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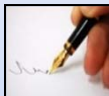
Dear Reader,

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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November 14, 2011



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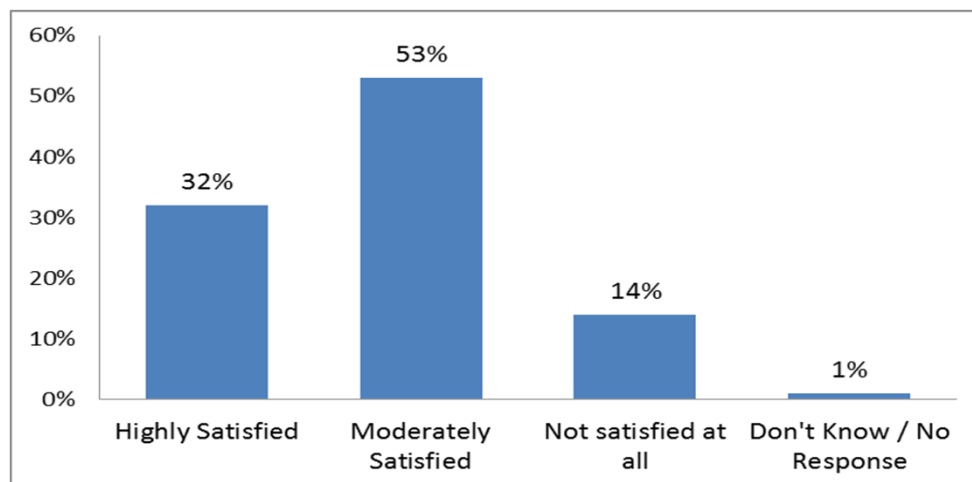
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In a survey a nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces were asked Overall how much satisfied are you with your personal life these days? And overall how much satisfied are you with the situation of your country? The responses to these questions show an interesting difference in Pakistani attitudes towards satisfaction with their private and public life. As for their private life most Pakistanis tend to say they are either highly 32% or moderately 53% satisfied. But when it comes to national affairs and public life the level of satisfaction drops quite sharply. Only 54% express either high 15% or moderate 39% level of satisfaction.

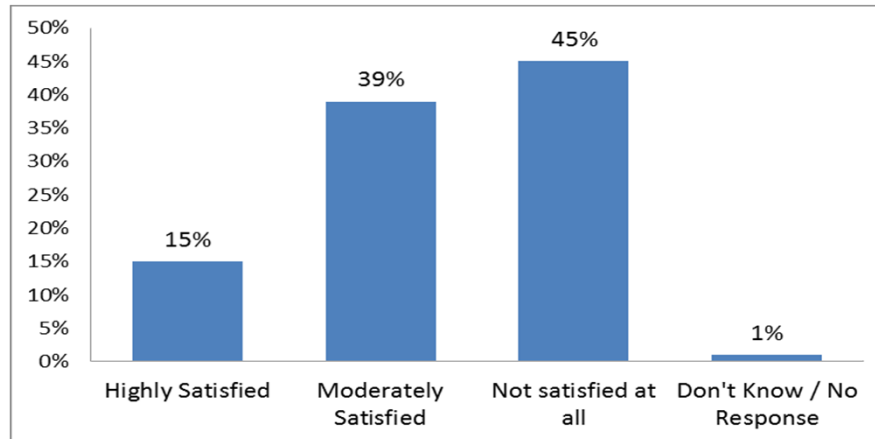
Question: “Overall how much satisfied are you with your personal life these days?”



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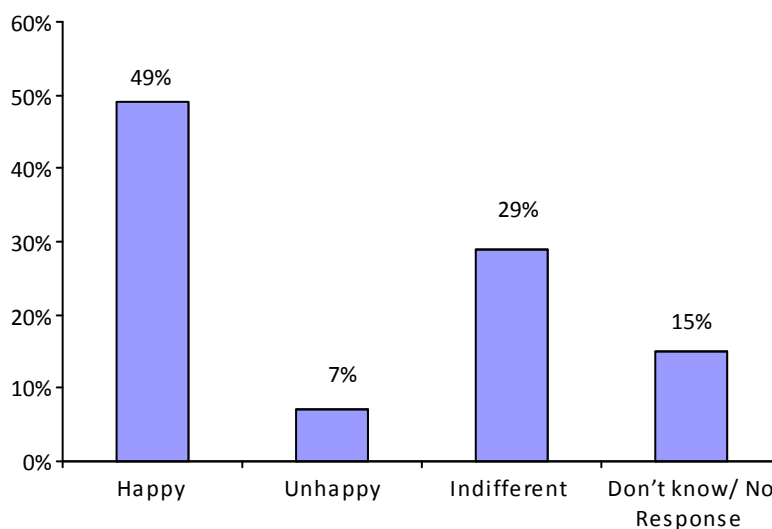
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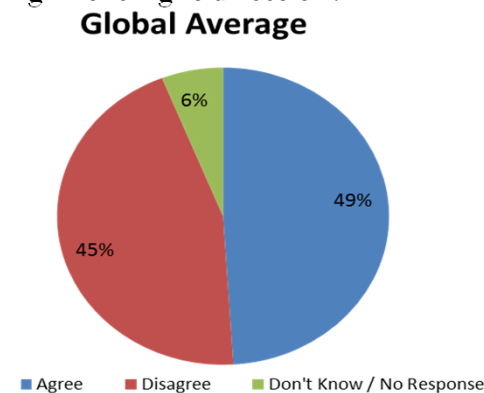
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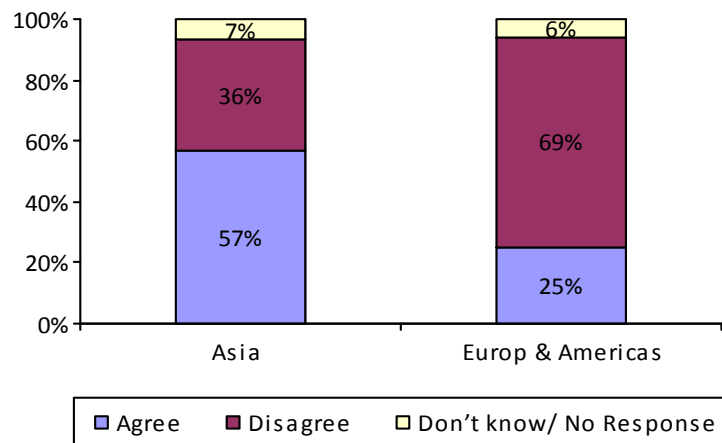
The following table provides awareness for certain selected countries. The responses for all countries separately are available at www.GlobeScan.com

Country	Right Direction	Wrong Direction	Don't Know / No Response
France	10%	88%	2%
Germany	23%	73%	4%
USA	19%	78%	3%
UK	24%	72%	4%
China	65%	26%	9%
India	62%	33%	5%
Japan	14%	85%	1%

Important Note: The balance from 100 either believes the world is not moving in the Right direction, or they said they did not know.

REGIONAL COMPARISON BETWEEN ASIA AND EURO_AMERICA:

The data further show that the average for Asia (57%) is considerably higher than Europe and Americas (25%).



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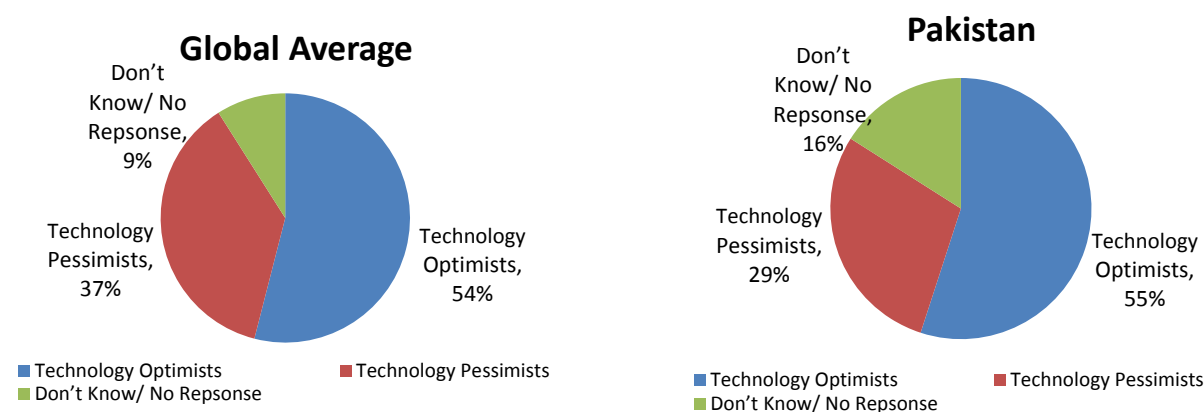


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Country	Agree	Disagree	Don't Know/ No Response
Germany	29%	67%	4%
USA	29%	66%	5%
UK	39%	56%	5%
China	51%	44%	5%
India	64%	22%	14%
Japan	55%	45%	0%
Pakistan	55%	29%	16%
Global Average	54%	37%	9%

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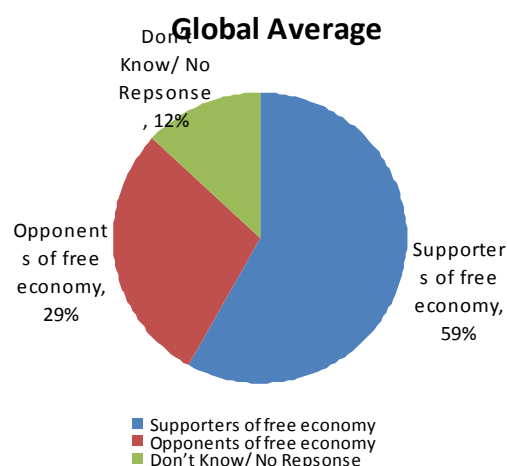
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3	USA	62%	27%	11%
5	UK	51%	33%	16%
2	China	64%	24%	12%
4	India	61%	23%	16%
6	Japan	48%	52%	0%

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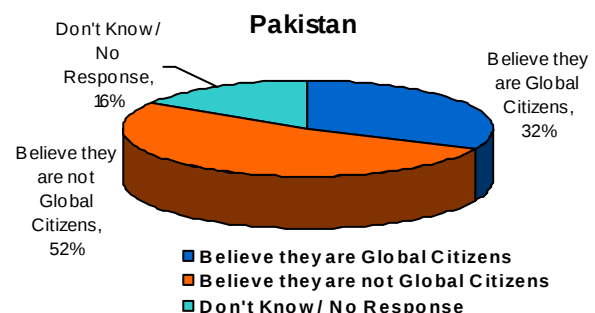
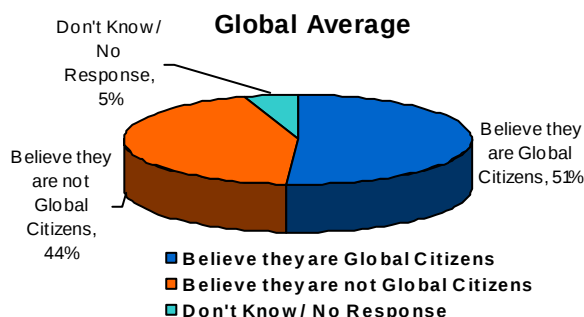
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UK	45%	53%	2%
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India	54%	38%	8%
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