Electricity Generation Choices



Unit 3: Energy Production and Transmission

Types of Generation	
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Every megawatts of lignite-based electric gene Magnetism:	
Γhe same amount of electricity used to light up one inca	
What are the primary sources of energy for generation of	of electricity?

How electricity is made:



A source of energy	on a	which
The most common method of generating	g electricity is using	turhines wit
	supplied from a	
	d to making electricity us	
 Most lignite-fired stations 	the lignite into a fine po	wder.
• They use to ca	rry the pulverized lignite to the burners	in the
• The heat from	generates	which is used to drive a
steam turbine which turns the _		
• Lignite is delivered to the power	er plant by	<u> </u>
When lignite burns in the furna	ce, the temperature is	
• The steam in many boilers is an	ound	
 North Dakota lignite is about _ 	water.	
• North Dakota lignite's heating	value is about	
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What influences fuel choi	ices?	
		

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