SpaceOps Poll Results for 2018

The following presents the results of a non-representative poll among the SpaceOps community based on approximately 10 votes per question – but I think it represents the outspoken opinion of engineers who cared to cast their vote and state their opinions.

Thank you for that!

Qutr#1

Will 2018 be the year when US astronauts will leave from US soil again?

Yes 50%

No 37.5%

Rather 2020: 12.5%

Qutr#2

With the latest discussions on facebook's security policy: Do you feel trapped or invaded by facebook?

Yes 46%

No 38%

So far no Problem, but security must be improved: 16%

Qutr#3

Since the invention of the 8"-floppy disk, long term data archiving is a problem. A Finnish company (Piql) is guaranteeing secure data archiving for 750 years. The data is converted to QR-code images and recorded on conventional film, the films then are stored in a remote, abandoned coal mine in a modern high-tec environment.

Do you think this storage technique will replace the old-fashioned printed book in the long run?

Yes 0

No 100%

Qutr#4 2018

With all the problems we are facing on Earth - would you think we should refocus the goals for human space exploitation and invest more effort on "Earth maintenance"?

Yes 40%

No 60%

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