

Adopted Levels, Gammas

Type	Author	History	Citation	Literature Cutoff Date
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$Q(\beta^-) = -5430$ 40; $S(n) = 1031 \times 10^1$ 11; $S(p) = 2550$ 30; $Q(\alpha) = -2580$ 30 2017Wa10
 $Q(\epsilon p) = 2240$ 50, $S(2n) = 24700$ 100, $S(2p) = 7960$ 30 (2017Wa10).

Other measurements:

1978Hu11: ^{98}Ag identified and produced. Later studies: 1982Ku15, 2000Hu17.

2014Fe01: $E(^{36}\text{Ar}) = 125$ MeV beam from Leuven cyclotron facility. Target was >98% enriched ^{64}Zn and natural Zn; but stated reaction implies ^{66}Zn target. Measured hyperfine structure using in-gas-cell laser ionization spectroscopy. Deduced magnetic dipole moment, mean-square charge radius and isotope shifts. Measurements made using LISOL facility at cyclotron center in Leuven.

Additional information 1.

Theory references: consult the NSR database (www.nndc.bnl.gov/nsr/) for 10 primary references, 9 dealing with nuclear structure calculations, and one with decay modes and half-life.

 ^{98}Ag LevelsCross Reference (XREF) Flags

- A ^{98}Cd ϵ decay (9.3 s)
- B ^{99}In ϵp decay (3.11 s)
- C $^9\text{Be}(^{124}\text{Xe}, X\gamma)$
- D $^{50}\text{Cr}(^{58}\text{Ni}, pn2\alpha\gamma)$

E(level) [†]	J^π [‡]	$T_{1/2}$	XREF	Comments
0.0	(6 ⁺)	47.5 s 3	A CD	$\% \epsilon + \% \beta^+ = 100$; $\% \epsilon p = 0.0011$ 5 (1996He25) $\mu = 4.64$ 7 (2014Fe01) $\% \epsilon p = 0.0011 + 5 - 4$ (1996He25, 1997Ra22). J^π: hyperfine structure measurements (2014Fe01) permit $J=6$ and 5; shell-model predictions with possible configuration $= \pi g_{9/2}^{-1} \otimes \nu d_{5/2}$ favor 6⁺ (1995Sc50, 1998Ce03, 2004Co15, $J = J_{\max} - 1$ favored); possible ϵ feeding to (8⁺) at $E = 2773$ in ^{98}Pd also favors 6⁺. But $J^\pi = 5^+$ from systematics of neighboring Ag isotopes is not completely ruled out. $T_{1/2}$: weighted average of 47.7 s 3 (2000Hu17) and 47.1 s 5 (1982Ku15). Other: 44.5 s 12 (1978Hu11), this value seems discrepant. Weighted average of all the three values is 47.4 s 5 with a reduced $\chi^2 = 3.6$. μ: value for $J=6$; for $J=5$, $\mu = 4.57$ 7, hyperfine structure using in-gas-cell laser ionization spectroscopy (2014Fe01). RMS charge radius: $\delta \langle r^2 \rangle (^{98}\text{Ag}, ^{109}\text{Ag}) = 1.01$ fm² 16(stat)7(syst) for $J=6$, 0.95 fm² 16(stat), 7(syst) for $J=5$ (2014Fe01). Isotope shift: $\delta \nu (^{98}\text{Ag}, ^{109}\text{Ag}) = -3.58$ GHz 47(stat)8(syst) for $J=6$, -3.34 GHz 47(stat)8(syst) for $J=5$ (2014Fe01). %IT=100 E(level): ordering of the 107- and 61-keV γ rays in a cascade is from 2017Pa35 in $^9\text{Be}(^{124}\text{Xe}, X\gamma)$ on the premise that no delayed component of 61-keV γ ray was seen. 2017Pa35 also point out that their ordering of this cascade is consistent with that proposed in previous studies by M. Vencelj et al. (2000) and N. Braun (2012); see citations below in comment for half-life. 1992Pi01, in their study of the ϵ decay had proposed a reversed ordering based on decay pattern and γ intensities from $\gamma\gamma$-coin spectra accumulated for 26 hours. J^π: 107γ E2 to (6⁺). Possible member of the $\pi g_{9/2}^{-1} \otimes \nu d_{5/2}$ multiplet (2004Co15, shell model calculations). $T_{1/2}$: from 107γ(t) (2017Pa35) in $^9\text{Be}(^{124}\text{Xe}, X\gamma)$. Other measurements: 0.14 μs 4 (2019Ha26, γ(t) at RIBF-RIKEN); 2017Pa35 quote 160 ns 10 from M. Vencelj et al., Balk. Phys. Lett. Special issue, p298 (2000); 142 ns 13 and 158 ns 26 from N. Braun,
107.28 10	(4 ⁺)	161 ns 7	A C	

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E(level) [†]	J ^π [‡]	XREF	Comments
			Ph.D. thesis, Cologne (2012). 2017Au03 quote 220 ns 20 from R. Grzywacz, ENAM conference Proc. p430 (1998, Bellaire, Michigan). Note that previous values were all for 168 level because of the earlier placement of 107 γ from 168 level. Weighted average of all the measurements also gives 161 ns 7 with reduced $\chi^2=2.2$.
167.83 15	(3 ⁺)	A C	J ^π : 61 γ M1 to (4 ⁺), 1997 γ and 2376 γ from 1 ⁺ . Possible member of $\pi g_{9/2}^{-1} \otimes \nu d_{5/2}$ multiplet (2004Co15 , shell model calculations).
220.0 3	(7 ⁺)	D	
514.99 17	(2 ⁺ ,3 ⁺)	A C	J ^π : 1176 γ , 1346 γ , 1650 γ , 2030 γ from 1 ⁺ , 347 γ to (3 ⁺), no ε feeding from 0 ⁺ . J ^π =2 ⁺ predicted by shell model calculations (2004Co15) for member of $\pi g_{9/2}^{-1} \otimes \nu d_{5/2}$ multiplet.
1066.43 24	(2,3 ⁺)	A	J ^π : 625 γ , 795 γ and 1098 γ from 1 ⁺ , 899 γ to (3 ⁺), no ε feeding from 0 ⁺ . J ^π =2 ⁺ predicted by shell model calculations (2004Co15) for member of $\pi g_{9/2}^{-1} \otimes \nu g_{7/2}$ multiplet.
1115.4 6	(8 ⁺)	D	
1290.6 4	(1 ⁺)	A	J ^π : 875 γ from 1 ⁺ , 1124 γ to (3 ⁺); some evidence of ε feeding from 0 ⁺ (log <i>ft</i> =4.9) favors 1 ⁺ .
1404.7 5	(9 ⁺)	D	
1691.14 23	1 ⁺	A	J ^π : log <i>ft</i> =3.3 from 0 ⁺ .
1861.1 5	1 ⁺	A	J ^π : log <i>ft</i> =4.3 from 0 ⁺ .
1863.1 6	(10 ⁺)	D	
2152.5 6	(11 ⁺)	D	
2164.9 5	1 ⁺	A	J ^π : log <i>ft</i> =4.0 from 0 ⁺ .
2544.4 8	1 ⁺	A	J ^π : log <i>ft</i> =4.2 from 0 ⁺ .
2562.5 7	(12 ⁺)	D	
2715.7 7	(13 ⁺)	D	
3716.7 11	(13 ⁺)	D	Possible maximum aligned state of configuration= $\pi g_{9/2}^{-3} \otimes \nu d_{5/2}$ (1998Ce03).
4090.7 11	(14 ⁺)	D	
4475.7 15	(15)	D	

[†] From a least-squares fit to γ -ray energies, assuming $\Delta E\gamma=1$ keV if not given.

[‡] J ≥ 6 are as proposed by [1998Ce03](#) based on $\Delta J=1$, dipole transitions and shell-model predictions.

 $\gamma(^{98}\text{Ag})$

E _i (level)	J ^π _i	E _{γ} [†]	I _{γ} [†]	E _f	J ^π _f	Mult.#	$\alpha^{\textcircled{a}}$	Comments
107.28	(4 ⁺)	107.28 [‡] 10	100	0.0	(6 ⁺)	E2	1.125	B(E2)(W.u.)=4.34 21
167.83	(3 ⁺)	60.55 [‡] 10	100	107.28	(4 ⁺)	M1	1.76	
220.0	(7 ⁺)	220.0 3	100	0.0	(6 ⁺)	D		
514.99	(2 ⁺ ,3 ⁺)	347.18 10	100	167.83	(3 ⁺)	(M1)	0.015	Mult.: proposed by 1992Pi01 in ^{98}Cd ε decay but no experimental evidence is given.
1066.43	(2,3 ⁺)	551.7 3	27 4	514.99	(2 ⁺ ,3 ⁺)			
		898.5 3	100 19	167.83	(3 ⁺)			
1115.4	(8 ⁺)	896	100	220.0	(7 ⁺)	D		
1290.6	(1 ⁺)	775.6 4	100 25	514.99	(2 ⁺ ,3 ⁺)			
		1124 1	45 15	167.83	(3 ⁺)			
1404.7	(9 ⁺)	289.4 ^{&} 3	19 ^{&} 6	1115.4	(8 ⁺)	(D)		
		1184.6 4	100	220.0	(7 ⁺)	Q		
1691.14	1 ⁺	624.9 3	12 2	1066.43	(2,3 ⁺)			
		1176.1 2	100 4	514.99	(2 ⁺ ,3 ⁺)			
		1523.0 5	5.2 12	167.83	(3 ⁺)			
1861.1	1 ⁺	794.7 4	100 19	1066.43	(2,3 ⁺)			
		1346 1	32 5	514.99	(2 ⁺ ,3 ⁺)			
1863.1	(10 ⁺)	458.4 3	100	1404.7	(9 ⁺)	D		

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$E_i(\text{level})$	J_i^π	$E_\gamma^\dagger$	$I_\gamma^\dagger$	E_f	J_f^π	Mult. [#]
2152.5	(11 ⁺)	289.4 & 3 747.7 4	104 & 9 100 9	1863.1 1404.7	(10 ⁺) (9 ⁺)	(D) Q
2164.9	1 ⁺	874.5 5 1098 1 1650 1 1996.5 10	100 19 70 23 23 7 47 16	1290.6 1066.43 514.99 167.83	(1 ⁺) (2,3 ⁺) (2 ⁺ ,3 ⁺) (3 ⁺)	
2544.4	1 ⁺	2030 1 2376 1	100 35 75 25	514.99 167.83	(2 ⁺ ,3 ⁺) (3 ⁺)	
2562.5	(12 ⁺)	410.0 3	100	2152.5	(11 ⁺)	D
2715.7	(13 ⁺)	153.2 3	100	2562.5	(12 ⁺)	D
3716.7	(13 ⁺)	1001	100	2715.7	(13 ⁺)	D
4090.7	(14 ⁺)	374 1375	100 8 46 7	3716.7 2715.7	(13 ⁺) (13 ⁺)	D
4475.7	(15)	385	100	4090.7	(14 ⁺)	D

[†] From ^{98}Cd ε decay for low-spin states ($J \leq 6$) up to 2544 level, and from ($^{58}\text{Ni}, \text{pn}2\alpha\gamma$) for high-spin levels ($J > 6$), unless otherwise noted.

[‡] The ordering of 107 γ and 61 γ is from 2017Pa35 in $^9\text{Be}(^{124}\text{Xe}, X\gamma)$, based on the non-observation of 161-ns delayed component for the 61 γ in their spectra. 1992PI01 had proposed a reversed ordering, defining the intermediate level at 60.55 keV, instead of the present 107 keV.

[#] From DCO ratios in ($^{58}\text{Ni}, \text{pn}2\alpha\gamma$) for high-spin states ($J > 6$) and from ce data in ^{98}Cd ε decay for the rest, unless otherwise noted.

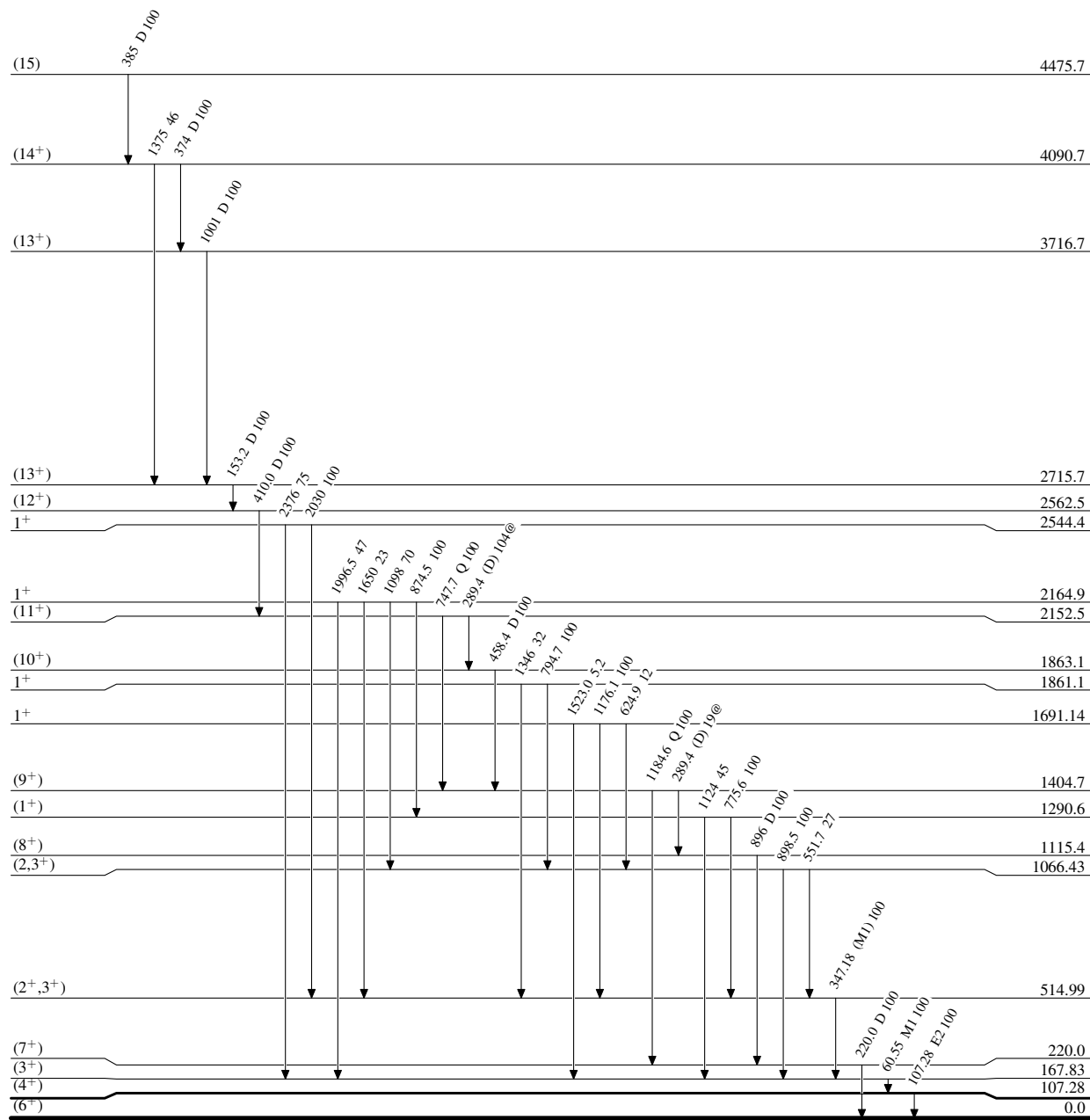
[@] Total theoretical internal conversion coefficients, calculated using the BrIcc code (2008Ki07) with Frozen orbital approximation based on γ -ray energies, assigned multipolarities, and mixing ratios, unless otherwise specified.

[&] Multiply placed with intensity suitably divided.

Adopted Levels, GammasLevel Scheme

Intensities: Relative photon branching from each level

@ Multiply placed: intensity suitably divided

161 ns 7
47.5 s 3 $^{98}_{47}\text{Ag}_{51}$