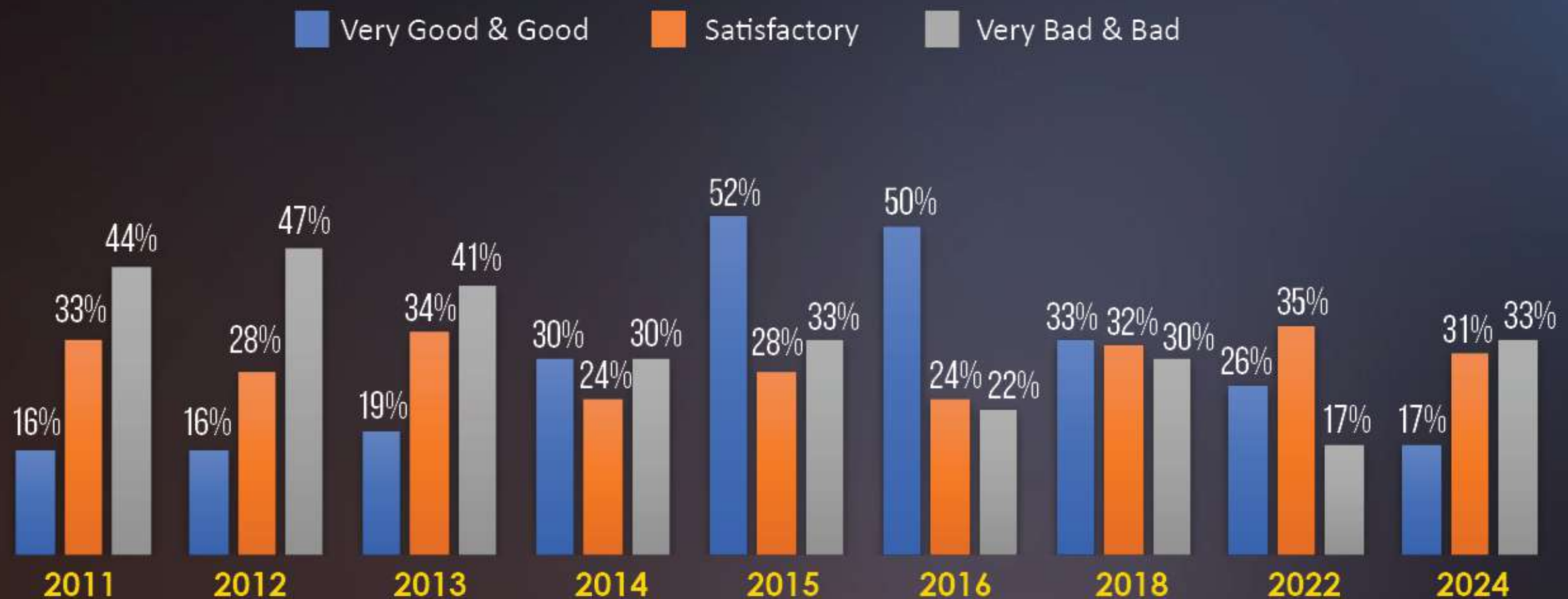


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The Gallup & Gilani survey revealed that confidence in the National Assembly's performance is declining, with only 5% of respondents rating it as very good and 12% as good this year. For the past decade and a half, Gallup Pakistan has been asking nationally representative samples of adult men and women the following question: "Please let us know what your opinions on the performance of the National Assembly over the past year are. Do you think its performance has been very good, good, satisfactory, bad, or very bad?"

Comparative Picture: In 2024, 5% of survey respondents rated the performance as very good, 12% good, 31% satisfactory, 2% rated it as bad, and 10% said it was very bad. 19% of respondents did not respond to the question.

Trend Analysis: The survey data shows notable changes in public opinion about the National Assembly's performance over the years. In 2011, 5% rated its performance as very good, 11% as good, 33% as satisfactory, 20% as bad, and 24% as very bad, with 8% not responding. In 2012, the figures stayed mostly the same, but those rating the performance as satisfactory dropped to 28%.

In 2013, 6% rated the performance as very good, 13% good, 34% satisfactory, 16% bad and 25% very bad, with 6% not responding. The trend improved in 2014, with 8% rating it very good, 22% good, 24% satisfactory, 19% bad, 11% very bad and 7% did not respond.

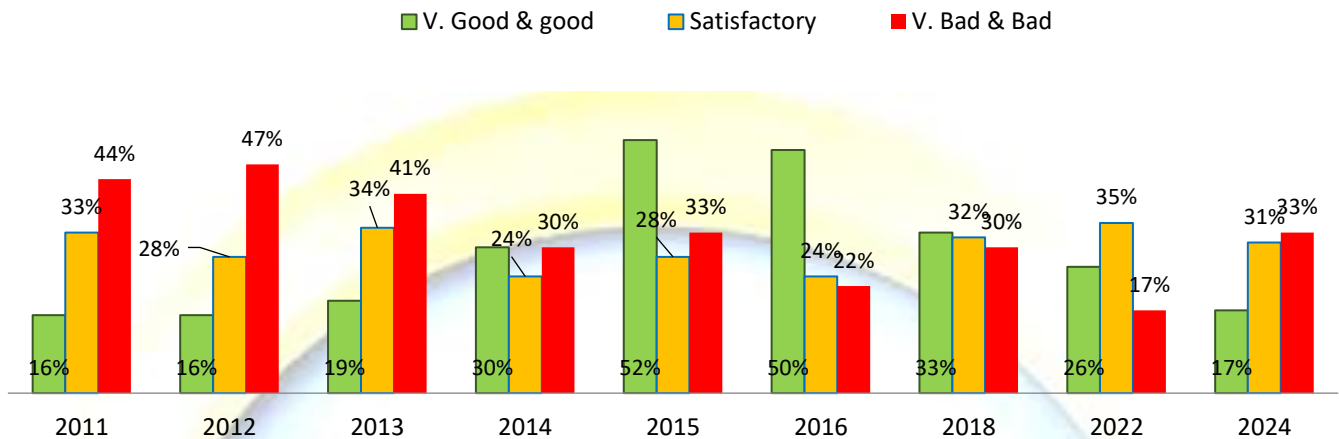
In 2015, those rating performance as good increased significantly with 22% rating it as very good, 30% as good, 28% as satisfactory, 21% bad, 12% very bad, and 5% did not respond. The positive approval rating continued in 2016, with 18% rating it as very good, 32% good, 24% as satisfactory, 13% as bad, 9% as very bad and 4% did not respond. In 2018, the approval ratings changed again with 8% of respondents rating it as very good, 25% good, 32% satisfactory, 20% bad, 10% very bad and 4% did not respond. In 2022, 6% rated it very good, 20% good, 35% satisfactory, 12% bad, 5% very bad, and 22% did not respond.

Overall, the data reflects fluctuating perceptions of the National Assembly's performance, with a notable peak in 2015 and ongoing changes in public sentiment.

This press release has been made as part of the Gallup Pakistan History Project which aims to release historical empirical polling data to wider audiences. The objective is to sustain and encourage empirical decision-making in Pakistan.



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Source: Gallup & Gilani Pakistan
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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 769 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).



Aim and Rationale for Gallup Pakistan History Project

Bilal I Gilani, who is the Executive Director at Gallup Pakistan, and the Director of Gallup Pakistan History Project explains the aim of the Project as follows: “Gallup Pakistan has been polling in Pakistan since 1979 (over 40 years). During this time, millions of Pakistanis have been surveyed by over a thousand interviewers of Gallup. In 2014, Gallup Pakistan decided to release historical Public Opinion data and this Press Release is part of Gallup Pakistan’s History Project. This endeavor is dedicated to all those who hope for a more empirical understanding of Pakistani Issues”. For more information about the Gallup History Project, please contact caf@gallup.com.pk



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

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