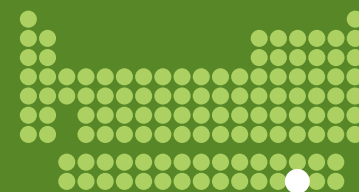


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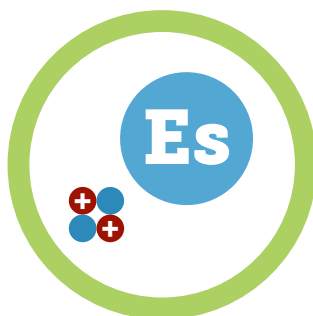
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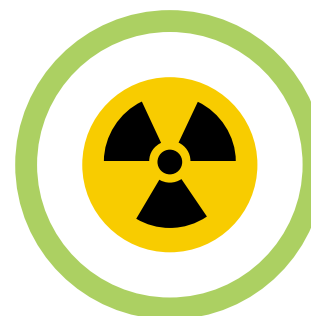
Mendelevium was first synthesised by bombarding einsteinium with alpha particles (helium ions).

## NAME



Mendelevium is named after Dmitri Mendeleev, credited with the invention of the modern periodic table.

## RARE



Mendelevium is radioactive and made in small amounts, so has no uses outside of scientific research.