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**82% PAKISTANIS BELIEVE OVERSEAS PAKISTANIS SHOULD GET THE RIGHT TO VOTE:
GALLUP & GILANI PAKISTAN**

82% پاکستانیوں کا یہ ماننا ہے کہ بیرون ملک مقیم پاکستانیوں کو بھی پاکستان کے عام انتخابات میں ووٹ کا حق ملنا چاہیئے

Question: "Some people say that Pakistanis living abroad should also have the right to vote in the general elections of Pakistan, while some people say that only people living in Pakistan should have the right to vote in the general elections. What is your opinion?"



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(Also emailed*/faxed separately)



Opinion Poll Overseas Pakistanis

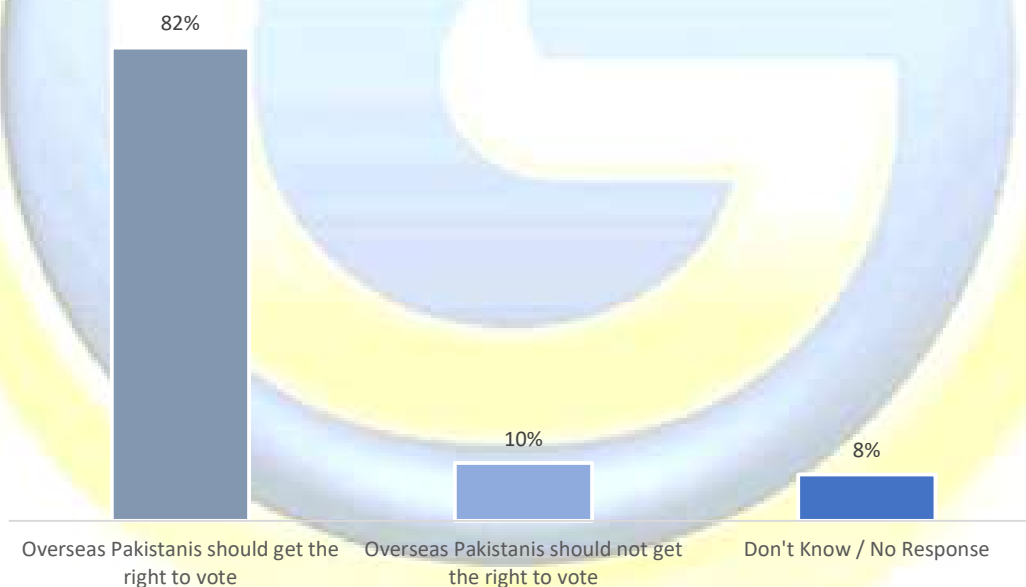
82% Pakistanis believe overseas Pakistanis should get the right to vote: Gallup & Gilani Pakistan

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According to a survey conducted by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, 82% Pakistanis believe overseas Pakistanis should get the right to vote.

A nationally representative sample of adult men and women from across the country, was asked the question “Some people say that Pakistanis living abroad should also have the right to vote in the general elections of Pakistan, while some people say that only people living in Pakistan should have the right to vote in the general elections. What is your opinion?” In response, 82% said overseas Pakistanis should get the right to vote, 10% said overseas Pakistanis should not get the right to vote, and 8% said they do not know or gave no response.

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Source: Gallup & Gilani Pakistan
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The study in Pakistan was conducted and 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 1535 men and women in urban and rural areas of all four provinces of the country, conducted during 29 March to 07 April 2023. 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 surveys (CATI)



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

*Best Regards,
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