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## Accessibility statement

This statement applies to content published on the domain: <https://mission-adaptation-portal.ec.europa.eu/>

It does not apply to other content or websites published on any of its subdomains. These websites and their content will have their own specific accessibility statement.

This website is managed by DG CLIMA. It is designed to be used by as many people as possible, including people with disabilities.

You should be able to:

- e.g. zoom up to 200% without problems
- navigate most of the website using just a keyboard
- navigate most of the website using a modern screen reader and speech recognition software (on your computer or phone)

This website is designed to comply with the [technical standard for websites and mobile apps, EN 301 549, v.3.2.1](#). This closely follows level ‘AA’ of the [Web Content Accessibility Guidelines \(WCAG\) version 2.1](#).

### Compliance status

This website is **partially compliant** with [technical standard EN 301 549 v.3.2.1](#) and the [Web Content Accessibility Guidelines \(WCAG\) 2.1 Level AA](#). See ‘[Non-accessible content](#)’ for more details.

The website was last tested on 12/12/2025.

### Preparation of this statement

This statement was reviewed on 12/12/2025.

The statement is based on a review of a representative sample of web pages by an [IAAP](#)-qualified accessibility expert, using a combination of manual and automated testing.

### Feedback

We welcome your feedback on the accessibility of the <https://mission-adaptation-portal.ec.europa.eu/> website. Please let us know if you encounter accessibility barriers:

- E-mail: [stephanie.matt@ec.europa.eu](mailto:stephanie.matt@ec.europa.eu)

We try to respond to feedback within 15 business days from the date of receipt of the enquiry by the responsible Commission department.

## Compatibility with browsers and assistive technology

The [Portal of the Mission on Adaptation](#) is designed to be compatible with the following most used assistive technologies:

- the latest version of Google Chrome and Apple Safari browsers;
- in combination with the latest versions of JAWS, NVDA, VoiceOver and TalkBack.

## Technical specifications

The accessibility of the [Portal of the Mission on Adaptation](#) relies on the following technologies to work with the particular combination of web browser and any assistive technologies or plugins installed on your computer:

- HTML
- WAI-ARIA
- CSS
- JavaScript

## Non-accessible content

Despite our best efforts to ensure accessibility of the [Portal of the Mission on Adaptation](#), we are aware of some limitations, which we are working to fix. Below is a description of known limitations and potential solutions. Please contact us if you encounter an issue not listed below.

Known limitations for the 'Mission Portal' website:

- **Heading hierarchy:** Some headings do not follow the correct heading hierarchy, which can cause problems for screen reader users. We plan to fix this by end of 2025.
- **Images:** Some decorative images are marked up as informative images without a text alternative. We plan to fix this by February 2026.
- **Links:** Image links in a list of links for a video gallery don't always have a proper text alternative. We plan to fix this by February 2026.
- **Footer:** Links in the footer are not always visually distinguishable from ordinary text. We plan to fix this by end of February 2026.
- **Graphs and charts – use of colour:** Some graphs and charts on the website rely on colour alone to communicate information, which is confusing for people with colour vision deficiency. In charts where labels are not visually associated with the corresponding coloured section, clicking on the labels in the legends toggles the corresponding line, bar or section on or off, which allows users to check which label belongs to which part of the chart. We plan to fix this over the course of 2025.

- **Video player – keyboard accessibility:** We are aware of some issues with the keyboard accessibility of our video player (when selecting the caption language from the menu, it is not possible to use the arrow keys to move between languages, this can only be done with the TAB key).
- **Audio description:** Videos on this website do not have audio description.
- **Organisation chart:** The current version of visual organisation chart (corporate template) published is not accessible to people using a screen reader or users who rely on keyboard navigation. The Whoiswho is an accessible alternative for most of its content.