

**Adopted Levels, Gammas**

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Full Evaluation	T. D. Johnson, D. Symochko(a), M. Fasil(b), and J. K. Tuli		NDS 112,1949 (2011)	1-Jun-2010

Q( $\beta^-$ )=5288 8; S(n)=5104 4; S(p)=1.261×10<sup>4</sup> *sys*; Q( $\alpha$ )=-1958 6 [2012Wa38](#)  
 Note: Current evaluation has used the following Q record 5296 115104 4 1.222e+413-1900 120 [2011AuZZ](#).  
 Q( $\beta^-$ n)=1179 11, Q( $\epsilon$ p)=-2.12×10<sup>4</sup> 4 [2011AuZZ](#).  
 Values in [2003Au03](#): Q( $\beta^-$ )=5040 10, S(n)=5220 14, S(p)=12250 22 (syst.), Q( $\alpha$ )=-1970 23 (syst.), Q( $\beta^-$ n)=930 10,  
 Q( $\epsilon$ p)=-2.12×10<sup>4</sup> 4.  
 Some recent theory, calculations: [2007Ji05](#), [2006Mo34](#), [1998Zh37](#), [1995Ba45](#), [1994Ma02](#), [1993Sh13](#), [1992Na07](#).

<sup>142</sup>Xe Levels

Cross Reference (XREF) Flags

- A <sup>248</sup>Cm SF decay
- B Coulomb excitation

E(level) <sup>‡</sup>	J <sup>π</sup> <sup>‡</sup>	T <sub>1/2</sub>	XREF	Comments
0.0 <sup>#</sup>	0 <sup>+</sup>	1.23 s 2	AB	% $\beta^-$ =100; % $\beta^-$ n=0.21 6 ( <a href="#">2009Be05</a> ) % $\beta^-$ n: Other: 0.406 34 ( <a href="#">1975As04</a> ). T <sub>1/2</sub> : weighted average: 1.25 s 3 ( <a href="#">2003Be05</a> ), 1.24 s 2 ( <a href="#">1969Ca03</a> ), 1.18 s 4 ( <a href="#">1967Co31</a> ), 1.15 s 4 ( <a href="#">1965Pa14</a> ); others: <a href="#">1974CrZT</a> , <a href="#">1971Kr22</a> , <a href="#">1969WiZX</a> , <a href="#">1960Wo03</a> . For predictions on the features of delayed-neutron emission see <a href="#">1982Ru01</a> .
287.20 <sup>#</sup> 20	2 <sup>+</sup>	0.20 ns 3	AB	$\mu$ =+0.84 26 ( <a href="#">2009Go09</a> ) T <sub>1/2</sub> : Deduced by evaluators using B(E2) $\uparrow$ =0.69 10 measured in Coulomb excitation ( <a href="#">2007Kr19</a> ). Other: 0.34 ns +12-7 reported for 205 $\gamma$ from <sup>254</sup> Cf SF decay and tentatively assigned to 2 <sup>+</sup> level in <sup>142</sup> Xe ( <a href="#">1980ChZM</a> ); however, 205 $\gamma$ in <sup>142</sup> Xe was not seen in any other work.
690.7 <sup>#</sup> 3	(4 <sup>+</sup> )		A	J <sup>π</sup> : possible band member and systematics.
1181.1 <sup>#</sup> 4	(6 <sup>+</sup> )		A	J <sup>π</sup> : possible band member and systematics.
1258.5 <sup>@</sup> 11	(3 <sup>-</sup> )		A	J <sup>π</sup> : possible band member.
1516.3 <sup>@</sup> 11	(5 <sup>-</sup> )		A	J <sup>π</sup> : possible band member.
1622.4 5			A	
1732.2 <sup>#</sup> 4	(8 <sup>+</sup> )		A	J <sup>π</sup> : possible band member and systematics.
1864.5 8			A	
1888.3 <sup>@</sup> 9	(7 <sup>-</sup> )		A	J <sup>π</sup> : $\Delta J=1$ to 6 <sup>+</sup> ; band assignment.
1981.2 6			A	
2211.7 7			A	
2342.6 <sup>#</sup> 5	(10 <sup>+</sup> )		A	J <sup>π</sup> : possible band member and systematics.
2351.2 <sup>@</sup> 7	(9 <sup>-</sup> )		A	J <sup>π</sup> : E1 to (8 <sup>+</sup> ); band assignment.
2605.3 6			A	
2805.9 <sup>&amp;</sup> 9			A	
2891.7 <sup>@</sup> 9	(11 <sup>-</sup> )		A	J <sup>π</sup> : stretched quadrupole to (9 <sup>-</sup> ); band assignment.
3014.3 <sup>#</sup> 7	(12 <sup>+</sup> )		A	
3210.4 <sup>&amp;</sup> 14			A	
3496.2 <sup>@</sup> 14	(13 <sup>-</sup> )		A	J <sup>π</sup> : Band assignment.
3739.7 <sup>#</sup> 12	(14 <sup>+</sup> )		A	
3764.3 <sup>&amp;</sup> 17			A	
4511.2 <sup>#</sup> 16	(16 <sup>+</sup> )		A	

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**Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)**

$^{142}\text{Xe}$  Levels (continued)

† From  $\gamma\gamma$  angular correlations (consistent with stretched E2), linear polarization and systematics of collective bands in neighboring even-even nuclei, except where noted.

‡ From least-squares fit to  $E\gamma$ .

# Band(A): g.s. band.

@ Band(B): octupole band.

& Band(C): possible rotational band.

$\gamma(^{142}\text{Xe})$

All data are from  $^{248}\text{Cm}$  SF decay.

$E_i(\text{level})$	$J_i^\pi$	$E_\gamma$	$I_\gamma$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Mult.	$\alpha^\dagger$	Comments
287.20	2 <sup>+</sup>	287.2 2	100	0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>			
690.7	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	403.5 2	100	287.20	2 <sup>+</sup>			
1181.1	(6 <sup>+</sup> )	490.4 2	100	690.7	(4 <sup>+</sup> )			
1258.5	(3 <sup>-</sup> )	971.3	100	287.20	2 <sup>+</sup>			
1516.3	(5 <sup>-</sup> )	825.6	100	690.7	(4 <sup>+</sup> )			
1622.4		441.1		1181.1	(6 <sup>+</sup> )			
		931.7 5		690.7	(4 <sup>+</sup> )			
1732.2	(8 <sup>+</sup> )	551.1 2	100	1181.1	(6 <sup>+</sup> )			
1864.5		683.4	100	1181.1	(6 <sup>+</sup> )			
1888.3	(7 <sup>-</sup> )	372 <sup>‡</sup>		1516.3	(5 <sup>-</sup> )			
		707.2		1181.1	(6 <sup>+</sup> )	D		
1981.2		116.7	28 3	1864.5				
		358.9	38 3	1622.4				
		800.1 5	100 5	1181.1	(6 <sup>+</sup> )			
2211.7		230.4		1981.2				
		347.2		1864.5				
		479.5		1732.2	(8 <sup>+</sup> )			
2342.6	(10 <sup>+</sup> )	610.4 2	100	1732.2	(8 <sup>+</sup> )			
2351.2	(9 <sup>-</sup> )	462.9	19 2	1888.3	(7 <sup>-</sup> )			
		618.9	100 1	1732.2	(8 <sup>+</sup> )	E1	0.00182 3	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.001577$ 22; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.000194$ 3; $\alpha(\text{M})=3.90\times 10^{-5}$ 6; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=9.06\times 10^{-6}$ 13 $\alpha(\text{N})=8.06\times 10^{-6}$ 12; $\alpha(\text{O})=1.004\times 10^{-6}$ 14
2605.3		254.0	22 6	2351.2	(9 <sup>-</sup> )			
		393.4	32 6	2211.7				
		873.1 5	100 8	1732.2	(8 <sup>+</sup> )			
2805.9		200.6		2605.3				
		454.8		2351.2	(9 <sup>-</sup> )			
2891.7	(11 <sup>-</sup> )	540.5		2351.2	(9 <sup>-</sup> )	(E2)	0.00725 11	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.00615$ 9; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.000876$ 13; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.000179$ 3; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=4.11\times 10^{-5}$ 6 $\alpha(\text{N})=3.67\times 10^{-5}$ 6; $\alpha(\text{O})=4.42\times 10^{-6}$ 7
		549.1		2342.6	(10 <sup>+</sup> )			
3014.3	(12 <sup>+</sup> )	671.7 5	100	2342.6	(10 <sup>+</sup> )			
3210.4		404.5	100	2805.9				
3496.2	(13 <sup>-</sup> )	481.6 <sup>‡</sup>		3014.3	(12 <sup>+</sup> )			
		604.5		2891.7	(11 <sup>-</sup> )			
3739.7	(14 <sup>+</sup> )	725.4	100	3014.3	(12 <sup>+</sup> )			
3764.3		553.9		3210.4				
4511.2	(16 <sup>+</sup> )	771.5		3739.7	(14 <sup>+</sup> )			

† Additional information 1.

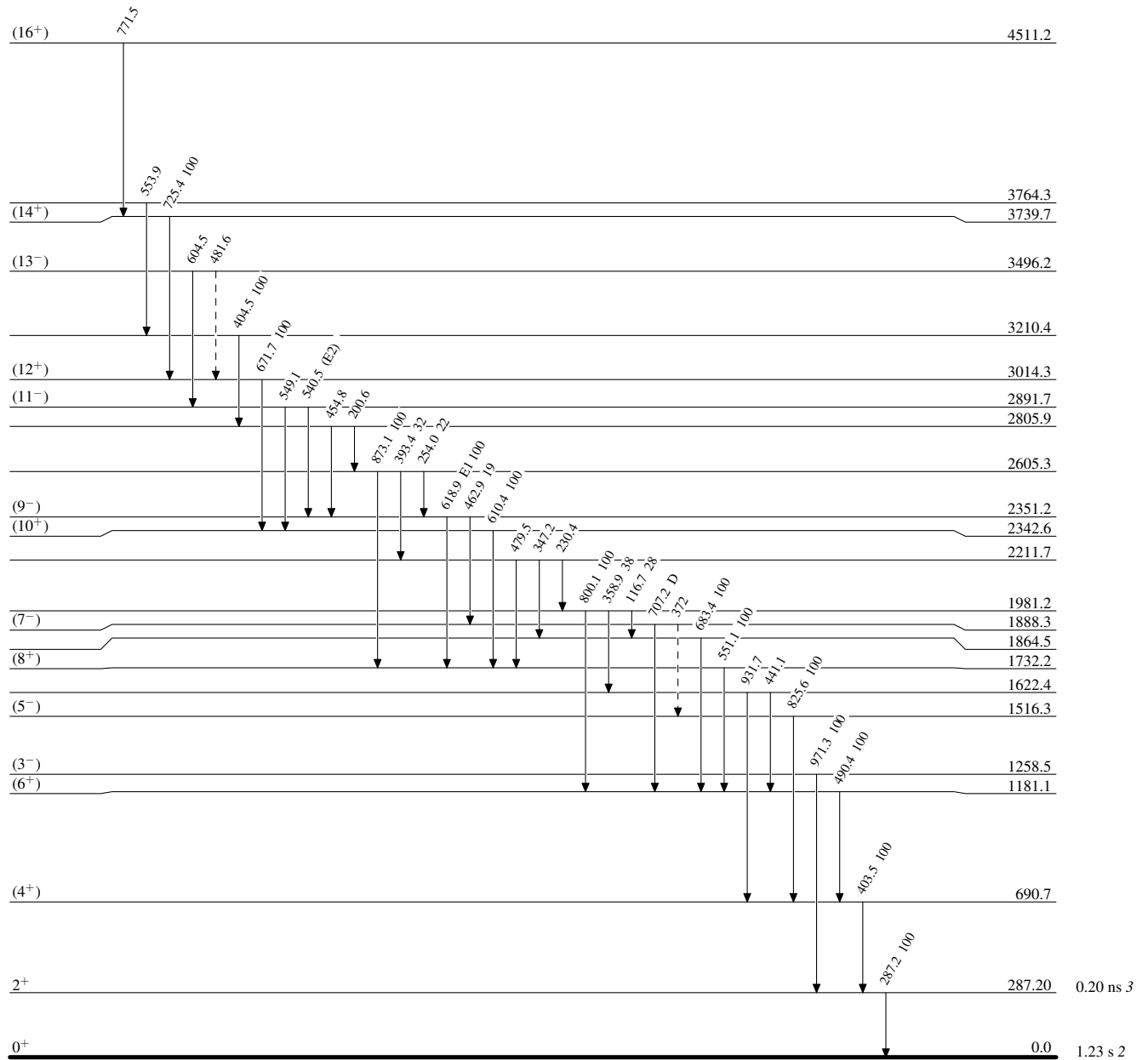
‡ Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

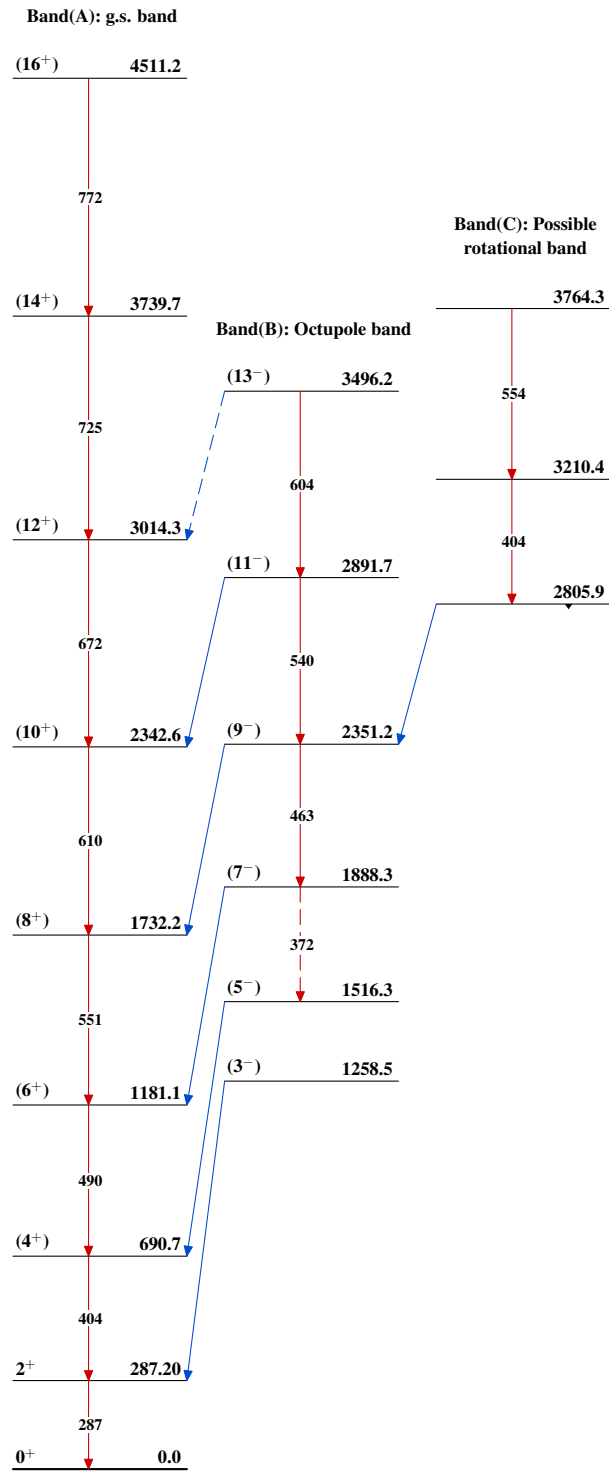
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Legend

Level Scheme

Intensities: Relative photon branching from each level

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