

$^{121}\text{Sn} \beta^-$ decay (43.9 y) 1968Sn01, 1978Hu07, 1982Ha31

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Parent: ^{121}Sn : E=6.30 8; $J^\pi=11/2^-$; $T_{1/2}=43.9$ y 5; $Q(\beta^-)=390.6$ 21; % β^- decay=22.4 20 ^{121}Sn -% β^- decay: from $I(\beta^-)/I(\text{IT})=22.4/77.6$ ([1978Hu07](#)); and no β^- feeding to g.s. ($11/2^-$ to $5/2^+$).[1968Sn01](#): semi γ , scin $4\pi \beta\gamma$ -coincidence β spectra.[1978Hu07](#): semi, scin $4\pi \beta\gamma$ -coincidence, deduced $I(\beta^-)/I(\text{IT})$. $I(L \times \text{ray})$.[1984Ha09](#): Si(Li), deduced $I(37.15\gamma)/I(K \times \text{ray})$.[2002Re18](#): Ge detector, $\gamma(t)$ deduced $T_{1/2}$. ^{121}Sb Levels

E(level) [†]	J^π [†]	$T_{1/2}$	Comments
0.0	$5/2^+$	stable	
37.15 4	$7/2^+$	3.46 ns 3	$T_{1/2}$: from Adopted Levels.

[†] From Adopted Levels. β^- radiations

E(decay)	E(level)	$I\beta^-$ [†]	Log ft	Comments
(359.8 21)	37.15	100	9.58 ^{lu} 4	av $E\beta=122.44$ 74 E(decay): 354 5 F-K plot nonlinear $\Delta J=2$, yes (1968Sn01).

[†] For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.224 20. $\gamma(^{121}\text{Sb})$

E_γ	I_γ [†]	E_i (level)	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult.	α [‡]	Comments
37.15 4	8.26	37.15	$7/2^+$	0.0	$5/2^+$	M1	10.86	$\alpha(K)=9.35$ 14; $\alpha(L)=1.225$ 18; $\alpha(M)=0.243$ 4; $\alpha(N+..)=0.0513$ 8 $\alpha(N)=0.0467$ 7; $\alpha(O)=0.00458$ 7 Mult.: from $\alpha(K)\exp=9.32$ 37 (1968Sn01), 9.45 33 (1978Hu07), 9.52 27 (1984Ha09), 8.7 2 (2002Zh51).

[†] For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.224 20.[‡] Total theoretical internal conversion coefficients, calculated using the BrIcc code ([2008Ki07](#)) with Frozen orbital approximation based on γ -ray energies, assigned multipolarities, and mixing ratios, unless otherwise specified.

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Decay Scheme

Legend

Intensities: $I_{(\gamma+ce)}$ per 100 parent decays