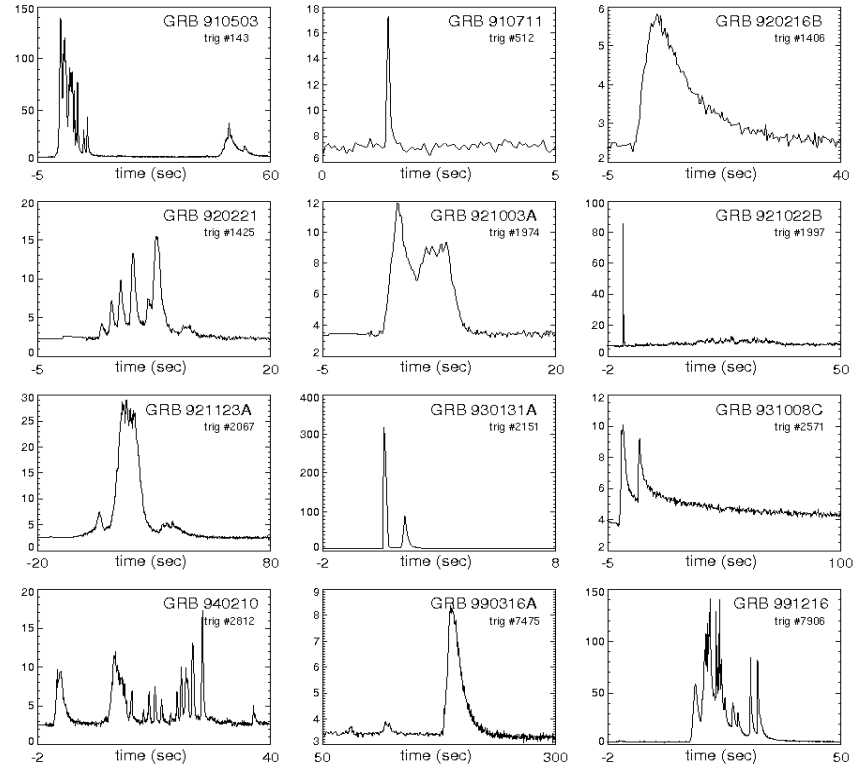


## Neutron stars and relativistic astrophysics: the case of gamma-ray bursts and supernovae

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# Gamma-Ray Bursts

- **GRBs are cosmological explosions (observed up to  $z=9.4$  GRB 090429B)**
- **Most energetic objects (up to a few  $10^{54}$  erg of isotropic energy)**
- **Complex light-curves but in general characterized by a prompt and an extended afterglow emission**
- **Duration: “Short” GRBs  $<2$  seconds and “Long” GRBs  $>2$  seconds**
- **Probe the Physics of *Gravitational Collapse and Black Hole formation***

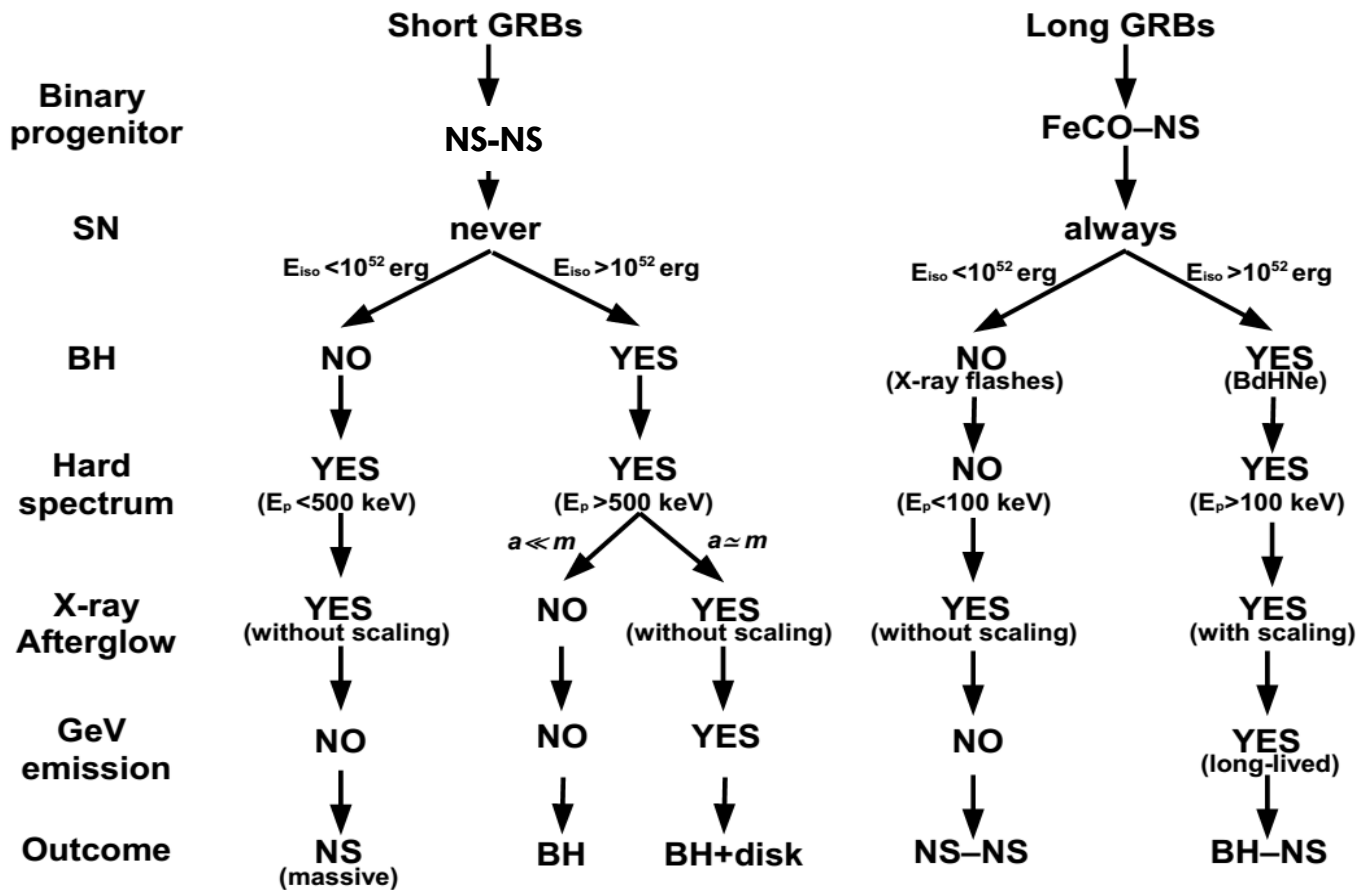


# Short and Long GRB Families

Ruffini et al., ApJ (2015); arXiv: 1412.1018v4

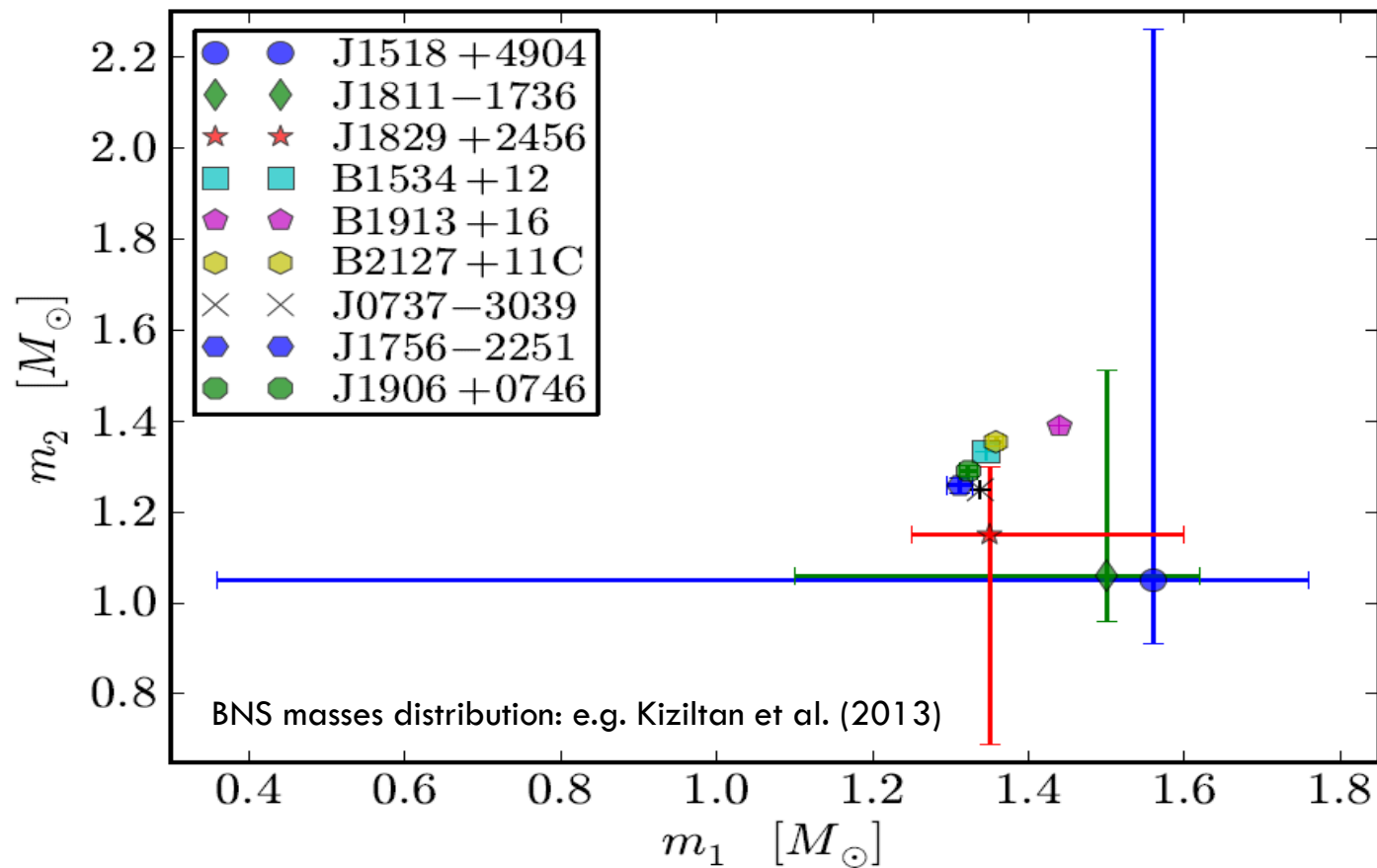
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All GRBs are composite and originate from binary systems

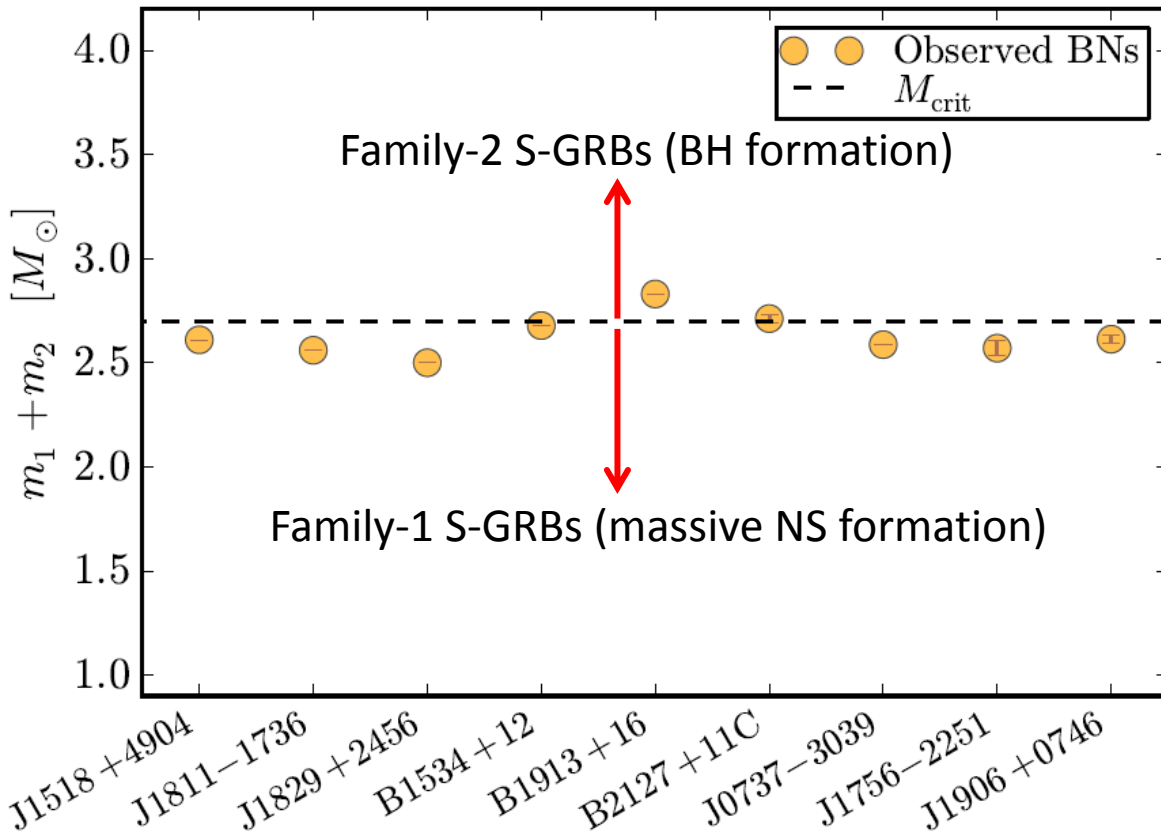


Let's start with short GRBs

# Galactic Binary NSs: will they form BHs?



# Families of Short GRBs



NS mass distribution in BNS peaks at  $1.32 M_{\text{sun}}$

(Kiziltan et al. 2013)

So:

$$M_{\text{BNS}} \sim 2.64 M_{\text{sun}}$$

(neglecting NS binding energy and angular momentum)

# Which are the mass and angular momentum of the merged core?

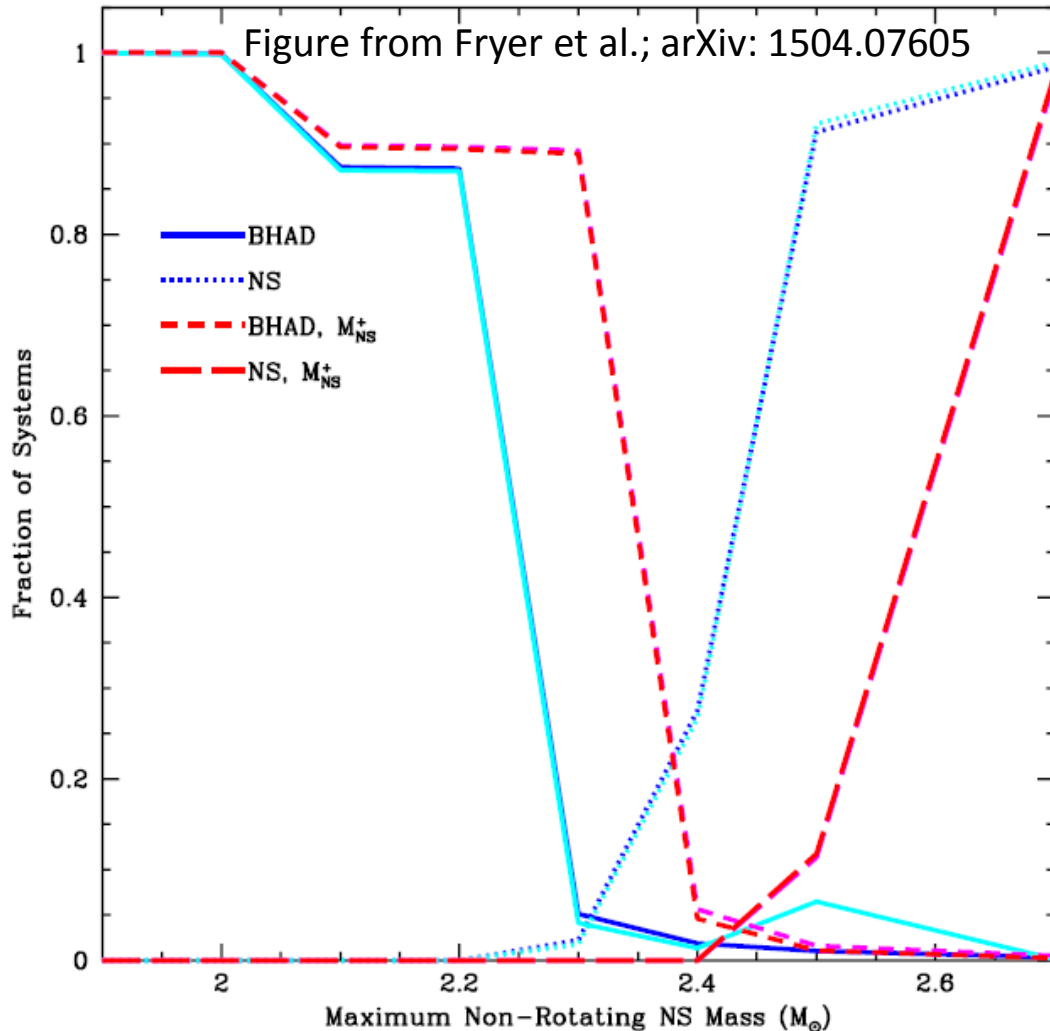
Depends on:

- 1) Mass-ratio of the binary ( $M_1/M_2 \sim 1$  for the galactic BNS)
- 2) Degree at which baryon and angular momentum are conserved (mass and angular momentum loss, mass and angular momentum of a surrounding disk):

$$(M_1, M_2) \rightarrow (M_{b1}, M_{b2}) \rightarrow M_{bf} = \alpha (M_{b1} + M_{b2}); \quad \text{where } \alpha \leq 1$$

$$J_{mc} = \eta J_i \sim \eta J_{bin} \text{ (contact)}; \quad \text{where } \eta \leq 1$$

# Fate of the Merged Core?



**F-1S-GRB Rate: (1-10)  $\text{Gpc}^{-3} \text{y}^{-1}$**

see, e.g., E. Berger, ARAA 52, 43 (2014)

**F-2 S-GRB Rate:  $(0.2-6.2) \times 10^{-4} \text{Gpc}^{-3} \text{y}^{-1}$**

Ruffini et al., ApJ (2015); arXiv: 1412.1018v4

**Galactic BNS rate: (10-10000)  $\text{Gpc}^{-3} \text{y}^{-1}$**

Abadie et al.; arXiv: 1003.2480

**The relative rates:**

**F1SGRB/GBNS =  $10^{-4} - 1$**

**F2SGRB/GBNS =  $2 \times 10^{-9} - 6.2 \times 10^{-5}$**

**suggests quite large critical NS mass!**

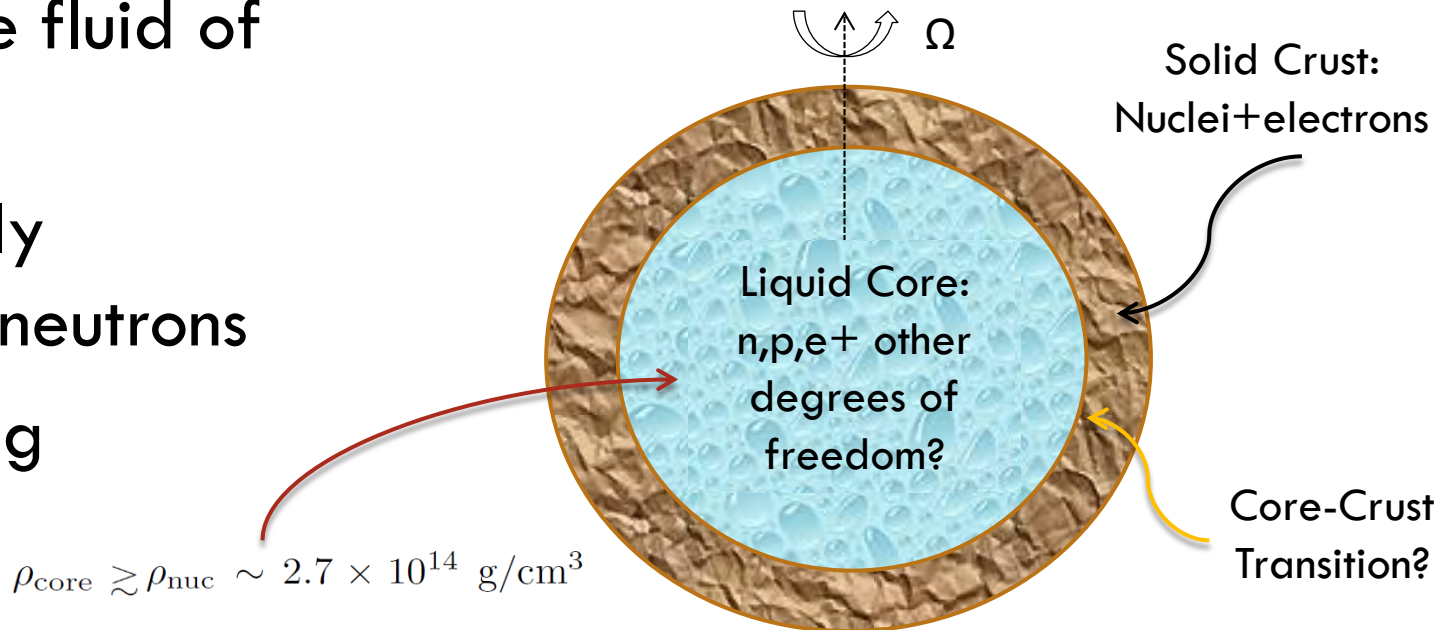


# Oppenheimer & Volkoff (1939) versus Today Neutron Stars

## Oppenheimer-Volkoff

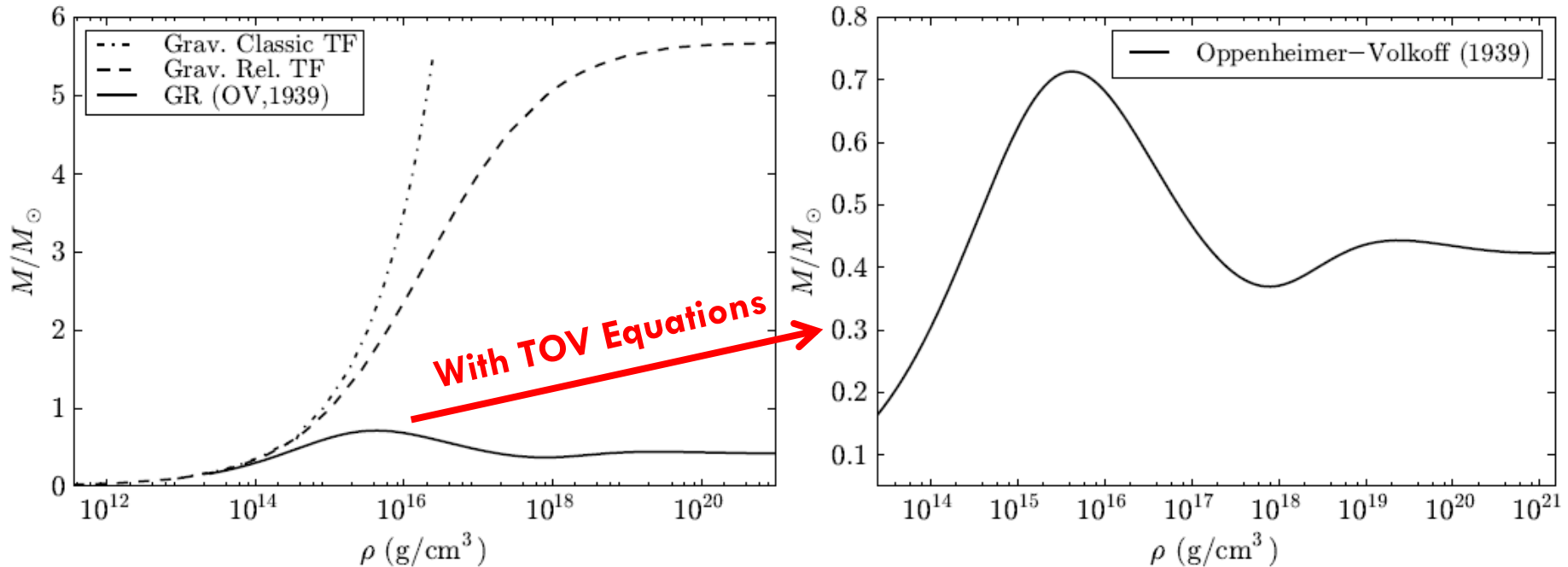
- Degenerate fluid of neutrons
- Non-strongly interacting neutrons
- Non-rotating

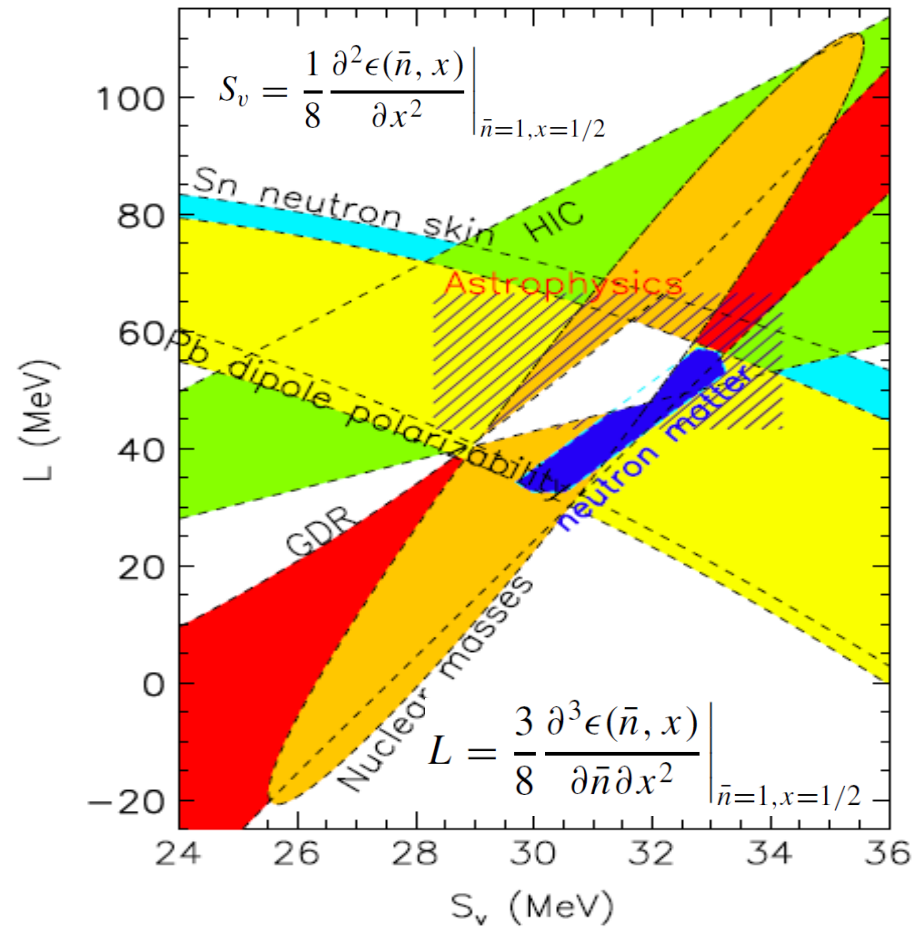
## Realistic Neutron Stars



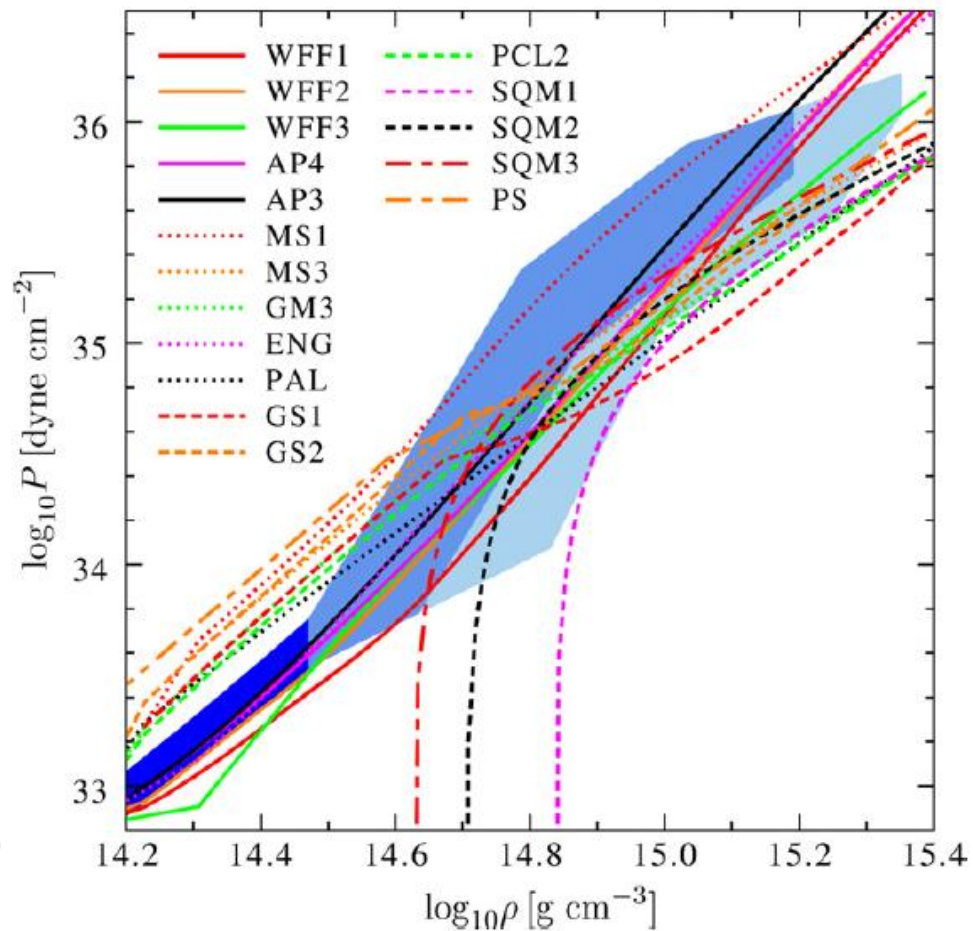
# The Oppenheimer-Volkoff Neutron Star

$$\frac{dM(r)}{dr} = 4\pi r^2 \rho(r), \quad \frac{dP(r)}{dr} = -\frac{G[\rho(r) + P(r)/c^2][4\pi r^3 P(r)/c^2 + M(r)]}{r^2[1 - 2GM(r)/(c^2 r)]}$$



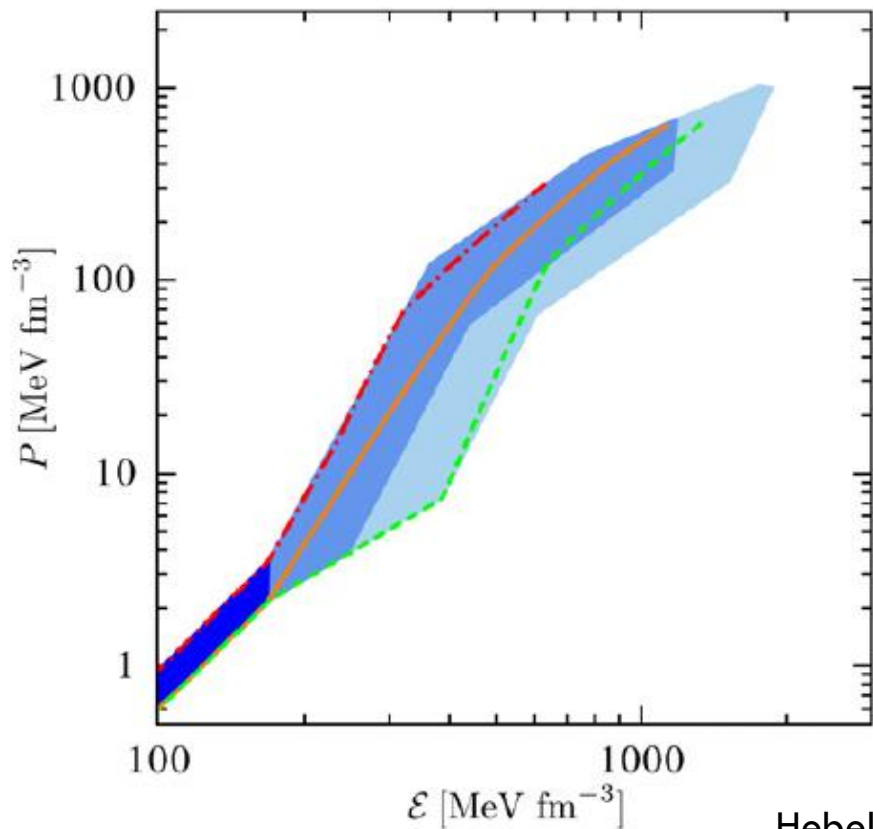


Lattimer & Lim, ApJ (2013)

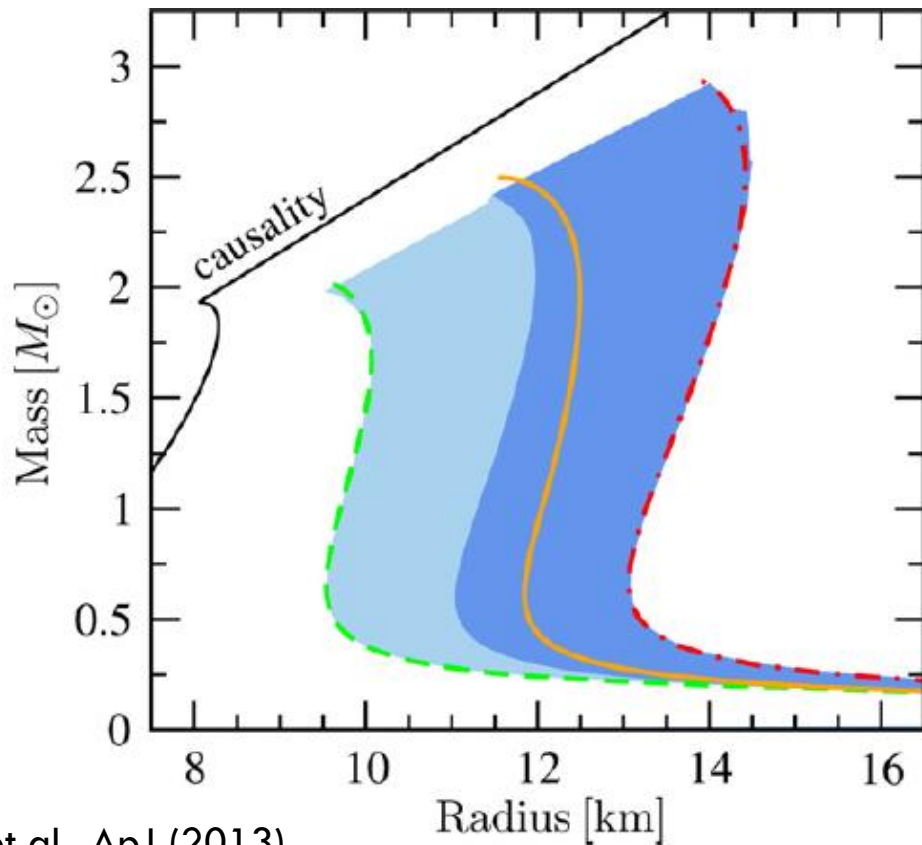


Hebeler et al., ApJ (2013)

# Constraining the nuclear EOS and Mass-Radius Relation



Hebeler et al., ApJ (2013)



# NS EOS (Relativistic Mean-Field-RMF- Models)

(Rueda, Ruffini, Xue, Nucl. Phys. A 872, 286, 2011)

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_g + \mathcal{L}_f + \mathcal{L}_\sigma + \mathcal{L}_\omega + \mathcal{L}_\rho + \mathcal{L}_\gamma + \mathcal{L}_{\text{int}}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_g = -\frac{R}{16\pi G},$$

$$\mathcal{L}_\gamma = -\frac{1}{16\pi} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu},$$

$$\mathcal{L}_\sigma = \frac{1}{2} \nabla_\mu \sigma \nabla^\mu \sigma - U(\sigma), \quad U(\sigma) = U_0 + U(\sigma, 4)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_\omega = -\frac{1}{4} \Omega_{\mu\nu} \Omega^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} m_\omega^2 \omega_\mu \omega^\mu,$$

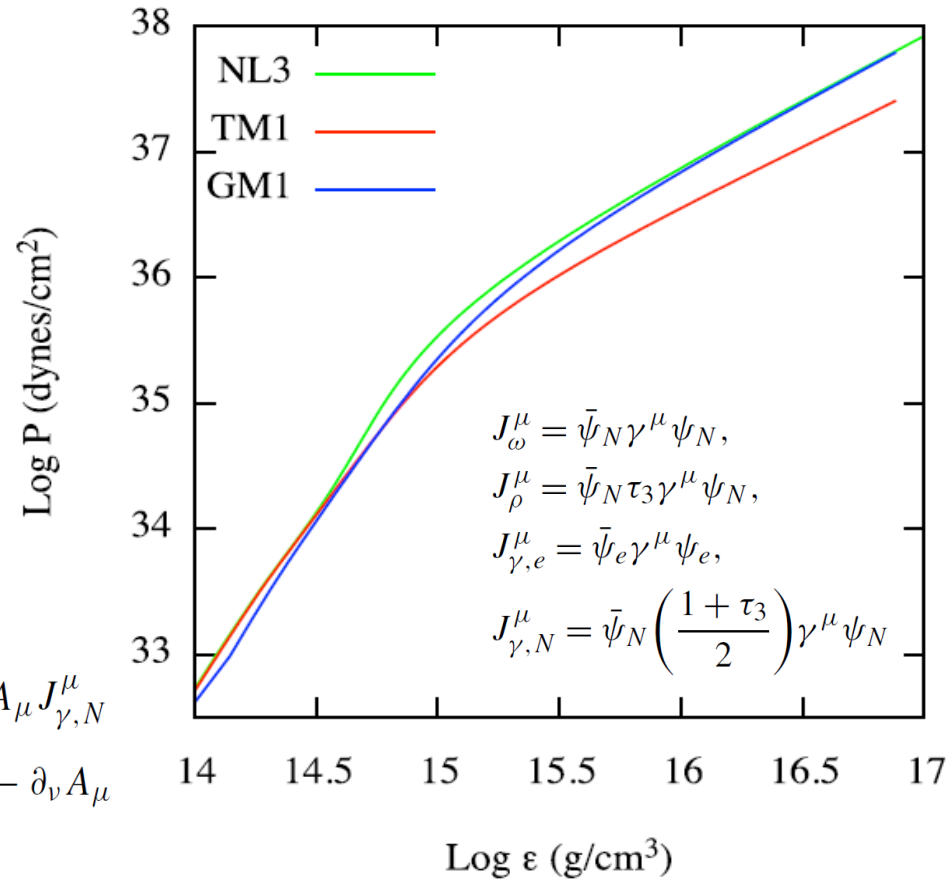
$$\mathcal{L}_\rho = -\frac{1}{4} \mathcal{R}_{\mu\nu} \mathcal{R}^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} m_\rho^2 \rho_\mu \rho^\mu,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{int}} = -g_\sigma \sigma \bar{\psi}_N \psi_N - g_\omega \omega_\mu J_\omega^\mu - g_\rho \rho_\mu J_\rho^\mu + e A_\mu J_{\gamma,e}^\mu - e A_\mu J_{\gamma,N}^\mu$$

$$\Omega_{\mu\nu} \equiv \partial_\mu \omega_\nu - \partial_\nu \omega_\mu, \quad \mathcal{R}_{\mu\nu} \equiv \partial_\mu \rho_\nu - \partial_\nu \rho_\mu, \quad F_{\mu\nu} \equiv \partial_\mu A_\nu - \partial_\nu A_\mu$$

$$U_0 \equiv \frac{1}{2} m_\sigma^2 \sigma^2,$$

$$U(\sigma, 4) \equiv \frac{1}{3} g_2 \sigma^3 + \frac{1}{4} g_3 \sigma^4$$



# Rotating NS configurations: full rotation in GR

(Cipolletta, Cherubini, Filippi, Rueda, Ruffini, PRD 92, 023007 (2015); arXiv: 1506.05926)

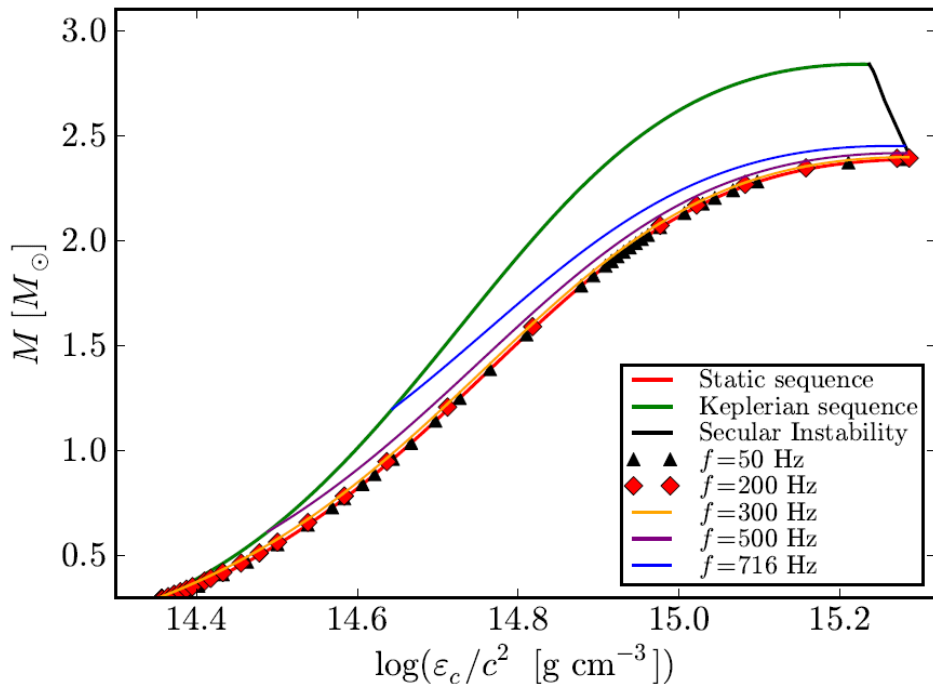
$$ds^2 = -e^{2\nu} dt^2 + e^{2\psi} (d\phi - \omega dt)^2 + e^{2\lambda} (dr^2 + r^2 d\theta^2) \quad T^{\alpha\beta} = (\varepsilon + P)u^\alpha u^\beta + P g^{\alpha\beta}$$

$$\nabla \cdot (B \nabla \nu) = \frac{1}{2} r^2 \sin^2 \theta B^3 e^{-4\nu} \nabla \omega \cdot \nabla \omega + 4\pi B e^{2\zeta - 2\nu} \left[ \frac{(\varepsilon + P)(1 + v^2)}{1 - v^2} + 2P \right]$$

$$\nabla \cdot (r^2 \sin^2 \theta B^3 e^{-4\nu} \nabla \omega) = -16\pi r \sin \theta B^2 e^{2\zeta - 4\nu} \frac{(\varepsilon + P)v}{1 - v^2} \quad \nabla \cdot (r \sin(\theta) \nabla B) = 16\pi r \sin \theta B e^{2\zeta - 2\nu} P.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \zeta_{,\mu} = & - \left\{ (1 - \mu^2) \left( 1 + r \frac{B_{,r}}{B} \right)^2 + \left[ \mu - (1 - \mu^2) \frac{B_{,r}}{B} \right]^2 \right\}^{-1} \left[ \frac{1}{2} B^{-1} \left\{ r^2 B_{,rr} - [(1 - \mu^2) B_{,\mu}]_{,\mu} - 2\mu B_{,\mu} \right\} \right. \\ & \times \left\{ -\mu + (1 - \mu^2) \frac{B_{,\mu}}{B} \right\} + r \frac{B_{,r}}{B} \left[ \frac{1}{2} \mu + \mu r \frac{B_{,r}}{B} + \frac{1}{2} (1 - \mu^2) \frac{B_{,\mu}}{B} \right] + \frac{3}{2} \frac{B_{,\mu}}{B} \left[ -\mu^2 + \mu (1 - \mu^2) \frac{B_{,\mu}}{B} \right] \\ & - (1 - \mu^2) r \frac{B_{,\mu r}}{B} \left( 1 + r \frac{B_{,r}}{B} \right) - \mu r^2 (\nu_{,r})^2 - 2(1 - \mu^2) r \nu_{,\mu} \nu_{,r} + \mu (1 - \mu^2) (\nu_{,\mu})^2 - 2(1 - \mu^2) r^2 B^{-1} B_{,r} \nu_{,\mu} \nu_{,r} \\ & + (1 - \mu^2) B^{-1} B_{,\mu} \left[ r^2 (\nu_{,r})^2 - (1 - \mu^2) (\nu_{,\mu})^2 \right] + (1 - \mu^2) B^2 e^{-4\nu} \left\{ \frac{1}{4} \mu r^4 (\omega_{,r})^2 + \frac{1}{2} (1 - \mu^2) r^3 \omega_{,\mu} \omega_{,r} \right. \\ & \left. - \frac{1}{4} \mu (1 - \mu^2) r^2 (\omega_{,\mu})^2 + \frac{1}{2} (1 - \mu^2) r^4 B^{-1} B_{,r} \omega_{,\mu} \omega_{,r} - \frac{1}{4} (1 - \mu^2) r^2 B^{-1} B_{,\mu} \left[ r^2 (\omega_{,r})^2 - (\mu^2) (\omega_{,\mu})^2 \right] \right\} \end{aligned}$$

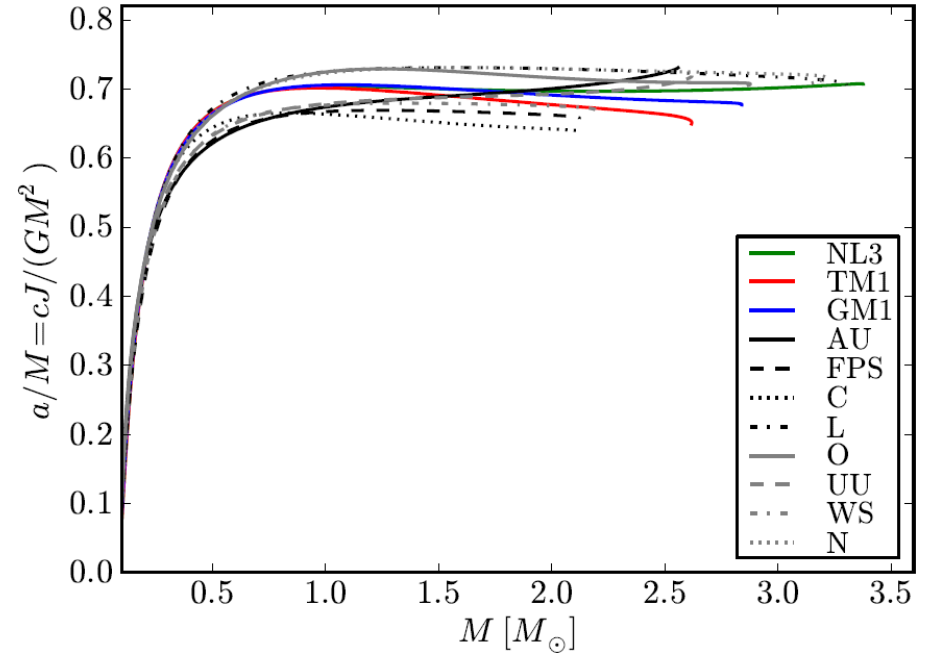
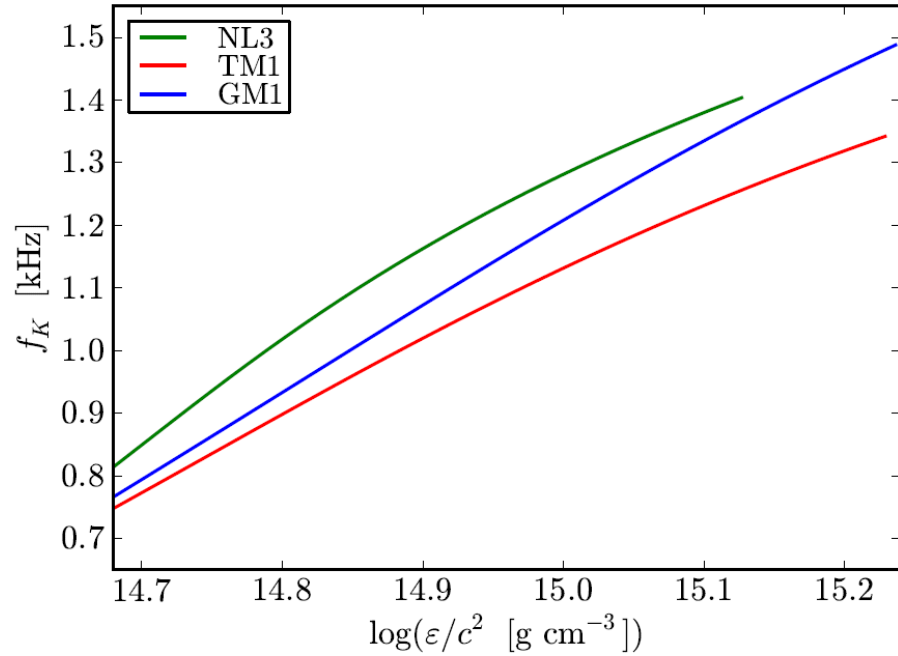
# Rotating NS configurations: secular instability line



$$M_{\text{NS}}^{\text{crit}} = M_{\text{NS}}^{J=0} (1 + k j_{\text{NS}}^p)$$

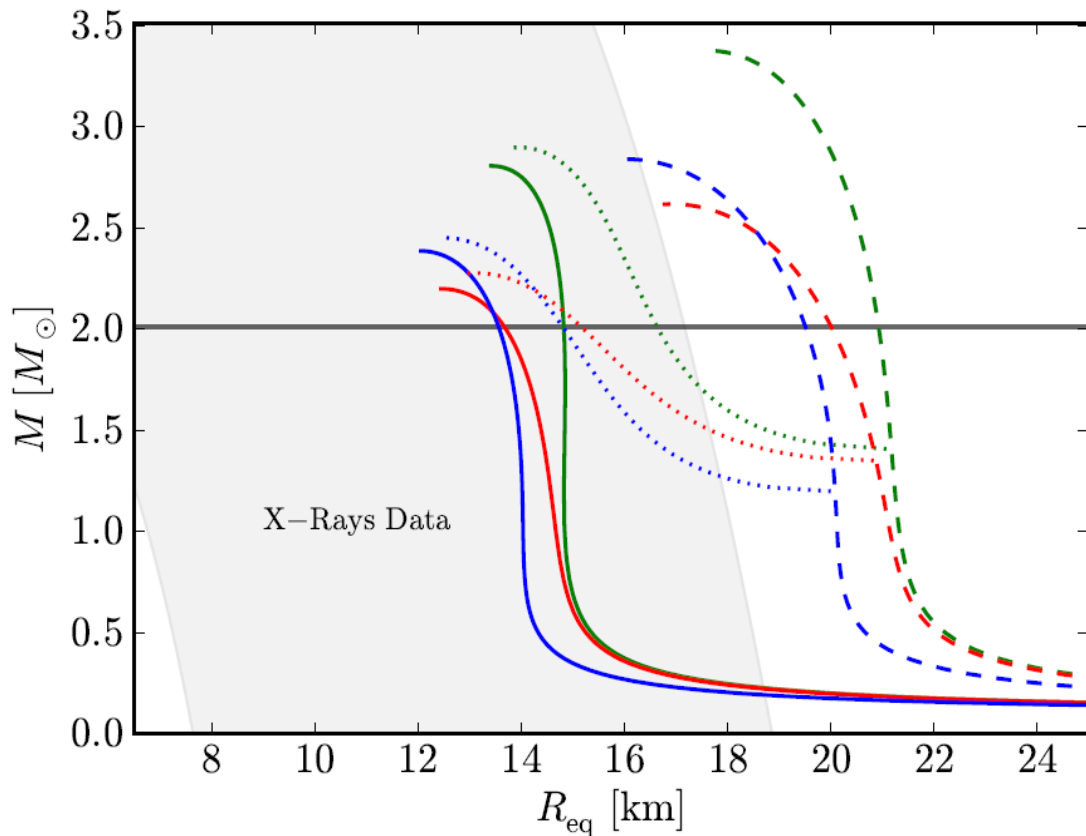
	$M_{\text{crit}}^{J=0}$ $M_{\odot}$	$R_{\text{crit}}^{J=0}$ km	$M_{\text{max}}^{J \neq 0}$ $M_{\odot}$	$R_{\text{max}}^{J \neq 0}$ km	$f_K$ kHz	$p$	$k$
NL3	2.81	13.49	3.38	17.35	1.34	1.68	0.006
GM1	2.39	12.56	2.84	16.12	1.49	1.69	0.011
TM1	2.20	12.07	2.62	15.98	1.40	1.61	0.017

# Rotating NS configurations: full rotation in GR





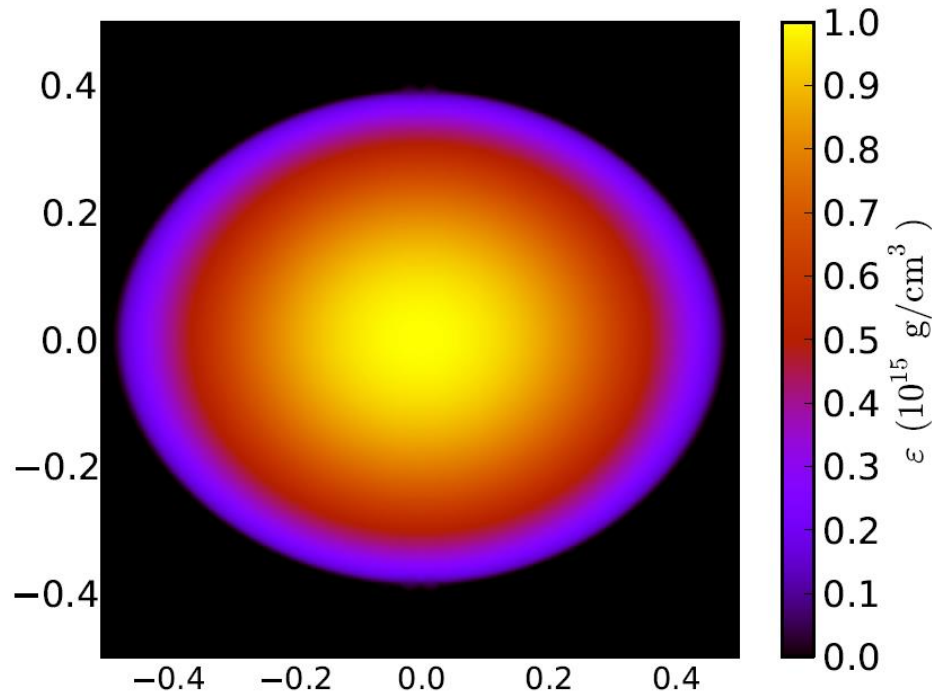
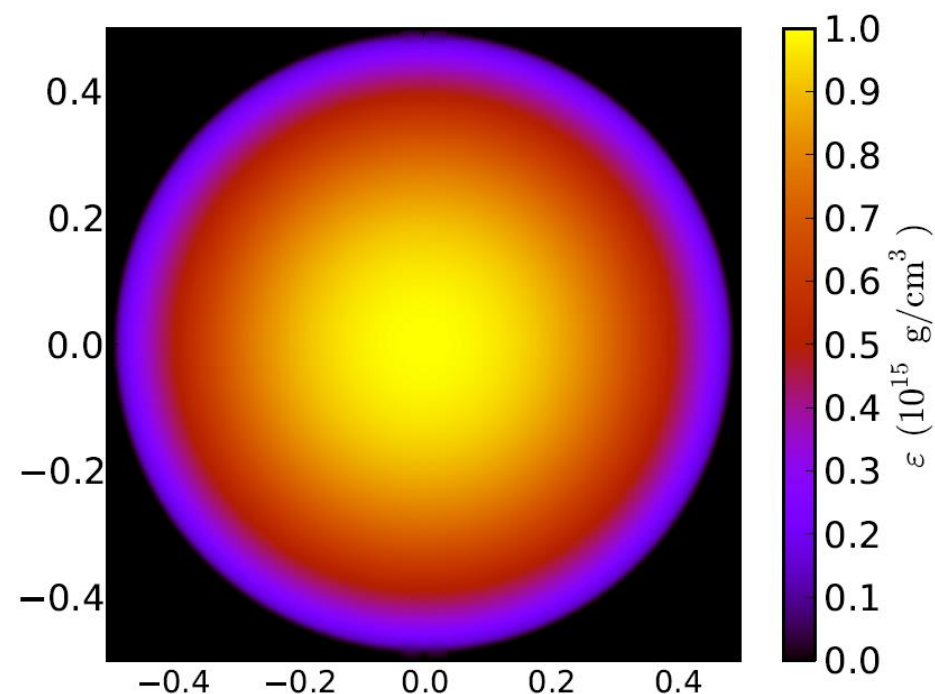
# NS Mass-Radius Relation: Observational Constraints



- Maximum NS mass observed:  
2  $M_{\text{sun}}$   
(Antoniadis et al., Science (2013))
- Fastest NS observed:  $f=716$  Hz  
(Demorest et al., Science (2006))
- Radii from X-ray emission: mainly from low-mass X-ray binaries (LMXBs), and X-ray isolated NSs (XINSS): shaded area  
(Lattimer & Steiner, EPJ (2014))

# Rotating NS: Deformation

(Cipolletta, Cherubini, Filippi, Rueda, Ruffini, PRD 92, 023007 (2015); arXiv: 1506.05926)



# Rotating NS configurations: quadrupole moment

(Cipolletta, Cherubini, Filippi, Rueda, Ruffini, PRD 2015; arXiv: 1506.05926)

$$M_2^{\text{corr}} = M_2 - \frac{4}{3} \left( \frac{1}{4} + b_0 \right) M^3, \quad M_2 = \frac{1}{2} r_{\text{eq}}^3 \int_0^1 \frac{s'^2 ds'}{(1-s')^4} \int_0^1 P_2(\mu') \tilde{S}_\rho(s', \mu') d\mu'$$

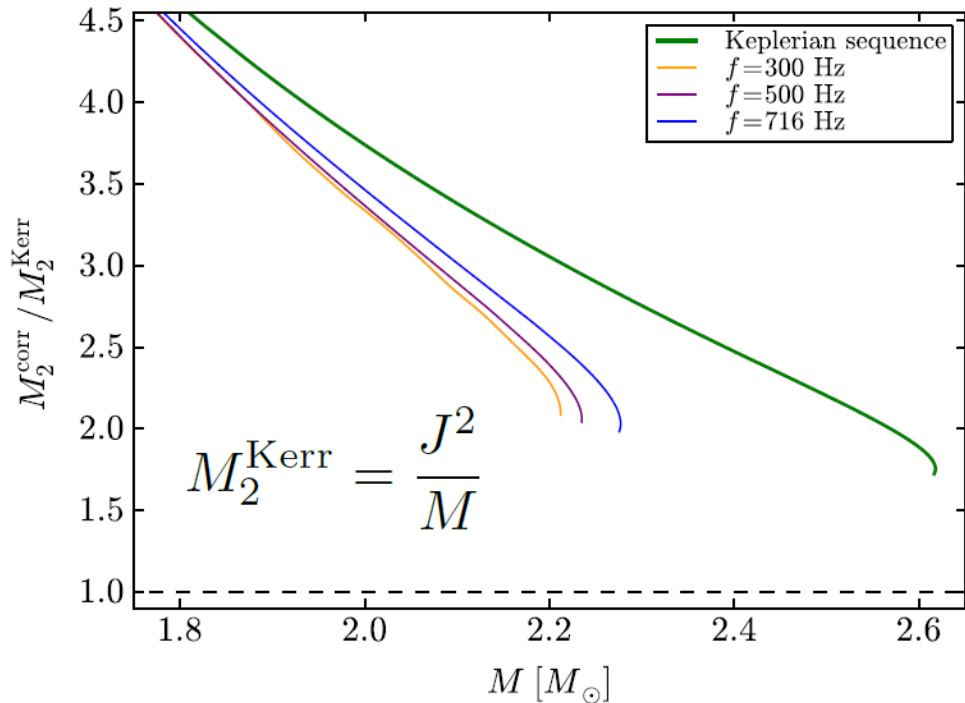
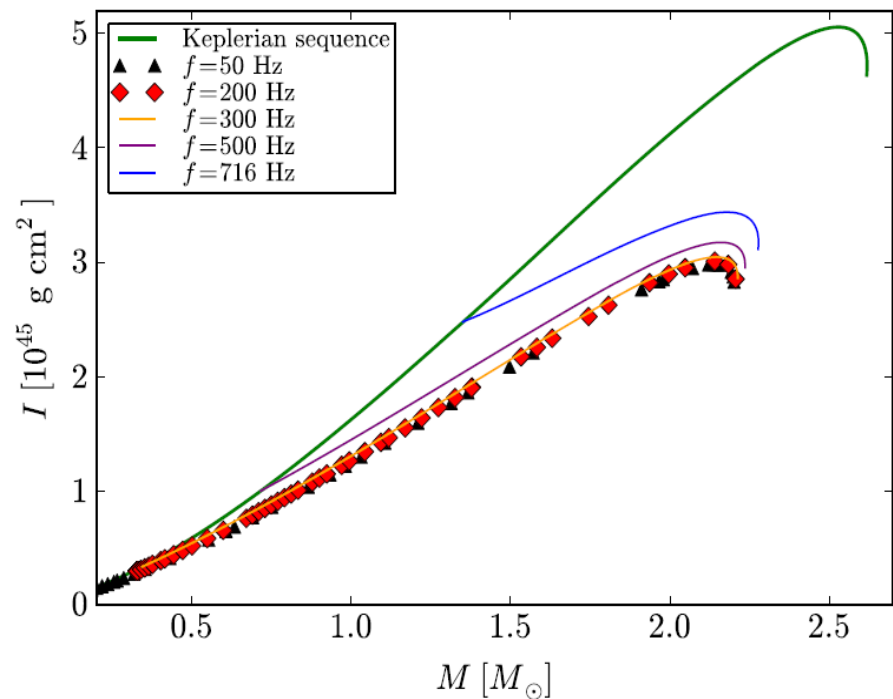
*Pappas & Apostolatos, PRL 2012*

$$S_\rho(r, \mu) = e^{\frac{\gamma}{2}} \left[ 8\pi e^{2\lambda} (\varepsilon + P) \frac{1+u^2}{1-u^2} + r^2 e^{-2\rho} \left[ \omega_{,r}^2 + \frac{1}{r^2} (1-\mu^2) \omega_{,\mu}^2 \right] + \frac{1}{r} \gamma_{,r} - \frac{1}{r^2} \mu \gamma_{,\mu} \right. \\ \left. + \frac{\rho}{2} \left\{ 16\pi e^{2\lambda} - \gamma_{,r} \left( \frac{1}{2} \gamma_{,r} + \frac{1}{r} \right) \frac{1}{r^2} \gamma_{,\mu} \left[ \frac{1}{2} \gamma_{,\mu} (1-\mu^2) - \mu \right] \right\} \right],$$

$$b_0 = -\frac{16\sqrt{2}\pi r_{\text{eq}}^4}{M^2} \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{s'^3 ds'}{(1-s')^5} \int_0^1 d\mu' \sqrt{1-\mu'^2} P(s', \mu') e^{\gamma+2\lambda} T_0^{\frac{1}{2}}(\mu')$$

# NS moment of inertia and quadrupole moment

(Cipolletta, Cherubini, Filippi, Rueda, Ruffini, PRD 92, 023007 (2015); arXiv: 1506.05926)



# Neutron Star Binding Energy

(Cipolletta, Cherubini, Filippi, Rueda, Ruffini, PRD 2015; arXiv: 1506.05926)

Static Configurations

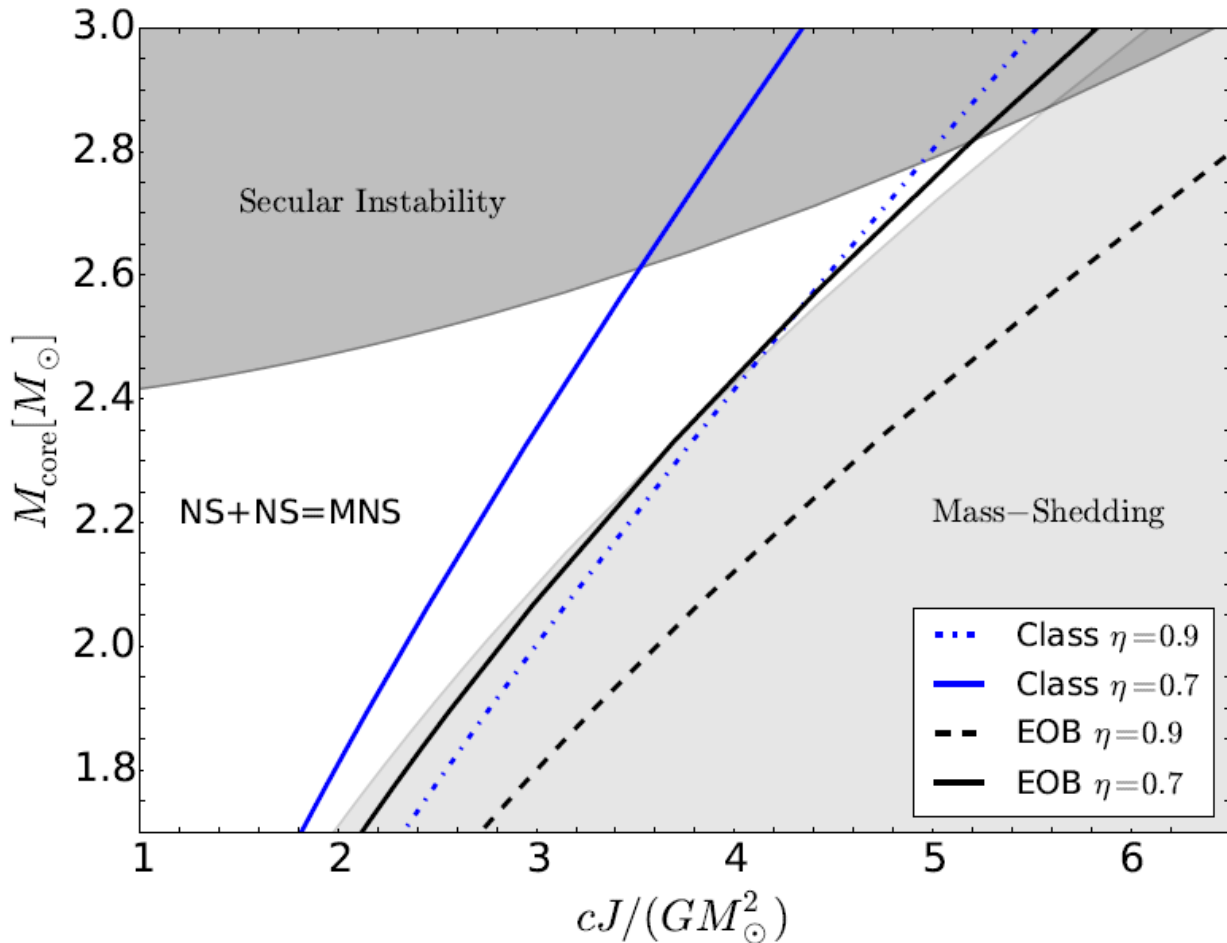
$$\frac{M_b}{M_\odot} \approx \frac{M}{M_\odot} + \frac{13}{200} \left( \frac{M}{M_\odot} \right)^2$$

$c \text{ J}/(\text{G} M_{\text{sun}}^2)$

Rotating Configurations

$$\frac{M_b}{M_\odot} = \frac{M}{M_\odot} + \frac{13}{200} \left( \frac{M}{M_\odot} \right)^2 \left( 1 - \frac{1}{130} j^{1.7} \right)$$

# The starting question was: Fate of the merged core?



In this example:

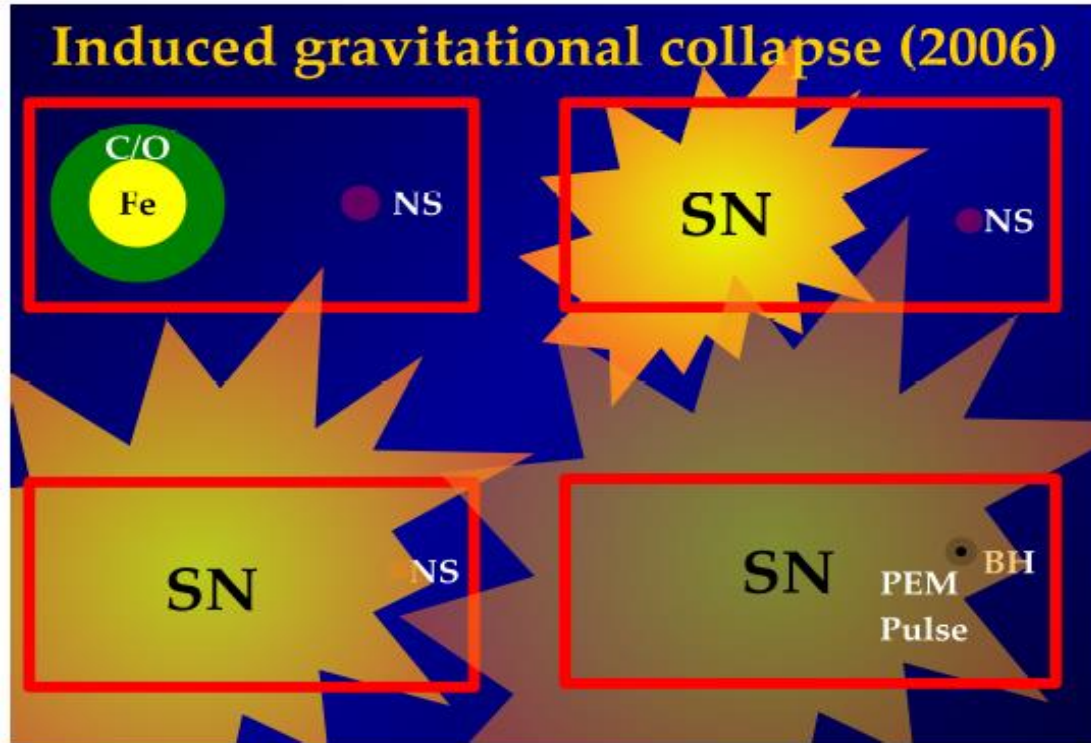
- EOS: GM1

- 70-90% of the angular momentum at the merger assumed to be kept by the new compact core

-  $1.0 M_{\text{sun}} < M_1=M_2 < 2.0 M_{\text{sun}}$

Now let's turn to long GRBs

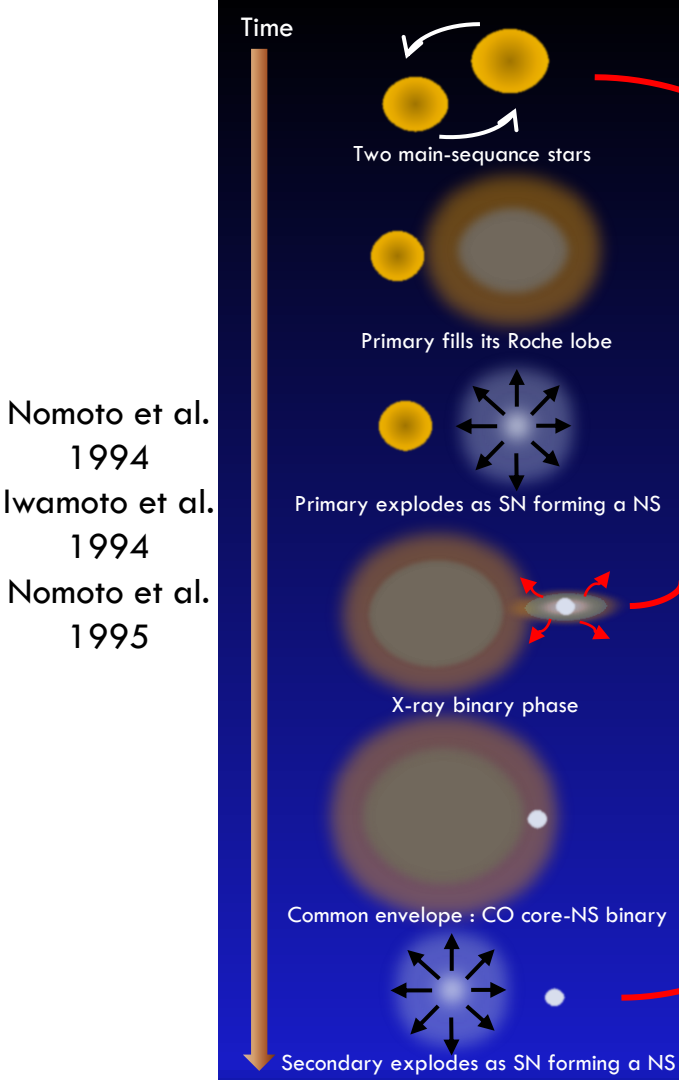
# Induced Gravitational Collapse (IGC) Paradigm



Ruffini et al. MG11-Berlin (2006)



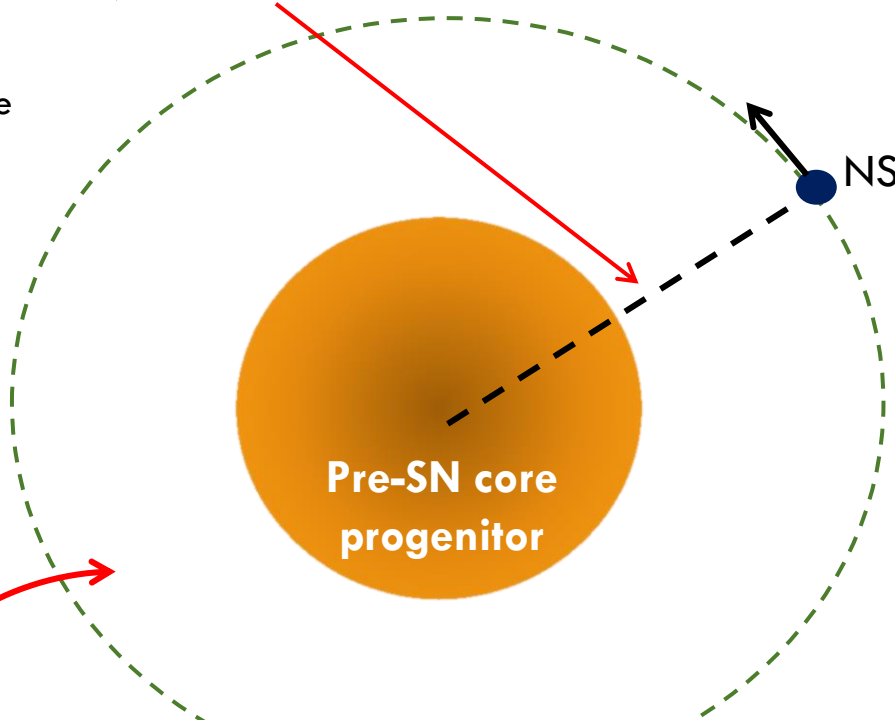
# The Induced Gravitational Collapse



$$v_{\text{orb}} = \sqrt{\frac{G(M_{\text{SN-prog}} + M_{\text{NS}})}{a}} = 1.15 \times 10^8 \left( \frac{M_{\text{SN-prog}} + M_{\text{NS}}}{M_{\odot}} \right)^{1/2} \text{ cm s}^{-1}$$

Eta Carinae

Cen X-3



$$P = \sqrt{\frac{4\pi^2 a^3}{G(M_{\text{SN-prog}} + M_{\text{NS}})}} = 545 \left( \frac{M_{\text{SN-prog}} + M_{\text{NS}}}{M_{\odot}} \right)^{-1/2} \text{ s}$$

Rueda & Ruffini, ApJL (2012)

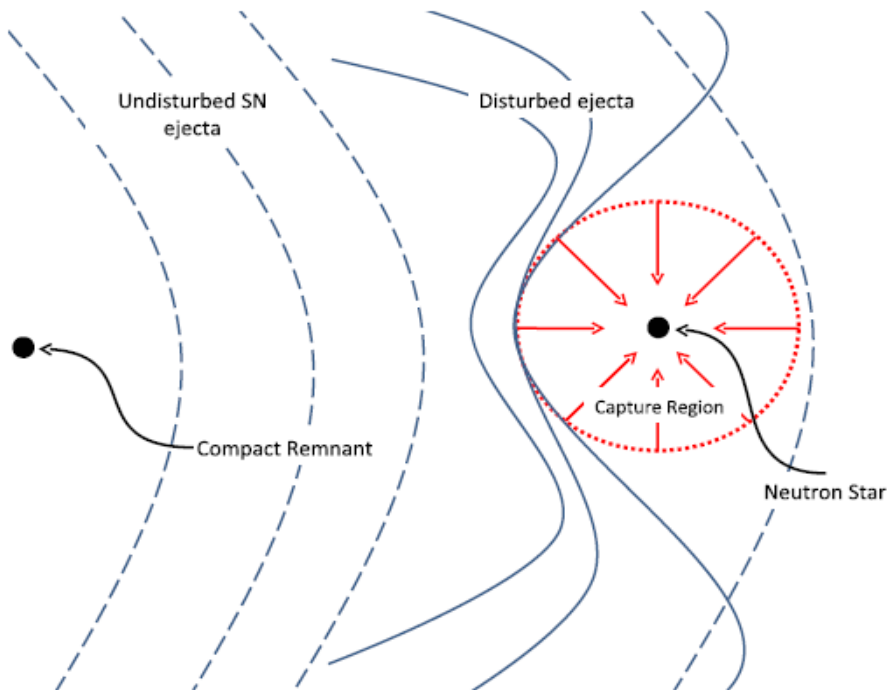
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# First estimates of the accretion process

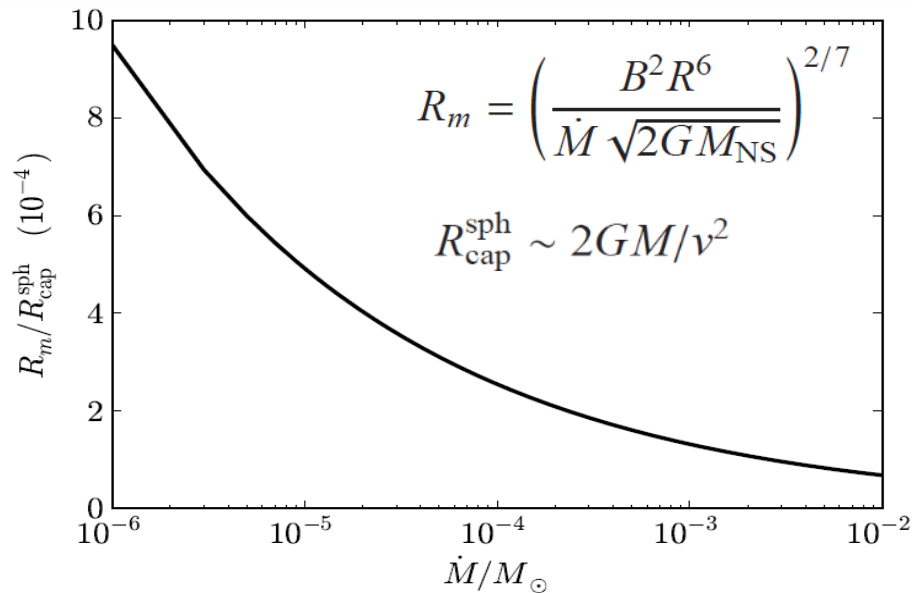
Rueda & Ruffini, ApJ Lett. 758, L7 (2012)

Izzo, Rueda, Ruffini, A&A Lett. 548, L5 (2012)

$$R_{\text{cap}} = \frac{2GM_{\text{NS}}}{v_{\text{rel,ej}}^2}, \quad v_{\text{rel,ej}} = \sqrt{v_{\text{orb}}^2 + v_{\text{ej}}^2}, \quad r_{\text{ej}} = \sigma t^n$$



## The relative importance of the magnetosphere



See also Toropina, Romanova, Lovelace, MNRAS 420, 810 (2012)

**How long is the accretion process?**  
**Does the neutron star reach maximum mass?**

**Which is the initial mass of the  
neutron star?**

**Which is the maximum stable  
mass of a neutron star?**

# Improvements to the First IGC Scenario

- **SN core density and SN initial velocity profiles from numerical simulations**
- **SN core and NS masses from binary evolution codes**
- **Hydrodynamics inside the Bondi accretion region: photon trapping radius, neutrino emission**
- **Characteristic emission from the accretion process**
  - ...

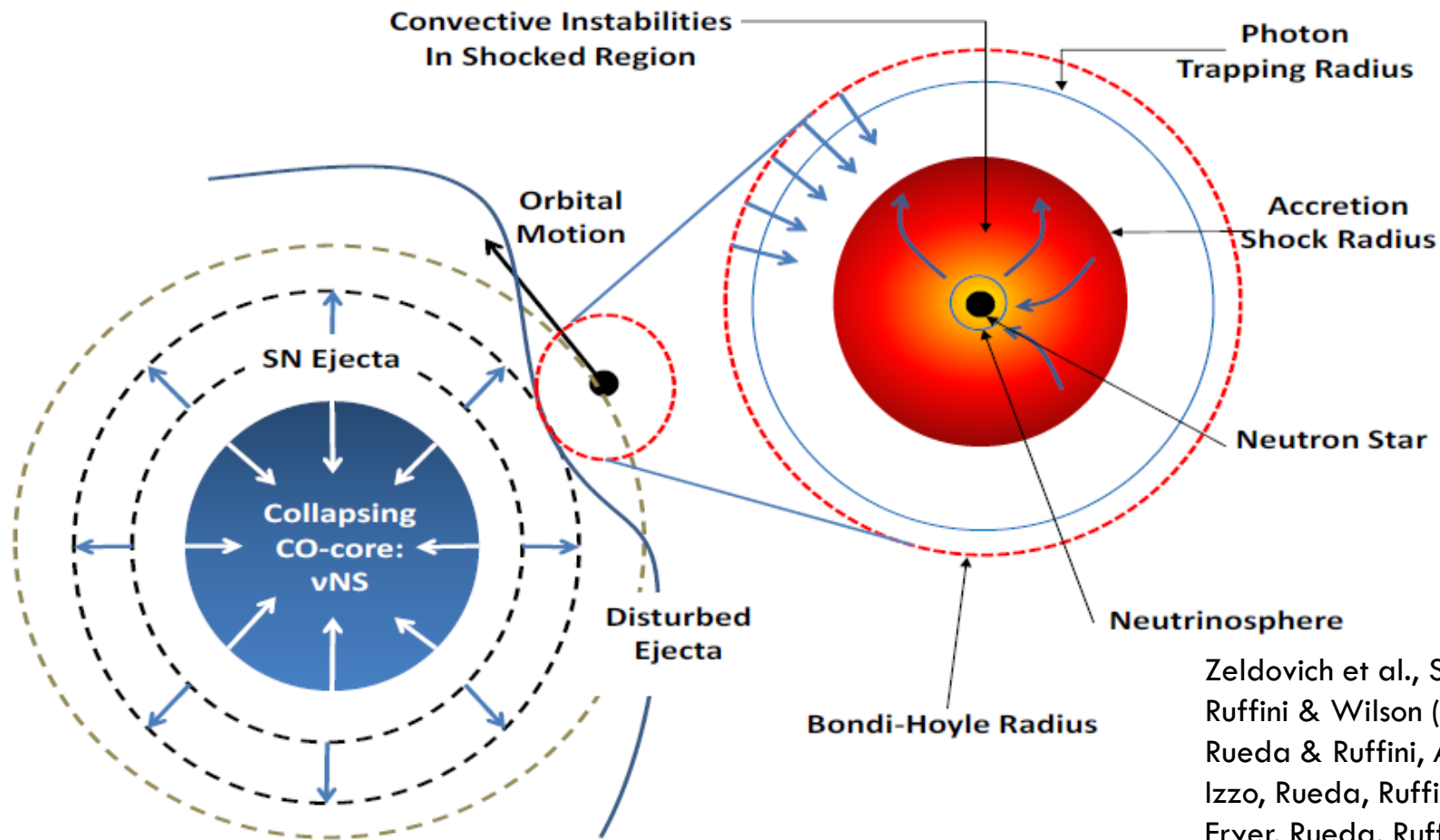
# Hypercritical Accretion

## Conditions for Eddington limited accretion:

- Potential energy is released in the form of photons
- Inflowing material and outflowing radiation are spherically symmetric
- Photons can flow and deposit momentum to the inflowing material
  - Opacity is dominated by electron scattering

***NONE OF THE ABOVE CONDITIONS IS SATISFIED IN THE  
IGC BINARY SYSTEM !!!***

# Binary Driven Hypercritical Accretion in the IGC



Zeldovich et al., Sov. Astron. (1972)

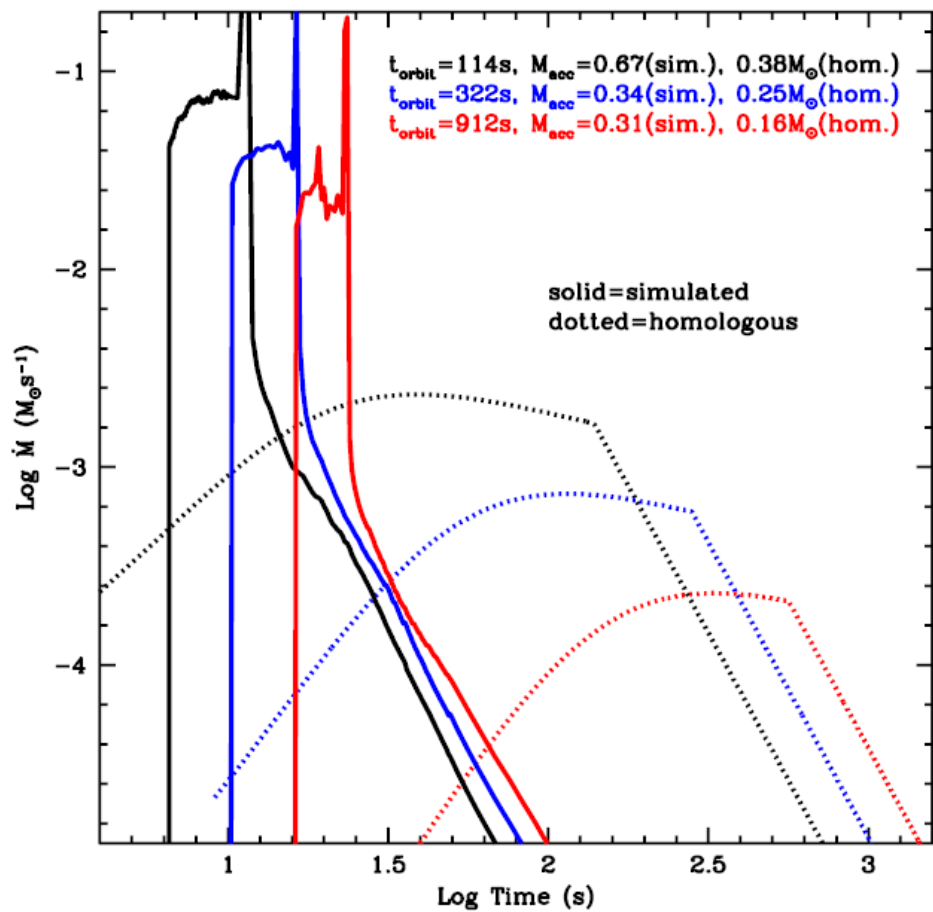
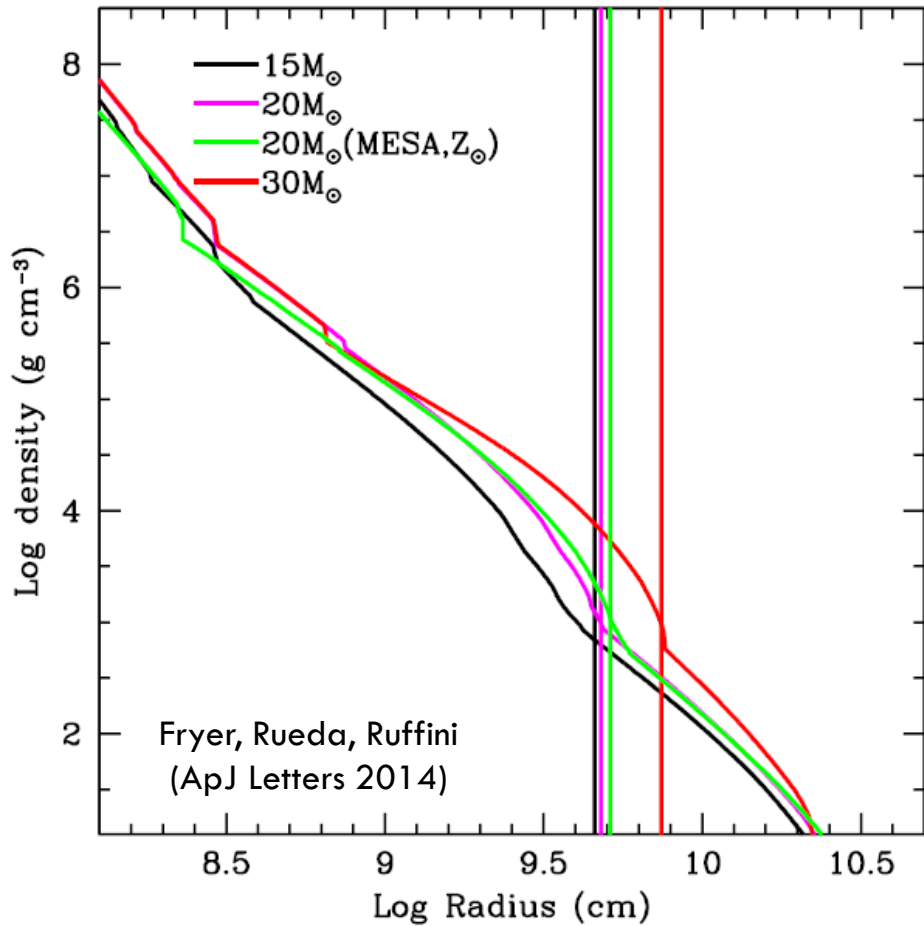
Ruffini & Wilson (1973)

Rueda & Ruffini, ApJL (2012)

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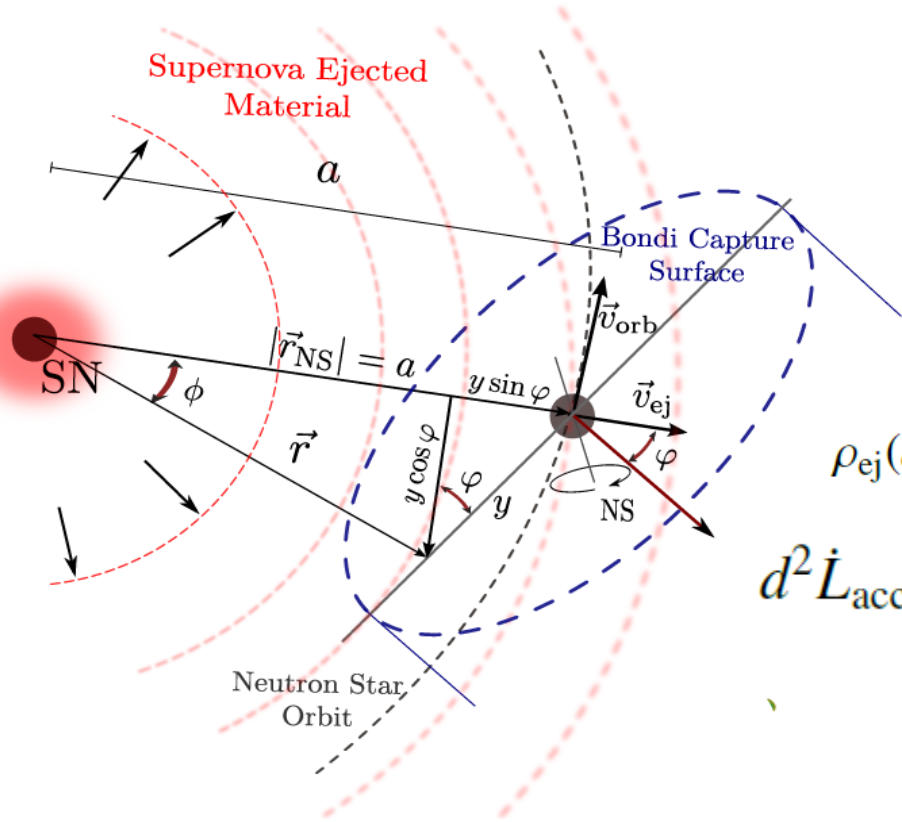
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$$\dot{M}_{\text{BHL}} = 4\pi r_{\text{BHL}}^2 \rho (v^2 + c_s^2)^{1/2} \quad r_{\text{BHL}} = \frac{GM_{\text{NS}}}{v^2 + c_s^2} \quad r_{\text{trapping}} = \min[(\dot{M}_{\text{BHL}}\kappa)/(4\pi c), r_{\text{BHL}}]$$



# On the role of angular momentum in BdHNe

(Becerra, Cipolletta, Fryer, Rueda, Ruffini, ApJ 2015; arXiv: 1505.07580)



$$\dot{M}_B(t) = \pi \rho_{\text{ej}} R_{\text{cap}}^2 \sqrt{v_{\text{rel}}^2 + c_{\text{s,ej}}^2}$$

$$R_{\text{cap}}(t) = \frac{2GM_{\text{NS}}(t)}{v_{\text{rel}}^2 + c_{\text{s,ej}}^2}$$

$$\rho_{\text{ej}}(a) \simeq \rho_{\text{ej}}(a)(1 + \epsilon_{\rho}y) \quad \text{and} \quad v_{\text{rel}}(a) \simeq v_{\text{rel}}(a)(1 + \epsilon_{\nu}y)$$

$$d^2 \dot{L}_{\text{acc}} = \rho_{\text{ej}}(a) v_{\text{rel}}^2(a) \left[ y + (\epsilon_{\rho} + 2\epsilon_{\nu})y^2 \right] dy dz$$

$$y^2 + z^2 = R_{\text{cap}}^2 = \left( \frac{2GM_{\text{NS}}}{v_{\text{rel}}^2(a, t)} \right)^2 (1 - 4\epsilon_{\nu}y)$$



# On the role of angular momentum in BdHNe

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$$\dot{L}_{\text{acc}} = \frac{\pi}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{\rho} - 3 \epsilon_{\nu} \right) \rho_{\text{ej}}(a, t) v_{\text{rel}}^2(a, t) R_{\text{cap}}^4(a, t)$$

$$\rho_{\text{ej}}(x, t) = \rho_{\text{ej}}(x, t_0) \frac{M_{\text{env}}(t)}{M_{\text{env}}(t_0)} \left( \frac{R_{0\text{star}}}{R_{\text{star}}(t)} \right)^3 \quad x \equiv \frac{r}{R_{\text{star}}}$$

$$R_{\text{star}}(t) = R_{0\text{star}} \left( \frac{t}{t_0} \right)^n \quad v_{\text{ej}}(r, t) = n \frac{r}{t}$$

$$\rho_{\text{ej}}(r, t) \approx \rho_{\text{ej}}(a, t) \left( 1 + \frac{1}{\rho_{\text{ej}}(a, t)} \frac{\partial \rho_{\text{ej}}}{\partial r} \Big|_{(a,t)} \delta r \right)$$

$$v_{\text{ej}}(r, t) \approx v_{\text{ej}}(a, t) \left( 1 + \frac{1}{v_{\text{ej}}(a, t)} \frac{\partial v_{\text{ej}}}{\partial r} \Big|_{(a,t)} \delta r \right)$$

$$\dot{L}_{\text{acc}} = 8\pi \rho_{\text{core}} \left( \frac{R_{\text{core}}}{a} \right)^m \frac{GM_{\text{NS}}(t_0) a^2}{(1+q)^3} H(y)$$

$$H(y) = y^{n(m-3)} \left( \frac{M_{\text{G}}(M_b)}{M_{\text{NS}}(t_0)} \right)^4 (1-\chi\mu_B) \left( 1 + \frac{\eta}{y^2} \right)^{-7/2} \left( \frac{m}{2} + \frac{6\eta}{y^2 + \eta} \right)$$

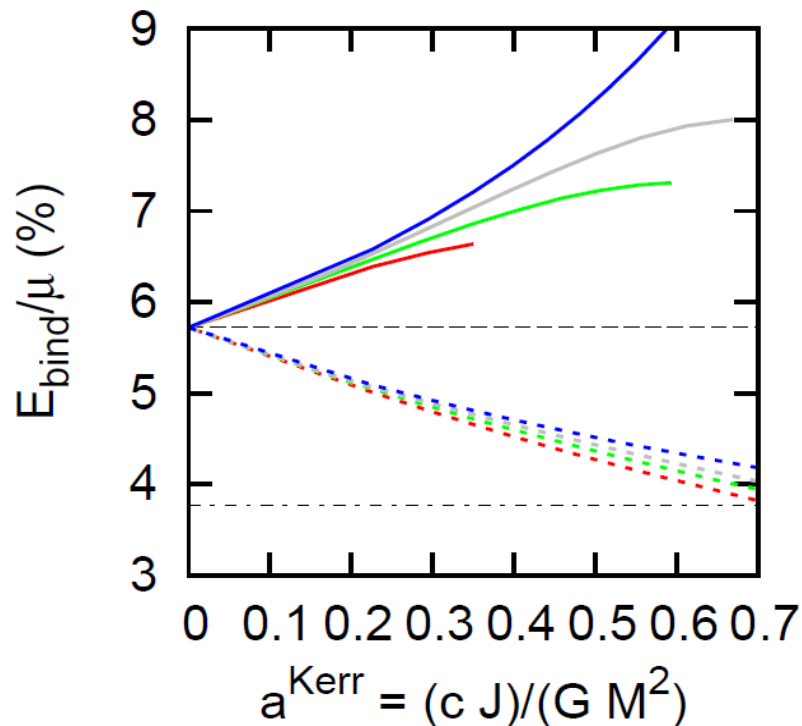
$$\frac{\dot{\mu}_B}{(1-\chi\mu_B)M_{\text{G}}(M_b)^2} = \frac{t_0}{\tau_B} \frac{y^{n(m-3)}}{\hat{r}^m} \left[ 1 + \eta \left( \frac{\hat{r}}{y} \right)^2 \right]^{-3/2}$$

$$y \equiv \frac{t}{t_0}, \quad \mu_B \equiv \frac{M_B(y)}{M_{\text{NS}}(t_0)}, \quad \hat{r} \equiv 1 - \frac{R_B}{a}$$

$$\tau_B \equiv \frac{M_{\text{NS}}(t_0) v_{\text{orb}}^3}{4\pi G^2 \rho_{\text{ej}}(a, t_0)}, \quad \chi \equiv \frac{M_{0\text{NS}}}{M_{\text{env}}(t_0)}, \quad \eta \equiv \left( \frac{n}{t_0} \frac{a}{v_{\text{orb}}} \right)^2$$

# Mostly bound circular orbit around rotating NSs

(Cipolletta, Rueda, Ruffini, PRD, submitted)



Schw = 5.72 %

Ex Kerr - = 3.77 %

$E_+$  for  $M = 2$

$E_-$  for  $M = 2$

$E_+$  for  $M = 2.4$

$E_-$  for  $M = 2.4$

$E_+$  for  $M = 2.8$

$E_-$  for  $M = 2.8$

$E_+$  Kerr

$E_-$  Kerr

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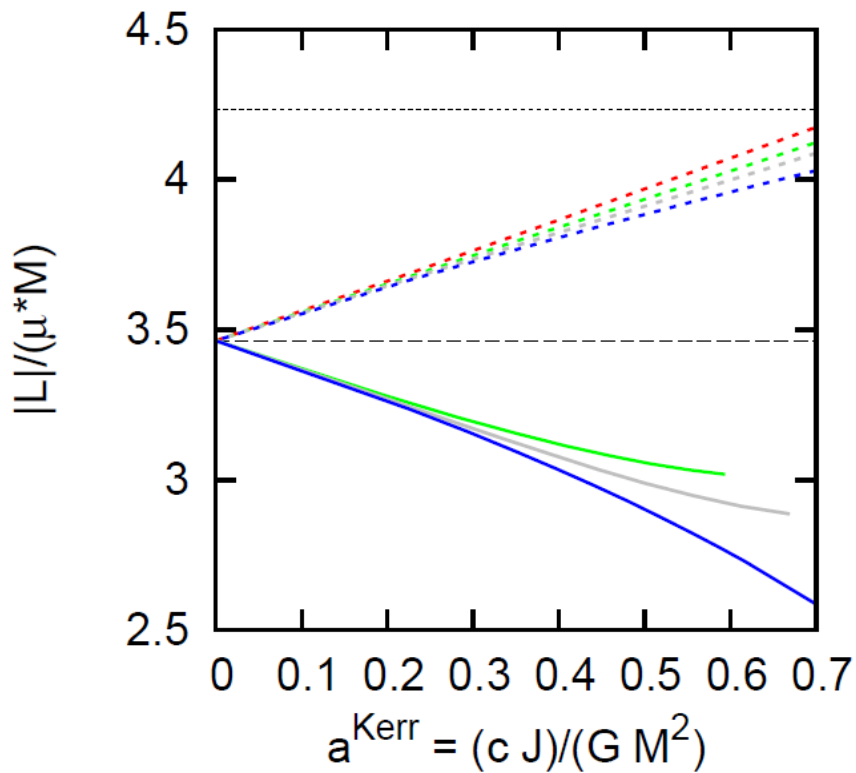
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**Numerical Fit (common for the RMF EOS !):**

$$\tilde{E} = 0.9428 - 0.0132 \left( \frac{j}{M} \right)^{0.85}$$

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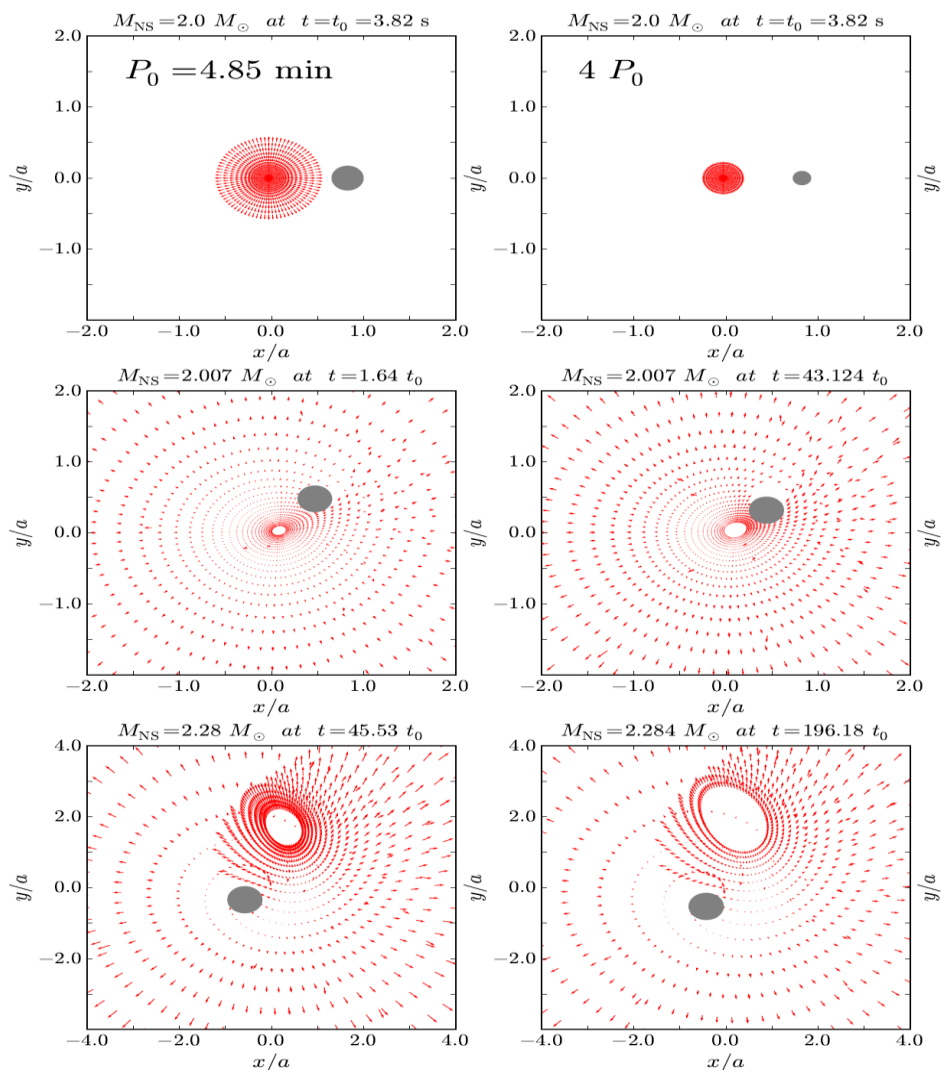
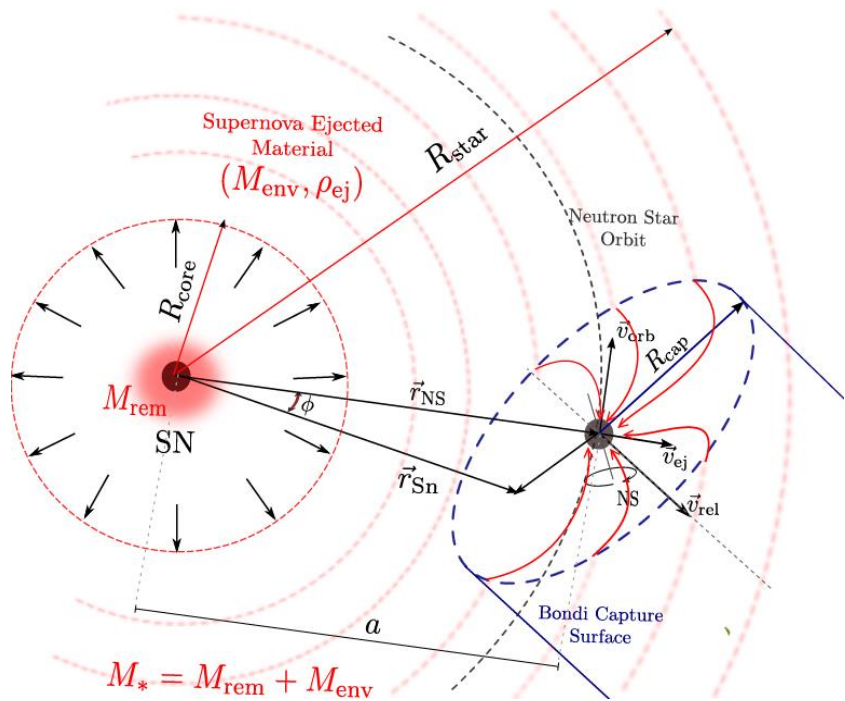
$L_{\pm}$ Schw	$= 2\sqrt{3}$	---
$L_{\pm}$ ex Kerr	$= 22/(3\sqrt{3})$	----
$L_{+}$ for $M = 2$		—
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$L_{+}$ for $M = 2.4$		—
$L_{-}$ for $M = 2.4$		- - -
$L_{+}$ for $M = 2.8$		—
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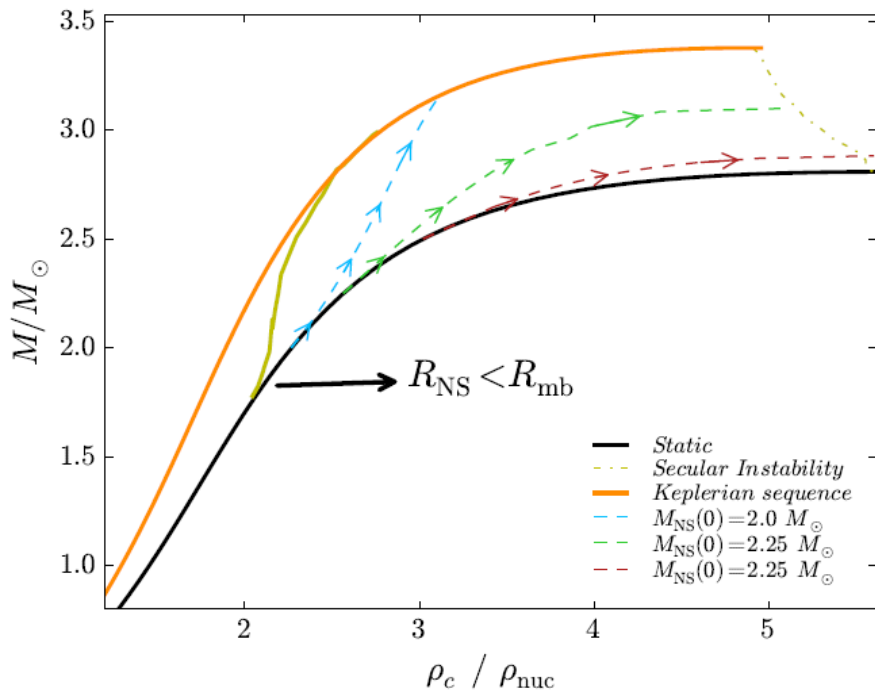
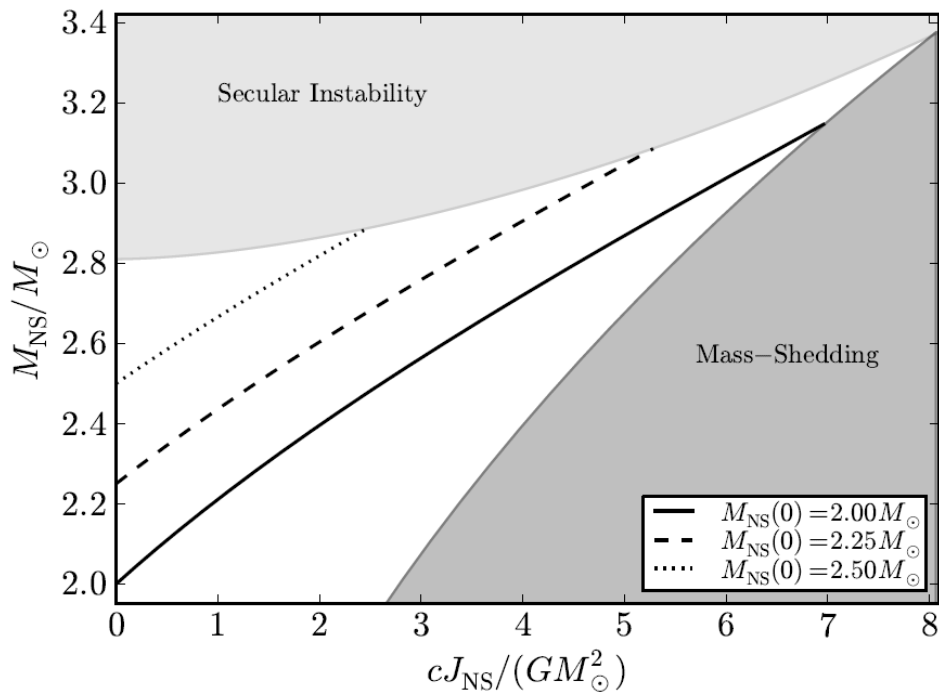
$$\tilde{L} = 3.464 - 0.37 \left( \frac{j}{M} \right)^{0.85}$$

# NS evolution during hypercritical accretion

Becerra, Cipolletta, Fryer, Rueda, Ruffini, ApJ 2015:  
arXiv:1505.07580

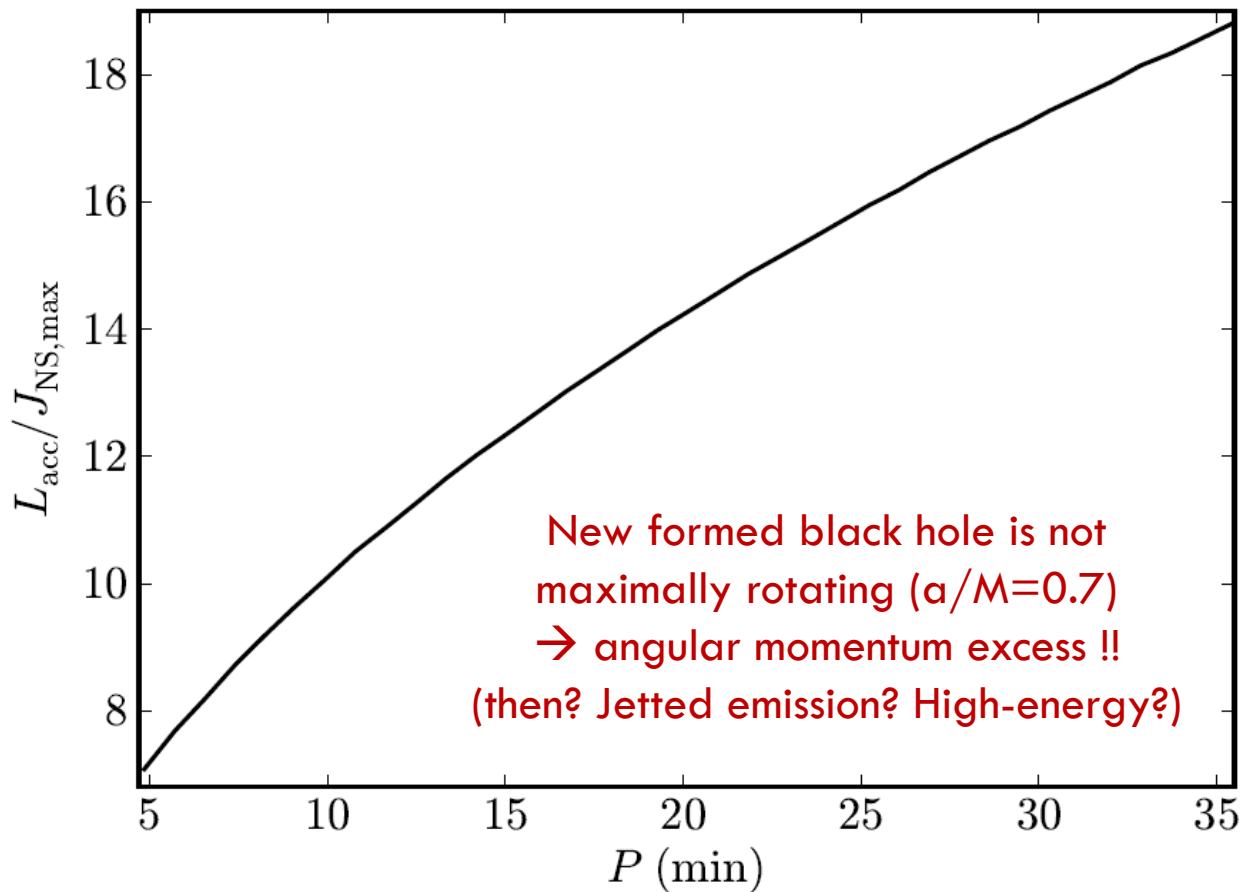


# NS evolution up to the instability point



# On the role of angular momentum in BdHNe

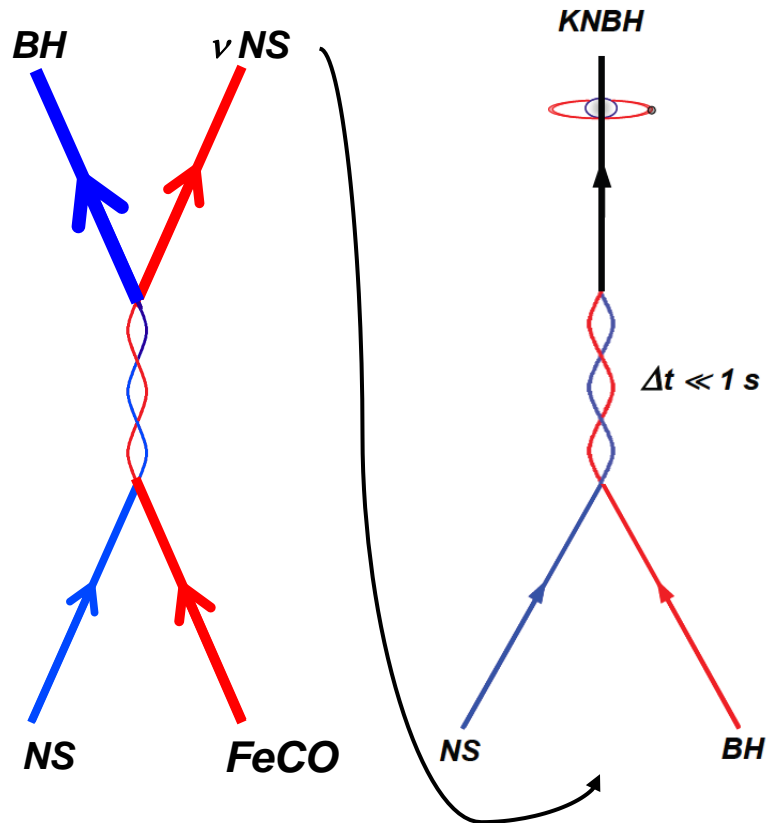
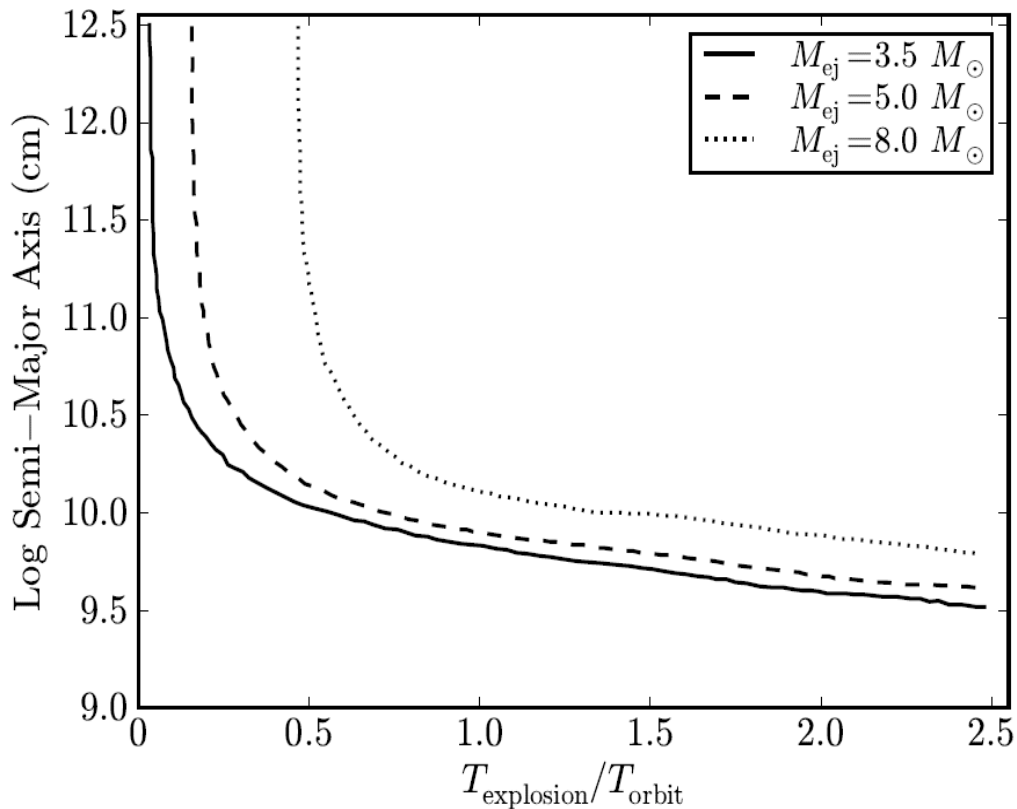
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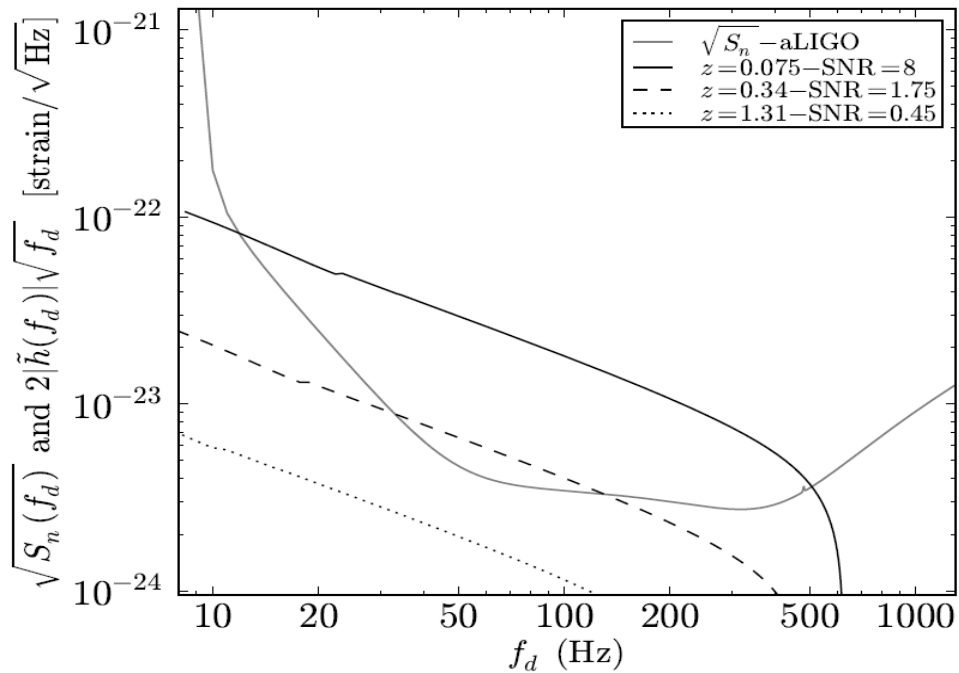
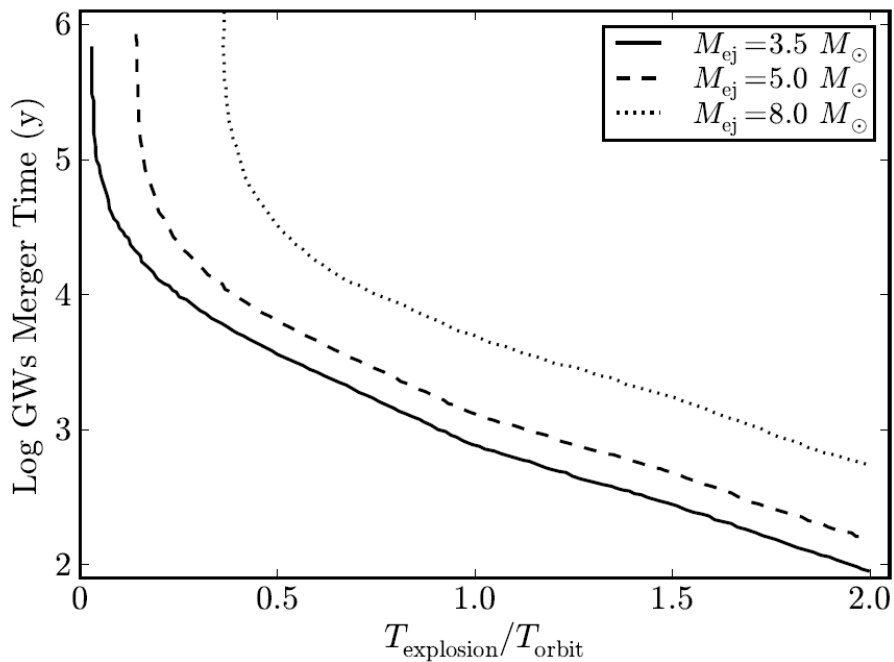
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# CONCLUSION

