

²²⁰Fr α decay 1996Sh05,1968Ba73

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Parent: ²²⁰Fr: E=0; J π =1⁺; T_{1/2}=27.4 s 3; Q(α)=6800.7 19; % α decay=99.65 5

1996Sh05: Radioactivity of ²²⁰Fr (from ²²⁴Ac(α -decay), produced by Th(p,X), E=200 MeV); ISOCLEL separator; Ge detectors; measured E α , I α , E γ , I γ , $\alpha\gamma$, α (ce).

1974Ho27, 1968Ba73: measured E α , I α .

1970Br29: measured γ , $\gamma\gamma$.

Others: 1964Br16, 1964Mc21.

²¹⁶At Levels

The level scheme is that proposed by 1996Sh05 and based on their measurements of E γ , I γ and $\alpha\gamma$; on E α and I α of 1968Ba73; and on $\gamma\gamma$ of 1970Br29. The level configurations are from 1996Sh05.

E(level) [†]	J π [‡]	Comments
0@	1 ⁻	
44.59@ 4	(2) ⁻	
57.11@ 15	(4) ⁻	Possible isomeric level which undergoes direct α decay to ²¹² Bi (1996Sh05).
105.89@ 5	(0) ⁻	
122.0@ 2	(5) ⁻	
153.4& 1	(2) ⁻	
160.73& 5	(1) ⁻	
169.3@ 1	(3) ⁻	
199.2& 2	(3) ⁻	
208.0 1	(1,2) ⁻	
234.6 2	(1,2) ⁻	
254.8 4		
278.2& 2	(4) ⁻	
302.8 2	(1,2) ⁻	
317# 3		
381.1 2	(2 ⁻ ,3 ⁻)	
421.5 4		
479.3?		

[†] From least squares fit to E γ .

[‡] From Adopted Levels.

From E α .

@ Band(A): Configuration= $((\pi h_{9/2})^{+3}(\nu g_{9/2})^{+5})$.

& Band(B): Configuration= $((\pi h_{9/2})^{+3}(\nu g_{9/2})^{+4}(\nu i_{11/2})) + ((\pi h_{9/2})^{+2}(\pi f_{7/2})(\nu g_{9/2})^{+5})$.

α radiations

E α [†]	E(level)	I α ^{‡&}	HF [@]
6260	421.5	<0.005	>2560
6303.1 30	381.1	0.015	1278
6363.9 25	317	0.01	3536
6378.2 20	302.8	0.35	116

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²²⁰Fr α decay **1996Sh05,1968Ba73 (continued)**

α radiations (continued)

$E\alpha^\dagger$	E(level)	$I\alpha^\ddagger\&$	HF [@]	$E\alpha^\dagger$	E(level)	$I\alpha^\ddagger\&$	HF [@]	$E\alpha^\dagger$	E(level)	$I\alpha^\ddagger\&$	HF [@]
6402.1 20	278.2	1.25	41	6508.6 25	169.3	0.6	233	6620 [#] 3	57.11	1.6	240
6427.6 20	254.8	0.24	264	6516.5 25	160.73	3.0	50	6633 [#] 4	44.59	12.2	35
6444.8 25	234.6	≈ 0.01	≈ 7658	6524.2 25	153.4	2.5	65	6677 [#] 4	0	66	9.6
6471.5 25	208.0	1.3	75	6555	122.0	<0.6	>353				
6480.1 25	199.2	0.6	177	6573 [#] 4	105.89	9.0	28				

[†] From 1968Ba73, except where noted otherwise. Authors' values have been increased by 1.5 keV to correct for more recent values of calibration energies (1991Ry01). Others: 1964Br16, 1964Mc21, 1974Ho27.

[‡] From 1996Sh05 (corrected values of 1968Ba73, priv. comm. from C.F. Liang).

[#] From 1991Ry01, based on measurements of 1968Ba73 and 1974Ho27.

[@] $r_0(^{216}\text{At})=1.553\ 3$, unweighted average of $r_0(^{214}\text{Po})=1.559\ 8$, $r_0(^{216}\text{Po})=1.5555\ 2$, $r_0(^{216}\text{Rn})=1.554\ 6$ and $r_0(^{218}\text{Rn})=1.5446\ 19$.

[&] For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.9965 5.

$\gamma(^{216}\text{At})$

All γ data are from 1996Sh05.

$I\gamma(\text{K x ray At})=82\ 5$ per 1000 α (1996Sh05). If all the observed γ 's above the K-shell binding energy are M1, yielding the largest possible number of K x ray, the evaluator obtained total $I(\text{K x ray})=68\ 2$ per 1000 α 's.

E_γ	$I_\gamma^{\ddagger\&}$	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult.	$\alpha^\#$	Comments
^x 34.6 2	0.07 2							
44.60 5	5.6 2	44.59	(2) ⁻	0	1 ⁻	M1	24.6	$\alpha(\text{L})=18.7\ 3$; $\alpha(\text{M})=4.44\ 7$; $\alpha(\text{N+..})=1.430\ 21$ $\alpha(\text{N})=1.150\ 17$; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.246\ 4$; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.0340\ 5$ Mult.: $\alpha(\text{L})\text{exp}=20\ 4$.
(45.8)		199.2	(3) ⁻	153.4	(2) ⁻			
(47.3)		208.0	(1,2) ⁻	160.73	(1) ⁻			
54.8 1	0.15 5	160.73	(1) ⁻	105.89	(0) ⁻	[M1]	13.43	$\alpha(\text{L})=10.22\ 16$; $\alpha(\text{M})=2.42\ 4$; $\alpha(\text{N+..})=0.781\ 12$ $\alpha(\text{N})=0.628\ 10$; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.1344\ 21$; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.0186\ 3$ $\alpha(\text{L})=56.4\ 9$; $\alpha(\text{M})=15.10\ 25$; $\alpha(\text{N+..})=4.73\ 8$ $\alpha(\text{N})=3.89\ 7$; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.761\ 13$; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.0757\ 13$ Mult.: $\alpha(\text{L}23)\text{exp}=54\ 15$.
61.3 1	0.7 1	105.89	(0) ⁻	44.59	(2) ⁻	E2	76.3	$\alpha(\text{L})=6.23\ 10$; $\alpha(\text{M})=1.476\ 22$; $\alpha(\text{N+..})=0.476\ 7$ $\alpha(\text{N})=0.382\ 6$; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.0819\ 12$; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.01131\ 17$ Mult.: $\alpha(\text{L})\text{exp}=11\ 4$.
64.9 1	0.5 1	122.0	(5) ⁻	57.11	(4) ⁻	M1	8.18	
^x 75.7 1	0.3 1							
96.4 [@]	<0.4	153.4	(2) ⁻	57.11	(4) ⁻	(E2)	9.00	$\alpha(\text{L})=6.62$; $\alpha(\text{M})=1.77$; $\alpha(\text{N+..})=0.608$ Mult.: $\alpha(\text{L})\text{exp}>3.0$.
105.88 5	3.0 2	105.89	(0) ⁻	0	1 ⁻	M1	10.27	$\alpha(\text{K})=8.30\ 12$; $\alpha(\text{L})=1.502\ 22$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.356\ 5$; $\alpha(\text{N+..})=0.1146\ 17$ $\alpha(\text{N})=0.0921\ 13$; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.0197\ 3$; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.00272\ 4$ Mult.: $\alpha(\text{L})\text{exp}=1.8\ 3$.
108.8 1	0.45 6	153.4	(2) ⁻	44.59	(2) ⁻	M1	9.51	$\alpha(\text{K})=7.69\ 11$; $\alpha(\text{L})=1.388\ 20$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.329\ 5$; $\alpha(\text{N+..})=0.1059\ 15$ $\alpha(\text{N})=0.0852\ 13$; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.0182\ 3$; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.00252\ 4$ Mult.: $\alpha(\text{L})\text{exp}=1.5\ 5$.
112.1 2	0.05 2	169.3	(3) ⁻	57.11	(4) ⁻	[M1+E2]	6.8 20	$\alpha(\text{K})=4\ 4$; $\alpha(\text{L})=2.3\ 10$; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.6\ 3$; $\alpha(\text{N+..})=0.18\ 9$ $\alpha(\text{N})=0.15\ 8$; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.030\ 14$; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.0034\ 11$

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^{220}Fr α decay **1996Sh05,1968Ba73** (continued) $\gamma(^{216}\text{At})$ (continued)

E_γ	I_γ †‡	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult.	$\alpha^\#$	Comments
116.2 1	0.35 5	160.73	(1) ⁻	44.59	(2) ⁻	M1	7.88	$\alpha(\text{K})=6.38$ 9; $\alpha(\text{L})=1.148$ 17; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.272$ 4; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.0876$ 13 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.0705$ 10; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.01509$ 22; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.00208$ 3 Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=14$ 5.
124.7 1	0.70 6	169.3	(3) ⁻	44.59	(2) ⁻	[M1+E2]	4.7 17	$\alpha(\text{K})=2.8$ 25; $\alpha(\text{L})=1.5$ 6; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.38$ 16; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.12$ 5 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.10$ 4; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.020$ 8; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.0022$ 6
128.7 2	0.12 4	234.6	(1,2) ⁻	105.89	(0) ⁻			
132.8 3	0.07 3	254.8		122.0	(5) ⁻			
^x 138.3 2	0.23 5							
^x 139.7 1	0.31 5							
142.1 1	0.8 1	199.2	(3) ⁻	57.11	(4) ⁻	M1	4.45	$\alpha(\text{K})=3.60$ 5; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.645$ 10; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.1527$ 22; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.0492$ 7 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.0396$ 6; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.00847$ 12; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.001170$ 17 Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=7.0$ 23.
153.4 1	2.6 2	153.4	(2) ⁻	0	1 ⁻	M1	3.58	$\alpha(\text{K})=2.90$ 4; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.518$ 8; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.1227$ 18; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.0395$ 6 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.0318$ 5; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.00681$ 10; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.000940$ 14 Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=4.2$ 8.
154.5 3	0.4 1	199.2	(3) ⁻	44.59	(2) ⁻	M1	3.51	$\alpha(\text{K})=2.84$ 5; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.508$ 8; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.1203$ 19; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.0387$ 6 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.0312$ 5; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.00667$ 10; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.000921$ 14 Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=4.5$ 12.
156.1 1	1.1 2	278.2	(4) ⁻	122.0	(5) ⁻	M1	3.41	$\alpha(\text{K})=2.76$ 4; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.493$ 7; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.1168$ 17; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.0376$ 6 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.0303$ 5; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.00648$ 10; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.000895$ 13 Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=4.4$ 10.
160.73 5	3.8 2	160.73	(1) ⁻	0	1 ⁻	M1	3.14	$\alpha(\text{K})=2.54$ 4; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.454$ 7; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.1075$ 15; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.0346$ 5 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.0278$ 4; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.00596$ 9; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.000823$ 12 Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=3.8$ 7.
163.4 1	1.8 2	208.0	(1,2) ⁻	44.59	(2) ⁻	M1	2.99	$\alpha(\text{K})=2.42$ 4; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.433$ 7; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.1025$ 15; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.0330$ 5 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.0266$ 4; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.00569$ 8; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.000786$ 11 Mult.: $\alpha(\text{K})\text{exp}=2.7$ 5.
173.0 3	0.06 3	381.1	(2 ⁻ ,3 ⁻)	208.0	(1,2) ⁻			
182.1 4	0.05 2	381.1	(2 ⁻ ,3 ⁻)	199.2	(3) ⁻			
196.9 2	0.20 5	302.8	(1,2) ⁻	105.89	(0) ⁻			
208.0 4	0.07 3	208.0	(1,2) ⁻	0	1 ⁻	[M1+E2]	1.0 6	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.7$ 6; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.213$ 7; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.0535$ 19; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.0170$ 5 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.0138$ 5; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.00285$ 6; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.00035$ 5
^x 218.6 4	0.10 3							
221.1 3	0.20 5	278.2	(4) ⁻	57.11	(4) ⁻	[M1+E2]	0.8 5	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.6$ 5; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.173$ 13; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.0431$ 9; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.0137$ 4 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.01116$ 23; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.00230$ 13; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.00028$ 6
^x 222.2 5	0.08 3							
233.6 2	0.35 6	278.2	(4) ⁻	44.59	(2) ⁻	[E2]	0.291	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.1183$ 17; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.1281$ 19; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.0339$

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E_γ	I_γ †‡	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Comments
						5; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.01068$ 16 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.00875$ 13; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.00174$ 3; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.000186$ 3
^x 242.0 3	0.09 3					
258.2 2	0.48 10	302.8	(1,2 ⁻)	44.59	(2) ⁻	
260.5 5	0.07 3	421.5		160.73	(1) ⁻	
268.3 4	0.09 3	421.5		153.4	(2) ⁻	
302.7 4	0.30 5	302.8	(1,2 ⁻)	0	1 ⁻	
318.6@ 4	0.25 5	479.3?		160.73	(1) ⁻	
323.9 7	0.10 3	381.1	(2 ⁻ ,3 ⁻)	57.11	(4) ⁻	
^x 336.0 10	0.05 2					
381.0 5	0.32 5	381.1	(2 ⁻ ,3 ⁻)	0	1 ⁻	
^x 410.0 10	0.05 2					

† I γ per 1000 α 's.‡ For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 9.965×10^{-2} 5.# 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.

@ Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

^x γ ray not placed in level scheme.

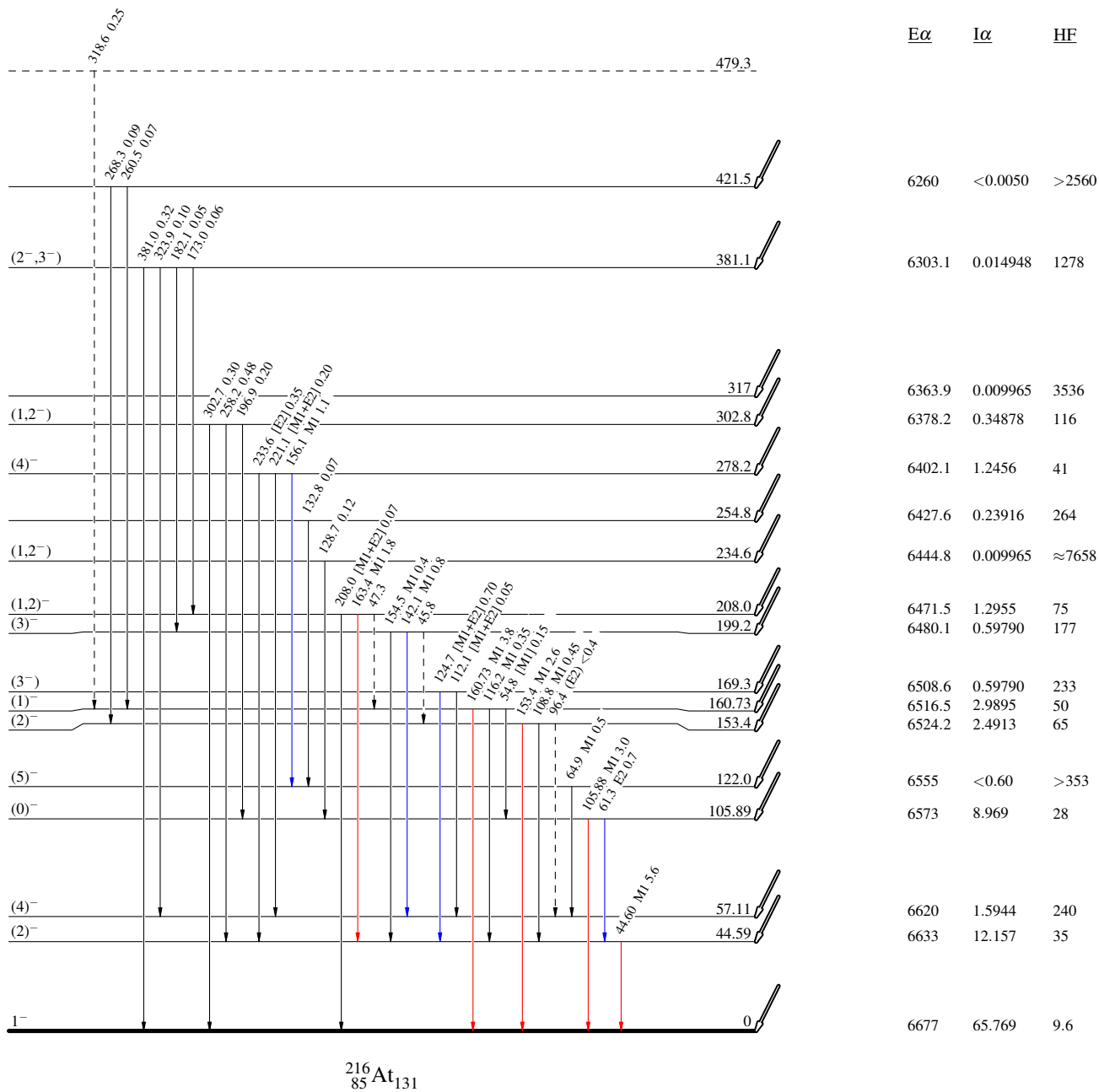
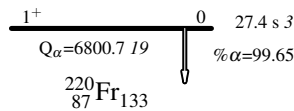
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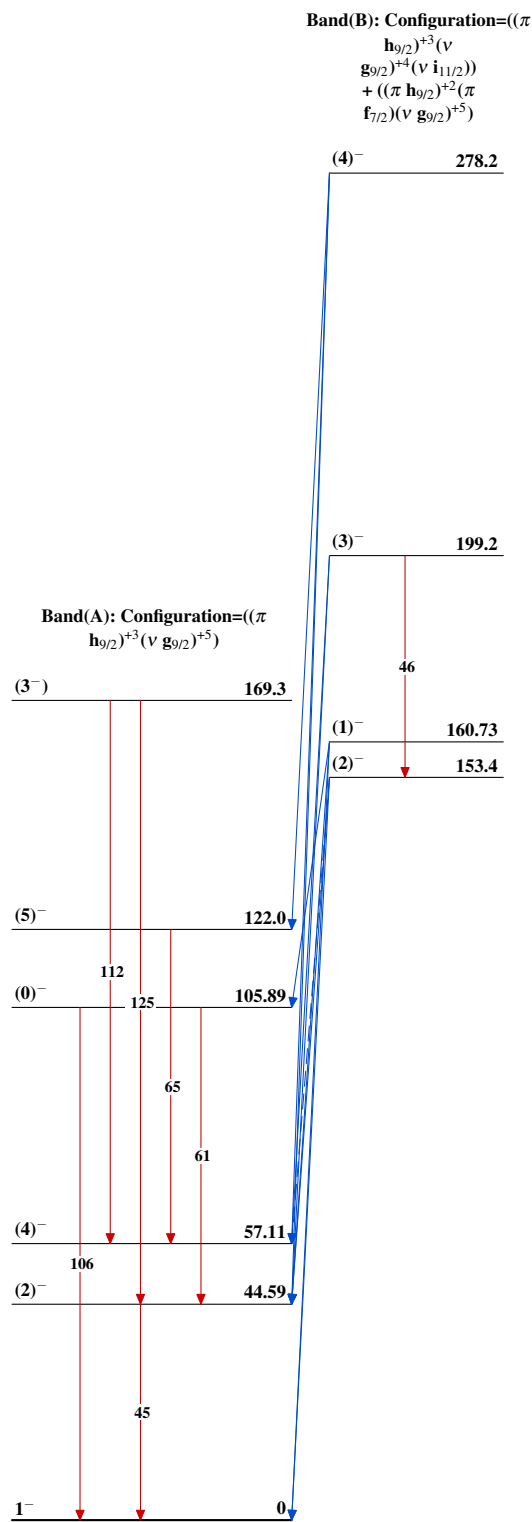
Decay Scheme

Legend

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

Intensities: Relative I_γ



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