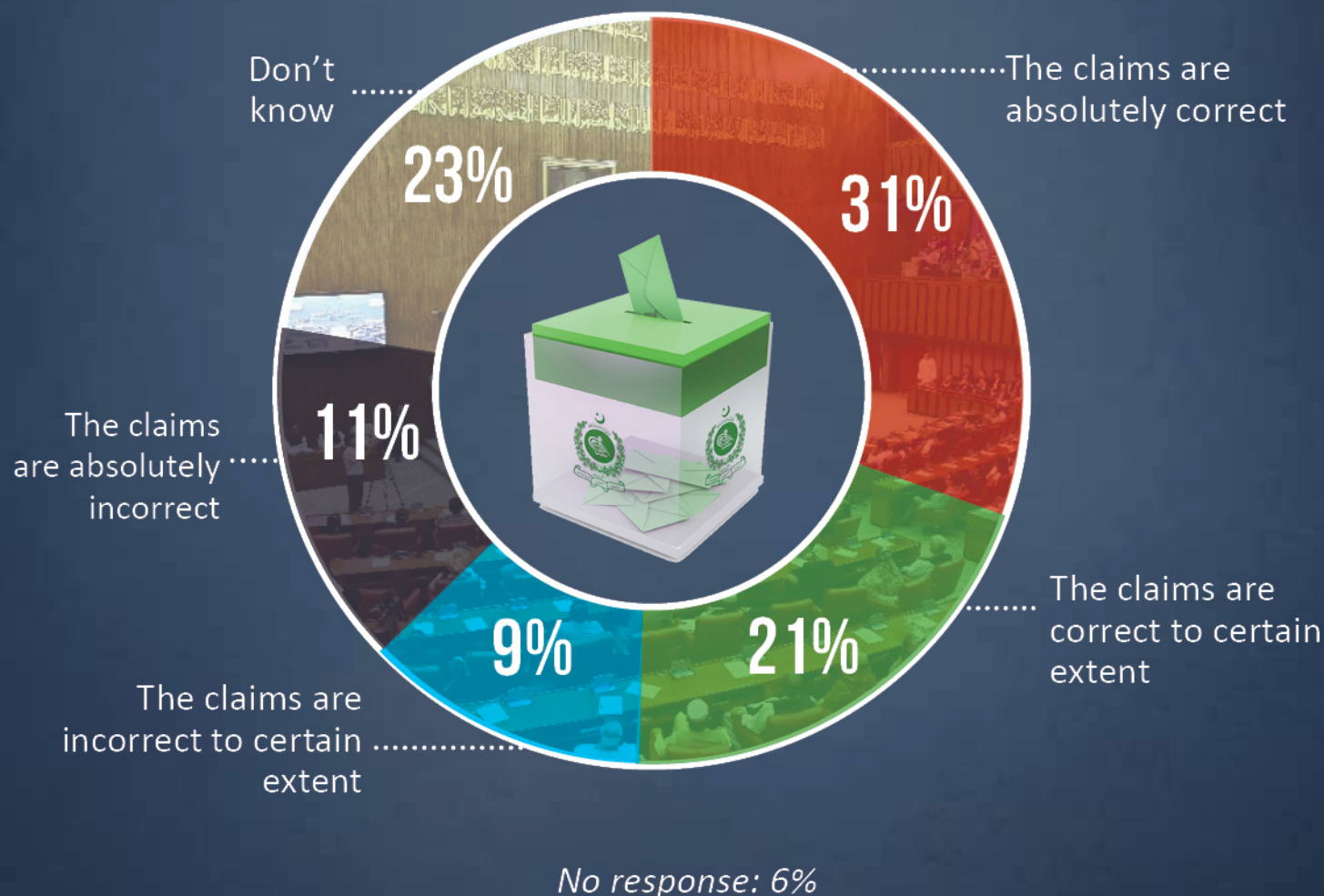


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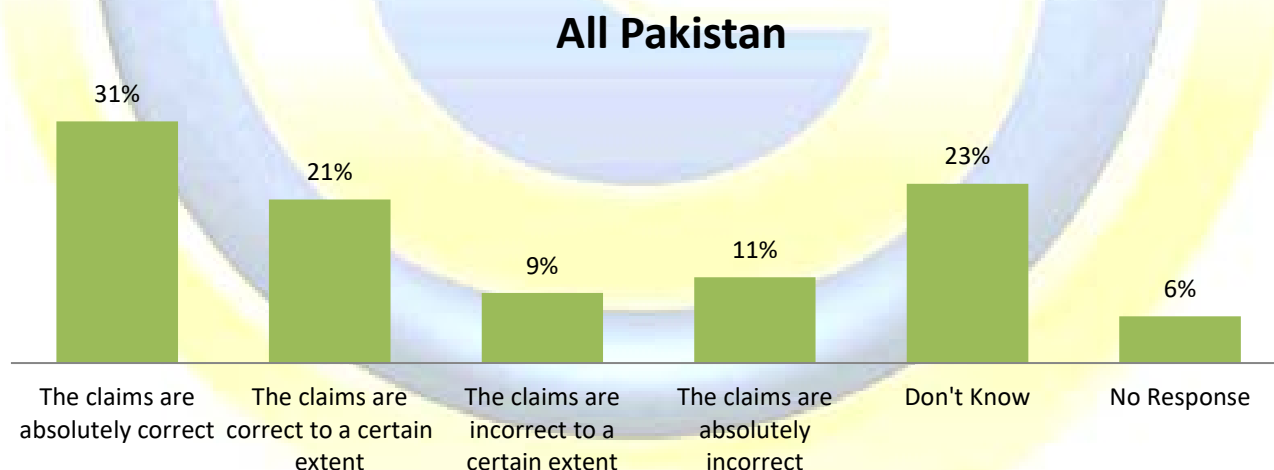
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A nationally representative sample of adult men and women from across the four provinces who had heard or read about the recent senate election was asked the following question, *“Opposition political parties claimed that horse trading was done in the senate elections whereby political parties bought votes from representatives using large sums of money. To what extent do you think that these claims of horse trading by opposition political parties are correct?”*

In response to this question, 31% said that “the claims are absolutely correct”, 21% said that “the claims are correct to a certain extent”, 9% said that “the claims are incorrect to a certain extent”, 11% said that “the claims are absolutely incorrect”, 23% said that they “don’t know” and 6% gave no response.

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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 1,590 men and women in urban and rural areas of all four provinces of the country, during March 19, 2021 – April 6, 2021. The error margin is estimated to be approximately $\pm 2-3$ percent at the 95% confidence level. The methodology used for data collection was phone interviews. Respondents hailed from over 100 districts of Pakistan.



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