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From The Editor

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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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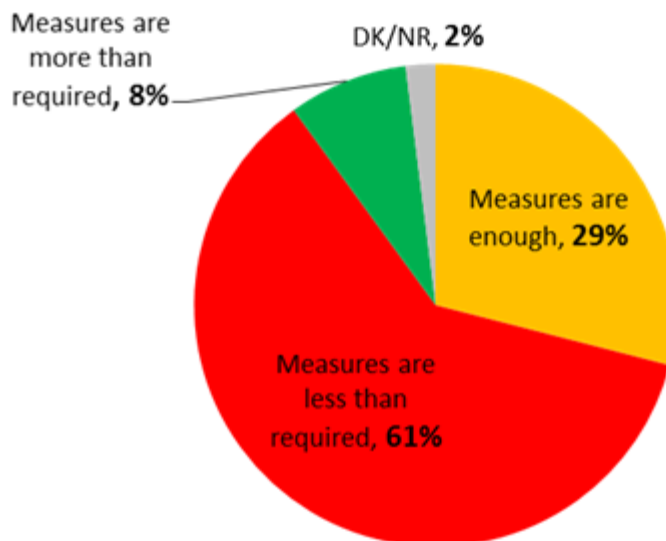
Islamabad September 24, 2012

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A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked “In your opinion are the measurements taken by the government to control Dengue virus enough, less than required or more than required?” Responding to this, 61% of Pakistanis say the measures are less than required, 29% say the measures are enough and 8% say the measures are more than required. However, 2% did not give a response.

Question: “In your opinion are the measurements taken by the government to control Dengue virus enough, less than required or more than required?”



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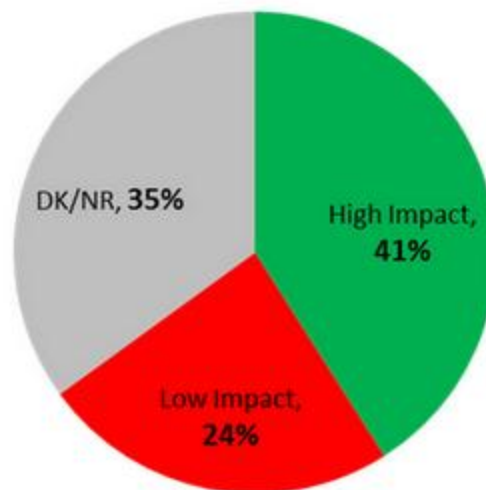
Islamabad September 25, 2012

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A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked “How much, in your view, is the impact of American elections on the economic and political life in your country?” Responding to this, 41% of Pakistanis say American elections have a high impact on life in Pakistan, and 24% say American elections have a low impact on life in Pakistan. However, 35% did not give a view.

Question: “How much, in your view, is the impact of American election on your country, on issues such as economic progress, trade, peace etc. In other words how much is the impact of American President on what happens in your country?”



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Comparative Global Data

Question: “How much, in your view, is the impact of American election on your country, on issues such as economic progress, trade, peace etc. In other words how much is the impact of American President on what happens in your country?”

Countries (ranked by highest %)	High Impact	Low Impact	Don't know / no response
Canada	88	8	3
Israel	88	9	3
Japan	84	9	7
Brazil	80	16	4
South korea	80	11	9
China	79	18	3
Colombia	69	28	3
France	68	30	2
Kenya	64	34	3
Germany	61	35	4
Italy	59	36	5
Lebanon	58	30	13
Ireland	58	39	3
Tunisia	57	33	9
Turkey	57	32	11
Iraq	56	31	12
Denmark	55	37	9
Netherlands	54	39	7
Hong kong	54	41	5
Portugal	52	32	15
Georgia	47	43	10
India	44	38	17
Macedonia	43	34	23
Cameroon	43	48	10
Pakistan	41	24	35
Switzerland	40	57	3
Australia	39	46	15
Ecuador	39	44	17
Palestine	37	31	33
Romania	33	34	33
Finland	29	65	6
Iceland	28	49	23
Azerbaijan	12	66	22
Saudi Arabia	0	0	0

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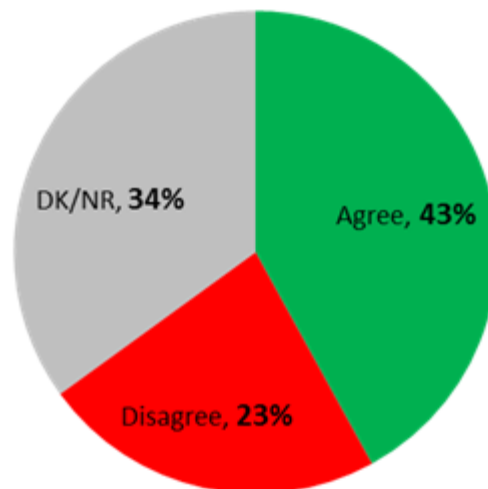
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A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked “Some people say American (Presidential) elections influence the life in their country so much that they should have the right to vote for American President, do you agree or disagree with this view?” Responding to this, 43% of Pakistanis agree with the statement and 23% disagree. However, 34% did not give a view.

Question: “Some people say American (Presidential) elections influence the life in their country so much that they should have the right to vote for the American President, do you agree or disagree with this view?”



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Countries (ranked by highest %)	Agree	Disagree	Don't know / no response
Kenya	64	35	1
China	58	37	5
India	53	36	11
Cameroon	47	47	6
Pakistan	43	23	34
Colombia	42	56	2
Brazil	42	55	4
Turkey	38	58	5
Tunisia	34	55	11
Israel	34	63	4
Palestine	26	37	37
Iraq	26	60	15
Macedonia	26	51	24
Portugal	25	61	14
Canada	23	71	6
Netherlands	23	73	4
Romania	22	38	40
Switzerland	22	71	7
Azerbaijan	22	59	20
Lebanon	21	68	12
Italy	20	76	5
Ireland	18	79	3
Japan	18	51	31
Ecuador	18	64	19
South korea	17	72	11
Hong kong	15	79	6
Australia	15	74	12
France	13	85	2
Georgia	8	89	4
Iceland	6	72	22
Finland	5	92	3
Denmark	0	0	0
Germany	0	0	0
Saudi Arabia	0	0	0

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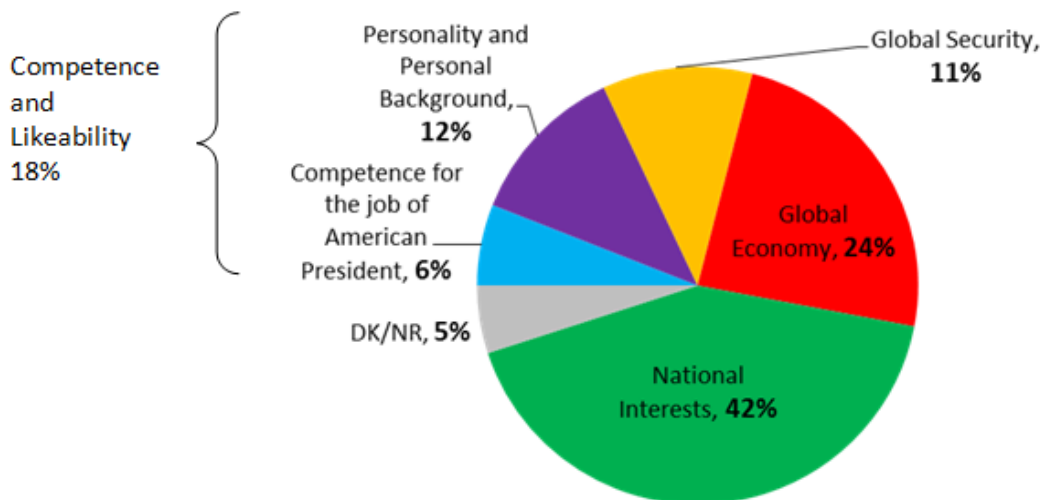
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A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked "If you were to vote in American elections and choose between President Obama and Republican candidate Mitt Romney, what would be the most important reason for making your choice? (Give one answer)" Responding to this, 42% chose national interest, 24% chose global economy, 11% chose global security and 18% chose competence and likeability. However, 5% did not give a view.

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Countries (ranked by highest %)	National Interest as Key Factor	Global Economy and security as Key Factor	Competence and Likeability of Candidate as Key Factor	Don't know / no response
Israel	56	17	26	1
Lebanon	45	15	34	6
Pakistan	42	35	18	5
Georgia	37	19	38	6
China	37	39	24	0
Macedonia	34	27	33	6
South korea	29	27	34	9
Japan	28	41	28	3
Palestine	27	40	29	5
Iraq	26	45	28	2
Turkey	24	19	49	7
Romania	24	33	40	3
Colombia	19	28	48	5
India	18	21	50	12
Brazil	16	36	46	2
Tunisia	15	47	30	7
Italy	15	37	40	8
Canada	12	13	71	3
Azerbaijan	11	30	53	5
Australia	11	22	63	4
Portugal	11	23	61	5
Ireland	10	27	60	3
Kenya	10	45	45	0
France	9	34	56	1
Germany	8	38	47	7
Cameroon	8	25	64	3
Ecuador	7	21	69	3
Saudi Arabia	6	11	71	12
Hong kong	5	45	42	8
Switzerland	3	26	68	3
Denmark	2	28	66	4
Finland	2	24	69	5
Netherlands	1	6	37	56
Iceland	1	17	75	7

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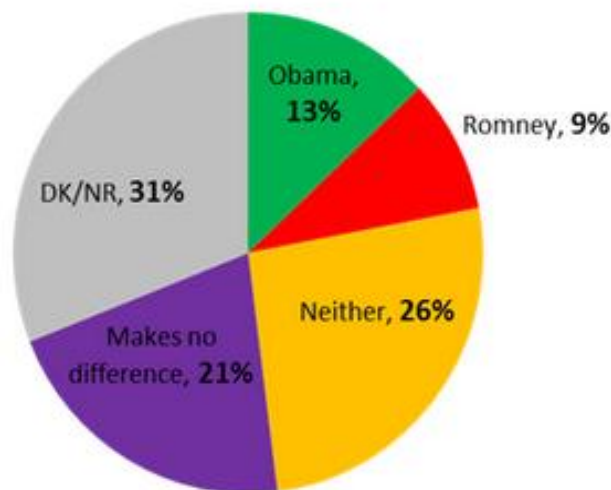
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Question: “If you were to vote in American Presidential Elections, who would you vote for?”

Countries (In Alphabetical Order)	Obama	Romney	Neither	Makes no difference	Don't know / no response
Australia	52	6	7	13	22
Azerbaijan	51	2	20	21	6
Brazil	80	6	6	3	6
Cameroon	75	13	8	3	1
Canada	66	9	9	7	9
China	38	16	42	0	4
Colombia	60	11	15	7	6
Denmark	75	4	3	5	13
Ecuador	48	8	5	17	22
Finland	56	3	7	26	8
France	84	5	7	4	1
Georgia	24	13	7	46	11
Germany	72	2	6	13	7
Hong kong	40	7	22	20	11
Iceland	64	1	6	9	20
India	45	11	9	4	30
Iraq	33	8	23	17	19
Ireland	56	2	3	35	4
Israel	22	41	10	10	18
Italy	60	4	11	17	8
Japan	36	6	5	27	25
Kenya	83	10	4	2	1
Lebanon	21	7	49	5	17
Macedonia	29	12	22	15	22
Netherlands	65	2	3	12	18
Pakistan	13	9	26	21	31
Palestine	9	5	32	23	31
Portugal	43	1	12	35	9
Romania	37	4	12	17	30
Saudi Arabia	44	5	35	16	0
South korea	54	8	6	0	32
Switzerland	81	5	5	6	4
Tunisia	36	4	29	12	18
Turkey	31	2	27	24	16

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