

Terbium

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Discovered in 1843



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Terbium is used
to improve the
safety of medical
x-rays



Terbium was named
after Ytterby,
Sweden

An alloy of terbium, dysprosium and iron- stretches
and shortens in a magnetic field. This effect forms
the basis of loudspeakers