

Adopted Levels, Gammas

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$Q(\beta^-) = -1.370 \times 10^4$ 16; S(n)=14129 5; S(p)=4614.9 7; $Q(\alpha) = -7571.7$ 16 (2021Wa16)

$Q(\epsilon) = 8694.0$ 6, $Q(\epsilon p) = 3629.7$ 6, S(2n)=31848 25, S(2p)=8966.4 18 (2021Wa16).

1973Di11: search for ^{55}Ni in $^{59}\text{Co}(p,5n\gamma)$, $^{58}\text{Ni}(p,p3n\gamma)$, E=65 MeV reactions, but no activity could be assigned to ^{55}Ni from γ -ray measurements.

1977Ho25: ^{55}Ni produced in $^{54}\text{Fe}(^3\text{He},2n)$, E=12.79-15.34 MeV from the EN Tandem Van de Graaff generator of Aarhus University. Measured positron spectrum from the decay of ^{55}Ni using a scintillation spectrometer. Measured half-life of the decay of ^{55}Ni from positron decay curve. No γ transitions from the decay of ^{55}Ni to ^{55}Co were observed using a Ge(Li) detector.

Production: 1994Bi10 (1994BIZW).

Mass measurements: 2011Tu09, 2010Ka26, 2005Gu36 (analysis).

Theoretical calculations: 33 primary references (32 for structure and one for ^{55}Ni decay) retrieved from the NSR database at www.nndc.bnl.gov/nsr/. These are listed in this dataset under 'document' records.

[Additional information 1.](#)

 ^{55}Ni LevelsCross Reference (XREF) Flags

A	^{55}Cu ϵ decay (55.9 ms)	E	$^9\text{Be}(^{56}\text{Ni}, ^{55}\text{Ni}\gamma)$
B	^{56}Zn ϵp decay (32.9 ms)	F	$^{28}\text{Si}(^{36}\text{Ar}, 2\alpha n\gamma)$
C	$^1\text{H}(^{55}\text{Co}, \text{N})$	G	$^{58}\text{Ni}(^3\text{He}, ^6\text{He})$
D	$^1\text{H}(^{56}\text{Ni}, \text{D})$	H	Coulomb excitation

E(level) [†]	J ^π	T _{1/2}	XREF	Comments
0.0 [‡]	7/2 ⁻	203.7 ms 20	ABCDEFGH	<p>$\% \epsilon + \% \beta^+ = 100$ $\mu = (-)0.976$ 26 (2009Be22, 2019StZV) T_{1/2}: weighted average by Rajeval technique (RT) of 203 ms 2 (2017Ku12, from (^{55}Ni implants)β correlated decay curve, with total implants of 2.70×10^6 using LISE3 at GANIL); 196 ms 5 (2002Lo13, 2002B117, implants)β correlated decay curve at GANIL); 204 ms 3 (1999Re06, 1997Wo06, β decay curve using LISOL facility at Louvain-la-Neuve); 212.1 ms 38 (1988HaZD, 1988HaZB)); 208 ms 5 (1984Ay01, IGISOL at the University of Jyvaskyla cyclotron facility); 189 ms 5 (1977Ho25, β^+ decay curve, at Aarhus University); 219 ms 6 (1976EdZX). In this method, uncertainties for the following values were adjusted upwards: 5.6 ms in 1988HaZD, 9.4 ms in 1977Ho25, and 9.7 ms in 1976EdZX. Weighted average (and LWM weighted average) is 203.9 ms 26, but reduced χ^2 is 3.9 as compared to critical χ^2 of 2.1 at 95% confidence level. Weighted average by NRM is 204.3 ms 24 with reduced $\chi^2 = 3.1$. Unweighted average is 204.4 ms 38. Others: 155 ms 10 (1994Ve09, at Louvain-la-Neuve, value is discrepant); <5 s (1973Di11). Additional information 2. J^π: $\log ft = 3.625$ 5 for decay of ^{55}Ni g.s. to 7/2⁻ g.s. in ^{55}Co, deduced in the present evaluation; L(n)=3 in $^1\text{H}(^{56}\text{Ni}, \text{d})$; measured magnetic moment is in agreement with shell-model calculations for configuration=$\nu f_{7/2-1}$, mirror analogy to 7/2⁻, g.s. of ^{55}Co. μ: β-NMR method, negative sign is from theoretical considerations for g.s. configuration=$\nu f_{7/2-1}$ (2009Be22). J^π: L(n)=1 in $^1\text{H}(^{56}\text{Ni}, \text{d})$; γ to 7/2⁻.</p>
2085.4 4	3/2 ⁻		A DE G	
2465.5 4	(3/2 ⁻)		A E G	
2587 1	(5/2 ⁻)		A E	
2802.0 4	(1/2 ⁻)		A	

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E(level) [†]	J ^π	XREF	Comments
2842 8		E G	E(level): 2839 5 in $^{58}\text{Ni}(^3\text{H}, ^6\text{He})$.
2882.1 [‡] 20	(11/2) ⁻	EFGH	J ^π : level is Coulomb excited from 7/2 ⁻ g.s. B(E2) [‡] =0.0251 69 for J ^π (2879)=11/2 ⁻ from Coulomb excitation.
3182.7 4	(5/2) ⁻	A	E(level): 3186 and 3183 seem to be different levels from two different J ^π values.
3186 4	1/2 ⁺	DE G	E(level): 3186 and 3183 seem to be different levels from two different J ^π values. J ^π : L(n)=0 in $^{1\text{H}}(^{56}\text{Ni}, \text{d})$.
3214.1 7	(1/2) ⁻	A E	
3502 15		G	
3583.1 [‡] 23	(13/2) ⁻	BC F	XREF: C(?)F(?).
3593.7 6	(5/2) ⁻	A G	
3617.1 [‡] 23	(15/2) ⁻	F	
3759 4	(3/2) ⁺	DE G	XREF: D(?). J ^π : L(n)=2 in $^9\text{Be}(^{56}\text{Ni}, ^{55}\text{Ni})$; $\sigma(\theta)$ in ($^3\text{He}, ^6\text{He}$).
3784 15		G	
3808.3 8	(1/2 ⁻ , 3/2 ⁻)	A	
4026.8 6	(1/2, 3/2 ⁻)	A	
4046 9		G	
4444 10		G	E(level): possible doublet.
4483.1 [‡] 25	(17/2) ⁻	F	
4579.4 5	(3/2) ⁻	A	J ^π : interpreted by 2013Tr09 as split IAS of (3/2 ⁻) g.s. of ^{55}Cu , the other at 4599 keV, and also interpreted as mirror state of 4721, 3/2 ⁻ state in ^{55}Co .
4599.3 4	(3/2) ⁻	A	J ^π : interpreted by 2013Tr09 as split IAS of (3/2 ⁻) g.s. of ^{55}Cu , the other at 4579 keV, and also interpreted as mirror state of 4748, 3/2 ⁻ state in ^{55}Co .
4616 11		G	
4743 12		G	
4983 11		G	
5075.5 9	(1/2, 3/2, 5/2)	A	J ^π : possible β^+ feeding from (3/2 ⁻) parent; γ to (3/2 ⁻).
5178 11		G	
5389 12		G	
5876 13		G	
5937 13		G	
6600 50		G	
6870 50		G	

[†] From least-squares fit to E γ data for levels populated in γ -ray studies, assuming 1 keV uncertainty when not given. For levels populated in reaction studies with no γ rays, values are from $^{58}\text{Ni}(^3\text{H}, ^6\text{He})$.

[‡] Seq.(A): Yrast sequence.

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

E _i (level)	J _i ^π	E _{γ} [†]	I _{γ}	E _f	J _f ^π
2085.4	3/2 ⁻	2085.6 5	100	0.0	7/2 ⁻
2465.5	(3/2) ⁻	379.6 1	0 3.7 4	2085.4	3/2 ⁻
		2465.3 5	100.0 12	0.0	7/2 ⁻
2587	(5/2) ⁻	2586.9 5	100	0.0	7/2 ⁻
2802.0	(1/2) ⁻	336.7 5	97 4	2465.5	(3/2) ⁻
		716.5 5	100 4	2085.4	3/2 ⁻
2842		2842 [‡] 8		0.0	7/2 ⁻
2882.1	(11/2) ⁻	2882 [#] 2		0.0	7/2 ⁻
3182.7	(5/2) ⁻	716.5 5	62 5	2465.5	(3/2) ⁻

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$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_γ^\dagger	I_γ	E_f	J_f^π
3182.7	(5/2 ⁻)	3182.5 5	100 6	0.0	7/2 ⁻
3186	1/2 ⁺	720 [‡] 4		2465.5	(3/2 ⁻)
		1099 [‡] 4		2085.4	3/2 ⁻
3214.1	(1/2 ⁻)	748.5 10	100 9	2465.5	(3/2 ⁻)
		1128.6 10	82 14	2085.4	3/2 ⁻
3583.1	(13/2 ⁻)	701 [#] 1		2882.1	(11/2 ⁻)
3593.7	(5/2 ⁻)	1128.6 1	0 47 10	2465.5	(3/2 ⁻)
		3593.5 1	0 100 10	0.0	7/2 ⁻
3617.1	(15/2 ⁻)	735 [#] 1		2882.1	(11/2 ⁻)
3759	(3/2 ⁺)	1293 [‡] 4		2465.5	(3/2 ⁻)
3808.3	(1/2 ⁻ , 3/2 ⁻)	1342.6 10	100	2465.5	(3/2 ⁻)
4026.8	(1/2, 3/2 ⁻)	1561.3 5	100	2465.5	(3/2 ⁻)
4483.1?	(17/2 ⁻)	866 ^{#@} 1		3617.1	(15/2 ⁻)
4579.4	(3/2 ⁻)	771.0 1	0 29 3	3808.3	(1/2 ⁻ , 3/2 ⁻)
		985.7 1	0 32 3	3593.7	(5/2 ⁻)
		1396.3 5	57 5	3182.7	(5/2 ⁻)
		1777.8 5	100 6	2802.0	(1/2 ⁻)
		1992.5 1	0 57 5	2587	(5/2 ⁻)
4599.3	(3/2 ⁻)	1005.8 1	0 5.8 4	3593.7	(5/2 ⁻)
		1385.1 1	0 5.8 7	3214.1	(1/2 ⁻)
		1416.3 5	20.7 10	3182.7	(5/2 ⁻)
		1797.0 5	14.6 10	2802.0	(1/2 ⁻)
		2133.9 5	100.0 17	2465.5	(3/2 ⁻)
		2514.3 5	13.9 8	2085.4	3/2 ⁻
5075.5	(1/2, 3/2, 5/2)	1267 [@] 2	19 3	3808.3	(1/2 ⁻ , 3/2 ⁻)
		2610 1	100 10	2465.5	(3/2 ⁻)
		2990 [@] 2	29 7	2085.4	3/2 ⁻

† From ^{55}Cu ε decay, unless specified otherwise.‡ From $^9\text{Be}(^{56}\text{Ni}, X\gamma)$.# From $^{28}\text{Si}(^{36}\text{Ar}, 2\alpha n\gamma)$.

@ Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

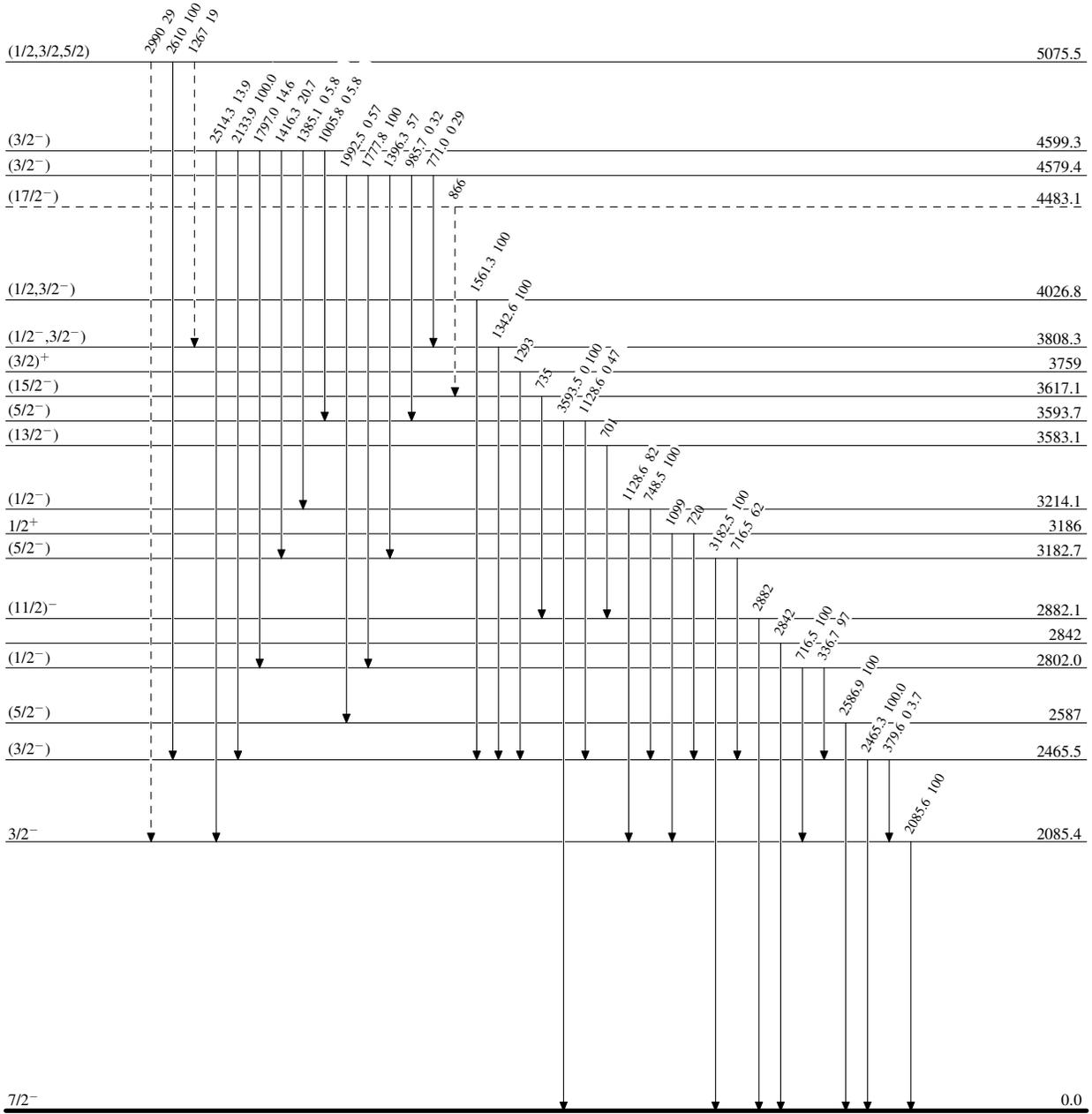
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Legend

Level Scheme

Intensities: Relative photon branching from each level

-----▶ γ Decay (Uncertain)

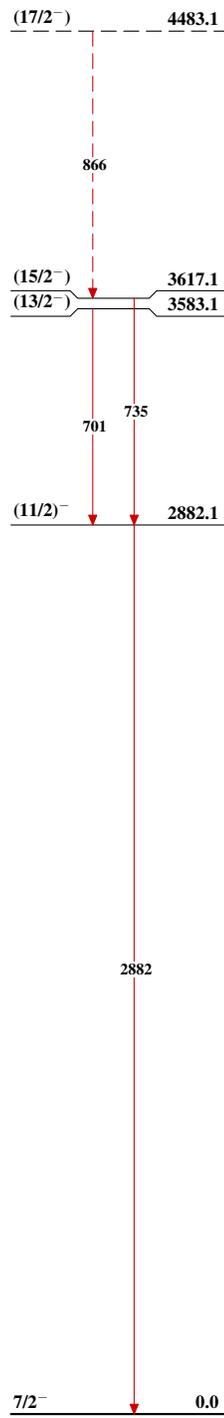


203.7 ms 20

⁵⁵Ni₂₇

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Seq.(A): Yrast sequence

 $^{55}_{28}\text{Ni}_{27}$