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AMONG MARRIED PAKISTANIS, ALMOST 1 OUT OF 3 (30%) HAD BEEN MARRIED FOR 5 TO 10 YEARS; WOMEN AND RURAL RESIDENTS MORE LIKELY TO REPORT THIS STATISTIC: GALLUP & GILANI PAKISTAN

شادی شدہ پاکستانیوں میں سے، تقریباً ہر 3 میں سے 1 (30%) پاکستانی کی شادی کو تقریباً 5 سے 10 سال کا عرصہ ہو چکا ہے۔ اس حوالے سے شرح خواتین اور دیہی علاقوں میں رہنے والے افراد میں زیادہ پائی گئی۔

Question: Approximately how many years have you been married?





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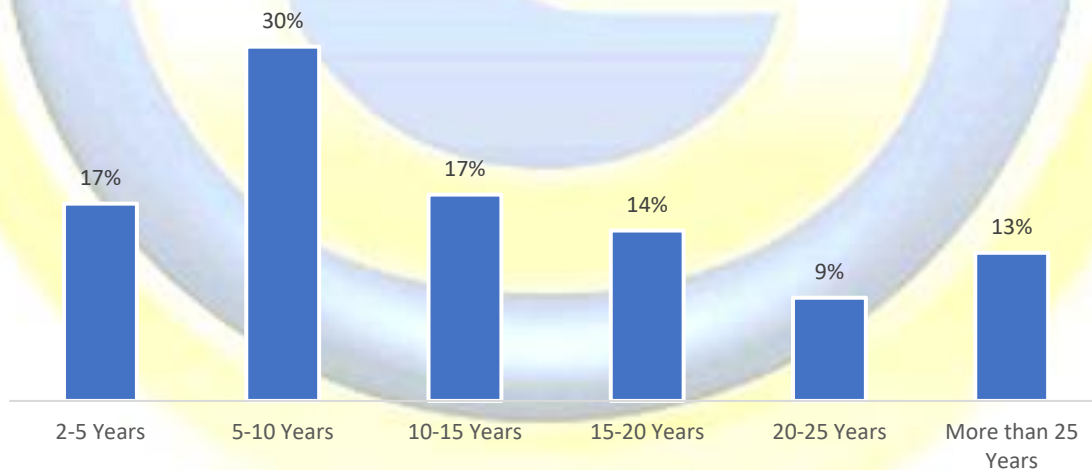
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According to a survey conducted by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, among married Pakistanis, almost 1 out of 3 (30%) had been married for 5 to 10 years. Survey findings revealed that women were 12% more likely than men to have been married for 5 to 10 years. Meanwhile, rural residents were 8% more likely to report 5-10 years of marriage, as compared to urban residents.

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A nationally representative sample of married adult men and women from across the country was asked the question, “Approximately how many years have you been married?” In response, 17% said ‘2-5 years’, 30% said ‘5-10 years’, 17% responded ‘10-15 years’, 14% answered ‘15-20 years’, 9% said ‘20-25 years’, and 13% said ‘More than 25 years’.

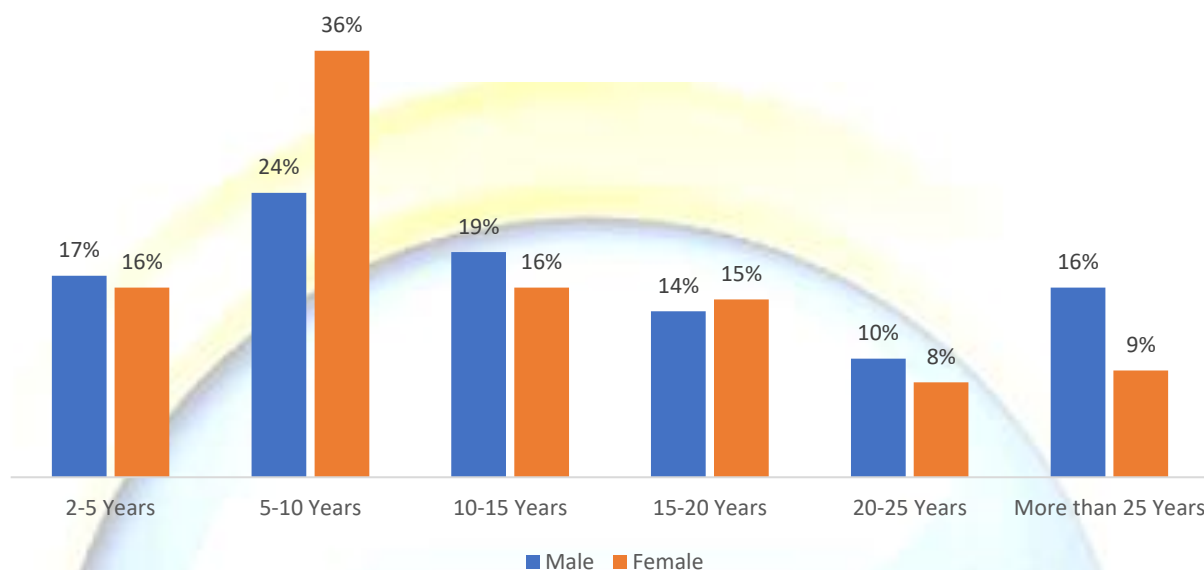
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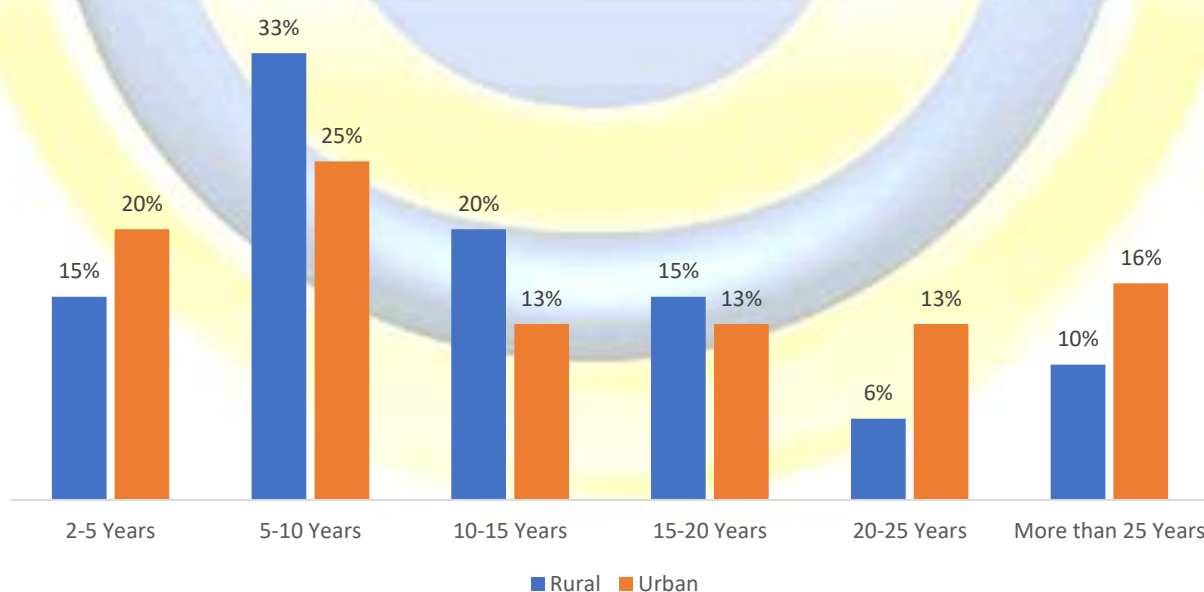
The study in Pakistan was conducted and released by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International. The recent survey was carried out among a sample of 530 men and women in urban and rural areas of all four provinces of the country, conducted from 28th June - 10th July 2024. 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).

Across gender: 12% more women reported being married for 5-10 years, as compared to men (24%). Meanwhile, 16% men reported having been married for more than 25 years, while only 9% of women reported the same.



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Across rurality: Rural residents were more likely (33%) to report having been married for 5-10 years, as compared to urban residents (25%). 5% more urban residents had been married for only 2-5 years, relative to the rural residents (15%).



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

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