Dataset for Photo Response of ¹⁵⁰Nd: Experimental Spectra

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1 Spectra and fits of average decay branches of ¹⁵⁰Nd

The figures in this section show the fits used to analyze the contributions from different decay channels to the measured spectra. For each beam energy, a single fit is performed that simultaneously takes into account all spectra from all available detectors. This includes the 0°-detector which is not depicted but used to determine the energy shape of the LCB photon beam.

The fit result should be able to reproduce the — measured spectrum as closely as possible, excluding statistical fluctuations. The fit yields a decomposition into the individual contributions to each spectrum. This includes the measurement of the decay of excited states to — the ground state 0_1^+ and — the first excited state 2_1^+ . Also, the figures depict a decomposition into contributions from states with different parity, distinguishing between the possible decay channels — $0_1^+ \rightarrow 1_{ex}^+ \rightarrow 0_1^+$, — $0_1^+ \rightarrow 1_{ex}^+ \rightarrow 2_1^+$, and — $0_1^+ \rightarrow 1_{ex}^- \rightarrow 2_1^+$.

Additionally, contributions from <u>matural</u> natural background radiation and <u>matural</u> radiation caused by atomic scattering of the photon beam on the target are shown. Finally, for some runs, <u>MRF</u> reactions on 2^+ states of 12 C and 16 O result in additional contributions.

The reproduction of the original spectrum is obtained by convoluting the contributions with the corresponding detector-response matrix (excluding the natural background radiation, which is added separately). To obtain a representation of each contribution that is scaled to the measured spectrum (i.e., includes the detection efficiency but no escape peaks or Compton continuum), the spectra are multiplied with the diagonal of the detector-response matrix.



Figure 1.1: Fit of average decay branches of $^{150}\mathrm{Nd}$ for $E_\mathrm{beam}=2.95\,\mathrm{MeV}$



Figure 1.2: Fit of average decay branches of $^{150}\mathrm{Nd}$ for $E_\mathrm{beam}=3.1\,\mathrm{MeV}$



Figure 1.3: Fit of average decay branches of 150 Nd for $E_{\text{beam}} = 3.2 \text{ MeV}$



Figure 1.4: Fit of average decay branches of 150 Nd for $E_{\text{beam}} = 3.3 \text{ MeV}$



Figure 1.5: Fit of average decay branches of 150 Nd for $E_{\text{beam}} = 3.4 \text{ MeV}$



Figure 1.6: Fit of average decay branches of 150 Nd for $E_{\text{beam}} = 3.5 \text{ MeV}$



Figure 1.7: Fit of average decay branches of $^{150}\mathrm{Nd}$ for $E_\mathrm{beam}=3.6\,\mathrm{MeV}$



Figure 1.8: Fit of average decay branches of $^{150}\mathrm{Nd}$ for $E_\mathrm{beam}=3.7\,\mathrm{MeV}$



Figure 1.9: Fit of average decay branches of $^{150}\mathrm{Nd}$ for $E_\mathrm{beam}=3.8\,\mathrm{MeV}$



Figure 1.10: Fit of average decay branches of $^{150}\mathrm{Nd}$ for $E_\mathrm{beam}=3.9\,\mathrm{MeV}$



Figure 1.11: Fit of average decay branches of $^{150}\mathrm{Nd}$ for $E_\mathrm{beam}=4.0\,\mathrm{MeV}$



Figure 1.12: Fit of average decay branches of 150 Nd for $E_{\text{beam}} = 4.1 \text{ MeV}$



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Figure 1.14: Fit of average decay branches of 150 Nd for $E_{\text{beam}} = 4.3 \text{ MeV}$



Figure 1.15: Fit of average decay branches of $^{150}\mathrm{Nd}$ for $E_\mathrm{beam}=4.4\,\mathrm{MeV}$



Figure 1.16: Fit of average decay branches of 150 Nd for $E_{\text{beam}} = 4.5 \text{MeV}$



Figure 1.17: Fit of average decay branches of $^{150}\mathrm{Nd}$ for $E_\mathrm{beam}=4.6\,\mathrm{MeV}$



Figure 1.18: Fit of average decay branches of 150 Nd for $E_{\text{beam}} = 4.7 \text{ MeV}$



Figure 1.19: Fit of average decay branches of $^{150}\mathrm{Nd}$ for $E_\mathrm{beam}=4.8\,\mathrm{MeV}$



Figure 1.20: Fit of average decay branches of 150 Nd for $E_{\text{beam}} = 4.9 \text{ MeV}$



Figure 1.21: Fit of average decay branches of 150 Nd for $E_{beam} = 5.0 \text{ MeV}$



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Figure 1.43: Fit of average decay branches of 150 Nd for $E_{\text{beam}} = 7.0 \text{ MeV}$

2 HPGe spectra of ¹⁵⁰Nd for DHIPS and HIγS

The figures in this section show detailed HPGe spectra for both the DHIPS and HI γ S ¹⁵⁰Nd experiment. The binning is 1 keV, except for HPGe4 for runs with a bad resolution. For some beam energies, HPGe4 was missing. Each figure depicts severals HI γ S runs in different colors. The spectral distribution of the corresponding incident photon beam is indicated by a dashed line with matching color. Gray vertical lines mark the energies of transitions of excited states of ¹⁵⁰Nd to the 0⁺₁ and 2⁺₁ state. This also includes transitions to the 2⁺₁ state that were not analyzed. Further markers indicate transition energies of excited states of ¹²C, ¹⁶O, ²⁷Al and also background lines.



Figure 2.1: DHIPS ¹⁵⁰Nd HPGe spectra for 2.2 MeV to 2.7 MeV.



Figure 2.2: DHIPS and HI γ S ¹⁵⁰Nd HPGe spectra for 2.8 MeV to 3.3 MeV.



Figure 2.3: DHIPS and HI γ S ¹⁵⁰Nd HPGe spectra for 3.1 MeV to 3.6 MeV.



Figure 2.4: DHIPS and HI γ S ¹⁵⁰Nd HPGe spectra for 3.4 MeV to 3.9 MeV.



Figure 2.5: DHIPS and HI $_{\rm Y}S$ ^{150}Nd HPGe spectra for 3.7 MeV to 4.2 MeV.



Figure 2.6: DHIPS and HI γ S 150 Nd HPGe spectra for 4.0 MeV to 4.5 MeV.



Figure 2.7: DHIPS and HI γS ^{150}Nd HPGe spectra for 4.3 MeV to 4.8 MeV.



Figure 2.8: DHIPS and HI γ S ¹⁵⁰Nd HPGe spectra for 4.6 MeV to 5.1 MeV.



Figure 2.9: DHIPS and HI $_{\rm Y}S$ ^{150}Nd HPGe spectra for 4.9 MeV to 5.4 MeV.



Figure 2.10: DHIPS and HI γS ^{150}Nd HPGe spectra for 5.2 MeV to 5.7 MeV.



Figure 2.11: DHIPS and HI γ S ¹⁵⁰Nd HPGe spectra for 5.5 MeV to 6.0 MeV.



Figure 2.12: DHIPS and HI γ S ¹⁵⁰Nd HPGe spectra for 5.8 MeV to 6.3 MeV.



Figure 2.13: DHIPS and HIyS $^{150}\rm Nd$ HPGe spectra for 6.1 MeV to 6.7 MeV.



Figure 2.14: DHIPS and HI γS ^{150}Nd HPGe spectra for 6.4 MeV to 7.0 MeV.



Figure 2.15: DHIPS and HIyS $^{150}\rm Nd$ HPGe spectra for 6.7 MeV to 7.3 MeV.