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For more information on RAAF Virtual, who they are and what they do, please visit <u>www.raafvirtual.org</u>



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Users are to regard this Aircraft Flight Manual as an authoritative publication for this product. It is compiled from data available from the aircraft manufacturer under licence, as well as public operating & technical sources.

These instructions provide you with a general knowledge of the simulated aircraft, its characteristics, and specific normal operating procedures. Instructions in this manual are for a pilot inexperienced in the operation of the simulation aircraft.

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All references to produce this product are from publicly available sources or from the aircraft manufacturer under licence.

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This product is for entertainment purposes only.

In accordance with the IRIS Simulations Pty Ltd EULA, this product cannot be used as part of any real-world aviation training.

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APPLICABILITY

This Flight Manual applies to the IRIS PC-21 for Microsoft Flight Simulator (MSFS), produced by RAAF Virtual and published by IRIS Simulations Pty Ltd

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

This manual provides the best possible operating instructions, however, on occasions these instructions may prove to be a poor substitute for sound judgment. Adverse weather, terrain and other considerations may require modification of the procedures listed.

PERMISSIBLE OPERATIONS

The Flight Manual takes a 'positive approach' and normally states only what you can do. Unusual operations and configurations are prohibited unless specifically covered herein.

CONTROL AND IDENTIFICATION MARKINGS

The use of block capitals in the text, when identifying switches, controls etc. indicates the actual markings on that item.

AIRSPEEDS

All airspeeds quoted in this manual are 'indicated' unless otherwise stated.

USE OF THE FLIGHT MANUAL

To use the Flight Manual correctly, it is essential to understand the division of the manual into its sections and the subsequent division of the sections. Each section has a table of contents, and best use will be obtained from the Manual by becoming familiar with the table of contents for each section. The index enables easy reference to a particular topic or item by page number.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

The following are frequently asked questions during testing.

Q. Why can't I open/close the canopy?

A. To close the canopy, make sure the CFS Pin has been removed and the engine is shut down. To open it, make sure the canopy is unlocked and the engine is shut down. If the above conditions are met, the canopy latch should work.

Q. Why doesn't the MAP button show me a moving map display?

A. The MAP button references custom MAP images contained in the aircraft's RMM in MAP1 mode. These can be edited manually through a process of image editing and programming. To access the moving map display, press the MAP pushbutton again to access MAP2.

To see what the maps look like, start the aircraft at RAAF Base East Sale (ICAO: YMES) or RAAF Base Pearce (ICAO: YPEA) and turn the MAP overlay on.

Q. Why do my textures differ in resolution at different points in the aircraft?

A. Cockpit textures do differ in resolution throughout the product. These are in keeping with memory usage across medium end systems, and especially looking toward to Xbox Compatibility.

We have focused on high detail where it is needed (decals and the like) and lower where it is deemed non-essential.

It is our opinion that while not to everyone's liking, it does not necessarily affect the product in a significant way.

Q. I am an Air Force PC-21 pilot; can I use this for flight training?

A. This is not a training aid, nor is it permitted for being used on any other platform than Microsoft Flight Simulator. For more information, please refer to the INTENDED USE paragraph on Page 4.

Q. After landing, why doesn't my thrust reverser work like on the PC-12? A. The PC-21 doesn't have reverse thrust, that's why. Q. I have found a bug or would like to request a suggestion, where do I go?

A. Our online issue tracker is available to submit bugs via the link below.

IRIS PC-21 Submit a Bug Form https://wkf.ms/3zsQbSO

If you want to see the status of an issue, or if your issue has been submitted before, please visit the following link to view the online issue tracker.

IRIS PC-21 - Issue Tracking System (Public)

https://view.monday.com/3281096012-1578f58667621e782ae1ea907de198b4?r=use1

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UPDATING/INSTALLING

IMPORTANT – IF YOU ARE MANUALLY UPGRADING YOUR PACKAGE FROM A PREVIOUS VERSION, PLEASE DELETE THE PREVIOUS VERSION FIRST!

This package is distributed both on the Microsoft Marketplace, Orbx Central and other vendors.

If you have purchased the package though the Microsoft Marketplace or through Orbx Central and you have followed the on-screen instructions, no further action is required from your end, as the plane should be available in the aircraft selection menu as the other default planes and should be automatically updated.

If you have purchased the package directly from the IRIS Simulations storefront and the aircraft is provided as a .zip file containing the iris-aircraft-pc21 folder, simply copy and paste it into your COMMUNITY folder.

NOTE: The exact location of the folder will depend on your selection where you have installed Microsoft Flight Simulator.

Once you have indicated where your COMMUNITY folder is, just follow the onscreen instructions.

NOTE: If you DO NOT know where the community folder is located, you can follow this procedure:

Within Microsoft Flight Simulator loaded, go to Options / General.

1. Click on "Developers" which you will find at the bottom of the list on the left.

2. Switch Developers Mode on.

3.0n the Dev Menu select Tools / Virtual File System.

4. The Community folder location can be found under "Watched Bases"

NOTE: If copying the contents into the Community folder fails because files names are too long you can proceed as follows:

1. Extract the package folder on your desktop or in any known and easily acceptable location.

2. Rename the package folder from "iris-aircraft-pc21" to anything short and recognizable such as "IRIS-PC21" or just "PC21".

3. Place the renamed package folder in the Community folder.

Alternatively for EXPERT WINDOWS USERS ONLY, it is possible to edit the "LongPathsEnabled" entry in the Windows registry key:

HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SYSTEM\CurrentControlSet\Control\FileSystem

Once the aircraft is installed in the Community folder, it will be available in the aircraft selection menu next time you start Flight Simulator.

If Flight Simulator was running during the install process, you need to close it and restart it for the aircraft to appear.

NOTES FROM THE DEVELOPERS

FLIGHT MODEL

Please note that the IRIS PC-21 flight model is designed to work with the new Flight Simulator flight model (Options->General Options->Flight Model->MODERN).

This is the default option for Microsoft Flight Simulator, and it should be your setting unless you have changed it.

Some users may have changed the flight model to "LEGACY" to use older FSX derived add-on planes. In this case you must revert to the "MODERN" flight model.

With the modern flight model, the IRIS PC-21 should behave well and be quite stable and easy to fly within the regular flight envelope.

With the above considered, please note that different control devices, sensitivities and calibration may provide a wide range of results. You may need to adjust your control sensitivities and settings to find a setting that feels comfortable for your experience.

Please also note that while this flight model is designed to perform accurately across the flight envelope, stall and spin characteristics may differ to that expected.

INTERACTION

Please note that the IRIS PC-21 is designed to work with the 'LOCK' Cockpit Interaction System (Options->General Options->Accessibility->Cockpit Interaction System->LOCK).

This is the default option for Microsoft Flight Simulator, and it should be your setting unless you have changed it.

Some users may have changed the flight model to 'LEGACY' for personal preference. While the IRIS PC-21 does function with the 'LEGACY' interaction system, knobs and switches will operate differently than designed.

DISPLAY GRAPHICS

The IRIS PC-21 has been designed using XML based graphics on displays. While we are planning to update this to HTML5 format later, if you experience blurry gauges and displays, please change your antialiasing setting to 'DLAA' (Options->General Options->Graphics->Anti-Aliasing->DLAA).

REMOVABLE MEMORY MODULE (RMM)

The Left MFD MAP & OVERLAY backgrounds and pre-set frequency trigrams (STUDS) are configurable via editing of accessible files. Instructional videos to support editing of these elements will be produced at the right time and available on the IRIS Simulations YouTube Channel (https://youtube.com/irissimulations).

POWER MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (PMS)

While indications relating to the PMS are shown within the cockpit, the PMS is not simulated in this product and flight performance differs from the aircraft as a result.

FLIGHT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (FMS)

While the aircraft uses the CMC Flight Management System, due to technical limitations, we have a modified FMS based on the MSFS 747 unit. Currently only the Pilot Seat has a functional FMS.

TRIM AID DEVICE (TAD)

We recommend that you turn on AUTORUDDER in the assistance settings to simulate the use of the Trim Aid Device (TAD). (Options->Assistance Options->Piloting->AUTO-RUDDER).

EXTERNAL SMOKE GENERATORS (ESG)

To operate the smoke effects on any of the aircraft for aerobatics, please ensure you have a control binding tied to the 'TOGGLE LOGO LIGHTS' function.

Operation of the smoke system through the above function is dependent on the following factors:

- 1. External fuel tanks are first removed by emptying the external tank weights in the Weights and Fuel panel.
- 2. ESGs are then added via the instructor page (Right MFD->INST).
- 3. The SMOKE switch on the right-hand console behind the ECS panel should be moved to the ARM position.
- 4. When you then use the control binding for the LOGO LIGHTS, 'SMOKE' is indicated on the HUD to indicate that smoke is being dispensed.

Using the appropriate button on the Right MFD while on the INST page, you can cycle the ESG options through the following configurations.

- a. **ESG: NOT FITTED** No ESGs fitted and wing pylons emPty
- b. ESG: SMOKE BOTH ESGs fitted, smoke emits from both units.
- c. ESG: SMOKE RIGHT ESGs fitted, smoke emits from the right unit only.
- d. ESG SMOKE LEFT ESGs fitted, smoke emits from the left unit only.
- e. **PC9: SMOKE EXHAUST** ESG not fitted, smoke emits from the exhaust.
- f. FUEL: EXT TANKS ESGs not fitted, External Fuel Tanks in place.

Note: These configurations have been evaluated in solo flight. During multiplayer team operations, the above configurations may result in unpredictable behaviour.

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DESCRIPTION AND OPERATION

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SECTION 1

CHAPTER 1

DESCRIPTION AND OPERATION

THE AIRCRAFT

THE ULTIMATE TRAINING SYSTEM

To train the next generation of military pilots, Pilatus developed the next generation trainer: the PC-21, designed and built specifically with student pilots in mind.

With air force budgets under continuous pressure, the PC-21 provides a costeffective and highly efficient training solution. On the PC-21, pilots destined to fly fighter aircraft do not need to transition to jets until much later than those flying conventional trainer aircraft, reducing cost and training time.

To achieve this, Pilatus significantly expanded the design and performance envelope to take this single-engine turboprop into an area that was, until now, exclusively the domain of jet trainer aircraft.



IRIS PC-21 General Arrangement

AB-INITIO TO ADVANCED TRAINING

The PC-21 is as benign and easy to fly for the ab-initio student as it is challenging and rewarding for the pilot preparing for the front line. The capabilities of the PC-21 make it ideally suited to a very wide training envelope.

It can be used from day one, eliminating the need for an elementary flying training fleet and bridging the performance gap between traditional turboprop trainers and expensive lead-in fighters. In this respect, the PC-21 provides significant advantages over traditional turboprops and jet trainers.

NEXT GENERATION TRAINING FOR NEXT GENERATION AIR FORCES

The PC-21 design ensures a predictable operating cost profile. An innovative concept, modern materials, and validation with a full-scale fatigue test, result in an aircraft that is ideal for both conventional and performance-based operations. Experience with existing PC-21 customers has shown that it is possible to reduce the cost of taking a student to wings graduation by more than 50 per cent.

FULLY CUSTOMISABLE TO YOUR NEEDS

Systems integration is at the heart of the PC-21 cockpit philosophy. As an advanced trainer aircraft, the cockpit display and control systems are configured to match the latest generation front-line aircraft as closely as possible.

Trainees are exposed to an operational cockpit environment at the earliest stages of their training. This enables aircrew to acquire skills that are of direct relevance to front-line aircraft from day one.

ENHANCED TRAINING FOR EACH PHASE

The PC-21 is designed not only to satisfy the requirements for basic and advanced military pilot training but also to provide enhanced training for all aircrew in the following skills: mission planning and tactical navigation, mission system management, civil flight management, electronic warfare, air-to-air operations and air-to-ground operations including radar training, simulated weapons employment and night vision goggles operation.

The PC-21 is enhanced by the ability to adapt the aircraft avionics to the requirements of each phase of training. The front and rear cockpits can be decoupled for independent operation or to allow instructor access to training modes and data not available to the trainee.

MAXIMISE TRAINING EFFICIENCY ON THE GROUND

The objective of a modern pilot training system is to produce a pilot capable of meeting the demands of flying today's sophisticated aircraft. With increasing cost of equipment, resources and time, this goal needs to be achieved as economically as possible.

Preparation on the ground saves perspiration and failure in the air. By the time students fly, they should be familiar with aircraft systems and avionics functionality. The PC-21 Ground-Based Training System translates student learning into an airborne context.

PC-21 The Next Generation Trainer, Pilatus Aircraft Ltd Accessed 16th October 2022. <u>https://www.Pilatus-aircraft.com/en/fly/pc-21</u>

THE COCKPIT - GENERAL

PILOT & INSTRUCTOR



IRIS PC-21 Front Seat General Arrangement



IRIS PC-21 Rear Seat General Arrangement

GENERAL

The pressurised tandem cockpit has an automated cockpit conditioning system, an anti-g system, and an on-board oxygen generation system (OBOGS). The Martin Baker Mark 16L zero-zero ejection seat has command ejection. The pilots have good all-round views.

DISPLAYS

Each cockpit is fitted with three 152mm×203mm (6in×8in) active-matrix liquid crystal displays (AMLCD).

The central liquid crystal display is the primary flight display (PFD), with a multifunction display (MFD) either side of the PFD.

The bezel-mounted display buttons and up-front control panel (UFCP) buttons are used to select the navigation, mission, systems, and tactical data displayed on the two outer multi-function displays.

Two 761mm Meggitt secondary back-up displays alongside the UFCP show the primary flight display, systems, and essential engine data. All the PC-21 cockpit displays, and lighting systems are night vision NVIS class B compatible.

HEAD UP DISPLAY

The forward cockpit is fitted with a Flight Visions SparrowHawk head-up display (HUD) with a FVD-4000 HUD symbol generator and the rear cockpit is equipped with a full colour HUD repeater display showing the view from the HUD camera, overlaid with HUD symbology information.

The front and rear cockpits can be fully decoupled, allowing the instructor access to training modes and sensor data unavailable to the trainee pilot.

MISSION SYSTEMS

The aircraft's CMC Electronics FV-4000 mission computer is fitted with 500MHz Power PC G4 processors, each with 512MB memory for real-time, high refresh rate data processing. The open system avionics architecture allows for adaptation and system upgrade.

The navigation suite includes an integrated laser inertial navigation sensor, a global positioning system and Kalman filter. The systems have ARINC and military-standard 1553B data bus interfaces.

Pilatus PC-21 Turboprop Trainer Aircraft, Airforce Technology. Accessed 16th October 2022, <u>https://www.airforce-technology.com/projects/pc_21/</u>

THE COCKPIT – IN DETAIL

GENERAL

The following sections will detail the pilot's seat in the front of the aircraft cockpit. Due to the similarities between the front and rear seats, the rear seat will not be covered unless specific details are required, in which case they will be outlined at the end of this section.

The sections below will be outlined in order of typical cockpit workflow for aircraft of this type.

LEFT CONSOLE



The following are details of the numbered items shown in the image above.

- 1. Mission Data Recorder (MDR)
- 2. Internal Lighting Panel
- 3. Oxygen Panel
- 4. Power Control Lever (PCL) & Flaps Lever
- 5. Engine Control Panel
- 6. Fuel Panel
- 7. Trim Indicator Panel

INSTRUMENT PANEL



The following are details of the numbered items shown in the image above.

- 1. Landing Gear Panel
- 2. Emergency Landing Gear
- 3. Arm Panel
- 4. Secondary Flight Display (SFD)
- 5. Attention Getters
- 6. Up-Front Control Panel (UFCP)
- 7. Head Up Display (HUD)
- 8. Engine Management Display (EMD)
- 9. TAWS Panel
- 10. Compass
- 11. Clock
- 12. Front and Rear Oxygen Flow Indicators
- 13. Park Brake
- 14. Dedicated Warning Panel (DWP)
- 15. Multi-Function Display (MFD)
- 16. Primary Flight Display (PFD)
- 17. Autopilot Mode Control Panel (MCP)
- 18. Control Column (Click to Hide/View)

RIGHT CONSOLE



The following are details of the numbered items shown in the image above.

- 1. Electrical Panel
- 2. De-Ice Panel
- 3. External Lighting Panel
- 4. Flight Management System (FMS)
- 5. Communications Panel
- 6. Environmental Control Systems (ECS) Panel
- 7. External Smoke Generators (ESG) Panel
- 8. Emergency Location Transmitter (ELT) (not shown)

LEFT CONSOLE – IN DETAIL

MISSION DATA RECORDER (MDR)

The MDR is used as a storage device for uploading data, including digital maps from the Mission Planning System (MPS) to the aircraft and as a mission recording device during flight for replay on the Mission Debriefing System (MDS). The MDR uses a removable memory module (RMM) for data transfer.

INTERNAL LIGHTING PANEL



The internal lighting panel consists of three rotary knobs, (from left to right).

- Cockpit Flood Lights
- Panel Backlighting
- Display Brightness

Cockpit Flood Lights

The FLOOD knob controls the intensity of the cockpit flood lights located on the cockpit sidewalls in the front and rear. For the purposes of the product, internal lighting is duplicated in front and rear, so operating the lighting in the front cockpit will operate both front and rear at the same time.

Panel Backlighting

The PANELS knob controls the intensity of the panel backlighting. This covers both front and rear side consoles, instrument panel and UFCP backlighting.

Display Brightness

The DISPLAYS knob controls the intensity of front and rear digital displays. These include.

- Left & Right Multi-Function Displays (MFD)
- Primary Flight Display (PFD)
- Engine Management Display (EMD)
- Secondary Flight Display (SFD)
- Flight Management System (FMS)

Note: that the brightness of the UFCP and HUD displays are controlled by their own separate rotary knobs and are detailed later in this document.

OXYGEN PANEL



The Oxygen panel consists of two dual position switches & a pushbutton, (from left to right).

- Oxygen Mixture Switch
- Oxygen Test Pushbutton
- Oxygen Power Switch

Oxygen Mixture Switch

The oxygen mixture switch toggles between maximum oxygen mix and automatic oxygen mixture control. When in the MAX position, a green M-OXY indication is shown on the Dedicated Warning Panel (DWP)

Oxygen Test Pushbutton

Pressing the oxygen test pushbutton will provide positive pressure to the oxygen mask. This is commonly performed during initial checks to determine if the mask has a suitable seal. This is not simulated in this product.

Oxygen Power Switch

The oxygen power switch turns on the Onboard Oxygen Generation System (OBOGS) to provide oxygen to the aircrew. When this switch is in the ON position, a flashing oxygen blinker indication will appear on the oxygen flow indicators on the bottom right of the instrument panel.

POWER CONTROL LEVER (PCL) & FLAPS



The Power Control Lever (PCL) area features the following items.

- 1. Power Control Lever (PCL)
- 2. Fuel Cut-off Lever
- 3. Flap Position Lever

Power Control Lever (PCL)

The PCL provides the aircrew with the ability to adjust the power of the aircraft engine affecting thrust.

Fuel Cut-Off Lever

The fuel cut-off lever when pulled, will move the PCL from the IDLE position to the OFF position, stop fuel flow to the engine and shut the engine down.

On engine start, clicking the PCL will move the PCL from the OFF position to the IDLE position and introduce fuel to the engine.

Flap Position Lever

The flap position lever is used to move the aircraft wing trailing edge flaps through the UP, TAKE-OFF (T/O) and LAND (LDG) positions.

ENGINE PANEL



The Engine Panel features the following items.

- 1. Fire Test Switch
- 2. Lamps Test Switch
- 3. Power Management System (PMS) Pushbutton
- 4. Anti-Skid System Switch
- 5. Auto Start Cover & Pushbutton
- 6. Starter Switch
- 7. Ignition Switch

Fire Test Switch

The Fire Test switch is a three-position switch which allows the pilot to evaluate the fire warning circuits.

Pushing the switch to the left, tests circuit 1 and is indicated by a red **FIRE 1** indication on the Right MFD.

Pushing the switch to the right, tests circuit 2 and is indicated by a **FIRE 2** indication on the Right MFD.

Lamps Test Switch

The LAMPS TEST pushbutton will illuminate various lamps around the cockpit allowing the pilot to ensure there are no inoperative lights or indicators of importance.

Power Management System (PMS) Pushbutton

The Power Management System (PMS) pushbutton is a guarded pushbutton which toggles the PMS on and off. The PMS is on by default, with a red OFF indication when turned off by the pilot. While some indications are shown, the functionality of the PMS is not simulated in this product.

Anti-Skid System Switch

The Anti-Skid System Switch is a two-position toggle switch which turns on or off anti-skid braking. When not available, an amber **ANTISKID** indication is shown on the right MFD, and an amber **SKID** indication is shown on the DWP.

Note: Anti-Skid Braking is not available if hydraulic pressure is below 1500 psi.

Auto Start Cover & Pushbutton

The Auto Start Pushbutton provides a one press function for starting the PC-21 engine. The button is a guarded pushbutton and requires lifting the cover prior to pressing the pushbutton.

Providing suitable conditions are met, the auto start pushbutton will begin to spool the engine, and at above 10% NG, the PCL is moved from OFF to the IDLE position for engine start.

Starter Switch

The Starter switch is a three-position switch. In the OFF position, the starter is disengaged. In the AUTO position, the starter is controlled by the Auto Start system & in the ON position, the starter engages separate to the Auto Start system.

This is left in the AUTO position for normal use.

Ignition Switch

The Ignition switch is a three-position switch. In the OFF position, the ignitors are disengaged. In the AUTO position, the ignitors are controlled by the Auto Start system & in the ON position, the ignitors engage separate to the Auto Start system.

This is left in the AUTO position for normal use.

FUEL PANEL



The Fuel Panel features the following items.

- 1. Internal Fuel Pump Switches
- 2. Emergency Jettison Pushbutton
- 3. Trim/Aileron Power Switch
- 4. Trim Aid Device (TAD) Pushbutton
- 5. External Fuel Pump Switches

Internal Fuel Pump Switches

The Internal Fuel Pump switches are three-position switches. In the OFF position, the Fuel Pump is unpowered. In the AUTO position, the fuel pumps are controlled by the PCL position, and in the ON position, the fuel pumps are turned ON regardless of other settings.

This is left in the AUTO position for normal use.

The Emergency Jettison Pushbutton

The Emergency Jettison Pushbutton provides a one press function for jettisoning wing stores. The button is a guarded pushbutton and requires lifting the cover prior to pressing the pushbutton. This is not simulated in this product.

Trim/Aileron Power Switch

The Trim/Aileron Power switch controls if the powered trim and aileron function is on or off. This is not simulated in this product.

Trim Aid Device (TAD) Pushbutton

The Trim Aid Device Pushbutton toggles the Trim Aid Device function on and off.

When turned OFF, it is indicated by a Cyan OFF indication on the pushbutton.

This function is not toggleable within the aircraft; however, the TAD can be simulated through the simulation use of the AUTORUDDER flight assistance setting.

(Options->Assistance Options->Piloting->AUTO-RUDDER).

External Fuel Pump Switches

The External Fuel Pump switches are three-position switches. In the OFF position, the Fuel Pump is unpowered. In the AUTO position, the fuel pumps are controlled by the PCL position, and in the ON position, the fuel pumps are turned ON regardless of other settings.

This is left in the AUTO position for normal use.

TRIM INDICATOR PANEL

The Trim Indicator Panel displays (from left to right) Aileron, Rudder & Elevator trim indications.

INSTRUMENT PANEL – IN DETAIL

GEAR LEVER



The Gear Panel features the following items.

- 1. Gear Lever
- 2. Down Tone Pushbutton
- 3. Emergency Landing Gear Handle
- 4. Landing Gear Indicator Lights

Gear Lever

The landing gear lever is used to raise or lower the aircraft landing gear. A flashing red indication on the landing gear handle is illuminated if the flaps are placed into the LDG position with the gear up, or if the LAMPS TEST pushbutton is pressed.

Down Tone (DN TONE) Pushbutton

The Down Tone pushbutton when pressed will indicate a constant beep noise over the COMM 1 frequency to alert ATC that the gear is down, locked and verified by the pilot. In this simulation, the tone is played but not transmitted.

Emergency Landing Gear Handle

The emergency landing gear handle will lower the landing gear in the event of hydraulic pressure loss.

Landing Gear Indicator Lights

The landing gear indicator lights will illuminate a red UNLCK indication when raising or lowering, a green down arrow when down and locked and will extinguish completely when raised.

ARM PANEL



The ARM Panel features the following items.

- 1. ARM Switch
- 2. Formation Light Rotary Knob
- 3. NAV DIM Rotary Knob

ARM Switch

The ARM switch is a three-position switch controlling the synthetic weapons system on the PC-21. This toggles between ARM, OFF and SIM. This is not simulated in this product.

Formation Light Rotary Knob

The Formation Light rotary knob controls the intensity of the green formation light strips on the fuselage, horizontal stabilizer, and underwing area.

NAV DIM Rotary Knob

The NAV DIM rotary knob controls the intensity of the Navigation lights on the wingtips. These change between 5%, 20% and 100% brightness depending on the setting from the pilot.

SECONDARY FLIGHT DISPLAY (SFD)



The Secondary Flight Display (SFD) features the following items.

- 1. ALN/NAV Pushbuttons
- 2. SFD Screen
- 3. Barometric Pressure rotary knob

ALN/NAV Pushbuttons

The SFD Align (ALN) function is not supported in this product. Pressing the NAV pushbutton cycles between NAV1/2 functionality on the SFD. If NAV1/2 is an ILS localiser, the display indicates ILS1/2.

SFD Screen

See The Secondary Flight Display – In Detail section below for more information on the SFD functionality.

Barometric Pressure Rotary Knob

The Barometric Pressure Rotary Knob adjusts the calibration of the SFD barometric pressure. The readout can be toggled between inches of mercury (inHG) and hectopascals (MB) via the Right MFD Instructor (INST) page.
SECONDARY FLIGHT DISPLAY (SFD) – IN DETAIL



The Secondary Flight Display (SFD) screen features the following items.

- 1. NAV Readout
- 2. Indicated Airspeed
- 3. Pitch Ladder
- 4. Compass
- 5. Attitude Reference Symbol
- 6. Indicated Altitude
- 7. Roll Pointer
- 8. Barometric Pressure Readout

NAV1/2 Readout

The NAV Readout displays the following (from left to right).

- Active NAV (VOR1/2 or ILS1/2) cycled via the NAV pushbutton.
- Active NAV bearing to the tuned navaid.
- Distance in nautical miles to the tuned navaid.

Pressing the NAV pushbutton cycles between VOR1/VOR2 functionality on the SFD. If VOR1/VOR2 is an ILS localiser, the display indicates ILS1 or ILS2.

Indicated Airspeed

The Indicated Airspeed Readout will display rotating values of the current aircraft indicated airspeed in knots.

Pitch Ladder

The Pitch Ladder provides a 360-degree visualisation of the aircraft's pitch with blue indicating the sky and brown indicating the ground. Overlayed is a pitch 'ladder' with horizontal markings every 5 degrees and numbered markings every 10 degrees.

Compass

The compass at the top of the SFD shows the aircraft current magnetic heading in degrees.

Attitude Reference Symbol

The attitude reference symbol on the SFD indicates the aircraft orientation relative to the horizon, being represented by the pitch ladder.

Indicated Altitude

The indicated altitude readout displays the current altitude above mean sea level (MSL) in feet, as calibrated by the barometric pressure rotary knob.

Roll Pointer

The Roll Pointer aligns with the roll scale to show the angle of bank of the aircraft. Marks on the roll scale indicate bank angles of 10,20,30,45 and 60 degrees in either direction.

Barometric Pressure Readout

The barometric pressure readout displays the local barometric pressure in inches of mercury (InHG) or hectopascals (MB). The pilot can select either inHG or MB via the Right MFD Instructor page.

UP-FRONT CONTROL PANEL (UFCP)



The Up-Front Control Panel (UFCP) features the following items.

- 1. Numeric Keypad Pushbuttons
- 2. Master Mode Pushbuttons
- 3. UFCP Brightness Rotary Knob
- 4. COMM1 Volume Rotary Knob
- 5. Intercom Volume Rotary Knob
- 6. COMM2 Volume Rotary Knob

Not numbered

- Data Display
- Scratchpad
- LSK 1-3 Left Pushbuttons
- LKS 1-3 Right Pushbuttons

Numeric Keypad Pushbuttons

Used for numerical entry of data.

The ENT will enter and confirm any aircrew entered data into the system, whilst CLR will clear any data currently on the SCRATCHPAD prior to the aircrew pressing ENT.

If the data on the scratchpad is invalid value or entry, 'ERR' will display on the SCRATCHPAD for a short interval and the system will reset ready for data entry by the aircrew.

Master Mode Pushbuttons

The master mode pushbuttons allow you to select one of the following master-modes.

- COMM Page
- ILS Page
- TACAN (TCN) Page
- TRANSPONDER (TPDR) Page
- FUEL Page
- MISSION (MSN) Page

The MODE, MRK, NAV, A/A & A/G functions are inoperative on the UFCP in this product.

UFCP Brightness Rotary Knob

Moving the Brightness Knob with the mouse, adjusts the intensity of the UFCP LCD displays. It does not adjust the UFCP panel backlighting, as that is adjusted using the PANEL brightness knob.

COMM 1 Volume Rotary Knob

A variable position knob which controls the volume of the COMM 1 IDENT radio.

Intercom Volume Rotary Knob

This function is not supported in this product.

COMM 2 Volume Rotary Knob

A variable position knob which controls the volume of the COMM 2 IDENT radio.

Data Display & Scratchpad Readout

The DATA DISPLAY shows all necessary information to the aircrew as dictated by the UFCP mode selected. The SCRATCHPAD displays any aircrew entered data prior to acceptance by the UFCP system.

Right & Left Line Select Keys

The Right and Left Line Select Keys allow you to interact with the distinct options on the Option Screens when in different Master Mode Pages

Right & Left Option Screens

The Right and Left Options screens provide information relating to the master mode being displayed.

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Head Up Display (HUD) Brightness Rotary Knob

The HUD Brightness knob is located to the rear left side of the UFCP. This can be accessed via a hidden hotspot between the UFCP Brightness Knob and COMM1 volume knob on the left of the UFCP.

Please see UP-FRONT CONTROL PANEL (UFCP) – IN DETAIL for more information on the operation and master modes of the UFCP.

ENGINE MANAGEMENT DISPLAY (EMD)



The Engine Management Display (EMD) features the following items.

- 1. Fuel Flow Indicator
- 2. Fuel Quantity Scale
- 3. Fuel Quantity Readout
- 4. Engine Torque Display
- 5. Oil Pressure Scale
- 6. Battery Bus Readout
- 7. Engine Interstage Turbine Temperature (ITT) Readout
- 8. Flaps & Airbrake indications (not shown)

Fuel Flow Indicator

The Fuel Flow indicator displays fuel consumption in pounds per hour.

Fuel Quantity Scale & Readout

The Fuel Quantity scale shows fuel quantity on a sliding scale, with arrows to the left and right indicating the left and right tank quantity, respectively. A digital readout at the top shows the current fuel quantity in pounds.

Engine Torque Display

The Engine Torque Display shows the current engine torque being produced in a percentage value. It is shown via a rotating needle, and corresponding digital readout.

Oil Pressure Scale

The Oil Pressure Scale shows the current oil pressure in a sliding scale. This mirrors the oil pressure in the Right MFD system page.

Battery Bus Readout

The Battery Bus readout displays voltage and amperage for the Battery Bus.

Engine ITT Readout

The Engine ITT Readout displays the engine interstage turbine temperature in degrees Celsius.

Flaps and Airbrake Indications

Located on the bottom right of the EMD is a flap position indicator, which mirrors that shown on the PFD. Additionally, at the bottom centre of the EMD is an AIRBRAKE caption which displays when the ventral airbrake is deployed.

TAWS PANEL

TAWS functionality is not simulated in this product.

MULTI-FUNCTION DISPLAYS (MFD)



The Left and Right Multi-Function Displays (MFD) are located to the left and right of the Primary Flight Display (PFD) and feature a single screen with pushbuttons on the surrounding bezel to interact with the features of the display.

For more information on the MFD, please refer to MULTI-FUNCTION DISPLAY (MFD) – IN DETAIL later in this document.

PRIMARY FLIGHT DISPLAY (PFD)



The Primary Flight Display (PFD) is located at the centre of the instrument panel directly below the UFCP. It features a single screen with pushbuttons on the surrounding bezel to interact with the features of the display.

Located on the Right bezel of the PFD is a multi-function knob supporting adjustments of the following.

- Autopilot altitude hold value
- Barometric pressure
- Low altitude warning height
- Autopilot vertical speed adjustment

On the bottom bezel of the PFD is the course select adjustment knob (CRS) and heading bug adjustment knob (HDG).

For more information on the PFD, please refer to PRIMARY FLIGHT DISPLAY (PFD) – IN DETAIL later in this document.

AUTOPILOT MODE CONTROL PANEL (MCP)



The Autopilot Mode Control Panel (MCP) features the following items.

- 1. Autopilot Master Pushbutton
- 2. Heading Hold Pushbutton
- 3. NAV Hold Pushbutton
- 4. Approach Hold Pushbutton
- 5. Flight Director Pushbutton
- 6. Altitude Hold Pushbutton
- 7. Indicated Airspeed Hold Pushbutton
- 8. Vertical Speed Hold Pushbutton

Autopilot Master Pushbutton

Pressing the Autopilot Master pushbutton, toggles the Autopilot ON and OFF. When first pressed, the autopilot enters attitude hold mode, displaying **ROLL** and **PITCH** indications on the top of the PFD either side of a green **AP** indication.

When the AP pushbutton is pressed to turn off the autopilot, flight director symbology will remain, with the AP caption replaced by a green FD caption. Pressing the flight director pushbutton will remove all flight director indications.

Heading Hold Pushbutton

Pressing the HDG pushbutton will align the heading bug on the HSI to the aircraft heading and engage heading hold mode. This is indicated by any lateral autopilot caption changing to a green HDG indication.

NAV Hold Pushbutton

Pressing the NAV pushbutton will engage navaid hold mode. This is indicated by any lateral autopilot caption changing to a green NAV indication.

The autopilot NAV hold will steer the aircraft towards intercepting the CDI needle if the PFD NAV source is VOR1/2, ILS1/2 or TCN. If the PFD NAV source is MC or FMS, the simulation FMS or Mission Computer flight plan is automatically followed.

Approach Hold Pushbutton

Pressing the APR pushbutton will allow the aircraft to capture and fly an ILS approach providing the PFD NAV source is an ILS navaid. This is indicated by any lateral autopilot caption changing to a green APR indication.

Flight Director Pushbutton

Pressing the FD pushbutton will toggle the flight director symbology on and off regardless of autopilot state.

Altitude Hold Pushbutton

Pressing the ALT pushbutton will capture and hold the current altitude of the aircraft. This is indicated by any lateral autopilot caption changing to a green **ALT** indication.

Indicated Airspeed Hold Pushbutton

Pressing the IAS pushbutton above 200 feet AGL will engage the aircraft speed hold function and is indicated by a white arrow on the PFD airspeed indicator showing the commanded airspeed to hold.

Vertical Speed Hold Pushbutton

Pressing the VS pushbutton will engage the aircraft vertical speed hold function. This is indicated by any vertical autopilot caption changing to a green VS indication.

Once the VS mode is selected, pressing the VS pushbutton on the PFD, and using the PFD multifunction knob will allow you to adjust the desired rate of climb/descent.

If an altitude is selected on the PFD using the PFD multifunction knob prior to engaging VS hold mode, the aircraft will automatically capture the required altitude and change from VS hold to ALT hold when the desired altitude is reached.

DEDICATED WARNING PANEL (DWP)

Located to the bottom right of the instrument panel below the park brake is the Dedicated Warning Panel (DWP).

The DWP will display warnings, cautions and advisories in red, amber, and green as required for the pilot's attention. Any warnings or cautions that appear will coincide with the triggering of the flashing attention getters and aural warning.

Commonly any warnings or cautions on the DWP will also be accompanied by text on the bottom of the right MFD to support troubleshooting any issues.

Caption	Description
FIRE	Engine on fire, or Fire Test switch in 1 or 2 position.
PMS	Power Management System turned off.
OIL	Oil Pressure below or above limits.
OXY	Oxygen Switch in front or rear cockpit in the OFF position.
FPR	Not simulated.
HYDS	Hydraulic pressure below 1500 psi.
GENS	GEN 1 and 2 off.
OVPR	Engine TQ above 100% with PMS OFF.
FUEL	Fuel below UFCP Bingo setting.
HYD	Hydraulic pressure below 2000 psi.
GEN1	Generator 1 not providing power.
GEN2	Generator 2 not providing power.
CHIP	Not simulated.
SKID	Anti-skid system turned off, or hydraulic pressure below 1500 psi.
ICE	OAT below 5 degrees Celsius and PROBE switch not ON.
CNPY	Canopy unlocked.
START	Engine starters engaged.
IGN	Engine ignition engaged.
F-PMP	Fuel pumps engaged.
M-0XY	Oxygen mixture set to 100%.
I-BYP	Intake De-Ice set to BYPASS.
PROP	Prop De-Ice ON.
PROBE	Probe Heat ON.

RIGHT CONSOLE – IN DETAIL

ELECTRICAL PANEL



The Electrical Panel features the following items.

- 1. Battery 1 and 2 Bus Switches
- 2. Generator 1 and 2 Bus Switches
- 3. Bus Tie Contactor (BTC) Switch
- 4. Electrical Reset Pushbutton
- 5. FMS Power Pushbutton
- 6. Mission Computer (MC) / HUD Power Switch

Battery 1 and 2 Bus Switches

The Battery 1 and 2 Bus switches control the power from the Battery 1 and 2 Bus to the aircraft's systems.

Generator 1 and 2 Bus Switches

The Generator 1 and 2 Bus switches control the power from the aircraft powerplant to recharge the aircraft's battery buses.

Electrical Reset Pushbutton

The electrical reset function is not simulated in this product.

FMS Power Pushbutton

The FMS power pushbutton turns the Flight Management System on and off as required. When OFF, the FMS pushbutton is illuminated with a cyan **OFF** indication.

Mission Computer (MC) / HUD Power Switch

The Mission Computer / HUD Power switch is a three-position switch which controls the Mission Computer (UFCP/PFD and Left MFD displays and power) and Head Up Display.

The positions are OFF, MC (Mission Computer Only) and MC/HUD (Mission Computer and HUD).

DE-ICE PANEL



The De-Ice Panel features the following items.

- 1. Intake Bypass Pushbutton
- 2. Prop De-Ice Pushbutton
- 3. Probe Heat Switch

Intake Bypass Pushbutton

The Intake Bypass pushbutton will indicate a cyan **BYPASS** indication on the pushbutton and green **I-BYP** on the DWP.

Prop De-Ice Pushbutton

The Prop De-Ice Pushbutton heats the leading edge of the five bladed propeller. It will indicate a cyan **PROP** on the Pushbutton and green **PROP** indication on the DWP when active.

Probe Heat Switch

The Probe Heat Switch turns the pitot probe heat on and off. When ON, the DWP will indicate a green **PROBE** indication.

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EXTERNAL LIGHTING PANEL



The External Lighting Panel features the following items.

- 1. Landing Light Switch
- 2. Recognition Light Switch
- 3. White Anti-Collision Light Switch
- 4. Red Anti-Collision Light Switch
- 5. Navigation Light Switch

Landing Light Switch

The Landing Light switch will toggle the nose gear mounted landing lights on and off. The lights on the landing gear nose are extinguished when the gear is retracted regardless of the switch position.

Recognition Light Switch

The Recognition Light switch will toggle the recognition lights mounted to the outer leading edges of the wing. These are recommended to be ON during daytime operations and OFF at night due to the light reflection on the propeller blades affecting pilot visibility.

White Anti-Collision Light Switch

The White Anti-Collision Light switch will toggle the white anti-collision lights mounted on the aircraft wingtips on or off.

Red Anti-Collision Light Switch

The Red Anti-Collision Light switch will toggle the red anti-collision lights mounted on the aircraft wingtips on or off.

Navigation Light Switch

The Navigation Light switch will toggle the green and red navigation lights mounted on the aircraft wingtips on or off.

FLIGHT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (FMS)

The FMS in the PC-21 is based on the default 747 functionality. Please refer to any Microsoft documentation supporting that device for further information.

COMMUNICATIONS PANEL



The Communications Panel features the following items.

- 1. Push to Talk Switch
- 2. Event Pushbutton
- 3. Audio Management Unit (AMU) Control Knob

Push to Talk Switch

The Push to Talk switch will select COM1 or COM2 as transmitting radio based on switch position. With the PTT switch in the central position, radio priority is based on hardware settings.

Event Pushbutton

The EVENT pushbutton is not simulated in this product.

Audio Management Unit (AMU) Control Knob

The AMU Control Knob is not simulated in this product.

ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL SYSTEM (ECS) PANEL



The Environmental Control System (ECS) Panel features the following items.

- 1. ECS Temperature Rotary Knob
- 2. Vapour Cycle Cooling (VCS) Power Pushbutton
- 3. Cabin Pressure Mode Rotary Knob
- 4. ECS Fan Speed Rotary Knob

ECS Temperature Rotary Knob

The ECS Temperature Rotary Knob allows the pilot to adjust the temperature of the VCS cooling system providing air conditioning in the cockpit.

Vapour Cycle Cooling (VCS) Power Pushbutton

The Vapour Cycle Cooling (VCS) pushbutton turns the VCS air conditioning on and off. When off, this is indicated by an amber **OFF** indication.

Cabin Pressure Mode Rotary Knob

The Cabin Pressure Mode function is not simulated in this product.

ECS Fan Speed Rotary Knob

The ECS Fan Speed function is not simulated in this product.

EXTERNAL SMOKE GENERATORS (ESG) PANEL



The External Smoke Generator (ESG) Panel features the following items.

1. Smoke Arm Switch

Smoke Arm Switch

The Smoke Arm switch is used in conjunction with ESGs to allow the aircraft to produce smoke from the ESG units. Please refer to the Developer notes for information on the conditions required to generate smoke.

AIRCRAFT CANOPY - IN DETAIL

CANOPY FRACTURE SYSTEM (CFS) PIN



The Canopy Fracture System (CFS) Pin is stowed in the right canopy sidewall when safe and moved into the cockpit glareshield when armed.

Within the simulation, the CFS pin must be removed from the canopy and stowed in the glareshield before the canopy can be closed.

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CANOPY LATCH & LOCKING SYSTEM



The Canopy Latch and Locking system features the following items.

- 1. Canopy Latch Handle
- 2. Canopy Locking Lever

Canopy Latch Handle

The Canopy Latch handle can be pulled to open or close the canopy when the CFS pin is removed and stowed.

Canopy Locking Lever

The Canopy Locking Lever is pushed forward to lock and pulled rearwards to unlock the canopy prior to operating the Canopy Latch handle. If the canopy locking lever is unlocked, a red CANOPY indication is shown on the Right MFD and amber CNPY indication is shown on the DWP.

REAR COCKPIT

NOTABLE DIFFERENCES

In the rear cockpit, notable differences are as follows.

- Addition of a HUD repeater instead of the front seat HUD
- No FIRE TEST switch
- No External Fuel Tank Pump Switches
- No Emergency Landing Gear Handle
- No TAD Pushbutton
- No ARM Panel
- No MC/HUD Switch, BTC Switch or FMS Power Pushbuttons
- No De-Ice Panel
- No External Lighting Panel
- Reduced ECS panel
- No ESG Panel

UP-FRONT CONTROL PANEL (UFCP) – IN DETAIL

INS ALIGN PAGE



On initial power up, after moving the MC/HUD switch into the MC or MC/HUD position, the Inertial Navigation System (INS) will begin to align. In this product, this process takes 60 seconds and the UFCP will display as above.

The Scratchpad will indicate $\overline{TTA} < 1MIN$ indicating the Time to Align (TTA) is less than 1 minute.

After alignment, the UFCP moves to the COMM Page automatically.

COMM PAGE



The COMM page on the UFCP is used to view and change radio communication frequencies and pre-set channels (STUDS).

The UFCP COMM page features the following displays.

DATA DISPLAY	COM1 STUD, Trigram or Active Frequency, COM2 STUD, Trigram or Active Frequency and scratchpad.
LSK1 LEFT	COM1 Indicator
LSK2 LEFT	COM1 STUD Selector
LSK3 LEFT	COM1 Frequency Selector or CANCEL if Scratchpad is active.
LSK1 RIGHT	COM2 Indicator
LSK2 RIGHT	COM2 STUD Selector
LSK3 RIGHT	COM2 Frequency Selector or CANCEL if Scratchpad is active.

Changing the COM Frequency

To alter the COM1 frequency, follow the procedure below.

1. Press LSK3 LEFT once. Confirm that FREQ now indicates CANCEL, and that you have a flashing asterisk in your UFCP SCRATCHPAD.

2. Using the numeric keypad, push in the desired radio frequency (six digits) without the decimal point and press the ENT key. (e.g., 124.850 would be entered in by the value 124850)

Changing the COM STUD

To alter the COM1 STUD, follow the procedure below.

1. Press LSK2 LEFT once. Confirm that LSK2 now indicates CANCEL, and that you have a flashing asterisk in your UFCP SCRATCHPAD.

2. Using the numeric keypad, enter in the desired pre-set channel (01-99) and press the ENT key.

Note: Operation of COM.2 functions are the same as above but for LSK pushbuttons on the right of the UFCP.

ILS PAGE

N		123.	450	Ν2	123.4	50			
		N2		ENT	СОММ			TPDR	
	W4		6E	CLR	MODE	FUEL	MSN	MRK	
		S8			BACK	NAV			
- BRT			NAV:		NAV				
-			XXX)		XXX	X			
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The ILS page on the UFCP is used to view and change navigation aid frequencies.

The UFCP ILS page features the following displays.

DATA DISPLAY	NAV1 Active Frequency, NAV2 Active Frequency and scratchpad.
LSK1 LEFT	NAV1 Indicator
LSK2 LEFT	NAV1 IDENT
LSK3 LEFT	NAV1 Frequency Selector or CANCEL if Scratchpad is active.
LSK1 RIGHT	NAV2 Indicator
LSK2 RIGHT	NAV2 IDENT
LSK3 RIGHT	NAV2 Frequency Selector or CANCEL if Scratchpad is active.

Changing the NAV Frequency

To alter the NAV1 frequency, follow the procedure below.

1. Press LSK3 LEFT once. Confirm that FREQ now indicates CANCEL, and that you have a flashing asterisk in your UFCP SCRATCHPAD.

2. Using the numeric keypad, push in the desired radio frequency (six digits) without the decimal point and press the ENT key. (e.g., 109.500 would be entered in by the value 109500)

Note: Operation of COM.2 functions are the same as above but for LSK pushbuttons on the right of the UFCP.

TCN PAGE

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	W4		6E	CLR	MODE	FUEL	MSN	MRK
		S8			BACK	NAV		
- BRT			070		СНО	N S		
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a			REC					

The TACAN page on the UFCP is used to view and change Tactical Air Navigation Aid (TACAN) frequencies.

The UFCP TCN page features the following displays.

DATA DISPLAY	TACAN MODE, TACAN channel and band, heading to tuned TACAN and distance in nautical miles to the tuned TACAN.
LSK1 LEFT	Air-to-Air TACAN function (not simulated)
LSK2 LEFT	Transmit-Receive TACAN function
LSK3 LEFT	Receive only TACAN function (not simulated)
LSK1 RIGHT	TACAN Channel Data Entry function
LSK2 RIGHT	TACAN Band Swap function
LSK3 RIGHT	Not used

Changing the TACAN Mode

To alter the TACAN Mode, follow the procedure below.

1. Press LSK1 LEFT once to change TACAN mode to Air-to-Air Mode and confirm with A/A showing on the DATA DISPLAY.

2. Press LSK2 LEFT once to change TACAN mode to Transmit & Receive Mode and confirm with T/R showing on the DATA DISPLAY.

3. Press LSK3 LEFT once to change TACAN mode to Receive Only Mode and confirm with REC showing on the DATA DISPLAY.

Changing the TACAN Channel

To alter the TACAN Channel, follow the procedure below.

1. Press LSK1 RIGHT once. Confirm that the DATA DISPLAY now shows flashing asterisk next to TCN

2. Using the numeric keypad, push in the desired TACAN channel up to three (3) digits and press the ENT key.

Changing the TACAN Band

To alter the TACAN Band, follow the procedure below.

1. Press LSK2 RIGHT once to swap between X and Y bands.

TPDR PAGE

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		N2		ENT	СОММ			TPDR	
	W4		6E	CLR	MODE	FUEL	MSN	MRK	
		S8			BACK	NAV			
BRT			HODE					_	
			MODE		MODE				
a			MODE		CODE				

The TRANSPONDER page on the UFCP is used to view and change the IFF frequency of the aircraft.

The UFCP TPDR page features the following displays.

DATA DISPLAY	IFF MODE and IFF code.
LSK1 LEFT	IFF Code Data Entry key
LSK2 LEFT	Not used
LSK3 LEFT	Not used
LSK1 RIGHT	IFF Mode C. Provides 4-digit octal code for aircraft's pressure altitude.
LSK2 RIGHT	IFF Mode S. Provides a Standby mode for use on the ground.
LSK3 RIGHT	IDENT. Press to transmit an IDENT signal to ATC.

Changing the IFF Mode

To alter the IFF Mode, follow the procedure below.

1. Press LSK1 RIGHT once to change IFF mode to Mode C and confirm with MODE C showing on the DATA DISPLAY.

2. Press LSK2 RIGHT once to change IFF mode to Mode S and confirm with MODE S showing on the DATA DISPLAY.

3. Press LSK3 RIGHT once to change to send an IDENT code and confirm with a visible asterisk on the UFCP scratchpad.

Changing the IFF Code

To alter the IFF Code, follow the procedure below.

1. Press LSK1 LEFT once. Confirm that the DATA DISPLAY now shows

'ENTER IFF CODE'

2. Using the numeric keypad, push in the desired IFF code up to four (4) digits and press the ENT key.

FUEL PAGE

I	NT	064	7 L	BS	EXT	03	87 L	BS		
		N2		ENT		СОММ			TPDR	
	W4		6E	CLR		MODE	FUEL	MSN	MRK	
		S8				BACK	NAV			
- BRT			DETO	TE		1034	LBS			
			ЈОКЕ			0450				
a			BING			0250				

The FUEL page on the UFCP is used to view fuel status and adjust BINGO and JOKER fuel values.

The UFCP FUEL page features the following displays.

DATA DISPLAY	Internal Fuel and External Fuel quantity in pounds.
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LSK1 LEFT	Not used
LSK2 LEFT	Not used
LSK3 LEFT	Not used
LSK1 RIGHT	DETOTE (Total) Fuel in pounds.
LSK2 RIGHT	Aircrew specified JOKER Fuel value in pounds.
LSK3 RIGHT	Aircrew specified BINGO Fuel value in pounds.

Changing the Joker Fuel Value

To alter the JOKER fuel value in pounds, follow the procedure below.

1. Press LSK3 RIGHT once. Confirm that the DATA DISPLAY now shows

ENTER JOKER FUEL - LBS

2. Using the numeric keypad, push in the desired value you wish the JOKER fuel reference to be and press the ENT key.

The above sequence can also be used via the appropriate LSK to modify the BINGO fuel value.

MSN PAGE

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	W4		6E	CLR	MODE	FUEL	MSN	MRK	
		S8			BACK	NAV			
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The Mission (MSN) page on the UFCP is used to view Mission Data imported from MSFS flight plans or through FMS functions.

The UFCP MSN page features the following displays.

DATA DISPLAY	Next Mission Steer-point, steer-point IDENT, steer-point heading and distance in nautical miles.
LSK1 LEFT	Calibrated Airspeed in knots.
LSK2 LEFT	True Airspeed in knots.
LSK3 LEFT	Ground Speed in knots.
LSK1 RIGHT	Estimated Time Enroute to next mission steer-point.
LSK2 RIGHT	Time of Arrival at next mission steer-point.
LSK3 RIGHT	Mission steer-point index and total steer-points in mission plan.

LEFT MULTI-FUNCTION DISPLAY (MFD) - IN DETAIL

NAVIGATION PAGE OVERVIEW



The Left MFD focuses on navigation information. It consists of a moving map display (programmed through the RMM) and overlays in relation to navigation.

The Left MFD displays a red cross until the INS is successfully aligned.

Around the bezel of the MFD are a total of twenty-eight pushbuttons. Starting from the top left, we'll work clockwise around the device and explain the functions in the following table.

Pushbutton	Item Name	Function
Number		
PB1	ALL	Not simulated
PB2	MAP1/2	Display/Hide RMM Map (MAP1) or MSFS Moving Map
		(MAP2)
PB3	MCTL	Not simulated
PB4	OVRLY	Display/Hide Additional Map Overlay
PB5	OCTL	Not simulated
PB6	STR	Display current waypoint icon
PB7	AUT	Not simulated
PB8	Up Arrow	Increase Map range
PB9	Dn Arrow	Decrease Map range
PB10	RTE	Not simulated
PB11	MSN	Not simulated
PB12	OPS	Not simulated
PB13	INST	Instructor page, only available on Right MFD
PB14	NAV	Navigation page, only available on Left MFD
PB15	WARN	DWP Warning indication repeater
PB16	SYS	System Page, only available on Right MFD
PB17	CTR	Centre or North Up map orientation
PB18	CHART	Not simulated
PB19	DLINK	Not simulated
PB20	LIST	Not simulated
PB21	INFO	Not simulated
PB22	Dn Arrow	Move upwards through available waypoints
PB23	Up Arrow	Move backwards through available waypoints



NAVIGATION PAGE – WAYPOINT DATA

Within the centre of the display, is a compass rose which orients to the aircraft heading, (in CTR mode) or North Up heading (in NUP mode).

When a mission is loaded into the FMS or MC by an MSFS flight plan, additional features are shown as above. They are as follows.

- 1. Upper Left Waypoint Window
- 2. Upper Right Waypoint Window
- 3. Active Waypoint Bearing Indicator.
- 4. Ground Track Indicator
- 5. Fuel & Endurance Window.

Upper Left Waypoint Window

The upper left waypoint window contains the following readout

- a. Active waypoint number, bearing and distance in nautical miles.
- b. ETA at the waypoint number in Zulu time.
- c. Estimated Fuel Remaining at arrival at the active waypoint.

Upper Right Waypoint Window

The upper right waypoint window contains the following readout

- a. Active waypoint ICAO IDENT, bearing and distance in nautical miles.
- b. Time to Go (TTG) to the active waypoint.
- c. Estimated Time Enroute to the flight plan destination.

Fuel & Endurance Window

The fuel & endurance window contains the following readout

- a. Total Fuel in Pounds on the aircraft.
- b. Joker fuel value.
- c. Bingo fuel value.
- d. Endurance in hours and minutes based on current speed and altitude.

RIGHT MULTI-FUNCTION DISPLAY (MFD) – IN DETAIL

SYSTEM PAGE



The System (SYS) Page is the commonly used page on the Right MFD. It consists of the following information

- 1. Caution/Warning Display
- 2. Outside Air Temperature (Celsius)
- 3. Engine Gas Generator (NG) Value
- 4. Engine Interstage Turbine Temperature (ITT) Value
- 5. Engine Torque (TQ) Percentage
- 6. Fuel Information window (from top to bottom).
 - a. Fuel Flow (lbs/hr)
 - b. Detote Fuel (lbs)
 - c. Internal Fuel (lbs)
- 7. Park Brake indicator
- 8. Cabin Pressure Altitude (ft)
HYDRAULIC PAGE



The Hydraulic (HYD) Page shows the current condition of the aircraft's hydraulic systems. It consists of the following information.

- 1. Landing Gear Status
- 2. Flap Position
- 3. Emergency Hydraulic Pressure
- 4. Main Hydraulic Pressure
- 5. Anti-Skid System Status
- 6. Airbrake System Status

ELECTRICAL PAGE

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The Electrical System status page shows the current condition of the aircraft's electrical and generator buses.

FUEL PAGE



The Fuel page contains information relating to the aircraft's fuel systems. It consists of the following information

- 1. Internal Fuel Quantity Readout
- 2. Left Internal Tank Quantity
- 3. Estimated Flight Time Remaining
- 4. Fuel Flow in lbs/hour
- 5. Right Internal Tank Quantity
- 6. External Tank Quantity Readout

ECS PAGE

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As of writing, the ECS page is inoperative due to lack of available information.

ENGINE PAGE



The Engine page is like the SYS Page; however, the right side of the screen shows Oil Pressure and Temperature values.

For information on the remainder of the above, refer to the SYS page.

INSTRUCTOR PAGE 1/2



The instructor (INST) page is used for other supporting features of the aircraft.

In this instance, for page 1, they are as follows.

Pushbutton	Item Name	Function
Number		
PB6	AI: START	Set aircraft configuration to after start.
PB7	AI: TAXI	Set aircraft configuration to taxi state.
PB8	AI: TAKE-OFF	Set aircraft configuration to take-off state.
PB9	AI: SHUTDOWN	Set aircraft configuration to shut down state.
PB10	AVIONICS	Front/Rear as required for the active cockpit.
PB11	ALT	Barometer inHG/MB as required.
PB12	HUD	FA-18/PC-21 as required.
PB17	LIGHTS: NIGHT	Set internal lighting to night configuration
PB18	LIGHTS	Set internal lighting to dawn/dusk configuration
	DAWN/DUSK	
PB19	LIGHTS: DAY	Set internal lighting to day configuration
PB20	M/P	Team/Solo depending on multiplayer conditions.
PB21	ESG	See Developer Notes on ESG for more details.
PB22	GPU	Disconnected/Connected GPU as required.
PB23	NEXT	Next Page

INSTRUCTOR PAGE 2/2



The instructor (INST) page is used for other supporting features of the aircraft.

In this instance, for page 2, they are as follows.

Pushbutton	Item Name	Function
Number		
PB6	CHOCKS	Set Chocks ON, OFF or AUTO
PB7	PLUGS/FLAGS	Set Plus & Flags ON, OFF or AUTO
PB8	PILOT	Set Pilot ON, OFF or AUTO
PB9	INSTRUCTOR	Set Instructor ON, OFF or AUTO
PB10	EXHAUST HT	Set Exhaust Heat ON, OFF or AUTO
PB11	N/A	For future use.
PB12	Version No	Version Control Number
PB17	N/A	For future use.
PB18	N/A	For future use.
PB19	N/A	For future use.
PB20	N/A	For future use.
PB21	OXY/PINS	Set OXY/SEAT Warning NORM or INIBIT
PB22	VC AIRCREW	Set VC Aircrew (Pilot/Instructor) AUTO or OFF.
PB23	PREV	Previous Page

PRIMARY FLIGHT DISPLAY (PFD) – IN DETAIL

OVERVIEW



The PFD focuses on primary flight information.

Around the bezel of the MFD are a total of twenty-one pushbuttons. Starting from the top left, we will work clockwise around the device and explain the functions in the following table.

Pushbutton	Item Name	Function
Number		
PB1	LOOK	Not simulated
PB2	SG	Not simulated
PB3		Not used
PB4		Not used
PB5	TEST	Not simulated
PB6	ALT	Adjust Autopilot Altitude Select Value
PB7	BARO	Adjust PFD Barometric Pressure value
PB8	HT	Adjust Low Altitude Warning
PB9	VS	Adjust Autopilot Vertical Speed Hold
KNOB	M/F	Multifunction knob used in conjunction with PB6-9.
PB10	INC RNG	Not simulated
PB11	DEC RNG	Not simulated
PB12	ARC	Not simulated
PB13	BP2	Toggle Bearing Pointer 2 NAV source
KNOB	HDG	Adjust Heading Bug
KNOB	CRS	Adjust CDI Course Pointer (VOR1/VOR2/TCN only)
PB14	BP1	Toggle Bearing Pointer 1 NAV source
PB15	HSI	Toggle CDI/MAP modes
PB16	NAV	Cycle PFD NAV Source (VOR1/VOR2/TCN/MC/FMS/OFF)
PB17	TCAD	Not simulated
PB18	T/M	Not simulated
PB19	G-RST	Reset G-Meter
PB20	SPD	Cycle HUD & PFD Speed Readout (GS/TAS/OFF)
PB21		Not used

HEAD UP DISPLAY (HUD) - IN DETAIL

NAVIGATION MODE – PC-21 SYMBOLOGY



The Head Up Display (HUD) shows important flight information out the front of the cockpit using a projection on glass. A repeater in the rear seat shows the same information.

The HUD symbology above is described below.

- 1. Angle of Bank Pointer
- 2. Ground/True Airspeed Readout
- 3. Indicated Airspeed in Knots
- 4. Mach number
- 5. AoA Window
 - a. Angle of Attack in degrees
 - b. Current G
 - c. Maximum G sustained since last reset.
- 6. Compass Heading
- 7. Pitch Ladder
- 8. Aircraft Barometric Altitude
- 9. Aircraft Radar Altitude
- 10. Angle of Bank Scale
- 11. Climb/Dive Marker (CDM)
- 12. Power Chevrons
- 13. Flight Path Marker (FPM)

SECTION 2

NORMAL PROCEDURES

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SECTION 2

CHAPTER 1

PREPARATION FOR FLIGHT

BEFORE STARTING

Check the aircraft livery is correct and validity and confirm aircraft weight and balance is correct. The image below should assist you in that setup.

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^ FUEL			0	57.00 %	Center of gravity	24.97% MAC
LEFT MAIN	0	100		96.50 gal	CG forward limit	15.00% MAC
RIGHT MAIN	0	100		96.50 gal		35.00% MAC
EXTERNAL 1 O	_			0 gal		
EXTERNAL 2 O	_	0		0 gal		
^ PAYLOAD		-	-0	21.92 %		
PILOT				170 lb		
CO-PILOT				170 lb		
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Empty Weight / -			4,526 LB			
Fuel / Max Allowable Fuel			1,293 LB	/ 2,251 LB		
Payload / Max Payload			340 LB	/ 1,551 LB		
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RESET						

Note the Centre of Gravity is ideally set to 25% MAC. This will NOT be the default position, so ensure to adjust as required.

After completing the external checks, enter the cockpit and set the pedals to a comfortable position.

Check the Parking Brake and press the toe brakes until positive pressure is felt.

One moderate application of pressure is normally sufficient but further pressure can be applied to the wheel brakes at any time by pressing down harder at the toe brakes. Complete the cockpit checks in accordance with the appropriate checklist. If you find additional information is needed, refer to the in-sim checklist to aid you in your cockpit familiarisation.

Ensure you remove and stow the CFS pin prior to closing the canopy.

STARTING THE ENGINE

Check that the propeller area is clear and follow the checklist to start the engine.

As the NG rises, push the PCL into the IDLE position. Engine combustion should occur around 13% NG.

Monitor the ITT, NG and TQ values as the aircraft's engine spools up and stabilises

AFTER START

Conduct the After Start Checks as per the appropriate checklist.

To check the correct operation of the flaps, select the flaps from UP to T/O and then to LDG whilst visually checking the flap movement on both wings and the flap indication.

Check the spoiler indications are correct and in line with your checklist actions.

TAXIING

The PC-21 will taxi forward at idle power, using wheel brake as required to maintain a safe taxi speed.

Check the nose wheel steering and brakes for correct operation as soon as practicable. Confirm the correct functioning of the flight instruments as the opportunity arises on taxiing.

Full deflection of the rudder pedals will deflect the nose wheel sufficiently for most turns; for a tighter turn also apply brake on the inside wheel but avoid locking the wheel as this may cause tyre damage.

When taxiing crosswind in high winds there may be a tendency for the into-wind wing to lift; full aileron deflection may be needed to counter this tendency.

BEFORE TAKE-OFF

Ensure you follow the Before Take-off checks and verbalise any actions with your instructor. Ensure to arm both ejection seats unless the rear seat is vacant in which case it will remain in the safe position.

SECTION 2

CHAPTER 2

HANDLING IN FLIGHT

TAKE-OFF

After conducting the Line-Up Checks, align the aircraft with the take-off path, release the brakes and smoothly open the throttle fully.

With no crosswind the aircraft should maintain a steady straight line. The nose wheel steering and the rudder are effective for directional control. At 90 kts raise the nose wheel to fly cleanly off at 10 nose up.

Once safely airborne, raise the landing gear and at above 120 knots, raise the flaps. Adjust backpressure to maintain the 10 nose up until 180 knots.

INITIAL CLIMB

If remaining in the circuit, maintain 160 knots at 1,000 feet above ground level. If departing the circuit, allow the aircraft to accelerate to 180 knots, and increase aircraft pitch to align the CDM with the Power chevrons to maintain your 180-knot climb.

Perform your work cycles as required during the climb and any periodic checks as required.

GENERAL FLYING

The aircraft is stable although accurate trimming is not always easy. Ensure to keep a good lookout and follow your work cycles as required to maintain situational awareness.

DESCENDING

The standard descent technique is a 240-knot descent from cruise altitude maintaining 25% TQ.

Additionally, airbrake out descents can be conducted at IDLE with a significantly increased descent rate.

Gliding. The recommended gliding speed is 75 kts. In still air with the throttle closed, the clean aircraft travels approximately 1.25 nm per 1000 ft height loss with the RPM control set to HIGH and 1.5 nm per 1000 ft with LOW RPM set.

STALLING

The aircraft exhibits benign stall characteristics. Natural stall warning is experienced through mild airframe buffet and light vibration. The quality of the warning varies with aircraft configuration, decreasing in amplitude and margin with progressive extension of the flaps.

Artificial warning is given by a warning horn that activates at above 12 degrees AoA

Recovery from the stall in all cases is straightforward. Releasing the backpressure on the control column produces an immediate recovery.

SPINNING

Entry

With the aircraft trimmed for 120kts (the trim will be at the take-off position), decelerate with the throttle at idle, do not trim but maintain straight and level.

At 95kts move the control column fully back keeping the ailerons neutral; simultaneously apply full rudder in the direction of the required spin. The aircraft will initially pitch up and roll and then, after about 360° of roll, the nose of the aircraft will drop into a full spin.

The normal spin is maintained by holding the control column fully back with the ailerons central and full rudder deflection in the direction of spin. The spin will stabilise between 90kts and 100kts with each turn taking up to 3 seconds.

Recovery

There is only one recommended recovery technique from developed spins and deviation from this technique could prevent recovery. If the aircraft enters a fully developed spin the following recovery action must be taken:

- a. Check height sufficient for recovery
- b. Check throttle closed.
- c. Check the direction of the turn needle.
- d. Apply and hold full rudder to oppose the turn needle.
- e. Pause (approximately one second).

f. Control column forward to the central position (smoothly keeping the ailerons neutral).

g. When the spin stops, centralise the rudder.

h. Recover from the ensuing dive.

The aircraft usually recovers from a normal spin within 1 - 2 seconds, completing about one additional turn as it does so.

Incipient Spins

Only the first 360° of roll may be considered as an incipient spin. To recover at the incipient stage, recovery action must be taken within this parameter and initiated as soon as possible after recognition of departure. Centralising all flying controls promptly produces a successful recovery.

SECTION 2

CHAPTER 3

CIRCUIT AND LANDING PROCEDURES

APPROACH PROCEDURES

Instrument approach settings are given below.

	Flap Position	IAS
Initial Descent	UP	180
Glidepath	Т/О	160
Final	LDG	120

INITIAL & PITCH REJOIN

Initial Point

Fly towards the initial point at 240 knots and 1,000 feet AGL (5nm downwind from the runway threshold on the runway dead side). At the initial point, turn to track on runway heading while maintaining the 240 knots & 1,000 feet.

Pitching into the circuit

At mid-point down the runway after ensuring the runway is clear of departing traffic, roll into the circuit direction to a 60 AoB turn while simultaneously extending airbrake and bringing the PCL to IDLE.

Maintain the turn to your downwind heading and approaching 160 knots, retract the airbrake and maintain power for 160 knots.

When established on the downwind leg, perform your downwind work cycle, and configure the aircraft as per your Before Landing Checks.

CIRCUIT PROCEDURES

Normal speed downwind in the circuit is 160 kts. Conduct the Before Landing Checks and fly the finals turn at 120 knots with LDG flap, rolling out on the centreline at 400 ft. and just less than 1 mile from the runway threshold.

At 400 feet fly the final approach at 120 knots, on short finals start reducing the IAS with a small power reduction in time to achieve threshold speed of 110 knots as the runway threshold is crossed.

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LANDING

The flare is commenced at a suitable height with backward movement of the control column and closure of the throttle. The nose is pitched up at a rate to control the now reducing rate of descent and the airspeed decays below the threshold speed (the stall audio may sound).

At touchdown, beyond the runway threshold, the aircraft is in a nose high attitude that ensures that the main wheels touch first and the rate of descent is reduced to almost nothing.

Gently lower the nose wheel several seconds after the main wheels settle on the runway. Accurate trimming does much to ensure a good touchdown.

GOING AROUND

When the decision is made to go around, smoothly apply full power and raise the nose to select the take-off attitude. If the aircraft was trimmed for a low airspeed on the approach the control column pitch force may be significant.

The aircraft accelerates and climbs safely with FULL flap; raise the flaps within the speed and height limitations and complete the After Take-off Checks.

BRAKING TECHNIQUES

As soon as the main wheels are on the ground lower the nose wheel to the runway. Apply the wheel brakes gently at first to avoid locking a wheel; it is difficult to detect if a wheel is locked from the cockpit.

Increase braking pressure as the groundspeed decreases. For optimum braking performance, as the nose pitches down with the first braking application, pull back progressively on the control column whilst keeping the nose low with increased braking.

AFTER LANDING

Complete the After Landing Checks after vacating the runway.

SHUTDOWN

When parked at the apron, close the throttle, apply the parking brake, and complete the Shutdown Checklist procedure.

+5.0 g (stores) -2.5 g (stores)

SECTION 3

OPERATING LIMITATIONS

DIMENSIONS & WEIGHTS

DIMENSIONS

Wingspan Horizontal tail span Fuselage length Fuselage width Propeller diameter Wing area	9.11 m 4.00 m 11.22 m 1.00 m 2.39 m 15.22 m2
WEIGHTS	
Maximum ramp weight Maximum take-off weight Maximum landing weight Maximum zero fuel weight Maximum weight of stores	3,120 kg 3,100 kg 3,100 kg 2,750 kg 1,150 kg
ALTITUDES	
Maximum operating altitude	25,000 ft
SPEEDS	
Maximum operating speed (Vmo) Maximum operating Mach number (Mmo) Stalling speed at MTOW in landing configuration	370 KEAS 0.72 Mach 81 KCAS
OPERATING TEMPERATURES	
Minimum Minimum (for engine start) Maximum	-55 Celsius -40 Celsius +55 Celsius
LOAD FACTORS	
With landing gear up and locked, or down and loc Maximum positive Maximum negative	ked: +8.0 g (aero) / -4.0 g (aero) /

With flaps extended in take-off or land position:	
Maximum positive	+4.0 g (aero) / +4.0 g (stores)
Maximum negative	0 g (aero) / 0 g (stores)

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PERFORMANCE

TAKE-OFF AND LANDING

Take-off ground roll, sea level	1,608 ft
Take-off distance to clear 50 ft obstacle, sea level	2,380 ft
Landing ground roll, sea level	1,969 ft
Landing distance to clear 50 ft obstacle, sea level	2,953 ft

CLIMB

Sea level	4,250 ft/min
10,000 ft	3,325 ft/min
20,000 ft	2,125 ft/min
Time to climb:	
10,000 ft	2 min 35 s
20,000 ft	6 min 20 s

CRUISE

Maximum horizontal speed, based on maximum power av	ailable.
Sea level	321 KTAS
10,000 ft	335 KTAS
20,000 ft	331 KTAS

SUSTAINED LOAD FACTOR

The maximum sustained load factor is as follows:	
Sea level	3.4 g
10,000 ft	2.7 g
20,000 ft	1.9 g

ROLL RATE

The maximum steady roll rate in aerobatic configuration is 200 degrees per second at 10,000 ft and all speeds above 250 KIAS.

VERSION CONTROL

V1.0.2

Avionics/Systems	Updated Right MFD to include controls for toggling VC aircrew ON or OFF.
Avionics/Systems	When transitioning from Pitch to VS hold for climb profile, AP now captures current Vertical Speed value.
Avionics/Systems	Refined Electrical systems to fix issue where GENS were not functioning correctly with the engine off.
Avionics/Systems	Pitch hold now works up to 25 degrees nose up, 5 nose down on initial autopilot engagement.
Avionics/Systems	On power up, COMM radios receive on both COM1 and COM2.
Avionics/Systems	OXY/PINS INHIBIT feature added to Page 2 of Instructor page on the Right MFD. Toggle to inhibit to ignore OXY and SEAT warnings for both front and rear seats.
Installer	Installer removed to deal with potential decompression issues causing missing or corrupt files impacting user experience.

V1.1.0

Avionics/Systems	Heading Hold (HDG) no longer captures current aircraft heading.
Avionics/Systems	Airspeed Hold (IAS) now functions more accurately and consistently.
Avionics/Systems	NAV Hold (NAV) now consistently captures both NAV1 and NAV2 sources.
Avionics/Systems	ILS Hold (APR) now consistently captures both NAV1 and NAV2 sources.
Avionics/Systems	TACAN functionality now compatible with MSFS TACAN stations.
Avionics/Systems	Fixed BP1 and BP2 data blocks on PFD not showing correctly.
Avionics/Systems	UFCP Transponder Page rewritten and code for Mode C/S & IDENT now functions with MSFS ATC and vPilot.
Avionics/Systems	Pressing CDI knob now slaves to NAV1/2/TACAN radial direction, not to aircraft heading.

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Avionics/Systems	UFCP NAV1/2 frequencies no longer zero out on initial load.
Avionics/Systems	UFCP COM1/2 entry now supports values down to 50Hz.
Avionics/Systems	STUD frequencies now correctly synchronise with COM radios on adjustment.
Avionics/Systems	COM now defaults to receive on both 1 and 2 by default.
Avionics/Systems	Power system recoded. GPU now powers onboard systems correctly when applied.
Avionics/Systems	Stall Warning added to EICAS area on right MFD.
Avionics/Systems	FMS Power now only available with FMS and MC power in conjunction with MSFS Avionics Master.
Avionics/Systems	PC-21 HUD now default HUD option on initialization.
Avionics/Systems	PTT switch now enforces COM1 or COM2 transmit priority based on position.
Avionics/Systems	UFCP now displays correct frequencies if COM1 or 2 does not match a studded frequency.
Avionics/Systems	Rear HUD repeater now defaults to ON with system start.
Visual Models	VCS Cover now visible and operative in front seat.
Visual Models	Cockpit now features audible buffet and shake with airbrake extended.
Flight Model	Updates to performance model for more accurate power curve.
Flight Model	Updated engine.cfg to fix inaccurate ITT, Engine Oil Pressure & Temperature values.
Effects	Visible engine heat removed from the aircraft. Instructor page updated to remove option.
Artwork	FAB Logo on FAB paint scheme corrected to face the correct orientation.
Artwork	Addition of Dark Nyte Furys paint scheme to the list of selectable liveries.
Tips	Updated loading tips with additional RAAF Virtual information.

V1.3.0

Avionics/Systems	MSFS Moving Map display integrated into Left MFD.
Avionics/Systems	HUD reprogrammed in HTML format for improved system performance and true collimation.

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Avionics/Systems Automatic Nose Wheel Steering functionality incorporated.
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