

^{93}Nb IT decay (16.12 y)

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Parent: ^{93}Nb : E=30.77 2; $J^\pi=1/2^-$; $T_{1/2}=16.12$ y 12; %IT decay=100.0

[1999ZhZY](#), [1991BaZS](#), [1990Co17](#), [1983Va25](#), [1982Re09](#), [1981Li01](#), [1977Li01](#), [1977Mo07](#), [1972FlZM](#), [1965Fl02](#), [1964Ho08](#).

[1977Mo07](#): intrinsic Ge detector, measured $E\gamma$ and $I(30\gamma)/I(\text{K x ray})$.

[1999ZhZY](#) observe both the 30.8-keV IT and a 28.5-keV transition; they attribute the latter to an electron bridge mechanism with electron bridge emission probability 0.061 14 times that of the 30.8-keV radiation.

 ^{93}Nb x-ray Emission Probabilities (per 100 IT decays):

The calculated values are those obtained using the program RADLST and the adopted decay scheme. The most precise measurement of $I(\text{K x ray})$ is that by [1990Co17](#) (other data are 11.5 3 ([1983Va25](#)) and unpublished values of 11.6 4, 10.7 3, 11.0 3 referenced in [1991BaZS](#)).

The energy balance for this decay is satisfactory: total energy deposited is calculated to Be 30.3 11 cf. 30.77 2 based on Q value.

| Calculated | 1990Co17 | X-ray |
|------------|--------------------------|--------------------|
| 6.34 24 | | ($K_{\alpha 1}$) |
| 3.32 13 | | ($K_{\alpha 2}$) |
| 1.89 7 | | (K_β) |
| 11.55 28 | 11.12 22 | (K(Total)) |

 ^{93}Nb Levels

| E(level) [†] | J^π [‡] | $T_{1/2}$ | Comments |
|-----------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|----------|
| 0 | $9/2^+$ | | |
| 30.77 2 | $1/2^-$ | 16.12 [#] y 12 | %IT=100 |

[†] From $E\gamma$.

[‡] From Adopted Levels.

weighted average of 16.13 y 15 ([1983Va25](#); statistical uncertainty 0.10) and 16.11 y 19 ([1981Li01](#); presumed to supersede preliminary datum from [1977Li01](#)); decay was followed for >4 and 10 years, respectively. Other $T_{1/2}$: 13.6 y 3 ([1965Fl02](#); decay followed for 11 y); ≥5 y ([1976Ju04](#); from $\gamma(t)$, decay followed for 1 y).

 $\gamma(^{93}\text{Nb})$

| E_γ [†] | I_γ [@] | E_i (level) | J_i^π | E_f | J_f^π | Mult. [‡] | α ^{&} | $I_{(\gamma+ce)}$ [@] | Comments |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-------|-----------|--------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| 30.77 2 | 5.91×10^{-4} [#] 9 | 30.77 | $1/2^-$ | 0 | $9/2^+$ | M4 | 1.693×10^5 | 100 | ce(K)/(γ+ce)=0.153 3; ce(L)/(γ+ce)=0.680 8; ce(M)/(γ+ce)=0.147 3; ce(N)/(γ+ce)=0.0193 4 ce(N)/(γ+ce)=0.0191 4; ce(O)/(γ+ce)=0.000285 6 $\alpha(K)\exp=2.58 \times 10^4$ 15 (1976Ju04); $K/L=0.21$ 2 (1964Ho08) other $\alpha(K)\exp$: 1.7×10^4 3 from $I(31\gamma)/I(\text{K x ray})=8.0 \times 10^{-5}$ 10 (1977Mo07), assuming $\omega_K=0.75$ 3; 2.4×10^4 9 (1999ZhZY). other sub-shell ratios: $K/(L+M)=0.18$ 2 (1964Ho08), 0.12 2 (1972FlZM); |

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^{93}Nb IT decay (16.12 y) (continued) $\gamma(^{93}\text{Nb})$ (continued)

| E_γ^\dagger | E_i (level) | Comments |
|--------------------|---------------|--|
| | | K/(L+M+...)=0.19 2 (1982Re09); L/(M+N+...)=3.8 4 (1982Re09). |

[†] From [1977Mo07](#). Others: 30.4 3 ([1972FlZM](#)), 30.7 1 ([1976Ju04](#)).

[‡] From measured $\alpha(K)\exp$ and subshell ratios.

[#] From %IT=100 and $\alpha(31\gamma)$, assuming 1.4% uncertainty In $\alpha(31\gamma)$ calculation and an additional 0.4% uncertainty arising from uncertainty In $E\gamma$. this value differs from that calculated by [2007BeZP](#) because that evaluation assumed a different value for $\alpha(31\gamma)$.

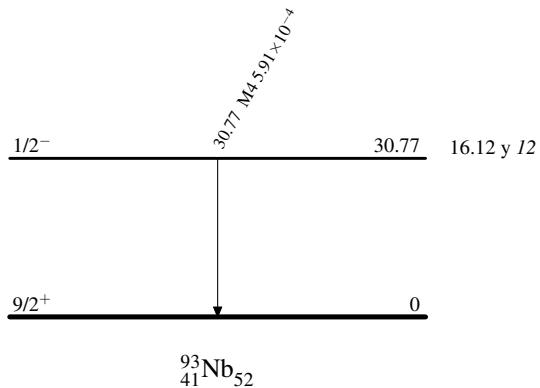
[@] Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

[&] Total theoretical internal conversion coefficients, calculated using the BrIcc code ([2008Ki07](#)) with Frozen orbital approximation based on γ -ray energies, assigned multipolarities, and mixing ratios, unless otherwise specified.

 ^{93}Nb IT decay (16.12 y)Decay Scheme

Intensities: I_γ per 100 parent decays

%IT=100.0



$^{93}_{41}\text{Nb}_{52}$