

(7.3) For an irradiation experiment it is necessary to extract a beam of deuterons from an accelerator. The projectile energy is 22 MeV D^+ . For this purpose the beam is deflected and permitted to pass through a thin titanium foil (density 4.5 g cm^{-3}). Assuming that $R_1 \rho_1 M_1^{-1/2} = R_2 \rho_2 M_2^{-1/2}$ (Bragg-Kleeman rule), what is the maximum thickness of the foil? Give answer in millimeters.

$$R_{Al} := 400 \quad \text{mg Al/cm}^2 \quad \rho_{Al} := 2.7 \quad \text{g/cm}^3 \quad \rho_{Ti} := 4.5 \quad \text{g/cm}^3$$

$$M_{Al} := 26.98 \quad M_{Ti} := 47.90$$

$$R_{Ti} := \frac{R_{Al} \rho_{Al} M_{Al}^{-1/2}}{\rho_{Ti} M_{Ti}^{-1/2}} \quad \text{Application of eqn. (7.12) two times} \quad R_{Ti} = 319.785 \quad \text{mg Ti/cm}^2$$

$$\text{Thickness} := \frac{R_{Ti}}{\rho_{Ti}} \cdot 10^{-3} \cdot 10 \quad \text{Thickness} = 0.711 \quad \text{mm of Ti}$$