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# Neutrinos from Supernovae

Opportunities, Challenges, Ideas

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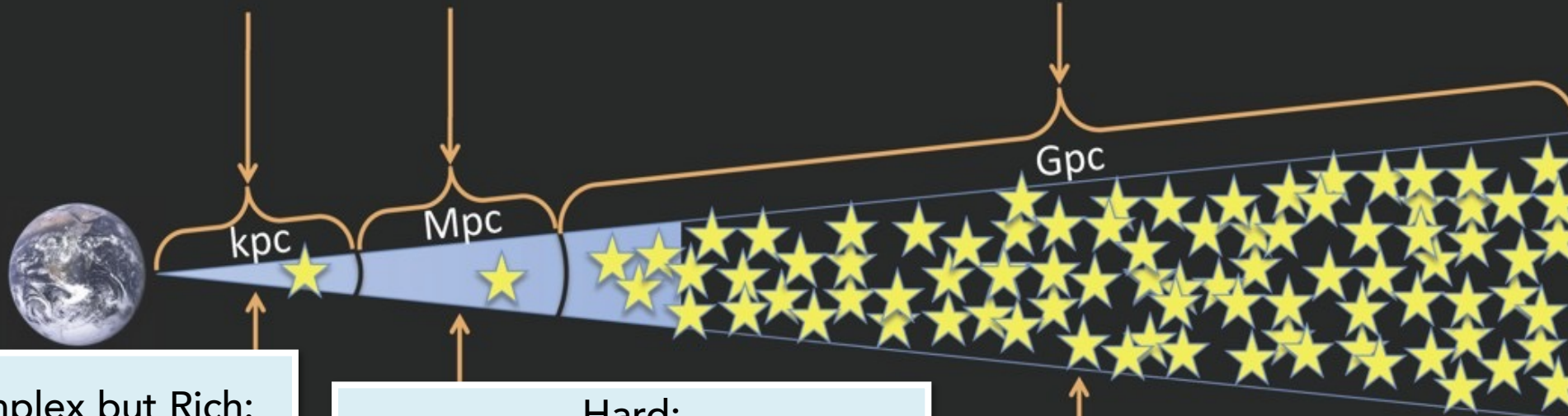


# Here, There, Everywhere

$N \gg 1$  : Burst

$N \sim 1$  : Mini-Burst

$N \ll 1$  : DSNB



Rare & Complex but Rich:  
This Talk

Hard:  
Need multi-messenger and/or  
bigger detectors

Hard but Promising

Rate  $\sim 0.01/\text{yr}$

Rate  $\sim 1/\text{yr}$

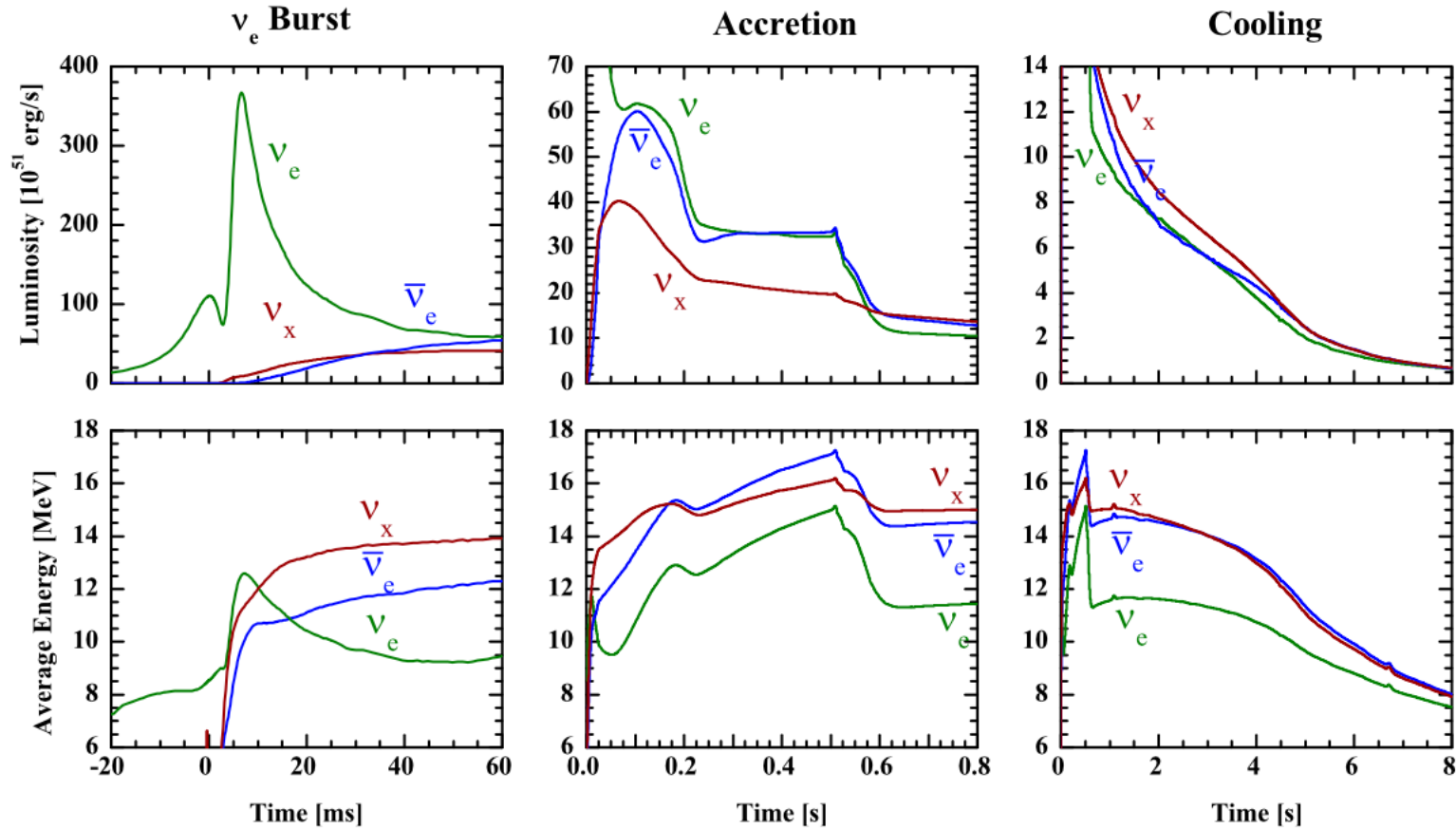
Rate  $\sim 10^8/\text{yr}$

high statistics,  
all flavors

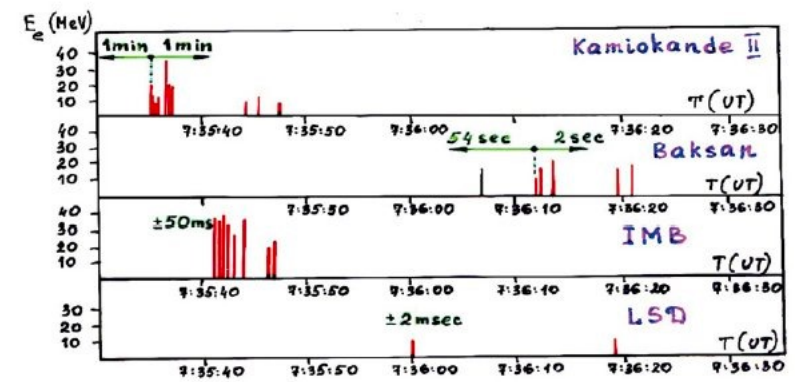
object identity,  
burst variety

cosmic rate,  
average emission

# Neutrinos from a SN



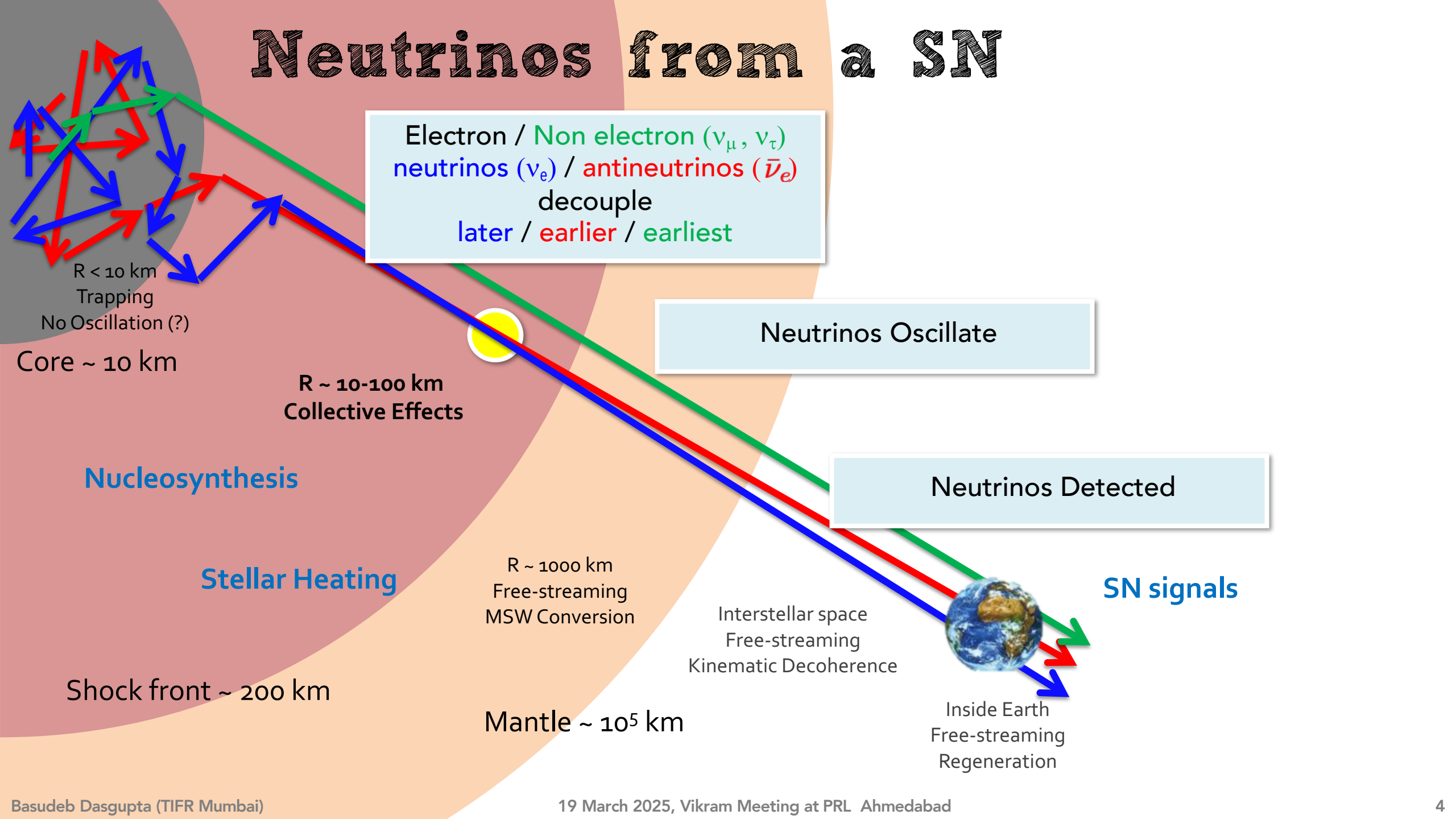
Modelling is driven by SN simulations, though most features are theoretically well-justified  
SN1987A is the only data.



1d simulation of a  $27 M_{\text{sun}}$  star by Garching group  
See review by Janka, Melson, and Summa (2016)

Image credit: Suzuki (2003)

# Neutrinos from a SN





# SN Neutrino Program

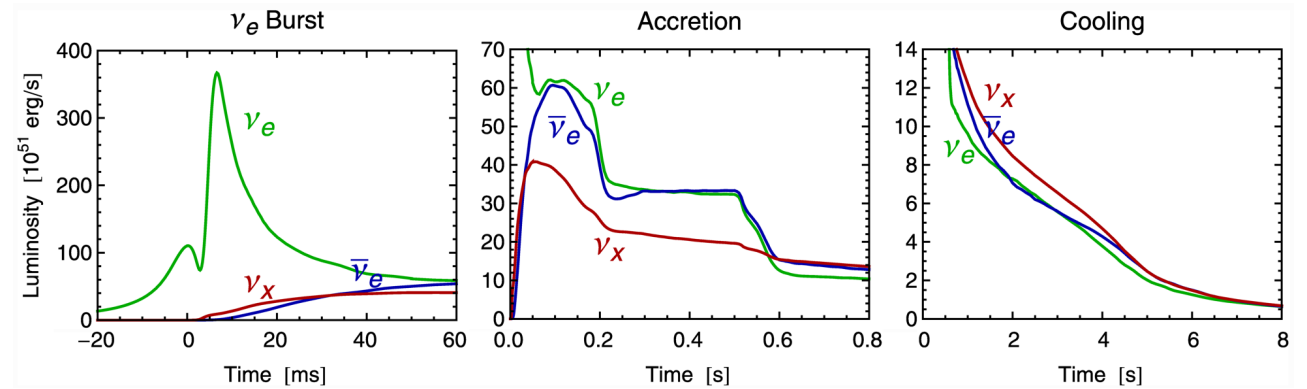
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Future

Detector	Type	Mass (kt)	Location	Events	Flavors
Super-Kamiokande	H <sub>2</sub> O	32	Japan	7,000	$\bar{\nu}_e$
LVD	C <sub>n</sub> H <sub>2n</sub>	1	Italy	300	$\bar{\nu}_e$
KamLAND	C <sub>n</sub> H <sub>2n</sub>	1	Japan	300	$\bar{\nu}_e$
Borexino	C <sub>n</sub> H <sub>2n</sub>	0.3	Italy	100	$\bar{\nu}_e$
IceCube	Long string	(600)	South Pole	(10 <sup>6</sup> )	$\bar{\nu}_e$
Baksan	C <sub>n</sub> H <sub>2n</sub>	0.33	Russia	50	$\bar{\nu}_e$
MiniBooNE*	C <sub>n</sub> H <sub>2n</sub>	0.7	USA	200	$\bar{\nu}_e$
HALO	Pb	0.08	Canada	30	$\nu_e, \nu_x$
Daya Bay	C <sub>n</sub> H <sub>2n</sub>	0.33	China	100	$\bar{\nu}_e$
NO $\nu$ A*	C <sub>n</sub> H <sub>2n</sub>	15	USA	4,000	$\bar{\nu}_e$
SNO+	C <sub>n</sub> H <sub>2n</sub>	0.8	Canada	300	$\bar{\nu}_e$
MicroBooNE*	Ar	0.17	USA	17	$\nu_e$
DUNE	Ar	34	USA	3,000	$\nu_e$
Hyper-Kamiokande	H <sub>2</sub> O	560	Japan	110,000	$\bar{\nu}_e$
JUNO	C <sub>n</sub> H <sub>2n</sub>	20	China	6000	$\bar{\nu}_e$
RENO-50	C <sub>n</sub> H <sub>2n</sub>	18	Korea	5400	$\bar{\nu}_e$
LENA	C <sub>n</sub> H <sub>2n</sub>	50	Europe	15,000	$\bar{\nu}_e$
PINGU	Long string	(600)	South Pole	(10 <sup>6</sup> )	$\bar{\nu}_e$

From review by Scholberg (2012)

Several detectors capable of detecting SN neutrinos. There is a rich science-case.



## Burst

## Accretion

## Cooling

SN standard candle

Collective effects

Nuclear physics

Mass ordering

SN theory

Exotics/Axions

Timing

Mass ordering

Nucleosynthesis

...

Pointing

Shock

...

...

# Deuterated Liquid Scintillator

We propose a kton-scale deuterated liquid scintillator with added Gd, and instrumented with PMTs that can be used to study low energy neutrinos esp. through the Neutral Current channel.

## The Road to a Deuterium-based Scintillator Detector

based on the DLS Science Case White Paper  
+ JCAP 11 (2021) 005 by Bhavesh Chauhan, BD, Vivek Datar  
+ ongoing work by the DLS Study Group at TIFR  
+ ongoing work by DLS Task Force of DAE

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(e.g., participants of the Underground Science Lab  
meeting held in 2022 at TIFR)



# Deuterated Detectors

## Charged Current

Flavor	Ordinary Detector		Deuterated Detector	
	Channel	Detector	Channel	Detector
$\nu_e$	$\nu_e \text{ Ar} \rightarrow e^- \text{ K}^*$	DUNE <i>Spectrum</i> ✓ <i>Tagging</i> ✗	$\nu_e d \rightarrow e^- p p$	SNO <i>Spectrum</i> ✓ <i>Tagging</i> ✗
	$\nu_e \text{ Pb} \rightarrow \nu_e \text{ Bi}^*$	HALO <i>Spectrum</i> ✗ <i>Tagging</i> ✗	$\nu_e d \rightarrow e^- p p$	DLS <i>Spectrum</i> ✓ <i>Tagging</i> ✓
$\bar{\nu}_e$	$\bar{\nu}_e p \rightarrow e^+ n$	SuperK+Gd <i>Spectrum</i> ✓ <i>Tagging</i> ✓	$\bar{\nu}_e d \rightarrow e^+ n n$	SNO <i>Spectrum</i> ✓ <i>Tagging</i> ✓
	$\bar{\nu}_e p \rightarrow e^+ n$	LVD, JUNO <i>Spectrum</i> ✓ <i>Tagging</i> ✗	$\bar{\nu}_e d \rightarrow e^+ n n$	DLS <i>Spectrum</i> ✓ <i>Tagging</i> ✓

## Neutral Current

Flavor	Ordinary Detector		Deuterated Detector	
	Channel	Detector	Channel	Detector
$\bar{\nu}$	$\bar{\nu} p \rightarrow \bar{\nu} p$	JUNO, THEIA <i>Spectrum</i> ✓ <i>Tagging</i> ✗	$\bar{\nu} d \rightarrow \bar{\nu} p n$	SNO <i>Spectrum</i> ✗ <i>Tagging</i> ✗
	$\bar{\nu} \text{ Pb} \rightarrow \bar{\nu} \text{ Pb}^*$	HALO <i>Spectrum</i> ✗ <i>Tagging</i> ✗	$\bar{\nu} d \rightarrow \bar{\nu} p n$	DLS <i>Spectrum</i> ✓ <i>Tagging</i> ✓

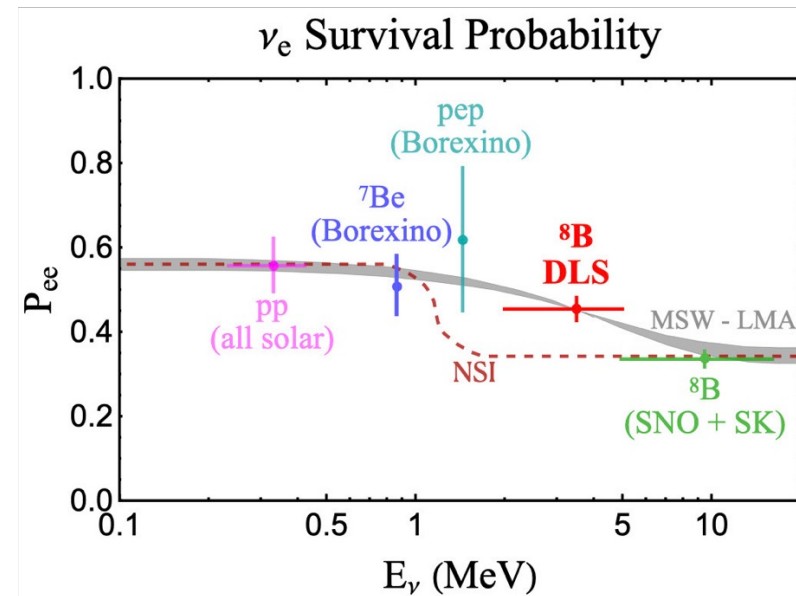
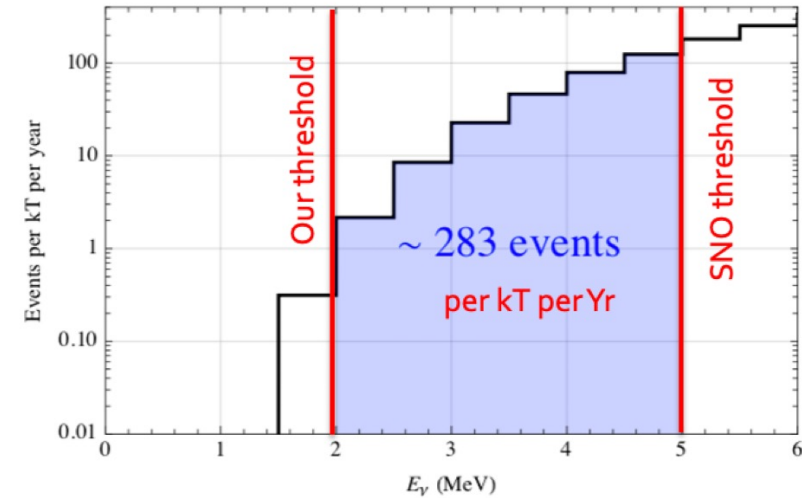
*Spectrum* ~ "Can reconstruct incident neutrino spectrum"

*Tagging* ~ "Multiple detectable particles in the final state"

Significant Advantages of Multiple Detection Channels

# Deuterated Detectors

- DLS will detect electron neutrinos (+ all other flavors)
- Approximately 6% precision in survival probability with 1 kton-yr
- Can be a stringent test of the LMA-MSW solution
- May be a way to discover non-standard interactions and other exotic effects



Bhavesh Chauhan + DLS Study Group



# Collective Effects : Physical Origin



Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory



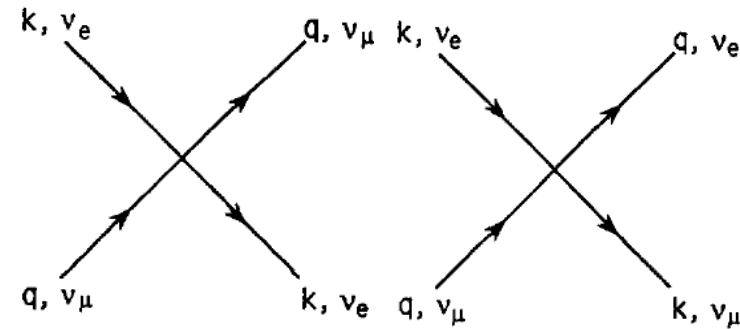
UCRHEP-T84  
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January 1992

## DIRAC NEUTRINOS IN DENSE MATTER

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In this formulation, it is apparent that basis rotations of the "propagating" neutrino cancel with those of the "background" neutrinos. Thus the U(2) flavor symmetry is maintained. To neglect the off diagonal terms in every basis is obviously incorrect since it breaks this symmetry and then the result of the flavor evolution of a given state would be different in each basis. The U(2) symmetry maintains the net flavor content.



Pantaleone (1992)

Forward scattering neutrinos  
can exchange flavor

$$i \frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} |\nu_e(\mathbf{k})\nu_e(\mathbf{q})\rangle \\ |\nu_e(\mathbf{k})\nu_\mu(\mathbf{q})\rangle \\ |\nu_\mu(\mathbf{k})\nu_e(\mathbf{q})\rangle \\ |\nu_\mu(\mathbf{k})\nu_\mu(\mathbf{q})\rangle \end{pmatrix} = V_2 \begin{pmatrix} |\nu_e(\mathbf{k})\nu_e(\mathbf{q})\rangle \\ |\nu_e(\mathbf{k})\nu_\mu(\mathbf{q})\rangle \\ |\nu_\mu(\mathbf{k})\nu_e(\mathbf{q})\rangle \\ |\nu_\mu(\mathbf{k})\nu_\mu(\mathbf{q})\rangle \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{where } V_{2\nu} = \sqrt{2}G_F\xi \frac{1}{V} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

# The Basic Idea

$$i\partial_t |\nu_i\rangle = \left( \sum_{j=1}^N (1 - \hat{p}_j \cdot \hat{p}_i) \underbrace{|\nu_j\rangle\langle\nu_j|}_{\rho_j} + \dots \right) |\nu_i\rangle$$

Collective effect

Usual terms

Neutrinos give a phase-shift to other neutrinos.

This couples the linear equations and makes them "nonlinear".

Can linearize and ask -- is the "evolution frequency" complex? If yes, Instability.



# SN Neutrino Oscillations

$$i(\partial_t + \mathbf{v}_p \cdot \partial_p) \rho_p = + \left[ \frac{M^2}{2E}, \rho_p \right] + \sqrt{2}G_F \left[ L, \rho_p \right] + \sqrt{2}G_F \int \frac{d^3\mathbf{q}}{(2\pi)^3} (1 - \hat{\mathbf{p}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{q}}) \left[ \rho_q - \bar{\rho}_q, \rho_p \right]$$

Vacuum oscillations depend on neutrino mass matrix M  
Overall minus sign for antineutrinos

$$\omega = \frac{\Delta m^2}{2E}$$

MSW effect depends on ordinary matter density L, i.e. mainly electron density

$$\lambda = \sqrt{2}G_F n_e$$

Collective effects depends on the neutrino density

$$\mu = \sqrt{2}G_F n_\nu$$

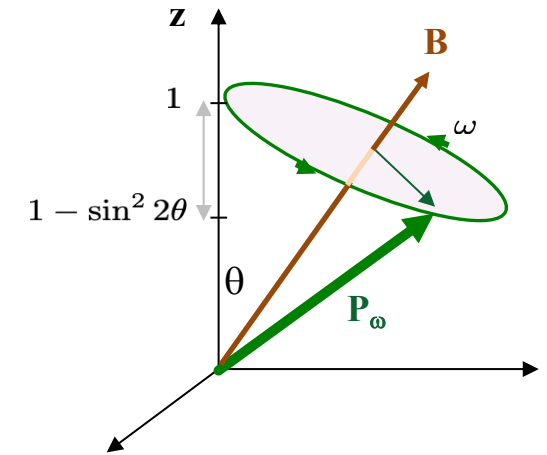
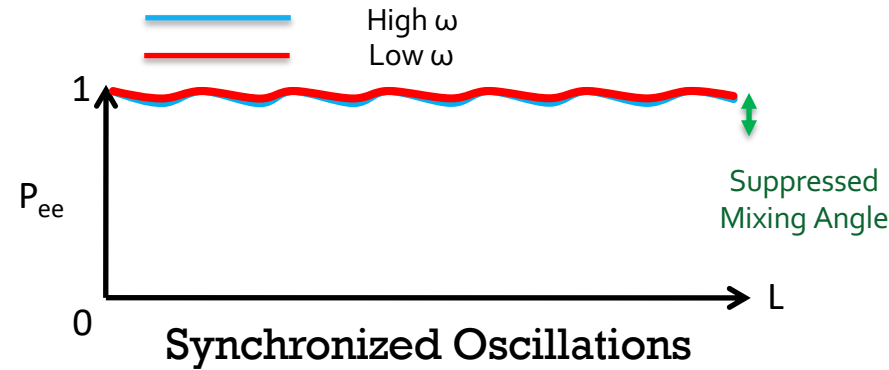
In general, a 7 dimensional problem  
3 momentum (E,  $\theta_p$ ,  $\phi_p$ ) + 3 space (r,  $\theta$ ,  $\phi$ ) + 1 time (t)  
Dimensionality of calculations denoted by  $n_p + n_x + n_t$

# Collective Oscillation: Instability

When density is high

$$\mu = G_F n_\nu \gg \frac{\Delta m^2}{2E} = \omega$$

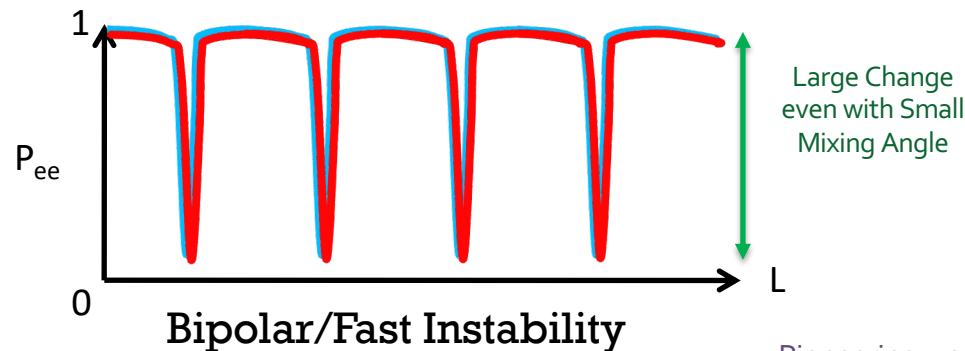
the collective oscillations have small amplitude



As neutrino density gets lower

$$G_F n_\nu \lesssim \frac{\Delta m^2}{2E}$$

the system can be unstable



Pioneering work by Pantaleone, Kostelecky, Samuel in the 90s  
 Second-wave in 2005-06 by Duan, Fuller, Carlson, Qian + others  
 Fast Oscillations by Sawyer (2015)  
 Chakraborty, Hansen, Izaguirre, Raffelt (2016)  
 Dasgupta, Mirizzi, Sen (2016)

Instability grows at rate  
 $\text{sqrt}(\omega\mu) \dots$  (slow)  
 or proportional to  $\mu \dots$  (fast)



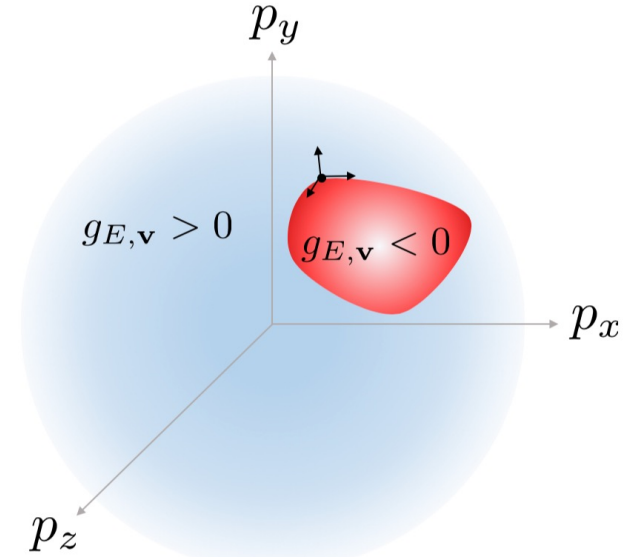
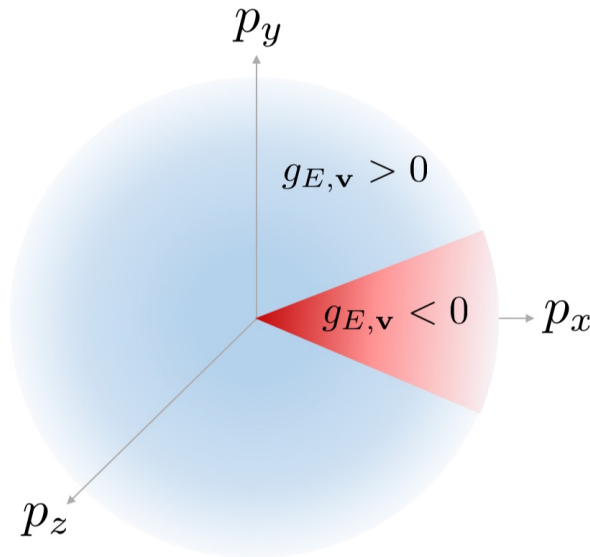
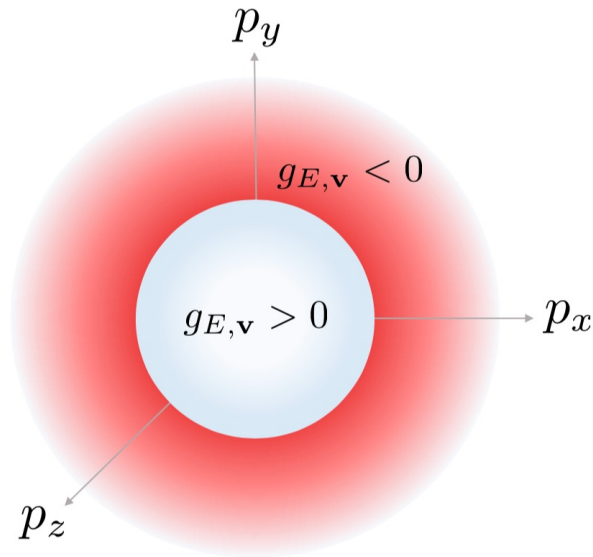
# Crossing Theorem

Collective instability occurs *only if* momentum distributions of any two flavors cross each other around some momentum

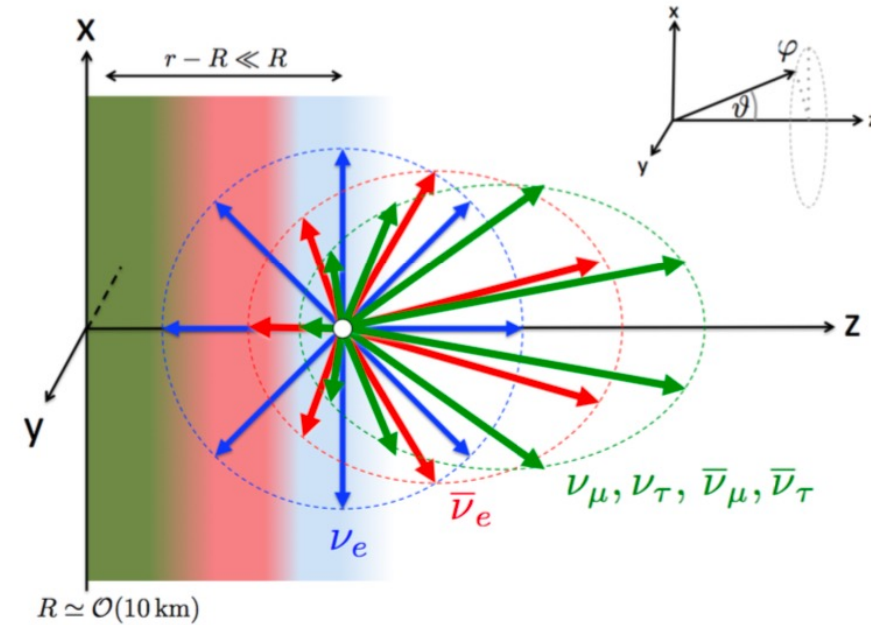
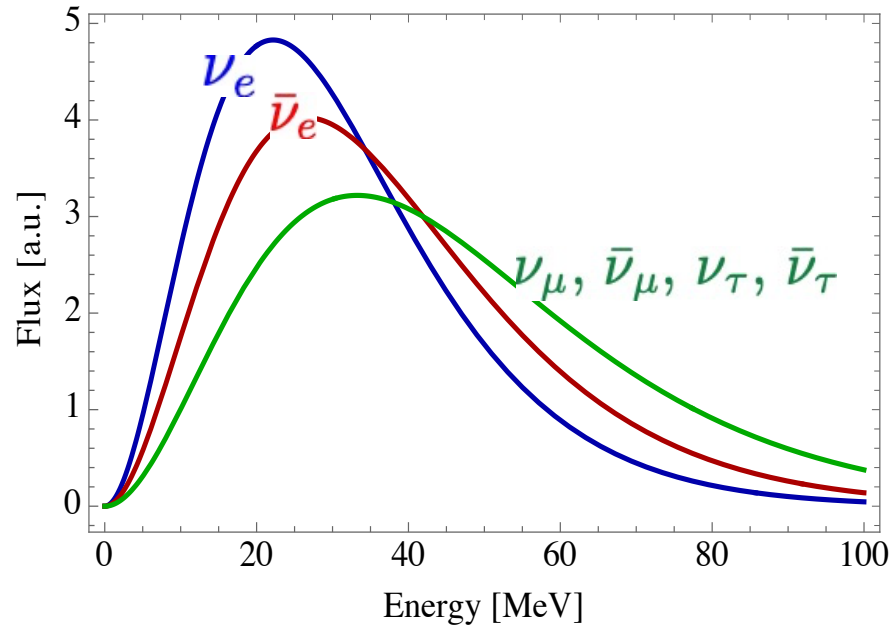
This is related to the positive-definiteness of a matrix

Dasgupta (2110.00192 ; PRL 2022)  
Morinaga (PRD, 2022)

$$g_{\Gamma} = \sqrt{2}G_F \begin{cases} f_{\nu_e, \mathbf{p}} - f_{\nu_{\mu}, \mathbf{p}} & \text{for } E > 0, \\ f_{\bar{\nu}_{\mu}, \mathbf{p}} - f_{\bar{\nu}_e, \mathbf{p}} & \text{for } E < 0, \end{cases}$$



# Why crossings exist



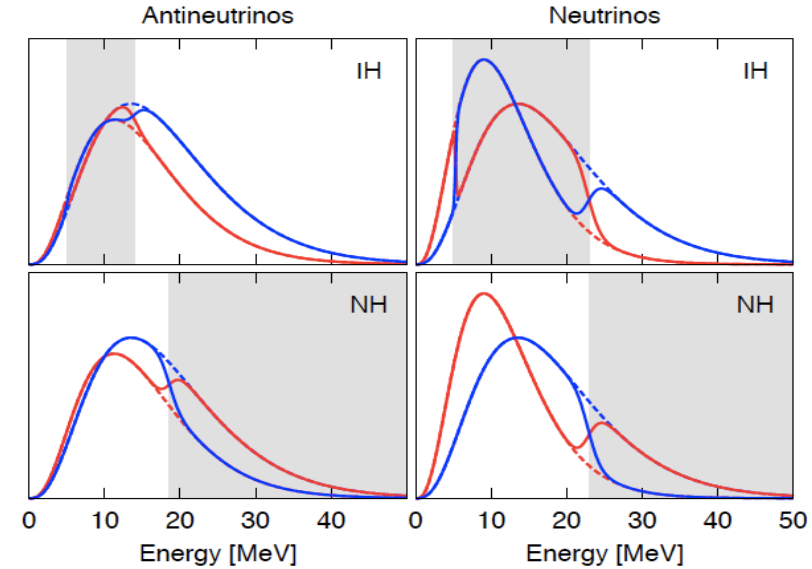
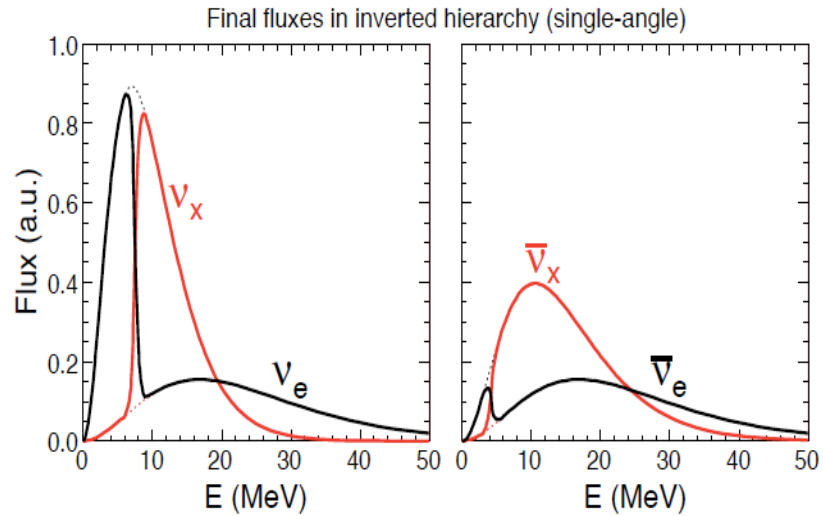
Different flavors have different energy spectrum

Crossing leads to (**slow**) instability

Different flavors have different angular distribution

Crossing leads to (**fast**) instability

# Spectral Swaps due to Slow Effects



Portions of the energy spectra  
get exchanged

Initially thought to occur for  
Inverted ordering

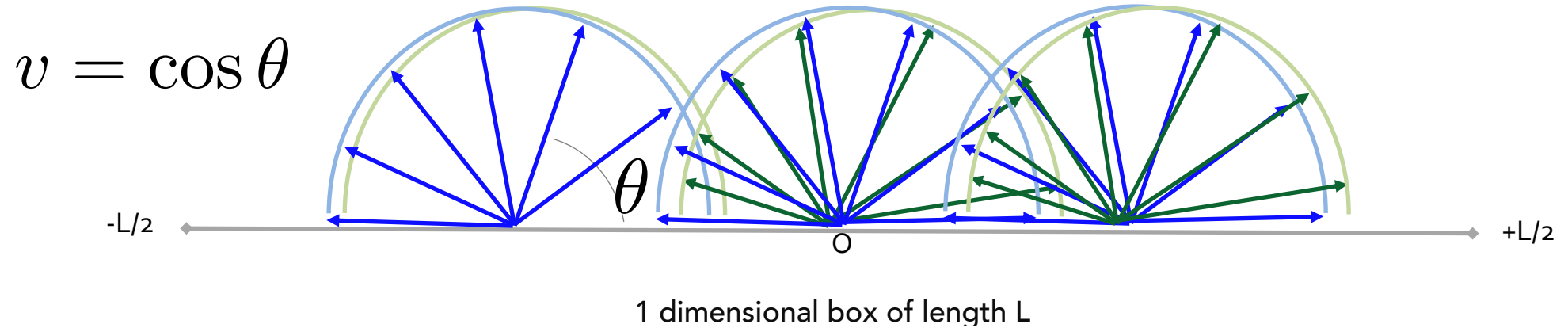
Later realized that this occurs for  
both orderings and there can be  
multiple spectral splits

Seminal papers by Duan, Fuller, Carlson, Qian (2005, 2006, 2007)  
Raffelt and Smirnov (2007, 2007)  
Fogli, Lisi, Marrone, Mirizzi (2008)

Dasgupta, Dighe, Raffelt, Smirnov (2009)  
Friedland (2010)



# Fast Oscillation : Numerics



$$(\partial_t + v\partial_z)S_v = \mu_0 \int_{-1}^{+1} dv' G_{v'} (1 - vv') S_{v'} \times S_v$$

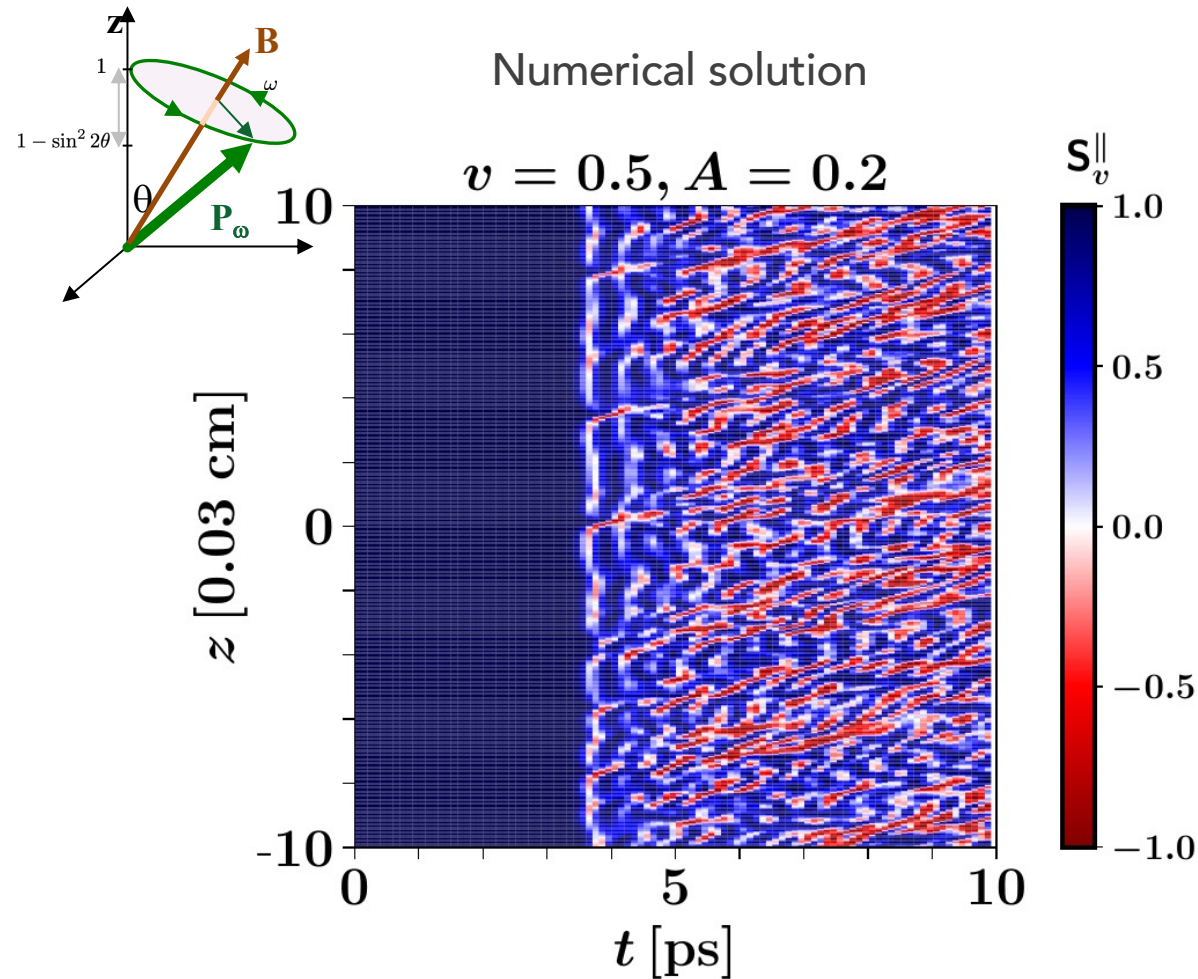
Neutrinos labeled by velocity emitted in **electron** or **muon** state at a small region of size L

Net-emission at velocity v is  $\mathbf{G}_v = \mathbf{f}_e(v) - \mathbf{f}_{\text{muon}}(v)$

which is the difference of phase space distributions of the two flavors at each v.

1+1+1d calculation Bhattacharyya and Dasgupta (PRD 2020 ; PRL 2021, 2205.05129)

# Fast Mixing due to Fast Instability



Analytical Understanding via Coarse-graining

$$\partial_t \langle M_n \rangle = \frac{\langle M_1 \rangle}{2} \left( \partial_n^2 \langle M_n \rangle + \frac{1}{n} \partial_n \langle M_n \rangle \right)$$

A diffusion of the "difference of flavors" to higher multipoles of emission angle (i.e., momentum)

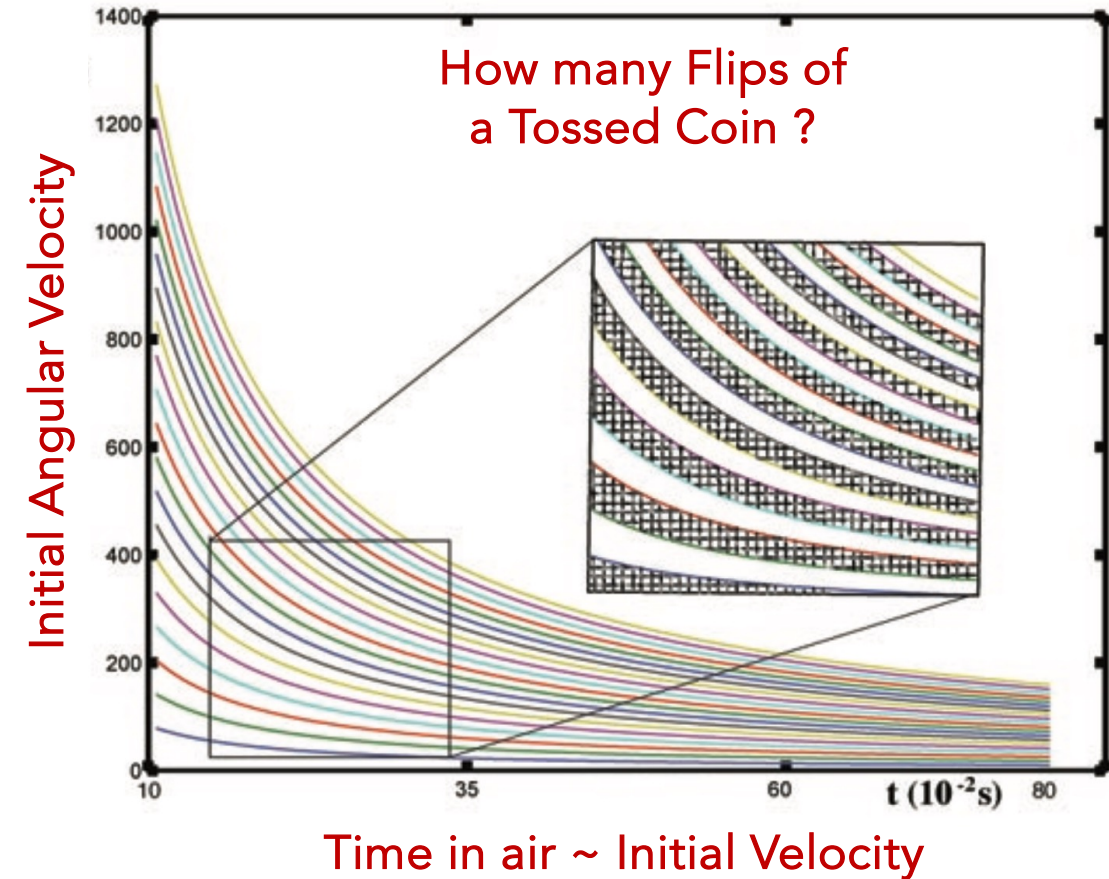
Several other groups have since obtained similar results

- Richers et al. @ Berkeley
- Wu et al. @ Taiwan
- Sigl @ Hamburg

Survival Probability starts at 1  
Oscillates coherently a few times  
And then decoheres

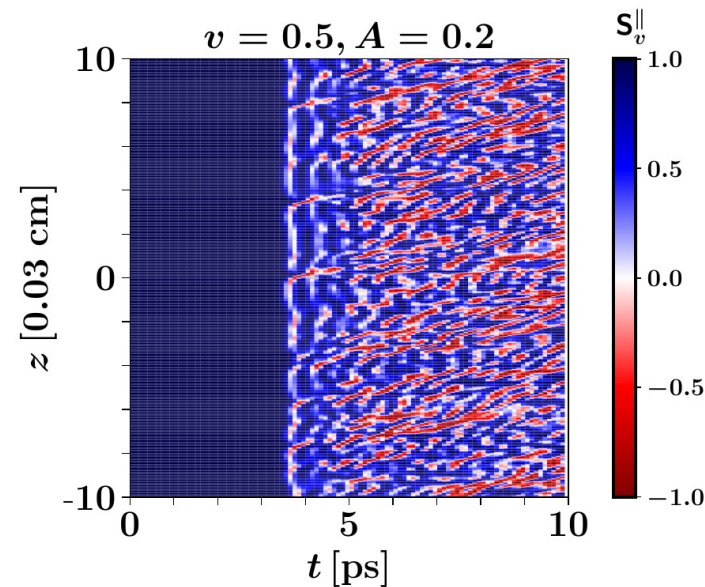
Bhattacharyya and Dasgupta (PRD, 2020 ; PRL 2021)

# Probability from Certainty



Coarse-grained measurements lead to probabilities via strong averaging over deterministic possibilities

Coarse-graining can lead to apparent irreversibility even if the evolution is reversible

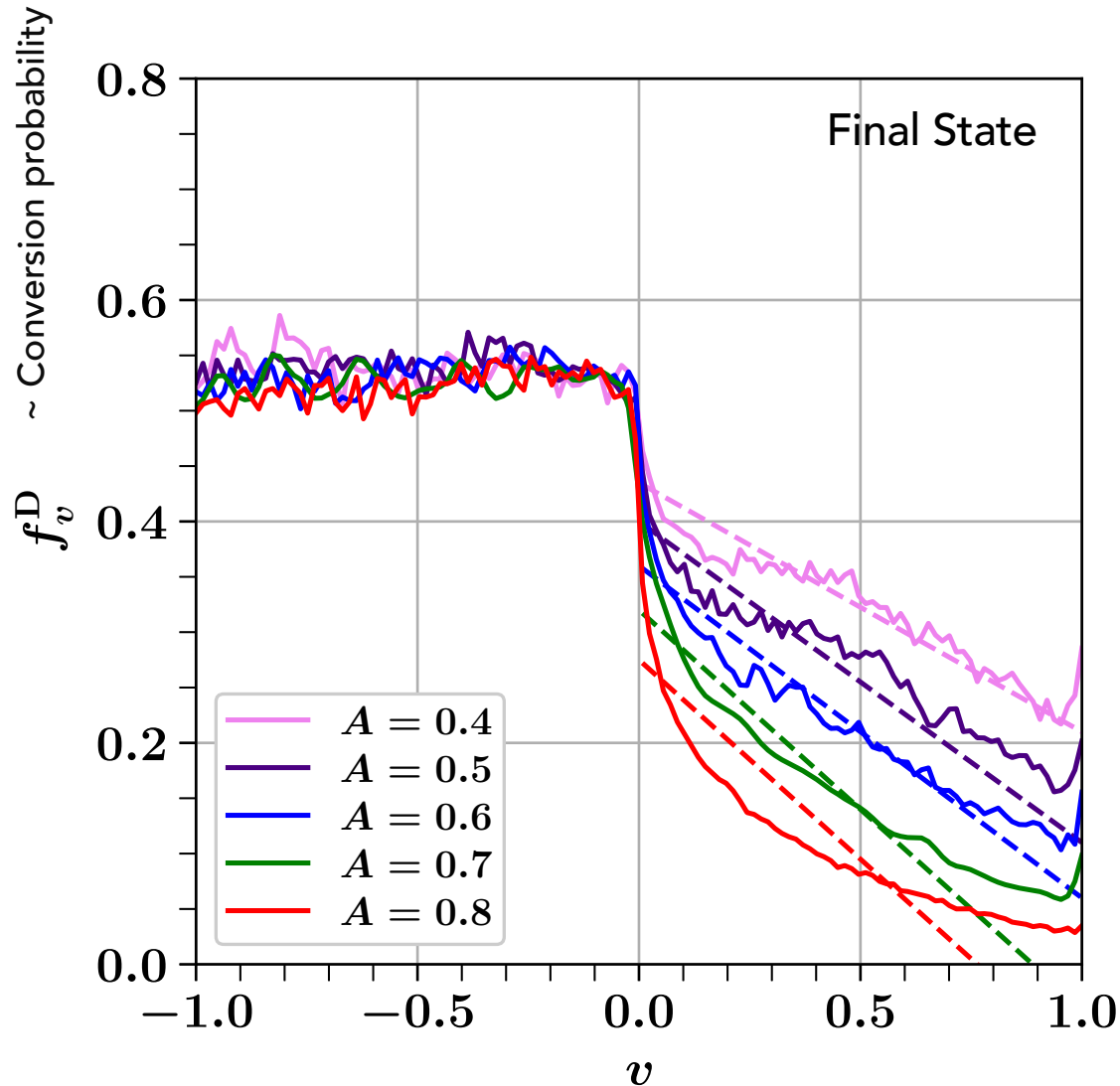


Coarse-grained probability

Fig. from Diaconis, Holmes, Montgomery (2007)



# Fast Depolarization



$$f_v^D \approx \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} - \frac{A}{4} - \frac{3A}{8} v, & \text{if } v > 0 \\ \frac{1}{2}, & \text{if } v < 0 \end{cases}$$

Bhattacharyya and Dasgupta (PRL, 2021)

Can approximately predict the spatially **coarse-grained** degree of flavor mixing *without* full numerical solution.

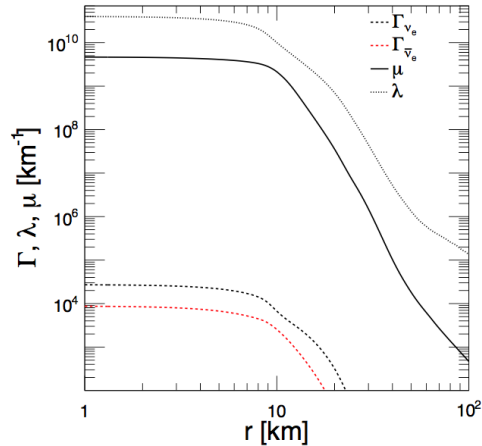
**If you do not know how to  
include collective oscillations in your  
SN neutrino analysis what should you do?**

**Assume “Flavor Equilibrium”  
if Crossing Exists**

Bhattacharyya and Dasgupta (PRL, 2021)

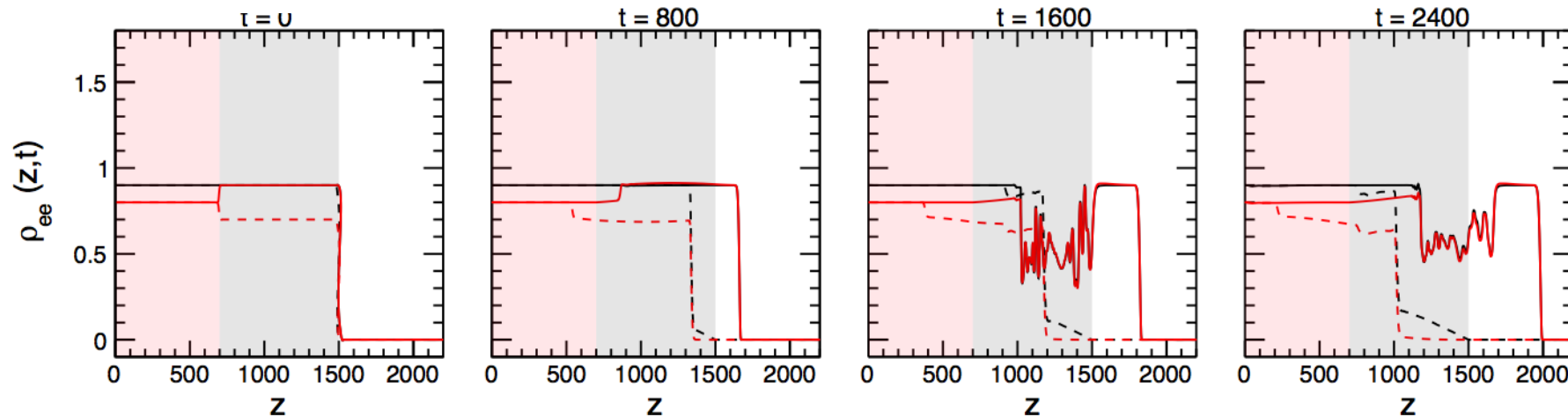
Caution: This is very simplified advice but a good starting point  
One should do better : Partial Flavor Equilibrium  
Need more realism: Contact your favorite SN Neutrino Physicist

# Collisions vs. Oscillations



Collisions can be strong enough to create a difference between electron neutrinos and antineutrinos. Yet, may not damp oscillations.

Capozzi, Dasgupta, Mirizzi, Sen (2018)  
 See also Johns (2021)  
 Martin, Carlson, Cirigliano, Duan (2021)  
 Sasaki, Takiwaki (2021)  
 Shalgar and Tamborra (2021)



Do fast conversions, once generated, penetrate the SN core?

# Related work

- Mean-field treatment via Wigner fns.

Birol, Pehlivan, Balantekin, Kajino (2018)  
Stirner, Sigl, Raffelt (2018)  
Vlasenko, Fuller, Cirigliano (2014)  
Volpe, Vaananen, Espinoza (2013)  
Cardall (2008)

- Wavepackets/Kinematic decoherence

Akhmedov, Kopp, Lindner (2017)  
Hansen, Smirnov (2016)

- Sterile nus, NSI, BSM, ...

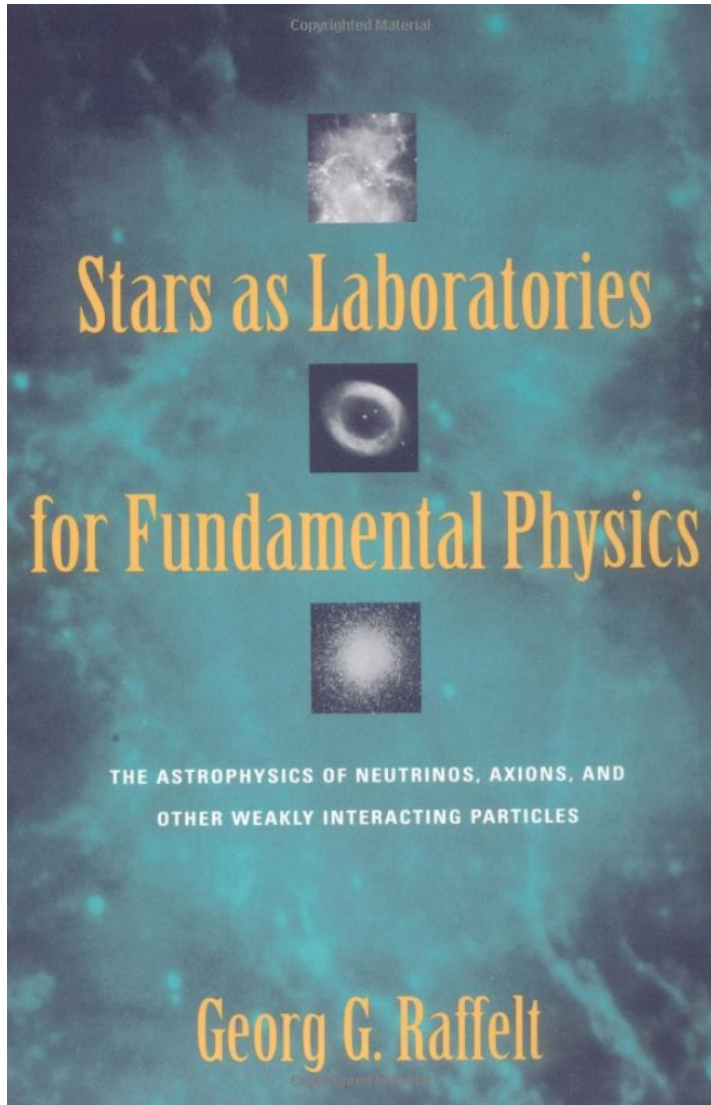
Skipping non-standard physics for lack of space and time

- Interpretation of collective effects

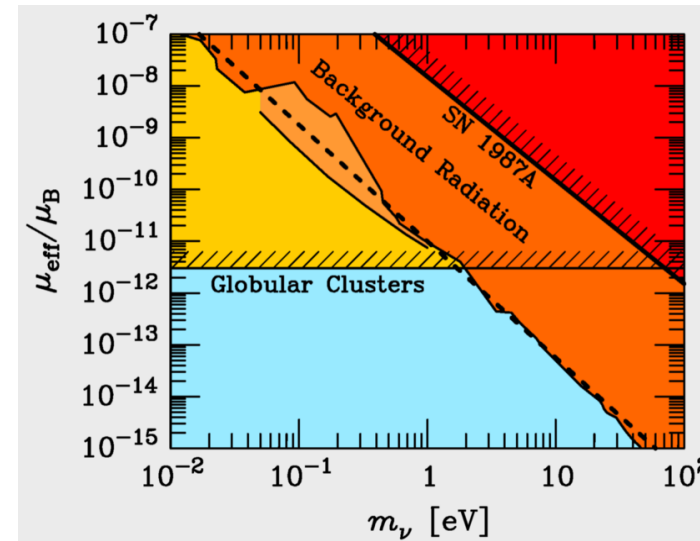
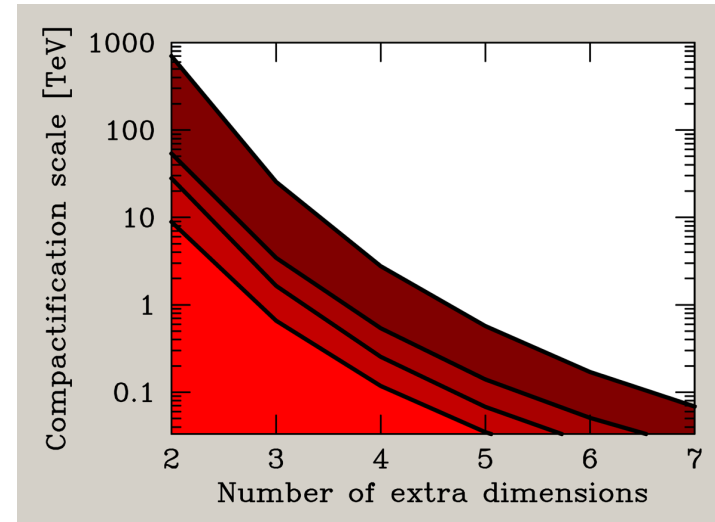
Hansen and Smirnov (2018)  
Morinaga and Yamada (2017)



# Fundamental Physics with Stars

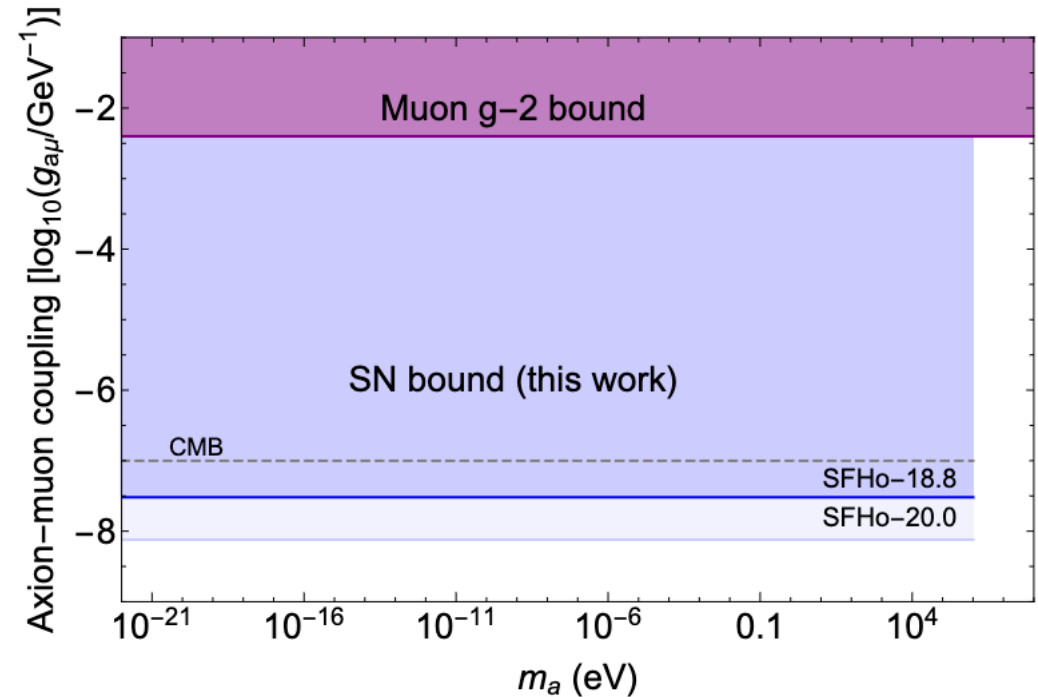


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# New Ingredients: e.g. Muons

Temperature in SN  $\sim 30\text{-}60$  MeV.  
Muons are not heavily suppressed.  
Can use this to put bounds on BSM physics coupling to muons, e.g., an axion coupling to muons, or a light feebly interacting  $L_e - L_\mu$  boson.



Bollig et al. (PRL, 2017)

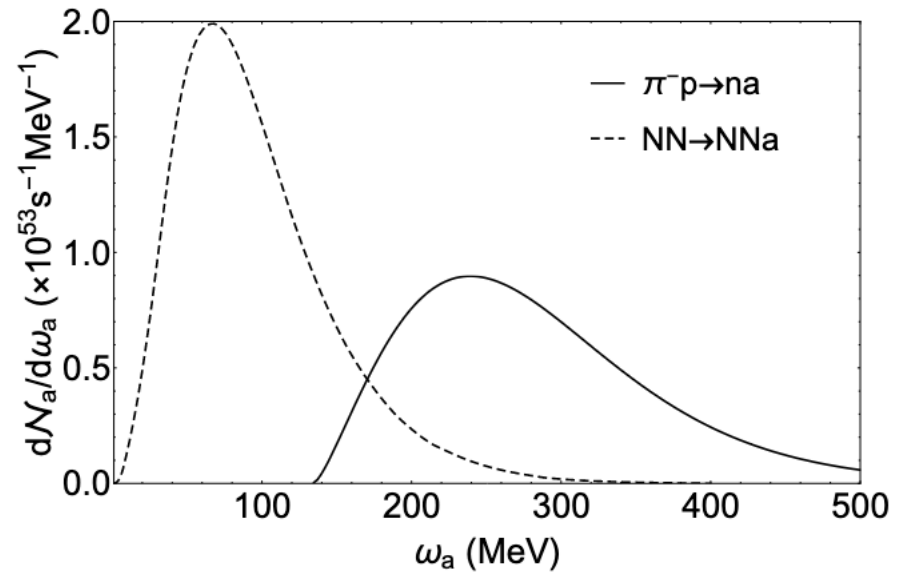
Bolling, de Rocco, Graham, Janka (PRL, 2017)

Croon, Elor, Leane, McDermott (2020)

Caputo, Raffelt, Vitagliano (PRD, 2022)

Better limits from better models of SN, and inclusion of previously ignored physical effects

# New Processes : e.g. $NN \rightarrow NNa$

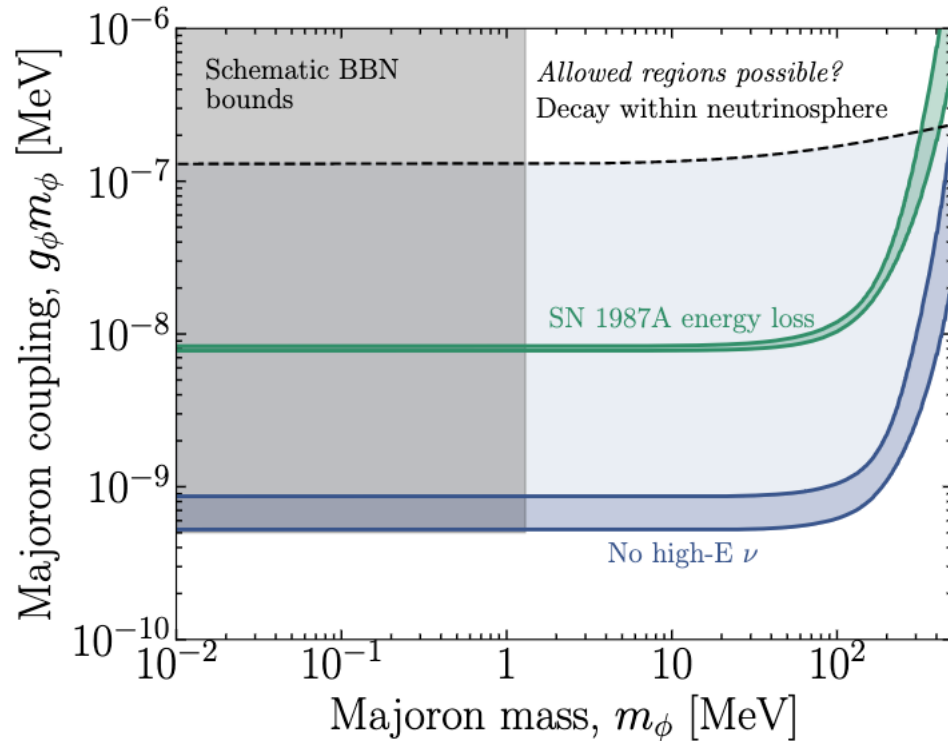


Newly considered processes that produce axions more prominently at higher energies.

Fore, Reddy (PRC, 2020)

Carenza, Fore, Gianotti, Mirizzi, Reddy (PRL, 2020)

# New Arguments: e.g. HENs



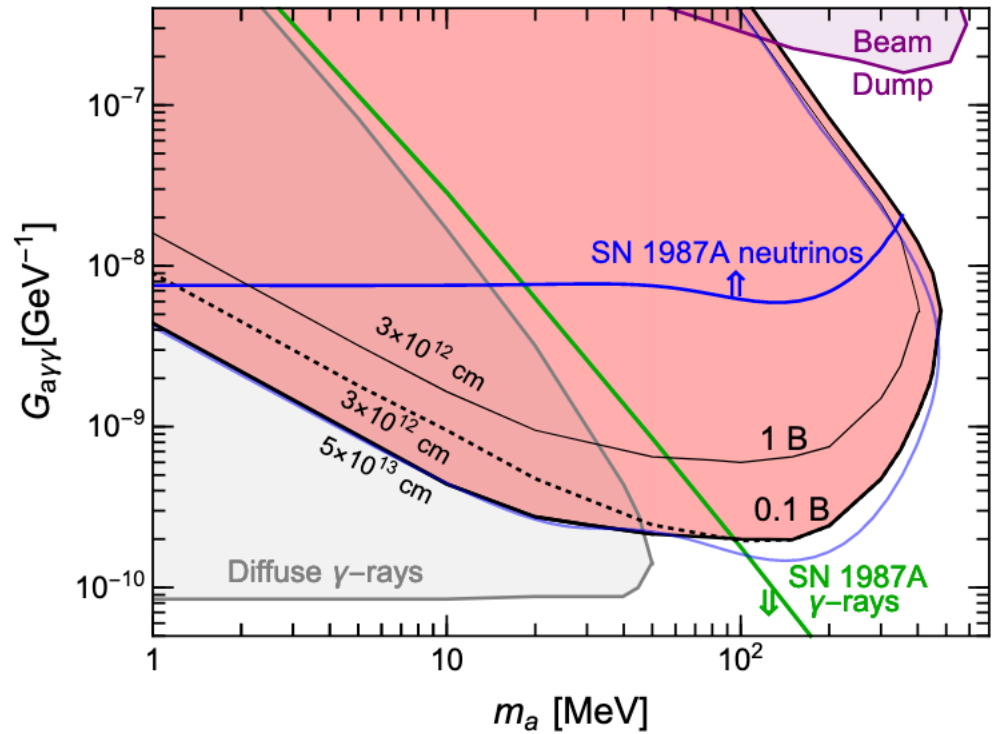
A Majoron not only steals energy from core of SN, it can also decay back into high-E neutrinos.

Non-observation of high-E neutrinos from SN gives stronger bounds than cooling.

Fiorillo, Raffelt, Vitagliano (2209.11773)



# New Arguments: e.g. Ejecta Energy



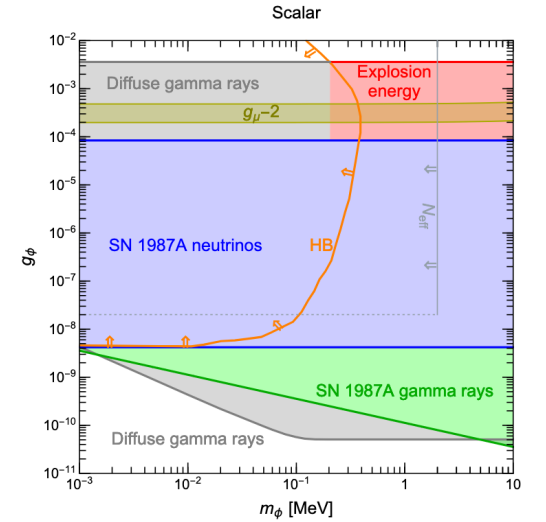
A BSM particle produced in SN not only cools but also interacts and redeposits energy in ejecta

Observed ejecta energy can give stronger or complementary bounds.

Caputo, Janka, Raffelt, Vitagliano (PRL, 2022)

# SN Bounds Galore

Pseudoscalars ( $g_a$ )		Scalars ( $g_\phi$ )		Vectors ( $g_Z$ )	ALPs ( $G_{a\gamma\gamma}$ )
tree	full	tree	full	tree	[GeV $^{-1}$ ]
<b>Trapping regime, lower limits on coupling strength</b>					
• <b>Explosion energy</b>					
—	$0.24 (0.22) \times 10^{-2}$	—	$0.36 (0.33) \times 10^{-2}$	—	$5.3 (4.8) \times 10^{-5}$
• <b>SN 1987A energy loss</b>					
$6.2 (2.9) \times 10^{-4}$	$0.96 (1.2) \times 10^{-4}$	$0.11 (0.59) \times 10^{-4}$	$0.84 (0.56) \times 10^{-4}$	$0.74 (0.41) \times 10^{-4}$	$2.1 (3.0) \times 10^{-6}$
<b>Free-streaming regime, upper limits on coupling strength</b>					
• <b>SN 1987A energy loss</b>					
$3.5 (9.1) \times 10^{-9}$	same	$1.2 (2.7) \times 10^{-9}$	same	$2.7 (1.22) \times 10^{-9}$	$7.5 (3.4) \times 10^{-9}$
• <b>SN 1987A, <math>\gamma</math> rays, <math>\times \sqrt{0.1 \text{ MeV}/m_{a,\phi}}</math></b>					
—	$5.5 (3.2) \times 10^{-10}$	—	$3.5 (2.2) \times 10^{-10}$	—	$6.3 (3.9) \times 10^{-11}$
• <b>All past SNe, <math>\gamma</math> rays, short-lived bosons, <math>\times (1/n_7^{\text{cc}})^{1/2}</math></b>					
—	$0.72 (0.21) \times 10^{-10}$	—	$0.32 (0.11) \times 10^{-10}$	—	$0.81 (0.24) \times 10^{-10}$
• <b>All past SNe, <math>\gamma</math> rays, long-lived bosons, <math>\times (0.1 \text{ MeV}/m_{a,\phi}) \times (1/n_7^{\text{cc}})^{1/4}</math></b>					
—	$0.46 (0.27) \times 10^{-10}$	—	$0.34 (0.21) \times 10^{-10}$	—	$0.65 (0.39) \times 10^{-11}$
<b>HB stars in globular clusters, upper limits (<math>m_{a,\phi} \lesssim 200 \text{ keV}</math>)</b>					
—	$3.1 \times 10^{-9}$	—	$4.6 \times 10^{-9}$	—	$6.7 \times 10^{-11}$

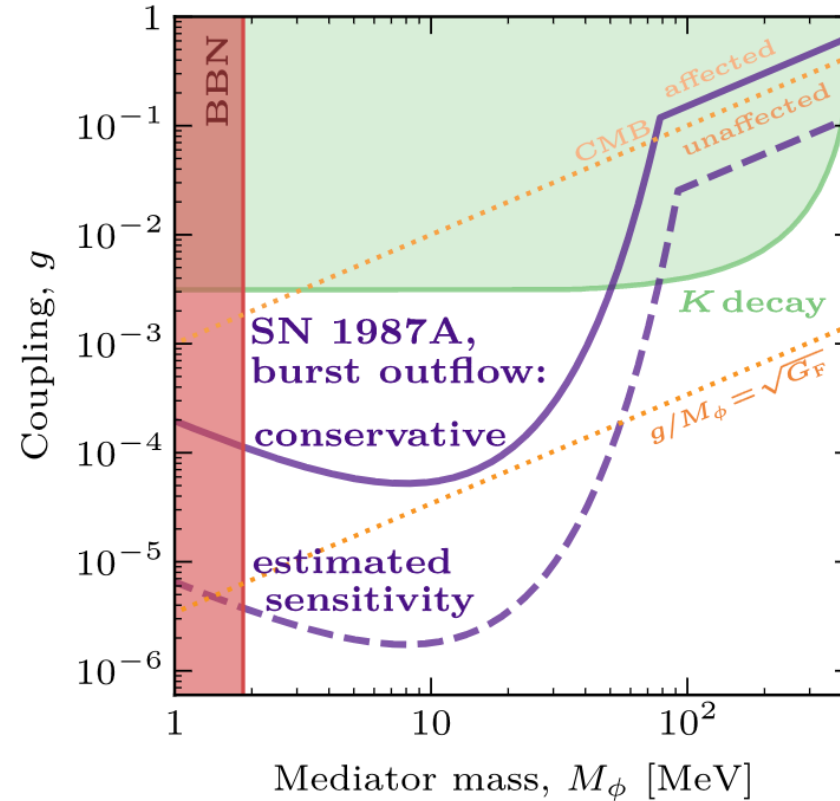
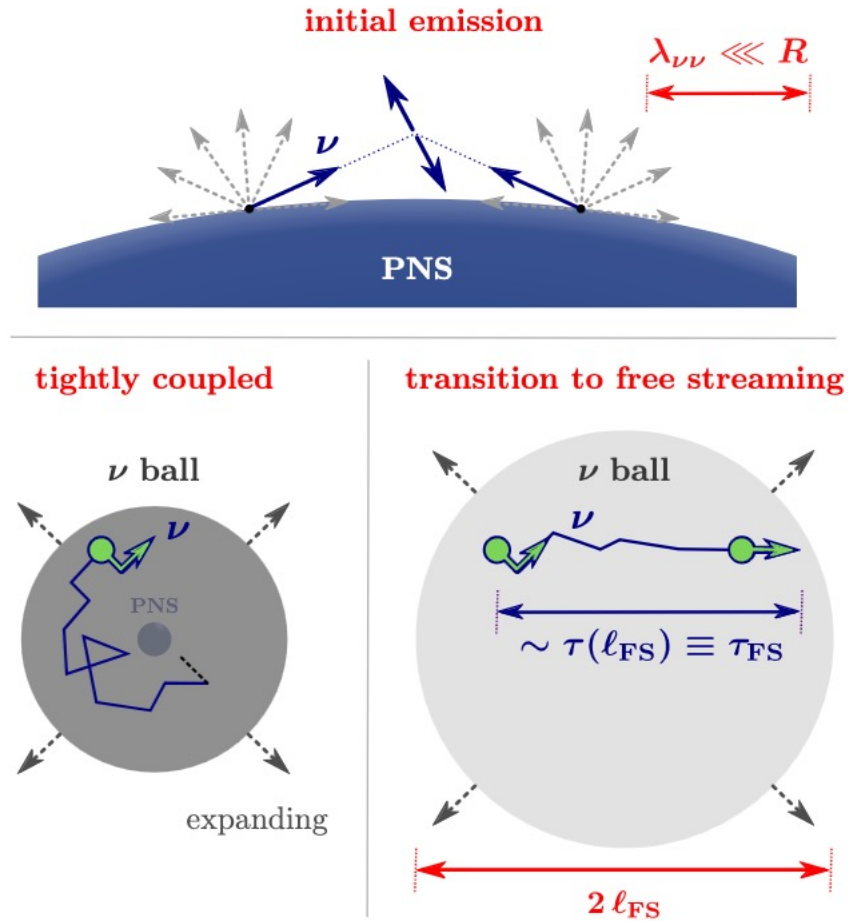


Caputo, Raffelt, Vitagliano (PRD, 2022)

Cerdeno, Cerneno, Farzan (2023)

+ many more papers ... apologies for incomplete list

# Puzzle: Neutrino Self-Interactions



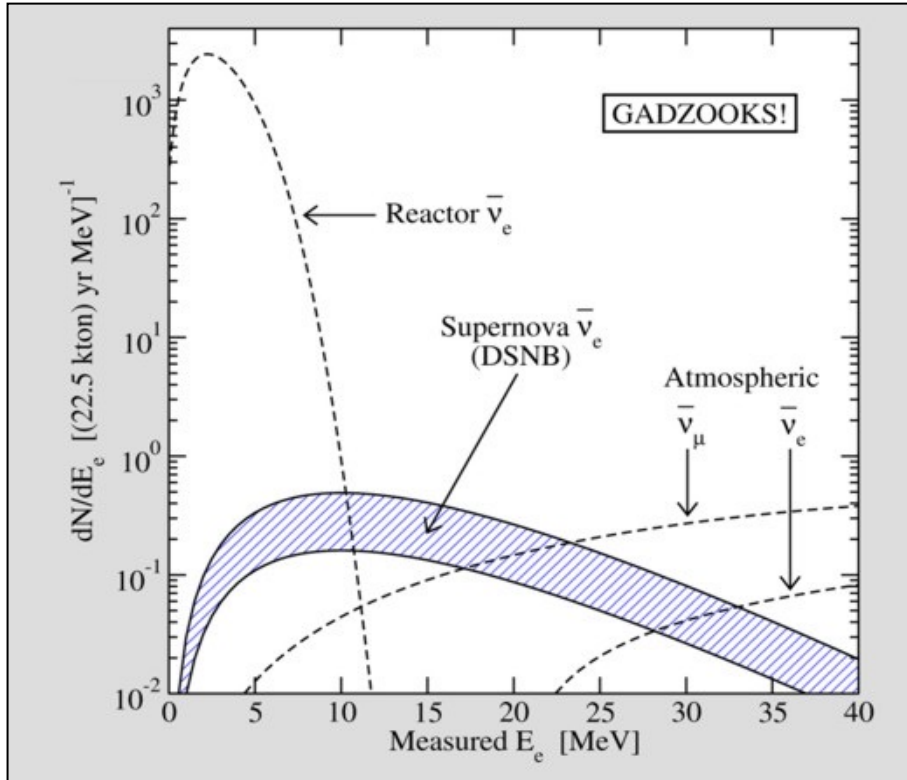
If neutrinos self-decouple too late they behave like a fluid whose behavior is still not fully understood

Chang, Istebar, Beacom, Thompson, Hirata (2206.12426)  
+ previous papers ...

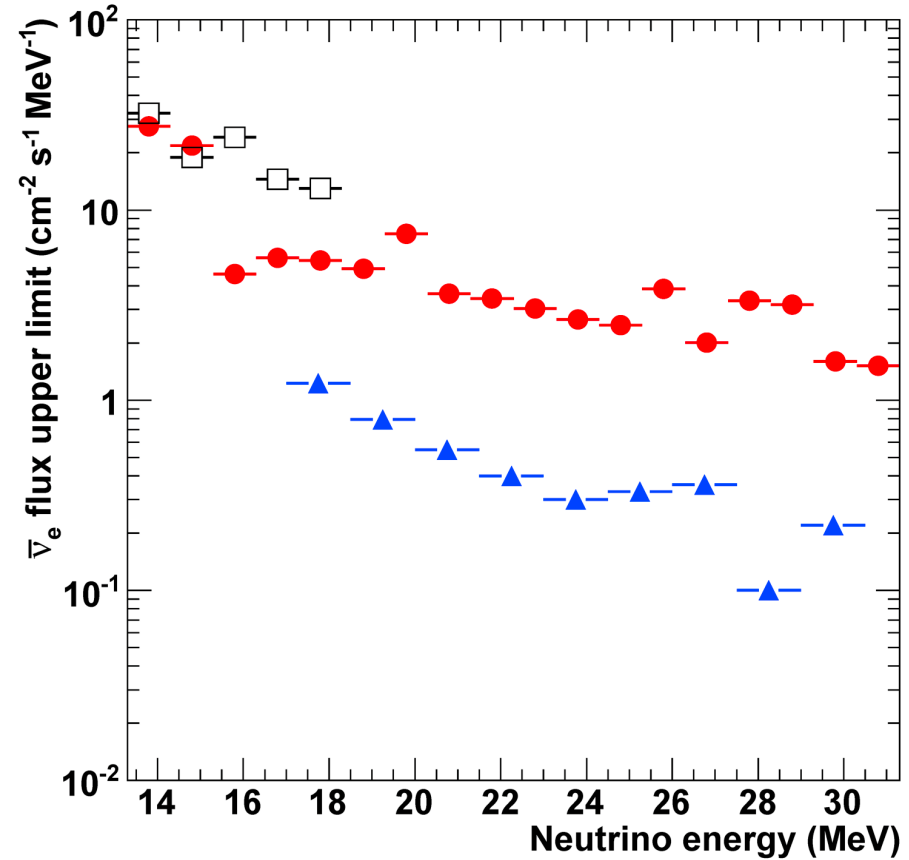
**Many more ...**



# DSNB



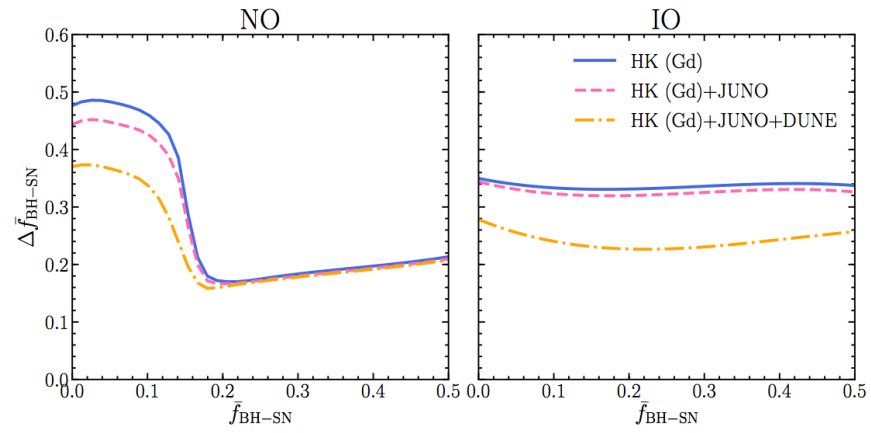
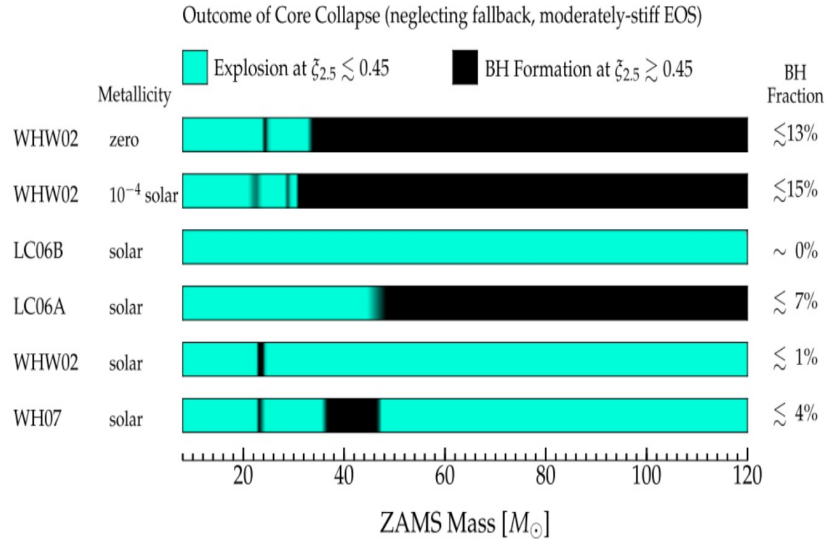
Zeldovic (1964), Bisnovatyi-Kogan and Seidov (1982)  
Plot from Beacom and Vagins (2003)  
See reviews by Lunardini (2010) and Beacom (2010)



Super-Kamiokande Collaboration (2013)

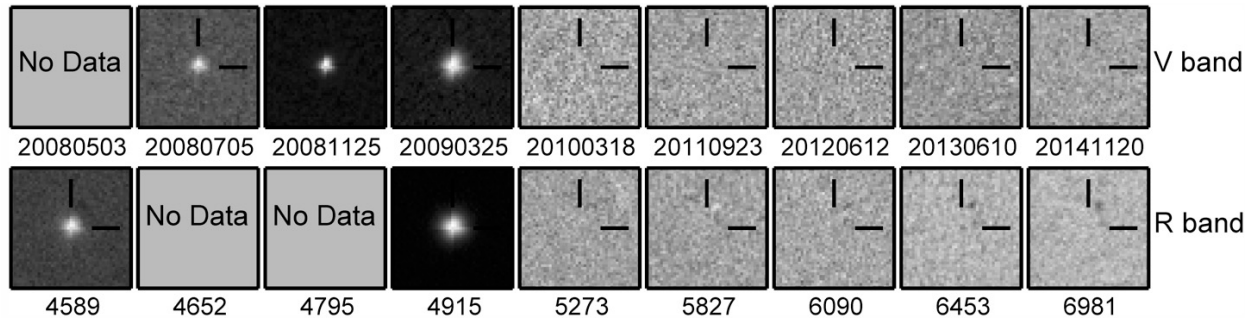
We may be close to detecting the DSNB.  
With Gd upgrade of Super-K this can be very promising.

# Are there failed SN?



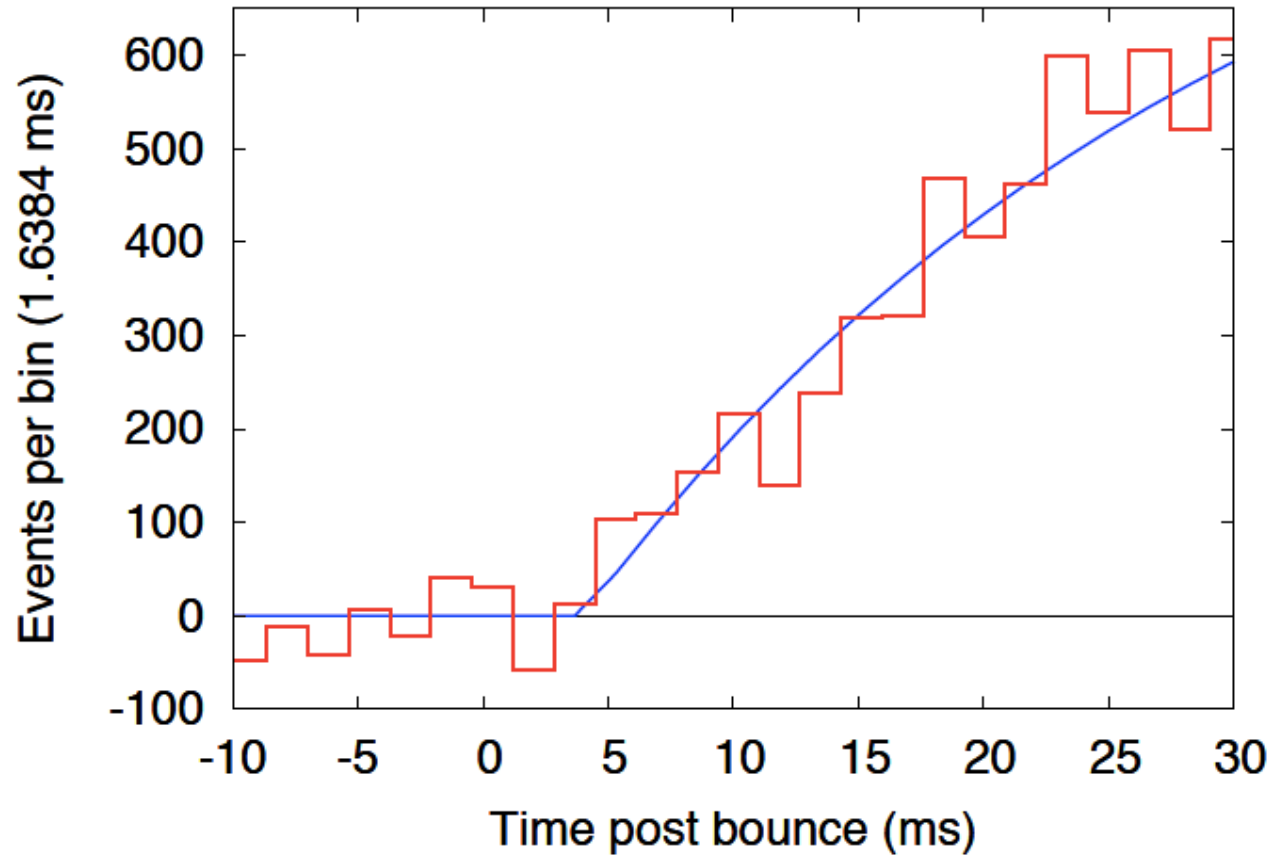
Some supernovae are not expected to explode  
 O'Connor and Ott (2013)  
 Ertl, Janka, Woosley, Sukhbold, Ugliano (2016)

DSNB is sensitive to the failed SN fraction  
 Lunardini (2009)  
 Moller, Suliga, Tamborra, Denton (2018)

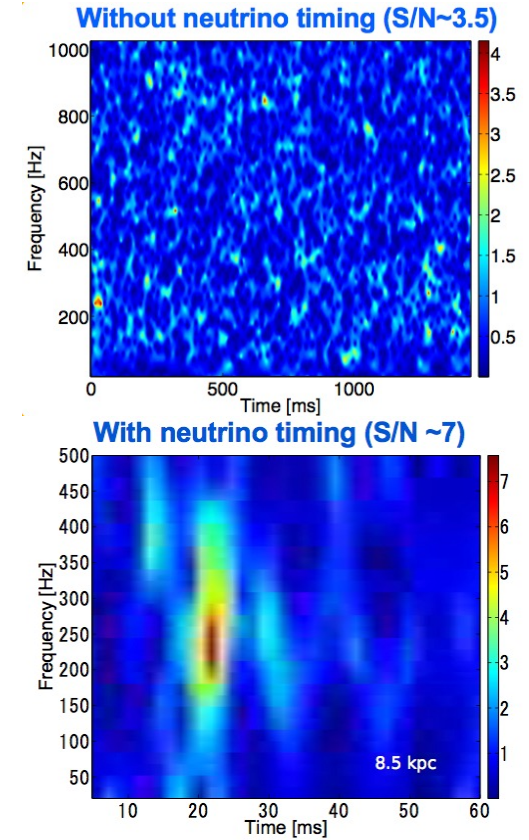


SN without a bang  
 Gerke, Kochanek, Stanek (2014)  
 Reynolds, Fraser, Gilmore (2015)

# Timing



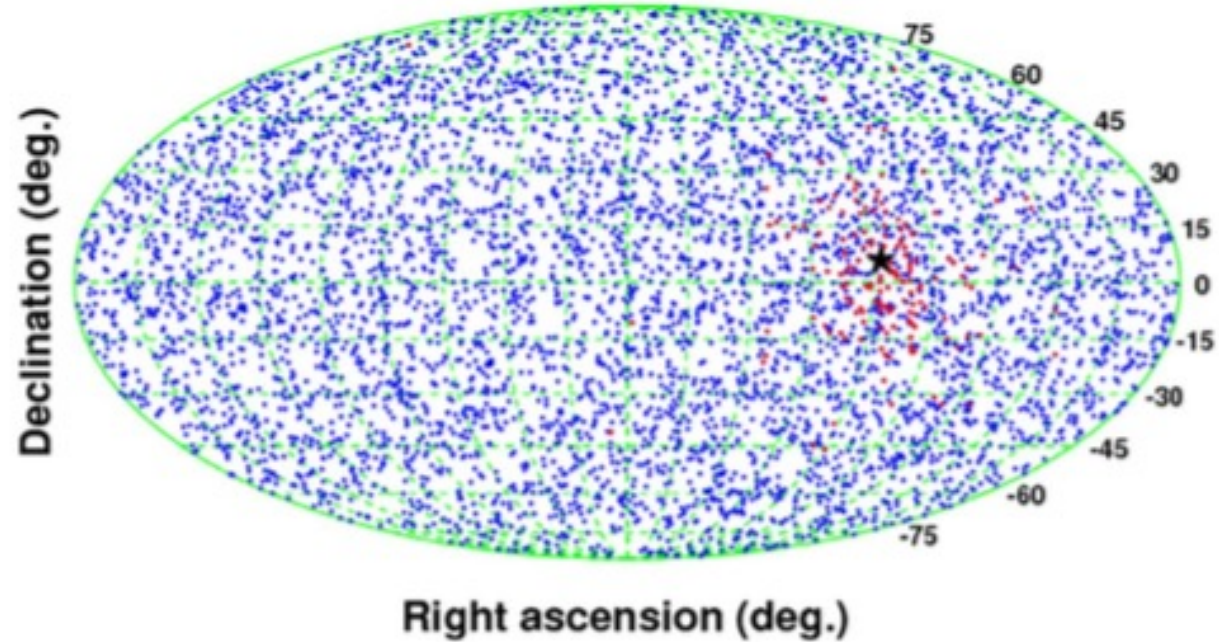
Pagliaroni, Vissani, Coccia, Fulgione (2009)  
Plot from Halzen and Raffelt (2009)



Nakamura, Horiuchi, Tanaka, Hayama,  
Takiwaki, Kotake (2016)

Improved ability to spot the signal with different messengers

# Pointing



Using directionality of elastic scattering events and subtraction of tagged inverse beta “background”

Beacom and Vogel (1998)

Beacom and Vagins (2000)

Tomas, Semikox, Raffelt, Kachelriess, Dighe (2003)

Plot from Abe et al. for Super-K (2016)

For triangulation: see Beacom and Vogel (1998)

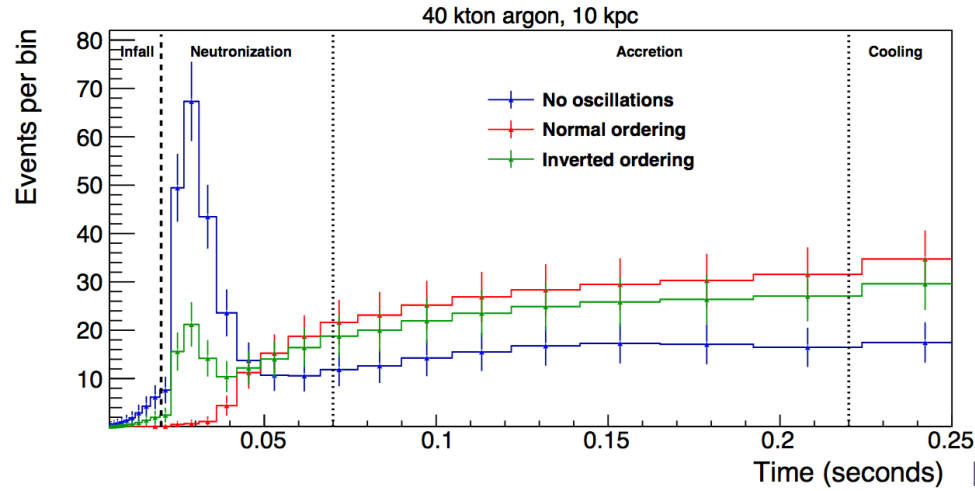
Muhlbeier, Nunokawa, and Zukanovich Funchal (2013)

Brdar, Lindner, Xu (2018)

Pointing accuracy of a few degrees for SN at 10 kpc

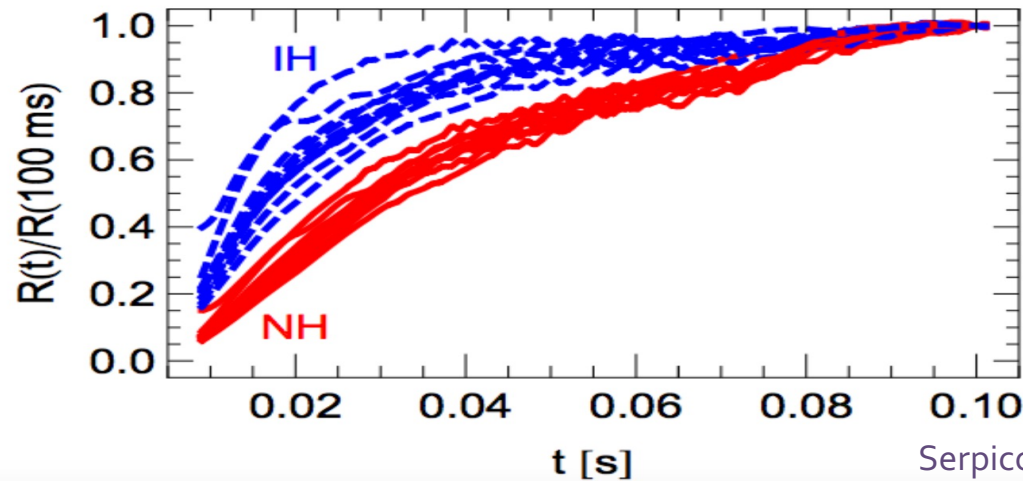


# Mass Ordering



No neutronization peak seen in electron neutrinos for inverted mass ordering

Plot from E. Worcester's talk at Neutrino 2018  
Wallace, Burrows, Dolence (2015)  
Kachelriess, Tomas, Buras, Janka, Marek, Rampp (2004)



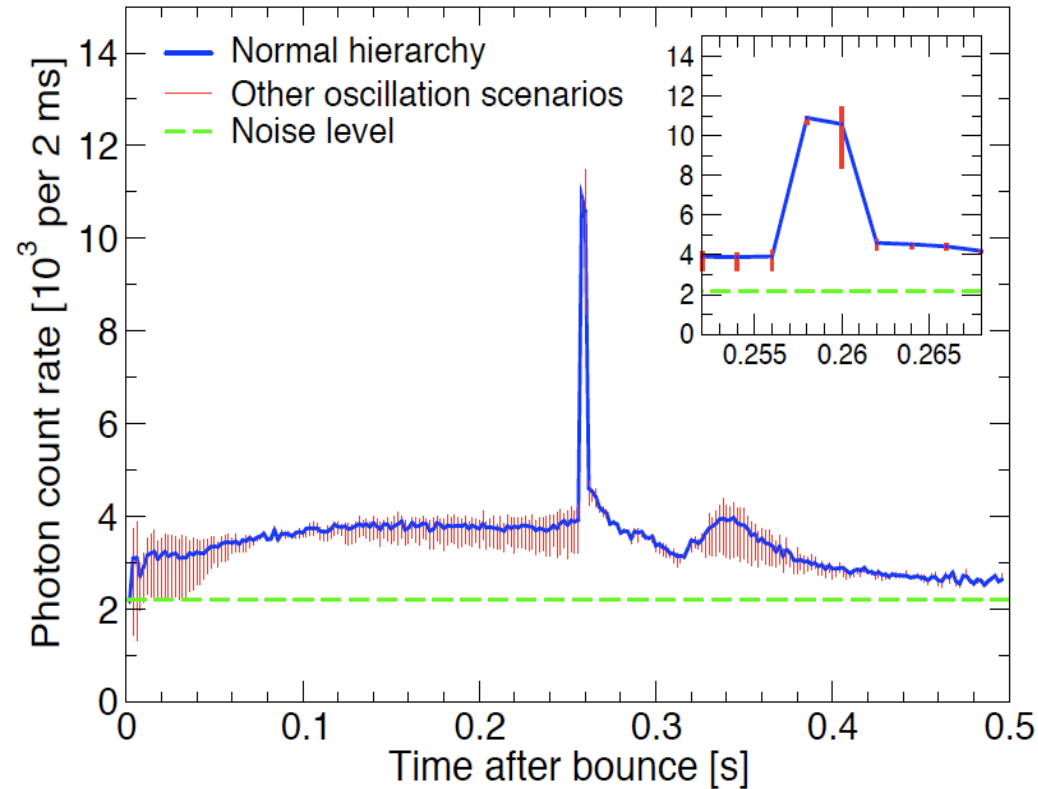
Electron antineutrino signal rises faster for inverted ordering

Note: This can change if fast conversions occurs in the accretion phase

Serpico, Chakraborty, Fischer, Hudepohl, Janka, Mirizzi (2011)

Neutronization burst can reveal the neutrino mass ordering

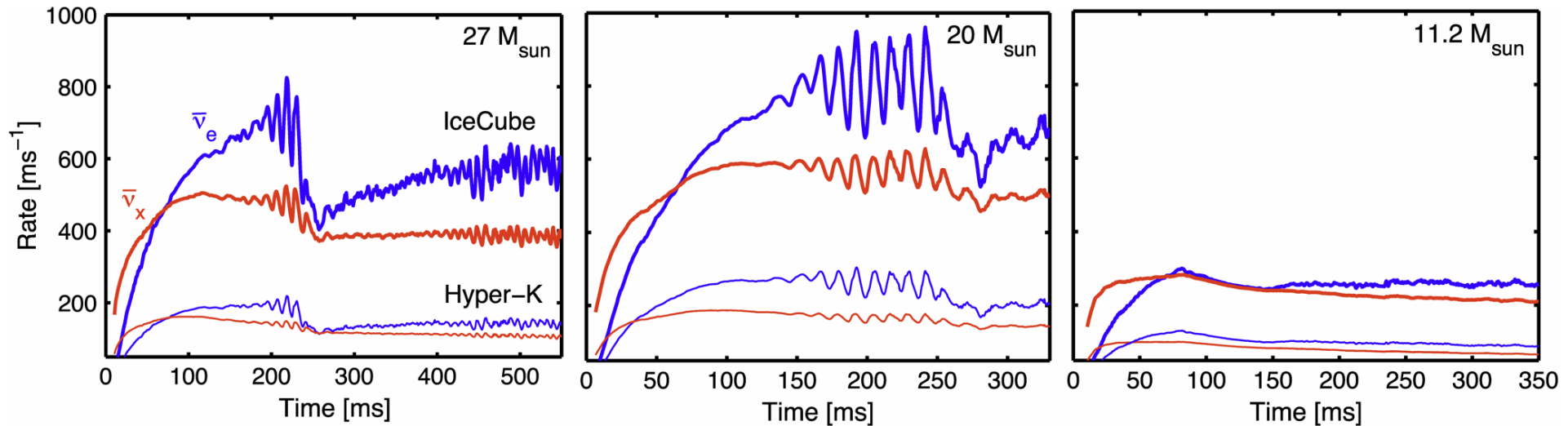
# QCD transition in SN



Dasgupta, Fischer, Horiuchi, Liebendoerfer, Mirizzi, Sagert, Schaffner-Bielich (2009)  
Simulation by Sagert, Fischer, Hempel, Pagliara, Schaffner-Bielich, Mezzacappa, Thielemann, Liebendoerfer (2008)

Neutrino telescopes are exquisitely sensitive to anything  
that affects the electron antineutrino lightcurve

# SASI Signatures



$27 M_{\text{sun}}$  star  
Multiple SASI  
episodes and  
convection

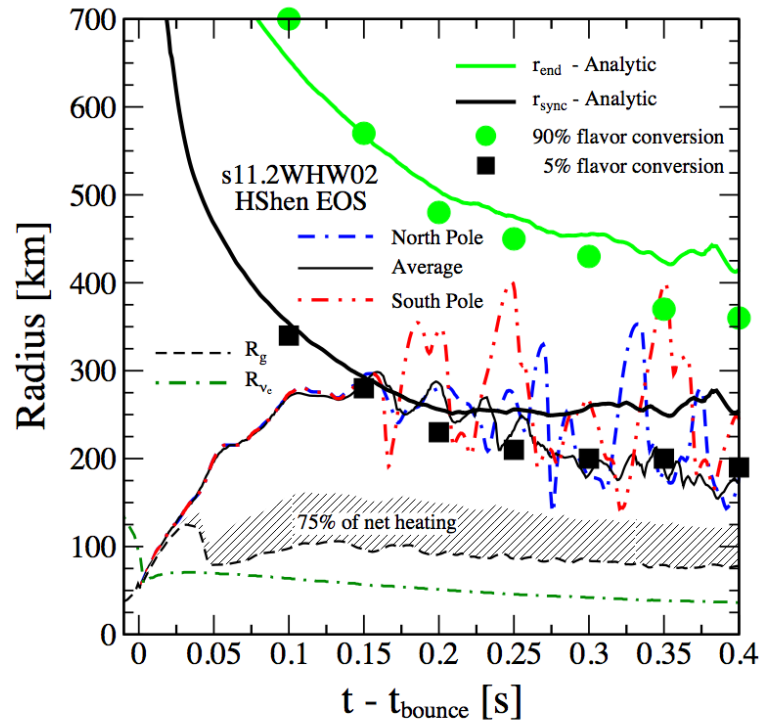
$20 M_{\text{sun}}$  star  
Single SASI  
episode and  
convection

$11.2 M_{\text{sun}}$  star  
No SASI  
episode; only  
convection

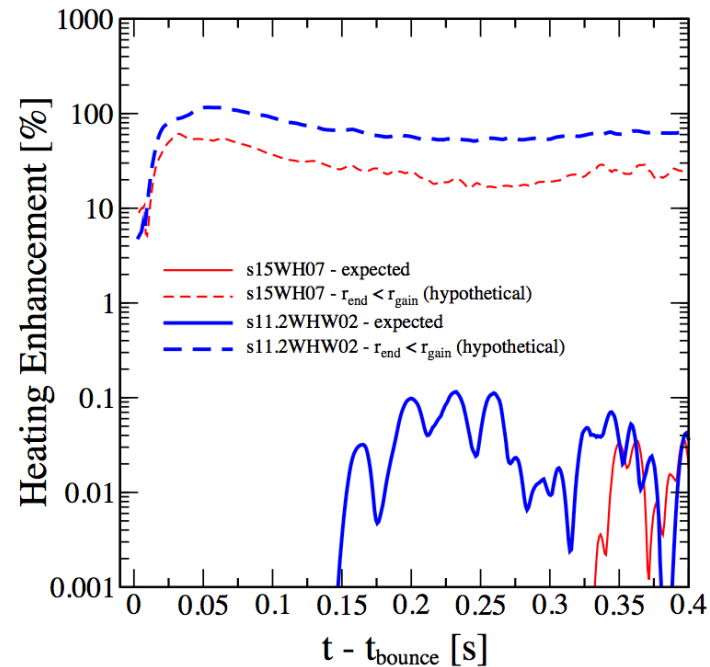
Tamborra, Raffelt, Hanke, Janka, Mueller (2014)  
Tamborra, Hanke, Mueller, Janka, Raffelt (2013)

The next galactic SN may reveal distinct signatures of the neutrino mechanism

# Fast Conversions = Heating



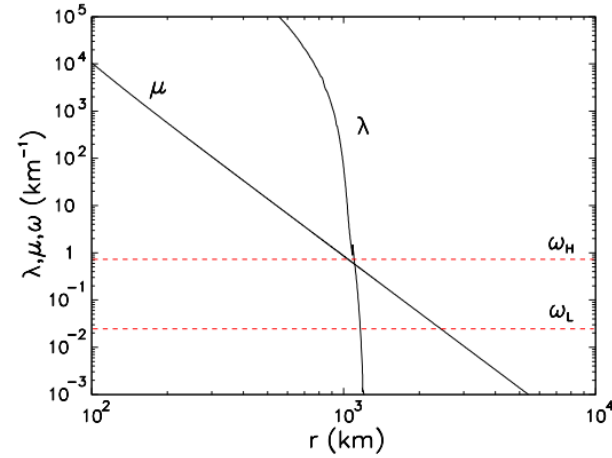
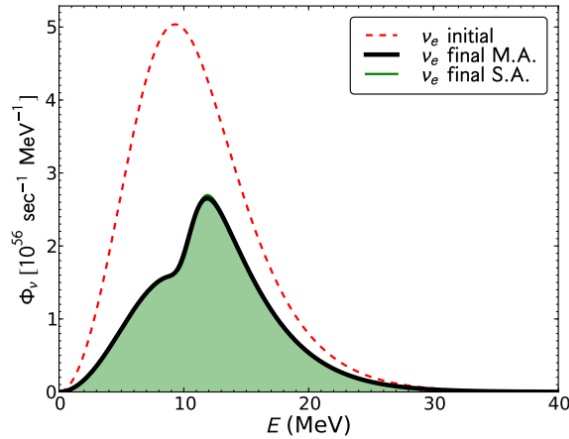
Not possible with slow conversions that occur above  $r_{\text{gain}}$



May be possible if fast conversions that occur below  $r_{\text{gain}}$ !



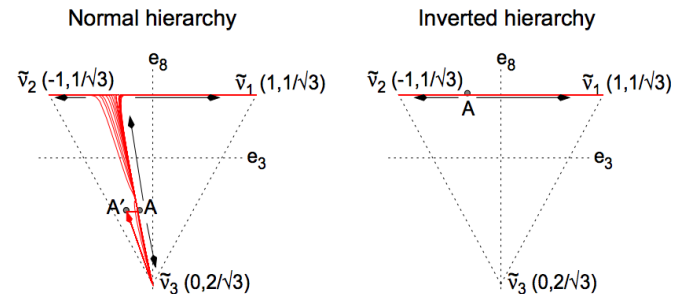
# O-Mg-Ne Supernovae



Duan, Fuller, Carlson, Qian (2007)  
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 Dasgupta, Dighe, Mirizzi, Raffelt (2008)  
 Cherry, Fuller, Carlson, Duan, Qian (2010)

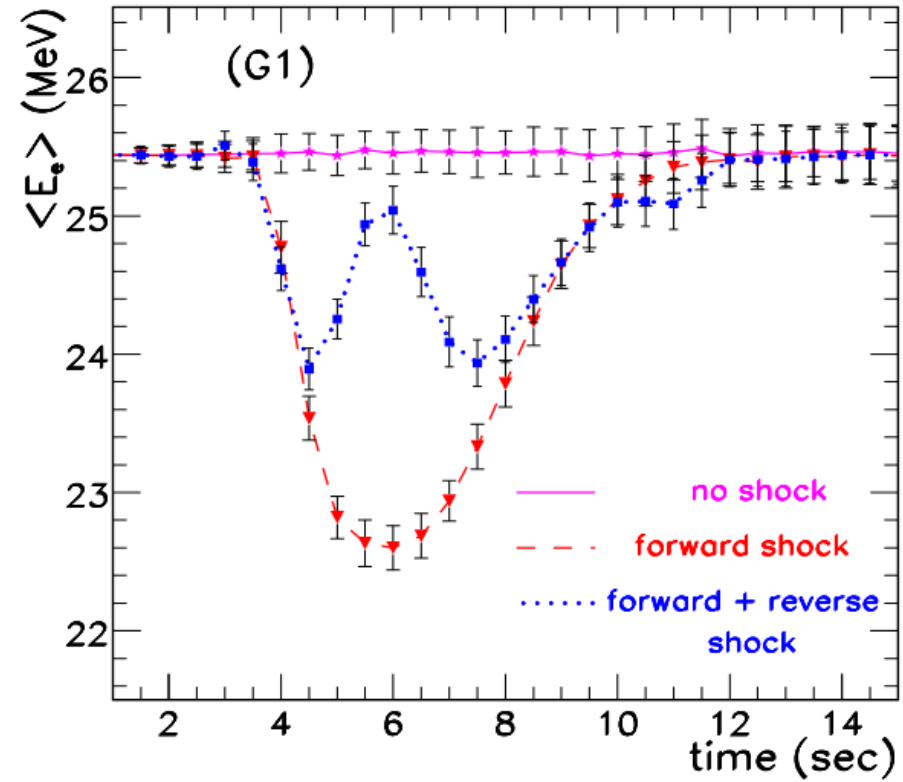
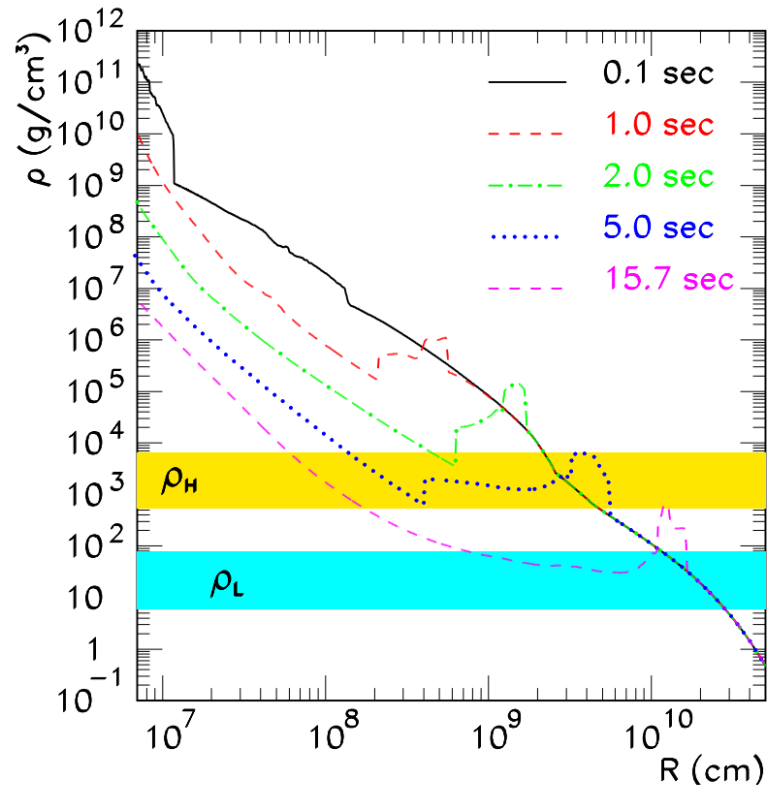
Star has sharply falling matter density, so MSW resonance occurs before (slow) collective effects.

Explained using synchronized MSW



Application of 3 flavor formalism by Dasgupta and Dighe (2007)

# Shock Wave

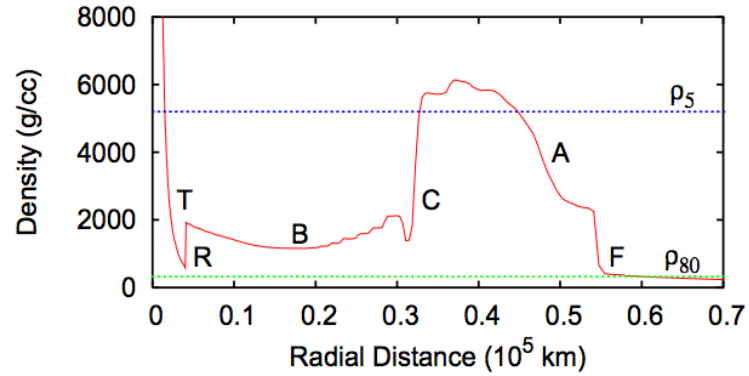


Schirato and Fuller (2002)

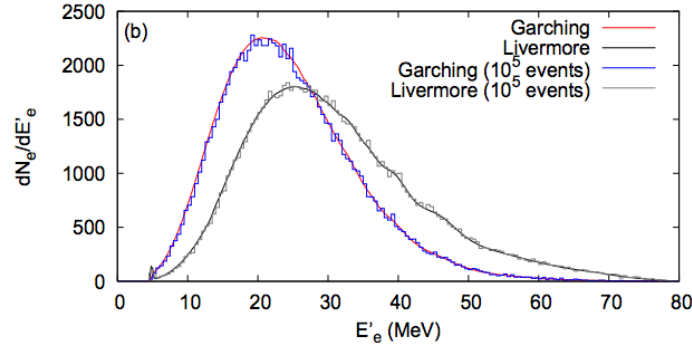
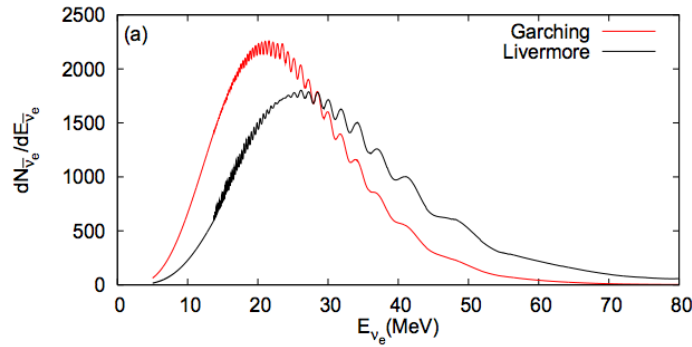
Tomas, Kachelriess, Raffelt, Dighe, Janka, Scheck (2004)

Shockwave propagation leads to dips/bumps in observed average E

# Phase Effects



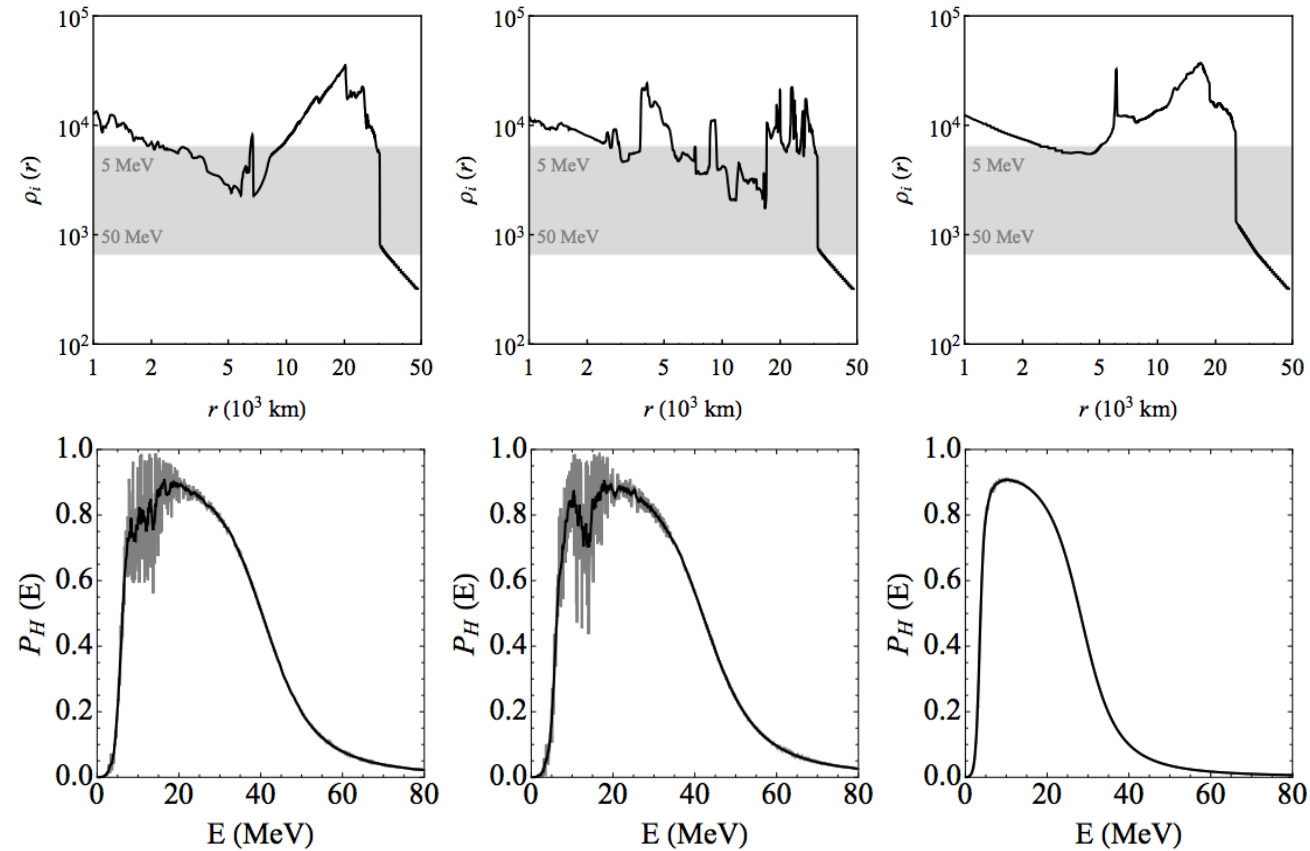
Density profile is not monotonic. There are multiple resonances. Some of them are close enough and lead to interference features with large wavelength in  $1/E$



Typically gets averaged out due to finite energy resolution

Dasgupta and Dighe (2005)

# Turbulence

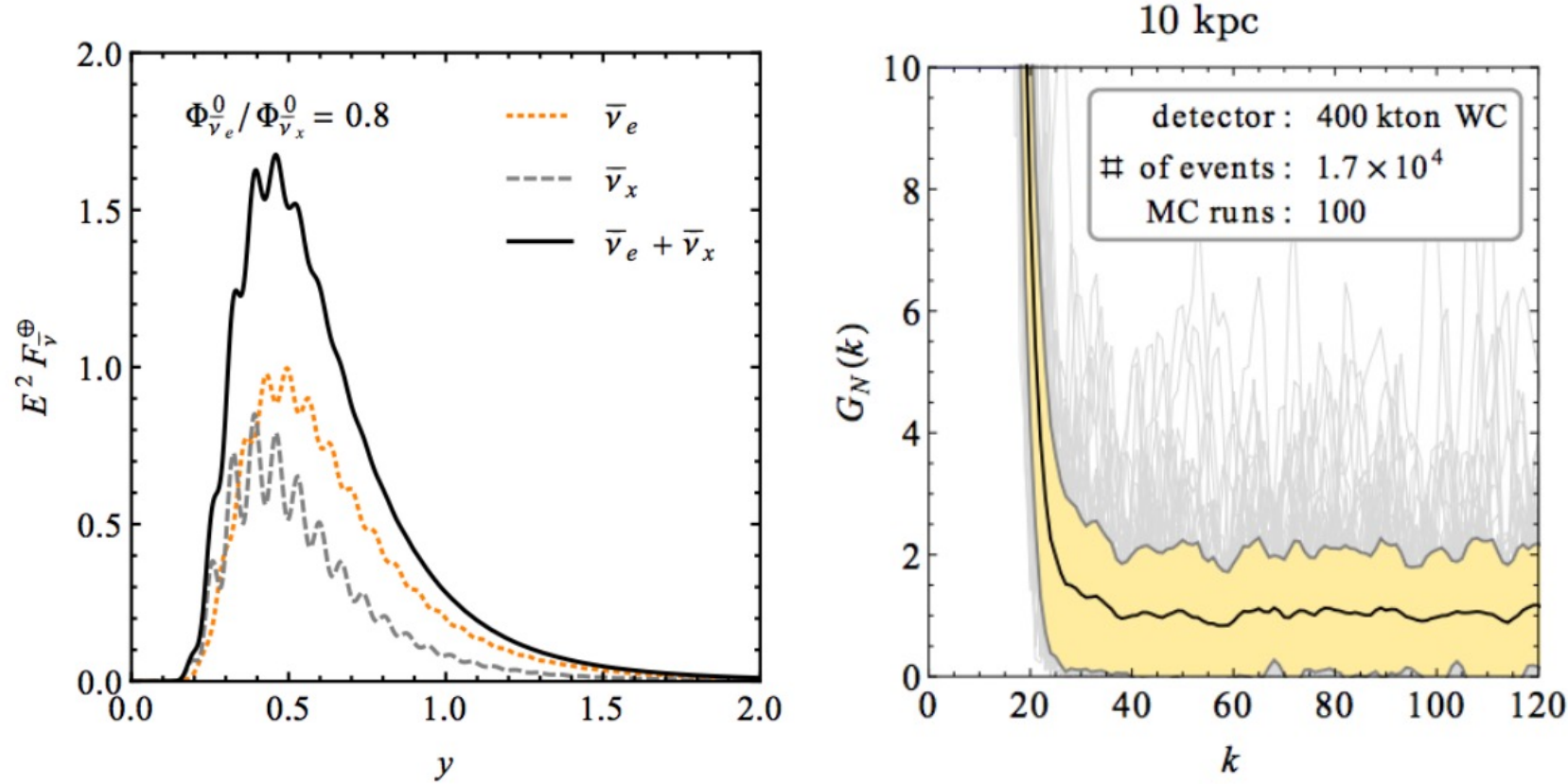


Plot from Borriello, Chakraborty, Janka, Lisi, Mirizzi (2013)  
Fogli, Lisi, Mirizzi, Montanino (2006)  
Friedland and Gruzinov (2006)

Survival probabilities are highly stochastic quantities  
during certain time-windows



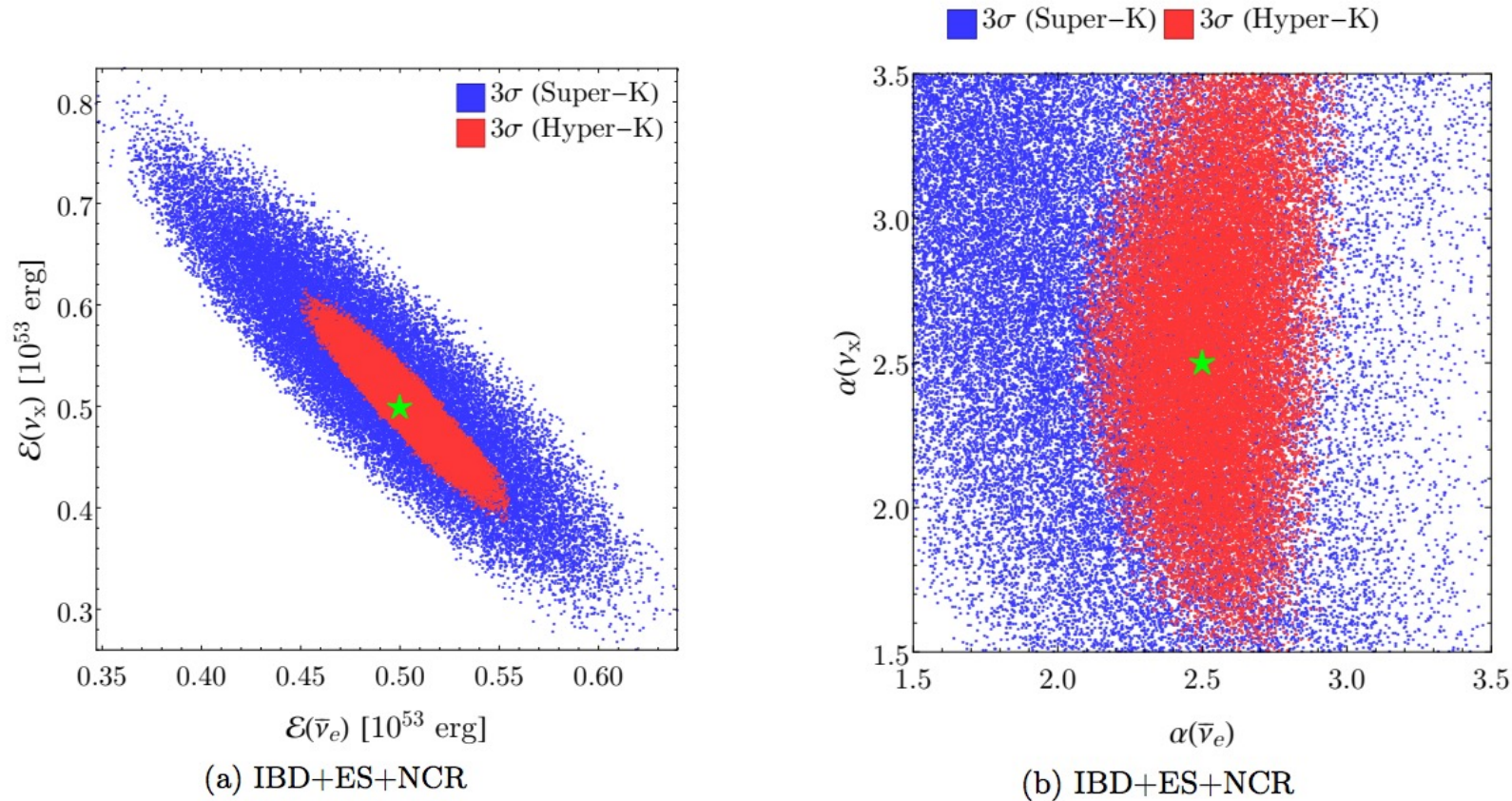
# Earth Matter Effects



Energy-dependent regeneration in Earth depends on spectral differences between flavors and encodes neutrino mass ordering.  
May be hard to see.

Boriello, Chakraborty, Mirizzi, Serpico, Tamborra (2012)  
Lunardini, Smirnov (2001)

# SN Flux Reconstruction



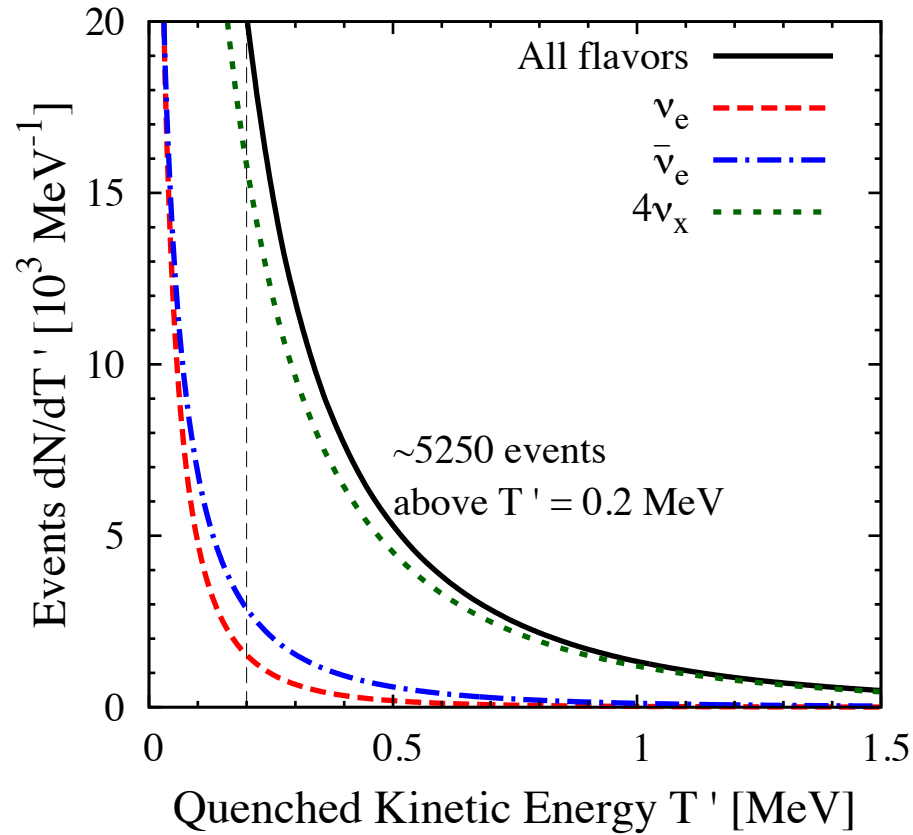
May be possible to reconstruct fluxes with unknown pinching

Rosso, Vissani, Volpe (2017)

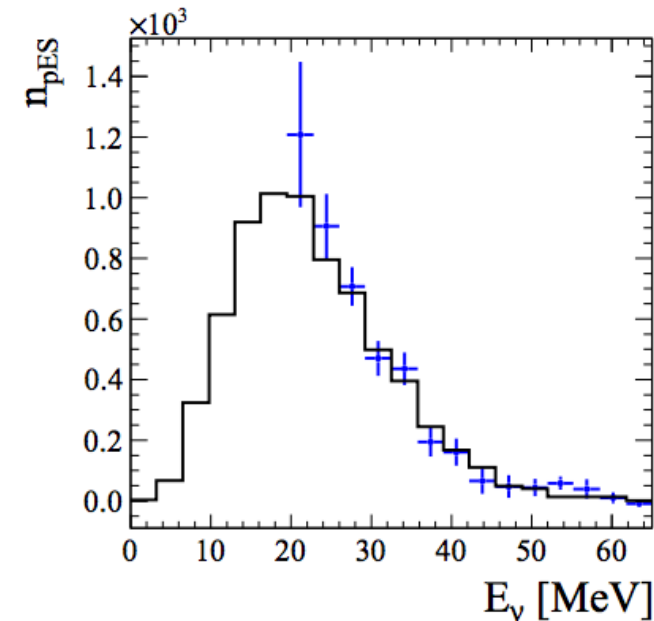
For nue: Laha, Beacom (2014), Laha, Beacom, Agarwalla (2014), Nikrant, Laha, Horiuchi (2017)

Previously: Minakata, Nunokawa, Tomas, Valle (2008)

# Neutral Current is Important



Neutrino – Proton elastic scattering can give the unoscillated fluxes if measured with enough statistics and reconstructed with precision



Beacom, Farr, Vogel (2003)  
 Dasgupta and Beacom (2011)  
 See also Chauhan, Dasgupta, Datar (2021) for a new idea using Deuterium

Detailed analysis for JUNO by Li, Li, Wang, Wen, Zhou (2017)

# Some Reviews

Mirizzi, Tamborra, Janka, Saviano, Scholberg, Bollig, Huedepohl, Chakraborty  
Riv. Nuovo Cimento 39 (2016)

Detailed SN Neutrino Review

Horiuchi and Kneller  
J.Phys. G45 (2018)

Interpretative

Duan, Fuller, Qian  
Ann.Rev.Nucl.Part.Sci. 60 (2010)

Chakraborty, Hansen, Izaguirre, Raffelt  
Nucl.Phys. B908 (2016)

Shalgar and Tamborra - Annual Rev. (2021)

Capozzi, Saviano - Universe 8 (2022)

Richers and Sen - (2022)

Focussed on collective effects

Dasgupta

PoS ICHEP2010 (2010), and PoS NOW 2022 (2023)

Short reviews for the impatient



# Takeaway

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- SN theory
  - Different phases of SN explosion and different oscillation physics
- Oscillation theory
  - Adiabatic and Non-adiabatic (at Shock) MSW
  - Slow/Fast Collective Mixing due to “Crossings”
- Detection Prospects, Bounds
  - Neutrinos of all Flavors, Energies, Times, Directions ...
  - Multi-messenger helps
- Upshot
  - Neutronization burst : Physics is MSW-like
  - Accretion : If “Crossing” exists then Collective -> Mixing, else MSW-like
  - Cooling : Spectra are very similar; New and Improved BSM Bounds