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Does energy drive the world economy?

Outline

1- Introduction

Thesis statement: Energy drives the world economy. But another school of thought believes otherwise; however, the given evidences are not substantive. Therefore, it is beyond any doubt that energy drive the world economy.

2- An overview of 'Global Energy'

3- Energy is a driver of the world economy

- Russia and the Ukraine as the major energy exporters of the world
- Pakistan's economy has become dependent on hydrocarbons
- OPEC co-operation between US and Saudi Arab has shaped global economy

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- d) China-Iran energy agreement has added oxygen to China's economic growth.
- e) Global energy co-operation between alliances drive the economy

#### 4- Energy does not drive the world economy

- a) Russia-Ukraine conflict has disturbed global energy supply threatening economy
- b) Reliance on hydrocarbons has caused Pakistan's trade deficit
- c) Saudi Arab alone can not meet global energy economy
- d) Global sanctions have imposed on Iranian energy export
- e) Anti-alliances on energy co-operation hinders economic growth

#### 5- Energy is a major driver of the world economy

- a) Russia has stepped to provide cheap energy for global economic co-operation
- b) Pakistan's clean energy initiatives have promoted sustainable energy-led economy
- c) Pak-Iran energy deal will restructure economic growth
- d) China has huge interests in Iranian energy to shape its economic development despite sanctions
- e) Alliances and anti-alliances attempt to drive sustainable energy-based economy

#### 6- Conclusion