

ACCORDIONS

ACCORDION DESIGN CHECKLIST

- 01 — How do we design a category's title?
- 02 — What icon do we choose to indicate expansion?
- 03 — How do we indicate collapse/expanded states?
- 04 — Do we place the icon on the left, inline or on the right?
- 05 — By default, should all sections be collapsed or open?
- 06 — What happens if a user clicks on the category link?
- 07 — What happens if a user clicks on empty bar?
- 08 — Should expanded section collapse automatically?
- 09 — What if there isn't enough space to display all items?
- 10 — Should accordion contain a link to category's main page?
- 11 — Should the user be scrolled automatically when expanded?
- 12 — Do we include the "expand all / collapse all" functionality?
- 13 — Do we keep the state of an accordion on reload?

ACCORDIONS SUMMARY

- 01 — Use chevron or plus to indicate expansion.
- 02 — Icon maps well with the direction of expansion.
- 03 — Chevron changes direction (top/down).
- 04 — Plus changes to close/minus.
- 05 — Place the icon left-aligned or right-aligned.
- 06 — Entire bar should act as expansion.
- 07 — Icons should be large enough for comfortable tapping.
- 08 — Category's main page is listed in a drop-down.
- 09 — Expanded state could collapse automatically.