

# VPAT™

## Voluntary Product Accessibility Template®

Version 1.3

The purpose of the **Voluntary Product Accessibility Template**, or **VPAT™**, is to assist Federal contracting officials and other buyers in making preliminary assessments regarding the availability of commercial “Electronic and Information Technology” products and services with features that support accessibility. It is assumed and recommended that offerers will provide additional contact information to facilitate more detailed inquiries.

The first table of the Template provides a summary view of the Section 508 Standards. The subsequent tables provide more detailed views of each subsection. There are three columns in each table. Column one of the Summary Table describes the subsections of subparts B and C of the Standards. The second column describes the supporting features of the product or refers you to the corresponding detailed table, e.g., “equivalent facilitation.” The third column contains any additional remarks and explanations regarding the product. In the subsequent tables, the first column contains the lettered paragraphs of the subsections. The second column describes the supporting features of the product with regard to that paragraph. The third column contains any additional remarks and explanations regarding the product.

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### *Summary Table*

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<i>Criteria</i>	<b>Supporting Features</b>	<b>Remarks and explanations</b>
Section 1194.21 <a href="#">Software</a>	Does not support	Please see line

<a href="#">Applications and Operating Systems</a>		item detail below
Section 1194.22 <a href="#">Web-based Internet Information and Applications</a>	Supports with exceptions	Please see line item detail below
Section 1194.23 <a href="#">Telecommunications Products</a>	N/A	
Section 1194.24 <a href="#">Video and Multi-media Products</a>	N/A	
Section 1194.25 <a href="#">Self-Contained, Closed Products</a>	N/A	
Section 1194.26 <a href="#">Desktop and Portable Computers</a>	N/A	
Section 1194.31 <a href="#">Functional Performance Criteria</a>	Supports	Please see line item detail below
Section 1194.41 <a href="#">Information, Documentation and Support</a>	Supports	Please see line item detail below

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## **Section 1194.21 Software Applications and Operating Systems – Detail**

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<i>Criteria</i>	<b>Supporting Features</b>	<b>Remarks and explanations</b>
(a) When software is designed to run on a system that has a keyboard, product functions shall be executable from a keyboard where the function itself or the result of performing a function can be discerned textually.	Does not support	There is currently not support for browsing the site by tabbing through the links. Certain jquery elements

		do have keyboard support.
<p>(b) Applications shall not disrupt or disable activated features of other products that are identified as accessibility features, where those features are developed and documented according to industry standards. Applications also shall not disrupt or disable activated features of any operating system that are identified as accessibility features where the application programming interface for those accessibility features has been documented by the manufacturer of the operating system and is available to the product developer.</p>	Supports	
<p>(c) A well-defined on-screen indication of the current focus shall be provided that moves among interactive interface elements as the input focus changes. The focus shall be programmatically exposed so that Assistive Technology can track focus and focus changes.</p>	Does not support	<p>Our style sheet does not provide an indicator class for tab indexes on elements. Our plan is to move from our current style sheet to use an updated base allowing for faster, slimmer, more accessible pages. This level of development will begin after we have shored up the areas of our application that are receiving the highest use from customers</p>

		right now.
(d) Sufficient information about a user interface element including the identity, operation and state of the element shall be available to Assistive Technology. When an image represents a program element, the information conveyed by the image must also be available in text.	Supports	All form elements are identified by text and class names that assist in identifying the item and its state. We currently support this through classes. There are additional things we can do here for AT, such as adding data attributes and consistently using alt tags to describe the purpose and use of interactive UI elements such as buttons and links. We already began unifying the image code to make it easier to develop against and improve the AT experience.
(e) When bitmap images are used to identify controls, status indicators, or other programmatic elements, the meaning assigned to those images shall be consistent throughout an application's performance.	Supports	
(f) Textual information shall be provided through operating system	Supports	

functions for displaying text. The minimum information that shall be made available is text content, text input caret location, and text attributes.		
(g) Applications shall not override user selected contrast and color selections and other individual display attributes.	Supports	
(h) When animation is displayed, the information shall be displayable in at least one non-animated presentation mode at the option of the user.	Supports	
(i) Color coding shall not be used as the only means of conveying information, indicating an action, prompting a response, or distinguishing a visual element.	Supports	
(j) When a product permits a user to adjust color and contrast settings, a variety of color selections capable of producing a range of contrast levels shall be provided.	Not Applicable.	
(k) Software shall not use flashing or blinking text, objects, or other elements having a flash or blink frequency greater than 2 Hz and lower than 55 Hz.	Not Applicable.	
(l) When electronic forms are used, the form shall allow people using Assistive Technology to access the information, field elements, and functionality required for completion and submission of the form, including all directions and cues.	Supports.	

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## ***Section 1194.22 Web-based Internet***

## ***information and applications – Detail***

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<b><i>Criteria</i></b>	<b>Supporting Features</b>	<b>Remarks and explanations</b>
(a) A text equivalent for every non-text element shall be provided (e.g., via "alt", "longdesc", or in element content).	Supports with exceptions.	S3 images uploaded by clients are not generated with alt or longdesc tags
(b) Equivalent alternatives for any multimedia presentation shall be synchronized with the presentation.	Not Applicable.	
(c) Web pages shall be designed so that all information conveyed with color is also available without color, for example from context or markup.	Supports.	
(d) Documents shall be organized so they are readable without requiring an associated style sheet.	Supports with Exceptions.	The website is mostly functional without stylesheets. Images (buttons) are defined by the stylesheet.
(e) Redundant text links shall be provided for each active region of a server-side image map.	Not Applicable.	
(f) Client-side image maps shall be provided instead of server-side image maps except where the regions cannot be defined with an available geometric shape.	Not Applicable.	
(g) Row and column headers shall be identified for data tables.	Supports.	

<p>(h) Markup shall be used to associate data cells and header cells for data tables that have two or more logical levels of row or column headers.</p>	<p>Not Applicable.</p>	
<p>(i) Frames shall be titled with text that facilitates frame identification and navigation</p>	<p>Not Applicable.</p>	
<p>(j) Pages shall be designed to avoid causing the screen to flicker with a frequency greater than 2 Hz and lower than 55 Hz.</p>	<p>Not Applicable.</p>	
<p>(k) A text-only page, with equivalent information or functionality, shall be provided to make a web site comply with the provisions of this part, when compliance cannot be accomplished in any other way. The content of the text-only page shall be updated whenever the primary page changes.</p>	<p>Not Applicable.</p>	
<p>(l) When pages utilize scripting languages to display content, or to create interface elements, the information provided by the script shall be identified with functional text that can be read by Assistive Technology.</p>	<p>Supports with exceptions.</p>	<p>Scripting via php and ajax are believed AT inter operable.</p>
<p>(m) When a web page requires that an applet, plug-in or other application be present on the client system to interpret page content, the page must provide a link to a plug-in or applet that complies with §1194.21(a) through (l).</p>	<p>Not Applicable.</p>	
<p>(n) When electronic forms are designed to be completed on-line, the form shall allow people using Assistive Technology to access the information, field elements, and functionality required for completion and submission of the form, including all directions and cues.</p>	<p>Supports.</p>	<p>Forms have proper html structure and cues. Program allows customers to input additional help for certain forms.</p>

(o) A method shall be provided that permits users to skip repetitive navigation links.	Supports with exceptions.	List view and searches available to locate desired items quickly. Paging through results currently requires repetitive button clicks.
(p) When a timed response is required, the user shall be alerted and given sufficient time to indicate more time is required.	Not Applicable.	

Note to 1194.22: The Board interprets paragraphs (a) through (k) of this section as consistent with the following priority 1 Checkpoints of the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 1.0 (WCAG 1.0) (May 5 1999) published by the Web Accessibility Initiative of the World Wide Web Consortium: Paragraph (a) - 1.1, (b) - 1.4, (c) - 2.1, (d) - 6.1, (e) - 1.2, (f) - 9.1, (g) - 5.1, (h) - 5.2, (i) - 12.1, (j) - 7.1, (k) - 11.4.

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## ***Section 1194.31 Functional Performance***

### ***Criteria – Detail***

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<b><i>Criteria</i></b>	<b><i>Supporting Features</i></b>	<b><i>Remarks and explanations</i></b>
(a) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require user vision shall be provided, or support for Assistive Technology used by people who are blind or visually impaired	Does not support.	We believe we can label interactive elements to a level 2 compatibility to provide audible prompts from AT that could enable the user to navigate the site. This level of development will



<p>shall be provided.</p>		<p>begin after we have shored up the areas of our application that are receiving the highest use from customers right now.</p>
<p>(b) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require visual acuity greater than 20/70 shall be provided in audio and enlarged print output working together or independently, or support for Assistive Technology used by people who are visually impaired shall be provided.</p>	<p>Supports.</p>	<p>Supports with use of Assistive Technology, including browser magnification and font size controls.</p>
<p>(c) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require user hearing shall be provided, or support for Assistive Technology used by people who are deaf or hard of hearing shall be provided</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>	<p>System use does not require audio interaction for use.</p>
<p>(d) Where audio information is important for the use of a product, at least one mode of operation and information retrieval shall be provided in an enhanced auditory fashion, or support for assistive hearing devices shall be provided.</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>	<p>System use does not require audio interaction for use.</p>
<p>(e) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require user speech shall be provided, or support for Assistive Technology</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>	<p>System does not require use of speech.</p>

used by people with disabilities shall be provided.		
(f) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require fine motor control or simultaneous actions and that is operable with limited reach and strength shall be provided.	Supports.	

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## ***Section 1194.41 Information, Documentation and Support – Detail***

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<b><i>Criteria</i></b>	<b>Supporting Features</b>	<b>Remarks and explanations</b>
(a) Product support documentation provided to end-users shall be made available in alternate formats upon request, at no additional charge	Supports.	
(b) End-users shall have access to a description of the accessibility and compatibility features of products in alternate formats or alternate methods upon request, at no additional charge.	Does not support.	There is no current documentation on accessibility available in Curriculog University.
(c) Support services for	Supports.	

products shall accommodate the communication needs of end-users with disabilities.		
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