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FROM THE EDITOR

Dear Reader,

Gilani Research Team now brings to you a collection of daily polls releases in the form of a weekly digest, which gives you the opportunity to read opinions of the Pakistani public on various socio-political issues. We hope it will be of interest to you and your readers.

If you have any further questions in this regard, please feel free to contact us.

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November 2, 2015

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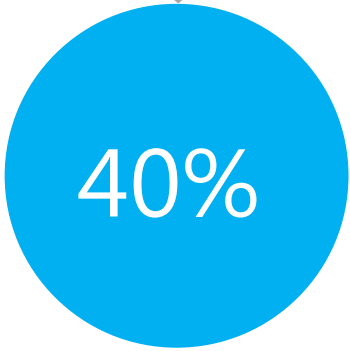
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November 6, 2015

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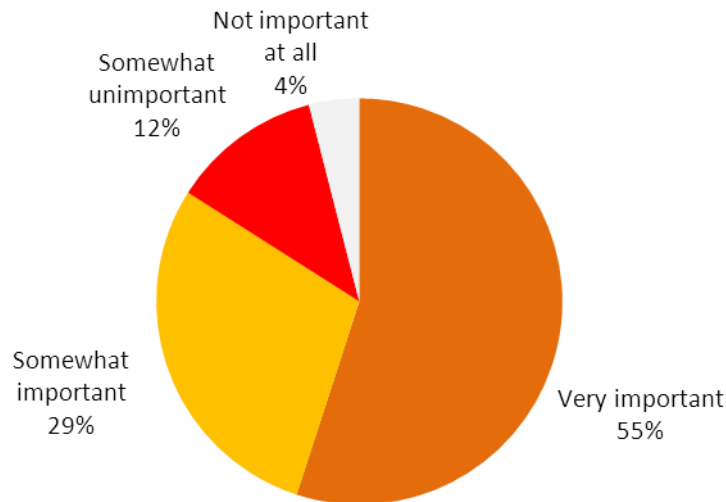
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Islamabad— November 02, 2015

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According to a Gilani Research Foundation Survey carried out by Gallup Pakistan, a large majority of 84% Pakistanis believe that it is ‘somewhat’ to ‘very important’ to teach children English.

A nationally representative sample of adult men and women from across the four provinces was asked, “In your personal opinion, how important is it to teach children English?” In response to this question, 55% respondents said that it is very important and 29% said it is important. 12% on the other hand said that it is somewhat unimportant and 4% said that it is not important at all to teach children English.

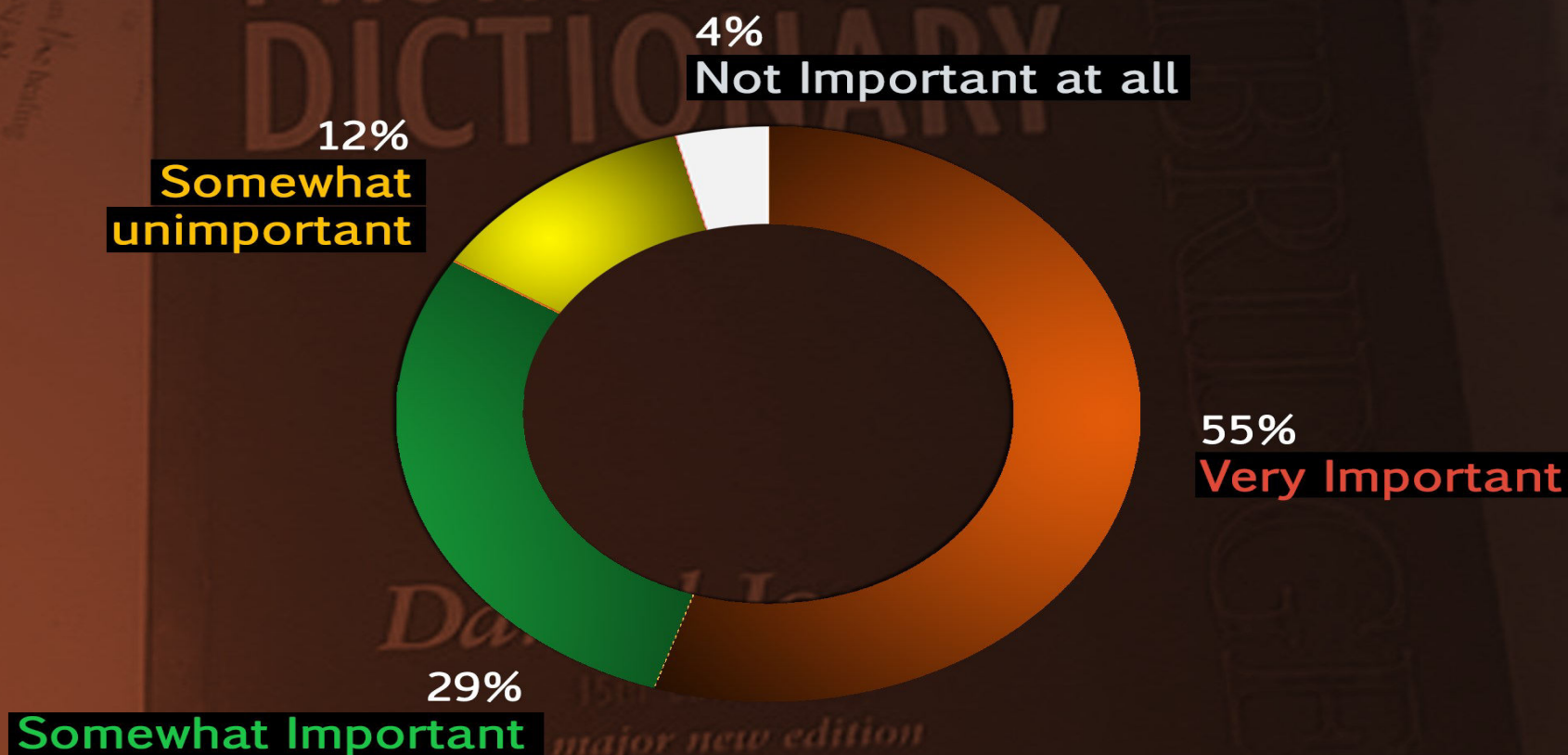
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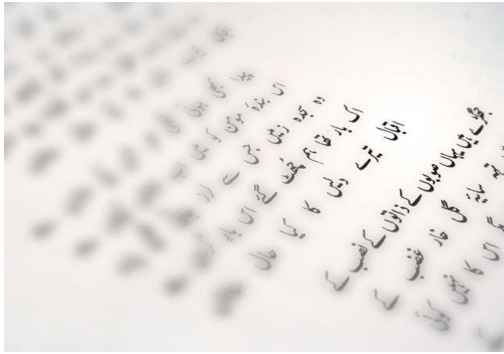
ENGLISH LANGUAGE: A LARGE MAJORITY OF (84%) PAKISTANIS BELIEVE THAT IT IS 'SOMEWHAT' TO 'VERY IMPORTANT' TO TEACH CHILDREN ENGLISH.

In your personal opinion how important is it to teach children English?



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Islamabad - November 3, 2015



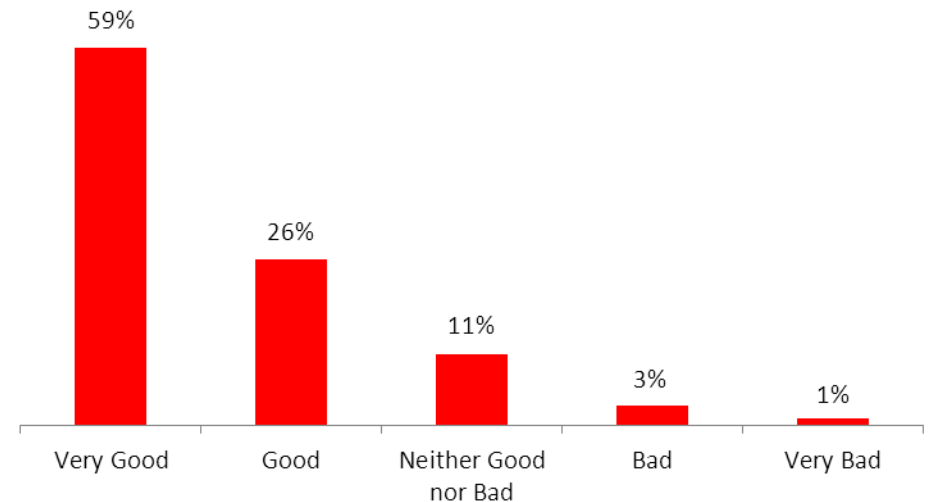
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A nationally representative sample of adult men and women from across the four provinces was asked, "According to a recent order by the Supreme Court, Urdu has been declared the official language of the state. What is your personal opinion on this – is this a good or a bad step?" In response to this question, 59% respondents said that it is a very good step, 26% said that it is a good step while 11% said that it is neither good nor bad. 3% on the other hand, said it is a bad step and a minor 1% said it is very bad.

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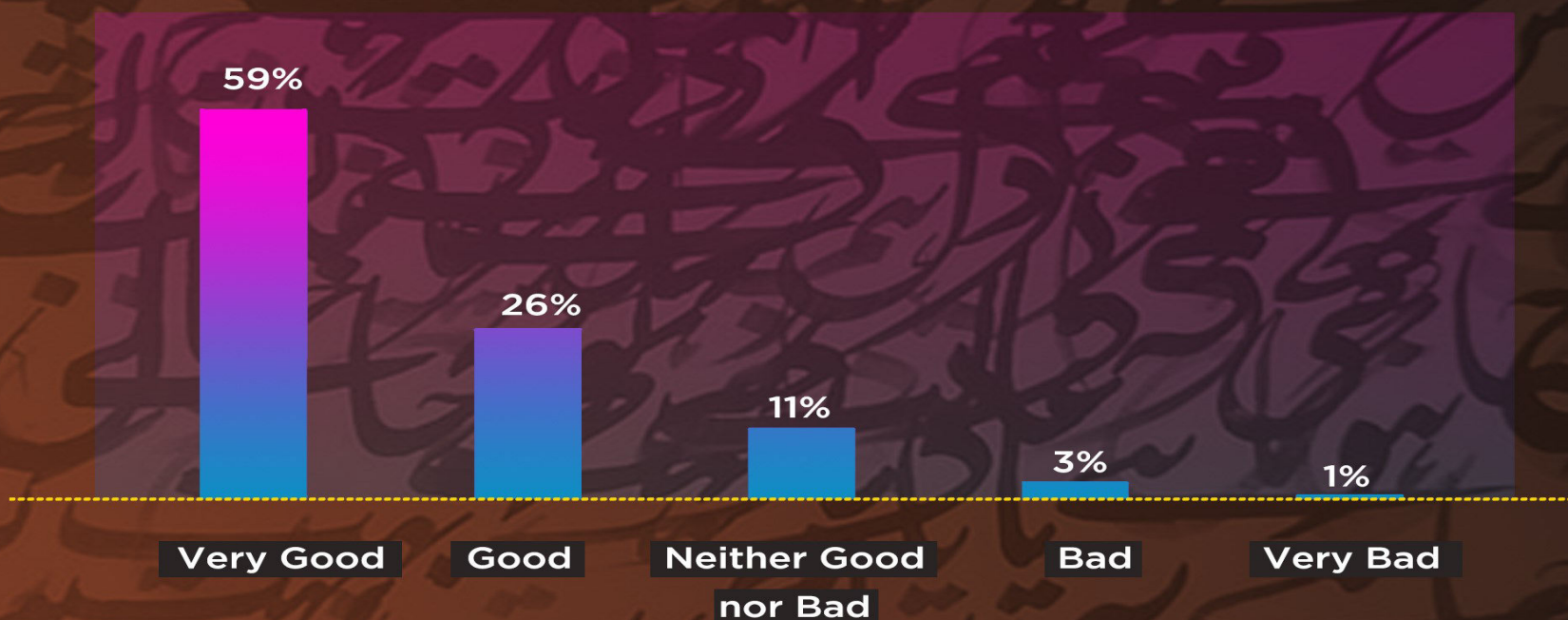


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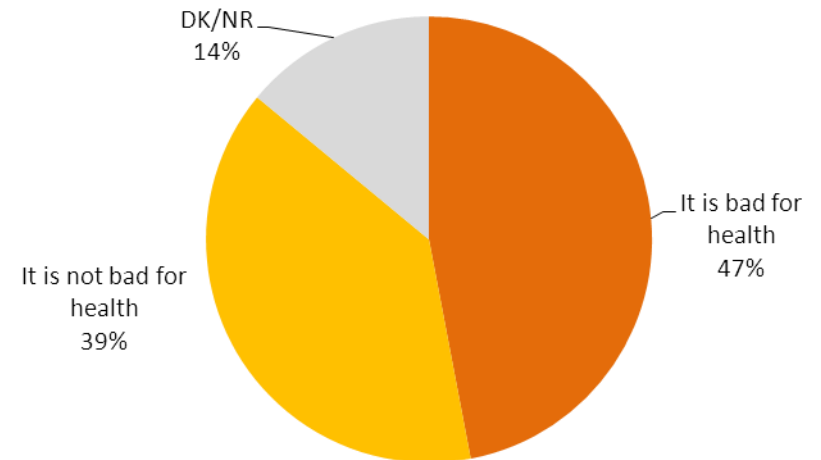
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Islamabad - November 4, 2015

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A nationally representative sample of adult men and women from across the four provinces was asked, “Some people are of the opinion that watching too much TV is bad for health while others disagree. What is your opinion on this?” In response to this question, 47% respondents said that watching excessive TV is bad for health while 39% said that it is not bad for health. 14% did not respond.

The study was released by Gilani Research Foundation and carried out by Gallup Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International. The recent survey was carried out among a sample of 1872 men and women in rural and urban areas of all four provinces of the country, during September 28 – October 05, 2015. Error margin is estimated to be approximately $\pm 2-3$ per cent at 95% confidence level.



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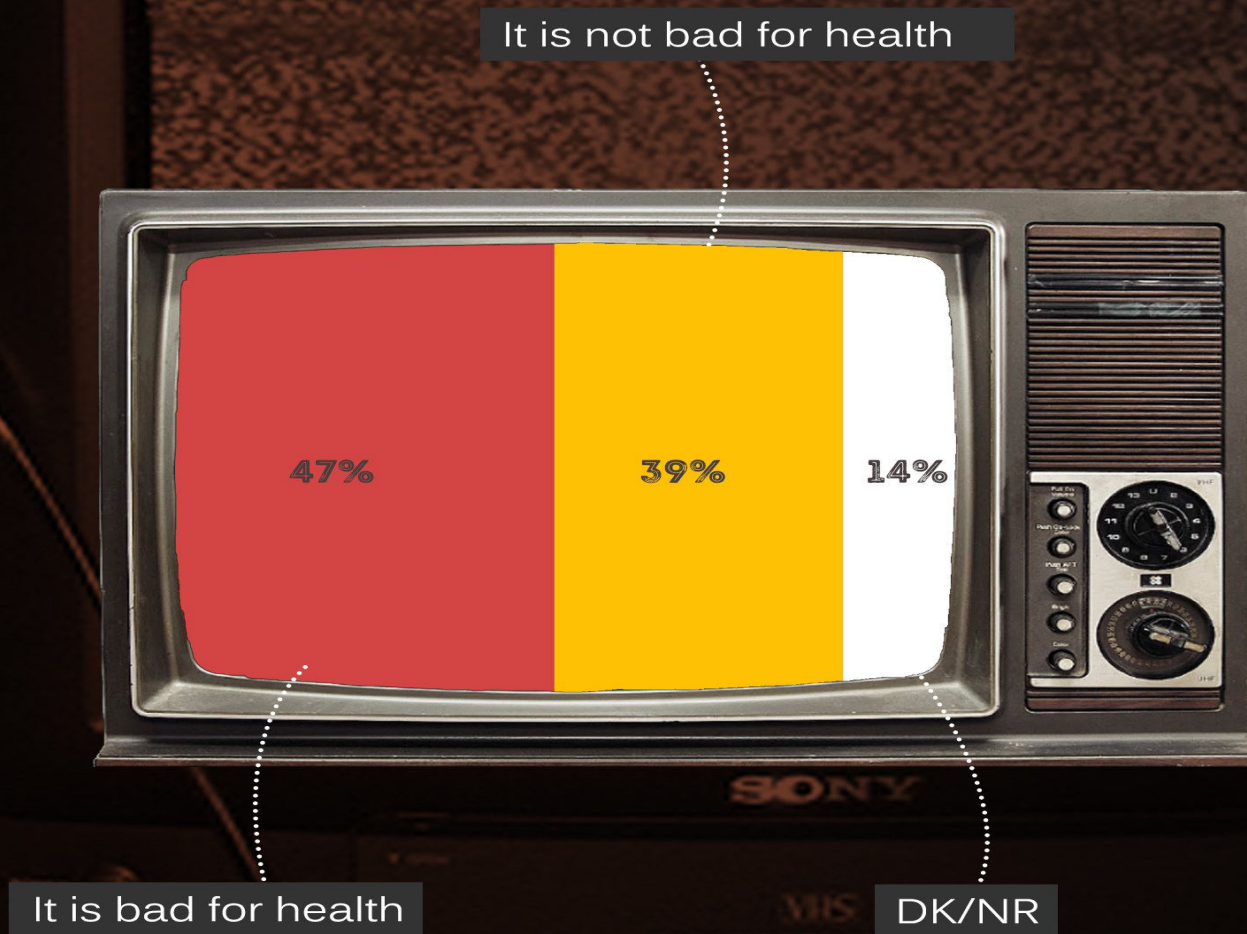
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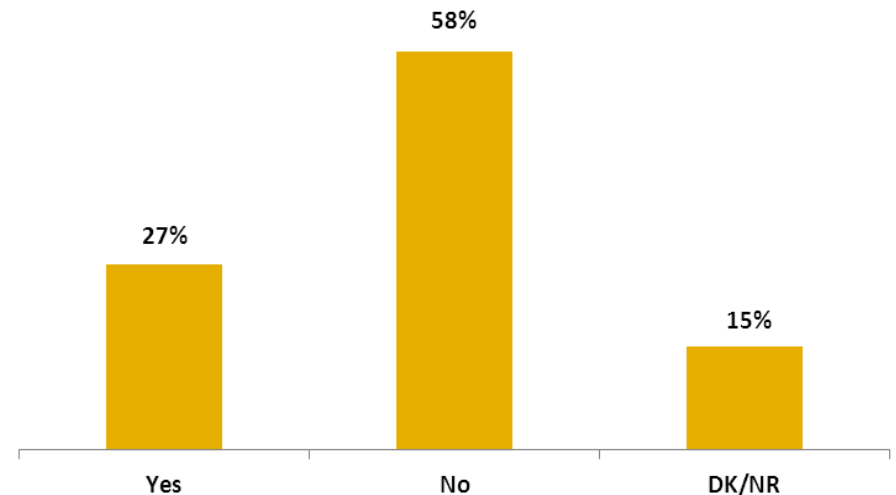
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A nationally representative sample of adult men and women from across the four provinces was asked, “Do you think the government in our country is run according to the wishes of the people?” In response to this question, only 27% said yes while 58% said no and 15% did not respond.

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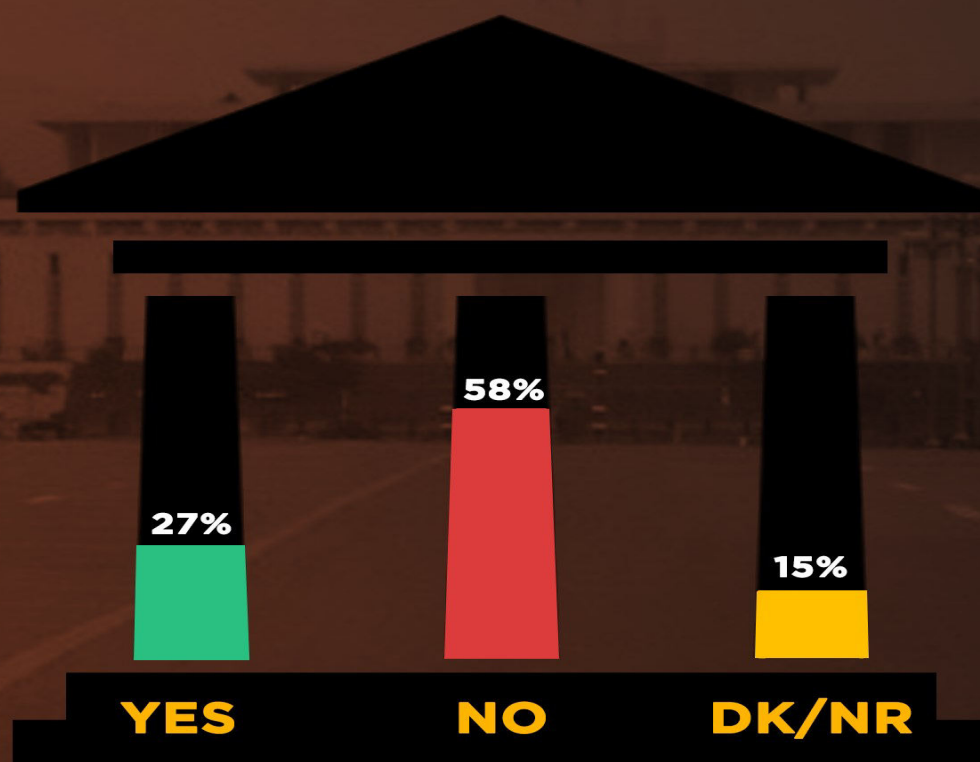


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MORE THAN HALF PAKISTANIS (58%) BELIEVE THAT GOVERNMENT IN PAKISTAN DOES NOT RUN ACCORDING TO THE WISHES OF THE PEOPLE.

Do you think the government in our country is run according to the wishes of the people?



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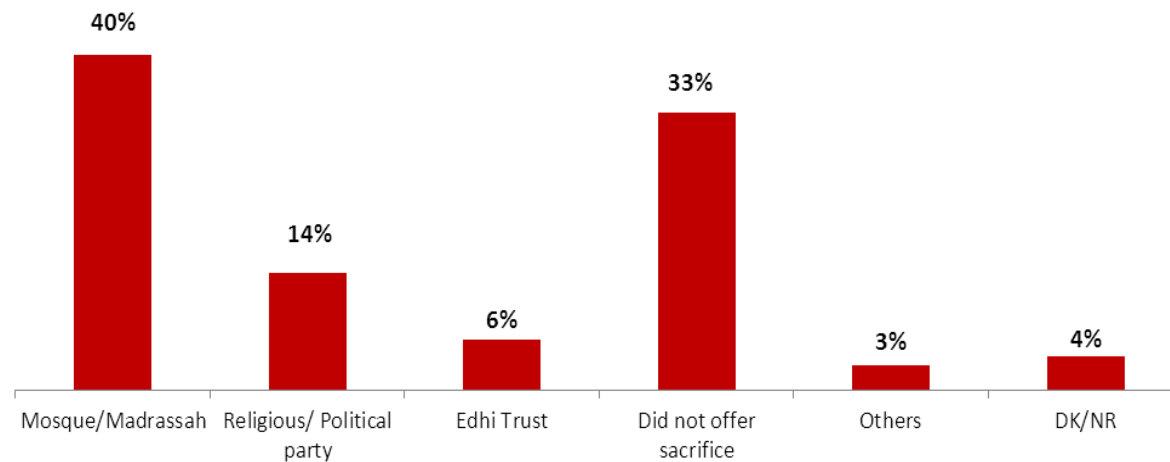


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A nationally representative sample of adult men and women from across the four provinces was asked, “This year, who did you give animal hides to [after Eid-ul-Azha sacrifice]?” In response to this question, 40% said that they gave it to a mosque or a madrassah while 33% said that they did not offer sacrifice. 14% said that they gave animal hides to a religious or a political party and 6% mentioned giving it to Edhi Trust. 3% mentioned others and another 4% did not respond.

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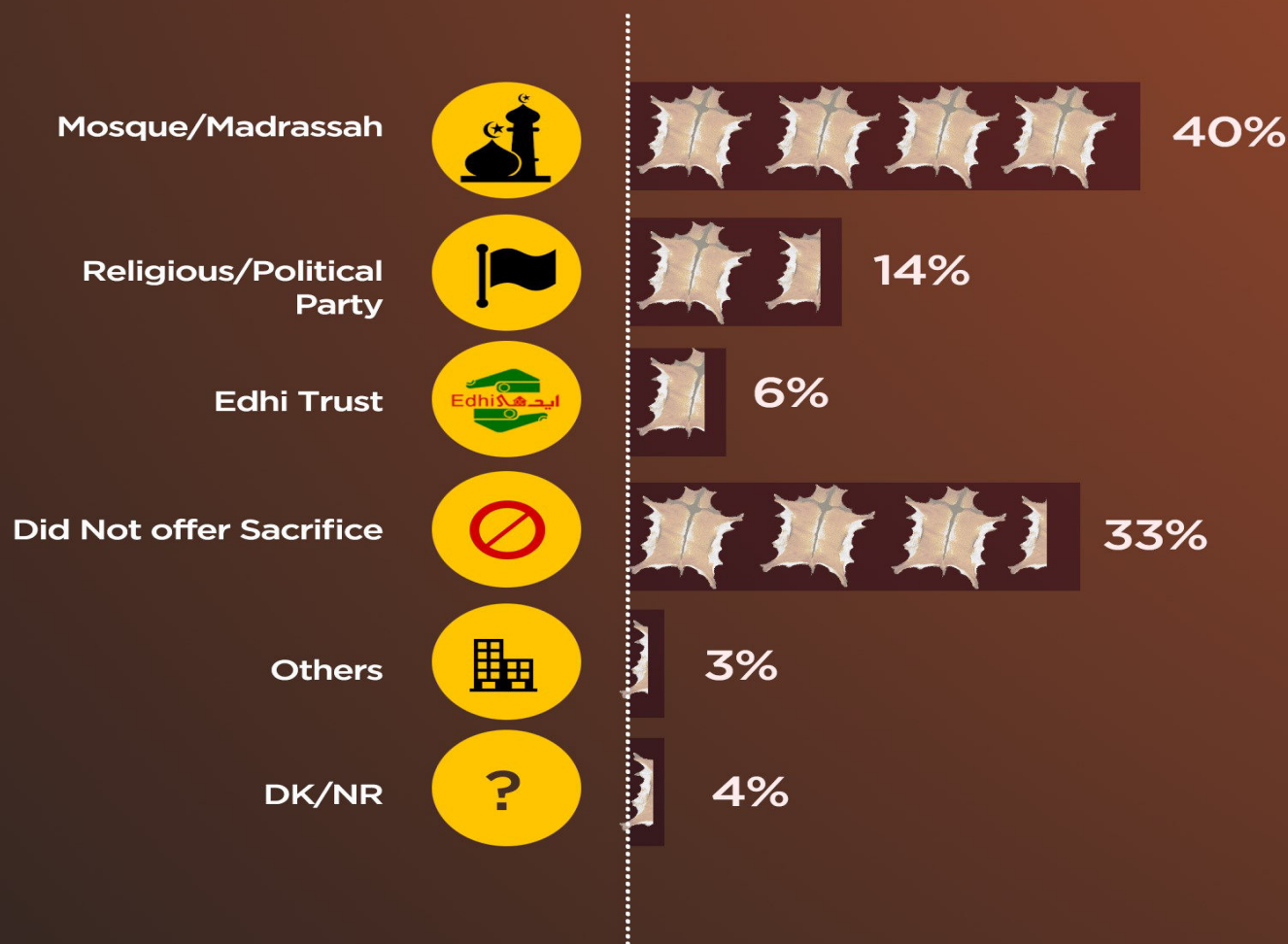


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This year who did you give animal hides to after Eid-ul-Azha sacrifice ?



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