

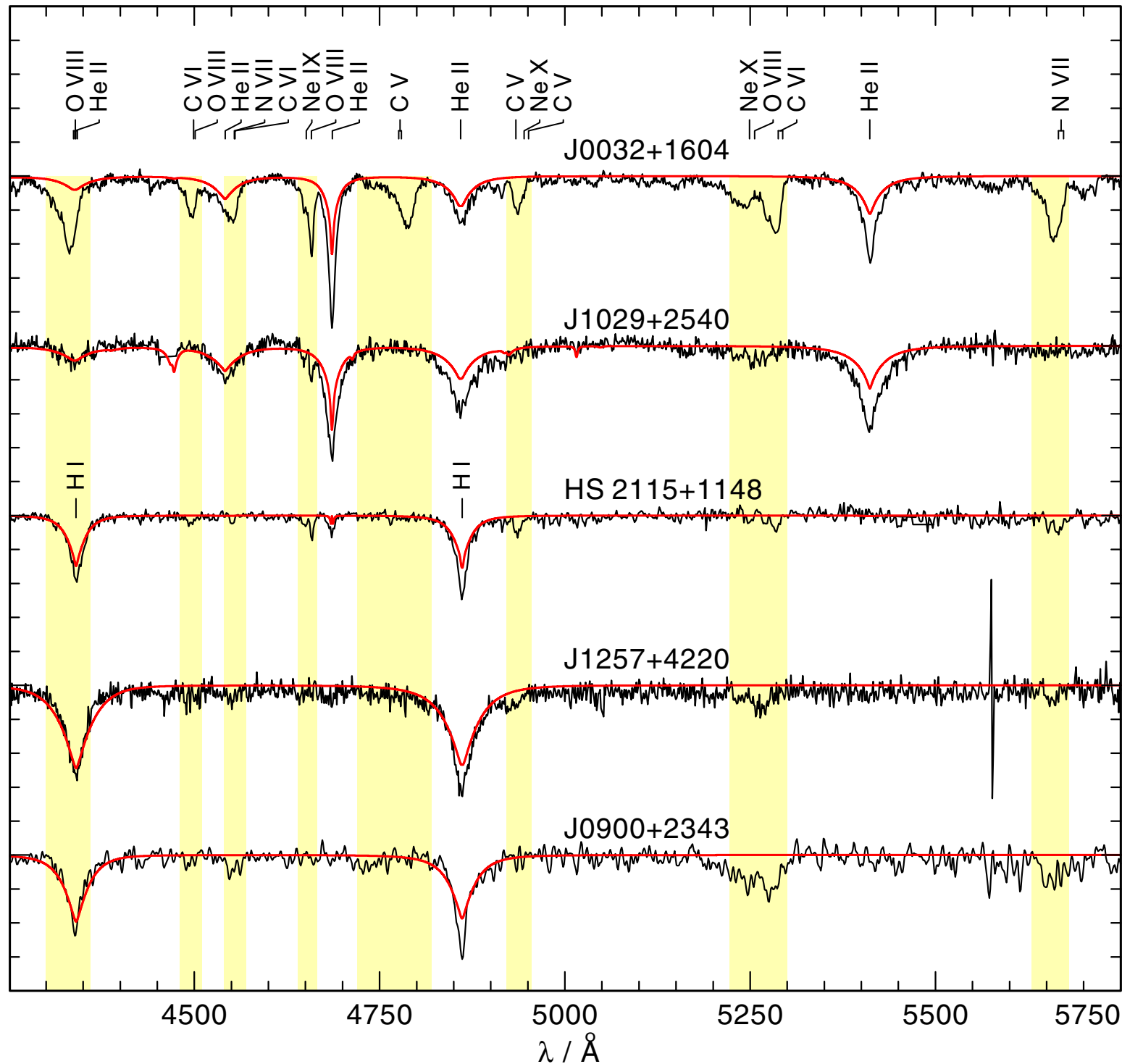
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Supernova explosions

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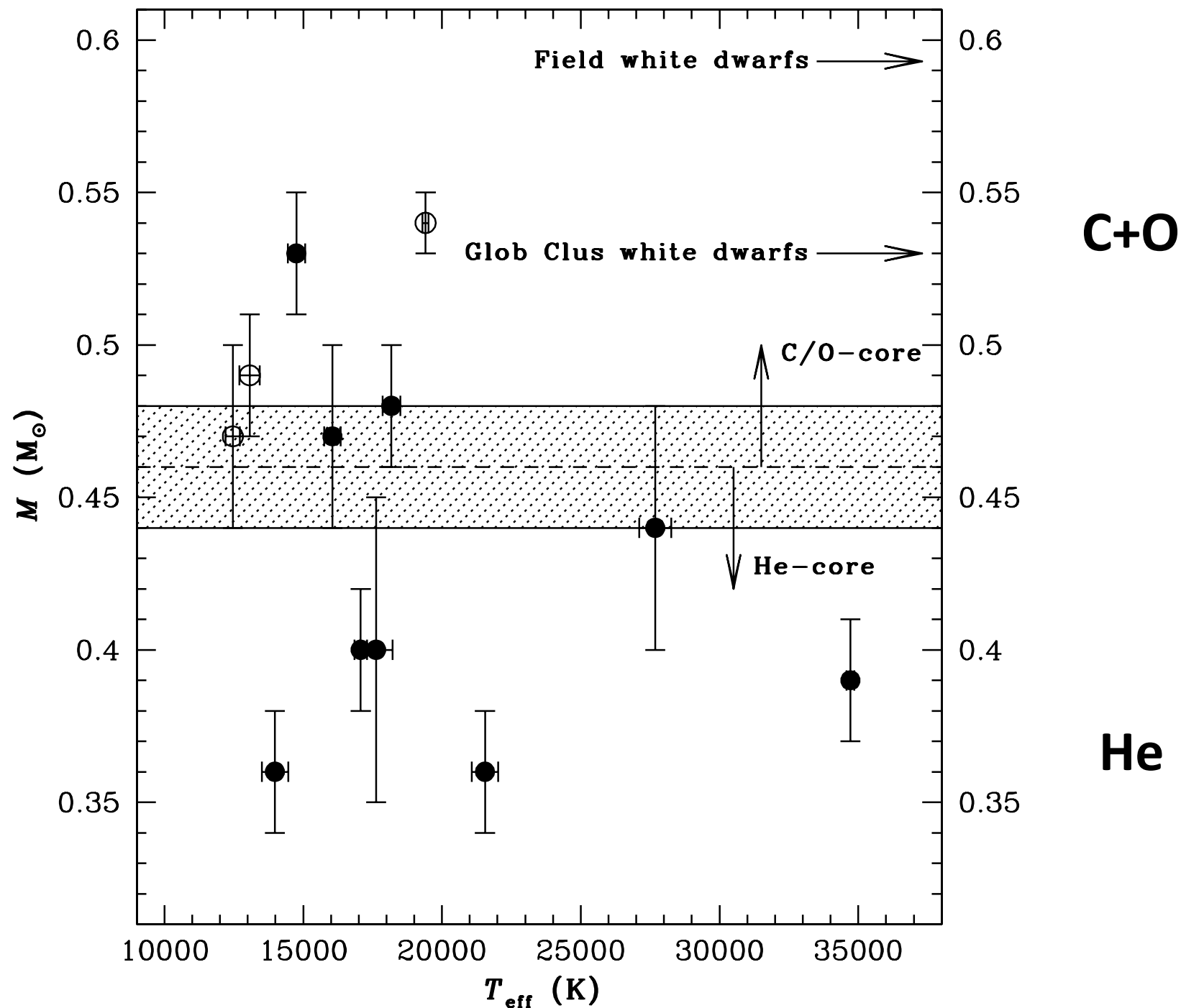
Spectra of white dwarf



Pressure broadening
(Stark effect)
=> good measure
of gravity

Kepler et al. 2019

C+O and He white dwarfs



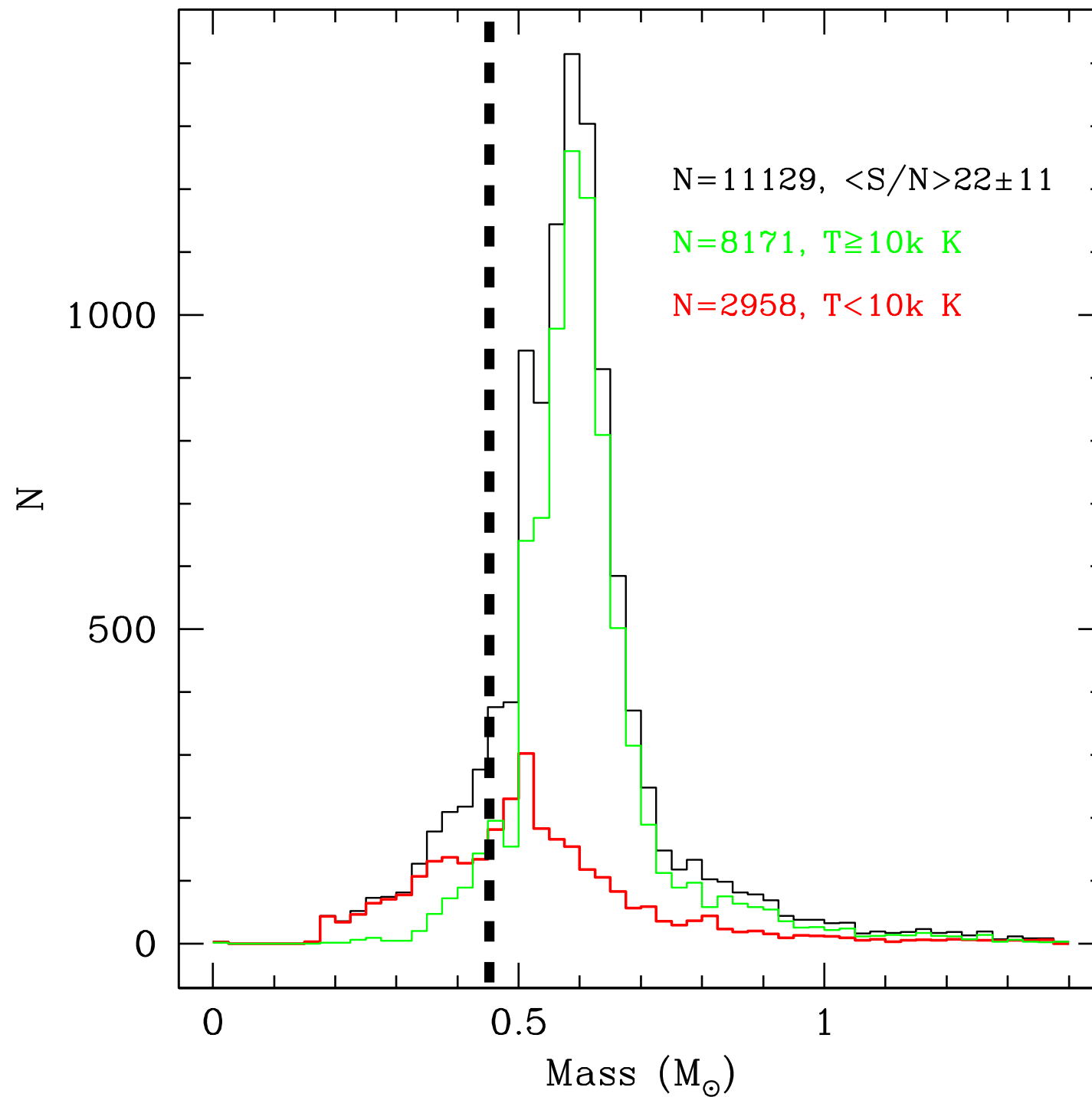
$$L = 4\pi R^2 \sigma T^4$$

$$g = \frac{GM}{R^2}$$

if distance is known
(cluster or parallax)

$M \sim 0.45 M_{\text{sun}}$
for He ignition

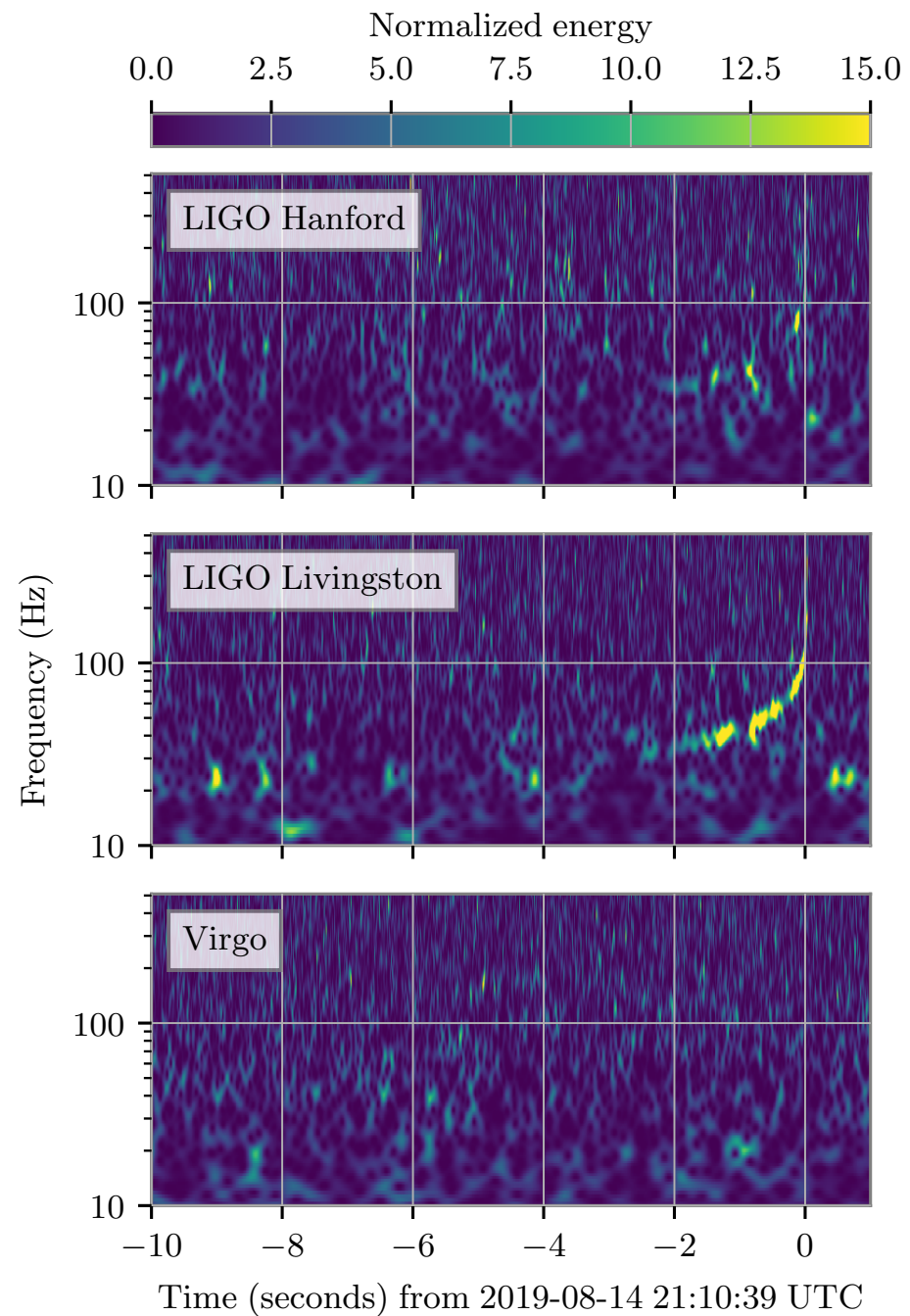
Mass distribution of WDs (with H)



Goals of this lecture

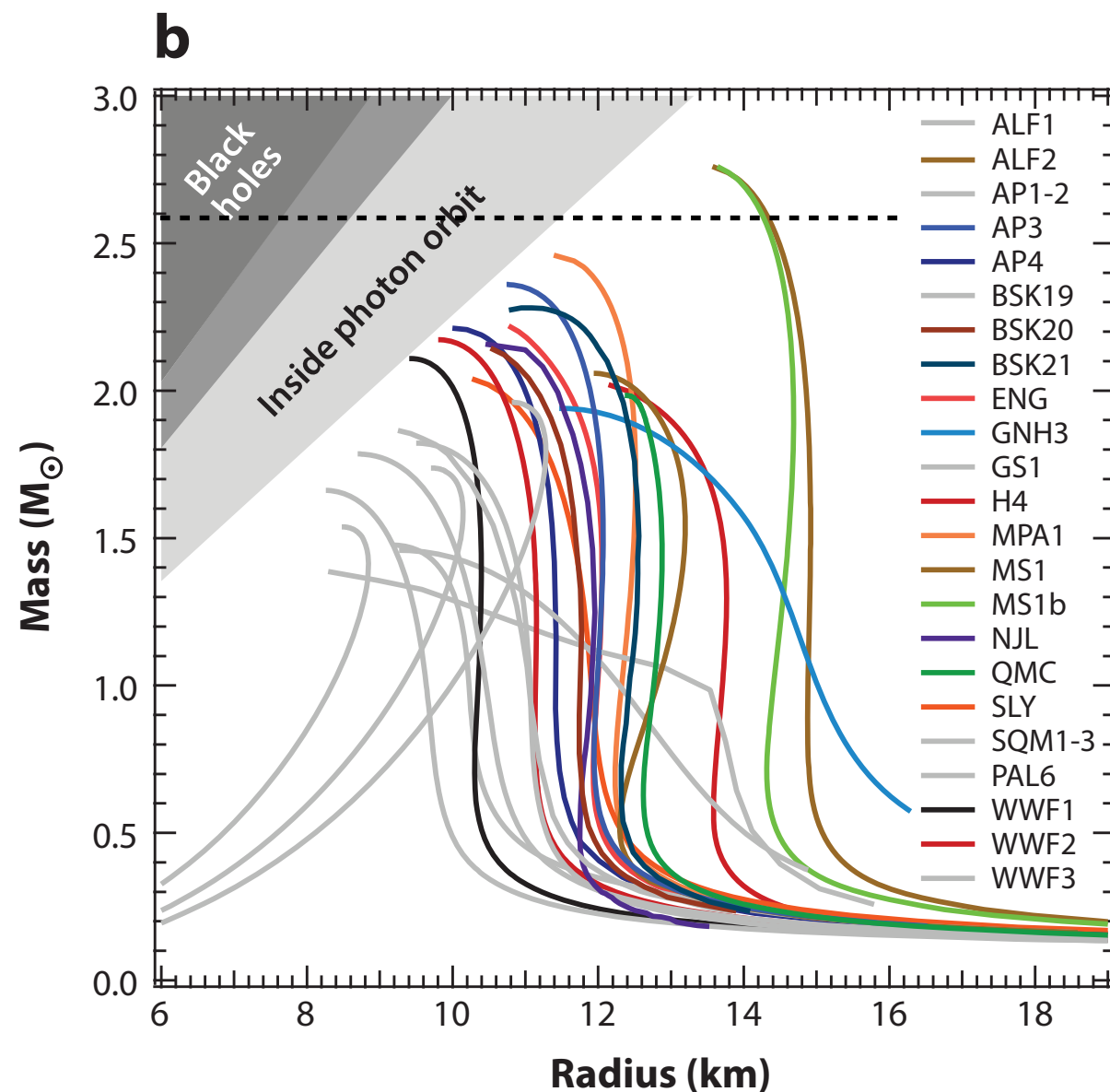
- **Standard properties of stars**
 - Stellar structure and properties
 - **Stellar evolution**
- **Origin of the elements in the Universe**
 - **Nucleosynthesis in stars and supernovae**
 - **Explosion mechanism of supernovae**
- **Topics in time-domain astronomy**
 - Radiation from explosive phenomena
 - Multi-messenger astronomy

Gravitational waves from 23 Msun black hole + 2.6 Msun object!



arXiv: 2006.12611

Is 2.6 Msun object black hole or neutron star?



Discovery of the heaviest NS!?

- Large uncertainty in EOS for NS matter
- But difficult to support 2.6 Msun.

Discovery of lightest black hole!

- Implications to supernova mechanism

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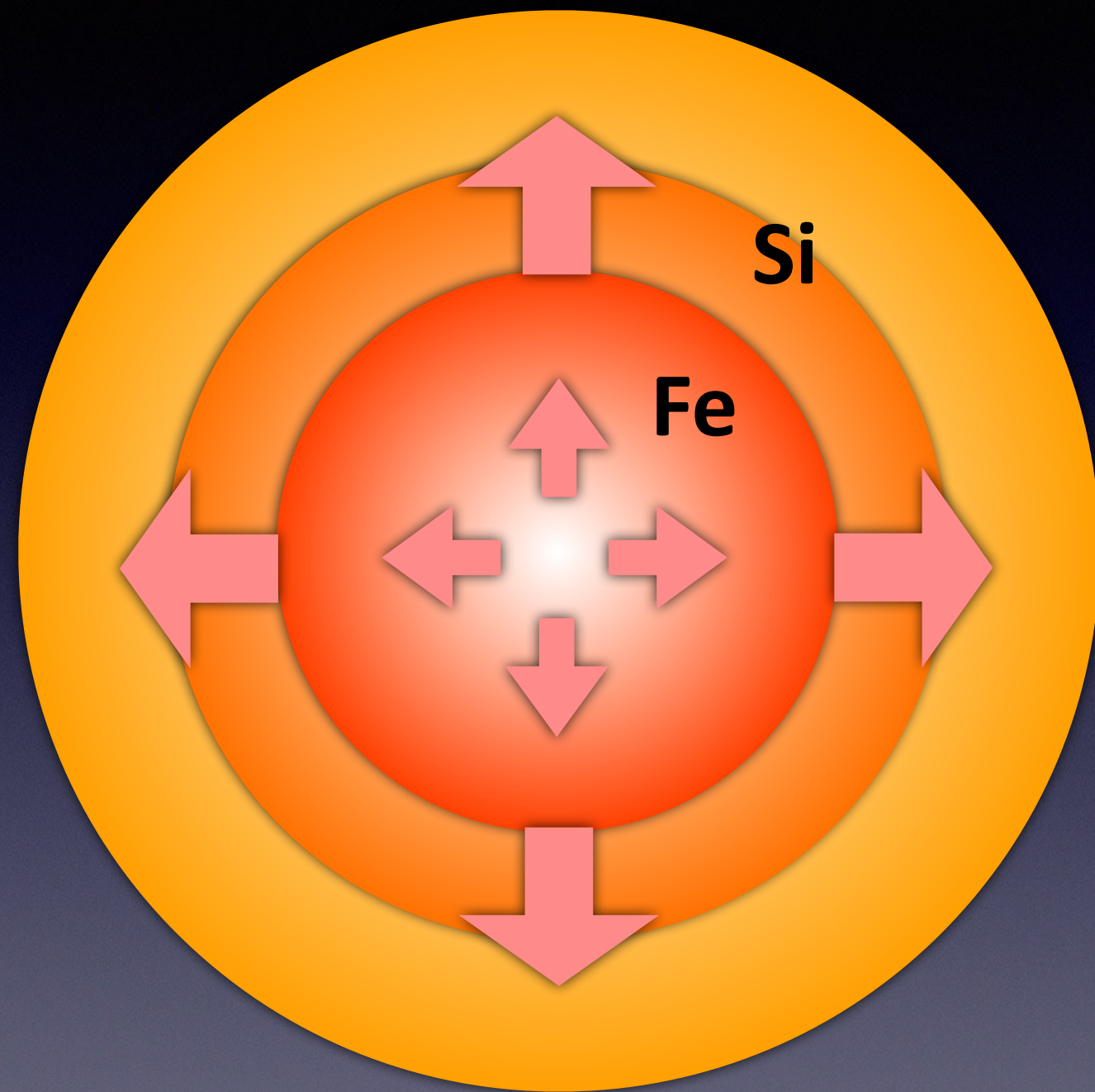
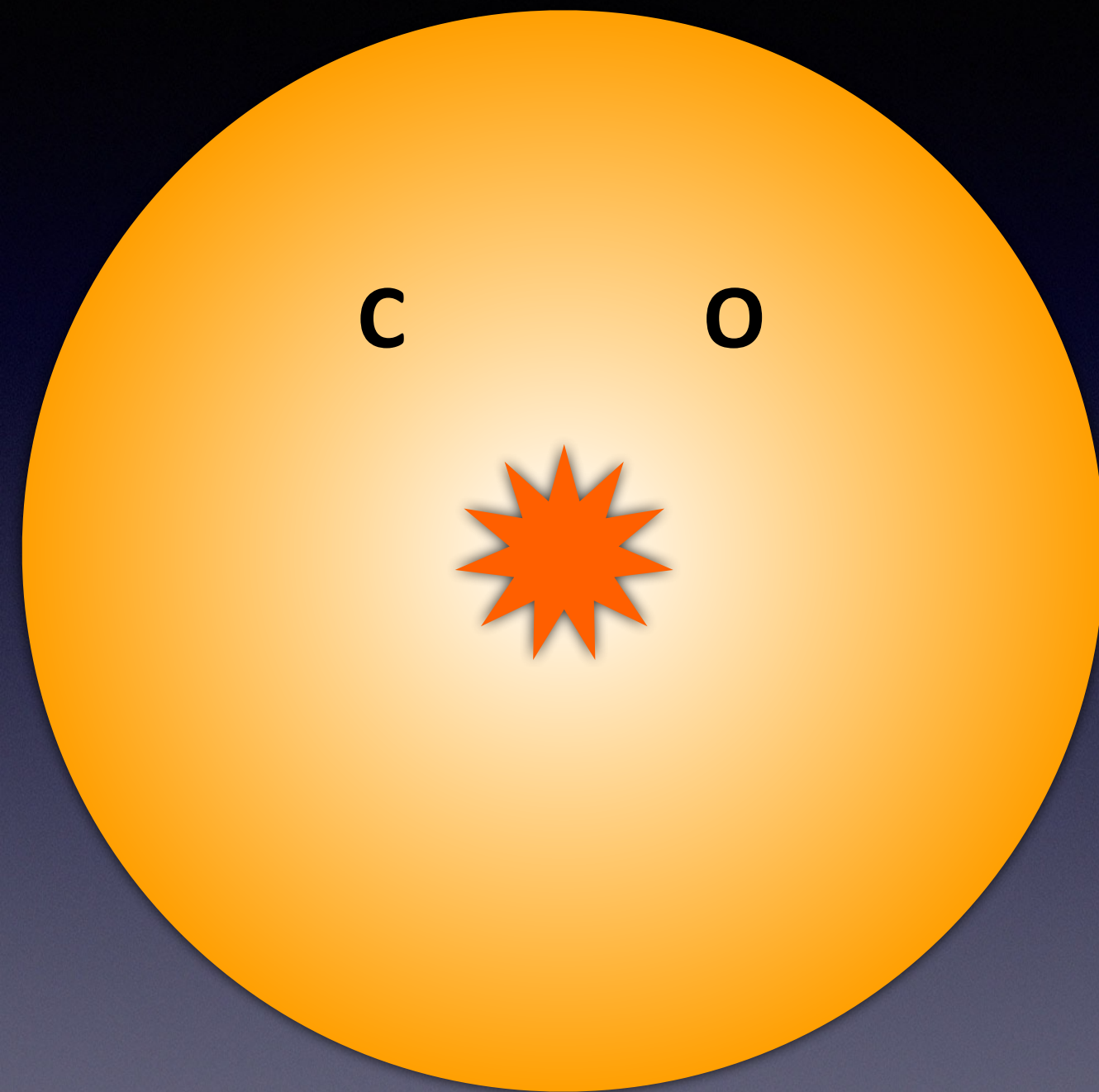
Binary system

A binary star system is depicted against a dark, star-filled background. On the left, a bright white dwarf star is shown with a prominent blue-white glow and a radial pattern of light rays emanating from it. To its right, a larger, cooler red dwarf star is visible, characterized by a textured surface of orange and red hues. The two stars are positioned close together, illustrating their orbital relationship.

White dwarf

Hardy

Thermonuclear explosion

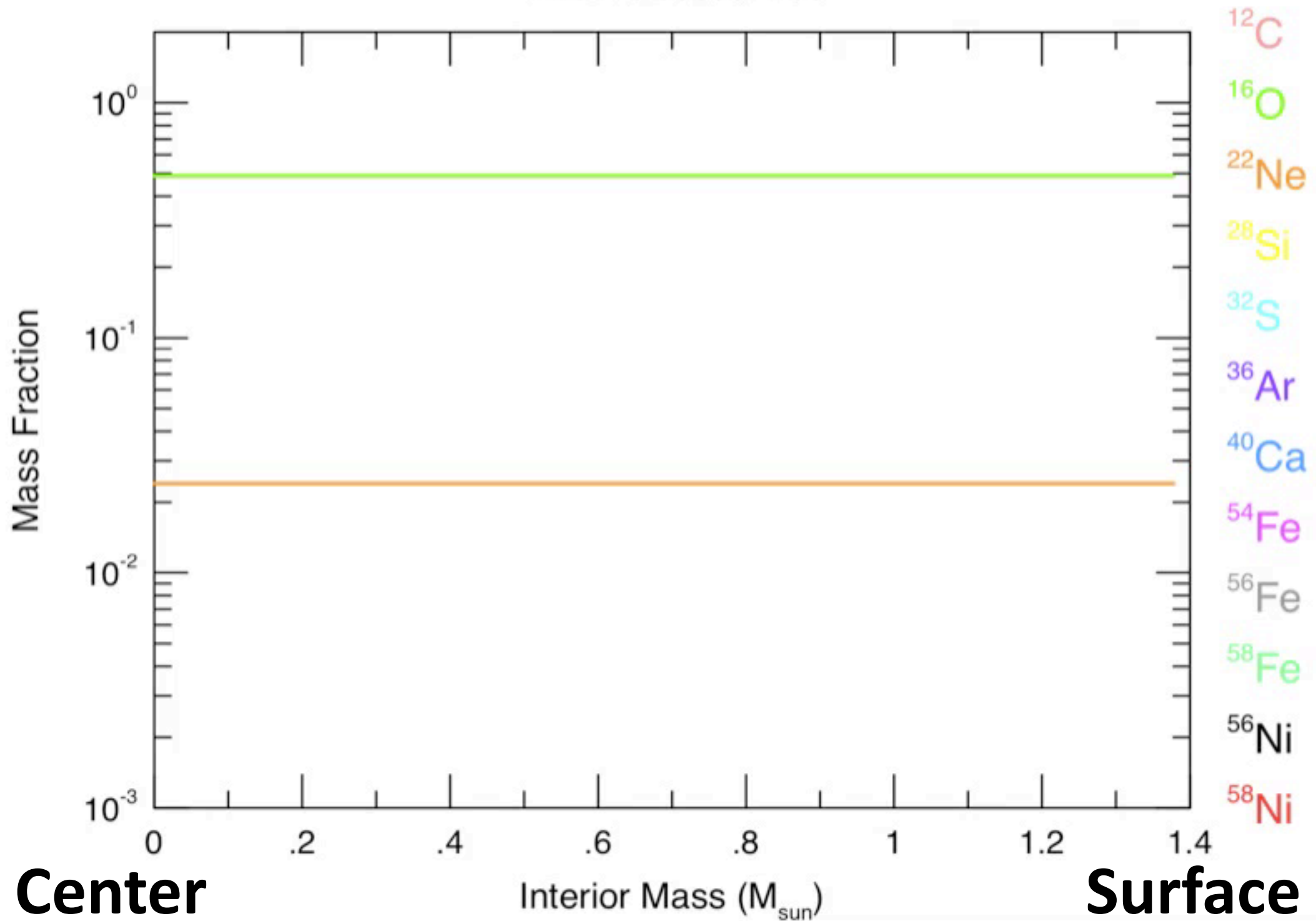


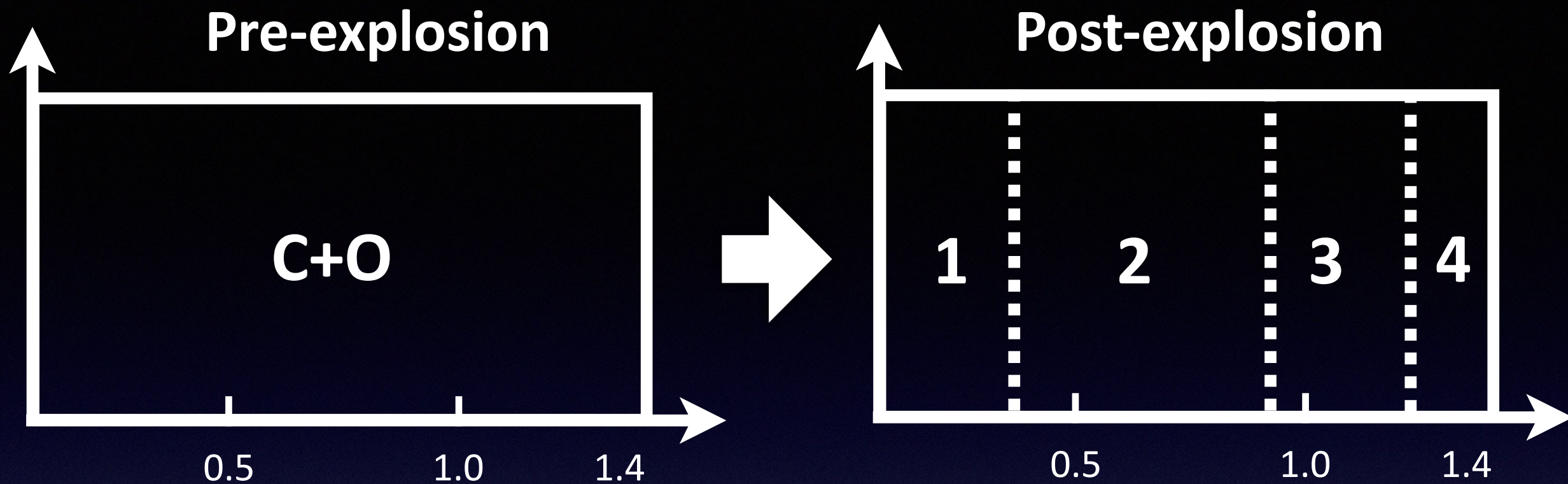
Supernova!

Explosion of white dwarf

time = 0.00000E+00

Mass fraction





*NSE = nuclear statistical equilibrium (核統計平衡)

zone	T (K)	P (g cm ⁻³)		Elements
1	(7-9) x 10 ⁹	10 ⁸⁻⁹	NSE + e-capture	⁵⁶ Fe, ⁵⁴ Fe, ⁵⁸ Ni
2	(5-7) x 10 ⁹	10 ⁷⁻⁸	NSE	⁵⁶ Ni
3	(4-5) x 10 ⁹	<10 ⁷	Incomplete Si burning	²⁸ Si, ³² S, ⁴⁰ Ca
4	< 4 x 10 ⁹	<10 ⁷	Incomplete O burning	¹⁶ O, ²⁴ Mg



Thermonuclear supernovae

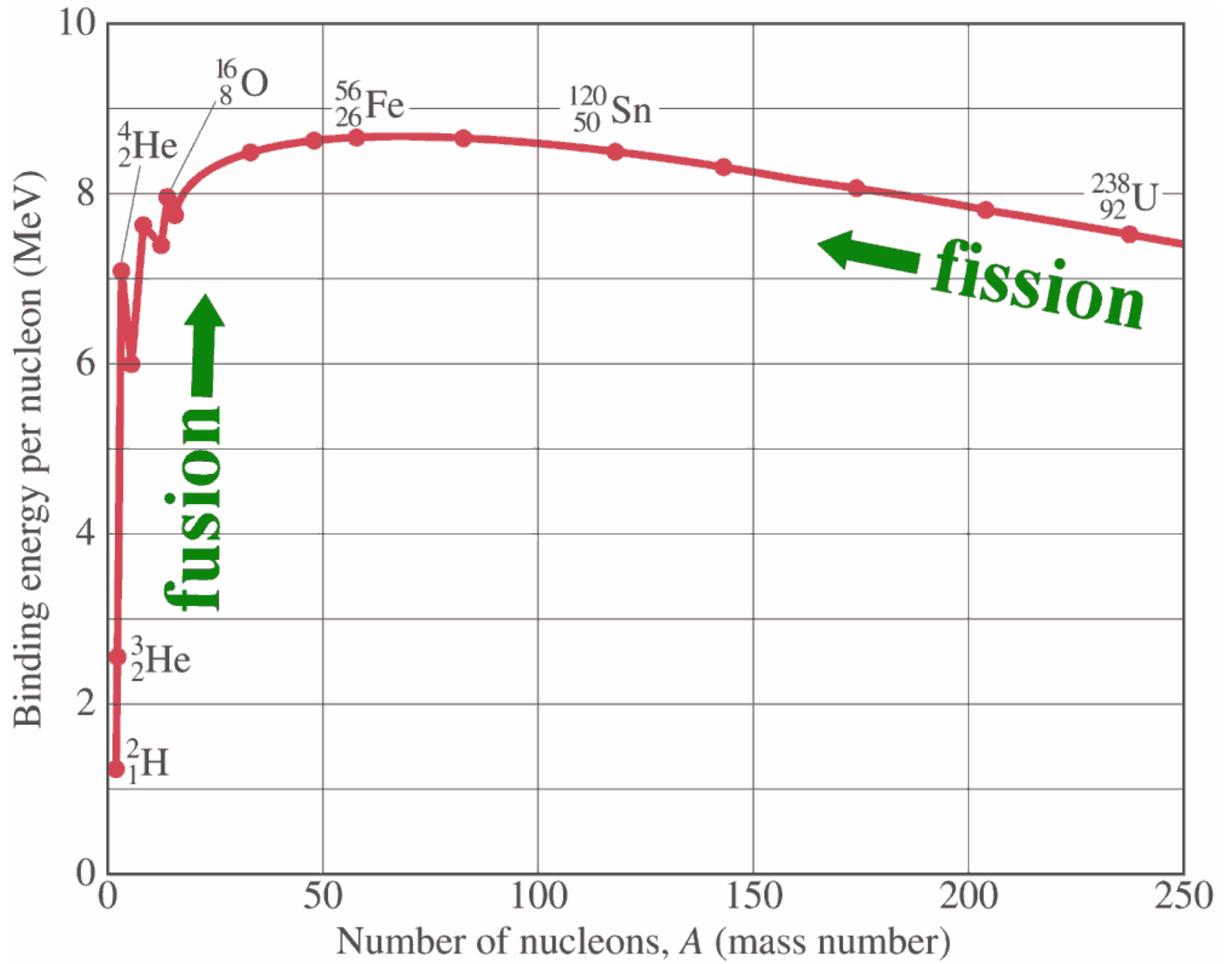
Normal stars are stable with nuclear burning

Why do white dwarfs explode by nuclear burning?

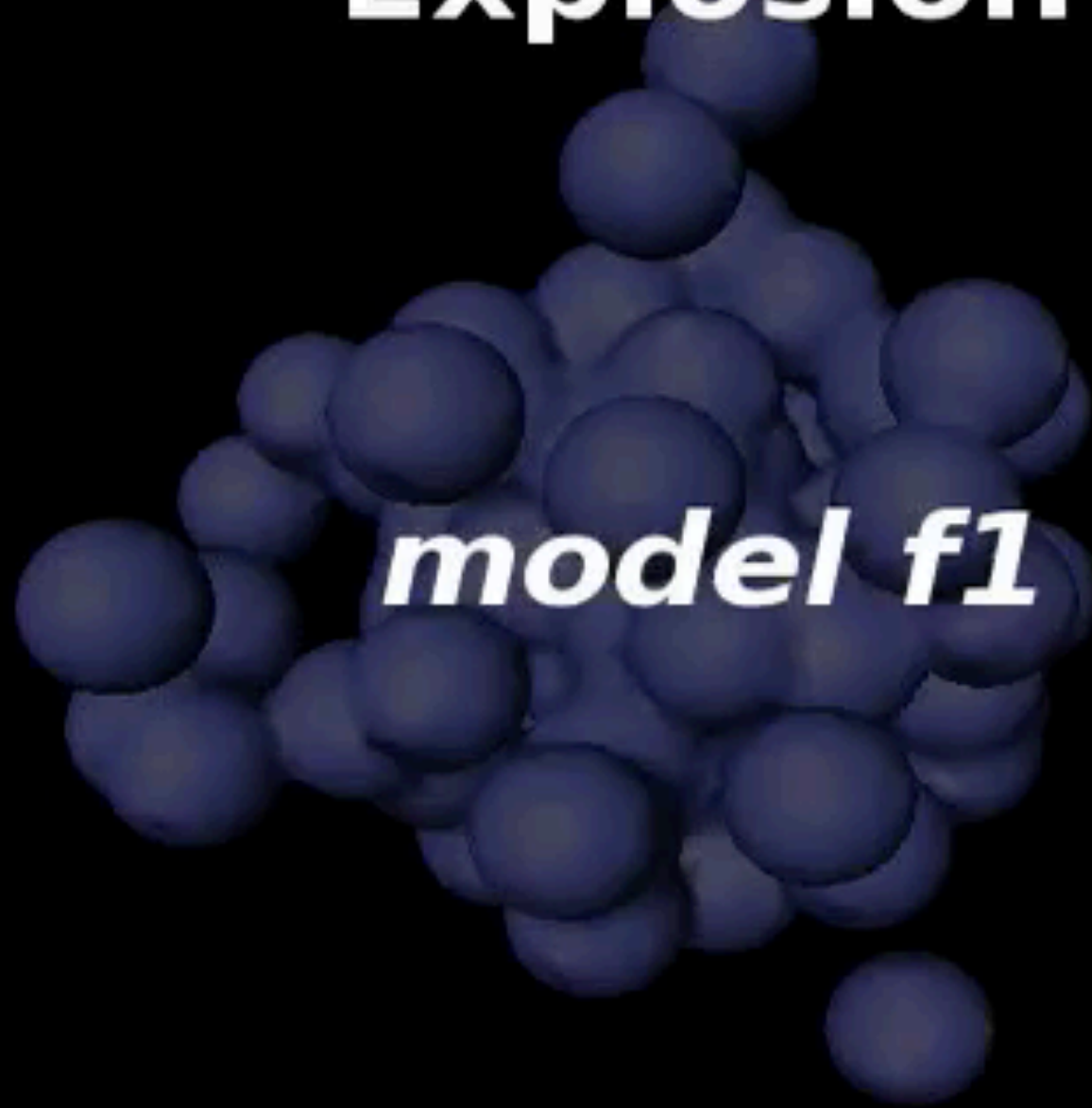
Type Ia
SN



Sun



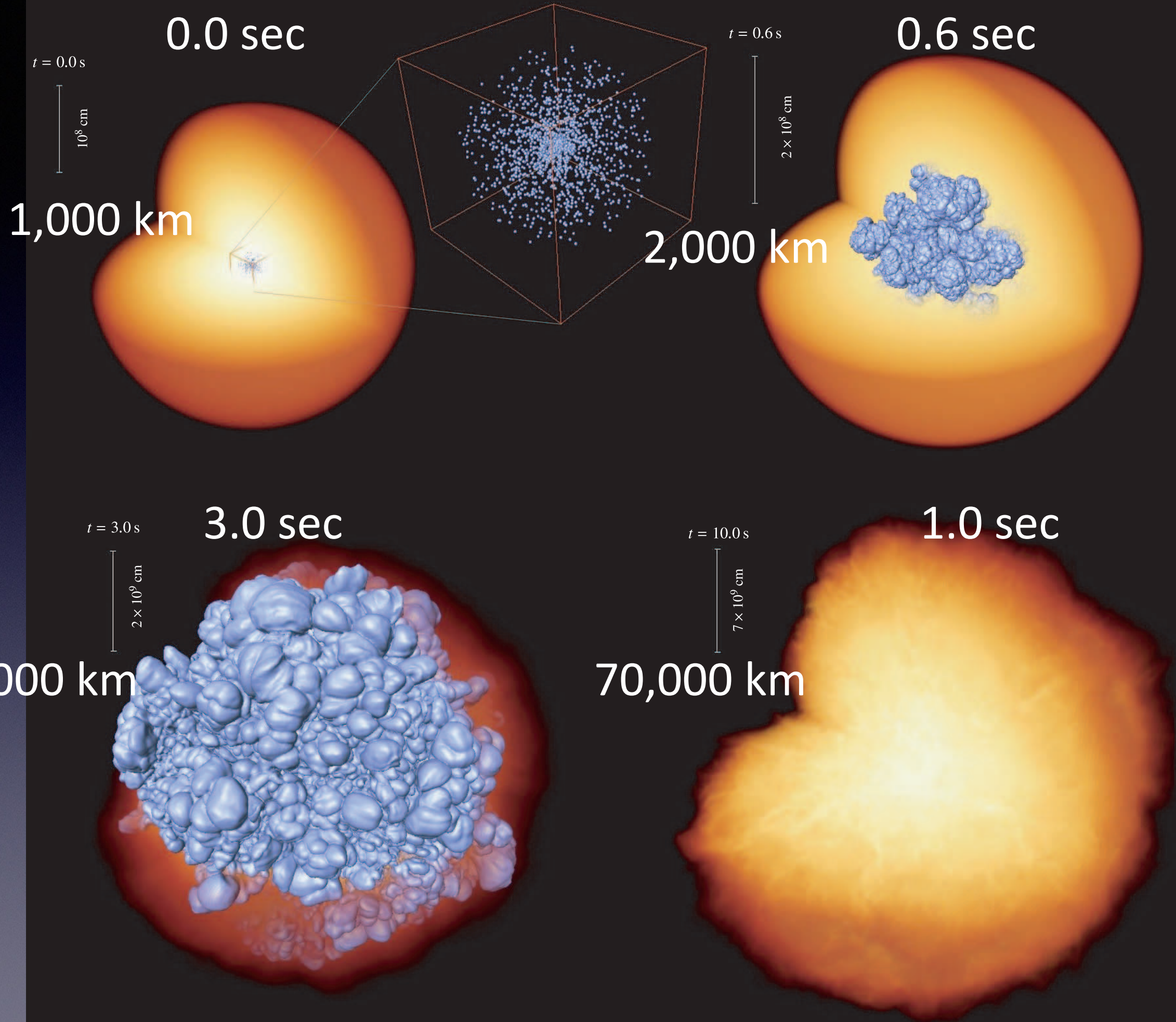
Thermonuclear Supernova Explosion



model f1



(c) Friedrich Röpke, MPA, 2004



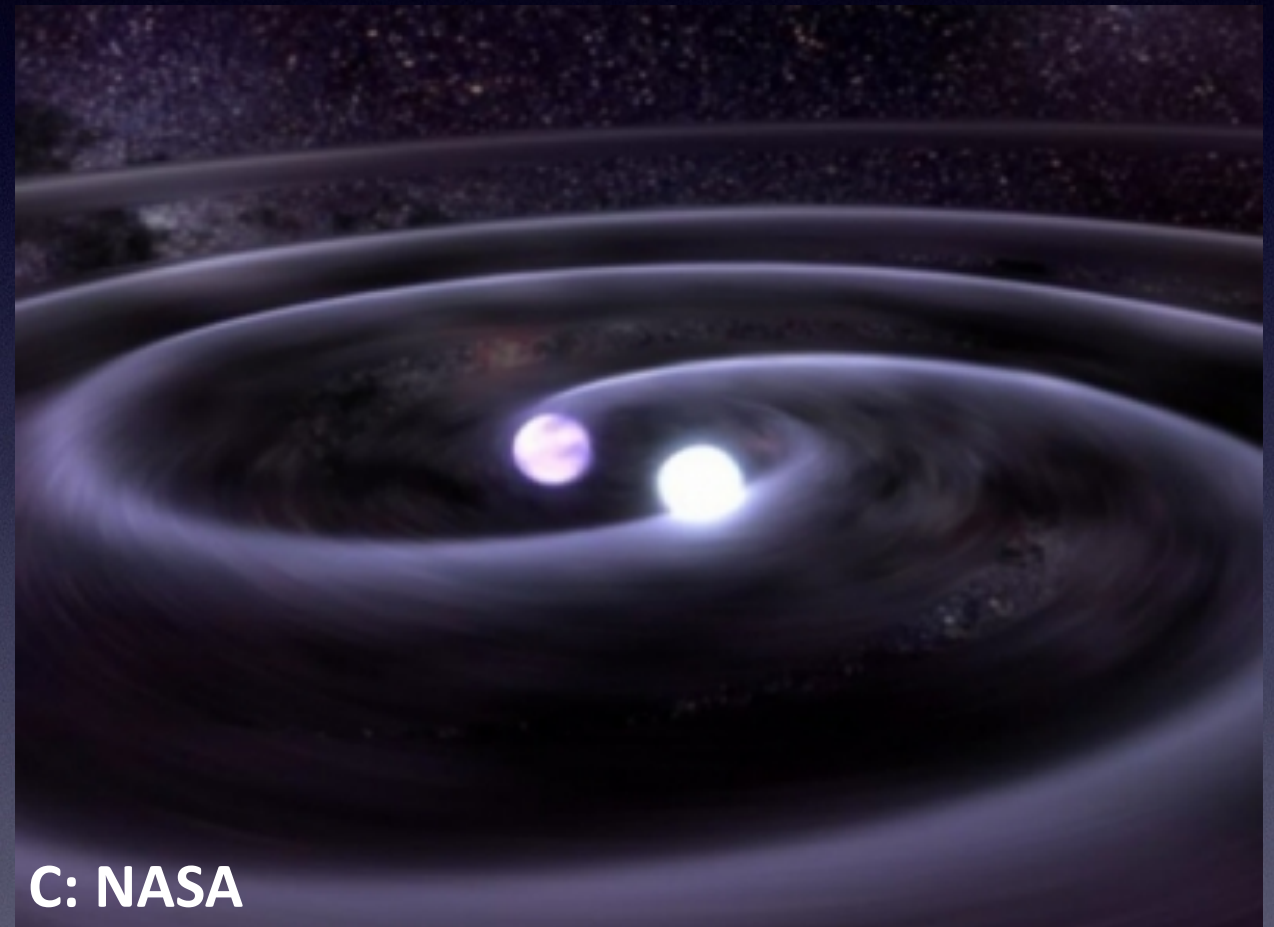
How to trigger explosion (progenitor scenarios)

Accretion from
non degenerate star



single degenerate

Merger of two white dwarfs



double degenerate

Which is correct or dominant? Not yet understood

Summary: Thermonuclear supernovae

- **Explosion of white dwarf close to M_{ch}**

- Nuclear burning => runaway under degenerate condition

- **Explosive nucleosynthesis**

- About 0.8 M_{sun} of Fe-group elements (^{56}Ni & ^{56}Fe , ^{54}Fe , ^{58}Ni)
> Core-collapse SNe

- About 0.4 M_{sun} of intermediate mass elements (^{28}Si , ^{32}S , ^{40}Ca)

- **Progenitor scenario**

- Single degenerate or double degenerate
- Not yet solved

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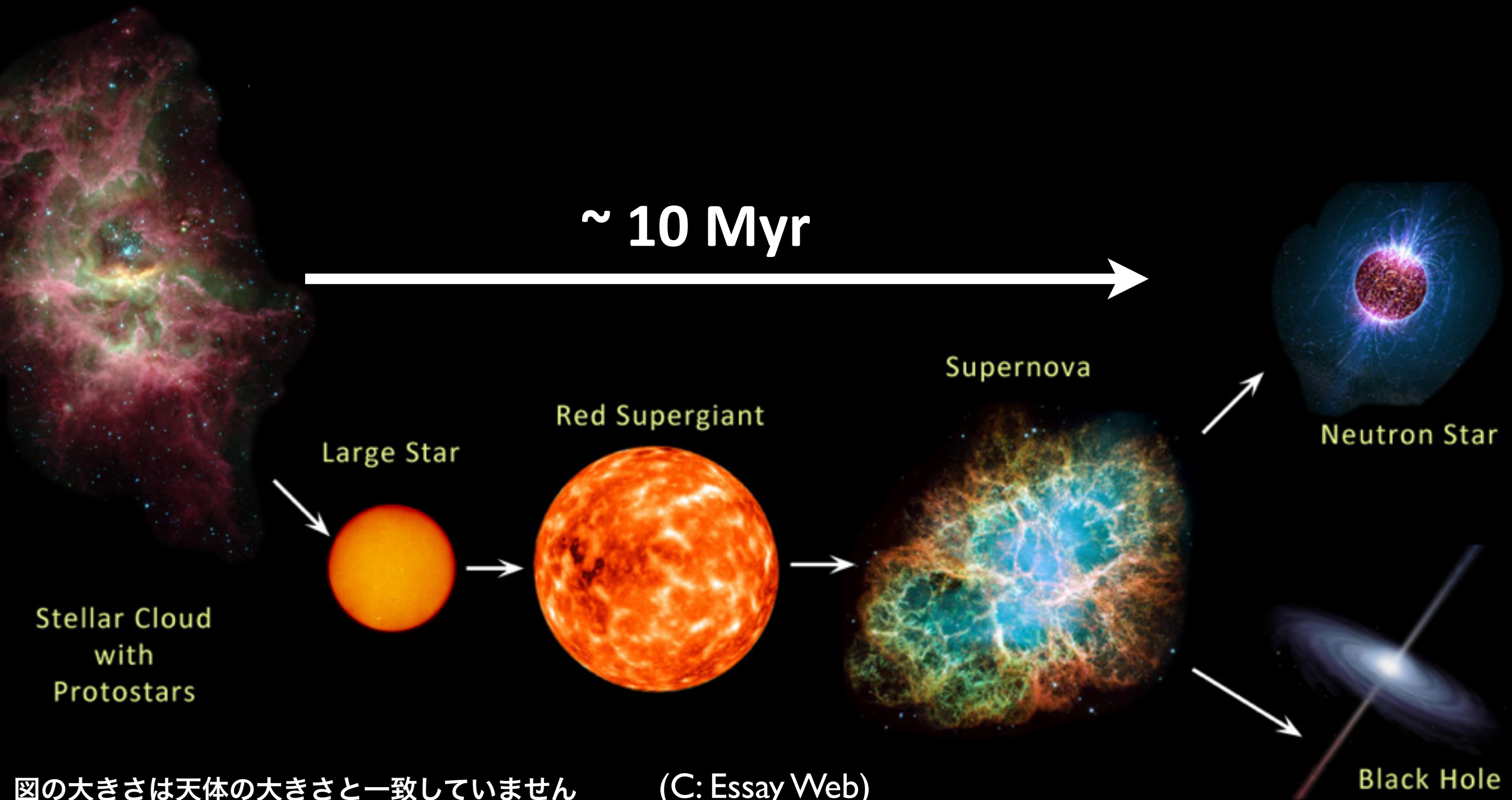
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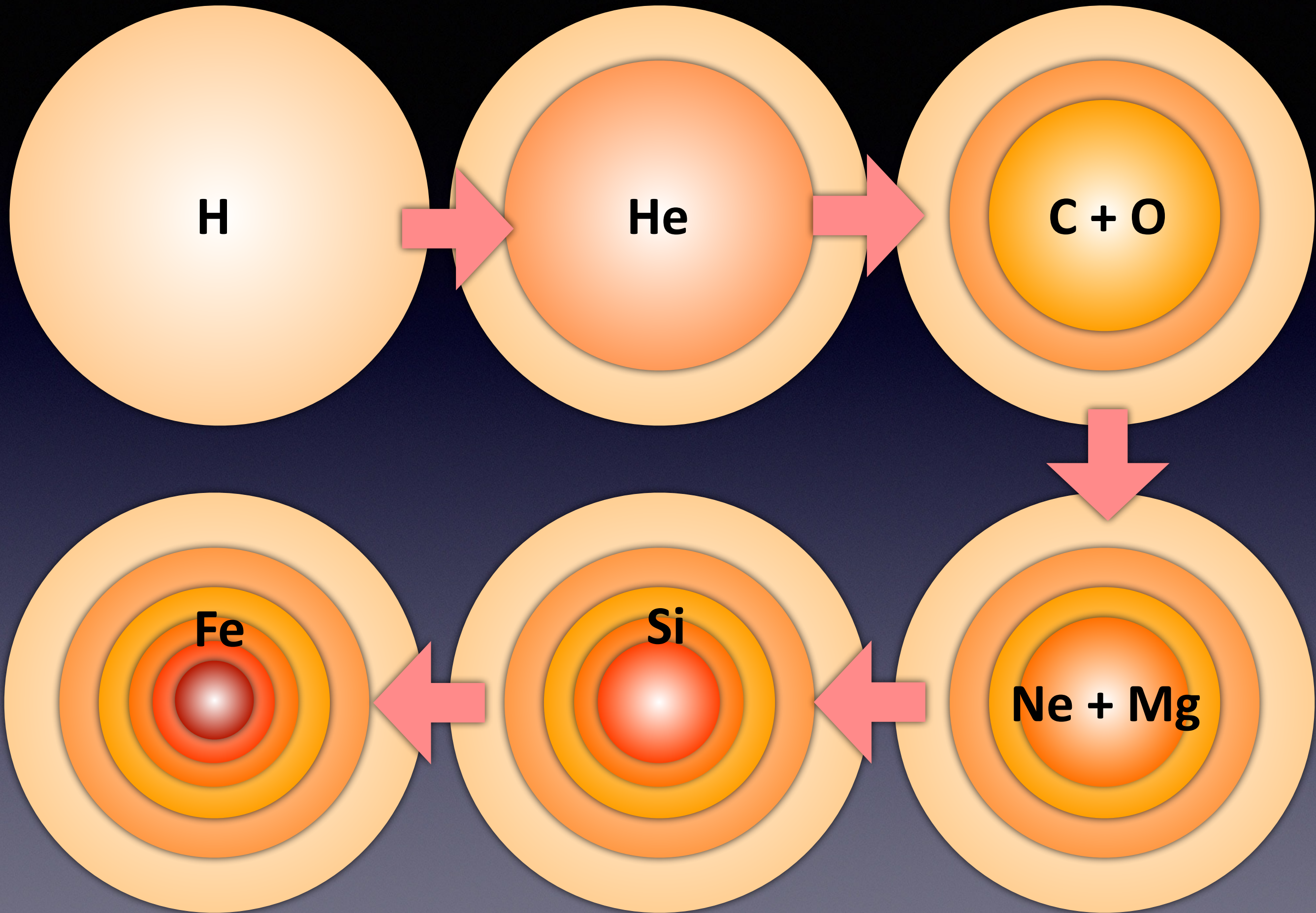
1. Massive stars

$M > 10 M_{\text{sun}}$



図の大きさは天体の大きさと一致していません

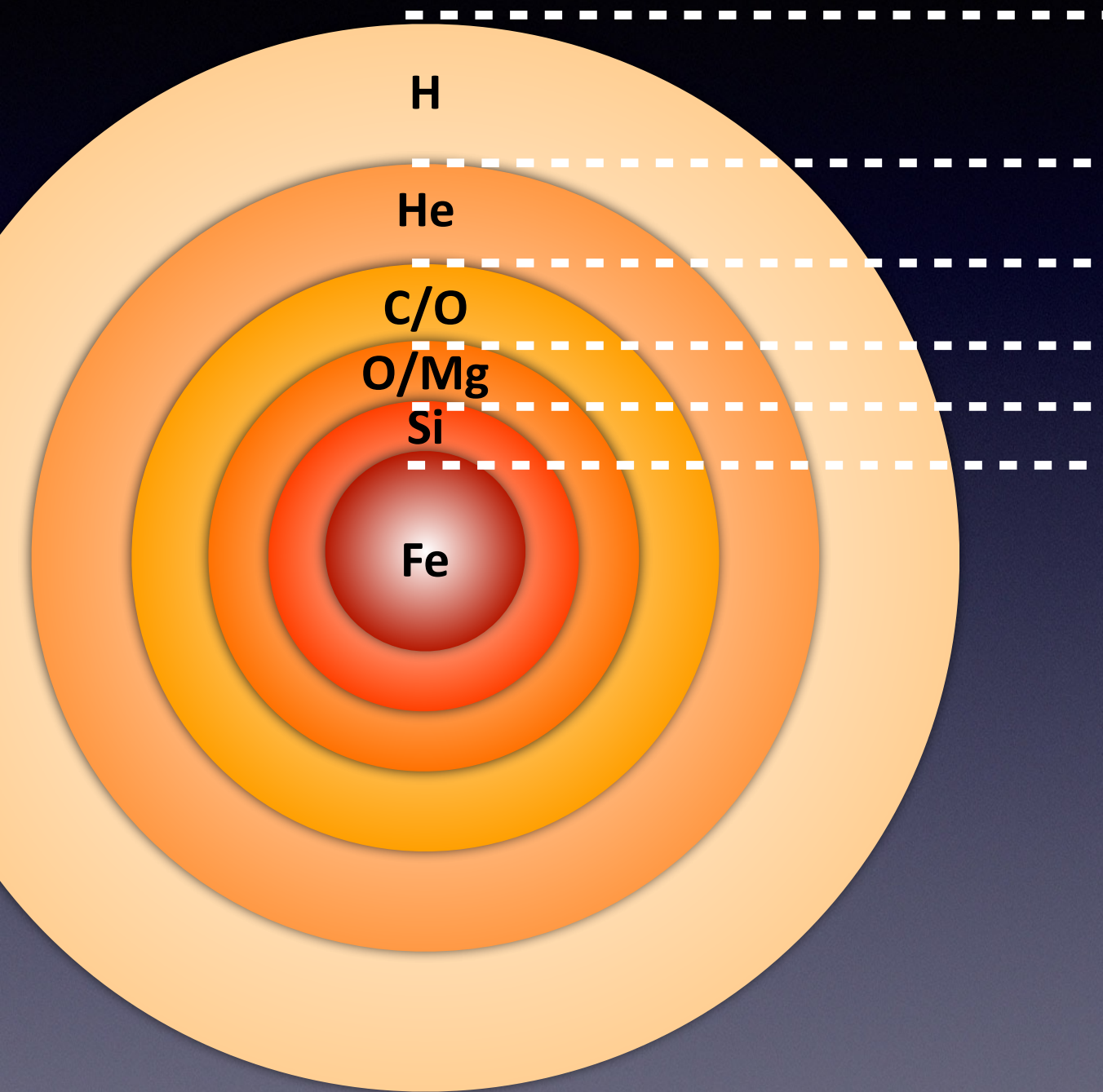
(C: Essay Web)



Images are not to scale

20 Msun star

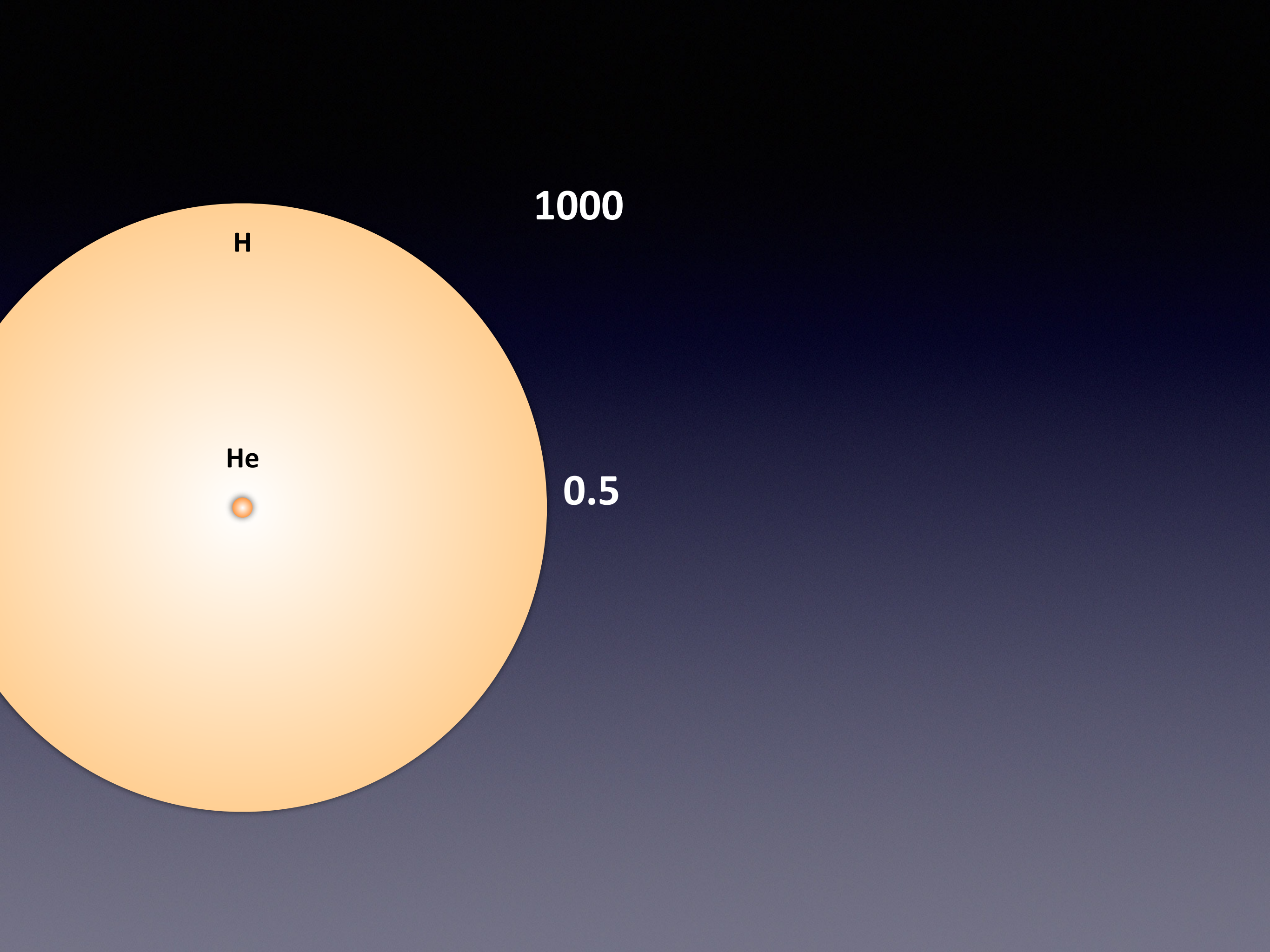
(~16 Msun before the collapse)



Mass (Msun)	R (Rsun)	Free-fall time (s)
16	1000	3×10^7 (1yr)
6	0.5	300
5	0.2	50
4	0.08	20
2	0.005	1
1.5	0.003	0.1

$R_{\text{sun}} = 7 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm}$

$R(\text{Fe core}) \sim 0.003 \times 7 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm}$
 $\sim 2 \times 10^8 \text{ cm} \sim 2,000 \text{ km}$



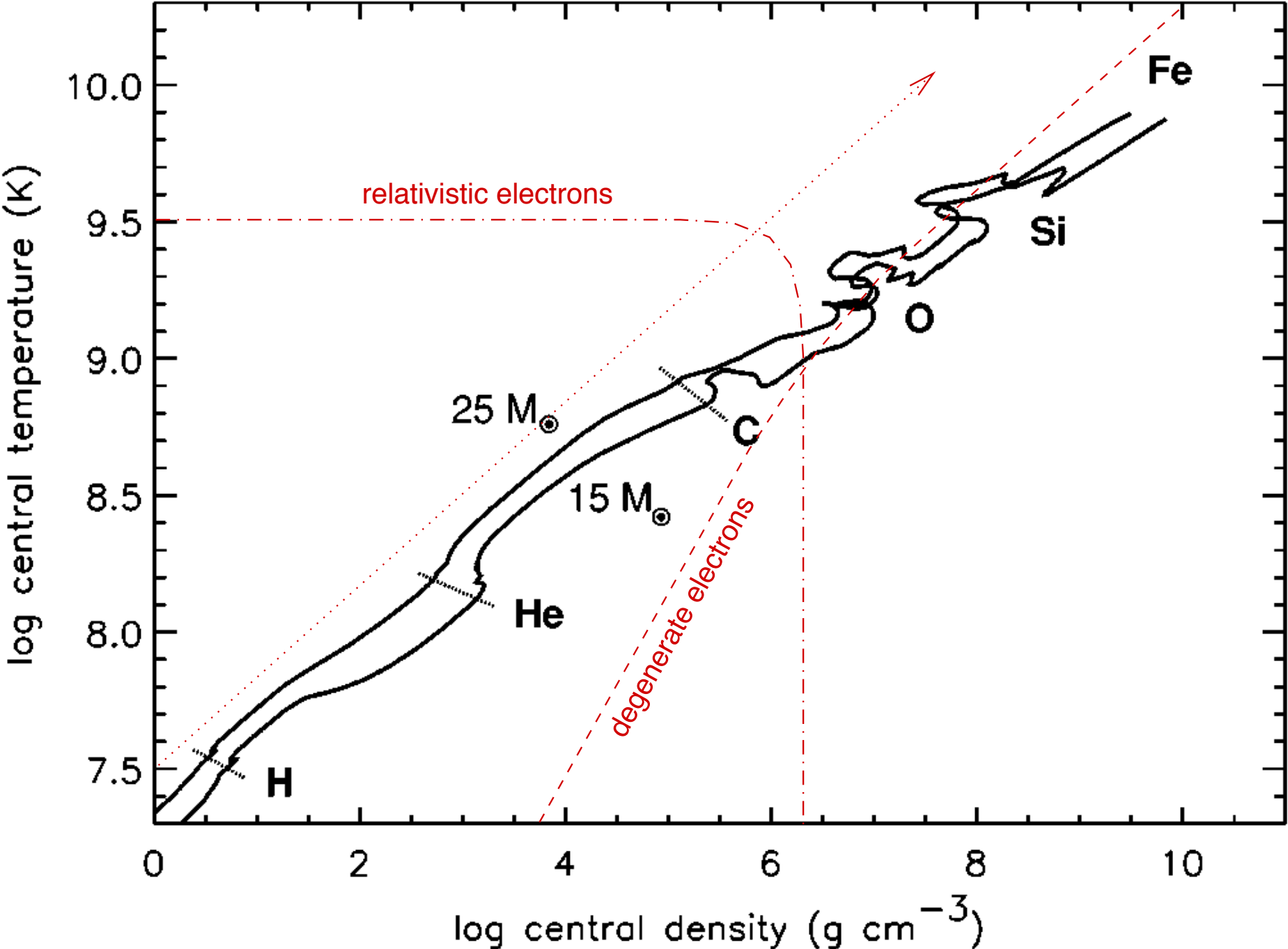
He

0.5

H

1000

Rho-T diagram



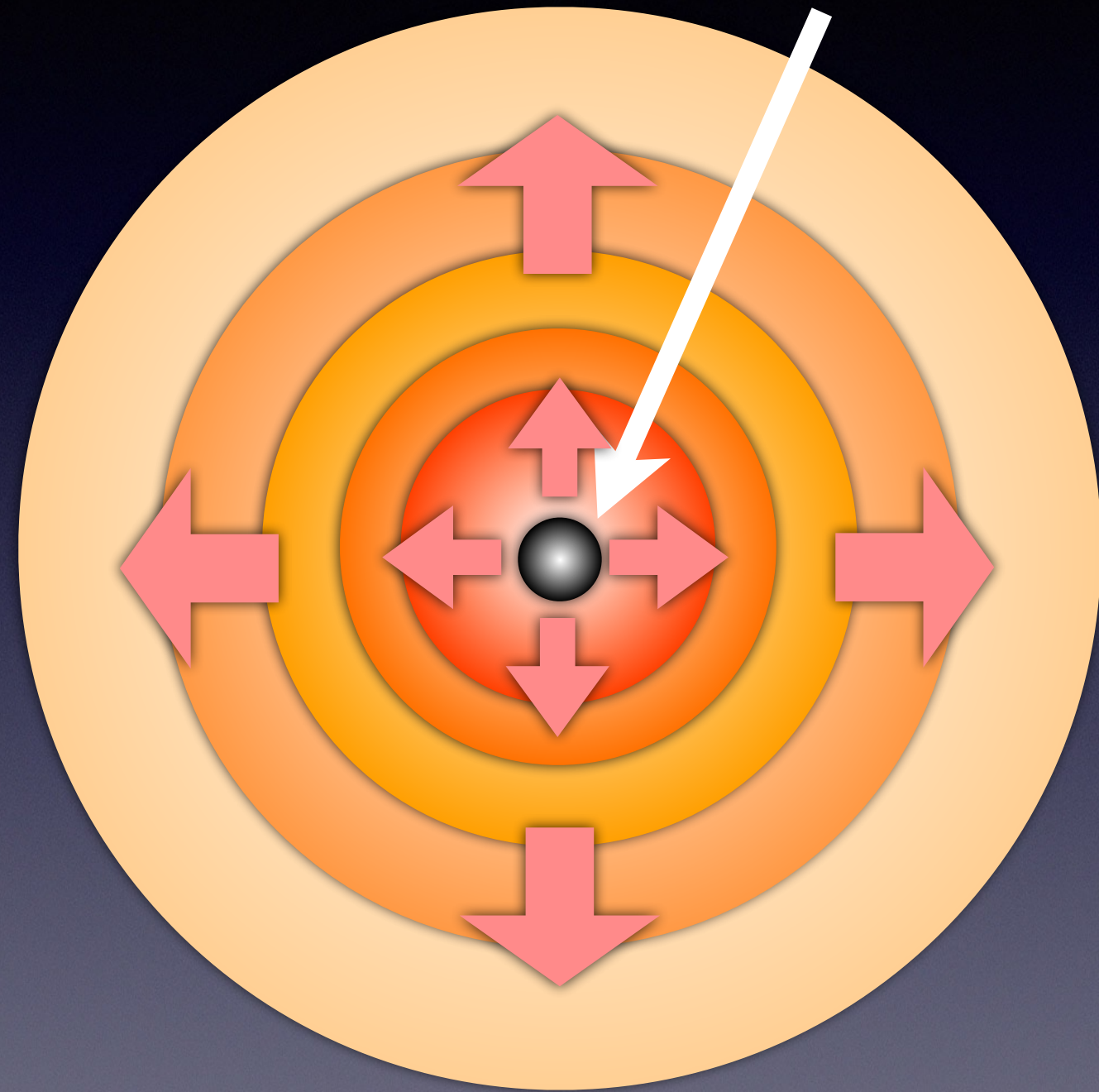
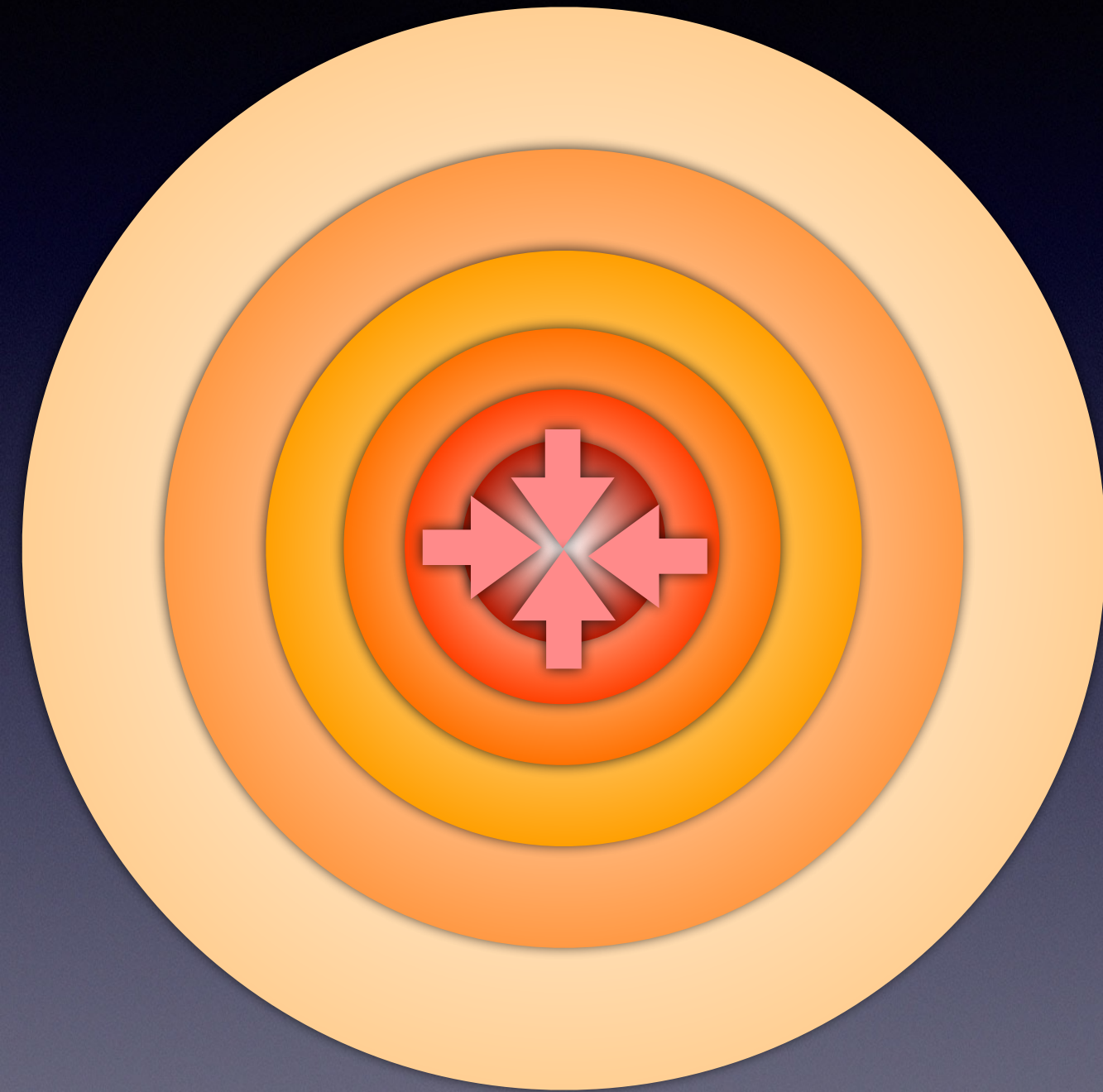
Timescales for nuclear burning stages

Table 12.1. Properties of nuclear burning stages in a $15 M_{\odot}$ star (from Woosley et al. 2002).

burning stage	T (10^9 K)	ρ (g/cm ³)	fuel	main products	timescale
hydrogen	0.035	5.8	H	He	1.1×10^7 yr
helium	0.18	1.4×10^3	He	C, O	2.0×10^6 yr
carbon	0.83	2.4×10^5	C	O, Ne	2.0×10^3 yr
neon	1.6	7.2×10^6	Ne	O, Mg	0.7 yr
oxygen	1.9	6.7×10^6	O, Mg	Si, S	2.6 yr
silicon	3.3	4.3×10^7	Si, S	Fe, Ni	18 d

Collapse
(< 1 sec)

Neutron star
or
Black hole



Supernova!



Core-collapse supernovae

**What happens to massive stars at the end of lives?
Where does huge energy come from?**

Assignment 3 / レポート課題 3

Consider gas consisting of

- non-relativistic (NR) particles (e.g., NR ideal gas, NR degenerate gas) and

- extremely-relativistic (ER) particles (e.g., ER degenerate gas, photons)

非相対論的(NR)/超相対論的(ER)粒子からなるガスを考える

(3a) Show the following relations

between pressure (P) and energy density (ε)

圧力 (P) とエネルギー密度 (ε) の間に、

以下の関係が成り立つことを示せ

* $P = (2/3) \varepsilon$ for NR particles

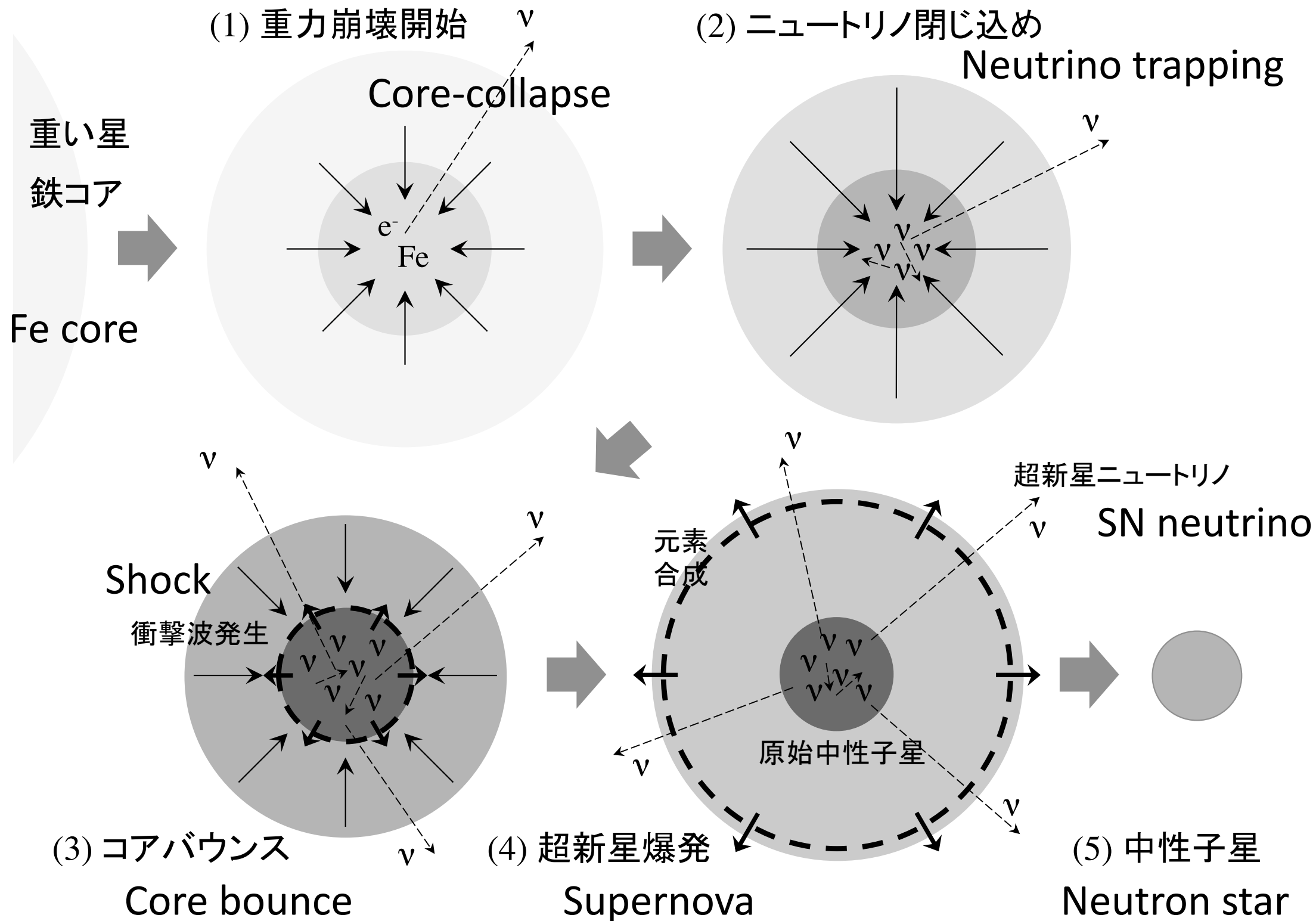
* $P = (1/3) \varepsilon$ for ER particles

(3b) Show adiabatic index (γ) are following

Adiabatic index (γ) が以下のようになることを示せ

* $\gamma = 5/3$ for NR particles

* $\gamma = 4/3$ for ER particles



(c) 原子核から読み解く超新星爆発の世界

住吉光介さん著 (Kosuke Sumiyoshi)

Summary: Core-collapse supernovae

- **Stability of star**

- Dynamically unstable if adiabatic index $\gamma < 4/3$
- Degenerate Fe core => unstable
- What trigger the core-collapse?

- **Energy source**

- Gravitational energy
- Collapse of the core ($\sim 1 M_{\text{sun}}$) to ~ 10 km size
=> 10^{53} erg