

^{42}Cl β^- decay (6.8 s) [1981HuZT,1998WiZX](#)

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Parent: ^{42}Cl : $E=0$; $J^\pi=(2^-)$; $T_{1/2}=6.8\text{ s}$; $Q(\beta^-)=9.51\times 10^3\text{ keV}$; $\% \beta^-$ decay=100.0

^{42}Cl - $J^\pi, T_{1/2}$: From Adopted Levels of ^{42}Cl .

^{42}Cl - $Q(\beta^-)$: From [2012Wa38](#).

[1998WiZX](#): measured E_γ , I_γ , $\gamma\gamma$.

[1981HuZT](#), [1989Mi03](#): measured E_γ , I_γ , $\gamma\gamma$. [1989Mi03](#) give $\beta\gamma$ coin results.

 ^{42}Ar Levels

Additional information 1.

<u>E(level)[†]</u>	<u>J^π[‡]</u>	<u>E(level)[†]</u>	<u>E(level)[†]</u>	<u>J^π[‡]</u>	<u>E(level)[†]</u>
0	0 ⁺	4045.1 7	4566? [#]		5015? [#]
1207.7 6	2 ⁺	4057? [#]	4607? [#]		5260? [#]
2413.4 8	(4 ⁺)	4131	4619? [#]		5282? [#]
2485.0 7	2 ⁺	4181? [#]	4633	(3 ⁻)	5297? [#]
2511		4196? [#]	4735? [#]		5506? [#]
3013.1 10	(1,2 ⁺)	4266? [#]	4812? [#]		5529? [#]
3094.9 9	4 ⁺	4313? [#]	4827? [#]		5792? [#]
3556	2 ⁺	4352? [#]	4902? [#]		6412? [#]
3846		4416.5 6	4936? [#]		7648? [#]
4012.9 7		4527? [#]	4941? [#]		

[†] From [1981HuZT](#), except for levels where E_γ values are quoted with uncertainties, which are from [1998WiZX](#).

[‡] From Adopted Levels.

[#] Most levels above 4000 keV, reported only by [1981HuZT](#), are considered as tentative in view of a comment by [1989Mi03](#) that the level scheme proposed earlier ([1981HuZT](#)) has been revised by taking account of source impurities. However, this revision is not available in the literature. The tentative levels are not included in the Adopted Levels, Gammas dataset.

 β^- radiations

<u>E(decay)</u>	<u>E(level)</u>	<u>Comments</u>
(1.86×10^3) 14)	7648?	$I\beta^-$: 0.066 (1981HuZT).
(3.10×10^3) 14)	6412?	$I\beta^-$: 0.051 (1981HuZT).
(3.72×10^3) 14)	5792?	$I\beta^-$: 0.092 (1981HuZT).
(3.98×10^3) 14)	5529?	$I\beta^-$: 0.032 (1981HuZT).
(4.00×10^3) 14)	5506?	$I\beta^-$: 0.71 (1981HuZT).
(4.21×10^3) 14)	5297?	$I\beta^-$: 2.6 (1981HuZT).
(4.23×10^3) 14)	5282?	$I\beta^-$: 1.3 (1981HuZT).
(4.25×10^3) 14)	5260?	$I\beta^-$: 0.19 (1981HuZT).
(4.50×10^3) 14)	5015?	$I\beta^-$: 0.21 (1981HuZT).
(4.57×10^3) 14)	4941?	$I\beta^-$: 0.31 (1981HuZT).
(4.57×10^3) 14)	4936?	$I\beta^-$: 0.56 (1981HuZT).
(4.61×10^3) 14)	4902?	$I\beta^-$: 0.12 (1981HuZT).
(4.68×10^3) 14)	4827?	$I\beta^-$: 0.28 (1981HuZT).
(4.70×10^3) 14)	4812?	$I\beta^-$: 0.71 (1981HuZT).
(4.78×10^3) 14)	4735?	$I\beta^-$: 0.24 (1981HuZT).
(4.88×10^3) 14)	4633	$I\beta^-$: 0.50 (1981HuZT).

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E(decay)	E(level)	$I\beta^-^\dagger$	Log ft	Comments
(4.89 $\times 10^3$ 14)	4619?			$I\beta^-$: 0.06 (1981HuZT).
(4.90 $\times 10^3$ 14)	4607?			$I\beta^-$: 2.64 (1981HuZT).
(4.94 $\times 10^3$ 14)	4566?			$I\beta^-$: 0.19 (1981HuZT).
(4.98 $\times 10^3$ 14)	4527?			$I\beta^-$: 0.04 (1981HuZT).
(5.09 $\times 10^3$ 14)	4416.5	17	≈ 5.5	av $E\beta=2280$ 59 $I\beta^-$: from 1989Mi03 . Others: 15 (1998WiZX), 11.6 (1981HuZT). $E(\beta^-)=3959$ 1400 (1989Mi03).
(5.16 $\times 10^3$ 14)	4352?			$I\beta^-$: 0.10 (1981HuZT).
(5.20 $\times 10^3$ 14)	4313?			$I\beta^-$: 0.09 (1981HuZT).
(5.24 $\times 10^3$ 14)	4266?			$I\beta^-$: 0.59 (1981HuZT).
(5.31 $\times 10^3$ 14)	4196?			$I\beta^-$: 0.21 (1981HuZT).
(5.33 $\times 10^3$ 14)	4181?			$I\beta^-$: 0.20 (1981HuZT).
(5.38 $\times 10^3$ 14)	4131			$I\beta^-$: 1.17 (1981HuZT).
(5.45 $\times 10^3$ 14)	4057?			$I\beta^-$: 0.12 (1981HuZT).
(5.46 $\times 10^3$ 14)	4045.1	26	≈ 5.4	av $E\beta=2462$ 59 $I\beta^-$: from 1989Mi03 . Others: 19 (1998WiZX), 17.6 (1981HuZT). $E(\beta^-)=4676$ 1052 (1989Mi03).
(5.50 $\times 10^3$ 14)	4012.9			$I\beta^-$: 4 (1998WiZX), 2.41 (1981HuZT).
(5.66 $\times 10^3$ 14)	3846			$I\beta^-$: 1.14 (1981HuZT).
(5.95 $\times 10^3$ 14)	3556			$I\beta^-$: 0.14 (1981HuZT).
(6.42 $\times 10^3$ 14)	3094.9			$I\beta^-$: 1.52 (1981HuZT).
(6.50 $\times 10^3$ 14)	3013.1			$I\beta^-$: 1.97 (1981HuZT).
(7.00 $\times 10^3$ 14)	2511			$I\beta^-$: 0.12 (1981HuZT).
(7.03 $\times 10^3$ 14)	2485.0			$I\beta^-$: 6 (1998WiZX), 3.7 (1981HuZT).
(7.10 $\times 10^3$ 14)	2413.4	19	≈ 6.1	av $E\beta=3263$ 59 $I\beta^-$: from 1989Mi03 . Other: 4 (1998WiZX). $\beta\gamma$ coin: $E(\beta^-)=7021$ 640, 7479 230 (1989Mi03).
(8.30 $\times 10^3$ 14)	1207.7			$I\beta^-$: <5% for g.s.+1208 level (1989Mi03). Other: 30 (1998WiZX). $I\beta=27$ (1981HuZT) is negated in the later work (1989Mi03).
(9.51 $\times 10^3$ 14)	0			$I\beta^-$: <5% for g.s.+1208 level (1989Mi03). $I\beta=20$ (1981HuZT) is negated in the later work (1989Mi03).

 † Absolute intensity per 100 decays. $\gamma(^{42}\text{Ar})$

$E_\gamma^\dagger$	$I_\gamma^\#$	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π
403.9 $\&$ 6	0.9 2	4416.5		4012.9	
604		5506?		4902?	
767		4812?		4045.1	
1205.7 5	9.0 $@$ 8	2413.4	(4 $^+$)	1207.7	2 $^+$
1207.7 6	100.0 6	1207.7	2 $^+$	0	0 $^+$
1256		4812?		3556	2 $^+$
1269		5282?		4012.9	
1277.3 5	16.1 6	2485.0	2 $^+$	1207.7	2 $^+$
1284		5297?		4012.9	
1304		2511		1207.7	2 $^+$
1404.7 $\ddagger$ 4	1.6 3	4416.5		3013.1	(1,2 $^+$)
1528		4012.9		2485.0	2 $^+$
1560.1 5	6.0 4	4045.1		2485.0	2 $^+$
1572		4057?		2485.0	2 $^+$

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$E_\gamma^\dagger$	$I_\gamma^\#$	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	$E_\gamma^\dagger$	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π
1598.5 ^{&}	8	4012.9		2413.4	(4 ⁺)	4181	4181?		0	0 ⁺
1646		4131		2485.0	2 ⁺	4196	4196?		0	0 ⁺
1781		4266?		2485.0	2 ⁺	4266	4266?		0	0 ⁺
1805.4	8	3013.1	(1,2 ⁺)	1207.7	2 ⁺	4313	4313?		0	0 ⁺
1887.2	7	3094.9	4 ⁺	1207.7	2 ⁺	4352	4352?		0	0 ⁺
1931.7	6	4416.5		2485.0	2 ⁺	4527	4527?		0	0 ⁺
2003.4 ^{&}	3	4416.5		2413.4	(4 ⁺)	4566	4566?		0	0 ⁺
2349		3556	2 ⁺	1207.7	2 ⁺	4607	4607?		0	0 ⁺
2485.1	8	2485.0	2 ⁺	0	0 ⁺	4619	4619?		0	0 ⁺
2639		3846		1207.7	2 ⁺	4735	4735?		0	0 ⁺
2805.3	7	4012.9		1207.7	2 ⁺	4812	4812?		0	0 ⁺
2837.3	5	4045.1		1207.7	2 ⁺	4827	4827?		0	0 ⁺
2924		4131		1207.7	2 ⁺	4902	4902?		0	0 ⁺
3013		3013.1	(1,2 ⁺)	0	0 ⁺	4936	4936?		0	0 ⁺
3059		4266?		1207.7	2 ⁺	4941	4941?		0	0 ⁺
3208.3	3	4416.5		1207.7	2 ⁺	5015	5015?		0	0 ⁺
3359		4566?		1207.7	2 ⁺	5260	5260?		0	0 ⁺
3426		4633	(3 ⁻)	1207.7	2 ⁺	5506	5506?		0	0 ⁺
3556		3556	2 ⁺	0	0 ⁺	5529	5529?		0	0 ⁺
3846		3846		0	0 ⁺	5792	5792?		0	0 ⁺
4013		4012.9		0	0 ⁺	6412	6412?		0	0 ⁺
4045		4045.1		0	0 ⁺	7648	7648?		0	0 ⁺
4057		4057?		0	0 ⁺					

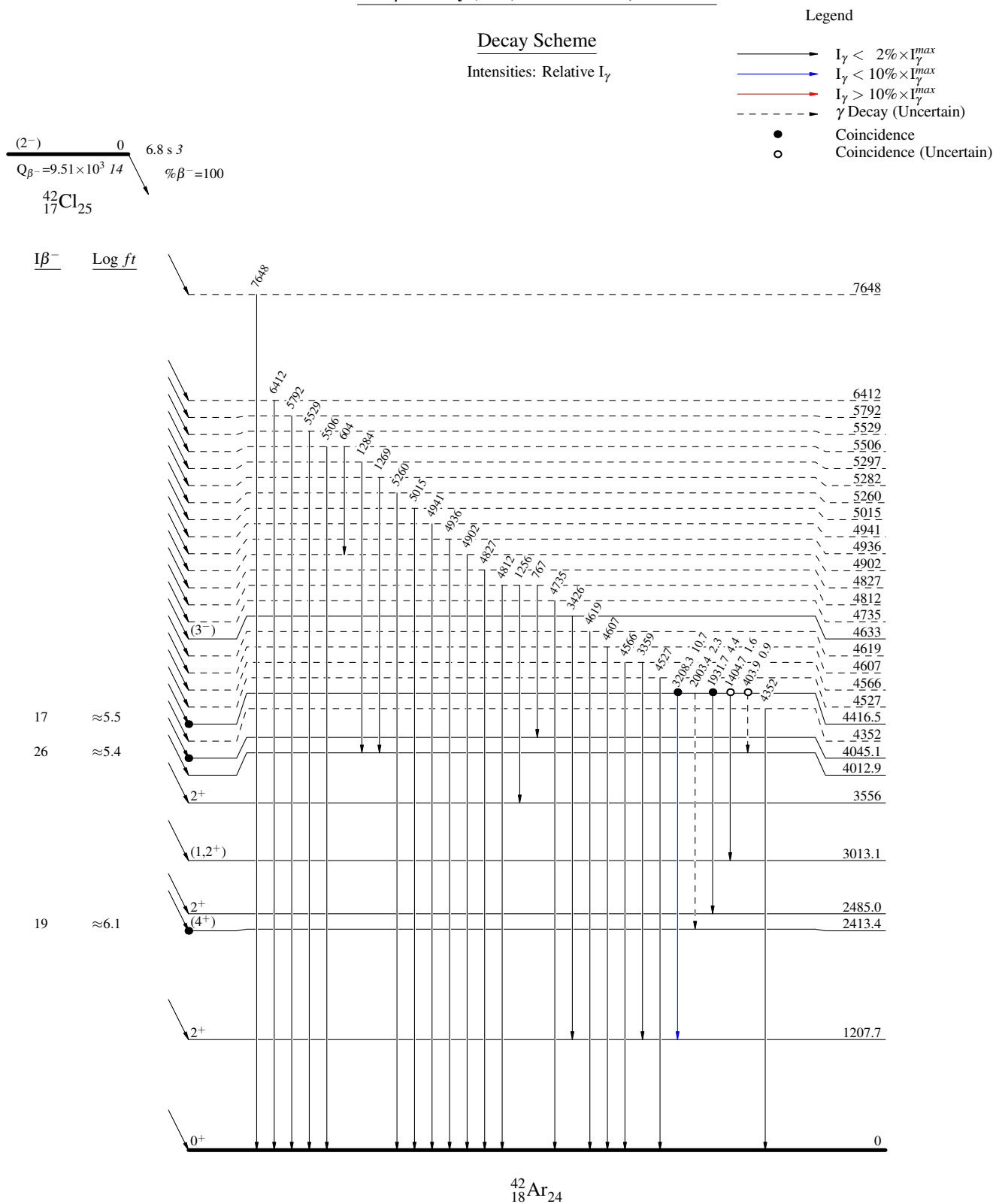
[†] From [1998WiZX](#) for E_γ data quoted with uncertainty. All other E_γ values are differences of level energies as given by [1981HuZT](#).

[‡] From [1998WiZX](#) only.

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[@] Value of 0.9 8 in [1998WiZX](#) seems a misprint, in view of in-out intensity balance and β^- feeding shown in the level scheme of [1998WiZX](#). On the other hand, $\%I\beta=19$ ([1989Mi03](#)) would imply a much larger intensity or the 1205.7 component of the 1206-1208 doublet.

[&] Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

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