

$^{242}\text{Pu}(^3\text{He},\alpha)$ 1971EI02

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1971EI02: ^{240}Pu on carbon backing bombarded by 30 MeV ^3He particles from the Emperor Tandem Van de Graaff accelerator of the University of Rochester. Alpha spectra at 25 °, 35 °, 60 °, and 90 ° was analyzed with the ENGE split-pole magnetic spectrometer and detected with emulsion plates with FWHM \approx 25 keV (estimated by the evaluator from the authors' spectrum). Elastic scattered ^3He particles were measured with a scintillation counter for intensity normalization and absolute reaction cross sections.

The authors also studied the $^{242}\text{Pu}(\text{d},\text{t})$ reaction, with FWHM \approx 25 keV, but these data are superseded by those of **1998Wh01**, with FWHM = 7 keV.

 ^{241}Pu Levels

E(level) [†]	J^π [@]	Comments
92 ^a 2	9/2 ⁺	
167 ^b 3	1/2 ⁺ , 3/2 ⁺ , 11/2 ⁺	
235 ^{‡b} 4	5/2 ⁺ , 13/2 ⁺	
244 ^{‡b} 4	7/2 ⁺	
296 ^c	11/2 ⁺	
334 ^b 3	9/2 ⁺	
444 ^d 3	11/2 ⁻	
499 ^b 3	13/2 ⁺	
568 ^d 2	15/2 ⁻	
645 [#] 9		
752 ^{#e} 6	1/2 ⁺ &	
835 ^f 3	5/2 ⁺	J^π : Assignment considered tentative by the authors; however, it is confirmed in (d,p) and (d,t) where the peak is a doublet consisting of the 5/2 ⁺ , 3/2[631] and 7/2 ⁻ , 1/2[761] band members.
875 ^f	7/2 ⁺	J^π : Assignment considered tentative by the authors; however, it is confirmed in (d,p) and (d,t).
931 ^f 2	9/2 ⁺	J^π : Assignment considered tentative by the authors; however, it is confirmed in (d,p) and (d,t) where the peak is a doublet consisting of the 9/2 ⁺ , 3/2[631] and 11/2 ⁻ , 1/2[761] band members.
994 ^{#f} 3	11/2 ⁺	J^π : Assignment considered tentative by the authors; however, it is confirmed in (d,p) and (d,t) in 1998Wh01 where the peak is a doublet consisting of the 11/2 ⁺ , 3/2[631] and 3/2 ⁻ , 1/2[501] band members.
1090 2		
1181 ^g 3	(9/2 ⁺)	J^π : The assignment is considered tentative by the authors.
1868 ^{#h} 5	(15/2 ⁻)	J^π : The assignment is considered tentative by the authors.
1944 [#] 5		
1991 [#] 4		
≈ 2045 ? [#]		

[†] All levels are seen also in (d,t), except where noted otherwise.

[‡] From authors' (d,t) work. The 235 and 244 levels are not resolved in ($^3\text{He},\alpha$).

[#] Not seen in authors' (d,t) work.

[@] Except where noted otherwise, the J^π and configuration assignments are those of the authors. They agree with the (d,p) and (d,t) assignments of **1998Wh01**.

[&] Added by the evaluator on the basis of assignment of **1998Wh01**.

^a Band(A): 5/2[622] band.

^b Band(B): 1/2[631] band.

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 ^{241}Pu Levels (continued)

^c Band(C): 7/2[624] band.

^d Band(D): 7/2[743] band.

^e Band(E): 1/2[620] band.

^f Band(F): 3/2[631] band.

^g Band(G): 5/2[633] band.

^h Band(H): 5/2[752] band.

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Band(E): 1/2[620] band

1/2⁺ 752

Band(D): 7/2[743] band

15/2⁻ 568

Band(B): 1/2[631] band

13/2⁺ 499

11/2⁻ 444

9/2⁺ 334

Band(C): 7/2[624] band

11/2⁺ 296

Band(A): 5/2[622] band

5/2⁺,13/2⁺ 235

7/2⁺ 244
5/2⁺,13/2⁺ 235

1/2⁺,3/2⁺,11/2⁺ 167

1/2⁺,3/2⁺,11/2⁺ 167

9/2⁺ 92

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Band(H): 5/2[752] band

(15/2⁻) 1868

Band(G): 5/2[633] band

(9/2⁺) 1181

Band(F): 3/2[631] band

11/2⁺ 994

9/2⁺ 931

7/2⁺ 875

5/2⁺ 835

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