

²⁵²Cf SF decay [2014Li46](#)

Type	Author	History	Citation	Literature Cutoff Date
Full Evaluation	N. Nica and B. Singh		NDS 181, 1 (2022)	9-Mar-2022

Parent: ²⁵²Cf: E=0.0; J^π=0⁺; T_{1/2}=2.645 y 8; %SF decay=3.092 8

²⁵²Cf-E, J^π, T_{1/2}: from [2005Ni22](#) (Adopted Levels).

Data set based on XUNDL files for [2014Li46](#) compiled by B. Singh, and [1999Sa58](#) compiled by J. Chenkin and B. Singh (McMaster).

[2014Li46](#): measured E_γ, I_γ, γγ coin (3- and 4-fold) using the Gammasphere array of 101 Compton-suppressed Ge detectors at LBNL. Deduced levels,

[1999Sa58](#): measured E_γ, γγγ using the Gammasphere array of 72 Compton suppressed Ge detectors. No I_γ's and ΔE_γ's are reported.

Other: [1995Bu38](#) J, π, bands, octupole correlations. Comparison with reflection asymmetric shell model calculations for the octupole band structure.

¹⁴⁷Ce Levels

E(level) [†]	J ^π	Comments
0.0	(5/2 ⁻)	
118.0	(7/2 ⁻)	
274.3 ^{&}		
401.5 [‡]	(9/2 ⁺)	
484.5 [‡]	(13/2 ⁺)	
509.2 ^a		
634.9 ^{&}		
735.9 [‡]	(17/2 ⁺)	
862.0 ^a		
1127.4 [‡]	(21/2 ⁺)	
1156.7 ^{&}		
1369.1 [#]	(19/2 ⁻)	
1628.2 [‡]	(25/2 ⁺)	
1713.9 [#]	(23/2 ⁻)	
1771.1 ^{&}		
1870.2 [@]	(21/2)	
2154.2 [@]	(25/2)	
2194.6 [#]	(27/2 ⁻)	
2216.5 [‡]	(29/2 ⁺)	
2614.4 [@]	(29/2)	
2703.1 [#]	(31/2 ⁻)	B(E1; 486.6γ)/B(E2; 508.5γ)=0.72×10 ⁻⁴ b ⁻¹ 8 (2014Li46).
2876.1 [‡]	(33/2 ⁺)	
3264.0 [#]	(35/2 ⁻)	B(E1; 387.9γ)/B(E2; 560.9γ)=0.95×10 ⁻⁴ b ⁻¹ 12 (2014Li46).
3472 [‡]	(37/2 ⁺)	
3852 [#]	(39/2 ⁻)	
3956 [‡]	(41/2 ⁺)	
4552 [‡]	(45/2 ⁺)	

[†] From least-squares fit to E_γ's. As no uncertainties are available for the E_γ input, the E(level) values are calculated with the assumption that the uncertainties are the same (of 0.5 keV) for all the E_γ's.

[‡] Band(A): Band based on (9/2⁺). This band and the negative-parity band based on (19/2⁻) are interpreted by [2014Li46](#) as an

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¹⁴⁷Ce Levels (continued)

octupole structure with simplex quantum number s=+i. The two bands are connected by E1 transitions. Theoretical calculations by **2014Li46** show that the s=+i octupole band structure originates from the i_{13/2} 1/2[660] neutron orbital with K=1/2.

Band(B): Band based on (19/2⁻). This band and the positive-parity band based on (9/2⁺) are interpreted as an octupole structure with simplex quantum number s=+i. The two bands are connected by E1 transitions. See also comment for band based on (9/2⁺).

@ Band(C): Band based on (21/2).

& Band(b): Cascade 4.

^a Band(c): Cascade 5.

$\gamma(^{147}\text{Ce})$								
E_γ^\dagger	I_γ	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. [‡]	δ^\ddagger	$\alpha^@$
83.0	17.0 7	484.5	(13/2 ⁺)	401.5	(9/2 ⁺)	(E2)		4.02 11
118.0	63.5 12	118.0	(7/2 ⁻)	0.0	(5/2 ⁻)	M1+E2	1.1	0.96 2
156.2#		274.3		118.0	(7/2 ⁻)			
234.9#		509.2		274.3				
241.7	1.3 1	1369.1	(19/2 ⁻)	1127.4	(21/2 ⁺)			
251.4	77.2 14	735.9	(17/2 ⁺)	484.5	(13/2 ⁺)	(E2)		0.086
274.3#		274.3		0.0	(5/2 ⁻)			
283.5	100	401.5	(9/2 ⁺)	118.0	(7/2 ⁻)	E1		0.0144
284.0	≈1	2154.2	(25/2)	1870.2	(21/2)			
344.8	1.4 1	1713.9	(23/2 ⁻)	1369.1	(19/2 ⁻)	[E2]		0.0316
352.8#		862.0		509.2				
360.6#		634.9		274.3				
380.0	<0.5	3852	(39/2 ⁻)	3472	(37/2 ⁺)			
387.9	1.3 1	3264.0	(35/2 ⁻)	2876.1	(33/2 ⁺)	[E1]		
391.5	53.0 10	1127.4	(21/2 ⁺)	735.9	(17/2 ⁺)	(E2)		0.0216
419.8	1.1 1	2614.4	(29/2)	2194.6	(27/2 ⁻)			
440.3	0.8 1	2154.2	(25/2)	1713.9	(23/2 ⁻)			
460.2	0.7 1	2614.4	(29/2)	2154.2	(25/2)			
480.7&	<0.5	2194.6	(27/2 ⁻)	1713.9	(23/2 ⁻)			
483.5	1.2 1	3956	(41/2 ⁺)	3472	(37/2 ⁺)			
486.6	3.5 2	2703.1	(31/2 ⁻)	2216.5	(29/2 ⁺)	[E1]		
500.8	32.3 8	1628.2	(25/2 ⁺)	1127.4	(21/2 ⁺)	[E2]		0.0107
501.1	1.8 1	1870.2	(21/2)	1369.1	(19/2 ⁻)			
508.5	1.1 1	2703.1	(31/2 ⁻)	2194.6	(27/2 ⁻)	[E2]		
521.8#		1156.7		634.9				
560.9	1.0 1	3264.0	(35/2 ⁻)	2703.1	(31/2 ⁻)	[E2]		
566.4	4.8 3	2194.6	(27/2 ⁻)	1628.2	(25/2 ⁺)			
586.5&	<0.5	1713.9	(23/2 ⁻)	1127.4	(21/2 ⁺)			
588.2	<0.5	3852	(39/2 ⁻)	3264.0	(35/2 ⁻)			
588.3	14.2 4	2216.5	(29/2 ⁺)	1628.2	(25/2 ⁺)			
595.8	<0.5	4552	(45/2 ⁺)	3956	(41/2 ⁺)			
596.1	2.5 2	3472	(37/2 ⁺)	2876.1	(33/2 ⁺)			
614.4#		1771.1		1156.7				
633.2	4.5 3	1369.1	(19/2 ⁻)	735.9	(17/2 ⁺)			
659.6	5.1 3	2876.1	(33/2 ⁺)	2216.5	(29/2 ⁺)			
742.8	3.7 2	1870.2	(21/2)	1127.4	(21/2 ⁺)			

† From 2014Li4 unless mentioned otherwise (many of the γ decays also observed by **1999Sa58**).

‡ From Adopted dataset for ¹⁴⁷Ce, unless when these are assumed and listed in square brackets.

From **1999Sa58** only.

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$\gamma(^{147}\text{Ce})$ (continued)

@ 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.

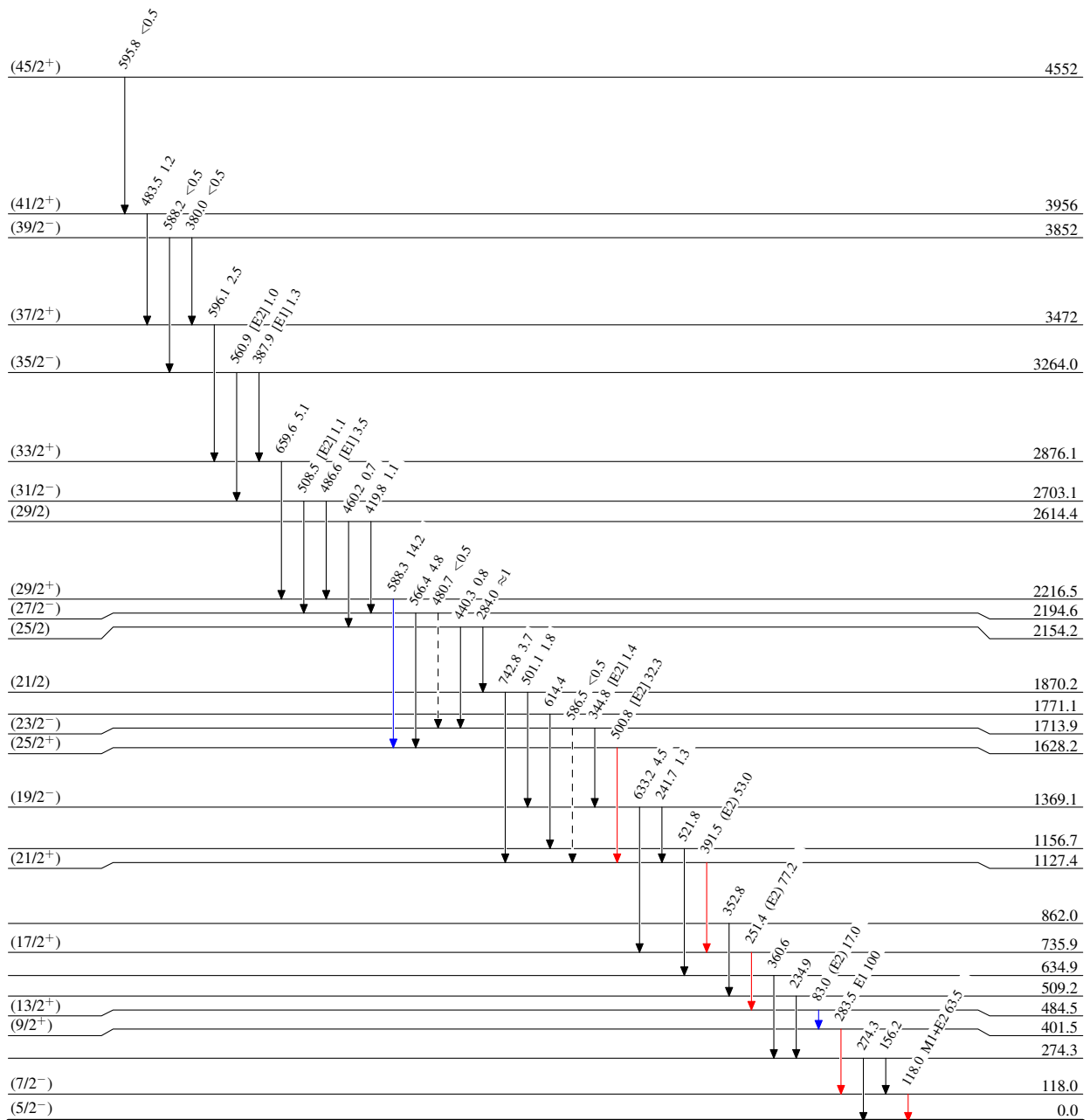
& Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

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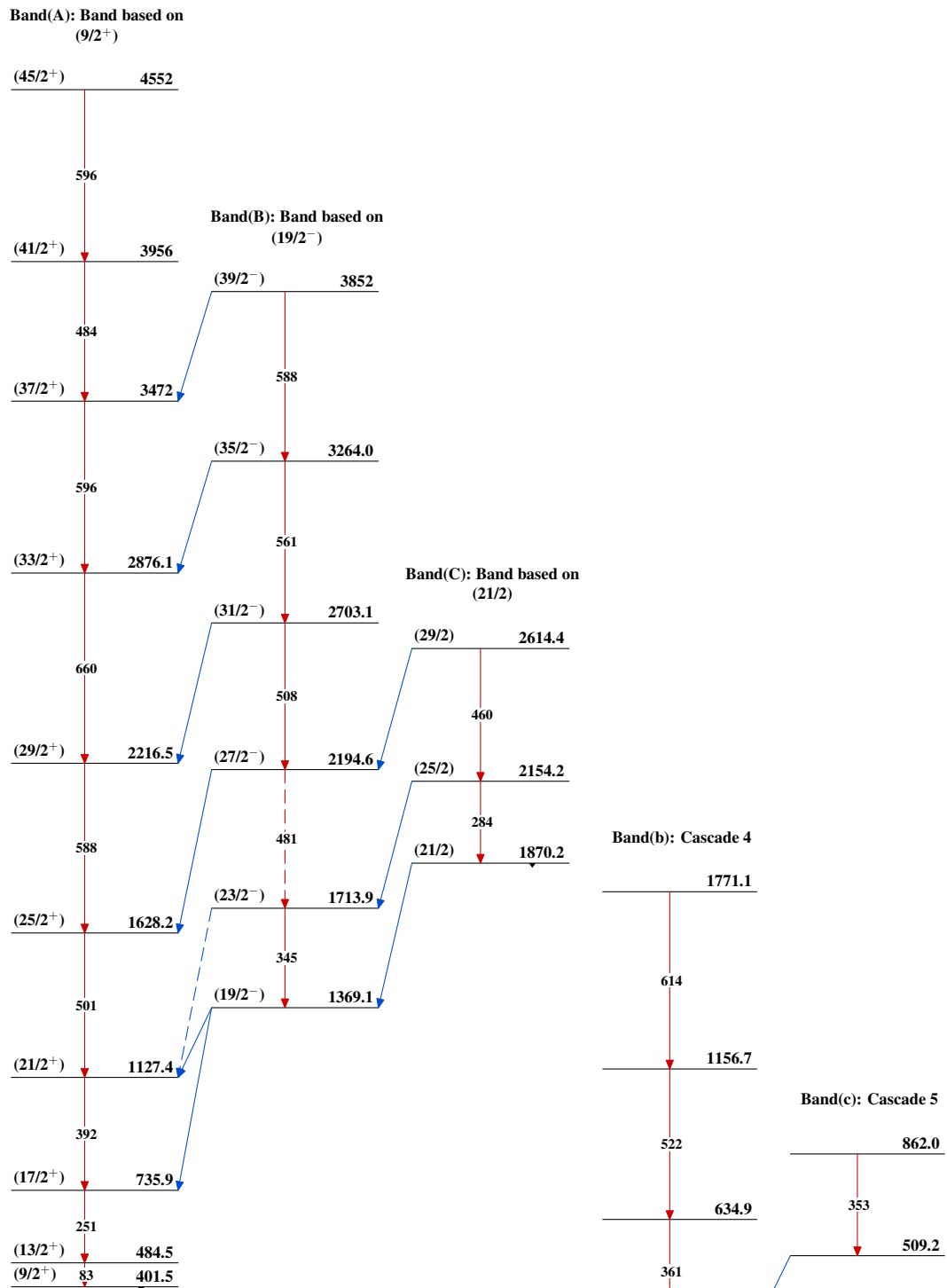
Legend

Level Scheme
Intensities: Relative I_γ

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



$^{147}_{58}\text{Ce}_{89}$

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