

$^{57}\text{Mn}$   $\beta^-$  decay    1974Ti01, 1969Wa12, 1963Va37

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Parent:  $^{57}\text{Mn}$ : E=0.0;  $J^\pi=5/2^-$ ;  $T_{1/2}=85.4$  s 18;  $Q(\beta^-)=2691$  3; % $\beta^-$  decay=100.0

 $^{57}\text{Fe}$  Levels

All data are from 1974Ti01 (Ge(Li)), except as noted.

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	$J^\pi$ <sup>‡</sup>
0.0	$1/2^-$
14.4129 <sup>‡</sup> 6	$3/2^-$
136.4761 22	$5/2^-$
366.739 20	$3/2^-$
706.399 22	$5/2^-$
1007.15 5	$7/2^-$
(1265.36 <sup>‡</sup> 11)	$1/2^-$
1627.30 <sup>#</sup> 5	$3/2^-$
1725.27 10	$3/2^-$

<sup>†</sup> Calculated using least-squares adjustment procedures;  $14.4\gamma$  not included in the adjustment.

<sup>‡</sup> From Adopted Levels.  $J^\pi$  are consistent with those used by 1974Ti01 in deducing  $J^\pi(^{57}\text{Mn g.s.})=5/2^-$  on basis of log  $ft$  arguments.

<sup>#</sup> 1974Ti01 did not observe the gammas associated with the 1265 and 1359 states in  $(n,\gamma)$ .  $I\beta<0.02$ .

 $\beta^-$  radiations

1963Va37 assigned  $E\beta=1100$  100,  $I\beta=18$  to  $^{57}\text{Mn}$   $\beta^-$  decay. It is extremely doubtful that this assignment is correct since  $I\beta(\approx 1100\beta)\approx 1.5$  from decay scheme.

E(decay)	E(level)	$I\beta^-$ <sup>†#</sup>	Log $ft$	Comments
(966 3)	1725.27	0.24 10	5.5 2	av $E\beta=351$ 2
(1064 3)	1627.30	1.1 5	5.0 2	av $E\beta=393$ 2
(1684 3)	1007.15	0.40 16	6.3 2	av $E\beta=670$ 2
(1985 3)	706.399	6.3 24	5.4 2	av $E\beta=809$ 2
(2324 3)	366.739	2.2 9	6.1 2	av $E\beta=968$ 2
$2.40 \times 10^3$ <sup>‡</sup> 10	136.4761	15 6	5.4 2	av $E\beta=1077$ 2 E(decay): from $\beta\gamma$ (1969Wa12; NaI,scin).
2550 <sup>‡</sup> 50	14.4129	75 7	4.83 4	av $E\beta=1135$ 2 E(decay): from 1963Va37 (magnetic spect). Placement suggested by 1969Wa12. Possibility of contamination in the spectra of 1963Va37; see comment above. $I\beta^-$ : other: 82 (1963Va37).

<sup>†</sup> Based on decay scheme presented with assumption that there is no direct feeding of the g.s.  $\Delta(\gamma\text{-normalization})$  added in quadrature for  $I\beta$  to states above 136 keV.

<sup>‡</sup> If present placement is correct,  $E\beta$ 's are discrepant with adopted  $Q(\beta^-)$ .

<sup>#</sup> Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

**$^{57}\text{Mn} \beta^-$  decay    1974Ti01,1969Wa12,1963Va37 (continued)**

$\gamma(^{57}\text{Fe})$

I $_{\gamma}$  normalization: from  $\Sigma I_{\gamma}(122\gamma, 136\gamma) = 16.5\%$  64 based on  $\beta\gamma$ -coincidence data (1969Wa12) indicating that 83.5% 64 of the total  $\beta^-$  decay does not go through the 122 and 136 gammas. Note that E $\beta$ 's and placement based  $\beta\gamma$ -coincidence data are discrepant with Q( $\beta^-$ ) indicating a possible problem in normalization.

All data are from 1974Ti01 (Ge(Li)), except as noted.

$\alpha(K), \alpha(L)$ : Additional information 2.

E $_{\gamma}$	I $_{\gamma}^{\pm d}$	E $_i$ (level)	J $^{\pi}_i$	E $_f$	J $^{\pi}_f$	Mult. $^{\dagger}$	$\delta^{\ddagger}$	$\alpha^{\#}$	I $_{(\gamma+ce)}^e$	Comments
(14.4129 6)	1.92×10 <sup>3</sup> 3	14.4129	3/2 $^-$	0.0	1/2 $^-$	M1+E2	0.00223 18	8.56 26	97.0 11	ce(K)/( $\gamma$ +ce)=0.807 33; ce(L)/( $\gamma$ +ce)=0.0855 41; ce(M+)/( $\gamma$ +ce)=0.0117 10  Additional information 1.
122.063 @ 3	2.53×10 <sup>3</sup> 7	136.4761	5/2 $^-$	14.4129	3/2 $^-$	M1+E2	+0.120 1	0.0240 14	I $_{(\gamma+ce)}$ : from deduced I( $\gamma$ +ce) and $\alpha$ from adopted gammas; uncertainty given from I( $\gamma$ +ce) and $\alpha$ only; does not include uncertainty in I $_{\gamma}$ normalization.  I $_{(\gamma+ce)}$ : deduced from decay scheme. $\alpha(K)=0.0214$ 12; $\alpha(L)=0.00224$ 20; $\alpha(M+..)=0.00037$ 5  I $_{\gamma}$ : 1974Ti01 noted that their measurement of I $_{\gamma}(122\gamma)/I_{\gamma}(136\gamma)=7.23$ 29 agreed with the branching ratio from $\varepsilon$ decay (1971Ko19), but differed from that of 1969Wa12, where I $_{\gamma}(122\gamma)/I_{\gamma}(136\gamma)=8.70$ 8. The branching ratio in the adopted gammas agrees with 1969Wa12.	
136.476 @ 3	350 10	136.4761	5/2 $^-$	0.0	1/2 $^-$	E2		0.137 15	$\alpha(K)=0.134$ ; $\alpha(L)=0.0139$	
230.25 4	40 2	366.739	3/2 $^-$	136.4761	5/2 $^-$	(M1+E2)	+0.02 8			
339.60 6	31 3	706.399	5/2 $^-$	366.739	3/2 $^-$	M1+E2	+0.083 5			
352.32 3	380 10	366.739	3/2 $^-$	14.4129	3/2 $^-$	M1+E2	+0.025 9			
366.73 4	72 5	366.739	3/2 $^-$	0.0	1/2 $^-$	M1+E2	-0.45 5			
(460.1& 4)	0.14 <sup>a</sup> 6	1725.27	3/2 $^-$	1265.36?	1/2 $^-$				I $_{\gamma}$ : other: 74 11 (1969Wa12).	
569.93 5	94 4	706.399	5/2 $^-$	136.4761	5/2 $^-$	M1+E2	+0.097 8			
692.00 3	1000 30	706.399	5/2 $^-$	14.4129	3/2 $^-$	M1+E2	-0.465 8			
706.42 6	43 2	706.399	5/2 $^-$	0.0	1/2 $^-$	[E2]				
870.68 5	47 2	1007.15	7/2 $^-$	136.4761	5/2 $^-$	M1+E2	-0.6 +2-5			
(898.4& 20)	0.13 <sup>b</sup> 6	(1265.36)	1/2 $^-$	366.739	3/2 $^-$				I $_{\gamma}$ : other: 8 2 (1969Wa12).	
921.03 11	17 2	1627.30	3/2 $^-$	706.399	5/2 $^-$					

$\gamma(^{57}\text{Fe})$  (continued)

E <sub>γ</sub>	I <sub>γ</sub> <sup>‡d</sup>	E <sub>i</sub> (level)	J <sub>i</sub> <sup>π</sup>	E <sub>f</sub>	J <sub>f</sub> <sup>π</sup>	Mult. <sup>†</sup>	δ <sup>†</sup>
992.68 <sup>c</sup> 8	26 2	1007.15	7/2 <sup>-</sup>	14.4129	3/2 <sup>-</sup>		
1019.08 <sup>c</sup> 20	8 1	1725.27	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	706.399	5/2 <sup>-</sup>		
(1250.6 <sup>&amp;</sup> 22)	<0.01 <sup>b</sup>	(1265.36)	1/2 <sup>-</sup>	14.4129	3/2 <sup>-</sup>		
1260.54 8	59 3	1627.30	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	366.739	3/2 <sup>-</sup>		
(1265.0 <sup>&amp;</sup> 22)	<0.005 <sup>b</sup>	(1265.36)	1/2 <sup>-</sup>	0.0	1/2 <sup>-</sup>		
(1358.71 <sup>&amp;</sup> 6)	4.3 <sup>a</sup> 6	1725.27	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	366.739	3/2 <sup>-</sup>		
1612.82 7	133 5	1627.30	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	14.4129	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1+E2	-0.35 5
(1710.2 <sup>&amp;</sup> 3)	1.2 <sup>a</sup> 3	1725.27	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	14.4129	3/2 <sup>-</sup>		
1725.18 <sup>c</sup> 11	30 2	1725.27	3/2 <sup>-</sup>	0.0	1/2 <sup>-</sup>	M1+E2	+0.04 5

<sup>†</sup> From adopted gammas.<sup>‡</sup> Relative to I<sub>γ</sub>(692γ)=1000. The ΔI<sub>γ</sub> given by 1969Wa12 (Ge(Li)) were underestimated (priv.comm. from T. E. Ward to 1974Ti01). I<sub>γ</sub>'s from 1969Wa12 and 1974Ti01 agree within uncertainties, except as noted.<sup>#</sup> From adopted gammas.<sup>④</sup> Former γ-ray calibration energies from ε decay (1971He20, 1972He42). Used as internal calibration points by 1974Ti01. See ε decay for current values.<sup>&</sup> From adopted gammas. Not observed by 1974Ti01 or 1969Wa12.<sup>a</sup> From adopted branching ratios and I<sub>γ</sub>(1725γ)= 30 2.<sup>b</sup> From adopted branching ratios and I<sub>γ</sub>(460γ)= 0.14 6.<sup>c</sup> Not observed by 1969Wa12.<sup>d</sup> For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.0055 21.<sup>e</sup> Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

