Project Services
- BAR  British Archaeological Reports (British and International series)
- BL   British Library
- BUFAU Birmingham University Field Archaeology Unit
- CBA  Council for British Archaeology
- HBMC Historic Buildings and Monuments Commission (English Heritage)
- JSAC  John Samuels Archaeological Consultants
- LCMS Leicester City Museums Service
- LMARS Leicestershire Museums, Arts and Records Service
- MF   Melton Fieldworkers
- NA   Northamptonshire Archaeology
- RCHME Royal Commission on the Historical Monuments of England
- PRO  Public Record Office
- RCM  Rutland County Museum
- ROLLR Record Office for Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland
- TLAS *Transactions of the Leicestershire Archaeological Society* (1921/2–54)
- TLAAS *Transactions of the Leicestershire Architectural and Archaeological Society* (1866–1912/13)
- TLAHS *Transactions of the Leicestershire Archaeological and Historical Society* (1955–)
- TNA  The National Archive
- ULAS University of Leicester Archaeological Services
- VCH *Victoria County History*
- WRO  Warwickshire Record Office
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