

^{31}Si β^- decay (157.24 min) [1993Ko49](#),[1993Mc05](#)

Type	Author	History	Citation	Literature Cutoff Date
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Parent: ^{31}Si : $E=0.0$; $J^\pi=3/2^+$; $T_{1/2}=157.24$ min 20; $Q(\beta^-)=1491.51$ 4; $\% \beta^-$ decay=100.0

^{31}Si - $J^\pi, T_{1/2}$: From Adopted Levels of ^{31}Si .

^{31}Si - $Q(\beta^-)$: From [2021Wa16](#).

[1993Ko49](#): ^{31}Si from $^{31}\text{P}(n,p)$ reaction at the IPEN 2 MV research reactor Brazil. Used $4\pi\beta\gamma$ coin "efficiency tracing" technique to measure the emission probability of the very low intensity 1266 keV γ .

[1993Mc05](#): ^{31}Si from neutron activation of ^{30}Si using the Cornell University nuclear reactor TRIGA. High purity Ge detectors for E_γ and I_γ measurements.

Other: [1954Ly42](#).

 ^{31}P Levels

E(level)	J^π^\dagger
0.0	1/2 ⁺
1266.1 1	3/2 ⁺

[†] From Adopted Levels.

 β^- radiations

^{31}Si β^- decays only to g.s. and 1266.1 level.

E(decay)	E(level)	$I\beta^-^\dagger$	Log ft	Comments
(225.41 11)	1266.1	0.0554 7	5.747 6	av $E\beta=68.938$ 38 $I\beta^-$: from 1993Ko49 . Other: 0.050 4 (1993Mc05).
(1491.51 4)	0.0	99.9446 7	5.5250 6	av $E\beta=595.93$

[†] Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

 $\gamma(^{31}\text{P})$

I_γ normalization: From absolute intensity of 1266.2 γ ([1993Ko49](#)).

E_γ	I_γ^\ddagger	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult.	δ	α^\dagger	Comments
1266.1 1	0.0554 7	1266.1	3/2 ⁺	0.0	1/2 ⁺	M1+E2	+0.26 3	3.32×10^{-5} 5	$\alpha=3.32 \times 10^{-5}$ 5; $\alpha(\text{K})=1.681 \times 10^{-5}$ 24; $\alpha(\text{L})=1.252 \times 10^{-6}$ 18; $\alpha(\text{M})=9.51 \times 10^{-8}$ 14 $\alpha(\text{IPF})=1.509 \times 10^{-5}$ 23 I_γ : from 1993Ko49 . 0.050 4 (1993Mc05), 0.07 (1954Ly42). $E_\gamma, \text{Mult.}, \delta$: from Adopted Gammas.

[†] [Additional information 1](#).

[‡] Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

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Decay Scheme

Intensities: $I_{(\gamma+ce)}$ per 100 parent decays