

Navigating the Tensions: OPEC and IEA on Future Energy Strategies

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OPEC Secretary-General Haitham Al Ghais recently voiced concerns over the International Energy Agency (IEA)'s portrayal of the fossil fuel industry. Reacting to an IEA report, Al Ghais criticized the agency for presenting a dichotomous choice for the oil and gas sector: either contribute to the climate crisis or shift towards renewable energy. He contends that this perspective neglects critical factors such as energy security and the affordability of energy.