# Finalised UK keyboard assignments.

## **Carrier Ops**

Auto catapult Setup Ctrl-C Extend launch bar (on Cat) Shift-C Signal to fire Cat (w/ launch bar extended) Shift-C

#### F-18 controls

Pitch and roll Cursor keys

Rudder & Nose-wheel steering left, right Z, X Engage LEFT / RIGHT engine Y, U

Shut down LEFT / RIGHT engines Ctrl & Y, Ctrl & U (only if engines are running on idle)

Fire extinguisher engine channel left,
Fire extinguisher engine channel right
Fire extinguisher APU
Shift & U
Shift & T
Fire extinguisher release
Shift & E

When afterburner off:

Engine RPM incremental inc., dec. +, Full military power Ctrl & +
Engines idle Ctrl & -

When afterburner on (100% military):

Burner nozz. incremental inc., dec. +, Nozzles full open Ctrl & +
Nozzles full close (burner off) Ctrl & 60% military power 6
70% military power 7

80% military power 8
90% military power 9
100% military power 0
Speedbrake configuration S
Wheelbrakes W
Gun / missile trigger Space

## Cockpit controls equivalents

Power up Auxiliary Power Unit Ctrl & T

Flaps (cycle switch up, down) Ctrl & F, Shift & F

Arrestor hook H
Landing gear G
Emergency jettison Ctrl & J
Internal fuel jettison Shift & J
Radar (turn knob right, left) R, Ctrl & R
FLIR (cycle switch up, down) Ctrl & I, Shift & I
LDT (cycle switch up, down) Ctrl & L, Shift & L

Communications channel 1 cycle
Communications channel 2 cycle
Ctrl & 1
Communications channel 2 cycle
Master Arm switch
Air-to-Air Master Mode
Air-to-Ground Master Mode
NAV mode
HUD Symbology reject
Ctrl & H
Ctrl & H

#### 'Convenience controls'

Cycle through weapons 'forwards' Return or Enter

Cycle through weapons 'backwards' Ctrl & Return or Ctrl & Enter

Eject Ctrl & E

Master Caution acknowledge M

Threat warning tones toggle on/off Crtl & M

Cycle left DDI mode forwards, backwards

Cycle right DDI mode forwards, backwards

Toggle cockpit displays day/night

Cycle preset DDI combinations

Night vision goggles

Transmit reconnaissance data

Cit & M

Cit & M

Cit & M

Shift & [

Cycle & M

Shift & [

Shift & [

Shift & ]

N

Waypoint next ;
Waypoint previous 
Undesignate Target D

Cycle briefed targets
Cycle Air to Air targets

Ctrl & D

E

## Autopilot

Autopilot current mode engage, disengage A
Auto-throttle engage, disengage Ctrl & A

### **Comms**

Request landing permission L
Cancel landing permission Alt & L
Toggle Wingman / AWACS menu Q
Multiplayer Chat Shift & M

#### Viewing modes

Internal Cockpit snap left, up, down, right 1, 2, 3, 4

Reset internal view 5

Camera panning left, up, down, right Alt + Cursor Keys

Camera zoom in, out >, < (Can we use this for the FLIR)

Internal Cockpit view F1
Virtual Cockpit view F2
HUD only view F3
DDI's on/off in HUD only view Ctrl & F3

Head-lock view on/off F4 (Operates on both 2D and Virtual Cockpit)

Headlock, next target

Quick check Six Left

Check Six Sticky Left

Check Left

Check Left

Ctrl & F5

Check Left

Shift & F5

Quick check Six Right
Check Six Sticky Right
Check Right
F6
Check Right
F18 external View
F7
F18 Chase Cam
Ctrl & F7

F18 Chase Cam

Pylon View

F8

Weapon Release View

Weapon in Flight View

Ctrl & F8

Shift & F8

Target View F9
Target Lock View Ctrl & F0

Target Lock View Ctrl & F9

Spectator View F10

Remote View Ctrl & F10

Cinematic view on/off F11
Drone view, next F12

Drone view, previous Ctrl & F12

### Game controls

Pause Ctrl & P
Time acceleration cycle Tab
Normal time Escape
Quit Ctrl & Q

#### **HOTAS** emulation

Controls assigned to real F-18 flightstick and throttle. May repeat some controls listed above.

### ACM radar modes

### Available only in A/A Master mode

Boresight B
Wide Acquisition J
Vertical Acquisition V
Auto Acquisition /

## TDC assignment

Cycle to next display Home

### TDC

UpIDownKLeftORightPPrimary ActionInsertSecondary ActionDelete

### Weapon fire / launch / release

Gun / missile trigger Space

### Miscellaneous actions

Chaff C Flare F Undesignate target D

Cycle Briefed targets Ctrl & D
Cycle Air to Air targets E
Speedbrake configuration S