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Underwater nuclear test 'Baker' (Operation Crossroads)  
Bikini Atoll, 25 July 1946, 21 kt.

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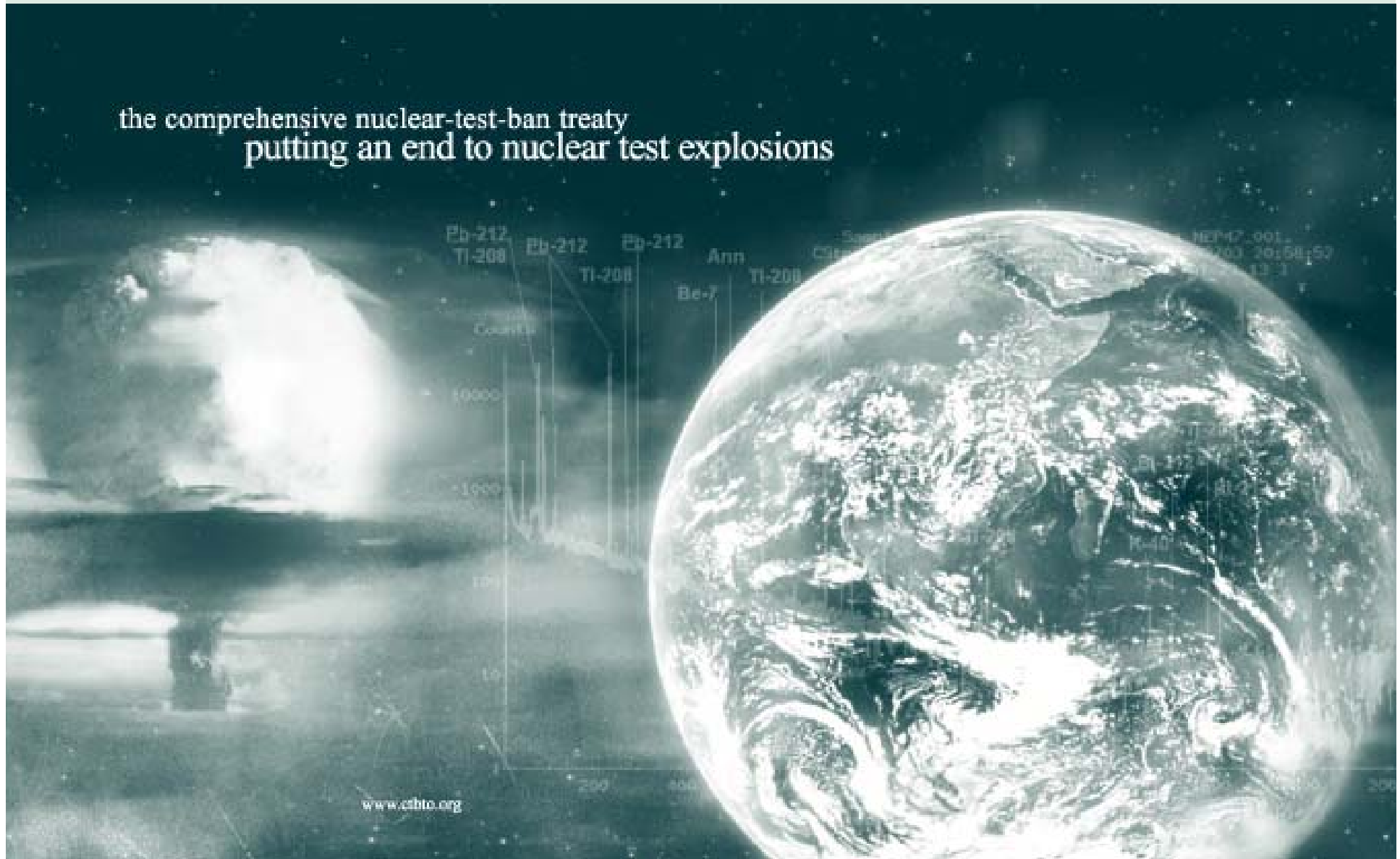
# CTBT Treaty Status, December 2009



**182 States Signatories, 152 have ratified**

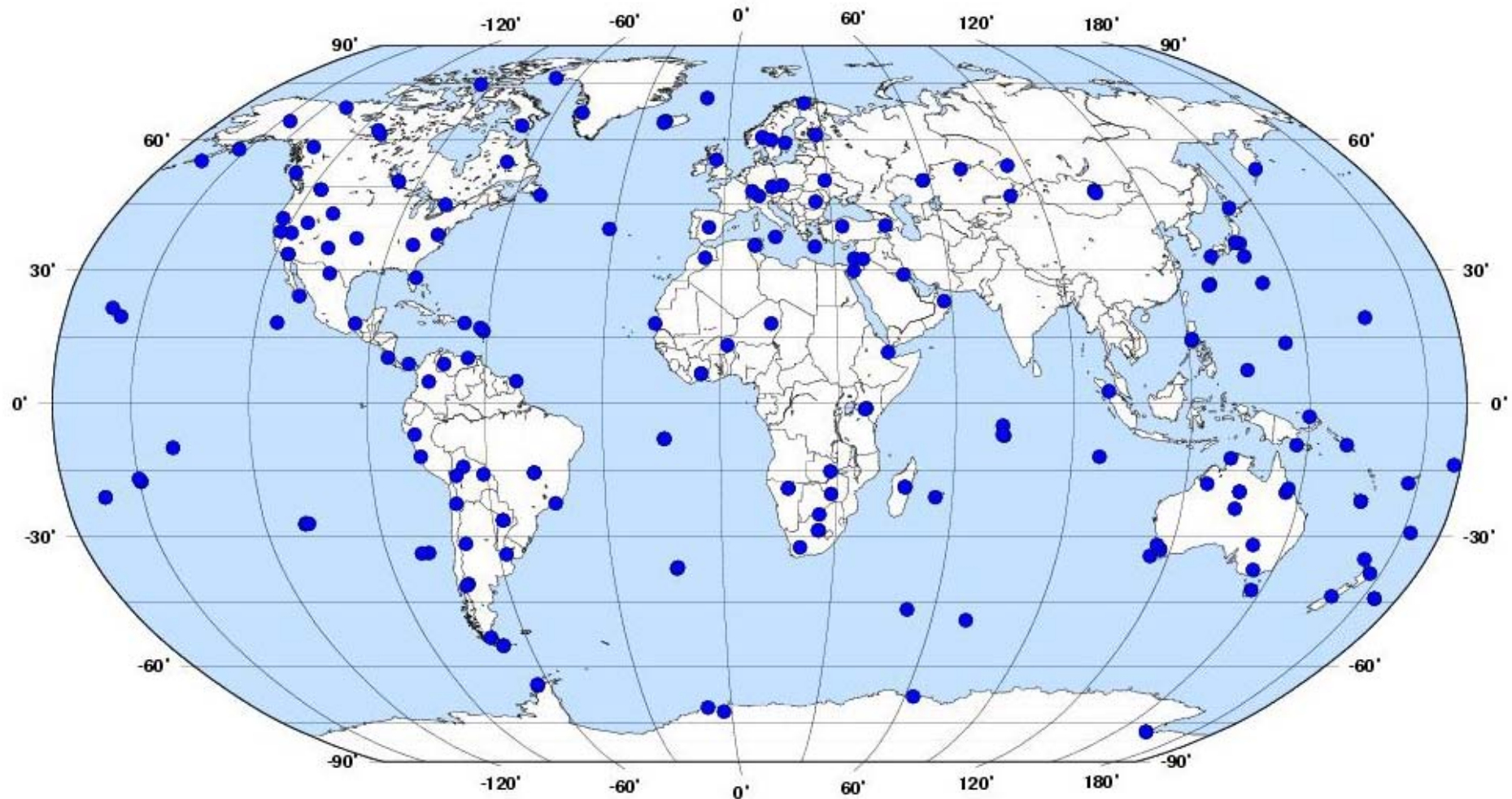


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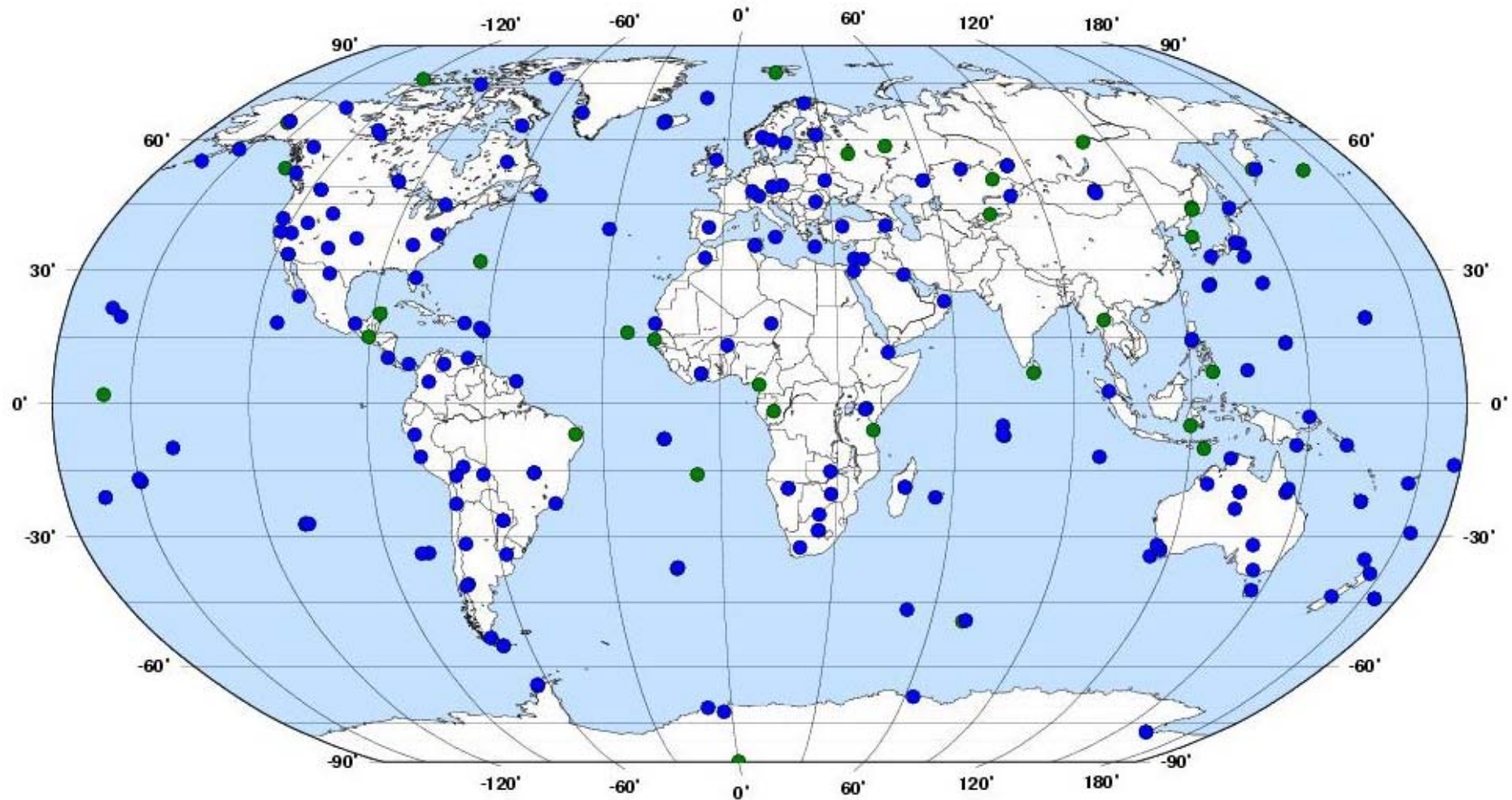


# International Monitoring System in October 2006: 180 facilities

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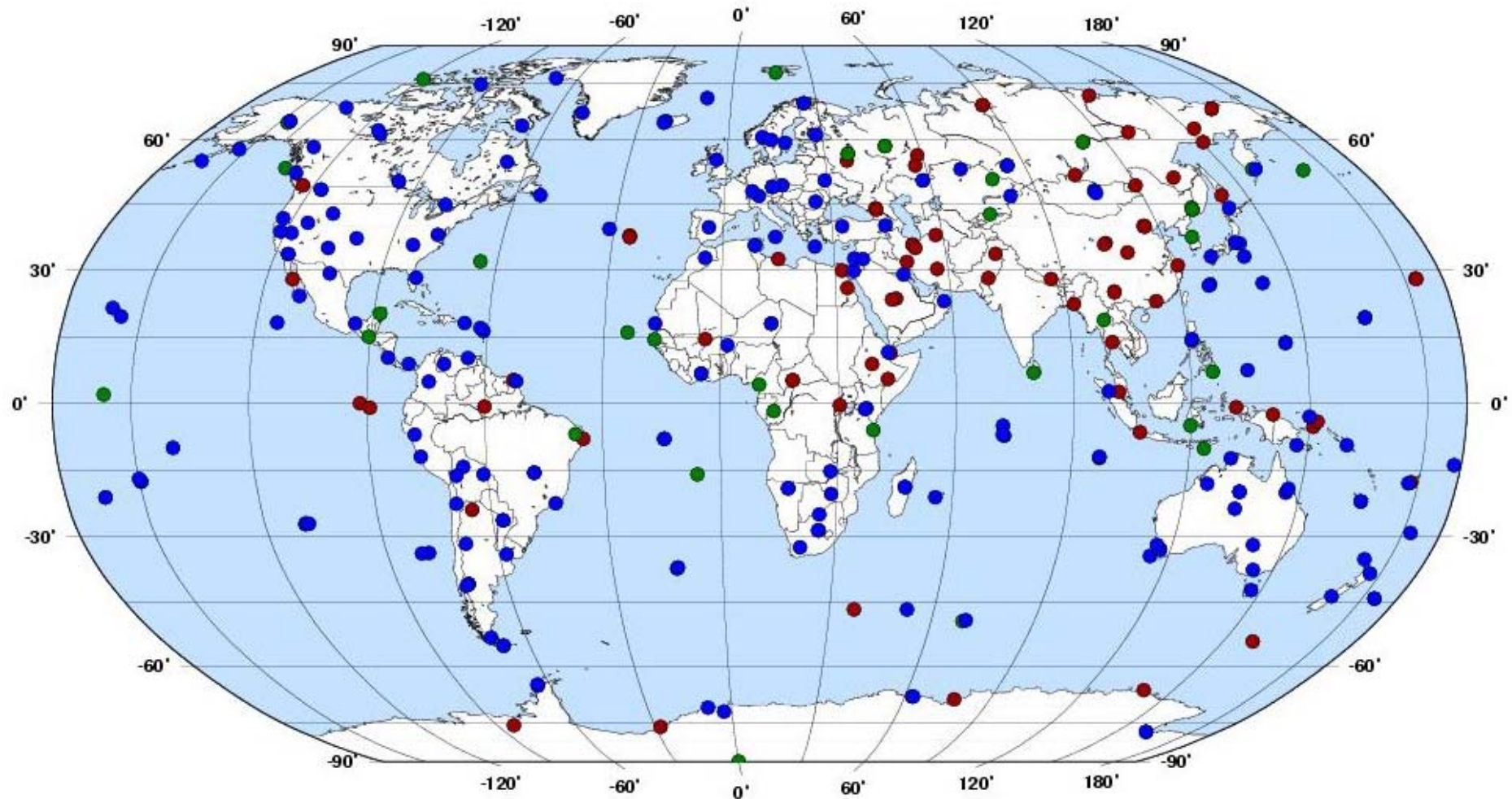
# International Monitoring System today: + 70 250 certified facilities





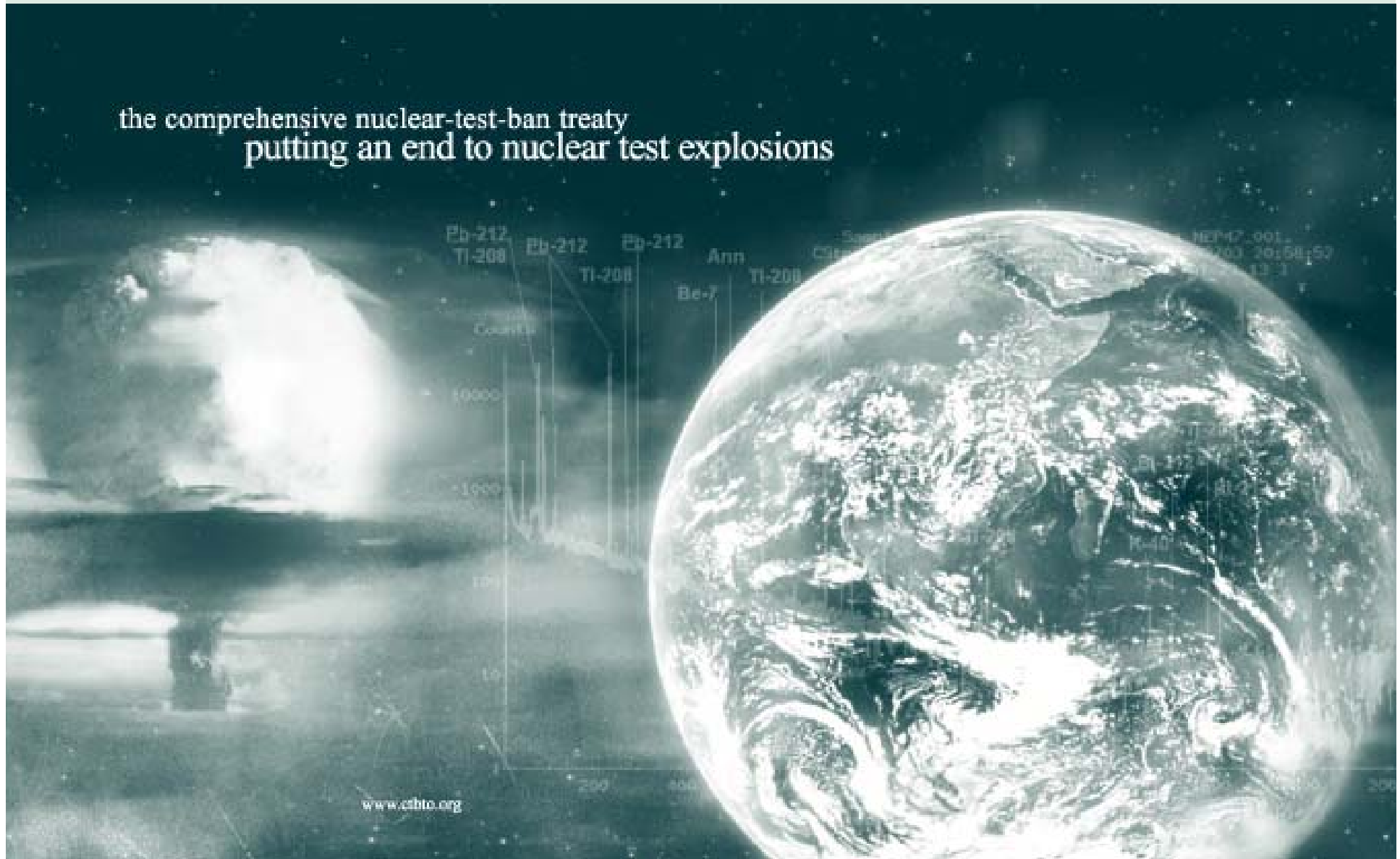
# The complete International Monitoring System: + 87 337 facilities

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# Functioning of the International Monitoring System



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**in Kazakhstan**



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**Checking for contamination**

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OSI inspector prepares ground-penetrating radar to detect changes in underground





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