(a, n) neutron yield

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Neutron yield in Teflon

Chemical composition of Teflon(C:F = 24:76)

teflon = new G4Material("teflon", 2.16*g/cm3, 2);

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teflon->AddElement( natC, 1 );
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teflon->AddElement(natF, 2);



U238 in Teflon, total neutron yield: 23 (/ppm/g/y)

Th232 in Teflon, total neutron yield: 7.77 (/ppm/g/y)



Fig. 4. Measured neutron energy spectrum from the 370 GBq Am-Be neutron source normalized to unit fluence, (uncertainties are due to counting statistics only).



Fig. 5. Measured neutron energy spectrum from the 37 GBq Am-Be neutron source normalized to unit fluence, (uncertainties are due to counting statistics only).



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Cross Section and Stopping Power



From Talys calculation

From astar program: http://physics.nist.gov/PhysRefData/Star/Text/ASTAR.html