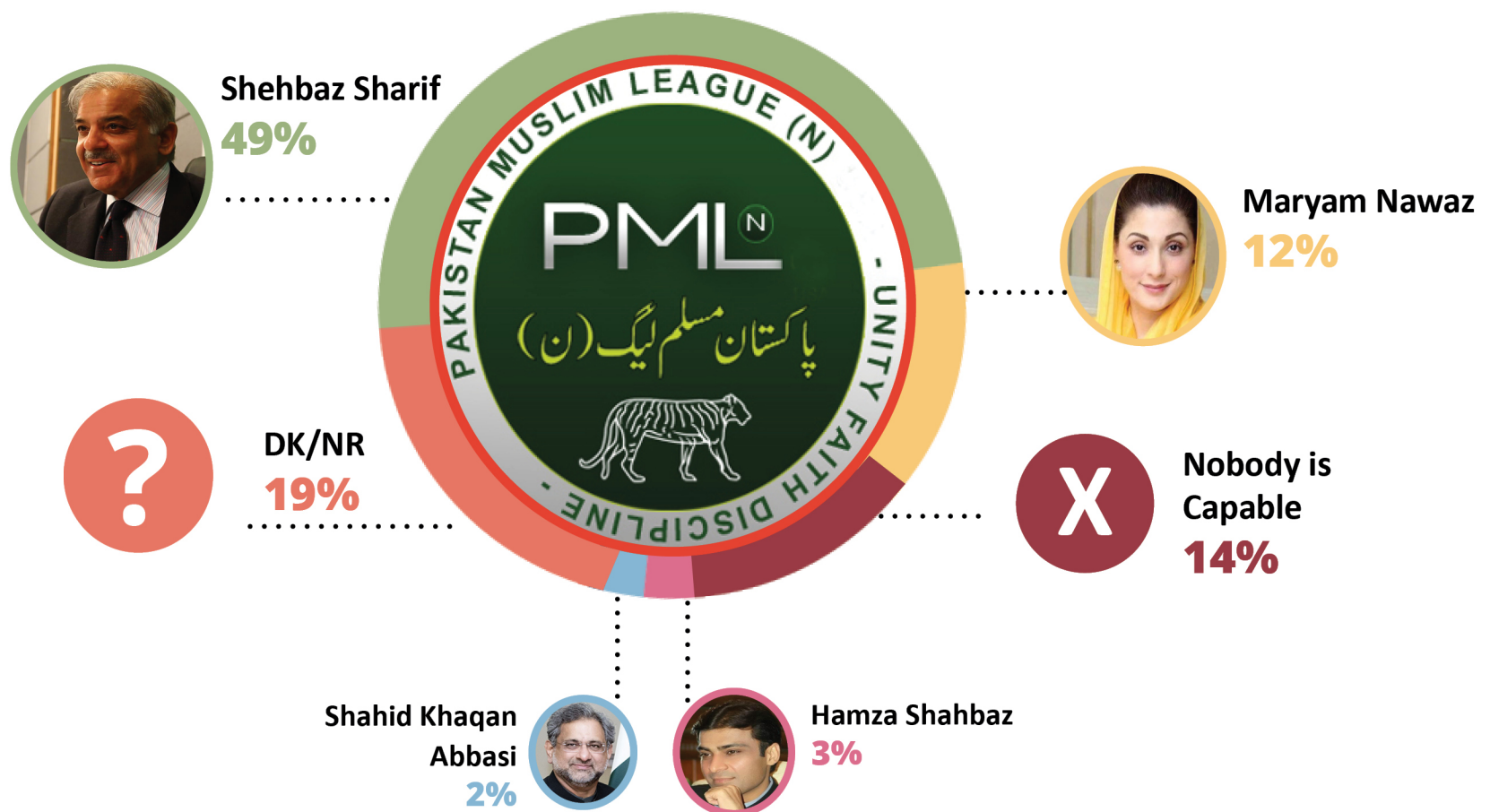


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Nationally Representative Sample covering both rural and urban respondents across Pakistan's four provinces.

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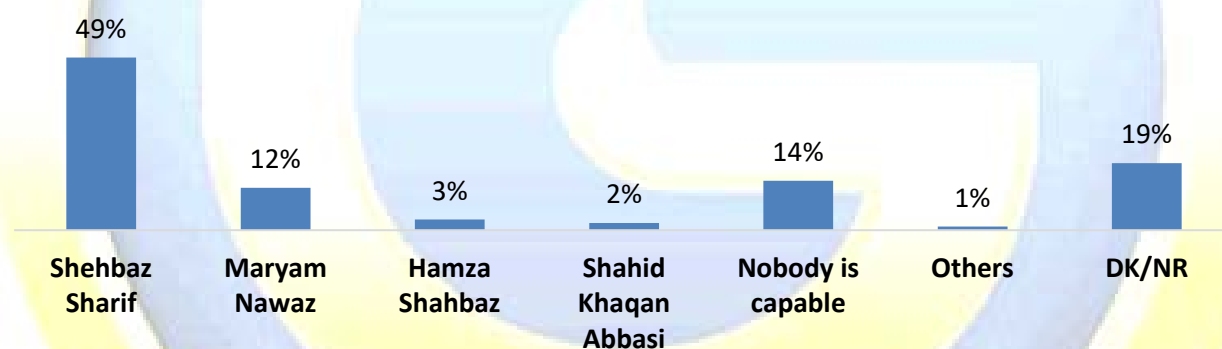
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Islamabad, 16 January, 2020

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A representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked, “In your opinion, in the absence of Nawaz Sharif, which leader is the most capable of leading PML-N?” In response, out of the total PML-N supporters, 49% said Shehbaz Sharif is the most capable to lead PML-N in Nawaz Sharif’s absence, 12% chose Maryam Nawaz while only 3% said Hamza Shahbaz is the most capable. 2% supporters also believe Shahid Khaqan Abbasi is the most capable while 14% said none of these leaders are capable enough to lead PML-N in Nawaz Sharif’s absence. 19% did not know or wish to respond.

Question: “In your opinion, in the absence of Nawaz Sharif, which leader is the most capable of leading PML-N?”



Source: Gallup & Gilani Pakistan Poll

Field work conducted by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International Association
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Bilal Ijaz Gilani, Executive Director of Gallup Pakistan adds: ‘It should be noted that this survey was conducted in December 2019. Maryam Nawaz has not been politically active and has not appeared in the media for many weeks. The voters’ perception reflected in this poll should be interpreted in this context’.

The study was released by Gilani Research Foundation and carried out by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International. The recent survey was carried out among a sample of 1,225 men and women in urban and rural areas of all four provinces of the country, during December 15 – December 21, 2019. The error margin is estimated to be approximately ± 2 -3 percent at the 95% confidence level.

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