



Softerra Adaxes

Enterprise Directory Solution

508 STATEMENT

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Softerra Adaxes recognized and supports the “Electronic and Information Accessibility Standards” defined by Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act as and to the extent stated in the accompanying Voluntary Product Accessibility Template (VPAT).

Voluntary Product Accessibility Template

The purpose of the Voluntary Product Accessibility Template (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. More details can be provided upon request.

Summary Table

Section	Support Status	Remarks and Explanations
Section 1194.21: Software Applications and Operating Systems	Partially supported	See below for details
Section 1194.22: Web-Based Internet Information and Applications	Partially supported	See below for details
Section 1194.23: Telecommunications Products	Not applicable	Softerra Adaxes does not fall under the Telecommunications Product category
Section 1194.24: Video and Multimedia Products	Not applicable	Softerra Adaxes does not fall under the Video and Multimedia Product category
Section 1194.25: Self-Contained, Closed Products	Not applicable	Softerra Adaxes does not fall under the Self-Contained Closed Product category
Section 1194.26: Desktop and Portable Computers	Not applicable	Softerra Adaxes does not fall under the Desktop and Portable Computer category
Section 1194.31: Functional Performance Criteria	Partially supported	See below for details
Section 1194.41: Information, Documentation and Support	Supported	See below for details

Section 1194.21: Software Applications and Operating Systems — Details

Criteria	Support Status	Remarks and Explanations
(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.	Supported with exceptions	Some functions are not reachable using the keyboard only.
(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.	Supported	
(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.	Supported	
(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.	Supported with exceptions	Some elements of the user interface do not provide sufficient information to the assistive technology.
(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.	Supported	
(f) Textual information shall be provided through operating system functions for displaying text. The minimum information that shall be made available is text content, text input caret location, and text attributes.	Supported	
(g) Applications shall not override user selected contrast and color selections and other individual display attributes.	Supported	
(h) When animation is displayed, the information shall be displayable in at least one non-animated presentation mode at the option of the user.	Supported with exceptions	Some animations, like loading indicators, do not have a non-animated presentation mode.

Section 1194.21: Software Applications and Operating Systems — Details

Criteria	Support Status	Remarks and Explanations
(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.	Supported	
(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.	Supported	
(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.	Supported with exceptions	Some forms do not provide full access to information on the forms to assistive technology.

Section 1194.22 Web-Based Internet Information and Applications — Details

Criteria	Support Status	Remarks and Explanations
(a) A text equivalent for every non-text element shall be provided (e.g., via "alt", "longdesc", or in element content).	Supported with exceptions	Some of the non-text elements don't have text equivalents.
(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.	Supported	
(d) Documents shall be organized so they are readable without requiring an associated style sheet.	Not Supported	
(e) Redundant text links shall be provided for each active region of a server-side image map.	Not applicable	

Section 1194.22 Web-Based Internet Information and Applications — Details

Criteria	Support Status	Remarks and Explanations
(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.	Supported	
(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.	Not applicable	
(d) (i) Frames shall be titled with text that facilitates frame identification and navigation.	Supported	
(j) Pages shall be designed to avoid causing the screen to flicker with a frequency greater than 2 Hz and lower than 55 Hz.	Supported	
(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.	Not supported	
(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.	Supported	
(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).	Not applicable	
(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.	Not applicable	

Section 1194.22 Web-Based Internet Information and Applications — Details

Criteria	Support Status	Remarks and Explanations
(o) A method shall be provided that permits users to skip repetitive navigation links.	Not applicable	
(p) When a timed response is required, the user shall be alerted and given sufficient time to indicate more time is required.	Not applicable	

Section 1194.31 Functional Performance Criteria — Details

Criteria	Support Status	Remarks and Explanations
(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 shall be provided	Not supported	
(b) (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.	Not supported	
(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	Supported	
(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.	Not applicable	
(e) 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	Supported	
(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.	Supported with exceptions	Softerra Adaxes doesn't require simultaneous actions to execute program functionality. However, a pointing device is required for some functions.

Section 1194.41 Information, Documentation and Support — Details

Criteria	Support Status	Remarks and Explanations
(a) Product support documentation provided to end-users shall be made available in alternate formats upon request, at no additional charge	Supported	
(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.	Supported	
(c) Support services for products shall accommodate the communication needs of end-users with disabilities.	Supported	

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