

^{144}Gd ε decay [1991Tu01](#)

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Parent: ^{144}Gd : $E=0.0$; $J^\pi=0^+$; $T_{1/2}=4.47$ min 6; $Q(\varepsilon)=3740$ SY; $\% \varepsilon + \% \beta^+$ decay=100.0

[1991Tu01](#): $^{144}\text{Sm}(^3\text{He},3n)$, $E=32\text{-}50$ MeV, measured γ , ce, excit, $X\gamma$, He gas jet separation system.

Other measurement: [1973VaYZ](#).

 ^{144}Eu Levels

E(level) [‡]	J^π [†]	$T_{1/2}$	Comments
0.0	1 ⁺	10.2 s 1	$T_{1/2}$: from Adopted Levels.
333.30 7	(2) ⁺		
347.10 8	(3) ⁺		
580.4? 3	(4) ⁺		
604.40 21	(1) ⁺		
621.50 8	(1) ⁺		
629.50 8	(2) ⁻		
784.00 12	(1) ⁺		
907.90 11			
974.80 10			
1074.20 20			
1145.60 14			
1201.40 10			
1293.51 10			
1304.01 11			
1402.21 22			
1559.91 15			
1804.71 22			
1930.2 3			
2362.12 19	1 ⁺		
2432.61 9	1 ⁺		
2692.72 17	(1 ⁺)		
2709.6 4	(1 ⁺)		
2804.62 15	1 ⁺		
2827.92 24	(1 ⁺)		

[†] As given by authors, from log ft values and γ multipolarities.

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

 ε, β^+ radiations

E(decay)	E(level)	Log ft	$I(\varepsilon + \beta^+)$ [†]
(912 SY)	2827.92	5.4	0.68
(935 SY)	2804.62	4.9	2.5
(1030 SY)	2709.6	5.6	0.63
(1047 SY)	2692.72	5.4	0.93
(1307 SY)	2432.61	4.6	9.2
(1377 SY)	2362.12	5.9	1.1
(1809 SY)	1930.2	6.5	0.28
(1935 SY)	1804.71	6.8	0.17
(2180 SY)	1559.91	6.7	0.28
(2337 SY)	1402.21	8.3	≈ 0.03
(2435 SY)	1304.01	7.4	0.07
(2446 SY)	1293.51	<6.7	>0.41

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E(decay)	E(level)	Log ft	$I(\varepsilon + \beta^+)^{\dagger}$	Comments
(2538 SY)	1201.40	6.9	0.42	
(2594 SY)	1145.60	<7.2	>0.11	
(2665 SY)	1074.20	9.3	≈ 0.02	
(2765 SY)	974.80	8.1	≈ 0.04	
(2832 SY)	907.90	>7.0	<0.36	
(2956 SY)	784.00	7.3	≈ 0.19	
(3110 SY)	629.50	6.9	0.54	
(3118 SY)	621.50	>6.8	<0.6	
(3135 SY)	604.40	7.4	0.15	
(3159 SY)	580.4?	7.8	≈ 0.19	Log ft : a $\Delta J=4$ transition should have a larger log ft value.
(3406 SY)	333.30	>6.3	<1.6	
(3740 SY)	0.0	4.9	80 14	$I(\varepsilon + \beta^+)$: from $I\gamma(1660 \text{ }^{144}\text{Sm})/I\gamma(333 \text{ }^{144}\text{Eu})=154 \text{ } 5$.

 † Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

$\gamma(^{144}\text{Eu})$								Comments
E_{γ}	$I_{\gamma}^{\textcircled{a}}$	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^{π}	E_f	J_f^{π}	Mult. †	$\alpha^{\&}$	
13.8 ^a	<0.1	347.10	(3) ⁺	333.30	(2) ⁺			presence of transition deduced from $I(\gamma + \text{ce})$ balance at 247 level.
203.6 5	<1	784.00	(1) ⁺	580.4?	(4) ⁺			
233.3 4	1.3 3	580.4?	(4) ⁺	347.10	(3) ⁺	M1	0.176	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.149 \text{ } 5$; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.0209 \text{ } 7$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.00451 \text{ } 14$; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.00127 \text{ } 4$
247.1 [‡] 5		580.4?	(4) ⁺	333.30	(2) ⁺	(E2)	0.108	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.0805 \text{ } 25$; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.0214 \text{ } 7$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.00483 \text{ } 15$; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.00131 \text{ } 4$
257.3 3	1.0 5	604.40	(1) ⁺	347.10	(3) ⁺			
271.1 [#] 5	2.7 8	604.40	(1) ⁺	333.30	(2) ⁺	M1+(E2)		
274.4 2	8.3 4	621.50	(1) ⁺	347.10	(3) ⁺			
282.4 2	1.4 3	629.50	(2) ⁻	347.10	(3) ⁺			
288.2 2	2.1 4	621.50	(1) ⁺	333.30	(2) ⁺			
333.3 1	100	333.30	(2) ⁺	0.0	1 ⁺	M1	0.0677	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.0575 \text{ } 18$; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.00801 \text{ } 24$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.00172 \text{ } 6$; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.00048 \text{ } 2$
								$\alpha(\text{K})(\text{exp})=0.058 \text{ } 6$, $\alpha(\text{L})(\text{exp})=0.008 \text{ } 2$.
347.1 1	27.9 6	347.10	(3) ⁺	0.0	1 ⁺	E2	0.0376	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.0296 \text{ } 9$; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.00623 \text{ } 19$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.00138 \text{ } 5$; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.00038 \text{ } 1$
								$\alpha(\text{K})(\text{exp})=0.036 \text{ } 8$.
353.3 [‡] 3		974.80		621.50	(1) ⁺			
361.6 5	<1	1145.60		784.00	(1) ⁺			
385.6 [‡] 4		1293.51		907.90				
450.7 1	3.1 4	784.00	(1) ⁺	333.30	(2) ⁺	M1+E2		
541.2 [#] 3	1.6 4	1145.60		604.40	(1) ⁺			
560.8 1	3.1 4	907.90		347.10	(3) ⁺			
579.9 3	3.6 4	1201.40		621.50	(1) ⁺			
603.3 2	2.8 4	1804.71		1201.40				
621.5 1	16.2 5	621.50	(1) ⁺	0.0	1 ⁺	E2+(M1)		$\alpha(\text{K})(\text{exp})=0.007 \text{ } 3$.
629.5 1	32.4 8	629.50	(2) ⁻	0.0	1 ⁺	E1	0.00274	$\alpha=0.00274$; $\alpha(\text{K})=0.00233 \text{ } 7$; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.00031 \text{ } 1$
								$\alpha(\text{K})(\text{exp})=0.0030 \text{ } 15$.
641.5 1	13.0 7	974.80		333.30	(2) ⁺			
664.0 1	6.0 4	1293.51		629.50	(2) ⁻			
740.9 2	1.8 6	1074.20		333.30	(2) ⁺			
812.3 2	2.9 4	1145.60		333.30	(2) ⁺			

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E_γ	I_γ @	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	E_γ	I_γ @	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π
868.1 1	17.0 6	1201.40		333.30	(2) ⁺	1524.7 2	3.4 10	2432.61	1 ⁺	907.90	
872.7 2	3.1 6	2432.61	1 ⁺	1559.91		1559.9 2	5.6 11	1559.91		0.0	1 ⁺
907.9 [#] 4	6.4 8	907.90		0.0	1 ⁺	1583.1 4	2.8 6	1930.2		347.10	(3) ⁺
956.9 1	7.5 5	1304.01		347.10	(3) ⁺	1717.9 6	2.0 7	2692.72	(1 ⁺)	974.80	
960.2 [‡]		1293.51		333.30	(2) ⁺	1803.1 2	11.8 12	2432.61	1 ⁺	629.50	(2) ⁻
974.8 2	5.5 5	974.80		0.0	1 ⁺	1829.8 4	5.8 10	2804.62	1 ⁺	974.80	
1030.4 [#] 6	0.8 5	2432.61	1 ⁺	1402.21		2015.0 3	2.7 9	2362.12	1 ⁺	347.10	(3) ⁺
1055.1 3	4.1 8	1402.21		347.10	(3) ⁺	2028.8 4	1.3 6	2362.12	1 ⁺	333.30	(2) ⁺
1128.6 2	6.3 5	2432.61	1 ⁺	1304.01		2071.2 2	3.6 6	2692.72	(1 ⁺)	621.50	(1) ⁺
1139.1 3	4.1 5	2432.61	1 ⁺	1293.51		2088.1 5	3.4 9	2709.6	(1 ⁺)	621.50	(1) ⁺
1145.6 4	2.6 6	1145.60		0.0	1 ⁺	2183.1 3	5.5 7	2804.62	1 ⁺	621.50	(1) ⁺
1201.4 2	3.4 7	1201.40		0.0	1 ⁺	2198.4 3	4.7 8	2827.92	(1 ⁺)	629.50	(2) ⁻
1226.6 5	2.2 13	1559.91		333.30	(2) ⁺	2362.1 3	14.2 9	2362.12	1 ⁺	0.0	1 ⁺
1231.2 2	14.0 12	2432.61	1 ⁺	1201.40		2432.6 2	94.8 14	2432.61	1 ⁺	0.0	1 ⁺
1287.0 2	5.1 8	2432.61	1 ⁺	1145.60		2457.5 5	2.4 7	2804.62	1 ⁺	347.10	(3) ⁺
1293.5 2	7.7 7	1293.51		0.0	1 ⁺	2471.3 3	21.0 8	2804.62	1 ⁺	333.30	(2) ⁺
1300.7 4	2.0 7	1930.2		629.50	(2) ⁻	2494.6 4	4.0 8	2827.92	(1 ⁺)	333.30	(2) ⁺
1358.4 5	1.6 7	2432.61	1 ⁺	1074.20		2692.7 3	10.2 9	2692.72	(1 ⁺)	0.0	1 ⁺
1402.4 3	3.1 6	2804.62	1 ⁺	1402.21		2709.6 6	7.2 11	2709.6	(1 ⁺)	0.0	1 ⁺
1457.8 4	10.0 14	2432.61	1 ⁺	974.80		2804.6 9	1.6 8	2804.62	1 ⁺	0.0	1 ⁺
1511.1 3	2.9 8	2804.62	1 ⁺	1293.51		2827.9 8	2.9 6	2827.92	(1 ⁺)	0.0	1 ⁺

[†] From ce measurements.[‡] weak transition, seen only in coincidence spectra.[#] I_γ corrected for contribution from known contaminant.

@ For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.05935.

& 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.^a Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

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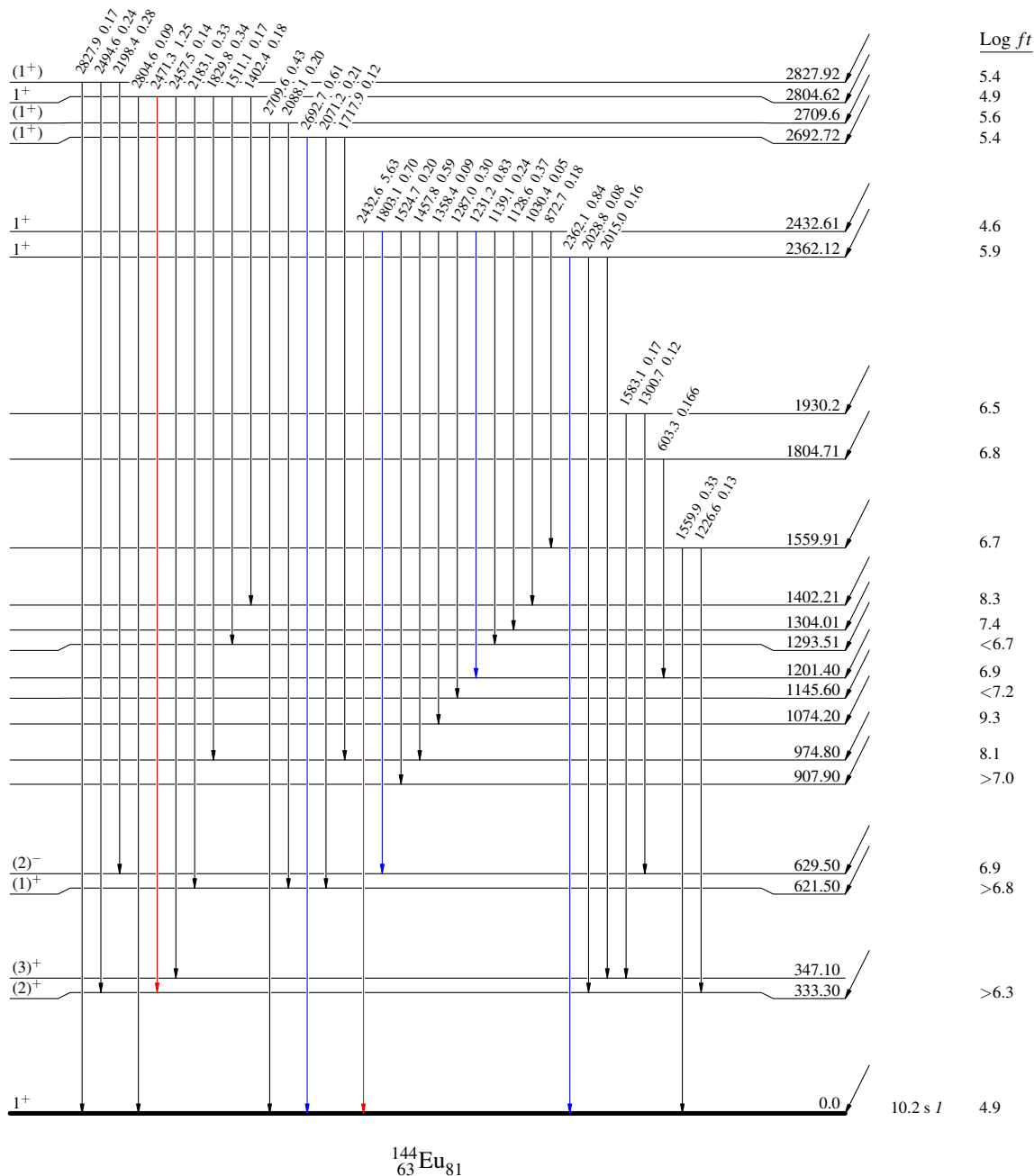
Decay Scheme

Legend

Intensities: I_γ per 100 parent decays

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

$0^+ \quad 0.0 \quad 4.47 \text{ min } 6$
 $Q_\varepsilon = 3740.5 \text{ Y}$
 $^{144}_{64}\text{Gd}_{80}$
 $\% \varepsilon + \% \beta^+ = 100$



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Decay Scheme (continued)

Intensities: I_γ per 100 parent decays

Legend

- $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$
- $I_\gamma < 10\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$
- $I_\gamma > 10\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$
- - - γ Decay (Uncertain)

