



Weekly Media Monitor

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This week's major news updates in Pakistan's energy sector:

- Research shows that Sindh government's climate-related departments have only utilized half of the 48.8 billion rupees allocated for climate-resilient development in the past 16 years.
- The Power Division denies reports that the government is considering to change the net metering policy enacted in 2015.
- Islamabad adds more than 160 electric buses in its public transport fleet, connecting the city's main sectors with each other.
- Methane gas inhalation kills 12 miners working at a depth of 1,500 feet in coal mines in the Sanjdi area of Quetta.

 Coal	 Oil & Gas	 Renewable Energy	 Energy & Finance	 Climate Change
Yet another coalmine tragedy <i>Business Recorder, June 09</i>	China, Pakistan agree to strengthen mining, oil and gas cooperation <i>Business Recorder, June 09</i>	Solar panel prices jump ahead of budget <i>Express Tribune, June 09</i>	Political chaos, exorbitant energy cost listed as key challenges <i>Express Tribune, June 09</i>	Environment emergency <i>Business Recorder, June 08</i>
Mine owner, officials booked after 11 miners perish in Balochistan <i>Dawn, June 05</i>	Oil industry asks COAS, SIFC to help recover over Rs91bn dues <i>The News, June 08</i>	Harnessing the Sun: Solar energy's potential in Pakistan <i>Pakistan Today, June 08</i>	Nepra seeks public input on power distribution deal <i>The News, June 09</i>	Climate change moot in SC today <i>The News, June 08</i>
Gas leak kills 11 coalminers in Balochistan <i>The News, June 04</i>	PM Office steps in on OMCs' request <i>Express Tribune, June 08</i>	Chinese EV battery giants reject U.S. 'forced labor' allegations <i>Pakistan Today, June 08</i>	Lesco reports record power losses in April <i>The News, June 09</i>	Climate-resilient farming: FAO-UN, Punjab govt collaborate to launch portal <i>The News, June 08</i>
	Fuel prices likely to reduce by Rs12 <i>Express Tribune, June 08</i>	Solar investment surpasses all other power forms: IEA <i>Express Tribune, June 08</i>	The key to stable power tariffs <i>Business Recorder, June 09</i>	Can courts fix the climate crisis? <i>Dawn, June 07</i>
	Further dip in prices of petroleum products expected <i>Express Tribune, June 07</i>	Solarisation of tube wells discussed <i>Express Tribune, June 07</i>	PTC for cut in energy cost, interest rates <i>Business Recorder, June 09</i>	Climate crisis <i>The News, June 07</i>

	Oil sector alarmed at delay in local investment accords	Alternative energy	Power outages	Climate justice
	<i>The News, June 07</i>	<i>Dawn, June 07</i>	<i>The News, June 08</i>	<i>The News, June 07</i>
	Oil sales recover	‘E-bus service to be functional in Rawalpindi next year’	Electricity tariff for Karachiites raised by Rs3.23 for June-September	Can our cities survive the climate crisis?
	<i>Business Recorder, June 06</i>	<i>The News, June 07</i>	<i>Dawn, June 08</i>	<i>The News, June 07</i>
	Petroleum levy collection target surpassed	Solar investment to hit \$2tr this year: IEA	Govt draws PPP flak over Karachi blackouts	World likely to temporarily pass 1.5C climate limit by 2028: UN
	<i>Express Tribune, June 05</i>	<i>The News, June 07</i>	<i>Express Tribune, June 08</i>	<i>The News, June 06</i>
	Petroleum products sales up by 7pc in May	Solar investment outstrips all other power forms: IEA	President removes hurdle to sacking DISCOs’ boards	50pc of Pakistanis unhappy with govt’s actions on climate change: Gallup Pakistan
	<i>The News, June 05</i>	<i>Business Recorder, June 06</i>	<i>Express Tribune, June 07</i>	<i>The News, June 06</i>
	PPDA rejects plan to sell diesel through DDTs	Eight e-buses reach Islamabad	Power tariff hiked by Rs3.33 per kWh for April	Global warming caused by human activity hits record high: report
	<i>The News, June 05</i>	<i>The News, June 06</i>	<i>Express Tribune, June 07</i>	<i>Express Tribune, June 05</i>
	May Petroleum products sales up 7pc to 1.39 MT YoY	Mystery continues to shroud net metering regime	NEPRA announces electricity rate hike for Karachi	UN warns of ‘climate hell’ as world experiences streak of record-high temperatures
	<i>Business Recorder, June 05</i>	<i>The News, June 06</i>	<i>Express Tribune, June 07</i>	<i>Express Tribune, June 05</i>
	Aramco’s steady strategic play	Hydropower ‘crown jewel’ may remain offline for another two years	Power sector woes	World will likely temporarily pass 1.5C climate limit by 2028: UN
	<i>Dawn, June 03</i>	<i>Dawn, June 06</i>	<i>Dawn, June 07</i>	<i>Dawn, June 05</i>
		For a net-zero future	Rs3.33 per unit hike for April notified	Climate catastrophes of the past
		<i>Dawn, June 06</i>	<i>Dawn, June 07</i>	<i>Dawn, June 05</i>
		Capital expands public transport with 160 new electric buses	Power consumers to pay Rs3.332 per unit extra in June 2024 bills	Upended by climate
		<i>Express Tribune, June 06</i>	<i>The News, June 07</i>	<i>Dawn, June 05</i>
		UNHCR to solarise 125 public facilities	Govt cuts key relief for power consumers	Climate change threatens Australia’s snowy Alps
		<i>The News, June 05</i>	<i>The News, June 06</i>	<i>The News, June 05</i>
		Power Division rejects reports of ending net metering policy	Power consumers will have to pay 14pc markup on instalments	Deserts, droughts and determination
		<i>Business Recorder, June 05</i>	<i>Dawn, June 06</i>	<i>The News, June 05</i>
		World falling short on 2030 renewables goal: IEA	NEPRA raises power tariff by over Rs3 per unit under FCA of April	Climate crisis
		<i>Business Recorder, June 04</i>	<i>Pakistan Today, June 06</i>	<i>The News, June 04</i>
		Govt to provide free solar system to poor households in KP	Capacity payments trap	Children at climate risk
		<i>Dawn, June 04</i>	<i>Express Tribune, June 06</i>	<i>The News, June 04</i>

		10 electric buses arrive in Islamabad today, 20 expected tomorrow	Reduction in power tariff demanded	UN forecasts La Nina could help lower temperatures this year
		<i>Dawn, June 04</i>	<i>Express Tribune, June 06</i>	<i>Dawn, June 04</i>
		World's biggest solar farm comes online in China's Xinjiang	Electricity bill instalment now yearly only	Sindh has spent less than half of its climate allocations of 16 budgets
		<i>Express Tribune, June 03</i>	<i>Express Tribune, June 06</i>	<i>Dawn, June 04</i>
		CM Gandapur announces free solar panels for KP citizens	Aptma demands cut in interest rate, power tariff	From risk to resilience
		<i>Pakistan Today, June 03</i>	<i>Dawn, June 05</i>	<i>Dawn, June 03</i>
		COMPANY NEWS	Nishat Power Limited	Global boiling
		<i>Dawn, June 03</i>	<i>Business Recorder, June 05</i>	<i>The News, June 03</i>
		Invest in renewable energy	APTMA demands restoration of 'zero rating', reduction in power tariffs and policy rate	
		<i>Business Recorder, June 03</i>	<i>Business Recorder, June 05</i>	
			'Penalising honest consumers'	
			<i>Business Recorder, June 04</i>	
			Lesco official dismissed	
			<i>The News, June 04</i>	
			Powerless	
			<i>The News, June 04</i>	
			K-Electric seeks Nepra nod for FCA refund	
			<i>The News, June 04</i>	
			KE seeks another fuel cost adjustment	
			<i>Dawn, June 04</i>	
			NEPRA notifies Rs3.76 per unit electricity rate hike	
			<i>Express Tribune, June 04</i>	
			Capacity charges	
			<i>Dawn, June 03</i>	
			Low demand at the heart of periodic adjustments	
			<i>Business Recorder, June 03</i>	
			Planned sell-off of Discos	
			<i>Business Recorder, June 03</i>	

Percentage of media coverage given to energy sector

