

**Adopted Levels, Gammas**

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$Q(\beta^-)=-9800$  SY;  $S(n)=10334$  30;  $S(p)=3040$  90;  $Q(\alpha)=2076$  29    [2021Wa16](#)

$\Delta Q(\beta^-)=200$  (syst,[2021Wa16](#)).

$Q(\varepsilon)=7900$  30,  $Q(\varepsilon p)=6829$  29,  $S(2n)=23280$  50,  $S(2p)=4124$  29 ([2021Wa16](#)).

$^{149}\text{Er}$  produced and identified by [1982No07](#), [1984To07](#), [1987Br14](#) and [1989Fi01](#).

From gross theory of  $\beta$  decay ([1973Ta30](#)), for  $^{153}\text{Yb}$   $\%e+\%\beta^+ \approx 50$ ,  $\%\alpha$  is expected to be  $\approx 50$ . But no  $\alpha$  decay of 4.2-s  $^{153}\text{Yb}$  has been reported ([1978AfZZ](#),[1989Ko02](#)). Theoretical partial  $T_{1/2}(^{153}\text{Yb} \alpha \text{ decay})=10\times 10^{7.5}$  s ([2019Mo01](#)) predicts negligible  $\%\alpha$ .

Theoretical studies: consult the NSR database at [www.nndc.bnl.gov/nsr/](http://www.nndc.bnl.gov/nsr/) for three references for structure and one for radioactive decay listed under ‘document records’ which can be accessed through web retrieval of the ENSDF database at [www.nndc.bnl.gov/ensdf/](http://www.nndc.bnl.gov/ensdf/).

[Additional information 1.](#)

 **$^{149}\text{Er}$  Levels****Cross Reference (XREF) Flags**

A	$^{149}\text{Tm} \varepsilon$ decay (0.9 s)
B	$^{149}\text{Er}$ IT decay (9.6 s)
C	$^{92}\text{Mo}(^{60}\text{Ni},2\text{pny})$

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	$J^\pi$ <sup>‡</sup>	$T_{1/2}$ <sup>&amp;</sup>	XREF	Comments
0.0	(1/2 <sup>+</sup> )	4 s 2	ABC	$\%e+\%\beta^+=100$ ; $\%\varepsilon p=7$ 2 ( <a href="#">1989Fi01</a> ) $J^\pi$ : probable $s_{1/2}$ neutron state and systematics. $T_{1/2}$ : from <a href="#">1989Fi01</a> , $\gamma$ -decay curves.
111.19 10	(3/2 <sup>+</sup> )		ABC	$J^\pi$ : 111.2 $\gamma$ M1 to (1/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and 630.5 $\gamma$ M4 from (11/2 <sup>-</sup> ); probable $d_{3/2}$ neutron state.
741.69 23	(11/2 <sup>-</sup> )	9.6 s 6	ABC	$\%e+\%\beta^+=96.5$ 7; $\%IT=3.5$ 7; $\%\varepsilon p=0.18$ 7 ( <a href="#">1989Fi01</a> ) $T_{1/2}$ : unweighted average of 8.9 s 2 from <a href="#">1989Fi01</a> in IT decay, 10.8 s 6 ( <a href="#">1984ScZT</a> ) and 9 s 1 ( <a href="#">1984To07</a> ) from $^{149m}\text{Er} \varepsilon$ decay.
907.37 18	(5/2 <sup>+</sup> )		A	$J^\pi$ : probable $h_{11/2}$ neutron state and systematics.
1066.17 21	(7/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A	$J^\pi$ : probable $d_{5/2}$ neutron state.
1482.9 4	(9/2 <sup>-</sup> ,11/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A	$J^\pi$ : probable $f_{7/2}$ neutron state.
2311.5 3	(15/2 <sup>-</sup> ) <sup>@</sup>		C	$J^\pi$ : probable $\varepsilon$ feeding from (11/2 <sup>-</sup> ); 416.7 $\gamma$ to (7/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
2478.8 3	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> ) <sup>#</sup>		C	
2542.1 3	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> ) <sup>#</sup>		C	
2611.0 3	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> ) <sup>#</sup>	0.61 $\mu$ s 8	C	
2611.1+x	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> ) <sup>#</sup>		C	<a href="#">Additional information 2.</a> E(level): x<60 ( <a href="#">1987Br14</a> ).
2683.7+x?			C	
2864.10+x? 15			C	
3187.80+x 10	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> ) <sup>@</sup>		C	
3242.9+x 4	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> ) <sup>@</sup>	4.8 $\mu$ s 2	C	

<sup>†</sup> From a least-squares fit to  $\gamma$ -ray energies.

<sup>‡</sup> Low spins ( $\leq 11/2$ ) are from [1987To12](#) in  $^{149}\text{Tm} \varepsilon$  decay and high spins ( $\geq 11/2$ ) are from probable shell model configurations

**Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)****<sup>149</sup>Er Levels (continued)**

and analogy to <sup>147</sup>Dy ([1987Br14](#)) in (<sup>60</sup>Ni,2pny).

# Member of configuration= $\pi h_{11/2}^4 \otimes v s_{1/2}^{-1}$  and configuration= $\pi h_{11/2}^4 \otimes v d_{3/2}^{-1}$  ([1987Br14](#)).

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& From  $\gamma\gamma(t)$  in (<sup>60</sup>Ni,2pny) ([1987Br14](#)), unless otherwise noted.

 **$\gamma(^{149}\text{Er})$** 

E <sub>i</sub> (level)	J <sub>i</sub> <sup>π</sup>	E <sub>γ</sub> <sup>†</sup>	I <sub>γ</sub> <sup>†</sup>	E <sub>f</sub>	J <sub>f</sub> <sup>π</sup>	Mult. <sup>#</sup>	a <sup>&amp;</sup>	Comments
111.19	(3/2 <sup>+</sup> )	111.2 1	100	0.0	(1/2 <sup>+</sup> )	M1 @	2.100 30	E <sub>γ</sub> : weighted average of 111.3 I ( <a href="#">1987To02</a> ) from <sup>149</sup> Tm $\varepsilon$ decay, 111.0 I ( <a href="#">1985To11</a> ) and 111.3 3 ( <a href="#">1989Fi01</a> ) from IT decay.
741.69	(11/2 <sup>-</sup> )	630.5 2	100	111.19	(3/2 <sup>+</sup> )	M4 @	0.320 4	B(M4)(W.u.)=1.67 +37-35 E <sub>γ</sub> : from IT decay.
907.37	(5/2 <sup>+</sup> )	796.2 <sup>‡</sup> 2	$\approx$ 100 <sup>‡</sup>	111.19	(3/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
		907.3 <sup>‡</sup> 3	$\approx$ 48 <sup>‡</sup>	0.0	(1/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
1066.17	(7/2 <sup>-</sup> )	158.8 <sup>‡</sup> 1	100	907.37	(5/2 <sup>+</sup> )	[E1]	0.0953 13	
1482.9	(9/2 <sup>-</sup> ,11/2 <sup>-</sup> )	416.7 <sup>‡</sup> 3	100	1066.17	(7/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
2311.5	(15/2 <sup>-</sup> )	1569.8 2	100	741.69	(11/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
2478.8	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> )	167.3 1	100 3	2311.5	(15/2 <sup>-</sup> )	E1	0.0830 12	
		1737.0 3	6 1	741.69	(11/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
2542.1	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> )	63.3 2	41 2	2478.8	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> )	M1	10.62 18	
		230.6 1	100 3	2311.5	(15/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
2611.0	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> )	68.9 1	57 3	2542.1	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> )	E2	12.77 19	B(E2)(W.u.)=0.73 +11-9
		132.3 1	100 5	2478.8	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> )	E2	1.051 15	B(E2)(W.u.)=0.049 +8-6
2683.7+x?		72.4 <sup>a</sup> 4	100	2611.1+x	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
2864.10+x?		179.9 <sup>a</sup> 2	100 6	2683.7+x?				
		253.0 <sup>a</sup> 3	45 6	2611.1+x	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
3187.80+x	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )	323.7 1	11.1 5	2864.10+x?				
		576.7 1	100 3	2611.1+x	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
3242.9+x	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )	55.1 3	100	3187.80+x	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )	E2	31.5 10	B(E2)(W.u.)=0.152 9

<sup>†</sup> From (<sup>60</sup>Ni,2pny), unless otherwise noted.

<sup>‡</sup> From <sup>149</sup>Tm  $\varepsilon$  decay.

# From ce data in (<sup>60</sup>Ni,2pny), unless otherwise noted.

@ From ce data in IT decay.

& Total theoretical internal conversion coefficients, calculated using the BrIcc code ([2008Ki07](#)) with Frozen orbital approximation based on  $\gamma$ -ray energies, assigned multipolarities, and mixing ratios, unless otherwise specified.

<sup>a</sup> Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

**Adopted Levels, Gammas**

Legend

**Level Scheme**

Intensities: Relative photon branching from each level

- - - - -  $\gamma$  Decay (Uncertain)