

Nuclear Physics Review:

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② H

③ • The nucleus is composed of protons and neutrons only

- The protons repel each other electrically
- The repulsion INCREASES as the protons get closer together
- In a nucleus the protons are very very very very close together
- To get the protons close enough to be bound by the neutrons requires EXTREME temperature and pressure
- Those conditions only exist inside of stars and within early universe.

④ C, D, F

⑤ A. Find the change in mass or MASS DEFECT.

$$\Delta m = 100 \text{ kg} - 99.87 \text{ kg} = 0.13 \text{ kg}$$

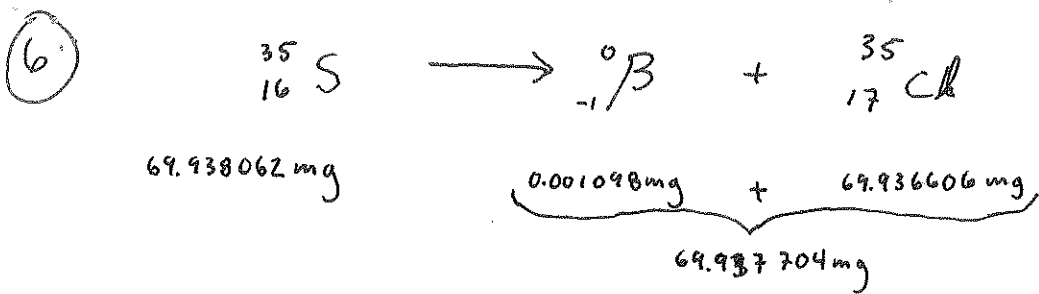
• Use $E = mc^2$ to find E

$$E = 0.13 \text{ kg} (3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})^2 = 1.17 \times 10^{16} \text{ J}$$

B. This is essentially a unit conversion question.

$$\text{Given: } 1 \text{ L gasoline} = 3.2 \times 10^7 \text{ J}$$

$$1.17 \times 10^{16} \text{ J} \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ L gasoline}}{3.2 \times 10^7 \text{ J}} \right) = 3.65625 \times 10^8 \text{ L gasoline}$$



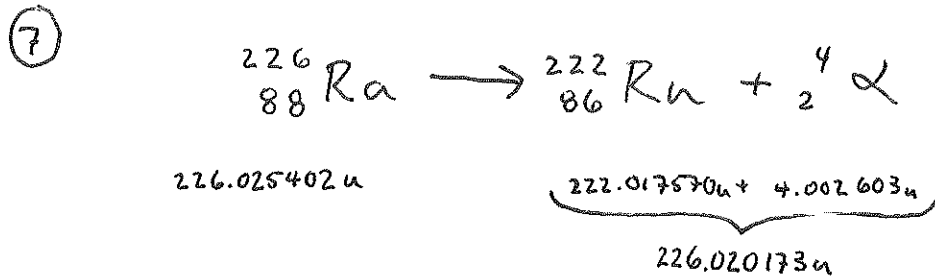
A. MASS DEFECT:

$$69.938062 \text{ mg} - 69.937704 \text{ mg} = 0.000358 \text{ mg}$$

B. Convert to kg

$$0.000358 \text{ mg} \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ g}}{1000 \text{ mg}}\right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ kg}}{1000 \text{ g}}\right) = 3.58 \times 10^{-10} \text{ kg}$$

C. $E = mc^2 = 3.58 \times 10^{-10} \text{ kg} (3.0 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})^2 = 3.222 \times 10^7 \text{ J}$



• MASS DEFECT:

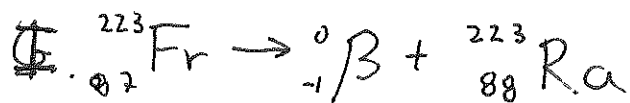
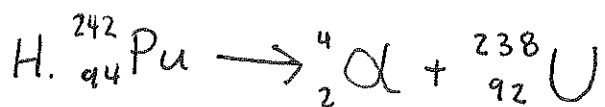
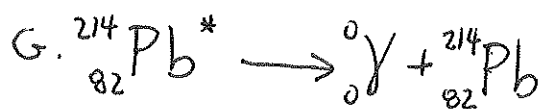
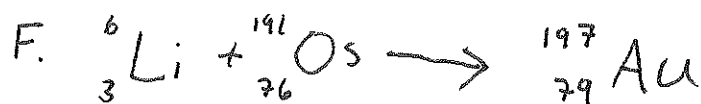
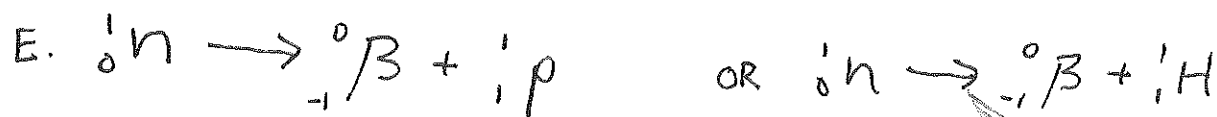
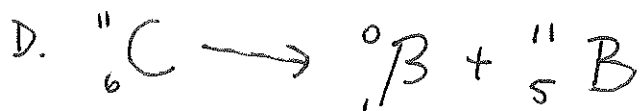
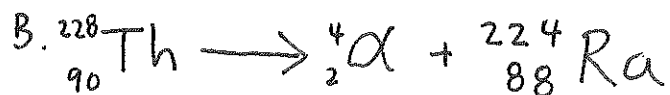
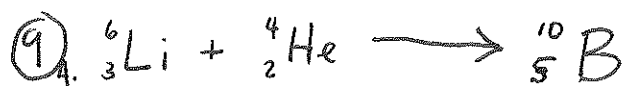
$$226.025402 \text{ u} - 226.020173 \text{ u} = 0.005229 \text{ u}$$

• CONVERT TO kg:

$$0.005229 \text{ u} \times \left(\frac{1.66 \times 10^{-27}}{1 \text{ u}}\right) = 8.68014 \times 10^{-30} \text{ kg}$$

• $E = mc^2 = 8.68014 \times 10^{-30} \text{ kg} (3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})^2 = 7.812 \times 10^{-13} \text{ J}$

⑧ $E = mc^2 \implies m = \frac{E}{c^2} = \frac{4.0 \times 10^{13} \text{ J}}{(3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})^2} = 0.0004 \text{ kg} = 0.444 \text{ g}$



⑩ The nuclear fusion of Hydrogen into Helium.

⑪ A. ${}_{84}^{212}\text{Po}$: 84 protons, 128 neutrons

B. ${}_{58}^{140}\text{Ce}$: 58 protons, 82 neutrons

C. ${}_{17}^{37}\text{Cl}$: 17 protons, 20 neutrons

D. ${}_{21}^{45}\text{Sc}$: 21 protons, 24 neutrons.

E. ${}_{35}^{80}\text{Br}$: 35 protons, 45 neutrons

F. ${}_{83}^{209}\text{Bi}$: 83 protons, 126 neutrons

12. A. ${}_{15}^{32}\text{P}$ B. ${}_{70}^{172}\text{Yb}$ C. ${}_{8}^{16}\text{O}$ D. ${}_{59}^{140}\text{Pr}$

13. ${}_{41}^{100}\text{Nb}$

14. ${}_{12}^{25}\text{Mg}$

15. $\text{---} \rightarrow {}_{-1}^0\beta + {}_{15}^{31}\text{P}$

${}_{14}^{31}\text{Si} \rightarrow {}_{-1}^0\beta + {}_{15}^{31}\text{P}$

16. See #3. To create the temperature/pressure necessary would require more energy than the reaction would output. Thus it is unfeasible from an economic and energy standpoint.