Answer sheet

1. What does Snowy Hydro operate and maintain?

Answer The Snowy Scheme

- 2. The Snowy Scheme collects, diverts and stores water
- 3. Which direction is the water diverted?

Answer Westward

4. What does the water travel through?

Answer Tunnels and power stations

- 5. List three uses of water flowing from the Murray and Murrumbidgee rivers:
 - a. Town water supplies b. Irrigation c. Environmental
- 6. Why was the Scheme designed and built?

Answer To counteract the effects of severe drought and raise productivity in the Murray-Darling Basin. To generate large amounts of peak-load, renewable hydro-power

7. Does Snowy Hydro own the water?

Answer No

9. How many gigalitres?

Answer Lake Eucumbene: 4,800GL, Lake Jindabyne: 690GL and Tantangara Dam: 254GL

10. Snowy Scheme storage levels are referred to in different measurements. What are they?

Answer 'active storage' and 'gross storage'



