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Additional information 1.

Additional information 2.

All data and assignments for the excited levels and the  $\gamma$ 's are from the <sup>144</sup>Sm(<sup>19</sup>F,4n $\gamma$ ) study. No level-specific J<sup> $\pi$ </sup> arguments are given here. See the high-spin data set for comments.

# <sup>159</sup>Lu Levels

### Cross Reference (XREF) Flags

 $^{163}$ Ta  $\alpha$  decay  $^{144}$ Sm( $^{19}$ F,4n $\gamma$ ) A

В

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	$J^{\pi \ddagger}$	T <sub>1/2</sub>	XREF	Comments
0		12.1 s <i>10</i>	A	<ul> <li>%ε+%β<sup>+</sup>=100; %α=0.1 syst</li> <li>J<sup>π</sup>: From systematics, 2003Au02 propose J<sup>π</sup>=1/2<sup>+</sup>.</li> <li>T<sub>1/2</sub>: Weighted average of 9.2 s 35 from <sup>159</sup>Lu α decay (1992Ha10) and 12.3 s 10 [author's average of 12.5 s 10 from <sup>159</sup>Lu ε decay by γ(t) and Kα x ray(t) and 12.0 s 15 from Iα(t) in 1980Al14].</li> <li>%α: From extrapolation of Q(α) vs T<sub>1/2</sub>(α) for <sup>155</sup>Lu and <sup>157</sup>Lu, one gets T<sub>1/2</sub>(α)=550 min for <sup>159</sup>Lu, which corresponds to %α=0.04. Gross β decay calculations (1973Ta30) give T<sub>1/2</sub>(ε)=10 to 15 sec, which is consistent with a small α branch. The calculated half-lives of 1997Mo25 are 18 s for β and 1.8×10<sup>4</sup> s for α, which corresponds to %α=0.1%; this value is adopted. Decay identified by measurement of Yb K x ray from mass-separated source.</li> </ul>
x#	(11/2 <sup>-</sup> )		В	$J^{\pi}$ : Assignment is based (1995Ma46) on the systematics of the 15/2 <sup>-</sup> to 11/2 <sup>-</sup> transition energies for the odd-mass Lu, Tm, and Ho isotopes which suggest that the 426-keV energy is reasonable for this placement of this $\gamma$ .
382.8+x <sup>@</sup>	$(13/2^{-})$		В	
426.0+x <sup>#</sup>	$(15/2^{-})$		В	
912.1+x <sup>@</sup>	$(17/2^{-})$		В	
977.5+x <sup>#</sup>	$(19/2^{-})$		В	
1534.3+x <sup>@</sup>	$(21/2^{-})$		В	
1619.4+x <sup>#</sup>	$(23/2^{-})$		В	
1664.8+x <sup>C</sup>	$(19/2^+)$		В	
2131.9+x <sup>c</sup>	$(23/2^+)$		В	
2132.1+x <sup>@</sup>	$(25/2^{-})$		В	
2327.7+x <sup>#</sup>	$(27/2^{-})$		В	
2357.5+x <sup>b</sup>	$(25/2^+)$		В	
2591.2+x <sup>c</sup>	$(27/2^+)$		В	
2669.1+x <sup>e</sup>	$(27/2^+)$		В	
2801.4+x <sup>d</sup>	$(29/2^+)$		В	
2995.1+x <sup>a</sup>	$(29/2^{-})$		В	
3058.7+x <sup>b</sup>	$(29/2^+)$		В	
3088.0+x <sup>#</sup>	$(31/2^{-})$		В	
3153.6+x <sup>e</sup>	$(31/2^+)$		В	

## Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	$J^{\pi \ddagger}$	XREF	E(level) <sup>†</sup>	$J^{\pi \ddagger}$	XREF	E(level) <sup>†</sup>	$J^{\pi \ddagger}$	XREF
3200.1+x <sup>&amp;</sup>	(31/2 <sup>-</sup> )	В	4346.4+x <sup>&amp;</sup>	(39/2 <sup>-</sup> )	В	5498.1+x <sup>d</sup>	$(45/2^+)$	В
3359.0+x <sup>d</sup>	$(33/2^+)$	В	4378.8+x <sup>e</sup>	$(39/2^+)$	В	5713.5+x <b>&amp;</b>	$(47/2^{-})$	В
3555.4+x <sup>a</sup>	$(33/2^{-})$	В	4680.3+x <sup>d</sup>	$(41/2^+)$	В	5966.1+x <sup>e</sup>	$(47/2^+)$	В
3749.7+x <sup>e</sup>	$(35/2^+)$	В	4685.2+x <sup><i>a</i></sup>	$(41/2^{-})$	В	6370.4+x <sup>d</sup>	$(49/2^+)$	В
3764.1+x <sup>&amp;</sup>	$(35/2^{-})$	В	4987.2+x <sup>&amp;</sup>	$(43/2^{-})$	В	6475.8+x <sup>&amp;</sup>	$(51/2^{-})$	В
4002.0+x <sup>d</sup>	$(37/2^+)$	В	5110.6+x <sup>e</sup>	$(43/2^+)$	В			
4080.9+x <sup><i>a</i></sup>	$(37/2^{-})$	В	5353.5+x <sup>a</sup>	$(45/2^{-})$	В			

### <sup>159</sup>Lu Levels (continued)

<sup>†</sup> Values for the excited states are taken from the high-spin data set.

<sup>‡</sup> For excited levels, from assignments in the  $^{144}$ Sm( $^{19}$ F,4n $\gamma$ ) study (1995Ma46).

<sup>#</sup> Band(A):  $\pi h_{11/2}$  band,  $\alpha = -1/2$ . (Label=A<sub>p</sub>). Dominant orbital is probably  $\pi 7/2[523]$  (2009Sh48). Intersected by the aligned i<sub>13/2</sub> two-neutron-quasiparticle conf (label=AB) near  $\hbar \omega = 0.34$  MeV.

<sup>@</sup> Band(a):  $\pi h_{11/2}$  band,  $\alpha = +1/2$ . (Label=B<sub>p</sub>). See the comment on the  $\alpha = -1/2$  branch.

& Band(B): Aligned band, label=A<sub>p</sub>AB,  $\alpha$ =-1/2. See the notation given in the comment on the  $\pi$ h<sub>11/2</sub> band.

<sup>*a*</sup> Band(b): Aligned band, label=B<sub>p</sub>AB,  $\alpha$ =+1/2. See the notation given in the comment on the  $\pi$ h<sub>11/2</sub> band.

<sup>b</sup> Band(C):  $\pi$ =+,  $\alpha$ =+1/2 band. Tentatively assigned by 2009Sh48 as an "unstable octupole vibration" built on  $\pi$ h11/2,  $\alpha$ =+1/2 branch.

<sup>c</sup> Band(c):  $\pi = +$ ,  $\alpha = -1/2$  band. Tentatively assigned by 2009Sh48 as an "unstable octupole vibration" built on  $\pi h 11/2$ ,  $\alpha = -1/2$  branch.

<sup>*d*</sup> Band(D):  $\pi$ =+ band, $\alpha$ =+1/2 branch.

<sup>*e*</sup> Band(d):  $\pi$ =+ band, $\alpha$ =-1/2 branch.

$E_i$ (level)	$\mathbf{J}_i^{\pi}$	Eγ	$I_{\gamma}$	$E_f$	$\mathbf{J}_{f}^{\pi}$	Mult
382.8+x	$(13/2^{-})$	382.8	100	х	$(11/2^{-})$	
426.0+x	$(15/2^{-})$	426.0	100	х	$(11/2^{-})$	
912.1+x	$(17/2^{-})$	486.2		426.0+x	$(15/2^{-})$	
		529.4		382.8+x	$(13/2^{-})$	
977.5+x	$(19/2^{-})$	551.3	100	426.0+x	$(15/2^{-})$	
1534.3+x	$(21/2^{-})$	556.7		977.5+x	$(19/2^{-})$	
		622.3		912.1+x	$(17/2^{-})$	
1619.4+x	$(23/2^{-})$	642.0	100	977.5+x	$(19/2^{-})$	
1664.8+x	$(19/2^+)$	752.7	100	912.1+x	$(17/2^{-})$	D
2131.9+x	$(23/2^+)$	467.1	100	1664.8+x	$(19/2^+)$	
2132.1+x	$(25/2^{-})$	597.8	100	1534.3+x	$(21/2^{-})$	
2327.7+x	$(27/2^{-})$	708.3	100	1619.4+x	$(23/2^{-})$	
2357.5+x	$(25/2^+)$	225.3		2131.9+x	$(23/2^+)$	
		738.0		1619.4+x	$(23/2^{-})$	D
2591.2+x	$(27/2^+)$	233.8	100	2357.5+x	$(25/2^+)$	
2669.1+x	$(27/2^+)$	311.6	100	2357.5+x	$(25/2^+)$	
2801.4+x	$(29/2^+)$	132.3		2669.1+x	$(27/2^+)$	
		210.2		2591.2+x	$(27/2^+)$	
2995.1+x	$(29/2^{-})$	403.9	100	2591.2+x	$(27/2^+)$	
3058.7+x	$(29/2^+)$	467.5		2591.2+x	$(27/2^+)$	
		731.0		2327.7+x	$(27/2^{-})$	D
3088.0+x	$(31/2^{-})$	760.3	100	2327.7+x	$(27/2^{-})$	
3153.6+x	$(31/2^+)$	352.3		2801.4+x	$(29/2^+)$	

### $\gamma(^{159}Lu)$

# Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)

# $\gamma$ <sup>(159</sup>Lu) (continued)</sup>

E <sub>i</sub> (level)	$\mathbf{J}_i^{\pi}$	Eγ	Iγ	$E_f$	$\mathbf{J}_{f}^{\pi}$	E <sub>i</sub> (level)	$\mathbf{J}_i^{\pi}$	Eγ	$I_{\gamma}$	$E_f$	$\mathrm{J}_f^\pi$
3153.6+x	$(31/2^+)$	484.4		2669.1+x	$(27/2^+)$	4378.8+x	$(39/2^+)$	376.8	100	4002.0+x	$(37/2^+)$
3200.1+x	$(31/2^{-})$	205.0		2995.1+x	$(29/2^{-})$	4680.3+x	$(41/2^+)$	301.5		4378.8+x	$(39/2^+)$
		872.4		2327.7+x	$(27/2^{-})$			678.3		4002.0+x	$(37/2^+)$
3359.0+x	$(33/2^+)$	205.3		3153.6+x	$(31/2^+)$	4685.2+x	$(41/2^{-})$	338.8		4346.4+x	$(39/2^{-})$
		300.3		3058.7+x	$(29/2^+)$			604.3		4080.9+x	$(37/2^{-})$
		557.6		2801.4+x	$(29/2^+)$	4987.2+x	$(43/2^{-})$	302.0		4685.2+x	$(41/2^{-})$
3555.4+x	$(33/2^{-})$	355.3		3200.1+x	$(31/2^{-})$			640.8		4346.4+x	$(39/2^{-})$
		467.4		3088.0+x	$(31/2^{-})$	5110.6+x	$(43/2^+)$	430.3	100	4680.3+x	$(41/2^+)$
3749.7+x	$(35/2^+)$	390.8		3359.0+x	$(33/2^+)$	5353.5+x	$(45/2^{-})$	366.3		4987.2+x	$(43/2^{-})$
		596.0		3153.6+x	$(31/2^+)$			668.3		4685.2+x	$(41/2^{-})$
3764.1+x	$(35/2^{-})$	208.7		3555.4+x	$(33/2^{-})$	5498.1+x	$(45/2^+)$	387.5		5110.6+x	$(43/2^+)$
		564.0		3200.1+x	$(31/2^{-})$			817.8		4680.3+x	$(41/2^+)$
		676.1		3088.0+x	$(31/2^{-})$	5713.5+x	$(47/2^{-})$	360.0		5353.5+x	$(45/2^{-})$
4002.0+x	$(37/2^+)$	252.3		3749.7+x	$(35/2^+)$			726.3		4987.2+x	$(43/2^{-})$
		643.1		3359.0+x	$(33/2^+)$	5966.1+x	$(47/2^+)$	468.0	100	5498.1+x	$(45/2^+)$
4080.9+x	$(37/2^{-})$	316.8	100	3764.1+x	$(35/2^{-})$	6370.4+x	$(49/2^+)$	404.3		5966.1+x	$(47/2^+)$
4346.4+x	$(39/2^{-})$	265.5	100 12	4080.9+x	$(37/2^{-})$			872.3		5498.1+x	$(45/2^+)$
		582.3	43 5	3764.1+x	$(35/2^{-})$	6475.8+x	$(51/2^{-})$	762.3	100	5713.5+x	$(47/2^{-})$

### Level Scheme

Intensities: Relative photon branching from each level





Level Scheme (continued)

Intensities: Relative photon branching from each level





<sup>159</sup><sub>71</sub>Lu<sub>88</sub>

## Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)



 $^{159}_{71} Lu_{88}$