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## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this Test Plan is to document the procedures that Pro V&V, Inc. will follow to perform certification testing during a system modification campaign for the Election Systems and Software (ES&S) Voting System (EVS) 6.3.0.0 (EVS 6.3.0.0) to the requirements set forth for voting systems in the U.S. Election Assistance Commission (EAC) 2005 Voluntary Voting System Guidelines (VVSG), Version 1.0. Prior to submitting the voting system for testing, ES&S submitted an application package to the EAC for certification of the EVS 6.3.0.0. The application was accepted by the EAC and the project was assigned the unique Project Number of ESSEVS6300.

At test conclusion, the results of all testing performed as part of this test campaign will be submitted to the EAC in the form of a national certification test report.

### 1.1 Description and Overview of EAC Certified System Being Modified

*The EAC Certified System that is the baseline for the submitted modification is described in the following subsections. All information presented was derived from the previous Certification Test Report, the EAC Certificate of Conformance and/or the System Overview.*

The baseline system for this modification is the EVS 6.2.0.0 System. Detailed descriptions of the EVS 6.2.0.0 test campaign are contained in Pro V&V Report No. TR-01-01-ESS-013-01.03, which is available for viewing on the EAC's website at [www.eac.gov](http://www.eac.gov).

EVS 6.2.0.0 is composed of software applications, central count location devices and polling place devices with accompanying firmware, and COTS hardware and software. EVS 6.2.0.0 is comprised of the following components: ExpressVote Universal Voting System Hardware 1.0 (ExpressVote HW1.0), ExpressVote Universal Voting System Hardware 2.1 (ExpressVote HW2.1); DS200 precinct-based scanner and tabulator (DS200); DS450 high-throughput central scanner and tabulator (DS450); DS850 high-speed central scanner and tabulator (DS850); DS950 high-speed central scanner and tabulator (DS950); ExpressVote XL Full Face Universal Voting System (ExpressVote XL); ExpressTouch Electronic Universal Voting System (ExpressTouch); Electionware Election Management Software (Electionware); ES&S Event Log Service (ELS); Removable Media Service (RMS); and Regional Results (RR).

#### ExpressVote Hardware 1.0 (ExpressVote HW1.0)

ExpressVote HW1.0 is a hybrid paper-based polling place voting device that provides touch screen vote capture that incorporates the printing of the voter's selections as a cast vote record, to be scanned for tabulation in any one of the ES&S precinct or central scanners.

#### ExpressVote Hardware 2.1 (ExpressVote HW2.1)

ExpressVote HW2.1 is a hybrid paper-based polling place voting device that provides touch screen vote capture that incorporates the printing of the voter's selections as a cast vote record, to be scanned for tabulation in any one of the ES&S precinct or central scanners.

There are two separate versions of ExpressVote HW2.1: version 2.1.0.0 and version 2.1.2.0 (6.4 & 6.8).

#### DS200 Precinct-based Scanner and Tabulator (DS200)

DS200 is a polling place paper-based voting system, specifically a digital scanner and tabulator that simultaneously scans the front and back of a paper ballot and/or vote summary card in any of four orientations for conversion of voter selection marks to electronic Cast Vote Records (CVR).

#### DS450 High-Throughput Scanner and Tabulator (DS450)

DS450 is a central scanner and tabulator that simultaneously scans the front and back of a paper ballot and/or vote summary card in any of four orientations for conversion of voter selection marks to electronic Cast Vote Records (CVR).

#### DS850 High-Speed Scanner and Tabulator (DS850)

DS850 is a central scanner and tabulator that simultaneously scans the front and back of a paper ballot and/or vote summary card in any of four orientations for conversion of voter selection marks to electronic Cast Vote Records (CVR).

#### DS950 High-Speed Scanner and Tabulator (DS950)

DS950 is a central scanner and tabulator that simultaneously scans the front and back of a paper ballot and/or vote summary card in any of four orientations for conversion of voter selection marks to electronic Cast Vote Records (CVR).

#### ExpressVote XL Full-Face Universal Voting System (ExpressVote XL)

ExpressVote XL is a hybrid paper-based polling place voting device that provides a full-face touch screen vote capture that incorporates the printing of the voter's selections as a cast vote record, and tabulation scanning into a single unit.

#### ExpressTouch Electronic Universal Voting System (ExpressTouch)

ExpressTouch is a DRE voting system which supports electronic vote capture for all individuals at the polling place.

#### Electionware Election Management Software (Electionware)

Electionware election management software is an end-to-end election management software application that provides election definition creation, ballot formation, equipment configuration, result consolidation, adjudication and report creation. Electionware is composed of five software groups: Define, Design, Deliver, Results and Manage.

#### ES&S Event Log Service (ELS)

ELS monitors and logs users' interactions with the Election Management System. Events that happen when a connection to the database is not available are logged to the Windows Operating System log through the ELS.

#### Removable Media Service (RMS)

RMS is a utility that runs in the background of the Windows operating system. RMS reads specific information from any attached USB devices so that ES&S applications such as Electionware can use that information for media validation purposes.

## Regional Results

RR is a standalone application that is deployed at Regional Sending Sites. This application establishes a secure connection to the central results transfer server at the jurisdiction headquarters and reads the election media with results from the different poll places. For more efficient results reporting, the Regional Results software then securely transmits the encrypted unofficial results collection files over a customer dedicated network.

### 1.1.1 Baseline Certified System

The tables below detail the certified EVS 6.2.0.0 equipment and firmware versions.

**Table 1-1. EVS 6.2.0.0 System Components – Proprietary**

System Component	Software or Firmware Version	Hardware Version(s)	Description
Electionware	6.2.0.0	---	Election management software that provides end-to-end election management activities
ES&S Event Log Service (ELS)	3.0.0.0	---	Logs users' interactions with EMS
Removable Media Service (RMS)	3.0.0.0	---	Utility that runs in the background of the Windows operating system
Regional Results	1.4.0.0	---	Standalone application that is deployed at Regional Sending Sites.
DS200	2.40.0.0	1.2, 1.3	Precinct Count Tabulator that scans voter selections from both sides of the ballot simultaneously
DS200 Ballot Box	---	1.0, 1.1	Collapsible Ballot Box (Model 98-00009)
DS200 Ballot Box	---	1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5	Plastic Ballot Box (Model 57521)
DS200 Tote Bin	---	1.0	Tote Bin Ballot Box (Model 00074)
DS200 Ballot Trolley	---	N/A	Ballot Trolley Ballot Box (Model 212516)
DS200 Metal Ballot Box	---	1.0, 1.1, 1.2	Metal Ballot Box (Model 76245)
DS200 Ballot Tote Bag	---	N/A	Ballot Tote Bag (Model 60)
DS450	4.1.0.0	1.0	Central Count Scanner and Tabulator
DS450 Cart	---	---	Model 3002
DS850	4.1.0.0	1.0	Central Count Scanner and Tabulator
DS850 Cart	---	---	Model 6823
DS950	4.1.0.0	1.0	Central Count Scanner and Tabulator
DS950 Cart	---	---	Model 7898
ExpressVote XL	4.2.0.0	1.0	Hybrid full face paper-based vote capture and selection device and precinct count tabulator



**Table 1-1. EVS 6.2.0.0 System Components – Proprietary (continued)**

System Component	Software or Firmware Version	Hardware Version(s)	Description
ExpressTouch	4.2.0.0	1.0	DRE
ExpressVote HW1.0	4.2.0.0	1.0	Hybrid paper-based vote capture and selection device
ExpressVote HW2.1	4.2.0.0	2.1.0.0 2.1.2.0	Hybrid paper-based vote capture and selection device
ExpressVote Rolling Kiosk	---	1.0	Portable Voting Booth (Model 98-00049)
Voting Booth	---	---	Stationary Voting Booth (Model 98-00051)
ExpressVote Ben Franklin Booth	---	---	Sitting and Standing Voting Booth (Model 00380)
ExpressVote Dual Express Cart	---	---	Portable Voting Booth (Model 41402)
Quad Express Cart	---	---	Portable Voting Booth (Model 41404)
Voting Booth Workstation	---	---	Stationary voting booth (Model 87035)
MXB ExpressVote Voting Booth	---	---	Sitting and Standing Voting Booth (Model 95000)
ExpressVote Single Table	---	---	Voting Table for One Unit (Model 87033)
ExpressVote Double Table	---	---	Voting Table for Two Units (Model 87032)
ADA Table	---	---	Voting Table for One Unit (Model 87031)
Universal Voting Console (UVC)	---	2.0	Detachable ADA support peripheral (Model 98-00077)
Tabletop Easel	---	---	Model 14040
ExpressTouch Voting Booth	---	---	Stationary Voting Booth (Model 98-00081)
SecureSetup	3.0.0.6	---	Proprietary Hardening Script

**Table 1-2. EVS 6.2.0.0 System Components – COTS Software**

Manufacturer	Application	Version
ES&S/Microsoft Corporation	Windows 10 Enterprise LTSC (ISO)*	WIN10_6200.iso
ES&S/Microsoft Corporation	Windows Server 2016 (ISO)*	WIN2016_6200.iso
ES&S/Microsoft Corporation	Windows Server 2016 DataComm (ISO)*	WIN2016DC_6200.iso
Microsoft Corporation	Windows Defender Antivirus (Configured within the OS image)	N/A

*\*These ISOs were constructed by Pro V&V per ES&S-provided procedures utilizing COTS software components.*

**Table 1-2. EVS 6.2.0.0 System Components – COTS Software** (continued)

Manufacturer	Application	Version
Microsoft Corporation	Windows Updates (Software updates included in the OS image)	Package date: WIN10_6200.iso-04/06/2021 WIN2016_6200.iso-04/06/2021 WIN2016DC_6200.iso-04/06/2021
Dell	TPM Utility	DellTpm2.0_Fw1.3.2.8_V1_64.exe
Cisco	Rommon	asa5500-firmware-1118.SPA
Cisco	RV340 VPN router firmware	1.0.03.22
Cisco	5506-X Security appliance firmware	9.16.1
Cisco	5508-X Security appliance firmware	9.16.1
Cisco	FPR-1010 Security appliance firmware	9.16.1
Kiwi Syslog Server	Remote Event Log Monitoring	9.6.7
Amyuni	Amyuni PDF Converter Printer Driver	5.5
Cerberus	Cerberus FTP Server – Enterprise	11.3.4 (64-bit)
Sumatra	Sumatra PDF	3.1.2 (64-bit)
RSA Security	RSA BSAFE Crypto-C ME for Windows 32-bit	4.1
Yubico Login for Windows	Dual Factor Authentication YubiKey USB keys for dual factor authentication (optional)	2.0.3
WS FTP	Secure file transfer	12.7.0

**Table 1-3. EVS 6.2.0.0 System Components – COTS Hardware**

Manufacturer	Hardware	Model/Version
Dell	EMS Server	PowerEdge T430, T630
Dell	Data Comm Server	PowerEdge T430
Dell	EMS Client or Standalone Workstation	Latitude 5580 (32GB Ram), OptiPlex 5040, 5050 (32GB RAM), 7020
Dell	Trusted Platform Module (TPM) Chip 1.2 and 2.0 (optional)	N/A
Toshiba	Regional Results Client	Tecra A50-C
Innodisk	USB EDC H2SE (16GB) for ExpressVote 2.1	DEEUH1-16GI72AC1SB
Delkin	2.0 USB Flash Drive (512MB, 1GB, 2GB, 4GB, 8GB)	N/A
Delkin	3.0 USB Flash Drive (4GB, 8GB, 16GB, 32GB, 256GB)	N/A
Delkin	USB Embedded 2.0 Module Flash Drive	MY16TNK7A-RA042-D/ 16 GB

**Table 1-3. EVS 6.2.0.0 System Components – COTS Hardware** *(continued)*

<b>Manufacturer</b>	<b>Hardware</b>	<b>Model/Version</b>
Delkin	Compact Flash Memory Card (1GB)	CE0GTFHHK-FD038-D
Delkin	USB Embedded 2.0 Module Flash Drive (8GB)	MY08TQJ7A-RA000-D / 8GB
Delkin	Secure Compact Flash Memory Card (2GB)	CE02TLQCK-FD000-D
Delkin	Compact Flash Memory Card Reader/Writer	6381
Delkin	CFAST Card (2GB, 4GB)	N/A
Delkin	CFAST Card Reader/Writer	DDREADER48
Delkin USB Flash Drive	BitLocker 32.2 MB	Storage for security key (optional)
Cisco Firewall	Regional Results Security Firewall	ASA 5506-X, ASA 5508-X, ASA FPR-1010
Cisco Router	Regional Results VPN Router	RV340
YubiKey USB drive	Dual Factor Authentication	5A Series
Lexar	CFAST Card Reader/Writer	LRWCR1TBNA
CardLogix	Smart Card	CLXSU128kC7/ AED C7
SCM Microsystems	Smart Card Writer	SCR3310
Avid	Headphones	86002
Zebra Technologies	QR code scanner (Integrated)	DS457-SR20009, DS457-SR20004ZZWW
Symbol	QR Code scanner (External)	DS9208
Dell	DS450 Report Printer	S2810dn
OKI	DS450, DS850, and DS950 Report Printer	B431dn, B431d, B432DN
OKI	DS450 and DS850 Audit Printer	Microline 420
APC	DS450 UPS	Back-UPS Pro 1500, Smart-UPS 1500
APC	DS850 UPS	Back-UPS RS 1500, Pro 1500
CyberPower	DS950 UPS	OR1500PFCLCD
Tripp Lite	DS450 Surge Protector	Spike Cube
Seiko Instruments	Thermal Printer	LTPD-347B
NCR/Nashua	Paper Roll	2320
Fujitsu	Thermal Printer	FTP-62GDSL001, FTP-63GMCL153
HP Inkjet	Ink cartridge for DS450/DS850 ballot number imprinting	87002
TDS	Ink cartridge for DS200 ballot stamping	2278

### 1.1.2 Description of Modification

EVS 6.3.0.0 is a modified voting system configuration that includes upgrades to the components of the EVS 6.2.0.0, new hardware, new configuration options, and modifications to existing components. The list below includes specific changes between the current EVS 6.3.0.0 and the baseline of the EVS 6.2.0.0, as taken from the *ES&S Voting System 6.3.0.0 System Change Notes*:

#### HARDWARE CONFIGURATION CHANGES

- New Hardware
  - **DS300**: introduced the new poll place scanner and tabulator
  - **DS300 ballot box**: introduced for use with the DS300 tabulator only
- New Configuration Options
  - **DS450/DS950 Printer**. The Brother printer is a new laser report printer configuration option
  - **DS450/DS950 UPS**. The CyberPower uninterruptible power supply is a new UPS configuration option.
  - **DS450/DS950 network cable**. The Ethernet network cable is now optional in the certified configuration.
  - **DS450 Cart**. The DS450 is now configured on the Central Count cart.
- Hardware Modifications
  - **ExpressVote XL**: added/updated the following components:
    - Added one-way printer roller
    - Updated Paper Path Module (PPM) firmware
  - **DS450**: added/updated the following components:
    - Updated monitor with new video control board
    - Added reverse belt assembly
    - Added output tray stops to allow more room for 19" ballots
  - **DS950**: added/updated the following components:
    - Updated monitor with new video control board
    - Added risk-limiting audit number printer
    - Added cutout with filler plate for future location of imprinter

## SOFTWARE/FIRMWARE CHANGES

### Cross-Product Changes

- Customize Write-in Cells

Added the ability to customize Write-in cells in Electionware Touch Screen Ballot to fit more offices on a page for the ExpressVote XL.

Impacted products:

- Electionware
- ExpressVote XL

- Park the Vote Summary Card

Added the ability to park the vote summary card under glass when the printed card is reinserted into the ExpressVote XL.

Impacted products:

- Electionware
- ExpressVote XL

- Reduce Pollworker Intervention

Implemented an option on the ExpressVote XL to allow the voter to quit the vote session after printing the vote summary card without pollworker intervention:

- Electionware
- ExpressVote XL

- Multi-Language Vote Summary Card

Added configurable options for printing the contest and candidate names in English and the voter's selected language on vote summary cards.

Impacted products:

- Electionware
- ExpressVote HW1.0
- ExpressVote HW2.1
- ExpressVote XL

- Team Write-in Contest Type

Added the ability to enter two write-in names for contests where two candidates use one voting target.

Impacted products:

- ExpressVote HW1.0
- ExpressVote HW2.1
- ExpressTouch
- ExpressVote XL
- Security
  - Implement a Cisco firmware update to address security vulnerabilities on the Cisco RV340 VPN Router.
  - Impacted products:
    - Election Management System

#### DS200

- Operating System
  - Upgraded the DS200 operating system to Linux (Yocto).

#### DS950

- Risk-limiting Audit
  - Implemented DS950 imprinter functionality for risk-limiting audits.

#### Electionware

- System Limit
  - Increased Precinct ID limit from 9900 to 9999.
- Adjudication
  - Enabled adjudication of write-ins on the vote summary card in Ballot Review in the Electionware Reporting module.

#### ExpressVote XL

- Side by Side Review
  - Introduced the ability to display the full on-screen ballot during voter review when the printed vote summary card is reinserted into the ExpressVote XL, which allows a side-by-side comparison.

### **1.1.3 Initial Assessment**

An initial assessment on the submitted modifications was performed to determine the scope of testing. Testing from the previous test campaign (EVS 6.2.0.0) was used to establish the baseline. Based on the assessment, it was determined the following tasks would be required to verify compliance of the modifications:

- Source Code Review, Compliance Build, Trusted Build, and Build Document Review

- System Level Testing
  - System Integration
  - Accuracy
  - Volume & Stress
- Technical Documentation Package (TDP) Review
- Functional Configuration Audit (FCA)
  - Regression Testing
- System Loads & Hardening
- Physical Configuration Audit (PCA)
- Security Testing
- Usability & Accessibility Testing
- Hardware Testing

#### **1.1.4 Regression Test**

EVS 6.3.0.0 is a modified voting system configuration that includes functional upgrades and modifications to the baseline system. Modified system testing is an abbreviated testing campaign built upon a regression review of the modifications against the baseline-system and requirements. Modifications, alone and collectively, are reviewed (tested) to see if they fall under any requirement(s), or functionally impact the ability of the modified system to continue to meet requirements. Regression reviews consist of targeted investigations to determine if further testing is necessary based on the nature and scope of the communicated modifications (whether activated or deactivated), and any other submitted information. The objective of regression testing is to establish assurance that the modifications have no adverse impact on the compliance, integrity, or performance of the system.

Regression testing for this test campaign will consist of the execution of the System Integration Testing.

## **1.2 References**

- Election Assistance Commission 2005 Voluntary Voting System Guidelines (VVSG) Version 1.0, Volume I, “Voting System Performance Guidelines”, and Volume II, “National Certification Testing Guidelines”
- Election Assistance Commission Testing and Certification Program Manual, Version 2.0

- Election Assistance Commission Voting System Test Laboratory Program Manual, Version 2.0
- National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program NIST Handbook 150, 2020 Edition, “NVLAP Procedures and General Requirements (NIST HB 150-2020)”
- National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program NIST Handbook 150-22, 2017 Edition, “Voting System Testing (NIST Handbook 150-22-2017)”
- United States 107<sup>th</sup> Congress Help America Vote Act (HAVA) of 2002 (Public Law 107-252), dated October 2002
- Pro V&V, Inc. Quality Assurance Manual, Revision 1.0
- Election Assistance Commission “Approval of Voting System Testing Application Package” letter dated May 6, 2016
- EAC Requests for Interpretation (RFI) and Notices of Clarification (NOC) (listed on [www.eac.gov](http://www.eac.gov))
- Pro V&V Certification Test Report TR-01-01-ESS-013-01.03
- EAC Certificate of Conformance ES&S EVS 6.2.0.0, dated December 23, 2021
- ES&S Technical Data Package (*A listing of the EVS 6.3.0.0 documents submitted for this test campaign is listed in Section 4.5.1 of this Test Plan*)

### **1.3 Terms and Abbreviations**

*This subsection lists terms and abbreviations relevant to the hardware, the software, or this Test Plan.*

“ADA” – Americans with Disabilities Act 1990

“BOD” – Ballot on Demand

“CBT” – Central Ballot Tabulator

“CM” – Configuration Management

“COTS” – Commercial Off-The-Shelf

“EAC” – United States Election Assistance Commission

“ELS” – Election Log Service

“EMS” – Election Management System

“ES&S” – Election Systems and Software



“FCA” – Functional Configuration Audit  
“HAVA” – Help America Vote Act  
“NOC” – Notice of Clarification  
“PBT” – Precinct Ballot Tabulator  
“PCA” – Physical Configuration Audit  
“QA” – Quality Assurance  
“RMS” – Removable Media Service  
“RFI” – Request for Interpretation  
“TDP” – Technical Data Package  
“UVC” – Universal Voting Console  
“UVS” – Universal Voting System  
“VSTL” – Voting System Test Laboratory  
“VVSG” – Voluntary Voting System Guidelines

#### **1.4 Project Schedule**

The Project Schedule for the test campaign is located in Appendix A. The dates on the schedule are not firm dates but planned estimates based on the anticipated project work flow.

#### **1.5 Scope of Testing**

The scope of testing focused on evaluating the modifications detailed in Section 1.1.2 of this Test Plan. To determine the EVS 6.3.0.0 test requirements, the submitted modifications were evaluated against each section of the EAC VVSG 1.0 to determine the applicable tests to be performed. Based on this assessment, it was determined that multiple areas within the EAC VVSG 1.0 would be evaluated to encompass the required tests. A breakdown of the areas and associated tests is listed below:

- EAC VVSG 1.0 Volume 1, Section 2: Functional Requirements
  - System Integration Testing
  - Functional Configuration Audit (FCA)
  - Physical Configuration Audit (PCA), including System Loads & Hardening
  - Technical Documentation Package (TDP) Review
  - Accuracy Testing

- EAC VVSG 1.0 Volume 1, Section 3: Usability & Accessibility
  - Usability & Accessibility Testing
  - Technical Documentation Package (TDP) Review
- EAC VVSG 1.0 Volume 1, Section 4: Hardware Requirements
  - Electrical Tests (DS300, DS450, DS950)
  - Environmental Tests (DS300, DS450, DS950)
  - Technical Documentation Package (TDP) Review

*Note: Due to the introduction of the DS300 as a new system component and modifications to the DS450 and DS950, it was determined that hardware testing would be required. The full suite of hardware electrical testing and all applicable environmental tests for the DS300, DS450, and DS950 were successfully performed as part of a previous state level test campaign. The Pro V&V test report and associated hardware test reports of this testing will be submitted to the EAC for evaluation and approval for reuse in this test campaign.*

- EAC VVSG 1.0 Volume 1, Section 5: Software Requirements
  - Source Code Review, Compliance Build, Trusted Build, and Build Document Review
  - Technical Documentation Package (TDP) Review
  - Functional Configuration Audit (FCA)
- EAC VVSG 1.0 Volume 1, Section 7: Security Requirements
  - Security Testing
  - Technical Documentation Package (TDP) Review

*Note: Section 6 (Telecommunications Requirements) of the VVSG 1.0 is not applicable to EVS 6.3.0.0 and was therefore not included in testing. Additionally, Section 8 (Quality Assurance Requirements), and Section 9 (Configuration Management Requirements) were reviewed in previous test campaigns and were not impacted by the submitted modifications.*

### **1.5.1 VVSG**

The EVS 6.3.0.0 shall be evaluated against the relevant requirements contained in the EAC VVSG 1.0, Version 1.0. To evaluate the EVS 6.3.0.0 test requirements, the submitted modifications were evaluated against each section of the EAC VVSG 1.0 to determine the applicable tests to be performed. Details of this evaluation are contained in Section 4.1 of this Test Plan.

### 1.5.2 RFIs

There are no RFIs released by the EAC as of the date of this Test Plan that pertain to this test campaign that were not in effect at the time of the baseline system certification.

### 1.5.3 NOCs

There are no NOCs released by the EAC as of the date of this Test Plan that pertain to this test campaign that were not in effect at the time of the baseline system certification.

## 1.6 System Overview

EVS 6.3.0.0 includes the following: ExpressVote Universal Voting System Hardware 1.0 (ExpressVote HW1.0), ExpressVote Universal Voting System Hardware 2.1 (ExpressVote HW2.1); ExpressVote XL Full Face Universal Voting System (ExpressVote XL); ExpressTouch Electronic Universal Voting System (ExpressTouch); DS200 poll place scanner and tabulator (DS200); DS300 poll place scanner and tabulator (DS300)(new); DS450 high-throughput central scanner and tabulator (DS450); DS850 high-speed central scanner and tabulator (DS850); and DS950 high-speed central scanner and tabulator (DS950).

This release includes the new DS300, a precinct-based scanner and tabulator with a new ballot box. It also includes new configuration options for the DS450/DS950 printer, the DS450/DS950 UPS, and the DS450/DS950 cart.

EVS 6.3.0.0 system components submitted for testing are listed in the following tables.

**Table 1-4. EVS 6.3.0.0 System Components - Proprietary**

System Component	Software or Firmware Version	Hardware Version(s)	Description
Electionware	6.3.0.0	---	Election management software that provides end-to-end election management activities
ES&S Event Log Service (ELS)	3.0.0.0	---	Logs users' interactions with EMS
Removable Media Service (RMS)	3.0.0.0	---	Utility that runs in the background of the Windows operating system
Regional Results	1.5.0.0	---	Standalone application that is deployed at Regional Sending Sites.
DS200	3.0.0.0	1.2, 1.3	Precinct Count Tabulator that scans voter selections from both sides of the ballot simultaneously
DS300	3.0.0.0	1.0	Precinct Count Tabulator that scans voter selections from both sides of the ballot simultaneously
DS200/DS300 Ballot Box	---	1.0, 1.1	Collapsible Ballot Box (Model 98-00009)

**Table 1-4. EVS 6.3.0.0 System Components – Proprietary (continued)**

<b>System Component</b>	<b>Software or Firmware Version</b>	<b>Hardware Version(s)</b>	<b>Description</b>
DS200/DS300 Ballot Box	---	1.0	Collapsible Ballot Box (Model 98-00110)
DS200/DS300 Ballot Box	---	1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5	Plastic Ballot Box (Model 57521)
DS200/DS300 Tote Bin	---	1.0	Tote Bin Ballot Box (Model 00074)
DS200/DS300 Ballot Trolley	---	N/A	Ballot Trolley Ballot Box (Model 212516)
DS200 Metal Ballot Box	---	1.0, 1.1, 1.2	Metal Ballot Box (Model 76245)
DS200/DS300 Ballot Tote Bag	---	N/A	Ballot Tote Bag (Model 60)
DS200/DS300 Carrying Case	---	N/A	Soft-sided carrying case (Model 90282)
DS200/DS300 Carrying Case	---	N/A	Hard-sided lid/carrying case with wheels and extendable handle (Model 98-00045)
DS200/DS300 Carrying Case	---	N/A	Hard-sided carrying case (suitcase) (Model 94052)
DS300 Ballot Box	---	1.0	Plastic Ballot Box (Model 57300)
DS450	4.2.0.0*	1.0	Central Count Scanner and Tabulator (Model 3002)
DS450 Cart	---	---	
DS850	4.2.0.0*	1.0	Central Count Scanner and Tabulator
DS850 Cart	---	---	Metal cart for DS850 only (Model 6823)
DS950	4.2.0.0	1.0	Central Count Scanner and Tabulator
Central Count Cart	---	---	Metal cart for DS450/DS950 (Model 7898)
ExpressVote XL	4.2.1.0	1.0	Hybrid full face paper-based vote capture and selection device and precinct count tabulator
ExpressTouch	4.2.1.0	1.0	DRE
ExpressVote HW1.0	4.2.1.0	1.0	Hybrid paper-based vote capture and selection device
ExpressVote HW2.1	4.2.1.0	2.1.0.0 2.1.2.0	Hybrid paper-based vote capture and selection device
ExpressVote Carrying Case	---	N/A	Soft-sided carrying case (Model 98-00050)
ExpressVote Rolling Kiosk	---	1.0	Portable Voting Booth (Model 98-00049)
Voting Booth	---	---	Stationary Voting Booth (Model 98-00051)
ExpressVote Ben Franklin Booth	---	---	Sitting and Standing Voting Booth (Model 00380, adapter 00381)
Dual Express Cart	---	---	Portable Voting Booth (Model 41402)

**Table 1-4. EVS 6.3.0.0 System Components – Proprietary (continued)**

System Component	Software or Firmware Version	Hardware Version(s)	Description
Quad Express Cart	---	---	Portable Voting Booth (Model 41404)
Voting Booth Workstation	---	---	Stationary voting booth (Model 87035)
MXB ExpressVote Voting Booth	---	---	Sitting and Standing Voting Booth (Model 95000)
ExpressVote Single Table	---	---	Voting Table for One Unit (Model 87033)
ExpressVote Double Table	---	---	Voting Table for Two Units (Model 87032)
ADA Table	---	---	Voting Table for One Unit (Model 87031)
ExpressVote Audio-Tactile Keypad	1.0.0.0	---	Audio-Tactile Keypad (Model 97-00168)
Universal Voting Console (UVC)	---	2.0	Detachable ADA support peripheral (Model 98-00077)
ExpressTouch Tabletop Easel	---	---	Model 14040
ExpressTouch Carrying Case	---	---	Soft-sided carrying case (Model 14041)
ExpressTouch Voting Booth	---	---	Stationary Voting Booth (Model 98-00081)
SecureSetup	6.3.0.0	---	Proprietary Hardening Script

\* version update only; no firmware changes implemented.

**Table 1-5. EVS 6.3.0.0 System Components – COTS Software**

Manufacturer	Application	Version
ES&S/Microsoft Corporation	Windows 10 Enterprise LTSC (ISO)*	WIN10_6300.iso
ES&S/Microsoft Corporation	Windows Server 2016 (ISO)*	WIN2016_6300.iso
ES&S/Microsoft Corporation	Windows Server 2016 DataComm (ISO)*	WIN2016DC_6300.iso
Microsoft Corporation	Windows Updates (Software updates included in the OS image)	Package date: WIN10_6300.iso-01/24/2022 WIN2016_6300.iso-01/20/2022 WIN2016DC_6300.iso-01/20/2022
Microsoft Corporation	Windows Defender Antivirus (Configured within the OS image)	N/A
Dell	TPM Utility	DellTpm2.0_Fw1.3.2.8_V1_64.exe

\* These ISOs were constructed by Pro V&V per ES&S-provided procedures utilizing COTS software components.

**Table 1-5. EVS 6.3.0.0 System Components – COTS Software**

<b>Manufacturer</b>	<b>Application</b>	<b>Version</b>
Cisco	Router firmware	1.0.03.26
Cisco	Rommon	ASA 5506-X (1.1.18) ASA 5508-X (1.1.18) ASA FPR-1010 (N/A)
Cisco	ASA Firmware	ASA 5506-X (9.16.1) ASA 5508-X (9.16.1) ASA FPR1010 (9.16.1)
Kiwi Syslog Server	Remote Event Log Monitoring	9.6.7
Amyuni	Amyuni PDF Generator	5.5
Cerberus	Cerberus FTP Server – Enterprise	12.1 (64-bit)
Sumatra	Sumatra PDF Viewer	3.1.2 (64-bit)
Legion of the Bouncy Castle Inc.	Bouncy Castle FIPS Java API	1.0.2.1
Yubico Login for Windows	Dual Factor Authentication YubiKey USB keys for dual factor authentication (optional)	Yubico-Login-for-Windows-2.0.3-win64.msi
WS FTP	Secure file transfer	12.7.0

**Table 1-6. EVS 6.3.0.0 System Components – COTS Hardware**

<b>Manufacturer</b>	<b>Hardware</b>	<b>Model/Version</b>
Dell	EMS Server	PowerEdge T430, T440, T630, R540
Dell	Regional Results Data Comm Server	PowerEdge T430
Dell	EMS Client or Standalone Workstation	Latitude 5520, 5580 (32GB Ram), OptiPlex 5040, 5050, 7020, XE3
Dell	Trusted Platform Module (TPM) Chip 1.2 and 2.0 (optional)	Security device (optional)
Dell	Regional Results Client	Latitude 5520, 5580
Toshiba	Regional Results Client	Tecra A50-C
Innodisk	USB EDC H2SE (16GB) for ExpressVote 2.1	DEEUH1-16GI72AC1SB
Delkin	2.0 USB Flash Drive (512MB, 1GB, 2GB, 4GB, 8GB)	N/A
Delkin	3.0 USB Flash Drive (4GB, 8GB, 16GB, 32GB)	6206, 6207, 6208, 6209
Delkin	3.0 USB Flash Drive (256GB) data transfer	6210
Delkin	USB Embedded 2.0 Module Flash Drive for ExpressVote HW1.0	MY08TQJ7A-RA000-D 8 GB MY16TNK7A-RA042-D/ 16 GB
Delkin	USB Embedded 2.0 Module Flash Drive for ExpressVote HW2.1	MY16TNK7A-RA042-D/ 16 GB
Delkin	Compact Flash Memory Card (1GB)	CE0GTFHHK-FD038-D
Delkin	Compact Flash Memory Card (4GB)	CE04TQSF3-XX000-D
Delkin	Secure CF Card (2GB)	CE02TLQCK-FD000-D
Delkin	CFast Memory Card (4GB)	BE04TRSJG-3N042-D

**Table 1-6. EVS 6.3.0.0 System Components – COTS Hardware (continued)**

<b>Manufacturer</b>	<b>Hardware</b>	<b>Model/Version</b>
Delkin	Compact Flash Memory Card Reader/Writer	6381
Delkin	CFAST Card (2GB, 4GB)	380-00006 – 2GB 380-00007 – 4GB
Delkin	CFAST Card Reader/Writer	67417
Delkin USB Flash Drive	BitLocker 32.2 MB (optional)	Storage for security key (Model 10004)
Cisco Firewall	Regional Results Security Firewall	ASA-5506-X, ASA-5508-X, ASA FPR-1010
Cisco Router	Regional Results VPN Router	RV340
D-link	network switch (1 GB Min)	DSG-1005G
YubiKey USB drive	Multi factor Authentication (optional)	5A series
Lexar	CFAST Card Reader/Writer	LRWCR1TBNA
CardLogix	Smart Card	CLXSU128kC7/ AED C7
SCM Microsystems	Smart Card Writer	SCR3310
Avid	Headphones	86002
Zebra Technologies	QR code scanner (Integrated)	DS457-SR20009, DS457-SR20004ZZWW
Symbol	QR Code scanner (External)	DS9208
Brother	DS450 and DS950 Report Printer	B6400
Dell	DS450 Report Printer	S2810dn
OKI	DS450, DS850, and DS950 Report Printer	B431dn, B431d, B432DN
OKI	DS450 and DS850 Audit Printer	Microline 420
APC	DS450 UPS	Back-UPS Pro 1500, Smart-UPS 1500
APC	DS850 UPS	Back-UPS RS 1500, Pro 1500
CyberPower	DS950 UPS	OR1500PFCLCD
CyberPower	DS450 and DS950 UPS	CP1500PFCLCD
Tripp Lite	DS450 Surge Protector	SPIKECUBE
Seiko Instruments	Thermal Printer	LTPD-347B
NCR/Nashua	Paper Roll	2320
Fujitsu	Thermal Printer	FTP-62GDSL001, FTP-63GMCL153
HP	Ink cartridge for DS450/DS850 ballot number imprinting	87002
HP	Ink cartridge for DS950 ballot number imprinting	HP C6195A
TDS	Ink cartridge for DS200 ballot number imprinting	2278
HP	Ink cartridge for DS300 risk-limiting audit number imprinting	370-00538
Pivot	Vote Summary Card Only Suppression Tray	97-00359

# 1.6.1 Block Diagram

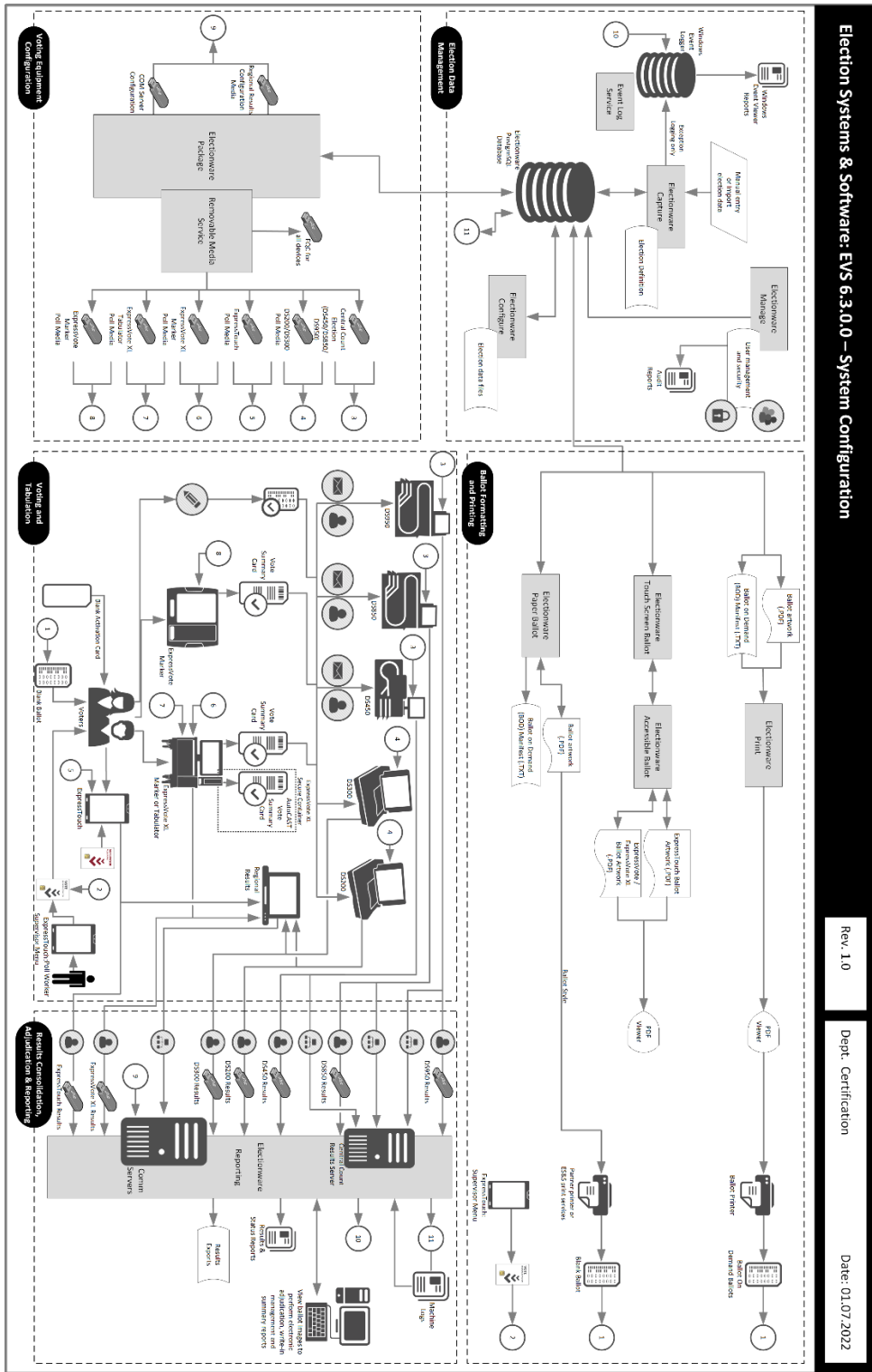


Figure 1-1. EVS 6.3.0.0 System Overview



## 1.6.2 System Limits

The system limits that ES&S has stated to be supported by the EVS 6.3.0.0 are provided in the table below.

**Table 1-7. EVS 6.3.0.0 System Limits**

<b>System Characteristic</b>	<b>Boundary or Limitation</b>	<b>Limiting System Component</b>
Max. precincts allowed in an election	9,999	Electionware
Max. candidates allowed per election	10,000	Electionware
Max. contests allowed in an election	10,000	Electionware
Max. contests allowed per ballot style	500 or # of positions on ballot	N/A
Max. candidates (ballot choices) allowed per contest	230	Electionware
Max. number of parties allowed	General election: 75 Primary election: 30 (including nonpartisan party)	Electionware
Max. 'vote for' per contest	230	Electionware
Ballot formats	All paper ballots used in an election must be the same length. Votable paper ballots must contain the same number of rows	Ballot scanning equipment
Max. Ballot Styles	15,000	Electionware
Max. ballots per batch	1,500	DS450/DS850
Max. precinct types/groups	25 (arbitrary)	Electionware
Max. precincts of a given type	250 (arbitrary)	Electionware
Max. reporting groups	14	Electionware
Max. connections	18 client connections	Electionware

Additionally, the following EVS 6.3.0.0 component limitations have been identified:

### ExpressVote Limitations

1. ExpressVote capacities exceed all documented limitations for the ES&S election management, vote tabulation and reporting system. For this reason, Election Management System and ballot tabulator limitations define the boundaries and capabilities of the ExpressVote system as the maximum capacities of the ExpressVote are never approached during testing.

2. ExpressVote does not offer open primary support based on the ES&S definition of Open Primary, which is the ability to select a party and vote based on that party.
3. ExpressVote vote summary cards using the high-capacity barcode are limited to 630 or fewer oval positions.
4. ExpressVote does not support Massachusetts Group Vote.
5. ExpressVote does not support Universal Primary Contest.
6. ExpressVote does not support Multiple Target Cross Endorsement.
7. ExpressVote does not support Judges Initials boxes.
8. ExpressVote does not support 19-inch cards with ballot stubs.

#### ExpressVote XL Limitations

1. ExpressVote XL capacities exceed all documented limitations for the ES&S election management, vote tabulation and reporting system. For this reason, Election Management System and ballot tabulator limitations define the boundaries and capabilities of the ExpressVote XL system as the maximum capacities of the ExpressVote XL are never approached during testing.
2. ExpressVote XL does not offer open primary support based on the ES&S definition of Open Primary, which is the ability to select a party and vote based on that party.
3. ExpressVote XL vote summary cards using the high-capacity barcode are limited to 630 or fewer oval positions.
4. In a General election, one ExpressVote XL screen can hold 32 party columns if set up as columns or 16 party rows if set up as rows.
5. ExpressVote XL does not support Massachusetts Group Vote.
6. ExpressVote XL does not support Universal Primary Contest.
7. ExpressVote XL does not support Judges Initials boxes.
8. ExpressVote XL does not support 17-inch cards with ballot stubs or 19-inch cards with ballot stubs.

#### ExpressTouch Limitations

1. ExpressTouch capacities exceed all documented limitations for the ES&S election management, vote tabulation and reporting system. For this reason, Election Management System limitations define the boundaries and capabilities of the ExpressTouch system as the maximum capacities of the ES&S ExpressTouch are never approached during testing.
2. ExpressTouch does not offer open primary support based on the ES&S definition of Open Primary, which is the ability to select a party and vote based on that party.
3. ExpressTouch does not support Massachusetts Group Vote.
4. ExpressTouch does not support Universal Primary Contest.

5. ExpressTouch does not support Multiple Target Cross Endorsement.

#### Electionware Limitations

1. Electionware software field limits were calculated based on an average character width for ballot and report elements. Some uses and conditions, such as magnified ballot views or combining elements on printed media or ballot displays, may result in field limits (and associated warnings) lower than those listed. Check printed media and displays before finalizing the election.
2. Electionware Export Ballot Images function is limited to 250 districts per export.
3. Electionware supports the language special characters listed in the System Overview document. Languages with special characters other than those on that list may not appear properly when viewed on equipment displays or reports.

#### Electionware Paper Ballot Limitations

1. The paper ballot code channel, which is the series of black boxes that appear between the timing track and ballot contents, limits the number of available ballot variations depending on how a jurisdiction uses this code to differentiate ballots. The code can be used to differentiate ballots using three different fields defined as: Sequence (available codes 1-16,300), Type (available codes 1-30) or Split (available codes 1-18).
2. For paper ballots, if Sequence is used as a ballot style ID, it must be unique election-wide and the Split code will always be 1. In this case the practical style limit would be 16,300.
3. The ExpressVote activation card has a ballot ID consisting of three different fields defined as: Sequence (available codes 1-16,300), Type (available codes 1-30) or Split (available codes 1-18).
4. Grid Portrait and Grid Landscape ballot types are New York specific and not for general use.

#### DS200 Limitations

1. The DS200 configured for an early vote station does not support precinct level results reporting. An election summary report of tabulated vote totals is supported.
2. The DS200 storage limitation for write-in ballot images is 3,600 images. Each ballot image includes a single ballot face, or one side of one page.
3. Write-in image review requires a minimum 1GB of onboard RAM.
4. To successfully use the write-in report, ballots must span three or more vertical columns. If the column is greater than 1/3 of the ballot width (two columns or less), the write-in image will be too wide to print on the tabulator report tape.

#### DS300 Limitations

1. The DS300 configured for an early vote station does not support precinct level results reporting. An election summary report of tabulated vote totals is supported.
2. The DS300 storage limitation for write-in ballot images is 3,600 images. Each ballot image includes a single ballot face, or one side of one page.

3. To successfully use the write-in report, ballots must span three or more vertical columns. If the column is greater than 1/3 of the ballot width (two columns or less), the write-in image will be too wide to print on the tabulator report tape.

### 1.6.3 Supported Languages

The following languages are stated to be supported by the EVS 6.3.0.0:

- English
- Spanish
- Chinese
- Korean
- Japanese
- Hindi
- Bengali
- Vietnamese
- Tagalog
- Creole
- Russian
- French
- Gujarati (*not supported by poll place tabulators*)
- Punjabi (*not supported by poll place tabulators*)

Support for all stated languages will be verified; however, only English and Spanish language ballots will be cast during the performance of functional testing. Additionally, one character-based language (Chinese) will be tested during System Integration Testing.

For the character-based language, the ballot will be created by Pro V&V and voted utilizing both paper ballots and ADA voting devices along with all applicable peripherals. The Chinese Language for the ballot will be created using a readily available online translation tool. The translated language text will be entered into Electionware. A ballot preview will be generated in the Electionware application. The Chinese characters displayed in the ballot preview will be compared to the characters generated by the online translation tool, to ensure that the characters match. The ballots will then be generated and printed, and the election loaded onto the tabulators the BMD units, and the DRE unit. The Chinese characters displayed on both the printed ballots

and displayed on the BMD and DRE units will be compared to the original Chinese characters generated by the online translation tool to verify that the characters match.

#### **1.6.4 Supported Functionality**

The EVS 6.3.0.0 is designed to support the following voting variations:

- General Election
- Closed Primary
- Early Voting
- Partisan/Non-Partisan Offices
- Write-In Voting
- Split Precincts
- Vote for N of M
- Ballot Rotation
- Provisional or Challenged Ballots
- Straight Party Voting
- Cross-party Endorsement

### **2.0 PRE-CERTIFICATION TESTING AND ISSUES**

This section describes previous testing performed prior to submitting the voting system to the EAC.

#### **2.1 Evaluation of Prior VSTL Testing**

Pro V&V evaluated to the published Final Test Report for the EVS 6.2.0.0 in order to baseline the current system under test.

#### **2.2 Evaluation of Prior Non-VSTL Testing**

No prior non-VSTL testing of the EVS 6.3.0.0 modifications were considered for this test campaign.

#### **2.3 Known Field Issues**

EVS 6.3.0.0 is a modification to a previously certified system and has not yet been fielded.

### **3.0 MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR TESTING**

*The following sections list all materials needed to enable the test engagement to occur.*

The materials required for testing of the EVS 6.3.0.0 include all materials to enable the test campaign to occur. This includes the applicable hardware and software as well as the TDP, test support materials, and deliverable materials, as described in the following subsections.

### **3.1 Software**

*This subsection lists the proprietary and COTS software to be provided by the manufacturer as part of the test campaign.*

All software required for testing is identified in Section 1.6 of this test plan. Pro V&V will perform a comparison on the submitted source code against the previously certified versions. Pro V&V will review the submitted modified source code to the EAC VVSG 1.0 and the manufacturer-submitted coding standards.

### **3.2 Equipment**

*This subsection lists the proprietary and COTS equipment to be provided by the manufacturer as part of the test campaign.*

For COTS equipment, every effort will be made to verify that the COTS equipment has not been modified for use. This will be accomplished by performing research using the COTS equipment manufacturer's websites based on the serial numbers and service tag numbers for each piece of equipment. Assigned test personnel will evaluate COTS hardware, system software and communications components for proven performance in commercial applications other than voting. For PCs, laptops, and servers, the service tag information will be compared to the system information found on each machine.

Physical external and internal examination will also be performed when the equipment is easily accessible without the possibility of damage. Hard drives, RAM memory, and other components will be examined to verify that the components match the information found on the COTS equipment manufacturer's websites.

### **3.3 Test Materials**

*This subsection lists the test materials required to execute the required tests throughout the test campaign.*

- ExpressVote Activation Card Printer
- Security Seals/Locks/Sleeves
- Headphone Covers
- Printer Paper
- Ballots and blank ballot grade paper
- Activation cards
- Ballot pens
- CF memory cards
- CFast memory cards
- USB flash drives

### **3.4 Proprietary Data**

All data and documentation considered by the manufacturer to be proprietary will be identified and documented in an independent submission along with a Notice of Protected Information.

## **4.0 TEST SPECIFICATIONS**

Certification testing of EVS 6.3.0.0 submitted for evaluation will be performed to ensure the applicable requirements of the EAC VVSG 1.0 and the EAC Testing and Certification Program Manual, Version 2.0 are met. Additionally, all EAC Request for Interpretations (RFI) and Notices of Clarification (NOC) relevant to the system under test will be incorporated in the test campaign. A complete listing of the EAC RFIs and NOCs is available on the EAC website.

### **4.1 Requirements (Strategy of Evaluation)**

To evaluate the EVS 6.3.0.0 test requirements, the submitted modifications were evaluated against each section of the EAC VVSG 1.0 to determine the applicable tests to be performed. Based on this assessment, it was determined the following evaluations would be required to verify compliance of the modifications:

#### Section 1: Technical Documentation Package (TDP) Review

A TDP Review will be performed to ensure that all submitted modifications are accurately documented and that the documents meet the requirements of the EAC VVSG 1.0. The preliminary TDP review is performed to gather information concerning the system under test and its capabilities or design intentions. Additionally, a TDP review will be performed throughout the test campaign. The TDP Review includes the Initial Review, the Regulatory/Compliance Review, and the Final Review. This review is conducted to determine if the submitted technical documentation meets the regulatory, customer-stated, or end-user requirements and includes reviewing the documents for stated functionality and verification.

#### Section 2: Functional Requirements

The requirements in this section shall be tested during the FCA, Accuracy Test, and System Integration Test. This evaluation will utilize baseline test cases as well as specifically designed test cases and will include predefined election definitions for the input data.

The FCA targets the specific functionality claimed by the manufacturer to ensure the product functions as documented. This testing uses both positive and negative test data to test the robustness of the system. The FCA encompasses an examination of manufacturer tests, and the conduct of additional tests, to verify that the system hardware and software perform all the functions described in the manufacturer's documentation submitted in the TDP (such as system operations, voter manual, maintenance, and diagnostic testing manuals). It includes a test of system operations in the sequence in which they would normally be performed. These system operations and functional capabilities are categorized as follows by the phase of election activity in which they are required:

- Overall System Capabilities: These functional capabilities apply throughout the election process. They include security, accuracy, integrity, system audit ability, election management system, vote tabulation, ballot counters, telecommunications, and data retention.
- Pre-voting Capabilities: These functional capabilities are used to prepare the voting system for voting. They include ballot preparation, the preparation of election-specific software (including firmware), the production of ballots, the installation of ballots and ballot counting software (including firmware), and system and equipment tests.
- Voting System Capabilities: These functional capabilities include all operations conducted at the polling place by voters and officials including the generation of status messages.
- Post-voting Capabilities: These functional capabilities apply after all votes have been cast. They include closing the polling place; obtaining reports by voting machine, polling place, and precinct; obtaining consolidated reports; and obtaining reports of audit trails.
- Maintenance, Transportation and Storage Capabilities: These capabilities are necessary to maintain, transport, and store voting system equipment.

The system integration testing addresses the integration of the hardware and software. This testing focuses on the compatibility of the voting system software components and subsystems with one another and with other components of the voting system. During test performance, the system is configured as would be for normal field use.

The accuracy test ensures that each component of the voting system can each process 1,549,703 consecutive ballot positions correctly within the allowable target error rate. The Accuracy test is designed to test the ability of the system to “capture, record, store, consolidate and report” specific selections and absences of a selection. The required accuracy is defined as an error rate. This rate is the maximum number of errors allowed while processing a specified volume of data.

### Section 3: Usability and Accessibility Requirements

The requirements in this section shall be tested during the Usability and Accessibility Testing. This evaluation will utilize baseline test cases as well as specifically designed test cases and will include predefined election definitions for the input data.

The usability testing focuses on the usability of the system being tested. Usability is defined generally as a measure of the effectiveness, efficiency, and satisfaction achieved by a specified set of users with a given product in the performance of specified tasks. In the context of voting, the primary user is the voter, the product is the voting system, and the task is the correct recording of the voter ballot selections. Additional requirements for task performance are independence and privacy: the voter should normally be able to complete the voting task without assistance from others, and the voter selections should be private. Accessibility evaluates the requirements for accessibility. These requirements are intended to address HAVA 301 (a) (3) (B).



#### Section 4: Hardware Requirements

Due to the introduction of the DS300 as a new system component it was determined that hardware testing would be required. The full suite of hardware electrical testing and all applicable environmental tests for the DS300 were successfully performed as part of a previous state level test campaign. The Pro V&V test report and associated hardware test reports of this testing will be submitted to the EAC for evaluation and approval for reuse in this test campaign to satisfy the requirements of this section.

#### Section 5: Software Requirements

The requirements in this section shall be tested utilizing a combination of review and functional testing during the source code review, TDP review, and FCA.

To perform the source code review, Pro V&V will review the submitted source code to the EAC VVSG 1.0 and the manufacturer-submitted coding standards. Prior to initiating the software review, Pro V&V shall verify that the submitted documentation is sufficient to enable: (1) a review of the source code and (2) Pro V&V to design and conduct tests at every level of the software structure to verify that design specifications and performance guidelines are met. The source code review includes a compliance build and a trusted build of the submitted source code.

#### Section 7: Security Requirements

The requirements in this section shall be tested during the source code review, security tests, and FCA.

To evaluate the integrity of the system, Pro V&V will develop specifically designed test cases in an attempt to defeat the access controls and security measures documented in the system TDP as well as verifying compliance to EAC RFI 2012-05. A threat matrix will be created to determine the risks and vulnerabilities. An evaluation of the system will be accomplished by utilizing a combination of functional testing, source code review, and static code analyzers.

During the security testing, the system shall be inspected for various controls and measures that are in place to meet the objectives of the security standards which include: protection of the critical elements of the voting system; establishing and maintaining controls to minimize errors; protection from intentional manipulation, fraud and malicious mischief; identifying fraudulent or erroneous changes to the voting system; and protecting the secrecy in the voting process.

Additional review will be performed on the implementation of the FIPS cryptographic module in order to:

- Confirm the module (model and version) that is used and implemented is present on the NIST CMVP validated products list.
- Confirm the module in all five instances is configured and used per the NIST published security policy for that module.

#### **4.1.1 Rationale for ‘Not Applicable’ Requirements**

All requirements that were excluded from the previous test campaign (EVS 6.2.0.0) were also deemed not applicable to this test campaign due to the submitted modifications not impacting the specific requirements.

#### **4.2 Hardware Configuration and Design**

The EVS 6.3.0.0 is an electronic voting system consisting of the following hardware: ExpressVote Universal Voting System Hardware 1.0 (ExpressVote HW1.0), ExpressVote Universal Voting System Hardware 2.1 (ExpressVote HW2.1); ExpressVote XL Full Face Universal Voting System (ExpressVote XL); ExpressTouch Electronic Universal Voting System (ExpressTouch); DS200 poll place scanner and tabulator (DS200); DS300 poll place scanner and tabulator (DS300); DS450 high-throughput central scanner and tabulator (DS450); DS850 high-speed central scanner and tabulator (DS850); and DS950 high-speed central scanner and tabulator (DS950).

#### **4.3 Software System Functions**

The EVS 6.3.0.0 EMS is an application suite consisting of Electionware, Removable Media Service (RMS), Event Log Service (ELS), and Regional Results (RR) .

##### Electionware

Electionware is the election management software that provides end-to-end election management activities (from creating the ballots to reporting the voting results) through user interface.

##### Removable Media Service (RMS)

RMS is a utility that runs in the background of the Windows Operating System. RMS reads specific information from any attached USB flash drives so that ES&S applications such as Electionware can use that information for flash drive validation purposes.

##### Event Log Service (ELS)

ELS is an application that logs users’ interactions with the EMS.

##### Regional Results (RR)

Regional Results is a standalone application that is deployed at Regional Sending Sites. This application establishes a secure connection to the central results transfer server at the jurisdiction headquarters and reads the election media with results from the different poll places. It then securely transmits the results collection files over a customer dedicated network via the Regional Results software for more efficient results reporting.

#### **4.4 Test Case Design**

Test cases are designed based on the manufacturer’s design specifications and the relevant technical requirements set forth by the VVSG. Test cases shall be based on the following aspects

of the voting system: software module test case design and data, software functional test case design, and system level test case design.

Test cases shall provide information regarding the sequence of actions to be performed for the execution of a test, the requirements being met, the test objective, test configuration, equipment needed, special requirements, assumptions, and pass/fail criteria. Once the test cases are finalized, they will be validated and published for use in the test campaign. The validation of the test case will be accomplished by technical review and approval. This validation will include the following: confirmation of adequate test coverage of all requirements; confirmation that test case results are not ambiguous and gave objective pass/fail criteria; and confirmation that any automated test suites will produce valid results.

#### **4.4.1 Hardware Qualitative Design**

Previous hardware examinations were performed on the certified baseline system (EVS 6.2.0.0) and/or previous certified versions of the EVS 6.3.0.0 components; however, to satisfy requirements for this campaign, the submitted modifications require the full suite of electrical and environmental hardware testing to be performed on some components. This testing has been conducted on a parallel state certification effort and will be petitioned for reuse for this campaign.

#### **4.4.2 Hardware Environmental Test Case Design**

Testing will be performed by personnel verified by Pro V&V to be qualified to perform the test. Pro V&V will utilize third-party test facilities for performance of the environmental test. Environmental will be performed at the NTS Longmont facility located in Longmont, Colorado. Electrical supply will be performed at the Pro V&V lab. All pre and post operational status checks shall be conducted by Pro V&V personnel.

#### **4.4.3 Software Module Test Case Design and Data**

Pro V&V shall review the manufacturer's program analysis, documentation, and module test case design and shall evaluate the test cases for each module with respect to flow control parameters and entry/exit data. As needed, Pro V&V shall design additional test cases to satisfy the coverage criteria specified in Volume II, Section 7.2.1.

Component Level Testing will be implemented during the FCA for each component and subcomponent.

During the Source Code Review, Compliance Builds, and Security Testing, Pro V&V will utilize limited structural-based techniques (white-box testing). Additionally, specification-based techniques (black-box testing) will be utilized for the individual software components.

Pro V&V shall define the expected result for each test and the ACCEPT/REJECT criteria for certification. If the system performs as expected, the results will be accepted. If the system does not perform as expected, an analysis will be performed to determine the cause. The test will be repeated in an attempt to reproduce the results. If the failure can be reproduced and the expected

results are not met, the system will have failed the test. If the results cannot be reproduced, the test will continue. All errors encountered will be documented and tracked through resolution.

#### **4.4.4 Software Functional Test Case Design and Data**

Pro V&V shall review the manufacturer-submitted test plans and data to verify that the individual performance requirements specified in the EAC VVSG 1.0 and the TDP are reflected in the software. As part of this process, Pro V&V shall review the manufacturer's test case design and prepare a detailed matrix of system functions and the test cases that exercise them. Pro V&V shall also prepare a test procedure describing all test ballots, operator procedures, and the data content of output reports. Pro V&V shall define abnormal input data and operator actions and then design test cases to verify that the system is able to handle and recover from these abnormal conditions.

During this review, emphasis shall be placed on those functions where the manufacturer data on module development, such as the system release notes and comments within the source code, reflects significant debugging problems, and on functional tests that resulted in high error rates.

Pro V&V shall define the expected result for each test and the ACCEPT/REJECT criteria for certification. If the system performs as expected, the results will be accepted. If the system does not perform as expected, an analysis will be performed to determine the cause. The test will be repeated in an attempt to reproduce the results. If the failure can be reproduced and the expected results are not met, the system will have failed the test. If the results cannot be reproduced, the test will continue. All errors encountered will be documented and tracked through resolution.

#### **4.4.5 System-Level Test Case Design**

System Level testing will be implemented to evaluate the complete system. This testing will include all proprietary components and COTS components (software, hardware, and peripherals) in a configuration of the system's intended use.

For software system tests, the tests shall be designed according to the stated design objective without consideration of its functional specification. The system level hardware and software test cases shall be prepared independently to assess the response of the hardware and software to a range of conditions.

### **4.5 Test Specifications**

Descriptions of the tests required to evaluate the EVS 6.3.0.0 to the scope defined in Section 1.5 are provided in the subsections below.

#### **4.5.1 TDP Evaluation**

In order to determine compliance of the modified TDP documents with the EAC VVSG 1.0, a limited TDP review shall be conducted. This review will focus on TDP documents that have been modified since the certification of the baseline system. The review will consist of a compliance review to determine if each regulatory, state, or manufacturer-stated requirement has been met based on the context of each requirement. Results of the review of each document will be entered

on the TDP Review Checklist and reported to the manufacturer for disposition of any anomalies. This process will be ongoing until all anomalies are resolved.

Any revised documents during the TDP review process will be compared with the previous document revision to determine changes made, and the document will be re-reviewed to determine whether subject requirements have been met.

A listing of all documents contained in the EVS 6.3.0.0 TDP is provided in Table 4-1.

**Table 4-1. EVS 6.3.0.0 TDP Documents**

<b>Document ID</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Revision</b>
<b><i>00_Preface</i></b>		
ESSSYS_6'3'0'0_L_RequirementsMatrix_QA	Requirements of the VVSG 1.0 Trace to Vendor Testing	1.0
ESSSYS_6'3'0'0_L_RequirementsMatrix_TDP	Requirements of the VVSG 1.0 Trace for TDP	1.1
<b><i>01_System Overview</i></b>		
ESSSYS_6'3'0'0_D_SYSOVR	ES&S Voting System 6.3.0.0 System Overview	1.1
<b><i>02_System Functionality Description</i></b>		
ESSSYS_6'3'0'0_D_SFD	ES&S Voting System 6.3.0.0 System Functionality Description	1.0
<b><i>03_System Hardware Specification</i></b>		
DS200_1'2_SPC_HWSpec	DS200 Hardware Specification, Hardware Revision 1.2	3.7
DS200_1'3_SPC_HWSpec	DS200 Hardware Specification, Hardware Revision 1.3	4.9
DS300_1'0_SPC_HWSpec	DS300 Hardware Specification, Hardware Revision 1.0	1.0
DS450_1'0_SPC_HWSpec	DS450 Hardware Specification, Hardware Revision 1.0	1.11
DS850_1'0_SPC_HWSpec	DS850 Hardware Specification, Hardware Revision 1.0	1.10
DS950_1'0_SPC_HWSpec	DS950 Hardware Specification, Hardware Revision 1.0	1.1
ETOUCH_1'0_SPC_HWSpec	ExpressTouch Hardware Specification, Hardware Revision 1.0	1.1
EVOTE_1'0_SPC_HWSpec	ExpressVote Hardware Specification, Hardware Revision 1.0	3.12
EVOTE_2'1_SPC_HWSpec	ExpressVote Hardware Specification, Hardware Revision 2.1	1.5
EVOTEXL_1'0_SPC_HWSpec	ExpressVote XL Hardware Specification, Hardware Revision 1.0	1.3
<b><i>03_System Hardware Specification – Approved Parts List</i></b>		
DS200_1'2_L_APL	Approved Parts List: DS200 HW1.2	1.1
DS200_1'3_L_APL	Approved Parts List: DS200 HW 1.3	1.6
DS300_1'0_L_APL	Approved Parts List: DS300 HW 1.0	1.0

**Table 4-1. EVS 6.3.0.0 TDP Documents (continued)**

<b>Document ID</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Revision</b>
DS450_1'0_L_APL	Approved Parts List: DS450 HW 1.0	1.5
DS850_1'0_L_APL	Approved Parts List: DS850 HW 1.0	1.4
DS950_1'0_L_APL	Approved Parts List: DS950 HW 1.0	1.1
ETOUCH_1'0_L_APL	Approved Parts List: ExpressTouch HW Rev 1.0	1.1
EVOTE_1'0_L_APL	Approved Parts List: ExpressVote HW 1.0	2.3
EVOTE_2'1_L_APL	Approved Parts List: ExpressVote HW 2.1	2.7
EVOTEXL_1'0_L_APL	Approved Parts List: ExpressVote XL HW Rev 1.0	1.3
<b>04_Software Design and Specification</b>		
DS200_3'0'0'0_SDS	DS200 - Software Design Specification	1.0
DS300_3'0'0'0_SDS	DS300 - Software Design Specification	1.0
DS450_4'2'0'0_SDS	DS450 - Software Design Specification	1.0
DS850_4'2'0'0_SDS	DS850 - Software Design Specification	1.0
DS950_4'2'0'0_SDS	DS950 - Software Design Specification	1.0
ELS_3'0'0'0_SDS	Event Log Service – Software Design Specification	1.1
ETOUCH_4'2'1'0_SDS	ExpressTouch – Software Design Specification	1.0
EVOTE_4'2'1'0_SDS_HW1'0	ExpressVote 1.0 - Software Design Specification	1.0
EVOTE_4'2'1'0_SDS_HW2'1	ExpressVote 2.1 - Software Design Specification	1.0
EVOTEXL_4'2'1'0_SDS	ExpressVote XL – Software Design Specification	1.0
ESSSYS_1'0_P_CodingStandards	Coding Standards	1.7
ESSSYS_1'0_P_SysDevProgram	System Development Program	2.1
ESSSYS_1'0_SPC_LicenseAgreements	License Agreements for Procured Software	1.14
EWARE_6'3'0'0_SDS	Electionware – Software Design Specification	1.0
RGRESULT_1'5'0'0_SDS	Regional Results- Software Design Specification	1.0
EWARE_99'3_D_PostGreSQL Descriptions_EVS6300	SDS Appendices - PostGreSQL Entity Descriptions EVS6300	n/a
EWARE_99'5_D_XMLDiagrams_EVS6300	SDS Appendices - XML Diagrams EVS6300	n/a
EWARE_99'6_D_MediaContents_6300	SDS Appendices - Media Contents EVS6300	n/a
<b>05_System Test and Verification</b>		
ESSSYS_6'3'0'0_D_TestPlan	System Test Plan	1.0
DS200_1'3_D_CIFRpt	Usability Test Report: DS200 Precinct-Based Scanner and Tabulator Version 2.17.0.0 ES&S Voting System 6.0.0.0	n/a
DS300_1'0_D_CIFRpt	Usability Test Report: ES&S DS300 Precinct-Based Scanner and Tabulator ES&S Voting System 6.3.0.0	n/a

**Table 4-1. EVS 6.3.0.0 TDP Documents (continued)**

<b>Document ID</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Revision</b>
ETOUCH_1'0_D_CIFRpt	Usability Test Report: ExpressTouch Electronic Universal Voting System Version 1.0.0.0 ES&S Voting System 6.0.0.0	n/a
EVOTE_1'0_D_CIFRpt	Usability Test Report: ExpressVote Universal Voting System Version 1.5.0.0 ES&S Voting System 6.0.0.0	n/a
EVOTE_2'1_D_CIFRpt	Usability Test Report: ExpressVote Universal Voting System Version 2.4.0.0 ES&S Voting System 6.0.0.0	n/a
EVOTEXL_1'0_D_CIFRpt.pdf	Usability Test Report: ExpressVote XL Full-Faced Universal Voting System	---
<b>06_System Security Specification</b>		
ESSSYS_1'0_SPC_SECURITYSC RIPTDESC	Security Script Description ES&S Standards and Procedures	1.0
ESSSYS_6'3'0'0_SPC_CLIENT WORKSTATIONSETUPCONFI GGUIDE	EMS Client Workstation Secure Setup & Configuration Guide	1.0
ESSSYS_6'3'0'0_SPC_DATACO MMSERVERSETUPCONFIGG UIDE	Data Communication Server Secure Setup & Configuration Guide	1.0
ESSSYS_6'3'0'0_SPC_EMSSER VERSETUPCONFIGGUIDE	EMS Server Secure Setup & Configuration Guide	1.0
ESSSYS_6'3'0'0_SPC_FIREWAL LSETUPCONFIGGUIDE	Firewall Setup & Configuration Guide	1.0
ESSSYS_6'3'0'0_SPC_REGION ALRESULTSSETUPCONFIGG UIDE	Regional Results Setup & Configuration Guide	1.0
ESSSYS_6'3'0'0_SPC_SECBEST PRACT	Best Practices for Physically Securing ES&S Equipment	1.0
ESSSYS_6'3'0'0_SPC_STANDA LONWORKSTATIONSETUPC ONFIGGUIDE	EMS Standalone Workstation Secure Setup & Configuration Guide	1.0
ESSSYS_6'3'0'0_SPC_SYSTEM SECURITY	Voting System Security Specification	1.0
ESSSYS_6'3'0'0_SPC_VPNROU TERSETUPCONFIGGUIDE	VPN Router Setup and Configuration Guide for RV340	1.0
01_Verification Procedures & Scripts	Folder	N/A
02_ValidationFileLists	Folder	N/A
03_Verification Packs	Folder	N/A
10_BuildProcedures	Folder	N/A
<b>07_System Operations Procedures</b>		
CENTRAL_4'2'0'0_SOP	Central Count Operator's Guide DS450, DS850, and DS950	1.0
DS200_3'0'0'0_SOP	DS200 Operator's Guide	1.1
DS300_3'0'0'0_SOP	DS300 Operator's Guide	1.0

**Table 4-1. EVS 6.3.0.0 TDP Documents (continued)**

<b>Document ID</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Revision</b>
ELS_3'0'0'0_SOP	EVS Event Log Service User's Guide	1.1
ETOUCH_4'2'1'0_SOP	ExpressTouch Operator's Guide	1.0
EVOTE_4'2'1'0_SOP_HW1'0	ExpressVote Operator's Guide Hardware Version 1.0	1.0
EVOTE_4'2'1'0_SOP_HW2'1	ExpressVote Operator's Guide Hardware Version 2.1	1.0
EVOTEXL_4'2'1'0_SOP	ExpressVote XL Operator's Guide	1.0
EWARE_6'3'0'0_SOP_01Admin	Electionware Vol. I: Administrator Guide	1.0
EWARE_6'3'0'0_SOP_02Define	Electionware Vol. II: Define User Guide	1.0
EWARE_6'3'0'0_SOP_03Design	Electionware Vol. III: Design User Guide	1.0
EWARE_6'3'0'0_SOP_04 Deliver	Electionware Vol. IV: Deliver User Guide	1.0
EWARE_6'3'0'0_SOP_05 Results	Electionware Vol. V: Results User Guide	1.0
EWARE_6'3'0'0_SOP_06 Appendices	Electionware Vol. VI: Appendices	1.0
RGRSLT_1'5'0'0_SOP	Regional Results Transfer User Guide	1.0
<b>08_System Maintenance Manuals</b>		
CENTRAL_4'2'0'0_SMM	Central Count Maintenance Manual DS450, DS850 and DS950	1.0
DS200_3'0'0'0_SMM	DS200 Maintenance Manual	1.1
DS300_3'0'0'0_SMM	DS300 Maintenance Manual	1.1
ETOUCH_4'2'1'0_SMM	ExpressTouch Maintenance Manual	1.0
EVOTE_4'2'1'0_SMM	ExpressVote Maintenance Manual	1.0
EVOTEXL_4'2'1'0_SMM	ExpressVote XL Maintenance Manual	1.0
<b>09_Personnel Deployment and Training</b>		
ESSSYS_1'0_P_Training Program	Personnel Deployment and Training Program	1.4
<b>10_Configuration Management Plan</b>		
ESSSYS_1'0_P_CMProgram	Configuration Management Program	1.8
ESSSYS_1'0_P_TDProgram	Technical Documentation Program	1.5
<b>11_QA Program</b>		
ESSSYS_1'0_P_MNFQA Program	Manufacturing Quality Assurance Program	1.12
ESSSYS_1'0_P_SWQAProgram	Software Quality Assurance Program	1.8
<b>12_System Change Notes</b>		
ESSSYS_6'3'0'0_D_ ChangeNotes	ES&S Voting System 6.3.0.0 System Change Notes	1.1
ESSSYS_6'3'0'0_D_ CHANGENOTES_QA	System Change Notes w/ QA Test Notes ES&S Voting System 6.3.0.0	1.0
<b>13_Attachments</b>		
BPG_1'0_SOP	Ballot Production Guide for EVS	3.6



#### **4.5.2 Source Code Review**

Pro V&V will review the submitted source code to the EAC VVSG 1.0 and the manufacturer-submitted coding standards. Prior to initiating the software review, Pro V&V shall verify that the submitted documentation is sufficient to enable: (1) a review of the source code and (2) Pro V&V to design and conduct tests at every level of the software structure to verify that design specifications and performance guidelines are met.

A combination of Automated Source Code Review and Manual Source Code Review methods will be used to review the changes in the source code from the previously certified EVS 6.2.0.0 voting system. In addition, 10% of the source code comments will be manually reviewed.

#### **4.5.3 Physical Configuration Audit (PCA)**

The Physical Configuration Audit (PCA) compares the voting system components submitted for qualification to the manufacturer's technical documentation, and shall include the following activities:

- Establish a configuration baseline of software and hardware to be tested; confirm whether manufacturer's documentation is sufficient for the user to install, validate, operate, and maintain the voting system
- Verify software conforms to the manufacturer's specifications; inspect all records of manufacturer's release control system; if changes have been made to the baseline version, verify manufacturer's engineering and test data are for the software version submitted for certification
- If the hardware is non-COTS, Pro V&V shall review drawings, specifications, technical data, and test data associated with system hardware to establish system hardware baseline associated with software baseline
- Review manufacturer's documents of user acceptance test procedures and data against system's functional specifications; resolve any discrepancy or inadequacy in manufacturer's plan or data prior to beginning system integration functional and performance tests
- Subsequent changes to baseline software configuration made during testing, as well as system hardware changes that may produce a change in software operation are subject to re-examination

#### **4.5.4 Functional Configuration Audit (FCA)**

The Functional Configuration Audit (FCA) encompasses an examination of manufacturer's tests, and the conduct of additional tests, to verify that the system hardware and software perform all the functions described in the manufacturer's documentation submitted in the TDP.

In addition to functioning according to the manufacturer's documentation, tests will be conducted to ensure all applicable EAC VVSG 1.0 requirements are met.

#### **4.5.5 System Level Testing**

System Level Testing will be implemented to evaluate the complete system. This testing will include all proprietary components and COTS components (software, hardware, and peripherals) in a configuration of the system's intended use. For software system tests, the tests will be designed according to the stated design objective without consideration of its functional specification. The system level hardware and software test cases will be prepared independently to assess the response of the hardware and software to a range of conditions. Pro V&V will review the manufacturer's program analysis, documentation, and module test case design and evaluate the test cases for each module with respect to flow control parameters and entry/exit data.

System Level Testing includes the evaluations of the following test areas: Security Review, FCA, Volume & Stress Testing, Accuracy Testing, and System Integration Testing.

Pro V&V defined the expected result for each test and the ACCEPT/REJECT criteria for certification. If the system performs as expected, the results will be accepted. If the system does not perform as expected, an analysis will be performed to determine the cause. If needed, the test will be repeated in an attempt to reproduce the results. If the failure can't be reproduced and the expected results are not met, the system will be determined to have failed the test. If the results can't be reproduced, the test will continue. All errors encountered will be documented and tracked through resolution.

##### **4.5.5.1 Accuracy**

The Accuracy test ensures that each component of the voting system can each process 1,549,703 consecutive ballot positions correctly within the allowable target error rate.

The Accuracy test is designed to test the ability of the system to "capture, record, store, consolidate and report" specific selections and absences of a selection. The required accuracy is defined as an error rate. This rate is the maximum number of errors allowed while processing a specified volume of data. For paper-based voting systems, the ballot positions on a paper ballot must be scanned to detect selections for individual candidates and contests and the conversion of those selections detected on the paper ballot converted into digital data. In an effort to achieve this and to verify the proper functionality of the units under test, the following methods will be used to test components of the voting system:

The accuracy requirements for the EVS 6.3.0.0 will be accomplished by the execution of multiple Accuracy tests utilizing pre-marked vote summary cards, hand marked ballots, and automated L&A of each card and ballot length supported. The Accuracy tests will also include the transmission of those results via Regional Results through a Virtual Private Network (VPN). The Accuracy tests will also include the transmission of the DS950, DS850 and DS450 results via a closed local area network.

#### **4.5.5.2 System Integration**

System Integration is a system level test that evaluates the integrated operation of both hardware and software. Compatibility of the voting system software components or subsystems with one another, and with other components of the voting system environment, shall be determined through functional tests integrating the voting system software with the remainder of the system.

Additionally, the system shall be configured exactly as it would for normal field use. This includes connecting all supporting equipment and peripherals including ballot boxes, voting booths (regular and accessible), and any physical security equipment such as locks and ties.

Pro V&V personnel shall properly configure and test the system by following the procedures detailed in the EVS 6.3.0.0 technical documentation.

#### **4.5.5.3 Volume & Stress**

The Volume & Stress test investigates the system's response to conditions that tend to overload the system's capacity to process, store, and report data. The test parameters will focus on the system's stated limits and the ballot logic for areas such as the maximum number of active voting positions, maximum number of ballot styles, maximum candidates, maximum contests, and stated limits within the EMS. This test will be utilized to ensure the system can achieve the manufacturer's TDP claims of what the system can support. Testing will be performed by exercising multiple election definitions developed specifically to test for volume and stress conditions of the system being tested.

#### **4.5.5.4 Regression Testing**

Regression testing will be conducted on the EVS 6.3.0.0 to establish assurance that the modifications have no adverse impact on the compliance, integrity, or performance of the system.

#### **4.5.6 Security Functions**

The objective of the Security Testing is to evaluate the effectiveness of the voting system in detecting, preventing, recording, reporting, and recovering from security threats. To evaluate the integrity of the system, Pro V&V shall develop specifically designed test cases in an attempt to defeat the access controls and security measures documented in the system TDP.

The submitted threat matrix identifying the system's risks and vulnerabilities shall be evaluated for completeness and to determine that mitigating controls are adequately implemented. An evaluation of the system shall be accomplished by utilizing a combination of functional testing and source code review. All findings will be reported to the EAC and ES&S.

The test methods for performing the Security Testing are execution and review. Prior to performance of Security testing, the examiner will verify that security hardening scripts have been properly applied to system components per the system documentation. The examiner will review the submitted TDP to verify that documented access and physical controls are in place. Following the documented procedures, the examiner will configure the voting system for use and

functionality to verify that the documented controls are in place and adequate and meet the stated requirements.

Physical Security will be tested by setting up the system as described in the TDP and then examining the effectiveness and comprehensiveness of physical security measures.

Administrative Security will be tested by examining the system's documented security instructions and procedures for effectiveness and breadth.

Logical security will be tested as part of FCA testing by a recognized security expert who not only will review the physical and administrative testing outcomes, but will perform the following tests on system components: Vulnerability Scans, SCAP Scans, and Physical Bypass Attempts. Logical security testing will assess the effectiveness of the security hardening scripts applied during the system setup and install process.

#### **4.5.7 Usability & Accessibility Testing**

Usability & Accessibility Testing will be performed to evaluate the usability of the EVS 6.3.0.0 to the requirements set forth in the EAC VVSG 1.0.

### **5.0 TEST DATA**

The following subsections provide information concerning test data recording and criteria.

#### **5.1 Test Data Recording**

All equipment utilized for test data recording shall be identified in the test data package. The output test data shall be recorded in an appropriate manner as to allow for data analysis. For source code and TDP reviews, results shall be compiled in reports and submitted to ES&S for resolution.

#### **5.2 Test Data Criteria**

The EVS 6.3.0.0 shall be evaluated against all applicable requirements contained in the EAC VVSG 1.0. The acceptable range for system performance and the expected results for each test case shall be derived from the manufacturer-submitted technical documentation and the EAC VVSG 1.0.

### **6.0 TEST PROCEDURE AND CONDITIONS**

The following subsections detail the facility requirements, test setup conditions, sequence of testing, and test operation procedures.

#### **6.1 Facility Requirements**

Unless otherwise annotated, all testing shall be conducted at the Pro V&V test facility located in Huntsville, AL, by personnel verified by Pro V&V to be qualified to perform the test.

Unless otherwise specified herein, testing shall be performed at the following standard ambient conditions and tolerances:

- Temperature: 68-75° F ( $\pm 3.6^\circ\text{F}$ )
- Relative Humidity: Local Site Humidity
- Atmospheric Pressure: Local Site Pressure
- Time Allowable Tolerance:  $\pm 5\%$

Testing performed at third-party laboratories will be subjected to the test parameters and tolerances defined by the test facility and will be reported in the final Test Report.

## **6.2 Test Set-up**

All voting system equipment shall be received and documented using Pro V&V proper QA procedures. Upon receipt of all hardware, an inspection will be performed to verify that the equipment received is free from obvious signs of damage and/or degradation that may have occurred during transit. If present, this damage shall be recorded, photographed, and reported to the ES&S Representative. Additionally, a comparison shall be made between the recorded serial numbers/part numbers and those listed on shipper's manifest and any discrepancies shall be reported to the ES&S Representative.

TDP items and all source code received shall be inventoried and maintained by Pro V&V during the test campaign.

During test performance, the system shall be configured as it would be for normal field use. This includes connecting all supporting equipment and peripherals.

## **6.3 Test Sequence**

The EVS 6.3.0.0 will be evaluated against all applicable requirements in the EAC VVSG 1.0. There is no required sequence for test performance.

## **6.4 Test Operations Procedure**

Pro V&V will identify PASS/FAIL criteria for each executed test case. The PASS/FAIL criteria will be based on the specific expected results of the system. In the case of an unexpected result that deviates from what is considered standard, normal, or expected, a root cause analysis will be performed.

Pro V&V will evaluate every EAC VVSG 1.0 requirement applicable to the EVS 6.3.0.0. Any deficiencies noted will be reported to the EAC and the manufacturer. If it is determined that there is insufficient data to determine compliance, this Test Plan will be altered and additional testing will be performed.

**APPENDIX A**  
**PROJECT SCHEDULE**

<b>- EAC Application &amp; TRR</b>	<b>04/01/22</b>	<b>04/08/22</b>	<b>Stephen</b>
Application Submitted to EAC	04/01/22	04/01/22	
TRR	04/04/22	04/06/22	
Application Approval from EAC	04/07/22	04/08/22	
<b>- TDP</b>	<b>04/04/22</b>	<b>07/22/22</b>	<b>Stacey</b>
Initial Review	04/04/22	04/07/22	
Compliance Review	04/08/22	07/18/22	
Final review	07/19/22	07/22/22	
<b>- Test Plan</b>	<b>04/15/22</b>	<b>06/24/22</b>	<b>Wendy</b>
Test Plan Creation	04/15/22	04/29/22	
Vendor Review & Comments	05/02/22	05/03/22	
EAC Submission and Review	05/04/22	06/01/22	
VSTL Comment Review & Update	06/02/22	06/08/22	
EAC Submission & Review of Revision	06/09/22	06/22/22	
EAC Approved Test Plan	06/23/22	06/24/22	
<b>- Source Code</b>	<b>04/04/22</b>	<b>05/19/22</b>	<b>Hunter</b>
Automated Review	04/04/22	04/07/22	
Source Code Review	04/04/22	05/06/22	
Source Code Re-Review	05/09/22	05/13/22	
Document Review	05/16/22	05/16/22	
Compliance Build	05/17/22	05/19/22	
<b>- System Delivery &amp; Setup</b>	<b>04/04/22</b>	<b>06/06/22</b>	<b>Stephen</b>
PCA	04/04/22	05/27/22	
System Setup	05/31/22	06/01/22	
System Loads & Hardening	06/02/22	06/06/22	
<b>- System Level Testing</b>	<b>06/07/22</b>	<b>08/24/22</b>	<b>Stephen</b>
FCA	06/07/22	06/10/22	
FCA (Continued)	06/27/22	07/15/22	
Security (SCAP)	06/13/22	06/17/22	
Usability	07/18/22	07/19/22	
Accessibility	07/20/22	07/20/22	
Volume & Stress	07/21/22	07/27/22	
Compliance Build 2	07/28/22	07/29/22	
Accuracy	08/01/22	08/04/22	
Regression Testing	08/05/22	08/05/22	
Trusted Build	08/08/22	08/10/22	
System Loads and Hardening of TB	08/11/22	08/15/22	
System Validation	08/16/22	08/17/22	
System Integration	08/18/22	08/24/22	

<b>- Test Report</b>	<b>08/18/22</b>	<b>10/21/22</b>	<b>Wendy</b>
Test Report Creation	08/18/22	08/31/22	
Vendor Review & Comments	09/01/22	09/02/22	
EAC Submission & Review	09/06/22	10/03/22	
VSTL Comment Review & Update	10/04/22	10/06/22	
EAC Submission & Review of Revision	10/07/22	10/20/22	
EAC Approved Test Report	10/21/22	10/21/22	