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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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March 16, 2015

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March 17, 2015

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61%

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72%

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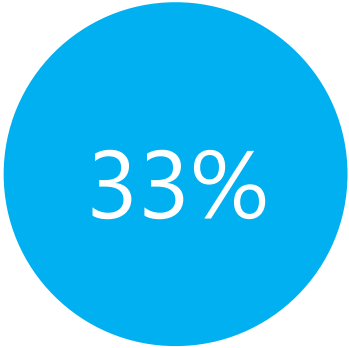
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March 20, 2015

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33%

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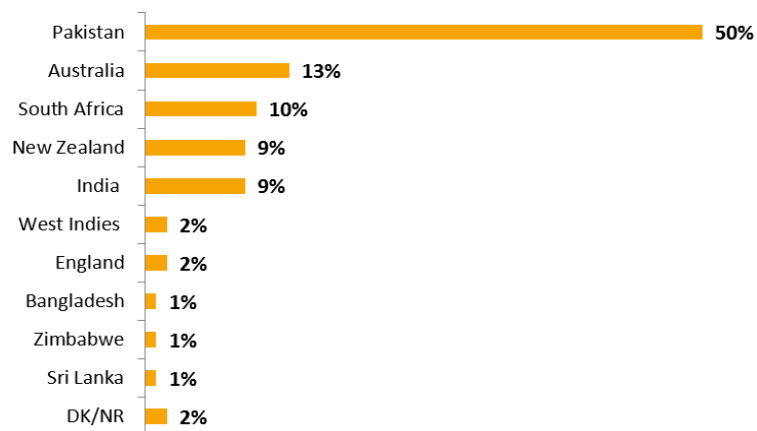
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Islamabad— March 16, 2015

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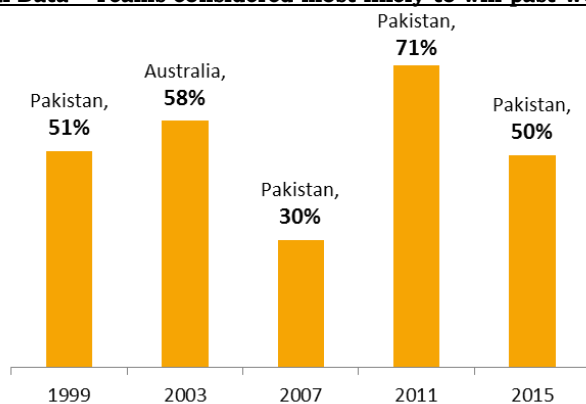


According to a Gilani Research Foundation Survey carried out by Gallup Pakistan, 50% Pakistanis said that Pakistan is most likely to win the World Cup.



A nationally representative sample of adult men and women, from across the four provinces was asked, “In your opinion, which one team is most likely to win the Cricket World Cup?” In response to this question, 50% respondents said Pakistan is most likely to win the World Cup, 13% said Australia is most likely to win, 10% said South Africa is most likely to win, 9% said New Zealand is most likely to win and 9% believe that India is most likely to win. 2% respondents think that West Indies is the team most likely to win the Cricket World Cup, 2% believe England is most likely to win, 1% believe Bangladesh is most likely to win, 1% believe Zimbabwe has the most chance of winning, while 1% believe Sri Lanka is most likely to win and 2% did not respond.

Historical Data – Teams considered most likely to win past World Cups



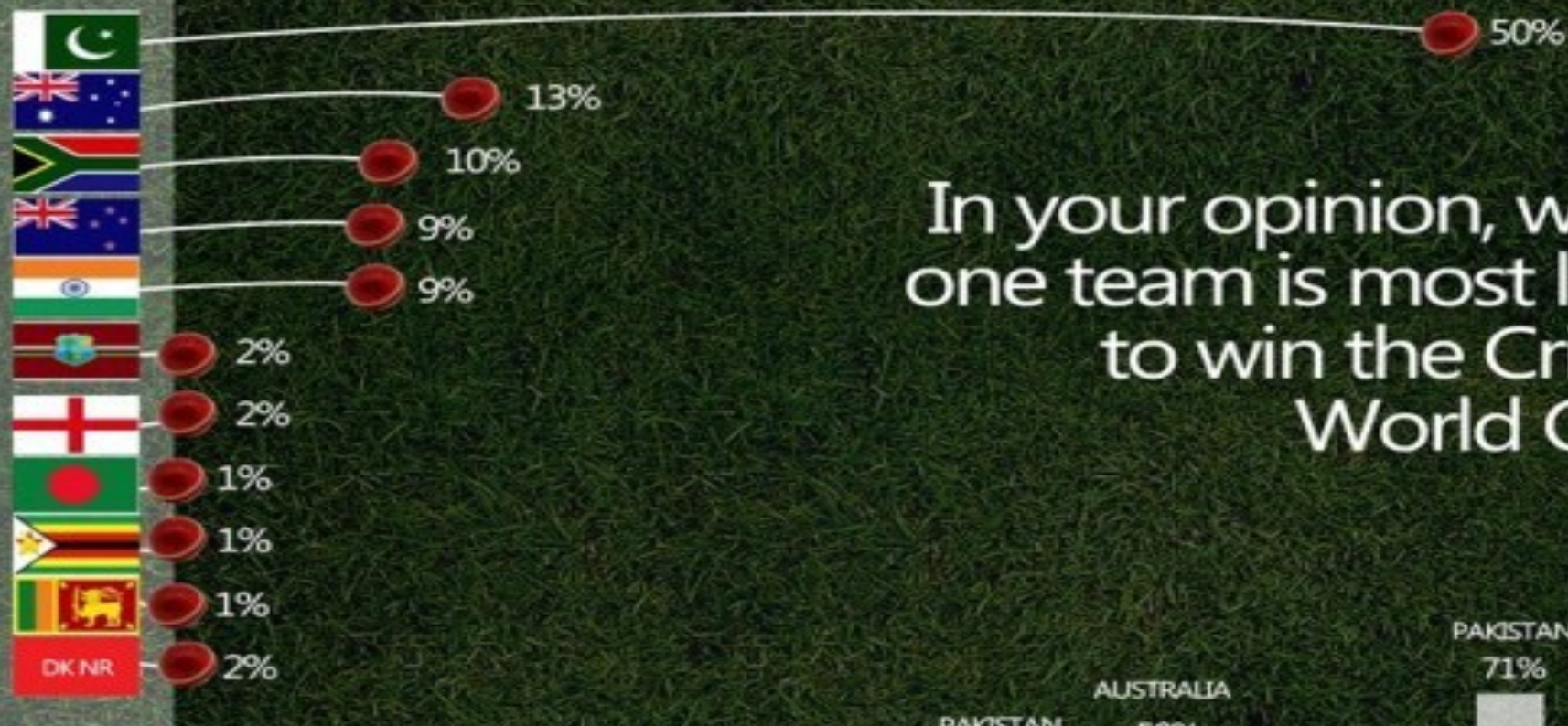
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This question has also been asked during previous World Cups and the historical data suggests that the Pakistani public has usually named Pakistan as the team most likely to win past World Cups. In 1999, 51% respondents thought Pakistan was most likely to win. In 2003, 58% respondents said Australia was most likely to win (the question was asked after Pakistan had been knocked out of the tournament). In 2007, only 30% respondents said Pakistan was most likely to win, but this percentage was still higher than those respondents naming any other team. In 2011, 71% respondents said Pakistan was most likely to win.

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 1379 men and women in rural and urban areas of all four provinces of the country, during February 09 - February 16, 2015. Error margin is estimated to be approximately $\pm 2-3$ per cent at 95% confidence level.

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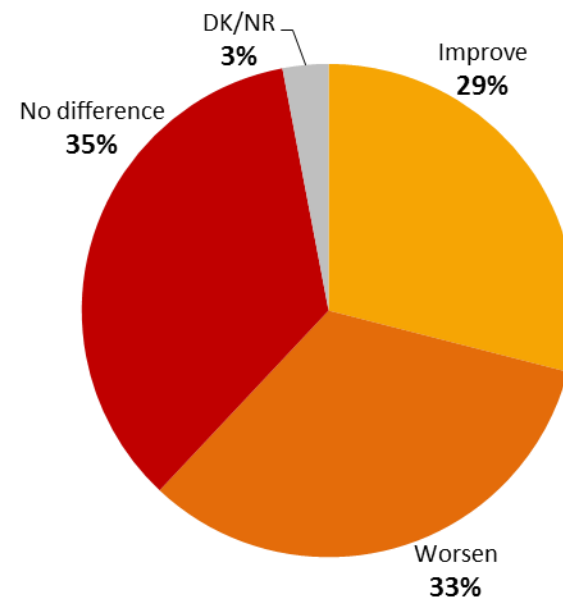
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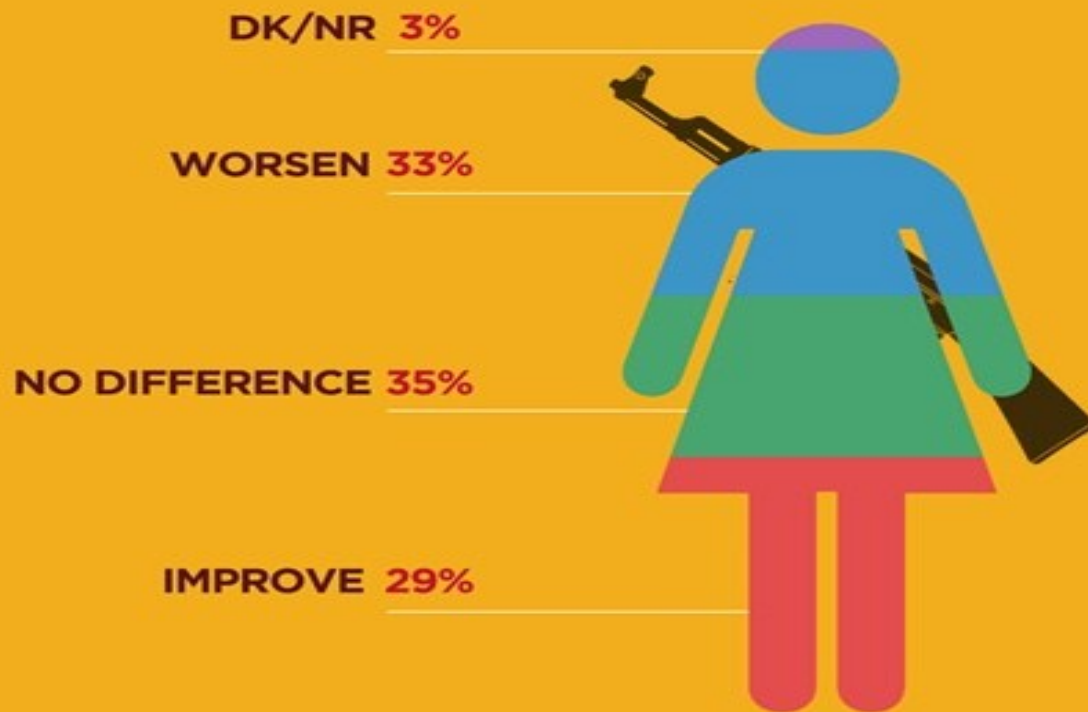
A nationally representative sample of adult men and women, from across the four provinces was asked, “Recently, after the Peshawar tragedy, female teachers in Peshawar schools are being taught to use weapons. Do you feel that giving teachers weapons will improve the security situation for schools and students, worsen it, or will it make no difference?” In response to this question, 29% respondents said that teaching female teachers to use weapons will improve the security situation for schools and students, 33% respondents said that it will worsen the security situation, while 35% believe it will make no difference and 3% did not respond.

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RECENTLY, AFTER THE PESHAWAR TRAGEDY, FEMALE TEACHERS IN PESHAWAR SCHOOLS ARE BEING TAUGHT TO USE WEAPONS. DO YOU FEEL THAT GIVING TEACHERS WEAPONS WILL IMPROVE THE SECURITY SITUATION FOR SCHOOLS AND STUDENTS, WORSEN IT, OR WILL IT MAKE NO DIFFERENCE?



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Gilani Research Foundation (GRF Poll)

Islamabad— March 18, 2015

“WIN/Gallup International’s Global Survey Shows Three in Five Willing to Fight for Their Country”



A global survey from WIN/Gallup International, the world’s leading association in market research and polling shows that 61% of those polled across 64 countries would be willing to fight for their country, while 27% would not.

However, there are significant differences by region. Willingness to fight is highest in the M.E.N.A. region (83%) while it is lowest in Western Europe (25%). A history of those countries in recent conflict provides an interesting comparison. The Japanese (11%) are the least likely of 64 countries polled to be willing to fight for their country. Results from Germany are similar – 18% willing to fight. By comparison these numbers are considerably lower than in the UK (27%) and France (29%). A majority (52%) of women surveyed across the globe said they would be willing to fight (vs. 67%) among men. Those aged 18-34 years (66%) are the most willing. Of the variety of religious denominations covered in the survey we see those Muslims (78%) are most willing to fight for their country.

Jean-Marc Leger, President of WIN/Gallup International Association, said: “One hundred years on from the start of the First Great War we find that 61% of the world’s citizens are willing to fight for their country. However, the true story is in the regional comparison and in a time of such turmoil in the Middle East it is noticeable that willingness to fight is highest in the MENA region.”

PAKISTAN

Pakistan ranks significantly high in the ranking of countries where people are very willing to fight for their country. It ranks as the third most willing country in this regard, falling behind Fiji and Morocco only, with an overwhelming 89% people saying they will fight for their country of need be.

Methodology:

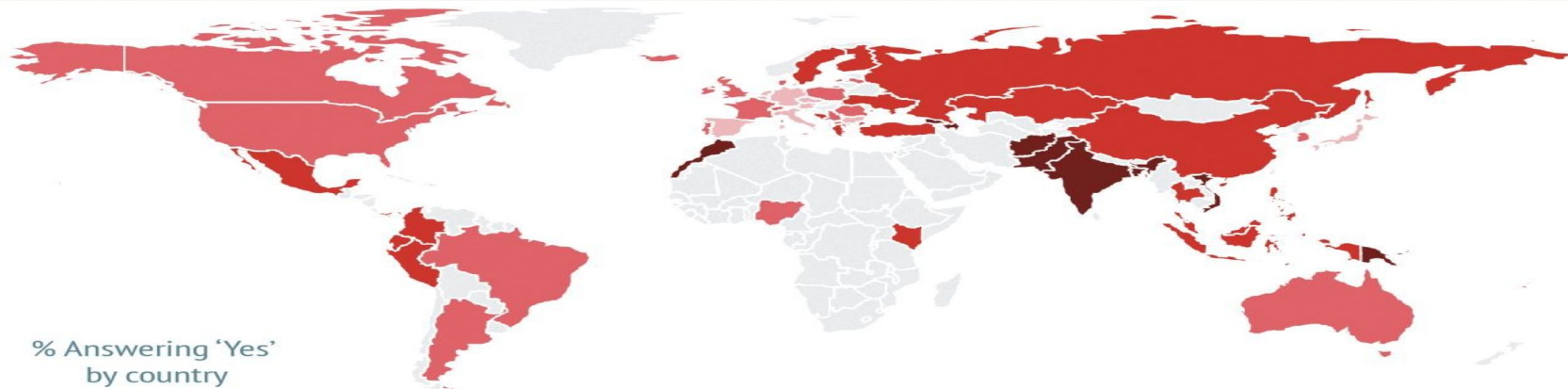
The WIN/Gallup International Survey is an annual tradition initiated by and designed under the chairmanship of Dr. George Gallup in 1977. It is conducted every year since then. This year it was carried out by the WIN/Gallup International Association in 64 countries around the world.

A total of 62,398 persons were interviewed globally. In each country a representative sample of around 1000 men and women was interviewed either face to face (30 countries; n=32258), via telephone (12 countries; n=9784) or online (22 countries; n=20356). Details are attached. The field work was conducted during September 2014 - December 2014. The margin of error for the survey is between 2.14 and 4.45 +3-5% at 95% confidence level. The global average has been computed according to the share of the covered adult population of the surveyed countries.

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Would you fight for your country?



75%+

51-74%

Morocco	94%
Fiji	94%
Pakistan	89%
Vietnam	89%
Bangladesh	86%
Azerbaijan	85%
Papua New Guinea	84%
Afghanistan	76%
Georgia	76%
India	75%
Finland	74%
Turkey	73%
Philippines	73%
Thailand	72%
Armenia	72%
China	71%
Indonesia	70%
Kazakhstan	69%
Kenya	69%
Israel	66%
Lebanon	66%
Panama	64%
Malaysia	63%
Ukraine	62%
Peru	61%
Colombia	61%
Russian Federation	59%
Kosovo	58%
Mexico	56%
Palestinian territories	56%
Sweden	55%
Bosnia and Herzegovina	55%
Ecuador	54%
Greece	54%

26-50%

0-25%

Nigeria	50%
Brazil	48%
Poland	47%
Serbia	46%
United States	44%
Argentina	43%
South Korea	42%
Latvia	41%
Switzerland	39%
Macedonia	38%
Ireland	38%
Romania	38%
Denmark	37%
Canada	30%
Australia	29%
France	29%
Portugal	28%
United Kingdom	27%
Iceland	26%
Bulgaria	25%
Hong Kong	23%
Czech Republic	23%
Spain	21%
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Italy	20%
Belgium	19%
Germany	18%
Netherlands	15%
Japan	11%



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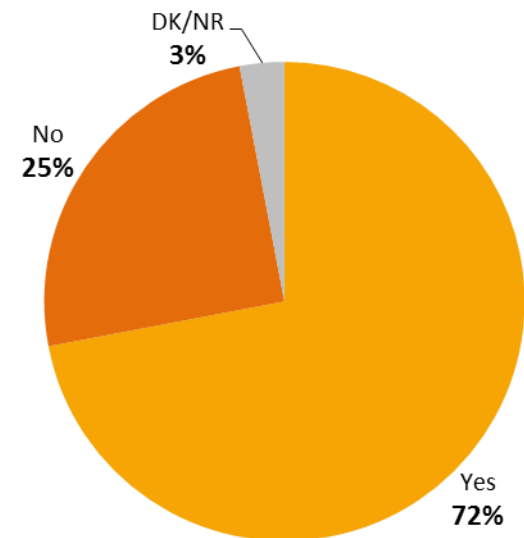
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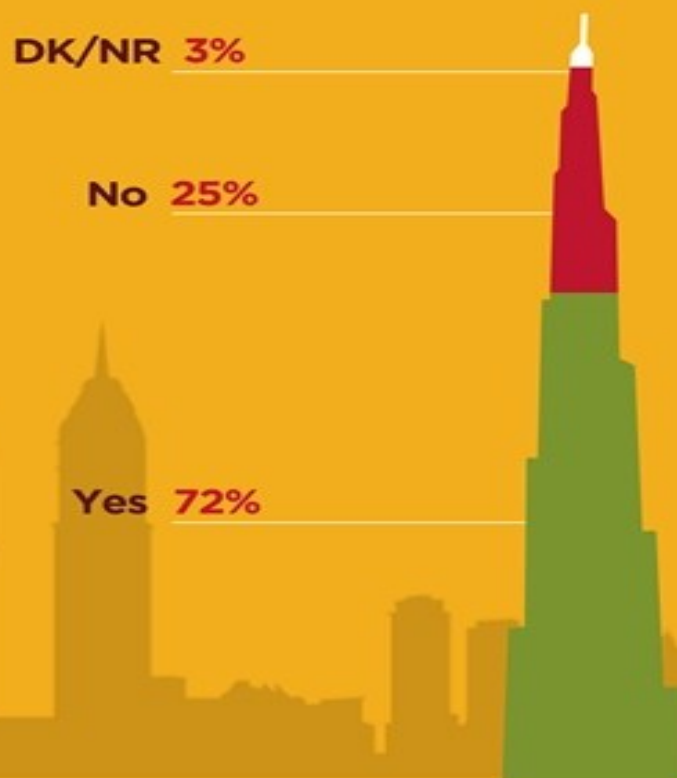
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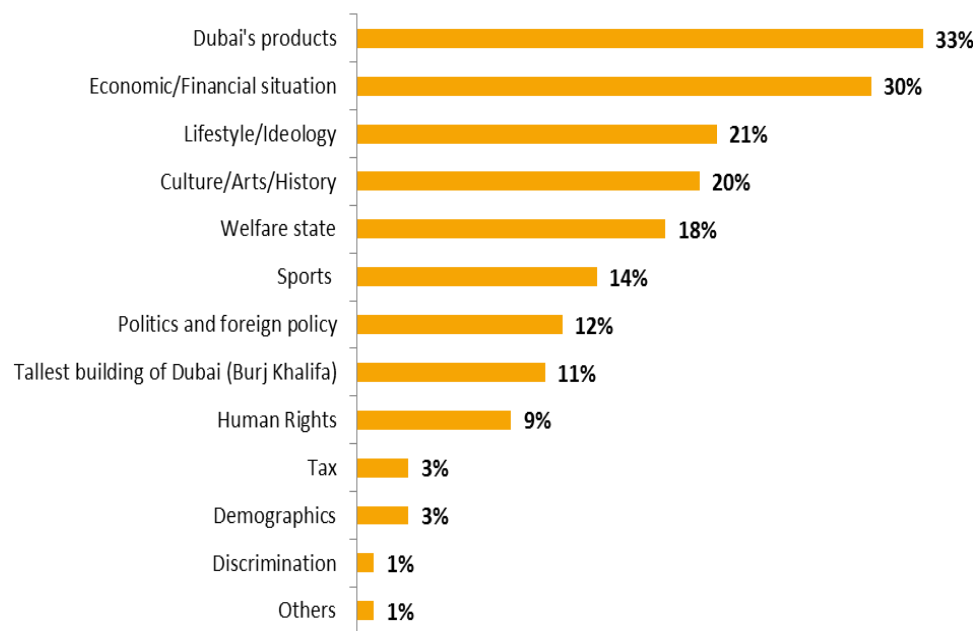
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A nationally representative sample of adult men and women who have heard about Dubai, from across the four provinces was asked, “Which of the following aspects of Dubai do you know more about?” In response to this question, 33% respondents said they know more about Dubai's products, 30% respondents know more about the economic/financial situation, 21% know more about lifestyle and ideology, while 20% said they know more about Dubai's culture, arts and history and 18% know more about Dubai as a welfare state. 14% respondents claimed to know more about Dubai's sports, 12% said they know more about its politics and foreign policy, 11% know more about the world's tallest building (Burj Khalifa) in Dubai, 9% know more about human rights, 3% know more about tax, 3% know more about demographics, 1% know more about discrimination, and 1% named other aspects they know more about.

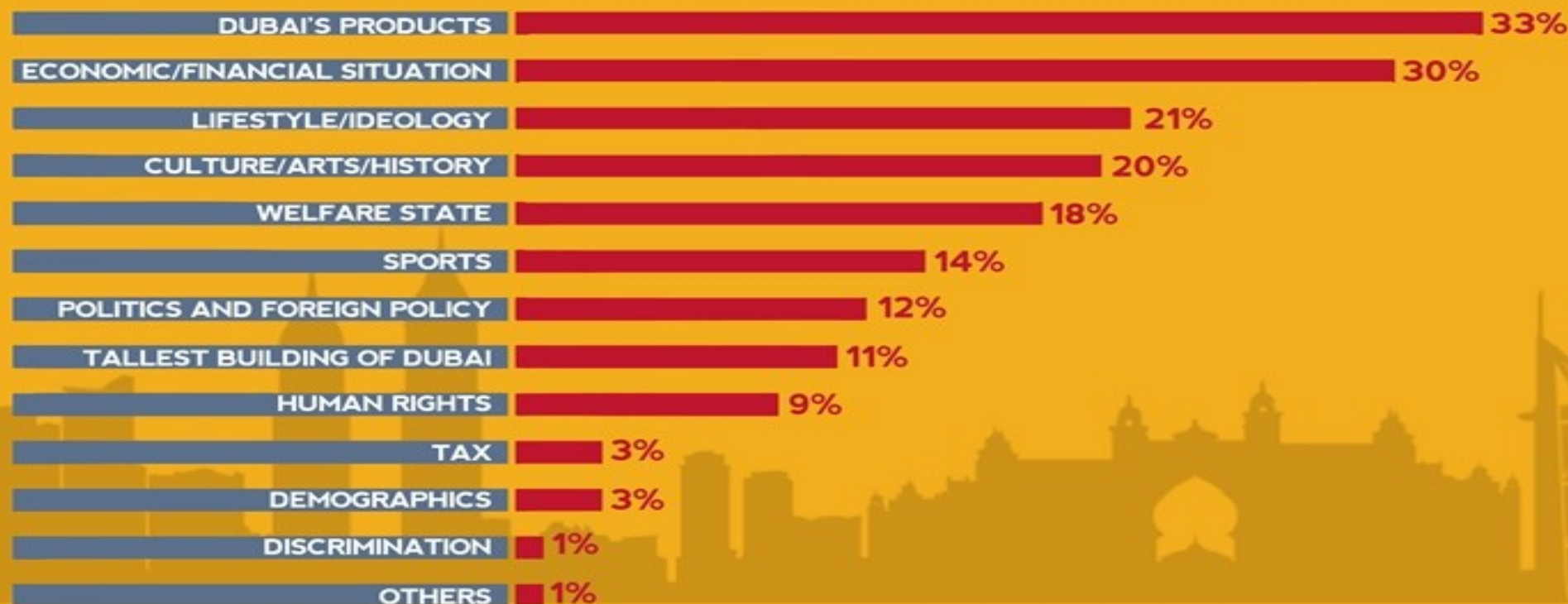
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WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ASPECTS OF DUBAI DO YOU KNOW MORE ABOUT?



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