

Adopted Levels

Type	History		Literature Cutoff Date
	Author	Citation	
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$Q(\beta^-) = -1800$ SY; $S(n) = 5460$ SY; $S(p) = 4980$ SY; $Q(\alpha) = 7810$ SY [2012Wa38](#)

Estimated uncertainties ([2012Wa38](#)): 420 for $Q(\beta^-)$, 510 for $S(n)$, 570 for $S(p)$, 300 for $Q(\alpha)$.

$S(2n) = 12240$ 400, $S(2p) = 9020$ 610 (syst, [2012Wa38](#)).

²⁶⁵Rf produced in the α -decay chain of ²⁸⁵F1 nuclide ([2010EI06](#), [2015Ut02](#)): ²⁸⁵F1 \rightarrow ²⁸¹Cn \rightarrow ²⁷⁷Ds \rightarrow ²⁷³Hs \rightarrow ²⁶⁹Sg \rightarrow ²⁶⁵Rf.

[2010EI06](#): identification of ²⁶⁵Rf nuclide in the α -decay chain of ²⁸⁵F1 nuclide produced in ²⁴²Pu(⁴⁸Ca,5n) at E=256 MeV from LBNL cyclotron facility. Evaporation residues were separated by BGS based on magnetic rigidities. Signals from multiwire proportional counters (MWPC) and focal plane detector (FPD) were used to distinguish implantation events from radioactive decay events in the FPD. Z=114 events were identified by detecting time and position correlated events corresponding to their implantation and subsequent radioactive decay chain terminating in SF decay of ²⁶⁵Rf.

[2015Ut02](#): ²⁸⁵F1 produced in ²⁴⁰Pu(⁴⁸Ca,3n), E=245,250 MeV at U400 cyclotron of FLNR-JINR facility. Targets=²⁴⁰Pu enriched to 98.97% at ORNL facility, and 92% enriched at JINR facility, with average thickness of 0.39 mg/cm² 4 for mixed ORNL/JINR ²⁴⁰Pu material. Evaporation residues (ERs) were separated from the incident beam ions, scattered particles, and transfer reaction products by the DGFRS based on magnetic rigidities. Recoils passed through a tof system of two multiwire proportional counters (MWPCs), and were implanted in the DSSD detector system (0.3-mm thick double-sided silicon strip detectors) placed at the final focus of the DGFRS. Events related to Z=114 were identified by detecting time and position correlated events corresponding to their implantation and subsequent α -decay chain terminating in SF decay.

The data of [1999Ni03](#) reporting α -decay chain of ²⁹³118 leading to the nuclide ²⁶⁵Rf, and cited in earlier Nuclear Data Sheets evaluation of [2000Fi12](#) have since been retracted ([2002Ni10](#)), and have not been confirmed in an independent experiment at LBNL ([2003Gr26](#)).

²⁶⁵Rf Levels

Cross Reference (XREF) Flags

A ²⁶⁹Sg α decay (3.1 min)

<u>E(level)</u>	<u>T_{1/2}</u>	<u>XREF</u>	<u>Comments</u>
0	1.0 min +12-3	A	%SF \approx 100 (2010EI06 , 2015Ut02) E(level): it is assumed that the observed activity corresponds to the ground state of ²⁶⁵ Rf. T _{1/2} : measured by 2015Ut02 from α (SF)-correlation timing Theoretical SF decay half-life \approx 1 s (1997Sm03). Theoretical α decay half-lives: 6.58 h (generalized liquid drop model, 2008Ro06), 29.6 h (Viola-Seaborg-Sobiczewski formulas, 2008Ro06); \approx 2.8 h (1997Sm03), 5.6 y (1997Mo25). Theoretical β -decay half-life >100 s (1997Mo25). J ^π : 3/2 ⁺ proposed in calculations by 1997Mo25 .