

⁹⁰Ru

In the 1991 paper “Searching for new neutron deficient nuclide ⁹⁰Ru” Zhou et al. reported the first observation of ⁹⁰Ru ([1991Zh29](#)). An enriched ⁵⁸Ni target was bombarded with a 115 MeV ³⁵Cl beam from the Chinese Institute of Atomic Energy (CIAE) HI-13 tandem accelerator in Beijing. X-ray and γ -rays of the residual nuclei were measured with a Si(Li) and HPGE detector, respectively. “Thus, the 992 keV and 1002 keV γ -rays in [the figure] possibly come from the β^+ decay daughter ⁹⁰Tc of a new nuclide ⁹⁰Ru, which has a half-life of 13 ± 5 s.”

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