

$^{150}\text{Nd}(\alpha,4n\gamma)$  E=45 MeV    **1977Su05,1976SuZY,1986UrZY**

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See also: [1987Ur01](#), [1987UrZY](#).See similar data obtained by means of the  $^{148}\text{Nd}(\alpha,2n)$  reaction by [1975Th07](#).

**1977Su05:** singles  $\gamma$ -ray spectra were taken with a 110-cm<sup>3</sup> Ge(Li) detector (2.2-keV resolution at 1332 keV) placed at a distance of 20 cm from the target.  $\gamma(\theta)$  were measured by taking data at six angles between 90° and 155°. x-ray spectra were taken with an intrinsic germanium detector with 500 eV resolution at 122 keV. Internal conversion electron spectra were measured with a mini-orange electron spectrometer. Results are discussed in terms of IBA theory.

 $^{150}\text{Sm}$  Levels

E(level)	J <sup>π</sup> #	E(level)	J <sup>π</sup> #	E(level)	J <sup>π</sup> #	E(level)	J <sup>π</sup> #
0.0 <sup>†</sup>	0 <sup>+</sup>	2589.1 <sup>&amp;</sup> 8	(8 <sup>-</sup> )	3941.0 <sup>&amp;</sup> 12	(14 <sup>-</sup> )	5346.5 <sup>‡</sup> 11	19 <sup>-</sup>
333.9 <sup>†</sup> 3	2 <sup>+</sup>	2744.4 <sup>‡</sup> 6	11 <sup>-</sup>	4025.5 <sup>&amp;</sup> 9	(14)	5581.4 <sup>&amp;</sup> 14	(19)
773.5 <sup>†</sup> 4	4 <sup>+</sup>	2929.1 6	(10 <sup>-</sup> )	4306.0 <sup>†</sup> 7	16 <sup>+</sup>	5592.9 <sup>†&amp;</sup> 14	(20 <sup>+</sup> )
1071.5 <sup>‡</sup> 4	3 <sup>-</sup>	2996.0 <sup>&amp;</sup> 8	11 <sup>(-)</sup>	4386.5 <sup>&amp;</sup> 8	16 <sup>(+)</sup>	5739.8 <sup>?&amp;</sup> 16	
1279.0 <sup>†</sup> 5	6 <sup>+</sup>	3048.5 <sup>†</sup> 6	12 <sup>+</sup>	4576.0 <sup>&amp;</sup> 13	(16 <sup>-</sup> )	6021.5 <sup>?&amp;</sup> 19	(20 <sup>-</sup> )
1358.0 <sup>‡</sup> 5	5 <sup>-</sup>	3293.6 <sup>‡</sup> 6	13 <sup>-</sup>	4605.9 <sup>‡</sup> 10	17 <sup>-</sup>	6065.4 <sup>&amp;</sup> 17	
1449.1 <sup>@</sup> 5	4 <sup>+</sup>	3384.0 7	(12 <sup>-</sup> )	4612.3 <sup>&amp;</sup> 14	(16)	6107.9 <sup>?&amp;</sup> 15	(21)
1764.9 <sup>‡</sup> 6	7 <sup>-</sup>	3522.9 <sup>&amp;</sup> 10	(12)	4929.3 <sup>†&amp;</sup> 9	18 <sup>+</sup>	6421.5 <sup>&amp;</sup> 20	
1837.1 <sup>†</sup> 6	8 <sup>+</sup>	3676.0 <sup>†</sup> 7	(14) <sup>+</sup>	5045.8 <sup>†&amp;</sup> 13	(18)		
2232.4 <sup>‡</sup> 6	9 <sup>-</sup>	3835.4 <sup>&amp;</sup> 8	14 <sup>(+)</sup>	5251.3 <sup>?&amp;</sup> 17			
2433.3 <sup>†</sup> 6	10 <sup>+</sup>	3914.4 <sup>‡</sup> 7	15 <sup>-</sup>	5276.5 <sup>&amp;</sup> 16	(18 <sup>-</sup> )		

<sup>†</sup> Band(A): g.s. band.<sup>‡</sup> Band(B): Negative parity band.

# Unambiguous  $J^\pi$  assignments were made possible in the g.s. band up to  $J^\pi=12^+$ , and the negative parity band up to  $J^\pi=11^-$ , by the presence of closed loops of interband E1 and intraband E2 transitions.  $J^\pi$  below 1500 keV are from Adopted Levels, except as noted.

@ This level was placed in the decay scheme by [1977Su05](#) on basis of earlier work.& From [1986UrZY](#). $\gamma(^{150}\text{Sm})$ 

Electron and  $\gamma$ -ray intensities were normalized through use of the theoretical values of the internal conversion coefficients for the pure E2 2<sup>+</sup> to 0<sup>+</sup> and 4<sup>+</sup> to 2<sup>+</sup> transitions.

Incomplete coincidence data given by authors.

$\Delta I_\gamma$ : [1986UrZY](#) do not report uncertainties. [1977Su05](#) have reported  $I_\gamma$  and  $\Delta I_\gamma$  for about half the known  $\gamma$  rays. The two papers are consistent with each other, the average difference between two values reported for a given  $\gamma$  ray being  $\pm 2$  units.

E <sub>γ</sub>	I <sub>γ</sub> <sup>†</sup>	E <sub>i</sub> (level)	J <sup>π</sup> <sub>i</sub>	E <sub>f</sub>	J <sup>π</sup> <sub>f</sub>	Mult.#	δ#	Comments
190.1 <sup>@</sup>	0.5	4025.5	(14)	3835.4	14 <sup>(+)</sup>			
200.6 3	3.3	2433.3	10 <sup>+</sup>	2232.4	9 <sup>-</sup>	D(+E2) <sup>a</sup>	+0.05 20	
238.3 <sup>@</sup> 3	1.1	3914.4	15 <sup>-</sup>	3676.0	(14) <sup>+</sup>	D <sup>a</sup>		
244.7 3	4.2	3293.6	13 <sup>-</sup>	3048.5	12 <sup>+</sup>	D <sup>a</sup>		I <sub>γ</sub> : intensity obtained from coincidence data.
251.6 <sup>@</sup>	1.1	2996.0	11 <sup>(-)</sup>	2744.4	11 <sup>-</sup>			

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$E_\gamma$	$I_\gamma^\dagger$	$E_i$ (level)	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Mult. <sup>#</sup>	$\delta^{\#}$	Comments
303.9 3	2.2	3048.5	12 <sup>+</sup>	2744.4	11 <sup>-</sup>	D <sup>a</sup>		
311.3 3	17	2744.4	11 <sup>-</sup>	2433.3	10 <sup>+</sup>	D(+E2) <sup>a</sup>	$\geq -0.1$	
323.4 @	0.7	4929.3	18 <sup>+</sup>	4605.9	17 <sup>-</sup>	D <sup>a</sup>		
333.9 3	100	333.9	2 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>	E2		$\alpha(K)\text{exp}=0.032$ $\alpha(K)\text{exp}$ : Experimental value was normalized to theory. Mult.: this transition was taken to be pure E2 in order to normalize electron and $\gamma$ -ray intensities.
335.9 @b	0.5	3384.0	(12 <sup>-</sup> )	3048.5	12 <sup>+</sup>			
340.2 @	2.4	2929.1	(10 <sup>-</sup> )	2589.1	(8 <sup>-</sup> )			
356.1 @	1.1	6421.5		6065.4				
382.4 @	0.7	3676.0	(14) <sup>+</sup>	3293.6	13 <sup>-</sup>	D <sup>a</sup>		
395.1 3	24	2232.4	9 <sup>-</sup>	1837.1	8 <sup>+</sup>	E1(+M2)	+0.03 5	$\alpha(K)\text{exp}=0.0078$ I0
407.4 @	0.3	1764.9	7 <sup>-</sup>	1358.0	5 <sup>-</sup>	E2&		
439.6 3	96	773.5	4 <sup>+</sup>	333.9	2 <sup>+</sup>	E2		$\alpha(K)\text{exp}=0.0148$ $\alpha(K)\text{exp}$ : Experimental value was normalized to theory. Mult.: this transition was taken to be pure E2 in order to normalize electron and $\gamma$ -ray intensities.
454.8 3	4.3	3384.0	(12 <sup>-</sup> )	2929.1	(10 <sup>-</sup> )			
467.5 3	4.3	2232.4	9 <sup>-</sup>	1764.9	7 <sup>-</sup>	E2		$\alpha(K)\text{exp}=0.014$ 4
472.2 @	1.5	4386.5	16 <sup>(+)</sup>	3914.4	15 <sup>-</sup>	D <sup>a</sup>		
484.0 @	1.3	6065.4		5581.4	(19)			
485.8 3	10	1764.9	7 <sup>-</sup>	1279.0	6 <sup>+</sup>	E1(+M2)	+0.05 +50-7	$\alpha(K)\text{exp}=0.0055$ 25
495.8 3	3.1	2929.1	(10 <sup>-</sup> )	2433.3	10 <sup>+</sup>	E1		$\alpha(K)\text{exp}<0.005$
502.5 @	1.8	4025.5	(14)	3522.9	(12)			
505.5 3	91	1279.0	6 <sup>+</sup>	773.5	4 <sup>+</sup>	E2		$\alpha(K)\text{exp}=0.0097$ I0
512.1 3	22	2744.4	11 <sup>-</sup>	2232.4	9 <sup>-</sup>	E2		$\alpha(K)\text{exp}=0.0075$ 20
541.8 @	2.0	3835.4	14 <sup>(+)</sup>	3293.6	13 <sup>-</sup>	D <sup>a</sup>		
542.7 b	0.3	4929.3	18 <sup>+</sup>	4386.5	16 <sup>(+)</sup>			
549.5 3	18	3293.6	13 <sup>-</sup>	2744.4	11 <sup>-</sup>	E2		$\alpha(K)\text{exp}=0.011$ 3
551.2 @	1.0	4386.5	16 <sup>(+)</sup>	3835.4	14 <sup>(+)</sup>			
557.0 @	2.5	3941.0	(14 <sup>-</sup> )	3384.0	(12 <sup>-</sup> )			
558.1 3	79	1837.1	8 <sup>+</sup>	1279.0	6 <sup>+</sup>	E2		$\alpha(K)\text{exp}=0.0077$ I2 I <sub>y</sub> : from 1977Su05.
562.8 @	6.0	2996.0	11 <sup>(-)</sup>	2433.3	10 <sup>+</sup>			
584.5 3	3.5	1358.0	5 <sup>-</sup>	773.5	4 <sup>+</sup>	E1(+M2)	0.0 +3-I	$\alpha(K)\text{exp}<0.003$
586.8 @	1.3	4612.3	(16)	4025.5	(14)			
596.3 3	43	2433.3	10 <sup>+</sup>	1837.1	8 <sup>+</sup>	E2		$\alpha(K)\text{exp}=0.0074$ I2
615.1 3	20	3048.5	12 <sup>+</sup>	2433.3	10 <sup>+</sup>	E2		$\alpha(K)\text{exp}=0.0061$ I0
620.8 3	10	3914.4	15 <sup>-</sup>	3293.6	13 <sup>-</sup>	E2		$\alpha(K)\text{exp}=0.0055$ I2
623.3 @	3.5	4929.3	18 <sup>+</sup>	4306.0	16 <sup>+</sup>	E2&		
627.5 3	11	3676.0	(14) <sup>+</sup>	3048.5	12 <sup>+</sup>	E2		$\alpha(K)\text{exp}=0.0049$ I5
630.0 3	8.1	4306.0	16 <sup>+</sup>	3676.0	(14) <sup>+</sup>	E2		$\alpha(K)\text{exp}=0.0056$ 20
635.0 3	1.6	4576.0	(16 <sup>-</sup> )	3941.0	(14 <sup>-</sup> )			$E_\gamma$ : from 1977Su05.
639 @	0.6	5251.3?		4612.3	(16)			
652.1 @	1.4	5581.4	(19)	4929.3	18 <sup>+</sup>			
659.3 @	0.5	5045.8	(18)	4386.5	16 <sup>(+)</sup>			
663.6 @	2.2	5592.9	(20 <sup>+</sup> )	4929.3	18 <sup>+</sup>	E2&		

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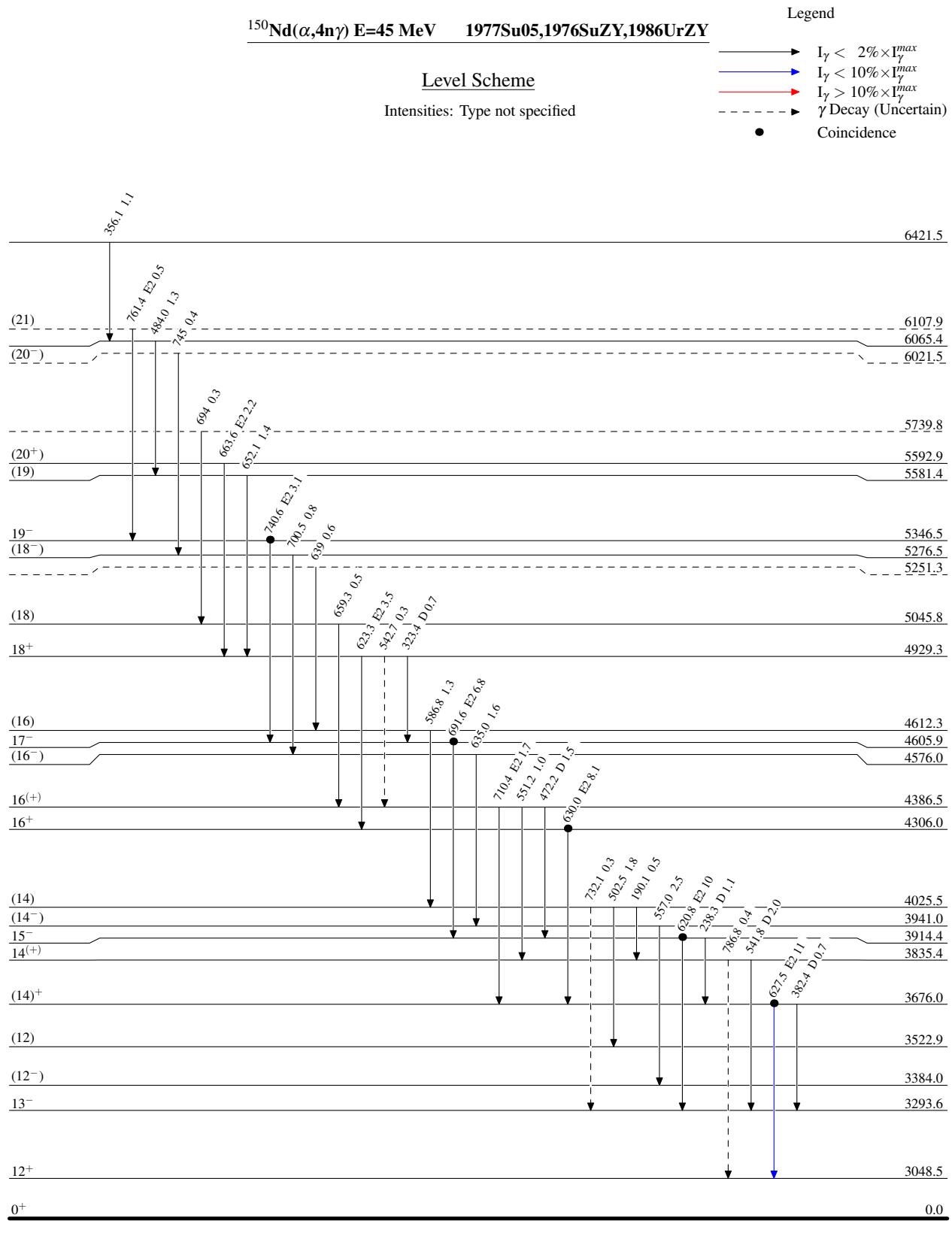
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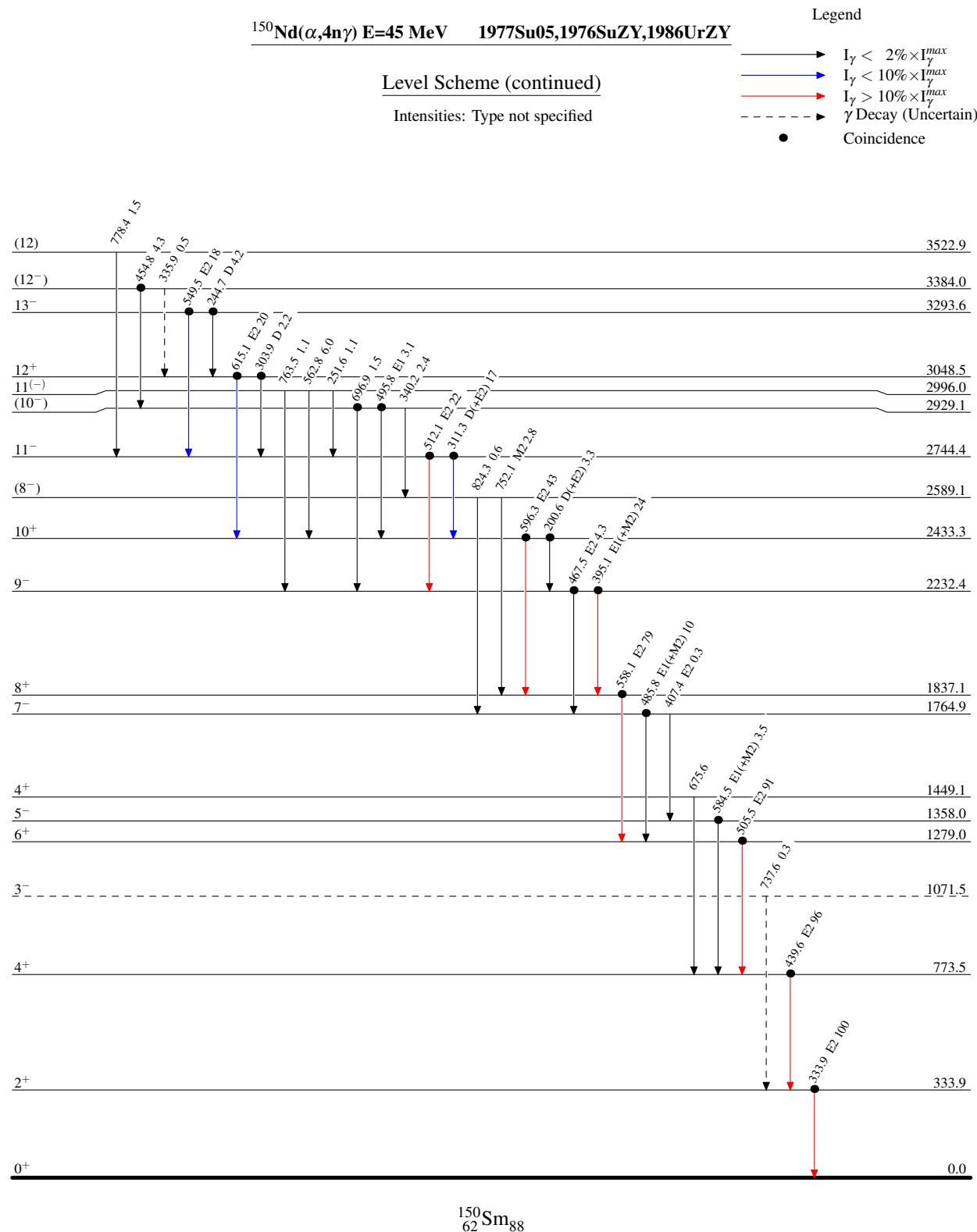
$E_\gamma$	$I_\gamma^\dagger$	$E_i(\text{level})$	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Mult. <sup>#</sup>	Comments
675.6 3		1449.1	$4^+$	773.5	$4^+$		
691.6 @	6.8	4605.9	$17^-$	3914.4	$15^-$	E2	$\alpha(K)\exp=0.0035$ 10 $I_\gamma$ : intensity obtained from coincidence data.
694 @	0.3	5739.8?		5045.8 (18)			
696.9 @	1.5	2929.1	$(10^-)$	2232.4	$9^-$		$\alpha(K)\exp<0.008$
700.5 @	0.8	5276.5	$(18^-)$	4576.0 (16 $^-$ )			
710.4 @	1.7	4386.5	$16^{(+)}$	3676.0 (14) $^+$		E2 &	
732.1 @b	0.3	4025.5	$(14)$	3293.6	$13^-$		
737.6 @b 3	0.3	1071.5?	$3^-$	333.9	$2^+$		
740.6 3	3.1	5346.5	$19^-$	4605.9	$17^-$	E2 &	$\alpha(K)\exp<0.0035$
745 @	0.4	6021.5?	$(20^-)$	5276.5	$(18^-)$		
752.1 @	2.8	2589.1	$(8^-)$	1837.1	$8^+$	M2	$\alpha(K)\exp=0.018$ 5 Mult.: from $\alpha(K)\exp=0.018$ 5 (1977Su05).
761.4 @	0.5	6107.9?	$(21)$	5346.5	$19^-$	E2 &	
763.5 @	1.1	2996.0	$11^{(-)}$	2232.4	$9^-$		
778.4 @	1.5	3522.9	$(12)$	2744.4	$11^-$		
786.8 @b	0.4	3835.4	$14^{(+)}$	3048.5	$12^+$		
824.3 @	0.6	2589.1	$(8^-)$	1764.9	$7^-$		

<sup>†</sup> Taken from 1986UrZY.<sup>‡</sup> 1986UrZY do not report uncertainties. 1977Su05 have reported  $I_\gamma$  and  $\Delta I_\gamma$  for about half the known  $\gamma$  rays. The two papers are consistent with each other, the average difference between two values reported for a given  $\gamma$  ray being  $\pm 2$  units.# Assignment made on basis of internal conversion and angular distribution data (1977Su05) and DCO ratios (1987Ur01). Below 1500 keV excitation, mult.'s of  $\gamma$ 's in decay scheme are also from adopted  $\gamma$ 's.

@ From 1986UrZY. See also 1987Ur01.

& DCO ratio indicates stretched quadrupole transition (1987Ur01). For  $E\gamma \leq 700$ , the authors rule out the possibility of Q=M2 based on RUL, with  $T_{1/2}$  limits (not quoted) deduced from their experimental time resolution.<sup>a</sup> DCO ratio indicates stretched dipole transition (1987Ur01).<sup>b</sup> Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.





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