

²¹¹Pb β⁻ decay

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Parent: ²¹¹Pb: E=0.0; J^π=9/2⁺; T_{1/2}=36.1 min 2; Q(β⁻)=1367 6; %β⁻ decay=100.0
²¹¹Pb-%β⁻ decay: 100%.

²¹¹Bi Levels

The decay scheme is that proposed by 1965Me07 with modifications from 1967Da10, 1968Ha21, and 1971Da34.

E(level) [†]	J ^π [‡]	T _{1/2} [‡]	Comments
0.0	9/2 ⁻	2.14 min 2	
404.866 9	7/2 ⁻	0.317 ns 12	g=1.27 20 J ^π : γγ(θ), γγ(pol) establish J=7/2 (1968Da07,1968Go15). T _{1/2} : weighted average of 0.318 ns 14 (γγ(t) 1966Go19) and 0.315 ns 20 (βγ(t) 1963Va05). g: from γγ(θ,h) (liquid source, H=18.3 kG and T _{1/2} =0.317 ns 11, 1965Ag03).
766.539 16	(9/2,11/2) ⁻		
831.960 12	9/2 ⁻	<90 ps	J ^π : γγ(θ) establishes J=9/2. T _{1/2} : from βγ(t) (1963Va05).
951?			
1014.40 4	7/2 ⁻ ,9/2 ⁻ ,11/2 ⁻		
1080.15 5			
1103.5 2			
1109.485 23	9/2 ⁻		
1196.33 5			
1234.3 4			
1270.72 6	(7/2,9/2,11/2)		

[†] From least-squares fit to E_γ, excluding the 677γ which fits its placement poorly; this results in a reduced χ² of 4.2 compared with a critical value of 2.25 and a value of 25.9 when all E_γ data are included.

[‡] From Adopted Levels.

β⁻ radiations

E(decay)	E(level)	Iβ ⁻ ^{†‡}	Log ft	Comments
(96 6)	1270.72	0.0186 11	5.91 9	av Eβ=25.3 17
(133 6)	1234.3	0.0013 3	7.49 12	av Eβ=35.3 17
(171 6)	1196.33	0.017 3	6.71 9	av Eβ=45.9 18
(258 6)	1109.485	0.83 4	5.58 4	av Eβ=71.3 18
(264 6)	1103.5	0.0046 7	7.87 8	av Eβ=73.1 18
(287 6)	1080.15	0.056 6	6.90 6	av Eβ=80.2 19
(416 [#] 6)	951?	0.022 13	7.8 3	av Eβ=120.7 20
(535 6)	831.960	6.28 10	5.7330 18	av Eβ=160.2 21
(962 6)	404.866	1.63 9	7.19 3	E(decay),Iβ ⁻ : Eβ=525 25, Iβ=5.5 8 from F-K analysis of β(830γ) (1963Va05). av Eβ=313.7 23
(1367 6)	0.0	91.32 12	5.990 8	E(decay),Iβ ⁻ : Eβ=951 25, Iβ=1.4 5 from F-K analysis of β(404γ+427γ) (1963Va05). av Eβ=135.3 24 E(decay): Eβ=1378 8, from F-K analysis (1965Co06). Other: 1355 25 (1963Va05). Iβ ⁻ : from I(γ+ce) imbalance at ²¹¹ Bi g.s. Others (from F-K analysis): 93 2 (1965Co06), 92.4 15 (1963Va05).

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$^{211}\text{Pb } \beta^- \text{ decay (continued)}$ β^- radiations (continued)

† Calculated from I(γ +ce) imbalance at each level.

‡ Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

Existence of this branch is questionable.

²¹¹Pb β⁻ decay (continued)

γ(²¹¹Bi)

I_γ normalization: from (0.99724 4)×(0.1295 11)=0.1291 11; where ²¹¹Bi α decay branching=99.724% 4 and I(351.06γ,²⁰⁷Tl)=12.95% 11 of ²¹¹Bi α decay. All I_γ(²¹¹Pb) have been measured relative to I(351.06γ in ²⁰⁷Tl)=100 in sources where ²¹¹Pb is in equilibrium with its daughter, ²¹¹Bi.

Others: 1967CaZY, 1962Gi03.

All ce intensities have been measured relative to I(ce(K) 351.06γ). The evaluator has renormalized all Ice to give α(K)(351.06γ, ²⁰⁷Tl)=0.199. The α(exp) quoted are the weighted averages of all measured and renormalized Ice divided by adopted I_γ.

The data presented include information from the following references:

E_γ,I_γ: 1988Hi14, 1976Bl13, 1971Da34, 1968Br17, 1968Go15, 1968Ha21, 1967Da10, 1967Da20, 1965Me07
 α: 1971Ra30, 1968Go15, 1965Br35, 1965Co06, 1965Me07, 1963Va05, 1938Ch04
 γγ, sum γγ: 1971Da34, 1968Go15, 1968Ha21, 1967Da10, 1965Me07, 1963Va

05
 γγ(θ),γγ(θ,pol): 1968Da07, 1968Go15, 1965Ag03, 1965Co06, 19 1964Uh01, 1963Va05

γγ(t): 1966Go19
 β⁻: 1967Sc39, 1965Co06, 1963Va05
 βγ: 1967Sc39
 βγ(t): 1963Va05
 βγ(θ): 1971Ra30

Kα₁ x ray(Tl)/Kα₁ x ray(Bi)=3.12 4 (1971Da34).
 Kα₁ x ray(Tl)/I(65.420γ)=15.5 2 (1971Da34).
 I(65.402γ)/x-ray(Tl)=0.029 10 (1965Me07).

E _γ [†]	I _γ ^{‡b}	E _i (level)	J _i ^π	E _f	J _f ^π	Mult.	δ [#]	α ^c	Comments
65.420 14	0.60 [@] 4	831.960	9/2 ⁻	766.539	(9/2,11/2) ⁻	M1		6.58	α(L)=5.02 7; α(M)=1.182 17; α(N+..)=0.372 6 α(N)=0.302 5; α(O)=0.0618 9; α(P)=0.00735 11 Mult.: from L1/L2=6.8 (1965Br35), 10 (1938Ch04); α(L)exp=7.2 (Ice(L)(1938Ch04)/I _γ). (theory: L1/L2=9.39 20).
^x 81.0 [@] 2	0.35 [@] 9								
^x 83.8 [@] 1	0.45 [@] 7								
^x 88.2 [@] 2	0.13 [@] 3								
^x 94.3 [@] 3	0.09 [@] 2								
95.0 [@] 2	0.14 [@] 2	1109.485	9/2 ⁻	1014.40	7/2 ⁻ ,9/2 ⁻ ,11/2 ⁻	M1+E2	1.6 +5-3	9.4 4	α(K)=3.0 9; α(L)=4.8 5; α(M)=1.25 12; α(N+..)=0.38 4 α(N)=0.32 3; α(O)=0.059 6; α(P)=0.0048 4 Mult.,δ: from α(K)exp=2.8 9 (K x ray/γ in γγ, 1965Me07).
^x 97.3 [@] 2	0.09 [@] 1								
^x 244 ^a	0.3 ^a 1								
313.59 9	0.24 [@] 3	1080.15		766.539	(9/2,11/2) ⁻				

²¹¹Pb β⁻ decay (continued)

γ(²¹¹Bi) (continued)

<u>E_γ[†]</u>	<u>I_γ^{‡b}</u>	<u>E_i(level)</u>	<u>J_i^π</u>	<u>E_f</u>	<u>J_f^π</u>	<u>Mult.</u>	<u>δ[#]</u>	<u>α^c</u>	<u>Comments</u>
342.91 4	0.27@ 4	1109.485	9/2 ⁻	766.539	(9/2,11/2) ⁻	[M1,E2]		0.20 12	α(K)=0.16 11; α(L)=0.035 11; α(M)=0.0085 22; α(N+...)=0.0027 7 α(N)=0.0022 6; α(O)=0.00043 13; α(P)=4.7×10 ⁻⁵ 20 E _γ : a 361-keV γ was deduced from γγ data (1968Ha21). I _γ : from 1976B113.
362.072 ^d 17	0.33 2	766.539	(9/2,11/2) ⁻	404.866	7/2 ⁻				α(K)=0.095 7; α(L)=0.0206 8; α(M)=0.00498 17; α(N+...)=0.00156 6 α(N)=0.00127 5; α(O)=0.000254 10; α(P)=2.79×10 ⁻⁵ 13 Mult.: from ce data. α(K)exp=0.099 5 (average of renormalized measurements of 1971Ra30,1968Go15,1965Co06,1965Me07,1963Va05) ; L1/L2=2.1 (1965Br35); K/L=4 1 (1965Co06) (theory: L1/L2=3.12 27,K/L=4.6 4). δ: from -1.15 (γγ(θ,pol) 1968Go15) and 0.98 +8-7 (from α(K)exp).
404.853 10	29.3 4	404.866	7/2 ⁻	0.0	9/2 ⁻	M1+E2	-1.1 1	0.122 8	α(K)=0.1457 21; α(L)=0.0250 4; α(M)=0.00586 9; α(N+...)=0.00184 3 α(N)=0.001497 21; α(O)=0.000306 5; α(P)=3.65×10 ⁻⁵ 6 Mult.: from α(K)exp=0.143 17 (weighted average of renormalized values of 1968Go15,1965Co06,1965Me07,1963Va05); K/L=7 2 (1965Co06); L1/L2=5.0 (1965Br35). (theory: K/L=5.84 12, L1/L2=9.78 23). δ: from γγ(θ): 9/2(427γ)7/2(405γ)9/2 cascade with δ(405γ)=-1.1 1 and A ₂ =-0.094 6 (weighted average of measurements by 1968Da07,1968Go15,1965Co06,1964Uh01,1963Va05) . Other: 0.17 15 γγ(θ,pol) (1968Go15).
427.088 10	13.6 3	831.960	9/2 ⁻	404.866	7/2 ⁻	M1+E2	-0.022 9	0.1784	
430@ 1	0.05@ 2	1196.33		766.539	(9/2,11/2) ⁻				
^x 478.0@ 4	0.10@ 2								
^x 479.62& 20	0.04& 1								
^x 481.1@ 4	0.20@ 4								
^x 481.92& 12	0.08& 1								
^x 491.82& 12	0.032& 6								
^x 494.2& 3	0.013& 5								
^x 500.4@ 5	0.09@ 2								
^x 502.0& 2	0.028& 6								

²¹¹Pb β⁻ decay (continued)

γ(²¹¹Bi) (continued)

<u>E_γ[†]</u>	<u>I_γ^{‡b}</u>	<u>E_i(level)</u>	<u>J_i^π</u>	<u>E_f</u>	<u>J_f^π</u>	<u>Mult.</u>	<u>δ[#]</u>	<u>α^c</u>	<u>Comments</u>
504.12 & 12 546 ^d	0.045 & 6	1270.72 951?	(7/2,9/2,11/2)	766.539 404.866	(9/2,11/2) ⁻ 7/2 ⁻				E _γ : γ not observed; existence deduced from γγ data (1968Ha21).
609.38 4 676.69 7	0.33 5 0.10 3	1014.40 1080.15	7/2 ⁻ ,9/2 ⁻ ,11/2 ⁻	404.866 404.866	7/2 ⁻ 7/2 ⁻				E _γ : fits poorly; E _γ excluded from least-squares fit.
704.64 3	3.58 8	1109.485	9/2 ⁻	404.866	7/2 ⁻	M1+E2	-0.022 7	0.0476	α(K)=0.0390 6; α(L)=0.00657 10; α(M)=0.001540 22; α(N+..)=0.000484 7 α(N)=0.000394 6; α(O)=8.05×10 ⁻⁵ 12; α(P)=9.61×10 ⁻⁶ 14 Mult.: from α(K)exp=0.036 5 (weighted average of renormalized values of 1968Go15 and 1963Va05); γγ(θ). δ: from γγ(θ): 9/2(705γ)7/2(405γ)9/2 cascade with δ(405γ)=-1.1 1 and A ₂ =-0.094 4 (weighted average of measurements by 1968Da07,1968Go15,1965Ag03,1965Co06,1963Va05); δ=0.4 +3-4 from α(K)exp.
766.51 3	4.78 12	766.539	(9/2,11/2) ⁻	0.0	9/2 ⁻	M1		0.0382	α(K)=0.0313 5; α(L)=0.00527 8; α(M)=0.001234 18; α(N+..)=0.000388 6 α(N)=0.000316 5; α(O)=6.45×10 ⁻⁵ 9; α(P)=7.71×10 ⁻⁶ 11 Mult.: from α(K)exp=0.041 5 (weighted average of renormalized values of 1968Go15 and 1965Me07).
832.01 3	27.3 4	831.960	9/2 ⁻	0.0	9/2 ⁻	M1+E2	0.39 +18-25	0.0281 24	α(K)=0.0230 20; α(L)=0.0039 3; α(M)=0.00092 7; α(N+..)=0.000288 22 α(N)=0.000235 18; α(O)=4.8×10 ⁻⁵ 4; α(P)=5.7×10 ⁻⁶ 5 Mult.,δ: from α(K)exp=0.023 2 (weighted average of renormalized values of 1968Go15,1965Me07,1963Va05).
865.93 14 951 ^d	0.046 3 0.17 10	1270.72 951?	(7/2,9/2,11/2)	404.866 0.0	7/2 ⁻ 9/2 ⁻				E _γ ,I _γ : from 1968Ha21, not observed by other investigators.
1014.64 5 1080.16 6	0.134 4 0.095 5	1014.40 1080.15	7/2 ⁻ ,9/2 ⁻ ,11/2 ⁻	0.0 0.0	9/2 ⁻ 9/2 ⁻				
^x 1090.5 @ 5	0.020 @ 5								
1103.52 & 20 1109.48 5 1196.33 5	0.036 5 0.89 3 0.079 3	1103.5 1109.485 1196.33	9/2 ⁻	0.0 0.0 0.0	9/2 ⁻ 9/2 ⁻ 9/2 ⁻				

^{211}Pb β^- decay (continued)

$\gamma(^{211}\text{Bi})$ (continued)

<u>E_γ</u> [†]	<u>I_γ</u> ^{‡b}	<u>E_i(level)</u>	<u>J_i^π</u>	<u>E_f</u>	<u>J_f^π</u>
1234.3 [@] 4	0.010 [@] 2	1234.3		0.0	9/2 ⁻
1270.71 8	0.053 4	1270.72	(7/2,9/2,11/2)	0.0	9/2 ⁻

[†] From [1976Bi13](#), unless otherwise noted. The energies quoted by [1976Bi13](#) have been adjusted by the evaluator for a change in calibration energies (compare [1979He19](#)). The change is +10 eV for 300 < E_γ < 500 keV and +50 eV for E_γ > 600 keV.

[‡] Weighted average of measurements by [1988Hi14](#), [1976Bi13](#), [1971Da34](#), [1968Br17](#), [1968Go15](#), [1968Ha21](#), [1967Da10](#), [1967Da20](#), and [1965Me07](#), unless otherwise noted.

[#] If δ is given without a sign, then the sign of δ is not known.

[@] From [1971Da34](#).

[&] From [1988Hi14](#).

^a From [1968Ha21](#).

^b For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.1291 *II*.

^c Total theoretical internal conversion coefficients, calculated using the BrIcc code ([2008Ki07](#)) with Frozen orbital approximation based on γ -ray energies, assigned multipolarities, and mixing ratios, unless otherwise specified.

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

^x γ ray not placed in level scheme.

$^{211}\text{Pb} \beta^-$ decay

Decay Scheme

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

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

