

Title (en)

PROCESSING RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS WITH HYDROGEN ISOTOPE NUCLEI

Title (de)

VERARBEITEN RADIOAKTIVER MATERIALIEN MIT WASSERSTOFFISOTOPKERNEN

Title (fr)

TRAITEMENT DE MATERIAUX RADIOACTIFS AVEC DES NOYAUX D'ISOTOPE D'HYDROGÈNE

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[origin: WO03098640A2] A method for processing radioactive materials is disclosed. The method employs hydrogen isotope nuclei for the treatment of radioactive materials, such as uranium, and effectively increases the observed decay rate of such materials. Therefore, the disclosed method allows remediation of dangerous radioactive materials, such as uranium, without requiring long term, geologically-stable storage sites or costly, accelerator-based transmutation equipment.

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