

Mass Loss:

Importance & Uncertainties

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Keele is Not Kiel (Germany) But Where is it?

West Midlands:



Keele area

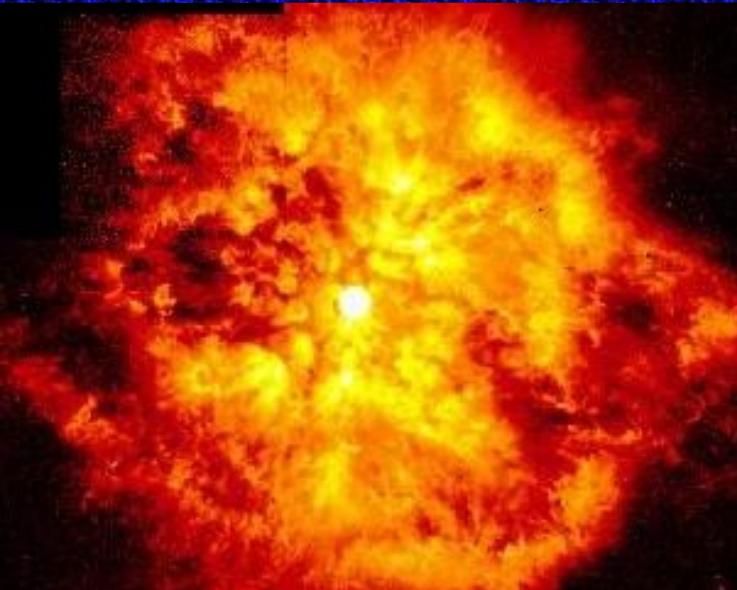
is famous for pottery: Wedgwood, ...

and football: Stoke city fc in premier league

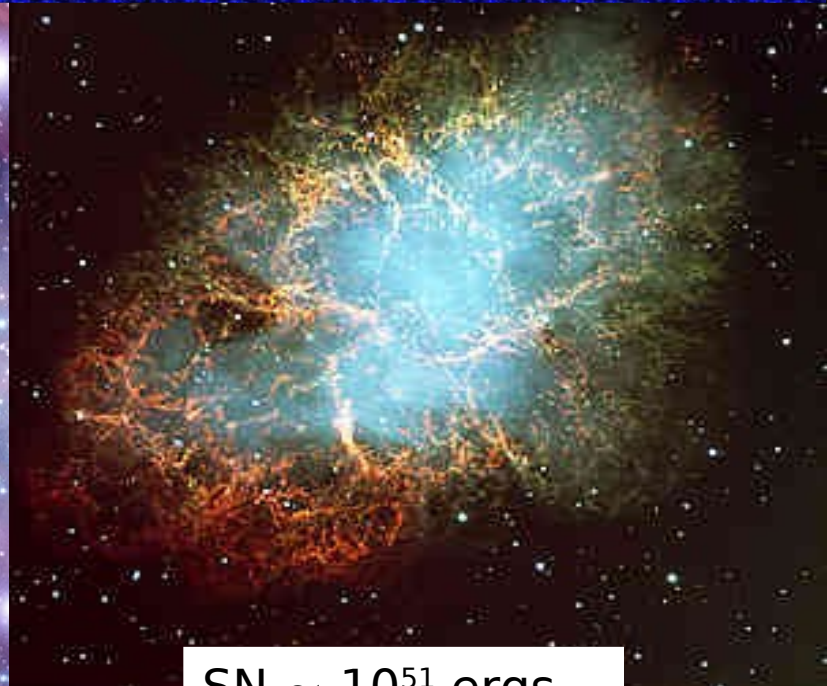
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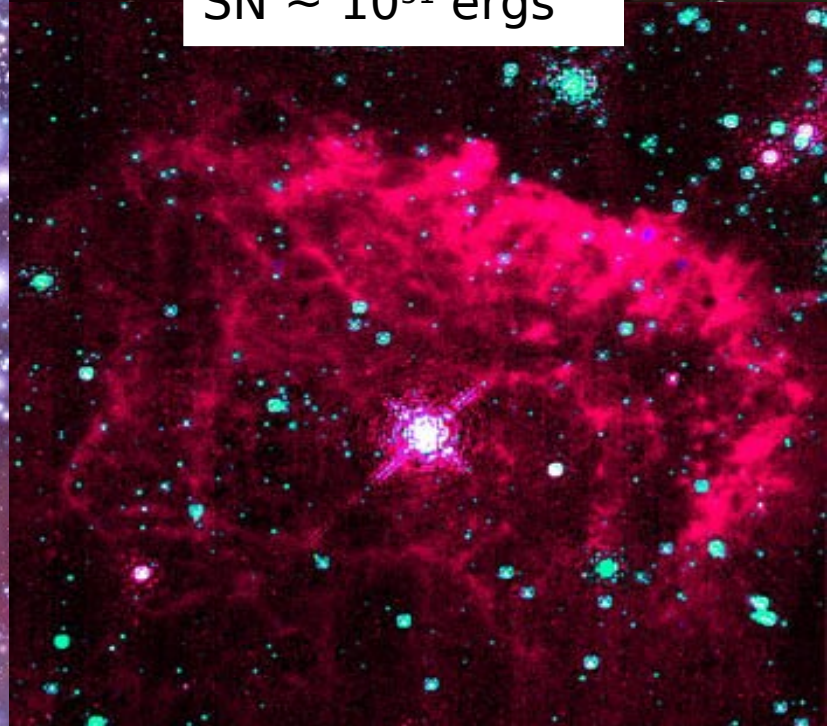
Injection of Mechanical Energy



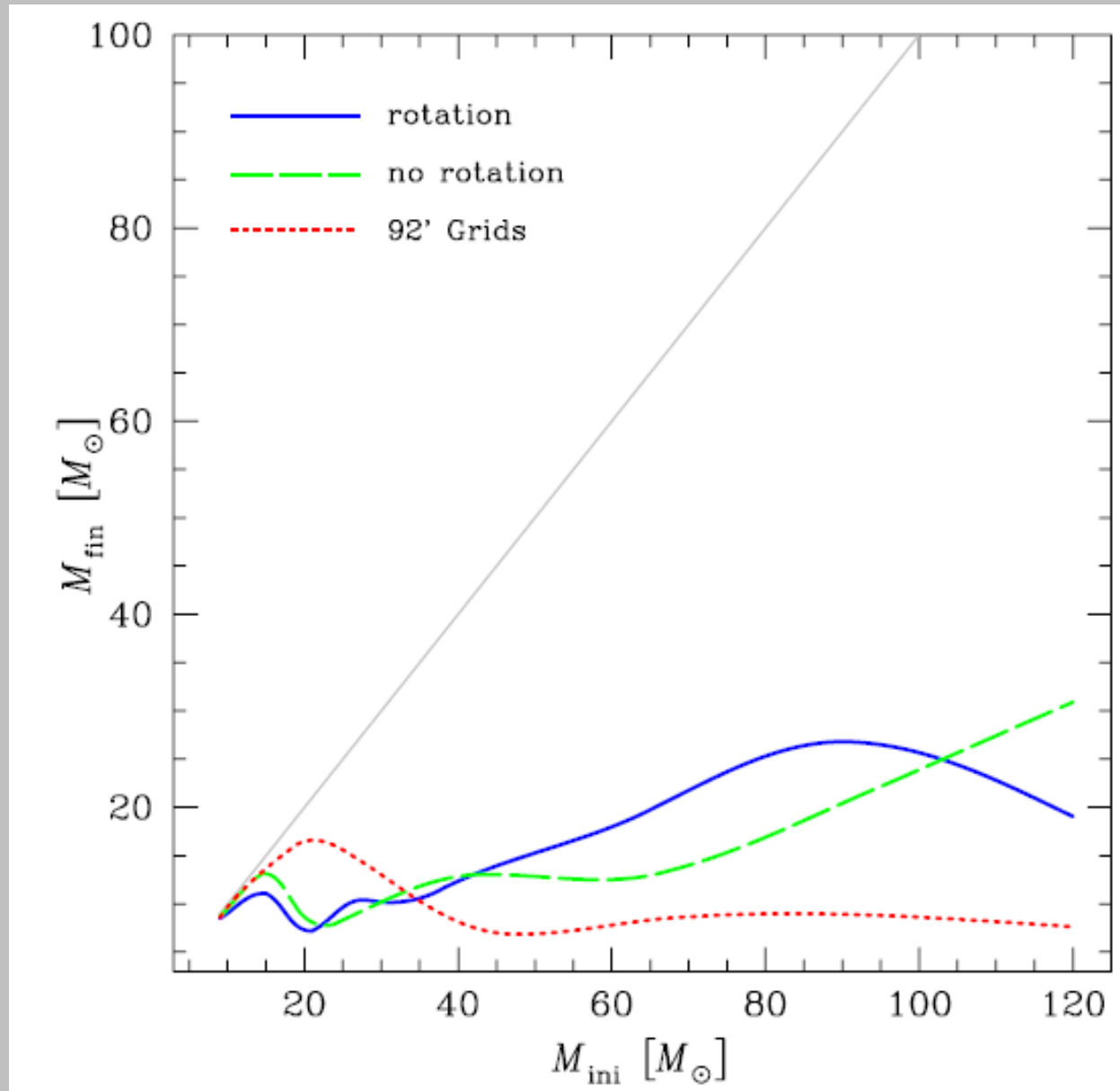
Winds $\sim 10^{51}$ ergs



SN $\sim 10^{51}$ ergs



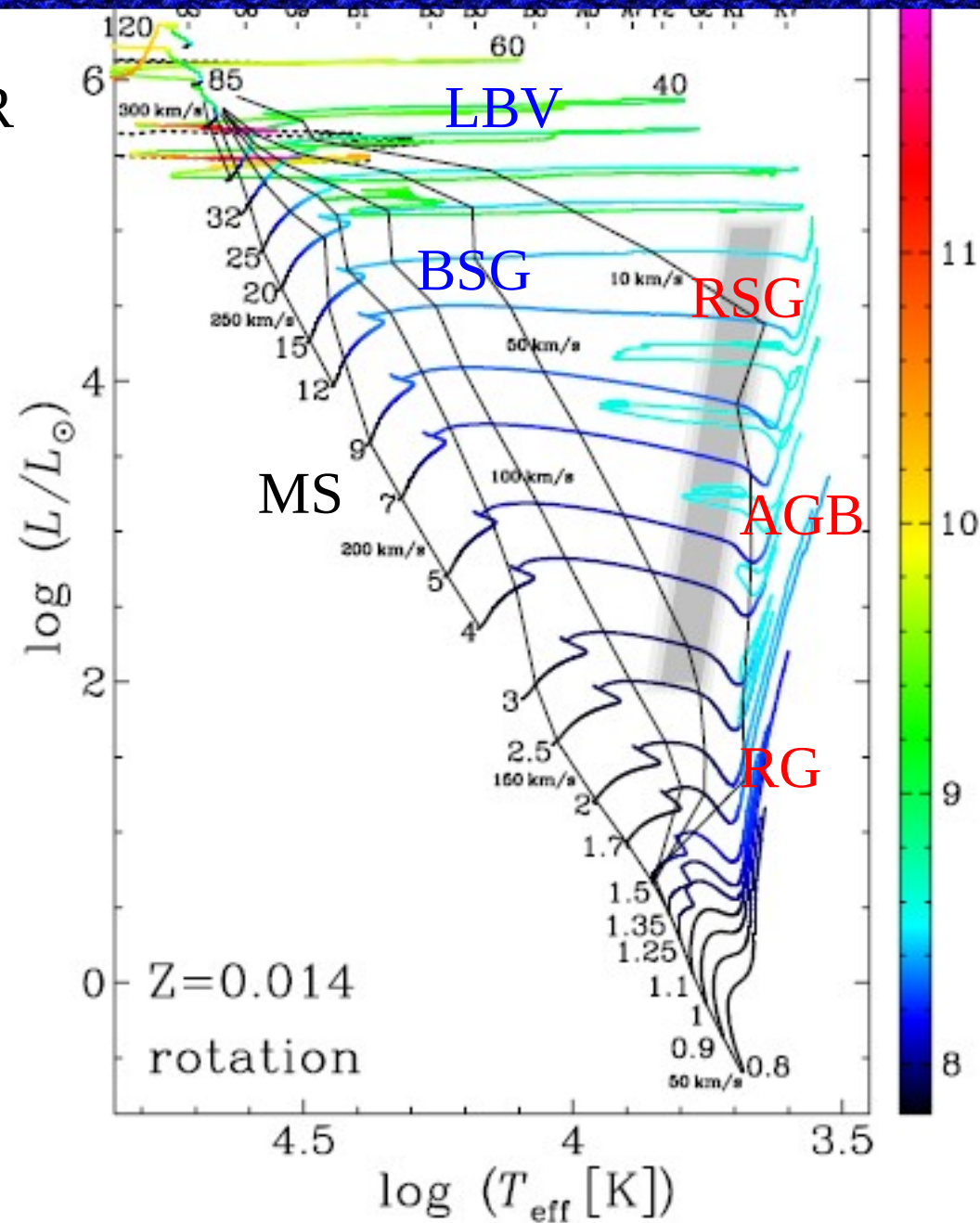
Importance of Mass Loss



Ekström et al 12, see also Chieffi & Limongi 13

Main Phases

WR



Ekstroem et al 12

Mass Loss: Types, Driving & Recipes

Mass loss driving mechanism and prescriptions at different stages:

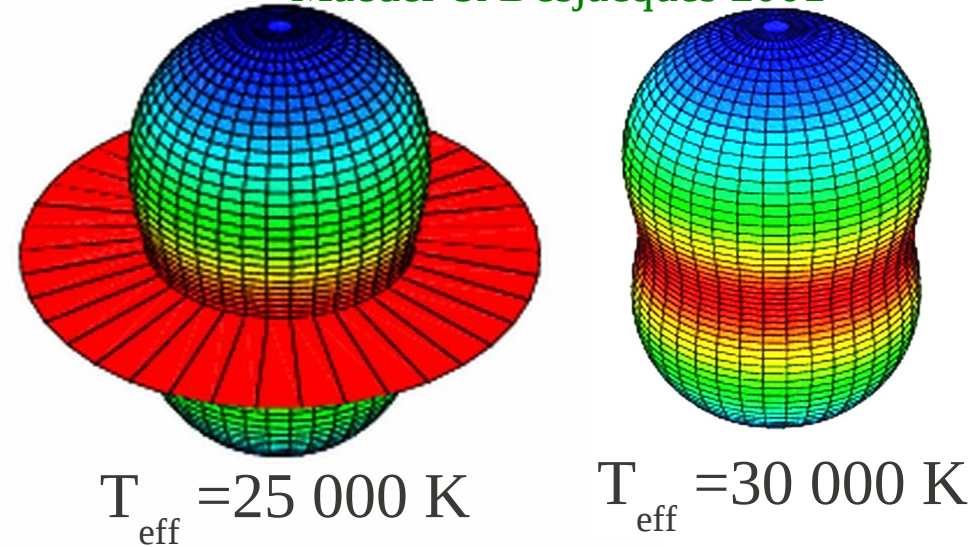
- O-type & “LBV” stars (bi-stab.): line-driven Vink et al 2000, 2001
- WR stars (clumping effect): line-driven Nugis & Lamers 2000, Gräfener & Hamann (2008)
- RSG: Pulsation/dust? de Jager et al 1988
- RG: Pulsation/dust? Reimers 1975,78, with $\eta \sim 0.5$
- AGB: Super winds? Dust Bloeker et al 1995, with $\eta \sim 0.05$
- LBV eruptions: continuous driven winds? Owocki et al
- ...

Mass Loss: Rotation Effects

- Enhancement: Maeder & Meynet 2000

$$\frac{\dot{M}(\Omega)}{\dot{M}(0)} \approx \frac{(1-\Gamma)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1}}{\left(1 - \frac{4}{9} \frac{v^2}{v_{crit,1}^2} - \Gamma\right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1}}$$

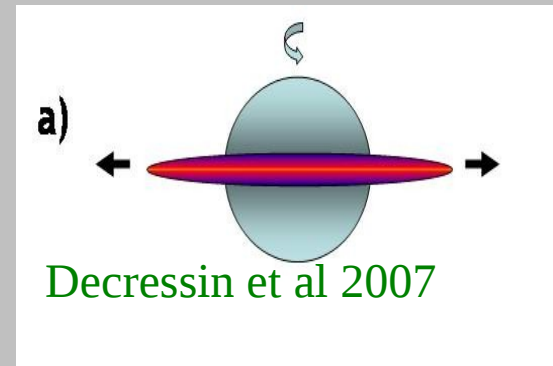
Maeder & Desjacques 2001



- & anisotropy:

$F_{\text{rad}} \sim g_{\text{eff}}$: Von Zeipel, 1924 → affects angular momentum loss

- Mechanical mass loss at critical rotation:



What changes at low Z?

- Stars are **more compact**: $R \sim R(Z_0)/4$ (lower opacities) at $Z=10^{-8}$
- Rotation at low Z: stronger shear, weaker mer. circ.
- Mass loss weaker at low Z: \rightarrow faster rotation

$$\dot{M}(Z) = \dot{M}(Z_0) \left(Z/Z_0 \right)^\alpha$$

- $\alpha = 0.5-0.6$ (Kudritzki & Puls 00, Ku02)

(Nugis & Lamers, Evans et al 05)

- $\alpha = 0.7-0.86$ (Vink et al 00,01,05)

$$Z(\text{LMC}) \sim Z_0/2.3 \Rightarrow \dot{M}/1.5 - \dot{M}/2$$

$$Z(\text{SMC}) \sim Z_0/7 \Rightarrow \dot{M}/2.6 - \dot{M}/5$$

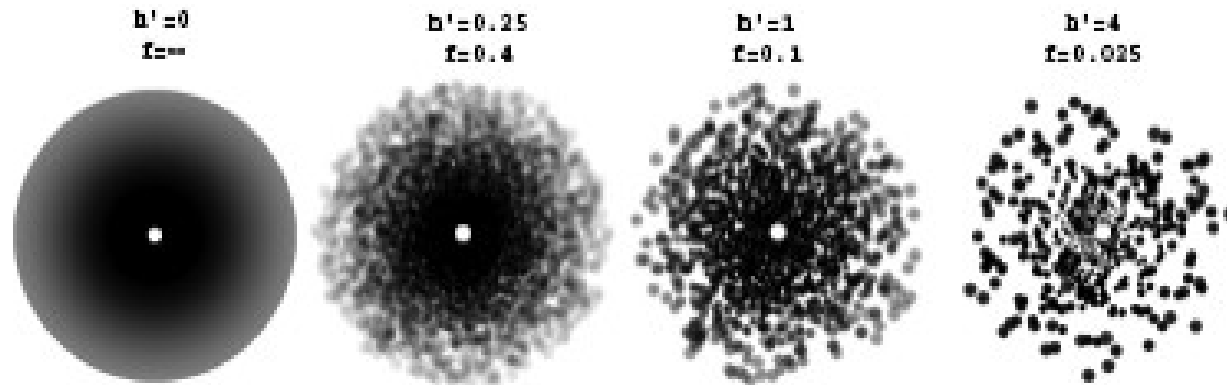
Mass loss at low Z still possible?

RSG (and LBV?): no Z-dep.; CNO? (Van Loon 05, Owocky et al)

Mechanical mass loss \leftarrow critical rotation

(e.g. Hirschi 2007, Ekstroem et al 2008, Yoon et al 2012)

CLUMPING



ρ^2

diagnostics

If wind clumped in reality but supposed to be homogeneous

Excess emission from inhomogeneities →
incorrectly interpreted as
arising from a smooth but denser medium

MASS LOSS OVERESTIMATED

Fullerton et al 05: $\dot{M}/10$

Bouret et al 05: $\dot{M}/3$ or smaller

Surlan et al 13: problem resolved?

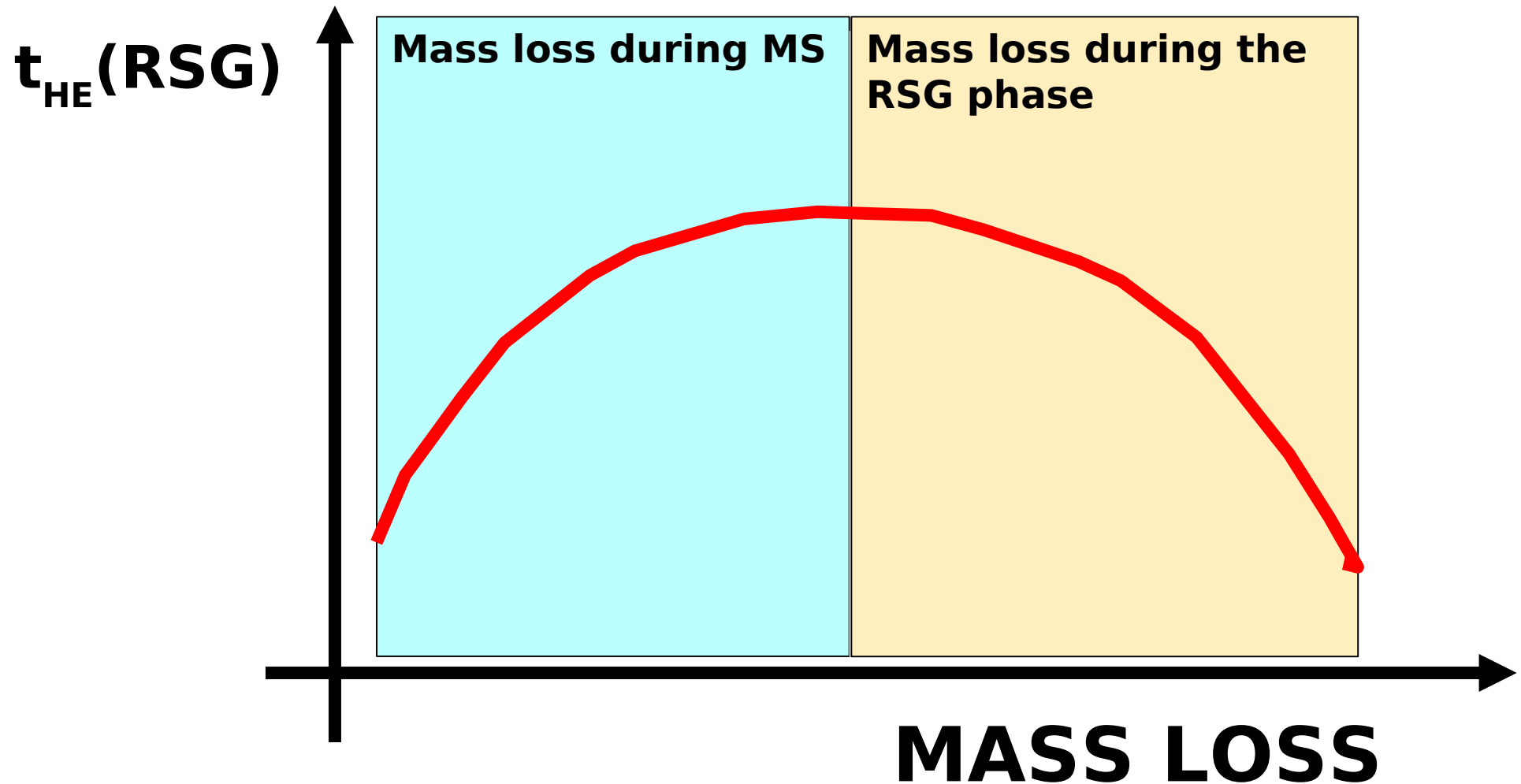
RSG/YSG/WR – SN II, IIb, Ibc

Observational constraints:

- RSG Upper Luminosity: $\text{Log} (L/L_{\text{SUN}}) \sim 5.2-5.3$
(*median value of the most 5 L_{SUN} stars*)
(Levesque et al 05)
- SNII-P $\text{Log} (L/L_{\text{SUN}}) < \sim 5.1$ (Smartt et al. 2009)
- No clear dependence on Z for these upper limit
- WR/O, RSG/BSG ratios vary with Z

CHANGE OF MASS LOSS

For a given initial mass

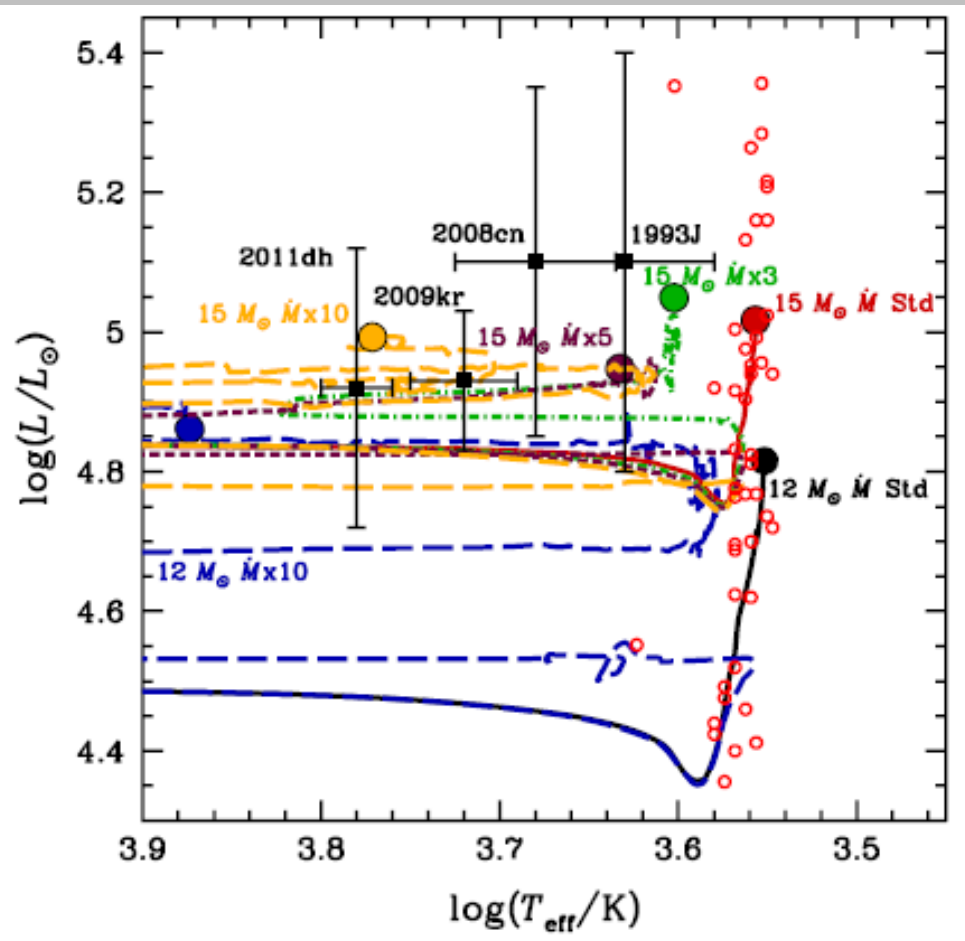
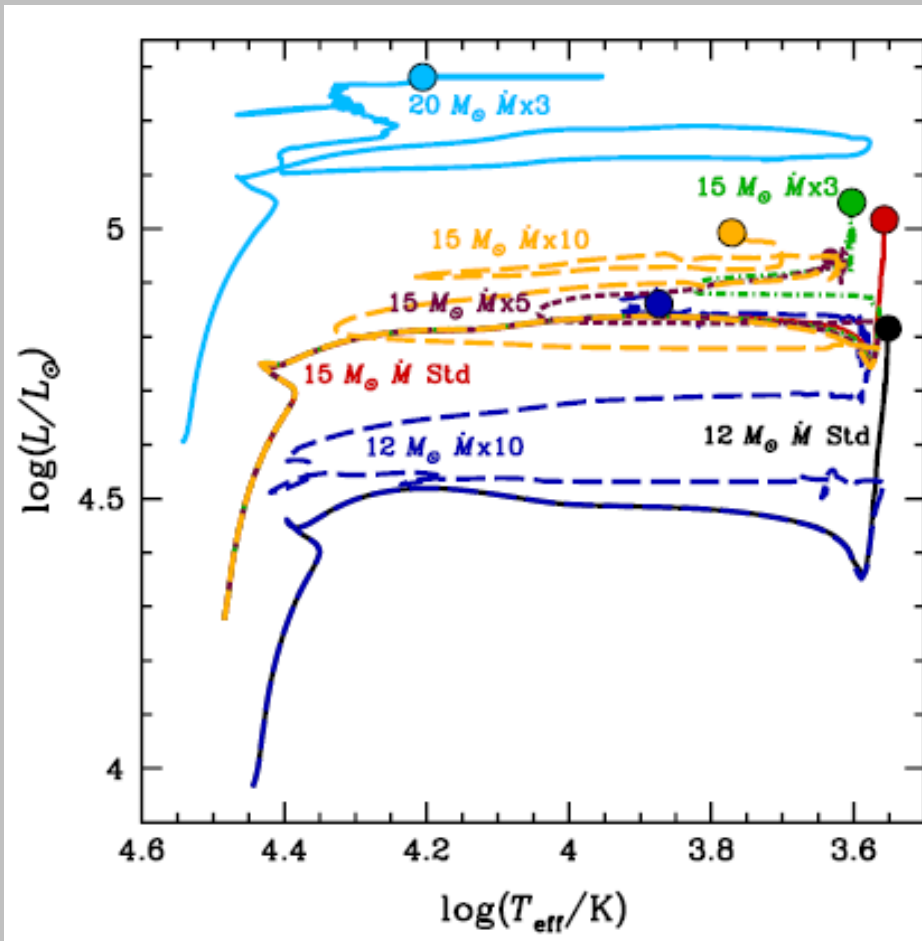


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RSG Mdot: $-\log(\text{Teff}/\text{K}) > 3.7$: de Jager et al. (1988)

$-\log(\text{Teff}/\text{K}) < 3.7$: linear fit from the data of Sylvester et al. (1998) and van Loon et al. (1999) (see Crowther 2001)

$$\dot{M} = -1.479 \times 10^{-14} \times \left(\frac{L}{L_{\odot}}\right)^{1.7}$$



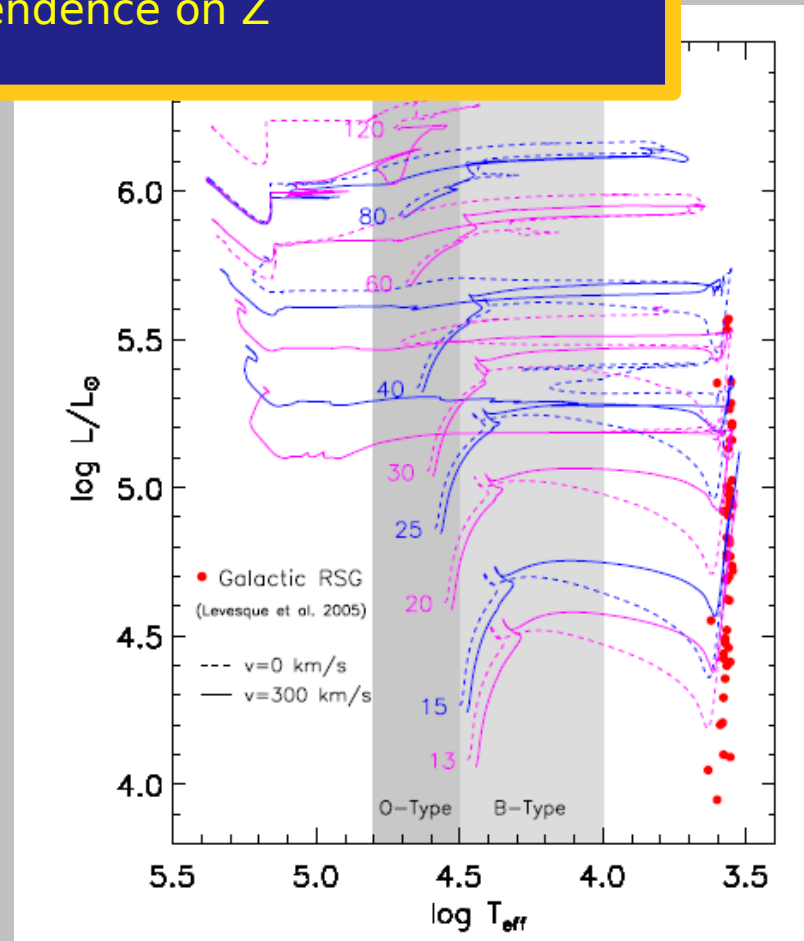
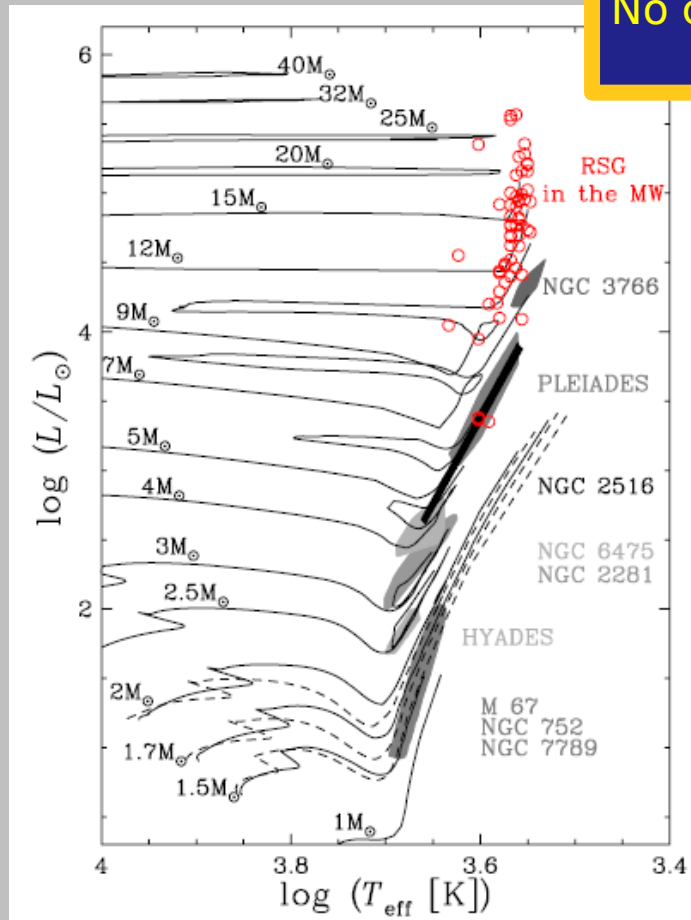
Models: Georgy 12 (see also Eldridge et al 13)

Super-Eddington layers \rightarrow increased Mdot (see Ekstroem et al 13)

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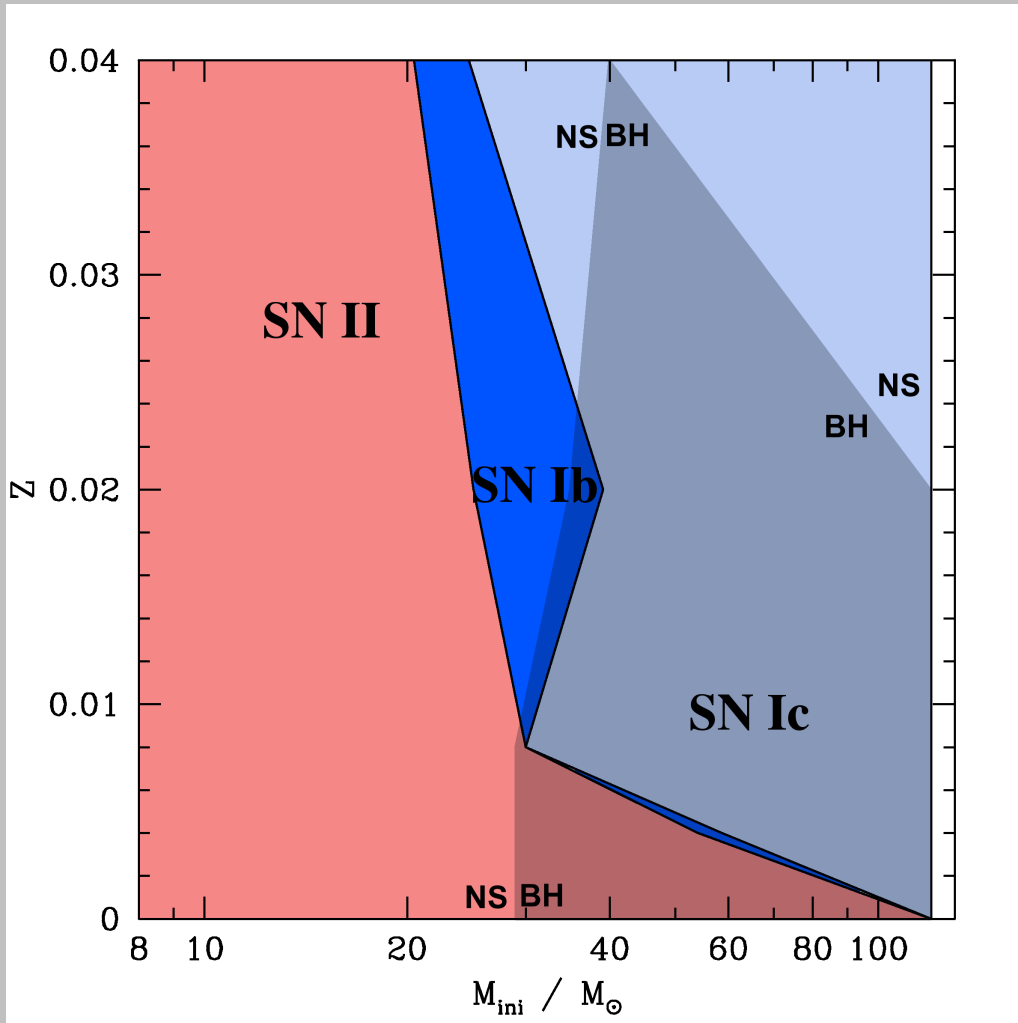


- Tracks: Ekstroem et al 12
- grey areas: obs. See MM89
- red circles: Levesque et al 05

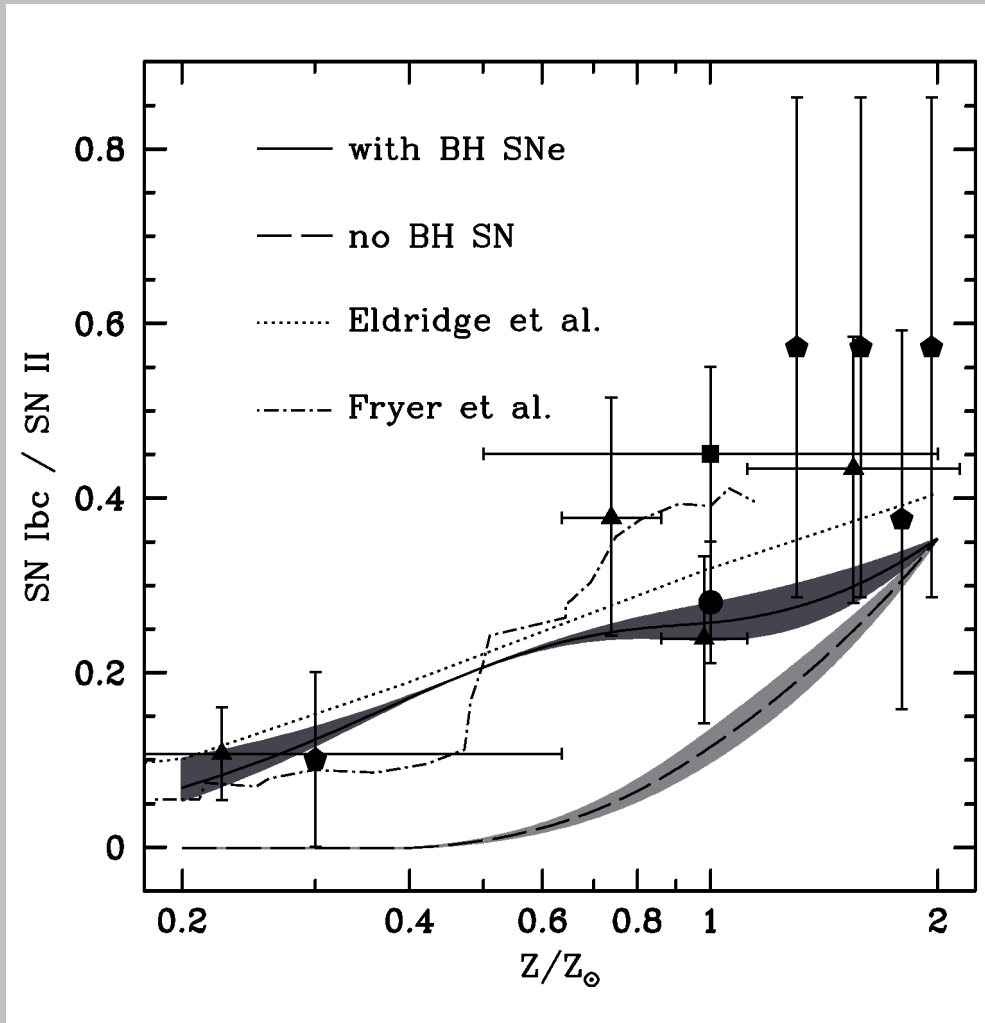
- Tracks: Chieffi & Limongi 13 (CL13)

Final stages & SN type

Ratio **SN Ibc/SN II**: tests final type



Georgy et al 09



- THEORY: Georgy et al 09 (solid line)
- binaries: Eldridge et al 08 (dotted)
- OBS: Prantzos & Boissier 03 (triangles)
- Prieto et al 08 (pentagons)

The fate of VMS ($M > 100 M_{\odot}$): PCSN/BH/CCSN?

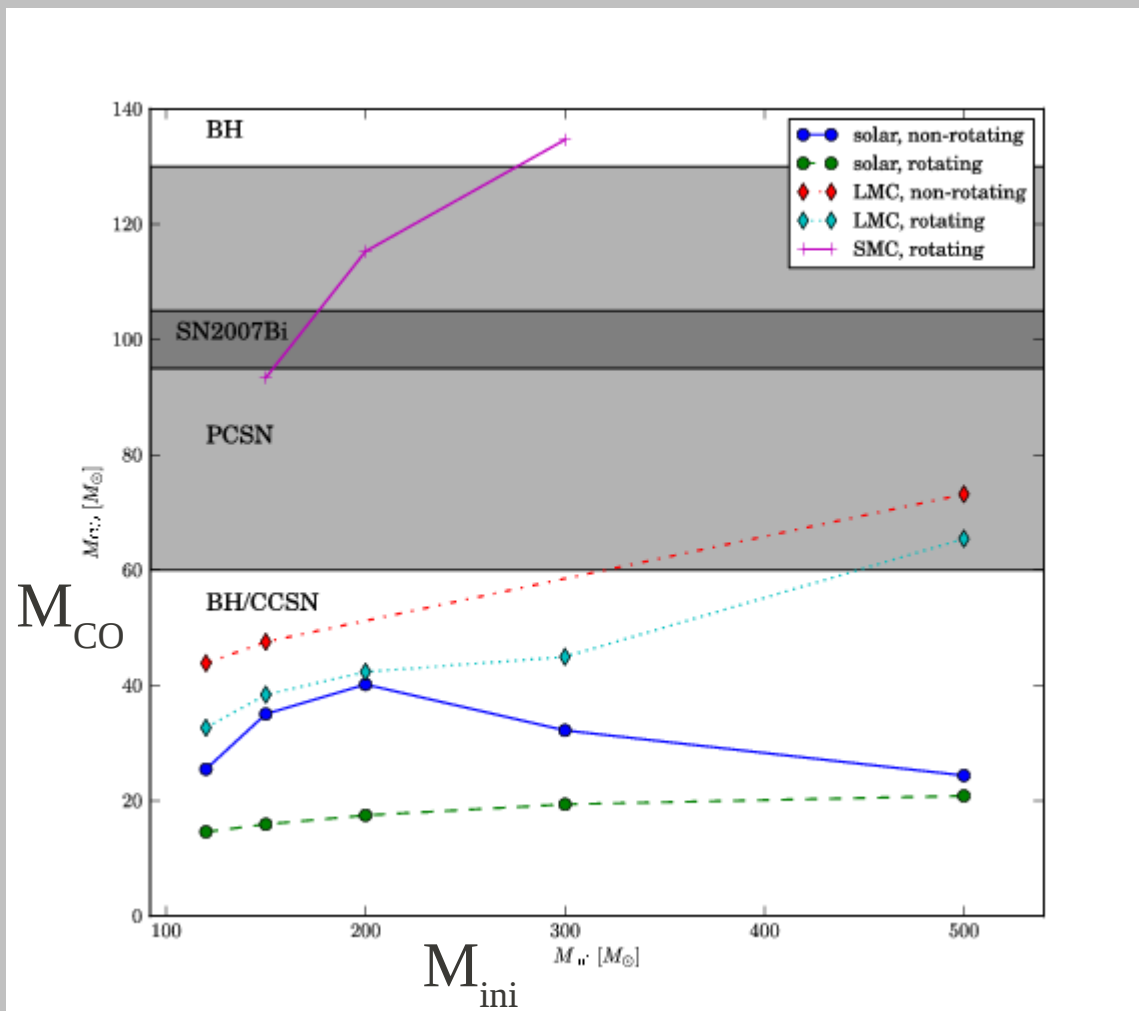
new $M_{\max} = 320 M_{\odot}$! (R136a1, see Crowther et al 10, MNRAS)

Z_{solar} : no PCSN

(Rotating) models with $Z < Z(\text{LMC})$ lose less mass,

and enter the PCSN instability region!

BUT mass loss uncertain!



PCSN range from Heger & Woosley (2002)

Consistent with Langer et al (2007): PCSN for $Z < Z_{\odot}/3$

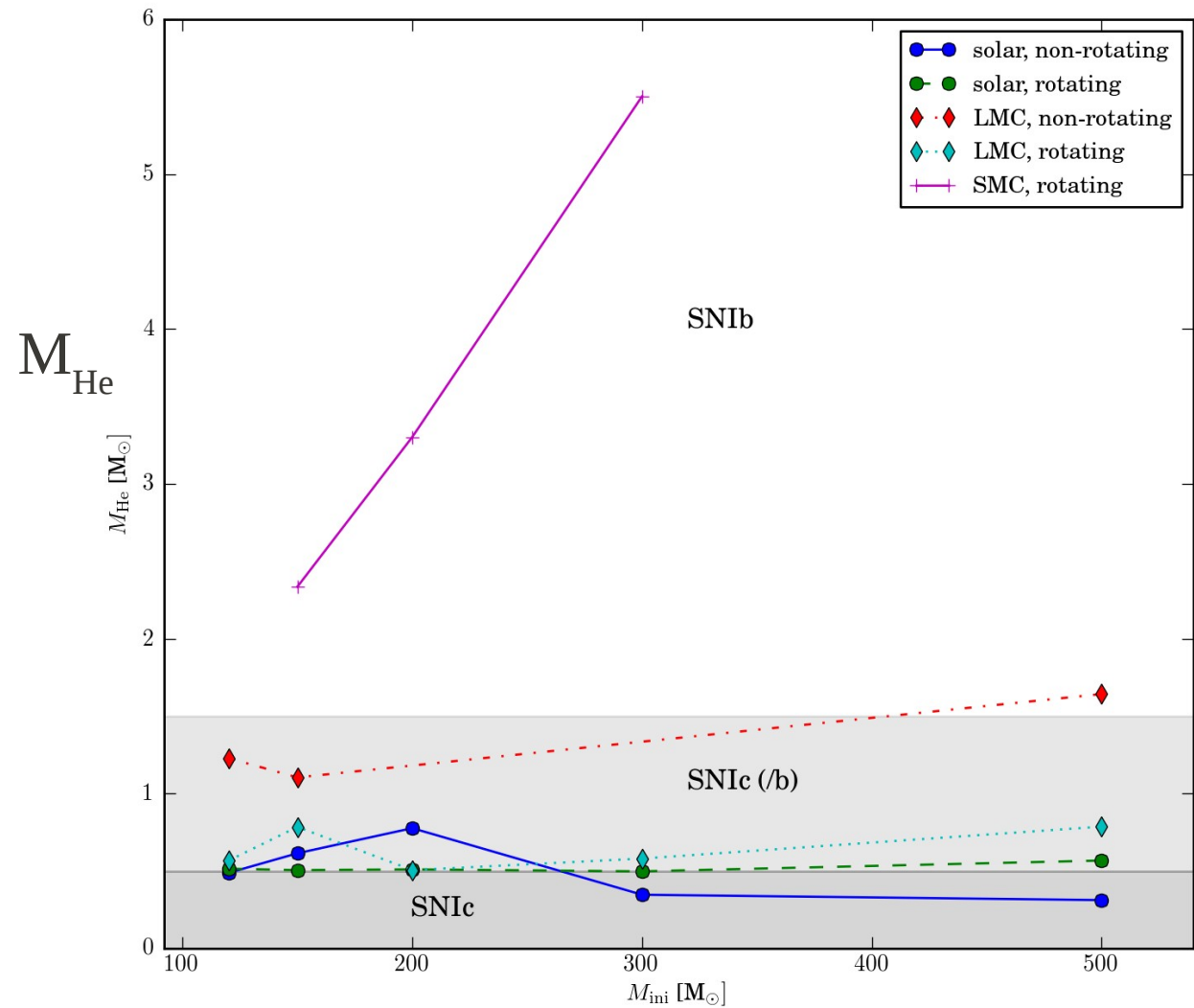
The fate of VMS: SN_{II}/SN_{Ib-c} ?

SN type:

- SNIc at solar Z,

- SNIb/c at Z(SMC)
~ ok for SN2007bi
(Gal-Yam 2009)

- **NO SNIIn predicted!**
~ **NOT ok for SN2006gy**
(e.g. Woosley et al
2007)

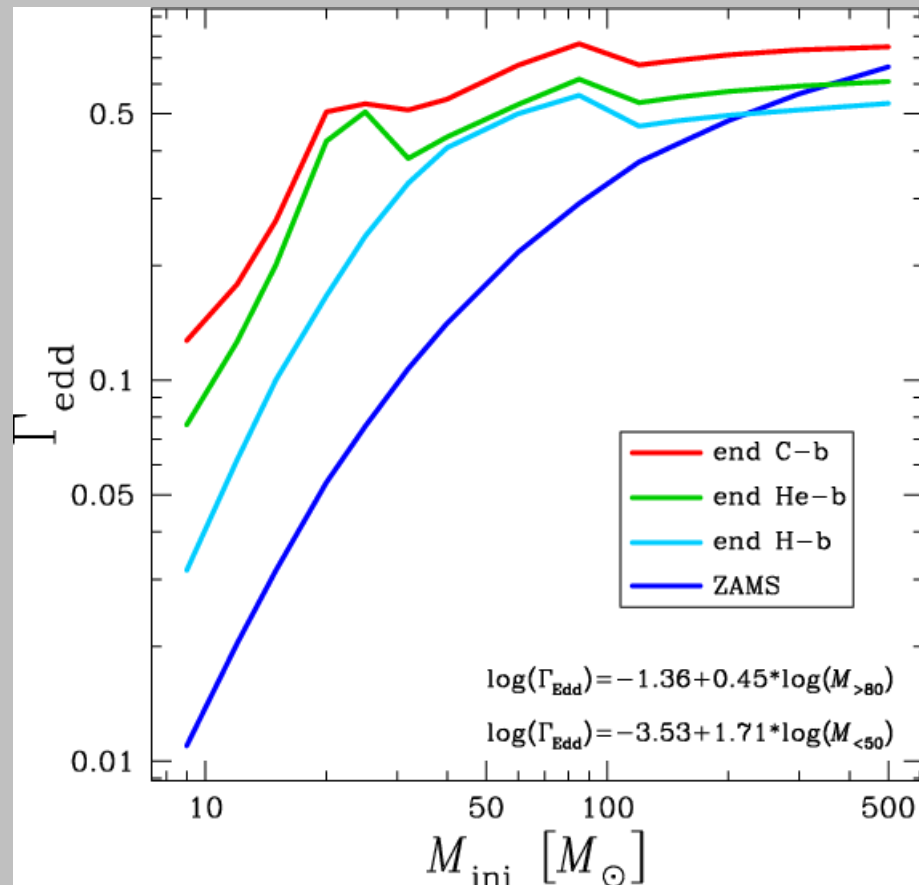


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Proximity to the Eddington Limit

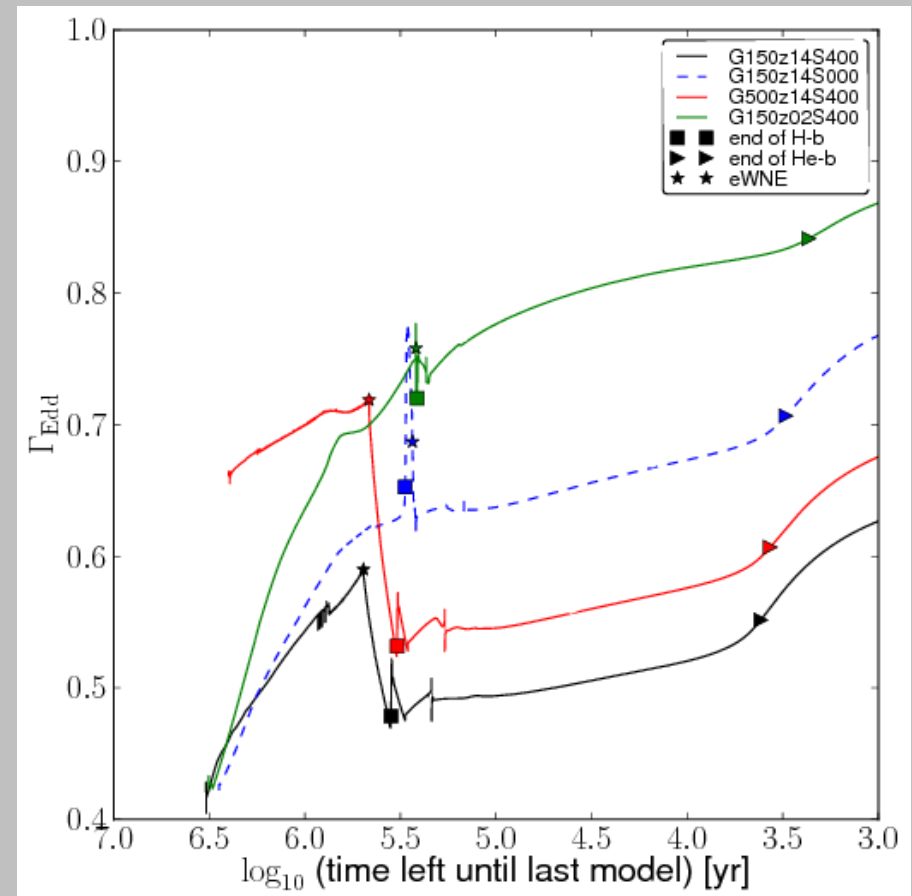
Solar Z:

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Stars never reach $\Gamma_{\text{Edd}} = 1$
 ← strong Mdot

Time evolution:

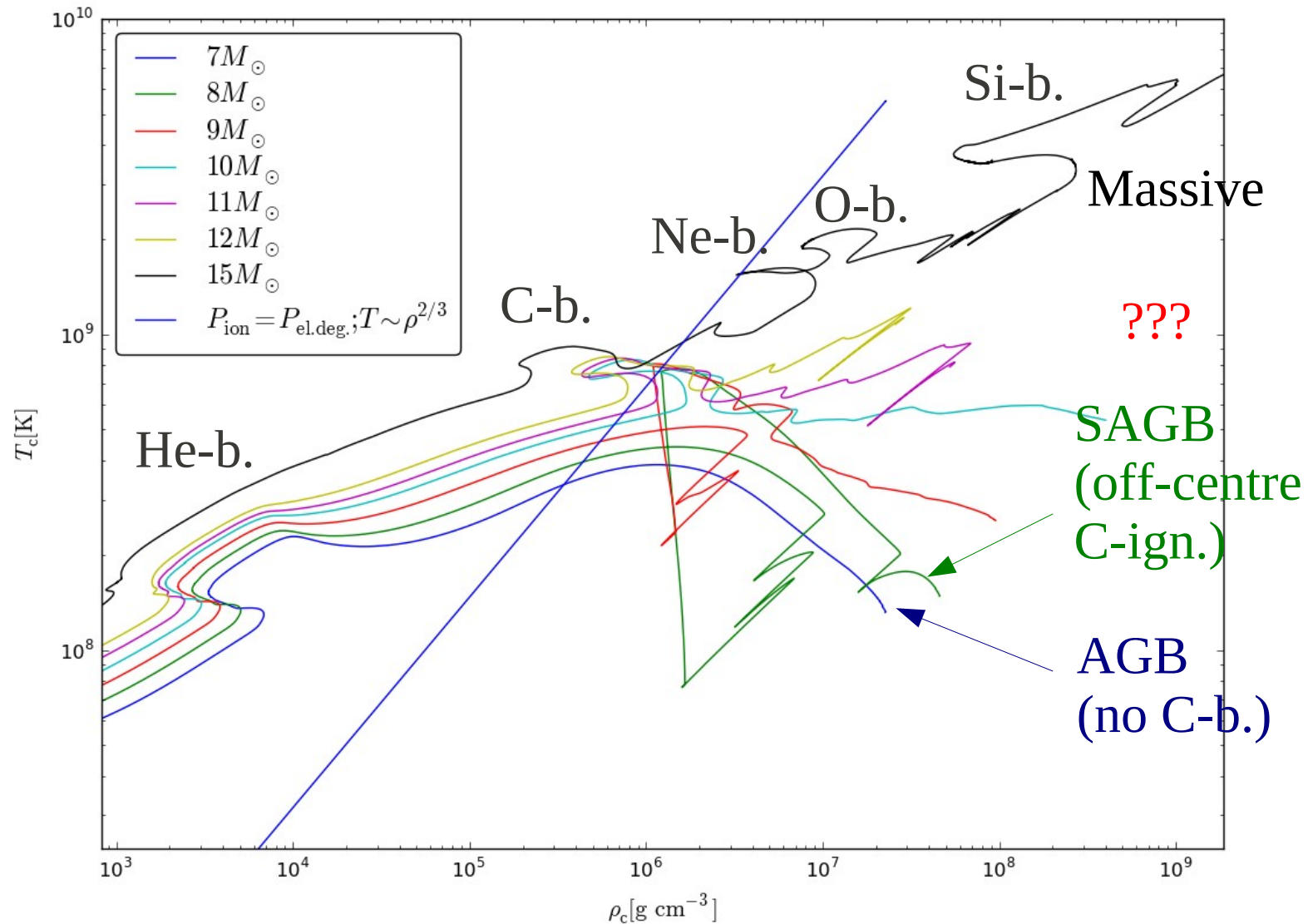


$\Gamma_{\text{Edd}} \rightarrow 1$ just before collapse
 Possible LBV-type Mdot in WR stars?

Massive/AGB Stars Transition

7-15 M_{\odot} models ← MESA stellar evolution code: <http://mesa.sourceforge.net/>

Paxton et al 10,12



SAGB & ECSN progenitors

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Dep. on Mdot ↔ mixing

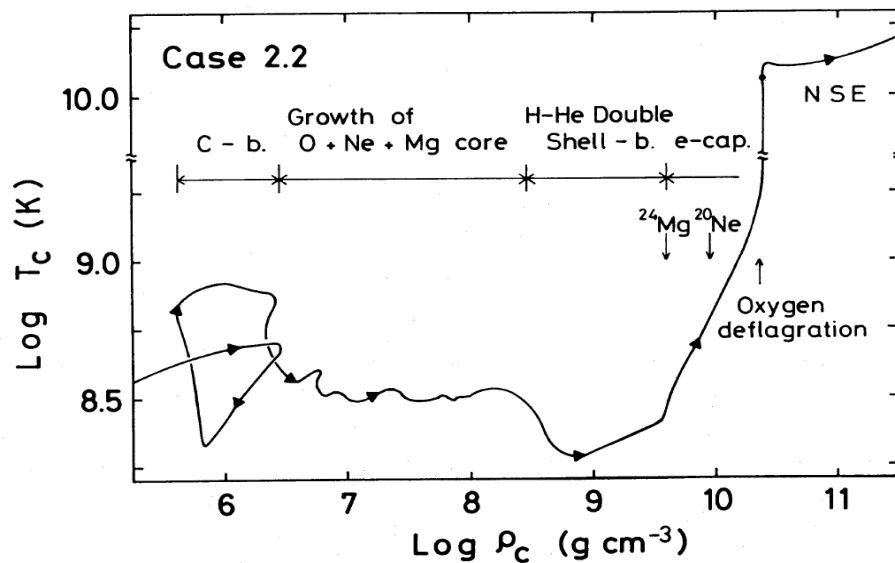
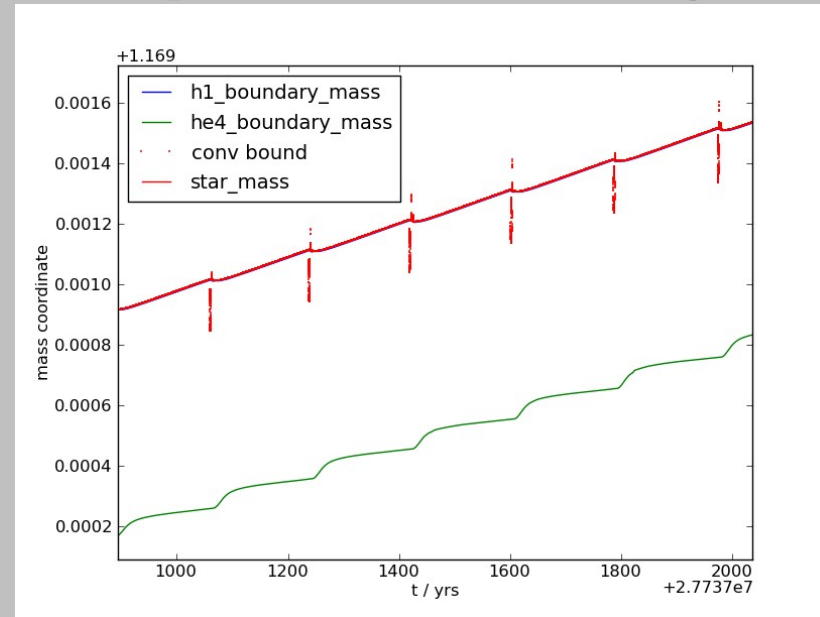
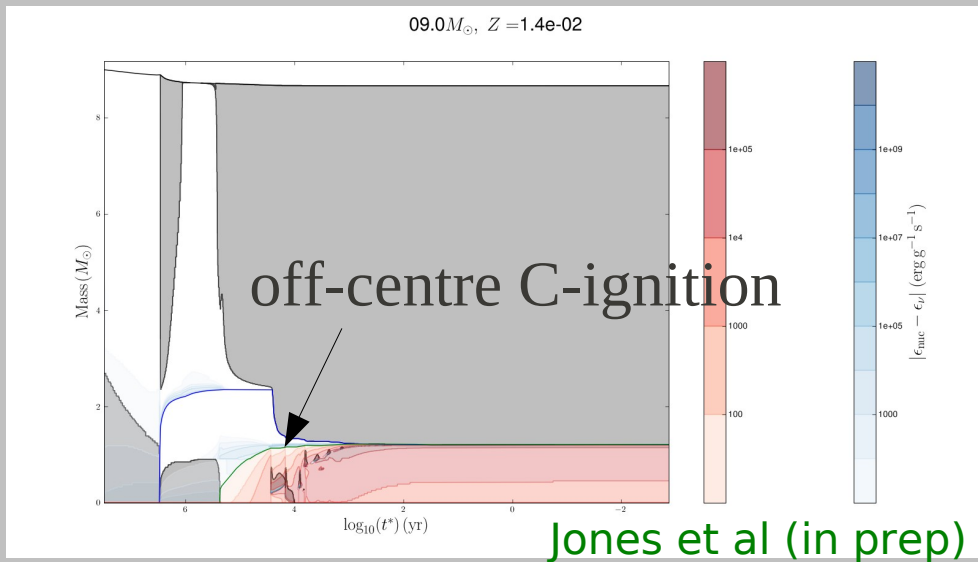
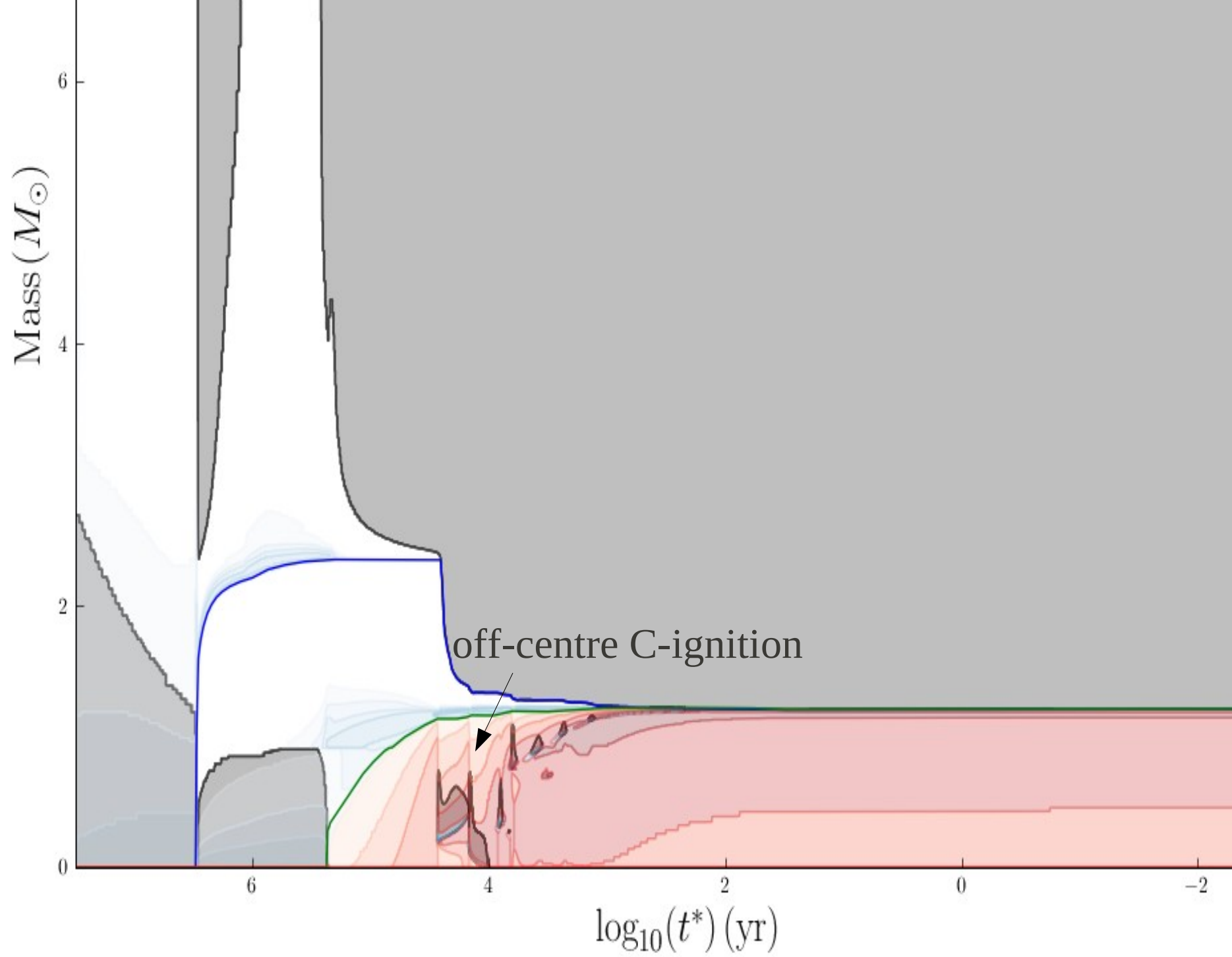


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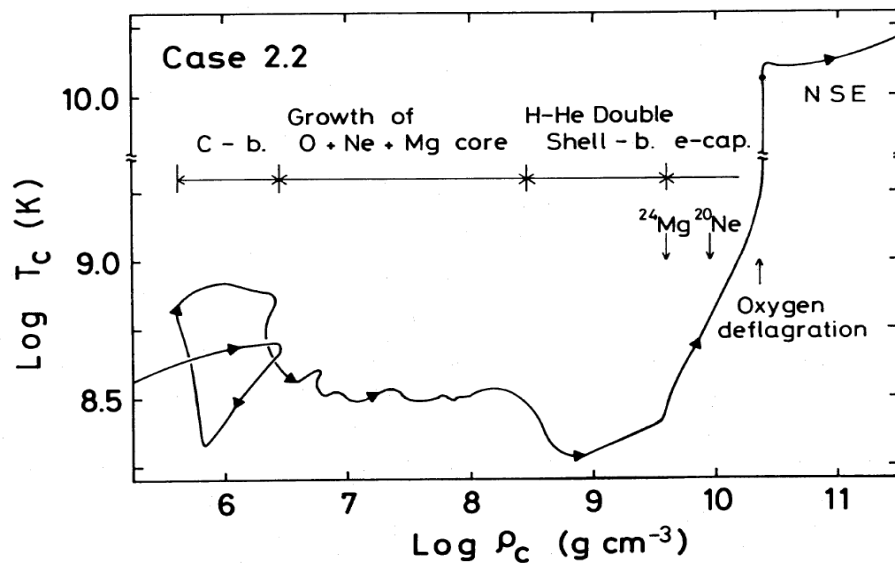
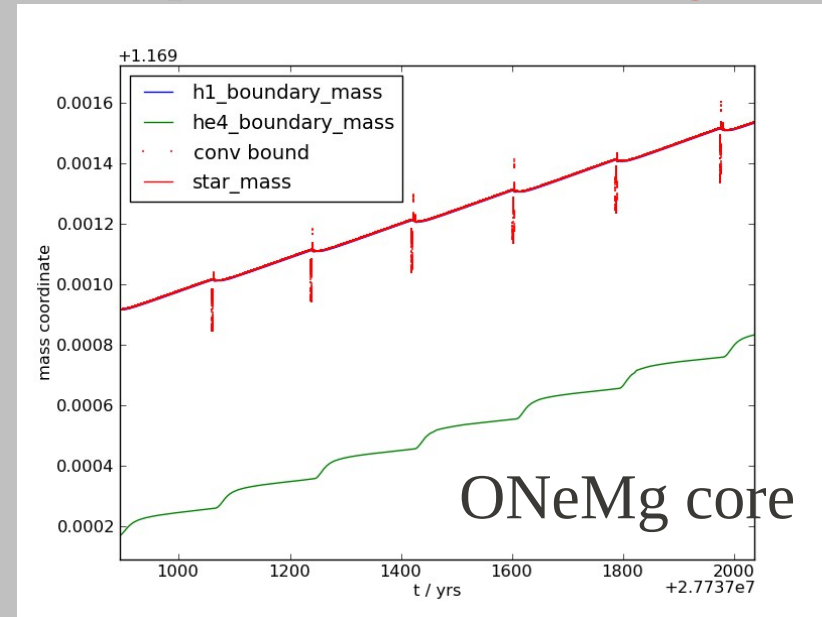
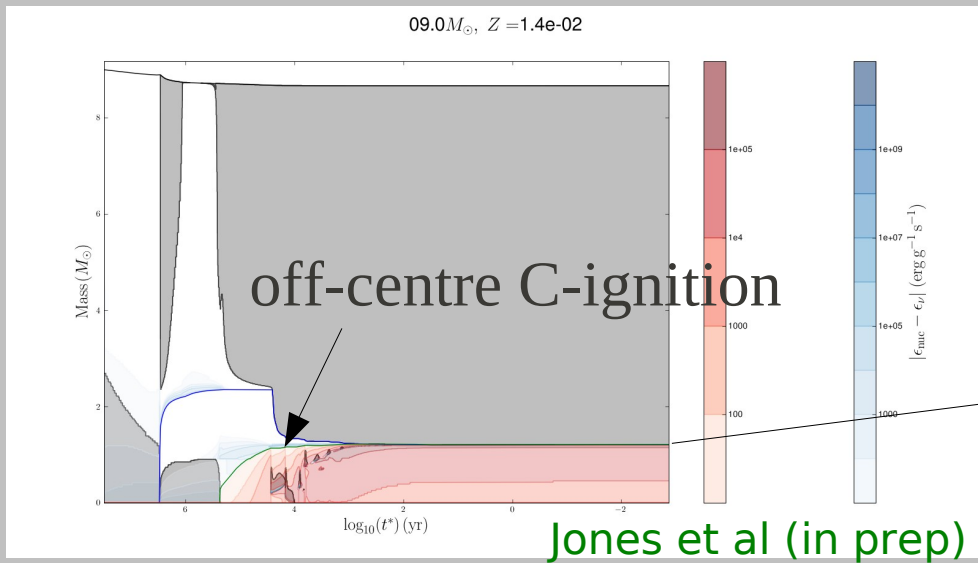
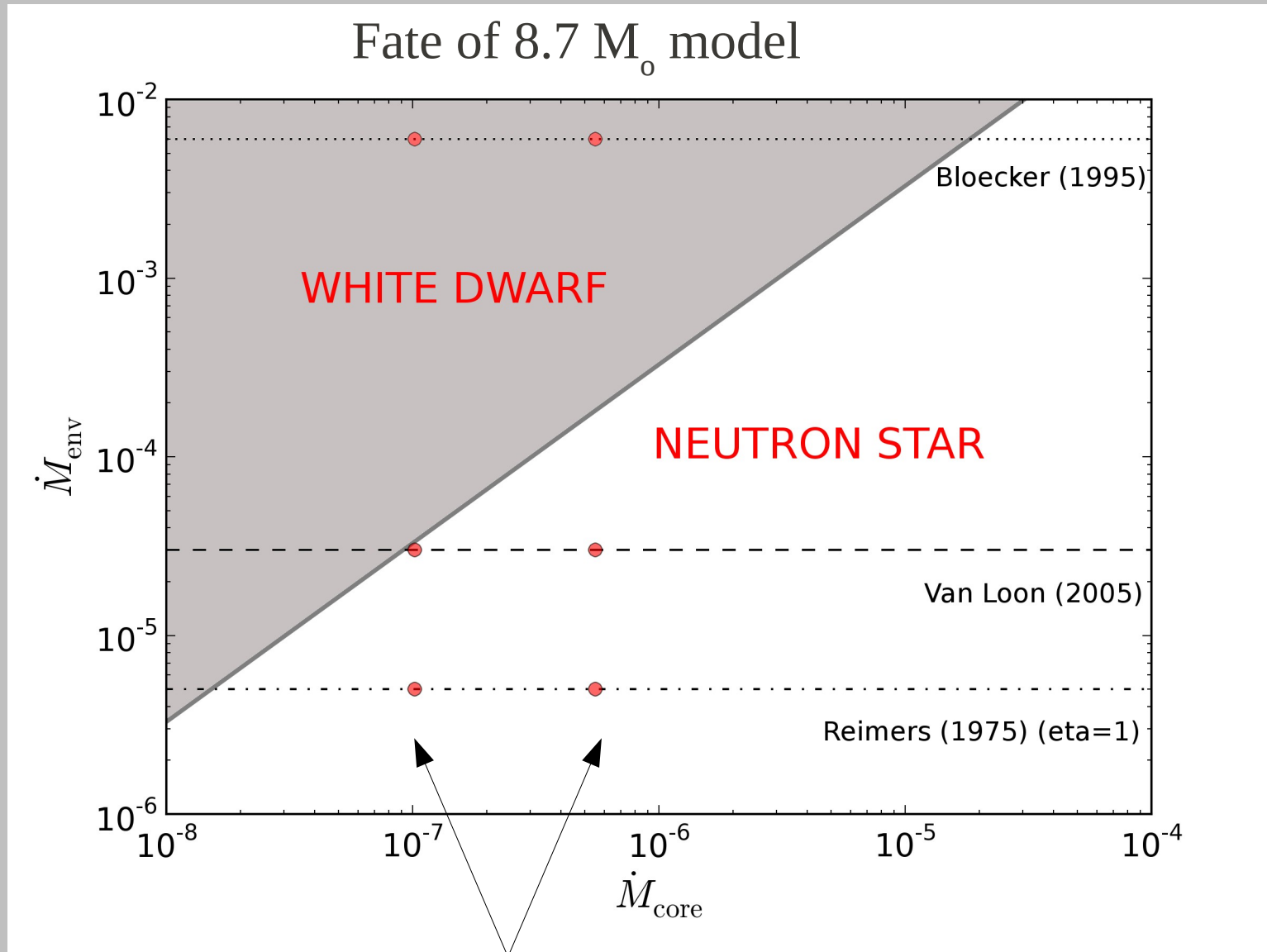


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Impact of Mass Loss



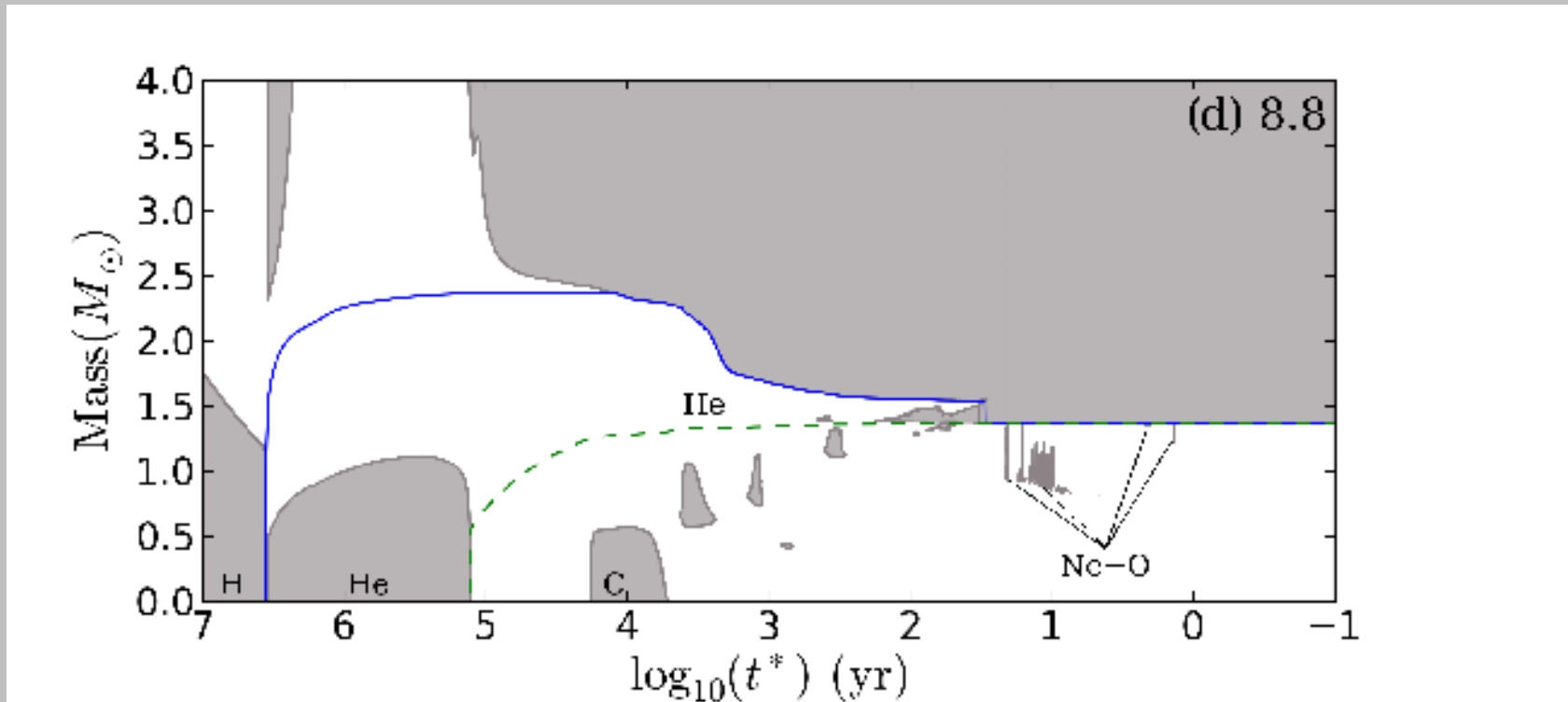
High/low 3rd dredge-up efficiency, respectively

Jones et al (in prog.)

Hard to produce ECSN with Bloecker \dot{M}_{dot} !

Can Massive Stars produce ECSN?

8.8 M_{\odot} failed massive star:



Ne-b. starts off-centre but does not reach the centre.

MESA \rightarrow Oxygen deflagration

Agile-Bolztran for collapse + explosion **Fischer et al (in prep)**

Fate: ECSN

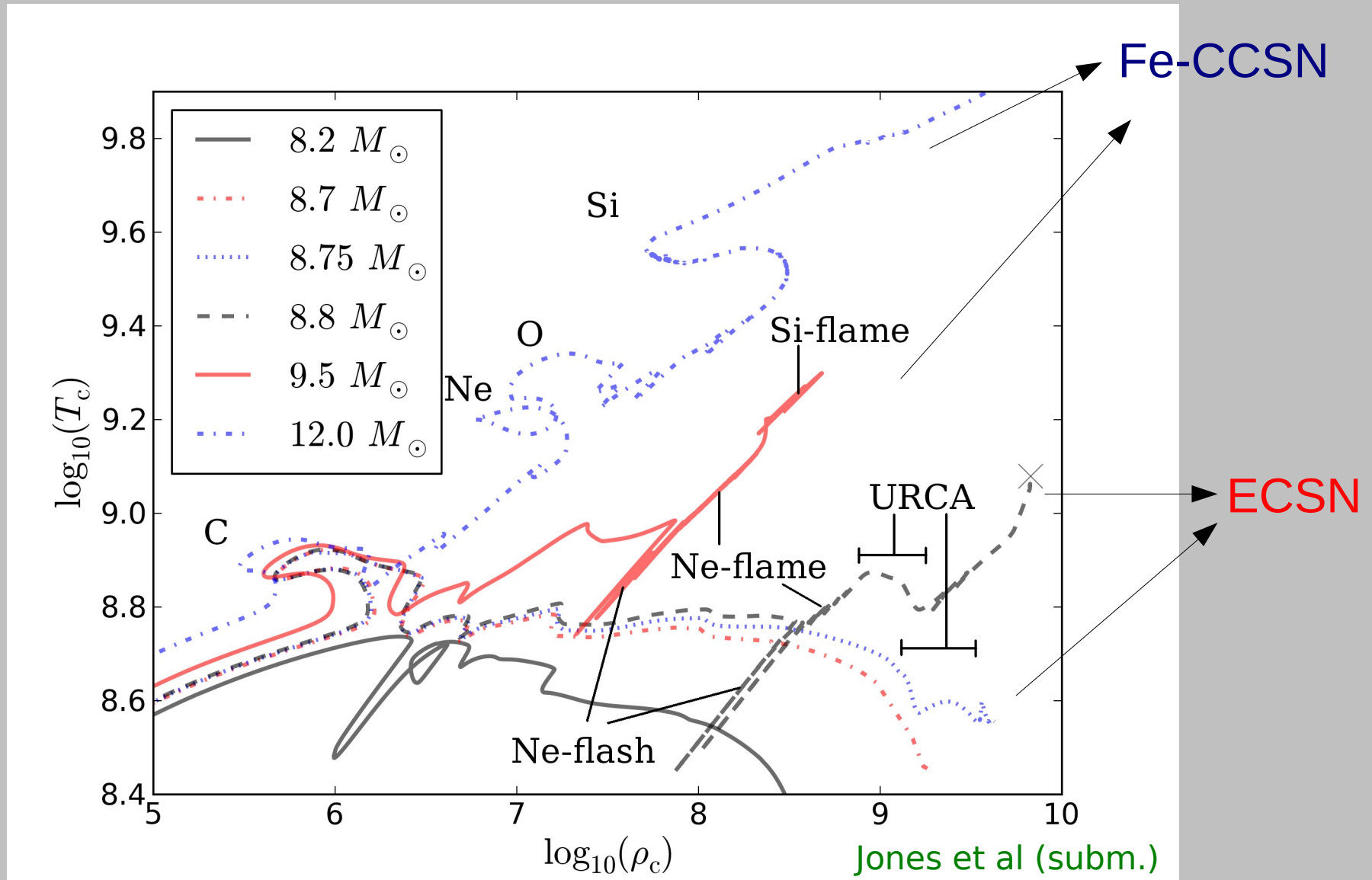
Jones et al (subm.)

See also Nomoto 84: case 2.6

Timmes et al 92,94

Eldridge & Tout 04

Fate of Least-Massive MS: ECASN/Fe-CCSN?



Both SAGB and failed massive stars may produce ECASN

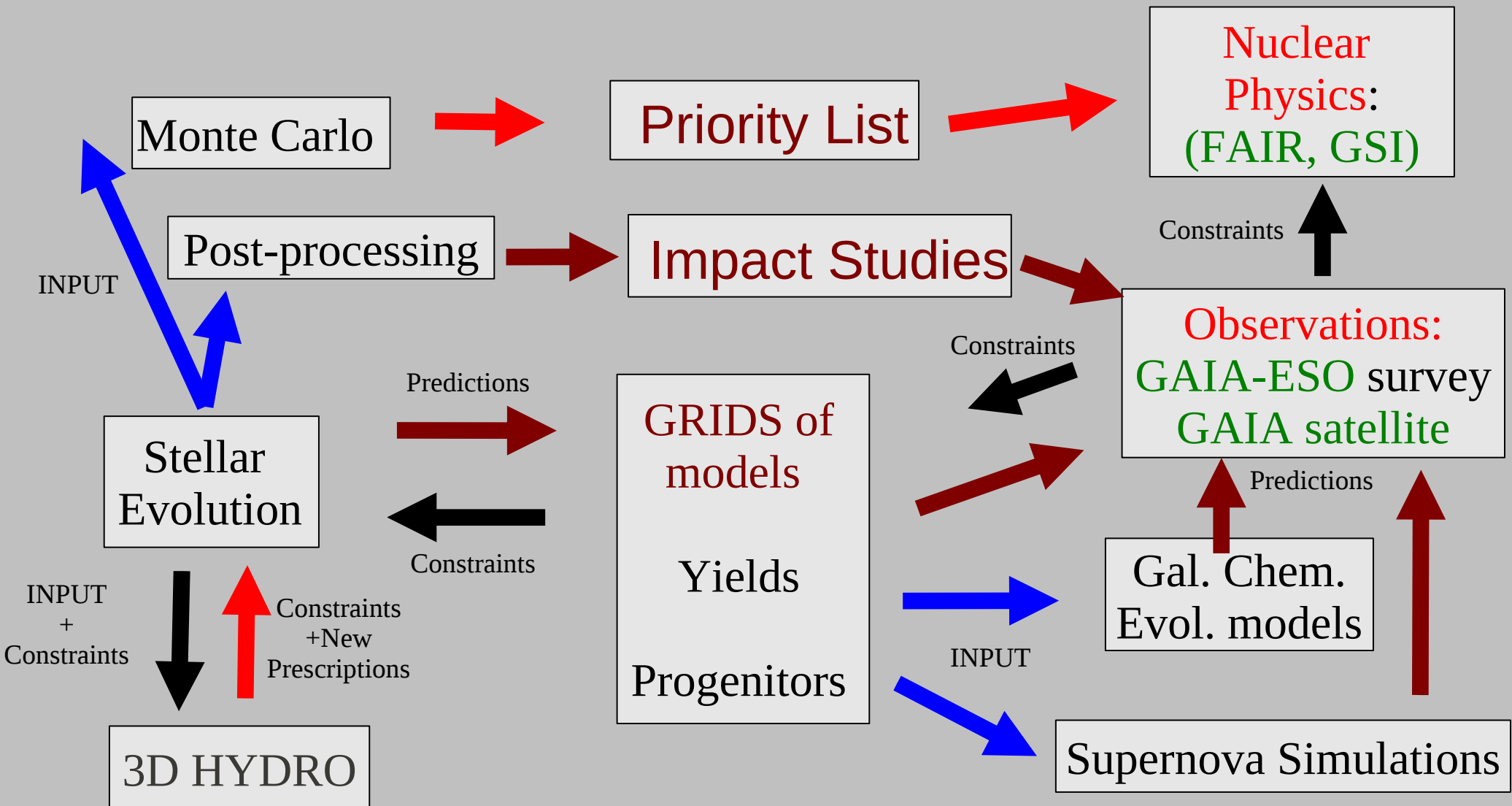
Conclusions

- Mass loss crucial for evolution of massive stars!
- \dot{M} depends on phase, ROT, Z
- RSG \dot{M} uncertain, probably higher than previously thought
 - mass limit for RSG, WR, SNII
- LBV/RSG: Z-dep uncertain
- PCSN may occur for $Z < Z_{\text{LMC}}$
- PCSN would be SNIb/c, not SNIIn! SN2007bi ok; SN2006gy X
- ECSN: progenitor mass range study underway and promising
- Failed massive star is a possible new channel for ECSN

Stellar Hydrodynamics Nucleosynthesis & Evolution (SHYNE) Project

ERC Starting grant: 5 year; 2 Postdocs; 2 PhDs; 1000+ CPU cluster

TOOL SUITE → DATASETS → IMPACT

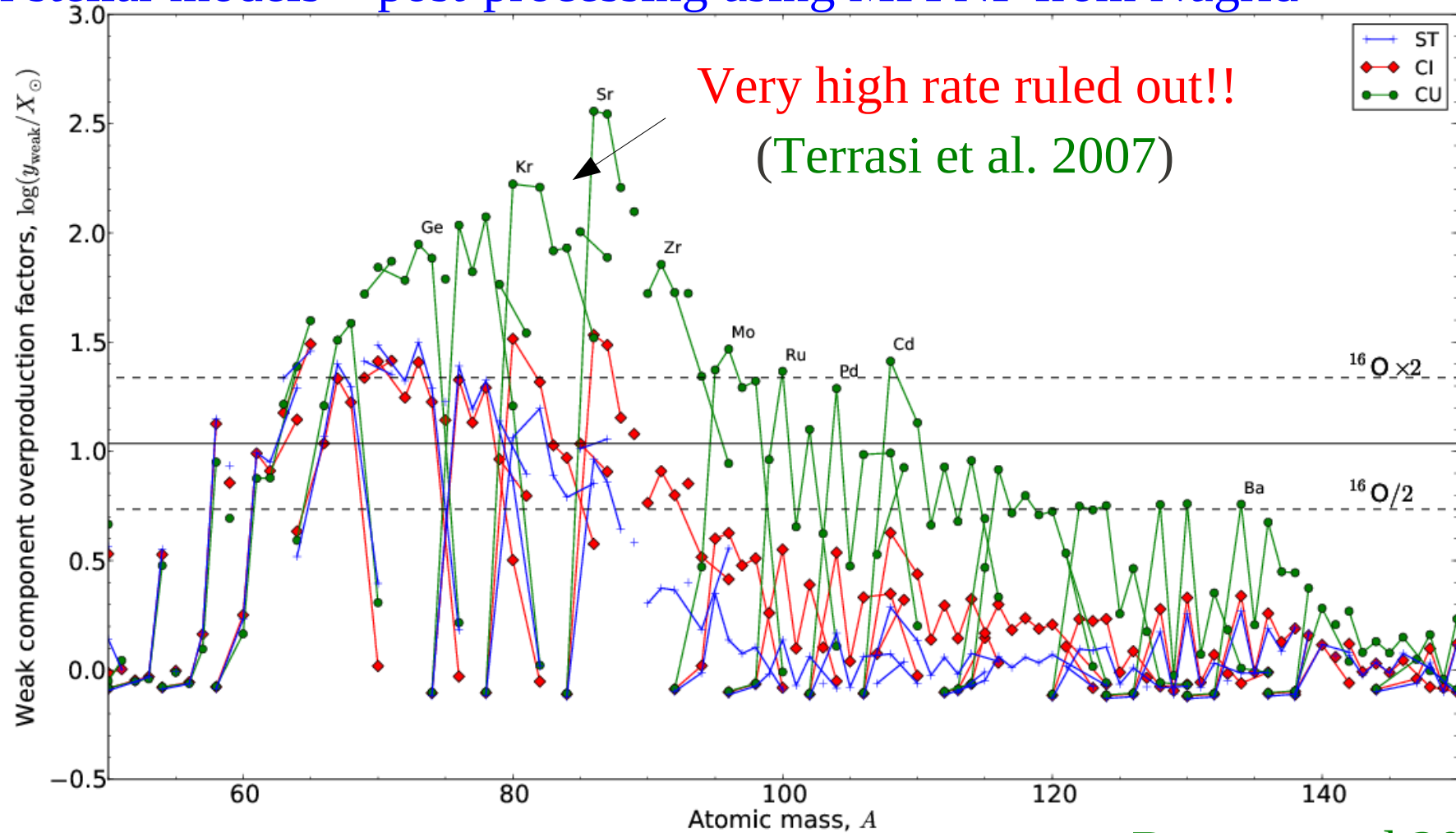


• Efficient pipeline: nuclear/hydro/astro

Constraining Nuclear Physics with Stellar Evolution:

$^{12}\text{C}-^{12}\text{C}$ rate, 3α

- Full stellar models + post-processing using MPPNP from Nugrid



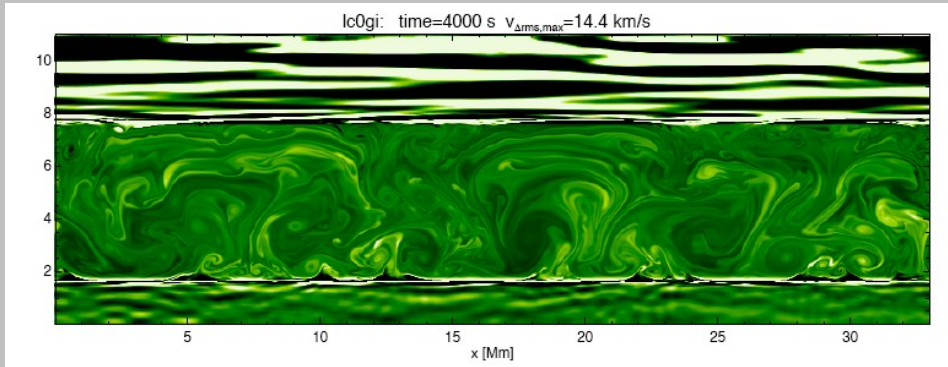
Bennett et al 2011

See Suda et al 2011 for a study constraining 3α reaction

Nugrid collaboration, see <http://www.nugridstars.org/>

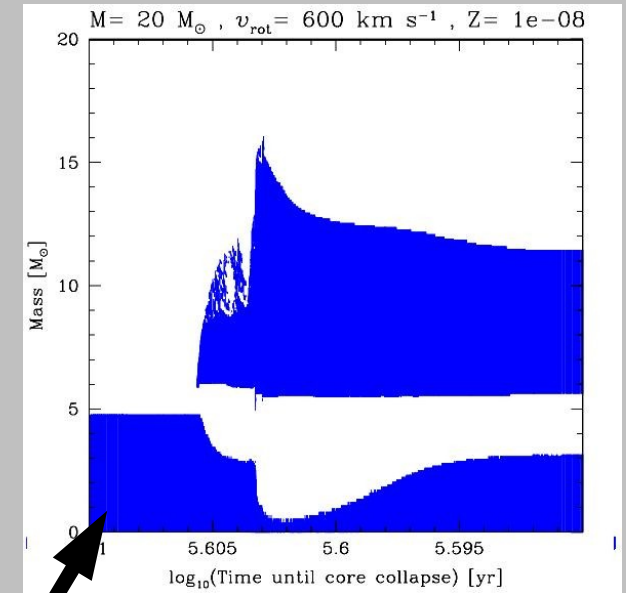
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3D simulations

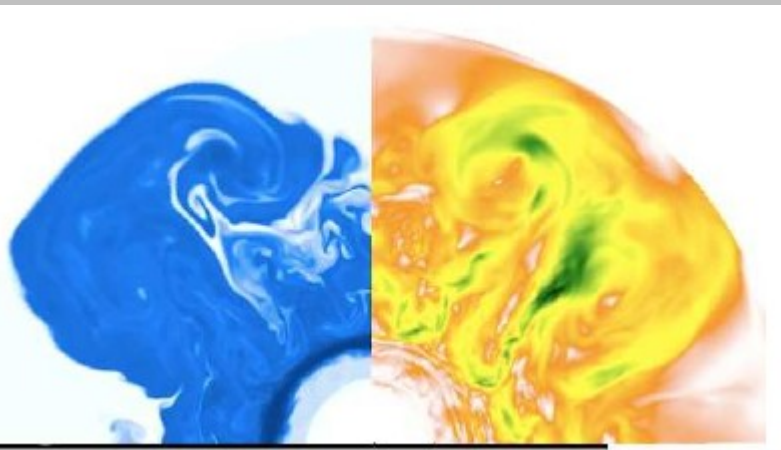


Herwig et al 06

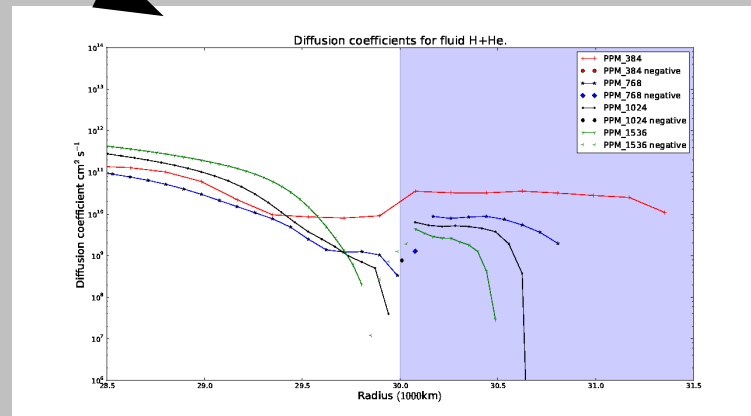
Uncertainties in 1D



e.g. Hirschi 07



e.g. Arnett & Meakin 2011
Mocak et al 2011, ...



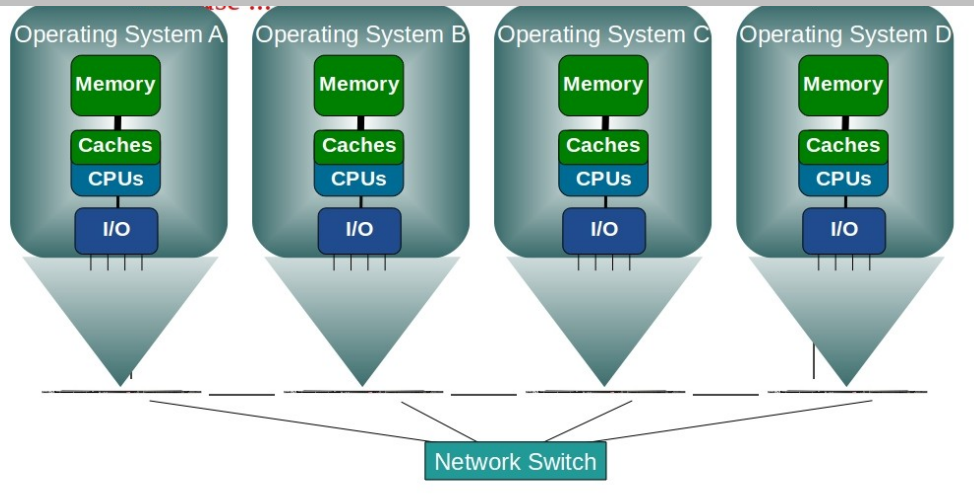
Meakin et al 2009 ; Bennett et al in prep

Determine effective diffusion (advection?) coefficient

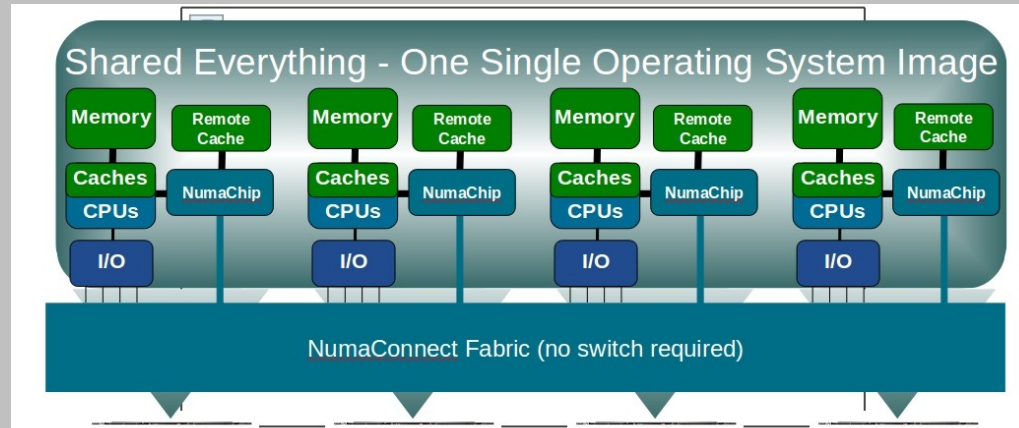
Link with Industry

numascale

Norwegian HPC company



FROM: distributed memory clusters



TO: scalable shared memory clusters

For the same cost!

- Super-desktop: single OS, 288 CPUs, RAM 576 GB
- Large scale: better balance between shared/distributed memory