

# Blender Accessibility Conformance Report

## Revised Section 508 Edition

(Based on VPAT® Version 2.4Rev)

**Name of Product/Version:** Blender

**Report Date:** March 1, 2023

**Product Description:** 3D Graphics Software

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**Notes:**

**Evaluation Methods Used:** Testing is based on general product knowledge

### 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>	(No)
<a href="#">Revised Section 508 standards published January 18, 2017 and corrected January 22, 2018</a>	(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.

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## Chapter 3: [Functional Performance Criteria \(FPC\)](#)

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Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
302.1 Without Vision	Does Not support	This program requires some level of vision for its purpose of creating 2D images and 3D content.
302.2 With Limited Vision	Supports	This program includes features that allow use with extremely limited vision.
302.3 Without Perception of Color	Supports	This program does not require color perception.
302.4 Without Hearing	Supports	Hearing is not required to use this software.
302.5 With Limited Hearing	Supports	Hearing is not required to use this software.
302.6 Without Speech	Supports	Speech is not required to use this software.
302.7 With Limited Manipulation	Supports	The software can be used without fine motor control or simultaneous manual operations.
302.8 With Limited Reach and Strength	Supports	Only mouse, keyboard, or pen tablet is required to operate the software and can be configured for use with varying reach and strength.
302.9 With Limited Language, Cognitive, and Learning Abilities	Does Not Support	This software does not have a simplified interface suitable for those with cognitive and learning disabilities.

## Chapter 4: [Hardware](#)

Notes: Not Applicable. This is a software only application.

## Chapter 5: [Software](#)

Notes:

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
<a href="#">502 Interoperability with Assistive Technology</a>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
502.2.1 User Control of Accessibility Features	Does Not Support	The program does not support platform accessibility features.
502.2.2 No Disruption of Accessibility Features	Does Not Support	The program does not allow use of platform accessibility features.
<b>502.3 Accessibility Services</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
502.3.1 Object Information	Partially Supports	The software supports scripting so that this is all programmatically determinable, but not specifically for accessibility purposes. Users may build or find addons to enable accessibility features.
502.3.2 Modification of Object Information		
502.3.3 Row, Column, and Headers		
502.3.4 Values		
502.3.5 Modification of Values		
502.3.6 Label Relationships		
502.3.7 Hierarchical Relationships		
502.3.8 Text		
502.3.9 Modification of Text		
502.3.10 List of Actions		
502.3.11 Actions on Objects		
502.3.12 Focus Cursor		
502.3.13 Modification of Focus Cursor		

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
502.3.14 Event Notification	Partially Supports	As Above
502.4 Platform Accessibility Features	Does Not Support	Software does not support platform or external accessibility features.
<b><u>503 Applications</u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
503.2 User Preferences	Does Not Support	The program does not support the propagation of OS preferences.
503.3 Alternative User Interfaces	Does Not Support	The software does not support platform or external accessibility tools.
<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	Captioning is not required to operate this software
503.4.2 Audio Description Controls	Not Applicable	Audio Descriptions are not required to operate this software
<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”)	See <a href="#">WCAG 2.x</a> section	See information in WCAG 2.x section
504.2.1 Preservation of Information Provided for Accessibility in Format Conversion	Not Applicable	The use of the software does involve the interchange of any applicable documents
504.2.2 PDF Export	Does Not Support	The software does not create PDF documents that conform to PDF/UA-1
504.3 Prompts	Not Applicable	Output created by the program is not of the type that is applicable to WCAG 2.x.
504.4 Templates	Not Applicable	Output created by the program is not of the type that is applicable to WCAG 2.x.

## Chapter 6: [Support Documentation and Services](#)

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Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<b><i>601.1 Scope</i></b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
<b><u>602 Support Documentation</u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required

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602.2 Accessibility and Compatibility Features	Does Not Support	Software documentation does not specifically list or explain accessibility features.
602.3 Electronic Support Documentation	See <a href="#">WCAG 2.x</a> section	See information in WCAG 2.x section
602.4 Alternate Formats for Non-Electronic Support Documentation	Not Applicable	All documentation is electronic.
<a href="#">603 Support Services</a>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
603.2 Information on Accessibility and Compatibility Features	Does Not Support	There is currently not a documentation area specifically for accessibility and compatibility features.
603.3 Accommodation of Communication Needs	Does Not Support	There is no specific support or accommodation point of contact.

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