

Patience and Time Consistency in Collective Decisions

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Online Supplemental Material 2: Displays

This material shows the typical displays used in the experiment. Figure 7 shows the multiple-choice list used to elicit indifference points; Figure 8 shows the equivalent multiple-choice list used to elicit indifference points for the first straw poll. Figure 9 displays the information each subject received at the end of each sequence. Figure 10 shows the final screen presented to the subject after a vote.

You will choose as an individual. Please fill the next table by indicating your choices:

Option A: In 4 weeks	<input type="radio"/> 100 €	<input type="radio"/> 100 €	<input type="radio"/> 100 €	<input type="radio"/> 100 €	<input type="radio"/> 100 €	<input type="radio"/> 100 €	
Option B: Tomorrow	<input type="radio"/> 50 €	<input type="radio"/> 60 €	<input type="radio"/> 70 €	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 72	<input type="radio"/> 80 €	<input type="radio"/> 90 €	<input type="radio"/> 100 €

Figure 7: Presentation of choice list in individual decisions.

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Your ID corresponds to color: **Brown**

You take a decision in common. This is trial n*1. Please fill the table by indicating your choices:

Option A: In 4 weeks	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 500 €	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 500 €	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 500 €	<input type="radio"/> 500 €	<input type="radio"/> 500 €	<input type="radio"/> 500 €	
Option B: Tomorrow	<input type="radio"/> 250 €	<input type="radio"/> 300 €	<input type="radio"/> 350 €	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 350	<input type="radio"/> 400 €	<input type="radio"/> 450 €	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 500 €

Figure 8: Presentation of choice list in collective decisions – First straw poll.

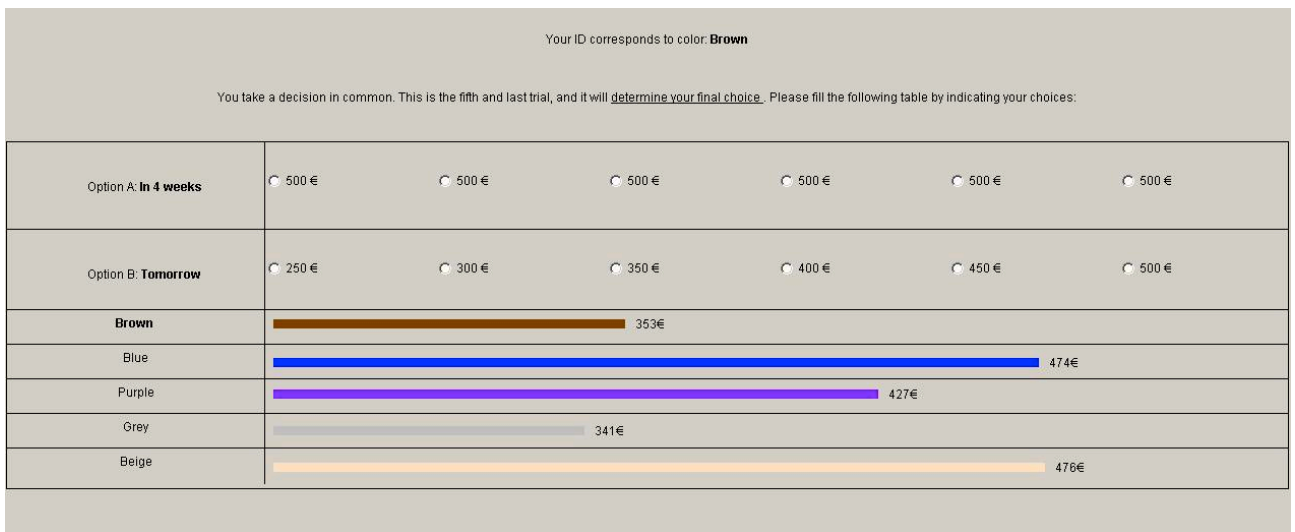


Figure 9: Information given about other member preferences during the group decision process.

Here are the final results for the group:

Group Members	Minimum amount requested for option B in order to leave option A (by increasing rank)
Beige	261
Blue	347
Gray	349
Brown	390
Purple	438

The total amount chosen by the group is **349€**

This decision gives you individually **69.80€**

Figure 10: Presentation of a collective decision.