

## <sup>77</sup>Br

Woodward et al. described the first observation of <sup>75</sup>Br in the 1948 paper “Radioactive Br Isotopes” (1948Wo08). Deuterons and  $\alpha$ -particles from the Ohio State cyclotron bombarded enriched <sup>74</sup>Se and <sup>76</sup>Se targets. Gamma- and  $\beta$ -rays were measured with a Wulf electrometer attached to a Freon-filled ionization chamber. A 2.4-day activity was observed with  $\alpha$ -particles on <sup>74</sup>Se and with deuterons on <sup>76</sup>Se. Following the latter observation it was concluded that “Since bombardment of Se with alpha-particles had previously located the activity as either Kr<sup>77</sup> or Br<sup>77</sup>, assignment of the activity was made to Br<sup>77</sup>.”

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