

Quadrupole Moments of the ^{40}Ca Core Plus One Nucleon Nuclei

^{41}Sc and ^{41}Ca

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The electric-field-gradient (EFG) and anisotropic chemical shift of $^{45}\text{Sc}(I^\pi = 7/2^-, \text{stable})$ in TiO_2 crystal were determined by detecting the FT-NMR of $^{45}\text{Sc}(0.5 \text{ atm\% of Ti in TiO}_2)$ doped in TiO_2 crystal at a high field of 7.0 T and 9.4 T. Using the EFG, an old β -NQR spectrum of ^{41}Sc was reanalyzed to obtain $eqQ(^{41}\text{Sc})/h$ which was combined with the renewed $Q(^{45}\text{Sc}) = -(23.6 \pm 0.2) \text{ fm}^2$ to obtain $|Q(^{41}\text{Sc}; I^\pi = 7/2^-, T_{1/2} = 0.596 \text{ s})| = (15.6 \pm 0.3) \text{ fm}^2$. Also the atomic EFG in Ca was recalculated, using a finite-element multi configuration Hartree-Fock method to renew $Q(^{43}\text{Ca})$. Finally using the known hyperfine constants of ^{41}Ca , the $Q(^{41}\text{Ca})$ value has been renewed.

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