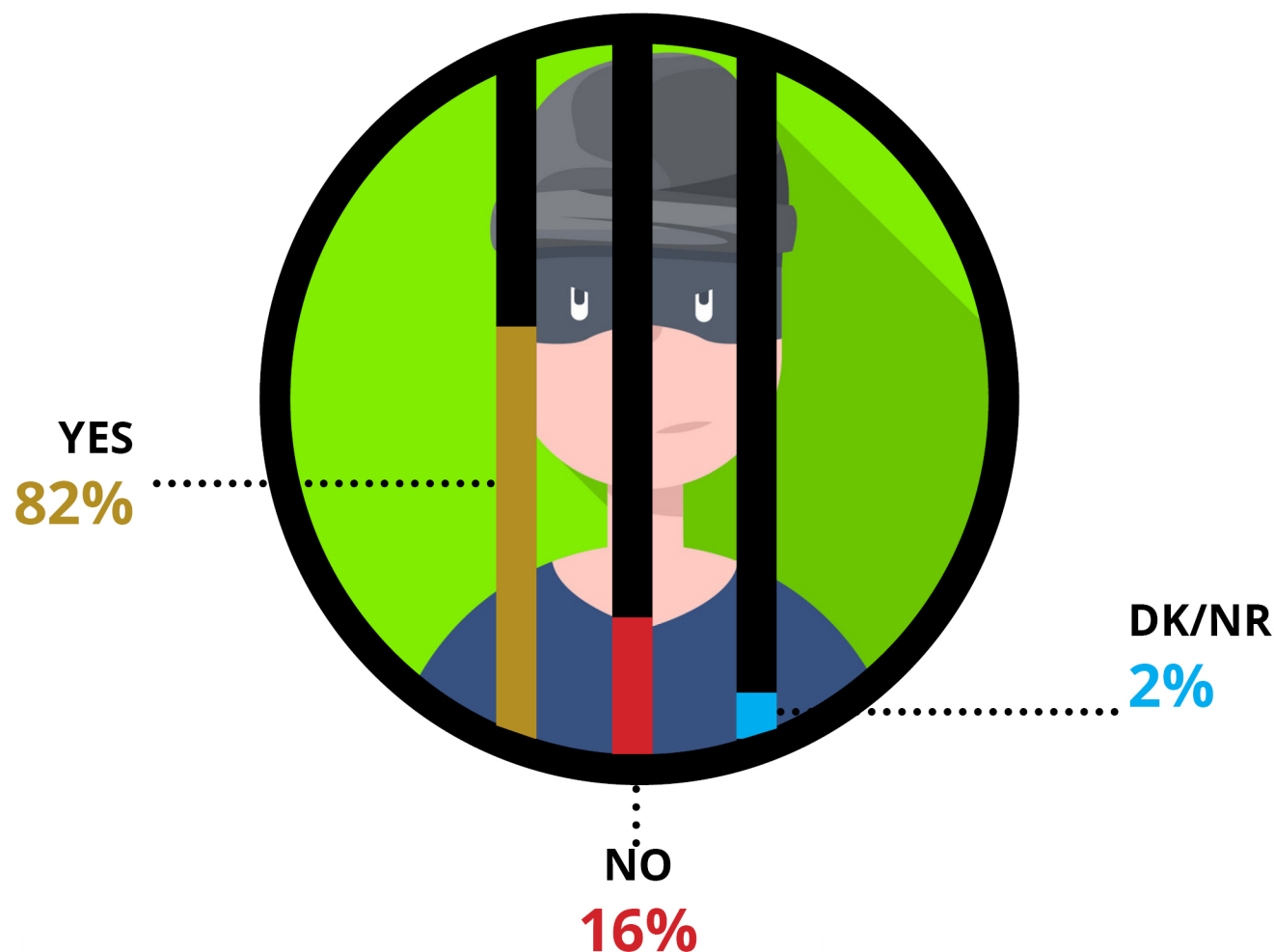


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SOURCE: GALLUP & GILANI PAKISTAN POLL - SAMPLE SIZE: 1225
Nationally Representative Sample covering both rural and urban respondents across Pakistan's four provinces.

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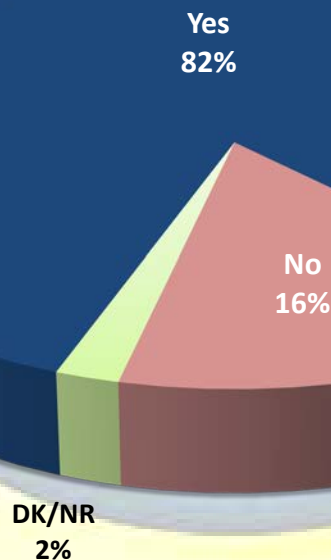
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Sharia Law****A significant 4 in 5 (82 %) Pakistanis believe that the hands of a thief should be cut off as per Islamic punishment (Gallup & Gilani Pakistan Poll)**

Islamabad, 23 January, 2020

According to a Gilani Research Foundation Survey carried out by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, a significant 82% Pakistanis believe that the hands of a thief should be cut off as per Islamic punishment.

A representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked, “*In your opinion, should the hands of a thief be cut off as per Islamic punishment?*” In response, 82% said that the hands of a thief should be cut off, 16% said the hands of a thief should not be cut off as per Islamic punishment and 2% did not know/did not wish to respond.

Question: “In your opinion, should the hands of a thief be cut off as per Islamic punishment?”



Source: Gallup & Gilani Pakistan Poll

Field work conducted by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International Association
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