

¹⁶¹Yb ε decay 1981Ad02

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Parent: ¹⁶¹Yb: E=0; J^π=3/2⁻; T_{1/2}=4.2 min 2; Q(ε)=4056 32; %ε+%β⁺ decay=?

¹⁶¹Yb-J^π: [Additional information 1.](#)

¹⁶¹Yb-T_{1/2}: [Additional information 2.](#)

¹⁶¹Yb-Q(ε): [Additional information 3.](#)

[Additional information 4.](#)

¹⁶¹Yb produced by 660-MeV proton spallation on Ta and Hf targets, followed by isotope separation. γ singles and γγ(t) coincidences measured with Ge detectors. ce spectra measured using Si(Li) and magnetic spectrometers and γce coincidences.

Because of the many unplaced γ's, the large gap between the energy of the highest reported level and the Q(ε) value, and the uncertain status of the mults of some low-energy transitions, the evaluator regards the extraction of ε decay-branch intensities from intensity-balance considerations as unreliable. Consequently, ε decay branch intensities, as well as a γ-intensity normalization, are not quoted here.

¹⁶¹Tm Levels

All data are from [1981Ad02](#), unless otherwise noted; measured γ singles, γγ(t) coincidences, ce spectra, and γce coincidences. [Additional information 5.](#)

E(level) ^{†‡#}	J ^{π&}	T _{1/2} [@]	Comments
0 ^c	7/2 ⁺	38 min 4	T _{1/2} : from ¹⁶¹ Tm Adopted Levels.
7.4 ^d 2	1/2 ⁺		E(level): from the in-beam data of 1984Fo04 . This level was not directly observed by 1981Ad02 , who claimed only that its energy was less than a few tens of keV.
18.90 ^e 9	5/2 ⁺	<50 ns	T _{1/2} : from the existence of coincidences of the deexciting 18.90 γ with gammas feeding this level, 1981Ad02 derive this upper limit.
22.80 ^{ad} 24	3/2 ⁺		
78.20 ^f 3	7/2 ⁻	112 ns 5	T _{1/2} : from 1981Ad02 . Other: 140 ns 20 also from 1981Ad02 .
159.12 ^e 11	7/2 ⁺		
167.24 ^{abd} 25	5/2 ⁺		
211.07 ^{ad} 25	7/2 ⁺		
337.52 ^{ah} 20	1/2 ⁺ , 3/2 ⁺		
367.4 ^{ag} 3	1/2 ⁻		
433.3 ^{bh} 3	3/2 ⁺ , 5/2, 7/2 ⁺		
465.8 ^b 3			
625.5 ^b 3			
638.74 12			
647.89 13			
678.08 9	5/2 ⁻		
709.66 9	5/2 ⁻		
1180.70 12			

[†] From least-squares fit to γ energies, except for the value assigned by the evaluator to the 7.4-keV level.

[‡] In [1981Ad02](#), energies were not determined for the 1/2[411] band members and for the levels proposed as the bandheads of 3/2[411] and 1/2[541]. From in-beam studies ([1984Fo04](#)), the position of the 1/2⁺ level was determined, so the evaluator has been able to assign energies to these remaining levels.

[#] From energy differences of 7 keV among the unplaced γ's, levels at 722, 800, 813, and 823 keV are possible, but are not included.

[@] From ¹⁶¹Yb ε decay studies only. See ¹⁶¹Tm Adopted Levels for additional data for the 78-keV level.

^{161}Yb ε decay **1981Ad02 (continued)**

^{161}Tm Levels (continued)

& From adopted values.

^a Value deduced by evaluator from placement of $1/2^+$ level at 7.4 keV.

^b **1981Ad02** tentatively placed a 140.25 γ between levels assigned as the $3/2^+$ and $5/2^+$ members of the $1/2[411]$ band, making this γ doubly placed. These authors indicated that an alternative would be to place a 144.43 γ between these two levels. In light of subsequent in-beam studies, the evaluator has chosen this latter placement. This has led to the energy of this level being revised upward from that shown by **1981Ad02**.

^c Band(A): g.s. band. configuration= $7/2[404]$.

^d Band(B): $1/2[411]$ band.

^e Band(C): $5/2[402]$ band.

^f Band(D): $7/2[523]$ band.

^g Band(E): $1/2[541]$ band.

^h Band(F): possible $3/2[411]$ band.

¹⁶¹Yb ε decay **1981Ad02 (continued)**

γ(¹⁶¹Tm)

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E_γ	$I_\gamma^{\dagger\ddagger}$	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. #	$\alpha^@$	Comments
(7.4)		7.4	1/2 ⁺	0	7/2 ⁺	[M3]	4.47×10 ⁸	ce(M)/(γ+ce)=0.791 8; ce(N+)/(γ+ce)=0.209 4 ce(N)/(γ+ce)=0.188 4; ce(O)/(γ+ce)=0.0210 5; ce(P)/(γ+ce)=0.000149 3
(15.4)		22.80	3/2 ⁺	7.4	1/2 ⁺	[M1,E2]	1.0×10 ⁴ 10	ce(L)/(γ+ce)=0.8 6; ce(M)/(γ+ce)=0.18 24; ce(N+)/(γ+ce)=0.05 7 ce(N)/(γ+ce)=0.04 6; ce(O)/(γ+ce)=0.005 7; ce(P)/(γ+ce)=4.E-6 4 α: Value computed for δ=1. Note that the minimum value is α=124, the value for a pure M1 transition.
18.90 12		18.90	5/2 ⁺	0	7/2 ⁺	M1	67.7 16	ce(L)/(γ+ce)=0.768 12; ce(M)/(γ+ce)=0.171 6; ce(N+)/(γ+ce)=0.0461 15 ce(N)/(γ+ce)=0.0401 13; ce(O)/(γ+ce)=0.00575 19; ce(P)/(γ+ce)=0.000309 11 Mult.: δ is ≤0.10.
70.90 10 78.28 3	3.7 8 260 20	709.66 78.20	5/2 ⁻ 7/2 ⁻	638.74 0	7/2 ⁺	E1	0.635	α(K)=0.522 8; α(L)=0.0887 13; α(M)=0.0198 3; α(N+..)=0.00513 8 α(N)=0.00452 7; α(O)=0.000589 9; α(P)=2.25×10 ⁻⁵ 4 Mult.: δ is ≤0.045.
140.25 8 144.43 6 159.67 19 ^x 161.85 15 188.28 5	21.5 20 35 4 4.5 10 5.3 10 27.2 20	159.12 167.24 625.5	7/2 ⁺ 5/2 ⁺	18.90 22.80 465.8	5/2 ⁺ 3/2 ⁺	D		
		211.07	7/2 ⁺	22.80	3/2 ⁺	[E2]	0.318	α(K)=0.195 3; α(L)=0.0950 14; α(M)=0.0229 4; α(N+..)=0.00586 9 α(N)=0.00522 8; α(O)=0.000633 9; α(P)=8.99×10 ⁻⁶ 13 Mult.: γ(θ) suggests γ is dipole, but placement has ΔJ=2.
192.26 14 ^x 197.7 5 222.37 20	4.4 4 ≈0.3 1.8 3	625.5 433.3		433.3 211.07	3/2 ⁺ ,5/2,7/2 ⁺ 7/2 ⁺			E _γ : placement is that proposed by 1984Fo04 , from ¹⁵² Sm(¹⁴ N,5nγ). γ is observed, but unplaced, by 1981Ad02 .
^x 261.2 3 266.0 5 298.46 15 ^x 310.3 3 314.70 15	1.8 5 6.0 20 10.3 6 3.4 6 20.3 8	433.3 465.8	3/2 ⁺ ,5/2,7/2 ⁺	167.24 167.24	5/2 ⁺ 5/2 ⁺	M1(+E2)	0.09 4	α(K)=0.08 3; α(L)=0.0143 16; α(M)=0.0033 3; α(N+..)=0.00087 9 α(N)=0.00076 7; α(O)=0.000104 16; α(P)=4.4×10 ⁻⁶ 21

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¹⁶¹Yb ε decay 1981Ad02 (continued)

γ(¹⁶¹Tm) (continued)

<u>E_γ</u>	<u>I_γ^{†‡}</u>	<u>E_i(level)</u>	<u>J_i^π</u>	<u>E_f</u>	<u>J_f^π</u>	<u>Mult.#</u>	<u>α[@]</u>	<u>Comments</u>
318.63 18	4.9 4	337.52	1/2 ⁺ ,3/2 ⁺	18.90	5/2 ⁺			E _γ : placement is that proposed by 1984Fo04, from ¹⁵² Sm(¹⁴ N,5nγ). γ is observed, but unplaced, by 1981Ad02.
330.10 24	21.0 13	337.52	1/2 ⁺ ,3/2 ⁺	7.4	1/2 ⁺	M1(+E2)	0.08 3	α(K)=0.07 3; α(L)=0.0124 16; α(M)=0.0028 3; α(N+..)=0.00075 9
344.72 28	11.0 10	367.4	1/2 ⁻	22.80	3/2 ⁺	[E1]	0.01371	α(N)=0.00065 8; α(O)=9.0×10 ⁻⁵ 15; α(P)=3.9×10 ⁻⁶ 19 α(K)=0.01157 17; α(L)=0.001672 24; α(M)=0.000370 6; α(N+..)=9.86×10 ⁻⁵ 14
359.92 17	8.5 6	367.4	1/2 ⁻	7.4	1/2 ⁺	[E1]	0.01237	α(N)=8.60×10 ⁻⁵ 13; α(O)=1.205×10 ⁻⁵ 17; α(P)=5.99×10 ⁻⁷ 9 α(K)=0.01044 15; α(L)=0.001505 22; α(M)=0.000333 5; α(N+..)=8.88×10 ⁻⁵ 13 α(N)=7.74×10 ⁻⁵ 11; α(O)=1.086×10 ⁻⁵ 16; α(P)=5.42×10 ⁻⁷ 8
^x 381.03 14	12.6 6							
410.44 17	9.4 7	433.3	3/2 ⁺ ,5/2,7/2 ⁺	22.80	3/2 ⁺			
443.02 24	3.1 5	465.8		22.80	3/2 ⁺			
458.22 16	21.8 8	625.5		167.24	5/2 ⁺			
471.00 10	12.6 7	1180.70		709.66	5/2 ⁻			
519.12 20	4.8 5	678.08	5/2 ⁻	159.12	7/2 ⁺			
532.91 23	4.8 7	1180.70		647.89				
^x 536.6 3	3.3 7							
550.0 5	2.0 6	709.66	5/2 ⁻	159.12	7/2 ⁺			
^x 552.1 5	2.0 6							
^x 555.50 15	11.1 6							
560.48 20	16.2 12	638.74		78.20	7/2 ⁻			
^x 566.92 22	5.4 7							
569.73 14	43.2 20	647.89		78.20	7/2 ⁻			
599.88 10	198 9	678.08	5/2 ⁻	78.20	7/2 ⁻	M1(+E2)	0.017 7	α(K)=0.014 6; α(L)=0.0023 7; α(M)=0.00051 14; α(N+..)=0.00014 4 α(N)=0.00012 4; α(O)=1.7×10 ⁻⁵ 5; α(P)=8.E-7 4
631.45 10	106 5	709.66	5/2 ⁻	78.20	7/2 ⁻	M1(+E2)	0.015 6	α(K)=0.013 5; α(L)=0.0020 6; α(M)=0.00044 13; α(N+..)=0.00012 4 α(N)=0.00010 3; α(O)=1.5×10 ⁻⁵ 5; α(P)=7.E-7 3
^x 641.22 21	4.2 5							
^x 644.9 4	3.4 7							
659.10 14	24.6 10	678.08	5/2 ⁻	18.90	5/2 ⁺			
690.75 20	8.2 7	709.66	5/2 ⁻	18.90	5/2 ⁺			
^x 714.9 4	4.0 7							
^x 722.15 23	5.7 8							
^x 730.9 5	2.0 7							
^x 745.6 4	1.9 5							
^x 771.24 28	3.5 6							
^x 781.2 3	4.3 8							
^x 789.47 27	4.3 5							
^x 793.02 23	9.3 6							
^x 800.45 28	7.5 10							
^x 805.24 24	5.4 6							
^x 813.15 28	3.0 4							

¹⁶¹Yb ε decay [1981Ad02](#) (continued)

γ(¹⁶¹Tm) (continued)

<u>E_γ</u>	<u>I_γ^{†‡}</u>	<u>E_i(level)</u>	<u>E_γ</u>	<u>I_γ^{†‡}</u>	<u>E_i(level)</u>	<u>J_i^π</u>	<u>E_f</u>	<u>J_f^π</u>	<u>E_γ</u>	<u>I_γ^{†‡}</u>	<u>E_i(level)</u>
^x 816.5 3	2.3 4		1022.0 4	3.9 5	1180.70		159.12	7/2 ⁺	^x 1182.5 5	6.4 7	
^x 823.5 5	1.8 6		^x 1038.2 5	3.5 6					^x 1364.9 5	7.3 7	
^x 842.7 3	4.5 6		^x 1042.7 4	7.7 6					^x 1517.8 5	7.2 9	
^x 959.6 4	3.2 7		^x 1117.3 5	3.6 9					^x 1805.8 15	4.6 10	
^x 1007.2 4	7.0 8		^x 1145.6 5	7.3 7							
^x 1018.5 4	6.2 6		^x 1167.1 6	4.5 7							

[†] Kα₁ x-ray intensity is 530 40 ([1974Ad10](#)).

[‡] Annihilation-radiation intensity is 222 30 ([1981Ad02](#)).

[#] From ¹⁶¹Tm Adopted Gammas and based on ce data from ¹⁶¹Yb decay ([1981Ad02](#)) and γ(θ) from in-beam study ([1984Fo04](#)).

@ [Additional information 6](#).

^x γ ray not placed in level scheme.

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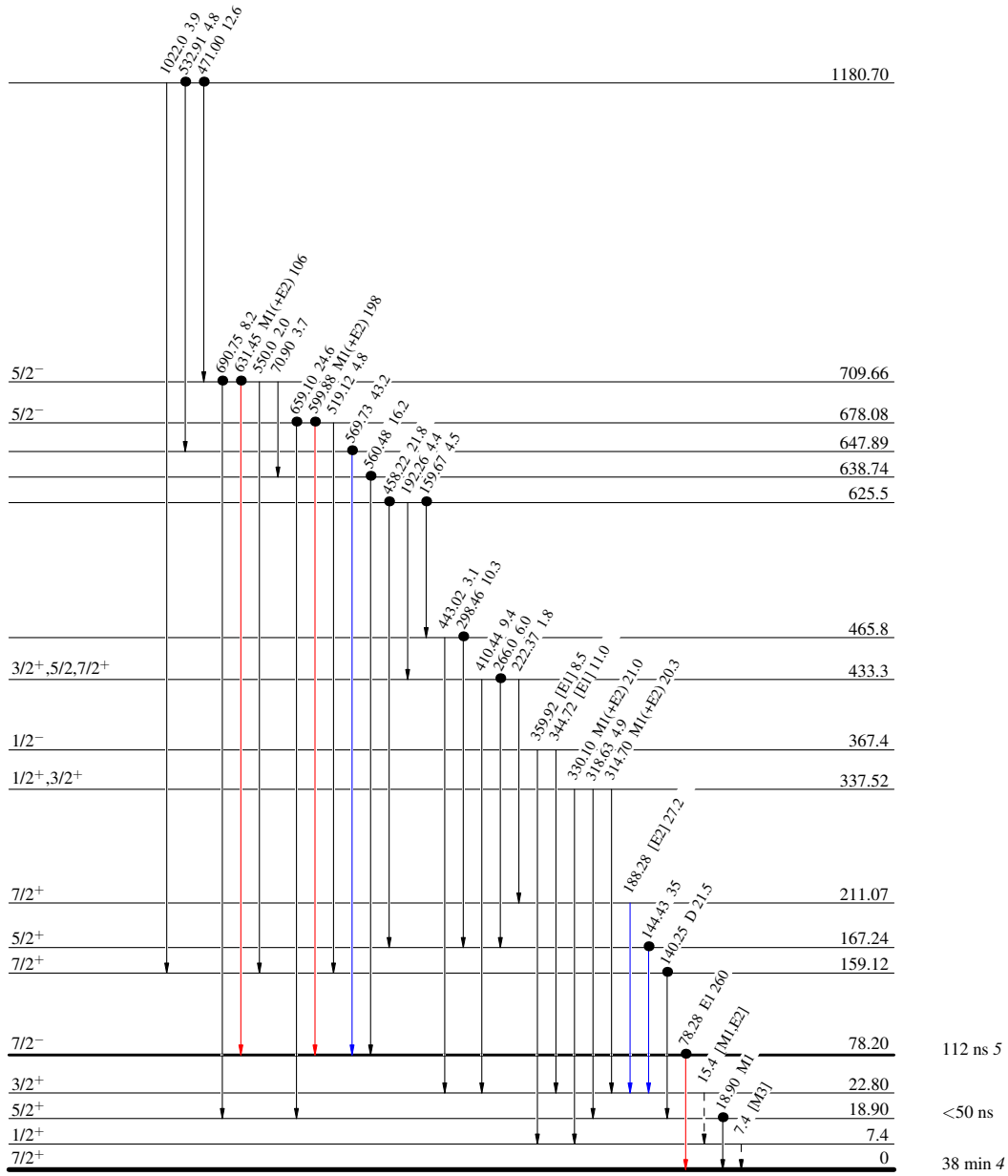
Legend

- $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
- $I_\gamma < 10\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
- $I_\gamma > 10\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
- - -→ γ Decay (Uncertain)
- Coincidence

Decay Scheme

Intensities: Relative I_γ

$^{161}\text{Yb}_{91}$ $3/2^-$ 0 4.2 min 2
 $Q_\epsilon = 4056.32$
 $\% \epsilon + \% \beta^+ = ?$



$^{161}_{69}\text{Tm}_{92}$

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