

$^{150}\text{Nd}(^9\text{Be},5\text{n}\gamma)$ 1989Mo20

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$^{150}\text{Nd}(^9\text{Be},5\text{n}\gamma)$, $E(^9\text{Be})=55$ MeV; measured $E\gamma$, $I\gamma$, and $\gamma\gamma(\theta)$ in the TESSA2 multidetector array, consisting of six escape-suppressed Ge detectors and a 50-element BGO crystal ball. Report level scheme and an interpretation in terms of a cranked shell-model calculation.

Band-labeling convention for neutrons

A	$(\alpha=+1/2, \pi=+)_1$
B	$(\alpha=-1/2, \pi=+)_1$
C	$(\alpha=+1/2, \pi=+)_2$
D	$(\alpha=-1/2, \pi=+)_2$
E	$(\alpha=+1/2, \pi=-)_1$
F	$(\alpha=-1/2, \pi=-)_1$
X	$(\alpha=+1/2, \pi=-)$
Y	$(\alpha=-1/2, \pi=-)$

At $\hbar\omega=0$, the labels X and Y correspond to the $11/2^- [505]$ Nilsson orbital, A and B to $3/2^+ [651]$ Nilsson orbital, and C and D to $1/2^+ [660]$ Nilsson orbital.

 ^{154}Gd Levels

E(level)	J^π	Comments
0 ⁺	0 ⁺	
123.1 ⁺ 1	2 ⁺	
371.1 ⁺ 1	4 ⁺	
717.8 ⁺ 2	6 ⁺	
815.6 [#] 2	2 ⁺	
1047.7 [#] 2	4 ⁺	
1144.5 ⁺ 2	8 ⁺	
1365.9 [#] 2	6 ⁺	
1637.1 ⁺ 2	10 ⁺	
1731.8 6	(7 ⁻)	Additional information 2.
1756.5 [#] 2	8 ⁺	
2040.5 ^{&} 4	(9 ⁻)	
2137.6 ^c 3	7 ⁻	
2183.3 ^b 3	8 ⁽⁻⁾	
2184.8 ⁺ 2	12 ⁺	
2194.2 [#] 2	10 ⁺	
2251.3 ^a 4	9 ⁽⁻⁾	
2309.6 ^c 3	8 ⁽⁻⁾	J^π : (8 ⁻) in the adopted values.
2475.5 ^c 3	9 ⁽⁻⁾	J^π : (9 ⁻) in the adopted values.
2482.4 ^{&} 4	(11 ⁻)	
2579.7 ^a 3	10 ⁽⁻⁾	
2616.2 ^c 3	10 ⁽⁻⁾	
2619.7 ^b 3	10 ⁽⁻⁾	
2621.8 [@] 2	12 ⁺	

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$^{150}\text{Nd}(^9\text{Be},5n\gamma)$ **1989Mo20** (continued) ^{154}Gd Levels (continued)

E(level)	$J^\pi^\dagger$	E(level)	$J^\pi^\dagger$	E(level)	$J^\pi^\dagger$	E(level)	$J^\pi^\dagger$
2775.5 ^c 3	11 ⁽⁻⁾	3599.4 ^d 7		4735.6 ^{&} 4	19 ⁽⁻⁾	6121.7 [@] 4	24 ⁺
2777.4 [‡] 2	14 ⁺	3629.6 ^c 3	15 ⁽⁻⁾	4782.4 [‡] 4	20 ⁺	6136.3 ^{&} 6	(23 ⁻)
2950.7 ^a 3	12 ⁽⁻⁾	3894.5 ^b 3	16 ⁽⁻⁾	4788.7 ^c 4	19 ⁽⁻⁾	6178.1 ^c 6	(23 ⁻)
2955.8 ^b 3	12 ⁽⁻⁾	3987.4 ^a 4	16 ⁽⁻⁾	5116.5 ^b 4	20 ⁽⁻⁾	6294.2 [‡] 5	24 ⁺
2981.4 ^{&} 3	13 ⁽⁻⁾	4016.2 [@] 3	18 ⁺	5209.3 ^a 8	20 ⁽⁻⁾	6535.6 ^a 9	(24 ⁻)
3027.3 [@] 3	14 ⁺	4087.2 [‡] 3	18 ⁺	5254.5 ^d 10		6555.5 ^b 6	(24 ⁻)
3155.0 ^d 5		4099.5 ^d 7		5350.0 [@] 4	22 ⁺	6883.4 ^{&} 7	(25 ⁻)
3158.9 ^c 3	13 ⁽⁻⁾	4102.1 ^{&} 4	17 ⁽⁻⁾	5415.9 ^{&} 5	21 ⁽⁻⁾	6946.2 ^c 7	(25 ⁻)
3384.1 ^b 4	14 ⁽⁻⁾	4176.5 ^c 4	17 ⁽⁻⁾	5457.6 ^c 5	21 ⁽⁻⁾	6955.1 [@] 6	(26 ⁺)
3404.5 [‡] 3	16 ⁺	4475.0 ^b 4	18 ⁽⁻⁾	5519.6 [‡] 4	22 ⁺	7055.6 [‡] 6	26 ⁺
3428.1 ^a 4	14 ⁽⁻⁾	4595.2 ^a 5	18 ⁽⁻⁾	5811.0 ^b 5	(22 ⁻)	7274.0 ^a 10	(26 ⁻)
3490.9 [@] 3	16 ⁺	4646.4 [@] 3	20 ⁺	5848.5 ^a 8	(22 ⁻)	7353.2 ^b 10	(26 ⁻)
3519.2 ^{&} 3	15 ⁽⁻⁾	4656.2 ^d 9		5889.6 ^d 11			

[†] Authors' assignments, which are based on deduced γ multiplicities and band structure, as well as the previously known assignments. These are in agreement with the Adopted Values, unless noted otherwise.

[‡] Band(A): $K^\pi=0^+$ ground-state band.

Band(B): First excited $K^\pi=0^+$ band. Probable β^- vibration.

@ Band(C): Aligned two-neutron-quasiparticle band. Configuration=AB crosses the g.s. band at $\hbar\omega=0.31$ MeV (near the 18⁺ level).

& Band(D): $K^\pi=0^-$ octupole-vibrational band. At higher spins, it can be ascribed to the cranked shell-model configuration AE.

^a Band(E): Band interpreted as the two-neutron-quasiparticle configuration AF. Crossed by the configuration βc near $\hbar\omega=0.30$ MeV, with configuration becoming AFBC.

^b Band(F): Band interpreted as the two-neutron-quasiparticle configuration AY.

^c Band(G): Band interpreted as the two-neutron-quasiparticle configuration AX.

^d Band(H): Level sequence.

 $\gamma(^{154}\text{Gd})$

E_γ	$I_\gamma^\dagger$	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. [‡]	Comments
123.1 1	100	123.1	2 ⁺	0	0 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=0.90 2.
144.0 2	0.7	2619.7	10 ⁽⁻⁾	2475.5	9 ⁽⁻⁾		
155.6 2	4.7	2775.5	11 ⁽⁻⁾	2619.7	10 ⁽⁻⁾	(D)	DCO=0.29 3.
159.6 2	1.6	2775.5	11 ⁽⁻⁾	2616.2	10 ⁽⁻⁾	(D)	DCO=0.29 5.
165.8 1	2.7	2475.5	9 ⁽⁻⁾	2309.6	8 ⁽⁻⁾	(D)	DCO=0.22 5.
172.0 1	4.2	2309.6	8 ⁽⁻⁾	2137.6	7 ⁻	(D)	DCO=0.22 4.
180.3 1	4.7	2955.8	12 ⁽⁻⁾	2775.5	11 ⁽⁻⁾	(D)	DCO=0.30 3.
203.0 1	3.5	3158.9	13 ⁽⁻⁾	2955.8	12 ⁽⁻⁾	(D)	DCO=0.39 3.
225.3 2	3.2	3384.1	14 ⁽⁻⁾	3158.9	13 ⁽⁻⁾	(D)	DCO=0.45 2.
232.0 2	0.7	1047.7	4 ⁺	815.6	2 ⁺		
245.4 4		3629.6	15 ⁽⁻⁾	3384.1	14 ⁽⁻⁾		
248.0 1	100	371.1	4 ⁺	123.1	2 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.01 2.
264.9 1	1.4	3894.5	16 ⁽⁻⁾	3629.6	15 ⁽⁻⁾	(D)	DCO=0.30 4.
282.0 2	1.1	4176.5	17 ⁽⁻⁾	3894.5	16 ⁽⁻⁾	(D)	DCO=0.34 4.
298.6 3	0.9	4475.0	18 ⁽⁻⁾	4176.5	17 ⁽⁻⁾		
300.4 4	1.0	2775.5	11 ⁽⁻⁾	2475.5	9 ⁽⁻⁾		
313.7 2	0.7	4788.7	19 ⁽⁻⁾	4475.0	18 ⁽⁻⁾		

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E_γ	$I_\gamma^\dagger$	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. ‡	Comments
318.2 1	3.3	1365.9	6 ⁺	1047.7	4 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.10 9.
327.9 3		5116.5	20 ⁽⁻⁾	4788.7	19 ⁽⁻⁾		
328.4 2	1.7	2579.7	10 ⁽⁻⁾	2251.3	9 ⁽⁻⁾	(D)	DCO=0.58 6.
336.0 2	1.9	2955.8	12 ⁽⁻⁾	2619.7	10 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=1.30 13.
339.7 4	1.3	2955.8	12 ⁽⁻⁾	2616.2	10 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=1.00 9.
341.2# 3		5457.6	21 ⁽⁻⁾	5116.5	20 ⁽⁻⁾		
346.7 1	97.6	717.8	6 ⁺	371.1	4 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.12 2.
371.1 2	4.8	2950.7	12 ⁽⁻⁾	2579.7	10 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=1.14 7.
383.4 1	3.0	3158.9	13 ⁽⁻⁾	2775.5	11 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=1.11 9.
390.6 1	10.2	1756.5	8 ⁺	1365.9	6 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.11 6.
405.6 2	12.8	3027.3	14 ⁺	2621.8	12 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.16 3.
426.8 2	89.0	1144.5	8 ⁺	717.8	6 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.16 2.
427.8 2	11.0	2621.8	12 ⁺	2194.2	10 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.10 3.
428.2 5		3384.1	14 ⁽⁻⁾	2955.8	12 ⁽⁻⁾		
433.0 2	2.4	2616.2	10 ⁽⁻⁾	2183.3	8 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=1.22 7.
436.3 2	3.0	2619.7	10 ⁽⁻⁾	2183.3	8 ⁽⁻⁾		
437.7 1	13.4	2194.2	10 ⁺	1756.5	8 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.15 3.
444.4 4		3599.4		3155.0			
451.5 5		2183.3	8 ⁽⁻⁾	1731.8	(7 ⁻)		
463.6 1	9.1	3490.9	16 ⁺	3027.3	14 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.15 3.
470.7 1	3.4	3629.6	15 ⁽⁻⁾	3158.9	13 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=1.16 12.
477.4 2	3.0	3428.1	14 ⁽⁻⁾	2950.7	12 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=1.26 9.
492.6 1	63.9	1637.1	10 ⁺	1144.5	8 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.16 1.
498.9 3		2981.4	13 ⁽⁻⁾	2482.4	(11 ⁻)		
500.1 2		4099.5		3599.4			
510.5 6	2.7	3894.5	16 ⁽⁻⁾	3384.1	14 ⁽⁻⁾		
525.3 1	6.0	4016.2	18 ⁺	3490.9	16 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.20 6.
537.8 1	2.8	3519.2	15 ⁽⁻⁾	2981.4	13 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=1.16 8.
547.1 6	2.4	4176.5	17 ⁽⁻⁾	3629.6	15 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=0.96 6.
547.6 1	47.4	2184.8	12 ⁺	1637.1	10 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.21 1.
556.7 5		4656.2		4099.5			
557.1 2	1.0	2194.2	10 ⁺	1637.1	10 ⁺		
559.3 2	2.3	3987.4	16 ⁽⁻⁾	3428.1	14 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=1.24 8.
580.5 2	2.1	4475.0	18 ⁽⁻⁾	3894.5	16 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=1.17 13.
582.9 2	4.4	4102.1	17 ⁽⁻⁾	3519.2	15 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=1.24 7.
592.6 1	34.1	2777.4	14 ⁺	2184.8	12 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.18 2.
596.3 3	2.4	4087.2	18 ⁺	3490.9	16 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.07 9.
598.3 5		5254.5		4656.2			
607.8 2	1.6	4595.2	18 ⁽⁻⁾	3987.4	16 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=1.12 7.
611.5 2	8.5	4016.2	18 ⁺	3404.5	16 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.04 4.
612.1 2	3.8	1756.5	8 ⁺	1144.5	8 ⁺		
612.2 2	1.8	4788.7	19 ⁽⁻⁾	4176.5	17 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=0.85 15.
614.1 6	1.1	5209.3	20 ⁽⁻⁾	4595.2	18 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=1.05 19.
627.1 1	25.0	3404.5	16 ⁺	2777.4	14 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.17 4.
630.2 1	9.0	4646.4	20 ⁺	4016.2	18 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.18 14.
633.5 2	2.5	4735.6	19 ⁽⁻⁾	4102.1	17 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=1.21 9.
635.1# 5		5889.6?		5254.5			
639.2 3	0.6	5848.5	(22 ⁻)	5209.3	20 ⁽⁻⁾		
641.5 2	1.4	5116.5	20 ⁽⁻⁾	4475.0	18 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=1.42 22.
648.1 2	5.7	1365.9	6 ⁺	717.8	6 ⁺		DCO=0.89 9.
668.9 3	0.8	5457.6	21 ⁽⁻⁾	4788.7	19 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=0.95 23.
676.6 2	3.1	1047.7	4 ⁺	371.1	4 ⁺		DCO=1.08 9.
680.3 3	1.1	5415.9	21 ⁽⁻⁾	4735.6	19 ⁽⁻⁾	(E2)	DCO=1.25 13.

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E_γ	$I_\gamma^\dagger$	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. ‡	Comments
682.7 2	7.4	4087.2	18 ⁺	3404.5	16 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.13 4.
687.1 4	0.5	6535.6	(24 ⁻)	5848.5	(22 ⁻)		
694.5 2	0.6	5811.0	(22 ⁻)	5116.5	20 ⁽⁻⁾		
695.2 2	6.1	4782.4	20 ⁺	4087.2	18 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=0.97 7.
703.6 2	3.8	5350.0	22 ⁺	4646.4	20 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.08 7.
713.5 2	2.8	3490.9	16 ⁺	2777.4	14 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.12 7.
720.4 3	0.6	6136.3	(23 ⁻)	5415.9	21 ⁽⁻⁾		
720.5 3		6178.1	(23 ⁻)	5457.6	21 ⁽⁻⁾		
737.2 1	2.7	5519.6	22 ⁺	4782.4	20 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.17 9.
738.4 [#] 4		7274.0?	(26 ⁻)	6535.6	(24 ⁻)		
741.8 2	4.3	3519.2	15 ⁽⁻⁾	2777.4	14 ⁺		DCO=0.71 13.
744.5 3		6555.5	(24 ⁻)	5811.0	(22 ⁻)		
747.1 [#] 3		6883.4?	(25 ⁻)	6136.3	(23 ⁻)		
761.4 3	0.8	7055.6	26 ⁺	6294.2	24 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=0.90 30.
765.9 2	1.3	2950.7	12 ⁽⁻⁾	2184.8	12 ⁺		DCO=1.23 10.
768.1 [#] 4		6946.2?	(25 ⁻)	6178.1	(23 ⁻)		
771.7 2	1.9	6121.7	24 ⁺	5350.0	22 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=0.94 13.
774.6 3	1.5	6294.2	24 ⁺	5519.6	22 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.07 12.
796.6 2	4.5	2981.4	13 ⁽⁻⁾	2184.8	12 ⁺	(D)	DCO=0.56 4.
797.7 [#] 4		7353.2?	(26 ⁻)	6555.5	(24 ⁻)		
815.6 3		815.6	2 ⁺	0	0 ⁺		
833.4 4	0.5	6955.1	(26 ⁺)	6121.7	24 ⁺		
845.2 3		2482.4	(11 ⁻)	1637.1	10 ⁺		
845.3 4		3155.0		2309.6	8 ⁽⁻⁾		
896.0 3		2040.5	(9 ⁻)	1144.5	8 ⁺		
924.4 3		1047.7	4 ⁺	123.1	2 ⁺		
942.6 2	4.0	2579.7	10 ⁽⁻⁾	1637.1	10 ⁺		DCO=1.37 10.
979.5 3	3.3	2616.2	10 ⁽⁻⁾	1637.1	10 ⁺		DCO=1.53 20.
982.4 2	3.8	2619.7	10 ⁽⁻⁾	1637.1	10 ⁺		DCO=1.33 12.
984.7 3	1.8	2621.8	12 ⁺	1637.1	10 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.14 17.
992.7 5		2137.6	7 ⁻	1144.5	8 ⁺		
994.9 3	1.8	1365.9	6 ⁺	371.1	4 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.04 8.
1038.9 5	1.0	1756.5	8 ⁺	717.8	6 ⁺		
1039.0 4	5.3	2183.3	8 ⁽⁻⁾	1144.5	8 ⁺		DCO=1.15 14.
1049.8 5	1.4	2194.2	10 ⁺	1144.5	8 ⁺	(E2)	DCO=1.08 11.
1107.4 8	3.1	2251.3	9 ⁽⁻⁾	1144.5	8 ⁺	(D)	DCO=0.49 7.
1419.5 7		2137.6	7 ⁻	717.8	6 ⁺		

[†] Relative values, normalized to $I_\gamma(248.0\gamma)=100$, at $E(^9\text{Be})=55$ MeV.

[‡] Values are based on the measured DCO-ratio data. **1989Mo20** point out that DCO ratios near 1.0 correspond to stretched quadrupoles, while those near 0.6 correspond to stretched dipoles. Pure dipoles with $\Delta J=0$ are distinguished from stretched quadrupoles on the basis of the implications for the J^π values of nearby states. These multipolarities are not included in the Adopted Gammas data set.

[#] Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

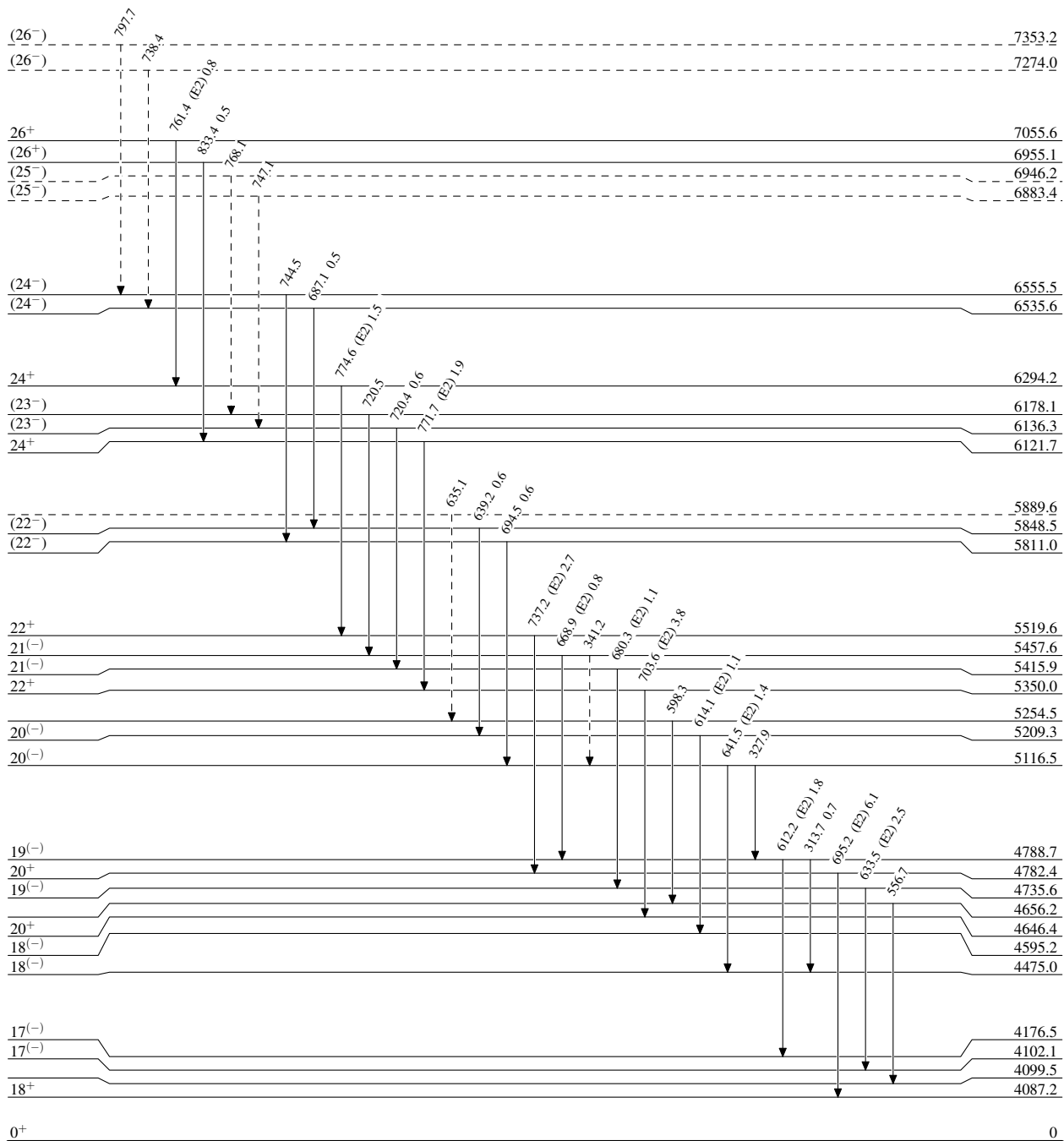
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Legend

Level Scheme

Intensities: Relative I_γ

- $\longrightarrow$ $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$
 $\longrightarrow$ $I_\gamma < 10\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$
 $\longrightarrow$ $I_\gamma > 10\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$
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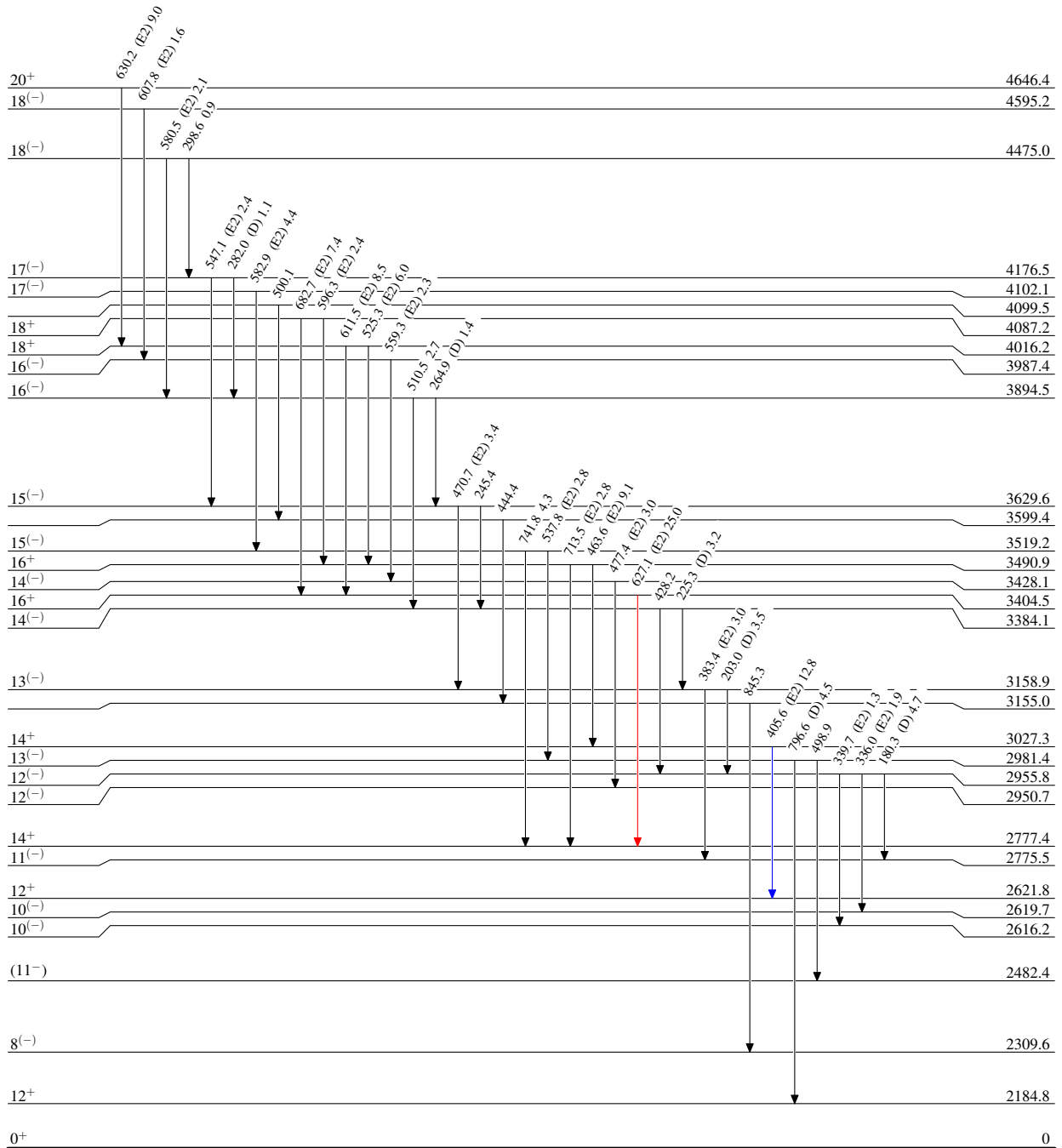
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Level Scheme (continued)

Intensities: Relative I_γ

Legend

- $\longrightarrow$ $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$
 $\longrightarrow$ $I_\gamma < 10\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$
 $\longrightarrow$ $I_\gamma > 10\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$



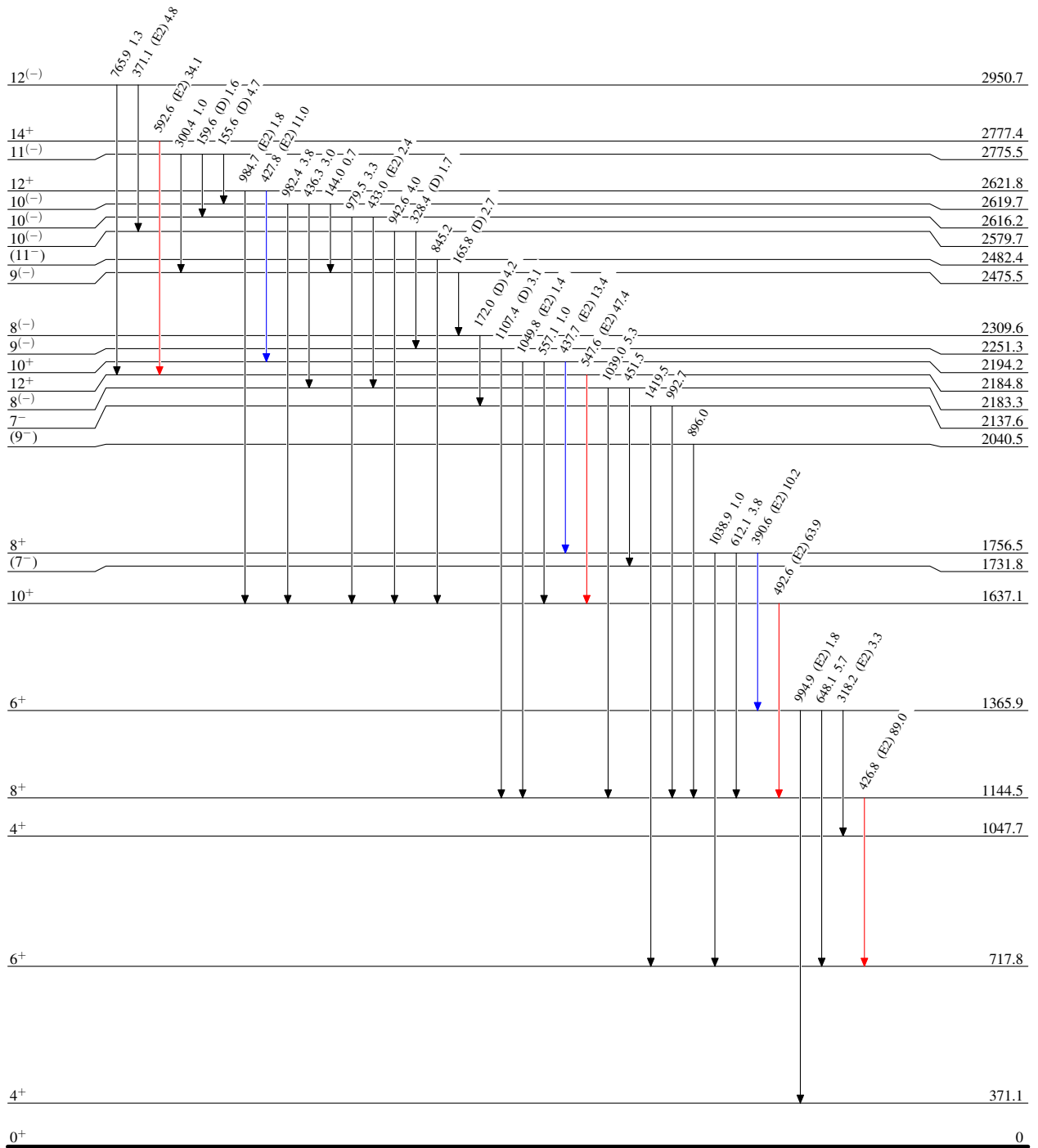
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Level Scheme (continued)

Intensities: Relative I_γ

Legend

- $\longrightarrow$ $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$
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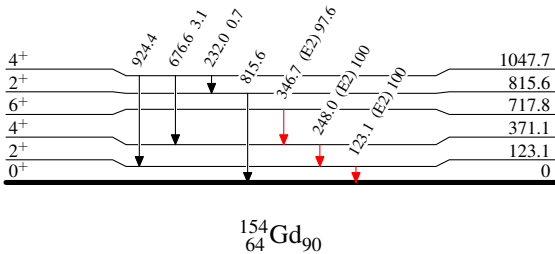
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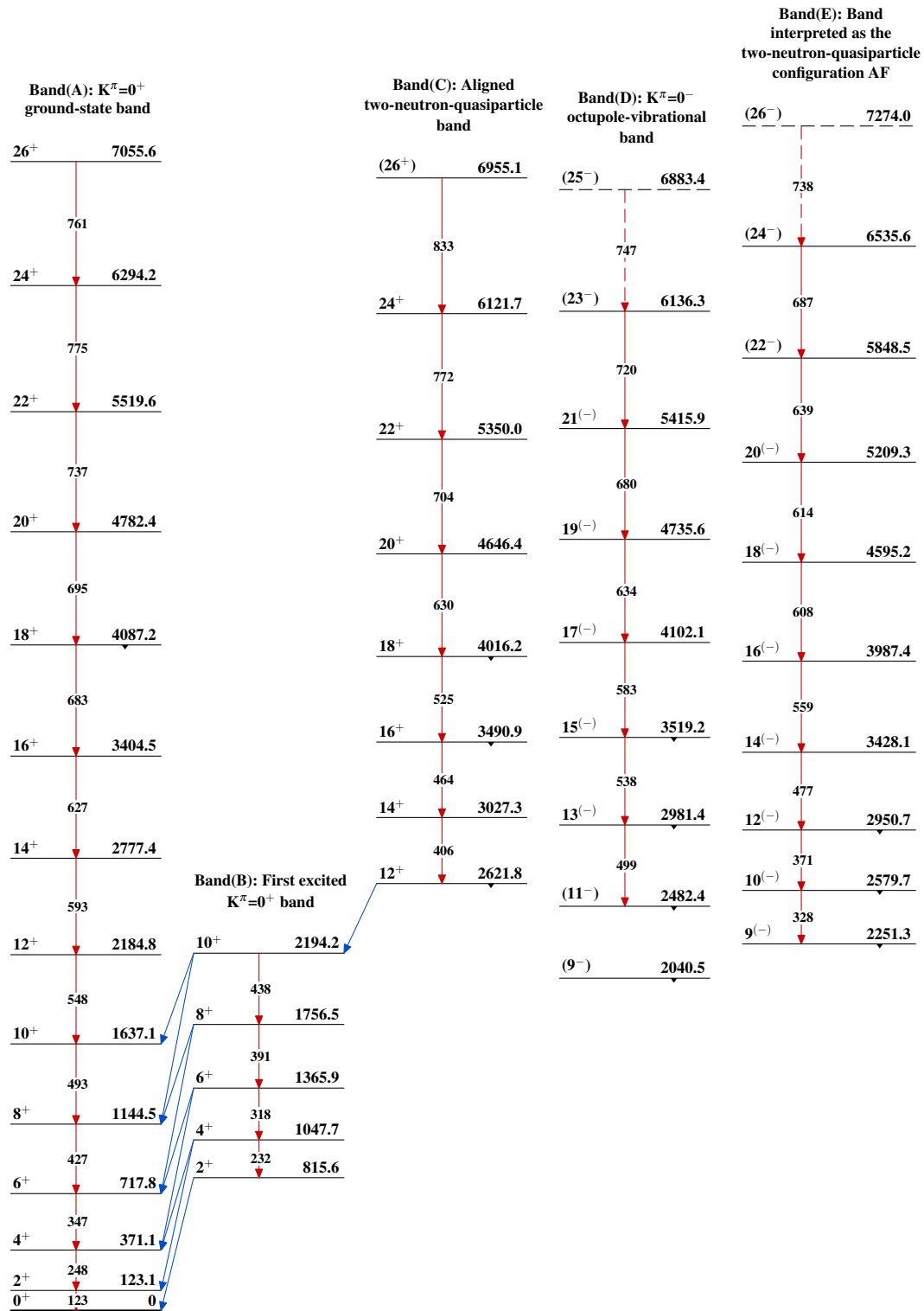
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Legend

- $\longrightarrow$ $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
- $\longrightarrow$ $I_\gamma < 10\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
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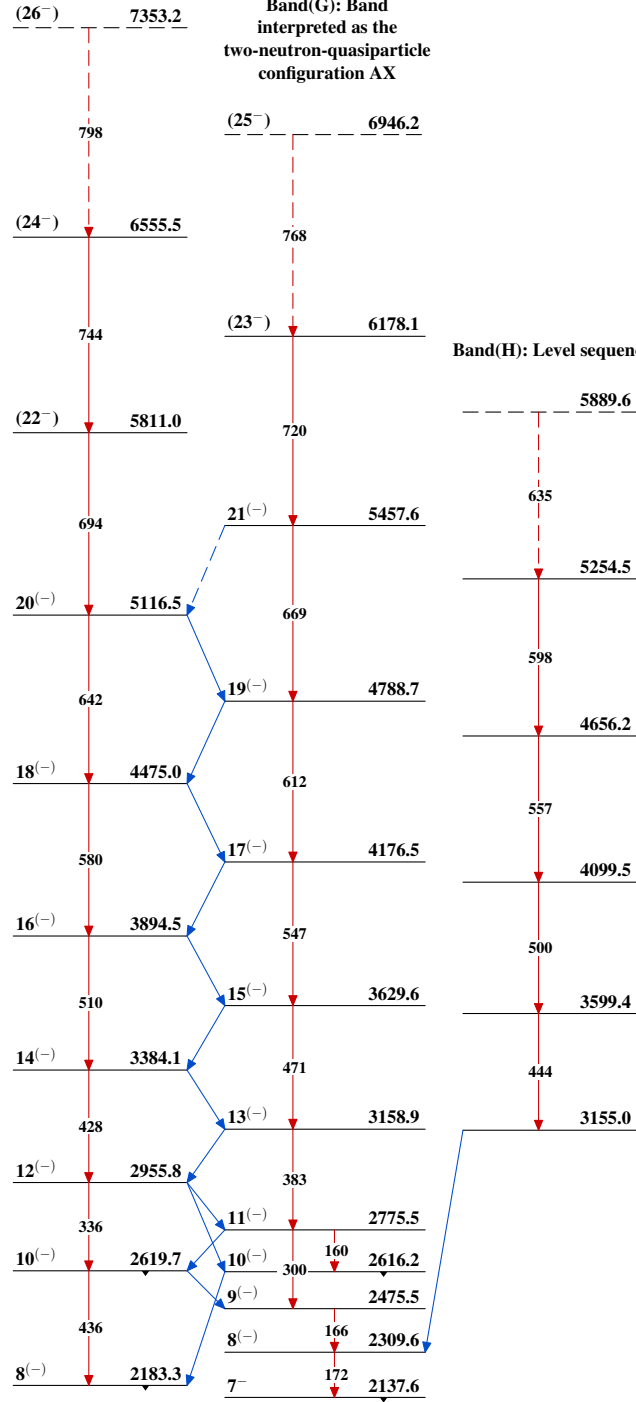
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Band(F): Band
interpreted as the
two-neutron-quasiparticle
configuration AY

Band(G): Band
interpreted as the
two-neutron-quasiparticle
configuration AX

Band(H): Level sequence

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