

**Adopted Levels, Gammas**

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Q(β<sup>-</sup>)=7.44×10<sup>3</sup> 21; S(n)=4.17×10<sup>3</sup> 22; S(p)=1.497×10<sup>4</sup> 23; Q(α)=-8.84×10<sup>3</sup> 27 2017Wa10

Measured mass excess: -48132 keV 20 (2018Mo14).

Production: on-line mass separation of products from W(<sup>76</sup>Ge,x), E(<sup>76</sup>Ge)=11.5 MeV/nucleon (1988Bo06,1985Bo49); fragmentation of 64.5 MeV/nucleon <sup>65</sup>Cu beam by <sup>9</sup>Be (1996Do23); 60.3 MeV/nucleon <sup>86</sup>Kr beam fragmentation by Ni (1998Gr14); <sup>59</sup>V β<sup>-</sup> decay (1999So20).

<sup>59</sup>Cr Levels

Cross Reference (XREF) Flags

- A <sup>59</sup>V β<sup>-</sup> decay
- B <sup>59</sup>Cr IT decay (96 μs)
- C <sup>13</sup>C(<sup>48</sup>Ca,2pγ)

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	J <sup>π</sup> <sup>‡</sup>	T <sub>1/2</sub>	XREF	Comments
0.0	(1/2 <sup>-</sup> )	0.74 s 28	ABC	%β <sup>-</sup> =100 T <sub>1/2</sub> : From 1.0 s 4 (1985Bo49 – coin β-1238γ(t)), 0.6 s 3 (1988Bo06 – coin β-112γ(t)), 0.46 s 5 (1996Do23 – β(t) and βγ(t)), and 1.05 s 9 (2005Li53 – 1238γ(t)) – using the limitation of statistical weight method (1985ZiZY). Discrepant dataset. Weighted average is 0.74 s 6. Values reported in 1985Bo49, 1988Bo06, and 1996Do23 are from the same research group. 1996Do23 note new value is better compared to earlier ones due to better accuracy of isotope-separation over mass-separation (1985Bo49, 1988Bo06). However, 2005Li53 verify consistency of their <sup>59</sup> Cr and <sup>59</sup> V half-life values. The evaluator recommends a value from these discrepant datasets.
207.4 3	(3/2 <sup>-</sup> )		ABC	Possible (ν 1/2[321]) oblate configuration (see J <sup>π</sup> footnote).
309.7 4	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> )		ABC	Possible (ν 3/2[321]) oblate configuration (see J <sup>π</sup> footnote).
502.7 11	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )	96 μs 20	B	T <sub>1/2</sub> : from <sup>59</sup> Cr IT decay (1998Gr14). Possible (ν 9/2[404]) intruder oblate configuration (see J <sup>π</sup> footnote).
524.4?# 5			A	
800.0 4			A	
827.7 4	(7/2 <sup>-</sup> )@		C	
915.3 4			A	
1083.8? 11	(9/2 <sup>-</sup> )@		C	
1315.9 11	(13/2 <sup>+</sup> )@		C	
1340.7 5			A	
1365.6 5			A	
1531.8?# 5			A	
2509.0? 8			A	

<sup>†</sup> From least-squares fit to E<sub>γ</sub>.

<sup>‡</sup> Possible values suggested in 1999So20, except otherwise noted. For small to moderate deformations, a (ν f<sub>5/2</sub>) g.s. configuration is expected, with the 35th neutron occupying the 3/2[301] and 1/2[321] orbitals, respectively, for prolate and oblate deformations. QRPA calculations predict prolate and oblate configurations 480 keV apart (1999So20), so <sup>59</sup>Cr possibly exhibits shape

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coexistence. [1998Gr14](#) suggest that the 503-keV isomeric level is analogous to  $g_{9/2}$  intruder states known in several nuclides with  $N \approx 40$  and  $Z \approx 28$  which de-excite via an M2 transition to a  $5/2^-$  ( $\nu f_{5/2}$ ) state (e.g., in  $^{61}\text{Fe}$ ,  $^{67}\text{Ni}$ ). For oblate deformation, the  $1/2[321]$ ,  $3/2[321]$  and  $9/2[404]$  orbitals can lie quite close in energy, and a  $5/2^-$  state could arise from a hole in the  $5/2[312]$  orbital. For prolate deformation, a  $9/2^+$  state would lie at very high excitation (see, e.g., fig. 7 of [1998So03](#)), so oblate deformation is favored for  $^{59}\text{Cr}$ .

# The ordering of the 841-317 and 1222-977 cascades are uncertain thus the location of the 525 and 1532 levels would be different if the orderings are reversed.

@ Proposed in [2004Fr17](#) on the basis of  $^{59}\text{Cr}$   $\beta^-$  decay to  $^{59}\text{Mn}$ ,  $\gamma$ -ray placement, analysis of transition strengths, and assumption of yrast state feeding.

$\gamma(^{59}\text{Cr})$							
$E_i(\text{level})$	$J_i^\pi$	$E_\gamma^\dagger$	$I_\gamma^\dagger$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Mult.	Comments
207.4	(3/2 <sup>-</sup> )	207.4 3	100	0.0	(1/2 <sup>-</sup> )		$E_\gamma$ : Weighted average of 207.8 4 ( $^{59}\text{V}$ $\beta^-$ decay), 208 1 ( $^{59}\text{Cr}$ IT decay (96 $\mu\text{s}$ )), and 207.1 3 ( $^{48}\text{Ca}$ , 2 $\pi\gamma$ ).
309.7	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> )	102.5 2	100	207.4	(3/2 <sup>-</sup> )		$E_\gamma$ : Weighted average of 102.0 4 ( $^{59}\text{V}$ $\beta^-$ decay), 102 1 ( $^{59}\text{Cr}$ IT decay (96 $\mu\text{s}$ )), and 102.7 2 ( $^{48}\text{Ca}$ , 2 $\pi\gamma$ ).
502.7	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )	193 <sup>@</sup> 1	100	309.7	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> )	[M2]	B(M2)(W.u.)=0.080 17 Mult.: RUL eliminates E3, M3 and higher multiplicities; M2 favored by analogy with isomeric states in neighboring nuclides. <a href="#">1999So20</a> conclude that the 193 $\gamma$ is the isomeric transition rather than the 208 $\gamma$ (suggested in <a href="#">1998Gr14</a> ) because the 208 $\gamma$ and 102 $\gamma$ are present in $^{59}\text{V}$ $\beta^-$ decay but the 193 $\gamma$ is not.
524.4?		317.3 <sup>#</sup> 4	100	207.4	(3/2 <sup>-</sup> )		
800.0		490.8 5	55 10	309.7	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> )		
		592.4 4	100 7	207.4	(3/2 <sup>-</sup> )		
		799.9 5	26 7	0.0	(1/2 <sup>-</sup> )		
827.7	(7/2 <sup>-</sup> )	518.0 <sup>‡</sup> 2	100	309.7	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> )		
915.3		606.0 4	100 6	309.7	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> )		
		707.6 5	17 5	207.4	(3/2 <sup>-</sup> )		
1083.8?	(9/2 <sup>-</sup> )	256 <sup>‡a</sup> 1	100	827.7	(7/2 <sup>-</sup> )		
1315.9	(13/2 <sup>+</sup> )	813.2 <sup>‡</sup> 3	100	502.7	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )		
1340.7		425.5 4	71 13	915.3			
		1030.8 4	100 13	309.7	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> )		
1365.6		841.4 <sup>#</sup> 4	100 11	524.4?			
		1157.8 5	30 7	207.4	(3/2 <sup>-</sup> )		
1531.8?		1222.1 <sup>&amp;</sup> 4	100	309.7	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> )		
2509.0?		977.2 <sup>&amp;</sup> 5	64 9	1531.8?			
		1593.4 <sup>a</sup> 5	100 18	915.3			
		2198.7 <sup>a</sup> 5	23 9	309.7	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> )		

† From  $^{59}\text{V}$   $\beta^-$  decay, except as noted.

‡ From ( $^{48}\text{Ca}$ , 2 $\pi\gamma$ ).

# Ordering of the 841-317 cascade not determined with certainty ( $^{59}\text{V}$   $\beta^-$  decay – [2005Li53](#)).

@ From  $^{59}\text{Cr}$  IT decay (96  $\mu\text{s}$ ).

& Ordering of the 1222-977 cascade not determined with certainty ([2005Li53](#)).

<sup>a</sup> Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

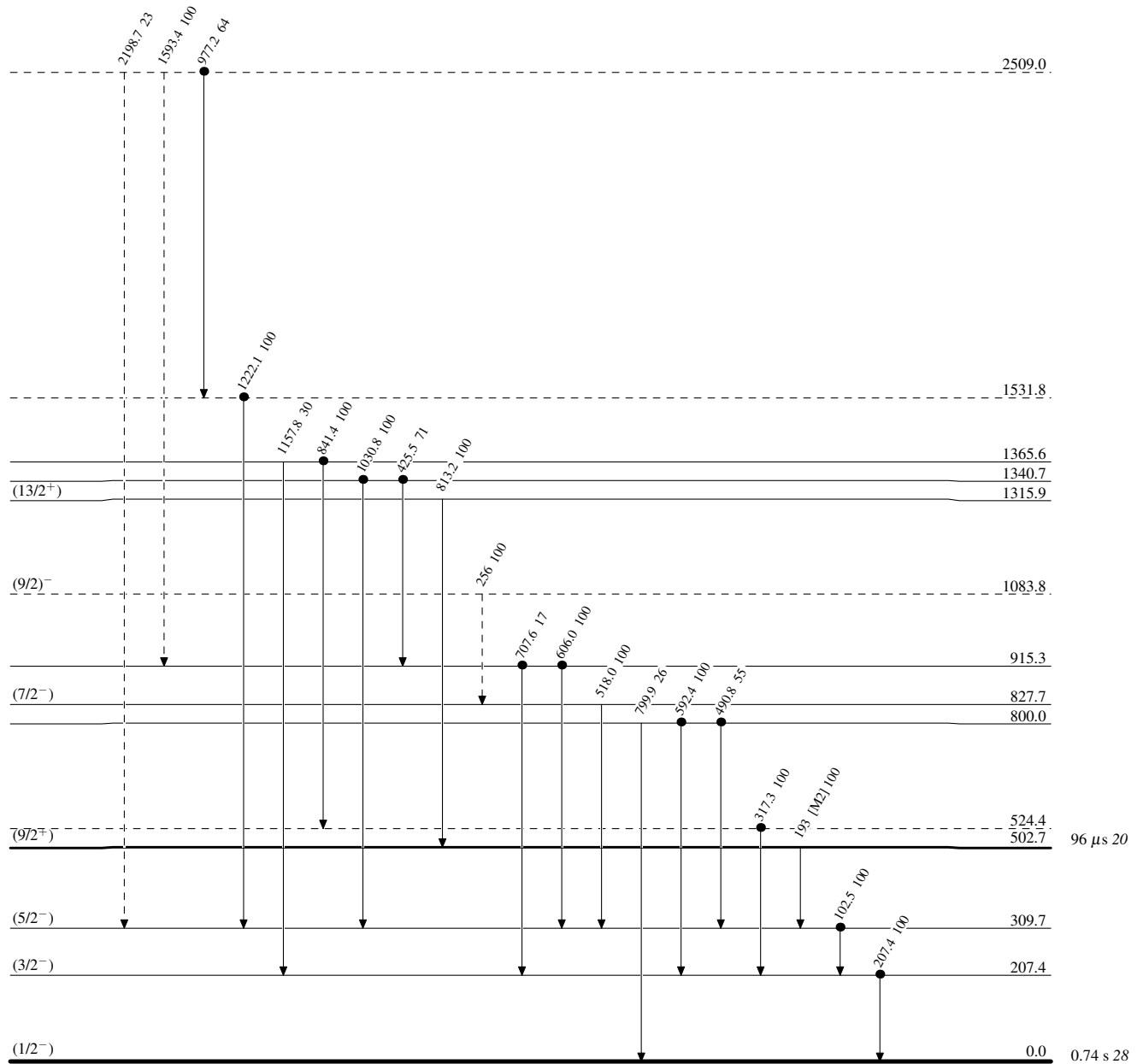
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Legend

Level Scheme

Intensities: Relative photon branching from each level

-----▶  $\gamma$  Decay (Uncertain)  
 ● Coincidence

 $^{59}_{24}\text{Cr}_{35}$