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The Essential Guide to Election Security includes several appendices to provide additional information that may be helpful to users.

The appendices are:

1. [About the Guide](#): Information about the structure of the document, its history, and its relevance to CIS's Handbook for Election Infrastructure Security.
2. [How To](#): Information on the best uses and most effective ways to work with the Guide to achieve that which you wish to accomplish.
3. Small Jurisdiction [Worksheets](#): A set of downloadable worksheets for use at the Level 1 maturity level.
4. For legacy purposes, a [mapping](#) of the best practices to the best practices from the Handbook for Election Infrastructure Security.

In addition to the appendices, there is an informative [election infrastructure primer](#), to give background on the architecture of election systems, the role information technology, risks and threats.

There is also a [glossary](#) of technical terms used throughout the Guide and an [acronym](#) list.

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