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Operating System: macOS Monterey 12 Window: Restaurant Reviews Screen Size: 1512 x 982

Title

Accessibility testing on the home page

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Charter: Explore the home page Using VoiceOver screen-reader To discover the usability of the home page for visually impaired users. *Coverage:* Hear a list of top 10 restaurants in New York; Filter the list by neighbourhood or cuisine; Locate the link to view more details of a restaurant.

Preconditions

VoiceOver should be running. Screen should be turned off while exploring the app



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00:03:22 | Note · Positive

I opened the application and landed on the home page. After the name of the web app - Restaurant Reviews - a link was provided to skip to the main content. I listened to the page in order and heard a list of the names of all the restaurants pinned on a map.



00:05:32 | Note · Suggestion

1 would suggest changing the title for the restaurant pins on the map to include information that they are locations on a map. They're also interactive (can be clicked to navigate to the details page) so providing that information would be useful as well.



00:12:30 | Note · Positive

I went back to the start of the page and clicked on the "skip map" link. The link took me to the filters section which is convenient, since as a user I would likely want to start by selecting my neighbourhood and preferred cuisine.



00:14:16 | Note · Concern



I noticed the filters section is titled "Filter results". For a new visitor, this seems ambiguous - it could be reviews or restaurants I would be filtering. Using a more explicit name such as "Filter restaurants" might be more user-friendly.

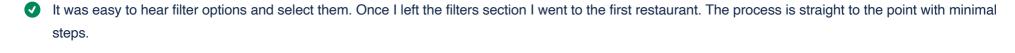


00:19:55 | Note · Suggestion

Each of the filters has an off-screen label with a generic name (Neighbourhood, Cuisine). I would suggest using a more descriptive label such as "Neighbourhoods filter".



00:25:30 | Note • Positive





00:26:39 | Note · Suggestion

I would suggest adding a title for the section of the page containing the list of restaurants



00:30:38 | Note · Positive

I was able to hear all the restaurants in the neighbourhood and for the cuisine I selected. Images were well described and the "View details" link was unambiguously named to include the restaurant I would view if I clicked the link.



00:31:43 | Note · Suggestion

It would be a major plus if the first thing I heard for each restaurant was the name of the restaurant, rather than hearing a description of the image first.

- 00:35:16 | Note · Positive
 - I navigated back to the filters section quite easily, thanks again to the "skip map" link. I cleared the filter results to hear a complete list of the top 10 restaurants in New York.
 - 00:37:40 | Note · Suggestion
 - A minor enhancement would be to add a "skip filters" link in case the user wants to hear a list of all restaurants. Adding a link to filters at the end of the page might also be a good addition, in case the user didn't find what they want and want to search again. That could be followed by another link to return to the map and/or the start of restaurant results.
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