

$^{55}\text{Cr}$   $\beta^-$  decay 1970Hi04,1970Zo02

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Parent:  $^{55}\text{Cr}$ :  $E=0.0$ ;  $J^\pi=3/2^-$ ;  $T_{1/2}=3.497$  min 3;  $Q(\beta^-)=2603.1$  4;  $\% \beta^-$  decay=100.0

1970Hi04: source from  $^{54}\text{Cr}(n,\gamma)$ ; natural target; Ge(Li) (30 cm<sup>3</sup>), resolution: 3.5 keV at 1332 keV; measured  $E_\gamma$ ,  $I_\gamma$ ,  $\gamma\gamma$ -coin.

1970Zo02: used three different techniques to measure  $I(\beta^-)$  (absolute intensities); Ge(Li) for  $\gamma$  (FWHM: 2.6 keV for 1332 keV); a low background gas-flow  $2\pi$  proportional counter for  $\beta^-$ , with anticoincidence guard counter.

See also 1967Pr05 and 1969HiZZ.

Adopted  $E_\gamma$ ,  $I_\gamma$ , and decay scheme are from 1970Hi04.

 $^{55}\text{Mn}$  Levels

E(level)	$J^\pi$ †
0.0	$5/2^-$
126.2 4	$7/2^-$
1528.1 2	$3/2^-$
2252.5 4	$3/2^-$
2268.2 6	$(5/2)^-$
2368.0 5	$(5/2^-)$

† From Adopted Levels.

 $\beta^-$  radiations

For  $\beta^-$  endpoint energy measurements, see 1952Fl21, 1963Me06, and 1965Ko09.

E(decay)	E(level)	$I\beta^-$ †	Log $ft$	Comments
(235.1 7)	2368.0	0.00059 13	6.34 9	av $E\beta=$ 68.73 25
(334.9 7)	2268.2	0.00011 4	7.59 16	av $E\beta=$ 102.8 3
(350.6 6)	2252.5	0.0031 5	6.20 6	av $E\beta=$ 108.29 24
(1075.0 5)	1528.1	0.038 3	6.88 4	av $E\beta=$ 398.90 25
				$I(\beta^-)$ (1528 level)=0.00038 3 per decay (1970Zo02), which agrees with the value from 1970Hi04 but not from 1967Pr05.
2494 25	0.0	99.958 4	5.025 1	av $E\beta=$ 1101.3 3 E(decay): from 1965Ko09.

† Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

 $\gamma(^{55}\text{Mn})$ 

$I_\gamma$  normalization: based on intensity balance and  $I(\beta^-)$ (1528 level)=0.038% 3 from 1970Zo02.

$E_\gamma$	$I_\gamma$ †	$E_i$ (level)	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Comments
126.0 5	4.7 6	126.2	$7/2^-$	0.0	$5/2^-$	$E_\gamma$ : transition observed only in coincidence spectra. $I_\gamma$ : based on $I_\gamma$ for 1402 $\gamma$ and 2241 $\gamma$ and adopted decay scheme.
1402.0 4	3.6 5	1528.1	$3/2^-$	126.2	$7/2^-$	
1528.0 2	100	1528.1	$3/2^-$	0.0	$5/2^-$	
2240.9 8	1.1 3	2368.0	$(5/2^-)$	126.2	$7/2^-$	
2252.5 4	8.5 10	2252.5	$3/2^-$	0.0	$5/2^-$	

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$E_\gamma$	$I_\gamma^\dagger$	$E_i(\text{level})$	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$
2268.1 6	0.3 1	2268.2	(5/2) <sup>-</sup>	0.0	5/2 <sup>-</sup>
2368.5 6	0.49 10	2368.0	(5/2) <sup>-</sup>	0.0	5/2 <sup>-</sup>

<sup>†</sup> For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.00037 3.

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## Decay Scheme

Intensities:  $I_{(\gamma+ce)}$  per 100 parent decays

## Legend

- $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
- $I_\gamma < 10\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
- $I_\gamma > 10\% \times I_\gamma^{max}$
- Coincidence

