

# Incidents affecting Iran's nuclear programme

**1 Jan 2007, Isfahan:** *Dr. Ardeshir Hosseinpour* dies mysteriously while working at uranium hexafluoride gas plant

**2 Jun 2009:** Nuclear scientist *Shahram Amiri* disappears in Saudi Arabia.

Later appears in United States, claiming he had been kidnapped and tortured by CIA



**3 Nov 2009-Jan 2010, Natanz:** Up to 1,000 centrifuges at main uranium-enrichment facility tear themselves apart after Siemens software – which controls centrifuges – attacked by *Stuxnet* computer worm

**4 Jan 2010, Tehran:** Nuclear physicist *Massoud Ali Mohammadi* killed by remote-controlled bomb

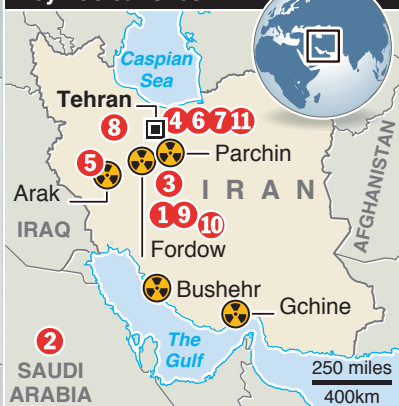
**5 Oct 2010, Khorramabad:** Blast at *Shahab-3* missile base

**6 Nov 2010, Tehran:** Nuclear engineer *Majid Shahriari* (right) killed in bomb attack. Physicist *Fereydoon Abbasi* survives second blast



**7 Jul 2011, Tehran:** Physicist *Daryoush Rezaei* shot dead outside his home

## Key nuclear sites



**8 Nov 12, 2011, Bidganeh:** *Gen. Hassan Moghaddam* (above) – founder of Iran's missile programme – killed in blasts at missile base

**9 Nov 28, Isfahan:** Explosion near uranium conversion plant

**10 Dec 11, Yazd:** Blast at steel plant kills seven, including several visitors from North Korea

**11 Jan 11, 2012, Tehran:** Nuclear scientist *Mostafa Ahmadi Roshan* killed in bomb attack