# Manifest Contains short\_name

#### Overview

After a user adds your app to the homescreen, the short\_name is the text that is displayed on the homescreen next to your app icon. In general, it is used wherever there is insufficient space to display the full name of your app.

### Recommendations

Add a short\_name property in your Web App Manifest.

```
{
    ...
    "short_name": "Air Horner",
    ...
}
```

Chrome's maximum recommended length is 12 characters.

Check out <u>Manifest Exists</u> for a list of guides that teach you how to properly implement and test "Add to Homescreen" support in your app.

# More information

Audit passes if the manifest contains either short\_name or name property. The manifest that Lighthouse fetches is separate from the one that Chrome is using on the page, which can possibly cause inaccurate results.

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