

$^{231}\text{Fr} \beta^-$ decay (17.6 s) 2001Fr05

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Parent: ^{231}Fr : E=0.0; $J^\pi=(1/2^+)$; $T_{1/2}=17.6$ s 6; $Q(\beta^-)=3864$ 14; % β^- decay=100.0

$^{231}\text{Fr}-J^\pi, T_{1/2}$: From ^{231}Fr Adopted Levels.

$^{231}\text{Fr}-Q(\beta^-)$: From 2021Wa16.

2001Fr05: ^{231}Fr was produced by spallation of 1 GeV proton beam on uranium targets. The activity was mass-separated at CERN ISOLDE on-line separator, deposited on a magnetic tape, and then radiations counted at two stations. Measured $E\gamma$, $I\gamma$, ce , $\beta\gamma$, $\gamma\gamma$ - and (ce) γ -coin, using HPGe detector for γ rays, plastic scintillators for β^- particles, and a cooled Si(Li) detector with a magnetic mini-orange filter for conversion electrons. Additional measurements were done with the OSIRIS fission product separator in Sweden. See also 2001Bo34 from the same lab and group.

1985Hi02: ^{231}Fr produced in spallation reaction of ^{238}U induced by 600 MeV protons from the CERN synchrocyclotron, followed by mass-separation using the ISOLDE II online separator. Measured $E\gamma$, $I\gamma$, x rays, $T_{1/2}$ of ^{231}Fr decay. Three γ rays in ^{231}Ra were reported, which are listed in comments in this dataset.

The decay scheme proposed by 2001Fr05 is essentially based on analogy with the structure of N=143 isotope ^{233}Th . Evaluators consider the decay scheme to be incomplete in many ways: 1. many γ rays, carrying, significant transition intensities, are unplaced; 2. multipolarities of some of the low-energy transitions, with expected high internal conversion, are not known precisely; 3. with Q value of 3864 keV, the highest proposed level in ^{231}Ra is at 1774 keV, which leaves the possibility of either unobserved or unplaced transitions in the decay scheme; 4. several transitions are multiply placed with undivided intensities; 5. the $\gamma\gamma$ -coin results are available only in a few cases. In this scenario, all the β feedings and log ft values should be treated as tentative.

 ^{231}Ra Levels

E(level) [†]	J^π [‡]	$T_{1/2}$ [#]	Comments
0.0	(5/2 ⁺)	103.9 s 14	$T_{1/2}$: from Adopted Levels. J^π : Nilsson assignment $v5/2[622]$ to this bandhead is based on the energy of the $v5/2[622]$ orbital in ^{233}Th . Also on the retardation of the 66-keV E2 γ ray from the $1/2^+$, $v1/2[631]$ state (at 66 keV) to the $5/2^+$, $v5/2[622]$ (ground state).
46.23 11	(7/2 ⁺)		E(level): level (2001Fr05) in comparison to a low-energy level in N=143 isotope ^{233}Th , and from 49.3-keV transition from the 95.5-keV level.
66.21 9	(1/2 ⁺)	≈ 53 μ s	Configuration: $7/2^+$ member of configuration= $v5/2[622]$. J^π : Nilsson orbital assignment $v1/2[631]$ to this level is based on the expected energy of this orbital, and on the systematics of the B(E1) ratios between γ rays from the $1/2$, $1/2[501]$ state to the $1/2^+$ and $3/2^+$ members of the $1/2[631]$ rotational band in several odd-A nuclei near ^{231}Ra .
87.64 13	(3/2 ⁺)		$T_{1/2}$: from 66.2 γ (t) and $K_{\alpha 2}$ x-ray(t). 2001Fr05 mention that the half-life is an estimate only, and has significant systematic and statistical uncertainties.
95.50 9	(5/2 ⁻)	4.72 ns 6	Configuration: $3/2^+$ member of $v1/2[631]$. J^π : Nilsson orbital assignment $v5/2[572]$ to this level is based on the expected energy of this orbital, and on the similarity of B(E1) ratios between γ rays from the $5/2[752]$ to the $5/2^+$ and $7/2^+$ members of the $5/2[622]$ rotational band in ^{231}Th and ^{229}Ra .
285.62 16	(5/2 ⁺)		$T_{1/2}$: from $\beta\gamma$ (t). Other: 4.35 ns 44 from $\beta\gamma\gamma$ (t). J^π : Nilsson orbital assignment $v5/2[633]$ to this level is based on the expected energy of this orbital, and on the similarity of B(M1) ratios between γ rays from the $5/2[633]$ to the $5/2^+$ and $7/2^+$ members of the $5/2[622]$ rotational band in ^{233}Th .
397.33 13	(3/2 ⁺)		J^π : Nilsson orbital assignment $v3/2[631]$ to this level is based on the expected energy of this orbital, and on the similarity of B(M1) ratios between γ rays to members of the $1/2[631]$ and $5/2[622]$ rotational bands.
455.0 4	(1/2 ⁻ to 9/2 ⁻)		
458.95 16	(1/2 ⁻ , 3/2 ⁻)	≤ 15 ps	$T_{1/2}$: from $\beta\gamma\gamma$ (t).
503.33 21	(1/2, 3/2, 5/2 ⁺)		
511.36 15	(1/2 ⁺ , 3/2 ⁺)		

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E(level) [†]	J [‡]	T _{1/2} [#]	Comments
520.29 14	(1/2 ⁻)	92 ps 5	J ^π : Nilsson orbital assignment ν1/2[501] to this level is based on the characteristic β^- decay pattern between the 1/2[400] (ground state in ^{231}Fr) and 1/2[501] orbitals in several odd-A nuclei near ^{231}Ra . See also arguments for Nilsson orbital assignment to ^{231}Fr ground state. T _{1/2} : from $\beta\gamma\gamma(t)$.
605.4 3	(1/2 ⁻ ,3/2,5/2 ⁺)		
620.59 24	(3/2,5/2,7/2)	≤ 12.5 ps	T _{1/2} : from $\beta\gamma\gamma(t)$.
646.6 4	(1/2 ⁻ to 7/2)		
740.72 18	(3/2 ⁺ ,5/2 ⁺)		
750.86 18	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)		
760.5 4	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)		
772.80 15	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2)		
796.2 3	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)		
834.63 18	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁺)		
929.2 4	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)		
931.9 3	(1/2,3/2,5/2)		
944.31 22	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁺)		
971.1 6	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)		
1138.79 24	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)		
1634.1 4	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)		
1693.3 3	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁺)		
1718.2 3	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)		
1730.1 4	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)		
1773.90 25	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)		

[†] Deduced from a least-squares fit to γ -ray energies. The gamma rays with uncertain placements are included in the fitting procedure.

[‡] From the Adopted Levels.

[#] From $\beta\gamma(t)$ or $\beta\gamma\gamma(t)$ for excited states above 80 keV, using Advanced Time Delayed system ([2001Fr05](#), also [2001Bo34](#)).

 β^- radiations

E(decay)	E(level)	I β^- ^{†#}	Log f β^- [‡]	Comments
(2090 14)	1773.90	2.4 4	6.3	av E β =757.2 58
(2134 14)	1730.1	1.4 2	6.5	av E β =775.3 58
(2146 14)	1718.2	0.9 1	6.7	av E β =780.2 58
(2171 14)	1693.3	2.0 2	6.4	av E β =790.5 58
(2230 14)	1634.1	1.0 2	6.8	av E β =814.9 58
(2725 14)	1138.79	0.7 2	7.3	av E β =1021.9 59
(2893 14)	971.1	0.28 5	7.8	av E β =1092.5 59
(2920 14)	944.31	0.9 1	7.3	av E β =1103.8 59
(2932 14)	931.9	0.4 1	7.6	av E β =1109.0 59
(2935 14)	929.2	0.2 1	7.9	av E β =1110.1 59
(3029 14)	834.63	1.1 2	7.2	av E β =1150.0 60
(3068 14)	796.2	1.0 2	7.3	av E β =1166.3 60
(3091 14)	772.80	1.9 3	7.0	av E β =1176.2 60
(3104 14)	760.5	0.5 2	7.6	av E β =1181.4 60
(3113 14)	750.86	2.4 2	6.9	av E β =1185.4 60
(3123 14)	740.72	1.7 3	7.1	av E β =1189.7 60
(3217 @ 14)	646.6	0.10 9	8.4	av E β =1229.6 60
(3243 14)	620.59	1.6 2	7.2	av E β =1240.6 60

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E(decay)	E(level)	$I\beta^-$ ^{†#}	$\log f\beta^{\ddagger}$	Comments
(3259 14)	605.4	1.4 3	7.3	av $E\beta=1247.0$ 60
(3344 14)	520.29	45 3	5.8	av $E\beta=1283.1$ 60
(3353 14)	511.36	1.0 2	7.5	av $E\beta=1286.8$ 60
(3361 14)	503.33	0.8 1	7.6	av $E\beta=1290.2$ 60
(3405 14)	458.95	1.2 2	7.4	av $E\beta=1309.1$ 60
(3409 14)	455.0	0.13 3	8.4	av $E\beta=1310.7$ 60
(3467 14)	397.33	3.3 4	7.0	av $E\beta=1335.2$ 60
(3578 ^④ 14)	285.62	2.8 3	7.1	av $E\beta=1382.6$ 60 $I\beta^-$: β feeding of 2.8% is unrealistic for $\Delta J=2$, $\Delta\pi=\text{no}$.
(3769 ^④ 14)	95.50	<0.6	>9.4 ^{1u}	av $E\beta=1420.3$ 60 $I\beta=0.1$ 5.
(3798 14)	66.21	31 15	6.2	av $E\beta=1475.8$ 60 $I\beta^-$: combined feeding to 66- and 87-keV levels.

[†] Deduced by evaluators from γ -ray transition intensity balance. These values should be considered as only approximate as the decay scheme is considered incomplete by the evaluators for reasons mentioned in the header comments.

[‡] All the values should be considered as only approximate since the decay scheme is considered by the evaluators as incomplete.

Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

^④ Existence of this branch is questionable.

$^{231}\text{Fr} \beta^-$ decay (17.6 s) 2001Fr05 (continued) $\gamma(^{231}\text{Ra})$

I γ normalization: Deduced by evaluators, assuming no β^- feeding to g.s. and 46-keV level, and using summed I($\gamma+ce$)=100% to these levels. Note that significant I($\gamma+ce$) intensity is unplaced in the decay scheme. In addition there may be levels above 1775 keV from which transitions are either not observed or not assigned. Measured I(K x rays)=39 4 (1985Hi02) relative to 100 for 432.6-keV γ ray.

E γ	I γ^a	E i (level)	J $^\pi_i$	E f	J $^\pi_f$	Mult. &	α^b	Comments
			(3/2 $^+$)	66.21	(1/2 $^+$)	[M1]	286 4	
(21.4)	≤ 0.8	87.64						$\alpha(L)=216\ 3; \alpha(M)=52.4\ 8$ $\alpha(N)=13.82\ 20; \alpha(O)=3.15\ 5; \alpha(P)=0.550\ 8; \alpha(Q)=0.0433\ 6$ E γ : γ ray was not observed.
46.3 ^d 2	0.27 5	46.23	(7/2 $^+$)	0.0	(5/2 $^+$)	[M1]	29.5 6	$\alpha(L)=22.3\ 5; \alpha(M)=5.34\ 11$ $\alpha(N)=1.41\ 3; \alpha(O)=0.322\ 7; \alpha(P)=0.0561\ 11; \alpha(Q)=0.00441\ 9$
49.3 1	0.71 4	95.50	(5/2 $^-$)	46.23	(7/2 $^+$)	E1	0.727 10	B(E1) $\downarrow=3.2\times 10^{-5}\ 3$ (2001Fr05) $\alpha(L1)\exp+\alpha(L2)\exp\leq 9$ $\alpha(L)=0.549\ 9; \alpha(M)=0.1345\ 21$ $\alpha(N)=0.0347\ 6; \alpha(O)=0.00734\ 11; \alpha(P)=0.001061\ 16; \alpha(Q)=4.16\times 10^{-5}\ 6$ $\delta(M2/E1)<0.11$.
66.2 1	5.2 2	66.21	(1/2 $^+$)	0.0	(5/2 $^+$)	E2	67.4 10	Possible coin, with 85.4-keV x ray. B(E2) $\downarrow=0.12\ 5$ (2001Fr05) $\alpha(L1)\exp+\alpha(L2)\exp=28\ 4; \alpha(L3)\exp=20\ 3; \alpha(M)\exp=14\ 2; \alpha(N)\exp=4.0\ 8$ $\alpha(L)=49.5\ 8; \alpha(M)=13.45\ 22$ $\alpha(N)=3.55\ 6; \alpha(O)=0.753\ 12; \alpha(P)=0.1083\ 17; \alpha(Q)=0.000263\ 4$ $\delta(E2/M1)>2$ or $12.9\ 12$; ΔJ^π consistent with pure E2.
^x 77.1 3	0.7 3					E1	0.220 4	$\alpha(L1)\exp+\alpha(L2)\exp\leq 2.8$ $\alpha(L)=0.167\ 3; \alpha(M)=0.0404\ 7$ $\alpha(N)=0.01047\ 19; \alpha(O)=0.00226\ 4; \alpha(P)=0.000345\ 6; \alpha(Q)=1.58\times 10^{-5}\ 3$ $\delta(M2/E1)<0.18$.
^x 82.5 1	1.36 6							
^x 83.3 1	2.47 9							
^x 86.2 1	4.1 [@] 3							
95.5 1	14.0 10	95.50	(5/2 $^-$)	0.0	(5/2 $^+$)	E1	0.1247 18	B(E1) $\downarrow=8.7\times 10^{-5}\ 13$ (2001Fr05) $\alpha(L1)\exp+\alpha(L2)\exp\leq 0.5; \alpha(L3)\exp\leq 0.15$ $\alpha(L)=0.0945\ 14; \alpha(M)=0.0228\ 4$ $\alpha(N)=0.00592\ 9; \alpha(O)=0.001289\ 19; \alpha(P)=0.000201\ 3; \alpha(Q)=9.85\times 10^{-6}\ 14$ E $\gamma=95.6\ 4$, I $\gamma=17\ 3$ (1985Hi02), relative to 100 for 432.6 γ . $\delta(M2/E1)<0.11$.
^x 96.8 3	0.37 8							
^x 97.5 2	0.70 [@] 12					M1	3.35 5	$\alpha(L1)\exp+\alpha(L2)\exp=2.3\ 9; \alpha(L2)\exp\leq 0.82$ $\alpha(L)=2.54\ 4; \alpha(M)=0.607\ 10$ $\alpha(N)=0.1600\ 25; \alpha(O)=0.0365\ 6; \alpha(P)=0.00636\ 10; \alpha(Q)=0.000500\ 8$ $\delta(E2/M1)<0.4$.
123.1 2	0.70 10	520.29	(1/2 $^-$)	397.33	(3/2 $^+$)	E1	0.291 4	B(E1) $\downarrow=9.8\times 10^{-6}\ 16$ (2001Fr05)

$^{231}\text{Fr} \beta^-$ decay (17.6 s) 2001Fr05 (continued)

 $\gamma(^{231}\text{Ra})$ (continued)

E_γ	I_γ^a	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. &	δ^b	a^b	Comments
$x225.4$ 2	0.69 [@] 13					M1		1.565 22	$\alpha(L1)\exp+\alpha(L2)\exp\leq 0.38$ $\alpha(K)=0.227$ 4; $\alpha(L)=0.0484$ 7; $\alpha(M)=0.01165$ 17 $\alpha(N)=0.00303$ 5; $\alpha(O)=0.000665$ 10; $\alpha(P)=0.0001056$ 16; $\alpha(Q)=5.58\times 10^{-6}$ 8 $\delta(M2/E1)<0.17.$
239.4 ^{cd} 3	1.1 ^{c@} 2	285.62	(5/2 ⁺)	46.23 (7/2 ⁺)		(M1)		1.324 19	$\alpha(K)\exp=1.5$ 5 $\alpha(K)=1.259$ 18; $\alpha(L)=0.232$ 4; $\alpha(M)=0.0555$ 8 $\alpha(N)=0.01463$ 21; $\alpha(O)=0.00334$ 5; $\alpha(P)=0.000582$ 9; $\alpha(Q)=4.56\times 10^{-5}$ 7 $\alpha(K)$ exp gives $\delta(E2/M1)<0.5.$
239.4 ^{cd} 3	1.1 ^c 2	750.86	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	511.36 (1/2 ⁺ ,3/2 ⁺)		(M1)			$\alpha(K)\exp=1.2$ 3
252.5 2	0.77 15	772.80	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2)	520.29 (1/2 ⁻)					$\alpha(K)=1.065$ 16; $\alpha(L)=0.196$ 3; $\alpha(M)=0.0469$ 7 $\alpha(N)=0.01236$ 18; $\alpha(O)=0.00282$ 4; $\alpha(P)=0.000491$ 7; $\alpha(Q)=3.85\times 10^{-5}$ 6
261.6 3	0.58 [@] 11	772.80	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2)	511.36 (1/2 ⁺ ,3/2 ⁺)					$\alpha(K)\exp$ for a doubly-placed γ ray. $\delta(E2/M1)<0.45$ for a doubly placed γ ray.
$x273.7$ 2	1.0 2								Mult.: same assignment of (M1) is given for the doublet.
285.7 ^d 2	5.8 5	285.62	(5/2 ⁺)	0.0 (5/2 ⁺)		M1		0.811 12	$\alpha(K)\exp=0.71$ 12; $\alpha(L)\exp+\alpha(L2)\exp=0.10$ 5 $\alpha(K)=0.653$ 10; $\alpha(L)=0.1199$ 17; $\alpha(M)=0.0286$ 4 $\alpha(N)=0.00755$ 11; $\alpha(O)=0.001722$ 25; $\alpha(P)=0.000300$ 5; $\alpha(Q)=2.35\times 10^{-5}$ 4 $\delta(E2/M1)<0.4.$
309.9 2	5.1 5	397.33	(3/2 ⁺)	87.64 (3/2 ⁺)		M1		0.648 9	$\alpha(K)\exp=0.58$ 11 $\alpha(K)=0.522$ 8; $\alpha(L)=0.0958$ 14; $\alpha(M)=0.0229$ 4 $\alpha(N)=0.00603$ 9; $\alpha(O)=0.001375$ 20; $\alpha(P)=0.000240$ 4; $\alpha(Q)=1.88\times 10^{-5}$ 3 $\delta(E2/M1)<0.35.$
314.4 3	0.47 15	834.63	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁻)	520.29 (1/2 ⁻)					$\alpha(K)\exp=0.50$ 15
331.2 2	4.5 6	397.33	(3/2 ⁺)	66.21 (1/2 ⁺)		M1		0.540 8	$\alpha(K)=0.435$ 7; $\alpha(L)=0.0797$ 12; $\alpha(M)=0.0190$ 3 $\alpha(N)=0.00502$ 7; $\alpha(O)=0.001144$ 17; $\alpha(P)=0.000200$ 3; $\alpha(Q)=1.564\times 10^{-5}$ 22 $\delta(E2/M1)<0.55.$
$x346.5$ 3	1.2 [@] 3								$\alpha(K)\exp\leq 0.27$
353.6 3	0.8 3	750.86	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	397.33 (3/2 ⁺)					
359.5 3	0.51 [@] 10	455.0	(1/2 ⁻ to 9/2 ⁻)	95.50 (5/2 ⁻)					
363.4 2	4.2 4	458.95	(1/2 ⁻ ,3/2 ⁻)	95.50 (5/2 ⁻)		M1(+E2)	0.7 7	0.31 11	B(M1) $\downarrow\geq 0.032$ (2001Fr05) $\alpha(K)\exp=0.24$ 10

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E_γ	I_γ^a	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. ^b	δ^c	a^b	Comments
375.7 ^c 3	0.8 ^c 2	772.80	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2)	397.33	(3/2 ⁺)				$\alpha(K)=0.243\ 97; \alpha(L)=0.051\ 11;$ $\alpha(M)=0.0124\ 24$ $\alpha(N)=0.0033\ 7; \alpha(O)=0.00074\ 15;$ $\alpha(P)=0.00013\ 3; \alpha(Q)=8.7\times10^{-6}\ 35$
375.7 ^c 3	0.8 ^c 2	834.63	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁻)	458.95	(1/2 ⁻ ,3/2 ⁻)				
387.7 3	0.55 [@] 11	1138.79	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	750.86	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)				
392.8 ^{±d} 3	1.1 4	458.95	(1/2 ⁻ ,3/2 ⁻)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)				$B(E1)\downarrow\geq7.2\times10^{-5}$ (2001Fr05)
397.3 3	1.9 [@] 2	397.33	(3/2 ⁺)	0.0	(5/2 ⁺)	(E2(+M1))	>0.7	0.24 18	$\alpha(K)\exp\leq0.18$ $\alpha(K)=0.19\ 15; \alpha(L)=0.040\ 18;$ $\alpha(M)=0.010\ 4$ $\alpha(N)=0.0025\ 11; \alpha(O)=0.00057\ 25;$ $\alpha(P)=0.00010\ 5; \alpha(Q)=7\times10^{-6}\ 6$ $\alpha(K)\exp$ gives E2(+M1) with $\delta(E2/M1)>0.7$ or E1, ΔJ^π favors E2(+M1).
^x 400.5 [±] 3	0.5 2								
415.6 3	2.6 3	503.33	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)				
423.8 [±] 2	0.7 2	511.36	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2 ⁺)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)				
428.8 ^d 3	0.5 [@] 2	931.9	(1/2,3/2,5/2)	503.33	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)				
432.6 2	100.0 50	520.29	(1/2 ⁻)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)	E1		0.01588 22	$B(E1)\downarrow=3.22\times10^{-5}\ 21$ (2001Fr05) $\alpha(K)\exp\leq0.022$ $\alpha(K)=0.01291\ 19; \alpha(L)=0.00226\ 4;$ $\alpha(M)=0.000535\ 8$ $\alpha(N)=0.0001401\ 20; \alpha(O)=3.15\times10^{-5}\ 5;$ $\alpha(P)=5.33\times10^{-6}\ 8; \alpha(Q)=3.68\times10^{-7}\ 6$ $E\gamma=432.6\ 2, I\gamma=100\ 3$ (1985Hi02).
437.4 ^c 3	1.12 ^c 15	503.33	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)				
437.4 ^c 3	1.12 ^c 15	834.63	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁻)	397.33	(3/2 ⁺)				
445.1 2	4.0 4	511.36	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2 ⁺)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)	M1+E2	0.45 30	0.21 4	$\alpha(K)\exp=0.17\ 4$ $\alpha(K)=0.17\ 4; \alpha(L)=0.032\ 4; \alpha(M)=0.0077\ 9$ $\alpha(N)=0.00203\ 24; \alpha(O)=0.00046\ 6;$ $\alpha(P)=8.0\times10^{-5}\ 11; \alpha(Q)=6.0\times10^{-6}\ 12$ Possible coin. with 88.2-keV x ray.
^x 448.1 3	1.7 3								$\alpha(K)\exp\leq0.17$ Possible coin. with 88.2-keV x ray.
454.0 2	78.1 48	520.29	(1/2 ⁻)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)	E1		0.01437 20	$B(E1)\downarrow=2.18\times10^{-5}\ 15$ (2001Fr05) $\alpha(K)\exp\leq0.024$ $\alpha(K)=0.01169\ 17; \alpha(L)=0.00203\ 3;$ $\alpha(M)=0.000482\ 7$ $\alpha(N)=0.0001261\ 18; \alpha(O)=2.84\times10^{-5}\ 4;$

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E_γ	I_γ^a	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Comments
472.8 5	1.2 @ 3	931.9	(1/2,3/2,5/2)	458.95	(1/2 ⁻ ,3/2 ⁻)	$\alpha(P)=4.81\times 10^{-6}$ 7; $\alpha(Q)=3.34\times 10^{-7}$ 5 $E_\gamma=454.1$ 2, $I_\gamma=80$ 4 (1985Hi02), relative to 100 for 432.6 γ .
^x 477.9 4	2.4 @ 2					$a(K)\exp\leq 0.089$ Possible coin. with 85.0 and 88.4-keV x ray.
x492.9 4	2.2 2					Possible coin. with 88.6-keV x ray.
x505.4 4	2.0 2					
510.3 5	1.4 3	605.4	(1/2 ⁻ ,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	95.50	(5/2 ⁻)	E_γ, I_γ : from $\gamma\gamma$ -coin measurement.
x513.6 #† 3	0.73 @ 11					
525.2 3	6.8 7	620.59	(3/2,5/2,7/2)	95.50	(5/2 ⁻)	$B(M1)\downarrow\geq 0.016$ (2001Fr05)
539.1 3	4.3 9	605.4	(1/2 ⁻ ,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)	Possible coin. with 88.2- and 85.4-keV x rays.
x542.1 † 4	0.37 @ 11					
551.3 4	1.3 @ 3	646.6	(1/2 ⁻ to 7/2)	95.50	(5/2 ⁻)	
x572.7 4	1.5 4					
x617.2 5	3.1 @ 3					
620.2 d 5	1.12 @ 15	620.59	(3/2,5/2,7/2)	0.0	(5/2 ⁺)	$B(E1)\downarrow\geq 1.8\times 10^{-5}$ (2001Fr05)
645.2 3	1.0 5	740.72	(3/2 ⁺ ,5/2 ⁺)	95.50	(5/2 ⁻)	
653.2 3	1.1 3	740.72	(3/2 ⁺ ,5/2 ⁺)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)	
659.0 d 5	1.0 2	944.31	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	285.62	(5/2 ⁺)	
663.1 3	6.0 6	750.86	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)	Possible coin. with 88.6-keV x ray.
672.8 # 5	0.8 2	760.5	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)	
674.6 # 5	3.0 3	740.72	(3/2 ⁺ ,5/2 ⁺)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)	
684.6 c# 5	2.7 c 2	750.86	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)	
684.6 c 5	2.7 c 2	772.80	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)	
694.4 c 4	1.3 c 7	740.72	(3/2 ⁺ ,5/2 ⁺)	46.23	(7/2 ⁺)	
694.4 c 4	1.3 c 7	760.5	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)	
704.8 # 5	1.5 2	1634.1	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	929.2	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	
706.5 # 5	2.0 2	772.80	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)	Possible coin. with 88.2-keV x ray.
708.6 # 5	1.13 15	796.2	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)	
x719.6 # 5	1.1 4					
730.0 # 3	2.7 5	796.2	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)	
x735.7 4	1.9 5					
740.5 5	0.52 14	740.72	(3/2 ⁺ ,5/2 ⁺)	0.0	(5/2 ⁺)	
746.9 4	2.0 4	834.63	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁻)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)	
x756.2 5	0.6 2					
x770.5 # 3	2.5 3					
772.8 # 3	1.8 2	772.80	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2)	0.0	(5/2 ⁺)	
x805.7 6	0.67 14					
x818.8 #† 3	1.0 4					

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$\gamma(^{231}\text{Ra})$ (continued)

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E_γ	I_γ^a	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π
834.5 6	1.3 @ 2	834.63	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁻)	0.0	(5/2 ⁺)
841.4 ^{c†} 6	0.9 ^{c@} 2	929.2	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)
841.4 ^c 6	0.9 ^c 2	1773.90	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	931.9	(1/2,3/2,5/2)
843.5 [‡] 5	0.8 @ 2	931.9	(1/2,3/2,5/2)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)
862.9 6	1.4 @ 2	929.2	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)
877.9 4	0.7 3	944.31	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)
883.6 ^c 6	0.56 ^{c@} 14	971.1	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)
883.6 ^c 6	0.56 ^c 14	1634.1	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	750.86	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)
883.6 ^c 6	0.56 ^c 14	1718.2	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	834.63	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁻)
904.6 10	0.55 @ 14	971.1	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)
^x 910.9 6	0.57 @ 14				
939.8 7	0.74 @ 14	1773.90	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	834.63	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁻)
944.3 3	1.9 3	944.31	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	0.0	(5/2 ⁺)
^x 947.1 5	1.0 2				
^x 982.2 6	0.9 @ 2				
^x 991.7 6	1.0 2				
1001.7 6	1.2 10	1773.90	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	772.80	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2)
^x 1021.2 [‡] 5	1.9 4				
1051.4 3	1.3 3	1138.79	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)
1072.5 ^c 6	1.0 ^c 4	1138.79	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)
1072.5 ^c 6	1.0 ^c 4	1693.3	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	620.59	(3/2,5/2,7/2)
^x 1079.8 [‡] 5	1.4 5				
1097.8 6	0.7 2	1718.2	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	620.59	(3/2,5/2,7/2)
^x 1126.1 [‡] 5	0.83 15				
1127.5 [‡] 5	0.9 2	1773.90	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	646.6	(1/2 ⁻ to 7/2)
^x 1201.8 5	0.9 5				
^x 1207.8 5	1.1 3				
^x 1268.1 5	1.2 @ 2				
^x 1297.1 6	0.7 2				
^x 1316.7 6	1.1 2				
^x 1325.8 [†] 4	0.9 4				
1376.1 6	0.9 2	1773.90	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	397.33	(3/2 ⁺)
1408.0 ^{‡d} 6	1.0 @ 2	1693.3	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	285.62	(5/2 ⁺)
^x 1468.6 6	2.5 6				
1546.4 6	1.1 4	1634.1	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)
^x 1558.3 7	0.7 3				
1567.8 6	0.8 3	1634.1	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)
^x 1583.1 5	5.8 5				
1605.5 4	3.3 4	1693.3	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)

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E _γ	I _γ ^a	E _i (level)	J _i ^π	E _f	J _f ^π	E _γ	I _γ ^a	E _i (level)
^x 1609.4 4	0.7 3					^x 1828.1 5	0.6 2	
1627.2 6	1.1 3	1693.3	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)	^x 1839.1 7	1.1 2	
1630.6 5	1.9 3	1718.2	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)	^x 1856.2 7	0.9 4	
1642.5 5	3.9 4	1730.1	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)	^x 1870.0 6	1.3 2	
1651.9 [‡] 6	0.5 2	1718.2	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)	^x 1876.4 6	1.8 3	
^x 1653.6 [‡] 6	0.7 2					^x 1965.8 5	0.6 3	
1663.8 5	1.6 3	1730.1	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)	^x 1973.8 [†] 8	0.4 3	
^x 1682.8 [#] 6	2.9 5					^x 1983.2 11	0.7 2	
1686.1 [‡] 5	3.8 5	1773.90	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	87.64	(3/2 ⁺)	^x 2000.9 7	0.5 2	
1693.7 8	1.7 5	1693.3	(1/2 ⁺ ,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	0.0	(5/2 ⁺)	^x 2008.1 6	1.4 2	
^x 1703.6 7	1.5 5					^x 2053.4 [†] 8	0.46 14	
1707.6 7	1.0 4	1773.90	(1/2,3/2,5/2 ⁺)	66.21	(1/2 ⁺)	^x 2114.8 8	0.49 13	
^x 1720.7 6	1.1 3					^x 2129.3 [†] 8	0.6 2	
^x 1762.3 4	1.2 3					^x 2133.5 7	0.7 3	
^x 1781.9 5	0.9 4					^x 2206.4 11	0.49 [@] 15	
^x 1785.9 6	0.6 2					^x 2289.0 8	0.35 13	
^x 1800.7 [‡] 6	0.9 2					^x 2457.9 [†] 8	0.15 5	
^x 1802.6 6	1.2 2					^x 2621.3 [†] 8	0.13 3	

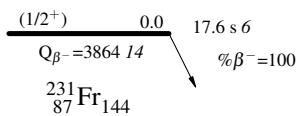
[†] Tentatively assigned to ²³¹Ra.[‡] Possible doublet.[#] Possible multiplet.[@] Contribution from impurities was removed.[&] From ce data in 2001Fr05. Only the dominant multipolarity is assigned. Possible admixtures with upper limits are given under comments. The same assignments are given in the Adopted dataset.^a For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by ≈0.25.^b 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.^c Multiply placed with undivided intensity.^d Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.^x γ ray not placed in level scheme.

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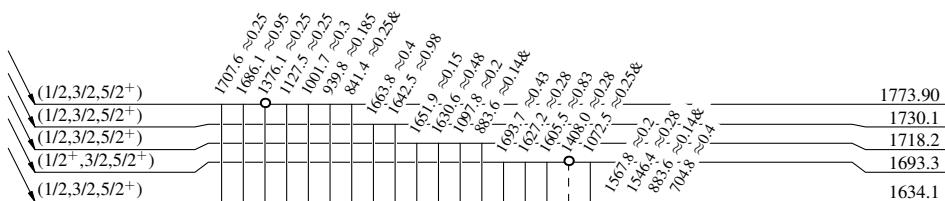
Decay Scheme

Legend

Intensities: $I_{(\gamma+ce)}$ per 100 parent decays
 & Multiply placed: undivided intensity given



$I\beta^-$	$\text{Log } ft$
2.4	6.3
1.4	6.5
0.9	6.7
2.0	6.4
1.0	6.8



0.7 7.3

(1/2,3/2,5/2⁺)

1138.79

0.28 7.8
0.4 7.6
0.2 7.9(1/2,3/2,5/2⁺)

971.1

(1/2,3/2,5/2)

931.9

(1/2,3/2,5/2⁺)

929.2

1.1 7.2
1.9 7.0
2.4 6.9(1/2⁺,3/2,5/2⁻)

834.63

(1/2⁺,3/2)

772.80

(1/2,3/2,5/2⁺)

750.86

0.10 8.4
1.6 7.2(1/2⁻ to 7/2)

646.6

(3/2,5/2,7/2)

620.59

 $\leq 12.5 \text{ ps}$

3.3 7.0

(3/2⁺)

397.33

2.8 7.1

(5/2⁺)

285.62

31 6.2

(3/2⁺)

87.64

(1/2⁺)

66.21

 $\approx 53 \mu\text{s}$ (5/2⁺)

0.0

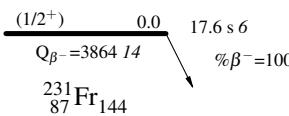
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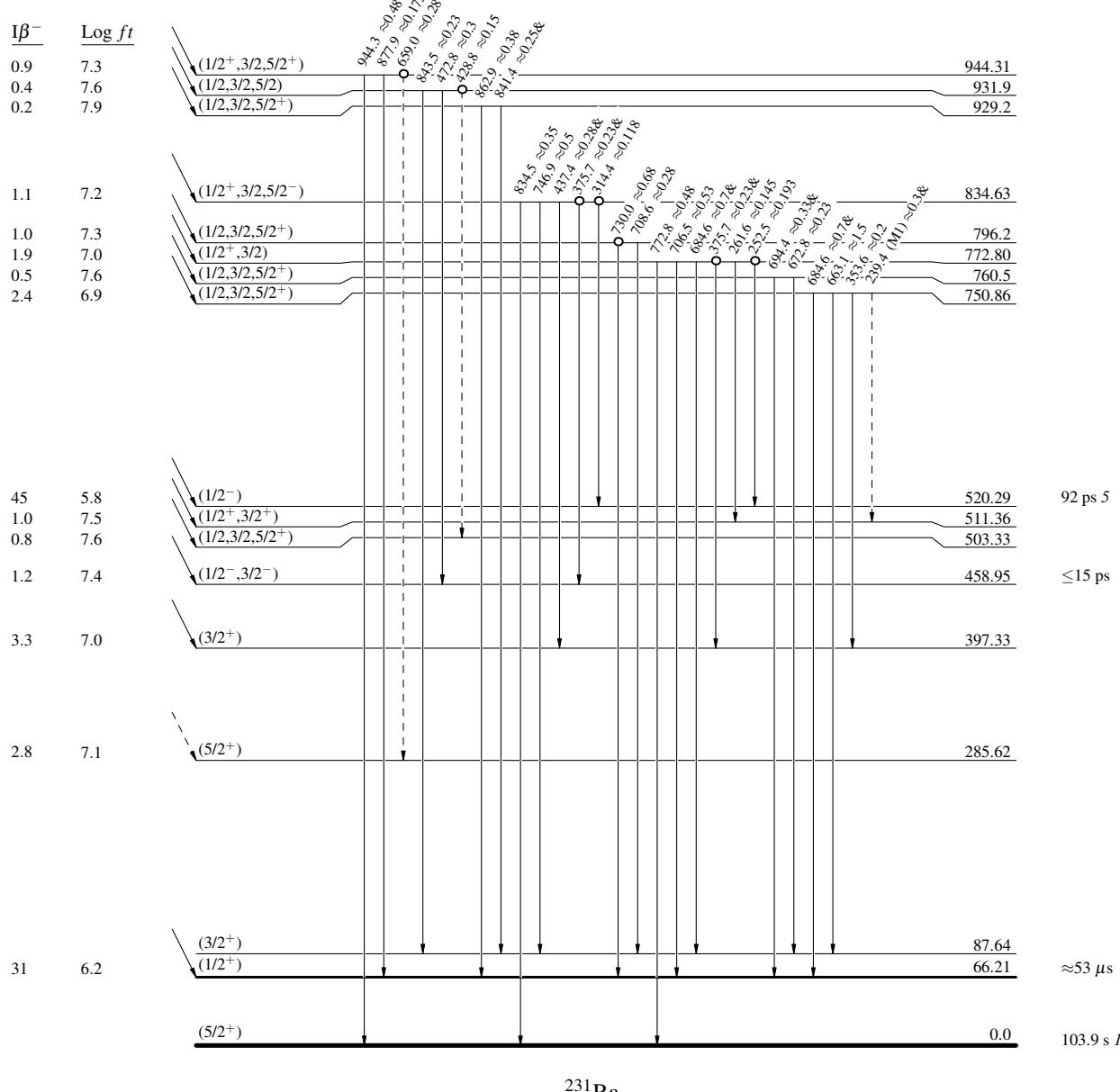
Decay Scheme (continued)

Intensities: $I_{(\gamma+ce)}$ per 100 parent decays
 & Multiply placed: undivided intensity given



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
- Coincidence (Uncertain)



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Decay Scheme (continued)

Legend

Intensities: $I_{(\gamma+ce)}$ per 100 parent decays
 & Multiply placed: undivided intensity given

