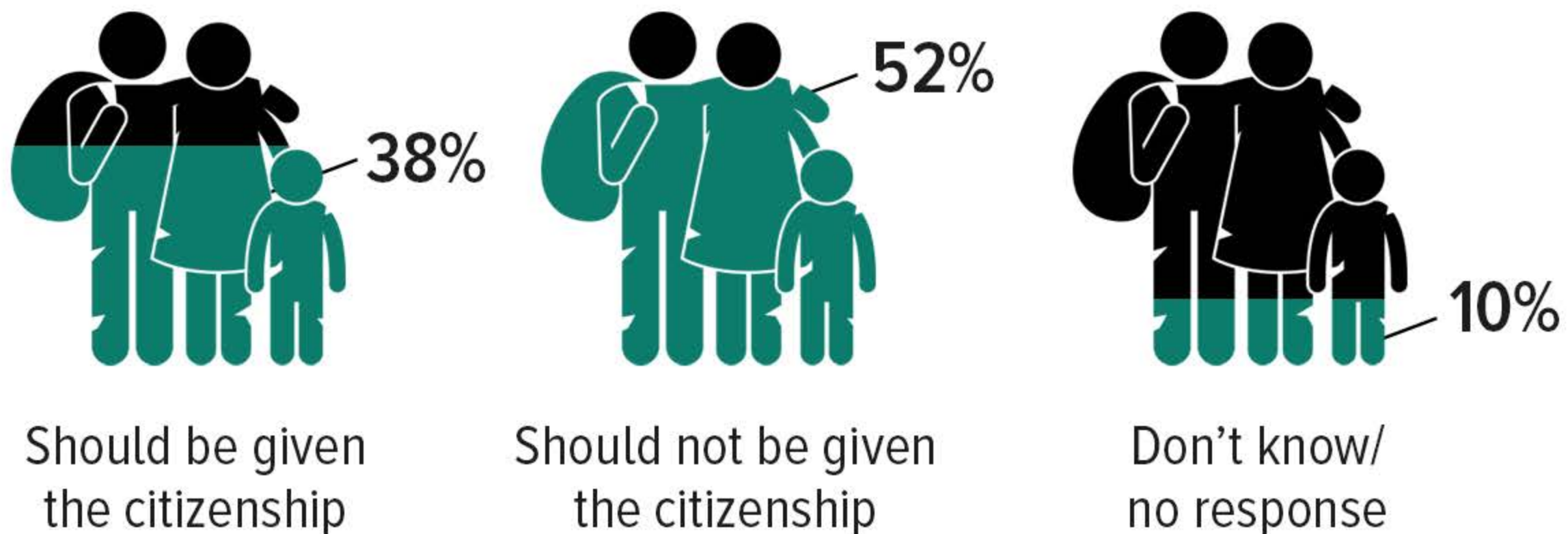


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SOURCE: GALLUP & GILANI SURVEYS - SAMPLE SIZE: 1560

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

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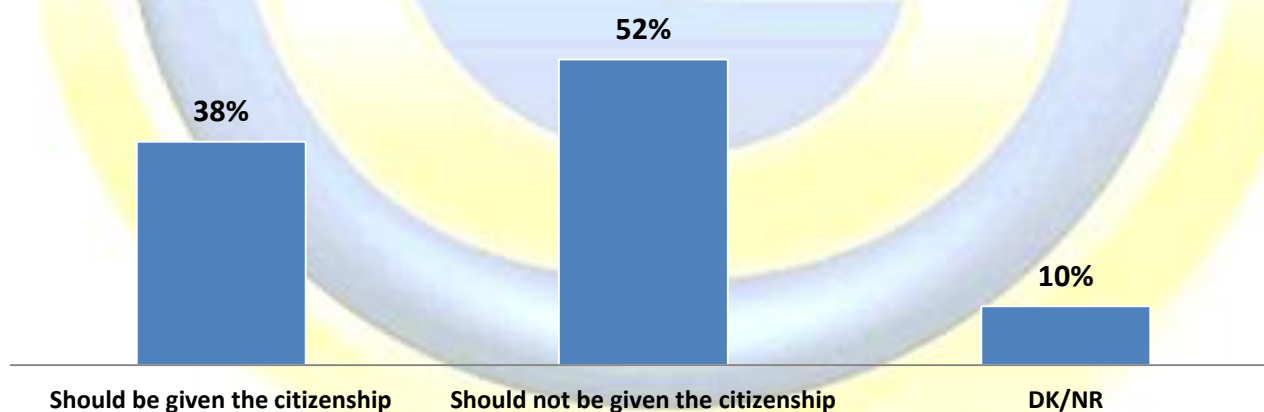
Half of Pakistanis (52%) do not approve of giving citizenship to Afghan refugees, 38% support the idea of granting them Pakistani citizenship. (GALLUP & GILANI PAKISTAN POLL)

Islamabad, November 09, 2018

According to a Gilani Research Foundation Survey carried out by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, majority of Pakistanis (52%) do not approve of giving citizenship to Afghan refugees, 38% support the idea of granting them Pakistani citizenship.

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Source: Gallup & Gilani Pakistan Poll

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