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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.

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42%

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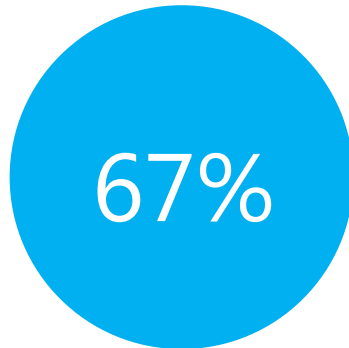
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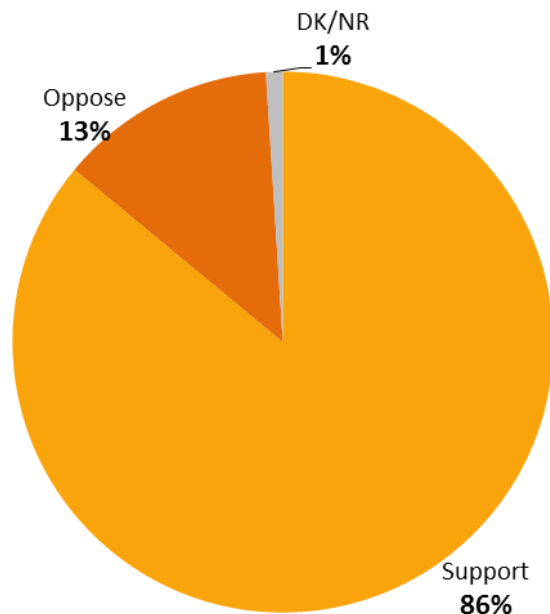


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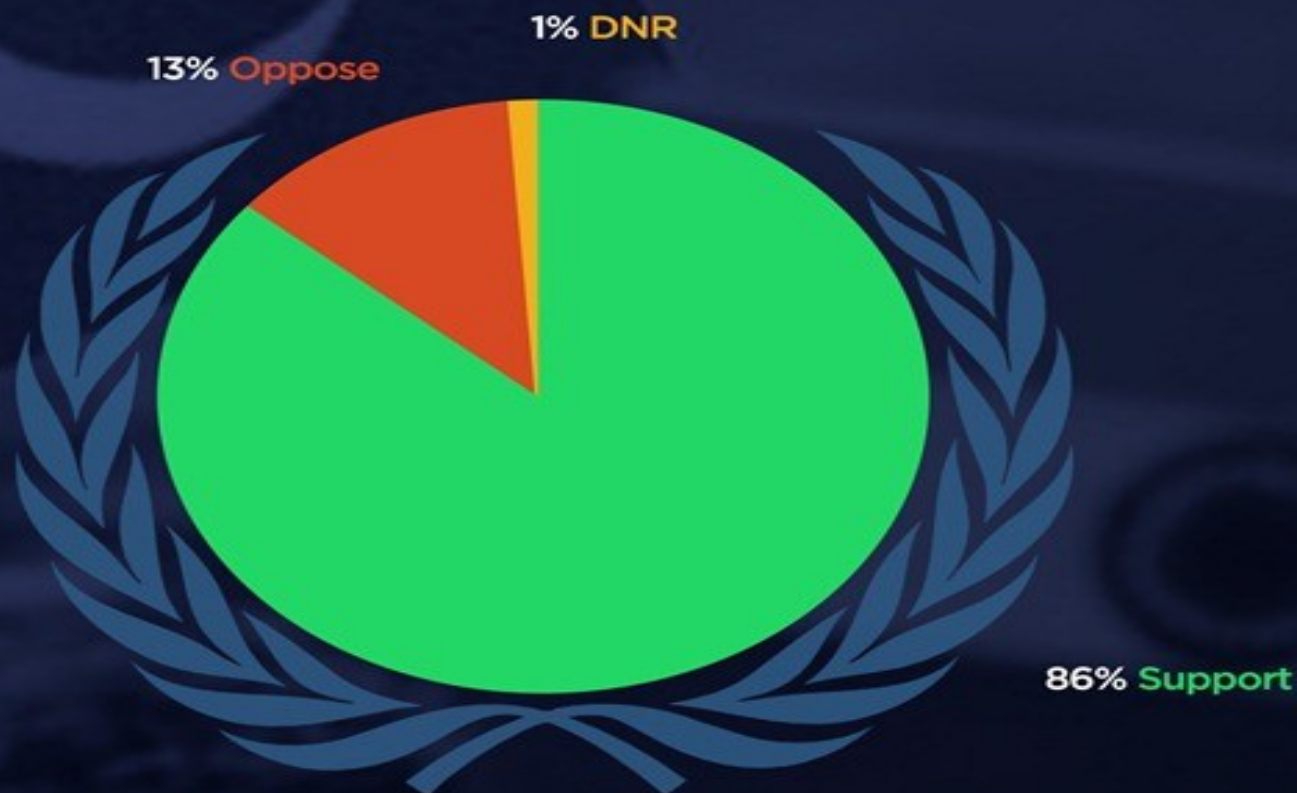
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A nationally representative sample of adult men and women, from across the four provinces was asked, “Recently Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif, while speaking at the General Assembly, expressed his desire to solve the Kashmir issue and give the Kashmiris the right of self-determination. Do you support or oppose the Prime Minister’s decision to solve the Kashmir issue in the General Assembly?” In response to this question, 86% respondents said they support the Prime Minister’s decision to solve the Kashmir issue in the General Assembly, while 13% respondents said they opposed the decision and 1% 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 2514 men and women in rural and urban areas of all four provinces of the country, during October 06 – October 13, 2014. Error margin is estimated to be approximately $\pm 2-3$ per cent at 95% confidence level.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY'S INVOLVEMENT IN SOLUTION TO KASHMIR ISSUE FAVORED BY MAJORITY.



Recently Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif, while speaking at the General Assembly, expressed his desire to solve the Kashmir issue and give the Kashmiris the right of self-determination. Do you support or oppose the Prime Minister's decision to solve the Kashmir issue in the General Assembly?

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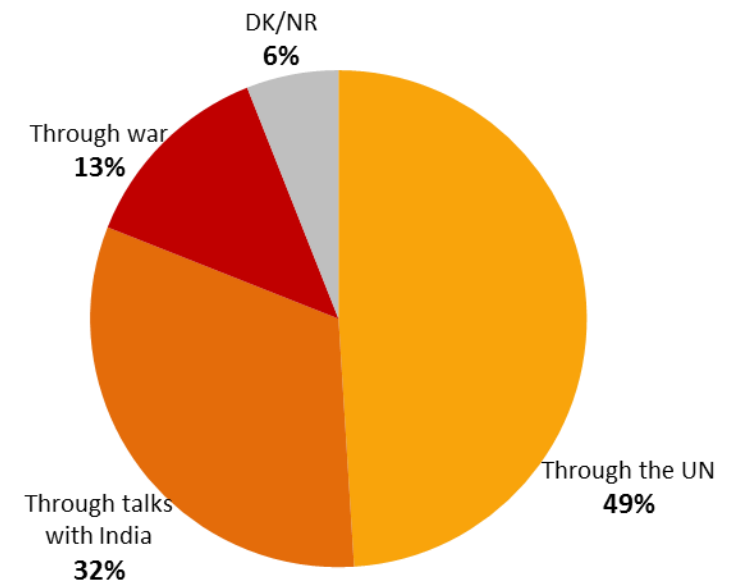
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A nationally representative sample of adult men and women, from across the four provinces was asked, “Regarding the Kashmir issue being raised at the international level, India has said that the solution to the Kashmir issue is not possible at the international stage but that Pakistan and India should have bilateral talks to solve the problem. How do you think the Kashmir issue should be solved?” In response to this question, 49% respondents said that the Kashmir issue should be resolved through the UN, 32% respondents said that the issue should be solved through talks with India, 13% said that it should be solved through war and 6% did not respond.

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HALF OF THE PAKISTANI POPULATION BELIEVES THAT THE KASHMIR ISSUE SHOULD BE SOLVED THROUGH THE UN



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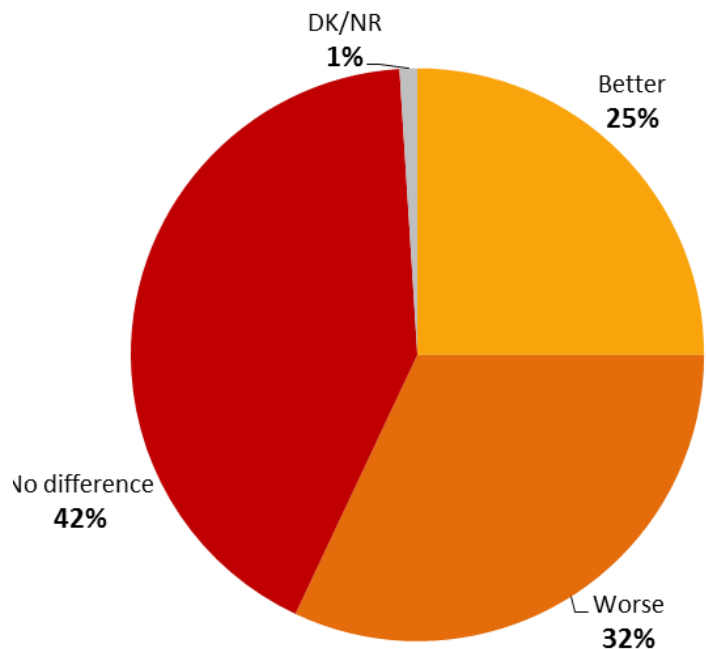
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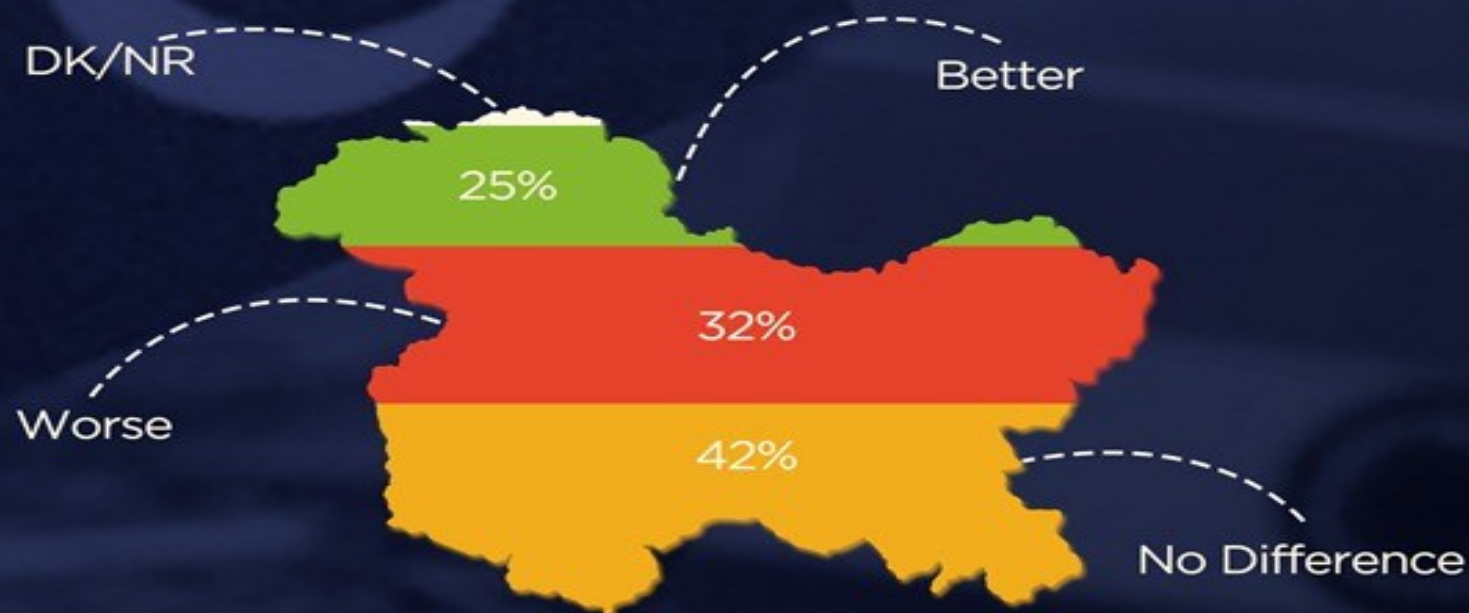
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A nationally representative sample of adult men and women, from across the four provinces was asked, “Please tell us, after raising the issue of Kashmir at the international level, will the relations between India and Pakistan get better, worse or will there be no difference?” .In response to this question, 25% respondents said the relations between India and Pakistan will get better after raising the issue of Kashmir at the international level, 32% said the relations will get worse, while 42% believe there will be no difference in relations and 1% did not respond.

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PUBLIC DIVIDED OVER THE EFFECTS OF RAISING THE KASHMIR ISSUE AT INTERNATIONAL LEVEL ON PAK-INDIA RELATIONS.



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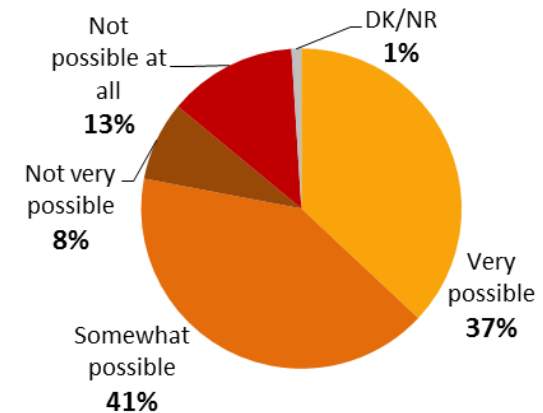
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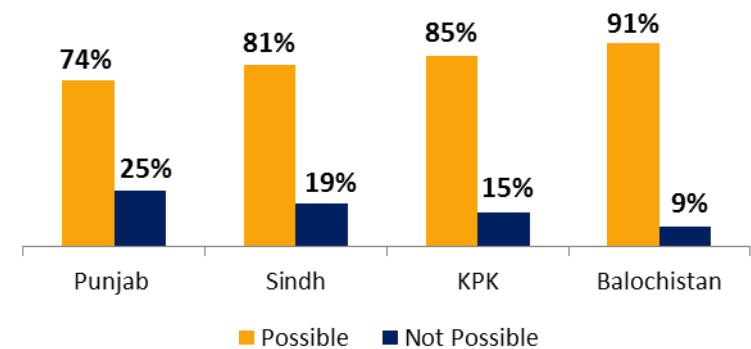
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A nationally representative sample of adult men and women, from across the four provinces was asked, “Nowadays, some people say that biometric and electronic voting machines should be introduced for electoral reform. Supposing that electronic and biometric technology is introduced in Pakistan for elections, what is the possibility that free and fair elections will be held in Pakistan?” In response to this question, 37% respondents said it is very possible, 41% said it is somewhat possible, 8% said it is not very possible and 13% said it is not possible at all. 1% respondents did not respond.

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Provincial Breakdown

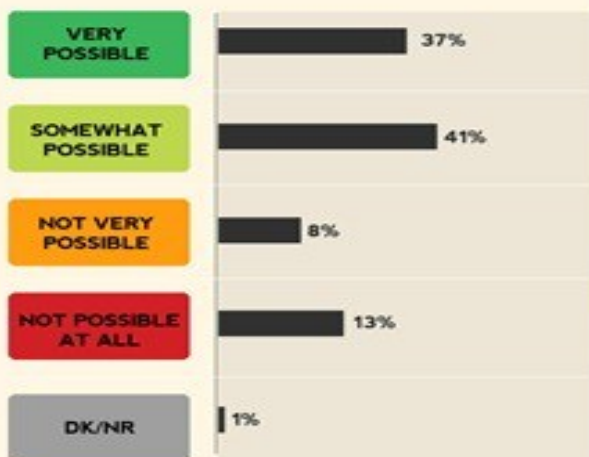


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OVERWHELMING MAJORITY BELIEVES THAT INTRODUCTION OF BIOMETRIC SYSTEM/ELECTRONIC VOTING MACHINES WILL LEAD TO FREE AND FAIR ELECTIONS.

SUPPOSING THAT ELECTRONIC AND BIOMETRIC TECHNOLOGY IS INTRODUCED, WHAT IS THE POSSIBILITY THAT FREE AND FAIR ELECTIONS WILL BE HELD IN PAKISTAN?



PROVINCIAL BREAKDOWN

Punjab



Sindh



KPK



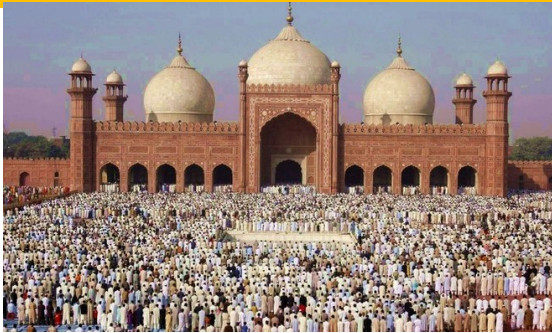
Balochistan



POSSIBLE: Very Possible + Somewhat possible

NOT POSSIBLE: Not very possible + Not possible at all

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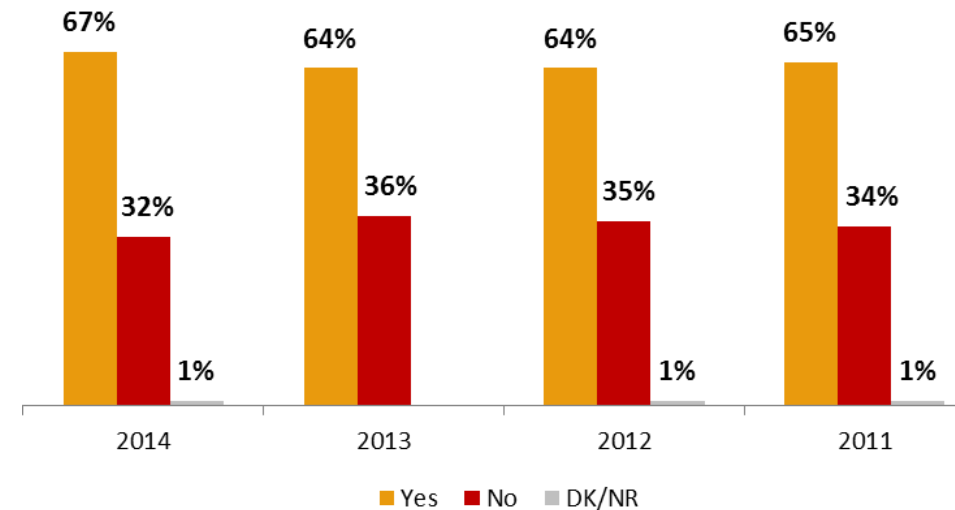
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A nationally representative sample of adult men and women, from across the four provinces was asked, “Did you have a chance to give a sacrifice at Eid this year?” In response, 67% respondents said that they did have a chance to give a sacrifice this Eid, while 32% said they did not and 1% did not respond.

This question was also asked from 2011 to 2013. The responses indicate that the ability of Pakistanis to give a sacrifice on Eid-ul-Azha has remained fairly consistent over the years. In 2011, 65% respondents said yes, while 34% said no and 1% did not respond. In 2012, 64% respondents said yes, while 35% said no and 1% did not respond. In 2013, 64% respondents said yes, while 36% said no.

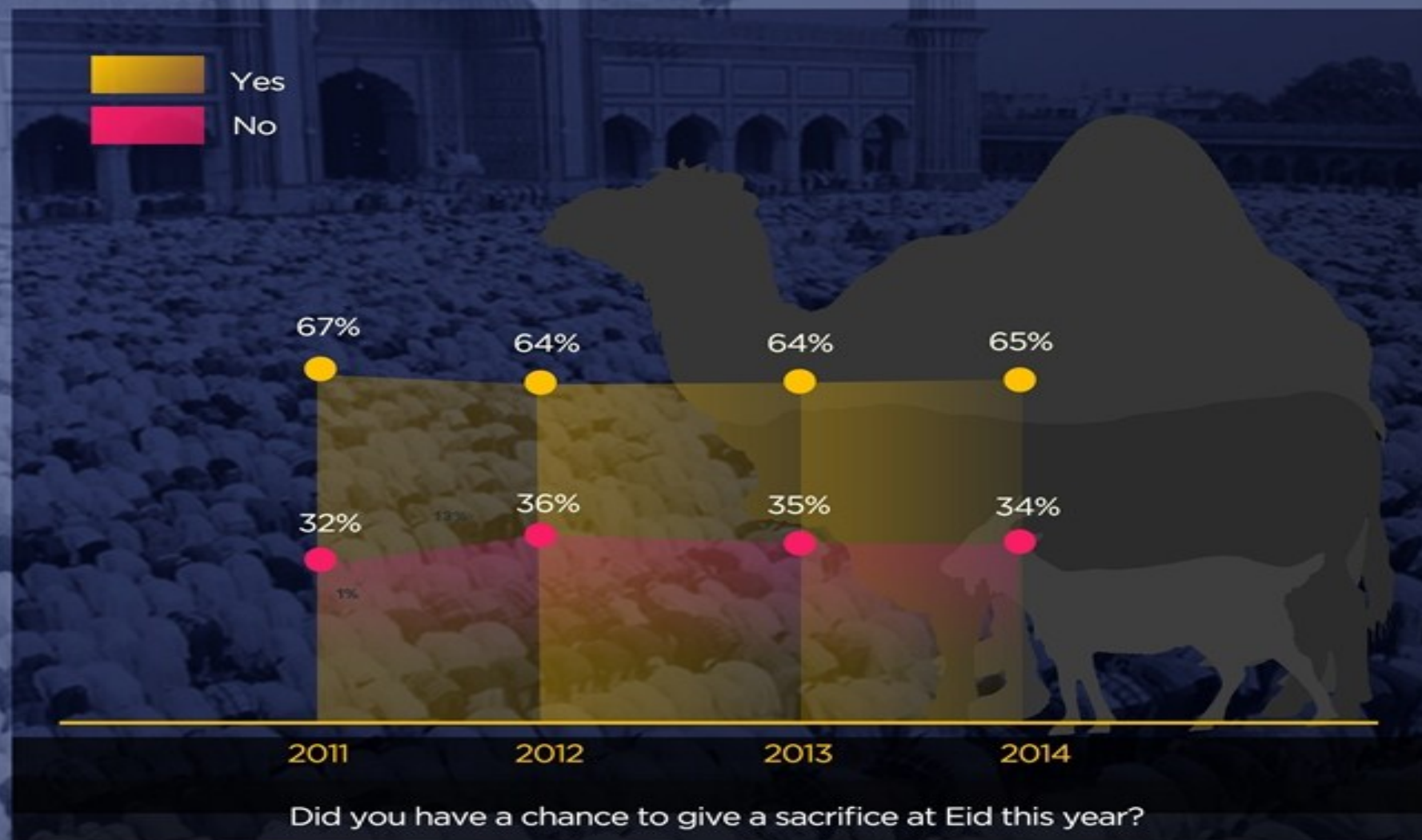
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