Voluntary Product Accessibility Template® (VPAT®) International Edition

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About This Document

The VPAT is provided in four editions based on the guidelines/standards being evaluated. The editions are WCAG, Revised 508, EN 301 549 and International that includes all of the standards.

This is the International edition of the VPAT. It includes the following standards/guidelines:

- Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.0
- Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.1; use is optional; included for reference purposes
- Revised Section 508 standards published January 18, 2017 and corrected January 22, 2018
- EN 301 549 Accessibility requirements suitable for public procurement of ICT products and services in Europe, V2.1.2 (2018-08)

If you do not need to report on all the standards/guidelines then use the appropriate standard-specific VPAT edition found on the <u>ITI Accessibility web page</u>.

This document is broken into two main sections:

• Essential Requirements and Best Practices for using the VPAT® to complete an Accessibility Conformance Report

• The VPAT Template

Please carefully review the Essential Requirements and Best Practices sections before using the VPAT to create an Accessibility Conformance Report. "Voluntary Product Accessibility Template" and "VPAT," including the template format, are Federally Registered Service Marks of the Information Technology Industry Council (ITI). VPAT users agree not to deviate materially from the template format provided by ITI, and to use the service mark ("®") where appropriate.

Essential Requirements and Best Practices for Information & Communications Technology (ICT) Vendors

This section provides guidance for reporting product conformance for three major accessibility standards and guidelines using the VPAT® to produce the Accessibility Conformance Report. Deviating from these guidelines precludes vendors from referencing the template by name and/or the VPAT acronym. The purpose of these essential requirements and best practices are to promote accurate and consistent reporting of product accessibility information.

The VPAT is a template used to document a product's conformance with accessibility standards and guidelines. The purpose of the VPAT is to assist customers and buyers in making preliminary assessments regarding the availability of commercial "Electronic and Information Technology," also referred to as "Information and Communication Technology" (ICT) products and services with features that support accessibility.

Getting Started

- 1. Before creating a report, read all of the materials provided in this document.
- 2. The Information Technology Industry Council (ITI) provides the VPAT. Use of the template and service mark does not require membership in ITI.
- 3. Determine which accessibility standards/guidelines will be included in the product conformance report.
- 4. It is the vendor's responsibility to maintain the integrity of the data in the report.

Essential Requirements for Authors

The following are the minimum requirements to be a VPAT[®].

- 1. The VPAT name and template are registered service marks of ITI. Use of the VPAT template and name requires the inclusion of the registered service mark (i.e., "VPAT®"). Users of the VPAT agree not to deviate from the Essential Requirements for Authors.
- 2. The template file can be used as is or replicated in a different delivery format, for example as HTML or PDF. The final conformance report must be accessible.
- 3. A report may contain a minimum of one applicable Standard/Guideline or any combination of the three Standards/Guidelines that are applicable to the product being reported.
- 4. A report must contain the following content at a minimum:

- Report Title In the heading format of "[Company Name] Accessibility Conformance Report"
- VPAT Heading Information Template version
- Name of Product/Version Name of Product being reported, including version of the product
- **Product Description** A brief description of the product
- Report Date Date of report publication. At a minimum, provide the month and year of the report publication. For example, "May 2016". If date is included ensure it is clear "4 May 2016" or "May 4, 2016".
- Contact Information Contact Information for follow-up questions. Listing an email is sufficient.
- Notes Any details or further explanation about the product or the report.
 This section may be left blank.
- Evaluation Methods Used Include a description of what evaluation methods were used to complete the VPAT for the product under test.
- Applicable Standards/Guidelines A clear indication of which Standards/Guidelines this Conformance Report covers.
 - The list must include only the Standards/Guidelines that were used to develop the product.
 - A report must contain a minimum of one Standard/Guideline or any combination of the three Standards.
 - The applicable Standards/Guidelines that may be included are:
 - Revised Section 508 standards the U.S. Federal accessibility standard, published by the U.S. Access Board in the Federal Register on January 18, 2017 and corrected on January 22, 2018
 - Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.0 or WCAG 2.0 (ISO/IEC 40500)
 - Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.1 or WCAG 2.1
 - EN 301 549 Accessibility requirements suitable for public procurement of ICT products and services in Europe, V2.1.2 (2018-08)
 - This information can be in a table format at the top of the report with the table heading 'Standards/Guidelines' and the reported Standards/Guidelines identified.

- Alternatively, the Standard/Guideline being reported can be clearly identified in the introductory text of the report. If multiple Standards or Guideline tables are included, each table should also be clearly identified as to the Standard or Guideline the criteria that table represents.
- **Terms** Conformance level terms description section
- Tables for Each Standard or Guideline Tables showing the responses to the criteria.
- 5. WCAG Conformance Information The answers in the WCAG success criteria are based on the level of conformance being reported (Level A, AA or AAA).
 - o These tables are used to answer:
 - Revised Section 508:
 - Chapter 5 Software
 - Chapter 6 Support Documentation
 - EN 301 549 Standard:
 - Chapter 9 Web
 - Chapter 10 Non-Web
 - Chapter 11 Software
 - Chapter 12 Documentation and Support Services
 - The selected levels of WCAG 2.x Guidelines.
 - The WCAG 2.1 conformance information can be included as a separate table which is referenced from the EN 301 549 responses, or as responses to specific criteria within the EN 304 549 table that map to WCAG success criteria.
 - o If using a summary table, due to answers applying to multiple criteria, when answering for the Revised Section 508 or EN 301 549, the answers need to be clear in what individual criteria the answer applies to. It is possible to either use a summary, selecting the worst case for the criteria, or to have separate answers or even tables for software, support documentation, authoring tools, etc., so long as the methodology used is made clear.
 - If not completing a set of Standards such as Section 508 or EN 301
 549, then remove the breakdown information and answer only for the WCAG criteria.
 - When reporting on WCAG 2.0 criteria it is acceptable to remove the WCAG 2.1-specific criteria from the table. These are marked '2.1 only' within the row.

- 6. Conformance Levels The report must list the definition of the terms used in the Conformance Level column. ITI recommends the following terms. If a vendor deviates from the ITI definitions, the vendor shall reference this change in the heading Notes section. If a term is not used it can be removed from the list. The ITI definitions are:
 - **Supports**: The functionality of the product has at least one method that meets the criterion without known defects or meets with equivalent facilitation.
 - Partially Supports: Some functionality of the product does not meet the criterion.
 - **Does Not Support**: The majority of product functionality does not meet the criterion.
 - **Not Applicable**: The criterion is not relevant to the product.
 - **Not Evaluated**: The product has not been evaluated against the criterion. This can only be used in WCAG 2.x Level AAA.

<u>Note</u>: When filling in the WCAG tables, a response may use 'Supports' where one might otherwise be inclined to use 'Not Applicable'. This is in keeping with <u>WCAG 2.0 Understanding Conformance</u>: 'This means that if there is no content to which a success criterion applies, the success criterion is satisfied.

- 7. Remarks and Explanations Detailed remarks should be provided in the Remarks and Explanations column to justify your answer in the Conformance Level column.
 - When the conformance level is 'partially supports' or 'does not support', the remarks should identify:
 - 1. The functions or features with issues
 - 2. How they do not fully support
 - If the criterion does not apply, explain why.
 - If an accessible alternative is used, describe it.
- 8. In the Section 508 tables, when subsections of criteria do not apply to the product, the section may be summarized or removed as long as an explanation is provided explaining why a criterion does not apply. Another alternative is to leave the table and add a summary why the section doesn't apply. For example, in Chapter 5 the criteria in 502 and 503 will not apply to a web only application, thus those sections can be removed with a summary in the notes for the chapter, or a row in the table.

Best Practices for Authors

ITI suggests that authors adopt the following best practices when using the VPAT® to create an Accessibility Conformance Report.

- Branding Header: Company logo or branding information
- **Date Changes:** If a report is revised, change the report date and explain the revision in the Notes section. Alternately, create a new report and explain in the Notes section that it supersedes an earlier version of the report.
- Notes: Add any notes applicable to product or the report
 - Additional information about the product version that the document references
 - Any revisions to the document
 - Links to any related documents
 - Additional information describing the product
 - Additional information about what the document does or does not cover
 - Information suggested by the <u>WCAG 2.0 Conformance Claim</u>
 - Information needed to satisfy ISO/IEC 17050-1:2004, Supplier's Declaration of Conformity
- Evaluation Methods Used Information to enter may include the following:
 - Testing is based on general product knowledge
 - Similar to another evaluated product
 - Testing with assistive technologies
 - Published test method (provide name, publisher, URL link)
 - Vendor proprietary test method
 - Other test method
- Remarks and Explanations: This section may include:
 - Information regarding the testing of a given criteria.
 - Information on application dependencies to support accessibility (e.g. OS, app frameworks, browsers recommended).
 - How the customer can find more information about accessibility issues.
 One method can be to include the bug ID where customers can call the company's customer support to get additional information.
 - Known workarounds for accessibility issues.

- Legal Disclaimer: Area for any legal disclaimer text required by your organization.
- Saving Space: To reduce the size of the report it is acceptable to remove sections. Individual criteria cannot be removed, only sections at a time. Section removal is acceptable in four situations:
 - When an entire standard is not being reported on, for example EN 301 549, there should be no references of it in the report.
 - When an entire section is not being reported on because it doesn't apply to the product, for example:
 - Chapter 4: Hardware. Information should be included in the notes for that section why it has been removed.
 - A card reader that doesn't have sound could remove the criteria in section 413 Closed Caption Processing Technologies and just note the why the criteria doesn't apply.
 - When reporting on WCAG 2.0 criteria it is acceptable to remove the WCAG 2.1-specific criteria from the table. These are marked '2.1 only' within the row
 - If the product is not being evaluated for a level of the criteria (for example Level AAA) then that table may be deleted.
 - If a requesting customer has identified that a section of the standard does not apply, information should be included in the notes that the section has been removed.
- **WCAG 2.x Tables:** The WCAG 2.x criteria are shown in three tables, Level A, Level AA, and Level AAA.
 - If desired, these tables can be combined into one table.
 - When reporting on a level (A, AA or AAA) all criteria for that level must be answered for the particular version of WCAG that the report includes.
- Language: Use text appropriate for your audience.
- Multiple Reports: When using the VPAT to create an Accessibility
 Conformance Report for complex products it may be helpful to separate
 answers into multiple reports. For example, when a product is an Authoring
 Tool that also has web content and documentation. When multiple reports
 are used for a complex product, it is required to explain this and how to reach
 the other reports in the Notes section of each report.
- **Criteria Text:** To help conserve space in the ITI template only the criteria ID number and a short title have been included. Where possible, links have been included to the standard/guideline.

- It is acceptable to add the full text of the criteria into the cell if desired to help with understanding.
- The links to the standards/guidelines can be removed.
- Ordering of Tables: The order that the standards/guideline tables appear may be changed to facilitate reading. For example, if the Accessibility Conformance Report is for Section 508 only, the WCAG tables may be moved to follow the numbering scheme used in the Section 508 criteria.
- Guideline Section Heading Rows in Tables: The tables include heading rows to facilitate understanding the context of the criteria.
 - The cells in these rows do not require answers as indicated by "Heading cell – no response required."
 - It is optional to add a response if desired.
 - The shading of the row is also optional.
 - If removing the heading rows, edit the criteria titles so it's clear where they apply.

Posting the Final Document

- Remove the Essential Requirements and Best Practices for Information &
 Communications Technology (ICT) Vendors section from the template when
 publishing your Accessibility Conformance Report in final form. A link on
 page one in the template footnotes contains a hyperlink to this document on
 the Information Technology Industry Council (ITI) website at:
 http://www.itic.org.
- Check for each required item in the VPAT® document:
 - The report title [Company Name] Accessibility Conformance Report
 - The "VPAT® Version 2.3 (Revised)" heading
 - Name of Product/Version
 - Product Description
 - Report Date
 - Contact Information
 - Notes
 - Evaluation methods used
 - Applicable Standards/Guidelines
 - Terms

Report Information

- Check that there is a response for each criterion for 'Conformance Level' and 'Remarks and Explanations.'
- Post your final document on your company's web site, or make the document available to customers upon request.
- Your final document should be accessible.

Table Information for VPAT® Readers

For each of the standards, the criteria are listed by chapter in a table. The structures of the tables are: the first column contains the criteria being evaluated, the second column describes the level of conformance of the product regarding the criteria and the third column contains any additional remarks and explanations regarding the product.

- When sections of criteria do not apply, or deemed by the customer as not applicable, the section is noted as such and the rest of that table may be removed for that section.
- When multiple standards are being recorded in this document, the duplicative sections are noted and responded to only one time. The duplicate entry will note the cross reference to the data.

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Name of Product/Version: Mergent Online

Product Description: Mergent Online provides information on company financials, descriptions, history, property, subsidiaries officers and directors. It is a professional-strength research tool that tracks more companies in more countries than any other database.

Report Date: 1/1/2020

Contact Information: Joseph Barbaro / jbarbaro@lseg.com

Notes:

Evaluation Methods Used:

Applicable Standards/Guidelines

This report covers the degree of conformance for the following accessibility standard/guidelines:

Standard/Guideline	Included In Report
Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.0	Level A Yes
	Level AA Yes
	Level AAA Yes
Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.1	Level A Yes
	Level AA Yes
	Level AAA Yes
Revised Section 508 standards published January 18, 2017 and corrected January 22, 2018	Yes

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EN 301 549 Accessibility requirements suitable for public procurement of ICT	Voc
products and services in Europe, - V2.1.2 (2018-08)	Yes

Terms

The terms used in the Conformance Level information are defined as follows:

- **Supports**: The functionality of the product has at least one method that meets the criterion without known defects or meets with equivalent facilitation.
- Partially Supports: Some functionality of the product does not meet the criterion.
- **Does Not Support**: The majority of product functionality does not meet the criterion.
- Not Applicable: The criterion is not relevant to the product.
- Not Evaluated: The product has not been evaluated against the criterion. This can be used only in WCAG 2.0 Level AAA.

WCAG 2.x Report

Tables 1 and 2 also document conformance with:

- EN 301 549: Chapter 9 Web, Sections 10.1-10.4 of Chapter 10 Non-Web documents, and Sections 11.1-11.4 and 11.8.2 of Chapter 11 Non-Web Software (open and closed functionality), and Sections 12.1.2 and 12.2.4 of Chapter 12 Documentation
- Revised Section 508: Chapter 5 501.1 Scope, 504.2 Content Creation or Editing, and Chapter 6 602.3 Electronic Support Documentation.

Note: When reporting on conformance with the WCAG 2.x Success Criteria, they are scoped for full pages, complete processes, and accessibility-supported ways of using technology as documented in the <u>WCAG 2.0 Conformance Requirements</u>.

Table 1: Success Criteria, Level A

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
1.1.1 Non-text Content (Level A)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.1.1.1 (Web)		
• 10.1.1.1 (Non-web document)		
• 11.1.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)		There are some instances were there is missing
• 11.1.1.2 (Closed Functionality Software)	Partially Supports	alternative text.
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
1.2.1 Audio-only and Video-only (Prerecorded) (Level A)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.1.2.1 (Web)		
• 10.1.2.1 (Non-web document)		
• 11.1.2.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)		The audio and visual media provided is an alternative to
• 11.1.2.1.2.1 and 11.1.2.1.2.2 (Closed Software)	Supports	text and is labeled as such.
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		text and is labeled as sacin.
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
1.2.2 Captions (Prerecorded) (Level A)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.1.2.2 (Web)		
 10.1.2.2 (Non-web document) 		
 11.1.2.2 (Open Functionality Software) 		
• 11.1.2.2 (Closed Software)	Not Applicable	Mergent Online does not include synchronized media.
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
1.2.3 Audio Description or Media Alternative (Prerecorded) (Level A)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.1.2.3 (Web)		
• 10.1.2.3 (Non-web document)		
 11.1.2.3.1 (Open Functionality Software) 		The Mergent Online product does not include
• 11.1.2.3.2 (Closed Software)	Not Applicable	synchronized media.
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)	Not Applicable	Synchronized media.
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
1.3.1 Info and Relationships (Level A)		Mergent Online product has information, structure and
Also applies to:		relationships that can be understood independent of
EN 301 549 Criteria	Partially Supports	presentation.
• 9.1.3.1 (Web)		
10.1.3.1 (Non-web document)		There are some instances where user interface controls

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
11.1.3.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)		
• 11.1.3.1.2 (Closed Software)		
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		are inadequately described.
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
1.3.2 Meaningful Sequence (Level A)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.1.3.2 (Web)		
 10.1.3.2 (Non-web document) 		
• 11.1.3.2.1 (Open Functionality Software)		Mergent Online allows assistive technologies to interpret the meaning of content.
• 11.1.3.2.2 (Closed Software)	Supports	
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)	Supports	
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
1.3.3 Sensory Characteristics (Level A)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.1.3.3 (Web)		Mergent Online users can access instructions for using
• 10.1.3.3 (Non-web document)	Supports	the content, even when they cannot perceive shape o
• 11.1.3.3 (Open Functionality Software)	Supports	size or use information about spatial location or
• 11.1.3.3 (Closed Software)		orientation.
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
Revised Section 508 • 501 (Web)(Software) • 504.2 (Authoring Tool) • 602.3 (Support Docs)		
1.4.1 Use of Color (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria 9.1.4.1 (Web) 10.1.4.1 (Non-web document) 11.1.4.1 (Open Functionality Software) 11.1.4.1 (Closed Software) 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool) 12.1.2 (Product Docs) 12.2.4 (Support Docs) Revised Section 508 501 (Web)(Software) 504.2 (Authoring Tool) 602.3 (Support Docs)	Partially Supports	Mergent Online only uses color for design. Text is always used for information. Mergent Online does have instance where links are only distinguished by color.
1.4.2 Audio Control (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria • 9.1.4.2 (Web) • 10.1.4.2 (Non-web document) • 11.1.4.2 (Open Functionality Software) • 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool) • 12.1.2 (Product Docs) • 12.2.4 (Support Docs) Revised Section 508 • 501 (Web)(Software) • 504.2 (Authoring Tool) • 602.3 (Support Docs)	Supports	Videos under "Company Analytics" module have the ability to pause or stop audio and control volume independently.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
2.1.1 Keyboard (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria • 9.2.1.1 (Web) • 10.2.1.1 (Non-web document) • 11.2.1.1.1 (Open Functionality Software) • 11.2.1.1.2 (Closed Software) • 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool) • 12.1.2 (Product Docs) • 12.2.4 (Support Docs) Revised Section 508 • 501 (Web)(Software) • 504.2 (Authoring Tool) • 602.3 (Support Docs)	Partially supports	Some functionality of Mergent Online content is operable through a keyboard interface without requiring specific timings for individual keystrokes. However, the navigations tabs within the "Advanced Search" module, are not operable through a keyboard interface.
2.1.2 No Keyboard Trap (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria • 9.2.1.2 (Web) • 10.2.1.2 (Non-web document) • 11.2.1.2 (Open Functionality Software) • 11.2.1.2 (Closed Software) • 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool) • 12.1.2 (Product Docs) • 12.2.4 (Support Docs) Revised Section 508 • 501 (Web)(Software) • 504.2 (Authoring Tool) • 602.3 (Support Docs)	Supports	Mergent Online supports standard keyboard navigation and keyboard users cannot be trapped in a subset of content.
2.1.4 Character Key Shortcuts (Level A 2.1 only) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria • 9.2.1.4 (Web) • 10.2.1.4 (Non-web document)	Not Applicable	This product does not use single-character shortcuts. It does include list boxes and drop-down menus, but these shortcuts are only active when the components have focus.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
• 11.2.1.4.1 (Open Functionality Software)		
• 11.2.1.4.2 (Closed Software)		
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
2.2.1 Timing Adjustable (Level A)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.2.2.1 (Web)		
• 10.2.2.1 (Non-web document)		
 11.2.2.1 (Open Functionality Software) 		Margaret Ordina has a time a limit that will auto les aut
• 11.2.2.1 (Closed Software)	Cumparts	Mergent Online has a time limit that will auto log out
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)	Supports	users after a set amount of inactivity. Users cannot adjust this time length.
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		adjust this time length.
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
2.2.2 Pause, Stop, Hide (Level A)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.2.2.2 (Web)		
• 10.2.2.2 (Non-web document)		
 11.2.2.2 (Open Functionality Software) 		Mergent Online has some scrolling features that can be
• 11.2.2.2 (Closed Software)	Partially supports	stopped when the user hovers over the feature. It has
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		pause only, no options to stop or hide.
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
602.3 (Support Docs)		
2.3.1 Three Flashes or Below Threshold (Level A)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.2.3.1 (Web)		
 10.2.3.1 (Non-web document) 		
 11.2.3.1 (Open Functionality Software) 		
 11.2.3.1(Closed Software) 	Not applicable	Mergent Online does not use flashing interface
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)	пот аррисавіе	elements.
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
2.4.1 Bypass Blocks (Level A)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.2.4.1 (Web)		Mergent Online does not allow people who navigate sequentially through content more direct access to the
 10.2.4.1 (Non-web document) – Does not apply 		
 11.2.4.1 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply 		
 11.2.4.1 (Closed Software) – Does not apply 	Does not support	
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)	Boes not support	primary content of the web page.
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		primary content or the new page.
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
 501 (Web)(Software) – Does not apply to non-web software 		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs) – Does not apply to non-web docs		
2.4.2 Page Titled (Level A)		
Also applies to:	Supports	Mergent Online web pages have titles that describe
EN 301 549 Criteria		each module within the product.
• 9.2.4.2 (Web)		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
 10.2.4.2 (Non-web document) 11.2.4.2 (Open Functionality Software) - Does not apply 11.2.4.2 (Closed Software) - Does not apply 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool) 12.1.2 (Product Docs) 12.2.4 (Support Docs) Revised Section 508 		
 501 (Web)(Software) 504.2 (Authoring Tool) 602.3 (Support Docs) 		
2.4.3 Focus Order (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria 9.2.4.3 (Web) 10.2.4.3 (Non-web document) 11.2.4.3 (Open Functionality Software) 11.2.4.3 (Closed Software) 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool) 12.1.2 (Product Docs) 12.2.4 (Support Docs) Revised Section 508 501 (Web)(Software) 504.2 (Authoring Tool) 602.3 (Support Docs)	Supports	Mergent Online can be navigated sequentially and can focus an order that preserves meaning and operability.
2.4.4 Link Purpose (In Context) (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria 9.2.4.4 (Web) 10.2.4.4 (Non-web document) 11.2.4.4 (Open Functionality Software) 11.2.4.4 (Closed Software 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool) 12.1.2 (Product Docs)	Supports	The purpose of each link on Mergent Online can be determined from the link text alone.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
2.5.1 Pointer Gestures (Level A 2.1 only)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		Only path-based functionality
• 9.2.5.1 (Web)		seems to be scroll bars, but this
 10.2.5.1 (Non-web document) 		just requires you to tab through all
 11.2.5.1 (Open Functionality Software) 	Supports	the elements
• 11.2.5.1 (Closed Software)		the elements
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		The rest is single pointer
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		The rest is single pointer
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
2.5.2 Pointer Cancellation (Level A 2.1 only)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.2.5.2 (Web)		
• 10.2.5.2 (Non-web document)		
• 11.2.5.2 (Open Functionality Software)	Supports	All functionality is reversible in some way.
• 11.2.5.2 (Closed Software)		
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
2.5.3 Label in Name (Level A 2.1 only)		
Also applies to:		Mergent Online's components are labelled visually with
EN 301 549 Criteria	Supports	words that are also words associated with the
• 9.2.5.3 (Web)		component programmatically.
• 10.2.5.3 (Non-web document)		component programmatically.
11.2.5.3 (Open Functionality Software)		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
• 11.2.5.3 (Closed Software)		
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
2.5.4 Motion Actuation (Level A 2.1 only)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.2.5.4 (Web)		
 10.2.5.4 (Non-web document) 		Mergent Online does not rely on input through sensors
 11.2.5.4 (Open Functionality Software) 	Not applicable	for the purposes of responding to motion such as
• 11.2.5.4 (Closed Software		gestures, tilting device, etc
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
3.1.1 Language of Page (Level A)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.3.1.1 (Web)		
• 10.3.1.1 (Non-web document)		
• 11.3.1.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)		
• 11.3.1.1.2 (Closed Software)	Not applicable	Mergent Online is available in English only.
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)	Not applicable	Wiergente offinite is available in English offiy.
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
3.2.1 On Focus (Level A)		When a component in Mergent Online receives focus, it
Also applies to:	Supports	does not initiate a change of context.
EN 301 549 Criteria		account initiate a change of context.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
• 9.3.2.1 (Web)		
• 10.3.2.1 (Non-web document)		
• 11.3.2.1 (Open Functionality Software)		
• 11.3.2.1 (Closed Software)		
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
3.2.2 On Input (Level A)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.3.2.2 (Web)		
• 10.3.2.2 (Non-web document)		
• 11.3.2.2 (Open Functionality Software)		
• 11.3.2.2 (Closed Software)	Supports	Changing the setting of a component in Mergent Online
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)	Supports	does not initiate a change of context.
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
3.3.1 Error Identification (Level A)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		If an input error is automatically detected, the item that
• 9.3.3.1 (Web)	Supports	is in error is identified and the error is described to the
• 10.3.3.1 (Non-web document)	σαρροιτο	user in text.
• 11.3.3.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)		user in text.
• 11.3.3.1.2 (Closed Software)		
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 602.3 (Support Docs)		
3.3.2 Labels or Instructions (Level A)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.3.3.2 (Web)		
• 10.3.3.2 (Non-web document)		
 11.3.3.2 (Open Functionality Software) 		Labels and instructions on Mergent Online are provided when content requires user input. However, there are instances where some user interface controls are inadequately labeled or described.
• 11.3.3.2 (Closed Software)	Partially Supports	
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)	Fartially Supports	
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
4.1.1 Parsing (Level A)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.4.1.1 (Web)		
• 10.4.1.1 (Non-web document)		
• 11.4.1.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)		Mergent Online pages have complete start and end tags
 11.4.1.1.2 (Closed Software) – Does not apply 	Partially Supports	and are nested according to specification. There are a
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		few instances where element IDs are not unique.
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
602.3 (Support Docs)		
4.1.2 Name, Role, Value (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria • 9.4.1.2 (Web) • 10.4.1.2 (Non-web document) • 11.4.1.2.1 (Open Functionality Software) • 11.4.1.2.2 (Closed Software) – Not required • 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool) • 12.1.2 (Product Docs) • 12.2.4 (Support Docs) Revised Section 508 • 501 (Web)(Software) • 504.2 (Authoring Tool) • 602.3 (Support Docs)	Partially Supports	Mergent Online enables compatibility with assistive technology, such as screen readers, screen magnifiers, and speech recognition software, used by people with disabilities. There are instances where some user interface controls are inadequately labeled or described.

Table 2: Success Criteria, Level AA

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
1.2.4 Captions (Live) (Level AA)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.1.2.4 (Web)		
 10.1.2.4 (Non-web document) 		
 11.1.2.4 (Open Functionality Software) 	Not applicable	Mergent Online does not use synchronized media.
• 11.1.2.4 (Closed Software)		
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
1.2.5 Audio Description (Prerecorded) (Level AA)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.1.2.5 (Web)		
• 10.1.2.5 (Non-web document)		
 11.1.2.5 (Open Functionality Software) 		
• 11.1.2.5 (Closed Software)	Not applicable	Mergent Online does not use synchronized media.
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)	пот аррпсавле	Mergent Online does not use synchronized media.
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
1.3.4 Orientation (Level AA 2.1 only)		Mergent Online does not restrict the view of its content
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.1.3.4 (Web)		
• 10.1.3.4 (Non-web document)		
• 11.1.3.4 (Open Functionality Software)	Supports	to a single display orientation.
• 11.1.3.4 (Closed Software)		to a single display offentation.
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
1.3.5 Identify Input Purpose (Level AA 2.1 only)		Mergent Online is a research application. No information is needed about the user.
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria	Not applicable	
• 9.1.3.5 (Web)		information is neceed about the user.
10.1.3.5 (Non-web document)		

Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
	There are a few modular tabs that have a contrast ratio of 2.32.1
Partially Supports	
,	
Supports	Text can be resized without assistive technology up to
Supports	200 percent without loss of content or functionality.
	Partially Supports Supports

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
602.3 (Support Docs)		-
1.4.5 Images of Text (Level AA)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.1.4.5 (Web)		
• 10.1.4.5 (Non-web document)		
• 11.1.4.5.1 (Open Functionality Software)		The only images of text used are legatest for Margant
 11.1.4.5.2 (Closed Software) – Does not apply 	Supports	The only images of text used are logotext for Mergent and FTSE Russell, which are excluded from this case.
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)	Supports	and Fise Russen, which are excluded from this case.
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
<u>1.4.10 Reflow</u> (Level AA 2.1 only)		
Also applies to:		Content can be presented without loss of information o functionality, and without requiring scrolling in two dimensions.
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.1.4.10 (Web)	Supports	
• 10.1.4.10 (Non-web document)		
• 11.1.4.10.1 (Open Functionality Software)		
• 11.1.4.10.2 (Closed Software)		
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
1.4.11 Non-text Contrast (Level AA 2.1 only)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		The visual presentation of the following has a contrast
• 9.1.4.11 (Web)	Supports	ratio of at least 3:1 against adjacent color(s)
• 10.1.4.11 (Non-web document)		
• 11.1.4.11 (Open Functionality Software)		
• 11.1.4.11 (Closed Software)		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
1.4.12 Text Spacing (Level AA 2.1 only)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.1.4.12 (Web)		
 10.1.4.12 (Non-web document) 		Mergent Online's content supports the necessary text
 11.1.4.12 (Open Functionality Software) 	Supports	style properties.
• 11.1.4.12 (Closed Software)		
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
1.4.13 Content on Hover or Focus (Level AA 2.1 only)		
Also applies to:		Where receiving and then removing pointer hover triggers additional content to become and then hidden.
EN 301 549 Criteria	Supports	
• 9.1.4.13 (Web)		
 10.1.4.13 (Non-web document) 		
• 11.1.4.13 (Open Functionality Software)		
• 11.1.4.13 (Closed Software)		
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
2.4.5 Multiple Ways (Level AA)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		Mergent Online has a tabular heading for users to locate
• 9.2.4.5 (Web)	Supports	any page they're looking for within the main page.
 10.2.4.5 (Non-web document) – Does not apply 		any page they re looking for within the main page.
 11.2.4.5 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply 		
• 11.2.4.5 (Closed Software) – Does not apply		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)	Comormance Lever	Remarks and Explanations
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs) • 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs) – Does not apply to non-web docs		
2.4.6 Headings and Labels (Level AA)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.2.4.6 (Web)		
• 10.2.4.6 (Non-web document)		Each heading contains a mouseover with text describing what is in the header or label.
• 11.2.4.6 (Open Functionality Software)		
• 11.2.4.6 (Closed Software)	Supports	
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)	σαρροιτο	
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
2.4.7 Focus Visible (Level AA)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.2.4.7 (Web)		
 10.2.4.7 (Non-web document) 		Mergent Online uses visual changes to elements to
 11.2.4.7 (Open Functionality Software) 	Dantially, Comments	indicate the current position of focus. However, the blue
• 11.2.4.7 (Closed Software)	Partially Supports	primary navigation tabs provide inadequate feedback
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		they receive keyboard focus.
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
3.1.2 Language of Parts (Level AA)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.3.1.2 (Web)		
• 10.3.1.2 (Non-web document)		
 11.3.1.2 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply 		
 11.3.1.2 (Closed Software) – Does not apply 	Not applicable	Mergent Online only uses the English language.
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)	Постаррисавле	Weigent Online Only uses the English language.
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
3.2.3 Consistent Navigation (Level AA)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.3.2.3 (Web)		
 10.3.2.3 (Non-web document) – Does not apply 		
 11.3.2.3 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply 		Navigational mechanisms are repeated on multiple Web
 11.3.2.3 (Closed Software) – Does not apply 	Supports	pages within a set of Web pages occur in the same
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)	Supports	relative order each time they are repeated
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		relative order each time they are repeated
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
 501 (Web)(Software) – Does not apply to non-web software 		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs) – Does not apply to non-web docs		
3.2.4 Consistent Identification (Level AA)		Mergent Online components that have the same
Also applies to:	Supports	functionality within a set of Web pages are identified
EN 301 549 Criteria		consistently

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
• 9.3.2.4 (Web)		
 10.3.2.4 (Non-web document) – Does not apply 		
 11.3.2.4 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply 		
 11.3.2.4 (Closed Software) – Does not apply 		
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
 501 (Web)(Software) – Does not apply to non-web software 		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
 602.3 (Support Docs) – Does not apply to non-web docs 		
3.3.3 Error Suggestion (Level AA)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.3.3.3 (Web)		
• 10.3.3.3 (Non-web document)		
• 11.3.3.3 (Open Functionality Software)		
• 11.3.3.3 (Closed Software)	Supports	Mergent Online present suggestions for user errors.
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)	συρμοίτο	Weigent Online present suggestions for user errors.
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
3.3.4 Error Prevention (Legal, Financial, Data) (Level AA)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		Mergent Online does not ask for any personal, financia
• 9.3.3.4 (Web)	Not applicable	
• 10.3.3.4 (Non-web document)		or legal data from its users.
• 11.3.3.4 (Open Functionality Software)		
• 11.3.3.4 (Closed Software)		
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508		
• 501 (Web)(Software)		
• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)		
602.3 (Support Docs)		
4.1.3 Status Messages (Level AA 2.1 only)		
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria		
• 9.4.1.3 (Web)		
 10.4.1.3 (Non-web document) – Does not apply 		
 11.4.1.3 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply 	Supports	Status messages are provided to users in text.
 11.4.1.3 (Closed Software) – Does not apply 		
• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)		
• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)		
• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)		
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		

Table 3: Success Criteria, Level AAA

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
1.2.6 Sign Language (Prerecorded) (Level AAA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Not applicable	Mergent Online does not have synchronized media.
1.2.7 Extended Audio Description (Prerecorded) (Level AAA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Not applicable	Mergent Online does not have synchronized media.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
1.2.8 Media Alternative (Prerecorded) (Level AAA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Not applicable	Mergent Online does not have synchronized media.
1.2.9 Audio-only (Live) (Level AAA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria— Does not apply Revised Section 508 — Does not apply	Not applicable	Mergent Online does not use audio.
1.3.6 Identify Purpose (Level AAA 2.1 only) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria— Does not apply Revised Section 508 — Does not apply	Does not support	
1.4.6 Contrast Enhanced (Level AAA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Partially Supports	There are a few modular tabs that have a contrast ratio of 2.32.1
1.4.7 Low or No Background Audio (Level AAA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	The audio in the videos does not contain background sounds.
1.4.8 Visual Presentation (Level AAA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Not applicable	Mergent Online does not have visual presentations of blocks of text.
1.4.9 Images of Text (No Exception) Control (Level AAA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	Images of texts are only logos
2.1.3 Keyboard (No Exception) (Level AAA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	All functionality of the content is operable through a keyboard interface without requiring specific timings for individual keystrokes.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
2.2.3 No Timing (Level AAA)		
Also applies to:	6	Timing is not an essential part of the event or activity
EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply	Supports	presented by the content
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
2.2.4 Interruptions (Level AAA)		
Also applies to:	Not applicable	
EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply	пот аррисавіе	
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
2.2.5 Re-authenticating (Level AAA)		When an authenticated session expires, the user can continue the activity without loss of data after reauthenticating.
Also applies to:	Supports	
EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply		
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		authenticating.
2.2.6 Timeouts (Level AAA 2.1 only)		
Also applies to:	Does not support	Mergent Online does not warn users that session will time out due to inactivity.
EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply	Does not support	
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
2.3.2 Three Flashes (Level AAA)		
Also applies to:	Not applicable	There are no flashes on Mergent Intellect
EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply	Пот аррисавіе	There are no hasnes on wergent intenect
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
2.3.3 Animation from Interactions (Level AAA 2.1 only)		
Also applies to:	Not applicable	Mergent Online does not have motion animation.
EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply	Not applicable	
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
2.4.8 Location (Level AAA)		The user's location is always visible on Mergent Online.
Also applies to:	Supports	The user's location highlighted within the module they
EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply	Supports	are in.
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		ure iii.
2.4.9 Link Purpose (Link Only) (Level AAA)	Supports	A mechanism is available to allow the purpose of each link to be identified from link text alone
Also applies to:		
EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply		
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
2.4.10 Section Headings (Level AAA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	Mergent Online section headings are used to organize the content.
2.5.5 Target Size (Level AAA 2.1 only) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	The size of the target for pointer inputs is at least 44 by 44 CSS pixels.
2.5.6 Concurrent Input Mechanisms (Level AAA 2.1 only) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	Web content does not restrict use of input modalities.
3.1.3 Unusual Words (Level AAA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Not applicable	There are no uses of unusual words
3.1.4 Abbreviations (Level AAA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Does not support	There is some abbreviation used that is not defined.
3.1.5 Reading Level (Level AAA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Does not support	There is no option to changes the level of reading, however there is no advanced reading level required on product.
3.1.6 Pronunciation (Level AAA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Does not support	There is no mechanism for hard to pronounce words.
3.2.5 Change on Request (Level AAA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Does not support	There is no mechanism for changing context of web pages

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations	
3.3.5 Help (Level AAA)			
Also applies to:	Supports	There is a help section for users	
EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply	Supports	There is a flerp section for users	
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply			
3.3.6 Error Prevention (All) (Level AAA)			
Also applies to:	Supports	Mergent Online queries will not perform unless proper	
EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply		criteria are applied	
Revised Section 508 – Does not apply			

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Chapter 3: Functional Performance Criteria (FPC)

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
302.1 Without Vision	Supports	
302.2 With Limited Vision	Supports	
302.3 Without Perception of Color	Supports	
302.4 Without Hearing	Supports	
302.5 With Limited Hearing	Supports	
302.6 Without Speech	Supports	
302.7 With Limited Manipulation	Does not support	Mergent Online supports standard input mechanisms such as user-provided keyboards and pointing devices. Usage of the product does not require fine motor controls nor simultaneous actions.
302.8 With Limited Reach and Strength	Not applicable	
302.9 With Limited Language, Cognitive, and Learning Abilities	Does not support	

Chapter 4: Hardware

Notes: Mergent Online is a web software application and is not subject to the requirements of this section.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
402 Closed Functionality	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
402.1 General	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
402.2 Speech-Output Enabled	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
402.2.1 Information Displayed On-Screen		
402.2.2 Transactional Outputs		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
402.2.3 Speech Delivery Type and Coordination		
402.2.4 User Control		
402.2.5 Braille Instructions		
402.3 Volume	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
402.3.1 Private Listening		
402.3.2 Non-private Listening		
402.4 Characters on Display Screens		
402.5 Characters on Variable Message Signs		
403 Biometrics	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
403.1 General		
404 Preservation of Information Provided for Accessibility	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
404.1 General		
405 Privacy	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
405.1 General		
406 Standard Connections	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
406.1 General		
407 Operable Parts	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
407.2 Contrast		
407.3 Input Controls	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
407.3.1 Tactilely Discernible		
407.3.2 Alphabetic Keys		
407.3.3 Numeric Keys		
407.4 Key Repeat		
407.5 Timed Response		
407.6 Operation		
407.7 Tickets, Fare Cards, and Keycards		
407.8 Reach Height and Depth	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
407.8.1 Vertical Reference Plane		
407.8.1.1 Vertical Plane for Side Reach		
407.8.1.2 Vertical Plane for Forward Reach		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
407.8.2 Side Reach		
407.8.2.1 Unobstructed Side Reach		
407.8.2.2 Obstructed Side Reach		
407.8.3 Forward Reach		
407.8.3.1 Unobstructed Forward Reach		
407.8.3.2 Obstructed Forward Reach		
407.8.3.2.1 Operable Part Height for ICT with Obstructed Forward Reach		
407.8.3.2.2 Knee and Toe Space under ICT with Obstructed Forward		
Reach		
408 Display Screens	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
408.2 Visibility		
408.3 Flashing		
409 Status Indicators	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
409.1 General		
410 Color Coding	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
410.1 General		
411 Audible Signals	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
411.1 General		
412 ICT with Two-Way Voice Communication	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
412.2 Volume Gain	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
412.2.1 Volume Gain for Wireline Telephones		
412.2.2 Volume Gain for Non-Wireline ICT		
412.3 Interference Reduction and Magnetic Coupling	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
412.3.1 Wireless Handsets		
412.3.2 Wireline Handsets		
412.4 Digital Encoding of Speech		
412.5 Real-Time Text Functionality	Reserved for future	Reserved for future
412.6 Caller ID		
412.7 Video Communication		
412.8 Legacy TTY Support	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
412.8.1 TTY Connectability		
412.8.2 Voice and Hearing Carry Over		
412.8.3 Signal Compatibility		
412.8.4 Voice Mail and Other Messaging Systems		
413 Closed Caption Processing Technologies	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
413.1.1 Decoding and Display of Closed Captions		
413.1.2 Pass-Through of Closed Caption Data		
414 Audio Description Processing Technologies	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
414.1.1 Digital Television Tuners		
414.1.2 Other ICT		
415 User Controls for Captions and Audio Descriptions	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
415.1.1 Caption Controls		
415.1.2 Audio Description Controls		

Chapter 5: Software

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
501.1 Scope – Incorporation of WCAG 2.0 AA	See WCAG 2.x section	See information in WCAG 2.x section
502 Interoperability with Assistive Technology	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
502.2.1 User Control of Accessibility Features	Supports	
502.2.2 No Disruption of Accessibility Features	Supports	
502.3 Accessibility Services	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
502.3.1 Object Information	Supports	
502.3.2 Modification of Object Information	Does not support	
502.3.3 Row, Column, and Headers	Supports	
502.3.4 Values	Supports	
502.3.5 Modification of Values	Supports	
502.3.6 Label Relationships	Supports	
502.3.7 Hierarchical Relationships	Supports	

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
502.3.8 Text	Supports	
502.3.9 Modification of Text	Supports	
502.3.10 List of Actions	Supports	
502.3.11 Actions on Objects	Supports	
502.3.12 Focus Cursor	Supports	
502.3.13 Modification of Focus Cursor	Supports	
502.3.14 Event Notification	Supports	
502.4 Platform Accessibility Features	Not applicable	
503 Applications	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
503.2 User Preferences	Does not support	
503.3 Alternative User Interfaces	Does not support	
503.4 User Controls for Captions and Audio Description	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
503.4.1 Caption Controls	Not applicable	
503.4.2 Audio Description Controls	Not applicable	
504 Authoring Tools	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
504.2 Content Creation or Editing (if not authoring tool, enter "not applicable")	See WCAG 2.x section	See information in WCAG 2.x section
504.2.1 Preservation of Information Provided for Accessibility in Format Conversion	Not applicable	
504.2.2 PDF Export	Not applicable	
504.3 Prompts	Not applicable	
504.4 Templates	Not applicable	

Chapter 6: Support Documentation and Services

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
601.1 Scope	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
602 Support Documentation	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
602.2 Accessibility and Compatibility Features	Does not support	

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
602.3 Electronic Support Documentation	See <u>WCAG 2.x</u> section	See information in WCAG 2.x section
602.4 Alternate Formats for Non-Electronic Support Documentation	Does not support	
603 Support Services	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
603.2 Information on Accessibility and Compatibility Features	Does not support	
603.3 Accommodation of Communication Needs	Does not support	

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Chapter 4: Functional Performance Statements (FPS)

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
4.2.1 Usage without vision	Supports	
4.2.2 Usage with limited vision	Supports	
4.2.3 Usage without perception of colour	Supports	
4.2.4 Usage without hearing	Supports	
4.2.5 Usage with limited hearing	Supports	
4.2.6 Usage without vocal capability	Supports	
4.2.7 Usage with limited manipulation or strength	Supports	
4.2.8 Usage with limited reach	Supports	
4.2.9 Minimize photosensitive seizure triggers	Not applicable	
4.2.10 Usage with limited cognition	Supports	
4.2.11 Privacy	Supports	

Chapter 5: Generic Requirements

Notes: Mergent Online supports standard assistive technologies and is therefore not subject to the Closed Functionality criteria described in this Chapter.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
5.1 Closed functionality	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
5.1.2 General	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
5.1.2.1 Closed functionality	See 5.2 through 13	See information in 5.2 through 13
5.1.2.2 Assistive technology	See 5.1.3 through 5.1.6	See information in 5.1.3 through 5.1.6
5.1.3 Non-visual access	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
5.1.3.1 General		
5.1.3.2 Auditory output delivery including speech		
5.1.3.3 Auditory output correlation		
5.1.3.4 Speech output user control		
5.1.3.5 Speech output automatic interruption		
5.1.3.6 Speech output for non-text content		
5.1.3.7 Speech output for video information		
5.1.3.8 Masked entry		
5.1.3.9 Private access to personal data		
5.1.3.10 Non-interfering audio output		
5.1.3.11 Private listening		
5.1.3.12 Speaker volume		
5.1.3.13 Volume reset		
5.1.3.14 Spoken languages		
5.1.3.15 Non-visual error identification		
5.1.3.16 Receipts, tickets, and transactional outputs		
5.1.4 Functionality closed to text enlargement		
5.1.5 Visual output for auditory information		
5.1.6 Operation without keyboard interface	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
5.1.6.1 Closed functionality	See 5.1.3.1 through 5.1.3.16	See information in 5.1.3.1 through 5.1.3.16
5.1.6.2 Input focus		
5.2 Activation of accessibility features		
5.3 Biometrics		
5.4 Preservation of accessibility information during conversion		
5.5 Operable parts	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
5.5.1 Means of operation		
5.5.2 Operable parts discernibility		
5.6 Locking or toggle controls	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
5.6.1 Tactile or auditory status		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
5.6.2 Visual status		
5.7 Key repeat		
5.8 Double-strike key acceptance		
5.9 Simultaneous user actions		

Chapter <u>6: ICT with Two-Way Voice Communication</u>

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
6.1 Audio bandwidth for speech		
6.2 Real-time text (RTT) functionality	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
6.2.1.1 RTT communication		
6.2.1.2 Concurrent voice and text		
6.2.2.1 Visually distinguishable display		
6.2.2.2 Programmatically determinable send and receive direction		
6.2.3 Interoperability		
6.2.4 Real-time text responsiveness		
6.3 Caller ID		
6.4 Alternatives to voice-based services		
6.5 Video communication	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
6.5.1 General (informative)	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
6.5.2 Resolution		
6.5.3 Frame rate		
6.5.4 Synchronization between audio and video		
6.6 Alternatives to video-based services (advisory only)	Advisory – no response required	Advisory – no response required

Chapter 7: ICT with Video Capabilities

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
7.1 Caption processing technology	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
7.1.1 Captioning playback		
7.1.2 Captioning synchronization		
7.1.3 Preservation of captioning		
7.2.1 Audio description playback		
7.2.2 Audio description synchronization		
7.2.3 Preservation of audio description		
7.3 User controls for captions and audio description		

Chapter 8: Hardware

Notes: Mergent Online is a web software application and is not subject to the requirements of this section.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
8.1.1 Generic requirements	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
8.1.2 Standard connections		
8.1.3 Colour		
8.2 Hardware products with speech output	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
8.2.1.1 Speech volume range		
8.2.1.2 Incremental volume control		
8.2.2.1 Fixed-line devices		
8.2.2.2 Wireless communication devices		
8.3 Physical access to ICT	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
8.3.2.1 Change in level		
8.3.2.2 Clear floor or ground space		
8.3.2.3.1 General		
8.3.2.3.2 Forward approach		
8.3.2.3.3 Parallel approach		
8.3.2.4 Knee and toe clearance width		
8.3.2.5 Toe clearance		
8.3.2.6 Knee clearance		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
8.3.3.1.1 Unobstructed high forward reach		
8.3.3.1.2 Unobstructed low forward reach		
8.3.3.1.3.1 Clear floor space		
8.3.3.1.3.2 Obstructed (< 510 mm) forward reach		
8.3.3.1.3.3 Obstructed (< 635 mm) forward reach		
8.3.3.2.1 Unobstructed high side reach		
8.3.3.2.2 Unobstructed low side reach		
8.3.3.2.3.1 Obstructed (≤255 mm) side reach		
8.3.3.2.3.2 Obstructed (≤610 mm) side reach		
8.3.4 Visibility		
8.3.5 Installation instructions		
8.4 Mechanically Operable parts	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
8.4.1 Numeric keys		
8.4.2.1 Means of Operation of mechanical parts		
8.4.2.2 Force of operation of mechanical parts		
8.4.3 Keys, tickets and fare cards		
8.5 Tactile indication of speech mode		

Chapter 9: Web (see WCAG 2.x section)

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Chapter 10: Non-Web Software

Notes: Mergent Online does not include non-web documents and is therefore not subject to the requirements of this section.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
10.0 General	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
10.1.1.1 through 10.4.1.3	See <u>WCAG 2.x</u> section	See information in WCAG 2.x section
10.5 Caption positioning		
10.6 Audio description timing		

Chapter 11: Software

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
11.0 General	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
11.1.1.1 through 11.4.1.3	See <u>WCAG 2.x</u> section	See information in WCAG 2.x section
11.5 Interoperability with assistive technology	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
11.5.1 Closed functionality (informative)	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
11.5.2 Accessibility services	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
11.5.2.1 Platform accessibility service support for software that provides a user interface	See 11.5.2.5 through 11.5.2.17	See information in 11.5.2.5 through 11.5.2.17
11.5.2.2 Platform accessibility service support for assistive technologies	See 11.5.2.5 through 11.5.2.17	See information in 11.5.2.5 through 11.5.2.17
11.5.2.3 Use of accessibility services	Supports	
11.5.2.4 Assistive technology	Supports	
11.5.2.5 Object information	Supports	
11.5.2.6 Row, column, and headers	Supports	
11.5.2.7 Values	Supports	
11.5.2.8 Label relationships	Supports	
11.5.2.9 Parent-child relationships	Supports	
11.5.2.10 Text	Supports	
11.5.2.11 List of available actions	Supports	
11.5.2.12 Execution of available actions	Supports	
11.5.2.13 Tracking of focus and selection attributes	Supports	
11.5.2.14 Modification of focus and selection attributes	Supports	
11.5.2.15 Change notification	Supports	
11.5.2.16 Modifications of states and properties	Supports	
11.5.2.17 Modifications of values and text	Supports	
11.6 Documented accessibility usage	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
11.6.1 User control of accessibility features	Not applicable	
11.6.2 No disruption of accessibility features	Not applicable	

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
11.7 User preferences	Does not support	
11.8 Authoring tools	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
11.8.1 Content technology	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
11.8.2 Accessible content creation (if not authoring tool, enter "not	See <u>WCAG 2.x</u> section	See information in WCAG 2.x section
applicable")		
11.8.3 Preservation of accessibility information in transformations		
11.8.4 Repair assistance		
11.8.5 Templates		

Chapter 12: Documentation and Support Services

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
12.1 Product documentation	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
12.1.1 Accessibility and compatibility features		
12.1.2 Accessible documentation	See WCAG 2.x section	See information in WCAG 2.x section
12.2 Support Services	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
12.2.2 Information on accessibility and compatibility features		
12.2.3 Effective communication		
12.2.4 Accessible documentation	See WCAG 2.x section	See information in WCAG 2.x section

Chapter 13: ICT Providing Relay or Emergency Service Access

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
13.1 Relay services requirements	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
13.1.2 Text relay services	Does not support	
13.1.3 Sign relay services	Does not support	
13.1.4 Lip-reading relay services	Does not support	
13.1.5 Captioned telephony services	Does not support	

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
13.1.6 Speech to speech relay services	Does not support	
13.2 Access to relay services	Does not support	
13.3 Access to emergency services	Does not support	

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