

# 6 Economic sectors

## Countdown

- Where do most people in your country work? Is it in agriculture, in industry, or in services?
- A modern economy is made up of three different sectors: the **primary sector**, the **secondary sector**, and the **service sector**. Match the sectors with their definitions.
  - The \_\_\_\_\_ manufactures finished products.
  - The \_\_\_\_\_ provides the raw materials and natural resources for industry.
  - The \_\_\_\_\_ provides support activities for customers or other industries.
- Which sector do you think is the biggest in a developed economy like the USA? Which sectors are biggest in your country? Which are growing and which are declining?
- Which sector do these international companies belong to: *BP, Nike, McDonalds, Ford, Citigroup, Google, Nestlé, Hilton Hotels, Rio Tinto*?

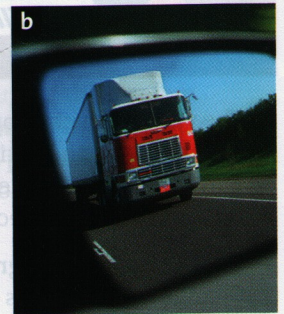
## Vocabulary

### Industries and sectors

- The photographs below show different industries. How many of them can you name? Complete the captions. Then write which sector they belong to. (The first one has been done for you.) Use a dictionary to check your answers.
- Now compare your answers with a partner and fill in any gaps.
- How many of these industries do you have in your country?



s t e e l production  
Sector: Secondary



t \_\_\_\_\_  
and logistics  
Sector: \_\_\_\_\_



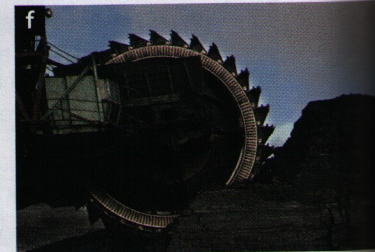
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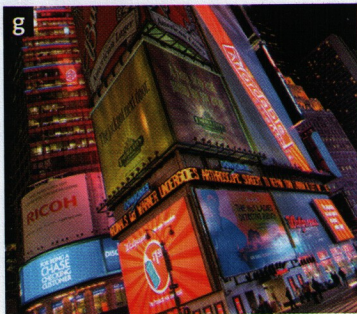
d \_\_\_\_\_  
Sector: \_\_\_\_\_



e \_\_\_\_\_ processing  
Sector: \_\_\_\_\_



f \_\_\_\_\_  
Sector: \_\_\_\_\_



g \_\_\_\_\_  
Sector: \_\_\_\_\_



h \_\_\_\_\_ exploration  
Sector: \_\_\_\_\_



i \_\_\_\_\_  
Sector: \_\_\_\_\_



j \_\_\_\_\_ manufacturing  
Sector: \_\_\_\_\_