

reductions, the exchange of information and provisions for air and ground inspections. Finally, MBFR and CDE proposals differ in terms of their scope; the former applies to a limited geographical area with more specific provisions, while the latter is more general and is thus able to cover a broader geographical area.

Prospects for the verification of Intermediate Nuclear Force reductions (INF) are then reviewed. Monitoring is simpler in that no on-site inspection has been advocated by the US or NATO countries. In the past, it was deemed sufficient to monitor the deployment of missiles using only national technical means of verification. However, some difficulties have arisen with the deployment of more Soviet missiles and the difficulty of monitoring smaller, mobile, short-range missiles.