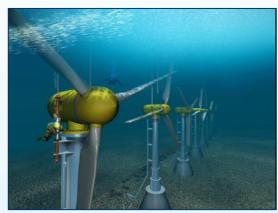
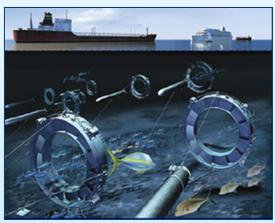
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Many forms of energy can be generated from marine resources:

- Tidal power uses dams or turbines to harness energy as the water moves with the tides
- Wave power uses the motion of waves to power pumps to generate electricity
- Ocean thermal energy conversion converts the heat stored in the oceans into usable energy
- Offshore wind power uses large turbines that spin with strong offshore winds to generate electricity
- Algal biofuel can be produced from oils stored in some <u>algae</u> species



Underwater current turbines, from: www.mms.gov/offshore/RenewableEnergy/Graphics.htm



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Example of floating wave energy generation, from: www.mms.gov/offshore/RenewableEnergy/Graphics.htm