

¹⁶⁹Yb ε decay (32.016 d) 1986Ad07,1990Wa28,2000Mo02

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History

Parent: ¹⁶⁹Yb: E=0.0; J^π=7/2⁺; T_{1/2}=32.016 d 8; Q(ε)=899.1 8; %ε decay=100

¹⁶⁹Yb-J^π, T_{1/2}: from ¹⁶⁹Yb Adopted Levels.

¹⁶⁹Yb-Q(ε): from 2021Wa16.

Others: 1950Co16, 1951Ma25, 1955Jo23, 1956Bi30, 1956Co13, 1956Ha68, 1956Ko21, 1956Mi05, 1957Ba59, 1958Ca11, 1958Gr05, 1958Ha31, 1958Na06, 1958Se71, 1958Sh64, 1959Ha09, 1959Ke25, 1959Ko56, 1962El08, 1962Gr09, 1963Al12, 1963Va32, 1964Su06, 1964Su06, 1965Bo08, 1965Dz07, 1966Dz10, 1966Er03, 1966Ko01, 1967Br31, 1968Gi02, 1968Ka14, 1969Ar23, 1969Gu01, 1969Mi17, 1970Al02, 1970An37, 1970Be83, 1970Mi15, 1970Ne11, 1971Bo49, 1972Ag03, 1972Bb13, 1972Ca35, 1972De67, 1972Kr18, 1972Se08, 1972Se14, 1973El15, 1973Ge14, 1973La15, 1974Be26, 1974Bo30, 1974En09, 1974Fu01, 1974ScYU, 1975Bo07, 1975Bu10, 1976Ge21, 1977Ge12, 1982RuZV, 1984Ak05, 1984Br13, 1985AkZW, 1987AbZY, 1987BaZB, 1990AdZZ, 1993BaZQ, 1994Co02, 1994De01, 1997De02, 1999Sc05, 2000AlZY, 2000Iw06, 2000MeZW, 2000Mo02, 2000Sa07, 2001De06, 2001KoZQ, 2015In02, 2021Fr11.

1986Ad07: sources from neutron bombardments of 25% enriched ¹⁶⁸Yb or from spallation of tantalum by 680-MeV protons, mass separation; measured E_γ, I_γ (anti-Compt spect), γγ coin.

1990Wa28: extension of work in 1986Ad07; measured E_γ, I_γ, E(ce), Ice. See also 1990WaZZ and 1990AdZZ.

2000Mo02: summary of measurements made in eleven laboratories as part of the EUROMET-410 project. Measured I_γ (relative and absolute). See 1999MoZV for a more detailed report.

2015In02: ¹⁶⁹Yb source was produced by the spallation reaction of metallic tantalum bombarded by 660 MeV protons from the synchrocyclotron at JINR, Dubna, Russia. Internal conversion electrons were detected with an electrostatic electron spectrometer. Measured E(ce), I(ce). Deduced levels, precise γ transition energies, conversion coefficients, mixing ratios.

The decay scheme is based on that of 1986Ad07 (this scheme is considerably more complex than earlier ones). Additional weak transitions and decay-scheme modifications have been added, based primarily on the work in 1990Wa28.

¹⁶⁹Yb is a radionuclide that is important in nuclear medicine (brachytherapy) and as a standard source for γ-ray energy and intensity calibrations. Consequently, many precise measurements of I_γ and E_γ have been undertaken. These have been collectively analyzed here, and the resulting energy and intensity values are given below. See, e.g., 2002Be05, 1996Ch27 for prior evaluations of ¹⁶⁹Yb ε decay data.

¹⁶⁹Tm Levels

E(level) [†]	J ^π [‡]	T _{1/2} [‡]	Comments
0.0 [#]	1/2 ⁺	stable	
8.41017 [#] 15	3/2 ⁺	4.09 ns 6	Additional information 1. E(level): from the recoil-corrected energy difference between E _γ =118.18940 14 and E _γ =109.77924 3 (2000He14). E(level): from Adopted Levels. T _{1/2} : other data from ε decay: 4.22 ns 11 (1987AbZY) from ce-γ(t); 4.13 ns 12 (1966Mc08); 4.10 ns 21 (1974Fu01).
118.18945 [#] 4	5/2 ⁺	62.4 ps 28	T _{1/2} : other: 62 ps 10 (1959Bi15).
138.93316 [#] 5	7/2 ⁺	302 ps 9	T _{1/2} : from Adopted Levels. ε decay data: 1959Bi15 (290 ps 70), 1960Be28, 1964Su06 (321 ps 14), 1966Mc08 (289 ps 24).
316.14633 [@] 5	7/2 ⁺	660 ns 3	T _{1/2} : weighted average of 658 ns 3 (1950Fu63), 665 ns 5 (1974En09), 660 ns 5 (1994De01) from γγ(t). Others: 0.67 μs (1951Ma25), 0.64 μs 4 (1956Mi05), 670 ns 20 (1959Be62), 0.65 μs (1972Ni03), 650 ns 26 (1974Bo30). g: 0.044 2 from DPAC (1972Ni03).
332.117 [#] 11	9/2 ⁺	18.8 ps 5	
345.028 ^{&} 3	5/2 ⁻		
367.657 [#] 5	11/2 ⁺	41.6 ps 21	Level (and 229γ which deexcites it) introduced to accommodate two possible weak transitions from higher states. A 367.7 level is well established in Coulomb excitation and ¹⁷⁰ Er(p,2nγ), (d,3nγ).
379.26678 ^a 6	7/2 ⁻	50.5 ns 16	T _{1/2} : unweighted average of 49.8 ns 15 (1974Bo30), 54.1 ns 5 (1974En09), 51.6 ns 3

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¹⁶⁹Yb ε decay (32.016 d) 1986Ad07,1990Wa28,2000Mo02 (continued)

¹⁶⁹Tm Levels (continued)

E(level) [†]	J ^π [‡]	T _{1/2} [‡]	Comments
			(1974Vi05), and 46.4 ns 15 (1997De02), all from γγ(t). Others: 45 ns (1956Mi05), 36 ns 1 (1959Be62).
430.121 ^{& 11}	(9/2) ⁻		
433.521 ^{@ 19}	(9/2) ⁺		
472.88128 ^{a 10}	9/2 ⁻	0.14 ns 7	
474.969 ^{& 9}	(3/2) ⁻		A possible but unobserved 129.94γ with I _γ <1.5 was listed in the previous evaluation (2008Ba31). Authors of 2021Fr11 did not find any evidence of this γ ray. In this dataset the 129.94γ is removed.
570.832 ^{b 11}	3/2 ⁺	10 ps 6	
633.292 ^{b 3}	5/2 ⁺	0.27 ps +33-12	
646.759 ^{& 10}	(7/2) ⁻		
718.786 ^{b 4}	(7/2) ⁺		
781.796 ^{c 6}	(5/2) ⁺		
832.42 ^{b 7}	(9/2) ⁺		
878.35 ^{c 9}	(7/2) ⁺		

[†] From Least-squares fit to E_γ; E(8.4 level) was held fixed at 8.41017 15. ΔE=1 keV was assumed for E_γ with missing uncertainty, weaker gamma transitions.

[‡] Adopted values, except as noted.

Band(A): 1/2[411] band.

@ Band(B): 7/2[404] band.

& Band(C): 1/2[541] band.

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

^b Band(E): 3/2[411] band + K-2 γ vibration built on 1/2[411].

^c Band(F): 5/2[402] band.

ε radiations

1987Sa53 used γ-K x ray sum coin in single intrinsic Ge solid-state detector to determine relative K-capture probabilities: 0.812 29 (472.9 level), 0.823 34 (379.3 level), 0.825 43 (316.1 level).

Additional information 2.

εK, εL, εM, εN: Additional information 3.

E(decay)	E(level)	I _ε [†]	Log ft	Comments
(20.8 13)	878.35	0.26 13	5.66 22	εL=0.508 18; εM=0.359 12; εN+=0.133 5
(66.7 13)	832.42	0.27 14	6.98 23	εK=0.084 14; εL=0.649 10; εM+=0.2676 40
(117.3 13)	781.796	0.9 6	7.35 29	εK=0.5941 35; εL=0.2973 23; εM+=0.1086 10
(180.3 13)	718.786	<0.45	>8.2	εK=0.7178 11; εL=0.2096 7; εM+=0.07260 34 I(ε+β ⁺): feeding overlaps zero value. Upper limit from GTOL code: Method 1.
(252.3 13)	646.759	0.0021 17	10.91 35	εK=0.7625 6; εL=0.17759 33; εM+=0.05987 21
(265.8 13)	633.292	0.027 8	9.86 13	εK=0.7674 6; εL=0.17407 30; εM+=0.05848 20
(328.3 13)	570.832	2.53×10 ⁻⁴ 9	11.609 16	εK=0.6828 10; εL=0.2351 6; εM+=0.08216 33
(426.2 13)	472.88128	12.39 17	7.677 7	εK=0.79804 36; εL=0.15207 16; εM+=0.04989 13
(465.6 13)	433.521	0.106 13	9.83 5	εK=0.80183 34; εL=0.14934 15; εM+=0.04883 13
(469.0 13)	430.121	<0.4	>9.3	εK=0.80212 34; εL=0.14913 15; εM+=0.04875 13 I(ε+β ⁺): feeding overlaps zero value. Upper limit from GTOL code: Method 1.

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^{169}Yb ϵ decay (32.016 d) 1986Ad07,1990Wa28,2000Mo02 (continued) ϵ radiations (continued)

<u>E(decay)</u>	<u>E(level)</u>	<u>$I\epsilon^\dagger$</u>	<u>Log ft</u>	<u>Comments</u>
(519.8 13)	379.26678	80.8 9	7.056 5	$\epsilon K=0.80598$ 32; $\epsilon L=0.14635$ 14; $\epsilon M+=0.04768$ 13
(554.1 13)	345.028	0.010 2	11.02 9	$\epsilon K=0.80812$ 31; $\epsilon L=0.14480$ 13; $\epsilon M+=0.04708$ 13
(567.0 13)	332.117	0.010 3	11.05 13	$\epsilon K=0.80885$ 31; $\epsilon L=0.14427$ 13; $\epsilon M+=0.04687$ 13
(583.0 13)	316.14633	6.1 9	8.29 6	$\epsilon K=0.80971$ 30; $\epsilon L=0.14365$ 13; $\epsilon M+=0.04664$ 13

† Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

γ(¹⁶⁹Tm)

I_γ normalization: weighted average of %I_γ(198) data: 36.26 18, 35.7 6, 36.3 11, 35.9 7, 35.49 39, 36.06 14, 35.95 54, all from the Euromet-410 project (2000Mo02, 2000Ra04), 35.14 28 (1999Mi01), 35.5 4 (1994Co02), 36.0 5 (1983Fu12). Other %I_γ(198): 37.3 5 (datum '3-E' in 2000Mo02, a statistical outlier). Were the latter datum included the normalization would change from 0.3593 12 to 0.3598 14. Other: 0.360 5 can be obtained from total I(γ+ce) (to g.s. plus 8.4 level) minus I(γ+ce)(8.4γ)=100% (negligible ε feeding to g.s. expected because ΔJ=3).

1983Fu12, 1986Me07, 1990Wa28, 1996Bh08, 2000Mo02 give x-ray intensity data, as summarized below.

For Auger electron data see, e.g., 1976Ar06, 1982Ar22, 1983IsZX, 1985AKZY, 1985Bu23, 1986Ba60, 2000AIZY.

1986Ad07 confirm that 285.0γ, 295.0γ, 304.0γ, 316.2γ, 320.0γ, 328.0γ, 354.7γ, 425.0γ, 492.4γ and 614.3γ, reported in earlier work, should not be assigned to ¹⁶⁹Yb decay.

1990WaZZ give intensity upper limits for the following γ's previously assigned to ¹⁶⁹Yb ε decay: 140.0γ (<0.0021), 160γ(<0.003), 207.0γ(<0.0015), 218.0γ(<0.0015), 229.0γ(<0.0011), 252γ(<0.0017), 285.0γ(<0.0007), 288γ(<0.0009), 304.0γ(<0.027), 316.2γ(<0.00028), 317γ(<0.00021), 320.0γ(<0.00017), 328.0γ(<0.00006), 354.7γ(<0.00004), 363γ(<0.00004), 394γ(<0.0003), 411γ(<0.000014), 417γ(<0.000014), 425.0γ(<0.000013), 492.4γ(<0.000023) and 614.8γ(<0.00012); I_γ for all are given relative to I_γ=100 for 198.0γ.

1985Be01 used ce linewidths for 20.8γ in an attempt to measure finite mass for the electron anti-neutrino.

K(α2)/K(α1)=0.590 15 and 0.589 4 (2021Fr11).

Summary of x-ray and γ relative intensity data for strongest γ's:

All intensities are given relative to I(198γ)=100.0. Calculated values assume %I_γ(198)=35.93 12. The weighted averages include all data, except those identified as statistical outliers based on the Chauvenet criterion; outliers are indicated by the symbol 'x'. Calculated values are from the program RADLST.

Reference	L(1)	L(αγ)	L(β1)	8.4γ+L(β2)	L(γ1)	L(γ2)
3)						
1983Fu12	2.58 22	55.8 22	44.2 25	12.5 8	6.1 4	x 2.03 14 x
1986Me07	3.85 18	70.4 29	-	-	-	-
1990Wa28	-	-	-	-	-	-
1996Bh08	-	-	-	-	-	-
2000Mo02(1-E)	3.7 13	66 5	49.7 37	13.8 15	7.4 13	2.7 9
2000Mo02(7-E)	3.23 16	62.8 31	46.5 23	12.1 8	6.98 34	2.56 14
2000Mo02(10-E1)	3.18 5	63.9 18	48.6 12	14.4 6	7.61 18	2.45 13
2000Mo02(10-E2)	3.54 11	61.7 12	48.8 6	12.65 15	7.41 19	2.74 5
Recommended	3.30 10	62.3 15	48.5 5	12.74 17	7.46 13	2.69 4
Calculated	3.14 5					

Reference	L(γ4)	L(tot)+8.4 20.8γ	K(α2)	K(α1)	K(α)
1983Fu12	-	-	0.53 6	148.6 31	262.5 58 -
1986Me07	-	-	0.578 24	156.2 22	272.7 40 -
1990Wa28	-	-	-	157 4	271 9 -
1996Bh08	-	-	-	153.0 5	271.0 10 -
2000Mo02(1-E)	-	-	0.586 33	149.2 25	263.7 47 412.6 54
2000Mo02(7-E)	-	134.7 40	0.535 29	140 6	249 9 388 11

2000Mo02(8-E)	-	-	0.45 4	x			419 8
2000Mo02(9-E)	-	-	0.514 27		143.7 24	253.9 38	397.6 48
2000Mo02(10-E1)	0.488 75	140.6 17	0.547 8		146.4 22	260.1 39	406.3 45
2000Mo02(10-E2)	0.480 33	137.3 14	0.544 8		146.7 19	(260 3)	406.5 41
2000Mo02(11-E)	-	-	0.55 5		150.5 30	264.3 53	414.5 62
Recommended	0.48 3	138.4 12	0.547 5		150.9 21	267 4	407.0 24
Calculated		135+Iγ 3		148 4		261 7	

Reference	K(β135)	K(β240)	K(β)	63.1γ	93.6γ	109.8γ
1977Ge12	-	-		116 6	7.1 4	48.5 15
1978Ve07	-	-		125 3	7.61 18	49.7 9
1983Fu12	85.8 20	21.9 5		124.2 17	7.22 11	48.6 6
1986Me07	83.5 12	22.8 4		124.9 17	7.28 10	48.9 5
1990Wa28	78.7 22	20.0 5	x	120 3	7.31 13	49.0 7
1996Bh08	89.0 20	23.0 10		120.0 5	6.6 5	47.1 10
1999Mi01	-	-			7.01 9	48.8 6
2000Mo02(1-E)	85.9 40	22.8 10		108.7 41	122.6 12	7.12 9
2000Mo02(3-E)	-	-		115.9 23	6.86 12	46.05 64
2000Mo02(4-E)	-	-		123.5 22	7.28 17	48.8 6
2000Mo02(7-E)	81.4 27	21.4 7		102.8 28	123.3 39	7.05 23
2000Mo02(8-E)	-	-		103.1 32	121.4 27	6.87 17
2000Mo02(9-E)	80.6 12	21.67 46		102.2 13	121.4 6	7.44 13
2000Mo02(10-E1)	81.4 8	22.63 43		104.0 9	123.3 6	7.19 3
2000Mo02(10-E2)	84.2 11	22.66 32		106.8 12	123.4 15	7.23 9
2000Mo02(11-E)	85.8 21	23.0 7		108.8 23	121.2 28	6.72 15
Recommended	83.0 16	22.49 18		104.9 8	121.4 5	7.18 4
Calculated			107 3			

Reference	117.4γ	118.2γ	117γ+118γ	130.5γ	156.7γ	177.2γ
1977Ge12	-	5.31 16	-	32.0 10	-	62.2 19
1978Ve07	0.055 20	5.38 9	-	31.8 12	-	61.4 10
1983Fu12	-	5.17 6	-	31.33 28	-	62.3 6
1986Me07	0.081 10	5.24 5	-	31.68 25	0.027 1	62.4 5
1990Wa28	0.116 6	5.26 8	-	31.7 5	0.0278 9	61.7 11
1996Bh08	-	5.13 10	-	31.6 10	-	62.2 10
1999Mi01	-	5.18 7	-	31.60 36	-	61.9 7
2000Mo02(1-E)	-	-	5.18 5	31.55 19	0.029 6	61.91 37
2000Mo02(3-E)	-	5.17 10	-	31.18 44	-	61.9 9
2000Mo02(4-E)	-	-	5.45 11	32.38 36	-	62.7 11
2000Mo02(7-E)	0.121 22	5.33 18	5.45 18	31.4 10	0.026 6	62.6 19
2000Mo02(8-E)	-	5.15 14	-	31.2 7	-	62.2 12
2000Mo02(9-E)	-	5.13 7	-	30.7 5	-	63.1 3
2000Mo02(10-E1)	0.130 11	5.21 3	5.333 27	31.81 10	0.0297 45	61.95 25
2000Mo02(10-E2)	0.116 6	5.24 6	5.35 6	-	-	-
2000Mo02(11-E)	-	-	5.21 10	32.38 45	-	62.4 9
Recommended	0.111 7	5.216 20	5.30 3	31.68 11	0.0275 7	62.01 21

Reference	198.0γ	240.3γ	261.1 γ	307.7γ	336.6γ
1972Bb13	-	-	-	(27.96 9)	0.0280 8
1977Ge12	-	-	4.69 14	27.5 8	0.0321 17

1978Ve07	100.0	30	0.367	20	5.43	7	x	30.9	4	0.026	8
1983Fu12	100.0	14	0.301	3	4.67	8		28.1	6	-	
1986Me07	100.0	8	0.334	4	4.75	3		27.94	20	0.0284	16
1990Wa28	100.0		0.332	17	4.66	7		27.5	4	0.0248	4
1996Bh08	100.0		0.314	5	4.66	10		27.1	10	-	
1999Mi01	100.0	8	-		4.69	5		28.09	32	-	
1999Sc05	100.0	-	-	-	-	-		0.025	3	-	
2000Mo02(1-E)	100.0	5	0.282	15	4.641	32		27.94	11	-	
2000Mo02(3-E)	100.0	14	0.334	9	4.65	7		27.40	38	-	
2000Mo02(4-E)	100.0	17	0.359	23	4.84	8	x	28.45	37	-	
2000Mo02(7-E)	100.0	31	0.261	14	4.61	14		28.2	9	-	
2000Mo02(8-E)	100.0	19	0.396	29	4.70	14		28.3	5	-	
2000Mo02(9-E)	100.0	11	0.332	8	5.00	7	x	29.67	33	x	-
2000Mo02(10-E1)	100.0	4	0.288	12	4.653	42		28.01	8	-	
2000Mo02(10-E2)	100.0	28	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	
2000Mo02(11-E)	100.0	15	0.283	28	4.73	11		28.23	40	-	
Recommended	100.00		0.317	17	4.684	20		27.96	9	0.0263	8

E_γ [†]	I_γ ^{#g}	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. ^b	δ^b	α^f	$I_{(\gamma+ce)}$ ^g	Comments					
8.41017	15	1.000	24	8.41017	3/2 ⁺	0.0	1/2 ⁺	M1+E2	0.0323	10	263	5	264	4	ce(M)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.789 9 ce(N)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.182 4; ce(O)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.0240 6; ce(P)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.000899 20 $\alpha(M)$ =209 4 $\alpha(N)$ =48.1 9; $\alpha(O)$ =6.35 11; $\alpha(P)$ =0.2375 33 %I γ =0.359 9 E_γ : from level energy differences. Other: 8.4101 4 (2015In02) from weighted average of measured energies of the M1, M2, N1, N3 and O1 conversion electron lines. $I_{(\gamma+ce)}$: from intensity balance at 8.4 level; ϵ feeding not expected ($\Delta J=2$, $\Delta\pi=no$). $\Sigma(Ice)$ =253 7 (1976Ar06). I_γ : deduced from $I_{(\gamma+ce)}$ and α . Mult.: M1:M2:M3:N:O=43 5:13 3:15 3:16 3:3.3 5 (1976Ar06); M1:M2:M3:M4:M5=100:34.5 20:39.0 20:7.1 9:5.8 8 (2000AlZY); O1:O2:O3:P1=18.6 7:5.5 3:4.4 3:1.0 1 (2001KoZQ); M2:M1=100:34 4 and N3:N1=100:40 6 (2015In02). See ¹⁶⁹ Er β^- decay and ¹⁶⁹ Tm(γ,γ) Mossbauer datasets for additional ce data. Mult., δ : from Adopted Gammas (based on subshell ratios in β^- decay), except where otherwise noted.

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γ(¹⁶⁹Tm) (continued)

E_γ †	I_γ #g	E_i (level)	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. <i>b</i>	δ^b	α^f	$I_{(\gamma+ce)}^g$	Comments
20.7439 3	0.547 5	138.93316	7/2 ⁺	118.18945	5/2 ⁺	M1+E2	0.0280 15	54.7 8	30.8 22	ce(L)/(γ+ce)=0.765 8; ce(M)/(γ+ce)=0.1715 34 ce(N)/(γ+ce)=0.0400 9; ce(O)/(γ+ce)=0.00566 12; ce(P)/(γ+ce)=0.000290 6 α(L)=42.6 7; α(M)=9.55 15 α(N)=2.227 35; α(O)=0.315 5; α(P)=0.01613 23 %I _γ =0.197 2 E _γ : From 2015In02 : from weighted average of measured energies of the L1, L2, L3, M1, M2, N1, and O1 conversion electron lines. Other: 20.752 9 (1990Wa28). I _γ : deduced from I(γ+ce) and α. I _γ (exp)=0.578 24 (1986Me07), 0.53 6 (1983Fu12), 0.486 33, 0.535 29, 0.45 4, 0.514 27, 0.547 8, 0.55 5 (all from 2000Mo02); the average of these is 0.545 9. I _(γ+ce) : from intensity balance at 118.2 and 138.9 levels. Identical positive and negative corrections to I(γ+ce)(exp) (=34.4 16) are consistent with zero ε feeding to each. Mult.: α(L)exp=38 4, α(M)exp=8.7 7 (Ice from 1976Ar06); L1:L2:L3:M1:M2:M3=6.3 6:0.82 7:0.36 4:1.42 13:0.19 2:0.08 1 (1976Ar06); L1:L2:L3=100:13.3 7:5.4 8, M1:M2:M3:(N+O)=100:13.7 3:5.26 25:30 4, M/(N+O)=0.25 3 (apparently misprinted) (1969Gu01); L1:L2:L3=100:14 1:5.0 6 (2000AlZY). Also the L2/L1, L3/L1, M2/M1, M3/M1, N2/N1,N3/N1 data of 2015In02 – listed in δ. δ: from L2/L3=0.135 5 (weighted average of data from 1969Gu01 , 169TM3cG , 1976Ar06 , 2000AlZY), L3/L1=0.0526 22 (weighted average of data from 1969Gu01 , 1976Ar06 , 2000AlZY); L2/L1=0.108 3, L3/L1=0.057 3, M2/M1=0.112 11, M3/M1=0.050 14, N2/N1=0.128 4, N3/N1=0.046 4 (2015In02). Other: 0.00 5 (γγ(θ), 1967BeZX). δ was deduced using the BriccMixing code (v2.3b).
^x 39.58 ‡										
42.76 ^{ah}	<0.7 ^a	472.88128	9/2 ⁻	430.121	(9/2) ⁻					%I _γ <0.3
45.93 ^{ah}	<0.03 ^a	878.35	(7/2 ⁺)	832.42	(9/2 ⁺)					%I _γ <0.01
50.63 ^{ah}	<1.5 ^a	832.42	(9/2 ⁺)	781.796	(5/2 ⁺) ⁺					%I _γ <0.5
50.86 ^{ah}	<1.5 ^a	430.121	(9/2) ⁻	379.26678	7/2 ⁻					%I _γ <0.5

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γ(¹⁶⁹Tm) (continued)

E_γ [†]	I_γ ^{#g}	E_i (level)	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. ^b	δ ^b	α ^f	Comments
51.51 ^{ah}	<0.05 ^a	367.65?	11/2 ⁺	316.14633	7/2 ⁺				%I _γ <0.02
^x 62.45 [‡]									
63.01 ^{ah}	<6.0 ^a	781.796	(5/2) ⁺	718.786	(7/2 ⁺)				%I _γ <2.2
63.12044 4	121.4 5	379.26678	7/2 ⁻	316.14633	7/2 ⁺	E1		1.098 15	α(K)=0.892 12; α(L)=0.1611 23; α(M)=0.0360 5 α(N)=0.00820 11; α(O)=0.001047 15; α(P)=3.77×10 ⁻⁵ 5 %I _γ =43.6 2 E _γ : other: 63.1216 12 (2015In02 – from measurement of K-conversion electron line). δ for possible M2 admixture: -0.01 6 (nuclear orientation, 1987Da11 , 1987Kr12); 0.0 from weighted average L2/L1=0.352 5 (1969Gu01 , 1976Ar06 , 1985AkZW , 1987BaZB , 2000AlZY); 0.013 +4-6 from weighted average L3/L1=0.475 8 (1969Gu01 , 1976Ar06 , 1985AkZW , 1987BaZB , 2000AlZY) (or<0.010 from unweighted average). Mult.: α(K)exp=0.83 16 (Ice from 1976Ar06), 1.02 15 (K x ray/γ measurement, 1974Vi05); α(L)exp=0.0911 25 (Ice from 1976Ar06); L1:L2:L3=100:37.2 20:46.5 20 (1969Gu01); K:L1:L2:L3:M:N=36 7:3.96 11:1.40 4:1.80 6:1.7 2:0.40 5 (1976Ar06); L1:L2:L3:M1:M2:M3:(M4+M5):N1:N2:N3:(N4+N5):(O+P)= 100.0 13:34.8 6:48.3 7:19.3 6:7.9 4:9.4 4:1.5 2:4.8 2:1.5 2: 2.4 4:0.3 1:0.17 2 (1985AkZW); L1:L2:L3=100:34.5 12:45.5 24 (1987BaZB); L1:L2:L3=100:35 3:42 3 (2000AlZY), L1:L2:L3=100:36.0 6:44.8 8 (from L1/L2=2.78 5 and L1/L3=2.23 4 in 1966Ha04).
65.87 ^{ah}	<0.029 ^a	433.521	(9/2) ⁺	367.65?	11/2 ⁺				%I _γ <0.010
72.027 ^{ah}	<0.01 ^a	718.786	(7/2 ⁺)	646.759	(7/2 ⁻)				%I _γ <0.004
85.09 ^{ah}	<0.008 ^a	430.121	(9/2) ⁻	345.028	5/2 ⁻				%I _γ <0.003
^x 85.30 [‡]									
93.61447 8	7.18 4	472.88128	9/2 ⁻	379.26678	7/2 ⁻	M1+E2	+0.183 3	3.75 5	α(K)=3.07 4; α(L)=0.529 8; α(M)=0.1193 17 α(N)=0.0278 4; α(O)=0.00389 6; α(P)=0.0001883 26 %I _γ =2.58 2 δ: weighted average of 0.187 7 and 0.183 4 (based on L2/L1=0.168 6 and L3/L1=0.087 3, respectively, from weighted average of data from 1969Gu01 , 1976Ar06 ,

¹⁶⁹Yb ε decay (32.016 d) [1986Ad07](#),[1990Wa28](#),[2000Mo02](#) (continued)

γ(¹⁶⁹Tm) (continued)

E_γ †	I_γ #g	E_i (level)	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. ^b	δ^b	α^f	Comments
									1985AkZW, 1987BaZB, 2000MeZW), and +0.167 17 (nuclear orientation, 1987Da11, 1987Kr12). However, from time differential $\gamma\gamma(\theta)$, 1997De02 conclude that 94γ is pure M1 and discrepancy with δ from ce data is due to penetration effects; see comment on δ(198γ) also. Mult.: α(K)exp=2.9 3 (Ice from 1976Ar06), α(L)exp=0.490 15 and α(M)exp=0.158 6 (2020Vi11); L1:L2:L3=100:16.9 10:9.26 35 (1969Gu01); K:L1:L2:L3:M:N=7.5 7:1.18 4:0.19 3:0.10 2:0.4 1:0.16 4 (1976Ar06); K:L1:L2:L3:M1:M2:M3:N= 199.0 27:31.9 5:4.9 3:2.5 2:7.2 4:1.6 2:0.8 1:0.25 3 (1985AkZW); L1:L2:L3=1.0:0.179 6:0.085 5 (2000MeZW).
95.70 ^{ah}	<0.006 ^a	474.969	(3/2) ⁻	379.26678	7/2 ⁻				%Iγ<0.002
95.86 ^{ah}	<0.006 ^a	570.832	3/2 ⁺	474.969	(3/2) ⁻				%Iγ<0.002
98.01 ^{ah}	<0.005 ^a	430.121	(9/2) ⁻	332.117	9/2 ⁺				%Iγ<0.002
101.404 ^{ah}	<0.02 ^a	433.521	(9/2) ⁺	332.117	9/2 ⁺				%Iγ<0.01
^x 102.8 [‡]									
105.19 10	0.0072 [@] 21	472.88128	9/2 ⁻	367.65?	11/2 ⁺	E1		0.292 4	α(K)=0.2421 34; α(L)=0.0389 6; α(M)=0.00867 12 α(N)=0.001990 28; α(O)=0.000265 4; α(P)=1.087×10 ⁻⁵ 15 %Iγ=0.0026 8 Mult.: from unenumerated ce data of 1993BaZQ. Seen in only one spectrum; existence questionable (1990Wa28).
109.77924 4	48.39 18	118.18945	5/2 ⁺	8.41017	3/2 ⁺	M1+E2	-0.153 11	2.369 33	α(K)=1.966 28; α(L)=0.314 5; α(M)=0.0704 11 α(N)=0.01645 26; α(O)=0.002336 35; α(P)=0.0001203 17 %Iγ=17.39 9 δ: from Adopted Gammas. δ from ε decay: -0.145 14 (1969Gu01, γγ(θ)), 0.143 5 (from L2/L1=0.1224 23, weighted average of data from 1969Gu01, 1975Me08, 1976Ar06, 1985AkZW, 1987BaZB), 0.149 3 (from L3/L1=0.0478 16, weighted average of data from 1969Gu01, 1975Me08, 1976Ar06, 1985AkZW, 1987BaZB), -0.160 16 (γγ(θ), 1978Ve07), and -0.21

¹⁶⁹Yb ε decay (32.016 d) 1986Ad07,1990Wa28,2000Mo02 (continued)

γ(¹⁶⁹Tm) (continued)

<u>E_γ[†]</u>	<u>I_γ^{#g}</u>	<u>E_i(level)</u>	<u>J_i^π</u>	<u>E_f</u>	<u>J_f^π</u>	<u>Mult.^b</u>	<u>α^f</u>	<u>Comments</u>
								6 (nuclear orientation, 1987Da11, 1987Kr12); the weighted average of these is 0.1478 25 (unweighted average, 0.161 13). Mult.: α(K)exp=2.02 7 (Ice from 1976Ar06), 2.04 2 (1995Zh20), 2.05 10 (2020Vi11); 0.325 3 (Ice from 1990Wa28), 0.33 2 (2020Vi11); L1:L2:L3=100:12.3 6:4.79 16 (1969Gu01); K:L1:L2:L3=34.9 11:4.87 9:0.56 6:0.24 2 (1976Ar06); L1:L2:L3=100:12.58 25:5.0 2 (1975Me08); L1:L2:L3:M1:M2:M3:N:(O+P)= 129.0 16:14.9 4:5.6 2:20.4 7:3.8 3:1.6 2:6.1 10:1.7 3 (1985AkZW); L1:L2:L3=100:12.7 5:5.32 25 (1987BaZB).
113.64 ^{ah}	<0.03 ^a	832.42	(9/2 ⁺)	718.786	(7/2 ⁺)			%I _γ <0.01
113.98 ^{ah}	<0.024 ^a	430.121	(9/2) ⁻	316.14633	7/2 ⁺			%I _γ <0.009
^x 114.1 [‡]								
^x 115.29 [‡]								
117.376 19	0.111 7	433.521	(9/2) ⁺	316.14633	7/2 ⁺	[M1,E2]	1.82 14	α(K)=1.2 5; α(L)=0.50 25; α(M)=0.12 6 α(N)=0.027 14; α(O)=0.0033 15; α(P)=6.5×10 ⁻⁵ 35 %I _γ =0.040 3
118.18940 14	5.216 20	118.18945	5/2 ⁺	0.0	1/2 ⁺	E2	1.642 23	α(K)=0.701 10; α(L)=0.721 10; α(M)=0.1759 25 α(N)=0.0400 6; α(O)=0.00469 7; α(P)=2.95×10 ⁻⁵ 4 %I _γ =1.875 10 Mult.: α(K)exp=0.69 3 (Ice from 1976Ar06), 0.710 3 (2020Vi11); α(L)exp=0.70 4 (2020Vi11); K:M=1.28 6:0.30 5 (1976Ar06); K:L1:L2:L3=31.9 5:3.4 2:16.0 4:14.5 6 (1985AkZW).
130.52293 6	31.68 11	138.93316	7/2 ⁺	8.41017	3/2 ⁺	E2	1.143 16	α(K)=0.541 8; α(L)=0.462 6; α(M)=0.1124 16 α(N)=0.0256 4; α(O)=0.00302 4; α(P)=2.309×10 ⁻⁵ 32 %I _γ =11.39 6 Mult.: α(K)exp=0.545 5 (1995Zh20, K x ray-γ coin), 0.549 17 (2020Vi11); α(L)exp=0.484 18 (Ice from 1990Wa28), 0.46 3 (2020Vi11); α(M)exp=0.134 5 (2020Vi11); L1:L2:L3=29.2 5:114 2:100 (1966Er03); L1:L2:L3=28.5 9:113 2:100 (1975Me08); K:L1:L2:L3:M:N=6.2 3:0.72 9:2.5 1:2.2 1:1.6 3:0.33 5 (1976Ar06); L1:L2:L3=28.8 6:110 10:100, L3/M3=4.17 15, M1:M2:M3=28 3:115 8:100 (1968Gi06); K:L:M:N=44.9 14:39.7 15:9.78 15:2.30 8 (1990Wa28), L1:L2:L3=30 3:107 10:100 (1972Ag03).
^x 141.8 [‡]								
^x 147.5 [‡]								
^x 148.5 [‡]								

¹⁶⁹Yb ε decay (32.016 d) **1986Ad07,1990Wa28,2000Mo02 (continued)**

$\gamma(^{169}\text{Tm})$ (continued)									
E_γ^\dagger	$I_\gamma^{#g}$	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. ^b	δ^b	α^f	Comments
156.724 11	0.0275 7	472.88128	9/2 ⁻	316.14633	7/2 ⁺	E1		0.1016 14	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.0850$ 12; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.01302$ 18; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.00289$ 4 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.000668$ 9; $\alpha(\text{O})=9.08\times 10^{-5}$ 13; $\alpha(\text{P})=4.04\times 10^{-6}$ 6 %I γ =0.0099 3 Mult.: from unenumerated ce data of 1993BaZQ . %I γ <0.003
173.88 ^{ah} 177.21307 6	<0.008 ^a 62.01 21	646.759 316.14633	(7/2 ⁻) 7/2 ⁺	472.88128 138.93316	9/2 ⁻ 7/2 ⁺	M1+E2	-0.30 13	0.594 18	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.490$ 22; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.0809$ 35; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.0182$ 9 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.00425$ 21; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.000598$ 19; $\alpha(\text{P})=2.97\times 10^{-5}$ 16 %I γ =22.29 11 δ : unweighted average of 0.41 3 ($\alpha(\text{L}3)$ exp, 1972Ag03), 0.425 9 and 0.434 7 (from L2/L1=0.211 5 and L3/L1=0.118 3, respectively, the weighted averages of data from 1969Gu01 , 1975Me08 , 1976Ar06 , 1987BaZB), -0.20 +8-11 and -0.19 5 (1978Ve07 , $\gamma\gamma(\theta)$), -0.44 1 (nuclear orientation, 1987Da11 , 1987Kr12), 0.32 10 ($\alpha(\text{K})$ exp, 1990Wa28), -0.20 +4-3 (1994De01 , $\gamma\gamma(\theta)$), 0.19 +4-5 ($\alpha(\text{K})$ exp, 1995Zh20); uncertainty (0.04) expanded to 0.13 to include most precise datum. Additional information 4. Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})$ exp=0.515 5 (1995Zh20 , K x ray- γ coin), 0.498 14 (Ice from 1990Wa28), 0.48 3 (Ice from 1976Ar06), 0.52 3 (1973El15), 0.488 25 (Ice from 1976Ar06), 0.453 15 (2020Vi11); $\alpha(\text{L})$ exp=0.085 5 (2020Vi11); $\alpha(\text{L}3)$ exp=0.0071 7 (1972Ag03); $\alpha(\text{M})$ exp=0.024 3 (2020Vi11); L1:L2:L3=100:21.2 10:12.0 4 (1969Gu01); K:L1:L2:L3=729 15:100:21.2 8:11.5 5 (1975Me08); K:L1:L2:L3:M:N=10.7 7:1.59 5:0.31 3:0.17 2:0.43 3:0.12 1 (1976Ar06); L1:L2:L3=100:21.3 9:11.9 6 (1987BaZB); K:L:M:N=80.2 23:14.91 18:3.31 7:0.84 3 (1990Wa28).
193.15 5	0.021 [@] 3	332.117	9/2 ⁺	138.93316	7/2 ⁺	M1+E2 ^e	-0.126 ^e 21	0.479 7	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.401$ 6; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.0610$ 9; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.01362$ 19 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.00319$ 5; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.000457$ 6; $\alpha(\text{P})=2.444\times 10^{-5}$ 35 %I γ =0.008 1
197.95675 7	100	316.14633	7/2 ⁺	118.18945	5/2 ⁺	M1+E2	-0.326 6	0.433 6	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.358$ 5; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.0586$ 8; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.01318$ 19 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.00308$ 4; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.000433$ 6; $\alpha(\text{P})=2.161\times 10^{-5}$

γ(¹⁶⁹Tm) (continued)

<u>E_γ[†]</u>	<u>I_γ^{#g}</u>	<u>E_i(level)</u>	<u>J_i^π</u>	<u>E_f</u>	<u>J_f^π</u>	<u>Mult.^b</u>	<u>α^f</u>	<u>Comments</u>
								<p>31 %I_γ=35.94 12 δ: weighted average of -0.306 17 (1969Gu01, γγ(θ)), 0.329 7 (from L2/L1=0.1430 23, weighted average of data in 1969Gu01, 1975Me08, 1976Ar06, 1987BaZB), 0.320 8 (from L3/L1=0.0571 22, weighted average of data of 1969Gu01, 1975Me08, 1976Ar06, 1987BaZB), -0.352 18 (nuclear orientation, 1987Da11, 1987Kr12). Other values: -0.29 +5-10 (1978Ve07, γγ(θ)), -6.1 +4-6 (1994De01, γγ(θ)). 1994De01 advocate the larger of the γγ(θ) solutions and attribute the discrepancy between their δ and that from ce data to penetration effects; the evaluator rejects this δ because, as also noted by 1999Sc05, it would have a deleterious effect on decay scheme intensity balance. Mult.: α(K)exp=0.388 4 (1995Zh20), 0.375 14 (Ice from 1976Ar06), 0.386 7 (Ice from 1990Wa28), 0.39 2 (1973El15), 0.38 2 (1975Me08), 0.376 6 (2020Vi11); α(L)exp=0.060 4 (2020Vi11); α(M)exp=0.015 2 (2020Vi11); L1:L2:L3=100:15.6 9:6.1 3 (1969Gu01); K:L1:L2:L3=732 15:100:14.2 3:5.71 23 (1975Me08); K:L1:L2:L3:M:N=13.4 5:1.81 4:0.25 2:0.10 1:0.5 1:0.14 3 (1976Ar06); L1:L2:L2=100:14.3 4:4.8 5 (1987BaZB); K:L:M=100.0 18:16.85 23:3.82 6 (1990Wa28); M/L=0.235 7, N+/M=0.281 17 (1970Mi15). Other: 1972Ag03.</p>
199.77 ^{ah} 205.99 6	<0.09 ^a 0.0094 23	633.292 345.028	5/2 ⁺ 5/2 ⁻	433.521 138.93316	(9/2) ⁺ 7/2 ⁺	E1	0.0497 7	<p>%I_γ<0.03 α(K)=0.0417 6; α(L)=0.00625 9; α(M)=0.001387 19 α(N)=0.000321 4; α(O)=4.42×10⁻⁵ 6; α(P)=2.052×10⁻⁶ 29 %I_γ=0.0034 8 I_γ: weighted average of 0.0071 4 (1990AdZZ, 1990Wa28) and 0.0116 1 (1986Me07). Mult.: from unenumerated ce data of 1993BaZQ.</p>
213.935 17	0.0081 [@] 6	332.117	9/2 ⁺	118.18945	5/2 ⁺	E2 ^e	0.2080 29	<p>α(K)=0.1348 19; α(L)=0.0563 8; α(M)=0.01347 19 α(N)=0.00308 4; α(O)=0.000378 5; α(P)=6.42×10⁻⁶ 9 %I_γ=0.0029 2</p>
226.3 7 228.71 ^h 5	0.0007 [@] 5 <0.0011	345.028 367.65?	5/2 ⁻ 11/2 ⁺	118.18945 138.93316	5/2 ⁺ 7/2 ⁺	E2 ^e	0.1673 23	<p>%I_γ=2.5×10⁻⁴ 18 α(K)=0.1113 16; α(L)=0.0430 6; α(M)=0.01027 14 α(N)=0.002353 33; α(O)=0.000291 4; α(P)=5.39×10⁻⁶ 8 %I_γ<4.0×10⁻⁴ See comment with 367.7 level. E_γ: from Adopted Gammas. I_γ: upper limit estimated from spectrum (1990WaZZ).</p>

¹⁶⁹Yb ε decay (32.016 d) [1986Ad07,1990Wa28,2000Mo02](#) (continued)

γ(¹⁶⁹Tm) (continued)

<u>E_γ[†]</u>	<u>I_γ^{#g}</u>	<u>E_i(level)</u>	<u>J_i^π</u>	<u>E_f</u>	<u>J_f^π</u>	<u>Mult.^b</u>	<u>δ^b</u>	<u>α^f</u>	<u>Comments</u>
240.331 3	0.317 17	379.26678	7/2 ⁻	138.93316	7/2 ⁺	E1(+M2)	<+0.12	0.042 9	α(K)=0.035 7; α(L)=0.0056 14; α(M)=0.00125 33 α(N)=2.9×10 ⁻⁴ 8; α(O)=4.1×10 ⁻⁵ 11; α(P)=2.0×10 ⁻⁶ 5 %I _γ =0.114 6 δ: <0.12 (from K/L1, 1972Ag03) and +0.5 4 (nuclear orientation, 1987Da11 , 1987Kr12). Other: 0.095 16 reported by 1976Ar06 , but basis for this is unclear. Mult.: α(K)exp=0.041 3 (Ice from 1972Ag03), 0.040 2 (2020Vi11); α(M)exp=0.005 1 (2020Vi11); K:L1:L2:L3=857 107:100:15 6:16 7 (1972Ag03); K:L=45 5:10 5 (1976Ar06).
261.07712 9	4.674 20	379.26678	7/2 ⁻	118.18945	5/2 ⁺	E1+M2	-0.07 3	0.032 5	α(K)=0.026 4; α(L)=0.0041 7; α(M)=0.00091 17 α(N)=0.00021 4; α(O)=3.0×10 ⁻⁵ 6; α(P)=1.43×10 ⁻⁶ 29 %I _γ =1.680 9 δ: ≤0.025 (from K/L1, 1972Ag03), 0.032 8 (1976Ar06), -0.123 +22-20 (γγ(θ), 1978Ve07), -0.060 19 (nuclear orientation, 1987Da11 , 1987Kr12), -0.03 4 (1988MeZW , γγ(θ), evaluator's analysis). Mult.: α(K)exp=0.030 1 (Ice from 1972Ag03), 0.024 2 (Ice from 1976Ar06), 0.027 1 (2020Vi11); K:L1:L2:L3=867 67:100:13.8 12:14.2 10 (1972Ag03).
291.188 11	0.0120 [@] 4	430.121	(9/2) ⁻	138.93316	7/2 ⁺	E1		0.02068 29	α(K)=0.01742 24; α(L)=0.00255 4; α(M)=0.000564 8 α(N)=0.0001309 18; α(O)=1.824×10 ⁻⁵ 26; α(P)=8.89×10 ⁻⁷ 12 %I _γ =0.0043 2 Mult.: from unenumerated ce data of 1993BaZQ .
294.54 11	0.0027 7	433.521	(9/2) ⁺	138.93316	7/2 ⁺	M1		0.1522 21	α(K)=0.1279 18; α(L)=0.01899 27; α(M)=0.00423 6 α(N)=0.000989 14; α(O)=0.0001424 20; α(P)=7.77×10 ⁻⁶ 11 %I _γ =9.7×10 ⁻⁴ 25 I _γ : from 1990Wa28 . Other I _γ : 0.020 2 (1978Ve07). Mult.: from unenumerated ce data of 1993BaZQ . Seen in only one spectrum; existence questionable (1990Wa28).
301.73 ^{ah}	<0.013 ^a	646.759	(7/2) ⁻	345.028	5/2 ⁻				%I _γ <0.005
306.83 ^{ah}	<0.5 ^a	781.796	(5/2) ⁺	474.969	(3/2) ⁻				%I _γ <0.2
307.52 ^{ah}	<1.4 ^a	878.35	(7/2) ⁺	570.832	3/2 ⁺				%I _γ <0.5
307.73586 10	27.96 9	316.14633	7/2 ⁺	8.41017	3/2 ⁺	E2		0.0662 9	α(K)=0.0481 7; α(L)=0.01390 19; α(M)=0.00327 5

¹⁶⁹Yb ε decay (32.016 d) [1986Ad07,1990Wa28,2000Mo02](#) (continued)

γ(¹⁶⁹Tm) (continued)

E_γ †	I_γ #g	E_i (level)	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. ^b	δ^b	α^f	Comments
									$\alpha(N)=0.000752$ 11; $\alpha(O)=9.58\times 10^{-5}$ 13; $\alpha(P)=2.479\times 10^{-6}$ 35 %I γ =10.05 5 Mult.: $\alpha(K)\text{exp}=0.053$ 5 (Ice from 1962Gr16), 0.050 2 (Ice from 1976Ar06), 0.0514 10 (Ice from 1990Wa28), 0.045 3 (2020Vi11); $\alpha(L)\text{exp}=0.015$ 2 (2020Vi11); K/L=3.49 11, K/L3=15.5 8 (1971Bo49); K:L1:L2:L3=1641 87:195 7:172 5:100, M1:M2:M3=161 16:152 15:100, L/M=4.17 17 (1968Gi06); K:L=50 2:15 2 (1976Ar06); K:L:M:N=3.73 7:1.15 3:0.266 13:0.068 10 (1990Wa28). %I γ =0.00174 6 I γ : from I γ =0.0077 43 and 0.0044 3 (2000Mo02), 0.00493 15 (1990Wa28), 0.0070 9 (1986Me07), 0.0045 8 (1976Ge21), 0.0045 6 (1972Bb13). $\alpha(K)=0.06$ 5; $\alpha(L)=0.011$ 9; $\alpha(M)=0.0025$ 21 $\alpha(N)=6$; $\alpha(O)=8$; $\alpha(P)=4$ %I γ =0.0095 3 Mult., δ : E1,M2 from unenumerated ce data of 1993BaZQ ; $\alpha(K)\text{exp}\leq 0.11$ (Ice from 1970Al02). %I γ = 1.41×10^{-4} 6 $\alpha(K)=0.2427$ 34; $\alpha(L)=0.0446$ 6; $\alpha(M)=0.01020$ 14 $\alpha(N)=0.002393$ 34; $\alpha(O)=0.000340$ 5; $\alpha(P)=1.751\times 10^{-5}$ 25 %I γ = 8.8×10^{-4} 10 I γ : from 0.00181 11 and <0.0055 (2000Mo02), 0.00267 10 (1990Wa28), 0.0034 9 (1976Ge21), 0.00292 11 (1972Bb13). 0.010 5 (2000Mo02 , data set E-1) is a statistical outlier. Other I γ : 0.0228 16 (1986Me07), 0.019 1 (1978Ve07). Mult.: $\alpha(K)\text{exp}=0.17$ 9 (Ice from 1990Wa28). $\alpha(K)=0.0756$ 11; $\alpha(L)=0.0393$ 6; $\alpha(M)=0.00959$ 13 $\alpha(N)=0.002205$ 31; $\alpha(O)=0.000273$ 4; $\alpha(P)=4.66\times 10^{-6}$ 7 %I γ = 4.1×10^{-4} 8 I γ : from I γ =0.00172 31 (2000Mo02), 0.00049 3
333.963 13	0.00485 17	472.88128	9/2 ⁻	138.93316	7/2 ⁺				
336.618 3	0.0263 8	345.028	5/2 ⁻	8.41017	3/2 ⁺	E1(+M2)	≤0.66	0.07 6	
356.74 5	3.92×10^{-4} @ 17	474.969	(3/2) ⁻	118.18945	5/2 ⁺				
370.854 8	0.00245 26	379.26678	7/2 ⁻	8.41017	3/2 ⁺	[M2] ^d		0.300 4	
379.284 18	0.00113 23	379.26678	7/2 ⁻	0.0	1/2 ⁺	[E3] ^d		0.1270 18	

¹⁶⁹Yb ε decay (32.016 d) 1986Ad07,1990Wa28,2000Mo02 (continued)

E _γ [†]	I _γ ^{#g}	E _i (level)	J _i ^π	E _f	J _f ^π	γ(¹⁶⁹ Tm) (continued)			Comments
						Mult. ^b	δ ^b	α ^f	
									(1990Wa28), 0.00084 28 (1976Ge21), 0.00103 20 (1972Bb13). Ice and I _γ from 1990Wa28 imply α(K)exp=0.35 5 (cf. α(K)=0.074 for probable multipolarity). This suggests a major error in I _γ or Ice(K) in 1990Wa28, probably the latter. I _γ =0.00113 23 if the datum from 1990Wa28 is omitted from the weighted average. I _γ =0.0034 5 (1986Me07) is a statistical outlier.
386.671 13	9.32×10 ⁻⁴ 21	718.786	(7/2 ⁺)	332.117	9/2 ⁺	[M1,E2]		0.054 20	α(K)=0.044 18; α(L)=0.0077 14; α(M)=0.00175 29 α(N)=0.00041 7; α(O)=5.6×10 ⁻⁵ 12; α(P)=2.6×10 ⁻⁶ 12
452.62 8	4.9×10 ⁻⁵ 15	570.832	3/2 ⁺	118.18945	5/2 ⁺	M1+E2 ^e	1.5 ^e +9-4	0.030 4	%I _γ =3.35×10 ⁻⁴ 8 α(K)=0.025 4; α(L)=0.0045 4; α(M)=0.00101 8 α(N)=0.000235 18; α(O)=3.23×10 ⁻⁵ 30; α(P)=1.42×10 ⁻⁶ 25 %I _γ =1.8×10 ⁻⁵ 6 I _γ : weighted average of 0.000046 10 (1990Wa28) and 0.00014 6 (1972Bb13).
464.7&	1.0×10 ⁻⁵ & 6	832.42	(9/2 ⁺)	367.65?	11/2 ⁺				%I _γ =3.6×10 ⁻⁶ 22 E _γ : from level energy difference. Other: 464.72 9 (1990WaZZ).
465.65&	5.30×10 ⁻⁴ & 6	781.796	(5/2 ⁺)	316.14633	7/2 ⁺				%I _γ =1.905×10 ⁻⁴ 23 E _γ : from level energy difference. Other: 465.657 6 (1990WaZZ).
466.56&	5.4×10 ⁻⁵ & 6	474.969	(3/2 ⁻)	8.41017	3/2 ⁺				%I _γ =1.94×10 ⁻⁵ 22 E _γ : from level energy difference. Other: 466.562 8 (1990WaZZ).
474.970 9	5.41×10 ⁻⁴ 12	474.969	(3/2 ⁻)	0.0	1/2 ⁺				%I _γ =1.94×10 ⁻⁴ 5 I _γ : weighted average of 0.000540 12 (1990Wa28), 0.00064 22 (1976Ge21), 0.00056 6 (1972Bb13).
494.357 8	0.00410 7	633.292	5/2 ⁺	138.93316	7/2 ⁺	M1 ^c		0.0389 5	α(K)=0.0328 5; α(L)=0.00479 7; α(M)=0.001064 15 α(N)=0.0002490 35; α(O)=3.59×10 ⁻⁵ 5; α(P)=1.972×10 ⁻⁶ 28 %I _γ =0.00147 3 I _γ : weighted average of 0.00408 7 (1990Wa28), 0.0048 8 (1986Me07), 0.0048 8 (1976Ge21), 0.00414 20 (1972Bb13).
500.35 10	2.46×10 ⁻⁵ @ 21	832.42	(9/2 ⁺)	332.117	9/2 ⁺				Mult.: α(K)exp=0.035 5 (Ice from 1970Al02); K/L=3.7 21 (1970Al02). %I _γ =8.8×10 ⁻⁶ 8
507.8 3	4.1×10 ⁻⁶ @ 22	646.759	(7/2 ⁻)	138.93316	7/2 ⁺				%I _γ =1.5×10 ⁻⁶ 8

¹⁶⁹Yb ε decay (32.016 d) [1986Ad07,1990Wa28,2000Mo02](#) (continued)

γ(¹⁶⁹Tm) (continued)

E_γ †	I_γ #g	E_i (level)	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. ^b	δ^b	α^f	Comments
515.101 6	0.01161 17	633.292	5/2 ⁺	118.18945	5/2 ⁺	M1 ^c		0.0350 5	$\alpha(K)=0.0295$ 4; $\alpha(L)=0.00430$ 6; $\alpha(M)=0.000956$ 13 $\alpha(N)=0.0002237$ 31; $\alpha(O)=3.23\times 10^{-5}$ 5; $\alpha(P)=1.773\times 10^{-6}$ 25 %I γ =0.00417 6 I γ : weighted average of 0.01154 18 (1990Wa28), 0.0111 8 (1986Me07), 0.013 1 (1978Ve07), 0.0132 11 (1976Ge21), 0.0117 5 (1972Bb13). Mult.: $\alpha(K)_{\text{exp}}=0.028$ 4 (Ice from 1970A102); $\alpha(K)_{\text{exp}}=0.0340$ 24 (Ice from 1990Wa28); K/L=6 3 (1970A102). %I γ = 1.20×10^{-4} 3 I γ : weighted average of 0.000333 8 (1990Wa28), 0.00034 25 (1976Ge21), 0.000341 36 (1972Bb13) other I γ : 0.0057 8 (1986Me07).
528.569 10	3.33×10^{-4} 8	646.759	(7/2 ⁻)	118.18945	5/2 ⁺				%I γ = 1.5×10^{-6} 4 $\alpha(K)=0.0184$ 34; $\alpha(L)=0.0029$ 4; $\alpha(M)=0.00064$ 8 $\alpha(N)=0.000149$ 19; $\alpha(O)=2.12\times 10^{-5}$ 29; $\alpha(P)=1.08\times 10^{-6}$ 21 %I γ = 1.19×10^{-4} 3 I γ : weighted average of 0.000329 7 (1990Wa28), 0.00042 25 (1976Ge21), 0.00038 4 (1972Bb13). Other I γ : 0.0015 3 (1986Me07). Mult.: $\alpha(K)_{\text{exp}}\leq 0.053$ (Ice from 1970A102).
546.16 22	4.1×10^{-6} @ 11	878.35	(7/2 ⁺)	332.117	9/2 ⁺				$\alpha(K)=0.0177$ 32; $\alpha(L)=0.0027$ 4; $\alpha(M)=0.00061$ 8 $\alpha(N)=0.000143$ 18; $\alpha(O)=2.03\times 10^{-5}$ 28; $\alpha(P)=1.04\times 10^{-6}$ 21 %I γ = 1.11×10^{-4} 7 I γ : weighted average of 0.000297 20 (1990Wa28), 0.00039 28 (1976Ge21), 0.00036 3 (1972Bb13). Other I γ : 0.0009 2 (1986Me07). Mult.: $\alpha(K)_{\text{exp}}\leq 0.065$ (Ice from 1970A102).
562.410 12	3.31×10^{-4} 7	570.832	3/2 ⁺	8.41017	3/2 ⁺	M1+E2 ^e	0.8 ^e +5-4	0.022 4	$\alpha(K)=0.02181$ 31; $\alpha(L)=0.00317$ 4; $\alpha(M)=0.000703$ 10 $\alpha(N)=0.0001646$ 23; $\alpha(O)=2.375\times 10^{-5}$ 33; $\alpha(P)=1.308\times 10^{-6}$ 18 %I γ =0.00193 3 I γ : weighted average of 0.00535 9 (1990Wa28), 0.0063 10 (1986Me07), 0.005 2 (1978Ve07), 0.062
570.890 27	3.10×10^{-4} 18	570.832	3/2 ⁺	0.0	1/2 ⁺	M1+E2 ^e	0.8 ^e +5-4	0.021 4	
579.851 5	0.00536 8	718.786	(7/2 ⁺)	138.93316	7/2 ⁺	(M1) ^c		0.0259 4	

¹⁶⁹Yb ε decay (32.016 d) 1986Ad07,1990Wa28,2000Mo02 (continued)

									<u>γ(¹⁶⁹Tm) (continued)</u>	
<u>E_γ[†]</u>	<u>I_γ^{#g}</u>	<u>E_i(level)</u>	<u>J_i^π</u>	<u>E_f</u>	<u>J_f^π</u>	<u>Mult.^b</u>	<u>α^f</u>	<u>Comments</u>		
600.603 8	0.00317 5	718.786	(7/2 ⁺)	118.18945	5/2 ⁺	(M1) ^c	0.02366 33	8 (1976Ge21), 0.00528 22 (1972Bb13). Mult.: α(K)exp=0.025 3 (Ice from 1970A102); α(K)exp=0.017 4 (Ice from 1990Wa28). α(K)=0.01995 28; α(L)=0.00289 4; α(M)=0.000642 9 α(N)=0.0001503 21; α(O)=2.170×10 ⁻⁵ 30; α(P)=1.195×10 ⁻⁶ 17 %I _γ =0.00114 2 I _γ : weighted average of 0.00317 6 (1990Wa28), 0.0026 5 (1986Me07), 0.005 3 (1978Ve07), 0.0035 8 (1976Ge21), 0.00322 14 (1972Bb13). Mult.: α(K)exp=0.021 7 (Ice from 1970A102). α(K)=0.01805 25; α(L)=0.00262 4; α(M)=0.000580 8 α(N)=0.0001358 19; α(O)=1.960×10 ⁻⁵ 27; α(P)=1.080×10 ⁻⁶ 15 %I _γ =0.0049 2 I _γ : weighted average of 0.01390 25 (1990Wa28), 0.0116 8 (1986Me07), 0.020 5 (1978Ve07), 0.0154 14 (1976Ge21), 0.0137 6 (1972Bb13). Mult.: α(K)exp=0.0178 21 (Ice from 1970A102); α(K)exp=0.0155 26 (Ice from 1990Wa28); K/L=6.0 19 (1970A102). α(K)=0.00778 11; α(L)=0.001410 20; α(M)=0.000320 4 α(N)=7.44×10 ⁻⁵ 10; α(O)=1.018×10 ⁻⁵ 14; α(P)=4.35×10 ⁻⁷ 6 %I _γ =6.9×10 ⁻⁶ 5 %I _γ =7.66×10 ⁻⁵ 18 I _γ : weighted average of 0.000212 5 (1990Wa28), 0.00025 22 (1976Ge21), 0.000224 17 (1972Bb13). %I _γ =1.93×10 ⁻⁴ 6 I _γ : weighted average of 0.000528 17 (1990Wa28), 0.00062 25 (1976Ge21), 0.000565 28 (1972Bb13). %I _γ =8.7×10 ⁻⁶ 4 %I _γ =3.4×10 ⁻⁵ 3 I _γ : weighted average of 0.000087 6 (1990Wa28), 0.00008 8 (1976Ge21), 0.000109 8 (1972Bb13). Mult.: α(K)exp≤0.057 (Ice from 1970A102). %I _γ =1.8×10 ⁻⁶ 2 %I _γ =8.3×10 ⁻⁷ 22 %I _γ =2.09×10 ⁻⁴ 3 I _γ : weighted average of 0.000578 10 (1990Wa28), 0.00062 28 (1976Ge21), 0.000607 28 (1972Bb13). %I _γ =3.0×10 ⁻⁶ 3		
624.881 4	0.0137 4	633.292	5/2 ⁺	8.41017	3/2 ⁺	M1 ^c	0.02140 30			
633.32 10	1.92×10 ⁻⁵ @ 13	633.292	5/2 ⁺	0.0	1/2 ⁺	[E2]	0.00959 13			
642.873 9	2.13×10 ⁻⁴ 5	781.796	(5/2 ⁺)	138.93316	7/2 ⁺					
663.599 7	5.38×10 ⁻⁴ 15	781.796	(5/2 ⁺)	118.18945	5/2 ⁺					
693.46 8	2.42×10 ⁻⁵ @ 12	832.42	(9/2 ⁺)	138.93316	7/2 ⁺					
710.354 15	9.5×10 ⁻⁵ 7	718.786	(7/2 ⁺)	8.41017	3/2 ⁺					
739.42 11	5.1×10 ⁻⁶ @ 6	878.35	(7/2 ⁺)	138.93316	7/2 ⁺					
760.24 24	2.3×10 ⁻⁶ @ 6	878.35	(7/2 ⁺)	118.18945	5/2 ⁺					
773.386 14	5.81×10 ⁻⁴ 9	781.796	(5/2 ⁺)	8.41017	3/2 ⁺					
781.64 8	8.4×10 ⁻⁶ @ 7	781.796	(5/2 ⁺)	0.0	1/2 ⁺					

γ(¹⁶⁹Tm) (continued)

† E_γ quoted to 0.01 eV are from the evaluation by [2000He14](#), except where otherwise noted, (with energy scale based on E_γ=411.80205 keV *17* for the “Gold standard” (2⁺ to g.s. transition in ¹⁹⁸Hg)) and ΔE is quoted here without the 0.3 ppm uncertainty arising from the energy-wavelength conversion. All other E_γ are based on data from [1990Wa28](#), [1990WaZZ](#), except where noted (the calibration energies assumed by [1990Wa28](#) are 5.8x10⁻⁴% higher than those given in [2000He14](#), so all E_γ data from [1990Wa28](#) have been reduced accordingly). The additional 0.3 ppm uncertainty applicable to E_γ from [2000He14](#) was taken into account when deducing E(level) values from E_γ.

‡ From [1993BaZQ](#) only; uncertainty unstated by authors.

I_γ relative to I(198γ)=100.0; weighted averages (using limitation of relative statistical weights method for discrepant data sets) of data from [1972Bb13](#), [1976Ge21](#), [1977Ge12](#), [1978Ve07](#), [1983Fu12](#), [1986Me07](#) (same [1986Me10](#)), [1990Wa28](#), [1996Bh08](#), [1999Mi01](#) and the nine sets of measurements reported in [2000Mo02](#), except as noted. Note that [2000Mo02](#) report the results from the various groups participating in the EUROMET-410 project; however, some data from that exercise were also published independently by [1999Sc05](#), [2000ZaZY](#) (2 measurements, see also [2000Sa07](#)) and [2000Iw06](#) (see also [2001De06](#)). Occasionally, a datum from one of the latter sources differs from that reported in [2000Mo02](#). [2000Iw06](#) give 1.9% uncertainty for I(198γ) and the evaluator adopts this; the value of 1.1% in %I(198γ) given in [2000Mo02](#) is possibly a misprint of 2.1%. I_γ data for the 21γ, 334γ and 371γ are 0.539 29, 0.0051 5 and 0.0019 6, respectively, in [1999Sc05](#), but 0.586 33, 0.008 4 and 0.010 5 in [2000Mo02](#); the evaluator has used the data from the later of the two publications. [2000Sa07](#) present I_γ values which are close to, but differ from, those of study ‘3-E’ in [2000Mo02](#); the latter were used in the present evaluator’s averages upon the advice of one of the authors. Data identified as statistical outliers (based on the Chauvenet criterion) were excluded from averages (13 cases). Uncertainties arising from source activity measurements ([1999MoZV](#), [1983Fu12](#)), when significant, were subtracted in quadrature from reported absolute intensities before scaling data to give I(198γ)=100. Uncertainties in the 198γ reference line were added in quadrature to uncertainties in the other lines prior to averaging. Data from [1970Al02](#), [1972Bb13](#), [1976Ge21](#), [1986Ad07](#) were reported relative to I(308γ) so were renormalized so I(308γ)=27.96, the value adopted here, to enable intercomparison of all authors’ data. Data from [2000Mo02](#), data set 10-E2, do not include the 198γ, but it is clear from tables 16 and 18 of [1999MoZV](#) that those authors assumed the same source activity when converting from relative to absolute I_γ, so the evaluator has done likewise. I_γ values in [1976Ar06](#) are not used here because they are derived from measured ce intensities and assumed multipolarities. Data from [1986Ad07](#) are presumed to have been superseded by [1990Wa28](#).

@ From [1990Wa28](#).

& E_γ=465.748 10, I_γ=0.000578 13 for complex peak ([1990Wa28](#)); consistent with I_γ=0.00067 6 in [1972Bb13](#) and 0.00081 22 in [1976Ge21](#). This peak could be resolved experimentally into two peaks (E_γ=465.662 22 and 466.66 28, I_γ=0.000523 11 and 0.000062 7, respectively) ([1990Wa28](#)); however, since the authors expected three transitions near this energy, they assumed E_γ from the decay scheme and deduced I_γ from a three-peak decomposition of the multiplet. It is that I_γ which is given here, along with E_γ from the decay scheme.

^a E_γ (from level energy differences) and I_γ (upper limit estimated from γ-ray spectrum) for possible (but unobserved) E1, M1, E2, or M1+E2 transition. See [1990WaZZ](#) for additional, but weaker, possible γ’s (I_γ<0.004, relative to I_γ=100 for 198.0γ). Placement is shown as tentative here, and γ is not included in Adopted Gammas, unless there exists some independent evidence for its existence.

^b From ce data summarized by [1976Ar06](#), except where noted; the photon and ce intensity scales were normalized through α(K)=0.547 (E2 theory) for 130.5γ (for [1976Ar06](#), [1990Wa28](#)) or through α(K)=0.0484 (E2 theory) for 308γ (for [1970Al02](#), [1972Ag03](#)).

^c From α(K)_{exp} calculated using Ice from [1970Al02](#) (normalized so α(K)_{exp}(308γ)=0.0484 (E2 theory)) and I_γ adopted here.

^d Comparison to RUL shows calculated strength within recommended limit.

^e From Adopted Gammas.

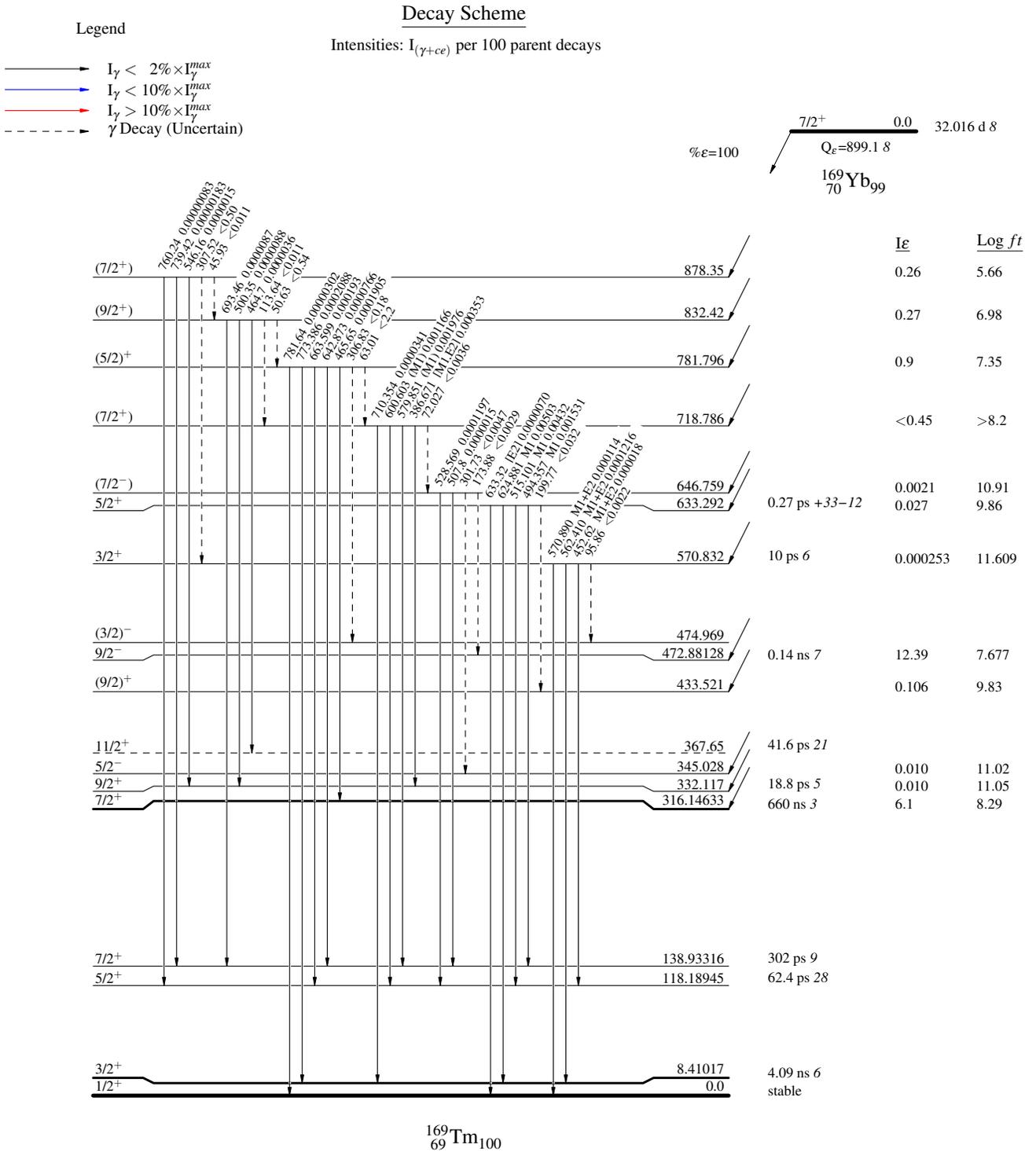
^f [Additional information 5](#).

^g For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.3594 12.

^h Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

^x γ ray not placed in level scheme.

^{169}Yb ϵ decay (32.016 d) 1986Ad07,1990Wa28,2000Mo02



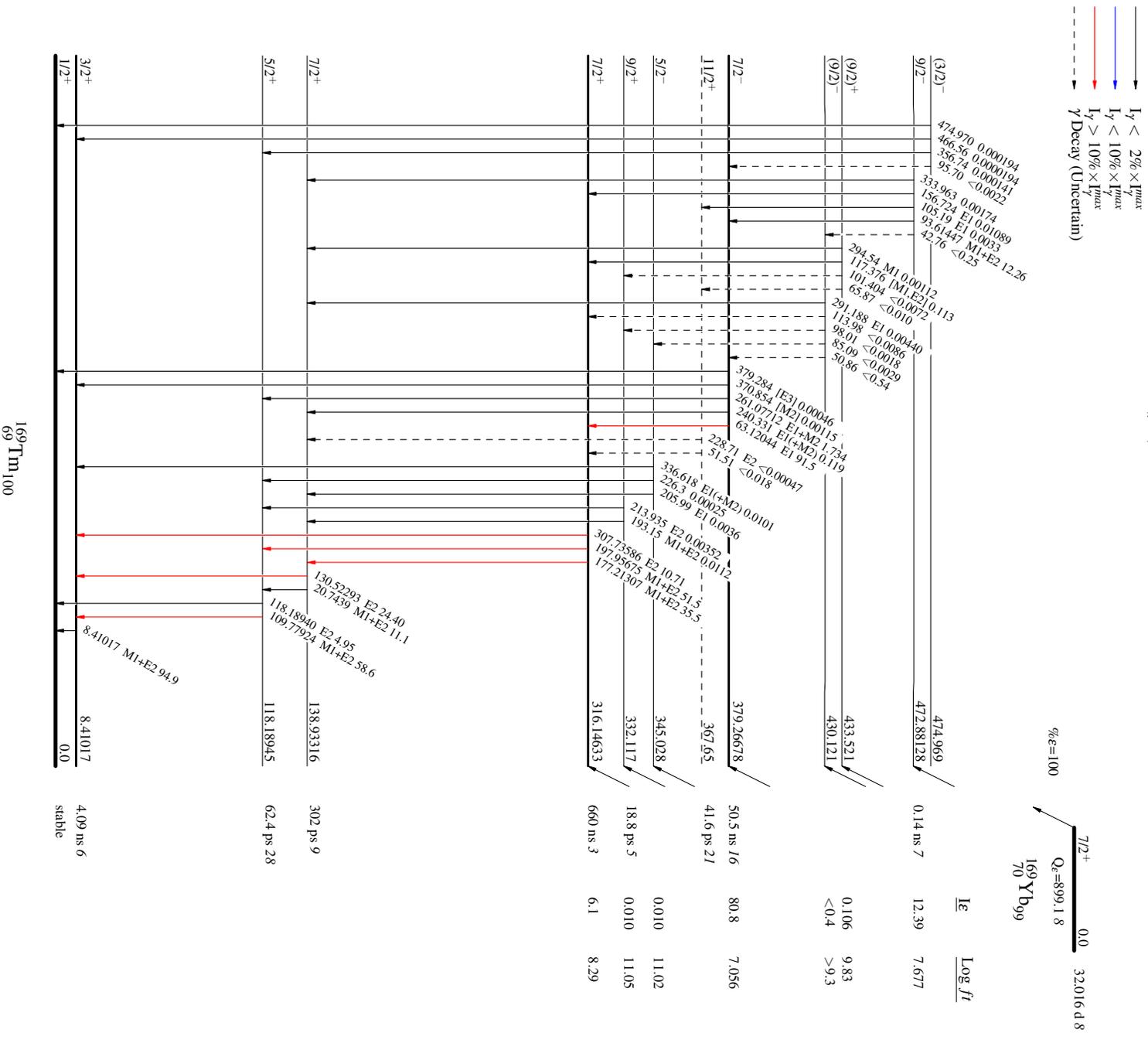
¹⁶⁹Yb e decay (32.016 d) 1986Ad07,1990Wa28,2000M002

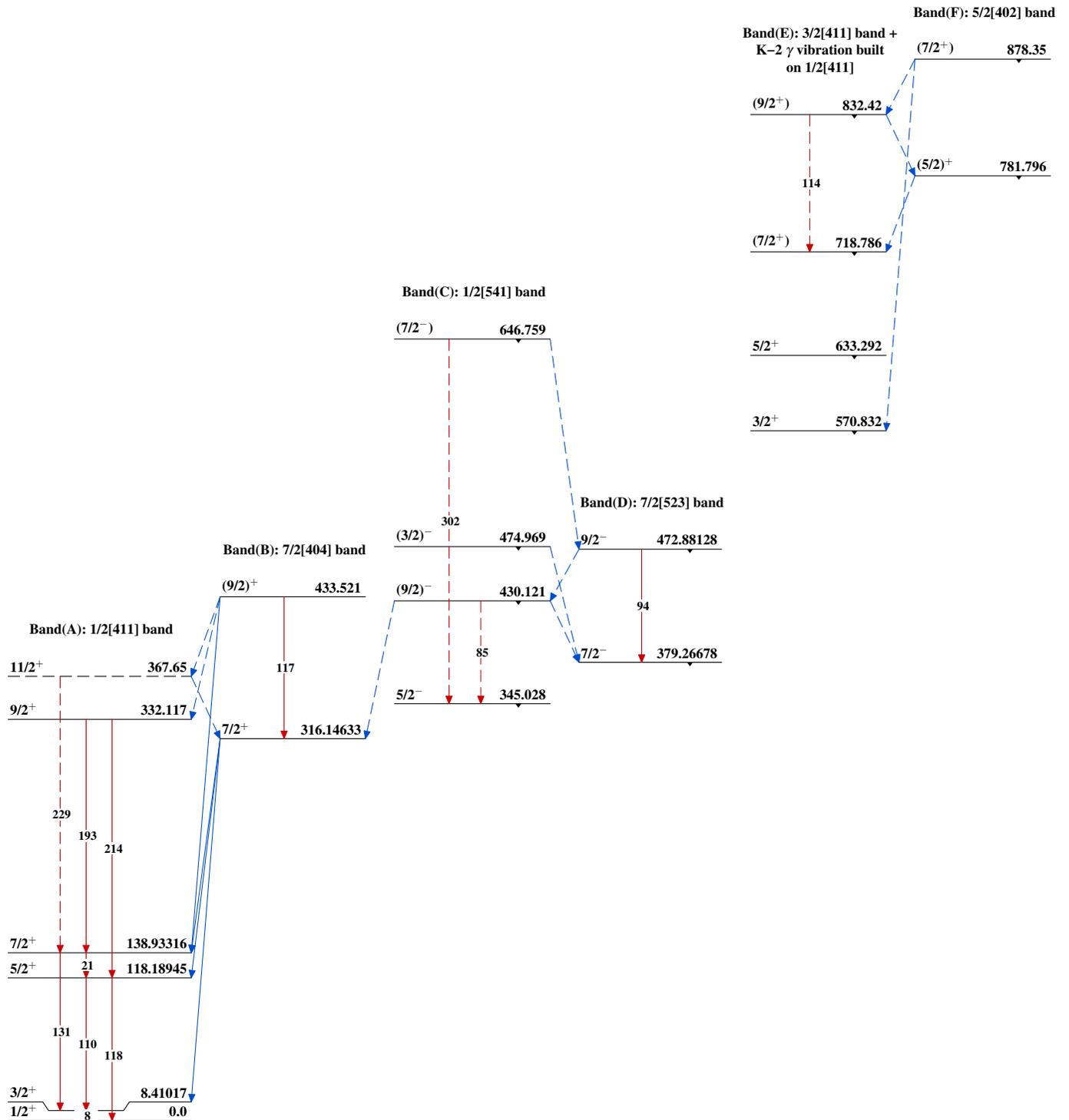
Legend

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

Decay Scheme (continued)

Intensities: I_{γ+e⁻} per 100 parent decays



^{169}Yb ε decay (32.016 d) 1986Ad07,1990Wa28,2000Mo02 $^{169}\text{Tm}_{100}$