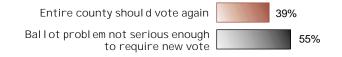


Testing the Process

Question: Do you think errors in our voting process are very common, somewhat common, not very common or not at all common?

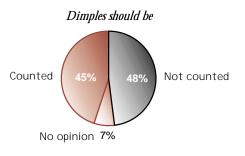


Question: From what you've seen or heard about the issue of voters in Palm Beach County misinterpreting their so-called "butterfly ballot" and mistakenly voting for Pat Buchanan instead of Al Gore, what do you think should happen... Should the entire county be asked to vote again; should the ballot problem there be seen as the kind of honest mistake that occurs in many elections, not serious enough to require a new vote?



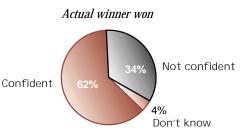
Source: Survey by Princeton Survey Research Associates for *Newsweek*, November 16-17, 2000.

Question: You may have heard or read about "dimpled" or "indented" chads. These are punch-card ballots in which the voter's punch did not go all the way through. Do you think ballots with dimpled or indented chads should or should not be counted as votes?



Source: Survey by ABC News/ Washington Post, November 26, 2000.

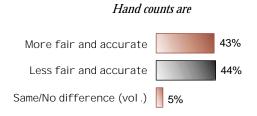
Question: How confident are you that in the end the presidential candidate who actually received the most votes in Florida will be declared the winner? Are you...?



Source: Survey by Princeton Survey Research Associates for *Newsweek*, November 16-17, 2000.

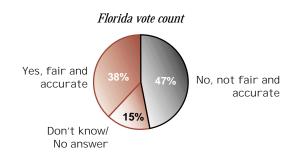
Source: Survey by Yankelovich Partners for *Time*/CNN, November 10, 2000.

Question: In general, do you think counting punch-card votes in Florida by hand is more fair and accurate or less fair and accurate than counting punch-card votes by machine?



Source: Survey by Princeton Survey Research Associates for *Newsweek*, November 16-17, 2000.

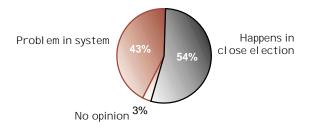
Question: Once the election is finally settled, do you think we will have gotten a fair and accurate vote count in Florida, or not?



Source: Survey by CBS News/New York Times, November 27-28, 2000.

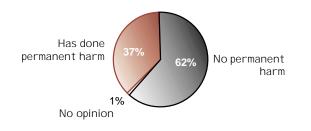
Question: Which of these statements do you think best describes the situation that has occurred since the election for president—it is a constitutional crisis, it is a major problem for the country but is not a crisis, it is a minor problem for the country, or it is not a problem for the country at all?

Constitutional crisis 10% Major problem 50% Minor problem 29% Not a problem 9% **Question**: Do you think this situation reveals serious problems in this country's system of electing the president, or do you think it's just the kind of thing that can happen in a very close election?



Source: Survey by Gallup/CNN/*USA Today*, November 26-27, 2000.

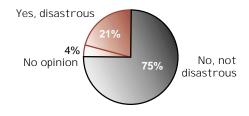
Question: Which comes closer to your view: there has been permanent harm done to the United States as a result of the election process this year, or there has been no permanent harm done to the United States as a result of the election process this year?



Source: Survey by Gallup/CNN/USA Today, November 26-27, 2000.

Source: Survey by ABC News/*Washington Post*, December 3, 2000.

Question: Suppose for a moment that the candidate you did not support ends up becoming president. Do you think that he would be such a bad president that it would be disastrous for the country, or not?



Source: Survey by Gallup/CNN/USA Today, November 19, 2000.

Controversy, More than the Delay, Was the Problem Question: Do you think the continuing controversy over the election in Florida is a big problem for this country, or do you think it is not really a problem? **Question**: Do you think the fact that we do not yet know who the next President will be is a big problem for this country, or do you think that the delay is not really a problem?

