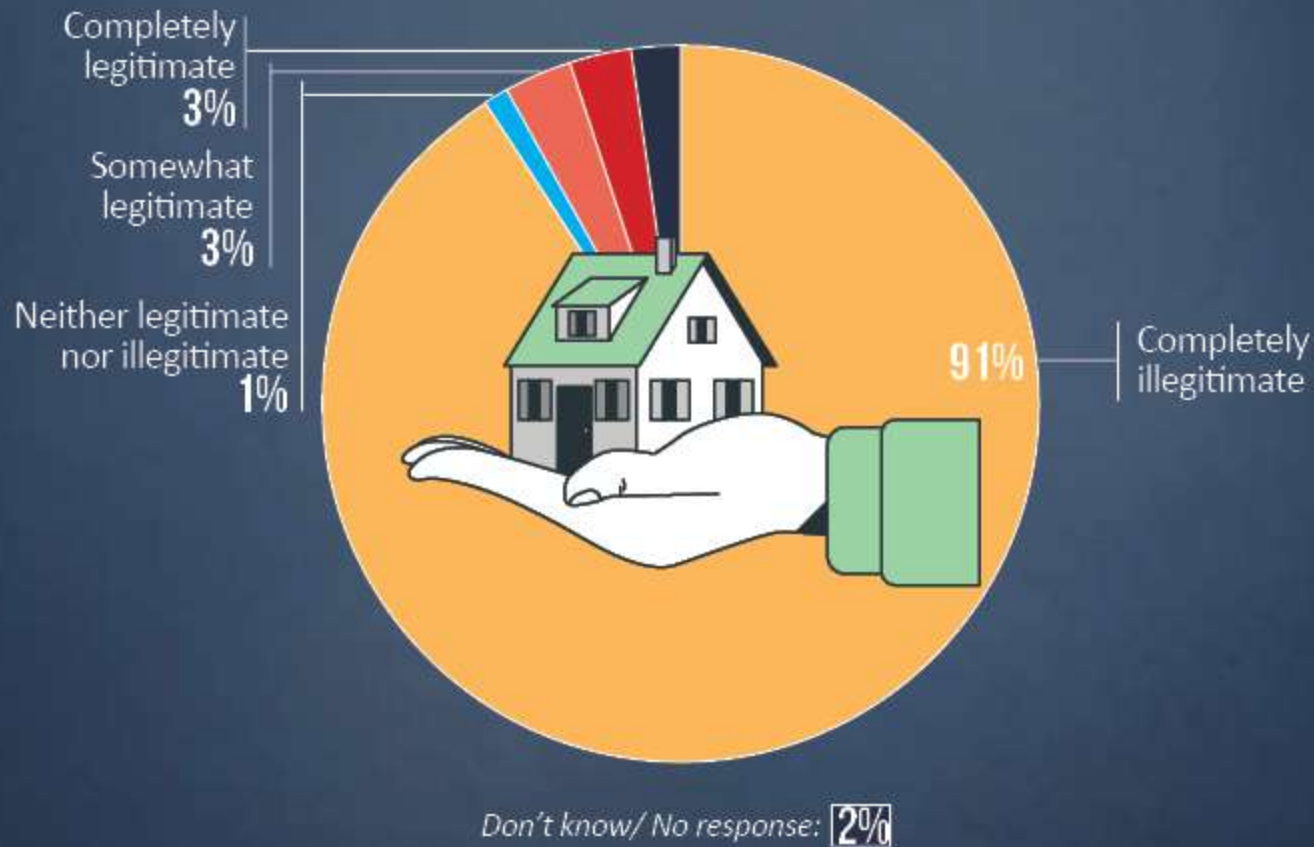


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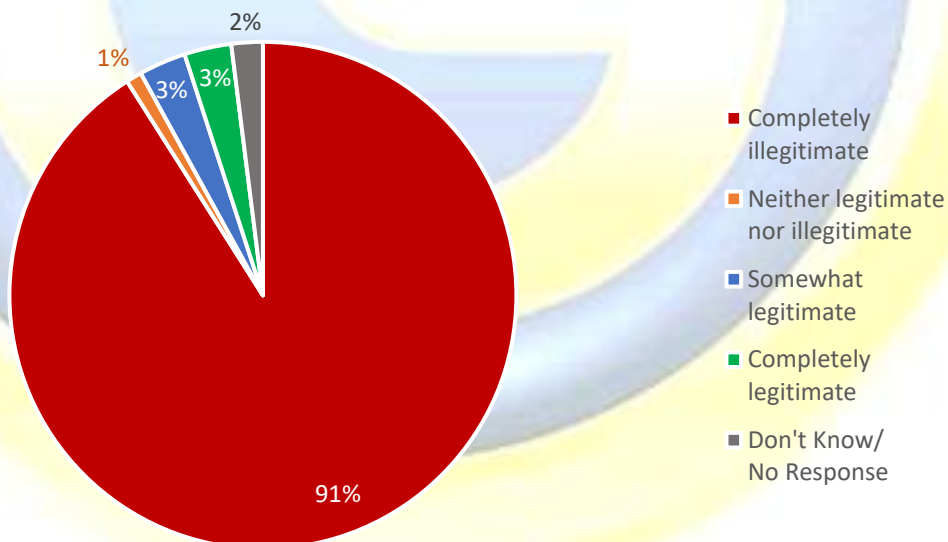
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According to a survey conducted by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, a sweeping majority (91%) of Pakistanis consider theft of property completely illegitimate, but a surprising 3% consider it completely legitimate as well.

A nationally representative sample of adult men and women from across the country was asked the question, “Please indicate whether you consider ‘theft of property’ legitimate, illegitimate, or something (mixed) between legitimate and illegitimate?” In response, 91% said ‘Completely illegitimate’, 1% said ‘Neither legitimate nor illegitimate’, 3% said ‘Somewhat legitimate’, 3% said ‘Completely legitimate’, and 2% said that they did not know or gave no response.

This survey question is part of an international survey series called World Values Survey. For more details about this survey please visit <https://www.worldvaluessurvey.org/wvs.jsp>

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Source: Gallup & Gilani Pakistan
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The study in Pakistan was conducted and released by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International. The recent survey was carried out among a sample of 1,017 men and women in urban and rural areas of all four provinces of the country, conducted from 29th February – 15th March 2024. The error margin is estimated to be approximately $\pm 2-3$ percent at the 95% confidence level. The methodology used for data collection was telephonic surveys (CATI).



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If you have any further questions regarding this poll, please feel free to contact us.

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