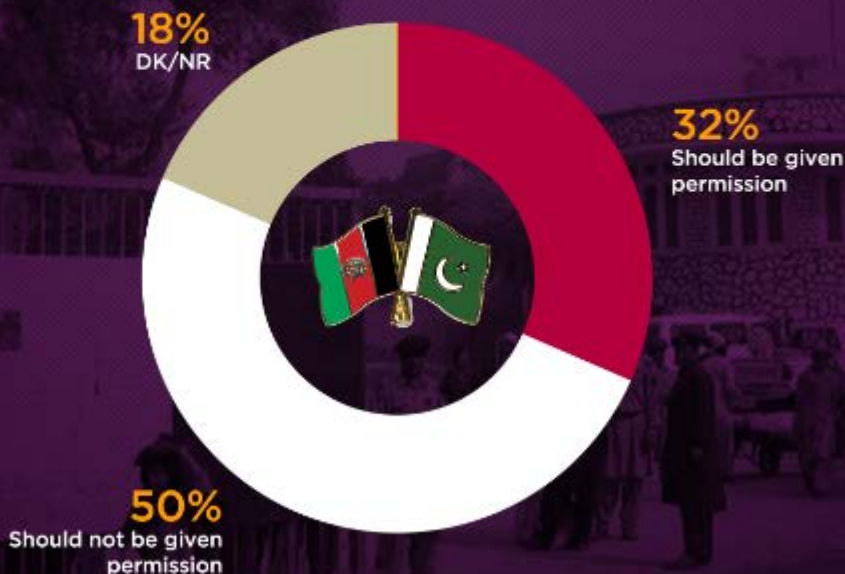


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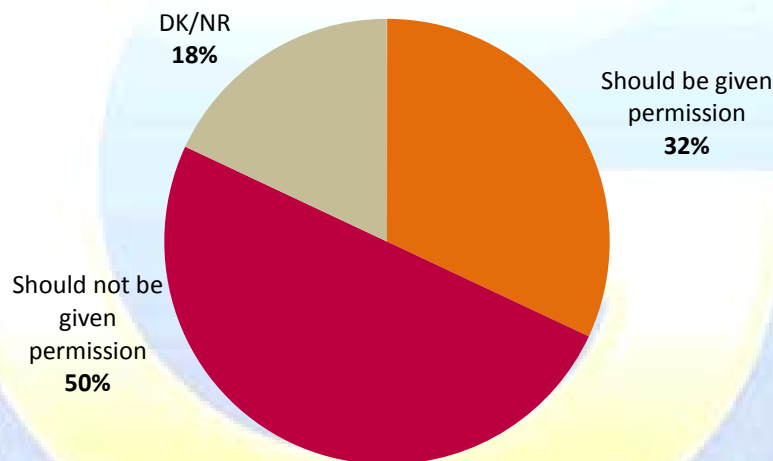
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Islamabad, March 03, 2016

According to a Gilani Research Foundation Survey carried out by Gallup Pakistan, 50% Pakistanis opine that if Afghan refugees (currently living in Pakistan) request the Pakistani government to continue to live here, they should not be granted permission.

A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked, “In your opinion, majority of Afghan refugees intend to return to their country or to stay in Pakistan?” In response to this question 32% Pakistanis said that Afghan refugees should be allowed to stay in Pakistan while 50% said that they should not be allowed and 18% did not respond.

Question: “If some Afghan refugees [currently living in Pakistan] request to remain in Pakistan, do you think the Pakistani government should allow them to stay here or not?”



Source: Gilani Research Foundation Poll (GRF Poll)
Field work conducted by Gallup Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International Association
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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 1849 men and women in rural and urban areas of all four provinces of the country, during January 11 – January 18, 2016. Error margin is estimated to be approximately $\pm 2-3$ per cent at 95% confidence level.



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