

Flood Control (Benefit)

Dams allow for humans to minimize the impact of flooding.



Enhanced Navigation and Commerce (Benefit)

Dams help encourage and facilitate trade.



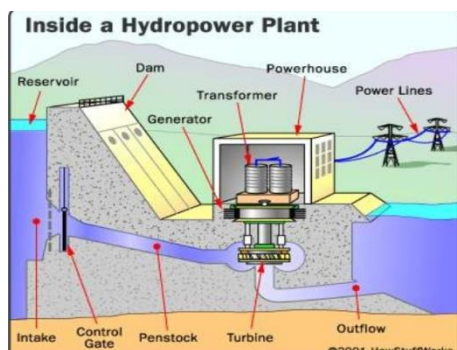
Adapt to Rainfall and Drought Cycles (Benefit)

Dams help ensure a more predictable water supply.



Hydro-Electric Power Production (Benefit)

Dams allow the generation of electricity using flowing water.



Improved Recreation (Benefit)

Dams provide for swimming, boating, fishing, camping, skiing, hiking and other outdoor activities.

