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Opener: Based on Figure 2 of Nuclear Proliferation Reader

1. In what year were the stockpiles of nuclear weapons the greatest?

The mid 1980’s that’s when they were the greatest.

1. For how many years was the U.S. the only country that had nuclear capability? They nuclear weapons for about 20 years.
2. When did Russia stockpile its first nuclear weapon? 1949 was the first stockpile
3. In what year did Russia’s stockpile first surpass the United States? For how many years did it stockpile more weapons? When did the trend end? In about 1949 that’s when they found out about it and for more years they stockpiled weapons.
4. In what year did nuclear weapon stockpiles first spread to eight countries? In the mid 1980’s it started spreading
5. Why is there no report on North Korea? Because we don’t have all the the information on North Korea.

Analysis:

Based on this information, what observations can you make aout nuclear proliferation? That A lot of other country have nuclear weapons that can affect the world and also themselves that’s what I know about nuclear proliferation.