

^{187}Po α decay 2006An11

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Parent: ^{187}Po : E=0.0; $J^\pi=(1/2^-, 5/2^-)$; $T_{1/2}=1.40$ ms 25; $Q(\alpha)=7979$ 15; % α decay=100.0

2006An11: ^{187}Po source from $^{144}\text{Sm}(^{46}\text{Ti}, 3n)$ at E(^{46}Ti)=224 MeV 1; evaporation residues separated by the SHIP velocity filter at GSI and implanted into a position-sensitive silicon (PSSD) detector; six silicon BOX detectors, three time of flight detectors, a veto detector and a four-fold segmented Clover Ge detector; measured $E\gamma$, $E\alpha$, $I\alpha$, (recoil)- γ coin, α - γ coin. Production cross section for ^{187}Po : 0.8 nb 3.

For this decay, QxBR=7979 15 cf. Summed decay energies =7985 484.

 ^{183}Pb Levels

E(level)	J^π [†]	$T_{1/2}$	Comments
0.0	(3/2 ⁻)	535 ms 30	$J^\pi, T_{1/2}$: from Adopted Levels. level decays by 6570 α (28% 4) and 6775 α (72% 5).
286 1	(1/2 ⁻ , 5/2 ⁻)		E(level): from $E\gamma$. E=286 15 based on energy difference for α groups feeding the g.s. and this level. J^π : structure of this state is predicted from calculations to be similar to that of ^{187}Po g.s., i.e., prolate and 5/2 ⁻ [512] state of mixed origin or 1/2[521] from 2f _{5/2} orbital.

[†] From Adopted Levels.

 α radiations

$E\alpha$	E(level)	$I\alpha$ [‡]	HF [†]	Comments
7528 15	286	100	0.26 5	Reduced α width $\delta_\alpha^2=107$ keV 25.
7808	0.0	<2	>91	correlated with the known α decays of the ^{183}Pb daughter and ^{179}Hg grand-daughter. Reduced α width $\delta_\alpha^2<0.3$ keV.

[†] If $r_0=1.483$ 4, unweighted average of $r_0(^{182}\text{Pb})=1.479$ 26 (if $E\alpha=8360$ 15 and % $\alpha=100$ for ^{186}Po) and $r_0(^{184}\text{Pb})=1.486$ 10 (if $E\alpha=7911$ 13 and % $\alpha=100$ for ^{188}Po).

[‡] Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

 $\gamma(^{183}\text{Pb})$

$E\gamma$	$I\gamma$ [‡]	E_i (level)	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult.	α [†]	$I_{(\gamma+ce)}$ [‡]	Comments
286 1	67.3 4	286	(1/2 ⁻ , 5/2 ⁻)	0.0	(3/2 ⁻)	(M1)	0.486 9	100	ce(K)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.267 4; ce(L)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.0457 8; ce(M)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.01070 19 ce(N)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.00272 5; ce(O)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.000542 10; ce(P)/($\gamma+ce$)= 5.80×10^{-5} 11 $\alpha(K)=0.397$ 7; $\alpha(L)=0.0679$ 12; $\alpha(M)=0.0159$ 3; $\alpha(N)=0.00404$ 7; $\alpha(O)=0.000806$ 14 I_γ : from $I(\gamma+ce)$ and α . Mult.: from $\alpha(K)\exp=0.7$ 4.

[†] Additional information 1.

[‡] Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

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Decay Scheme

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

