

VPAT™ for Apple Mac mini (Late 2012)

The following Voluntary Product Accessibility information refers to the **Apple Mac mini (Late 2012)**. For more information on the accessibility features of this product and to learn more about this product's features, visit www.apple.com/macmini and www.apple.com/accessibility

VPAT™ Voluntary Product Accessibility Template *Summary Table*

Criteria	Supporting Features	Remarks and Explanations
Section 1194.21 Software Applications and Operating Systems	Please refer to the OS X VPAT at www.apple.com/accessibility.	Mac mini comes with the OS X operating system. Accessibility information for OS X is available at www.apple.com/accessibility/ .
Section 1194.22 Web-based Internet Information and Applications	Not Applicable	
Section 1194.23 Telecommunications Products	Not Applicable	
Section 1194.24 Video and Multi-media Products	Not Applicable	
Section 1194.25 Self-Contained, Closed Products	Not Applicable	
Section 1194.26 Desktop and Portable Computers	Please refer to the attached VPAT	
Section 1194.31 Functional Performance Criteria	Please refer to the attached VPAT and to the OS X VPAT at www.apple.com/accessibility.	
Section 1194.41 Information, Documentation and Support	Please refer to the attached VPAT	

Section 1194.26 Desktop and Portable Computers – Detail

Criteria	Supporting Features	Remarks and Explanations
(a) All mechanically operated controls and keys shall comply with §1194.23 (k) (1) through (4).	Not applicable	Mac mini does not include a keyboard or pointing device.
(b) If a product utilizes touchscreens or touch-operated controls, an input method shall be provided that complies with §1194.23 (k) (1) through (4).	Not applicable	
(c) When biometric forms of user identification or control are used, an alternative form of identification or activation, which does not require the user to possess particular biological characteristics, shall also be provided.	Not applicable	
(d) Where provided, at least one of each type of expansion slots, ports and connectors shall comply with publicly available industry standards.	Supported	Mac mini has FireWire 800, Gigabit Ethernet, HDMI, USB 3, SDXC, and Thunderbolt connections, all located on the rear of the unit, which comply with publicly available industry standards.

Section 1194.31 Functional Performance Criteria – Detail

Criteria	Supporting Features	Remarks and Explanations
<p>(a) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require user vision shall be provided, or support for Assistive Technology used by people who are blind or visually impaired shall be provided.</p>	<p>Supported</p>	<p>OS X includes a built-in screen reader called VoiceOver for the blind and visually impaired and includes accessible applications and utilities.</p> <p>OS X includes built-in support for over 40 USB and wireless refreshable braille displays so they start instantly when you connect them. OS X also includes support for 30 braille tables supporting a wide range of languages.</p> <p>Applications built using the OS X Human Interface Guidelines and the OS X Accessibility APIs (referenced earlier in this VPAT) will work with VoiceOver.</p> <p>Information about VoiceOver is available from http://www.apple.com/accessibility/voiceover/.</p>
<p>(b) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require visual acuity greater than 20/70 shall be provided in audio and enlarged print output working together or independently, or support for Assistive Technology used by people who are visually impaired shall be provided.</p>	<p>Supported</p>	<p>Visually impaired users can take advantage of Zoom, the screen magnifier built into OS X.</p>
<p>(c) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require user hearing shall be provided, or support for Assistive Technology used by people who are deaf or hard of hearing shall be provided</p>	<p>Supported</p>	<p>Visual alerts can be used in place of, or in conjunction with, audible alerts.</p>
<p>(d) Where audio information is important for the use of a product, at least one mode of operation and information retrieval shall be provided in an enhanced auditory fashion, or support for assistive hearing devices shall be provided.</p>	<p>Supported</p>	<p>Volume can be controlled at the system level. External speakers can be attached if necessary for further amplification.</p>

<p>(e) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require user speech shall be provided, or support for Assistive Technology used by people with disabilities shall be provided.</p>	<p>Supported</p>	<p>Speech is not required for operation or information retrieval.</p>
<p>(f) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require fine motor control or simultaneous actions and that is operable with limited reach and strength shall be provided.</p>	<p>Supported</p>	<p>Sticky Keys and Slow Keys can be used to avoid simultaneous actions. Mouse keys can be used in place of a mouse.</p>

Section 1194.41 Information, Documentation and Support – Detail

Criteria	Supporting Features	Remarks and Explanations
(a) Product support documentation provided to end-users shall be made available in alternate formats upon request, at no additional charge	Partially supported	PDF support documentation is available at www.apple.com/support/manuals/macmini .
(b) End-users shall have access to a description of the accessibility and compatibility features of products in alternate formats or alternate methods upon request, at no additional charge.	Supported	Information about Apple access technologies is available at www.apple.com/accessibility .
(c) Support services for products shall accommodate the communication needs of end-users with disabilities.	Supported	E-mail support and discussion groups are available at www.apple.com/support/macmini/ .

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