

$^9\text{Be}(^{11}\text{B},2\text{p}\gamma)$ 2008Wi05

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2008Wi05: XUNDL compiled by McMaster (2008).

Elements of the STARS-LIBERACE array were used at Berkeley to identify the ^{18}N events produced in $^9\text{Be}+^{11}\text{B}$ reactions and to measure the associated γ rays. Measured E_γ , I_γ , $\gamma(2\text{p})$ coin, level lifetimes.

In the first of two configurations, an $E(^{11}\text{B})=50$ MeV beam, provided by the 88-Inch cyclotron, impinged on a 2.6 mg/cm 2 ^9Be that was surrounded by five HPGe clover detectors distributed at $\theta=40^\circ$, 90° and 140° . An annular position sensitive ΔE -E detector was positioned 3 cm downstream of the target and was used to detect the residual 2 protons associated with ^{18}N events. A thin lead foil covered the ΔE detector and stopped heavier particle ejectiles. γ -ray transitions between known states at $^{18}\text{N}^*(0,115,587,742)$ are unambiguously identified along with their intensities.

The second configuration was similar to the first, except a thinner 1.35 mg/cm 2 target was used and a ^{208}Pb stopper foil was used to measure the lifetime of the first excited state using the recoil-distance method. Events from ^{16}N transitions are also observed and used for internal calibration. The lifetime $\tau=582$ ps *165* is reported. Results are compared with shell-model calculations. See also (2008WiZT).

 ^{18}N Levels

E(level)	J^π	$T_{1/2}$	Comments
0	1^-		Configuration: 47% $\pi(p_{1/2})\otimes\nu(d_{5/2})^3$; 36% $\pi(p_{1/2})\otimes\nu[(d_{5/2})^2(s_{1/2})]$.
115	(2^-)	0.40 ns <i>11</i>	$T_{1/2}$: From recoil-distance method (2008Wi05). Configuration: 68% $\pi(p_{1/2})\otimes\nu(d_{5/2})^3$; 16% $\pi(p_{1/2})\otimes\nu[(d_{5/2})(s_{1/2})^2]$.
587	(2^-)		Configuration: 48% $\pi(p_{1/2})\otimes\nu(d_{5/2})^3$; 34% $\pi(p_{1/2})\otimes\nu[(d_{5/2})^2(s_{1/2})]$.
742	(3^-)		Configuration: 69% $\pi(p_{1/2})\otimes\nu(d_{5/2})^3$; 17% $\pi(p_{1/2})\otimes\nu[(d_{5/2})(s_{1/2})^2]$.

 $\gamma(^{18}\text{N})$

E_γ^\dagger	I_γ	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult.	Comments
115 <i>1</i>	100	115	(2^-)	0	1^-	M1	$B(M1)(\text{W.u.})=0.036$ <i>10</i> Mult.: From RUL, E2 component is ruled out.
155 <i>1</i>	9	742	(3^-)	587	(2^-)		
472 <i>1</i>	22	587	(2^-)	115	(2^-)		
627 <i>1</i>	44	742	(3^-)	115	(2^-)		

† The authors state 1 keV resolution.

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Level Scheme

Intensities: Relative I_γ

Legend

- \blackrightarrow $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
- $\color{blue}\blackrightarrow$ $I_\gamma < 10\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
- $\color{red}\blackrightarrow$ $I_\gamma > 10\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$

