

^{126}Sb β^- decay (12.35 d) 1975Ba17,1972Bu28

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Parent: ^{126}Sb : E=0.0; $J^\pi=(8^-)$; $T_{1/2}=12.35$ d 6; $Q(\beta^-)=3670$ 30; % β^- decay=100.0

The decay scheme is that proposed by 1975Ba17 on the basis of $\gamma\gamma$ -coin and $E\gamma$ sums.

1972Bu28: semi γ , $\gamma\gamma$.

1972SoZQ: Te(γ ,pxn) chem;semi γ , $\gamma\gamma$.

1972Kr15: U(n,F) chem, oriented nuclei, $\gamma(\theta)$.

1974Li14: ^{124}Sn (α ,pn) chem; semi γ , $\gamma\gamma$.

1975Ba17: ^{128}Te (d, α) chem; semi γ , $\gamma\gamma$; $\gamma\gamma(\theta)$.

1975So09: ^{128}Te (d, α) chem; semi γ , $\gamma\gamma$; scin-scin $\beta\gamma(t)$, $\gamma\gamma(t)$.

1975Ba46: ^{128}Te (d, α) chem; scin-scin $\beta\gamma(t)$.

2010Fe02:Fission product;plasma-mass spectrometry;semi(HPGe); γ ,I γ ; liquid scin.; β .

 ^{126}Te Levels

E(level) [†]	J^π [‡]	$T_{1/2}$	Comments
0.0	0^+	stable	
666.5 3	2^+		
1361.5 4	4^+		
1776.1 4	6^+	68 ps 2	$T_{1/2}$: unweighted av of 66 ps 3 from ($\approx 600\beta$) ($\approx 700\gamma$)(t) (1975Ba46) and 69 ps 2 from (1370-1500 β) (695 γ)(t) (1975So09).
2218.3 4	5^-		
2396.2 6	6^+		
2496.7 5	7^-	0.152 ns 5	$T_{1/2}$: from (1200 β) ($\approx 700\gamma$)(t) (1975Ba46); other: 0.15 ns 2 from (610 < $E\beta$ < 720) (695 γ , 720 γ)(t) (1975So09).
2514.7 5	5^-		
2765.7 5	8^+		
2811.6 5	(7 $^-$)		
2837.4 5			
2839.7 7	(6) $^+$		
2974.3 10	10 $^+$		
2989.4 5	(8 $^+$)		
3070.8 5	5 $^-, 6, 7^-$		
3171.4 6			
3193.7 5	9 $^-$		
3450.4 6	6 $^+, 7^-$		
3473.0 9			

[†] E(levels) are based on a least-squares fit (by evaluators).

[‡] Spin and parity values are those given under Adopted Levels.

 β^- radiations

E(decay)	E(level)	I β^- [†]	Log ft	Comments
(2.0×10 ² 3)	3473.0	0.5 1	7.43 25	av $E\beta=54$ 9
(2.2×10 ² 3)	3450.4	2.09 14	6.96 21	av $E\beta=61$ 9
(4.8×10 ² 3)	3193.7	29 7	6.92 15	av $E\beta=145$ 11
(5.0×10 ² 3)	3171.4	5.9 10	7.68 12	av $E\beta=153$ 11
(6.0×10 ² 3)	3070.8	8.4 4	7.80 8	av $E\beta=190$ 12
(6.8×10 ² 3)	2989.4	4.2 4	8.30 8	av $E\beta=220$ 12
(7.0×10 ² 3)	2974.3	0.5 2	9.54 ^{1u} 20	av $E\beta=243$ 12

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 β^- radiations (continued)

E(decay)	E(level)	$I\beta^{-\dagger}$	Log ft	Comments
$(8.3 \times 10^2)^{\ddagger} 3)$	2839.7	0.8 7	9.7 ^{1u} 4	av $E\beta=294$ 12
$(8.6 \times 10^2 3)$	2811.6	8.1 6	8.37 7	av $E\beta=289$ 12
$(9.0 \times 10^2 3)$	2765.7	4.9 4	8.67 7	av $E\beta=307$ 12
$(1.17 \times 10^3 3)$	2496.7	16 8	8.57 23	av $E\beta=418$ 13
$(1.27 \times 10^3 3)$	2396.2	0.9 4	10.68 ^{1u} 21	av $E\beta=471$ 13
$(1.45 \times 10^3 3)$	2218.3	3.0 13	9.65 20	av $E\beta=537$ 13
$(1.89 \times 10^3 3)$	1776.1	20 4	10.31 ^{1u} 10	av $E\beta=734$ 13

[†] Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

[‡] Existence of this branch is questionable.

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$\gamma(^{126}\text{Te})$

I γ normalization: The evaluators assume no β^- feedings to gs, 666.5(2 $^+$) and 1362.1(4 $^+$) levels, so I γ (666.5 γ)=I γ (695.0 γ)=100.

$\gamma\gamma(\theta)$ data

1975Ba17

cascade	A ₂	A ₄	cascade	A ₂	A ₄
224-990	0.13 5	-0.01 4	278-857	-0.10 6	0.10 5
297-857	0.16 4	0.01 2	593-857	-0.08 3	0.03 3
857-696	-0.04 2	0.03 2	587-667	-0.08 2	-0.01 2

E γ [†]	I γ ^{#&}	E _i (level)	J $^\pi_i$	E _f	J $^\pi_f$	Mult. [#]	$\delta^{\#}$	α^a	Comments
148.7 9	0.4 2	2989.4	(8 $^+$)	2839.7	(6) $^+$				E γ ,I γ : E γ and RI from $\gamma\gamma$ coin. $\alpha(K)=0.1049$ 20; $\alpha(L)=0.0199$ 4; $\alpha(M)=0.00408$ 9
208.6 8	0.5 2	2974.3	10 $^+$	2765.7	8 $^+$	E2		0.130 3	E γ ,I γ : E γ and RI from $\gamma\gamma$ coin.
223.9 7	1.4 1	2989.4	(8 $^+$)	2765.7	8 $^+$				$\alpha(K)=0.0409$ 6; $\alpha(L)=0.00681$ 10; $\alpha(M)=0.001382$ 20
278.2 3	2.4 6	2496.7	7 $^-$	2218.3	5 $^-$	E2			$\alpha(K)=0.0333$ 5; $\alpha(L)=0.00539$ 8; $\alpha(M)=0.001092$ 16
296.5 3	4.5 4	2514.7	5 $^-$	2218.3	5 $^-$	M1+E2	-7.0 7	0.0400	δ : -0.25 1 or -5.4 +20-55 in $\gamma\gamma(\theta)$ (1975Ba17).
296.8	0.5 2	2811.6	(7 $^-$)	2514.7	5 $^-$				E γ ,I γ : This transition was found from $\gamma\gamma$ coin. E γ from the difference of the level energies assigned to the transition. RI from $\gamma\gamma$ coin (1975Ba17).
414.7 2	83.6 21	1776.1	6 $^+$	1361.5	4 $^+$	E2		0.0140 5	$\alpha(K)=0.01188$ 17; $\alpha(L)=0.001740$ 25; $\alpha(M)=0.000350$ 5 $\alpha(K)\exp=0.015$ (1971Or04). Obtained from ratio of $\alpha(K)\exp(414.8\gamma)$ to $\alpha(K)\exp(666.3\gamma)$ (1971Or04).
415.3	1.0 3	2811.6	(7 $^-$)	2396.2	6 $^+$				E γ ,I γ : This transition was found from $\gamma\gamma$ coin. E γ from the difference of the level energies assigned to the transition. RI from $\gamma\gamma$ coin (1975Ba17).
556.3 3	1.7 2	3070.8	5 $^-,6,7^-$	2514.7	5 $^-$				
573.9 3	6.7 3	3070.8	5 $^-,6,7^-$	2496.7	7 $^-$				
593.2 3	7.5 4	2811.6	(7 $^-$)	2218.3	5 $^-$	E2			
619.9 4	0.9 1	2396.2	6 $^+$	1776.1	6 $^+$	M1(+E2)	-0.17 +6-8	0.00511	
638.8 8	0.9 1	3450.4	6 $^+,7^-$	2811.6	(7 $^-$)				
656.3 6	2.2 1	3171.4		2514.7	5 $^-$				
666.5 3	100	666.5	2 $^+$	0.0	0 $^+$	E2		0.00378 6	$\alpha(K)=0.00324$ 5; $\alpha(L)=0.000429$ 6; $\alpha(M)=8.58\times10^{-5}$ 12 $\alpha(K)\exp=0.0034$ (assumed as E2 (1971Or04)).
674.8 3	3.7 10	3171.4		2496.7	7 $^-$				
684.7 10	0.9	3450.4	6 $^+,7^-$	2765.7	8 $^+$				E γ ,I γ : from 2010Fe02.
695.0 2	100	1361.5	4 $^+$	666.5	2 $^+$	E2		0.00340 5	$\alpha(K)=0.00292$ 5; $\alpha(L)=0.000384$ 6; $\alpha(M)=7.67\times10^{-5}$ 11 E γ : from 1972Bu28. The authors of 1975Ba17 quoted E γ =694.8 2

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$\gamma(^{126}\text{Te})$ (continued)									
E_γ^\dagger	$I_\gamma^{\ddagger\&}$	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. [#]	$\delta^\#$	a^a	Comments
697.0 2	32 6	3193.7	9 ⁻	2496.7	7 ⁻	E2		0.00337	in text from 1972SoZQ. However, there is no uncertainty of the E_γ in 1972SoZQ.
720.7 4	54.0 24	2496.7	7 ⁻	1776.1	6 ⁺	E1(+M2)	-0.01 3		I_γ : $I_\gamma=129$ 7 (Sum 695 γ and 697 γ) (1975Ba17). $I_\gamma=100$ from 1972Bu28, 1972SoZQ, 1969KIZZ. From the decay scheme and α , $I_\gamma=100$ is apparent and the uncertainty is negligibly small.
^x 726 @ 1	0.05 @								$a(K)\exp(695\gamma+697\gamma)=0.0030$ (1971Or04).
^x 730.7 @ 10	0.13 @								E_γ : from 1972Bu28. The authors of 1975Ba17 quoted $E_\gamma=696.7$ 3 in text from 1972SoZQ. However, there is no uncertainty of the E_γ in 1972SoZQ.
856.8 2	17.7 9	2218.3	5 ⁻	1361.5	4 ⁺	E1+M2	+0.029 6		I_γ : from 1969KIZZ.
934 1	0.8	3450.4	6 ^{+,7-}	2514.7	5 ⁻				
953.7 4	1.2 1	3450.4	6 ^{+,7-}	2496.7	7 ⁻				
958.3 7	0.5 1	3473.0		2514.7	5 ⁻				
989.6 3	6.8 3	2765.7	8 ⁺	1776.1	6 ⁺	E2			
1036.2 12	1.00 5	2396.2	6 ⁺	1361.5	4 ⁺	E2			
1061.3 2	0.4	2837.4		1776.1	6 ⁺				
1064.4 15	0.9 6	2839.7	(6) ⁺	1776.1	6 ⁺				
^x 1191 @ 1	0.27 @								
1213.3 3	2.4 2	2989.4	(8) ⁺	1776.1	6 ⁺	(E2)			
^x 1290 @ 1	0.23 @								
1476.9 9	0.28 3	2839.7	(6) ⁺	1361.5	4 ⁺				
^x 1589 @ 1	0.09 @								

[†] from 1975Ba17, unless otherwise noted.[‡] From 1975Ba17, unless otherwise noted.[#] From Adopted Levels, gammas.[@] From 2010Fe02 with ¹²⁶Sn/¹²⁶Sb equilibrium source which include γ -rays from ¹²⁶Sb β^- decay (12.35 d) and ¹²⁶Sb β^- decay (19.15 M). The γ -ray could belong to either, or both decays. In each case, RI's must be corrected.[&] For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.996 I .^a 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.^x γ ray not placed in level scheme.

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