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XPS analysis and luminescence properties of commercially Gd₂O₂S:Tb powder phosphor

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We report on the characterization of commercially terbium doped gadolinium oxysulfide (Gd₂O₂S:Tb) phosphor and the degradation of the Gd₂O₂S:Tb green phosphor for its application in CRT screens. As a result, degradation of the cathodoluminescence (CL) intensity during irradiation of the powder with 2 keV electrons in an oxygen pressure of 1×10^{-6} Torr was studied. The ESSCR mechanisms was used to explain the effects of sulphur desorption and the formation of a non-luminescent oxide layer. A dead layer of Gd₂O₃ and Gd₂S₃ are responsible for the degradation of the CL intensity with an increase in electron dose. The XPS results have proved the presence of Gd₂O₃ and Gd₂S₃ on the degraded powder spots.

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