

²⁰¹Po ε decay (8.96 min) 1986Br28,1976Ko13

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Parent: ²⁰¹Po: E=423.41 22; J^π=13/2⁺; T_{1/2}=8.96 min 12; Q(ε)=4908 13; %ε+%β⁺ decay≈55.0

1986Br28: ¹⁹³Ir(¹⁴N,6n), E=116 MeV; Detectors: Ge(Li) and cooled Si(Li); Measured: γ, γγ coin, γγ(t), γ(x-ray)(t), ce, and T_{1/2}.

1976Ko13: ¹⁹⁷Au(¹⁰B,6n), E(¹⁰B)≈90 MeV; Ge(Li) and Si(Li); Measured γ, γγ, I(ce), T_{1/2}.

Other: 1971Jo19.

²⁰¹Bi Levels

E(level) [†]	J ^π [‡]	T _{1/2} [‡]	E(level) [†]	J ^π [‡]	T _{1/2} [‡]
0	9/2 ⁻	103 min 3	1504.40 23		
964.40 15	11/2 ⁻		1665.1 3		
967.49 18	13/2 ⁻		1719.15 22	(11/2,13/2) ⁺	
1379.4 3	15/2 ⁻		1746.5 9	17/2 ⁺	5.1 ns 13
1474.6 9	17/2 ⁻		1762.9 3		
1501.89 17	(13/2 ⁺)		2034.3 7		

[†] From a least-squares fit to E_γ.

[‡] From Adopted Levels.

ε,β⁺ radiations

E(decay)	E(level)	Iβ ⁺ [†]	Iε [†]	Log ft	I(ε+β ⁺) [†]	Comments
(3297 13)	2034.3	≈0.1	≈0.8	≈7.4	≈0.9	av Eβ=1028.2 58; εK=0.7114 14; εL=0.1309 3; εM+=0.04308 10
(3569 13)	1762.9	≈0.26	≈1.4	≈7.2	≈1.7	av Eβ=1148.6 58; εK=0.6803 16; εL=0.1247 3; εM+=0.04103 11
(3585 [‡] 13)	1746.5	≈0.31	≈1.7	≈7.2	≈2.0	av Eβ=1155.8 58; εK=0.6783 16; εL=0.1244 4; εM+=0.04090 11 I(ε+β ⁺): The existence of this decay branch is unlikely. Imbalance is probably due to a missing de-exciting γ-ray transitions.
(3612 13)	1719.15	≈0.39	≈2.0	≈7.1	≈2.4	av Eβ=1168.0 58; εK=0.6750 16; εL=0.1237 4; εM+=0.04069 11
(3666 13)	1665.1	≈0.22	≈1.1	≈7.4	≈1.3	av Eβ=1192.0 58; εK=0.6682 17; εL=0.1224 4; εM+=0.04025 11
(3827 13)	1504.40	≈0.53	≈2.2	≈7.1	≈2.7	av Eβ=1263.7 58; εK=0.6475 18; εL=0.1184 4; εM+=0.03892 11
(3830 13)	1501.89	≈1.8	≈7.3	≈6.6	≈9.1	av Eβ=1264.8 58; εK=0.6472 18; εL=0.1183 4; εM+=0.03890 11
(3857 13)	1474.6	<0.07	<0.8	>9.3 ^{1u}	<0.9	av Eβ=1248.7 56; εK=0.7348 9; εL=0.13985 20; εM+=0.04629 7
(3952 13)	1379.4	≈2.0	≈7.3	≈6.6	≈9.3	av Eβ=1319.6 59; εK=0.6308 18; εL=0.1152 4; εM+=0.03786 12
(4364 13)	967.49	≈3.78	≈9.32	≈6.6	≈13.1	av Eβ=1504.4 59; εK=0.5732 19; εL=0.1043 4; εM+=0.03426 12
(4367 13)	964.40	≈3.58	≈8.82	≈6.6	≈12.4	av Eβ=1505.8 59; εK=0.5728 19; εL=0.1042 4; εM+=0.03424 12
(5331 13)	0	≈11.2	≈33.8	≈8.2 ^{1u}	≈45.0	av Eβ=1883.6 57; εK=0.6029 14; εL=0.1122 3; εM+=0.03700 10 I(ε+β ⁺): From log ft ^{1u} =8.2 in ¹⁹⁷ Pb ε decay (J ^π =13/2 ⁺) to the J ^π =9/2 ⁻ level in ¹⁹⁷ Tl.

[†] For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by ≈0.55.

[‡] Existence of this branch is questionable.

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γ(²⁰¹Bi)

I_γ normalization: Using ΣI(γ+ce)(to g.s.)=100 - Iβ(g.s.) where Iβ(g.s.) ≈ 45% was deduced by the evaluator from log ft^{1u}=8.2 in ¹⁹⁷Pb ε decay (J^π=13/2⁺) to the J^π=9/2⁻ level in ¹⁹⁷Tl.

E _γ [†]	I _γ ^{‡&}	E _i (level)	J _i ^π	E _f	J _f ^π	Mult. [†]	δ [†]	α [@]	Comments
95.26 15	0.6 3	1474.6	17/2 ⁻	1379.4	15/2 ⁻	M1(+E2)		10.0 17	%I _γ ≈0.10 α(K)=5 5; α(L)=3.8 21; α(M)=1.0 6 α(N)=0.25 15; α(O)=0.047 26; α(P)=0.0040 16 I _γ : Estimated from cascade intensity (1986Br28).
217.6 3	0.61 10	1719.15	(11/2,13/2) ⁺	1501.89	(13/2 ⁺)	M1(+E2)	<1.7	0.83 29	%I _γ ≈0.1 α(K)=0.63 29; α(L)=0.155 5; α(M)=0.0379 7 α(N)=0.00967 16; α(O)=0.00191 5; α(P)=0.000203 30 Mult.,δ: From α(K)exp=0.75 41 (1986Br28).
271.91 20	6.9 3	1746.5	17/2 ⁺	1474.6	17/2 ⁻	E1		0.0383 5	%I _γ ≈1.1 α(K)=0.0312 4; α(L)=0.00540 8; α(M)=0.001267 18 α(N)=0.000321 5; α(O)=6.39×10 ⁻⁵ 9; α(P)=7.01×10 ⁻⁶ 10 Mult.: From α(K)exp<0.066 (1986Br28). Note, that α(K)exp=0.42 30 and K/L=5.7 in 1976Ko13 are consistent with Mult=M1.
411.86 20	32.0 11	1379.4	15/2 ⁻	967.49	13/2 ⁻	M1+E2	-0.023 17	0.1966 28	%I _γ ≈5.2 α(K)=0.1606 23; α(L)=0.0275 4; α(M)=0.00646 9 α(N)=0.001652 23; α(O)=0.000338 5; α(P)=4.02×10 ⁻⁵ 6 Mult.: Other: α(K)exp=0.22 10 and K/L=5.3 in 1976Ko13.
532.4 6	3.12 18	2034.3		1501.89	(13/2 ⁺)				%I _γ ≈0.5
534.2 3	10.2 4	1501.89	(13/2 ⁺)	967.49	13/2 ⁻	[E1]		0.00865 12	%I _γ ≈1.7 α(K)=0.00714 10; α(L)=0.001153 16; α(M)=0.000269 4 α(N)=6.83×10 ⁻⁵ 10; α(O)=1.376×10 ⁻⁵ 19; α(P)=1.576×10 ⁻⁶ 22
537.5 2	24.0 [#] 15	1501.89	(13/2 ⁺)	964.40	11/2 ⁻	[E1]		0.00854 12	%I _γ ≈3.9 α(K)=0.00705 10; α(L)=0.001138 16; α(M)=0.000265 4 α(N)=6.74×10 ⁻⁵ 9; α(O)=1.359×10 ⁻⁵ 19; α(P)=1.556×10 ⁻⁶ 22
540.1 3	8.4 4	1504.40		964.40	11/2 ⁻				%I _γ ≈1.4
697.6 2	4.5 3	1665.1		967.49	13/2 ⁻				%I _γ ≈0.7
754.6 2	7.0 4	1719.15	(11/2,13/2) ⁺	964.40	11/2 ⁻	E1		0.00438 6	%I _γ ≈1.1

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$\gamma(^{201}\text{Bi})$ (continued)									
E_γ^\dagger	$I_\gamma^\ddagger\&$	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. [†]	δ^\dagger	$\alpha^\@$	Comments
798.5 3	2.02 20	1762.9		964.40	11/2 ⁻				$\alpha(\text{K})=0.00364\ 5$; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.000571\ 8$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.0001324\ 19$ $\alpha(\text{N})=3.37\times 10^{-5}\ 5$; $\alpha(\text{O})=6.82\times 10^{-6}\ 10$; $\alpha(\text{P})=7.94\times 10^{-7}\ 11$ Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}<0.007$ (1986Br28). $\%I_\gamma\approx 0.3$
964.3 2	82 3	964.40	11/2 ⁻	0	9/2 ⁻	M1(+E2)	-0.04 7	0.02109 33	$\%I_\gamma\approx 13.3$ $\alpha(\text{K})=0.01730\ 27$; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.00289\ 4$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.000677\ 10$ $\alpha(\text{N})=0.0001730\ 26$; $\alpha(\text{O})=3.54\times 10^{-5}\ 5$; $\alpha(\text{P})=4.23\times 10^{-6}\ 7$ Mult.: Other: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.0231\ 33$ (1986Br28).
967.4 2	96.9 15	967.49	13/2 ⁻	0	9/2 ⁻	E2		0.00746 10	$\%I_\gamma\approx 15.7$ $\alpha(\text{K})=0.00590\ 8$; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.001190\ 17$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.000285\ 4$ $\alpha(\text{N})=7.27\times 10^{-5}\ 10$; $\alpha(\text{O})=1.456\times 10^{-5}\ 20$; $\alpha(\text{P})=1.616\times 10^{-6}\ 23$ Mult.: Other: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.0058\ 11$ (1986Br28). Note that $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.011\ 5$ in 1976Ko13 is consistent with M1+E2.
1502.4 3	0.74 11	1501.89	(13/2 ⁺)	0	9/2 ⁻	(E3)		0.00677 9	$\%I_\gamma\approx 0.12$ $\alpha(\text{K})=0.00528\ 7$; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.001108\ 16$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.000267\ 4$ $\alpha(\text{N})=6.82\times 10^{-5}\ 10$; $\alpha(\text{O})=1.371\times 10^{-5}\ 19$; $\alpha(\text{P})=1.539\times 10^{-6}\ 22$; $\alpha(\text{IPF})=2.92\times 10^{-5}\ 4$ Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=0.005\ 2$ (1986Br28).
1504.3 3	0.78 18	1504.40		0	9/2 ⁻				$\%I_\gamma\approx 0.13$
1762.9 6	3.7 3	1762.9		0	9/2 ⁻				$\%I_\gamma\approx 0.6$

[†] From adopted gammas, unless otherwise stated.

[‡] From [1986Br28](#).

Estimated from coincidence intensities in [1986Br28](#).

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& For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by ≈ 0.162 .

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Decay Scheme

Legend

Intensities: I_γ per 100 parent decays

- $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{\text{max}}$
- $I_\gamma < 10\% \times I_\gamma^{\text{max}}$
- $I_\gamma > 10\% \times I_\gamma^{\text{max}}$

$^{13/2^+}_{84}\text{Po}_{117}$ 423.41 8.96 min I_2
 $Q_\epsilon = 4908$ I_3
 $\% \epsilon + \% \beta^+ \approx 55.0$

