

## <sup>260</sup>Lr

Eskola et al. identified <sup>260</sup>Lr in “Studies of lawrencium isotopes with mass numbers 255 through 260” in 1971 ([1971Es01](#)). Boron, nitrogen, and oxygen beams with a maximum energy of 10.4 MeV/u from the Berkeley heavy-ion linear accelerator bombarded <sup>249</sup>Cf, <sup>248</sup>Cm, and <sup>249</sup>Bk targets. Recoil products were swept by rapidly flowing helium gas onto a collection wheel which rotated periodically in front of a series of Si-Au surface-barrier detectors. “In recent bombardments of a 300- $\mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$  <sup>249</sup>Bk target with 95-MeV <sup>18</sup>O ions, we observed an 8.03 MeV, 3-min activity which we assign to <sup>260</sup>Lr.”

Adapted from reference ([2013Th02](#))

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