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**$\beta$  decay of  $^{69,70,71}\text{Kr}$**  A.M. ROGERS, C.J. LISTER, J.A. CLARK, S.M. FISCHER, S. GROS, E.A. MCCUTCHAN, G. SAVARD, D. SEWERYNIAK, ANL, J. GIOVINAZZO, B. BLANK, G. CANCEL, CENBG/CNRS/IN2P3, G. DE FRANCE, S. GREVY, F. DE OLIVEIRA SANTOS, I. STEFAN, J.-C. THOMAS, GANIL — Proton-rich nuclei beyond the  $N = Z$  line play a key role in our understanding of astrophysics, weak-interaction physics, and nuclear structure. The decay of  $^{69}\text{Kr}$  is of particular interest as it can be used to populate states in the proton unbound nucleus  $^{69}\text{Br}$ . During the  $rp$ -process,  $2p$ -capture reactions through  $^{69}\text{Br}$  can bypass the “waiting-point” nucleus  $^{68}\text{Se}$ . This depends sensitively on the proton-capture  $Q$ -value. An implantation-decay experiment was recently conducted at GANIL which utilized  $\beta$ - $p$  and  $\beta$ - $\gamma$  correlations to study physics related to the  $\beta$  decay of  $^{69,70,71}\text{Kr}$ . Isotopes of Kr were implanted into a DSSD, also used to detect decay protons, located at the end of the LISE spectrometer. Coincident  $\gamma$ -rays from the implant decays were detected in the surrounding EXOGAM clovers. We were able to identify  $\sim 200$   $^{69}\text{Kr}$  implantation-decay events, allowing us to extract the energy and constrain the angular momentum of the analog state in  $^{69}\text{Br}$  as well as improve the prediction for the  $^{69}\text{Kr}$  mass. An overview of the results from our analysis of  $^{69}\text{Kr}$   $\beta$  decay will be presented. This work is supported by the U.S. DOE Office of Nuclear Physics, Contract No. DE-AC02-06CH11357.

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