Key Benefits Summary: ExpressLink 3.0.0.0

This Key Benefits Summary provides information about the enhancements available with **ExpressLink® 3.0.0.0**. Read the sections that are most relevant to your needs.

> **Note**
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> This software is an enhanced version of ExpressLink 2.1.0.0. For information on the features and benefits of that version, refer to *Key Benefits Summary: ExpressLink 2.1.0.0.*

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Executive Summary

With ExpressLink 3.0.0.0, ES&S deploys security updates that adhere to the latest government and industry standards. This version also introduces **Auto-Monitor Mode**, an option that starts the software in Monitor Mode automatically.

Enhancement Details

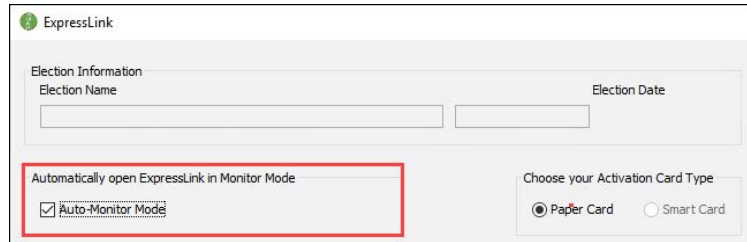This section contains detailed information about each of the ExpressLink enhancements.

Security Updates

To stay one step ahead of risks, ES&S strives to maintain cutting-edge voting system security. ExpressLink 3.0.0.0 is a product of this rigorous standard, featuring updated cryptographic libraries, which are the foundation of encryption and security. These libraries are validated by the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST).

Auto-Monitor Mode

In Monitor Mode, ExpressLink monitors the shared output folder used by the pollbook or voter registration system, selecting the correct ballot for each voter automatically.

In ExpressLink 3.0.0.0, in Setup view, you can enable the new **Auto-Monitor Mode** to enter Monitor Mode automatically upon starting the software.

Note

The first time you open ExpressLink, Auto-Monitor Mode will be disabled. Once enabled, Auto-Monitor Mode will run automatically whenever you open ExpressLink.