

time, these opinions voiced strong doubts about the efficacy of the rule as a deterrent, and advanced public interest values in effective law enforcement and public safety as reasons to discard the rule altogether or curtail its application.⁴⁵⁷ Thus, the Court emphasized the high costs of enforcing the rule to exclude reliable and trustworthy evidence, even when violations have been technical or in good faith, and suggested that such use of the rule may well “generat[e] disrespect for the law and administration of justice,”⁴⁵⁸ as well as free guilty defendants.⁴⁵⁹ No longer does the Court declare that “[t]he essence of a provision forbidding the acquisition of evidence in a certain way is that not merely evidence so acquired shall not be used before the Court but that it shall not be used at all.”⁴⁶⁰

Although the exclusionary rule has not been completely repudiated, its use has been substantially curbed. For instance, defendants who themselves were not subjected to illegal searches and seizures may not object to the introduction of evidence illegally obtained from co-conspirators or codefendants,⁴⁶¹ and even a defendant whose rights have been infringed may find the evidence admit-

ell, 428 U.S. 465, 486 (1976); *Rakas v. Illinois*, 439 U.S. 128, 134 n.3, 137–38 (1978); *Michigan v. DeFillippo*, 443 U.S. 31, 38 n.3 (1979). Thus, admission of the fruits of an unlawful search or seizure “work[s] no new Fourth Amendment wrong,” the wrong being “fully accomplished by the unlawful search or seizure itself,” *United States v. Calandra*, 414 U.S. at 354, and the exclusionary rule does not “cure the invasion of the defendant’s rights which he has already suffered.” *Stone v. Powell*, 428 U.S. at 540 (Justice White dissenting). “Judicial integrity” is not infringed by the mere admission of evidence seized wrongfully. “[T]he courts must not commit or encourage violations of the Constitution,” and the integrity issue is answered by whether exclusion would deter violations by others. *United States v. Janis*, 428 U.S. at 458 n.35; *United States v. Calandra*, 414 U.S. at 347, 354; *United States v. Peltier*, 422 U.S. at 538; *Michigan v. Tucker*, 417 U.S. 433, 450 n.25 (1974).

⁴⁵⁷ *United States v. Janis*, 428 U.S. 433, 448–54 (1976), contains a lengthy review of the literature on the deterrent effect of the rule and doubts about that effect. *See also* *Stone v. Powell*, 428 U.S. 465, 492 n.32 (1976).

⁴⁵⁸ *Stone v. Powell*, 428 U.S. at 490, 491.

⁴⁵⁹ *Bivens v. Six Unknown Fed. Narcotics Agents*, 403 U.S. 388, 416 (1971) (Chief Justice Burger dissenting).

⁴⁶⁰ *Silverthorne Lumber Co. v. United States*, 251 U.S. 385, 392 (1920).

⁴⁶¹ *E.g.*, *Rakas v. Illinois*, 439 U.S. 128 (1978); *United States v. Padilla*, 508 U.S. 77 (1993) (only persons whose privacy or property interests are violated may object to a search on Fourth Amendment grounds; exerting control and oversight over property by virtue of participation in a criminal conspiracy does not alone establish such interests); *United States v. Salvucci*, 448 U.S. 83 (1980); *Rawlings v. Kentucky*, 448 U.S. 98 (1980). In *United States v. Payner*, 447 U.S. 727 (1980), the Court held it impermissible for a federal court to exercise its supervisory power to police the administration of justice in the federal system to suppress otherwise admissible evidence on the ground that federal agents had flagrantly violated the Fourth Amendment rights of third parties in order to obtain evidence to use against others when the agents knew that the defendant would be unable to challenge their conduct under the Fourth Amendment.