

**<sup>189</sup>Au ε decay (4.59 min) 1973Ja16,1970Fi16,1970ErZX**

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Parent: <sup>189</sup>Au: E=247.25 16; J<sup>π</sup>=11/2<sup>-</sup>; T<sub>1/2</sub>=4.59 min 11; Q(ε)=2887 22; %ε+%β<sup>+</sup> decay=100.0

<sup>189</sup>Au-Q(ε): From 2017Wa10.

<sup>189</sup>Au-E,J<sup>π</sup>,T<sub>1/2</sub>: From <sup>189</sup>Au Adopted Levels.

<sup>189</sup>Au-Large decay energy suggests additional γ rays and levels are probably present.

1973Ja16: measured E<sub>γ</sub>, I<sub>γ</sub>, ce.

1970Fi16: measured E<sub>γ</sub>, I<sub>γ</sub>.

1970ErZX: measured E<sub>γ</sub>, T<sub>1/2</sub>.

Others: 1978DaZC, 1976Pi03, 1967He06, 1967Al17, 1966Fo13.

Level scheme is considered by the evaluators as incomplete.

<sup>189</sup>Pt Levels

E(level)	J <sup>π</sup> †	T <sub>1/2</sub>	Comments
0.0	3/2 <sup>-</sup>		
6.3 5	5/2 <sup>-</sup>		
172.7 5	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	464 ns 25	T <sub>1/2</sub> : from 1970Fi16 based on γγ(t).
191.8 11	(13/2 <sup>+</sup> )		E(level): observed in <sup>188</sup> Os(α,3nγ) (1978DaZC), expected to be populated either directly by ε decay or indirectly by γ-ray deexcitation of higher levels.
493.8 7	11/2 <sup>-</sup>		

† From Adopted Levels.

ε,β<sup>+</sup> radiations

E(decay)	E(level)	Iβ <sup>+</sup> †	Iε †	Log ft	I(ε+β <sup>+</sup> ) †	Comments
(2640 22)	493.8	≈1	≈12	5.6	≈13	av Eβ=737.2 97; εK=0.7639 20; εL=0.1330 4; εM+=0.04234 14
(2962 22)	172.7	≈9	≈78	4.9	≈87	av Eβ=879.0 98; εK=0.730 3; εL=0.1264 5; εM+=0.04021 17

† Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

γ(<sup>189</sup>Pt)

I<sub>γ</sub> normalization: Assuming I(γ+ce)(166.4γ)=100, and unobserved transition intensity predominantly deexcites through the 173 level.

E <sub>γ</sub>	I <sub>γ</sub> †	E <sub>i</sub> (level)	J <sub>i</sub> <sup>π</sup>	E <sub>f</sub>	J <sub>f</sub> <sup>π</sup>	Mult.	α †	Comments
(6.3 5)		6.3	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	0.0	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	[M1]	9.7×10 <sup>2</sup> 27	α(M)=7.5×10 <sup>2</sup> 21 α(N)=1.86×10 <sup>2</sup> 52; α(O)=33.3 94; α(P)=2.24 63 E <sub>γ</sub> : unobserved transition.
(19.1)		191.8	(13/2 <sup>+</sup> )	172.7	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	[M2]	3.39×10 <sup>4</sup> 99	α(L)=2.50×10 <sup>4</sup> 73; α(M)=6.9×10 <sup>3</sup> 21 α(N)=1.73×10 <sup>3</sup> 51; α(O)=2.96×10 <sup>2</sup> 87; α(P)=14.3 42 E <sub>γ</sub> : unobserved transition.
166.40 5	100 5	172.7	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	6.3	5/2 <sup>-</sup>	E2	0.684	L1:L2:L3=35 10:115 25:60 20; α(K) <sub>exp</sub> =0.19 5 α(K)=0.267 4; α(L)=0.314 5; α(M)=0.0805 12 α(N)=0.0197 3; α(O)=0.00310 5; α(P)=2.53×10 <sup>-5</sup>

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$^{189}\text{Au}$   $\varepsilon$  decay (4.59 min) [1973Ja16](#),[1970Fi16](#),[1970ErZX](#) (continued) $\gamma(^{189}\text{Pt})$  (continued)

<u><math>E_\gamma</math></u>	<u><math>I_\gamma^\ddagger</math></u>	<u><math>E_i(\text{level})</math></u>	<u><math>J_i^\pi</math></u>	<u><math>E_f</math></u>	<u><math>J_f^\pi</math></u>	<u>Mult.</u>	<u><math>\delta</math></u>	<u><math>\alpha^\dagger</math></u>	<u>Comments</u>
									4 %I $\gamma$ =59.3, using the calculated normalization. E $\gamma$ : from <a href="#">1970Fi16</a> . $\alpha$ : from <a href="#">1970Fi16</a> . $\alpha(\text{K})=0.0522$ 8; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.0220$ 4; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.00549$ 9 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.001346$ 21; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.000220$ 4; $\alpha(\text{P})=5.31 \times 10^{-6}$ 8 E $\gamma$ : From <a href="#">1970Fi16</a> . Transition placed by the evaluators on the basis of Adopted Levels, Gammas dataset. I $\gamma$ : from <a href="#">1973Ja16</a> . Mult.: from Adopted Gammas.
321.1 5	20 4	493.8	11/2 <sup>-</sup>	172.7	9/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1+E2	-16.2 +17-21	0.0813	

<sup>†</sup> From BrIcc v2.3b (16-Dec-2014) [2008Ki07](#), "Frozen Orbitals" appr.

<sup>‡</sup> For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.594 30.

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## Decay Scheme

## Legend

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

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