

**Coulomb excitation**

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**Additional information 1.**

Coulomb-excitation measurements have resulted in the determination of a variety of quantities. These quantities include: B(E2) values ([1960Na13](#),[1960Ol02](#));  $\gamma(\theta)$  and  $\delta(M1/E2)$  ([1966As02](#),[1983Ch09](#),[1984Va30](#)); level scheme and  $E\gamma$  ([1958Ch36](#),[1962Gr36](#),[1963Di09](#),[1966Bo16](#),[1967Se09](#),[1983Ch09](#),[1984Va30](#),[1990Le1](#) 7);  $\gamma$ -branching ratios ([1966Bo16](#),[1967Se09](#),[1983Ch09](#),[1984Va30](#)); half-lives ([1970Ar22](#),[1983Ch09](#),[1984Va30](#)); and conversion electrons ([1963Di09](#)). Other: [1961Po08](#).

## Experiments:

- [1990Le17](#):  $E(^{208}\text{Pb})=982$  MeV; measured  $E\gamma$ ,  $I\gamma$ .
- [1984Va30](#):  $E(^{40}\text{Ar})=151$  MeV; measured  $E\gamma$ ,  $\gamma(\theta)$ .
- [1983Ch09](#):  $E(^{40}\text{Ca})=162$  MeV; measured  $E\gamma$ ,  $\gamma(\theta)$ .
- [1970Ar22](#):  $E(\alpha)=4.0$  MeV; measured  $T_{1/2}(137)$  by microwave method.
- [1967Se09](#):  $E(^{16}\text{O})=50$  MeV; measured  $E\gamma$ ,  $I\gamma(\text{cascade})/I\gamma(\text{crossover})$ .
- [1966Bo16](#):  $E(^{16}\text{O})\approx45$  MeV; measured  $E\gamma$ ,  $I\gamma(\text{crossover})/I\gamma(\text{cascade})$ .
- [1966As02](#):  $E(\alpha)=3.1$  MeV; measured  $E\gamma$ ,  $\gamma\gamma(\theta)$ .
- [1963Di09](#):  $E(^{16}\text{O})=60$  MeV; measured  $E\gamma$ ,  $E(\text{ce})$ ,  $\text{Ice}$ .
- [1962Gr36](#):  $E(^{16}\text{O})=65$  MeV; measured  $E\gamma$ .
- [1960Na13](#):  $E(\alpha)\approx17$  MeV.
- [1960Ol02](#):  $E(p)=4.5$  MeV.
- [1958Ch36](#):  $E(p)=3.7$  MeV; measured  $E\gamma$ .

 **$^{159}\text{Tb}$  Levels**

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	$J^\pi$ <sup>‡</sup>	$T_{1/2}$ <sup>#</sup>	Comments
0.0 <sup>@</sup>	$3/2^+$	stable	
57.986 <sup>@</sup> 10	$5/2^+$	55.0 ps 22	B(E2) <sup>↑</sup> =2.81 8 $T_{1/2}$ : Calculated from B(E2) and properties of 57.9 G. B(E2) <sup>↑</sup> : From <a href="#">1960Ol02</a> ; other: 1.9 ( <a href="#">1958Ma36</a> ).
137.476 <sup>@</sup> 21	$7/2^+$	36 ps 4	B(E2) <sup>↑</sup> =1.45 6 B(E2) <sup>↑</sup> : From <a href="#">1960Ol02</a> . $T_{1/2}$ : From <a href="#">1970Ar22</a> ; other: 43.1 ps 24, calculated from B(E2) and the $\gamma$ branching.
241.12 <sup>@</sup> 4	$9/2^+$	27.2 ps 12	$T_{1/2}$ : Weighted average of 27.5 ps 17 ( <a href="#">1984Va30</a> ) and 26.8 ps 17 ( <a href="#">1983Ch09</a> ), both by recoil-distance method.
347.8 <sup>&amp;</sup>	$5/2^+$		
362.03 <sup>@</sup> 4	$11/2^+$	15.24 ps 24	$T_{1/2}$ : Weighted average of 15.2 ps 3 ( <a href="#">1984Va30</a> ) and 15.3 ps 4 ( <a href="#">1983Ch09</a> ), both by recoil-distance method.
363? <sup>a</sup>	$5/2^-$		
429 <sup>&amp;</sup>	$7/2^+$		
510.33 <sup>@</sup> 5	$13/2^+$	9.17 ps 22	$T_{1/2}$ : Weighted average of 9.8 ps 4 ( <a href="#">1984Va30</a> ) and 9.09 ps 17 ( <a href="#">1983Ch09</a> ) by recoil-distance method and 8.0 ps 10 ( <a href="#">1983Ch09</a> ) from the Doppler-shift method.
580.2 <sup>c</sup>	$1/2^+$	<1.0 ps	$T_{1/2}$ : From $T_{1/2}(580 \gamma) < 0.5$ ps, from Doppler broadening of the conversion-electron line ( <a href="#">1963Di09</a> ) and the $\gamma$ branching.
618 <sup>c</sup>	$3/2^+$	<1.3 ps	$T_{1/2}$ : From $T_{1/2}(560 \gamma) < 0.5$ ps, from Doppler broadening of the conversion-electron line ( <a href="#">1963Di09</a> ) and the $\gamma$ branching.
668.73 <sup>@</sup> 7	$15/2^+$	6.4 ps 5	$T_{1/2}$ : Weighted average of 7.14 ps 21 ( <a href="#">1984Va30</a> ) and 6.04 ps 14 ( <a href="#">1983Ch09</a> ) by recoil-distance method. Others: 5.3 ps 6 ( <a href="#">1983Ch09</a> ) and 5.3 ps 3 ( <a href="#">1984Va30</a> ) by Doppler-shift method.
674.8 <sup>c</sup>	$5/2^+$	<2.3 ps	$T_{1/2}$ : From $T_{1/2}(536 \gamma) < 0.5$ ps, from Doppler broadening of the conversion-electron line ( <a href="#">1963Di09</a> ) and the $\gamma$ branching.
859.86 <sup>@</sup> 7	$17/2^+$	3.98 ps 20	$T_{1/2}$ : Weighted average of: 3.3 ps 3 ( <a href="#">1984Va30</a> ) and 3.3 ps 4 ( <a href="#">1983Ch09</a> ), by

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**Coulomb excitation (continued)** **$^{159}\text{Tb}$  Levels (continued)**

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	$J^{\pi\ddagger}$	$T_{1/2}^{\#}$	Comments
			Doppler-shift method; and 4.10 ps 10 ( <a href="#">1983Ch09</a> ) by recoil-distance method.
971? <sup>b</sup>	(1/2 <sup>+</sup> )		
978 <sup>b</sup>	(3/2 <sup>+</sup> )		
1052.15 <sup>@</sup> 8	19/2 <sup>+</sup>	2.45 ps 8	$T_{1/2}$ : Weighted average of: 2.15 ps 21 ( <a href="#">1984Va30</a> ) and 2.5 ps 3 ( <a href="#">1983Ch09</a> ), by Doppler-shift method; and 2.49 ps 8 ( <a href="#">1983Ch09</a> ), by recoil-distance method.
1086.5? <sup>b</sup>	(5/2 <sup>+</sup> )		
1102.5? <sup>b</sup>	(7/2 <sup>+</sup> )		
1282.42 <sup>@</sup> 10	21/2 <sup>+</sup>	1.56 ps 17	$T_{1/2}$ : Weighted average of 1.52 ps 28 ( <a href="#">1984Va30</a> ) and 1.59 ps 21 ( <a href="#">1983Ch09</a> ) by Doppler-shift method.
1505.04 <sup>@</sup> 13	23/2 <sup>+</sup>	1.05 ps 13	$T_{1/2}$ : Weighted average of 1.11 ps 28 ( <a href="#">1984Va30</a> ) and 1.04 ps 14 ( <a href="#">1983Ch09</a> ) by Doppler-shift method.
1769.47 13	25/2 <sup>+</sup>	0.69 ps 14	$T_{1/2}$ : From <a href="#">1983Ch09</a> , by Doppler-shift method.
2019.26 <sup>@</sup> 14	27/2 <sup>+</sup>		
2311.36 <sup>@</sup> 15	29/2 <sup>+</sup>		
2582.9 <sup>@</sup> 4	31/2 <sup>+</sup>		
2893.0 <sup>@</sup> 6	33/2 <sup>+</sup>		
3179.1 <sup>@</sup> 6	35/2 <sup>+</sup>		
3498.0 <sup>@</sup> 8	37/2 <sup>+</sup>		
3794? <sup>@</sup> 1	(39/2 <sup>+</sup> )		

<sup>†</sup> From least-squares fit to  $\gamma$  energies.<sup>‡</sup> Assignments are from these studies; they agree with those in the Adopted Levels.<sup>#</sup> From Coul. ex. only; see  $^{159}\text{Tb}$  Adopted Levels for all measurements.<sup>@</sup> Band(A):  $K^\pi=3/2^+$ ,  $\pi3/2[411]$  band.& Band(B):  $K^\pi=5/2^+$ ,  $\pi5/2[413]$  band.<sup>a</sup> Band(C):  $K^\pi=5/2^-$ ,  $\pi5/2[532]$  bandhead.<sup>b</sup> Band(D):  $K^\pi=1/2^+$ ,  $\pi1/2[411]$  band.<sup>c</sup> Band(E):  $K^\pi=1/2^+$ , K-2  $\gamma$ -vibr. built on  $\pi3/2[411]$  g.s. Contains an admixture of  $\pi1/2[411]$ .

**Coulomb excitation (continued)** $\gamma(^{159}\text{Tb})$ 

$E_i$ (level)	$J_i^\pi$	$E_\gamma^\dagger$	$I_\gamma^\ddagger$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Mult. <sup>#</sup>	$\delta^\#$	$\alpha^b$	Comments
57.986	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	57.99 <sup>a@</sup> 1		0.0	3/2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	+0.119 2	10.73	
137.476	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	79.51 <sup>a@</sup> 2	670 27	57.986	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	+0.126 8	4.28	
		137.24 8	100	0.0	3/2 <sup>+</sup>	[E2]		0.834	
241.12	9/2 <sup>+</sup>	103.60 6	258 4	137.476	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	0.111 5	1.99	
		183.10 5	100	57.986	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	E2		0.308	
347.8	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	210		137.476	7/2 <sup>+</sup>				
		290		57.986	5/2 <sup>+</sup>				
		347.9		0.0	3/2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	0.43 +10-9	0.0655 22	
362.03	11/2 <sup>+</sup>	120.79 4	138 10	241.12	9/2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	0.112 5	1.281	
		224.62 5	100	137.476	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	E2		0.1560	
363?	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	363		0.0	3/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1			$\delta$ : See <sup>159</sup> Tb Adopted $\gamma$ radiations for possible M2 mixture.
429	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	289 <sup>&amp;c</sup>		137.476	7/2 <sup>+</sup>				
		371		57.986	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	0.05 5		
		429 <sup>&amp;c</sup>		0.0	3/2 <sup>+</sup>				
510.33	13/2 <sup>+</sup>	148.21 4	90.2 23	362.03	11/2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	0.107 6	0.717	
		269.34 5	100	241.12	9/2 <sup>+</sup>	E2		0.0872	
580.2	1/2 <sup>+</sup>	522 <sup>&amp;c</sup>		57.986	5/2 <sup>+</sup>				
		580.2		0.0	3/2 <sup>+</sup>				
618	3/2 <sup>+</sup>	560		57.986	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	0.67 +58-4	0.018 3	
		618		0.0	3/2 <sup>+</sup>				
668.73	15/2 <sup>+</sup>	158.37 5	64.3 20	510.33	13/2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	0.117 9	0.595	
		307.00 5	100	362.03	11/2 <sup>+</sup>	E2		0.0581	
674.8	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	538		137.476	7/2 <sup>+</sup>				
		617		57.986	5/2 <sup>+</sup>				
		674 <sup>&amp;</sup>		0.0	3/2 <sup>+</sup>				
859.86	17/2 <sup>+</sup>	191.21 <sup>a</sup> 8	53 5	668.73	15/2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	0.091 20	0.352	
		349.58 6	100	510.33	13/2 <sup>+</sup>	E2		0.0394	
971?	(1/2 <sup>+</sup> )	971		0.0	3/2 <sup>+</sup>				
978	(3/2 <sup>+</sup> )	920 <sup>&amp;</sup>		57.986	5/2 <sup>+</sup>				
		978 <sup>&amp;</sup>		0.0	3/2 <sup>+</sup>				
1052.15	19/2 <sup>+</sup>	192.58 <sup>a</sup> 15		859.86	17/2 <sup>+</sup>	M1,E2		0.30 5	
		383.33 6		668.73	15/2 <sup>+</sup>	E2		0.0301	
1086.5?	(5/2 <sup>+</sup> )	949 <sup>&amp;</sup>		137.476	7/2 <sup>+</sup>				
1102.5?	(7/2 <sup>+</sup> )	965 <sup>&amp;</sup>		137.476	7/2 <sup>+</sup>				
1282.42	21/2 <sup>+</sup>	230.11 11	26 5	1052.15	19/2 <sup>+</sup>				$I_\gamma$ : The measured values 21.6 14 ( <a href="#">1983Ch09</a> ) and 32.0 15 ( <a href="#">1990Le17</a> ) disagree. The listed value is a simple average of these two.
1505.04	23/2 <sup>+</sup>	422.69 10	100	859.86	17/2 <sup>+</sup>	E2		0.0229	
		222.31 24	35 3	1282.42	21/2 <sup>+</sup>				
		452.88 19	100	1052.15	19/2 <sup>+</sup>	E2		0.0189	

**Coulomb excitation (continued)** $\gamma(^{159}\text{Tb})$  (continued)

E <sub>i</sub> (level)	J <sub>i</sub> <sup>π</sup>	E <sub>γ</sub> <sup>†</sup>	I <sub>γ</sub> <sup>‡</sup>	E <sub>f</sub>	J <sub>f</sub> <sup>π</sup>	E <sub>i</sub> (level)	J <sub>i</sub> <sup>π</sup>	E <sub>γ</sub> <sup>†</sup>	E <sub>f</sub>	J <sub>f</sub> <sup>π</sup>
1769.47	25/2 <sup>+</sup>	264.4 1	25.7 19	1505.04	23/2 <sup>+</sup>	2582.9	31/2 <sup>+</sup>	563.6 1	2019.26	27/2 <sup>+</sup>
						2893.0	33/2 <sup>+</sup>	581.6 5		
2019.26	27/2 <sup>+</sup>	249.8 1	24.9 19	1769.47	25/2 <sup>+</sup>	3179.1	35/2 <sup>+</sup>	596.2 5	2582.9	31/2 <sup>+</sup>
						3498.0	37/2 <sup>+</sup>	605.0 5		
2311.36	29/2 <sup>+</sup>	292.1 1	21.2 22	2019.26	27/2 <sup>+</sup>	3794?	(39/2 <sup>+</sup> )	615 <sup>c</sup> 1	3179.1	35/2 <sup>+</sup>

<sup>†</sup> From [1984Va30](#) within the ground-state band up through the 23/2<sup>+</sup> level and from [1990Le17](#) beyond that (with uncertainties from a general statement) and from [1967Se09](#) for other levels, unless noted as from [1958Ch36](#), [1963Di09](#), or [1983Ch09](#).

<sup>‡</sup> Weighted averages of values from [1966Bo16](#), [1967Se09](#), [1983Ch09](#), [1984Va30](#), and [1990Le17](#) for the relative photon branching from each level.

# From <sup>159</sup>Tb Adopted  $\gamma$  radiations.

@ From [1958Ch36](#).

& From [1963Di09](#).

<sup>a</sup> From level energies.

<sup>b</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.

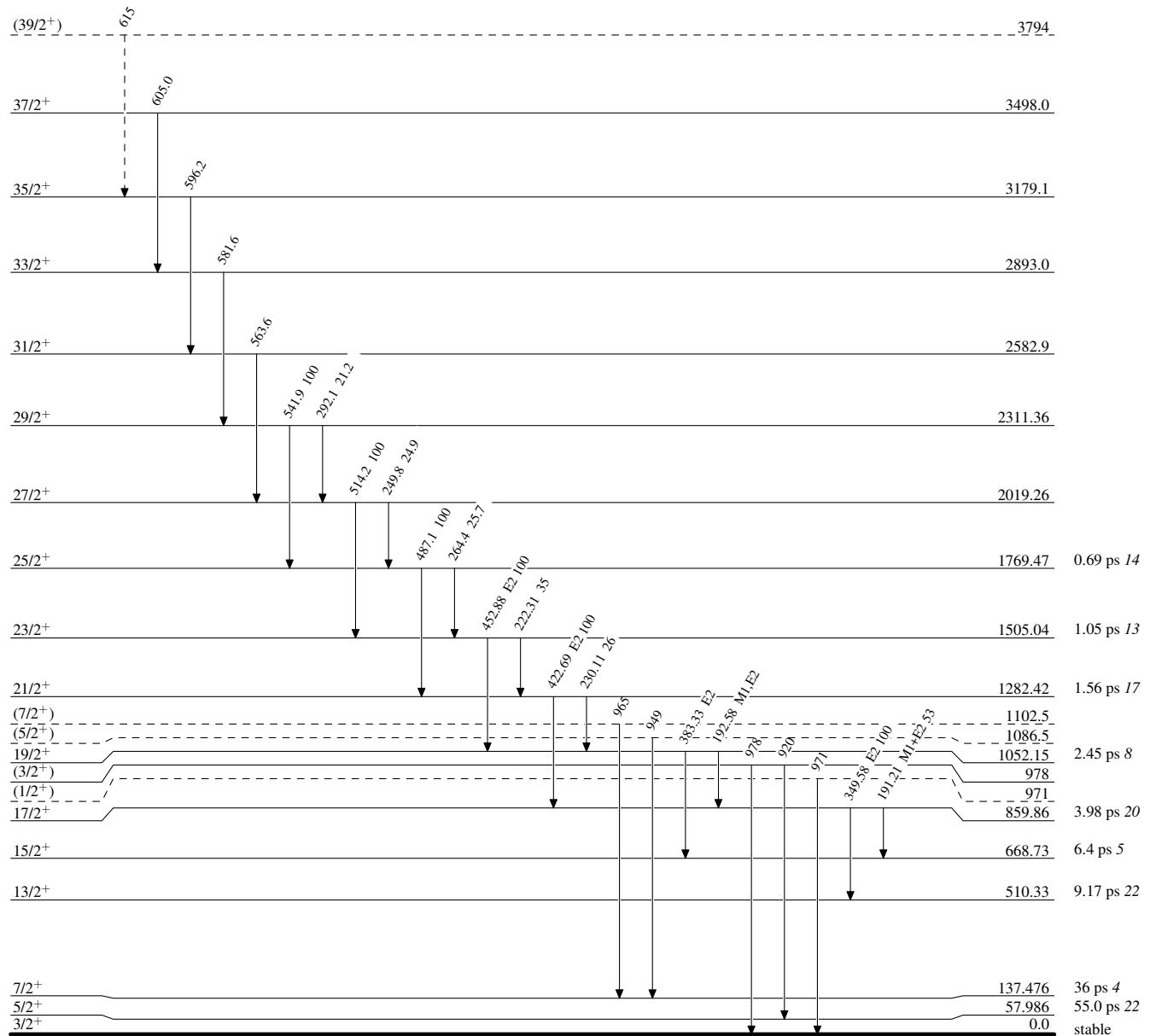
<sup>c</sup> Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

**Coulomb excitation**

Legend

**Level Scheme**

Intensities: Relative photon branching from each level

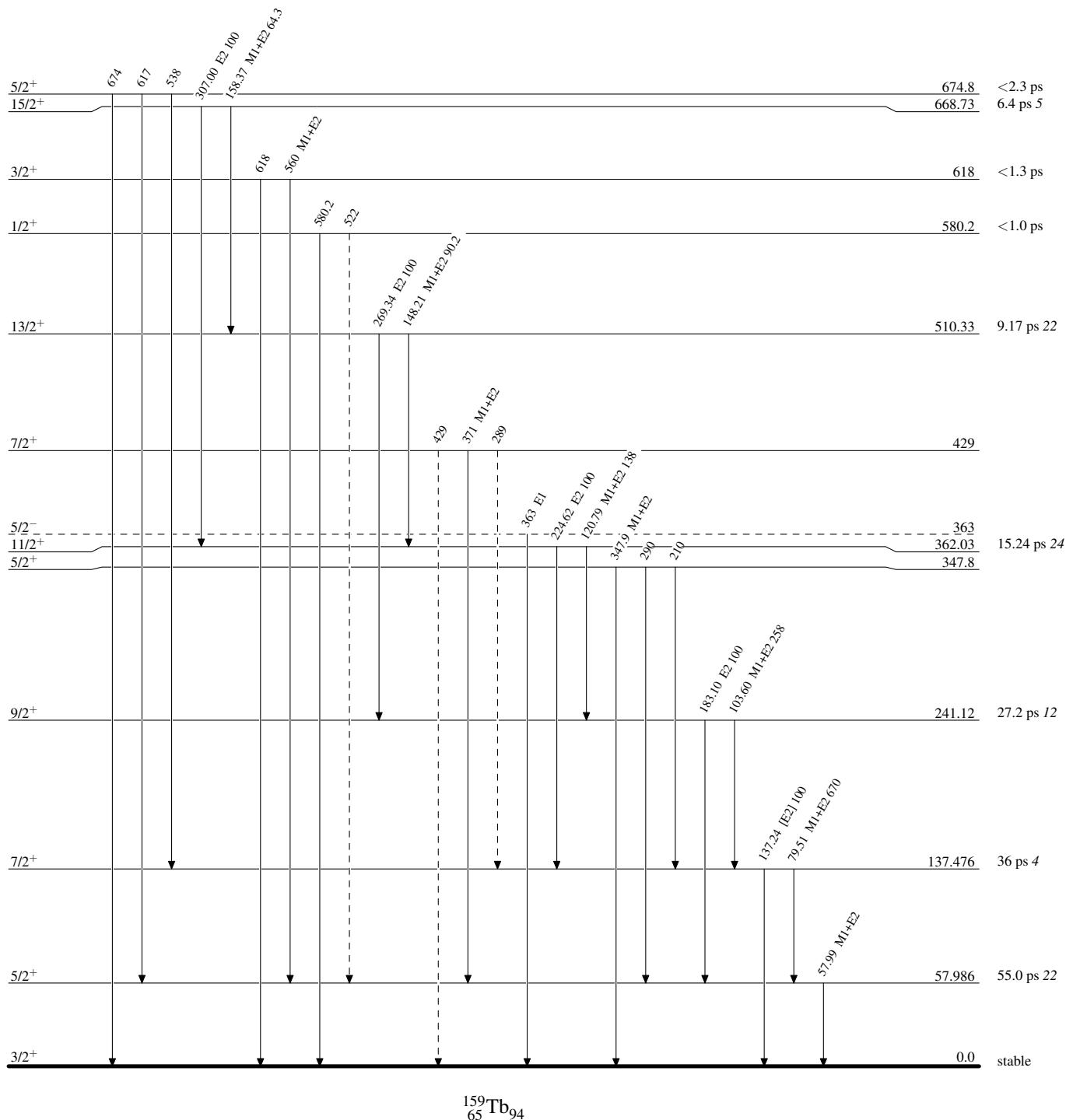
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**Coulomb excitation**

Legend

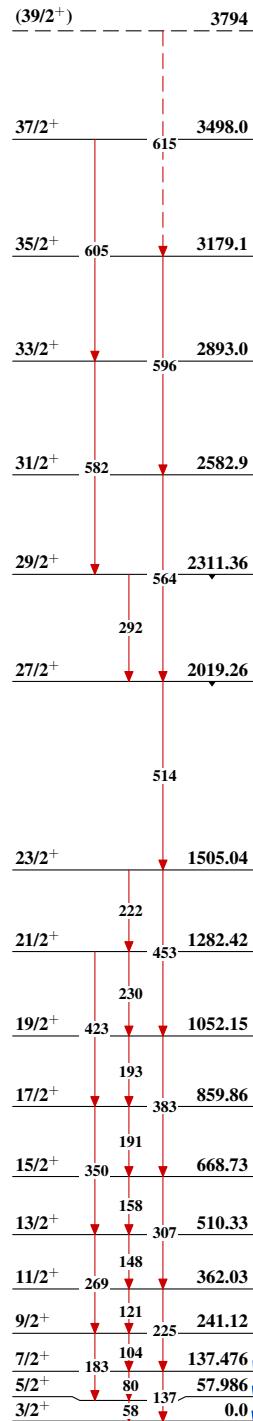
Level Scheme (continued)

Intensities: Relative photon branching from each level

- - - - -  $\gamma$  Decay (Uncertain)

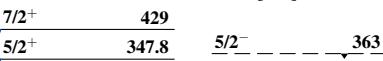
Coulomb excitation

Band(A):  $K^\pi=3/2^+$ ,  $\pi 3/2[411]$  band



Band(B):  $K^\pi=5/2^+$ ,  $\pi 5/2[413]$  band

Band(C):  $K^\pi=5/2^-$ ,  $\pi 5/2[532]$  bandhead



**Coulomb excitation (continued)**

Band(D):  $K^\pi=1/2^+$ ,  
 $\pi 1/2[411]$  band

$$\underline{(7/2^+)} \quad \underline{\underline{1102.5}}$$

$$\underline{(5/2^+)} \quad \underline{\underline{1086.5}}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (3/2^+) & & \downarrow \\ \hline (1/2^+) & & \downarrow \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \underline{978} \\ \underline{971} \end{array}$$

Band(E):  $K^\pi=1/2^+, K-2$   
 $\gamma$ -vibr

$$\underline{5/2^+} \quad \downarrow \quad \underline{674.8}$$

$$\underline{3/2^+} \quad \downarrow \quad \underline{618}$$

$$\underline{1/2^+} \quad \downarrow \quad \underline{580.2}$$