

Adopted Levels, Gammas

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$Q(\beta^-)=287.6$; $S(n)=4804.4$; $S(p)=6522.5$; $Q(\alpha)=6126.4$ [2012Wa38](#)
 Estimated $\Delta S(p)=200$ ([2012Wa38](#)).

Calculations, compilations:

Favored α decay: [2011Zh36](#), [1993Bu09](#), [1992Bu03](#).

g.s. properties: [1997Mo25](#), [1995Mo29](#), [2005Pa73](#).

Single-particle Nilsson levels: [1994Cw02](#), [2005Pa73](#).

[1994Cw02](#) have calculated the following predominant configurations: g.s., 1/2[620]; 20 keV, 3/2[622]; 50 keV, 7/2[613]; 170 keV, 11/2[725]; 430 keV, 9/2[615].

[2005Pa73](#) have calculated the following predominant configurations: g.s., 1/2[620]; 10 keV, 3/2[622]; 100 keV, 11/2[725]; 100 keV, 7/2[613]; 440 keV, 9/2[615].

 ^{253}Cf LevelsCross Reference (XREF) Flags

A ^{257}Fm α decay

E(level) [†]	J^π	$T_{1/2}$	XREF	Comments
0.0 [‡]	(7/2 ⁺)	17.81 d 8	A	$\% \alpha = 0.31$ 4; $\% \beta^- = 99.69$ 4 (1966Rg01) J^π : allowed or first forbidden non-unique β^- decays to 7/2 ⁺ g.s. and (9/2 ⁺) excited state in ^{253}Es limits J to 7/2 or 9/2. NILSSON model suggests configuration=(ν 7/2[613]) for N=155. $T_{1/2}$: from 1969DrZZ ; other: 17.6 d 2 (1965Me02). Both results were deduced from the growth of ^{253}Es (1965Me02).
61.61 [‡] 8	(9/2 ⁺)		A	J^π : M1+E2 γ to (7/2 ⁺); band assignment.
136.62 [‡] 9	(11/2 ⁺)		A	J^π : (M1) to (9/2 ⁺); band assignment.
241.01 [#] 8	(9/2 ⁺)		A	J^π : M1+E2 γ to (7/2 ⁺) g.s., (M1) γ to (11/2 ⁺) level.
321.21 [#] 22	(11/2 ⁺)		A	J^π : (M1+E2) γ to (9/2 ⁺) level; band assignment.
417 [#] 5	(13/2 ⁺)		A	J^π : α decay from (9/2 ⁺) ^{257}Fm ; band assignment.

[†] From ^{257}Fm α decay. The band assignments are those proposed by [1967As02](#) and [1982Ah01](#).

[‡] Band(A): Band 7/2⁺[613]. A=6.90 keV 5, B=-1.3 eV 8, $E_0=-108.4$ keV 4. Configuration assignment on the basis of measured level spacing and gK value for the rotational band ([1982Ah01](#)).

[#] Band(B): Band 9/2⁺[615]. A=7.29 keV 2 (if $\beta=0.0$), $E_0=60.6$ keV 5. Configuration assignment on the basis of favored alpha decay ([1982Ah01](#)).

 $\gamma(^{253}\text{Cf})$

All γ data are from ^{257}Fm α decay.

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$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_γ	I_γ	E_f	J_f^π	Mult.	δ	α^\dagger	Comments
61.61	(9/2 ⁺)	61.6 1	100	0.0	(7/2 ⁺)	M1+E2	0.27 2	47.4 19	$\alpha(\text{L})=35.1$ 14; $\alpha(\text{M})=9.1$ 4; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=3.29$ 15 $\alpha(\text{N})=2.52$ 12; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.64$ 3; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.117$ 5; $\alpha(\text{Q})=0.00503$ 9
136.62	(11/2 ⁺)	75.0 1	100 9	61.61	(9/2 ⁺)	(M1)		19.7	$\alpha(\text{L})=14.72$ 22; $\alpha(\text{M})=3.62$ 6; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=1.318$ 20 $\alpha(\text{N})=1.004$ 15; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.261$ 4; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.0504$ 8; $\alpha(\text{Q})=0.00298$ 5
241.01	(9/2 ⁺)	136.7 2 104.4 1	30 10 5.6 5	0.0 136.62	(7/2 ⁺) (11/2 ⁺)	(M1)		7.52	$\alpha(\text{L})=5.63$ 8; $\alpha(\text{M})=1.386$ 20; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.504$ 8 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.384$ 6; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.0997$ 15; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.0193$ 3; $\alpha(\text{Q})=0.001136$ 17
		179.4 1	79 6	61.61	(9/2 ⁺)	M1+E2	0.58 13	5.8 5	$\alpha(\text{K})=4.2$ 5; $\alpha(\text{L})=1.182$ 17; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.301$ 6; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.1095$ 19 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.0839$ 15; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.0215$ 4; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.00398$ 7; $\alpha(\text{Q})=0.000185$ 18
		241.0 1	100 6	0.0	(7/2 ⁺)	M1+E2	1.06 13	1.78 17	$\alpha(\text{K})=1.22$ 16; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.419$ 14; $\alpha(\text{M})=0.109$ 3; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=0.0396$ 10 $\alpha(\text{N})=0.0304$ 8; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.00775$ 21; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.00140$ 5; $\alpha(\text{Q})=5.4 \times 10^{-5}$ 7
321.21	(11/2 ⁺)	80.2 2	100	241.01	(9/2 ⁺)	(M1+E2)		39 24	$\alpha(\text{L})=29$ 17; $\alpha(\text{M})=8$ 5; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=2.9$ 18 $\alpha(\text{N})=2.2$ 14; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.6$ 4; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.09$ 5; $\alpha(\text{Q})=0.0014$ 10
417	(13/2 ⁺)	(96 5)	100	321.21	(11/2 ⁺)	[M1,E2]		18 10	$\alpha(\text{L})=13$ 7; $\alpha(\text{M})=3.6$ 21; $\alpha(\text{N}+..)=1.3$ 8 $\alpha(\text{N})=1.0$ 6; $\alpha(\text{O})=0.26$ 15; $\alpha(\text{P})=0.043$ 22; $\alpha(\text{Q})=0.0008$ 7

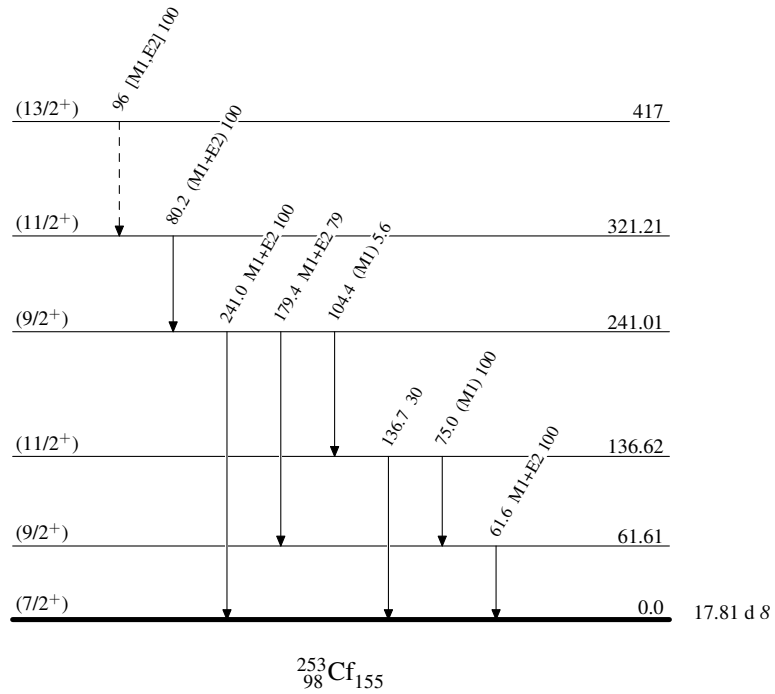
† Additional information 1.

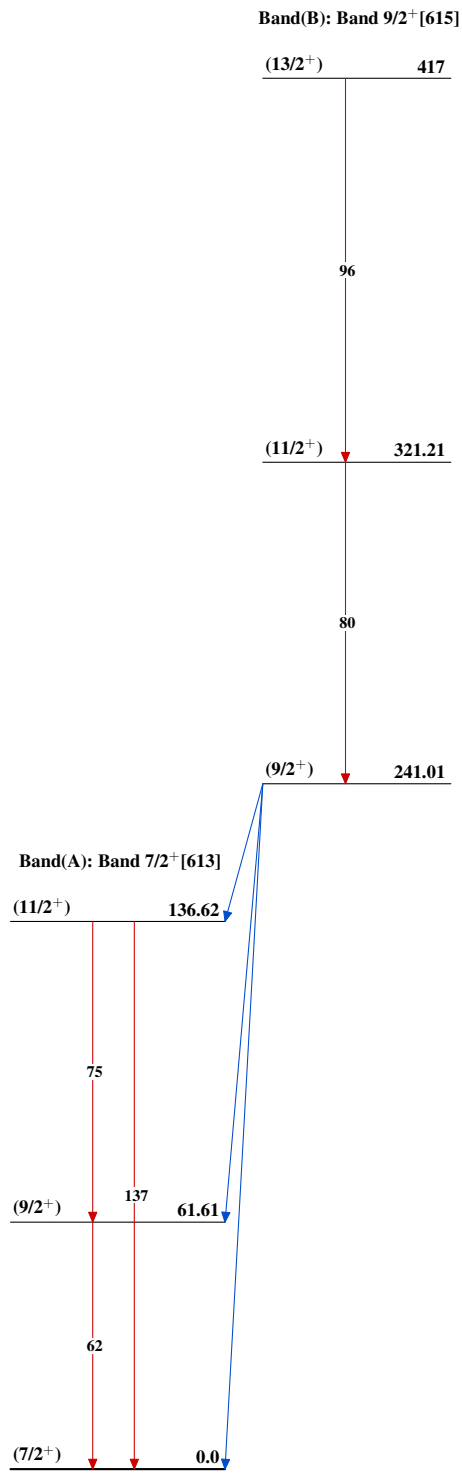
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Level Scheme

Intensities: Relative photon branching from each level

-----► γ Decay (Uncertain)

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