

$^{159}\text{Ho}$   $\varepsilon$  decay 1982Vy02,1971Bo18

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Parent:  $^{159}\text{Ho}$ : E=0;  $J^\pi=7/2^-$ ;  $T_{1/2}=33.05$  min 11;  $Q(\varepsilon)=1837.6$  27;  $\% \varepsilon + \% \beta^+$  decay=100.0

Additional information 1.

$^{159}\text{Ho}$  produced by 660-MeV proton spallation of Ta (1966Gr25,1968Ab15,1975GaYZ,1982Vy02), by Dy(p,xn)

(1971Bo18,1972Ki21), and by Tb( $\alpha$ ,4n) (1958To32). Measured  $\gamma$  singles, ce,  $\beta^+$ , and  $\gamma\gamma$  coincidence spectra.

The decay scheme and all  $\gamma$  and ce data are from 1982Vy02, unless otherwise noted. Others, with many fewer  $\gamma$ 's and without uncertainties: 1966Gr25, 1968Ab15, and 1971Bo18.

 $^{159}\text{Dy}$  Levels

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	$J^\pi$ <sup>‡</sup>	$T_{1/2}$ <sup>#</sup>	Comments
0 <sup>@</sup>	$3/2^-$		
56.625 <sup>@</sup> 6	$5/2^-$	0.21 ns 4	
136.435 <sup>@</sup> 6	$7/2^-$		
177.616 <sup>&amp;</sup> 6	$5/2^+$	9.2 ns 10	$T_{1/2}$ : other: 10.4 ns 10 (1975VaYX by same authors as 1978AIZC). 1972Ki21 report a half-life of 9 ns for a level at or above 177 keV and below 309 keV.
208.987 <sup>&amp;</sup> 6	$7/2^+$	1.35 ns 7	
235.853 <sup>@</sup> 10	$9/2^-$		
239.415 <sup>&amp;</sup> 10	$9/2^+$		
309.590 <sup>a</sup> 7	$5/2^-$	<0.2 ns	$T_{1/2}$ : 1975VaYX report 1.3 ns 2 for level at 309 keV. Since the same authors report this value for the 209-keV level in 1978AIZC, either the level energy is a typographical error or there was an error in the earlier measurement.
395.264 <sup>a</sup> 7	$7/2^-$		
504.972 <sup>a</sup> 17	$9/2^-$		
1016.236 <sup>b</sup> 11	$5/2^-$		
1075.837 14	$5/2^-$		
1090.560 <sup>b</sup> 13	$7/2^-$		
1153.674 16	$5/2^-, 7/2^-$		
1201.921 13	$5/2^-, 7/2^-$		
1286.92 4			
1370.684 22	$5/2^+$		

<sup>†</sup> From least-squares fit to  $\gamma$  energies.

<sup>‡</sup> From  $^{159}\text{Dy}$  Adopted Levels.

<sup>#</sup> From 1978AIZC by  $e\gamma(t)$  and  $\gamma\gamma(t)$ ; others: 1975VaYX, by the same authors as 1978AIZC, 1972Ki21 and 1975Gr44, the latter two without uncertainties. Values are from  $^{159}\text{Ho}$   $\varepsilon$  decay only; see the  $^{159}\text{Dy}$  Adopted Levels for additional data for the 177 level.

<sup>@</sup> Band(A):  $K^\pi=3/2^-$ ,  $\nu 3/2[521]$  band.

<sup>&</sup> Band(B):  $K^\pi=5/2^+$ ,  $\nu 5/2[642]$  band.

<sup>a</sup> Band(C):  $K^\pi=5/2^-$ ,  $\nu 5/2[523]$  band.

<sup>b</sup> Band(D):  $K^\pi=5/2^-$ ,  $\nu 5/2[512]$  band.

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$\epsilon, \beta^+$  radiations

E(decay) <sup>†</sup>	E(level)	$I\beta^+$ <sup>‡</sup> #	$I\epsilon$ <sup>‡</sup> #	Log <i>ft</i>	$I(\epsilon + \beta^+)$ <sup>#</sup>	Comments
(467 3)	1370.684		0.136 4	6.43 2	0.136 4	$\epsilon K=$ 0.8106; $\epsilon L=$ 0.1455 2; $\epsilon M+=$ 0.04389 6
(551 3)	1286.92		0.056 3	6.98 2	0.056 3	$\epsilon K=$ 0.8158; $\epsilon L=$ 0.1417; $\epsilon M+=$ 0.04254
(636 3)	1201.921		0.66 2	6.04 1	0.66 2	$\epsilon K=$ 0.8195; $\epsilon L=$ 0.1389; $\epsilon M+=$ 0.04156
(684 3)	1153.674		0.27 1	6.50 2	0.27 1	$\epsilon K=$ 0.8212; $\epsilon L=$ 0.1377; $\epsilon M+=$ 0.04113
(747 3)	1090.560		1.11 4	5.96 2	1.11 4	$\epsilon K=$ 0.8230; $\epsilon L=$ 0.1363; $\epsilon M+=$ 0.04065
(762 3)	1075.837		0.60 2	6.25 2	0.60 2	$\epsilon K=$ 0.8234; $\epsilon L=$ 0.1361; $\epsilon M+=$ 0.04056
(821 3)	1016.236		7.2 2	5.24 1	7.2 2	$\epsilon K=$ 0.8248; $\epsilon L=$ 0.1350; $\epsilon M+=$ 0.04020
(1333 3)	504.972		0.87 4	6.60 2	0.87 4	$\epsilon K=$ 0.8310; $\epsilon L=$ 0.1301; $\epsilon M+=$ 0.03848
(1442 3)	395.264	0.017 1	13.8 5	5.47 2	13.8 5	av $E\beta=$ 204.0 14; $\epsilon K=$ 0.8311; $\epsilon L=$ 0.1295; $\epsilon M+=$ 0.03825 E(decay): $E\beta^+=$ 460 32 (1975GaYZ), 421 +22-17 (1982Vy02), and 425 6 (1976KrZG). From Q( $\epsilon$ ), $E\beta^+=$ 419.
(1528 3)	309.590	0.180 7	70 2	4.81 1	70 2	$I\beta^+$ : The measured $I(\beta^+)=$ 0.020% 4 (1982Vy02) and < 0.068% (1975GaYZ). av $E\beta=$ 242.2 14; $\epsilon K=$ 0.8305; $\epsilon L=$ 0.1289; $\epsilon M+=$ 0.03806 E(decay): $E\beta^+=$ 516 9 (1975GaYZ), 506 3 (1982Vy02), and 508 2 (1976KrZG). From Q( $\epsilon$ ), $E\beta^+=$ 504.
(1598 3)	239.415	0.003 2	0.6 5	6.9 3	0.6 5	$I\beta^+$ : The measured $I(\beta^+)=$ 0.209% 16 (1982Vy02) and 0.189% 40 (1975GaYZ). av $E\beta=$ 273.0 14; $\epsilon K=$ 0.8294; $\epsilon L=$ 0.1284; $\epsilon M+=$ 0.03790
(1602 3)	235.853	0.0016 3	0.37 6	7.13 7	0.37 6	av $E\beta=$ 274.6 14; $\epsilon K=$ 0.8294; $\epsilon L=$ 0.1284; $\epsilon M+=$ 0.03789
(1629 3)	208.987	0.001 10	0.2 22	$\geq$ 6.4	0.2 22	av $E\beta=$ 286.4 14; $\epsilon K=$ 0.8288; $\epsilon L=$ 0.1282; $\epsilon M+=$ 0.03782
(1660 3)	177.616	0.012 20	1.6 23	$\geq$ 6.1	1.6 23	av $E\beta=$ 300.2 14; $\epsilon K=$ 0.8281; $\epsilon L=$ 0.1279; $\epsilon M+=$ 0.03774
(1701 3)	136.435	0.017	2.1 5	6.43 8	2.1 5	av $E\beta=$ 318.3 14; $\epsilon K=$ 0.8269; $\epsilon L=$ 0.1275; $\epsilon M+=$ 0.03763 E(decay): See comment for 56 level.
(1781 3)	56.625	0.013 40	1.1 30	$\geq$ 6.2	1.1 30	$I\beta^+$ : See comment for 56 level. av $E\beta=$ 353.3 14; $\epsilon K=$ 0.8238; $\epsilon L=$ 0.1268; $\epsilon M+=$ 0.03738 E(decay): $E\beta^+=$ 805 25 (1975GaYZ), 790 40 (1982Vy02), and 773 10 (1976KrZG), which would include the branches to the 56 and 136 levels. From Q( $\epsilon$ ), $E\beta^+=$ 757 and 678 to these two levels.
(1838 3)	0		$\leq$ 0.0001		$\leq$ 0.0001	$I\beta^+$ : For the 56 and 136 levels, the measured $I(\beta^+)=$ 0.0218% 23 (1982Vy02) and 0.019% 8 (1975GaYZ). $I\epsilon$ : Calculated from expected (1973Ra10) log <i>ft</i> $\geq$ 11.0 for 2nd forbidden $\epsilon + \beta^+$ decay.

<sup>†</sup> The measured values are given in comments.

<sup>‡</sup> The  $I(\beta^+)+I(\epsilon)$  are from  $\gamma$ -intensity balances at the various levels, and the  $I(\beta^+)$  and  $I(\epsilon)$  are then computed from the theoretical capture to positron ratios. The uncertainties do not include any contribution from the incompleteness of the decay scheme as indicated by the many unplaced  $\gamma$  rays. The measured  $I(\beta^+)$  values are given in comments for comparison, and are in good agreement.

<sup>#</sup> Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

$\gamma(^{159}\text{Dy})$

I <sub>$\gamma$</sub>  normalization: calculated to give 100%  $\gamma$ +ce feeding of the ground state. The  $\beta^+$  and  $\varepsilon$  transition to the ground state is 2nd forbidden, hence negligible.

$E_\gamma$ †	$I_\gamma$ ‡#&	$E_i$ (level)	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Mult. @	$\delta$ @	$\alpha^a$	$I_{(\gamma+ce)}$ &	Comments
30.427 13	0.367 14	239.415	9/2 <sup>+</sup>	208.987	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	0.13 2	20 3		$\alpha(L)=15.8$ 20; $\alpha(M)=3.6$ 5; $\alpha(N+..)=0.93$ 12 $\alpha(N)=0.82$ 11; $\alpha(O)=0.110$ 13; $\alpha(P)=0.00402$ 6
31.378 8	1.38 3	208.987	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	177.616	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	0.19 2	26 3		$\alpha(L)=19.9$ 24; $\alpha(M)=4.6$ 6; $\alpha(N+..)=1.17$ 14 $\alpha(N)=1.04$ 13; $\alpha(O)=0.134$ 15; $\alpha(P)=0.00361$ 6
41.182 4	3.17 19	177.616	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	136.435	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	E1		0.612		$\alpha(L)=0.480$ 7; $\alpha(M)=0.1059$ 15; $\alpha(N+..)=0.0267$ 4 $\alpha(N)=0.0236$ 4; $\alpha(O)=0.00299$ 5; $\alpha(P)=0.0001021$ 15
56.626 8	14.3 3	56.625	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	0	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1+E2	0.19 2	12.76 21		$\alpha(K)=10.04$ 16; $\alpha(L)=2.12$ 13; $\alpha(M)=0.48$ 3; $\alpha(N+..)=0.125$ 8 $\alpha(N)=0.110$ 7; $\alpha(O)=0.0151$ 8; $\alpha(P)=0.000637$ 10
61.77 <sup>b</sup> 11		239.415	9/2 <sup>+</sup>	177.616	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	E2		17.9	0.34 4	ce(K)/( $\gamma$ +ce)=0.135 3; ce(L)/( $\gamma$ +ce)=0.624 8; ce(M)/( $\gamma$ +ce)=0.150 3; ce(N+)/( $\gamma$ +ce)=0.0375 9 ce(N)/( $\gamma$ +ce)=0.0336 8; ce(O)/( $\gamma$ +ce)=0.00396 9; ce(P)/( $\gamma$ +ce)=7.07×10 <sup>-6</sup> 15 I <sub>(<math>\gamma</math>+ce)</sub> : Value listed by author (1982Vy02), but no supporting I <sub><math>\gamma</math></sub> or ce data given. Placement shown in table of $\gamma$ data, but not in decay-scheme table.
<sup>x</sup> 68.79 3	0.115 25									
72.546 4	1.10 4	208.987	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	136.435	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	E1		0.723		$\alpha(K)=0.597$ 9; $\alpha(L)=0.0982$ 14; $\alpha(M)=0.0216$ 3; $\alpha(N+..)=0.00555$ 8 $\alpha(N)=0.00487$ 7; $\alpha(O)=0.000650$ 9; $\alpha(P)=2.64\times 10^{-5}$ 4
79.807 3	5.10 16	136.435	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	56.625	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1+E2	0.18 2	4.64		$\alpha(K)=3.79$ 6; $\alpha(L)=0.661$ 23; $\alpha(M)=0.148$ 6; $\alpha(N+..)=0.0390$ 14 $\alpha(N)=0.0339$ 13; $\alpha(O)=0.00480$ 15; $\alpha(P)=0.000236$ 4
85.669 9	0.413 23	395.264	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	309.590	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1+E2	0.65 10	4.07 10		$\alpha(K)=2.69$ 11; $\alpha(L)=1.07$ 14; $\alpha(M)=0.25$ 4; $\alpha(N+..)=0.064$ 8 $\alpha(N)=0.057$ 8; $\alpha(O)=0.0072$ 9; $\alpha(P)=0.000158$ 9
99.419 10	0.65 3	235.853	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	136.435	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	E2		2.77		$\alpha(K)=1.139$ 16; $\alpha(L)=1.255$ 18; $\alpha(M)=0.301$ 5; $\alpha(N+..)=0.0756$ 11 $\alpha(N)=0.0674$ 10; $\alpha(O)=0.00810$ 12; $\alpha(P)=4.72\times 10^{-5}$ 7
100.599 8	13.3 5	309.590	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	208.987	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1		0.304		$\alpha(K)=0.254$ 4; $\alpha(L)=0.0393$ 6; $\alpha(M)=0.00862$ 12; $\alpha(N+..)=0.00224$ 4 $\alpha(N)=0.00196$ 3; $\alpha(O)=0.000267$ 4; $\alpha(P)=1.170\times 10^{-5}$ 17
102.985 22	0.52 6	239.415	9/2 <sup>+</sup>	136.435	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	[E1]		0.285		$\alpha(K)=0.238$ 4; $\alpha(L)=0.0368$ 6; $\alpha(M)=0.00807$ 12; $\alpha(N+..)=0.00210$ 3 $\alpha(N)=0.00183$ 3; $\alpha(O)=0.000250$ 4; $\alpha(P)=1.104\times 10^{-5}$ 16
121.012 14	100.0 18	177.616	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	56.625	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	E1		0.185		$\alpha(K)=0.1553$ 22; $\alpha(L)=0.0235$ 4; $\alpha(M)=0.00515$ 8;

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<u>γ(<sup>159</sup>Dy) (continued)</u>										
<u>E<sub>γ</sub> †</u>	<u>I<sub>γ</sub> ‡#&amp;</u>	<u>E<sub>i</sub>(level)</u>	<u>J<sub>i</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>f</sub></u>	<u>J<sub>f</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>Mult. @</u>	<u>δ @</u>	<u>α<sup>a</sup></u>	<u>I<sub>(γ+ce)</sub> &amp;</u>	<u>Comments</u>
131.973 10	65.2 12	309.590	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	177.616	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1		0.1470		α(N+..)=0.001341 19 α(N)=0.001172 17; α(O)=0.0001615 23; α(P)=7.36×10 <sup>-6</sup> 11 α(K)=0.1234 18; α(L)=0.0185 3; α(M)=0.00405 6; α(N+..)=0.001056 15
136.438 20	1.15 4	136.435	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	0	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	E2		0.879		α(N)=0.000922 13; α(O)=0.0001276 18; α(P)=5.91×10 <sup>-6</sup> 9 α(K)=0.486 7; α(L)=0.303 5; α(M)=0.0720 10; α(N+..)=0.0182 3
152.375 13	2.94 16	208.987	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	56.625	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	E1		0.1000		α(N)=0.01618 23; α(O)=0.00198 3; α(P)=2.12×10 <sup>-5</sup> 3 α(K)=0.0841 12; α(L)=0.01245 18; α(M)=0.00272 4; α(N+..)=0.000712 10
155.851 13	5.36 18	395.264	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	239.415	9/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1		0.0941		α(N)=0.000622 9; α(O)=8.66×10 <sup>-5</sup> 13; α(P)=4.11×10 <sup>-6</sup> 6 α(K)=0.0792 11; α(L)=0.01170 17; α(M)=0.00256 4; α(N+..)=0.000670 10
159.426 16	1.00 5	395.264	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	235.853	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1		0.637		α(N)=0.000584 9; α(O)=8.15×10 <sup>-5</sup> 12; α(P)=3.89×10 <sup>-6</sup> 6 α(K)=0.537 8; α(L)=0.0785 11; α(M)=0.01724 25; α(N+..)=0.00461 7
173.155 17	5.92 14	309.590	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	136.435	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1		0.506		α(N)=0.00399 6; α(O)=0.000584 9; α(P)=3.34×10 <sup>-5</sup> 5 α(K)=0.426 6; α(L)=0.0623 9; α(M)=0.01367 20; α(N+..)=0.00365 6
177.608 10	14.8 6	177.616	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	0	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	E1		0.0665		α(N)=0.00316 5; α(O)=0.000463 7; α(P)=2.65×10 <sup>-5</sup> 4 α(K)=0.0560 8; α(L)=0.00820 12; α(M)=0.00179 3; α(N+..)=0.000470 7
179.250 22	0.35 4	235.853	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	56.625	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	E2		0.342		α(N)=0.000410 6; α(O)=5.74×10 <sup>-5</sup> 8; α(P)=2.80×10 <sup>-6</sup> 4 α(K)=0.220 3; α(L)=0.0942 14; α(M)=0.0222 4; α(N+..)=0.00564 8
186.274 9	9.3 4	395.264	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	208.987	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1		0.0586		α(N)=0.00500 7; α(O)=0.000626 9; α(P)=1.021×10 <sup>-5</sup> 15 α(K)=0.0494 7; α(L)=0.00720 10; α(M)=0.001575 22; α(N+..)=0.000413 6
195.40 5	0.122 17	504.972	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	309.590	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	E2		0.255		α(N)=0.000360 5; α(O)=5.06×10 <sup>-5</sup> 7; α(P)=2.48×10 <sup>-6</sup> 4 α(K)=0.1701 24; α(L)=0.0659 10; α(M)=0.01548 22; α(N+..)=0.00394 6
217.647 8	10.1 3	395.264	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	177.616	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1		0.0390		α(N)=0.00349 5; α(O)=0.000441 7; α(P)=8.07×10 <sup>-6</sup> 12 α(K)=0.0329 5; α(L)=0.00475 7; α(M)=0.001037 15; α(N+..)=0.000273 4
252.963 8	37.8 11	309.590	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	56.625	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1		0.179		α(N)=0.000238 4; α(O)=3.35×10 <sup>-5</sup> 5; α(P)=1.682×10 <sup>-6</sup> 24 α(K)=0.1507 22; α(L)=0.0218 3; α(M)=0.00478 7; α(N+..)=0.001278 18
258.822 11	5.08 17	395.264	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	136.435	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1		0.1679		α(N)=0.001106 16; α(O)=0.0001622 23; α(P)=9.32×10 <sup>-6</sup> 13 α(K)=0.1417 20; α(L)=0.0205 3; α(M)=0.00449 7; α(N+..)=0.001200 17
265.56 6	0.56 3	504.972	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	239.415	9/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1		0.0234		α(N)=0.001039 15; α(O)=0.0001524 22; α(P)=8.76×10 <sup>-6</sup> 13 α(K)=0.0198 3; α(L)=0.00282 4; α(M)=0.000615 9; α(N+..)=0.0001621 23
269.11 5	0.229 24	504.972	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	235.853	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1		0.1511		α(N)=0.0001410 20; α(O)=2.00×10 <sup>-5</sup> 3; α(P)=1.031×10 <sup>-6</sup> 15 α(K)=0.1276 18; α(L)=0.0184 3; α(M)=0.00404 6;

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γ(<sup>159</sup>Dy) (continued)

<u>E<sub>γ</sub><sup>†</sup></u>	<u>I<sub>γ</sub><sup>##&amp;</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>i</sub>(level)</u>	<u>J<sub>i</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>f</sub></u>	<u>J<sub>f</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>Mult.<sup>@</sup></u>	<u>δ<sup>@</sup></u>	<u>α<sup>a</sup></u>	<u>Comments</u>
295.939 23	1.49 6	504.972	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	208.987	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	[E1]		0.01779	α(N+..)=0.001080 16 α(N)=0.000935 13; α(O)=0.0001371 20; α(P)=7.88×10 <sup>-6</sup> 11 α(K)=0.01507 22; α(L)=0.00213 3; α(M)=0.000465 7; α(N+..)=0.0001228 18 α(N)=0.0001068 15; α(O)=1.523×10 <sup>-5</sup> 22; α(P)=7.94×10 <sup>-7</sup> 12 E <sub>γ</sub> : Reported as 295.393 23 in one table, but the listed value is given in another table.
309.594 18	47.6 16	309.590	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	0	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1		0.1038	α(K)=0.0877 13; α(L)=0.01261 18; α(M)=0.00276 4; α(N+..)=0.000739 11 α(N)=0.000640 9; α(O)=9.38×10 <sup>-5</sup> 14; α(P)=5.41×10 <sup>-6</sup> 8
<sup>x</sup> 326.30 4 338.63 3	0.046 4 2.22 19	395.264	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	56.625	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1+E2	0.65 20	0.071 5	α(K)=0.059 5; α(L)=0.0094 3; α(M)=0.00208 5; α(N+..)=0.000552 15 α(N)=0.000480 13; α(O)=6.86×10 <sup>-5</sup> 25; α(P)=3.5×10 <sup>-6</sup> 4
<sup>x</sup> 353.68 18 <sup>x</sup> 372.00 13 <sup>x</sup> 385.38 15 395.258 14	0.067 10 0.033 8 0.037 6 0.97 3	395.264	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	0	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	E2		0.0287	α(K)=0.0225 4; α(L)=0.00482 7; α(M)=0.001096 16; α(N+..)=0.000285 4 α(N)=0.000250 4; α(O)=3.38×10 <sup>-5</sup> 5; α(P)=1.224×10 <sup>-6</sup> 18
<sup>x</sup> 412.3 9 <sup>x</sup> 417.45 16 448.46 4	0.026 5 0.032 6 0.031 4	504.972	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	56.625	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	E1,E2 E2		0.0202	α(K)=0.01610 23; α(L)=0.00321 5; α(M)=0.000726 11; α(N+..)=0.000189 3 α(N)=0.0001659 24; α(O)=2.27×10 <sup>-5</sup> 4; α(P)=8.91×10 <sup>-7</sup> 13 α(K)=0.01567 22; α(L)=0.00311 5; α(M)=0.000702 10; α(N+..)=0.000183 3 α(N)=0.0001604 23; α(O)=2.19×10 <sup>-5</sup> 3; α(P)=8.68×10 <sup>-7</sup> 13
<sup>x</sup> 453.21 9	0.043 8					E2		0.0197	
<sup>x</sup> 472.53 15 <sup>x</sup> 543.51 9 <sup>x</sup> 546.25 17 <sup>x</sup> 565.85 10	0.108 5 0.056 13 0.93 7 0.094 5					E2		0.01106	α(K)=0.00900 13; α(L)=0.001603 23; α(M)=0.000359 5; α(N+..)=9.42×10 <sup>-5</sup> 14 α(N)=8.23×10 <sup>-5</sup> 12; α(O)=1.146×10 <sup>-5</sup> 16; α(P)=5.09×10 <sup>-7</sup> 8
<sup>x</sup> 580.75 20 585.54 6	0.097 9 0.086 5	1090.560	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	504.972	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1		0.0199	α(K)=0.01685 24; α(L)=0.00237 4; α(M)=0.000519 8; α(N+..)=0.0001388 20 α(N)=0.0001201 17; α(O)=1.765×10 <sup>-5</sup> 25; α(P)=1.027×10 <sup>-6</sup> 15
<sup>x</sup> 603.08 12 <sup>x</sup> 608.69 17 <sup>x</sup> 618.0 5 620.95 4	0.074 5 0.046 5 0.062 10 0.76 4	1016.236	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	395.264	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1+E2	0.59 16	0.0150 9	α(K)=0.0127 8; α(L)=0.00184 9; α(M)=0.000403 19;

<sup>159</sup>Ho ε decay **1982Vy02,1971Bo18** (continued)

γ(<sup>159</sup>Dy) (continued)

$E_\gamma$ †	$I_\gamma$ ‡#&	$E_i$ (level)	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Mult. @	$\delta$ @	$\alpha^a$	Comments
649.42	0.039 8	1153.674	5/2 <sup>-</sup> , 7/2 <sup>-</sup>	504.972	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	[M1,E2]		0.012 4	$\alpha(N+..)=0.000107$ 5 $\alpha(N)=9.3\times 10^{-5}$ 5; $\alpha(O)=1.36\times 10^{-5}$ 7; $\alpha(P)=7.6\times 10^{-7}$ 5 $E_\gamma$ : Uncertainty reported as 0.06 keV, but energy differs by 0.68 keV from level energy difference. The large difference suggests $\gamma$ might be misplaced or $E_\gamma$ value incorrectly given.
<sup>x</sup> 658.11 12	0.068 5					(M1)		0.01483	$\alpha(K)=0.01258$ 18; $\alpha(L)=0.001765$ 25; $\alpha(M)=0.000386$ 6; $\alpha(N+..)=0.0001031$ 15 $\alpha(N)=8.92\times 10^{-5}$ 13; $\alpha(O)=1.312\times 10^{-5}$ 19; $\alpha(P)=7.65\times 10^{-7}$ 11
680.79 6	0.052 3	1075.837	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	395.264	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	[M1,E2]		0.010 4	
695.25 3	0.189 27	1090.560	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	395.264	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1		0.01293	$\alpha(K)=0.01097$ 16; $\alpha(L)=0.001536$ 22; $\alpha(M)=0.000336$ 5; $\alpha(N+..)=8.98\times 10^{-5}$ 13 $\alpha(N)=7.77\times 10^{-5}$ 11; $\alpha(O)=1.142\times 10^{-5}$ 16; $\alpha(P)=6.66\times 10^{-7}$ 10
706.648 15	3.26 7	1016.236	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	309.590	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1		0.01242	$\alpha(K)=0.01054$ 15; $\alpha(L)=0.001475$ 21; $\alpha(M)=0.000322$ 5; $\alpha(N+..)=8.62\times 10^{-5}$ 12 $\alpha(N)=7.46\times 10^{-5}$ 11; $\alpha(O)=1.096\times 10^{-5}$ 16; $\alpha(P)=6.40\times 10^{-7}$ 9
758.330 24	0.165 6	1153.674	5/2 <sup>-</sup> , 7/2 <sup>-</sup>	395.264	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1+E2	0.87 5	0.00832 19	$\alpha(K)=0.00702$ 16; $\alpha(L)=0.001019$ 21; $\alpha(M)=0.000224$ 5; $\alpha(N+..)=5.96\times 10^{-5}$ 12 $\alpha(N)=5.17\times 10^{-5}$ 11; $\alpha(O)=7.52\times 10^{-6}$ 16; $\alpha(P)=4.19\times 10^{-7}$ 10
766.12 5	0.323 8	1075.837	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	309.590	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1+E2	0.59 13	0.0089 5	$\alpha(K)=0.0076$ 4; $\alpha(L)=0.00108$ 5; $\alpha(M)=0.000236$ 10; $\alpha(N+..)=6.3\times 10^{-5}$ 3 $\alpha(N)=5.46\times 10^{-5}$ 22; $\alpha(O)=8.0\times 10^{-6}$ 4; $\alpha(P)=4.55\times 10^{-7}$ 23 $E_\gamma$ : Uncertainty increased from 0.022 keV, due to inconsistency with other $\gamma$ 's from this level.
780.99 3	0.134 5	1090.560	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	309.590	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1+E2	0.77 20	0.0080 6	$\alpha(K)=0.0068$ 5; $\alpha(L)=0.00097$ 6; $\alpha(M)=0.000214$ 13; $\alpha(N+..)=5.7\times 10^{-5}$ 4 $\alpha(N)=4.9\times 10^{-5}$ 3; $\alpha(O)=7.2\times 10^{-6}$ 5; $\alpha(P)=4.1\times 10^{-7}$ 4
807.236 16	3.54 7	1016.236	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	208.987	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1		0.00188	$\alpha(K)=0.001606$ 23; $\alpha(L)=0.000215$ 3; $\alpha(M)=4.67\times 10^{-5}$ 7; $\alpha(N+..)=1.243\times 10^{-5}$ 18 $\alpha(N)=1.078\times 10^{-5}$ 15; $\alpha(O)=1.570\times 10^{-6}$ 22; $\alpha(P)=8.92\times 10^{-8}$ 13
838.625 18	10.61 25	1016.236	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	177.616	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1		1.75×10 <sup>-3</sup>	$\alpha(K)=0.001491$ 21; $\alpha(L)=0.000199$ 3; $\alpha(M)=4.33\times 10^{-5}$ 6; $\alpha(N+..)=1.152\times 10^{-5}$ 17 $\alpha(N)=9.98\times 10^{-6}$ 14; $\alpha(O)=1.455\times 10^{-6}$ 21; $\alpha(P)=8.29\times 10^{-8}$ 12

<sup>159</sup>Ho ε decay **1982Vy02,1971Bo18** (continued)

γ(<sup>159</sup>Dy) (continued)

<u>E<sub>γ</sub><sup>†</sup></u>	<u>I<sub>γ</sub><sup>‡#&amp;</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>i</sub>(level)</u>	<u>J<sub>i</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>f</sub></u>	<u>J<sub>f</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>Mult.<sup>@</sup></u>	<u>α<sup>a</sup></u>	<u>Comments</u>
843.78 7	0.073 11	1153.674	5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,7/2 <sup>-</sup>	309.590	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	[M1,E2]	0.0062 19	E <sub>γ</sub> : From the decay-scheme table (table 5) of 1982Vy02, but given as 838.635 18 in the table of γ radiation (table 2) of the same reference.
851.133 19	0.696 16	1090.560	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	239.415	9/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1	1.70×10 <sup>-3</sup>	E <sub>γ</sub> : Uncertainty reported as 0.07 keV, but energy differs by 0.32 keV from level energy difference. The large difference suggests γ might be misplaced or E <sub>γ</sub> value incorrectly given. α(K)=0.001449 21; α(L)=0.000194 3; α(M)=4.20×10 <sup>-5</sup> 6; α(N+..)=1.119×10 <sup>-5</sup> 16 α(N)=9.69×10 <sup>-6</sup> 14; α(O)=1.413×10 <sup>-6</sup> 20; α(P)=8.06×10 <sup>-8</sup> 12
<sup>x</sup> 862.94 6	0.060 5	1075.837	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	208.987	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	[E1]	1.64×10 <sup>-3</sup>	α(K)=0.001399 20; α(L)=0.000187 3; α(M)=4.05×10 <sup>-5</sup> 6; α(N+..)=1.079×10 <sup>-5</sup> 16 α(N)=9.35×10 <sup>-6</sup> 13; α(O)=1.363×10 <sup>-6</sup> 19; α(P)=7.78×10 <sup>-8</sup> 11
866.82 4	0.109 4							
<sup>x</sup> 874.67 6	0.063 9					(M1)	0.00735	α(K)=0.00624 9; α(L)=0.000867 13; α(M)=0.000189 3; α(N+..)=5.06×10 <sup>-5</sup> 7 α(N)=4.38×10 <sup>-5</sup> 7; α(O)=6.44×10 <sup>-6</sup> 9; α(P)=3.77×10 <sup>-7</sup> 6
879.55 20	0.248 7	1016.236	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	136.435	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	E2	0.00399	α(K)=0.00334 5; α(L)=0.000511 8; α(M)=0.0001129 16; α(N+..)=2.99×10 <sup>-5</sup> 5 α(N)=2.60×10 <sup>-5</sup> 4; α(O)=3.72×10 <sup>-6</sup> 6; α(P)=1.92×10 <sup>-7</sup> 3 E <sub>γ</sub> : Uncertainty increased from 0.04 keV, due to inconsistency with energy of 1016 γ from this level.
881.55 3	1.034 22	1090.560	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	208.987	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1	1.58×10 <sup>-3</sup>	α(K)=0.001354 19; α(L)=0.000181 3; α(M)=3.92×10 <sup>-5</sup> 6; α(N+..)=1.044×10 <sup>-5</sup> 15 α(N)=9.04×10 <sup>-6</sup> 13; α(O)=1.319×10 <sup>-6</sup> 19; α(P)=7.53×10 <sup>-8</sup> 11
892.288 23	0.252 8	1201.921	5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,7/2 <sup>-</sup>	309.590	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1	0.00700	α(K)=0.00595 9; α(L)=0.000825 12; α(M)=0.000180 3; α(N+..)=4.82×10 <sup>-5</sup> 7 α(N)=4.17×10 <sup>-5</sup> 6; α(O)=6.13×10 <sup>-6</sup> 9; α(P)=3.59×10 <sup>-7</sup> 5
898.167 25	0.135 3	1075.837	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	177.616	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1	1.53×10 <sup>-3</sup>	α(K)=0.001306 19; α(L)=0.0001742 25; α(M)=3.78×10 <sup>-5</sup> 6; α(N+..)=1.006×10 <sup>-5</sup> 14 α(N)=8.72×10 <sup>-6</sup> 13; α(O)=1.272×10 <sup>-6</sup> 18; α(P)=7.27×10 <sup>-8</sup> 11
913.119	0.741 15	1090.560	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	177.616	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1	1.48×10 <sup>-3</sup>	α(K)=0.001266 18; α(L)=0.0001687 24; α(M)=3.66×10 <sup>-5</sup> 6; α(N+..)=9.75×10 <sup>-6</sup> 14 α(N)=8.44×10 <sup>-6</sup> 12; α(O)=1.232×10 <sup>-6</sup> 18; α(P)=7.05×10 <sup>-8</sup> 10 E <sub>γ</sub> : Uncertainty reported as 0.020 keV, but energy differs by 0.12 keV from level-energy difference. The large difference suggests γ might be misplaced or E <sub>γ</sub> value incorrectly given.
939.45 3	0.137 4	1075.837	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	136.435	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	E2	0.00347	α(K)=0.00291 4; α(L)=0.000439 7; α(M)=9.66×10 <sup>-5</sup> 14; α(N+..)=2.56×10 <sup>-5</sup> 4 α(N)=2.22×10 <sup>-5</sup> 4; α(O)=3.20×10 <sup>-6</sup> 5; α(P)=1.676×10 <sup>-7</sup> 24
944.85 4	0.118 5	1153.674	5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,7/2 <sup>-</sup>	208.987	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1	1.39×10 <sup>-3</sup>	α(K)=0.001187 17; α(L)=0.0001579 23; α(M)=3.43×10 <sup>-5</sup> 5; α(N+..)=9.12×10 <sup>-6</sup> 13 α(N)=7.90×10 <sup>-6</sup> 11; α(O)=1.154×10 <sup>-6</sup> 17; α(P)=6.61×10 <sup>-8</sup> 10

<sup>159</sup>Ho ε decay **1982Vγ02,1971Bo18** (continued)

γ(<sup>159</sup>Dy) (continued)

$E_\gamma$ †	$I_\gamma$ ‡#&	$E_i$ (level)	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Mult. @	$\alpha^a$	Comments
<sup>x</sup> 951.37 10 954.19 9	0.040 3 0.034 3	1090.560	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	136.435	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	E0+(M1,E2)		Mult.: %E0≈1.0, with deduced value depending on M1,E2 mixture.
959.66 5	0.089 4	1016.236	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	56.625	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	E0+(M1,E2)		Mult.: %E0≈1.0, with deduced value depending on M1,E2 mixture.
976.09 4	0.127 6	1153.674	5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,7/2 <sup>-</sup>	177.616	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	(E1)	1.31×10 <sup>-3</sup>	α(K)=0.001116 16; α(L)=0.0001483 21; α(M)=3.22×10 <sup>-5</sup> 5; α(N+..)=8.57×10 <sup>-6</sup> 12 α(N)=7.42×10 <sup>-6</sup> 11; α(O)=1.084×10 <sup>-6</sup> 16; α(P)=6.23×10 <sup>-8</sup> 9
<sup>x</sup> 981.80 5 992.940 25	0.059 4 0.213 5	1201.921	5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,7/2 <sup>-</sup>	208.987	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1	1.26×10 <sup>-3</sup>	α(K)=0.001081 16; α(L)=0.0001436 20; α(M)=3.11×10 <sup>-5</sup> 5; α(N+..)=8.29×10 <sup>-6</sup> 12 α(N)=7.18×10 <sup>-6</sup> 10; α(O)=1.049×10 <sup>-6</sup> 15; α(P)=6.03×10 <sup>-8</sup> 9
<sup>x</sup> 1002.23 22 1016.356	0.024 2 1.32 3	1016.236	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	0	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1	0.00510	α(K)=0.00434 6; α(L)=0.000600 9; α(M)=0.0001309 19; α(N+..)=3.50×10 <sup>-5</sup> 5 α(N)=3.03×10 <sup>-5</sup> 5; α(O)=4.46×10 <sup>-6</sup> 7; α(P)=2.62×10 <sup>-7</sup> 4 Eγ: Uncertainty reported as 0.021 keV, but energy differs by 0.10 keV from level energy difference. The large difference suggests γ might be misplaced or Eγ value incorrectly given.
1019.20 3	0.543 13	1075.837	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	56.625	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	E0+(M1,E2)		Mult.: %E0≈0.9, with deduced value depending on M1,E2 mixture.
1024.317 24	0.675 15	1201.921	5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,7/2 <sup>-</sup>	177.616	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1	1.19×10 <sup>-3</sup>	α(K)=0.001021 15; α(L)=0.0001353 19; α(M)=2.94×10 <sup>-5</sup> 5; α(N+..)=7.82×10 <sup>-6</sup> 11 α(N)=6.77×10 <sup>-6</sup> 10; α(O)=9.90×10 <sup>-7</sup> 14; α(P)=5.70×10 <sup>-8</sup> 8
1034.00 3	0.146 3	1090.560	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	56.625	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	E2	0.00284	α(K)=0.00239 4; α(L)=0.000353 5; α(M)=7.76×10 <sup>-5</sup> 11; α(N+..)=2.06×10 <sup>-5</sup> 3 α(N)=1.79×10 <sup>-5</sup> 3; α(O)=2.58×10 <sup>-6</sup> 4; α(P)=1.379×10 <sup>-7</sup> 20
<sup>x</sup> 1038.33 10 1047.62 10 1061.11 4 1065.43 6	0.0197 14 0.0196 20 0.065 2 0.044 3	1286.92 1370.684	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	239.415 309.590	9/2 <sup>+</sup> 5/2 <sup>-</sup>	E2	0.00267	α(K)=0.00225 4; α(L)=0.000330 5; α(M)=7.25×10 <sup>-5</sup> 11; α(N+..)=1.92×10 <sup>-5</sup> 3 α(N)=1.671×10 <sup>-5</sup> 24; α(O)=2.41×10 <sup>-6</sup> 4; α(P)=1.298×10 <sup>-7</sup> 19 Mult.: Given as E2 in the table of γ radiation (table 2), but not listed in the decay-scheme table (table 5).
1075.87 3	0.349 8	1075.837	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	0	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	E2	0.00262	α(K)=0.00221 3; α(L)=0.000323 5; α(M)=7.10×10 <sup>-5</sup> 10; α(N+..)=1.88×10 <sup>-5</sup> 3 α(N)=1.635×10 <sup>-5</sup> 23; α(O)=2.36×10 <sup>-6</sup> 4; α(P)=1.273×10 <sup>-7</sup> 18
1078.0 5	0.020 4	1286.92		208.987	7/2 <sup>+</sup>			

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<sup>159</sup>Ho ε decay [1982Vy02,1971Bo18](#) (continued)

γ(<sup>159</sup>Dy) (continued)

E <sub>γ</sub> <sup>†</sup>	I <sub>γ</sub> <sup>‡#&amp;</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. <sup>@</sup>	α <sup>a</sup>	Comments
1097.03 6	0.051 2	1153.674	5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,7/2 <sup>-</sup>	56.625	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	[M1,E2]	0.0034 9	
1109.48 9	0.029 2	1286.92		177.616	5/2 <sup>+</sup>			
1145.32 3	0.160 4	1201.921	5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,7/2 <sup>-</sup>	56.625	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	E2	0.00231	α(K)=0.00195 3; α(L)=0.000282 4; α(M)=6.18×10 <sup>-5</sup> 9; α(N+..)=1.779×10 <sup>-5</sup> 25 α(N)=1.425×10 <sup>-5</sup> 20; α(O)=2.06×10 <sup>-6</sup> 3; α(P)=1.124×10 <sup>-7</sup> 16; α(IPF)=1.368×10 <sup>-6</sup> 20
1150.50 8	0.028 2	1286.92		136.435	7/2 <sup>-</sup>			
1153.68 3	0.176 4	1153.674	5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,7/2 <sup>-</sup>	0	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	E2	0.00228	α(K)=0.00192 3; α(L)=0.000278 4; α(M)=6.09×10 <sup>-5</sup> 9; α(N+..)=1.79×10 <sup>-5</sup> 3 α(N)=1.403×10 <sup>-5</sup> 20; α(O)=2.03×10 <sup>-6</sup> 3; α(P)=1.108×10 <sup>-7</sup> 16; α(IPF)=1.752×10 <sup>-6</sup> 25
1161.68 5	0.061 2	1370.684	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	208.987	7/2 <sup>+</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 1188.6 3	0.015 5							
1193.07 3	0.178 4	1370.684	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	177.616	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	E2	0.00213	α(K)=0.00180 3; α(L)=0.000258 4; α(M)=5.66×10 <sup>-5</sup> 8; α(N+..)=1.97×10 <sup>-5</sup> 3 α(N)=1.305×10 <sup>-5</sup> 19; α(O)=1.89×10 <sup>-6</sup> 3; α(P)=1.038×10 <sup>-7</sup> 15; α(IPF)=4.63×10 <sup>-6</sup> 7 E <sub>γ</sub> : From the decay-scheme table (table 5) of <a href="#">1982Vy02</a> , but given as 1193.06 3 in the table of γ radiations (table 2) in this reference. Mult.: Given as E2 in the decay-scheme table (table 5) of <a href="#">1982Vy02</a> , but no mult entry given in the table of γ radiations (table 2) of this reference.
<sup>x</sup> 1199.31 11	0.028 5							
1201.93 3	0.488 10	1201.921	5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,7/2 <sup>-</sup>	0	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	E2	0.00210	α(K)=0.001771 25; α(L)=0.000254 4; α(M)=5.57×10 <sup>-5</sup> 8; α(N+..)=2.03×10 <sup>-5</sup> 3 α(N)=1.284×10 <sup>-5</sup> 18; α(O)=1.86×10 <sup>-6</sup> 3; α(P)=1.023×10 <sup>-7</sup> 15; α(IPF)=5.52×10 <sup>-6</sup> 8
<sup>x</sup> 1218.50 13	0.0156 22							
1230.19 5	0.059 2	1286.92		56.625	5/2 <sup>-</sup>			
1234.26 13	0.0158 24	1370.684	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	136.435	7/2 <sup>-</sup>			
1313.88 23	0.0146 13	1370.684	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	56.625	5/2 <sup>-</sup>			
1370.53 11	0.0398 16	1370.684	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	0	3/2 <sup>-</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 1399.98 25	0.0094 22							
<sup>x</sup> 1437.4 3	0.0058 14							
<sup>x</sup> 1466.21 23	0.0102 15							
<sup>x</sup> 1555.6 3	0.007 4							

<sup>†</sup> Several uncertainties were increased due to inconsistencies among the energies.

<sup>‡</sup> The measured K x-ray intensities (energies) are 110 4 (Kα<sub>2</sub> x ray 45.207 keV), 197 5 (Kα<sub>1</sub> x ray 45.998), 66 3 (Kβ<sub>1</sub> x ray 52.1), and 17.2 8 (Kβ<sub>2</sub> x ray 53.5).

$\gamma(^{159}\text{Dy})$  (continued)

# The measured annihilation radiation intensity is 0.053 5. This value is unreasonably low if the  $\beta^+$  were stopped at the source, since it implies a total  $I(\beta^+) \approx 0.11\%$  compared with the measured total of 0.251% 7 (1982Vy02) and  $> 0.20\%$  (1975GaYZ). So, it is reasonable to conclude that  $\beta^+$  were not stopped in the source.

@ From <sup>159</sup>Dy Adopted  $\gamma$  radiations, but based on measured data from this decay (1982Vy02). Others: 1966Gr25, 1968Ab15, and 1971Bo18.

& For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.362 9.

<sup>a</sup> Total theoretical internal conversion coefficients, calculated using the BrIcc code (2008Ki07) with Frozen orbital approximation based on  $\gamma$ -ray energies, assigned multipolarities, and mixing ratios, unless otherwise specified.

<sup>b</sup> Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

<sup>x</sup>  $\gamma$  ray not placed in level scheme.

<sup>159</sup>Ho ε decay 1982Vy02,1971Bo18

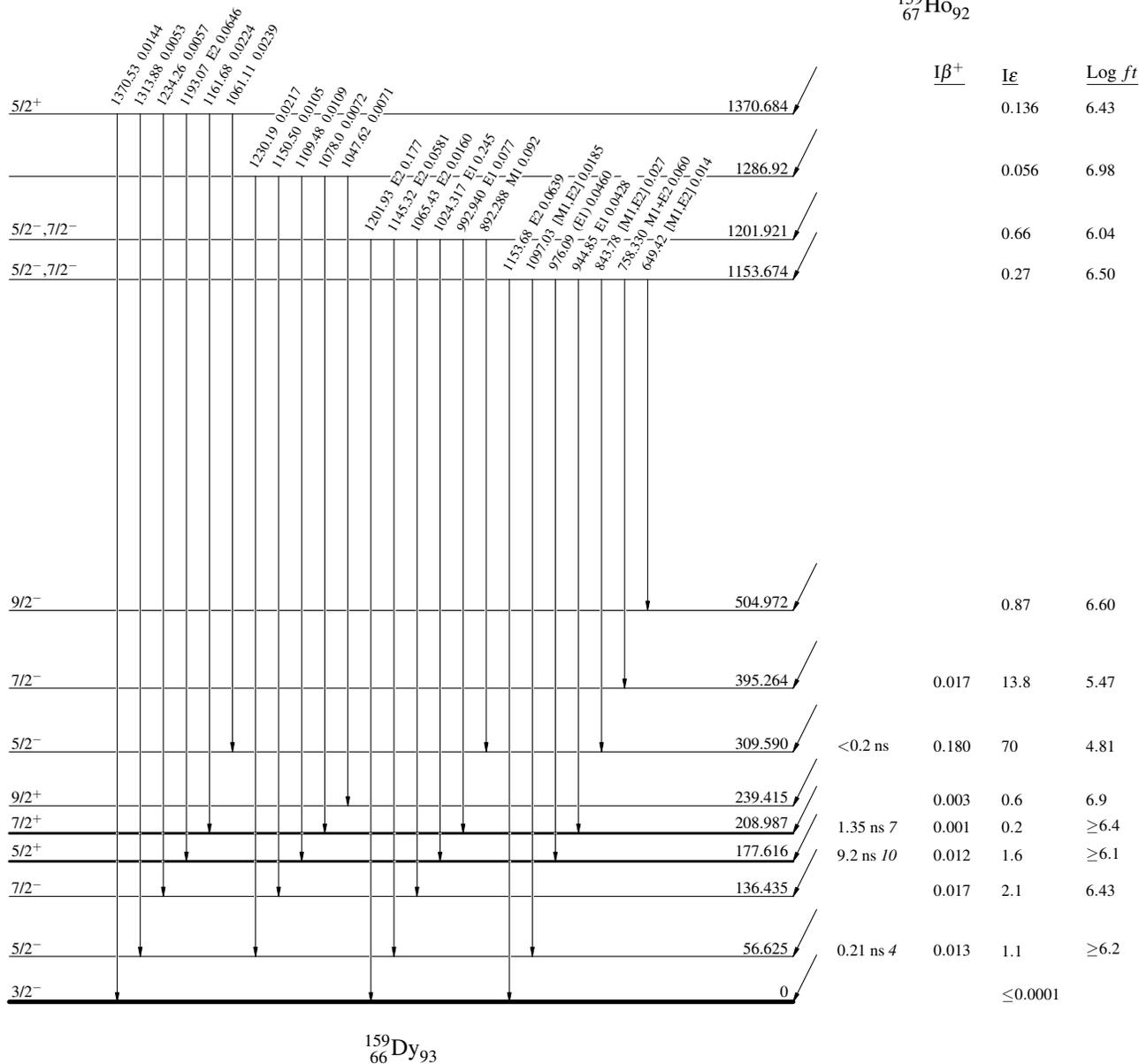
Decay Scheme

Legend

Intensities: I<sub>(γ+ce)</sub> per 100 parent decays

- I<sub>γ</sub> < 2% × I<sub>γ</sub><sup>max</sup>
- I<sub>γ</sub> < 10% × I<sub>γ</sub><sup>max</sup>
- I<sub>γ</sub> > 10% × I<sub>γ</sub><sup>max</sup>

<sup>159</sup>Ho<sub>92</sub>  
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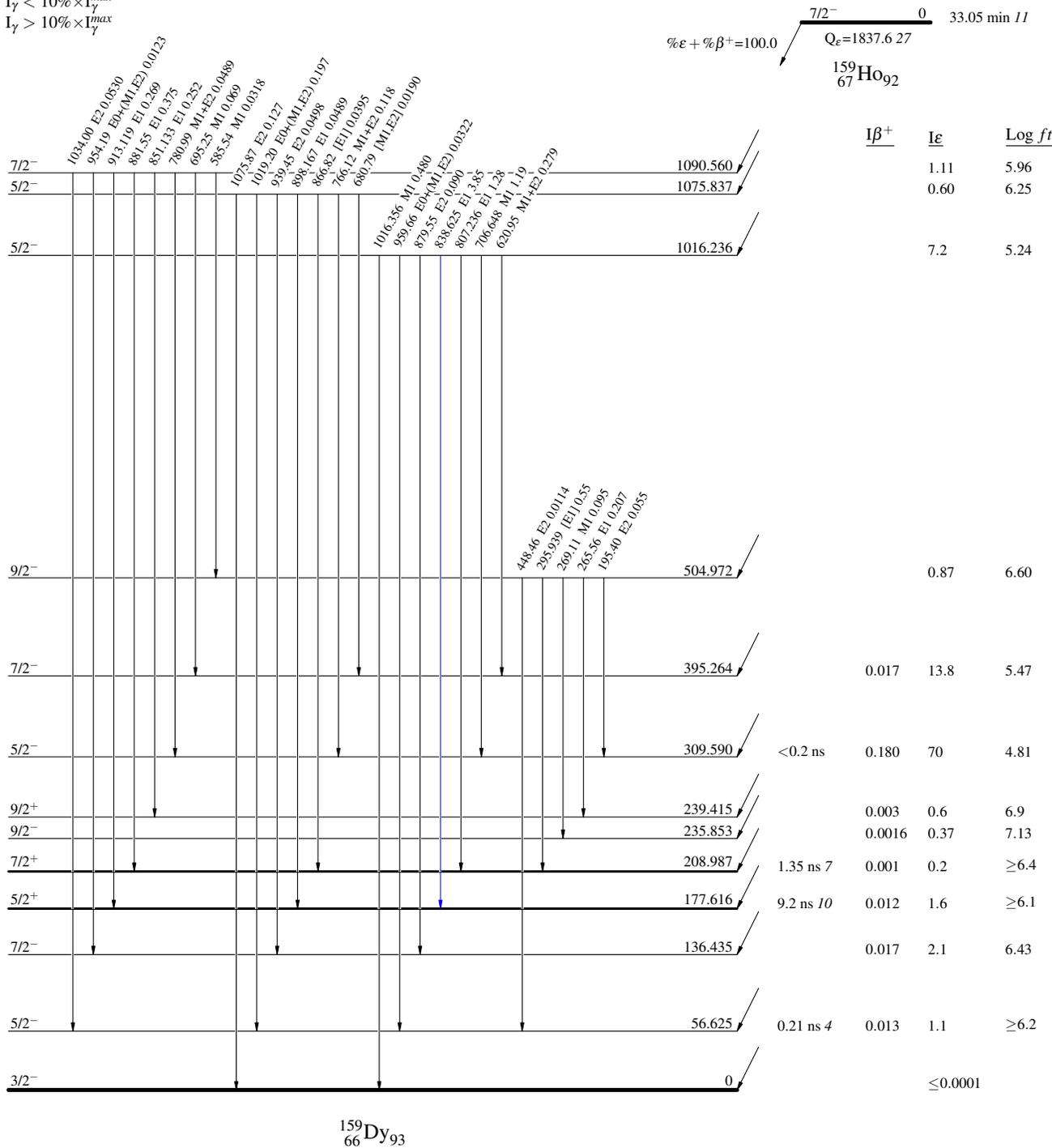
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Decay Scheme (continued)

Legend

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

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



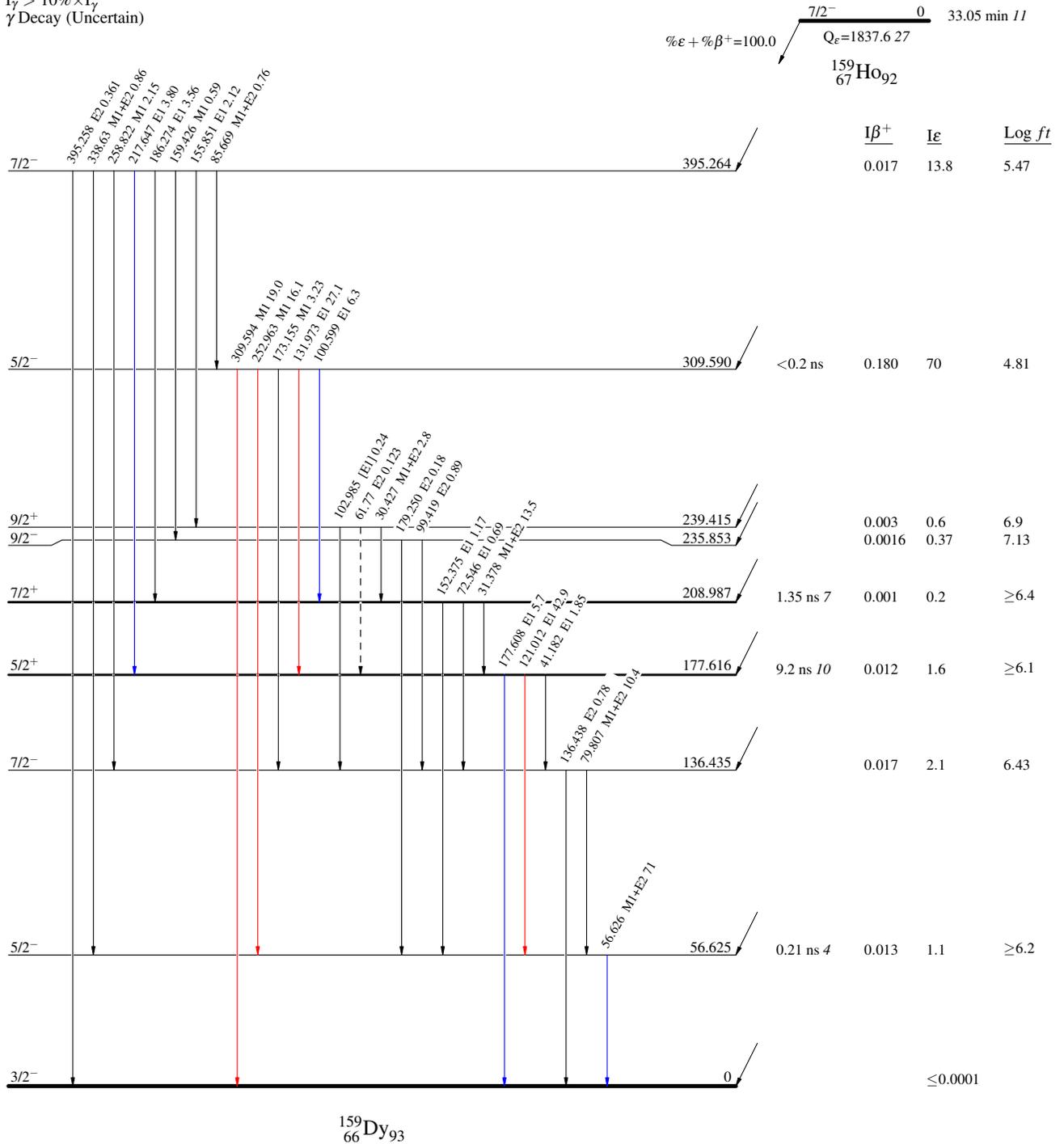
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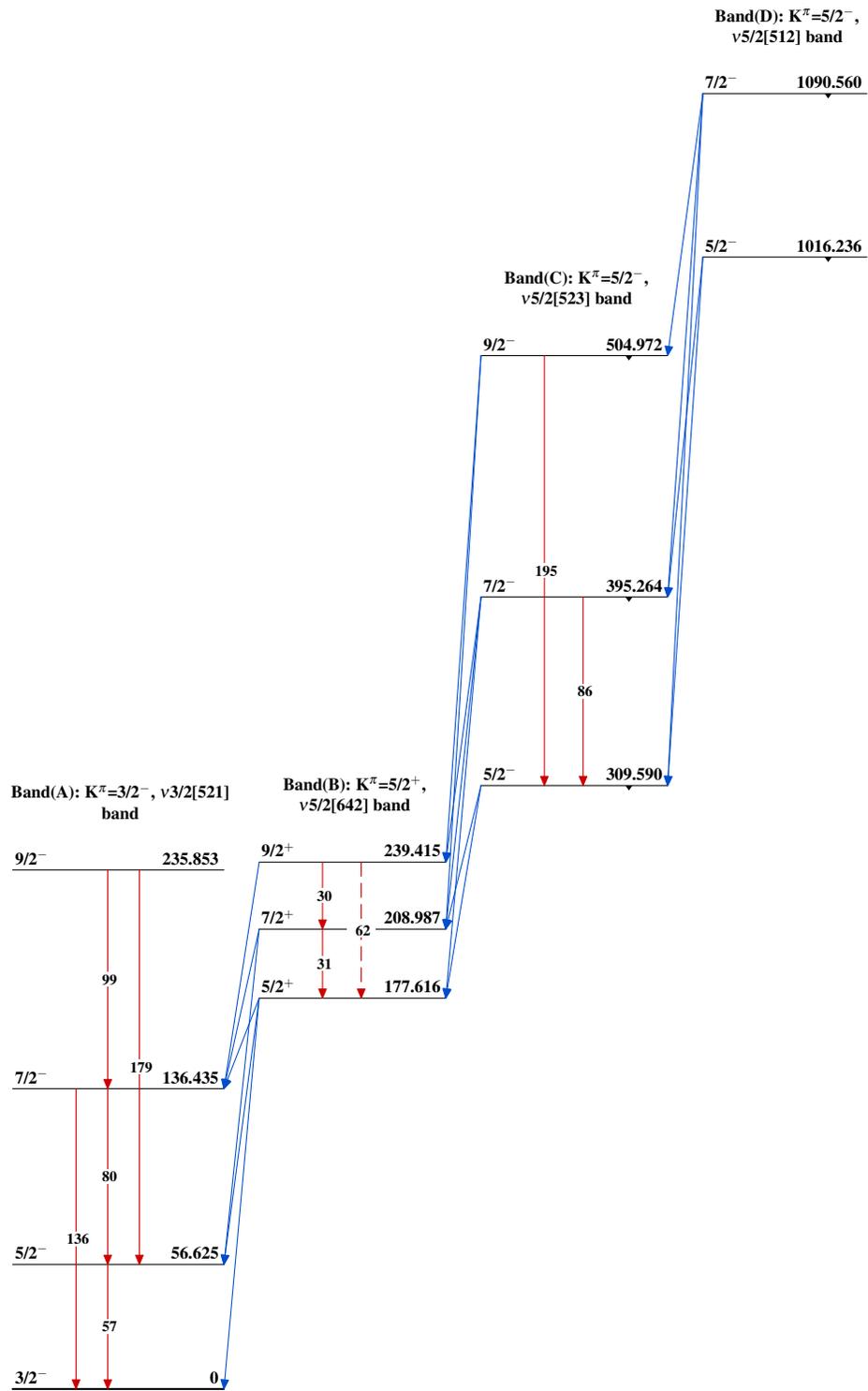
Legend

- I<sub>γ</sub> < 2% × I<sub>γ</sub><sup>max</sup>
- I<sub>γ</sub> < 10% × I<sub>γ</sub><sup>max</sup>
- I<sub>γ</sub> > 10% × I<sub>γ</sub><sup>max</sup>
- - - - - γ Decay (Uncertain)

Intensities: I<sub>(γ+ce)</sub> per 100 parent decays



$^{159}\text{Ho}$   $\epsilon$  decay 1982Vy02,1971Bo18



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