

Social Studies, Grade 6

Unit VII: Lesson A15

Model / Written Report: **Hydroelectric Dams**



Itaipu Dam was constructed in the late 1980s. Research hydroelectric dams; investigate how the dam's construction has affected Paraguay. Include costs associated with the dam, employment opportunities, and benefits to Paraguayans.

Present your information in a written report. Create a model of a hydroelectric dam that can be used to demonstrate the use of a river as a valuable natural resource.

Display your work in the classroom.