

Adopted Levels, Gammas

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$Q(\beta^-) = -9145$ (syst) 299; $S(n) = 11344$ (syst) 197; $S(p) = -374$ 9; $Q(\alpha) = 5681$ 6 [2017Wa10](#)

$Q(\varepsilon) = 8.41 \times 10^3$ 3; $S(2n) = 2.099 \times 10^{4(\text{syst})}$ 197; $S(2p) = 2577$ 9; $Q(\varepsilon p) = 5484$ 17 [2017Wa10](#)

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 ^{159}Ta LevelsCross Reference (XREF) Flags

- A** $^{106}\text{Cd}(^{58}\text{Ni}, 3p2n\gamma)$
B ^{163}Re α decay (214 ms)
C ^{163}Re α decay (390 ms)

E(level)	J^π	$T_{1/2}$	XREF	Comments
0	$1/2^+$	0.83 s 18	BC	$\% \alpha = 34$ 5; $\% \varepsilon + \% \beta^+ = 66$ 5 $T_{1/2}$: From ^{159}Ta α decay (1997Da07). $\% \alpha$: From 1997Da07 .
64^\dagger 5	$11/2^-$	0.56 s 6	AB	J^π : Fed by a (favored) α transition from ^{163}Re ($J^\pi = 1/2^+$). configuration = $\pi s_{1/2}$. $\% \alpha = 55$ 1; $\% \varepsilon + \% \beta^+ = 45$ 1 E(level): From 1997Da07 , based on α -energy differences in the ^{167}Ir to ^{151}Tm α -decay chain. J^π : Fed by a (favored) α transition from ^{163}Re ($J^\pi = 11/2^-$). configuration = $\pi h_{11/2}$. $T_{1/2}$: Measured values include: 500 ms 11 (1997Da07); 544 ms 16 (1996Pa01); 570 ms 180 (1979Ho10); and 620 ms 50 (2002Ro17), all from ^{159}Ta α decay. The weighted average of these is 518 ms 23. However, these values exhibit a large variance. The evaluator has thus chosen to adopt an average of the values of 1997Da07 and 2002Ro17 , with an uncertainty large enough to include both of them. $\% \alpha$: from 1997Da07 ; others: 73 14 (1996Pa01) and 80 5 (1979Ho10). $\% \varepsilon + \% \beta^+$: Evaluator assumes that the IT-decay branching is small.
637.7 † 1	$15/2^-$		A	
1278.2 † 2	$19/2^-$		A	
1911.6 † 2	$23/2^-$		A	

† Band(A): level sequence based on $\pi h_{11/2}$.

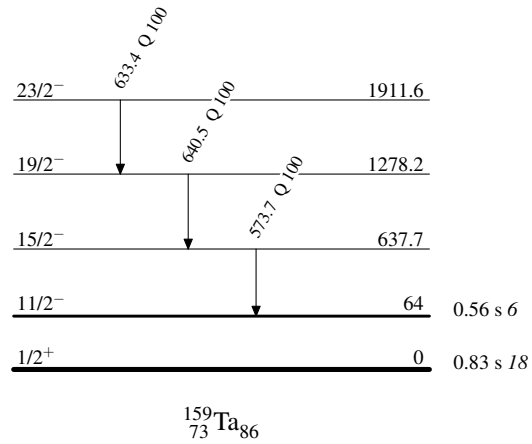
 $\gamma(^{159}\text{Ta})$

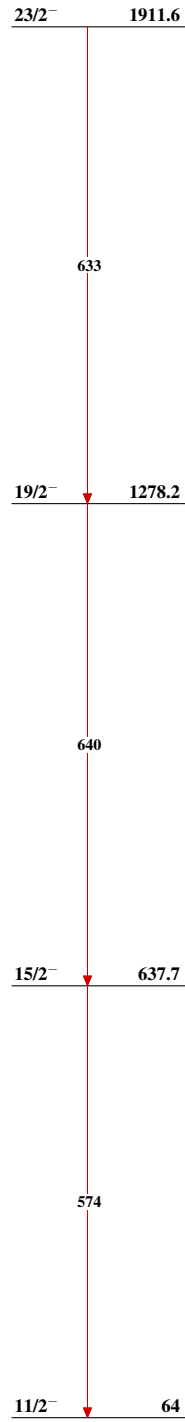
Unplaced γ 's are not included here; see the $^{106}\text{Cd}(^{58}\text{Ni}, 3p2n\gamma)$ data set.

$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_γ	I_γ	E_f	J_f^π	Mult.
637.7	$15/2^-$	573.7 1	100	64	$11/2^-$	Q
1278.2	$19/2^-$	640.5 1	100	637.7	$15/2^-$	Q
1911.6	$23/2^-$	633.4 1	100	1278.2	$19/2^-$	Q

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Intensities: Relative photon branching from each level



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based on $\pi h_{11/2}$**  $^{159}_{73}\text{Ta}_{86}$