

⁹⁴Rb

⁹⁴Rb was observed for the first time as reported in the 1961 paper “Half-lives of Rb⁹⁴, Sr⁹⁴, Y⁹⁴, Rb⁹⁵, Sr⁹⁵, Y⁹⁵” by Fritze et al. (1961Fr03). A ²³⁵U solution was irradiated in the McMaster University research reactor and ⁹⁴Rb was identified by timed precipitations. “The existence of a new rubidium isotope, Rb⁹⁴, has been established and its half-life measured. The half-life of this fission product was determined using the technique of timed precipitations. The value obtained for Rb⁹⁴ was 2.9±0.3 seconds.”

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