GFI Voluntary Product Accessibility Template (VPAT)

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. GFI remains dedicated to accessibility and 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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Criteria	**Supporting Features**	**Remarks and Explanations**
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Section 1194.22 Web-based Internet Information and Applications	Not Applicable	
Section 1194.23 Telecommunications Products	Not Applicable	
Section 1194.24 Video and Multi-media Products	Not Applicable	
Section 1194.25 Self-Contained, Closed Products	Not Applicable	
Section 1194.26 Desktop and Portable Computers	Not Applicable	
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Section 1194.21 Software Applications and Operating Systems - Detail Voluntary Product Accessibility Template		
Criteria	**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	GFI EventsManager allows for the navigation of menu options via the [Tab] key and any of the arrow keys, with the addition of shortcut keys that are used in conjunction with the keyboard [Alt] key.
(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	GFI EventsManager does not interfere with neither Microsoft Windows operating systems' accessibility features nor the accessibility features of other applications.
(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	All of the core and secondary features of GFI EventsManager are easily defined as having focus.

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(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	GFI EventsManager consistently displays textual representations of each element along with the image representation.
(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	Icons (bitmaps) maintain their meanings throughout an application's usage.
(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	Textual descriptions (text content, text input caret location, and text attributes) for displaying text are provided for applications that adhere to standard Windows Application Program Interfaces (APIs).
(g) Applications shall not override user selected contrast and color selections and other individual display attributes.	Supported	User selected color and contrast schemes and other individual display attributes set through Microsoft Windows are maintained while running GFI EventsManager.
(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	Animation is not the only means of conveying information.
(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	GFI EventsManager does not use color coding as the sole method to convey information, actions, prompting responses or distinguishing visual elements.
(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	No blinking text or objects are used in GFI EventsManager.

(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.	Not applicable	

Section 1194.31 Functional Performance Criteria – Detail
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Criteria	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	Operation for users with lack of vision can only be achieved through Assistive Technologies with exceptions as outlined in sections 1194.21 and 1194.22 above.
(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 through equivalent facilitation	Screen magnifiers can be used.
(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	Not applicable	Product does not require user hearing for its operation.
(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	Product does not utilize audio information as part of its operation.
(e) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require user speech shall be	Not applicable	Product does not require user speech for its operation.

provided, or support for Assistive Technology 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.	Supported with exceptions	The parts of the product that cannot be operated using the keyboard alone generally have significantly large target areas that would not cause problems for people with fine motor control limitations or limited reach and strength. See sections 1194.21 and 1194.22 above for exceptions in keyboard-only operation.

Section 1194.41 Information, Documentation and Support - Detail Voluntary Product Accessibility Template		
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 can be made available in text or audio format by request.
(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	Documentation can be made available in text or audio format by request.
(c) Support services for products shall accommodate the communication needs of end-users with disabilities.	Supported	Audio (telephone) and text (chat or email) technical support is available.

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