

Physics & Astrophysics of Neutrinos

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物质第一性

Spiral ascent in learning
认识的螺旋形上升

Interconnection among everything
万事万物的普遍联系

Ultimate test by experiments
实践是检验真理的唯一标准

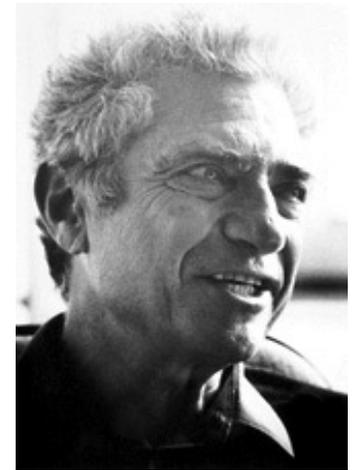
Neutrinos in the Cosmos: A Nobel Perspective

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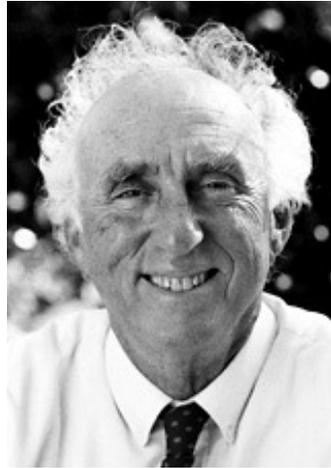
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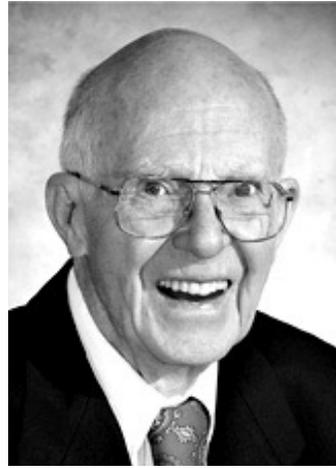
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The Nobel Prize in Physics **1988** was awarded jointly to Leon M. Lederman, Melvin Schwartz and Jack Steinberger for **the neutrino beam method** and the demonstration of the doublet structure of the leptons through **the discovery of the muon neutrino.**



The Nobel Prize in Physics **1995** was awarded for pioneering experimental contributions to lepton physics jointly with one half to Martin L. Perl for **the discovery of the tau lepton** and with one half to Frederick Reines for **the detection of the neutrino.**

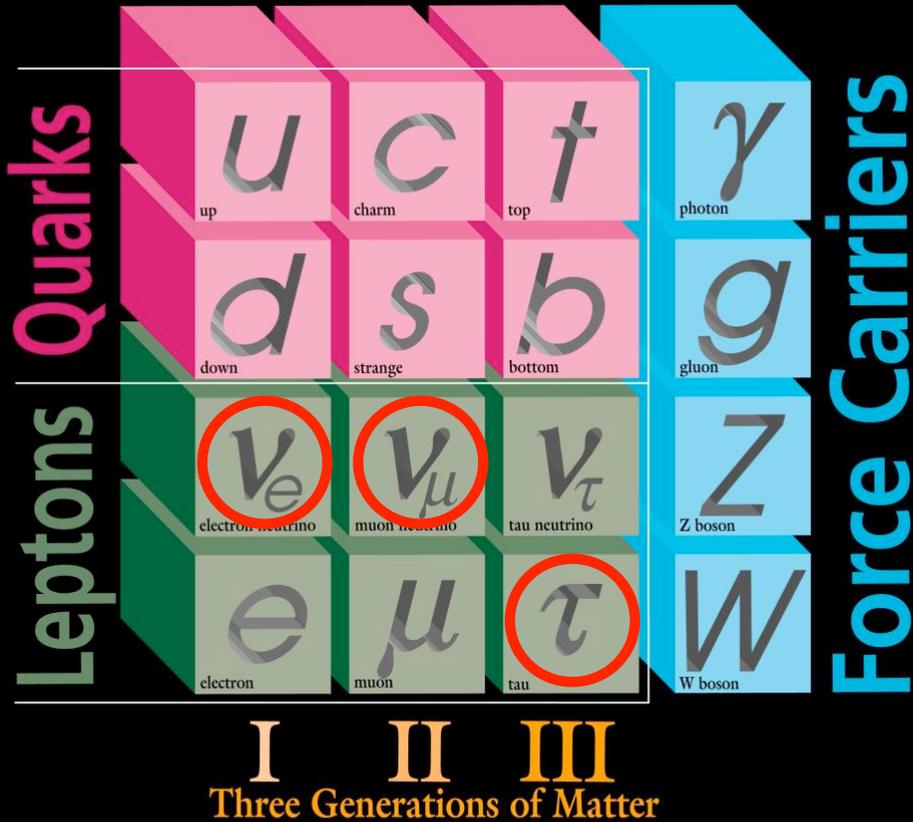


The Nobel Prize in Physics **2002** was divided, one half jointly to Raymond Davis Jr. and Masatoshi Koshiba for pioneering contributions to astrophysics, in particular for **the detection of cosmic neutrinos** and the other half to Riccardo Giacconi for pioneering contributions to astrophysics, which have led to **the discovery of cosmic X-ray sources.**



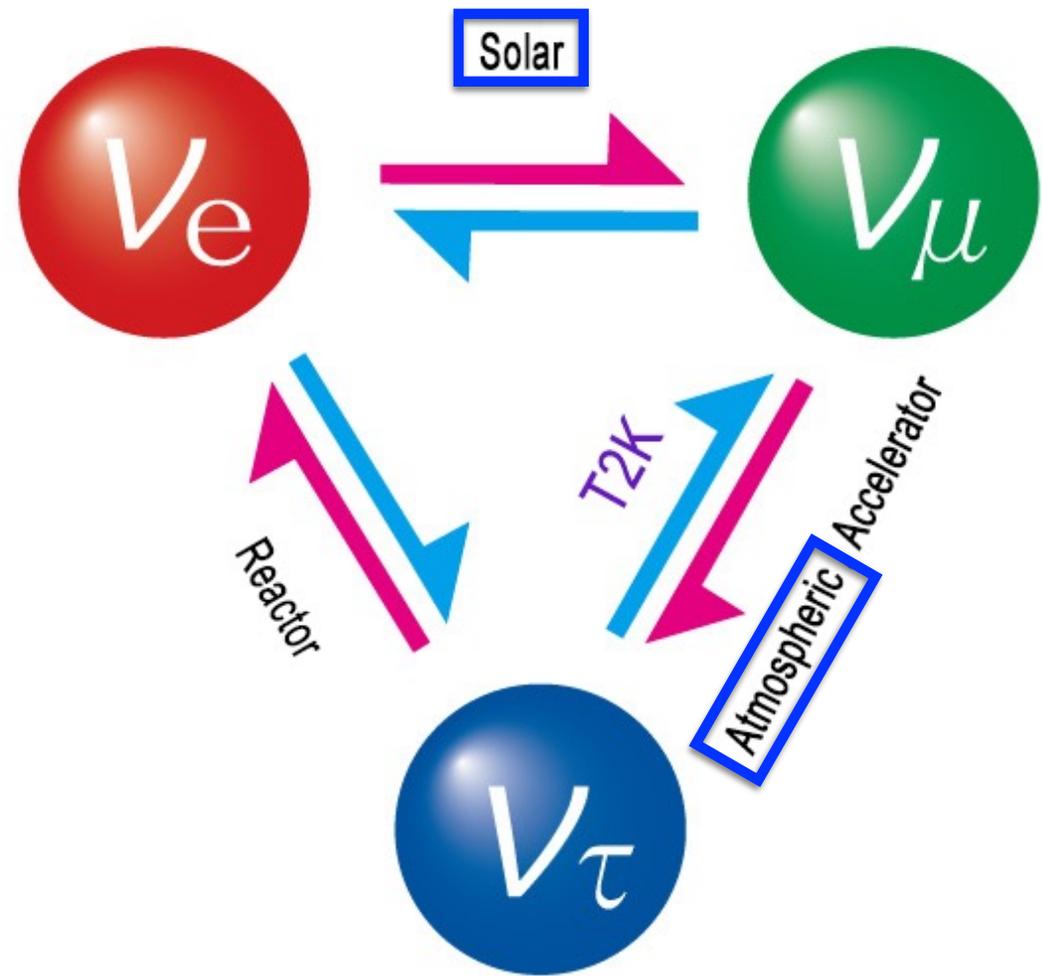
The Nobel Prize in Physics **2015** was awarded jointly to Takaaki Kajita and Arthur B. McDonald for **the discovery of neutrino oscillations**, which shows that **neutrinos have mass**.

ELEMENTARY PARTICLES



Fermilab 95-759

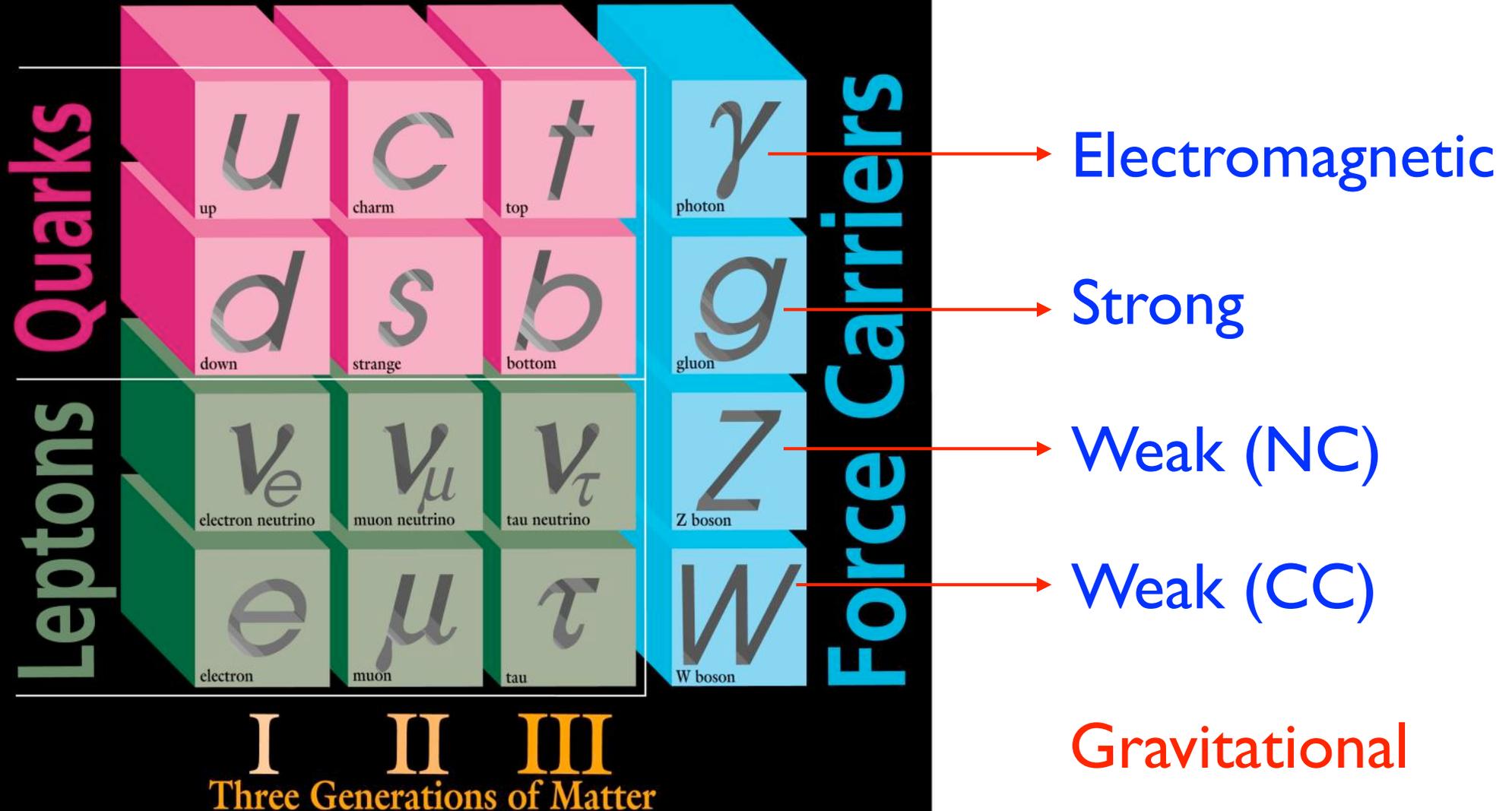
Standard Model

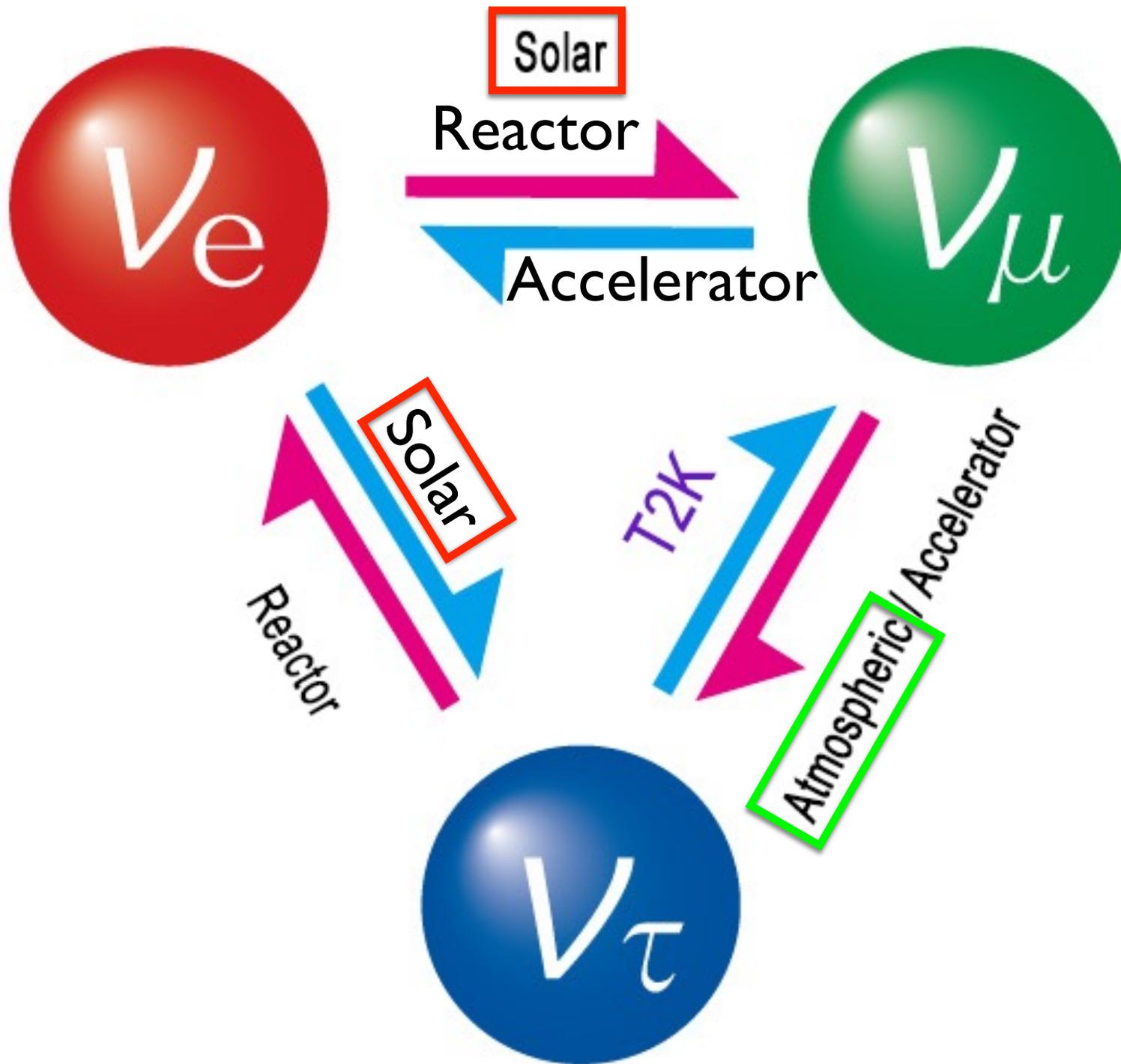


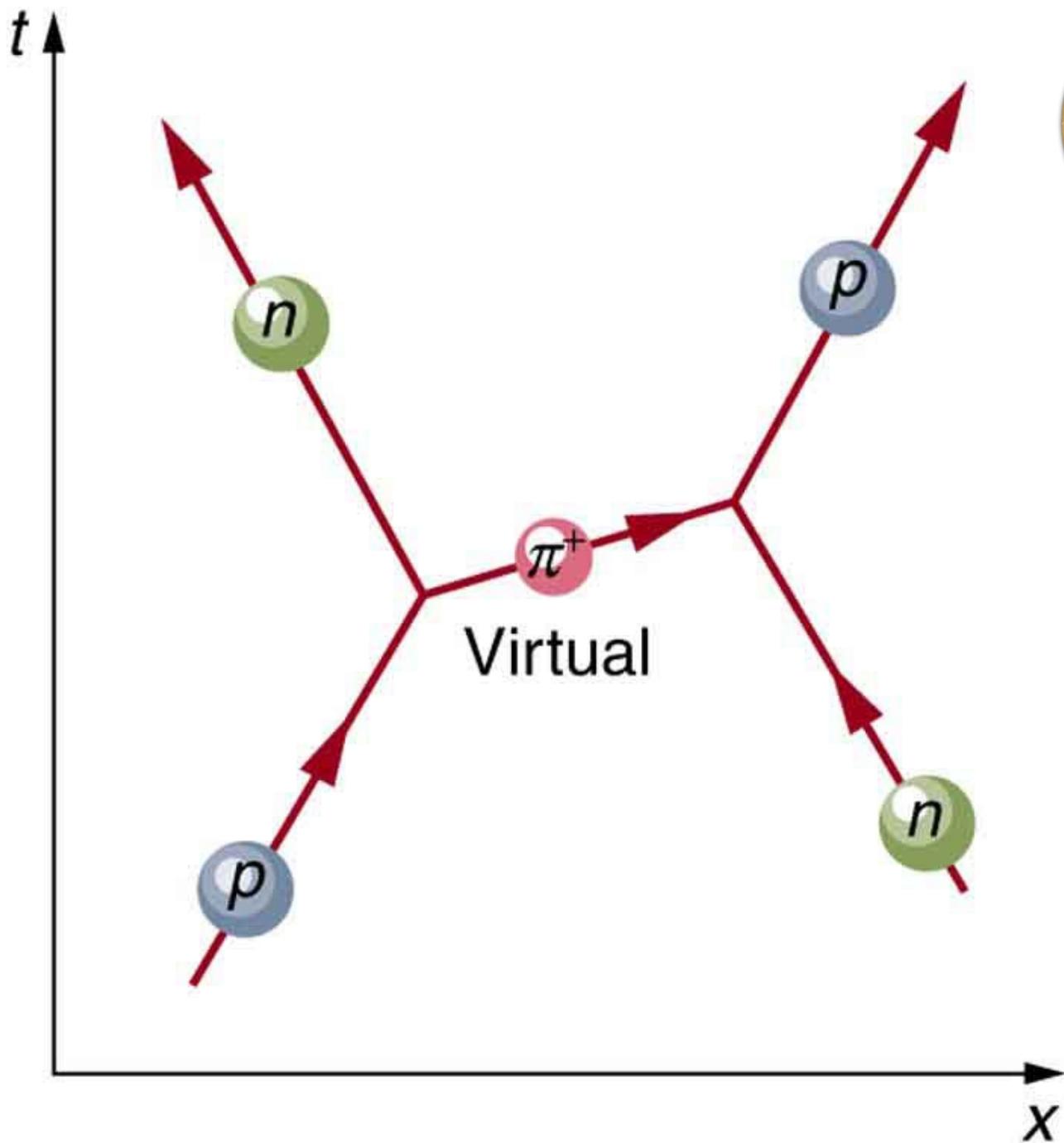
Neutrino oscillation between three generations

Beyond Standard Model

ELEMENTARY PARTICLES







Yukawa
(1949)



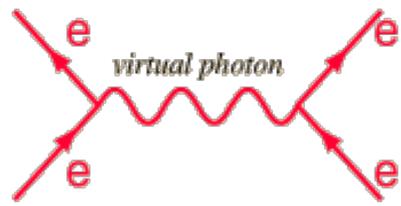
$$\delta E \cdot \delta t \sim \hbar$$

$$m_{\pi} c^2 \left(\frac{\delta r}{c} \right) \sim \hbar$$

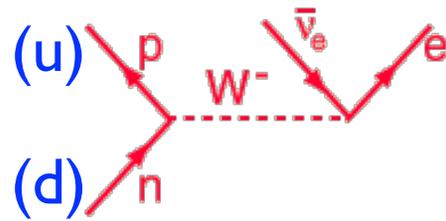
$$m_{\pi} c^2 \sim \frac{\hbar c}{\delta r}$$

$$\delta r \sim 2 \text{ fm} \Rightarrow$$

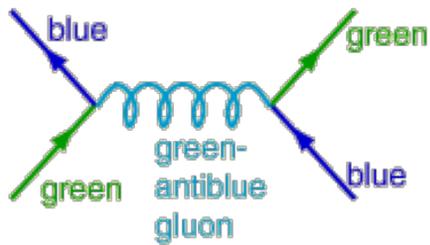
$$m_{\pi} c^2 \sim 100 \text{ MeV}$$



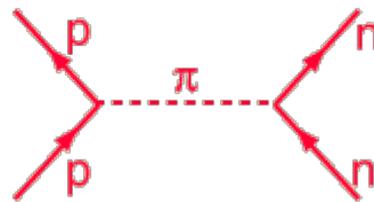
Electromagnetic



Weak
(charged-current)

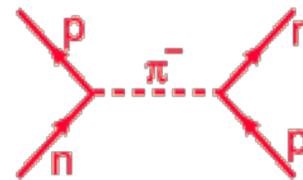
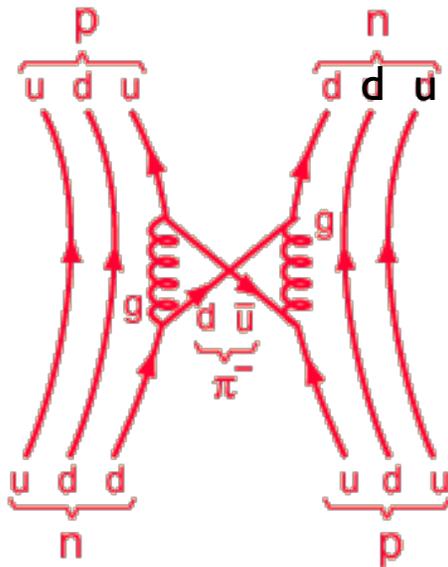


between quarks



between nucleons

Strong Interaction



strong interactions

$$p + A(Z, N) \rightarrow \pi^0 + \dots$$

$$p + A(Z, N) \rightarrow \pi^+ + \dots$$

$$p + A(Z, N) \rightarrow \pi^- + \dots$$

electromagnetic interaction

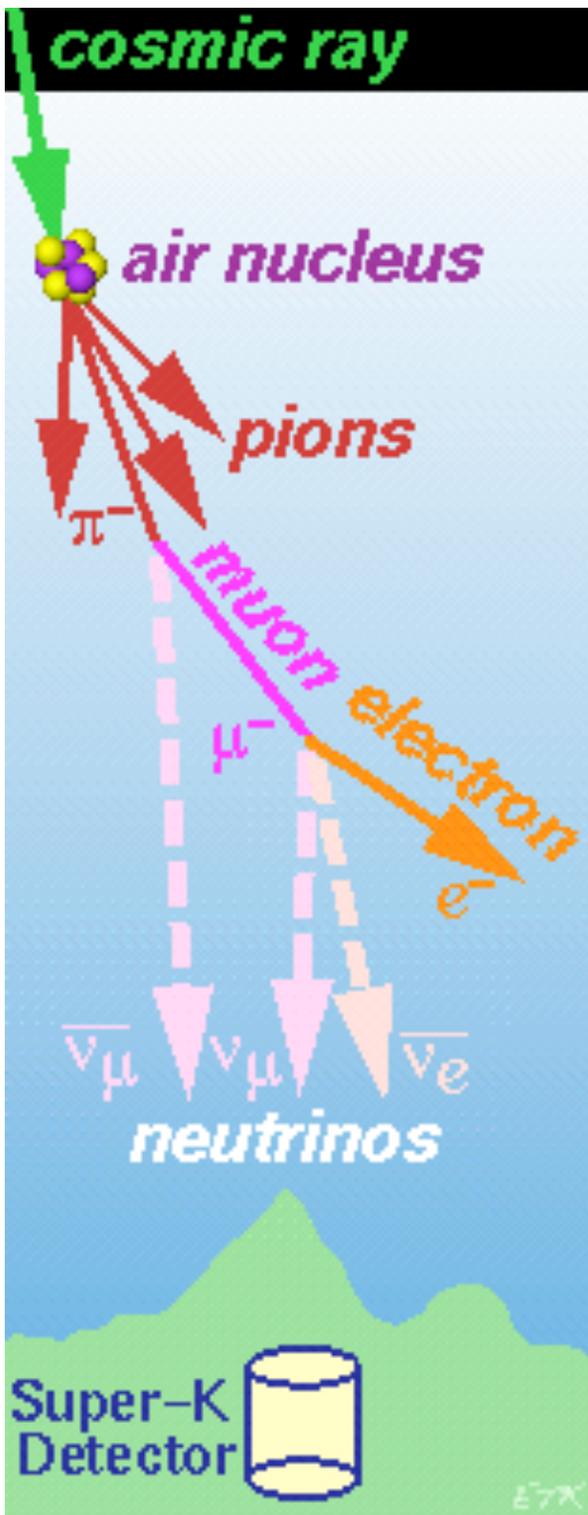
$$\pi^0 \rightarrow 2\gamma \quad (\tau = 8.4 \times 10^{-17} \text{ s})$$

charged-current weak interactions

$$\pi^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ + \nu_\mu \quad (\tau = 2.6 \times 10^{-8} \text{ s})$$

$$\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ + \nu_e + \bar{\nu}_\mu \quad (\tau = 2.2 \times 10^{-6} \text{ s})$$

$$\nu_\mu + A(Z, N) \rightarrow \mu^- + \dots$$

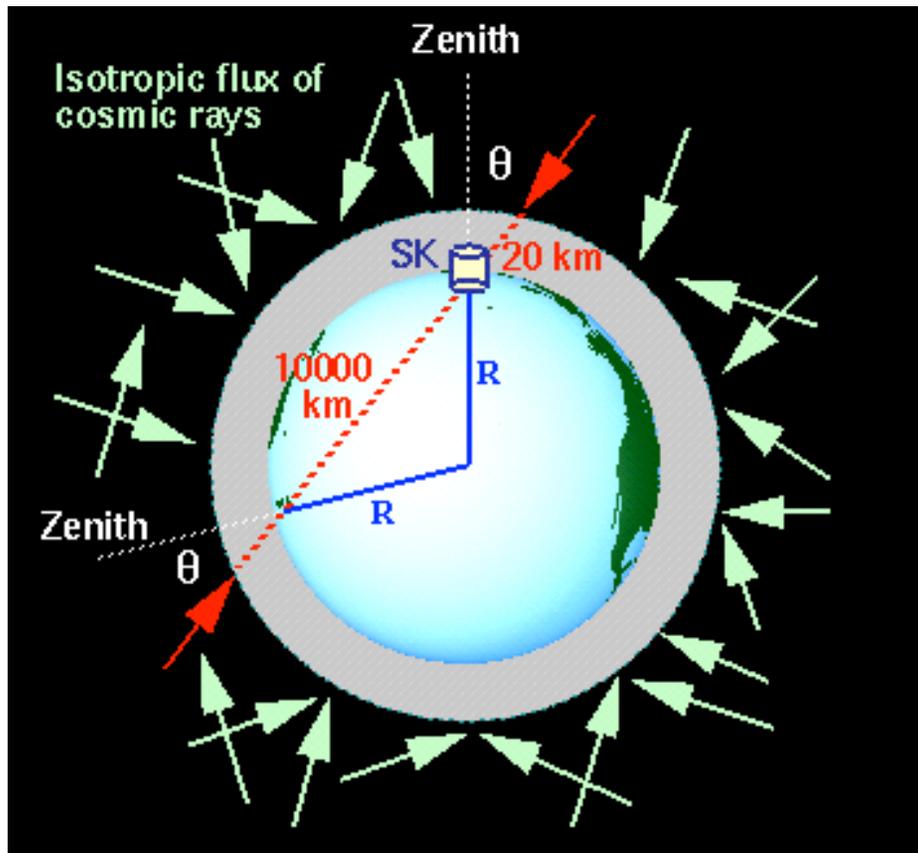


The Nobel Prize in Physics **1936** was divided equally between Victor Franz Hess for his discovery of cosmic radiation and Carl David Anderson for his discovery of the positron.

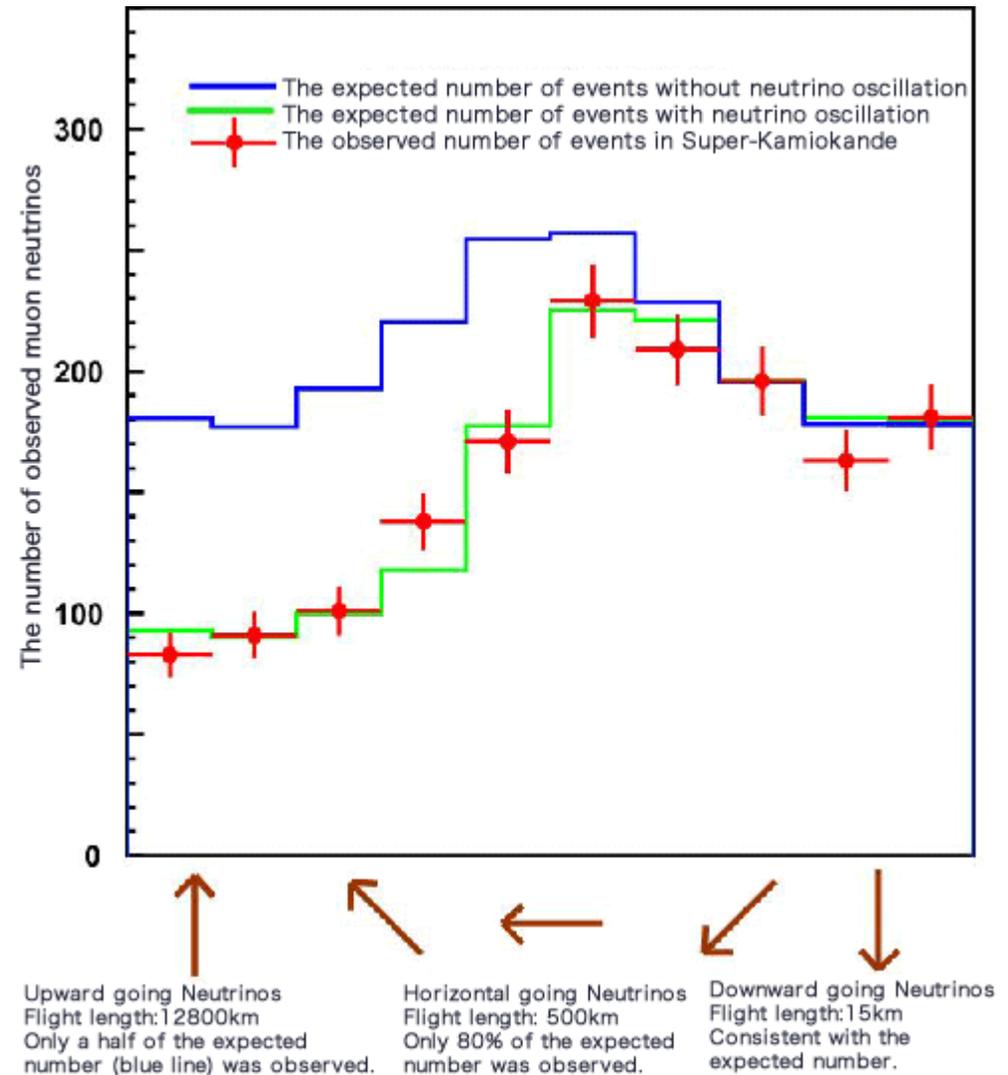
$$\pi^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ + \nu_\mu$$

$$\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ + \nu_e + \bar{\nu}_\mu$$

Atmospheric Neutrino Oscillations

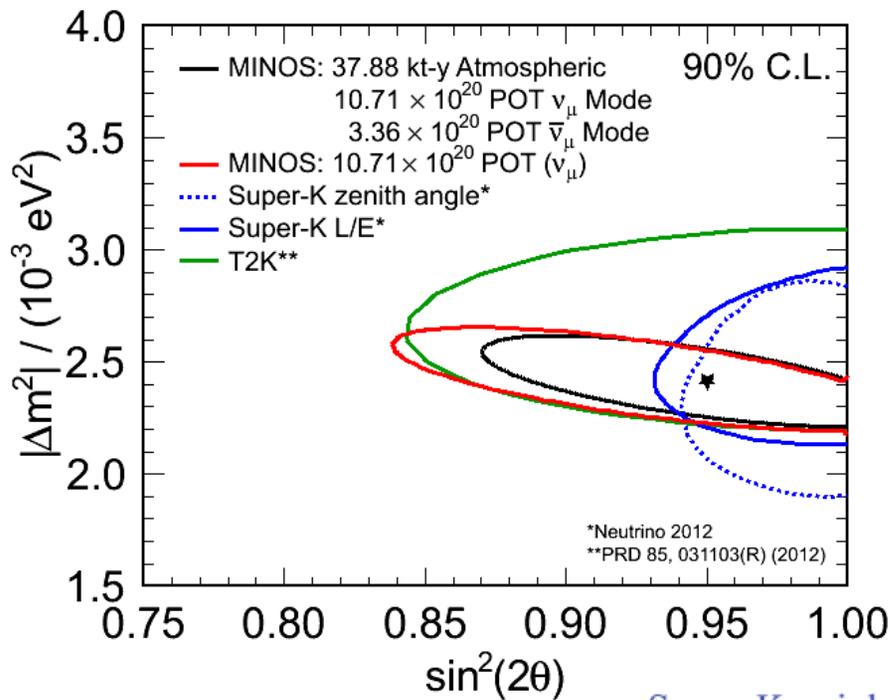


$\nu_{\mu} \rightleftharpoons \nu_{\tau} \text{ \& \ } \bar{\nu}_{\mu} \rightleftharpoons \bar{\nu}_{\tau}$
 vacuum oscillations

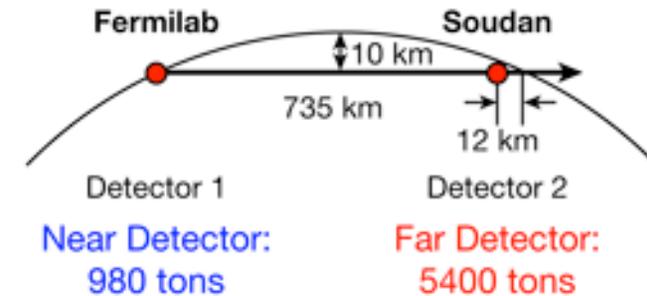


$$P_{\nu_\mu}(t) = 1 - \sin^2 2\theta_\nu \sin^2 \left(\frac{\delta m^2}{4p} t \right) \rightarrow 1 - \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 2\theta_\nu$$

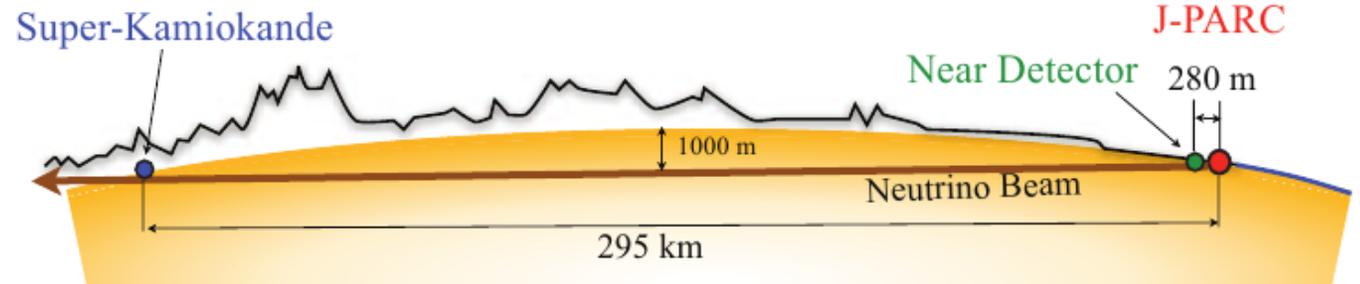
$$\frac{\delta m^2}{4p} t \approx \frac{\delta m^2}{4E_\nu} x = 1.27 \left(\frac{\delta m^2}{10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2} \right) \left(\frac{\text{GeV}}{E_\nu} \right) \left(\frac{x}{10^3 \text{ km}} \right)$$



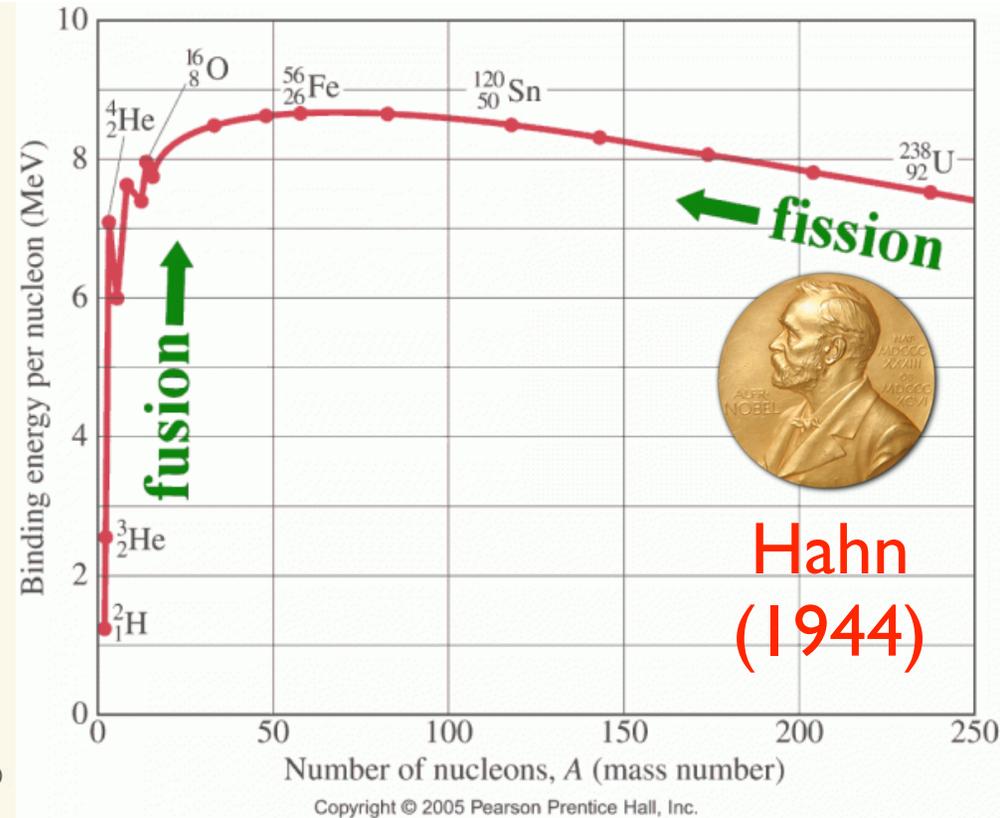
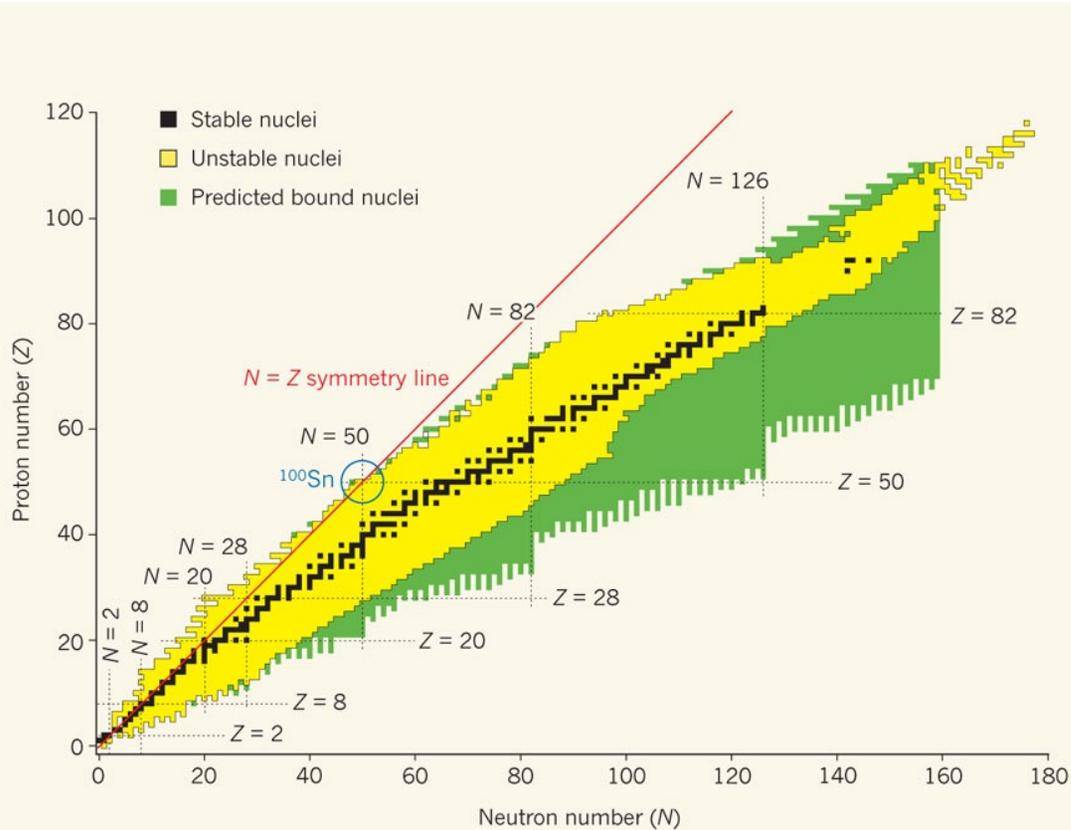
The MINOS Experiment



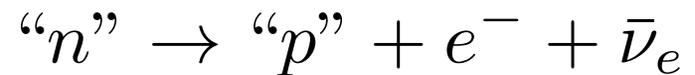
T2K



Other Sources of Neutrinos



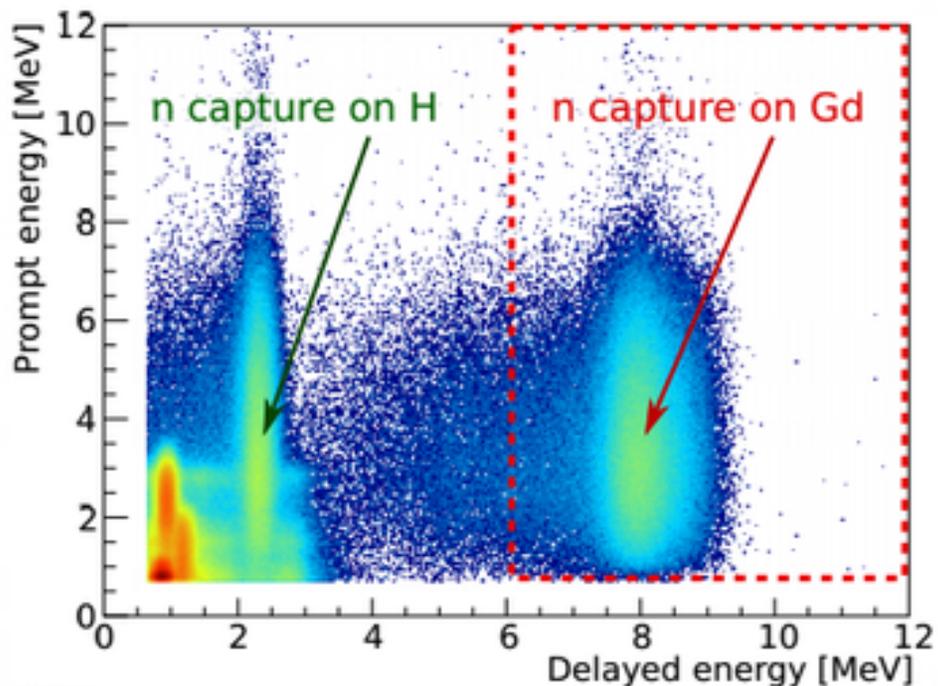
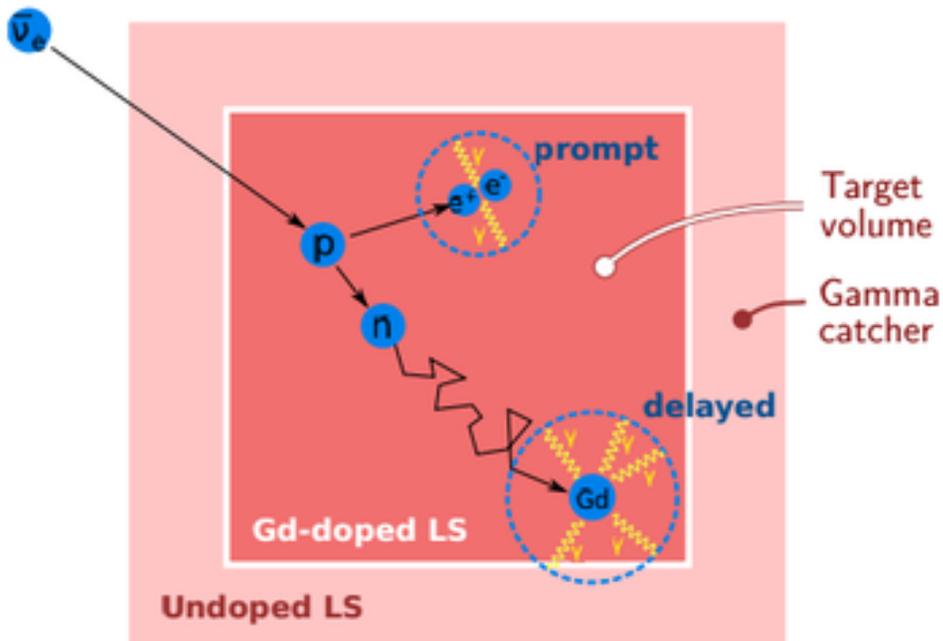
fission fragments: $A(Z, N) \rightarrow A(Z + 1, N - 1) + e^- + \bar{\nu}_e$



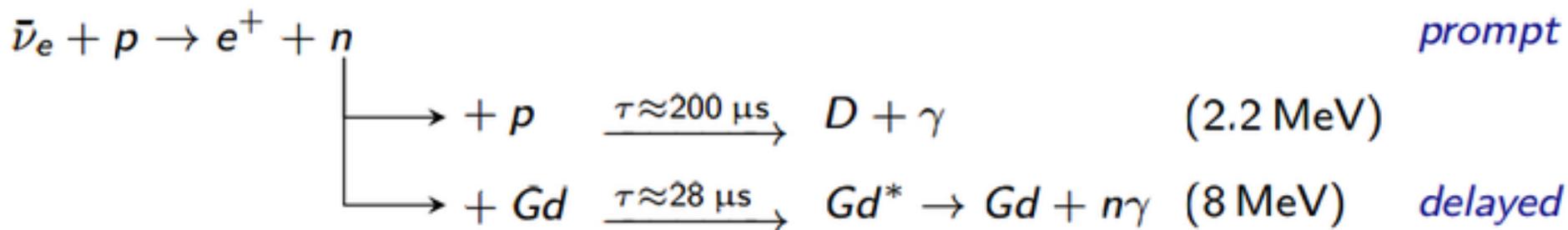
detection of reactor neutrinos: $\bar{\nu}_e + p \rightarrow n + e^+$

solar fusion neutrinos: $4p \rightarrow ^4_2\text{He} + 2e^+ + 2\nu_e$

Modern Version of the Discovery Experiment



Prompt+delayed coincidence provides distinctive signature



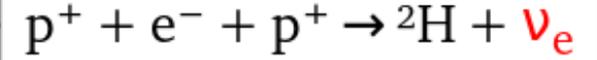
Solar Neutrinos

pp



99,77 %

pep

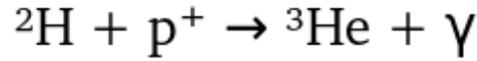


0,23 %

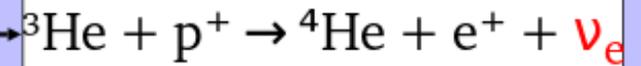


Bethe
(1967)

84,92 %

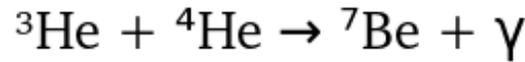


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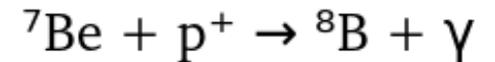


hep

15,08 %



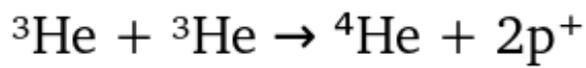
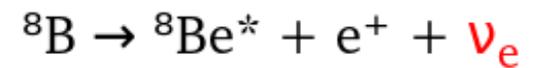
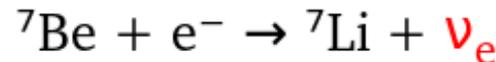
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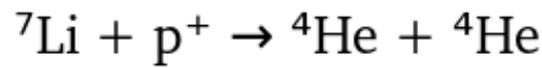
${}^8\text{B}$

${}^7\text{Be}$

99,9 %



ppI

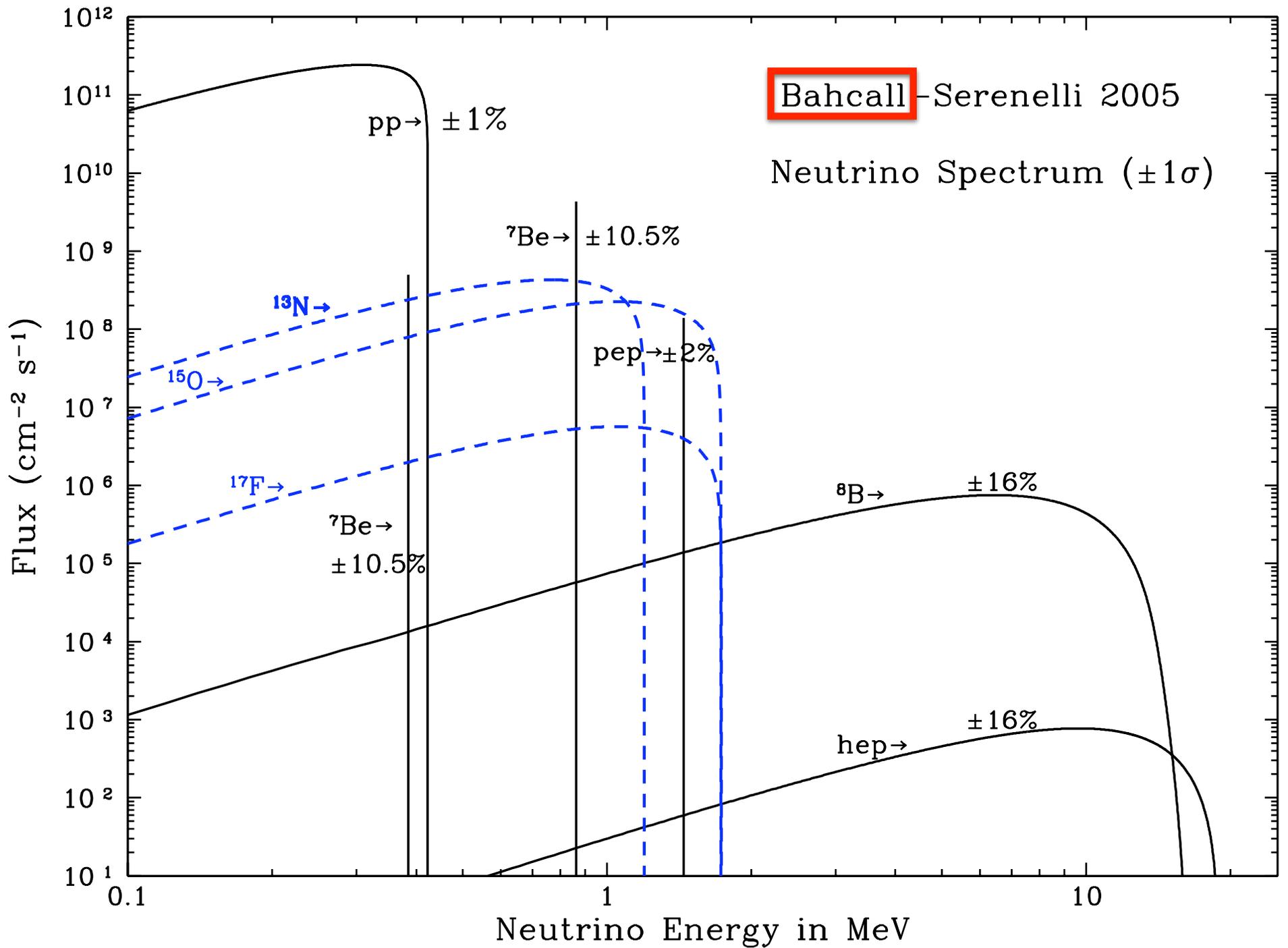


ppII



ppIII





SEARCH FOR NEUTRINOS FROM THE SUN*

Raymond Davis, Jr., Don S. Harmer,[†] and Kenneth C. Hoffman
 Brookhaven National Laboratory, Upton, New York 11973
 (Received 16 April 1968)

A search was made for solar neutrinos with a detector based upon the reaction $\text{Cl}^{37}(\nu, e^-)\text{Ar}^{37}$. The upper limit of the product of the neutrino flux and the cross sections for all sources of neutrinos was $3 \times 10^{-36} \text{ sec}^{-1}$ per Cl^{37} atom. It was concluded specifically that the flux of neutrinos from B^8 decay in the sun was equal to or less than $2 \times 10^6 \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ sec}^{-1}$ at the earth, and that less than 9% of the sun's energy is produced by the carbon-nitrogen cycle.

PRESENT STATUS OF THE THEORETICAL PREDICTIONS FOR THE ^{36}Cl SOLAR-NEUTRINO EXPERIMENT*

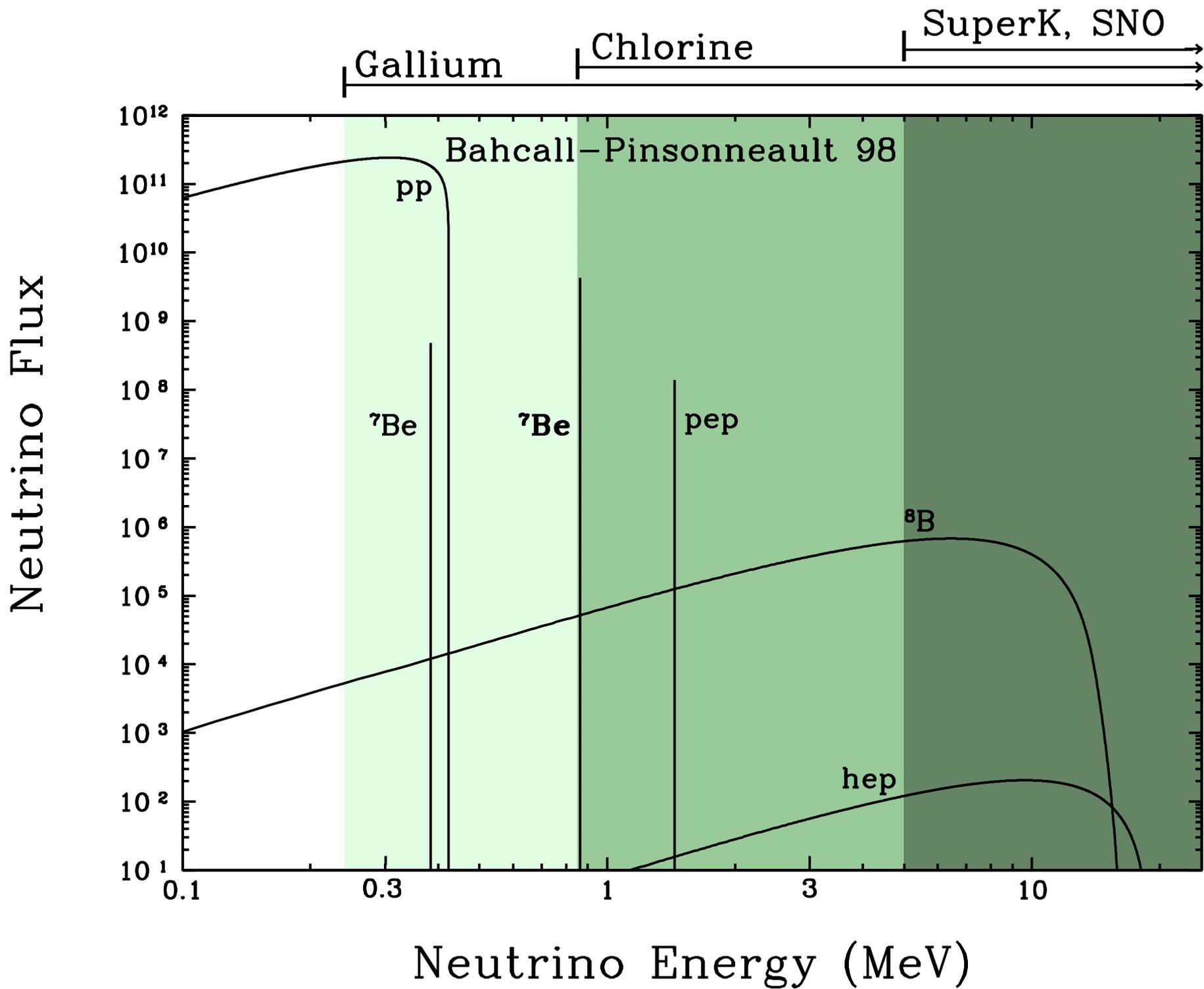
John N. Bahcall[†] and Neta A. Bahcall[‡]
 California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, California

and

Giora Shaviv[§]
 Cornell University, Ithaca, New York
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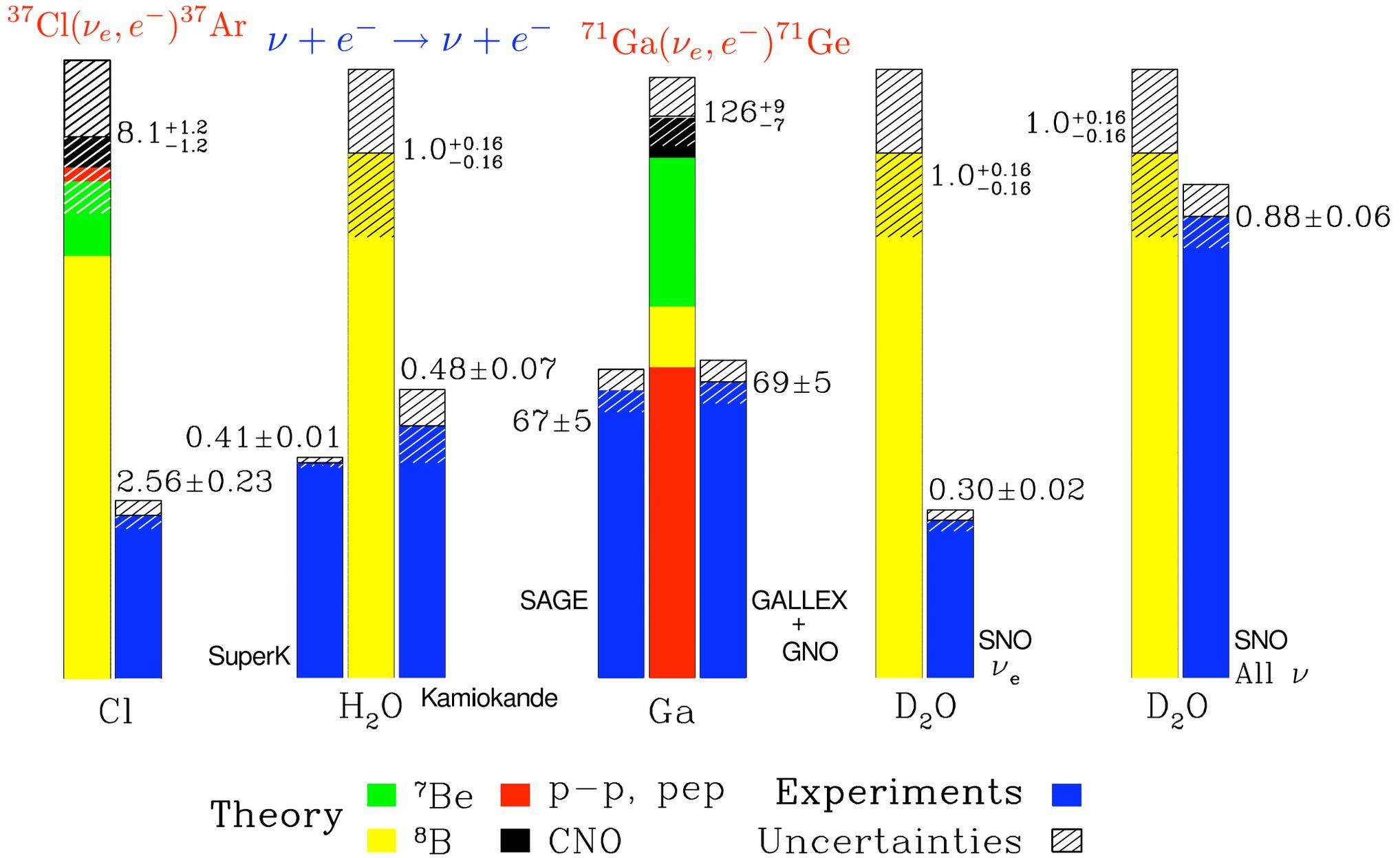
The theoretical predictions for the ^{37}Cl solar-neutrino experiment are summarized and compared with the experimental results of Davis, Harmer, and Hoffman. Three important conclusions about the sun are shown to follow.



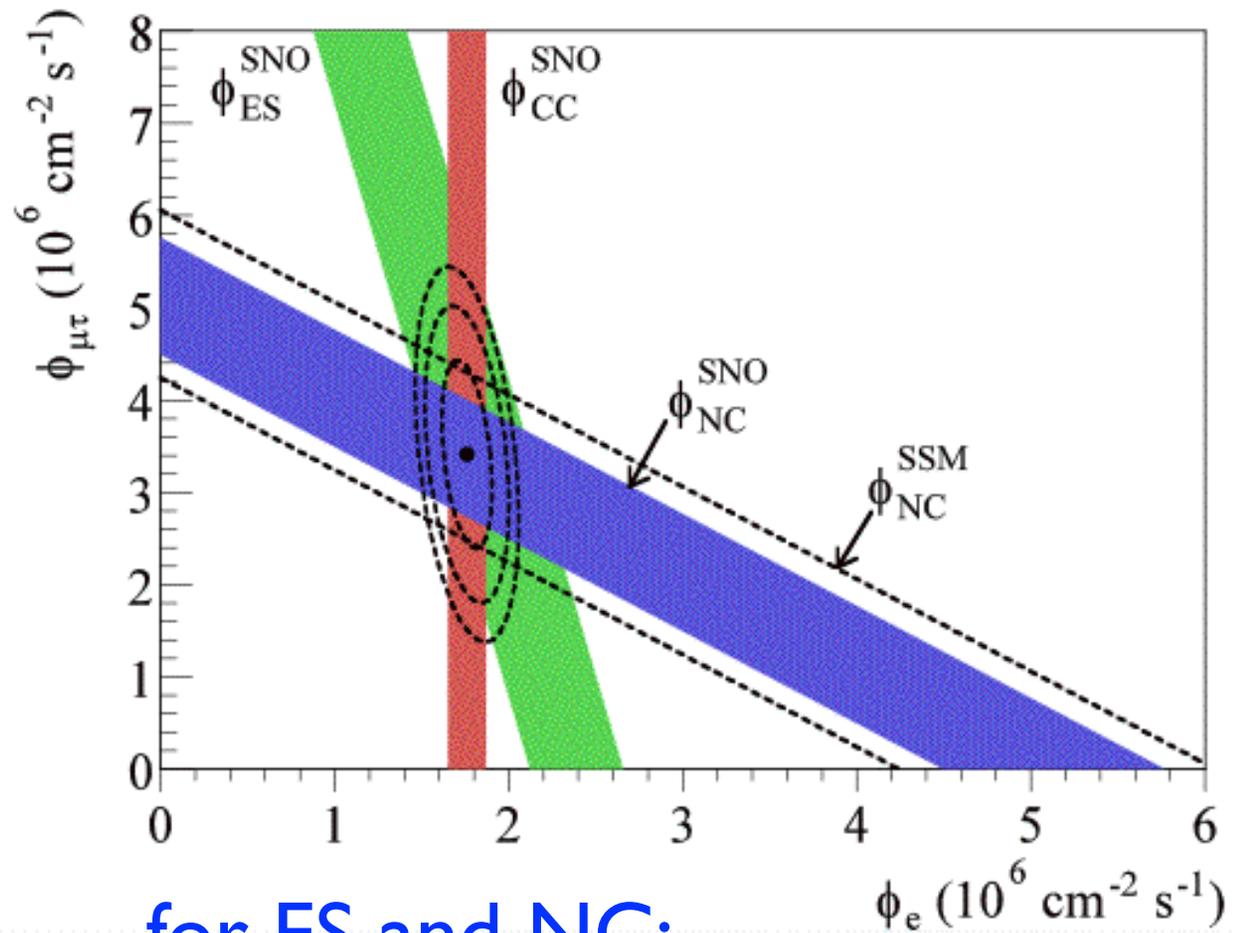
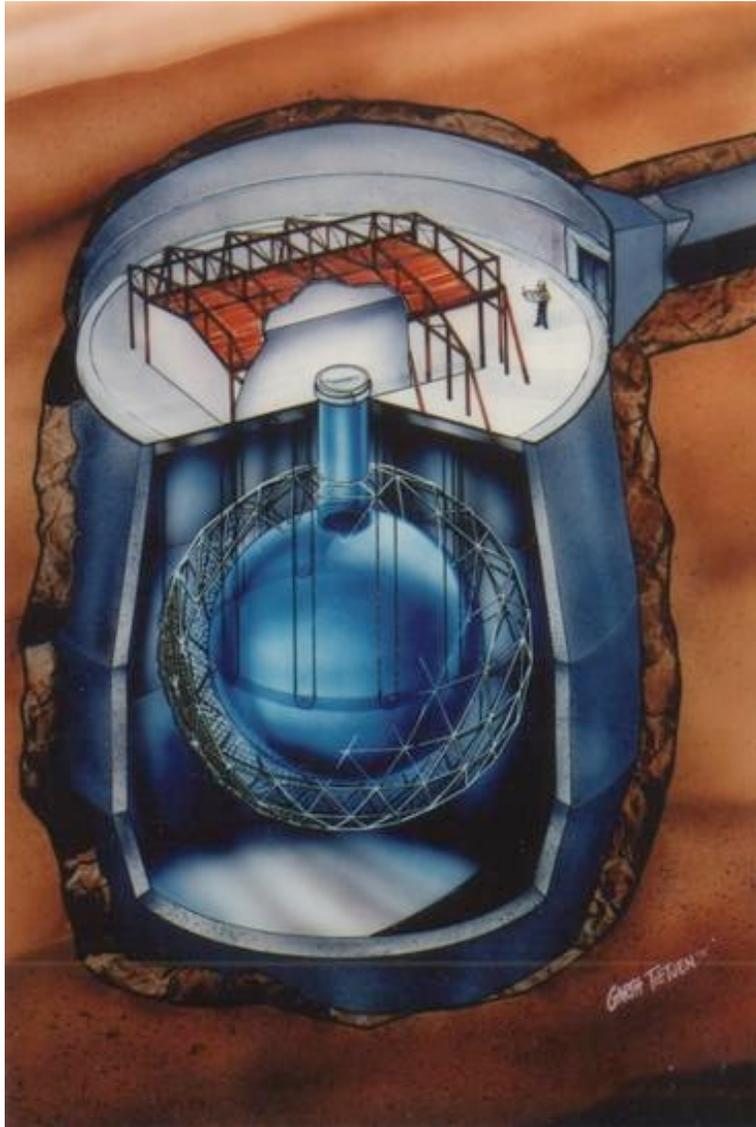
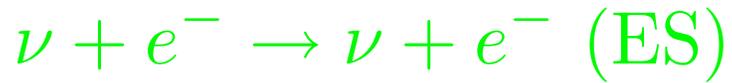


Total Rates: Standard Model vs. Experiment

Bahcall–Serenelli 2005 [BS05(OP)]

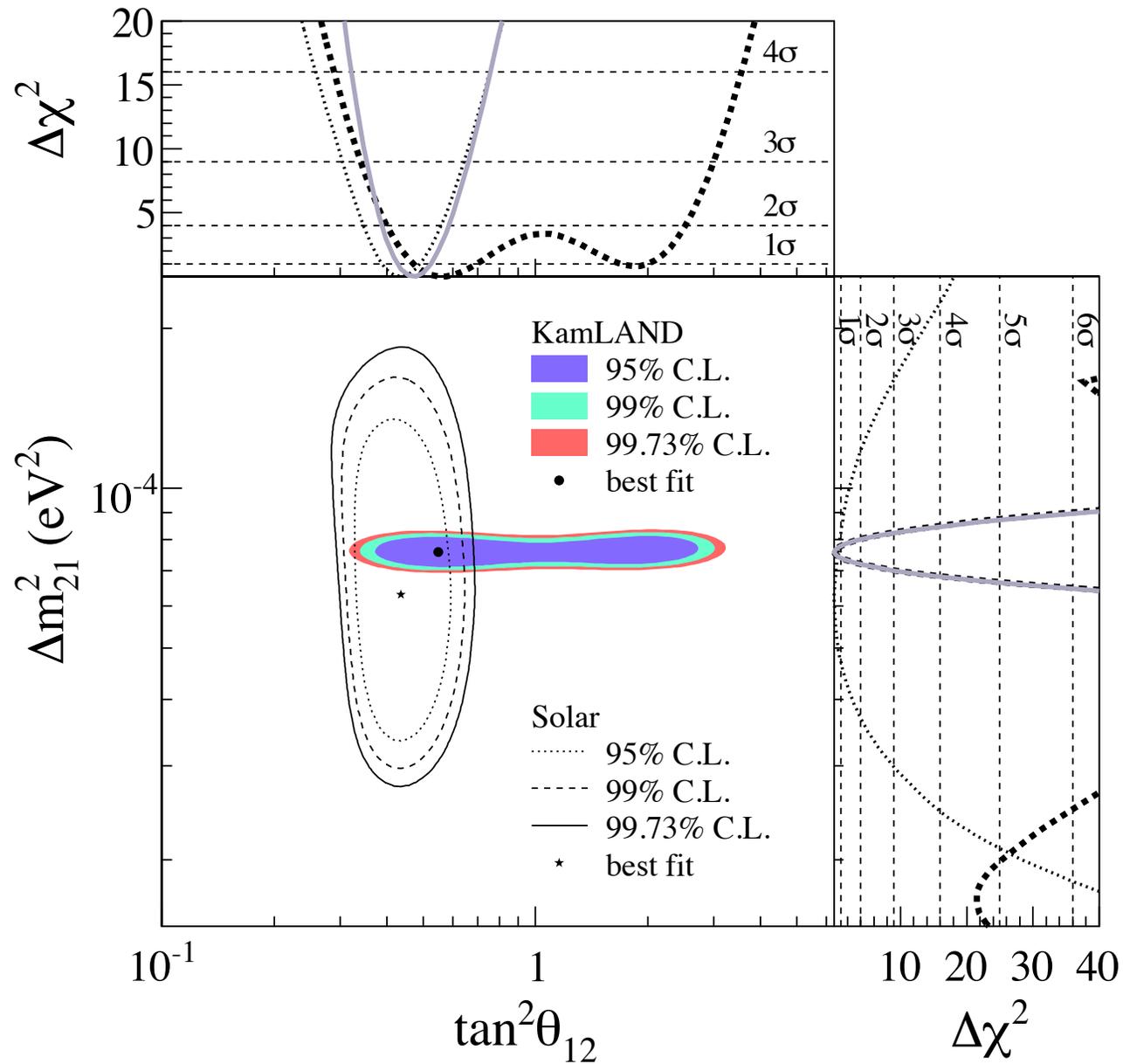


Sudbury Neutrino Observatory (SNO)



for ES and NC:

$$\phi_{\mu\tau} \langle \sigma \rangle_{\mu\tau} + \phi_e \langle \sigma \rangle_e = R_{\text{det}}$$

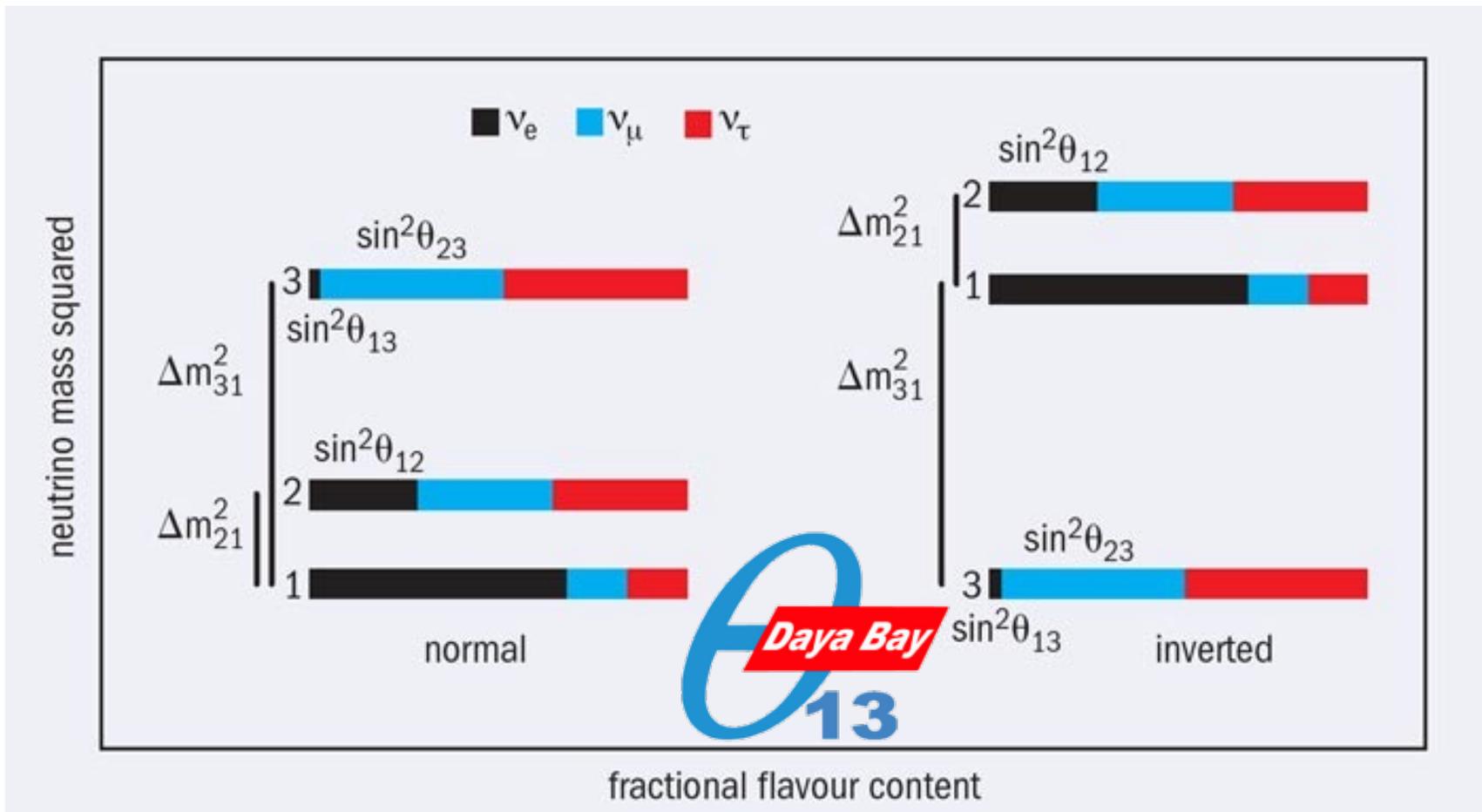


$$\frac{\delta m_{\odot}^2}{4E_{\nu}} x = 1.27 \left(\frac{\delta m_{\odot}^2}{10^{-4} \text{ eV}^2} \right) \left(\frac{\text{MeV}}{E_{\nu}} \right) \left(\frac{x}{10 \text{ km}} \right)$$

Three Neutrino Mixing

$$|\nu_\alpha\rangle = \sum_i U_{\alpha i}^* |\nu_i\rangle, \quad |\nu_i\rangle = \sum_\alpha U_{\alpha i} |\nu_\alpha\rangle$$

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} c_{12}c_{13} & s_{12}c_{13} & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ -s_{12}c_{23} - c_{12}s_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & c_{12}c_{23} - s_{12}s_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & s_{23}c_{13} \\ s_{12}s_{23} - c_{12}c_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & -c_{12}s_{23} - s_{12}c_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & c_{23}c_{13} \end{bmatrix}$$



Unknown Properties of Neutrinos

- What is their mass ordering ?



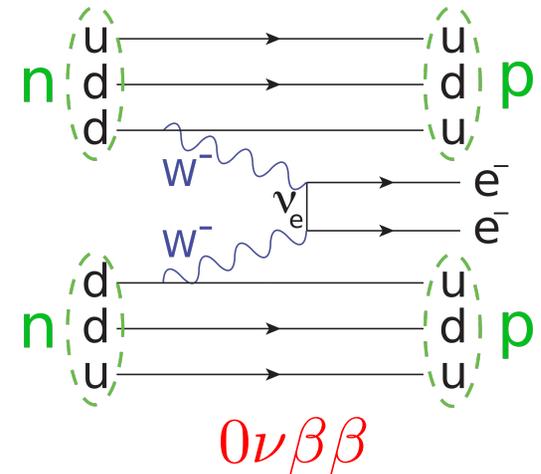
- Do they violate CP ?



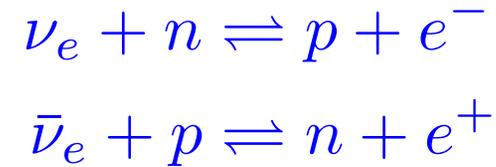
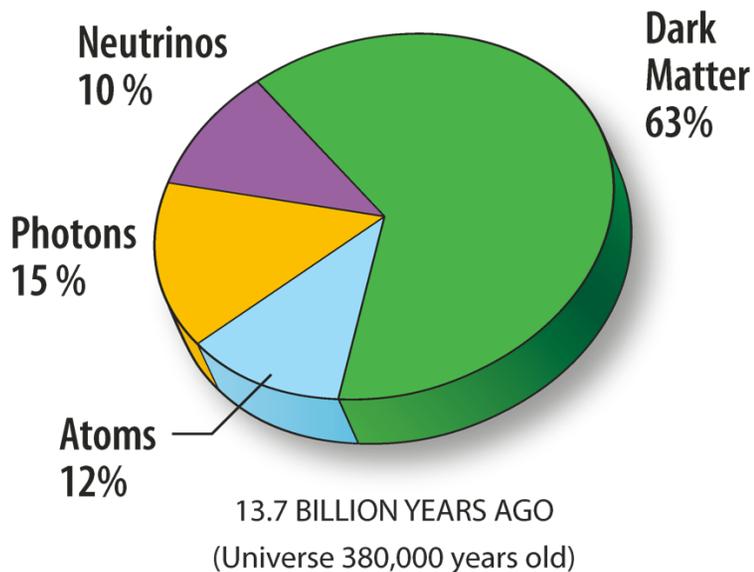
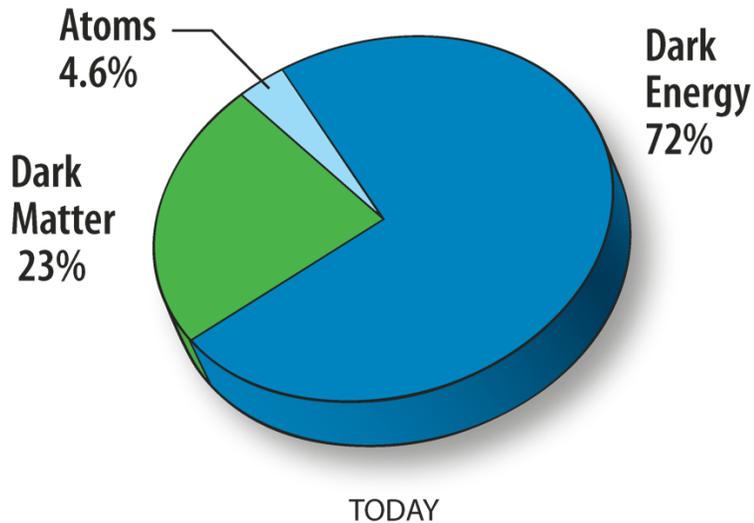
- What are their absolute masses ?

- Are they their own antiparticles ?

- Are there sterile neutrinos ?

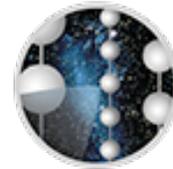


How do neutrinos affect the evolution of the universe ?

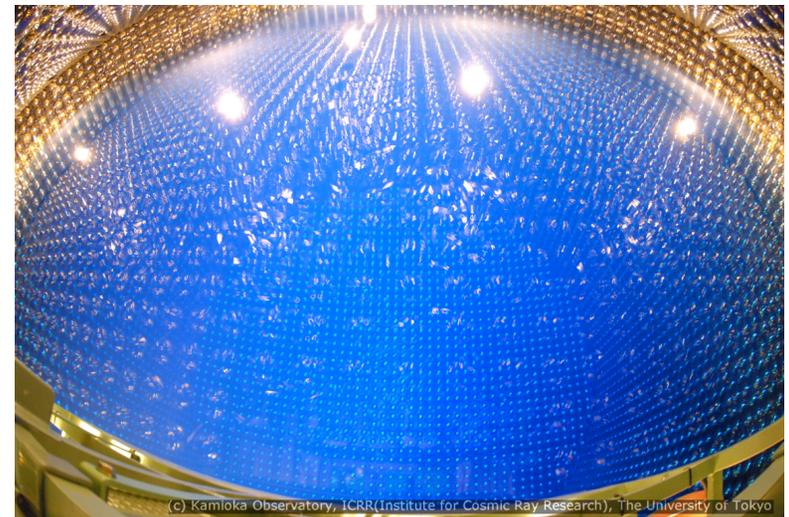
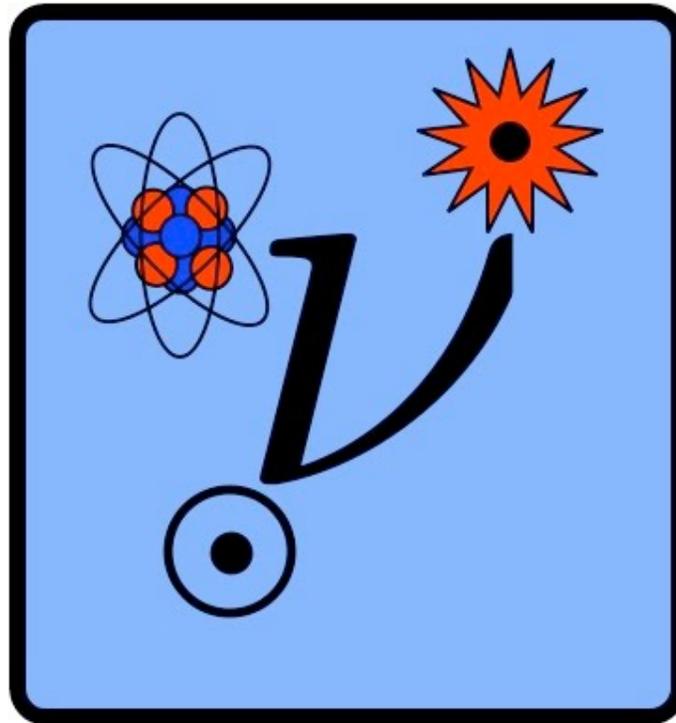


$$n/p < 1 \Rightarrow p (75\%) + {}^4\text{He} (25\%)$$

- Neutrinos & baryogenesis
- Sterile neutrinos & big bang nucleosynthesis
- Sterile neutrinos & galaxy formation
- Neutrinos & supernova explosion/nucleosynthesis



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SOUTH POLE NEUTRINO OBSERVATORY



(c) Kamlioka Observatory, ICRR (Institute for Cosmic Ray Research), The University of Tokyo

Neutrinos & the Origin of the Elements

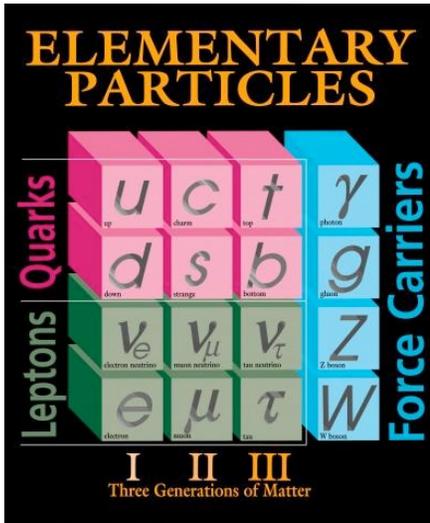
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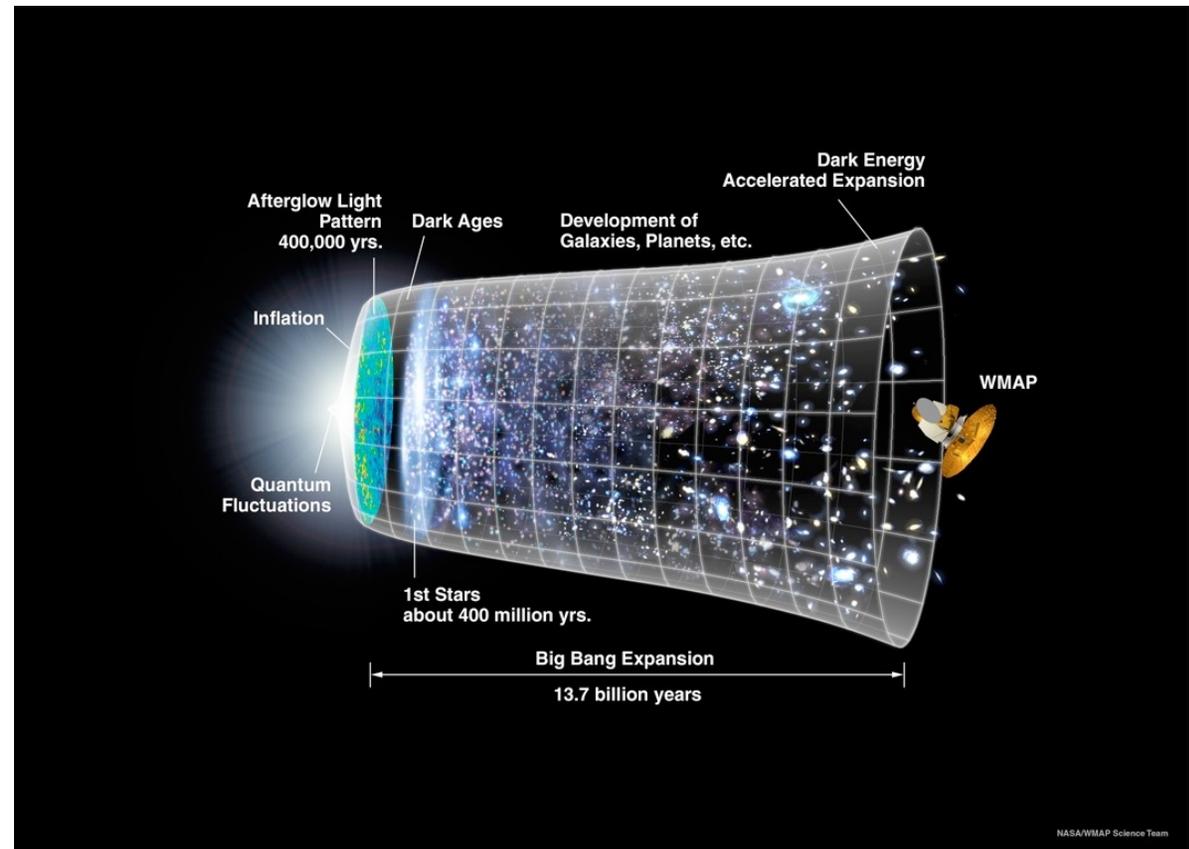
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Some of the Biggest Questions Connecting Quarks and the Cosmos

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- What are the masses of the neutrinos, and how have they shaped the evolution of the universe?
- How were the elements from iron to uranium made?

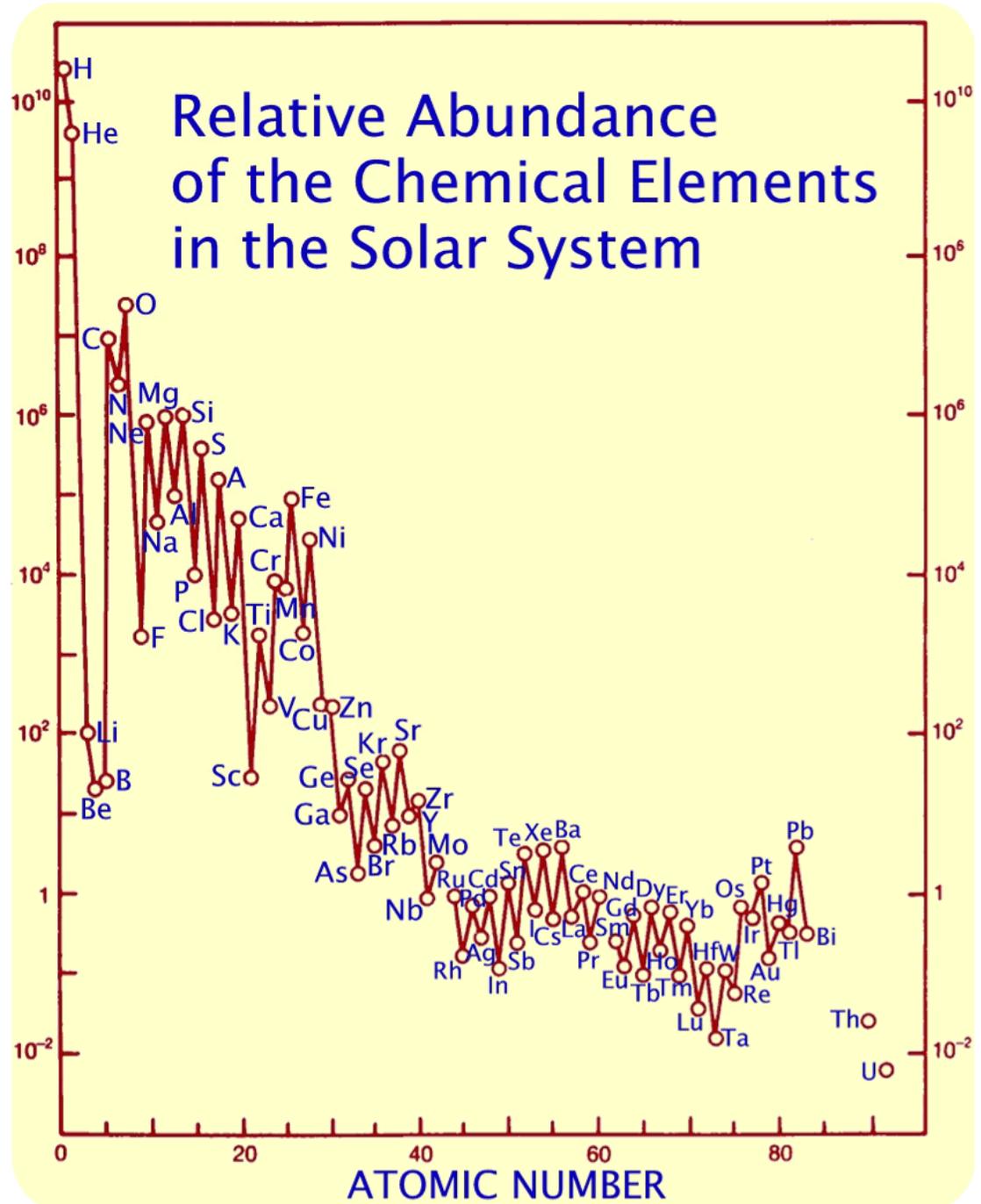


Big Bang:

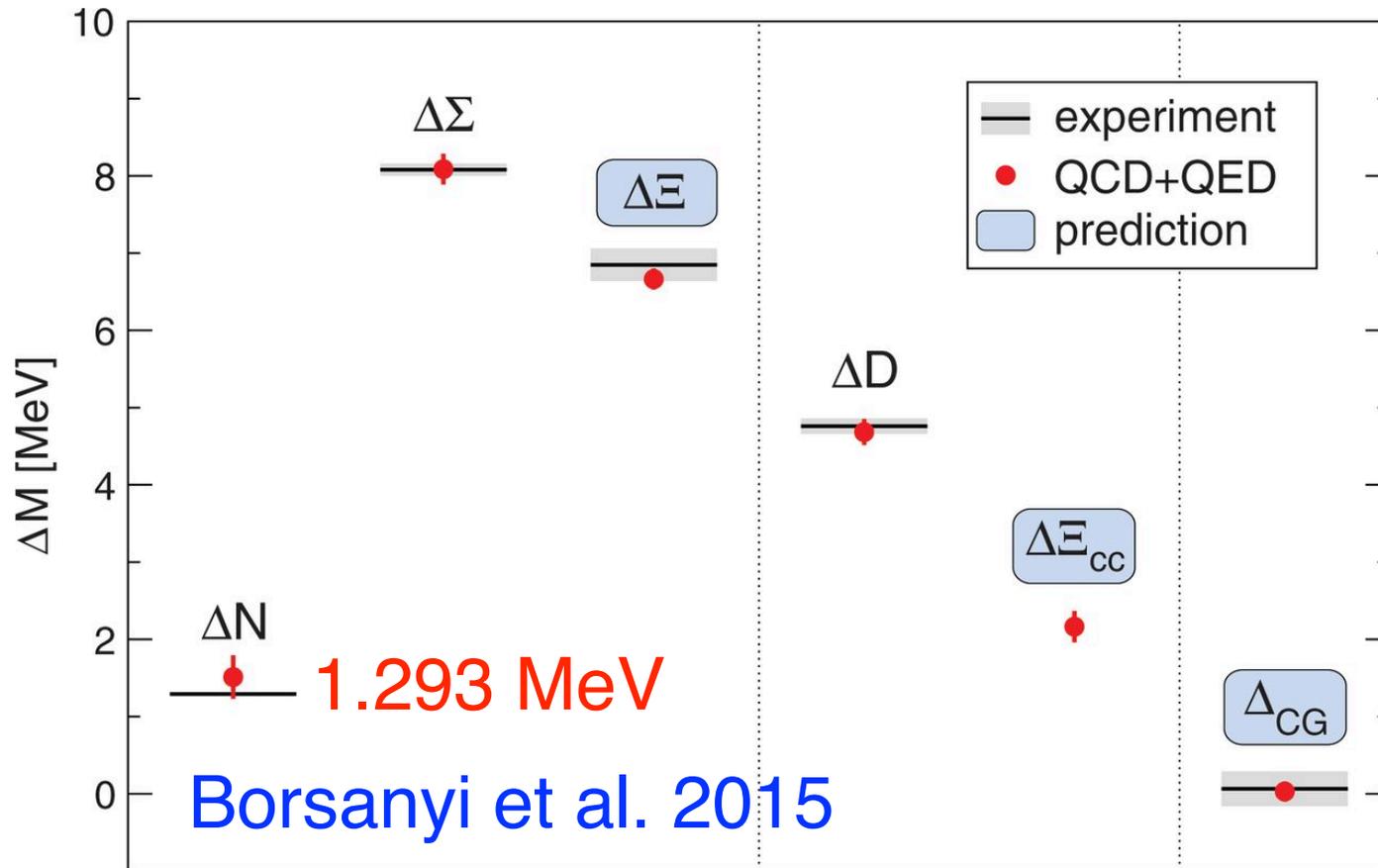
75% H + 25% He
(by mass)

Sun:

71.5% H + 27.0% He
+ 1.4% "Metals"



Standard Model of Particle Physics & Life of a Baryon: Big Bang Nucleosynthesis



$$\frac{n}{p} = \exp\left(-\frac{M_n - M_p}{T}\right) < 1$$

Basics of Big Bang Nucleosynthesis

initial state ($T > 1$ MeV): n, p

$$X_n + X_p = 1 \Rightarrow \text{need } n/p$$

rate of change in abundance:

$$\frac{dY_i}{dt} = P(t) - D(t)Y_i, \quad Y_i = \frac{X_i}{A_i}, \quad n_i = \rho_b N_A Y_i$$

$P(t)$: production rate
 $D(t)$: destruction rate } both depend on $T(t)$ and $\rho_b(t)$

$T(t)$ specified by dynamics of expansion

$\rho_b(t)$ specified by conservation of entropy per baryon

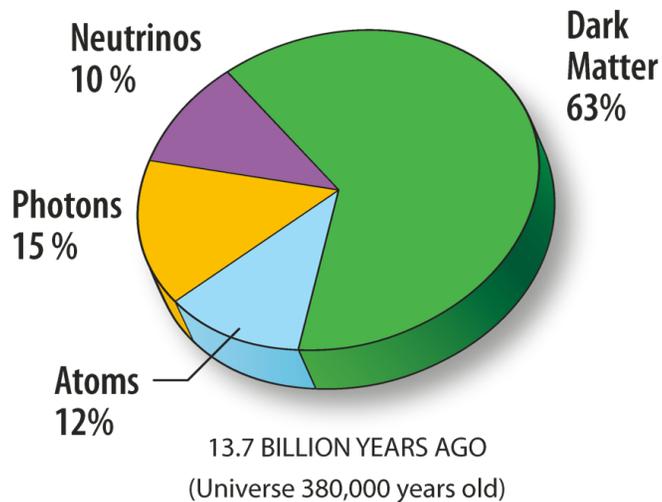
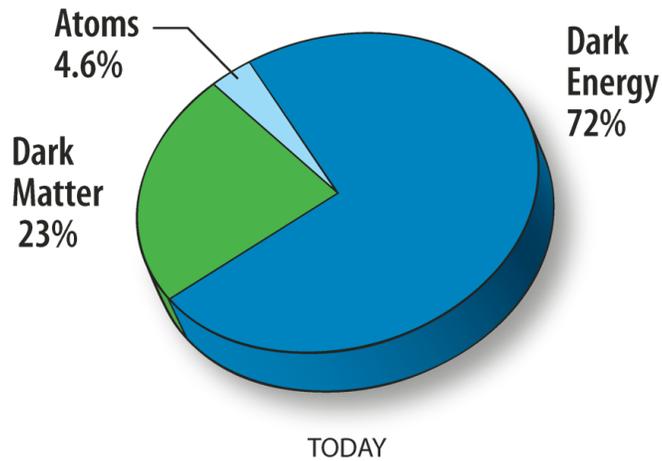
$$s \propto g_{\text{eff}}^*(t) \frac{T^3}{\rho_b} \propto g_{\text{eff}}^*(t) \frac{n_\gamma}{n_b} = \text{const.}$$

$$\text{baryon-to-photon ratio: } \eta = \frac{n_{b,0}}{n_{\gamma,0}} \Rightarrow s \approx \frac{3.6}{\eta}$$

expansion of the early universe

mass conservation $\Rightarrow \rho_b(t) + \rho_{\text{dm}}(t) = \rho_m(t) = \rho_{m,0} \left[\frac{R_0}{R(t)} \right]^3$

photon number conservation: $n_\gamma(t)R(t)^3 = n_{\gamma,0}R_0^3$



$$n_\gamma \propto T_\gamma^3 \Rightarrow T_\gamma(t) = T_{\gamma,0} \frac{R_0}{R(t)}$$

$$\rho_\gamma \propto T_\gamma^4 \Rightarrow \rho_\gamma = \rho_{\gamma,0} \left[\frac{R_0}{R(t)} \right]^4$$

$$\left(\frac{\dot{R}}{R} \right)^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3} G\rho + \frac{\Lambda}{3} - \frac{Kc^2}{R^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\dot{R}}{R} \right)^2 \approx \frac{8\pi}{3} G\rho_{\text{rel}}$$

entropy conservation \Rightarrow evolution of ρ_{rel} at $100 > T > 1$ MeV

$$TS = E + PV - \mu N \Rightarrow S = \frac{E + PV - \mu N}{T}$$

fully relativistic: $S_{\text{rel}} = \frac{\rho_{\text{rel}}V + (\rho_{\text{rel}}/3)V}{T} \propto g_{\text{eff}}T(t)^3 R(t)^3$

$$g_{\text{eff}} = \text{const.} \Rightarrow T(t) \propto R(t)^{-1}, \quad \dot{T}/T = -\dot{R}/R$$

$$\left(\frac{\dot{R}}{R}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{\dot{T}}{T}\right)^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3}G\rho_{\text{rel}} = \left(\frac{8\pi}{3}G\right)g_{\text{eff}}\frac{\pi^2}{15}T^4$$

$$T \rightarrow \infty \text{ as } t \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\dot{T}}{T} = -\sqrt{\frac{8\pi^3}{45}g_{\text{eff}}GT^4}$$

$$t \approx \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\frac{45}{8\pi^3}}\frac{1}{\sqrt{g_{\text{eff}}G}}\frac{1}{T^2} = \frac{1.71}{\sqrt{g_{\text{eff}}}}\left(\frac{\text{MeV}}{T}\right)^2 \text{ s}$$

$$N_\nu = 3 \Rightarrow g_{\text{eff}} = \frac{43}{8}, \quad t \approx 0.74\left(\frac{\text{MeV}}{T}\right)^2 \text{ s}$$

BBN and Neutrinos

freeze-out of n/p : $\nu_e + n \rightleftharpoons p + e^-$, $\bar{\nu}_e + p \rightleftharpoons n + e^+$

$$\sigma_{\nu_e n} \approx \frac{G_F^2}{\pi} \cos^2 \theta_C (f^2 + 3g^2) (E_{\nu_e} + \Delta)^2$$

$$\sigma_{\bar{\nu}_e p} \approx \frac{G_F^2}{\pi} \cos^2 \theta_C (f^2 + 3g^2) (E_{\bar{\nu}_e} - \Delta)^2$$

$\cos^2 \theta_C = 0.95$, $f = 1$, $g = 1.26$, $\Delta = M_n - M_p = 1.293$ MeV

$$\begin{aligned} \text{rate per nucleon: } \lambda_{\nu N} &\approx \frac{4\pi}{(2\pi)^3} \int_0^\infty \frac{\sigma_{\nu N} E_\nu^2}{\exp(E_\nu/T) + 1} dE_\nu \\ &\approx 0.4 \left(\frac{T}{\text{MeV}} \right)^5 \text{ s}^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{t_{\text{FO}}}^\infty \lambda_{\nu N} dt &\sim \int_0^{T_{\text{FO}}} 0.4 \left(\frac{T}{\text{MeV}} \right)^5 \times 2 \times 0.74 \left(\frac{\text{MeV}}{T} \right)^3 dT \\ &\sim 0.2 \left(\frac{T_{\text{FO}}}{\text{MeV}} \right)^3 \sim 1 \Rightarrow T_{\text{FO}} \sim 1.7 \text{ MeV} \end{aligned}$$

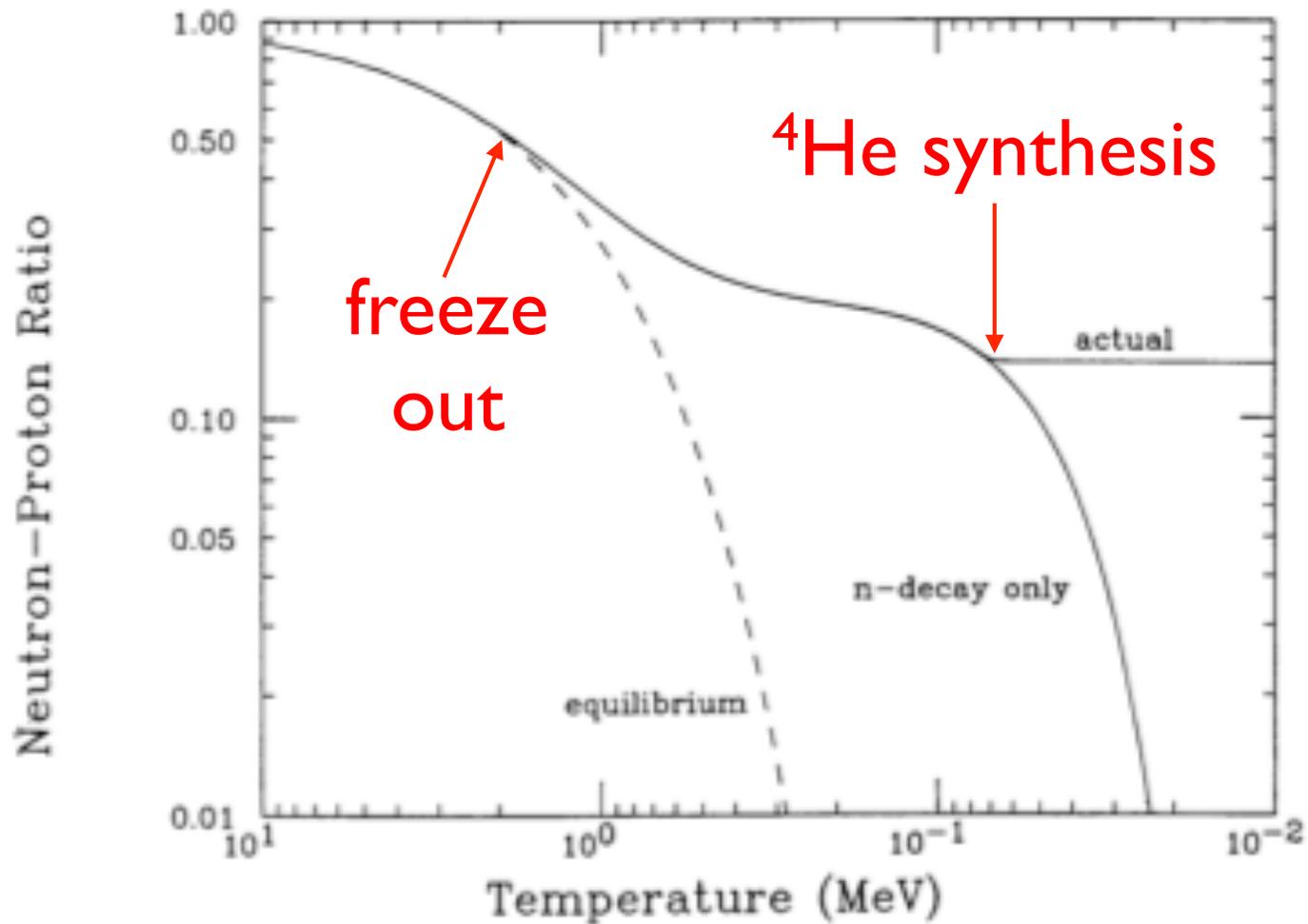


FIG. 1.—Evolution of the neutron-proton ratio with temperature. The NSE ratio is given by the dashed curve. If neutron decay is the only reaction (all other reactions are shut off), the n/p ratio follows the solid curve. The actual final value of the ratio is shown by the straight horizontal line.

$$\frac{n}{p} = \left(\frac{n}{p} \right)_{\text{FO}} \exp \left(-\frac{t - t_{\text{FO}}}{\tau_n} \right) \sim \exp \left(-\frac{\Delta}{T_{\text{FO}}} - \frac{t - t_{\text{FO}}}{\tau_n} \right)$$

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$${}^4\text{He production: } X({}^4\text{He}) \sim \frac{2n}{n+p} = \frac{2(n/p)}{(n/p)+1}$$

$$t \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{a + bN_\nu}} \frac{1}{T^2}, \quad \lambda_{\nu N} \propto T^5, \quad \int_{t_{\text{FO}}}^{\infty} \lambda_{\nu N} dt \propto \frac{T_{\text{FO}}^3}{\sqrt{a + bN_\nu}} \sim \text{const.}$$

$$N_\nu \uparrow \Rightarrow T_{\text{FO}} \uparrow \Rightarrow \left(\frac{n}{p}\right)_{\text{FO}} \sim \exp\left(-\frac{\Delta}{T_{\text{FO}}}\right) \uparrow$$

$$N_\nu \uparrow \Rightarrow t \downarrow \Rightarrow \frac{n}{p} = \left(\frac{n}{p}\right)_{\text{FO}} \exp\left(-\frac{t - t_{\text{FO}}}{\tau_n}\right) \uparrow$$

$$N_\nu \uparrow \Rightarrow \frac{n}{p} \uparrow \Rightarrow X({}^4\text{He}) \uparrow$$

Fraction of critical density

0.01

0.02

0.05

0.255

0.25

0.245

0.24

${}^4\text{He}$ Mass fraction

$N_\nu = 3.4$

3.2

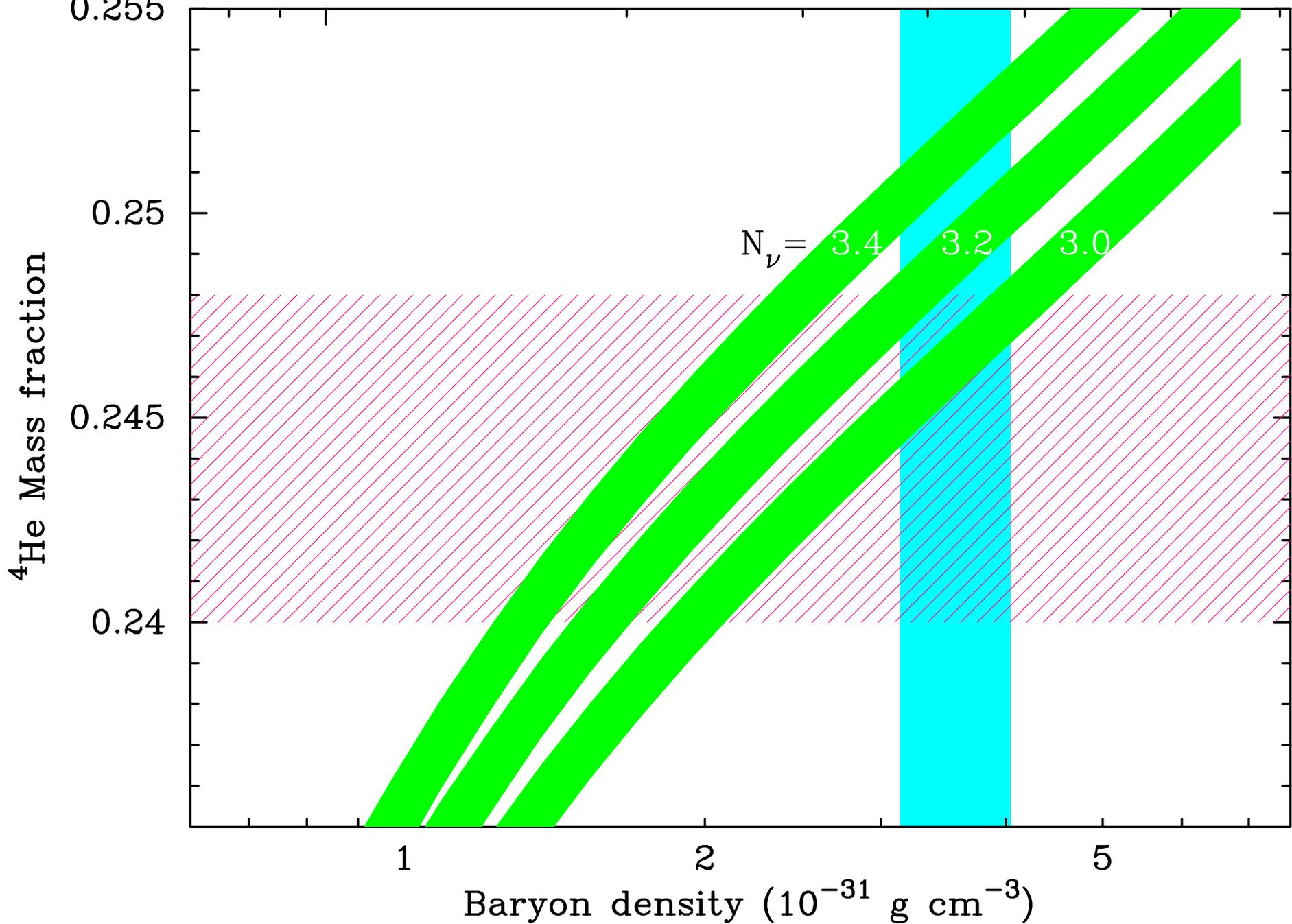
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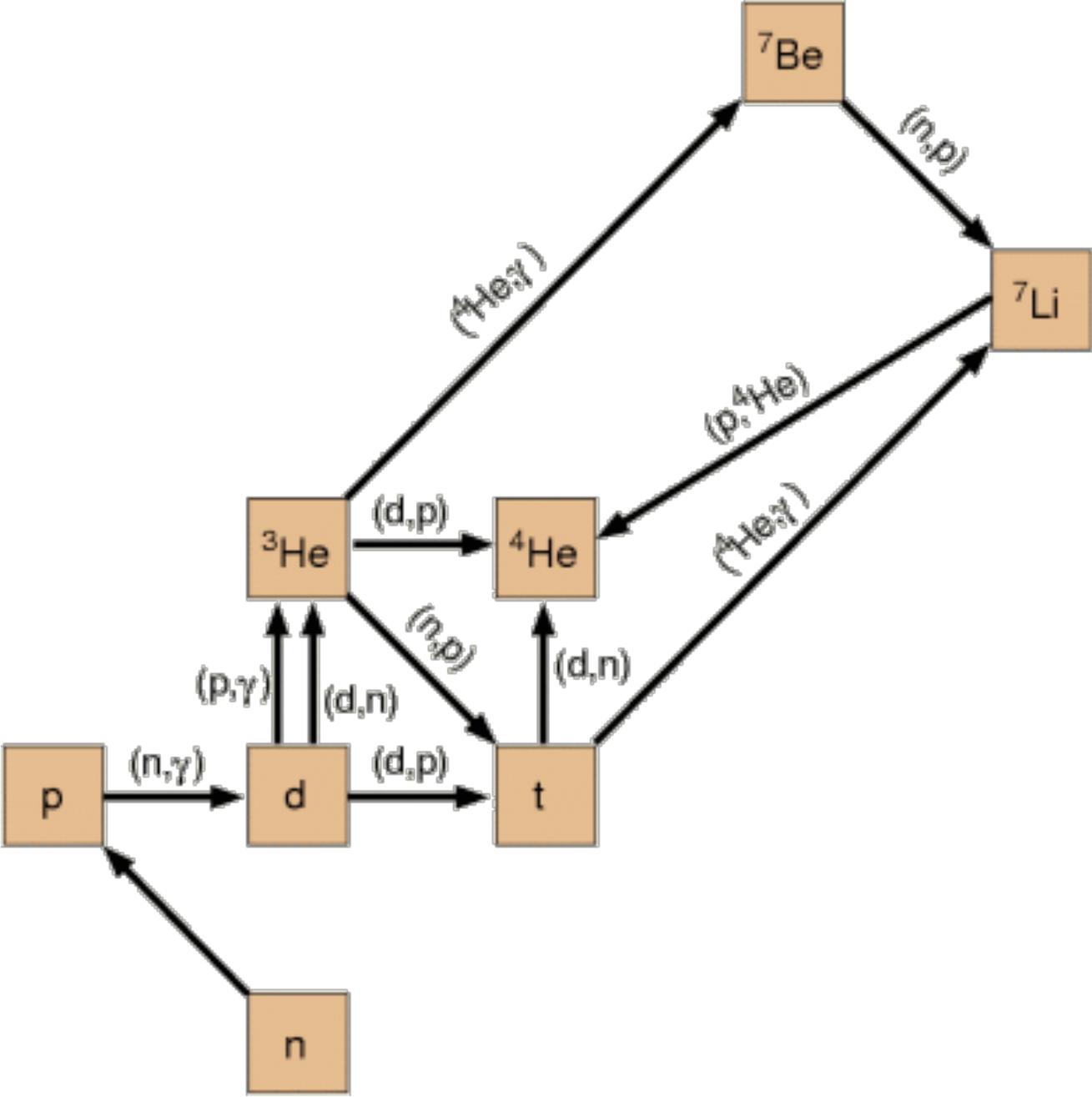
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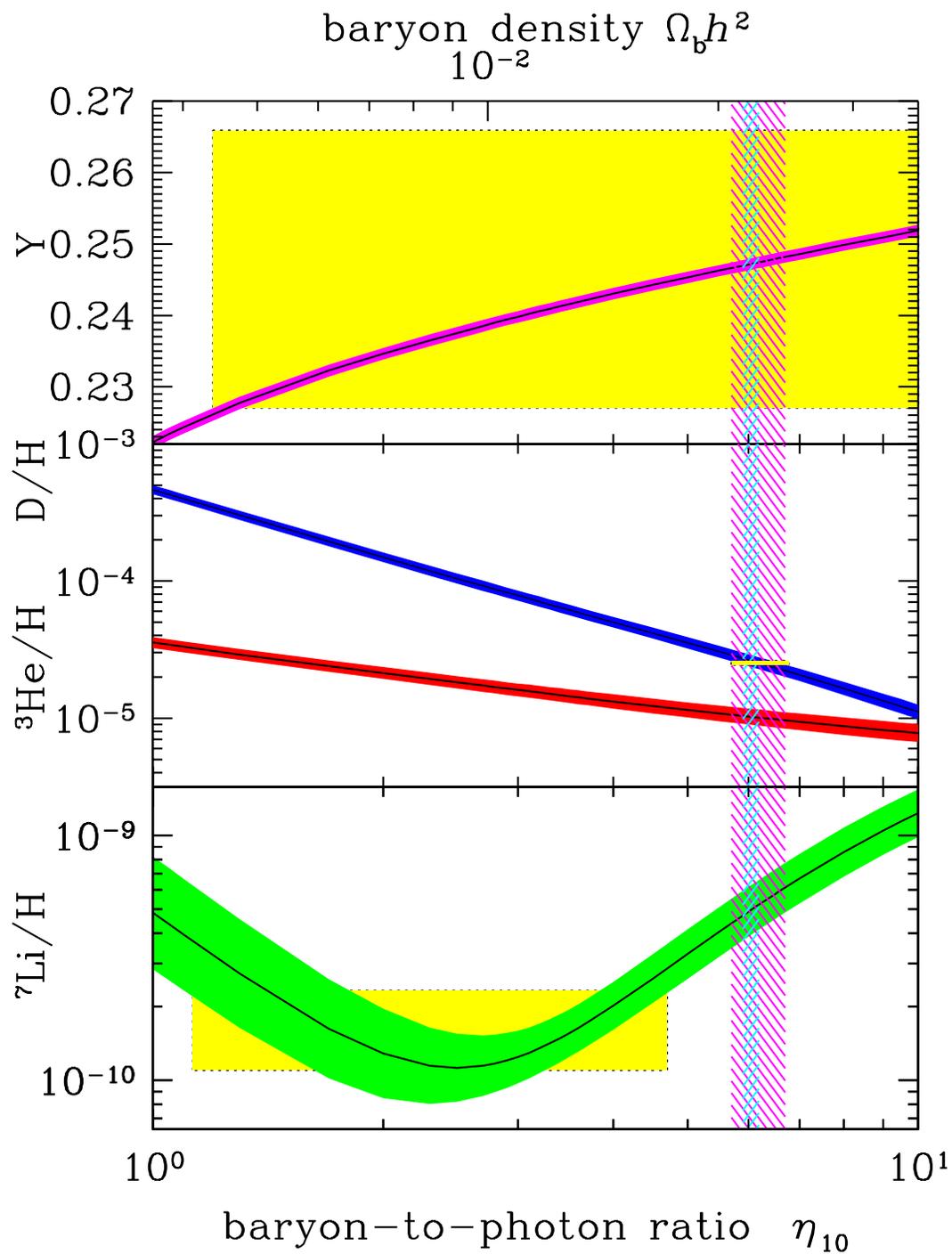
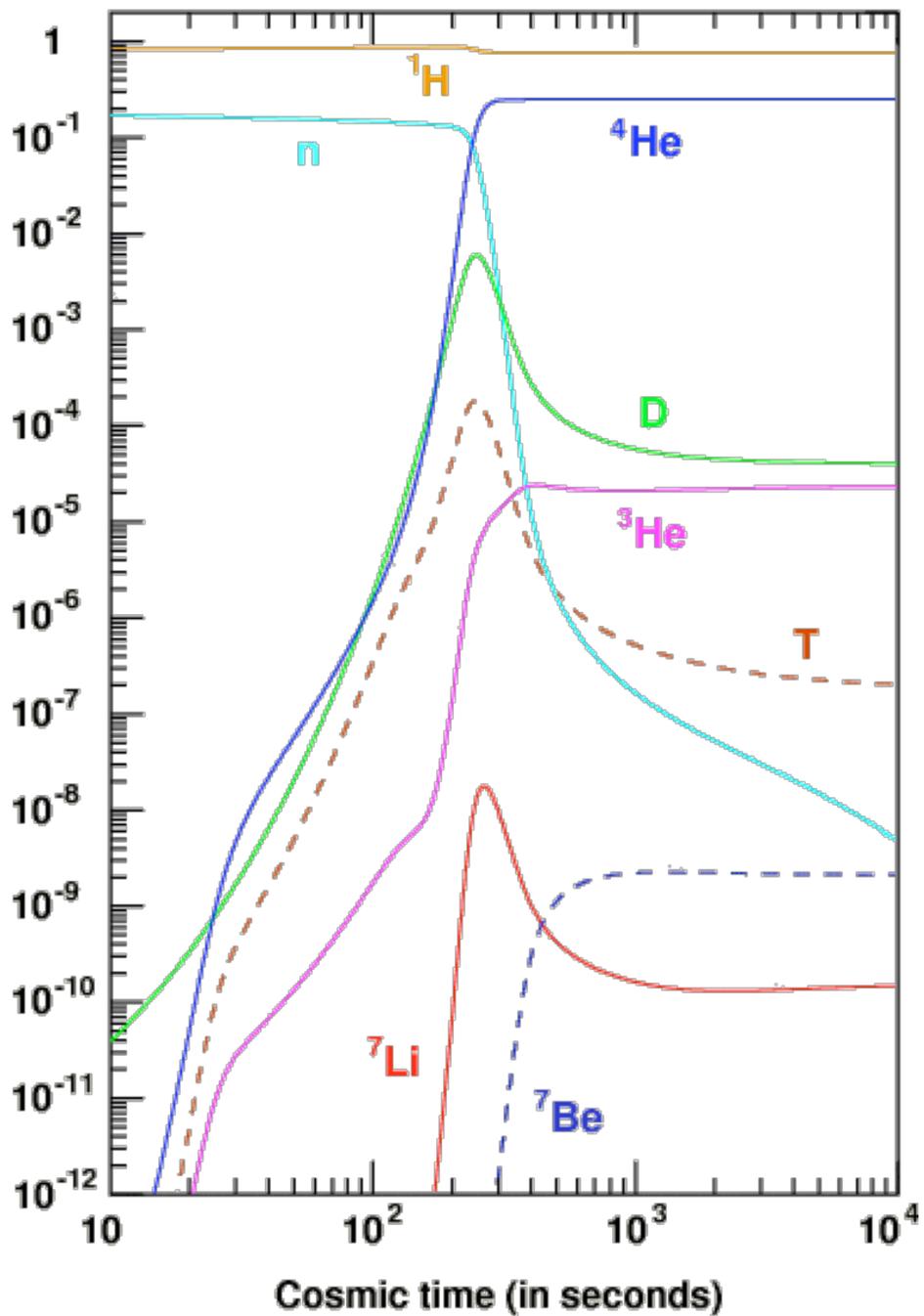
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Baryon density ($10^{-31} \text{ g cm}^{-3}$)

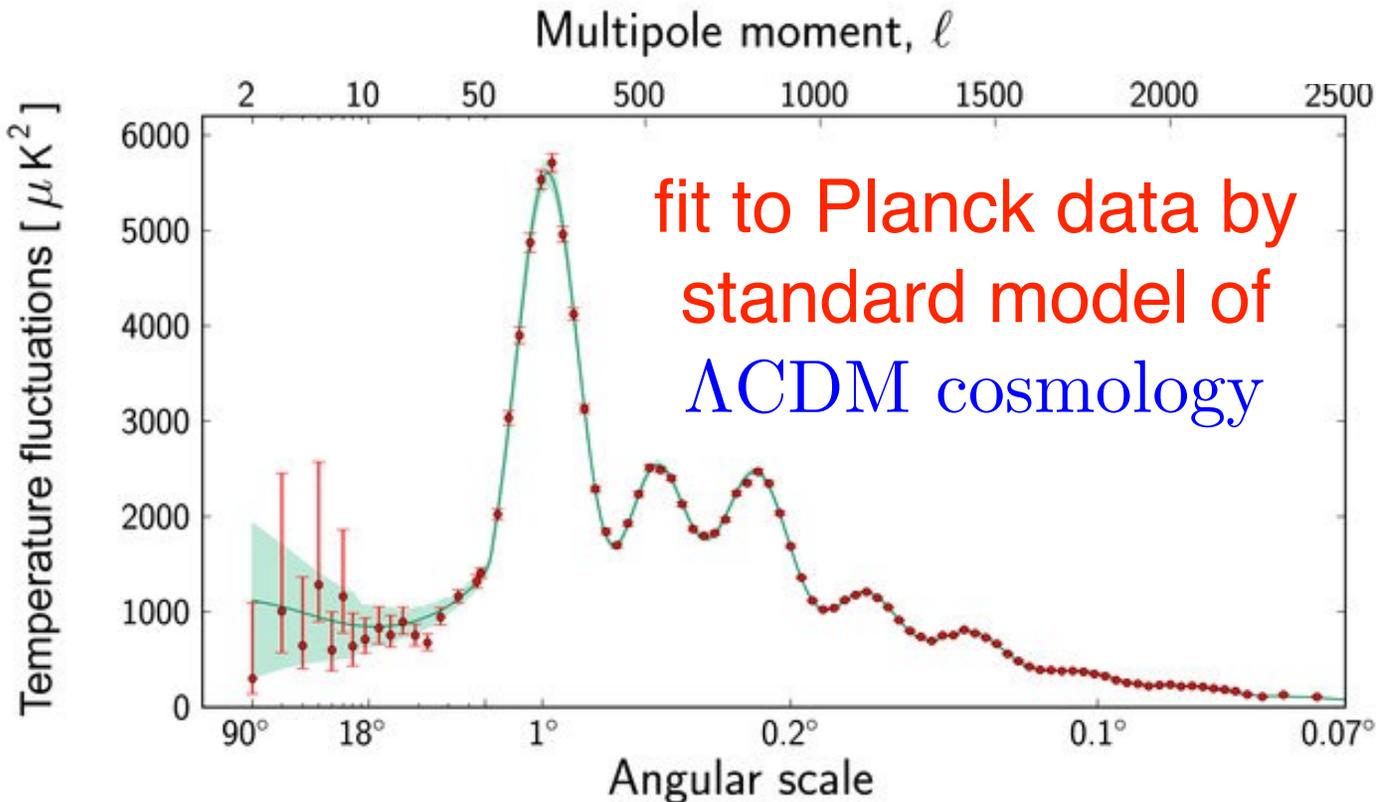
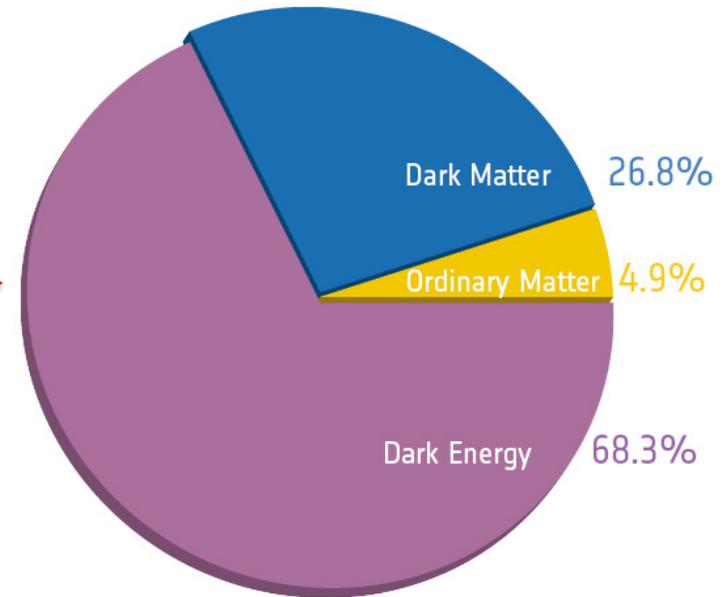
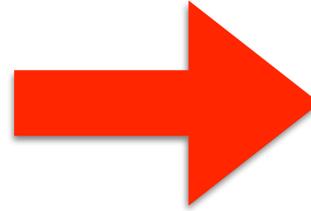
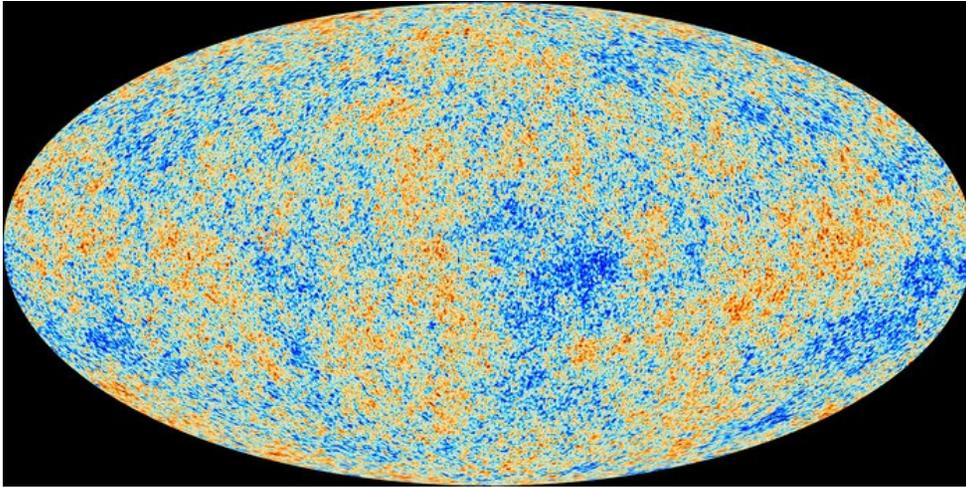




Big Bang Nucleosynthesis



Cosmic Microwave Background Experiments



6 basic parameters

energy densities,
density fluctuations,
& probability of
scattering by
electrons

THE BIG BANG

INFLATION

GALAXY EVOLUTION

CONTINUES...

DARK ENERGY?

FIRST STARS
400,000,000 YEARS
AFTER BIG BANG

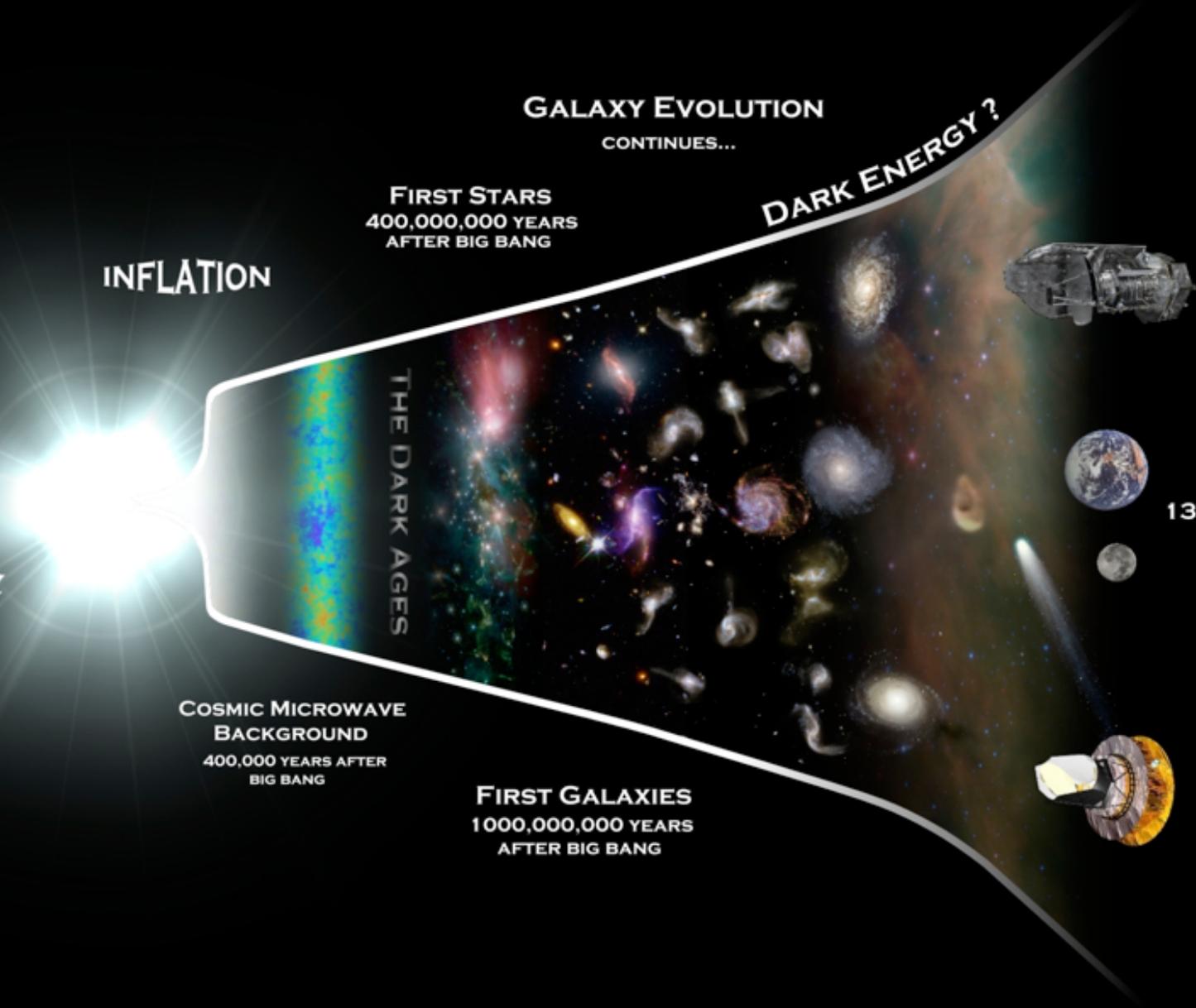
COSMIC MICROWAVE
BACKGROUND
400,000 YEARS AFTER
BIG BANG

THE DARK AGES

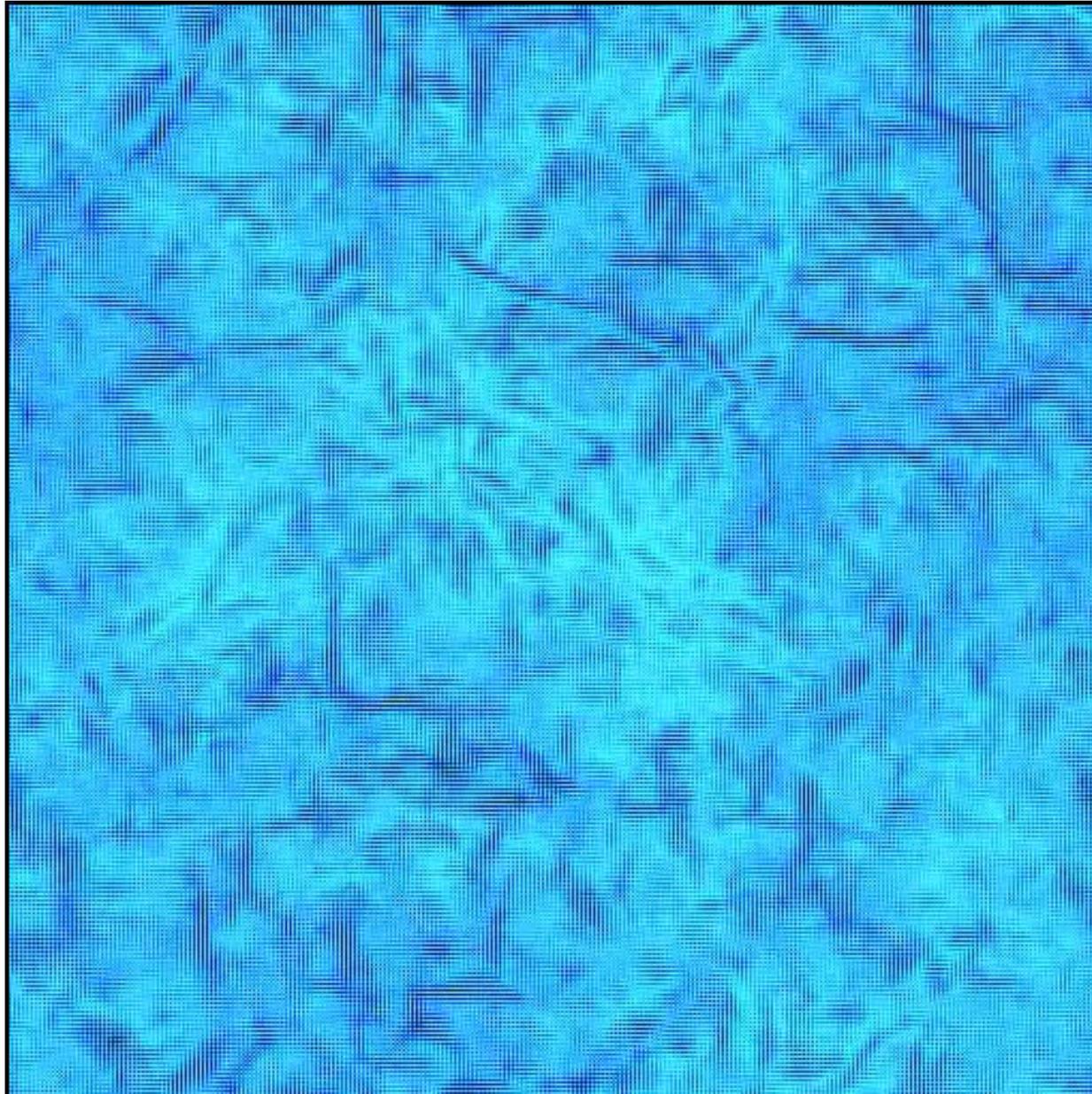
FIRST GALAXIES
1,000,000,000 YEARS
AFTER BIG BANG

FORMATION OF
THE SOLAR SYSTEM
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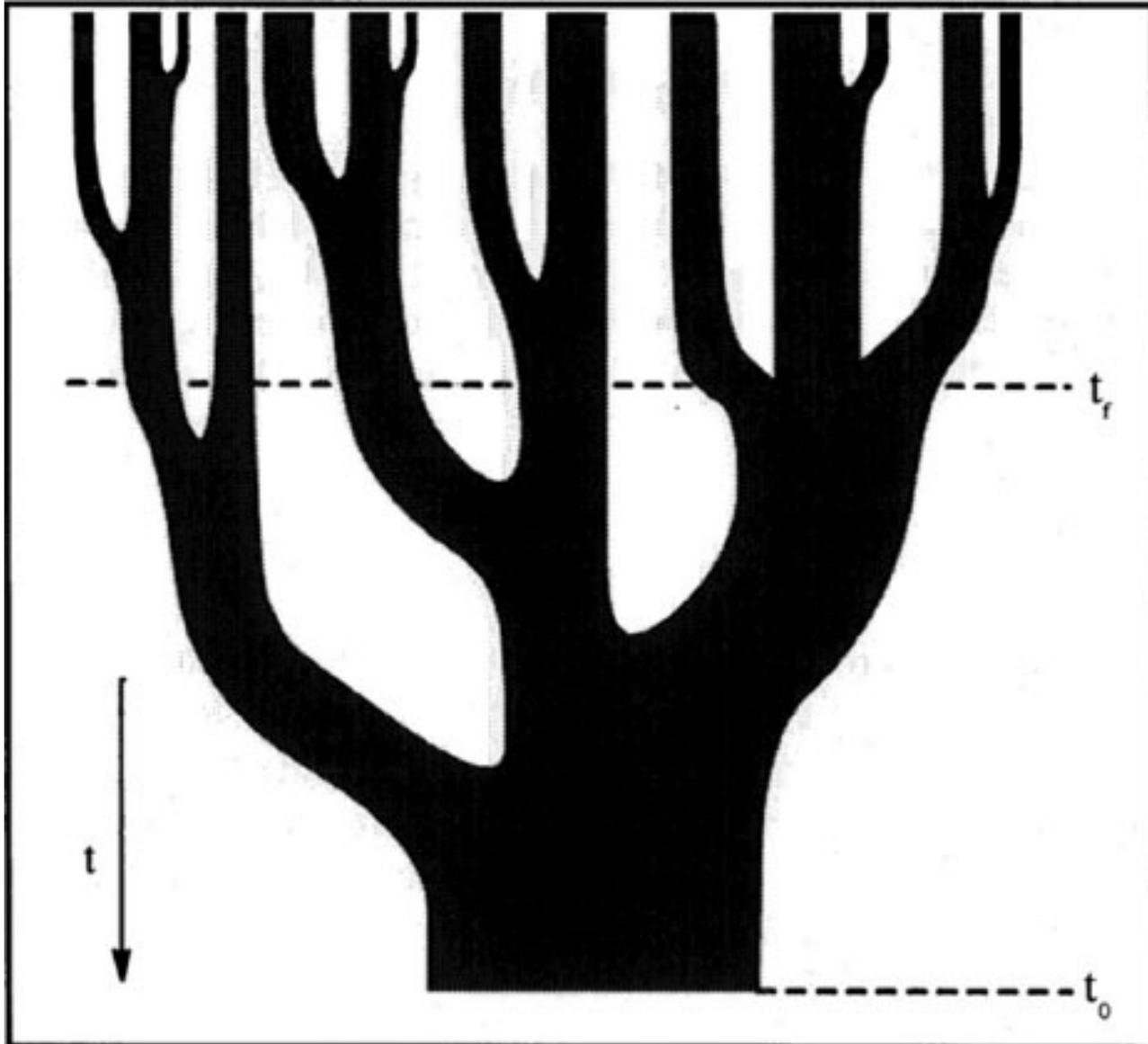
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13,700,000,000 YEARS
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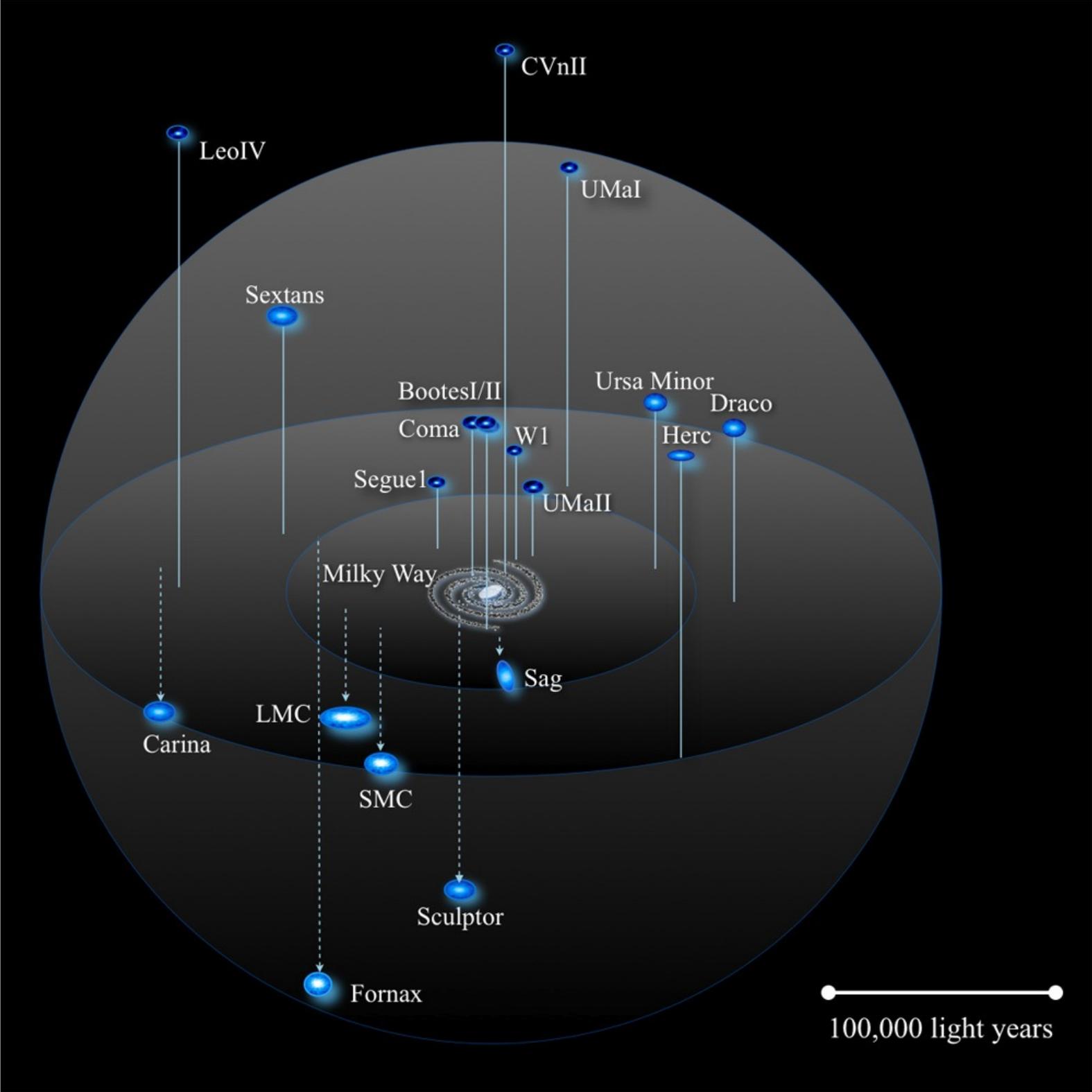


Hierarchical Structure Formation

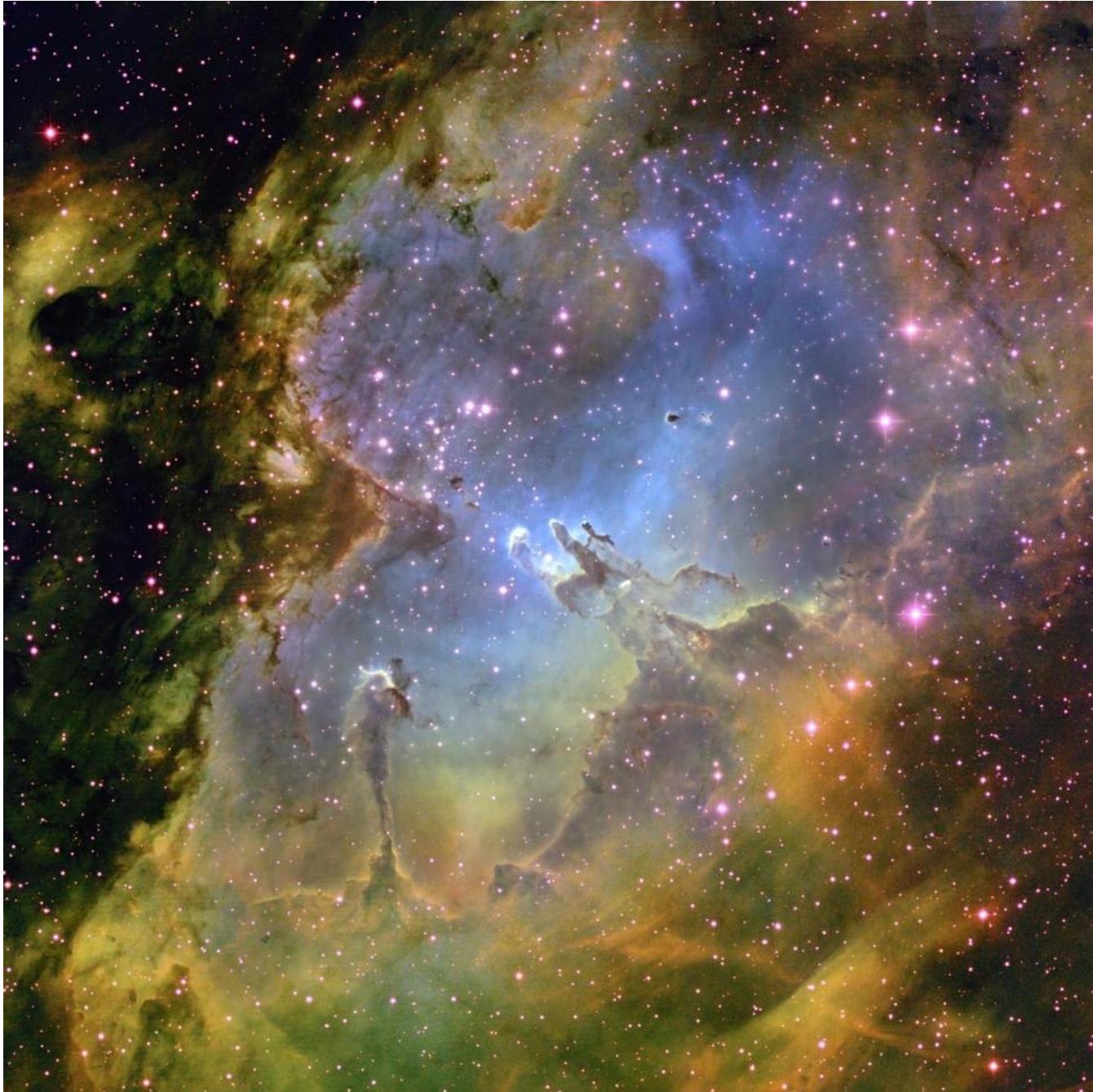


Merger Tree

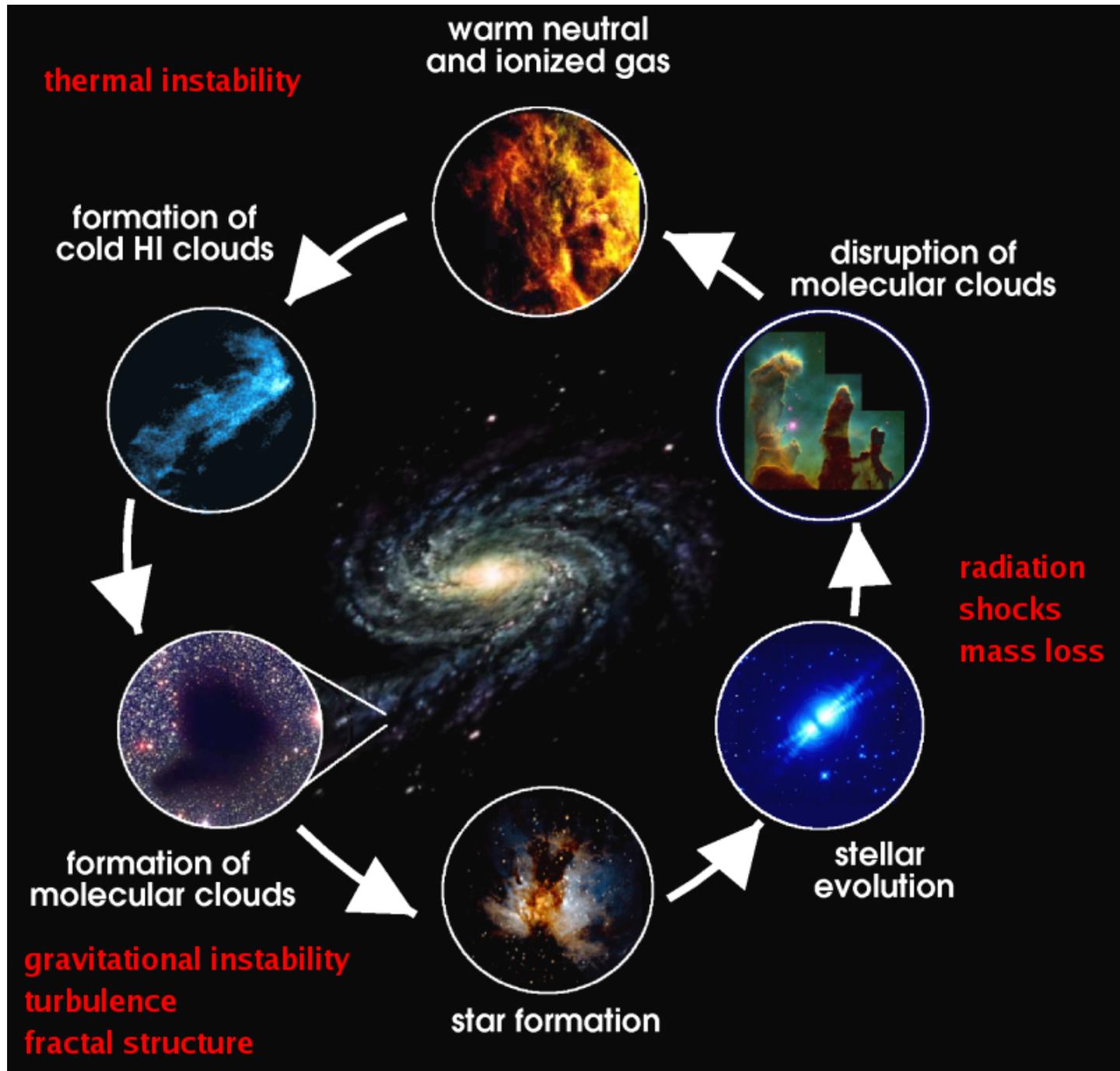




Giant Molecular Cloud (GMC): Stellar Nursery



Life Cycle of Interstellar Medium



How to Become a Star

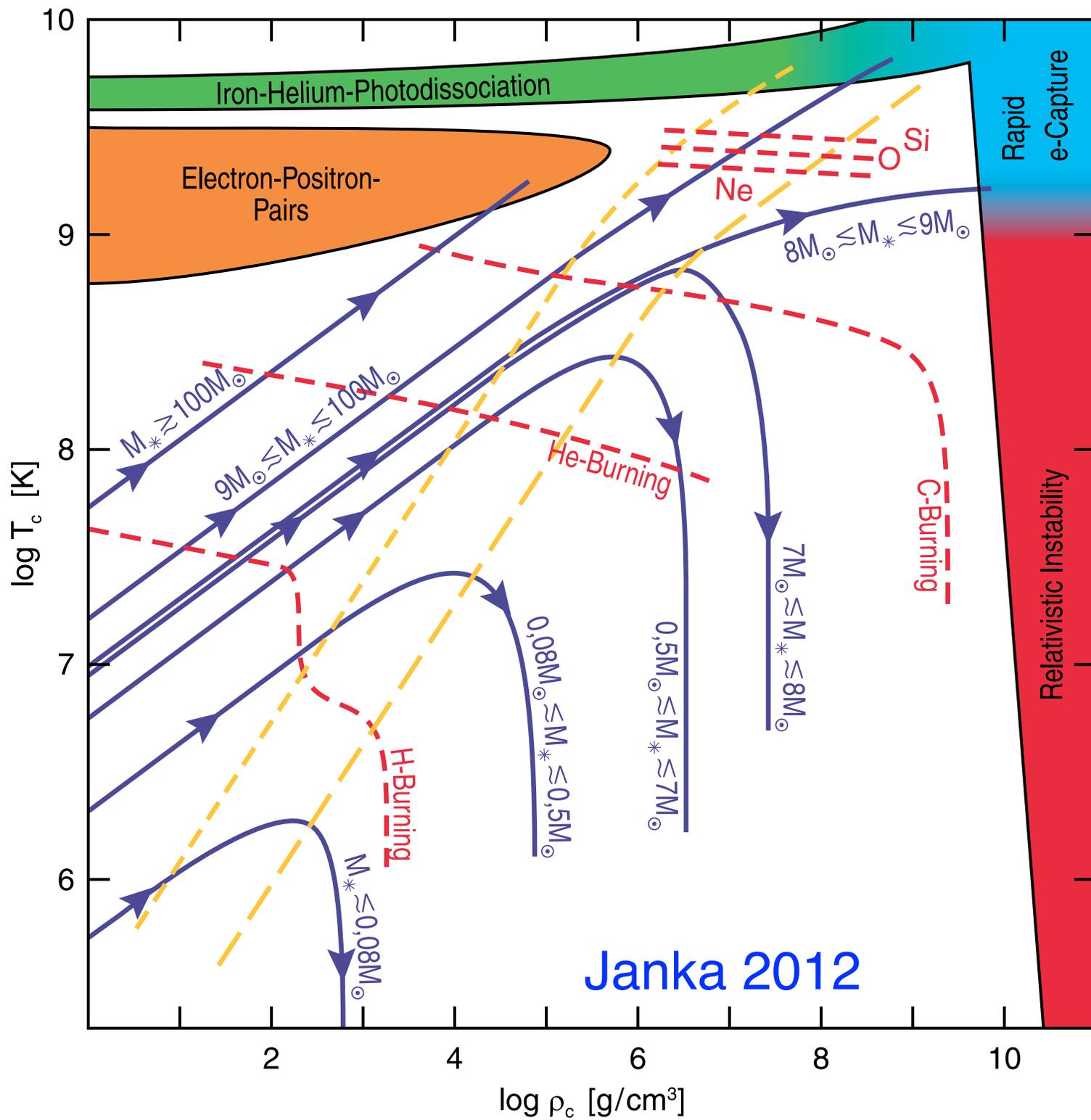
Virial theorem for a contracting gas cloud

$$T_c + \frac{\hbar^2}{2m_e d^2} \sim \frac{GMm_p}{R}$$

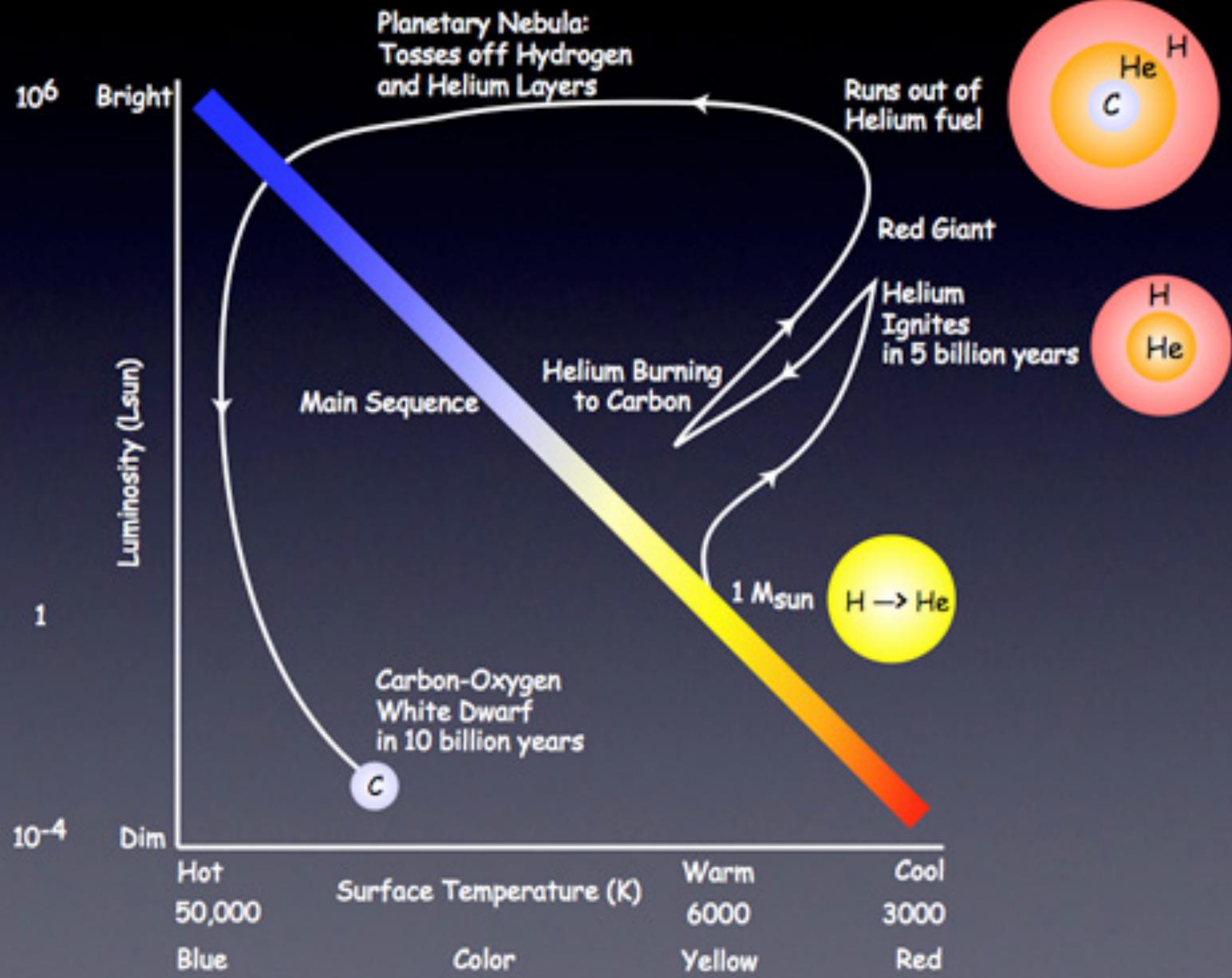
$$\left(\frac{M}{m_p}\right) d^3 \sim R^3 \Rightarrow$$

$$T_c \sim \frac{GMm_p}{R} - \frac{\hbar^2}{2m_e} \left(\frac{M}{m_p}\right)^{2/3} \frac{1}{R^2}$$

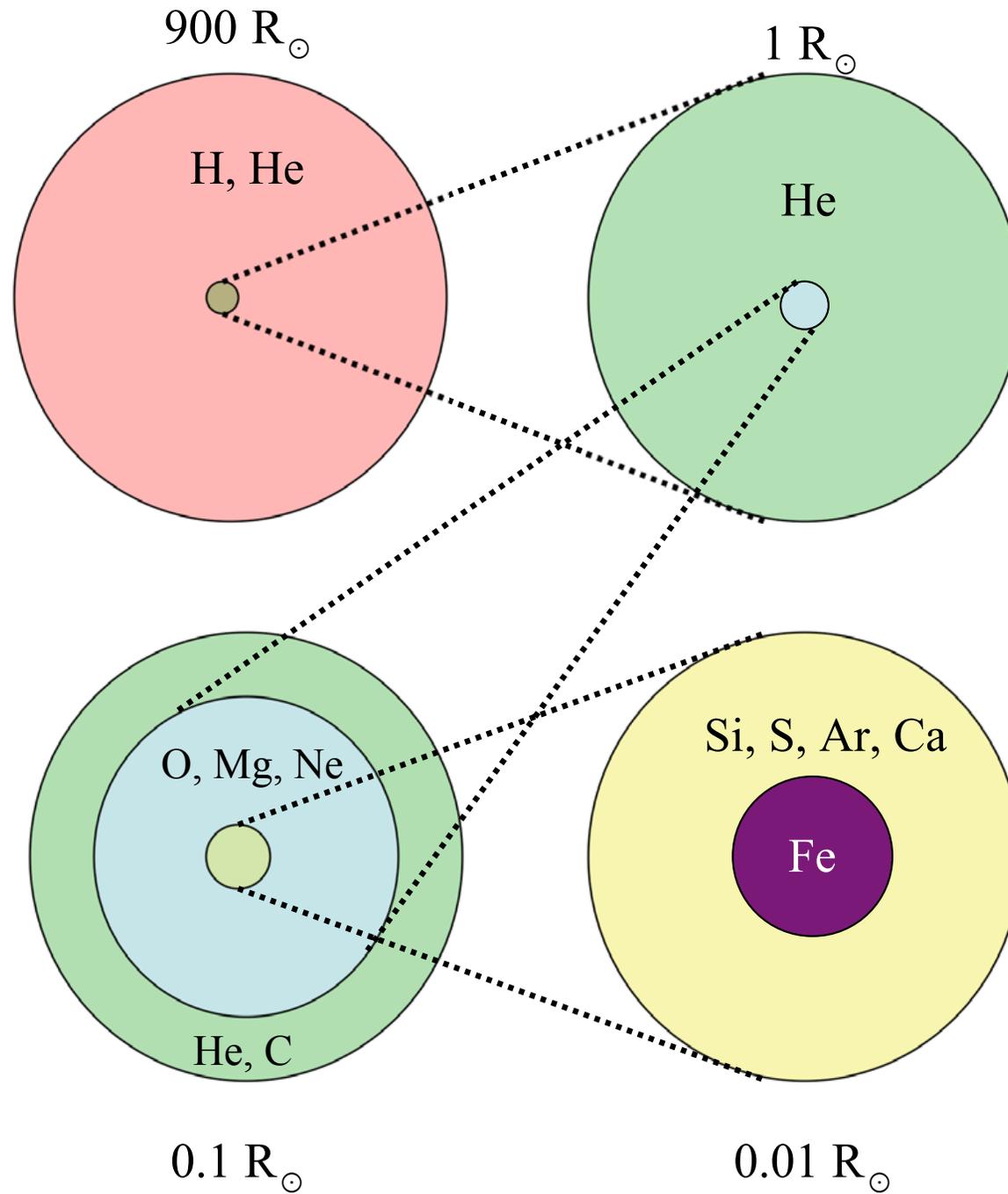
$$\Rightarrow T_{c,\max} \propto M^{4/3}$$

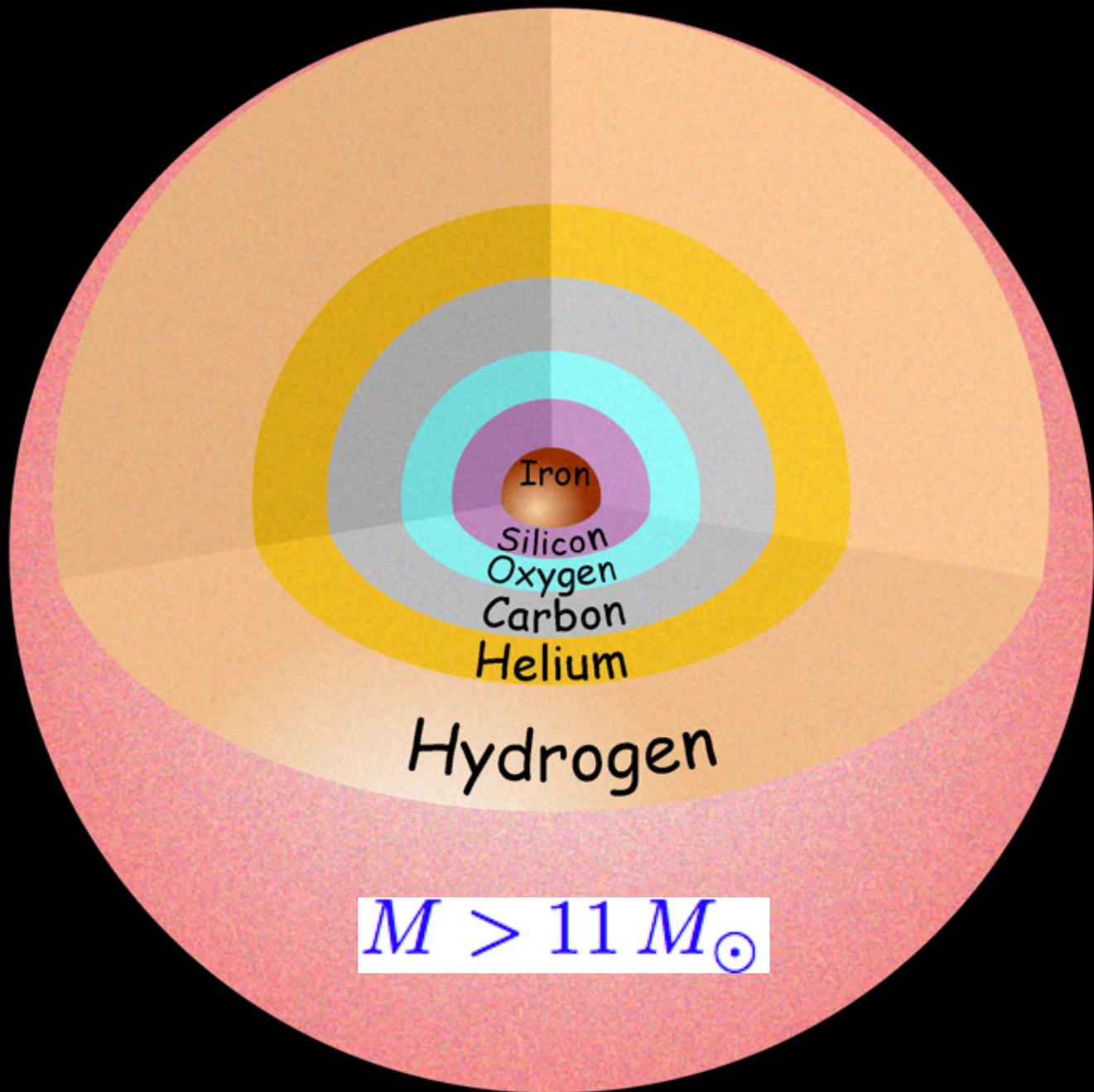


The final fate of stars like the Sun are carbon-oxygen white dwarfs.



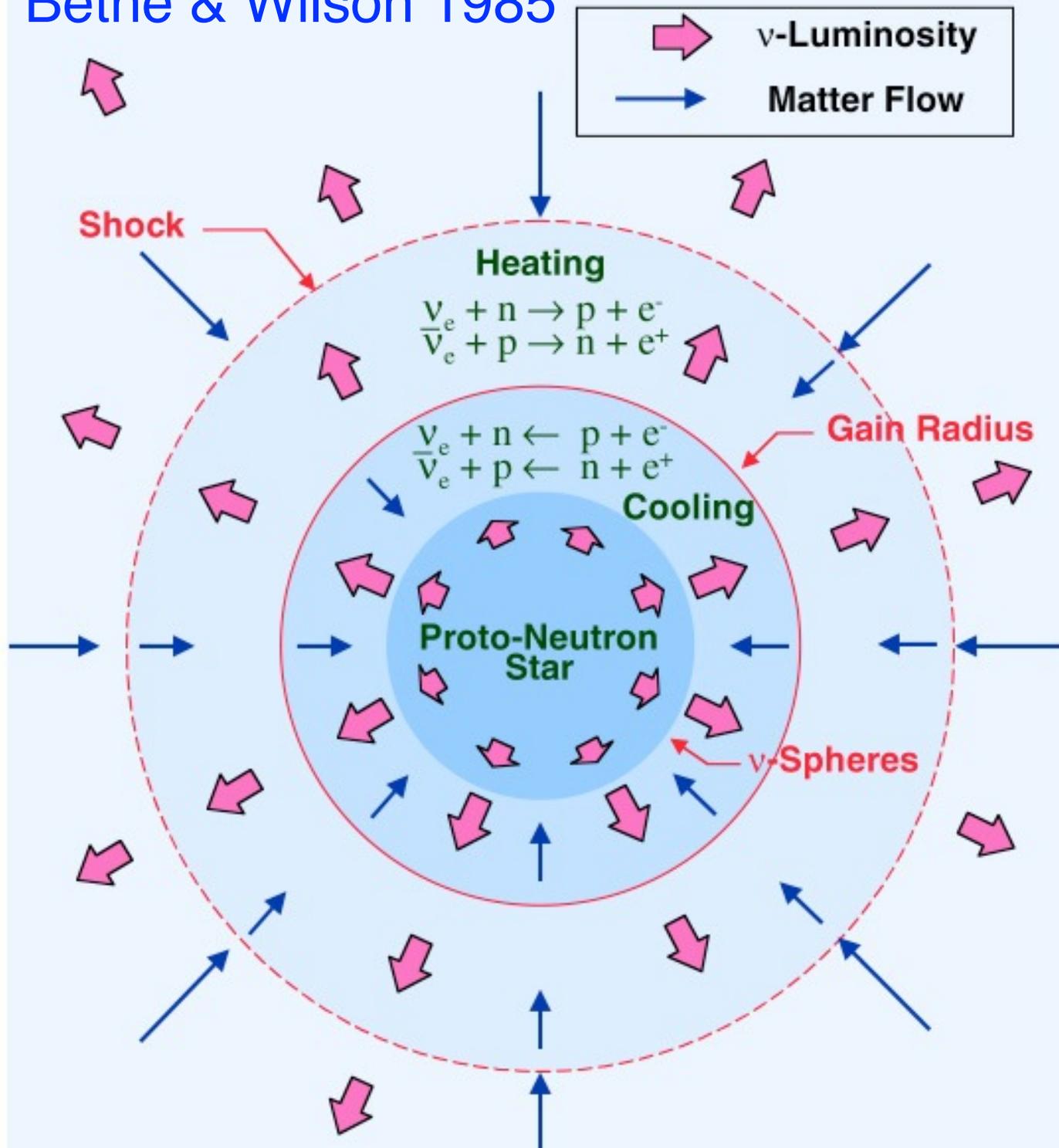
25 M_⊙ Presupernova Star



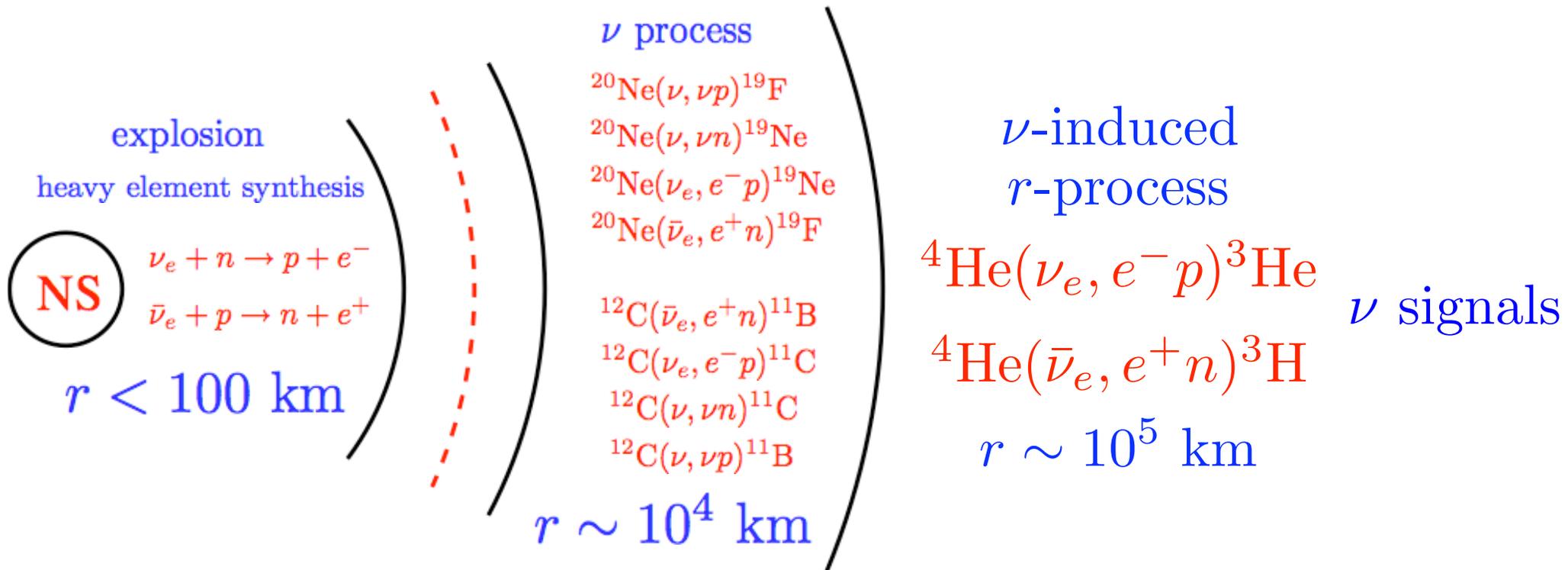


$M > 11 M_{\odot}$

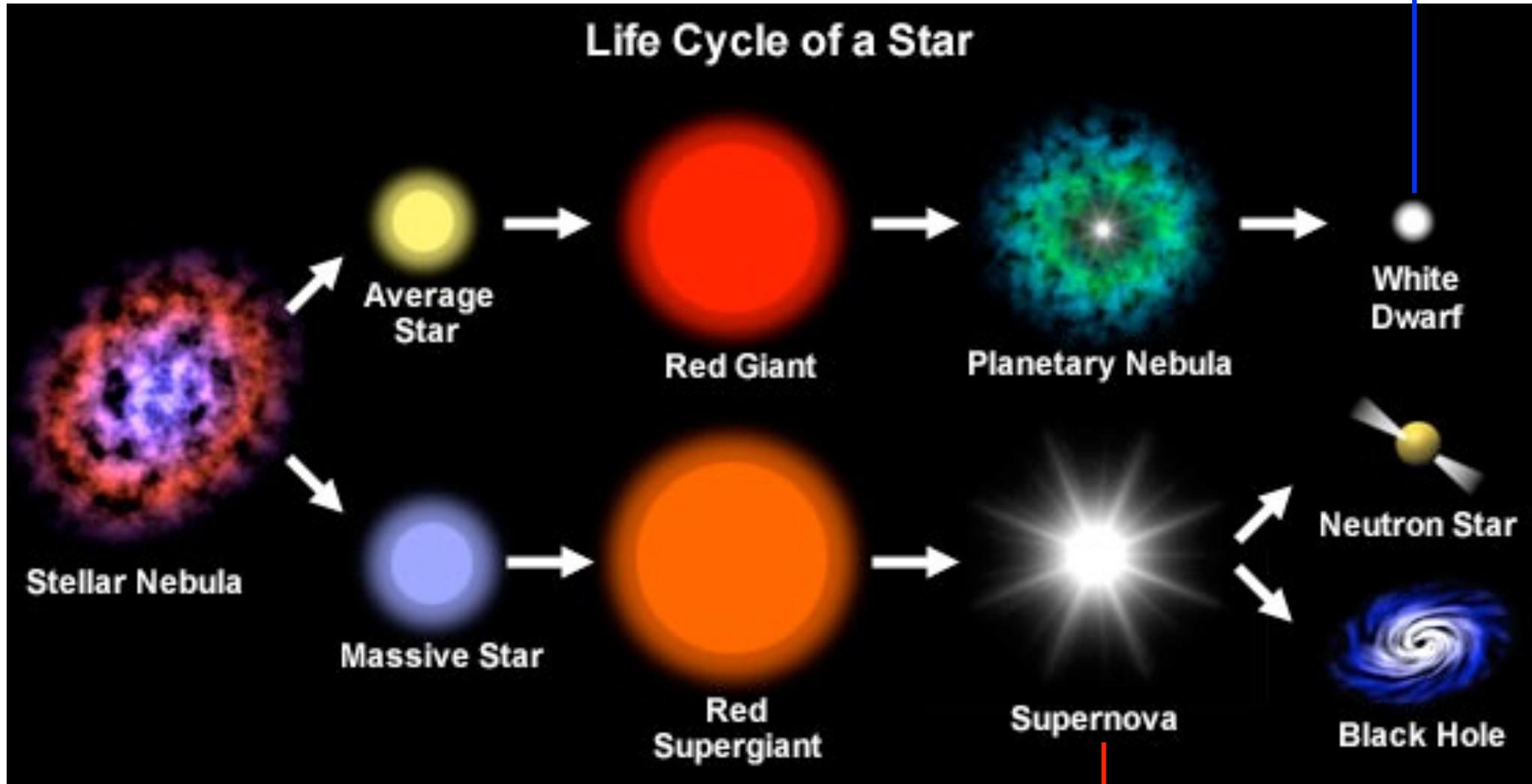
Bethe & Wilson 1985



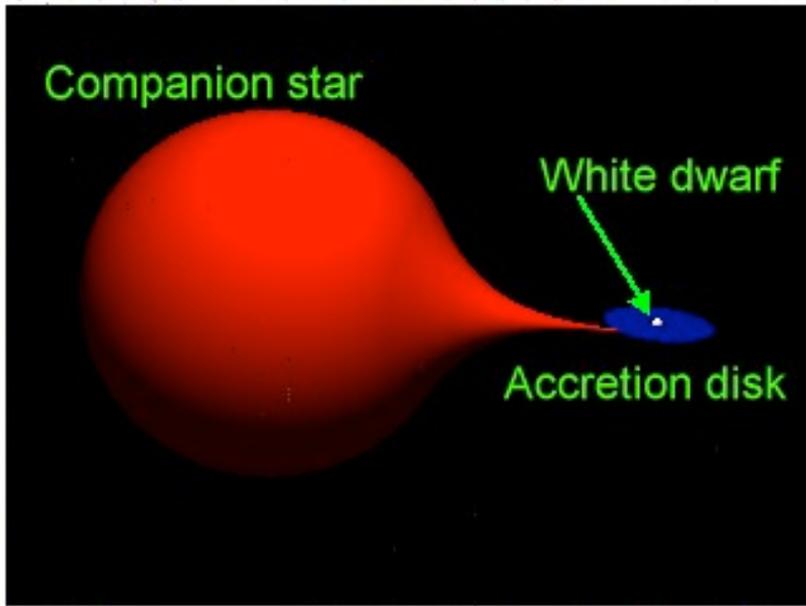
Interplay between Supernova and Neutrino Physics



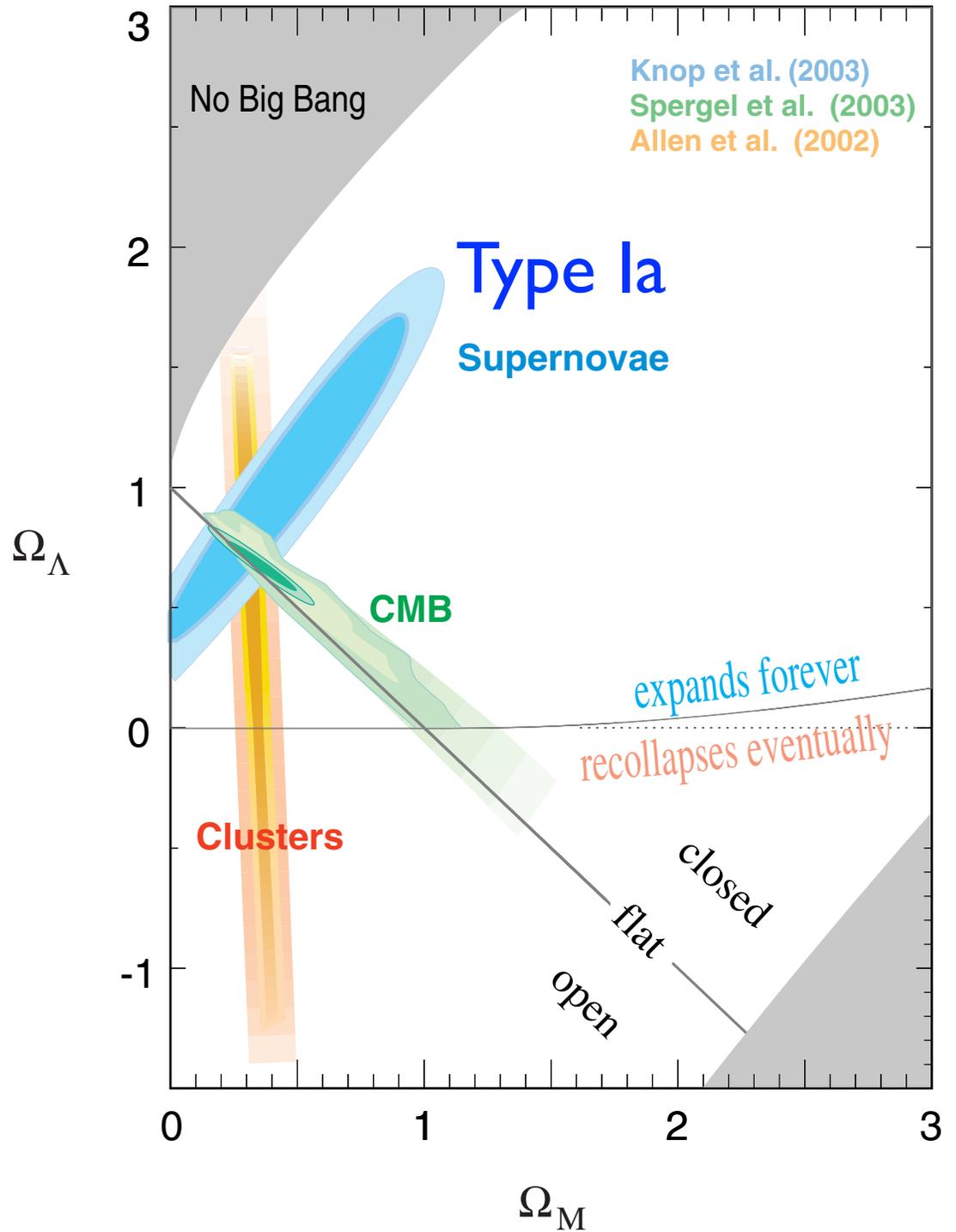
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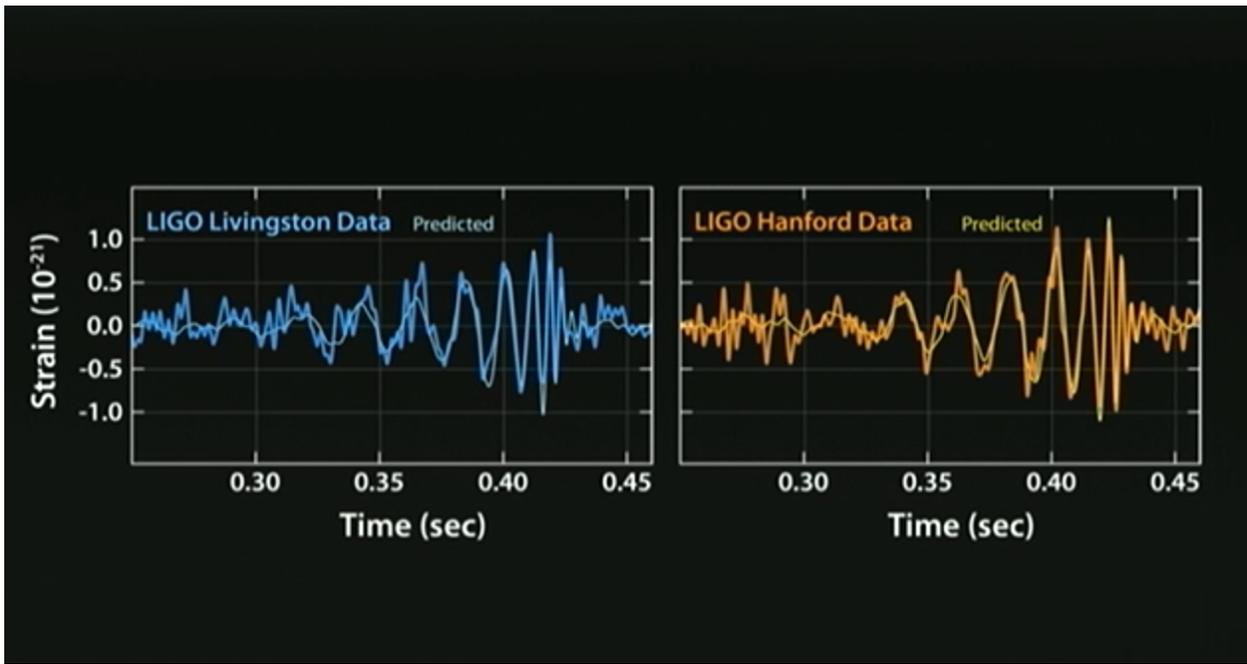
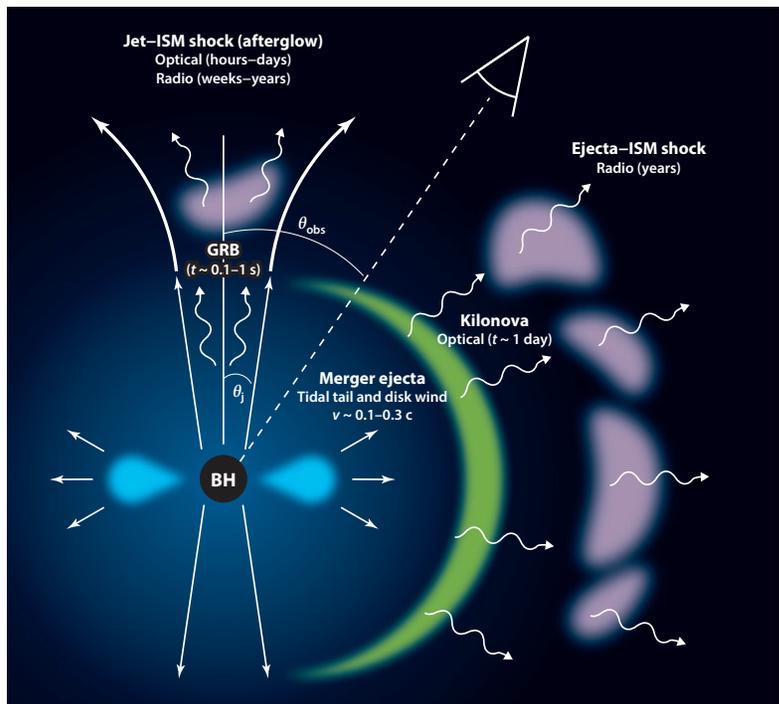
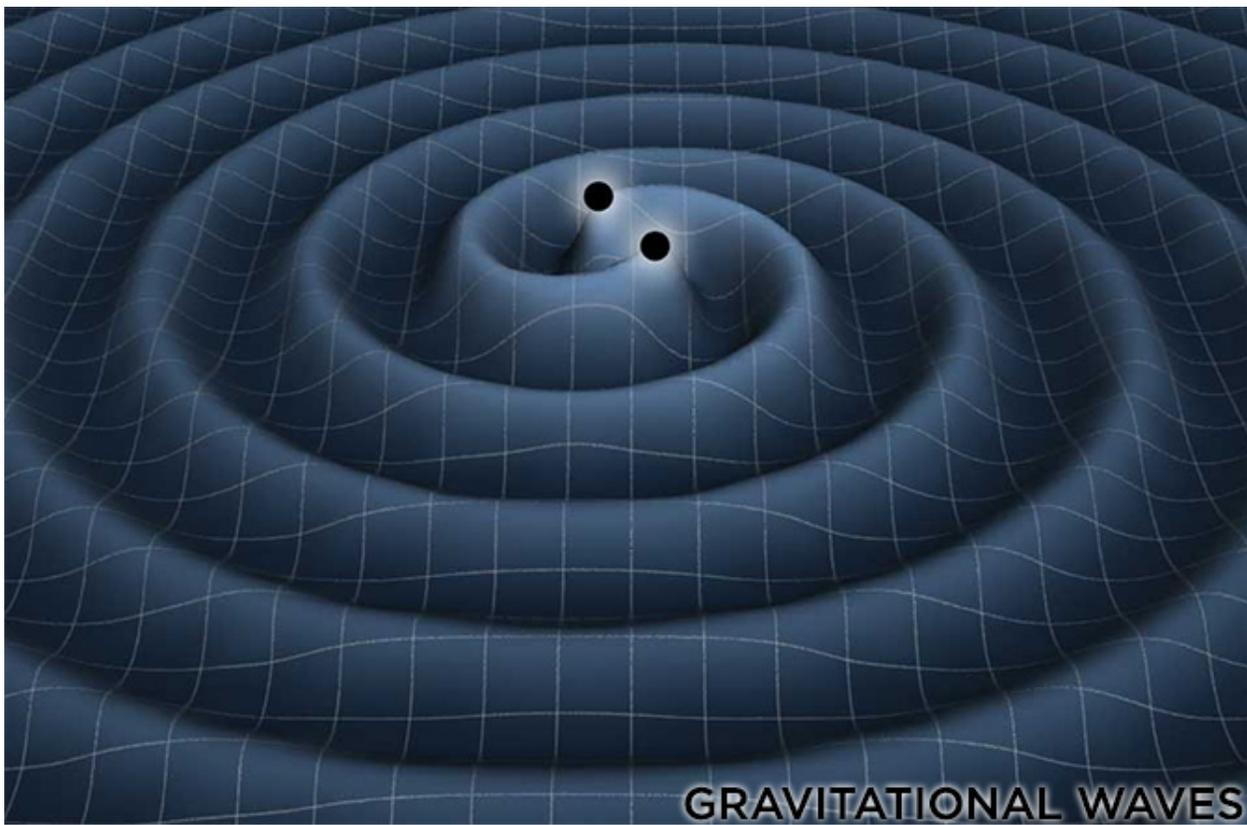
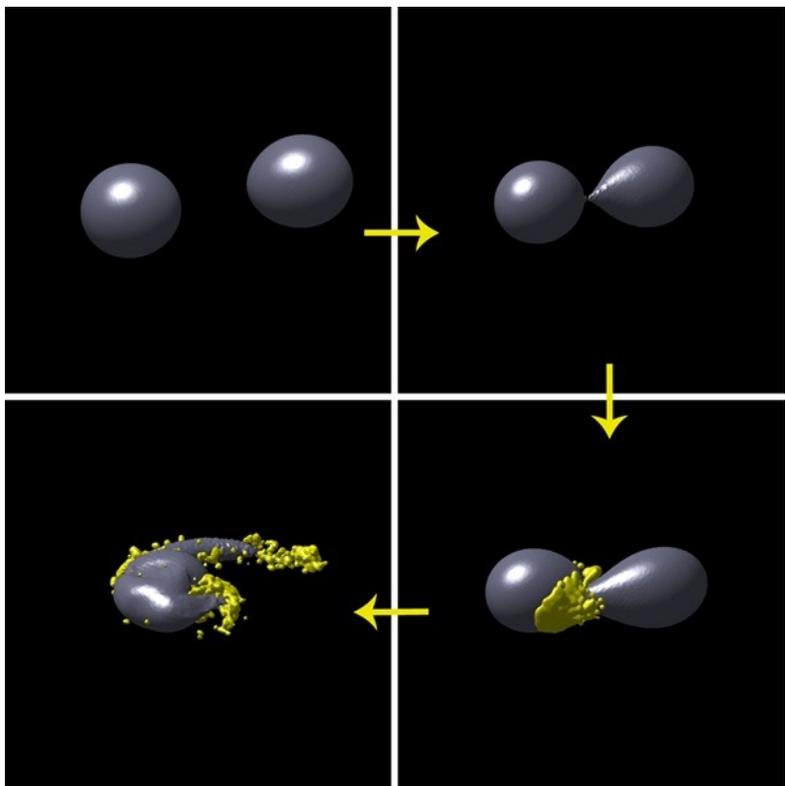


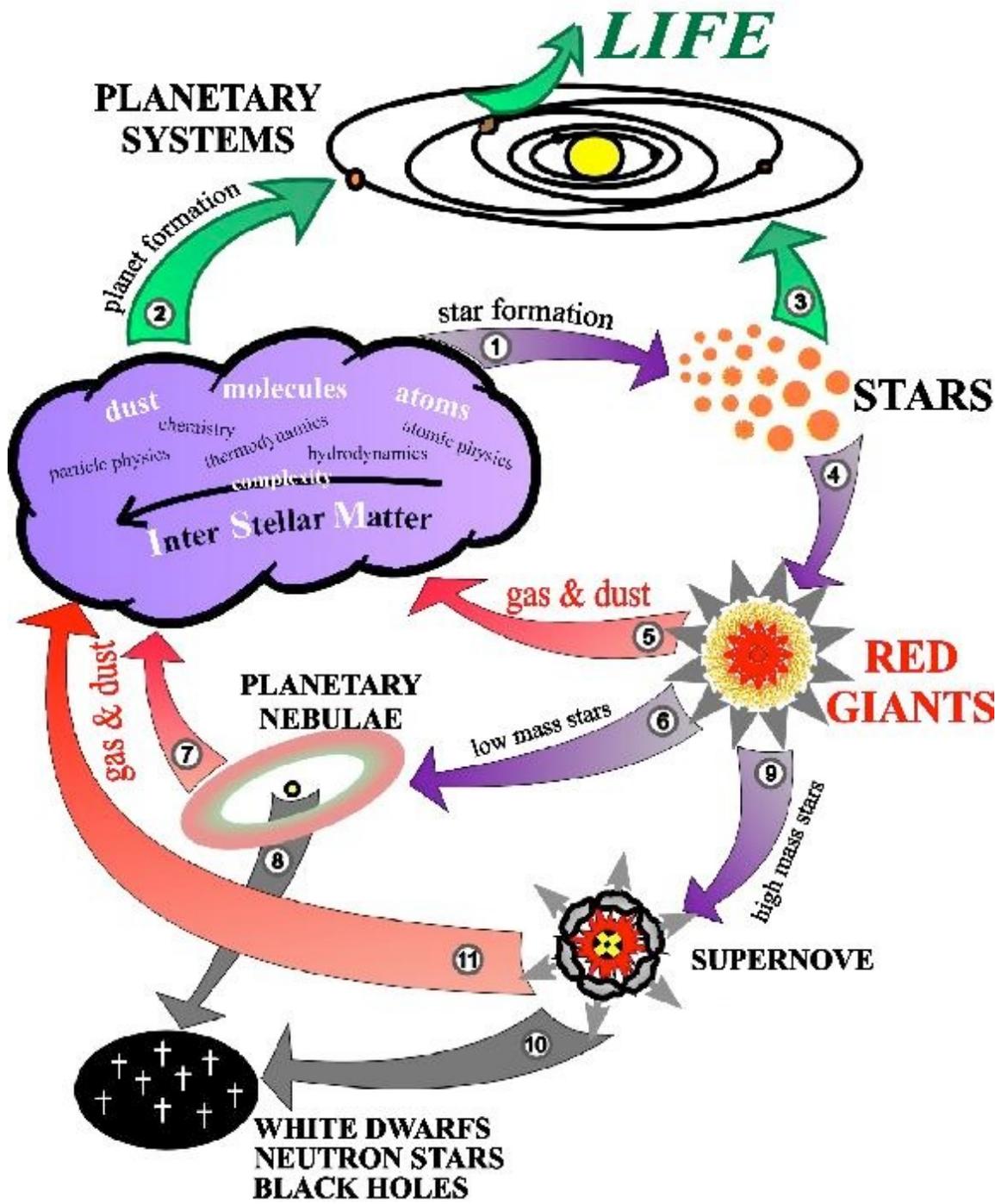
core-collapse SNe (mostly Type II)



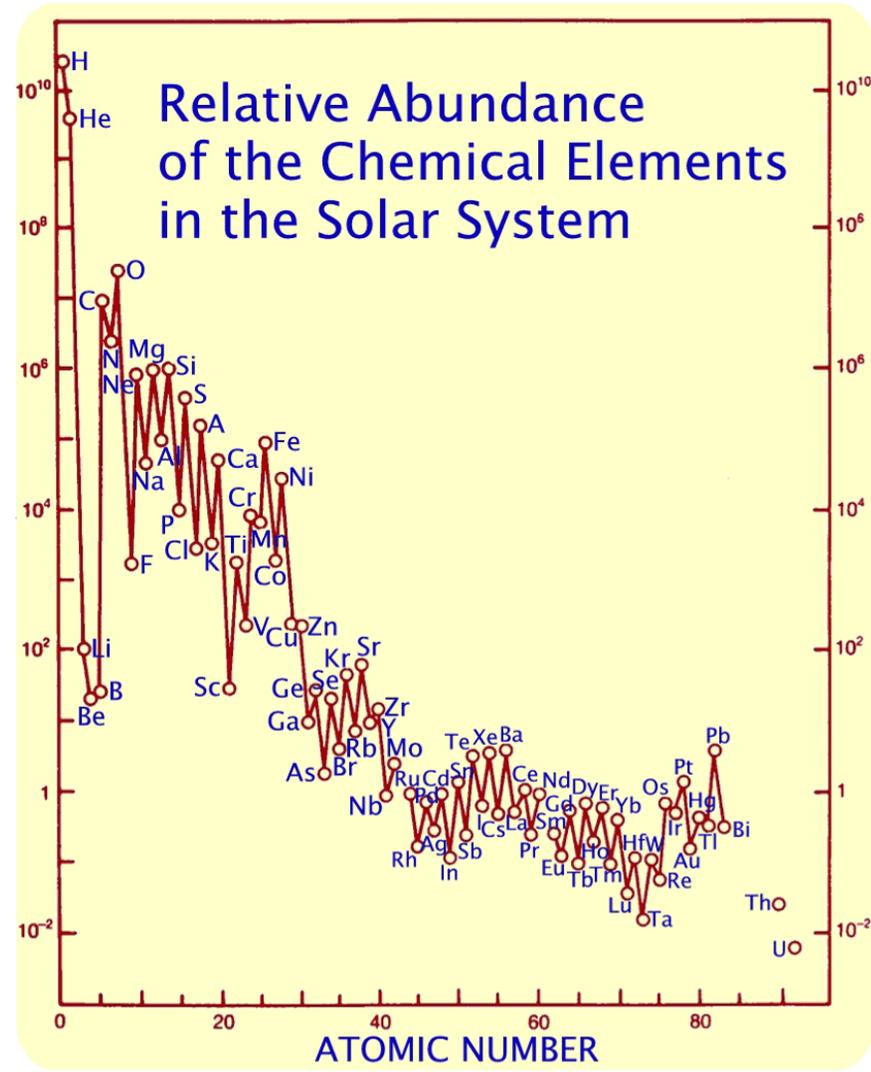
Supernova Cosmology Project







Arise from the Ashes



Quantum Mechanics of Neutrino Oscillations

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Postulates of Quantum Mechanics

$$|\psi(t)\rangle$$

The state of a system is presented by its wave function.

$$\omega(x, p) \rightarrow \Omega(X, P), [X, P] = i\hbar$$

Observables are represented by Hermitian operators.

$$\Omega|\omega_n\rangle = \omega_n|\omega_n\rangle, \text{Pr}(\omega_n, t) = |\langle\omega_n|\psi(t)\rangle|^2$$

Eigenvalues and eigenstates of operators describe results of measurement.

$$i\hbar\frac{\partial}{\partial t}|\psi(t)\rangle = H|\psi(t)\rangle$$

Evolution of state is governed by the Schrodinger Equation.

Vacuum Neutrino Oscillations

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_\mu \\ \nu_\tau \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_v & \sin \theta_v \\ -\sin \theta_v & \cos \theta_v \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_2 \\ \nu_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|\nu(t=0)\rangle = |\nu_\mu\rangle = \cos \theta_v |\nu_2\rangle + \sin \theta_v |\nu_3\rangle$$

$$|\nu(t)\rangle = \cos \theta_v |\nu_2\rangle e^{i(px-E_2t)} + \sin \theta_v |\nu_3\rangle e^{i(px-E_3t)}$$

$$E_i = \sqrt{p^2 + m_i^2} \approx p + \frac{m_i^2}{2p}, \quad i = 2, 3, \quad \delta m^2 \equiv m_3^2 - m_2^2$$

$$P_{\nu_\mu}(t) = |\langle \nu_\mu | \nu(t) \rangle|^2 = 1 - \sin^2 2\theta_v \sin^2 \left(\frac{\delta m^2}{4p} t \right)$$

Vacuum Oscillations as Neutrino Flavor Isospin Precession

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_\mu \\ \nu_\tau \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_v & \sin \theta_v \\ -\sin \theta_v & \cos \theta_v \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_2 \\ \nu_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{vac}} = \frac{\delta m^2}{4E_\nu} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{in mass basis}$$

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{vac}} = \frac{\delta m^2}{4E_\nu} \begin{pmatrix} -\cos 2\theta_v & \sin 2\theta_v \\ \sin 2\theta_v & \cos 2\theta_v \end{pmatrix} = -\frac{\vec{\sigma}}{2} \cdot \vec{H} \quad \text{in flavor basis}$$

$$\vec{H} = \omega \vec{H}_v, \quad \omega \equiv \frac{\delta m^2}{2E_\nu}, \quad \vec{H}_v \equiv -\hat{e}_x^f \sin 2\theta_v + \hat{e}_z^f \cos 2\theta_v$$

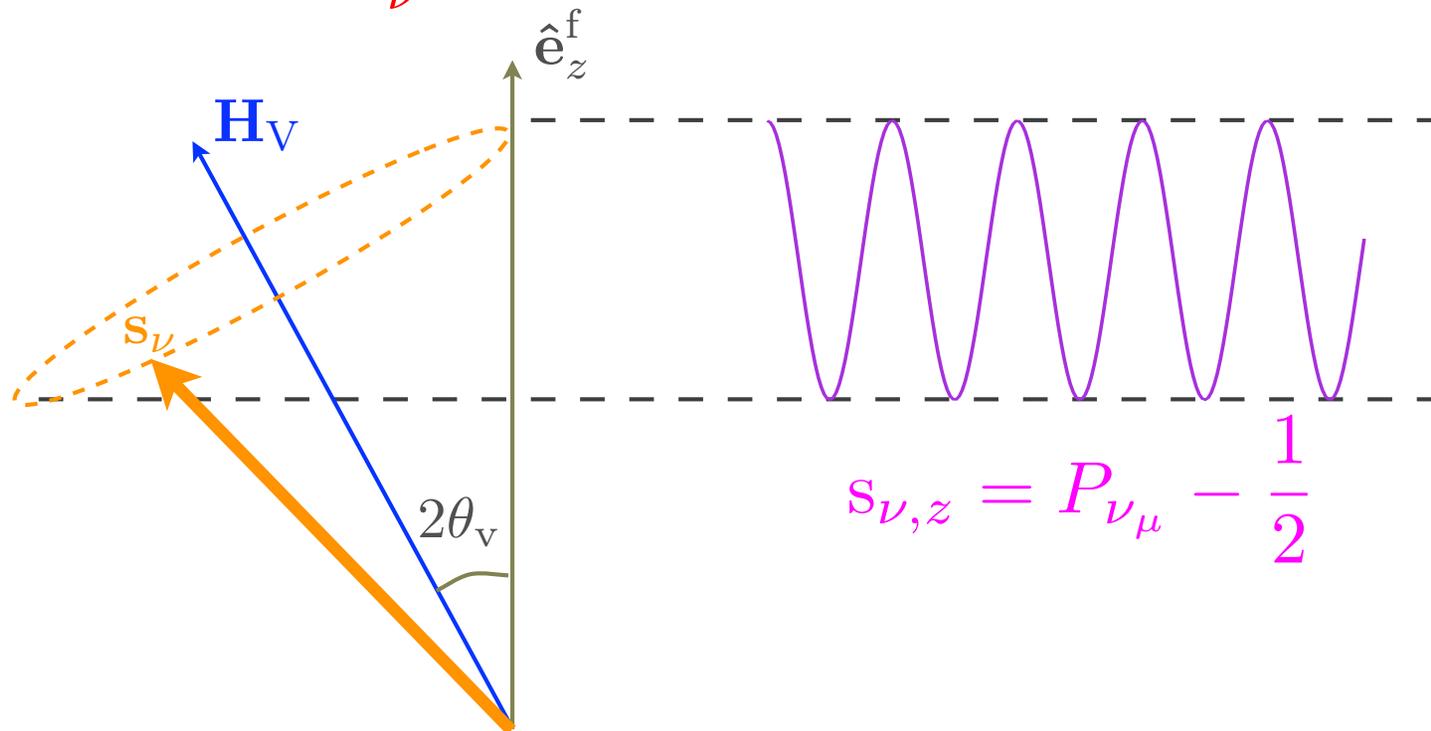
$$\frac{\sigma_z}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{\sigma_z}{2} |\nu_\mu\rangle = \frac{1}{2} |\nu_\mu\rangle, \quad \frac{\sigma_z}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{\sigma_z}{2} |\nu_\tau\rangle = -\frac{1}{2} |\nu_\tau\rangle$$

$$\psi_\nu = \begin{pmatrix} a_{\nu\mu} \\ a_{\nu\tau} \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow i \frac{d}{dt} \psi_\nu = \mathcal{H}_{\text{vac}} \psi_\nu$$

$$\vec{s}_\nu \equiv \psi_\nu^\dagger \frac{\vec{\sigma}}{2} \psi_\nu \Rightarrow s_{\nu,z} = \frac{|a_{\nu\mu}|^2 - |a_{\nu\tau}|^2}{2} = \begin{cases} 1/2 \uparrow & \text{for } \nu_\mu \\ -1/2 \downarrow & \text{for } \nu_\tau \end{cases}$$

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{vac}} = -\frac{\vec{\sigma}}{2} \cdot \vec{H} \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} \vec{s}_\nu = \vec{s}_\nu \times \vec{H}$$

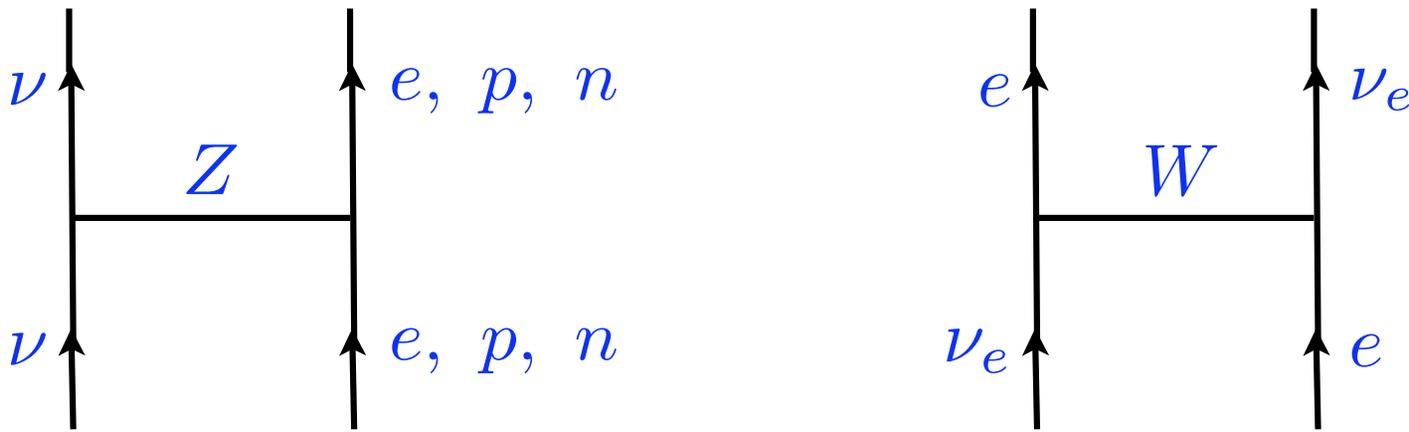
$$\vec{H} = \omega \vec{H}_\nu, \quad \omega \equiv \frac{\delta m^2}{2E_\nu}, \quad \vec{H}_\nu \equiv -\hat{e}_x^f \sin 2\theta_\nu + \hat{e}_z^f \cos 2\theta_\nu$$



Solar Neutrino Oscillations

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ \nu_\mu \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_\odot & \sin \theta_\odot \\ -\sin \theta_\odot & \cos \theta_\odot \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

forward scattering on matter particles



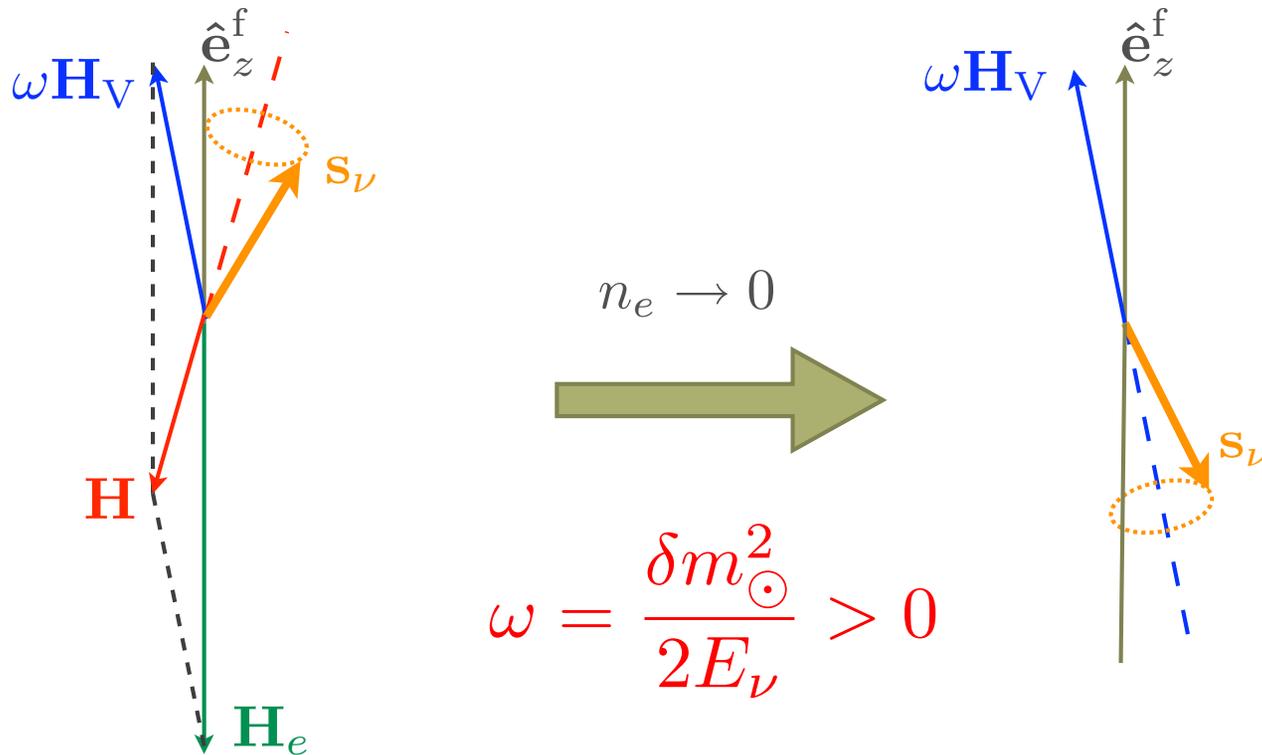
$$\frac{d}{dt} \vec{s}_\nu = \vec{s}_\nu \times \vec{H}, \quad \vec{H} = \omega \vec{H}_\nu + \vec{H}_e$$

$$\omega \equiv \frac{\delta m_\odot^2}{2E_\nu}, \quad \vec{H}_\nu \equiv -\hat{e}_x^f \sin 2\theta_\odot + \hat{e}_z^f \cos 2\theta_\odot$$

$$\vec{H}_e \equiv -\hat{e}_z^f \sqrt{2} G_F n_e$$

Mikheyev-Smirnov-Wolfenstein (MSW) Mechanism

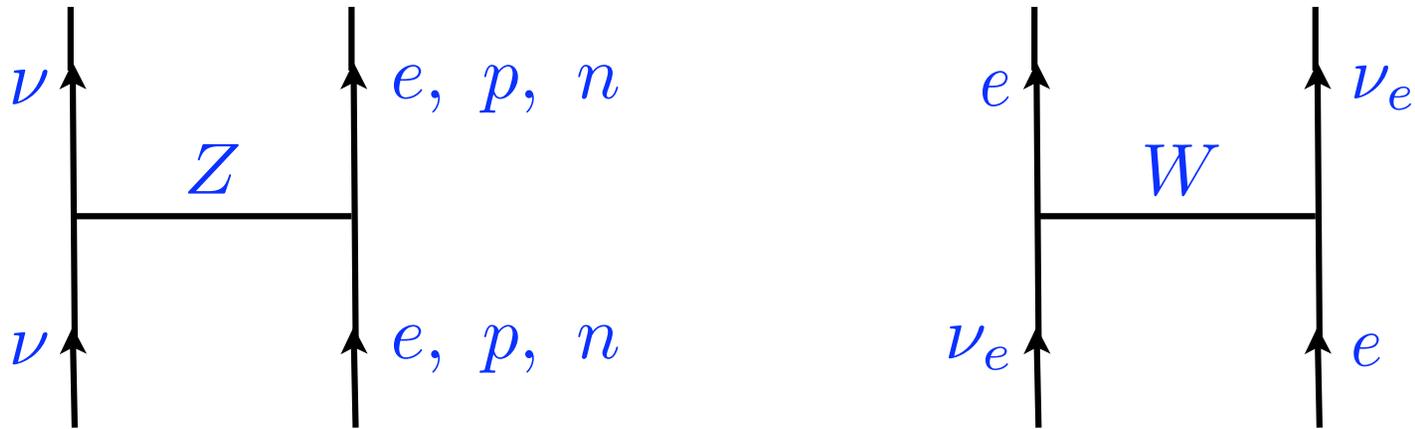
$$\vec{H} = \omega \vec{H}_\nu + \vec{H}_e, \quad \vec{H}_e \equiv -\hat{e}_z^f \sqrt{2} G_F n_e$$



resonance: $\omega \cos 2\theta_{\odot} = \sqrt{2} G_F n_e$

$$P_{\nu_e} = \frac{1}{2} + S_{\nu,z} \rightarrow \frac{1 - \cos 2\theta_{\odot}}{2} = \sin^2 \theta_{\odot}$$

Mikheyev-Smirnov-Wolfenstein (MSW) Mechanism



effective interaction Hamiltonian (flavor diagonal):

$$\langle \nu_{\mu,\tau} | H_{\text{int}} | \nu_{\mu,\tau} \rangle = 0, \quad \langle \nu_e | H_{\text{int}} | \nu_e \rangle = \sqrt{2} G_F n_e$$

$$\langle \bar{\nu} | H_{\text{int}} | \bar{\nu} \rangle = -\langle \nu | H_{\text{int}} | \nu \rangle$$

$$\Delta \equiv \frac{\delta m^2}{2E_\nu} \Rightarrow \text{in flavor basis:}$$

$$H = H_\nu + H_{\text{int}} = \text{coefficient} \times \text{identity matrix} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{2} G_F n_e - \Delta \cos 2\theta & \Delta \sin 2\theta \\ \Delta \sin 2\theta & \Delta \cos 2\theta - \sqrt{2} G_F n_e \end{pmatrix}$$

instantaneous mass eigenstates:

$$|\nu_{1m}\rangle = \cos\theta_m |\nu_e\rangle - \sin\theta_m |\nu_\mu\rangle, \quad |\nu_{2m}\rangle = \sin\theta_m |\nu_e\rangle + \cos\theta_m |\nu_\mu\rangle$$

$$\omega_{1m} = -\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{(\Delta \cos 2\theta - \sqrt{2}G_F n_e)^2 + \Delta^2 \sin^2 2\theta}, \quad \omega_{2m} = -\omega_{1m}$$

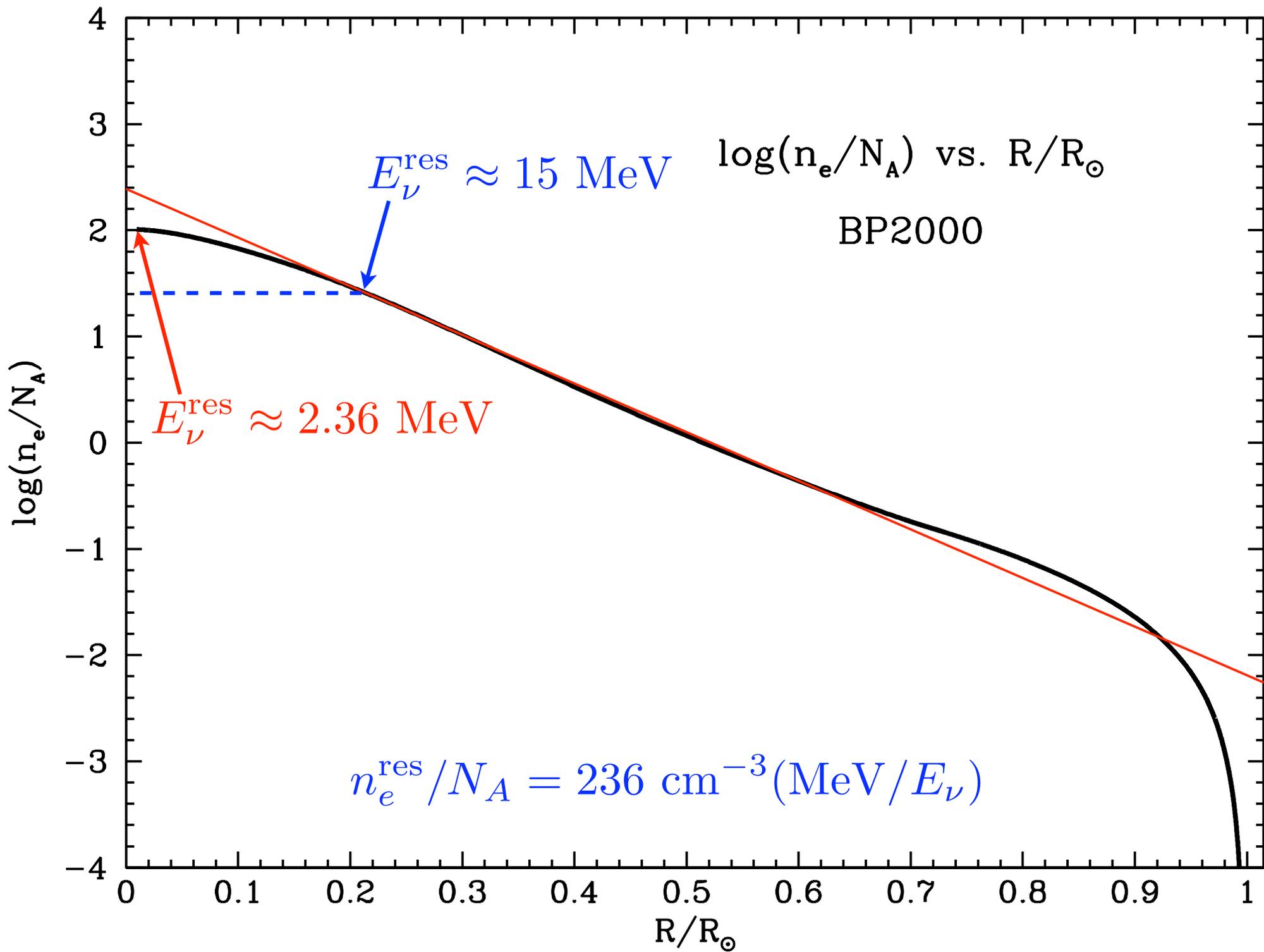
$$\cos 2\theta_m = \frac{\Delta \cos 2\theta - \sqrt{2}G_F n_e}{\sqrt{(\Delta \cos 2\theta - \sqrt{2}G_F n_e)^2 + \Delta^2 \sin^2 2\theta}}$$

$$\sin 2\theta_m = \frac{\Delta \sin 2\theta}{\sqrt{(\Delta \cos 2\theta - \sqrt{2}G_F n_e)^2 + \Delta^2 \sin^2 2\theta}}$$

resonance: $\Delta \cos 2\theta = \sqrt{2}G_F n_e^{\text{res}} = \sqrt{2}G_F N_A Y_e \rho_{\text{res}}$

$$\frac{n_e^{\text{res}}}{N_A} = 6.55 \times 10^6 \text{ cm}^{-3} \left(\frac{\delta m^2}{\text{eV}^2} \right) \left(\frac{\text{MeV}}{E_\nu} \right) \cos 2\theta$$

$$\delta m^2 = 8 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2, \quad \sin^2 2\theta = 0.8 \quad (\cos 2\theta \approx 0.45) \Rightarrow \\ n_e^{\text{res}}/N_A = 236 \text{ cm}^{-3} (\text{MeV}/E_\nu)$$



$$|\nu_{1m}\rangle = \cos \theta_m |\nu_e\rangle - \sin \theta_m |\nu_\mu\rangle, \quad |\nu_{2m}\rangle = \sin \theta_m |\nu_e\rangle + \cos \theta_m |\nu_\mu\rangle$$

$$n_e \gg n_e^{\text{res}} \Rightarrow \theta_m \sim \pi/2, \quad \nu_{1m} \sim -\nu_\mu, \quad \nu_{2m} \sim \nu_e$$

$$n_e = n_e^{\text{res}} \Rightarrow \theta_m = \pi/4, \quad n_e = 0 \Rightarrow \theta_m = \theta$$

adiabatic flavor evolution $\Rightarrow |\nu_e\rangle \rightarrow \sin \theta |\nu_e\rangle + \cos \theta |\nu_\mu\rangle$

$$\sin^2 2\theta \sim 0.8 \Rightarrow P_{\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_e} = \sin^2 \theta \sim 0.3$$

resonance region:

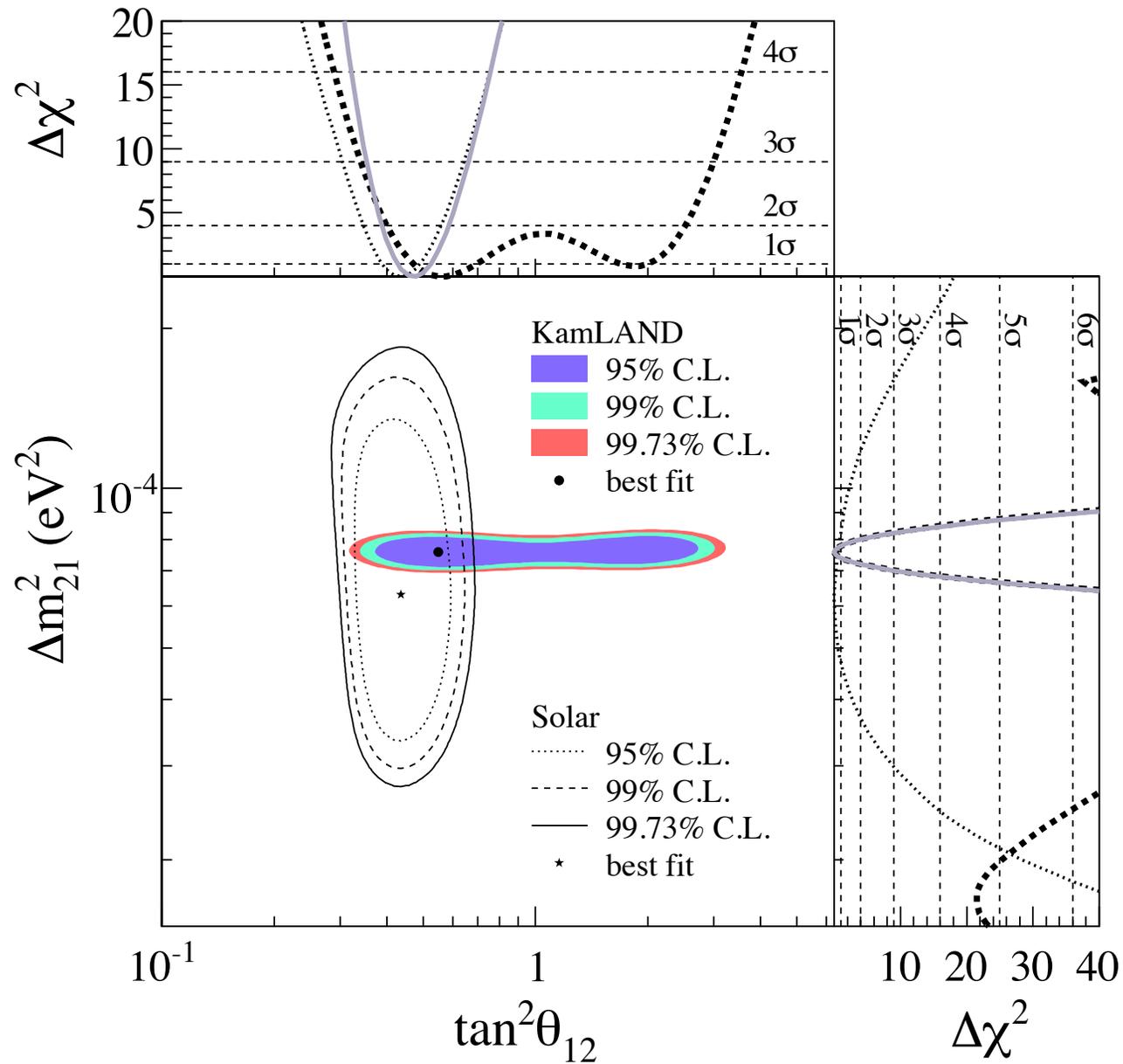
$$\sin^2 2\theta_m = \frac{\Delta^2 \sin^2 2\theta}{(\Delta \cos 2\theta - \sqrt{2}G_F n_e)^2 + \Delta^2 \sin^2 2\theta} \geq \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow |\Delta \cos 2\theta - \sqrt{2}G_F n_e| \leq \Delta \sin 2\theta, \quad |n_e - n_e^{\text{res}}| \leq n_e^{\text{res}} \tan 2\theta$$

$$\left| \frac{dn_e}{dr} \right|_{\text{res}} \delta r = n_e^{\text{res}} \tan 2\theta \Rightarrow \delta r = \frac{n_e^{\text{res}} \tan 2\theta}{|dn_e/dr|_{\text{res}}}$$

adiabatic criterion: $\delta E \sim \frac{1}{\delta r} \ll (\omega_{2m} - \omega_{1m})_{\text{min}} = \Delta \sin 2\theta$

$$\gamma_{\text{ad}} = (\Delta \sin 2\theta) \delta r = \frac{\delta m^2 \sin^2 2\theta}{2E_\nu \cos 2\theta} \left| \frac{d \ln n_e}{dr} \right|_{\text{res}}^{-1} \gg 1$$

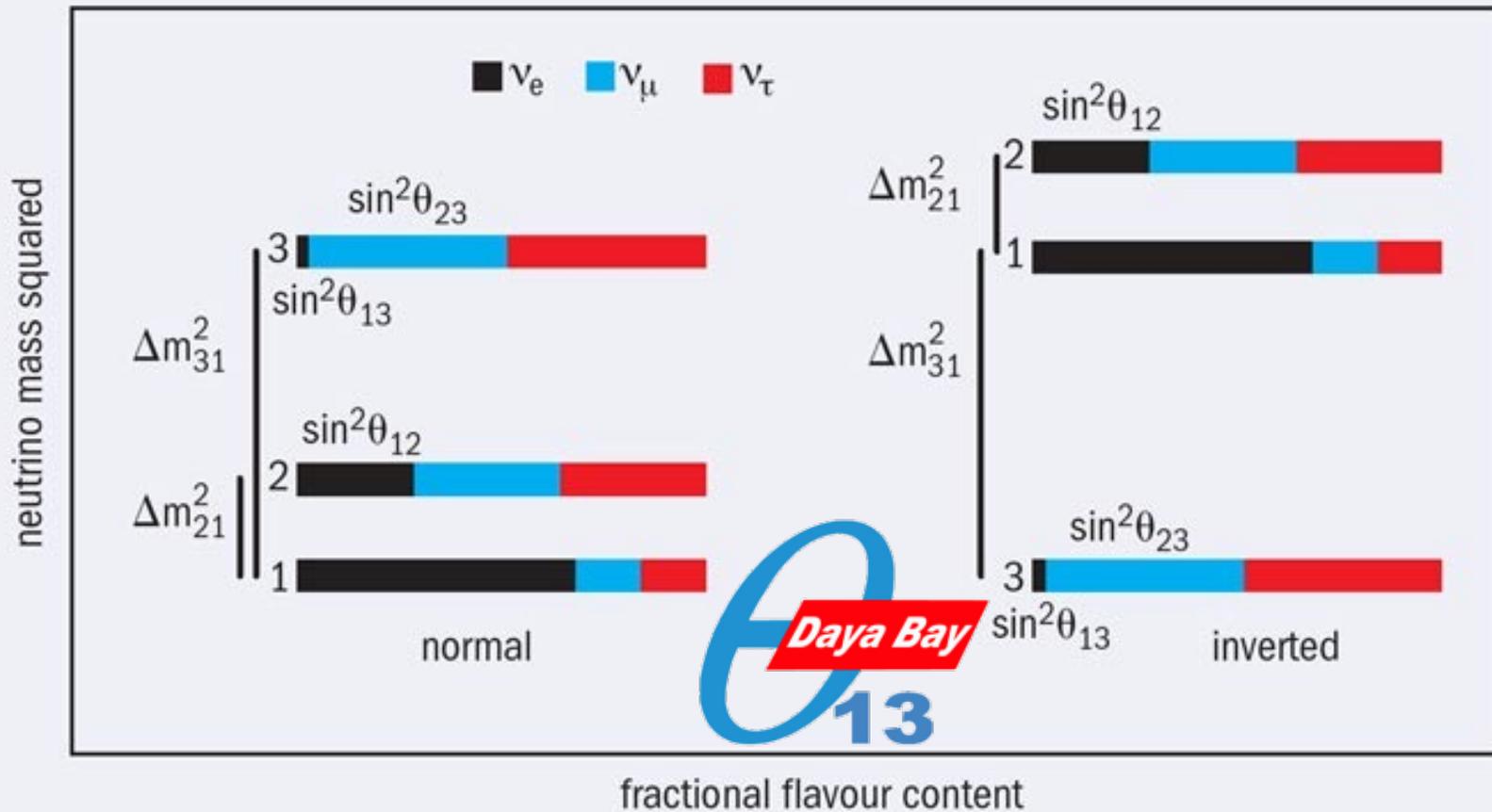


$$\frac{\delta m_{\odot}^2}{4E_{\nu}} x = 1.27 \left(\frac{\delta m_{\odot}^2}{10^{-4} \text{ eV}^2} \right) \left(\frac{\text{MeV}}{E_{\nu}} \right) \left(\frac{x}{10 \text{ km}} \right)$$

Three Neutrino Mixing

$$|\nu_\alpha\rangle = \sum_i U_{\alpha i}^* |\nu_i\rangle, \quad |\nu_i\rangle = \sum_\alpha U_{\alpha i} |\nu_\alpha\rangle$$

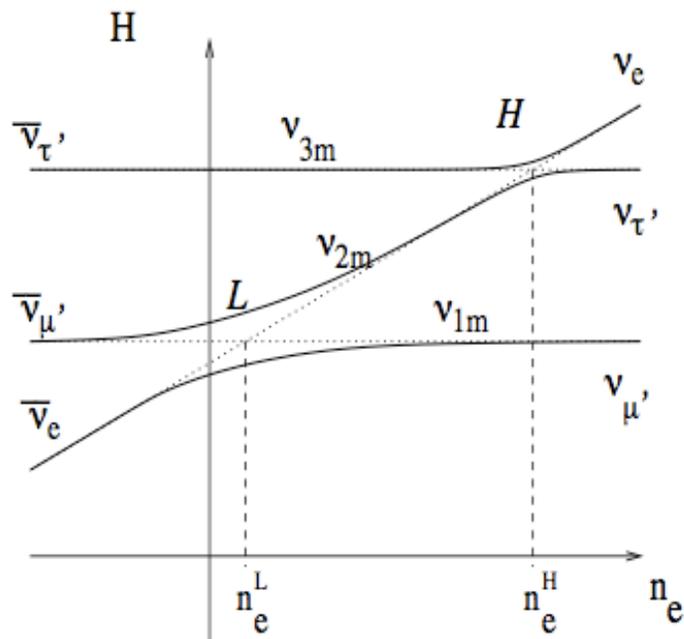
$$U = \begin{bmatrix} c_{12}c_{13} & s_{12}c_{13} & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ -s_{12}c_{23} - c_{12}s_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & c_{12}c_{23} - s_{12}s_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & s_{23}c_{13} \\ s_{12}s_{23} - c_{12}c_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & -c_{12}s_{23} - s_{12}c_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & c_{23}c_{13} \end{bmatrix}$$



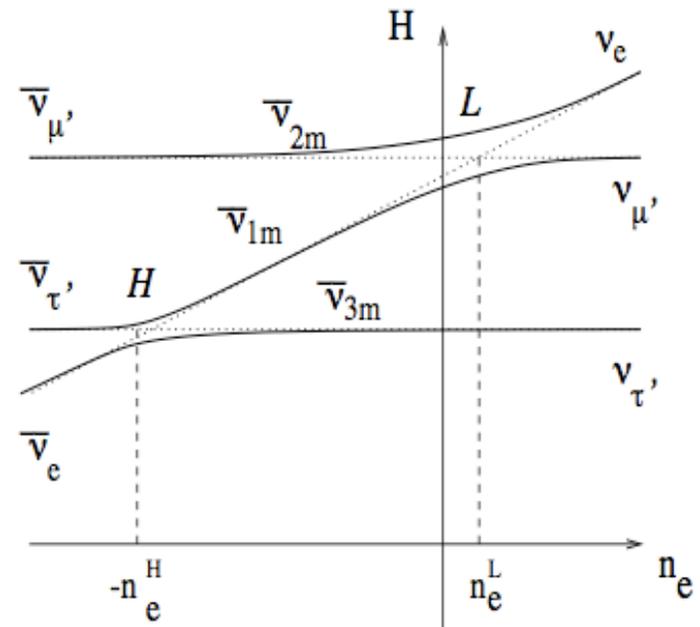
Neutrino Mixing in Vacuum

$$U_{\alpha i} = \langle \nu_\alpha | \nu_i \rangle, \quad \bar{U}_{\alpha i} = \langle \bar{\nu}_\alpha | \bar{\nu}_i \rangle$$

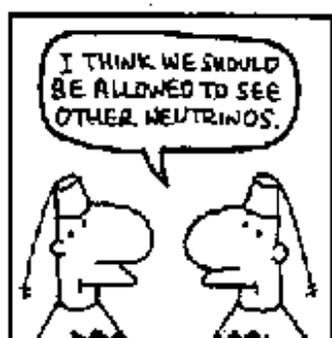
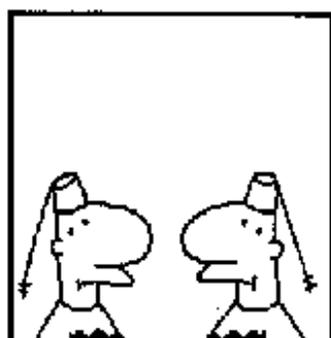
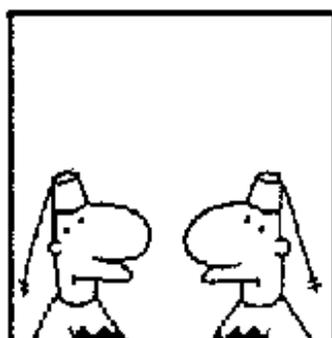
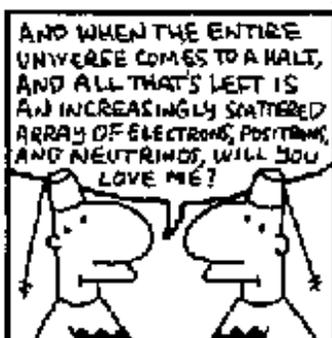
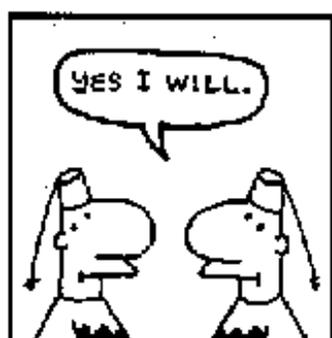
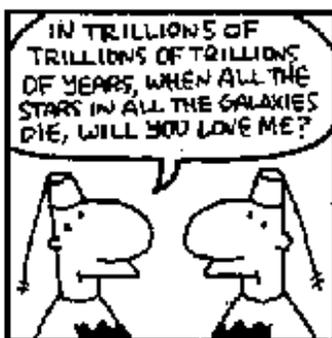
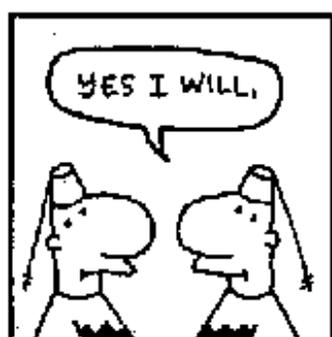
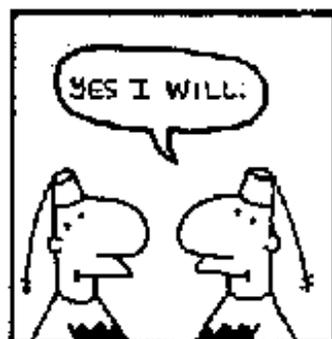
Neutrino Flavor Evolution in Matter (MSW only)



normal mass hierarchy

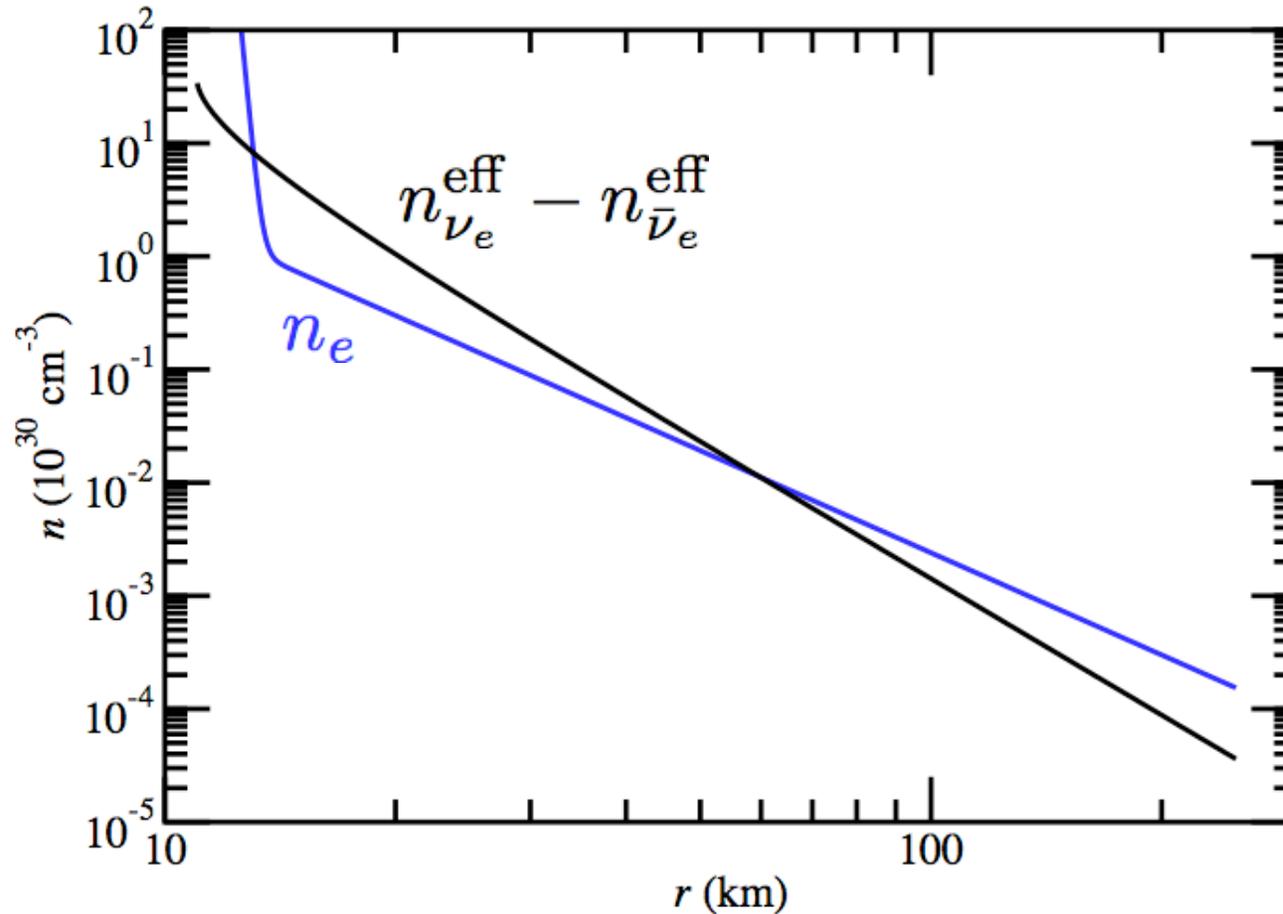


inverted mass hierarchy



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Dense Neutrino Gas in Supernovae



$$\frac{d\mathbf{s}_i}{dt} = \mathbf{s}_i \times (\omega_i \mathbf{H}_\nu + \mathbf{H}_e + \sum_j \mu_{ij} n_{\nu,j} \mathbf{s}_j)$$

$$\mu_{ij} \equiv -2\sqrt{2}G_F(1 - \cos \vartheta_{ij})$$

$$\frac{d\mathbf{s}_i}{dt} = \mathbf{s}_i \times (\omega_i \mathbf{H}_\nu + \mathbf{H}_e + \sum_j \mu_{ij} n_{\nu,j} \mathbf{s}_j)$$

$$s_z^f = \begin{cases} 1/2 & \text{for } \nu_e, \bar{\nu}_x \\ -1/2 & \text{for } \nu_x, \bar{\nu}_e \end{cases}, \quad \omega = \begin{cases} \delta m^2 / 2E & \text{for } \nu_e, \nu_x \\ -\delta m^2 / 2E & \text{for } \bar{\nu}_e, \bar{\nu}_x \end{cases}$$

simple model: IH, low n_e , mean neutrino trajectory

$$\sum_j \mu_{ij} n_{\nu,j} \mathbf{s}_j \rightarrow -\mu(t) \mathbf{S} \Rightarrow \frac{d\mathbf{s}_i}{dt} = \mathbf{s}_i \times [\omega_i \mathbf{H}_\nu - \mu(t) \mathbf{S}]$$

cf. MSW mechanism: $\frac{d\mathbf{s}_i}{dt} = \mathbf{s}_i \times (\omega_i \mathbf{H}_\nu + \mathbf{H}_e)$

how to obtain an approximate mean field \mathbf{S} ?

$$\frac{d\mathbf{S}}{dt} \approx \mathbf{S} \times (\omega_p \mathbf{H}_v), \quad \frac{d\mathbf{s}_i}{dt} = \mathbf{s}_i \times [\omega_i \mathbf{H}_v - \mu(t) \mathbf{S}]$$

in the frame precessing with \mathbf{S}

$$\frac{d\tilde{\mathbf{s}}_i}{dt} = \tilde{\mathbf{s}}_i \times [(\omega_i - \omega_p) \mathbf{H}_v - \mu(t) \mathbf{S}]$$

$t = 0 \Rightarrow -\mu(0) \mathbf{S}$ is in the direction of \mathbf{H}_v

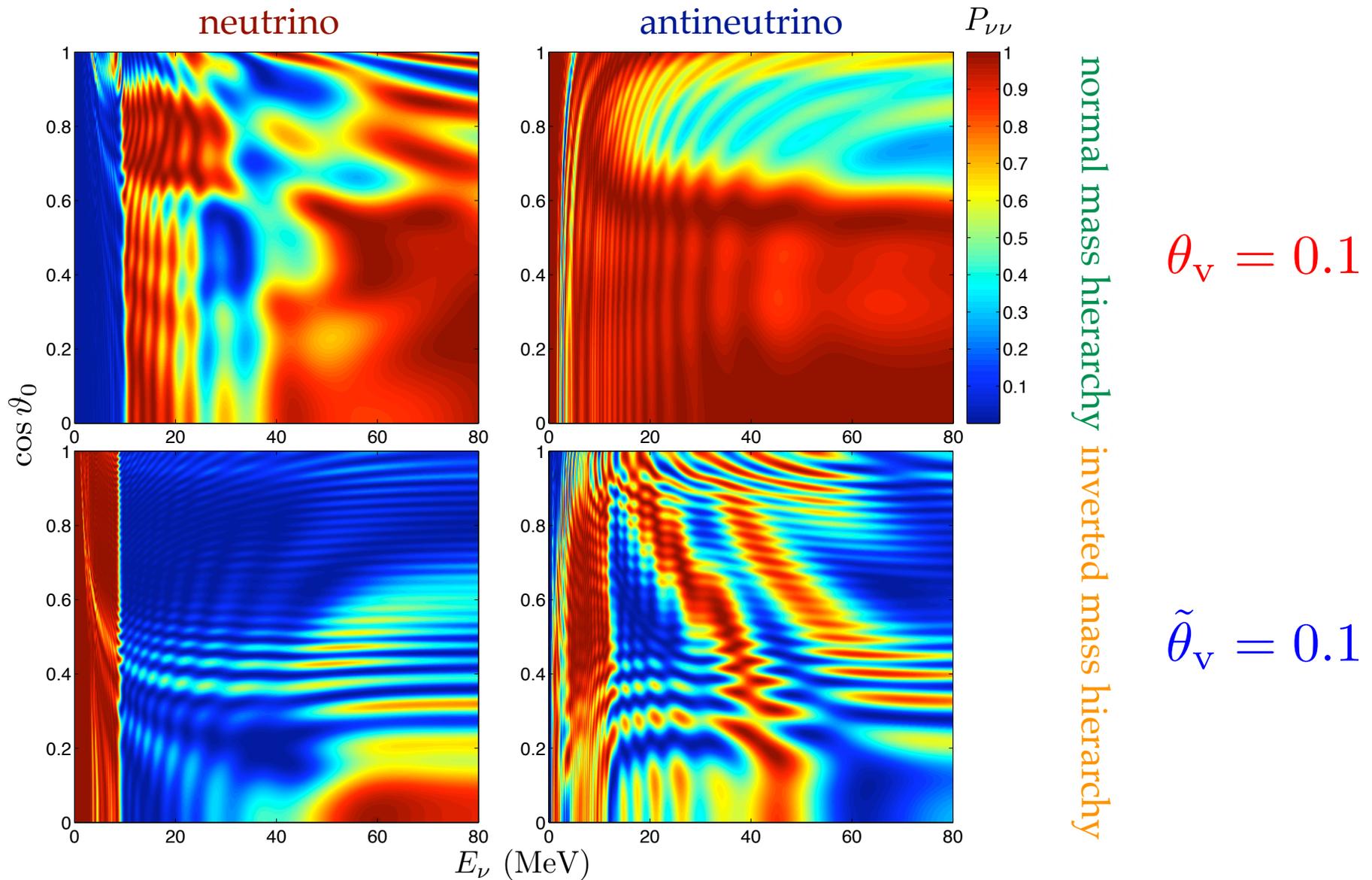
$$\omega_i < 0 \Rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_x$$

$$E_i < E_c \Rightarrow \omega_i > \omega_p(t_f), \quad \nu_e \rightarrow \nu_e$$

$$E_i > E_c \Rightarrow \omega_i < \omega_p(t_f), \quad \nu_e \rightarrow \nu_x$$

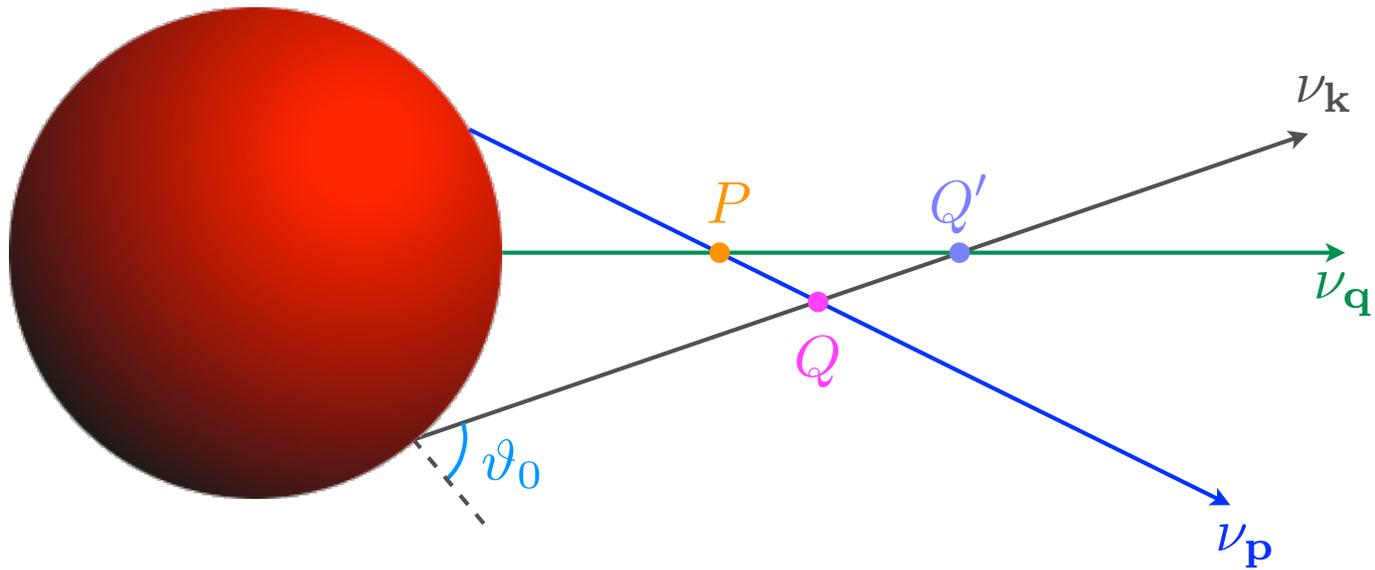
$$\mathbf{S} \cdot \mathbf{H}_v \propto \frac{\sum_i n_{\nu,i} \mathbf{s}_i \cdot \mathbf{H}_v}{\sum_i n_{\nu,i}} = \text{const.} \Rightarrow \omega_p(t_f) \equiv \frac{\delta m^2}{2E_c}$$

Survival Probability at $r = 225$ km



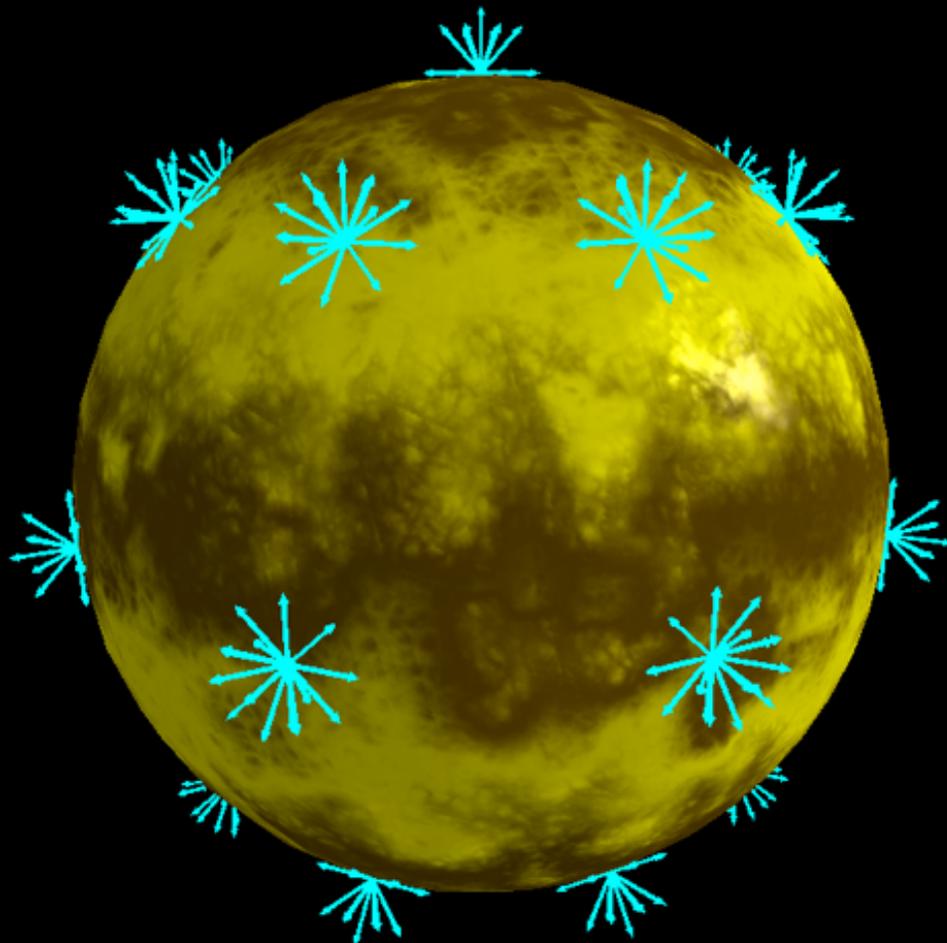
Duan, Fuller, Carlson, & Qian 2006

Geometric Complications of Neutrino Flavor Evolution



$$s_i \rightarrow s(E_\nu, \vartheta_0, r)$$

(3+3)D



emission
direction

$$\psi(r, E, \vartheta, \varphi, \Theta, \Phi)$$

energy

emission
points

Coherent forward
scattering only outside
neutrino sphere.

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What is a Star?

Big glowing ball of gas; Symbol of everlasting light & stability

big & stable: gravity **balanced by** pressure gradient

pressure **proportional to** temperature & **decreasing outward**

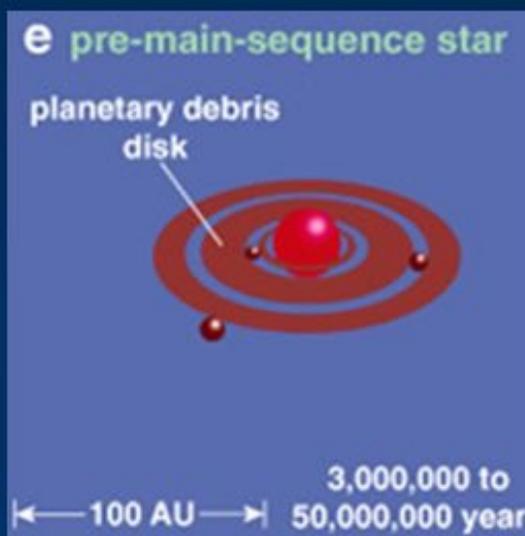
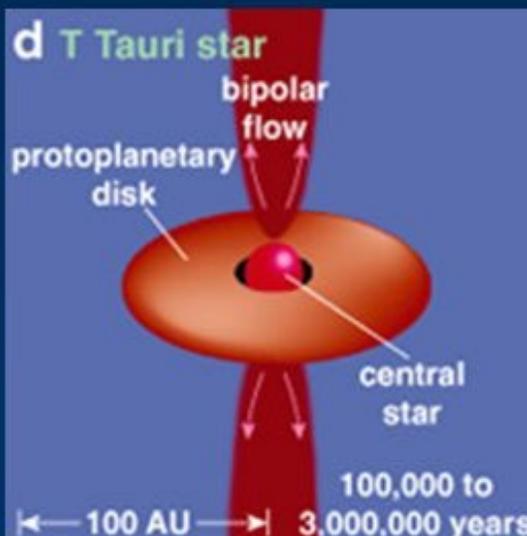
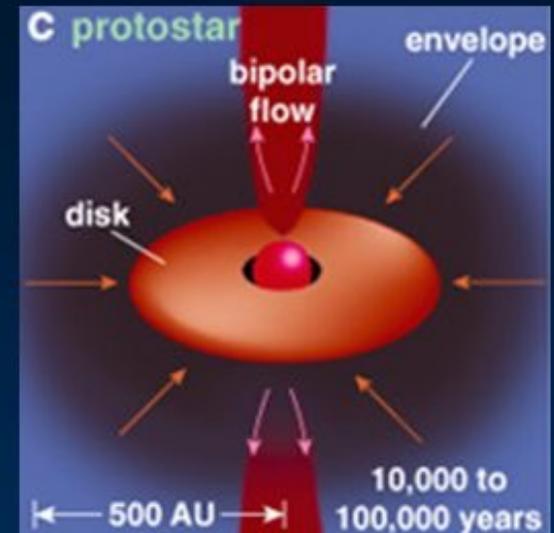
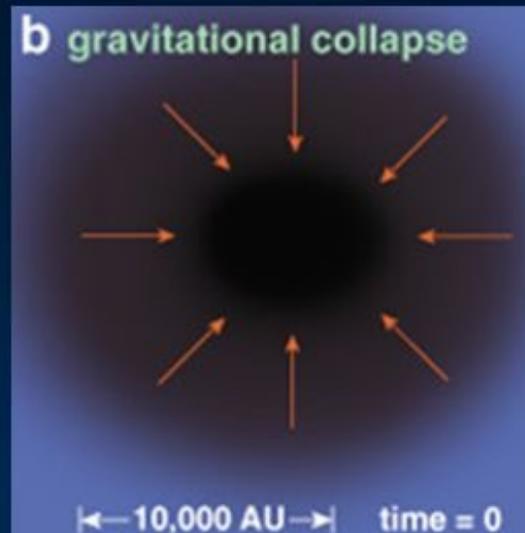
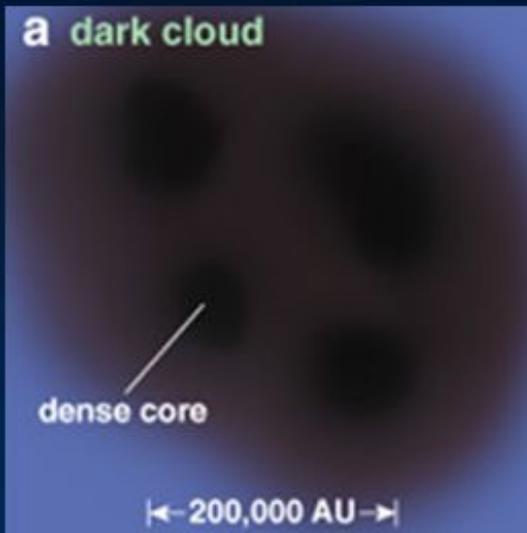
heat flows from hot to cold: energy loss from surface

long-term energy supply at center: nuclear fusion

minimum temperature to ignite H: minimum mass ($M_{\text{sun}}/12$)

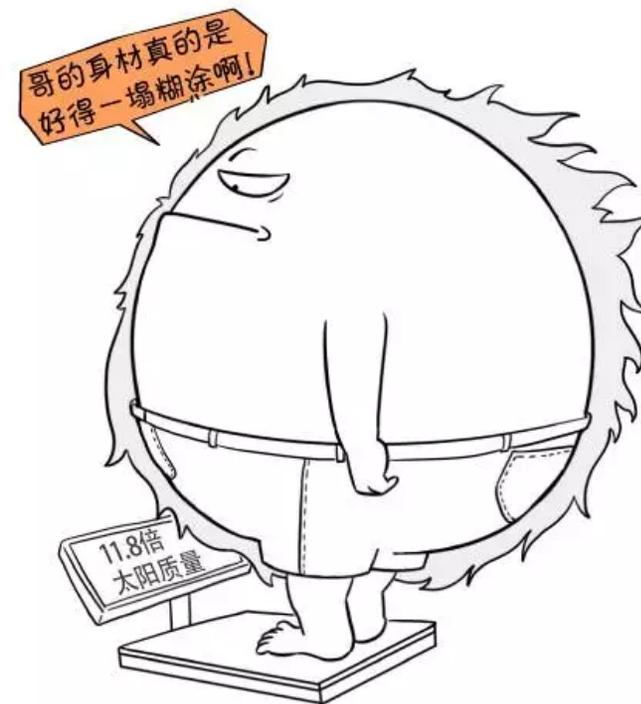
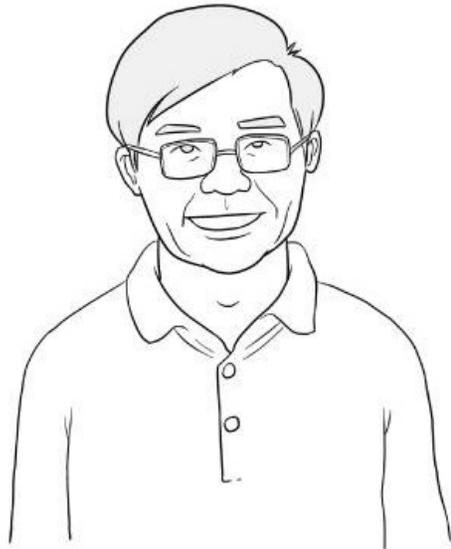
To be a star, the gas ball must be **BIG!**

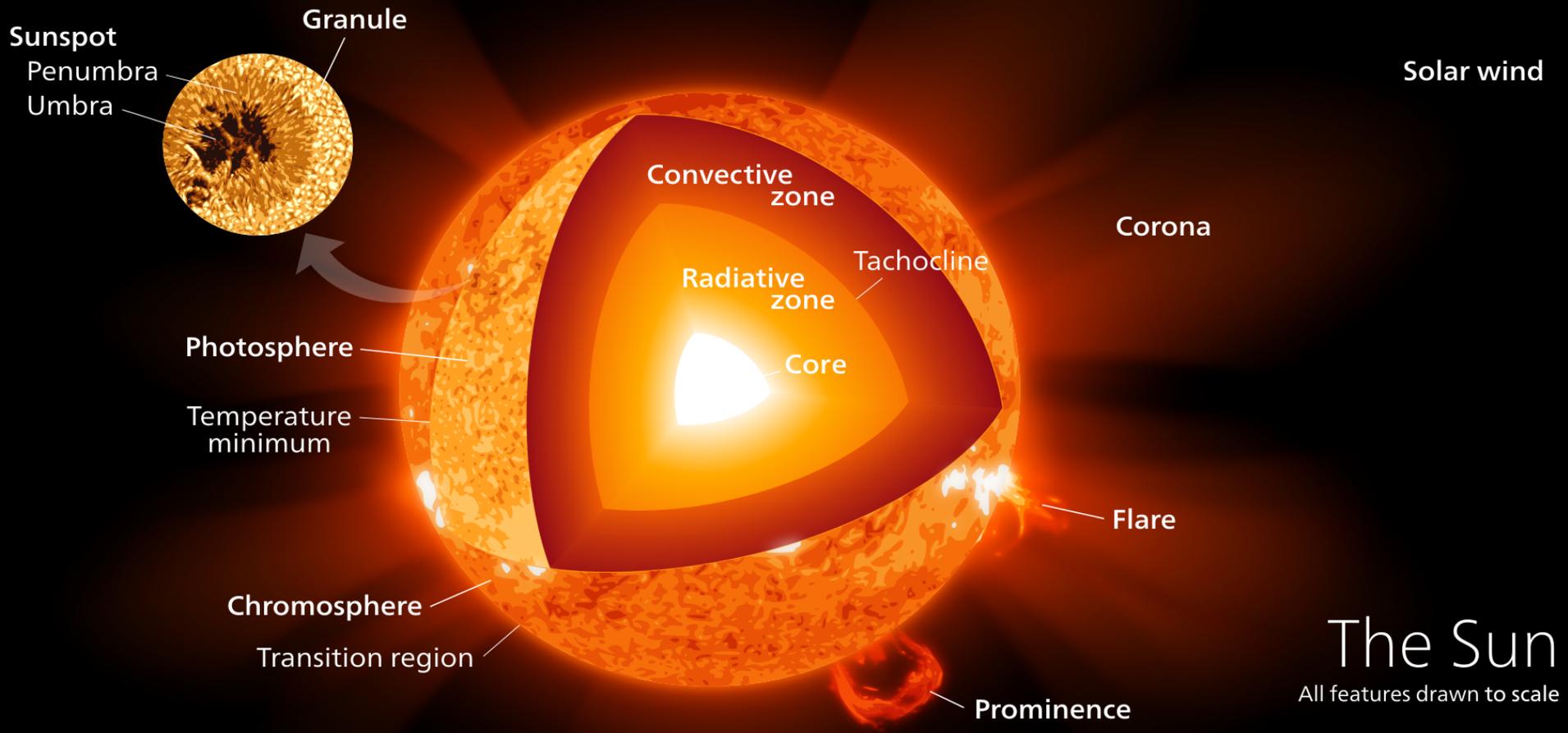
Obligatory star & planet formation slide





You arose from the death of stars (01/10/2017)





The Sun
All features drawn to scale

Photons take a long and tortuous path

The Sun

200,000 years

Photon

γ

Core

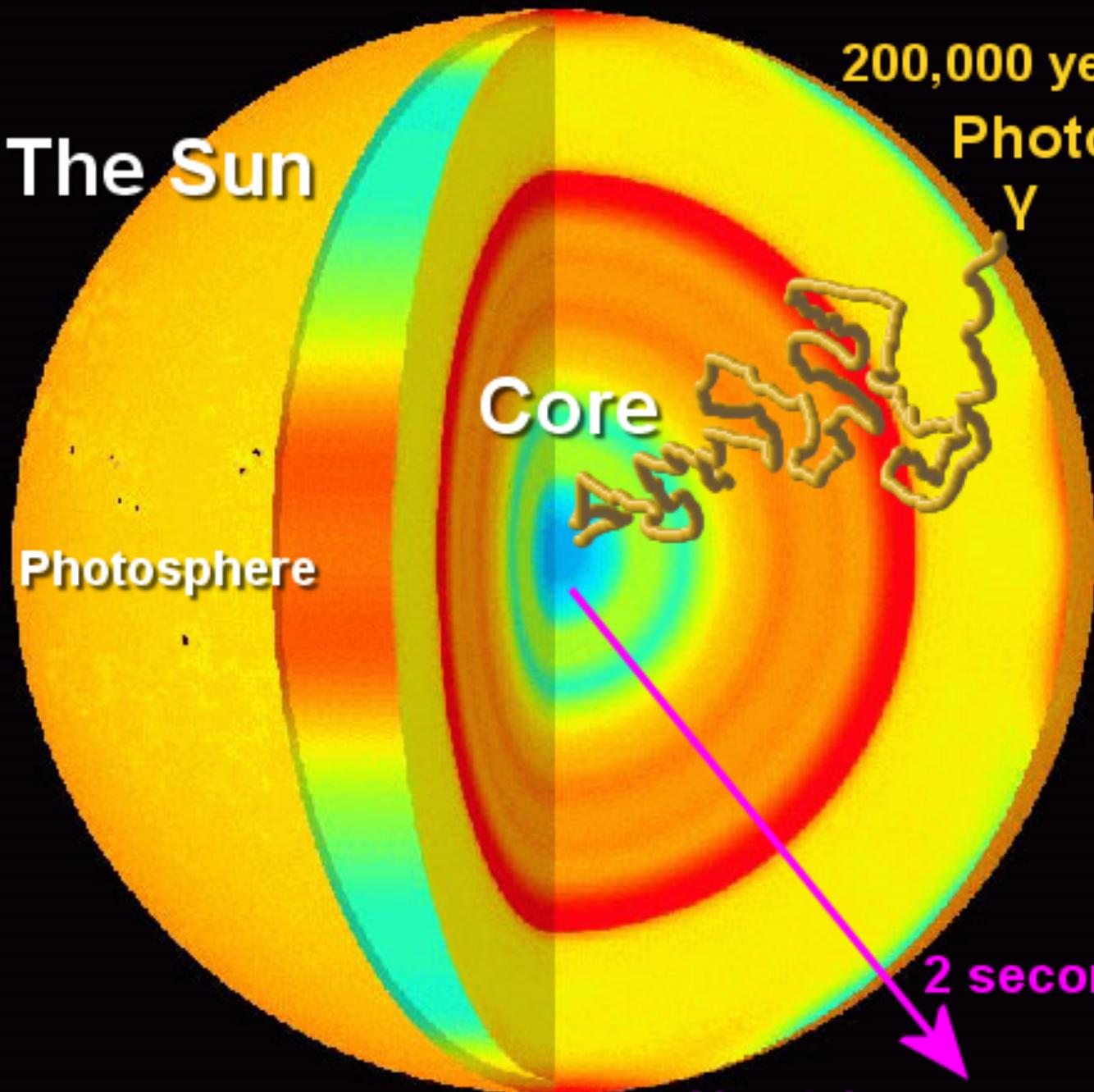
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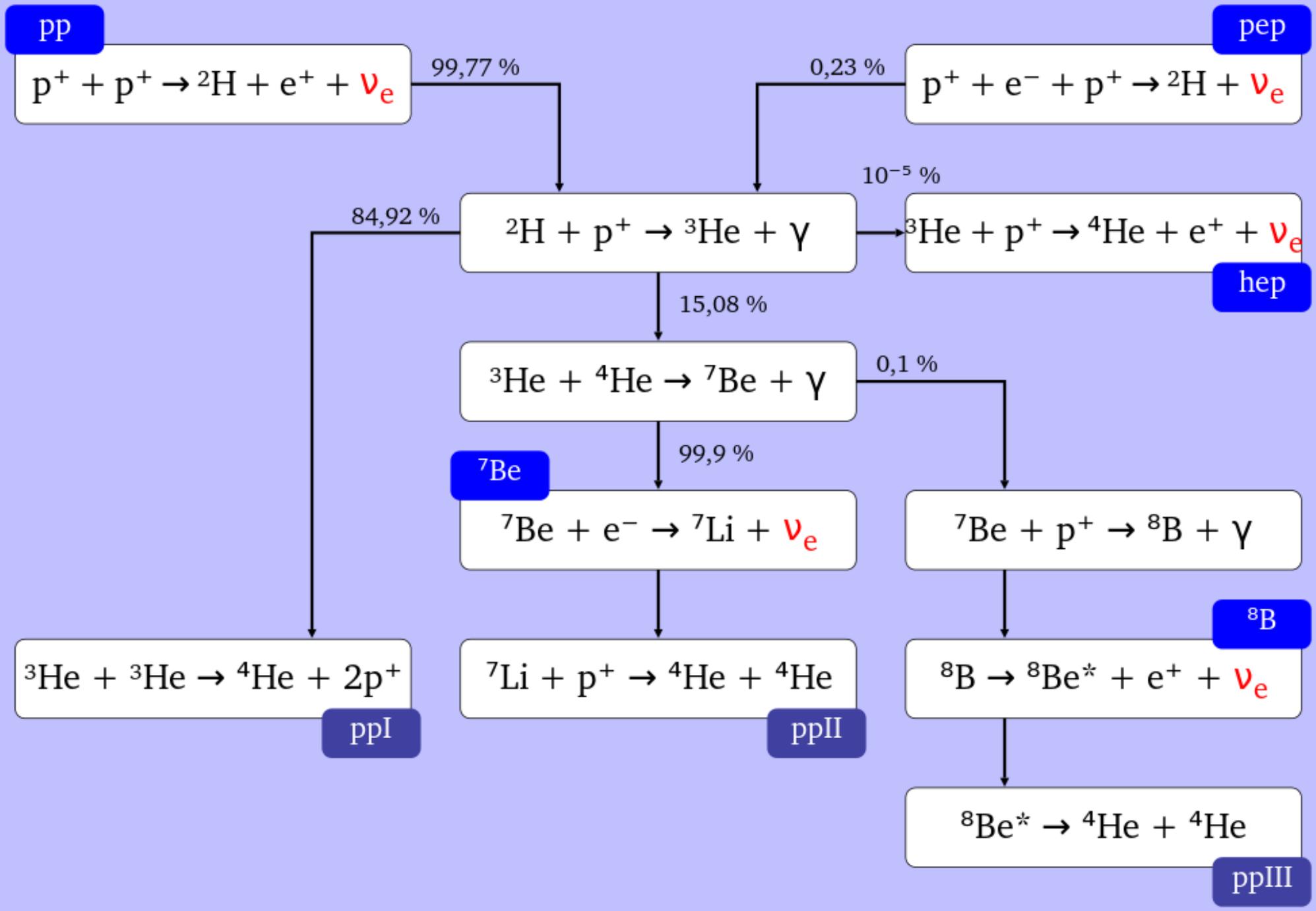
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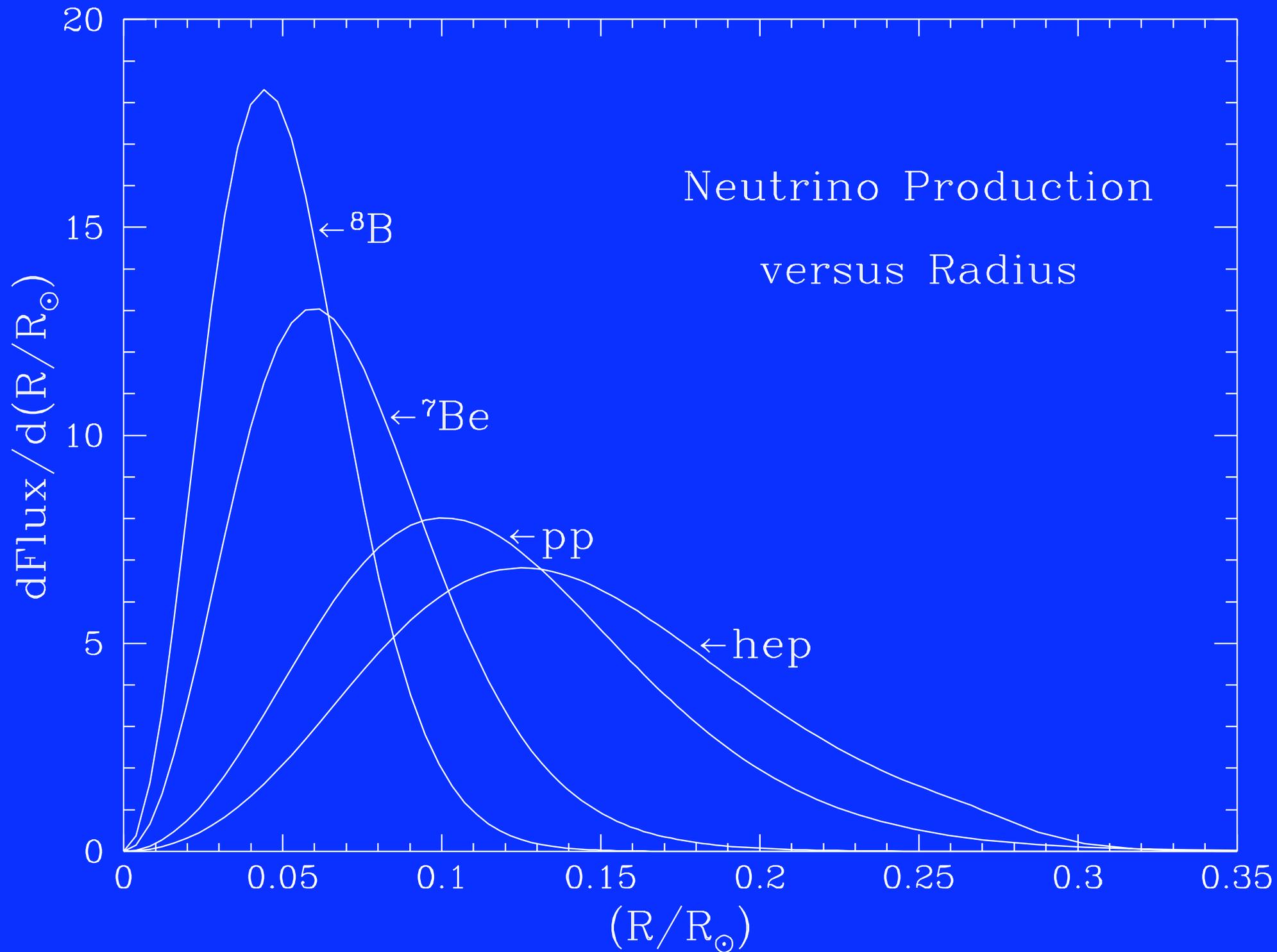
Neutrinos zip through quickly

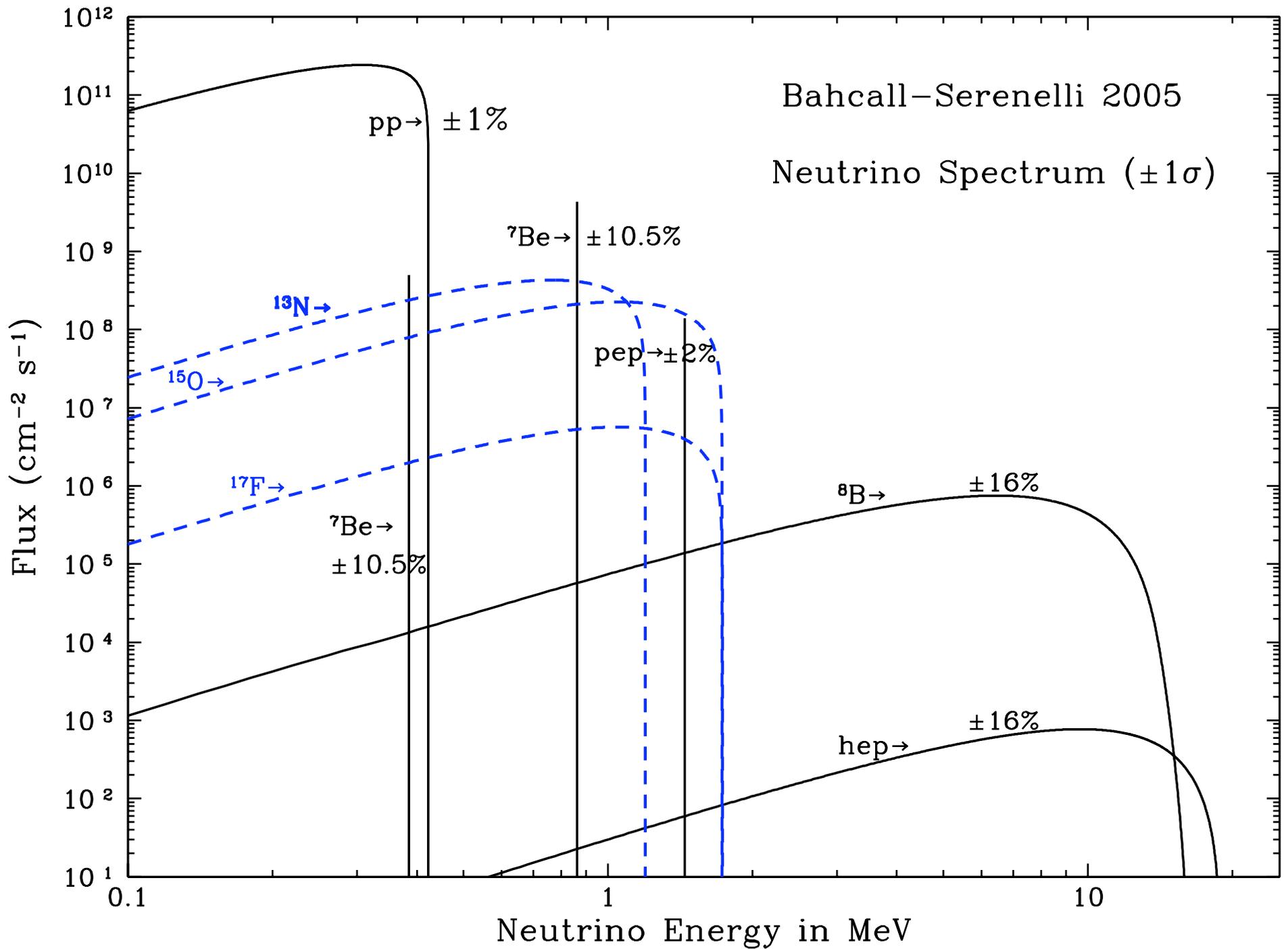
Neutrino ν_e

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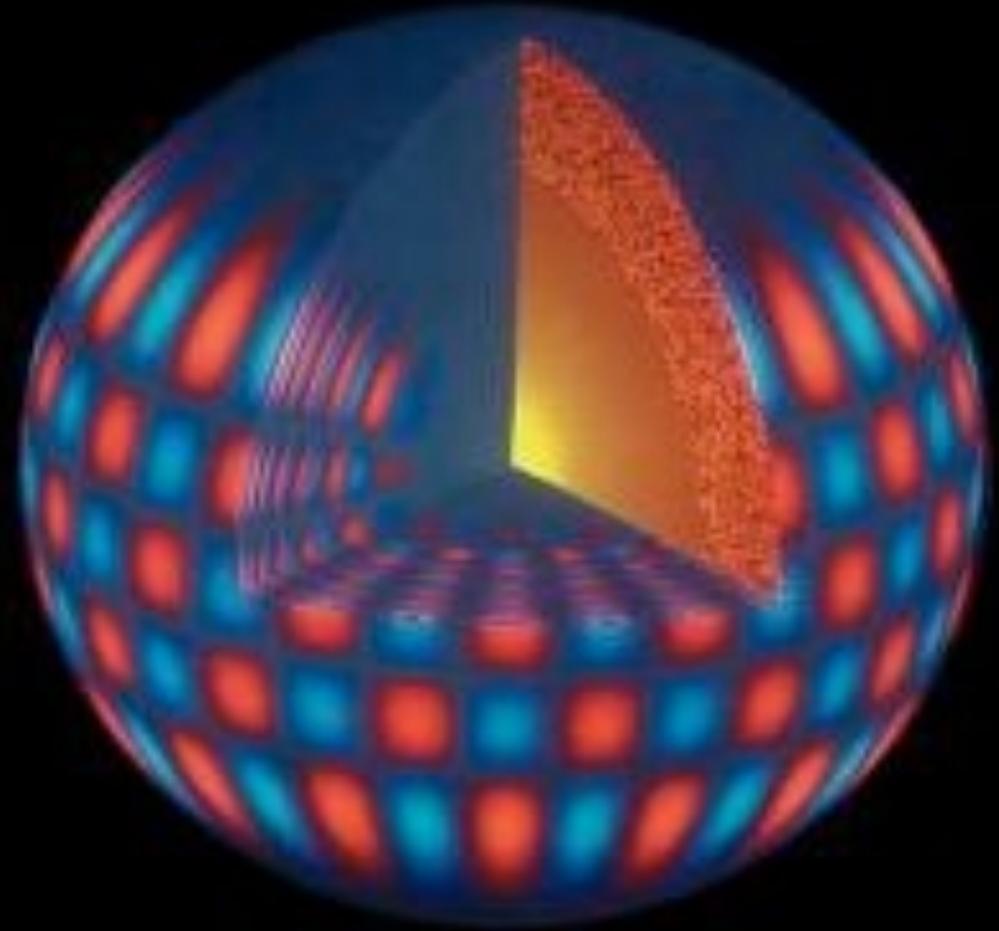
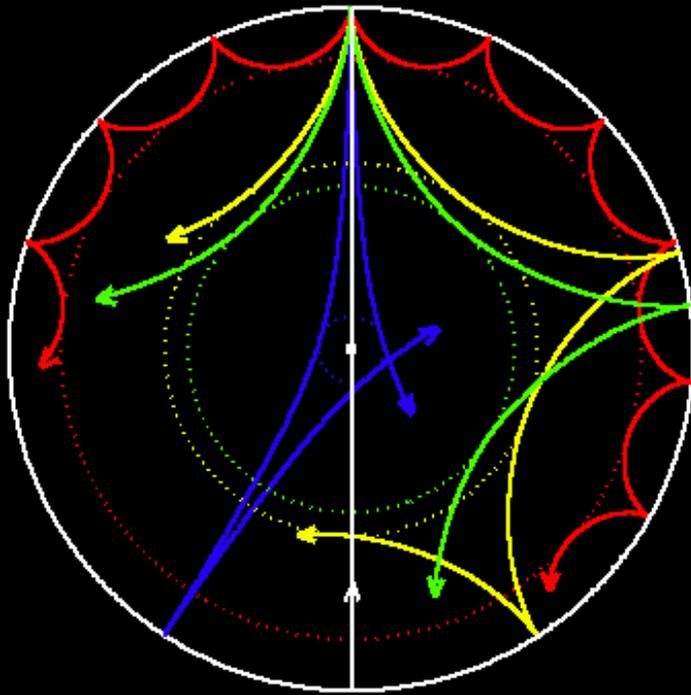








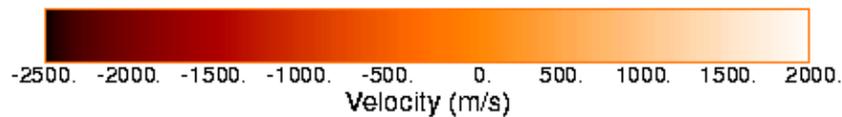
Helioseismology (日震学)



lower l modes penetrate deeper

Single Dopplergram

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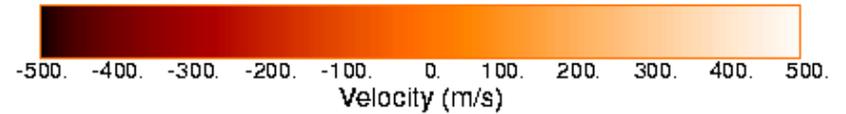
SOI / MDI

Stanford Lockheed Institute for Space Research

with rotation

Single Dopplergram Minus 45 Images Average

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rotation subtracted

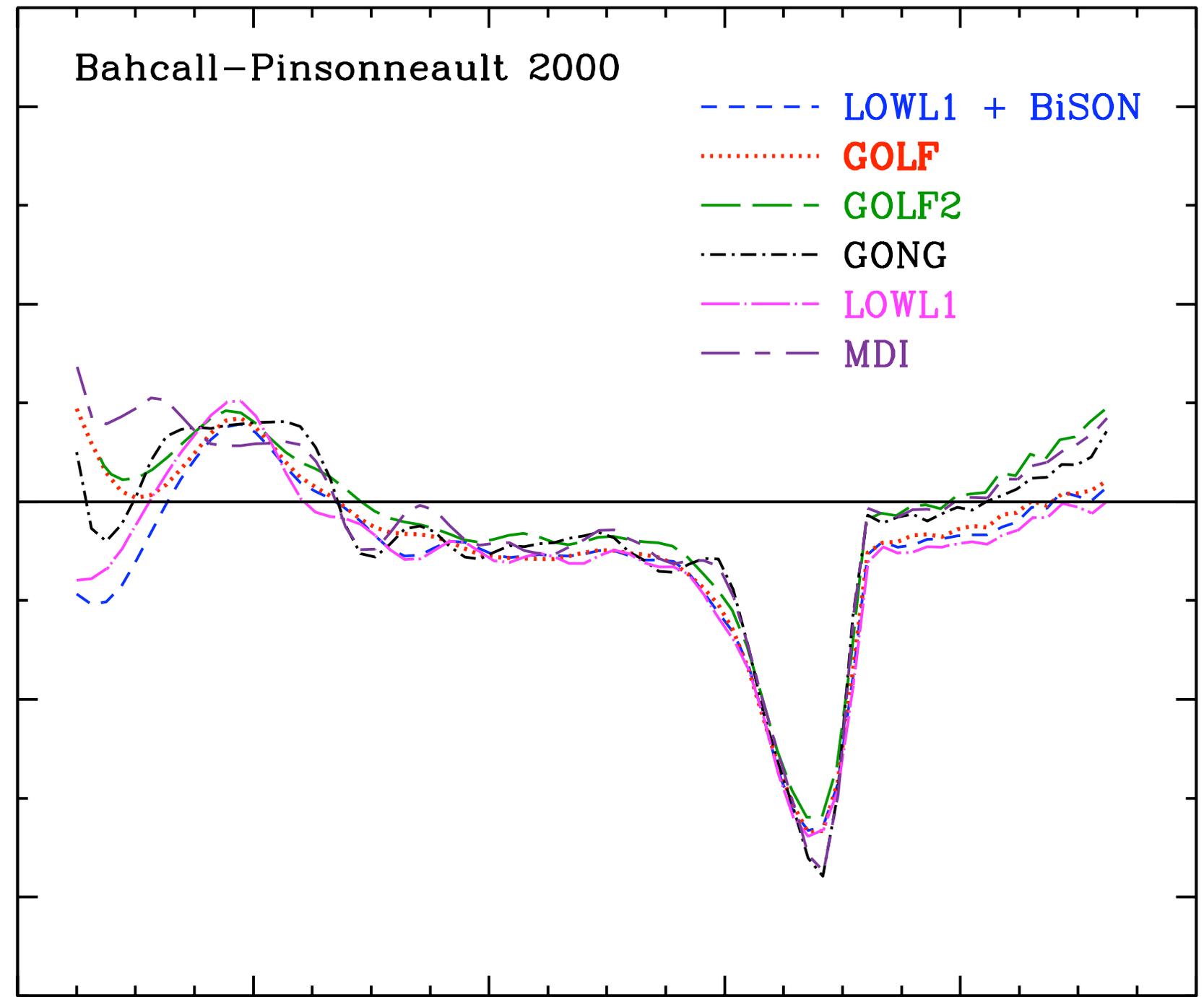
Bahcall-Pinsonneault 2000

(Model - Sun) / Sun

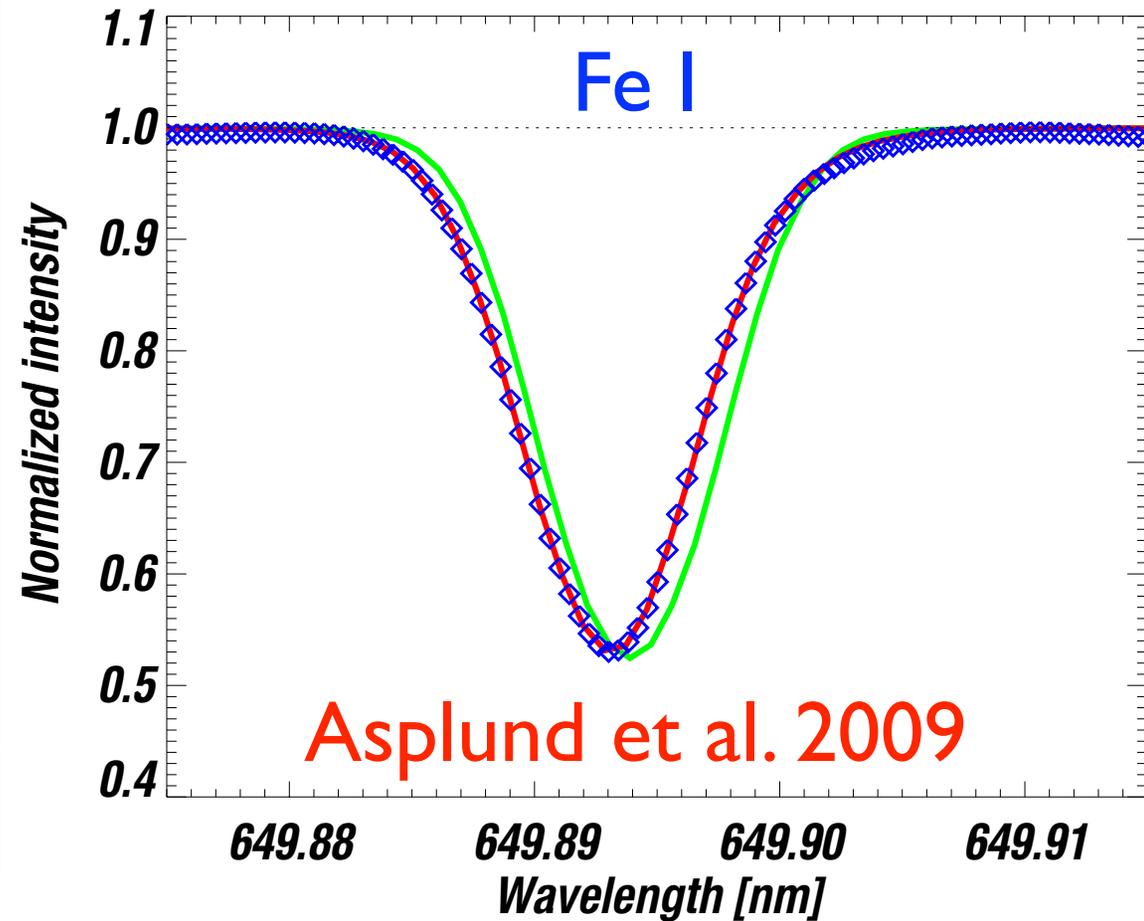
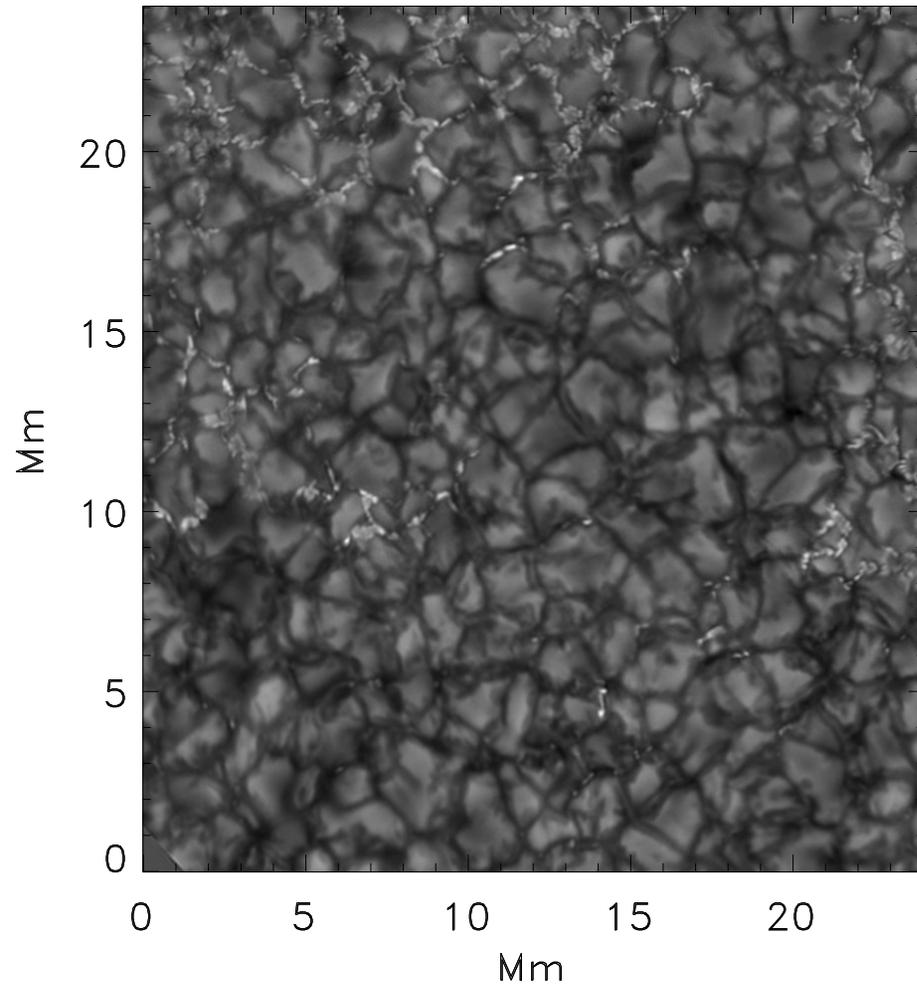
- LOWL1 + BiSON
- GOLF
- GOLF2
- GONG
- LOWL1
- MDI

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 R/R_{\odot}

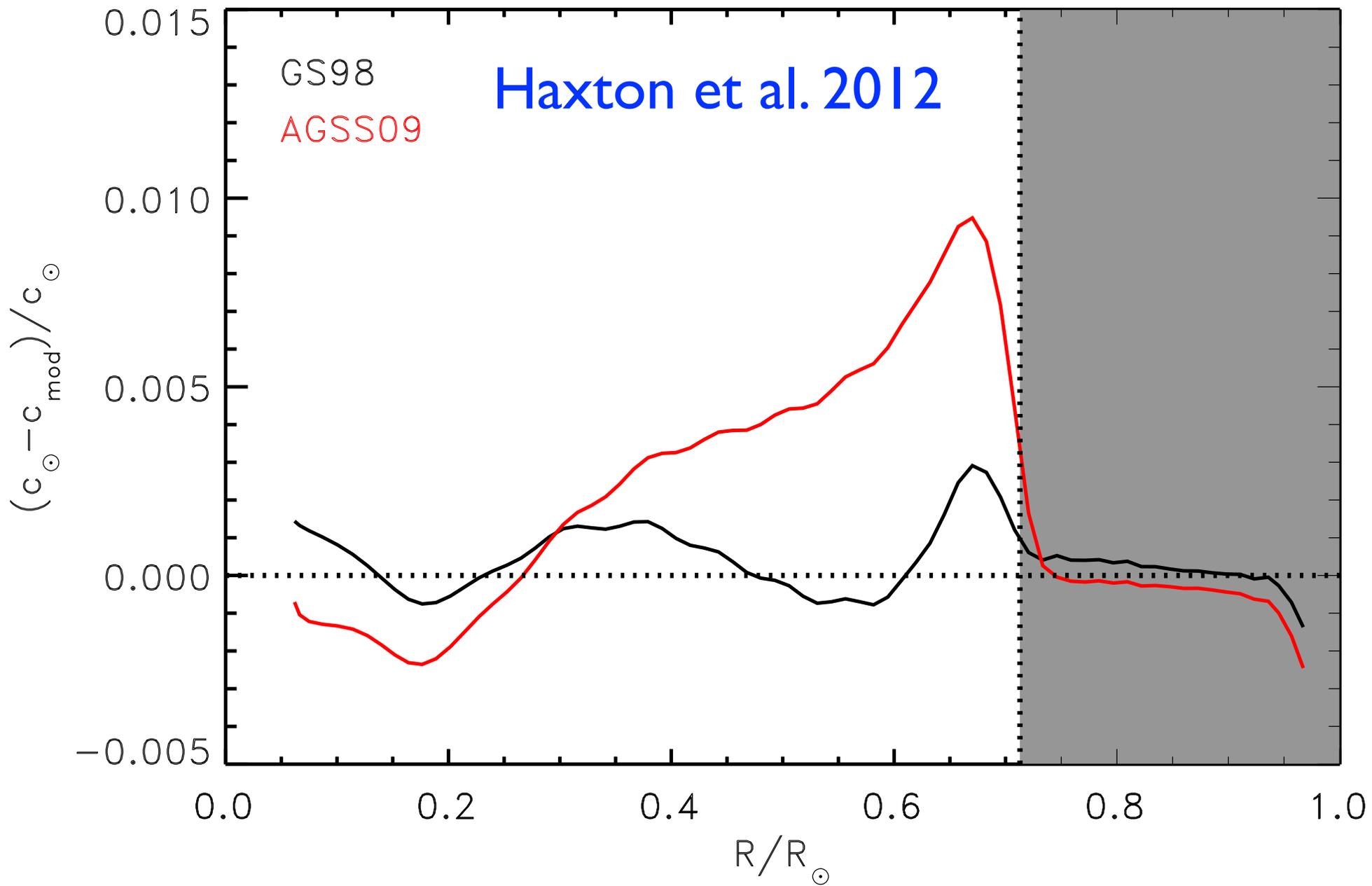


3D time-dependent modeling of solar atmosphere

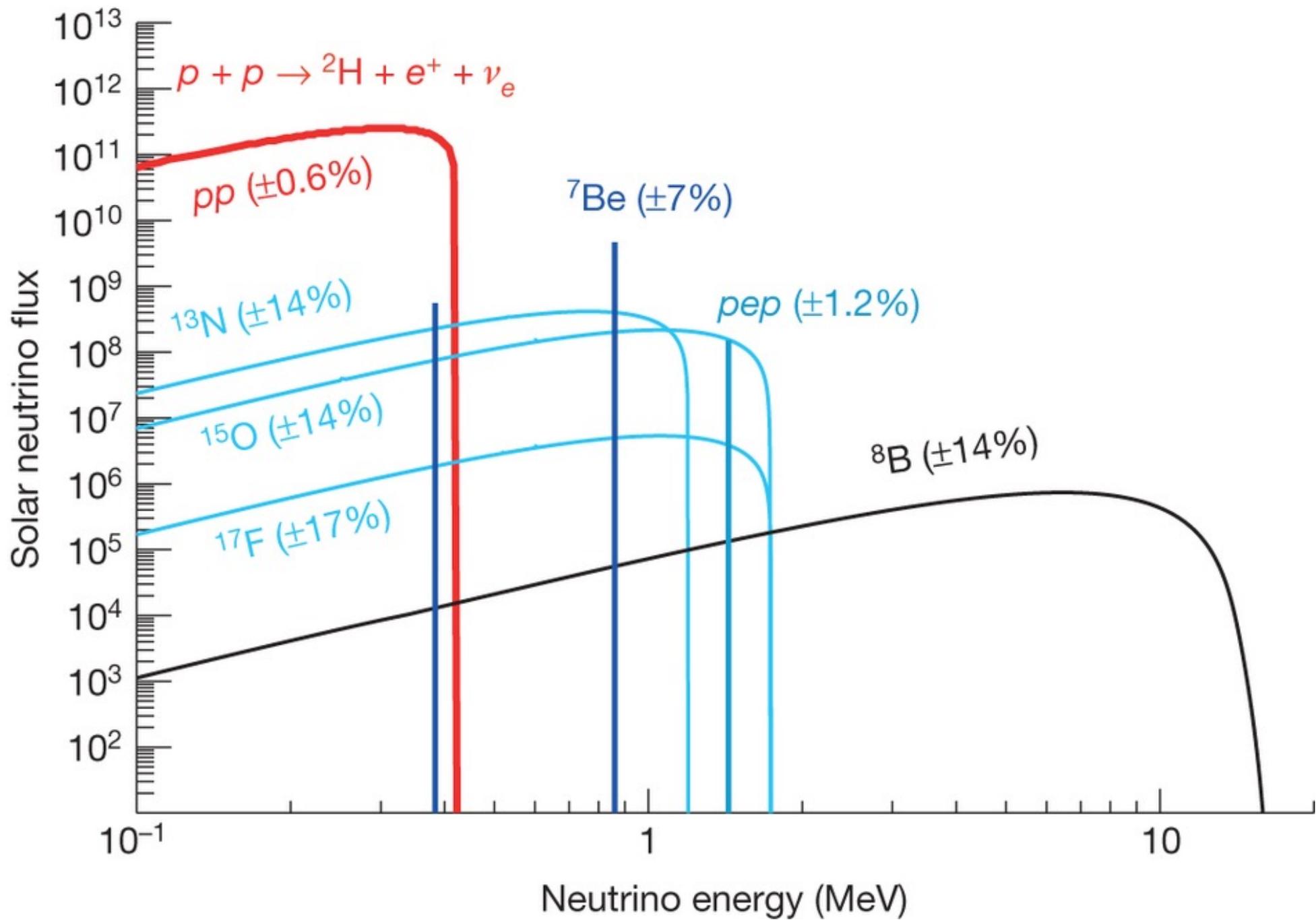


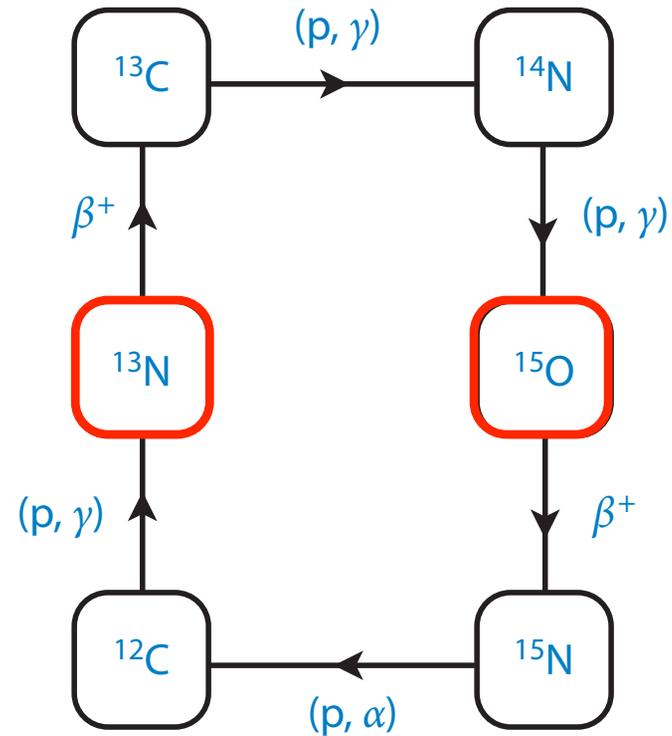
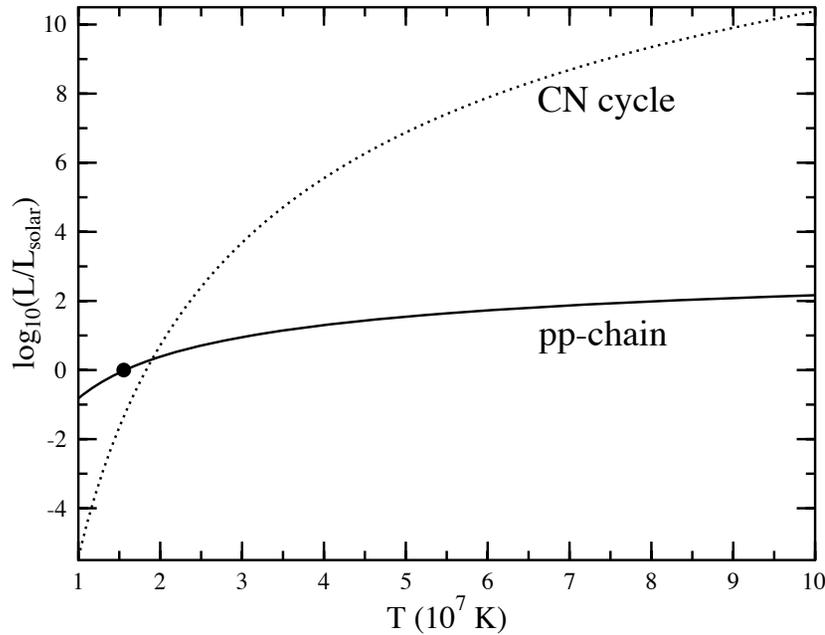
lower abundances
of C, N, O, & Ne

mass fraction of metals
2% \longrightarrow 1.4%



		high-Z SSM	low-Z SSM	luminosity constrained fit to data	
ν flux	E_ν^{\max} (MeV)	GS98-SFII	AGSS09-SFII	Solar	units
$p+p \rightarrow {}^2\text{H}+e^++\nu$	0.42	5.98(1 \pm 0.006)	6.03(1 \pm 0.006)	6.05(1 ^{+0.003} _{-0.011})	10 ¹⁰ /cm ² s
$p+e^-+p \rightarrow {}^2\text{H}+\nu$	1.44	1.44(1 \pm 0.012)	1.47(1 \pm 0.012)	1.46(1 ^{+0.010} _{-0.014})	10 ⁸ /cm ² s
${}^7\text{Be}+e^- \rightarrow {}^7\text{Li}+\nu$	0.86 (90%) 0.38 (10%)	5.00(1 \pm 0.07)	4.56(1 \pm 0.07)	4.82(1 ^{+0.05} _{-0.04})	10 ⁹ /cm ² s
${}^8\text{B} \rightarrow {}^8\text{Be}+e^++\nu$	~ 15	5.58(1 \pm 0.14)	4.59(1 \pm 0.14)	5.00(1 \pm 0.03)	10 ⁶ /cm ² s
${}^3\text{He}+p \rightarrow {}^4\text{He}+e^++\nu$	18.77	8.04(1 \pm 0.30)	8.31(1 \pm 0.30)	—	10 ³ /cm ² s
${}^{13}\text{N} \rightarrow {}^{13}\text{C}+e^++\nu$	1.20	2.96(1 \pm 0.14)	2.17(1 \pm 0.14)	≤ 6.7	10 ⁸ /cm ² s
${}^{15}\text{O} \rightarrow {}^{15}\text{N}+e^++\nu$	1.73	2.23(1 \pm 0.15)	1.56(1 \pm 0.15)	≤ 3.2	10 ⁸ /cm ² s
${}^{17}\text{F} \rightarrow {}^{17}\text{O}+e^++\nu$	1.74	5.52(1 \pm 0.17)	3.40(1 \pm 0.16)	$\leq 59.$	10 ⁶ /cm ² s
χ^2/P^{agr}		3.5/90%	3.4/90%		



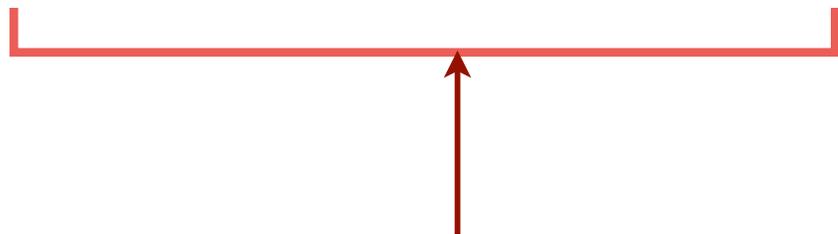


- ❑ these fluxes depend on the core temperature T (metal-dependent) but also have an **additional linear dependence** on the total core $C+N$
- ❑ absolute fluxes are uncertain, sensitive to small changes in many solar model uncertainties other than total metallicity
- ❑ but an appropriate ratio of the CN and ${}^8\text{B}$ ν flux is independent of these other uncertainties: the measured ${}^8\text{B}$ ν flux can be exploited as a solar thermometer

Nuclear Astrophysics of Solar CN Neutrinos

$$\frac{\phi(^{15}\text{O})}{\phi(^{15}\text{O})^{\text{SSM}}} = \left[\frac{\phi(^8\text{B})}{\phi(^8\text{B})^{\text{SSM}}} \right]^{0.729} x_{C+N}$$

$$\times [1 \pm 0.006(\text{solar}) \pm 0.027(\text{D}) \pm 0.099(\text{nucl}) \pm 0.032(\theta_{12})]$$

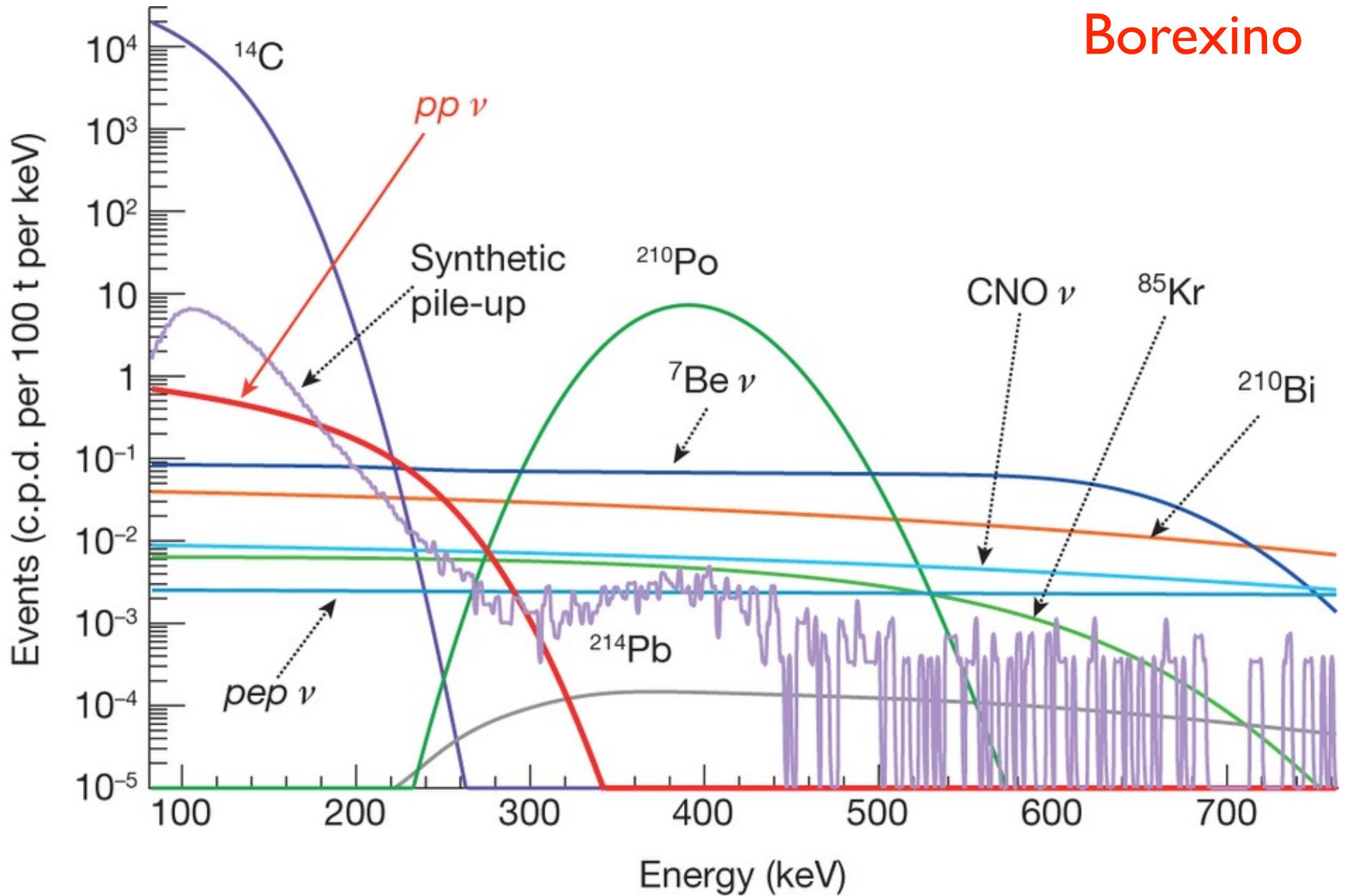


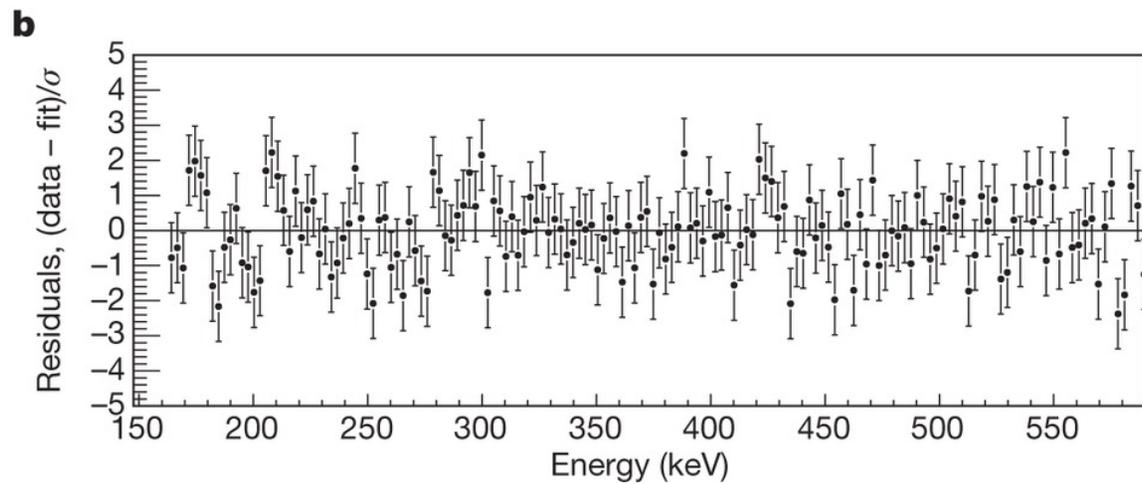
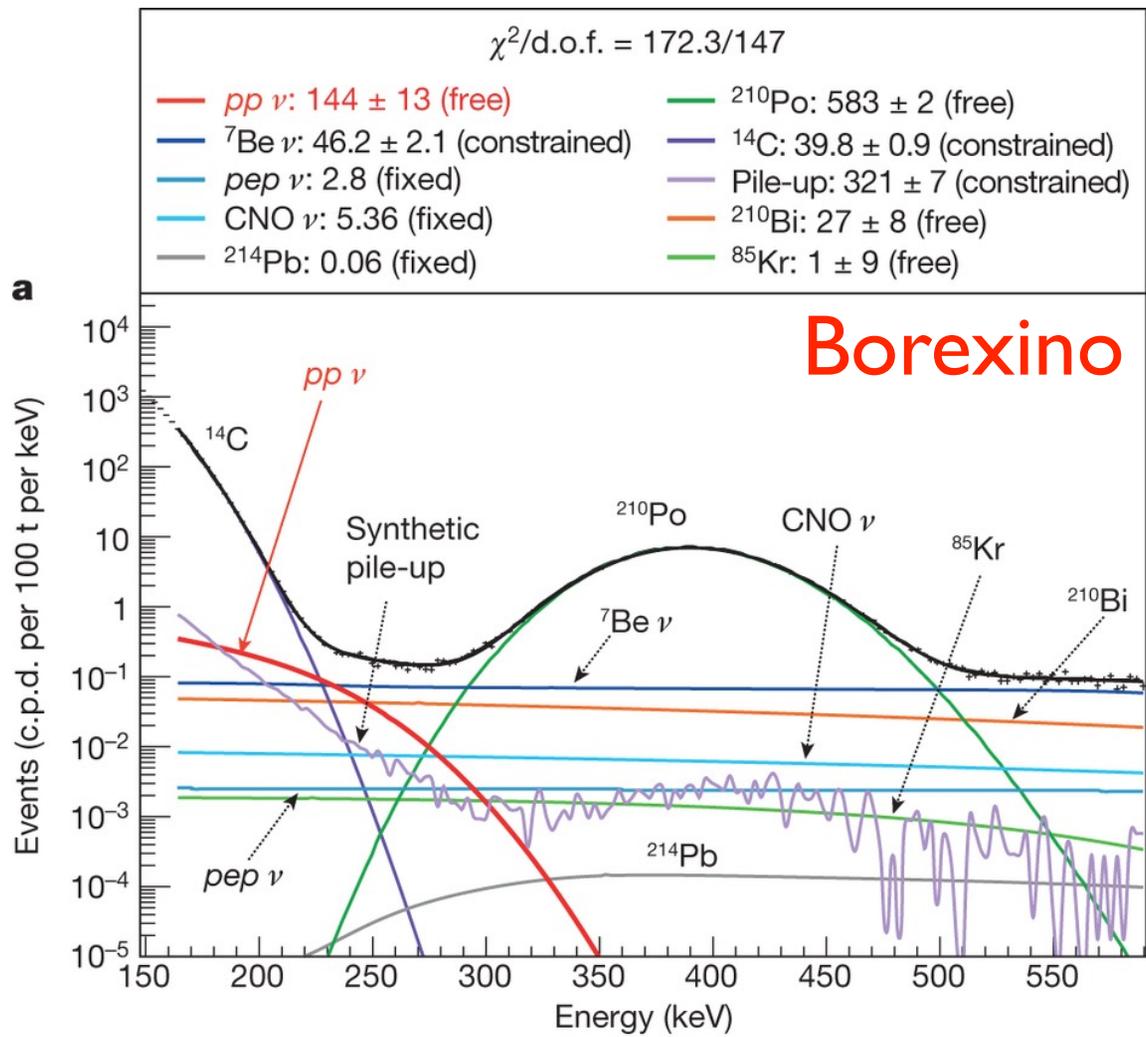
the entire solar model dependence: luminosity, metallicity, solar age, etc., eliminated -- except for small residual differential effects of heavy element diffusion (necessary to relate today's neutrino measurements to core abundance 4.7 b.y. ago)

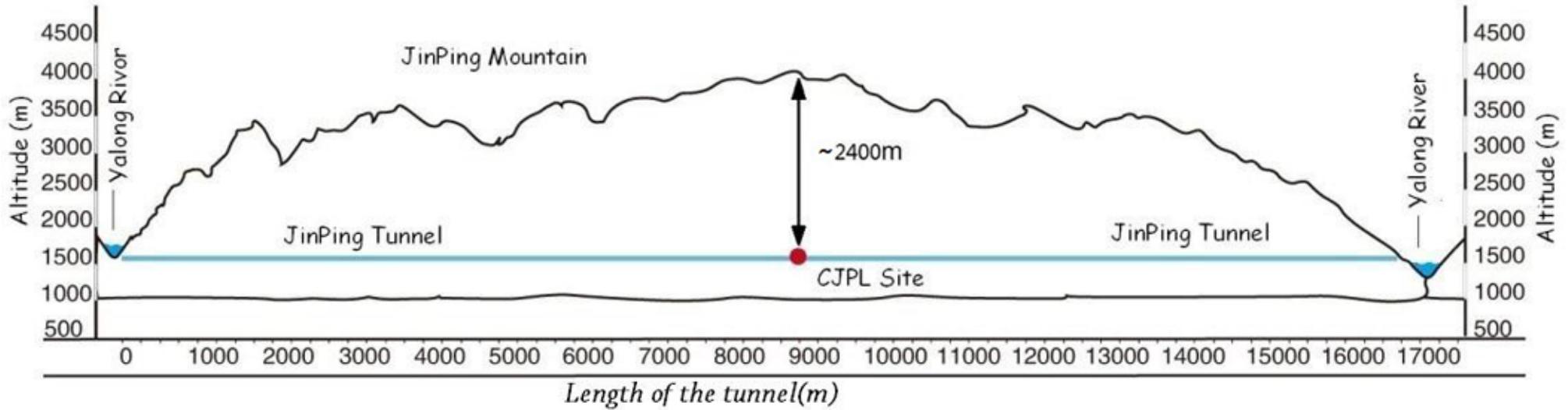
$^7\text{Be}(p, \gamma)^8\text{B}$ ~7% theoretical uncertainty

$^{14}\text{N}(p, \gamma)^{15}\text{O}$ ~7% experimental uncertainty

Borexino



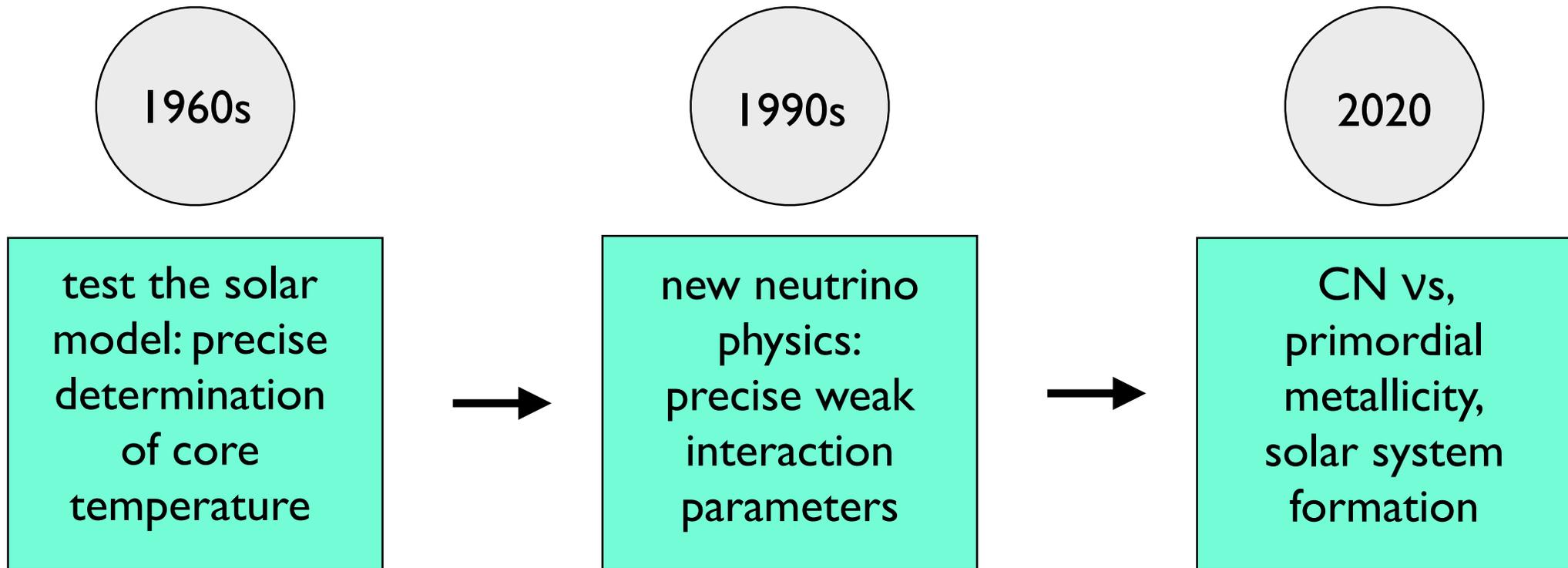




Solar Neutrino Experiment \longrightarrow CN ν_{\odot}

solar neutrinos are also the ultimate background
for detecting dark matter !

summary



Now that we have eliminated the weak interaction uncertainties that held us back for many years, we can finally use solar neutrinos as a precise probe of solar physics

唯有实验才可以裁决

Only Experiments Can Judge

真正的实证方法是这样的：先点亮蜡烛，让烛光指引方向；从适当整理编类过的而不是杂乱无章的经历出发，抽取原理，再在已经验证过的原理的基础上进行新的实验

..... the true method of experience first lights the candle, and then by means of the candle shows the way; commencing as it does with experience duly ordered and digested, not bungling or erratic, and from it educing axioms, and from established axioms again new experiments

Novum Organum (1620)

Francis Bacon

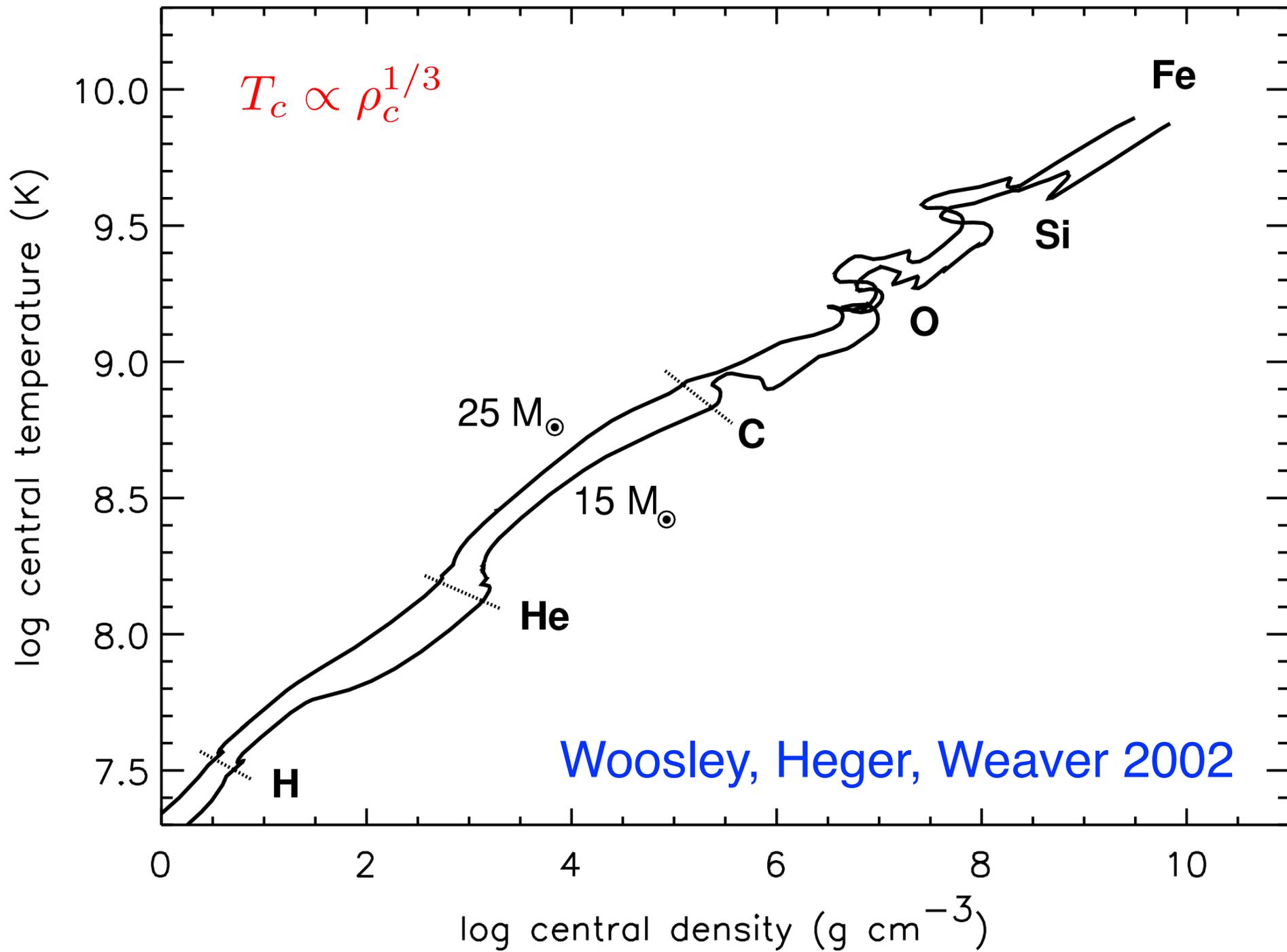
Pre-Supernova & Supernova Neutrinos

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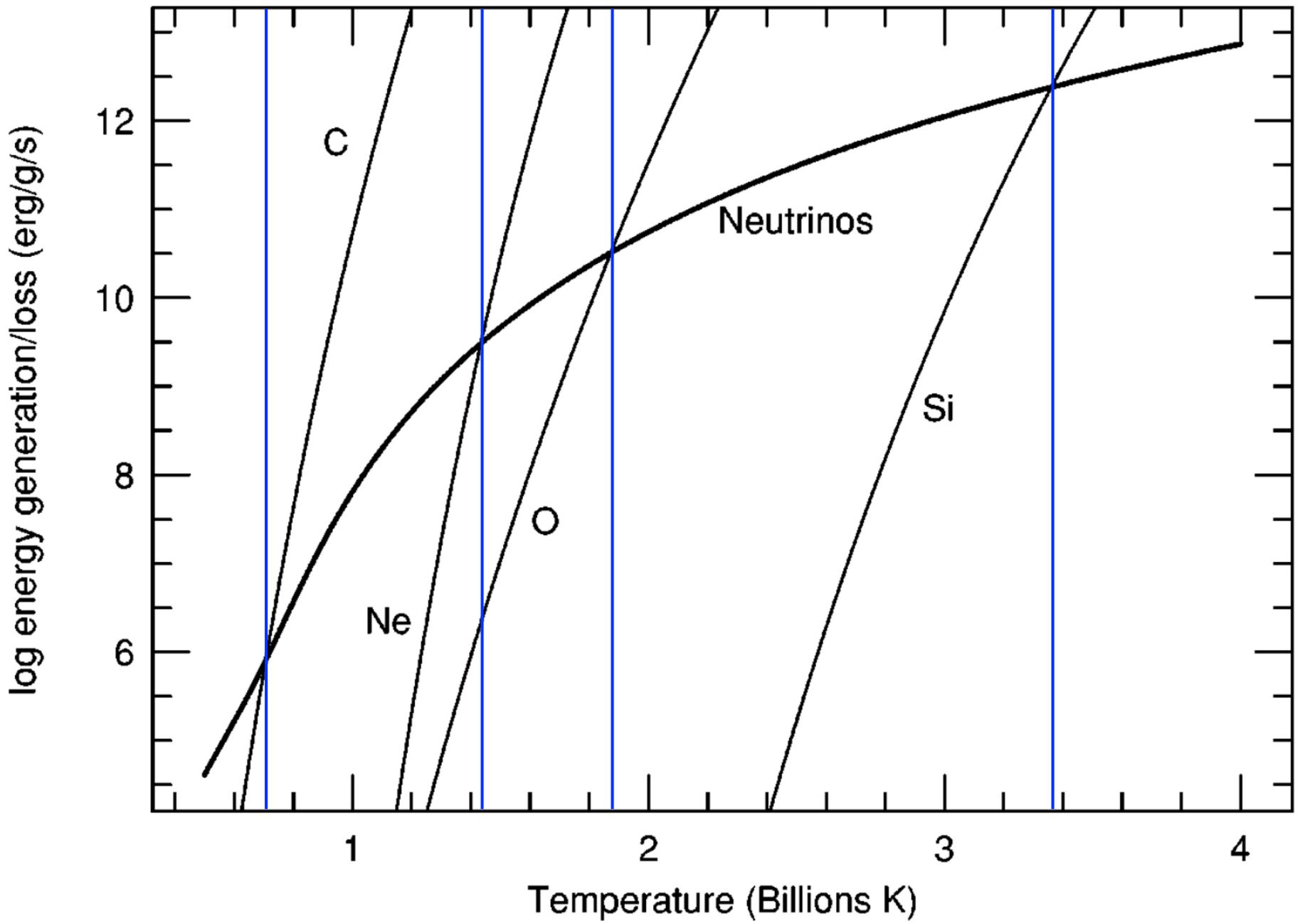


Nuclear burning stages

(20 M_⊙ stars)

Fuel	Main Product	Secondary Product	T (10 ⁹ K)	Time (yr)	Main Reaction
H	He	¹⁴ N	0.02	10 ⁷	4 H $\xrightarrow{\text{CNO}}$ ⁴ He
He	O, C	¹⁸ O, ²² Ne s-process	0.2	10 ⁶	3 He ⁴ \rightarrow ¹² C ¹² C(α,γ) ¹⁶ O
C	Ne, Mg	Na	0.8	10 ³	¹² C + ¹² C
Ne	O, Mg	Al, P	1.5	3	²⁰ Ne(γ,α) ¹⁶ O ²⁰ Ne(α,γ) ²⁴ Mg
O	Si, S	Cl, Ar, K, Ca	2.0	0.8	¹⁶ O + ¹⁶ O
Si, S	Fe	Ti, V, Cr, Mn, Co, Ni	3.5	0.02	²⁸ Si(γ,α)...

Energy Generation vs. Loss



Processes of Thermal Neutrino Emission

Pair annihilation

$$e^{-} + e^{+} \rightarrow \nu + \bar{\nu}$$

Plasmon decay

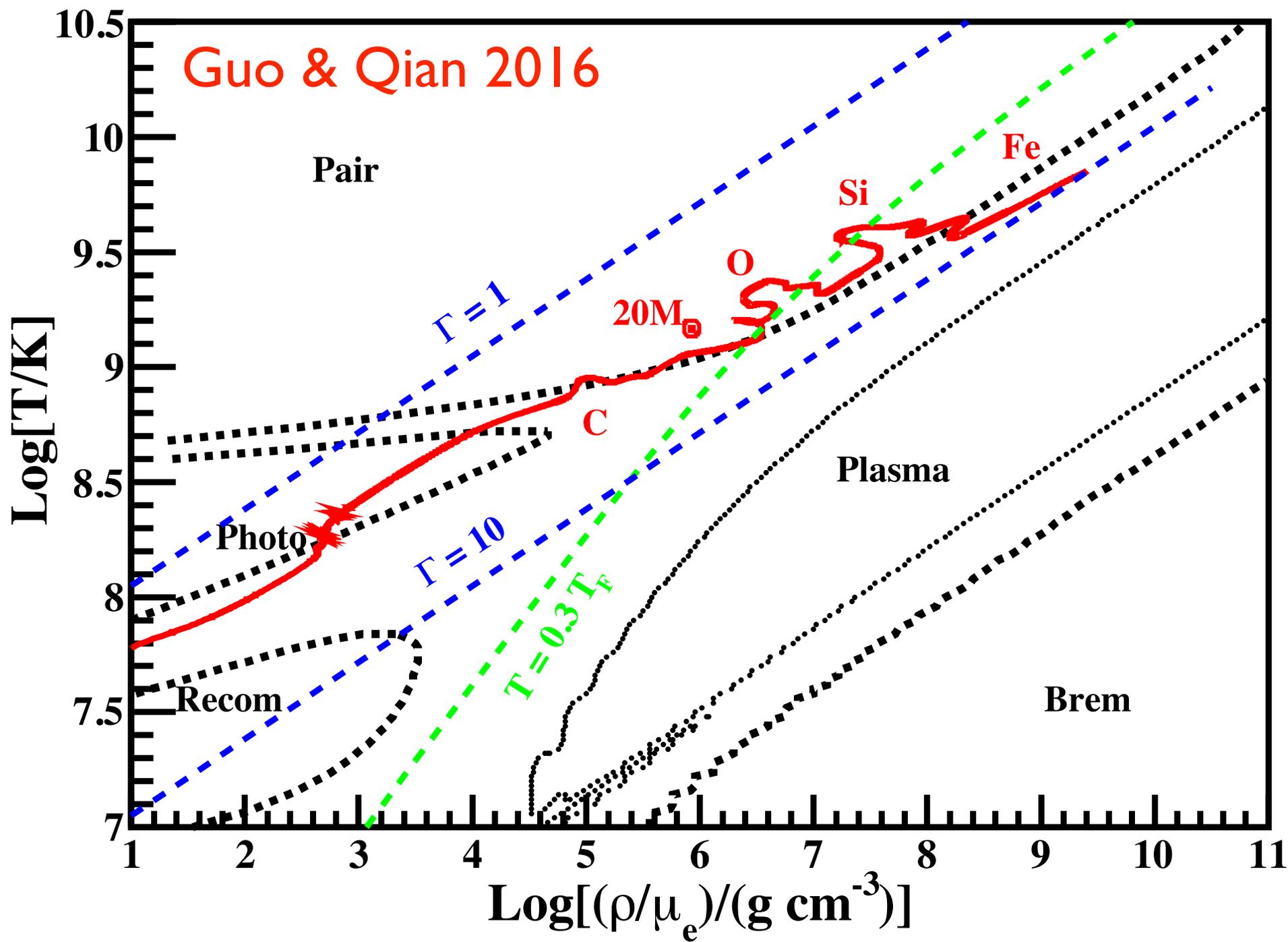
$$\gamma_{\text{pl}} \rightarrow \nu + \bar{\nu}$$

Photo-neutrino emission

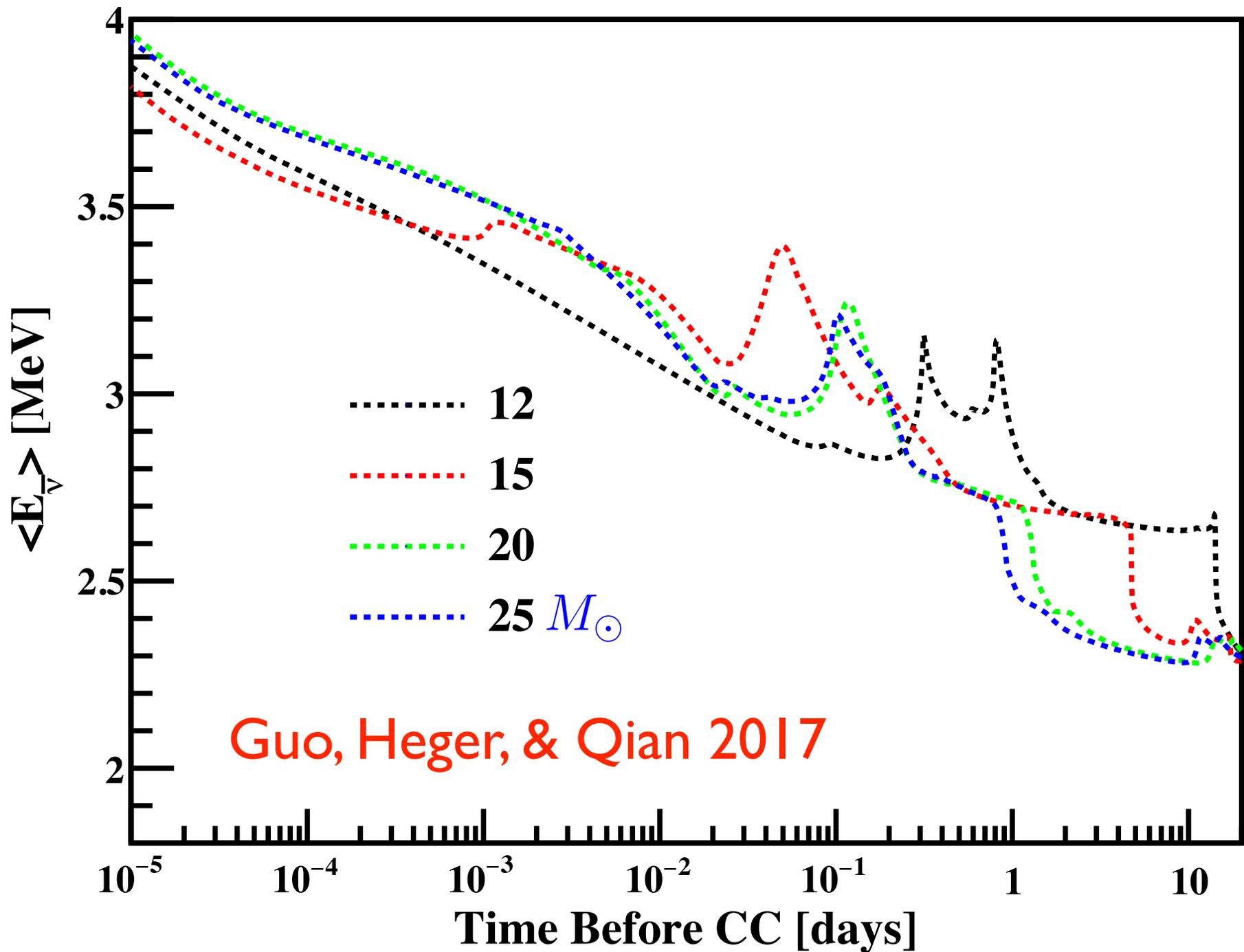
$$\gamma + e^{-} \rightarrow e^{-} + \nu + \bar{\nu}$$

Bremsstrahlung

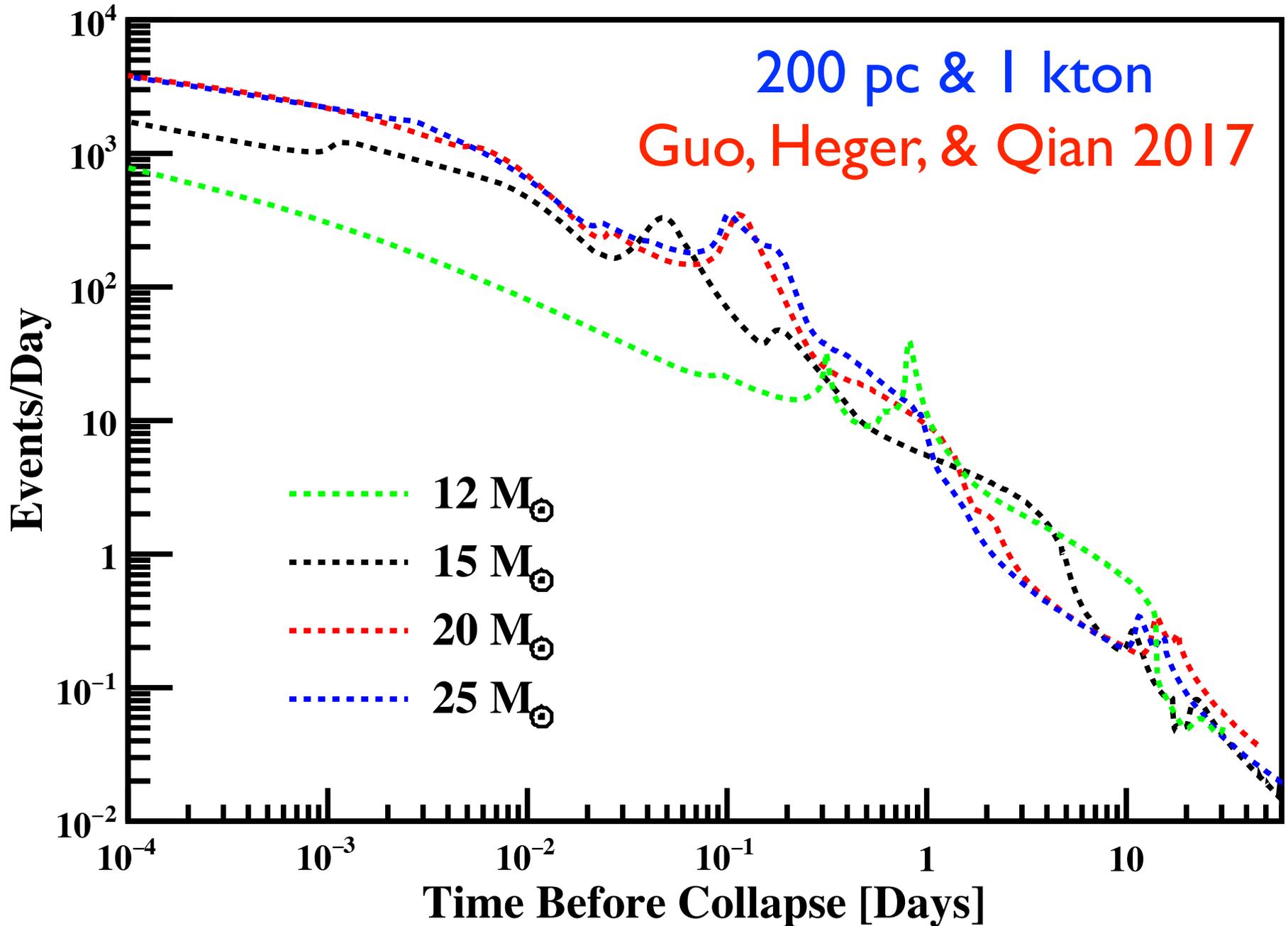
$$(Z, A) + e^{-} \rightarrow (Z, A) + e^{-} + \nu + \bar{\nu}$$



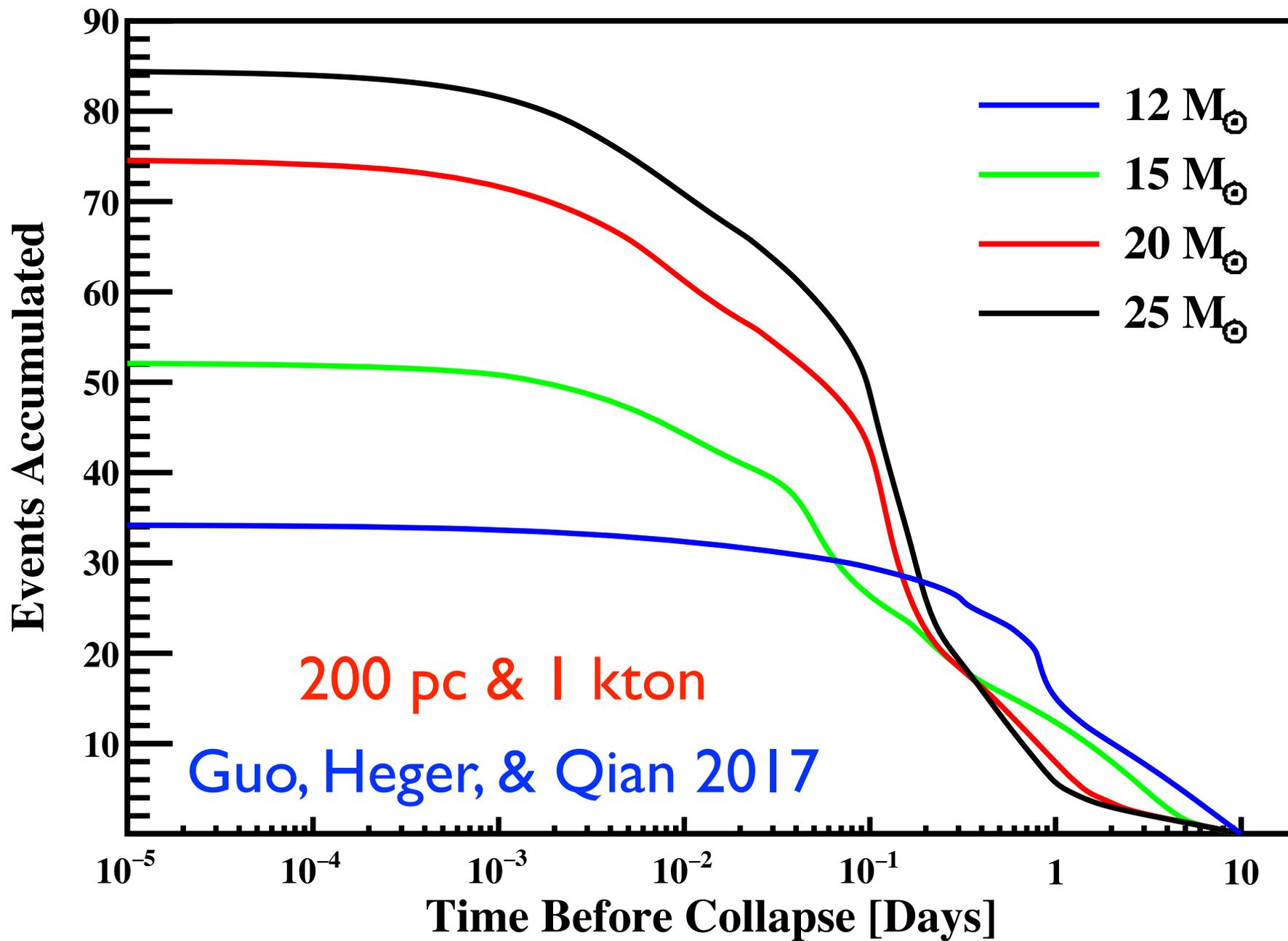
Average $\bar{\nu}_e$ Energy Detected by $\bar{\nu}_e + p \rightarrow n + e^+$



Rate of $\bar{\nu}_e + p \rightarrow n + e^+$ Events



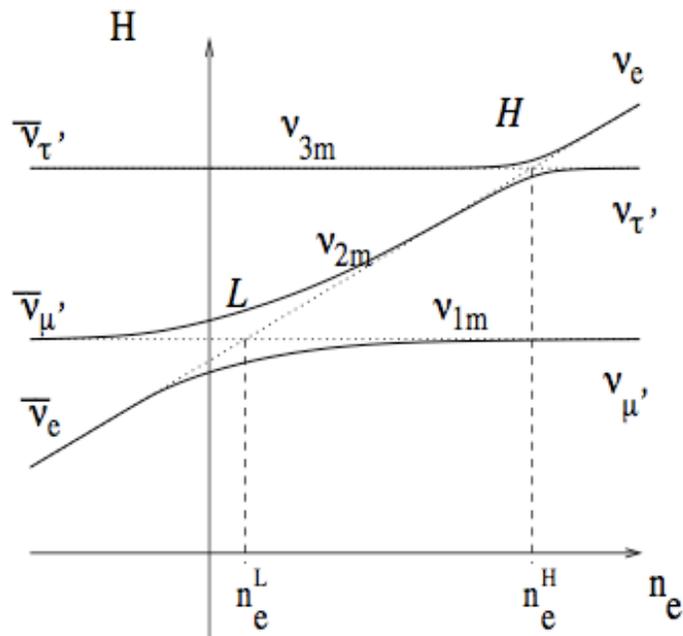
Accumulated $\bar{\nu}_e + p \rightarrow n + e^+$ Events



Neutrino Mixing in Vacuum

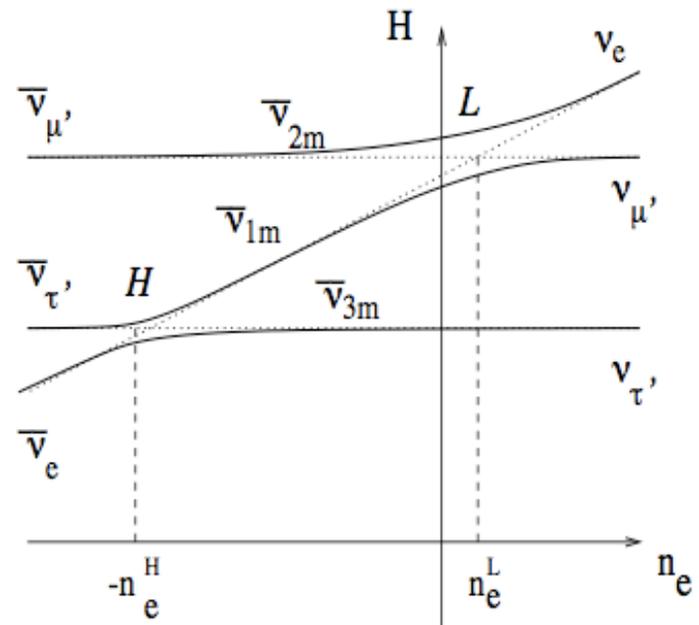
$$U_{\alpha i} = \langle \nu_\alpha | \nu_i \rangle, \quad \bar{U}_{\alpha i} = \langle \bar{\nu}_\alpha | \bar{\nu}_i \rangle$$

Neutrino Flavor Evolution in Matter (MSW only)



normal mass hierarchy

$$N_{\bar{\nu}_e} / N_{\bar{\nu}_e}^0 \approx 0.76$$



inverted mass hierarchy

$$N_{\bar{\nu}_e} / N_{\bar{\nu}_e}^0 \approx 0.21$$

What Can Pre-Supernova Neutrinos Tell Us ?

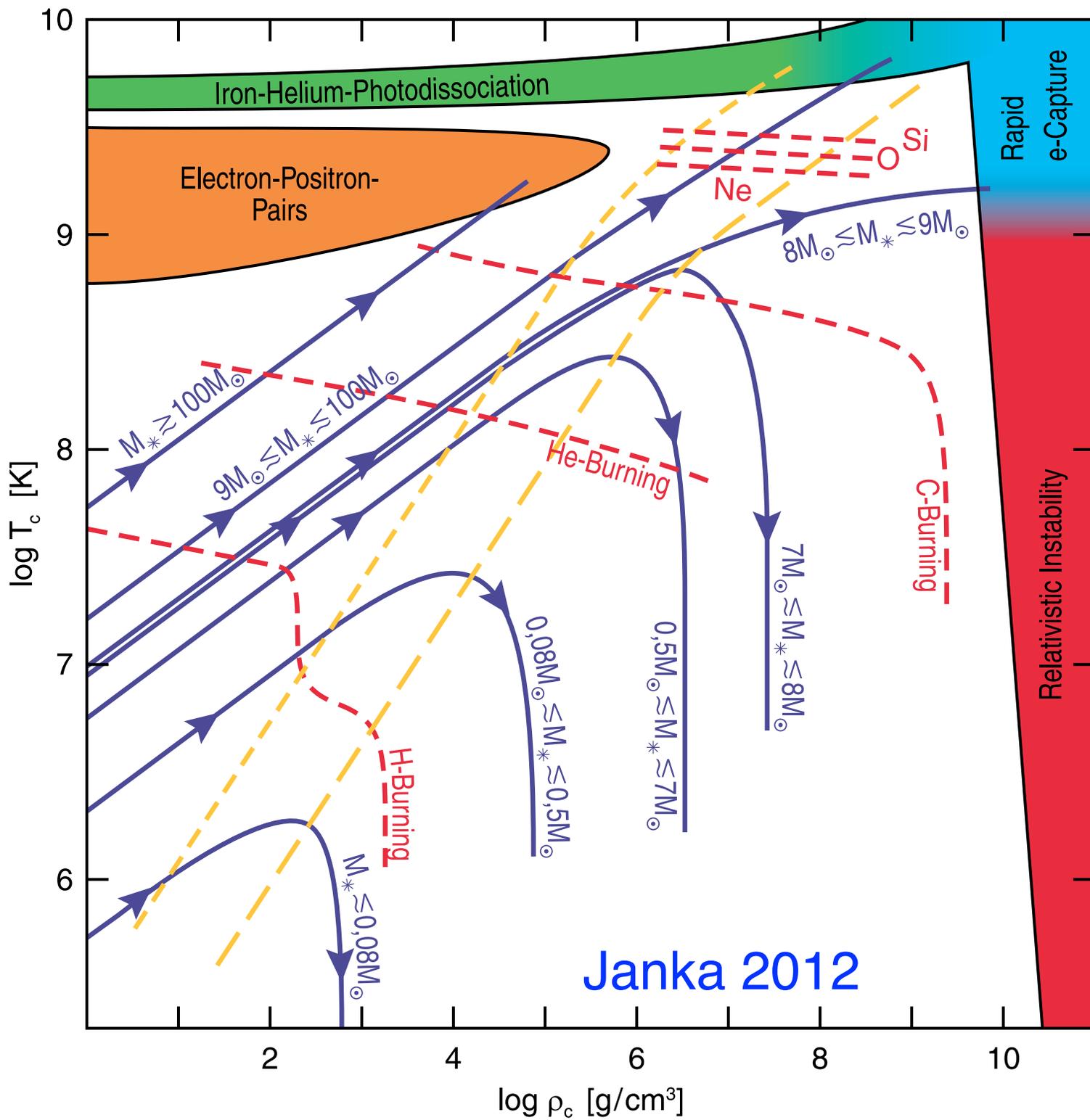
Advance warning of supernovae

Events for 200 pc & 1 kton

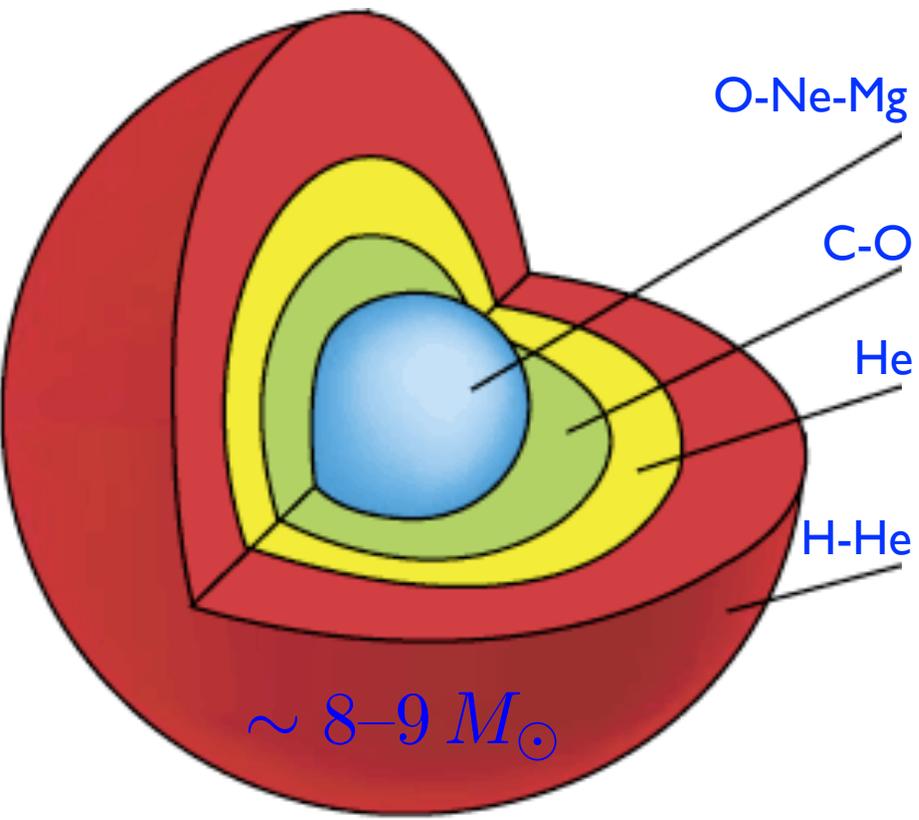
Model	$10^{-3} - 10^{-2}$	$10^{-2} - 10^{-1}$	$10^{-1} - 1$	1 - 10 Day
$12M_{\odot}$	1.28	2.90	14.39	15.09
$15M_{\odot}$	6.55	17.89	14.00	12.36
$20M_{\odot}$	10.44	18.75	34.52	7.95
$25M_{\odot}$	10.79	22.04	43.04	5.70

Probe of neutrino mass ordering: NH/IH \sim 3.6

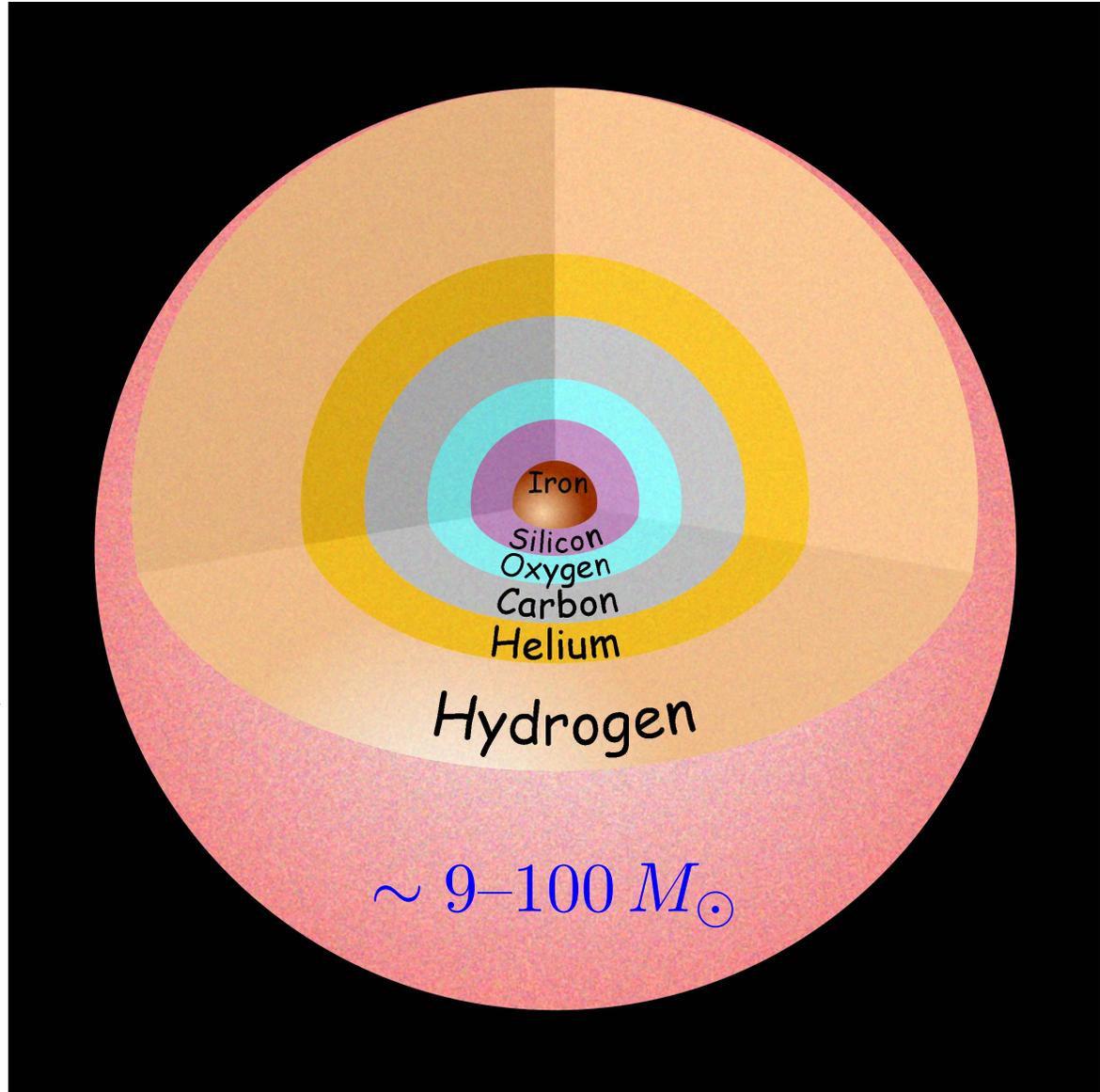
Test of stellar models: progenitor mass



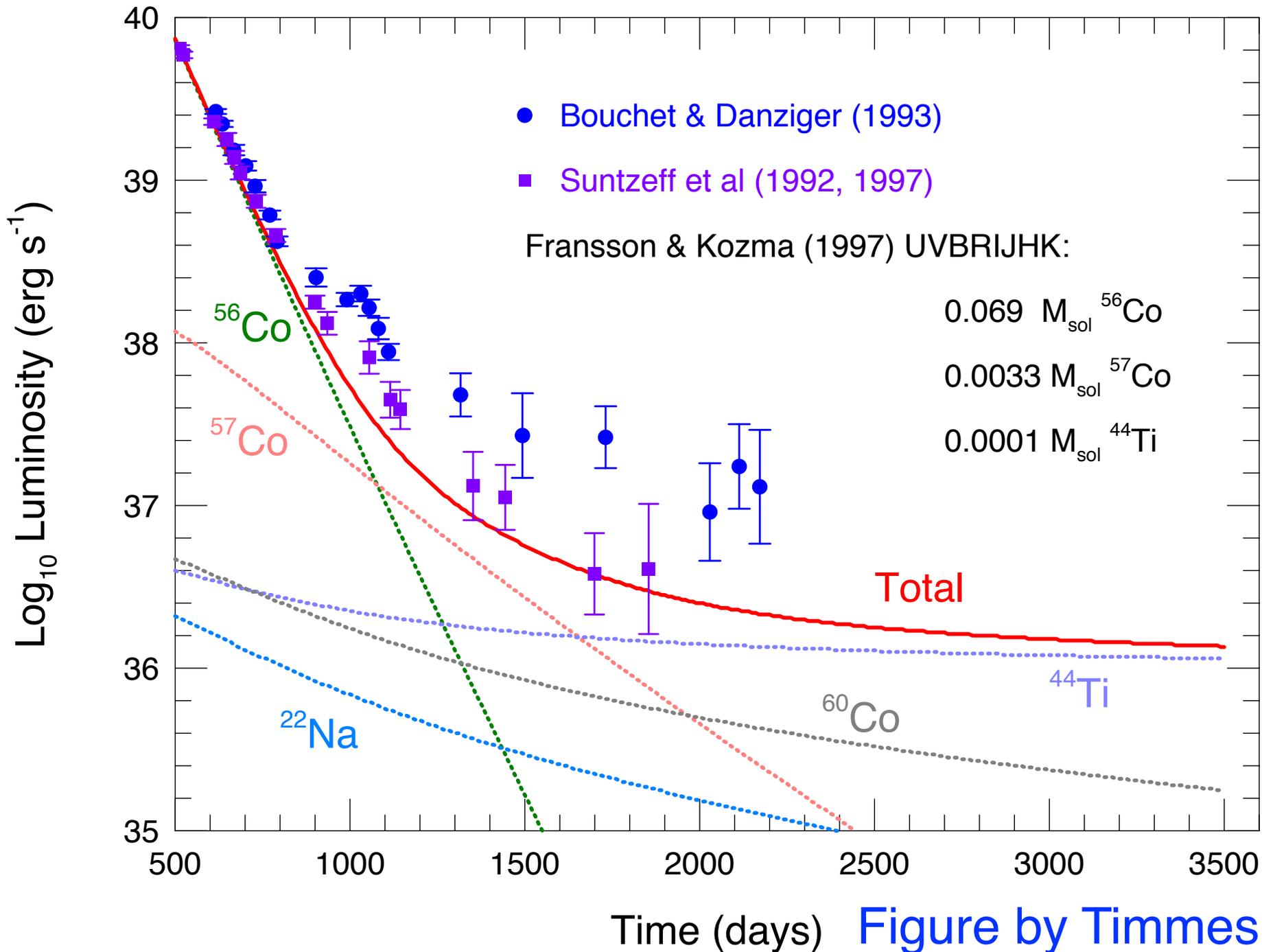
“Onion-Skin” Structure of Pre-SN Stars



e^{-} capture
collapse due to
photo-dissociation



Light Curve of SN 1987a



Tominaga et al. (2007)

normal SNe

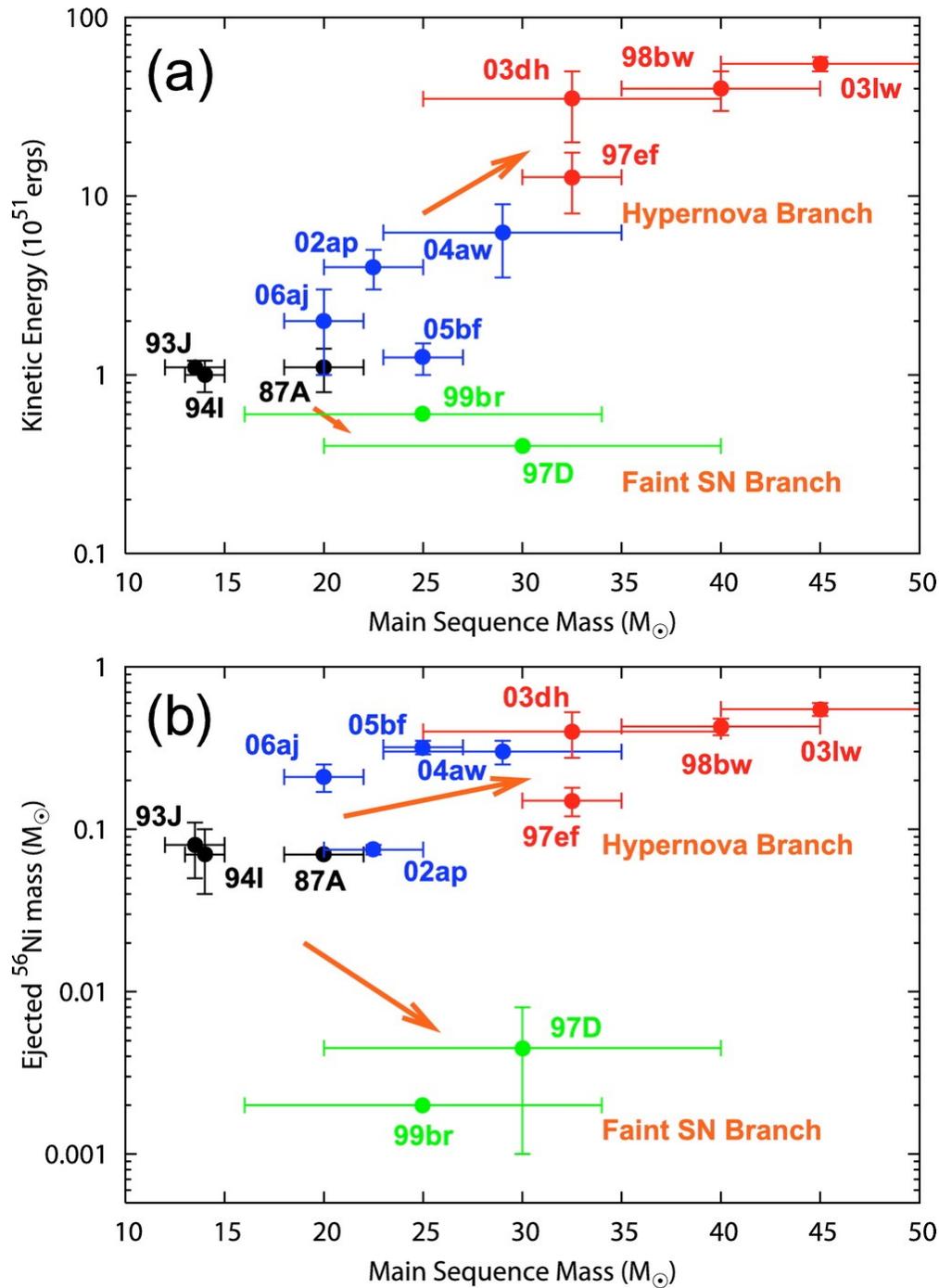
$M \sim 12\text{--}25 M_{\odot}$

HNe

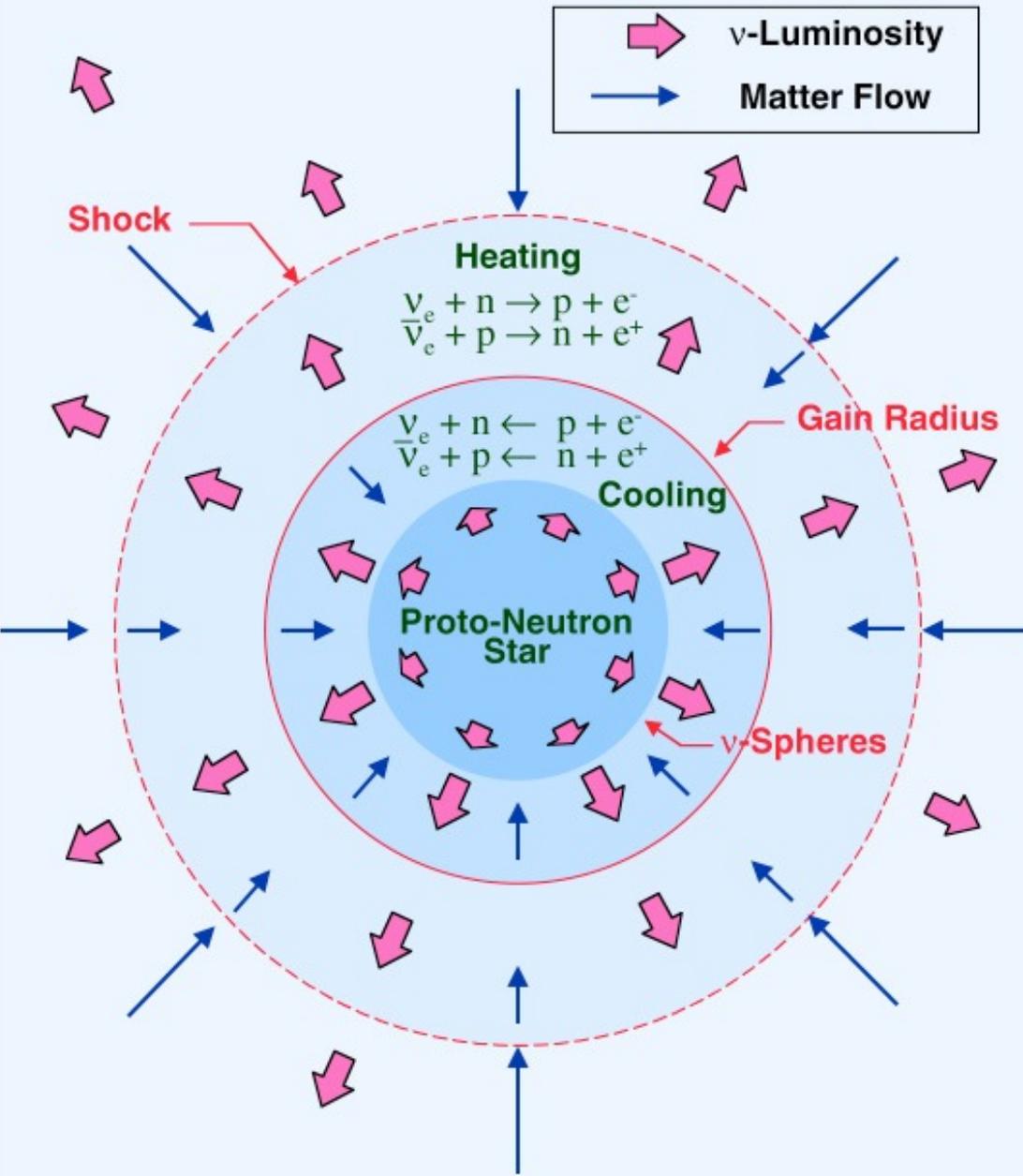
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faint SNe

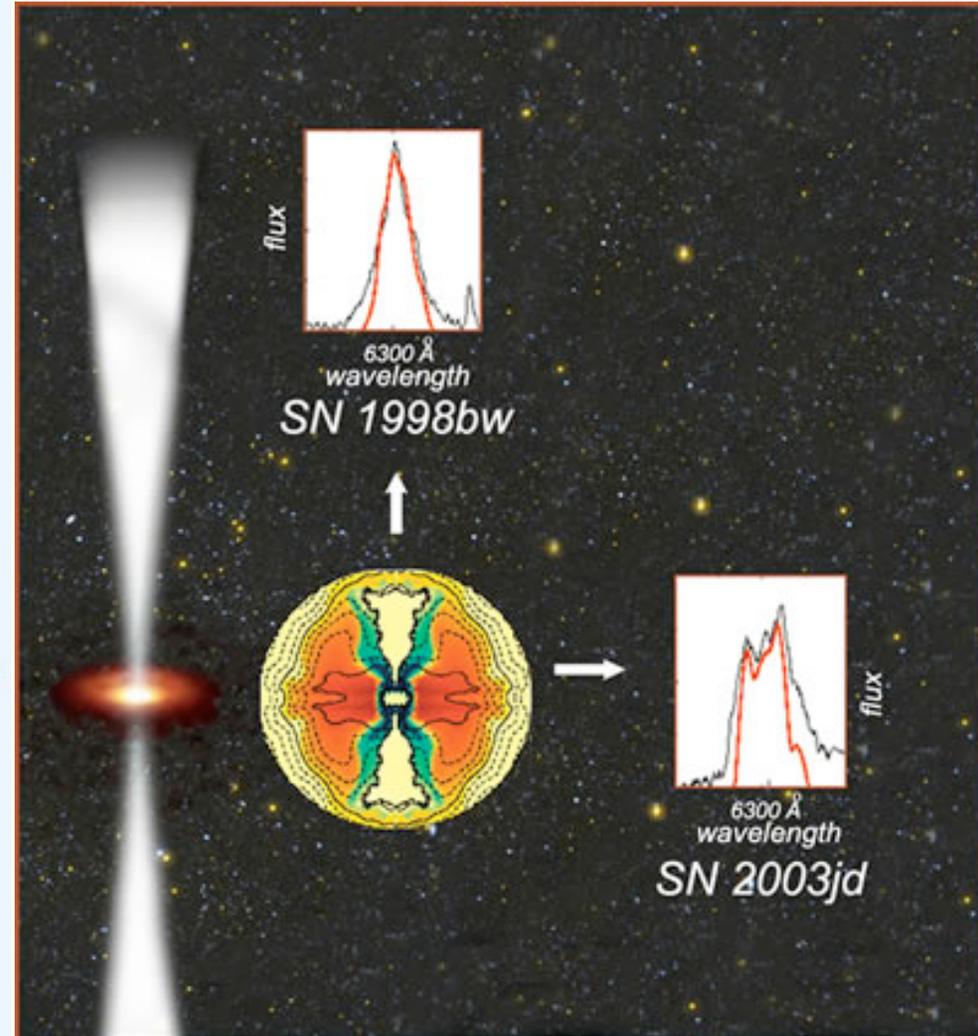
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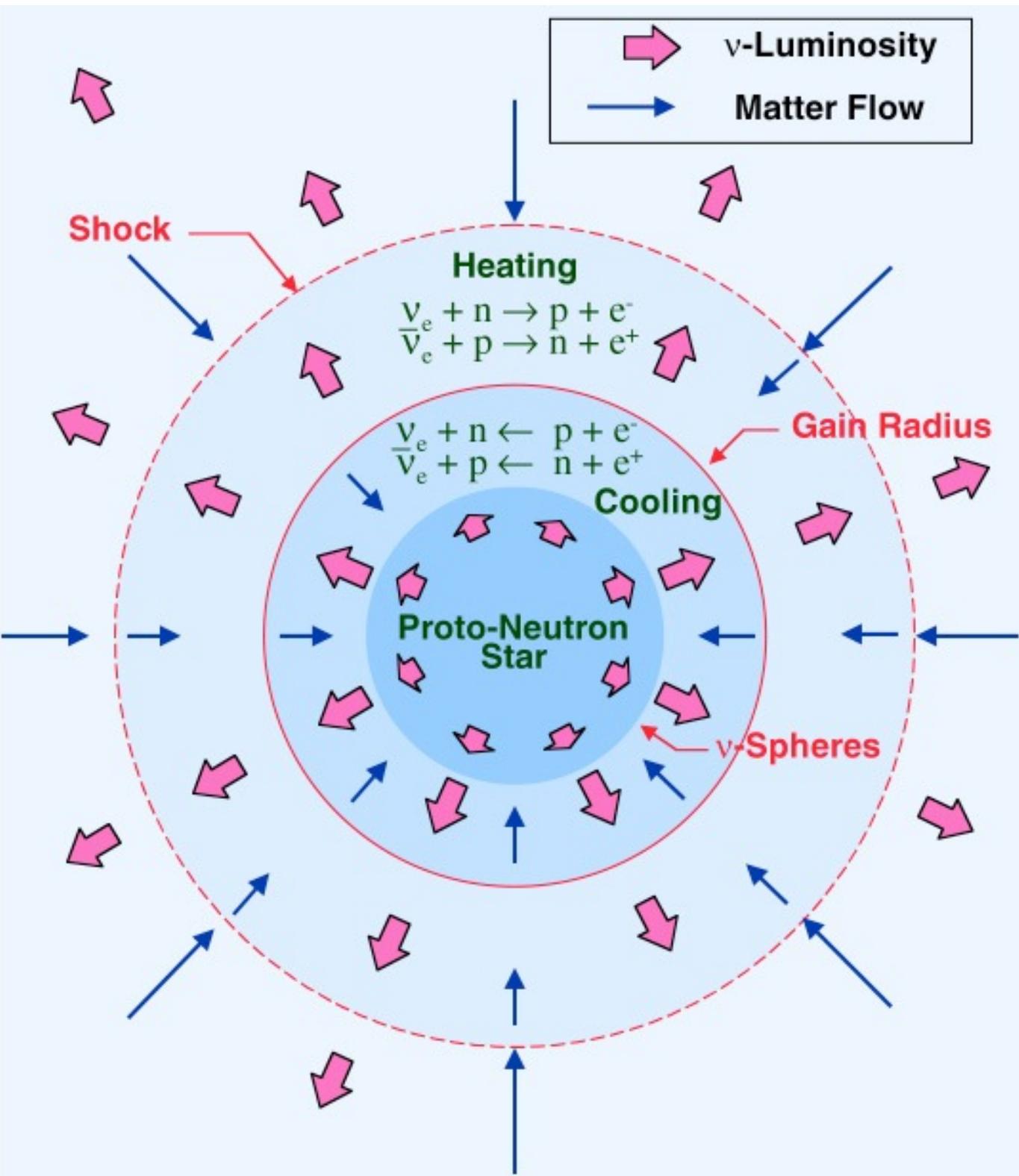
low-mass & normal SNe: neutrino-driven



HNe: strong jets



faint SNe: weak jets



$$\dot{q}_{\nu N} \propto \frac{L_\nu}{\langle E_\nu \rangle} \frac{\langle E_\nu \sigma_{\nu N} \rangle}{r^2}$$

$$\dot{q}_{eN} \propto n_e \langle E_e \sigma_{eN} \rangle \propto T^6$$

gain radius r_g

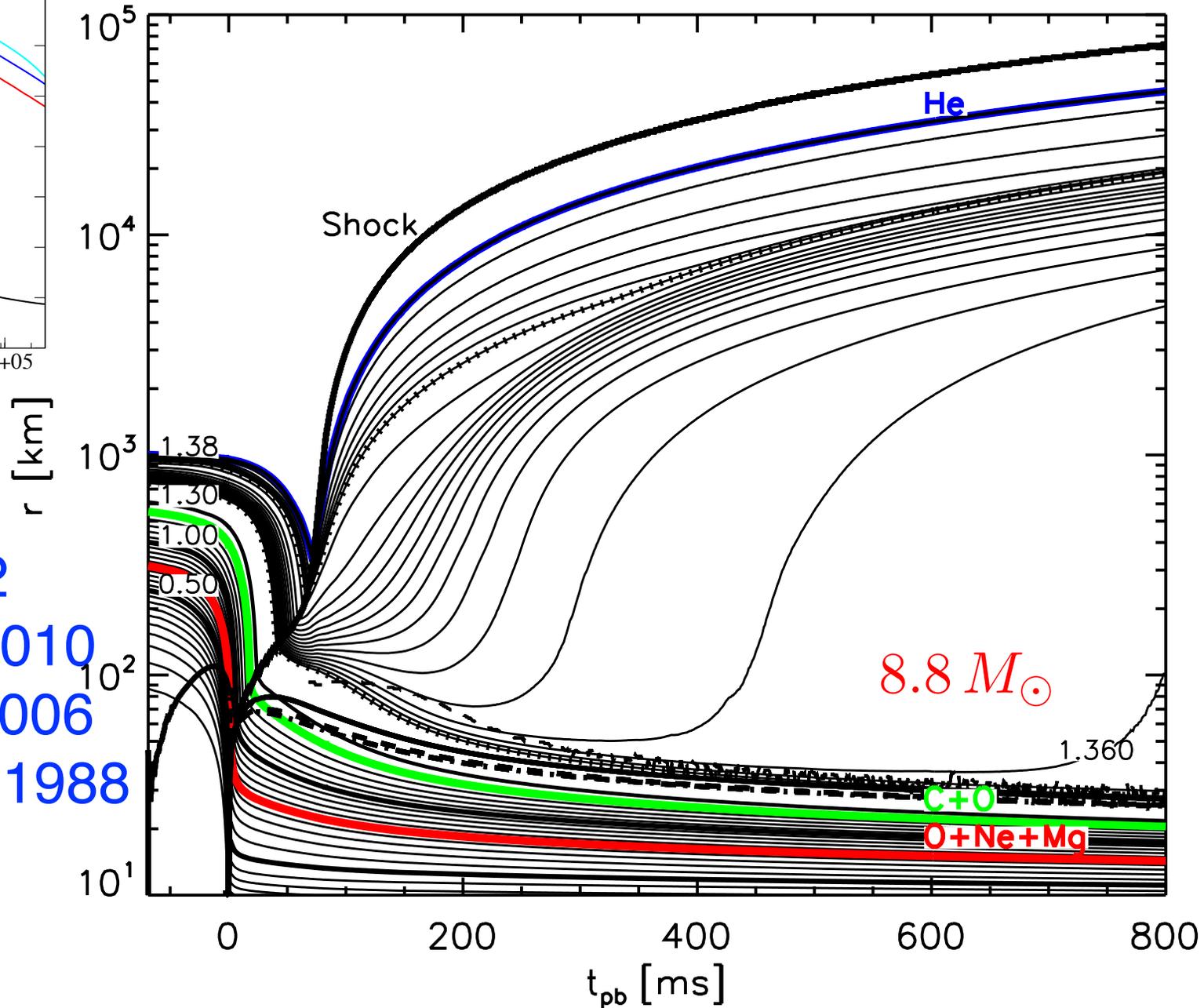
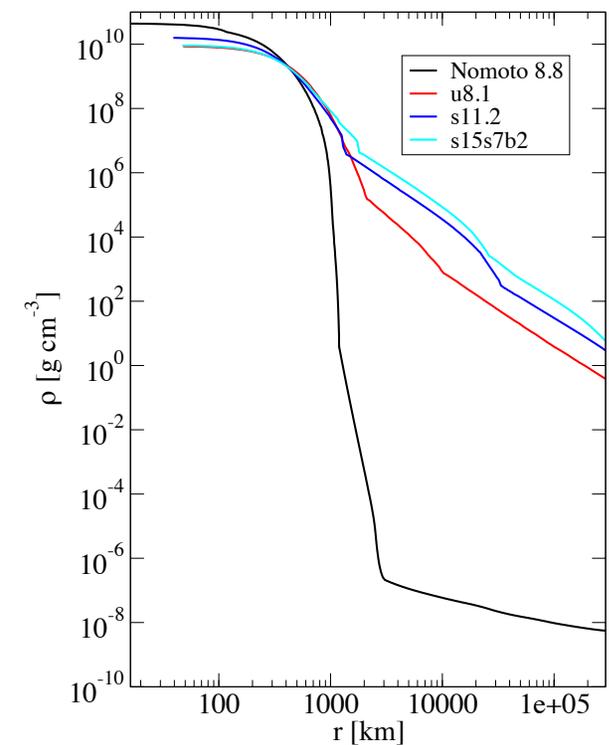
$$\dot{q}_{\nu N}(r_g) = \dot{q}_{eN}(r_g)$$

outside gain radius

$$\dot{q}_{\nu N}(r) > \dot{q}_{eN}(r)$$

Bethe & Wilson 1985

Neutrino-Driven Explosion of a Low-Mass SN



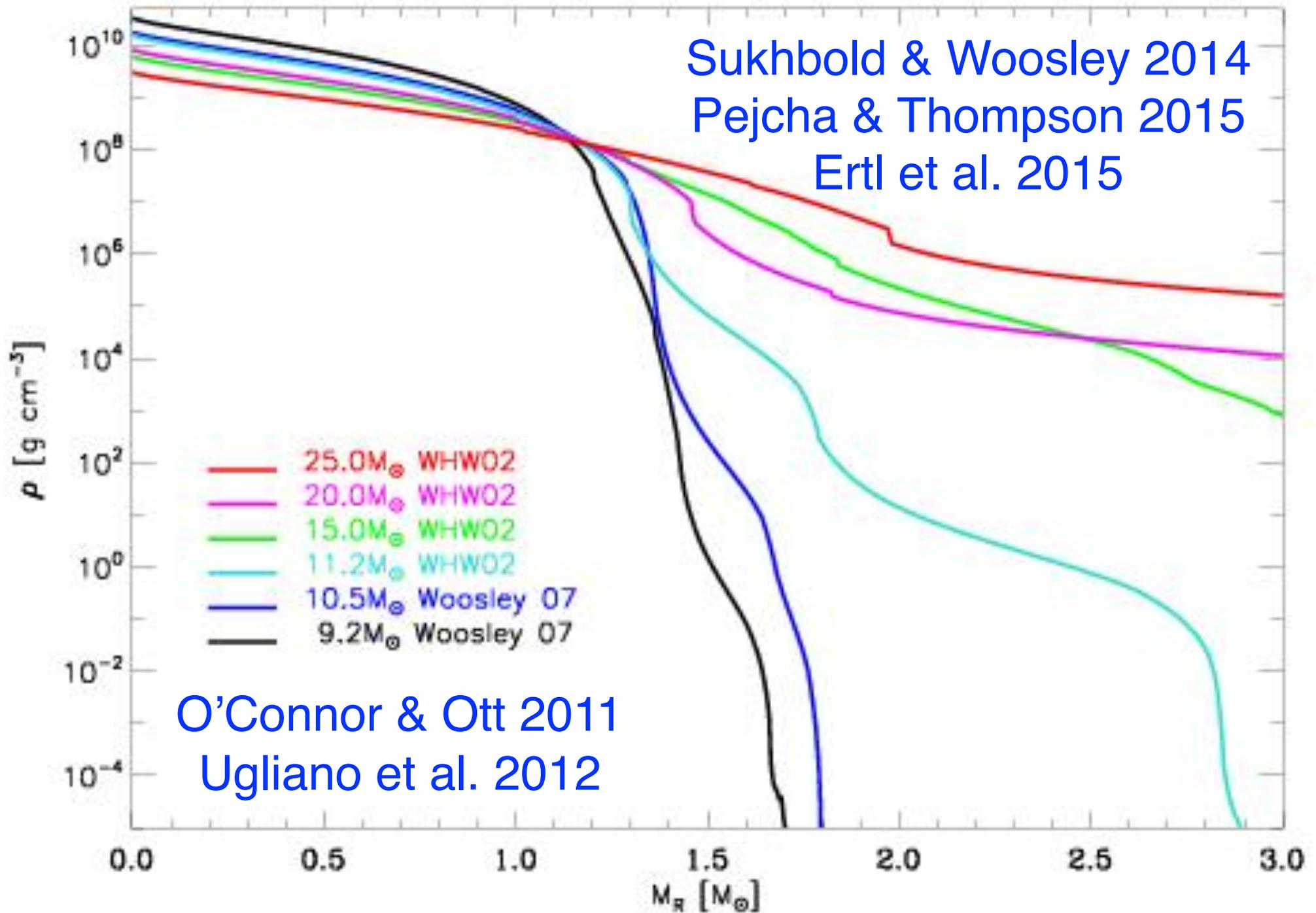
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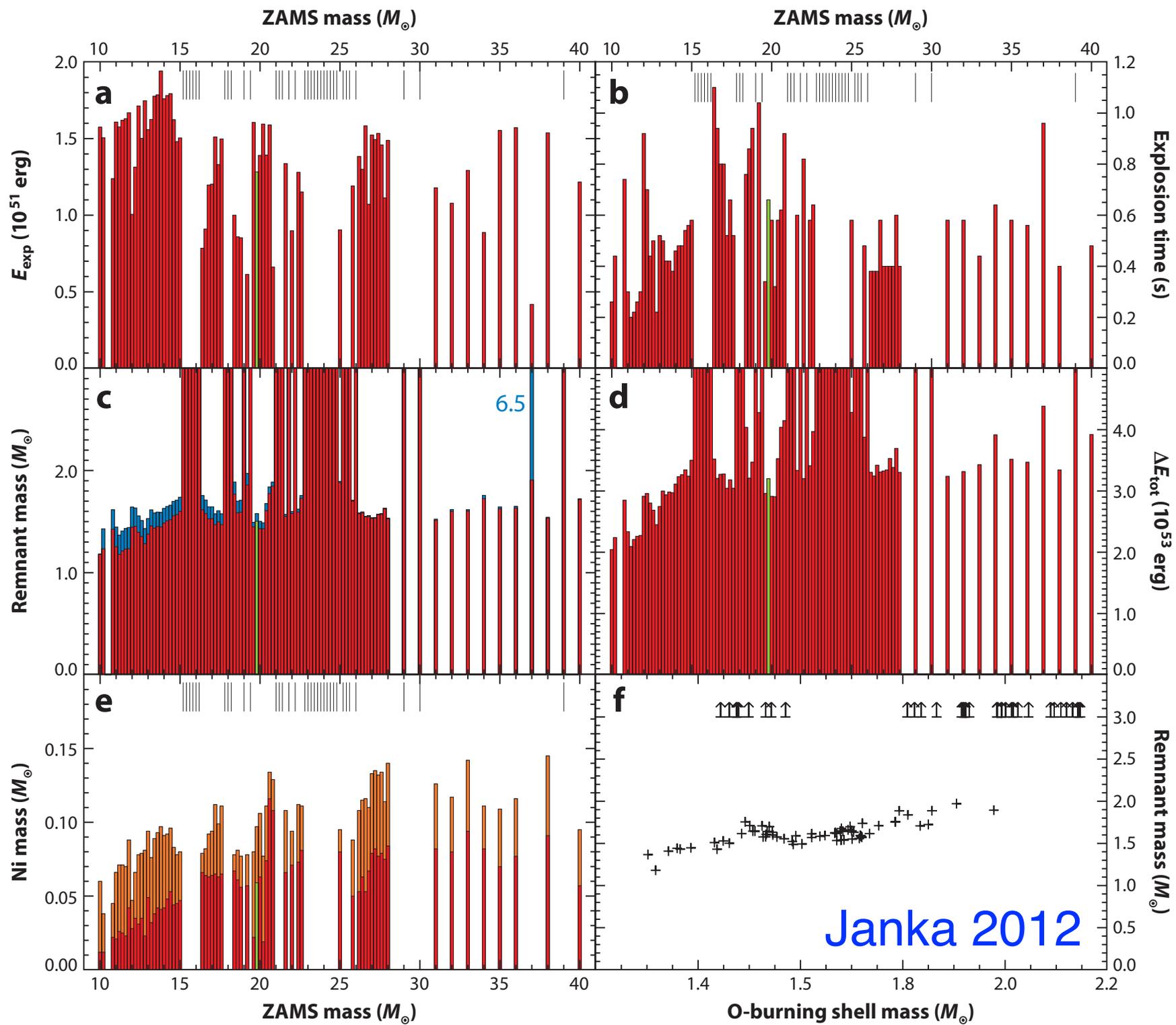
Fischer et al. 2010

Kitaura et al. 2006

Mayle & Wilson 1988

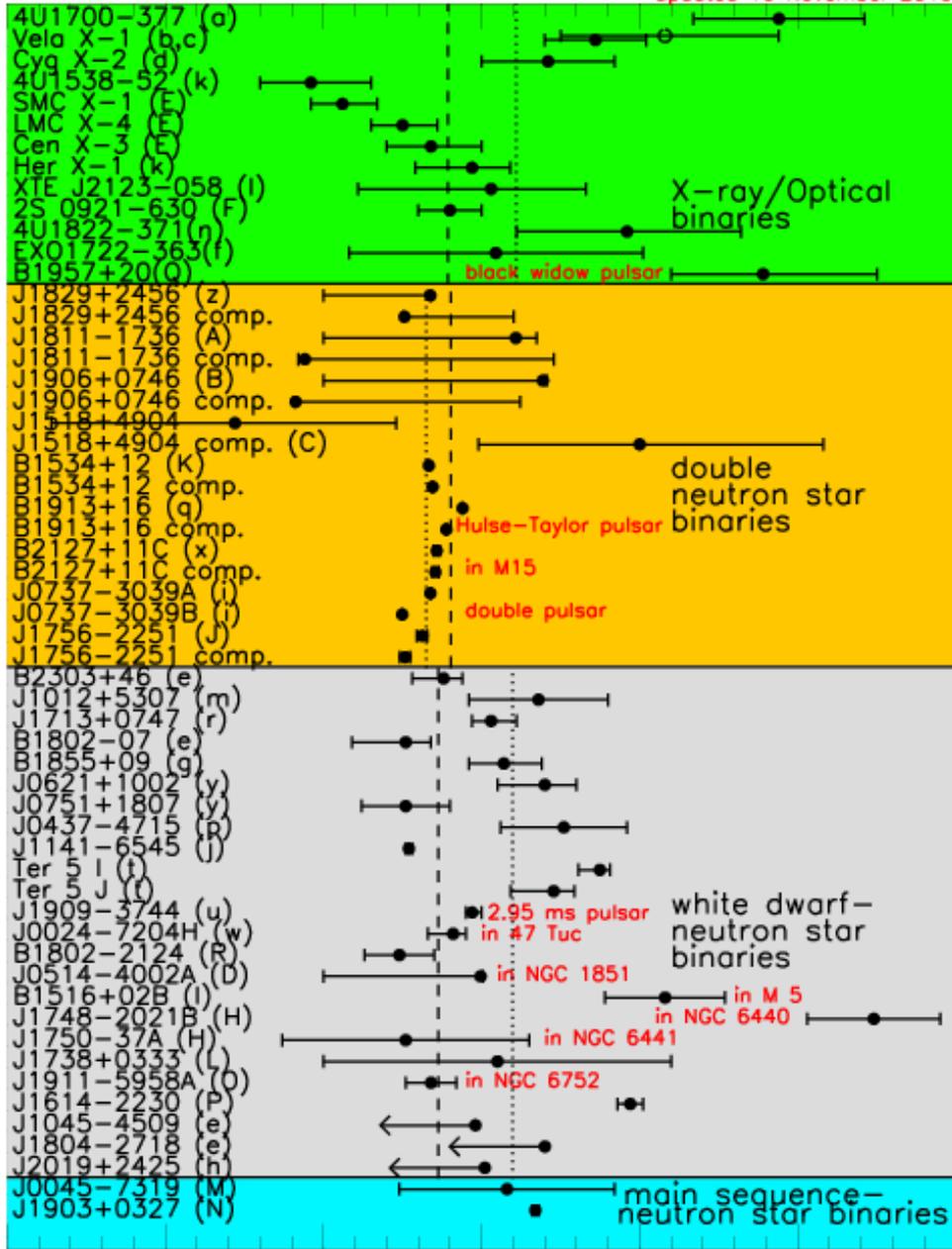
Compactness & Explodability





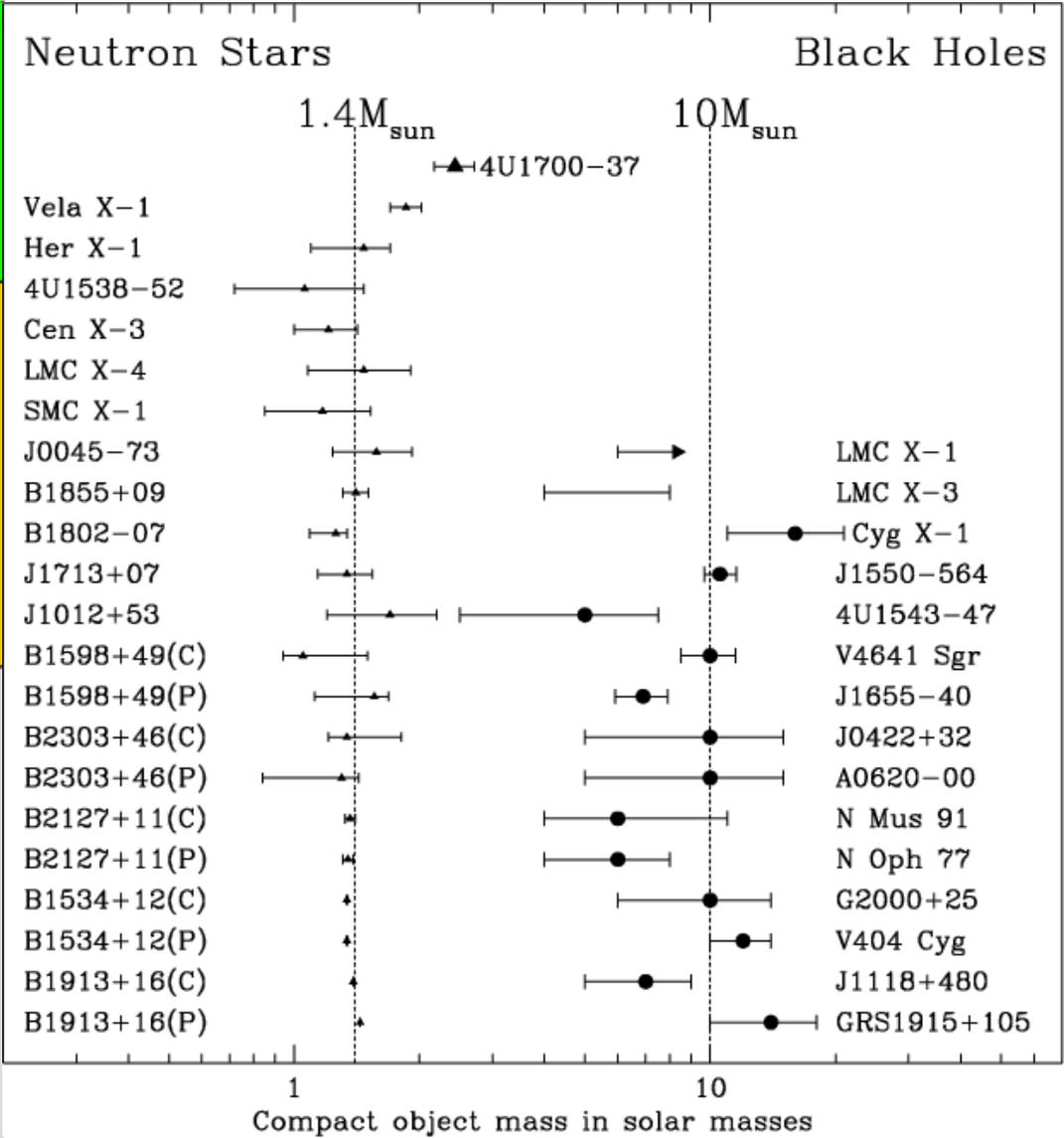
Neutron Star & Black Hole Masses

updated 10 November 2010



Neutron star mass (M_{\odot})

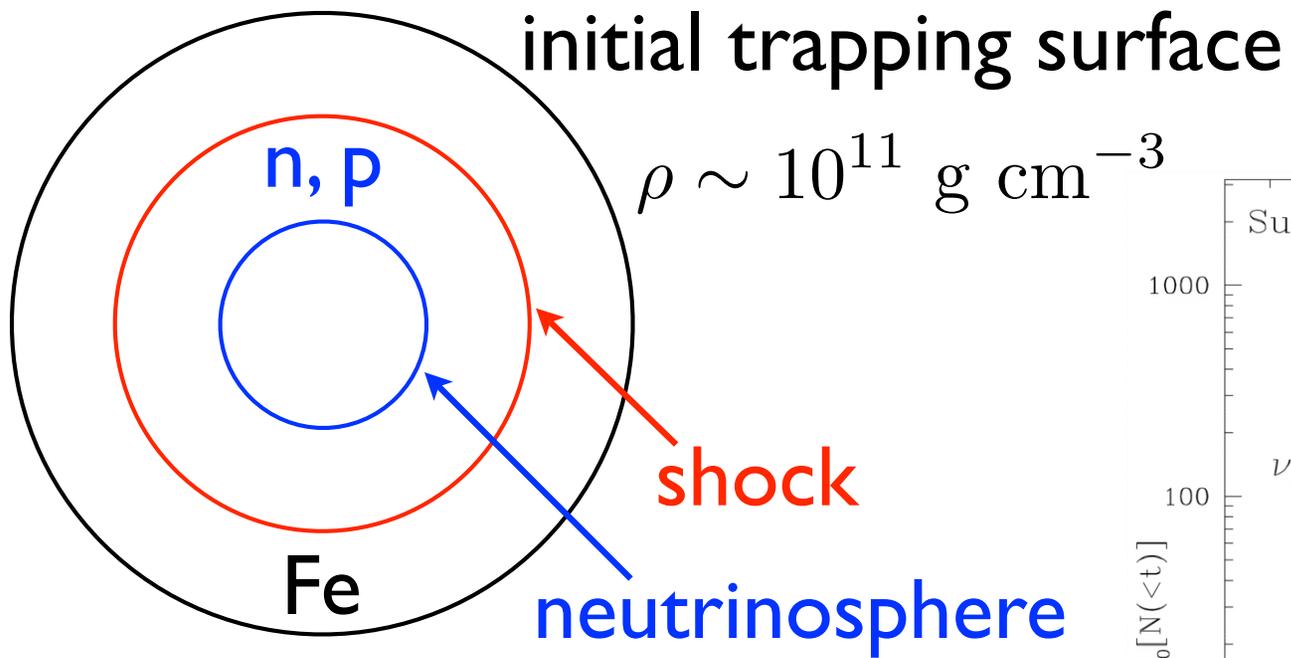
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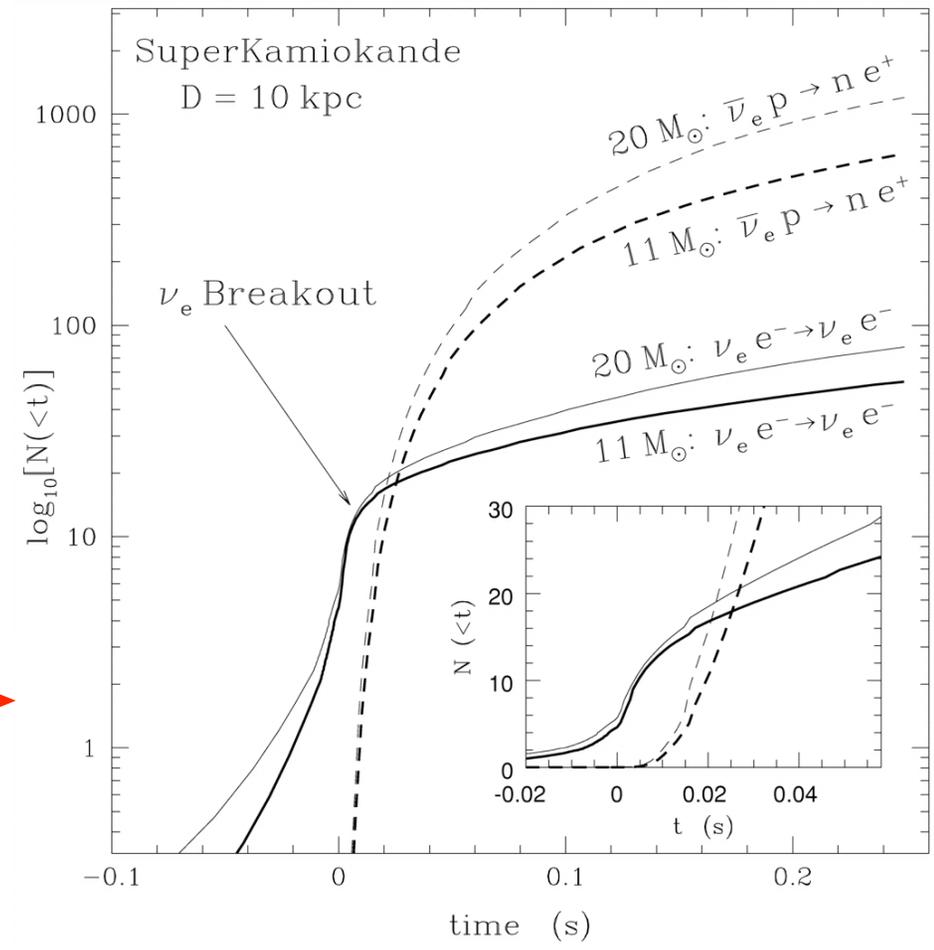
Compact object mass in solar masses

Clark et al. 2002

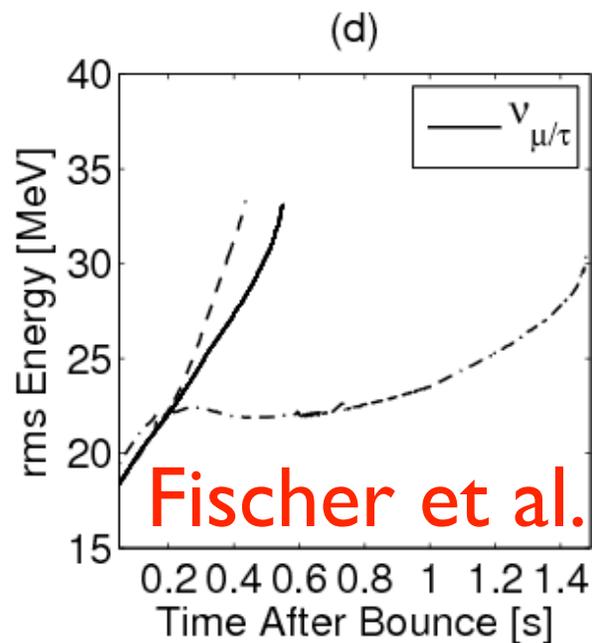
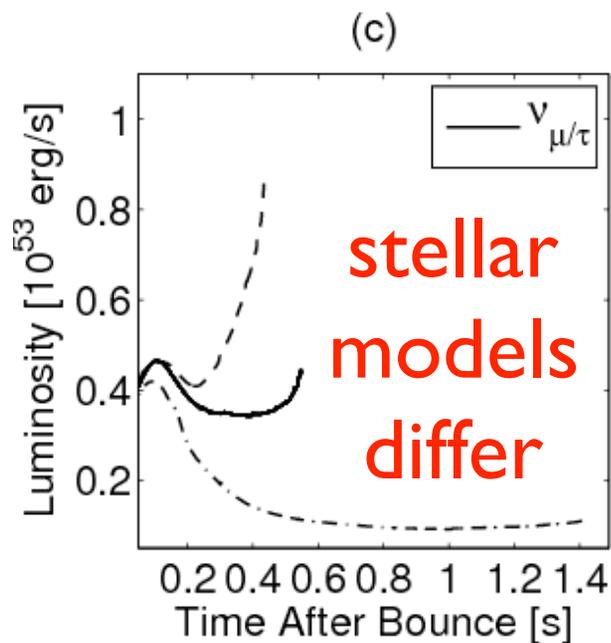
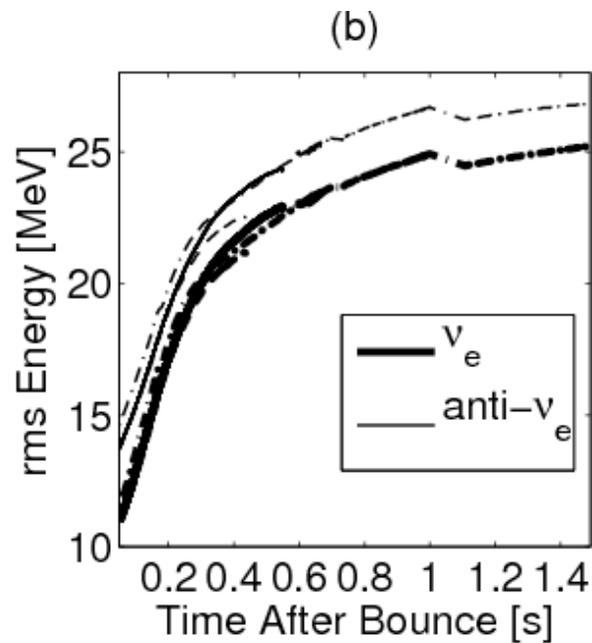
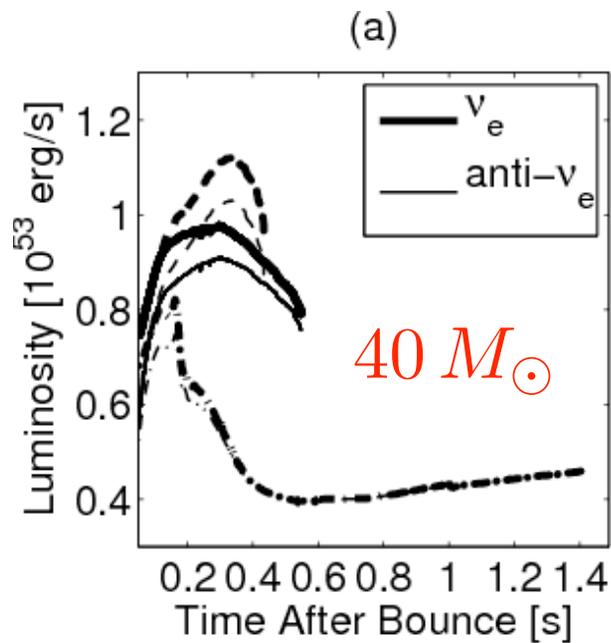
“neutronization” pulse at shock breakout



without oscillations 
 (Thompson et al. 2003)

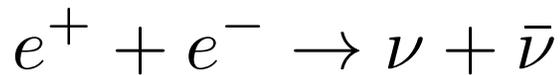
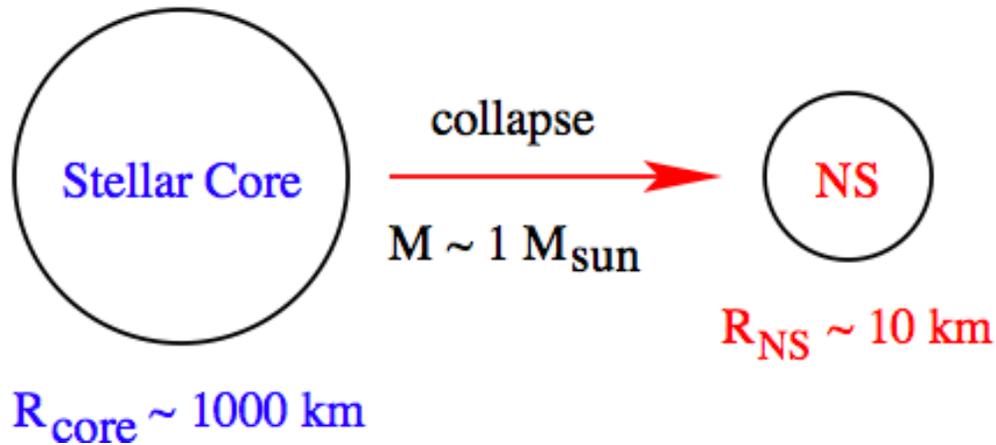


signature of BH formation: interruption of ν signals



followed
by
neutrino
emission
from
accretion
disk
around
BH?

“Thermal” Neutrino Emission from Proto-NS Cooling

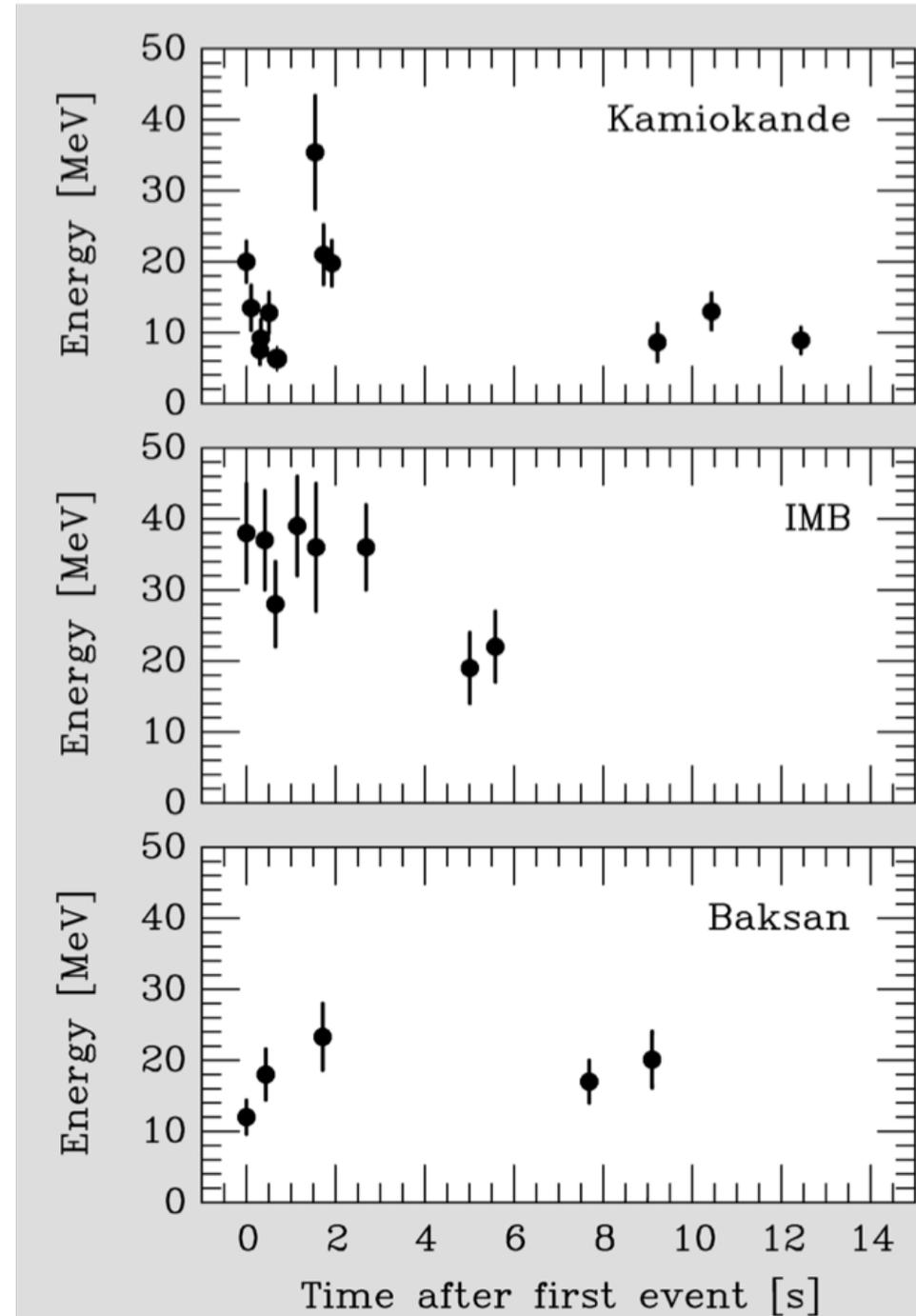


$$\frac{GM^2}{R_{\text{NS}}} \sim 3 \times 10^{53} \text{ erg}$$

$$\Rightarrow \nu_e, \bar{\nu}_e, \nu_\mu, \bar{\nu}_\mu, \nu_\tau, \bar{\nu}_\tau$$

for a Galactic SN at $\sim 10 \text{ kpc}$

$\sim 10^4$ events in SuperK due to



Processes Governing SN Neutrino Diffusion

momentum exchange

$$\nu + N \rightarrow \nu + N \Rightarrow t_{\text{diff}} \sim \text{several seconds}$$

$$L_{\nu_e} \sim L_{\bar{\nu}_e} \sim L_{\nu_{\mu/\tau}} \approx L_{\bar{\nu}_{\mu/\tau}}$$

energy exchange

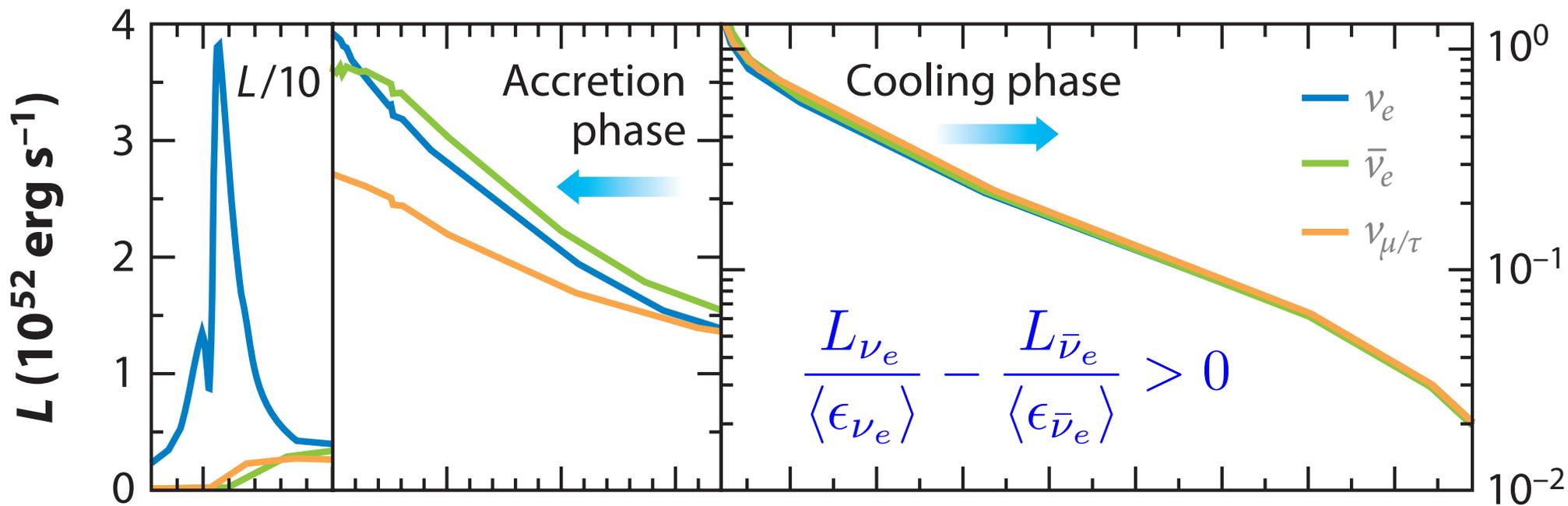
$$\nu + e^- \rightarrow \nu + e^-$$

$$\nu_e + n \rightleftharpoons p + e^-$$

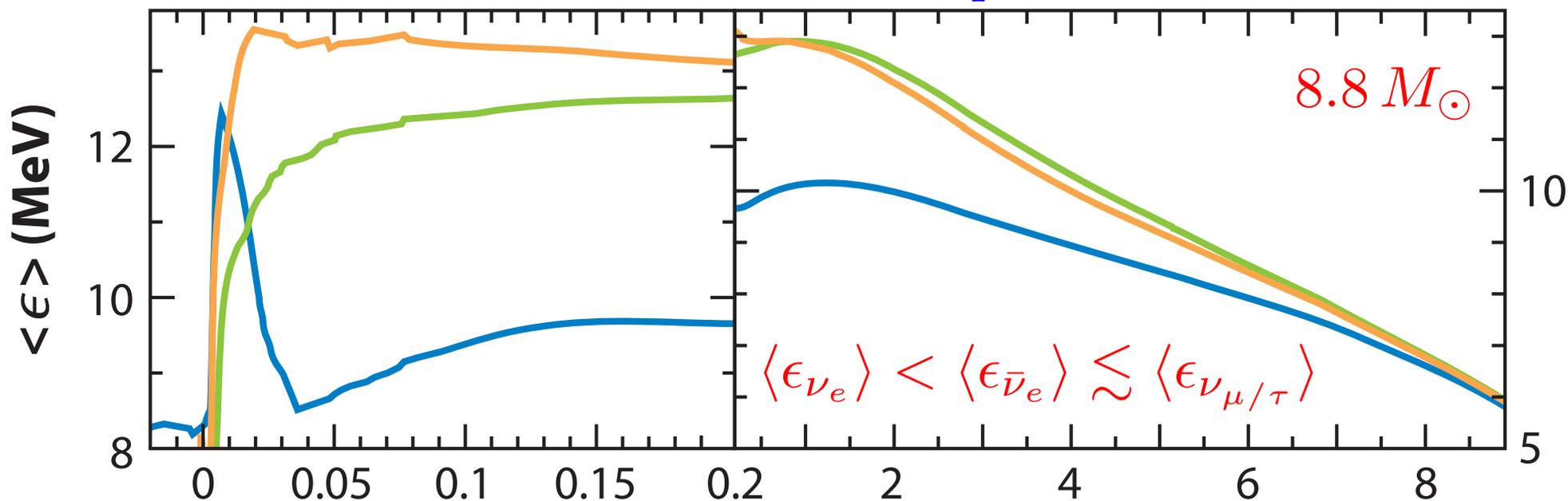
$$\bar{\nu}_e + p \rightleftharpoons n + e^+$$

$$\langle E_{\nu_e} \rangle < \langle E_{\bar{\nu}_e} \rangle \lesssim \langle E_{\nu_{\mu/\tau}} \rangle \approx \langle E_{\bar{\nu}_{\mu/\tau}} \rangle$$

Neutrino Emission from a Low-Mass SN

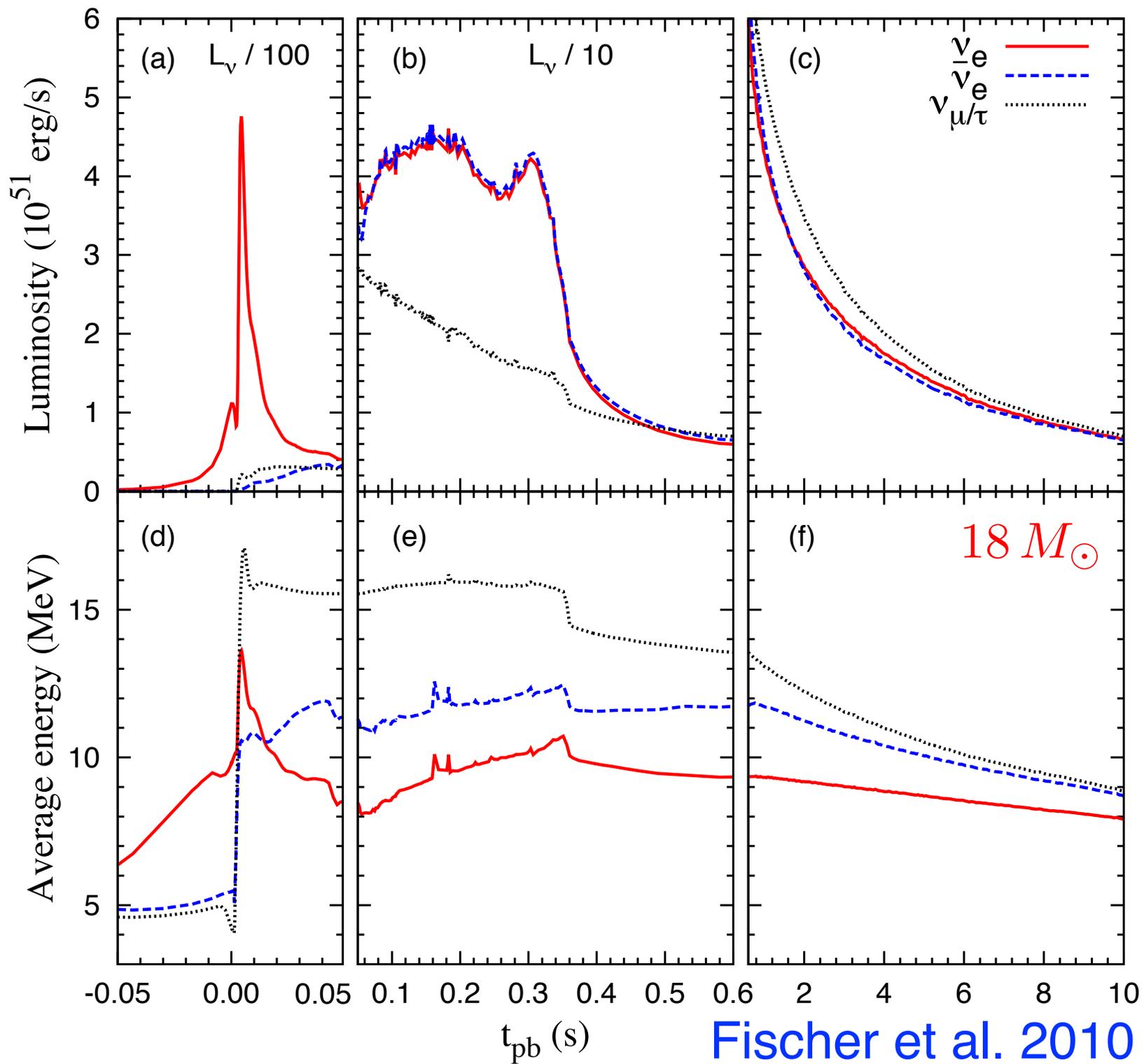


excess ν_e from $e^- + p \rightarrow n + \nu_e$



Time after bounce (s)

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Summary: supernovae and their neutrino signals

- ☀ interruption of neutrino signals reveals BH formation
 - ➔ progenitor density structure (accretion rate)
 - nuclear equation of state (phase transition)
- ☀ rich interplay among progenitor structure, shock propagation, neutrino emission & flavor evolution
 - “neutronization” pulse at shock breakout relatively simple to study as a probe of neutrino properties
 - bulk emission of “thermal” neutrinos gives potential probes of supernova physics & neutrino properties (systematic study of collective & shock effects needed)
- ☀ templates of neutrino signals important for study of relic/diffuse supernova neutrino background