

²⁴⁶Cm

In 1954, Stevens et al. identified ²⁴⁶Cm in “Curium isotopes 246 and 247 from pile-irradiated plutonium” ([1954St33](#)). Plutonium samples were irradiated with neutrons in the Materials Testing Reactor. ²⁴⁶Cm was identified with the Argonne 12-in. 60° mass spectrometer following chemical separation. “Sample I contained 0.24 percent Cm²⁴⁶, whereas sample II contained 1.27 percent Cm²⁴⁶ and 0.016 percent Cm²⁴⁷.”

Adapted from reference ([2013Fr02](#))

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