

^{34}Ar ε decay (843.8 ms) 2006Ia05,1974Ha26

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Parent: ^{34}Ar : $E=0.0$; $J^\pi=0^+$; $T_{1/2}=843.8$ ms 4; $Q(\varepsilon)=6061.83$ 8; $\% \varepsilon + \% \beta^+$ decay=100.0

^{34}Ar - $T_{1/2}$: From 2006Ia05.

^{34}Ar - $Q(\varepsilon)$: From 2011Er02, 2009Er07. Others: 6062.64 34 (2011AuZZ); 6062.6 4 (2003Au03).

2006Ia05: $^1\text{H}(^{35}\text{Cl},2n)^{34}\text{Ar}$ $E=875$, 1050 MeV, fast tape-transport system, 4π proportional gas counter. Measured $T_{1/2}$.

1974Ha26: $^{32}\text{S}(^3\text{He},n)^{34}\text{Ar}$ $E=12$ MeV, fast gas-transport system, Ge(Li) detector. Measured I_γ , E_γ , $T_{1/2}$, absolute $I(\varepsilon+\beta^+)$.

See also 2009Ha12, which surveyed measured precise $Q(\text{g.s.})$, $T_{1/2}$, and branching ratios for conserved vector current hypothesis and standard model.

Others: 1972Ha58 ($T_{1/2}$), 1971Mo27 (I_γ , E_γ , $T_{1/2}$).

Energy balance: total decay energy of 6062 keV 11 deduced (using RADLIST code) from proposed decay scheme is in agreement with the expected value of 6061.83 keV 8, indicating that decay scheme is complete.

 ^{34}Cl Levels

E(level) [†]	J^π [‡]	$T_{1/2}$ [‡]	Comments
0.0	0^+	1.5266 s 4	$\% \varepsilon + \% \beta^+ = 100$ $\% \varepsilon + \% \beta^+$: Adopted value. $T_{1/2}$: weighted average of: 1.5268 s 5 (2006Ia05), 1.5277 s 22 (1983Ko22), 1.5252 s 11 (1976Wi08), 1.526 s 2 (1973Ry01); others: 1.534 s 3 (1972Ha82), 1.565 s 7 (1965Eb01), 1.560 s 14 (1961Ja22), 1.58 s 1 (1960Ja12), 1.61 s 1 (1958Mi85), 1.53 s 2 (1954Kl36).
460.8 10	1^+	5.2 ps 4	
665.8 10	1^+	9.2 ps 4	
2579.5 14	1^+	33 fs 8	
3129.2 10	1^+	1.9 fs 13	

[†] From least-squares fit to E_γ data by evaluators.

[‡] Adopted values.

 ε, β^+ radiations

E(decay)	E(level)	$I\beta^+$ [‡]	$I\varepsilon$ [‡]	Log ft	$I(\varepsilon+\beta^+)$ ^{†‡}	Comments
(2932.6 10)	3129.2	1.28 7	0.0160 9	3.458 24	1.30 7	av $E\beta=829.08$ 47; $\varepsilon K=0.011100$ 18; $\varepsilon L=0.0010604$ 1; $\varepsilon M+=0.00013659$ $I(\varepsilon+\beta^+)$: 1.30 +12-6 (1974Ha26).
(3482.3 14)	2579.5	0.86 5	0.0049 3	4.12 3	0.86 5	av $E\beta=1086.19$ 67; $\varepsilon K=0.005193$ 9; $\varepsilon L=0.0004960$ 9; $\varepsilon M+=6.389 \times 10^{-5}$ 11 $I(\varepsilon+\beta^+)$: 0.86 +10-4 (1974Ha26).
(5396.0 10)	665.8	2.49 11	0.00258 12	4.780 20	2.49 11	av $E\beta=2006.14$ 49; $\varepsilon K=0.0009351$ 7; $\varepsilon L=8.927 \times 10^{-5}$ 6; $\varepsilon M+=1.1497 \times 10^{-5}$ 8 $I(\varepsilon+\beta^+)$: 2.49 +13-10 (1974Ha26).
(5601.0 10)	460.8	0.91 10		5.31 5	0.91 10	av $E\beta=2105.98$ 49
(6061.83 8)	0.0	94.38 25	0.0643 7	3.4846 12	94.44 25	av $E\beta=2331.25$; $\varepsilon K=0.0006143$; $\varepsilon L=5.863 \times 10^{-5}$; $\varepsilon M+=7.551 \times 10^{-6}$ $I(\varepsilon+\beta^+)$: 94.44 +23-26 (1974Ha26).

[†] Measured by 1974Ha26 from I_γ and $I(\gamma^\pm)$.

[‡] Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

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E_γ^\dagger	$I_\gamma^{\ddagger\#}$	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. ‡
460.8 10	36.5 36	460.8	1 ⁺	0.0 0 ⁺	0 ⁺	M1
665.8 10	100	665.8	1 ⁺	0.0 0 ⁺	0 ⁺	M1
2579.4 14	34.5 10	2579.5	1 ⁺	0.0 0 ⁺	0 ⁺	M1
3129.0 10	52.1 12	3129.2	1 ⁺	0.0 0 ⁺	0 ⁺	

† From 1974Ha26.

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$^\#$ For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.0249 11.

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Legend

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

Intensities: I_γ per 100 parent decays

