^{165}Os

"Copper ion induced reactions on $^{110-108-106}$Cd, $^{109-107}$Ag and ^{110}Pd. New rhenium, osmium and iridium isotopes" was published in 1978 by Cabot et al. announcing the discovery of ^{165}Os (1978Ca11). A 400 MeV ^{63}Cu beam from the ALICE accelerator at Orsay, France, bombarded isotopically enriched ^{106}Cd target to populate ^{165}Os in the fusion-evaporation reaction ^{106}Cd(^{63}Cu,p3n). Alpha particles from fragments collected by a He-jet were detected to determine the decay energies and half-lives. "From [the figure] it is clear that we have only the rising part of the excitation function for the reaction emitting one extra particle and we propose to assign this 6.20 MeV α-ray to ^{165}Os formed by the (Cu,p3n) reaction. The α systematics are again consistent with those mass assignments."

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