

## Re: fission question

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Both Stevens took me to task for saying a significant fraction of energy would leak out as neutrons. Of course, I was wrong as they said. And, had I actually thought carefully about it, I'd have known this. It's what I know from commercial reactors as well. The bulk of the heat is generated in the fuel, and only a small portion in the support structure of the reactor.

I hang my head and "mea culpa."  
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