



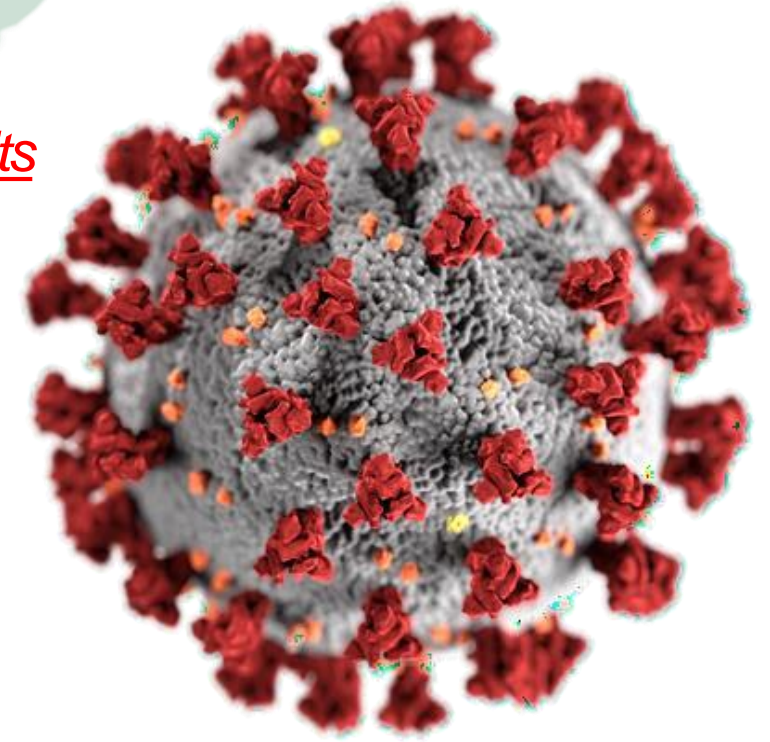
# Majority support the smart lockdown strategy of PM Imran Khan

A Public Perception Survey

COVID-19- Survey Series Wave-III Results

June 19-30, 2020

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# Executive Summary

## A Majority 52% of Pakistanis support the smart lockdown strategy of PM Imran Khan

This is IPOR third survey on its COVID-19 survey's series. In this series, IPOR has come up with the most debate generated question about government efforts to deal with Corona virus and the reasons of spread of corona virus in the country? For this purpose, IPOR took a national representative panel of 1702 respondents for this survey. Some of the key findings of this survey are as follow;

Majority **33%** of the respondents said carelessness is the biggest reason behind the fast spread of Corona Virus, followed by weak Govt. policies 07% and another 07% reported it's a Rumor only.

Majority **67%** of the respondents reported they are willing to take a shot of vaccine for themselves & their families. 19% of the respondents reported they don't want to take a shot of the vaccine because they have no trust on vaccine.

52% of the respondents approve of Prime Minister Imran Khan's performance regarding the handling of Corona Virus.

Overwhelming Majority 63% of the respondents support the smart lockdown strategy by Imran Khan and another 21% in favor of complete lockdown.

# Survey Methodology

*Period :* Jun 19-30, 2020  
*Eligibility :* Age 18+.  
*Response Rate :* Approximately 56%  
*Margin of Error :*  $\pm 2.38\%$  at 95% for national result.  
Sample size = 1702

- IPOR has a respondents panel for data collection.
- The survey was conducted through Computer Assisted Telephonic Interviews (**CATI**), from randomly selected panel of respondents based upon proportion to population sample of adult residents in all four provinces of Pakistan.
- The information in this report has been compiled in accordance with international standards for market and social research methodologies.
- Figures in charts and tables may not sum to 100 percent due to rounding error.

## Computer Assisted Telephonic Interviews (CATI)

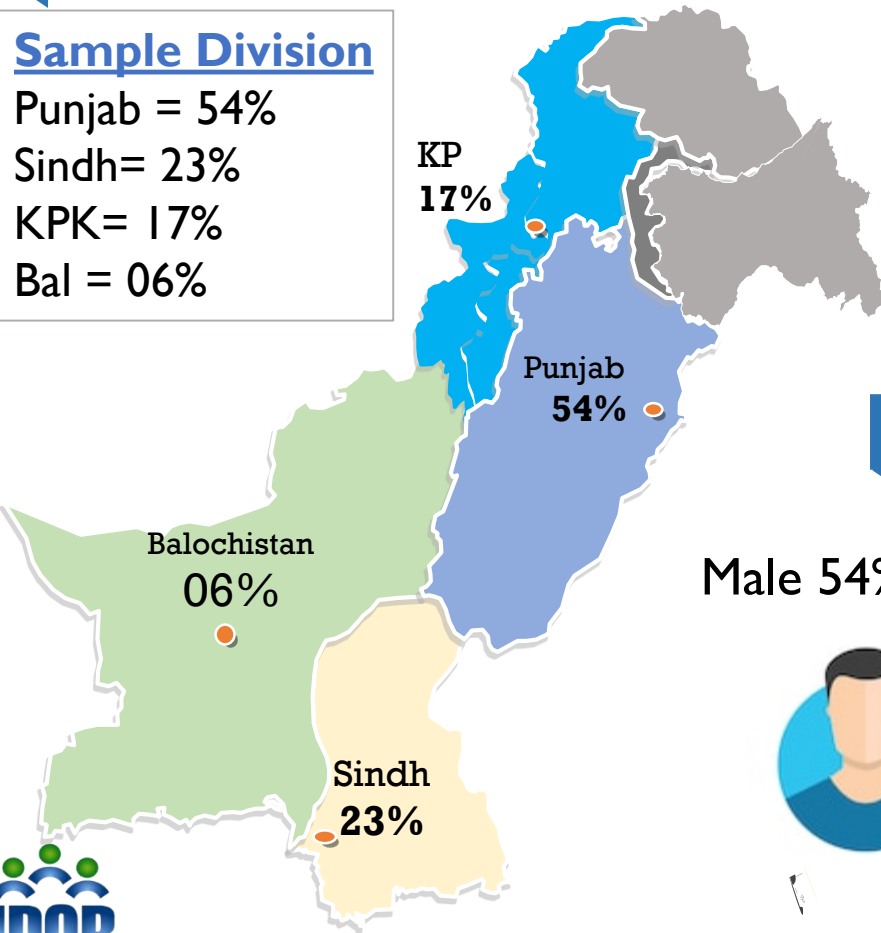
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# Survey Demographic

## Province

### Sample Division

Punjab = 54%  
Sindh = 23%  
KPK = 17%  
Bal = 06%



## Age Group

19%

47%

20%

14%



18-25

26-40

41-50

Above 50

## Gender

Male 54%

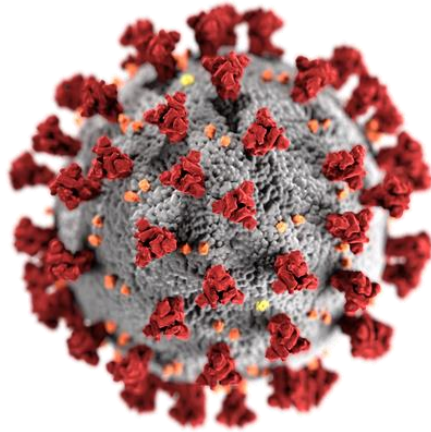
Female 46%



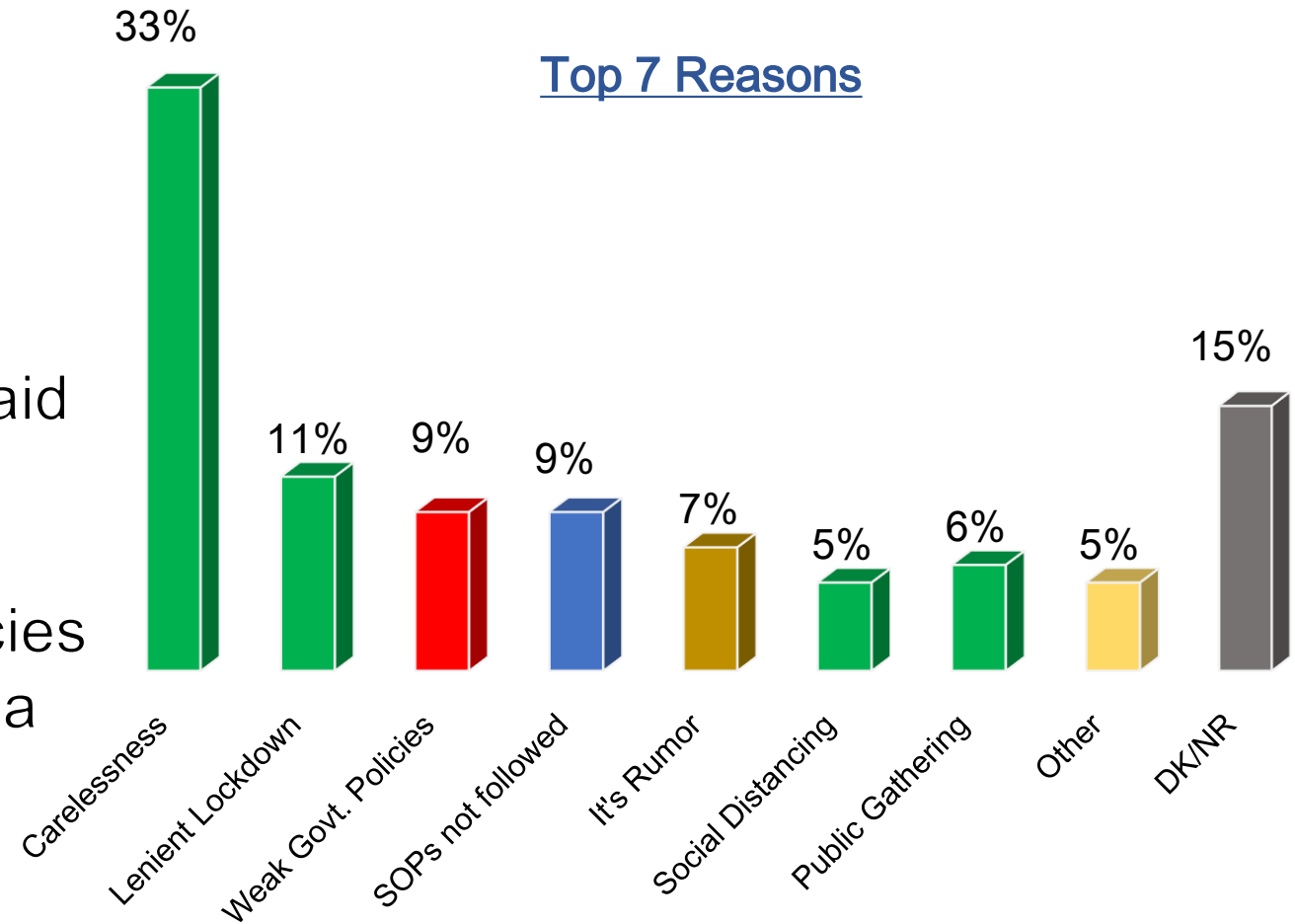
# BIGGEST REASON BEHIND THE SPREAD OF CORONA VIRUS

*Q: As you know that Corona Virus is spreading in the country very fast. What do you think is the biggest reason behind the spread of Corona Virus?*

All Respondents



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## VACCINE YES OR NO

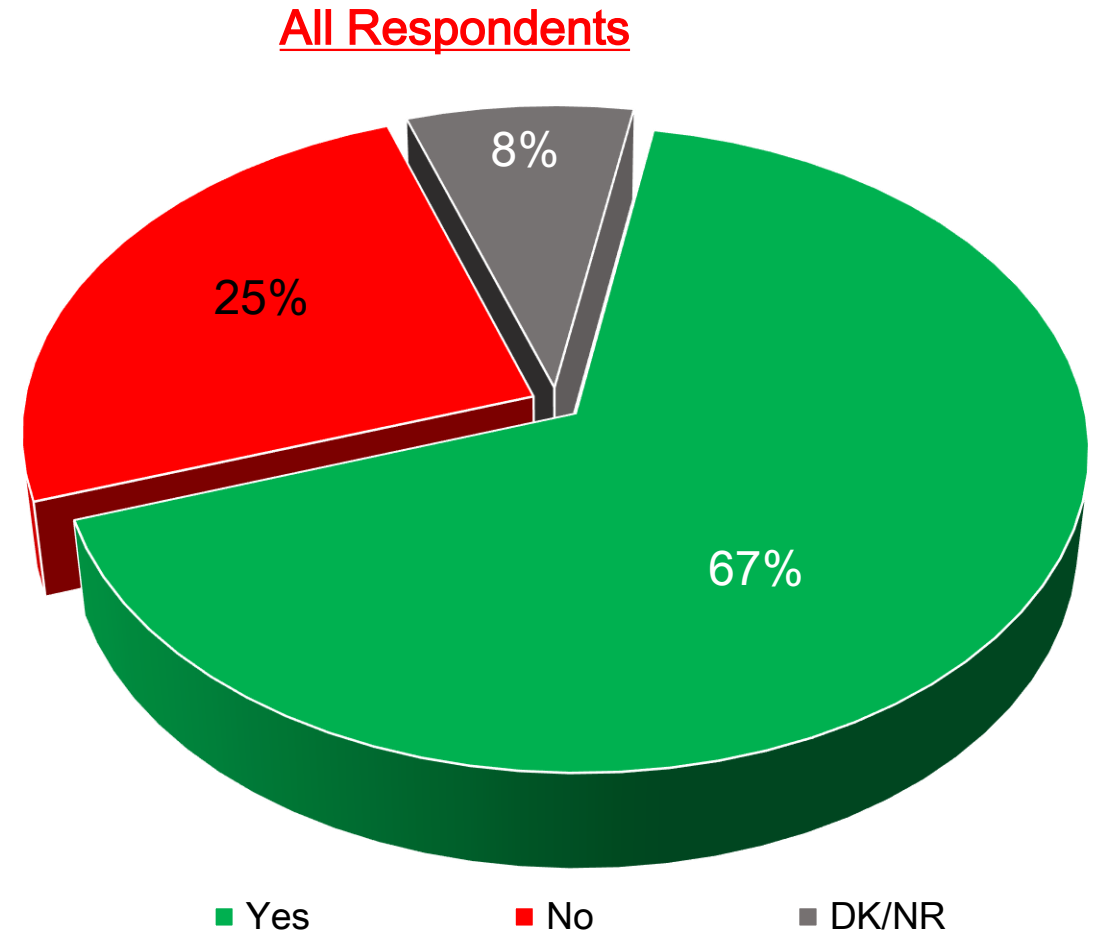
*Q: Suppose that after some time vaccination for prevention from corona virus becomes available in Pakistan, so will you be willing to take a shot of the vaccine for your family and yourself?*

Majority **67%** of the respondents reported they are willing to take a shot of vaccine for themselves & their families.

\*-While in a similar study conducted in May 2020 in USA, About half of Americans (50%) say they would get a **COVID-19 vaccine**. Another 31% simply aren't sure, while 1 in 5 say they'd refuse.

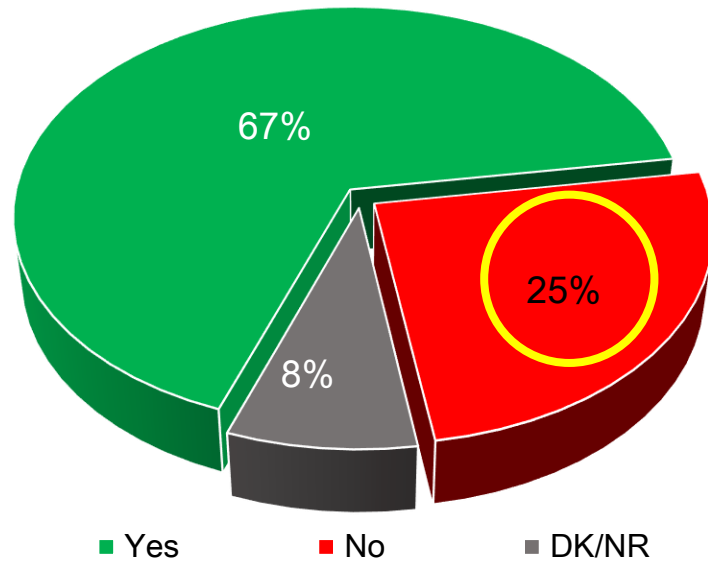
Source: The Associated Press-NORC poll (May27,2020)

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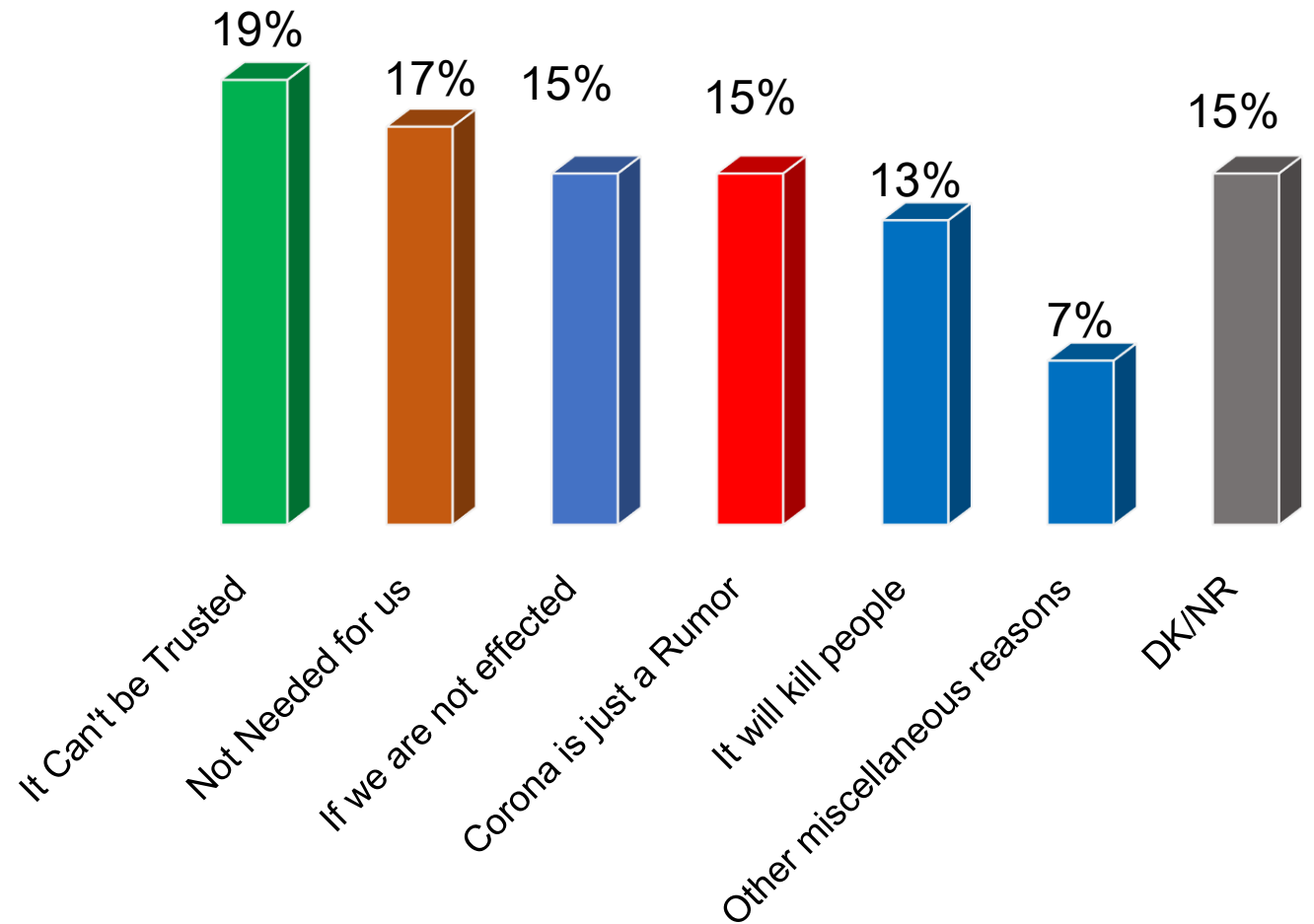
# Why don't you want to take a shot of the vaccine?

"Of the people who are [25%] don't you want to take a shot of the vaccine"



**19%** of the respondents reported they don't want to take a shot of the vaccine because they have no trust on vaccine.

## Open-ended





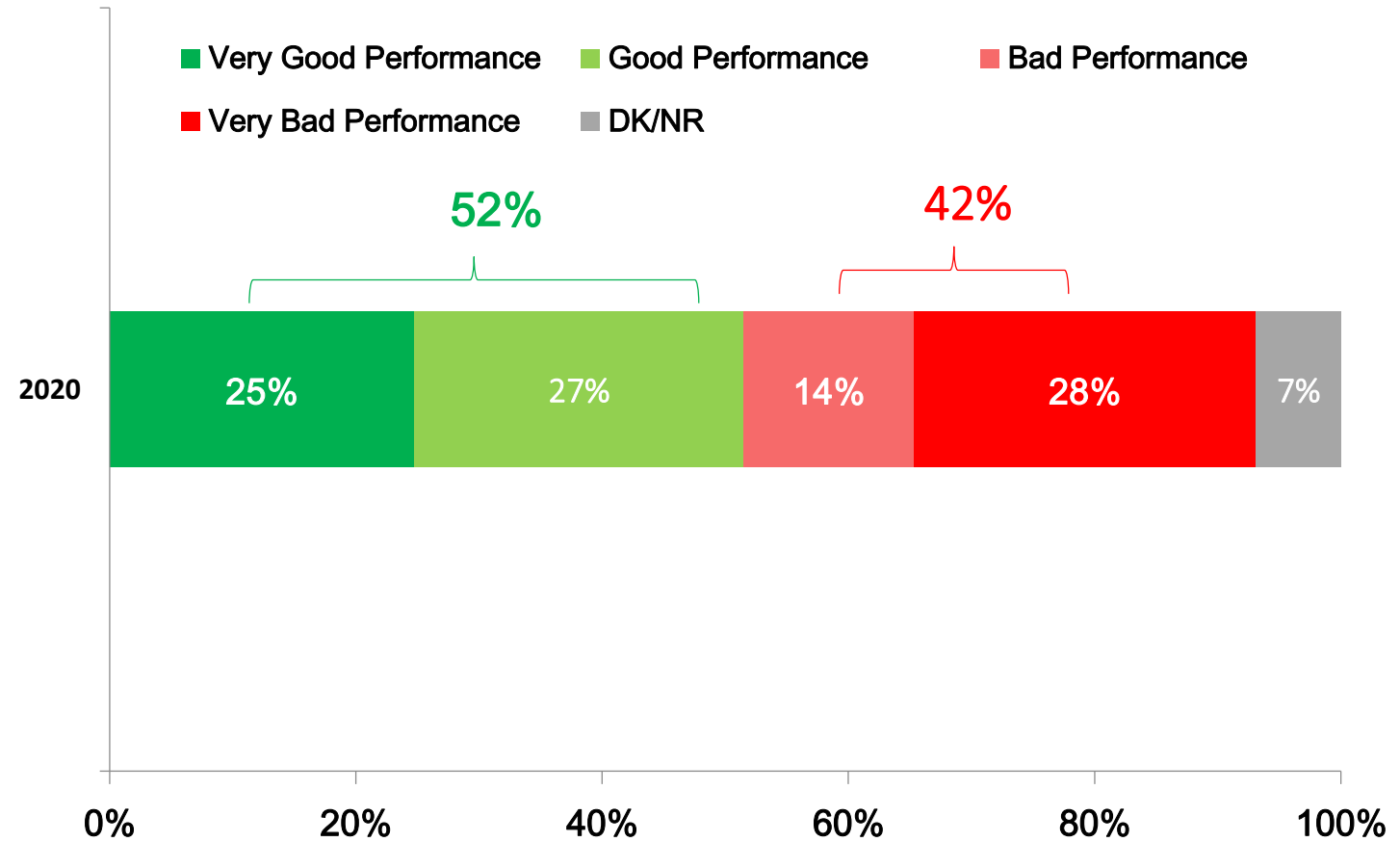
# PM HANDLING OF CORONA SITUATION

*Q: Regarding the handling of corona virus, to what extent are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the efforts by PM Imran Khan?*



**52%** of the respondents approve of Prime Minister Imran Khan's performance regarding the handling of Corona Virus.

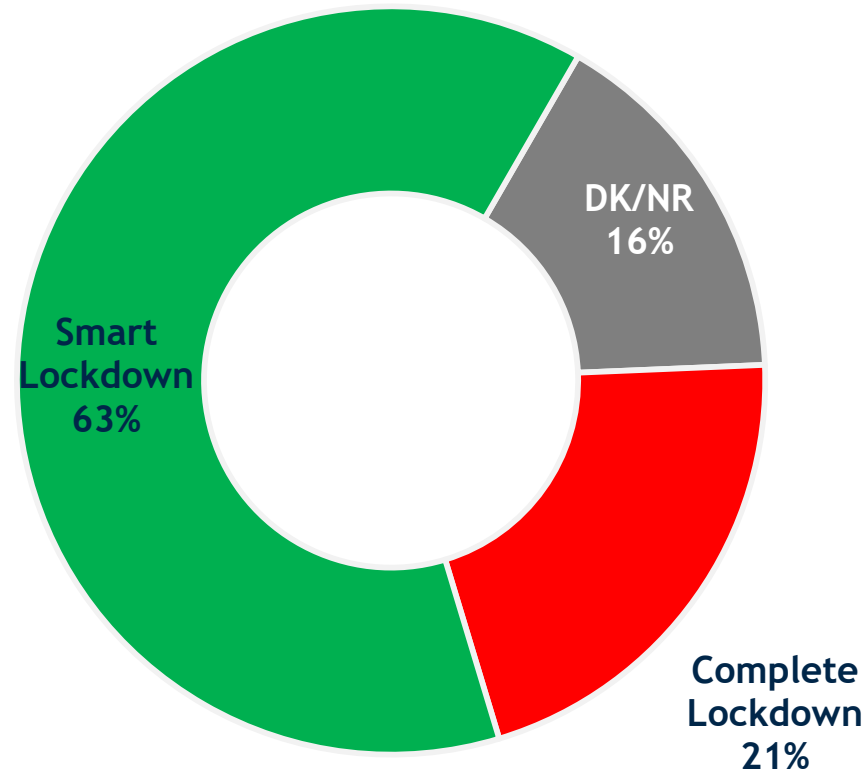
## All Respondents



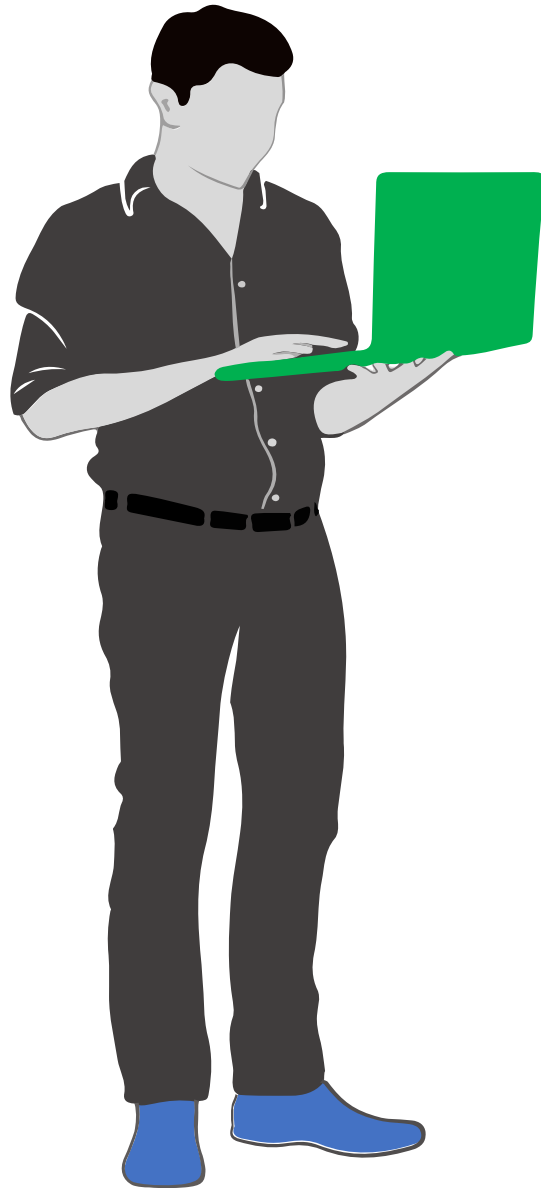
## SMART LOCKDOWN Vs. COMPLETE LOCKDOWN

*Q: Regarding the handling of corona virus, the strategies of smart lockdown by Imran Khan or Complete lock down by Murad Ali Shah, which strategy do you agree with?*

All Respondents



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Thank you!

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