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Issue	US State Department	Iranian Foreign Ministry
Sanctions	US and EU sanctions will be removed following a sign off from the IAEA. The timetable for this has not been defined. Sanctions will 'snap back' if Iran fails to fulfill commitments.	All sanctions will be removed once the P5+1 reach a comprehensive agreement come June 30.
UN resolutions	All past UN Security Council resolutions will be lifted once all concerns about the Iranian nuclear program have been addressed.	UN resolutions will be revoked following the reaching of a comprehensive agreement come June 30.
Enrichment Facilities	Iran will not build any new enrichment facilities for 15 years. Iran will implement the Modified Code 3.1 requiring early notification of construction of new facilities. Iran will not build heavy water reactors for 15 years.	None of the nuclear facilities or related activities will be stopped, shut down, or suspended and nuclear activities at all facilities including Natanz, Fordow, Isfahan, and Arak will continue.
Timeframe	Time frames vary, some aspects are limited to 10 years while others are 15, 20, or 25.	The Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action will be 10 years
Number of Centrifuges	6104 centrifuges will remain and Iran will only enrich to 3.67 percent.	More than 5,000 centrifuges will continue to enrich uranium at 3.67 percent. Additional centrifuges will replace damaged machines and will be stored under IAEA supervision

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Exporting of nuclear material	Iran will implement the AP and inspectors will be given access to suspicious sites	Iran will be able to export existing enriched stockpile for producing nuclear fuel and/or export to international markets in exchange for uranium.
Advanced Centrifuges	Iran will only enrich at Natanz facility with 5060 IR-1 centrifuges for 10 years. Iran will remove all newer generation centrifuges and will use advanced models only in limited R&D.	Iran will continue R&D on advanced centrifuges and be allowed to implement new IR 4, 5, 6, and 8 generation centrifuges.
Fordow Facility	Fordow will no longer enrich uranium for at least 15 years. The facility will be converted into a research center. No fissile material will be at Fordow for 15 years. 1/3 of Fordow's centrifuges will remain.	Fordow will be converted into a advanced nuclear research center and be allowed to operate more than 1000 centrifuge machines.
Arak Heavy Water Reactor	Arak will not be allowed to produce plutonium and will be redesigned and replaced according to demands of the P5+1.	Arak will remain and will be enhanced to make less plutonium, but will the modifications will be managed by Iran. The factory for production of heavy water will continue to function as it has in the past.
Additional Protocol	Iran's adherence to the AP is permanent.	Iran will implement the AP on a voluntary and temporary basis.
Future Sanctions	Sanctions will 'snap back' in place should Iran not fulfill its commitments under the future JCPOA.	All sanctions to be removed after the implementation of the JCPOA. P5+1 countries will restrain from imposing new sanctions.

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International Cooperation	Iran's supply chain will be monitored by the international community. Any procurement or sale of nuclear material will be reviewed on a per case basis.	P5+1 members will cooperate with Iran in future construction of nuclear facilities. Iran will be given access to global market for international trade, finance, & tech/energy sectors
Implementation of the JCPOA	The JCPOA will be implemented in a phased process, sanctions will be removed after Iran has fulfilled its commitments.	The JCPOA will be adopted as a UN Security Council resolution. All sanctions to be removed on a single specific day.
Phasing	For ten years Iran will limit domestic enrichment capacity. For 15 years Iran will limit additional elements of its program, including facilities and uranium stockpiles. Inspections of Iran's supply chain will last 25 years.	The Iranian fact sheet does not specify a phasing timetable for any provisions of the JCPOA.