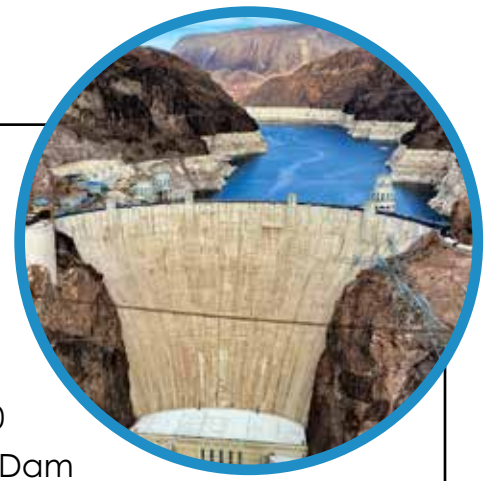


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Hoover Dam



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Hoover Dam was built between 1931 and 1936. It is on the borders of Arizona and Nevada in the Black Canyon of the Colorado River. Thousands of people worked together to build the dam.

Hoover Dam controls floods and provides water for farming. Moving water passes



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- c. power from heat in the Earth's core
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