



1 Decay Scheme

U-237 decays by beta minus emission to levels in Np-237.
L’uranium 237 se désintègre par émission beta moins vers les niveaux du neptunium 237.

2 Nuclear Data

$T_{1/2}(^{237}\text{U})$: 6,749 (16) d
 $T_{1/2}(^{237}\text{Np})$: 2,144 (7) 10⁶ a
 $Q^{-}(^{237}\text{U})$: 518,6 (6) keV

2.1 β^{-} Transitions

	Energy keV	Probability × 100	Nature	lg <i>ft</i>
$\beta_{0,9}^{-}$	147,7 (6)	1,3 (9)	allowed	7,32
$\beta_{0,7}^{-}$	186,2 (6)	2,9 (9)	super-allowed	7,28
$\beta_{0,6}^{-}$	237,2 (6)	48,2 (25)	1st forbidden	6,39
$\beta_{0,5}^{-}$	251,1 (6)	40,9 (31)	1st forbidden	6,54
$\beta_{0,2}^{-}$	459,1 (6)	7 (4)	1st forbidden unique	8,1

2.2 Gamma Transitions and Internal Conversion Coefficients

	Energy keV	$P_{\gamma+ce}$ × 100	Multipolarity	α_K	α_L	α_M	α_T
$\gamma_{9,8}(\text{Np})$	2,3	0,232 (5)	M1+0,1%E2 E1		6 (2)	364 (13) 1,6 (2)	492 (16) 8 (2)
$\gamma_{6,5}(\text{Np})$	13,81 (2)	48,8 (25)					
$\gamma_{2,1}(\text{Np})$	26,34463 (24)	22 (5)					
$\gamma_{4,3}(\text{Np})$	27,020 (7)	0,7 (4)					

	Energy keV	P _{γ+ce} × 100	Multipolarity	α _K	α _L	α _M	α _T
γ _{1,0} (Np)	33,19629 (22)	23 (3)	M1+1,66%E2		131 (17)	33 (5)	175 (24)
γ _{9,7} (Np)	38,54 (3)	0,9 (9)	M1+15%E2		210 (160)	60 (50)	280 (210)
γ _{3,1} (Np)	42,704 (5)	0,65	M1+1,66%E2		56 (7)	13,9 (19)	75 (9)
γ _{4,2} (Np)	43,420 (3)	4,3 (7)	M1+16,8%E2		132 (17)	35 (5)	180 (23)
γ _{7,6} (Np)	51,01 (3)	0,596 (25)	E1		0,565 (12)	0,140 (3)	0,753 (15)
γ _{2,0} (Np)	59,54092 (10)	73,7 (31)	E1		0,84 (6)	0,226 (7)	1,16 (7)
γ _{7,5} (Np)	64,83 (2)	1,800 (26)	E1		0,301 (6)	0,0744 (15)	0,400 (8)
γ _{4,1} (Np)	69,76 (3)	0,0013 (3)	(E1)		0,248 (5)	0,0612 (12)	0,330 (7)
γ _{3,0} (Np)	75,899 (5)	0,05	(E2)		38,9 (8)	10,8 (2)	53,4 (11)
γ _{4,0} (Np)	102,959 (3)	0,0072 (10)	E1		0,0894 (18)	0,0219 (4)	0,119 (3)
γ _(-1,1) (Np)	114,09 (5)						
γ _{5,4} (Np)	164,61 (2)	5,02 (11)	E2	0,195 (4)	1,095 (20)	0,304 (6)	1,70 (4)
γ _{5,2} (Np)	208,00 (1)	84,8 (19)	M1+2,4%E2	2,35 (5)	0,473 (10)	0,115 (3)	2,98 (7)
γ _{6,2} (Np)	221,80 (4)	0,0316 (13)	E2	0,130 (3)	0,304 (6)	0,0839 (17)	0,547 (11)
γ _{5,1} (Np)	234,40 (4)	0,189 (8)	M2	5,560 (12)	1,95 (4)	0,511 (10)	8,24 (16)
γ _{5,0} (Np)	267,556 (12)	1,5 (4)	E1+19,4%M2	0,74 (4)	0,238 (12)	0,062 (3)	1,06 (6)
γ _{8,3} (Np)	292,77 (6)	0,0030 (9)	(E2)	0,0796 (16)	0,0991 (19)	0,0270 (6)	0,215 (4)
γ _{8,2} (Np)	309,1 (3)	0,00028	(E1)	0,0300 (6)	0,00585 (12)	0,00143 (3)	0,0377 (8)
γ _{7,0} (Np)	332,376 (16)	1,374 (19)	E2	0,0631 (12)	0,0611 (12)	0,0164 (4)	0,146 (3)
γ _{8,1} (Np)	335,38 (4)	0,162 (9)	M1+17,5%E2	0,54 (7)	0,113 (8)	0,0278 (17)	0,69 (8)
γ _{9,1} (Np)	337,7 (2)	0,0101 (6)	(E2)	0,0612 (12)	0,0575 (12)	0,0157 (3)	0,139 (3)
γ _(-1,2) (Np)	340,45	0,0016 (3)					
γ _{8,0} (Np)	368,602 (20)	0,0675 (28)	M1(+E2)	0,494 (10)	0,0963 (20)	0,0233 (5)	0,622 (13)
γ _{9,0} (Np)	370,928 (23)	0,167 (8)	M1+15,6%E2	0,42 (6)	0,086 (8)	0,0211 (17)	0,53 (7)

3 Atomic Data

3.1 Np

$$\begin{aligned}
 \omega_K &: 0,971 \quad (4) \\
 \bar{\omega}_L &: 0,511 \quad (20) \\
 n_{KL} &: 0,791 \quad (5)
 \end{aligned}$$

3.1.1 X Radiations

	Energy keV	Relative probability
X _K		
	Kα ₂	97,069
	Kα ₁	101,059
	Kβ ₃	113,303
	Kβ ₁	114,234
	Kβ ₅ ''	114,912
	Kβ ₂	117,476
	Kβ ₄	117,876
	KO _{2,3}	118,429

	Energy keV	Relative probability
X _L		
L ℓ	11,89	
L α	13,76 – 13,94	
L η	15,88	
L β	16,13 – 17,99	
L γ	20,12 – 22,2	

3.1.2 Auger Electrons

	Energy keV	Relative probability
Auger K		
KLL	73,50 – 83,13	100
KLX	90,36 – 97,28	60,2
KXY	107,10 – 114,58	9,06
Auger L	5,04 – 13,52	

4 Electron Emissions

		Energy keV	Electrons per 100 disint.
e _{AL}	(Np)	5,04 - 13,52	58,5 (21)
e _{AK}	(Np)		1,49 (21)
	KLL	73,50 - 83,13	}
	KLX	90,36 - 97,28	}
	KXY	107,10 - 114,58	}
ec _{2,1} L	(Np)	3,918 - 8,731	14,6 (50)
ec _{6,5} M	(Np)	8,07 - 10,15	36,0 (19)
ec _{1,0} L	(Np)	10,769 - 15,586	17,0 (23)
ec _{6,5} N	(Np)	12,31 - 13,41	9,79 (43)
ec _{9,7} L	(Np)	16,11 - 20,93	0,7 (7)
ec _{3,1} L	(Np)	20,277 - 25,094	0,47
ec _{2,1} M	(Np)	20,606 - 22,681	3,9 (5)
ec _{4,2} L	(Np)	20,996 - 25,813	3,2 (5)
ec _{1,0} M	(Np)	27,457 - 29,532	4,3 (7)
ec _{7,6} L	(Np)	28,58 - 33,40	0,19 (8)
ec _{1,0} N	(Np)	31,695 - 32,793	1,16 (17)

		Energy keV	Electrons per 100 disint.
ec _{9,7} M	(Np)	32,80 - 34,88	0,2 (2)
ec _{3,1} M	(Np)	36,965 - 39,040	0,12
ec _{9,7} N	(Np)	37,04 - 38,14	0,05 (5)
ec _{2,0} L	(Np)	37,114 - 41,931	28,6 (22)
ec _{4,2} M	(Np)	37,684 - 39,759	0,84 (14)
ec _{4,2} N	(Np)	41,92 - 43,02	0,233 (37)
ec _{7,5} L	(Np)	42,40 - 47,22	0,387 (9)
ec _{5,4} K	(Np)	45,94 (2)	0,363 (9)
ec _{2,0} M	(Np)	53,802 - 55,877	7,7 (3)
ec _{2,0} N	(Np)	58,040 - 59,138	0,846 (24)
ec _{7,5} M	(Np)	59,09 - 61,17	0,096 (2)
ec _{5,2} K	(Np)	89,331 (10)	50,1 (13)
ec _{5,1} K	(Np)	115,73 (4)	0,114 (5)
ec _{5,4} L	(Np)	142,18 - 147,00	2,04 (5)
ec _{5,0} K	(Np)	148,87 (4)	0,53 (3)
ec _{5,4} M	(Np)	158,87 - 160,95	0,565 (14)
ec _{5,4} N	(Np)	163,11 - 164,21	0,1546 (33)
ec _{5,2} L	(Np)	185,573 - 190,390	10,1 (3)
ec _{5,2} M	(Np)	202,261 - 204,336	2,45 (7)
ec _{5,2} N	(Np)	206,499 - 207,597	0,662 (14)
ec _{7,0} K	(Np)	213,69 (4)	0,0757 (18)
ec _{8,1} K	(Np)	216,71 (4)	0,052 (7)
ec _{5,0} L	(Np)	245,11 - 249,93	0,172 (9)
ec _{7,0} L	(Np)	309,93 - 314,75	0,0733 (17)
$\beta_{0,9}^-$	max:	147,7 (6)	1,3 (9)
$\beta_{0,9}^-$	avg:	39,0 (2)	
$\beta_{0,7}^-$	max:	186,2 (6)	2,9 (9)
$\beta_{0,7}^-$	avg:	49,8 (2)	
$\beta_{0,6}^-$	max:	237,2 (6)	48,2 (25)
$\beta_{0,6}^-$	avg:	64,5 (2)	
$\beta_{0,5}^-$	max:	251,1 (6)	40,9 (31)
$\beta_{0,5}^-$	avg:	68,6 (2)	
$\beta_{0,2}^-$	max:	459,1 (6)	7 (4)
$\beta_{0,2}^-$	avg:	137,6 (2)	

5 Photon Emissions

5.1 X-Ray Emissions

		Energy keV	Photons per 100 disint.	
XL	(Np)	11,89 — 22,2	59,0 (21)	
XK α_2	(Np)	97,069	14,8 (4)	} K α
XK α_1	(Np)	101,059	23,5 (6)	
XK β_3	(Np)	113,303	}	K' β_1
XK β_1	(Np)	114,234	}	
XK β_5''	(Np)	114,912	}	
XK β_2	(Np)	117,476	}	
XK β_4	(Np)	117,876	}	K' β_2
XK $O_{2,3}$	(Np)	118,429	}	

5.2 Gamma Emissions

	Energy keV	Photons per 100 disint.
$\gamma_{6,5}$ (Np)	13,81 (2)	0,099 (4)
$\gamma_{2,1}$ (Np)	26,34463 (24)	2,43 (6)
$\gamma_{1,0}$ (Np)	33,19629 (22)	0,130 (5)
$\gamma_{9,7}$ (Np)	38,54 (3)	0,0033 (20)
$\gamma_{3,1}$ (Np)	42,704 (5)	0,0085
$\gamma_{4,2}$ (Np)	43,420 (3)	0,024 (2)
$\gamma_{7,6}$ (Np)	51,01 (3)	0,340 (14)
$\gamma_{2,0}$ (Np)	59,54091 (10)	34,1 (9)
$\gamma_{7,5}$ (Np)	64,83 (2)	1,286 (17)
$\gamma_{4,1}$ (Np)	69,76 (3)	0,00095 (19)
$\gamma_{3,0}$ (Np)	75,899 (5)	0,00091
$\gamma_{4,0}$ (Np)	102,959 (3)	0,0064 (9)
$\gamma_{5,4}$ (Np)	164,61 (2)	1,86 (3)
$\gamma_{5,2}$ (Np)	208,00 (1)	21,3 (3)
$\gamma_{6,2}$ (Np)	221,80 (4)	0,0204 (8)
$\gamma_{5,1}$ (Np)	234,40 (4)	0,0205 (8)
$\gamma_{5,0}$ (Np)	267,556 (12)	0,721 (10)
$\gamma_{8,3}$ (Np)	292,77 (6)	0,0025 (7)
$\gamma_{8,2}$ (Np)	309,1 (3)	0,00027
$\gamma_{7,0}$ (Np)	332,376 (16)	1,199 (16)
$\gamma_{8,1}$ (Np)	335,38 (4)	0,0958 (22)
$\gamma_{9,1}$ (Np)	337,7 (2)	0,0089 (5)
$\gamma_{(-1,2)}$ (Np)	340,45	0,0016 (3)
$\gamma_{8,0}$ (Np)	368,602 (20)	0,0416 (17)
$\gamma_{9,0}$ (Np)	370,928 (23)	0,109 (2)

6 Main Production Modes

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{U} - 236(n,\gamma)\text{U} - 237 \\ \text{Possible impurities : U} - 236, \text{U} - 238 \end{array} \right.$$

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