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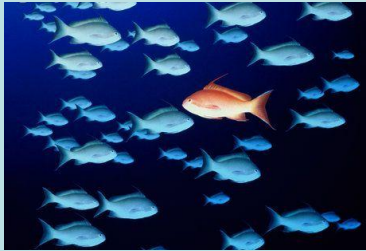
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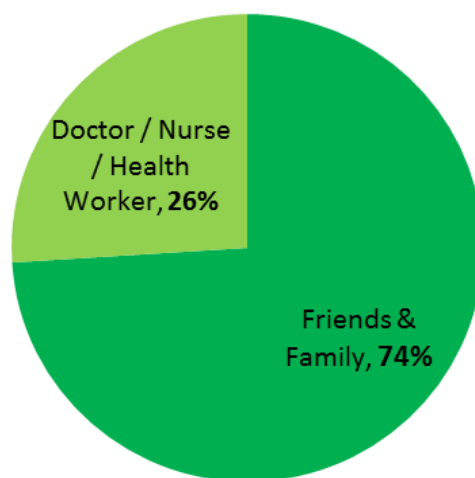
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A nationally representative sample of smokers who had at some point tried to quit smoking, was asked “Who helped you to quit smoking?” Responding to this, 74% claim that their friends and family tried to help them in quitting smoking whereas 26% claim that some doctor, nurse or health worker helped them to quit this habit.

Question: “Who helped you to quit smoking?” (Asked from those who attempted to quit (although unsuccessfully to quit smoking))



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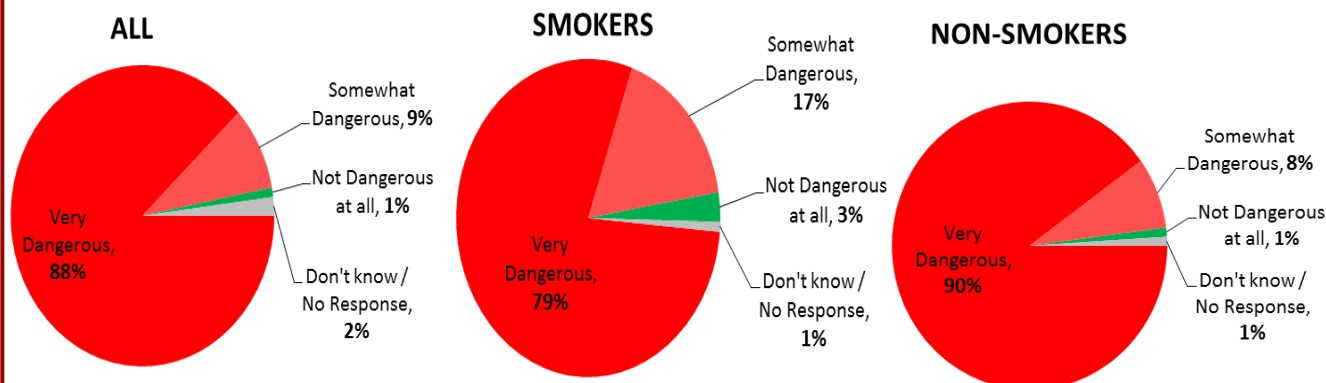
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A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked “In your opinion, to what extent smoking is hazardous to health or is it not hazardous?” Responding to this, 88% believe that smoking is very dangerous to health, 9% believe that smoking is somewhat dangerous whereas 1% believe that it is not dangerous at all. However, 2% did not give a view.

Question: “In your opinion, to what extent smoking is hazardous to health or is it not hazardous?”

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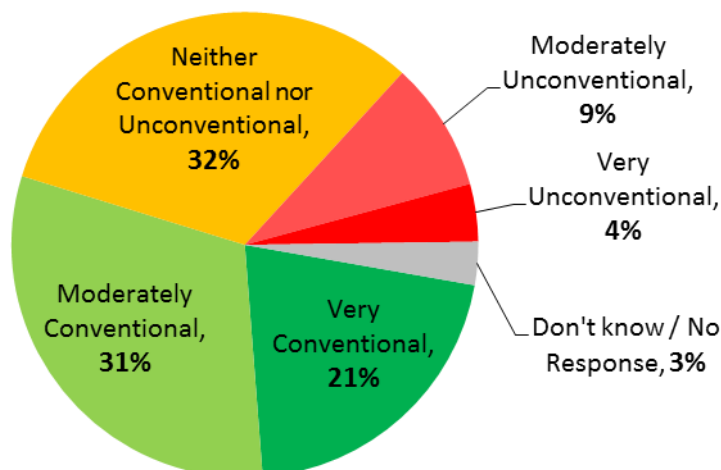
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A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked “What is your opinion about yourself that are you conventional or unconventional in everyday issues? Meaning do you follow customs and traditions or do you adapt to new things and fashions. Are you?” Responding to this, 21% claim that they are very conventional, 31% claim that they are moderately conventional, 32% claim that they are neither conventional nor unconventional, 9% claim to be moderately unconventional whereas 4% claim to be very unconventional. However, 3% did not give a view.

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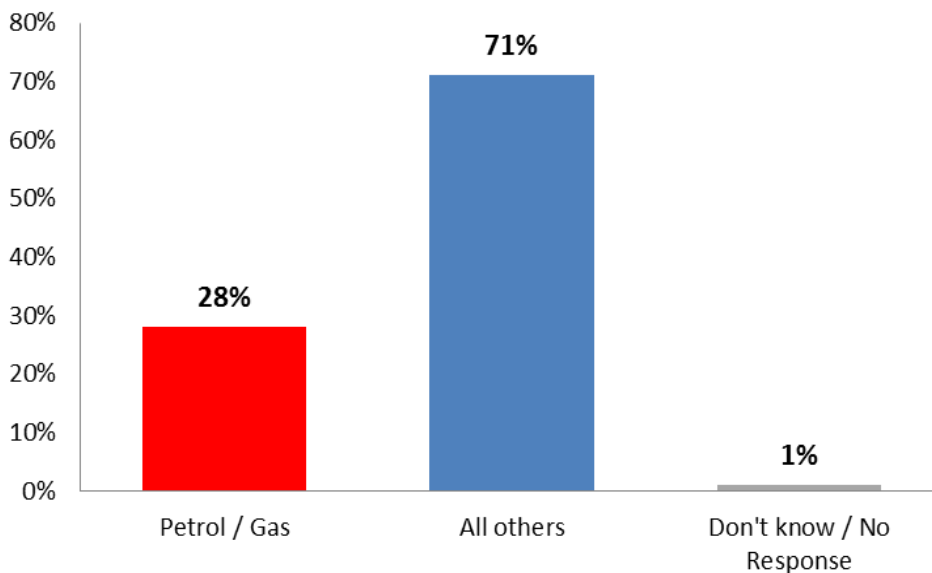
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A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked “What thing was it that you had the most hardship with by its increased prices? And what is the second and third most?” Responding to this, 28% believe that the price hike of Petrol affected them the most, 71% believe that price of other items increased the most whereas 1% did not give a view.

Question: “What thing was it that you had the most hardship with by its increased prices? And what is the second and third most?”



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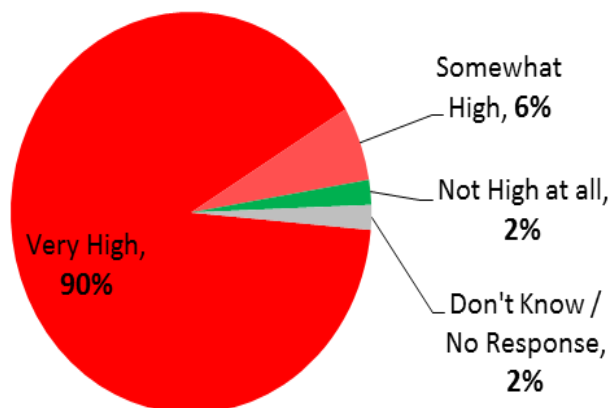


A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked “Please tell us whether the Price hike in the following items has been very high, somewhat high or not high at all during the last five years?” Responding to this, 90% believe that the price hike in electricity bill has been very high, 6% believe that it is somewhat high whereas 2% believe that there has been no price hike in electricity bill at all. However, 2% did not give a view.

Question: “Please tell us whether the Price hike in the following items has been very high, somewhat high or not high at all during the last five years?”

(The respondents were given a list which included Meat, Flour, Vegetables, Ghee, Milk, Children’s School fee, Electricity bill, gas bill and phone bill)

PERCEPTIONS ABOUT THE LEVEL OF PRICE HIKE OF ELECTRICITY DURING LAST 5 YEARS



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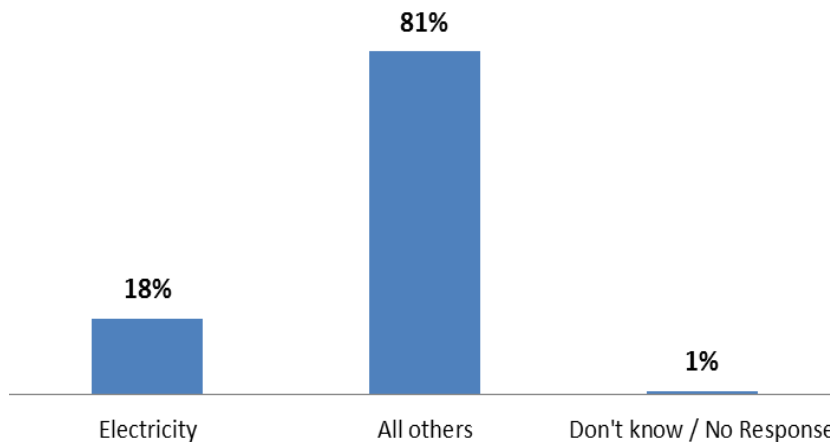
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In a follow up question, the respondents were asked, “What thing was it that you had the most hardship with by its increased prices? And what is the second and third most?” Responding to this 18% believe that the price hike of electricity has affected them the most, 81% consider other things while 1% did not give a view.

Question: “What thing was it that you had the most hardship with by its increased prices? And what is the second and third most?”

**PERCEPTIONS ABOUT WHICH PRICE HIKE HAS
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