

^{168}Lu IT decay **1999Ba65,1997Ba26**

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Parent: ^{168}Lu : E=202.81 12; $J^\pi=3^+$; $T_{1/2}=6.7$ min 4; %IT decay<0.8

^{168}Lu -%IT decay: From 1999Ba65; see general comment above.

Other: 1972Ch44.

Candidates for the ^{168}Lu isomeric transition have been reported by 1997Ba26 In γ spectra following ^{168}Hf ε decay and by 1999Ba65 In γ spectra from an isomeric ^{168}Lu source. the respective E_γ data (202.81 12 In 1997Ba26 and 202.5 4 In 1999Ba65) and %I γ data (0.86 21 from 1997Ba26 and 0.54 15 from 1999Ba65) are consistent, and the transition is not coincident with ^{168}Yb transitions. However, the principal transitions expected from ^{168}Lu (g.s.) ε decay were not observed by 1999Ba65 and, consequently, the authors propose only an upper limit for %IT, namely 0.8%. other %IT: <5 (1972Ch44).

 ^{168}Lu Levels

E(level) [†]	J^π [‡]	$T_{1/2}$ [‡]	Comments
0.0	$6^{(-)}$	5.5 min 1	
202.81? 12	3^+	6.7 min 4	E(level): uncertain because identification of isomeric transition is very tentative.

[†] From E_γ .

[‡] From Adopted Levels.

 $\gamma(^{168}\text{Lu})$

E_γ	E_i (level)	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult.	α [‡]	$I_{(\gamma+ce)}$ [†]	Comments
202.81 [#] 12	202.81?	3^+	0.0	$6^{(-)}$	[E3]	1.83	100	ce(K)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.177 3; ce(L)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.355 5; ce(M)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.0906 15; ce(N+)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.0236 4 ce(N)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.0210 4; ce(O)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.00256 5; ce(P)/($\gamma+ce$)=1.426 $\times 10^{-5}$ 24 E_γ : from 1997Ba26; 202.5 4 In 1999Ba65, 202.8 In 1966Ha23. Mult.: transition is significantly converted (1966Ha23).

[†] For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by <0.008.

[‡] 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.

[#] Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

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Legend

Decay Scheme

