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Dear Reader,

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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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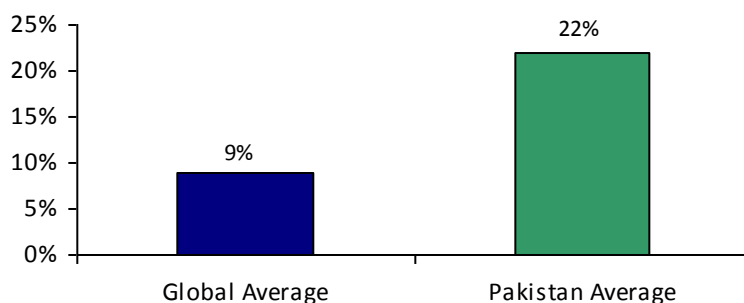
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Question: “What do you think is the most important problem facing your nation today?”

(Unprompted/ open ended responses were averaged for 19 countries included in this study)

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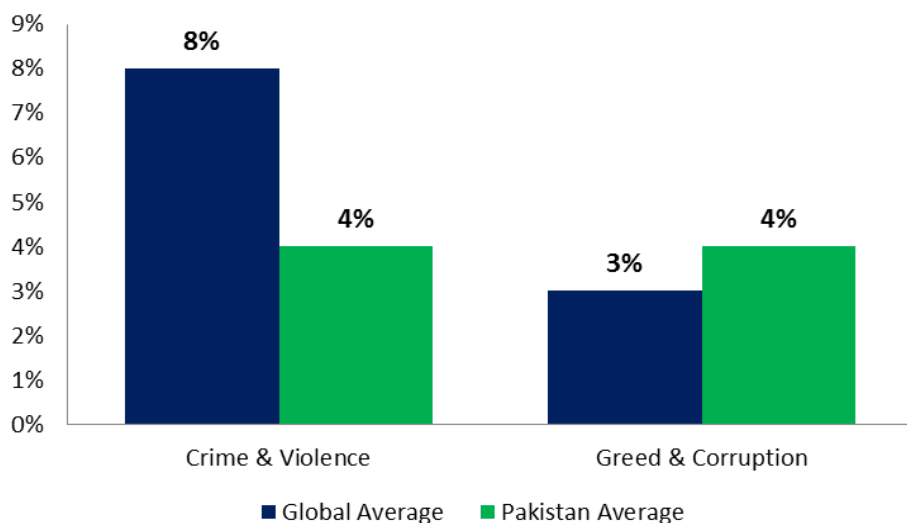
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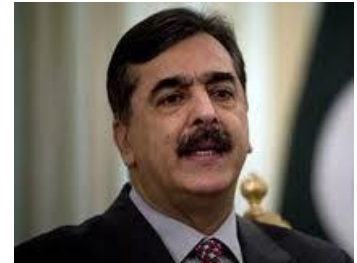
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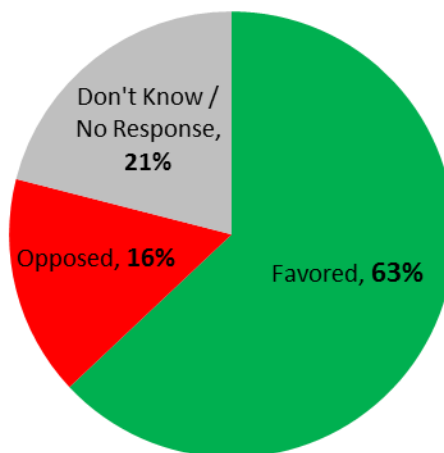
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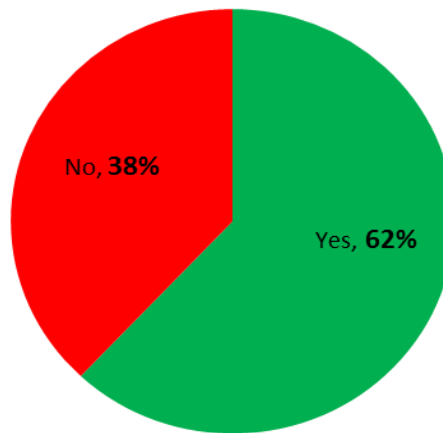
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A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked “Recently, Pakistani girl Arfa Kareem who was honored as the youngest Microsoft certified professional passed away. Have you read or heard anything about it?” Responding to this 62% claim that they have read or heard about Arfa’s death whereas 38% claim to have no knowledge.

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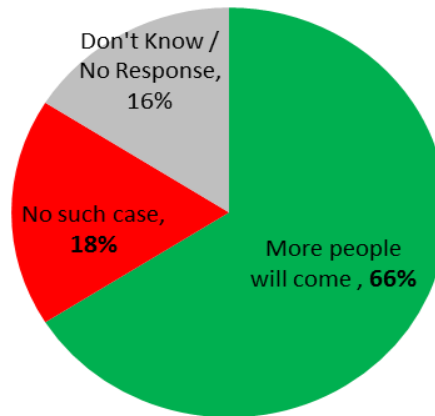
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In a follow up question, the respondents were asked “Some people think that Arfa Kareem is a source of inspiration for our youth and after her death more talent will come in this field whereas some people think that this will not be the case. What is your opinion?” Responding to this 66% believe that believe that more young people will follow her example of excellence in this field whereas 18% believe that this will not be the case. However 16% did not give a view.

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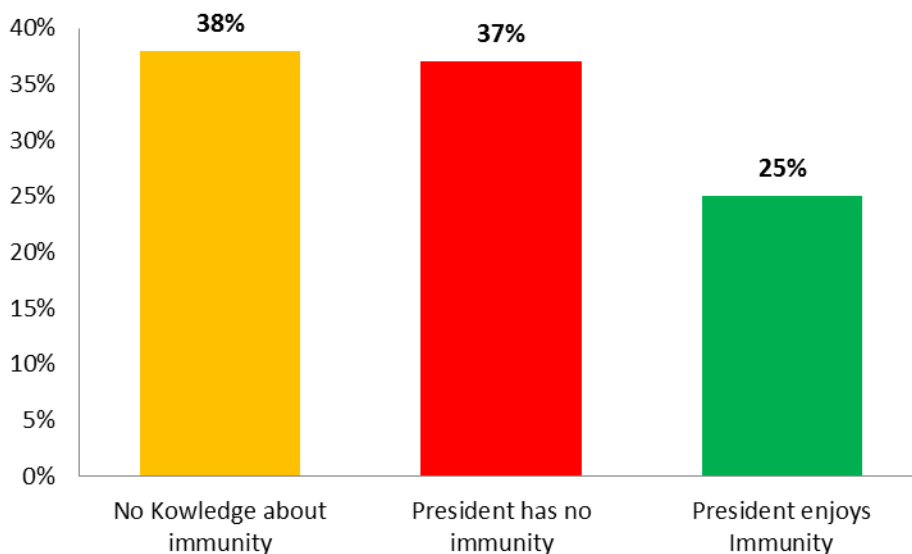
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