

${}^{12}\text{C}({}^8\text{He}, {}^{13}\text{N})$ 2008Ca22,2022Ca10

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2007Ca28, 2007Ca47, 2007CaZZ, 2008Ca22: The ${}^{12}\text{C}({}^8\text{He}, {}^{13}\text{N}){}^7\text{H}$ proton transfer reaction is studied by impinging an $E({}^8\text{He})=15.4$ MeV/nucleon beam, produced at the SPIRAL facility in GANIL, on a C_4H_{10} gas target. The ${}^{13}\text{N}$ and tritium (from ${}^7\text{H}$ decay) charged reaction products are detected in coincidence mode. Seven events are associated with ${}^7\text{H}$. The energy of the ground state ${}^7\text{H}$ resonance is determined to be $E_{\text{res}}=0.57$ MeV $+42-21$ above the ${}^3\text{H}+4\text{n}$ breakup threshold with a width of $\Gamma=0.09$ MeV $+94-6$. The uncertainties in E_{res} and Γ are large because of the small number of observed events. These experiments do not report on the ${}^7\text{H}$ spin and parity, and no reaction channel identification was possible. (2021Mu04) mentions that the results of these experiments are based on the assumption that only ${}^7\text{H}_{\text{g.s.}}$ was populated. This assumption however may be questionable because of the potential for the populations of ${}^7\text{H}^*$, as well as ${}^{12}\text{C}({}^8\text{He}, {}^{14}\text{N}){}^6\text{H}$, and ${}^{12}\text{C}({}^8\text{He}, {}^{15}\text{N}){}^5\text{H}$, which would complicate the detection of ${}^7\text{H}_{\text{g.s.}}$ in the absence of the reaction channel identification.

(2022Ca10): XUNDL dataset compiled by TUNL, 2023: The authors used the ${}^{19}\text{F}({}^8\text{He}, {}^{20}\text{Ne})$ and ${}^{12}\text{C}({}^8\text{He}, {}^{13}\text{N})$ reactions to investigate the ground state properties of ${}^7\text{H}$.

A beam of ${}^8\text{He}$ ions with an intensity of 10^4 pps and an energy of 15.4 MeV/nucleon was produced in the SPIRAL facility at GANIL. The beam impinged on the MAYA active-target detector filled with 176 mbar of a mixture of helium and CF_4 . The trajectories of the ${}^{20}\text{Ne}$ and ${}^{13}\text{N}$ recoils were measured with an angular resolution of 1.2° . The tritons from the decay of ${}^7\text{H}$ were detected, in coincidence with the recoils, in a ΔE -E telescope composed of 20 silicon detectors backed by 80 CsI crystals.

In comparison with the ${}^{19}\text{F}({}^8\text{He}, {}^{20}\text{Ne})$ events, the missing mass spectrum shows a less obvious peak associated to the contribution of the ${}^{12}\text{C}$ to the resonant formation of ${}^7\text{H}$. This peak is in a region with a significant contribution from the lower tail of the non-resonant continuum. An upper limit of 0.2 mb/sr was estimated for the contributions other than those of the ${}^7\text{H}$ and its non-resonance continuum. The authors deduced the spectrum of ranges (16 mm resolution at FWHM) for those recoils whose emission angles were between $\theta_{\text{lab}}=45^\circ-54^\circ$. This distribution shows a clear peak corresponding to the contribution of ${}^{12}\text{C}$ to the formation of ${}^7\text{H}$. The peak was simulated with a Breit-Wigner probability distribution. The mass and width of the ${}^7\text{H}$ resonance were extracted from a log-likelihood minimization between the simulation and the measured range distribution. The angular distribution of the ${}^7\text{H}$ production with the ${}^{12}\text{C}$ target was measured. DWBA calculations were performed with the code FRESCO. The average production cross section with the ${}^{12}\text{C}$ yields 1.2 mb/sr $+5-6$ between $\theta_{\text{c.m.}}=6^\circ$ and 27° . Systematic uncertainties are estimated to be $\sim 0.7\%$. The measured angular distributions is rather featureless, and the DWBA fits suffered from large statistical and systematic uncertainties, which prevented a clear assignment of spin and parity.

 ${}^7\text{H}$ Levels

| E(level) | Γ (MeV) | Comments |
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| 0 | 0.18 MeV $+41-12$ | E(level): The resonance is at 0.64 MeV $+33-23$ above the ${}^3\text{H}+4\text{n}$ threshold. $E_{\text{res}}({}^3\text{H}+4\text{n})=0.64$ MeV $+33-23$: the weighted average of 0.73 MeV $+58-47$ from (2022Ca10) and 0.57 MeV $+42-21$ from (2007Ca28, 2007Ca47, 2007CaZZ, 2008Ca22). Γ (MeV): The weighted average of 0.18 MeV $+47-16$ from (2022Ca10) and 0.09 MeV $+94-6$ from (2007Ca28, 2007Ca47, 2007CaZZ, 2008Ca22). $d\sigma/d\Omega=40$ $\mu\text{b/sr}$ $+58-31$ from (2007Ca28, 2007Ca47, 2007CaZZ, 2008Ca22), and $d\sigma/d\Omega=1.2$ $\mu\text{b/sr}$ $+5-6$ between $\theta_{\text{c.m.}}=6^\circ-27^\circ$ with a systematic uncertainty of 0.7% from (2022Ca10). |