Voter-Marked Paper Ballots and Optical Scanners
You mark a ballot, which is tallied.

Choices you mark and verify here ...

... are tallied here with a scanner

or here, by hand.

Ballot Box

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Electronic Voting Machines with Voter-Verified Paper Trail
You must verify two records of your choices.
A third record you can’t verify is counted as your vote.

Choices you verify here ...

... are used to print a paper audit trail you also verify,

but it has only 3% chance of being counted.

Audit Trail Receptacle

The machine also creates an invisible electronic record, which is counted as your vote, even though you never approved it.

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