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FROM THE EDITOR

Dear Reader,

Gilani Research Team now brings to you a collection of daily polls releases in the form of a weekly digest, which gives you the opportunity to read opinions of the Pakistani public on various socio-political issues. We hope it will be of interest to you and your readers.

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Gilani Research Foundation (GRF Poll)

August 10, 2015

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68%

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Gilani Research Foundation (GRF Poll)

August 11, 2015

Majority Pakistanis (60%) believe that there are fewer parks in their city than needed.

According to a Gilani Research Foundation Survey carried out by Gallup Pakistan, 60% Pakistanis believe that there are not enough parks in their city.

60%

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OPINION POLLS - HIGHLIGHTS

Gilani Research Foundation (GRF Poll)

August 12, 2015

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According to a Gilani Research Foundation Survey carried out by Gallup Pakistan, 71% Pakistanis believed that it is very important to administer polio drops to children while 24% said that it is important to some extent.

71%

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Gilani Research Foundation (GRF Poll)

August 13, 2015

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According to a Gilani Research Foundation Survey carried out by Gallup Pakistan, 87% Pakistanis approved of the Karachi Rangers' act in taking corrupt government officers in its custody; 12% disapproved of the act.

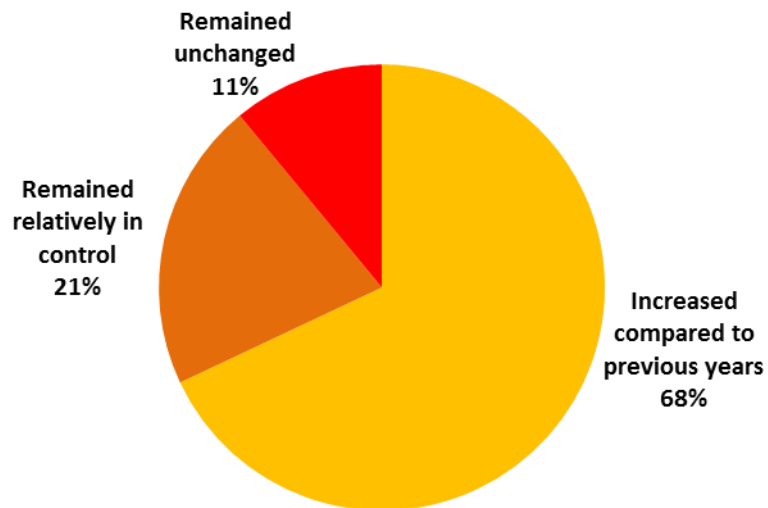
87%

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Gilani Research Foundation (GRF Poll)

Islamabad— August 10, 2015

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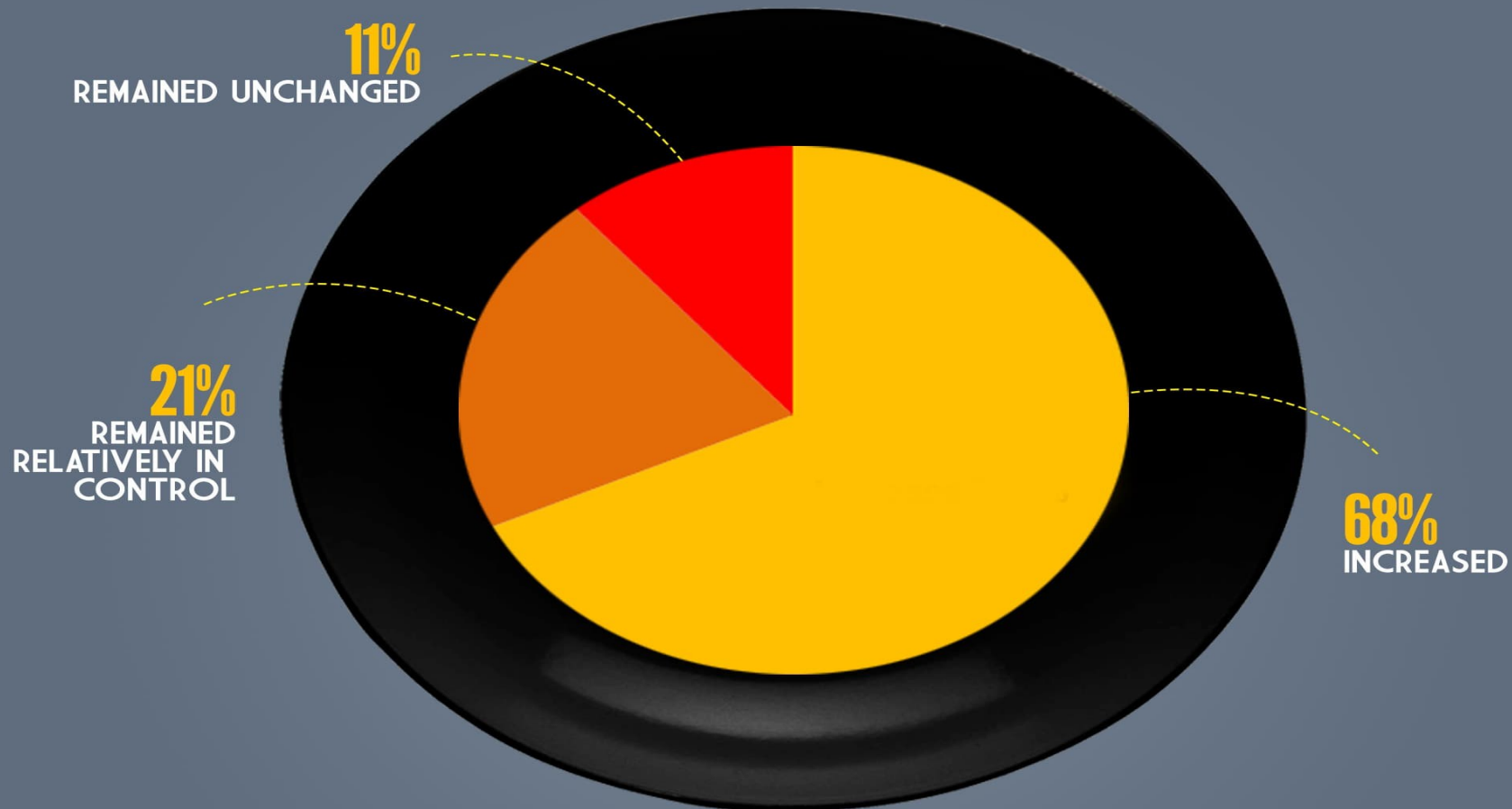


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According to a Gilani Research Foundation Survey carried out by Gallup Pakistan, 68% Pakistanis feel that the prices of items of daily use have increased while 21% feel that they have remained relatively in control.

A nationally representative sample of adult men and women, from across the four provinces was asked, “Compared to previous years have the prices of items of daily use, especially food items, increased, remained relatively in control or remained unchanged this Ramzan?” In response 68% said that they believed that prices had increased while 21% said that they had remained relatively in control and 11% said that they had not been changed.

MAJORITY PAKISTANIS (68%) OPINE THAT THE PRICES OF ITEMS OF DAILY USE HAVE INCREASED COMPARED TO PREVIOUS YEARS.



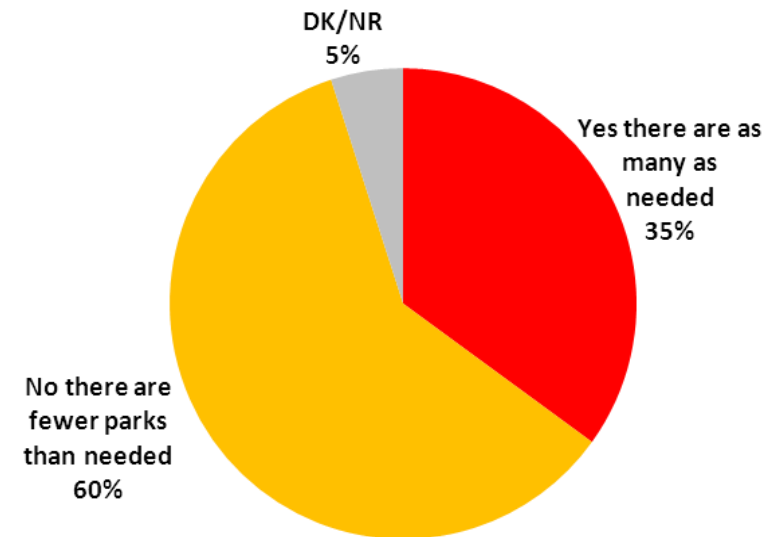
Compared to previous years have the prices of items of daily use, especially food items, increased, remained relatively in control or remained unchanged?



“ Majority Pakistanis (60%) believe that there are fewer parks in their city than needed. ”

According to a Gilani Research Foundation Survey carried out by Gallup Pakistan, 60% Pakistanis believe that there are not enough parks in their city.

A nationally representative sample of adult men and women, from across the four provinces was asked, “In your opinion are there enough parks in your city as needed?” In response, 60% of the respondents said that there fewer parks in their city than needed while 35% said that there are enough parks according to need. 5% did not respond.



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MAJORITY PAKISTANIS (60%) BELIEVE THAT THERE ARE FEWER PARKS IN THEIR CITY THAN NEEDED.

DK/NR 5%



In your opinion are there enough parks in your city as needed?



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A significant majority of Pakistanis (71%)**believes that it is very important to administer polio drops to children.**

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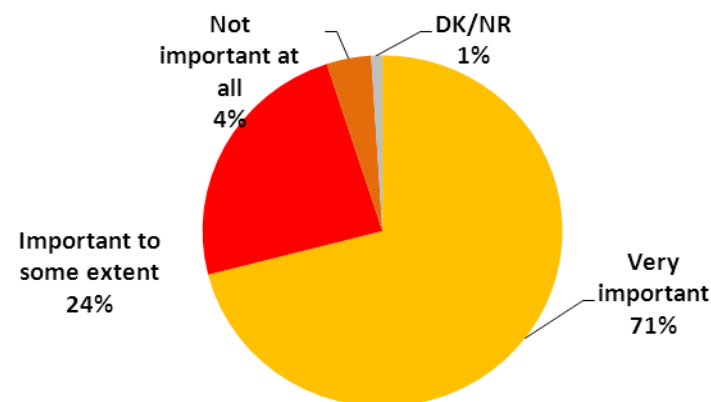
According to a Gilani Research Foundation Survey carried out by Gallup Pakistan, 71% Pakistanis believed that it is very important to administer polio drops to children while 24% said that it is important to some extent.

A nationally representative sample of adult men and women, from across the four provinces was asked, “How important do you think it is to get polio drops administered to children? Do you think it is very important, important to some extent or not important at all?” In response to this question, 71% said that it is very important, 24% said that it is important to some extent, 4% said that it is not important at all while 1% did not respond.

According to the gender breakdown, both men and women seem to consider polio drops administration very important with 72% of the men and 69% of the women saying that it is very important. Similarly 22% of the men and 26% of the women believe that it is important to some extent while on the other hand 4% of the males and 5% of the females said that it is not important at all. 2% of the males did not respond.

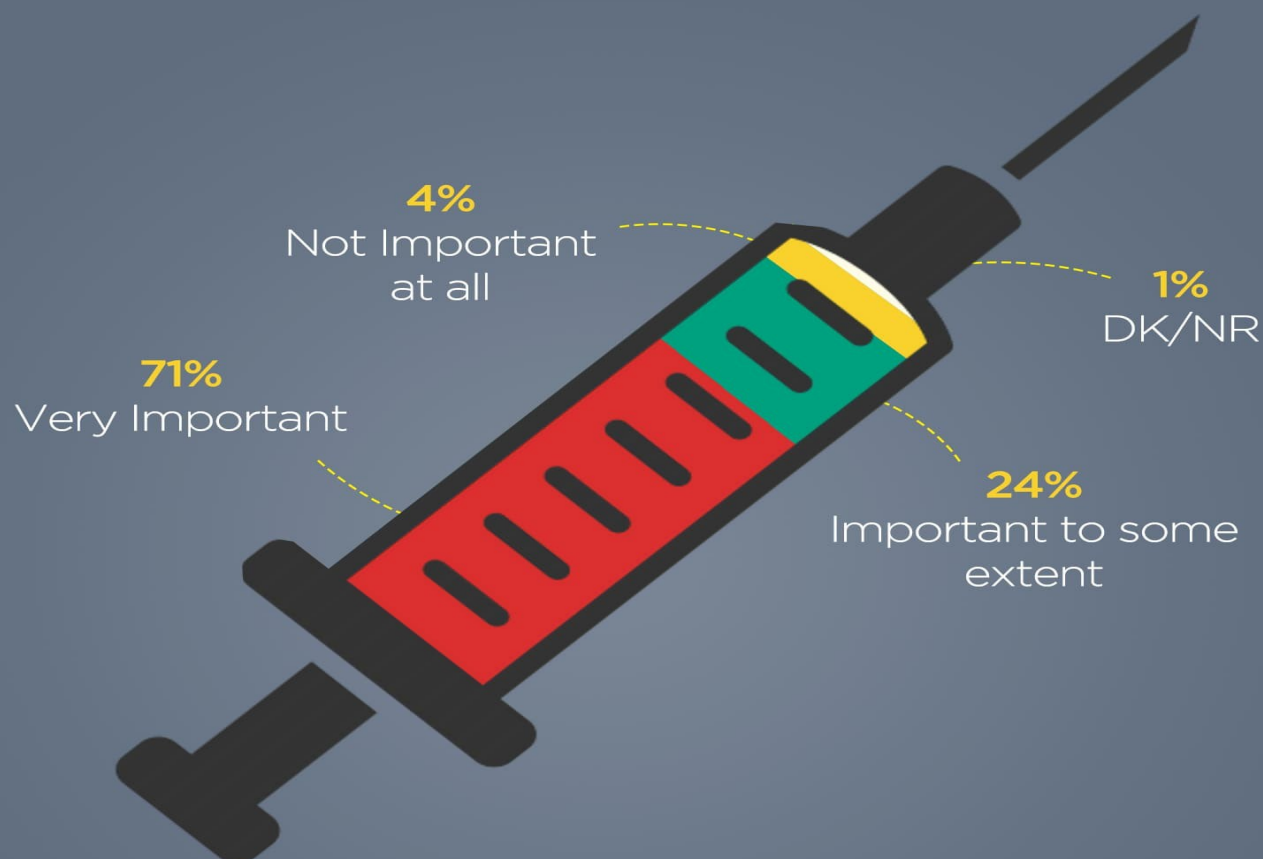
Similar results are seen in the urban-rural breakdown with 74% of the rural dwellers and 68% of the urban dwellers saying that it is very important to administer polio drops. Likewise 20% of the rural dwellers and 26% of the urban dwellers said that polio drops are important to an extent whereas 4% of the people in rural areas and 6% of the people in urban areas said that it is not important at all. 2% of the rural respondents and 1% of the urban respondents did not respond.

This question has also been asked previously over a time span of 13 years. The general trend is such that the number of respondents who believe that administering polio drops is very important has been decreasing from 87% in 2002 to 74% in 2014 and 71% in 2015. Respondents who said that administering polio drops is important to some extent however have been increasing from 7% in 2002 to 21% in 2014 and 24% in 2015. The number of respondents who said that it is not important at all has remained more or less the same over these years at 4% in 2002, 5% in 2014 and 4% again in 2015.



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A SIGNIFICANT MAJORITY OF PAKISTANIS (71%) BELIEVES THAT IT IS VERY IMPORTANT TO ADMINISTER POLIO DROPS TO CHILDREN.



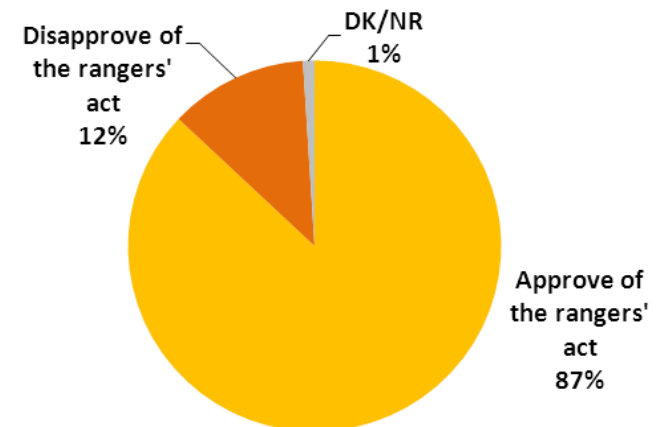
How important do you think it is to get polio drops administered to children?
Do you think it is very important, important to some extent or not important at all?



“ A large majority of Pakistanis (87%) approve of the Karachi Ranger’s act that involved taking corrupt government officers in its custody. ”

According to a Gilani Research Foundation Survey carried out by Gallup Pakistan, 87% Pakistanis approved of the Karachi Rangers’ act in taking corrupt government officers in its custody; 12% disapproved of the act.

A nationally representative sample of adult men and women, from across the four provinces was asked for opinion after explaining the following incident, “Last week, Rangers in Karachi raided the office of Sindh Building Control Authority and took in its custody those government officers who had been allegedly engaging in illegal land grab, corruption and extortion. Some people are critical of this step by the Rangers saying that the Rangers’ and Pakistan Army’s job is not to sort out such corrupt practices, in fact their mandate simply requires them to maintain peace in the country. Whereas other people approve of this act saying that the Rangers can work for any such issue and even the Pakistan Army should intervene in issues concerning corruption, illegal land grabbing and extortion. What is your take on this issue, do you approve of the Rangers’ act or are against it?” In response, 87% said that they approved of the Rangers’ act and 12% said that they disapproved while 1% did not respond.



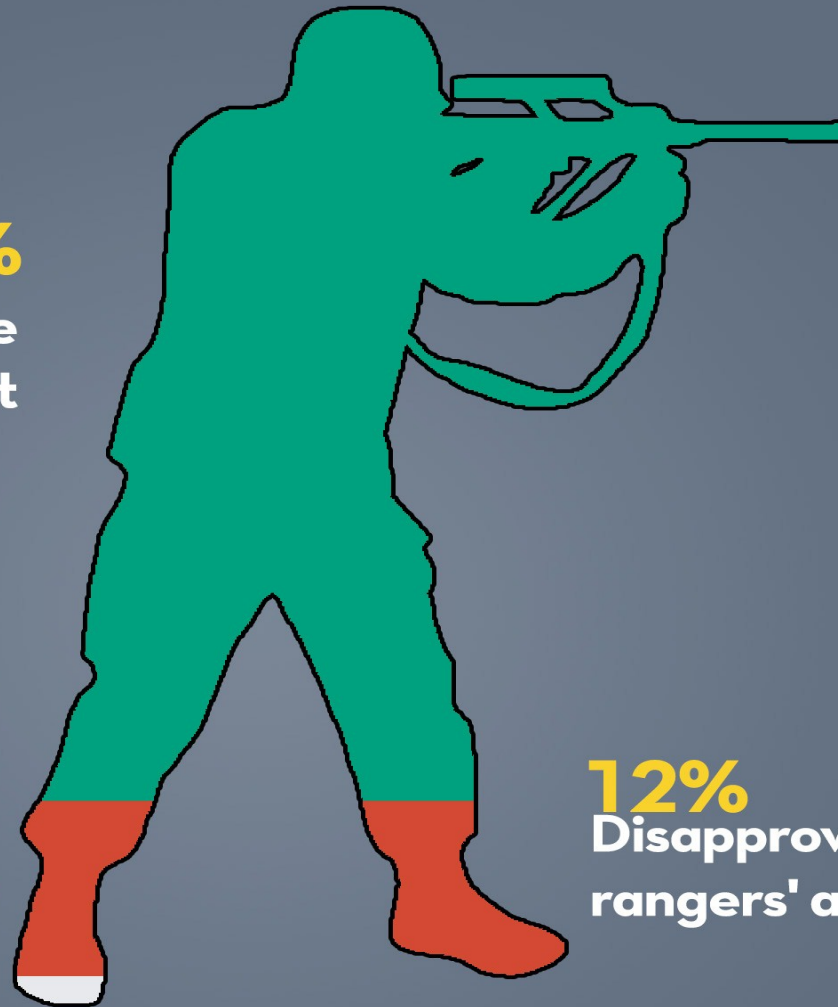
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A LARGE MAJORITY OF PAKISTANIS (87%) APPROVE OF THE KARACHI RANGER'S ACT THAT INVOLVED TAKING CORRUPT GOVERNMENT OFFICERS IN ITS CUSTODY.

87%
Approve of the
rangers' act

1%
DK/NR

12%
Disapprove of the
rangers' act



Do you approve of the Karachi rangers' act [in taking corrupt government officers in its custody] or are you against it?

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