

$^{123}\text{Sb}(\gamma, \gamma')$  [2002Br05, 1973Bo12, 1978Be45](#)

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**2002Br05:** E<3.8 MeV photon beams were produced from bremsstrahlung at the bremsstrahlung NRF facility at the 4.3-MV Dynamitron accelerator of the Stuttgart University. Target was 2376 mg pill of Sb powder (98.0% in  $^{123}\text{Sb}$ ). Scattered photons were detected with three HPGe detectors (efficiency=100% relative to 3 in. $\times$ 3 in. NaI(Tl) crystal). Measured  $E\gamma$ ,  $I\gamma$ ,  $\sigma(E_\gamma, \theta)$ , at  $\theta=90^\circ$ ,  $127^\circ$  and  $150^\circ$ . Deduced levels, widths,  $B(E1)\uparrow$ ,  $\gamma$ -ray branching ratios. Comparisons with available data.

**1973Bo12:** E=0.6-3.0 MeV photon beams were produced from bremsstrahlung with electrons provided from the 4-MV Van de Graaff in the High Voltage Research Laboratory at MIT. Target was 1600 g natural antimony. Scattered photons were detected with a 40-cm<sup>3</sup> Ge(Li) detector. Measured  $E\gamma$ ,  $I\gamma$ ,  $\sigma(E_\gamma)$ . Deduced levels,  $J$ ,  $\pi$ , widths,  $B(E2)$ . Comparisons with theoretical calculations.

**1978Be45:** photon sources were produced via V(n, $\gamma$ ) and Ti(n, $\gamma$ ) reactions with thermal neutrons provided by the IRR-2 reactor at the Nuclear Research Centre, Israel. Target was natural Sb. Scattered photons were detected with NaI detectors. Measured  $E\gamma$ ,  $I\gamma$ ,  $\gamma(\theta)$ . Deduced levels, spins.

**1981Ca10:** E=0.5-1.65 MeV photons were produced by bremsstrahlung with electrons provided by the accelerator of the Pierre and Marie Curie University. Natural Sb target. Scattered photons were detected with a 50-cm<sup>3</sup> Ge(Li) detector. Measured  $E\gamma$ ,  $\gamma(\theta)$ ,  $\sigma(E_\gamma)$ . Deduced levels,  $J$ ,  $\pi$ ,  $T_{1/2}$ , widths,  $\gamma$ -ray transition strengths, mixing ratios, branching ratios. Comparisons with available data.

 $^{123}\text{Sb}$  Levels

Quoted values of  $g\Gamma_0^2/\Gamma$  are in units of eV.  $\Gamma$  is the total width,  $\Gamma_0$  is the decay width to g.s. and statistical factor  $g=(2J+1)/(2J(g.s.)+1)$ .

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	$J^\pi$ <sup>@</sup>	$T_{1/2}$	$g\Gamma_0^2/\Gamma$ <sup>a</sup>	Comments
0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup> <sup>&amp;</sup>			
160.3 3	5/2 <sup>+</sup> <sup>&amp;</sup>			
1030.5 3	9/2	0.190 ps +16-14	0.00300 23	$T_{1/2}$ : from $g\Gamma_0=0.0030$ eV 23 if $\Gamma_0/\Gamma=1.0$ . $g\Gamma_0^2/\Gamma$ : weighted average of 0.00302 23 ( <a href="#">2002Br05</a> ), 0.00296 27 ( <a href="#">1981Ca10</a> ) and 0.0030 3 ( <a href="#">1973Bo12</a> ), assuming $\Gamma_0/\Gamma=1.0$ .
1088.8 5	9/2	0.53 ps +5-4	0.00107 9	$J^\pi$ : 11/2 <sup>+</sup> in Adopted Levels. $T_{1/2}$ : from $g\Gamma_0=0.00107$ eV 7 if $\Gamma_0/\Gamma=1.0$ . $g\Gamma_0^2/\Gamma$ : weighted average of 0.00112 15 ( <a href="#">2002Br05</a> ), 0.00106 9 ( <a href="#">1981Ca10</a> ) and 0.0010 2 ( <a href="#">1973Bo12</a> ), assuming $\Gamma(\gamma_0)/\Gamma=1.0$ .
1181.5 25	11/2		<0.0002 <sup>c</sup>	$J^\pi$ : (7/2,9/2) <sup>+</sup> in Adopted Levels.
1262.5 20			<0.0002 <sup>c</sup>	
1336 4			<0.00017 <sup>c</sup>	
1424.8 4			0.00039 12	
1509.0 4			0.00103 18	E(level): not reported in <a href="#">1973Bo12</a> , <a href="#">1978Be45</a> .
1513.5 3	7/2		0.0021 <sup>b</sup> 4	$J^\pi$ : (3/2,5/2) <sup>+</sup> quoted in <a href="#">1973Bo12</a> . $g\Gamma_0=0.00295$ eV 39 ( <a href="#">2002Br05</a> ), 0.0038 eV 8 ( <a href="#">1973Bo12</a> ).
1643 3			0.00013 <sup>b</sup> 6	
1764.3 3			0.00204 24	
1777.7 4			0.00161 23	E(level): other: 1778 2 with $g\Gamma_0^2/\Gamma=0.0016$ eV 6 unassigned to $^{121}\text{Sb}$ or $^{123}\text{Sb}$ by <a href="#">1973Bo12</a> .
1896.4 3			0.00190 24	E(level): other: 1897 2 with $g\Gamma_0^2/\Gamma=0.0015$ eV 5 unassigned to $^{121}\text{Sb}$ or $^{123}\text{Sb}$ by <a href="#">1973Bo12</a> .
2011.6 4			0.00063 16	
2026 3			0.0012 <sup>b</sup> 4	
2033 3			<0.0004 <sup>c</sup>	
2036.4 4			0.00072 17	

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$^{123}\text{Sb}(\gamma, \gamma')$     **2002Br05,1973Bo12,1978Be45 (continued)** $^{123}\text{Sb}$  Levels (continued)

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	$g\Gamma_0^2/\Gamma^{\color{blue}a}$	Comments
2047.6 3	0.00351 34	
2059.0 6	0.00129 27	
2115 3	0.0014 <sup>b</sup> 7	
2137.9 8	0.00096 27	
2170.0 6	0.00040 17	
2230.3 4	0.00199 29	
2235.0 6	0.00072 27	
2238.6 6	0.00055 23	
2252.0 6	0.00046 18	
2270.0 7	0.00082 21	
2273.7 5		$g\Gamma_0=0.00236$ eV 41 ( <a href="#">2002Br05</a> ).
2278.7 5		$g\Gamma_0=0.00206$ eV 47 ( <a href="#">2002Br05</a> ).
2283.3 7	0.00095 21	
2292.1 8	0.00068 19	
2296.6 4	0.00219 27	
2300.8 5	0.00136 22	
2306.4 3	0.00275 29	
2322.3 3	0.00505 43	E(level): other: 2321 2 with $g\Gamma_0^2/\Gamma=0.0053$ eV 15 unassigned to $^{121}\text{Sb}$ or $^{123}\text{Sb}$ by <a href="#">1973Bo12</a> .
2329.5 3	0.00395 37	
2371.3 3	0.00537 43	
2423.0 4		$g\Gamma_0=0.00391$ eV 63 ( <a href="#">2002Br05</a> ).
2429.3 3	0.00223 30	E(level): other: 2429 2 with $g\Gamma_0^2/\Gamma=0.0025$ eV 7 unassigned to $^{121}\text{Sb}$ or $^{123}\text{Sb}$ by <a href="#">1973Bo12</a> .
2447.3 6		$g\Gamma_0=0.00233$ eV 53 ( <a href="#">2002Br05</a> ).
2455.4 6	0.00152 46	
2459.1 4	0.00317 52	
2472 3	0.0053 <sup>b</sup> 12	
2507.3 6	0.00081 23	
2521.8 3	0.00494 43	
2597.7 4	0.00193 27	
2605.9 8	0.00066 21	
2620.1 4	0.00295 33	
2647.4 4		$g\Gamma_0=0.00482$ eV 98 ( <a href="#">2002Br05</a> ).
2701.6 5	0.00157 31	
2756.7 4	0.00308 40	
2843.1 10	0.00090 35	
2860.6 9	0.00098 35	
2883.1 5	0.00167 33	
2904.9 5	0.00202 37	
2919.0 6	0.00132 34	
2934.6 7	0.00206 44	
2989.0 6	0.00198 52	
3000.8 5	0.00349 99	
3017.3 3	0.0150 11	
3056.8 3	0.00653 66	
3062.6 4	0.00223 41	
3098.1 7	0.00124 36	
3147.9 5	0.00069 25	
3152.4 6	0.00077 27	
3158.5 10	0.00080 36	
3184.5 4	0.00603 68	
3190.6 3	0.00096 24	
3198.2 5	0.00230 45	
3209.8 8	0.00074 32	
3228.4 9	0.00416 82	
3277.6 10	0.00140 61	
3281.1 6		$g\Gamma_0=0.00361$ eV 102 ( <a href="#">2002Br05</a> ).

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 $^{123}\text{Sb}(\gamma,\gamma')$     **2002Br05,1973Bo12,1978Be45 (continued)**


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 $^{123}\text{Sb}$  Levels (continued)

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	J <sup>π</sup> @	gΓ₀²/Γ <sup>a</sup>	Comments
3294.2 3			gΓ₀=0.00912 eV 102 ( <a href="#">2002Br05</a> ).
3331.9 5		0.00556 80	
3351.7 6		0.00078 32	
3385.7 7		0.00366 72	
3399.7 9		0.00132 43	
3412.3 10		0.00117 44	
3418.3 10		0.00140 49	
3427.6 9		0.00149 48	
3476.2 6		0.00151 52	
6417.6 <sup>‡</sup> 17	9/2		
6760.3 <sup>‡</sup> 14	7/2		
6874.7 <sup>#</sup> 16	7/2		
7163.8 <sup>#</sup> 16	7/2		
7309.6 <sup>#</sup> 17	9/2		

<sup>†</sup> From a least-squares fit to  $\gamma$ -ray energies.

<sup>‡</sup> Excited by  $\gamma$  lines from V(n, $\gamma$ ) source in [1978Be45](#).

<sup>#</sup> Excited by  $\gamma$  lines from Ti(n, $\gamma$ ) source in [1978Be45](#).

@ From  $\gamma(\theta)$  in [1978Be45](#), unless otherwise noted. Spin of the excited levels by dipole excitations from 7/2<sup>+</sup> g.s. are expected to be (5/2,7/2,9/2).

& From Adopted Levels.

<sup>a</sup> From [2002Br05](#), unless otherwise noted.

<sup>b</sup> From [1973Bo12](#).

<sup>c</sup> Upper limit given by [1973Bo12](#).

 $\gamma(^{123}\text{Sb})$ 

A<sub>2</sub> values given in comments are from [1978Be45](#).

E <sub>γ</sub> <sup>†</sup>	I <sub>γ</sub>	E <sub>i</sub> (level)	J <sup>π</sup> <sub>i</sub>	E <sub>f</sub>	J <sup>π</sup> <sub>f</sub>	Comments
1030.5 3		1030.5	9/2	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	E <sub>γ</sub> : weighted average of 1030.6 3 ( <a href="#">2002Br05</a> ), 1030 1 ( <a href="#">1973Bo12</a> ), 1029.5 10 ( <a href="#">1981Ca10</a> ).
1088.8 5		1088.8	9/2	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	E <sub>γ</sub> : weighted average of 1089.0 3 ( <a href="#">2002Br05</a> ), 1089 1 ( <a href="#">1973Bo12</a> ), and 1086.5 10 ( <a href="#">1981Ca10</a> ).
1353.4 4	56 <sup>&amp;</sup> 11	1513.5	7/2	160.3	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	I <sub>γ</sub> : other: I(1353 $\gamma$ )/I(1513 $\gamma$ )=34/66=0.52 ( <a href="#">1973Bo12</a> ).
1424.8 4		1424.8		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
1509.0 4		1509.0		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
1513.4 3	100 <sup>&amp;</sup>	1513.5	7/2	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	E <sub>γ</sub> : other: 1512 2 ( <a href="#">1973Bo12</a> ).
1643 <sup>‡</sup> 3		1643		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
1764.3 3		1764.3		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
1777.7 4		1777.7		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
1896.4 3		1896.4		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
2011.6 4		2011.6		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
2026 <sup>‡</sup> 3		2026		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
2033 <sup>‡</sup> 3		2033		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
2036.4 4		2036.4		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
2047.6 3		2047.6		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	

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$E_\gamma^\dagger$	$I_\gamma$	$E_i(\text{level})$	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$
2059.0 6		2059.0		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2112.9 9	27& 13	2273.7		160.3	5/2 <sup>+</sup>
2115 <sup>‡</sup> 3		2115		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2118.3 6	80& 24	2278.7		160.3	5/2 <sup>+</sup>
2137.9 8		2137.9		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2170.0 6		2170.0		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2230.3 4		2230.3		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2235.0 6		2235.0		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2238.6 6		2238.6		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2252.0 6		2252.0		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2262.2 6	51& 12	2423.0		160.3	5/2 <sup>+</sup>
2270.0 7		2270.0		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2273.8 5	100&	2273.7		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2278.7 6	100&	2278.7		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2283.3 7		2283.3		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2287.3 10	50& 17	2447.3		160.3	5/2 <sup>+</sup>
2292.1 8		2292.1		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2296.6 4		2296.6		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2300.8 5		2300.8		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2306.4 3		2306.4		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2322.3 3		2322.3		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2329.5 3		2329.5		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2371.3 3		2371.3		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2423.2 4	100&	2423.0		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2429.3 3		2429.3		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2447.2 6	100&	2447.3		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2455.4 6		2455.4		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2459.1 4		2459.1		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2472 <sup>‡</sup> 3		2472		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2487.0 4	196& 32	2647.4		160.3	5/2 <sup>+</sup>
2507.3 6		2507.3		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2521.8 3		2521.8		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2597.7 4		2597.7		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2605.9 8		2605.9		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2620.1 4		2620.1		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2647.4 4	100&	2647.4		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2701.6 5		2701.6		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2756.7 4		2756.7		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2843.1 10		2843.1		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2860.6 9		2860.6		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2883.1 5		2883.1		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2904.9 5		2904.9		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2919.0 6		2919.0		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2934.6 7		2934.6		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
2989.0 6		2989.0		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
3000.8 5		3000.8		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
3017.3 3		3017.3		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
3056.8 3		3056.8		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
3062.6 4		3062.6		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
3098.1 7		3098.1		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>
3120.3 8	35& 16	3281.1		160.3	5/2 <sup>+</sup>
3134.5 8	19& 6	3294.2		160.3	5/2 <sup>+</sup>

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$^{123}\text{Sb}(\gamma, \gamma')$     **2002Br05,1973Bo12,1978Be45 (continued)** $\gamma(^{123}\text{Sb})$  (continued)

$E_\gamma^\dagger$	$I_\gamma$	$E_i(\text{level})$	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Comments
3147.9 5		3147.9		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3152.4 6		3152.4		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3158.5 10		3158.5		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3184.5 4		3184.5		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3190.6 3		3190.6		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3198.2 5		3198.2		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3209.8 8		3209.8		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3228.4 9		3228.4		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3277.6 10		3277.6		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3281.4 8	100&	3281.1		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3294.1 3	100&	3294.2		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3331.9 5		3331.9		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3351.7 6		3351.7		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3385.6 7		3385.7		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3399.6 9		3399.7		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3412.2 10		3412.3		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3418.2 10		3418.3		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3427.5 9		3427.6		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3476.1 6		3476.2		0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
5236# 3	5# 2	6417.6	9/2	1181.5	11/2	
5248# 3	4# 3	6760.3	7/2	1513.5	7/2	
5329# 3	4# 3	6417.6	9/2	1088.8	9/2	
5362@ 3	2@ 3	6874.7	7/2	1513.5	7/2	
5386# 3	26# 3	6417.6	9/2	1030.5	9/2	A <sub>2</sub> =-0.14 11.
5498# 3	9# 2	6760.3	7/2	1262.5		
5612@ 3	8@ 3	6874.7	7/2	1262.5		
5651@ 3	23@ 4	7163.8	7/2	1513.5	7/2	A <sub>2</sub> =+0.40 20.
5728# 3	22# 4	6760.3	7/2	1030.5	9/2	A <sub>2</sub> =-0.06 13.
5901@ 3	8@ 3	7163.8	7/2	1262.5		
5973@ 3	15@ 3	7309.6	9/2	1336		
6128@ 3	65@ 3	7309.6	9/2	1181.5	11/2	A <sub>2</sub> =+0.01 3.
6221@ 3	14@ 3	7309.6	9/2	1088.8	9/2	A <sub>2</sub> =-0.19 9.
6278@ 3	27@ 3	7309.6	9/2	1030.5	9/2	A <sub>2</sub> =-0.22 8.
6418# 3	138# 2	6417.6	9/2	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	A <sub>2</sub> =+0.09 3.
6600# 3	69# 3	6760.3	7/2	160.3	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	A <sub>2</sub> =-0.14 4.
6714@ 3	3@ 2	6874.7	7/2	160.3	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	
6760# 3	100#	6760.3	7/2	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	A <sub>2</sub> =+0.17 4.
6874@ 3	32@ 3	6874.7	7/2	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	A <sub>2</sub> =+0.19 13.
7003@ 3	96@ 4	7163.8	7/2	160.3	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	
7163@ 3	78@ 3	7163.8	7/2	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	A <sub>2</sub> =-0.17 4.
7310@ 3	100@	7309.6	9/2	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	A <sub>2</sub> =+0.06 3.

<sup>†</sup> From [2002Br05](#), unless noted otherwise. Note that  $E_\gamma$  values of many g.s. transitions, which are assumed as the only transitions from parent levels, are not explicitly given in [2002Br05](#). For those transitions,  $E_\gamma$  values are deduced by the evaluator from level energies in [2002Br05](#) (obtained from g.s. transition energies as stated in [2002Br05](#)) with de-correction for recoil.

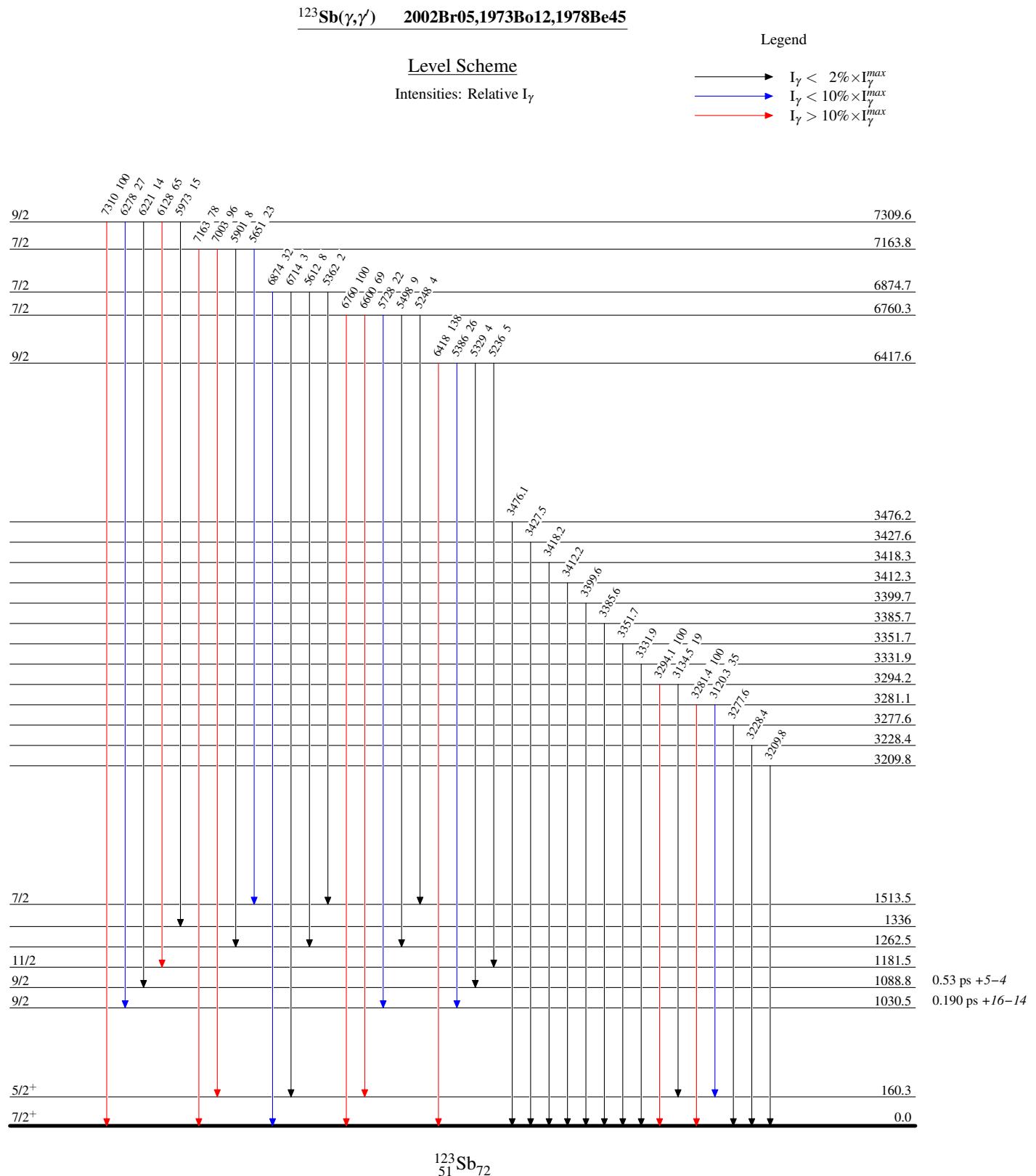
<sup>‡</sup> From [1973Bo12](#).

<sup>#</sup>  $\gamma$  rays depopulate the E(levels) photoexcited by V(n, $\gamma$ ) source in [1978Be45](#). Relative to  $I(6760\gamma)=100$ .

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@  $\gamma$  rays depopulate the E(levels) photoexcited by Ti(n, $\gamma$ ) source in [1978Be45](#). Relative to I(7310 $\gamma$ )=100.  
& Relative intensities from each level ([2002Br05](#)).



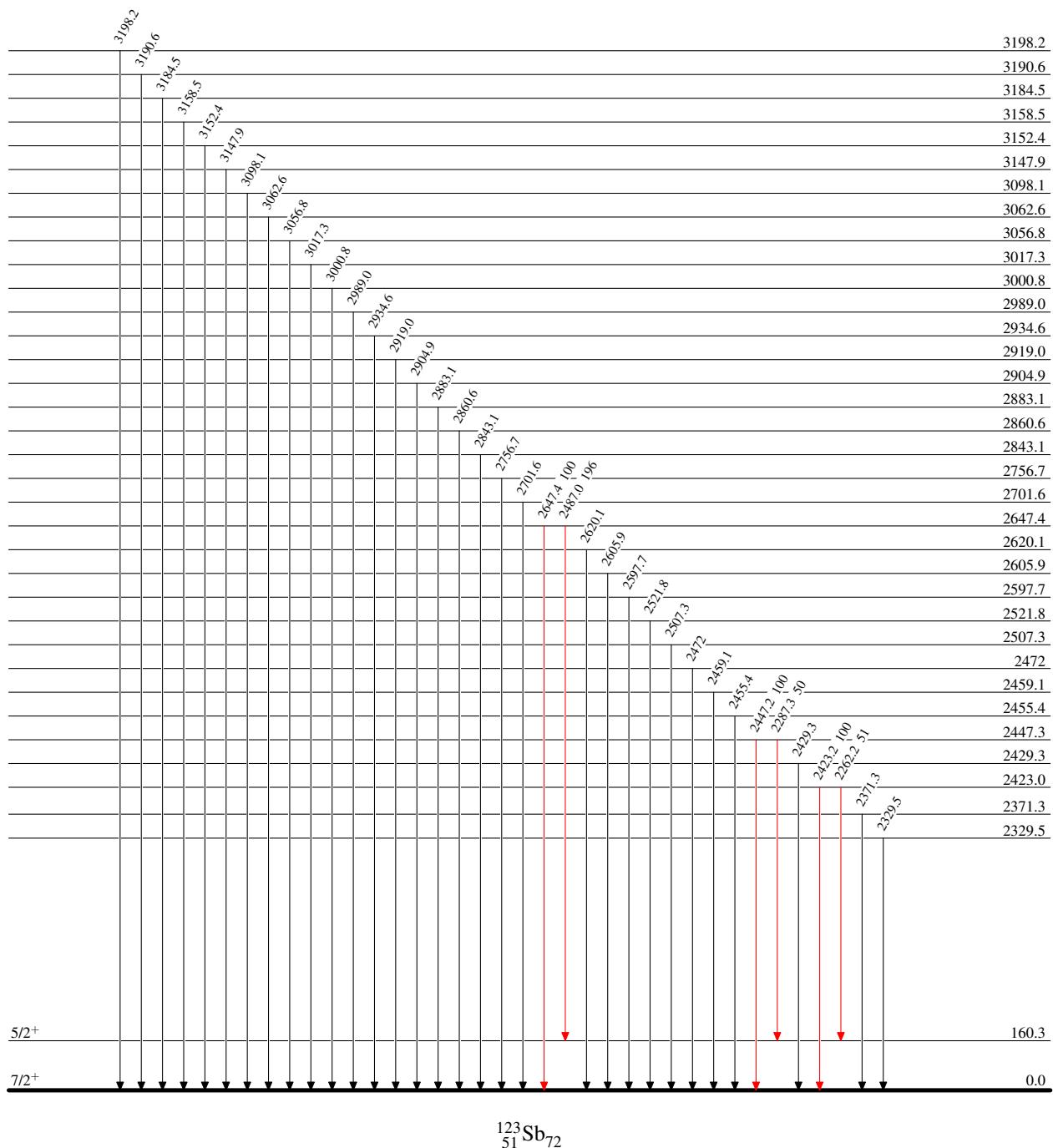
$^{123}\text{Sb}(\gamma, \gamma') \quad 2002\text{Br}05, 1973\text{Bo}12, 1978\text{Be}45$ 

## Legend

## Level Scheme (continued)

Intensities: Relative  $I_\gamma$ 

- $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$
- $I_\gamma < 10\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$
- $I_\gamma > 10\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$



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## Level Scheme (continued)

Intensities: Relative  $I_\gamma$ 

## Legend

- $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$
- $I_\gamma < 10\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$
- $I_\gamma > 10\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$

