NFTP : New File Transfer Protocol Client Version 1.00

NFTP manual (main part)

KEYBOARD COMMANDS SUMMARY

All interaction with NFTP is keyboard-based; there’s no mouse support (and I am not going to implement it -- at least now). This approach is somewhat tough for novice user, but after some learning it gives the best results in terms of usability and interaction speed. Here is the list of keystrokes ("hot keys"); it’s divided into several sections each pertaining to specific mode of operation or action classification.

GENERAL KEYBOARD COMMANDS	
Note that these commands are available almost always	
Key	**Meaning**
Shift+F1	program information and general keyboard commands
F1	brings context sensitive help
F10	logoff from site and quit NFTP
Ctrl-K	logoff from site
Ctrl-B	open bookmark list and log to site from it
Ctrl-L	login as anonymous into new site
Ctrl-N	login with userid/password into new site
Ctrl-V	display version information
Ctrl-A	toggle state of autocontrol flag
Ctrl-T	toggle ASCII/BINARY mode
Ctrl-D	redraw screen (do not re-read remote dir)
Alt-N	send NO OPERATION command (verify connection aliveness)
Ctrl-W	sets remote directory view to *raw*
Ctrl-P	sets remote directory view to *parsed*
Alt-F	use/inhibit NLST with flags (default is on). Some servers do not like `NLST -lLa`. Try if you see strange messages from server when retrieving directory listing. NOT RECOMMENDED.

CONTROL CONNECTION WINDOW	
Key	**Meaning**
arrow keys	move viewpoint
Esc	bring you back to the end of history (same as End)
Space	switches to directory view
Alt-Q	send any string to server verbatim (quote)
Alt-C	change to arbitrary directory

FILE LISTING VIEW (REMOTE OR LOCAL)	
Key	**Meaning**
Navigating	
arrow keys	move cursor around. Horizontal scrolling is also possible
Ctrl-Left/Ctrl-Right	horizontal scrolling by 10 symbols
Ctrl-\	change to root directory
Ctrl-PgUp	goto the directory level higher ("cd ..")
Ctrl-PgDn	chdir to directory under cursor
Enter	same as above
Alt-C	change to arbitrary directory
Space	switch to control connection
F2	select drive letter -- *local view only*
Sorting file listing	
Ctrl-F3	sort directory by name, dirs first
Ctrl-F4	sort directory by extension, dirs first
Ctrl-F5	sort directory by time, then name, dirs first
Ctrl-F6	sort directory by size, then name, dirs first

Ctrl-F7	remove sorting, return to original state
Ctrl-F8	reverse current sort order
Marking/unmarking	
Ctrl-num+	mark all files in current directory
Ctrl-num-	unmark all files in current directory
Insert	mark/unmark file under cursor. Directory cannot be marked
*	invert selection
Alt-num+	mark all files in all visited directories
Alt-num-	unmark all files in all visited directories
Transferring files	
F5	download file under cursor or marked files (if any) -- *remote view only*
Shift+F5	upload file under cursor or marked files (if any) -- *local view only*
Alt-F5	download all marked files from all directories -- *remote view only*
Alt-S	save listing of current directory into file -- *remote view only*
Viewing files	
F3	view file under cursor, use fast internal viewer
Alt-F3	view file under cursor, use external viewer
Creating/deleting/renaming files/directories	
F6	rename file/directory
F7	make directory (you have to have permissions on remote)
F8	delete file or directory under cursor
Ctrl-R	re-read directory (refresh file list)

Miscellaneous	
F4	save this place as a bookmark
alphanumeric keys	quick search for files starting with these symbols

ENTRY FIELDS	
Key	**Meaning**
Esc/Enter	abandon/confirm
Left, Right, Home, End	move cursor around
Tab, Shift-Tab	move to next/previous field (if any)
Del, Backspace	delete characters
Pressing any keys different from Left, Right, Home, End will clear the initial string.	

BOOKMARK LIST	
Key	**Meaning**
up/down/pgup/pgdn	move cursor
Enter	select bookmark or folder
Esc	leave bookmark list or folder
Del	delete bookmark or folder
Ctrl-E	edit bookmark/folder title
right/left	enter/leave folder
Ctrl-up/Ctrl-down	move bookmark entry
Ctrl-left	move bookmark entry into another folder

BUILT-IN FILE VIEWER	
Key	**Meaning**
arrow keys	scroll (note that you can scroll horizontally also)
Ctrl-Left/Right	scroll by 10 symbols horizontally
F7	search for text string
Shift-F7	repeat search for text string
F2/Alt-S	save contents to file
Esc	exit viewer

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