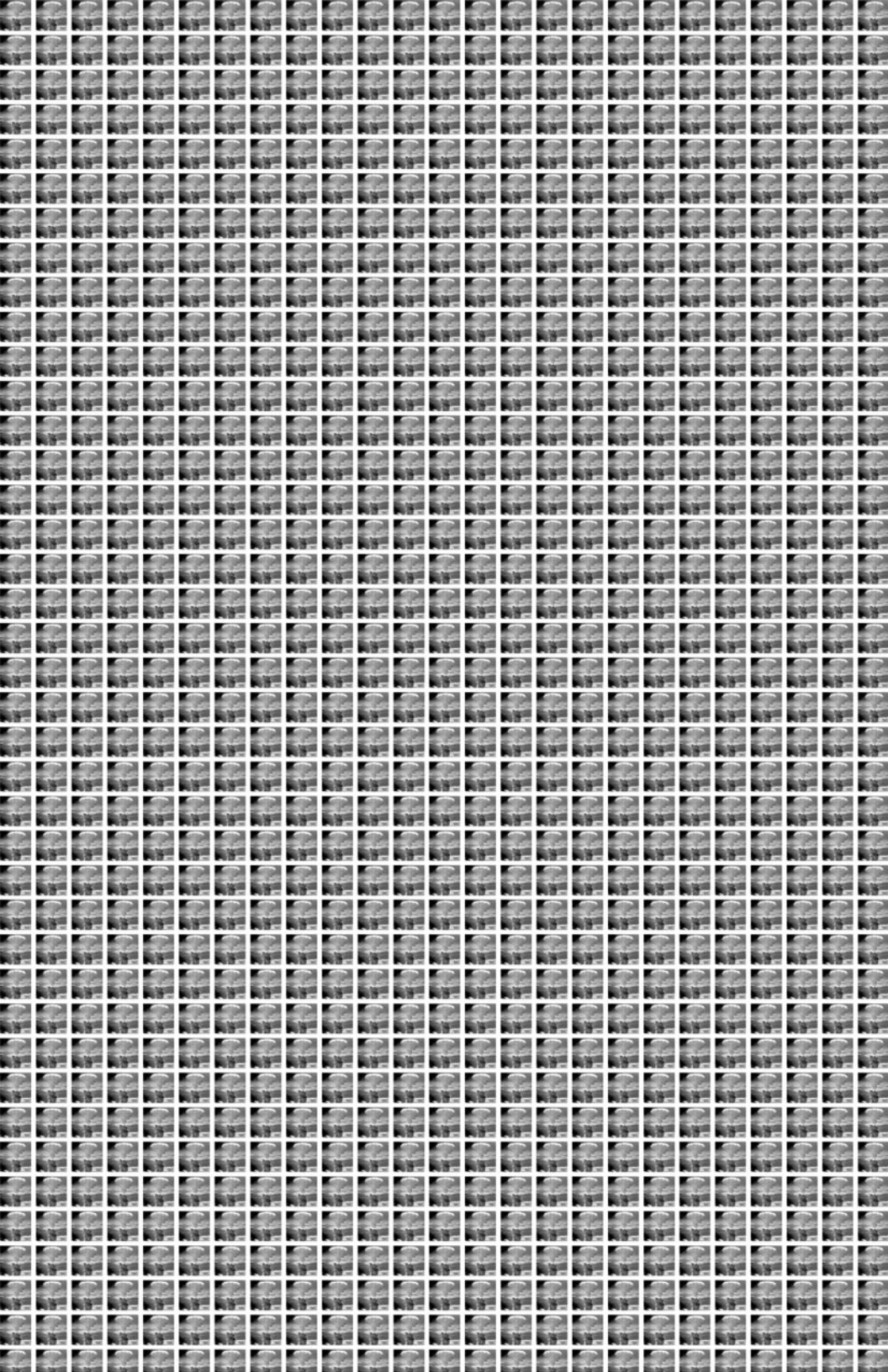
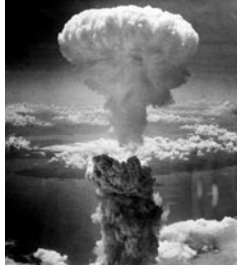


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How many Nagasaki-sized atom bomb explosions would it take to equal the amount of energy America consumes each year?

The answer is pictured on these pages. As you scroll through them, please pause to consider that each of the book's 1136 pages has 1000 images identical to the one above, and that each single image represents enough force to flatten a small city—full of people.

Nearly a million Nagasaki-sized explosions would equal America's annual combustion of fossil fuel.















































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































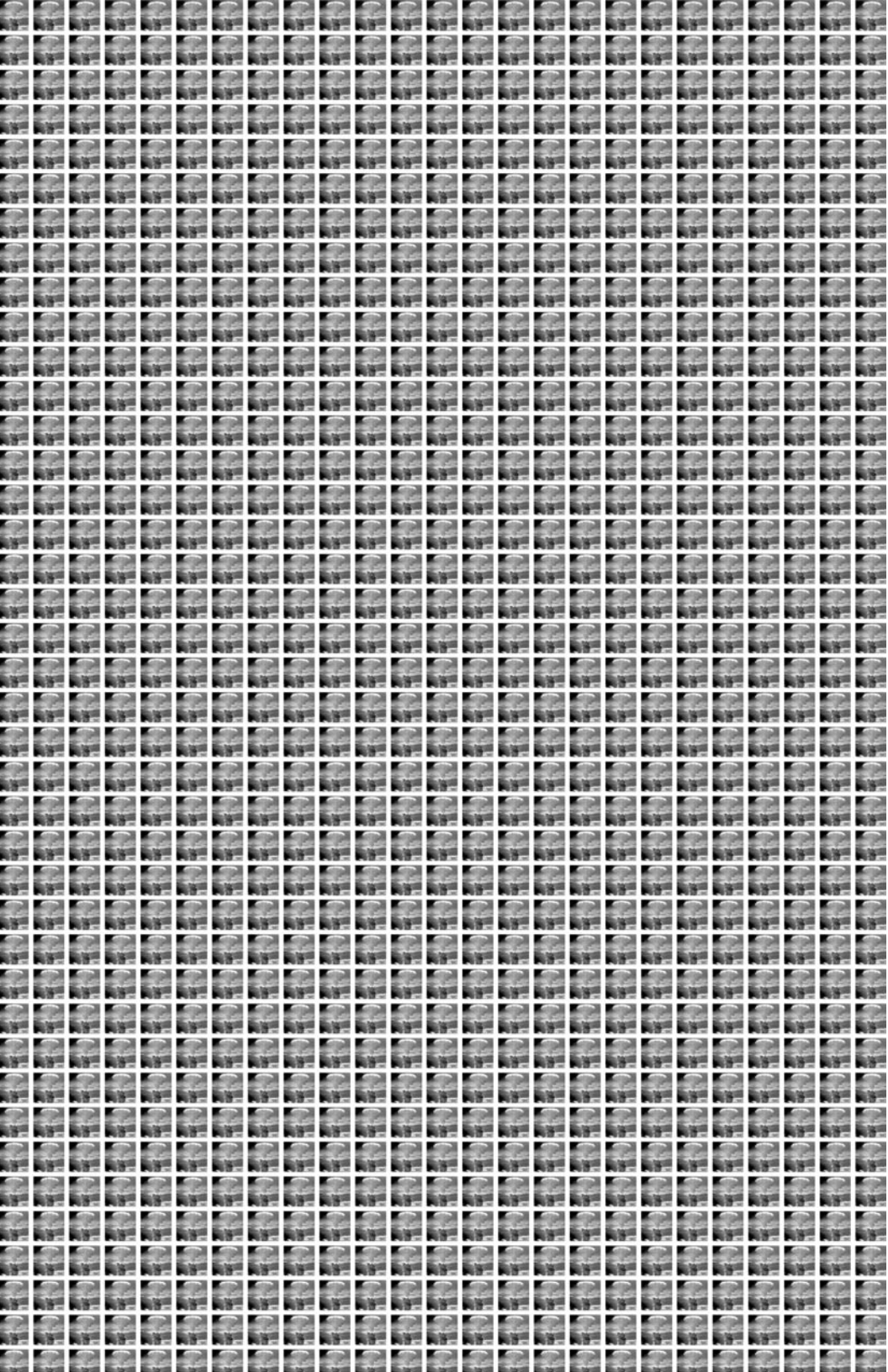




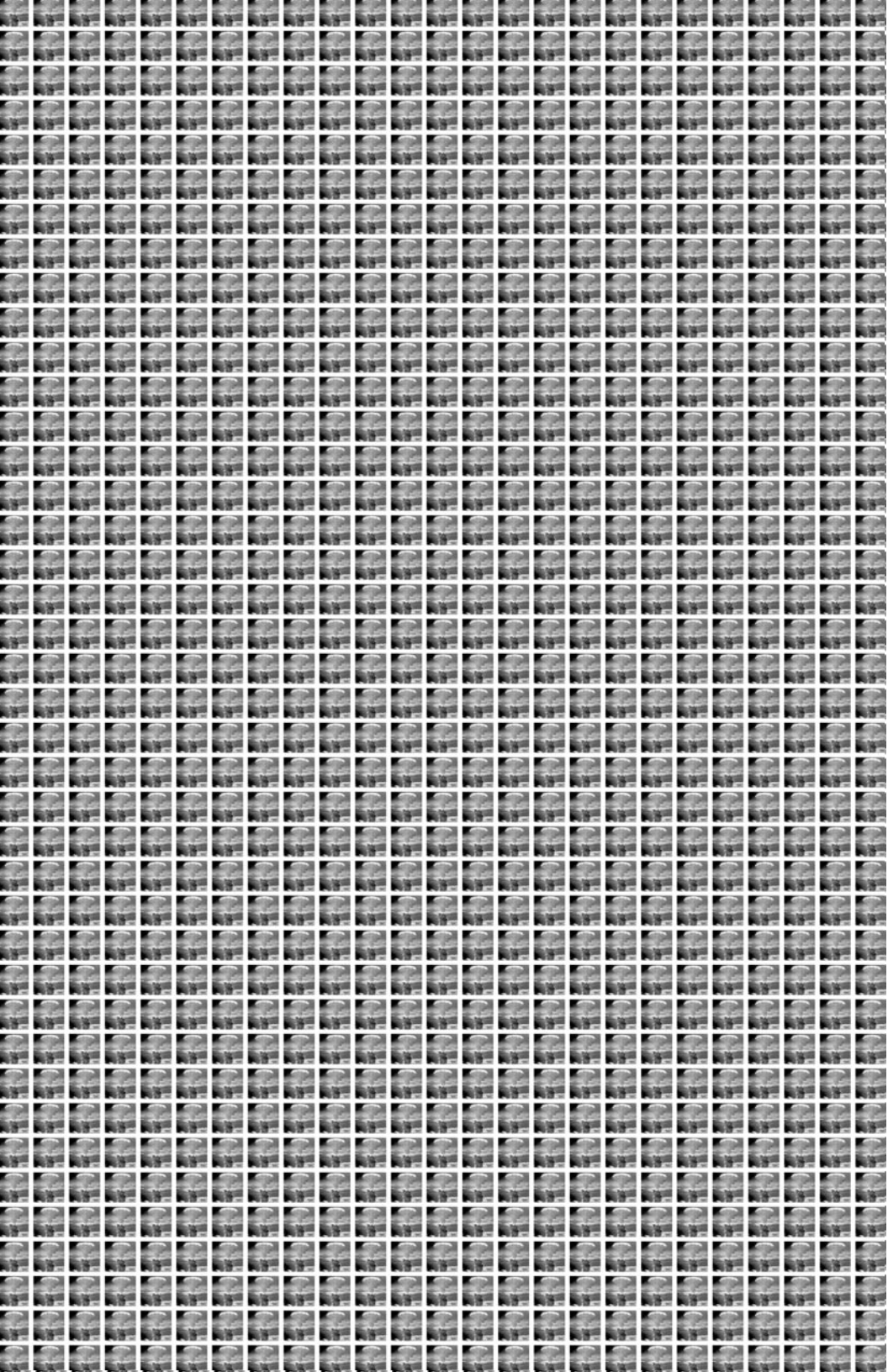












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Just under one million Nagasaki-sized explosions
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The U.S.D.O.E. estimates current American primary energy consumption to be about 100 exajoules per year. The second and last atom bomb detonated during warfare had an explosive energy of around 88 terajoules.