

$^{138}\text{I}$   $\beta^-$ n decay    1981Ho07

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Parent:  $^{138}\text{I}$ : E=0.0;  $J^\pi=(2^-)$ ;  $T_{1/2}=6.41$  s 6;  $Q(\beta^-n)=1980$  80; % $\beta^-n$  decay=5.56 22

Measured: delayed n,  $\gamma$  (1981Ho07, 1979Ho21).

Delayed neutron emission probability=5.56% 22 (1993Ru01). Others: 5.5% 4 (1980Lu04), 4.5% 9 (1978Kr15), 6.0% 35 (1977Re05), ~7% (1977Sh01), 5.14% 23 (1975Iz03).

$E(n)_{\text{av}}=380$  (1982Ru01). Others: 467 30 (1979KrZT);  $E(n) \leq 1400$  (1977Re05).

$I(588.8\gamma, ^{138}\text{Xe})/n=10.2$  6 (1981Ho07).

n-feeding to  $^{137}\text{Xe}$  g.s. is 79.0% 21 (% $\beta^-n=4.39$  22), to 601 level is 19.8% 21 (% $\beta^-n=1.10$  10), to 986 level is 1.2% 3

(% $\beta^-n=0.067$  17), to >986 levels is <6% (% $\beta^-n<0.33$ ) of  $\beta^-n$  decay (1981Ho07).

 $^{137}\text{Xe}$  Levels

$E(\text{level})^\dagger$	$J^\pi^\ddagger$
0.0	$7/2^-$
601.0	$3/2^-$
986.2	$(1/2)^-$

<sup>†</sup> Adopted values.

 $\gamma(^{137}\text{Xe})$ 

I $\gamma$  normalization: from  $\beta^-n$  decay probability=5.56% 22.

$E_\gamma$	$I_\gamma^{\dagger\ddagger}$	$E_i(\text{level})$	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$
385.2	1.1	986.2	$(1/2)^-$	601.0	$3/2^-$
601.0	20.5	601.0	$3/2^-$	0.0	$7/2^-$

<sup>†</sup> Assuming  $I(588\gamma, ^{138}\text{Xe})=1000$ .

<sup>‡</sup> For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.0556 22.

Delayed Neutrons ( $^{137}\text{Xe}$ )

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0.0	79.0 21
601.0	19.8 21
986.2	1.2 3

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## Legend

Intensities:  $I_\gamma$  per 100 parent decays