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From The Editor

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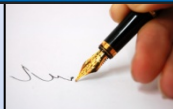
Gilani Research Team now brings to you a collection of daily polls releases in the form of a weekly digest, which gives you the opportunity to read opinions of the Pakistani public on various socio-political issues.

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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**Opinion Polls Released during
January 24th, 2011– January 28th, 2011**

82% Of Pakistani Males Claim To Go To The Mosque At Least Once A Week January 24, 2011



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72% Get Their Clothes Stitched Where As 25% Stitch Their Own Clothes January 25, 2011



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Most Pakistanis Are Not Good At Remembering Birthdays

January 26, 2011

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January 27, 2011

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January 28, 2011

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Gilani Research Foundation is headed by Dr. Ijaz Shafi Gilani who pioneered the field of opinion in Pakistan and established Gallup Pakistan in 1980. Current Dr. Gilani, who hold a PhD from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) and has taught at leading universities in Pakistan and abroad, is Chairman of Gallup Pakistan (www.gallup.com.pk)

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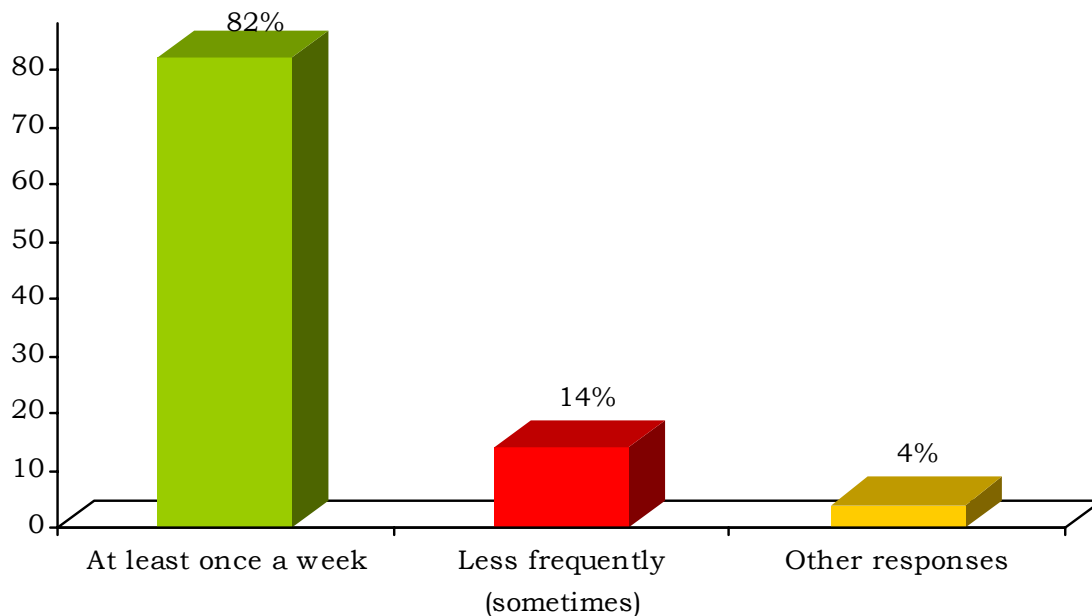
Islamabad January 24, 2011

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In a survey, a nationally representative sample of men and women from across the country were asked the following question: *"How often do you go to the mosque in your locality?"* Eighty two (82%) claimed that they went to the mosque at least once a week, 14% said they went less frequently, and 4% gave other responses.

"How often do you go to the mosque in your locality?"



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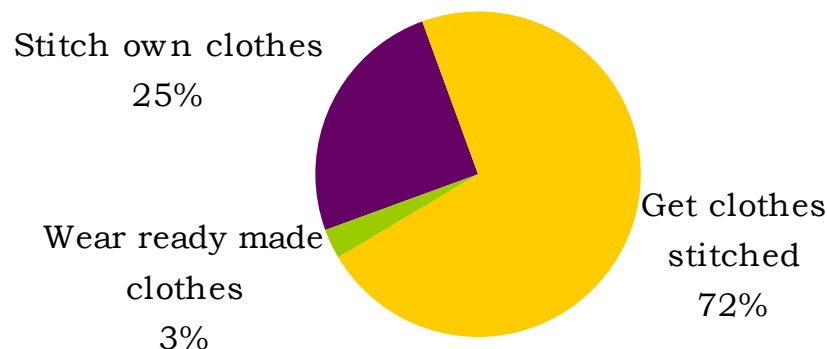
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In a survey, a nationally representative sample of men and women from across the country were asked the following question: *“Some people wear readymade clothes, others get them stitched or stitch themselves. How are your clothes mostly made?”* Seventy two percent (72%) claimed to get their clothes stitched, 25% said they stitch their own clothes and 3% sated they wear ready made garments.

A detailed analysis of the data reveals that more females (39%) stitch their clothes as compared to their male counter parts (12%). On the other hand relatively more males (83%) get their clothes made by others than the females (59%).

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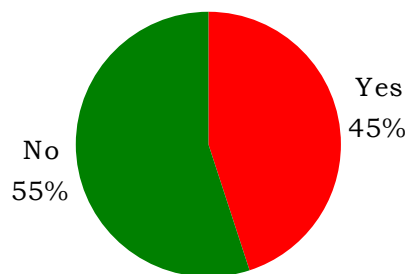
Islamabad January 26, 2011

According to a Gilani Research Foundation survey carried out by Gallup Pakistan, most of all Pakistanis (55%) do not remember their own birthdays, only 45% do. Similarly most (71%) do not remember the birthdays of their friends and family while only 28% claim to do so.



In a survey, a nationally representative sample of men and women from across the country were asked the following question: "Do you usually remember your own birthday?" Forty five percent (45%) replied in affirmative while 55% said they do not remember their own birthday.

"Do you usually remember your own birthday?"



Source: Gallup and Gilani Surveys
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In a follow up question, a nationally representative sample of men and women from across the country were asked the following question: "Do you mostly remember the birthdays of your friends and relatives or not?" Seventy one percent (71%) stated that they usually don't remember the birthdays of their friends and family where as 28% said that they do. 1% gave no response.

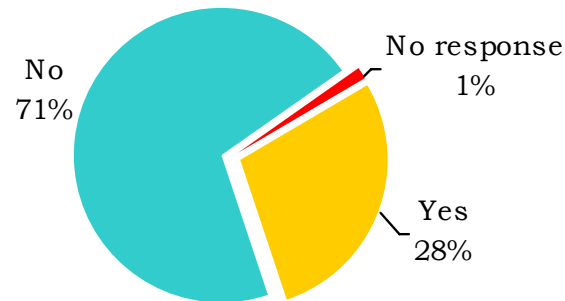
A detailed analysis of the data showed that urbanites are better at remembering birthdays than their rural counterparts.

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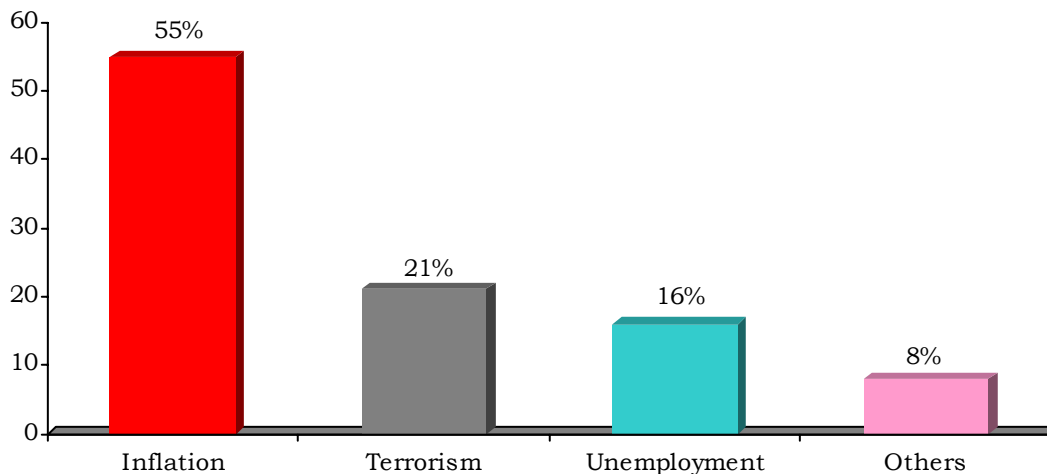
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In a survey, a nationally representative sample of men and women from across the country were asked the following question: "In your opinion which is the biggest problem currently faced by Pakistan?" Fifty five percent (55%) considered inflation to be the biggest issue currently faced by Pakistan, followed by terrorism (21%) and unemployment (16%). 8% gave other responses.

A detailed analysis of the survey showed that relatively more urbanites (59%) considered inflation to be the current major issue of the country as compared to its rural counterparts (53%).

"In your opinion which is the biggest problem currently faced by Pakistan?"



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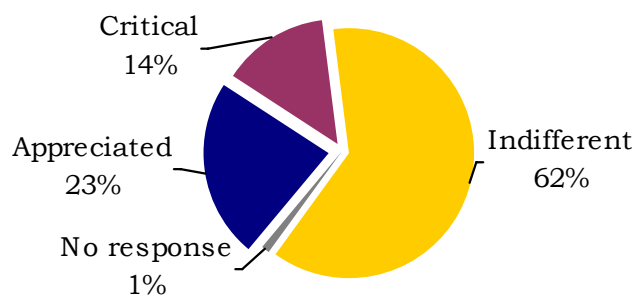
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In a survey, a nationally representative sample of men and women from across the country were asked the following question: "Recently after the death of Governor of Punjab Salman Taseer, Latif Khosa has been appointed as the new Governor. What are your sentiments on hearing this news?" Sixty two percent (62%) said that the appointment of the new Governor of Punjab made no difference to them, 23% were pleased with this news and 14% were critical of it. 1% gave no response.

A detailed analysis of the data showed that relatively more urbanites (22%) were critical of this news as compared to their rural counterparts (10%).

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