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# Making accessibility more accessible

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# Project Goal


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Explore ways to improve UX, Design handoff and tech feasibility of our new flutter app with native assistive technology i.e., VoiceOver(ios) and Talkback(android)

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# What are we doing for ally?

- In the current UX hand off we are capturing -
  - Contextual visual elements and their labels
  - Tab/Read order with strings and Translations

Design File	Section	Visual element	Tab order	EN Copy	FR Copy
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				Step 1 out of 3	Étape 1 de 3
				Step 2 out of 3	Étape 2 de 3
				Step 3 out of 3	Étape 3 de 3
				Upload profile picture	Télécharger la photo de profil
				Change profile picture	Modifier la photo de profil
				Back	Retour

# Semantics in Flutter

- **AIY is customised using semantics widgets in flutter which are-**
  - SemanticsNode
  - MergeSemantics
  - ExcludeSemantics
- These widgets have properties and constructors which can be customised to modify the UX with assistive technology such as-
  - Adding Hints
  - Merging and customising the read order
  - Adding longer strings and descriptions
  - Hiding an element
  - Adding additional ways users can take action
  - And many more UX improvements...
- Link - [Descriptions and meanings of Semantics parameters](#)

# Are we tracking data points?

- Are we explicitly tracking data for Voiceover or Talkback users?
- Do we have any existing data on the no. of users using our app(legacy) with accessibility features?
  - No. of users - Voiceover vs Talkback vs others
  - Voice on vs Voice off
  - Voice speed
  - Hints on vs Hint off
  - Other data points to discover patterns and user behaviour

# How can we improve the UX?

- Discover and validate the tech feasibility
  - Are we making use of these properties to improve the UX in our FL apps?
    - If yes, what is being done as a standard practice and how can UX contribute as part of the hand-off in our design work?
    - If not, I feel there's a lot that can be done to improve the UX for ally users if we take a deeper look into the feasibility

**Thank You**

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