

**Comments on Paola Sapienza and Luigi Zingales**  
**“Comparing Beliefs of Economists**  
**and the Public”**

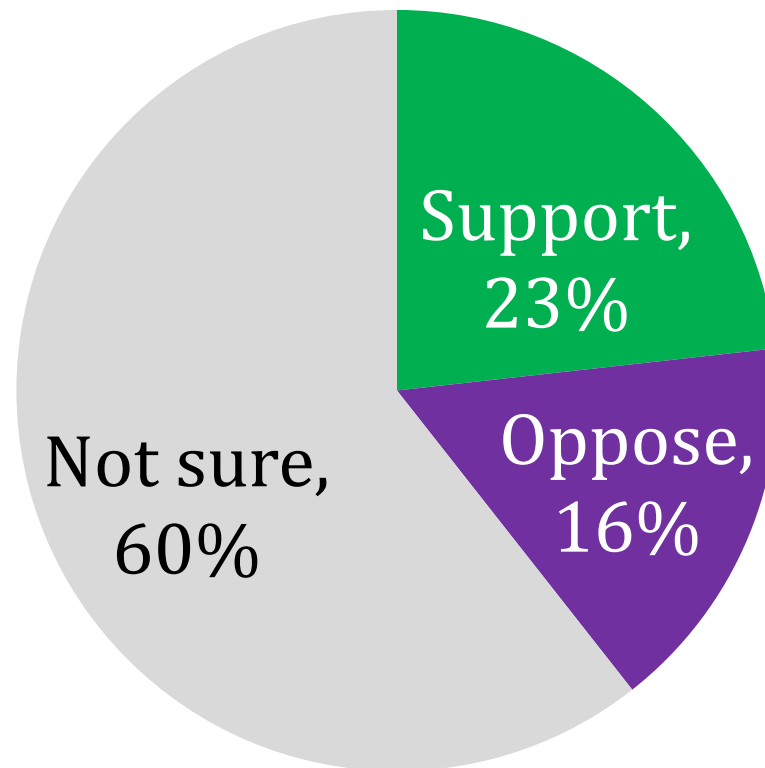
Justin Wolfers  
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# Opinions about competing budget plans

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**Do you support or oppose the Bowles-Simpson budget plan?**



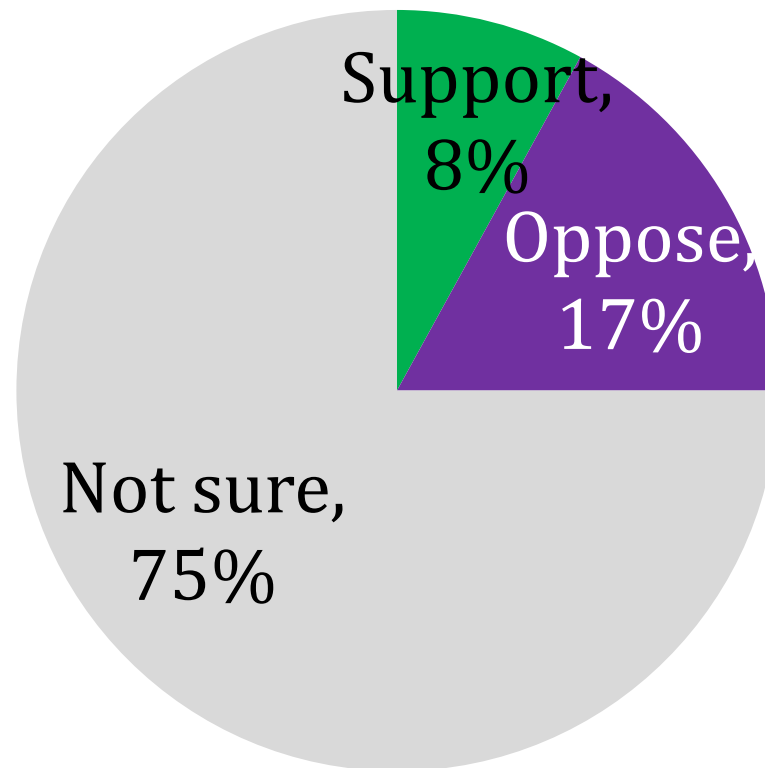
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## Do you support or oppose the Panetta-Burns budget plan?



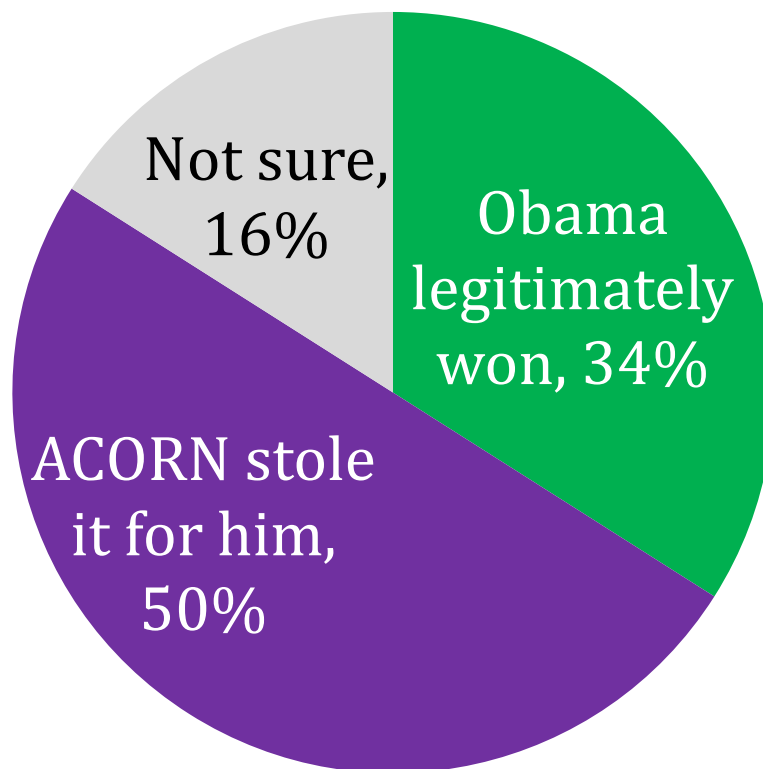
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## Election 2012: Survey of people who voted for Romney

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### Did Obama win the election legitimately, or did ACORN steal it?



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