

Coronavirus Attitude Tracker Survey Pakistan

WAVE 13 RESULTS



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Previous Waves of the COVID-19 Tracker

Gallup Pakistan launched a tracker study for COVID-19, the objectives of which are to have a comprehensive overview of changes in public perception, attitude and behavior towards COVID-19 since the beginning of the first wave in Pakistan. The tracker measures public response and behavior towards COVID-19 government initiatives and preventive measures, socio-economic impact, overall changes and impact of coronavirus lockdown on the daily lives of ordinary Pakistanis and the extent of disruption. The recent waves have also covered perceptions about vaccine.

To access Gallup Pakistan's COVID-19 Attitude Tracker Surveys, please visit:

- COVID-19 Attitude Tracker Survey- Wave I - 1st March 2020 to 8th March 2020
- [COVID-19 Attitude Tracker Survey – Wave II](#) - 28th March 2020 to 3rd April 2020 (N~ 609)
- [COVID-19 Attitude Tracker Survey – Wave III](#) – 4th April 2020 to 10th April 2020 (N~ 1014)
- [COVID-19 Attitude Tracker Survey – Wave IV](#) - 14th April 2020 to 24th April 2020 (N~ 1500)
- [COVID-19 Attitude Tracker Survey – Wave V](#) – 1st May 2020 to 20th May 2020 (N~ 1144)
- [COVID-19 Attitude Tracker Survey – Wave VI](#) - 4th June 2020 to 13th June 2020 (N~ 1050)
- [COVID-19 Attitude Tracker Survey – Wave VII](#) - 9th July 2020 to 10th August 2020 (N~ 1326)
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- [COVID-19 Attitude Tracker Survey – Wave IX](#) - 24th December 2020 to 15th January 2021 (N~ 1081)
- [COVID-19 Attitude Tracker Survey- Wave X](#) - 19th March 2021 to 16th April 2021 (N~ 1590)
- [COVID-19 Attitude Tracker Survey- Wave XI](#) - 1st July 2021 to 13th July 2021 (N~ 1066)
- [COVID-19 Attitude Tracker Survey Wave XII](#) - 13th August 2021 to 5th September 2021 (N~ 2407)
- [COVID-19 Attitude Tracker Survey Wave XIII - December 22, 2021 - January 15, 2022](#) (N~ 795)

**Total Sample across
all waves is more
than 15,688
respondents***

** Gallup Pakistan is interested in working with other collaborators to understand this data in more detail*

6 KEY FINDINGS FROM THE 13TH GALLUP COVID TRACKER WAVE

FINDING 1 : 61% Pakistanis still hold the opinion that the threat of coronavirus is exaggerated.

FINDING 2 : Nearly 2 in 5 Pakistanis (41%) still believe that the coronavirus is a foreign conspiracy; this is a decrease from 49% in August 2021.

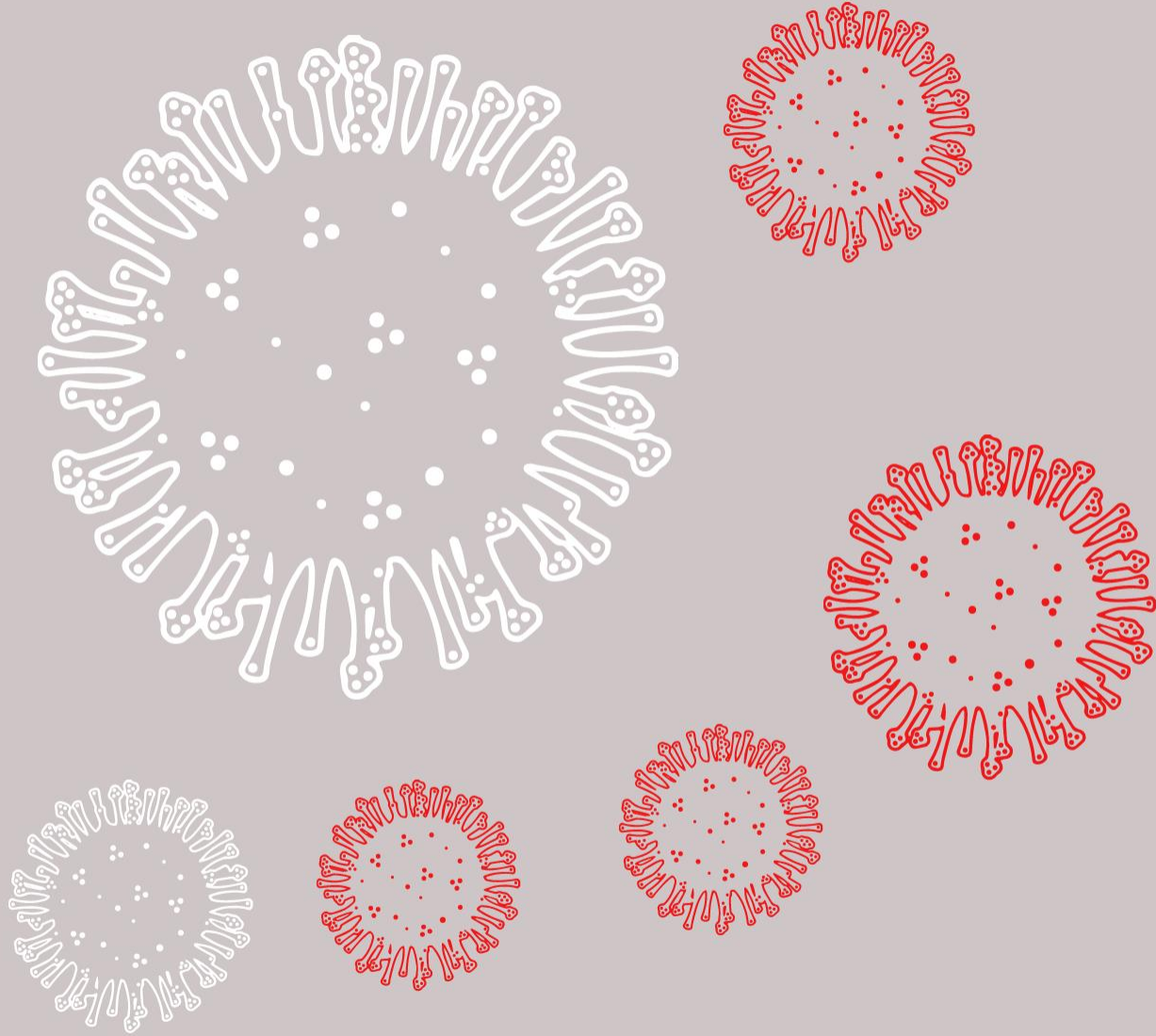
FINDING 3 : It is crucial to note however that there has been a significant improvement in the vaccination percentage with 84% of adult Pakistanis with mobile phone access admitting that they have received at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine.

FINDING 4 : Satisfaction with the government's performance in preventing/controlling the COVID-19 has decreased with only 41% stating that Imran Khan's government did a good job – in July 2021, 76% of Pakistanis had claimed that the government was controlling the COVID-19 situation well.

FINDING 5 : 1 in 4 Pakistanis (25%) believes that COVID-19 has been eliminated from Pakistan.

FINDING 6 : Economic impact of COVID-19 seems to have gotten slightly better as compared to August 2021. Gallup Pakistan's economic wellbeing indicator that had declined on 4 out of 7 indicators in August has now witnessed improvement in 6 out of 7 indicators at the start of 2022.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY



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- 84% OF ADULT PAKISTANIS WITH MOBILE ACCESS REPORT TO HAVE RECEIVED AT LEAST ONE DOSE OF THE COVID-19 VACCINE
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- SLIGHTLY MORE PEOPLE FROM RURAL AREAS (88%) AS COMPARED TO URBAN AREAS (85%) KNOW SOMEONE WHO GOT RE-INFECTED BY THE CORONAVIRUS
- 15% OF PAKISTANIS REPORT KNOWING SOMEONE WHO GOT VACCINATED FOR COVID-19 AND SUFFERED SIDE EFFECTS OR LOST THEIR LIFE
- MORE MALES (86%) REPORT KNOWING SOMEONE WHO RECEIVED THE COVID-19 VACCINE AND SUFFERED SIDE EFFECTS OR LOST HIS/HER LIFE

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- 33% OF PAKISTANIS BELIEVE THAT WHEN 75% OF PAKISTAN'S POPULATION WILL HAVE BEEN VACCINATED, THAT WILL INDICATE THAT THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC IS COMING TO AN END
- MORE PEOPLE FROM RURAL AREAS (28%) AND THOSE FROM BALOCHISTAN (42%) BELIEVE THAT COVID-19 HAS BEEN ELIMINATED IN PAKISTAN AND ARE LIKELY THE ONES WHO WOULD BE REQUIRING MORE CONSISTENT ADVOCACY TO FOLLOW SOPs
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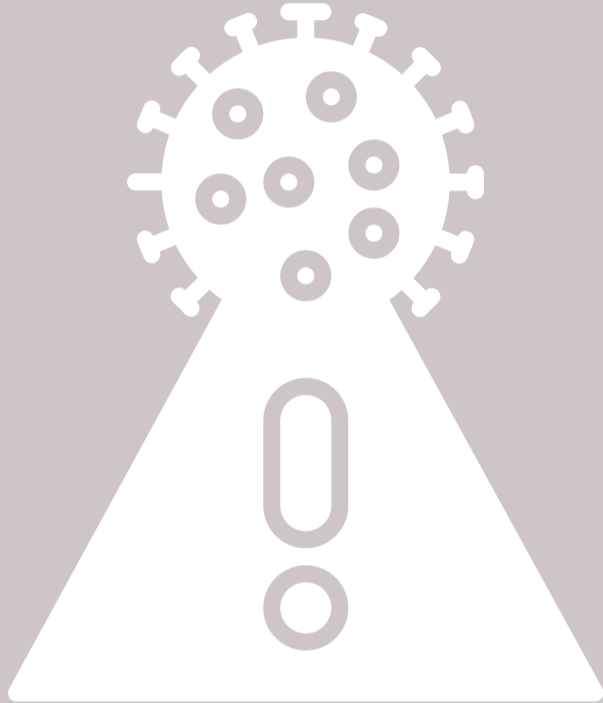
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- 6% DECEREASE IN THE PROPORTION OF PAKISTANIS WHO CLAIM TO HAVE REDUCED THE NUMBER OR SIZE OF MEALS FOR SOME FAMILY MEMBERS TO COVER THEIR HOUSEHOLD'S BASIC NEEDS; THIS NUMBER IS 7% LESS THAN THE AVERAGE ACROSS ALL TIME PERIODS
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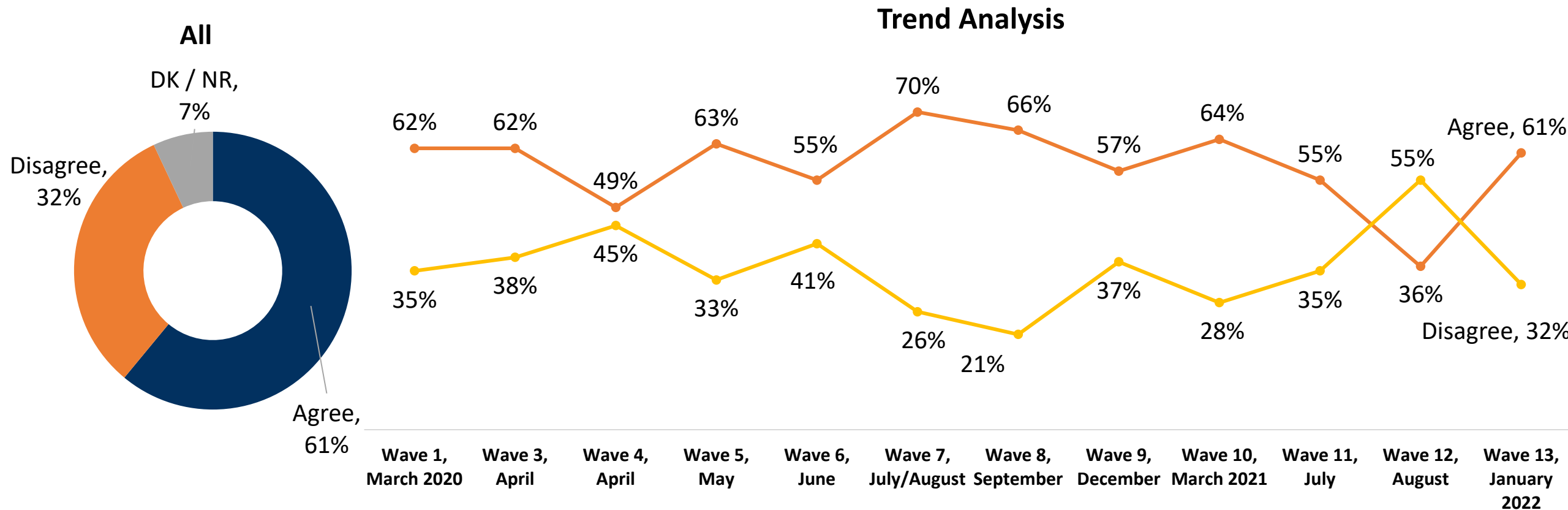
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- 4% (SAME AS WAVE 12) CLAIM TO HAVE USED CASH OR BANK SAVINGS TO COVER HOUSEHOLD NEEDS AS COMPARED TO THE AVERAGE (8%) ACROSS ALL WAVES
- SIMILAR TO WAVE 12 (21%), 20% OF PAKISTANIS IN WAVE 13 REPORT HAVING STARTED TO LOOK FOR WAYS TO EARN ADDITIONAL MONEY TO COVER THEIR HOUSEHOLD'S BASIC NEEDS; THIS IS 5% ABOVE THE AVERAGE OF ALL WAVES
- LESS THAN 1% IN WAVE 13 RELIED ON GOVERNMENT OR NGO ASSISTANCE TO COVER HOUSEHOLD'S BASIC NEEDS, THE LOWEST SO FAR
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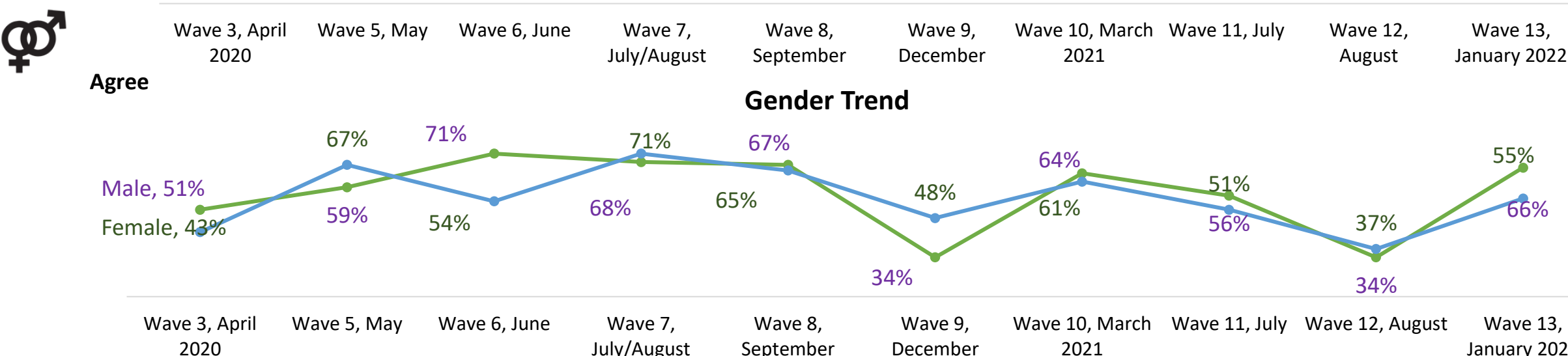
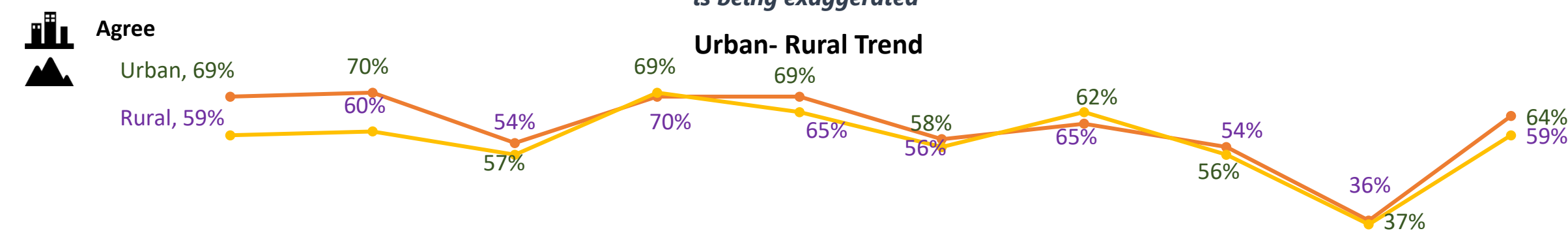
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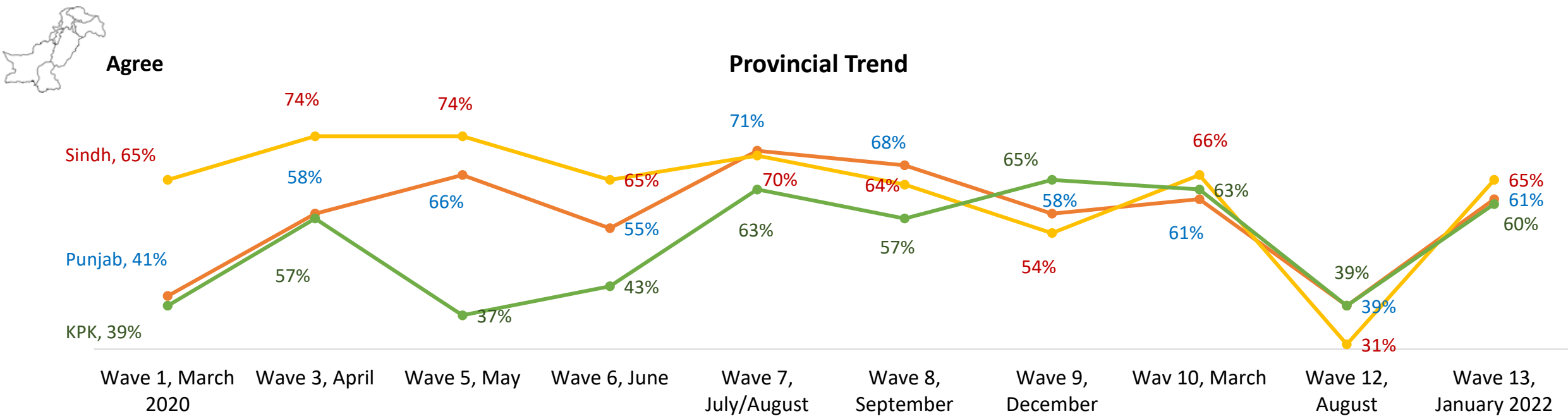
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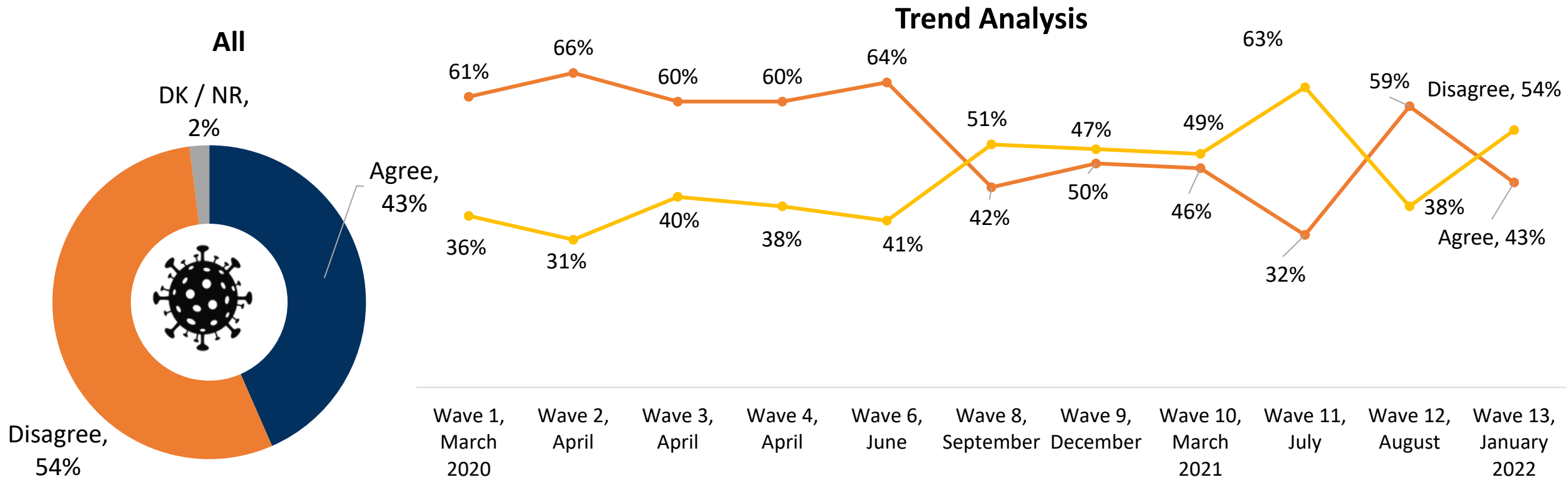
Note: Balochistan results are not statistically significant so are not reported

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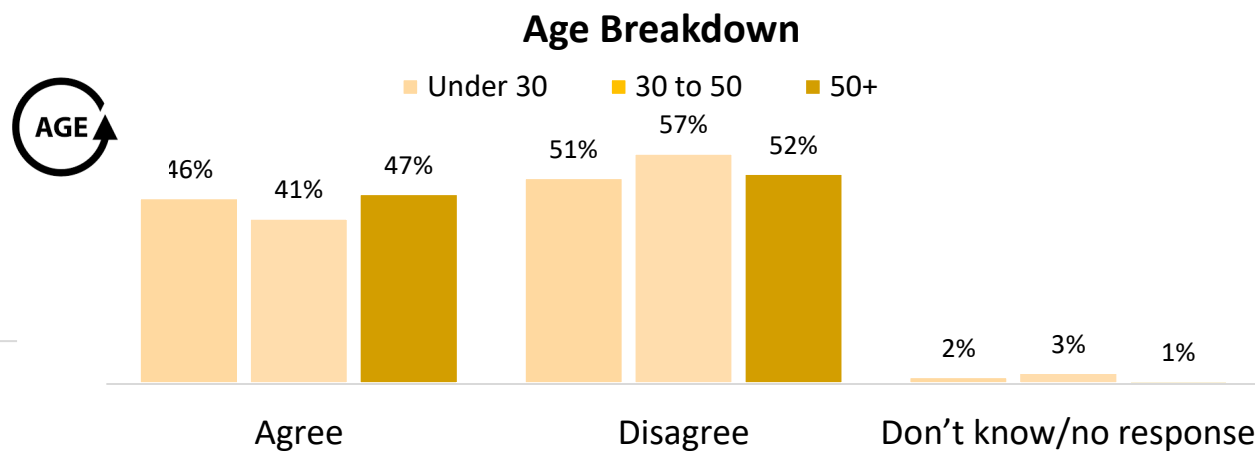
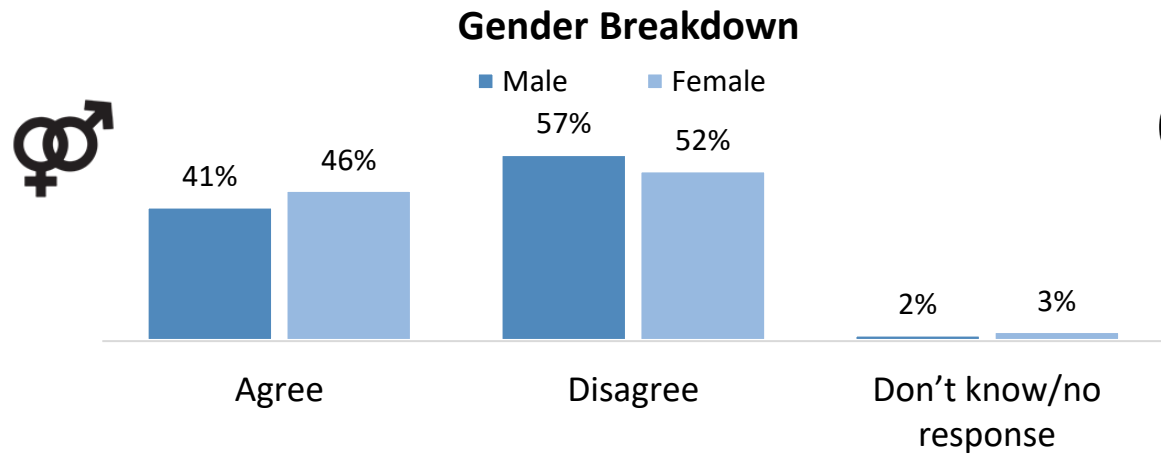
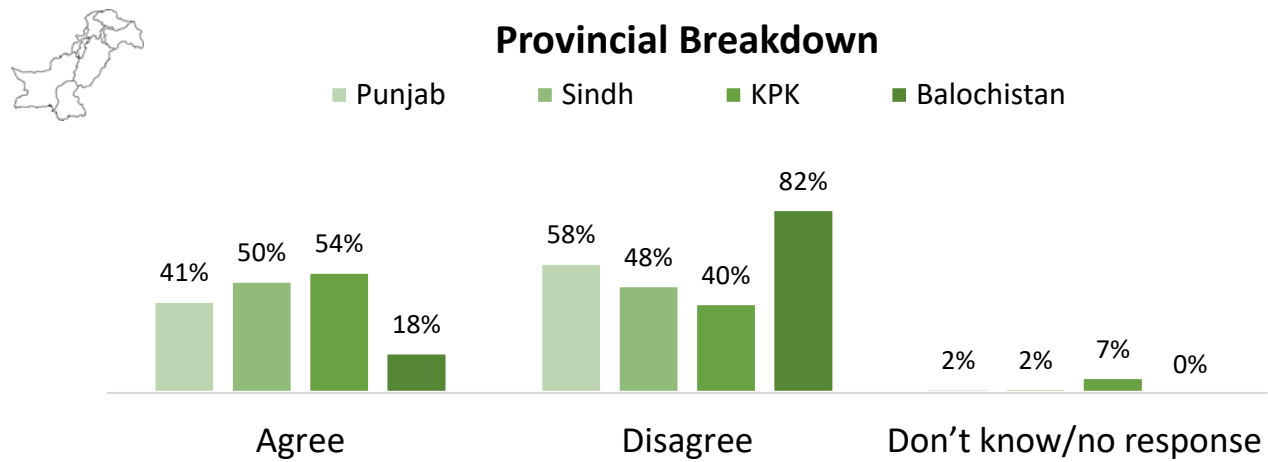
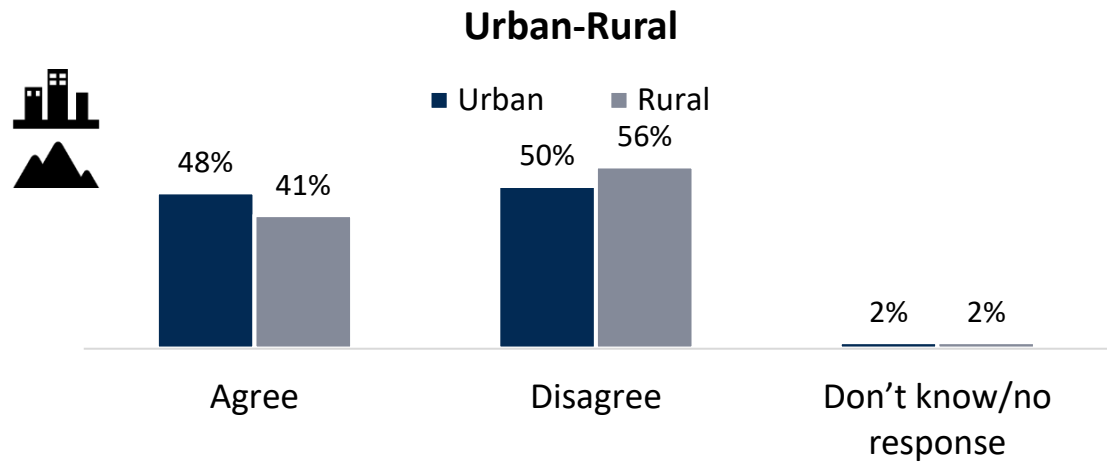
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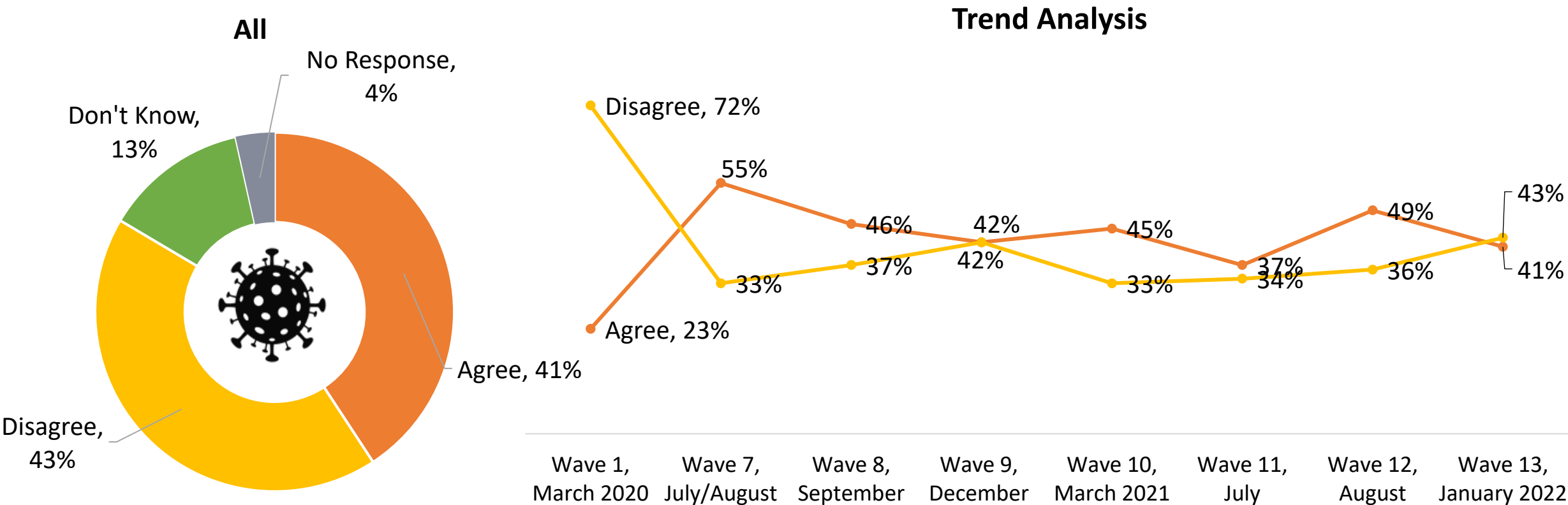
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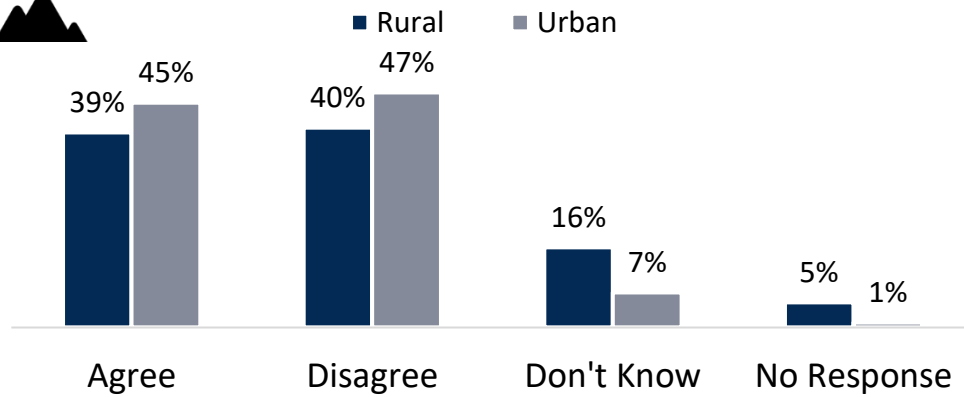


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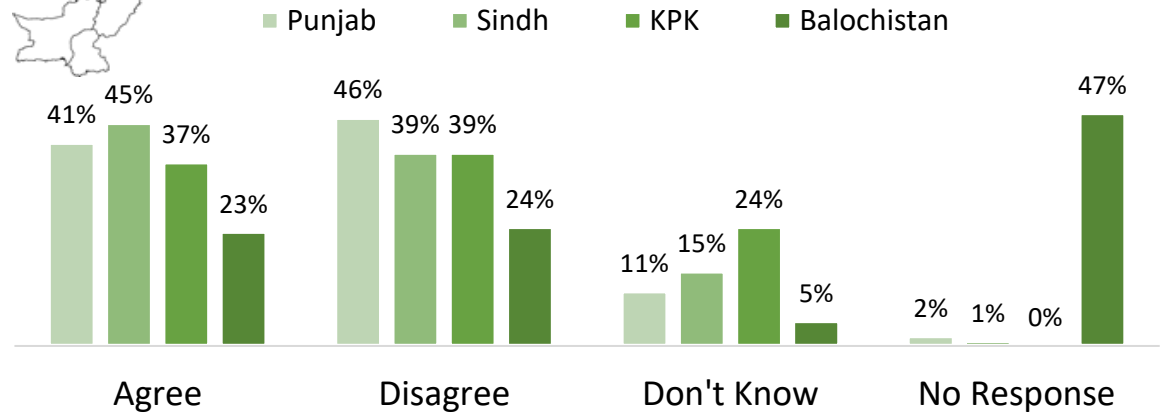
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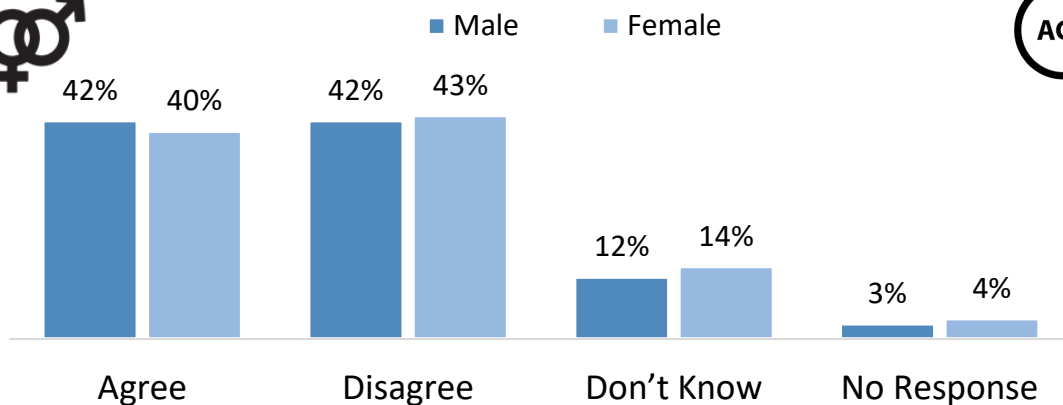
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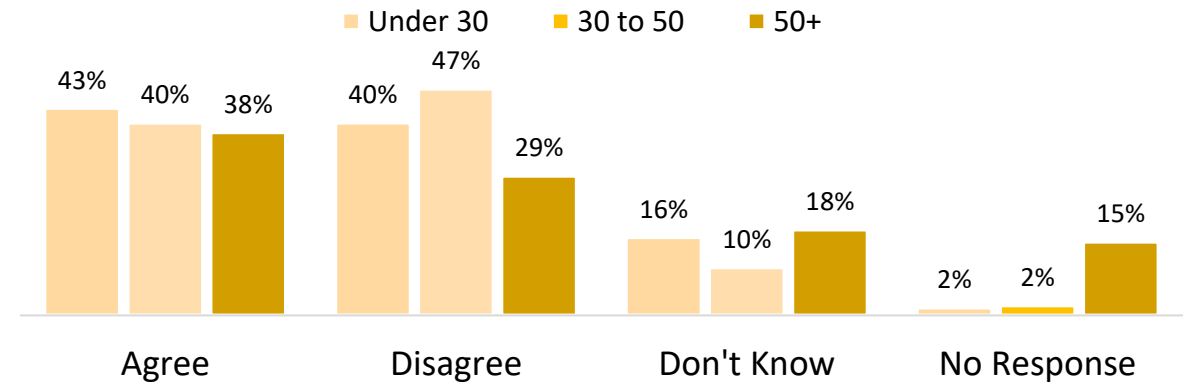
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Gender Breakdown



Age Breakdown

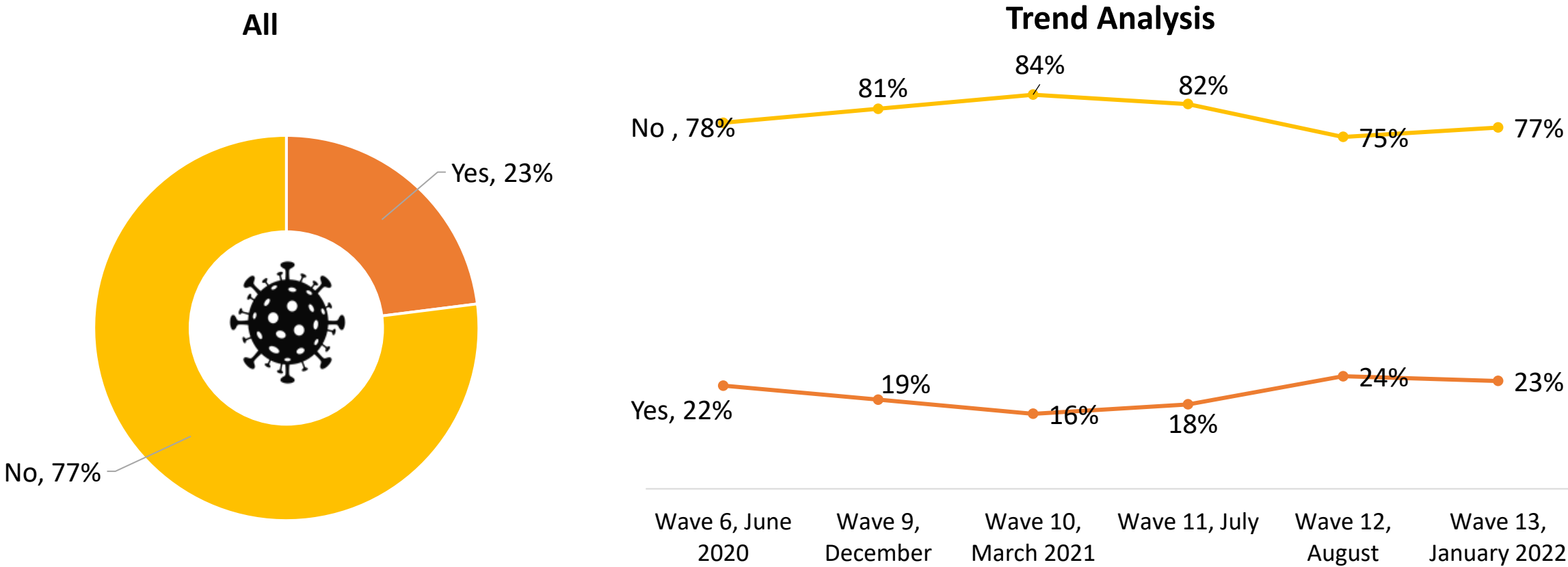


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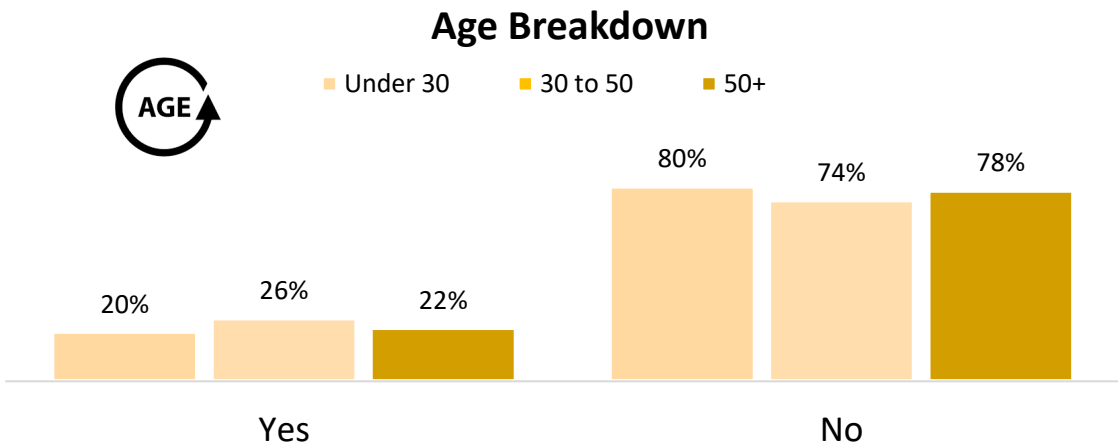
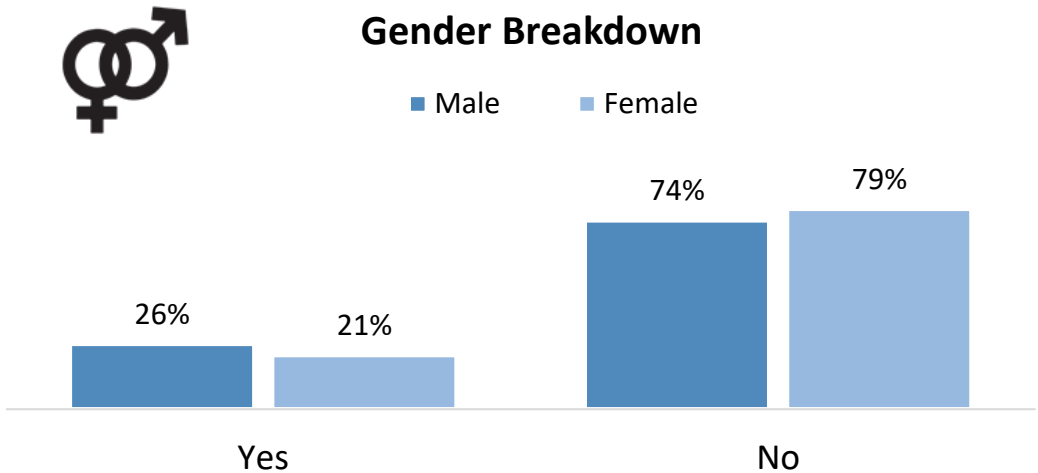
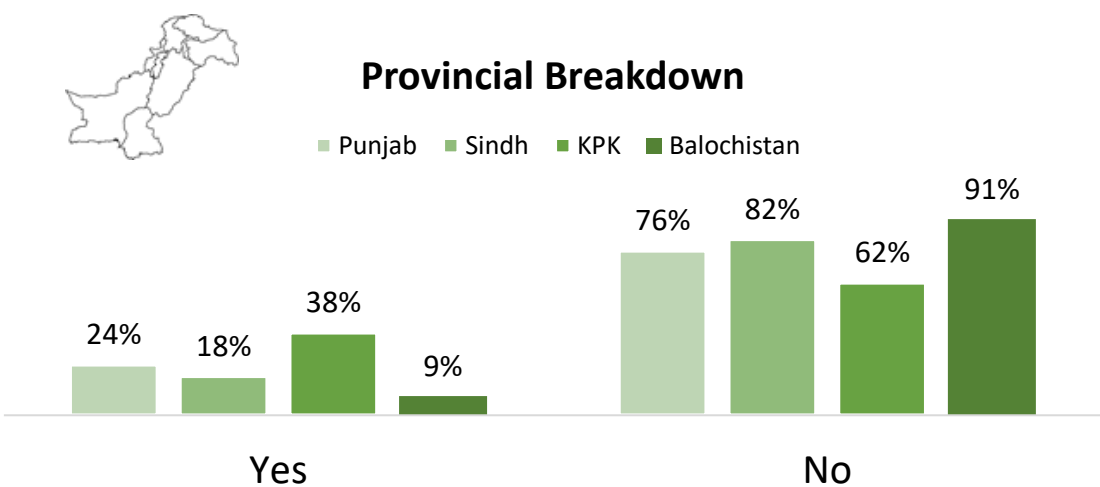
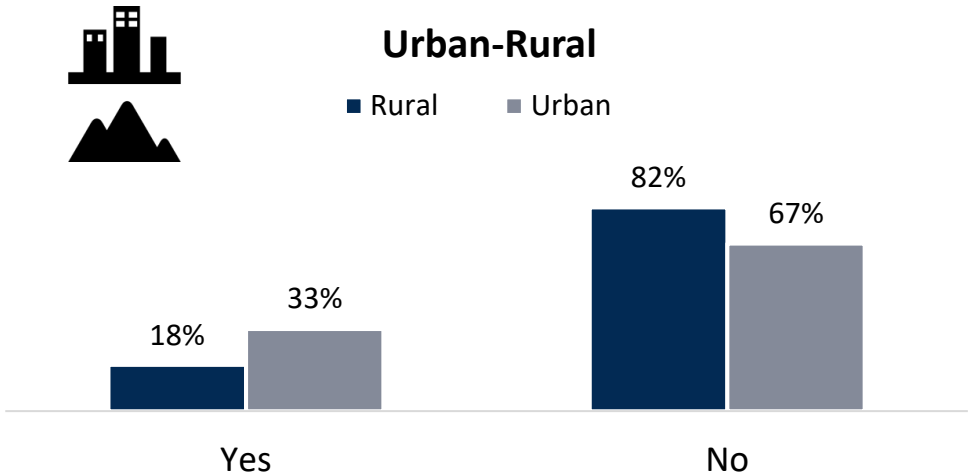
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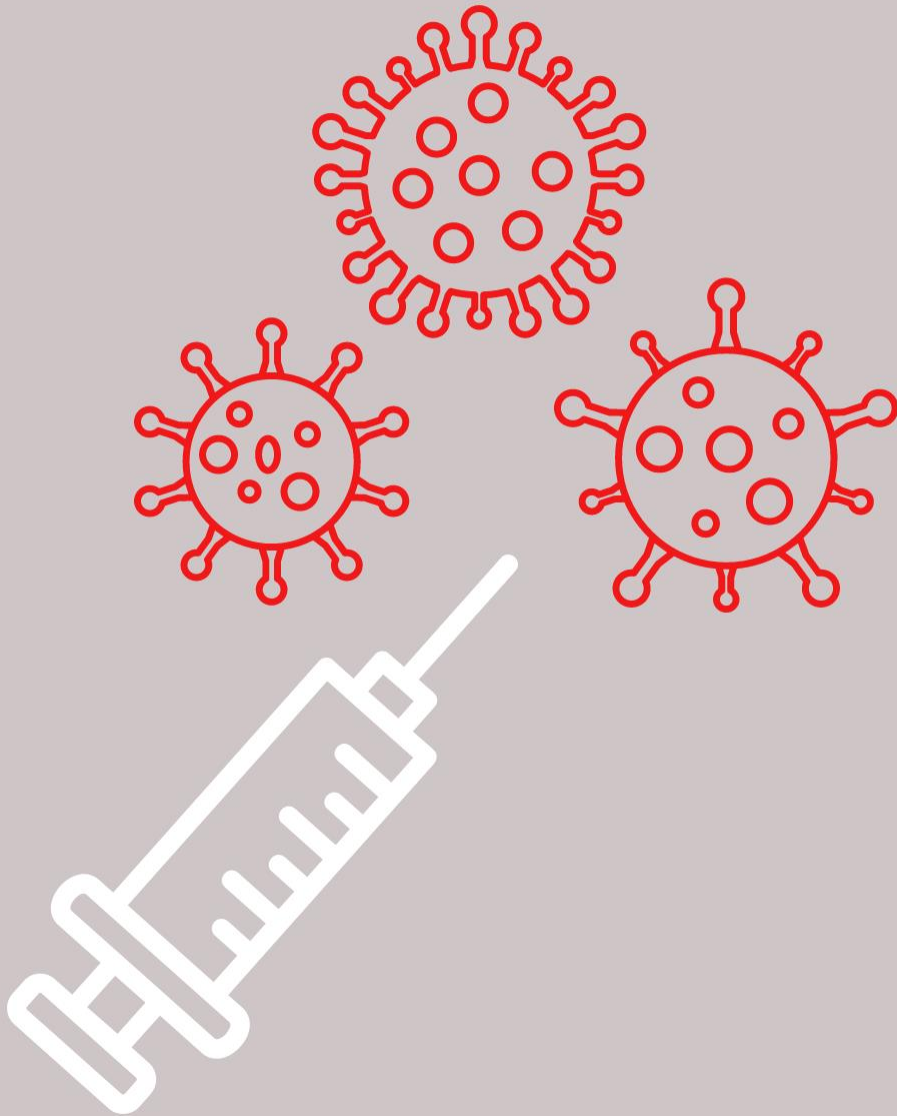
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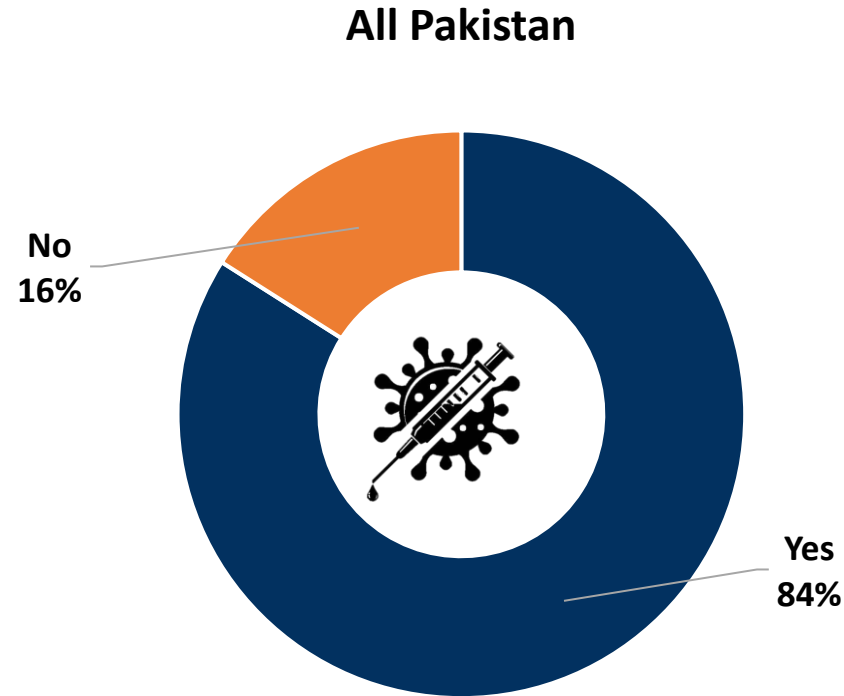
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COVID-19 Vaccine



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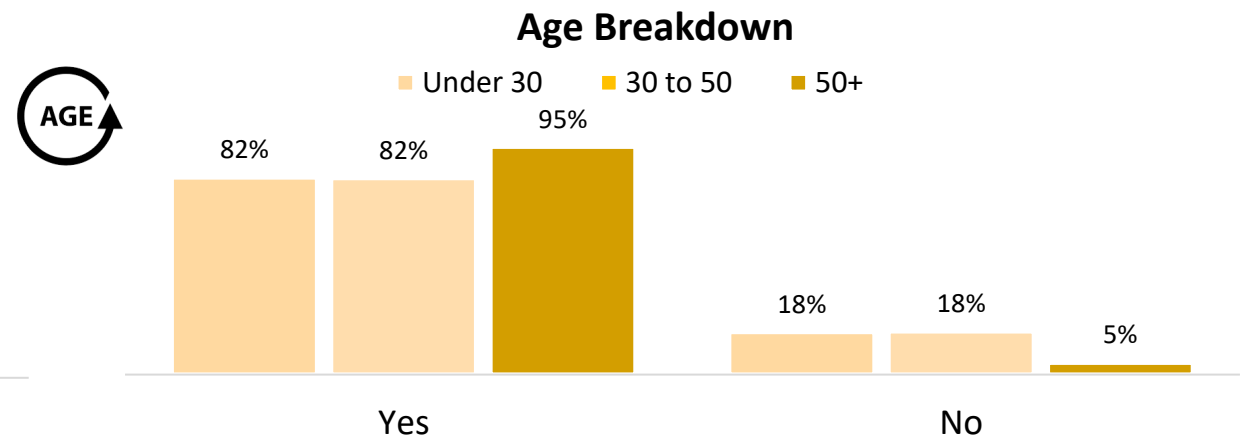
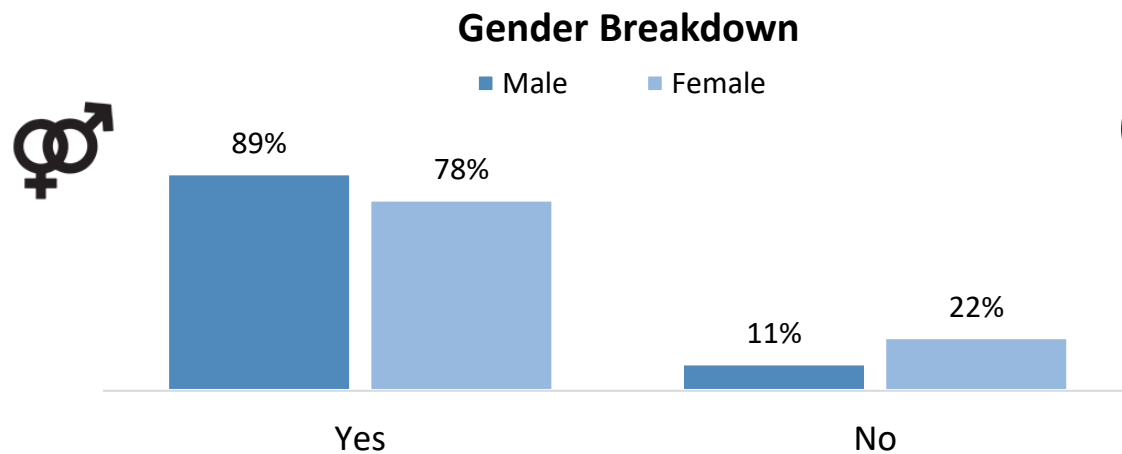
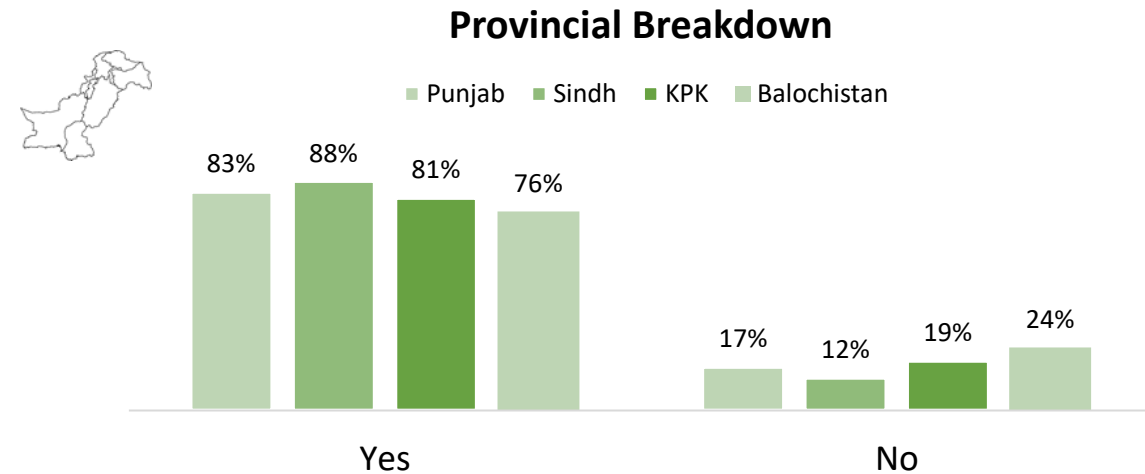
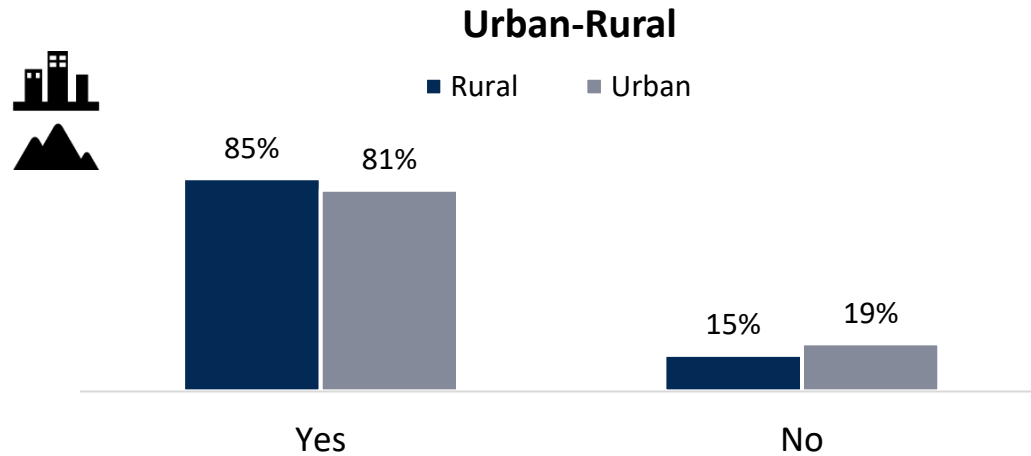


Note: Government data shows fewer number of people being vaccinated. The difference can be amounted to:

- There may be the social desirability effect at play
- The survey is conducted amongst mobile phone enabled households. Given mobile phones were important to get vaccinated, the numbers used by Gallup Pakistan's survey and the ones used by the government may be completely different
- The government has not been reporting the proportion of the 18+ population that has been vaccinated but rather the 12+ population that has been vaccinated

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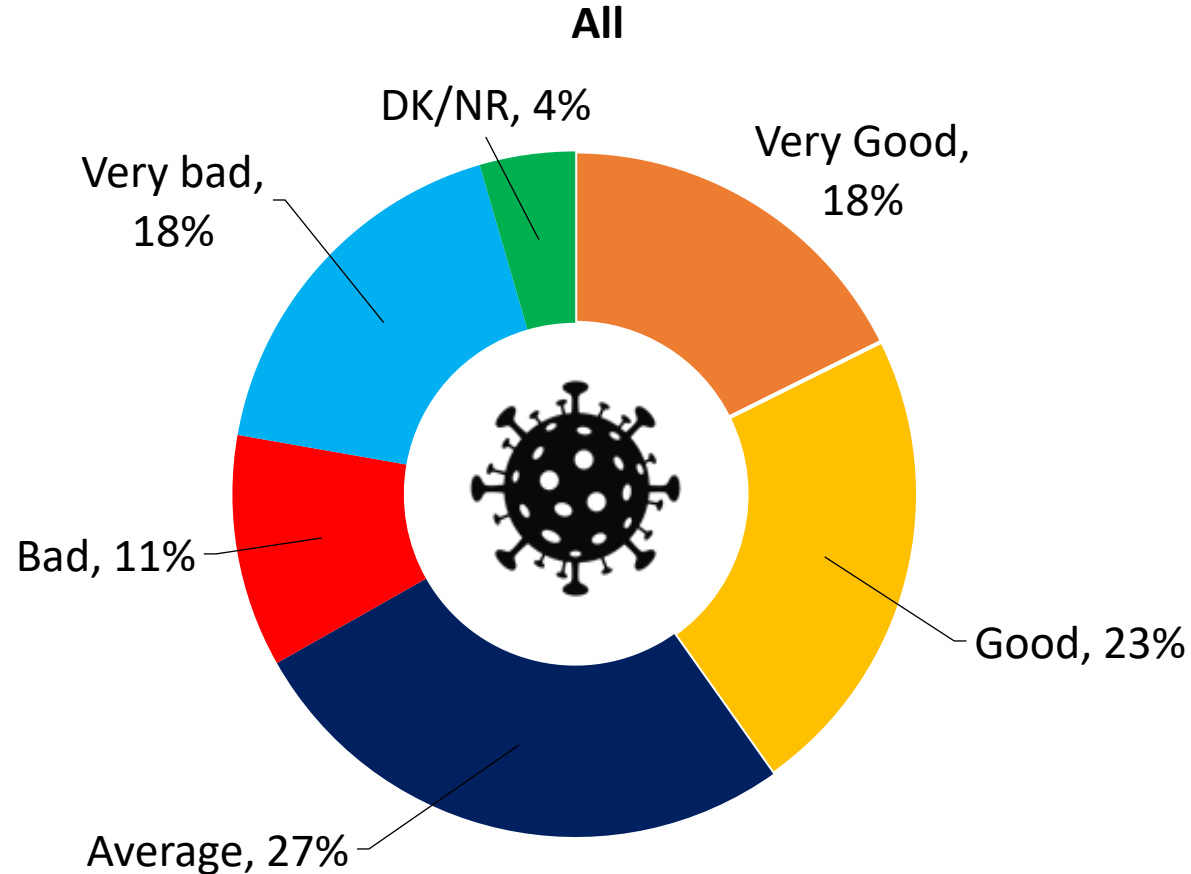


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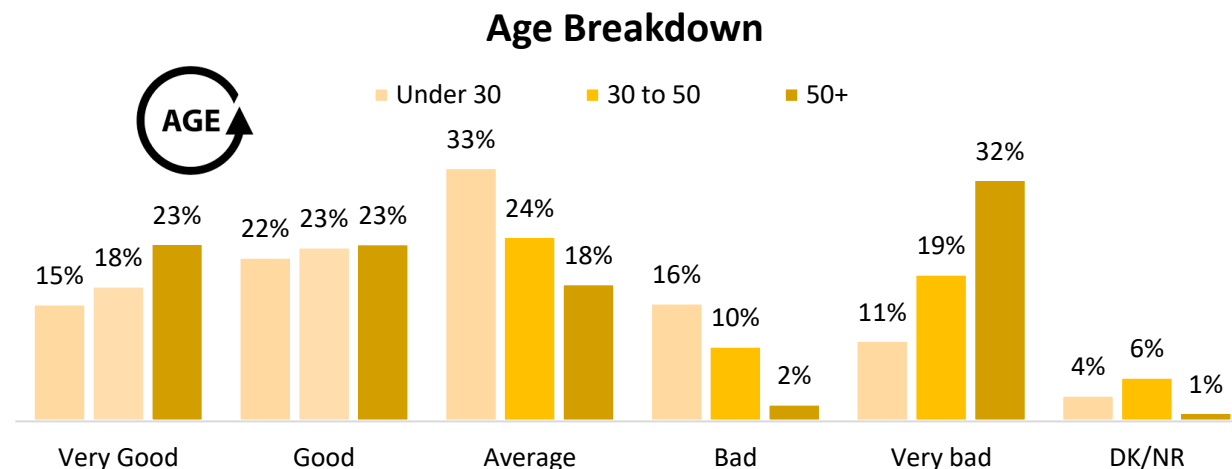
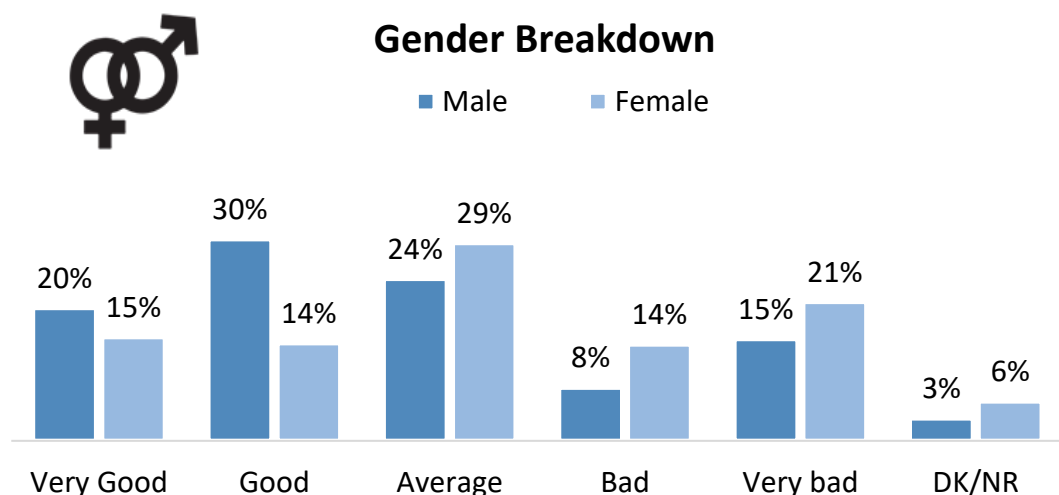
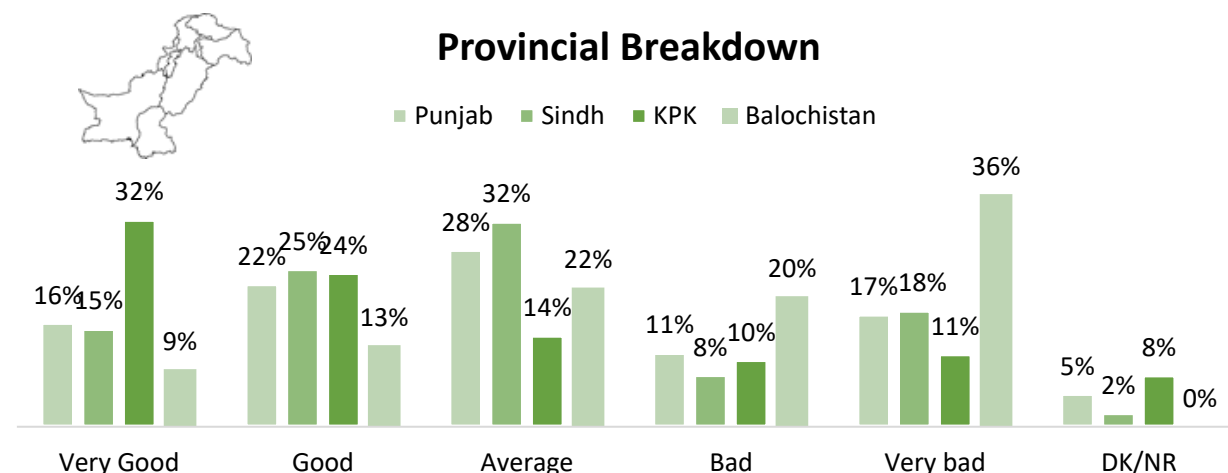
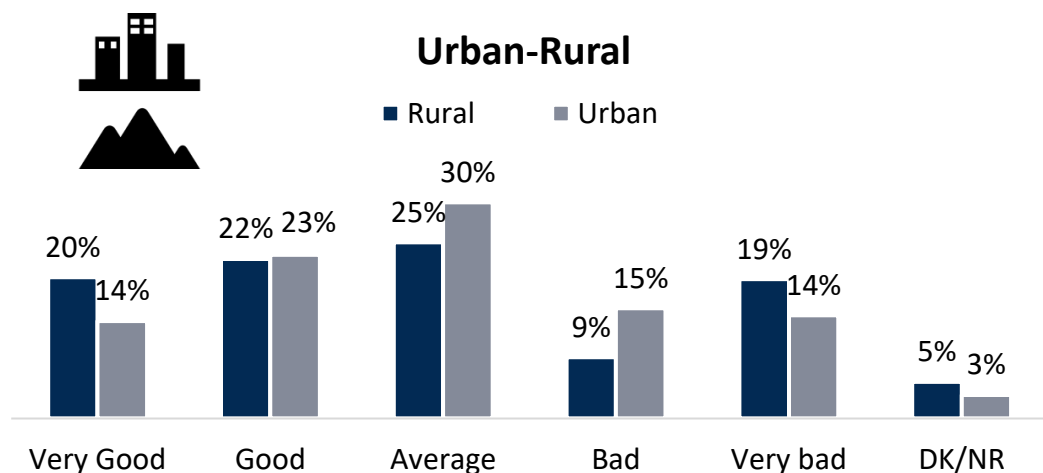
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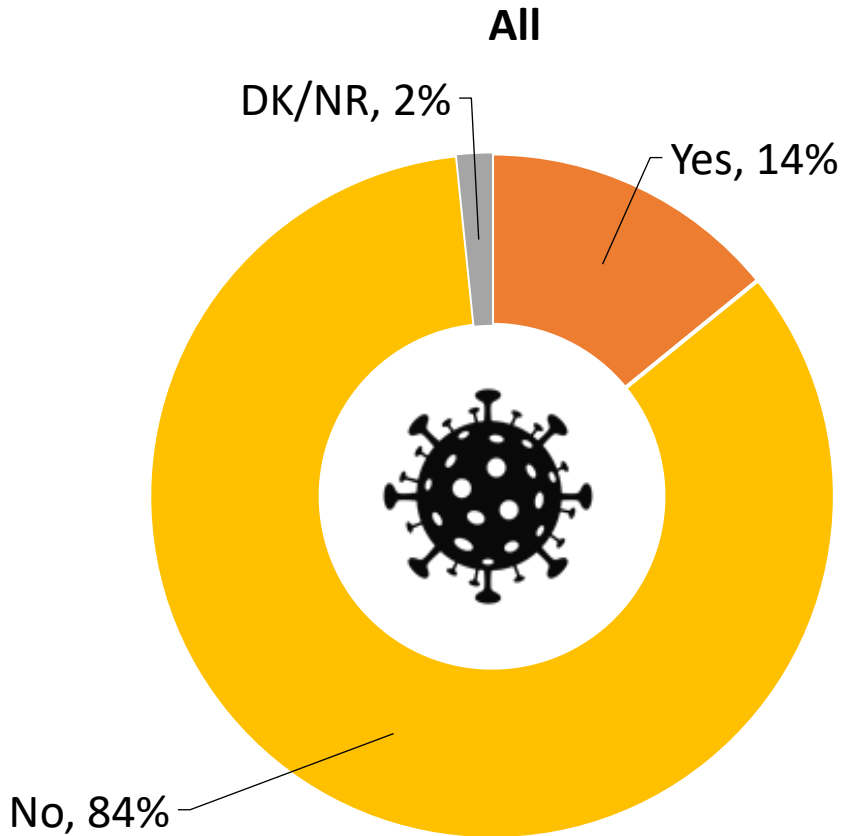


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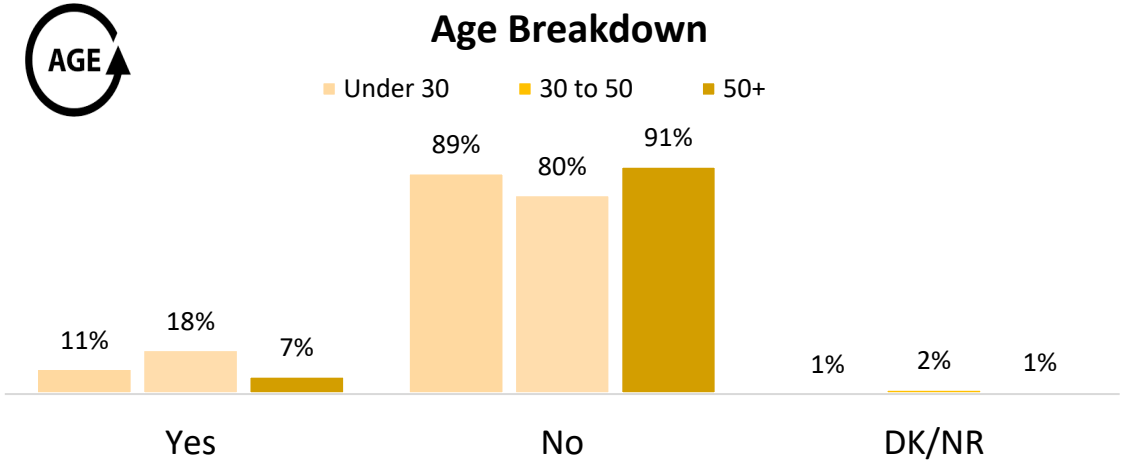
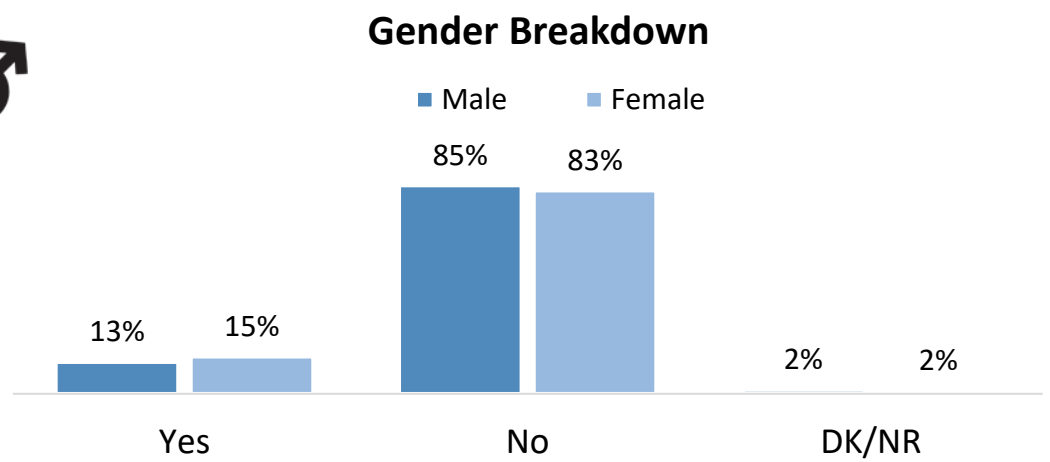
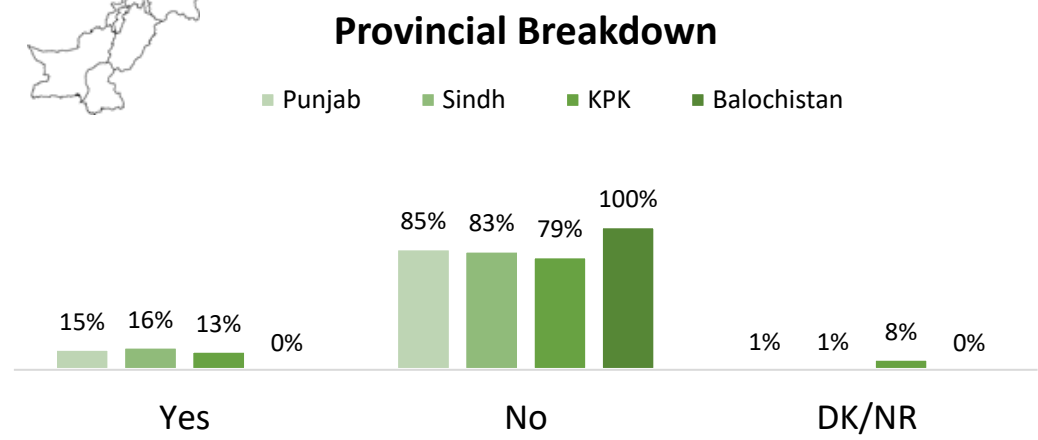
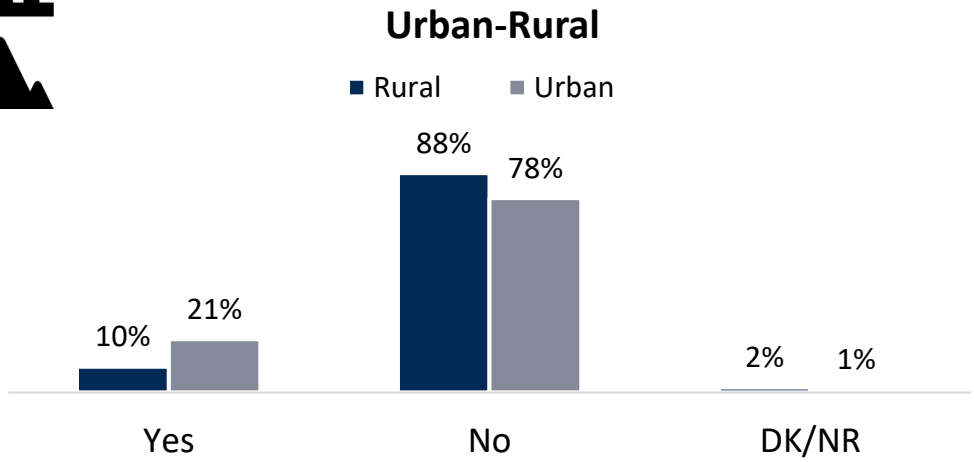
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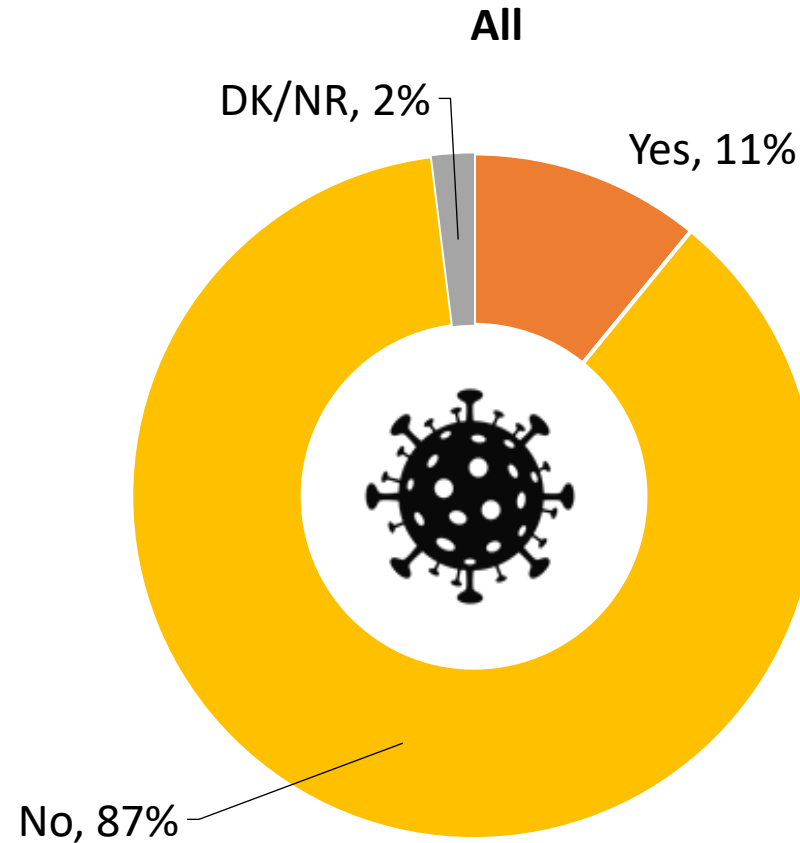


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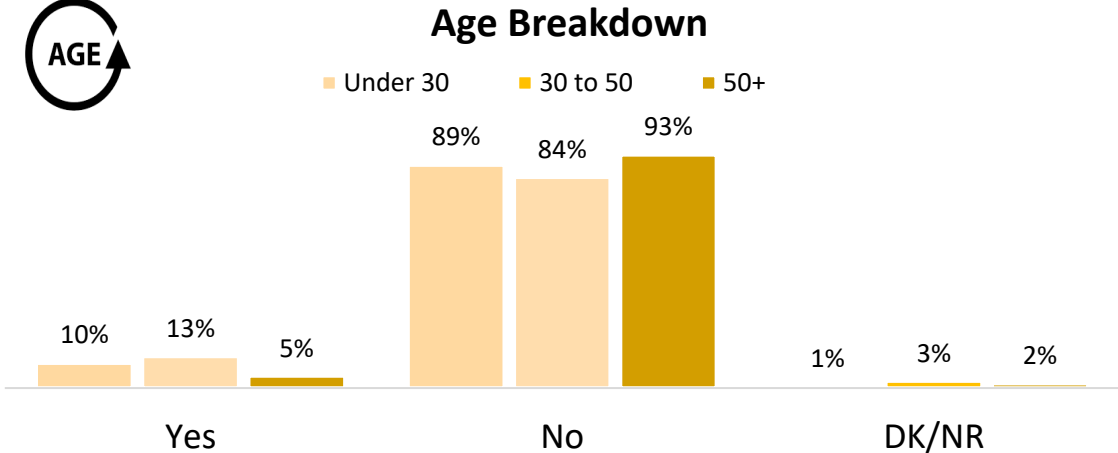
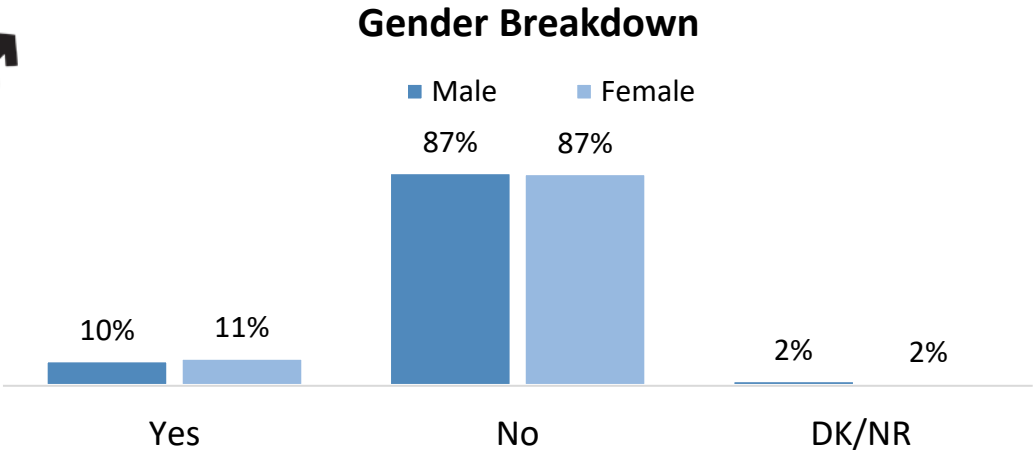
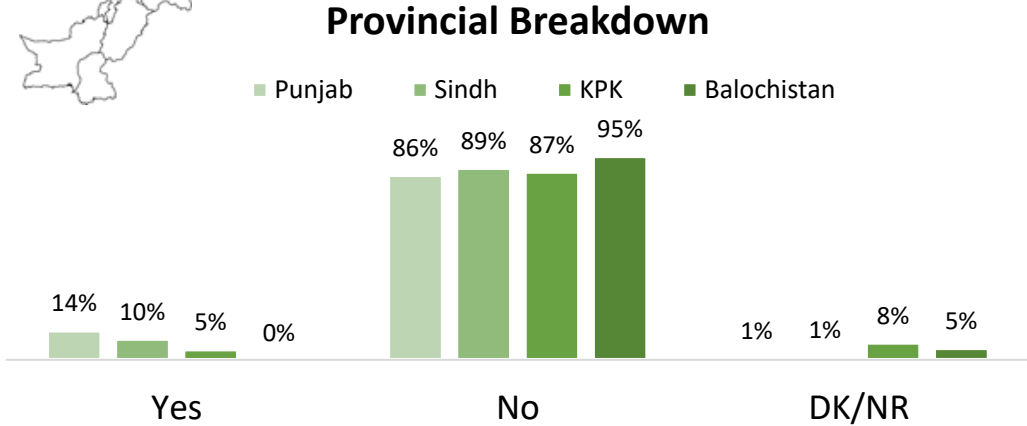
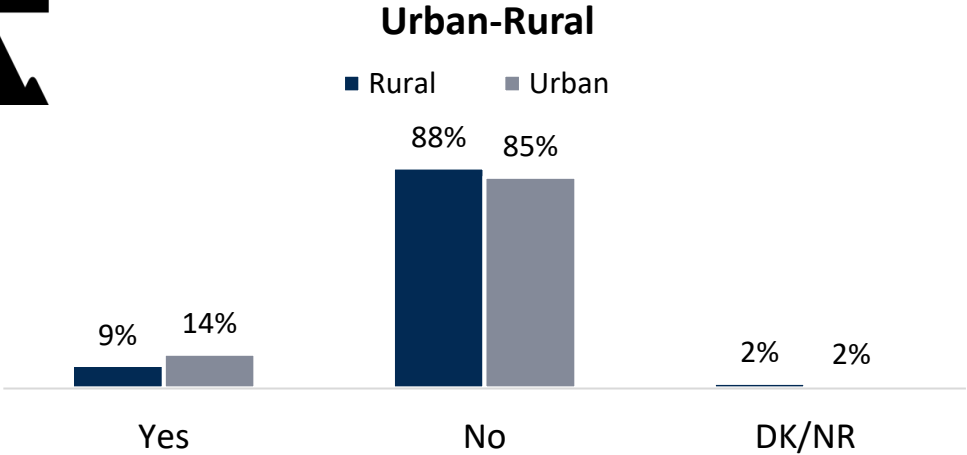
Question: Do you know anyone from your social circle or people that you meet who...? - Has previously been infected with COVID-19 and got infected with Coronavirus again



Source: Gallup Pakistan Coronavirus Attitude Tracker Survey 2022, Wave 13

SLIGHTLY MORE PEOPLE FROM RURAL AREAS (88%) AS COMPARED TO URBAN AREAS (85%) KNOW SOMEONE WHO GOT RE-INFECTED BY THE CORONAVIRUS

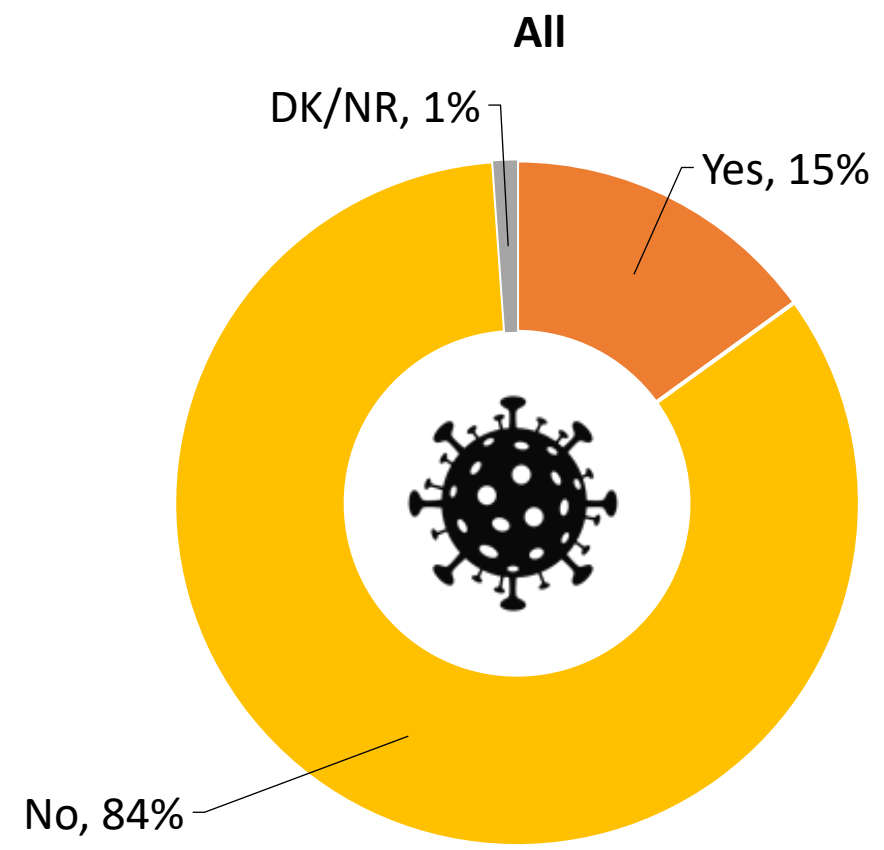
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15% OF PAKISTANIS REPORT KNOWING SOMEONE WHO GOT VACCINATED FOR COVID-19 AND SUFFERED SIDE EFFECTS OR LOST THEIR LIFE

Question: Do you know anyone from your social circle or people that you meet who...? - Got any vaccination for COVID-19 and, God forbid, has had any side effects, or has lost his life



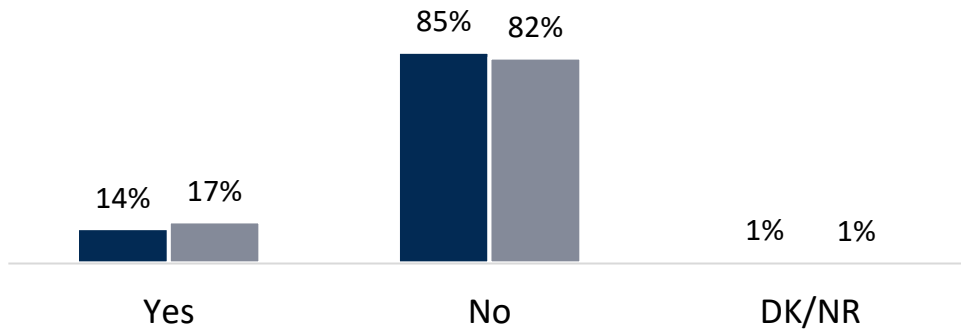
MORE MALES (86%) REPORT KNOWING SOMEONE WHO RECEIVED THE COVID-19 VACCINE AND SUFFERED SIDE EFFECTS OR LOST HIS/HER LIFE

Question: Do you know anyone from your social circle or people that you meet who...? - Got any vaccination for COVID-19 and, God forbid, has had any side effects, or has lost his life



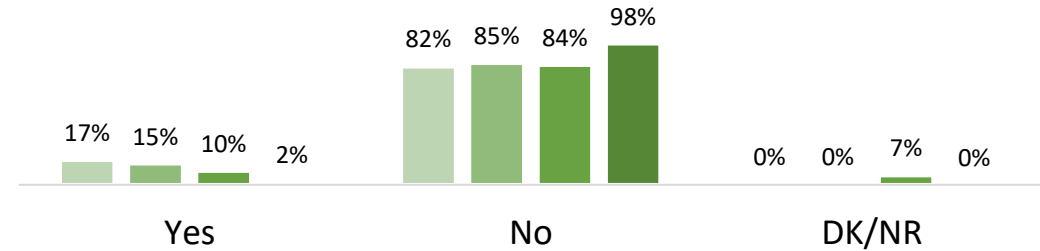
Urban-Rural

■ Rural ■ Urban



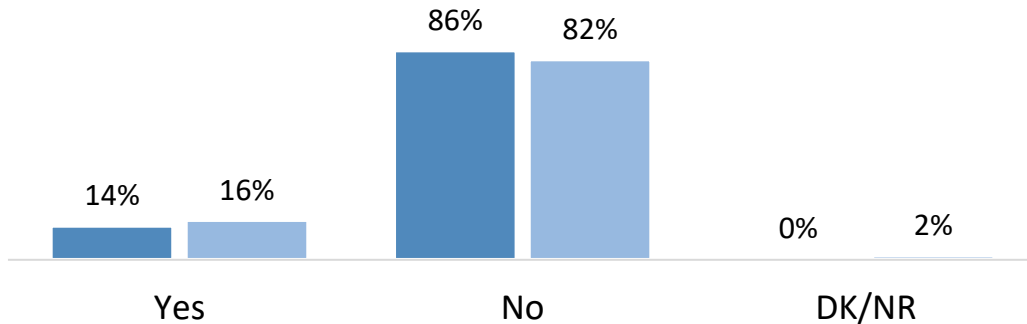
Provincial Breakdown

■ Punjab ■ Sindh ■ KPK ■ Balochistan



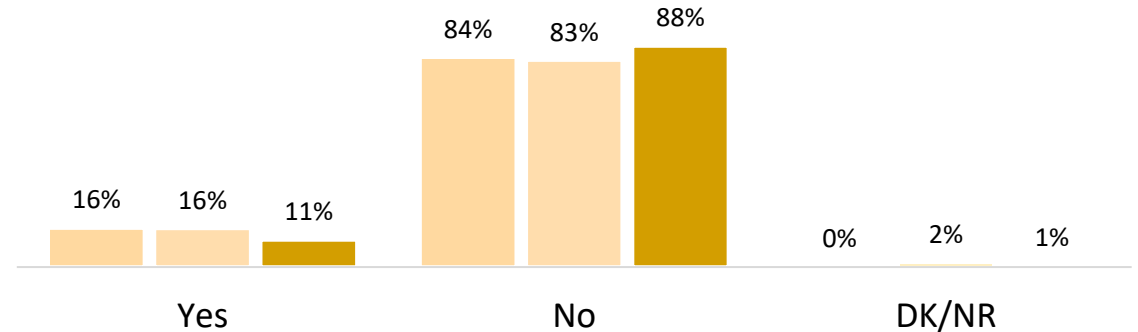
Gender Breakdown

■ Male ■ Female



Age Breakdown

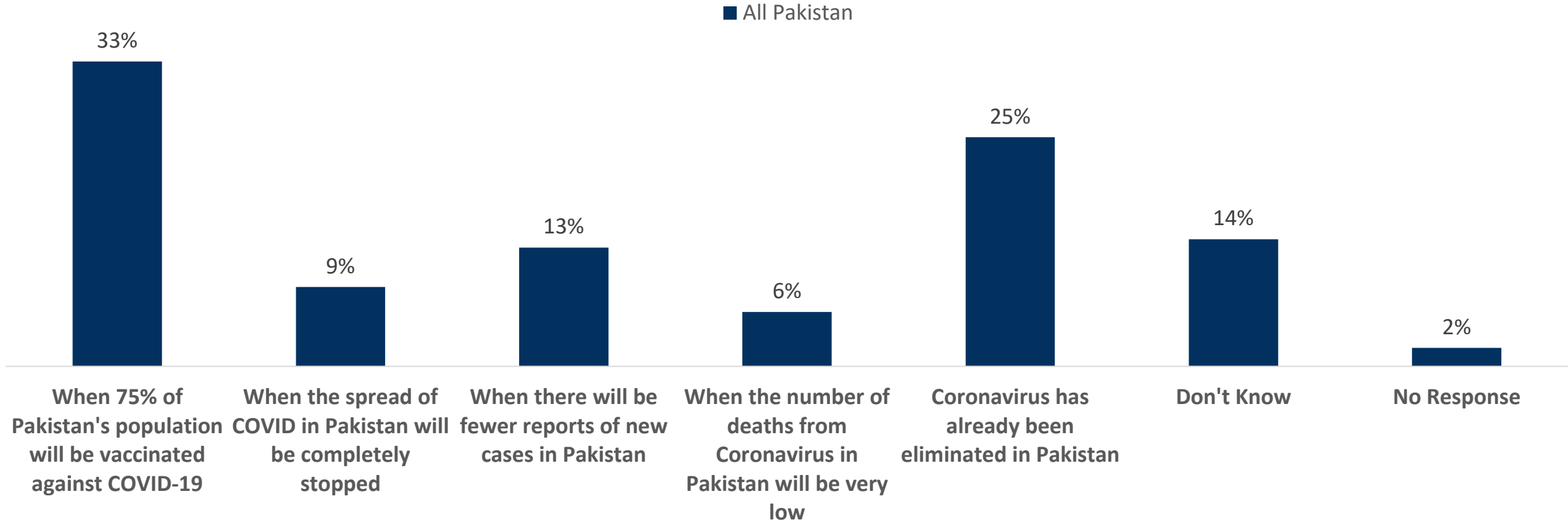
■ Under 30 ■ 30 to 50 ■ 50+



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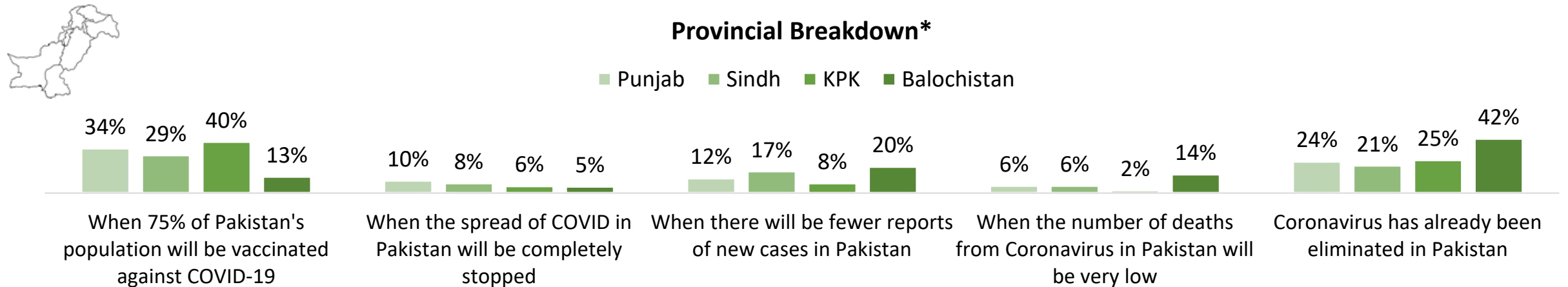
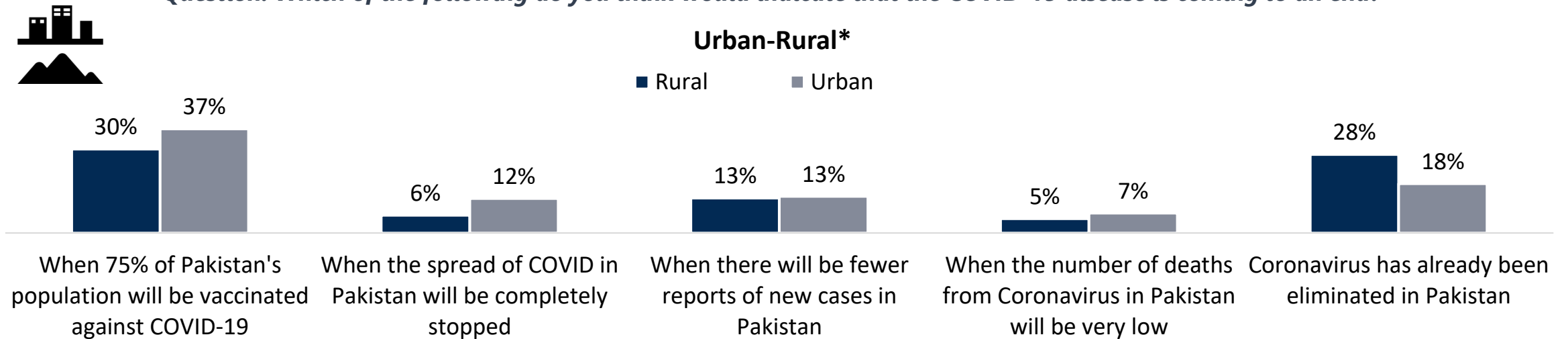
33% OF PAKISTANIS BELIEVE THAT WHEN 75% OF PAKISTAN'S POPULATION WILL HAVE BEEN VACCINATED, THAT WILL INDICATE THAT THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC IS COMING TO AN END

Question: Which of the following do you think would indicate that the COVID-19 disease is coming to an end?



MORE PEOPLE FROM RURAL AREAS (28%) AND THOSE FROM BALOCHISTAN (42%) BELIEVE THAT COVID-19 HAS BEEN ELIMINATED IN PAKISTAN AND ARE LIKELY THE ONES WHO WOULD BE REQUIRING MORE CONSISTENT ADVOCACY TO FOLLOW SOPs

Question: Which of the following do you think would indicate that the COVID-19 disease is coming to an end?



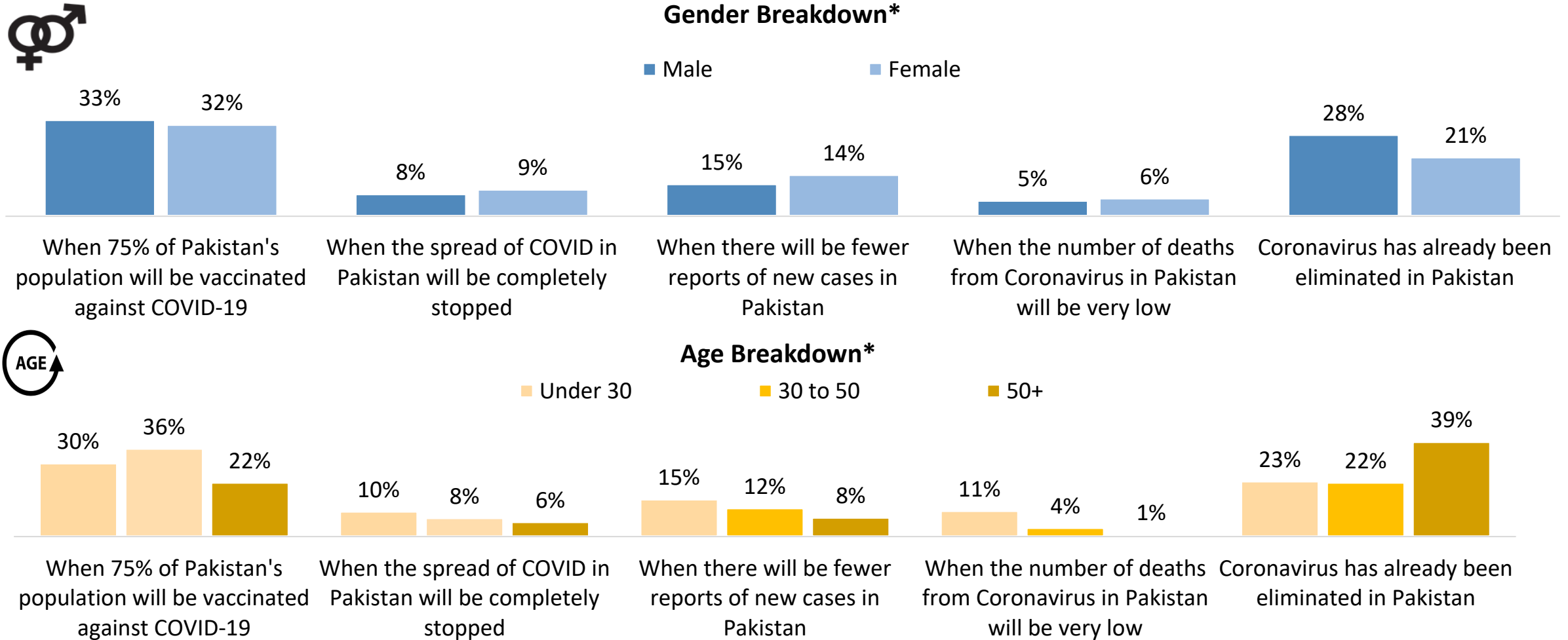
*Options of "Don't Know" and "No Response" not added

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Source: Gallup Pakistan Coronavirus Attitude Tracker Survey 2022, Wave 13

MORE PEOPLE AGED OVER 50 YEARS (39%) AND MALES (28%) BELIEVE THAT THE CORONAVIRUS HAS ALREADY BEEN ELIMINATED IN PAKISTAN

Question: Which of the following do you think would indicate that the COVID-19 disease is coming to an end?



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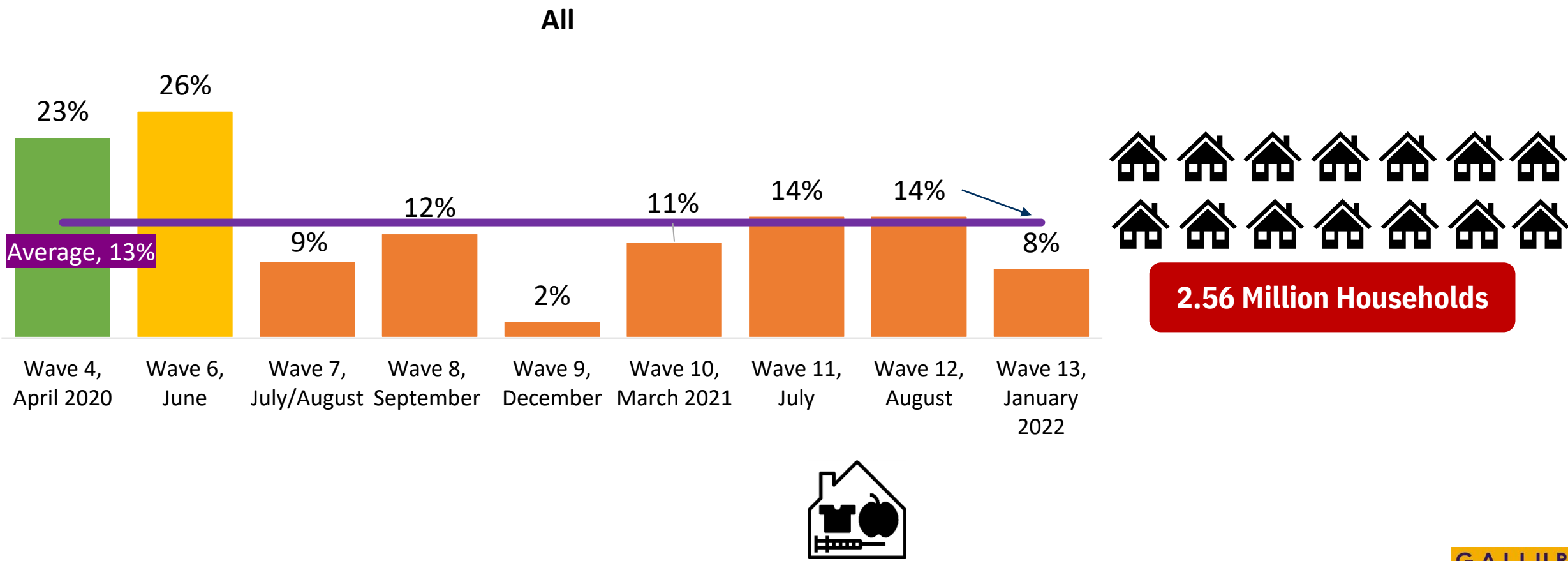
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Economic Impact of COVID-19 Outbreak on Households



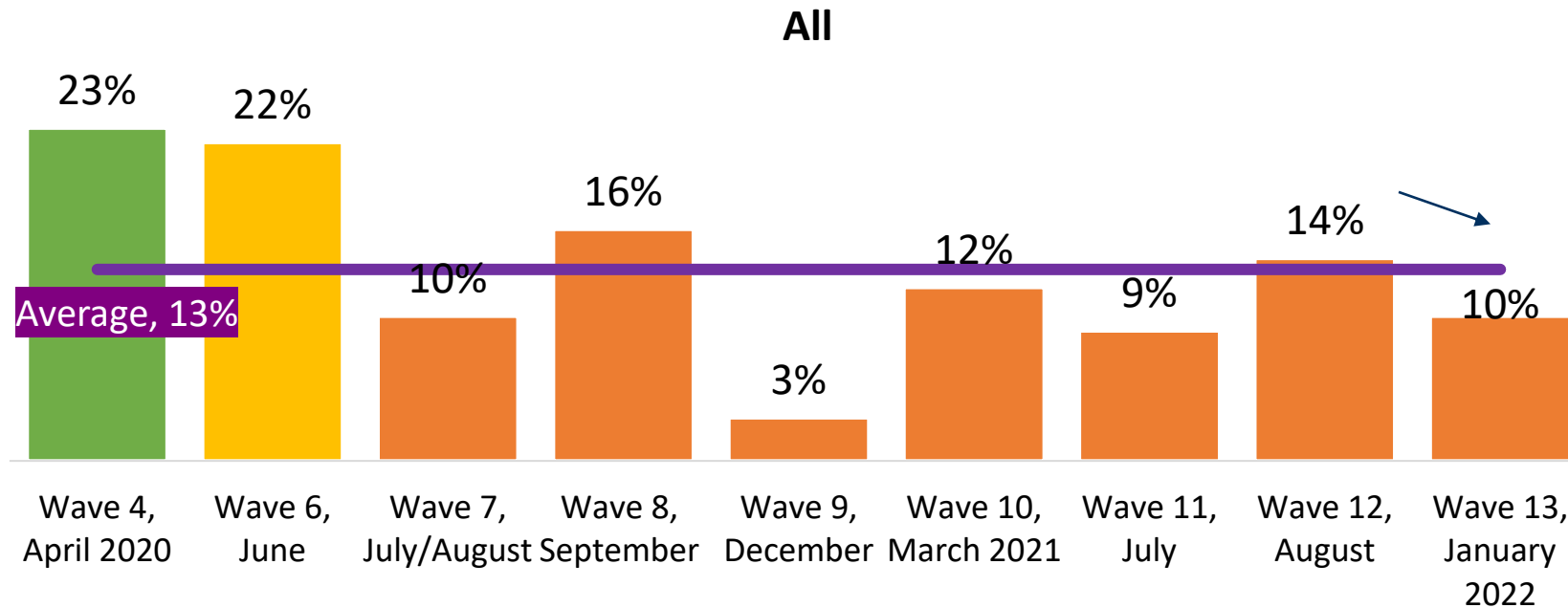
6% DECEREASE IN THE PROPORTION OF PAKISTANIS WHO CLAIM TO HAVE REDUCED THE NUMBER OR SIZE OF MEALS FOR SOME FAMILY MEMBERS TO COVER THEIR HOUSEHOLD'S BASIC NEEDS; THIS NUMBER IS 7% LESS THAN THE AVERAGE ACROSS ALL TIME PERIODS

Question: In the past 7 days, did you 'Reduced the number or size of meals for some household members' to cover your household's basic needs? (only reporting percentage of people who agreed)



AFTER WAVE 12, THERE HAS BEEN A DECREASE IN THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO RELIED ON LESS PREFERRED AND LESS EXPENSIVE FOODS TO COVER BASIC HH NEEDS IN WAVE 13; THIS NUMBER (10%) IS RELATIVELY CLOSE TO THE AVERAGE OF ALL WAVES (13%)

*Question: In the past 7 days, did you 'Rely on less preferred and less expensive foods' to cover your household's basic needs?
(only reporting percentage of people who agreed)*

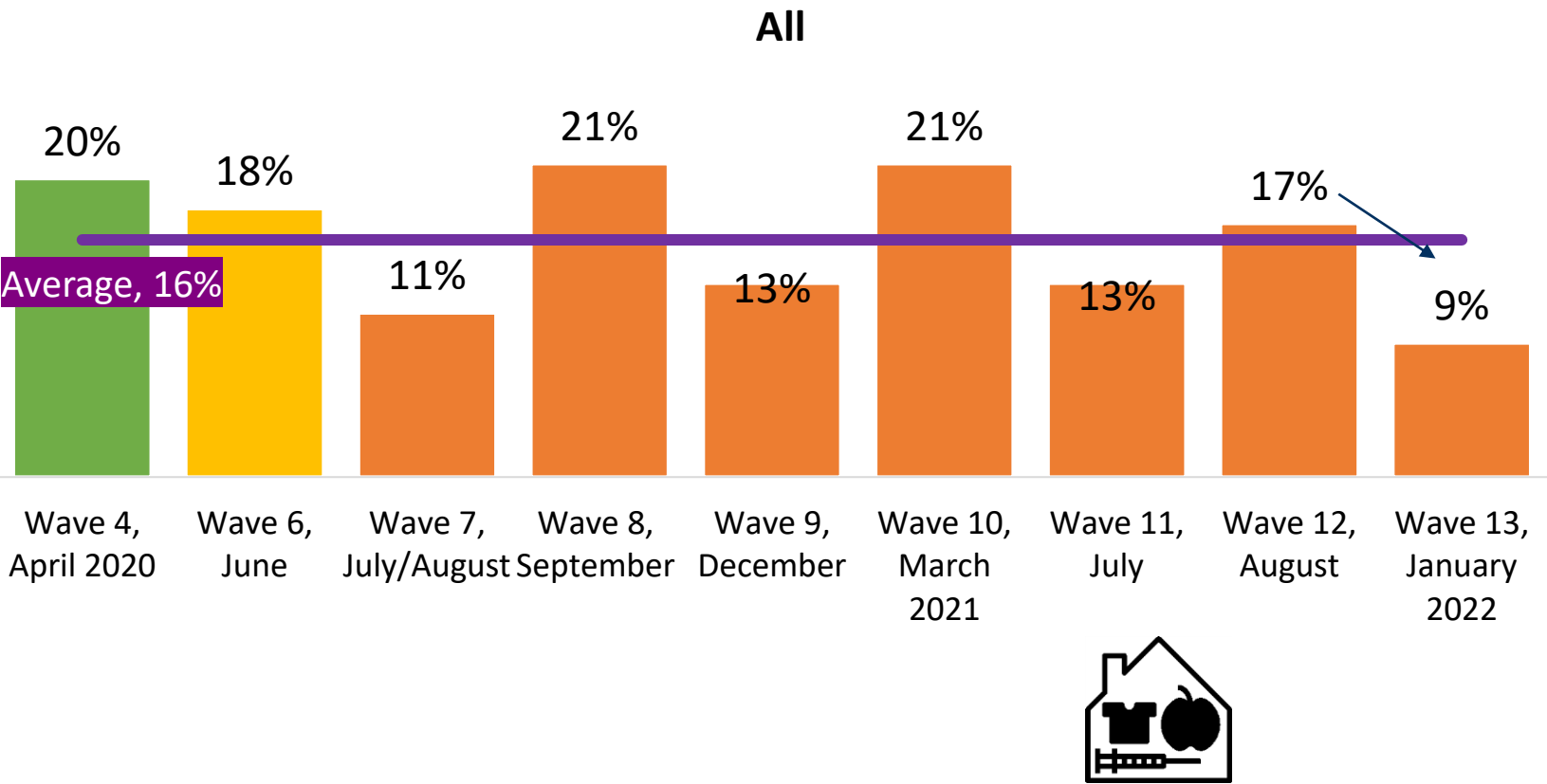


3.2 Million Households



SINCE AUGUST, PROPORTION OF PAKISTANIS WHO SAY THEY HAVE BORROWED FOOD OR ASKED FOR HELP FROM A FRIEND OR RELATIVE IN THE PAST 7 DAYS TO COVER THEIR HOUSEHOLD'S BASIC NEEDS HAS DECREASED SIGNIFICANTLY; THIS NUMBER IS 7% LESS THAN THE AVERAGE OF ALL PREVIOUS WAVES

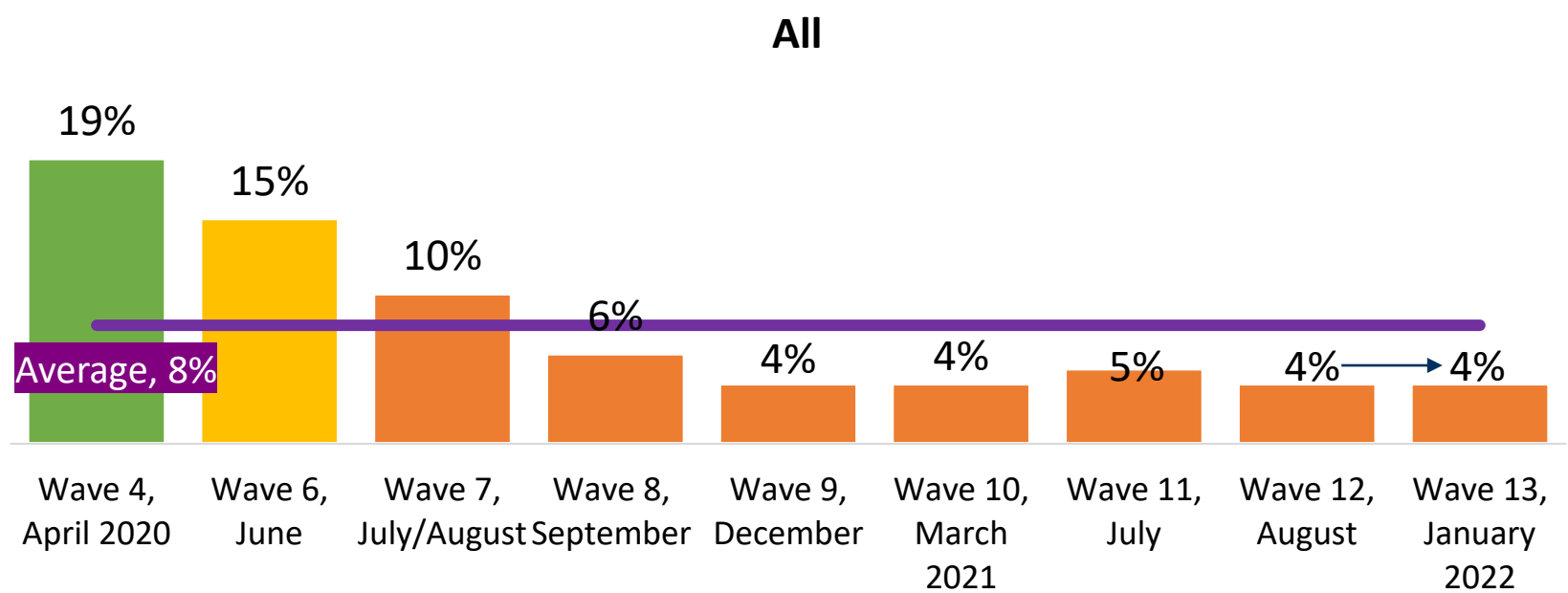
Question: In the past 7 days, did you 'Borrow food or ask for help from a friend or relative' to cover your household's basic needs?
(only reporting percentage of people who agreed)



2.88 Million Households

4% (SAME AS WAVE 12) CLAIM TO HAVE USED CASH OR BANK SAVINGS TO COVER HOUSEHOLD NEEDS AS COMPARED TO THE AVERAGE (8%) ACROSS ALL WAVES

*Question: In the past 7 days, did you 'Use cash or bank savings' to cover your household's basic needs?
(only reporting percentage of people who agreed)*

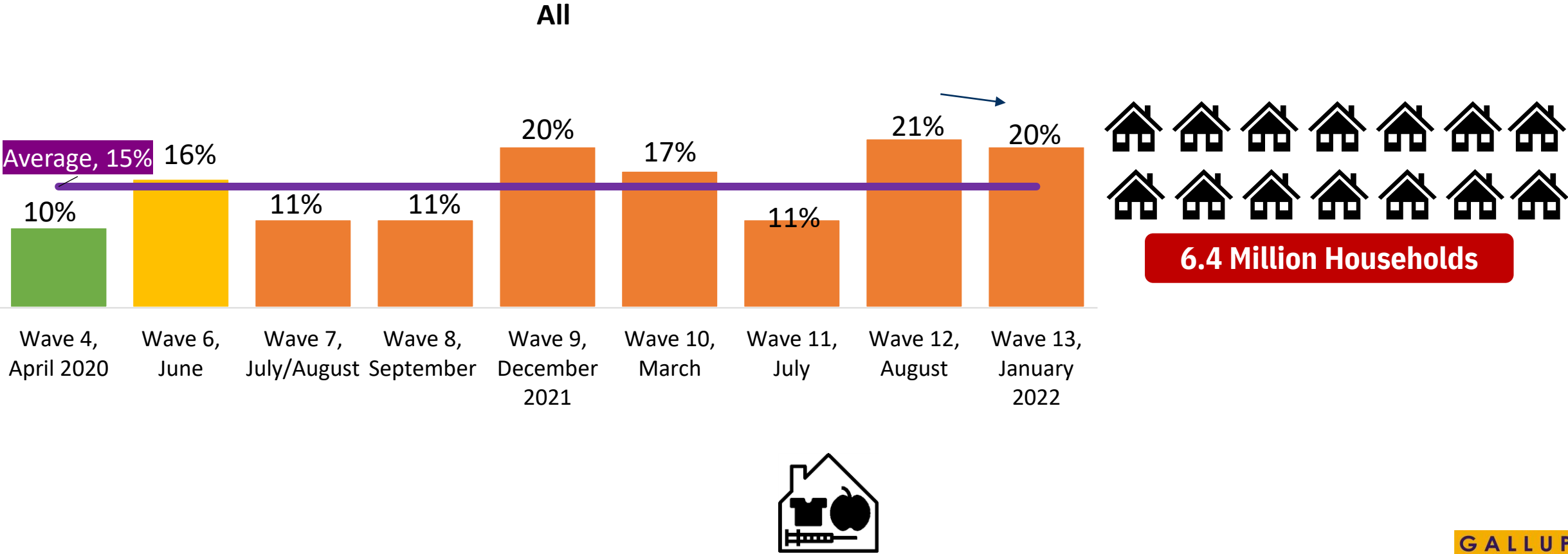


1.28 Million Households



SIMILAR TO WAVE 12 (21%), 20% OF PAKISTANIS IN WAVE 13 REPORT HAVING STARTED TO LOOK FOR WAYS TO EARN ADDITIONAL MONEY TO COVER THEIR HOUSEHOLD'S BASIC NEEDS; THIS IS 5% ABOVE THE AVERAGE OF ALL WAVES

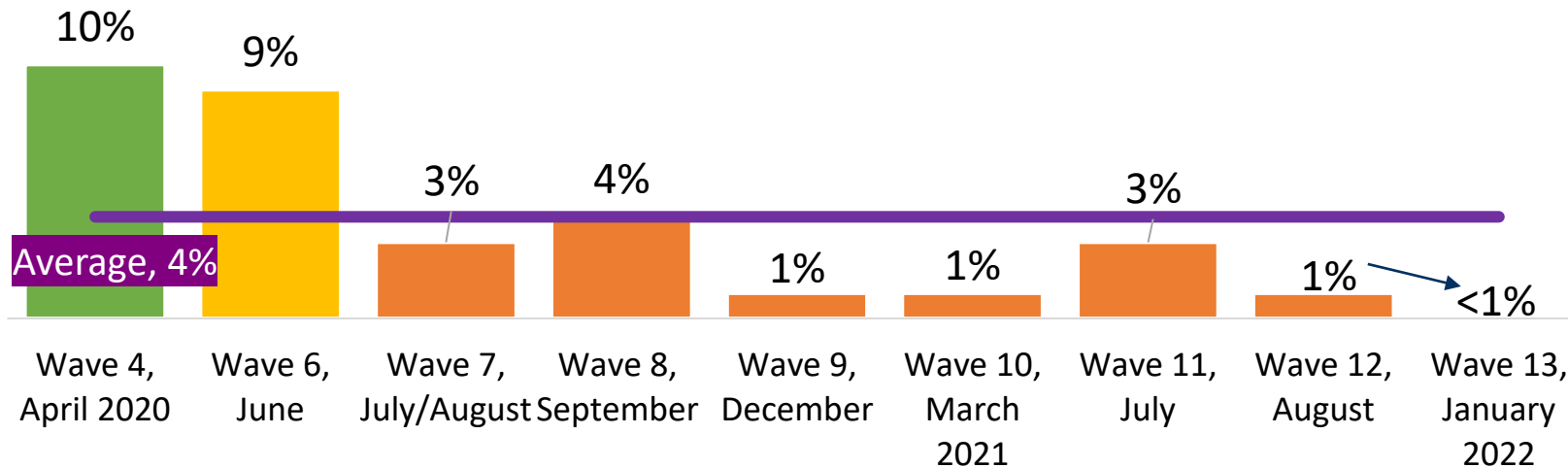
Question: In the past 7 days, did you 'Look for ways to earn additional money (e.g. work more hours, do an occasional job etc.)' to cover your household's basic needs? (only reporting percentage of people who agreed)



LESS THAN 1% IN WAVE 13 RELIED ON GOVERNMENT OR NGO ASSISTANCE TO COVER HOUSEHOLD'S BASIC NEEDS, THE LOWEST SO FAR

*Question: In the past 7 days, did 'rely on government or NGO assistance to cover your household's basic needs?
(only reporting percentage of people who agreed)*

All

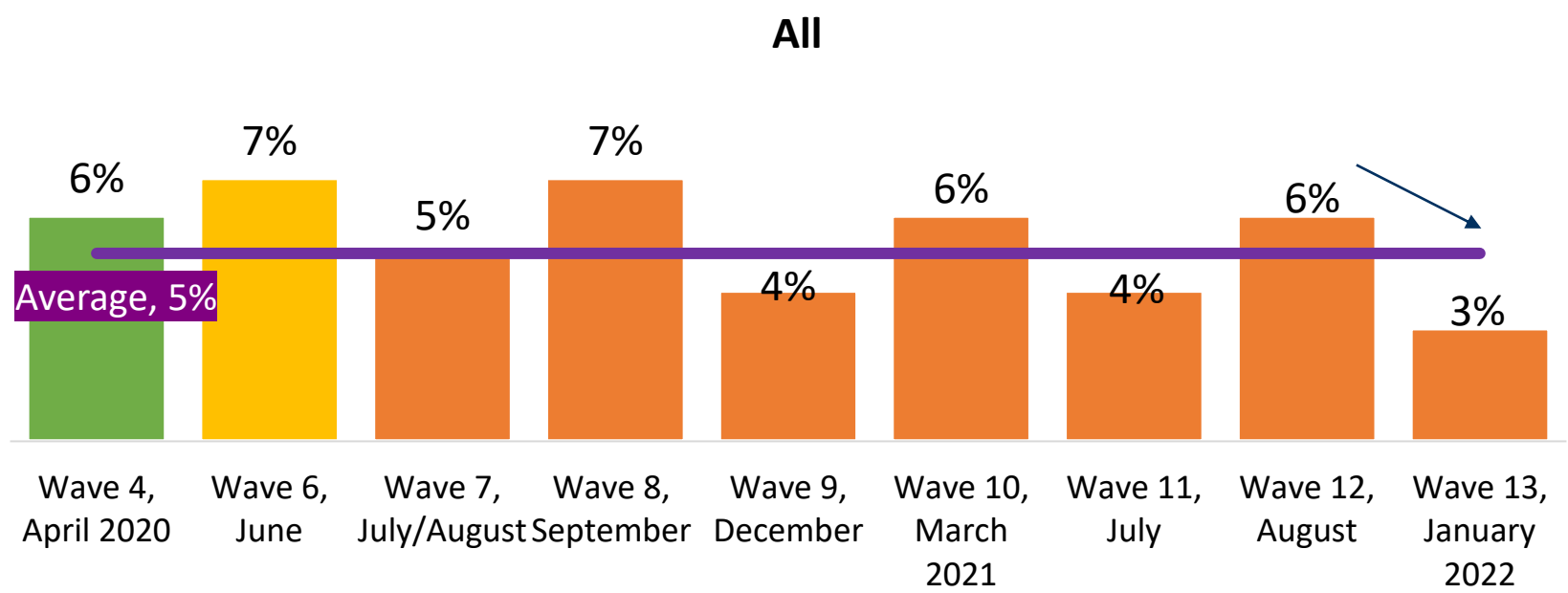


**Approximately 7,135
Households**



3% COMPARED TO 6% IN WAVE 12 SAY THAT THEY SOLD ASSETS IN THE PAST 7 DAYS TO COVER BASIC HOUSEHOLD NEEDS; THIS IS 2% BELOW THE AVERAGE OF 5% CALCULATED ACROSS ALL WAVES

Question: In the past 7 days, did you 'Sell assets' to cover your household's basic needs?



0.96 Million Households



GALLUP INDICATOR OF ECONOMIC WELL BEING DURING COVID 19 – Improvement witnessed on 6 out of 7 indicators

<i>Sell assets to cover your household's basic needs</i>	IMPROVED
<i>Rely on government or NGO assistance to cover your household's basic needs</i>	IMPROVED
<i>'Look for ways to earn additional money (e.g., work more hours, do an occasional job etc.)' to cover your household's basic needs</i>	IMPROVED
<i>Use cash or bank savings to cover your household's basic needs</i>	SAME AS BEFORE
<i>Borrow food or ask for help from a friend or relative' to cover your household's basic needs? (only reporting percentage of people who agreed)</i>	IMPROVED
<i>Reduced the number or size of meals for some household members to cover your household's basic needs? (only reporting percentage of people who agreed)</i>	IMPROVED
<i>Rely on less preferred and less expensive foods to cover your household's basic needs? (only reporting percentage of people who agreed)</i>	IMPROVED

Demographics and Methodology



METHODOLOGY



SAMPLE SIZE: 795



CATI INTERVIEWS



ERROR MARGIN

±2 to 3% at 95% confidence level
for national level results



DATA COLLECTION

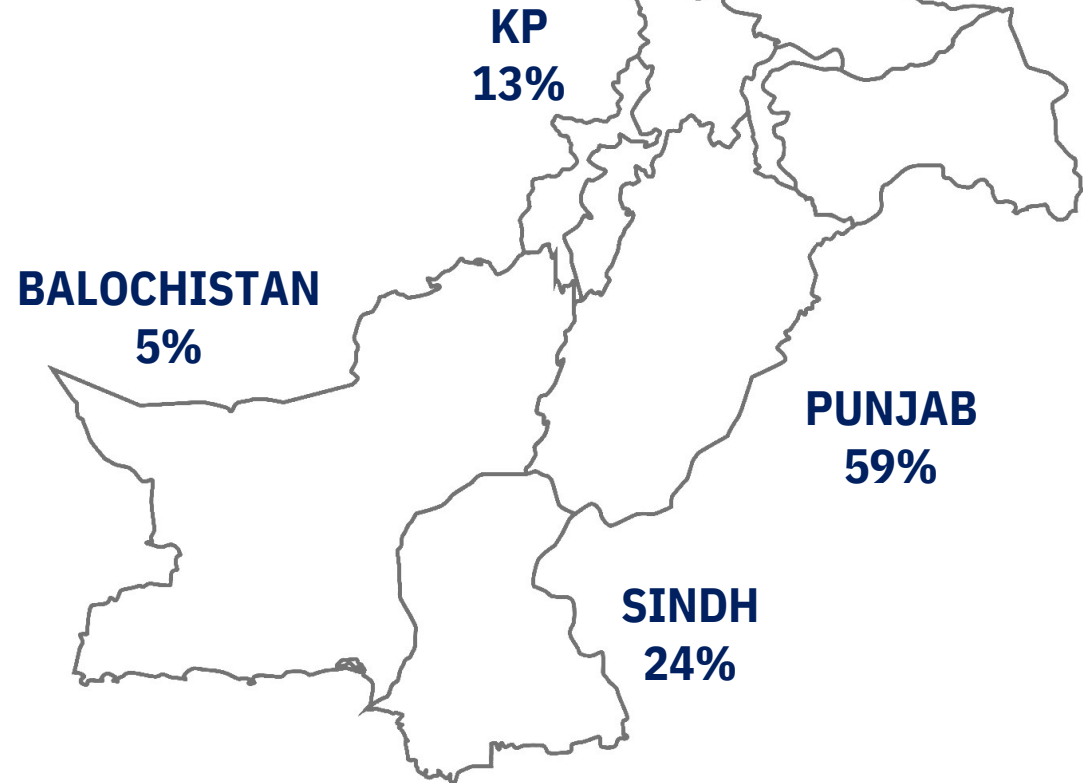
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Detailed Note on Methodology

Gallup Pakistan's usual approach of fieldwork is conducting face-to-face interviews in households using geographical sampling. The sampling is done using the census as the frame. Due to coronavirus lockdown, as well as health and safety concerns, we have halted all face-to-face interviews, therefore CATI methodology has been employed.

This methodology uses Random Digit Dialling approach where all mobile phone numbers in Pakistan (130 million active sims) are the universe.

Exclusion in sample: According to PSLM (a government survey), 90% of households in Pakistan claim someone in their household owns a mobile phone. This means that 10% households are excluded from the sample.



RURAL
65%



URBAN
35%



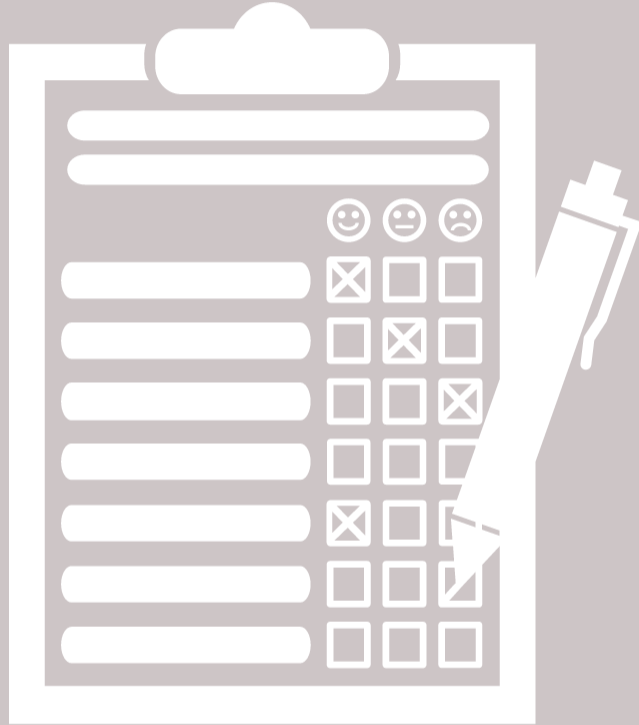
FEMALE
48%



MALE
52%



Urdu Questionnaire



URDU QUESTIONNAIRE

Q. برائے مہربانی بتائیں کہ آپ مندرجہ ذیل عبارتوں سے کس حد تک متفق یا غیر متفق ہیں کہ-----
 ---؟ (ہر ایک کے لیے علیحدہ علیحدہ پوچھیں اور ترتیب بدلیں)

معلوم ہیں (بڑھ کر نہ تھیں)	بہل متفق	سی حد تک متفق	سی حد تک غیر متفق	بہل غیر متفق	
8	4	3	2	1	a. کورونا وائرس (Coronavirus) کا خطرہ اتنا نہیں جتنا بڑھا چڑھا کر بتایا جا رہا ہے
8	4	3	2	1	b. میں اس بات سے خوفزدہ ہوں کہ میں یا میرے گھر والوں میں سے کوئی فرد کورونا وائرس (Coronavirus) کا شکار ہو سکتا ہے
8	4	3	2	1	c. میرے خیال میں کورونا وائرس ایک غیر ملکی سازش ہے

Q. کیا آپ اپنے سماجی حلقے یا ان لوگوں سے جن سے آپ ملتے جلتے ہیں، میں سے کسی ایسے فرد کو جانتے
 ہیں جس میں کورونا وائرس کی تشخیص ہوئی ہو؟

ہاں [1] نہیں [2] معلوم نہیں / جواب نہیں دیا [9]

Q . اب ہم آپ سے جو سوال پوچھنے جارہے ہیں اس کا جواب ہاں یا نہیں میں دیں۔ ہم آپ کے جواب کو کسی کو نہیں بتائیں گے۔ برائے مہربانی پوری ایمانداری سے اس سوال کا جواب دیں۔ برائے مہربانی بتائیں کیا آپ نے Covid-19 کی ویکسین لگوائی ہے (چاہے ویکسین کی ایک ڈوز کی کیوں نہ لگی ہو)؟

ہاں ☐ 1 نہیں ☐ 2

Q . برائے مہربانی بتائیں آپ کے خیال میں کورونا وائرس کی روک تھام / قابو پانے کے حوالے سے عمران خان کی حکومت کی کارکردگی کیسی رہی؟

بہت اچھی ☐ 1 اچھی ☐ 2 مناسب ☐ 3 بری ☐ 4 بہت بری ☐ 5

URDU QUESTIONNAIRE

Q . کیا آپ اپنے سماجی حلقے یا ان لوگوں سے جن سے آپ ملتے جلتے ہیں، میں سے کسی ایسے فرد کو جانتے ہیں۔۔۔۔۔۔۔۔۔۔؟

نہیں	ہاں	
2	1	a جس نے کوویڈ-19 کی ویکسین لگوائی ہو اور وہ شخص دوبارہ کورونا وائرس سے متاثر ہو گیا ہو
2	1	b جو پہلے کوویڈ-19 سے متاثر ہوا ہو اور دوبارہ کورونا وائرس سے متاثر ہو گیا ہو
2	1	c جس نے کوویڈ-19 کی کوئی بھی ویکسین لگوائی ہو اور خدا نخواستہ اس کو کسی بھی قسم کے سائیڈ ایفکٹ ہوئے ہوں یا اپنی جان سے ہاتھ دھونا پڑا ہو۔

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Q پچھلے 7 دنوں میں، کیا آپ نے اپنے گھر کی بنیادی ضروریات کو پورا کرنے کے لئے مندرجہ ذیل میں سے کسی طریقہ کار کا استعمال کیا ہے؟
(ایک سے زائد جواب ممکن ہیں)

1	اضافی رقم کمانے کے طریقے تلاش کیے (جیسے کہ زیادہ گھنٹے کام کیا، کوئی بھی عام سا کام کیا، وغیرہ)
2	گھرانے کی کچھ افراد کے لیے کھانے کی تعداد کو کم یا مقدار کو کم کیا
3	کم ترجیحی اور کم مہنگے کھانے کا استعمال کیا
4	نقد رقم یا بینک کی بچت کو استعمال کیا
5	گھرانے کی اشیاء کو فروخت کیا
6	کسی دوست یا رشتہ دار سے کھانے کے لیے / کسی اور طرح سے مدد طلب کی
7	حکومت یا غیر سرکاری تنظیم
8	کچھ بھی نہیں کیا

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