

Nuclear 1<sup>st</sup> order rxn

$$\ln A_t = -kt + \ln A_0 \quad t_{1/2} = \frac{0.693}{k}$$

(34) 5.2mm  $\xrightarrow{1g \text{ } ^{210}\text{Fr}}$  0.250g  $t_{1/2} = ?$

Some time units!

$$\ln A_t = -kt + \ln A_0$$

$$\ln 0.25 = -k(5.2) + \ln 1$$

$$k = 0.27 \text{ min}^{-1}$$

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{0.693}{0.27} \rightarrow 2.6 \text{ min}$$

(36)  $t = ?$   $A_0 = 6.25 \text{ mg } ^{51}\text{Cr} \rightarrow A_t = 0.75 \text{ mg}$

$t_{1/2} = 27.8 \text{ days}$   $k = \text{days}^{-1} \text{ or } \frac{1}{\text{day}}$

$$\ln A_t = -kt + \ln A_0$$

$$\ln(0.75) = -0.025 t + \ln(6.25)$$

$$-2.12 = -0.025 t$$

$$t = 85 \text{ days}$$

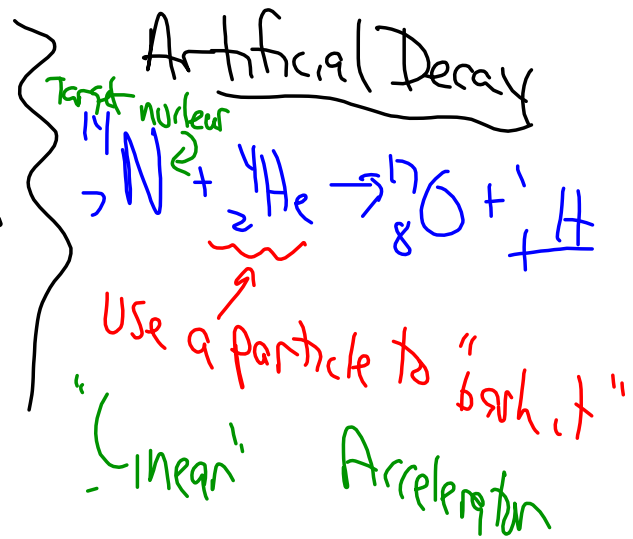
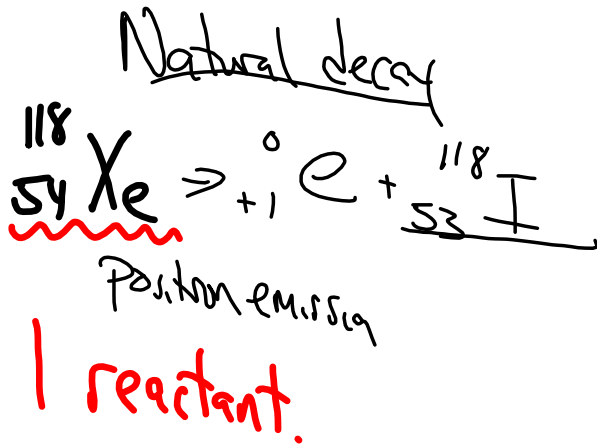
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$$k = \frac{0.693}{27.8} = 0.025 \text{ days}^{-1}$$

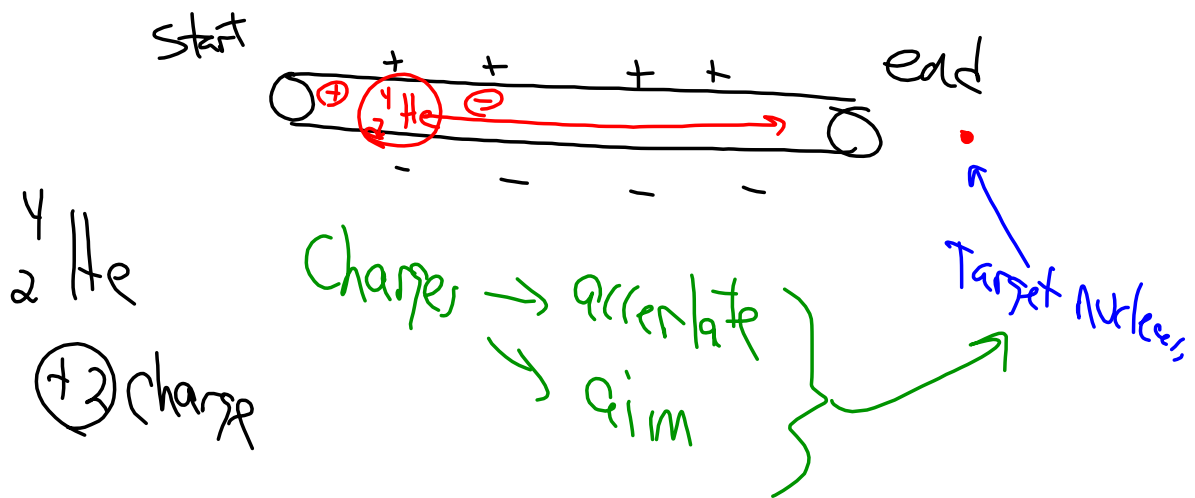
# Nuclear Transmutation

↳ Changing to become stable

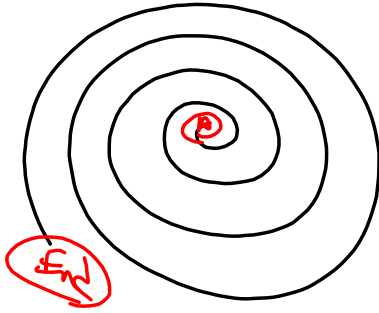


## Particle Accelerators → Aim at Target Nucleus

① Linear accelerator (Drag Strip)



② Cyclotron

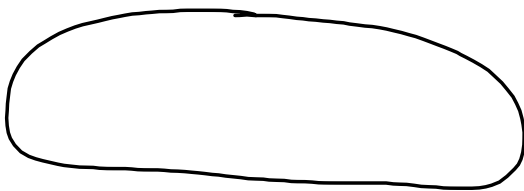


Linear  $\rightarrow$  curled it up

to save on  
real estate.

Same process as  
linear acceleration

③ Synchrotron



loop around



Speed

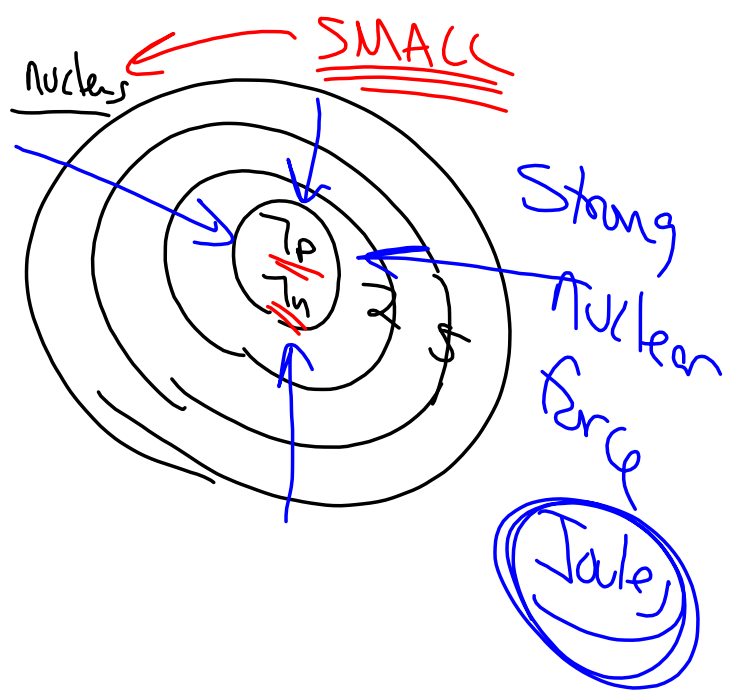
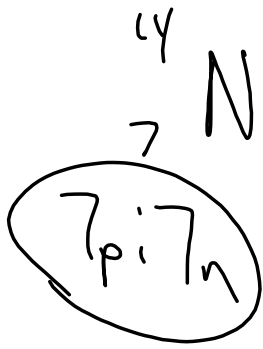


Aim + Smash target.

Stable

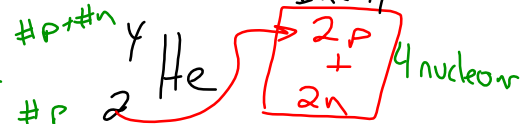
ATOMS

$A + Z < 83$



Strong Nuclear forces (J)

$E = mc^2$



He Nucleus mass = 4.0015 amu  
 p = 1.00728 amu, n = 1.00866 amu

+ 2p 2(1.00728)  
 2n 2(1.00866)

calculate mass He

4.03188 amu

Actual He mass 4.00150 amu

Actual Given

0.03038 amu

"Missing mass"

Mass Defect

Holds together → Strong Nuclear Force  
 Binding energy

Convert to energy / Strong Nuclear Force

0.03038 amu missing mass  ${}^4_2\text{He}$

$$E = mc^2$$

$$c = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/sec}$$

$$J = \frac{\text{kg} \cdot \text{m}^2}{\text{sec}^2}$$

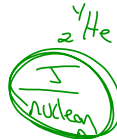
$$\text{amu} = \frac{\text{g}}{\text{mole}} \quad * \text{g} \rightarrow \text{kg}$$

$$0.03038 \text{ amu} = 0.03038 \text{ g} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ mole}}{1000 \text{ g}} = 0.03038 \times 10^{-3} \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{mole}}$$

$$E = mc^2$$

$$E = \left( \frac{0.03038 \times 10^{-3} \text{ kg}}{\text{mole}} \right) (3 \times 10^8)^2$$

$$E = \frac{2.7342 \times 10^{12} \text{ J}}{\text{mole}}$$



residual of the nucleus

$$\frac{2.7342 \times 10^{12} \text{ J}}{\text{mole}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mole}}{6 \times 10^{23} \text{ particles}} \times \frac{1 \text{ particle}}{4 \text{ nuclei (2p+2n)}}$$

$$= 1.14 \times 10^{-12} \text{ J/nucleon}$$

Fission

Breakdown  
Large  $\rightarrow$  small.

Nuclear reactor

U-235

Fusion

Small  $\rightarrow$  large

SUN

extreme heat

HW

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