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How severe is the problem of gas load shedding in your area?



Very Severe Somewhat Severe Not Severe at all



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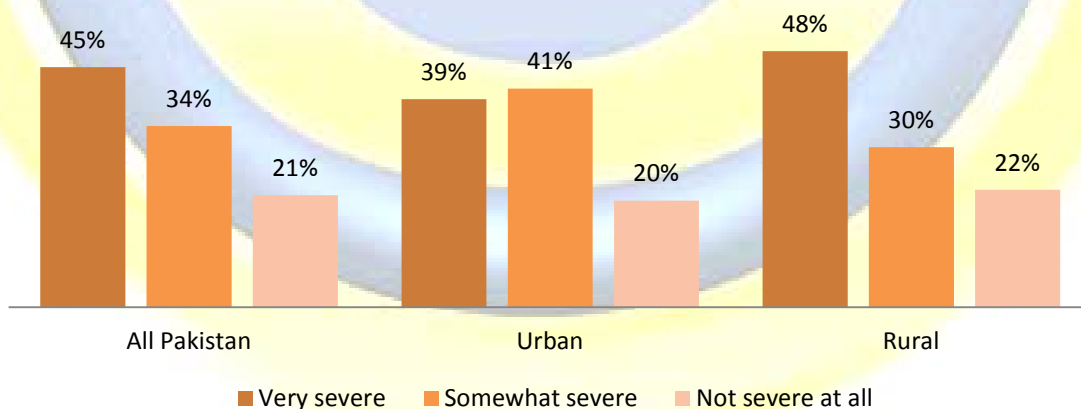
A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked, “How severe is the problem of gas load shedding in your area?” In response to this question, 45% said the problem of gas load shedding is very severe, 34% said somewhat severe and 21% said not severe at all.

Rural Urban Breakdown:

In urban areas, 39% said the problem of gas load shedding is very severe, 41% said somewhat severe and 20% said not severe at all. On the contrary in rural areas, 48% said the problem of gas load shedding is very severe, 30% said somewhat severe and 22% said not severe at all.

Comparing the two regions, 9% more rural than urban residents cite gas load shedding to be a very severe problem in their area.

Question: “How severe is the problem of gas load shedding in your area?”



Source: Gilani Research Foundation Poll (GRF Poll)
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The study was released by Gilani Research Foundation and carried out by Gallup Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International. The recent survey was carried out among a sample of 1728 men and women in rural and urban areas of all four provinces of the country, during January 9 – January 16, 2017. Error margin is estimated to be approximately ± 2-3 per cent at 95% confidence level.



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

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