

¹⁶⁸Hf ε decay 1997Ba26

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Parent: ¹⁶⁸Hf: E=0.0; J^π=0⁺; T_{1/2}=25.95 min 20; Q(ε)=1700 50; %ε+%β⁺ decay=100.0

Others: 1961Me05, 1966Ha23, 1969Ar23, 1970Ch17.

1961Me05 report a weak β⁺ component with Eβ⁺=1700 100. 1966Ha23 report ce data; sources from ¹⁷⁰Yb(α,6n); measured E(ce), Ice (mag spect, resolution≈0.1%).

1997Ba26: chemically separated sources from ¹⁵⁶Gd(¹⁶O,4n), E=75 MeV; >99% ¹⁵⁶Gd targets; He jet transfer for on-line separation, reaction products dissolved in HF and separated using three resin separation columns to produce Hf and Lu sources; Al tape transport of products also used for off-line separation; three HPGe detectors (one planar, FWHM=0.5 keV At 122 keV, and two coaxial); measured Eγ, Iγ, γγ coin, γ asymmetry W(180°)/W(90°) (data unstated). See also 1995Tr10.

¹⁶⁸Lu Levels

E(level) [†]	J ^π [‡]	T _{1/2}	Comments
0.0	6 ⁽⁻⁾	5.5 min 1	T _{1/2} : from Adopted Levels. suggested configuration: K ^π =6 ⁻ (π 7/2[404])+(ν 5/2[523]) (1997Ba26).
202.81?	3 ⁺	6.7 min 4	%ε+%β ⁺ >99.6 4; %IT<0.8 (1997Ba26) T _{1/2} : from Adopted Levels. suggested configuration: K ^π =3 ⁺ (π 1/2[541])+(ν 5/2[523]) (1997Ba26).
211.00 3	(1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)		suggested configuration: K ^π =1 ⁺ (π 7/2[404])-(ν 5/2[642])? (1997Ba26).
218.20 4	(0 ⁺ ,1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)		suggested configuration: K ^π =2 ⁺ (π 1/2[411])-(ν 5/2[642])? (1997Ba26).
238.89 4	(1 ⁺ ,2,3)		suggested configuration: K ^π =2 ⁻ (π 1/2[541])-(ν 5/2[642])? (1997Ba26).
240.85 3	(1 ⁺ ,2,3)		suggested configuration: K ^π =2 ⁻ (π 7/2[404])-(ν 3/2[521])? (1997Ba26).
257.85 3	(2) ⁺		suggested configuration: K ^π =2 ⁺ (π 1/2[541])-(ν 5/2[523]) (1997Ba26).
260.12 4	(2) ⁻		suggested configuration: K ^π =2 ⁻ (π 1/2[411])-(ν 5/2[523]) (1997Ba26).
273.52 10			
303.71 4	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)		suggested configuration: K ^π =1 ⁻ (π 7/2[404])-(ν 5/2[512]) (1997Ba26); alternatively, this could be the configuration of the 350 level.
320.056 23	(2) ⁻		suggested configuration: K ^π =2 ⁻ (π 1/2[411])-(ν 5/2[512]) (1997Ba26).
350.11 5	(≤3)		see comment on 304 level configuration.
354.84 4	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)		suggested configuration: K ^π =1 ⁻ (π 7/2[404])-(ν 5/2[523]) (1997Ba26).
360.61 4	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)		suggested configuration: K ^π =0 ⁻ (π 5/2[402])-(ν 5/2[523]) (1997Ba26).
363.40 3	(1 ⁺ ,2 ⁻)		
370.48 6	(≤3)		
376.74 6	(≤3)		
393.44 6	(≤3)		
395.18 6	(0,1,2 ⁻)		
417.50 3	1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺		suggested configuration: K ^π =2 ⁺ (π 1/2[541])-(ν 5/2[512]) (1997Ba26).
426.33 4	(1 ⁺)		suggested configuration: K ^π =1 ⁺ (π 1/2[541])-(ν 3/2[521]) (1997Ba26).
428.15 3	(1 ⁺)		suggested configuration: K ^π =1 ⁺ (π 1/2[541])+(ν 1/2[521]) (1997Ba26).
431.29 5	(0 ⁻ ,1)		
441.78 3	1 ⁺		suggested configuration: K ^π =1 ⁺ (π 7/2[523])-(ν 5/2[523]) (1997Ba26).
480.10 6			
584.32 6	(≤4)		
585.59 5	(0,1)		
595.00 6	(0,1,2 ⁻)		
605.15 6	(≤3)		
719.50 11	(≤4)		
780.29 6	(≤3)		
794.64 3	1 ⁺		suggested configuration: K ^π =1 ⁺ (π 7/2[523])-(ν 5/2[512]) (1997Ba26).
1044.75 7	(0,1,2 ⁻)		
1172.7 3	(≤4)		
1175.82 16	(≤4)		
1220.59 11			
1241.23 10	(0,1,2 ⁻)		

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^{168}Hf ε decay **1997Ba26** (continued) ^{168}Lu Levels (continued)

<u>E(level)[†]</u>	<u>Jπ[‡]</u>
1307.93 12	(0,1)
1331.49 10	(0,1,2 ⁻)
1349.3 3	(0,1)

[†] From least-squares fit to E_γ , holding E(3⁺ isomer) fixed At 202.81. Uncertainties do not include uncertainty of 0.12 keV for 202.81 level. note, however, that the energy of the isomer is only tentative.

[‡] From Adopted Levels.

 ε, β^+ radiations

% β^+ is small ($\approx 1\%$ to 3%) (1961Me05).

log ft, I_ε values are given for only the strongest branches. the absence of multipolarity information for many low energy transitions and the uncertainties in decay scheme normalization and level energies render log ft and intensity balances unreliable in most cases.

<u>E(decay)</u>	<u>E(level)</u>	<u>I_{β^+}[†]</u>	<u>I_ε[†]</u>	<u>Log ft</u>	<u>$I(\varepsilon + \beta^+)$[†]</u>	<u>Comments</u>
(3.5×10^2 5)	1349.3		0.38 19	5.7 3	0.38 19	$\varepsilon K=0.779$ 12; $\varepsilon L=0.167$ 9; $\varepsilon M+=0.053$ 4
(3.7×10^2 5)	1331.49					
(3.9×10^2 5)	1307.93		0.42 20	5.82 25	0.42 20	$\varepsilon K=0.786$ 9; $\varepsilon L=0.162$ 7; $\varepsilon M+=0.0512$ 24
(4.6×10^2 5)	1241.23					
(6.6×10^2 5)	1044.75					
(9.1×10^2 5)	794.64		11 5	5.20 21	11 5	$\varepsilon K=0.8152$ 12; $\varepsilon L=0.1413$ 9; $\varepsilon M+=0.0435$ 3
(1.11×10^3 [‡] 5)	595.00					
(1.11×10^3 5)	585.59		0.6 3	6.65 23	0.6 3	$\varepsilon K=0.8189$ 8; $\varepsilon L=0.1386$ 6; $\varepsilon M+=0.04252$ 20
(1.26×10^3 5)	441.78	0.003 4	49 24	4.85 22	49 24	av $E\beta=122$ 24; $\varepsilon K=0.8206$ 6; $\varepsilon L=0.1373$ 5; $\varepsilon M+=0.04205$ 15
(1.27×10^3 5)	431.29		0.48 25	6.87 23	0.48 25	$\varepsilon K=0.8207$ 6; $\varepsilon L=0.1372$ 5; $\varepsilon M+=0.04202$ 15
(1.27×10^3 5)	428.15		1.4 7	6.41 22	1.4 7	$\varepsilon K=0.8207$ 5; $\varepsilon L=0.1372$ 4; $\varepsilon M+=0.04201$ 15
(1.27×10^3 5)	426.33		0.45 23	6.90 23	0.45 23	$\varepsilon K=0.8207$ 5; $\varepsilon L=0.1372$ 4; $\varepsilon M+=0.04200$ 15
(1.30×10^3 [‡] 5)	395.18					
(1.34×10^3 [‡] 5)	363.40					
(1.34×10^3 [‡] 5)	360.61					

[†] Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

[‡] Existence of this branch is questionable.

γ(¹⁶⁸Lu)

I_γ normalization: Σ (I(γ+ce) to 3⁺ isomer)=100 can be assumed since No significant ε+β⁺ feeding to 6⁽⁻⁾ g.s. or 3⁺ 203-keV isomer would be expected from 0⁺ ¹⁶⁸Hf. however, many γ rays from E>218 levels feed into the 211 and 218 levels and the very low energy transitions which must, therefore, depopulate the 211 and 218 levels have not been observed. if there were No ε+β⁺ feeding to the 211 or 218 level, one could normalize the decay scheme using Σ (I(γ+ce) to 203+211+218 levels from E(level)>218)=100, and this may be how **1997Ba26** obtain their suggested I_γ normalization of 0.075 9. However, half the transitions involved in the decay scheme normalization have No multipolarity indicated here; if α=0 were assumed for all of these, I_γ normalization=0.0744 16 and if, alternatively, the larger of α(M1) and α(E2) were assumed for all, I_γ normalization=0.0255 19. consequently, the evaluator has used I_γ normalization=0.050 24 to obtain an approximate normalization. note that I_γ normalization will be reduced if ε+β⁺ feeding does occur to the 211 and/or 218 levels.

Observed x-ray Data (**1995Tr10**) (I(x) Relative To I(184γ)=100):

	E(x ray)	I(x ray)
Lu Kα ₂ x ray	52.97	488 30
Lu Kα ₁ x ray	54.07	854 43
Lu Kβ ₁₃ x ray	61.20	288 15
Lu Kβ ₂ x ray	62.96	816 5
Lu L _γ x ray	10.43	12.0 1

E _γ [†]	I _γ ^{†d}	E _i (level)	J _i ^π	E _f	J _f ^π	Mult. [‡]	δ [‡]	α ^e	Comments
(5.7&)		360.61	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)	354.84	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)				
(7.2&)		218.20	(0 ⁺ ,1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)	211.00	(1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)				
(8.2&)		211.00	(1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)	202.81?	3 ⁺				
(13.4&)		273.52		260.12	(2 ⁻)				Ti(13.4)≥Ti(119.9); the latter ranges from 1.6 1 (if E1) to 4.2 3 (if M1).
14.40 5	1.00 10	794.64	1 ⁺	780.29	(≤3)				
(15.4&)		218.20	(0 ⁺ ,1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)	202.81?	3 ⁺				
(16.0&)		376.74	(≤3)	360.61	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)				
17.53 ^f 9	1.70 20	257.85	(2) ⁺	240.85	(1 ⁺ ,2,3)				
24.25 3	13.1 15	441.78	1 ⁺	417.50	1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺	M1+E2	0.084	55.0	α(L)=42.5 7; α(M)=9.83 15; α(N+..)=2.63 4 α(N)=2.30 4; α(O)=0.319 5; α(P)=0.01462 22 Ice(L1)≈50; L1:L2:L3:M:N≈50:≈15:≈10:20:5 (1966Ha23).
^x 27.52 [#]	3.0 [#] 3								
27.82 7	1.20 20	238.89	(1 ⁺ ,2,3)	211.00	(1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)				
29.80 7	0.80 10	240.85	(1 ⁺ ,2,3)	211.00	(1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)				
35.9 5	<0.7	238.89	(1 ⁺ ,2,3)	202.81?	3 ⁺				
38.04 5	1.30 20	240.85	(1 ⁺ ,2,3)	202.81?	3 ⁺				
^x 40.2 ^a									
43.07 ^f 12	2.30 20	303.71	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)	260.12	(2 ⁻)	[M1,E2]		7.×10 ¹ 7	Ice(L1)≈10, Ice(L2) and Ice(L3) weak (1966Ha23). α(L)=5.E1 5; α(M)=13 13; α(N+..)=3 3 α(N)=3 3; α(O)=0.4 4; α(P)=0.0015 12

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¹⁶⁸Hf ε decay **1997Ba26** (continued)

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

E_γ †	I_γ ‡d	E_i (level)	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. ‡	δ ‡	α^e	Comments
^x 44.21 12	4.3 4								
46.31 6	2.4 3	350.11	(≤ 3)	303.71	(0 ⁻ , 1 ⁻ , 2 ⁻)				
49.0 ^c 5	<0.7	260.12	(2 ⁻)	211.00	(1 ⁺ , 2 ⁺)	[E1]		0.447 15	$\alpha(L)=0.348$ 12; $\alpha(M)=0.079$ 3; $\alpha(N+..)=0.0204$ 7 $\alpha(N)=0.0180$ 6; $\alpha(O)=0.00232$ 8; $\alpha(P)=8.49 \times 10^{-5}$ 24 Ice(L1)= ¹¹ CeM weak (1966Ha23).
51.2 ^c 5	5.8 ^b 10	354.84	(0 ⁻ , 1 ⁻ , 2 ⁻)	303.71	(0 ⁻ , 1 ⁻ , 2 ⁻)	[M1,E2]		3. $\times 10^1$ 3	$\alpha(L)=24$ 21; $\alpha(M)=6$ 6; $\alpha(N+..)=1.5$ 13 $\alpha(N)=1.3$ 12; $\alpha(O)=0.16$ 14; $\alpha(P)=0.0009$ 7
55.03 10	60.5 4	257.85	(2 ⁺)	202.81?	3 ⁺	M1+E2	0.16	4.41	$\alpha(L)=3.41$ 6; $\alpha(M)=0.785$ 12; $\alpha(N+..)=0.211$ 4 $\alpha(N)=0.184$ 3; $\alpha(O)=0.0260$ 4; $\alpha(P)=0.001281$ 20 Mult., δ : Ice(L1)=60; L1:L3:M:N=60: \approx 6:16:4 (1966Ha23).
56.9 ^c 5	4.9 10	360.61	(0 ⁻ , 1 ⁻ , 2 ⁻)	303.71	(0 ⁻ , 1 ⁻ , 2 ⁻)	(M1)		3.15 10	$\alpha(L)=2.45$ 8; $\alpha(M)=0.551$ 17; $\alpha(N+..)=0.151$ 5 $\alpha(N)=0.130$ 4; $\alpha(O)=0.0193$ 6; $\alpha(P)=0.00119$ 4
57.30 10	137.0 10	260.12	(2 ⁻)	202.81?	3 ⁺	(E1) @		0.290	$\alpha(L)=0.225$ 4; $\alpha(M)=0.0510$ 8; $\alpha(N+..)=0.01328$ 20 $\alpha(N)=0.01169$ 18; $\alpha(O)=0.001528$ 23; $\alpha(P)=5.90 \times 10^{-5}$ 9
61.92 10	10.6 ^b 10	320.056	(2 ⁻)	257.85	(2 ⁺)	E1+M2 @	0.29	6.06 10	$\alpha(L)=4.61$ 8; $\alpha(M)=1.140$ 18; $\alpha(N+..)=0.311$ 5 $\alpha(N)=0.271$ 5; $\alpha(O)=0.0383$ 6; $\alpha(P)=0.00191$ 3
64.81 4	3.0 3	428.15	(1 ⁺)	363.40	(1 ⁺ , 2 ⁻)				
68.23 15	1.30 10	431.29	(0 ⁻ , 1)	363.40	(1 ⁺ , 2 ⁻)				
70.96 9	2.7 3	431.29	(0 ⁻ , 1)	360.61	(0 ⁻ , 1 ⁻ , 2 ⁻)				E_γ, I_γ : for doublet; other component unplaced.
72.94 5	9.9 ^b 10	376.74	(≤ 3)	303.71	(0 ⁻ , 1 ⁻ , 2 ⁻)				
74.94 8	15.1 ^b 15	395.18	(0, 1, 2 ⁻)	320.056	(2 ⁻)				
79.05 7	2.6 3	320.056	(2 ⁻)	240.85	(1 ⁺ , 2, 3)				
85.47 3	40.6 24	303.71	(0 ⁻ , 1 ⁻ , 2 ⁻)	218.20	(0 ⁺ , 1 ⁺ , 2 ⁺)	(E1) @		0.527	$\alpha(K)=0.432$ 6; $\alpha(L)=0.0743$ 11; $\alpha(M)=0.01675$ 24; $\alpha(N+..)=0.00441$ 7 $\alpha(N)=0.00387$ 6; $\alpha(O)=0.000523$ 8; $\alpha(P)=2.27 \times 10^{-5}$ 4
86.96 6	12.8 8	441.78	1 ⁺	354.84	(0 ⁻ , 1 ⁻ , 2 ⁻)	(E1) @		0.504	$\alpha(K)=0.413$ 6; $\alpha(L)=0.0709$ 10; $\alpha(M)=0.01597$ 23; $\alpha(N+..)=0.00421$ 6 $\alpha(N)=0.00369$ 6; $\alpha(O)=0.000499$ 7; $\alpha(P)=2.18 \times 10^{-5}$ 3
^x 87.70 #	32.5 # 20								
89.57 8	1.00 10	393.44	(≤ 3)	303.71	(0 ⁻ , 1 ⁻ , 2 ⁻)				
91.58 6	1.80 20	395.18	(0, 1, 2 ⁻)	303.71	(0 ⁻ , 1 ⁻ , 2 ⁻)				
92.68 3	48 3	303.71	(0 ⁻ , 1 ⁻ , 2 ⁻)	211.00	(1 ⁺ , 2 ⁺)	(E1) @		0.427	$\alpha(K)=0.351$ 5; $\alpha(L)=0.0594$ 9; $\alpha(M)=0.01338$ 19; $\alpha(N+..)=0.00353$ 5 $\alpha(N)=0.00309$ 5; $\alpha(O)=0.000421$ 6; $\alpha(P)=1.87 \times 10^{-5}$ 3
97.46 3	70 4	417.50	1 ⁺ , 2 ⁺	320.056	(2 ⁻)	(E1+M2)	0.45	6.63	$\alpha(K)=4.74$ 7; $\alpha(L)=1.440$ 21; $\alpha(M)=0.350$ 5; $\alpha(N+..)=0.0956$ 14 $\alpha(N)=0.0831$ 12; $\alpha(O)=0.01186$ 17; $\alpha(P)=0.000621$ 9 Mult., δ : from 1997Ba26; $\alpha(\text{exp}) \approx 7$ from intensity balance. other: Ice(K) ≈ 90 for doublet; L1:M=18:5 (1966Ha23).
^x 99.65 6	1.60 20								

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¹⁶⁸Hf ε decay **1997Ba26** (continued)

γ(¹⁶⁸Lu) (continued)

E_γ †	I_γ † ^d	E_i (level)	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. ‡	δ^\ddagger	α^e	Comments
105.76 8	1.50 20	363.40	(1 ⁺ ,2 ⁻)	257.85	(2) ⁺				
^x 106.81 6	1.80 20								
108.10 3	5.2 ^b 3	428.15	(1 ⁺)	320.056	(2) ⁻				
111.32 6	2.7 3	350.11	(≤3)	238.89	(1 ⁺ ,2,3)				
113.68 6	3.3 ^b 3	417.50	1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺	303.71	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)	(E1)		0.250	α(K)=0.207 3; α(L)=0.0338 5; α(M)=0.00761 11; α(N+..)=0.00202 3 α(N)=0.001764 25; α(O)=0.000243 4; α(P)=1.133×10 ⁻⁵ 16
115.84 5	2.9 3	354.84	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)	238.89	(1 ⁺ ,2,3)				
117.30 3	87 4	320.056	(2) ⁻	202.81?	3 ⁺	(E1+M2)	0.56	4.66	α(K)=3.42 5; α(L)=0.950 14; α(M)=0.229 4; α(N+..)=0.0626 9 α(N)=0.0544 8; α(O)=0.00779 11; α(P)=0.000416 6 Mult.,δ: from 1997Ba26 ; α(exp)≈4.8 from intensity balance. other: Ice(K)=100; K:L1:M=100:15:4 (1966Ha23).
119.92 8	1.30 10	393.44	(≤3)	273.52					
122.56 3	10.2 6	363.40	(1 ⁺ ,2 ⁻)	240.85	(1 ⁺ ,2,3)				
131.81 [#]	3.5 [#] 3	350.11	(≤3)	218.20	(0 ⁺ ,1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)				γ included In fig. 2 of 1997Ba26 .
136.74 [#]	18.4 [#] 13	354.84	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)	218.20	(0 ⁺ ,1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)	[E1]		0.1540	α(K)=0.1278 18; α(L)=0.0204 3; α(M)=0.00458 7; α(N+..)=0.001220 17 α(N)=0.001065 15; α(O)=0.0001483 21; α(P)=7.19×10 ⁻⁶ 10
138.38 11	3.4 10	441.78	1 ⁺	303.71	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)	(E1)		0.1493	γ included In fig. 2 of 1997Ba26 . α(K)=0.1239 18; α(L)=0.0198 3; α(M)=0.00444 7; α(N+..)=0.001182 17 α(N)=0.001031 15; α(O)=0.0001436 21; α(P)=6.98×10 ⁻⁶ 10
139.07 10	2.7 10	350.11	(≤3)	211.00	(1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)				
142.44 3	14.9 9	360.61	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)	218.20	(0 ⁺ ,1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)	(E1) [@]		0.1384	α(K)=0.1149 17; α(L)=0.0183 3; α(M)=0.00410 6; α(N+..)=0.001093 16 α(N)=0.000953 14; α(O)=0.0001330 19; α(P)=6.50×10 ⁻⁶ 10
143.91 3	18.7 11	354.84	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)	211.00	(1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)	(E1) [@]		0.1347	α(K)=0.1119 16; α(L)=0.01775 25; α(M)=0.00399 6; α(N+..)=0.001063 15 α(N)=0.000927 13; α(O)=0.0001294 19; α(P)=6.34×10 ⁻⁶ 9
149.64 3	13.9 8	360.61	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)	211.00	(1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)	(E1) [@]		0.1216	α(K)=0.1011 15; α(L)=0.01597 23; α(M)=0.00358 5; α(N+..)=0.000956 14 α(N)=0.000834 12; α(O)=0.0001166 17; α(P)=5.76×10 ⁻⁶ 8
152.31 5	6.9 5	370.48	(≤3)	218.20	(0 ⁺ ,1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)				
154.72 8	2.30 20	393.44	(≤3)	238.89	(1 ⁺ ,2,3)				
157.41 3	71 4	417.50	1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺	260.12	(2) ⁻	(E1)		0.1065	α(K)=0.0886 13; α(L)=0.01392 20; α(M)=0.00312 5; α(N+..)=0.000834 12 α(N)=0.000727 11; α(O)=0.0001020 15; α(P)=5.08×10 ⁻⁶ 8 Mult.: from 1997Ba26 . Ice(K)=3.5 (1966Ha23).
159.4 ^c 5	3.0 10	370.48	(≤3)	211.00	(1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)				see comment on 159.7γ.
159.66 3	41 3	417.50	1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺	257.85	(2) ⁺	(M1+E2)	0.62	0.869	α(K)=0.672 10; α(L)=0.1515 22; α(M)=0.0353 5;

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γ(¹⁶⁸Lu) (continued)

<u>E_γ[†]</u>	<u>I_γ^{‡d}</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^e</u>	<u>Comments</u>
								α(N+..)=0.00945 14 α(N)=0.00826 12; α(O)=0.001140 16; α(P)=4.85×10 ⁻⁵ 7 Mult.,δ: from 1997Ba26 . Ice(K)= ¹⁹ K/L1=5.4 (1966Ha23); probably for 159.7γ+159.4γ doublet dominated by 159.7γ.
160.59 6	5.6 5	363.40	(1 ⁺ ,2 ⁻)	202.81? 3 ⁺				
171.13 15	3.3 3	431.29	(0 ⁻ ,1)	260.12 (2 ⁻)				
175.60 16	3.2 3	780.29	(≤3)	605.15 (≤3)				
181.65 3	66 4	441.78	1 ⁺	260.12 (2 ⁻)		(E1) [@]	0.0733	α(K)=0.0612 9; α(L)=0.00948 14; α(M)=0.00213 3; α(N+..)=0.000569 8
183.93 3	100.0 10	441.78	1 ⁺	257.85 (2 ⁺)		(M1)	0.654	α(N)=0.000495 7; α(O)=6.99×10 ⁻⁵ 10; α(P)=3.58×10 ⁻⁶ 5 α(K)=0.546 8; α(L)=0.0837 12; α(M)=0.0188 3; α(N+..)=0.00514 8 α(N)=0.00444 7; α(O)=0.000659 10; α(P)=4.08×10 ⁻⁵ 6 Mult.: from 1997Ba26 . Ice(K)=33; K/L1=4.13 (1966Ha23).
189.46 15	4.9 5	794.64	1 ⁺	605.15 (≤3)				
192.33 5	14.7 12	431.29	(0 ⁻ ,1)	238.89 (1 ⁺ ,2,3)				
199.33 5	9.5 8	417.50	1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺	218.20 (0 ⁺ ,1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)		(M1)	0.523	Ice(K)=5.5; K/L1>1.8 (1966Ha23). α(K)=0.437 7; α(L)=0.0668 10; α(M)=0.01502 21; α(N+..)=0.00411 6 α(N)=0.00355 5; α(O)=0.000526 8; α(P)=3.26×10 ⁻⁵ 5 Mult.: from 1997Ba26 . Ice(K)=9 (1966Ha23).
202.81 ^f 12	0.75 9	202.81?	3 ⁺	0.0 6 ⁽⁻⁾		[E3]	1.83	α(K)=0.502 7; α(L)=1.003 15; α(M)=0.256 4; α(N+..)=0.0666 10 α(N)=0.0593 9; α(O)=0.00725 11; α(P)=4.03×10 ⁻⁵ 6 Ice(K)=10 (1966Ha23).
206.46 6	31.6 10	417.50	1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺	211.00 (1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)		(M1)	0.474	α(K)=0.396 6; α(L)=0.0606 9; α(M)=0.01362 19; α(N+..)=0.00372 6 α(N)=0.00322 5; α(O)=0.000477 7; α(P)=2.96×10 ⁻⁵ 5 Mult.: from 1997Ba26 . Ice(K)=9 (1966Ha23).
208.14 5	6.0 6	426.33	(1 ⁺)	218.20 (0 ⁺ ,1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)				
210.07 9	4.2 4	794.64	1 ⁺	584.32 (≤4)				
213.01 9	2.00 20	431.29	(0 ⁻ ,1)	218.20 (0 ⁺ ,1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)				
214.56 8	3.1 3	417.50	1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺	202.81? 3 ⁺		[M1,E2]	0.32 11	α(K)=0.25 11; α(L)=0.059 5; α(M)=0.0139 17; α(N+..)=0.0037 4 α(N)=0.0032 4; α(O)=0.000442 15; α(P)=1.7×10 ⁻⁵ 10 Mult.: shown As (M1) on level scheme drawing but omitted from table 1 of 1997Ba26 .
217.13 6	11.1 7	428.15	(1 ⁺)	211.00 (1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)				
220.23 ^c 10	0.70 10	431.29	(0 ⁻ ,1)	211.00 (1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)				
223.51 5	9.0 ^b 10	426.33	(1 ⁺)	202.81? 3 ⁺				Ice(K)= ⁴ CeL1) weak (1966Ha23).
225.23 6	8.2 6	428.15	(1 ⁺)	202.81? 3 ⁺				
230.75 3	11.0 7	585.59	(0,1)	354.84 (0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)				Ice(K)=2.5 (1966Ha23).
234.41 8	2.40 20	595.00	(0,1,2 ⁻)	360.61 (0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)				
^x 238.26 15	1.40 ^b 10							
240.15 6	4.3 4	595.00	(0,1,2 ⁻)	354.84 (0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)				Ice(K)=1.5 (1966Ha23). Ice(K)=4 (1966Ha23).
^x 248.4 ^a								
277.29 6	2.9 3	480.10		202.81? 3 ⁺				
324.11 5	8.7 7	584.32	(≤4)	260.12 (2 ⁻)				Ice(K)=1.4 (1966Ha23).

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¹⁶⁸Hf ε decay **1997Ba26** (continued)

γ(¹⁶⁸Lu) (continued)

E_γ †	I_γ † ^d	E_i (level)	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. ‡	α^e	Comments
^x 330.8#	#							seen only In γγ coin.
345.08 6	11.2 8	605.15	(≤3)	260.12	(2 ⁻)			
349.02 9	2.00 20	719.50	(≤4)	370.48	(≤3)			
352.87 9	6.4 5	794.64	1 ⁺	441.78	1 ⁺	(M1)	0.1107	α(K)=0.0928 13; α(L)=0.01398 20; α(M)=0.00314 5; α(N+..)=0.000858 12 α(N)=0.000741 11; α(O)=0.0001101 16; α(P)=6.86×10 ⁻⁶ 10
363.36 6	15.2 10	794.64	1 ⁺	431.29	(0 ⁻ ,1)			
368.33 9	5.7 5	794.64	1 ⁺	426.33	(1 ⁺)	[M1,E2]	0.07 3	α(K)=0.06 3; α(L)=0.0104 21; α(M)=0.0024 4; α(N+..)=0.00065 12 α(N)=0.00056 10; α(O)=8.0×10 ⁻⁵ 19; α(P)=4.1×10 ⁻⁶ 21
^x 372.78 15	0.90 ^b 10							
377.50 14	9.2 7	794.64	1 ⁺	417.50	1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺	(M1)	0.0926	α(K)=0.0776 11; α(L)=0.01167 17; α(M)=0.00262 4; α(N+..)=0.000716 10 α(N)=0.000619 9; α(O)=9.19×10 ⁻⁵ 13; α(P)=5.73×10 ⁻⁶ 8
^x 384.72#	11.3# 8							
391.37 ^f 9	2.6 3	1172.7	(≤4)	780.29	(≤3)			
401.21 9	7.5 6	794.64	1 ⁺	393.44	(≤3)			
^x 414.0#	#							seen only In γγ coin.
417.62 9	22.1 16	794.64	1 ⁺	376.74	(≤3)			
424.26 9	3.7 4	794.64	1 ⁺	370.48	(≤3)			
434.14 6	35.6 25	794.64	1 ⁺	360.61	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)	(E1) [@]	0.00864 13	α(K)=0.00728 11; α(L)=0.001058 15; α(M)=0.000236 4; α(N+..)=6.39×10 ⁻⁵ 9 α(N)=5.54×10 ⁻⁵ 8; α(O)=8.05×10 ⁻⁶ 12; α(P)=4.64×10 ⁻⁷ 7 seen only In γγ coin.
^x 436.0#	#							
439.94 8	9.0 8	794.64	1 ⁺	354.84	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)	(E1)	0.00839 12	α(K)=0.00707 10; α(L)=0.001026 15; α(M)=0.000229 4; α(N+..)=6.20×10 ⁻⁵ 9 α(N)=5.37×10 ⁻⁵ 8; α(O)=7.81×10 ⁻⁶ 11; α(P)=4.51×10 ⁻⁷ 7
444.54#	15.3# 12	794.64	1 ⁺	350.11	(≤3)			included In fig. 2 of 1997Ba26 but not In table I.
474.62 6	5.4 4	794.64	1 ⁺	320.056	(2 ⁻)	[E1]	0.00708 10	α=0.00708 10; α(K)=0.00597 9; α(L)=0.000862 12; α(M)=0.000192 3; α(N+..)=5.21×10 ⁻⁵ 8 α(N)=4.51×10 ⁻⁵ 7; α(O)=6.57×10 ⁻⁶ 10; α(P)=3.83×10 ⁻⁷ 6 seen only In γγ coin.
^x 484.0#	#							
490.87 6	29.2 20	794.64	1 ⁺	303.71	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)	(E1) [@]	0.00657 10	α(K)=0.00555 8; α(L)=0.000799 12; α(M)=0.0001781 25; α(N+..)=4.83×10 ⁻⁵ 7 α(N)=4.18×10 ⁻⁵ 6; α(O)=6.10×10 ⁻⁶ 9; α(P)=3.56×10 ⁻⁷ 5
^x 493.02 9	5.3 4							
534.45 6	19.4 13	794.64	1 ⁺	260.12	(2 ⁻)	(E1) [@]	0.00546 8	α(K)=0.00461 7; α(L)=0.000661 10; α(M)=0.0001473 21; α(N+..)=3.99×10 ⁻⁵ 6 α(N)=3.46×10 ⁻⁵ 5; α(O)=5.05×10 ⁻⁶ 7; α(P)=2.97×10 ⁻⁷ 5 α(K)=0.0310 5; α(L)=0.00461 7; α(M)=0.001034 15;
536.76 9	3.3 3	794.64	1 ⁺	257.85	(2 ⁺)	(M1)	0.0370	

¹⁶⁸Hf ε decay **1997Ba26** (continued)

γ(¹⁶⁸Lu) (continued)

E_γ^\dagger	$I_\gamma^{\ddagger d}$	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. [‡]	α^e	Comments
								$\alpha(N+..)=0.000283\ 4$
576.42 6	8.4 7	794.64	1 ⁺	218.20	(0 ⁺ ,1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)	(M1)	0.0308	$\alpha(N)=0.000244\ 4$; $\alpha(O)=3.63\times 10^{-5}\ 5$; $\alpha(P)=2.27\times 10^{-6}\ 4$
583.59 9	2.0 2	794.64	1 ⁺	211.00	(1 ⁺ ,2 ⁺)	(M1)	0.0298	$\alpha(K)=0.0258\ 4$; $\alpha(L)=0.00384\ 6$; $\alpha(M)=0.000859\ 12$; $\alpha(N+..)=0.000235\ 4$
^x 640.10 9	1.20 10							$\alpha(N)=0.000203\ 3$; $\alpha(O)=3.02\times 10^{-5}\ 5$; $\alpha(P)=1.89\times 10^{-6}\ 3$
^x 706.36 9	0.80 ^b 10							$\alpha(K)=0.0250\ 4$; $\alpha(L)=0.00371\ 6$; $\alpha(M)=0.000832\ 12$; $\alpha(N+..)=0.000228\ 4$
^x 712.08 9	1.30 10							$\alpha(N)=0.000197\ 3$; $\alpha(O)=2.92\times 10^{-5}\ 4$; $\alpha(P)=1.83\times 10^{-6}\ 3$
724.69 6	2.7 3	1044.75	(0,1,2 ⁻)	320.056	(2) ⁻			
^x 737.20 9	1.00 10							
740.49 9	1.00 10	1220.59		480.10				
747.15 9	1.10 10	1331.49	(0,1,2 ⁻)	584.32	(≤4)			
765.19 [#]	1.5 [#] 1	1349.3	(0,1)	584.32	(≤4)			included In fig. 2 of 1997Ba26 .
^x 837.35 9	1.40 10							
^x 859.73 [#]	2.2 [#] 2							
866.14 15	2.20 20	1307.93	(0,1)	441.78	1 ⁺			
872.11 15	1.30 10	1175.82	(≤4)	303.71	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)			
^x 901.7 3	0.90 ^b 10							
912.6 3	1.60 20	1172.7	(≤4)	260.12	(2) ⁻			
937.52 9	2.7 3	1241.23	(0,1,2 ⁻)	303.71	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)			
988.0 3	2.6 3	1307.93	(0,1)	320.056	(2) ⁻			
1004.0 3	1.70 20	1307.93	(0,1)	303.71	(0 ⁻ ,1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻)			
1047.9 3	1.80 20	1307.93	(0,1)	260.12	(2) ⁻			
1071.6 3	2.9 ^b 3	1331.49	(0,1,2 ⁻)	260.12	(2) ⁻			
1091.4 3	6.0 ^b 5	1349.3	(0,1)	257.85	(2) ⁺			
^x 1096.0 6	2.50 20							
^x 1119.2 6	1.30 ^b 10							
^x 1193.1 9	1.00 ^b 10							
^x 1311.3 9	0.70 10							

† From **1997Ba26**, except As noted.

‡ Deduced by **1997Ba26**, based on ce data from **1966Ha23** (analyzed by **1997Ba26**) and unenumerated γ asymmetry data from **1997Ba26**, except As noted.

From **1995Tr10** (initial account of study reported by **1997Ba26**). transition is absent from table I of **1997Ba26**. The uncertainty In E_γ has been omitted here because **1995Tr10** give energy uncertainties which are consistently much lower (and probably less realistic) than uncertainties from **1997Ba26**.

@ $I_\gamma > 10$ but transition not observed by **1966Ha23** in ce spectrum; this favors E1 multipolarity (**1997Ba26**).

& From level-energy difference. transition expected and included In fig. 2 of **1997Ba26**, but it has not yet been observed.

^a From ce measurements (**1966Ha23**).

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

- ^b Corrected for contribution from impurity (x or ¹⁶⁸Lu ε decay line) (1997Ba26).
- ^c Observed by 1997Ba26 In $\gamma\gamma$ coin only.
- ^d For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.050 24.
- ^e Total theoretical internal conversion coefficients, calculated using the BrIcc code (2008Ki07) with Frozen orbital approximation based on γ -ray energies, assigned multipolarities, and mixing ratios, unless otherwise specified.
- ^f Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.
- ^x γ ray not placed in level scheme.

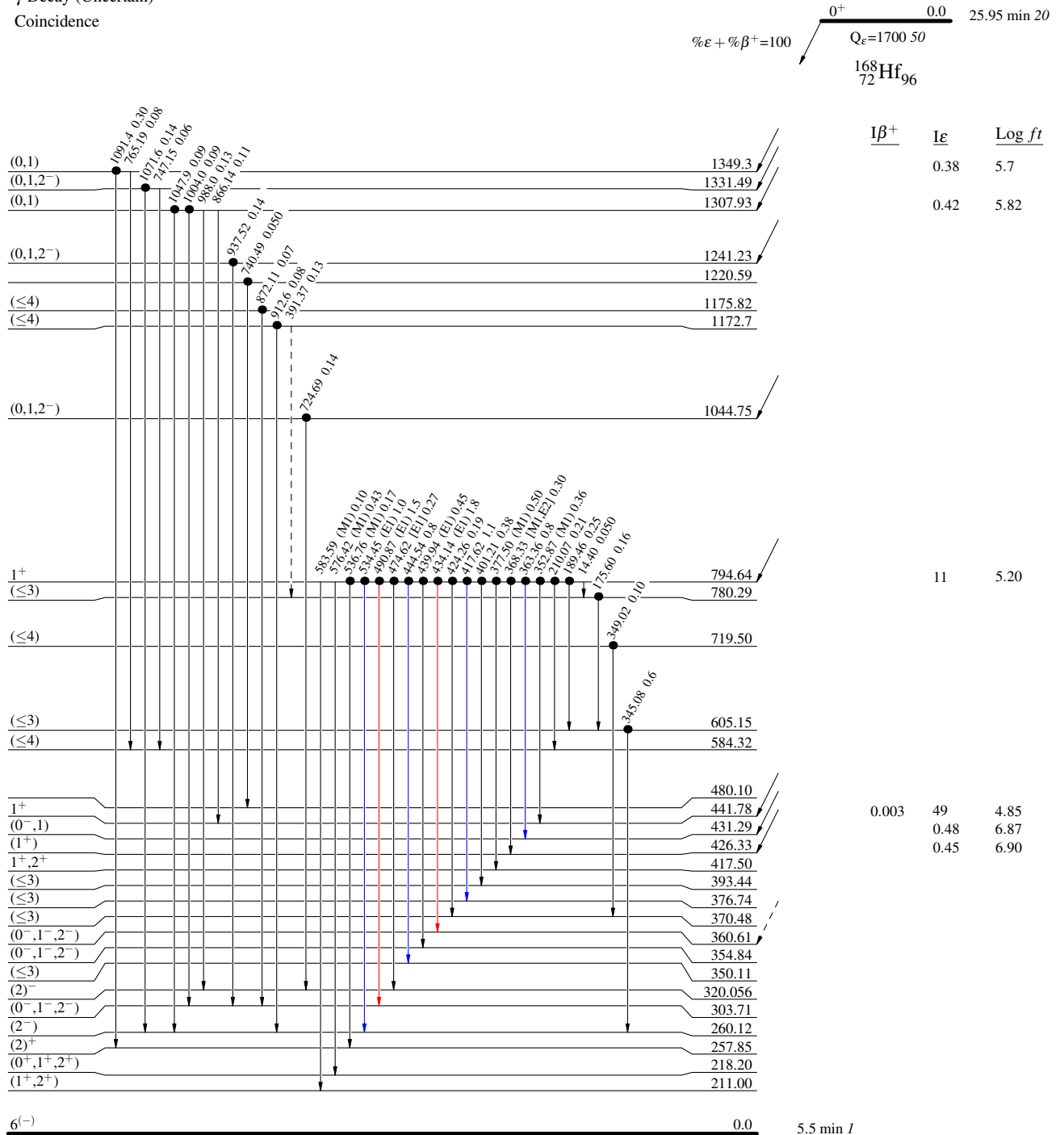
¹⁶⁸Hf ε decay ¹⁹⁹⁷Ba26

Legend

- I_γ < 2% × I_γ^{max}
- I_γ < 10% × I_γ^{max}
- I_γ > 10% × I_γ^{max}
- - - γ Decay (Uncertain)
- Coincidence

Decay Scheme

Intensities: I_(γ+ce) per 100 parent decays



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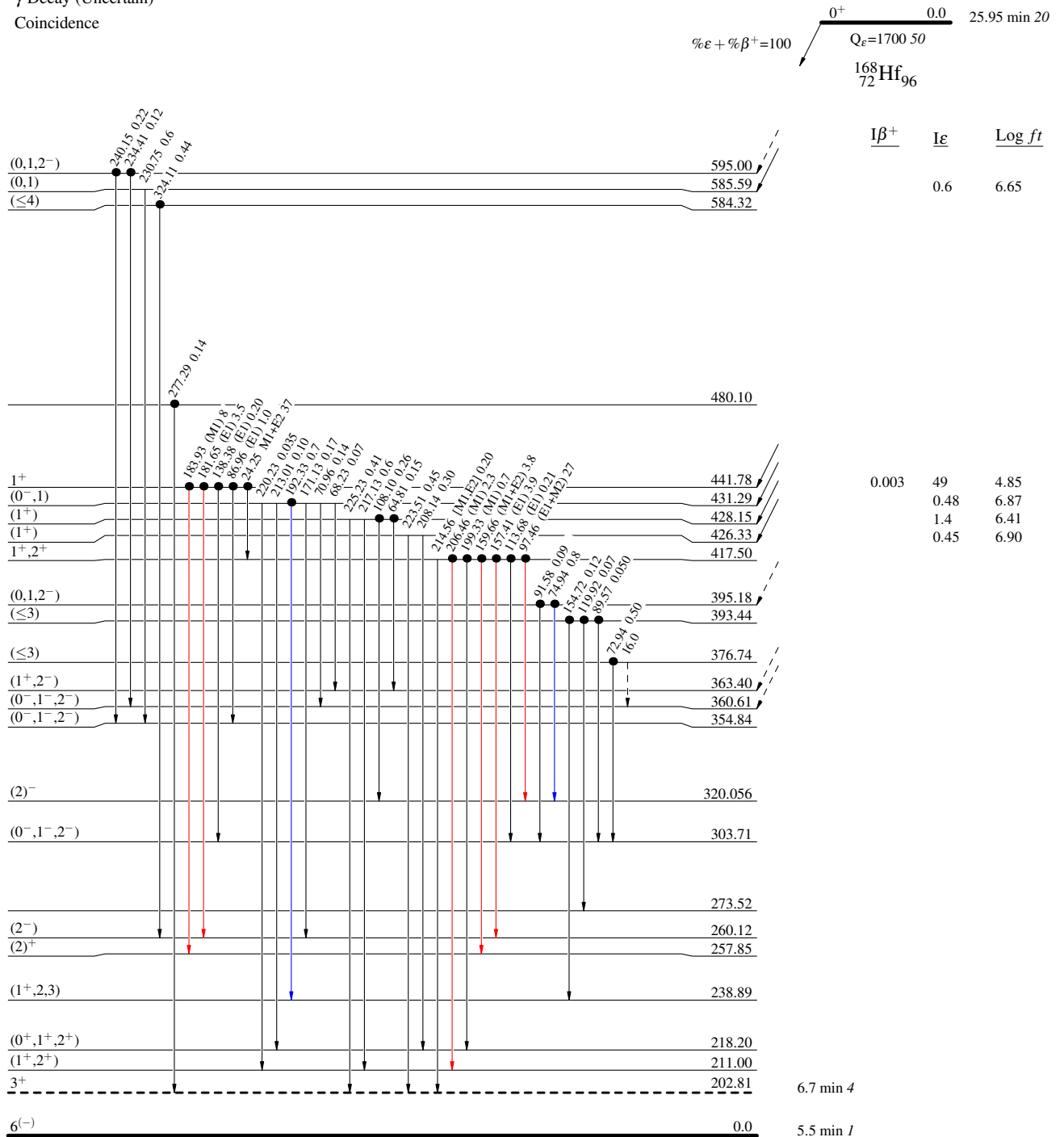
¹⁶⁸Hf ε decay 1997Ba26

Legend

- I_γ < 2% × I_γ^{max}
- I_γ < 10% × I_γ^{max}
- I_γ > 10% × I_γ^{max}
- - - γ Decay (Uncertain)
- Coincidence

Decay Scheme (continued)

Intensities: I_(γ+ce) per 100 parent decays



^{168}Hf ϵ decay **1997Ba26**

Legend

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

Decay Scheme (continued)

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

