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Abstract

Excited states in the nucleus 150 Tb have been investigated up to spin $39\hbar$ and 13 MeV excitation energy using the 130 Te(27 Al,7n) reaction and the EUROGAM array. The theoretical interpretation of the observed states has been performed in the framework of the Deformed Independent Particle Model. The analysis of the decay out of the yrast superdeformed band indicates that normal-deformed states with spins between $24\hbar$ and $28\hbar$ are fed.

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1. Introduction

With the advent of the new generation of gamma-ray spectrometers (EUROGAM [1,2], GASP [3], GAMMASPHERE [4]), which allow the observation of very weakly populated states at low spin, yrare states well above the yrast line and very high spin states, a more detailed analysis of nuclear level schemes is now possible. In recent years many experimental studies of Tb isotopes were devoted to the search for superdeformed bands [5-10] and only scarce and limited informations about the high spin normal-deformed structures in those nuclei were extracted [5,11,12,13]. Such information is essential when investigating the evolution of nuclear shape as a function of spin and excitation energy in nuclei near closed shells, where coexisting spherical-oblate and prolate structures develop at high spin [14], or when trying to trace back the pathways between the superdeformed and normal-deformed minima [15]. The present study of high spin states in ¹⁵⁰Tb is part of a systematic investigation of Tb isotopes in order to fix the high spin structures and their associated configurations. Previously, the normal-deformed levels of ¹⁵⁰Tb have been studied via the $^{151}\text{Eu}(\alpha, 5n)$ and $^{136}\text{Ce}(^{18}\text{O}, p3n)$ reactions [16] up to spin $21\hbar$, whereas the superdeformed structures have been investigated using the ¹²⁴Sn(³¹P, 5n) reaction [9,10].

2. Experimental methods and results

The decay scheme of ¹⁵⁰Tb has been studied using the EUROGAM spectrometer built by a joint France-UK collaboration [1,2]. It consists of 45 large volume germanium detectors (42 were operational in this experiment) of \geq 70 % relative efficiency (compared to a 3" × 3" NaI at a γ -ray energy of 1.33 MeV) and this leeds to a full energy peak efficiency of \approx 4.5 % for the whole array. Each detector is surrounded by bismuth germanate scintillators to reduce the Compton background, leading to a peak-to-total ratio of about 0.55 with a ⁶⁰Co source. The experiment was carried out at the Daresbury Nuclear Structure Facility. The ¹⁵⁰Tb nucleus was populated via the heavy-ion fusion-evaporation reaction ¹³⁰Te(²⁷Al,7n) at a bombarding energy of 154 MeV. The target of 550 μ g.cm⁻² thickness was evaporated onto a 440 μ g.cm⁻² gold film facing the beam so that ¹⁵⁰Tb nuclei were recoiling in vacuum. The counting rate in the individual germanium detectors was about 8 kHz. Unsuppressed events with a γ -ray multiplicity of at least 7 were required, leading to a mean multiplicity value of 3.9 after Compton suppression. A data set of 5.5 × 10⁸ suppressed events was recorded during 80 hours of beam time, corresponding after unpacking to 4.6×10^9 and 3.1×10^9 triple and quadruple coincidences respectively.

The combined effects of high efficiency and sensitivity for high fold coincidences allowed the observation of very weak gamma transitions, with intensities of the order 10⁻²

compared to the most intense transition in the nucleus using 3 fold coincidences. Examples of coincidence spectra obtained by gating on transitions with very different intensities and placed in various parts of the level scheme are presented in figure 1.

In order to assign spins and tentative parities to the levels, the data were sorted to allow a γ -ray angular distribution analysis. The Ge counters were distributed in rings as follows: 9 detectors at 72°, 4 at 86°, 4 at 94°, 10 at 108°, 10 at 133° and 5 at 157° with respect to the beam axis. To avoid contaminants from nearby nuclei or from multiplets in the same nucleus, we constructed sets of six spectra corresponding to the six rings, double-gated with pairs of carefully selected dipole and quadrupole γ -rays from the main yrast cascade of ¹⁵⁰Tb.

Taking into account that there is no evidence for isomers with half-lifes longer than ~ 1 ns up to high spins [5], which could decay via M2 (magnetic quadrupole) or higher order multipolarity transitions, nearly all $\Delta I=2$ transitions were assumed to have E2 character. For must of the $\Delta I=1$ transitions, only theoretical considerations which favor one or another configuration were used in order to propose parity assignments to the corresponding levels.

The information about γ -ray energies, intensities, angular distribution coefficients and spin-parity assignments is summarized in table 1. The detailed decay scheme is presented in figure 2.

3. The level scheme of ¹⁵⁰Tb

The low part of the level scheme of ¹⁵⁰Tb is in very good agreement with the results reported in ref. [16]. A new (15⁺) level has been added, connected through the 260.2 and 847.1 keV transitions to the 16⁻ and 13⁺ levels respectively. It has also been possible to firmly fix, by means of the 639.4 keV transition, the position of the 20⁺ level. The higher excited levels were also populated in the measurement reported in ref. [9] using the reaction ¹²⁴Sn(³¹P, 5n), but the level scheme above the 21⁺ state could not be worked out. Only indications that the 188.8, 338.4, 527.2 and 496.5 keV transitions lie above the 21⁺ level together with their multipolarity character have previously been given. From the present experiment it turns out that the suggested [9] positions of those transitions on top of the 21⁺ level must be changed. Indeed, the observation of the 907.5, 1074.4, 1288.2 and 1340.7 keV transitions enabled us to unambiguously establish the new levels above spin 21⁺ and to place the previously reported sequence above spin 25⁺. Such high energy transitions have also been observed in the neighbouring ¹⁵¹Tb (ref. [13]) and ¹⁴⁹Gd (ref. [17]) nuclei and have been associated with the breaking of the Z=64 proton core.

4. Discussion

The level scheme of ¹⁵⁰Tb was interpreted by means of a Deformed Independent Particle Model (D.I.P.M.) [18] which is an improved version of the model presented in ref. [19], involving a deformed single-particle field and a monopole pairing interaction treated by particle-number projection. The non-spherical component of the single-particle field is that of a Nilsson Hamiltonian, while the main spherical single-particle energies are extracted from binding energies and spectroscopic data originating from single-particle stripping and pick-up reactions. The total energy is calculated with a particle number projected B.C.S. wave function and renormalized according to the Strutinsky prescription. The configuration assignment for the main experimental levels are given in table 2. For a level with given spin and parity, the calculated configuration with the lowest excitation energy has been usually adopted. Whenever more than one configuration with similar excitation energies are predicted for a given level, the decay modes of this specific level have been analysed and the configuration in agreement with the most intense observed transitions has been adopted.

4.1. The low spin states

The nucleus ¹⁵⁰Tb has one proton and three neutrons outside the Z=64, N=82 ¹⁴⁶Gd closed-shell spherical nucleus. The lowest available shell-model orbitals are $s_{1/2}, d_{5/2}$ and $h_{11/2}$ for protons and $f_{7/2}$, $h_{9/2}$ and $i_{13/2}$ for neutrons. Due to the fact that the reactions used both in the previous [9,16] and present experiments populate states above the 5.8 min 9+ isomer, only the level scheme above this state will be discussed in the following. The configuration of the 9⁺ isomer involves a proton in the $h_{11/2}$ orbital and the three valence neutrons (among which two are coupled to spin zero) in the $f_{7/2}$ orbital, i.e. $\{\nu \left[(f_{7/2}^2)_0 f_{7/2} \right] \otimes \pi h_{11/2} \}_{9^+}$. As for other nuclei in this mass region, the lowest excited states are built on single-particle excitations of the unpaired neutron, i.e. the promotion from the $f_{7/2}$ to the $h_{9/2}$ or $i_{13/2}$ orbitals. The corresponding excitations leed to the 10^+ and 12 states, which are formed by coupling the h_{11/2} proton with the unpaired valence neutron in the $h_{9/2}$ and $i_{13/2}$ orbitals respectively. The positive-parity 11^+ and 13^+ states have been interpreted as members of the $\nu f_{7/2}^3 \otimes \pi h_{11/2}$ multiplet, whereas the 14⁺ and 16⁺ states as possible members of the $\nu(f_{7/2}^2)h_{9/2}\otimes \pi h_{11/2}$ multiplet. The state with spin (15⁺) has been explained as a proton in the $h_{11/2}$ orbital coupled to the $19/2^-$ state in ¹⁴⁹Gd core for which a $\left[\nu f_{7/2}^3 \otimes (3^-)^2\right]_{19/2^-}$ configuration has been assigned [20].

The negative-parity states are expected to have a large admixture of octupole vibrations, a feature which is common to the nuclei around the ¹⁴⁶Gd core [21]. Indeed, the strongly populated cascade with spins 10⁻, 11⁻, 13⁻, 15⁻ can be nicely interpreted by

coupling the odd proton in the $h_{11/2}$ orbital to the $\nu f_{7/2}^3 \otimes 3^-$ multiplet in ¹⁴⁹Gd (see ref. [20]). The negative-parity states with even spins up to 18 can be considered as a band built on the configuration with one neutron excited in the $i_{13/2}$ orbital and coupled to the $h_{11/2}$ proton. However, in this band one expects a non negligible admixture between the $\nu i_{13/2}$ and $(\nu f_{7/2}\otimes 3^-)_{13/2}$ configurations, which could account for the connecting transitions to the odd-spin negative-parity states. Concerning the structure of the strongly populated 19- state one realises that there is no single-particle configuration where the angular momenta of the valence particles are completely aligned to the symmetry axis and which gives the proper I^{π} value. However, in the neighbouring ¹⁴⁹Gd isotone there exists a $27/2^+$ isomer with a half-life of 6 ns and for which the $\nu(f_{7/2}^2h_{9/2})_{21/2}^{max}\otimes 3^-$ configuration has been proposed [20]. We therefore expect that the main contribution to the 19⁻ state in ¹⁵⁰Tb originates from the coupling of the $h_{11/2}$ proton with the $27/2^+$ state in ¹⁴⁹Gd core. Admixtures with the $\left[\nu(f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2})_{27/2}\otimes\pi h_{11/2}\right]_{19^-}$ shell-model configuration could very well account for the transition connecting the maximum aligned 20⁻ state (having a $\left[\nu(f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2})_{29/2}^{max}\otimes\pi h_{11/2}\right]_{20^-}$ proposed configuration) to the 19⁻ state.

4.2. The high spin states

As in the case of the neighbouring nuclei, in order to generate higher angular momenta one must envisage either the excitation of the valence neutrons into the $i_{13/2}$ orbit and the alignment of their spins along the symmetry axis or the breaking of the proton core and the promotion of another proton to the $h_{11/2}$ orbital [12,13]. Hence, for the positive-parity states 19^+ , 20^+ and 21^+ , configurations with two neutrons excited in the $i_{13/2}$ orbital coupled to a $h_{11/2}$ proton have been assigned. For the other levels up to spin 25^+ the suggested configurations have one proton promoted from the $d_{5/2}$ or $g_{7/2}$ orbitals to the $h_{11/2}$ orbital and the valence neutrons excited into the lowest available states. At higher spins another proton is further promoted across the $d_{5/2} - h_{11/2}$ gap, while above the 30^- state the promotion of a neutron from the very oblate driving $\nu d_{3/2}$ orbital located below the Fermi surface begins to compete with the proton excitations.

In general, we can say that most of the yrast states have been assigned as maximum aligned configurations and that the nuclear shape changes from nearly spherical to oblate with increasing angular momentum and excitation energy (see table 2).

5. The decay-out of the yrast superdeformed band

Special attention has been paid during the analysis to the transitions which appear to be in coincidence with the yrast superdeformed band of the ¹⁵⁰Tb nucleus [9,10]. Due to the detailed knowledge of the normal-deformed level scheme established in the present work, we have been able to trace back the highest normal-deformed levels (and consequently the highest spins) fed by the yrast superdeformed band. From the present experiment we confirm that the previously reported 188.8, 338.4, 496.5 and 527.2 keV transitions [9] are in coincidence with the yrast SD band. In addition we have also observed in coincidence with the SD band the 285.3 and 318.4 keV transitions deexciting the 24^+ and 25^+ levels respectively. From the analysis of the transition intensities, it turns out that states between 24^+ and 28^- are populated and the deduced average entry-spin is $\langle I \rangle \approx 26\hbar$. This value is close to the $\langle I \rangle \approx 27.5 \hbar$ value determined for the yrast SD band in ¹⁵¹Tb (ref. [13]) or to the $\langle I \rangle \approx 24.5\hbar$ value measured for the yrast SD band in ¹⁴⁹Gd (ref. [22]), but is definitely higher compared to the value $\langle I \rangle \approx 21\hbar$ deduced both for the yrast SD band in ¹⁵²Dy (ref. [23]) and the first excited SD band in ¹⁵¹Tb (identical to the ¹⁵²Dy yrast SD band) (ref. [13]).

It therefore seems that in the A=150 mass region the average entry-spins into the normal-deformed states after the deexcitation of the SD bands depend weakly on their associated high-N neutron intruder configurations ($\nu 7^1$ or $\nu 7^2$), except for the yeast SD band in 152Dy and its twin band (first excited SD band) in 151Tb, which have the same high-N $\pi 6^4 \otimes \nu 7^2$ configuration. For the two later bands, the well defined shell-gaps for Z=66, N=86 at large deformation are probably responsible for the smaller average entryspin values [7]. We believe that the experimental determination of the average entry-spins into normal-deformed states could impose constraints to the models assuming a statistical process for the deexcitation of the SD bands [24,25]. In such models, where the decay-out mechanism is studied as a barrier penetration problem, it is found that the effects of pairing correlations on the potential energy and the mass tensor are essential in order to account for the rapid depopulation of the SD bands. Moreover, the absolute decay-out spin values (related to the average entry-spins) depend critically on the angular momentum dependence of the normal-deformed level density [25]. The presently available data on average entry-spins indicate that in addition to pairing correlations both the detailed normal-deformed level structures and the configurations of the SD bands must be taken into account when calculating the decay-out spin values.

6. Conclusions

In this work we have established the decay scheme of ¹⁵⁰Tb up to high spin (39ħ) and

excitation energy (13 MeV). Configurations in terms of nearly spherical or oblate single-particle orbitals are suggested for most of the observed states. The decay-out study of the yrast superdeformed band indicates an average entry-spin in the normal-deformed level scheme of $\langle I \rangle \approx 26\hbar$.

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Figure Captions

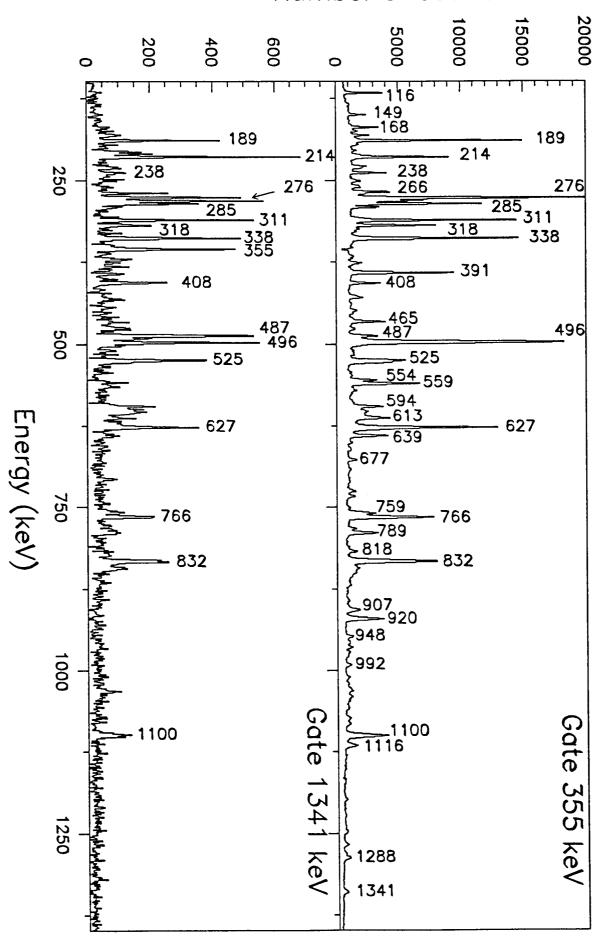
- Figure 1. Double-gated coincidence spectra: the first gate used to select the 150 Tb nucleus, was set on one of the 276, 355, 502, 677, 759, 766 and 832 keV transitions, whereas the second gate was set either on the $355.6(18^--16^-)$ keV transition (upper part) or the $1340.7(22^--20^-)$ keV transition (lower part). The strongest coincident γ rays of 150 Tb are marked by their energies in keV.
- Figure 2. Level scheme of 150 Tb above the 9⁺, $T_{1/2}=5.8$ min isomer obtained in the present work.

Table Captions

- Table 1. Gamma-ray energies, relative intensities compared to the sum of 594.0, 758.8 and 832.5 keV transitions, angular distribution coefficients and spin-parity assignments for the transitions in ¹⁵⁰Tb.
- Table 2. Single-particle configuration assignments for the high-spin states in ¹⁵⁰Tb. The spins given in parenthesis are not determined experimentally. In columns 2 and 3 are given the experimental and theoretical excitation energies with respect to the 9⁺ isomer, whereas in the fourth column the theoretical quadrupole deformations are given.



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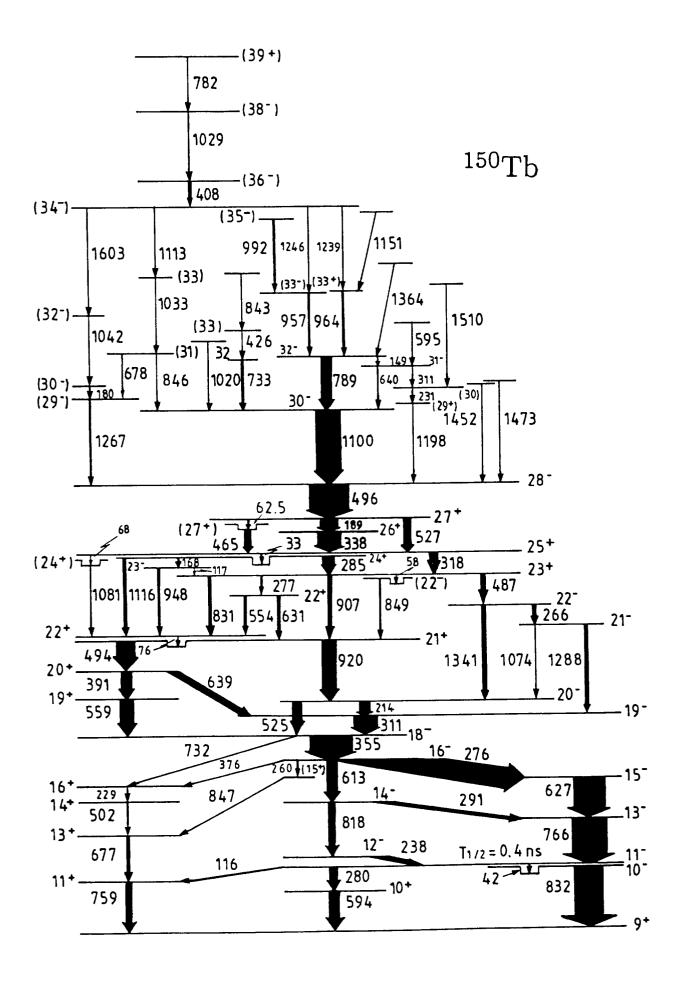


Table 1
Gamma-ray energies, relative intensities compared to the sum of 594.0, 758.8 and 832.5 transitions, angular distribution coefficients^{a)} and spin-parity assignments for the transitions in ¹⁵⁰Tb.

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$E_{\gamma}(\text{keV})$	$\frac{\mathrm{I}_{\gamma}^{b)}}{6}$	a_2	$\frac{I_i^{\pi} \to I_f^{\pi^c}}{11^- \to 11^+}$
115.7		0.27 ± 0.12	
116.6	2.2 (0.5)		$23^- \rightarrow 23^+$
149.5	4(1)	-0.14 ± 0.23	$32^- \rightarrow 31^-$
168.4	4.6	-0.18± 0.24	$24^+ \rightarrow 23^-$
180.1	3.8(0.5)		$(30^-) \to (29^-)$
188.8	34	-0.13 ± 0.06	$27^+ \rightarrow 26^+$
213.7	23	-0.14 ± 0.11	$20^- \rightarrow 19^-$
228.7	4(1)		$16^+ \rightarrow 14^+$
230.8	2.2(0.5)		$(30) \to (29^+)$
238.1	16	-0.14 ± 0.17	$12^- \rightarrow 11^-$
260.2	1.7(0.5)		$16^- \to (15^+)$
266.2	10	-0.19 ± 0.16	$22^- \rightarrow 21^-$
276.5	71	-0.20 ± 0.05	$16^- \rightarrow 15^-$
277.1	11(2)		$23^+ \rightarrow 22^+$
280.5	21	-0.17 ± 0.13	$11^- \rightarrow 10^+$
285.3	27	-0.13 ± 0.13	$24^+ \rightarrow 23^+$
290.9	9	-0.26 ± 0.13	$14^- \rightarrow 13^-$
310.9	49	-0.26 ± 0.08	19 - → 18-
311.4	< 1		$31^- \to (30)$
318.4	21	0.19 ± 0.17	$25^+ \rightarrow 23^+$
338.4	51	-0.11 ± 0.07	$26^+ \rightarrow 25^+$
355.6	95	0.27 ± 0.05	$18^- \rightarrow 16^-$
376.0	2.4(0.5)		$16^- \rightarrow 16^+$
390.7	26	-0.21 ± 0.07	$20^+ \rightarrow 19^+$
407.7	10	0.28 ± 0.21	$(36^-) \to (34^-)$
426.0	2.9(0.5)		$(33) \rightarrow 32$
465.1	14	0.15 ± 0.36	$27^+ \rightarrow 25^+$
486.9	12	-0.12 ± 0.18	$23^+ \rightarrow 22^-$
494.1	40	-0.35 ± 0.15	$21^+ \rightarrow 20^+$
496.5	81	$ -0.15 \pm 0.13 $	$28^- \rightarrow 27^+$
502.6	5(1)		14 ⁺ → 13 ⁺
524.6	24	0.34 ± 0.17	$20^- \rightarrow 18^-$
527.2	19	0.35 ± 0.22	$27^+ \rightarrow 25^+$
554.1	9(1)		$22^+ \rightarrow 22^+$
559.6	32	-0.20 ± 0.17	$19^+ \rightarrow 18^-$
594.0	21	-0.29 ± 0.27	10 ⁺ → 9 ⁺
595.3	< 1		→ 31 ⁻
613.0	26	0.14 ± 0.14	16- → 14-
627.4	71	0.31 ± 0.02	15 ⁻ → 13 ⁻
630.7	10	-0.31 ± 0.21	$22^+ \rightarrow 21^+$
639.4	16		20+ → 19-
640.0	3(1)		31⁻ → 30⁻
677.5	9(1)		$13^+ \rightarrow 11^+$
678.1	2(1)		$(31) \rightarrow (29^{-})$

E ₇ (keV)	$I_{\gamma}^{b)}$	$\mathbf{a_2}$	$\frac{I_i^{\pi} \to I_f^{\pi^c)}}{18^- \to 16^+}$
732.1	1.3(0.5)		$18^- \to 16^+$
733	7(1)	0.27 ± 0.46	$32 \rightarrow 30^-$
758.8	17	0.26 ± 0.20	$11^+ \rightarrow 9^+$
765.7	80	0.32 ± 0.01	13 ⁻ → 11 ⁻
782	4(1)		$(39^+) \to (38^-)$
789.5	27	0.39 ± 0.21	$32^+ \to 30^+$
818.5	16	0.34 ± 0.07	$14^- \rightarrow 12^-$
831.2	13(3)		$23^+ \rightarrow 22^+$
832.5	62	0.02 ± 0.01	$10^- \rightarrow 9^+$
843	3(1)		\rightarrow (33)
846	2(1)		$(31) \rightarrow 30^{-}$
847.1	3(1)		$ (15^+) \rightarrow 13^+ $
849.3	3.4(0.5)		$(22^-) \rightarrow 21^+$
907.5	14	0.48 ± 0.21	$23^+ \rightarrow 21^+$
920.1	34	-0.11 ± 0.14	$21^+ \rightarrow 20^-$
947.9	7		$23^- \rightarrow 22^+$
956.7	8(1)		$(33^-) \rightarrow 32^-$
963.8	7(1)		$(33^+) \rightarrow 32^-$
991.9	5		$\mid (35^-) \rightarrow (33^-) \mid$
1020	3.5(0.5)		→ 3 0 ⁻
1028.8	4(1)	0.12 ± 0.22	$(38^-) \to (36^-)$
1032.8	4(2)	0.39 ± 0.19	$(33) \to (31)$
1041.9	3(0.5)	0.42 ± 0.30	$(32^-) \to (30^-)$
1074.5	3(1)		$21^- \rightarrow 20^-$
1081.0	3.9(0.5)		$ (24^+) \rightarrow 22^+ $
1100.5	57	0.39 ± 0.19	30⁻ → 28⁻
1113.1	4(2)		$(34^-) \rightarrow (33)$
1116.1	12	0.30 ± 0.07	$24^+ \rightarrow 22^+$
1151	< 1		$\rightarrow (33^+)$
1198.3	3.7(0.5)		$(29^+) \to 28^-$
1238.7	< 1		$ \left \begin{array}{c} (34^-) \rightarrow (33^+) \\ (33^+) \end{array} \right $
1245.8	< 2		$(34^-) \rightarrow (33^-)$
1266.9	6.2(0.5)		$(29^-) \rightarrow 28^-$
1288.2	10	0.43 ± 0.53	$21^- \rightarrow 19^-$
1340.7	10(2)	0.16 ± 0.17	$22^- \rightarrow 20^-$
1364	< 1		→ 32 ⁻
1452	1.9 (0.5)		→ 28 ⁻
1472.6	1.4 (0.5)		→ 28 ⁻
1510	< 1		\rightarrow (30)
1603.6	1.8 (0.5)		$(34^-) \to (32^-)$

^{a)} The a₄ coefficients are all very close to zero and therefore have not been included in the table.
^{b)} Intensities corrected for efficiency and internal conversion, relative to the sum of the intensities of the 594.0, 758.8 and 832.5 keV transitions. Except where stated, the errors are less than 10%.
^{c)} The tentative parity of the states are indicated. The spin values for which angular distribution coefficients could not be extracted and which are not fixed by other interband transitions are given in parenthesis.

Table 2
Single-particle configuration assignments for the high-spin states in ¹⁵⁰Tb. The spins given in parenthesis are not determined experimentally. In columns 2 and 3 are given the experimental and theoretical excitation energies with respect to the 9⁺ isomer, whereas in the fourth column the theoretical quadrupole deformations are given.

Īπ	\mathbf{E}_{exp}	E_{th}	β_2	Neutron	Proton
*	(MeV)	(MeV)	12	Neution	1 10:011
9+	0.0	0.0	-0.04	(f ²) f ₋	h
10+	0.594	0.82	-0.04	$(f_{7/2}^2)_0 f_{7/2}$	$h_{11/2}$
10-	0.832	1.66	-0.06	$(f_{7/2}^2)_0 h_{9/2} \\ f^3 \otimes 3^-$	h _{11/2}
11+	0.352	1.37	-0.03	$f_{7/2}^3 \otimes 3^-$	h _{11/2}
11-	0.874	1.41	-0.03	$f_{7/2}^3 \otimes 2^{-}$	h _{11/2}
12-	1.113	1.15	-0.08	$f_{7/2}^3 \otimes 3^-$	h _{11/2}
13+	1.436	1.13	-0.03	$(f_{7/2}^2)_0 i_{13/2}$	h _{11/2}
13-	1.640	2.33	-0.04	$(f_{7/2}^3)_{15/2}^{max}$	h _{11/2}
14-	1.931	2.60	-0.07	$f_{7/2}^3 \otimes 3^-$	h _{11/2}
14+	1.939	2.34	-0.07	$f_{7/2}^2 i_{13/2}$	h _{11/2}
15-	2.267	2.76	-0.03	$\int_{7/2}^{2} h_{9/2}$	h _{11/2}
(15^+)	2.284		4	$f_{7/2}^3 \otimes 3^-$	h _{11/2}
16-	2.264 2.544	2.19	-0.06	$f_{7/2}^3 \otimes (3^-)^2$	h _{11/2}
16+		2.76	-0.06	$f_{7/2}^2 i_{13/2}$	h _{11/2}
1	2.168	1.95	-0.06	$(f_{7/2}^2h_{9/2})_{21/2}^{max}$	h _{11/2}
18-	2.900	2.33	-0.07	$(f_{7/2}^2 i_{13/2})_{25/2}^{max}$	h _{11/2}
19 ⁻ 19 ⁺	3.211	3.15	-0.09	$(f_{7/2}^2h_{9/2}\otimes 3^-)_{27/2}^{max}$	h _{11/2}
1	3.459	4.40	-0.06	$f_{7/2}i_{13/2}^2$	h _{11/2}
20-	3.425	2.89	-0.09	$(f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2})_{29/2}^{max}$	h _{11/2}
20+	3.850	4.07	-0.09	$f_{7/2}i_{13/2}^2$	$h_{11/2}$
21+	4.345	3.80	-0.08	$(f_{7/2}i_{13/2}^2)_{31/2}^{max}$	$h_{11/2}$
21-	4.500	4.47	-0.08	$f_{7/2}^2 h_{9/2}$	$d_{5/2}^{-1}h_{11/2}^2$
22+	4.421	4.81	-0.08	$f_{7/2}^2 i_{13/2}$	$\mathbf{d}_{5/2}^{-1}h_{11/2}^{2}$
22-	4.765	4.66	-0.08	$f_{7/2}^2 h_{9/2}$	$\mathbf{d}_{5/2}^{-1}h_{11/2}^2$
22+	4.976	5.11	-0.09	$(h_{9/2}i_{13/2}^2)_{33/2}^{max}$	h _{11/2}
(22^{-})	5.194	5.09	-0.08	$f_{7/2}^2 h_{9/2}$	$g_{7/2}^{-1}h_{11/2}^2$
23+	5.252	4.81	-0.08	$f_{7/2}^2 i_{13/2}$	$d_{5/2}^{-1}h_{11/2}^2$
23-	5.369	5.13	-0.07	$(f_{7/2}^2h_{9/2})_{21/2}^{max}$	$(d_{5/2}^{-1}h_{11/2}^2)_{25/2}^{max}$
24+	5.538	5.00	-0.08	$f_{7/2}^2 i_{13/2}$	$\mathbf{d}_{5/2}^{-1}h_{11/2}^{2}$
(24^+)	5.502	5.26	-0.10	$f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2}$	$d_{5/2}^{-1}h_{11/2}^2$
25+	5.571	5.50	-0.07	$(f_{7/2}^2 i_{13/2})_{25/2}^{max}$	$(d_{5/2}^{-1}h_{11/2}^2)_{25/2}^{max}$
26+	5.909	5.47	-0.10	$f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2}$	$d_{5/2}^{-1}h_{11/2}^2$
27+	6.036	6.47	-0.08	$f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2}$	$g_{7/2}^{-1}h_{11/2}^2$
27+	6.098	6.02	-0.10	$(f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2})_{29/2}^{max}$	$ (d_{5/2}^{-1}h_{11/2}^2)_{25/2}^{max} $
28-	6.595	6.26	-0.10	$(f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2})_{29/2}^{max}$	$(d_{5/2}^{-2})_0(h_{11/2}^3)_{27/2}^{max}$
(29+)	7.793	7.22	-0.10	$(f_{7/2}i_{13/2}^2)_{31/2}^{max}$	$(d_{5/2}^{-2})_0(h_{11/2}^3)_{27/2}^{max}$

Ι×	\mathbf{E}_{exp}	Eth	β_2	Neutron	Proton
	(MeV)	(MeV)			
(29^{-})	7.862	7.78	-0.11	$f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2}$	$d_{5/2}^{-2}h_{11/2}^{3}$
30-	7.695	8.17	-0.08	$(f_{7/2}^2 i_{13/2})_{25/2}^{max}$	$\left (d_{5/2}^{-2}h_{11/2}^3)_{35/2}^{max} \right $
(30^{-})	8.042	7.78	-0.11	$f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2}$	$\begin{vmatrix} d_{5/2}^{-2}h_{11/2}^3 \end{vmatrix}$
31-	8.335	8.43	-0.10	$f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2}$	$d_{5/2}^{-2}h_{11/2}^{3/2}$
32-	8.485	8.65	-0.10	$(f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2})_{29/2}^{max}$	$\left (d_{5/2}^{-2}h_{11/2}^3)_{35/2}^{max} \right $
(32^{-})	9.084	9.10	-0.10	$f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2}$	$g_{7/2}^{-1}d_{5/2}^{-1}h_{11/2}^3$
(33-)	9.441	9.53	-0.15	$d_{3/2}^{-1}f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2}^2$	$ \left \begin{array}{c} (d_{5/2}^{-2})_0 h_{11/2}^3 \end{array} \right $
(33^{+})	9.449	9.42	-0.15	$d_{3/2}^{-1}f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2}^2$	$d_{5/2}^{-1}h_{11/2}^{2}$
(34-)	10.687	9.53	-0.15	$d_{3/2}^{-1}f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2}^2$	$\left \begin{array}{c} {}^{72}_{5/2} {}^{11/2}_{11/2} \\ {}^{67}_{5/2} {}^{10}_{11/2} \end{array} \right $
(35-)	10.433	10.60	-0.20	$(d_{3/2}^{-2})_0 f_{7/2}^2 h_{9/2} i_{13/2}^2$	$d_{5/2}^{-1}h_{11/2}^{2}$
(36-)	11.095	10.98	-0.15	$d_{3/2}^{-1}f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2}^2$	$d_{5/2}^{-2}h_{11/2}^{3}$
(38-)	12.124	11.94	-0.15	$d_{3/2}^{-1}f_{7/2}h_{9/2}i_{13/2}^2$	$\mathbf{d}_{5/2}^{-2}h_{11/2}^{3}$
(39+)	12.906	12.63	-0.20	$(d_{3/2}^{-2})_0 f_{7/2}^2 h_{9/2} i_{13/2}^2$	$d_{5/2}^{-2}h_{11/2}^{3}$