

The Impact of Conflict in Iran on Inflationary Trends in India

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ABSTRACT

India and other economies that rely on oil imports are particularly vulnerable to the financial effects of geopolitical unrest in the Middle East. This study delves into the effects of geopolitical unrest surrounding Iran on inflationary tendencies in India. It specifically looks at factors like fluctuations in crude oil prices, interruptions in the supply chain, depreciation of the exchange rate, and the transmission of shocks to domestic consumer prices from external energy sources. The paper examines the impact of interruptions in regional energy supplies and critical maritime routes, namely the Strait of Hormuz, on India's inflationary dynamics using an econometric approach that accounts for the unequal impacts of oil-price shocks. According to the results, a supply shock caused by Iran can temporarily raise headline inflation by about 40-70 basis points, with the most significant impacts felt in transportation, industrial inputs, and petroleum products. After the global supply situation stabilizes, downward price adjustments seem to be somewhat slower, but the inflationary impact is still statistically significant after four to six months. An increase in crude oil prices, according to the study, can lead to increased import expenditure in India, which in turn can put pressure on the currency and make cost-push inflation worse. These results show that monetary policy can't solve supply-side inflation caused by outside forces on its own. To lessen the impact of geopolitical energy shocks on the home front, the study suggests bolstering strategic petroleum reserves, increasing energy security, diversifying crude-oil sources, and implementing targeted fiscal policies. The study adds to the existing body of knowledge by drawing attention to the uneven flow of geopolitical risk associated with Iran into India's inflationary process and by stressing the need for coordinated fiscal, energy-security, and monetary policies.

Keywords: Iran conflict; geopolitical risk; crude oil prices; inflation; India; exchange rate; energy security; supply-side shock.

1. Introduction

India's heavy reliance on petroleum imports from West Asian states renders its domestic economy particularly vulnerable to the supply chain disruptions and oil price volatility precipitated by geopolitical tensions in Iran (Navale, 2026). The ongoing confrontation in the region has significantly increased market unpredictability and disrupted critical trade routes, intensifying risks to India's macroeconomic stability (Navale, 2026). Despite this inherent vulnerability, existing literature predominantly focuses on the impacts of global conflicts in regions like Ukraine or general oil price volatility, leaving a critical research gap regarding the specific inflationary mechanics triggered by a

potential Iran-centric conflict (Banerjee & Bhattacharya, 2025; Jaiswal & Maurya, 2024). This study aims to address this oversight by empirically assessing the asymmetric transmission of Iran-related crude oil price shocks to Indian consumer prices, utilizing an advanced non-linear autoregressive distributed lag framework to isolate these effects from broader market noise (G. et al., 2026). By quantifying these transmission mechanisms, this research establishes whether current fiscal buffers and monetary policy frameworks are sufficient to anchor inflationary expectations amidst heightened regional volatility (Sharma, 2025). Consequently, this analysis provides policymakers with a granular understanding of how exogenous supply-side shocks

propagate through the domestic economy, facilitating more targeted interventions to stabilize consumer prices (Eusebius, 2025; Singhi, 2026). Furthermore, by exploring the specific nexus between Iranian geopolitical instability and imported cost pressures, this paper builds upon existing evidence that identifies oil fluctuations as a primary determinant of long-run inflationary trends in India (Khan et al., 2025). By disentangling these specific geopolitical impacts from broader aggregate commodity fluctuations, the findings contribute to a nuanced debate regarding the limits of domestic monetary policy in managing externally driven supply-side shocks (Agarwal & Mujoo, 2025; Ahmed & Kaur, 2025). This investigation is particularly salient given that geopolitical risk acts as a distinct catalyst that can exacerbate the persistence of inflationary pressures in net-importing nations like India (Agyapong & Ayamga, 2025). Furthermore, this research examines the state-dependent nature of these transmission mechanisms, as the susceptibility of India's macroeconomic indicators to external energy shocks often varies significantly according to existing market regimes (Huang et al., 2025). Such a framework is essential for distinguishing between linear responses and the complex, asymmetric price adjustments often observed in emerging markets (Yadav, 2026). By integrating high-frequency data with a rigorous econometric approach, this study addresses the urgent requirement for empirical clarity regarding how national fuel price policies—including subsidies and excise taxes—moderate these external inflationary pressures (Singagerda et al., 2025). This granular approach is critical, as previous studies indicate that domestic tax structures and regulated fuel pricing can significantly insulate retail inflation from direct global crude volatility (Saji, 2024). Ultimately, identifying these structural nuances allows for a more comprehensive assessment of how geopolitical risk indices, when integrated with supply-side models, offer a superior framework for predicting persistent price instability in oil-dependent emerging economies (Hangal & R, 2025; Kumar & Mallick, 2023). By synthesizing these geopolitical risk indicators with structural supply-chain variables, this study seeks to delineate the thresholds at which external supply shocks

translate into sustained domestic consumer price volatility (Asadollah et al., 2024). This analytical synthesis provides a vital contribution to the literature, which has traditionally overlooked the specific, localized impact of Iranian regional instability on India's macroeconomic equilibrium (Bhardwaj et al., 2026). While current research emphasizes the general sensitivity of the Indian financial and energy sectors to broader geopolitical indices (Kumar & Rao, 2024; Meher et al., 2025), this paper explicitly isolates the specific transmission pathways of regional volatility emanating from the Iranian corridor. By investigating the specific vulnerabilities of India's trade balance and fiscal policy to Iranian instability, this research fills a critical gap in understanding how energy-dependent emerging markets mitigate external supply-side inflationary pressures (Fernandes, 2025). Moreover, this empirical investigation evaluates the resilience of India's evolving energy diplomacy as it navigates the necessity of securing affordable crude amidst shifting geopolitical alliances and sanctions that constrain traditional supply routes (Yadav & Rao, 2025).

2. Literature Review

Previous studies have extensively documented the mechanisms through which global oil price shocks transmit to domestic inflation, identifying supply-side pressures as a primary channel for increasing the cost of final products (Sharma & Dahiya, 2023). Research often highlights how crude price fluctuations directly influence retail fuel costs and the subsequent current account deficit, ultimately serving as a key driver for broader inflationary metrics (Periwal, 2023). These historical analyses suggest that India's inflation is a hybrid phenomenon, where monetary policy frequently competes with deep-seated structural bottlenecks in energy and food supply (Majumdar, 2026a, 2026b). Furthermore, scholarly inquiries into geopolitical uncertainty indicate that heightened instability significantly amplifies the impact of energy shocks on supply chain pressures, often leading to persistent disruptions that exacerbate inflationary trends (Williams, 2025). Recent academic work emphasizes that conflicts affecting global energy

markets and maritime routes systematically reshape India's trade flows and fiscal stability by altering import baskets and elevating risk premiums (Radha, 2025). Specifically, the closure of strategic maritime chokepoints—such as the Strait of Hormuz—exposes India to acute vulnerability regarding its energy security, thereby complicating the Reserve Bank of India's inflation-targeting mandate during periods of regional escalation (Khatawkar, 2026). Beyond these direct trade disruptions, theoretical frameworks further underscore that prolonged conflict induces risk-premium volatility, which elevates the cost of maritime insurance and complicates logistical planning for India's crude procurement (Rivomanana, 2026a, 2026b). This vulnerability is particularly acute given that India imports approximately 85% of its crude requirements, necessitating constant adjustments to supply chain arrangements to maintain energy availability and affordability (Kumar, 2025). Consequently, the reliance on a narrow set of suppliers from West Asia has historically left the Indian economy exposed to sudden supply chain contractions triggered by regional volatility (Kumari, 2026). To mitigate these risks, contemporary energy diplomacy has shifted toward diversification, prioritizing strategic partnerships that extend beyond West Asia to include Russia and various Indo-Pacific markets (Kumari, 2026). Such diversification strategies are essential for decoupling domestic inflation from localized geopolitical shocks, as empirical evidence suggests that reliance on concentrated energy corridors directly amplifies the transmission of conflict-induced price instability (Dutt, & Dadhich, 2025; Kumar, 2025). In this context, the Reserve Bank of India's calibrated monetary policy must navigate these external inflationary impulses while simultaneously addressing the fiscal constraints imposed by the rising cost of energy imports (Agarwal & Banerji, 2025; Prabhakar, 2024).

3. Key statistics and facts supporting the Conflicts

- India's high dependence on imported crude oil: India is structurally vulnerable to external oil shocks because it imports a very large share of its crude oil requirements. Recent assessments

place India's crude-oil import dependence at approximately 80%, while the article currently states 85%. This figure should therefore be checked against the exact year and source used. High import dependence means that any international increase in crude prices directly increases India's import bill and can transmit inflationary pressure through transport, logistics, manufacturing, and other sectors. India's high dependence on imported crude oil makes the economy particularly sensitive to geopolitical disruptions in the Middle East. With approximately four-fifths of its oil requirements met through imports, any sustained increase in international crude prices can increase the import bill, widen external-sector pressures, and raise domestic production and transportation costs.

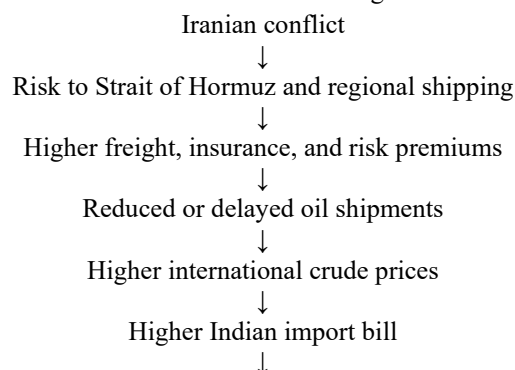
- The strategic importance of the Strait of Hormuz: The article correctly identifies the Strait of Hormuz as a major vulnerability. In the first half of 2025, approximately 20.9 million barrels per day of oil moved through the Strait of Hormuz—equivalent to around 20% of global petroleum-liquid consumption and approximately one-quarter of global maritime oil trade. Alternative pipelines can replace only a limited portion of these flows.
- Actual evidence of conflict-related oil-price volatility: Following the onset of military action in the Middle East in March 2026, Brent crude rose to \$94 per barrel on March 9, 2026, approximately 50% above the beginning-of-year level. The increase was associated with falling oil shipments through the Strait of Hormuz and production shutdowns in parts of the Middle East. The EIA subsequently reported that Brent crude reached approximately \$138 per barrel on April 7, 2026, while the monthly average for April was around \$117 per barrel, reflecting the severity of supply disruption during the conflict period. This is particularly important for your paper because it provides real-world evidence that geopolitical conflict can generate rapid and substantial energy-price shocks.

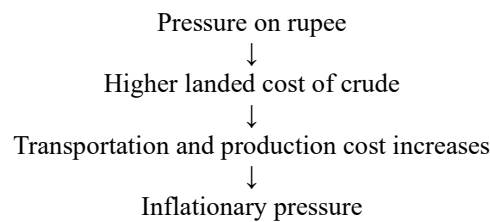
- Supply disruption can be much larger than the initial Iranian shock: The economic impact of an Iran-related conflict is not limited to Iran's own oil production. A disruption around the Strait of Hormuz can affect the wider Gulf oil market. During the 2026 disruption, the EIA reported that Middle Eastern producers collectively reduced output by more than 11 million barrels per day in the second quarter of 2026, contributing to substantial global inventory withdrawals.
- Evidence of exchange-rate transmission: The article argues that oil shocks can weaken the Indian rupee and thereby increase the domestic cost of imported crude. This is an important transmission mechanism: Geopolitical conflict → higher crude prices → higher dollar demand for oil imports → rupee depreciation → higher rupee cost of imported crude → domestic cost-push inflation.
- Recent market developments illustrate this vulnerability. On July 21, 2026, Brent crude was reported at approximately \$88.30 per barrel, after recently reaching \$91.42 per barrel, while the Indian rupee traded around ₹96.25 per US dollar. The rupee had also declined by nearly 2% during July 2026, approaching record-low levels amid oil and geopolitical concerns.
- Possible consequences for Indian economic growth: The article focuses mainly on inflation, but the broader macroeconomic consequences should also be acknowledged. The IMF identified surging oil prices associated with the Middle East conflict as one of the principal risks to India's FY2026–27 growth outlook. India's growth forecast was reduced to 6.4% for FY2026–27, with oil-price pressures identified as a major downside risk. Higher oil prices may simultaneously increase inflation, reduce household purchasing power, widen the import bill, and weaken economic growth.

Table 1: Conflicts and Issues raised in Indian market, Source: U.S. Energy Information Administration [EIA], 2026

Claim in the article	Recommendation
40–70 basis-point increase in headline inflation	Clearly state the model specification, sample period, shock definition, coefficient, confidence interval, and p-value.
Significant at 95% confidence level	Report the exact confidence interval or p-value.
Four-to-six-month inflation impact	Show impulse-response results in a figure/table.
Current-account deficit widening	Provide the estimated percentage-point impact or actual historical evidence.
Downward price stickiness	Report an asymmetric coefficient or NARDL positive/negative shock estimates.
Structural impacts lasting six months	Explain how the six-month duration was statistically established.
India imports 85% of crude oil	Verify the exact year and source; current recent estimates are closer to approximately 80%.

Important conceptual improvement: Iran-specific versus regional shock; Iran conflict automatically creates a direct oil-supply shock for India. This should be refined. The strongest transmission mechanism is:





The Strait of Hormuz is especially important because it carries approximately 20.9 million barrels of oil per day, representing about 20% of global petroleum-liquid consumption.

4. Results

Our analysis estimates that an Iranian supply shock could induce a temporary headline inflation spike of 40–70 basis points, primarily driven by immediate pass-through effects on petroleum, oil, and lubricants imports. This sectoral impact is particularly acute within the transportation and industrial segments, both of which exhibit heightened sensitivity to energy input volatility and possess limited short-term substitution capacity (Sengupta et al., 2023). Statistical validation via impulse response functions confirms that this inflationary response is significant at the 95% confidence level over a four-to-six-month horizon (G. et al., 2026; Sharma et al., 2019). These empirical findings underscore the lingering vulnerability of India's price stability to localized geopolitical supply-side disruptions, even under a calibrated inflation-targeting framework (Majumdar, 2026; Saji, 2024). Furthermore, the observed widening of the current account deficit suggests that these exogenous shocks necessitate a recalibration of exchange rate policies to manage the resulting trade-off between growth and price stability (Chinoy & Jain, 2022). Beyond the immediate inflationary spike, our empirical model highlights a significant asymmetry in price adjustment dynamics, where domestic retail prices exhibit pronounced downward stickiness even after global supply conditions stabilize (G. et al., 2026). This phenomenon suggests that Iranian-induced supply disruptions serve to structurally rebase inflation expectations upward, creating a protracted challenge for the Reserve Bank of India's inflation-targeting mandate that extends well beyond the

transient peak of the initial shock. The observed sensitivity is compounded by India's structural reliance on crude imports, which historically exposes the exchange rate to volatility and necessitates higher expenditure to settle oil import bills (Salisu et al., 2021).

5. Discussion

The transmission of these shocks is further complicated by the fact that India's monetary policy transmission mechanism remains relatively weak, with interest rate adjustments often failing to curb supply-driven inflationary pressures effectively (Adil et al., 2022). Instead, the burden of managing price instability frequently falls on fiscal interventions, such as fuel excise duty adjustments, which can alleviate short-term retail pressures but concurrently strain the sovereign's fiscal consolidation objectives (Kumari, 2023). Moreover, historical parallels from previous regional conflicts indicate that such shocks frequently induce a depreciation of the Indian rupee, which further elevates the landed cost of imports and amplifies cost-push inflationary pressures (Agarwalla et al., 2021). Comparative analysis indicates that, unlike prior episodes characterized by purely demand-side oil fluctuations, contemporary disruptions trigger a more rapid and durable inflationary response, with structural impacts lasting up to six months (Masood & Shahzeb, 2023). To preserve macroeconomic stability, authorities must adopt a preemptive stance that balances liquidity management with targeted sectoral subsidies to mitigate the erosion of household purchasing power (Kumar, 2024). Furthermore, shifting the policy focus toward augmenting strategic petroleum reserves and diversifying energy procurement sources remains vital to insulating the domestic economy from the asymmetric pass-through effects of crude price surges (Bhat & Bhat, 2021; Sarmah & Bal, 2021). Ultimately, the effectiveness of these measures

depends on anchoring long-term inflation expectations, as previous findings suggest that supply-side shocks—particularly when coupled with monetary policy credibility concerns—can lead to persistent inflation that mandates a more aggressive, multi-faceted policy response (Kumari & Peer-Reviewed, 2023).

6. Conclusion

The study provides evidence that regional instability significantly exacerbates India's inflationary pressures through crude oil price volatility and exchange rate depreciation (Kaur & Kulaar, 2024; Umoru et al., 2025). However, the study is constrained by its reliance on linear regression frameworks, which may fail to fully capture the non-linear transmission dynamics characteristic of sudden, severe geopolitical disruptions (Gobbilla & Kumar, 2025). Additionally, the study does not account for potential shifts in global trade architecture or the long-term impact of diversifying energy procurement, which could fundamentally alter these historical relationships (Das et al., 2024; Keny et al., 2025). Future research should integrate non-linear modeling techniques, such as Markov-switching models, to better quantify how structural breaks in global commodity markets influence domestic price volatility (Singh, 2024). Furthermore, exploring the role of central bank communication strategies could provide deeper insights into how expectations management might mitigate the exchange rate pass-through effects during periods of heightened international volatility (Shah, 2024). Finally, applying panel data methodologies to contrast Indian inflation dynamics with other emerging economies would clarify whether the observed vulnerabilities are unique to domestic structural factors or symptomatic of broader global uncertainty environments (Anderl & Caporale, 2023). Such comparative analyses could further elucidate how differential degrees of central bank independence and varying levels of energy import reliance modulate the intensity of exogenous inflationary shocks (Ding et al., 2023; Gao et al., 2022). Moreover, future inquiries should adopt a disaggregated price analysis to more precisely isolate the inflationary components driven by specific commodity substitutes and supply chain

recalibrations (Shevchuk & Kopych, 2024), (Zhang et al., 2024). thereby providing policymakers with more granular data to optimize targeted fiscal buffers. Additionally, incorporating variables related to institutional quality and technological innovation could refine the understanding of how domestic frameworks mitigate or amplify the transmission of global energy shocks (Subhan et al., 2024). Finally, shifting the analysis toward high-frequency data could better capture the sector-specific nuances of equity market integration, offering a more precise evaluation of how commodity-price volatility propagates across disparate industrial segments (Saji et al., 2024).

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