

$^{40}\text{Cl} \beta^-$ decay (1.35 min) [1972Kl06,1970Ke12](#)

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Parent: ^{40}Cl : $E=0$; $J^\pi=2^-$; $T_{1/2}=1.35$ min 3; $Q(\beta^-)=7482$ 32; $\% \beta^-$ decay=100.0

^{40}Cl - $J^\pi, T_{1/2}$: From Adopted Levels of ^{40}Cl .

^{40}Cl - $Q(\beta^-)$: From [2012Wa38](#).

[1972Kl06](#) (also [1973Kl02,1981HuZT](#)): ^{40}Cl ions were produced via $^{40}\text{Ar}(n,p)$ reaction with $E=14$ MeV neutron beam on pure natural argon target. γ rays were detected with a Ge(Li) detector (FWHM=4 keV at 1.33 MeV) and a NaI(Tl) detector. Measured E_γ , I_γ , $\gamma\gamma$ -coin. Deduced levels, J , π , γ -ray branching ratios.

[1970Ke12](#): ^{40}Cl sources were prepared via the $^{40}\text{Ar}(n,p)$ reaction with $E=14.9$ MeV neutron produced from the University of Kentucky neutron generator. γ rays were detected with Ge(Li) detectors and NaI(Tl) detectors. Measured E_γ , I_γ , $\gamma\gamma$ -coin, decay curve. Deduced levels, J , π , γ -ray branching ratios, parent $T_{1/2}$.

Others:

[1989Mi03](#): Measured E_β , $\beta\gamma$ -coin. Deduced mass excess.

[1968Hu07](#), [1965Gr03](#), [1956Mo39](#): Measured E_γ , I_γ . Deduced levels.

Thesis (M.S.) by E.L. Robinson (Purdue, 1958). E_γ , I_γ data and level scheme from this work are quoted by [1970Ke12](#). This thesis was not available to the present evaluator.

 ^{40}Ar Levels

E(level) [†]	J^π ^{&}	$T_{1/2}$	Comments
0	0 ⁺	stable	
1460.78 5	2 ⁺		
2120.82 19	0 ⁺		
2524.03 12	2 ⁺		
2892.70 22	4 ⁺		
3207.89 14	2 ⁺		
3511.18 25	2 ⁺		
3680.53 14	3 ⁻		
3918.82 13	2 ⁺		
3941.91? [‡] 20			
4082.60 17	3 ⁻		Additional information 1.
4178.9? [‡] 3			
4301.01 23	(3) ⁻		
4324.5 3	2 ⁺		
4359.5? [‡] 9			
4481.0? [‡] 3	1 ⁻		
4562.28 17	(1,3) ⁻		
4582.0? [‡] 8	(3) ⁻		
4737.8? [‡] 4			
4769.0 3	1 ⁻		
4943.3? [‡] 6			
5165.7 7	(2) ⁺		
5269.6 3	(1 ⁻ ,3 ⁻)		
5310.0? [#] 10	(2 ⁺)		
5400.5 8	1 ⁻		
5609.4 8	(1,2,3)		
5629.4? [#] 10			
5717.8 10			
5880.1 4	1 ⁻		
5905.9 7	(1 ⁻)		
5950.5 10	(1,2)		

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^{40}Cl β^- decay (1.35 min) 1972K106,1970Ke12 (continued) ^{40}Ar Levels (continued)

E(level) [†]	J ^{π&}	Comments
6053.6 8	1 ⁽⁻⁾	
6133.5?@ 10		
6208.5 8	(1,2)	
6276.7? 10	(1 ⁻ , 2 ⁻ , 3 ⁻)	E(level): this level is constructed by 1972K106 only based on a 1333-keV transition to a level at 4943 which is considered as improbable by 1983Bi08 in (α, γ). Therefore, the evaluator has considered this level as questionable as well.
6338.7 11	1 ⁽⁻⁾	
6476.1 8	1 ⁽⁻⁾	
6651.7? 8		

[†] From a least-squares fit to γ -ray energies.[‡] Level considered as improbable based on results of (α, γ) study of 1983Bi08.[#] Level considered as improbable since the decay mode is very different from that in (α, γ) (1983Bi08) from a level near the same energy.

@ From 1981HuZT only.

& From Adopted Levels.

 β^- radiations

E(decay)	E(level)	$I\beta^{-\dagger\dagger}$	Log ft	Comments
(8.3×10^2 # 3)	6651.7?	0.49 17	4.8 2	av $E\beta=301$ 14
(1.01×10^3 3)	6476.1	0.16 3	5.6 1	av $E\beta=376$ 14
(1.14×10^3 3)	6338.7	0.26 8	5.6 2	av $E\beta=436$ 15
(1.21×10^3 # 3)	6276.7?	0.32 6	5.6 1	av $E\beta=464$ 15
(1.27×10^3 3)	6208.5	0.041 25	6.6 3	av $E\beta=494$ 15
(1.35×10^3 3)	6133.5?	≈ 0.04	≈ 6.7	av $E\beta=527$ 15 $I\beta^-$: from 1981HuZT.
(1.43×10^3 3)	6053.6	0.32 6	5.9 1	av $E\beta=563$ 15
(1.53×10^3 3)	5950.5	0.041 25	6.9 3	av $E\beta=610$ 15
(1.58×10^3 3)	5905.9	0.65 9	5.8 1	av $E\beta=631$ 15
(1.60×10^3 3)	5880.1	5.2 5	4.9 1	av $E\beta=642$ 15
(1.76×10^3 3)	5717.8	0.08 4	6.9 2	av $E\beta=717$ 15
(1.85×10^3 # 3)	5629.4?	0.08 4	7.0 2	av $E\beta=758$ 15
(1.87×10^3 3)	5609.4	0.41 19	6.3 2	av $E\beta=767$ 15
(2.08×10^3 3)	5400.5	0.16 7	6.9 2	av $E\beta=865$ 15
(2.17×10^3 # 3)	5310.0?	0.16 9	7.0 3	av $E\beta=907$ 15
(2.21×10^3 3)	5269.6	2.1 3	5.9 1	av $E\beta=926$ 15
(2.32×10^3 3)	5165.7	0.9 1	6.3 1	av $E\beta=975$ 16
(2.71×10^3 3)	4769.0	0.49 9	6.9 1	av $E\beta=1164$ 16
(2.74×10^3 # 3)	4737.8?	0.41 9	7.0 1	av $E\beta=1179$ 16
(2.90×10^3 # 3)	4582.0?	0.17 7	7.5 2	av $E\beta=1254$ 16
(2.92×10^3 3)	4562.28	22.6 21	5.4 1	av $E\beta=1263$ 16 E(decay): 2729 145 (1989Mi03) from $\beta(3101\gamma)$.
(3.00×10^3 # 3)	4481.0?	0.24 6	7.4 1	av $E\beta=1302$ 16
(3.12×10^3 # 3)	4359.5?	0.24 8	7.5 2	av $E\beta=1360$ 16
(3.16×10^3 3)	4324.5	0.16 5	7.7 2	av $E\beta=1377$ 16
(3.18×10^3 3)	4301.01	27 5	5.5 1	av $E\beta=1389$ 16 E(decay): 3086 75 (1989Mi03) from $\beta(2840\gamma)$.

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$^{40}\text{Cl} \beta^-$ decay (1.35 min) [1972Kl06,1970Ke12](#) (continued) β^- radiations (continued)

E(decay)	E(level)	$I\beta^{-\dagger\dagger}$	Log ft	Comments
(3.30×10^3 [#] 3)	4178.9?	0.24 6	7.6 1	av $E\beta=1448$ 16
(3.40×10^3 3)	4082.60	13.8 15	5.9 1	av $E\beta=1494$ 16
				E(decay): 3070 100 (1989Mi03) from $\beta(2622\gamma)$.
(3.54×10^3 [#] 3)	3941.91?	0.16 5	7.9 2	av $E\beta=1562$ 16
(3.56×10^3 3)	3918.82	5.5 12	6.4 1	av $E\beta=1573$ 16
(3.80×10^3 3)	3680.53	4.6 11	6.6 1	av $E\beta=1689$ 16
(3.97×10^3 3)	3511.18	0.9 2	7.4 1	av $E\beta=1771$ 16
(4.27×10^3 3)	3207.89	2.1 4	7.2 1	av $E\beta=1919$ 16
(4.59×10^3 3)	2892.70	0.7 2	9.5 ^{1u} 1	av $E\beta=2085$ 16
(4.96×10^3 3)	2524.03	1.7 5	7.5 1	av $E\beta=2253$ 16
(6.02×10^3 [#] 3)	1460.78	4 4	>7.2	av $E\beta=2774$ 16
(7.48×10^3 3)	0	<9	>9.8 ^{1u}	av $E\beta=3500$ 16

E(decay): 7390 118 ([1989Mi03](#)).

$I\beta^-$: The only available experimental value is 9% from E.L. Robinson (M.S. thesis, Purdue, 1958). This value has been quoted in several papers ([1989Mi03](#),[1981HuZT](#),[1972Kl06](#),[1970Ke12](#)) and in Endt's compilations. [1970Ke12](#) quoted $I\beta=9$ -18%, again based on Robinson's data, suggesting equal feedings to the ground state and the first excited state. The singles β spectrum of [1989Mi03](#) does show that there is a direct feeding to the ground state, but in the opinion of the evaluator, precise feeding is not known. $\log f^{1u}_t > 8.5$ expected for first-forbidden unique transition allows up to 100% feeding.

[†] Deduced by evaluator from imbalance of γ -ray intensities at each level using the GTOL program.

[‡] Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

[#] Existence of this branch is questionable.

$\gamma(^{40}\text{Ar})$

I_γ normalization: From $\Sigma(I_\gamma \text{ to g.s.})=95.5\%$ 45, obtained by assuming β^- feeding to g.s. is <9% (see comments for g.s. β^- branching ratio) which is equivalent to 4.5% 45. Singles β^- spectrum of 1989Mi03 shows some g.s. feeding. But its precise value is unknown.

E_γ [†]	I_γ ^{†d}	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult.	δ^c	α^b	Comments
222.5 ^f 5	0.20 6	4582.0?	(3 ⁻)	4359.5?					
239.0 [#] 3	0.28 [#] 13	3918.82	2 ⁺	3680.53	3 ⁻	[E1]		1.13×10 ⁻³	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.001040$ 15; $\alpha(\text{L})=8.51\times 10^{-5}$ 13; $\alpha(\text{M})=8.28\times 10^{-6}$ 12
261.2 [#] 7	1.0 [#] 1	4562.28	(1,3) ⁻	4301.01	(3) ⁻				
270 [‡]		5880.1	1 ⁻	5609.4	(1,2,3)				
303.0 6	0.07 4	3511.18	2 ⁺	3207.89	2 ⁺				
315.0 5	0.03 1	3207.89	2 ⁺	2892.70	4 ⁺	[E2]		0.00249	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.00229$ 4; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.000189$ 3; $\alpha(\text{M})=1.83\times 10^{-5}$ 3
361.3 ^f 5	0.09 2	4943.3?		4582.0?	(3 ⁻)				
369.0 6	0.02 1	2892.70	4 ⁺	2524.03	2 ⁺	[E2]		1.41×10 ⁻³	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.001291$ 20; $\alpha(\text{L})=0.0001065$ 17; $\alpha(\text{M})=1.035\times 10^{-5}$ 16
381.0 ^f 5	0.10 4	4943.3?		4562.28	(1,3) ⁻				
472.0 4	0.3 1	3680.53	3 ⁻	3207.89	2 ⁺	[E1]		1.64×10 ⁻⁴	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.0001501$ 22; $\alpha(\text{L})=1.229\times 10^{-5}$ 18; $\alpha(\text{M})=1.198\times 10^{-6}$ 17
479.9 [#] 4	1.1 [#] 3	4562.28	(1,3) ⁻	4082.60	3 ⁻				
621.1 ^e 6	<0.3 ^e	3511.18	2 ⁺	2892.70	4 ⁺	[E2]		2.51×10 ⁻⁴	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.000230$ 4; $\alpha(\text{L})=1.89\times 10^{-5}$ 3; $\alpha(\text{M})=1.84\times 10^{-6}$ 3
621.1 ^e 6	<0.3 ^e	4301.01	(3) ⁻	3680.53	3 ⁻				
643.6 [#] 3	8.3 [#] 6	4562.28	(1,3) ⁻	3918.82	2 ⁺				
660.1 [#] 4	3.1 [#] 3	2120.82	0 ⁺	1460.78	2 ⁺	[E2]		2.09×10 ⁻⁴	$\alpha(\text{K})=0.000192$ 3; $\alpha(\text{L})=1.575\times 10^{-5}$ 23; $\alpha(\text{M})=1.534\times 10^{-6}$ 22
788.1 [#] 3	1.0 [#] 1	3680.53	3 ⁻	2892.70	4 ⁺	[E1]			
881.3 [#] 3	3.2 [#] 3	4562.28	(1,3) ⁻	3680.53	3 ⁻				
1042.3 ^f 3	0.6 2	6651.7?		5609.4	(1,2,3)				
1051.1 5	0.6 2	4562.28	(1,3) ⁻	3511.18	2 ⁺				
1063.1 [#] 2	2.9 [#] 3	2524.03	2 ⁺	1460.78	2 ⁺	M1+E2	-0.41 +6-13		
1087.6 4	0.10 5	3207.89	2 ⁺	2120.82	0 ⁺	[E2]			
1092.9 [#] 8	0.33 [#] 7	4301.01	(3) ⁻	3207.89	2 ⁺	[E1]			
1156.2 4	0.6 1	3680.53	3 ⁻	2524.03	2 ⁺	[E1]		5.43×10 ⁻⁵ 8	$\alpha=5.43\times 10^{-5}$ 8; $\alpha(\text{K})=2.07\times 10^{-5}$ 3; $\alpha(\text{L})=1.690\times 10^{-6}$ 24; $\alpha(\text{M})=1.649\times 10^{-7}$ 24 $\alpha(\text{IPF})=3.18\times 10^{-5}$ 5
1186.7 4	0.9 1	5269.6	(1 ⁻ ,3 ⁻)	4082.60	3 ⁻				
1317.2 5	0.50 6	5880.1	1 ⁻	4562.28	(1,3) ⁻				

⁴⁰Cl β⁻ decay (1.35 min) 1972Kl06,1970Ke12 (continued)γ(⁴⁰Ar) (continued)

<u>E_γ[†]</u>	<u>I_γ^{†d}</u>	<u>E_i(level)</u>	<u>J_i^π</u>	<u>E_f</u>	<u>J_f^π</u>	<u>Mult.</u>	<u>δ^c</u>	<u>α^b</u>	<u>Comments</u>
1333.4 ^f 8	0.40 7	6276.7?	(1 ⁻ ,2 ⁻ ,3 ⁻)	4943.3?					E _γ : this transition connects to a level at 4943 which is considered as improbable by 1983Bi08 in (α,pγ). Therefore, the evaluator has considered it as questionable as well.
1353.7 5	0.25 10	4562.28	(1,3) ⁻	3207.89 2 ⁺					
1394.7 3	1.5 2	3918.82	2 ⁺	2524.03 2 ⁺					
1432.1 [#] 4	2.0 [#] 2	2892.70	4 ⁺	1460.78 2 ⁺		E2		9.45×10 ⁻⁵ 14	α=9.45×10 ⁻⁵ 14; α(K)=2.74×10 ⁻⁵ 4; α(L)=2.24×10 ⁻⁶ 4; α(M)=2.19×10 ⁻⁷ 3 α(IPF)=6.46×10 ⁻⁵ 10
1460.73 [#] 5	100 [#]	1460.78	2 ⁺	0 0 ⁺		E2		1.03×10 ⁻⁴	α(K)=2.63×10 ⁻⁵ 4; α(L)=2.15×10 ⁻⁶ 3; α(M)=2.10×10 ⁻⁷ 3 α(IPF)=7.41×10 ⁻⁵ 11
1558.7 4	0.60 7	4082.60	3 ⁻	2524.03 2 ⁺		[E1]		3.25×10 ⁻⁴	α(K)=1.246×10 ⁻⁵ 18; α(L)=1.017×10 ⁻⁶ 15; α(M)=9.93×10 ⁻⁸ 14 α(IPF)=0.000311 5
1579.9 8	0.4 1	5880.1	1 ⁻	4301.01 (3) ⁻					
1589.0 [#] 3	1.2 [#] 2	5269.6	(1 ⁻ ,3 ⁻)	3680.53 3 ⁻					
1746.5 [#] 2	3.3 [#] 3	3207.89	2 ⁺	1460.78 2 ⁺		M1+E2	+0.11 7	1.65×10 ⁻⁴ 3	α(K)=1.633×10 ⁻⁵ 24; α(L)=1.334×10 ⁻⁶ 19; α(M)=1.302×10 ⁻⁷ 19 α(IPF)=0.0001476 23
1776.9 8	0.020 3	4301.01	(3) ⁻	2524.03 2 ⁺		[E1]		4.91×10 ⁻⁴	α(K)=1.017×10 ⁻⁵ 15; α(L)=8.30×10 ⁻⁷ 12; α(M)=8.10×10 ⁻⁸ 12 α(IPF)=0.000480 7
1797.8 [#] 2	2.7 [#] 4	3918.82	2 ⁺	2120.82 0 ⁺		[E2]		2.36×10 ⁻⁴	α(K)=1.743×10 ⁻⁵ 25; α(L)=1.424×10 ⁻⁶ 20; α(M)=1.390×10 ⁻⁷ 20 α(IPF)=0.000217 3
2050.5 4	1.3 2	3511.18	2 ⁺	1460.78 2 ⁺		M1(+E2)	-0.05 11	2.82×10 ⁻⁴ 5	α(K)=1.247×10 ⁻⁵ 18; α(L)=1.018×10 ⁻⁶ 15; α(M)=9.94×10 ⁻⁸ 14 α(IPF)=0.000269 4
2063.0 10	0.5 2	5269.6	(1 ⁻ ,3 ⁻)	3207.89 2 ⁺					
2220.0 [#] 2	8.6 [#] 12	3680.53	3 ⁻	1460.78 2 ⁺		E1(+M2)	-0.07 +5-11	7.97×10 ⁻⁴ 19	α(K)=7.4×10 ⁻⁶ 3; α(L)=6.04×10 ⁻⁷ 24; α(M)=5.89×10 ⁻⁸ 23 α(IPF)=0.000789 20
2457.7 [#] 4	5.8 [#] 10	3918.82	2 ⁺	1460.78 2 ⁺		M1+E2		0.00050 5	α(K)=9.6×10 ⁻⁶ 4; α(L)=7.9×10 ⁻⁷ 3; α(M)=7.7×10 ⁻⁸ 3 α(IPF)=0.00049 5
2524.1 [#] 2	2.5 [#] 3	2524.03	2 ⁺	0 0 ⁺		E2		5.79×10 ⁻⁴	δ: <-0.3 or>+6 from (p,p'γ). α(K)=9.52×10 ⁻⁶ 14; α(L)=7.77×10 ⁻⁷ 11; α(M)=7.58×10 ⁻⁸ 11 α(IPF)=0.000569 8

$\gamma(^{40}\text{Ar})$ (continued)

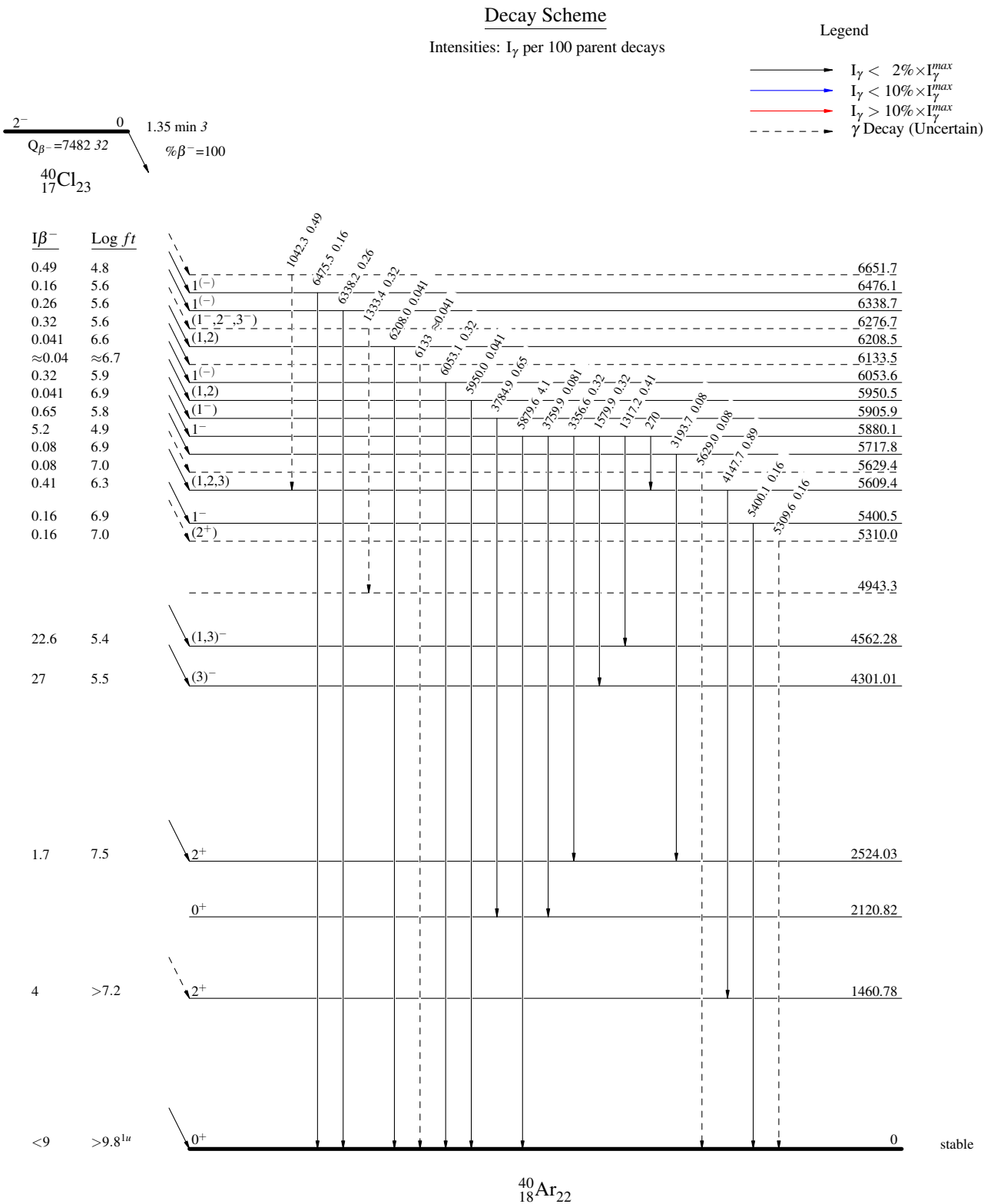
E_γ [†]	I_γ ^{†d}	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult.	α^b	Comments
2621.7# 2	18.1# 16	4082.60	3 ⁻	1460.78	2 ⁺	[E1]	1.04×10 ⁻³	$\alpha(\text{K})=5.86\times 10^{-6}$ 9; $\alpha(\text{L})=4.78\times 10^{-7}$ 7; $\alpha(\text{M})=4.66\times 10^{-8}$ 7 $\alpha(\text{IPF})=0.001034$ 15
2840.1# 3	34# 5	4301.01	(3) ⁻	1460.78	2 ⁺	[E1]	1.17×10 ⁻³	$\alpha(\text{K})=5.27\times 10^{-6}$ 8; $\alpha(\text{L})=4.30\times 10^{-7}$ 6; $\alpha(\text{M})=4.19\times 10^{-8}$ 6 $\alpha(\text{IPF})=0.001162$ 17
3101.7# 4	14.0& 20	4562.28	(1,3) ⁻	1460.78	2 ⁺			
3193.7 10	0.10 5	5717.8		2524.03	2 ⁺			
3208.2 3	0.6 1	3207.89	2 ⁺	0	0 ⁺	[E2]	8.79×10 ⁻⁴	$\alpha(\text{K})=6.47\times 10^{-6}$ 9; $\alpha(\text{L})=5.28\times 10^{-7}$ 8; $\alpha(\text{M})=5.15\times 10^{-8}$ 8 $\alpha(\text{IPF})=0.000872$ 13
3356.6 8	0.4 1	5880.1	1 ⁻	2524.03	2 ⁺			
3511.0 5	0.20 8	3511.18	2 ⁺	0	0 ⁺	[E2]	1.00×10 ⁻³	$\alpha(\text{K})=5.63\times 10^{-6}$ 8; $\alpha(\text{L})=4.60\times 10^{-7}$ 7; $\alpha(\text{M})=4.49\times 10^{-8}$ 7 $\alpha(\text{IPF})=0.000996$ 14
3704.6 8	1.0 1	5165.7	(2) ⁺	1460.78	2 ⁺			
3759.9 10	0.10 3	5880.1	1 ⁻	2120.82	0 ⁺			
3784.9 6	0.8 1	5905.9	(1) ⁻	2120.82	0 ⁺			
3918.6# 2	4.8# 5	3918.82	2 ⁺	0	0 ⁺	E2	1.15×10 ⁻³	$\alpha(\text{K})=4.79\times 10^{-6}$ 7; $\alpha(\text{L})=3.90\times 10^{-7}$ 6; $\alpha(\text{M})=3.81\times 10^{-8}$ 6 $\alpha(\text{IPF})=0.001141$ 16 It is seen from the gamma spectrum in 1972Kl06 that the 3919 single-escape peak+full-energy peak is much stronger than the 2458 peak. It is possible that the intensity of 3919 single-escape peak is not taken into account for the total intensity of the 3919 gamma-ray by 1972Kl06 .
3941.7@f 2	0.20 5	3941.91?		0	0 ⁺			
4082.1 8	0.30 6	4082.60	3 ⁻	0	0 ⁺	[E3]	9.21×10 ⁻⁴	$\alpha(\text{K})=5.95\times 10^{-6}$ 9; $\alpha(\text{L})=4.85\times 10^{-7}$ 7; $\alpha(\text{M})=4.74\times 10^{-8}$ 7 $\alpha(\text{IPF})=0.000914$ 13
4147.7 10	1.1 1	5609.4	(1,2,3)	1460.78	2 ⁺			
4178.7@f 3	0.30 7	4178.9?		0	0 ⁺			
4324.2 3	0.20 5	4324.5	2 ⁺	0	0 ⁺	[E2]	1.29×10 ⁻³	$\alpha(\text{K})=4.15\times 10^{-6}$ 6; $\alpha(\text{L})=3.38\times 10^{-7}$ 5; $\alpha(\text{M})=3.30\times 10^{-8}$ 5 $\alpha(\text{IPF})=0.001285$ 18
4357.6@f 3	0.50 7	4359.5?		0	0 ⁺			
4480.7@f 3	0.30 7	4481.0?	1 ⁻	0	0 ⁺	D		
4580.1@f 5	0.10 4	4582.0?	(3) ⁻	0	0 ⁺	[E3]	1.07×10 ⁻³	$\alpha(\text{K})=4.93\times 10^{-6}$ 7; $\alpha(\text{L})=4.02\times 10^{-7}$ 6; $\alpha(\text{M})=3.93\times 10^{-8}$ 6 $\alpha(\text{IPF})=0.001064$ 15
4737.5@f 4	0.5 1	4737.8?		0	0 ⁺			
4768.7 3	0.6 1	4769.0	1 ⁻	0	0 ⁺			
5165.5 10	0.10 5	5165.7	(2) ⁺	0	0 ⁺			
5309.6f 10	0.2 1	5310.0?	(2) ⁺	0	0 ⁺			
5400.1 8	0.20 8	5400.5	1 ⁻	0	0 ⁺			
5629.0f 10	0.10 5	5629.4?		0	0 ⁺			
5879.6# 12	5.0# 5	5880.1	1 ⁻	0	0 ⁺			
5950.0 10	0.05 3	5950.5	(1,2)	0	0 ⁺			
6053.1 8	0.40 6	6053.6	1 ⁽⁻⁾	0	0 ⁺			

⁴⁰Cl β⁻ decay (1.35 min) [1972Kl06](#),[1970Ke12](#) (continued)

γ(⁴⁰Ar) (continued)

<u>E_γ[†]</u>	<u>I_γ^{†d}</u>	<u>E_i(level)</u>	<u>J_i^π</u>	<u>E_f</u>	<u>J_f^π</u>
6133 ^{‡f}	≈0.05 ^a	6133.5?		0	0 ⁺
6208.0 8	0.05 3	6208.5	(1,2)	0	0 ⁺
6338.2 [#] 11	0.32 [#] 9	6338.7	1 ⁽⁻⁾	0	0 ⁺
6475.5 8	0.20 3	6476.1	1 ⁽⁻⁾	0	0 ⁺

[†] From [1972Kl06](#), unless otherwise noted.
[‡] From [1981HuZT](#) only, intensity is not available.
[#] Weighted average from [1972Kl06](#) and [1970Ke12](#).
[@] Placement questioned by [1983Bi08](#) based on their (α,pγ) study.
[&] From [1972Kl06](#), obtained in indirect method. Other: 5 3 in [1970Ke12](#).
^a From β feeding quoted by [1981HuZT](#).
^b [Additional information 2](#).
^c [Additional information 3](#).
^d For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.81 4.
^e Multiply placed with undivided intensity.
^f Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

^{40}Cl β^- decay (1.35 min) 1972Kl06,1970Ke12

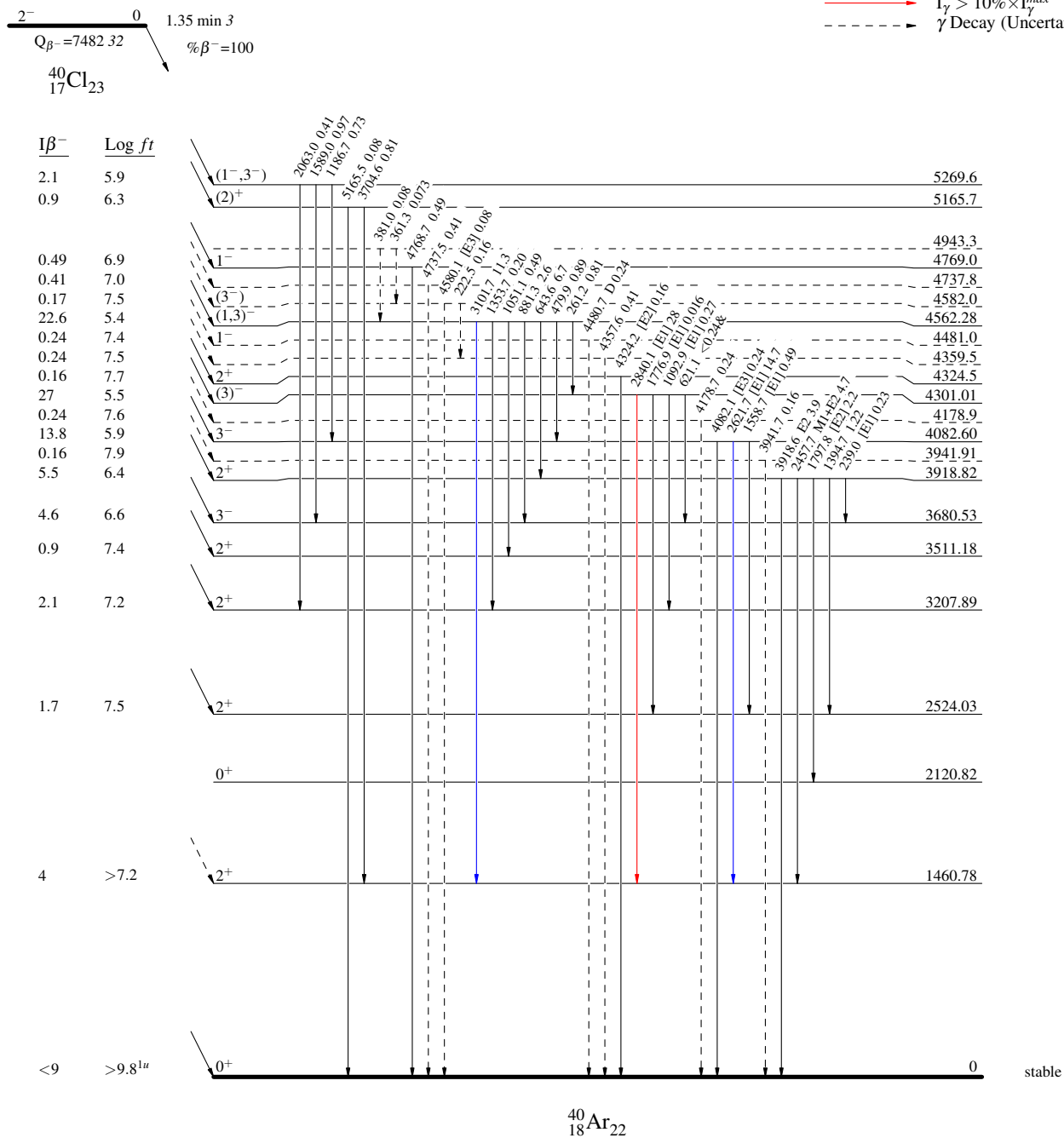
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Decay Scheme (continued)

Intensities: I_γ per 100 parent decays
& Multiply placed: undivided intensity given

Legend

- $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$
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- - - γ Decay (Uncertain)



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