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High-spin states in $^{118,120}\text{Sn}$ above the 10^+ isomers. N. FOTI-
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AVELLI, LBNL, W. YOUNES, LLNL — High-spin states in ^{118}Sn and ^{120}Sn were
studied via prompt γ -ray spectroscopy. The data were obtained in three Gam-
masphere experiments at LBNL with reactions populating both isotopes as fission
fragments following fission of much heavier compound nuclei. Additional data were
obtained in a GEANIE experiment at LANL where the isotopes were populated
as evaporation residues in the $^{124}\text{Sn}(n, xn\gamma)$, with $x = 5, 7$, reactions. Sequences of
transitions were observed for the first time feeding the previously known 10^+ isomers,
at 3108-, and 2902-keV excitation energy, and with $2.5\mu\text{s}$ and $6.26\mu\text{s}$ half-life, for
 ^{118}Sn and ^{120}Sn , respectively. The level schemes above the isomers were established
up to 6646-, and 5673-keV excitation energy, for ^{118}Sn and ^{120}Sn , respectively. The
experimental results are compared with predictions from shell-model calculations.

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