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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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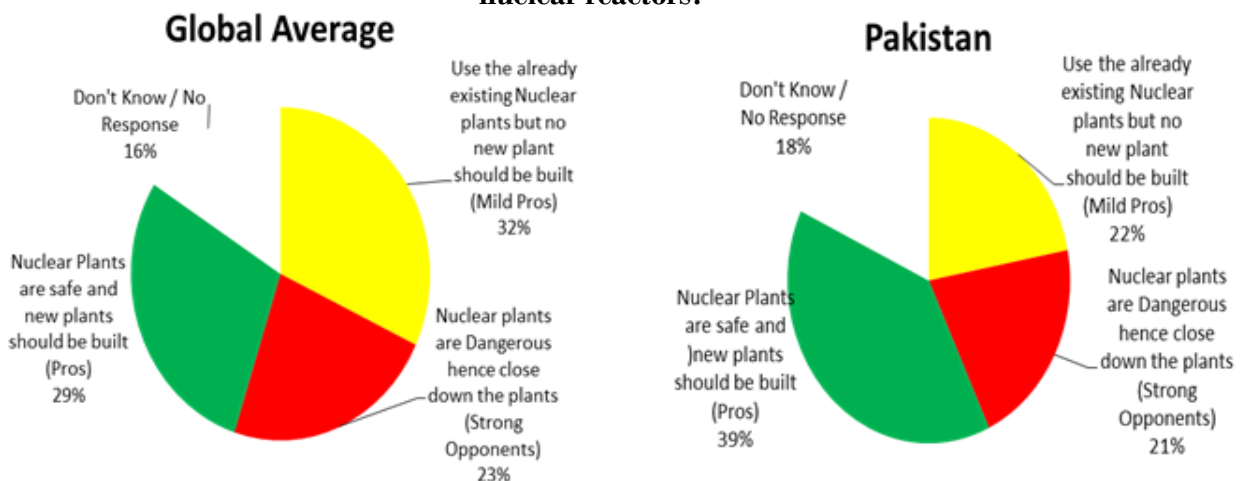
Islamabad November 28, 2011

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The global survey was conducted in 23 countries across the globe covering Europe, Americas, Asia and Africa. The global sample comprised 23,231 men and women, as well as those belonging to various age, income, education and linguistics groups. The respondents were given three statements (reproduced below) and asked; “Which statement best reflects your view of the generation of electricity using nuclear reactors?” Responding to this, 32% of the respondents said that the only those nuclear plants should be used that already exists and new plants should not be built; 23% of the respondents think of nuclear power as dangerous and are of the opinion that they should be closed as soon as possible where as 29% of the respondents believe that nuclear power is relatively safe and an important source of electricity therefore new nuclear power plants should be built. However 16% did not give a view.

Question: “Which statement best reflects your view of the generation of electricity using nuclear reactors?”



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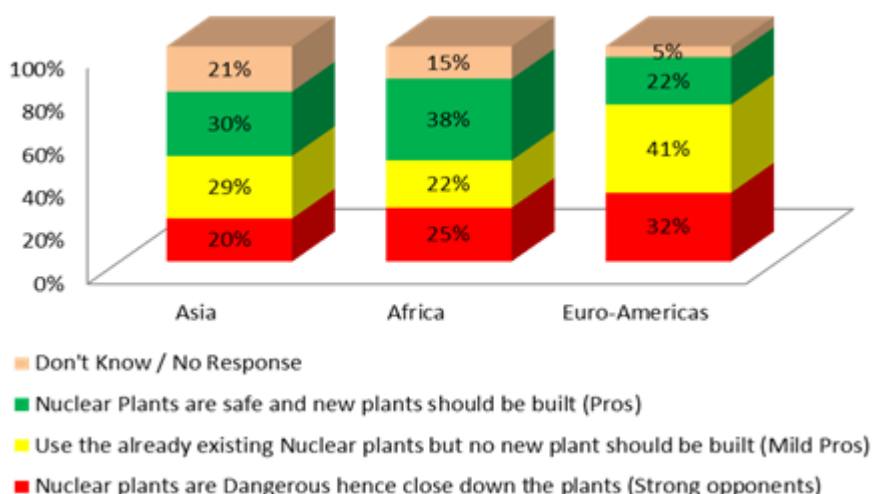
GLOBAL DATA:

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

Country	Nuclear plants are Dangerous hence close down the plants (Strong Opponents)	Use the already existing nuclear plants but no new plants should be built (Mild pros)	Nuclear plants are safe and new plants should be built (Pros)	Don't know/ No Response
USA	14%	44%	39%	3%
Japan	27%	57%	6%	10%
Germany	52%	38%	7%	3%
France	25%	58%	15%	2%
China	13%	35%	42%	10%
India	21%	18%	23%	38%
Nigeria	23%	25%	41%	11%
Kenya	39%	15%	29%	17%
Pakistan	21%	22%	39%	18%
Global Average	23%	32%	29%	16%

REGIONAL COMPARISON BETWEEN ASIA AFRICA AND EURO_AMERICA:

Regional comparison shows that the opposition to nuclear plants for generating electricity is higher in Euro-Americas compared to the rest of the world.



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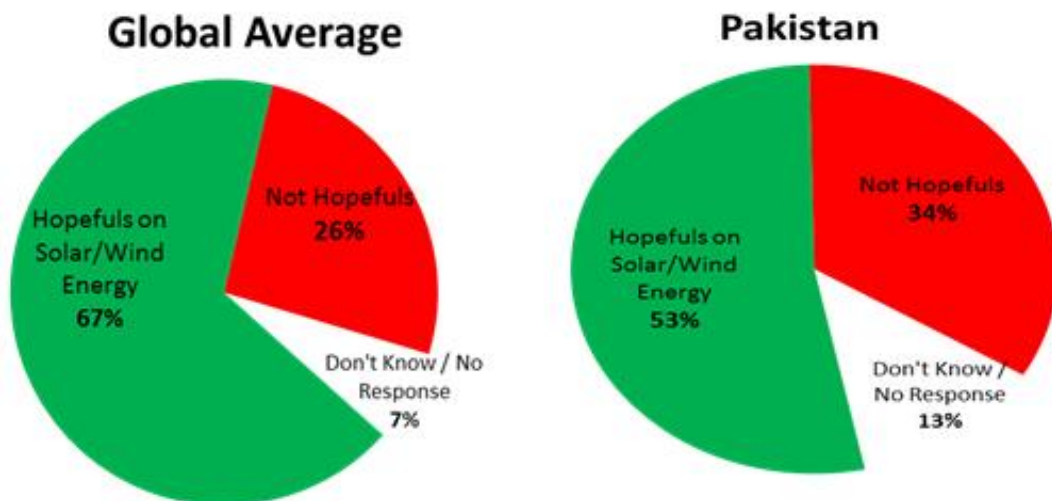
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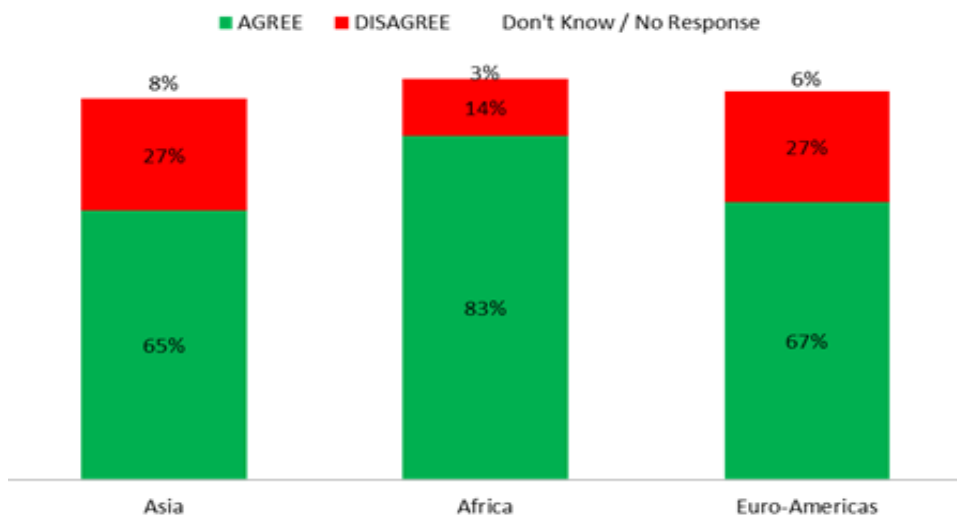
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China	69%	26%	5%
India	58%	28%	14%
Nigeria	86%	13%	1%
Kenya	78%	17%	5%
Pakistan	53%	34%	13%
Global Average	67%	26%	7%

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Regional comparison shows that the expectations to be highly energy efficient are highest in Africa (83%), Euro-Americas (67%) and then Asia at 65%.

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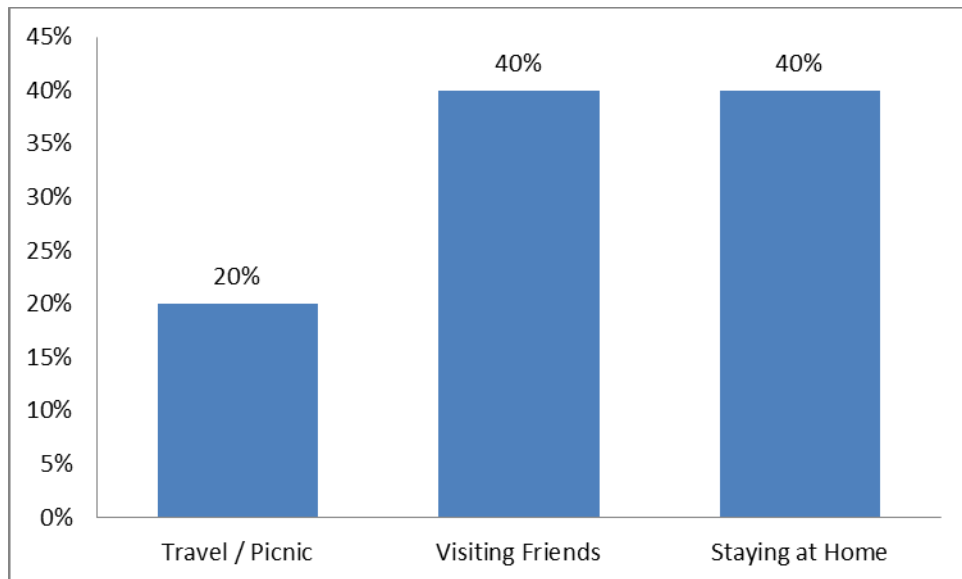
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In a survey a nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces the respondents were asked “Many people like to do different activities during the Eid holidays. What you like to do on Eid holidays?” Responding to this 20% said they go out for picnic, 40% said that they prefer to visit friends, another 40% said that they prefer to stay at home.

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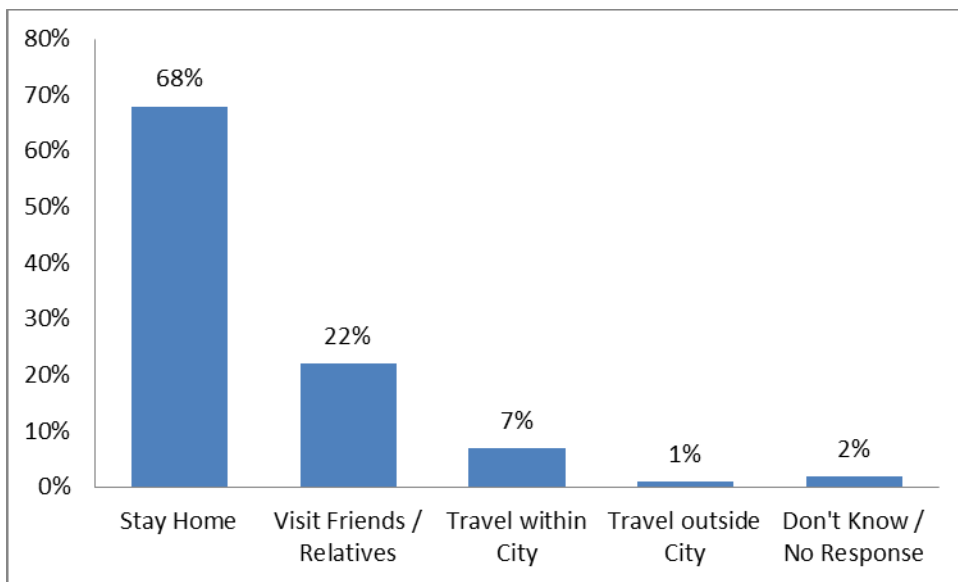
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In a survey a nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces the respondents were asked “How do you spend your Sunday holiday?” Responding to this 68% say that they prefer to stay at home, 22% prefer to visit their friends and relatives, 7% like to travel within city whereas 1% like to travel outside city. However 2% did not give a view.

Question: “How do you spend your Sunday holiday?”



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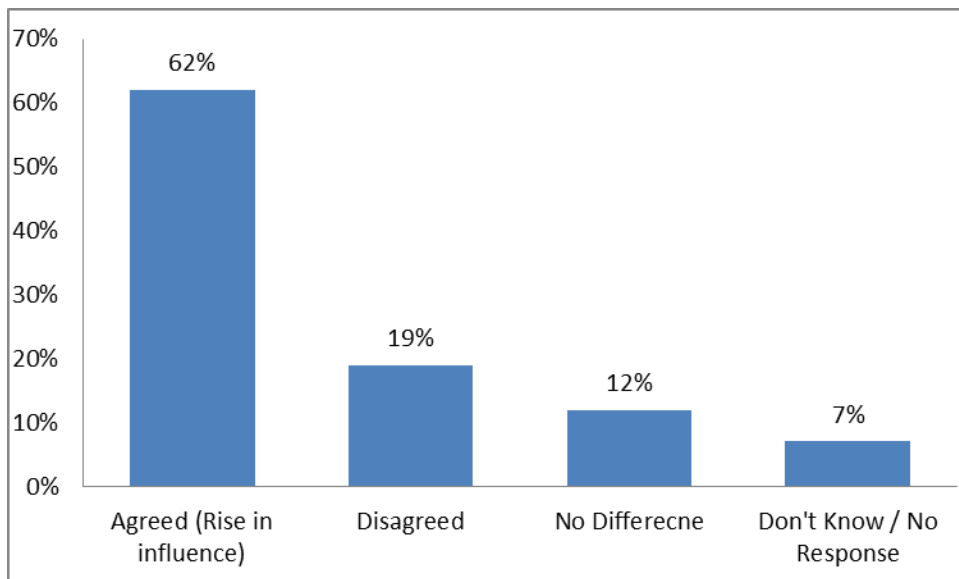
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A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked “Would you agree or disagree with the view that American influence has increased during the PPP government, or would you say that there has been no change?” Responding to this 62% agreed that the US influence had increased, 19% disagreed whereas 12% believed that there was no change in it. However 7% did not give a view.

Question: “Would you agree or disagree with the view that American influence has increased during the PPP government, or would you say that there has been no change?”



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