Black Kite Accessibility Conformance Report

WCAG Edition

(Based on VPAT® Version 2.5)

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Name of product/version: Black Kite Platform
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Product description: Black Kite gives organizations a comprehensive, real-time view into third party cyber risk to enable informed decision-making and improve resilience through continuous, automated monitoring. This is a web application.
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Evaluation methods used: Accessibility evaluation included a combination of automated and manual testing based on WCAG 2.1 Level A and AA criteria. Automated scans were performed using the axe DevTools extension in the Google Chrome browser. Manual testing included keyboard-only navigation, testing with the NVDA screen reader on Windows, browser zoom testing at both 200% and 400%, responsive layout checks using Chrome DevTools viewport resizing, and accessibility evaluation of PDF documents, including document structure, tagging, reading order, keyboard navigation, and screen reader compatibility. All web-based components across the Black Kite platform and associated PDF documents were evaluated.

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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 (WCAG) 2.1 Level A	Yes
Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.1 Level AA	Yes
Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.1 Level AAA	No
Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.2	No

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 only be used in WCAG Level AAA and WCAG 2.2 success criteria.

WCAG 2.1 Report

The following tables document how the Black Kite Platform conforms to WCAG 2.1 Level A and AA success criteria.

Table 1: Success Criteria, Level A

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
1.1.1 Non-text Content (Level A)	Supports	Images, icons, and other non-text elements include alternative text where required. Decorative images are marked appropriately so they are ignored by assistive technologies.
1.2.1 Audio-only and Video-only (Prerecorded) (Level A)	Not Applicable	No prerecorded audio-only or video-only content is present.
1.2.2 Captions (Prerecorded) (Level A)	Not Applicable	No prerecorded audio-only or video-only content is present.
1.2.3 Audio Description or Media Alternative (Prerecorded) (Level A)	Not Applicable	No prerecorded audio-only or video-only content is present.
1.3.1 Info and Relationships (Level A)	Supports	The interface uses semantic HTML elements such as headings, lists, and landmarks to convey structure and relationships. Form controls include associated labels where user input is required.

1.3.2 Meaningful Sequence (Level A)	Supports	Content is presented in a meaningful sequence so that the order of information and relationships can be programmatically determined when navigated by assistive technologies or keyboard.
1.3.3 Sensory Characteristics (Level A)	Supports	The interface avoids relying solely on color or other sensory characteristics to convey information.
1.4.1 Use of Color (Level A)	Supports	Color is not used as the only visual means of conveying information. Text labels, icons, or other indicators are used alongside color where necessary.
1.4.2 Audio Control (Level A)	Not Applicable	No audio plays automatically in the web application.
2.1.1 Keyboard (Level A)	Supports	All functionality available through the user interface can be operated using a keyboard without requiring specific timing for individual keystrokes.
2.1.2 No Keyboard Trap (Level A)	Supports	Interactive elements that can be reached by keyboard can also be exited using standard

		keyboard functions; there are no keyboard traps.
2.1.4 Character Key Shortcuts (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)	Not Applicable	The application does not implement single-character key shortcuts.
2.2.1 Timing Adjustable (Level A)	Supports	No time limits are imposed on user tasks; timing is not essential.
2.2.2 Pause, Stop, Hide (Level A)	Supports	Content does not auto scroll, auto update, or autoplay outside user control.
2.3.1 Three Flashes or Below Threshold (Level A)	Supports	Pages do not contain content that flashes more than three times per second.
2.4.1 Bypass Blocks (Level A)	Supports	There is a skip link to bypass repetitive navigation and jump directly to the main content.
2.4.2 Page Titled (Level A)	Supports	All pages have descriptive titles that describe their purpose or topic.
2.4.3 Focus Order (Level A)	Supports	Keyboard focus follows a logical order that preserves the meaning and operability of the interface.

2.4.4 Link Purpose (In Context) (Level A)	Supports	The purpose of links can be determined from the link text alone or from the link text together with its surrounding context.
2.5.1 Pointer Gestures (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)	Supports	The product does not rely on down-event activation, and pointer interactions can be cancelled or are not present.
2.5.2 Pointer Cancellation (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)	Supports	The product does not rely on down-event activation, and pointer interactions can be cancelled or are not present.
2.5.3 Label in Name (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)	Supports	For user interface components with visible text labels, the accessible name contains the visible text to support speech input users.
2.5.4 Motion Actuation (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)	Not Applicable	The application does not use device motion or orientation to trigger actions.
3.1.1 Language of Page (Level A)	Supports	The content is in English.
3.2.1 On Focus (Level A)	Supports	Focusing on user interface components does not trigger unexpected context changes.

3.2.2 On Input (Level A)	Supports	Changing the setting of user interface components does not automatically cause a change of context.
3.3.1 Error Identification (Level A)	Supports	When input errors are detected, they are clearly indicated to the user. Error messages are provided in text and identify the field in error, allowing users to understand what went wrong and how to correct it.
3.3.2 Labels or Instructions (Level A)	Supports	Labels or instructions are provided when user input is required.
4.1.1 Parsing (Level A)	Supports	For WCAG 2.0 and 2.1, the September 2023 errata update indicates this criterion is always supported. See the WCAG 2.0 Editorial Errata and the WCAG 2.1 Editorial Errata.
4.1.2 Name, Role, Value (Level A)	Supports	Interactive components expose appropriate programmatic name, role, and value information to assistive technologies. Native HTML controls are used where possible, and ARIA roles and attributes are

		applied when custom components are implemented.

Table 2: Success Criteria, Level AA

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
1.2.4 Captions (Live) (Level AA)	Not Applicable	No live multimedia content is present.
1.2.5 Audio Description (Prerecorded) (Level AA)	Not Applicable	No prerecorded video content is present.
1.3.4 Orientation (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)	Supports	The content is not restricted to a single display orientation and is operable in both portrait and landscape.
1.3.5 Identify Input Purpose (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)	Supports	Input fields have appropriate autocomplete attributes indicating their purpose.
1.4.3 Contrast (Minimum) (Level AA)	Supports	Text and images of text meet the minimum contrast ratio of 4.5:1 against their background as required by WCAG 2.1 Level AA.
1.4.4 Resize text (Level AA)	Supports	Content remains readable and functional when text is resized up to 200% using

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		browser zoom without loss of information or functionality.
1.4.5 Images of Text (Level AA)	Supports	Text is presented using actual text rather than images of text wherever possible.
1.4.10 Reflow (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)	Supports	Content can be presented without loss of information or functionality at a width equivalent to 320 CSS pixels.
1.4.11 Non-text Contrast (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)	Supports	Visual indicators for user interface components and graphical objects meet the required contrast ratios.
1.4.12 Text Spacing (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)	Supports	The interface supports custom text spacing. When required spacing adjustments (line height, letter spacing, word spacing, and paragraph spacing) are applied, all content remains readable and functional.
1.4.13 Content on Hover or Focus (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)	Supports	Additional content that appears on hover or focus is accessible via keyboard, remains visible while hovered, and can be dismissed by the user.

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2.4.5 Multiple Ways (Level AA)	Supports	Users can locate content through multiple navigation mechanisms such as the main navigation, search functionality, and contextual links within the interface.
2.4.6 Headings and Labels (Level AA)	Supports	Headings and labels clearly describe the topic or purpose of the content or controls.
2.4.7 Focus Visible (Level AA)	Supports	Keyboard focus is visible when navigating through interactive elements, allowing users to identify the currently focused component.
2.4.11 Focus Not Obscured (Minimum) (Level AA 2.2 only)	Not Evaluated	The product has not been evaluated against the criterion
2.5.7 Dragging Movements (Level AA 2.2 only)	Not Evaluated	The product has not been evaluated against the criterion
2.5.8 Target Size (Minimum) (Level AA 2.2 only)	Not Evaluated	The product has not been evaluated against the criterion
3.1.2 Language of Parts (Level AA)	Supports	The interface is presented entirely in English. No parts of the content switch to other

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		languages, so this criterion is considered supported.
3.2.3 Consistent Navigation (Level AA)	Supports	The placement and order of repeated navigation elements remain consistent across the platform.
3.2.4 Consistent Identification (Level AA)	Supports	Most components use consistent icons and labels across the platform.
3.3.3 Error Suggestion (Level AA)	Supports	Error messages are provided in forms
3.3.4 Error Prevention (Legal, Financial, Data) (Level AA)	Supports	Confirmation dialogs and review steps are provided before critical user actions.
3.3.8 Accessible Authentication (Minimum) (Level AA 2.2 only)	Not Evaluated	The product has not been evaluated against the criterion.
4.1.3 Status Messages (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)	Supports	Status messages in the new interface are announced properly to assistive technologies.

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