



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. Autodesk provides this information to help our customers understand the accessibility features of this Autodesk product in the context of the Section 508 standards. This was done with the intent to enable agencies to be compliant with the Section 508 regulations. This document is not intended to be a certification of compliance.

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**VPAT™****Voluntary Product Accessibility Template®**

Criteria	Supporting Features	Remarks and explanations
Section 1194.21 Software Applications and Operating Systems	Supported with exceptions.	Completed
Section 1194.22 Web-based Internet Information and Applications	Not Applicable.	N/A
Section 1194.23 Telecommunications Products	Not Applicable.	N/A
Section 1194.31 Functional Performance Criteria	Supported with exceptions.	Completed
Section 1194.41 Information, Documentation and Support	Supported	Completed

Section 1194.21 Software Applications and Operating Systems – Detail

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<i>Criteria</i>	Supporting Features	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.	Menu and toolbar commands are keyboard accessible, as are the contents of most dialogs. However, the palettes are not keyboard accessible.
(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	Testing has indicated that Autodesk Quantity Takeoff does not disrupt the accessibility of other products or of the Windows® operating system.
(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	Focus is clearly provided and is accessible to Assistive Technology.
(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.	Assistive Technology can access detailed information about most interface elements. However, the Workbook and Documents palettes provide less information. Tooltips are provided for images.
(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	Bitmap images and actions associated with them are consistent.
(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 with exceptions.	Limited textual information is provided through operating system text display functions.
(g) Applications shall not override user selected contrast and color selections and other individual	Supported with exceptions.	Contrast and color selection are adhered to. However, most palettes

display attributes.		and the canvas do not obey the color selections.
(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	Animations are not used in the UI proper. However, DWF files may contain animations, and the accompanying textual information is not provided.
(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	Color coding is used to help identify canvas objects, but it is not the only way to identify canvas objects.
(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.	Supported	Object color coding is automatically generated by the application but can be customized.
(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	No flashing or blinking text or graphics are used.
(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	Form dialogs expose their contents to Assistive Technology.

Section 1194.31 Functional Performance Criteria – Detail

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<i>Criteria</i>	Supporting Features	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.	Supported with exceptions	Application supports assistive technologies with some loss of information in the Workbook and Documents palette.
(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.	Supported with exceptions	The application does not provide audio, but does respond properly to larger fonts. It also provides some Assistive Technology support, as noted.
(c) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does	Supported with exceptions	The application supports assistive technologies with some loss of

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		information in the Workbook and Documents palette.
(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.	Supported	Audio information is not required to operate the application.
(e) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require user speech shall be provided, or support for Assistive Technology used by people with disabilities shall be provided.	Supported	User speech is not required to operate the application.
(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	Menu and toolbar commands are keyboard accessible, as are the contents of most dialogs. However, the palettes are not keyboard accessible.

Section 1194.41 Information, Documentation and Support – Detail

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Criteria	Supporting Features	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	Documentation is available from within the product on the web and from the product installation directory. In addition, documentation can be obtained as separately downloadable packages on the web.
(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	This document is posted on the Autodesk website at http://www.autodesk.com . Search for "Section 508".
(c) Support services for products shall accommodate the communication needs of end-users with disabilities.	Supported	Support services options are available via webpage, e-mail, fax, or phone. Direct, in-person support is available through resellers.



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