

## M1 Transition strength of the mixed-symmetry 2+ state of $^{132}\text{Te}$

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The one-phonon mixed-symmetry  $2^+$  of  $^{132}\text{Te}$  is of high interest due to the specific structure of this nucleus, with two valence-proton particles and two valence-neutron holes with respect to the doubly-magic nucleus  $^{132}\text{Sn}$ . In recent experiments, the second excited  $2^+$  state has been assigned as the one-phonon mixed-symmetry  $2^+$  state [1], due to the high B(M1) transition strength between this state and the  $2_1^+$  state, which is the proton-neutron symmetric counterpart of the mixed-symmetry state. However, the obtained value is highly uncertain and extraordinarily large with  $5.4(3.5)\mu_N^2$ , mainly due to the 50 % uncertainty in the reference value of its decay branching ratio to the  $2_1^+$  and  $0_1^+$  state [2].

By populating the  $2_2^+$  state in a two-neutron transfer reaction  $^{130}\text{Te}(^{18}\text{O},^{16}\text{O})^{132}\text{Te}$  at IFIN-HH in Romania, it was now possible to obtain a more precise value for the B(M1) transition strength. This was achieved by determining the lifetime after performing a lineshape analysis of the deexcitation  $\gamma$ -rays using the Doppler-shift attenuation method.

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