

$^{26}\text{Mg}(\alpha, \text{n}), (\alpha, \gamma), (\alpha, \alpha) : \text{res}$ **1972Ru02, 1962Ba36, 1961Cs02**

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Others: [1968Me04](#) (α, γ), [1978Ze02](#) ($^{14}\text{N}, ^{10}\text{B}$), [1977NaZI](#) report nine levels from $^{26}\text{Mg}(\alpha, \alpha')$ studies.

[1972Ru02](#): ^{26}Mg target (99.7% enriched), (α, n), $E=2.5\text{-}4.3$ MeV; measured $\sigma(E)$; (α, γ), $E=2.5\text{-}4.3$ MeV; measured $\sigma(E;\theta)$; (α, α), $E=2.5\text{-}4.3$ MeV; measured $\sigma(E;\theta)$, four Si surface-barrier detectors in a 35.5 cm diameter scattering chamber, two NaI(Tl) detectors; the neutron yield was measured with a BF3 detector at 0° from the beam direction; deduced levels, spin, parity, Γ .

[1962Ba36](#): (α, n), 99% enriched ^{26}MgO target of various thicknesses, $E_\alpha=4.56$ and 5.01 MeV; NaI(Tl) crystal, measured γ (not reported); deduced excited levels.

[1961Cs02](#): (α, γ): Electromagnetically separated ^{26}MgO target, $E_\alpha=4.56$ and 5.01 MeV; NaI(Tl) crystal, measured γ (not reported); deduced excited levels.

[1976Ma12](#): ($^{12}\text{C}, ^8\text{Be}$) – $E=50\text{-}65$ MeV; measured $\sigma(E, E(^8\text{Be}), \theta)$; deduced levels.

 ^{30}Si Levels

$E(\text{level})^\dagger$	J^π	$\Gamma^&$	Γ_{obs} (keV) ^a	Comments
$5.6 \times 10^3 \ddagger$				
$7.3 \times 10^3 \ddagger$				
$8.6 \times 10^3 \ddagger$				E(level): from listed 8.4 to 8.8 in Fig. 10. (1976Ma12), not referenced in "XREF".
$9.6 \times 10^3 \ddagger$				
13022 5		<9		$E_\alpha(\text{Lab})=2744$ keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α, n)). Γ_{obs} (keV): from 7 keV 2 (1972Ru02).
13077 5		>4 keV	<10	$E_\alpha(\text{Lab})=2808$ keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α, n)). Γ_{obs} (keV): from 8 keV 2 (1972Ru02).
13182 5		>4 keV	<10	$E_\alpha(\text{Lab})=2929$ keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α, n)). Γ_{obs} (keV): from 8 keV 2 (1972Ru02).
13220 5		>18 keV	<22	$E_\alpha(\text{Lab})=2972$ keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α, n)). Γ_{obs} (keV): from 19 keV 3 (1972Ru02).
13234 5		>12 keV	<17	$E_\alpha(\text{Lab})=2989$ keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α, n)). $\Gamma_{\text{obs}} < 10$ keV (1972Ru02 – from 14 3). Γ_{obs} (keV): From 14 keV 3 (1972Ru02).
13307 5		>52 keV	<58	$E_\alpha(\text{Lab})=3073$ keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α, n)). Γ_{obs} (keV): from 53 keV 5 (1972Ru02).
13403 5		>4 keV	<10	$E_\alpha(\text{Lab})=3184$ keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α, n)). Γ_{obs} (keV): from 8 keV 2 (1972Ru02).
13471 5		>13 keV	<18	$E_\alpha(\text{Lab})=3262$ keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α, n)). Γ_{obs} (keV): from 15 keV 3 (1972Ru02).
13489 5	$1^- @$	>17 keV	<21	$E_\alpha(\text{Lab})=3283$ keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α, n), other: 3285 keV (α, α)). Γ_{obs} (keV): from 18 keV 3 (1972Ru02).
13588 5		>12 keV	<17	$E_\alpha(\text{Lab})=3397$ keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α, n)). Γ_{obs} (keV): from 14 keV 3 (1972Ru02).
13604 5		>10 keV	<15	$E_\alpha(\text{Lab})=3415$ keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α, n)). Γ_{obs} (keV): from 12 keV 3 (1972Ru02).
13674 5		>20 keV	<27	$E_\alpha(\text{Lab})=3496$ keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α, n)). Γ_{obs} (keV): from 22 keV 5 (1972Ru02).
13705 5		>20 keV	<27	$E_\alpha(\text{Lab})=3532$ keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α, n)). Γ_{obs} (keV): from 22 keV 5 (1972Ru02).
13725 5		>20 keV	<27	$E_\alpha(\text{Lab})=3555$ keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α, n)). Γ_{obs} (keV): from 22 keV 5 (1972Ru02).
13747 5		>13 keV	<18	$E_\alpha(\text{Lab})=3580$ keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α, n)). Γ_{obs} (keV): from 15 keV 3 (1972Ru02).
13773 5	$0^+ @$	>19 keV	<23	$E_\alpha(\text{Lab})=3610$ keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α, n), other: 3612 keV (α, α)).

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 ^{30}Si Levels (continued)

E(level) [†]	J ^π	Γ&	Γ _{obs} (keV) ^a	Comments
13796 5		>13 keV	<18	Γ _{obs} (keV): from 20 keV 3 (1972Ru02). E _α (Lab)=3637 keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α,n)). Γ _{obs} (keV): from 15 keV 3 (1972Ru02).
13858 5	1 ⁻ @	>17 keV	<21	E _α (Lab)=3708 keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α,n), other: 3709 keV (α,γ), (α,α)). Γ _{γ0} =0.4 eV (1972Ru02 – assuming Γ _p =0). Γ _{obs} (keV): from 18 keV 3 (1972Ru02).
13888 5	(1 ⁻)@	>14 keV	<19	E _α (Lab)=3743 keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α,n), other: 3750 keV (α,α)). Γ _{obs} (keV): from 16 keV 3 (1972Ru02).
13938 5		>4 keV	<10	E _α (Lab)=3801 keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α,n)). Γ _{obs} (keV): from 8 keV 2 (1972Ru02).
13957 5		>6 keV	<11	E _α (Lab)=3823 keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α,n)). Γ _{obs} (keV): from 9 keV 2 (1972Ru02).
13986 5		>20 keV	<26	E _α (Lab)=3856 keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α,n)). Γ _{obs} (keV): from 22 keV 4 (1972Ru02).
14007 5	0 ⁺ @	>13 keV	<18	E _α (Lab)=3880 keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α,n), (α,α)). Γ _{obs} (keV): from 15 keV 3 (1972Ru02).
14094 5	1 ⁻ @	>18 keV	<22	E _α (Lab)=3981 keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α,n), (α,γ), (α,α)). Γ _{γ0} =6.1 eV (1972Ru02 – assuming Γ _p =0). Γ _{obs} (keV): from 19 keV 3 (1972Ru02).
14147 5		>13 keV	<18	E _α (Lab)=4042 keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α,n)). Γ _{obs} (keV): from 15 keV 3 (1972Ru02).
14177 5		>20 keV	<24	E _α (Lab)=4076 keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α,n)). Γ _{obs} (keV): from 21 keV 3 (1972Ru02).
14190	0 ⁺ @			E _α (Lab)=4091 keV (1972Ru02 – (α,α)).
14237 5		>7 keV	<12	E _α (Lab)=4146 keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α,n)). Γ _{obs} (keV): From 10 keV 2 (1972Ru02).
14253 5	(2 ⁺)@	>11 keV	<15	E _α (Lab)=4164 keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α,n), other: 4160 keV (α,α)). Γ _{obs} (keV): from 13 keV 2 (1972Ru02).
14311 5	1 ⁻ @	>19 keV	<23	E _α (Lab)=4231 keV 5 (1972Ru02 – (α,n), (α,γ), (α,α)). Γ _{γ0} =8.5 eV (1972Ru02 – assuming Γ _p =0). Γ _{obs} (keV): from 20 keV 3 (1972Ru02).
14320#	0 ⁺ #			E(level): Other: 14320 (1977NaZI).
14376#	0 ⁺ #			E(level): Other: 14376 (1977NaZI).
14596 50	0 ⁺ #			E _α (Lab)=(4.56 5) × 10 ³ (1961Cs02, 1962Ba36). E(level): (14.59 4) × 10 ³ in 1961Cs02 using the E _α (Lab) and Q(α)=10633 keV. 14597 keV in 1977NaZI.
14647#	2 ⁺ #			E(level): Other: 14627 (1977NaZI).
14675#	1 ⁻ #			E(level): Other: 14895 (1977NaZI).
14718#	3 ⁻ #			E(level): Other: 14917 (1977NaZI).
14874#	0 ⁺ #			E _α (Lab)=(5.01 30) × 10 ³ keV (1961Cs02, 1962Ba36). E(level): (14.98 3) × 10 ³ in 1961Cs02 using the E _α (Lab) and Q(α)=10633 keV. Other: 14973 and 15008 (1977NaZI) both falls within the uncertainty, listed spin and parity as 2 ⁺ and 0 ⁺ , respectively, no details are given.
14918#	3 ⁻ #			E(level): Other: 15069 (1977NaZI).
1.499×10 ⁴ 3				E(level): Other: 15022 (1977NaZI).

[†] Deduced by the evaluators using E_α(Lab), m(³⁰Si)=29.973770137 a.m.u. 23, m(²⁶Mg)=25.98259297 a.m.u. 3, and

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$Q(\alpha)(^{30}\text{Si})=10643.33$ keV ⁴ ([2021Wa16](#)), except where otherwise noted.

[‡] From [1976Ma12](#).

[#] From [1977NaZI](#) ($^{26}\text{Mg}(\alpha,\alpha')$). No details are given.

[@] From [1972Ru02](#), based on angular distribution data for the ground state transitions in (α,γ) and $\alpha(\theta)$ measurements in $(\alpha,\alpha\gamma)$.

[&] Estimated value in [1972Ru02](#) based on Γ_{obs} .

^a $\Gamma_{\text{obs}}=\Gamma_{\text{observed}}$ ([1972Ru02](#)). The reported Γ values are lower limits as those were calculated with the assumption that $\Gamma_{\text{expt}}=7$ keV. So the widths Γ_{obs} are the upper limits.