

**Adopted Levels, Gammas**

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$Q(\beta^-)=7203$  3;  $S(n)=4557.5$  25;  $S(p)=15102$  7;  $Q(\alpha)=-11106$  3    [2017Wa10](#)

$S(2n)=12372.9$  28,  $S(2p)=29340$  300 (syst) ([2017Wa10](#)).

Measured mass excess for  $^{77}\text{Ga}=-65995.0$  keV 42 ([2019Hu15](#)), as compared to  $-65992.3$  keV 24 in [2017Wa10](#) leads to

$Q(\beta^-)=7205.8$  keV 47.

[1970OsZZ, 1977Al17](#):  $^{77}\text{Zn}$  isotope identified and produced in  $^{235}\text{U}(n,\text{F})$  at OSIRIS facility, and subsequent counting of  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  spectra.

[2017Wr01](#):  $E(p)=1.4$  GeV incident on  $\text{UC}_x$  target at ISOLDE-CERN facility. The  $^{77}\text{Zn}$  nuclei were resonantly ionized using a resonant laser-ion source, accelerated to 30 keV, and separated by high-resolution separator. The ions were cooled using a gas-filled radio-frequency quadrupole (RFQ-ISCOOL). Measured hyperfine spectra using collinear laser spectroscopy using COLLAPS setup at ISOLDE-CERN. Deduced spins,  $\mu$ , Q, isomer. Comparison with large-scale shell model calculations. For the calibration of nuclear moments,  $\mu=+0.875479$  9 from literature and  $Q=+0.122$  10 ([2017Wr01](#)) for the stable  $^{67}\text{Zn}$  nuclide were used as references. See also [2017Ne04](#) review article.

[2019Xi07](#): measured isotope shifts and charge radii using laser spectroscopy at ISOLDE-CERN.

Mass measurement: [2008Ba54](#): Penning trap mass spectrometer ISOLTRAP.

Additional neutron-decaying levels above  $S(n)$  are expected to be populated with allowed beta transitions from  $^{77}\text{Cu}$  decay ([2009Pa35](#)).

Theoretical calculations: consult the NSR database at [www.nndc.bnl.gov](http://www.nndc.bnl.gov) for 10 primary theory references dealing with nuclear structure calculations, and radioactive decays.

 **$^{77}\text{Zn}$  Levels****Cross Reference (XREF) Flags**

- A**     $^{77}\text{Cu}$   $\beta^-$  decay (469.8 ms)
- B**     $^{77}\text{Zn}$  IT decay (1.05 s)
- C**     $^{78}\text{Cu}$   $\beta^-n$  decay (331.7 ms)

E(level)	$J^\pi$	$T_{1/2}$	XREF	Comments
0.0	$7/2^+$	2.08 s 5	<b>ABC</b>	$\% \beta^- = 100$ $\mu = -0.9067$ 1 ( <a href="#">2017Wr01, 2019StZV</a> ) $Q = +0.48$ 4 ( <a href="#">2017Wr01</a> ) Measured $\delta < r^2 >(^{68}\text{Zn}, ^{77}\text{Zn}) = +0.440$ fm <sup>2</sup> 5(stat) 64(syst) ( <a href="#">2019Xi07</a> ), laser spectroscopy at ISOLDE-CERN). Measured isotope shift $\delta \nu (^{68}\text{Zn}, ^{77}\text{Zn}) = 236.0$ MHz 16(stat) 120(syst) ( <a href="#">2019Xi07</a> ), laser spectroscopy at ISOLDE-CERN). $T_{1/2}$ : from <a href="#">1986Ek01</a> . Others: 2.20 s 18 ( <a href="#">1981Ru07</a> ), 1.4 s 3 ( <a href="#">1970OsZZ</a> ). $J^\pi$ : three quasi particles (neutrons) arising from $g_{9/2}$ orbital coupled to $7/2^+$ assumed from shell model and systematics. The g.s. feeds a suggested $J^\pi = 9/2^+$ state in $^{77}\text{Ga}$ ( <a href="#">2009Pa35, 2009II01</a> ). $\mu, Q$ : from measurement of hyperfine structure by collinear laser spectroscopy at ISOLDE-CERN ( <a href="#">2017Wr01</a> ); measured $\mu = -0.9074$ 1 is re-evaluated to $\mu = -0.9067$ 1 by <a href="#">2019StZV</a> . $J^\pi$ : 7/2 from measurement of hyperfine structure by collinear laser spectroscopy at ISOLDE-CERN. Parity from agreement of measured $\mu$ with theoretical values ( <a href="#">2017Wr01</a> ). XREF: C(?). $J^\pi$ : from systematics and shell-model predictions ( <a href="#">2009II01, 2009Pa35</a> ). $\% \beta^- = 66$ 7 ( <a href="#">2009II01</a> ); %IT=34 7 ( <a href="#">2009II01</a> ) $\mu = +0.562$ 2 ( <a href="#">2017Wr01, 2019StZV</a> )
114.721 10	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )		<b>A C</b>	
772.440 15	1/2 <sup>-</sup>	1.05 s 10	<b>AB</b>	

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**Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)** $^{77}\text{Zn}$  Levels (continued)

E(level)	J <sup>π</sup>	XREF	Comments
801.89 11	(11/2 <sup>+</sup> )	A C	Others: % $\beta^-$ >52 ( <a href="#">2009Pa35</a> ), %IT>50 ( <a href="#">1986Ek01</a> ). Measured $\delta\langle r^2 \rangle(^{68}\text{Zn}, ^{77}\text{Zn}) = +0.455 \text{ fm}^2$ 11(stat) 64(syst) ( <a href="#">2019Xi07</a> ), laser spectroscopy at ISOLDE-CERN). Measured isotope shift $\delta\nu(^{68}\text{Zn}, ^{77}\text{Zn}) = 241.2 \text{ MHz}$ 38(stat) 120(syst) ( <a href="#">2019Xi07</a> ), laser spectroscopy at ISOLDE-CERN). $J^\pi$ : 1/2 from measurement of hyperfine structure by collinear laser spectroscopy at ISOLDE-CERN. Parity from agreement of measured $\mu$ with theoretical values ( <a href="#">2017Wr01</a> ). Probable $v p_{1/2}$ orbital ( <a href="#">2009Pa35</a> , <a href="#">2009Ii01</a> ). $T_{1/2}$ : from 772.43 $\gamma$ (t) ( <a href="#">1986Ek01</a> ). $\mu$ : from measurement of hyperfine structure by collinear laser spectroscopy at ISOLDE-CERN ( <a href="#">2017Wr01</a> ). XREF: C(?). $J^\pi$ : from systematics and shell-model predictions ( <a href="#">2009Pa35</a> ).
1130.5 3		A	
1235.1 5		A	
1277.690 15	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> , 3/2 <sup>+</sup> )	A	$J^\pi$ : 5/2 <sup>-</sup> proposed by <a href="#">2009Pa35</a> , 3/2 <sup>+</sup> by <a href="#">2009Ii01</a> and <a href="#">2009Wi03</a> , based on syst and shell-model predictions.
1284.62 15		A	
1363.786 25	(1/2 <sup>+</sup> , 3/2 <sup>-</sup> )	A	$J^\pi$ : 3/2 <sup>-</sup> proposed by <a href="#">2009Pa35</a> , 1/2 <sup>+</sup> by <a href="#">2009Ii01</a> , based on syst and shell-model predictions.
1409.078 20		A	
1427.3 3		A	
1637.48 21		A	
1875.66 11		A	
2082.81 4		A	
2152.6 23		A	
2235.378 24	(5/2 <sup>+</sup> )	A	
2380.4 3		A	
2527.2? 5		A	
2545.84 12		A	
2574.2? 4		A	
2654.14 9		A	
2872.67 5		A	
2891.8? 3		A	
3001.12 10		A	
3083.18 9		A	
3095.1? 5		A	
3139.30 15		A	
3204.56 5		A	
3386.92 13		A	
3426.98 13		A	
3709.9 15		A	
3744.00 9		A	
3823.88 16		A	
4334.35 20		A	
4531.9 4		A	
4605.27 21		A	

## Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)

 $\gamma(^{77}\text{Zn})$ 

$E_i(\text{level})$	$J_i^\pi$	$E_\gamma$	$I_\gamma$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Mult.	$\delta$	$\alpha^\dagger$	Comments
						[M1+E2]	0.10 3	0.046 2	
114.721	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )	114.72 1	100	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>				$\delta$ : assumed in <a href="#">2009II01</a> with an uncertainty of 0.03, from similar 9/2 <sup>+</sup> to 7/2 <sup>+</sup> transitions amongst low-lying levels in $^{73}\text{Ge}$ and $^{75}\text{Ge}$ .
772.440	1/2 <sup>-</sup>	772.43 2	100	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	[E3]		0.00133	$B(E3)(\text{W.u.})=6.8\times 10^{-6}$ <a href="#">16</a>
									Mult.: the multipolarity may be E3, as suggested by the assigned $J^\pi$ values. Deduced $B(E3)(\text{W.u.})$ is smaller than any other value for $A<90$ ( <a href="#">1979En04</a> ). In the $A=80$ region, $B(E3)(\text{W.u.})$ for 7/2 <sup>+</sup> to 1/2 <sup>-</sup> range from 0.0362 6 for $^{77}\text{Se}$ to 0.00071 4 for $^{81}\text{Se}$ .
801.89	(11/2 <sup>+</sup> )	687.17 11	100	114.721	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )				$E_\gamma$ : it is assumed that 685.5 $\gamma$ in <a href="#">2009Pa35</a> is the same as 688.7 $\gamma$ in $^{78}\text{Cu}$ $\beta^-n$ decay data of <a href="#">2005Va19</a> and 687.17 in $^{77}\text{Cu}$ $\beta^-$ of <a href="#">2009II01</a> .
1130.5		1015.8 3	100	114.721	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
1235.1		1120.4 5	100	114.721	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
1277.690	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,3/2 <sup>+</sup> )	505.25 1	100.0 7	772.440	1/2 <sup>-</sup>				
		1277.68 2	37.3 8	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>				
1284.62		1169.81 16	32 4	114.721	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
		1284.8 5	100 6	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>				
1363.786	(1/2 <sup>+</sup> ,3/2 <sup>-</sup> )	591.33 2	100	772.440	1/2 <sup>-</sup>				
1409.078		131.35 22	4.0 7	1277.690	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,3/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
		1409.07 2	100 3	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>				
1427.3		1427.7 6	100	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>				
1637.48		352.86 15	100	1284.62					
1875.66		466.88 25	55 15	1409.078					
		1875.86 17	100 13	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>				
2082.81		805.11 3	100	1277.690	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,3/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
2152.6		2037.9 23	100	114.721	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
2235.378	(5/2 <sup>+</sup> )	826.33 18	4.7 8	1409.078					
		871.45 9	17.4 17	1363.786	(1/2 <sup>+</sup> ,3/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
		957.69 2	100.0 22	1277.690	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,3/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
		2118.8 4	5.5 14	114.721	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
		2234.3 4	3.6 11	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>				
2380.4		2265.6 3	100	114.721	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
2527.2?		2527.2 5	100	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>				
2545.84		1268.14 12	100	1277.690	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,3/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
2574.2?		2459.4 <sup>†</sup> 4		114.721	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
2654.14		1290.34 8	100	1363.786	(1/2 <sup>+</sup> ,3/2 <sup>-</sup> )				
2872.67		637.29 5	100 8	2235.378	(5/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
		997.29 15	41 6	1875.66					
		1463.69 14	53 7	1409.078					
		1594.8 1	97 10	1277.690	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,3/2 <sup>+</sup> )				
3									E $\gamma$ : poor fit, not included in the least-squares fitting procedure. Level-energy difference=2120.6.

## Adopted Levels, Gammas (continued)

 $\gamma(^{77}\text{Zn})$  (continued)

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>	Comments
2872.67		2757.9 5	18 6	114.721	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
2891.8?		1528.0 <sup>‡</sup> 3		1363.786	(1/2 <sup>+</sup> ,3/2 <sup>-</sup> )	
3001.12		1723.41 9	100	1277.690	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,3/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
3083.18		1000.33 14	47 7	2082.81		
		1805.5 1	100 8	1277.690	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,3/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
		2967.6 7	14 6	114.721	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
3095.1?		1817.4 <sup>‡</sup> 5		1277.690	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,3/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
3139.30		903.8 14	89 16	2235.378	(5/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
		1056.6 3	54 11	2082.81		
		1730.18 18	100 16	1409.078		
		3139.1 6	59 16	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3204.56		1840.15 21	21 3	1363.786	(1/2 <sup>+</sup> ,3/2 <sup>-</sup> )	
		1926.87 4	100 3	1277.690	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,3/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
3386.92		2023.04 14	100 10	1363.786	(1/2 <sup>+</sup> ,3/2 <sup>-</sup> )	
		2109.4 3	65 10	1277.690	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,3/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
		3387.2 6	25 6	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3426.98		2017.8 4	28 8	1409.078		
		2141.7 5	23 8	1284.62		
		2149.32 14	100 11	1277.690	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,3/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
3709.9		2432.2 15	100	1277.690	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,3/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
3744.00		1661.16 9	100 14	2082.81		
		2335.1 3	18 6	1409.078		
		2466.6 7	12 4	1277.690	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,3/2 <sup>+</sup> )	E <sub>γ</sub> =2463.6 10, I <sub>γ</sub> =6 2 ( <a href="#">2009Pa35</a> ), placed from 3826 level in <a href="#">2009Pa35</a> on the basis of coin with 591 <sub>γ</sub> . The evaluators assume that same $\gamma$ is seen in both <a href="#">2009Ii01</a> and <a href="#">2009Pa35</a> . 2463.6-591.1 $\gamma\gamma$ coin result of <a href="#">2009Pa35</a> seems in disagreement with that from <a href="#">2009Ii01</a> .
		3743.6 4	21 5	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
3823.88		2396.6 3	47 7	1427.3		
		2546.12 16	100 8	1277.690	(5/2 <sup>-</sup> ,3/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
		3826.7 <sup>‡</sup> 10	39 13	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
4334.35		4220.5 16	9 5	114.721	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
		4334.2 2	100 11	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	
4531.9		4417.0 4	100	114.721	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
4605.27		3178.0 6	41 9	1427.3		
		4490.37 23	100 13	114.721	(9/2 <sup>+</sup> )	
		4605.3 6	30 7	0.0	7/2 <sup>+</sup>	

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

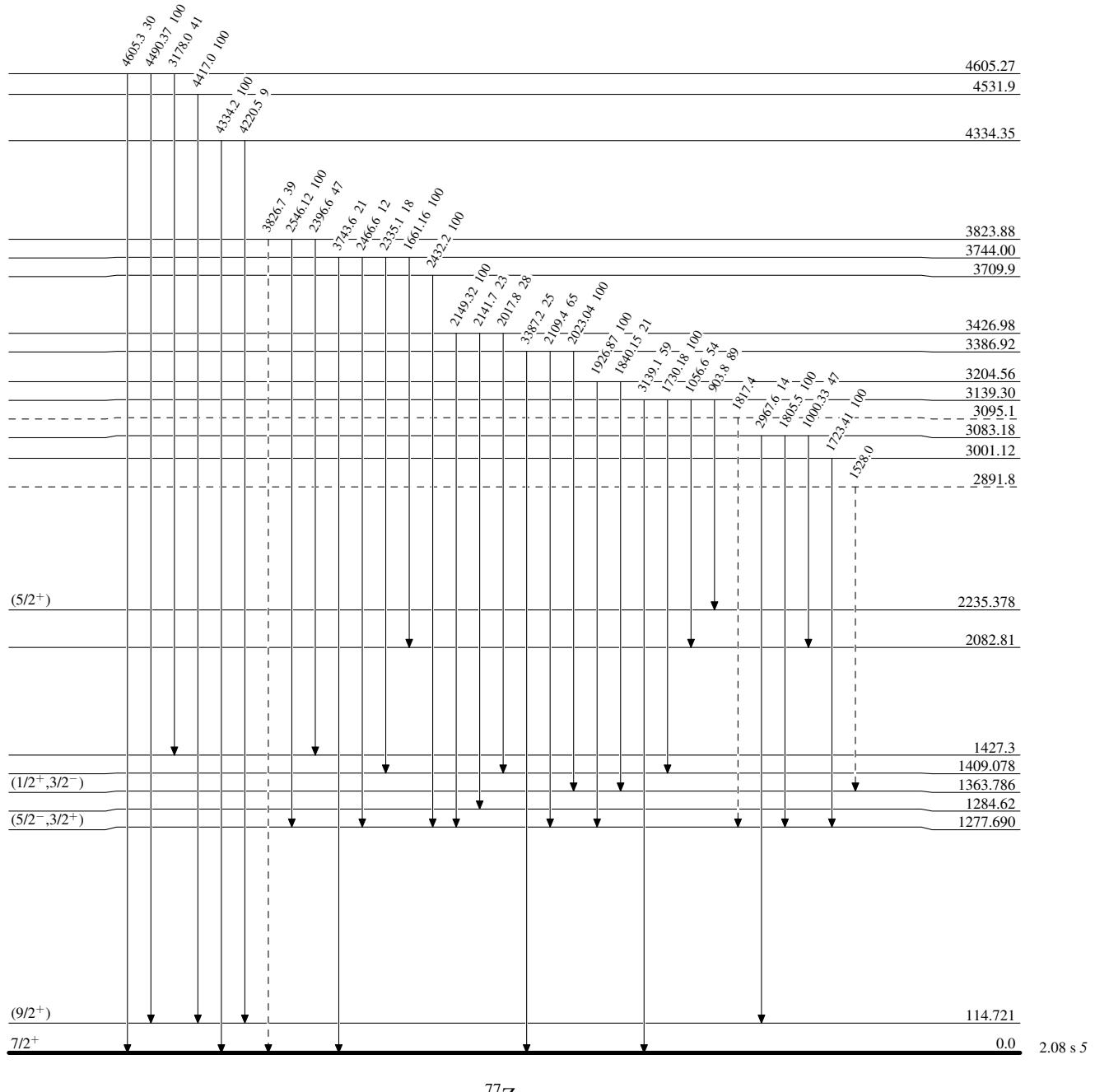
<sup>‡</sup> Placement of transition in the level scheme is uncertain.

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Legend

Level Scheme

Intensities: Relative photon branching from each level

- - - - - ►  $\gamma$  Decay (Uncertain)

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Level Scheme (continued)

Intensities: Relative photon branching from each level

--->  $\gamma$  Decay (Uncertain)