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**Subject: Charge and mass conservation in REACTION**

I was informed by Sandor Takács that the projectile of the following subentries must be alpha particles, or sample target must be tellurium ( $Z=52$ ):

O1582.002	(51-SB-0(D,X)53-I-124,,TTY,,DT)
O1582.003	(51-SB-0(D,X)53-I-123,,TTY,,DT)
O1582.004	(51-SB-0(D,X)53-I-125,,TTY,,DT)
O1582.005	(51-SB-0(D,X)53-I-126,,TTY,,DT)

Because of the charge conservation law, we cannot produce iodine isotopes by irradiation of  $^{nat}\text{Sb}$  by deuteron beam at 20 MeV. Finally we found that the article gives these data sets for *alpha*-induced reactions.

Motivated by his comment, I searched REACTION satisfying the following conditions:

- 1.  $Z_{\text{fin,tot}} > Z_{\text{proj}} + Z_{\text{targ}}$**   
*Example* (22933.002): (43-TC-99(N,X)44-RU-100,,SIG)  
Note that this is allowed above the meson production threshold.
- 2.  $Z_{\text{fin,tot}} \neq Z_{\text{proj}} + Z_{\text{targ}}$  (for REACTION specifying all particles/nuclides in SF3-SF4)**  
*Example* (10375.002): (82-PB-0(N,EL)92-U-0,,DA)
- 3.  $A_{\text{fin,tot}} > A_{\text{proj}} + A_{\text{targ}}$**   
*Example* (A0468.002.5): (24-CR-50(A,X)25-MN-56,,TTY)
- 4.  $A_{\text{fin,tot}} \neq A_{\text{proj}} + A_{\text{targ}}$  (for REACTION specifying all particles/nuclides in SF3-SF4)**  
*Example* (10107.002): (14-SI-0(N,INL)14-SI-28,PAR,DA)  
*Example* (D0164.004): (34-SE-0(P,2N)35-BR-77,,SIG)

where  $Z_{\text{fin,tot}}$  and  $A_{\text{fin,tot}}$  are the sums of charge and mass numbers coded in the final channel. It would be useful if checking programs can perform a similar test.

A list is appended for the 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> items. I could not analyze all cases for the 4<sup>th</sup> item, but two examples above show typical situations. Without checking articles carefully, it is impossible to know whether data are for a natural sample or enriched sample.

**1. The total charge in the final channel exceeds  $Z_{\text{proj}}+Z_{\text{targ}}$  (Subentries indicated with \* are not erroneous.)**

Subentry	REACTION	Remark
22836.002	(83-BI-209(N,X)84-PO-210,,SIG,,SPA)	SF3: $x \rightarrow G$ , SF4: 84-PO-210 $\rightarrow$ 83-BI-210-G
22933.002	(43-TC-99(N,X)44-RU-100,,SIG)	Delete this entry. No reaction data given (decay constant)
23058.005	(90-TH-232(N,X)91-PA-233,,SPC)	Delete this entry. No reaction data given (delayed gamma intensity)
22603.006.1	(64-GD-160(N,X)65-TB-161,CUM,SIG,,MXW)	SF3: $x \rightarrow G$ , SF4: 65-TB-161 $\rightarrow$ 64-GD-161, SF5: Delete CUM.
22603.006.2	(64-GD-160(N,X)65-TB-161,CUM,SIG,,MXW,DERIV)	SF3: $x \rightarrow G$ , SF4: 65-TB-161 $\rightarrow$ 64-GD-161, SF5: Delete CUM.
*A0427.002	(23-V-0(P,X)25-MN-52,CUM,SIG)	Compiled as given in Table 1. $E_p=800$ MeV
*A0461.002.3	(79-AU-197(D,X)81-TL-196-M/G,,SIG/RAT)	The compiler mentions the point under COMMENT. $E_p=7.3$ GeV
C0347.019	(53-I-127(P,X)55-CS-127,,SIG)	DATA $\rightarrow$ DATA-MAX
*J1484.007	(1-H-1(KN,X)1-KP-0,,DA/DP)	Compiled as given in Fig.5. $p_K = 1.65$ GeV/c
O0418.026	(29-CU-0(PIN,X)29-CU-61,CUM,SIG)	SF5: CUM $\rightarrow$ IND ( $E_{\pi^-}>50$ MeV)
*O0542.054	(29-CU-0(P,X)31-GA-65,,SIG)	The compiler mentions the point under COMMENT. $E_p=3.9$ GeV
*O0542.055	(29-CU-0(P,X)31-GA-66,,SIG)	The compiler mentions the point under COMMENT. $E_p=3.9$ GeV
*O0542.056	(29-CU-0(P,X)32-GE-69,,SIG)	The compiler mentions the point under COMMENT. $E_p=3.9$ GeV
O1582.002	(51-SB-0(D,X)53-I-124,,TTY,,DT)	SF2: D $\rightarrow$ A
O1582.003	(51-SB-0(D,X)53-I-123,,TTY,,DT)	SF2: D $\rightarrow$ A
O1582.004	(51-SB-0(D,X)53-I-125,,TTY,,DT)	SF2: D $\rightarrow$ A
O1582.005	(51-SB-0(D,X)53-I-126,,TTY,,DT)	SF2: D $\rightarrow$ A
*O1665.003.2	(90-TH-232(P,X)92-U-230,,TTY,,DT,CALC)	Yield derived from $^{230}\text{Pa}$ yield. Is this allowed?

**2. The total charge in the final channel is not equal to  $Z_{\text{proj}}+Z_{\text{targ}}$**

Subentry	REACTION	Remark
10375.002	(82-PB-0(N,EL)92-U-0,,DA)	SF4: 92-U-0 $\rightarrow$ 82-PB-0
11321.010	(74-W-0(N,EL)56-BA-0,,DA)	SF4: 56-BA-0 $\rightarrow$ 74-W-0
O1117.002	(18-AR-40(PIP,5P)13-AL-35,,SIG)	SF4: 13-AL-35 $\rightarrow$ 14-SI-35 ?
O1117.012	(18-AR-40(PIP,6P)12-MG-34,,SIG)	SF4: 12-MG-34 $\rightarrow$ 13-AL-34 ?

### 3. Sum of mass numbers in the final channel exceeds $A_{\text{proj}}+A_{\text{targ}}$

<b>Subentry</b>	<b>REACTION</b>	<b>Remark</b>
A0468.002.5	(24-CR-50(A,X)25-MN-56,,TTY)	Impossible reaction. Contribution of another Cr target isotope?
O1582.013	(52-TE-124(D,X)53-I-131,,TTY,,DT)	Impossible reaction. Contribution of another Te target isotope?