

$^{48}\text{Fe}$   $\epsilon\text{p}$  decay    2016Or03,2007Do17

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Parent:  $^{48}\text{Fe}$ : E=0;  $J^\pi=0^+$ ;  $T_{1/2}=45.9$  ms 9;  $Q(\epsilon\text{p})=9270$  90; % $\epsilon\text{p}$  decay=15.3 7

$^{48}\text{Fe-T}_{1/2}$ : weighted average of 51 ms 3 from [2016Or03](#) using time correlation of implantation events due to  $^{48}\text{Fe}$  and subsequent emission of protons and  $\gamma$  rays and 45.3 ms 5 ([2007Do17](#)). Other: 44 ms 7 ([1996Fa09](#)).

$^{48}\text{Fe-Q}(\epsilon\text{p})$ : from [2021Wa16](#).

$^{48}\text{Fe-}\% \epsilon\text{p}$  decay: weighted average of % $\epsilon\text{p}=14.4$  7 ([2016Or03](#)) and 15.9 6 ([2007Do17](#)).

[2016Or03](#): fragmentation reaction used to produce  $^{48}\text{Fe}$  isotope at the LISE3 fragment separator facility of GANIL. Primary beam of  $^{58}\text{Ni}$  at 74.5 MeV/nucleon incident on a natural Ni target. Identification by energy loss, residual energy and time-of-flight measurements. Separated fragments were implanted into a double-sided silicon strip detector (DSSSD). Measured  $E\gamma$ ,  $I\gamma$  using four EXOGAM Ge Clover detectors. Measured  $E\text{p}$ ,  $I\text{p}$ ,  $p\text{-}\gamma$  using the DSSSD and a silicon detector.

[2007Do17](#):  $\text{Ni}^{(58)\text{Ni},X}$  with E=74.5 MeV/nucleon at GANIL. Fragments separated with SISSE/LISE3 and identification by energy loss, residual energy and time-of-flight measurements using two micro-channel plate (MCP) detectors and Si detectors. Ions implanted into (DSSSD) and measured  $E\text{p}$ ,  $I\text{p}$ ,  $p(t)$  using Si(Li) detector. In addition to the 1013 proton group, [2007Do17](#) observe two additional broad structures with  $E(p)=1500$ -1900 keV with  $I\text{p}=2.0$  4 and  $E(p)=2000$ -3000 keV with  $I\text{p}=1.4$  5.

[1996Fa09](#):  $^9\text{Be}^{(58)\text{Ni},X}$  E=650 MeV/nucleon. Measured projectile-like fragments at  $0^\circ$  using fragment recoil separator, magnetic spectrometer, and  $\Delta E/E$  counter telescope (Si).

 $^{47}\text{Cr}$  Levels

$E(\text{level})^\dagger$	$J^\pi \ddagger$	$T_{1/2} \ddagger$
0.0	$3/2^-$	461 ms 2
98.5 7	$(5/2^-)$	$\leq 2.1$ ns

$^\dagger$  From  $E\gamma$ .

$^\ddagger$  From the Adopted Levels.

 $\gamma(^{47}\text{Cr})$ 

$E_\gamma^\dagger$	$E_i(\text{level})$	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Comments
98.5 7	98.5	$(5/2^-)$	0.0	$3/2^-$	the 1601-keV proton group seen in part in coincidence with $98\gamma$ .

$^\dagger$  From [2007Do17](#).

Delayed Protons ( $^{47}\text{Cr}$ )

Particle normalization: absolute proton intensities are given in [2016Or03](#).

$I\gamma$ : From [2016Or03](#).

$E(p)^\dagger$	$E(^{47}\text{Cr})$	$I(p)^\#$	$E(^{48}\text{Mn})^\ddagger$	Comments
$\approx 900$	98.5	0.3	3036	$E(p), I(p)$ : from $\gamma$ -gated spectrum, a small peak at $\approx 0.9$ MeV is seen with an intensity of 0.3%.
1018 10	0.0	4.8 3	3036	$E(^{48}\text{Mn})$ : IAS, $J^\pi=0^+$ . $E(p)$ : others: 1013 12 ( <a href="#">2007Do17</a> ), 959 33 ( <a href="#">1996Fa09</a> ). I: other: 1.8 3 ( <a href="#">2007Do17</a> ), 3.6 11 ( <a href="#">1996Fa09</a> ).
1186 10	0.0	1.0 3	3204	
1477 10	0.0	1.8 3	3495	
1601 10	0.0	0.9 3	3619	$I(p)$ : total intensity=1.5% 2. $E(^{48}\text{Mn})$ : it is also possible that 3619 level does not exist and the intensity of the

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**$^{48}\text{Fe}$   $\epsilon$ p decay    2016Or03,2007Do17 (continued)**Delayed Protons (continued)

E(p) <sup>†</sup>	E( $^{47}\text{Cr}$ )	I(p) <sup>#</sup>	E( $^{48}\text{Mn}$ ) <sup>‡</sup>	Comments
1601 10	98.5	0.6	3713	1601 proton group is associated with feeding the 98-keV state in $^{47}\text{Cr}$ , thereby supporting only the 3713 level in $^{48}\text{Mn}$ .
1695 10	0.0	1.3 2	3713	
2281 10	0.0	1.2 3	4299	E( $^{48}\text{Mn}$ ): it is also possible that 4299 level does not exist and the intensity of the 2281 proton group is associated with feeding the 98-keV state in $^{47}\text{Cr}$ , thereby supporting only the 4399 level in $^{48}\text{Mn}$ .
2381 10	0.0	0.9 4	4399	
2499 10	0.0	1.3 5	4517	
2737 10	0.0	0.8 1	4755	

<sup>†</sup> Values are from 2016Or03 in the center of mass system. All of the observed proton branches are assigned to feed the g.s. of  $^{47}\text{Cr}$ .

<sup>‡</sup> Uncertainty is quoted as 14 keV, except 2 keV for the IAS by 2016Or03 based on S(p)( $^{48}\text{Mn}$ )=2018 keV 10 (deduced by 2016Or03 from IMME analysis, see authors' Table VI). Note that S(p)=2023 keV 6 in 2021Wa16.

# Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

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I(p) Intensities: I(p) per 100 parent decays

