

$^{176}\text{Yb}(^{31}\text{P},\text{X}\gamma)$  2005Po03

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Also includes  $^{238}\text{U}(^{12}\text{C},\text{X}\gamma)$  for measuring  $T_{1/2}$  of isomers in 2005Po03.

2005Po03:  $E=152$  MeV  $^{31}\text{P}$  beam was produced from the Vivitron accelerator of IReS at Strasbourg. Target was  $1.5$  mg/cm<sup>2</sup>  $^{176}\text{Yb}$  on a  $15$  mg/cm<sup>2</sup> Au backing.  $\gamma$  rays were detected with the EUROBALL IV spectrometer consisting of an inner ball of 210 BGO crystals, 15 Cluster Ge detectors in the backward hemisphere, 26 Clover Ge detectors around  $90^\circ$ , and 30 tapered single-crystal Ge detectors at forward angles, with each Cluster detector consisting of seven closely packed large-volume Ge crystals and each Clover detector consisting of four smaller Ge crystals. Measured  $E\gamma$ ,  $I\gamma$ ,  $\gamma\gamma$ -coin. Deduced levels, J,  $\pi$ , band structures, configurations. Systematics of neighboring Sb isotopes.

The isomeric state in the fission fragment  $^{123}\text{Sb}$  was identified using a fission fragment detector to trigger the EUROBALL III array and isolate the delayed  $\gamma$ -ray cascades in the  $^{238}\text{U}(^{12}\text{C},\text{X}\gamma)$  reaction at 90 MeV. Fragments escaping from the target were stopped in the heavy-ion detector, SAPHIR, consisting of 32 photovoltaic modules laying in four rings around the target. The EUROBALL III time window was  $1$   $\mu\text{s}$ , allowing detection of delayed  $\gamma$ -rays emitted during the de-excitation of the isomeric state.

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

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	J $\pi$ <sup>#</sup>	T <sub>1/2</sub>	Comments
0.0 <sup>&amp;</sup>	7/2 <sup>+</sup>		
160.16 <sup>18</sup>	5/2 <sup>+</sup>		
1030.07 <sup>24</sup>	9/2 <sup>+</sup>		
1088.52 <sup>&amp; 24</sup>	11/2 <sup>+</sup>		
1260.49 <sup>22</sup>	9/2 <sup>+</sup>		
1655.74 <sup>23</sup>	(11/2 <sup>-</sup> )		Configuration= $(\pi d_{5/2} \otimes 3^-) \otimes (\pi h_{11/2})$ .
2036.7 <sup>3</sup>	(15/2 <sup>-</sup> )		
2043.9 <sup>&amp; 4</sup>	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> )		Configuration= $\pi g_{7/2} \otimes 4^+$ .
2237.1 <sup>@ 4</sup>	(19/2 <sup>-</sup> )	110 ns <i>10</i>	T <sub>1/2</sub> : from $\gamma(t)$ (2005Po03).
2485.6 <sup>&amp; 6</sup>	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> )		
2612.6 <sup>&amp; 8</sup>	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> )		J $\pi$ : (23/2 <sup>+</sup> ) from Adopted Levels.
2734.4 <sup>@ 5</sup>	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )		
2967.6 <sup>&amp; 8</sup>	(23/2 <sup>+</sup> )		
3347.9 <sup>@ 5</sup>	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )		
3786.0 <sup>?‡@ 6</sup>	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )		
4024.5 <sup>@ 6</sup>	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )		
4391.9 <sup>?‡@ 7</sup>			
4772.2 <sup>@ 8</sup>			

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

<sup>‡</sup> Since the ordering of the 380-367 and 238-438 cascades is not well established, energies of 4392 and 3786 levels can be different.

<sup>#</sup> As proposed by 2005Po03 based on band assignments, analogy with the level structures of the lighter Sb isotopes, and known assignments of low-lying states.

<sup>@</sup> Band(A): Band based on (19/2<sup>-</sup>). Possible configuration= $\pi g_{7/2} \nu h_{11/2} \nu d_{3/2}$  coupled to quadrupole vibration. Higher spins ( $J > 29/2$ ) the configuration may become  $\pi g_{7/2} \nu h_{11/2}^3 \nu d_{3/2}$  (2005Po03).

<sup>&</sup> Band(B):  $\gamma$ -cascade based on g.s. high-spin members (19/2 to 23/2) may be from  $\pi g_{9/2} \otimes \nu h_{11/2}^2$  configuration in analogy with odd-A In isotopes (2005Po03).

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$E_\gamma^\dagger$	$I_\gamma^\dagger$	$E_i(\text{level})$	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Mult.
127.0	5	2612.6	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> )	2485.6	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
160.1	15	160.16	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
200.4	2	2237.1	(19/2 <sup>-</sup> )	2036.7	(15/2 <sup>-</sup> )	[E2] <sup>#</sup>
238.5 <sup>‡</sup>	3	4024.5	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )	3786.0?	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )	
367.4 <sup>‡</sup>	4	4391.9?		4024.5	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )	
380.3 <sup>‡</sup>	4	4772.2		4391.9?		
381.0	2	2036.7	(15/2 <sup>-</sup> )	1655.74	(11/2 <sup>-</sup> )	
395.2	2	1655.74	(11/2 <sup>-</sup> )	1260.49	9/2 <sup>+</sup>	
438.1 <sup>‡</sup>	3	3786.0?	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )	3347.9	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )	
441.7	4	2485.6	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> )	2043.9	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
482.0	5	2967.6	(23/2 <sup>+</sup> )	2485.6	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
497.2	3	2734.4	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )	2237.1	(19/2 <sup>-</sup> )	
567.3	3	1655.74	(11/2 <sup>-</sup> )	1088.52	11/2 <sup>+</sup>	
613.4	3	3347.9	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )	2734.4	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )	
625.7	3	1655.74	(11/2 <sup>-</sup> )	1030.07	9/2 <sup>+</sup>	
676.8	5	4024.5	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )	3347.9	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )	
955.4	3	2043.9	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> )	1088.52	11/2 <sup>+</sup>	
1030.1	3	1030.07	9/2 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
1088.6	3	1088.52	11/2 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
1100.2	3	1260.49	9/2 <sup>+</sup>	160.16	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	
1110.8	4	3347.9	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )	2237.1	(19/2 <sup>-</sup> )	
1260.5	4	1260.49	9/2 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	

<sup>†</sup> From 2005Po03.

<sup>‡</sup> The ordering of the  $\gamma$  cascades 380-367 and 238-438 is not precisely determined due to the similarity in the relative  $\gamma$ -ray intensities of the respective transitions in the two cascades.




<sup>#</sup> Isomer half-life is consistent with mult(200.4 $\gamma$ )=E2. The transition is assigned as (19/2<sup>-</sup>) $\rightarrow$ (15/2<sup>-</sup>) in analogy with similar transitions in  $^{119}\text{Sb}$  and  $^{121}\text{Sb}$ .

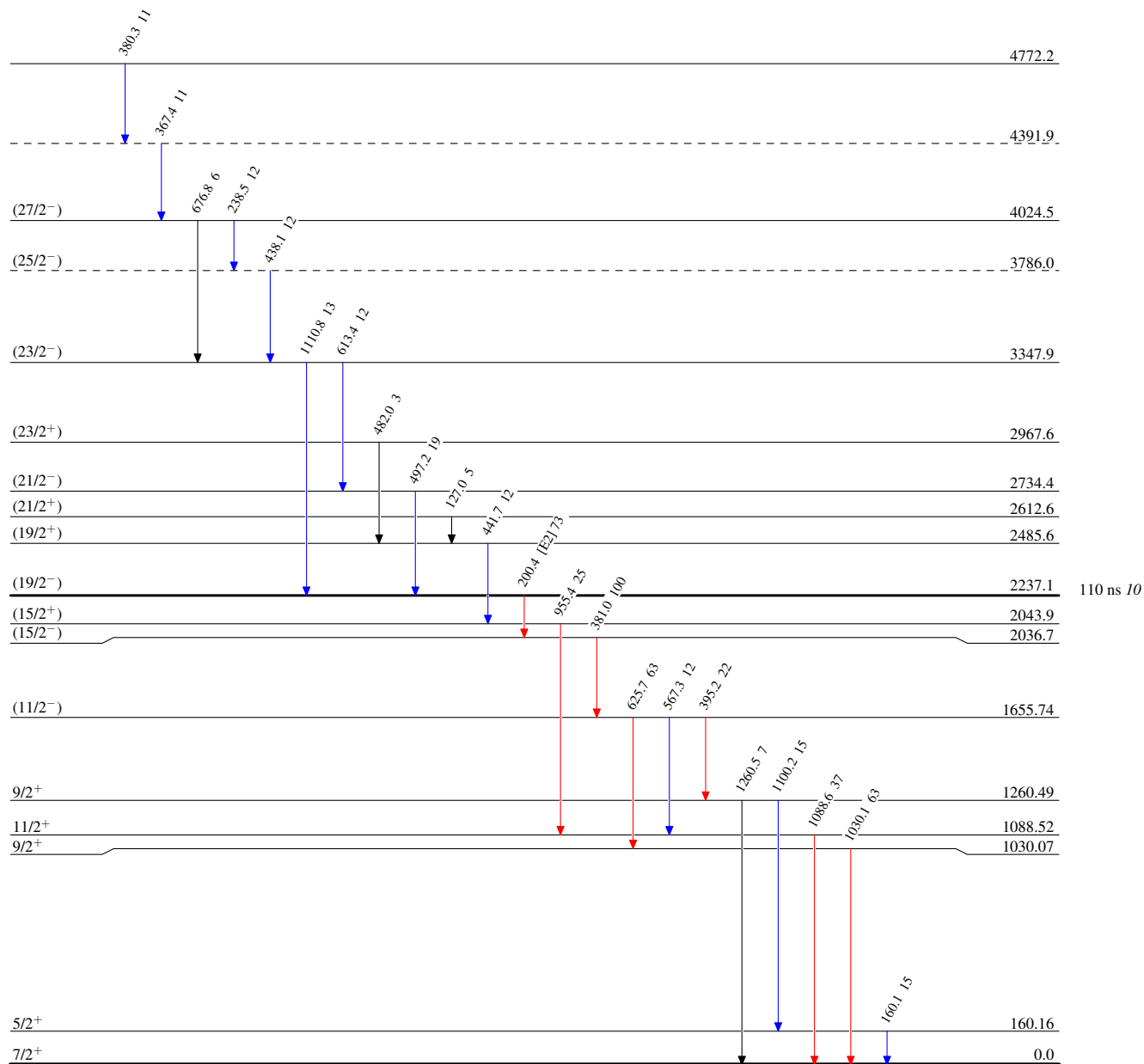
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## Level Scheme

Intensities: Relative  $I_\gamma$ 

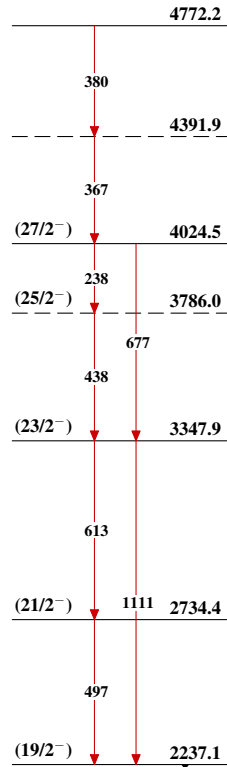
## Legend

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

 $^{123}_{51}\text{Sb}_{72}$

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Band(A): Band based on  
(19/2<sup>-</sup>)



Band(B):  $\gamma$ -cascade  
based on g.s

