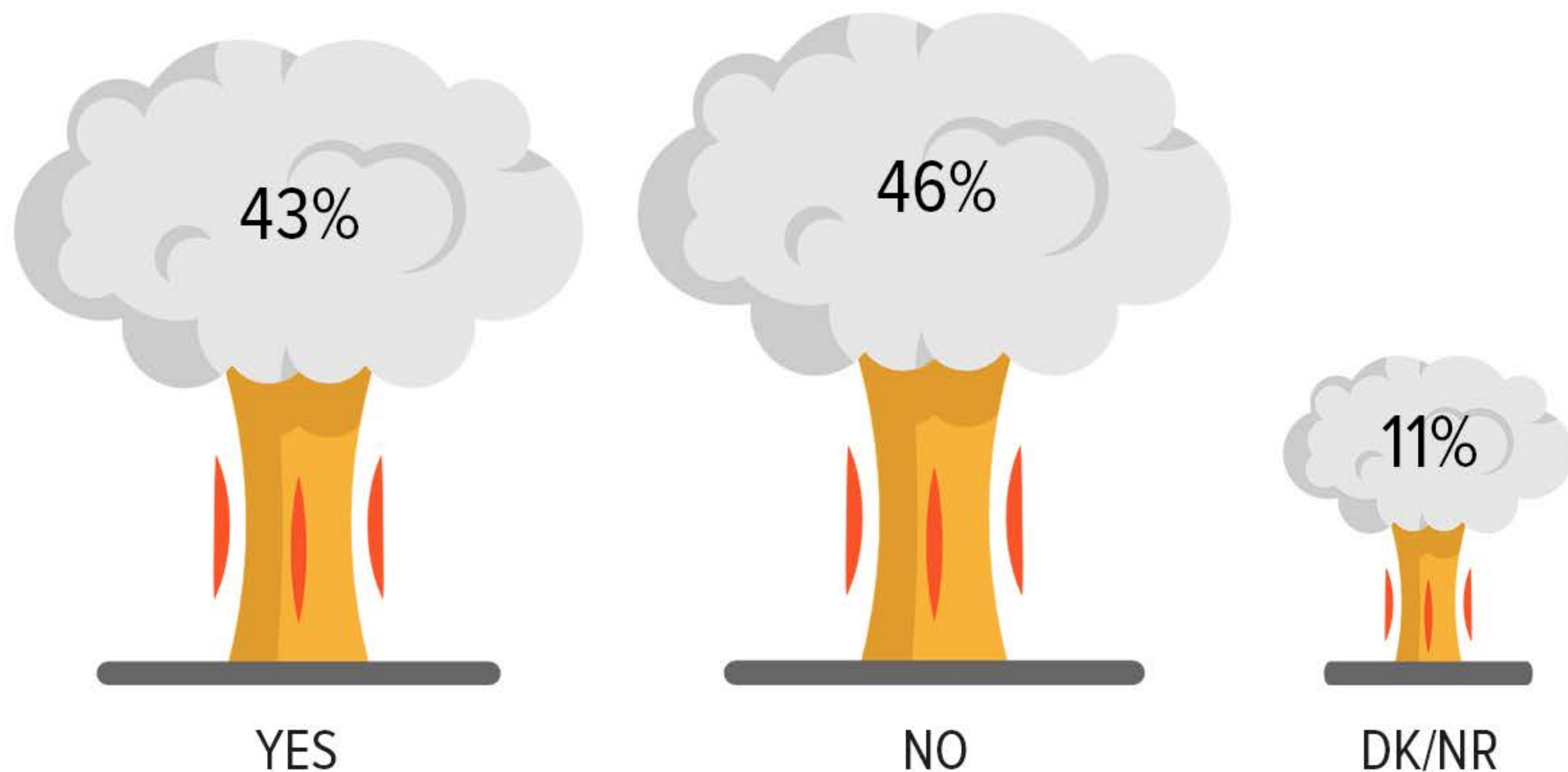


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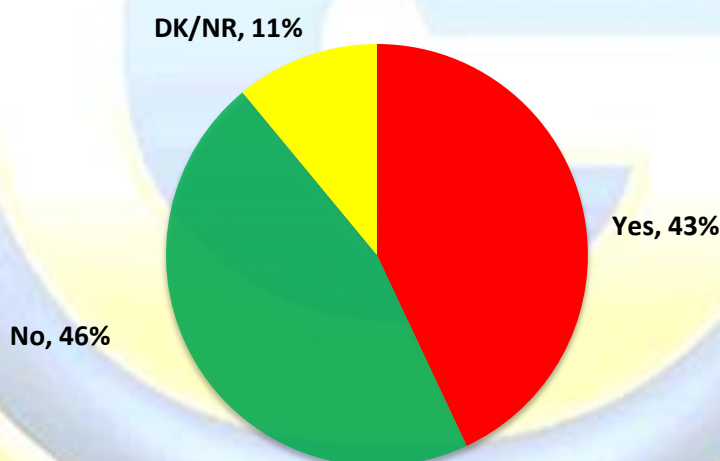
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A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked, “God forbid, if a war breaks out then will India use its atomic weapons or not?” In response to this question, 43% believe that India will use its atomic weapons, while 46% believe it won’t. 11% did not know or did not wish to respond to the question.

Question: “God forbid, if a war breaks out then will India use its atomic weapons or not?”



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