

Adopted Levels

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Q(β^-)=560 5; S(n)=5795 4; S(p)=4701 4; Q(α)=5439.4 7 [2012Wa38](#)

Q(ϵ)=1310.5 28, S(2n)=12892 5, S(2p)=11300 3 ([2012Wa38](#)).

Additional information 1.

[1948St42](#): ²³⁰Pa produced and identified in Th(d,F) at E(d)=19 MeV; and Th(α ,F) at E(α)=38 MeV using cyclotron at Berkeley laboratory; measured half-life from beta-decay curve. Later the isotope was confirmed by [1949Os01](#) and several other studies dealing with γ rays and conversion electrons, see decay dataset for ²³⁰Pa to ²³⁰Th.

See [1976Ga11](#), [1980Ku14](#) and [1981Re06](#) for calculations of fission-barrier heights based on fission probability deduced in (³He,tF) reaction by [1976Ga11](#).

See also:

Calculated Half-lives and Q(α): [2011Sa40](#).

Cluster radioactivity: [2011Sh13](#).

[2010Su15](#), [2008Mo11](#): ²³²Th(p,3n), deduced $\sigma(\theta,E)$.

All configurations are from [2013Ko11](#).

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Cross Reference (XREF) Flags

- A ²³⁰Th(³He,t):IAS
- B ²³¹Pa(pol d,t)

E(level)	J $^{\pi}$	T _{1/2}	XREF	Comments
0.0 [#]	2 ⁻	17.4 d 5	B	<p>$\% \alpha = 0.0032$ 1; $\% \beta^- = 7.8$ 7; $\% \epsilon + \% \beta^+ = 92.2$ 7 $\mu = 2.00$ 29 (1989He07,2011StZZ) $\% \alpha = 0.0032$ 1 (1966Ba14); 0.0031 5 (1965Br32); 0.0043 7 (1964Mc21); 0.003 (1950Me08). $\% \beta^-$ and $\% \epsilon$ branchings have been deduced by evaluators using γ-ray data and decay schemes given in 1994Ac02 and 1972Va24. See also ²³⁰Pa ϵ Decay. Other values: $\% \beta^- = 10.4$ 5 (1966Ba14); 9.6 8 (1970Lo02); 8.4 13 (1971Ku25); 7.9 10 from ϵ and β^- decay schemes. Other measurements: 1948St42, 1955On07. T_{1/2}: average of 17.0 d 5 (1948St42) and 17.7 d 5 (1949Os01). μ: Static nuclear orientation with γ-ray detection (1989He07). J$^{\pi}$: β feedings to 1⁻ and 3⁺ states in ²³⁰Th; finger-print method in (pol d,t). Analogy to ²³¹Pa and to ²²⁹Th would suggest that the odd proton and odd neutron in ²³⁰Pa are in the 1/2[530] and 5/2[633] orbits, respectively. From the Gallagher-Moszkowski coupling rule, these states would be expected to couple to J$^{\pi} = 2^-$. 1989He07 suggests octupole deformation in ²³⁰Pa ground state with a proton in the 5/2[642] and a neutron in the 1/2[631] orbitals by comparing measured and calculated μ values for various Nilsson states. $\mu(^{231}\text{Pa g.s.}) = 1.98$, $\mu(^{233}\text{Pa g.s.}) = 3.4$ 8; the odd protons are in 3/2⁻, 1/2[530] state for both isotopes. $\mu = -0.4038$ 24 for ²²⁷Ra in 3/2[631] neutron state, and $\mu = +0.45$ 4 for its isotope ²²⁹Th in 5/2[633] neutron state.</p>
28 [#] 1	(3 ⁻)		B	
48 [@] 1	(2 ⁻)		B	
66 [#] 1	(4 ⁻)		B	
69 [@] 2	(3 ⁻)		B	
104 [@] 1	(4 ⁻)		B	
112 [#] 1	(5 ⁻)		B	
146 [@] 1	(5 ⁻)		B	

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<u>E(level)</u>	<u>J^{π}</u>	<u>XREF</u>
157& <i>l</i>	(3 ⁻)	B
170# <i>l</i>	(6 ⁻)	B
199& <i>l</i>	(4 ⁻)	B
202 ^a <i>l</i>	(0 ⁻)	B
223 <i>l</i>		B
237 ^a <i>l</i>	(2 ⁻)	B
247& <i>l</i>	(5 ⁻)	B
259 ^b <i>l</i>	(1 ⁻)	B
284 ^b <i>l</i>	(2 ⁻)	B
297 ^a <i>l</i>	(1 ⁻)	B
312 [†] & <i>l</i>	(6 ⁻)	B
312 [†] ^b <i>l</i>	(3 ⁻)	B
322 ^a <i>l</i>	(4 ⁻)	B
341 ^c <i>l</i>	(1 ⁻)	B
350 ^b <i>l</i>	(4 ⁻)	B
357 ^a <i>l</i>	(3 ⁻)	B
373 ^c <i>l</i>	(2 ⁻)	B
401 ^b <i>l</i>	(5 ⁻)	B
409 <i>l</i>		B
423 ^c <i>l</i>	(3 ⁻)	B
437 <i>l</i>		B
455 ^a <i>l</i>	(6 ⁻)	B
465 [†] ^a <i>l</i>	(5 ⁻)	B
465 [†] ^b <i>l</i>	(6 ⁻)	B
488 [†] ^c <i>l</i>	(4 ⁻)	B
488 [†] ^d <i>l</i>	(0 ⁺)	B
497 <i>l</i>		B
506 <i>l</i>		B
518 ^d <i>l</i>	(2 ⁺)	B
532 <i>l</i>		B
538 <i>l</i>		B
559 ^d <i>l</i>	(1 ⁺)	B
580 <i>l</i>		B
594 ^d <i>l</i>	(4 ⁺)	B
605 <i>l</i>		B
618 ^d <i>l</i>	(3 ⁺)	B
634 <i>l</i>		B
641 <i>l</i>		B
662 <i>l</i>		B
689 ^e <i>l</i>	(1 ⁺)	B
713 ^e <i>l</i>	(2 ⁺)	B
735 ^f <i>l</i>	(2 ⁺)	B
747 ^e <i>l</i>	(3 ⁺)	B
755 <i>l</i>		B
772 ^f <i>l</i>	(3 ⁺)	B
795 ^e <i>l</i>	(4 ⁺)	B
807 <i>l</i>		B
828 ^f <i>l</i>	(4 ⁺)	B
865 <i>l</i>		B

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E(level)	J ^π ‡	T _{1/2}	XREF	Comments
873 ^g <i>l</i>	(1 ⁺)		B	
887 ^h <i>l</i>	(2 ⁺)		B	
906 ^g <i>l</i>	(2 ⁺)		B	
921 ^h <i>l</i>	(3 ⁺)		B	
944 <i>l</i>			B	
958 ^g <i>l</i>	(3 ⁺)		B	
969 ^h <i>l</i>	(4 ⁺)		B	
992 <i>l</i>			B	
1012 <i>l</i>			B	
1026 ^{†g} <i>l</i>	(4 ⁺)		B	
1026 ^{†h} <i>l</i>	(5 ⁺)		B	
1035 ⁱ <i>l</i>	(3 ⁺)		B	
1057 <i>l</i>			B	
1092 ⁱ <i>l</i>	(4 ⁺)		B	
1112 ^g <i>l</i>	(5 ⁺)		B	
1129 <i>l</i>			B	
1145 <i>l</i>			B	
1163 ⁱ <i>l</i>	(5 ⁺)		B	
1173 <i>l</i>			B	
1195 <i>l</i>			B	
1211 ^g <i>l</i>	(6 ⁺)		B	
1218 <i>l</i>			B	
1243 <i>l</i>			B	
1256 <i>l</i>			B	
1318 <i>l</i>			B	
1336 <i>l</i>			B	
1349 <i>l</i>			B	
1361 <i>l</i>			B	
17763 <i>l8</i>	0 ⁺	210 keV <i>l1</i>	A	%p=56 6 (1991Ja04) Γ _p =118 keV <i>l4</i> (1991Ja04) Spreading width (neutron and fission decays)=92 keV <i>l4</i> (1991Ja04). Deduced Coulomb displacement energy=19856 keV <i>l7</i> (1991Ja04). J ^π : IAS of ²³⁰ Th g.s. Γ from 1991Ja04.

† 312, 465, 488 and 1026 are interpreted as doublets from analysis of measured cross sections and comparison with theoretical values for assigned configurations.

‡ From fingerprint method (2013Ko11) in (pol d,t), unless otherwise specified.

Band(A): K^π=2⁻, π1/2[530]+ν3/2[631]. While configuration=π1/2[530]+ν3/2[631], p=2⁻ is more probable, π1/2[530]-ν5/2[633], K^π=2⁻ cannot be ruled out.

@ Band(B): K^π=2⁻, π1/2[530]-ν5/2[633]. While configuration=π1/2[530]-ν5/2[633], p=2⁻ is more probable, π1/2[530]+ν3/2[631], K^π=2⁻ cannot be ruled out.

& Band(C): K^π=3⁻, π1/2[530]+ν5/2[633].

^a Band(D): K^π=0⁻, π1/2[530]-ν1/2[631].

^b Band(E): K^π=1⁻, π1/2[530]-ν3/2[631].

^c Band(F): K^π=1⁻, π1/2[530]+ν1/2[631].

^d Band(G): K^π=0⁺, π1/2[530]-ν1/2[501].

^e Band(H): K^π=1⁺, π1/2[530]+ν1/2[501].

^f Band(I): K^π=2⁺, π1/2[530]+ν3/2[501].

^g Band(J): K^π=1⁺, π1/2[530]-ν3/2[501].

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^h Band(K): $K^\pi=2^+, \pi 1/2[530]-\nu 5/2[503]$.

ⁱ Band(L): $K^\pi=3^+, \pi 1/2[530]+\nu 5/2[503]$.

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					Band(F): $K^\pi=1^-$, $\pi 1/2[530]+v 1/2[631]$
					<u>(4⁻) 488</u>
		Band(D): $K^\pi=0^-$, $\pi 1/2[530]-v 1/2[631]$		Band(E): $K^\pi=1^-$, $\pi 1/2[530]-v 3/2[631]$	
		<u>(5⁻) 465</u>		<u>(6⁻) 465</u>	
		<u>(6⁻) 455</u>			
					<u>(3⁻) 423</u>
				<u>(5⁻) 401</u>	
					<u>(2⁻) 373</u>
			<u>(3⁻) 357</u>	<u>(4⁻) 350</u>	
		Band(C): $K^\pi=3^-$, $\pi 1/2[530]+v 5/2[633]$			<u>(1⁻) 341</u>
		<u>(6⁻) 312</u>	<u>(4⁻) 322</u>		
			<u>(1⁻) 297</u>	<u>(3⁻) 312</u>	
				<u>(2⁻) 284</u>	
				<u>(1⁻) 259</u>	
		<u>(5⁻) 247</u>			
			<u>(2⁻) 237</u>		
		<u>(4⁻) 199</u>	<u>(0⁻) 202</u>		
Band(A): $K^\pi=2^-$, $\pi 1/2[530]+v 3/2[631]$					
<u>(6⁻) 170</u>		Band(B): $K^\pi=2^-$, $\pi 1/2[530]-v 5/2[633]$			
		<u>(3⁻) 157</u>			
		<u>(5⁻) 146</u>			
<u>(5⁻) 112</u>		<u>(4⁻) 104</u>			
		<u>(3⁻) 69</u>			
<u>(4⁻) 66</u>		<u>(2⁻) 48</u>			
<u>(3⁻) 28</u>					
<u>2⁻ 0.0</u>					

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		Band(J): $K^\pi=1^+$, $\pi 1/2[530]-\nu 3/2[501]$		Band(L): $K^\pi=3^+$, $\pi 1/2[530]+\nu 5/2[503]$
		<u>(6⁺)</u> <u>1211</u>		<u>(5⁺)</u> <u>1163</u>
		<u>(5⁺)</u> <u>1112</u>		<u>(4⁺)</u> <u>1092</u>
			Band(K): $K^\pi=2^+$, $\pi 1/2[530]-\nu 5/2[503]$	
		<u>(4⁺)</u> <u>1026</u>	<u>(5⁺)</u> <u>1026</u>	<u>(3⁺)</u> <u>1035</u>
			<u>(4⁺)</u> <u>969</u>	
		<u>(3⁺)</u> <u>958</u>		<u>(3⁺)</u> <u>921</u>
			<u>(2⁺)</u> <u>906</u>	
			<u>(2⁺)</u> <u>887</u>	
		<u>(1⁺)</u> <u>873</u>		
	Band(I): $K^\pi=2^+$, $\pi 1/2[530]+\nu 3/2[501]$			
	<u>(4⁺)</u> <u>828</u>			
	<u>(4⁺)</u> <u>795</u>			
		<u>(3⁺)</u> <u>772</u>		
	<u>(3⁺)</u> <u>747</u>			
		<u>(2⁺)</u> <u>735</u>		
	<u>(2⁺)</u> <u>713</u>			
	<u>(1⁺)</u> <u>689</u>			
	Band(G): $K^\pi=0^+$, $\pi 1/2[530]-\nu 1/2[501]$			
	<u>(3⁺)</u> <u>618</u>			
	<u>(4⁺)</u> <u>594</u>			
	<u>(1⁺)</u> <u>559</u>			
	<u>(2⁺)</u> <u>518</u>			
	<u>(0⁺)</u> <u>488</u>			