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1 Use the words given in the box to fill in the blank spaces.

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2 Decide if each action given below conserves resources and answer with 'Yes' or 'No'.

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- b) Using air-conditioners during the winter.
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