



## Convention on Nuclear Safety

Notes: The Convention, pursuant to Article 31.1, entered into force on the ninetieth day after the date of deposit with the Depository of the twenty-second instrument of ratification, acceptance or approval, including the instruments of seventeen States, each having at least one nuclear installation which has achieved criticality in a reactor core, i.e. 24 October 1996.

Parties: **66** (subject to Entry Into Force date)  
Signatories: **65**

Last change of status: 13 August 2009

Country/Organization	Signature	Instrument	Date of deposit	Declaration etc. / Withdrawal	Entry into force
Algeria	20 Sep 1994			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
* Argentina	20 Oct 1994	ratification	17 Apr 1997	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	16 Jul 1997
* Armenia	22 Sep 1994	ratification	21 Sep 1998	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	20 Dec 1998
Australia	20 Sep 1994	ratification	24 Dec 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Mar 1997
<sup>a</sup> Austria	20 Sep 1994	ratification	26 Aug 1997	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Nov 1997
Bangladesh	21 Sep 1995	acceptance	21 Sep 1995	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
Belarus		accession	29 Oct 1998	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	27 Jan 1999
* Belgium	20 Sep 1994	ratification	13 Jan 1997	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	13 Apr 1997
* Brazil	20 Sep 1994	ratification	04 Mar 1997	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	02 Jun 1997
* Bulgaria	20 Sep 1994	ratification	08 Nov 1995	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
* Canada	20 Sep 1994	ratification	12 Dec 1995	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
Chile	20 Sep 1994	ratification	20 Dec 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	20 Mar 1997
* China	20 Sep 1994	ratification	09 Apr 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
Croatia	10 Apr 1995	approval	18 Apr 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
Cuba	20 Sep 1994			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
Cyprus		accession	17 Mar 1999	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	15 Jun 1999
* Czech Republic	20 Sep 1994	approval	18 Sep 1995	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
Denmark	20 Sep 1994	acceptance	13 Nov 1998	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	11 Feb 1999
Egypt	20 Sep 1994			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
Estonia		accession	03 Feb 2006	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	04 May 2006
* Finland	20 Sep 1994	acceptance	22 Jan 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
* France	20 Sep 1994	approval	13 Sep 1995	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
* Germany	20 Sep 1994	ratification	20 Jan 1997	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	20 Apr 1997
Ghana	06 Jul 1995			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
Greece	01 Nov 1994	ratification	20 Jun 1997	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Sep 1997
* Hungary	20 Sep 1994	ratification	18 Mar 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
Iceland	21 Sep 1995	ratification	04 Jun 2008	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	02 Sep 2008
* India	20 Sep 1994	ratification	31 Mar 2005	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	29 Jun 2005
Indonesia	20 Sep 1994	ratification	12 Apr 2002	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	11 Jul 2002

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Israel	22 Sep 1994			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
Italy	27 Sep 1994	ratification	15 Apr 1998	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	14 Jul 1998
* Japan	20 Sep 1994	acceptance	12 May 1995	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
Jordan	06 Dec 1994	ratification	12 Jun 2009	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	10 Sep 2009
* Kazakhstan	20 Sep 1996			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
* Korea, Republic of	20 Sep 1994	ratification	19 Sep 1995	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
Kuwait		accession	11 May 2006	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	09 Aug 2006
Latvia		accession	25 Oct 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	23 Jan 1997
Lebanon	07 Mar 1995	ratification	05 Jun 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya		accession	13 Aug 2009	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	11 Nov 2009
* Lithuania	22 Mar 1995	ratification	12 Jun 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
Luxembourg	20 Sep 1994	ratification	07 Apr 1997	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	06 Jul 1997
Mali	22 May 1995	ratification	13 May 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
Malta		accession	15 Nov 2007	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	13 Feb 2008
* Mexico	09 Nov 1994	ratification	26 Jul 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
Monaco	16 Sep 1996			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
Morocco	01 Dec 1994			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
<sup>*,b</sup> Netherlands	20 Sep 1994	acceptance	15 Oct 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	13 Jan 1997
Nicaragua	23 Sep 1994			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
Nigeria	21 Sep 1994	ratification	04 Apr 2007	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	03 Jul 2007
Norway	21 Sep 1994	ratification	29 Sep 1994	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
* Pakistan	20 Sep 1994	ratification	30 Sep 1997	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	29 Dec 1997
Peru	22 Sep 1994	ratification	01 Jul 1997	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	29 Sep 1997
Philippines	14 Oct 1994			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
Poland	20 Sep 1994	ratification	14 Jun 1995	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
Portugal	03 Oct 1994	ratification	20 May 1998	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Aug 1998
Republic of Moldova		accession	07 May 1998	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	05 Aug 1998
* Romania	20 Sep 1994	ratification	01 Jun 1995	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
* Russian Federation	20 Sep 1994	acceptance	12 Jul 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
Senegal		accession	24 Dec 2008	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Mar 2009
Singapore		accession	15 Dec 1997	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	15 Mar 1998
* Slovakia	20 Sep 1994	ratification	07 Mar 1995	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
* Slovenia	20 Sep 1994	ratification	20 Nov 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Feb 1997
* South Africa	20 Sep 1994	ratification	24 Dec 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Mar 1997

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* Spain	15 Nov 1994	ratification	04 Jul 1995	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
Sri Lanka		accession	11 Aug 1999	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	09 Nov 1999
Sudan	20 Sep 1994			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
* Sweden	20 Sep 1994	ratification	11 Sep 1995	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
* Switzerland	31 Oct 1995	ratification	12 Sep 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	11 Dec 1996
Syrian Arab Republic	23 Sep 1994			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
The Frmr.Yug.Rep. of Macedonia		accession	15 Mar 2006	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	13 Jun 2006
Tunisia	20 Sep 1994			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
Turkey	20 Sep 1994	ratification	08 Mar 1995	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
* Ukraine	20 Sep 1994	ratification	08 Apr 1998	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	07 Jul 1998
United Arab Emirates		accession	31 Jul 2009	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	29 Oct 2009
*, <sup>c</sup> United Kingdom	20 Sep 1994	ratification	17 Jan 1996	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Oct 1996
* United States of America	20 Sep 1994	ratification	11 Apr 1999	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	10 Jul 1999
Uruguay	28 Feb 1996	ratification	03 Sep 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	02 Dec 2003
EURATOM		accession	31 Jan 2000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	30 Apr 2000

\* Indicates that the State has at least one nuclear installation which has achieved criticality in a reactor core; sources: Table 1 "Nuclear Power Reactors in Operation and Under Construction, 31 Dec. 1997", April 1998 Edition of "Nuclear Power Reactors in the World", Reference Data Series No. 2, IAEA, Vienna; Government notification.

**a** On 9 April 1999, Austria deposited an objection to reservation by Ukraine.

**b** for the Kingdom in Europe

**c** for the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the Bailiwick of Guernsey, the Bailiwick of Jersey and the Isle of Man