

^{153}Ho α decay (2.01 min) 1974Sc19

Type	Author	History	Citation	Literature Cutoff Date
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Parent: ^{153}Ho : E=0.0; $J^\pi=11/2^-$; $T_{1/2}=2.01$ min 3; $Q(\alpha)=4052$ 4; $\% \alpha$ decay=0.051 25

^{153}Ho - $J^\pi, T_{1/2}$: From ^{153}Ho Adopted Levels in the ENSDF database (August 2020 update).

^{153}Ho - $T_{1/2}$: [Additional information 1](#).

^{153}Ho - $Q(\alpha)$: From [2021Wa16](#).

^{153}Ho - $\% \alpha$ decay: Deduced from the $K\alpha_1$ X-ray and γ -ray intensities ([1974Sc19](#)).

[1974Sc19](#): source produced in $^{147}\text{Sm}(^{10}\text{B}, 4n)$ reaction with E=53 MeV beam from the Oak Ridge isochronous cyclotron (ORIC).

Measured $E\alpha$, $I\alpha$, $I(K\alpha \text{ x-ray})$, $E\gamma$, $I\gamma$. Deduced α decay branching ratio.

Other measurements: [1971To01](#), [1978AfZZ](#), [1988To13](#).

See also ^{153}Ho α decay (9.3 min).

[1964Ma10](#) have tentatively assigned a 27-min α activity to ^{153}Ho as a precursor of an observed 5-d activity assumed to be ^{145}Eu .

This assignment has not been adopted by the evaluators.

 ^{149}Tb Levels

E(level)	J^π	$T_{1/2}$	Comments
35.75 8	$11/2^-$	4.17 min 5	$\% \epsilon + \% \beta^+ = 99.978$ 4; $\% \alpha = 0.022$ 4 Energy, J^π , $T_{1/2}$ and decay modes from the Adopted Levels.

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$E\alpha$	E(level)	$I\alpha^\ddagger$	$\text{HF}^\dagger$	Comments
3909 5	35.75	100	0.5 3	$E\alpha$: weighted average of 3910 5 (1974Sc19) and 3905 10 (1978AfZZ). Other: 1988To13 .

† The nuclear radius parameter $r_0(^{149}\text{Tb})=1.565$ 11 is deduced from interpolation (or unweighted average) of radius parameters of the adjacent even-even nuclides in [2020Si16](#).

‡ For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.00051 25.