

¹⁰B(⁴⁰Ca,pn γ),⁴⁰Ca(¹⁰B,pn γ) 1994Ca04,1979Ha45,1973Ku10

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1994Ca04 (also **1993Ca36,1992CaZX**): E=150 MeV ⁴⁰Ca beam was produced from the Daresbury Nuclear Structure Facility. Target was ¹⁰B. Fragments were separated with the Daresbury 0° recoil separator. γ rays were detected with the escape-suppressed HPGe detector array (19 detectors in 4 rings at 40°, 101°, 117°, and 143° to the beam direction). Measured E γ , I γ , $\gamma\gamma$ -coin, γ anisotropies. Deduced levels, J, π , γ -ray multipolarities. No evidence for super- or hyperdeformation at higher energies as speculated by I. Ragnarsson in a private communication to **1994Ca04**. **1992CaZX** and **1993Ca36** are preliminary reports of the results of **1994Ca04**.

1979Ha45: E=14-36 MeV ¹⁰B beams were produced from the Aarhus University EN tandem accelerator. Targets are natural Ca (96.9% in ⁴⁰Ca) layers of 250-400 $\mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$ thickness on 100 $\mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$ Au backings (150 $\mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$ for lifetime measurements). γ rays were detected with two coaxial Ge(Li) detectors. Measured E γ , I γ , $\gamma(\theta)$, $\gamma(t)$. Deduced levels, J, π , T_{1/2}, γ -ray multipolarities, mixing ratios.

1973Ku10: E=19-25 MeV ¹⁰B beams were produced from the Munich MP-Tandem Van de Graaff accelerator. Target was 2-mm thick foil of natural Ca. γ rays were detected with Ge(Li) detectors; neutrons were detected with a liquid scintillator; scattered protons were detected with an annular Si surface-barrier detector. Measured E γ , I γ , $\gamma(\theta)$, recoil distance with a plunger. Deduced levels, J, π , T_{1/2}, transition strengths. Comparisons with available data and shell-model calculations.

1979Ek03: E=24 MeV ¹⁰B beam was produced from the Liverpool EN tandem accelerator. Target was 300 $\mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$ natural Ca on a 2.5 mg/cm² gold foil. γ rays were detected with two escape-suppression spectrometer (ESS). Measured E γ , I γ , recoil distance with a plunger. Deduced levels, T_{1/2}. **1979Ek03** report data mainly from ³⁶Ar(¹⁴N,np γ) reaction. See details in that dataset.

2017Ar09: E=26 MeV ¹⁰B beam was produced from the FN tandem accelerator at the Institute for Nuclear Physics, University of Cologne. Target was 0.50 mg/cm² ⁴⁰Ca on a 2.0 mg/cm² gold backing. γ rays were detected with 12 HPGe detectors. Measured E γ , $\gamma\gamma$ -coin, lifetime of the first 2⁺ state by recoil-distance Doppler-shift (RDDS) method using the Cologne coincidence-plunger device. Data were recorded at 12 target-to-stopper distances. Comparison of deduced B(E2) values with shell-model calculations with four interactions.

Part of the level scheme above the 3444 level in **1994Ca04** is different from those in other studies and in Adopted Levels. The level scheme here is thus taken from Adopted Levels and inconsistent placements of some transitions in **1994Ca04** have been revised accordingly, as noted under comments. Also note that the level scheme in **1994Ca04** is different from that in their earlier work in **1996Ca38** in ²⁸Si(²⁸Si,2 $\alpha\gamma$), with the latter in agreement with other studies.

⁴⁸Cr Levels

E(level) [†]	J π [‡]	T _{1/2}	Comments
0.0 [#]	0 ⁺		
752.01 [#] 20	2 ⁺	8.0 ps 5	J π : spin=2 from 752 $\gamma(\theta)$ in 1979Ha45 and 1973Ku10 . T _{1/2} : weighted average of 7.3 ps 8 from RDM in 1979Ek03 , 6.7 ps 18 from RDM in 1973Ku10 , and 8.43 ps 49 from measured $\tau=12.16$ ps 14(stat) 69(syst) (rounded to 12.2 ps 7) by 2017Ar09 using RDM, determined from the feeding corrected intensity distribution of the 752 γ (first 2 ⁺ to g.s. transition) with gate on the shifted part of the 1743 γ (first 8 ⁺ to first 6 ⁺ transition).
1858.3 [#] 3	4 ⁺	1.0 ps +14-4	J π : spin=4 from 1106 $\gamma(\theta)$ (1979Ha45,1973Ku10) and γ excitation function (1979Ha45). T _{1/2} : from RDM in 1973Ku10 .
3445.2 [#] 6	6 ⁺		J π : spin>4 from γ excitation function (1979Ha45).
3533.5 5	4 ⁽⁻⁾	3.3 ns 8	J π : (5 ⁻) proposed in 1994Ca04 with no arguments; 6 ⁻ from 1979Ha45 based on 1675 $\gamma(\theta)$ (using ³⁴ S(¹⁶ O,2n γ)) showing a quadrupole character, γ excitation function pointing to high spin, and systematics disfavoring E1 or M1 for 1675 γ . But note that 1675 $\gamma(\theta)$ in 1979Ha45 and 1973Ku10 are also consistent with $\Delta J=0$ dipole character. T _{1/2} : unweighted average of 4.1 ns 4 from 1675 $\gamma(t)$ in 1979Ha45 and 2.5 ns 7 from RDM in 1979Ek03 .
4064.3 6	5 ⁽⁻⁾	28 ps 7	J π : (6 ⁻) proposed in 1994Ca04 with no arguments; 7 ⁻ from 1979Ha45 based on 531 $\gamma(\theta)$ showing a strong dipole to 3531 levels with J π =6 ⁻ proposed by 1979Ha45 . T _{1/2} : from RDM in 1979Ek03 . Other: <42 ps from RDM in 1973Ku10 .

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$^{10}\text{B}(^{40}\text{Ca,pn}\gamma), ^{40}\text{Ca}(^{10}\text{B,pn}\gamma)$ **1994Ca04,1979Ha45,1973Ku10** (continued)

^{48}Cr Levels (continued)

E(level) [†]	J ^π [‡]	Comments
4513.2? 12	(7 ⁺)	E(level),J ^π : this level is only proposed in 1994Ca04, with no evidence for decay to negative-parity or 4 ⁺ states. This level is not confirmed in later studies. It is considered questionable by the evaluator and is not adopted in Adopted Levels.
4876? 3	(6 ⁻)	
5187.7# 12	8 ⁺	J ^π : spin>6 from γ excitation function (1979Ha45).
5649.0? 4	(7 ⁻)	E(level): from Adopted Levels. This level is not proposed in any measurement in this dataset.
7063.8# 23	10 ⁺	J ^π : spin>8 from γ excitation function (1979Ha45); evidence for spin alignment from backbending (1992CaZX).
7671.2 5	(9 ⁻)	E(level): from Adopted Levels.
8411# 3	12 ⁺	
9871.4 6	(11 ⁻)	E(level): from Adopted Levels.

[†] From a least-squares fit to γ -ray energies, assuming $\Delta E\gamma=1$ keV where not given, unless otherwise noted.

[‡] From Adopted Levels, unless otherwise noted. Supporting arguments and assignments from this dataset are given under comments where available.

Band(A): g.s. (yrast) band.

$\gamma(^{48}\text{Cr})$								
E_γ	I_γ [‡]	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. [#]	δ	Comments
87@	0.6	3533.5	4 ⁽⁻⁾	3445.2	6 ⁺			E_γ : from 1994Ca04 only. I_γ : $I(87\gamma)/I(1675\gamma)=0.6/6$ in 1994Ca04.
530.8 3	15 3	4064.3	5 ⁽⁻⁾	3533.5	4 ⁽⁻⁾	D+Q	0.24 3	E_γ : weighted average of 530.7 2 (1979Ha45) and 531.6 5 (1973Ku10). Other: 531 (1994Ca04). I_γ : weighted average of 18 4 (1979Ha45) and 14 3 (1973Ku10). Other: 5 (1994Ca04). δ : deduced from 5.5% 15-10 E2 component from $\gamma(\theta)$, as given in 1979Ha45. $A_2=+0.05$ 10, $A_4=-0.01$ 100 (1973Ku10). $A_2=+0.09$ 4, $A_4=+0.02$ 4 (1979Ha45).
752.0 2	100	752.01	2 ⁺	0.0	0 ⁺	Q		E_γ : weighted average of 752.0 2 (1979Ha45) and 752.4 5 (1973Ku10). other: 752 (1994Ca04). $A_2=+0.27$ 4, $A_4=-0.06$ 5 (1973Ku10). $A_2=+0.19$ 6, $A_4=-0.04$ 6 (1979Ha45). anisotropy=1.21 7 (1994Ca04).
^x 806@	2							E_γ : seen in 1994Ca04 only and placed from a 5318 level. It could correspond to the 812 γ deexciting the 4875 level seen in coincidence with 531 γ and 1675 γ in $^{28}\text{Si}(^{28}\text{Si},2\alpha\gamma)$ (1998Br34).
1068@	5	4513.2?	(7 ⁺)	3445.2	6 ⁺			E_γ, I_γ : from 1994Ca04 only. This transition is not seen in any other study and is considered questionable by the evaluator.
1106.3 2	65 10	1858.3	4 ⁺	752.01	2 ⁺	Q		E_γ : from 1979Ha45. Others: 1106.3 5 (1973Ku10), 1106 (1994Ca04). I_γ : weighted average of 61 10 (1979Ha45) and 71 12 (1973Ku10). Other: 97 (1994Ca04). $A_2=+0.32$ 12, $A_4=-0.05$ 13 (1973Ku10). $A_2=+0.25$ 6, $A_4=-0.03$ 4 (1979Ha45). anisotropy=1.3 1 (1994Ca04).
1343 3	7 3	4876?	(6 ⁻)	3533.5	4 ⁽⁻⁾			E_γ, I_γ : from 1979Ha45 only.

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$^{10}\text{B}(^{40}\text{Ca,pn}\gamma), ^{40}\text{Ca}(^{10}\text{B,pn}\gamma)$ **1994Ca04,1979Ha45,1973Ku10** (continued) $\gamma(^{48}\text{Cr})$ (continued)

E_γ	I_γ^\ddagger	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. [#]	Comments
1347	42	8411	12 ⁺	7063.8	10 ⁺	Q	E_γ, I_γ : from 1994Ca04. Mult.: D,Q from anisotropy=1.6 3 (1994Ca04); Q favored by level scheme.
1585 [@] 1586.4 6	28 6	5649.0? 3445.2	(7 ⁻) 6 ⁺	4064.3 1858.3	5 ⁽⁻⁾ 4 ⁺	(Q)	E_γ : rounded value from Adopted Gammas. E_γ, I_γ : 1979Ha45. Other: 1586, $I_\gamma=97$ (1994Ca04). It could be a doublet with the transition deexciting the 5648 level seen in 1998Br34. $A_2>0$ (1979Ha45). anisotropy=1.4 1 (1994Ca04).
1675.3 4	25 5	3533.5	4 ⁽⁻⁾	1858.3	4 ⁺		E_γ : weighted average of 1675.4 3 (1979Ha45) and 1674.0 10 (1973Ku10). Other: 1673 (1994Ca04). I_γ : weighted average of 24 5 (1979Ha45) and 31 11 (1973Ku10). Other: 6 (1994Ca04). $A_2=+0.10$ 16, $A_4=+0.04$ 19 (1973Ku10).
1742.5 [†] 10	11 3	5187.7	8 ⁺	3445.2	6 ⁺	Q	E_γ, I_γ : from 1979Ha45. Other: 1744 with $I_\gamma=65$, placed from a 7062 level in 1994Ca04. Mult.: D,Q from anisotropy=1.4 2 (1994Ca04); Q favored by level scheme.
1876 [†] 2	7 3	7063.8	10 ⁺	5187.7	8 ⁺	Q	E_γ, I_γ : from 1979Ha45. Other: 1874 with $I_\gamma=80$, placed from a 5318 level in 1994Ca04. Mult.: D,Q from anisotropy=1.4 2 (1994Ca04); Q favored by level scheme.
2022	11	7671.2	(9 ⁻)	5649.0?	(7 ⁻)		E_γ : placement from Adopted Gammas. It is placed from a 10431, (13 ⁺) to the 8409 level by 1994Ca04. I_γ : from 1994Ca04.
2201	13	9871.4	(11 ⁻)	7671.2	(9 ⁻)		E_γ, I_γ : from 1994Ca04; placement from Adopted Gammas. It is placed from a 10610, (14 ⁺) to the 8409 level by 1994Ca04.
(2205.6)	<20	4064.3	5 ⁽⁻⁾	1858.3	4 ⁺		E_γ, I_γ : from 1973Ku10 only; not observed. A 2205 γ is placed from the 4064, J=3 level by 2003Je06 in ($^3\text{He}, n\gamma$), different from this 5 ⁽⁻⁾ level, which is also proposed in 2003Je06.
(2780.3)	<20	3533.5	4 ⁽⁻⁾	752.01	2 ⁺		E_γ, I_γ : from 1973Ku10 only; not observed.

[†] The order of 1876 γ -1743 γ cascade is reversed in 1994Ca04, resulting in a level at 5318, instead of the adopted 5187 level.

[‡] Normalized to $I_\gamma(752\gamma)=100$.

[#] From anisotropy in 1994Ca04, and/or $\gamma(\theta)$ in 1979Ha45 and 1973Ku10. Stretched ($\Delta J=2$) quadrupole or $\Delta J=0$ dipole from angular anisotropy (1994Ca04).

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

^x γ ray not placed in level scheme.

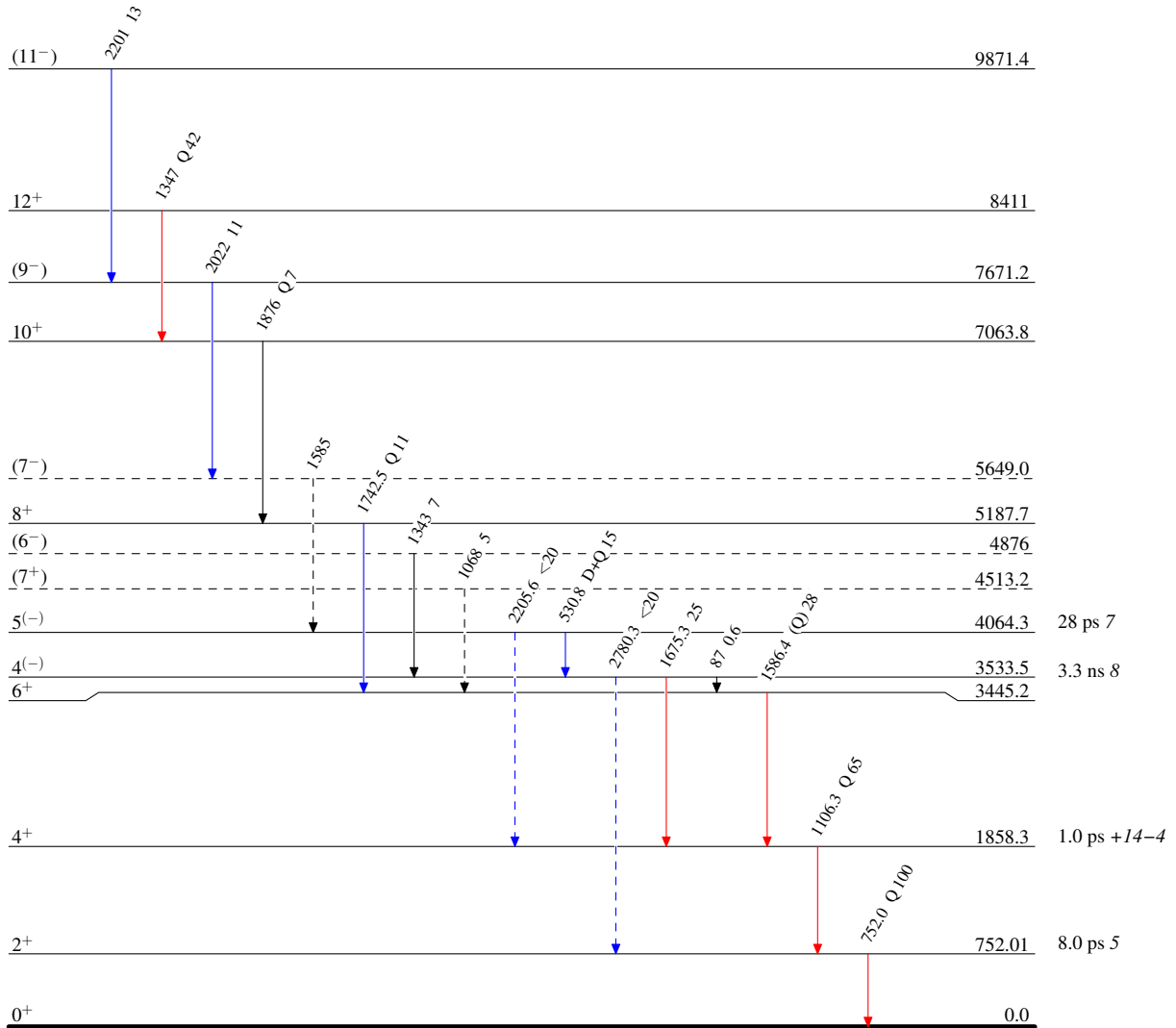
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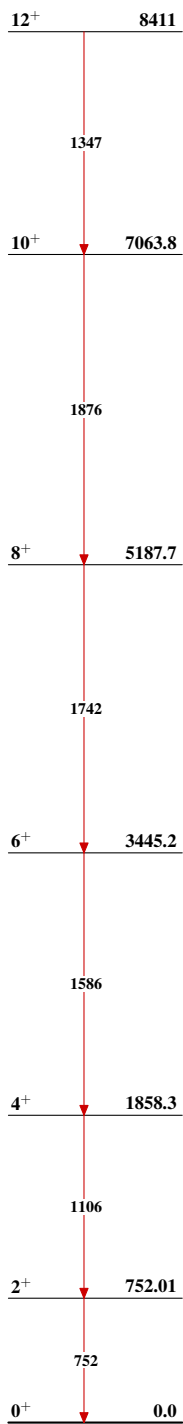
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Level Scheme

Intensities: Relative I_γ

- ▶ $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{\text{max}}$
- ▶ $I_\gamma < 10\% \times I_\gamma^{\text{max}}$
- ▶ $I_\gamma > 10\% \times I_\gamma^{\text{max}}$
- - -▶ γ Decay (Uncertain)

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${}^{10}\text{B}({}^{40}\text{Ca},\text{pn}\gamma), {}^{40}\text{Ca}({}^{10}\text{B},\text{pn}\gamma)$ 1994Ca04,1979Ha45,1973Ku10Band(A): g.s. (yrast)
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