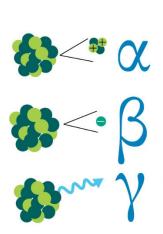
Penetrating Powers of Ionizing Radiation Image



ALPHA Particles

Stopped by a sheet of paper and cannot penetrate the outer dead layer of skin

BETA Particles

Stopped by a layer of clothing or a thin sheet of a substance, such as aluminum

GAMMA Rays and X-Rays

Stopped by several feet of concrete or a few inches of

