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ALL OF THE WORLD'S NUKES

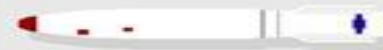
COUNTRY	DEPLOYED WARHEADS*	TOTAL 2014	YEAR OF FIRST NUCLEAR TEST
USA	1,922	7,506	1945
RUSSIA	2,484	8,484	1949
UNITED KINGDOM	160	225	1952
FRANCE	290	300	1960
CHINA	---	250	1964
INDIA	80-100	80-100	1974
PAKISTAN	---	90-110	1998
ISRAEL	---	80-200	1979
NORTH KOREA	---	< 10	2006

TOTAL ESTIMATED NUCLEAR WEAPONS: ~17,000

* Deployed: warheads placed on missiles or located on bases with operational forces. All estimates are approximate and are as of April 2014.

HIROSHIMA was the first city in history to be the target of a nuclear weapon. The U.S. dropped an atomic bomb at 8:15 a.m. on Aug. 6, 1945, toward the end of World War II.

NAGASAKI was the second and, to date, last city in the world to experience a nuclear attack. That bomb was dropped on Aug. 9, 1945, instantly killing an estimated 40,000 people.



70,000+ nuclear warheads and bombs were built between 1945 and 1990.

11 U.S. nuclear bombs have been lost in accidents and never recovered.

The U.S. has reduced its stockpile by 84% from a Cold War peak of 31,255 warheads in 1967.



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