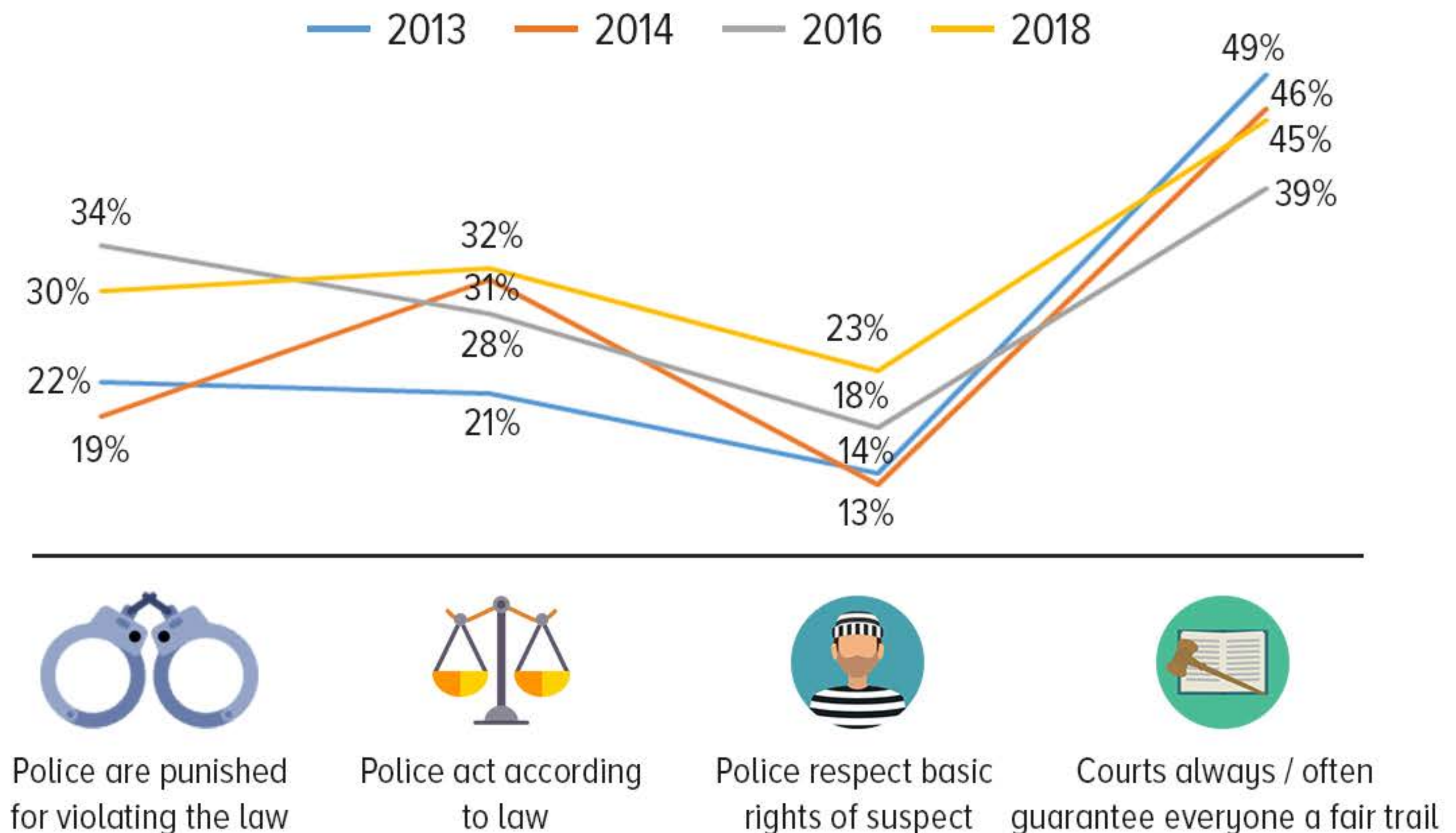


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SOURCE: GALLUP & GILANI SURVEYS - SAMPLE SIZE: 2010

Nationally Representative Sample covering both rural and urban respondents across Pakistan's four provinces.

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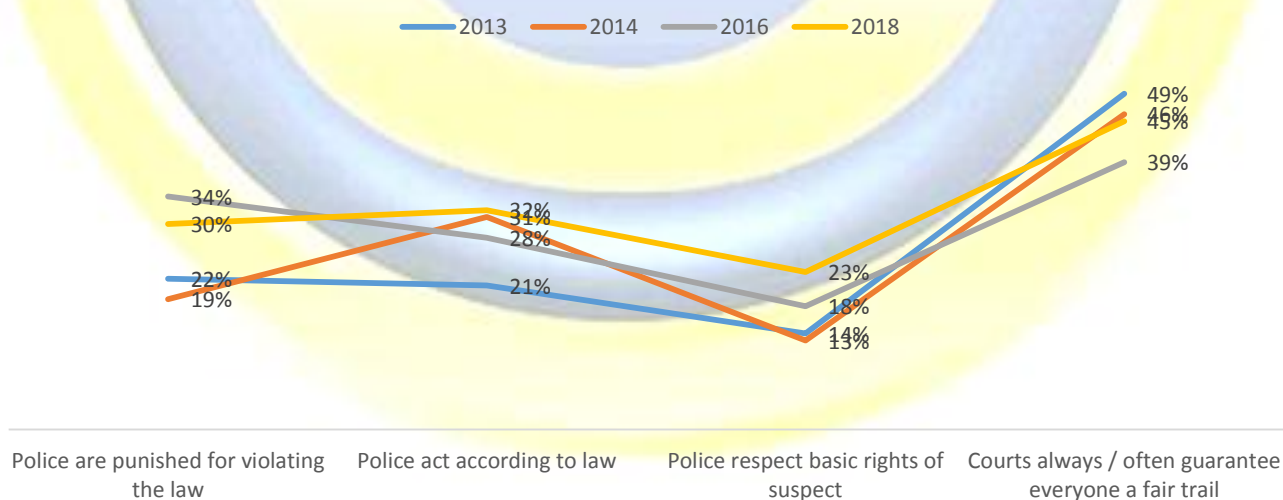
Pakistanis' perceptions of police performance and courts

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Situation in 2017: Among different aspects of Justice System, highest rating is enjoyed by courts as 45% say they provide fair trial and lowest by police where only 23% say police respects basic right of suspects.

Changes since 2016: Since 2016, respondents' views on whether police are punished for violating the law have decreased to 30%, while there has been a moderate increase in the percentage of respondents who believe that police act according to the law (32%). Since 2016 there has been an increase of 6% in positive rating of courts and their ability to provide fair trial.

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Field work conducted by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International Association
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In Pakistan, the survey was conducted between May and September in 2017 through face-to-face interviews in 2,010 households distributed proportionally across the five urban areas of Faisalabad, Karachi, Lahore, Peshawar, and Quetta.



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