

<sup>252</sup>Cf SF decay    2004Li66

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Parent: <sup>252</sup>Cf: E=0; J<sup>π</sup>=0<sup>+</sup>; T<sub>1/2</sub>=2.645 y 8; %SF decay=3.092 8

<sup>252</sup>Cf-T<sub>1/2</sub>: From <sup>252</sup>Cf Adopted Levels in the ENSDF database.

<sup>252</sup>Cf-%SF decay: %SF=3.092 8 from <sup>252</sup>Cf Adopted Levels in the ENSDF database.

**2004Li66:** <sup>252</sup>Cf source was sandwiched between two Fe foils.  $\gamma$  rays were detected with the Gammasphere array of 102 Compton-suppressed Ge detectors at LBNL. Measured E $\gamma$ , I $\gamma$ ,  $\gamma\gamma$ -coin,  $\gamma\gamma\gamma$ -coin,  $\gamma\gamma(t)$ . Deduced levels, lifetimes with the Gammasphere.

**1997Ha64:** experiments were carried first at Oak Ridge with 20 Compton-suppressed Ge detectors and then at LBNL with the Gammasphere array of HPGe detectors. Measured E $\gamma$ , I $\gamma$ ,  $\gamma\gamma$ -coin,  $\gamma\gamma\gamma$ -coin, (X ray) $\gamma$ -coin. Deduced levels, T<sub>1/2</sub>, J, π, band structures.

**1980ChZM:** half-life of the first 2<sup>+</sup> state populated in SF decay of <sup>254</sup>Cf.

Others: [2005Fo17](#), [1972Ho08](#).

[Additional information 1](#).

<sup>98</sup>Sr Levels

E(level) <sup>†</sup>	J <sup>π</sup> #	T <sub>1/2</sub> @	Comments
0.0 <sup>&amp;</sup>	0 <sup>+</sup>		
144.9 <sup>&amp;</sup> 5	2 <sup>+</sup>	4.0 ns +30-15	T <sub>1/2</sub> : from (145 $\gamma$ )(x ray)(t) ( <a href="#">1980ChZM</a> ) in the SF decay of <sup>254</sup> Cf.
216.0 <sup>‡</sup> 7	0 <sup>+</sup>		
434.4 <sup>&amp;</sup> 7	4 <sup>+</sup>		
867.8 <sup>&amp;</sup> 7	6 <sup>+</sup>		
872.1 <sup>‡</sup> 7	(2 <sup>+</sup> )		
1433.7 <sup>&amp;</sup> 8	8 <sup>+</sup>		
1838.2 <sup>a</sup> 7	(3 <sup>+</sup> )	13 ns 3	
1978.8 <sup>a</sup> 7	(4 <sup>+</sup> )		
2123.3 <sup>&amp;</sup> 9	10 <sup>+</sup>		
2153.9 <sup>a</sup> 7	(5 <sup>+</sup> )		
2361.7 <sup>a</sup> 8	(6 <sup>+</sup> )		
2534.6 <sup>b</sup> 8	(6 <sup>+</sup> )	4.5 ns 10	
2603.2 <sup>a</sup> 8	(7 <sup>+</sup> )		
2772.2 <sup>b</sup> 8	(7 <sup>+</sup> )		
2874.0 <sup>a</sup> 8	(8 <sup>+</sup> )		
2928.9 <sup>&amp;</sup> 10	12 <sup>+</sup>		
3041.5 <sup>b</sup> 8	(8 <sup>+</sup> )		
3175.1 <sup>a</sup> 9	(9 <sup>+</sup> )		
3341.5 <sup>b</sup> 10	(9 <sup>+</sup> )		
3511.2 <sup>a</sup> 9	(10 <sup>+</sup> )		
3671.1 <sup>b</sup> 11	(10 <sup>+</sup> )		

<sup>†</sup> From a least-squares fit to  $\gamma$ -ray energies, assuming ΔE $\gamma$ =0.5 keV for each  $\gamma$ -ray (the first author of [2004Li66](#) agreed with this general uncertainty).

<sup>‡</sup> From [1997Ha64](#), not reported in [2004Li66](#).

<sup>a</sup> Proposed by [2004Li66](#) based on band structures. Brackets around assignments for levels in the band based on 3<sup>+</sup>,1838 level are added by evaluators.

<sup>b</sup> From  $\gamma\gamma(t)$  ([2004Li66](#)), except where noted.

& Band(A): g.s. band.

<sup>252</sup>Cf SF decay    [2004Li66 \(continued\)](#)<sup>98</sup>Sr Levels (continued)<sup>a</sup> Band(B):  $\nu 9/2[404]-\nu 3/2[411]$ ,  $K^\pi=(3^+)$ . Band assignment from [2004Li66](#).<sup>b</sup> Band(C):  $\nu 9/2[404]+\nu 3/2[411]$ ,  $K^\pi=(6^+)$ . Band assignment from [2004Li66](#). $\gamma(^{98}\text{Sr})$ 

$E_\gamma^\dagger$	$I_\gamma^\dagger$	$E_i(\text{level})$	$J_i^\pi$	$E_f$	$J_f^\pi$	Comments
70.9 <sup>‡</sup>		216.0	$0^+$	144.9	$2^+$	
140.6	8.5 3	1978.8	$(4^+)$	1838.2	$(3^+)$	
144.9	100	144.9	$2^+$	0.0	$0^+$	Other: $E_\gamma=144.3$ , $I_\gamma=100$ ( <a href="#">1997Ha64</a> ). Intensity of $145\gamma=0.0040$ transitions/fission of <sup>254</sup> Cf ( <a href="#">1980ChZM</a> ).
175.1	3.5 2	2153.9	$(5^+)$	1978.8	$(4^+)$	
207.8	3.0 2	2361.7	$(6^+)$	2153.9	$(5^+)$	
237.6	1.8 3	2772.2	$(7^+)$	2534.6	$(6^+)$	
241.5	2.8 3	2603.2	$(7^+)$	2361.7	$(6^+)$	
269.3	1.3 4	3041.5	$(8^+)$	2772.2	$(7^+)$	
270.8	2.6 2	2874.0	$(8^+)$	2603.2	$(7^+)$	
289.5	72 3	434.4	$4^+$	144.9	$2^+$	Other: $E_\gamma=289.4$ , $I_\gamma=54$ ( <a href="#">1997Ha64</a> ).
300.0	0.4 1	3341.5	$(9^+)$	3041.5	$(8^+)$	
301.1	1.9 3	3175.1	$(9^+)$	2874.0	$(8^+)$	
315.7	3.0 2	2153.9	$(5^+)$	1838.2	$(3^+)$	
329.6	0.3 1	3671.1	$(10^+)$	3341.5	$(9^+)$	
336.1	1.3 3	3511.2	$(10^+)$	3175.1	$(9^+)$	
382.9	1.8 2	2361.7	$(6^+)$	1978.8	$(4^+)$	
433.4	50.0 15	867.8	$6^+$	434.4	$4^+$	Other: $E_\gamma=433.5$ , $I_\gamma=33$ ( <a href="#">1997Ha64</a> ).
449.3	1.1 2	2603.2	$(7^+)$	2153.9	$(5^+)$	
512.3	2.0 2	2874.0	$(8^+)$	2361.7	$(6^+)$	
565.9	22.2 20	1433.7	$8^+$	867.8	$6^+$	Other: $E_\gamma=565.1$ , $I_\gamma=29$ ( <a href="#">1997Ha64</a> ).
571.9	2.5 5	3175.1	$(9^+)$	2603.2	$(7^+)$	
637.2	1.3 4	3511.2	$(10^+)$	2874.0	$(8^+)$	
655.9 <sup>‡</sup>	1 <sup>‡</sup>	872.1	$(2^+)$	216.0	$0^+$	
689.6	6.7 40	2123.3	$10^+$	1433.7	$8^+$	Other: $E_\gamma=689.3$ , $I_\gamma=5.0$ ( <a href="#">1997Ha64</a> ).
727.4 <sup>‡</sup>		872.1	$(2^+)$	144.9	$2^+$	
805.6	2.0 6	2928.9	$12^+$	2123.3	$10^+$	
918.2	5.2 10	3041.5	$(8^+)$	2123.3	$10^+$	
1111.0	<0.1	1978.8	$(4^+)$	867.8	$6^+$	
1286.1	0.3 3	2153.9	$(5^+)$	867.8	$6^+$	
1338.5	0.4 4	2772.2	$(7^+)$	1433.7	$8^+$	
1403.8	0.6 3	1838.2	$(3^+)$	434.4	$4^+$	
1544.4	2.7 6	1978.8	$(4^+)$	434.4	$4^+$	
1607.8	<0.1	3041.5	$(8^+)$	1433.7	$8^+$	
1666.8	0.8 3	2534.6	$(6^+)$	867.8	$6^+$	
1693.3	10.4 8	1838.2	$(3^+)$	144.9	$2^+$	
1719.5	5.9 20	2153.9	$(5^+)$	434.4	$4^+$	
1904.4	6.5 8	2772.2	$(7^+)$	867.8	$6^+$	
2100.2	5.2 10	2534.6	$(6^+)$	434.4	$4^+$	

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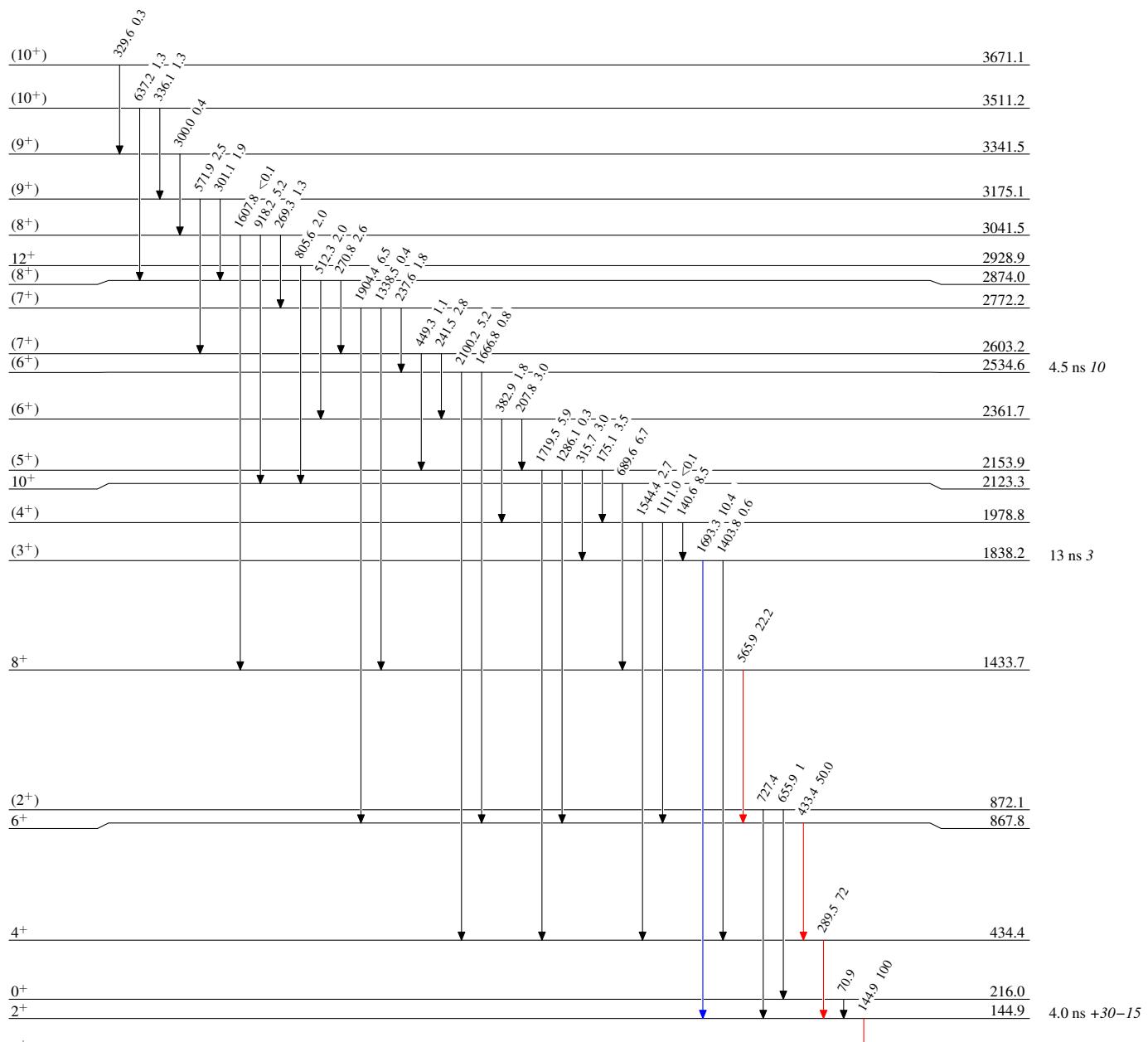
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## Legend

## Level Scheme

Intensities: Relative  $I_\gamma$ 

- >  $I_\gamma < 2\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$
- >  $I_\gamma < 10\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$
- >  $I_\gamma > 10\% \times I_\gamma^{\max}$



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