

Bi-Weekly Media Monitor (February 1 - 14, 2023)

Coal	Oil & Gas	Renewable Energy	Energy & Finance	Climate Change
Pakistan plans to quadruple domestic coal-fired power, move away from gas	Gas prices hiked	Wind power projects transform Pakistan's energy landscape.	'Viable' energy sector: PD fails to prepare plan	Varsities told to teach subject related to climate change
<i>Business Recorder, Feb 14</i>	<i>Business Recorder, Feb 14</i>	<i>The News, Feb 9</i>	<i>Business Recorder, Feb 14</i>	<i>The News, Feb 13</i>
Three coal miners killed in Duki, Sharag	Gas tariff hike will help E&P sector but hurt steel, chemical and textile firms, say experts	On energy investment	Energy security talks with US next month	Sherry calls for steps to save global ecosystems from climate change
<i>Dawn, Feb 11</i>	<i>Business Recorder, Feb 14</i>	<i>Business Recorder, Feb 7</i>	<i>Business Recorder, Feb 14</i>	<i>Dawn, February 12</i>
PPIB energizes national grid with 1320 MW from Thar project.	Ogra reduces prices of imported LNG for Feb	KE, China's Three Gorges to explore 1,000MW renewable energy projects	Govt to revise power tariff mechanism for AJ&K	For Pakistan, climate change is primarily a water challenge: Sherry
<i>The News, Feb 8</i>	<i>Business Recorder, Feb 14</i>	<i>The News, Feb 7</i>	<i>Business Recorder, Feb 13</i>	<i>The News, Feb 12</i>
Thar coal-based power plant: COD achieved.	Baloch minister plays gas card	KE, Chinese firm ink MoU to collaborate on energy projects	Oct-Dec QTA: Discos seek increase in tariffs	Let's focus on what can still be done
<i>Business Recorder, Feb 8</i>	<i>Express Tribune, Feb 14</i>	<i>The News, Feb 7</i>	<i>Business Recorder, Feb 12</i>	<i>Dawn, February 7</i>
Thar coal vital for survival, say experts	Petrol may jump by Rs20/litre in next review	All set for inking pact with Denmark under DETI	CSAIL seeks PMO's help to get issues resolved	Italy offers help in skill training, curbing smog
<i>Express Tribune, Feb 7</i>	<i>The News, Feb 14</i>	<i>Business Recorder, Feb 6</i>	<i>Business Recorder, Feb 12</i>	<i>Express Tribune, Feb 6</i>
Lawmakers term Thar as bulwark of country's future energy security	Up to 124% gas price hike approved	China to invest in nuclear energy	Govt approves power tariff hike to pacify IMF	Climate education
<i>The News, Feb 6</i>	<i>The News, Feb 13</i>	<i>Dawn, Feb 4</i>	<i>Dawn, Feb 11</i>	<i>The News, Feb 6</i>
Parliamentarians declare Thar 'bulwark of energy security.'	OGRA notifies decline in LNG prices		Hike in power, gas tariffs to damage economy further: PIAF	Reporting climate injustice
<i>Pakistan Today, Feb 5</i>	<i>Pakistan Today, Feb 13</i>		<i>Pakistan Today, Feb 11</i>	<i>The News, Feb 5</i>

The underside of coal	Govt recovers Rs1.4b royalty amount from two oil, gas firms.		KP Energy & Power Dept fails to utilize ADP funds in tribal districts	‘A lot of pollution in Pakistan is actually a design flaw’
<i>The News, Feb 5</i>	<i>Pakistan Today, Feb 13</i>		<i>Pakistan Today, Feb 11</i>	<i>Express Tribune, Feb 4</i>
	Controlling the petrol ‘crisis’		Rethinking GB’s energy	UNEP to improve climate resilience of flood-hit communities.
	<i>Business Recorder, Feb 12</i>		<i>The News, Feb 11</i>	<i>The News, Feb 4</i>
	Exchange loss worries behind petrol shortage		Fixing power sector will be a long haul	UNEP head lauds Sherry’s role in ecosystem restoration
	<i>The News, Feb 11</i>		<i>Business Recorder, Feb 10</i>	<i>Pakistan Today, Feb 3</i>
	IMF conditions: Re1/unit surcharge imposed on big power consumers		Energy subsidy reforms: The considerations	‘Planting native flora to reduce pollution.’
	<i>The News, Feb 11</i>		<i>Business Recorder, Feb 9</i>	<i>Express Tribune, Feb 3</i>
	Gas tariffs to be raised for consumers of SNG-PL, SSGC		Tarbela failed ‘seven times’ during power breakdown	Tales of resilience: a look into worst hit climate change disasters
	<i>Business Recorder, Feb 11</i>		<i>Express Tribune, Feb 8</i>	<i>The News, Feb 1</i>
	Govt plans crackdown against fuel hoarders		Will PPAs become road blocks to solar energy ‘revolution’?	
	<i>Express Tribune, Feb 9</i>		<i>Business Recorder, Feb 8</i>	
	OGRA locates points of petrol hoarding		Aging, obsolete power distribution system blamed for major breakdowns.	
	<i>Express Tribune, Feb 9</i>		<i>The News, Feb 8</i>	
	No shortage of petrol, govt to take action against hoarders: Musadik Malik		Power tariff hike gets PM’s nod to salvage IMF deal	
	<i>Business Recorder, Feb 9</i>		<i>Express Tribune, Feb 7</i>	

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