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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.

If you have any further questions in this regard, please feel free to contact us.

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January 28, 2013

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January 29, 2013

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January 30, 2013

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January 31, 2013

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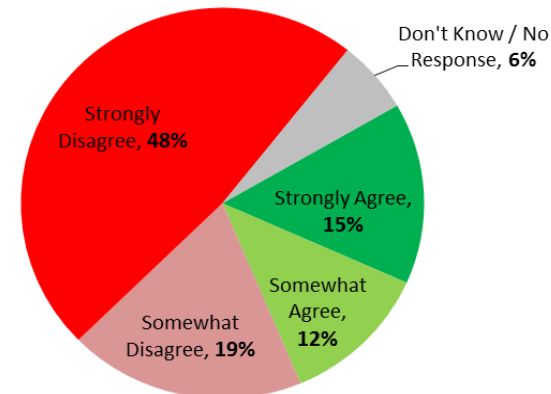
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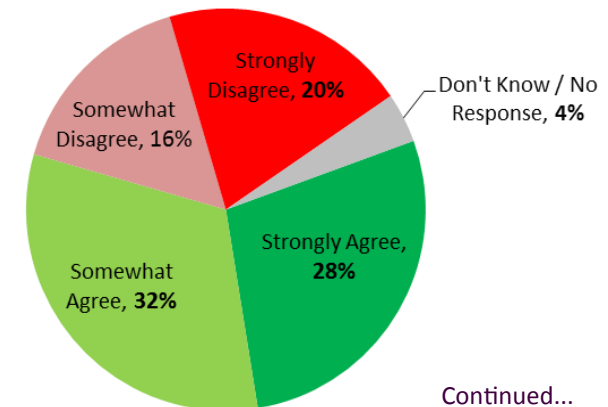
The global survey was conducted in 22 countries across the globe by Globescan partners covering Europe, Americas, Asia and Africa. The global sample comprised 22,000 men and women, as well as those belonging to various age, income, education and linguistics groups. The respondents were asked;

“Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree with that the world is going in the right direction?” Responding to this, 28% of the global sample strongly agreed that the world is going in right direction, 32% somewhat agreed, 16% somewhat disagreed whereas 20% strongly disagreed. However 4% did not give a view.

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GLOBAL AVERAGE

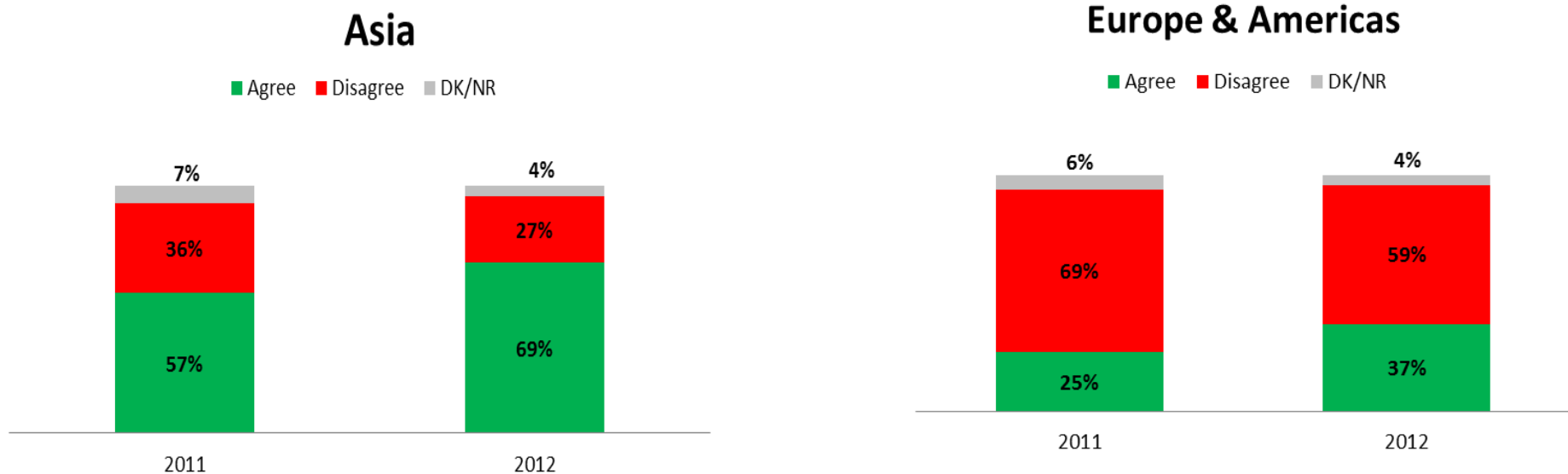


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REGIONAL TIME SERIES COMPARISON BETWEEN ASIA AND EURO_AMERICAS:

The data further show that there is an improvement in optimism in Asia and Europe-Americas. For Asia, the hopeful figure increased from 57% in 2011 to 69% in 2012. The figure for Europe-Americas also improved from 25% in 2011 to 37% in 2012.



The global survey was conducted during July 03 – September 03, 2012. Other details on methodology can be seen at: www.GlobeScan.com



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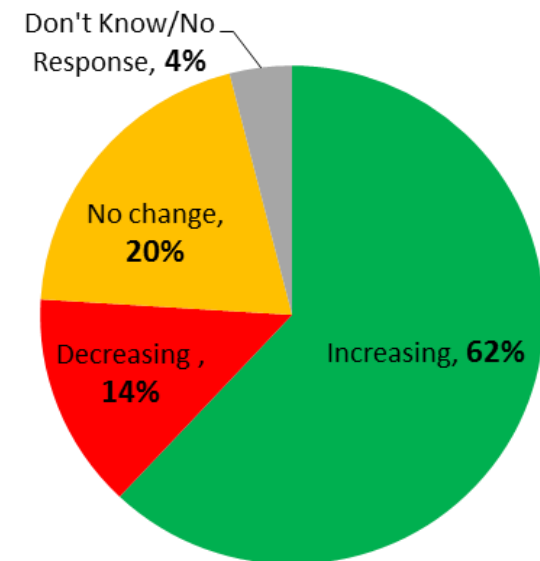
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Islamabad - January 29, 2013*

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A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked “**Keeping in mind news from all over the country, in your opinion is the use of narcotics in Pakistan increasing, decreasing or is there no change?**” Responding to this, 62% said it is increasing, 14% said it is decreasing and 20% said there is no change. However, 4% did not give a

response. A similar question was asked in February 2011, and the results from that poll compared with this year’s poll show negligible change.

The study was released by Gilani foundation and carried out by Gallup Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International. The recent survey was carried out among a sample of 2644 men and women in rural and urban areas of all four provinces of the country, during January 13, 2013 – January 20, 2013. Error margin is estimated to be approximately $\pm 2-3$ per cent at 95% confidence level.





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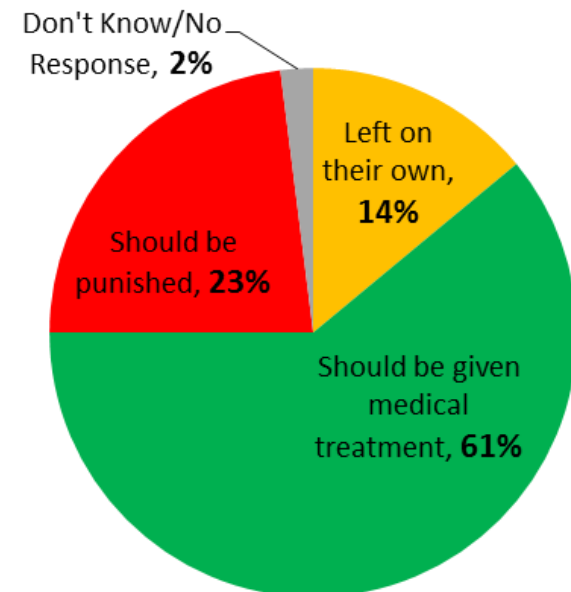
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A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked “In your opinion, how should addicts be dealt with?” Responding to this, 61% said they should be given medical treatment for their addictions, 23% said they should be punished and 14% said they should be left on their own. However, 2% did not give a re-

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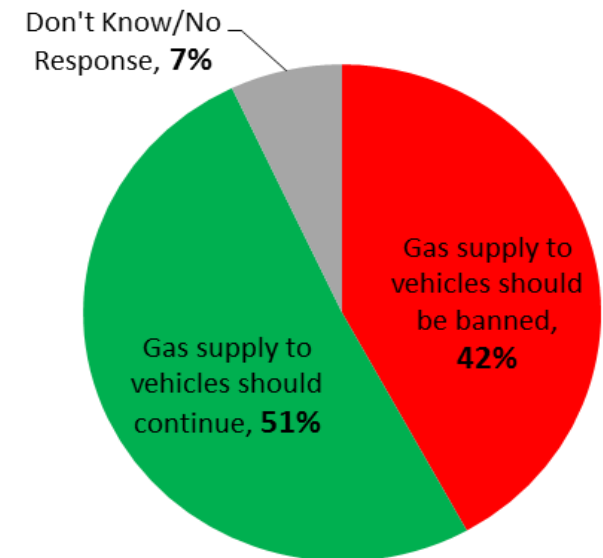
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A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked **“Some people think that gas supply should be banned to all types of vehicles including personal cars, wagons, buses etc. and it should be provided to households and industries instead, whereas some people think gas supply**

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to vehicles should continue. What is your opinion on this?” Responding to this, 51% think gas supply to vehicles should continue and 42% think gas supply to vehicles should be banned. However, 7% did not give a response.

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Islamabad - February 01, 2013*



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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?” Responding to this, 53% said it is very severe, 37% said it is somewhat severe and 7% it is not severe at all. However, 3% did not give a response.

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