



# Is the leg mightier than the atom?

Before you say no, keep in mind that we know very little about many forms of energy available to us.

Including good old muscle power.

For too long a time we've relied on oil and gas to serve our needs, and failed to take full advantage of other sources of power.

Including the atom.

But recent events make it clear we must learn about all the options, and how best to apply them.

At Union Carbide we're studying a wide range of energy technologies and resources for the

Energy Research and Development Administration.

From something as basic as bicycling to the complexity of controlling nuclear fusion.

For instance, we are learning how to turn coal into oil and gas in a way that is practical economically.

We're deeply involved in nuclear research, particularly in finding ways to make this important source of energy safer and more efficient.

Our work in fusion power, at Oak Ridge, Tennessee, offers the most exciting possibility for the future: the ultimate source of in-

exhaustible energy.

If we succeed, there will never be another energy crisis.

But for the present, the answer to our energy dilemma is not likely to come from one source, but many. All the way from the leg to the atom.



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