

# TechSmith Accessibility Conformance Report International Edition

(Based on VPAT® Version 2.5)

**Name of Product/Version:** TechSmith Audiate

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**Product Description:** Audiate provides text-based editing for audio.

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**Notes:** Audiate is available on both the Microsoft Windows and Apple Mac platforms. Chapter 4 under the Revised Section 508 has been removed as Hardware standards do not apply. EN 301 549 Criteria is included in the WCAG section, however, a full EN 301 549 Report section is not yet completed for this document. Responses to 602.3 are focused on supporting online help materials and are included in the Support Documentation VPAT located on the TechSmith website. The authored content (transcripts and audio files) from Audiate is exported and may be consumed in other applications.

**Evaluation Methods Used:** An internal evaluation was performed using NVDA and Microsoft Narrator, Color Contrast Analyzer where necessary, as well as the built-in screen magnifier, contrast settings, and other native accessibility features.

## Applicable Standards/Guidelines

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

Standard/Guideline	Included In Report
<a href="#">Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.0</a>	Level A - Yes Level AA - Yes Level AAA - No
<a href="#">Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.1</a>	Level A - Yes Level AA - Yes Level AAA - No
<a href="#">Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.2</a>	Level A - Yes Level AA - Yes Level AAA - No

<a href="#">Revised Section 508 standards published January 18, 2017 and corrected January 22, 2018</a>	Yes
<a href="#">EN 301 549 Accessibility requirements suitable for public procurement of ICT products and services in Europe, - V3.1.1 (2019-11)</a>	No

## 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 2.2 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 WCAG 2.0 Conformance Requirements.

**Table 1: Success Criteria Level A**

	Conformance Level		Remarks and Explanations
<p><b><u>1.1.1 Non-text Content (Level A)</u></b>            Also applies to:            EN 301 549 Criteria            9.1.1.1 (Web)            10.1.1.1 (Non-web document)            11.1.1.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)            11.1.1.1.2 (Closed 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)</p>	Software	Partially Supports	All content inherently is presented with both waveform and text alternatives. A minority of control elements, such as the play mode control, do not have text alternatives.
	Authoring Tool	Supports	Time-based audio files and caption files can be exported.
<p><b><u>1.2.1 Audio-only and Video-only (Prerecorded) (Level A)</u></b>            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)            11.1.2.1.2.1 and 11.1.2.1.2.2 (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)</p>	Software	Supports	All media provided with the product meets this criterion.
	Authoring Tool	Supports	Time-based audio files and caption files can be exported.
<p><b><u>1.2.2 Captions (Prerecorded) (Level A)</u></b>            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)            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)</p>	Software	Supports	The 'Overview Video' video provided includes captions.
	Authoring Tool	Supports	Time-based audio files and caption files can be exported.

<p><b><u>1.2.3 Audio Description or Media Alternative (Prerecorded) (Level A)</u></b>  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)  11.1.2.3.2 (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)</p>	Software	Does Not Support	The video included does not include an alternate audio track
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	There is no pre-recorded video included in authored content.
<p><b><u>1.3.1 Info and Relationships (Level A)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.1.3.1 (Web)  10.1.3.1 (Non-web document)  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)  Revised Section 508  501 (Web)(Software)  504.2 (Authoring Tool)  602.3 (Support Docs)</p>	Software	Does Not Support	There are multiple elements that rely on visual presentation only to imply hierarchy and relationship.
	Authoring Tool	Supports	Information and relationships can be programmatically determined in authored transcripts.
<p><b><u>1.3.2 Meaningful Sequence (Level A)</u></b>  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)  11.1.3.2.2 (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)</p>	Software	Does Not Support	The product does not have a meaningful reading sequence that can be programmatically determined.
	Authoring Tool	Supports	The product outputs captions in an SRT format which supports not only the spoken order of words but includes timestamp elements.

<p><b><u>1.3.3 Sensory Characteristics (Level A)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.1.3.3 (Web)  10.1.3.3 (Non-web document)  11.1.3.3 (Open Functionality Software)  11.1.3.3 (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)</p>	Software	Supports	Instructions provided for understanding and operating content do not rely solely on sensory characteristics.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not include any instructions.
<p><b><u>1.4.1 Use of Color (Level A)</u></b>  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)</p>	Software	Supports	The product uses color as a secondary affordance to convey information, but it is not the only affordance provided.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not use color to convey information.
<p><b><u>1.4.2 Audio Control (Level A)</u></b>  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)  11.1.4.2 (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)</p>	Software	Supports	All audio playback is controllable
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content is exported and may be consumed in other applications.

<p><b><u>2.1.1 Keyboard (Level A)</u></b>  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)</p>	Software	Partially Supports	Audio Effects do not have keyboard shortcuts.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not use keyboard navigation.
<p><b><u>2.1.2 No Keyboard Trap (Level A)</u></b>  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)</p>	Software	Does Not Support	The software does not have keyboard traps within most interface interactions. However, the Properties Panel and Audio Effects have keyboard traps.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not use keyboard navigation.
<p><b><u>2.1.4 Character Key Shortcuts (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.2.1.4 (Web)  10.2.1.4 (Non-web document)  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</p>	Software	Supports	The software does not utilize any single character key shortcuts.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not utilize keyboard shortcuts.

<p><b><u>2.2.1 Timing Adjustable (Level A)</u></b>  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)  11.2.2.1 (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)</p>	Software	Supports	The software does not possess any timing adjustable features that result in unexpected changes in content or context due to a time limit. The software has an essential, real-time exception for a 30-minute recording limit and users are alerted 1 minute prior to the end of the recording. Prior to recording there is a three-second countdown triggered by the user.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content has no limits for timing.
<p><b><u>2.2.2 Pause, Stop, Hide (Level A)</u></b>  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)  11.2.2.2 (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)</p>	Software	Supports	The software does not contain blinking or flashing attributes.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not contain blinking or flashing attributes.
<p><b><u>2.3.1 Three Flashes or Below Threshold (Level A)</u></b>  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)  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)</p>	Software	Supports	The software does not contain blinking or flashing above the threshold.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not contain blinking or flashing.

<p><b><u>2.4.1 Bypass Blocks (Level A)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.2.4.1 (Web)  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  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</p>	<p>Authoring Tool</p>	<p>Not Applicable</p>	<p>Authored content does not have repeated content that would need to be bypassed.</p>
<p><b><u>2.4.2 Page Titled (Level A)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.2.4.2 (Web)  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)</p>	<p>Authoring Tool</p>	<p>Supports</p>	<p>Authored content is named by default as the project name. The user can name the file as desired.</p>
<p><b><u>2.4.3 Focus Order (Level A)</u></b>  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)</p>	<p>Software</p>	<p>Does Not Support</p>	<p>Tab key sends users to scripting mode. Menus, Properties Panel, and Audio Effects components are focusable. Components can be accessed via hot keys. When in a dialog tab order is preserved.</p>
<p><b><u>2.4.3 Focus Order (Level A)</u></b>  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)</p>	<p>Authoring Tool</p>	<p>Not Applicable</p>	<p>Focus does not apply to authored content.</p>



<b><u>2.4.4 Link Purpose (In Context) (Level A)</u></b> 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) 12.2.4 (Support Docs) Revised Section 508 501 (Web)(Software) 504.2 (Authoring Tool) 602.3 (Support Docs)	Software	Does Not Support	The purpose of each link cannot be determined from the link text alone or from the link text together with its programmatically determined link context.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not contain links.
<b><u>2.5.1 Pointer Gestures (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)</u></b> Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria 9.2.5.1 (Web) 10.2.5.1 (Non-web document) 11.2.5.1 (Open Functionality Software) 11.2.5.1 (Closed Software) 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool) 12.1.2 (Product Docs) 12.2.4 (Support Docs) Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Software	Supports	All functionality in the software can be operated with a single pointer without a path-based gesture.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	No pointer gestures reside in authored content.
<b><u>2.5.2 Pointer Cancellation (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)</u></b> 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) 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	Software	Supports	For functionality that can be operated using a single pointer an abort can be completed by using Undo or the Escape key.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	There is no pointer interaction with authored content.

<p><b><u>2.5.3 Label in Name (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.2.5.3 (Web)  10.2.5.3 (Non-web document)  11.2.5.3.1 (Open Functionality Software)  11.2.5.3.2 (Closed Software)  11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)  12.1.2 (Product Docs)  12.2.4 (Support Docs)  Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Software	Supports	For user interface components with labels that include text or images of text, the name contains the text that is presented visually
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	There are no user interface components in the authored content.
<p><b><u>2.5.4 Motion Actuation (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.2.5.4 (Web)  10.2.5.4 (Non-web document)  11.2.5.4 (Open Functionality Software)  11.2.5.4 (Closed Software)  11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)  12.1.2 (Product Docs)  12.2.4 (Support Docs)  Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Software	Not Applicable	The Software does not contain any functionality that can be operated by device motion or user motion.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not contain any functionality that can be operated by device motion or user motion.
<p><b><u>3.1.1 Language of Page (Level A)</u></b>  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)  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)</p>	Software	Does Not Support	The default human language cannot be programmatically determined in the software. English is the language of record for the software.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not contain web pages or PDFs.

<b><u>3.2.1 On Focus (Level A)</u></b> Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria 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)	Software	Supports	When a user interface component receives focus, the software does not initiate a change of context.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Focus does not apply to authored content.
<b><u>3.2.2 On Input (Level A)</u></b> 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) 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)	Software	Supports	Changing the setting of any user interface component in the software does not automatically cause a change of context.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	There are no input controls within authored content
<b><u>3.2.6 Consistent Help (Level A 2.2 only)</u></b> EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Software	Supports	The Help menu and Tutorial Tips button is consistently available and is consistently in the same location.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Help is not located in authored content.

<p><b><u>3.3.1 Error Identification (Level A)</u></b>  <b>Also applies to:</b>  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.3.3.1 (Web)  10.3.3.1 (Non-web document)  11.3.3.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)  11.3.3.1.2 (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)</p>	Software	Partially Supports	If an input error is automatically detected, the item in error is identified, but it is not always described to the user in text.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	There are no inputs for authored content that can generate errors.
<p><b><u>3.3.2 Labels or Instructions (Level A)</u></b>  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)  11.3.3.2 (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)</p>	Software	Partially Supports	Labels or instructions are provided when content requires user input. Properties Panel and Audio Effects components are not fully readable by screen readers.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	There are no user input fields within authored content.
<p><b><u>3.3.7 Redundant Entry (Level A 2.2 only)</u></b>  EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply  Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Software	Supports	Information previously entered by or provided to the user is not required to be entered again for the same process and is auto-populated or available for the user to select.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not require data to be entered again.

<p><b><u>4.1.1 Parsing (Level A)</u></b>  Applies to:  WCAG 2.0 and 2.1 – Always answer ‘Supports’  WCAG 2.2 (obsolete and removed) - Does not apply  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.4.1.1 (Web)  10.4.1.1 (Non-web document)  11.4.1.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)  11.4.1.1.2 (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)</p>	Software	Not Applicable	Obsolete criterion for WCAG 2.2
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Obsolete criterion for WCAG 2.2
<p><b><u>4.1.2 Name, Role, Value (Level A)</u></b>  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) – 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)</p>	Software	Does Not Support	For several user interface components the name and role cannot be programmatically determined. The Properties and Waveform panels are examples where not all components can be determined.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored Content is not a user interface component.

**Table 2: Success Criteria AA**

	Conformance Level		Remarks and Explanations
<p><b><u>1.2.4 Captions (Live) (Level AA)</u></b>            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)            11.1.2.4 (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)</p>	Software	Not Applicable	The software does not support any live audio or video; therefore, this criterion does not apply.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	The authored content is not live.
<p><b><u>1.2.5 Audio Description (Prerecorded) (Level AA)</u></b>            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)            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)</p>	Software	Does Not Support	The video provided does not include an alternate audio track.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	The authored content does not include video.
<p><b><u>1.3.4 Orientation (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</u></b>            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)            11.1.3.4 (Closed Software)            11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)            12.1.2 (Product Docs)            12.2.4 (Support Docs)            Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Software	Not Applicable	The product can be used in either portrait or landscape orientation.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Orientation does not apply to authored content.

<p><b><u>1.3.5 Identify Input Purpose (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.1.3.5 (Web)  10.1.3.5 (Non-web document)  11.1.3.5.1 (Open Functionality Software)  11.1.3.5.2 (Closed Software)  11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)  12.1.2 (Product Docs)  12.2.4 (Support Docs)  Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Software	Not Applicable	Not Applicable. The software itself does not include any such fields. Product Login does, however this is handled by our website, not directly in the software.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not contain input fields.
<p><b><u>1.4.3 Contrast (Minimum) (Level AA)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.1.4.3 (Web)  10.1.4.3 (Non-web document)  11.1.4.3 (Open Functionality Software)  11.1.4.3 (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)</p>	Software	Supports	Exception: Highlighting hesitations reduces text contrast to 2.8:1. All other text complies to either 4.5:1 for standard size or 3:1 for large text.
	Authoring Tool	Supports	Authored content that includes text exceeds the contrast minimum.
<p><b><u>1.4.4 Resize text (Level AA)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.1.4.4 (Web)  10.1.4.4 (Non-web document)  11.1.4.4.1 (Open Functionality Software)  11.1.4.4.2 (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)</p>	Software	Does Not Support	The product does not support resizing the script text.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content is exported and may be consumed in other applications to meet this criterion.

<p><b><u>1.4.5 Images of Text (Level AA)</u></b>  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)  11.1.4.5.2 (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)</p>	Software	Supports	The product does not rely on images of text.
	Authoring Tool	Supports	Authored content does not use any images of text.
<p><b><u>1.4.10 Reflow (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.1.4.10 (Web)  10.1.4.10 (Non-web document)  11.1.4.10 (Open Functionality Software)  11.1.4.10 (Closed Software)  11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)  12.1.2 (Product Docs)  12.2.4 (Support Docs)  Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Software	Partially Supports	<p>The product enforces a minimum window size that prevents the need for scrolling, however, the minimum size is larger than described in the criteria.</p> <p>Audiate does not require scrolling in two dimensions. As noted in 1.4.4, Audiate supports text resizing by setting the operating system scale.</p>
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content is exported and may be consumed in other applications to meet this criterion.
<p><b><u>1.4.11 Non-text Contrast (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.1.4.11 (Web)  10.1.4.11 (Non-web document)  11.1.4.11 (Open Functionality Software)  11.1.4.11 (Closed Software)  11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)  12.1.2 (Product Docs)  12.2.4 (Support Docs)  Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Software	Supports	Active user interface components meet the minimum contrast requirements.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not contain graphical objects.



<p><b><u>1.4.12 Text Spacing (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.1.4.12 (Web)  10.1.4.12 (Non-web document)  11.1.4.12 (Open Functionality Software)  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</p>	<p>Software</p>	<p>Not Applicable</p>	<p>The software does not support style properties for text.</p>
<p><b><u>1.4.13 Content on Hover or Focus (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  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</p>	<p>Software</p>	<p>Supports</p>	<p>All such content in the product is dismissible, hover-able, and persistent.</p>
<p><b><u>2.4.5 Multiple Ways (Level AA)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.2.4.5 (Web)  10.2.4.5 (Non-web document) – Does not apply  11.2.4.5 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply  11.2.4.5 (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</p>	<p>Authoring Tool</p>	<p>Not Applicable</p>	<p>Authored content is not a web page.</p>

<p><b><u>2.4.6 Headings and Labels (Level AA)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.2.4.6 (Web)  10.2.4.6 (Non-web document)  11.2.4.6 (Open Functionality Software)  11.2.4.6 (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)</p>	Software	Partially Supports	Headings and labels describe the topic or purpose. Labels are not included on buttons on panels.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not include headings or labels
<p><b><u>2.4.7 Focus Visible (Level AA)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.2.4.7 (Web)  10.2.4.7 (Non-web document)  11.2.4.7 (Open Functionality Software)  11.2.4.7 (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)</p>	Software	Does Not Support	Some dialogs provide visible focus, however, many user interface controls do not show a keyboard focus indicator, such as dialog buttons and effects.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not include visible focus.
<p><b><u>2.4.11 Focus Not Obscured (Minimum) (Level AA 2.2 only)</u></b>  EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply  Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Software	Does Not Support	Some non-modal dialogues obscure focus state.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not include visible focus nor focus that could be obscured.
<p><b><u>2.5.7 Dragging Movements (Level AA 2.2 only)</u></b>  EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply  Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Software	Supports	All controls offer single-pointer and/or text input alternatives.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	No dragging movements reside in authored content.

<p><b><u>2.5.8 Target Size (Minimum) (Level AA 2.2 only)</u></b>  EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply  Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	<p>Software</p>	<p>Supports</p>	<p>While some controls are under the 24 x 24 pixel requirements, they do not overlap with other controls.</p>
	<p>Authoring Tool</p>	<p>Not Applicable</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p><b><u>3.1.2 Language of Parts (Level AA)</u></b>  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  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)</p>	<p>Authoring Tool</p>	<p>Not Applicable</p>	<p>Authored content does not contain web pages or PDFs.</p>
<p><b><u>3.2.3 Consistent Navigation (Level AA)</u></b>  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  11.3.2.3 (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</p>	<p>Authoring Tool</p>	<p>Not Applicable</p>	<p>Authored content does not have repeated content.</p>

<p><b><u>3.2.4 Consistent Identification (Level AA)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  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</p>	<p>Authoring Tool</p>	<p>Not Applicable</p>	<p>Authored content is not a web page.</p>
<p><b><u>3.3.3 Error Suggestion (Level AA)</u></b>  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)  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)</p>	<p>Software</p>	<p>Does Not Support</p>	<p>When an input error is automatically detected and correction is known, the software does not display an input error, however, the software automatically corrects the input to the nearest acceptable input value.</p>
<p><b><u>3.3.4 Error Prevention (Legal, Financial, Data) (Level AA)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.3.3.4 (Web)  10.3.3.4 (Non-web document)  11.3.3.4 (Open Functionality Software)  11.3.3.4 (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)</p>	<p>Software</p>	<p>Not Applicable</p>	<p>Changes to any user data can be reversed by using the Undo functionality. Audiate does not process legal or financial transactions.</p>
<p><b><u>3.3.4 Error Prevention (Legal, Financial, Data) (Level AA)</u></b>  Also applies to:  EN 301 549 Criteria  9.3.3.4 (Web)  10.3.3.4 (Non-web document)  11.3.3.4 (Open Functionality Software)  11.3.3.4 (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)</p>	<p>Authoring Tool</p>	<p>Not Applicable</p>	<p>Authored content is a file output so there is no way to modify or delete user controllable data.</p>

<b><u>3.3.8 Accessible Authentication (Minimum) (Level AA 2.2 only)</u></b> EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Software	Not Applicable	Audiate ensures seamless coordination via web browser with <a href="http://login.techsmith.com">login.techsmith.com</a> which is directly responsible for authentication.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	
<b><u>4.1.3 Status Messages (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</u></b> Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria 9.4.1.3 (Web) 10.4.1.3 (Non-web document) 11.4.1.3 (Open Functionality Software) 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	Software	Partially Supports	Status messages are presented to the user by assistive technologies in some instances, but not all.
	Authoring Tool	Not Applicable	Authored content does not contain markup language.

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## Chapter 3: Functional Performance Criteria (FPC)

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
302.1 Without Vision	Does Not Support	There are points within the software where a screen reader will not appropriately read labels (such as Audio Effects properties). There are areas of the user interface that require clicking.
302.2 With Limited Vision	Partially Supports	For any elements that need to contrast, DPI changes are supported.
302.3 Without Perception of Color	Supports	The software is mostly usable without perception of color being necessary, but some users may have difficulty.
302.4 Without Hearing	Supports	When audio is generated from the product, there are other visual indicators of what audio is being generated, such as a playhead and text display of the audio.
302.5 With Limited Hearing	Supports	When audio is generated from the product, there are other visual indicators of what audio is being generated, such as a playhead and text display of the audio.
302.6 Without Speech	Supports	Users that cannot record their own audio can import standard audio files.
302.7 With Limited Manipulation	Partially Supports	Most controls can be navigated via keyboard or mouse, but Audio Effects can only be adjusted by using a mouse.
302.8 With Limited Reach and Strength	Supports	Software: The product can be used with limited reach and strength. Authoring Tool: Authors can create content that is functional for viewers with limited reach and strength.
302.9 With Limited Language, Cognitive, and Learning Abilities	Partially Supports	The software is designed to be an easily approachable audio editing tool. It makes it easier to edit audio by editing text like working with text in a document. This is an easier approach than editing audio using waveform-based editors. There are more complex features like audio effects that could be more challenging for people with limited cognitive, language or learning abilities.

## **Chapter 4: Hardware**

Notes: Not Applicable

## **Chapter 5: Software**

<b>Criteria</b>	<b>Conformance Level</b>	<b>Remarks and Explanations</b>
501.1 Scope – Incorporation of WCAG 2.0 AA	<u>See WCAG 2.x section</u>	See information in WCAG 2.x section
<b><u><a href="#">502 Interoperability with Assistive Technology</a></u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
502.2.1 User Control of Accessibility Features	Not Applicable	Audiate is not platform software.
502.2.2 No Disruption of Accessibility Features	Supports	The product does not disable any Windows accessibility features.
<b>502.3 Accessibility Services</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
502.3.1 Object Information	Not Applicable	Audiate is not platform software.
502.3.2 Modification of Object Information	Not Applicable	Audiate is not platform software.
502.3.3 Row, Column, and Headers	Not Applicable	Audiate is not platform software.
502.3.4 Values	Not Applicable	Audiate is not platform software.
502.3.5 Modification of Values	Not Applicable	Audiate is not platform software.
502.3.6 Label Relationships	Not Applicable	Audiate is not platform software.
502.3.7 Hierarchical Relationships	Not Applicable	Audiate is not platform software.
502.3.8 Text	Not Applicable	Audiate is not platform software.
502.3.9 Modification of Text	Not Applicable	Audiate is not platform software.

502.3.10 List of Actions	Not Applicable	Audiate is not platform software.
502.3.11 Actions on Objects	Not Applicable	Audiate is not platform software.
502.3.12 Focus Cursor	Not Applicable	Audiate is not platform software.
502.3.13 Modification of Focus Cursor	Not Applicable	Audiate is not platform software.
502.3.14 Event Notification	Not Applicable	Audiate is not platform software.
502.4 Platform Accessibility Features	Not Applicable	Audiate is not platform software.
<b><u>503 Applications</u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
503.2 User Preferences	Partially Supports	Audiate recognizes monitor DPI (including multiple monitors with different settings), contrast, color, and focus cursor, but does not permit user preferences from platform settings for font type and font size.
503.3 Alternative User Interfaces	Not Applicable	Audiate does not provide alternative user interfaces.
<b><i>503.4 User Controls for Captions and Audio Description</i></b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
503.4.1 Caption Controls	Not Applicable	Audiate does not have a video player.
503.4.2 Audio Description Controls	Not Applicable	Audiate does not have a video player.
<b><u>504 Authoring Tools</u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
504.2 Content Creation or Editing (if not authoring tool, enter “not applicable”)	<u>See WCAG 2.x section</u>	See information in WCAG 2.x section
504.2.1 Preservation of Information Provided for Accessibility in Format Conversion	Supports	When outputting content from Audiate the information required for accessibility is preserved.
504.2.2 PDF Export	Not Applicable	Audiate does not export to PDF.
504.3 Prompts	Partially Supports	Audiate provides the capability to create content that conforms to Level A and AA, however, the software does not prompt.
504.4 Templates	Not Applicable	Audiate does not utilize templates.



## **Chapter 6: Support Documentation and Services**

Notes: See the TechSmith Supporting Docs Conformance Report for this information: <https://www.techsmith.com/accessibility.html>

<b>Criteria</b>	<b>Conformance Level</b>	<b>Remarks and Explanations</b>
<b>601.1 Scope</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
<b><u><a href="#">602 Support Documentation</a></u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
602.2 Accessibility and Compatibility Features		Remarks and Explanations
602.3 Electronic Support Documentation	<u>See WCAG 2.x section</u>	See information in WCAG 2.x section
602.4 Alternate Formats for Non-Electronic Support Documentation		Remarks and Explanations
<b><u><a href="#">603 Support Services</a></u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
603.2 Information on Accessibility and Compatibility Features		Remarks and Explanations
603.3 Accommodation of Communication Needs		Remarks and Explanations

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