

¹⁶⁷Re

The identification of ¹⁶⁷Re was published in 1992 in “Revision of the decay data of ^{166–170}Re, including new isomers ^{167m,169m}Re” by Meissner et al. ([1992Me10](#)). ¹⁴¹Pr targets were irradiated with a 235 MeV ³²Si beam from the VICKSI accelerator facility at the Hahn-Meitner-Institut, Berlin, Germany. The reaction products were transported to a surface barrier α -detector, mounted between a γ -X detector and a γ -detector with a helium jet system and a fast transport tape. “The earlier reported 5.26 MeV and also the new 5.02 MeV α -rays display a similar excitation function as ¹⁶⁷W and are consequently assigned to ¹⁶⁷Re.” The measured half-lives of 6.2(5) s and 3.4(4) s correspond to an isomeric and the ground state, respectively. The 5.26 MeV α -energy mentioned in the quote for ¹⁶⁷Re had previously been assigned to ¹⁶⁸Re ([1978Ca11](#), [1982De11](#), [1984Sc06](#)). Meissner also demonstrated that α -decay assignments by Schrewe et al. ([1984Sc06](#)) to ^{166–168}Re were most likely from ^{163–165}W.

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