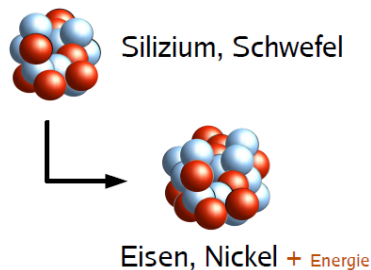
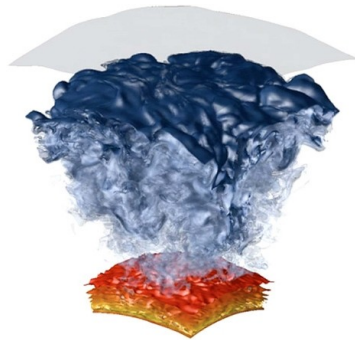
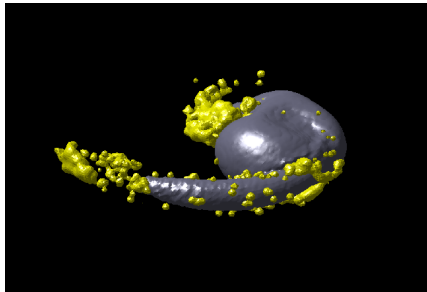
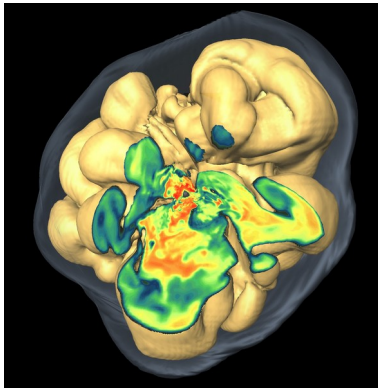


Phenomena, physics, and puzzles of massive stars  
and their explosive outcomes

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# Prospects for Supernova Explosions in 3D From Progenitors to Remnants

# Supernovae, neutron star mergers, stellar evolution, neutrino astrophysics and nucleosynthesis: Team effort



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# COCO<sub>2</sub>CASA: Goals

## Connecting Supernova Progenitors with Supernova Remnants

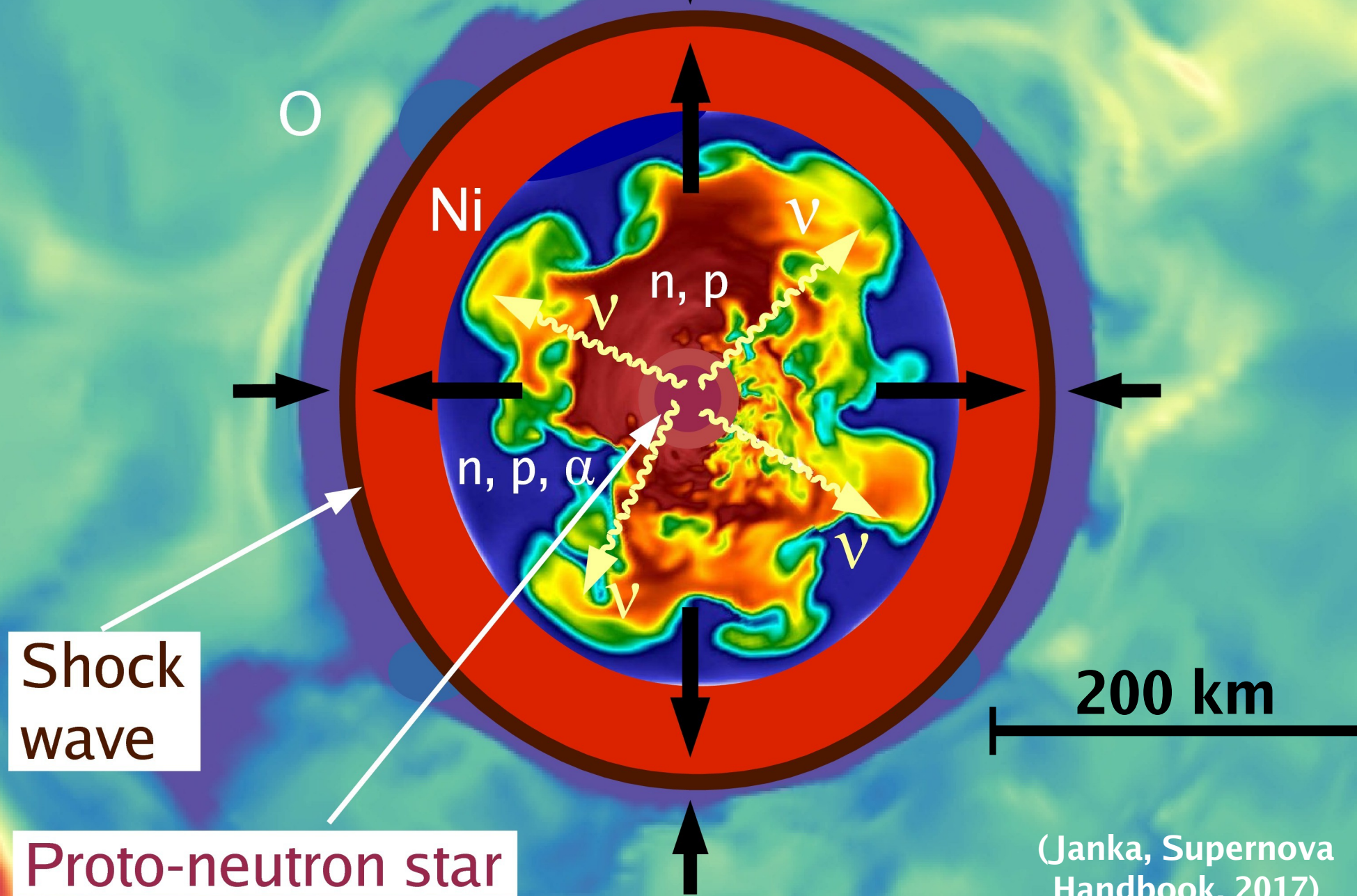
- 3D modeling of latest burning stages of pre-collapse stars
- 3D modeling of SN explosion mechanism
- 3D modeling of evolution from SN explosion to SN-remnant phase

### Dedicated targets:

- ▶ Explanation of morphological and chemical properties of young, nearby, well studied SN remnants, e.g., Crab, Cas A, SN 1987A
- ▶ Collecting indirect evidence of neutrino-driven explosion mechanism

# Neutrino-driven SN Explosions

# Shock revival



(Janka, Supernova Handbook, 2017)

# Predictions of Signals from SNe & NSs

hydrodynamics of stellar plasma

relativistic gravity

(nuclear) EoS

neutrino physics

progenitor conditions

dynamical models

neutrinos

LC, spectra

nucleosynthesis

gravitational waves

explosion asymmetries,  
pulsar kicks

explosion energies, remnant masses

# The Simulation Code

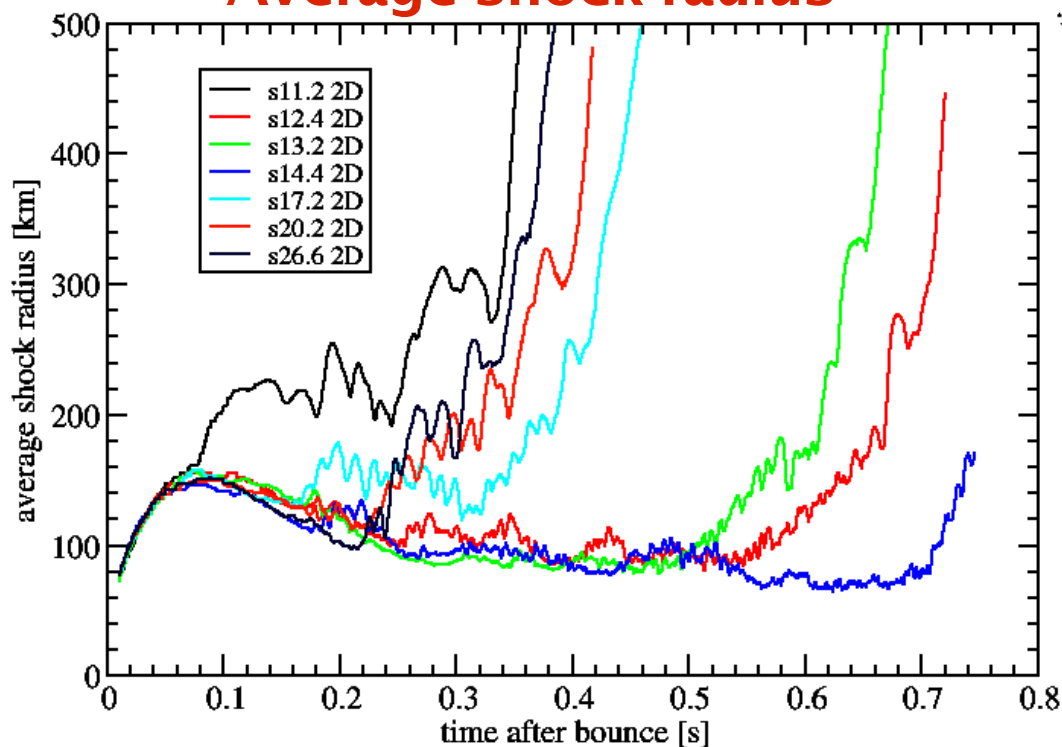
## Prometheus/CoCoNuT – VERTEX: 1D, 2D, 3D

- **Hydro modules:**  
Newtonian: *Prometheus* + effective relativistic grav. potential.  
General relativistic: *CoCoNuT*  
Higher-order Godunov solvers, explicit.
- **Neutrino Transport: *VERTEX***  
Two-moment closure scheme with variable Eddington factor based on model Boltzmann equation; fully energy-dependent,  $O(v/c)$ , implicit, ray-by-ray-plus in 2D and 3D.
- **Most complete set of neutrino interactions applied to date.**
- **Different nuclear equations of state.**
- **Spherical polar grid or axis-free Yin-Yang grid.**

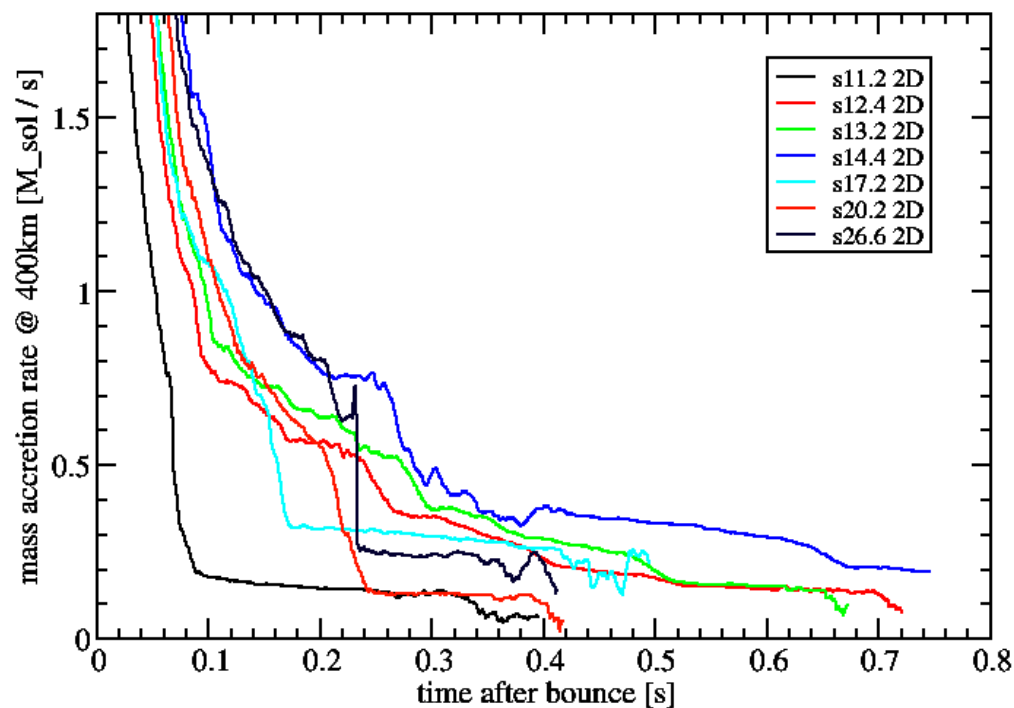
# Growing Set of 2D CCSN Explosion Models

Decrease of mass-accretion rate at Si-O composition-shell interface allows for onset of explosions.

## Average shock radius

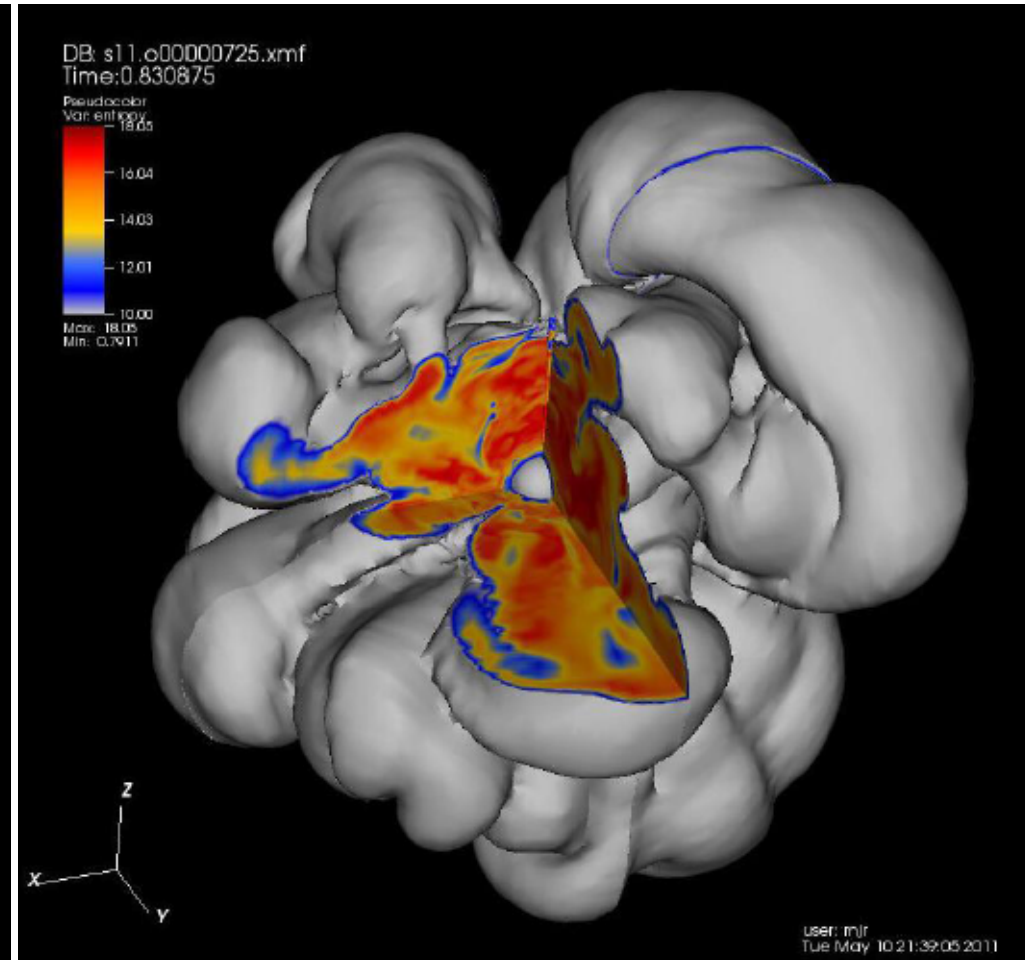
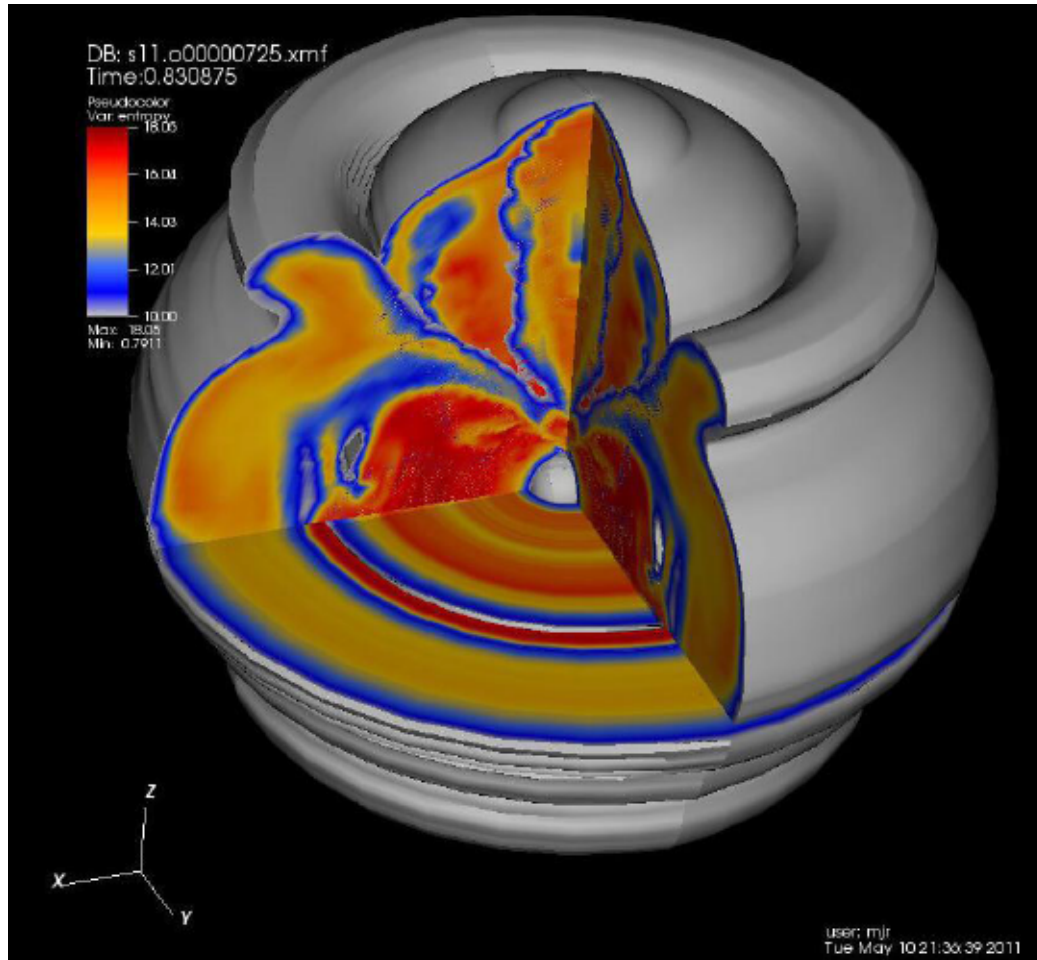


## Mass accretion rate



F. Hanke (2014, PhD Thesis, TUM);  
A. Summa, F. Hanke, HTJ, et al., ApJ 825, 6 (2016)  
Progenitor models: Woosley et al. RMP (2002)

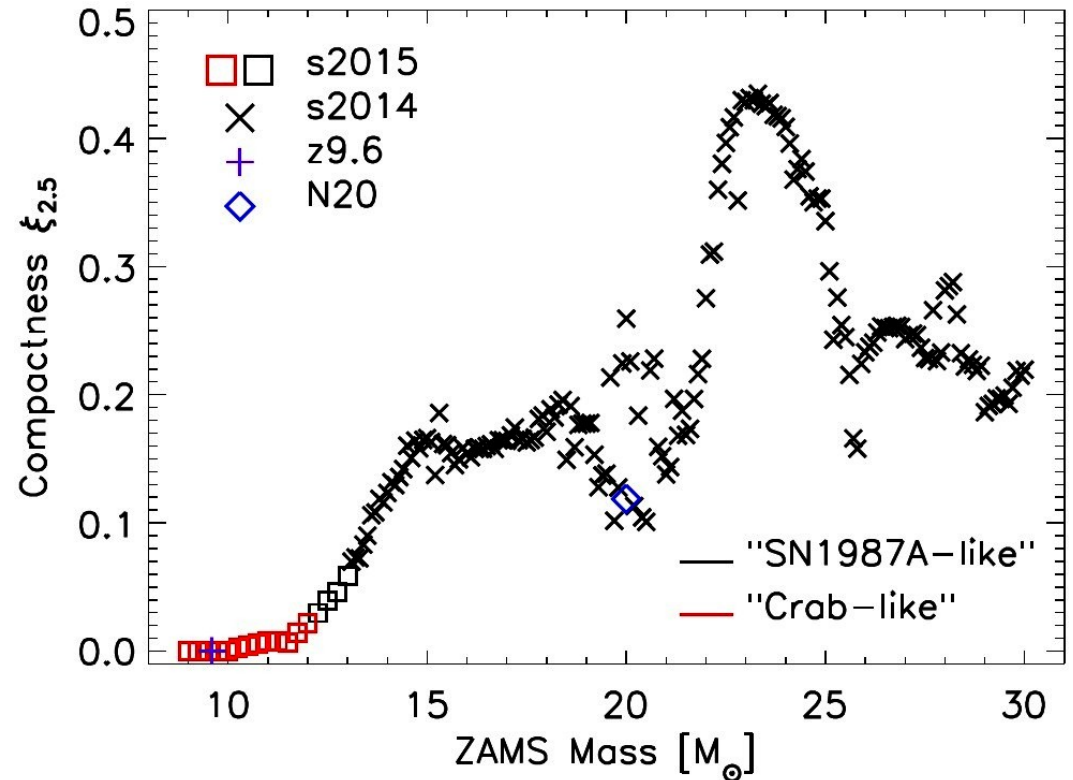
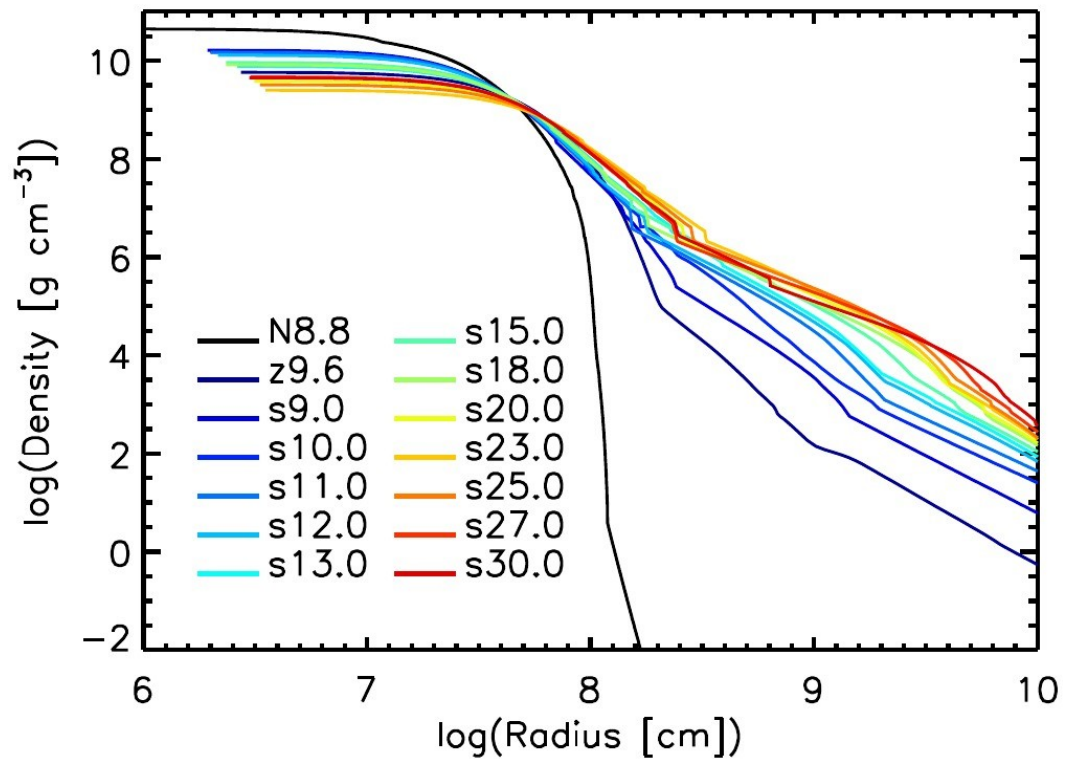
# 2D and 3D Morphology



(Images from Markus Rampp, RZG)



# Progenitor Density Profiles



$$\xi_{2.5} \equiv \frac{M/M_{\odot}}{R(M)/1000 \text{ km}},$$

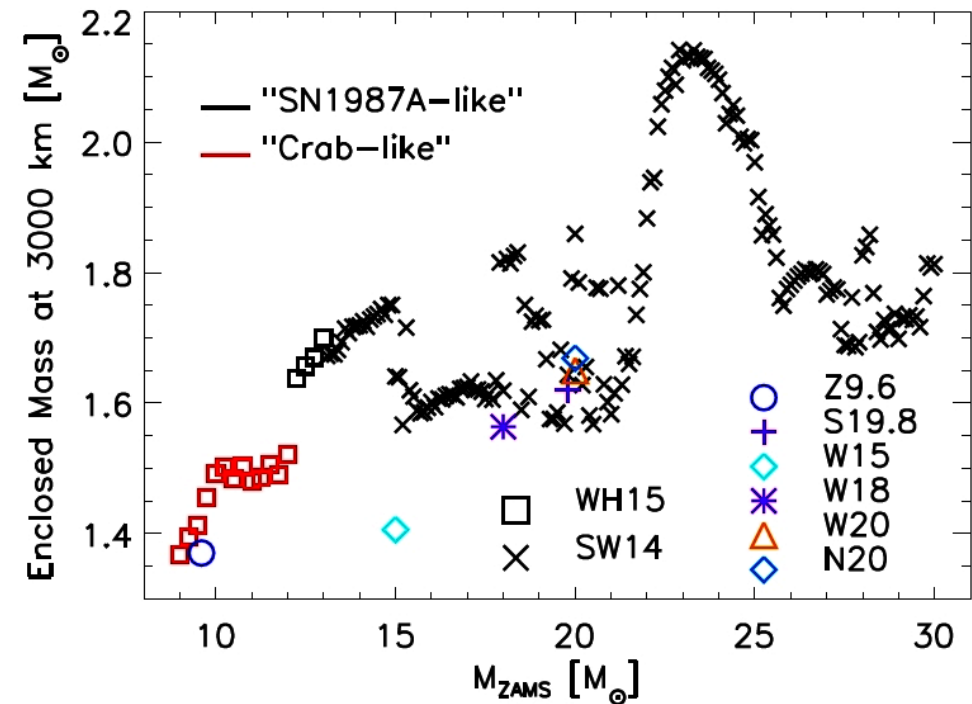
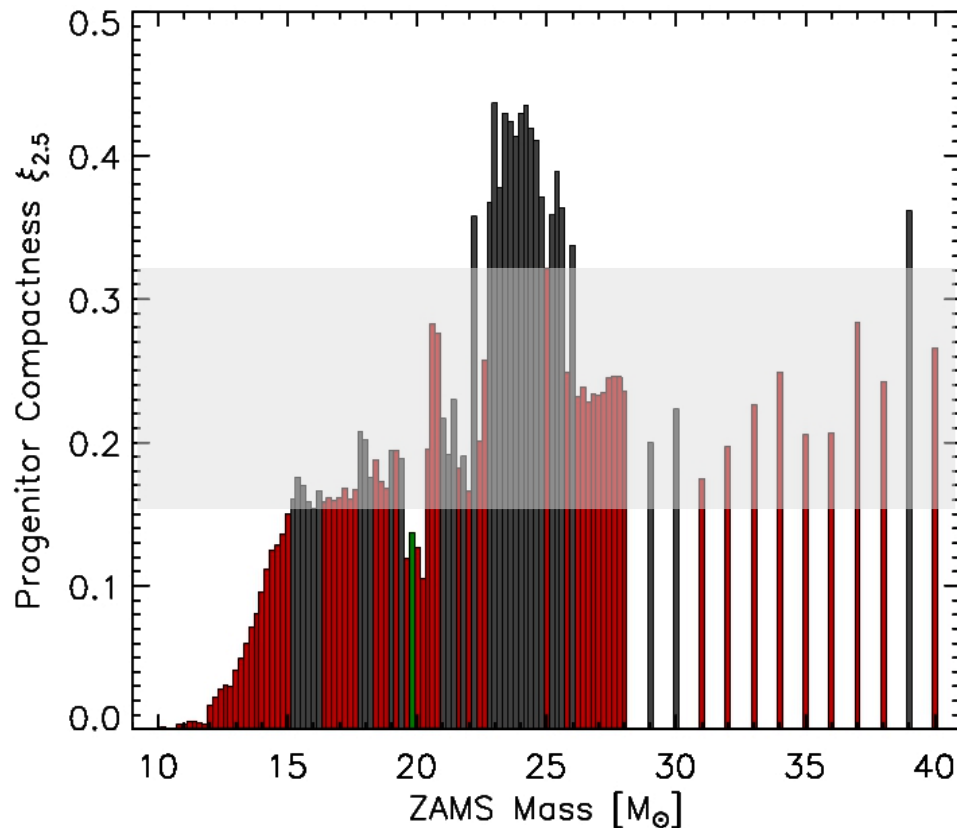
mass  $M = 2.5 M_{\odot}$

O'Connor & Ott, ApJ 730:70 (2011)

# Stellar Compactness and Explosion

Core compactness can be nonmonotonic function of ZAMS mass

Progenitor models:  
 Woosley et al. (RMP 2002), Sukhbold & Woosley (2014), Woosley & Heger (2015)

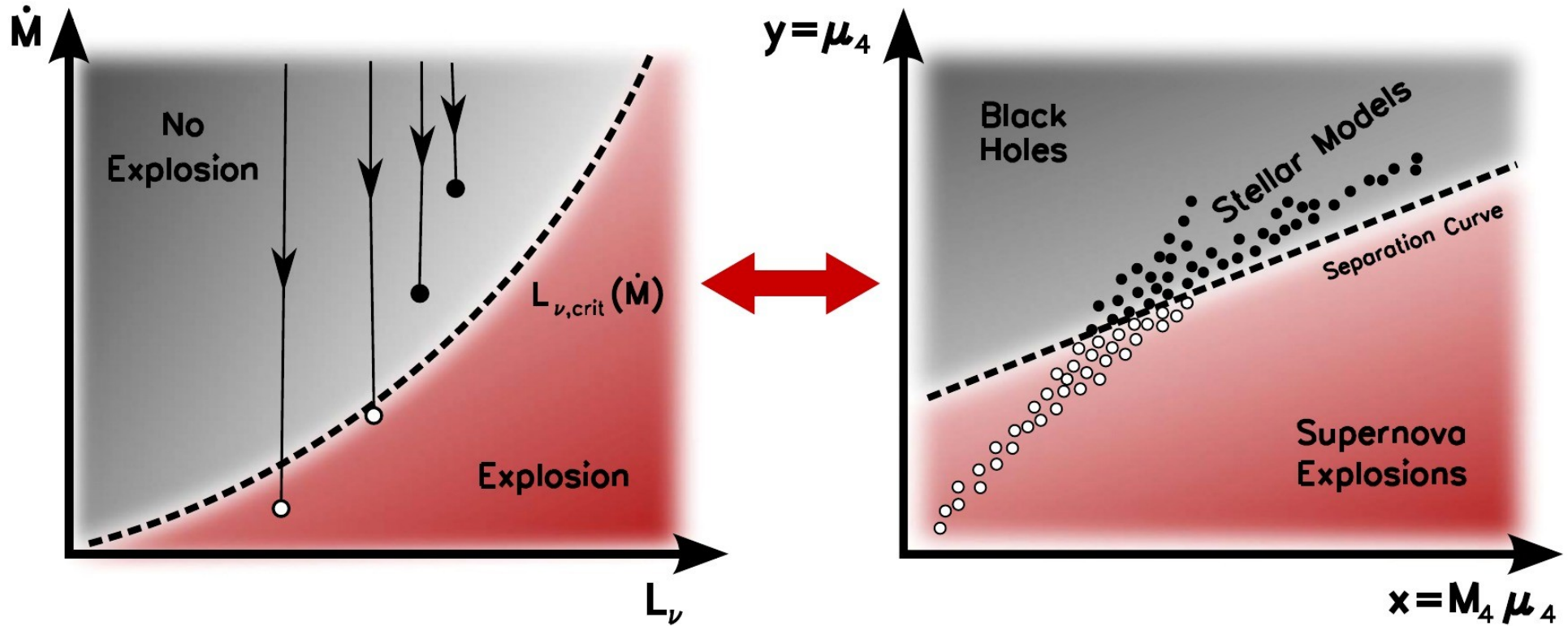


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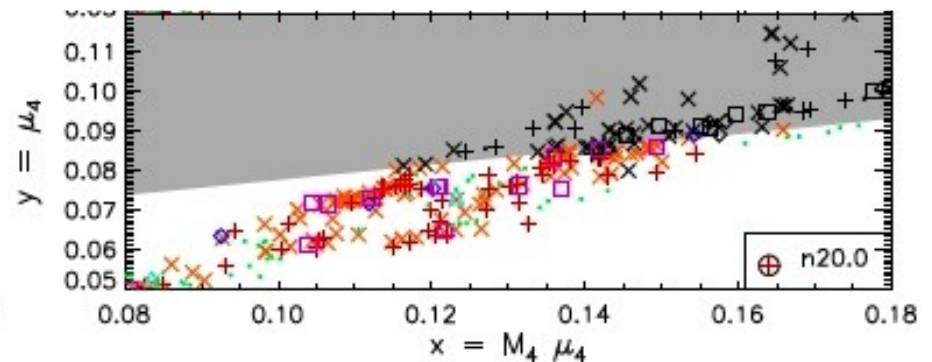
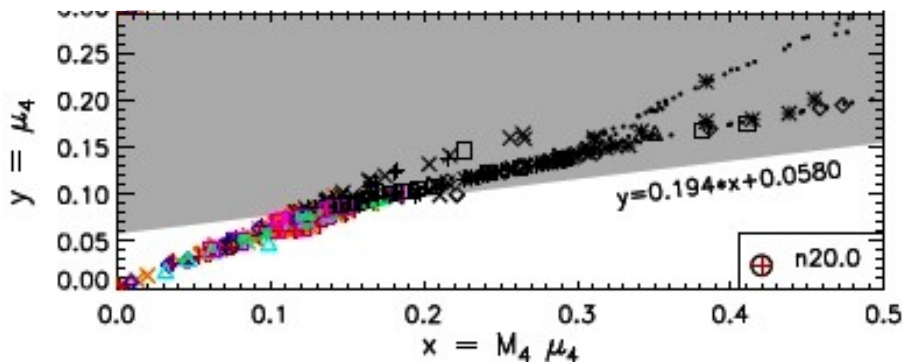
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(Ugliano et al., ApJ 757 (2012) 69;  
 Ertl et al., ApJ 818 (2016) 124;  
 Sukhbold, Ertl et al., ApJ 821 (2016) 38)

# Two-Parameter Criterion for Explodability



$$M_4 \equiv m(s = 4) / M_{\odot} \quad \mu_4 \equiv \left. \frac{dm / M_{\odot}}{dr / 1000 \text{ km}} \right|_{s=4}$$

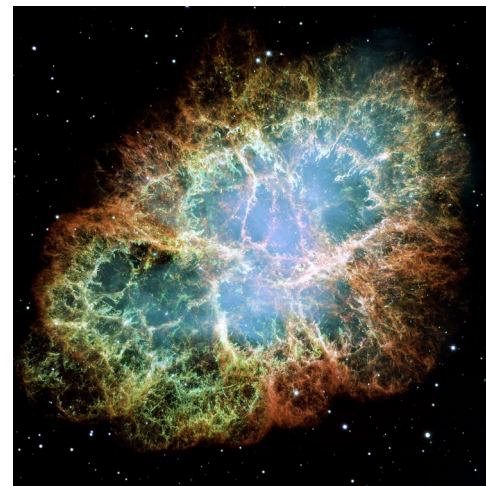
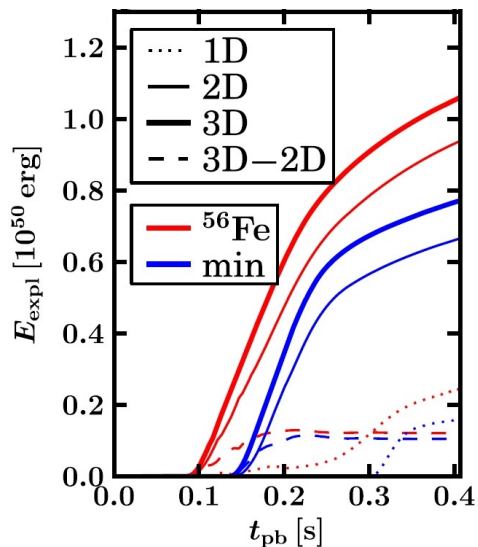
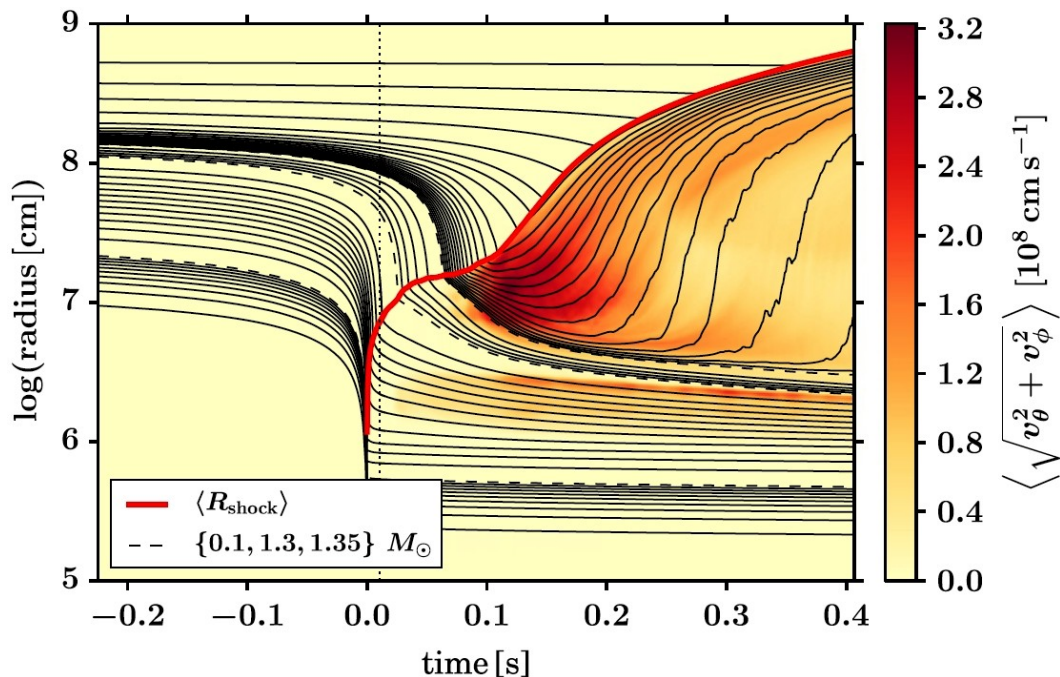
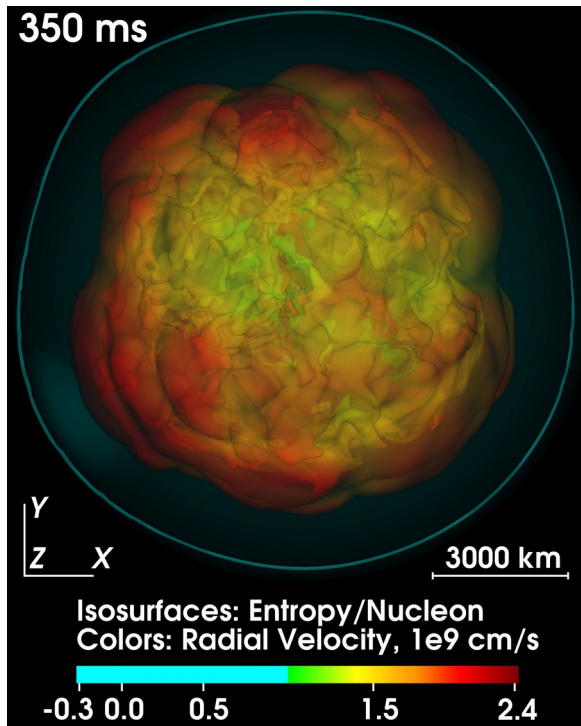
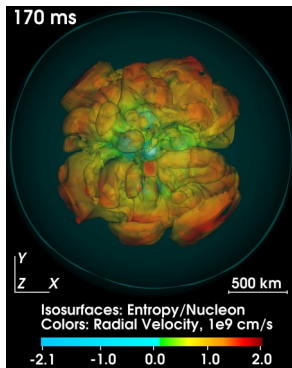
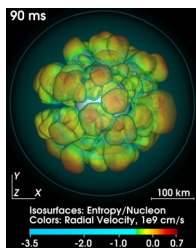


# 3D Core-Collapse SN Explosion Models

9.6  $M_{\text{sun}}$  (zero-metallicity) progenitor (Heger 2010)

Fe-core progenitor (Heger 2012) with ECSN-like density profile and explosion behavior.

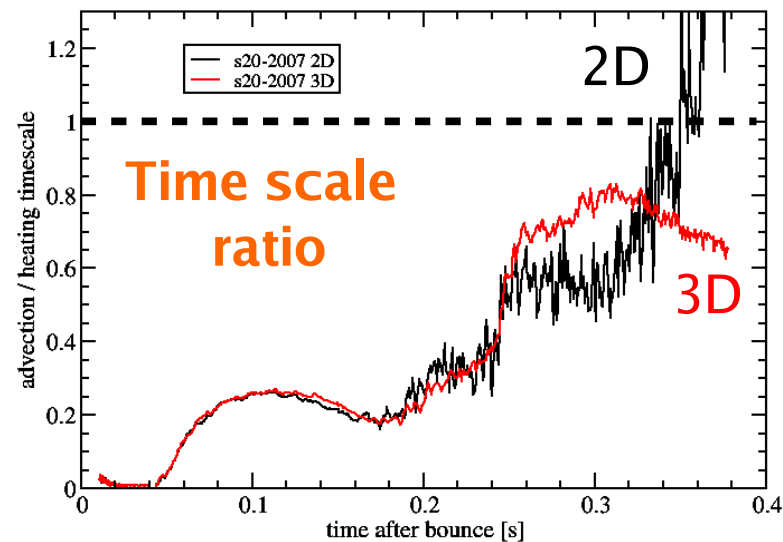
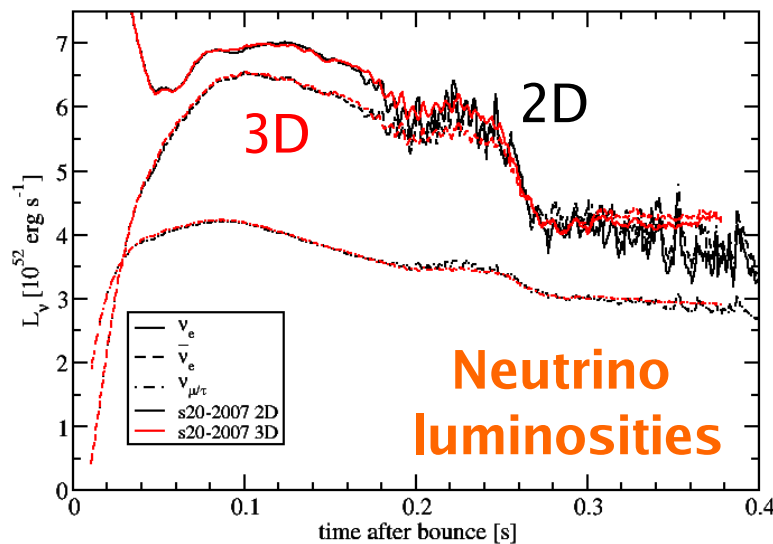
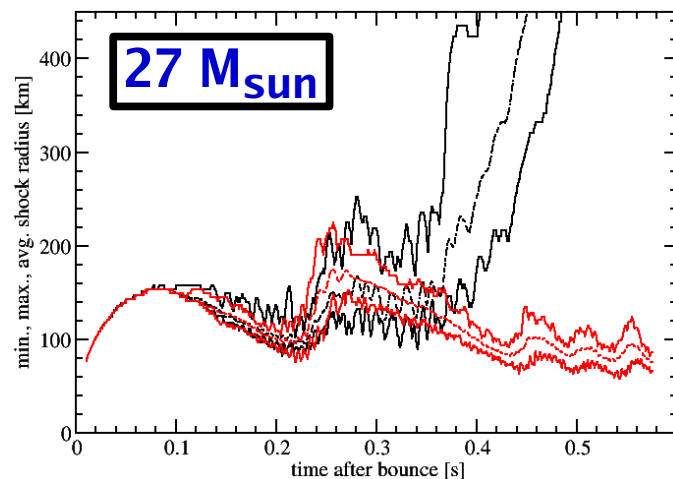
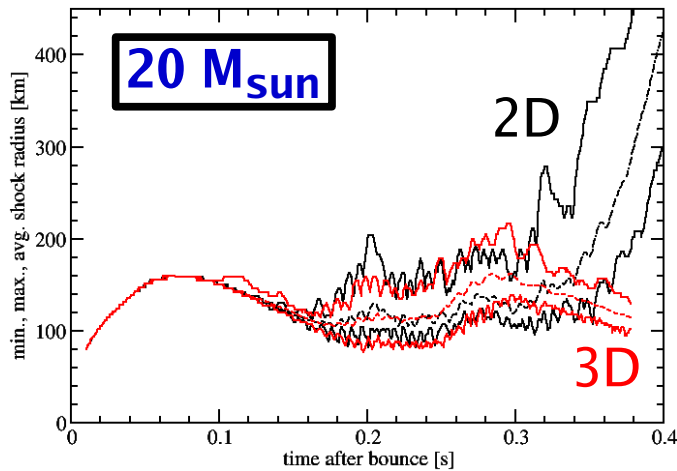
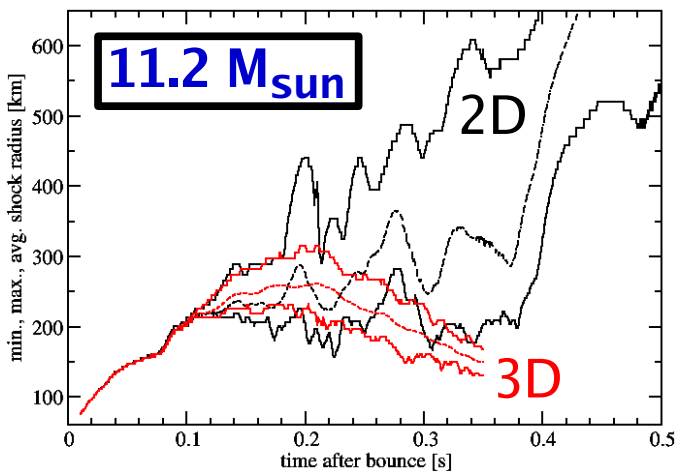
Melson et al.,  
ApJL 801 (2015) L24



# 3D Core-Collapse SN Explosion Models

11.2, 20, 27  $M_{\text{sun}}$  progenitors (WH 2007)

Shock radii (max., min., avg.) vs. time



Florian Hanke,  
PhD project (2014)

**What could facilitate robust  
explorations in 3D?**

# 3D Core-Collapse SN Explosion Models

20  $M_{\text{sun}}$  (solar-metallicity) progenitor (Woosley & Heger 2007)

Explore uncertain aspects of microphysics in neutrinospheric region:  
 Example: strangeness contribution to nucleon spin, affecting axial-vector neutral-current scattering of neutrinos on nucleons

$$\frac{d\sigma_0}{d\Omega} = \frac{G_F^2 \epsilon^2}{4\pi^2} \left[ c_v^2 (1 + \cos \theta) + c_a^2 (3 - \cos \theta) \right], \quad (1)$$

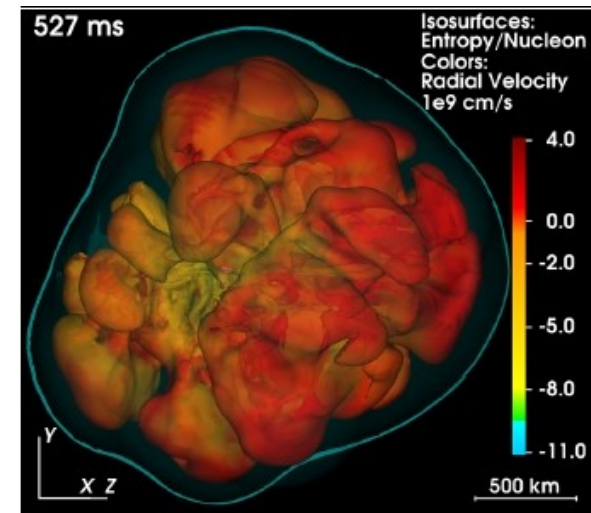
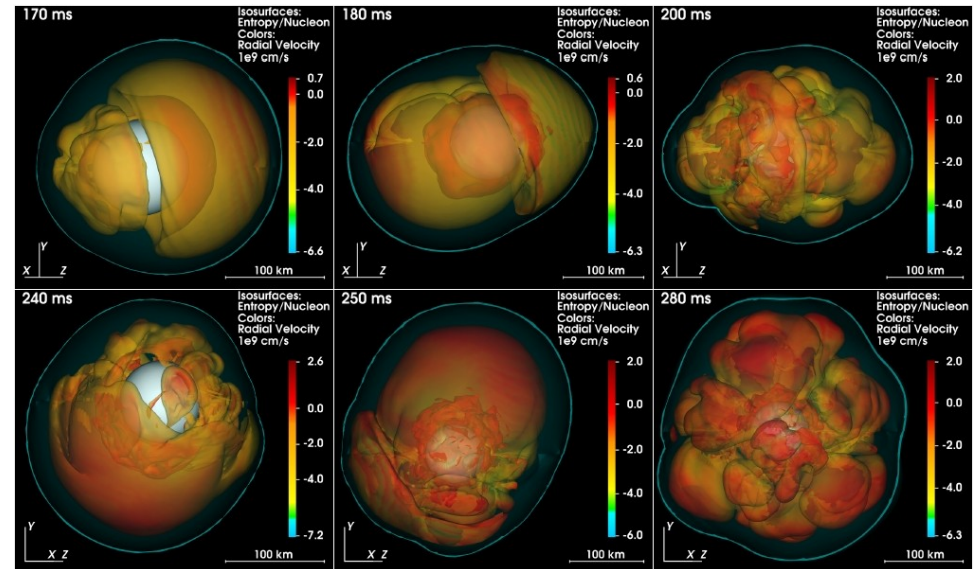
$$\sigma_0^t = \int_{4\pi} d\Omega \frac{d\sigma_0}{d\Omega} (1 - \cos \theta) = \frac{2G_F^2 \epsilon^2}{3\pi} \left( c_v^2 + 5c_a^2 \right). \quad (2)$$

$$c_a = \frac{1}{2} (\pm g_a - g_a^s), \quad (3)$$

We use:  
 $g_a = 1.26$   
 $g_a^s = -0.2$

Currently favored theoretical & experimental (HERMES, COMPASS) value:  
 $g_a^s \sim -0.1$

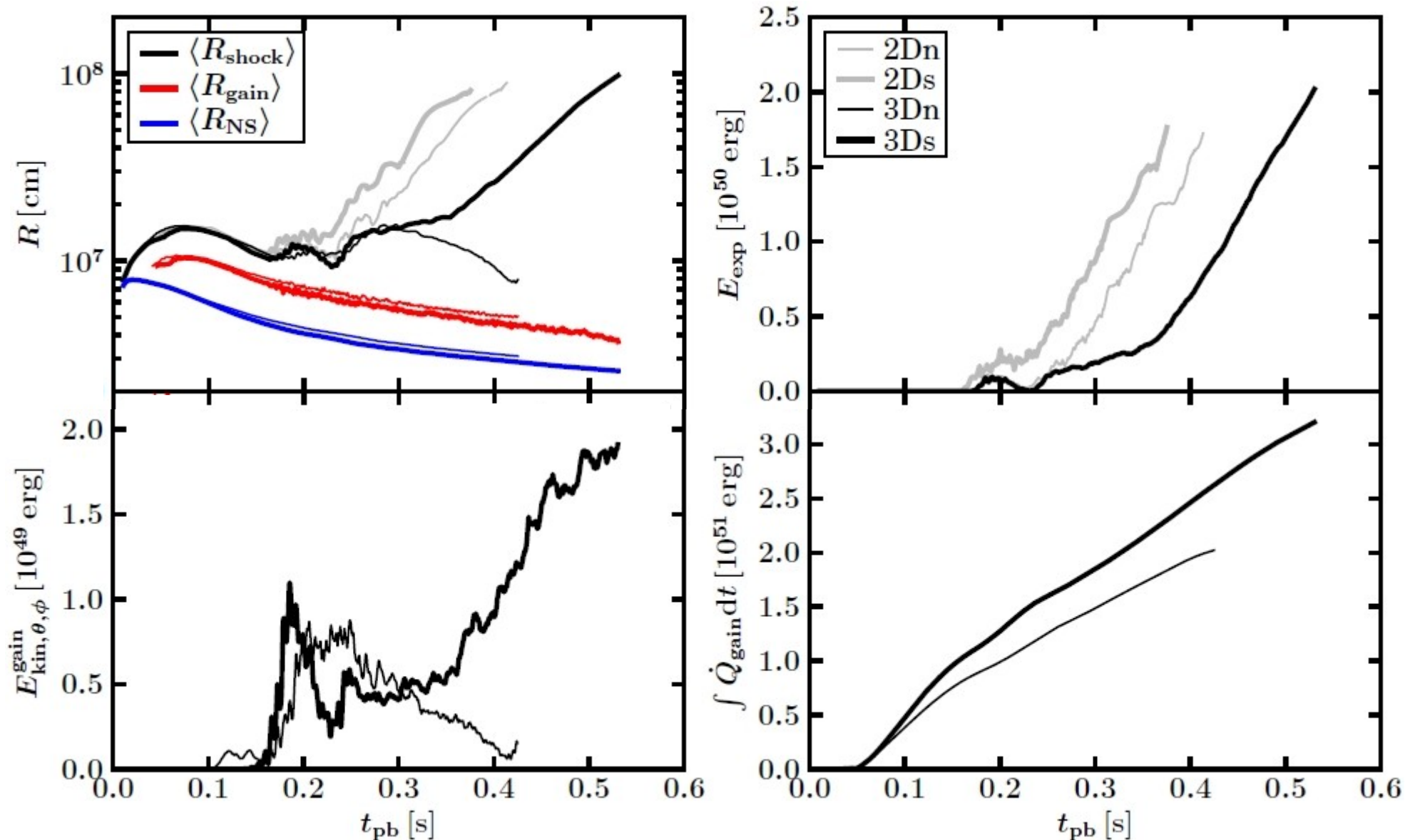
Effective reduction of neutral-current neutrino-nucleon scattering by ~15%



Melson et al., ApJL 808 (2015) L42

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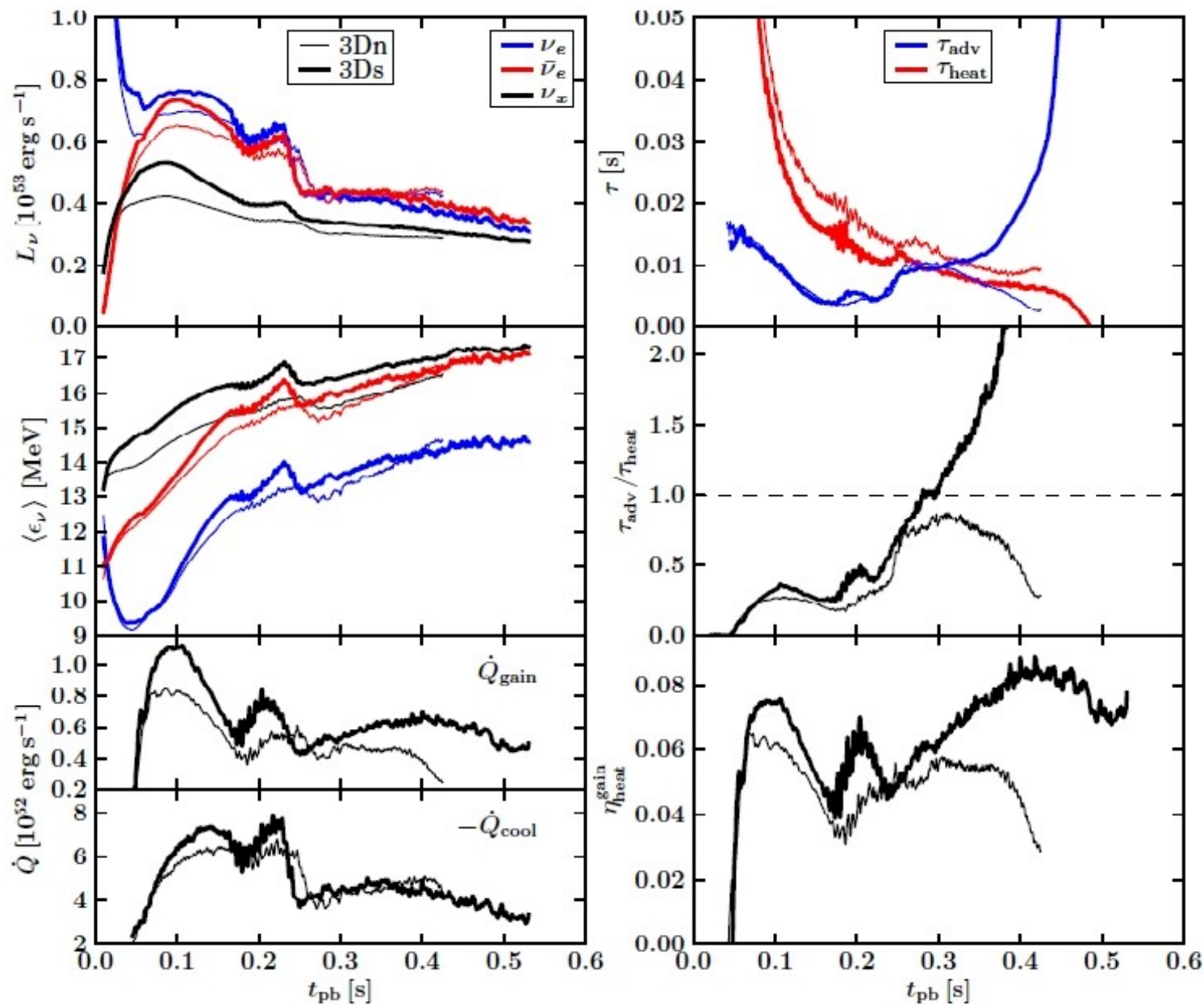


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# 3D Core-Collapse SN Explosion Models

## Oak Ridge (Lentz et al., ApJL 2015):

15  $M_{\text{sun}}$  nonrotating progenitor (Woosley & Heger 2007)

## Tokyo/Fukuoka (Takiwaki et al., ApJ 2014):

11.2  $M_{\text{sun}}$  nonrotating progenitor (Woosley et al. 2002)

## Caltech/NCSU/LSU/Perimeter (Roberts et al., ApJ 2016):

27  $M_{\text{sun}}$  nonrotating progenitor (Woosley et al. 2002)

## Garching/QUB/Monash

(Melson et al., ApJL 2015a,b; Müller 2016; Janka et al. 2016):

9.6, 20  $M_{\text{sun}}$  nonrotating progenitors (Heger 2012; Woosley & Heger 2007)

18  $M_{\text{sun}}$  nonrotating progenitor (Heger 2015)

15  $M_{\text{sun}}$  rotating progenitor (Heger, Woosley & Spuit 2005, modified rotation)

9.0  $M_{\text{sun}}$  nonrotating progenitor (Woosley & Heger 2015)

# 3D CCSN Explosion Model with Rotation

15  $M_{\text{sun}}$  rotating progenitor (Heger, Woosley & Spruit 2005)

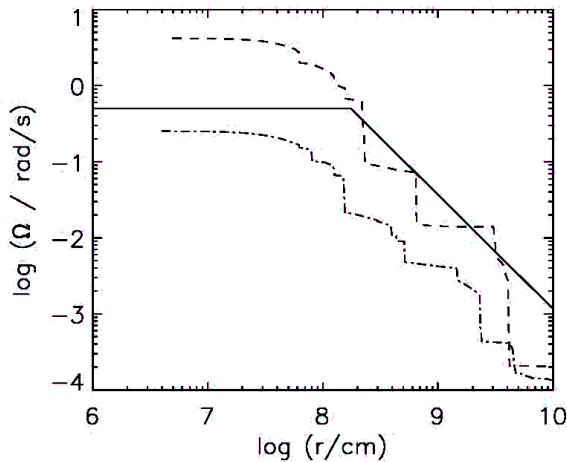
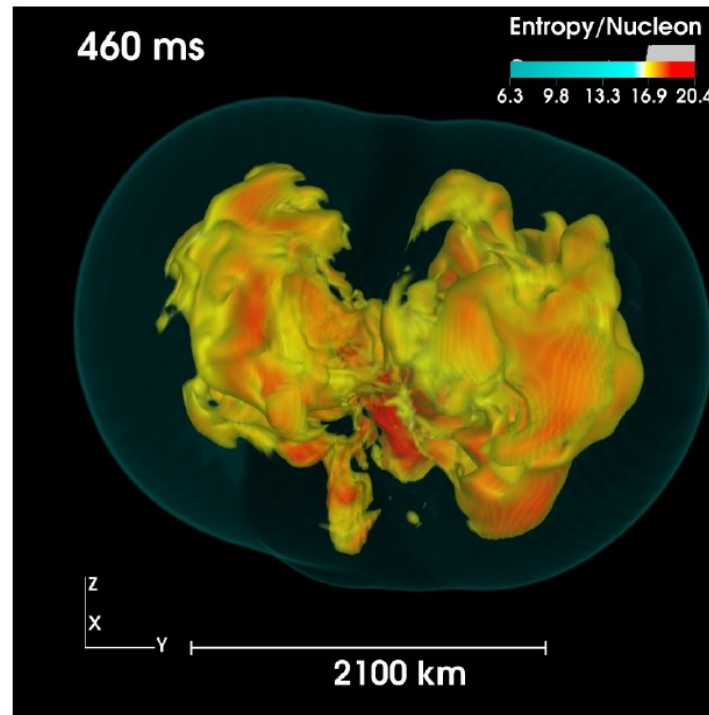
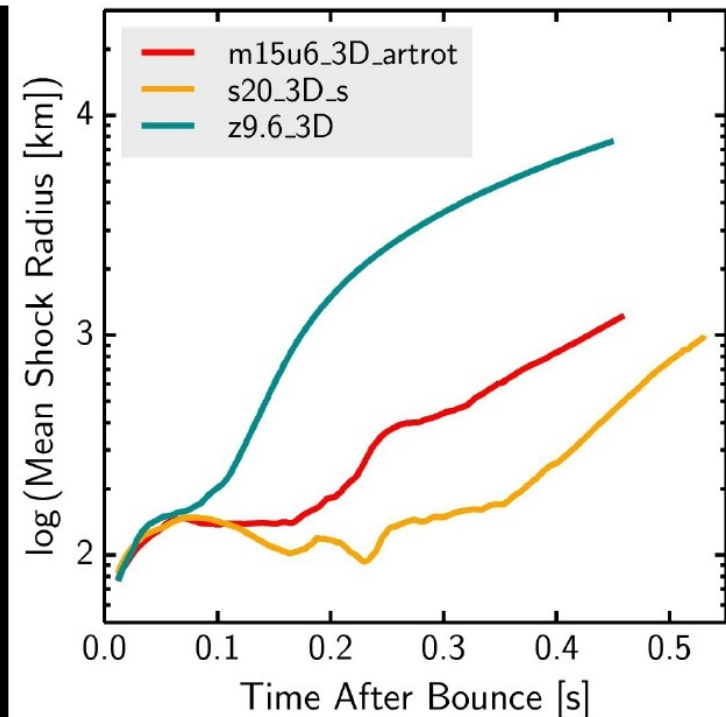


FIG. 1.—Angular velocity  $\Omega$  as a function of radius  $r$  for the rotating  $15 M_{\odot}$  presupernova model (dashed curve) of Heger, Langer, & Woosley (2000), for the magnetic rotating  $15 M_{\odot}$  presupernova model (dash-dotted curve) of Heger et al. (2004), and for our rotating model s15r (solid curve).

Explosion occurs for angular velocity of Fe-core of 0.5 rad/s, rotation period of  $\sim 12$  seconds (several times faster than predicted for magnetized progenitor by Heger et al. 2005).  
Produces a neutron star with spin period of  $\sim 1-2$  ms.

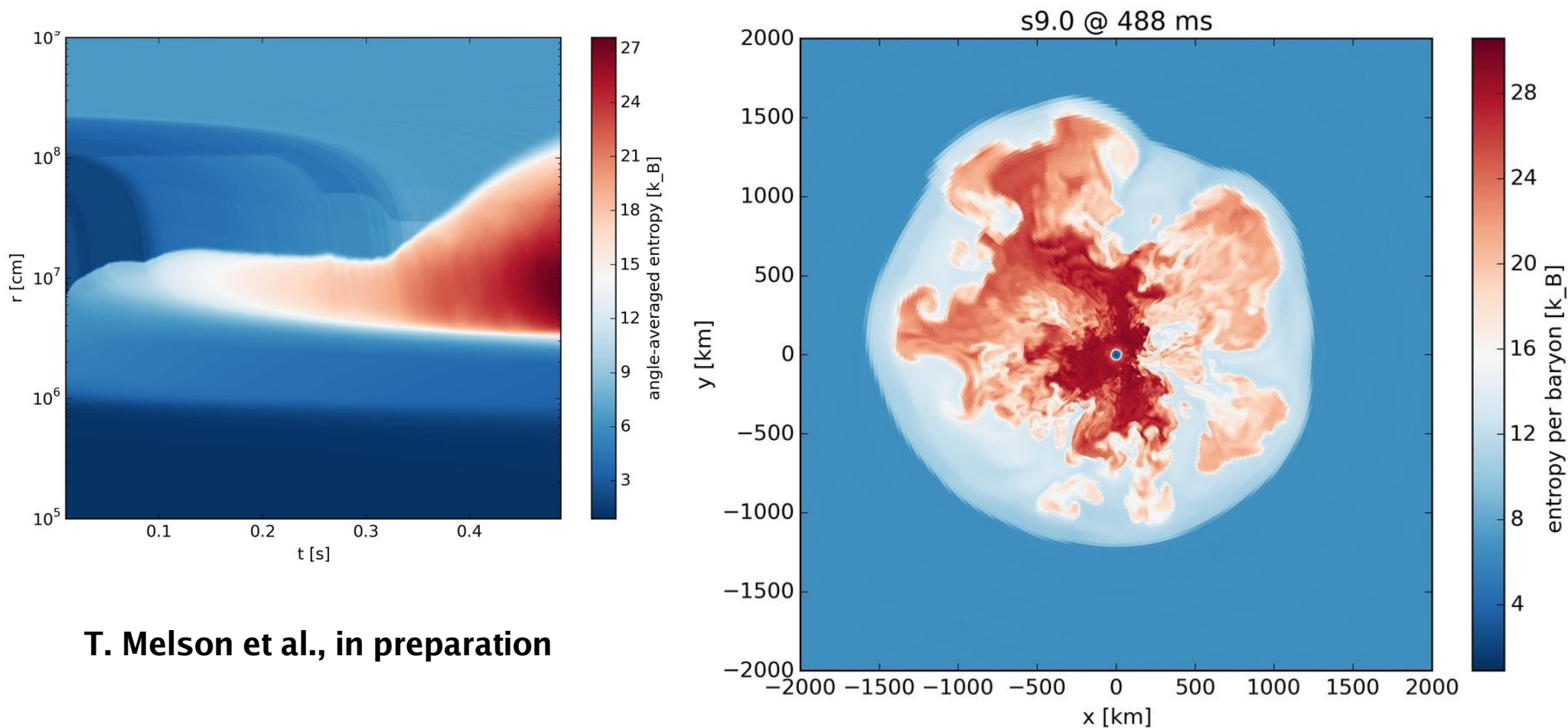


A. Summa (2015);  
Janka, Melson & Summa,  
ARNPS 66 (2016),  
arXiv:1601.05576



# 3D CCSN Explosion Model of Low-Mass Star

9.0  $M_{\text{sun}}$  progenitor (Wossley & Heger 2015)



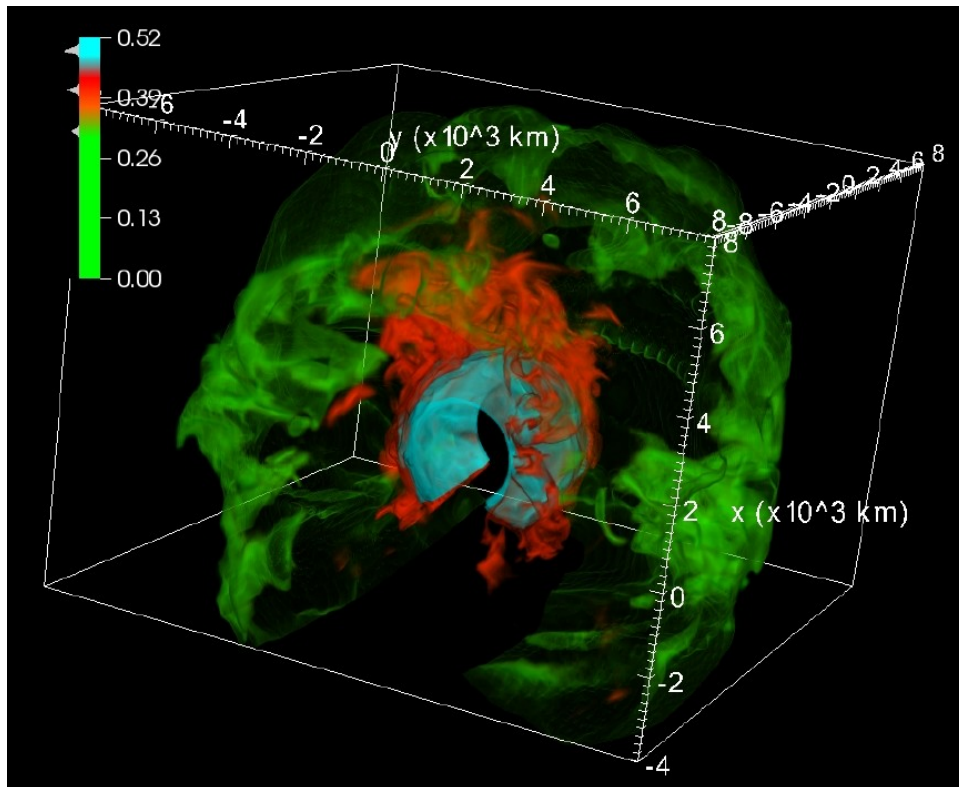
T. Melson et al., in preparation

# 3D Core-Collapse SN Progenitor Model

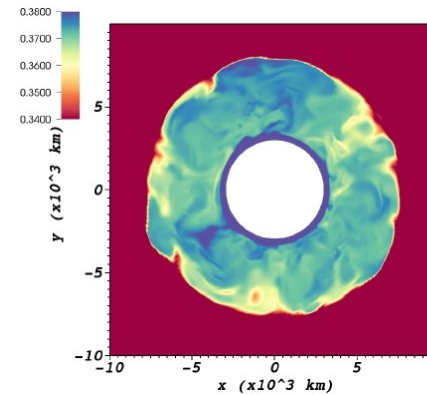
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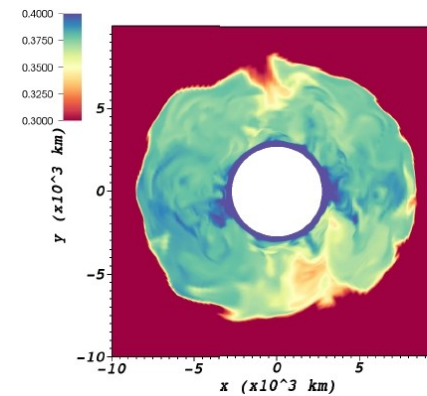
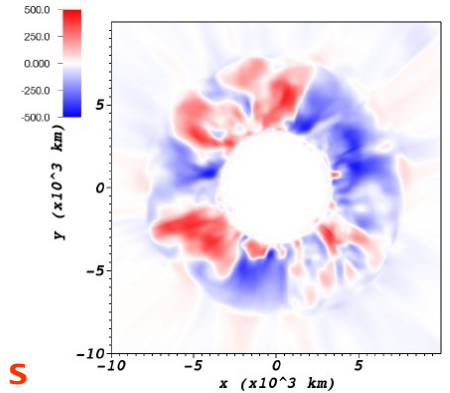
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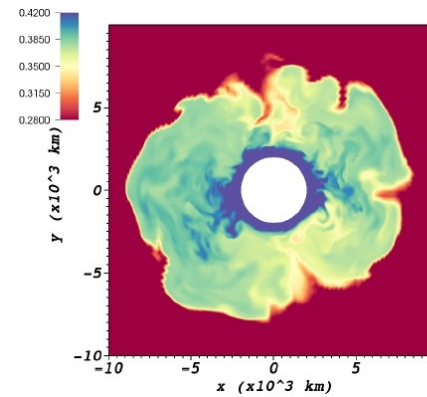
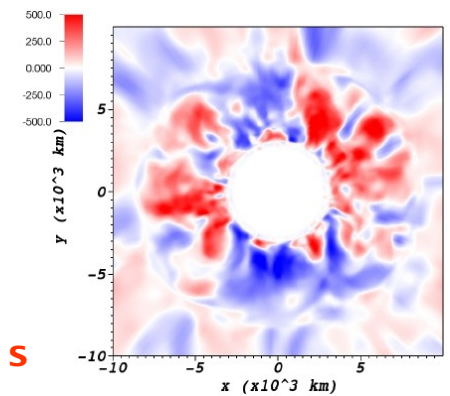
B. Müller, Viallet, Heger, & THJ, ApJ 833, 124 (2016)



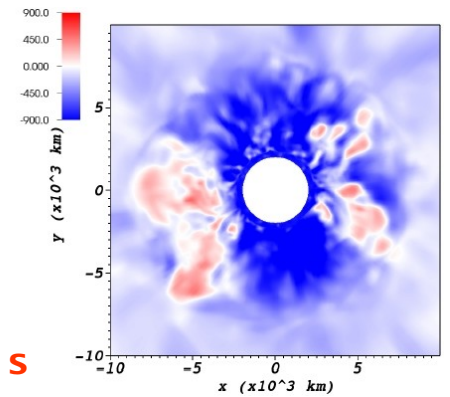
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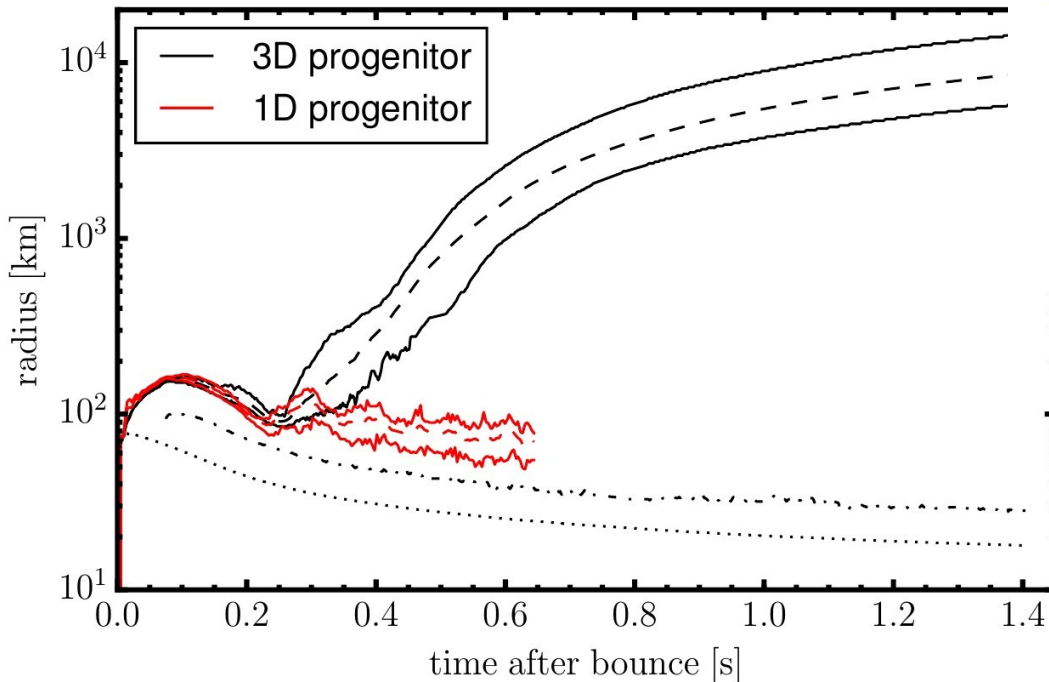
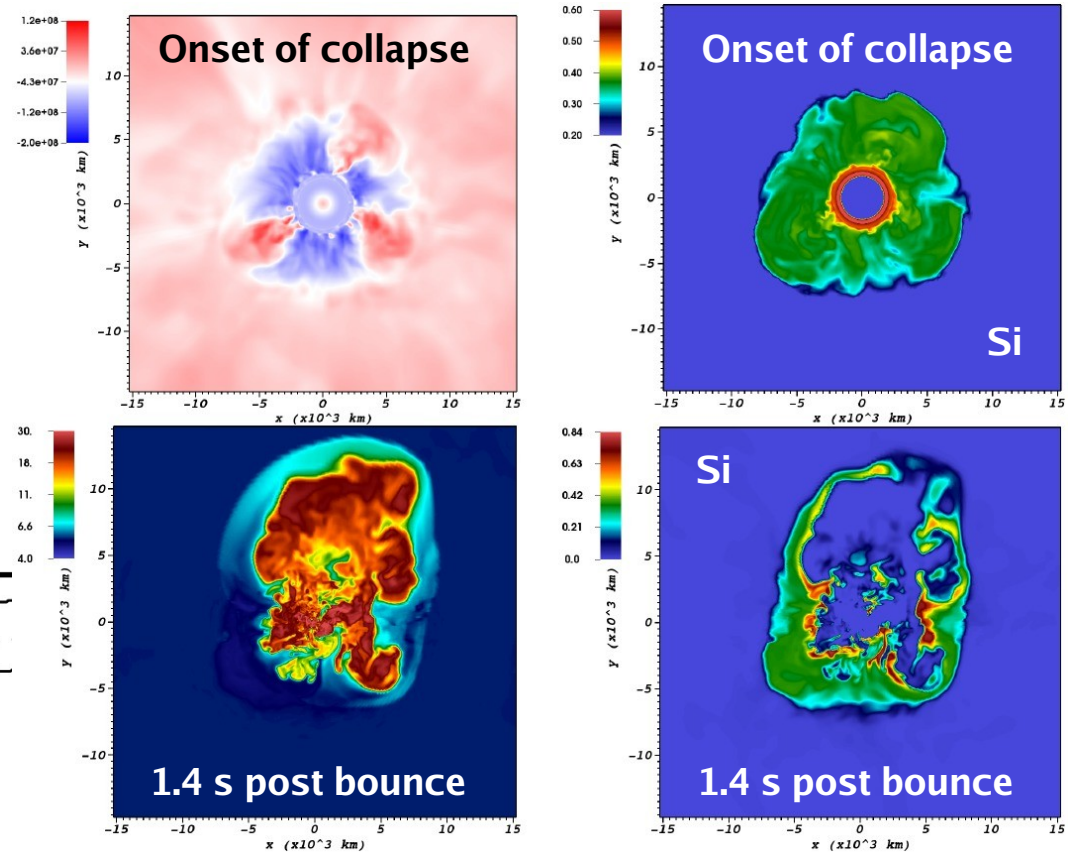


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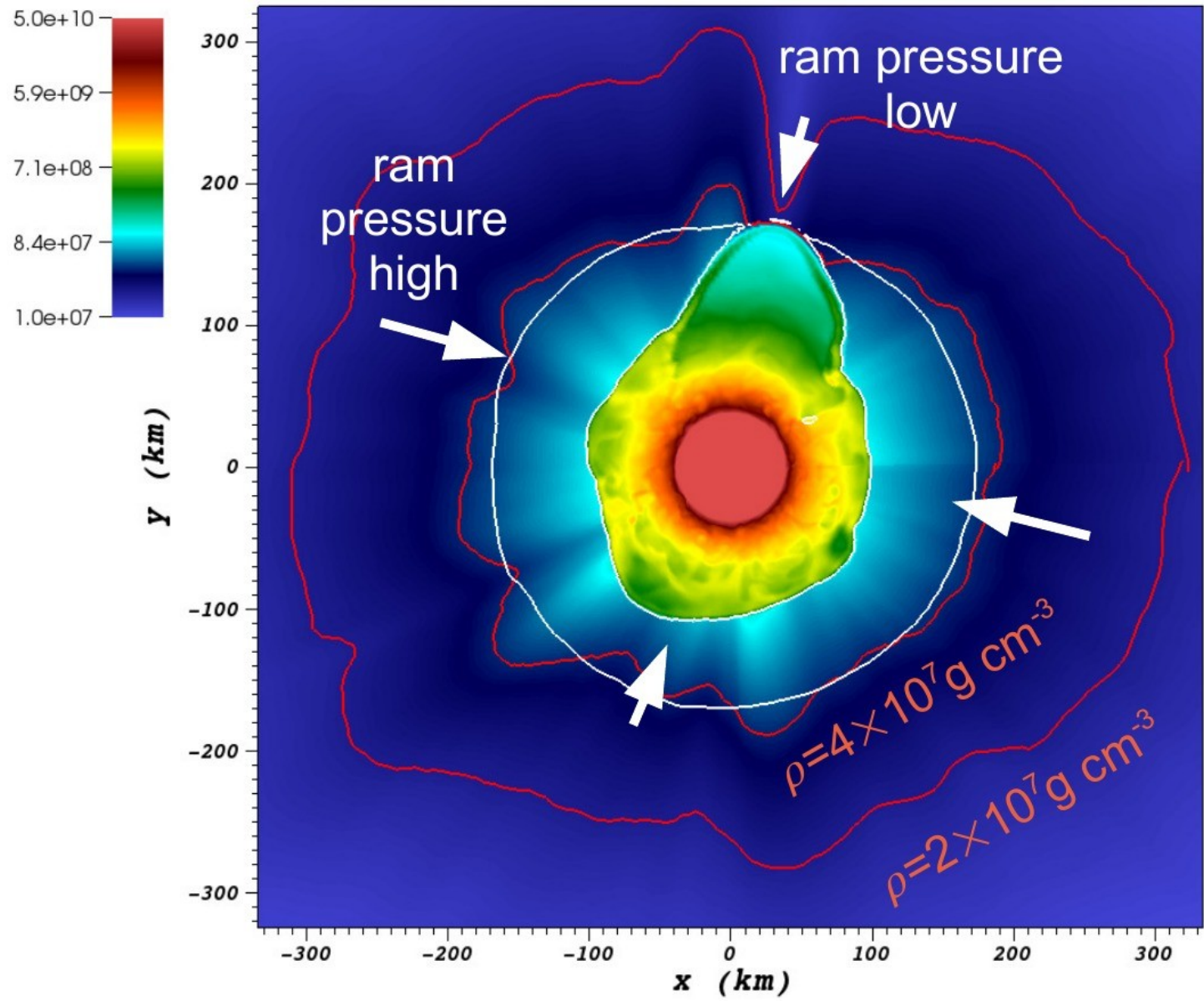
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$$\delta\rho/\rho \sim \text{Ma}_{\text{conv}}$$

$$(L_{\nu}E_{\nu}^2)_{\text{crit,pert}} \approx (L_{\nu}E_{\nu}^2)_{\text{crit,3D}} \left( 1 - 0.47 \frac{\text{Ma}_{\text{conv}}}{\ell\eta_{\text{acc}}\eta_{\text{heat}}} \right)$$

B. Müller, PASA 33, 48 (2016)



# Status of Neutrino-driven Mechanism in 2D & 3D Supernova Models

- 2D models with relativistic effects (2D GR and approximate GR) explode for “soft” EoSs, but explosion energies tend to low side.
- 3D modeling has only begun. No final picture of 3D effects yet.
- **$M < 10 M_{\text{sun}}$  stars explode in 3D.**  
**First 3D explosions of 15–20  $M_{\text{sun}}$  progenitors**  
(with rotation, 3D progenitor perturbations or slightly reduced neutrino-nucleon scattering opacities).
- 3D simulations **still need higher resolution** for convergence.
- **Progenitors are 1D**, but shell structure and initial progenitor-core asymmetries can affect onset of explosion.  
(cf. Couch et al. ApJL778:L7 (2013), arXiv:1503.02199; Müller & THJ, MNRAS 448 (2015) 2141)
- **Uncertain/missing physics ??????**



# Universal Critical Neutrino Luminosity for Explosion

$$(L_\nu \langle E_\nu^2 \rangle)_{\text{crit}} \propto (\dot{M} M)^{3/5} |\bar{e}_{\text{tot,g}}|^{3/5} R_g^{-2/5} \xi_{\text{turb}}^{-3/5} \xi_{\text{rot}}^{6/5}$$

$$\equiv (\dot{M} M)^{3/5} \xi_g$$

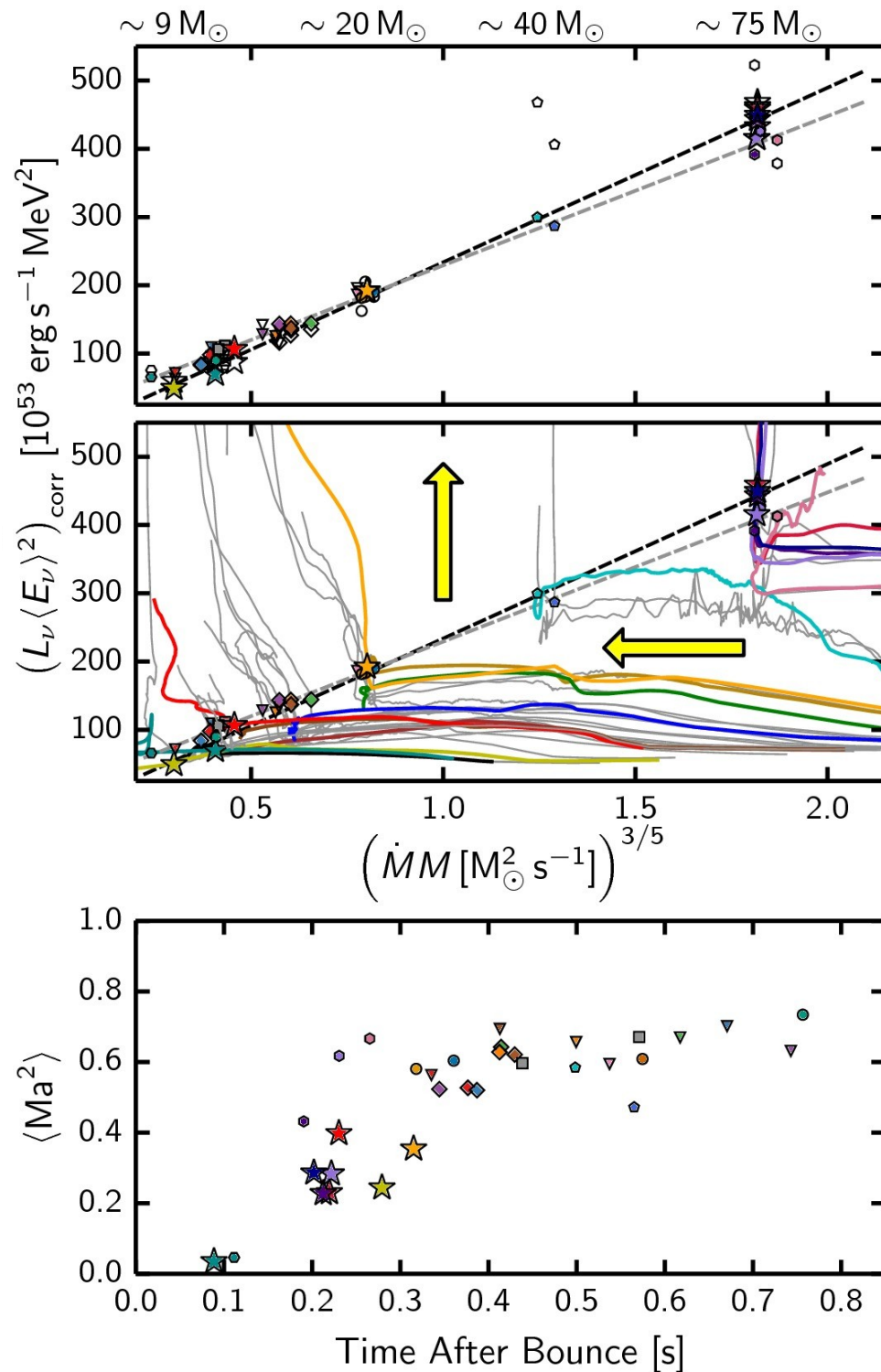
$$\xi_g \equiv |\bar{e}_{\text{tot,g}}|^{3/5} R_g^{-2/5} \xi_{\text{turb}}^{-3/5} \xi_{\text{rot}}^{6/5}$$

$$\xi_{\text{turb}} = 1 + \frac{4}{3} \langle \text{Ma}^2 \rangle \geq 1$$

$$\xi_{\text{rot}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{j_0^2}{2GM R_s}} \leq 1$$

$$\bar{e}_{\text{tot,g}} = \frac{E_{\text{tot,g}}}{M_g}$$

$$(L_\nu \langle E_\nu^2 \rangle)_{\text{crit,corr}} \equiv \frac{1}{\xi_g / \xi_g^*} (L_\nu \langle E_\nu^2 \rangle)_{\text{crit}} \propto (\dot{M} M)^{3/5}$$





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