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Scsi's "Perfect 10" Web Site Standard - Best Practice #6: Every Web page's text viewing size selections remain under user control at all times.

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Major Headings of Scsi's "Perfect 10" Web Site Standard - Best Practice #6: Every Web page's text viewing size selections remain under user control at all times.

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If text resizing is a Web browser-based menu selection, why not provide it to the user?

It amazes, amuses, and sometimes puzzles Scsi to see that high-end (read: many, many dollars of resources poured into them) Web sites do not conform to inherently obvious Web browser features.

Here is but one specific example, involving Microsoft's Internet Explorer Web browser. A menu bar selection sequence of "View | Text Size | (Largest | Larger | Medium | Smaller | Smallest)" can be accessed. This "text-resizing-via-a-menu-selection-incorporated-within-the-Web-browser itself" feature should always be maintained in Web site page design -- so that users can justifiably expect this "built-in feature" to always be available should they ever want to change the currently-in-effect text size to something else.

With that said, it is surprising at the significantly high percentage of Web site designs that (unfortunately for the Web browser user) totally negate this feature so as to make this entire text resizing to be wholly ignored, thereby fixing the displayed text size at some point size that oftentimes is too small for many users.

Come on, Web site designers and testing personnel. Purposely (or perhaps inadvertently -- read: not tested for!) overriding any obviously meant-to-be-implementable browser feature (in this case, a

text resizing operation) is an example of neglecting user's "expected-to-be-available-because-it's-there" choices.

Quite frankly, Scsi feels that such actions are never justified as being in the best interests of users, and ignorance by the Web site personnel -- regarding how to properly implement the underlying source code so that no built-in features are ever blocked -- is never an acceptable excuse. That's one reason for having quality assurance and repeated testing cycles to make sure that things are working properly before releasing a product (in this case, a Web page) to users, isn't it? Furthermore, there is simply no excuse for letting these types of "going against the grain" decisions or their subsequent implementations occur in the first place.

How does Scsi handle the text resizing issue? Answer: Best Practice #6 provides it for any Web browser that supports such selections.

Why does this problem never happen on the Scsi P&KT Web site's pages? Because Scsi's underlying source code was properly written to successfully address provisioning of text resizing independent of browser type or version -- pure and simple.

You can observe the proper functionality for yourself -- using whatever Web page(s) you care to test within the sonoffconsulting.com domain. It's so very easy to do. Then use the same browser to visit another Web site -- even one of the "biggies" of Web sites -- to see the behavior for that Web site's page(s). If you make regular use of Microsoft's Internet Explorer Web browser, for example, you'll likely find it easy to prove the following assertion, namely: Many other Web sites still continue to 'miss the boat' when it comes to meeting even such really basic usability factors as successfully executing a text resizing operation on demand.

Besides Best Practice #6, which of Scsi's "Perfect 10" Best Practices would you like to read about next?

1. [Best Practice #1](#): Every Web page is [fast loading](#).
2. [Best Practice #2](#): Every Web page is [viewable with any type of browser](#).
3. [Best Practice #3](#): Every Web page incorporates meaningful, descriptive 'balloon help' text for every hyperlink (both text- and graphics-based).
4. [Best Practice #4](#): Every Web page's navigation always remains under user control, thereby allowing use of any combination of keyboard, mouse, or other pointing devices as hyperlink selection tools.
5. [Best Practice #5](#): Every Web page incorporates an integral and effective dual-domain search window.
6. [Best Practice #6](#): Every Web page's text viewing size selections remain under user control at all times -- according to the particular browser tool's available selections.
7. [Best Practice #7](#): Every Web page's contents will always automatically resize widthwise to fill the entire browser window -- no matter what screen resolution settings or window sizes are in effect at any time.
8. [Best Practice #8](#): Every 'Print this page' operation automatically results in an intelligently word wrapped, truncation-free, black-on-white printout of that Web page's main body contents -- regardless of the page orientation and user-specified text size selection in effect at that time.
9. [Best Practice #9](#): Every Web page incorporates readily accessible contact information.
10. [Best Practice #10](#): Every Web page [validates](#) against the World Wide Web Consortium (W3C) specifications for Hypertext Markup Language (HTML), Cascading Style Sheets (CSS), and Web Accessibility Initiative (WAI) Content Guidelines (WCAG).

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Scsi's set of thirty-eight (38) Pre-assigned Access Keys:

Sixteen (16) Alphabetical Characters: c: i: k: m: n: o: p: q: r: u: x: y (See NOTE below.)

Ten (10) Numbers: 1: 2: 3: 4: 5: 6: 7: 8: 9: 0:

Twelve (12) Specific Symbols: *: ~: !: @: ^: =: \: |: `: [: ≡:]:

NOTE: Two of Scsi's 16 pre-defined Alphabetical character Access keys, namely: **j** and **s** are not cited here. However, they are always assigned to perform "Skip to MAIN HEADING" and "Jump to and Select the Search Window's search string" functions, respectively, within the displayed Web page.

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MAIN HEADING	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_6_of_10.html#SkipToHeading2
assistance	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_6_of_10.html#assistance
Major Navigation Hyperlinks	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_6_of_10.html#mnh
BOTTOM	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_6_of_10.html#bottompage
view or download	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_6_of_10_with_hyperlinks.pdf
Scsi's dual-domain search configuration	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_5_of_10.html
TOP of Page	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_6_of_10.html#toppage
Validate HTML code	http://validator.w3.org/check?uri=http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_6_of_10.html
Validate CSS3 code	http://jigsaw.w3.org/css-validator/validator?uri=http://sonoffconsulting.com/code/responsive-scsi-pkt-1e1g3e.css
Accessibility Checker	http://achecker.ca/checker/
Index	http://sonoffconsulting.com/filters/
Navigation	http://sonoffconsulting.com/scsi_pkt_navigation.html
Site Map	http://sonoffconsulting.com/site_map/site_map.html
Home	http://sonoffconsulting.com/home.html
Expanded Home	http://sonoffconsulting.com/index_expanded.html
Graphics-based Home	http://sonoffconsulting.com/index_graphics_mapped_version_3.html
Mobile Site	http://m.sonoffconsulting.com/
Privacy Policy	http://sonoffconsulting.com/w3c/scsi_pkt_p3p.html
Other Web Sites	http://sonoffconsulting.com/filters/url_links/url_links.html
Business Listings	http://sonoffconsulting.com/scsi-business-directories.html
About Scsi	http://sonoffconsulting.com/filters/scsi_corp/scsi_corp.html
Profile	http://sonoffconsulting.com/filters/scsi_corp/rsonoff_scsi_profile.html
15 Major Categories	http://sonoffconsulting.com/15-major-categories.html
Services Offered	http://sonoffconsulting.com/scsi-pkt-services-offered.html
What does Scsi do--exactly?	http://sonoffconsulting.com/what_scsi_pkt_does.html
Need Professional Assistance?	http://sonoffconsulting.com/need_professional_assistance.html
Clients	http://sonoffconsulting.com/filters/scsi_corp/clients/client_list.html
E-mail Scsi	mailto:info@sonoffconsulting.com
Contact Scsi	http://sonoffconsulting.com/filters/contact_us/contact_us.html
Contact Form	http://sonoffconsulting.com/filters/contact_us/contact_form-1.html
Productivity	http://sonoffconsulting.com/filters/productivity/productivity.html
Focus on Productivity	http://sonoffconsulting.com/scsi_focus_on_productivity.html
Scsi's Access Keys	http://sonoffconsulting.com/access_keys.html
Tips and Notes	http://sonoffconsulting.com/tips_and_notes.html
Scsi's "Perfect 10" Standard	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features.html
Part 1: User-focused Control	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_part1.html
Part 2: "A+W+F+U=L" World Class Level Design	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_part2.html
Part 3: "Perfect 10" Challenge	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_part3.html
Proof "World Class Level"	http://sonoffconsulting.com/scsi_proof_of_world_class_level.html
Web Site Best Practices	http://sonoffconsulting.com/scsi-pkt-web-best-practices.html

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WBP #1: Fast Loading	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_1_of_10.html
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WBP #4: User Control of Navigation	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_4_of_10.html
WBP #7: Liquid Layout	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_7_of_10.html
WBP #8: Intelligent Printing	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_8_of_10.html
WBP #9: Contact Information	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_9_of_10.html
WBP #10: Validation to W3C Standards	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_10_of_10.html
Use Any Web Browser	http://sonoffconsulting.com/any_browser.html
Scsi's WebKISS(tm) Guides	http://sonoffconsulting.com/filters/web_kiss_guides/scsi_pkt_webkiss_guides_page.html
WKG #10: STCEW Tool-based Evaluation	http://sonoffconsulting.com/filters/web_kiss_guides/scsi_wkg_10_want_a_free_stcew_tool-based_evaluation_of_your_web_site_pages.html
WKG #11: TOTAL ACCESS	http://sonoffconsulting.com/filters/web_kiss_guides/scsi_wkg_11_total_access_so_what.html
HFM Vendors Listing	http://sonoffconsulting.com/scsi-listing-of-vendors-at-historic-findlay-market.html
Scsi's "World Class Level" Web site design	http://sonoffconsulting.com/scsi_proof_of_world_class_level.html#SkipToHeading2
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Mike Roth, Cincinnati's longest-trained Sandler Trainer	http://www.rothconsulting.sandler.com/
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Best Practice #9	http://sonoffconsulting.com/unique_features_6_of_10.html
validates	http://sonoffconsulting.com/filters/web_kiss_guides/scsi_pkt_why_val_web_site.html
	http://sonoffconsulting.com/filters/contact_us/contact_form-1.html#SkipToHeading2
Alphabetical Characters	http://sonoffconsulting.com/access_keys.html#alphabetical-characters-access-keys
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