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Three Teams Meet in Abu Dhabi to Talk About Ending a War

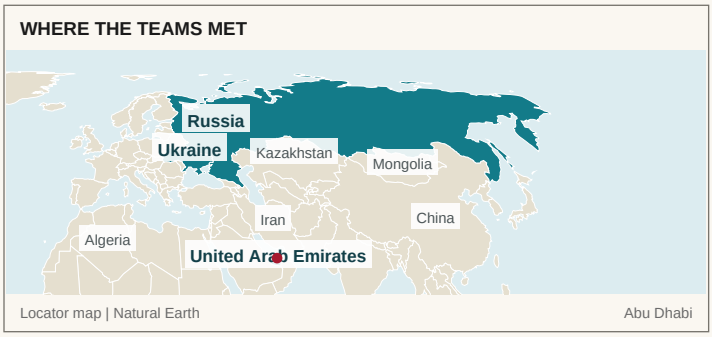
Russia and Ukraine sat down face to face for the first time since February.

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Abu Dhabi is a city in the United Arab Emirates, a country on the Persian Gulf. On Tuesday, teams from Russia, Ukraine and the United States met there. Their talks last two days and aim to end the war Russia started in February 2022.

Each team has a leader. Rustem Umerov leads Ukraine's team. Vladimir Medinsky, an aide to Russia's president, leads Russia's. The US sent Steve Witkoff and Jared Kushner to help the two sides talk. Britain, France, Germany, Italy, NATO and the European Union met Ukraine's team separately.

The two sides still disagree about land. Russia holds about 20 percent of Ukraine. Ukraine's president, Volodymyr Zelenskyy, called the first day "constructive." That means it was useful.



The map marks Ukraine, Russia and the United Arab Emirates, with the city of Abu Dhabi.

WHY IT MATTERS

Ukraine wants promises that it will be safe from a new attack if the war ends.

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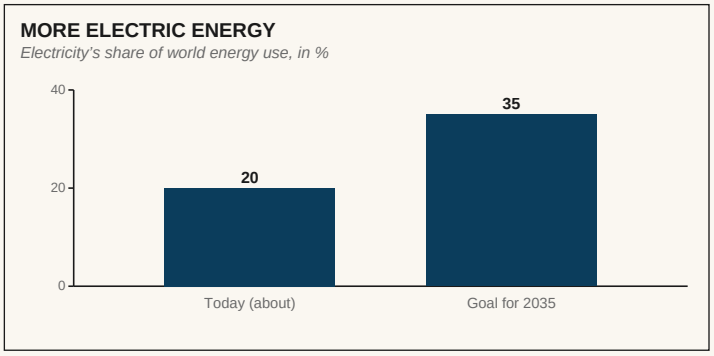
At a Climate Meeting in Turkey, Brazil Shares a Plan to Use Less Oil and Coal

Nearly 200 countries are gathering in Antalya for COP31.

Antalya is a city on Turkey's Mediterranean coast. Nearly 200 countries are meeting there until 20 November for COP31, the United Nations climate meeting. Burning coal, oil and gas warms our planet.

On Tuesday, Brazil presented a plan, or roadmap, for moving away from these fuels. Countries are invited to plan cleaner energy by 2028. India and Nigeria welcomed it. Joining in is a choice, not a rule.

Turkey has its own idea. Today about 20% of the world's energy is used as electricity. Turkey wants that to reach 35% by 2035.



Turkey's goal is voluntary: countries can choose to sign up.

WHY IT MATTERS

Fuels that warm the planet are used everywhere, so each country's choices matter.

ONE-LINE BRIEFS

• Oil: The world's main oil price fell below $90 a barrel for the first time since August.

• United States: Republicans picked Jim Jordan to lead them in the House of Representatives.

TOMORROW'S WATCHLIST

• What the second day of the Abu Dhabi talks brings.

• Whether more countries back Brazil's plan at COP31.

Keep exploring. See you tomorrow.