

$^{152}\text{Eu } \varepsilon \text{ decay (9.3116 h)}$ 

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Parent:  $^{152}\text{Eu}$ : E=45.5998 4;  $J^\pi=0^-$ ;  $T_{1/2}=9.3116$  h 13;  $Q(\varepsilon)=1874.6$  7; % $\varepsilon+%\beta^+$  decay=27 3

$^{152}\text{Eu}-\%_\varepsilon+\%_\beta^+$  decay: From  $I(\gamma+ce)(344\gamma \ ^{152}\text{Gd})/\beta^- = 0.034$  5 (from ce(K)/ $\beta^-$  in [1957Na01](#)).

Measured:

$\gamma$ : [2007Ku20](#), [1986Pa14](#), [1984Bu35](#), [1975Pr05](#), [1973MeYA](#), [1971Ba63](#), [1971Ii02](#), [1970Re08](#), [1969Va09](#).

ce: [1990Ka35](#), [1986Pa14](#), [1979Ar16](#), [1975Sc32](#), [1960Ma11](#), [1957Na01](#).

e+: [1985Co23](#).

$\beta^+$ : [1959An31](#), [1958Al99](#).

$\gamma\gamma$ : [1975Pr05](#), [1975Sc32](#), [1971Ba63](#).

$\gamma\gamma(t)$ : [1965Hu02](#).

$\gamma\gamma(\theta)$ : [1974Gu01](#) [1960De16](#), [1959Wo52](#).

 $^{152}\text{Sm}$  Levels

The decay scheme is that given in [2007Ku20](#). It is based on earlier work, but the authors have added many weak transitions, and in particular have shown that the 1041, 1086, and 1293 levels are populated in this decay. They find no evidence supporting the existence of a 1290 level, previously postulated in this decay.

E(level)	$J^\pi^\dagger$	$T_{1/2}$	Comments
0.0	$0^+$	stable	
121.78 3	$2^+$	1.43 ns 4	$T_{1/2}$ : from <a href="#">1965Hu02</a> .
366.45 4	$4^+$		
684.76 4	$0^+$		$J^\pi$ : (563 $\gamma$ )(122 $\gamma$ )( $\theta$ ) consistent with $J=0$ ( <a href="#">1974Gu01</a> ).
810.44 4	$2^+$		
963.40 3	$1^-$		
1041.11 9	$3^-$		
1082.88 5	$0^+$		$J^\pi$ : (961 $\gamma$ )(122 $\gamma$ )( $\theta$ ) consistent with $J=0$ ( <a href="#">1974Gu01</a> ).
1086.1 3	$2^+$		
1292.66 15	$2^+$		
1510.79 3	$1^-$		
1680.55 4	$1^-$		

$\dagger$  From Adopted Levels.

 $\varepsilon, \beta^+$  radiations

E(decay)	E(level)	$I\beta^+ \dagger$	$I\varepsilon^\dagger$	Log ft	$I(\varepsilon+\beta^+)^\dagger$	Comments
(239.6 7)	1680.55		0.171 20	6.78 7	0.171 20	$\varepsilon K=0.7906$ 2; $\varepsilon L=0.1608$ 2; $\varepsilon M+=0.04853$ 6
(409.4 7)	1510.79		0.87 10	6.60 7	0.87 10	$\varepsilon K=0.8172$ ; $\varepsilon L=0.14112$ 5; $\varepsilon M+=0.04168$ 2
(837.3 7)	1082.88		0.150 19	8.04 8	0.150 19	$\varepsilon K=0.8333$ ; $\varepsilon L=0.1292$ ; $\varepsilon M+=0.03757$
(956.8 7)	963.40		26 3	5.92 7	26 3	$\varepsilon K=0.8351$ ; $\varepsilon L=0.1278$ ; $\varepsilon M+=0.03712$
(1235.4 7)	684.76		0.128 16	8.46 8	0.128 16	$\varepsilon K=0.8377$ ; $\varepsilon L=0.1258$ ; $\varepsilon M+=0.03642$
(1798.4 7)	121.78	<0.0007	<0.2	>9.7 <sup>lu</sup>	<0.2	av $E\beta=376.76$ 31; $\varepsilon K=0.8305$ ; $\varepsilon L=0.1284$ ; $\varepsilon M+=0.03737$
						E(decay): $E\beta+=770$ 30 ( <a href="#">1959An31</a> ).
						$I\beta^+$ : $I\beta^+$ per parent decay: 0.0020% 5 ( <a href="#">1959An31</a> ), 0.004% ( <a href="#">1958Al99</a> ).
(1920.2 7)	0.0	0.0064 8	0.205 25	8.65 8	0.211 26	av $E\beta=411.86$ 31; $\varepsilon K=0.8155$ ; $\varepsilon L=0.1196$ ; $\varepsilon M+=0.03451$

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 **$^{152}\text{Eu}$   $\varepsilon$  decay (9.3116 h) (continued)** $\epsilon, \beta^+$  radiations (continued)

E(decay)	E(level)	Comments
		E(decay): $E\beta^+=890$ 5 ( <a href="#">1959An31</a> ), 895 5 ( <a href="#">1958Al99</a> ). $I\beta^+$ : weighted average of 0.0071% <i>14</i> ( <a href="#">1979Ar16</a> , $I\beta^+/\text{Ice(K)}(964\gamma)=0.64$ <i>10</i> ) and 0.0060% <i>10</i> ( <a href="#">1959An31</a> , from $I\beta^+/I\beta^-$ ); other: 0.007% ( <a href="#">1958Al99</a> ).

† Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

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I $\gamma$  normalization: From I( $\gamma+ce$ )(344 $\gamma$  <sup>152</sup>Gd)/ $\beta^-$ =0.034 5 (from ce(K)/ $\beta^-$  in [1957Na01](#)).

All the unplaced gammas from 9.3-h <sup>152</sup>Eu decay are listed in this dataset. Some of them May belong in <sup>152</sup>Gd following  $\beta^-$  decay.

E $\gamma$ <sup>#</sup>	I $\gamma$ <sup>#a</sup>	E <sub>i</sub> (level)	J $^\pi_i$	E <sub>f</sub>	J $^\pi_f$	Mult. <sup>&amp;</sup>	$\alpha^\dagger$	I <sub>(<math>\gamma+ce</math>)</sub> <sup>a</sup>	Comments
119.44# 15	0.073# 6	1082.88	0 <sup>+</sup>	963.40	1 <sup>-</sup>				
121.77 3	49.4 8	121.78	2 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>	E2	1.155		$\alpha(K)=0.678$ 10; $\alpha(L)=0.370$ 6; $\alpha(M)=0.0854$ 12; $\alpha(N+..)=0.0212$ 3 $\alpha(N)=0.0188$ 3; $\alpha(O)=0.00239$ 4; $\alpha(P)=3.00\times 10^{-5}$ 5 Mult.: From $\alpha(K)\exp=0.74$ 4, K/L=1.8, and K:L1:L2:L3=110:10:26:25 ( <a href="#">1960Ma11</a> ).
125.43# 17	0.0025# 3	810.44	2 <sup>+</sup>	684.76	0 <sup>+</sup>				$\alpha(K)=0.0739$ 11; $\alpha(L)=0.01043$ 15; $\alpha(M)=0.00223$ 4;
152.77 16	0.0126 11	963.40	1 <sup>-</sup>	810.44	2 <sup>+</sup>	[E1]	0.0872		$\alpha(N+..)=0.000575$ 9 $\alpha(N)=0.000499$ 8; $\alpha(O)=7.19\times 10^{-5}$ 11; $\alpha(P)=3.79\times 10^{-6}$ 6
x160.0 <sup>b</sup> 5	0.005 3								
x218.1 3	0.0003 2								
218.10 15	0.0042 5	1510.79	1 <sup>-</sup>	1292.66	2 <sup>+</sup>				$\alpha(K)=0.0808$ 12; $\alpha(L)=0.0207$ 3; $\alpha(M)=0.00465$ 7; $\alpha(N+..)=0.001176$ 17
244.66 3	0.159 11	366.45	4 <sup>+</sup>	121.78	2 <sup>+</sup>	E2	0.1074		$\alpha(N)=0.001033$ 15; $\alpha(O)=0.0001395$ 20; $\alpha(P)=4.18\times 10^{-6}$ 6
x256.99 22	0.007 3								
272.43 5	0.070 4	1082.88	0 <sup>+</sup>	810.44	2 <sup>+</sup>	(E2)	0.0761		$\alpha(K)=0.0584$ 9; $\alpha(L)=0.01382$ 20; $\alpha(M)=0.00309$ 5; $\alpha(N+..)=0.000784$ 11 $\alpha(N)=0.000687$ 10; $\alpha(O)=9.37\times 10^{-5}$ 14; $\alpha(P)=3.08\times 10^{-6}$ 5 Mult.: $\alpha(K)\exp=0.10$ 4.
278.7 3		963.40	1 <sup>-</sup>	684.76	0 <sup>+</sup>	[E1]	0.0177		$\alpha(K)=0.01513$ 22; $\alpha(L)=0.00206$ 3; $\alpha(M)=0.000440$ 7; $\alpha(N+..)=0.0001143$ 17 $\alpha(N)=9.90\times 10^{-5}$ 15; $\alpha(O)=1.451\times 10^{-5}$ 21; $\alpha(P)=8.27\times 10^{-7}$ 12 I $\gamma$ : The transition is obscured.
329.4@	@	1292.66	2 <sup>+</sup>	963.40	1 <sup>-</sup>				
x340.1 3	0.035 13								
x387.8 3	0.005 3								
388.3# 5	0.0008# 3	1680.55	1 <sup>-</sup>	1292.66	2 <sup>+</sup>				
398.00 15		1082.88	0 <sup>+</sup>	684.76	0 <sup>+</sup>	E0	0.0137 20		$\alpha(K)\exp$ : from <a href="#">1979Ar16</a> . I <sub>(<math>\gamma+ce</math>)</sub> : Weighted average of Ice(K)=0.013 2 ( <a href="#">1979Ar16</a> ) and 0.0096 30 ( <a href="#">1986Pa14</a> ) with Ice(K)/ $\sum$ Ice=0.878 (E0 theory). The evaluator has adjusted the value from <a href="#">1986Pa14</a> , quoted as Ice(K)/I $\gamma(961\gamma)$ =0.0062 19, to correspond to the present Ice(K)/I $\gamma$ intensity scale and adopted I $\gamma(961\gamma)$ . Mult.: $\alpha(K)\exp>0.1$ ( <a href="#">1979Ar16</a> ); $\rho<0.1$ ( <a href="#">1990Ka35</a> ). I(ce(K))/I $\gamma(961\gamma)$ =0.0062 19 ( <a href="#">1986Pa14</a> ).

<sup>152</sup><sub>62</sub>Eu  $\varepsilon$  decay (9.3116 h) (continued)

<u><math>\gamma(^{152}\text{Sm})</math> (continued)</u>									
$E_\gamma^{\dagger}$	$I_\gamma^{\dagger a}$	$E_i(\text{level})$	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Mult.&	$\alpha^{\dagger}$	$I_{(\gamma+ce)}^{\dagger a}$	Comments
424.3 <sup>#</sup> 4	0.0012 <sup>#</sup> 5	1510.79	1 <sup>-</sup>	1086.1	2 <sup>+</sup>	Mult.: From $\alpha(K)\exp=0.0092$ 21. $\alpha(K)\exp$ gives mult=E2(+M1) with $\delta>0.8$ ; however, placement from a J=0 level rules out any admixture.	$\alpha(K)=0.01441$ 21; $\alpha(L)=0.00259$ 4; $\alpha(M)=0.000569$ 8; $\alpha(N+..)=0.0001464$ 21 $\alpha(N)=0.0001274$ 18; $\alpha(O)=1.81\times 10^{-5}$ 3; $\alpha(P)=8.19\times 10^{-7}$ 12	Comments	E $_\gamma$ , I $_\gamma$ : Limit reported by <a href="#">2007Ku20</a> . E $_\gamma$ is a rounded-off value from the level energies. $\alpha(K)=0.011$ 4; $\alpha(L)=0.0017$ 3; $\alpha(M)=0.00036$ 7; $\alpha(N+..)=9.5\times 10^{-5}$ 17 $\alpha(N)=8.2\times 10^{-5}$ 15; $\alpha(O)=1.21\times 10^{-5}$ 24; $\alpha(P)=7.0\times 10^{-7}$ 22 $\alpha(K)=0.00779$ 11; $\alpha(L)=0.001274$ 18; $\alpha(M)=0.000278$ 4; $\alpha(N+..)=7.18\times 10^{-5}$ 10 $\alpha(N)=6.24\times 10^{-5}$ 9; $\alpha(O)=9.00\times 10^{-6}$ 13; $\alpha(P)=4.52\times 10^{-7}$ 7
427.9	<0.0006	1510.79	1 <sup>-</sup>	1082.88	0 <sup>+</sup>				
443.96 4	0.149 16	810.44	2 <sup>+</sup>	366.45	4 <sup>+</sup>	(E2)	0.01772		
469.97 <sup>#</sup> 20	0.0039 <sup>#</sup> 6	1510.79	1 <sup>-</sup>	1041.11	3 <sup>-</sup>				
547.36 8	0.067 4	1510.79	1 <sup>-</sup>	963.40	1 <sup>-</sup>	[M1,E2]	0.014 4		
562.98 3	1.55 3	684.76	0 <sup>+</sup>	121.78	2 <sup>+</sup>	E2	0.00941		
594.7 <sup>#</sup> 4	0.0024 <sup>#</sup> 7	1680.55	1 <sup>-</sup>	1086.1	2 <sup>+</sup>				
597.50 <sup>#</sup> 14	0.0049 <sup>#</sup> 7	1680.55	1 <sup>-</sup>	1082.88	0 <sup>+</sup>				
639.15 <sup>#</sup> 14	0.0036 <sup>#</sup> 7	1680.55	1 <sup>-</sup>	1041.11	3 <sup>-</sup>				
674.46 <sup>#</sup> 16	0.00256 <sup>#</sup> 22	1041.11	3 <sup>-</sup>	366.45	4 <sup>+</sup>				
684.85 20		684.76	0 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>	E0	0.0201 21		
688.68 5	0.458 13	810.44	2 <sup>+</sup>	121.78	2 <sup>+</sup>	E0+M1+E2	0.0077 20	$\alpha(K)=0.001785$ 25; $\alpha(L)=0.000233$ 4; $\alpha(M)=4.95\times 10^{-5}$ 7; $\alpha(N+..)=1.297\times 10^{-5}$ 19 $\alpha(N)=1.119\times 10^{-5}$ 16; $\alpha(O)=1.669\times 10^{-6}$ 24; $\alpha(P)=1.025\times 10^{-7}$ 15	Comments
700.28 14	0.073 5	1510.79	1 <sup>-</sup>	810.44	2 <sup>+</sup>	[E1]	0.00208		
<sup>x</sup> 703.7 <sup>b</sup> 3	0.005 3								

<sup>152</sup><sub>62</sub>Eu ε decay (9.3116 h) (continued)

<u>γ(<sup>152</sup>Sm) (continued)</u>										
E <sub>γ</sub> <sup>‡</sup>	I <sub>γ</sub> <sup>‡a</sup>	E <sub>i</sub> (level)	J <sub>i</sub> <sup>π</sup>	E <sub>f</sub>	J <sub>f</sub> <sup>π</sup>	Mult.&	δ <sup>&amp;</sup>	α <sup>†</sup>	I <sub>(γ+ce)</sub> <sup>a</sup>	Comments
716.84 <sup>#</sup> 21 x796.1 3	0.0084 <sup>#</sup> 13 0.024 10	1680.55	1 <sup>-</sup>	963.40	1 <sup>-</sup>					α(K)=0.00331 5; α(L)=0.000487 7; α(M)=0.0001050 15; α(N+..)=2.74×10 <sup>-5</sup> 4; α(N)=2.37×10 <sup>-5</sup> 4; α(O)=3.48×10 <sup>-6</sup> 5; α(P)=1.96×10 <sup>-7</sup> 3
810.49 7	0.167 7	810.44	2 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>	(E2)		0.00393		I <sub>γ</sub> : Value of 0.0050 25 reported by <a href="#">1973MeXQ</a> is probably a typo.
826.01 6	0.204 12	1510.79	1 <sup>-</sup>	684.76	0 <sup>+</sup>					α(K)=0.001234 18; α(L)=0.0001597 23; α(M)=3.39×10 <sup>-5</sup> 5; α(N+..)=8.89×10 <sup>-6</sup> 13
841.63 4	100 2	963.40	1 <sup>-</sup>	121.78	2 <sup>+</sup>	E1		1.44×10 <sup>-3</sup>		α(N)=7.67×10 <sup>-6</sup> 11; α(O)=1.147×10 <sup>-6</sup> 16; α(P)=7.12×10 <sup>-8</sup> 10
870.14 5 x915.7 4	0.633 15 0.07 1	1680.55	1 <sup>-</sup>	810.44	2 <sup>+</sup>					Mult.: α(K)exp=0.00123 12; K/L=5.5 15 ( <a href="#">1975Sc32</a> ).
919.27 <sup>#</sup> 24 926.3 @	0.0045 <sup>#</sup> 7 @	1041.11	3 <sup>-</sup>	121.78	2 <sup>+</sup>					I <sub>γ</sub> : from <a href="#">1971Ba63</a> .
961.14 14	0.90 5	1082.88	0 <sup>+</sup>	121.78	2 <sup>+</sup>	[E2]		0.00270		α(K)=0.00229 4; α(L)=0.000325 5; α(M)=6.99×10 <sup>-5</sup> 10; α(N+..)=1.83×10 <sup>-5</sup> 3
963.38 4	82.1 15	963.40	1 <sup>-</sup>	0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>	[E1]		1.11×10 <sup>-3</sup>		α(N)=1.579×10 <sup>-5</sup> 23; α(O)=2.34×10 <sup>-6</sup> 4; α(P)=1.361×10 <sup>-7</sup> 19
964.1 @ 995.84 5 x1039.2 5 1082.8 5	@ 0.460 20 0.057 12	1086.1	2 <sup>+</sup>	121.78	2 <sup>+</sup>					I <sub>γ</sub> : From <a href="#">2007Ku20</a> . Others: 1.49 14 ( <a href="#">1973MeXQ</a> ), 1.5 4 ( <a href="#">1971Ba63</a> ). The transition is not seen by <a href="#">1975Pr05</a> .
1085.9 @ x1137.5 3 x1207.3 6 1292.8 @	@ 0.09 6 0.020 7 @	1086.1	2 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>					Mult.: α(K)exp=0.0017 17.
		1082.88	0 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>	E0		0.0012 6		α(K)=0.000951 14; α(L)=0.0001225 18; α(M)=2.60×10 <sup>-5</sup> 4; α(N+..)=6.82×10 <sup>-6</sup> 10
										α(N)=5.88×10 <sup>-6</sup> 9; α(O)=8.81×10 <sup>-7</sup> 13; α(P)=5.50×10 <sup>-8</sup> 8
										E <sub>γ</sub> : from <a href="#">1984Bu35</a> .
										I <sub>(γ+ce)</sub> : From Ice(K)=0.0010 5 ( <a href="#">1979Ar16</a> ) and Ice(K)/Ice=0.880 (E2 theory).
										Mult.: α(K)exp>0.1 ( <a href="#">1979Ar16</a> ); ρ<0.016 ( <a href="#">1990Ka35</a> ).

<sup>152</sup><sub>62</sub>Eu  $\varepsilon$  decay (9.3116 h) (continued) $\gamma(^{152}\text{Sm})$  (continued)

$E_\gamma^{\ddagger}$	$I_\gamma^{\ddagger a}$	$E_i(\text{level})$	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Mult. <sup>&amp;</sup>	$\delta^{\&}$	$\alpha^{\dagger}$	Comments
1389.03 4	5.75 12	1510.79	1 <sup>-</sup>	121.78	2 <sup>+</sup>	E1+M2	-0.025 12	7.03×10 <sup>-4</sup> 11	$\alpha(K)=0.000494$ 8; $\alpha(L)=6.28\times10^{-5}$ 10; $\alpha(M)=1.332\times10^{-5}$ 20; $\alpha(N_{..})=0.0001329$ 19 $\alpha(N)=3.01\times10^{-6}$ 5; $\alpha(O)=4.53\times10^{-7}$ 7; $\alpha(P)=2.87\times10^{-8}$ 5; $\alpha(IPF)=0.0001294$ 19 Mult.: $\alpha(K)\exp=0.000051$ 13. δ: from $\gamma\gamma(\theta)$ (weighted average from <a href="#">1960De16</a> and <a href="#">1959Wo52</a> ). Looked for monoenergetic positrons, $I\beta^+/I\gamma(1389)<3.4\times10^{-7}$ ( <a href="#">1985Co23</a> ).
<sup>x</sup> 1406.5 5	0.005 3								
<sup>x</sup> 1420 1	0.004 3								
1510.77 5	0.0456 18	1510.79	1 <sup>-</sup>	0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>				
1558.74 6	0.057 2	1680.55	1 <sup>-</sup>	121.78	2 <sup>+</sup>				
1680.62 10	0.039 2	1680.55	1 <sup>-</sup>	0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>				

<sup>†</sup> Additional information 1.<sup>‡</sup> Weighted average of data of [2007Ku20](#), [1975Pr05](#), [1973MeXQ](#), and [1971Ba63](#), except for the E0 transitions where data are from [1979Ar16](#). For the data of [1973MeXQ](#), see the comment in the <sup>152</sup>Eu  $\beta^-$  (9.3-h) dataset. New transitions reported only by [2007Ku20](#) are noted.<sup>#</sup> Reported only by [2007Ku20](#).<sup>④</sup> Reported by [2007Ku20](#); however, the transition is obscured. The energy is a rounded-off value from 13-y Eu decay.& From Adopted Gammmas. Mult data from this dataset are given in comments. The  $\alpha(K)\exp$  values have been deduced from the adopted  $I\gamma$  values with  $I\alpha(K)$  obtained as weighted averages of data of [1960Ma11](#), [1975Sc32](#), and [1979Ar16](#) normalized to  $\alpha(K)(E2)=0.03103$  for the 344y in Gd.<sup>a</sup> For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.142 16.<sup>b</sup> Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.<sup>x</sup>  $\gamma$  ray not placed in level scheme.

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Intensities:  $I_{(\gamma+ce)}$  per 100 parent decays

### Legend

$$\frac{Q_{\ell=1874.67} - 0}{45.5998} = 9.3116 \text{ h } / \text{J}^3$$

