

$^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ 1965Sc12,1976Va07,1985Aj01

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- 1953Du23: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ E=620 keV, Measured E_α ; deduced level energies, Γ .
 1956Ah32. Deduced level energies.
 1963Se23: E=1.8 MeV; Measured E_α , $^{12}\text{C}-\alpha$ coin. Deduced radiative width.
 1964Ma53: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ $E_d=1.1-2.5$ MeV, measured α -spectrum, $\sigma(E,\theta)$.
 1965Br08: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ E=5.93,7.17 MeV, measured $\sigma(E_\alpha,\theta)$. $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha\gamma)$ E=3-12 MeV, measured $\sigma(E)$.
 1965St02: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ E=0.9-1.2 MeV, measured $\sigma(E_\alpha)$, $\sigma(E,E_\alpha,\theta)$.
 1965Wi11: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ E=0.717-1.740 MeV, measured $\sigma(E,\theta)$. ^{12}C deduced L, J, π , level density.
 1969Cu08: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ E=10-12 MeV, measured $\sigma(E_\alpha,\theta)$. ^{12}C levels deduced L, J. Zero-range DWBA.
 1969Go14: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ E=1-3.1 MeV, measured $\sigma(E,\theta)$, $\sigma(E,E_\alpha,\theta)$.
 1970Sc02: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ E=15,20 MeV, measured $\sigma(E_\alpha,\theta)$. Deduced optical model parameters. ^{12}C deduced levels, J, π , S.
 1971Ar41: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ E=1.7,2.3,2.9 MeV, measured $\sigma(E_\alpha,\theta)$.
 1972Fa07: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha')$ E=52,90 MeV, measured $\sigma(E_\alpha,\theta)$, $\alpha'\alpha$ -coin. ^{12}C deduced levels, level-width, J, π .
 1972Ne10: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ E=2.25-2.35 MeV, measured $\sigma(E)$.
 1974Ba32: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ E=350,510,640 keV, measured $\sigma(E,E_\alpha,\theta)$. Deduced reaction mechanism. ^{12}C levels deduced relative σ .
 1974Va15,1976Va07: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ E=40 MeV, measured $\sigma(E_\alpha,\theta)$. ^{12}C deduced upper limit for isospin mixing, deduced levels, J, π .
 1977Ko33: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ E=0.5-5.0 MeV, measured $\sigma(E,\theta)$.
 1979De45: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{pol. d},\alpha)$ E=1.5-3.0 MeV, measured A(E, θ).
 1982KaZS: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ E=18 MeV, measured $\sigma(E_\alpha)$, (particle)(particle)-coin, $\sigma(\theta)$. ^{12}C deduced resonances, J, π , T, decay mode. DWBA analysis.
 1995Hu15: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ E=2 MeV, measured E_α , I_α .
 1999Ig03: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha\gamma)$ E=15.4 MeV, measured E_γ , $\sigma(\theta)$, spin tensor density matrix.
 2004Pe10: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ E=0.5-2 MeV, measured E_α , $\sigma(E,\theta)$.
 2008Gu08: $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ E=0.7-2.2 keV, measured excitation functions.
 2017De25: XUNDL dataset Compiled by TUNL, 2018.

A beam of 10.5 MeV deuterons, from the INFN-LNS/Catania tandem, impinged on a $\approx 40 \mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$ melamine ($\text{C}_3\text{H}_6\text{N}_6$) layer that was deposited on a $\approx 10 \mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$ carbon backing (private communication). A ΔE -E telescope was positioned to measure and identify the α particles resulting from $^{14}\text{N}(\text{d},\alpha)$ reactions. On the opposite side of the beam, an 8 strip \times 8 strip 2D position sensitive Si strip detector was positioned to effectively detect the 3α particles resulting from breakup of $^{12}\text{C}^*(7654)$; hence a quadruple coincidence identified events of interest. A relatively background free peak was observed corresponding to $^{12}\text{C}^*(7654)$. An evaluation of the $^{12}\text{C}^*(7.65 \text{ MeV})$ events using a Dailitz plot analysis and comparison with Monte Carlo simulations revealed the branching ratio for 3α Direct Decay is $<0.043\%$. The direct 3α decay branch can be related to the astrophysical triple α capture rate.

^{12}C Levels

E(level)	J^π	$T_{1/2}$	Comments
0			
4.4×10^3	2^+		J^π : From α - γ studies.
7.65×10^3			$\Gamma_{\text{rad}}/\Gamma=(\Gamma_\gamma+\Gamma_\pi)/\Gamma=2.8 \times 10^{-4}$ 3 (1963Se23). E(level): Also see $E_x=7690 \text{ keV } 33$ from $\Delta E(0^+ \geq 2^+)=3251 \text{ keV } 33$ (1953Du23). E(level): In (2017De25), the branching ratio for 3α Direct Decay is found as $<0.043\%$, this can be related to the astrophysical triple α capture rate.
9642 14		30 keV 8	E(level): From (1956Do41). Γ : From (1953Du23,1956Ah32).
10.84×10^3			E(level): See (1965Br08,1970Sc02).
11.83×10^3			E(level): See (1965Br08,1970Sc02).
12700 70			E(level): From (1965Pe17).
13.29×10^3		355 keV 50	E(level), Γ : From (1965Sc12).
14.08×10^3			

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<u>E(level)</u>	<u>J^{π}</u>	<u>T_{1/2}</u>	<u>Comments</u>
15.11×10^3			E(level): See (1965Br08).
19.50×10^3 10	(1,2,3) ⁺	≈250 keV	T=0 E(level),J ^{π} , Γ : From (1976Va07).
20.55×10^3 10	(2,3) ⁺	≈200 keV	T=0 E(level),J ^{π} , Γ : From (1976Va07).
22.5×10^3 1	(2,3) ⁺	≈750 keV	E(level),J ^{π} , Γ : From (1976Va07). Possibly unresolved states.
23.9×10^3 1		≈400 keV	E(level), Γ : From (1976Va07).

 $\gamma({}^{12}\text{C})$

<u>E_{γ}</u>	<u>E_i(level)</u>	<u>J_i^{π}</u>	<u>E_f</u>
4.44×10^3	4.4×10^3	2 ⁺	0

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