

$^{159}\text{Tb}(^{48}\text{Ca},4\text{n}\gamma)$ [2018Au01,2017Au05](#)

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2018Au01,2017Au05: $E(^{48}\text{Ca})=198$ MeV ^{48}Ca beam was produced from the K-130 cyclotron of the Accelerator Laboratory at the University of Jyvaskyla. Target was $360 \mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$ self-supporting ^{159}Tb . Fusion-evaporation residues were separated using the He-filled recoil separator RITU and implanted into a double-sided silicon strip detector (DSSD) surrounded by a box array of silicon detectors of 28 Si PIN diodes in the GREAT spectrometer. Prompt γ rays were detected with the JUROGAM II array of 24 clover and 15 tapered Compton suppressed Ge detectors around the target position. A planar Ge detector was used to detect low-energy γ rays and x rays. Three clover Ge detectors around the DSSD chamber were used to detect higher-energy gamma rays. Measured $E\gamma$, $I\gamma$, $\gamma(\theta)$, $E(x\text{ ray})$, $I(x\text{ ray})$, $E\alpha$, $\gamma\gamma$ - and (ce) γ -coin, recoil-gated γ singles, recoil-isomer decay tagged γ singles. Deduced high-spin levels, J^π , half-lives of isomers, $K/(L+M+..)$ ratios, γ -ray multipolarities, configurations.

 ^{203}At Levels

E(level) [†]	J^π [‡]	T _{1/2}	Comments
0.0	9/2 ⁻		
221.40 20	7/2 ⁻		configuration: configuration= $\pi(f_{7/2}^{+1})$.
648.64 15	13/2 ⁻		configuration: Dominant $\pi(h_{9/2}^{+1}) \otimes 2^+$.
659.95 16	11/2 ⁻		configuration: Dominant $\pi(h_{9/2}^{+1}) \otimes 2^+$.
683.4 3	1/2 ⁺	3.5 ms 6	T _{1/2} : From recoil-ce(Δt) using events where ce are in coincidence with 462 γ observed in the focal place and 178 and 442 γ observed at the target position (2017Au05). configuration: $\pi(s_{1/2}^{+1})$.
861.3 6	3/2 ⁺		configuration: $\pi(d_{3/2}^{+1})$.
871.81 14	13/2 ⁺	2.8 ns 21	T _{1/2} : Using 761 γ -212 γ (Δt) and the centroid-shift method (2018Au01). configuration: $\pi(i_{13/2}^{+1})$.
1017.8 7	5/2 ⁺		configuration: $\pi(d_{5/2}^{+1})$.
1225.23 21	17/2 ⁻		configuration: Dominant $\pi(h_{9/2}^{+1}) \otimes 4^+$.
1303.6 8	7/2 ⁺		configuration: $\pi(d_{3/2}^{+1}) \otimes 2^+$.
1378.81 19	15/2 ⁺		configuration: Dominant $\pi(i_{13/2}^{+1}) \otimes 2^+$.
1503.8? 8	(9/2 ⁺)		configuration: $\pi(d_{5/2}^{+1}) \otimes 2^+$.
1633.15 19	17/2 ⁺		configuration: Dominant $\pi(i_{13/2}^{+1}) \otimes 2^+$.
1636.3 3	21/2 ⁻		configuration: Dominant $\pi(h_{9/2}^{+1}) \otimes 6^+$.
1695.38 19	17/2 ⁺		configuration: Dominant $\pi(h_{9/2}^{+1}) \otimes \nu(i_{13/2}^{-1}, p_{3/2}^{-1})$.
1870.0 12	11/2 ⁺		configuration: $\pi(d_{3/2}^{+1}) \otimes 4^+$.
1941.83 20	19/2 ⁺		configuration: Dominant $\pi(h_{9/2}^{+1}) \otimes \nu(i_{13/2}^{-1}, p_{3/2}^{-1})$.
1964.3 3	23/2 ⁻		configuration: Dominant $\pi(h_{9/2}^{+1}) \otimes 6^+$.
1980.4? 3	(21/2 ⁺)		configuration: Dominant $\pi(h_{9/2}^{+1}) \otimes \nu(i_{13/2}^{-1}, p_{1/2}^{-1})$. E(level): since the ordering of the 64-39 γ cascade is not established, level is either at 1980 or 2006 keV.
1992.6? 9	(23/2 ⁺)		
2044.2 3	25/2 ⁺	13.9 ns 14	T _{1/2} : From 286 γ -309 γ (Δt) and the centroid-shift method (2018Au01). configuration: Dominant $\pi(h_{9/2}^{+1}) \otimes \nu(i_{13/2}^{-1}, f_{5/2}^{-1})$.
2072.0 5	21/2 ⁻		configuration: Dominant $\pi(d_{5/2}^{+1}) \otimes 4^+$.
2098.5? 10	(13/2 ⁺)		T _{1/2} : From recoil- γ (Δt) spectrum produced by summing recoil-366 γ (Δt) and 577 γ (Δt) time spectra in 2018Au01 ; Other (2018Au01): 9.84 μs 28 from recoil- γ (Δt) spectrum produced by summing recoil-286 γ (Δt) and recoil-761 γ (Δt) time spectra.
2330.0 3	29/2 ⁺	9.77 μs 21	configuration: Dominant $\pi(h_{9/2}^{+2}, i_{13/2}^{+1})$.
2490.7 6			
2536.9? 9	(25/2 ⁺)		
2639.9 8	(25/2 ⁻)		
2751.2? 10			
2756.1 7			
2887.6 8			
2952.8 8			

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E(level) [†]	J [‡]	Comments
2989.2? 10		
3013.3? 10		
3071.4? 10		
3174.9? 11		
3250.2 6	33/2 ⁺	configuration: Dominant $\pi(h_{9/2}^{+2}, i_{13/2}^{+1}) \otimes 2^+$.
3311.2 8		
3318.6? 11	(29/2 ⁻)	
3349.5 11		
3485.5? [#] 8	(27/2 ⁺)	
3547.9 9		
3616.2 7		
3619.3? [#] 9	(29/2 ⁺)	
3768.5 10		
3770.4 8	37/2 ⁺	configuration: Dominant $\pi(h_{9/2}^{+2}, i_{13/2}^{+1}) \otimes 4^+$.
3772.8 12		
3842.7? [#] 10	(31/2 ⁺)	
3947.3? 8		
4102.1? [#] 10	(33/2 ⁺)	
4385.4? [#] 11	(35/2 ⁺)	
4638.8? [#] 12	(37/2 ⁺)	
4817.6? [#] 13	(39/2 ⁺)	
5011.2? [#] 13	(41/2 ⁺)	
5332.9? [#] 15	(43/2 ⁺)	
5713.9? [#] 16	(45/2 ⁺)	

[†] From a least-squares fit to E_γ.[‡] From 2017Au05 and 2018Au01.# Band(A): Dipole band. Configuration=π(i_{13/2}⁺¹)⊗ν(i_{13/2}⁻²) below the band crossing and π(h_{9/2}⁺²i_{13/2}⁺¹)⊗ν(i_{13/2}⁻²) above the band crossing. **$\gamma(^{203}\text{At})$**

E _γ [†]	I _γ [†]	E _f (level)	J _i ^π	E _f	J _f ^π	Mult. [‡]	Comments
(12.2 10)		1992.6?	(23/2 ⁺)	1980.4?	(21/2 ⁺)	[M1]	E _γ : From level energy difference.
38.5? [#] 2		1980.4?	(21/2 ⁺)	1941.83	19/2 ⁺	M1	Mult.: From intensity balance.
(50.6 12)		1992.6?	(23/2 ⁺)	1941.83	19/2 ⁺	[E2]	E _γ : From parallel γ-ray cascades depopulating the 3485.5-keV level: (1155.5 keV 8 + 285.8 keV 2 + 63.5 keV 3 + 38.5 keV 2) – (948.5 keV 7 + 544.2 keV 5).
63.5? [#] 3	2.5 8	2044.2	25/2 ⁺	1980.4?	(21/2 ⁺)	E2	I _γ : From I(γ+ce)=160 50 (2018Au01) and α. Mult.: From intensity balance.
(80.0 3)	6.8 17	2044.2	25/2 ⁺	1964.3	23/2 ⁻	(E1)	E _γ : Derived from 285.8 keV 2 and 365.8 keV 2 γ-ray energies depopulating the 2330 keV isomer. I _γ : From I(γ+ce)=8 2 (2018Au01) and α. Mult.: from intensity balance.
^x 101.7 4	1.9 ^b 2						
^x 110.1 4	2.2 ^b 2						A ₂ <0
^x 127.8 4	2.1 ^b 2						

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E_γ^\dagger	I_γ^\dagger	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. [‡]	Comments
133.8 4	5.1 ^a 10	3619.3?	(29/2 ⁺)	3485.5?	(27/2 ⁺)		$A_2 < 0$
156.6 ^f 5	15.7 ^f 11	1017.8	5/2 ⁺	861.3	3/2 ⁺	(M1+E2)	
177.9 ^f 5	100 ^f 5	861.3	3/2 ⁺	683.4	1/2 ⁺	(M1+E2)	
178.8 5	3.3 ^a 9	4817.6?	(39/2 ⁺)	4638.8?	(37/2 ⁺)		$(A_2 < 0)$.
193.6 4	3.5 ^a 6	5011.2?	(41/2 ⁺)	4817.6?	(39/2 ⁺)		$(A_2 < 0)$.
200.1 ^{fg} 5	10.8 ^f 9	1503.8?	(9/2 ⁺)	1303.6	7/2 ⁺		$A_2(<0)$ (2017Au05).
211.9 2	47.6 [@] 15	871.81	13/2 ⁺	659.95	11/2 ⁻		
^x 213.2 4	2.7 ^b 2						
214.3 ^g 4	10.8 ^d 10	2751.2?		2536.9?	(25/2 ⁺)		E_γ : From 2017Au05 .
221.4 2		221.40	7/2 ⁻	0.0	9/2 ⁻	M1+E2	Mult.: K/LM=1.67 10 (2017Au05).
223.2 2	7.5 5	871.81	13/2 ⁺	648.64	13/2 ⁻		I_γ : intensity from the 649-keV gated $\gamma\gamma$ -coin data, and normalized to the intensity of the 577-keV transition in the singles spectrum.
223.4 4	13 ^a 3	3842.7?	(31/2 ⁺)	3619.3?	(29/2 ⁺)		$A_2 < 0$
^x 228.9 4	2.9 ^b 2						$A_2 > 0$
246.5 2	10.1 ^{&} 6	1941.83	19/2 ⁺	1695.38	17/2 ⁺		$A_2 < 0$
253.4 4	10 ^a 2	4638.8?	(37/2 ⁺)	4385.4?	(35/2 ⁺)		$A_2 < 0$
254.3 2	15.4 ^{&} 8	1633.15	17/2 ⁺	1378.81	15/2 ⁺		$A_2 < 0$
259.4 4	16 ^a 3	4102.1?	(33/2 ⁺)	3842.7?	(31/2 ⁺)		$A_2 < 0$
265.4 5	1.6 ^c 6	2756.1		2490.7			$A_2 > 0$
283.3 4	13 ^a 2	4385.4?	(35/2 ⁺)	4102.1?	(33/2 ⁺)		$A_2 < 0$
285.8 2	100 10	2330.0	29/2 ⁺	2044.2	25/2 ⁺	E2	I_γ : From I($\gamma+ce$)=115 12 (2018Au01) and α . Mult.: from measured K/(L+M+..)=0.99 22 (2018Au01).
^x 287.3 4	2.2 ^b 2						$A_2 < 0$
308.7 2	36.3 [@] 12	1941.83	19/2 ⁺	1633.15	17/2 ⁺	(M1)	$A_2 < 0$
							Mult.: measured K/LM+ (2018Au01) consistent with M1 or E1, however, angular distribution data and previous measurements support M1.
316.5 2	8.5 [@] 6	1695.38	17/2 ⁺	1378.81	15/2 ⁺		$A_2 < 0$
^x 321.7 5	4.1 ^c 8						$A_2 > 0$
321.7 6	4.0 ^a 11	5332.9?	(43/2 ⁺)	5011.2?	(41/2 ⁺)		$A_2 < 0$
328.1 2	15.2 [@] 10	1964.3	23/2 ⁻	1636.3	21/2 ⁻		$A_2 < 0$
331.1 ^g 4	8.8 ^b 6	3947.3?		3616.2			$A_2 < 0$
365.8 2	82 8	2330.0	29/2 ⁺	1964.3	23/2 ⁻	E3	I_γ : From I($\gamma+ce$)=110 11 (2018Au01) and α . Mult.: from measured K/(L+M+..)=0.55 8 (2018Au01).
365.8 4	9.3 ^b 6	3616.2		3250.2	33/2 ⁺		$A_2 > 0$
381.0 6	4.4 ^a 13	5713.9?	(45/2 ⁺)	5332.9?	(43/2 ⁺)		$A_2 < 0$
411.2 2	41.8 [@] 14	1636.3	21/2 ⁻	1225.23	17/2 ⁻		$A_2 > 0$
423.3 ^b 6	4.6 ^c 14	3772.8		3349.5	(29/2 ⁻)		
423.7 ^b 5	5.4 ^d 7	3174.9?		2751.2?			$A_2 < 0$
^x 429.0 6	2.1 ^d 5						
^x 430.1 13	4.3 ^c 24						
435.5 6	9.5 ^c 24	2072.0	21/2 ⁻	1636.3	21/2 ⁻		$A_2 > 0$
442.2 ^f 6	82 ^f 4	1303.6	7/2 ⁺	861.3	3/2 ⁺	(E2)	Mult.: $A_2 > 0$ (2017Au05).
452.3 ^g 5	8.5 ^d 8	2989.2?		2536.9?	(25/2 ⁺)		$A_2 < 0$
462.0 2		683.4	1/2 ⁺	221.40	7/2 ⁻	E3	E_γ : From 2017Au05 . Mult.: K/LM=0.85 8 (2017Au05).

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E_γ^\dagger	I_γ^\dagger	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Comments
^x 467.8 8	1.4 ^c 8					
476.4 ^g 5	5.6 ^d 7	3013.3?		2536.9? (25/2 ⁺)		
486.1 ^{fg} 6	25 ^f 2	1503.8? (9/2 ⁺)		1017.8 5/2 ⁺		$A_2 > 0$ (2017Au05).
^x 506.8 5	3.8 ^b 4					$A_2 < 0$
506.9 2	44 ^{&} 3	1378.81	15/2 ⁺	871.81 13/2 ⁺		$A_2 < 0$
520.2 5	5.9 ^b 4	3770.4	37/2 ⁺	3250.2 33/2 ⁺		$A_2 > 0$
^x 526.9 5	1.7 ^b 3					$A_2 < 0$
534.5 ^g 5	5.3 ^d 8	3071.4?		2536.9? (25/2 ⁺)		$A_2 > 0$
544.2 ^g 5	26.4 ^e 9	2536.9? (25/2 ⁺)		1992.6? (23/2 ⁺)		$A_2 < 0$
566.4 ^f 9	20 ^f 2	1870.0	11/2 ⁺	1303.6 7/2 ⁺		$A_2 > 0$ (2017Au05).
567.4 ^g 5	7.9 ^d 10	3318.6?		2751.2?		$A_2 > 0$
567.9 ^g 6	8.5 ^c 15	2639.9	(25/2 ⁻)	2072.0 21/2 ⁻		$A_2 > 0$
576.5 2	79 [@] 3	1225.23	17/2 ⁻	648.64 13/2 ⁻		$A_2 > 0$
594.7 ^{fg} 6	16.2 ^f 13	2098.5? (13/2 ⁺)		1503.8? (9/2 ⁺)		
648.6 2	100 [@] 4	648.64	13/2 ⁻	0.0 9/2 ⁻		$A_2 > 0$
660.0 2	56 [@] 3	659.95	11/2 ⁻	0.0 9/2 ⁻		
684.1 ^g 7	7.6 ^c 15	2756.1		2072.0 21/2 ⁻		$A_2 > 0$
709.6 ^g 7	5.5 ^c 15	3349.5	(29/2 ⁻)	2639.9 (25/2 ⁻)		$A_2 > 0$
716.4 2	10.8 [@] 4	1941.83	19/2 ⁺	1225.23 17/2 ⁻		
761.4 2	32.2 [@] 10	1633.15	17/2 ⁺	871.81 13/2 ⁺		$A_2 > 0$
823.7 2	10.8 [@] 4	1695.38	17/2 ⁺	871.81 13/2 ⁺		$A_2 > 0$
847.0 7	13 ^c 2	2072.0	21/2 ⁻	1225.23 17/2 ⁻		$A_2 > 0$
854.3 7	11 ^c 2	2490.7		1636.3 21/2 ⁻		$A_2 > 0$
871.8 2	15.9 [@] 5	871.81	13/2 ⁺	0.0 9/2 ⁻		
919.7 7	20.7 ^b 11	3250.2	33/2 ⁺	2330.0 29/2 ⁺		$A_2 > 0$
923.3 7	2.5 ^c 8	2887.6		1964.3 23/2 ⁻		
948.5 ^g 7	8.6 ^e 3	3485.5?	(27/2 ⁺)	2536.9? (25/2 ⁺)		$A_2 < 0$
981.2 ^g 7	4.7 ^b 3	3311.2		2330.0 29/2 ⁺		$A_2 < 0$
988.5 7	7.8 ^c 14	2952.8		1964.3 23/2 ⁻		$A_2 < 0$
1155.5 ^g 8	2.24 ^e 13	3485.5?	(27/2 ⁺)	2330.0 29/2 ⁺		$A_2 < 0$
1217.8 ^g 8	1.5 ^b 2	3547.9		2330.0 29/2 ⁺		
1286.8 8	8.2 ^b 5	3616.2		2330.0 29/2 ⁺		
1438.4 ^g 9	2.9 ^b 3	3768.5		2330.0 29/2 ⁺	($A_2 < 0$).	

[†] From 2018Au01, unless otherwise stated.[‡] From CE and angular distribution data in 2018Au01, unless otherwise stated.

Ordering of the 64- and 39-keV transitions is not firmly established.

⑧ Intensities are normalized to $I_\gamma=100$ for the 648.6 γ , depopulating the 649 keV level, and obtained from recoil-gated γ -ray data (2018Au01).& Intensity from the 660-keV gated $\gamma\gamma$ -coin data, and normalized to the intensity of the 761-keV transition in singles spectrum (2018Au01).“ Intensities are normalized to $I_\gamma=16$ for the 259.4 γ in the cascade, and obtained from $\gamma\gamma$ -coin data gated with 949-keV transition depopulating the 3486-keV level (2018Au01).b Intensities are normalized to $I_\gamma=20.7$ for the 919.7 γ depopulating the 3250-keV level, and obtained from recoil-isomer-decay tagged, singles data.

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 $\gamma(^{203}\text{At})$ (continued)

^c Intensities are normalized to $I\gamma=41.8$ *14* for the 411.2γ depopulating the 1636-keV level in the recoil-gated singles spectrum, and obtained from $\gamma\gamma\gamma$ -coin data produced by gating on the 649- and 577-keV transition depopulating the 649-keV and 1225-keV levels, respectively.

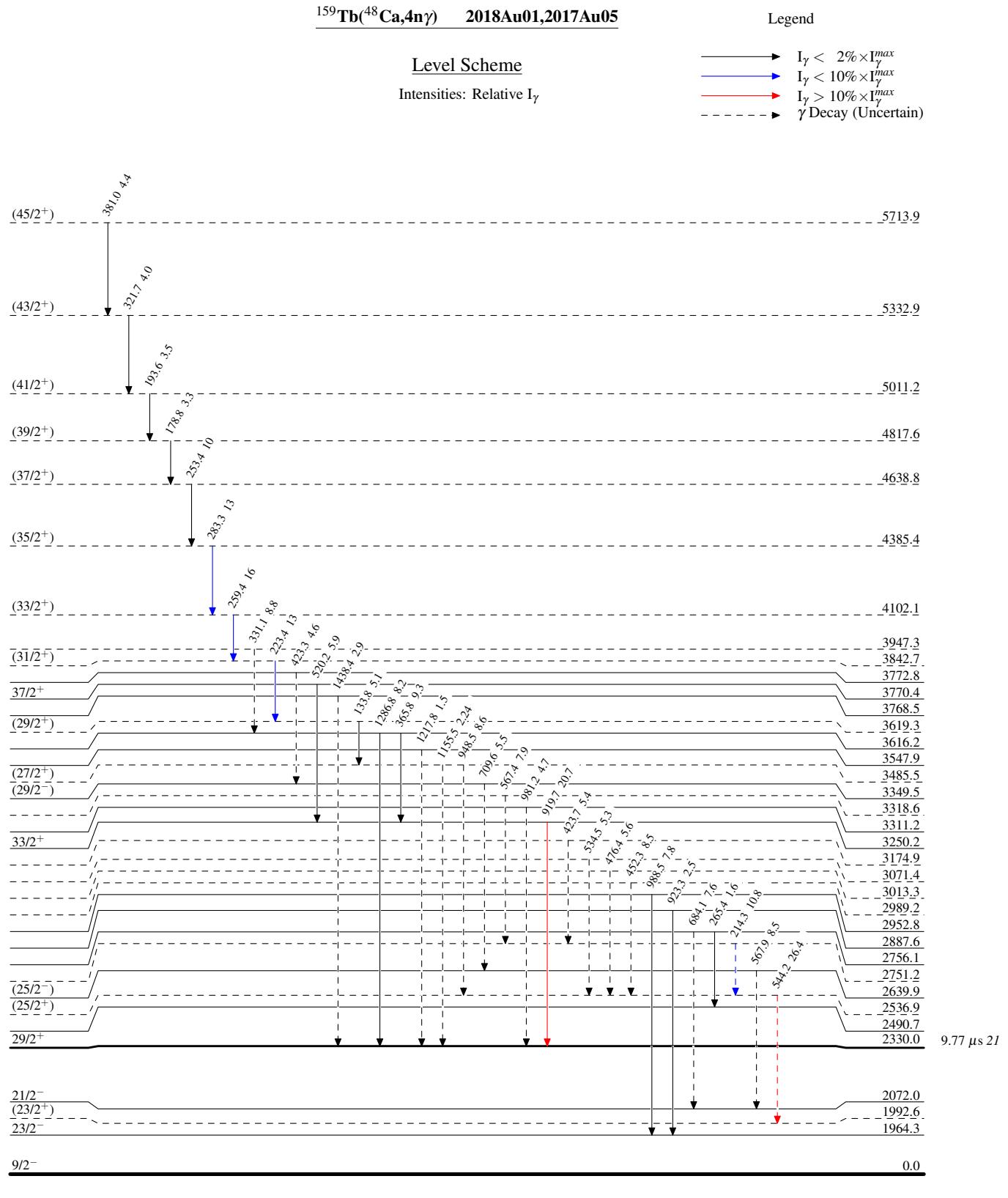
^d Intensities are normalized to $I\gamma=10.8$ *10* for the 214.3γ depopulating the 2751-keV level, and obtained from $\gamma\gamma$ -coin data produced by gating on the 544-keV transition depopulating the 2537-keV level.

^e From recoil gated singles spectrum.

^f From 2017Au05.

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

^x γ ray not placed in level scheme.



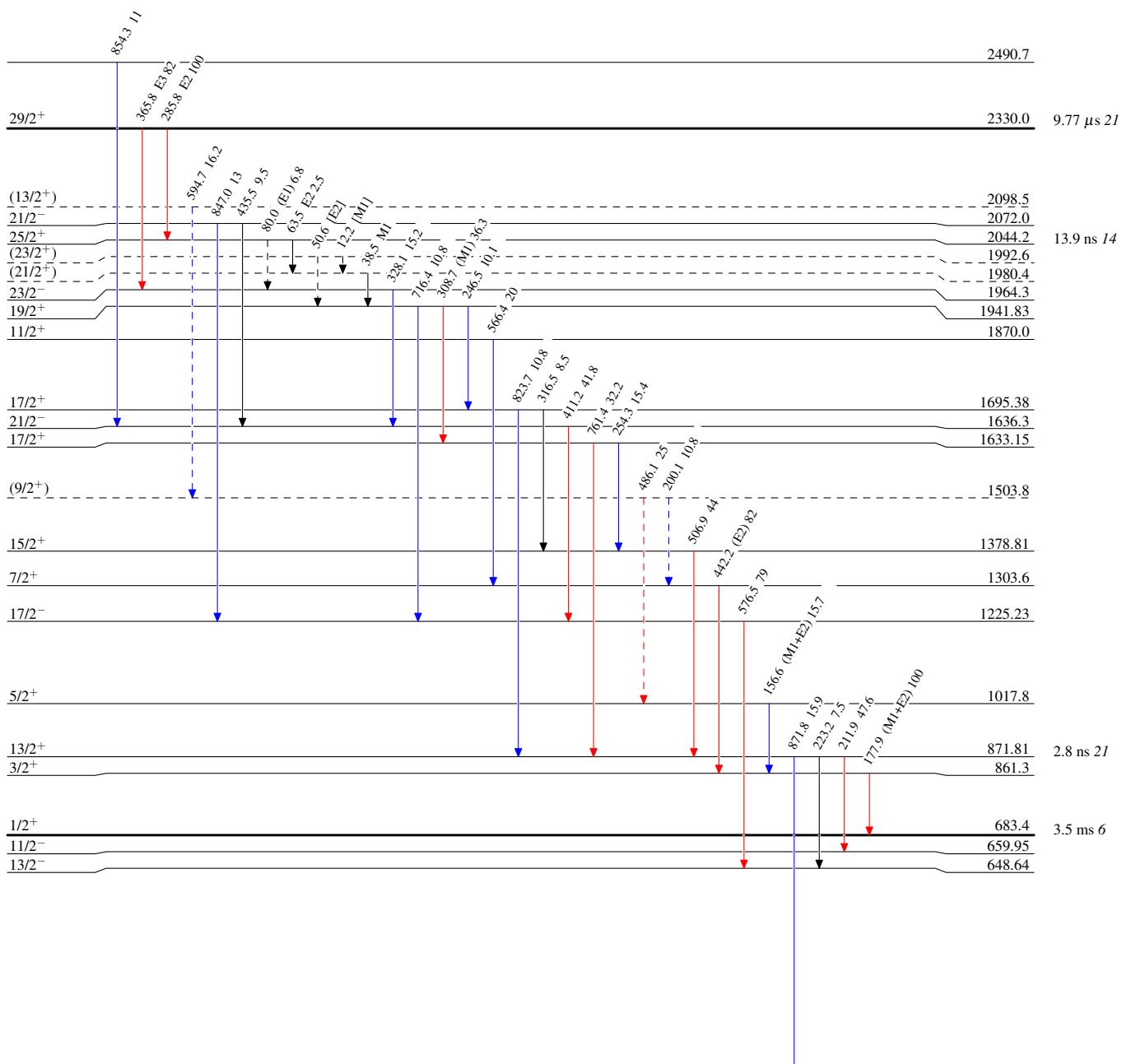
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Legend

Level Scheme (continued)

Intensities: Relative I_γ

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

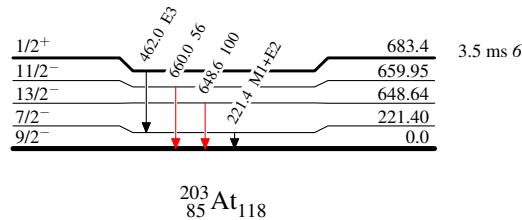


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Legend

Intensities: Relative I_γ

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



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