

$^{70}\text{Ga} \beta^-$ decay

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Parent: ^{70}Ga : $E=0.0$; $J^\pi=1^+$; $T_{1/2}=21.14$ min 5; $Q(\beta^-)=1651.7$ 15; $\% \beta^-$ decay=99.59 5

1977Sc10: produced from $^{69}\text{Ga}(d,p)$ and $^{71}\text{Ga}(d,t)$ reactions ($E_d = 10.4$ MeV); natural target; NaI(Tl), Ge(Li), magnetic spectrometer, electron spectrometer, plastic scintillator. Measured: $I\beta^-$, $E\gamma$, $I\gamma$, $T_{1/2}$ using delayed β -e coin.

1975Bu07: obtained from deuteron bombardment of natural Ga target; Ge(Li) detector. Measured: $E\gamma$, $I\gamma$, $T_{1/2}$.

1958Ke20: source from $^{69}\text{Ga}(n,\gamma)$ reaction, using moderated neutrons; NaI(Tl) detector for γ -detection, plastic scintillator for β -detection. Measured $T_{1/2}$ of 1215 level with $\beta\gamma$ delayed coin.

1957Bu41: produced from $^{69}\text{Ga}(n,\gamma)$ reaction in an enriched target; NaI(Tl) detector, plastic scintillator and β spectrometer. Measured: $E\gamma$, $I\gamma$, $\gamma\gamma(\theta)$, $\beta\gamma$ coin, $T_{1/2}$.

1958A101: source from neutron capture in enriched target; β spectrometer used for β conversion electron coin measurements. Measured: $I\beta^-$, ce β^- coin, $T_{1/2}$ of 1215 level with β^- conversion electron coin.

2012Kr07: source neutron irradiation of natural Ga target; neutrons from the pneumatic transfer facility of the Oregon State University TRIGA reactor. Ge detectors used for γ -detection. Measured: $E\gamma$, $I\gamma$.

Other: **2015DuZZ**.

α : [Additional information 1](#).

 ^{70}Ge Levels

E(level) [†]	J^π [‡]	$T_{1/2}$	Comments
0.0	0^+		
1039.513 10	2^+		
1215.628 16	0^+	2.9 ns 4	$T_{1/2}$: weighted average of 2.8 ns 8 (1958Ke20 , using $\beta\gamma$ delayed-coincidence technique) and 3.0 ns 5 (1958A101 , using delayed β -e coincidences).

[†] From $E\gamma$.

[‡] From the Adopted Levels.

 β^- radiations

E(decay)	E(level)	$I\beta^-$ ^{†‡}	Log ft	Comments
(436.1 15)	1215.628	0.32 1	5.431 15	av $E\beta=136.22$ 55 E(decay): Other: 440 20 from measurements of 1957Bu41 . $I\beta^-$: Other: 0.305 7 in 2012Kr07 .
(612.2 15)	1039.513	0.36 2	5.895 25	av $E\beta=202.29$ 59 E(decay): Other: 610 20 from measurements of 1957Bu41 . $I\beta^-$: Other: 0.375 7 in 2012Kr07 .
(1651.7 15)	0.0	98.91 6	5.0925 18	av $E\beta=647.96$ 69 E(decay): Other: 1650 10 from measurements of 1957Bu41 .

[†] From **1977Sc10**.

[‡] Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

^{70}Ga β^- decay (continued) $\gamma(^{70}\text{Ge})$

I γ normalization: Based on the following branching ratios of [1977Sc10](#) from β and γ counting in 4π geometry. β transitions: 98.91% *6* (g.s.), 0.36% *2* (1039), and 0.32% *1* (1215). ε transitions: 0.41% *6*.

E_γ [†]	I_γ ^{#&}	$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. [@]	α	$I_{(\gamma+ce)}$ ^{&}	Comments
176.115 <i>13</i>	0.29 <i>1</i>	1215.628	0 ⁺	1039.513	2 ⁺	E2	0.0893	0.32 <i>1</i>	ce(K)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.0724 <i>10</i> ; ce(L)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.00827 <i>12</i> ; ce(M)/($\gamma+ce$)=0.001225 <i>18</i> ; ce(N)/($\gamma+ce$)=7.09×10 ⁻⁵ <i>10</i> α (K)=0.0788 <i>11</i> ; α (L)=0.00900 <i>13</i> ; α (M)=0.001335 <i>19</i> ; α (N)=7.72×10 ⁻⁵ <i>11</i>
1039.513 <i>10</i>	0.65 <i>5</i>	1039.513	2 ⁺	0.0	0 ⁺	E2	3.23×10 ⁻⁴		α (K)=0.000289 <i>4</i> ; α (L)=2.96×10 ⁻⁵ <i>5</i> ; α (M)=4.41×10 ⁻⁶ <i>7</i> ; α (N)=2.88×10 ⁻⁷ <i>4</i>
1215 [‡]		1215.628	0 ⁺	0.0	0 ⁺	E0		4×10 ⁻³ <i>3</i>	$I_{(\gamma+ce)}$: from $I(\gamma+ce)(1215\gamma)/$ $I(\gamma+ce)(176\gamma)=1.4\times 10^{-2}$ <i>7</i> (1958A101). ce(K): from internal conversion electrons in coincidence with β^- (1958A101).

[†] From [2012Kr07](#), unless otherwise stated.

[‡] From [1977Sc10](#).

[#] Derived by evaluators from measured β -feedings and measured relative intensity, $I(1039)/I(176) = 2.30$ *6* (assuming efficiency corrections applied), given in [1977Sc10](#).

[@] From the Adopted Gammas.

[&] Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

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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

