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## Experimental observation of high-temperature superconductivity in $H_xS$ at $P{\sim}150$ GPa

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We found that sulfur hydride transforms at  $P\sim90$  GPa to metal and superconductor with  $T_c$  increasing with pressure to 150 K at  $\approx 200$  GPa. Moreover we found superconductivity with  $T_c\approx 190$  K in a H2S sample pressurized to P>150 GPa at T > 220 K. This superconductivity likely associates with the dissociation of H2S, and formation of SHn (n > 2) hydrides. We proved occurrence of superconductivity by the drop of the resistivity at least 50 times lower than the copper resistivity, the decrease of  $T_c$  with magnetic field, and the strong isotope shift of  $T_c$  in D2S which evidences a major role of phonons in the superconductivity.