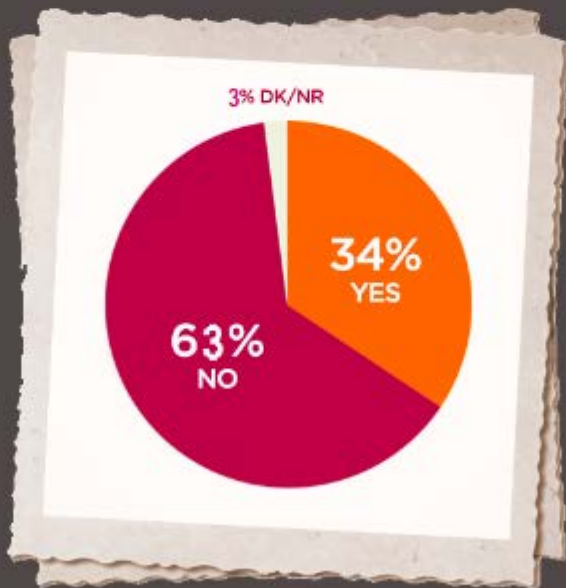


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Nationally Representative Sample covering both urban rural respondents across Pakistan's four provinces.



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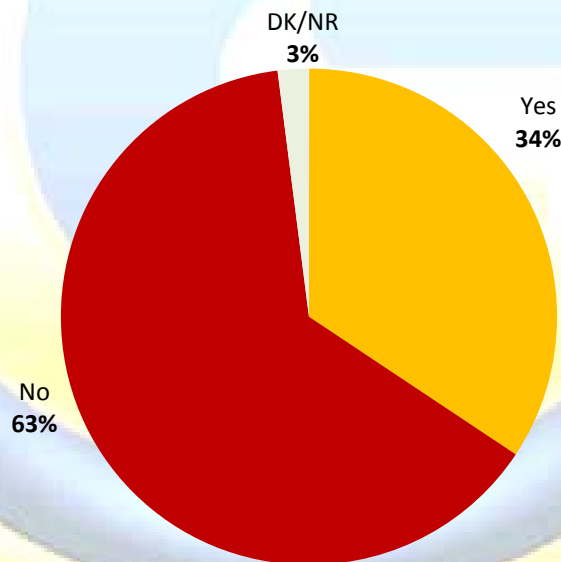
63 % Pakistanis agree with the Saudi religious scholars who say that people performing rituals at the Kabah should not be allowed to take pictures. (GRF POLL)

Islamabad, July 18, 2016

According to a Gilani Research Foundation Survey carried out by Gallup Pakistan, majority (63%) Pakistanis agree with the religious scholars who say that people performing rituals at the Kabah should not be allowed to take pictures.

A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked, “In the recent days the religious scholars declared that taking pictures, while performing various rites at the Kabah such as Tawaf, is Haram. Do you think there should be permission to take pictures at the Kabah?” In response to this question, 63% said that yes, they agree with the religious scholars, people should not take pictures while performing rituals at the Kabah, while 34% said that they did not agree. 3% said that they did not know or did not wish to respond.

Question: “In the recent days the religious scholars declared that taking pictures, while performing various rites at the Kabah such as Tawaf, is Haram. Do you think there should be permission to take pictures at the Kabah?”



Source: Gilani Research Foundation Poll (GRF Poll)
Field work conducted by Gallup Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International Association
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