Group Activity 17

Due: In class, November 14th

1. In a type-I x-ray burst, the peak temperature in most model calculations is around 1GK. For these conditions, at what Q-value will the photodisintegration rate be the same order as the forward rate? (Take $\mu = 1$ *amu* since it's close enough to true for most reactions of interest.)

2. What's the astrophysical energy window of interest for ${}^{96}Zr(\alpha,n)$ at T=5GK?