

⁹⁹Sn

The credit for the discovery of ⁹⁹Sn is given to the 2012 paper “Superaligned Gamow–Teller decay of the doubly magic nucleus ¹⁰⁰Sn” by Hinke et al. (2012Hi07). At the GSI Helmholtzzentrum für Schwerionenforschung in Darmstadt, Germany, a 1.0A GeV ¹²⁴Xe beam irradiated a beryllium target to produce proton-rich isotopes in projectile fragmentation reactions. ⁹⁹Sn was identified with a fragment separator and implanted into a stack of highly segmented silicon strip detectors which were surrounded by the RISING γ -ray array. Although not specifically mentioned in the paper, the particle identification plot exhibits evidence for the presence of ⁹⁹Sn.

[2012Hi07](#) C. B. Hinke, M. Bohmer, P. Boutachkov, T. Faestermann *et al.*, *Nature* **486**, 341 (2012).

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