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# A PROPORTION OF 39% PAKISTANIS THINK THE COUNTRY IS SAFER THAN IT WAS 10 YEARS AGO, WHILE 41% BELIEVE IT TO BE LESS SAFE THAN BEFORE: GALLUP & GILANI PAKISTAN

پاکستانیوں کی 39% شرح کا خیال ہے کہ 10 سال پہلے کی نسبت اب ملک زیادہ محفوظ ہے، جبکہ 41% پاکستانی ملک کو پہلے کی نسبت اب کم محفوظ سمجھتے ہیں۔

Question: Overall, do you think your country is more safe, less safe, or no different now than it was ten years ago?





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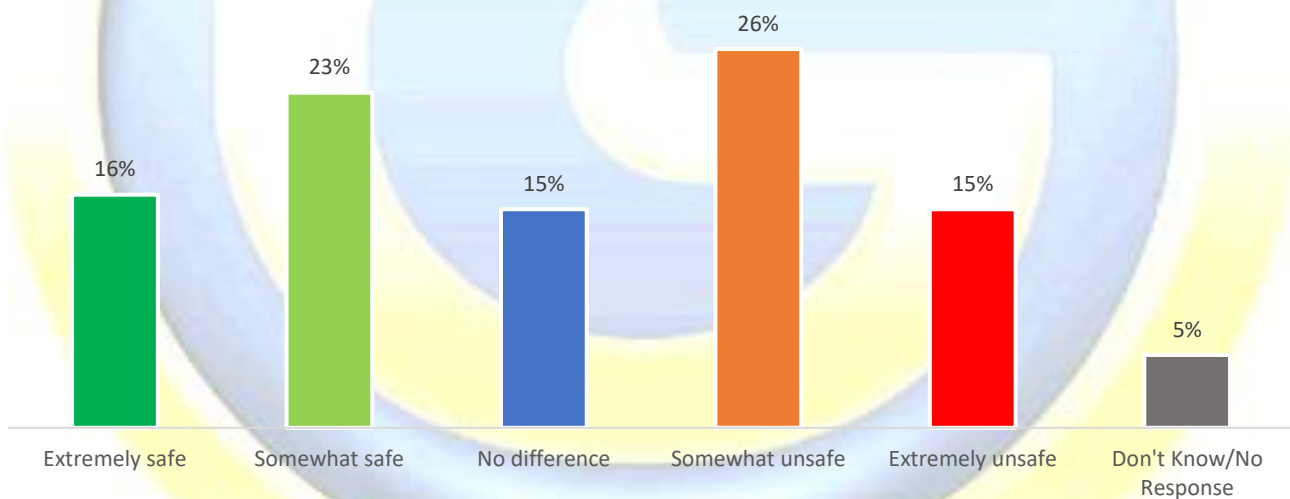
**A proportion of 39% Pakistanis think the country is safer than it was 10 years ago, while 41% believe it to be less safe than before: Gallup & Gilani Pakistan**

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According to a survey conducted by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, a proportion of 39% Pakistanis think the country is safer than it was 10 years ago, while 41% believe it to be less safe now than before.

A nationally representative sample of adult men and women from across the country was asked the question, “Overall, do you think your country is more safe, less safe, or no different now than it was ten years ago?” In response, 16% said ‘Extremely safe’, 23% said ‘Somewhat safe’, 15% said ‘No difference’, 26% said ‘Somewhat unsafe’, 15% said ‘Extremely unsafe’, and 5% said that they did not know or gave no response.

**Question: Overall, do you think your country is more safe, less safe, or no different now than it was ten years ago?**



Source: Gallup & Gilani Pakistan  
([www.gallup-international.com](http://www.gallup-international.com); [www.gallup.com.pk](http://www.gallup.com.pk), [www.gilanifoundation.com](http://www.gilanifoundation.com))

The study in Pakistan was conducted and released by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International. The recent survey was carried out among a sample of 1,023 men and women in urban and rural areas of all four provinces of the country, conducted from 03<sup>rd</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> January, 2024. 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.*

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