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Source: Cookie(s)	Where/Why Set	Comments
CMS – Accessibility: Accessibility.Colour Accessibility.Size Accessibility.TextOnly	Set only when a user selects one or any of the text only, text size or contrast options. This remembers the selection so that each page and future visits to your website retains the same look and feel selected.	If we remove this users with visual impairments would have to select the text size and contrast on each page load and visit to the website.
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