
 ^{159}Ta α decay (518 ms) [1996Pa01,1997Da07](#)

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Parent: ^{159}Ta : $E=64.5$; $J^\pi=11/2^-$; $T_{1/2}=518$ ms 19; $Q(\alpha)=5681.6$; $\% \alpha$ decay=55 1

^{159}Ta -E: [Additional information 1.](#)

^{159}Ta - J^π : [Additional information 2.](#)

^{159}Ta - $T_{1/2}$: [Additional information 3.](#)

^{159}Ta - $\% \alpha$ decay: From [1997Da07](#). Others: 73 14 ([1996Pa01](#)); and 80 5 ([1979Ho10](#)).

[1996Pa01](#): source material produced in heavy-ion fusion reactions initiated by ^{58}Ni and ^{70}Ge bombardment of ^{102}Pd , ^{106}Cd and ^{112}Sn targets, with bombarding energies ranging from 290 MeV to 354 MeV. Reaction products separated in a recoil mass separator and analyzed using a double-sided Si strip detector.

[1997Da07](#): material as α decay product of ^{167}Ir , produced via the $^{92}\text{Mo}(^{78}\text{Kr},p2n)$ reaction with $E(^{78}\text{Kr})=357$ and 384 MeV.

Reaction products separated in a fragment mass analyzer and analyzed using a thin position-sensitive parallel grid avalanche counter, followed by implantation into a double-sided Si strip detector.

The information from [1997Da07](#) on the α -decay chain headed by ^{167}Ir is also reported in [2001Da31](#).

Other: [1979Ho10](#).

 ^{155}Lu Levels

<u>E(level)</u>	<u>J^π</u>
0.0	$11/2^-$

 α radiations

<u>E_α</u>	<u>E(level)</u>	<u>$I_\alpha^\ddagger$</u>	<u>HF†</u>	<u>Comments</u>
5600 5	0.0	100	1.39 8	E_α : weighted average of: 5600 5 (1997Da07); 5599 5 (1996Pa01); and 5601 6 (1979Ho10).

† The nuclear radius parameter $r_0(^{155}\text{Lu})=1.5588\ 47$ is deduced from interpolation (or unweighted average) of radius parameters of the adjacent even-even nuclides.

‡ For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.55 1.