

**$^{98}\text{Nb} \beta^-$  decay (51.1 min) 1984Me04**

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Parent:  $^{98}\text{Nb}$ : E=84 4;  $J^\pi=(5)^+$ ;  $T_{1/2}=51.1$  min 4;  $Q(\beta^-)=4591$  5;  $\% \beta^-$  decay=99.9 1

$^{98}\text{Nb}$ - $J^\pi, T_{1/2}$ : From  $^{98}\text{Nb}$  Adopted Levels.

$^{98}\text{Nb}$ - $Q(\beta^-)$ : From 2017Wa10.

1984Me04: sources of  $^{98}\text{Nb}$  isomer were produced by  $^{98}\text{Mo}(n,p)$  reaction using 0.5-g targets of Mo metal (98.3% enriched in  $^{98}\text{Mo}$ ) bombarded by E=14 MeV neutron from the Livermore Intense Neutron Source (LINS) facility.  $\gamma$  rays were detected with Ge(Li) detectors. Measured  $E_\gamma$ ,  $I_\gamma$ ,  $\gamma\gamma$ -coin. Deduced levels, J,  $\pi$ ,  $\beta$ -decay branching ratios. Comparisons with available data and calculations based on IBA model.

Others:

1976Si04:  $\gamma$ ,  $\gamma\gamma$ ,  $T_{1/2}$  ( $^{98}\text{Nb}$  isomer).

1976He10 (also thesis by Herzog):  $\gamma$ ,  $\gamma\gamma$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\beta\gamma$ .

1972KoYZ, 1971KoZM:  $\gamma$ ,  $\gamma\gamma$ . 22 levels and 56  $\gamma$ 's reported. Results are consistent with those presented here.

1969Hu07:  $\gamma$ ,  $\gamma\gamma$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\beta\gamma$ , ce for 735.

1966Gu05:  $\gamma$ ,  $\gamma\gamma$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\beta\gamma$ ,  $T_{1/2}$  ( $^{98}\text{Nb}$  isomer).

1962Wa36:  $\gamma$ ,  $T_{1/2}$  ( $^{98}\text{Nb}$  isomer).

1961Ta08:  $\gamma$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $T_{1/2}$  ( $^{98}\text{Nb}$  isomer).

1960Or02:  $\gamma$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\beta\gamma$ ,  $T_{1/2}$  ( $^{98}\text{Nb}$  isomer).

1949Bo29:  $T_{1/2}$  ( $^{98}\text{Nb}$  isomer).

Additional information 1.

Q values: 4500 200 (1976He10), 4600 100 (1966Gu05).

 $^{98}\text{Mo}$  Levels

A 3742 level proposed by 1976Si04 has been omitted for lack of confirmation by 1984Me04.

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	$J^\pi$ <sup>‡</sup>	E(level) <sup>†</sup>	$J^\pi$ <sup>‡</sup>	E(level) <sup>†</sup>	$J^\pi$ <sup>‡</sup>	E(level) <sup>†</sup>	$J^\pi$ <sup>‡</sup>
0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>	2620.75 5	5 <sup>-</sup>	3229.13 10	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	3617.08? 21	
734.73 6	0 <sup>+</sup>	2678.839 25	6 <sup>+</sup>	3241.1 10	(4 <sup>+</sup> to 7)	3620.04 19	(3 <sup>-</sup> ,4)
787.369 16	2 <sup>+</sup>	2700.82 18	2 <sup>+</sup>	3326.36 4	4 <sup>+</sup>	3623.50 6	4 <sup>+</sup>
1432.183 16	2 <sup>+</sup>	2767.62 3	4 <sup>+</sup>	3366.0? 3		3711.8 7	5 <sup>-</sup>
1510.014 19	4 <sup>+</sup>	2813.27 8	2 <sup>+</sup>	3394.47 5	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	3723.7 3	4 <sup>+</sup>
1758.36 4	2 <sup>+</sup>	2836.79 6	6 <sup>+</sup>	3401.09 9	4 <sup>+</sup>	3737.71 8	4 <sup>+</sup>
2017.49 4	3 <sup>-</sup>	2856.24? 21	4 <sup>+</sup>	3403.95 11	(5 <sup>-</sup> ,6 <sup>+</sup> )	3777.84 11	4 <sup>+</sup>
2104.74 15	3 <sup>+</sup>	2976.88 8	4 <sup>+</sup>	3418.66 17	4 <sup>+</sup>	3809.19 8	(4,5,6 <sup>+</sup> )
2206.51 8	2 <sup>+</sup>	3010.9? 2		3455.10 5	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	3809.59 10	(4,5 <sup>-</sup> )
2223.823 20	4 <sup>+</sup>	3020.42 8	5 <sup>-</sup>	3465.88 8	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	3842.7? 2	(4,5,6 <sup>+</sup> )
2333.41 3	4 <sup>+</sup>	3021.71 3	4 <sup>+</sup>	3501.7 3	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	3947.4 3	(4 <sup>+</sup> )
2343.573 25	6 <sup>+</sup>	3050.92 5	4 <sup>+</sup>	3516.73 7	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	3964.28 11	(4 <sup>+</sup> ,5,6)
2419.61 4	4 <sup>+</sup>	3067.66 8	(3 <sup>-</sup> )	3541.24? 15		3981.78 10	3 <sup>-</sup>
2485.10 6	3 <sup>+</sup>	3095.6? 2	2 <sup>+</sup>	3547.48 6	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	3998.59 10	5 <sup>-</sup>
2506.34 4	5 <sup>+</sup>	3097.08 10	(7 <sup>-</sup> )	3554.86? 12		4060.59? 13	(4,5,6 <sup>+</sup> )
2572.99 11	3	3165.84 5	4 <sup>+</sup>	3565.62 8	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	4076.40 11	(4,5,6 <sup>+</sup> )
2574.67 7	4 <sup>+</sup>	3208.95 12	(4 <sup>+</sup> ,5 <sup>-</sup> )	3598.25 16	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	4103.3? 2	(4 <sup>+</sup> )
2620.1 3	3 <sup>+</sup>	3211.54 3	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	3601.1 4	(4 <sup>+</sup> ,5,6)		

<sup>†</sup> From a least-squares fit to  $E_\gamma$  data.

<sup>‡</sup> From Adopted Levels.

$^{98}\text{Nb}$   $\beta^-$  decay (51.1 min) 1984Me04 (continued) $\beta^-$  radiations

E(decay)	E(level)	$I\beta^{-\dagger@}$	Log $ft$	Comments
(572 7)	4103.3?	0.03 1	7.4 2	av $E\beta=182.5$ 24
(599 7)	4076.40	0.046 7	7.3 1	av $E\beta=192.6$ 25
(614& 7)	4060.59?	0.037 7	7.5 1	av $E\beta=198.6$ 25
(676 7)	3998.59	0.12 2	7.1 1	av $E\beta=222.3$ 25
(693& 7)	3981.78	0.12 $\ddagger$ 2	7.4 <sup>1u#</sup> 1	av $E\beta=249.7$ 25
				Log $ft$ : too low for $\Delta J=2$ , $\Delta\pi=\text{no transition}$ .
(711 7)	3964.28	0.23 5	6.9 1	av $E\beta=235.7$ 25
(728 7)	3947.4	0.07 2	7.4 1	av $E\beta=242.3$ 26
(832& 7)	3842.7?	0.05 1	7.8 1	av $E\beta=283.9$ 26
(865 7)	3809.59	0.35 4	7.0 1	av $E\beta=297.3$ 26
(866 7)	3809.19	0.11 1	7.52 5	av $E\beta=297.5$ 26
(897 7)	3777.84	0.046 6	8.0 1	av $E\beta=310.3$ 27
(937 7)	3737.71	0.23 3	7.3 1	av $E\beta=326.7$ 27
(951 7)	3723.7	0.6 2	6.9 2	av $E\beta=332.5$ 27
(963 7)	3711.8	0.010 7	8.7 3	av $E\beta=337.5$ 27
(1052 7)	3623.50	1.26 9	6.77 4	av $E\beta=374.3$ 27
(1055 7)	3620.04	0.09 2	7.9 1	av $E\beta=375.8$ 27
(1058& 7)	3617.08?	0.08 2	8.0 1	av $E\beta=377.0$ 27
(1074 7)	3601.1	0.14 4	7.8 1	av $E\beta=383.8$ 27
(1077 7)	3598.25	0.09 2	8.0 1	av $E\beta=385.0$ 27
(1109 7)	3565.62	0.71 7	7.11 5	av $E\beta=398.8$ 28
(1120& 7)	3554.86?	0.035 4	8.44 5	av $E\beta=403.3$ 28
(1128 7)	3547.48	0.65 4	7.18 3	av $E\beta=406.5$ 28
(1134& 7)	3541.24?	0.08 2	8.1 1	av $E\beta=409.1$ 28
(1158 7)	3516.73	0.89 5	7.09 3	av $E\beta=419.6$ 28
(1173 7)	3501.7	0.013 3	8.9 1	av $E\beta=426.0$ 28
(1209 7)	3465.88	0.53 7	7.4 1	av $E\beta=441.4$ 28
(1220 7)	3455.10	1.73 6	6.88 2	av $E\beta=446.0$ 28
(1256 7)	3418.66	0.07 2	8.3 1	av $E\beta=461.8$ 28
(1271 7)	3403.95	0.33 3	7.67 4	av $E\beta=468.2$ 28
(1274 7)	3401.09	0.22 3	7.9 1	av $E\beta=469.4$ 28
(1281 7)	3394.47	3.7 2	6.63 3	av $E\beta=472.3$ 28
(1309& 7)	3366.0?	0.04 1	8.6 1	av $E\beta=484.7$ 28
(1349 7)	3326.36	3.30 6	6.77 1	av $E\beta=502.0$ 28
(1434 7)	3241.1	0.09 2	8.4 1	av $E\beta=539.4$ 29
(1446 7)	3229.13	0.22 3	8.1 1	av $E\beta=544.7$ 29
(1463 7)	3211.54	10.4 3	6.41 2	av $E\beta=552.5$ 29
				E(decay): 1300 200 (1976He10), 1500 300 (1969Hu07), 1420 100 (1966Gu05).
				$\beta\gamma$ -coin data (1976He10,1969Hu07,1966Gu05). $I\beta=25$ (1966Gu05).
(1466 7)	3208.95	0.33 5	8.8 <sup>1u</sup> 1	av $E\beta=567.1$ 28
(1509 7)	3165.84	0.61 6	7.70 5	av $E\beta=572.7$ 29
(1579& 7)	3095.6?	0.05 $\ddagger$ 2	8.9 <sup>#</sup> 2	av $E\beta=604.0$ 29
(1607 7)	3067.66	0.52 4	8.78 <sup>1u</sup> 4	av $E\beta=628.3$ 28
(1624 7)	3050.92	2.4 1	7.23 2	av $E\beta=624.0$ 29
(1653 7)	3021.71	6.37 8	6.83 1	av $E\beta=637.1$ 29
(1655 7)	3020.42	0.78 5	7.75 3	av $E\beta=637.7$ 29
(1664 7)	3010.9?	0.053 6	8.93 5	av $E\beta=642.0$ 29
(1698 7)	2976.88	0.61 5	7.90 4	av $E\beta=657.3$ 29
(1819& 7)	2856.24?	0.013 $\ddagger$ 6	9.7 <sup>#</sup> 2	av $E\beta=711.9$ 29
(1838 7)	2836.79	0.40 5	8.2 1	av $E\beta=720.7$ 30
(1862& 7)	2813.27	0.07 $\ddagger$ 2	9.0 <sup>#</sup> 1	av $E\beta=731.4$ 30
(1907 7)	2767.62	7.7 1	7.00 1	av $E\beta=752.2$ 30
(1974& 7)	2700.82	0.16 $\ddagger$ 3	8.7 <sup>#</sup> 1	av $E\beta=782.8$ 30

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$^{98}\text{Nb}$   $\beta^-$  decay (51.1 min) 1984Me04 (continued) $\beta^-$  radiations (continued)

<u>E(decay)</u>	<u>E(level)</u>	<u><math>I\beta^{-\dagger@}</math></u>	<u>Log <math>ft</math></u>	<u>Comments</u>
(1996 7)	2678.839	27.9 5	6.52 1	av $E\beta=792.9$ 30 E(decay): 1960 200 (1969Hu07), 1940 100 (1966Gu05). $\beta\gamma$ -coin data (1969Hu07,1966Gu05). $I\beta=29$ (1966Gu05).
(2055& 7)	2620.1	0.07 $\ddagger$ 2	9.2# 1	av $E\beta=819.8$ 30
(2100 7)	2574.67	0.23 5	8.7 1	av $E\beta=840.7$ 30
(2102 7)	2572.99	0.14 3	8.9 1	av $E\beta=841.5$ 30
(2169 7)	2506.34	2.4 2	7.74 4	av $E\beta=872.3$ 30
(2190& 7)	2485.10	0.61 $\ddagger$ 6	8.35# 5	av $E\beta=882.1$ 30
(2255& 7)	2419.61	1.5 $\ddagger$ 1	8.01# 3	av $E\beta=912.4$ 30
(2342& 7)	2333.41	1.3 $\ddagger$ 2	8.1# 1	av $E\beta=952.4$ 30
(2451 7)	2223.823	15.9 2	7.14 1	av $E\beta=1003.4$ 30 E(decay): 2000 200 (1976He10), 2430 200 (1969Hu07), 2320 100 (1966Gu05). $\beta\gamma$ -coin data (1976He10,1969Hu07,1966Gu05). $I\beta=38$ (1966Gu05).
(2570& 7)	2104.74	0.30 $\ddagger$ 10	9.0# 2	av $E\beta=1059.0$ 30
(3165 7)	1510.014	4.4 16	8.2 2	av $E\beta=1339.1$ 31 E(decay): 2900 200, 3000 200 (1976He10); 3140 200 (1969Hu07), 3100 100 (1966Gu05). $\beta\gamma$ -coin data (1976He10,1969Hu07,1966Gu05). $I\beta=8$ (1966Gu05).

$\dagger$  From  $\gamma$ +ce intensity balance at each level.

$\ddagger$  The value obtained from intensity balance is inconsistent with assigned  $\Delta J^\pi$  for the  $\beta$  transition. The apparent  $\beta^-$  feeding is most likely due to the fact that the decay scheme is incomplete, as many transitions are still unplaced.

# Value is too low to be consistent with assigned  $\Delta J^\pi$  values.

@ Absolute intensity per 100 decays.

& Existence of this branch is questionable.

<sup>98</sup>Nb β<sup>-</sup> decay (51.1 min) 1984Me04 (continued)

γ(<sup>98</sup>Mo)

I<sub>γ</sub> normalization: Σ(I(γ+ce) of γ rays to g.s.)=99.9 I. %IT<0.2, and no β<sup>-</sup> decay is expected to g.s. and 735 level. Unplaced γ rays are expected to have negligible effect on the normalization factor.

[Additional information 2.](#)

Based on least-squares fit, possible assignments have been suggested (by evaluators) for unplaced transitions and given under comments only.

<u>E<sub>γ</sub><sup>†</sup></u>	<u>I<sub>γ</sub><sup>a</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>i</sub>(level)</u>	<u>J<sub>i</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>f</sub></u>	<u>J<sub>f</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>Mult.&amp;</u>	<u>δ&amp;</u>	<u>α<sup>b</sup></u>	<u>Comments</u>
86.65 10	0.42 2	2506.34	5 <sup>+</sup>	2419.61	4 <sup>+</sup>				E <sub>γ</sub> : 86.65 in level scheme figure but 86.5 in table (1984Me04).
109.53 10	0.04 1	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>				
146.6 <sup>±e</sup> 3	0.14 5	2767.62	4 <sup>+</sup>	2620.75	5 <sup>-</sup>				
151.8 2	0.02 1	2485.10	3 <sup>+</sup>	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>				
157.88 10	0.41 1	2836.79	6 <sup>+</sup>	2678.839	6 <sup>+</sup>				E <sub>γ</sub> : 157.877 7 (1984Me04), but level energy difference is 157.95.
162.53 15	0.02 1	2506.34	5 <sup>+</sup>	2343.573	6 <sup>+</sup>				
172.44 10	0.87 9	2678.839	6 <sup>+</sup>	2506.34	5 <sup>+</sup>				
172.95 5	1.45 9	2506.34	5 <sup>+</sup>	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>	(M1(+E2))	+0.05 11	0.057 3	α(K)=0.0495 22; α(L)=0.0058 4; α(M)=0.00104 7 α(N)=0.000158 9; α(O)=8.8×10 <sup>-6</sup> 4
177.4 <sup>e</sup> 2	0.014 6	2856.24?	4 <sup>+</sup>	2678.839	6 <sup>+</sup>				
189.0 <sup>d</sup> 3	0.26 <sup>d</sup> 4	3165.84	4 <sup>+</sup>	2976.88	4 <sup>+</sup>				
189.0 <sup>d</sup> 3	0.005 <sup>d</sup> 4	3401.09	4 <sup>+</sup>	3211.54	(4 <sup>+</sup> )				
192.36 <sup>de</sup> 14	<sup>d@</sup>	2813.27	2 <sup>+</sup>	2620.1	3 <sup>+</sup>				
192.36 <sup>d</sup> 14	0.03 <sup>d</sup> 1	3403.95	(5 <sup>-</sup> ,6 <sup>+</sup> )	3211.54	(4 <sup>+</sup> )				
194.1 5	0.02 1	3598.25	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	3403.95	(5 <sup>-</sup> ,6 <sup>+</sup> )				
195.66 10	0.07 1	2419.61	4 <sup>+</sup>	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>				
206.3 5	0.06 4	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>				
<sup>x</sup> 238.8 2	0.02 1								
<sup>x</sup> 247.1 3	0.02 1								
254.05 14	0.02 1	3021.71	4 <sup>+</sup>	2767.62	4 <sup>+</sup>				
259.00 10	0.40 1	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>	(E1)			
<sup>x</sup> 261.4 4	0.02 1								Possible placements: 3809-3547, 3778-3517, 2768-2506.
<sup>x</sup> 269.4 2	0.03 2								Possible placement: 3366-3097.
282.52 10	0.043 7	2506.34	5 <sup>+</sup>	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>				
299.6 <sup>e</sup> 2	0.03 1	2506.34	5 <sup>+</sup>	2206.51	2 <sup>+</sup>	[M3]		0.244	α(K)=0.207 3; α(L)=0.0309 5; α(M)=0.00566 8 α(N)=0.000847 12; α(O)=4.20×10 <sup>-5</sup> 6 Implied mult=M3 makes this low-energy transition questionable.
306.89 <sup>de</sup> 10	<sup>d@</sup>	2813.27	2 <sup>+</sup>	2506.34	5 <sup>+</sup>	[M3]		0.222	α(K)=0.188 3; α(L)=0.0280 4; α(M)=0.00512 8 α(N)=0.000767 11; α(O)=3.82×10 <sup>-5</sup> 6 Implied mult=M3 makes this low-energy transition questionable.

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<sup>98</sup>Nb β<sup>-</sup> decay (51.1 min) 1984Me04 (continued)

γ(<sup>98</sup>Mo) (continued)

$E_\gamma$ †	$I_\gamma$ <sup>a</sup>	$E_i$ (level)	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Mult. &	$\delta$ &	$\alpha$ <sup>b</sup>	Comments
306.89 <sup>d#</sup> 10	0.34 <sup>d</sup> 2	3403.95	(5 <sup>-</sup> ,6 <sup>+</sup> )	3097.08	(7 <sup>-</sup> )				
315.0 2	0.04 1	2419.61	4 <sup>+</sup>	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>				
326.43 13	0.05 1	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>	(M1(+E2))	-0.17 22	0.0111 8	$\alpha(K)=0.0098$ 7; $\alpha(L)=0.00113$ 10; $\alpha(M)=0.000201$ 18
330.37 10	0.12 1	2836.79	6 <sup>+</sup>	2506.34	5 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	-0.24 6	0.01097 25	$\alpha(N)=3.06\times 10^{-5}$ 25; $\alpha(O)=1.71\times 10^{-6}$ 10
335.258 20	10.2 2	2678.839	6 <sup>+</sup>	2343.573	6 <sup>+</sup>	(M1(+E2))	-0.01 1	0.01021	$\alpha(K)=0.00962$ 22; $\alpha(L)=0.00111$ 3; $\alpha(M)=0.000199$ 6
									$\alpha(N)=3.02\times 10^{-5}$ 8; $\alpha(O)=1.69\times 10^{-6}$ 4
									$\alpha(K)=0.00897$ 13; $\alpha(L)=0.001029$ 15;
									$\alpha(M)=0.000184$ 3
									$\alpha(N)=2.80\times 10^{-5}$ 4; $\alpha(O)=1.580\times 10^{-6}$ 23
345.53 10	0.09 2	2678.839	6 <sup>+</sup>	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>				
347.94 10	0.24 2	2767.62	4 <sup>+</sup>	2419.61	4 <sup>+</sup>				
350.78 12	0.05 2	2574.67	4 <sup>+</sup>	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>	(M1(+E2))	-0.13 24		
350.92 10	0.41 2	3516.73	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	3165.84	4 <sup>+</sup>				
380.4 2	0.04 1	2485.10	3 <sup>+</sup>	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>				
399.65 10	0.32 2	3020.42	5 <sup>-</sup>	2620.75	5 <sup>-</sup>	(M1(+E2))	+0.06 15		
401.61		2506.34	5 <sup>+</sup>	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>				$E_\gamma$ : probably from $\gamma\gamma$ (1984Me04).
401.99 10	0.18 2	2419.61	4 <sup>+</sup>	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>				
408.4 <sup>de</sup> 2	<sup>d@</sup>	3809.19	(4,5,6 <sup>+</sup> )	3401.09	4 <sup>+</sup>				
408.4 <sup>d</sup> 2	0.027 <sup>d</sup> 15	3809.59	(4,5 <sup>-</sup> )	3401.09	4 <sup>+</sup>				
415.5 4	0.02 1	3229.13	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2813.27	2 <sup>+</sup>				
434.26 5	1.21 3	2767.62	4 <sup>+</sup>	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>				
<sup>x</sup> 438.9 4	0.03 2								Possible placement: 3843-3404.
443.6 3	0.05 2	3211.54	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2767.62	4 <sup>+</sup>				
446.91 10	0.41 3	3067.66	(3 <sup>-</sup> )	2620.75	5 <sup>-</sup>				
448.2 2	0.05 2	2206.51	2 <sup>+</sup>	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>				
455.04 10	0.88 3	2678.839	6 <sup>+</sup>	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>				
465.5 2	0.06 2	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>				
467.0 9	0.008 7	2485.10	3 <sup>+</sup>	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>				
469.90 <sup>e</sup> 14	0.09 2	2813.27	2 <sup>+</sup>	2343.573	6 <sup>+</sup>	[E4]			This $\gamma$ , seen in $\beta^-$ decay (51.1 min), is questionable in view of unlikely mult=E4 involved.
476.35 10	0.11 2	3097.08	(7 <sup>-</sup> )	2620.75	5 <sup>-</sup>	(E2)			
<sup>x</sup> 481.00 12	0.11 2								Coin with 722 $\gamma$ , 787 $\gamma$ , 833 $\gamma$ , 1066 $\gamma$ . Possible placement: 3502-3020.
493.18 10	0.12 3	2836.79	6 <sup>+</sup>	2343.573	6 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	-0.29 15		
507.8 3	0.06 3	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>				
<sup>x</sup> 509.4	<0.3								Possible placements: 3964-3455, 3366-2856.
512 1	0.6 2	3723.7	4 <sup>+</sup>	3211.54	(4 <sup>+</sup> )				
514.78 13	0.20 6	3565.62	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	3050.92	4 <sup>+</sup>				
<sup>x</sup> 523.3 3	0.07 3								Placement 3723-3211 (1984Me04) is incorrect. Possible placement: 2856-2333.
530.42 14	0.13 4	3208.95	(4 <sup>+</sup> ,5 <sup>-</sup> )	2678.839	6 <sup>+</sup>				
543.83 10	0.58 3	2767.62	4 <sup>+</sup>	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>				

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<sup>98</sup>Nb β<sup>-</sup> decay (51.1 min) **1984Me04** (continued)

γ(<sup>98</sup>Mo) (continued)

<u>E<sub>γ</sub><sup>†</sup></u>	<u>I<sub>γ</sub><sup>a</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>i</sub>(level)</u>	<u>J<sub>i</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>f</sub></u>	<u>J<sub>f</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>Mult.&amp;</u>	<u>δ&amp;</u>	<u>I<sub>(γ+ce)</sub><sup>a</sup></u>	<u>Comments</u>
544.5 4	0.10 3	3050.92	4 <sup>+</sup>	2506.34	5 <sup>+</sup>				
555.3 2	0.03 2	2572.99	3	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>				
557.5 1	0.13 2	2574.67	4 <sup>+</sup>	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>				
561.21	0.07	2767.62	4 <sup>+</sup>	2206.51	2 <sup>+</sup>				
562.3	0.10	3241.1	(4 <sup>+</sup> to 7)	2678.839	6 <sup>+</sup>				
<sup>x</sup> 569.1 <sup>‡</sup> 3	0.27 5								Possible placements: 3778-3209, 3620-3051.
572.6 5	0.07 4	3623.50	4 <sup>+</sup>	3050.92	4 <sup>+</sup>				
575.06 10	0.26 3	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>				
585.40	<0.004	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>	[E1]			
590.90 <sup>#</sup> 10	0.38 3	3211.54	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2620.75	5 <sup>-</sup>				
594.66 13	0.07 2	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>				
603.28 10	0.57 3	2620.75	5 <sup>-</sup>	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>	(E2)			
631.4 2	0.05 2	3050.92	4 <sup>+</sup>	2419.61	4 <sup>+</sup>				
<sup>x</sup> 637.5 5	0.05 2								Possible placement: 4103-3466.
644.847 20	6.0 2	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	E2+M1	+1.69 16		
661.15 19	0.38 5	2419.61	4 <sup>+</sup>	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>	(E2)			
662.89 15	0.18 5	2767.62	4 <sup>+</sup>	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>				
672.59 10	0.66 5	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	+5.8 9		
676.87 10	0.11 2	3020.42	5 <sup>-</sup>	2343.573	6 <sup>+</sup>	(E1)			
679.68 10	0.11 2	3516.73	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2836.79	6 <sup>+</sup>				
688.23 10	0.32 2	3021.71	4 <sup>+</sup>	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>				
696.5	≤0.005	2206.51	2 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>				
697.38 10	0.30 2	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>	734.73	0 <sup>+</sup>	(E2)			
705.5 2	0.04 2	3211.54	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2506.34	5 <sup>+</sup>				
713.817 20	9.8 2	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	+1.13 17		
715.6 3	0.3 2	3394.47	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2678.839	6 <sup>+</sup>				
717.5 3	0.30 6	3050.92	4 <sup>+</sup>	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>	[E2]			
722.626 20	79.0 16	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	E2			
726.83 10	0.10 3	2485.10	3 <sup>+</sup>	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>				
734.74 10		734.73	0 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>	E0		1.40 8	ce(K)/(γ+ce)=0.843 (1024γ)(735ce) coin (1969Hu07). E <sub>γ</sub> : from level difference. I <sub>(γ+ce)</sub> : from I(γ+ce)(697γ+1024γ+1282γ). No β <sup>-</sup> decay is expected to 735 state.
746.28 12	0.08 2	3165.84	4 <sup>+</sup>	2419.61	4 <sup>+</sup>				
750.1 2	0.03 1	2767.62	4 <sup>+</sup>	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>				
753.0	0.010 5	2976.88	4 <sup>+</sup>	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>				E <sub>γ</sub> : based on branching ratios for 3097 level in (α,2nγ), 2016Th01 proposed interchanging the placements of 753.0γ and 753.19γ, i.e. former from 2976 level, and the latter from 3097 level.
753.19 14	0.08 1	3097.08	(7 <sup>-</sup> )	2343.573	6 <sup>+</sup>	(E1)			E <sub>γ</sub> : based on branching ratios for 3097 level in (α,2nγ), 2016Th01 proposed interchanging the placements of 753.0γ

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<sup>98</sup>Nb β<sup>-</sup> decay (51.1 min) 1984Me04 (continued)

γ(<sup>98</sup>Mo) (continued)

<u>E<sub>γ</sub><sup>†</sup></u>	<u>I<sub>γ</sub><sup>a</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>i</sub>(level)</u>	<u>J<sub>i</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>f</sub></u>	<u>J<sub>f</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>Mult.&amp;</u>	<u>δ&amp;</u>	<u>Comments</u>
								and 753.19γ, i.e. former from 2976 level, and the latter from 3097 level.
773.7 2	0.09 2	3394.47	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2620.75	5 <sup>-</sup>			
774.3	<0.02	2206.51	2 <sup>+</sup>	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>			
787.363 20	100	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>	E2		α(N)=3.74×10 <sup>-6</sup> 6; α(O)=2.05×10 <sup>-7</sup> 3
791.646 20	8.38 5	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>	(E2)		
791.98 15	0.26 5	3211.54	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2419.61	4 <sup>+</sup>			
797.88 10	0.64 3	3021.71	4 <sup>+</sup>	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>			
814.8 3	0.04 2	2572.99	3	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>	D(+Q)	+0.10 10	
815.5 3	0.04 2	3021.71	4 <sup>+</sup>	2206.51	2 <sup>+</sup>			
819.95 10	0.28 2	3326.36	4 <sup>+</sup>	2506.34	5 <sup>+</sup>			
823.39 5	2.70 6	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	-0.388 7	
833.556 20	11.6 4	2343.573	6 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>	E2		
843.82 10	0.15 2	3067.66	(3 <sup>-</sup> )	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 856.7 3	0.04 2							Possible placement: 3623-2768.
862.40 <sup>e</sup> 14	0.09 2	3541.24?		2678.839	6 <sup>+</sup>			
878.07 10	0.77 3	3211.54	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>			
885.58 10	0.16 2	3229.13	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2343.573	6 <sup>+</sup>			
887.0 5	0.03 2	3723.7	4 <sup>+</sup>	2836.79	6 <sup>+</sup>			
900.97 10	0.11 2	3737.71	4 <sup>+</sup>	2836.79	6 <sup>+</sup>			
906.86 10	0.60 2	3326.36	4 <sup>+</sup>	2419.61	4 <sup>+</sup>			
909.67 5	1.37 3	2419.61	4 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	-0.64 10	
<sup>x</sup> 912.8 4	0.04 2							Coin with 679γ. Possible placement: 3419-2506.
917.05 13	0.07 2	3021.71	4 <sup>+</sup>	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 920.2 3	0.07 3							Coin with 1230γ. Possible placements: 3541-2621, 2679-1758.
922.3 4	0.07 3	3601.1	(4 <sup>+</sup> ,5,6)	2678.839	6 <sup>+</sup>			
944.6 5	0.05 2	3623.50	4 <sup>+</sup>	2678.839	6 <sup>+</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 946.7 5	0.06 2							Possible placements: 3366-2420, 3051-2105.
<sup>x</sup> 958.2 5	0.22 4							
959.8 5	0.16 5	3465.88	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2506.34	5 <sup>+</sup>			
970.86 10	0.66 3	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	-0.97 14	
975.02 14	0.10 1	2485.10	3 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	-0.9 +6-16	
<sup>x</sup> 983.5 4	0.03 2							Possible placement: 3326-2344.
985.2 4	0.08 2	3208.95	(4 <sup>+</sup> ,5 <sup>-</sup> )	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>			
987.47 10	0.45 3	2419.61	4 <sup>+</sup>	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>			
992.88 5	1.18 3	3326.36	4 <sup>+</sup>	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>			
996.30 5	2.22 4	2506.34	5 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	-0.96 10	
1002.9 2	0.10 4	3020.42	5 <sup>-</sup>	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>	(E2)		
1004.31 10	0.10 4	3021.71	4 <sup>+</sup>	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>			
1009.3 1	0.05 4	2767.62	4 <sup>+</sup>	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>			
1023.7 1	1.09 7	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>	734.73	0 <sup>+</sup>	E2		
1035.5 3	0.04 2	3455.10	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2419.61	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1048.70 10	0.26 3	3623.50	4 <sup>+</sup>	2574.67	4 <sup>+</sup>			

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<sup>98</sup>Nb β<sup>-</sup> decay (51.1 min) 1984Me04 (continued)

γ(<sup>98</sup>Mo) (continued)

E <sub>γ</sub> <sup>†</sup>	I <sub>γ</sub> <sup>a</sup>	E <sub>i</sub> (level)	J <sub>i</sub> <sup>π</sup>	E <sub>f</sub>	J <sub>f</sub> <sup>π</sup>	Mult. &	δ&	Comments
1052.95 10	0.12 2	2485.10	3 <sup>+</sup>	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	-0.97 +27-36	
1057.62 <sup>#</sup> 10	0.26 2	3401.09	4 <sup>+</sup>	2343.573	6 <sup>+</sup>			I <sub>γ</sub> : could be partly sum line (722+335) also (evaluators).
1061.25 <sup>c</sup> 13	0.11 <sup>c</sup> 1	3165.84	4 <sup>+</sup>	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>			
1061.25 <sup>c</sup> 13	0.11 <sup>c</sup> 1	3394.47	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1063.0 2	0.33 2	2574.67	4 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	-2.7 +8-15	E <sub>γ</sub> : poor fit. Level-energy difference=1064.7. Possible placement: 4076-3011.
<sup>x</sup> 1065 1	0.04 1							Possible placements: 3096-2017, 2837-1758.
<sup>x</sup> 1078.2 4	0.02 1							
1097.2 2	0.02 1	3516.73	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2419.61	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1102.66 10	0.51 2	3326.36	4 <sup>+</sup>	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1106.8 4	0.04 2	3211.54	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>			
1110.76 10	0.86 2	2620.75	5 <sup>-</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>	(E1)		
<sup>x</sup> 1111.5 2	0.17 5							Coin with 714γ.
1117.1 2	0.08 3	3623.50	4 <sup>+</sup>	2506.34	5 <sup>+</sup>			
1121.6 3	0.10 5	3455.10	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1122.32 10	0.19 5	3465.88	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2343.573	6 <sup>+</sup>			
1142.2 <sup>e</sup> 3	0.04 1	3366.0?		2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1168.827 20	19.1 4	2678.839	6 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>	(E2)		
1183.6 2	0.03 1	3516.73	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1187.1 <sup>e</sup> 5	0.03 2	2620.1	3 <sup>+</sup>	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	-1.0 +10-5	
1189.3 3	0.10 3	3809.59	(4,5 <sup>-</sup> )	2620.75	5 <sup>-</sup>			
1190.8 <sup>c</sup> 2	0.14 <sup>c</sup> 3	2700.82	2 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1190.8 <sup>c</sup> 2	0.14 <sup>c</sup> 3	3208.95	(4 <sup>+</sup> ,5 <sup>-</sup> )	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>			
1194.02 10	0.53 3	3211.54	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 1199.2 <sup>‡</sup> 4	0.14 5							
1204.15 16	0.09 2	3547.48	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2343.573	6 <sup>+</sup>			
1213.30 <sup>#e</sup> 15	0.10 2	3547.48	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>			E <sub>γ</sub> : poor fit. Level-energy difference=1214.1.
1221.75 10	0.25 2	3326.36	4 <sup>+</sup>	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>			
1230.15 5	1.52 4	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	(E1)		
1254.69 16	0.08 2	3598.25	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2343.573	6 <sup>+</sup>			
1257.2	0.08 2	3601.1	(4 <sup>+</sup> ,5,6)	2343.573	6 <sup>+</sup>			
1257.59 5	1.00 4	2767.62	4 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1263.36 11	0.13 2	3021.71	4 <sup>+</sup>	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>			
1268.6 3	0.07 2	3947.4	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2678.839	6 <sup>+</sup>			
1273.5 <sup>e</sup> 2	0.08 2	3617.08?		2343.573	6 <sup>+</sup>			
1282.78	≤0.02	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>	734.73	0 <sup>+</sup>	[E3]		
1285.4 3	0.05 2	3964.28	(4 <sup>+</sup> ,5,6)	2678.839	6 <sup>+</sup>			
1289.98 15	0.11 2	3394.47	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>			
1291.4 4	0.08 4	3623.50	4 <sup>+</sup>	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>			E <sub>γ</sub> : poor fit. Level-energy difference=1290.1.
1308.9 2	0.08 2	3326.36	4 <sup>+</sup>	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>			
1310.1 2	0.13 2	3516.73	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2206.51	2 <sup>+</sup>			
1317.33 10	0.85 3	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	+3.1 6	
1323.99 10	0.28 2	3547.48	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>			E <sub>γ</sub> : poor fit. Level-energy difference=1323.66.

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<sup>98</sup>Nb β<sup>-</sup> decay (51.1 min) 1984Me04 (continued)

γ(<sup>98</sup>Mo) (continued)

<u>E<sub>γ</sub><sup>†</sup></u>	<u>I<sub>γ</sub><sup>a</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>i</sub>(level)</u>	<u>J<sub>i</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>f</sub></u>	<u>J<sub>f</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>Mult.&amp;</u>	<u>δ&amp;</u>	<u>Comments</u>
1326.7	0.03 2	2836.79	6 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1335.45 5	1.33 2	2767.62	4 <sup>+</sup>	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>			
1341.74 10	0.42 2	3565.62	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 1356.7 5	0.02 1							Possible placement: 3843-2485.
<sup>x</sup> 1360.1 4	0.02 1							Possible placement: 3466-2105.
<sup>x</sup> 1370	<0.005							
<sup>x</sup> 1373.2 3	0.06 1							Possible placement: 3947-2575.
1377.5 <sup>c</sup> 5	0.03 <sup>c</sup> 2	3394.47	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>			Placement from 1976Si04.
1377.5 <sup>c</sup> 5	0.03 <sup>c</sup> 2	3998.59	5 <sup>-</sup>	2620.75	5 <sup>-</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 1386.82 10	0.27 2							Coin with 195γ, 481γ, 530γ, 722γ, 787γ, 922γ, 1057γ.
1389.8 4	0.04 1	3723.7	4 <sup>+</sup>	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1394.07 10	0.14 2	3737.71	4 <sup>+</sup>	2343.573	6 <sup>+</sup>			
1399.83 17	0.08 1	3623.50	4 <sup>+</sup>	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1407.5 1	0.14 3	3165.84	4 <sup>+</sup>	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>			
1417.0 4	0.11 3	3623.50	4 <sup>+</sup>	2206.51	2 <sup>+</sup>			
1419.07 10	0.35 5	2206.51	2 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	-0.33 11	
1432.175 20	5.32 5	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>	E2		
1436.42 5	2.70 4	2223.823	4 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	(E2)		
1442.6 3	0.06 2	3547.48	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>			
1461.0 2	0.06 2	3565.62	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>			
1466.79 10	0.90 3	2976.88	4 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>	(M1(+E2))	+0.05 17	
1499.3 5	0.04 2	3516.73	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>			
1510.43 <sup>e</sup>	≤0.3	3020.42	5 <sup>-</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1511.68 2	5.16 5	3021.71	4 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1515.5 2	0.08 2	3620.04	(3 <sup>-</sup> ,4)	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>			
1518.79 10	0.19 2	3623.50	4 <sup>+</sup>	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 1532.9 7	0.013 9							
1540.92 5	2.10 4	3050.92	4 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>	(M1(+E2))	-0.20 27	
1546.03 5	4.21 8	2333.41	4 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	(E2)		
1568.17 15	0.10 2	3326.36	4 <sup>+</sup>	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 1580.0 9	0.010 8							Possible placements: 3598-2017, 3011-1432.
1585.6 <sup>e</sup> 2	0.05 2	3095.6?	2 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1589.62 10	0.15 1	3021.71	4 <sup>+</sup>	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>			
1602.0 4	0.02 1	3620.04	(3 <sup>-</sup> ,4)	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 1610.5 3	0.15 2							
1618.75 11	0.24 3	3050.92	4 <sup>+</sup>	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>	[E2]		I <sub>γ</sub> : 0.08 3 (1976Si04).
1620.70 11	0.20 4	3964.28	(4 <sup>+</sup> ,5,6)	2343.573	6 <sup>+</sup>			I <sub>γ</sub> : 0.08 3 (1976Si04).
1632.17 10	0.82 3	2419.61	4 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>			
1636.0 2	0.12 1	3394.47	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>			
1655.87 10	0.37 2	3165.84	4 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 1690.3 3	0.02 1							I <sub>γ</sub> : other: 0.10 3 (1976Si04).
1697.2 2	0.26 4	2485.10	3 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	-0.52 13	
1701.503 20	9.5 1	3211.54	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			

<sup>98</sup>Nb β<sup>-</sup> decay (51.1 min) 1984Me04 (continued)

γ(<sup>98</sup>Mo) (continued)

<u>E<sub>γ</sub><sup>†</sup></u>	<u>I<sub>γ</sub><sup>a</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>i</sub>(level)</u>	<u>J<sub>i</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>f</sub></u>	<u>J<sub>f</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>Mult.&amp;</u>	<u>δ&amp;</u>	<u>Comments</u>
1718.9	0.06 1	3229.13	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1758.46 12	0.06 1	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>	[E2]		
1758.7	0.05 1	3516.73	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	1758.36	2 <sup>+</sup>			E <sub>γ</sub> , I <sub>γ</sub> : from γγ.
1785.66 14	0.08 1	2572.99	3	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	D(+Q)	+0.01 6	
1792.05 10	0.25 2	3809.59	(4,5 <sup>-</sup> )	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>			
1816.37 10	0.47 2	3326.36	4 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1833.0 3	0.04 1	2620.1	3 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	M1+E2	-0.54 13	
<sup>x</sup> 1847.7 4	0.02 1							
1877.3 4	0.03 2	3981.78	3 <sup>-</sup>	2104.74	3 <sup>+</sup>			
1884.40 5	3.09 3	3394.47	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1908.6 2	0.06 2	3418.66	4 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1913.4 4	0.03 1	2700.82	2 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	(M1(+E2))	-0.14 14	
1945.01 5	1.48 2	3455.10	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
1955.82 <sup>#</sup> 10	0.22 2	3465.88	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			I <sub>γ</sub> : could be partly sum line (1169+787) also (evaluators).
1980.17 5	3.47 3	2767.62	4 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	(E2)		
<sup>x</sup> 2000.4 5	0.02 1							
2006.6 3	0.12 2	3516.73	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
2017.48 10	0.32 2	2017.49	3 <sup>-</sup>	0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>	[E3]		
2023.05 10	0.16 1	3455.10	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>			
2037.39 10	0.081 8	3547.48	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 2051.6 6	0.02 1							Possible placement: 3809-1758.
2055.5 4	0.08 2	3565.62	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 2082.9 1	0.040 8							
<sup>x</sup> 2095.0 7	0.008 4							
2113.41 10	0.34 4	3623.50	4 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 2116.9 3	0.03 1							
<sup>x</sup> 2127.6 <sup>‡</sup> 5	0.08 3							Possible placement: 3566-1432.
<sup>x</sup> 2133.0 3	0.022 8							
<sup>x</sup> 2183.0 9	0.009 6							
2189.4 5	0.010 5	2976.88	4 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	[E2]		
2191.1 5	0.046 7	3623.50	4 <sup>+</sup>	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>			
2201.8 7	0.011 7	3711.8	5 <sup>-</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
2206.5	≤0.006	2206.51	2 <sup>+</sup>	0.0	0 <sup>+</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 2209.1 <sup>‡</sup> 7	0.04 2							
<sup>x</sup> 2214.9 5	0.012 5							
2223.5 <sup>e</sup> 2	0.057 6	3010.9?		787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>			
2234.31 10	0.19 1	3021.71	4 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>			
2263.0 2	0.039 7	3050.92	4 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	[E2]		
2267.8 1	0.049 6	3777.84	4 <sup>+</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
2299.10 10	0.12 1	3809.19	(4,5,6 <sup>+</sup> )	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
<sup>x</sup> 2327.8 4	0.03 1							
2332.7 <sup>e</sup> 2	0.055 11	3842.7?	(4,5,6 <sup>+</sup> )	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>			
2378.29 10	0.106 7	3165.84	4 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>			

<sup>98</sup>Nb β<sup>-</sup> decay (51.1 min) 1984Me04 (continued)

γ(<sup>98</sup>Mo) (continued)

<u>E<sub>γ</sub><sup>†</sup></u>	<u>I<sub>γ</sub><sup>a</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>i</sub>(level)</u>	<u>J<sub>i</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>E<sub>f</sub></u>	<u>J<sub>f</sub><sup>π</sup></u>	<u>Comments</u>
<sup>x</sup> 2396.5 4	0.017 6					
2424.1 <sup>‡e</sup> 3	0.15 5	3211.54	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	
<sup>x</sup> 2433.0 <sup>‡</sup> 8	0.08 4					
2471.72 10	0.10 1	3981.78	3 <sup>-</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>	
2488.55 10	0.10 1	3998.59	5 <sup>-</sup>	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>	I <sub>γ</sub> : sum line 1701+787 also.
2538.91 10	0.066 6	3326.36	4 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	
2550.54 <sup>e</sup> 12	0.040 7	4060.59?	(4,5,6 <sup>+</sup> )	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>	
2566.35 10	0.049 7	4076.40	(4,5,6 <sup>+</sup> )	1510.014	4 <sup>+</sup>	
2607.03 10	0.110 6	3394.47	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	
2631.3 3	0.012 4	3418.66	4 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	
2667.75 10	0.069 6	3455.10	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	
2671.1 2	0.03 1	4103.3?	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	1432.183	2 <sup>+</sup>	
2714.3 3	0.014 3	3501.7	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	
2730.9 3	0.04 1	3516.73	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	E <sub>γ</sub> : poor fit. Level-energy difference=2729.4.
2760.02 10	0.083 4	3547.48	(4 <sup>+</sup> )	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	
2767.45 <sup>e</sup> 11	0.037 4	3554.86?		787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	
2836.21 11	0.050 5	3623.50	4 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	
2936.8 5	0.006 2	3723.7	4 <sup>+</sup>	787.369	2 <sup>+</sup>	
<sup>x</sup> 2980.5 9	0.002 1					
<sup>x</sup> 3027.8 6	0.004 2					
<sup>x</sup> 3103.8 2	0.015 2					
<sup>x</sup> 3151.1 5	0.008 3					
<sup>x</sup> 3325.4 14	0.00010 8					

<sup>†</sup> The uncertainties on some of the transitions have been increased (by evaluators) as suggested by the least-squares fitting procedure. The revised minimum uncertainties, based on expected statistical errors only (not on actual positions of the peaks in the γ-ray spectra) are 0.020 for I<sub>γ</sub>>5, 0.050 for I<sub>γ</sub>=1 to 5 and 0.10 for I<sub>γ</sub><1.

<sup>‡</sup> From 1976Si04 only; treated as uncertain (evaluators).

# Not reported by 1976Si04. Treated as uncertain (evaluators) since intensity given by 1984Me04 should have been detected by 1976Si04.

@ Only a small fraction of the intensity may belong here.

& From Adopted Gammas.

<sup>a</sup> For absolute intensity per 100 decays, multiply by 0.9307 16.

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

<sup>c</sup> Multiply placed with undivided intensity.

<sup>d</sup> Multiply placed with intensity suitably divided.

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

<sup>x</sup> γ ray not placed in level scheme.

<sup>98</sup>Nb β<sup>-</sup> decay (51.1 min) 1984Me04

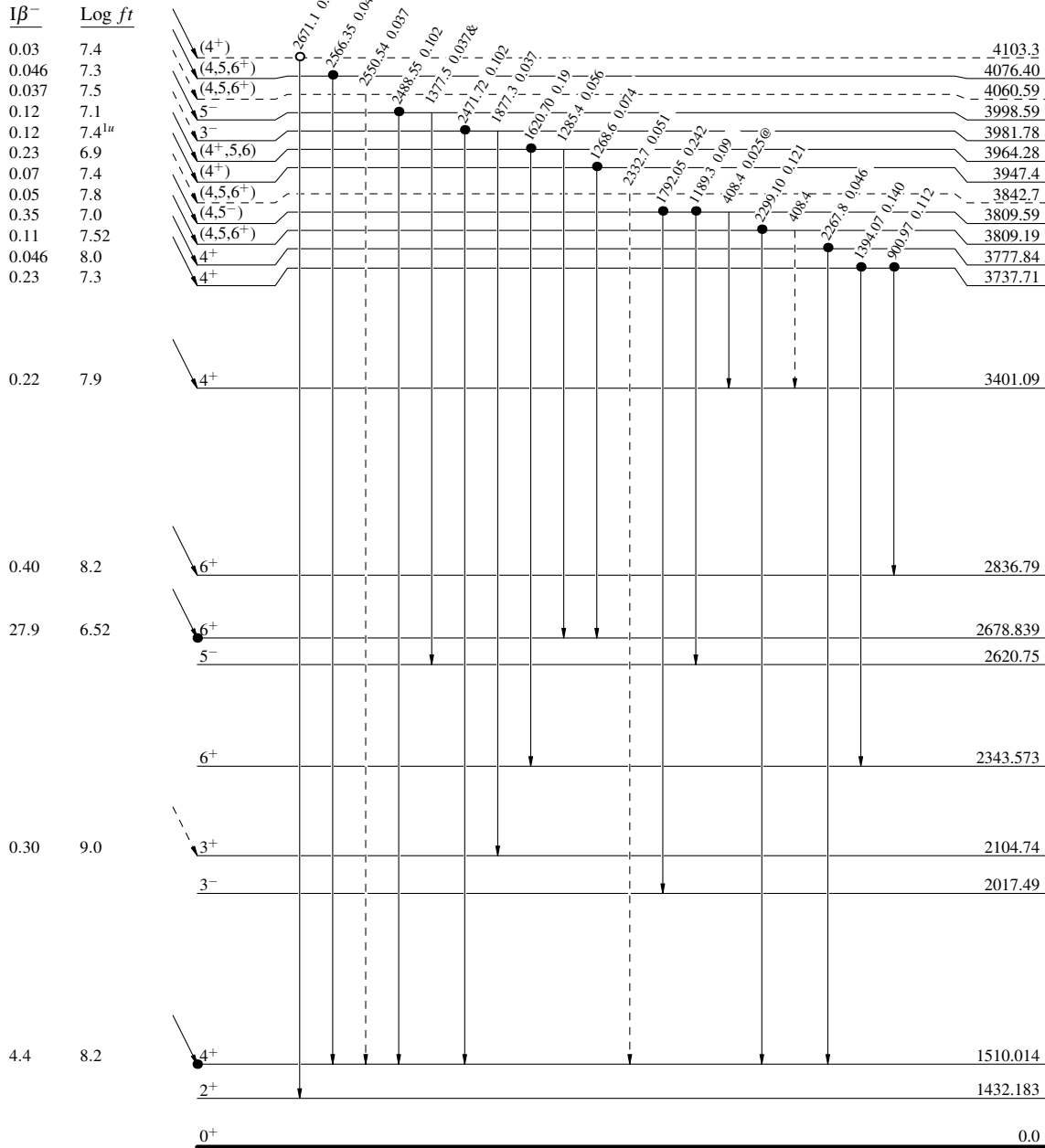
Decay Scheme

Intensities: I<sub>(γ+ce)</sub> per 100 parent decays  
& Multiply placed: undivided intensity given  
@ Multiply placed: intensity suitably divided

Legend

- I<sub>γ</sub> < 2% × I<sub>γ</sub><sup>max</sup>
- I<sub>γ</sub> < 10% × I<sub>γ</sub><sup>max</sup>
- I<sub>γ</sub> > 10% × I<sub>γ</sub><sup>max</sup>
- - - - - γ Decay (Uncertain)
- Coincidence
- Coincidence (Uncertain)

(5)<sup>+</sup> 84 51.1 min 4  
 Q<sub>β</sub> = 4591.5  
 %β<sup>-</sup> = 100.0  
<sup>98</sup>Nb<sub>57</sub>



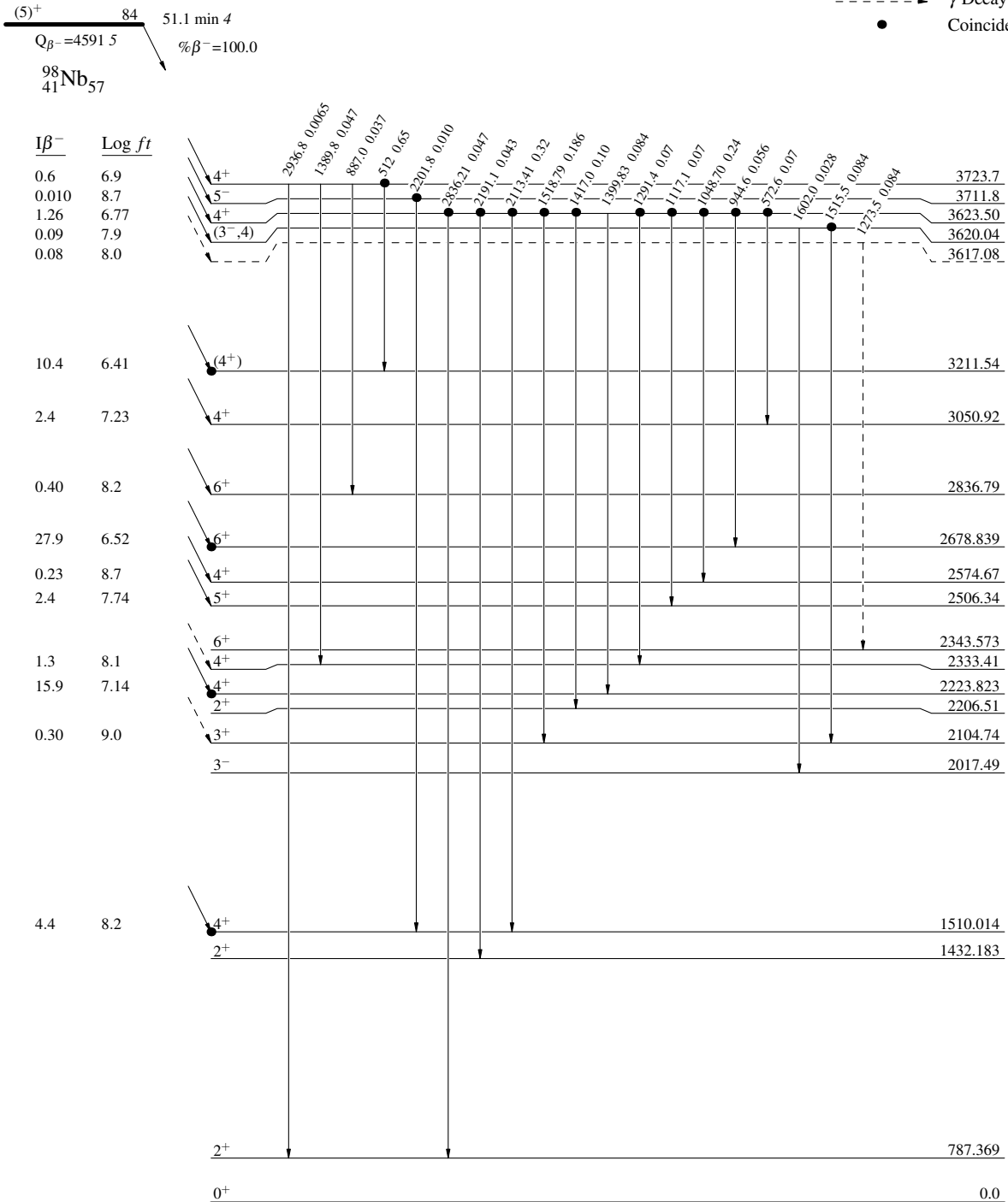
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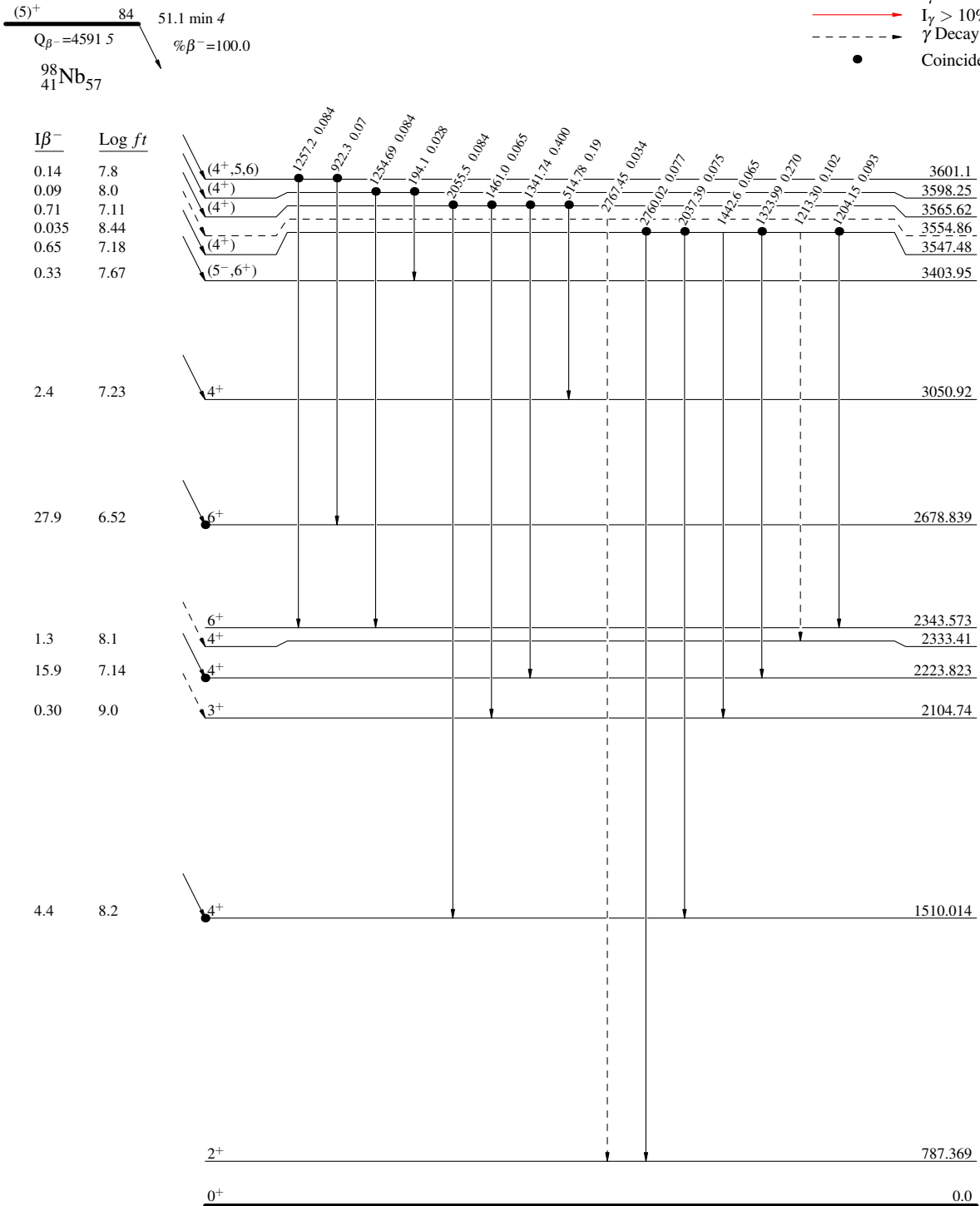
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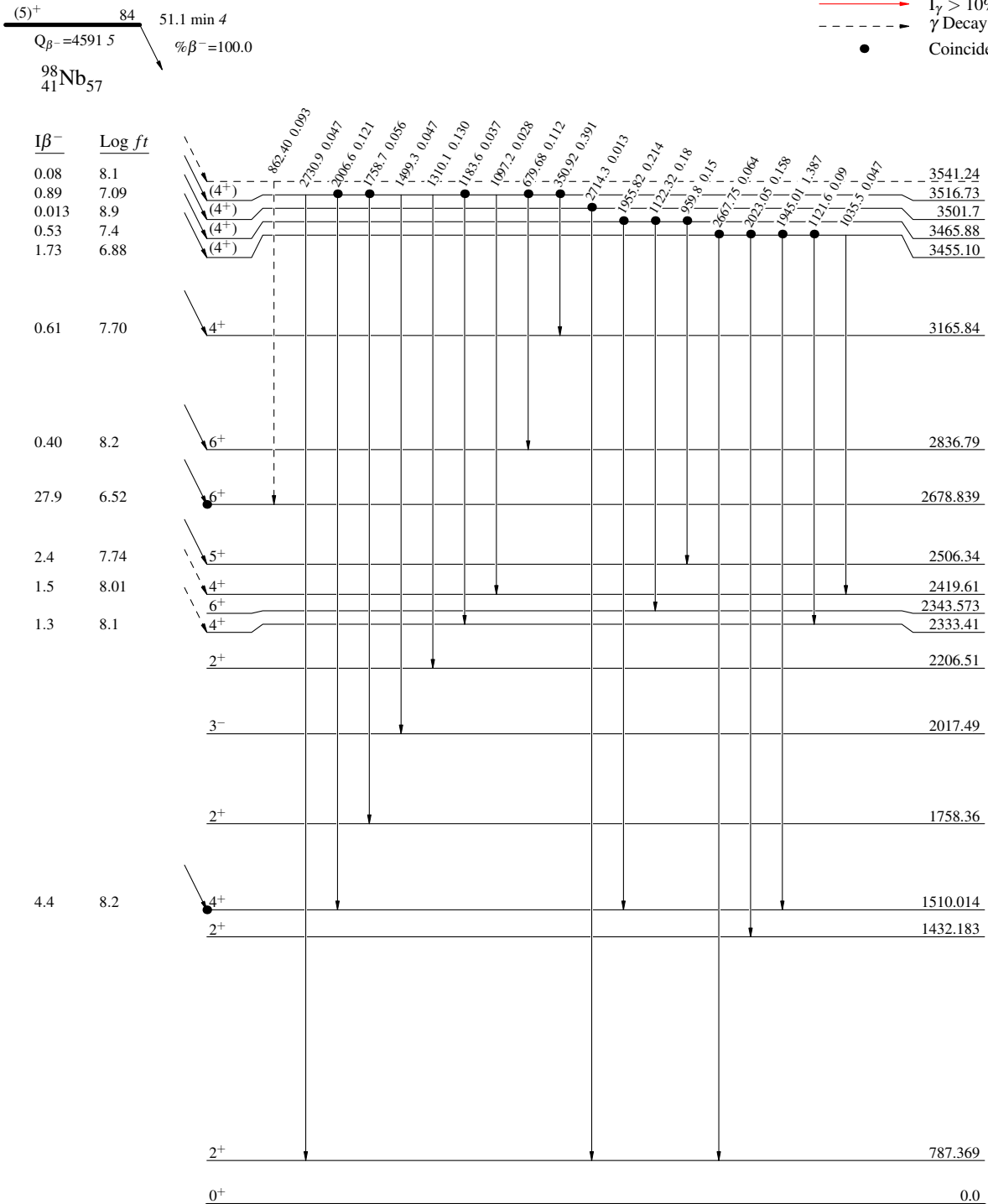
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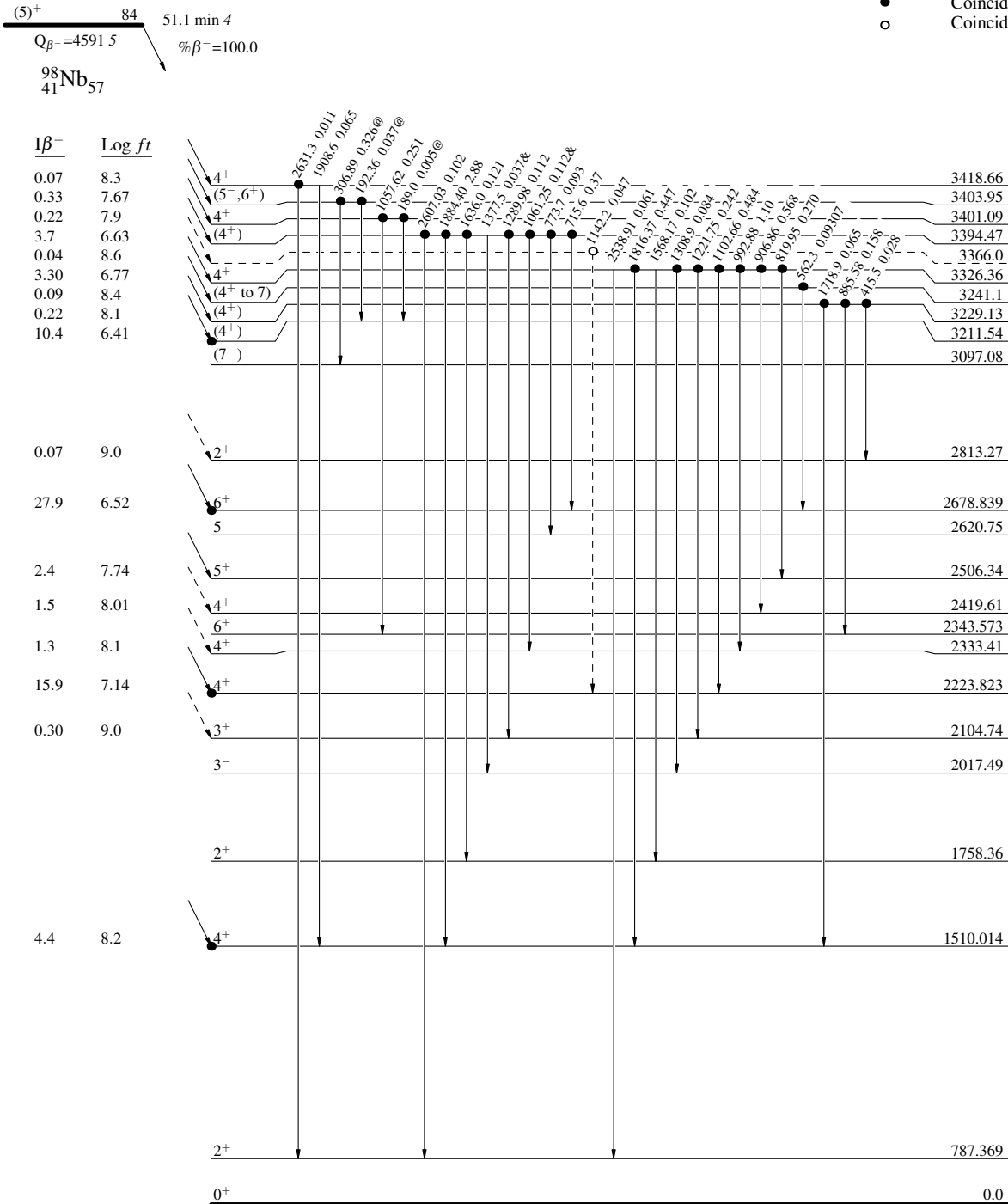
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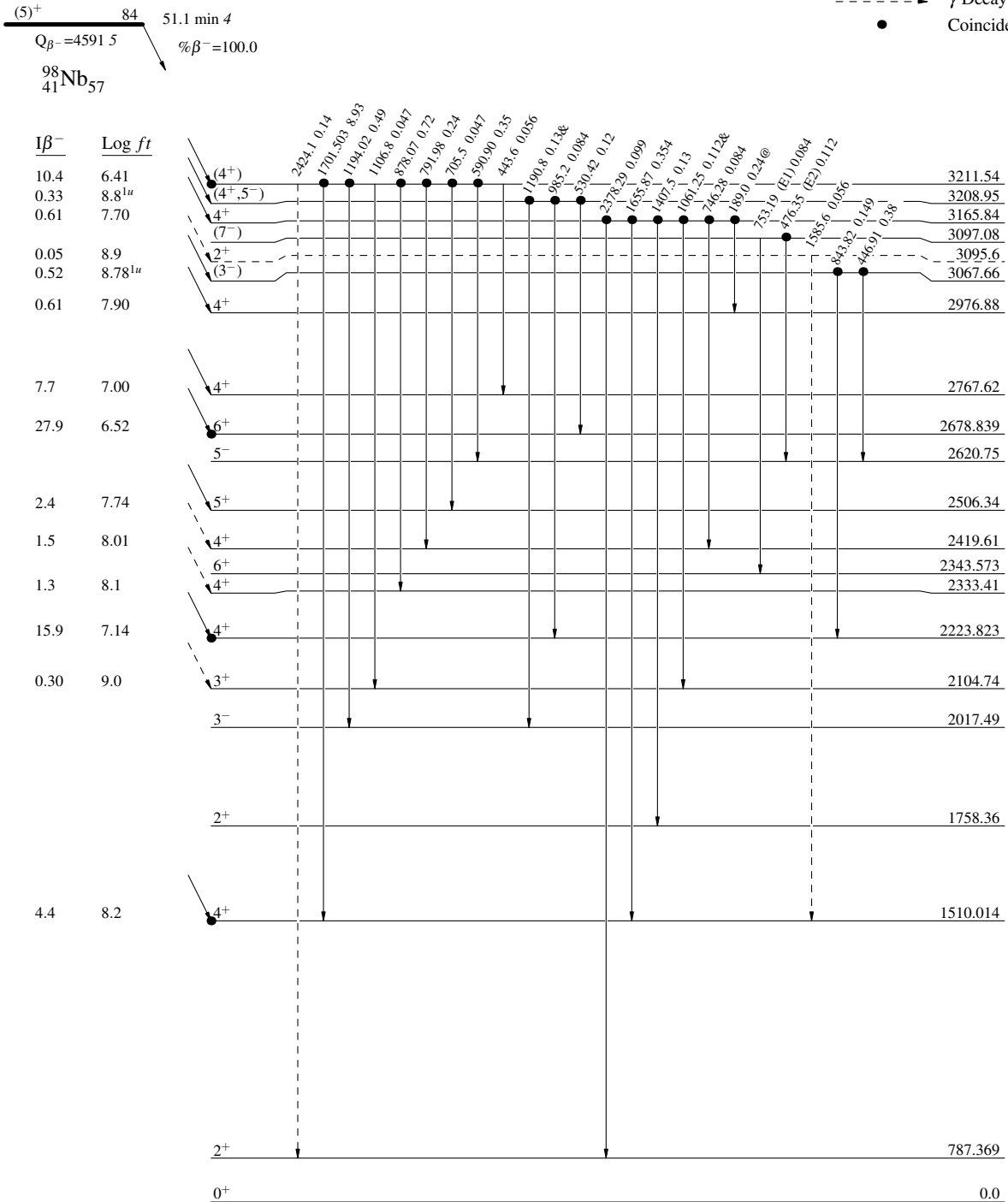
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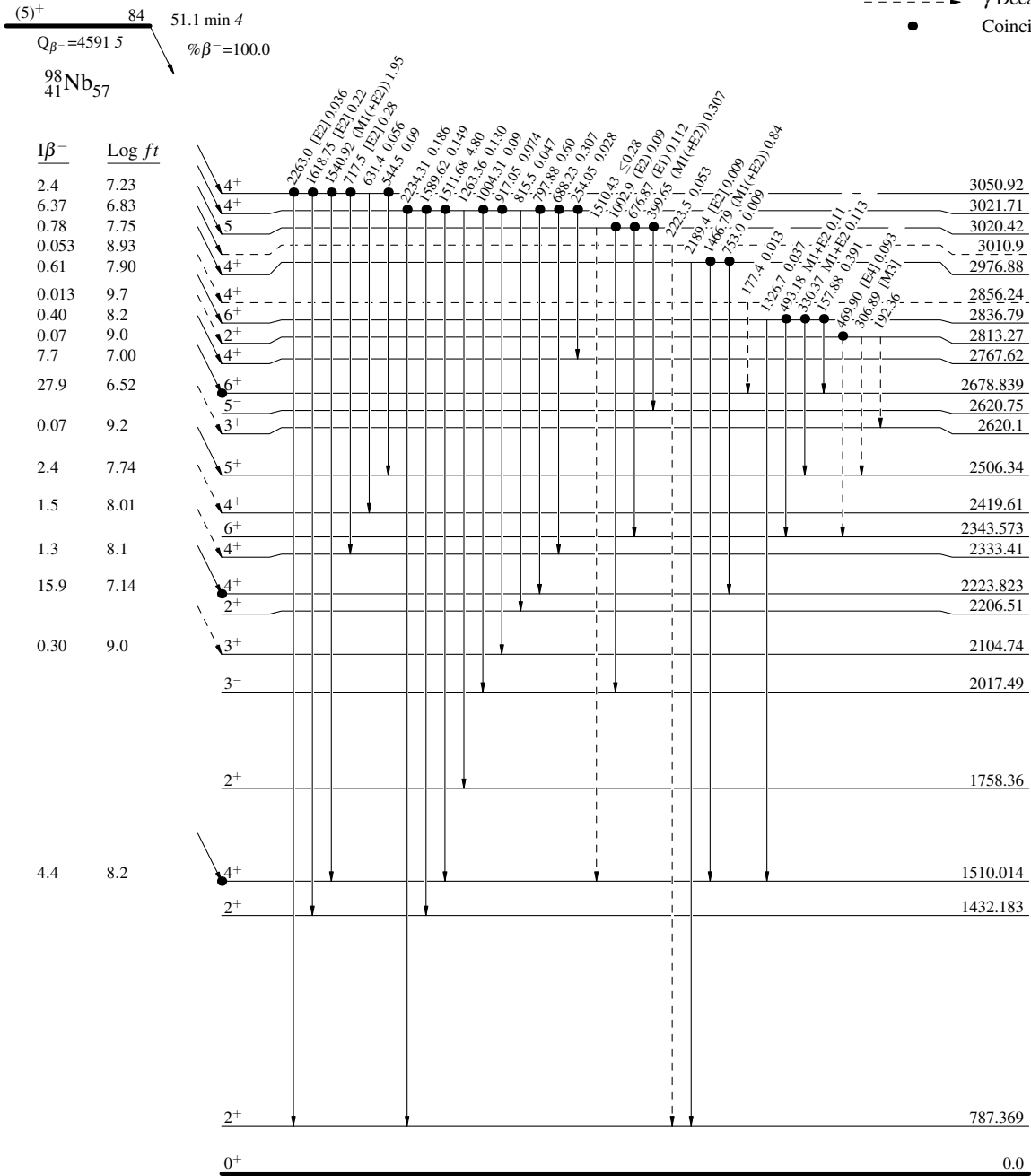
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<sup>98</sup>Mo<sub>56</sub>

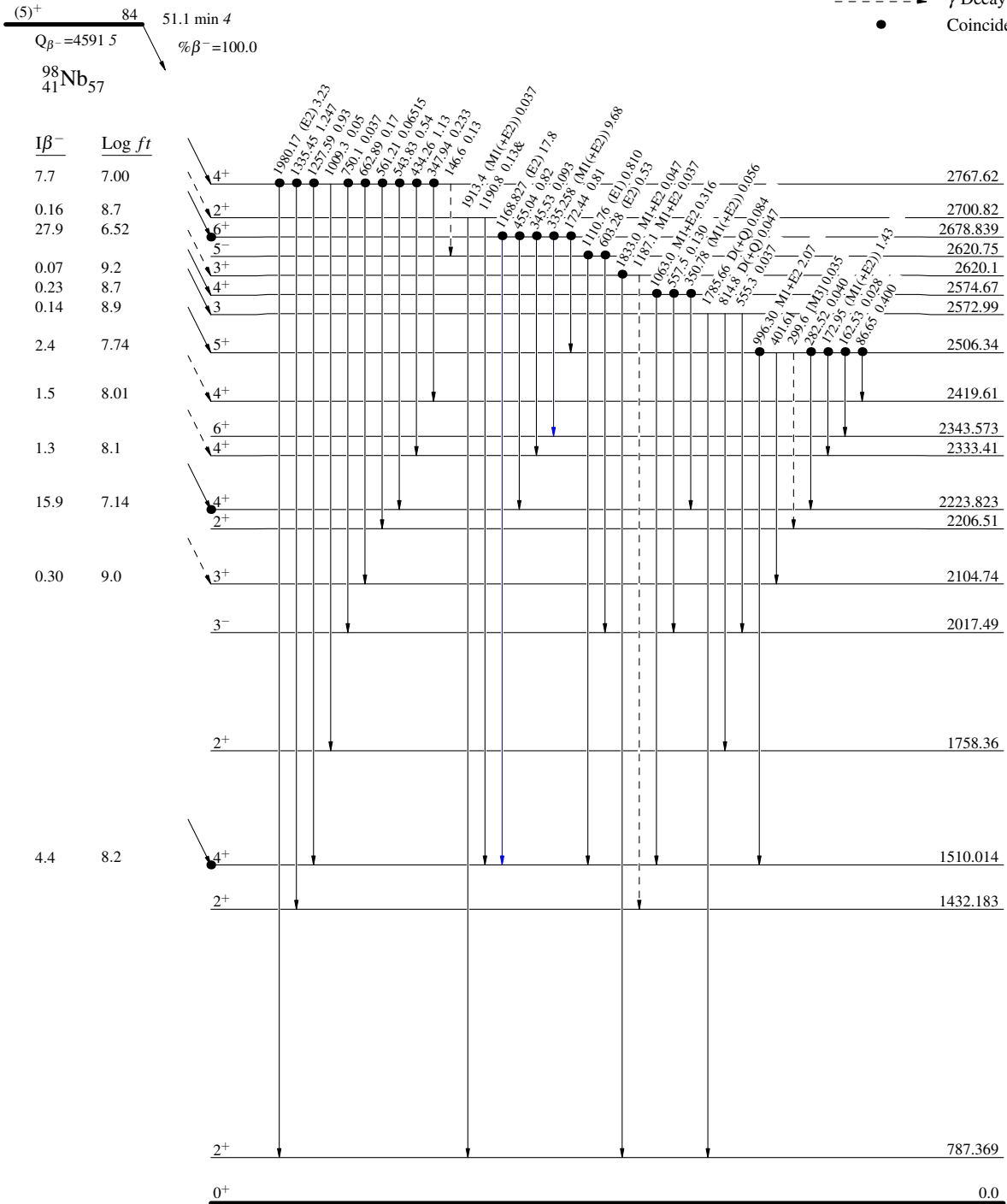
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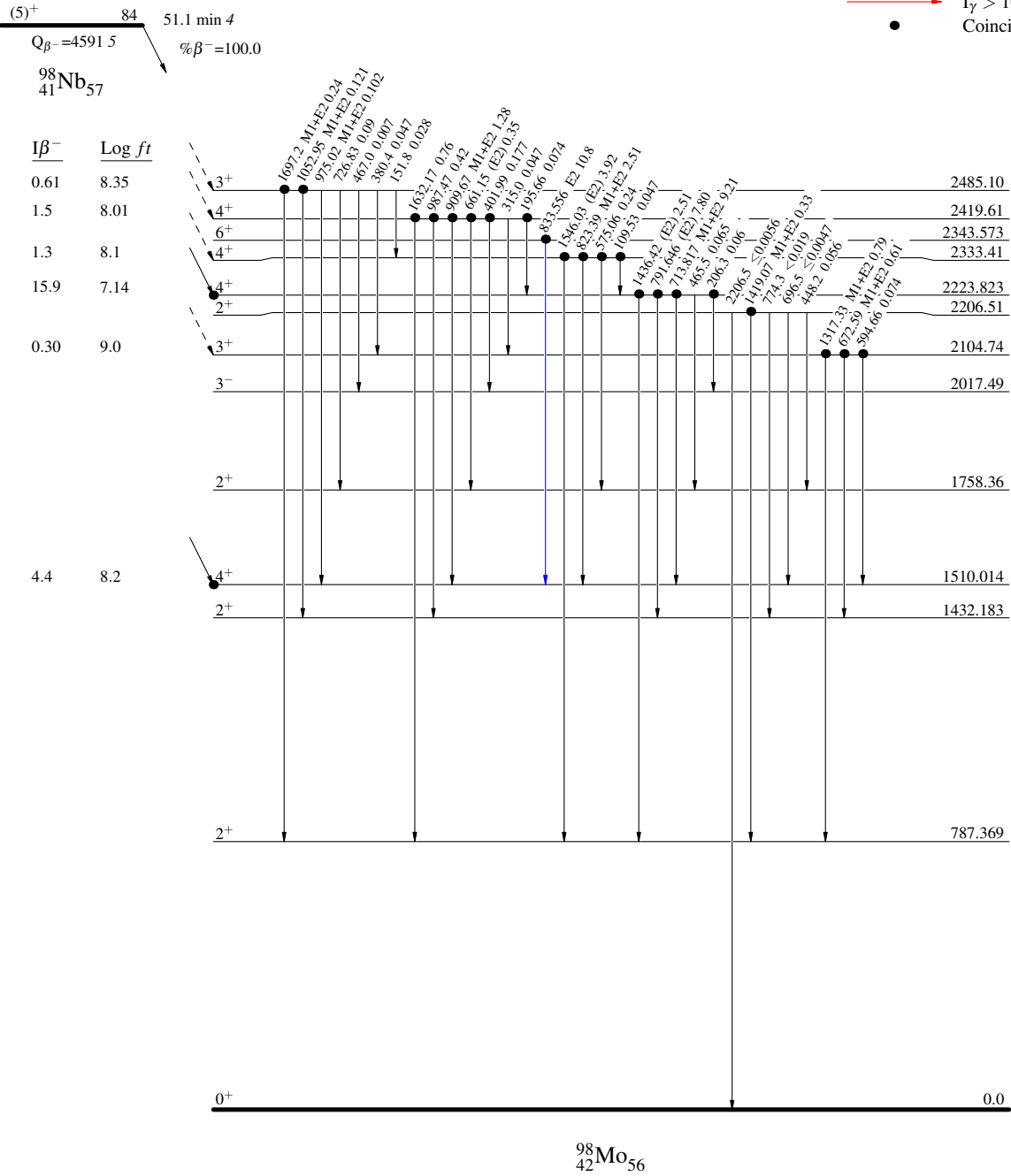
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