

^{188}Tl ε decay [1984Co17,1976Bo04](#)

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Parent: ^{188}Tl : E=0; $J^\pi=(2^-)$; $T_{1/2}=71$ s 2; $Q(\varepsilon)=7866$ 32; $\% \varepsilon + \% \beta^+$ decay=100.0

Parent: ^{188}Tl : E=35 31; $J^\pi=7^+$; $T_{1/2}=71.5$ s 15; $Q(\varepsilon)=7866$ 32; $\% \varepsilon + \% \beta^+$ decay=100.0

[1984Co17](#) (also [1978CoYZ](#), [1976Ha25](#), [1975Ha27](#), [1975BoYT](#), [1974Ha10](#) from the same group) produced ^{188}Tl source by $^{181}\text{Ta}(^{16}\text{O},9n)$ reaction. Measured: γ , $\gamma\gamma$, ce, γce .

[1976Bo04](#) produced ^{188}Tl by $^{197}\text{Au}(^3\text{He},12n)$ E=207 MeV. Measured: γ , $\gamma\gamma$, ce, γce , $\gamma\gamma(\theta)$.

Others: [1970Va27](#), [1974Pr13](#), [1976KeZO](#), [1976Ha25](#), [1994Jo13](#).

 ^{188}Hg Levels

E(level) [†]	J^π [‡]	$T_{1/2}$	Comments
0.0	0 ⁺		
412.91 8	2 ⁺		
824.50 20	0 ⁺	204 ps 45	$T_{1/2}$: from $\beta\gamma\gamma(t)$ in 1994Jo13 .
881.10 8	2 ⁺	141 ps 31	$T_{1/2}$: from $\beta\gamma\gamma(t)$ in 1994Jo13 .
1004.89 10	4 ⁺		
1207.92 9	4 ⁺		
1239.64 10	(4) ⁺		
1455.19 9	3 ⁺		
1509.18 10	6 ⁺		
1718.90?# 13	(1,2,3) ⁻		
1774.67?# 12	(3,4,5) ⁺		
1777.23 11	6 ⁺		
1890.43?# 12	4 ⁺		
1907.82 12	4 ⁺ ,5 ⁺		
1909.66 12	5 ⁻		
1969.88 14	8 ⁺		
2077.00?# 19	(3,4) ⁻		
2136.40 12	(5,6) ⁺		
2201.37 12	7 ⁻		J^π : 1984Co17 suggest $J^\pi=(4-6)^+$, based on E1 assignment to 292 γ . But the ce data of 1976Bo04 and $\gamma(\theta)$, $\gamma(\text{lin pol})$ data in (HI,xn γ) support mult=E2 for 292 γ , thus giving $J^\pi=7^-$.
2249.9?# 5	(6 ⁺)		
2274.2?# 5			
2295.41 14	(6) ⁻		
2350.89?# 15	(4,5,6) ⁺		
2422.48 13	8 ⁺		
2448.99?# 15	8 ⁻		
2470.77?# 16	9 ⁻		
2489.7?# 5	10 ⁺		
2566.99?# 14			
2680.9?# 5	(6 ⁺ ,7,8 ⁺)		

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

[‡] From Adopted Levels.

Level proposed by [1976Bo04](#) only, not confirmed by [1984Co17](#).

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The data represent a mixture between decays of the (2^-) ground state and the 7^+ isomer in ^{188}Tl . The decay scheme is incomplete (pandemonium), and hence no log ft values and gamma-ray normalization per 100 decays of the parent nuclide were carried out.

E_γ [†]	I_γ [‡]	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. [#]	Comments
$^{x}146.8@$ 4	0.6 1						
153.9@ 4	1.1 1	2448.99?	8^-	2295.41	$(6)^-$		
167.3@ 4	0.5 1	2077.00?	$(3,4)^-$	1909.66	5^-		
203.2 2	1.3 1	1207.92	4^+	1004.89	4^+	M1(+E2)	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.99$ 5 (1976Ha25), 0.99 11 (1984Co17).
215.7 1	0.60 10	1455.19	3^+	1239.64	$(4)^+$		
247.6 ^a 1	1.9 ^a 1	1455.19	3^+	1207.92	4^+	E2+M1	Mult.: From $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.13$ 2 (1984Co17); other $\delta=0.9$ 4 using $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.33$ 8 (1976Bo04).
247.6 ^a 1	1.9 ^a 1	2448.99?	8^-	2201.37	7^-		
269.4 ^a 1	1.4 ^a 1	1509.18	6^+	1239.64	$(4)^+$		
269.4 ^a 1	1.4 ^a 1	2470.77?	9^-	2201.37	7^-		
280.0@ 4	0.6 1	2249.9?	(6^+)	1969.88	8^+		
$^{x}281.5\&$ 1	0.80 8						E_γ : May be the same as 280.0 from 1976Bo04.
291.7 1	4.0 3	2201.37	7^-	1909.66	5^-	E2	Mult.: E2 from $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.066$ 16 (1976Bo04). $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.021$ 5 (1984Co17) suggests E1.
301.2 1	5.5 3	1509.18	6^+	1207.92	4^+	E2	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.071$ 18 (1976Bo04), 0.083 15 (1984Co17).
326.9 1	10.7 5	1207.92	4^+	881.10	2^+	E2	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.049$ 7 (1976Bo04), 0.040 4 (1984Co17).
381.5@ 4	0.5 1	1890.43?	4^+	1509.18	6^+		
385.8 1	3.7 3	2295.41	$(6)^-$	1909.66	5^-	E2+M1	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.038$ 10 (1976Bo04), 0.036 9 (1984Co17).
$^{x}387.5$ 2	0.30 5						
387.5& 2	0.30 5	2295.41	$(6)^-$	1907.82	$4^+,5^+$		
398.2& 2	0.60 6	1907.82	$4^+,5^+$	1509.18	6^+		
412.9 1	100 5	412.91	2^+	0.0	0^+	E2	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.030$ 7 (1976Bo04), 0.031 3 (1984Co17); $\alpha(\text{L})\text{exp}=0.009$ 2 (1984Co17).
$^{x}417.9\&$ 1	1.1 1						
424.1 1	3.9 3	2201.37	7^-	1777.23	6^+	E2+M1 E1	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.03$ 1 (1984Co17). Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.013$ 3 (1976Bo04), 0.020 10 (1984Co17).
443.1 1	1.9 2	2350.89?	$(4,5,6)^+$	1907.82	$4^+,5^+$	E2+M1	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.032$ 7 (1984Co17).
$^{x}445.9\&$ 1	1.0 1						
450.3 1	0.50 5	1455.19	3^+	1004.89	4^+	M1+E2	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.068$ 14 (1984Co17).
452.7 1	2.8 2	1907.82	$4^+,5^+$	1455.19	3^+	E2(+M1)	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.029$ 5 (1984Co17).
460.7 1	8.2 5	1969.88	8^+	1509.18	6^+	E2	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.014$ 4 (1984Co17).
468.2 1	5.7 3	881.10	2^+	412.91	2^+	M1+E2	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.085$ 21 (1976Bo04), 0.087 5 (1984Co17); $\alpha(\text{L})\text{exp}=0.013$ 4 (1984Co17).
478.9@ ^b 4	0.8 1	2448.99?	8^-	1969.88	8^+		E_γ : 1984Co17 assign this line to ^{188}Au ε decay.
499.5@ ^b 4	1.1 1	2274.2?		1774.67?	$(3,4,5)^+$		E_γ : 1984Co17 assign this line to ^{188}Au ε decay.
504.3 1	26.5 16	1509.18	6^+	1004.89	4^+	E2	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.017$ 3 (1976Bo04), 0.019 2 (1984Co17), $\alpha(\text{L})\text{exp}=0.0048$ 8 (1984Co17).
519.8@ 4	0.45 5	2489.7?	10^+	1969.88	8^+		
535.0 1	1.3 1	1774.67?	$(3,4,5)^+$	1239.64	$(4)^+$	M1	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.013$ 4 (1984Co17).
569.3 1	3.9 3	1777.23	6^+	1207.92	4^+	E2	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.017$ 4 (1984Co17), $\alpha(\text{L})\text{exp}=0.0036$ 9 (1976Bo04).
574.0 1	4.5 3	1455.19	3^+	881.10	2^+	E2+M1	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.024$ 4 (1984Co17), 0.022 5 (1976Bo04).

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^{188}Tl ε decay **1984Co17,1976Bo04 (continued)** $\gamma(^{188}\text{Hg})$ (continued)

E_γ^\dagger	I_γ^\ddagger	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult.#	Comments
≈ 574 @b		2350.89?	(4,5,6) ⁺	1777.23	6 ⁺		
592.1 1	69 3	1004.89	4 ⁺	412.91	2 ⁺	E2	Mult.: From adopted gammas. Used for normalization of the ce data.
622.0 2	0.70 7	2077.00?	(3,4) ⁻	1455.19	3 ⁺	E1	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}<0.006$ (1976Bo04).
627.2 1	1.7 1	2136.40	(5,6) ⁺	1509.18	6 ⁺	E2+M1	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.029$ 7 (1976Bo04), 0.019 7 (1984Co17).
645.6 2	2.4 2	2422.48	8 ⁺	1777.23	6 ⁺	E2	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.015$ 4 (1976Bo04), 0.023 9 (1984Co17).
682.8 @b 4	0.2 1	1890.43?	4 ⁺	1207.92	4 ⁺		
692.3 2	2.5 2	2201.37	7 ⁻	1509.18	6 ⁺	E1	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}\leq 0.005$ (1976Bo04) gives E1, whereas $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.0093$ 35 (1984Co17) gives E2.
700.1 2	3.3 3	1907.82	4 ⁺ ,5 ⁺	1207.92	4 ⁺	E2+M1	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.015$ 5 (1976Bo04), 0.019 3 (1984Co17).
701.7 2	0.9 2	1909.66	5 ⁻	1207.92	4 ⁺		
711.0 @ 4	0.2 1	2680.9?	(6 ⁺ ,7,8 ⁺)	1969.88	8 ⁺		
^x 714.1 2	0.40 5					(E0+M1+E2)	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.17$ 3 (1984Co17). Other: >0.3 (1976Bo04).
^x 745.7 & 2	0.50 6						
^x 764.6 1	0.80 8					(E0+M1+E2)	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.052$ 13 (1976Bo04).
769.8 1	2.0 2	1774.67?	(3,4,5) ⁺	1004.89	4 ⁺	M1(+E2)	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.029$ 7 (1976Bo04).
772.4 1	13.5 6	1777.23	6 ⁺	1004.89	4 ⁺	E2	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.0085$ 13 (1976Bo04), 0.0065 11 (1984Co17), $\alpha(\text{L})\text{exp}=0.0021$ 3 and K/L=4.1 8 (1976Bo04).
789.8 @ 4	0.5 1	2566.99?		1777.23	6 ⁺		
795.2 1	11.3 6	1207.92	4 ⁺	412.91	2 ⁺	E2	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.0073$ 8 (1984Co17), 0.0078 12, $\alpha(\text{L})\text{exp}=0.0020$ 3, and K/L=3.9 8 (1976Bo04).
^x 804.6 @ 4	0.6 1						
824.5 2		824.50	0 ⁺	0.0	0 ⁺	E0	$\rho^2=0.0077$ +22-32 (1994Jo13). E_γ : from ce data (1984Co17). $I(\gamma+\text{ce})=0.31$ 3, deduced from $\text{ce}(\text{K})(824)/\text{ce}(\text{K})(413\gamma)=0.080$ 9, $\text{ce}(\text{L})(824)/\text{ce}(\text{K})(413\gamma)=0.017$ 2 (1984Co17). Other: $\geq 58\%$ (1994Jo13). Mult.: from $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}>1.3$ 1 (1984Co17), >1.3 and $\alpha(\text{L})\text{exp}>0.22$ (1976Bo04).
826.7 1	2.7 2	1239.64	(4) ⁺	412.91	2 ⁺	(E2)	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.018$ 5 (1984Co17) consistent with both M1 and E2, but the latter agrees with the decay scheme.
^x 835.1 @ 4	0.8 1					M1(+E2)	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.0075$ 19 (1976Bo04).
837.8 1	1.3 1	1718.90?	(1,2,3) ⁻	881.10	2 ⁺	E1	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.0035$ 20 (1976Bo04).
841.2 @ 4	1.8 2	2350.89?	(4,5,6) ⁺	1509.18	6 ⁺		
^x 873.9 & 1	0.6 1						
881.1 1	8.6 11	881.10	2 ⁺	0.0	0 ⁺	E2	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.0061$ 15 (1976Bo04), 0.0065 7 (1984Co17).
885.1 @ 4	0.85 9	1890.43?	4 ⁺	1004.89	4 ⁺	(M1)	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}\approx 0.04$ (1976Bo04).
904.8 1	12.3 7	1909.66	5 ⁻	1004.89	4 ⁺	E1	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.0027$ 4 (1976Bo04), 0.0020 3 (1984Co17).
913.2 1	0.3 1	2422.48	8 ⁺	1509.18	6 ⁺		
928.5 1	1.6 1	2136.40	(5,6) ⁺	1207.92	4 ⁺		
^x 948.0 & 1	0.5 1					E1,E2	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.0047$ 24 (1984Co17).
1009.8 @ 4	0.2 1	1890.43?	4 ⁺	881.10	2 ⁺		
1042.0 1	3.5 2	1455.19	3 ⁺	412.91	2 ⁺	E2+M1	Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.0047$ 24 (1984Co17).

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^{188}Tl ε decay **1984Co17,1976Bo04 (continued)** $\gamma(^{188}\text{Hg})$ (continued)

E_γ [†]	I_γ [‡]	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Comments
1057.8 <i>l</i>	1.1 <i>l</i>	2566.99?		1509.18	6 ⁺	
1071.4 [@] 4	0.3 <i>l</i>	2077.00?	(3,4) ⁻	1004.89	4 ⁺	
1170.5 ^{@b} 4	2.4 3	2680.9?	(6 ⁺ ,7,8 ⁺)	1509.18	6 ⁺	E_γ : 1984Co17 assign this line to ^{188}Au ε decay.
^x 1239.2 ^{@b} 4	0.4 <i>l</i>					E_γ : Placement with the 1239-keV level in 1976Bo04 seems incorrect.
^x 1272.6 <i>l</i>	0.9 <i>l</i>					
1306.1 ^{@b} 4	1.0 <i>l</i>	1718.90?	(1,2,3) ⁻	412.91	2 ⁺	E_γ : 1984Co17 assign this line to ^{188}Au ε decay.
^x 1445.6 ^{&} <i>l</i>	1.1 <i>l</i>					
1477.5 <i>l</i>	1.0 <i>l</i>	1890.43?	4 ⁺	412.91	2 ⁺	

[†] From **1984Co17**, unless otherwise stated.

[‡] For combined activity from **1984Co17**, unless otherwise stated.

From ce data of **1984Co17** and **1976Bo04**. 592 γ is assumed to be a pure E2 and used for normalization of the data.

@ Reported by **1976Bo04** only.

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^a Multiply placed with undivided intensity.

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

^x γ ray not placed in level scheme.

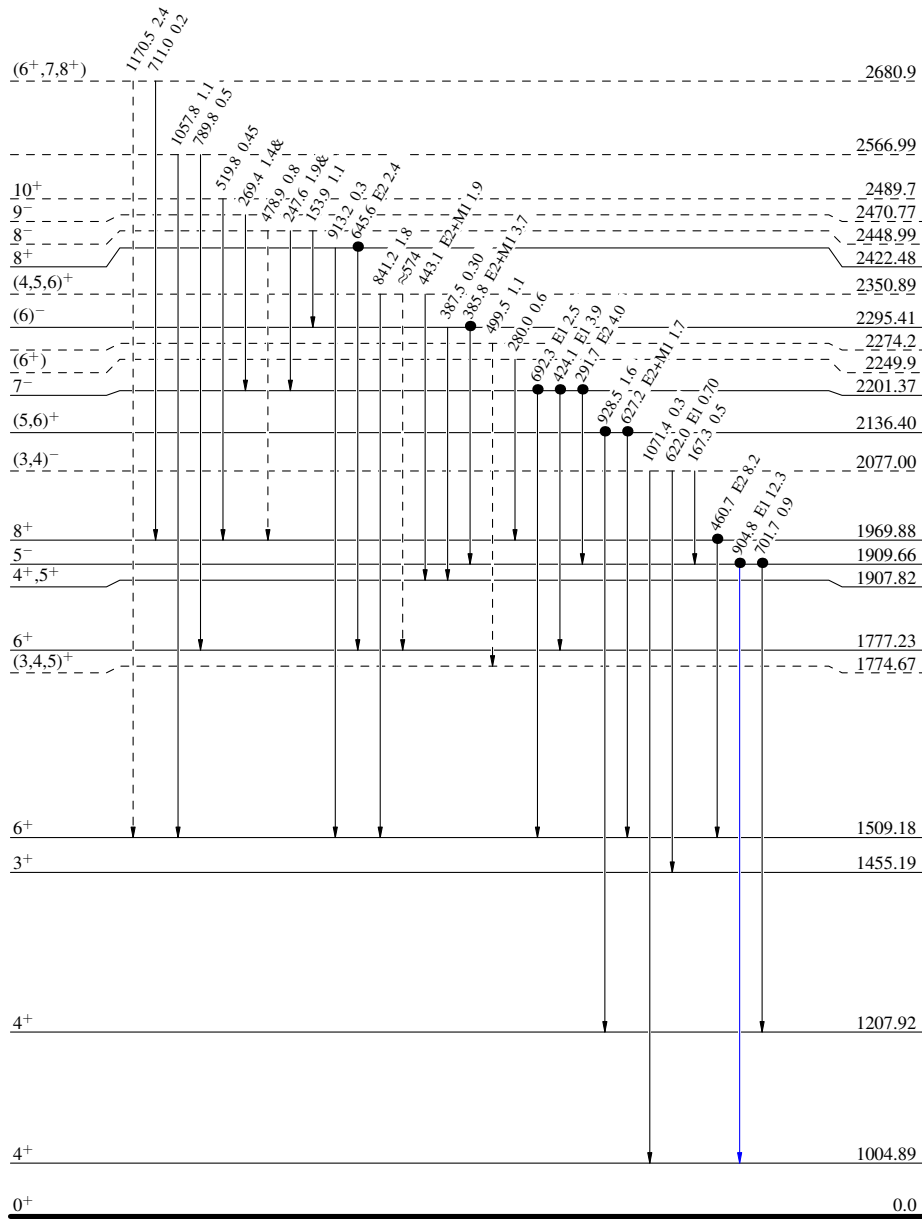
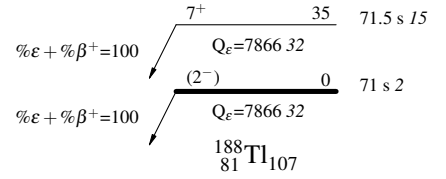
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Decay Scheme

Intensities: Relative I_γ
& Multiply placed: undivided intensity given

Legend

- $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
- $I_\gamma < 10\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
- $I_\gamma > 10\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
- - - - γ Decay (Uncertain)
- Coincidence



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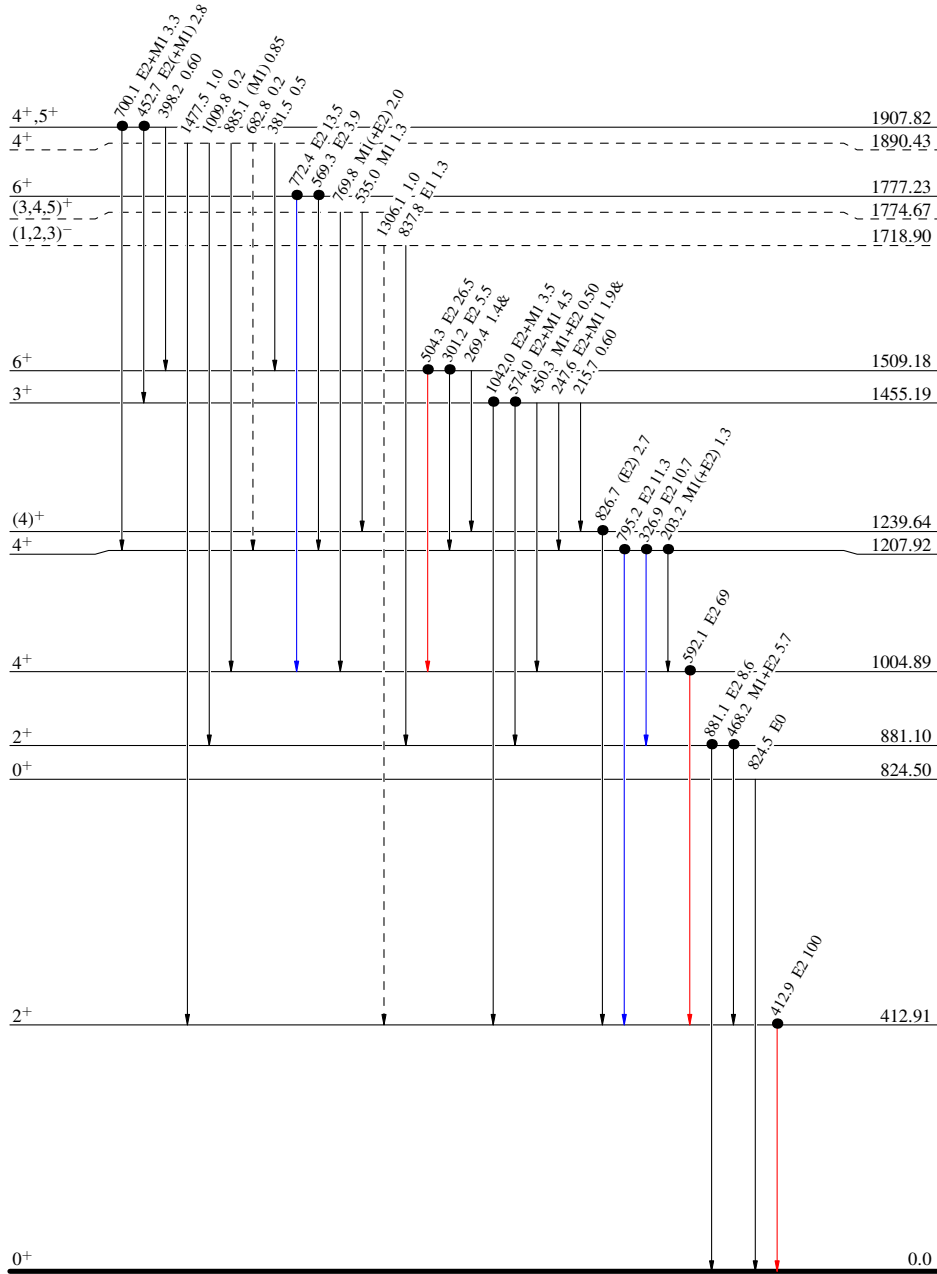
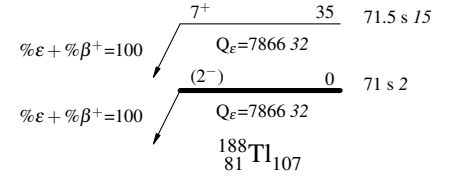
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Decay Scheme (continued)

Legend

- $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
- $I_\gamma < 10\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
- $I_\gamma > 10\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
- - - -→ γ Decay (Uncertain)
- Coincidence

Intensities: Relative I_γ
& Multiply placed: undivided intensity given



141 ps 31
204 ps 45

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