1) POTENTIAL ENERGY

STORED energy

- 2 types
 - Gravitational potential energy

Elastic potential energy

a) GRAVITATIONAL POTENTIAL ENERGY

- Contained in elevated objects
 - Airplanes
 - Water falls
 - Elevated rocks

b) ELASTIC POTENTIAL ENERGY

Contained in stretched or compressed objects

- Rubber bands
- Springs

2) CHEMICAL ENERGY

A form of potential energy

Energy stored in foods, fuels, and batteries

Released during chemical reactions

2) CHEMICAL ENERGY

Photosynthesis produces chemical energy

Carbon dioxide + water → <u>glucose</u> + oxygen

Glucose contains chemical energy

3) NUCLEAR ENERGY

Produced in 2 ways
 Nuclear Fission
 Nuclear Fusion

a) NUCLEAR FISSION

 Heavy elements are broken down to produce lighter elements

Used to produce electricity

Releases:

Heat, light, harmful rays

b) NUCLEAR FUSION

 Light elements are joined together to produce heavy elements

- Takes place in:
 - Sun
 - Stars

4) ELECTRICAL ENERGY/ ELECTRICITY

Flow of electrical current

Made in power stations

 Used widely in homes, schools, industries, factories

 Energy that goes from a region of high temperature to a region of low temperature



When a cold object is placed in a warm area, it will pick up heat from the surroundings
The cold object will get hotter and melt



- When a warm object is placed in a cold area, heat from the object will go out into the surrounding area
 - The warm object will get cooler

Sun gives off heat

Combustion/ burning releases heat

Electricity/ electrical appliances produce heat – iron, toaster, oven

6) KINETIC ENERGY

- Energy contained in a moving object
 - Truck
 - Flying bullet
 - Bird
 - Sprinter



Electromagnetic radiation – EMR

Energy given off from one object to another

- Energy passes through a vacuum (empty space)
 - Radio waves, microwaves, ultraviolet rays (UV), X-rays

- Dull, black, and rough surfaces
 - Absorb heat energy
 - Radiate heat energy





- Shiny, silvery, and smooth surfaces
 - Do not absorb heat energy
 - Do not radiate energy
 - Instead, they reflect heat energy





8) LIGHT ENERGY

Allows us to see

Allows plants to make food – photosynthesis

8) LIGHT ENERGY

- Sun
- Stars
- Lightning
- Fire
- Fireflies

Electricity makes bulbs light up

9) SOUND ENERGY

- Made when objects vibrate
 Vocal cords
 - Musical instruments

10) MECHANICAL ENERGY

Energy in the moving parts of objects

Potential energy + kinetic energy
 = mechanical energy