

Neutrinos in supernovae and binary neutron star mergers

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Outline

- Core-collapse supernovae and neutrinos
 - neutrino emission
 - neutrino interaction and flavor oscillations
 - what can we probe with SN neutrinos?

[see yesterday (June 2)'s talk on DSNB by Andrew Mastbaum]

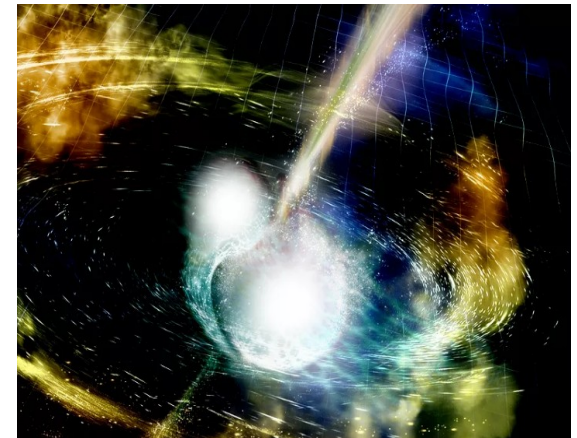
- Neutrinos in binary neutron star mergers
 - flavor oscillations and their impact
- Summary



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(From AAO website)

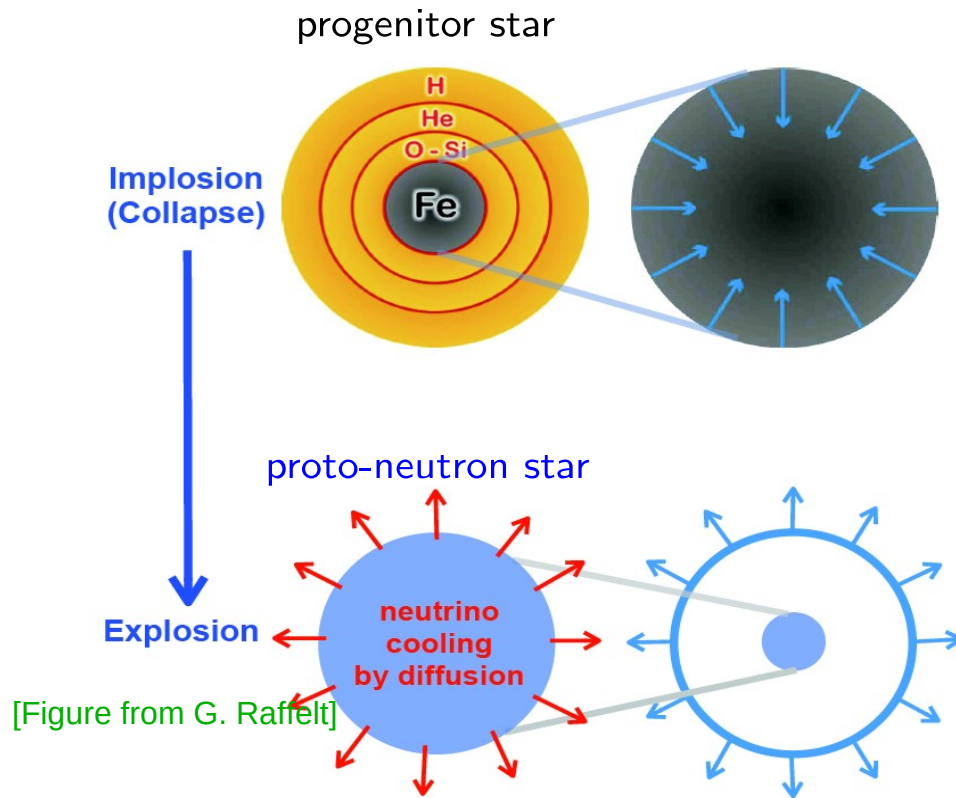
core-collapse supernovae



(From LIGO website)

NS–NS (BH) mergers

Core-collapse supernovae – turning implosion into explosion



$$M_{\text{Fe,core}} \approx 1.4 M_{\odot}$$

$$R_{\text{Fe,core}} \approx 3000 \text{ km}$$

$$\rho_c \approx 10^9 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$$

$$T_c \approx 10^{10} \text{ K} \sim 1 \text{ MeV}$$

$$M_{\text{PNS}} \approx 1.4 M_{\odot}$$

$$R_{\text{PNS}} \approx 15\text{--}50 \text{ km}$$

$$\rho_c \approx 3 \times 10^{14} \text{ g cm}^{-3}$$

$$T_c \approx 30 \text{ MeV}$$

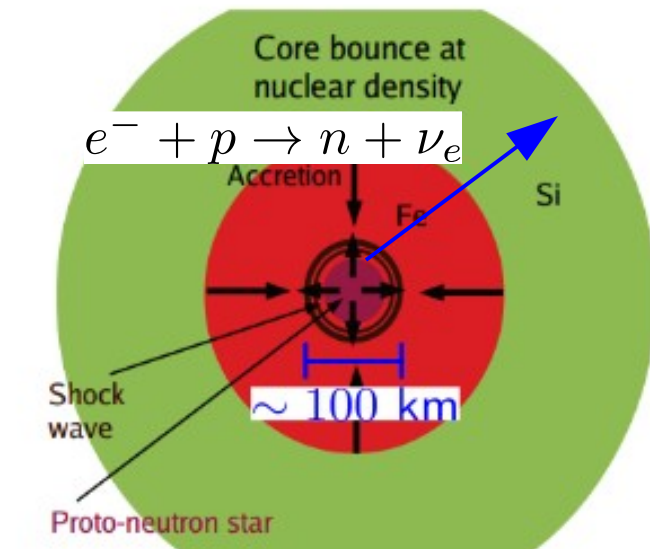
$$E_{\text{grav}} \sim \frac{GM_{\text{PNS}}^2}{R_{\text{PNS}}} \sim 10^{53} \text{ erg, radiated mostly by } \sim 10^{58} \nu\text{'s in } \sim 10 \text{ seconds}$$

→ ~ 20 events from SN1987a at LMC

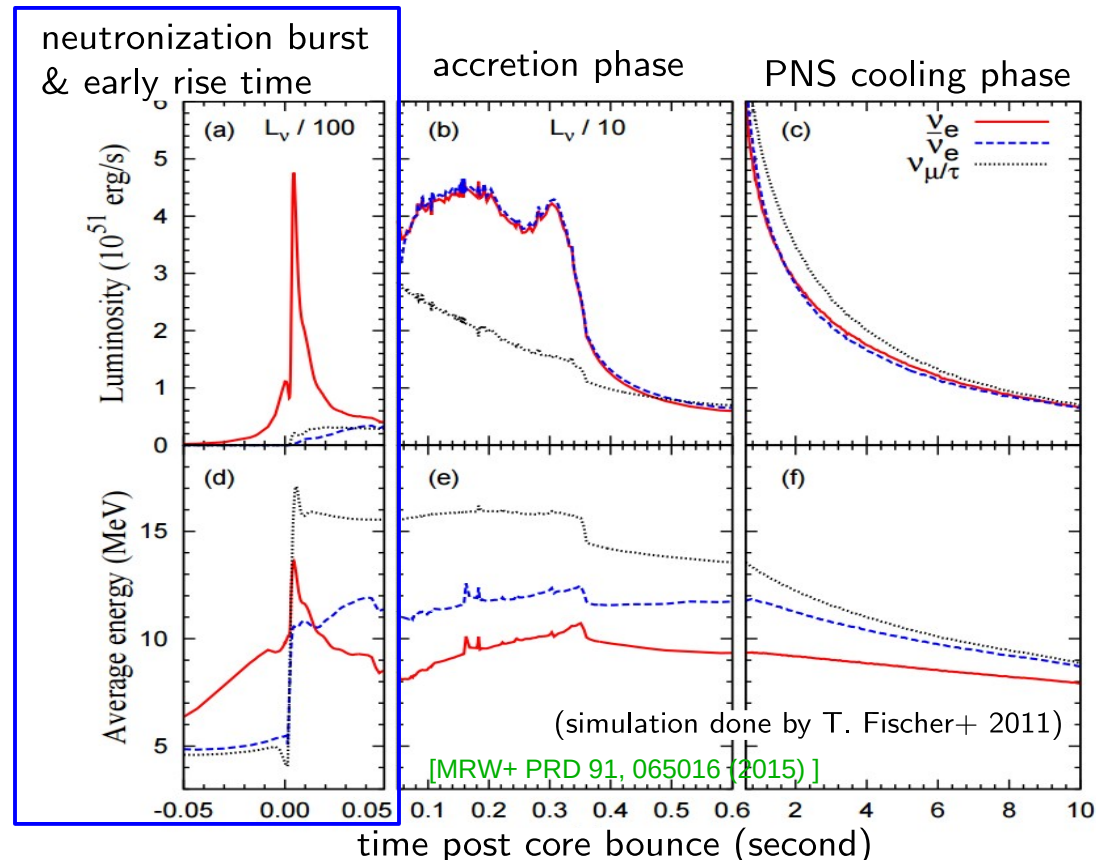
thousands of events in ALL FLAVORS expected from the next Galactic SN

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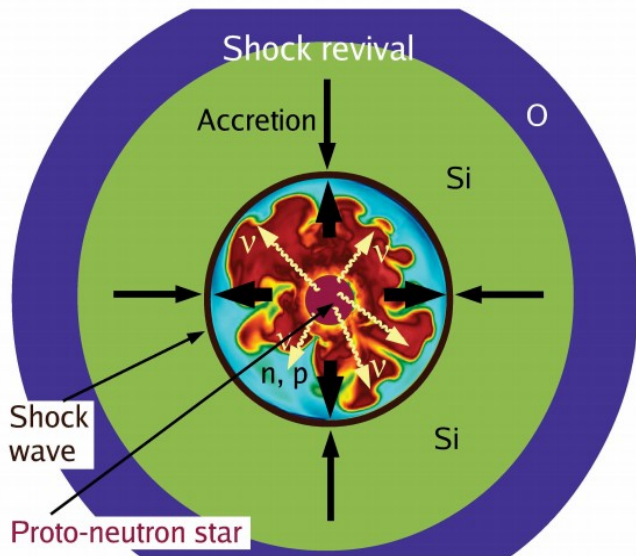


[Janka+, PTEP 01A309, 2012]



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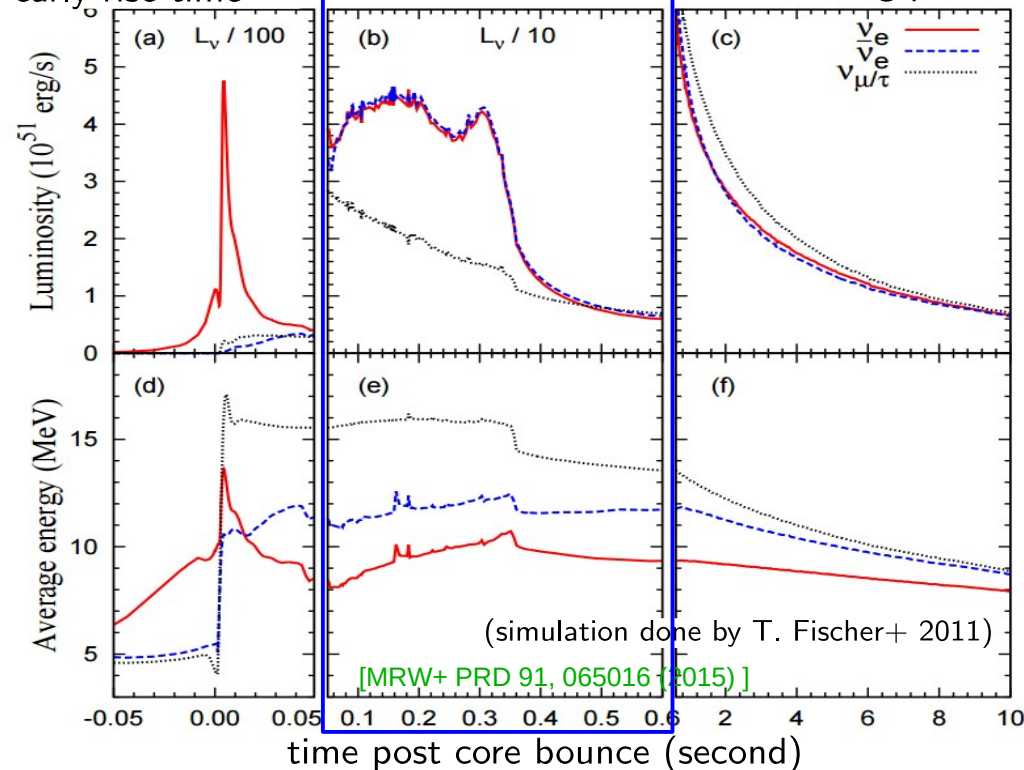


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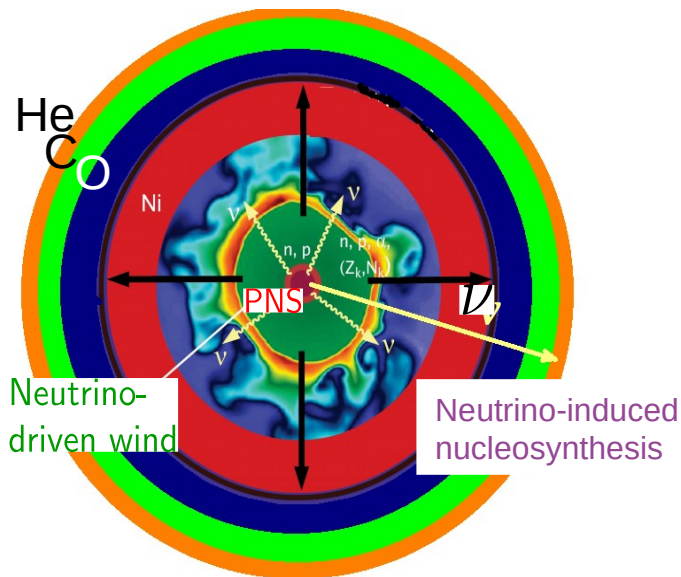
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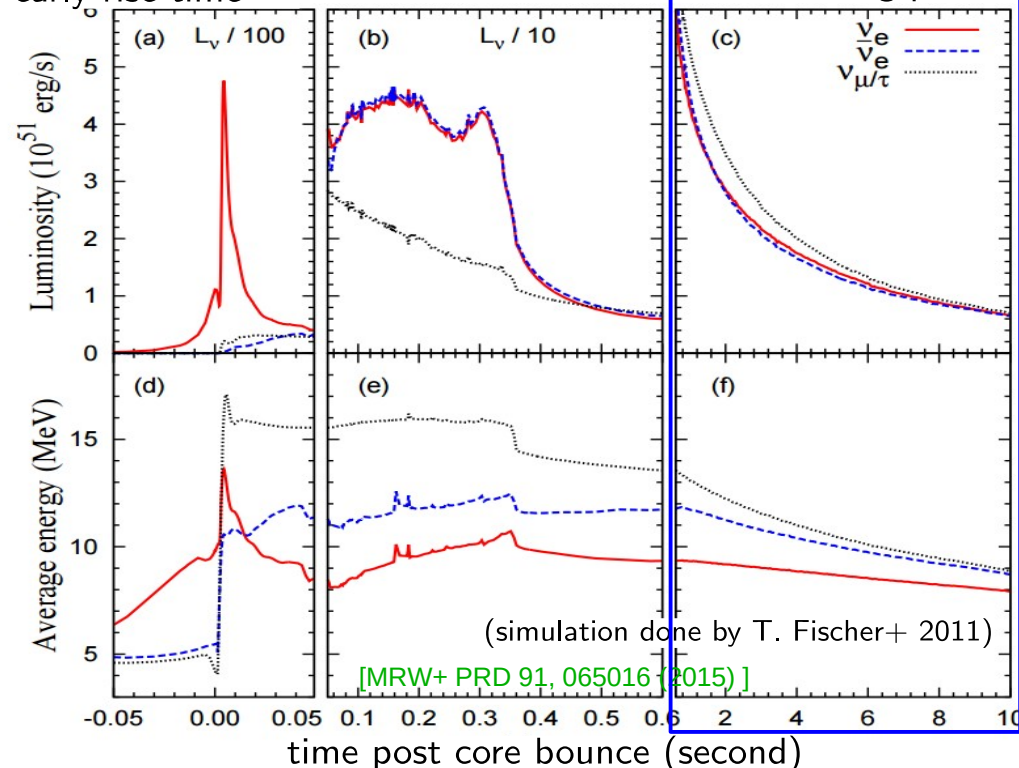
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Fore-front (neutrino-related) theory issues in supernovae

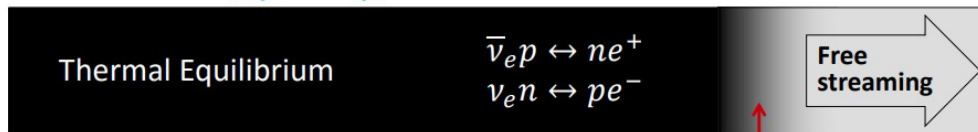
- **neutrino nuclear matter interaction**: uncertainty can be large (a factor of a few) at high densities; impacts the neutrino luminosities at level of $\sim$ tens percents; affects shock revival dynamics and nucleosynthesis

[Burrows+, Fischer+, Guo+, Horowitz+, Lin+, Martinez-Pinedo+, Oertel+ Reddy+, Roberts+, Schwenk+,...]

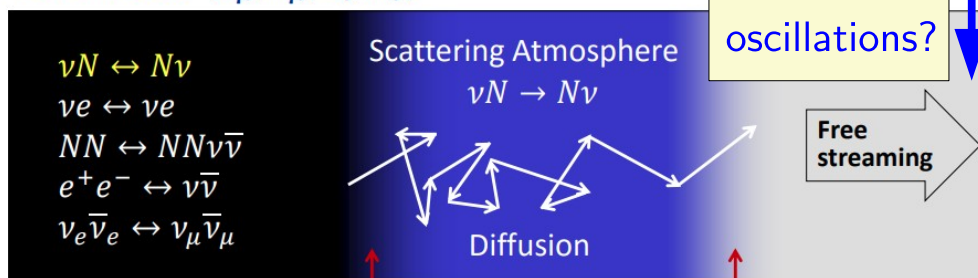
- **neutrino flavor oscillations**: new and exciting effects every few years, but no consistent and trustable global impact yet;

[Abbar+, Balantekin+, Capozzi+, Cervia+, Chakraborty+, Dasgupta+, Duan+, Fuller+, Friedland+, Johns+, Kato+, Kajino+, Kneller+, Martin+, Manibrata+, McLaughlin+, Mirizzi+, Morigana+, Nagakura+, Raffelt+, Richers+, Rogerro+, Rrapaj+, Sawyer+, Shalgar+, Tamborra+, Volpe+, MRW+, Xiong+, Yamada+...]

Electron flavor (ν_e and $\bar{\nu}_e$)



Other flavors ($\nu_\mu, \bar{\nu}_\mu, \nu_\tau, \bar{\nu}_\tau$)

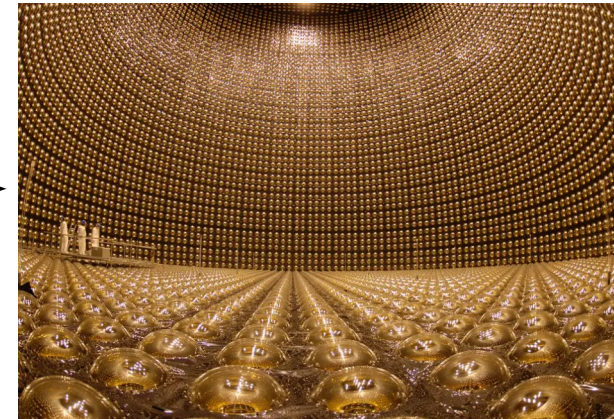


Energy sphere

Transport sphere

Neutrino sphere

oscillations?

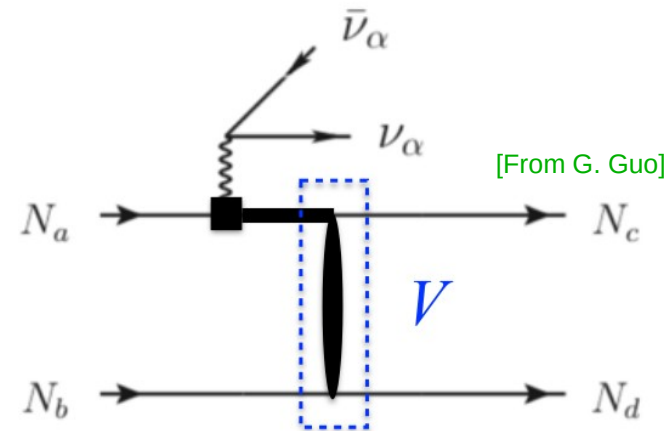


[from Super-K]

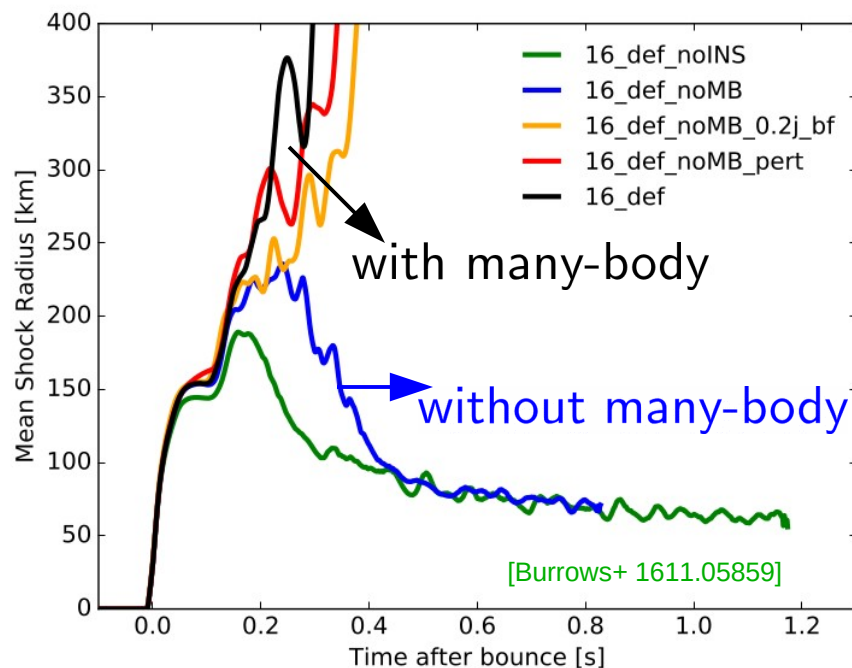
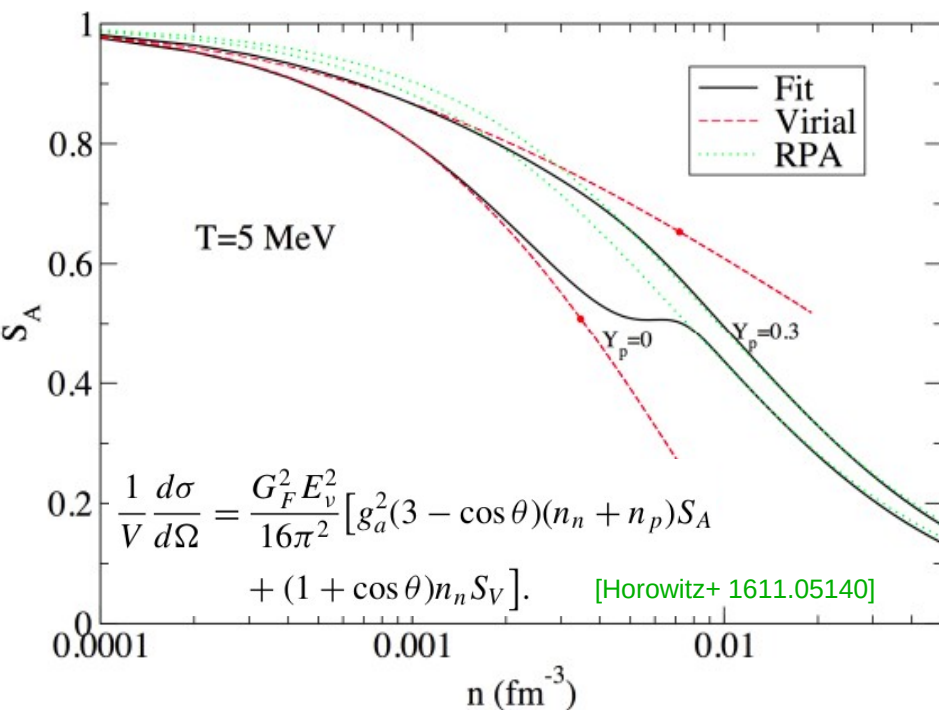
[Janka 1702.08713, Raffelt 2012]

Role of neutrino interaction

Accurate description of neutrino interaction with nuclear matter, better than $\sim 20 - 30\%$ is needed, especially near the neutrinosphere



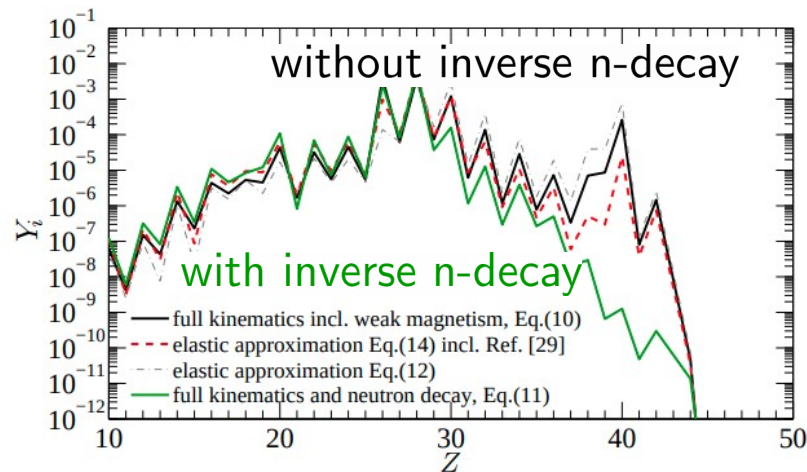
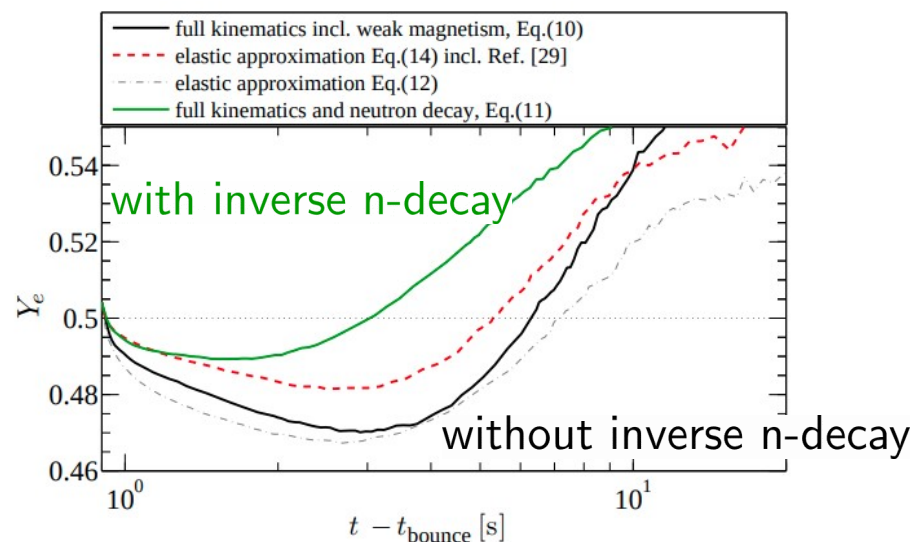
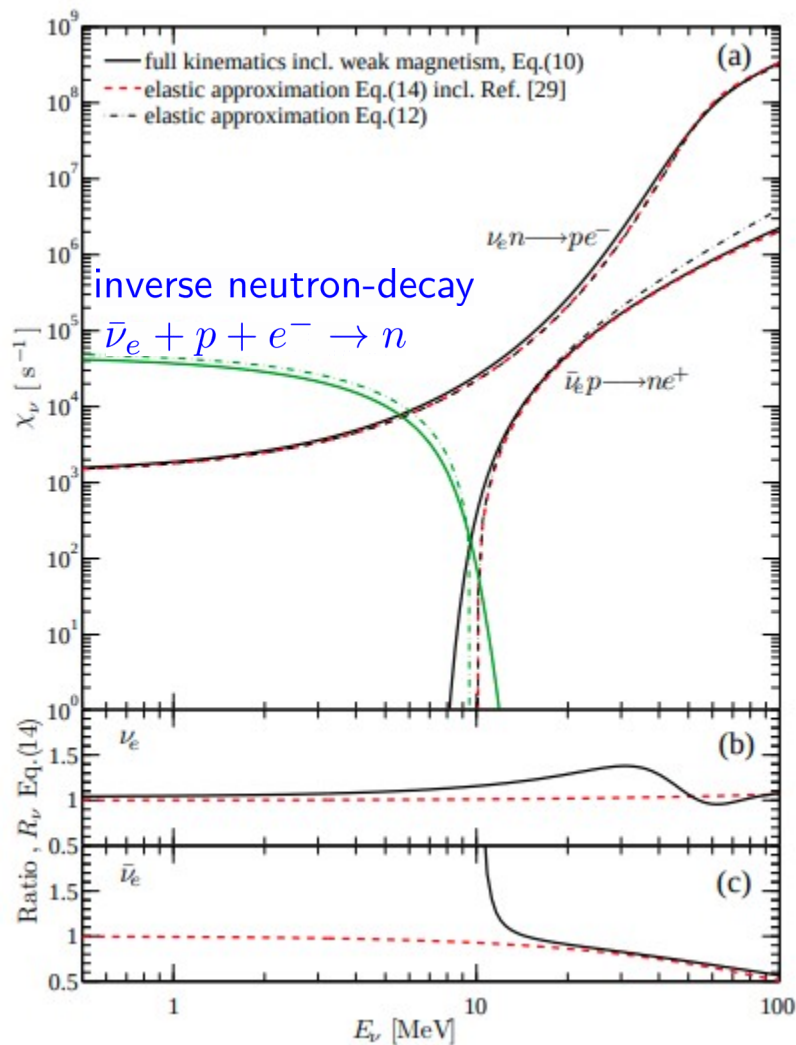
Modification on the axial-current response for neutrino-nucleon scattering:



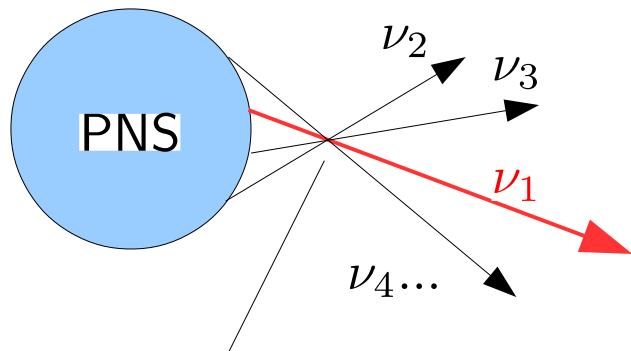
[See also: Burrows+ 9801082, Reddy+ 9811294, Horowitz+ 9908219, Burrows+ 0404432, Martinez-Pinedo+ 1205.2793, Roberts+ 1205.4066, Horowitz+ 1209.3173, Becca+ 1112.5185, Bartl+ 1403.4114, Melson+ 1504.07631, Fischer 1608.05004, Roberts+ 1612.02764, Lin+ 1708.01788, Bedaque+ 1801.07077, Fischer+ 1804.10890, Guo+ 1905.13634, Oertel+ 2003.02152, Betranhandy+ 2010.02261,...]

Role of neutrino interaction

Accurate description and inclusion of rates also affects heavy element production in neutrino-driven wind



Collective neutrino oscillations

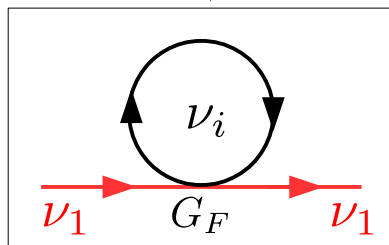


flavor evolution for ν with different momenta are coupled

→ many-body quantum system

→ "strong" coupling system ($G_F n_\nu \gg \frac{\delta m^2}{2E_\nu}$)

→ collective phenomenon



$$\partial_t \varrho(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{p}, t) + \mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \varrho(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{p}, t) = -i[H_{\text{vac}} + H_{\text{MSW}} + H_{\nu\nu}, \varrho]$$

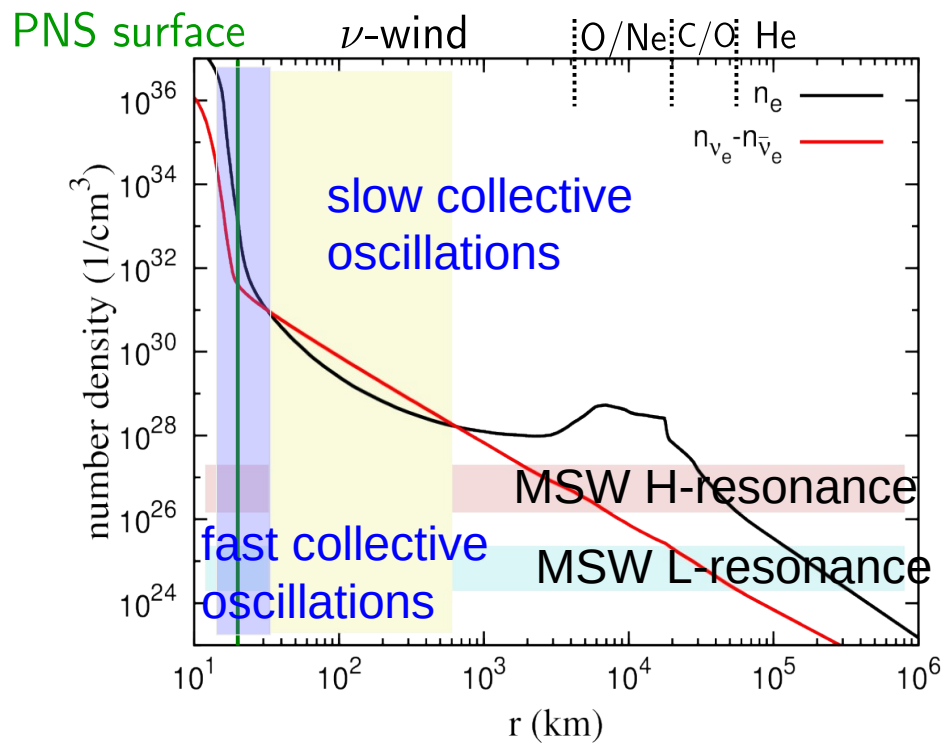
$$H_{\text{vac}}(p) = U M^2 U^\dagger / (2|\mathbf{p}|),$$

$$H_{\text{MSW}}(\mathbf{x}, t) = \sqrt{2} G_F n_e \times \text{diag}(1, 0, 0)$$

$$H_{\nu\nu}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{p}, t) = \frac{\sqrt{2} G_F}{(2\pi)^3} \int d^3 q (1 - \hat{\mathbf{p}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{q}}) [\varrho - \bar{\varrho}^*]$$

$$\varrho(t, \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{p}) = \begin{bmatrix} f_{\nu_e} & \varrho_{e\mu} & \varrho_{e\tau} \\ \varrho_{e\mu}^* & f_{\nu_\mu} & \varrho_{\mu\tau} \\ \varrho_{e\tau}^* & \varrho_{\mu\tau}^* & f_{\nu_\tau} \end{bmatrix}$$

flavor density matrix of the neutrino ensemble



Fast ν oscillations

The angular crossing of electron-neutrino lepton number (**ELN crossing**)

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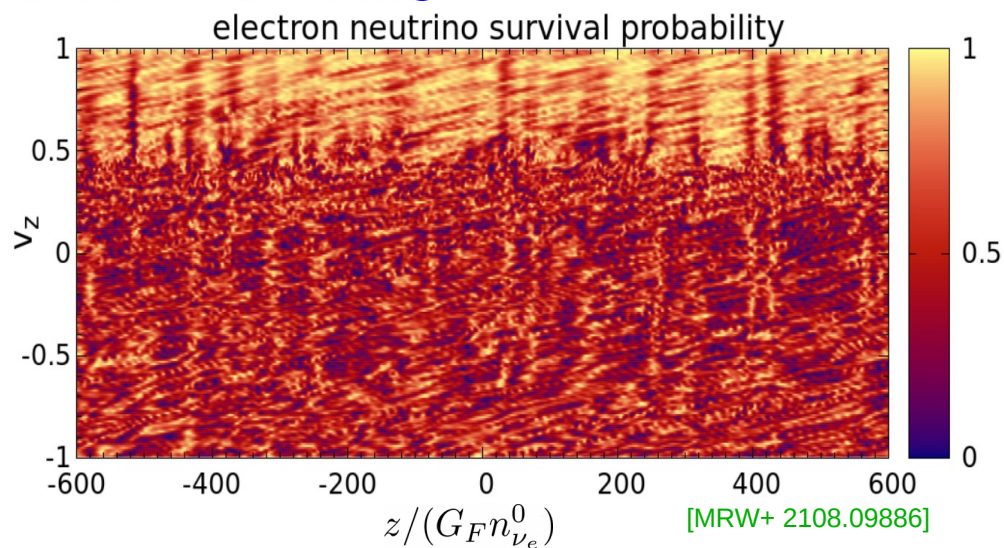
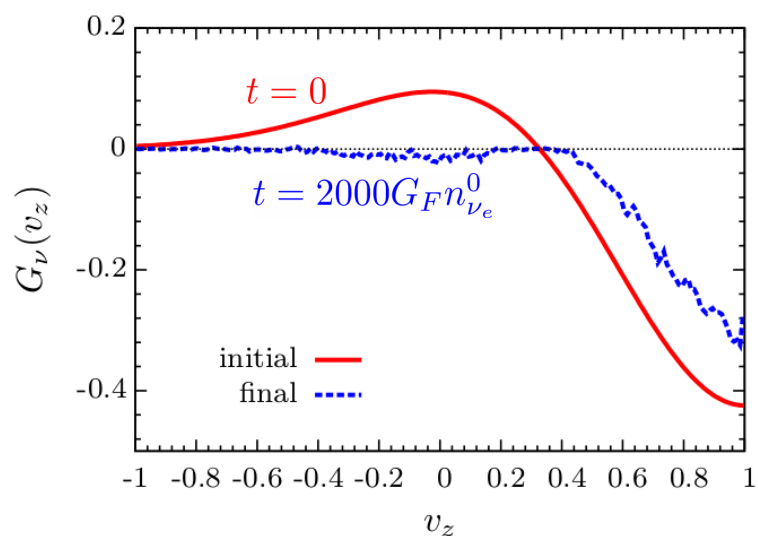
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Several groups started to develop multidimensional simulation code to solve the quantum kinetic equation numerically [See Richers+ 2205.06282 for detailed comparison of simulation results]

→ fast oscillations that tend to erase the ELN crossing [Bhattacharyya+, Richers+, MRW+]

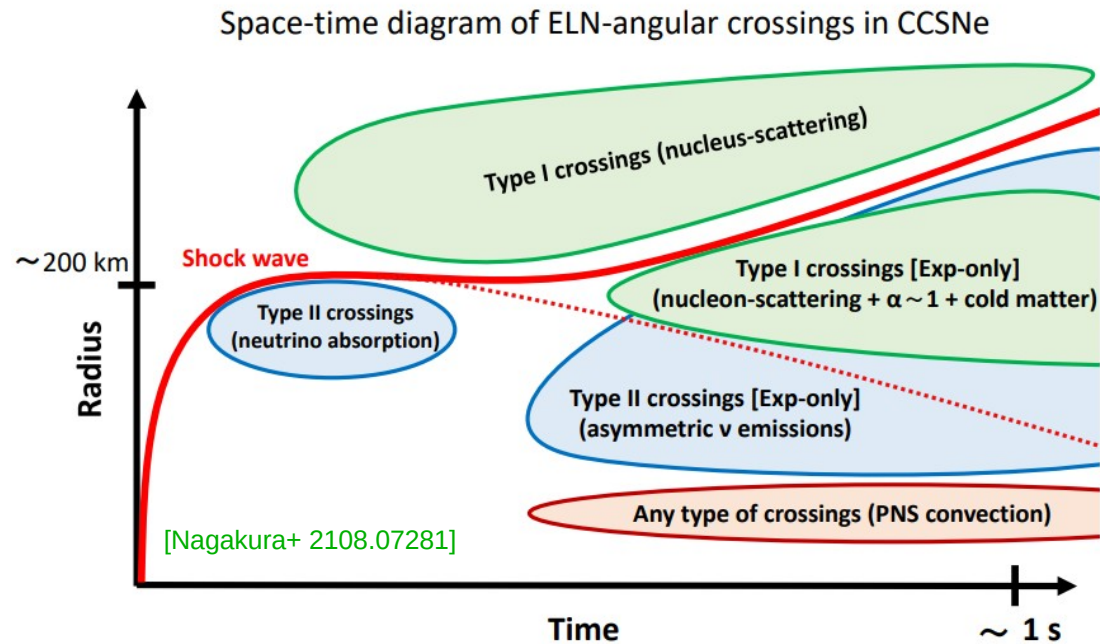
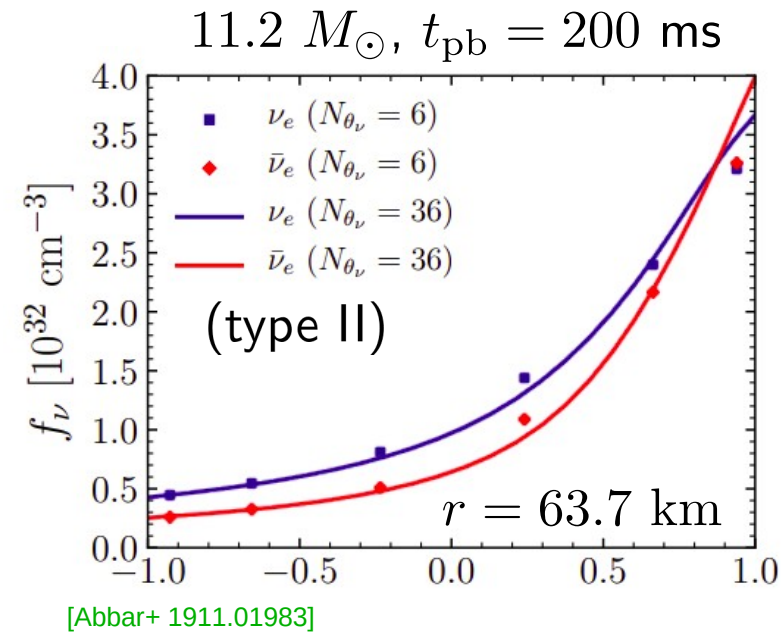


Can the final shape of ELN be estimated (semi-)analytically?

→ see Bhattacharyya+ 2009.03337, 2205.05129 for nice attempts

Fast ν oscillations in supernovae

1D supernova models do not show ELN crossing, but the ELN crossing are found in multi-D supernova simulations

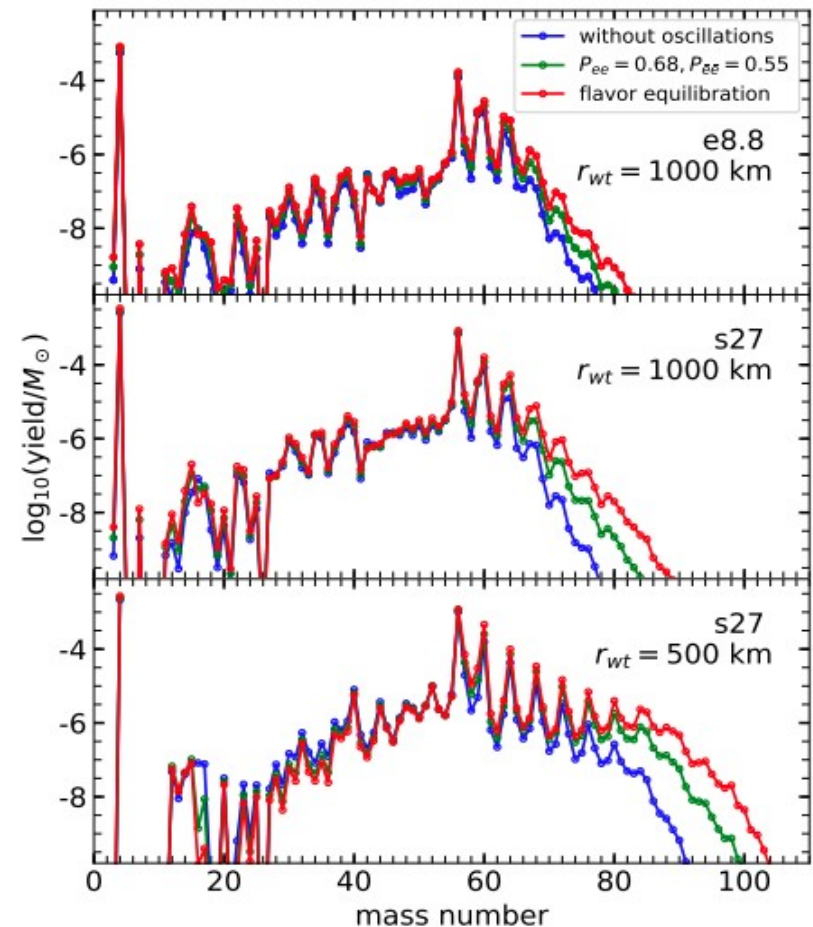
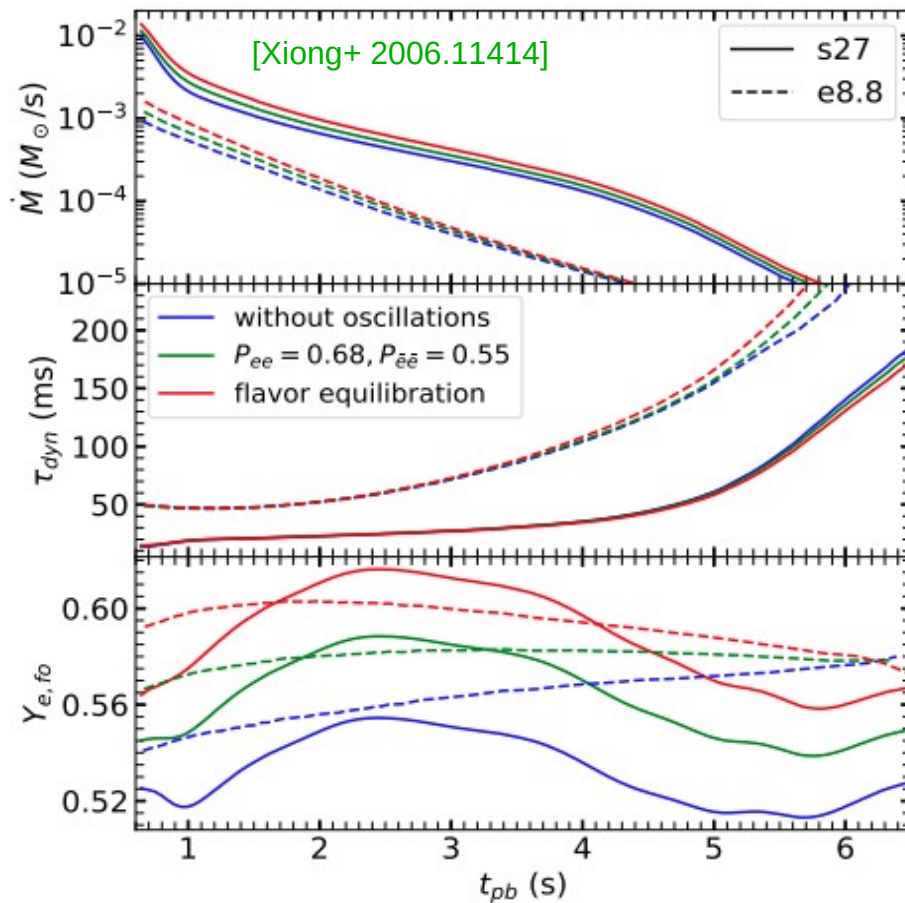


[See also Morigana+ 1909.13131, Nagakura+ 1910.04288, Johns+ 1910.05682, Delfan Azari+ 1910.06176, Glas+ 1912.00274, Abbar+ 2003.00969, Capozzi+ 2005.14204, Abbar+ 2012.06594, Capozzi+ 2012.08525, Johns+ 2104.04106, Nagakura+ 2106.02650, Harada+ 2110.08291]

What is the exact outcome and impact? (If flavor equipartition occurs globally, heating rate during the accretion phase can be substantially enhanced)

Role of neutrino flavor oscillations

If fast flavor oscillations happen for neutrinos in cooling phase, they can also affect the nucleosynthesis outcome



[See also Duan+ 1012.0532, MRW+ 1412.8587, PIlumbi+ 1406.2596, Sasaki+ 1707.09111, Kusakabe+ 1907.01715, Ko+ 1903.02086, Ko+ 2203.13365 for other oscillation effects on nucleosynthesis]

More on collective oscillations

Several other interesting new effects or understandings:

- 3-flavor and $\mu - \tau$ asymmetry effect

[Chakraborty+ 1909.10420, Shalgar+ 2103.12743, Capozzi+ 2005.14204, Capozzi+ 2012.08525, ...]

- interplay of collisions and oscillations

[Shalgar+ 2011.00004, Martin+ 2101.01278, Johns 2104.11369, Sasaki+ 2109.14011, Sigl 2109.00091, ...]

- impact of turbulence

[Abbar+ 2007.13655 for turbulence coupling on collective oscillations;
(see also Kneller+ 1202.0776, Lund+ 1304.6372, Borriello+ 1310.7488, Patton+ 1407.7835, Yang+ 1510.01998, Kneller+ 1702.06591, Yang+ 1706.01339... for other turbulence effect)]

- many-body (beyond the mean-field)

[Friedland+ 0304055, 0307140, Birol+ 1805.11767, Patwardhan+ 1905.04386, Rrapaj 1905.13335, Roggero 2102.10188, 2103.11497, Patwardhan+ 2109.08995, Xiong 2111.00437, Martin+ 2112.12686, Cervia+ 2202.01865, Lacroix+ 2205.09384,...]

- analytical understanding of toy models

[Johns+ 2009.09024, Xiong+ 2104.05618, Bhattacharyya+ 2101.01226, Padilla-Gay+ 2109.14627, ...]

- attempts of global simulations

[Richers+ 1903.00022, Stapleford+ 1910.04172, Myers+ 2111.13722, ...]

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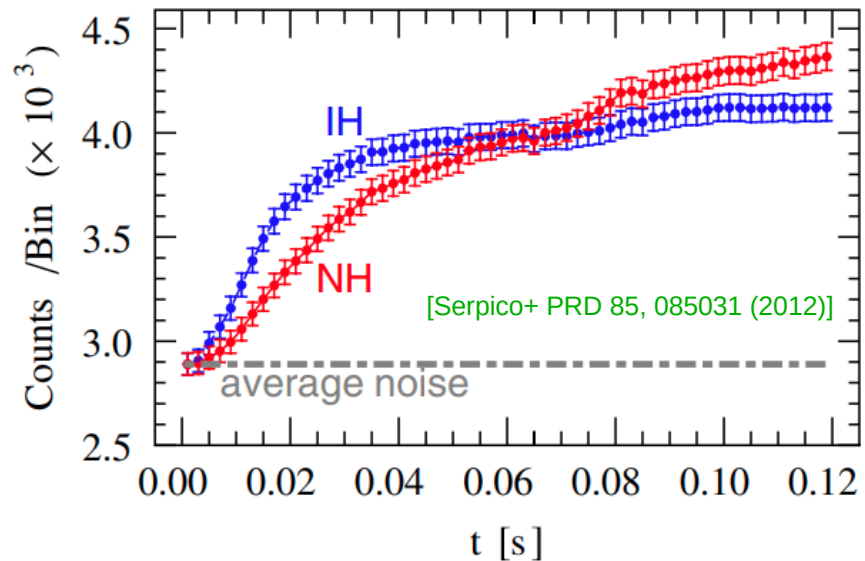
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$$\text{NO: } \nu_e^{\text{final,MSW}} \approx \nu_x^{\text{initial}}$$

$$\text{IO: } \nu_e^{\text{final,MSW}} \approx 0.3\nu_e^{\text{initial}} + 0.7\nu_x^{\text{initial}}$$

for a SN at 10 kpc, counts at IceCube

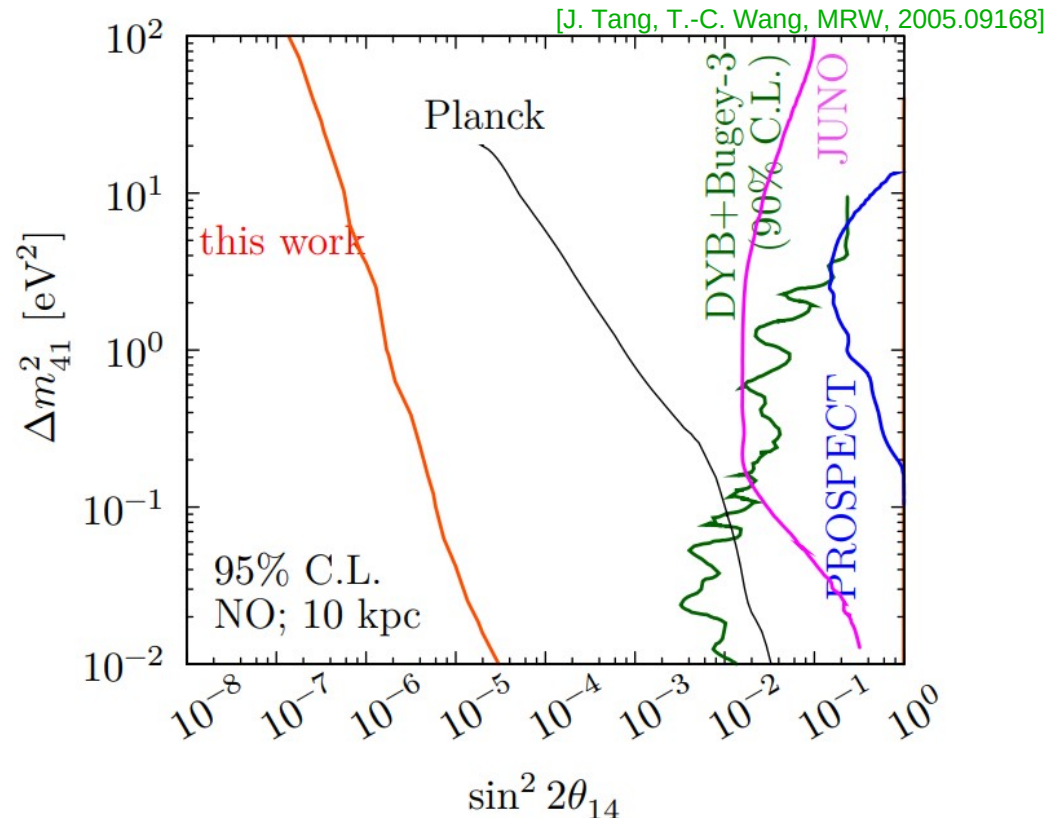


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much lowered overall event numbers
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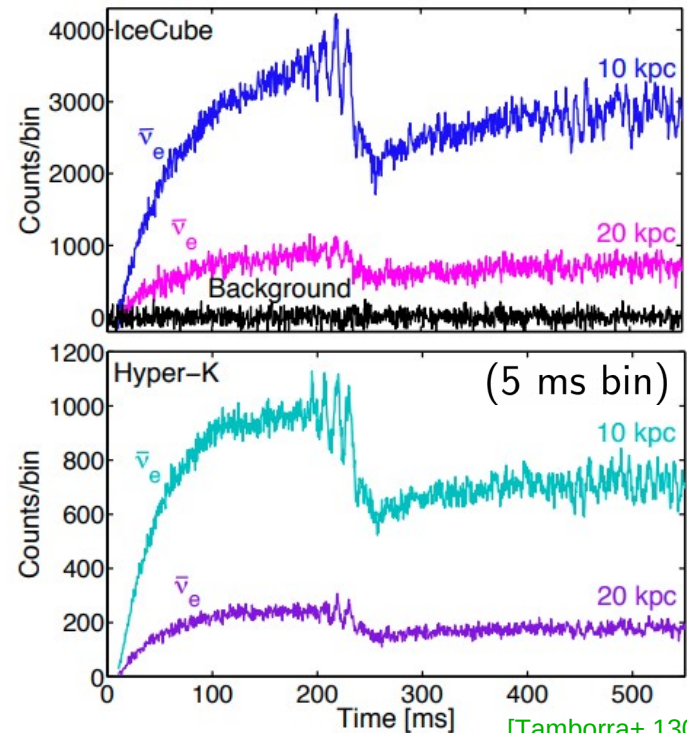
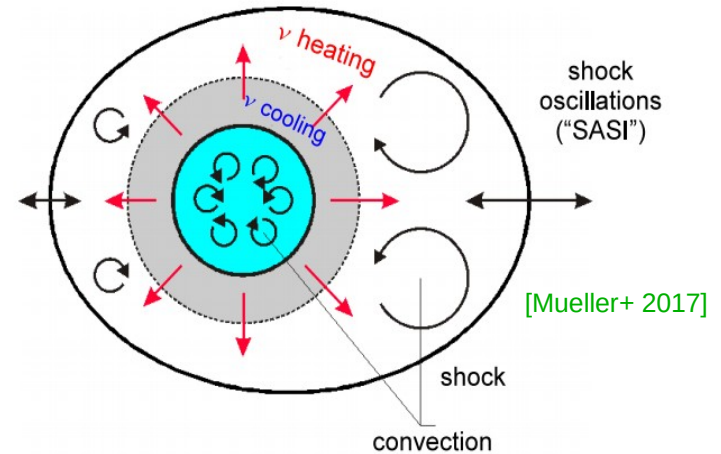
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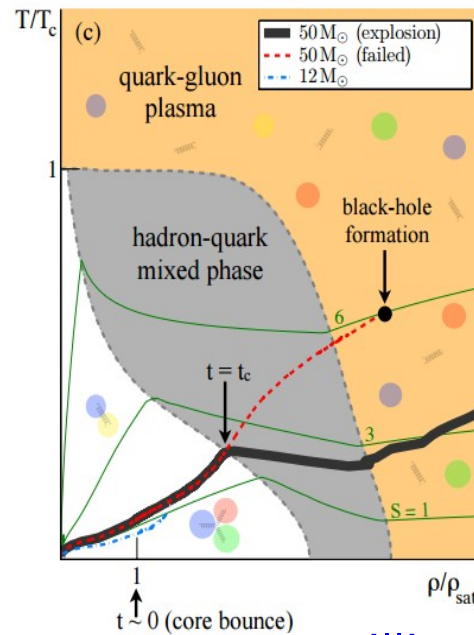


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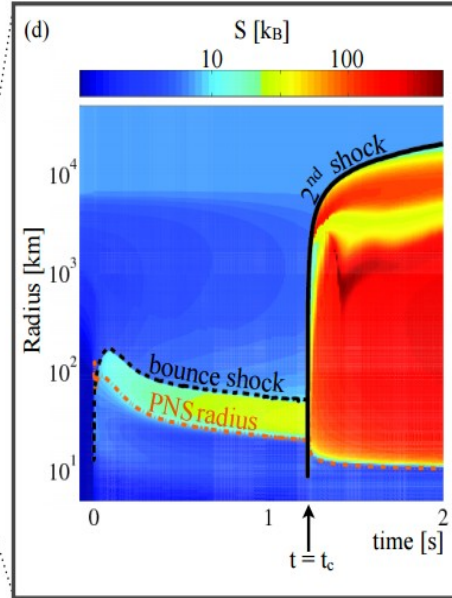
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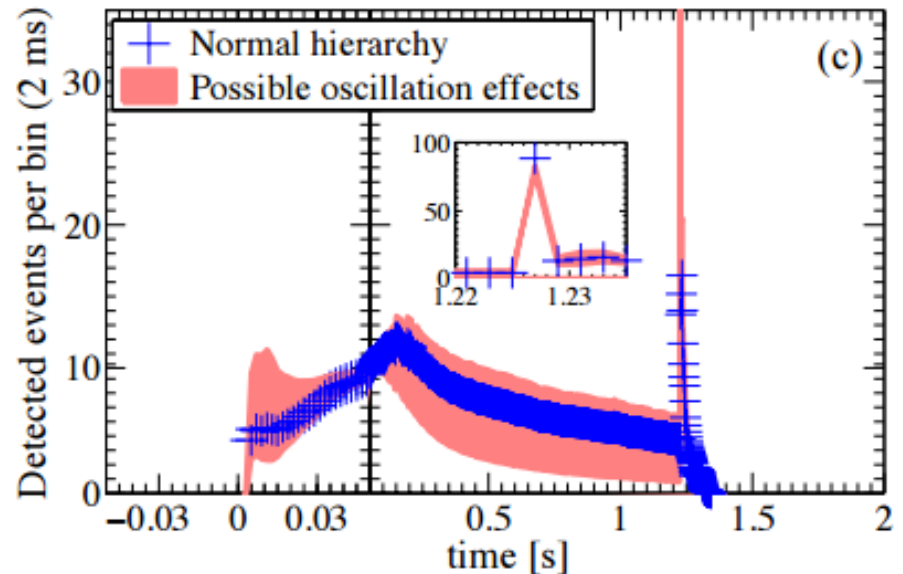
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[Fischer, Bastian, MRW+ 1712.08788]

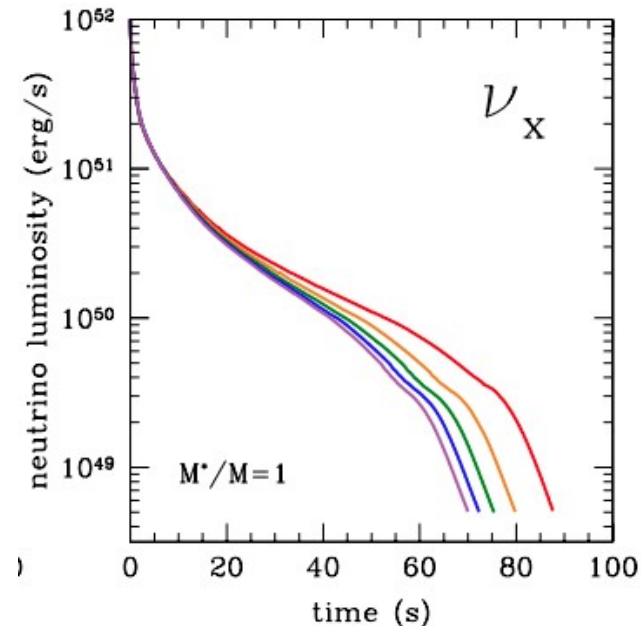
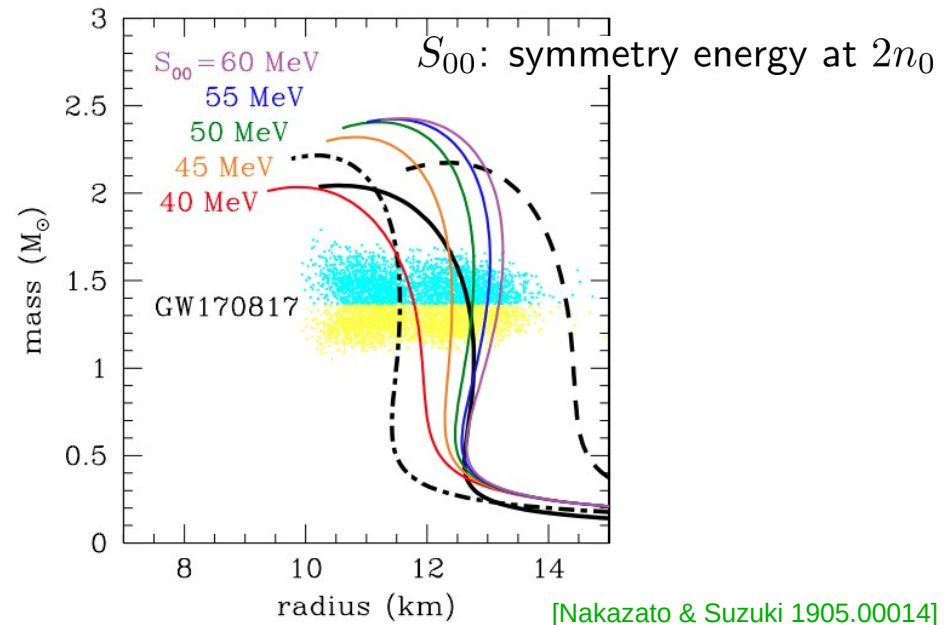


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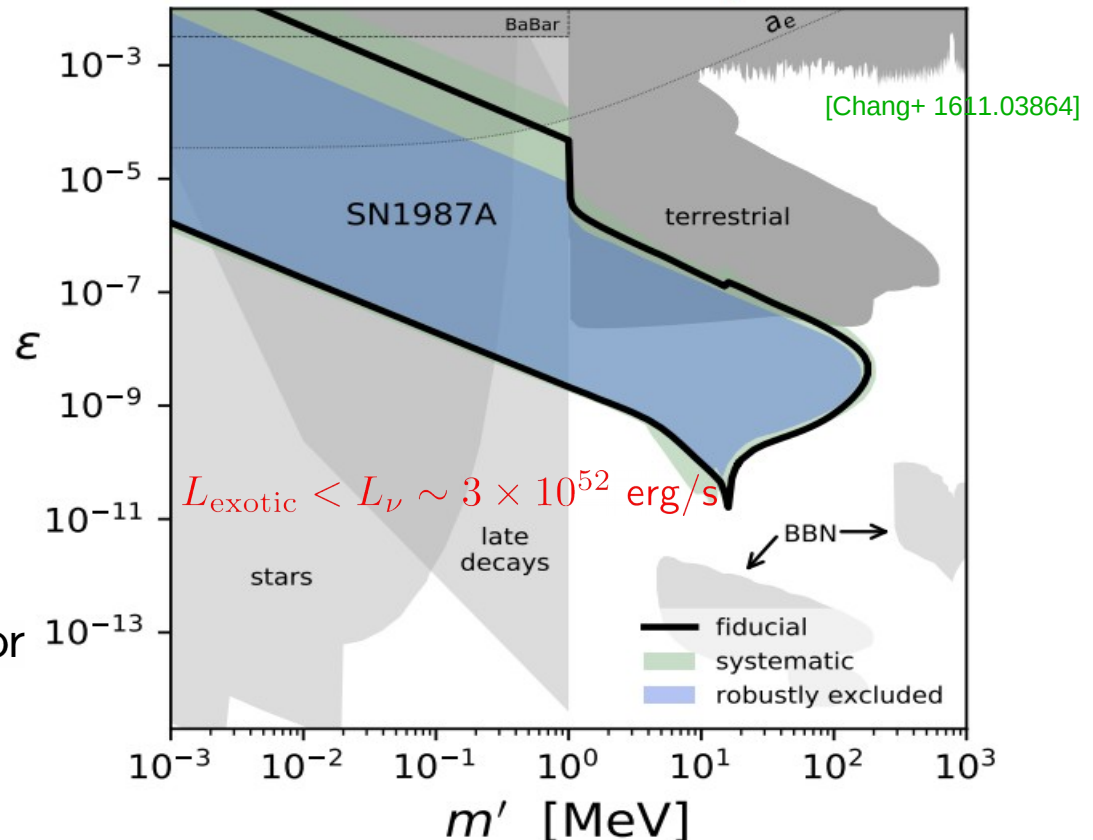


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$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{4}F_{\mu\nu}F^{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{4}F'_{\mu\nu}F'^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2}m_{A'}^2 A'_\mu A'^\mu - e \sum_f q_f (A_\mu + \epsilon A'_\mu) \bar{f} \gamma^\mu f.$$



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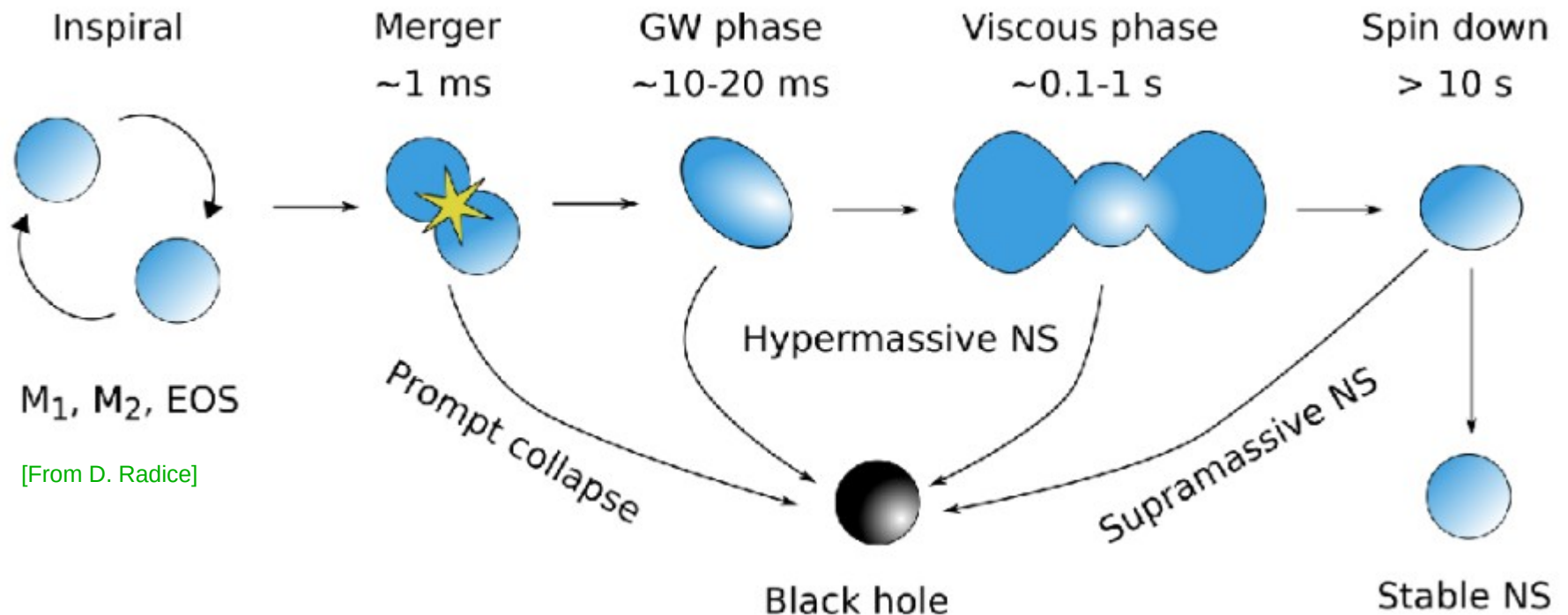
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Impact of neutrinos in binary neutron star mergers

Binary neutron star mergers: diversity

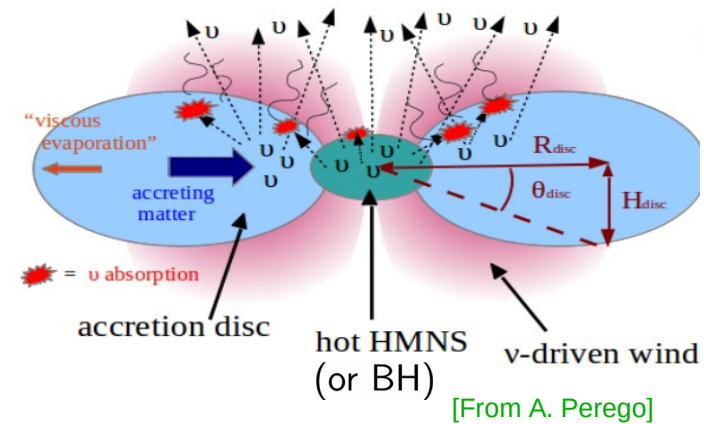
Mergers of two neutron stars can result in a variety of outcomes, depending on the initial state of the system and the yet-unknown nuclear EoS

→ different post-merger GW signals, EM, and neutrino emissions



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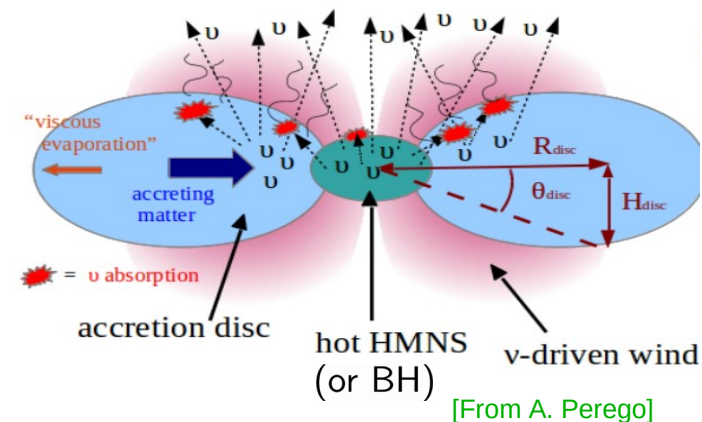
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However, merger remnants must **protonizes** for some periods, differently from the proto-neutron star

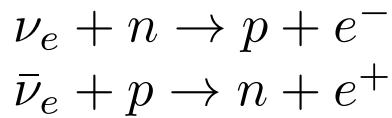
[Foucart+, Perego+, Janka+, Sekiguchi, Radice, ...]

Table III. Emission parameters with $\nu_x \in \{\nu_\mu, \nu_\tau, \bar{\nu}_\mu, \bar{\nu}_\tau\}$.

	$\langle E_\nu \rangle$ [MeV]	$T_\nu = \frac{F_2(0)}{F_3(0)} \langle E_\nu \rangle$ [MeV]	$(L_\nu / 10^{51})$ [erg/s]
ν_e	10.6	3.4	15
$\bar{\nu}_e$	15.3	4.9	30
ν_x	17.3	5.5	8

[Perego+ 1405.6730]

How important are the neutrinos in merger ejecta?

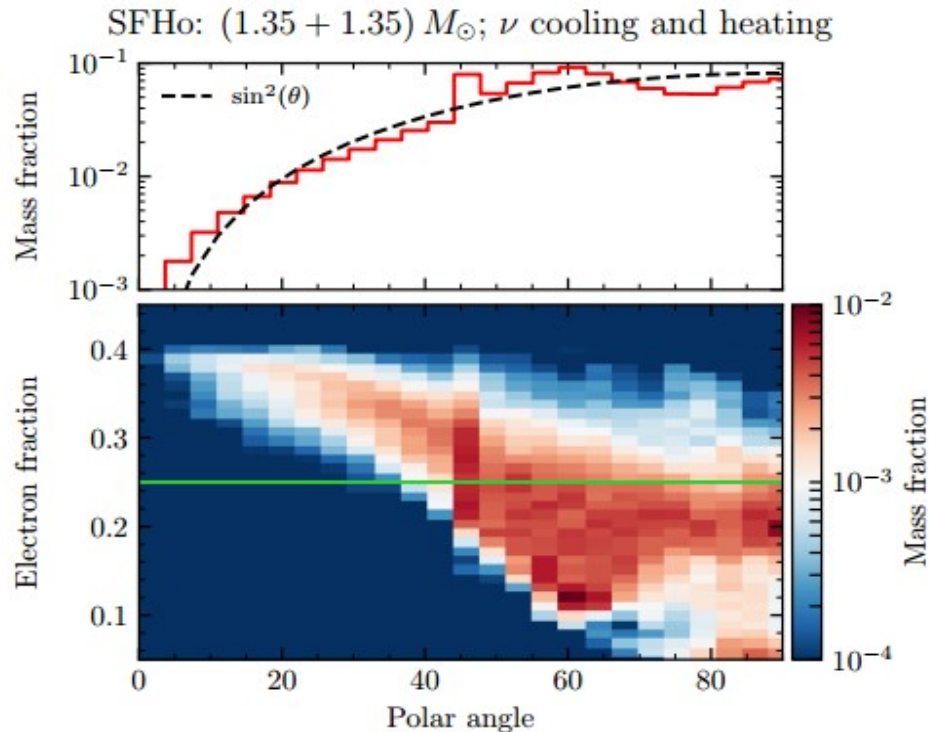


Neutrinos raise the proton-to-neutron ratio of the ejecta and thereby affecting the kilonova “color”

$Y_e \gtrsim 0.25 \leftrightarrow \text{blue}$

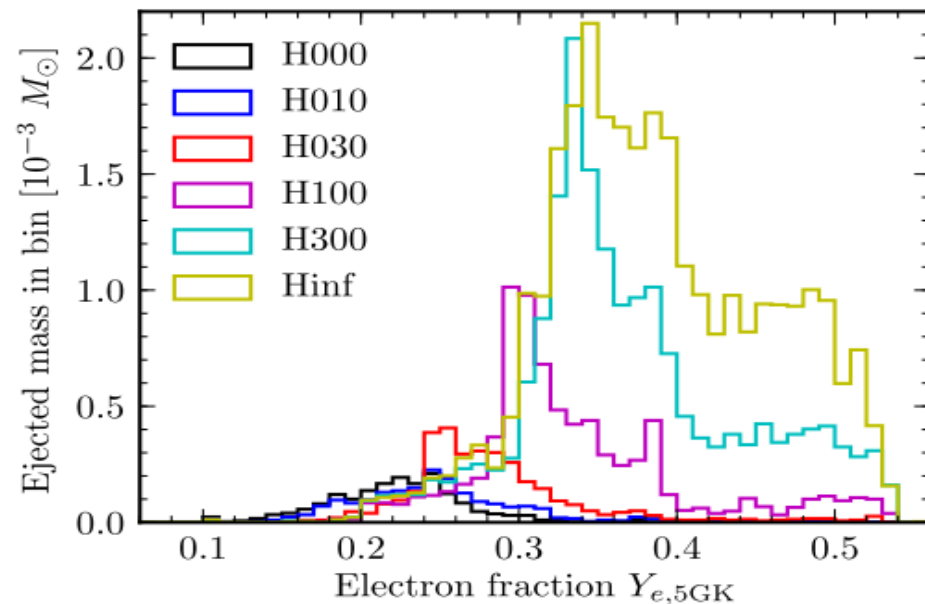
$Y_e \lesssim 0.25 \leftrightarrow \text{red}$

BNS dynamical ejecta: [Radice+ 1601.02426]



disk ejecta:

[Lippuner+ 1703.06216]



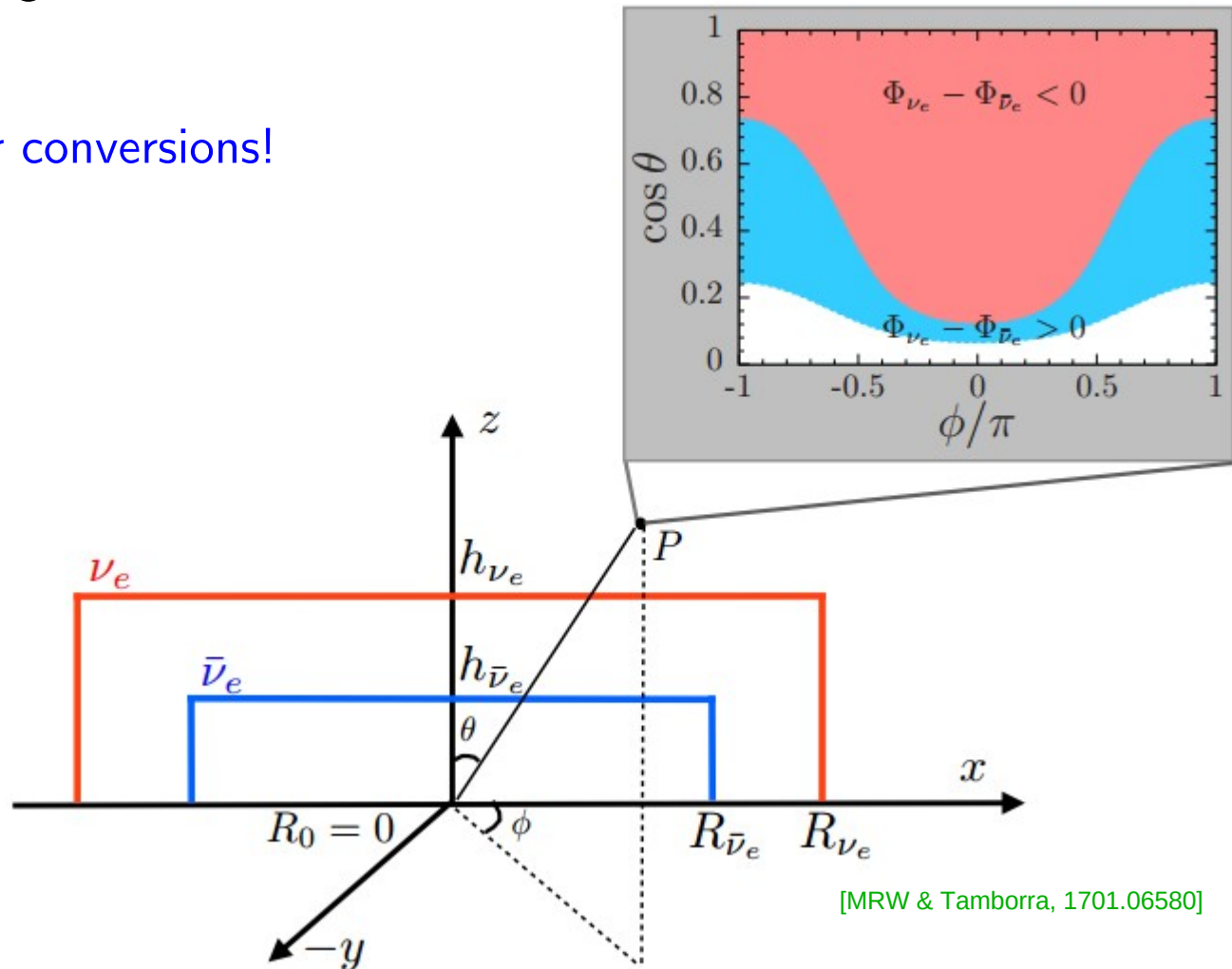
[See also Fernandez+ 1304.6720, Perego+ 1405.6730, Just+ 2015, MRW+ 1607.05290, Siegel+ 1705.05473, Fujibayashi+ 1711.02093, Fahlman+ 1811.08906, Just+ 2102.08387, Fahlman+ 2204.03005, Fujibayashi+ 2205.05557 ...]

observation of GW170817 kilonova implies neutrinos play some roles

Fast ν oscillations in merger remnants

The **protonization of the merger remnant**, i.e., more $\bar{\nu}_e$ emission than ν_e , plus the smaller $\bar{\nu}_e$ emission surface, naturally leads to crossing in angular distribution above the merger remnants

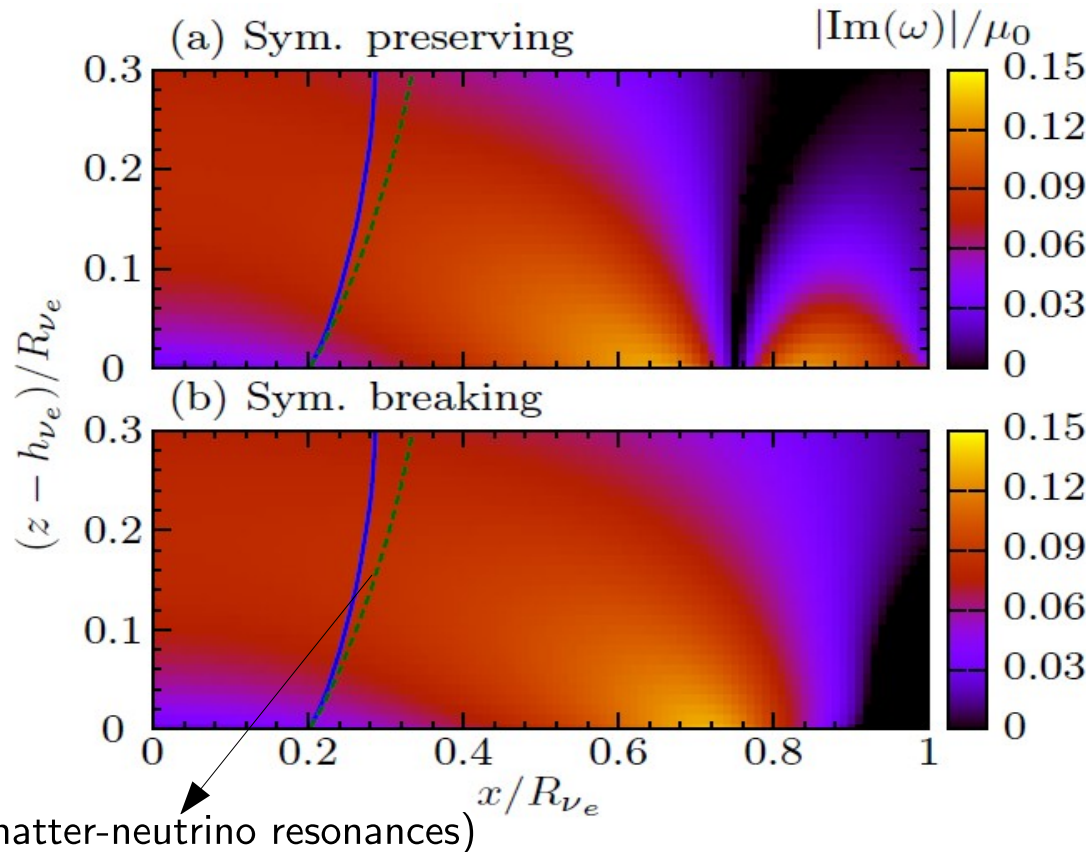
→ fast flavor conversions!



Fast ν oscillations in merger remnants

$$L_{n,\bar{\nu}_e}/L_{n,\nu_e} = 1.35, R_{\bar{\nu}_e} = 0.75R_{\nu_e}, h_{\nu_e}/R_{\nu_e} = h_{\bar{\nu}_e}/R_{\bar{\nu}_e} = 0.25, \vec{k} = 0.$$

[MRW & Tamborra, 1701.06580]



$\text{Im}(\omega)$: growth rate of flavor mixing in the linear regime

$$\mu_0 \approx 4.25 \text{ cm}^{-1} \times \left(\frac{L_{\nu_e}}{10^{53} \text{ erg/s}} \right) \left(\frac{10 \text{ MeV}}{\langle E_{\nu_e} \rangle} \right) \left(\frac{100 \text{ km}}{R_{\nu_e}} \right)^2$$

fast flavor conversion condition exists everywhere above the remnant, with any reasonable parameters

potentially affects the nucleosynthesis outcome in the merger outflows

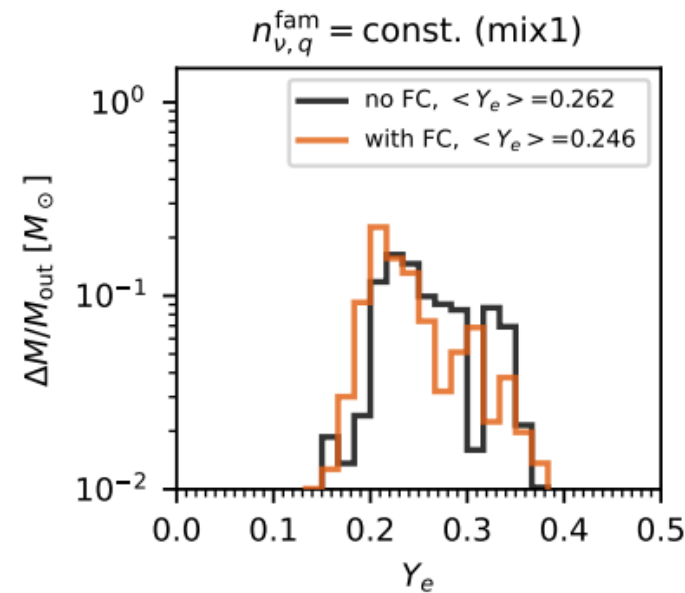
[MRW, Tamborra, Just, Janka, 1711.00477 for BH-torus cases and M. George, MRW, I. Tamborra et al, 2009.04046 for NS-disk cases]

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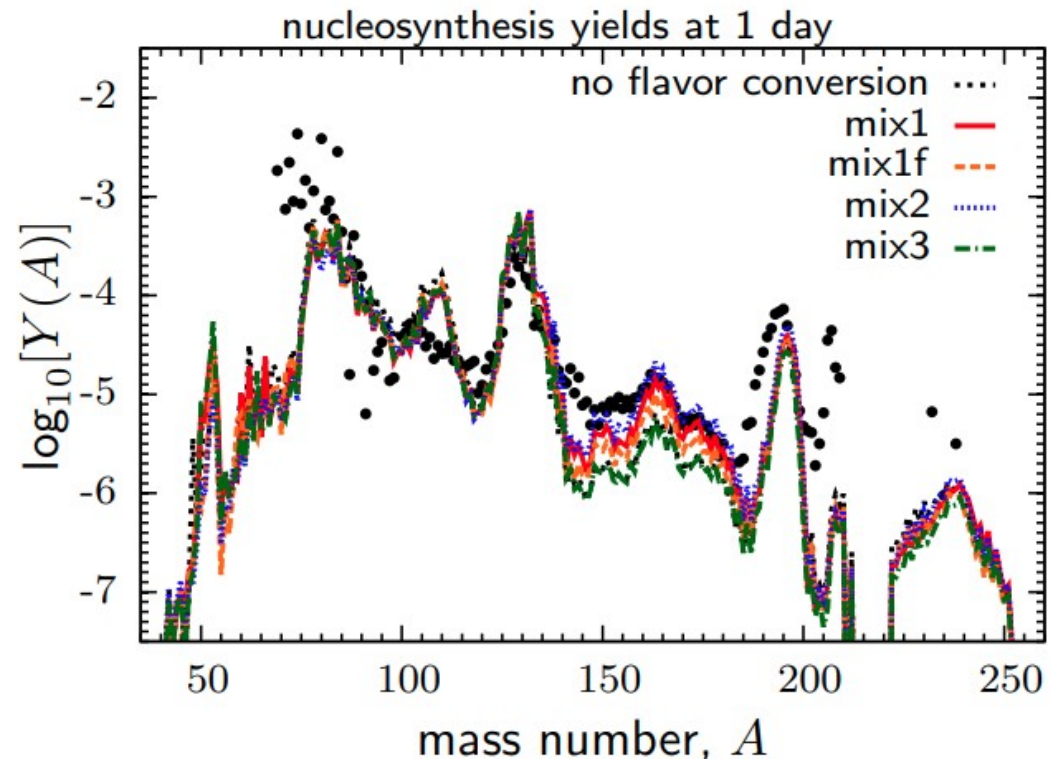
Recently, we include the fast conversions (in a parametrized fashion) for BH-disk simulations

[See also Li & Siegel 2103.02616]

- flavor conversions can occur inside the neutrino-trapped regime, affect the disk cooling, and lower Y_e in the ejecta by $\sim 0.02 - 0.03$
- enhance production of lanthanides ($150 \lesssim A \lesssim 180$) by a factor of $\sim 2 - 3$

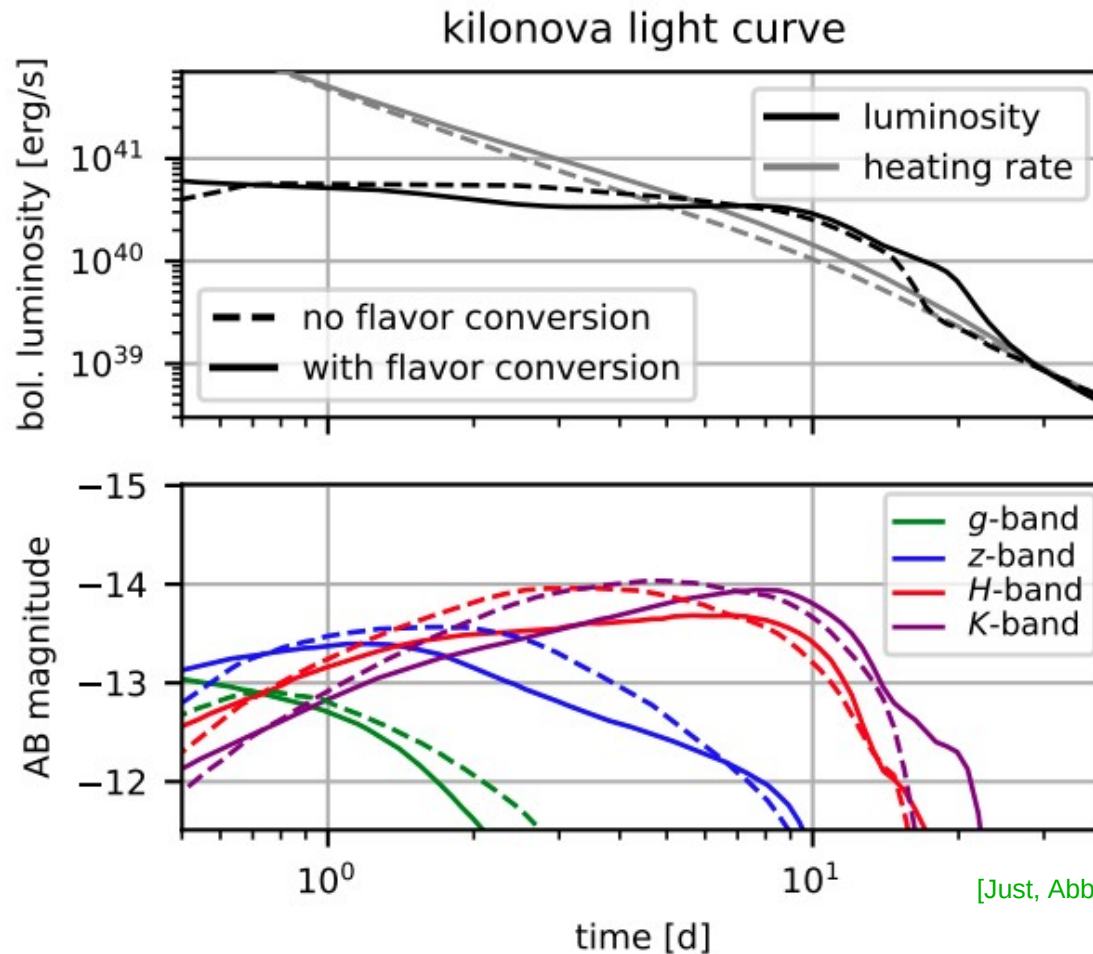


[Just, Abbar, MRW+ 2203.16559]



Fast ν oscillations in merger remnants

- large atomic opacity for kilonova's thermal photons
- prolonged “diffusion” bumps in bolometric lightcurve



[Just, Abbar, MRW+ 2203.16559]

Summary

- Neutrinos play crucial roles in core-collapse supernovae and the merger of two neutron stars in determining their dynamics and observables.
- Improvement of both the theoretical modeling for neutrino interaction with nuclear matters and their flavor oscillations are important to make robust understanding of these events.
- The detection of the next Galactic supernova may help reveal the elusive nature of core-collapse supernovae, constrain exotic physics, and will be able to provide useful guidance for further theoretical modeling.

See excellent posters on SN neutrino related topics:

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