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COURSE NUMBER: P442

TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer four Questions. Each Question carries 25 Marks. Marks for each section are shown

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Question 1

- a) Assume a nucleus to be a sphere of uniform charge distribution with charge density ρ .
Let the sphere have a radius R .
- (i) Find the electric field in and outside the sphere. (5 Marks)
(ii) Evaluate the potential of this charged sphere. (6 Marks)
(iii) Deduce the potential energy that an electron may have if it ventured inside such a charged sphere. (3 Marks)
(iv) Comment on the reasonableness of the answer in (iii). (3 Marks)
- [Hint: Gauss' law may be used.]
- b) From the known masses of $^{15}_8O$ and $^{15}_7N$, compute the difference in binding energy.
State in which one of the two nuclei are the bonds between the nucleons stronger and explain why. (8 Marks)

Question 2

It is convenient to analyse the deuteron by assuming the nucleon-nucleon potential to be represented by a three-dimensional square-well, as shown in Fig 2.1. The wave

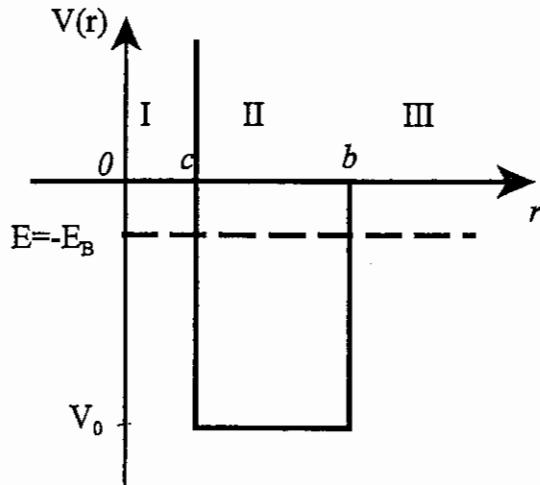


Fig 2.1

function is zero in region I. The Schrodinger equation for region II is of the form:

$$\frac{d^2u}{dr^2} + \frac{2m}{\hbar^2} (V_0 - E_B) u = 0$$

The solutions in regions II and III, respectively, are of the form:

$$u(r) = A \sin k_1 r + B \cos k_1 r$$

and

$$u(r) = C e^{-k_2 r} + D e^{+k_2 r}$$

The symbols have their usual meaning.

- a) Use the continuity and normalisation conditions to evaluate the coefficients in the above possible solutions. (12 Marks)
- b) From the resulting wave function, evaluate the root-mean-square radius of the deuteron. (13 Marks)

Question 3

- a) The low-lying levels of ^{13}C are ground state, $\frac{1}{2}^-$; 3.09 MeV, $\frac{1}{2}^+$; 3.68 MeV, $\frac{3}{2}^-$; 3.85 MeV, $\frac{5}{2}^+$. The next states are about 7 MeV and above. Interpret these four states according to the Shell model. (15 Marks)
- b) Find the mean-square radius of a uniformly charged sphere of R. Take that sphere to represent a nucleus. (5 Marks)
- c) Compute the expected Shell model quadrupole moment of $^{209}Bi\left(\frac{9}{2}^-\right)$. (5 Marks)

Question 4

- a) Three radioactive sources are each having activities of $1.0 \mu\text{Ci}$ at $t=0$. Their half lives are, respectively, 1.0 s, 1.0 h and 1.0 d. How many radioactive nuclei are present at $t=0$ in each source? (6 Marks)
- b) Among the radioactive products emitted in the 1986 Chernobyl reactor accident, in Russia, were ^{131}I ($t_{1/2} = 8.0\text{d}$) and ^{137}Cs ($t_{1/2} = 30\text{d}$). There are about five times as many ^{137}Cs atoms as ^{131}I atoms produced in fission.
- (i) Which isotope contributes the greater activity to the radiation cloud? Assume the reactor had been operating continuously for several days before the radiation was released. (8 Marks)
 - (ii) How long after the original incident does it take for the two activities to become equal? (6 Marks)
 - (iii) About 1% of fission events produce ^{131}I , and each fission event releases an energy of about 200 MeV. Given a reactor of the Chernobyl size (1000 MW), calculate the activity in curies of ^{131}I after 24 h of operation. (5 Marks)

Question 5

- a) In the decay of ^{47}Ca to ^{47}Sc , what energy is given to the neutrino when the electron has a kinetic energy of 1.100 MeV? (5 Marks)
- b) Supply the missing component(s) in the following processes:
- (i) $\bar{\nu} + ^3He \rightarrow$ (1 Mark)
(ii) $^6He \rightarrow ^6Li + e^- +$ (1 Mark)
(iii) $e^- + ^8B \rightarrow$ (1 Mark)
(iv) $\nu + ^{12}C \rightarrow$ (1 Mark)
(v) $^{40}K \rightarrow \nu +$ (1 Mark)
(vi) $^{40}K \rightarrow \bar{\nu} +$ (1 Mark)
- c) One of the processes that is most likely responsible for the production of neutrinos in the sun is the electron capture decay of 7Be . Compute the energy of emitted neutrino and the kinetic energy of the 7Li nucleus. (14 Marks)

Question 6

- a) The Q-value for the reaction ${}^9Be(p,d){}^8Be$ is 559.5 ± 0.4 keV. Use this information along with the accurately known masses of 9Be , 2H , and 1H to find the mass of 8Be . Give an error estimation of your result, taking account of the errors suggested in the table of nuclides. (8 Marks)
- b) A sample of gold is exposed to a beam of neutrons, and the reaction ${}^{197}Au(n,\gamma){}^{198}Au$ absorbs 10^8 neutrons per second. ${}^{198}Au$ emits β -particles and has a half life of 2.70 days. How many atoms of ${}^{198}Au$ are present after two days of continuous irradiation. (11 Marks)
- c) Complete the following reactions:
- (i) ${}^{13}C(d,\alpha)$
 ${}^{27}Al + p \rightarrow \dots + n$
 ${}^{197}Au + {}^{12}C \rightarrow {}^{206}At +$ (3 Marks)
- (ii) Show whether the first of these equations is endoergic or not. (3 Marks)

Some Useful Data and Information

In the definition of mean radius of nucleus, let constant of proportionality R_0 be 1.2 fm

Single-particle quadrupole moment $\langle Q_{sp} \rangle$ of odd proton in shell-model state j is given as

$$\langle Q_{sp} \rangle = -\frac{2j-1}{2(j+1)} \langle r^2 \rangle$$

Relativistic kinetic energy K is given as

$$K = E - mc^2$$

where

$$E = \sqrt{p^2 c^2 + m^2 c^4}$$

CONSTANTS

Speed of light	c	2.99792458×10^8 m/s
Charge of electron	e	1.602189×10^{-19} C
Boltzmann constant	k	1.38066×10^{-23} J/K
Planck's constant	h	8.6174×10^{-5} eV/K
	$\hbar = h/2\pi$	6.62618×10^{-34} J·s
		4.13570×10^{-15} eV·s
Gravitational constant	G	6.6726×10^{-11} N·m ² /kg ²
Avogadro's number	N_A	6.022045×10^{23} mole ⁻¹
Universal gas constant	R	8.3144 J/mole·K
Stefan-Boltzmann constant	σ	5.6703×10^{-8} W/m ² ·K ⁴
Rydberg constant	R_∞	1.0973732×10^7 m ⁻¹
Hydrogen ionization energy		13.60580 eV
Bohr radius	a_0	5.291771×10^{-11} m
Bohr magneton	μ_B	9.27408×10^{-24} J/T
Nuclear magneton	μ_N	5.78838×10^{-5} eV/T
Fine structure constant	α	5.05084×10^{-27} J/T
	hc	3.15245×10^{-8} eV/T
	hc	1239.853 MeV·fm
	$e^2/4\pi\epsilon_0$	197.329 MeV·fm
		1.439976 MeV·fm

PARTICLE REST MASSES

	u	MeV/c ²
Electron	5.485803×10^{-4}	0.511003
Proton	1.00727647	938.280
Neutron	1.00866501	939.573
Deuteron	2.01355321	1875.628
Alpha	4.00150618	3727.409
π^\pm	0.1498300	139.5669
π^0	0.1448999	134.9745
μ	0.1134292	105.6595

CONVERSION FACTORS

$$1 \text{ eV} = 1.602189 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$$

$$1 \text{ b} = 10^{-28} \text{ m}^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \text{ u} &= 931.502 \text{ MeV}/c^2 \\ &= 1.660566 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg} \end{aligned}$$

$$1 \text{ Ci} = 3.7 \times 10^{10} \text{ decays/s}$$

PERIODIC TABLE OF THE ELEMENTS

1 H 1.0079	4 Be 9.012
3 Li 6.941	12 Mg 24.305
11 Na 22.990	19 K 39.098
37 Rb 85.468	20 Ca 40.08
55 Cs 132.91	38 Sr 87.62
87 Fr (223)	56 Ba 137.33
88 Ra (226)	

2 He							
4.0026							
5 B	6 C	7 N	8 O	9 F	10 Ne		
10.81	12.011	14.007	15.999	18.998	20.179		
13 Al	14 Si	15 P	16 S	17 Cl	18 Ar		
26.982	28.086	30.974	32.06	35.453	39.948		
17 Co	28 Ni	29 Cu	30 Zn	31 Ga	32 Ge	33 As	34 Se
58.933	58.70	63.546	65.38	69.72	72.59	74.922	78.96
46 Rh	47 Pd	47 Ag	48 Cd	49 In	50 Sn	51 Sb	52 Te
102.91	106.4	107.87	112.41	114.82	118.69	121.75	127.60
78 Pt	79 Au	80 Hg	81 Tl	82 Pb	83 Bi	84 Po	85 At
192.22	195.09	196.97	200.59	204.37	207.2	208.98	(209)
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	57 La	58 Ce	59 Pr	60 Nd	61 Pm	62 Sm	63 Eu	64 Gd	65 Tb	66 Dy	67 Ho	68 Er	69 Tm	70 Yb	71 Lu
138.91	140.12	140.91	144.24	(145)	150.4	151.96	157.25	158.93	162.50	164.93	167.26	168.93	173.04	174.97	
	89 Ac	90 Th	91 Pa	92 U	93 Np	94 Pu	95 Am	96 Cm	97 Bk	98 Cf	99 Es	100 Fm	101 Md	102 No	103 Lr
(227)	232.04	(231)	238.03	(237)	(244)	(243)	(243)	(247)	(247)	(251)	(254)	(257)	(258)	(259)	(260)

For each element, the bottom line gives either the atomic mass or (in parentheses, for radioactive elements) the mass number of the most stable isotope.

TABLE OF NUCLEAR PROPERTIES

The following table shows some properties of a selection of isotopes. For each element only the stable and relatively long-lived radioactive isotopes are included. Ground-state atomic masses and spin-parity assignments are shown for all isotopes; uncertain spin-parity assignments are in parentheses. Abundances are given for stable isotopes, and for radioactive isotopes the half-life and principal decay mode are shown (ϵ —electron capture, possibly including positron emission; β^- —negative beta decay; α —alpha decay; f—spontaneous fission). The masses are those of the corresponding neutral atoms and were taken from the 1983 atomic mass evaluation: A. H. Wapstra and G. Audi, *Nucl. Phys.* A432, 1 (1985). In the half-life entries, $My = 10^6$ y. Uncertainties in the masses are typically 10^{-5} u (10^{-4} u for some cases far from stability); uncertainties in the abundances and half-lives are typically at or below the level of the last digit tabulated.

Z	A	Atomic mass (u)	Abundance		Z	A	Atomic mass (u)	Abundance		
			I^π	or Half-life				I^π	or Half-life	
H	1	1.007825	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	99.985%		10	10.012937	3^+	19.8%	
	2	2.014102	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	0.015%		11	11.009305	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	80.2%	
	3	3.016049	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	12.3 y (β^-)		12	12.014353	1^+	20.4 ms (β^-)	
He	3	3.016029	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	$1.38 \times 10^{-4}\%$		13	13.017780	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	17.4 ms (β^-)	
	4	4.002603	0^+	99.99986%		C	6	9.031039	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	0.13 s (ϵ)
Li	6	6.015121	1^+	7.5%		10	10.016856	0^+	19.2 s (ϵ)	
	7	7.016003	$\frac{2}{1}^-$	92.5%		11	11.011433	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	20.4 m (ϵ)	
	8	8.022486	2^+	0.84 s (β^-)		12	12.000000	0^+	98.89%	
Be	7	7.016928	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	53.3 d (ϵ)		13	13.003355	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	1.11%	
	8	8.005305	0^+	0.07 fs (α)		14	14.003242	0^+	5730 y (β^-)	
	9	9.012182	$\frac{2}{1}^-$	100%		15	15.010599	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	2.45 s (β^-)	
	10	10.013534	0^+	1.6 My (β^-)		N	7	12.018613	1^+	11 ms (ϵ)
	11	11.021658	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	13.8 s (β^-)		13	13.005739	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	9.96 m (ϵ)	
B	8	8.024606	2^+	0.77 s (ϵ)		14	14.003074	1^+	99.63%	
	9	9.013329	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	0.85 ns (α)		15	15.000109	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	0.366%	
						16	16.006100	2^-	7.13 s (β^-)	

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	Z	A	Abundance			Z	A	Abundance		
			Atomic mass (u)	I^π	or Half-life			Atomic mass (u)	I^π	or Half-life
O	8	17	17.008450	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	4.17 s (β^-)	Si	26	25.986892	5^+	0.72 My (ϵ)
		18	18.014081	1^-	0.63 s (β^-)		27	26.981539	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	100 %
		14	14.008595	0^+	71 s (ϵ)		28	27.981910	3^+	2.24 m (β^-)
		15	15.003065	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	122 s (ϵ)		29	28.980446	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	6.6 m (β^-)
		16	15.994915	0^+	99.76 %		30	29.982940	3^+	3.7 s (β^-)
		17	16.999131	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	0.038 %		30	25.992330	0^+	2.21 s (ϵ)
		18	17.999160	0^+	0.204 %		27	26.986704	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	4.13 s (ϵ)
		19	19.003577	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	26.9 s (β^-)		28	27.976927	0^+	92.23 %
F	9	17	17.002095	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	64.5 s (ϵ)		29	28.976495	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	4.67 %
		18	18.000937	1^+	110 m (ϵ)		30	29.973770	0^+	3.10 %
		19	18.998403	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	100 %		31	30.975362	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	2.62 h (β^-)
		20	19.999981	2^+	11 s (β^-)		32	31.974148	0^+	105 y (β^-)
		21	20.999948	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	4.3 s (β^-)	P	15	28.981803	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	4.1 s (ϵ)
		22	22.003030	(3,4) $^+$	4.2 s (β^-)		30	29.978307	1^+	2.50 m (ϵ)
		23	23.003600	($\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}$) $^+$	2.2 s (β^-)		31	30.973762	1^+	100 %
		17	17.017690	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	0.11 s (ϵ)		32	31.973907	1^+	14.3 d (β^-)
Ne	10	18	18.005710	0^+	1.7 s (ϵ)		33	32.971725	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	25.3 d (β^-)
		19	19.001880	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	17.3 s (ϵ)		34	33.973636	1^+	12.4 s (β^-)
		20	19.992436	0^+	90.51 %		33	29.984903	0^+	1.2 s (ϵ)
		21	20.993843	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	0.27 %		31	30.979554	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	2.6 s (ϵ)
		22	21.991383	0^+	9.22 %		32	31.972071	0^+	95.02 %
		23	22.994465	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	37.6 s (β^-)		33	32.971458	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	0.75 %
		24	23.993613	0^+	3.4 m (β^-)		34	33.967867	0^+	4.21 %
		25	24.997690	($\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}$) $^+$	0.60 s (β^-)		35	34.969032	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	87.4 d (β^-)
Na	11	20	20.007344	2^+	0.45 s (ϵ)		36	35.967081	0^+	0.017 %
		21	20.997651	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	22.5 s (ϵ)		37	36.971126	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	5.0 m (β^-)
		22	21.994434	3^+	2.60 y (ϵ)		38	37.971162	0^+	170 m (β^-)
		23	22.989768	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	100 %	Cl	17	32.977452	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	2.51 s (ϵ)
		24	23.990961	4^+	15.0 h (β^-)		34	33.973763	0^+	1.53 s (ϵ)
		25	24.989953	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	60 s (β^-)		35	34.968853	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	75.77 %
		26	25.992586	3^+	1.1 s (β^-)		36	35.968307	2^+	0.30 My (β^-)
		27	26.993940	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	0.30 s (β^-)		37	36.965903	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	24.23 %
Mg	12	21	21.011716	($\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{2}$) $^+$	0.123 s (ϵ)		38	37.968011	2^-	37.3 m (β^-)
		22	21.999574	0^+	3.86 s (ϵ)		39	38.968005	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	56 m (β^-)
		23	22.994124	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	11.3 s (ϵ)		40	39.970440	2^-	1.35 m (β^-)
		24	23.985042	0^+	78.99 %		41	40.970590	($\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}$) $^+$	31 s (β^-)
		25	24.985837	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	10.00 %	Ar	18	33.980269	0^+	0.844 s (ϵ)
		26	25.982594	0^+	11.01 %		35	34.975256	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	1.78 s (ϵ)
		27	26.984341	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	9.46 m (β^-)		36	35.967546	0^+	0.337 %
		28	27.983877	0^+	21.0 h (β^-)		37	36.966776	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	35.0 d (ϵ)
Al	13	24	23.999941	4^+	2.07 s (ϵ)		38	37.962732	0^+	0.063 %
		25	24.990429	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	7.18 s (ϵ)		39	38.964314	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	269 y (β^-)
		24	23.999941	4^+	2.07 s (ϵ)		40	39.962384	0^+	99.60 %
							41	40.964501	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	1.83 h (β^-)

	Z	A	Abundance			Z	A	Abundance			
			Atomic mass (u)	J^π	or Half-life			Atomic mass (u)	J^π	or Half-life	
K	19	42	41.963050	0^+	33 y (β^-)	V	23	51	51.946898	0^+	1.7 m (β^-)
		43	42.965670		5.4 m (β^-)			53	52.949730	$(\frac{1}{2})^-$	33 s (β^-)
		44	43.965365	0^+	11.9 m (β^-)						
		37	36.973377	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	1.23 s (ϵ)						
		38	37.969080	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	7.61 m (ϵ)						
		39	38.963707	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	93.26%						
		40	39.963999	4^-	1.28 Gy (β^-)						
		41	40.961825	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	6.73%						
		42	41.962402	2^-	12.4 h (β^-)						
		43	42.960717	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	22.3 h (β^-)						
Ca	20	44	43.961560	2^-	22.1 m (β^-)						
		45	44.960696	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	17 m (β^-)						
		46	45.961976	(2^-)	115 s (β^-)						
		47	46.961677	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	17.5 s (β^-)						
		38	37.976318	0^+	0.44 s (ϵ)	Cr	24	45	45.968360	0^+	0.26 s (ϵ)
		39	38.970718	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	0.86 s (ϵ)			47	46.962905	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	0.51 s (ϵ)
		40	39.962591	0^+	96.94%			48	47.954033	0^+	21.6 h (ϵ)
		41	40.962278	$\frac{7}{2}^-$	0.10 My (ϵ)			49	48.951338	$\frac{5}{2}^-$	41.9 m (ϵ)
		42	41.958618	0^+	0.647%			50	49.946046	0^+	4.35%
		43	42.958766	$\frac{7}{2}^-$	0.135%			51	50.944768	$\frac{7}{2}^-$	27.7 d (ϵ)
		44	43.955481	0^+	2.09%			52	51.940510	0^+	83.79%
		45	44.956185	$\frac{7}{2}^-$	165 d (β^-)			53	52.940651	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	9.50%
		46	45.953689	0^+	0.0035%			54	53.938882	0^+	2.36%
		47	46.954543	$\frac{7}{2}^-$	4.54 d (β^-)			55	54.940842	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	3.50 m (β^-)
Sc	21	48	47.952533	0^+	0.187%	Mn	25	56	55.940643		5.9 m (β^-)
		49	48.955672	$\frac{7}{2}^-$	8.72 m (β^-)			49	48.951338	$\frac{5}{2}^-$	41.9 m (ϵ)
		50	49.957519	0^+	14 s (β^-)			50	49.946213	0^+	46.2 m (ϵ)
		42	41.965514	0^+	0.68 s (ϵ)			51	50.945568	6^+	5.59 d (ϵ)
		43	42.961150	$\frac{7}{2}^-$	3.89 h (ϵ)			52	51.941291	$\frac{7}{2}^-$	3.7 My (ϵ)
		44	43.959404	2^+	3.93 h (ϵ)			53	53.940361	3^+	312 d (ϵ)
		45	44.955910	$\frac{7}{2}^-$	100%			55	54.938047	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	100%
		46	45.955170	4^+	83.8 d (β^-)			56	55.938907	3^+	2.58 h (β^-)
		47	46.952409	$\frac{7}{2}^-$	3.35 d (β^-)			57	56.938285	$\frac{5}{2}^-$	1.6 m (β^-)
		48	47.952235	6^+	43.7 h (β^-)			58	57.940060	3^+	65 s (β^-)
Ti	22	49	48.950022	$\frac{7}{2}^-$	57.0 m (β^-)	Fe	26	55	54.938296	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	2.7 y (ϵ)
		50	49.952186	5^+	1.71 m (β^-)			56	55.934939	0^+	91.8%
		43	42.968523	$\frac{7}{2}^-$	0.51 s (ϵ)			57	56.935396	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	2.15%
		44	43.959690	0^+	54 y (ϵ)			58	57.93277	0^+	0.29%
		45	44.958124	$\frac{7}{2}^-$	3.09 h (ϵ)			59	58.934877	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	44.6 d (β^-)
		46	45.952629	0^+	8.2%			60	59.934078	0^+	1.5 My (β^-)
Co	27	47	46.951764	$\frac{5}{2}^-$	7.4%	Co	27	61	60.936748	$(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2})^-$	6.0 m (β^-)
		48	47.947947	0^+	73.7%			62	61.936773	0^+	68 s (β^-)
		49	48.947871	$\frac{7}{2}^-$	5.4%			63	62.937008	0^+	0.19 s (ϵ)
		50	49.944792	0^+	5.2%			64	63.937243	0^+	
		51	50.946616	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	5.80 m (β^-)			65	64.937478	0^+	
								66	65.937713	0^+	

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Z	A	Atomic mass (u)	Abundance or Half-life		Z	A	Atomic mass (u)	Abundance or Half-life		
			J*					J*		
Ni	55	54.942001	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	17.5 h (ϵ)	Ge	31	64	63.936836	0 ⁺	2.6 m (ϵ)
	56	55.939841	4 ⁺	78.8 d (ϵ)			65	64.932738	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	15.2 m (ϵ)
	57	56.936294	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	271 d (ϵ)			66	65.931590	0 ⁺	9.4 h (ϵ)
	58	57.935755	2 ⁺	70.8 d (ϵ)			67	66.928204	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	78.3 h (ϵ)
	59	58.933198	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	100 %			68	67.927982	1 ⁺	68.1 m (ϵ)
	60	59.933820	5 ⁺	5.27 y (β^-)			69	68.925580	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	60.1 %
	61	60.932478	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	1.65 h (β^-)			70	69.926028	1 ⁺	21.1 m (β^-)
	62	61.934060	2 ⁺	1.5 m (β^-)			71	70.924701	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	39.9 %
	63	62.933614	($\frac{1}{2}$) ⁻	27.5 s (β^-)			72	71.926365	3 ⁻	14.1 h (β^-)
							73	72.925169	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	4.87 h (β^-)
	28	55	54.951336	$\frac{1}{2}^-$			74	73.926940	(4) ⁻	8.1 m (β^-)
	56	55.942134	0 ⁺	6.10 d (ϵ)			75	74.926499	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	2.1 m (β^-)
Cu	57	56.939799	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	36.0 h (ϵ)						
	58	57.935346	0 ⁺	68.3 %	32	66	65.933847	0 ⁺	2.3 h (ϵ)	
	59	58.934349	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	0.075 My (ϵ)		67	66.932737	($\frac{1}{2}$) ⁻	19.0 m (ϵ)	
	60	59.930788	0 ⁺	26.1 %		68	67.928096	0 ⁺	271 d (ϵ)	
	61	60.931058	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	1.13 %		69	68.927969	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	39.0 h (ϵ)	
	62	61.928346	0 ⁺	3.59 %		70	69.924250	0 ⁺	20.5 %	
	63	62.929670	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	100 y (β^-)		71	70.924954	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	11.2 d (ϵ)	
	64	63.927968	0 ⁺	0.91 %		72	71.922079	0 ⁺	27.4 %	
	65	64.930086	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	2.52 h (β^-)		73	72.923463	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	7.8 %	
	66	65.929116	0 ⁺	54.8 h (β^-)		74	73.921177	0 ⁺	36.5 %	
	67	66.931570	?	21 s (β^-)		75	74.922858	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	82.8 m (β^-)	
						76	75.921402	0 ⁺	7.8 %	
Zn	59	58.939503	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	82 s (ϵ)		77	76.923548	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	11.3 h (β^-)	
	60	59.937366	2 ⁺	23.4 m (ϵ)		78	77.922853	0 ⁺	1.45 h (β^-)	
	61	60.933461	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	3.41 h (ϵ)		79	78.925360	($\frac{1}{2}$) ⁻	19 s (β^-)	
	62	61.932586	1 ⁺	9.73 m (ϵ)						
	63	62.929599	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	69.2 %	33	70	69.930929	4 ⁺	53 m (ϵ)	
	64	63.9292766	1 ⁺	12.7 h (ϵ)		71	70.927114	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	61 h (ϵ)	
	65	64.927793	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	30.8 %		72	71.926755	2 ⁻	26.0 h (ϵ)	
	66	65.928872	1 ⁺	5.10 m (β^-)		73	72.923827	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	80.3 d (ϵ)	
	67	66.927747	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	61.9 h (β^-)		74	73.923928	2 ⁻	17.8 d (ϵ)	
	68	67.929620	1 ⁺	31 s (β^-)		75	74.921594	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	100 %	
						76	75.922393	2 ⁻	26.3 h (β^-)	
	61	60.939514	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	89 s (ϵ)		77	76.920646	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	38.8 h (β^-)	
	62	61.934332	0 ⁺	9.2 h (ϵ)		78	77.921830	(2) ⁻	91 m (β^-)	
	63	62.933214	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	38.1 m (ϵ)		79	78.920946	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	9.0 m (β^-)	
Se	64	63.929145	0 ⁺	48.6 %						
	65	64.929243	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	244 d (ϵ)	34	71	70.932270	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	4.7 m (ϵ)	
	66	65.926035	0 ⁺	27.9 %		72	71.927110	0 ⁺	8.4 d (ϵ)	
	67	66.927129	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	4.10 %		73	72.926768	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	7.1 h (ϵ)	
	68	67.924846	0 ⁺	18.8 %		74	73.922475	0 ⁺	0.87 %	
	69	68.926552	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	56 m (β^-)		75	74.922522	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	119.8 d (ϵ)	
	70	69.925325	0 ⁺	0.62 %		76	75.919212	0 ⁺	9.0 %	
	71	70.927727	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	2.4 m (β^-)		77	76.919913	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	7.6 %	
	72	71.926856	0 ⁺	46.5 h (β^-)		78	77.917308	0 ⁺	23.5 %	
	73	72.929780	($\frac{1}{2}$) ⁻	24 s (β^-)		79	78.918498	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	< 0.065 My (β^-)	

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		Atomic mass (u)	I^π	or Half-life	Atomic mass (u)	I^π	or Half-life				
	116	115.901747	0^+	14.6%	129	128.904986	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	16 My (β^-)			
	117	116.902956	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	7.75%	130	129.906713	5^+	12.4 h (β^-)			
	118	117.901609	0^+	24.3%	131	130.906114	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	8.04 d (β^-)			
	119	118.903311	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	8.6%	132	131.907987	4^+	2.30 h (β^-)			
	120	119.902199	0^+	32.4%	Xe	54	121.911450	$(\frac{1}{2})^+$	40.1 m (ϵ)		
	121	120.904239	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	27.1 h (β^-)		122	121.908170	0^+	20.1 h (ϵ)		
	122	121.903440	0^+	4.56%		123	122.908469	$(\frac{1}{2})^+$	2.08 h (ϵ)		
	123	122.905722	$\frac{11}{2}^-$	129 d (β^-)		124	123.905894	0^+	0.096%		
	124	123.905274	0^+	5.64%		125	124.906397	$(\frac{1}{2})^+$	17 h (ϵ)		
	125	124.907785	$\frac{11}{2}^-$	9.62 d (β^-)		126	125.904281	0^+	0.090%		
	126	125.907654	0^+	0.1 My (β^-)		127	126.905182	$(\frac{1}{2})^+$	36.4 d (ϵ)		
	127	126.910355	$(\frac{11}{2})^-$	2.1 h (β^-)		128	127.903531	0^+	1.92%		
Sb	51	118	117.905534	1^+	3.6 m (ϵ)		129	128.904780	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	26.4%	
		119	118.903948	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	38.0 h (ϵ)		130	129.903509	0^+	4.1%	
		120	119.905077	1^+	15.8 m (ϵ)		131	130.905072	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	21.2%	
		121	120.903821	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	57.3%		132	131.904144	0^+	26.9%	
		122	121.905179	2^-	2.70 d (β^-)		133	132.905888	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	5.25 d (β^-)	
		123	122.904216	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	42.7%		134	133.905395	0^+	10.4%	
		124	123.905938	3^-	60.2 d (β^-)		135	134.907130	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	9.1 h (β^-)	
		125	124.905252	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	2.7 y (β^-)		136	135.907214	0^+	8.9%	
		126	125.907250	8^-	12.4 d (β^-)		137	136.911557	$\frac{7}{2}^-$	3.82 m (β^-)	
		127	126.906919	$\frac{7}{2}^+$	3.85 d (β^-)	Cs	55	130	129.906753	1^+	29.2 m (ϵ)
Te	52	117	116.908630	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	62 m (ϵ)		131	130.905444	$\frac{5}{2}^+$	9.69 d (ϵ)	
		118	117.905908	0^+	6.00 d (ϵ)		132	131.906431	2^-	6.47 d (ϵ)	
		119	118.906411	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	16.0 h (ϵ)		133	132.905429	$\frac{7}{2}^+$	100%	
		120	119.904048	0^+	0.091%		134	133.906696	4^+	2.06 y (β^-)	
		121	120.904947	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	16.8 d (ϵ)		135	134.905885	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	3 My (β^-)	
		122	121.903050	0^+	2.5%		136	135.907289	5^+	13.1 d (β^-)	
		123	122.904271	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	0.89%		137	136.907073	$\frac{7}{2}^+$	30.2 y (β^-)	
		124	123.902818	0^+	4.6%		138	137.911004	3^-	32.2 m (β^-)	
		125	124.904429	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	7.0%	Ba	56	127	126.911130	$(\frac{1}{2})^+$	12.7 m (ϵ)
		126	125.903310	0^+	18.7%		128	127.908237	0^+	2.43 d (ϵ)	
		127	126.905221	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	9.4 h (β^-)		129	128.908642	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	2.2 h (ϵ)	
		128	127.904463	0^+	31.7%		130	129.906282	0^+	0.106%	
		129	128.906594	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	69 m (β^-)		131	130.906902	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	12.0 d (ϵ)	
		130	129.906229	0^+	34.5%		132	131.905042	0^+	0.101%	
		131	130.908528	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	25.0 m (β^-)		133	132.905988	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	10.7 y (ϵ)	
		132	131.908517	0^+	78.2 h (β^-)		134	133.904486	0^+	2.42%	
		133	132.910910	$(\frac{5}{2})^+$	12.5 m (β^-)		135	134.905665	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	6.59%	
I	53	123	122.905594	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	13.2 h (ϵ)		136	135.904553	0^+	7.85%	
		124	123.906207	2^-	4.18 d (ϵ)		137	136.905812	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	11.2%	
		125	124.904620	$\frac{5}{2}^+$	60.2 d (ϵ)		138	137.905232	0^+	71.7%	
		126	125.905624	2^-	13.0 d (ϵ)		139	138.908826	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	82.9 m (β^-)	
		127	126.904473	$\frac{5}{2}^+$	100%		140	139.910581	0^+	12.7 d (β^-)	
		128	127.905810	1^+	25.0 m (β^-)		141	140.914363	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	18.3 m (β^-)	

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		Atomic mass (u)	<i>J</i> ^π	or Half-life			Atomic mass (u)	<i>J</i> ^π	or Half-life	
Re	184	183.950928	0 ⁺	30.7%	Au	198	197.967869	0 ⁺	7.2%	
	185	184.953416	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	75.1 d (β^-)		199	198.970552	$(\frac{1}{2}^-)$	30.8 m (β^-)	
	186	185.954357	0 ⁺	28.6%		200	199.971417	0 ⁺	12.5 h (β^-)	
	187	186.957153	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	23.9 h (β^-)		79	194	193.965348	1^-	39.5 h (ϵ)
	188	187.958480	0 ⁺	69.4 d (β^-)		195	194.965013	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	186 d (ϵ)	
	182	181.951210	2 ⁺	12.7 h (ϵ)		196	195.966544	2 ⁻	6.18 d (ϵ)	
	183	182.950817	$(\frac{5}{2})^+$	71 d (ϵ)		197	196.966543	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	100%	
	184	183.952530	3 ⁻	38 d (ϵ)		198	197.968217	2 ⁻	2.696 d (β^-)	
	185	184.952951	$\frac{5}{2}^+$	37.40%		199	198.968740	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	3.14 d (β^-)	
	186	185.954984	1 ⁻	90.6 h (β^-)		200	199.970670	1 ⁻	48.4 m (β^-)	
Os	187	186.955744	$\frac{5}{2}^+$	62.60%	Hg	80	193	192.966560	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	3.8 h (ϵ)
	188	187.958106	1 ⁻	16.9 h (β^-)		194	193.965391	0 ⁺	520 y (ϵ)	
	189	188.959219	$(\frac{5}{2})^+$	24.3 h (β^-)		195	194.966640	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	9.5 h (ϵ)	
	182	181.952120	0 ⁺	21.5 h (ϵ)		196	195.965807	0 ⁺	0.15%	
	183	182.953290	$(\frac{5}{2})^+$	13.0 h (ϵ)		197	196.967187	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	64.1 h (ϵ)	
	184	183.952488	0 ⁺	0.018%		198	197.966743	0 ⁺	10.0%	
	185	184.954041	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	93.6 d (ϵ)		199	198.968254	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	16.8%	
	186	185.953830	0 ⁺	1.6%		200	199.968300	0 ⁺	23.1%	
	187	186.955741	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	1.6%		201	200.970277	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	13.2%	
	188	187.955830	0 ⁺	13.3%		202	201.970617	0 ⁺	29.8%	
Ir	189	188.958137	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	16.1%		203	202.972848	$\frac{5}{2}^-$	46.6 d (β^-)	
	190	189.958436	0 ⁺	26.4%		204	203.973467	0 ⁺	6.9%	
	191	190.960920	$\frac{7}{2}^-$	15.4 d (β^-)		205	204.976047	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	5.2 m (β^-)	
	192	191.961467	0 ⁺	41.0%	Tl	81	200	199.970934	2^-	26.1 h (ϵ)
	193	192.964138	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	30.6 h (β^-)		201	200.970794	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	73 h (ϵ)	
	194	193.965173	0 ⁺	6.0 y (β^-)		202	201.972085	2^-	12.2 d (ϵ)	
	188	187.958830	(2^-)	41.5 h (ϵ)		203	202.972320	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	29.5%	
	189	188.958712	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	13.1 d (ϵ)		204	203.973839	2^-	3.77 y (β^-)	
	190	189.960580	(4^+)	11.8 d (ϵ)		205	204.974401	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	70.5%	
	191	190.960584	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	37.3%		206	205.976084	0 ⁻	4.20 m (β^-)	
	192	191.962580	4^-	74.2 d (β^-)	Pb	82	201	200.972830	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	9.3 h (ϵ)
	193	192.962917	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	62.7%		202	201.972134	0 ⁺	0.05 My (ϵ)	
	194	193.965069	1 ⁻	19.2 h (β^-)		203	202.973365	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	51.9 h (ϵ)	
	195	194.965966	$(\frac{5}{2})^+$	2.8 h (β^-)		204	203.973020	0 ⁺	1.42%	
Pt	187	186.960470	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	2.35 h (ϵ)		205	204.974458	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	15 My (ϵ)	
	188	187.959386	0 ⁺	10.2 d (ϵ)		206	205.974440	0 ⁺	24.1%	
	189	188.960817	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	10.9 h (ϵ)		207	206.975872	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	22.1%	
	190	189.959917	0 ⁺	0.013%		208	207.976627	0 ⁺	52.3%	
	191	190.961665	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	2.9 d (ϵ)		209	208.981065	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	3.25 h (β^-)	
	192	191.961019	0 ⁺	0.78%		210	209.984163	0 ⁺	22.3 y (β^-)	
	193	192.962977	$(\frac{1}{2}^-)$	50 y (ϵ)		211	210.988735	$(\frac{9}{2}^+)$	36.1 m (β^-)	
	194	193.962655	0 ⁺	32.9%		212	211.991871	0 ⁺	10.6 h (β^-)	
	195	194.964766	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	33.8%	Bi	83	206	205.978478	6 ⁺	6.24 d (ϵ)
	196	195.964926	0 ⁺	25.3%		207	206.978446	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	32 y (ϵ)	
	197	196.967315	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	18.3 h (β^-)						

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		Atomic mass (u)	I^π	or Half-life	Atomic mass (u)	I^π	or Half-life
	208	207.979717	(5 ⁺)	0.368 My (ϵ)	232	232.038051	0 ⁺ 100 %
	209	208.980374	($\frac{1}{2}^-$)	100 %	233	233.041577	($\frac{1}{2}^+$) 22.3 m (β^-)
	210	209.984095	(1 ⁻)	5.01 d (β^-)	Pa 91	229	229.032073 ($\frac{1}{2}^+$) 1.4 d (ϵ)
	211	210.987255	($\frac{1}{2}^-$)	2.15 m (α)	230	230.034527 (2 ⁻)	17.7 d (ϵ)
	212	211.991255	(1 ⁻)	60.6 m (β^-)	231	231.035880 ($\frac{3}{2}^-$)	32,800 y (μ)
Po 84	206	205.980456	0 ⁺	8.8 d (ϵ)	232	232.038565 (2 ⁻)	1.31 d (β^-)
	207	206.981570	($\frac{1}{2}^-$)	5.8 h (ϵ)	233	233.040243 ($\frac{3}{2}^-$)	27.0 d (β^-)
	208	207.981222	0 ⁺	2.90 y (α)			
	209	208.982404	($\frac{1}{2}^-$)	102 y (α)			
	210	209.982848	0 ⁺	138.4 d (α)			
	211	210.986627	($\frac{9}{2}^+$)	0.52 s (α)	U 92	233	233.039628 ($\frac{5}{2}^+$) 0.1592 My (α)
At 85	208	207.986510	6 ⁺	1.63 h (ϵ)	234	234.040947 0 ⁺ 0.245 My (α)	
	209	208.986149	($\frac{9}{2}^-$)	5.4 h (ϵ)	235	235.043924 ($\frac{7}{2}^-$) 0.720 %	
	210	209.987126	5 ⁺	8.3 h (ϵ)	236	236.045563 0 ⁺ 23.42 My (α)	
	211	210.987469	($\frac{9}{2}^-$)	7.21 h (ϵ)	237	237.048725 ($\frac{1}{2}^+$) 6.75 d (β^-)	
	212	211.990725	(1 ⁻)	0.31 s (α)	238	238.050785 0 ⁺ 99.275 %	
	213	212.992911	($\frac{9}{2}^-$)	0.11 μ s (α)	239	239.054290 ($\frac{5}{2}^+$) 23.5 m (β^-)	
Rn 86	207	206.990690	($\frac{1}{2}^-$)	9.3 m (ϵ)	Np 93	236	236.046550 (6 ⁻) 0.11 My (ϵ)
	210	209.989669	0 ⁺	2.4 h (α)	237	237.048168 ($\frac{5}{2}^+$) 2.14 My (α)	
	211	210.990576	($\frac{1}{2}^-$)	14.6 h (ϵ)	238	238.050941 2 ⁺ 2.117 d (β^-)	
	212	211.990697	0 ⁺	24 m (α)	239	239.052933 ($\frac{5}{2}^+$) 2.36 d (β^-)	
	218	218.005580	0 ⁺	35 ms (α)	Pu 94	237	237.048401 ($\frac{1}{2}^-$) 45.3 d (ϵ)
	222	222.017571	0 ⁺	3.82 d (α)	238	238.049555 0 ⁺ 87.74 y (α)	
	224		0 ⁺	107 m (β^-)	239	239.052158 ($\frac{1}{2}^+$) 24,100 y (α)	
Fr 87	209	208.995870	($\frac{9}{2}^-$)	50 s (α)	240	240.053808 0 ⁺ 6570 y (α)	
	212	211.996130	5 ⁺	20 m (ϵ)	241	241.056846 ($\frac{5}{2}^+$) 14.4 y (β^-)	
	215	215.000310	($\frac{9}{2}^-$)	0.12 μ s (α)	242	242.058737 0 ⁺ 0.376 My (α)	
	220	220.012293	1	27.4 s (α)	243	243.061998 ($\frac{7}{2}^+$) 4.96 h (β^-)	
	223	223.019733	($\frac{5}{2}$)	21.8 m (β^-)	Am 95	240	240.055278 (3 ⁻) 50.9 h (ϵ)
Ra 88	222	222.015353	0 ⁺	38 s (α)	241	241.056824 ($\frac{1}{2}^-$) 433 y (α)	
	223	223.018501	($\frac{1}{2}^+$)	11.4 d (α)	242	242.059542 (1 ⁻) 16.0 h (β^-)	
	224	224.020186	0 ⁺	3.66 d (α)	243	243.061375 ($\frac{5}{2}^-$) 7370 y (α)	
	225	225.023604	($\frac{1}{2}$) ⁺	14.8 d (β^-)	244	244.064279 (6 ⁻) 10.1 h (β^-)	
	226	226.025403	0 ⁺	1602 y (α)	Cm 96	246	246.067218 0 ⁺ 4700 y (α)
	227	227.029171	($\frac{1}{2}^+$)	42 m (β^-)	247	247.070347 ($\frac{9}{2}^-$) 16 My (α)	
Ac 89	224	224.021685	(0 ⁻)	2.9 h (ϵ)	248	248.072343 0 ⁺ 0.34 My (α)	
	225	225.023205	($\frac{1}{2}^-$)	10.0 d (α)	249	249.075948 ($\frac{1}{2}^+$) 64 m (β^-)	
	226	226.026084	(1 ⁻)	29 h (β^-)	Bk 97	246	246.068720 2 ⁻ 1.8 d (ϵ)
	227	227.027750	($\frac{1}{2}^-$)	21.77 y (β^-)	247	247.070300 ($\frac{1}{2}^-$) 1380 y (α)	
	228	228.031015	(3 ⁺)	6.1 h (β^-)	Cf 98	251	251.079580 ($\frac{1}{2}^+$) 898 y (α)
Th 90	228	228.028715	0 ⁺	1.91 y (α)	252	252.081621 0 ⁺ 2.64 y (α)	
	229	229.031755	($\frac{5}{2}^+$)	7300 y (α)	Es 99	252	252.082944 (4 ^{+, 5^-}) 472 d (α)
	230	230.033128	0 ⁺	75,400 y (α)	253	253.084818 ($\frac{7}{2}^+$) 20.5 d (α)	
	231	231.036299	($\frac{1}{2}^+$)	25.52 h (β^-)			