

$^{26}\text{Ne } \beta^- \text{ decay }$     [2007Su05,2004We11,1987DuZU](#)

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Parent:  $^{26}\text{Ne}$ : E=0.0;  $J^\pi=0^+$ ;  $T_{1/2}=197$  ms 2;  $Q(\beta^-)=7340$  19;  $\% \beta^- \text{ decay}=100.0$

**2007Su05:**  $^{26}\text{Ne}$  radioactive beam produced from a primary beam of  $^{48}\text{Ca}$  at 140 MeV/nucleon bombarding a  $^9\text{Be}$  target at NSCL facility. The fragments were separated by A1900 fragment separator on the basis of magnetic rigidities. The beam of  $^{26}\text{Ne}$  was used in a pulsed mode of 300 ns timing. The detection system consisted of implantation detector, an array of 16 neutron time-of-flight detectors and eight  $\gamma$ -ray detectors of SeGA array. Particle ( $^{26}\text{Na}$ ) identification was achieved by time-of-flight and energy loss information in silicon detectors. Measured  $E\gamma$ ,  $I\gamma$ ,  $\gamma\gamma$ , (particle) $\gamma$  coin,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma\beta$  coin, isotopic half-life by timing of  $\gamma$  rays. Comparisons with shell-model calculations.

**2004We11:** Mass separated  $^{26}\text{Ne}$  beam from the ISOLDE facility obtained from fission of uranium by 1.4 GeV protons. Measured  $E\gamma$ ,  $I\gamma$ ,  $\gamma\gamma$ ,  $\beta\gamma$  coin using Ge detector for  $\gamma$  rays and plastic scintillator for  $\beta$  rays.

**1987DuZU:** Projectile-fragment isotopic separation technique used to produce  $^{26}\text{Ne}$ . Partial decay scheme of  $^{26}\text{Na}$  deduced from  $\beta$  decay;  $\gamma$ -ray energies, but not intensities, reported. Measured  $T_{1/2}$ .

 $^{26}\text{Na}$  Levels

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	$J^\pi$ <sup>‡</sup>	$T_{1/2}$	Comments
0.0	$3^+$		
82.0 23	$1^+$	$9 \mu\text{s}$ 2	$T_{1/2}$ : From <a href="#">1987DuZu</a> .
232.9 18	$2^+$		
404 3	$2^+$		$J^\pi$ : Reported as $(0^+, 1^+, 2^+)$ in <a href="#">2007Su05</a> .
1511 4	$(1^+)$		$J^\pi$ : Reported as $(0^+, 1^+)$ in <a href="#">2007Su05</a> .
2219 4	$(4^+)$		$J^\pi$ : Reported as $(0^+, 1^+)$ in <a href="#">2007Su05</a> .
2721 4	$(1^+)$		$J^\pi$ : Reported as $(0^+, 1^+)$ in <a href="#">2007Su05</a> .

<sup>†</sup> Taken from [2007Su05](#).

<sup>‡</sup> From Adopted Levels.

 $\beta^-$  radiations

E(decay)	E(level)	$I\beta^-$ <sup>‡</sup>	$\log ft$ <sup>†</sup>	Comments
(4619 20)	2721	1.9 4	4.7 1	av $E\beta=2098.9$ 95
(5121 20)	2219	0.6 2	5.4 2	av $E\beta=2345.0$ 96
(5829 20)	1511	4.2 4	4.8 1	av $E\beta=2692.5$ 96
(6936 19)	404	0.4 1	6.1 1	av $E\beta=3238.1$ 95
(7107 19)	232.9	1.7 4	5.6 1	av $E\beta=3322.5$ 95
(7258 19)	82.0	91.6 2	3.87 6	Log $ft$ : too low for $\Delta J=2$ , $\Delta\pi=\text{no transition}$ (evaluator's note). av $E\beta=3397.0$ 96

<sup>†</sup> Deduced by evaluators using log  $ft$  code at [www.nndc.bnl.gov](http://www.nndc.bnl.gov). These values are nearly the same as in [2007Su05](#).

<sup>‡</sup> Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

 $\gamma(^{26}\text{Na})$ 

$E_\gamma$ <sup>†</sup>	$I_\gamma$ <sup>‡‡</sup>	$E_i$ (level)	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	$\alpha^\#$	$I_{(\gamma+ce)}$ <sup>‡</sup>	Comments
84 3	84.2 15	82.0	$1^+$	0.0	$3^+$	0.128 20	95	$I_\gamma$ : deduced by evaluators from $I(\gamma+ce)$ and $\alpha=0.128$ 20 (from BrIcc code). $I_{(\gamma+ce)}$ : <a href="#">2007Su05</a> quote intensity from <a href="#">2004We11</a> .

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$^{26}\text{Ne } \beta^- \text{ decay }$     [2007Su05](#),[2004We11](#),[1987DuZU](#) (continued) $\gamma(^{26}\text{Na})$  (continued)

$E_\gamma^\dagger$	$I_\gamma^{\ddagger\ddagger}$	$E_i(\text{level})$	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Comments
153 3	3.4 2	232.9	2 <sup>+</sup>	82.0	1 <sup>+</sup>	Evaluators note that <a href="#">2004We11</a> give $I(\gamma+\text{ce})(82.5\gamma)=100$ but $\beta$ feeding=92 5 for 82.5-keV level. The latter value implies $I(\gamma+\text{ce})(82.5\gamma)=95$ , which has been used by <a href="#">2007Su05</a> .
232 2	4.4 2	232.9	2 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	3 <sup>+</sup>	
404 3	0.4 1	404	2 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	3 <sup>+</sup>	
1212 3	1.2 3	2721	(1 <sup>+</sup> )	1511	(1 <sup>+</sup> )	
1279 3	5.4 2	1511	(1 <sup>+</sup> )	232.9	2 <sup>+</sup>	
2219 4	0.6 2	2219	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	0.0	3 <sup>+</sup>	
2486 4	0.7 2	2721	(1 <sup>+</sup> )	232.9	2 <sup>+</sup>	

<sup>†</sup> Taken from [2007Su05](#).<sup>‡</sup> Absolute intensity per 100 decays.# Total theoretical internal conversion coefficients, calculated using the BrIcc code ([2008Ki07](#)) with Frozen orbital approximation based on  $\gamma$ -ray energies, assigned multipolarities, and mixing ratios, unless otherwise specified.

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Legend

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

