



# Accessibility Conformance Report

## WCAG 2.1 and 2.2 Checklist

**Name of Product:** *ApexSQL Audit 2024.01*

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**Evaluation Methods Used:** *Evaluation has been done with NVDA and Accessibility Insights for Windows tools.*

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### Terms

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

Term	Explanation
<b>Supports</b>	The functionality of the product has at least one method that meets the criterion without known defects or meets with equivalent facilitation.
<b>Partially Supports</b>	Some functionality of the product does not meet the criterion.
<b>Does Not Support</b>	The majority of product functionality does not meet the criterion.
<b>Not Applicable</b>	The criterion is not relevant to the product.
<b>Not Evaluated</b>	The product has not been evaluated against the criterion. This can only be used in WCAG Level AAA criteria.
<b>ADTC</b>	Anticipated calendar quarter (and year) when this accessibility feature is expected to be corrected.

## WCAG Conformance Levels

Three levels of WCAG conformance exist: A, AA, and AAA. Each level builds on the prior level. To meet level AA, a product must meet all of level A; to meet AAA, a product must meet all of level AA.

Level		Conformance Criteria			
		WCAG 2.0	WCAG 2.1	WCAG 2.2	Total (all versions)
A	Minimum accessibility	25	5	2	32
AA	More accessible	13	7	4	24
AAA	Even more accessible <i>(not applicable to all experiences)</i>	23	5	3	31
Total		61	17	9	86*

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Criterion	Description	Conformance Level	ADTC (Q/YY)	Remarks
<u>1.1.1 – Non-text Content</u>	Text alternatives are provided for non-text content.	Not Applicable		
<u>1.2.1 – Audio-only and Video-only (Pre-recorded)</u>	A transcript is provided for audio-only content and a transcript or audio description is provided for video-only content.	Not Applicable		
<u>1.2.2 – Captions (Pre-recorded)</u>	Captions are provided for video with audio.	Not Applicable		
<u>1.2.3 – Audio Description or Media Alternative (Pre-recorded)</u>	A transcript and / or audio descriptions are provided for video with audio.	Not Applicable		
<u>1.3.1 – Info and Relationships</u>	Information and content relationships implied by formatting are communicated in text or in a way that works with assistive technology.	Partially Supports		<p>The product uses semantically correct naming in the form of text to present information, structure, and relationships.</p> <p>However, those relationships would not be entirely comprehensible when relying solely on assistive technology due to the fact that some buttons do not contain tooltips and accessibility-specific markup that provide additional information about their functionality.</p>
<u>1.3.2 – Meaningful Sequence</u>	The reading order of content is meaningful, no matter how a user accesses or consumes it.	Partially Supports		<p>The majority of content is presented in a meaningful reading order within separate sections of the product. However, certain sections contain side-by-side panes which do not have accessibility-specific markup and tooltips with additional information that would clearly specify their meaning or functionality</p>
<u>1.3.3 – Sensory Characteristics</u>	Instructions rely on more than one sense.	Partially Supports		s Certain buttons, options and status overview

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<u>1.4.1 – Use of Color</u>	Color is not the only way used to distinguish an element, convey meaning, indicate an action, or prompt a response.	Supports		
<u>1.4.2 – Audio Control</u>	A mechanism is provided to control audio that plays on page automatically for more than three seconds.	Not applicable		

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<u>2.1.1 – Keyboard</u>	All functionality is operable using a keyboard (with exceptions).	Partially Supports		Basic text-editing keyboard commands, (such as CTRL+A, CTRL+F, CTRL+C, CTRL+V, space, enter etc.) can be used in all available input fields.  However, navigating through the application only via keyboard would not be possible.
<u>2.1.2 – No Keyboard Trap</u>	The focus does not get trapped on any element in keyboard-only navigation.	Does Not Support		
<u>2.1.4 – Character Key Shortcuts</u>	No single-key shortcuts are used, or a way to turn them off or change them is provided.	Does Not Support		
<u>2.2.1 – Timing Adjustable</u>	If a page has a time limit, users can turn the time limit off, adjust it, or extend it.	Not Applicable		
<u>2.2.2 – Pause, Stop, Hide</u>	User controls are provided for moving or dynamically changing content.	Partially Supports		The product has a mechanism to stop most of the processes that result in loading screens with flashing elements which are presented in parallel with other information.  However, there are processes that start automatically (such as the Archiving process for the central repository) and a processes initiated after user action (adding SQL instances in the auditing configuration) that cannot be stopped, paused or hidden, and their duration and completion depend on timeouts set in the application, as well as on system resources and network connectivity

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<u>2.3.1 – Three Flashes or Below</u>	No content flashes more than three times per second, or the flash is below flash thresholds.	Not Applicable		
<u>2.4.1 – Bypass Blocks</u>	When blocks of content are repeated on multiple pages, a mechanism is provided to bypass / skip them.	Not Applicable		
<u>2.4.2 – Page Titled</u>	Page titles clearly describe the page topic or page purpose.	Supports		

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<u>2.4.3 – Focus Order</u>	The tabbing order of the content is meaningful and supports operation.	Partially Supports		The product uses a logical tab order through interactive elements such as tabs and form controls. The product uses semantically correct titles (names), ensuring that the title matches the visual presentation of content in the form/dialog. In some windows focus order may be mismatched.
<u>2.4.4 – Link Purpose (In Context)</u>	The purpose of each link can be determined from the link text alone or from the link text and its related context.	Partially Supports		The purpose of the links present in the product can be determined via the link/button text and/or the available tooltip.

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				On the other hand, links in the product do not contain accessibility-specific markup, which limits the use with assistive technology tools.
<u>2.5.1 – Pointer Gestures</u>	A single pointer alternative to complex pointer or touch gestures is provided.	Not Applicable		
<u>2.5.2 - Pointer Cancellation</u>	For functionality that is operated by a single pointer, a way to cancel the pointer input is provided.	Supports		
<u>2.5.3 – Label in Name</u>	The programmatic name contains the text that is presented visually.	Partially Supports		Some user interface components have visible text labels that do not match or are not included in their programmatically associated accessible names. As a result, users of speech recognition or screen reader technologies may be unable to reliably identify or activate these components
<u>2.5.4 – Motion Actuation</u>	For functions that are triggered by moving a device or by gesturing toward a device, an alternative way of triggering the response is provided.	Not Applicable		

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<u>3.1.1 – Language of Page</u>	Each page has a human language assigned.	Does Not Support		
<u>3.2.1 – On Focus</u>	Interactive elements receiving focus do not trigger any functionality.	Partially Supports		Several controls change the context to a new window when in focus (clicked).
<u>3.2.2 – On Input</u>	Interactive elements receiving input do not trigger any functionality.	Supports		
<u>3.2.6 – Consistent Help</u>	Help options provided are consistently available and in the same relative place throughout.	Partially Supports		Help content is available via a link to the product knowledge base, but the Help button is not consistently available on all screens. Users may not have easy access to help in all contexts.
<u>3.3.1 – Error Identification</u>	When input error is detected, the user is notified and the error is described.	Partially Supports		Although input errors are automatically detected and described via text, the error message windows do not contain accessibility-specific markup which might limit the use of assistive technology tools.
<u>3.3.2 – Labels or Instructions</u>	A persistent visible label and / or instructions are provided for elements that require user input.	Partially Supports		The product provides additional information in the form of tooltips to explain options and commands. However, some buttons do not have tooltips and rely on the context of the form.
<u>3.3.7 – Redundant Entry</u>	Information that the user has already entered during a process is made available to them.	Supports		
<u>4.1.1 – Parsing</u>	HTML code is clean and well formed in a way that it can be interpreted by browsers and assistive technology. *Note: Criterion 4.1.1 – Parsing, has	Supports		

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	been removed in version 2.2 and is considered automatically met for versions 2.1 and 2.0.			
<u>4.1.2 – Name, Role, Value</u>	All user interface components communicate their accessibility properties and actions to assistive technology.	Partially Supports		The Role, state, and value information in the product’s components enable , to a certain extent, the usage of assistive technology tools such as screen readers, but, due to the lack of additional information and markup, the use of the product cannot rely solely on screen readers.

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<u>1.2.4 – Captions (Live)</u>	Synchronized captions are provided for live videos containing audio.	Not Applicable		
<u>1.2.5 – Audio Description (Pre-recorded)</u>	If there is important visual content in a video that is not presented in the accompanying audio, an audio description is provided.	Not Applicable		
<u>1.3.4 – Orientation</u>	Screen orientation is not restricted unless the orientation is considered essential.	Partially Supports		Most of the product features have a manageable view and can be resized vertically and horizontally, but some features may have a static height and width and cannot be resized.  The product is meant to work on desktop monitors, laptops, it is not suitable for mobile phones or tablets.
<u>1.3.5 – Identify Input Purpose</u>	For each form field collecting user information, the purpose of the field is programmatically declared.	Partially Supports		Input fields for user credentials and email addresses are present, but some may not expose their semantic purpose programmatically to

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				assistive technologies. This may limit functionality for users relying on screen readers or autofill tools.
<u>1.4.3 – Contrast (Minimum)</u>	The contrast ratio between regular-sized, nondecorative text and its background is at least 4.5:1.	Supports		
<u>1.4.4 – Resize Text</u>	Text can be resized up to 200% without loss of content or function.	Partially Supports		The text / labels in the product can inherit text resize from the environment system settings, but difficulties with legibility might occur with higher resolution and scaling.
<u>1.4.5 – Images of Text</u>	Aside from a few specific exceptions, there are no images of text.	Partially Supports		Majority of the interactive and static elements in the product use text instead of images of text.

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<u>1.4.10 – Reflow</u>	Content presentation is responsive and doesn't require scrolling in two dimensions.	Partially Supports		A combination of horizontal and vertical scrolling may be required in certain use cases in the Reports Preview form as well as the Advanced filter form when there is a large number of

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				auditing filter options selected.
<u>1.4.11 – Non-Text Contrast</u>	The contrast ratio between non-text elements (including any states) and their background is at least 3:1.	Supports		
<u>1.4.12 – Text Spacing</u>	Text spacing can be overridden to improve the reading experience.	Not Applicable		
<u>1.4.13 – Content on Hover Focus</u>	When additional content is presented on hover or on focus, the new content is persistent and dismissible.	Does Not Support		
<u>2.4.5 – Multiple Ways</u>	There is more than one way to reach each page.	Not Applicable		
<u>2.4.6 – Headings and Labels</u>	Headings and labels are clear and descriptive.	Supports		
<u>2.4.7 – Focus Visible</u>	Keyboard focus is clear and visible.	Does Not Support		
<u>2.4.11 – Focus Not Obscured (Minimum)</u>	When an actionable element receives focus, at least a portion of it remains visible.	Does Not Support		
<u>2.5.7 – Dragging Movements</u>	If any part of a website requires a dragging movement, an alternative means of dragging, such as tapping or clicking, is provided.	Not Applicable		

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<u>2.5.8 – Target Size (Minimum)</u>	The size of a target is at least 24 by 24 CSS pixels (with exceptions).	Partially Supports		Most controls meet minimum target size, but some small clickable icons or tightly packed controls may be difficult for users with motor impairments to activate accurately.
<u>3.1.2 – Language of Parts</u>	Assistive technology can distinguish and reflect when the human language on a page changes.	Does Not Support		
<u>3.2.3 – Consistent Navigation</u>	Navigational elements are consistently displayed, including their location and the order of their content.	Not Applicable		
<u>3.2.4 – Consistent Identification</u>	Components with the same functionality are consistently identified.	Not Applicable		
<u>3.3.3 – Error Suggestion</u>	Users receive helpful / specific suggestions when they make errors.	Partially Supports		The product provides suggestions for correcting errors within the displayed error message. Some dialogs may contain information about an error without providing specific suggestions for correction.
<u>3.3.4 – Error Prevention (Legal, Financial, Data)</u>	When users enter financial or legal data, submissions are reversible, and data is checked and confirmed before submission is finalized.	Not Applicable		
<u>3.3.8 – Accessible Authentication (Minimum)</u>	When a cognitive function test is used to authenticate a user, an alternative way to authenticate, or a help mechanism to complete the authentication is provided..			
<u>4.1.3 – Status Messages</u>	Status messages can be presented to the user by assistive technology without receiving focus.	Does Not Support		


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<u>1.2.6 – Sign Language (Pre-recorded)</u>	Sign-language interpretation of audio is provided for pre-recorded videos.	Not Applicable		
<u>1.2.7 – Extended Audio Description (Pre-recorded)</u>	Videos without sufficient pauses for audio description are extended so that audio descriptions can be added.	Not Applicable		
<u>1.2.8 – Media Alternative (Pre-recorded)</u>	A text alternative, like a descriptive transcript, is provided for all pre-recorded video with audio.	Not Applicable		
<u>1.2.9 – Audio-only (Live)</u>	Live text captioning or a transcript is provided for live audio.	Not Applicable		
<u>1.3.6 – Identify Purpose</u>	The purpose of elements is programmatically declared by adding semantics or metadata.	Not Applicable		
<u>1.4.6 – Contrast (Enhanced)</u>	The contrast ratio between regular-sized, non-decorative text and its background is at least 7:1.	Supports		
<u>1.4.7 – Low or No Background Audio</u>	Audio contains little to no background noise, or background noise can be turned off.	Not Applicable		
<u>1.4.8 – Visual Presentation</u>	Users can adjust a range of presentation options.	Does Not Support		
<u>1.4.9 – Images of Text (No Exception)</u>	There are no images of text.	Does Not Support		

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<u>2.1.3 – Keyboard (No Exception)</u>	All page functionality is operable using a keyboard (with no exceptions).	Does Not Support		
<u>2.2.3 – No Timing</u>	With the exception of real-time events, no content requires timed interaction.	Not Applicable		
<u>2.2.4 – Interruptions</u>	Interruptions can be postponed, suppressed, or configured.	Does Not Support		
<u>2.2.5 – Re-authenticating</u>	User data is saved when re-authenticating.	Supports		
<u>2.2.6 – Timeouts</u>	Users are warned when extended inactivity could cause data loss.	Not Applicable		
<u>2.3.2 – Three Flashes</u>	No content flashes more than three times per second.	Not Applicable		
<u>2.3.3 – Animation from Interactions</u>	If an animation is triggered by a user interaction, users can stop the animation.	Not Applicable		
<u>2.4.8 – Location</u>	Users can orient themselves within a set of pages.	Does Not Support		
<u>2.4.9 – Link Purpose (Link Only)</u>	Every link's purpose is clear from its text.	Does Not Support		
<u>2.4.10 – Section Headings</u>	Content is broken up by section headings.	Supports		

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<u>2.4.12 – Focus Not Obscured (Enhanced)</u>	When an actionable element receives focus, the entire component is visible.	Does Not Support		
<b>Criterion</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Conformance Level</b>	<b>ADTC (Q/YY)</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
<u>2.4.13 – Focus Appearance</u> 	Focus indicators have sufficient color contrast and are sized to be clearly visible.	Does Not Support		
<u>2.5.5 – Target Size</u>	The size of the target for pointer inputs is at least 44 x 44 CSS pixels.	Not applicable		
<u>2.5.6 – Concurrent Input Mechanism</u>	Input is not restricted to a specific modality (like keyboard only or touch only).	Partially Supports		Users can enter data via keyboard or mouse in key areas like server name input (manual typing or dropdown selection). However, general keyboard navigation is incomplete, restricting free switching between input methods in some parts of the application.

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<u>3.1.3 – Unusual Words</u>	Words or phrases that are ambiguous or unfamiliar are defined.	Does Not Support		
<u>3.1.4 – Abbreviations</u>	Abbreviations are explained or offered in expanded form close by.	Not applicable		
<u>3.1.5 – Reading Level</u>	Content is provided at an eighth grade reading level, or an alternative version at or below an eighth grade reading level is provided.	Does Not Support		
<u>3.1.6 – Pronunciation</u>	Words that are hard to pronounce are clarified nearby.	Does Not Support		
<u>3.2.5 – Change on Request</u>	Content on the page doesn't change unless users initiate it.	Partially Supports		There are processes that start automatically (such as the Archiving process for the central repository) and process that rely on system resources that might change the visible content in specific use cases.
<u>3.3.5 – Help</u>	Contextual instructions or cues are provided to help users complete and submit forms.	Does Not Support		
<u>3.3.6 – Error Prevention (All)</u>	For any form where a user submits information, the user can reverse, verify, or confirm changes or deletions.	Supports		
<u>3.3.9 – Accessible Authentication (Enhanced)</u>	When a cognitive function test is used to authenticate a user, at least one other authentication method is available which is not a cognitive function test.	Does Not Support		