

# Accessibility statement for the Register of regulated food and feed products

This accessibility statement applies to the Register of regulated food and feed products authorised for use in Great Britain service.

This website is run by the Food Standards Agency. We want as many people as possible to be able to use the [Register of regulated food and feed products authorised for use in Great Britain service](#). For example, that means you should be able to:

- change colours, contrast levels and fonts
- zoom in up to 300% without the text spilling off the screen
- navigate most of the website using just a keyboard
- navigate most of the website using speech recognition software
- listen to most of the website using a screen reader (including the most recent versions of JAWS, NVDA and VoiceOver)

We've also made the website text as simple as possible to understand. [AbilityNet](#) has advice on making your device easier to use if you have a disability.

## How accessible this website is

We know some parts of this website are not fully accessible. You can see a list of any issues we currently know about in the Non-accessible content section of this statement.

## Feedback and contact information

If you need information on this website in a different format like accessible PDF, large print, easy read, audio recording or braille:

- Email: [fsa.communications@food.gov.uk](mailto:fsa.communications@food.gov.uk)
- Phone our helpline 0330 332 7419 (open 9am until 5pm, Monday to Friday)

We will consider your request and get back to you in 5 working days.

## Reporting accessibility problems with this website

We're always looking to improve the accessibility of this website. If you find any problems not listed on this page or think we're not meeting accessibility requirements, contact:

- Email: [fsa.communications@food.gov.uk](mailto:fsa.communications@food.gov.uk)
- Phone our helpline 0330 332 7419 (open 9am until 5pm, Monday to Friday)

[Read tips on contacting organisation about inaccessible websites.](#)

## Enforcement procedure

The Equality and Human Rights Commission (EHRC) is responsible for enforcing the Public Sector Bodies (Websites and Mobile Applications) (No. 2) Accessibility Regulations 2018 (the 'accessibility regulations'). If you're not happy with how we respond to your complaint, [contact the Equality Advisory and Support Service \(EASS\)](#).

If you are in Northern Ireland and are not happy with how we respond to our complaint you can contact the [Equalities Commission for Northern Ireland](#) who are responsible for enforcing the Public Sector Bodies (Websites and Mobile Applications) (no.2) Accessibility Regulations 2018 (the 'accessibility regulations') in Northern Ireland.

## **Technical information about this website's accessibility**

The Food Standards Agency is committed to making its website accessible, in accordance with the Public Sector Bodies (Websites and Mobile Applications) (No. 2) Accessibility Regulations 2018.

### **Compliance status**

This website is partially compliant with the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines version 2.1 AA standard, due to the non-compliances and exemptions listed below.

### **Non-accessible content**

The content listed below is non-accessible for the following reasons.

### **Non-compliance with the accessibility regulations**

The content that is not accessible is outlined below with details of planned dates for when issues will be fixed.

- Not all PDFs are compliant with assistive technologies. This fails WCAG 2.1 criterion 1.4.5 Images of Text. This will be fixed when the service is next reviewed, any new document published will be accessible.
- Some of our pages scroll in two dimensions on small screens. The problem is most common with tables on mobile devices. We recommend using a different device to view the tables in full. This fails to WCAG 2.1 AA 1.4.10 Reflow criteria.
- Not all controls change appearance when they are selected but all controls on the page including links, buttons and fields show when they have been selected. This fails WCAG 2.1 AA 2.4.7 Focus Visible criteria.

### **Disproportionate burden**

We have not made any disproportionate burden claims.

### **Content that's not within the scope of the accessibility regulations**

#### **PDFs and other documents**

The accessibility regulations [do not require us to fix PDFs or other documents published before 23 September 2018](#) if they're not essential to providing our services.

Any new PDFs or Word documents we publish will meet accessibility standards.

## **Preparation of this accessibility statement**

This statement was prepared on 11 December 2020. It was last reviewed on 17 March 2022.

This website was last tested on 11 December 2020. The test was carried out using our automated checking service.

We will continue to check via our automated service and make updates as required.