



Iran War May Offer Unexpected Boost to Global Economy

Description

The Iran war may change the global economy for the better. The longer the war goes on, the more it can hurt economies worldwide. Many people suffer because of war. This war has caused a lot of pain and loss.

This war may lead to important changes in energy supply. Countries may find new ways to get energy. This can help stop problems from one waterway, the Strait of Hormuz. If Iran can block oil, countries will want more secure energy systems.

OPEC, a group of countries that sell oil, may get smaller. This could make oil and gas cheaper. Countries might build new pipelines to avoid the Strait of Hormuz. Many places might also start using more renewable energy, which is energy from sources like the sun and wind.

Ending the war will be difficult. There is no clear deal to stop the fighting. The future is uncertain for Iran and the world. Some people believe good changes can still happen after this difficult time.

Vocabulary List:

1. **economy** //ɪˈkɒnəmi// (noun): system for making, buying, and selling things
2. **global** //ˈɡloʊbəl// (adjective): relating to the whole world or many countries
3. **supply** //səˈplaɪ// (noun): amount of something available for use
4. **pipelines** //ˈpaɪpləɪnz// (noun): long pipes for moving oil or gas
5. **renewable** //rɪˈnuəbəl// (adjective): from natural sources that do not run out
6. **uncertain** //ʌnˈsɜrtən// (adjective): not sure about what will happen

Comprehension Questions

Multiple Choice

1. What may the Iran war change?

Option: The global economy

Option: Political leadership

Option: Cultural norms

Option: Environmental policies



2. What waterway is mentioned as a potential problem due to the Iran war?

- Option: Suez Canal
- Option: Strait of Hormuz
- Option: Panama Canal
- Option: Bering Strait

3. What is OPEC?

- Option: A military alliance
- Option: A group of oil-selling countries
- Option: An environmental organization
- Option: A trade union

4. What type of energy may countries start using more of due to the war?

- Option: Nuclear energy
- Option: Fossil fuels
- Option: Renewable energy
- Option: Geothermal energy

5. What could make oil and gas cheaper according to the text?

- Option: Smaller OPEC
- Option: Increased military spending
- Option: Higher demand for oil
- Option: More natural disasters

6. What does the text suggest about the future of Iran and the world?

- Option: It is highly predictable
- Option: It is uncertain
- Option: It will definitely improve
- Option: It will remain the same

True-False

7. The Iran war is seen as entirely beneficial for the global economy.

8. Countries may seek more secure energy systems if Iran blocks oil.

9. OPEC is expected to grow larger due to the Iran war.



10. Ending the war will be easy according to the text.
11. The text suggests that there is a clear deal to stop the fighting.
12. The future for Iran and the world is described as uncertain.

Gap-Fill

13. The war has caused a lot of pain and loss, and many people suffer because of war. This war may lead to important changes in energy supply, as countries may find new ways to get energy to stop problems from _____ .
14. OPEC, a group of countries that sell oil, may get _____ .
15. Many places might also start using more _____ energy, which is energy from sources like the sun and wind.
16. Ending the war will be _____ according to the text.
17. There is no clear deal to stop the _____ .
18. Some people believe good changes can still happen after this _____ time.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. The global economy 2. Strait of Hormuz 3. A group of oil-selling countries 4. Renewable energy 5. Smaller OPEC 6. It is uncertain

True-False: 7. False 8. True 9. False 10. False 11. False 12. True

Gap-Fill: 13. one waterway 14. smaller 15. renewable 16. difficult 17. fighting

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