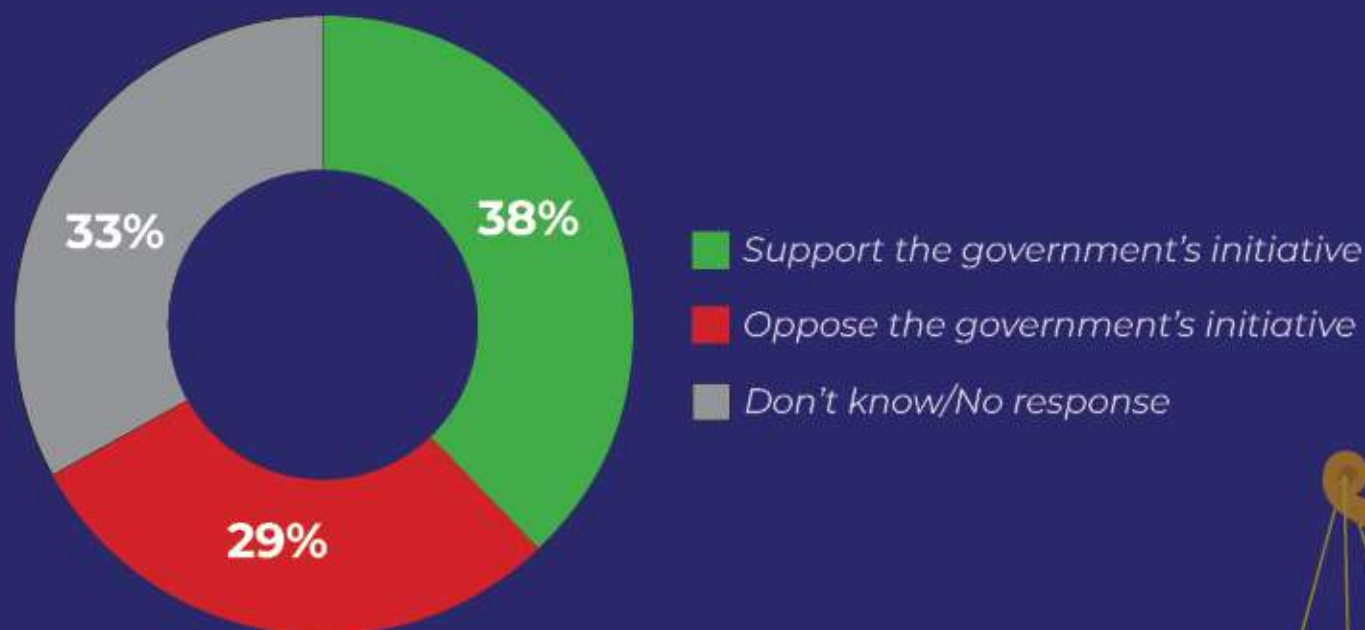


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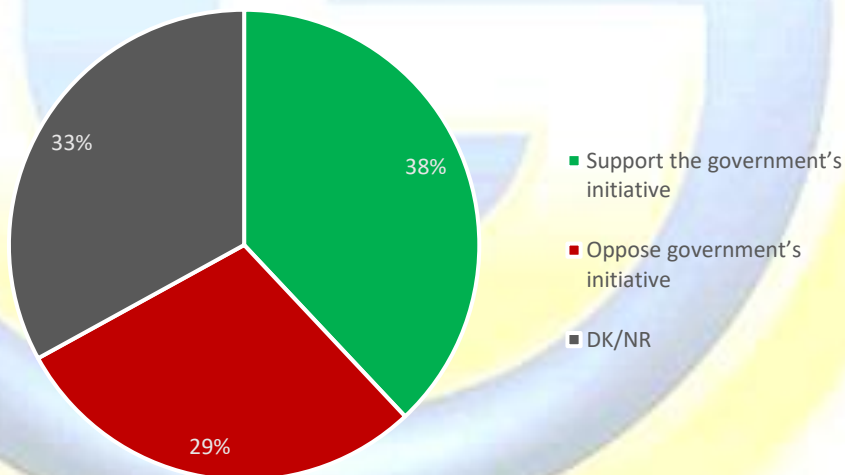
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According to a survey conducted by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, 38% Pakistanis support expanding the Supreme Court expansion over pending cases.

A nationally representative sample of adult men and women from across the country was asked the question, “Recently the government has introduced a law to increase the number of judges in the Supreme Court with reference to pending cases. Some people support the government's move to add more judges, while some oppose the government's move. What is your opinion” In response, 38% said ‘Support the government’s initiative’, 29% said ‘Oppose the government’s initiative’, 33% responded they don’t know or gave no response.

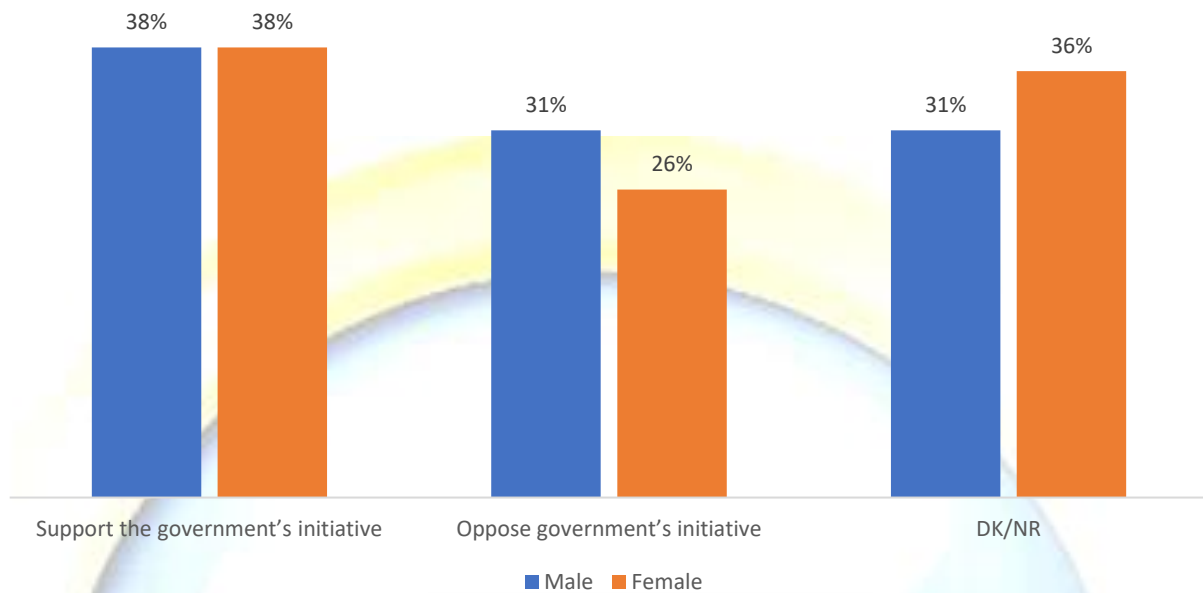
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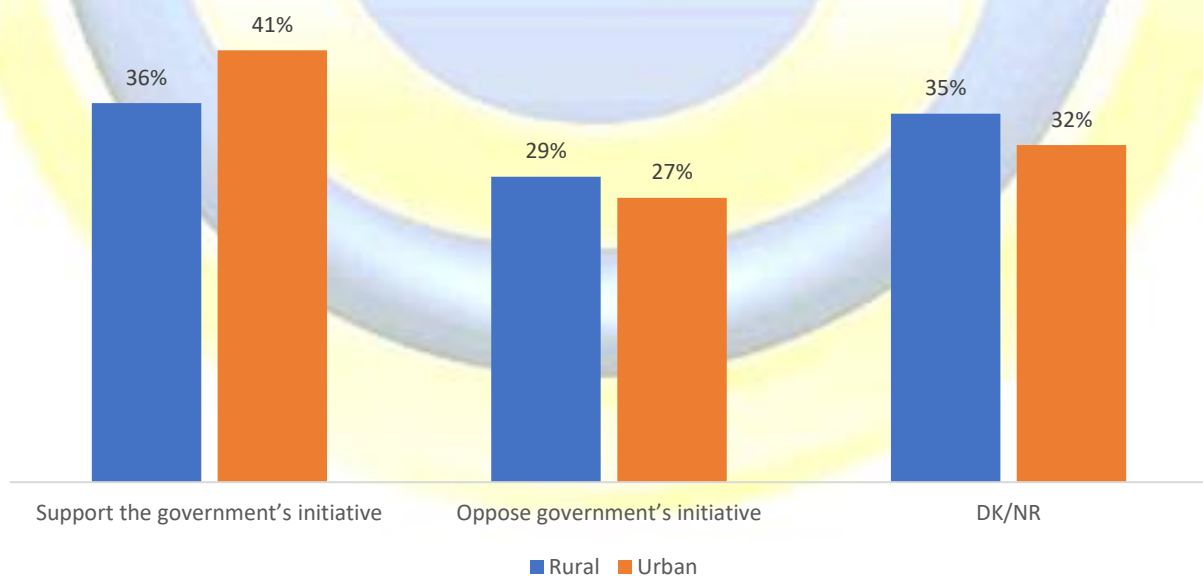
The study in Pakistan was conducted and released by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International. The recent survey was carried out among a sample of 1089 men and women in urban and rural areas of all four provinces of the country, conducted from 12th September – 11th October 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).

Across gender: Both men and women equally supported the government's initiative (38%), but opposition was 5% higher among men, while indecision or non-response was more common among women (36% vs. 31%).



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Across rurality: Urban residents (41%) showed greater support for the initiative than rural residents (36%), while opposition was slightly higher among men, and indecision or non-response was more common in rural areas than urban areas (35% vs. 32%).



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