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Opinion Poll **Society and Crime** Crimes

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(Gallup & Gilani Pakistan)**

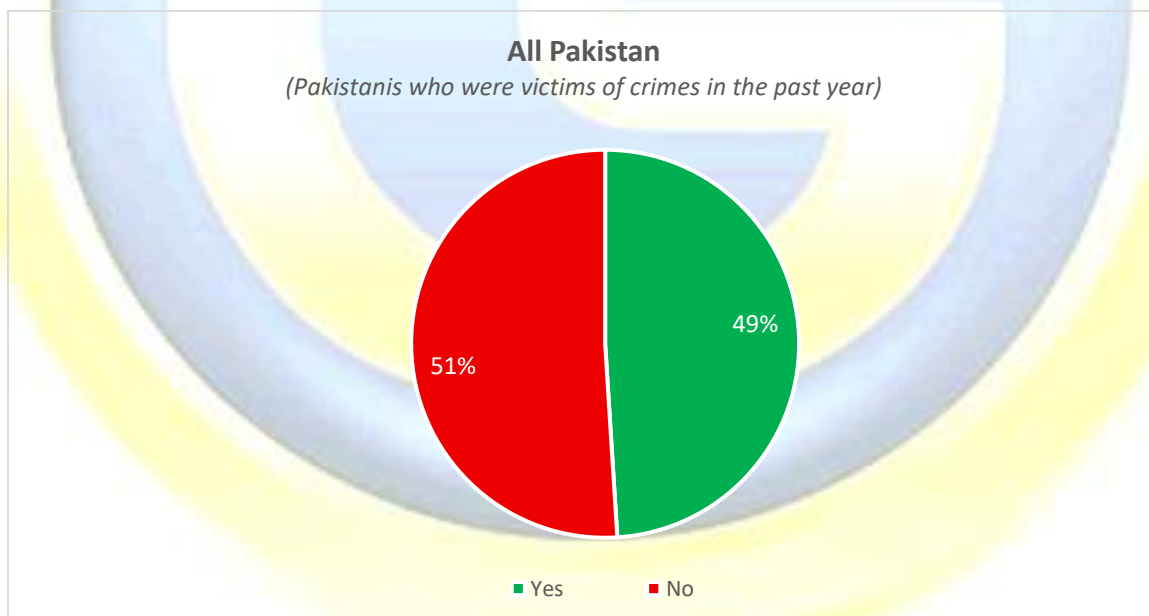
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According to a Gallup & Gilani Pakistan survey, among the 6% of Pakistanis who were victims of theft, robbery, or other crimes in the past year, 49% reported the incident to the police.

A nationally representative sample of adult men and women who were victims of theft, robbery, or any other crime in the past year from across the country was further asked the question, ***“Did you report this crime to the police?”***. In response to this question, 49% said ‘yes’, while 51% said ‘no’.

That only half of crime victims report incidents to the police highlights a significant gap in public engagement with law enforcement. Barriers such as lack of trust, fear of inefficiency, or social pressures may prevent many victims from seeking formal justice. Strengthening institutional credibility and ensuring more victim-friendly procedures could encourage higher reporting and improve crime documentation.

Question: Did you report this crime to the police?



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 1060 men and women in urban and rural areas of all four provinces of the country, conducted from August 02, 2025 to August 21, 2025. 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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