

$^{38}\text{Ar}(\text{p},\text{n})$ **1996An09,1992An09**

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1996An09: E=135 MeV proton beam was produced from the Indiana University Cyclotron Facility (IUCF). Target was argon gas (95% enriched in ^{38}Ar). Neutrons were detected with fast plastic scintillators and neutron energies are measured using tof method (FWHM \approx 280-450 keV). Measured $\sigma(E_n, \theta)$, $\theta=0^\circ$ to 30° (center of mass). Deduced levels, B(GT) for low-spin states from DWIA analysis. Comparisons with shell-model calculations.

1992An09 (same group as **1996An09**): E=135 MeV; tof method, FWHM \approx 320-450 keV. Measured $\sigma(\theta)$ from 0° to 63° , deduced stretched high-spin states; DWIA analysis.

Others:

2002Or05: E=35 MeV. Measured $\sigma(\theta)$.

Threshold measurements for Q value determination of decay of 130-keV isomer of ^{38}K : **1998Ha36**, **1992Ta07**, **1979Bu13**, **1978Ja06**.

 ^{38}K Levels

E(level) [†]	J ^π ^a	dσ/dΩ mb/sr ^b	Comments
0 [‡]	3 ⁺	1.5 [‡]	
130 [‡]	0 ⁺	[‡]	
460 ^{&}	1 ⁺	0.2	B(GT) _{pn} =0.010 5 (1996An09). dσ/dΩ mb/sr: at 12°, 0.05 at 0°. DWIA fit is poor for 1 ⁺ mainly due to the weakness of 460 peak.
170×10 ¹ 10	1 ⁺	10	B(GT) _{pn} =1.73 25 (1996An09), 1.63 9 (2002Or05). dσ/dΩ=0.91 mb/sr (2002Or05).
340×10 ¹ # 10	1 ⁺	1.2 [#]	B(GT) _{pn} =0.23 4 (1996An09).
350×10 ¹ 10	(7) ⁺	5.0 ^c	E(level): this peak will be unresolved from 3400 and 3900 structure reported by 1996An09 , thus its existence is considered as suspect by the evaluator.
390×10 ¹ # 10	1 ⁺	2.3 [#]	B(GT) _{pn} =0.43 7 (1996An09). E(level): quadruplet, mostly 1 ⁺ states with some higher spin states.
530×10 ¹ 10	(6 ⁻)	0.13 ^c	
590×10 ¹ 10	(6 ⁻)	0.02 ^c	
670×10 ¹ & 10	1 ⁺	0.4	B(GT) _{pn} =0.07 2 (1996An09).
970×10 ¹ @ & 10			B(GT) _{pn} =0.03 1 (1996An09).
990×10 ¹ @ 10	1 ⁺	1.0	B(GT) _{pn} =0.17 3 (1996An09).
1020×10 ¹ @ 10	1 ⁺	0.7	B(GT) _{pn} =0.13 2 (1996An09).

[†] From **1996An09** for J=0⁺ and 1⁺ states; from **1992An09** for 6⁻ and 7⁺ levels.

[‡] g.s. and 130 level are unresolved, $\sigma(\theta)$ is fitted with 0⁺ and 3⁺.

3400 and 3900 levels are unresolved.

@ 9700, 9900 and 10200 are not fully resolved.

& Weak peak.

^a From Adopted Levels for levels up to 3500, above this energy the assignments are from **1996An09** based on cross section in (p,n) and identification of transition as GT transition.

^b Read from $\sigma(\theta)$ figures 2 and 3 of **1996An09**, values correspond to $\theta=0^\circ$, unless otherwise stated.

^c Read from $\sigma(\theta)$ figure 3 of **1992An09**, values correspond to $\theta=12^\circ$.