



1 Decay Scheme

U-238 disintegrate by alpha emission to two excited levels and to the ground state of Th-234. Branching of U-238 decay by spontaneous fission is $5,45 (4) E-05 \%$.

L'uranium 238 se désintègre par émission alpha, principalement vers les niveaux excités et fondamental du thorium 234. Le rapport de branchement par fission spontanée est $5,45 (4)E-05 \%$.

2 Nuclear Data

$T_{1/2}(^{238}\text{U})$:	4,468	(5)	10^9	a
$T_{1/2}(^{234}\text{Th})$:	24,10	(3)		d
$Q^\alpha(^{238}\text{U})$:	4269,7	(29)		keV

2.1 α Transitions

	Energy keV	Probability $\times 100$	F
$\alpha_{0,2}$	4106,7 (29)	0,13 (3)	24
$\alpha_{0,1}$	4220,2 (29)	22,33 (50)	1,33
$\alpha_{0,0}$	4269,7 (29)	77,54 (50)	1

2.2 Gamma Transitions and Internal Conversion Coefficients

	Energy keV	$P_{\gamma+ce}$ $\times 100$	Multipolarity	α_K	α_L	α_M	α_T
$\gamma_{1,0}(\text{Th})$	49,55 (6)	22,46 (50)	E2		235 (7)	64,4 (19)	321 (10)
$\gamma_{2,1}(\text{Th})$	113,5 (1)	0,13 (3)	[E2]	0,219 (7)	4,57 (14)	1,257 (38)	6,47 (19)

3 Atomic Data

3.1 Th

ω_K	:	0,969	(4)
$\bar{\omega}_L$:	0,476	(18)
n_{KL}	:	0,797	(5)

3.1.1 X Radiations

	Energy keV	Relative probability		
X _K	K α_2	89,9566	61,82	
	K α_1	93,3479	100	
	K β_3	104,8172	}	
	K β_1	105,602	}	
	K β_5''	106,1564	}	35,58
	K β_5'	106,3149	}	
	K β_2	108,581	}	
	K β_4	108,953	}	11,99
	KO _{2,3}	109,442	}	
	X _L	L ℓ	11,118	
L α		12,8085 – 12,967		
L η		14,509		
L β		14,972 – 17,1383		
L γ		18,3633 – 19,504		

3.1.2 Auger Electrons

	Energy keV	Relative probability
Auger K		
KLL	68,406 – 76,745	100
KLX	83,857 – 93,345	58,8
KXY	99,29 – 109,64	8,64
Auger L	5,8 – 20,3	

4 α Emissions

	Energy keV	Probability $\times 100$
$\alpha_{0,2}$	4038 (5)	0,13 (3)
$\alpha_{0,1}$	4151 (5)	22,33 (50)
$\alpha_{0,0}$	4198 (3)	77,54 (50)

5 Electron Emissions

		Energy keV	Electrons per 100 disint.
e _{AL}	(Th)	5,8 - 20,3	8,43 (25)
e _{AK}	(Th)		0,00012 (4)
	KLL	68,406 - 76,745	}
	KLX	83,857 - 93,345	}
	KXY	99,29 - 109,64	}
ec _{1,0 L}	(Th)	29,08 - 33,20	16,3 (8)
ec _{1,0 M}	(Th)	44,37 - 46,22	4,46 (21)
ec _{1,0 N}	(Th)	48,22 - 49,22	1,19 (6)
ec _{2,1 L}	(Th)	93,0 - 97,2	0,080 (22)

6 Photon Emissions**6.1 X-Ray Emissions**

		Energy keV	Photons per 100 disint.	
XL	(Th)	11,118 — 19,504	7,94 (28)	
XK α_2	(Th)	89,9566	0,00109 (30)	} K α
XK α_1	(Th)	93,3479	0,0018 (5)	}
XK β_3	(Th)	104,8172	}	
XK β_1	(Th)	105,602	}	K' β_1
XK β_5''	(Th)	106,1564	}	
XK β_5'	(Th)	106,3149	}	
XK β_2	(Th)	108,581	}	
XK β_4	(Th)	108,953	}	K' β_2
XKO _{2,3}	(Th)	109,442	}	

6.2 Gamma Emissions

	Energy keV	Photons per 100 disint.
$\gamma_{1,0}(\text{Th})$	49,55 (6)	0,0697 (26)
$\gamma_{2,1}(\text{Th})$	113,5 (1)	0,0174 (47)

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