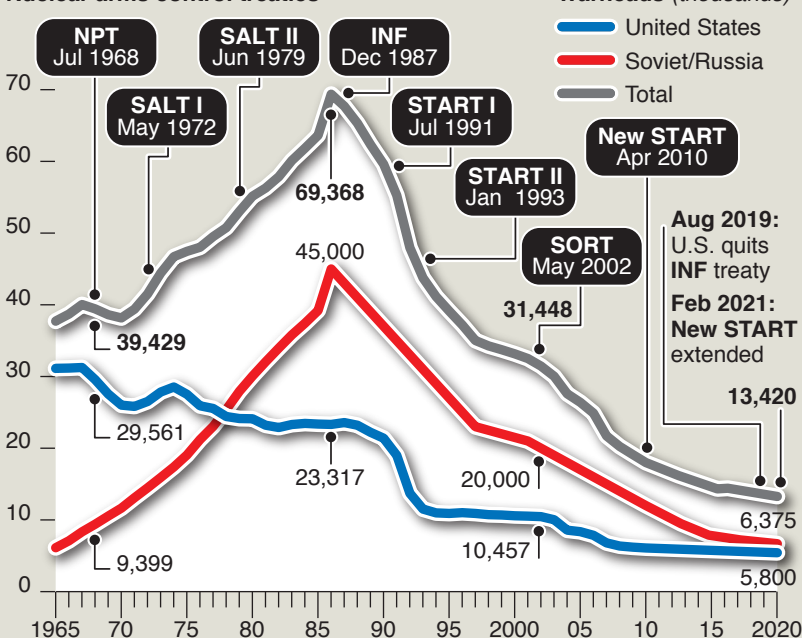


Britain to boost nuclear stockpile

Britain will grow its nuclear stockpile by a third, to 260 warheads, to ensure its security in a more risky global environment while facing new threats from states with conflicting values

Nuclear arms control treaties*

Warheads (thousands)



Warheads (2020 estimates)

India 150, Israel 90, North Korea 30-40

Russia 6,375

China 320

UK 195

United States 5,800

France 290

Pakistan 160

*NPT: Non-Proliferation Treaty. SALT I, SALT II: Strategic Arms Limitation Treaty
 INF: Intermediate-Range Nuclear Forces Treaty
 START I, START II, New START: Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty
 SORT: Strategic Offensive Reductions Treaty