



## 1 Decay Scheme

The simple and consistent decay scheme is dominated by beta decay to the first excited state of Tl-203, followed by a single gamma transition to the ground state.

*Le mercure 203 se désintègre par émission bêta moins vers le niveau excité de 279 keV du thallium 203.*

## 2 Nuclear Data

$$T_{1/2}({}^{203}\text{Hg}) : 46,594 \quad (12) \quad \text{d}$$

$$Q^{-}({}^{203}\text{Hg}) : 491,8 \quad (12) \quad \text{keV}$$

### 2.1 $\beta^{-}$ Transitions

	Energy keV	Probability × 100	Nature	lg <i>ft</i>
$\beta_{0,1}^{-}$	212,6 (12)	99,99 (1)	Allowed	6,455
$\beta_{0,0}^{-}$	491,8 (12)	0,01 (1)	1st Forbidden Unique	11,6

### 2.2 Gamma Transitions and Internal Conversion Coefficients

	Energy keV	$P_{\gamma+ce}$ × 100	Multipolarity	$\alpha_K$	$\alpha_L$	$\alpha_M$	$\alpha_T$
$\gamma_{1,0}(\text{Tl})$	279,1969 (12)	99,99 (1)	M1+75%E2	0,1640 (10)	0,0476 (2)	0,0155 (2)	0,2271 (12)

### 3 Atomic Data

#### 3.1 Tl

$\omega_K$	:	0,963	(4)
$\bar{\omega}_L$	:	0,367	(15)
$n_{KL}$	:	0,812	(5)

##### 3.1.1 X Radiations

	Energy keV	Relative probability
$X_K$		
$K\alpha_2$	70,8325	59,24
$K\alpha_1$	72,8725	100
$K\beta_3$	82,118	}
$K\beta_1$	82,577	}
$K\beta_5''$	83,115	}
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$K\beta_2$	84,838	}
$K\beta_4$	85,134	}
$KO_{2,3}$	85,444	}
		10,1
$X_L$		
$L\ell$	8,953	
$L\alpha$	10,172 – 10,268	
$L\eta$	10,994	
$L\beta$	11,812 – 12,643	
$L\gamma$	14,291 – 14,738	

##### 3.1.2 Auger Electrons

	Energy keV	Relative probability
Auger K		
KLL	54,587 – 59,954	100
KLX	66,37 – 72,86	56
KXY	78,12 – 85,50	7,7
Auger L	5,18 – 10,13	3370

## 4 Electron Emissions

		Energy keV	Electrons per 100 disint.
e <sub>AL</sub>	(Tl)	5,18 - 10,13	10,1 (1)
e <sub>AK</sub>	(Tl)		0,49 (6)
	KLL	54,587 - 59,954	}
	KLX	66,37 - 72,86	}
	KXY	78,12 - 85,50	}
ec <sub>1,0 T</sub>	(Tl)	193,66 - 279,18	18,5 (1)
ec <sub>1,0 K</sub>	(Tl)	193,66 (1)	13,37 (6)
ec <sub>1,0 L</sub>	(Tl)	263,85 - 266,54	3,88 (2)
ec <sub>1,0 M</sub>	(Tl)	275,49 - 279,18	1,26 (1)
$\beta_{0,1}^-$	max:	212,6 (12)	99,99 (1)
$\beta_{0,1}^-$	avg:	57,8 (4)	
$\beta_{0,0}^-$	max:	491,8 (12)	0,01 (1)
$\beta_{0,0}^-$	avg:	154,4 (4)	

## 5 Photon Emissions

### 5.1 X-Ray Emissions

		Energy keV	Photons per 100 disint.
XL	(Tl)	8,953 — 14,738	5,43 (9)
XK $\alpha_2$	(Tl)	70,8325	3,75 (4) } K $\alpha$
XK $\alpha_1$	(Tl)	72,8725	6,33 (6) }
XK $\beta_3$	(Tl)	82,118	}
XK $\beta_1$	(Tl)	82,577	} 2,15 (4) K' $\beta_1$
XK $\beta_5''$	(Tl)	83,115	}
XK $\beta_2$	(Tl)	84,838	}
XK $\beta_4$	(Tl)	85,134	} 0,639 (16) K' $\beta_2$
XK $O_{2,3}$	(Tl)	85,444	}

## 5.2 Gamma Emissions

	Energy keV	Photons per 100 disint.
$\gamma_{1,0}(Tl)$	279,1952 (10)	81,48 (8)

## 6 Main Production Modes

Au – 203( $\beta^-$ )Hg – 203

Tl – 204( $\gamma,p$ )Hg – 203

Hg – 202(n, $\gamma$ )Hg – 203

Hg – 202(d,p)Hg – 203

Hg – 204(d,t)Hg – 203

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