

**Adopted Levels, Gammas**

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$Q(\beta^-)=8790$  syst;  $S(n)=6020$  syst;  $S(p)=18920$  syst;  $Q(\alpha)=-15370$  syst [2021Wa16](#)  
 Estimated uncertainties ([2021Wa16](#)): 300 for  $Q(\beta^-)$ , 360 for  $S(n)$ , 500 for  $S(p)$ , 580 for  $Q(\alpha)$ .  
 $Q(\beta^-n)=4210$  300,  $S(2n)=9630$  360,  $S(2p)=36110$  580 (syst,[2021Wa16](#)).  
[1987Ar21](#): some evidence of <sup>76</sup>Ni production from mass separation of fission products from <sup>235</sup>U(n,F).  
[1995En07](#): <sup>76</sup>Ni production in <sup>9</sup>Be(<sup>238</sup>U,F) E=750 MeV/nucleon; fragment recoil separator at GSI facility, time-of-flight and energy loss measurements of fission products. Cross section for production=14 nb.  
[1998Am04](#): <sup>76</sup>Ni produced by fragmentation of <sup>86</sup>Kr beam at 500 MeV/nucleon and identified by mass and time-of-flight measurements at GSI facility.  
[2005Ho08](#): fragmentation of <sup>86</sup>Kr<sup>34+</sup> beam at 140 MeV/nucleon on Be target at Coupled cyclotron facility at NSCL, A1900 fragment separator. Measured half-life.  
[2010Ho12](#): <sup>9</sup>Be(<sup>86</sup>Kr,X) E=140 MeV/nucleon; fully-ionized <sup>86</sup>Kr beam, A1900 fragment separator at NSCL facility using  $B\rho-\Delta E-B\rho$  method. After separation, the mixed beam was implanted into the NSCL  $\beta$ -counting system (BCS) consisting of stacks of Si PIN detectors, a double-sided Si strip detector (DSSD) for implantation of ions, and six single-sided Si strip detectors (SSSD) followed by two Si PIN diodes. The identification of each implanted event was made from energy loss, time-of-flight information and magnetic rigidity. The implantation detector measured time and position of ion implantations and  $\beta$  decays. Neutrons were detected with NERO detector. Measured  $\beta$ - and  $\beta n$ -correlated events with ion implants; half-life of <sup>76</sup>Ni and delayed-neutron emission probability. This work is from the same group as [2005Ho08](#).  
[2014Xu07](#) (also [2014XuZZ](#)): <sup>76</sup>Ni produced in <sup>9</sup>Be(<sup>238</sup>U,X), E=345 MeV/nucleon at RIBF-RIKEN facility. Identification of <sup>76</sup>Ni nuclei was made on the basis of magnetic rigidity, time-of-flight and energy loss of the fragments using BigRIPS fragment separator. Measured heavy fragment,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  spectra using wide-range active silicon strip stopper array (WAS3ABi) for beta and ion detection, and EUROBALL-RIKEN Cluster array for  $\gamma$  detection. Decay curves were obtained from time differences between implantation and correlated  $\beta$  decays.  
**Additional information 1.**  
[2023Li18](#), [2014Ts02](#), [2010Is04](#), [2006An27](#), [2003La05](#): theoretical structure calculations for even-A Ni isotopes.  
 Theoretical calculations: 85 primary references for structure and 17 for decay characteristics retrieved from the NSR database ([www.nndc.bnl.gov/nsr/](http://www.nndc.bnl.gov/nsr/)) are listed in this dataset under 'document' records.

<sup>76</sup>Ni Levels

Cross Reference (XREF) Flags

- A <sup>76</sup>Co  $\beta^-$  decay (16 ms)
- B <sup>76</sup>Co  $\beta^-$  decay (21.7 ms)
- C <sup>76</sup>Ni IT decay (547.8 ns)
- D <sup>1</sup>H(<sup>77</sup>Cu,2p $\gamma$ )

| E(level) <sup>†</sup>  | J $\pi$ <sup>‡</sup> | T <sub>1/2</sub> | XREF | Comments   |
|------------------------|----------------------|------------------|------|--|
| 0.0 <sup>#</sup>       | 0 <sup>+</sup>       | 234.7 ms 27      | ABCD | $\% \beta^- = 100$ ; $\% \beta^- n = 14.0$ 36 ( <a href="#">2010Ho12</a> )<br>A total of 1441 implants were detected, and 43 correlated $\beta n$ coincidences were observed ( <a href="#">2010Ho12</a> ).<br>T <sub>1/2</sub> : weighted average of 234.6 ms 27 ( <a href="#">2014Xu07</a> , from $\beta\gamma$ -coin decay curve) and 238 ms 18 ( <a href="#">2010Ho12</a> , <a href="#">2005Ho08</a> , from measurement of time sequence of decay events correlated with the implanted <sup>76</sup> Ni nuclei in Si detectors; maximum likelihood analysis with input parameters of $\beta$ -detection efficiency, background, half-lives of daughter and granddaughter nuclei, and experimental or theoretical values of $\% \beta^- n$ of all nuclei involved). Other: 0.24 s +55-19 ( <a href="#">1998Am04</a> ). |
| 990.15 <sup>#</sup> 25 | (2 <sup>+</sup> )    |                  | ABCD | J $\pi$ : systematics of even-even nuclides.   |
| 1920.2 <sup>#</sup> 4  | (4 <sup>+</sup> )    |                  | BCD  |  |

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| E(level) <sup>†</sup> | J <sup>π</sup> <sup>‡</sup>       | T <sub>1/2</sub> | XREF | Comments   |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|------|--|
| 2275.6 <sup>#</sup> 5 | (6 <sup>+</sup> )                 |                  | BC   |  |
| 2418.2 <sup>#</sup> 5 | (8 <sup>+</sup> )                 | 547.8 ns 33      | BC   | %IT=100<br>Configuration= $\nu g_{9/2}^2$ (2004Sa13).<br>T <sub>1/2</sub> : from $\gamma(t)$ method, weighted average of values from the four transitions (2015So23). Previous (less precise) measurements: 636 ns 90 (2014Ra20), 409 ns +58-50 (2012Ka36); 0.59 $\mu$ s +18-11 (2005Ma59); 0.24 $\mu$ s 8 (2004Sa13).<br>Weighted average of all the above values, except the seemingly discrepant result from 2004Sa13, is 547.4 ns 52, in agreement with the result taken from 2015So23 only. |
| 2994.7? 5             | (0 <sup>+</sup> ,2 <sup>+</sup> ) |                  | A    |  |
| 3431? 50              |                                   |                  | D    |  |
| 3828? 69              |                                   |                  | D    |  |
| 4147 35               | (4 <sup>+</sup> ,5 <sup>+</sup> ) |                  | D    | J <sup>π</sup> : from shell-model predictions (2019EI02).  |

<sup>†</sup> From E<sub>γ</sub> values.

<sup>‡</sup> From comparison with shell-model calculations (2005Ma59,2015So23), and systematics of even-even nuclei in this mass region.

<sup>#</sup> Band(A): Yrast band.

$\gamma(^{76}\text{Ni})$

| E <sub>i</sub> (level) | J <sub>i</sub> <sup>π</sup>       | E <sub>γ</sub>         | I <sub>γ</sub> | E <sub>f</sub> | J <sub>f</sub> <sup>π</sup> | Mult. | α <sup>#</sup> | Comments  |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------------------|-------|----------------|---|
| 990.15                 | (2 <sup>+</sup> )                 | 990.14 <sup>†</sup> 25 | 100            | 0.0            | 0 <sup>+</sup>              |       |                |   |
| 1920.2                 | (4 <sup>+</sup> )                 | 930.00 <sup>†</sup> 25 | 100            | 990.15         | (2 <sup>+</sup> )           |       |                |   |
| 2275.6                 | (6 <sup>+</sup> )                 | 355.43 <sup>†</sup> 25 | 100            | 1920.2         | (4 <sup>+</sup> )           |       |                |   |
| 2418.2                 | (8 <sup>+</sup> )                 | 142.58 <sup>†</sup> 25 | 100            | 2275.6         | (6 <sup>+</sup> )           | [E2]  | 0.1482         | B(E2)(W.u.)=1.01 14<br>α(K)=0.1319 21; α(L)=0.01417 23; α(M)=0.00197 3; α(N)=7.34×10 <sup>-5</sup> 12<br>E <sub>γ</sub> : from <sup>76</sup> Co β <sup>-</sup> decay (16 ms). |
| 2994.7?                | (0 <sup>+</sup> ,2 <sup>+</sup> ) | 2004.5 <sup>@</sup> 4  |                | 990.15         | (2 <sup>+</sup> )           |       |                |   |
| 3431?                  |                                   | 2441 <sup>‡@</sup> 50  | 100            | 990.15         | (2 <sup>+</sup> )           |       |                |   |
| 3828?                  |                                   | 2838 <sup>‡@</sup> 69  | 100            | 990.15         | (2 <sup>+</sup> )           |       |                |   |
| 4147                   | (4 <sup>+</sup> ,5 <sup>+</sup> ) | 2227 <sup>‡</sup> 35   | 100            | 1920.2         | (4 <sup>+</sup> )           |       |                |   |

<sup>†</sup> Weighted averages of values from <sup>76</sup>Co β<sup>-</sup> decay (21.7 ms) and <sup>76</sup>Ni IT decay (547.8 ns).

<sup>‡</sup> From <sup>1</sup>H(<sup>77</sup>Cu,2p $\gamma$ ) (2019EI02).

<sup>#</sup> Total theoretical internal conversion coefficients, calculated using the BrIcc code (2008Ki07) with Frozen orbital approximation based on  $\gamma$ -ray energies, assigned multiplicities, and mixing ratios, unless otherwise specified.

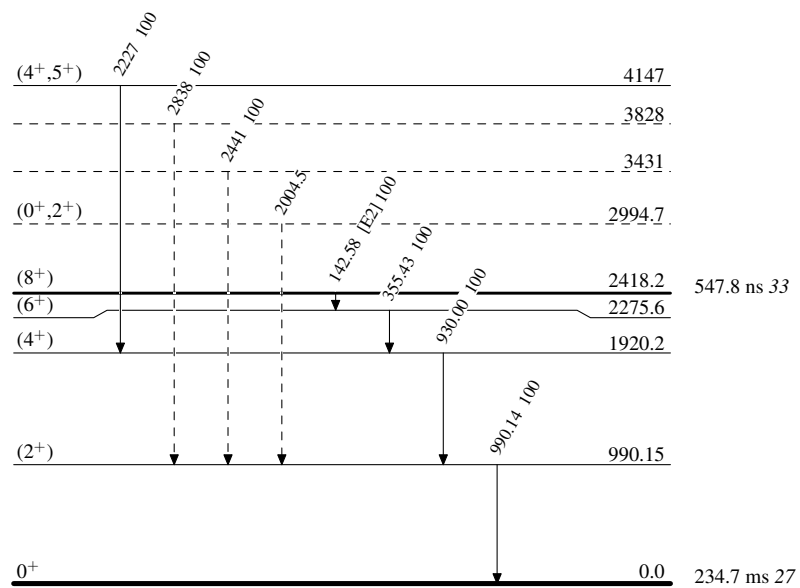
<sup>@</sup> Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

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Legend

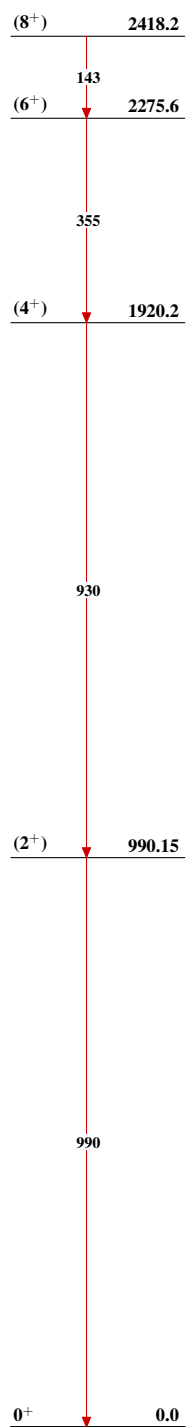
Level Scheme

Intensities: Relative photon branching from each level

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 $^{76}_{28}\text{Ni}_{48}$