



Discovered in 2004



Discovered by Scientists
from RIKEN (The Institute
of Physical and Chemical
Research) in Japan



Very little is known about
nihonium, as it has only
been made in very small
amounts that decay away
within seconds



The name comes
from the common
Japanese name for
Japan (nihon)

Nihonium

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IUPAC confirmed the discovery on 2015 by
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