

^{264}Sg

^{264}Sg was first observed by Gregorich et al. in “New isotope ^{264}Sg and decay properties of $^{262-264}\text{Sg}$ ” in 2006 (2006Gr24). The Berkeley 88-in. cyclotron was used to accelerate ^{30}Si beams to 5.2–6.0 MeV/nucleon and bombard $^{238}\text{UF}_4$ targets. ^{264}Sg was populated in the (4n) fusion-evaporation reaction and separated with the Berkeley Gas-filled Separator (BGS). A Si-strip detector array measured the implanted recoil products and the subsequent α -decay and spontaneous fission. “Five SF events assigned to new isotope ^{264}Sg , produced by the $^{238}\text{U}(^{30}\text{Si},4n)^{264}\text{Sg}$ reaction, were observed at the lowest ^{30}Si energy.” The measured half-life was 37_{-11}^{+27} ms. Less than a month later Nishio et al. independently reported the observation of three spontaneous fission events for ^{264}Sg (2006Ni10).

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