

IAEA Safeguards in 2021

Verifying the peaceful use of nuclear material

186 States
with safeguards agreements in force
of which

138 States
had additional protocols in force

26 States
with comprehensive safeguards agreements and original small quantities protocols

70 States
with comprehensive safeguards agreements and amended small quantities protocols

226 116
significant quantities of nuclear material



1 334
nuclear facilities and locations outside facilities



147 million
regular budget
+23 million extra budgetary



873 staff
from 97 countries

Conducted
3 042
in-field verifications



14 649
days in the field

2 136
days under quarantine in country

Verified
27 900 seals
applied to nuclear material, facility critical equipment or IAEA's safeguards equipment at nuclear facilities



Collected
473
environmental samples
705
nuclear material samples



Acquired
1 786
commercial satellite images



Remotely monitored
148
facilities



Utilized
1 072
non-destructive assay systems for the measurement of nuclear material



Maintained
1 378
surveillance cameras at nuclear facilities



We concluded that for ...

72 States
all nuclear material remained in peaceful activities

105 States
declared nuclear material remained in peaceful activities

3 States
nuclear material, facilities or other items to which safeguards had been applied remained in peaceful activities

5 States
nuclear material in selected facilities to which safeguards had been applied remained in peaceful activities