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HALF OF THE POPULATION BELIEVES THAT GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITY OR A POSITION OF POWER, AN ORDINARY CITIZEN WILL ALSO ACT AS CORRUPTLY AS POLITICIANS OR BUREAUCRATS TEND TO BE: GALLUP & GILANI PAKISTAN

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Question: "Some people think that, given the opportunity or a position of power, an ordinary citizen will also act as corruptly as politicians or bureaucrats tend to be, whereas some believe that that will not be the case. What do you think?"



If given the opportunity, an ordinary citizen will also be corrupt

50%

That is not the case; an ordinary citizen will not be corrupt

43%

Don't know No response: 7%



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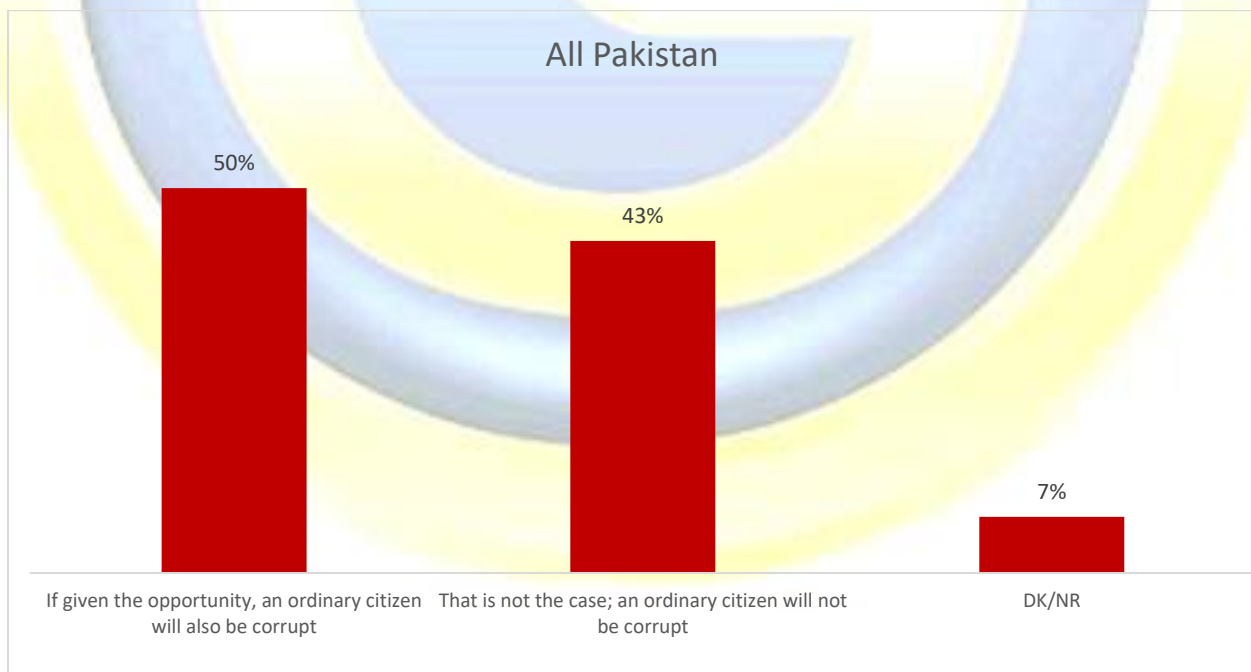
Half of the population believes that given the opportunity or a position of power, an ordinary citizen will also act as corruptly as politicians or bureaucrats tend to be: Gallup & Gilani Pakistan

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According to a survey conducted by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, half of the population believes that given the opportunity or a position of power, an ordinary citizen will also act as corruptly as politicians or bureaucrats tend to be.

A nationally representative sample of adult men and women from across the country was asked the following question, “Some people think that, given the opportunity or a position of power, an ordinary citizen will also act as corruptly as politicians or bureaucrats tend to be, whereas some believe that that will not be the case. What do you think?” In response to this question, 50% responded that they would also be corrupt while 43% responded that they would not be corrupt. Older people seem to be more optimistic with 46% of those aged 50+ thinking that given the opportunity an ordinary citizen will act corruptly, as compared to 61% of the younger people aged under 30.

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Source: Gallup & Gilani Pakistan
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The study was released by Gilani Research Foundation and carried out by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International. The recent survey was carried out among a sample of 1462 men and women in urban and rural areas of all four provinces of the country, from Aug 03 – Aug 24 2022. The error margin is estimated to be approximately $\pm 2-3$ percent at the 95% confidence level. The methodology used for data collection was Telephonic Survey.



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If you have any further questions regarding this poll, please feel free to contact us.

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