

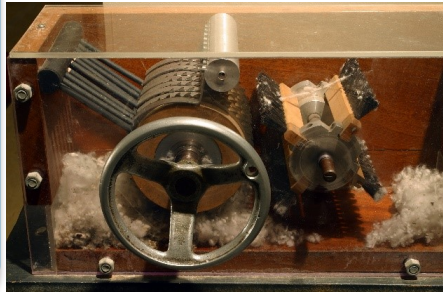


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On this day in...

1765, Eli Whitney, an American inventor and manufacturer, was born. He invented the cotton gin (cotton engine). This is a machine that quickly and easily separates cotton fibres from their seeds.



Did you know...

Flax the earliest known natural textile fabric which was first seen in about 5000 BC. Flax is the material used to make linen which is seeing a huge come back today in drapery and upholstery.



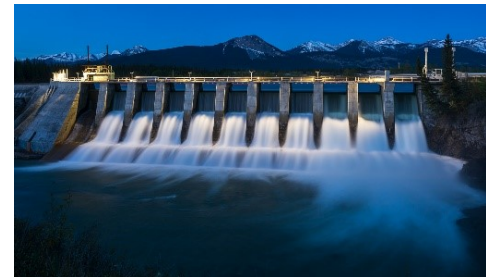
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What does the term fair trade mean and how can we promote it?



Picture this...

A popular way to create electricity is hydropower. This is a process where electricity is made by water which spins turbines attached to generators.



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