

SUCCESS CRITERION 2.5.8 · LEVEL AA

Target Size (Minimum)



“I aimed for 'Save' and hit 'Delete'. They're so small and so close they're practically holding hands.”

Who this helps: Motor Impairments

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Pointer targets are at least 24 by 24 CSS pixels, or have enough spacing around them.

Principle 2: Operable

Guideline 2.5: Input Modalities

What each role can do

Product manager

Set 24 by 24 px as the minimum target size in the definition of done.

Designer

Space small icons apart and enlarge their hit areas.

Developer

Ensure each target is at least 24 by 24 CSS pixels or has equivalent spacing.

Tester

Check target size and spacing with a target-size tool on mobile breakpoints.

Once it is fixed



> “Room to tap! I finally hit what I'm aiming for.”

WCAG Quotes

Every WCAG 2.2 success criterion, told by the person it helps.

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