

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Tactical Nuclear Weapons

- 1. What sort of tactical nuclear weapons do Russia and the West possess?
- 2. How could a tactical nuclear weapon be used to advantage on a conventional battlefield?
- 3. To what degree do missile defenses systems offer any defense against tactical or intercontinental nuclear missiles?
- 4. Is it possible to fight a tactical nuclear war without escalating to strategic weapons and Armageddon?
- 5. What are the likely global consequences, if any, should Russia employ a tactical nuclear weapon in Ukraine?



