

# Supplemental Material

## Spectroscopy along Flerovium Decay Chains: Fine Structure in Odd- $A$ $^{289}\text{Fl}$

The Supplemental Material provides detailed results and statistical assessments in the analysis of events stemming from decay chains starting with the isotope  $^{289}\text{Fl}$ . Table I summarises the information on correlated  $\alpha$ -decay chains, which were observed in the present experiment, and which were associated with decays of the even-odd  $^{289}\text{Fl}$ .

Decay properties such as decay energies and lifetimes, relating to various ensembles of data associated with previous experiments in the direct or indirect production of  $^{289}\text{Fl}$  and with the present experiment (cf. Table I), are compiled: Distributions of decay energies and correlation times along with determined  $E_\alpha$  and  $T_{1/2}$  values are presented for the different ensembles in Figs. 1 and 2 for  $^{289}\text{Fl}$  as well as  $^{285}\text{Cn}$  and  $^{281}\text{Ds}$ , respectively. To

achieve consistency among the TASCAs experiments,  $\alpha$ -decay energies in Table IV of Ref. [5] were treated with the recoil-correction method outlined in Ref. [1], which led to a reduction of 20-25 keV of the tabulated values. An overview, together with a statistical assessment of the correlation times attributed to the single decay steps is presented Table II for the ensembles of decay chains corresponding to Figs. 1 and 2.

Figure 3 shows an overview of energy-energy, energy-time, and time-time correlations along the  $^{289}\text{Fl}$  decay chains. Data is presented in subsets (different colors) relevant for the discussion in the main article. Table III provides the corresponding statistical measures, and Table IV lists corresponding  $\alpha$ -hindrance factors [14].

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TABLE I: Information on observed correlated  $\alpha$ -decay chains suggested to stem from the odd- $A$  flerovium isotope  $^{289}\text{Fl}$ . Mid-target beam energies in the laboratory frame,  $\langle E_{\text{lab}} \rangle$ , and the center-of-mass frame,  $\langle E_{\text{com}} \rangle$ , as well as target isotope are provided. Energies of the implanted recoils,  $E_{\text{rec}}$ , the implantation detector strip numbers in  $x$  and  $y$ , and the assigned isotope of chain origin are listed for each chain. For each decay step,  $i$ , the decay energy,  $E_i$ , correlation time,  $\Delta t_i$ , and, if in prompt coincidence, photon energies,  $E_{\text{ph}}$ , and electron energies,  $E_{e^-}$ , are given. In case of a spontaneous fission (SF) event, the number of prompt hits in the Ge-detector crystals,  $N_{\text{Ge}}$ , is provided instead of any specific photon energy.  $N_{\text{random}}$  indicates the number of chains of a given type expected to arise from random background. Entries in bold were recorded during beam-off periods. Entries in italic relate to tentative or insecure assignments, typically in connection with a missing event in a chain. Uncertainties of individual energy measurements are  $\leq 10$  keV at typical  $\alpha$ -decay energies of 9-10 MeV in the implantation detector. This uncertainty is worse,  $\approx 20$  keV, for reconstructed events because of the energy straggling in the deadlayers of the Si detectors. See Ref. [1] for more details.

No.	$\langle E_{\text{lab}} \rangle$ (MeV)	$E_{\text{rec}}$ (MeV)	$E_1$ (MeV)	$E_2$ (MeV)	$E_3$ (MeV)	$E_{\text{SF}}$ (MeV)	$N_{\text{random}}$
	$\langle E_{\text{com}} \rangle$ (MeV)	pixel (x,y)	$\Delta t_1$ (s)	$\Delta t_2$ (s)	$\Delta t_3$ (s)	$\Delta t_{\text{SF}}$ (s)	
	target <sup>a</sup>	isotope	$E_{\text{ph}}$ (keV)	$E_{\text{ph}}$ (keV)	$E_{\text{ph}}$ (keV)	$N_{\text{Ge}}$	
			$E_{e^-}$ (MeV)	$E_{e^-}$ (MeV)	$E_{e^-}$ (MeV)		
15	237	13.0	missing	<b>9.18(1)</b>		<b>226</b>	0.04
	36.5	(24/23,20) <sup>b</sup>	-	<b>120.397</b>		<b>7.000</b>	
	<sup>244</sup> Pu <sup>a</sup>	<sup>289</sup> Fl	-	<sup>c</sup>		<b>4</b>	
			-	-			
16	237	12.0	<b>9.82(1)<sup>d</sup></b>	<b>9.13(2)<sup>e</sup></b>		<b>219+2</b>	$7 \times 10^{-7}$
	36.5	(26,16)	<b>8.680</b>	<b>55.448</b>		<b>14.035</b>	
	<sup>244</sup> Pu <sup>a</sup>	<sup>289</sup> Fl	-	<b>124(1)</b>		<b>8</b>	
			-	-			
17	237	19.5	<b>9.99(2)<sup>e</sup></b>	<b>9.30(2)<sup>e</sup></b>		194	$4 \times 10^{-5}$
	36.5	(25,12)	<b>0.448</b>	<b>27.535</b>		49.835	
	<sup>244</sup> Pu	<sup>289</sup> Fl	-	-			
			-	-			
18	237	12.8	<b>9.80(1)<sup>f</sup></b>	<b>9.14(1)</b>		<b>198+8</b>	$7 \times 10^{-7}$
	36.5	(13,13)	<b>1.945</b>	<b>122.202</b>		<b>50.949</b>	
	<sup>244</sup> Pu	<sup>289</sup> Fl	<sup>c</sup>	<sup>c</sup>		<b>7</b>	
			-	-			
19	237	14.6	<b>9.79(1)<sup>f</sup></b>	<b>9.14(2)<sup>e</sup></b>		<b>199+10<sup>g</sup></b>	$7 \times 10^{-7}$
	36.5	(11,17)	<b>8.635</b>	<b>16.510</b>		<b>53.231</b>	
	<sup>244</sup> Pu	<sup>289</sup> Fl	<sup>c</sup>	<sup>c</sup>		<b>8</b>	
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20	237	missing <sup>h</sup>	<b>9.80(1)</b>	<b>9.16(1)</b>		<b>242</b>	$3 \times 10^{-5}$
	36.5	(11,15)	-	<b>50.256</b>		<b>11.943</b>	
	<sup>244</sup> Pu	<sup>289</sup> Fl	<sup>c</sup>	<sup>c</sup>		<b>11</b>	
			-	-			
21	237	missing <sup>h</sup>	<b>9.81(1)</b>	<b>9.10(2)<sup>e</sup></b>		<b>202</b>	$3 \times 10^{-5}$
	36.5	(31,16)	-	<b>18.129</b>		<b>11.450</b>	
	<sup>244</sup> Pu	<sup>289</sup> Fl	-	-		<b>9</b>	
			-	-			
22	241	13.4 <sup>i</sup>	<b>9.56(1)<sup>d</sup></b>	<b>0.46(1)<sup>j</sup></b>		<b>199</b>	$2 \times 10^{-4}$
	39.2	(7,13)	<b>0.331</b>	<b>47.595</b>		<b>10.027</b>	
	<sup>244</sup> Pu <sup>a</sup>	<sup>289</sup> Fl	-	-		<b>9</b>	
			-	-			
23	241	16.5	<b>9.82(1)<sup>d</sup></b>	<b>9.12(2)<sup>e</sup></b>		<b>202+9</b>	$7 \times 10^{-7}$
	39.2	(21,14)	<b>0.914</b>	<b>276.636</b>		<b>15.593</b>	
	<sup>244</sup> Pu <sup>a</sup>	<sup>289</sup> Fl	-	<sup>c</sup>		<b>3</b>	
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TABLE I: Continued.

No.	$\langle E_{\text{lab}} \rangle$ (MeV)	$E_{\text{rec}}$ (MeV)	$E_1$ (MeV)	$E_2$ (MeV)	$E_3$ (MeV)	$E_{SF}$ (MeV)	$N_{\text{random}}$
	$\langle E_{\text{com}} \rangle$ (MeV)	pixel (x,y)	$\Delta t_1$ (s)	$\Delta t_2$ (s)	$\Delta t_3$ (s)	$\Delta t_{SF}$ (s)	
	target <sup>a</sup>	isotope	$E_{ph}$ (keV)	$E_{ph}$ (keV)	$E_{ph}$ (keV)	$N_{\text{Ge}}$	
			$E_{e^-}$ (MeV)	$E_{e^-}$ (MeV)	$E_{e^-}$ (MeV)		
24	241	11.3	missing	<b>9.1(2)<sup>k</sup></b>		<b>123+17</b>	0.04
	39.2	(5,15)	-	<b>23.049</b>		<b>12.359</b>	
	<sup>244</sup> Pu	<sup>289</sup> F1	-	-		<b>4</b>	
			-	-			
25	241	15.5	9.83(1)	<b>9.18(1)</b>		<b>183+13</b>	$1 \times 10^{-4}$
	39.2	(23,13)	2.223	<b>117.641</b>		<b>4.504</b>	
	<sup>244</sup> Pu	<sup>289</sup> F1	-	<sup>c</sup>		<b>9</b>	
			-	-			
26	241	14.8	<b>9.79(2)<sup>ef</sup></b>	<b>3.33(1)<sup>j</sup></b>		<b>197+4</b>	$2 \times 10^{-4}$
	39.2	(10,13)	<b>6.007</b>	<b>84.973</b>		<b>7.596</b>	
	<sup>244</sup> Pu	<sup>289</sup> F1	<b>339(1)</b>	<b>142(2)</b>		<b>4</b>	
			-	<b>0.14(1)<sup>l</sup></b>			
27	241	15.8	<b>9.91(2)<sup>ef</sup></b>	<b>8.92(1)<sup>m</sup></b>		<b>224</b>	$7 \times 10^{-7}$
	39.2	(25,13)	<b>1.455</b>	<b>45.992</b>		<b>6.651</b>	
	<sup>244</sup> Pu	<sup>289</sup> F1	-	-		<b>8</b>	
			-	<b>0.25(1)<sup>l</sup></b>			
28	241	14.0	<b>9.79(1)<sup>f</sup></b>	<b>0.36(1)<sup>j</sup></b>	<b>8.63(1)</b>	<b>240</b>	$2 \times 10^{-8}$
	39.2	(21,18)	<b>1.296</b>	<b>26.815</b>	<b>251.807<sup>n</sup></b>	<b>0.00136</b>	
	<sup>244</sup> Pu	<sup>289</sup> F1	<sup>c</sup>	-	-	<b>5</b>	
			-	-	-		
29	237	13.3	missing <sup>o</sup>	9.09(1)	<b>8.68(1)</b>	<b>188</b>	$9 \times 10^{-9}$
	36.5	(16,4)	-	<i>145.521</i>	<b>21.834</b>	<b>0.0736</b>	
	<sup>244</sup> Pu	<sup>289</sup> F1	-	-	<sup>p</sup>	<b>4</b>	
			-	-	-		

<sup>a</sup>For the first part of the experiment, the target wheel comprised one segment of enriched <sup>242</sup>Pu and three segments of enriched <sup>244</sup>Pu. For the second part of the experiment, all four segments of the target wheel were made of enriched <sup>244</sup>Pu. See Ref. [1] for details.

<sup>b</sup>The energy split,  $\approx 50 : 50$ , between the n-side strips is consistent for all events reported for this chain.

<sup>c</sup>Delayed  $\gamma$  ray(s) observed within  $\Delta t = [1, 7]$   $\mu\text{s}$ .

<sup>d</sup>Event triggered 200-s beam shutoff.

<sup>e</sup>Reconstructed event (cf. Ref. [1]). Detected energies in the implantation detector and in the box DSSSD were: chain 16: 1.41(1) and 6.57(1) MeV; chain 17: 0.58(1) and 8.88(1) MeV as well as 0.74(1) and 7.97(1) MeV; chain 19: 0.64(1) and 7.92(1) MeV; chain 21: 0.62(1) and 7.90(1) MeV; chain 23: 0.59(1) and 7.76(1) MeV; chain 26: 0.73(1) and 8.50(1) MeV; chain 27: 0.95(1) and 8.15(1) MeV.

<sup>f</sup>Event triggered 300-s beam shutoff.

<sup>g</sup>A 5.65(1)-MeV escape-like event was registered 17.983 s prior to the fission event. See Ref. [1] for details.

<sup>h</sup>Implantation event searched for in a period of 60 s prior to the first  $\alpha$ -decay event in the chain.

<sup>i</sup>Another 14.5-MeV implant candidate event 0.580 s earlier.

<sup>j</sup>Escape event. See Ref. [1] for details.

<sup>k</sup>Unable to determine pixel within the box DSSD due to all n-strips within box detector firing. Reconstructed energies assuming the hit was in n-strip 0 and 15 results in 9.7 and 8.9 MeV, respectively. The given value is the solid-angle weighted mean.

<sup>l</sup>About 13% of the full-energy  $\alpha$ -events in the energy interval [8.5,10.5] MeV come in prompt coincidence with an electron. See Ref. [1] for details.

<sup>m</sup>The probability to observe an  $\alpha$ -decay event within [8.5,9.5] MeV within the time period of the entire decay chain (54.1 s) is  $7 \times 10^{-4}$ . A 0.60(1)-MeV escape-like event was registered 30.237 s earlier. See Ref. [1] for details.

<sup>n</sup>750-s period used for  $N_{\text{random}}$  instead of the 110-s period as discussed in Ref. [1].

<sup>o</sup>No viable candidate within 20 s after the implantation event.

<sup>p</sup>Event close to the beam-on period with many Ge crystals signaling.

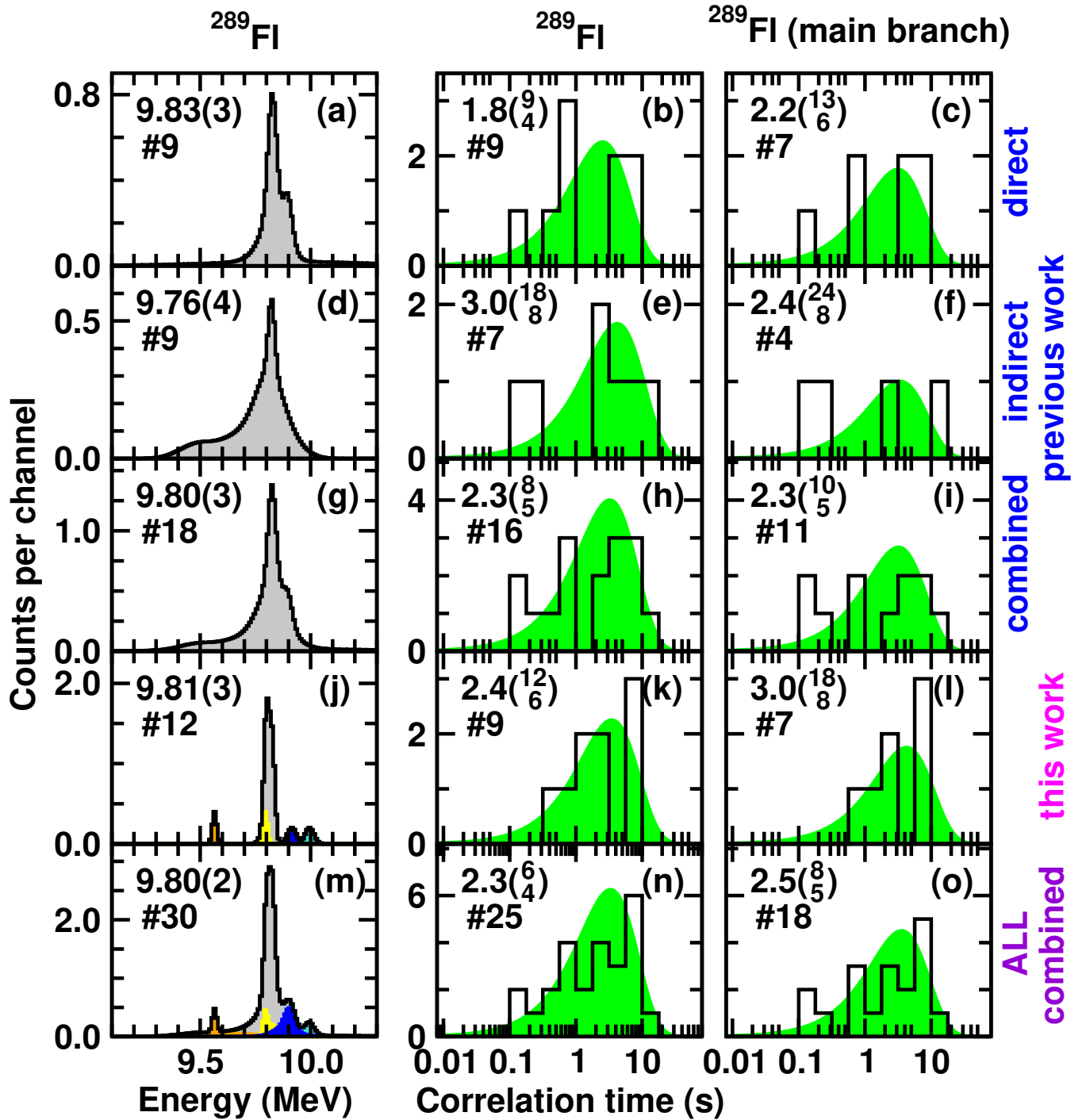


FIG. 1: (Color online) The left column provides experimental decay-energy spectra from events associated with the decay step  $^{289}\text{Fl} \rightarrow ^{285}\text{Cn}$ . For a single entry, a Gaussian with integral one and a width compliant with its measured uncertainty was added into the respective spectrum. The numbers at the top left of each panel in the left column are the ( $\alpha$ -decay) energies extracted by computing the histogram mean in the interval [9.4,10.2] MeV. The middle column provides the correlation-time analysis for *all* decays associated with  $^{289}\text{Fl}$ , while the right column selects only those events associated with the *main branch* ( $E_\alpha \approx 9.81$  MeV) of  $^{289}\text{Fl}$ . Experimental data points are comprised in the histograms (black lines). The shaded areas (green) provide correlation-time distributions expected for the corresponding half lives,  $T_{1/2}$ , which are given in the top left corner of each panel. For all panels, the number after the hashtag, #, indicates the number of available data points. The first row, panels (a)-(c), refers to previous direct production of  $^{289}\text{Fl}$  [2–7]. The second row, panels (d)-(f), refers to previous indirect production of  $^{289}\text{Fl}$  [8–12]. The spectra in the third row, panels (g)-(i), are the sums of the spectra in the first and second row. The fourth row, panels (j)-(l), refers to the present data (cf. Table I). The spectra in the fifth row, panels (m)-(o), are the sums of the spectra in the third and fourth row, i.e., comprise current best values for the (main) decay characteristics of  $^{285}\text{Cn}$ . Orange (blue) color in panels (j) and (m) indicates suggested low-energy (high-energy) decay branches in  $^{289}\text{Fl}$  (see main article). Yellow color refers to chains reaching a Hs isotope. The single chain No. 17 in Table I is marked cyan.

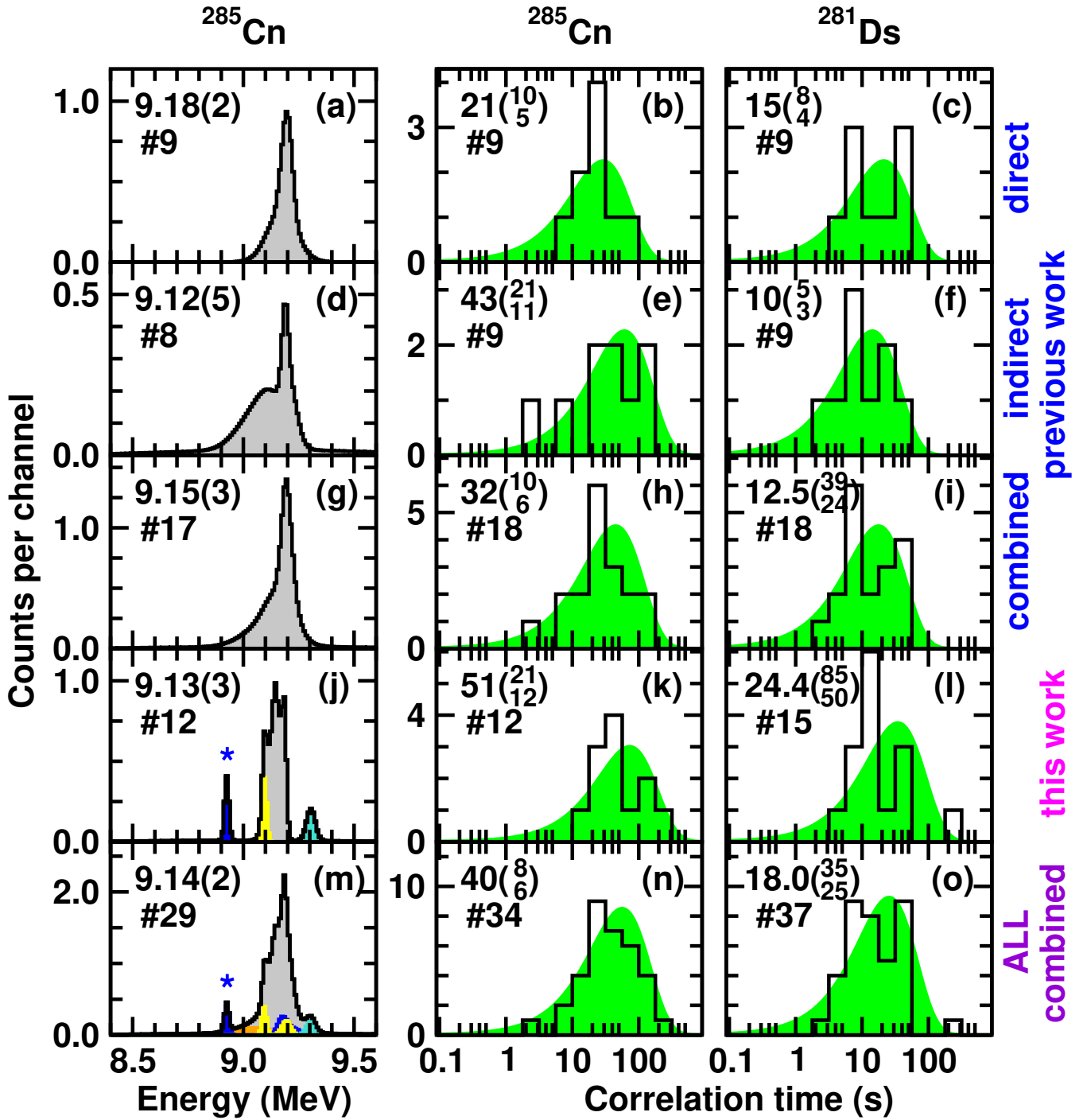


FIG. 2: (Color online) The left column provides experimental decay-energy spectra from events associated with the decay step  $^{285}\text{Cn} \rightarrow ^{281}\text{Ds}$ . For a single entry, a Gaussian with integral one and a width compliant with its measured uncertainty was added into the respective spectrum. The numbers at the top left of each panel in the left column are the ( $\alpha$ -decay) energies extracted by computing the histogram mean in the interval [8.6,9.6] MeV. The middle and right columns provide the correlation-time analysis for *all* decays associated with  $^{285}\text{Cn}$  and  $^{281}\text{Ds}$ , respectively. Experimental data points are comprised in the histograms (black lines). The shaded areas (green) provide correlation-time distributions expected for the corresponding half lives,  $T_{1/2}$ , which are given in the top left corner of each panel. For all panels, the number after the hashtag, #, indicates the number of available data points. The first row, panels (a)-(c), refers to previous direct production of  $^{289}\text{Fl}$  [2–7]. The second row, panels (d)-(f), refers to previous indirect production of  $^{289}\text{Fl}$  [8–12]. The spectra in the third row, panels (g)-(i), are the sums of the spectra in the first and second row. The fourth row, panels (j)-(l), refer to the present data (cf. Table I). The spectra in the fifth row, panels (m)-(o), are the sums of the spectra in the third and fourth row, i.e., comprise current best values for the (main) decay characteristics of  $^{289}\text{Fl}$ . Orange (blue) color in panels (j) and (m) indicates suggested low-energy (high-energy) decay branches in  $^{289}\text{Fl}$  (see main article). Note that the 8.92(1)-MeV  $\alpha$  event ( $\star$ ), was detected in prompt coincidence with a 0.25(1)-MeV electron. Yellow color refers to chains reaching a Hs isotope. The single chain No. 17 in Table I is marked cyan.

TABLE II: Overview of correlation time analyses of single decay steps according to Ref. [13] of various ensembles of decay chains associated with previous direct and indirect and present direct production of  $^{289}\text{Fl}$ . These are the same ensembles as displayed in the corresponding rows of Figs. 1 and 2.

Label	previous direct	previous indirect	previous combined	this work	all combined
No. of chains	9	9	18	15	33
References	[2–7]	[8–12]			
$T_{1/2}(^{289}\text{Fl})$ (s)	$1.8^{(9)}_{(4)}$	$3.0^{(18)}_{(8)}$	$2.3^{(8)}_{(5)}$	$2.4^{(12)}_{(6)}$	$2.3^{(6)}_{(4)}$
data points; $\sigma_{\Theta,\text{exp}}$	9 ; 1.32	7 ; 1.58	16 ; 1.45	9 ; 0.97	25 ; 1.31
$[\sigma_{\Theta,\text{low}}, \sigma_{\Theta,\text{high}}]$ [13]	[0.62,1.84]	[0.52,1.87]	[0.77,1.75]	[0.62,1.84]	[0.85,1.71]
data points; $E_{\text{decay}}$ (MeV) <sup>a</sup>	9 ; 9.83(3)	9; 9.76(4)	18; 9.80(3)	12 ; 9.81(3)	30 ; 9.80(2)
$T_{1/2}(^{285}\text{Cn})$ (s)	$21^{(10)}_{(5)}$	$43^{(21)}_{(11)}$	$32^{(10)}_{(6)}$	$51^{(21)}_{(12)}$	$40^{(8)}_{(6)}$
data points; $\sigma_{\Theta,\text{exp}}$	9 ; 0.69	9 ; 1.29	18 ; 1.06	12 ; 0.80	34 <sup>c</sup> ; 0.99
$[\sigma_{\Theta,\text{low}}, \sigma_{\Theta,\text{high}}]$ [13]	[0.62,1.84]	[0.62,1.84]	[0.79,1.73]	[0.70,1.79]	[0.91,1.65]
data points; $E_{\text{decay}}$ (MeV) <sup>b</sup>	9 ; 9.18(2)	8; 9.12(5)	17; 9.15(3)	12 ; 9.13(3)	29 ; 9.14(2)
$T_{1/2}(^{281}\text{Ds})$ (s)	$15^{(8)}_{(4)}$	$10^{(5)}_{(3)}$	$12.5^{(39)}_{(24)}$	$24.4^{(85)}_{(50)}$	$18.0^{(35)}_{(25)}$
data points; $\sigma_{\Theta,\text{exp}}$	9 ; 0.84	9 ; 0.85	18 ; 0.87	15 ; 1.03	37 <sup>c</sup> ; 0.97
$[\sigma_{\Theta,\text{low}}, \sigma_{\Theta,\text{high}}]$ [13]	[0.62,1.84]	[0.62,1.84]	[0.79,1.73]	[0.75,1.76]	[0.93,1.63]
data points; $E_{\text{decay}}$ (MeV) <sup>d</sup>	1 ; 8.71(2)	–	1 ; 8.71(2)	2 ; 8.66(2)	3 ; 8.67(2)
$T_{1/2}(^{277}\text{Hs})$ (ms)	$3.1^{(149)}_{(14)}$	–	$3.1^{(149)}_{(14)}$	$26^{(64)}_{(11)}$	$18^{(25)}_{(7)}$
data points; $\sigma_{\Theta,\text{exp}}$	1	–	1	2	3 ; 1.67
$[\sigma_{\Theta,\text{low}}, \sigma_{\Theta,\text{high}}]$ [13]	–	–	–	–	[0.19,1.91]

<sup>a</sup>Result from the integration of the energy spectra in the left column of Fig. 1 in the interval [9.2,10.2] MeV.

<sup>b</sup>Result from the integration of the energy spectra in the left column of Fig. 2 in the interval [8.6,9.6] MeV.

<sup>c</sup>Half-life analyses of  $^{285}\text{Cn}$  and  $^{281}\text{Ds}$  include four decay chains from Fl-chemistry experiments behind TASCA [6, 7].

<sup>d</sup>Result from the integration of the energy spectra in the interval [8.4,9.0] MeV.

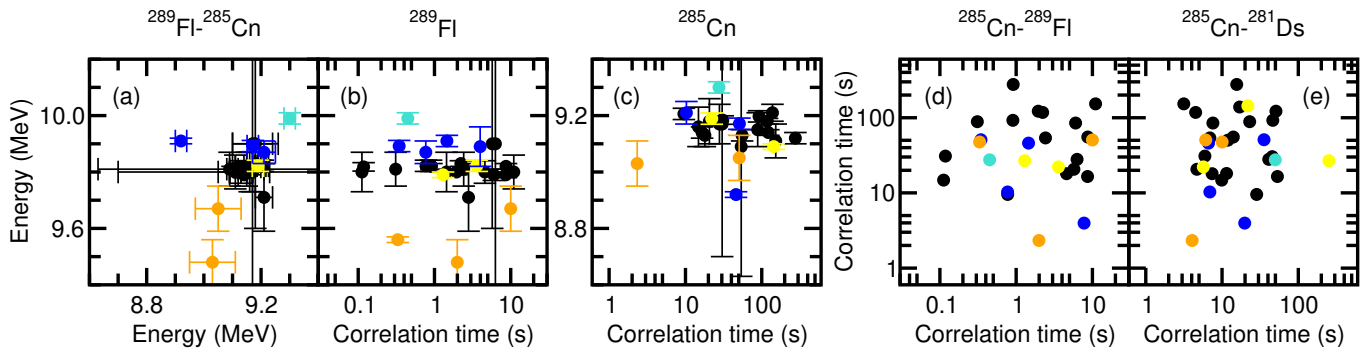


FIG. 3: Energy-energy correlations between  $\alpha$ -decay events of  $^{289}\text{Fl}$  and  $^{285}\text{Cn}$  are displayed in (a). Energy-time correlations are shown in (b) and (c) for  $^{289}\text{Fl}$  and  $^{285}\text{Cn}$  events, respectively. Note that panels (a) and (b) are identical to Fig. 2(a) and (b) of the main article. Time-time correlations are plotted in (d) and (e) for  $^{289}\text{Fl}$ - $^{285}\text{Cn}$  and  $^{285}\text{Cn}$ - $^{281}\text{Ds}$  combinations, respectively. Black circles mark events associated with the main (M) decay branch of  $^{289}\text{Fl}$ . Orange and blue circles mark events with low-energy (L) and high-energy (H)  $\alpha$ -decay events assigned to  $^{289}\text{Fl}$ ; see panel (a), the decay sequences in Fig. 3 of the main article, and Table III for details. Yellow circles mark events from the three decay chains ending in  $^{277}\text{Hs}$ . The single chain No. 17 in Table I is marked cyan.

TABLE III: Overview of correlation time analyses of single decay steps according to Ref. [13] of various ensembles of decay chains associated with direct and indirect production of  $^{289}\text{Fl}$ . These are subsets of the rightmost column labelled 'all combined' in Table II. The label 'low-energy' (set L) refers to chains with  $E_\alpha < 9.7$  MeV for  $^{289}\text{Fl}$ ; one in Ref. [10], one in Ref. [12], and chain No. 22 in Table I [colored orange in Figs. 1(m) and 2(m)]. The label 'high-energy' (set H) refers to chains with full or firmly reconstructed energies with  $E_\alpha > 9.85$  MeV; one in Ref. [2, 3], one in Ref. [4, 5], one in Ref. [12], as well as chain No. 27 in Table I [colored blue in panels (j) and (m) in Figs. 1 and 2]. Chain No. 17 cannot be accomplished for in this context (cf. Fig. 3 and associated discussion in main article) and remains lonesome. The label 'Hs-chains' refers to the three chains with an  $\alpha$ -decay branch into  $^{277}\text{Hs}$ , one in Ref. [4, 5] and chains No. 28 and 29 in Table I [colored yellow in Figs. 1(m), 2(m), and Fig. 3].

Label	'low-energy' set L ●	'high-energy' set H ●	● & ● sets H&M	'main branch' set M ●	'Hs-chains' ●
No. of chains	3	4	29	25	3
$T_{1/2}(^{289}\text{Fl})$ (s)	$2.9(^{39}_{10})$	$1.1(^{11}_4)$		$2.5(^8_5)$	$1.8(^{44}_8)$
data points; $\sigma_{\Theta,\text{exp}}$	$3^a$ ; 1.39	4 ; 0.89		18 ; 1.37	2 ; 0.51
$[\sigma_{\Theta,\text{low}}, \sigma_{\Theta,\text{high}}]$ [13]	[0.19,1.91]	[0.31,1.92]		[0.79,1.73]	[0.04,1.83]
data points; $E_{\text{decay}}$ (MeV) <sup>b</sup>	3 ; 9.57(6)	4; 9.89(2)		22; 9.80(4)	2 ; 9.81(2)
$T_{1/2}(^{285}\text{Cn})$ (s)	$25(^{34}_9)$	$21(^{21}_7)$	$42(^{10}_7)$	$46(^{13}_8)$	$45(^{61}_{16})$
data points; $\sigma_{\Theta,\text{exp}}$	3 ; 1.44	4 ; 0.85	26 ; 0.93	22 ; 0.90	$3^c$ ; 1.44
$[\sigma_{\Theta,\text{low}}, \sigma_{\Theta,\text{high}}]$ [13]	[0.19,1.91]	[0.31,1.92]	[0.86,1.70]	[0.82,1.74]	[0.19,1.91]
data points; $E_{\text{decay}}$ (MeV) <sup>d</sup>	2 ; 9.04(6)	3; 9.10(8)	26 ; 9.14(2)	23; 9.15(2)	2 ; 9.14(4)
$T_{1/2}(^{281}\text{Ds})$ (s)	$5.0(^{68}_{18})$	$14(^{14}_5)$	$19(^4_3)$	$20(^5_3)$	$65(^{88}_{24})$
data points; $\sigma_{\Theta,\text{exp}}$	3 ; 0.37	4 ; 0.60	29 ; 0.95	25 ; 1.00	3 ; 1.57
$[\sigma_{\Theta,\text{low}}, \sigma_{\Theta,\text{high}}]$ [13]	[0.19,1.91]	[0.41,1.90]	[0.88,1.68]	[0.85,1.71]	[0.19,1.91]
data points; $E_{\text{decay}}$ (MeV) <sup>e</sup>	–	–	3 ; 8.67(2)	3 ; 8.67(2)	3 ; 8.67(2)
$T_{1/2}(^{277}\text{Hs})$ (s)	–	–	$0.018(^{25}_7)$	$0.018(^{25}_7)$	$0.018(^{25}_7)$
data points; $\sigma_{\Theta,\text{exp}}$	–	–	3 ; 1.67	3 ; 1.67	3 ; 1.67
$[\sigma_{\Theta,\text{low}}, \sigma_{\Theta,\text{high}}]$ [13]	–	–	[0.19,1.91]	[0.19,1.91]	[0.19,1.91]

<sup>a</sup>Using  $\Delta t = 0.331$  s for chain No. 22.

<sup>b</sup>Result from the integration of the energy spectra in the left column of Fig. 1 in the interval [9.2,10.2] MeV.

<sup>c</sup>Using  $\Delta t = (145.5 - 1.8)$  s = 143.7 s as data point from chain No. 29.

<sup>d</sup>Result from the integration of the energy spectra in the left column of Fig. 2 in the interval [8.6,9.6] MeV.

<sup>e</sup>Result from the integration of the energy spectra in the interval [8.4,9.0] MeV.

TABLE IV: Hindrance factors (HF) according to Ref. [14] for different decay paths considered for  $^{289}\text{Fl}$ ,  $^{285}\text{Cn}$ , and  $^{281}\text{Ds}$ . The color code of the filled circles is the same as introduced and used in Figs. 1-3 and Table III.

Isotope	Set	$E_x$ (MeV)	$E_\alpha$ (MeV)	$Q_\alpha$ (MeV)	$T_{1/2}$ (s)	No. chains	$br_\alpha$ (%)	HF
$^{2xx}\text{Fl}$	L	$X_1$	9.57(3) <sup>a</sup>	9.70(3)	2.9( $\frac{39}{10}$ )	3	100	0.64( $\frac{97}{25}$ )
$^{28x}\text{Cn}$	●	$X_2$	9.04(6)	9.17(6)	25( $\frac{34}{9}$ )	3	100	0.56( $\frac{154}{34}$ )
$^{289}\text{Fl}$	L&M ●&●	0.00	9.57(3) <sup>a</sup>	9.70(3)	2.6( $\frac{7}{4}$ )	3	11	5.3( $\frac{19}{13}$ )
			9.80(2) <sup>b</sup>	9.94(2)		25	89	3.3( $\frac{12}{8}$ )
$^{289}\text{Fl}$	M	0.00	9.80(2) <sup>b</sup>	9.94(2)	2.5( $\frac{8}{5}$ )	25	100	2.8( $\frac{12}{7}$ )
			8.93(3) <sup>c</sup>	9.06(3)		1	4	12( $\frac{7}{4}$ )
$^{285}\text{Cn}$	●	0.00	9.07(2) <sup>b</sup>	9.20(2)	46( $\frac{13}{8}$ )	17	68	1.9( $\frac{9}{5}$ )
			9.19(2) <sup>b</sup>	9.32(2)		7 <sup>d</sup>	28	11( $\frac{6}{3}$ )
$^{281}\text{Ds}$		0.00	8.63(2) <sup>b</sup>	8.75(2)	20( $\frac{5}{3}$ )	3	12	0.8( $\frac{3}{2}$ )
$^{289}\text{Fl}$	M&H	0.07	9.90(3) <sup>b</sup>	10.04(3)	1.1( $\frac{11}{4}$ )	4	100	2.4( $\frac{31}{9}$ )
			8.93(3) <sup>c</sup>	9.06(3)		2	7	6.1( $\frac{34}{20}$ )
$^{285}\text{Cn}$	●&●	0.00	9.07(2) <sup>b</sup>	9.20(2)	42( $\frac{10}{7}$ )	18	62	2.0( $\frac{8}{5}$ )
			9.19(2) <sup>b</sup>	9.32(2)		9 <sup>d</sup>	31	9.3( $\frac{40}{26}$ )
$^{281}\text{Ds}$		0.00	8.63(2) <sup>b</sup>	8.75(2)	19( $\frac{4}{3}$ )	3	10	0.9( $\frac{3}{2}$ )
$^{2xx}\text{Fl}$	chain 17	$Y_1$	9.99(4) <sup>e</sup>	10.13(4)	0.31( $\frac{148}{14}$ )	1	100	1.2( $\frac{68}{6}$ )
$^{28x}\text{Cn}$	●	$Y_2$	9.30(4) <sup>e</sup>	9.43(4)	19( $\frac{91}{8}$ )	1	100	2.9( $\frac{162}{14}$ )

<sup>a</sup>Uncertainty based on the detected energy of chain No. 22 and full-widths at half-maximum for  $\alpha$ -decay lines of the present experiment.

<sup>b</sup>Uncertainty and energy based on peak structure and GEANT4 simulations. A systematic uncertainty of 10 keV was added due to extrapolations of atomic relaxation processes.

<sup>c</sup>Energy and uncertainty based on chains No. 26 and 27 and GEANT4 simulations. A systematic uncertainty of 10 keV was added due to extrapolations of atomic relaxation processes.

<sup>d</sup>Chains 15 and 25 of the present data set plus those with reported  $E_\alpha > 9.18$  MeV from previous studies.

<sup>e</sup>Uncertainty based on detected energies along chain No. 17 and full-widths at half-maximum for  $\alpha$ -decay lines of the present experiment.