

## French Action on Nuclear Disarmament - Key Figures



France stops plutonium production for nuclear weapons; similar measure in 1996 for highly enriched uranium for nuclear weapons.

1992

92 1998

France ratifies the Comprehensive Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (CTBT).

To date, France, the United Kingdom and Russia are the only nuclear powers to have ratified the CTBT.

300 nuclear warheads

Total ceiling of nuclear weapons announced in 2008. France was the first nuclear-weapon State to publicize its entire nuclear arsenal.

France announces the reduction in the number of nuclear weapons, missiles and aircraft of the airborne component of its nuclear deterrence force.

75 million euros

Total cost of the denuclearization of the Plateau d'Albion.

France no longer has nuclear testing facilities or facilities producing fissile material for nuclear weapons.

-50%

2008

France has halved its total nuclear arsenal since the Cold War.

The budget for the nuclear deterrent has been cut in a half over the last 20 years.

nowadays

billion euros

Estimated total cost of dismantlement of French former facilities producing fissile material for nuclear weapons. France has already spent 3 billion euros. This effort of dismantlement has already reached an irreversible stage.