# StefinRacho-Homework-2

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- 0.1 Homework 2
- 0.1.1 Due Friday, 9/20/2024
- 0.1.2 For each homework set:
- 0.1.3 Create a New iPython (Jupyter) notebook. Name the notebook FirstAndLast-Name Homework2 and save it before you start working
- 0.1.4 To submit, export or print your notebook as a pdf, with all outputs visible. Upload both the pdf and a copy of your notebook (.ipynb) in Canvas.
  - 1. Exercise 2.8: Create two arrays a and b a=[1,2,3,4] b=[2,4,6,8] Compute the following: b/a+1 b/(a+1) 1/a

Verify these values by computing it by hand. (Either paper or using Markdown)

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[3]: import numpy as np import timeit
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[30]: a = np.array([1, 2, 3, 4])
b = np.array([2, 4, 6, 8])
print(f"a = {a}")
print(f"b = {b}")
print(f"b/a + 1 = {b/a + 1}")
print(f"b/(a+1) = {b/(a+1)}")
print(f"1/a = {1/a}")
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Solving for b/a + 1: b/a + 1 = [2/1 + 1, 4/2 + 1, 6/3 + 1, 8/4 + 1] b/a + 1 = [2 + 1, 2 + 1, 2 + 1, 2 + 1] b/a + 1 = [3, 3, 3, 3]

Solving for b/(a+1): b/(a+1) = [2/(1+1), 4/(2+1), 6/(3+1), 8/(4+1)] b/(a+1) = [2/2, 4/3, 6/4, 8/5] b/(a+1) = [1, 1.3333, 1.5, 1.6]

Solving for 1/a: 1/a = [1/1, 1/2, 1/3, 1/4] 1/a = [1, 0.5, 0.3333, 0.25]

2. Using the same arrays above. Write a program to compute the dot product between them by accessing the elements of the array individually. Verify the result using the built-in function. (np.dot) You may need to look up what a dot product is.

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[90]: def dotProduct(arr1, arr2):
          product = 0
          for i in np.arange(arr1.size):
              print(f"arr1[{i}] = {arr1[i]}\narr2[{i}] = {arr2[i]}")
              print(f"{arr1[i]} * {arr2[i]} = {arr1[i] * arr2[i]}")
              print(f"{product} + {arr1[i] * arr2[i]} = {product + arr1[i] * arr2[i]}")
              product += arr1[i] * arr2[i]
              print(f"dot product so far is {product}\n")
          return product
      dotProduct(a, b)
      print(f"np.dot = {np.dot(a, b)}")
     arr1[0] = 1
     arr2[0] = 2
     1 * 2 = 2
     0 + 2 = 2
     dot product so far is 2
     arr1[1] = 2
     arr2[1] = 4
     2 * 4 = 8
     2 + 8 = 10
     dot product so far is 10
     arr1[2] = 3
     arr2[2] = 6
     3 * 6 = 18
     10 + 18 = 28
     dot product so far is 28
     arr1[3] = 4
     arr2[3] = 8
     4 * 8 = 32
     28 + 32 = 60
     dot product so far is 60
     np.dot = 60
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3. Download the Gaussian.txt found on Canvas and put it in the same directory as your code. Load the values from the file using numpy.loadtxt() Compute the following: the sum, length, mean of all the values in the file. Then compute root mean square deviation (RMSD)

$$RMSD = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=0}^{i=N} (mean-values[i])^2}{N}}$$

Since the values in the Gaussian.txt is drawn from a Gaussian distribution. The mean and

RMSD should be almost the same as a Gaussian centered at 10 and with a sigma of 2.

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[10]: x = np.loadtxt("Gaussian.txt")
sum = np.sum(x)
print(f"sum = {sum}")

length = x.size
print(f"length = {length}")

mean = np.mean(x)
print(f"mean = {mean}")

RMSD = np.sqrt(np.sum((x - mean)**2) / length)
print(f"RMSD = {RMSD}")

sum = 10037.52371
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length = 10037.52371
length = 1000
mean = 10.03752371
RMSD = 1.922871400919036
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- 4. Download the matrix.txt found on Canvas and put in the same directory as your code
  - Load the values from the file using numpy.loadtxt()
  - print out the following properties of the matrix and explain what each tell you about the array:
    - len, shape, sum, min, max (note that some of these function will require you loop through each row of the matrix)
  - Slice the matrix to print out only the 1st Row
  - Slice the matrix to print out only the 1st Column
  - Slice the matrix to print out only the 1st 3 Row
  - Slice the matrix to print out only the 1st 3 Column
  - Slice the matrix to print out only the last 3 Row
  - Slice the matrix to print out only the last 3 Column

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print(f"1st Column = {matrix[:, 0]}\n")
print(f"First 3 Rows =\n{matrix[:3, :]}\n")
print(f"First 3 Columns =\n{matrix[:, :3]}\n")
print(f"Last 3 Rows =\n{matrix[-3:, :]}\n")
print(f"Last 3 Columns=\n{matrix[:, -3:]}\n")
matrix =
[[ 0. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.]
 [10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19.]
 [20. 21. 22. 23. 24. 25. 26. 27. 28. 29.]
 [30. 31. 32. 33. 34. 35. 36. 37. 38. 39.]
 [40. 41. 42. 43. 44. 45. 46. 47. 48. 49.]
 [50. 51. 52. 53. 54. 55. 56. 57. 58. 59.]
 [60. 61. 62. 63. 64. 65. 66. 67. 68. 69.]
 [70. 71. 72. 73. 74. 75. 76. 77. 78. 79.]
 [80. 81. 82. 83. 84. 85. 86. 87. 88. 89.]
 [90. 91. 92. 93. 94. 95. 96. 97. 98. 99.]]
matrix length = 100
Length describes how many elements are in the matrix.
matrix shape = (10, 10)
Shape describes the dimensions of the array.
matrix sum = 4950.0
Sum describes the value when all the elements in the matrix are added together.
matrix min = 0.0
Min describes the minimum value in the matrix.
matrix max = 99.0
Max describes the maximum value in the matrix.
1st Row = [0. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.]
1st Column = [ 0. 10. 20. 30. 40. 50. 60. 70. 80. 90.]
First 3 Rows =
[[ 0. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.]
 [10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19.]
 [20. 21. 22. 23. 24. 25. 26. 27. 28. 29.]]
First 3 Columns =
[[ 0. 1. 2.]
 [10. 11. 12.]
 [20. 21. 22.]
 [30. 31. 32.]
 [40. 41. 42.]
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[50. 51. 52.]
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[60. 61. 62.]

[70. 71. 72.]

[80. 81. 82.]

[90. 91. 92.]]

## Last 3 Rows =

[[70. 71. 72. 73. 74. 75. 76. 77. 78. 79.]

[80. 81. 82. 83. 84. 85. 86. 87. 88. 89.]

[90. 91. 92. 93. 94. 95. 96. 97. 98. 99.]]

## Last 3 Columns=

- [[7. 8. 9.]
- [17. 18. 19.]
- [27. 28. 29.]
- [37. 38. 39.]
- [47. 48. 49.]
- [57. 58. 59.]
- [67. 68. 69.]
- [77. 78. 79.]
- [87. 88. 89.]
- [97. 98. 99.]]
  - 5. Exercise 2.9

#### Exercise 2.9: The Madelung constant

In condensed matter physics the Madelung constant gives the total electric potential felt by an atom in a solid. It depends on the charges on the other atoms nearby and their locations. Consider for instance solid sodium chloride—table salt. The sodium chloride crystal has atoms arranged on a cubic lattice, but with alternating sodium and chlorine atoms, the sodium ones having a single positive charge +e and the chlorine ones a single negative charge -e, where e is the charge on the electron. If we label each position on the lattice by three integer coordinates (i, j, k), then the sodium atoms fall at positions where i + j + k is even, and the chlorine atoms at positions where i + j + k is even, and the chlorine atoms at positions where i + j + k is even.

Consider a sodium atom at the origin, i = j = k = 0, and let us calculate the Madelung constant. If the spacing of atoms on the lattice is a, then the distance from the origin to the atom at position (i, j, k) is

$$\sqrt{(ia)^2 + (ja)^2 + (ka)^2} = a\sqrt{i^2 + j^2 + k^2},$$

and the potential at the origin created by such an atom is

$$V(i,j,k) = \pm \frac{e}{4\pi\epsilon_0 a \sqrt{i^2 + j^2 + k^2}},$$

with  $\epsilon_0$  being the permittivity of the vacuum and the sign of the expression depending on whether i+j+k is even or odd. The total potential felt by the sodium atom is then the sum of this quantity over all other atoms. Let us assume a cubic box around the sodium at the origin, with L atoms in all directions. Then

$$V_{\text{total}} = \sum_{\substack{i,j,k=-L\\ \text{not } i=j=k=0}}^{L} V(i,j,k) = \frac{e}{4\pi\epsilon_0 a} M,$$

where M is the Madelung constant, at least approximately—technically the Madelung constant is the value of M when  $L \to \infty$ , but one can get a good approximation just by using a large value of L.

Write a program to calculate and print the Madelung constant for sodium chloride. Use as large a value of L as you can, while still having your program run in reasonable time—say in a minute or less.

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L = 325
start_time = timeit.default_timer()

i, j, k = np.meshgrid(np.arange(-L, L+1), np.arange(-L, L+1), np.arange(-L, L+1), indexing='ij')

r = np.sqrt(i**2 + j**2 + k**2)
r[L, L, L] = 1

sign = np.where((i + j + k) % 2 == 0, 1, -1)
potentials = sign / r

total_sum = np.sum(potentials) - potentials[L, L, L]
end_time = timeit.default_timer()
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elapsed_time = end_time - start_time

print(f"The Madelung constant for L = {L} is approximately {total_sum}")
print(f"Time = {elapsed_time}")
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The Madelung constant for L = 325 is approximately -1.7493383281793022 Time = 25.134665900026448

#### 6. Exercise 2.10

Exercise 2.10: The semi-empirical mass formula

In nuclear physics, the semi-empirical mass formula is a formula for calculating the approximate nuclear binding energy B of an atomic nucleus with atomic number Z and mass number A:

$$B = a_1 A - a_2 A^{2/3} - a_3 \frac{Z^2}{A^{1/3}} - a_4 \frac{(A - 2Z)^2}{A} + \frac{a_5}{A^{1/2}},$$

where, in units of millions of electron volts, the constants are  $a_1 = 15.8$ ,  $a_2 = 18.3$ ,  $a_3 = 0.714$ ,  $a_4 = 23.2$ , and

$$a_5 = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } A \text{ is odd,} \\ 12.0 & \text{if } A \text{ and } Z \text{ are both even,} \\ -12.0 & \text{if } A \text{ is even and } Z \text{ is odd.} \end{cases}$$

- a) Write a program that takes as its input the values of A and Z, and prints out the binding energy for the corresponding atom. Use your program to find the binding energy of an atom with A=58 and Z=28. (Hint: The correct answer is around 500 MeV.)
- b) Modify your program to print out not the total binding energy B, but the binding energy per nucleon, which is B/A.
- c) Now modify your program so that it takes as input just a single value of the atomic number Z and then goes through all values of A from A = Z to A = 3Z, to find the one that has the largest binding energy per nucleon. This is the most stable nucleus with the given atomic number. Have your program print out the value of A for this most stable nucleus and the value of the binding energy per nucleon.
- d) Modify your program again so that, instead of taking Z as input, it runs through all values of Z from 1 to 100 and prints out the most stable value of A for each one. At what value of Z does the maximum binding energy per nucleon occur? (The true answer, in real life, is Z=28, which is nickel.)

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[83]: def calc_a5(A, Z):
    if (A % 2 == 1):
        return 0
    elif (A % 2 == 0 and Z % 2 == 0):
        return 12
    elif (A % 2 == 0 and Z % 2 == 1):
        return -12

def calc_b(A, Z, a5):
    a1 = 15.8
    a2 = 18.3
    a3 = 0.714
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a4 = 23.2
    return a1*A - a2*A**(2/3) - a3*(Z**2/A**(1/3)) - a4*((A - 2*Z)**2/A) + a5/
 \rightarrow A**(1/2)
def most_stable_A(Z):
    max_bepn = -1
    A_{max} = Z
    for A in range(Z, 3*Z + 1):
        a5 = calc_a5(A, Z)
        B = calc_b(A, Z, a5)
        bepn = B/A
        if bepn > max_bepn:
             max_bepn = bepn
             A_{max} = A
    return A_max, max_bepn
A = int(input("Enter Mass Number (A):"))
Z = int(input("Enter Atomic Number (Z):"))
a5 = calc_a5(A, Z)
B = calc_b(A, Z, a5)
print(f"Binding Energy (B) = {B}")
bepn = B/A
print(f"Binding Energy Per Nuclean = {bepn}")
Z = int(input("Enter Atomic Number (Z):"))
A_max, max_bepn = most_stable_A(Z)
print(f"The most stable nucleus has A = {A_max}")
print(f"Binding Energy Per Nucleon = {max_bepn}")
for Z in range(1, 101):
    A_max, max_bepn = most_stable_A(Z)
    print(f"For Z = \{Z\}, the most stable A = \{A_max\}, with Binding Energy Per
 →Nucleon = {max_bepn}")
Enter Mass Number (A): 58
Enter Atomic Number (Z): 28
Binding Energy (B) = 497.5620206224374
Binding Energy Per Nuclean = 8.578655527973059
Enter Atomic Number (Z): 28
The most stable nucleus has A = 62
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- Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.70245768367189
- For Z = 1, the most stable A = 3, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 0.36869091831015827
- For Z = 2, the most stable A = 4, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 5.321930578649441
- For Z = 3, the most stable A = 7, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 5.280168164356119
- For Z = 4, the most stable A = 8, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 6.466330085889912
- For Z = 5, the most stable A = 11, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 6.650123444727665
- For Z=6, the most stable A=14, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.200918138809924
- For Z = 7, the most stable A = 15, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.330860591990981
- For Z = 8, the most stable A = 18, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.719275577459026
- For Z = 9, the most stable A = 19, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.73697768275634
- For Z = 10, the most stable A = 22, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.035350864715019
- For Z = 11, the most stable A = 25, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.025554739665797
- For Z = 12, the most stable A = 26, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.241172535624845
- For Z = 13, the most stable A = 29, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.240988355754636
- For Z = 14, the most stable A = 30, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.37916169002579
- For Z = 15, the most stable A = 33, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.38521415855582
- For Z = 16, the most stable A = 36, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.489230168218935
- For Z = 17, the most stable A = 37, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.48201495174352
- For Z = 18, the most stable A = 40, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.573405285254953
- For Z = 19, the most stable A = 43, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.551826855569242
- For Z = 20, the most stable A = 44, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.627152167121634
- For Z=21, the most stable A=47, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.610130576802973
- For Z = 22, the most stable A = 48, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.6585154571142
- For Z = 23, the most stable A = 51, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.645234048730842
- For Z = 24, the most stable A = 54, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon =

- 8.687306583887372
- For Z = 25, the most stable A = 55, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.662703971015583
- For Z = 26, the most stable A = 58, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.701432576808987
- For Z = 27, the most stable A = 61, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.678053678353882
- For Z = 28, the most stable A = 62, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.70245768367189
- For Z = 29, the most stable A = 65, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.681907349580422
- For Z = 30, the most stable A = 68, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.701580328486784
- For Z = 31, the most stable A = 69, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.675012598311142
- For Z = 32, the most stable A = 72, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.693433639739787
- For Z = 33, the most stable A = 75, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.668156247337208
- For Z = 34, the most stable A = 76, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.67683411103597
- For Z = 35, the most stable A = 79, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.653727479263061
- For Z = 36, the most stable A = 82, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.66141248935323
- For Z = 37, the most stable A = 85, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.633940444065898
- For Z = 38, the most stable A = 86, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.639441275530453
- For Z = 39, the most stable A = 89, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.613815033672552
- For Z = 40, the most stable A = 92, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.614514461544127
- For Z = 41, the most stable A = 93, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.587741675710747
- For Z = 42, the most stable A = 96, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.588337807352417
- For Z = 43, the most stable A = 99, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.561488033970447
- For Z = 44, the most stable A = 102, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.557428804696526
- For Z = 45, the most stable A = 103, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.531857077904819
- For Z = 46, the most stable A = 106, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.52785864674169
- For Z = 47, the most stable A = 109, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.500490244095234
- For Z = 48, the most stable A = 110, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon =

- 8.4940569666179
- For Z = 49, the most stable A = 113, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.46797678166812
- For Z = 50, the most stable A = 116, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.460713172533021
- For Z = 51, the most stable A = 119, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.433224407343122
- For Z = 52, the most stable A = 120, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.424696665334825
- For Z = 53, the most stable A = 123, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.398332486638505
- For Z = 54, the most stable A = 126, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.38868945344295
- For Z = 55, the most stable A = 129, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.361310553455423
- For Z = 56, the most stable A = 130, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.350819725669146
- For Z = 57, the most stable A = 133, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.32443069811602
- For Z = 58, the most stable A = 136, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.313019639868703
- For Z = 59, the most stable A = 139, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.285884693887583
- For Z=60, the most stable A = 140, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.273583815729522
- For Z = 61, the most stable A = 143, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.247327458286065
- For Z = 62, the most stable A = 146, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.234582872513133
- For Z = 63, the most stable A = 149, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.207769087134613
- For Z = 64, the most stable A = 150, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.193813966434627
- For Z = 65, the most stable A = 153, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.167786207290451
- For Z = 66, the most stable A = 156, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.154024477520512
- For Z = 67, the most stable A = 159, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.127574530301825
- For Z = 68, the most stable A = 162, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.11278037767185
- For Z = 69, the most stable A = 163, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.086373082934724
- For Z = 70, the most stable A = 166, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.071829365612306
- For Z = 71, the most stable A = 169, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.045764583108769
- For Z = 72, the most stable A = 172, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon =

- 8.030368571593026
- For Z = 73, the most stable A = 175, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 8.004105311543137
- For Z = 74, the most stable A = 176, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.988369073415251
- For Z = 75, the most stable A = 179, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.962697427019249
- For Z = 76, the most stable A = 182, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.946838055684514
- For Z = 77, the most stable A = 185, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.921016888554693
- For Z = 78, the most stable A = 188, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.904575879934101
- For Z = 79, the most stable A = 191, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.87868400232803
- For Z = 80, the most stable A = 192, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.862438691993173
- For Z = 81, the most stable A = 195, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.837047201045294
- For Z = 82, the most stable A = 198, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.82033857608665
- For Z=83, the most stable A=201, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.794899333942829
- For Z = 84, the most stable A = 204, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.777785761025879
- For Z = 85, the most stable A = 205, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.75239433360284
- For Z = 86, the most stable A = 208, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.735485475322138
- For Z = 87, the most stable A = 211, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.710478810144077
- For Z = 88, the most stable A = 214, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.693222175964613
- For Z = 89, the most stable A = 217, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.668228396728228
- For Z = 90, the most stable A = 220, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.65068598823387
- For Z = 91, the most stable A = 223, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.625739835440575
- For Z = 92, the most stable A = 224, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.608214013689897
- For Z = 93, the most stable A = 227, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.583639834526779
- For Z = 94, the most stable A = 230, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.566035830526522
- For Z = 95, the most stable A = 233, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.5415108314640555
- For Z = 96, the most stable A = 236, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon =

#### 7.523703637516345

For Z = 97, the most stable A = 239, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.499251800171257

For Z = 98, the most stable A = 242, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.481279349508352

For Z = 99, the most stable A = 243, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.456937323389022

For Z = 100, the most stable A = 246, with Binding Energy Per Nucleon = 7.439122944429214

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