

## Weekly Media Monitor

## July 14th - July 20th, 2025

This week's major news updates in Pakistan's energy and climate sectors:

- Sindh Engro Coal Mining Company (SECMC) signs a loan agreement with Meezan Bank to finance the expansion of a coal mine in Thar Coalfield Block II.
- Rooftop solar installation surges in Pakistan, pushing up the share of solar in the power mix from 10 percent to over 25 percent by early 2025.
- Climate change will drive 41 million more people into extreme poverty by 2050.

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Coal	Oil & Gas	Renewable Energy	Energy & Finance	Climate Change
HUBCO proposes \$51mn investment in Thar-based coal projects	Oil in flux: Rising supply meets fragile demand	Energiewende and power democracy	Red tape abounds as officials with 'look after' charge at Wapda helm	Agriculture: Climate crisis and the death of bananas
Business Recorder, 16 July 2025	Business Recorder, 14 July 2025	Dawn, 14 July 2025	Dawn, 14 July 2025	Dawn, 14 July 2025
Hubco seeks extension of coal plant guarantees	NA body expresses concernover unregistered LPG bowsers	Recycling solar	Lapses, delays hamper auctions of power plants	Tarbela spillways opened ahead of schedule amid rising inflows
Dawn, 17 July 2025	Dawn, 16 July 2025	The News, 14 July 2025	Dawn, 14 July 2025	Dawn, 14 July 2025
Thar coal mining expansion project: SECMC signs Islamic Facility Agreement with Meezan Bank	NA body slams Ogra over unregistered LPG tankers in KP and theft in Sindh	Clean energy setback	Power lines become target for addicts	PMD warns of heavy rains across country
Business Recorder, 19 July, 2025	Business Recorder, 16 July, 2025	The News, 15 July 2025	Express Tribune, 15 July 2025	Express Tribune, 14 July 2025
	Pakistan to seek Qatar's nod to divert LNG cargoes amid supply glut	Major roads to get solar- powered lights by September	Debt, price volatility plague SOEs	Flooding will be 'new normal for Pakistan'
	The News, 16 July 2025	Express Tribune, 16 July 2025	Express Tribune, 15 July 2025	Dawn, 15 July 2025
		Pakistan's quiet solar rush puts pressure on national grid	Discos's miraculous second half recovery	Learn to ilve with floods: IRSA member
		Dawn, 16 July 2025	Business Recorder, 15 July 2025	Express Tribune, 16 July 2025
		Urban Green spaces shrink	Pakistan's power sector held captive, now there are signs of breaking loose	Unchecked housing expansion threatens food security: Iqbal
		Express Tribune, 16 July 2025	Business Recorder, 16 July 2025	Express Tribune, 17 July 2025

	Pakistan, SPAR6C explore carbon market	Govt plans to build Chenab dam amid IWT row	Climate governance hurdles
	Express Tribune, 16 July 2025	Express Tribune, 18 July 2025	Dawn, 17 July 2025
		Discos seek to refund 65 paise	Situationer: 'Unprecedented melting' in G-B
		Dawn, 19 July 2025	Dawn, 17 July 2025
		Power consumers to get Rs0.65 per unit relief in August bills	We need a climate plan
		The News, 19 July 2025	The News, 17 July 2025
		KE base tariff raised by Rs6.15 per unit	CM Maryam puts administration on high alert to cope with monsoon rains
		Express Tribune, 19 July 2025	Pakistan Today, 17 July 2025
		EV shift to cut fuel import bill, says PM	Batteries stolen from flood warning post disrupt monitoring system
		Express Tribune, 19 July 2025	Pakistan Today, 17 July 2025
		NEPRA likely to cut power tariff by Rs0.65/unit for June	KP could earn \$4bn from forest initiatives in 40 years: report
		Express Tribune, 19 July 2025	Dawn, 18 July 2025
			Pakistan's evolving climate journalism scene
			Express Tribune, 18 July 2025
			Trees along Lahore Canal geo-tagged for environmental monitoring
			Pakistan Today, 18 July 2025
			Monsoon menace
			Dawn, 19 July 2025
			Climate-resilient agriculture: SAU, FAO agree to expand collaboration
			Business Recorder, 19 July 2025
			CM Maryam reviews damages in Chakwal, announces Rs1m compensation for victim families
			Pakistan Today, 19 July 2025
			Climate change may push 41m more into extreme poverty by 2050
			Dawn, 20 July 2025
			Innovation for resilient rural communities
			The News, 20 July 2025

## Percentage of media coverage given to energy sector

