

$^{171}\text{Ho} \beta^-$ decay 1990Ch34

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Parent: ^{171}Ho : $E=0.0$; $J^\pi=(7/2^-)$; $T_{1/2}=53 \text{ s}$ 2; $Q(\beta^-)=3.2\times 10^3 \text{ eV}$ 6; $\% \beta^-$ decay=100.0

The partial decay scheme and all data are from [1990Ch34](#). Sources from multi-nucleon transfer reactions between ^{170}Er and tungsten targets, on-line mass separation; $E(^{170}\text{Er})=1445 \text{ MeV}$; measured $E\beta$, $I\beta$ (plastic, silicon detectors), $E\gamma$, $I\gamma$ (germanium, planar hyperpure germanium), time-resolved singles measurements, $\beta\gamma$ coin, $\gamma\gamma$ coin.

Others: [1989Ch05](#), [1989Ry04](#).

 ^{171}Er Levels

E(level) [†]	J^π [‡]	$T_{1/2}$	Comments
0.0	$5/2^-$	7.516 h 2	$T_{1/2}$: from Adopted Levels.
79.04 10	$(7/2^-)$		
198.62 9	$1/2^-$	200 ns 30	$T_{1/2}$: from 1990Ch34 ; adopted value is 210 ns 10.
358.28 25	$(7/2^+)$		
532.27 10	$(7/2^-)$		
727.60 10			
841.23 21	$(3/2^-, 5/2^-)$		E(level): Order of 61.2 γ -642.5 γ cascade could be reversed, changing E(level) to 259.8 keV. However, such a low energy seems unlikely since the lowest energy configurations have been assigned already to other levels.
903.12 21	$(5/2^-)$		
907.14 12	$(5/2^-)$		
1766.2 10			

[†] From a least-squares fit to $E\gamma$.

[‡] From the Adopted Levels.

 $\gamma(^{171}\text{Er})$

$I\gamma(\text{K x ray})$ (relative to $I\gamma(903.3\gamma)=100$)

	E(x ray)	I(x ray)
Er $K\alpha_2$ x ray	48.2	51 8
Er $K\alpha_1$ x ray	49.1	106 7
Er $K\beta_1'$ x ray	55.7	34 3

E_γ	I_γ	$E_i(\text{level})$	J^π_i	E_f	J^π_f	Mult.	α [‡]	Comments
61.2 5	4 2	903.12	$(5/2^-)$	841.23	$(3/2^-, 5/2^-)$			
79.1 1	25 2	79.04	$(7/2^-)$	0.0	$5/2^-$	(M1) [†]	5.59	$\alpha(\text{K})=4.68 \text{ } 7$; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.706 \text{ } 11$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.1567 \text{ } 23$; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.0421 \text{ } 6$
198.6 1	88 23	198.62	$1/2^-$	0.0	$5/2^-$	E2	0.258	$\alpha(\text{N})=0.0365 \text{ } 6$; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.00528 \text{ } 8$; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.000290 \text{ } 5$; $\alpha(\text{K})=0.1655 \text{ } 24$; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.0710 \text{ } 10$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.01691 \text{ } 24$; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.00433 \text{ } 7$ $\alpha(\text{N})=0.00385 \text{ } 6$; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.000475 \text{ } 7$; $\alpha(\text{P})=7.78\times 10^{-6} \text{ } 11$ Mult.: adopted value.
279.2 4	60 9	358.28	$(7/2^+)$	79.04	$(7/2^-)$			
358.3 3	49 33	358.28	$(7/2^+)$	0.0	$5/2^-$			
453.8 3	13 4	532.27	$(7/2^-)$	79.04	$(7/2^-)$			
532.2 1	58 4	532.27	$(7/2^-)$	0.0	$5/2^-$			

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E_γ	I_γ	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π
642.5 2	39 5	841.23	(3/2 ⁻ , 5/2 ⁻)	198.62	1/2 ⁻
704.7 3	27 5	903.12	(5/2 ⁻)	198.62	1/2 ⁻
708.5 1	34 19	907.14	(5/2 ⁻)	198.62	1/2 ⁻
727.6 1	44 5	727.60		0.0	5/2 ⁻
823.9 5	30 6	903.12	(5/2 ⁻)	79.04	(7/2 ⁻)
903.3 4	100 6	903.12	(5/2 ⁻)	0.0	5/2 ⁻
907.2 2	57 6	907.14	(5/2 ⁻)	0.0	5/2 ⁻
1687.1 10	25 8	1766.2		79.04	(7/2 ⁻)

[†] Probable multipolarity, consistent with large total K x ray intensity (only plausible source of substantial K x ray intensity).

[‡] 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: Relative I_γ

Legend

