

**Adopted Levels, Gammas**

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$Q(\beta^-) = -1062$  15;  $S(n) = 7.83 \times 10^3$  syst;  $S(p) = 5211.1$  5;  $Q(\alpha) = 2382.9$  10    [2012Wa38](#)

Note: Current evaluation has used the following Q record –1063    167930    155211.0 4 2379.5 9    [2003Au03](#).  
Other reactions:

Fragmentation of 1 GeV/nucleon  $^{208}\text{Pb}$  ([2001Pf03](#), [2002Pf01](#)):

Be target, fragment mass analyzer, Ge detector array; observed  $\gamma$  rays following production of known  $21/2^-$  ( $E=1253$ ) isomer.

$^{48}\text{Ca}(\text{Xe},\text{X})$  ([2000P016](#)):

$E(^{134}\text{Xe}) = 535$  MeV,  $E(^{136}\text{Xe}) = 535, 550$  MeV; 80%–90%  $^{48}\text{Ca}$  oxide targets,  $8\pi$   $\gamma$ -detector array (20 Compton-suppressed Ge detectors + 70-element BGO calorimeter); observed (out of beam) the  $232\gamma$  and  $475\gamma$  from  $21/2^-$ ,  $E=1253$  isomer; searched for, but did not find, evidence for additional isomers.

 **$^{179}\text{Ta}$  Levels****Cross Reference (XREF) Flags**

A	$^{176}\text{Yb}(^7\text{Li},4n\gamma)$ $E=38$ MeV	E	$^{181}\text{Ta}(\text{p},\text{t})$
B	$^{179}\text{Hf}(\text{d},2n\gamma), (\text{p},n\gamma)$	F	$^{178}\text{Hf}(\text{p},\text{p}')$ IAR
C	$^{179}\text{W}$ $\varepsilon$ decay (37.05 min)	G	$^{176}\text{Lu}(^{136}\text{Xe},\text{X}\gamma)$ ,
D	$^{179}\text{W}$ $\varepsilon$ decay (6.40 min)	H	$^{178}\text{Hf}(^3\text{He},\text{d}), ^{178}\text{Hf}(\alpha,\text{t})$

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	J <sup>‡</sup>	T <sub>1/2</sub>	XREF	Comments
			ABCDE GH	
0.0 <sup>a</sup>	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	1.82 y 3		% $\varepsilon=100$ $\mu=+2.289$ 9 ( <a href="#">1996Wa02</a> ); $Q=+3.37$ 4 ( <a href="#">1996Wa02</a> ) $\mu$ , Q: from LASER rf double resonance spectroscopy; relative to $^{181}\text{Ta}$ standard. $T_{1/2}$ : weighted average of 1.820 y 4 (664.9 d 14, <a href="#">1974NaYW</a> ) and 1.610 y 27 (588 d 10; <a href="#">1974Ch53</a> , decay followed for 2 y). Others: <a href="#">1950Wi67</a> (600 d), <a href="#">1963Ra14</a> (consistent with 600 d). J <sup>‡</sup> : L(p,t)=0 on 7/2 <sup>+</sup> target. Nilsson orbital assignment based on energy systematics of this orbital in neighboring odd-A Ta isotopes.
30.7 <sup>b</sup> 1	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	1.42 $\mu$ s 8	ABC GH	J <sup>‡</sup> : E1 30.7 $\gamma$ to 7/2 <sup>+</sup> g.s.; allowed, unhindered $\varepsilon$ decay ( $\log ft=4.6$ ) from $^{179}\text{W}$ g.s. indicates transition between states with same asymptotic quantum numbers, typically ( $v$ 7/2[514]) and ( $\pi$ 9/2[514]) in this mass region. Nilsson orbital assignment supported by energy systematics of this orbital in $^{177}\text{Ta}$ , $^{181}\text{Ta}$ and $^{183}\text{Ta}$ . $T_{1/2}$ : from $^{179}\text{W}$ $\varepsilon$ decay (37.05 min).
133.79 <sup>a</sup> 11	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )		ABC E GH	J <sup>‡</sup> : intraband $134\gamma$ to 7/2 <sup>+</sup> g.s. L(p,t)=(2) for 7/2 <sup>+</sup> target.
180.79 <sup>b</sup> 14	(11/2 <sup>-</sup> )		AB GH	J <sup>‡</sup> : intraband D(+Q) 150 $\gamma$ to 9/2 <sup>-</sup> 31 level.
238.56 <sup>cd</sup> 9	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	65 ns 10	AB D GH	$T_{1/2}$ : from $\gamma\gamma(t)$ in ( $^7\text{Li},4n\gamma$ ) $E=45$ MeV. Other: 95 ns 5 from (d,2n $\gamma$ ) ( <a href="#">1974Ma26</a> ); <a href="#">1997Ko13</a> suggest that the 239 $\gamma$ pulsed-beam time spectrum used for this measurement may have been complicated due to feeding of the 239 level from states with different lifetimes. J <sup>‡</sup> : M1+E2 238.6 $\gamma$ to 7/2 <sup>+</sup> g.s.; L( $^3\text{He},\text{d}$ )=2. Nilsson orbital assignment based on energy systematics of this orbital in neighboring odd-A tantalum isotopes and on comparison of deduced [g <sub>K</sub> -g <sub>R</sub> ] for band with Nilsson model prediction.
294.65 <sup>a</sup> 14	(11/2 <sup>+</sup> )		AB E G	J <sup>‡</sup> : intraband D(+Q) 161 $\gamma$ to (9/2 <sup>+</sup> ); intraband 295 $\gamma$ to 7/2 <sup>+</sup> g.s. L=(4) in (p,t) on 7/2 <sup>+</sup> target.
343.95 <sup>cd</sup> 13	(7/2 <sup>+</sup> )		AB G	J <sup>‡</sup> : D+Q intraband 105 $\gamma$ to 5/2 <sup>+</sup> 239; D+Q 284 $\gamma$ from 5/2 <sup>-</sup> 628;
356.19 <sup>b</sup> 15	(13/2 <sup>-</sup> )		AB G	J <sup>‡</sup> : D+Q intraband 175 $\gamma$ to 11/2 <sup>-</sup> 181; intraband 325 $\gamma$ to 9/2 <sup>-</sup> 31.
477.18 <sup>cd</sup> 21	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )		AB G	J <sup>‡</sup> : intraband gammas to (7/2 <sup>+</sup> ) 344 and to 5/2 <sup>+</sup> 239 level.

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**Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)** **$^{179}\text{Ta}$  Levels (continued)**

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	J <sup>π</sup> <sup>‡</sup>	T <sub>1/2</sub>	XREF	Comments
481.27 <sup>a</sup> 15	(13/2 <sup>+</sup> )		AB E G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband 187γ to (11/2 <sup>+</sup> ) 295; intraband Q 347γ to (9/2 <sup>+</sup> ) 134.
520.23 <sup>f</sup> 18	(1/2) <sup>+</sup>	0.28 μs 8	AB D GH	J <sup>π</sup> : M1,E2 281.6γ to 5/2 <sup>+</sup> 239; bandhead energy and experimental decoupling constant (a=-0.86) consistent with that expected from Nilsson model for 1/2[411] orbital. T <sub>1/2</sub> : unweighted average of 350 ns 20 from (d,2nγ) and 200 ns 60 from ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=45 MeV; reason for discrepancy is unknown.
527.51 <sup>f</sup> 15	(3/2) <sup>+</sup>		AB D GH	J <sup>π</sup> : E1 101γ from 5/2 <sup>-</sup> 628; L( <sup>3</sup> He,d)=(2); band assignment.
555.58 <sup>b</sup> 17	(15/2 <sup>-</sup> )		AB G	J <sup>π</sup> : D+Q intraband 199γ to (13/2 <sup>-</sup> ) 356; Q intraband 375γ to (11/2 <sup>-</sup> ) 181.
627.98 <sup>e</sup> 15	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	80 ns 7	AB GH	J <sup>π</sup> : L( <sup>3</sup> He,d)=3 and cross section fingerprint in (α,t), ( <sup>3</sup> He,d). Configuration assignment supported by energy and by decoupling parameter expected from Nilsson model cf. experimental a=+6.9 (the same orbital is observed in <sup>177</sup> Ta). T <sub>1/2</sub> : weighted average of 80 ns 10 from (d,2nγ) and 80 ns 10 from ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=45 MeV.
636.69 <sup>cd</sup> 23	(11/2 <sup>+</sup> )		AB G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband γ to (9/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (7/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
673 <sup>e</sup> 1	9/2 <sup>-</sup>		AB GH	XREF: A(628+X)B(628+X)G(628+X)H(673). E(level): from (α,t).
673.01 <sup>f</sup> 23	(5/2 <sup>+</sup> )		AB	J <sup>π</sup> : L=5 and cross section fingerprint in ( <sup>3</sup> He,d), (α,t).
≈680 <sup>@e</sup>	1/2 <sup>-</sup>		H	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband γ to (3/2) <sup>+</sup> and to (1/2) <sup>+</sup> .
691.85 <sup>a</sup> 18	15/2 <sup>+</sup>		AB E G	J <sup>π</sup> : L=1 and cross section fingerprint in ( <sup>3</sup> He,d), (α,t).
695.98 <sup>f</sup> 21	(7/2 <sup>+</sup> )		AB GH	J <sup>π</sup> : continuation of band based on J <sup>π</sup> =7/2 <sup>+</sup> g.s.
741.4 6	1/2,3/2		D	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband γ to (3/2) <sup>+</sup> ; band assignment.
750.2 4	(1/2,3/2)		D	J <sup>π</sup> : γ to (3/2 <sup>+</sup> ) 528; log ft=6.4 from 1/2 <sup>-</sup> in ε decay. J <sup>π</sup> : 223 γ to (3/2) <sup>+</sup> 528, 230γ to (1/2) <sup>+</sup> 520; logft1ut<8.5 from 1/2 <sup>-</sup> . Suggested to Be J=1/2 member of the 1/2[541] band; however, an unobserved 1/2 to 5/2 transition with Eγ=122.2 keV would be implied cf. 31 and 18 keV in <sup>177</sup> Ta and <sup>175</sup> Ta, respectively. The adopted assignment of the 680 level as the 1/2 <sup>-</sup> 1/2[541] state implies ≈52 keV for this transition energy, and this seems more consistent with systematics.
757 <sup>#</sup> 5			E	
777.69 <sup>b</sup> 18	(17/2 <sup>-</sup> )		AB G	J <sup>π</sup> : D+Q intraband 222γ to (15/2 <sup>-</sup> ) 556; intraband 421γ to (13/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
820.95 <sup>cd</sup> 25	(13/2 <sup>+</sup> )		AB E G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband gammas to (11/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (9/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
825.1 <sup>e</sup> 10	(13/2 <sup>-</sup> )		AB G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband (Q) 153γ to 9/2 <sup>-</sup> 673; band assignment.
855 <sup>@e</sup> 1	3/2 <sup>-</sup>		H	J <sup>π</sup> : L( <sup>3</sup> He,d)=1 and cross section fingerprint in (α,t), ( <sup>3</sup> He,d).
875 <sup>#</sup> 5			E	
891 <sup>@</sup> 2	3/2,5/2,7/2		H	J <sup>π</sup> : L( <sup>3</sup> He,d)=2 or 3.
924.64 <sup>a</sup> 20	(17/2 <sup>+</sup> )		AB E G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband γ to (15/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (13/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
937.9 <sup>f</sup> 3	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )		AB	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband γ to (7/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (5/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
987.6 <sup>f</sup> 3	(11/2 <sup>+</sup> )		AB G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband γ to (9/2 <sup>+</sup> ); band assignment.
994 <sup>@</sup> 1	3/2,5/2,7/2		H	J <sup>π</sup> : L( <sup>3</sup> He,d)=2 or 3.
1017 <sup>#</sup> 5			E	
1020.19 <sup>b</sup> 20	(19/2 <sup>-</sup> )		AB G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband D+Q 242γ to (17/2 <sup>+</sup> ); Q intraband 465γ to (15/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
1028.6 <sup>cd</sup> 3	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> )		AB E G	XREF: E(1033). J <sup>π</sup> : intraband D+Q 208γ to (13/2 <sup>+</sup> ); intraband 392γ to (11/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
1064 <sup>@</sup> 10	1/2 <sup>+</sup>		H	J <sup>π</sup> : L( <sup>3</sup> He,d)=0.
1088.8 <sup>e</sup> 10	(17/2 <sup>-</sup> )		AB G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband 264γ to (13/2 <sup>-</sup> ); band assignment.
1105 <sup>#</sup> 10			E	
1126 7	3/2,5/2,7/2		E H	J <sup>π</sup> : L( <sup>3</sup> He,d)=2 or 3.

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**Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)** **$^{179}\text{Ta}$  Levels (continued)**

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	J <sup>‡</sup>	T <sub>1/2</sub>	XREF	Comments
1177 <sup>@</sup> 10	3/2,5/2,7/2		H	E(level): average of 1129 10 in (p,t) and 1122 10 in ( <sup>3</sup> He,d).
1177.06 <sup>a</sup> 22	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> )		AB E G	J <sup>π</sup> : L( <sup>3</sup> He,d)=2 or 3. J <sup>π</sup> : intraband 252 $\gamma$ to (17/2 <sup>+</sup> ); Q intraband 485 $\gamma$ to (15/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
1206 <sup>#</sup> 10			E	
1231 <sup>@</sup> 10			H	
1252.60 <sup>l</sup> 23	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )	322 ns 16	AB G	T <sub>1/2</sub> : weighted average of 325 ns 25 from ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV and 320 ns 20 from ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=45 MeV. Other: 250 ns 70 ( <a href="#">2002Pf01</a> ). J <sup>π</sup> : 232 $\gamma$ is M1(+E2) to (19/2 <sup>-</sup> ) 1020; band assignment. Low hindrances per degree of K-forbiddenness of deexciting $\gamma$ rays indicate that there is mixing with other configurations.
1256.1 <sup>cd</sup> 3	(17/2 <sup>+</sup> )		AB G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband D+Q 228 $\gamma$ to (15/2 <sup>+</sup> ); Q intraband 435 $\gamma$ to (13/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
1281.8 <sup>b</sup> 3	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )		AB G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband D+Q 261 $\gamma$ to (19/2 <sup>-</sup> ); Q intraband 504 $\gamma$ to (17/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
1298 <sup>#</sup> 10	7/2 <sup>+</sup> &		E	
1317.2 <sup>g</sup> 4	(25/2 <sup>+</sup> )	9.0 ms 2	AB G	%IT=100 T <sub>1/2</sub> : from ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV. Other values: 8.6 ms 10 from (d,2n $\gamma$ ) and 11 ms 2 from ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=45 MeV. J <sup>π</sup> : M2 64.7 $\gamma$ to (21/2 <sup>-</sup> ) 1253; band assignment.
1328.0 <sup>k</sup> 4	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )	1.6 $\mu$ s 4	A G	T <sub>1/2</sub> : from ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV. J <sup>π</sup> : 75.3 $\gamma$ M1(+E2) to (21/2 <sup>-</sup> ) 1253; band assignment. <b>Additional information 1.</b> Bandhead for K <sup>π</sup> =(23/2 <sup>-</sup> ) band.
1335 <sup>@</sup> 10	3/2 <sup>+</sup> ,5/2 <sup>+</sup>		H	J <sup>π</sup> : L( <sup>3</sup> He,d)=2.
1351 <sup>#</sup> 10	( <sup>+</sup> )		E	J <sup>π</sup> : L(p,t)=(2) on 7/2 <sup>+</sup> target.
1389.0 <sup>f</sup> 4	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> )		AB G	
1396 <sup>@</sup> 10			H	
1420 <sup>@</sup> 10	3/2 <sup>-c</sup>		H	J <sup>π</sup> : L( <sup>3</sup> He,d)=1 and cross section fingerprint in ( $\alpha$ ,t), ( <sup>3</sup> He,d).
1423 <sup>#</sup> 10	( <sup>+</sup> )		E	J <sup>π</sup> : L(p,t)=(2) on 7/2 <sup>+</sup> target.
1446.9 <sup>a</sup> 3	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> )		A E G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband 270 $\gamma$ to (19/2 <sup>+</sup> ); Q intraband 522 $\gamma$ to (17/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
1458.4 <sup>e</sup> 10	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )		AB G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband 370 $\gamma$ to (17/2 <sup>-</sup> ); band assignment.
1464 <sup>@</sup> 10	1/2 <sup>+</sup>		H	J <sup>π</sup> : L( <sup>3</sup> He,d)=0.
1475 <sup>#</sup> 10	7/2 <sup>+</sup> &		E	
1496 <sup>@</sup> 10	1/2 <sup>-c</sup>		H	J <sup>π</sup> : L( <sup>3</sup> He,d)=1 and cross section fingerprint in ( $\alpha$ ,t), ( <sup>3</sup> He,d).
1503.4 <sup>cd</sup> 4	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (17/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (15/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
1524 <sup>@</sup> 10	7/2 <sup>-c</sup>		H	J <sup>π</sup> : L( <sup>3</sup> He,d)=3 and cross section fingerprint in ( $\alpha$ ,t), ( <sup>3</sup> He,d).
1527 <sup>#</sup> 10	7/2 <sup>+</sup> &		E	
1542.5 <sup>l</sup> 3	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (21/2 <sup>-</sup> ) 1253; band assignment.
1555 <sup>@</sup> 10	5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,7/2 <sup>-</sup>		H	J <sup>π</sup> : L( <sup>3</sup> He,d)=3.
1557.9 <sup>b</sup> 3	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband D+Q 276 $\gamma$ to (21/2 <sup>-</sup> ); Q intraband 538 $\gamma$ to (19/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
1561 <sup>#</sup> 5			E	
1576 <sup>#</sup> 10			E	
1591.0 <sup>g</sup> 4	(27/2 <sup>+</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband 274 $\gamma$ to (25/2 <sup>+</sup> ); band assignment.
1602.4 <sup>k</sup> 4	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband 274 $\gamma$ to (23/2 <sup>-</sup> ); band assignment.
1610 <sup>#</sup> 10			E	
1628.8 <sup>m</sup> 3	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> ,21/2 <sup>-</sup> )	$\leq$ 1 ns	A G	T <sub>1/2</sub> : based on lack of significant shift in time centroid for time-difference spectrum involving 304.7 $\gamma$ and 376.1 $\gamma$ in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=45 MeV. J <sup>π</sup> : D(+Q) 376 $\gamma$ to (21/2 <sup>-</sup> ) 1252; no $\gamma$ to (23/2 <sup>-</sup> ) disfavors 21/2 <sup>+</sup> and 19/2 <sup>-</sup> ; low population of band disfavors J=23/2 ( <a href="#">1997Ko13</a> ).

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E(level) <sup>†</sup>	J <sup>π</sup> <sup>‡</sup>	T <sub>1/2</sub>	XREF	Comments
1635 <sup>#</sup> 10			E	
1665 <sup>@</sup> 10			H	
1705 <sup>#</sup> 10			E	
1730.4 <sup>a</sup> 5	(23/2 <sup>+</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (21/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (19/2 <sup>+</sup> ). J <sup>π</sup> : 485 $\gamma$ to (21/2 <sup>-</sup> ) 1253.
1738.0 9	(19/2,21/2)		G	
1739 <sup>#</sup> 10	7/2 <sup>+</sup> &		E	
1765.7 <sup>cd</sup> 6	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (19/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (17/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
1778 <sup>#</sup> 10	(+)		E	J <sup>π</sup> : L(p,t)=(2) on 7/2 <sup>+</sup> target.
1813 <sup>#</sup> 10			E	
1833.1 <sup>m</sup> 7	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> ,23/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (19/2 <sup>+</sup> ,21/2 <sup>-</sup> ); band assignment.
1848.0 <sup>b</sup> 4	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (23/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (21/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
1848.6 <sup>l</sup> 4	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (23/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (21/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
1857 <sup>#</sup> 10	(+)		E	J <sup>π</sup> : L(p,t)=(2) on 7/2 <sup>+</sup> target.
1874 <sup>@</sup> 10			H	
1878 <sup>#</sup> 10	(+)		E	J <sup>π</sup> : L(p,t)=(2) on 7/2 <sup>+</sup> target.
1880.5 <sup>f</sup> 9	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (15/2 <sup>+</sup> ); band assignment.
1884.8 <sup>g</sup> 4	(29/2 <sup>+</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (27/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (25/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
1899.8 <sup>k</sup> 4	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (25/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (23/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
1905 <sup>#</sup> 10	(+)		E	J <sup>π</sup> : L(p,t)=(2) on 7/2 <sup>+</sup> target.
1925.2 <sup>e</sup> 12	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (21/2 <sup>-</sup> ); band assignment.
1938 <sup>@</sup> 10			H	
1958 <sup>#</sup> 10	7/2 <sup>+</sup> &		E	
1995 <sup>@</sup> 10			H	
2026.4 <sup>a</sup> 4	(25/2 <sup>+</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (23/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and Q 580 $\gamma$ to (21/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
2043.8 <sup>cd</sup> 7	(23/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (21/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and Q 540 $\gamma$ to (19/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
2058.8 <sup>m</sup> 7	(23/2 <sup>+</sup> ,25/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (21/2 <sup>+</sup> ,23/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (19/2 <sup>+</sup> ,21/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
2093 <sup>#</sup> 10	(+)		E	J <sup>π</sup> : L(p,t)=(2) on 7/2 <sup>+</sup> target.
2123 <sup>#</sup> 10			E	
2132 9			E H	E(level): weighted average of 2142 11 in ( <sup>3</sup> He,d) and 2123 10 in (p,t).
2145.2 <sup>b</sup> 4	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (25/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (23/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
2162.4 <sup>l</sup> 6	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (25/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (23/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
2198.3 <sup>g</sup> 4	(31/2 <sup>+</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (29/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (27/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
2212 <sup>#</sup> 10	(+)		E	J <sup>π</sup> : L(p,t)=(2) on 7/2 <sup>+</sup> target.
2219.3 <sup>k</sup> 4	(29/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (27/2 <sup>-</sup> ); Q intraband 617 $\gamma$ to (25/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
2272 <sup>@</sup> 10			H	
2305.1 <sup>m</sup> 9	(25/2 <sup>+</sup> ,27/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (23/2 <sup>+</sup> ,25/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (21/2 <sup>+</sup> ,23/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
2330.0 <sup>a</sup> 7	(27/2 <sup>+</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (25/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (23/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
2331.5 <sup>cd</sup> 8	(25/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (23/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (21/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
2450.3 <sup>b</sup> 6	(29/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (27/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (25/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
2477.7 <sup>e</sup> 13	(29/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (25/2 <sup>-</sup> ); band assignment.
2513.5 <sup>l</sup> 7	(29/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (27/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and intraband Q $\gamma$ to (25/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
2530.7 <sup>g</sup> 4	(33/2 <sup>+</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (31/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and intraband Q $\gamma$ to (29/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
2561.1 <sup>k</sup> 6	(31/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (29/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (27/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
2631.7 <sup>cd</sup> 9	(27/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (25/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (23/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
2639.5 <sup>h</sup> 5	(37/2 <sup>+</sup> )	54.1 ms 17	A G	%IT=100 XREF: A(2640.7). T <sub>1/2</sub> : weighted average of 52 ms 3 from ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV and 55

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**Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)** **$^{179}\text{Ta}$  Levels (continued)**

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	J <sup>‡</sup>	T <sub>1/2</sub>	XREF	Comments
2641.3 <sup>a</sup> 9	(29/2 <sup>+</sup> )		A G	ms 2 from ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=45 MeV. J <sup>π</sup> : E2 108.8 $\gamma$ to (33/2 <sup>+</sup> ). Five-quasiparticle configuration assumed in order to explain the high value of K at such low energy. The hindrance factor per degree of K-forbiddenness is 24 for 108.8 $\gamma$ compared with 33 for a similar transition in the core nucleus <sup>178</sup> Hf ( <a href="#">1982Ba21</a> ).
2654.1 9	(31/2)		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (27/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (25/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
2757.0 <sup>b</sup> 8	(31/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (29/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (27/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
2792.8 <sup>j</sup> 4	(33/2 <sup>-</sup> )	17 ns 3	A G	J <sup>π</sup> : M1 232 $\gamma$ to (31/2 <sup>-</sup> ) 2561; $\gamma$ to (29/2 <sup>-</sup> ); weak $\gamma$ to (33/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (31/2 <sup>+</sup> ); likely configurations in this energy region. T <sub>1/2</sub> : weighted average of 22 ns 5 from ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV and 15 ns 3 from ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=45 MeV.
2863.7 <sup>l</sup> 8	(31/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (29/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (27/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
2881.7 <sup>g</sup> 7	(35/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (33/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (31/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
2921.4? <sup>k</sup> 7	(33/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (31/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (29/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
2928.8 <sup>j</sup> 5	(35/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband M1+E2 136 $\gamma$ to (33/2 <sup>-</sup> ) 2793; band assignment.
2936.4 <sup>cd</sup> 10	(29/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (27/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (25/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
2955.3 <sup>a</sup> 11	(31/2 <sup>+</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (27/2 <sup>+</sup> ); band assignment.
3049.9 <sup>h</sup> 6	(39/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband D+Q 410 $\gamma$ to (37/2 <sup>+</sup> ) 2640; band assignment.
3071.7 <sup>b</sup> 10	(33/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (31/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (29/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
3101.0 <sup>e</sup> 16	(33/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (29/2 <sup>-</sup> ); band assignment.
3163.2 <sup>j</sup> 5	(37/2 <sup>-</sup> )		A G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband M1+E2 234 $\gamma$ to (35/2 <sup>-</sup> ) 2929; intraband 370 $\gamma$ to (33/2 <sup>-</sup> ) 2793.
3185.2 9	(35/2)		G	J <sup>π</sup> : ΔJ=1 392 $\gamma$ to (33/2 <sup>-</sup> ) 2793.
3227.4? <sup>l</sup> 9	(33/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : possible intraband $\gamma$ to (31/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (29/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
3251.0 <sup>g</sup> 7	(37/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (35/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (33/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
3252.1 <sup>cd</sup> 12	(31/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (27/2 <sup>+</sup> ); band assignment.
3266.8 <sup>a</sup> 12	(33/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (29/2 <sup>+</sup> ); band assignment.
3394.6? <sup>b</sup> 8	(35/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : possible intraband $\gamma$ to (33/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (31/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
3443.9 <sup>j</sup> 7	(39/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (37/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (35/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
3481.2 <sup>h</sup> 6	(41/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (39/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (37/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
3637.7 <sup>g</sup> 9	(39/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (37/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (35/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
3737.7? <sup>b</sup> 13	(37/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : possible intraband $\gamma$ to (33/2 <sup>-</sup> ); band assignment.
3758.2 <sup>j</sup> 8	(41/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (39/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (37/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
3780.2 <sup>e</sup> 18	(37/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (33/2 <sup>-</sup> ); band assignment.
3932.3 <sup>h</sup> 6	(43/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (41/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (39/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
4041.3 <sup>g</sup> 11	(41/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (39/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (37/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
4101.5 <sup>j</sup> 9	(43/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (41/2 <sup>-</sup> ) and to (39/2 <sup>-</sup> ).
4402.9 <sup>h</sup> 7	(45/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (43/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (41/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
4471.7 <sup>j</sup> 11	(45/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (41/2 <sup>-</sup> ); band assignment.
4508.8 <sup>e</sup> 20	(41/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (37/2 <sup>-</sup> ); band assignment.
4865.2 <sup>j</sup> 12	(47/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (43/2 <sup>-</sup> ); band assignment.
4891.9 <sup>h</sup> 7	(47/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : intraband $\gamma$ to (45/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (43/2 <sup>+</sup> ).
5269.3? <sup>e</sup> 21	(45/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	J <sup>π</sup> : possible intraband $\gamma$ to (41/2 <sup>-</sup> ); band assignment.
5391.8 <sup>i</sup> 8	(49/2 <sup>+</sup> )	53 ns +3-7	G	J <sup>π</sup> : $\gamma$ branching to 47/2 <sup>+</sup> and 45/2 <sup>+</sup> levels argues against J=47/2; J <sup>π</sup> =49/2 <sup>-</sup> very unlikely because 989 $\gamma$ would then have to be a ΔK=6, M2 transition, inconsistent with measured T <sub>1/2</sub> . T <sub>1/2</sub> : from fit to background-subtracted time spectra from ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=45

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**Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)** **$^{179}\text{Ta}$  Levels (continued)**

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	J <sup>‡</sup>	T <sub>1/2</sub>	XREF	Comments
5397.9 <sup>h</sup> 10	(49/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	MeV produced by gating on cascade transitions in $K^{\pi}=37/2^{+}$ band. Unexpectedly short T <sub>1/2</sub> attributed to mixing with nearby 49/2 <sup>+</sup> state.
5745.1 9	(51/2 <sup>-</sup> )		G	$J^{\pi}$ : intraband $\gamma$ to (47/2 <sup>+</sup> ) and to (45/2 <sup>+</sup> ). $J^{\pi}$ : possible seven-quasiparticle state with configuration ( $\pi$ 5/2[402])+( $\pi$ 7/2[404])+( $\nu$ 9/2[514])+( $\nu$ 7/2 [633])+( $\nu$ 7/2[514])+ ( $\nu$ 7/2[503])+( $\nu$ 9/2[624]) (2004Ko58).
5919.1 <sup>i</sup> 9	(51/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	$J^{\pi}$ : $\gamma$ to (49/2 <sup>+</sup> ) band head probably a $\Delta J=1$ transition based on E $\gamma$ .
5953.7 10	(53/2 <sup>+</sup> )		G	$J^{\pi}$ : possible seven-quasiparticle state with configuration ( $\pi$ 7/2[523])+( $\pi$ 7/2[404])+( $\nu$ 9/2[514])+( $\nu$ 7/2 [633])+( $\nu$ 7/2[514])+ ( $\nu$ 7/2[503])+( $\nu$ 9/2[624]) (2004Ko58); favored over a 53/2 <sup>-</sup> configuration predicted at comparable energy due to similarity between the former configuration and that of the state to which the 5953 level deexcites (no lifetime evident for 5953 level).
16807 11	(3/2) <sup>-</sup>	65 keV	F	E(level): from $^{178}\text{Hf}(p,p')$ IAR. $J^{\pi}$ : L=1 in $^{178}\text{Hf}(p,p')$ ; probable analog of the 3/2 <sup>-</sup> $^{179}\text{Hf}(421)$ level. $\Gamma_p/\Gamma=0.028$ from (p,p') IAR. T <sub>1/2</sub> : from (p,p') IAR.
17238	(7/2 <sup>-</sup> )		F	E(level): from $^{178}\text{Hf}(p,p')$ IAR. $J^{\pi}$ : Possible analog of the 7/2 <sup>-</sup> $^{179}\text{Hf}(849)$ level.

<sup>†</sup> From least-squares fit to adopted E $\gamma$ , except as noted.

<sup>‡</sup> For E>3000, assignments given without comment are based on band structure, on  $\gamma$ -ray multipolarities and decay patterns, and/or on collective-band systematics in neighboring isotopes. Values of [g<sub>K</sub>-g<sub>R</sub>] deduced from in-band branching ratios support many of the configuration assignments.

<sup>#</sup> From (p,t).  $\Delta E \leq 5$  keV for E $\leq 1000$  and  $\Delta E \leq 10$  keV for E $> 1000$  in (p,t); evaluator assigns  $\Delta E=5$  and 10 keV, respectively, to the levels in these energy ranges.

<sup>@</sup> From ( $^3\text{He},d$ ), ( $\alpha,t$ ); measured relative to E(238.6 level). Calibration uncertainties of  $\leq 1$  keV for E $\leq 1000$  and 10 keV for E $> 1000$  have been combined in quadrature with the statistical uncertainties (1 to 5 keV).

<sup>&</sup>  $J^{\pi}=K^{\pi}=7/2^{+}$ , from angular momentum conservation for L=0 (p,t) transfers on  $^{181}\text{Ta}(J^{\pi}=K^{\pi}=7/2^{+})$  target.

<sup>a</sup> Band(A): 7/2[404] band (1997Ko13). g.s. band. Rotational parameters: A=15.0, B=-11.4. [g<sub>K</sub>-g<sub>R</sub>]=0.48 3 (1997Ko13) for J $\leq 19/2$ , implying g<sub>K</sub> slightly larger than Nilsson-model value for  $\nu$  7/2[404] orbital; this is consistent with expectation of some mixing with the 5/2[402] orbital (1997Ko13).

<sup>b</sup> Band(B): 9/2[514] band (1997Ko13). Rotational parameters: A=13.8, B=-6.8. [g<sub>K</sub>-g<sub>R</sub>]=0.94 3 (1997Ko13) for J $\leq 21/2$ , implying g<sub>K</sub> close to Nilsson-model value for  $\nu$  9/2[514] orbital.

<sup>c</sup> Band(C): 1/2[530] band (2006Bu19). ( $\alpha,t$ ) and ( $^3\text{He},d$ ) cross sections for the J=1/2, 3/2 and 7/2 members match the expected fingerprint for the 1/2[530] configuration.

<sup>d</sup> Band(C): 5/2[402] band (1997Ko13). Rotational parameters: A=15.2, B=-15.4. [g<sub>K</sub>-g<sub>R</sub>]=1.34 4 (1997Ko13) for J $\leq 17/2$ , implying g<sub>K</sub> close to Nilsson-model value for  $\nu$  5/2[402] orbital.

<sup>e</sup> Band(D): 1/2[541]  $\alpha=+1/2$  band (1997Ko13). Rotational parameters: A=14.0, B=-7.2, a=+6.9, B<sub>2K</sub>=-97 from fit to 9/2 through 33/2 members (parameters sensitive to levels chosen). The transition connecting J=9/2 and 5/2 (lowest energy band member) has yet to be observed; from ( $\alpha,t$ ) level energy difference, its energy is 44.0 14. ( $\alpha,t$ ) and ( $^3\text{He},d$ ) cross sections for the J=1/2, 3/2, 5/2 and 9/2 members match the expected fingerprint for this configuration. The suggestion in 1969Ko18 that the 742 level (rather than the 628 level adopted here) could be the J=5/2 band member is not adopted.

<sup>f</sup> Band(E): 1/2[411] band (1997Ko13). Rotational parameters: A=16.2, B=-18, a=-0.86, B<sub>2K</sub>=+122.

<sup>g</sup> Band(F):  $K^{\pi}=(25/2^{+})$  3-quasiparticle band (1997Ko13). Possible configuration: (( $\pi$  9/2[514])+( $\nu$  7/2[514])+( $\nu$  9/2[624])). [g<sub>K</sub>-g<sub>R</sub>]=0.23 2 (1997Ko13).

<sup>h</sup> Band(G):  $K^{\pi}=(37/2^{+})$  5-quasiparticle band (1997Ko13). Possible configuration: (( $\pi$  5/2[402])+( $\pi$  7/2[404])+( $\pi$  9/2[514])+( $\nu$  7/2[514])+( $\nu$  9/2[624])). [g<sub>K</sub>-g<sub>R</sub>]=0.39 4 (1997Ko13).

<sup>i</sup> Band(H):  $K^{\pi}=(49/2^{+})$  7-quasiparticle band (2004Ko58). Probable configuration: ( $\pi$  5/2[402])+( $\pi$  7/2[404])+( $\pi$  9/2[514])+( $\nu$  5/2 [512])+( $\nu$  7/2[514])+( $\nu$  7/2[503])+( $\nu$  9/2[624]).

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**Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)**

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 **$^{179}\text{Ta}$  Levels (continued)**

<sup>j</sup> Band(I):  $K^\pi=(33/2^-)$  5-quasiparticle band ([1997Ko13](#)). Possible configuration:  $((\pi \ 7/2[404]) + (\pi \ 1/2[541]) + (\pi \ 9/2[514]) + (\nu \ 7/2[514]) + (\nu \ 9/2[624]))$ .  $[g_K-g_R]=0.006$  2 ([1997Ko13](#)) for  $\delta>0$ .

<sup>k</sup> Band(J):  $K^\pi=(23/2^-)$  3-quasiparticle band ([1997Ko13](#)). Possible configuration:  $((\pi \ 7/2[404]) + (\nu \ 7/2[514]) + (\nu \ 9/2[624]))$ .  $[g_K-g_R]=0.09$  3 ([1997Ko13](#)) for  $\delta>0$ .

<sup>l</sup> Band(K):  $K^\pi=(21/2)^-$  3-quasiparticle band ([1997Ko13](#)). Possible configuration:  $((\pi \ 5/2[402]) + (\pi \ 7/2[404]) + (\pi \ 9/2[514]))$ . Assignment supported by small alignment, bandhead energy and deduced  $[g_K-g_R]=0.36$  1 ([1997Ko13](#)).

<sup>m</sup> Band(L): 3-quasiparticle band ([1997Ko13](#)). Possible configurations are:  $K^\pi=19/2^+$ ,  $((\pi \ 9/2[514]) + (\nu \ 1/2[521]) + (\nu \ 9/2[624]))$ ;  $K^\pi=21/2^-$ ,  $((\pi \ 5/2[402]) + (\nu \ 1/2[521]) + (\nu \ 9/2[624]))$ . Similar  $g_K$  values are predicted for both configurations and each includes a single  $i_{13/2}$  quasineutron, consistent with observed alignment of 2  $\hbar$ .  $[g_K-g_R]=0.30$  7 ([1997Ko13](#)) if  $K=19/2$ .

## Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)

 $\gamma(^{179}\text{Ta})$ 

E <sub>i</sub> (level)	J <sub>i</sub> <sup>π</sup>	E <sub>γ</sub> <sup>†</sup>	I <sub>γ</sub> <sup>‡</sup>	E <sub>f</sub>	J <sub>f</sub> <sup>π</sup>	Mult. <sup>#</sup>	$\alpha^f$	Comments
8	30.7	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	30.7 1	100	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	E1	4.6 9
	133.79	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )	133.79 12	100	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	[M1(+E2)]	1.6 4
	180.79	(11/2 <sup>-</sup> )	150.13 11	100	30.7	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	(M1(+E2))	1.1 3
	238.56	5/2 <sup>+</sup>	238.56 <sup>b</sup> 9	100	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	0.27 11
	294.65	(11/2 <sup>+</sup> )	160.88 <sup>b</sup> 17	100 17	133.79 (9/2 <sup>+</sup> )	(M1(+E2))	0.88 25	Mult.: D+(Q) from $\gamma(\theta)$ in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV for intraband $\gamma$ . Other I <sub>γ</sub> : 33 10 in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV, 50 15 in (d,2n $\gamma$ ), 60 18 in (p,2n $\gamma$ ) relative to I(161 $\gamma$ )=100 30.
	343.95	(7/2 <sup>+</sup> )	105.39 <sup>b</sup> 9	100	238.56 5/2 <sup>+</sup>	(M1+E2)	3.4 4	
	356.19	(13/2 <sup>-</sup> )	175.44 12	100	180.79 (11/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(M1(+E2))	0.67 21	E <sub>γ</sub> : weighted average from (d,2n $\gamma$ ) and ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=45 MeV. Other I(175 $\gamma$ ):I(326 $\gamma$ )=100 30:7.9 24 from (d,2n $\gamma$ ).
	477.18	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )	133.17 <sup>b</sup> 21	100	343.95 (7/2 <sup>+</sup> )	[M1(+E2)]	1.6 4	
	481.27	(13/2 <sup>+</sup> )	186.63 <sup>b</sup> 16	69 11	294.65 (11/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
			347.46 <sup>b</sup> 15	100	133.79 (9/2 <sup>+</sup> )	(E2)	0.0534	
	520.23	(1/2) <sup>+</sup>	281.69 <sup>b</sup> 16	100	238.56 5/2 <sup>+</sup>	(E2)&	0.0992	B(E2)(W.u.)=0.017 5
	527.51	(3/2) <sup>+</sup>	(7.28 22)		520.23 (1/2) <sup>+</sup>			E <sub>γ</sub> : from level energy difference; transition not observed. I( $\gamma$ +ce)(7.3):I( $\gamma$ +ce)(289)=63 31:15 3 from <sup>179</sup> W $\varepsilon$ decay (6.40 min).
	555.58	(15/2 <sup>-</sup> )	289.01 <sup>b</sup> 16	100 20	238.56 5/2 <sup>+</sup>	[M1,E2]	0.16 7	Mult.: from $\gamma(\theta)$ in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV for intraband $\gamma$ .
	627.98	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	199.36 <sup>b</sup> 13	100	356.19 (13/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(M1+E2)	0.46 16	
			374.79 <sup>b</sup> 15	24 2	180.79 (11/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(E2)	0.0431	
			100.50 <sup>b</sup> 9	100 16	527.51 (3/2) <sup>+</sup>	E1	0.362	B(E1)(W.u.)=1.02×10 <sup>-6</sup> 22
			283.99 <sup>b</sup> 21	48 8	343.95 (7/2 <sup>+</sup> )	(E1)	0.0253	Mult.: from ce data in <sup>179</sup> W $\varepsilon$ decay (37.05 min). B(E1)(W.u.)=2.2×10 <sup>-8</sup> 5
			389.32 <sup>b</sup> 21	72 12	238.56 5/2 <sup>+</sup>	[E1]	0.01195	Mult.: D+Q from $\gamma(\theta)$ in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV; Δπ=yes from level scheme. Other I <sub>γ</sub> : 77 23 in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV, 41 12 in (d,2n $\gamma$ ), 61 18 in (p,2n $\gamma$ ) relative to I(101 $\gamma$ )=100 30. B(E1)(W.u.)=1.3×10 <sup>-8</sup> 3

## Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)

 $\gamma(^{179}\text{Ta})$  (continued)

E <sub>i</sub> (level)	J <sup>π</sup> <sub>i</sub>	E <sub>γ</sub> <sup>†</sup>	I <sub>γ</sub> <sup>‡</sup>	E <sub>f</sub>	J <sup>π</sup> <sub>f</sub>	Mult. <sup>#</sup>	$\alpha^f$	Comments
636.69	(11/2 <sup>+</sup> )	159.48 <sup>b</sup> 16	100	477.18 (9/2 <sup>+</sup> )				Other I <sub>γ</sub> : 100 30 in (d,2nγ) and (p,nγ); 112 34 in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=38 MeV relative to I(101γ)=100 30.
		292.9 <sup>d</sup> 3	50 9	343.95 (7/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
673	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	(44.0 14)		627.98 5/2 <sup>-</sup>	[E2]	143 25		E <sub>γ</sub> : from level energy difference in ( $\alpha$ ,t); $\gamma$ unobserved. E <sub>γ</sub> consistent with an estimate of E=45 10, based on transition energy systematics (28 keV in <sup>181</sup> Ta, 60 keV in <sup>177</sup> Ta, 72 keV in <sup>175</sup> Ta, 83 keV in <sup>173</sup> Ta). $\gamma$ will Be very highly converted and may Be obscured by strong Ta K $\alpha$ x ray at 57 keV.
673.01	(5/2 <sup>+</sup> )	145.66 <sup>a</sup> 26	100 30	527.51 (3/2) <sup>+</sup>				I <sub>γ</sub> : from (d,2nγ).
		152.8 <sup>d</sup> 3	34 10	520.23 (1/2) <sup>+</sup>				I <sub>γ</sub> : from (d,2nγ).
691.85	15/2 <sup>+</sup>	210.68 <sup>b</sup> 21	54 6	481.27 (13/2 <sup>+</sup> )				Other I <sub>γ</sub> : 36 11 in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=38 MeV, 39 12 in (p,nγ).
		397.21 <sup>b</sup> 16	100	294.65 (11/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
695.98	(7/2 <sup>+</sup> )	168.40 <sup>b</sup> 16	100	527.51 (3/2) <sup>+</sup>				
741.4	1/2,3/2	213.9 5	100	527.51 (3/2) <sup>+</sup>	[D,E2]	0.28 24		E <sub>γ</sub> ,I <sub>γ</sub> : from <sup>179</sup> W ε decay (6.40 min).
750.2	(1/2,3/2)	222.5 5	100 31	527.51 (3/2) <sup>+</sup>	[D,E2]	0.25 21		E <sub>γ</sub> ,I <sub>γ</sub> : from <sup>179</sup> W ε decay (6.40 min).
		230.1 5	35 19	520.23 (1/2) <sup>+</sup>	[D,E2]	0.23 19		E <sub>γ</sub> ,I <sub>γ</sub> : from <sup>179</sup> W ε decay (6.40 min).
777.69	(17/2 <sup>-</sup> )	222.03 <sup>b</sup> 15	100	555.58 (15/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(M1+E2) <sup>@</sup>	0.33 13		Other I(422γ):I(222γ)=31 6:100 17, weighted average from ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=38 MeV, (d,2nγ) and (p,2nγ).
		421.54 <sup>b</sup> 15	50 3	356.19 (13/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
820.95	(13/2 <sup>+</sup> )	184.2 <sup>d</sup> 2	100	636.69 (11/2 <sup>+</sup> )				Other I(344γ):I(184γ)=28 8:100 30 in (d,2nγ).
		343.73 <sup>b</sup> 21	52 4	477.18 (9/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
825.1	(13/2 <sup>-</sup> )	153.15 15	100	673 9/2 <sup>-</sup>	(E2)	0.749		E <sub>γ</sub> : weighted average from (d,2nγ) and ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=45 MeV.
								Mult.: $\gamma(\theta)$ in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=38 MeV consistent with Q for doublet dominated by this intraband transition.
924.64	(17/2 <sup>+</sup> )	232.6 8	29 7	691.85 15/2 <sup>+</sup>				
		443.31 <sup>b</sup> 16	100	481.27 (13/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
937.9	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )	241.7 <sup>d</sup> 3	100 30	695.98 (7/2 <sup>+</sup> )				I <sub>γ</sub> : from (d,2nγ).
		265.2 <sup>d</sup> 3	26 8	673.01 (5/2 <sup>+</sup> )				I <sub>γ</sub> : from (d,2nγ).
987.6	(11/2 <sup>+</sup> )	291.58 <sup>b</sup> 21	100	695.98 (7/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
1020.19	(19/2 <sup>-</sup> )	242.40 <sup>b</sup> 15	100	777.69 (17/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(M1+E2)	0.26 11		
		464.66 <sup>b</sup> 15	52 2	555.58 (15/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(E2)	0.0243		
1028.6	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> )	207.55 <sup>b</sup> 21	100	820.95 (13/2 <sup>+</sup> )	(M1+E2)	0.41 15		Mult.: from $\gamma(\theta)$ in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=38 MeV.
		391.98 <sup>b</sup> 21	61 10	636.69 (11/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
1088.8	(17/2 <sup>-</sup> )	263.70 <sup>b</sup> 15	100	825.1 (13/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
1177.06	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> )	252.38 <sup>b</sup> 21	20 4	924.64 (17/2 <sup>+</sup> )				Other I(252γ):I(485γ)=44 9:100 21, average from (d,2nγ) and (p,2nγ).

## Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)

 $\gamma^{(179\text{Ta})}$  (continued)

E <sub>i</sub> (level)	J <sub>i</sub> <sup>π</sup>	E <sub>γ</sub> <sup>†</sup>	I <sub>γ</sub> <sup>‡</sup>	E <sub>f</sub>	J <sub>f</sub> <sup>π</sup>	Mult. <sup>#</sup>	δ	α <sup>f</sup>	Comments
1177.06	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> )	485.33 <sup>b</sup> 21	100	691.85	15/2 <sup>+</sup>	(E2)		0.0217	
1252.60	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )	232.4 2	100 8	1020.19	(19/2 <sup>-</sup> )	M1(+E2) <sup>@</sup>		0.29 12	B(M1)(W.u.)=2.5×10 <sup>-6</sup> 5; B(E2)(W.u.)<0.024
		474.92 18	83 8	777.69	(17/2 <sup>-</sup> )	[E2]		0.0229	Mult.: from α(exp) in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=38 MeV.
									B(E2)(W.u.)=0.00047 7
									E <sub>γ</sub> : weighted average from (d,2nγ) and
									( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=45 MeV.
									Other I(475γ):I(232γ)=100 30:83 25 in
									(d,2nγ).
1256.1	(17/2 <sup>+</sup> )	227.6 <sup>d</sup> 3	100	1028.6	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> )	(M1+E2)		0.31 12	
		435.11 <sup>b</sup> 21	82 13	820.95	(13/2 <sup>+</sup> )	(E2)		0.0288	Other I(435γ):I(228γ)=48 14:100 30 in
									(d,2nγ).
1281.8	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )	261.3 <sup>d</sup> 3	100	1020.19	(19/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(M1+E2)		0.21 9	
		504.3 <sup>e</sup> 3	70 10	777.69	(17/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(E2)		0.0197	
1317.2	(25/2 <sup>+</sup> )	64.7 <sup>e</sup> 3	100	1252.60	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )	M2 <sup>@</sup>		76.0 19	B(M2)(W.u.)=0.00124 5
1328.0	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )	75.3 <sup>e</sup> 3	100	1252.60	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )	M1(+E2)	0.33 +19-33	10.0 3	B(M1)(W.u.)=2.6×10 <sup>-6</sup> 8; B(E2)(W.u.)<0.046
									Mult.: from α(L)exp in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ). Other mult:
									not E1 from α(exp) in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=45 MeV.
									δ: from ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=38 MeV.
1389.0	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> )	401.46 <sup>b</sup> 21	100	987.6	(11/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
1446.9	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> )	270.0 <sup>e</sup> 3	32 7	1177.06	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
		522.1 <sup>e</sup> 3	100	924.64	(17/2 <sup>+</sup> )	(E2)		0.0181	
1458.4	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )	369.51 <sup>b</sup> 20	100	1088.8	(17/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(E2) <sup>@</sup>		0.0449	
1503.4	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> )	247.2 <sup>e</sup> 3	90 16	1256.1	(17/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
		475.0 <sup>c</sup> 3	100	1028.6	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
1542.5	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )	289.9 2	100	1252.60	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
1557.9	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )	276.1 <sup>e</sup> 3	100	1281.8	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(M1+E2) <sup>@</sup>		0.18 8	
		537.8 <sup>e</sup> 3	73 11	1020.19	(19/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(E2)		0.01683	
1591.0	(27/2 <sup>+</sup> )	273.8 2	100	1317.2	(25/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
1602.4	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )	274.35 <sup>c</sup> 17	100	1328.0	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
1628.8	(19/2 <sup>+,21/2<sup>-</sup>)</sup>	376.22 <sup>c</sup> 18	100	1252.60	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )	D(+Q)			
1730.4	(23/2 <sup>+</sup> )	283.2 8	91 25	1446.9	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
		553.2 8	100	1177.06	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
1738.0	(19/2,21/2 <sup>-</sup> )	485.4 8	100	1252.60	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
1765.7	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> )	262.5 8	67 18	1503.4	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
		509.3 8	100	1256.1	(17/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
1833.1	(21/2 <sup>+,23/2<sup>-</sup>)</sup>	204.7 8	100	1628.8	(19/2 <sup>+,21/2<sup>-</sup>)</sup>				
1848.0	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )	289.8 8	100	1557.9	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
		566.2 <sup>e</sup> 3	70 16	1281.8	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )				

## Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)

 $\gamma(^{179}\text{Ta})$  (continued)

E <sub>i</sub> (level)	J <sup>π</sup> <sub>i</sub>	E <sub>γ</sub> <sup>†</sup>	I <sub>γ</sub> <sup>‡</sup>	E <sub>f</sub>	J <sup>π</sup> <sub>f</sub>	Mult. <sup>#</sup>	α <sup>f</sup>	Comments
1848.6	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )	306.2 2	100	1542.5	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
		595.9 8	20 6	1252.60	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
1880.5	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> )	491.5 8	100	1389.0	(15/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
1884.8	(29/2 <sup>+</sup> )	293.73 <sup>c</sup> 17	100	1591.0	(27/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
		567.52 <sup>c</sup> 18	32 5	1317.2	(25/2 <sup>+</sup> )			Other I(568γ):I(294γ)=63 19:100 30 in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=38 MeV.
1899.8	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )	297.1 8	93 18	1602.4	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
		572.0 <sup>c</sup> 3	100	1328.0	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(E2)	0.01451	
1925.2	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )	466.8 <sup>e</sup> 3	100	1458.4	(21/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
2026.4	(25/2 <sup>+</sup> )	295.9 8	31 6	1730.4	(23/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
		579.6 <sup>c</sup> 3	100 13	1446.9	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> )	(E2)	0.01406	
2043.8	(23/2 <sup>+</sup> )	278.0 8	67 13	1765.7	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
		540.4 8	100	1503.4	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> )	(E2)	0.01664	
2058.8	(23/2 <sup>+</sup> ,25/2 <sup>-</sup> )	225.9 8	100	1833.1	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> ,23/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
		429.6 8	13 8	1628.8	(19/2 <sup>+</sup> ,21/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
2145.2	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )	296.9 8	100	1848.0	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
		587.4 <sup>c</sup> 3	84 18	1557.9	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
2162.4	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )	314.0 8	100	1848.6	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
		619.9 8	65 14	1542.5	(23/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
2198.3	(31/2 <sup>+</sup> )	313.5 2	100 10	1884.8	(29/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
		607.6 3	70 6	1591.0	(27/2 <sup>+</sup> )			E <sub>γ</sub> : from ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=38 MeV.
2219.3	(29/2 <sup>-</sup> )	319.7 <sup>e</sup> 3	53 8	1899.8	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )			Other I <sub>γ</sub> : 37 6 from ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=45 MeV.
		616.8 2	100	1602.4	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(E2)	0.01215	Other E <sub>γ</sub> : 617.6 3 in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=38 MeV.
2305.1	(25/2 <sup>+</sup> ,27/2 <sup>-</sup> )	246.1 8	100	2058.8	(23/2 <sup>+</sup> ,25/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
		472.2 8	65 28	1833.1	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> ,23/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
2330.0	(27/2 <sup>+</sup> )	303.9 8	17 6	2026.4	(25/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
		599.2 8	100	1730.4	(23/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
2331.5	(25/2 <sup>+</sup> )	287.5 8	70 10	2043.8	(23/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
		565.9 8	100 20	1765.7	(21/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
2450.3	(29/2 <sup>-</sup> )	305.3 8	71 20	2145.2	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
		602.1 8	100	1848.0	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
2477.7	(29/2 <sup>-</sup> )	552.5 8	100	1925.2	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
2513.5	(29/2 <sup>-</sup> )	350.8 8	100	2162.4	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
		664.6 8	65 21	1848.6	(25/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(E2)	0.01024	
2530.7	(33/2 <sup>+</sup> )	332.53 <sup>c</sup> 17	98 24	2198.3	(31/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
		645.8 <sup>c</sup> 3	100	1884.8	(29/2 <sup>+</sup> )	(E2)	0.01093	
2561.1	(31/2 <sup>-</sup> )	342.1 8	57 14	2219.3	(29/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
		661.2 8	100 21	1899.8	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
2631.7	(27/2 <sup>+</sup> )	300.0 8	63 23	2331.5	(25/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
		588.1 8	100	2043.8	(23/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
2639.5	(37/2 <sup>+</sup> )	108.8 3	100	2530.7	(33/2 <sup>+</sup> )	E2	2.67 5	B(E2)(W.u.)=3.12×10 <sup>-6</sup> 12 Mult.: from α(exp) in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=38 MeV.

## Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)

 $\gamma(^{179}\text{Ta})$  (continued)

E <sub>i</sub> (level)	J <sub>i</sub> <sup>π</sup>	E <sub>γ</sub> <sup>†</sup>	I <sub>γ</sub> <sup>‡</sup>	E <sub>f</sub>	J <sub>f</sub> <sup>π</sup>	Mult. <sup>#</sup>	α <sup>f</sup>	Comments
2641.3	(29/2 <sup>+</sup> )	311.5 <sup>g</sup> 8	≤10	2330.0	(27/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
		614.9 8	100 20	2026.4	(25/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
2654.1	(31/2)	769.3 8	100	1884.8	(29/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
2757.0	(31/2 <sup>-</sup> )	306.7 8	88 13	2450.3	(29/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
		611.7 8	100 25	2145.2	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
2792.8	(33/2 <sup>-</sup> )	232.0 8	18 5	2561.1	(31/2 <sup>-</sup> )	M1	0.407 7	B(M1)(W.u.)=1.5×10 <sup>-5</sup> 5 B(M1)(W.u.) given here assumes negligible branching for 262γ, 595γ. Mult.: from α(exp) in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=45 MeV. Absent in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=45 MeV. B(E2)(W.u.)=0.0071 16
		262.2 <sup>e</sup> 3		2530.7	(33/2 <sup>+</sup> )			B(E2)(W.u.) given here assumes negligible branching for 262γ, 595γ. Absent in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=45 MeV.
		573.45 <sup>c</sup> 23	100 9	2219.3	(29/2 <sup>-</sup> )	[E2]	0.01442	
		595 <sup>eg</sup>		2198.3	(31/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
2863.7	(31/2) <sup>-</sup>	349.3 8	100 30	2513.5	(29/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
		701.9 8	60 20	2162.4	(27/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
2881.7	(35/2 <sup>+</sup> )	351.3 8	67 22	2530.7	(33/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
		683.5 8	100 22	2198.3	(31/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
2921.4?	(33/2 <sup>-</sup> )	360.5 <sup>g</sup> 8	100 25	2561.1	(31/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
		702.0 <sup>g</sup> 8	≤25	2219.3	(29/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
2928.8	(35/2 <sup>-</sup> )	135.9 <sup>e</sup> 3	100	2792.8	(33/2 <sup>-</sup> )	M1+E2	1.5 4	Mult.: M1(+E2) from α(exp), D+Q from γ(θ) in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=45 MeV.
2936.4	(29/2 <sup>+</sup> )	304.7 8	36 13	2631.7	(27/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
		604.9 8	100	2331.5	(25/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
2955.3	(31/2 <sup>+</sup> )	625.3 8	100	2330.0	(27/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
3049.9	(39/2 <sup>+</sup> )	410.4 2	100	2639.5	(37/2 <sup>+</sup> )	(M1+E2)	0.06 3	
3071.7	(33/2 <sup>-</sup> )	314.3 8	100 14	2757.0	(31/2 <sup>-</sup> )			In ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=38 MeV, this transition was placed from the 31/2 member of the 9/2[514] band because the 307γ from that level was not resolved from the 305γ immediately below it in the band's ΔJ=1 γ cascade.
		622.2 <sup>g</sup> 8	43 29	2450.3	(29/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
3101.0	(33/2 <sup>-</sup> )	623.3 8	100	2477.7	(29/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
3163.2	(37/2 <sup>-</sup> )	234.35 <sup>c</sup> 17	100	2928.8	(35/2 <sup>-</sup> )	M1+E2	0.29 11	Mult.: from α(exp) and γ(θ) in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=45 MeV.
		370.4 <sup>c</sup> 3	24 8	2792.8	(33/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
3185.2	(35/2)	392.4 8	100	2792.8	(33/2 <sup>-</sup> )			ΔJ=1 transition from authors' interpretation of γ(θ) in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4nγ) E=45 MeV.
3227.4?	(33/2 <sup>-</sup> )	363.6 <sup>g</sup> 8	≤100	2863.7	(31/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
		714.0 <sup>g</sup> 8	≤25	2513.5	(29/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
3251.0	(37/2 <sup>+</sup> )	369.5 8	83 33	2881.7	(35/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
		720.0 8	100 33	2530.7	(33/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
3252.1	(31/2 <sup>+</sup> )	620.4 8	100	2631.7	(27/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
3266.8	(33/2 <sup>+</sup> )	625.5 8	100	2641.3	(29/2 <sup>+</sup> )			
3394.6?	(35/2 <sup>-</sup> )	322.5 <sup>g</sup> 8	≤25	3071.7	(33/2 <sup>-</sup> )			
		637.7 <sup>cg</sup> 3	100 50	2757.0	(31/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(E2)	0.01125	E <sub>γ</sub> : presumed to Be the same transition as the E <sub>γ</sub> =639.0 3 line reported in

## Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)

 $\gamma^{(179)\text{Ta}}$  (continued)

E <sub>i</sub> (level)	J <sub>i</sub> <sup>π</sup>	E <sub>γ</sub> <sup>†</sup>	I <sub>γ</sub> <sup>‡</sup>	E <sub>f</sub>	J <sub>f</sub> <sup>π</sup>	Mult. <sup>#</sup>	$\alpha^f$	Comments
3443.9	(39/2 <sup>-</sup> )	280.9 8	88 19	3163.2 (37/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
		515.1 8	100	2928.8 (35/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(E2)	0.0187		( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV, but placed feeding the 29/2 (rather than the 31/2) member of the 9/2[514] band.
3481.2	(41/2 <sup>+</sup> )	431.2 2	100	3049.9 (39/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
		841.6 5	17 6	2639.5 (37/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
3637.7	(39/2 <sup>+</sup> )	386.6 8	60 20	3251.0 (37/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
		756.1 8	100 40	2881.7 (35/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
3737.7?	(37/2 <sup>-</sup> )	666.0 <sup>g</sup> 8	100	3071.7 (33/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
3758.2	(41/2 <sup>-</sup> )	314.6 8	59 21	3443.9 (39/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
		594.9 8	100	3163.2 (37/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
3780.2	(37/2 <sup>-</sup> )	679.2 8	100	3101.0 (33/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
3932.3	(43/2 <sup>+</sup> )	451.1 2	100	3481.2 (41/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
		882.9 5	17 6	3049.9 (39/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
4041.3	(41/2 <sup>+</sup> )	403.7 <sup>g</sup> 8	≤33	3637.7 (39/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
		790.3 8	100 33	3251.0 (37/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
4101.5	(43/2 <sup>-</sup> )	343.4 8	100 20	3758.2 (41/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
		657.5 8	90 20	3443.9 (39/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(E2)	0.01049		
4402.9	(45/2 <sup>+</sup> )	470.6 5	100	3932.3 (43/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
		921.5 5	25 7	3481.2 (41/2 <sup>+</sup> )				I <sub>γ</sub> : from 1997Ko13 in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=45 MeV.
4471.7	(45/2 <sup>-</sup> )	713.5 8	100	3758.2 (41/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
4508.8	(41/2 <sup>-</sup> )	728.6 8	100	3780.2 (37/2 <sup>-</sup> )				E <sub>γ</sub> : 728.6 3 in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV for line which was partly associated with the 1/2[541] band; see comment on 2610+x level in that dataset.
4865.2	(47/2 <sup>-</sup> )	763.7 8	100	4101.5 (43/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
4891.9	(47/2 <sup>+</sup> )	488.9 5	100	4402.9 (45/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
		959.8 5	37 10	3932.3 (43/2 <sup>+</sup> )				I <sub>γ</sub> : from 1997Ko13 in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=45 MeV.
5269.3?	(45/2 <sup>-</sup> )	760.5 <sup>g</sup> 8	100	4508.8 (41/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
5391.8	(49/2 <sup>+</sup> )	500.0 5	100	4891.9 (47/2 <sup>+</sup> )	[M1]	0.0521	B(M1)(W.u.)=2.225×10 <sup>-6</sup> +300-14	
		988.8 5	44 4	4402.9 (45/2 <sup>+</sup> )	[E2]	0.00439 7	B(E2)(W.u.)=5.6×10 <sup>-5</sup> +9-7	
5397.9?	(49/2 <sup>+</sup> )	506 <sup>g</sup> 1		4891.9 (47/2 <sup>+</sup> )				I <sub>γ</sub> : from 2004Ko58 in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=45 MeV.
		995 <sup>g</sup> 1		4402.9 (45/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
5745.1	(51/2 <sup>-</sup> )	353.3 5	100	5391.8 (49/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
5919.1	(51/2 <sup>+</sup> )	527.3 5	100	5391.8 (49/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
5953.7	(53/2 <sup>+</sup> )	208.6 5	100	5745.1 (51/2 <sup>-</sup> )	(E1)	0.0546 9	Mult.: from intensity balance in ( <sup>7</sup> Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=45 MeV if order of 353.3 $\gamma$ and 208.6 $\gamma$ shown here is correct.	

<sup>†</sup> From <sup>176</sup>Yb(<sup>7</sup>Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=45 MeV, except as noted.  $\Delta E_{\gamma}$  is 0.1-0.2 keV for strong, well-resolved transitions, and  $\leq 0.8$  keV for all others; the evaluator assigns  $\Delta E=0.2$  or 0.8 keV to these data as indicated in the <sup>176</sup>Yb(<sup>7</sup>Li,4n $\gamma$ ) E=45 MeV dataset.

**Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)** $\gamma(^{179}\text{Ta})$  (continued)

<sup>‡</sup> Photon branching from ( $^7\text{Li},4n\gamma$ ) E=45 MeV, except as noted. Most data from ( $^7\text{Li},4n\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV and from (d,2n $\gamma$ ) and (p,2n $\gamma$ ) are consistent with adopted branching within the 30% uncertainty assigned to these data ( $\Delta I\gamma=8\%-30\%$  for  $I\gamma$  from ( $^7\text{Li},4n\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV and 5%–30% for  $I\gamma$  from (d,2n $\gamma$ ) and (p,n $\gamma$ )); major exceptions are noted.

<sup>#</sup>  $\Delta J$  is from  $\gamma(\theta)$  in  $^{176}\text{Yb} (^7\text{Li},4n\gamma)$  E=45 MeV, except as noted; additionally,  $\Delta\pi=(\text{no})$  is assigned for intraband transitions.

<sup>@</sup> From  $^{176}\text{Yb} (^7\text{Li},4n\gamma)$  E=38 MeV, assigning  $\Delta\pi=(\text{no})$  for intraband transitions.

<sup>&</sup> From ce data in  $^{179}\text{W}$   $\epsilon$  decay (6.40 min).

<sup>a</sup> Weighted average from (d,2n $\gamma$ ) and ( $^7\text{Li},4n\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV.

<sup>b</sup> Weighted average from (d,2n $\gamma$ ), ( $^7\text{Li},4n\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV and ( $^7\text{Li},4n\gamma$ ) E=45 MeV.

<sup>c</sup> Weighted average from ( $^7\text{Li},4n\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV and ( $^7\text{Li},4n\gamma$ ) E=45 MeV.

<sup>d</sup> From (d,2n $\gamma$ ).  $\Delta E_\gamma=0.1$  to 0.3 for these data; the evaluator assigns  $\Delta E$  as indicated in the (d,2n $\gamma$ ) dataset.

<sup>e</sup> From ( $^7\text{Li},4n\gamma$ ) E=38 MeV.  $\Delta E_\gamma=0.1$  to 0.3 for these data; the evaluator assigns  $\Delta(E\gamma)=0.3$  keV to all data.

<sup>f</sup> Total theoretical internal conversion coefficients, calculated using the BrIcc code ([2008Ki07](#)) with Frozen orbital approximation based on  $\gamma$ -ray energies, assigned multipolarities, and mixing ratios, unless otherwise specified.

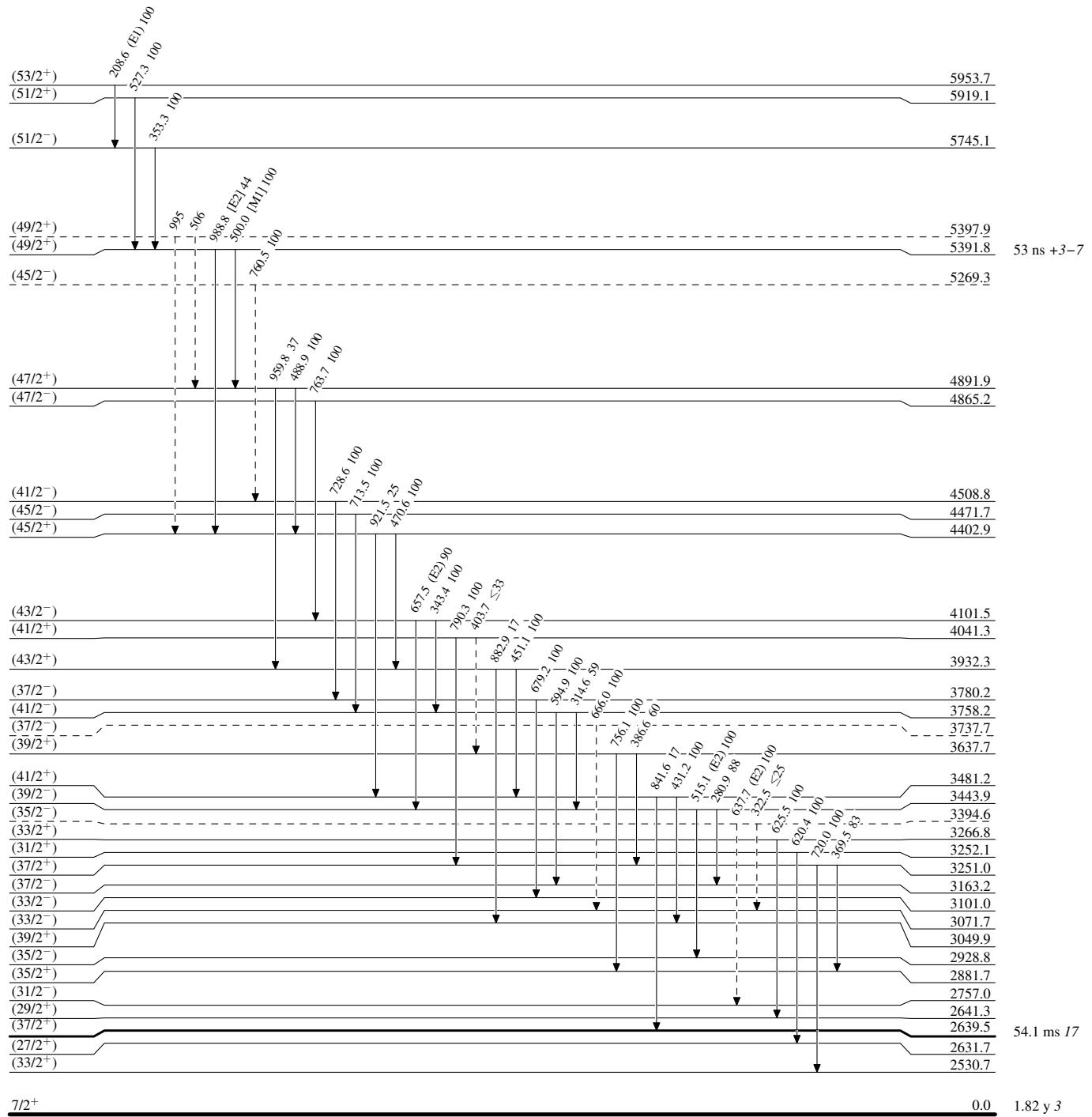
<sup>g</sup> Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

Adopted Levels, Gammas

Legend

Level Scheme

Intensities: Relative photon branching from each level

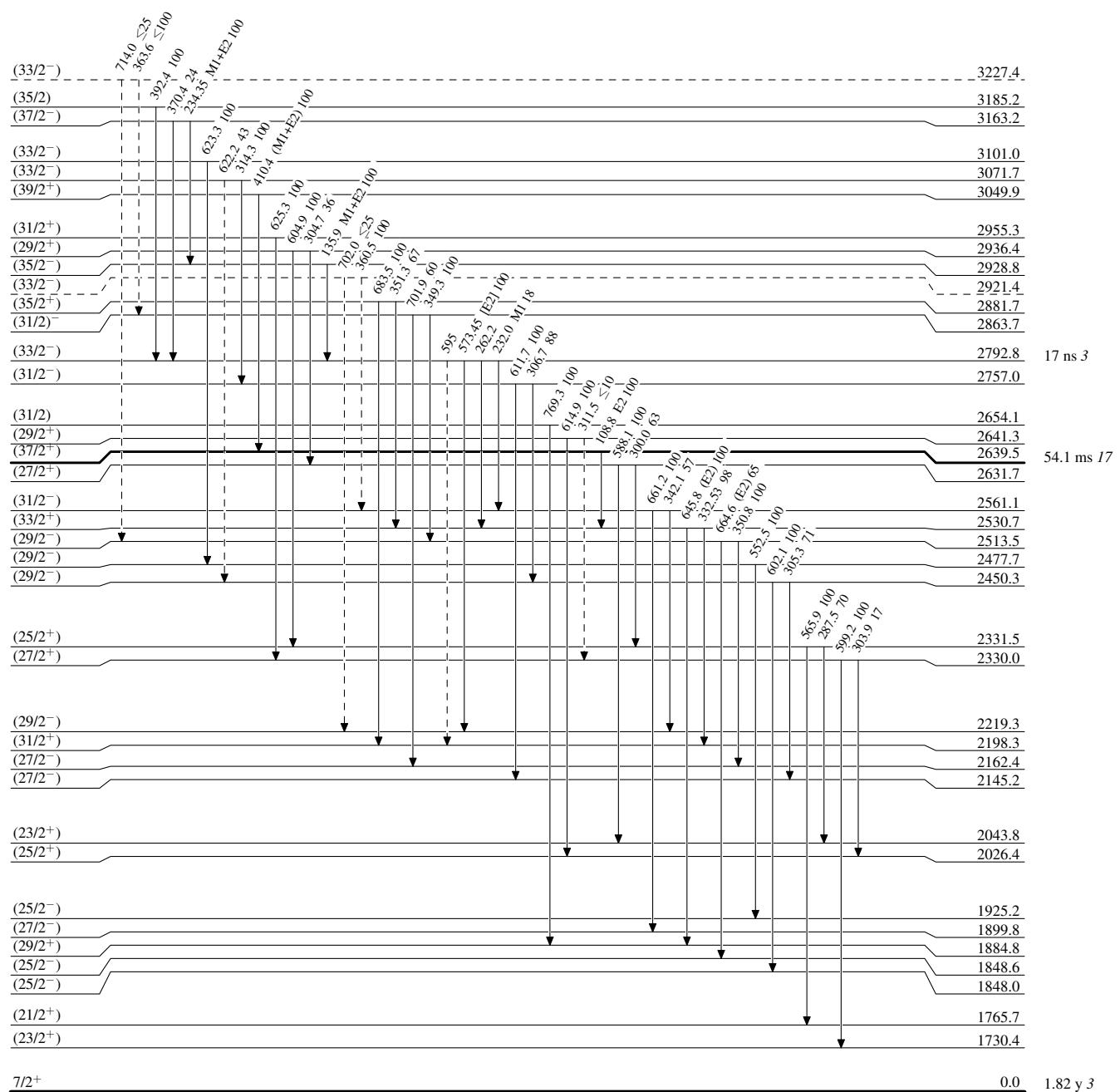
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Adopted Levels, Gammas

Legend

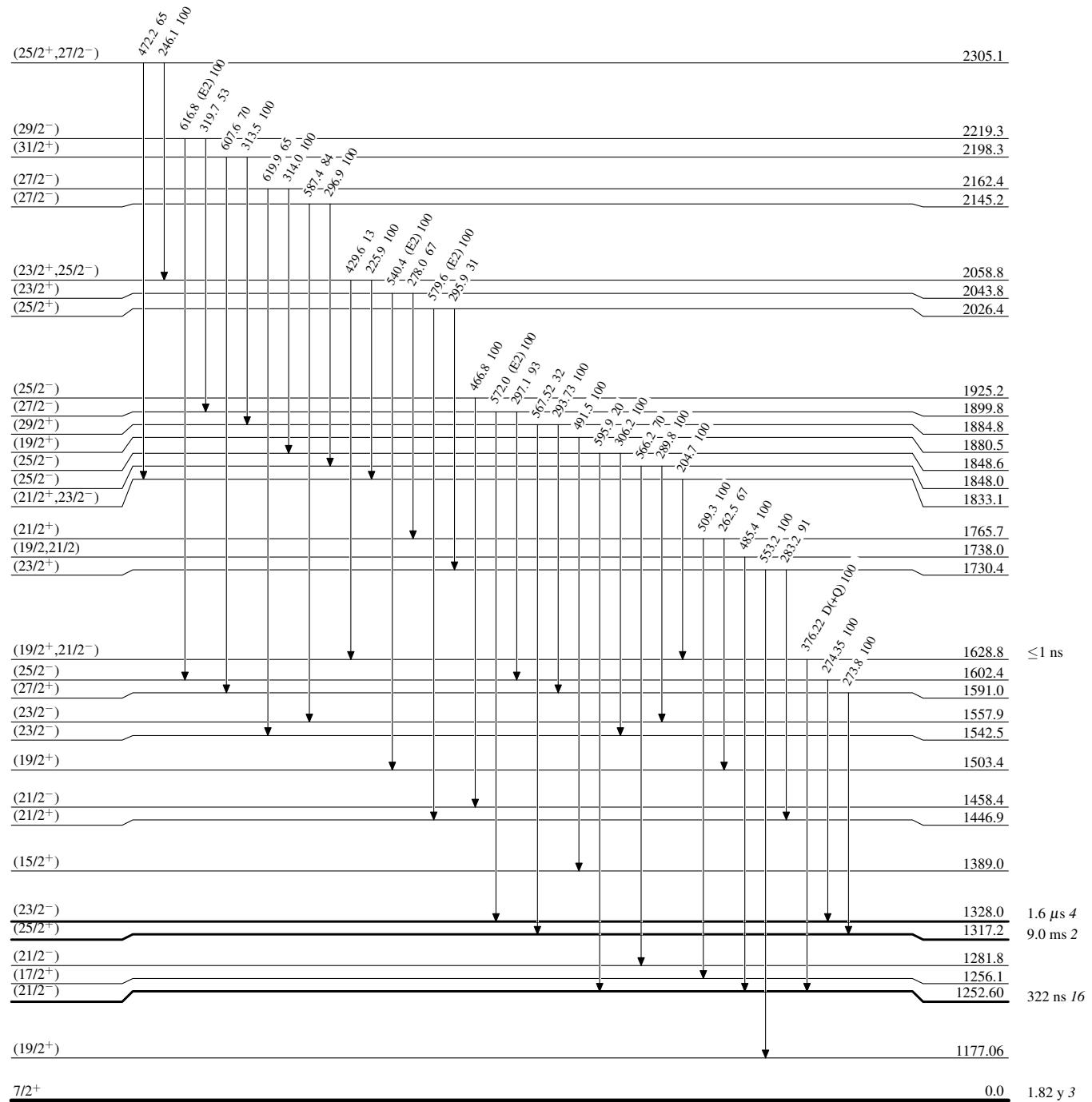
Level Scheme (continued)

Intensities: Relative photon branching from each level

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Adopted Levels, GammasLevel Scheme (continued)

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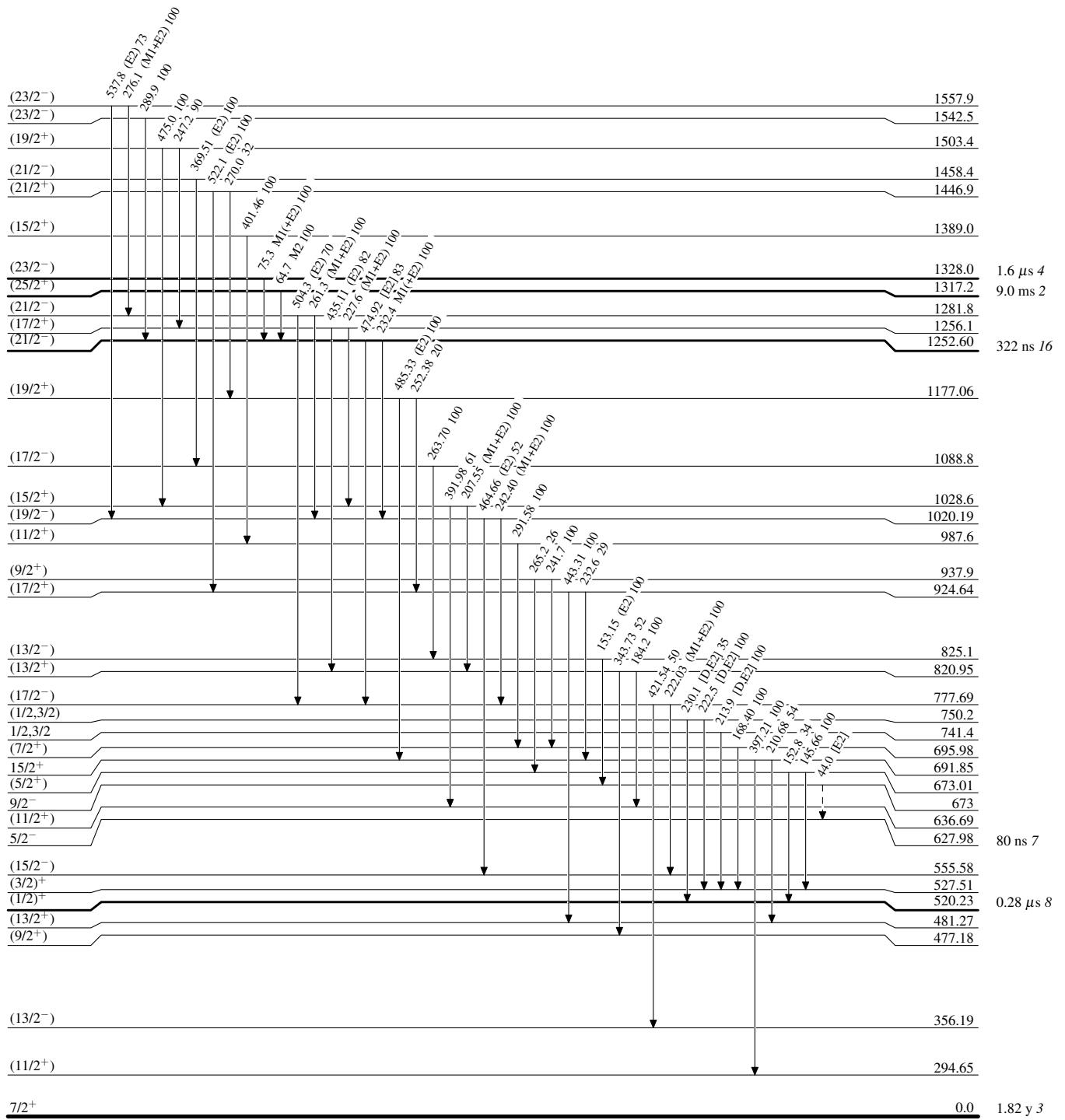


**Adopted Levels, Gammas**

Legend

**Level Scheme (continued)**

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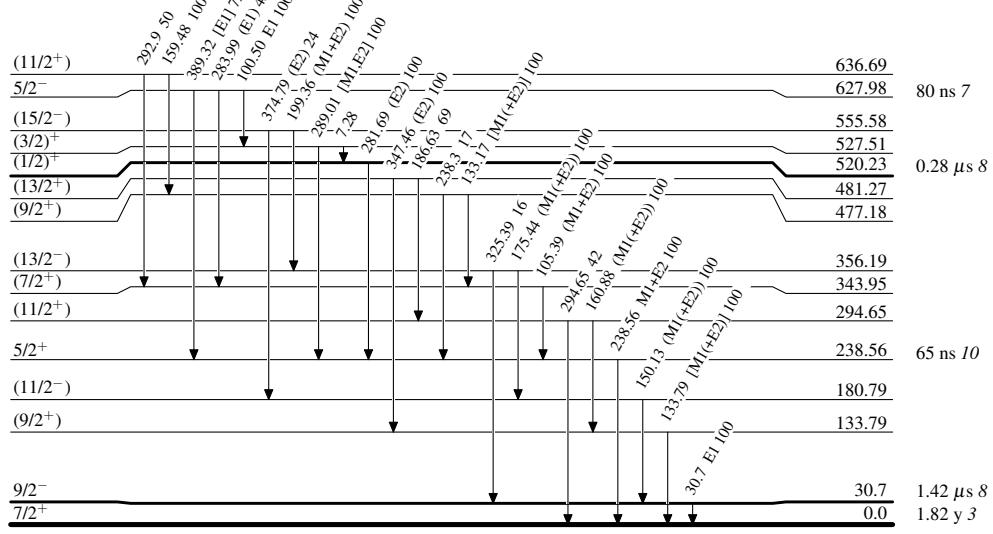
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**Adopted Levels, Gammas**

Legend

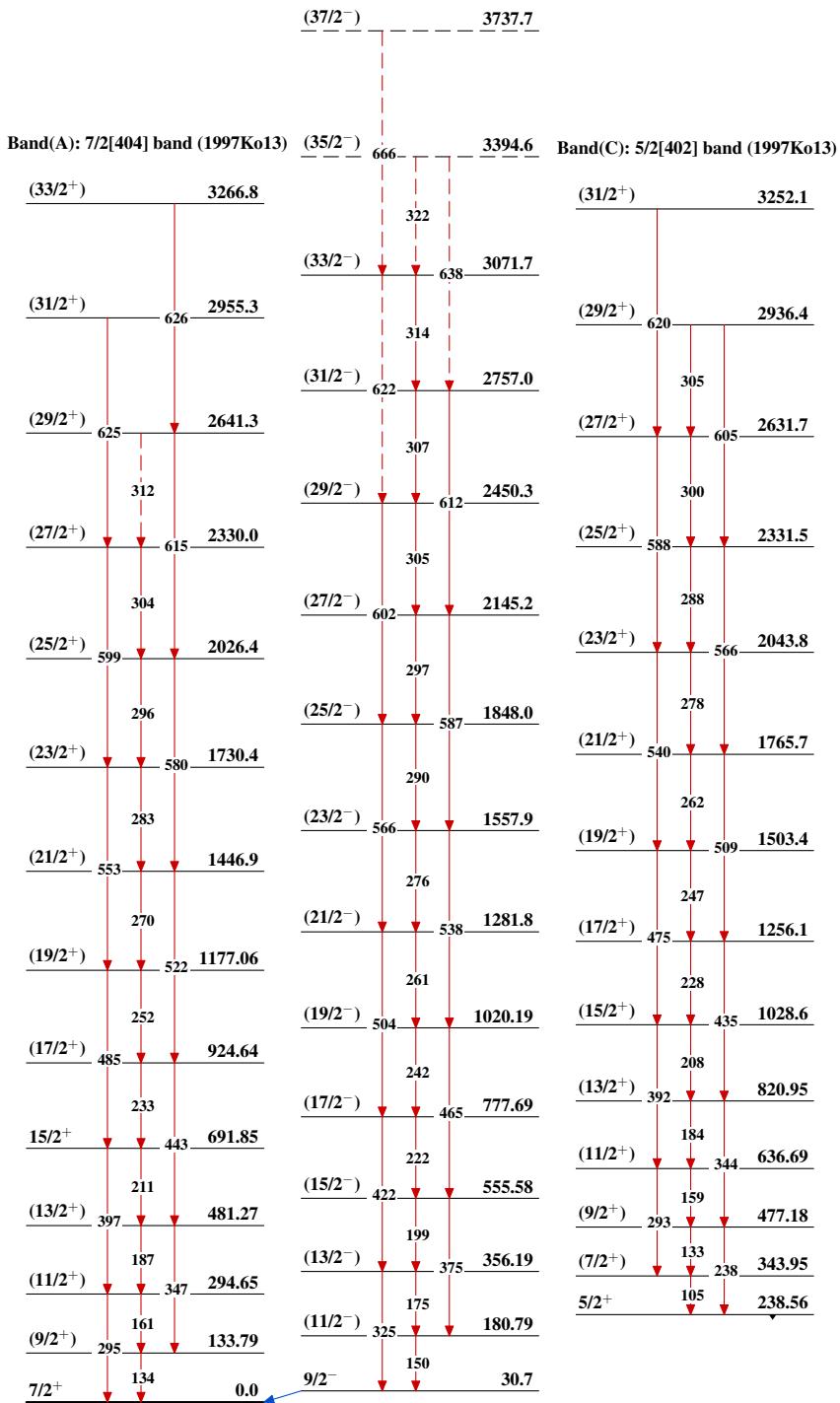
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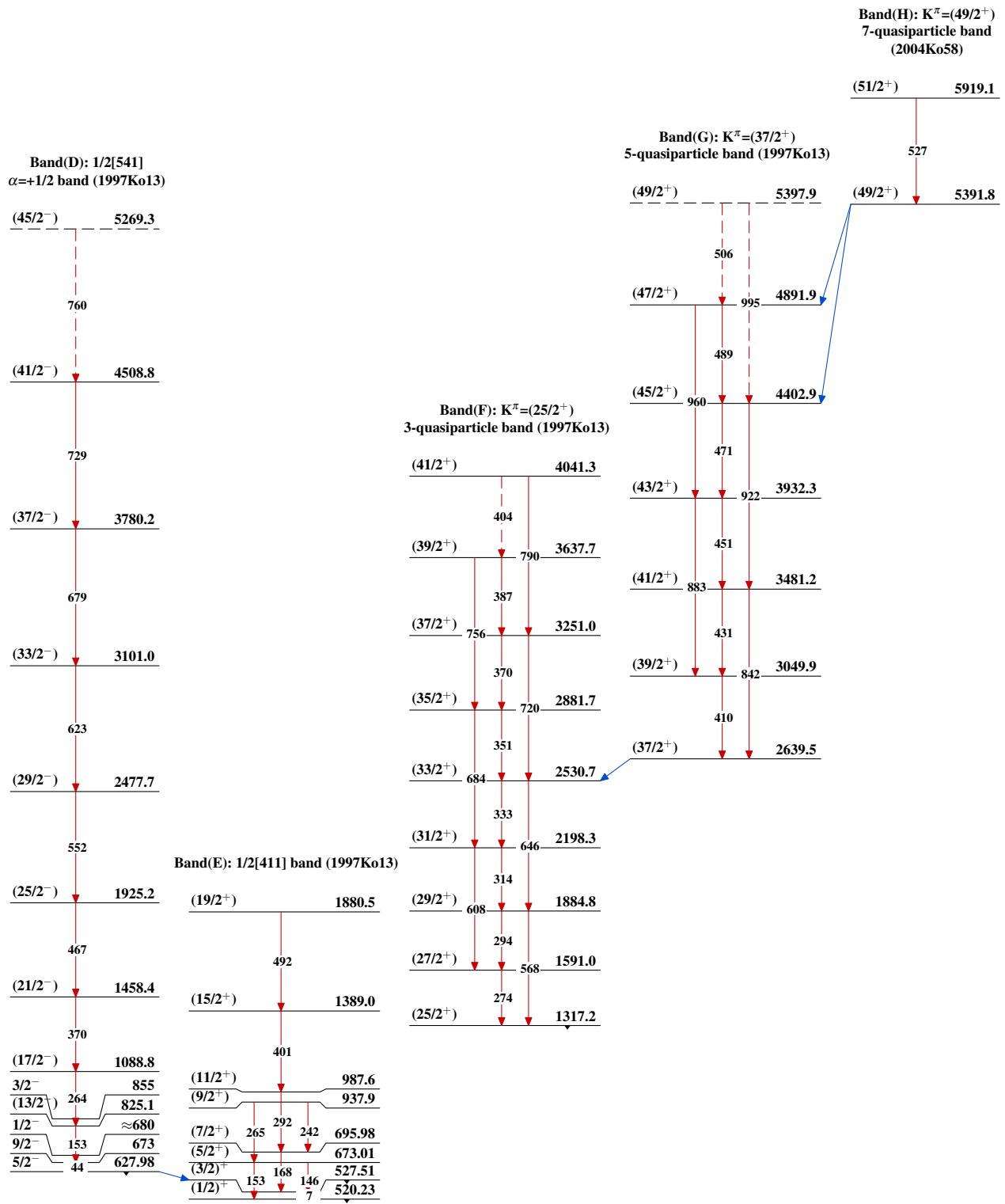
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Adopted Levels, Gammas

Band(B): 9/2[514] band (1997Ko13)



Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)

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