

^{220}Rn α decay [1977Ku15](#)

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Parent: ^{220}Rn : $E=0$; $J^\pi=0^+$; $T_{1/2}=55.6$ s *I*; $Q(\alpha)=6404.67$ *IO*; $\% \alpha$ decay=100.0

[1977Ku15](#): ^{220}Rn activity from decay chain of ^{232}U ; E_γ , I_γ measured; Ge(Li) detectors.

[1989Po03](#): ^{220}Rn activity from decay chain of ^{228}Th ; measured E_γ , I_γ , $\alpha\gamma$ -coin. $\gamma(\theta)$; POLYTESSA array, 24 Compton suppressed Ge(L) detectors.

 ^{216}Po Levels

E(level)	J^π	$T_{1/2}$	Comments
0	0^+	0.145 s <i>2</i>	$T_{1/2}$: from 1963Di05 . Others: 0.158 s <i>8</i> (1942Wa04), 0.145 s <i>15</i> (1911Mo01).
549.73 <i>5</i>	2^+		E(level): from E_γ . J^π : $\alpha\gamma(\theta)$ from 0^+ parent (1989Po03).

 α radiations

E_α	E(level)	I_α^\ddagger	HF †	Comments
5747	549.73	0.114 <i>17</i>	3.2 <i>5</i>	E_α : from 1962Wa28 ; other: 5.75 MeV (1989Po03). I_α : from I_γ . 1962Wa28 report $I_\alpha=0.07$ <i>2</i> .
6288.08 <i>10</i>	0	99.886 <i>17</i>	1.0	E_α : from 1991Ry01 based on measurement by 1971Gr17 . I_α : from $I_\alpha(5747\alpha)$ and requirement that $\Sigma I_\alpha=100$.

† HF(6288.08 α)=1.00 yields $r_0(^{216}\text{Po})=1.5555$ *2* ([1998Ak04](#)).

‡ Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

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

E_γ	I_γ^\dagger	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult.	Comments
549.73 <i>5</i>	0.114 <i>17</i>	549.73	2^+	0	0^+	(E2)	E_γ : from 1977Ku15 . I_γ : I_γ per 100 decays; recommended value from 1986LoZT based on measurements by 1984Ge07 , 1977Ku15 . Mult.: from $\alpha\gamma(\theta)$ (α decay of $J^\pi=0^+$ parent) (1989Po03).

† Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

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