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**Currency**
✓ When was the information published or posted?
✓ Has the information been revised or updated?
✓ Are the links functional?

**Relevance**
✓ Does the information relate to your topic or answer your question?
✓ Who is the intended audience?
✓ Is the information at an appropriate level?

**Authority**
✓ Who is the author/publisher/source/sponsor?
✓ What are the author's qualifications to write on the topic?
✓ Does the URL reveal anything about the author or source?

**Accuracy**
✓ Is the information supported by evidence?
✓ Can you verify any of the information in another source?
✓ Does the language or tone seem biased and free of emotion?

**Purpose**
✓ What is the purpose of the information?
✓ Do the authors/sponsors make their intentions or purpose clear?
✓ Is the information fact? Opinion? Propaganda?

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