

¹⁶⁶W ε decay 1989Hi04

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Parent: ¹⁶⁶W: E=0.0; J^π=0⁺; T_{1/2}=19.2 s 6; Q(ε)=4206 30; %ε+%β⁺ decay=99.965 12

¹⁶⁶Ta Levels

E(level)	J ^π †	Comments
0	(2) ⁺	
125.79 18	1 ⁺	
298.3 3		
350.34 25		E(level): relative order of the 45.8 and 224.6 transitions is not established. The reverse order would define a level at 171.6.
395.93 20	1 ⁺	J ^π : log ft<5.9 from 0 ⁺ independent of multiplicities assumed for transitions deexciting the 396 level.

† From Adopted Levels.

ε,β⁺ radiations

E(decay)	E(level)	Iβ ⁺ †	Iε †	Log ft	I(ε+β ⁺) †	Comments
(3.81×10 ³ 3)	395.93	3.4 5	6.6 10	4.87 7	10.0 15	av Eβ=1259 14; εK=0.546 6; εL=0.0883 10; εM+=0.0271 3
(3.86×10 ³ ‡ 3)	350.34	<0.3	<0.5	>6.0	<0.8	av Eβ=1280 14; εK=0.537 6; εL=0.0868 10; εM+=0.0267 3
(3.91×10 ³ ‡ 3)	298.3	<0.3	<0.4	>6.1	<0.7	av Eβ=1304 14; εK=0.527 6; εL=0.0851 10; εM+=0.0262 3
(4.08×10 ³ 3)	125.79	36 4	54 7	4.02 6	90 11	av Eβ=1382 14; εK=0.493 6; εL=0.0796 10; εM+=0.0245 3

† Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

‡ Existence of this branch is questionable.

γ(¹⁶⁶Ta)

I_γ normalization: The basis of the intensity normalization is that negligible ε+β⁺ feeding to the ground state is expected (ΔJ=(2), Δπ=No), so Σ (I(γ+ce) to g.s.)=100.
 γγ coin (Ta K x ray)(125.8γ, 395.9γ).

E _γ	I _γ ‡	E _i (level)	J _i ^π	E _f	Mult.	α [#]	Comments
45.8 4	1.4 4	395.93	1 ⁺	350.34	[M1]	7.21 22	α(L)=5.59 17; α(M)=1.27 4; α(N+..)=0.355 11 α(N)=0.303 9; α(O)=0.0480 15; α(P)=0.00331 10 Additional information 3. Mult.: if placement of 46γ is correct, E2 is ruled out because it would imply negative ε+β ⁺ feeding of the 350 level; M1 would imply No ε+β ⁺ branch to 350 level.
97.7 4	1.9 2	395.93	1 ⁺	298.3	[M1,E2] †	4.4 4	α(K)=2.4 15; α(L)=1.5 9; α(M)=0.37 23; α(N+..)=0.10 6 α(N)=0.09 6; α(O)=0.012 7; α(P)=0.00022 15 Additional information 4. E _γ : 97.7 from fig. 3 of 1989Hi04, consistent with E(level) difference. E _γ =97.1 from table 4 appears to Be a misprint.

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E_γ	I_γ^\ddagger	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult.	δ	$\alpha^\#$	Comments
125.8 2	100	125.79	1 ⁺	0	(2) ⁺	M1+E2	0.8 +8-5	1.98 24	$\alpha(\text{K})=1.4\ 5$; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.47\ 15$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.11\ 4$; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.031\ 10$ $\alpha(\text{N})=0.027\ 9$; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.0038\ 11$; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.00012\ 5$ Mult., δ : from $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=1.4\ 4$.
172.5 3	5.8 7	298.3		125.79	1 ⁺	[M1,E2] [†]		0.71 22	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.5\ 3$; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.15\ 4$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.037\ 10$; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.0099\ 23$ $\alpha(\text{N})=0.0086\ 21$; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.00124\ 21$; $\alpha(\text{P})=4.\text{E}-5\ 3$ Additional information 1.
224.6 2	7.8 5	350.34		125.79	1 ⁺	[M1,E2]		0.32 13	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.25\ 13$; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.0595\ 20$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.0141\ 11$; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.00384\ 20$ $\alpha(\text{N})=0.00333\ 22$; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.000491\ 9$; $\alpha(\text{P})=2.2\times 10^{-5}\ 13$ Additional information 2.
270.1 2	2.3 2	395.93	1 ⁺	125.79	1 ⁺	[M1,E2]		0.19 8	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.15\ 8$; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.032\ 3$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.0075\ 4$; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.00207\ 13$ $\alpha(\text{N})=0.00179\ 10$; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.00027\ 3$; $\alpha(\text{P})=1.3\times 10^{-5}\ 8$
395.9 3	5.4 14	395.93	1 ⁺	0	(2) ⁺	[M1,E2]		0.07 3	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.05\ 3$; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.0099\ 25$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.0023\ 5$; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.00063\ 15$ $\alpha(\text{N})=0.00054\ 13$; $\alpha(\text{O})=8.3\times 10^{-5}\ 23$; $\alpha(\text{P})=5.\text{E}-6\ 3$ coincident with K x ray(Ta) only.

[†] From intensity balance assuming no $\varepsilon+\beta^+$ feeding to 298.3 level.

[‡] For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.33 3.

[#] Total theoretical internal conversion coefficients, calculated using the BrIcc code ([2008Ki07](#)) with Frozen orbital approximation based on γ -ray energies, assigned multiplicities, and mixing ratios, unless otherwise specified.

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Decay Scheme

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