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EPR investigations of defects in $Bi_{12}GeO_{20}{:}Cr$ single crystal irradiated by high energy uranium ions

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The results of investigations of EPR spectra of chromium doped $Bi_{12}GeO_{20}$ (BGO) single crystals are presented. The crystals were studied before and after irradiation by the ²³⁵U ions with energy 9.47 MeV/u and fluency 5×10^{11} cm⁻². The effect of heating irradiated samples in air on the EPR spectra is also studied.