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### King Charles visit in question as Trump berates UK over Iran war position

Doubts are growing in Britain over a possible visit by King Charles to Washington after Trump intensified his criticism of London over its cautious position on the war with Iran. Although Starmer's government tried to manage relations with Trump through diplomacy and flattery, that approach now appears less effective as US criticism escalates. Some British lawmakers warned the visit could embarrass the King, while the government has not yet confirmed any details. The controversy also exposed the limits of Britain's ability to balance its alliance with Washington amid war pressures and growing domestic divisions over military involvement.



### Iran threatens Gulf energy targets after huge gas field is struck

Iran warned it would strike energy facilities across the Gulf after its Pars gas field was hit in a major escalation of the US-Israeli war. The attack pushed oil prices above \$108 and raised fears of long-term damage to global energy infrastructure. Tehran named oil and gas sites in Saudi Arabia, the UAE, and Qatar as potential targets, while Gulf states condemned the strike. At the same time, Israel intensified attacks on Beirut and senior Iranian officials, and Iran launched retaliatory missile strikes on Israel and US-linked sites across the region, deepening fears of a wider regional war.



### US holds interest rates as Iran war triggers oil shock

President Donald Trump said he might have the "honor of taking Cuba," without clarifying what form that could take, as Cuba's national power grid suffered another major collapse on March 16. The blackout came amid a worsening fuel and economic crisis tied to a U.S. oil squeeze that has sharply reduced shipments from Venezuela and others. Cuban officials blamed the U.S. for deepening the hardship, while unrest has grown in recent days as outages, shortages, and transport disruptions spread across the island.



## Top Global Events

Event

Mentions  
& Engagement

Most Reached  
Media Coverage

Chelsea F.C.

**11.3M**

UK prepares to sue Abramovich over  
£2.4bn proceeds of Chelsea FC sale

Paris Saint-Germain F.C.

**7.3M**

Chelsea blown away by PSG to exit  
Champions League

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