

Adopted Levels, Gammas

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Q(β^-)=-2475 25; S(n)=6059 15; S(p)=5150 60; Q(α)=6495 15 [2012Wa38](#)

Identification:

[1956Ch77](#): Determined ²⁴⁴Cm(α ,n) excitation function [1954Gh12](#): ²⁴⁷Cf produced by irradiating ²³⁸U with ¹⁴N ions. at the Berkeley Crocker Laboratory 60 inch cyclotron. It was then followed by chemical separation. Measured half-life \approx 2.7 h.
[1954Hu50](#): He ion bombardment of ²⁴⁴Cm followed by fast chemical Measured x-rays and determined half-life (2.5 h and \approx 3 h).

Other experimental work:

[1987Ch30](#): Measured ²⁴⁹Cf(¹⁶O,¹⁶O 2n) production cross-sections.
[1987Gr13](#): Measured ²⁴⁹Cf(¹³⁶Xe,X) production cross-sections.
[1987We01](#): Measured ²⁴⁸Cm(¹²⁹Xe,X) and ²⁴⁸Cm(¹³²Xe,X) production cross-sections.

Theoretical and systematical studies:

[2013Zd01](#): Calculated half-lives for α and cluster decay using a phenomenological model based on Gamow theory.
[2012Ni16](#): Calculated α decay T_{1/2} for transitions from ground-state to favored rotational bands using Multicenter Channel Model.
[2012Zh01](#): Comparison of the low-lying one-quasineutron band for N=149 isotones between the experimental values and calculated values using the cranked shell model (CSM) with pairing correlations.
[2011Ad15,2010Ad17](#): One-quasiparticle levels using the microscopic-macroscopic modified TCSM, QPM and the self-consistent SHFB approaches.
[2011Ha06](#): Systematic analysis of experimental work in N=149 isotones.
[2011Zh36](#): Systematics and calculated partial half life of α decay to members of favored band. Accurate expressions are proposed for the evaluation of partial half-lives of these transitions based on microscopic quantum tunneling theory.
[2010Ni02](#): Systematics and calculations of T_{1/2} and relative intensities of α decay within the generalized density-dependent cluster model.
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[2006Sh19](#): Calculated energy levels of ground-state rotational band in N=149 isotones.
[2005Pa73](#): Calculated neutron one-quasiparticle states of heaviest nuclei within a macroscopic-microscopic approach.
[2002Du16](#): Calculated partial half-lives for α and cluster decays.
[1997Mo25](#): Calculated ground-state binding energy, proton and neutron pairing gaps, neutron and proton separation energies, Q values and partial half-lives for α and β decays.
[1995Mo29,1980Ho32](#): Calculated ground-state masses and nuclear ground-state deformations.
[1993Bu09](#): Calculated partial α decay half-life, α branching, and nuclear radius using the cluster model predictions.
[1985Lo17](#): Calculation of spontaneous fission half-life of ground-state.
[1981Mo24](#): Calculated ground-state electric multipole moments Q₂, Q₄ and masses.
[1980Ho32](#): Calculated fission-barrier heights, deformation and energy at saddle-point were.

²⁴⁷Cf Levels

Cross Reference (XREF) Flags

- A ²⁵¹Fm α decay
- B ²⁴⁷Es ϵ decay (4.55 min)

E(level)	J π	T _{1/2}	XREF	Comments
0.0 [†]	(7/2 ⁺)	3.11 h 3	AB	% ϵ =99.965 5; % α =0.035 5 Branchings were determined by 1984Ah02 from measured alpha and Cm K x-ray intensity ratio of 4.7×10^{-4} 5; the K x-ray intensity was taken as 72.3 per 100 ϵ decays.

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²⁴⁷Cf Levels (continued)

E(level)	J ^π	XREF	Comments
			T _{1/2} : From 1984Ah02 and 1979Ah03. Other measurements: 2.45 h 15 (1956Ch77), 2.5 h (1954Hu50).
			J ^π : Analogy to ²⁴⁵ Cm suggests 7/2[624] neutron orbital.
55.00 [†] 11	(9/2 ⁺)	A	J ^π : M1+E2 55.0γ to (7/2 ⁺) g.s.
122.09 [†] 11	(11/2 ⁺)	A	J ^π : E2 122.1γ to (7/2 ⁺) g.s.; M1+E2 67.1γ to (9/2 ⁺).
201.0 [†] 4	(13/2 ⁺)	A	J ^π : Energy fit to the 7/2[624] band.
383.2 [‡] 3	(5/2 ⁺)	A	J ^π : M1 383.2γ to (7/2 ⁺) g.s.; energy fit to the 5/2[622] band.
427.2 [‡] 4	(7/2 ⁺)	A	J ^π : γ's to (5/2 ⁺) and (9/2 ⁺) states; energy fit to the 5/2[622] band.
480.40 [#] 9	(9/2 ⁻)	A	J ^π : E1 358.3γ to (11/2 ⁺) and E1 480.4γ to (7/2 ⁺). Favoured α transition from ²⁵¹ Fm with HF=1.63 13.
531.99 [#] 21	(11/2 ⁻)	A	J ^π : γ's to (9/2 ⁻), (9/2 ⁺), (11/2 ⁺) and (13/2 ⁺) states; energy fit to the 9/2[734] band.
551.0 [‡] 10	(11/2 ⁺)	A	J ^π : γ to (9/2 ⁺) state; energy fit to 5/2[622] band.
595 [#] 4	(13/2 ⁻)	A	J ^π : Energy fit to the 9/2[734] band.
634 [‡] 5	(13/2 ⁺)	A	J ^π : Energy fit to 5/2[622] band (11/2 ⁺) member.
678.0 [@] 6	(7/2 ⁻)	A	J ^π : γ's to the (7/2 ⁺) and (9/2 ⁺); analogy to a similar band at 644 keV in ²⁴⁵ Cm, 1973Ah02 suggested the 7/2 ⁻ , 7/2[743] assignment.
738.0 [@] 8	(9/2 ⁻)	A	J ^π : γ's to the (9/2 ⁺), (11/2 ⁺) states of the g.s. band; energy fit to the 7/2[743] band.

[†] Band(A): 7/2[624] band. α=6.1.

[‡] Band(B): 5/2[622] band. α=5.9. Population and depopulation of the 9/2⁺ (expected at 484 keV) member should be obscured by the strongly populated (9/2⁻) state at 480.4 MeV.

[#] Band(C): 9/2[734] band. α=4.8 By considering the relative values of the reduced transition rates for γ's from the 9/2⁻ member of this band to the 7/2, 9/2 and 11/2 members of the g.s. band, 1973Ah02 suggested that this band is strongly CORIOLIS mixed.

[@] Band(D): 7/2[743] band. α=6.7.

γ(²⁴⁷Cf)

E _i (level)	J _i ^π	E _γ	I _γ [†]	E _f	J _f ^π	Mult.	δ	α [#]
55.00	(9/2 ⁺)	55.0 2	100	0.0	(7/2 ⁺)	M1+E2	0.51 5	122 11
122.09	(11/2 ⁺)	67.1 2	100 18	55.00	(9/2 ⁺)	M1+E2	0.45 10	50 8
		122.1 2	100 18	0.0	(7/2 ⁺)	E2		9.12
383.2	(5/2 ⁺)	383.2 3	100	0.0	(7/2 ⁺)	M1		0.943
427.2	(7/2 ⁺)	44.0 4		383.2	(5/2 ⁺)			
		372.2 4		55.00	(9/2 ⁺)			
480.40	(9/2 ⁻)	358.3 1	33.0 [‡] 21	122.09	(11/2 ⁺)	E1		0.0319
		425.4 1	100 [‡] 6	55.00	(9/2 ⁺)	E1		0.0225
		480.4 1	41.1 [‡] 21	0.0	(7/2 ⁺)	E1		0.0178
531.99	(11/2 ⁻)	51.4 4		480.40	(9/2 ⁻)			
		331.0 3	65 13	201.0	(13/2 ⁺)			
		410.0 3	93 13	122.09	(11/2 ⁺)			
		477.0 3	100 15	55.00	(9/2 ⁺)			
551.0	(11/2 ⁺)	496 1	100	55.00	(9/2 ⁺)			
678.0	(7/2 ⁻)	623.0 8	27 8	55.00	(9/2 ⁺)			
		678.0 8	100 23	0.0	(7/2 ⁺)			
738.0	(9/2 ⁻)	616 1	≈100	122.09	(11/2 ⁺)			
		683 1	≈80	55.00	(9/2 ⁺)			

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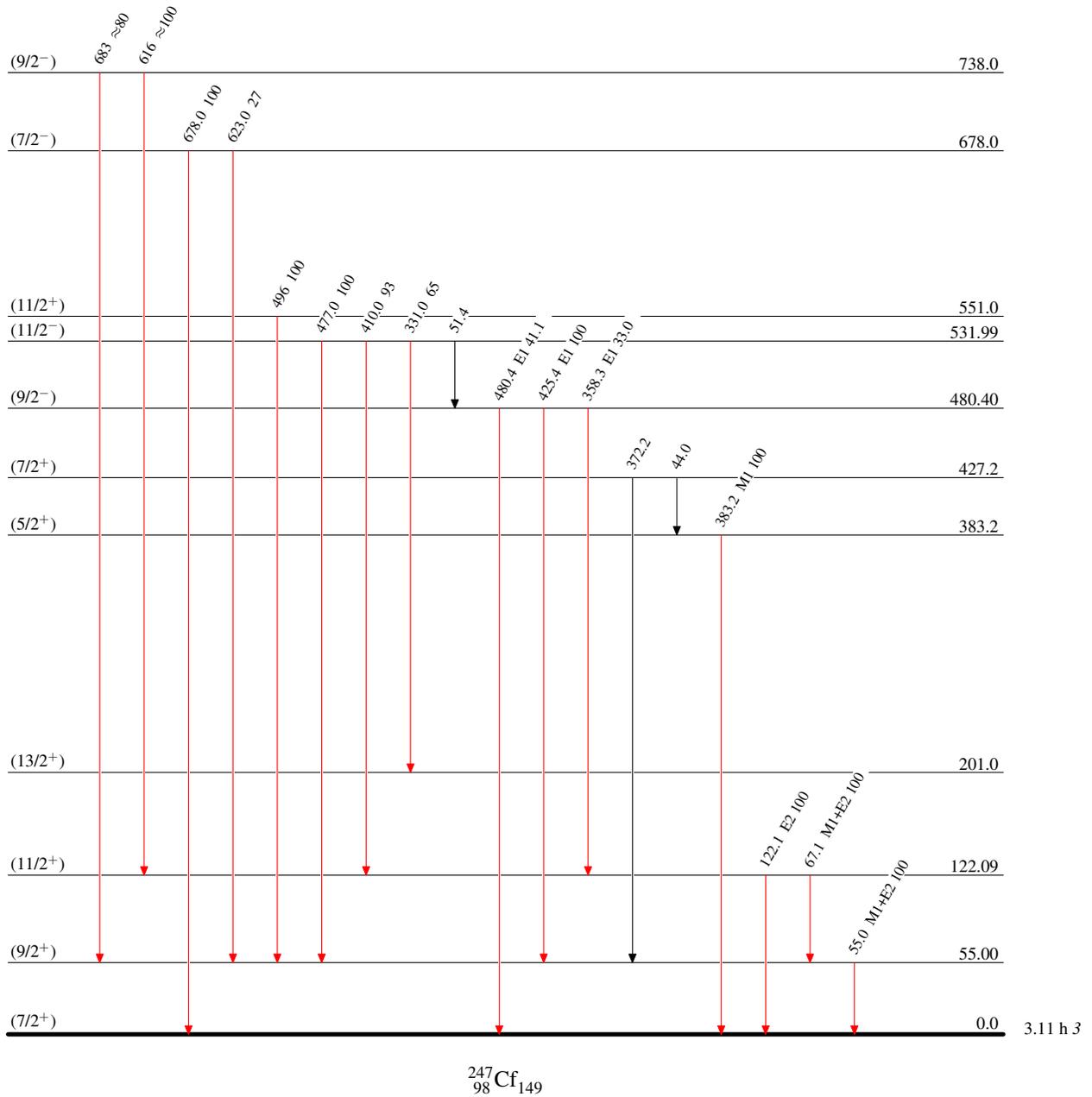
- † Relative photon intensities normalized to 100 for the strongest γ from each level.
- ‡ Relative photon intensities of transitions de-exciting the 480.4-keV level could be incorrect, if these photons include γ 's de-exciting an obscured $9/2^+$ member of the $5/2[622]$ band, expected at about 484 keV.
- # 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.

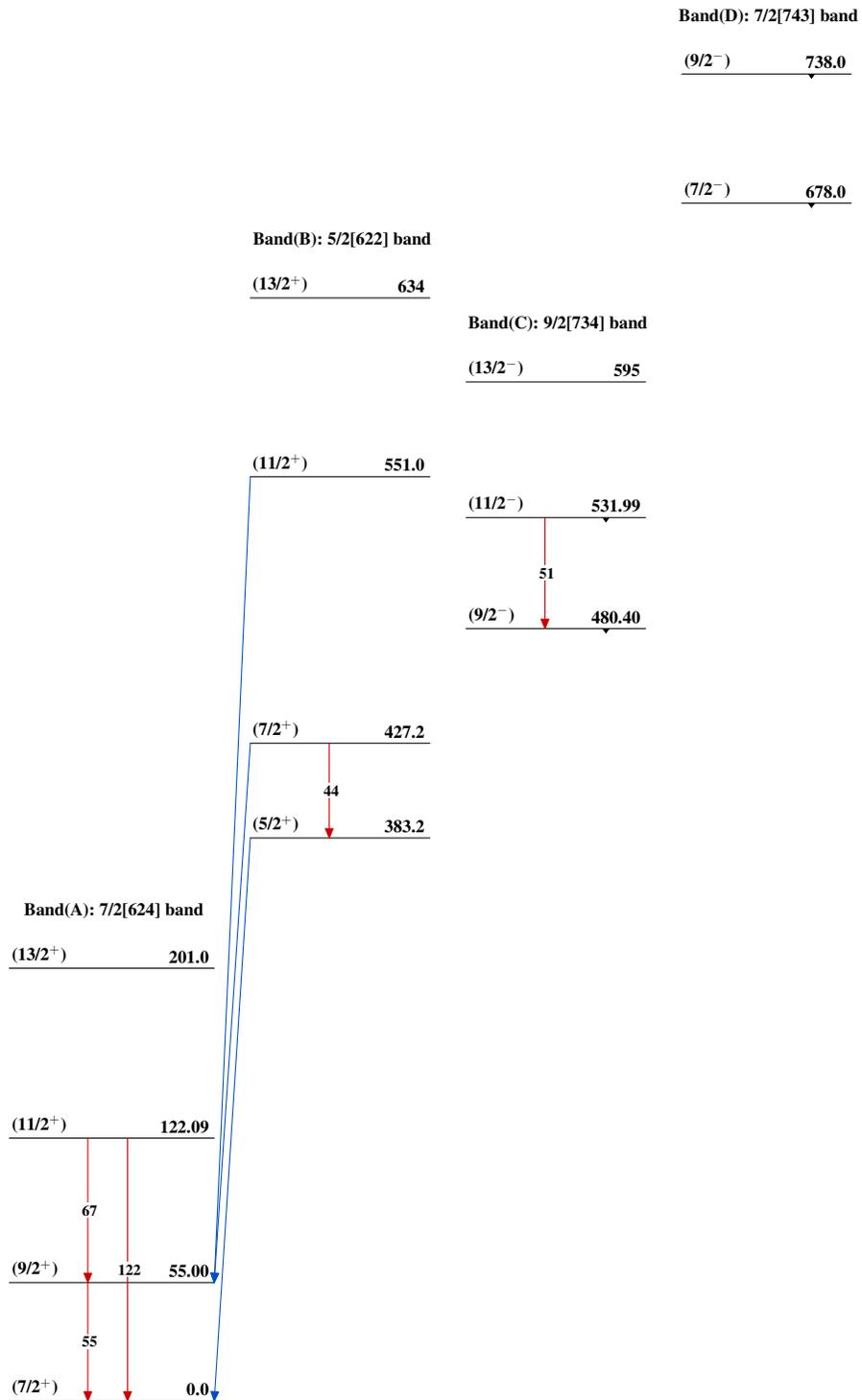
Adopted Levels, GammasLevel Scheme

Intensities: Type not specified

Legend

-  $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
 $I_\gamma < 10\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
 $I_\gamma > 10\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$



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