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$$\Delta E_b = E_{bf} - E_{bi}$$

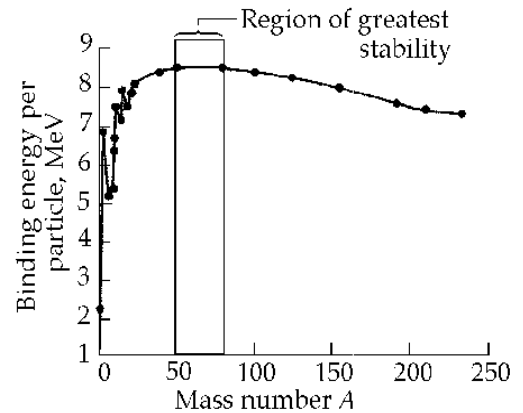
For $A = 200, \frac{E_b}{A} = 7.4 \text{ MeV}$

so $E_{bi} = 200(7.4 \text{ MeV}) = 1480 \text{ MeV}$

For $A \cong 100, \frac{E_b}{A} \cong 8.4 \text{ MeV}$

so $E_{bf} = 2(100)(8.4 \text{ MeV}) = 1680 \text{ MeV}$

$$\Delta E_b = E_{bf} - E_{bi}: E_b = 1680 \text{ MeV} - 1480 \text{ MeV} = \boxed{200 \text{ MeV}}$$



30.10 Using atomic masses as given in Table A.3,

(a) For ${}^2_1\text{H}$: $\frac{-2.014102 + 1(1.008665) + 1(1.007825)}{2}$

$$E_b / A = (0.001194 \text{ u}) \left(\frac{931.5 \text{ MeV}}{\text{u}} \right) = \boxed{1.11 \text{ MeV/nucleon}}$$

(b) For ${}^4_2\text{He}$: $\frac{2(1.008665) + 2(1.007825) - 4.002602}{4}$

$$E_b / A = 0.00759 \text{ u} c^2 = \boxed{7.07 \text{ MeV/nucleon}}$$

(c) For ${}^{56}_{26}\text{Fe}$: $30(1.008665) + 26(1.007825) - 55.934940 = 0.528 \text{ u}$

$$E_b / A = \frac{0.528}{56} = 0.00944 \text{ u} c^2 = \boxed{8.79 \text{ MeV/nucleon}}$$

(d) For ${}^{238}_{92}\text{U}$: $146(1.008665) + 92(1.007825) - 238.050784 = 1.9342 \text{ u}$

$$E_b / A = \frac{1.9342}{238} = 0.00813 \text{ u} c^2 = \boxed{7.57 \text{ MeV/nucleon}}$$

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$$\frac{dN}{dt} = -\lambda N$$

so $\lambda = \frac{1}{N} \left(-\frac{dN}{dt} \right) = (1.00 \times 10^{-15}) (6.00 \times 10^{11}) = 6.00 \times 10^{-4} \text{ s}^{-1}$

$$T_{1/2} = \frac{\ln 2}{\lambda} = \boxed{1.16 \times 10^3 \text{ s}} (= 19.3 \text{ min})$$

30.15 (a) From $R = R_0 e^{-\lambda t}$,

$$\lambda = \frac{1}{t} \ln\left(\frac{R_0}{R}\right) = \left(\frac{1}{4.00 \text{ h}}\right) \ln\left(\frac{10.0}{8.00}\right) = 5.58 \times 10^{-2} \text{ h}^{-1} = \boxed{1.55 \times 10^{-5} \text{ s}^{-1}}$$

$$T_{1/2} = \frac{\ln 2}{\lambda} = \boxed{12.4 \text{ h}}$$

(b) $N_0 = \frac{R_0}{\lambda} = \frac{10.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ Ci}}{1.55 \times 10^{-5} / \text{s}} \left(\frac{3.70 \times 10^{10} / \text{s}}{1 \text{ Ci}} \right) = \boxed{2.39 \times 10^{13} \text{ atoms}}$

(c) $R = R_0 e^{-\lambda t} = (10.0 \text{ mCi}) \exp(-5.58 \times 10^{-2} \times 30.0) = \boxed{1.87 \text{ mCi}}$

*30.18 (a) $4.00 \text{ pCi/L} = \left(\frac{4.00 \times 10^{-12} \text{ Ci}}{1 \text{ L}} \right) \left(\frac{3.70 \times 10^{10} \text{ Bq}}{1 \text{ Ci}} \right) \left(\frac{1.00 \times 10^3 \text{ L}}{1 \text{ m}^3} \right) = \boxed{148 \text{ Bq/m}^3}$

(b) $N = \frac{R}{\lambda} = R \left(\frac{T_{1/2}}{\ln 2} \right) = (148 \text{ Bq/m}^3) \left(\frac{3.82 \text{ d}}{\ln 2} \right) \left(\frac{86400 \text{ s}}{1 \text{ d}} \right) = \boxed{7.05 \times 10^7 \text{ atoms/m}^3}$

(c) $\text{mass} = (7.05 \times 10^7 \text{ atoms/m}^3) \left(\frac{1 \text{ mol}}{6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ atoms}} \right) \left(\frac{222 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ mol}} \right) = 2.60 \times 10^{14} \text{ g/m}^3$

Since air has a density of 1.20 kg/m^3 , the fraction consisting of radon is

$$\text{fraction} = \frac{2.60 \times 10^{-14} \text{ g/m}^3}{1.20 \text{ kg/m}^3} = \boxed{2.17 \times 10^{-17}}$$

30.20 (a) A gamma ray has zero charge and it contains no protons or neutrons. So for a gamma ray $Z = 0$ and $A = 0$. Keeping the total values of Z and A for the system conserved then requires $Z = 28$ and $A = 65$ for X . With this atomic number it must be nickel, and the nucleus must be in an excited state, so it is ${}_{28}^{65}\text{Ni}^*$.

(b) $\alpha = {}_2^4\text{He}$ has $Z = 2$ and $A = 4$
 so for X we require $Z = 84 - 2 = 82$
 for Pb and $A = 215 - 4 = 211$, $X = {}_{82}^{211}\text{Pb}$

(c) A positron $e^+ = {}_1^0\text{e}$ has charge the same as a nucleus with $Z = 1$. A neutrino ${}^0_0\nu$ has no charge. Neither contains any protons or neutrons. So X must have by conservation $Z = 26 + 1 = 27$. It is Co . And $A = 55 + 0 = 55$. It is ${}_{27}^{55}\text{Co}$.

Similar reasoning about balancing the sums of Z and A across the reaction reveals:

(d) ${}_{-1}^0\text{e}$

(e) ${}^1_1\text{H}$ (or p)

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$$N_C = \left(\frac{0.0210 \text{ g}}{12.0 \text{ g/mol}} \right) (6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ molecules/mol})$$

($N_C = 1.05 \times 10^{21}$ carbon atoms) of which 1 in 7.70×10^{11} is a ^{14}C atom

$$(N_0)_{\text{C-14}} = 1.37 \times 10^9, \quad \lambda_{\text{C-14}} = \frac{\ln 2}{5730 \text{ yr}} = 1.21 \times 10^{-4} \text{ yr}^{-1} = 3.83 \times 10^{-12} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$R = \lambda N = \lambda N_0 e^{-\lambda t}$$

At $t = 0$,
$$R_0 = \lambda N_0 = (3.83 \times 10^{-12} \text{ s}^{-1}) (1.37 \times 10^9) \left[\frac{7(86400 \text{ s})}{1 \text{ week}} \right] = 3.17 \times 10^3 \frac{\text{decays}}{\text{week}}$$

At time t ,
$$R = \frac{837}{0.88} = 951 \text{ decays/week}$$

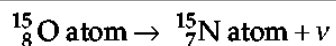
Taking logarithms, $\ln \frac{R}{R_0} = -\lambda t$ so
$$t = \frac{-1}{\lambda} \ln \left(\frac{R}{R_0} \right)$$

$$t = \frac{-1}{1.21 \times 10^{-4} \text{ yr}^{-1}} \ln \left(\frac{951}{3.17 \times 10^3} \right) = \boxed{9.96 \times 10^3 \text{ yr}}$$

30.25 (a) $\boxed{e^- + p \rightarrow n + \nu}$



Add seven electrons to both sides to obtain



(c) From Table A.3,
$$m(^{15}\text{O}) = m(^{15}\text{N}) + \frac{Q}{c^2}$$

$$\Delta m = 15.003\,065 \text{ u} - 15.000\,108 \text{ u} = 0.002\,957 \text{ u}$$

$$Q = (931.5 \text{ MeV/u})(0.002957 \text{ u}) = \boxed{2.75 \text{ MeV}}$$

***30.42** The number of nuclei in 0.155 kg of ^{210}Po is

$$N_0 = \left(\frac{155 \text{ g}}{209.98 \text{ g/mol}} \right) (6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ nuclei/mol}) = 4.44 \times 10^{23} \text{ nuclei}$$

The half-life of ^{210}Po is 138.38 days, so the decay constant is given by

$$\lambda = \frac{\ln 2}{T_{1/2}} = \frac{\ln 2}{(138.38 \text{ d})(8.64 \times 10^4 \text{ s/d})} = 5.80 \times 10^{-8} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

The initial activity is

$$R_0 = \lambda N_0 = (5.80 \times 10^{-8} \text{ s}^{-1})(4.44 \times 10^{23} \text{ nuclei}) = 2.58 \times 10^{16} \text{ Bq}$$

The energy released in each $^{210}_{84}\text{Po} \rightarrow ^{206}_{82}\text{Pb} + ^4_2\text{He}$ reaction is

$$Q = \left[M_{^{210}_{84}\text{Po}} - M_{^{206}_{82}\text{Pb}} - M_{^4_2\text{He}} \right] c^2:$$

$$Q = [209.982848 - 205.974440 - 4.002602] \text{ u} (931.5 \text{ MeV/u}) = 5.41 \text{ MeV}$$

Thus, assuming a conversion efficiency of 1.00%, the initial power output of the battery is

$$\mathcal{P} = (0.0100)R_0Q = (0.0100) \left(2.58 \times 10^{16} \frac{\text{decays}}{\text{s}} \right) \left(5.41 \frac{\text{MeV}}{\text{decay}} \right) \left(1.60 \times 10^{-13} \frac{\text{J}}{\text{MeV}} \right) = \boxed{223 \text{ W}}$$

***30.47** (a) One liter of milk contains this many ^{40}K nuclei:

$$N = (2.00 \text{ g}) \left(\frac{6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ nuclei/mol}}{39.1 \text{ g/mol}} \right) \left(\frac{0.0117}{100} \right) = 3.60 \times 10^{18} \text{ nuclei}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{\ln 2}{T_{1/2}} = \frac{\ln 2}{1.28 \times 10^9 \text{ yr} \left(\frac{1 \text{ yr}}{3.156 \times 10^7 \text{ s}} \right)} = 1.72 \times 10^{-17} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$R = \lambda N = (1.72 \times 10^{-17} \text{ s}^{-1})(3.60 \times 10^{18}) = \boxed{61.8 \text{ Bq}}$$

(b) For the iodine, $R = R_0 e^{-\lambda t}$ with $\lambda = \frac{\ln 2}{8.04 \text{ d}}$

$$t = \frac{1}{\lambda} \ln \left(\frac{R_0}{R} \right) = \frac{8.04 \text{ d}}{\ln 2} \ln \left(\frac{2000}{61.8} \right) = \boxed{40.3 \text{ d}}$$