

$^{123}\text{Sn} \beta^-$ decay (129.2 d) 1974Ra03, 1966Au04

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Parent: ^{123}Sn : E=0.0; $J^\pi=11/2^-$; $T_{1/2}=129.2$ d 5; $Q(\beta^-)=1408.2$ 24; % β^- decay=100.0

$^{123}\text{Sn}-J^\pi, T_{1/2}$: From Adopted Levels of ^{123}Sn .

$^{123}\text{Sn}-Q(\beta^-)$: From 2021Wa16.

1974Ra03: ^{123}Sn activity was produced by irradiation of 95% enriched ^{122}Sn with thermal neutrons at ORNL. γ rays were detected with a 50-cm³ Ge(Li) detector. Measured $E\gamma$, $I\gamma$. Deduced levels, J , π , β -decay branching ratios, log ft . Comparisons with available data.

1966Au04: ^{123}Sn activity was produced by irradiating 10 mg of enriched ^{122}Sn metal in the ORR reactor at ORNL. γ rays were detected with NaI(Tl) and Ge(Li) detectors; β particles were detected with a 4 π electron detector. Measured $E\gamma$, $I\gamma$, $E\beta$, $I\beta$, $\gamma\gamma$ -coin, $\beta\gamma$ -coin. Deduced levels, J , π , β -decay branching ratios.

Others (measured parent $T_{1/2}$): 1949Le05, 1950Ne52, 1951Co34, 1966La13, 1968Er03, 1973Be18, 2004AdZX.

 ^{123}Sb Levels

E(level) [†]	J^π [‡]	$T_{1/2}$ [‡]
0.0	7/2 ⁺	stable
160.33 5	5/2 ⁺	0.61 ns 4
1030.23 10	9/2 ⁺	0.190 ps +16–14
1088.65 10	11/2 ⁺	0.52 ps +5–4
1181.28 15	(5/2,7/2)	
1260.9 3	(9/2 ⁺)	
1337.42 15	7/2 ⁺ ,9/2 ⁺	

[†] From a least-squares fit to γ -ray energies.

[‡] From Adopted Levels.

 β^- radiations

E(decay)	E(level)	$I\beta^-$ ^{†‡}	Log ft	Comments
(70.8 24)	1337.42	0.00098 21	9.8 1	av $E\beta=18.29$ 65
(147.3 24)	1260.9	0.00014 6	11.6 2	av $E\beta=39.50$ 70
(226.9 24)	1181.28	0.0022 5	11.0 1	av $E\beta=63.08$ 74
(319.5 24)	1088.65	0.60 12	9.0 1	av $E\beta=92.27$ 78
				E(decay): 310 10 (1966Au04).
				$I\beta^-$: from 1966Au04, determined from their measured intensities of β transition to g.s. and 1089 γ . A %20 uncertainty is assumed by the evaluator.
(378.0 24)	1030.23	0.031 7	10.6 1	av $E\beta=111.56$ 81
(1408.2 24)	0.0	99.37 13	9.88 ^{1u} 1	av $E\beta=527.8$ 10
				$E(\beta)=1.42$ MeV 1, $\Delta J=2$ yes shape (magnetic spectrometer 1950Ke11).

[†] From $\gamma+ce$ intensity balance at each level, assuming a 20% uncertainty in normalizing $I(\gamma+ce)$ to % $I\gamma(1088\gamma)=0.60$ measured by 1966Au04.

[‡] Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

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I γ normalization, I($\gamma+ce$) normalization: From I β =0.6% to 1089-keV level, determined from $\beta\gamma$ -coin by 1966Au04. A 20% uncertainty has been assumed by the evaluator.

E $_{\gamma}^{\dagger}$	I $_{\gamma}^{\ddagger\#}$	E $_l$ (level)	J $_{i}^{\pi}$	E $_f$	J $_{f}^{\pi}$	Mult.	δ	α^{\ddagger}	I $_{(\gamma+ce)}^{\#}$	Comments
160.33 5	0.320 16	160.33	5/2 $^{+}$	0.0	7/2 $^{+}$	M1+E2	0.078 10	0.1668	0.373 18	ce(K)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.1233 16; ce(L)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.01582 23; ce(M)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.00313 5 ce(N)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.000604 9; ce(O)/($\gamma+ce$)= 5.95×10^{-5} 9 α (K)=0.1439 21; α (L)=0.0185 3; α (M)=0.00365 6 α (N)=0.000705 11; α (O)= 6.94×10^{-5} 10 E $_{\gamma}$: from 40.06-min isomer decay in 1974Ra03. Other: a very weak peak of 155 10 seen in coincidence with 1030 γ in 1966Au04, with about 4% of the intensity of 1030 γ , making a level at 1187; but this placement and the 1187 level were not confirmed in other studies and instead, the 155 γ could correspond to 160 γ here. I $_{(\gamma+ce)}$: from intensity balance at 160 level. I $_{\gamma}$: from I($\gamma+ce$) and α . Mult., δ : from Adopted Gammas.
1021.00 20	0.321 16	1181.28	(5/2,7/2)	160.33	5/2 $^{+}$					
1030.23 10	5.17 20	1030.23	9/2 $^{+}$	0.0	7/2 $^{+}$					
1088.64 10	100	1088.65	11/2 $^{+}$	0.0	7/2 $^{+}$					
1100.5 4	0.014 7	1260.9	(9/2 $^{+}$)	160.33	5/2 $^{+}$					
1177.06 20	0.038 4	1337.42	7/2 $^{+},9/2^{+}$	160.33	5/2 $^{+}$					
1181.23 20	0.049 5	1181.28	(5/2,7/2)	0.0	7/2 $^{+}$					
1260.9 4	0.009 5	1260.9	(9/2 $^{+}$)	0.0	7/2 $^{+}$					
1337.44 20	0.126 7	1337.42	7/2 $^{+},9/2^{+}$	0.0	7/2 $^{+}$					

[†] Additional information 1.

[‡] From 1974Ra03.

[#] For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.0060 12.

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