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	Q1. State two advantages of generating electricity using nuclear power stations. [2 marks]
	Q2. State two environmental issues caused by generating electricity using nuclear power stations. [2 marks]
\$\bar{\chi}\$	Q3. What is the correct circuit symbol for a fuse?
	Q4. Coal is a non-renewable energy resource. Name two other non-renewable energy resources. [2 marks]

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Q5

Electrical power is transferred from power stations to the National Grid. What is the National Grid? Circle one.



A system of cables and pylons.



A system of cables and transformers.



A system of cables, transformers and power stations.



Q6

An island has a large number of wind turbines and a coal-fired power station. The island needs to use the electricity generated by the coal-fired power station at certain times. Choose one reason why.



Wind is a renewable energy resource.



Wind turbine power output is constant.



The power output of wind turbines is unpredictable.



The fuel cost for wind turbines is very high.



Q7

It is important that scientists develop new energy resources. Choose one reason why. Circle one.



All energy resources are running out.



All energy resources are used to generate electricity.



Most energy resources have negative environmental effects.

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material are burned to heat water.

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Match the descriptions with the correct energy source.

biofuel	coal	geothermal	nuclear	waves	
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Energy from the E	arth's	Fission of uranium n	uclei Gases	Gases from rotting plant	

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Q9

core is used to heat water.

Use the correct answer from the box to fill in the blank spaces below. [3 marks]

Chemical | Electrical | Kinetic | Nuclear | Sound | Wind | Turbine

A battery stores ...... energy which is transferred into electrical energy.

An electric motor transfers electrical energy usefully into ......energy.

A motor wastes energy as ...... energy and as energy that heats the surroundings.



Q10.

Which of these is a non-renewable source of energy?



Geothermal.



Natural gas.



Tidal



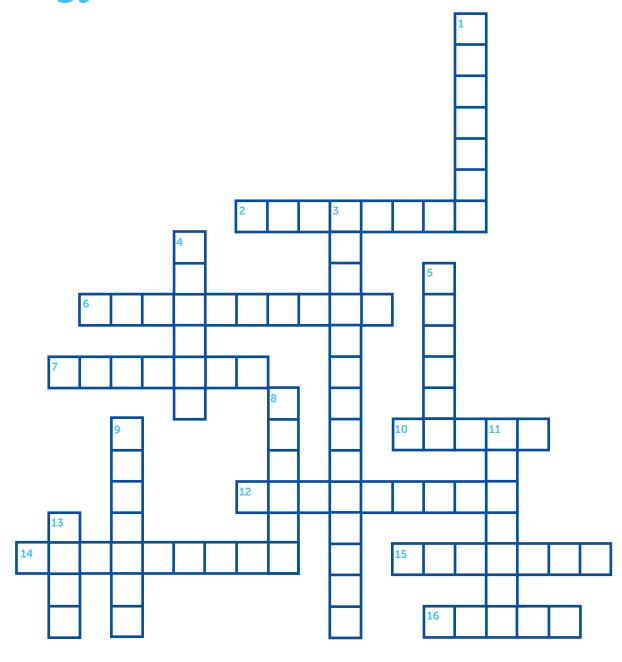
Solar.

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# Across 2. A person who designs safe and efficient energy systems 6. A type of energy formed by the movement of water 7. Rotting garbage produces this type of gas 10. The UK North Sea Link site is located in 12. Energy that can be replenished is 14. Used to measure electricity 15. The average weather measurements over a long period of time 16. Power from the sun

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1.	Energy released during fission or fusion, used mostly to generate electricity	
3.	Links the electricity grids of two countries, allowing both to share energy	
4.	North Sea Link connects the UK to	
<b>5</b> .	Fuels include coal and oil	
8.	Solar can be used to heat up water	
9.	The use of organic matter combusting to create energy	
11.	Heat energy is also known as energy	
13.	A metal pollutant that is generated from coal use	

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