

¹³⁴Pr

¹³⁴Pr was correctly identified in 1967 by Clarkson et al. as reported in “Collective excitations in neutron-deficient barium, xenon, and cerium isotopes” (1967CI02). A 90 MeV ¹²C beam from the Berkeley HILAC bombarded a copper iodide target to form ¹³⁴Pr in the fusion-evaporation reaction ¹²⁷I(¹²C,5n). Gamma-ray spectra were measured following chemical separation. “The decay of ¹³⁴Pr to ¹³⁴Ce, with a half-life of 17±2 min, was also studied”. Previously reported half-lives of 1 h (1960La07) and 40(7) min (1963La03) were incorrect.

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