

# Accessibility Declaration - Italy

Barclays undertakes to make its websites accessible, in accordance with Law no. 4 January 2004. This accessibility statement applies to Barclays Investment Banking website -

<https://www.ib.barclays/>

## Compliance Status

This website is partially compliant with the requirements set out in Appendix A of the UNI CEI EN 301549 standard by reason of non-conformities listed below.

We are aware of the following accessibility issues in limited locations on our website:

### Text Alternatives

- 9.1.1.1 Non-text Content: a few images are missing or have inaccurate alternative text which may make it more difficult for people with visual impairments using assistive technology to navigate the content.

### Adaptable

- 9.1.3.1 Info and relationships: the code on pages does not accurately convey the content structure which will make it difficult for screen reader and assistive technology users to understand the content.

### Distinguishable

- 9.1.4.3 Contrast (Minimum): in some instances, there is not enough contrast between text and background which could make it difficult for people with low vision or who have difficulties distinguishing colours.
- 9.1.4.4 Resize text: some content is cropped or overlapping when the site is zoomed in which may make it more difficult for people with low vision or who need larger text.
- 9.1.4.5 Images of text: some images contain text which is present in text content which may make it more difficult for people with visual impairments or cognitive disabilities to access.
- 9.1.4.10 Reflow: not all content can be viewed or accessed when zoomed to 400% without requiring two-dimensional scrolling which may make it more difficult for people with low vision or who need larger text.
- 9.1.4.13 Content on Hover or Focus: content in header menu which appears on mouse hover cannot be dismissed using the keyboard which can impact people with low vision, motor difficulties or cognitive disabilities.

### Keyboard Accessible

- 9.2.1.1 Keyboard: navigation menus and many interactive elements are not accessible via keyboard which will make it difficult for keyboard navigation users to navigate the site, including individuals with motor difficulties or those that rely on assistive technology.

## Navigable

- 9.2.4.1 Bypass Blocks: there is no mechanism to skip repeated content which will make it more difficult for individuals with motor difficulties or those that rely on assistive technology.
- 9.2.4.3 Focus Order: in some instances, keyboard focus is not logical which will make it more difficult for keyboard only users.
- 9.2.4.4 Link Purpose (In Context): in some instances, link labels do not clearly explain what each link does which may confuse users.
- 9.2.4.7 Focus visible: the site does not have a visible indicator for elements that have keyboard focus making it more difficult to operate the controls for those who rely on keyboard operation or have cognitive disabilities.

## Input Assistance

- 9.3.3.2 Labels or Instructions: some form elements do not provide persistent labels or instructions which may make it more difficult for those who rely assistive technology or have cognitive disabilities.

## Compatible

9.4.1.2 Name, Role, Value: some interactive controls lack correct programmatic roles, states or names so will not be correctly communicated to assistive technology which can confuse assistive technology users.

## Office File Formats

PDFs files available through the website do not meet accessibility requirements and are non-conformant.

## Exemptions for disproportionate burden

Not applicable

## Content not subject to the accessibility obligation

Where possible we aim to make all content accessible. However, some content is exempt from the legal obligations to be made accessible. This includes older files and views, live or achieves content and third-party content that is not funded or developed by the Barclays and is not under its control.

## Drafting of the accessibility declaration

This declaration was drawn up on 12<sup>th</sup> February 2026.

Testing was performed on the following pages underwent expert evaluation:

1. Home page including header navigation and footer
2. <https://www.ib.barclays/contact-us.html>
3. <https://www.ib.barclays/search-results.html?search=M%26A+Outlook>

4. <https://www.ib.barclays/investment-banking.html>
5. <https://www.ib.barclays/our-insights.html>
6. <https://www.ib.barclays/our-insights/themes/solving-sustainable.html>
7. <https://www.ib.barclays/our-insights/3-point-perspective/the-natural-choice-to-help-reach-net-zero.html>
8. <https://www.ib.barclays/research/global-outlook/q3-2025-turning-the-page.html>
9. <https://www.ib.barclays/news-and-events.html>
10. <https://www.ib.barclays/disclosures.html>
11. <https://www.ib.barclays/disclosures/important-content-disclosures.html>

using the following web browser and screen reader combinations on certain components and pages:

- NVDA with Google Chrome

### **The following tools were used in the evaluation**

The following tools may have been used in the evaluation:

- Accessibility Insights for Web
- Webaim Contrast checker
- Axe DevTools
- Headings Map
- ARC Tool

### **Feedback and contacts**

If you are unable to access the content or a service, please contact Barclays using the information on our [Contact Us](#) page to be directed to an accessible alternative or to obtain the content in an alternative format.

### **How to send reports to AgID**

In the event of an unsatisfactory response or failure to respond, within thirty days, to the notification or request, the interested party may submit a report using the following link <https://accessibilita.agid.gov.it/cittadini/>.

### **Site/Mobile Application Information**

1. The date of publication of the website: 2025
2. Usability tests have been carried out: No

### **Property info**

1. The number of employees with disabilities in the administration: 8
2. The number of workstations for employees with disabilities: 8