

²⁵²Cf SF decay 2010Li14,2009Rz02

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Parent: ²⁵²Cf: E=0.0; J^π=0⁺; T_{1/2}=2.645 y 8; %SF decay=?

2010Li14: Gammasphere detector array. Measured E_γ, γγ, γγ(θ).

2009Rz02: Includes ²⁵²Cf SF decay, ²⁴⁸Cm SF decay and ²³⁵U(n,F). The data from SF fission of ²⁴⁸Cm and ²⁵²Cf obtained with the Eurogam-2 and Gammasphere detector arrays, respectively. LEPSs were used to measure low-energy γ's. Measured E_γ, I_γ, γγ, γγ(θ), half-lives by delayed timing method. Presence of nanosecond isomer was confirmed with measurements of delayed γ rays following induced fission of ²³⁵U carried with the LOHENGRIN mass spectrometer.

Other: 1998Hw04.

218-408-548-702 and 618-387-503 cascades previously assigned to ¹³⁹Cs (1998Hw04) are reconfirmed as belonging to ¹⁴²Cs (2010Li14,2009Rz02).

Level scheme is that of 2010Li14; E(level) and E_γ are taken from authors' level scheme, except γ's - 25.3-, 26.4- and 9195-keV which are seen only in 2009Rz02.

J^π are based on γγ(θ) measurements and band assignments.

¹⁴²Cs Levels

E(level) [†]	J ^π	T _{1/2}	Comments
0+x	J ⁽⁻⁾	?	Additional information 1. E(level): most likely this level is not the ground state, since there is no overlap with the data from β-decay of ¹⁴² Xe.
25.5+x 8	J+(1 ⁻)		
96.7+x [‡] 8	J+2 ⁽⁻⁾		
122.9+x [#] 10	J+3 ⁽⁻⁾	11 ns 3	T _{1/2} : γ timing measurement (2009Rz02).
315.0+x [‡] 11	J+4 ⁽⁻⁾		
328.5+x [#] 12	J+5 ⁽⁻⁾		
723.6+x [‡] 12	J+6 ⁽⁻⁾		
733.3+x [#] 13	J+7 ⁽⁻⁾		
1072.9+x ^a 12	J+5 ⁽⁺⁾		
1150.0+x [@] 14	J+6 ⁽⁺⁾		
1272.4+x [‡] 14	J+8 ⁽⁻⁾		
1278.2+x [#] 14	J+9 ⁽⁻⁾		
1342.4+x ^a 13	J+7 ⁽⁺⁾		
1449.1+x [@] 14	J+8 ⁽⁺⁾		
1652.8+x 17			
1730.0+x ^a 14	J+9 ⁽⁺⁾		
1793.7+x ^{&} 15			
1862.6+x [@] 15	J+10 ⁽⁺⁾		
1974.5+x [‡] 15	J+10 ⁽⁻⁾		
1978.2+x [#] 15	J+11 ⁽⁻⁾		
1995.4+x ^{&} 14			
2233.2+x ^a 15	J+11 ⁽⁺⁾		
2322.6+x ^{&} 16			
2399.9+x [@] 16	J+12 ⁽⁺⁾		
2730.9+x [‡] 18	J+12 ⁽⁻⁾		
2765.4+x [#] 18	J+13 ⁽⁻⁾		
2785.1+x ^{&} 16			
2849.0+x ^a 18	J+13 ⁽⁺⁾		

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¹⁴²Cs Levels (continued)

E(level) [†]	J ^π
3078.4+x [@] 19	J+14(+)
3363.3+x ^{&} 19	
3554.1+x ^a 21	J+15(+)
3661.6+x [#] 21	J+15(-)
3862.1+x [@] 21	J+16(+)
4001.1+x ^{&} 22	

[†] From least-squares fit to E_γ's, assuming Δ(E_γ)=0.3 keV.

[‡] Band(A): Band based on 96+x.

[#] Band(B): Band based on 11-ns isomer.

[@] Band(C): Band based on 1150+x.

[&] Band(D): Band based on 1793+x.

^a Band(E): Band based on 1073+x.

γ(¹⁴²Cs)

Angular Correlation Measurements
(Measurements by [2010Li14](#))

Transitions	A ₂	A ₄
(218.3γ) (96.9γ) (θ)	0.11 2	-0.02 3
(544.9γ) (404.8γ) (θ)	0.104 16	0.001 24
(408.6γ) (218.3γ) (θ)	0.086 19	-0.032 29
(544.9γ) (404.8γ) (θ)	0.104 16	0.001 24
(548.8γ) (408.6γ) (θ)	0.093 25	-0.010 39
(618.8γ) (408.6γ) (θ)	-0.078 38	-0.022 59
(715.8γ) (404.8γ) (θ)	-0.052 30	-0.003 45

E _γ	I _γ [†]	E _i (level)	J _i ^π	E _f	J _f ^π	Mult. [‡]	α [#]	Comments
25.3	22 7	25.5+x	J+(1 ⁻)	0+x	J(-)			
26.4	51 8	122.9+x	J+3(-)	96.7+x	J+2(-)			
71.1	18 2	96.7+x	J+2(-)	25.5+x	J+(1 ⁻)			
96.9	47 3	96.7+x	J+2(-)	0+x	J(-)	E2	2.09	α(K)=1.332 19; α(L)=0.597 9; α(M)=0.1293 18; α(N+..)=0.0293 5 α(N)=0.0262 4; α(O)=0.00308 5; α(P)=3.67×10 ⁻⁵ 6 Mult.: (M1+E2) is proposed in 2009Rz02 from ambiguous results of angular correlation measurements. E2 from γγ(θ) in 2010Li14 is also preferable due to the systematics of J ^π 's values.
97.3	35 2	122.9+x	J+3(-)	25.5+x	J+(1 ⁻)	(E2)	2.06	α(K)=1.315 19; α(L)=0.586 9; α(M)=0.1269 18; α(N+..)=0.0288 4 α(N)=0.0257 4; α(O)=0.00302 5; α(P)=3.63×10 ⁻⁵ 5 Mult.: based on the half-life value of the 123 keV level, which rules out M2.
192.1 201.7	14 2	315.0+x 1995.4+x	J+4(-)	122.9+x 1793.7+x	J+3(-)			E _γ : Seen by 2010Li14 .

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E_γ	I_γ^\dagger	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. ‡	$\alpha^\#$	Comments
205.6	100 5	328.5+x	J+5 ⁽⁻⁾	122.9+x	J+3 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	0.1515	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.1192$ 17; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.0257$ 4; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.00542$ 8; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.001260$ 18 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.001116$ 16; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.0001402$ 20; $\alpha(\text{P})=3.81\times 10^{-6}$ 6
218.3	62 8	315.0+x	J+4 ⁽⁻⁾	96.7+x	J+2 ⁽⁻⁾	E2	0.1237	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.0981$ 14; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.0204$ 3; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.00429$ 6; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.000999$ 14 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.000884$ 13; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.0001117$ 16; $\alpha(\text{P})=3.17\times 10^{-6}$ 5
255.0		2233.2+x	J+11 ⁽⁺⁾	1978.2+x	J+11 ⁽⁻⁾			
258.7		2233.2+x	J+11 ⁽⁺⁾	1974.5+x	J+10 ⁽⁻⁾			
269.5		1342.4+x	J+7 ⁽⁺⁾	1072.9+x	J+5 ⁽⁺⁾			E_γ : Transition seen only in 2010Li14 .
299.1		1449.1+x	J+8 ⁽⁺⁾	1150.0+x	J+6 ⁽⁺⁾			E_γ : Transition only seen in 2010Li14 .
327.2	5 1	2322.6+x		1995.4+x				
344.4 [@]		2322.6+x		1978.2+x	J+11 ⁽⁻⁾			
387.6	7 1	1730.0+x	J+9 ⁽⁺⁾	1342.4+x	J+7 ⁽⁺⁾			
395.1	10 2	723.6+x	J+6 ⁽⁻⁾	328.5+x	J+5 ⁽⁻⁾			
404.8	71 4	733.3+x	J+7 ⁽⁻⁾	328.5+x	J+5 ⁽⁻⁾	E2	0.01725	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.01441$ 21; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.00227$ 4; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.000470$ 7; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.0001115$ 16 $\alpha(\text{N})=9.80\times 10^{-5}$ 14; $\alpha(\text{O})=1.300\times 10^{-5}$ 19; $\alpha(\text{P})=5.08\times 10^{-7}$ 8
408.6	43 3	723.6+x	J+6 ⁽⁻⁾	315.0+x	J+4 ⁽⁻⁾	E2	0.01678	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.01402$ 20; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.00220$ 3; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.000456$ 7; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.0001082$ 16 $\alpha(\text{N})=9.50\times 10^{-5}$ 14; $\alpha(\text{O})=1.262\times 10^{-5}$ 18; $\alpha(\text{P})=4.95\times 10^{-7}$ 7
413.5	7 1	1862.6+x	J+10 ⁽⁺⁾	1449.1+x	J+8 ⁽⁺⁾			
421.7	0.7 3	2399.9+x	J+12 ⁽⁺⁾	1978.2+x	J+11 ⁽⁻⁾			
451.8		1730.0+x	J+9 ⁽⁺⁾	1278.2+x	J+9 ⁽⁻⁾			
457.6		1730.0+x	J+9 ⁽⁺⁾	1272.4+x	J+8 ⁽⁻⁾			
462.5	3 1	2785.1+x		2322.6+x				
503.2	5 1	2233.2+x	J+11 ⁽⁺⁾	1730.0+x	J+9 ⁽⁺⁾			
537.3	4 1	2399.9+x	J+12 ⁽⁺⁾	1862.6+x	J+10 ⁽⁺⁾			
539.1		1272.4+x	J+8 ⁽⁻⁾	733.3+x	J+7 ⁽⁻⁾			
544.9	33 4	1278.2+x	J+9 ⁽⁻⁾	733.3+x	J+7 ⁽⁻⁾	E2	0.00744 11	$\alpha=0.00744$ 11; $\alpha(\text{K})=0.00630$ 9; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.000910$ 13; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.000188$ 3; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=4.48\times 10^{-5}$ 7 $\alpha(\text{N})=3.93\times 10^{-5}$ 6; $\alpha(\text{O})=5.31\times 10^{-6}$ 8; $\alpha(\text{P})=2.28\times 10^{-7}$ 4
548.8	15 1	1272.4+x	J+8 ⁽⁻⁾	723.6+x	J+6 ⁽⁻⁾	E2	0.00730 11	$\alpha=0.00730$ 11; $\alpha(\text{K})=0.00618$ 9; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.000892$ 13; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.000184$ 3; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=4.39\times 10^{-5}$ 7 $\alpha(\text{N})=3.85\times 10^{-5}$ 6; $\alpha(\text{O})=5.20\times 10^{-6}$ 8; $\alpha(\text{P})=2.24\times 10^{-7}$ 4
578.2	2 1	3363.3+x		2785.1+x				
584.4	3 1	1862.6+x	J+10 ⁽⁺⁾	1278.2+x	J+9 ⁽⁻⁾			
609.1	4 1	1342.4+x	J+7 ⁽⁺⁾	733.3+x	J+7 ⁽⁻⁾			
615.8	2 1	2849.0+x	J+13 ⁽⁺⁾	2233.2+x	J+11 ⁽⁺⁾			
618.8	12 1	1342.4+x	J+7 ⁽⁺⁾	723.6+x	J+6 ⁽⁻⁾	E1	0.00192 3	$\alpha=0.00192$ 3; $\alpha(\text{K})=0.001660$ 24; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.000205$ 3; $\alpha(\text{M})=4.17\times 10^{-5}$ 6; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=1.008\times 10^{-5}$ 15 $\alpha(\text{N})=8.80\times 10^{-6}$ 13; $\alpha(\text{O})=1.221\times 10^{-6}$ 18; $\alpha(\text{P})=5.99\times 10^{-8}$ 9

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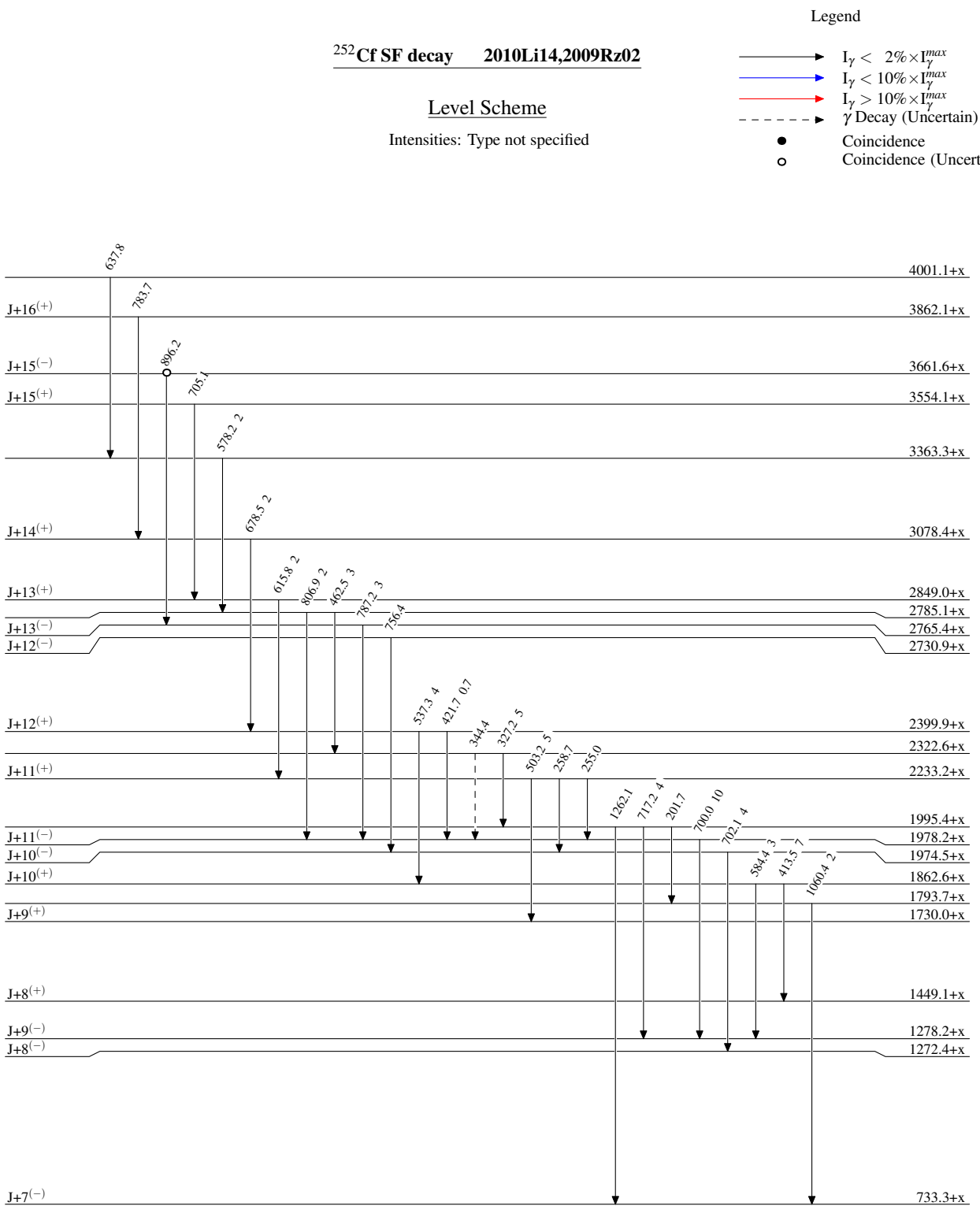
E_γ	I_γ^\dagger	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. [‡]	$\alpha^\#$	Comments
637.8		4001.1+x		3363.3+x				
678.5	2 1	3078.4+x	J+14(+)	2399.9+x	J+12(+)			
700.0	10 1	1978.2+x	J+11(-)	1278.2+x	J+9(-)			
702.1	4 1	1974.5+x	J+10(-)	1272.4+x	J+8(-)			
705.1		3554.1+x	J+15(+)	2849.0+x	J+13(+)			
715.8	11 1	1449.1+x	J+8(+)	733.3+x	J+7(-)	E1	0.001404 20	$\alpha=0.001404$ 20; $\alpha(\text{K})=0.001217$ 17; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.0001498$ 21; $\alpha(\text{M})=3.04\times 10^{-5}$ 5; $\alpha(\text{N+..})=7.35\times 10^{-6}$ $\alpha(\text{N})=6.42\times 10^{-6}$ 9; $\alpha(\text{O})=8.92\times 10^{-7}$ 13; $\alpha(\text{P})=4.41\times 10^{-8}$ 7
717.2	4 1	1995.4+x		1278.2+x	J+9(-)			
744.4		1072.9+x	J+5(+)	328.5+x	J+5(-)			
756.4		2730.9+x	J+12(-)	1974.5+x	J+10(-)			
757.9		1072.9+x	J+5(+)	315.0+x	J+4(-)			
783.7		3862.1+x	J+16(+)	3078.4+x	J+14(+)			
787.2	3 1	2765.4+x	J+13(-)	1978.2+x	J+11(-)			
806.9	2 1	2785.1+x		1978.2+x	J+11(-)			
821.5		1150.0+x	J+6(+)	328.5+x	J+5(-)			
896.2		3661.6+x	J+15(-)	2765.4+x	J+13(-)			
919.5	2 1	1652.8+x		733.3+x	J+7(-)			E_γ : Transition seen only in 2009Rz02 .
1060.4	2 1	1793.7+x		733.3+x	J+7(-)			
1262.1		1995.4+x		733.3+x	J+7(-)			

[†] From [2009Rz02](#).

[‡] From $\gamma\gamma(\theta)$ measurements and angular correlations from [2010Li14](#). a value $A_2 = 0.102$, $A_4 = 0$ implies E2 to E2, whereas $A_2 = -0.071$, $A_4 = 0$ corresponds to E1 to E2 (from [2010Li14](#)).

[#] 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.

[@] Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

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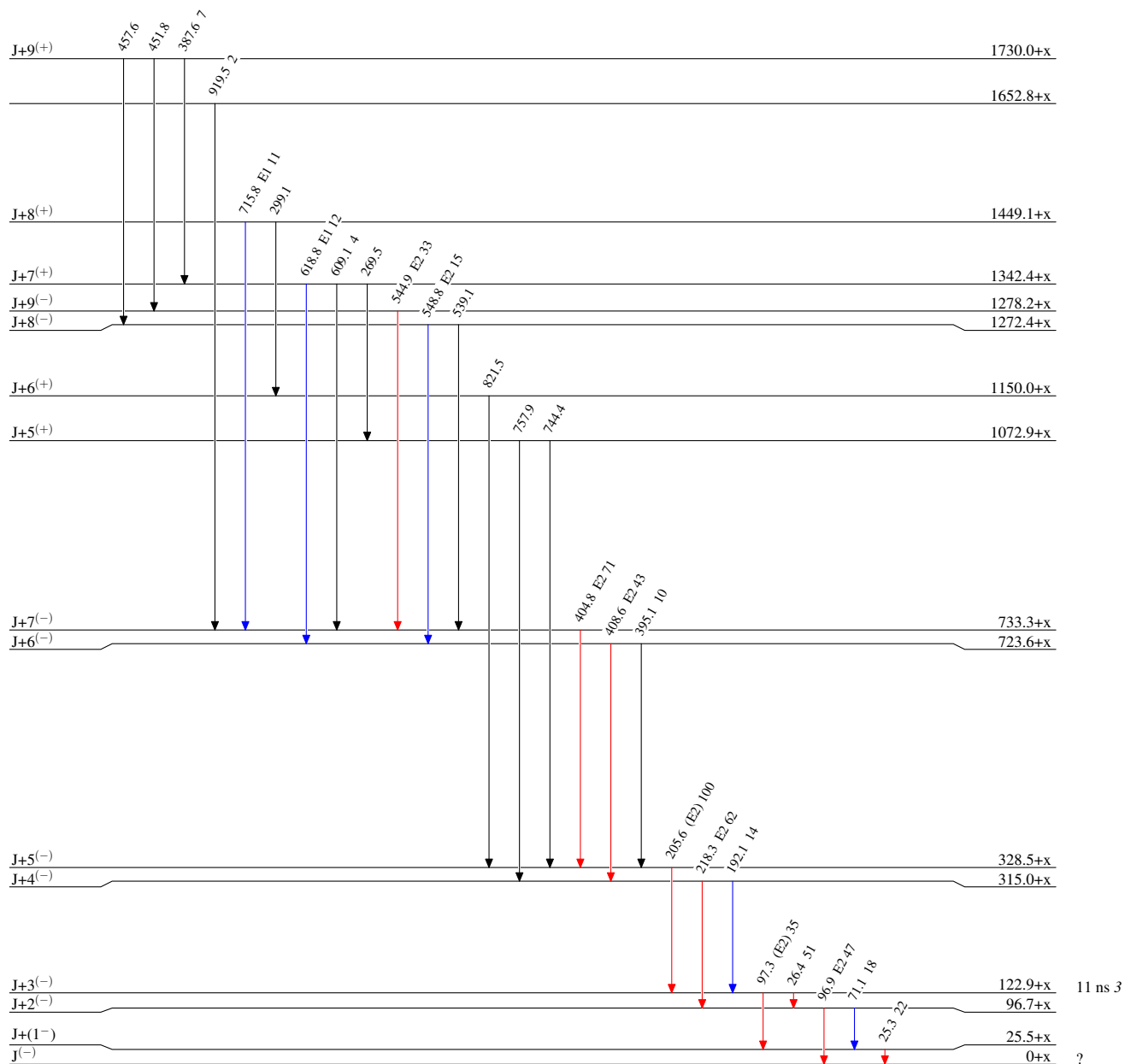
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Level Scheme (continued)

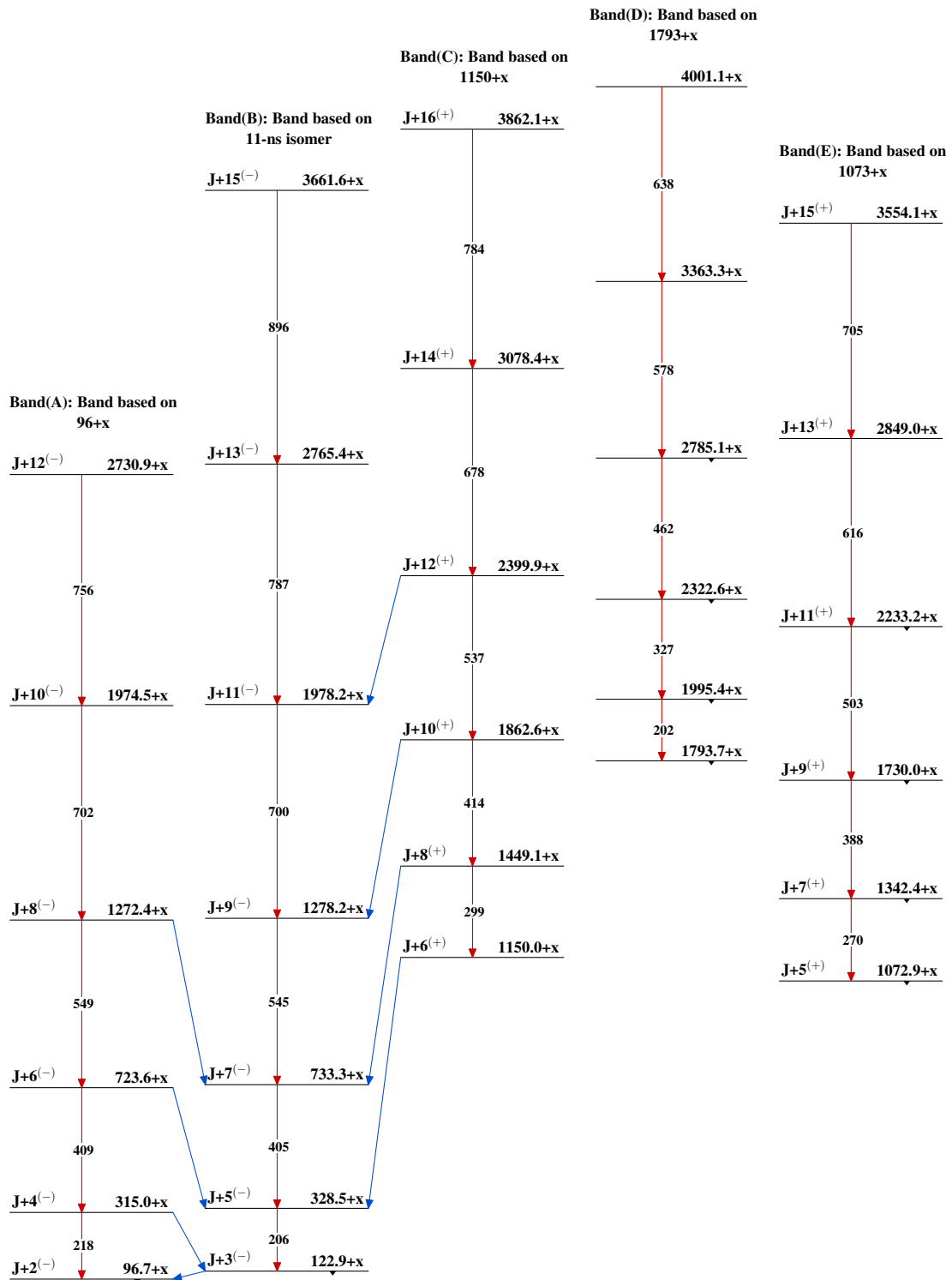
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Legend

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



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