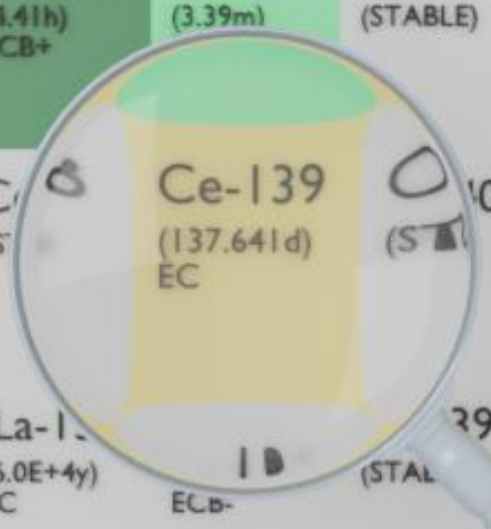




Pr-136 (13.1m) CB+	Pr-137 (1.28h) ECB+	Pr-138 (1.45m) ECB+	Pr-139 (4.41h) ECB+	Pr-140 (3.39m)	Pr-141 (STABLE)	Pr-142 (19.12h) B-EC	Pr-143 (13.57d) B-	Pr-144 (17.28m) B-
Ce-135 (17.7h) CB+	Ce-136 (STABLE)	Ce-137 (9.0h) ECB+	Ce-138 (STABLE)	Ce-139 (137.641d) EC	Ce-140 (STABLE)	Ce-141 (32.508d) B-	Ce-142 (STABLE)	Ce-143 (33.039h) B-
La-134 (6.45m) CB+	La-135 (19.5h) ECB+	La-136 (9.87m) ECB+	La-137 (6.0E+4y) EC	La-138 (STABLE)	La-139 (STABLE)	La-140 (1.6781d) B-	La-141 (3.92h) B-	La-142 (91.1m) B-

CERIUM-139

SUMMARY DATA

GENERAL

CLASSIFICATION

Isotope: Ce-139
Atomic number (Z): 58
Mass number (A): 139
Neutron number (N): 81

RADIOACTIVE DECAY

Decay modes: Electron capture
Half-life: 137.6 [d]
Decay constant: 5.8286×10^{-8} [1/s]
Daughters: La-139 (100.0%)
Radioactive daughters: None

DOSIMETRIC CONSTANTS

Mean alpha energy: 0.0 [MeV]
Mean electron energy: 0.0355 [MeV]
Mean photon energy: 0.15992 [MeV]
Air kerma rate constant, Γ_{10} : 8.054×10^{-18} [Gy $\cdot$ m²/Bq $\cdot$ s]
Air kerma coefficient, K_{air} : 8.054×10^{-18} [Gy $\cdot$ m²/Bq $\cdot$ s]
Equilibrium dose constant for weakly-penetrating radiations (α and/or electrons), Δ_{wp} : 5.688×10^{-15} [Gy $\cdot$ kg/Bq $\cdot$ s]
Equilibrium dose constant for alphas, Δ_{α} : 0.000e+00 [Gy $\cdot$ kg/Bq $\cdot$ s]

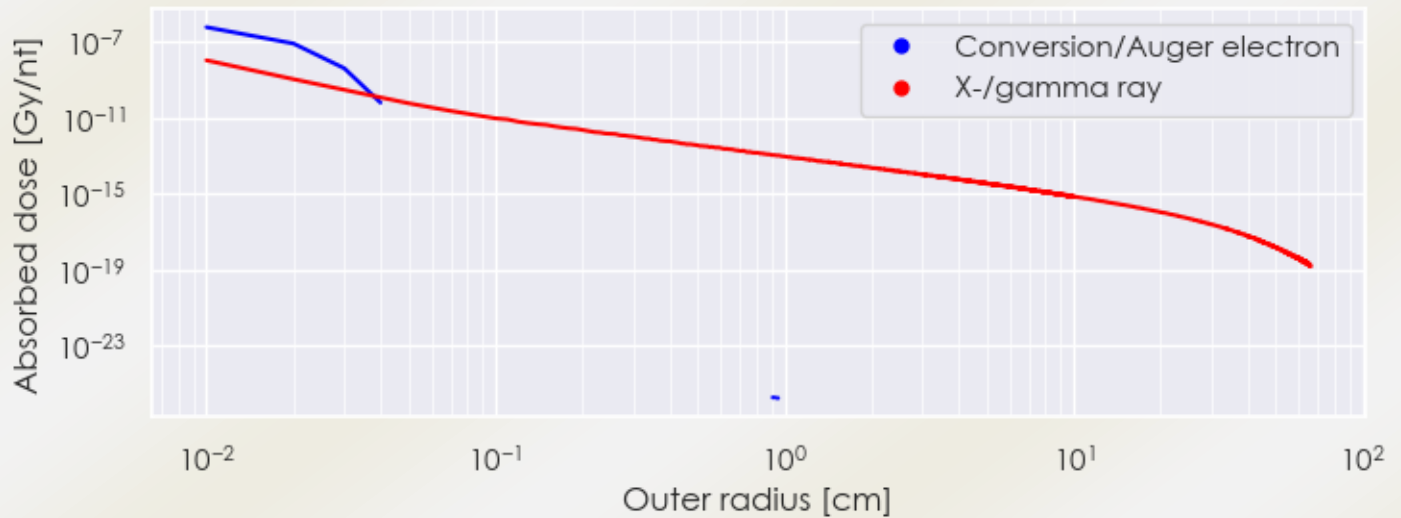
Equilibrium dose constant for betas/electrons, $\Delta_{\beta,\beta^+,e^-}$: 5.688e-15 [Gy·kg/Bq·s]

Equilibrium dose constant for photons, Δ_p : 2.562e-14 [Gy·kg/Bq·s]

DOSE POINT KERNELS (PLOT)

Dose point kernel source: **Graves, et al. Medical Physics. 2019 Nov.; 46(11):5284-5293.**

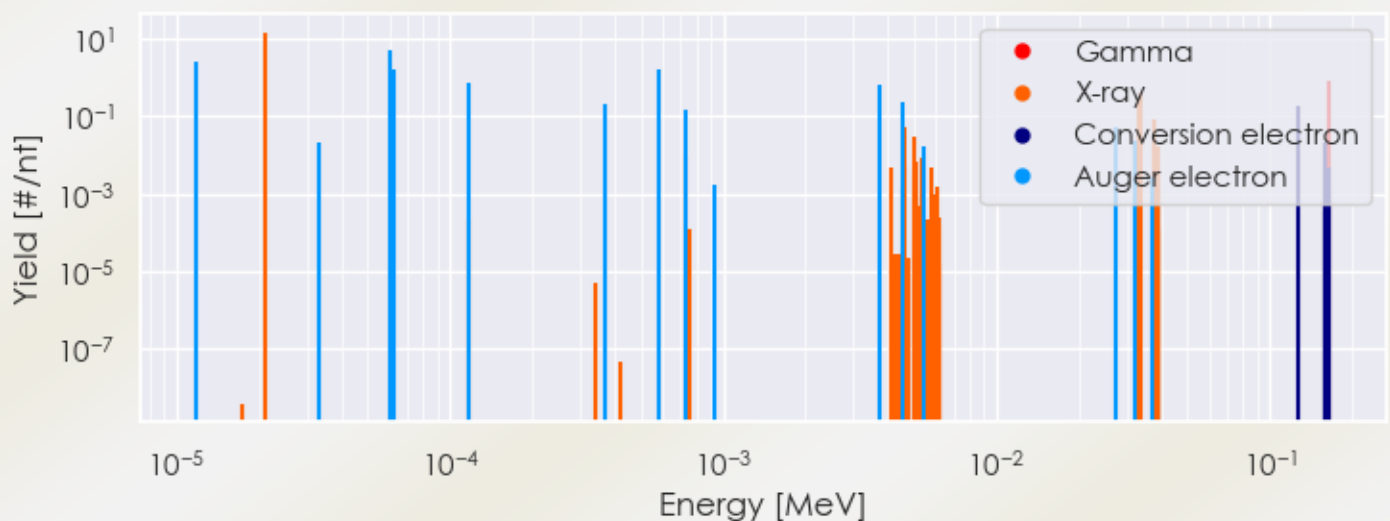
Note: Bins are spaced every 0.1 mm until a radius of 10 cm, and every 1 mm until a radius of 2 m.



Download tabulated dose point kernel file here: www.mirdsoft.org/products/MIRDspecs/Ce-139 DPK.csv

SUMMARY SPECTRA (PLOT)

Spectra source: **ICRP Publication 107: Nuclear Decay Data for Dosimetric Calculations. Ann. ICRP 2008, 38 (3).**



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TABULATED DATA

SUMMARY SPECTRA (TABLE)

Spectra source: **ICRP Publication 107: Nuclear Decay Data for Dosimetric Calculations. Ann. ICRP 2008, 38 (3).**

Note: Radiations with yield < 0.01 are excluded from the table, but are available in the linked *.csv data.

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Energy [MeV]	Yield [#]/nt] if > 0.01	Radiation type
2.10685e-05	1.504e+01	X-ray
4.63652e-03	5.036e-02	X-ray
5.03753e-03	3.030e-02	X-ray
3.30405e-02	2.354e-01	X-ray
3.34591e-02	4.322e-01	X-ray
3.77381e-02	4.166e-02	X-ray
3.78202e-02	8.071e-02	X-ray
3.87359e-02	1.721e-02	X-ray
1.65858e-01	7.894e-01	Gamma
1.18532e-05	2.632e+00	Auger electron
3.33700e-05	2.168e-02	Auger electron
6.08141e-05	5.223e+00	Auger electron
6.28355e-05	1.682e+00	Auger electron
1.17533e-04	7.659e-01	Auger electron
3.72414e-04	2.032e-01	Auger electron
5.80587e-04	1.722e+00	Auger electron
7.32452e-04	1.490e-01	Auger electron
3.71616e-03	6.740e-01	Auger electron
4.53232e-03	2.232e-01	Auger electron
5.38186e-03	1.762e-02	Auger electron
2.73123e-02	5.407e-02	Auger electron
3.21336e-02	2.530e-02	Auger electron
1.26915e-01	1.799e-01	Conversion electron
1.59616e-01	2.239e-02	Conversion electron

USEFUL LINKS

Isotope decay characteristics are periodically updated as better measurements can be made - changes that may not be reflected on this page. Please see useful links:

National Nuclear Data Center (NNDC): <https://www.nndc.bnl.gov/nudat3/mird/>

International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) Livechart: <https://www-nds.iaea.org/relnsd/vcharthtml/VChartHTML.html>

REFERENCE LINKS

ICRP Report 107: <https://www.icrp.org/publication.asp?id=ICRP%20Publication%20107>

Graves et al. Dose Point Kernels: <https://doi.org/10.1002/mp.13789>

MIRD Decay Schemes 2nd Edition: https://sites.snmmi.org/SNMML-MAIN/iCore/Store/StoreLayouts/Item_Detail.aspx?iProductCode=0-932004-80-6