

LISTENING COMPREHENSION

Concentrating Solar Power

Scientists are developing a form of solar power that could provide clean energy across North Africa, the Middle East and Europe. It's called Concentrating Solar Power, or CSP.

1. Listen to the story and complete the sentences below:

- Concentrating solar power uses _____ to intensify sunlight.
- Scientists have made plans to build huge CSP plants in the Sahara, which is _____.
- The advantages of CSP are that it produces no _____ and no greenhouse gases.
- In Southern Spain, the first _____ is already _____ energy.
- Some African countries, like Algeria, would like to _____ the _____, green _____ from CSP plants to Germany.

2. Choose the correct answer for each sentence:

- One energy plant can produce
 - a. enough power for the whole world.
 - b. enough power for a modern city.
 - c. enough power for southern Spain.

- Projects are planned in
 - a. Morocco, Egypt and the United States.
 - b. Southern Spain, Egypt and Monaco.
 - c. Egypt, Morocco and the Gulf States.

- CSP projects will
 - a. take huge investment.
 - b. take the lead.
 - c. take much time.