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By [Andrew Korybko](#), August 27, 2022

The Russian and Iranian economies will mutually benefit by selling discounted resources on the global market while countries like India will accelerate their rise as multipolar Great Powers through the purchase of these exports. Their trilateral axis will continue becoming a force to be reckoned with, especially if the first two coordinate their natural gas activities seeing as how they account for the largest such reserves in the world.



[America Imported Over \\$6 Billion in Goods From Russia Since Ukraine Invasion](#)

By [Kyle Anzalone](#) and [Will Porter](#), August 29, 2022

In response to Russia’s attack on Ukraine, US President Joe Biden vowed to isolate and “cripple” the Russian economy. However, Moscow has been able to maintain its economic strength, in part by exporting over \$1 billion per month in wood, metals, food and other goods to the US.



[Falling Military Recruitment Is Another Sign of Waning Faith in the Regime](#)

By [Ryan McMaken](#), August 29, 2022

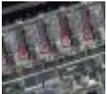
The US Army reports it is having some serious problems when it comes to recruiting new soldiers. Last month, [according to the AP](#): “Army officials ... said the service will fall about 10,000 soldiers short of its planned end strength for this fiscal year, and prospects for next year are grimmer.”



[Three Major Attacks in Syria in 24 Hours](#)

By [Steven Sahiounie](#), August 29, 2022

On August 24, the US military in Syria carried out a retaliatory airstrike on a militia that the US claims previously attacked the [Al Tanf base](#) on August 15. US F-15 and F-16 jets dropped guided bombs on nine ammunition and storage bunkers in Ayyash, near Deir al-Zour in the early hours of Wednesday; however, the militia may not have been responsible for the August 15 attack.



[Ukraine Uses NATO Ammunition in Attacks on Nuclear Power Station. Dangers of Radioactive Leaks](#)

By [Ana Luisa Brown](#), August 28, 2022

Representatives of the civil-military administration of the Zaporozhie region denounced today that Ukrainian troops use artillery with NATO ammunition in attacks on the Energodar nuclear power plant.



[Censorship, Big Tech, and Psychological Warfare](#)

By [Mark Taliano](#), August 27, 2022

Right now beneath the sunny blue skies and seeming normalcy, genocide is occurring globally. The experimental mRNA injections are bioweapons disguised as vaccines. They are neither safe nor effective. Some of the jabs may be placebos, some batches may be worse than others and, fortunately, not all will be adversely affected to the same degree.



[NATO's Article 4 and Article 5 Jeopardize American Sovereignty at the Norfolk Naval Base](#)

By [Renee Parsons](#), August 27, 2022

As if the US contribution of “roughly” [75% of NATO's](#) budget was not enough of a gift, the American public and much of Congress have remained oblivious to collaborators within the US government who have relinquished the Norfolk Naval Station to NATO forces. With its military forces led by a NATO [Supreme Allied Commander](#) at Norfolk's [Joint Warfare Centre](#) and hundreds of new nation member resident-families, NATO has its roots firmly [ensconced](#) at the Norfolk facility since at least 2020.



[Amnesty's Report on Violations Committed by Ukraine Military Directed against Civilians. Storm of Media Criticism](#)

By [Marc Vandepitte](#), August 27, 2022

There has been a lot of buzz about Amnesty International's recent report on the violations committed by the Ukrainian military in the war with Russia, although this was a balanced and cautious report indeed. The attacks against this human rights organization are far from innocent. Background and interpretation of this issue.



[US Pressures Japan to Cancel Constitution's Peace-Clause. China and Japan Must Thus Finally Agree Now, to Avoid a War.](#)

By [Eric Zuesse](#), August 26, 2022

America especially wants Japan to invade China when and if China invades (so as to retake control over) the "Republic of China", which is China's province of Taiwan, which province Japan had conquered from China in 1895, and which province the United States Government in 1945 forced Japan to return to China, as part of Japan's WW II surrender, which today's U.S. Government now wants to reverse, so that China can now become captured by America as Japan was captured in 1945.



[US Pressures India to Imitate Europe's "Self-sabotaging Energy Policy"](#)

By [Ahmed Adel](#), August 26, 2022

Indian Foreign Minister S Jaishankar confidently boasted recently that the world has accepted India's energy policy and bilateral relations with Russia. Jaishankar's statement prompted US State Department spokesperson Ned Price to say that it is going to be a long-term proposition for New Delhi to reorient foreign policy away from Moscow - but despite the QUAD alliance, India is unlikely to abandon its relations with Russia.

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