EuropaWorld.com Accessibility Conformance Report

International Edition

(Based on VPAT® Version 2.4 Rev)

Name of Product/Version: Europa World – The pre-eminent reference resource for global affairs | Taylor & Francis eBooks – europaworld.com

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Product Description: Europa World (https://www.europaworld.com) is a meticulously researched global resource including political, economic and statistical information about more than 250 countries and territories, as well as international and regional organizations. The Europa world year book was first published in 1926 and, together with the nine regional surveys of the world, is renowned as one of the world's leading reference works.

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Information Classification: General

Evaluation Methods Used: The testing process for the **Europa World - europaworld.com** involved a combination of manual testing and functional testing. We used automated testing tools such as WAVE and Color Contrast Analyzer in combination with manual testing to evaluate the accessibility of the website. A selection of pages representative of the product were comprehensively tested using various testing methodologies, including screen readers such as JAWS, Voiceover, and NVDA, exclusive use of the keyboard, and manual inspection of the code. In addition, we conducted functional testing of a typical user flow using screen readers like JAWS, Voiceover, and NVDA.

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 (No)
Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.1	Level A (Yes)
	Level AA (Yes)
	Level AAA (No)
Revised Section 508 standards published January 18, 2017 and corrected January 22, 2018	(Yes)
EN 301 549 Accessibility requirements for ICT products and services - V3.1.1 (2019-11) AND EN 301 549 Accessibility requirements for ICT products and services - V3.2.1 (2021-03)	(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 2.1 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 2.1 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

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) • 11.1.1.1.1 (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)	Web: Supports	Web: All non-text content that is presented to the user has text alternatives that are descriptive and convey the same information as the non-text content, ensuring that users who cannot access the non-text content can still understand and use the information on the website.
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) • 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)	Web: Not Applicable	Web: The website does not include any audio or video (prerecorded) content.

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) – 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)	Web: Not Applicable	Web: The website does not contain synchronized media
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) • 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)	Web: Not Applicable	Web: The website does not include any time-based media or audio description to provide alternative text.
1.3.1 Info and Relationships (Level A) 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)	Web: Supports	Web: The presentation of information, structure and relationships can be programmatically determined or accessed in textual form.

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• 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)		
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) • 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)	Web: Supports	Web: The reading and navigation order, as determined by code sequence, follows an intuitive structure.
1.3.3 Sensory Characteristics (Level A) 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)	Web: Supports	Web: Instructions provided for understanding and operating content do not rely solely on sensory characteristics of components, such as shape, size, Visual location, orientation, or sound.

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• 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)	Web: Supports	Web: The website ensures that people with color vision deficiencies can access the information with alternative formats like text or patterns, which convey the same information as colors
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) • 11.1.4.2 (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)	Web: Not Applicable	Web: The product does not contain any audio content.
2.1.1 Keyboard (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria • 9.2.1.1 (Web)	Web: Supports	Web: All webpage functionality is operable through keyboard keystroke

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• 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)		
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)	Web: Partially Supports	Web: The product makes sure that users can use all the features of a website using just the keyboard. However, searching in countries/Territories and upon getting results, on tab click control is trapped between input field and cross.
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) • 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)	Web: Not Applicable	Web: The website does not have any character key shortcuts.

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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) • 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)	Web: Partially Supports	Web: The website includes an image slider that advances on set rate. However, the user can navigate to the next and previous image. Image stops sliding when we hover or when it receives focus.
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) • 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)	Web: Supports	Web: The website features an image slider that allows user to pause on hover or on receiving focus, but they are unable to stop or hide it.
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)	Web: Not Applicable	Web: The website does not contain anything that Flashes more than three times in any one second period.

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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)		
2.4.1 Bypass Blocks (Level A) 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	Web: Supports	Web: The product provides a mechanism to bypass the main navigation.
2.4.2 Page Titled (Level A) 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	Web: Supports	Web: The site's web pages have titles that describe topic or purpose.

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- 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)	Web: Supports	Web: The arrangement of links and other components follows a logical and intuitive order for navigation.
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) - 12.2.4 (Support Docs) Revised Section 508 - 501 (Web)(Software) - 504.2 (Authoring Tool) - 602.3 (Support Docs)	Web: Supports	Web: The purpose of each link can be determined from the link text alone or from the link text together with its programmatically determined link context.
2.5.1 Pointer Gestures (Level A 2.1 only) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria	Web: Not Applicable	Web: The website does not rely on multipoint or path-based gestures.

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• 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		
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) • 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	Web: Supports	Web: Website functions that rely on a single pointer are executed upon the user's release of pointer, and user has ability to cancel an action by moving away from the target before releasing the pointer
2.5.3 Label in Name (Level A 2.1 only) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria • 9.2.5.3 (Web) • 10.2.5.3 (Non-web document) • 11.2.5.3 (Open Functionality Software) • 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	Web: Supports	Web: The accessible name of each user interface component that includes a visible text such as title
2.5.4 Motion Actuation (Level A 2.1 only) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria • 9.2.5.4 (Web)	Web: Not Applicable	Web: The website does not have functionality operated by device motion or user motion

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• 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		
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) • 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)	Web: Supports	Web: The HTML lang attribute is utilized to determine the language employed on page.
3.2.1 On Focus (Level A) 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)	Web: Supports	Web: When a page element gains focus, it does not result in significant alterations to the page, trigger the appearance of a pop-up window, lead to different keyboard focus, or introduce any other modifications that might cause confusions or disorientation for the user.

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• 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) • 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)	Web: Supports	Web: When a user provides input or interacts with a control, it should not cause significant alterations to page, triggering the appearance of a pop-up window, result in a different keyboard focus, or introduce any other modifications that might confuse or disorient the user, unless the user is notified about the upcoming change in advance.
3.3.1 Error Identification (Level A) Also applies to: 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)	Web: Partially Supports	Web: Screen reader fails to announce the error message in advance search section
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)	Web: Supports	Web: Sufficient label and instructions are provided for required interactive elements via instructions, placeholder.

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• 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)		
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) • 11.4.1.1.2 (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)	Web: Supports	Web: HTML errors were observed such as id of active elements must be unique, etc. These errors are due to google analytics. In future, we will rectify these errors.
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) • 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool) • 12.1.2 (Product Docs) • 12.2.4 (Support Docs) Revised Section 508	Web: Supports	Web: The markup is employed in a manner that enhances accessibility. ARIA is utilized to enhance accessibility in situations where HTML alone is inadequate.

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• 501 (Web)(Software) • 504.2 (Authoring Tool) • 602.3 (Support Docs)		

Table 2: Success Criteria, Level AA

Notes:

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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) • 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)	Web: Not Applicable	Web: The product does not contain synchronized media.
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) • 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool) • 12.1.2 (Product Docs) • 12.2.4 (Support Docs) Revised Section 508	Web: Not Applicable	Web: The product does not contain synchronized media.

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• 501 (Web)(Software) • 504.2 (Authoring Tool) • 602.3 (Support Docs)		
1.3.4 Orientation (Level AA 2.1 only) 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	Web: Supports	Web: The website's content is designed to be responsive and flexible, accommodating various screen sizes and orientations. This ensures that users can seamlessly access and utilize the website, regardless of the device they are using.
1.3.5 Identify Input Purpose (Level AA 2.1 only) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria • 9.1.3.5 (Web) • 10.1.3.4 (Non-web document) • 11.1.3.5 (Open Functionality Software) • 11.1.3.5 (Closed Software) • 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool) • 12.1.2 (Product Docs) • 12.2.4 (Support Docs) Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Web: Supports	Web: Every input field on the website has a clearly defined purpose that can be determined programmatically.
1.4.3 Contrast (Minimum) (Level AA) 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)	Web: Supports	Web: Text and images of text have a contrast ratio of at least 4.5:1. Large text - at least 18 point (typically 24px) or 14 point (typically 18.66px) and bold - has a contrast ratio of at least 3:1.

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• 12.2.4 (Support Docs) Revised Section 508 • 501 (Web)(Software) • 504.2 (Authoring Tool) • 602.3 (Support Docs)		
1.4.4 Resize text (Level AA) 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)	Web: Supports	Web: The website maintains its readability and functionality even when page is zoomed to 200%.
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) • 11.1.4.5.2 (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)	Web: Supports	Web: The website mostly relies on text rather than images of text, and any images of text present have accompanying alt-text that accurately conveys the textual content.

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1.4.10 Reflow (Level AA 2.1 only) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria • 9.1.4.10 (Web) • 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	Web: Supports	Web: The Content across the website is designed to be re-flowable and can be presented without loss of information or functionality, without requiring to scroll in two dimensions
1.4.11 Non-text Contrast (Level AA 2.1 only) 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	Web: Supports	Web: Non-text content throughout the website meets color contrast requirements.
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) • 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	Web: Supports	The following are all supported for text throughout the website: Line height (line spacing) to at least 1.5 times the font size. • Spacing following paragraphs to at least 2 times the font size. • Letter spacing (tracking) to at least 0.12 times the font size. • Word spacing to at least 0.16 times the font size.
1.4.13 Content on Hover or Focus (Level AA 2.1 only) Also applies to:	Web: Not Applicable	Web: The website does not include any content that triggers additional content on receiving focus or hover.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
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		
2.4.5 Multiple Ways (Level AA) 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	Web: Supports	Web: The product does not currently have a sitemap or site search functionality. However, we have implemented other methods to ensure that users can navigate and access content in multiple ways, including using clear and consistent navigation menus, breadcrumbs, and related content links.
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) • 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	Web: Supports	Web: The web page headings and interactive controls are designed to be informative, providing clear and concise information to users.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
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) 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)	Web: Supports	Web: The product ensures that focus is visible and distinctly represents on all interactive elements throughout the website.
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 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)	Web: Supports	Web: The language of each passage in the content can be programmatically determined, as the product maintains a consistent language throughout without any language changes.
3.2.3 Consistent Navigation (Level AA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria	Web: Supports	Web: Navigational mechanisms that are repeated on multiple web pages within a set of web pages occur in

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
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		the same relative order each time they are repeated, unless a change is initiated by the user.
3.2.4 Consistent Identification (Level AA) 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	Web: Supports	Web: The product ensures consistent identification of components with the same functionality throughout the website.
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) 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool) 12.1.2 (Product Docs)	Web: Partially Supports	Web: In case of an input error is detected, the product promptly offers suggestions for resolving the issue in a timely manner. However, screen reader fails to announce the error suggestion in advance search section.

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)		
3.3.4 Error Prevention (Legal, Financial, Data) (Level AA) 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)	Web: Supports	Web: For login, advance search and contact us page, data is checked for input errors and the user is provided an opportunity to correct them
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 • 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	Web: Supports	Web: The product ensures that status messages are programmatically determinable and visible to all users.

Table 3: Success Criteria, Level AAA

Notes: Not applicable. Europa World was not evaluated for WCAG 2.1 Level AAA conformance.

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Chapter 3: Functional Performance Criteria (FPC)

Notes: See Tables 1 and 2 for details on how each of the below criteria are met via WCAG standards.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
302.1 Without Vision	Supports	The product is usable by those without vision.
302.2 With Limited Vision	Supports	The product is usable by those with limited vision. As described in 1.1.1 Non-text Content 1.4.1 Use of Color 1.4.3 Contrast (Minimum) 1.4.4 Resize text
302.3 Without Perception of Color	Supports	The product is usable by those without perception of color. As described in 1.4.1 Use of Color
302.4 Without Hearing	Supports	The product is usable by those without hearing.
302.5 With Limited Hearing	Supports	The product is usable by those with limited hearing.
302.6 Without Speech	Supports	The product is usable by those without speech.
302.7 With Limited Manipulation	Supports	The product is usable by those with Limited Manipulation

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
		As described in 2.1.1 Keyboard 2.1.2 No Keyboard Trap 3.2.1 On Focus 3.2.2 On Input
302.8 With Limited Reach and Strength	Supports	The product is usable by those with Limited Reach and Strength As described in 2.1.1 Keyboard 2.1.2 No Keyboard Trap 3.2.1 On Focus 3.2.2 On Input
302.9 With Limited Language, Cognitive, and Learning Abilities	Supports	The product is usable by those with Limited Language, Cognitive, and Learning Abilities As described in 2.4.4 Link Purpose (In Context) 2.4.6 Headings and Labels 3.3.2 Labels or Instructions.

Chapter 4: Hardware

Notes: Not applicable. Europa World is a website and includes no hardware to evaluate.

Chapter 5: Software

Notes: Not applicable. Europa World is a website and includes no software to evaluate.

Chapter 6: Support Documentation and Services

Notes:

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	Support	The website has an accessibility statement and help page found at https://help.taylorfrancis.com/librarians_institutions/s/article/Accessibility-Statement
602.3 Electronic Support Documentation	See WCAG 2.1 section	See information in WCAG section
602.4 Alternate Formats for Non-Electronic Support Documentation	Support	The accessibility help page can be printed in any browser
603 Support Services	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
603.2 Information on Accessibility and Compatibility Features	Not Applicable	
603.3 Accommodation of Communication Needs	Not Applicable	

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Chapter 4: [4.2 Functional Performance Statements](#) (FPS)

Notes: See Tables 1 and 2 for details on how each of the below criteria are met via WCAG standards.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
4.2.1 Usage without vision	Supports	The product is usable by those without vision.
4.2.2 Usage with limited vision	Supports	The product is usable by those with limited vision. As described in 1.1.1 Non-text Content 1.4.1 Use of Color 1.4.3 Contrast (Minimum) 1.4.4 Resize text
4.2.3 Usage without perception of colour	Supports	The product is usable by those without perception of color. As described in 1.4.1 Use of Color
4.2.4 Usage without hearing	Supports	The product is usable by those without hearing.
4.2.5 Usage with limited hearing	Supports	The product is usable by those with limited hearing.
4.2.6 Usage without vocal capability	Supports	The product is usable by those without vocal capability.
4.2.7 Usage with limited manipulation or strength	Supports	The product is usable by those with Limited Manipulation As described in 2.1.1 Keyboard

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
		2.1.2 No Keyboard Trap 3.2.1 On Focus 3.2.2 On Input
4.2.8 Usage with limited reach	Supports	The product is usable by those with Limited Reach and Strength As described in 2.1.1 Keyboard 2.1.2 No Keyboard Trap 3.2.1 On Focus 3.2.2 On Input
4.2.9 Minimize photosensitive seizure triggers	Supports	
4.2.10 Usage with limited cognition	Supports	The product is usable by those with Limited Cognitive, and Learning Abilities As described in 2.4.4 Link Purpose (In Context) 2.4.6 Headings and Labels 3.3.2 Labels or Instructions.
4.2.11 Privacy	Supports	

Chapter 5: Generic Requirements

Notes: Not applicable. Europa World is a website and web requirements are evaluated in Chapter 9

Chapter 6: ICT with Two-Way Voice Communication

Notes: Not applicable. Europa World does not have two-way voice communication capabilities.

Chapter 7: ICT with Video Capabilities

Notes: Not Applicable. Europa World does not use video player to evaluate.

Chapter 8: Hardware

Notes: Not applicable. Europa World is a website and includes no hardware to evaluate.

Chapter 9: Web *(see WCAG 2.1 section)*

Notes: Not applicable. Europa World is a website and includes no hardware to evaluate.

Chapter 10: Non-web Documents

Notes: Not evaluated. Europa World is a website and supplemental materials attached to article content have not been evaluated for accessibility.

Chapter 11: Software

Notes: Not applicable. Europa World is a website and includes no software to evaluate.

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	Support	The website has an accessibility statement and help page found at https://help.taylorfrancis.com/librarians_institutions/s/article/Accessibility-Statement
12.1.2 Accessible documentation	See WCAG 2.1 section	See information in WCAG section
12.2 Support Services	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
12.2.2 Information on accessibility and compatibility features	Applicable	
12.2.3 Effective communication	Applicable	
12.2.4 Accessible documentation	See WCAG 2.x section	See information in WCAG section

Chapter 13: ICT Providing Relay or Emergency Service Access

Notes: Not applicable. Europa World is not an ICT that provides relay or emergency service access.

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