






Weekly Media Monitor

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

- ➔ The Institute of Cost and Management Accountants of Pakistan (ICMA) warns that rising dependence on imported oil and liquefied natural gas (LNG) is increasing Pakistan's energy insecurity and economic risks.
- ➔ Power Minister Awais Leghari says revised Independent Power Producer (IPP) agreements have generated savings of 3.5 trillion rupees, while electricity subsidies for protected consumers remain in place.
- ➔ The federal government reduces petrol and high-speed diesel prices by 22 rupees per litre, bringing petrol down to 381.78 rupees per litre and diesel to 380.78 rupees per litre amid falling global oil prices.
- ➔ The Petroleum Division plans strategic petroleum reserves and expanded oil storage facilities to reduce Pakistan's dependence on fuel imports through the Strait of Hormuz.
- ➔ Auto industry stakeholders warn that the proposed New Energy Vehicle (NEV) policy could slow electric vehicle adoption by offering the same incentives to plug-in hybrid and fully electric vehicles.

 Coal	 Oil and Gas	 Renewable Energy	 Energy and Finance	 Climate Change
Indian govt to sell up to %2 stake in Coal India via offer for sale <i>Business Recorder, 26 May 2026</i>	Clover Pakistan eyes LPG expansion with Quick Gases acquisition <i>Business Recorder, 25 May 2026</i>	Lithium batteries: Solar's Second Act <i>Business Recorder, 25 May 2026</i>	A new policy for the automobile sector <i>Business Recorder, 25 May 2026</i>	Climate shocks <i>DAWN, 25 May 2026</i>
	Pakistan plans oil reserves, storage push as Hormuz constraints expose vulnerabilities <i>Business Recorder, 26 May 2026</i>	Auto industry concerned at proposed NEV policy <i>Business Recorder, 26 May 2026</i>	Power sector reforms save trillions as subsidies continue for protected users: Leghari <i>Pakistan Today, 31 May, 2026</i>	
	Oil, LNG tankers en route to Pakistan, China <i>DAWN, 26 May, 2026</i>	Punjab govt, Danish team agree on green energy transition <i>Business Recorder, 26 May 2026</i>	Govt not ending subsidy for protected electricity consumers: minister <i>The News, 31 May, 2026</i>	

	Islamabad plans oil reserves, storage push		Karachi consumers demand relief from unannounced power outages	
	<i>DAWN, 27 May, 2026</i>		<i>The News, 31 May, 2026</i>	
	Petrol, diesel prices cut by Rs22 per litre		23 new auto models, %87 electrified	
	<i>The News, 29 May, 2026</i>		<i>Express Tribune, 31 May, 2026</i>	
	Some respite as petrol, diesel prices cut by Rs22 per litre		Leghari rejects reports of subsidy withdrawal for protected power consumers	
	<i>DAWN, 30 May, 2026</i>		<i>Express Tribune, 31 May, 2026</i>	
			https://tribune.com.pk/story/2610590/imported-fuels-spark-energy-security-fears	
			<i>Express Tribune, 31 May, 2026</i>	

Percentage of media coverage given to energy sector

