

# Chemical Evolution

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# Schedule

- Monday, 11:30 am – 12:30 pm
  - *Sources of Nucleosynthesis and Timescales*
- Monday, 2:30 pm – 5:00 pm
  - Workshop with Carla Fröhlich
- Tuesday, 11:30 am – 12:30 pm
  - *Analytic Models of Chemical Evolution*
  - lots of equations
- Wednesday, 11:30 am – 12:30 pm
  - *Measurements in the Galaxy and Beyond*

# Useful links

<http://mahler.ps.uci.edu/issac/>

[gordon.sdsc.edu:/home/train90/](http://gordon.sdsc.edu:/home/train90/)

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# Sources of Nucleosynthesis and Timescales

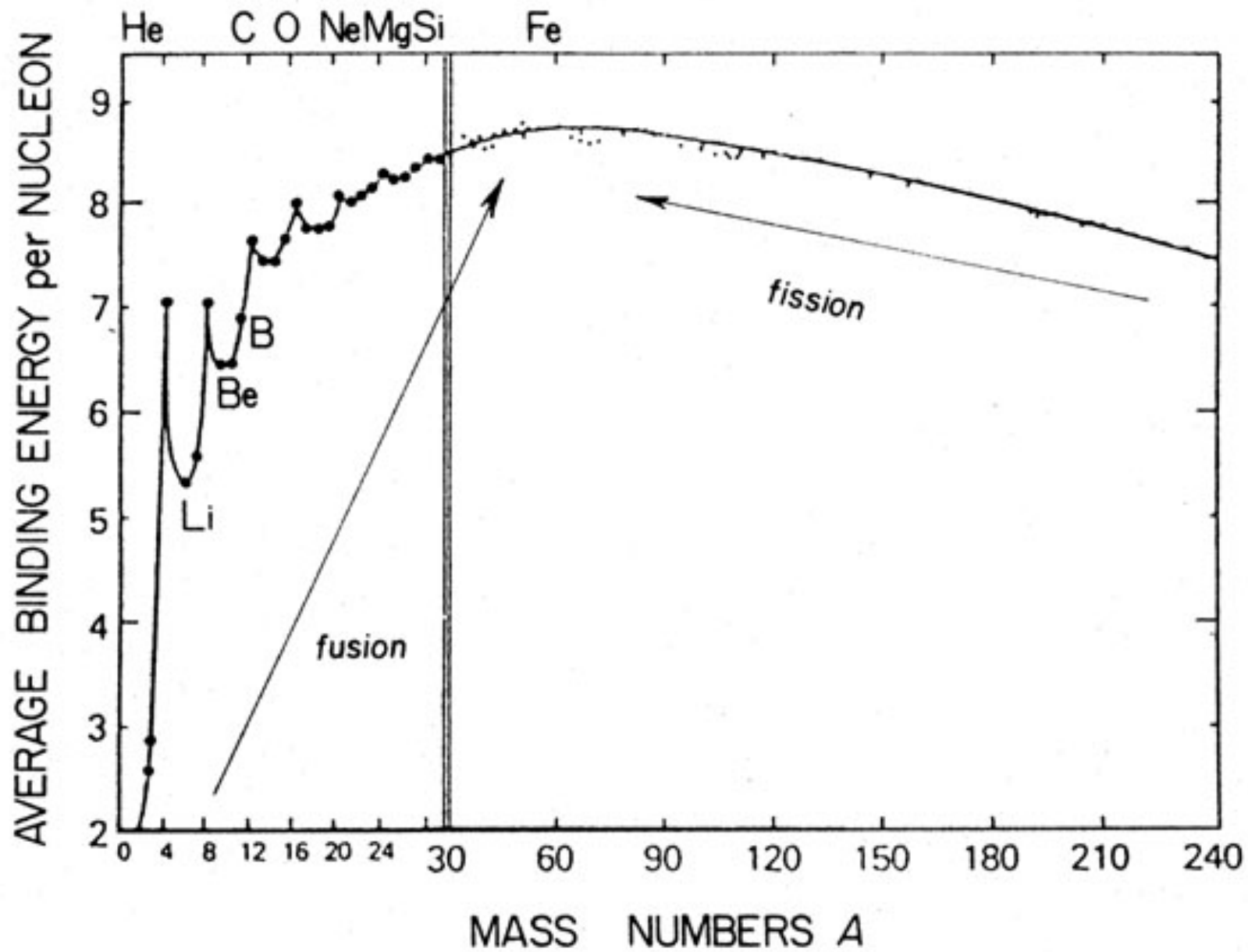
- Quick orientation to the elements
- Nucleosynthetic sources
  - Type II supernovae
  - Type Ia supernovae
  - AGB stars

# Periodic Table of the Elements

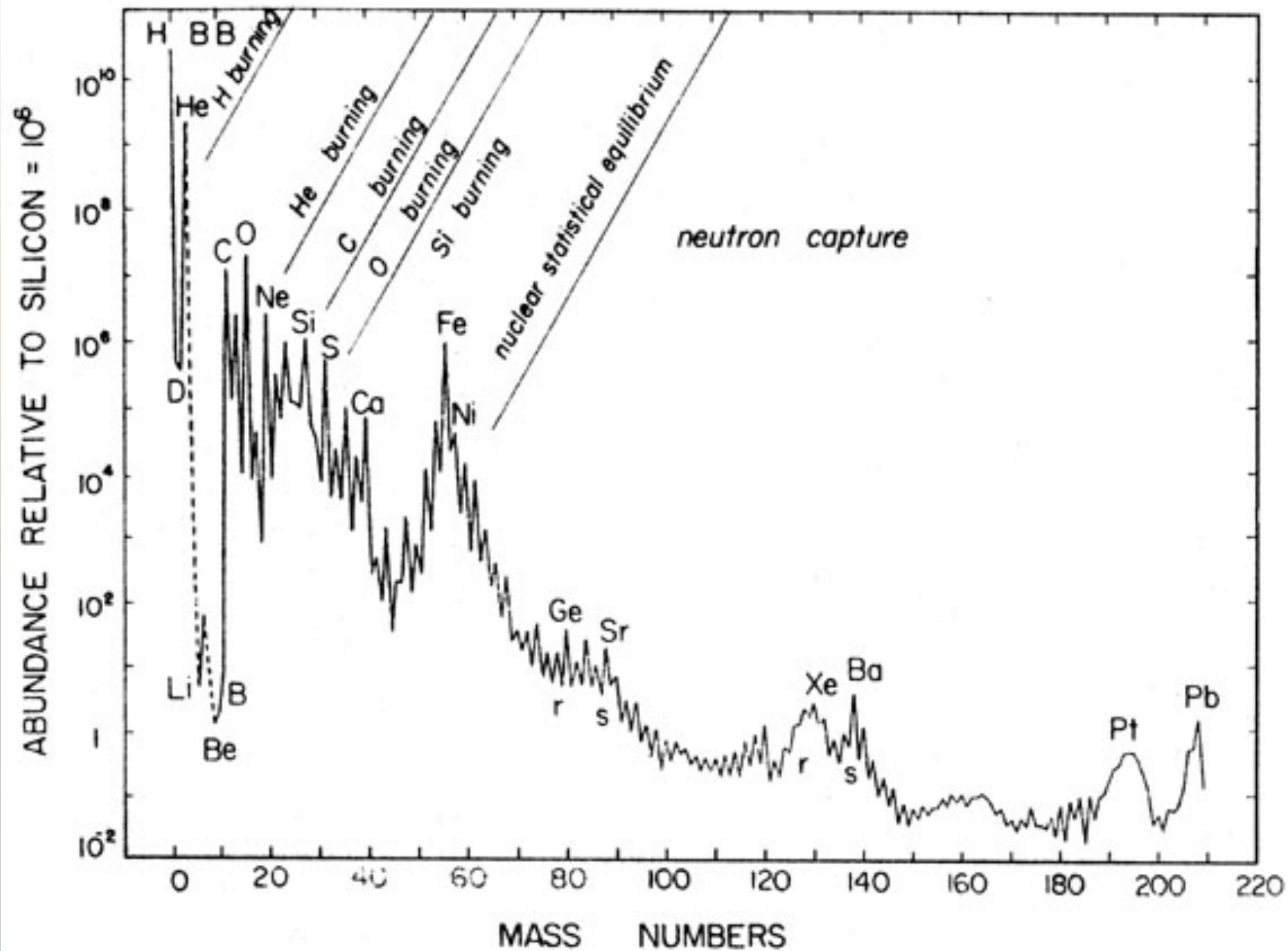
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1 <b>H</b> Hydrogen 1.0079	2 IIA 2A											13 IIIA 3A	14 IVA 4A	15 VA 5A	16 VIA 6A	17 VIIA 7A	2 <b>He</b> Helium 4.00260
3 <b>Li</b> Lithium 6.941	4 <b>Be</b> Beryllium 9.01218											5 <b>B</b> Boron 10.811	6 <b>C</b> Carbon 12.011	7 <b>N</b> Nitrogen 14.00674	8 <b>O</b> Oxygen 15.9994	9 <b>F</b> Fluorine 18.998403	10 <b>Ne</b> Neon 20.1797
11 <b>Na</b> Sodium 22.989768	12 <b>Mg</b> Magnesium 24.305	3 IIIB 3B	4 IVB 4B	5 VB 5B	6 VIB 6B	7 VIIB 7B	8 VIII 8	9 VIII 8	10 VIII 8	11 IB 1B	12 IIB 2B	13 <b>Al</b> Aluminum 26.981539	14 <b>Si</b> Silicon 28.0855	15 <b>P</b> Phosphorus 30.973762	16 <b>S</b> Sulfur 32.066	17 <b>Cl</b> Chlorine 35.4527	18 <b>Ar</b> Argon 39.948
19 <b>K</b> Potassium 39.0983	20 <b>Ca</b> Calcium 40.078	21 <b>Sc</b> Scandium 44.95591	22 <b>Ti</b> Titanium 47.88	23 <b>V</b> Vanadium 50.9415	24 <b>Cr</b> Chromium 51.9961	25 <b>Mn</b> Manganese 54.938	26 <b>Fe</b> Iron 55.847	27 <b>Co</b> Cobalt 58.9332	28 <b>Ni</b> Nickel 58.6934	29 <b>Cu</b> Copper 63.546	30 <b>Zn</b> Zinc 65.39	31 <b>Ga</b> Gallium 69.732	32 <b>Ge</b> Germanium 72.64	33 <b>As</b> Arsenic 74.92159	34 <b>Se</b> Selenium 78.96	35 <b>Br</b> Bromine 79.904	36 <b>Kr</b> Krypton 83.80
37 <b>Rb</b> Rubidium 85.4678	38 <b>Sr</b> Strontium 87.62	39 <b>Y</b> Yttrium 88.90585	40 <b>Zr</b> Zirconium 91.224	41 <b>Nb</b> Niobium 92.90638	42 <b>Mo</b> Molybdenum 95.94	43 <b>Tc</b> Technetium 98.9072	44 <b>Ru</b> Ruthenium 101.07	45 <b>Rh</b> Rhodium 102.9055	46 <b>Pd</b> Palladium 106.42	47 <b>Ag</b> Silver 107.8682	48 <b>Cd</b> Cadmium 112.411	49 <b>In</b> Indium 114.818	50 <b>Sn</b> Tin 118.71	51 <b>Sb</b> Antimony 121.760	52 <b>Te</b> Tellurium 127.6	53 <b>I</b> Iodine 126.90447	54 <b>Xe</b> Xenon 131.29
55 <b>Cs</b> Cesium 132.90543	56 <b>Ba</b> Barium 137.327	57-71	72 <b>Hf</b> Hafnium 178.49	73 <b>Ta</b> Tantalum 180.9479	74 <b>W</b> Tungsten 183.85	75 <b>Re</b> Rhenium 186.207	76 <b>Os</b> Osmium 190.23	77 <b>Ir</b> Iridium 192.22	78 <b>Pt</b> Platinum 195.08	79 <b>Au</b> Gold 196.9665	80 <b>Hg</b> Mercury 200.59	81 <b>Tl</b> Thallium 204.3833	82 <b>Pb</b> Lead 207.2	83 <b>Bi</b> Bismuth 208.98037	84 <b>Po</b> Polonium [208.9824]	85 <b>At</b> Astatine 208.9871	86 <b>Rn</b> Radon 222.0176
87 <b>Fr</b> Francium 223.0197	88 <b>Ra</b> Radium 226.0254	89-103	104 <b>Rf</b> Rutherfordium [261]	105 <b>Db</b> Dubnium [262]	106 <b>Sg</b> Seaborgium [266]	107 <b>Bh</b> Bohrium [264]	108 <b>Hs</b> Hassium [269]	109 <b>Mt</b> Meitnerium [268]	110 <b>Ds</b> Darmstadtium [269]	111 <b>Rg</b> Roentgenium [272]	112 <b>Cn</b> Copernicium [277]	113 <b>Uut</b> Ununtrium unknown	114 <b>Uuq</b> Ununquadium [289]	115 <b>Uup</b> Ununpentium unknown	116 <b>Uuh</b> Ununhexium [298]	117 <b>Uus</b> Ununseptium unknown	118 <b>Uuo</b> Ununoctium unknown
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Actinide Series		89 <b>Ac</b> Actinium 227.0278	90 <b>Th</b> Thorium 232.0381	91 <b>Pa</b> Protactinium 231.03588	92 <b>U</b> Uranium 238.0289	93 <b>Np</b> Neptunium 237.0482	94 <b>Pu</b> Plutonium 244.0642	95 <b>Am</b> Americium 243.0614	96 <b>Cm</b> Curium 247.0703	97 <b>Bk</b> Berkelium 247.0703	98 <b>Cf</b> Californium 251.0796	99 <b>Es</b> Einsteinium [254]	100 <b>Fm</b> Fermium 257.0951	101 <b>Md</b> Mendelevium 258.1	102 <b>No</b> Nobelium 259.1009	103 <b>Lr</b> Lawrencium [262]	
		Alkali Metal	Alkaline Earth	Transition Metal	Basic Metal	Semimetals	Nonmetals	Halogens	Noble Gas	Lanthanides	Actinides						

# Nucleosynthesis cheat sheet

- Type II SNe: low-mass elements (He, C, N, O),  $\alpha$  elements (O, Ne, Mg, Si, S, Ar, Ca), some Fe peak, *r*-process?
- Type Ia SNe: mostly Fe peak (Sc-Zn)
- AGB stars: He, C, N, *s*-process









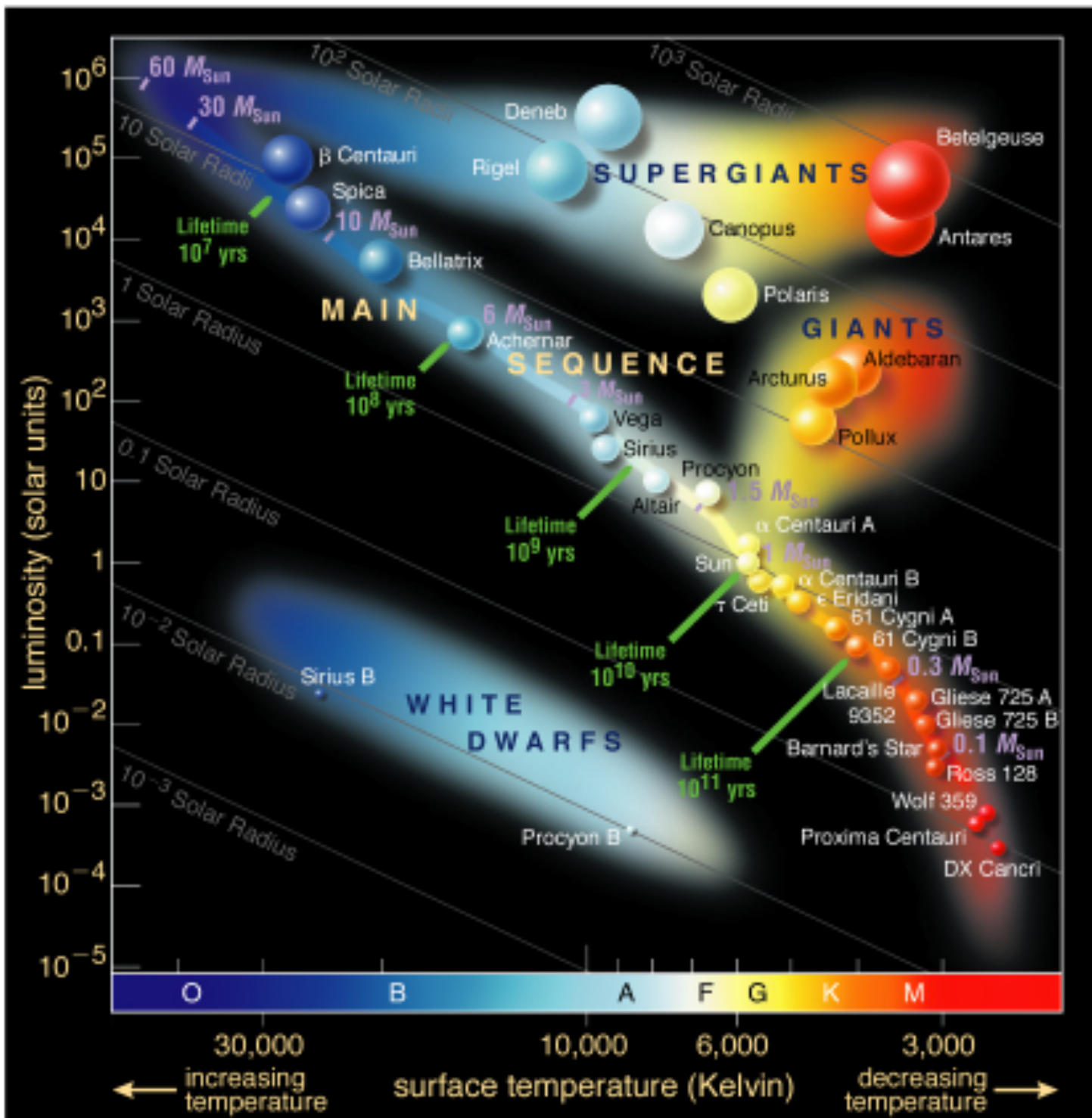
# Nucleosynthetic sources

- Major

- Core collapse (Type II) supernovae 4-25 Myr
- Asymptotic giant branch (AGB) stars 50+ Myr
- Thermonuclear (Type Ia) supernovae 0.1?-14 Gyr

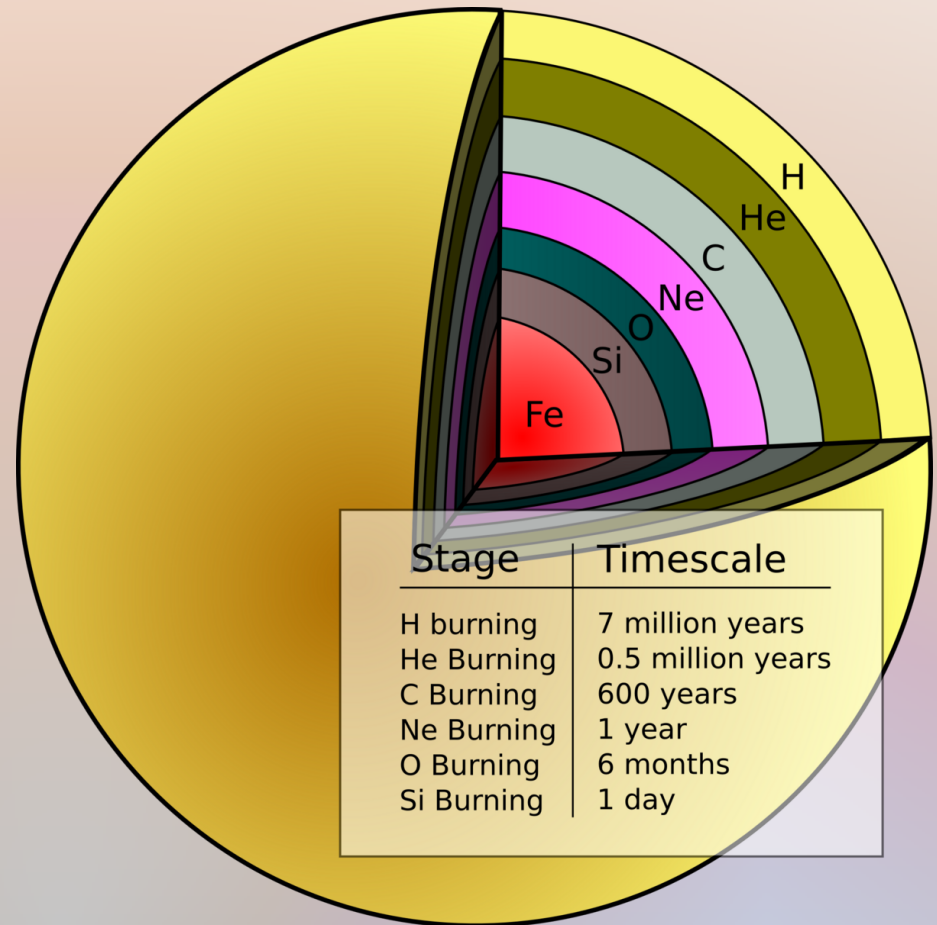
- Minor

- Winds from low-mass stars  $\gtrsim 1$  Gyr
- Neutron star mergers  $\approx 1$  Gyr
- Cosmic ray spallation



# Core collapse (Type II) supernova

- 10-50  $M_{\odot}$
- 17% of stars by mass
- 0.8% by number



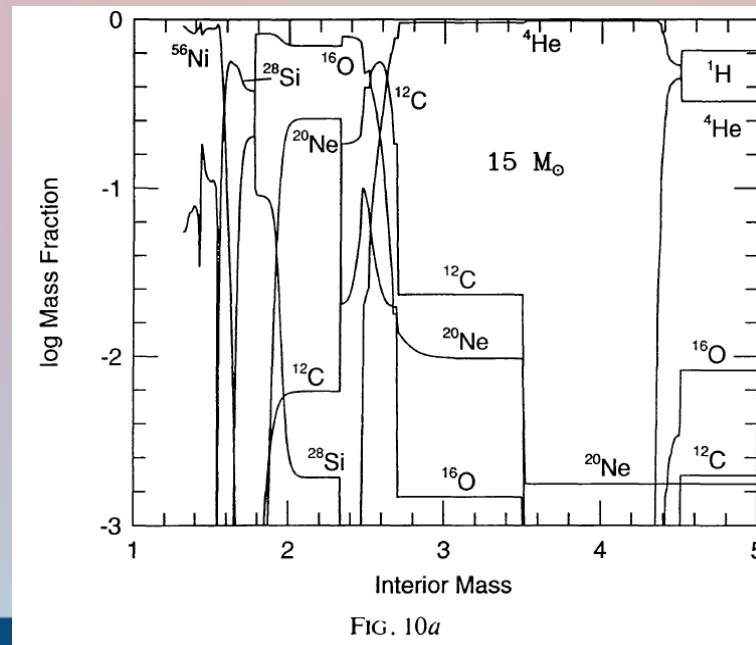
# Core collapse nucleosynthesis (Woosley & Weaver 1995)

- pre-explosion

- hydrostatic: He, C, N, O, Ne, Na, Mg, Al, (Si-Sc)
- *s*-process

## explosion

- neutrinos: F
- explosive burning: (Si-Sc), Ti-Zn
- r*-process



# Core collapse nucleosynthesis (Woosley & Weaver 1995)

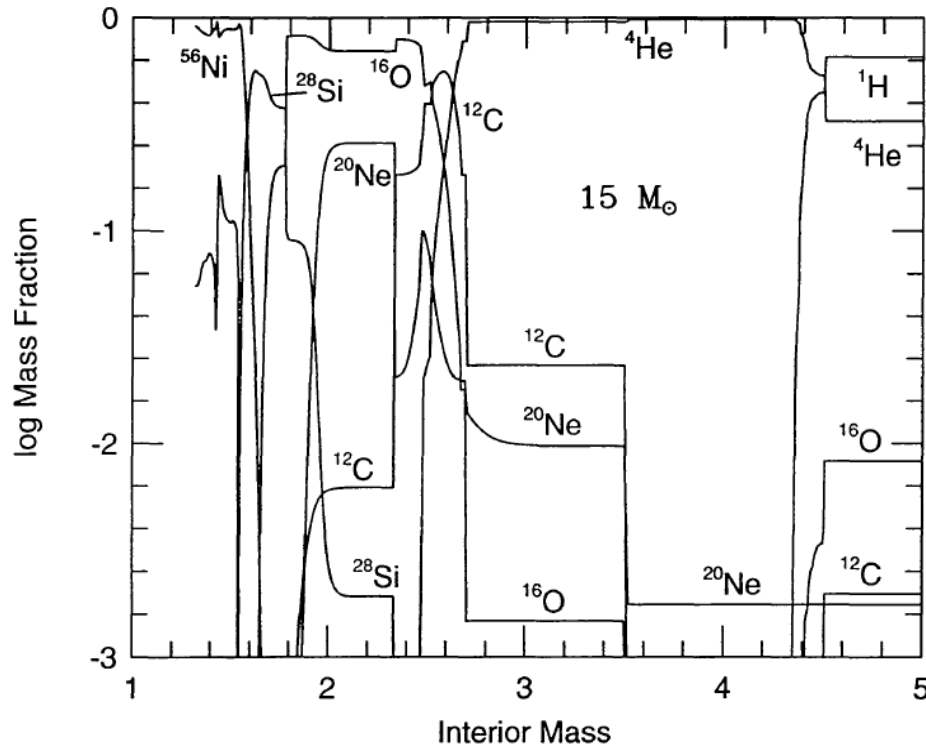


FIG. 10a

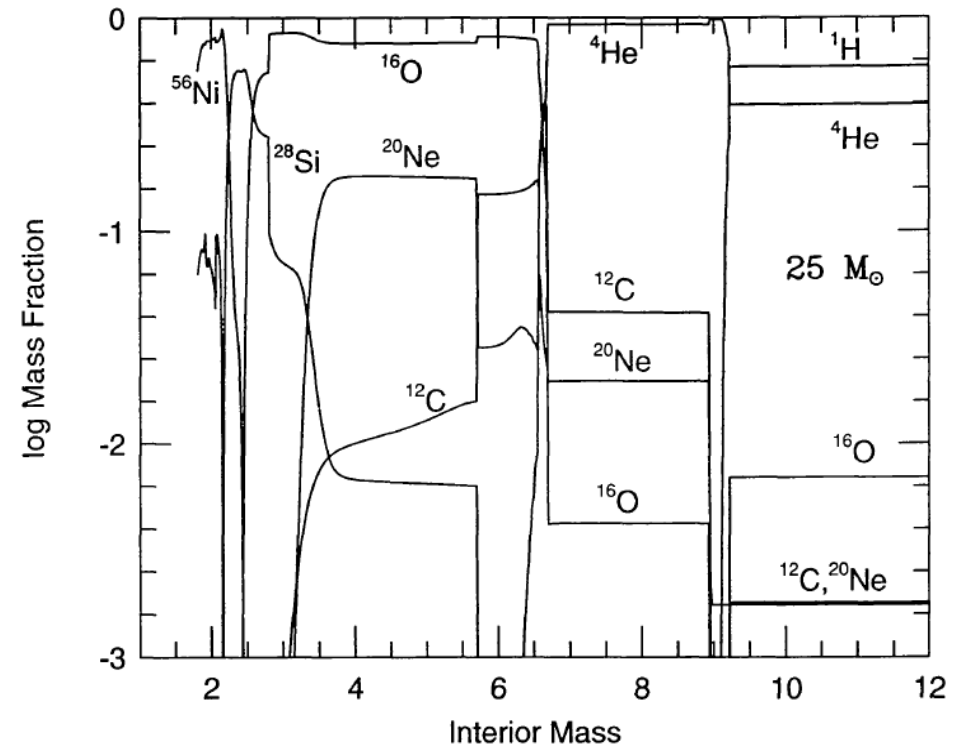


FIG. 10b

FIG. 10.—Final mass fractions of the major abundances —  $^1\text{H}$ ,  $^4\text{He}$ ,  $^{12}\text{C}$ ,  $^{16}\text{O}$ ,  $^{20}\text{Ne}$ ,  $^{28}\text{Si}$ , and  $^{56}\text{Ni}$ —(a) the inner  $5 M_{\odot}$  of a  $15 M_{\odot}$  solar metallicity supernova (model S15A); (b) the inner  $12 M_{\odot}$  of the ejecta of a  $25 M_{\odot}$  solar metallicity supernova (model S25A). Each had an explosion energy of  $1.2 \times 10^{51}$  ergs (Table 3).

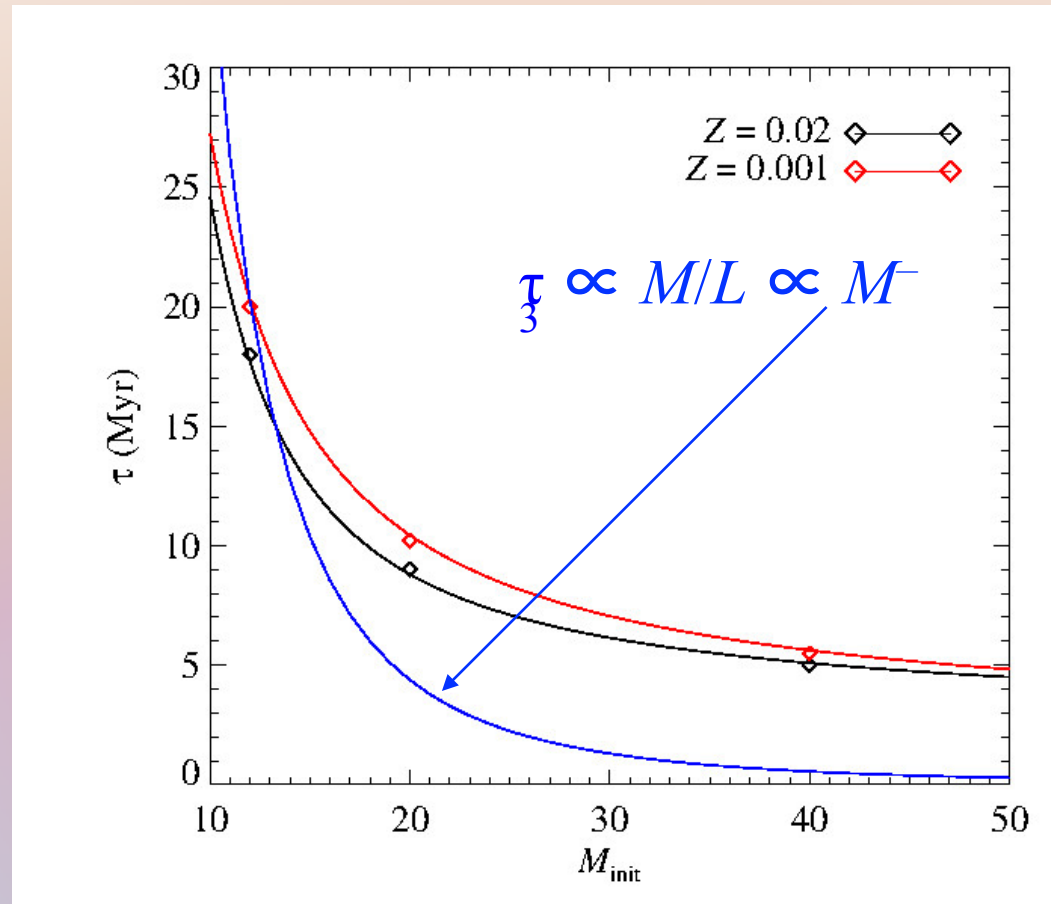


TABLE 19

## THE ORIGIN OF THE LIGHT AND INTERMEDIATE-MASS ELEMENTS

Species	Origin	Species	Origin	Species	Origin
$^1\text{H}$	BB	$^{29}\text{Si}$	Ne,xNe	$^{50}\text{Ti}$	nse-Ia-MCh
$^2\text{H}$	BB	$^{30}\text{Si}$	Ne,xNe	$^{50}\text{V}$	Ne,xNe,xO
$^3\text{He}$	BB,L*	$^{31}\text{P}$	Ne,xNe	$^{51}\text{V}$	$\alpha$ ,Ia-det,xSi,xO, $\nu$
$^4\text{He}$	BB,L*,H	$^{32}\text{S}$	xO,O	$^{50}\text{Cr}$	xSi,xO, $\alpha$ ,Ia-det
$^6\text{Li}$	CR	$^{33}\text{S}$	xO,xNe	$^{52}\text{Cr}$	xSi, $\alpha$ ,Ia-det
$^7\text{Li}$	BB, $\nu$ ,L*,CR	$^{34}\text{S}$	xO,O	$^{53}\text{Cr}$	xO,xSi
$^9\text{Be}$	CR	$^{36}\text{S}$	Ne,xNe	$^{54}\text{Cr}$	nse-Ia-MCh
$^{10}\text{B}$	CR	$^{35}\text{Cl}$	xO,xNe, $\nu$	$^{55}\text{Mn}$	Ia, xSi, $\nu$
$^{11}\text{B}$	$\nu$	$^{37}\text{Cl}$	xO,xNe	$^{54}\text{Fe}$	Ia,xSi
$^{12}\text{C}$	L*,He	$^{36}\text{Ar}$	xO,O	$^{56}\text{Fe}$	xSi,Ia
$^{13}\text{C}$	L*,H	$^{38}\text{Ar}$	xO,O	$^{57}\text{Fe}$	xSi,Ia
$^{14}\text{N}$	L*,H	$^{40}\text{Ar}$	C,Ne	$^{58}\text{Fe}$	He(s),nse-Ia-MCh
$^{15}\text{N}$	Nova, $\nu$	$^{39}\text{K}$	xO,O, $\nu$	$^{59}\text{Co}$	He(s), $\alpha$ ,Ia, $\nu$
$^{16}\text{O}$	He	$^{40}\text{K}$	C,Ne	$^{58}\text{Ni}$	$\alpha$ ,Ia
$^{17}\text{O}$	H	$^{41}\text{K}$	xO	$^{60}\text{Ni}$	$\alpha$ , He(s)
$^{18}\text{O}$	He	$^{40}\text{Ca}$	xO,O	$^{61}\text{Ni}$	$\alpha$ ,Ia-det,He(s)
$^{19}\text{F}$	$\nu$ ,He	$^{42}\text{Ca}$	xO	$^{62}\text{Ni}$	$\alpha$ ,He(s)
$^{20}\text{Ne}$	C	$^{43}\text{Ca}$	C,Ne	$^{64}\text{Ni}$	He(s)
$^{21}\text{Ne}$	C,He(s)	$^{44}\text{Ca}$	$\alpha$ ,Ia-det	$^{63}\text{Cu}$	He(s), $\alpha$
$^{22}\text{Ne}$	He	$^{46}\text{Ca}$	C,Ne	$^{65}\text{Cu}$	He(s)
$^{23}\text{Na}$	C,He(s),H	$^{48}\text{Ca}$	nse-Ia-MCh	$^{64}\text{Zn}$	He(s), $\alpha$
$^{24}\text{Mg}$	C,Ne	$^{45}\text{Sc}$	$\alpha$ ,C,Ne, $\nu$	$^{66}\text{Zn}$	He(s), $\alpha$ ,nse-Ia-MCh
$^{25}\text{Mg}$	C,Ne,He(s)	$^{46}\text{Ti}$	xO, Ia-det	$^{67}\text{Zn}$	He(s)
$^{26}\text{Mg}$	C,Ne,He(s)	$^{47}\text{Ti}$	xO, xSi, Ia-det	$^{68}\text{Zn}$	He(s)
$^{27}\text{Al}$	C,Ne	$^{48}\text{Ti}$	xSi,Ia-det		
$^{28}\text{Si}$	xO,O	$^{49}\text{Ti}$	xSi,He(s)		

# Type II delay time distribution



$Z = 0.02:$   $\tau = (9.5 \times 10^9) M_{\text{init}}^{-2.8} + (3.6 \times 10^7) M_{\text{init}}^{-0.65} + 1.5 \times 10^6$   
 $Z = 0.001:$   $\tau = (6.5 \times 10^9) M_{\text{init}}^{-2.7} + (1.0 \times 10^8) M_{\text{init}}^{-0.90} + 1.7 \times 10^6$   
 $dN \propto M_{\text{init}}^{-2.35} dM$  (Salpeter IMF)



# Type Ia nucleosynthesis

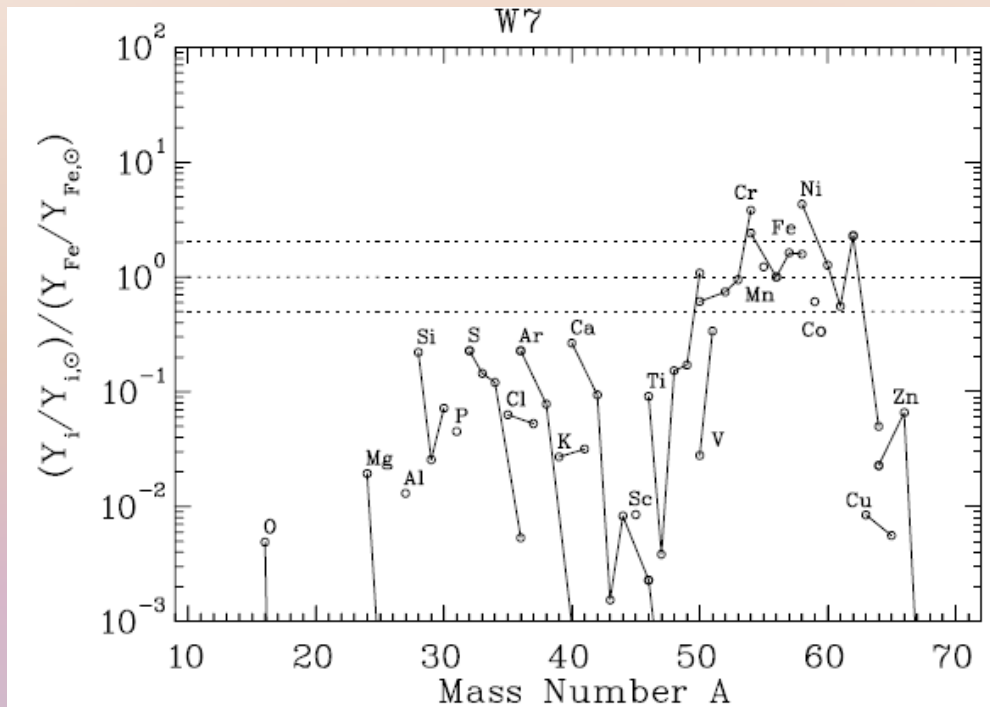


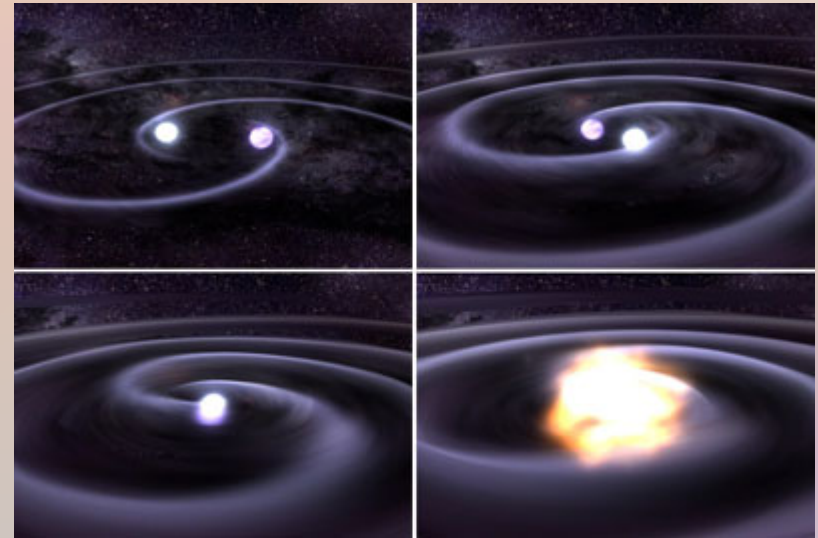
FIG. 12.—Ratio of abundances to solar predicted in model W7 (this is a recalculation of the 1986 model [Thielemann et al. 1986] with presently available updated reaction rates and a screened NSE treatment for temperatures beyond  $6 \times 10^9$  K, as described in Hix & Thielemann 1996). Isotopes of one element are connected by lines. The ordinate is normalized to  $^{56}\text{Fe}$ . Intermediate mass elements exist but are underproduced by a factor of 2–3 in comparison to Fe-group elements. Among the Fe-group,  $^{54}\text{Cr}$  and  $^{58}\text{Ni}$  are overproduced by a factor of 4, which exceeds the permitted factor of  $\sim 3$ .

Iwamoto et al. 1999, ApJS, 125, 439 (500+ citations)

# Type Ia models: SD vs. DD

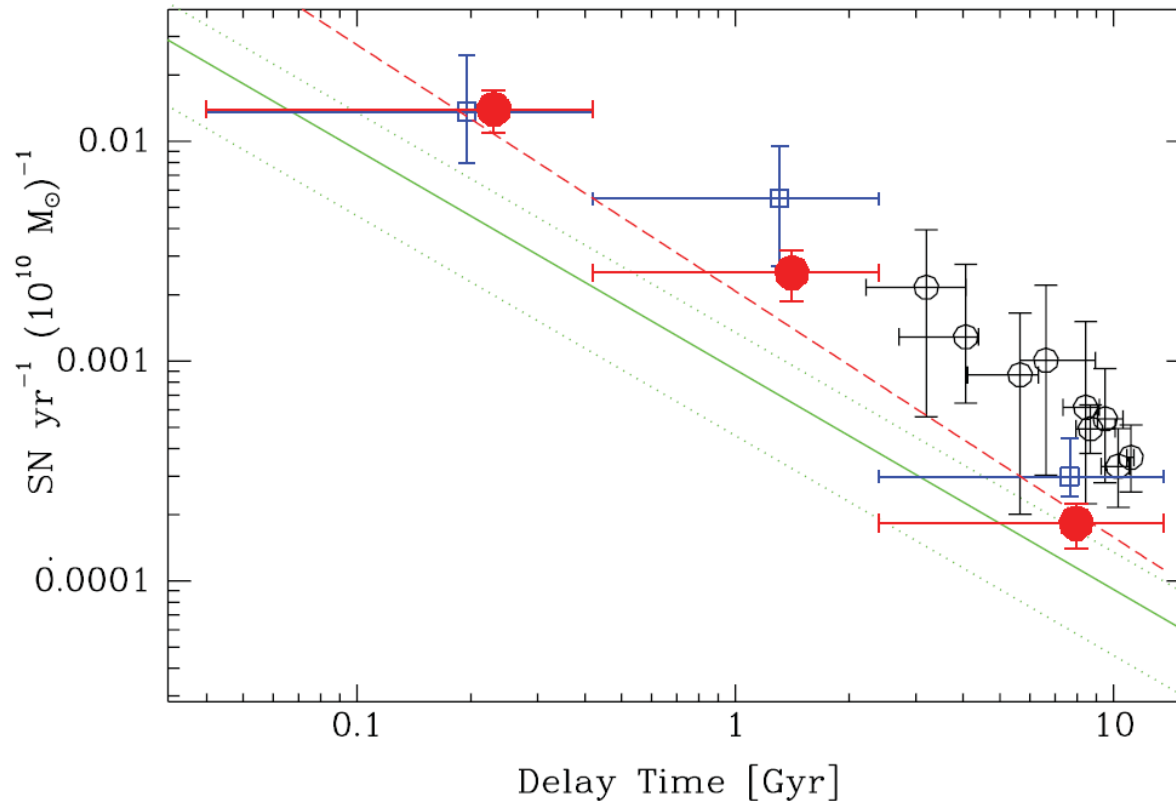


single degenerate



double degenerate

# Type Ia DTD



**Figure 1.** Recovered SN Ia DTD for the SDSS2 SN sample. Filled red circles mark the best-fitting DTD values for each time bin, whose time range is indicated by the horizontal error bars. Vertical error bars show the Gaussian  $1\sigma$  uncertainties. Red dashed line is the best power-law fit, with index  $-1.12$ , to the recovered DTD. Previous DTD measurements also shown are as follows: M11 analysis of the nearby LOSS sample (empty blue squares, with central values slightly shifted to the left, for clarity); Maoz et al. (2010) analysis based on SN Ia rates in galaxy clusters (empty black circles); and  $t^{-1}$  power-law DTD found by Graur et al. (2011), based on comparison of volumetric SN Ia rates and cosmic SFH (solid green line, with dotted lines marking the  $1\sigma$  range).

Maoz, Mannucci, & Brandt 2012, MNRAS, 426, 3282

# Type Ia delay time distribution

$$\Psi_{\text{Ia}} \approx 10^{-3} \tau^{-1.1} \text{ SN Gyr}^{-1} M_{\odot}^{-1} \quad \tau \gtrsim 0.11 \text{ Gyr}$$

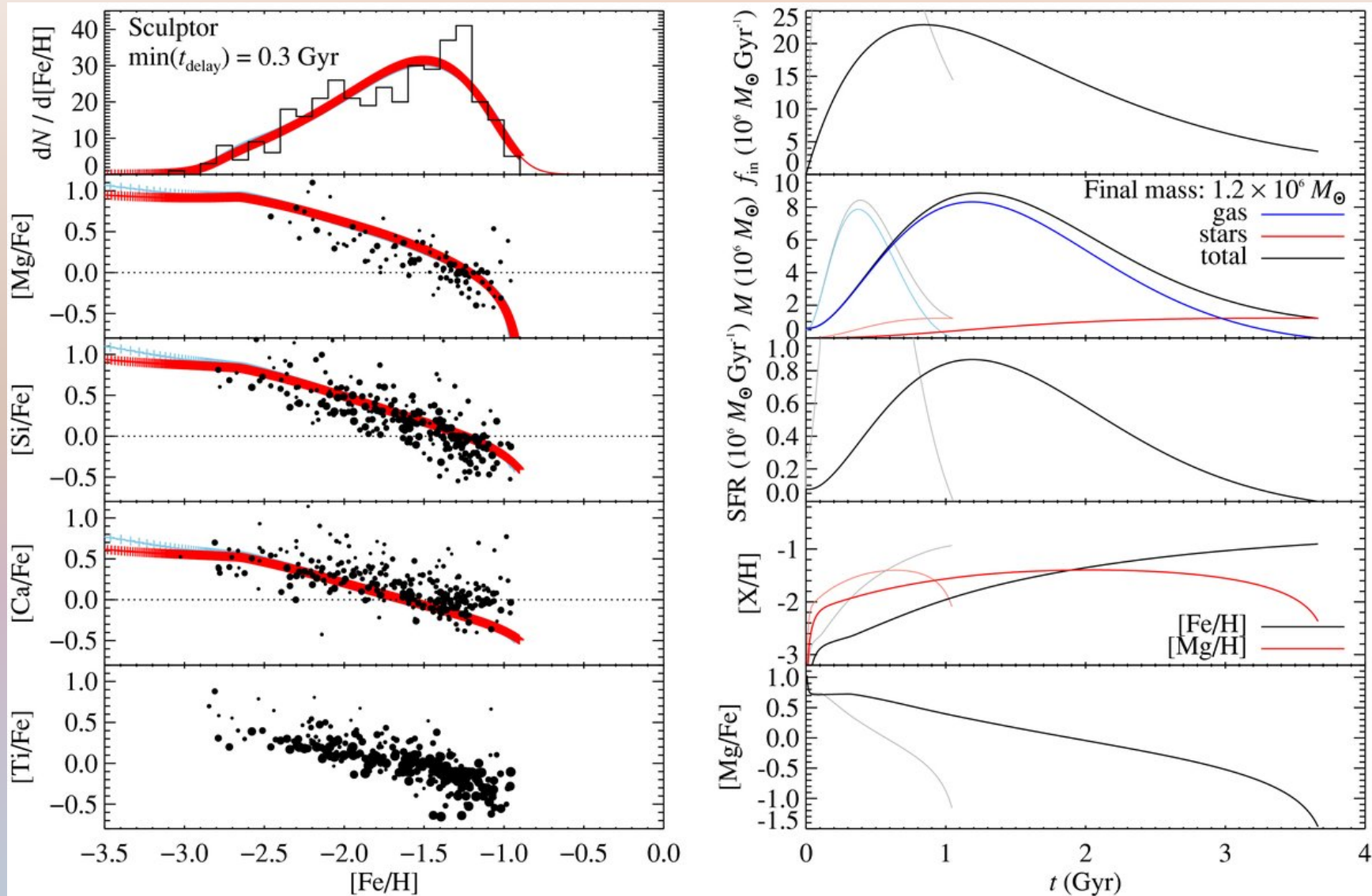
$$\Psi_{\text{Ia}} = ??? \quad \tau < 0.11 \text{ Gyr}$$

$$\int_{0.11 \text{ Gyr}}^{13.6 \text{ Gyr}} \Psi_{\text{Ia}} d\tau = 4.8 \times 10^{-3} \text{ SN } M_{\odot}^{-1}$$

$$\int_{0.11 \text{ Gyr}}^{\infty} \Psi_{\text{Ia}} d\tau = 1.2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ SN } M_{\odot}^{-1}$$

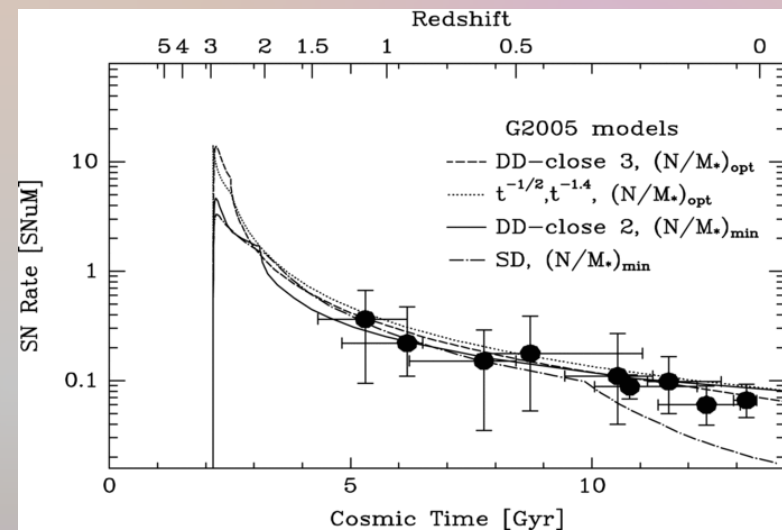
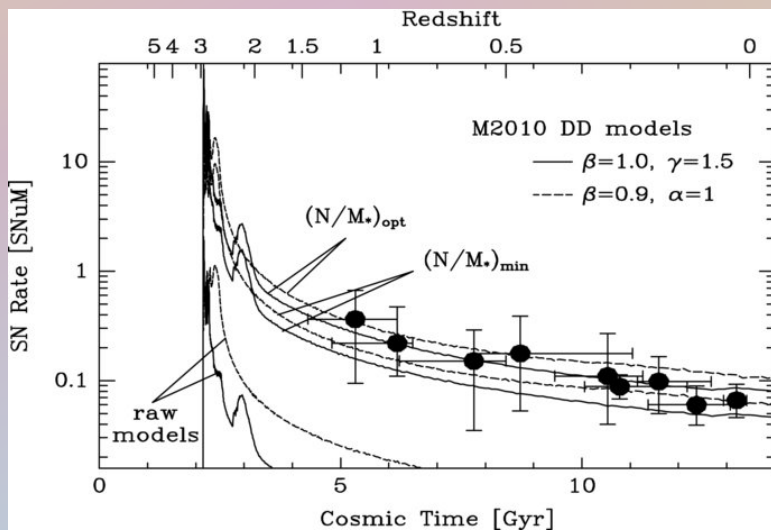
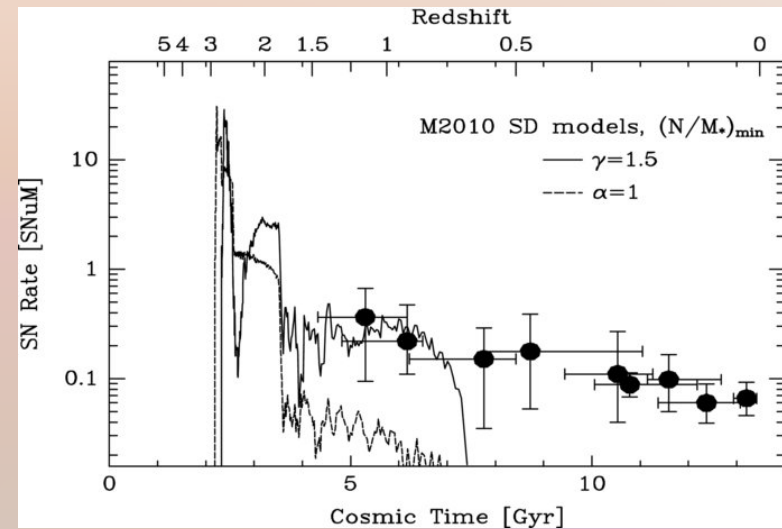
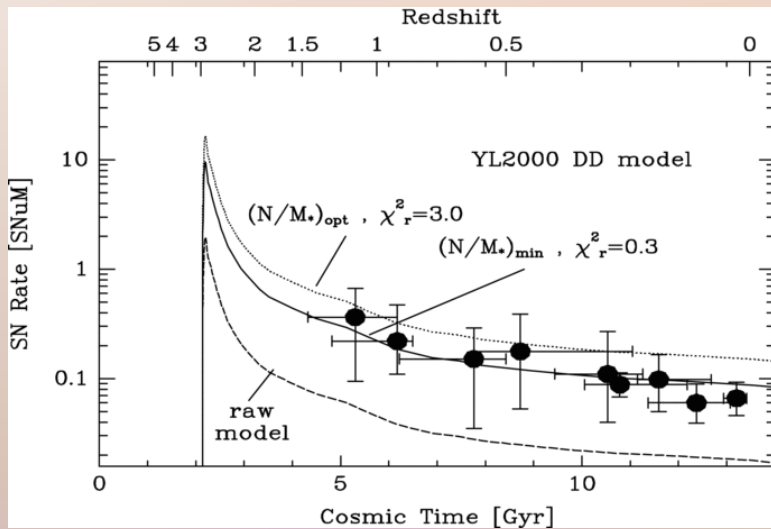
$$\int_{0.01 \text{ Gyr}}^{13.6 \text{ Gyr}} \Psi_{\text{Ia}} d\tau = 8.1 \times 10^{-3} \text{ SN } M_{\odot}^{-1}$$

# Effect of uncertainty in Type Ia DTD on chemical evolution models



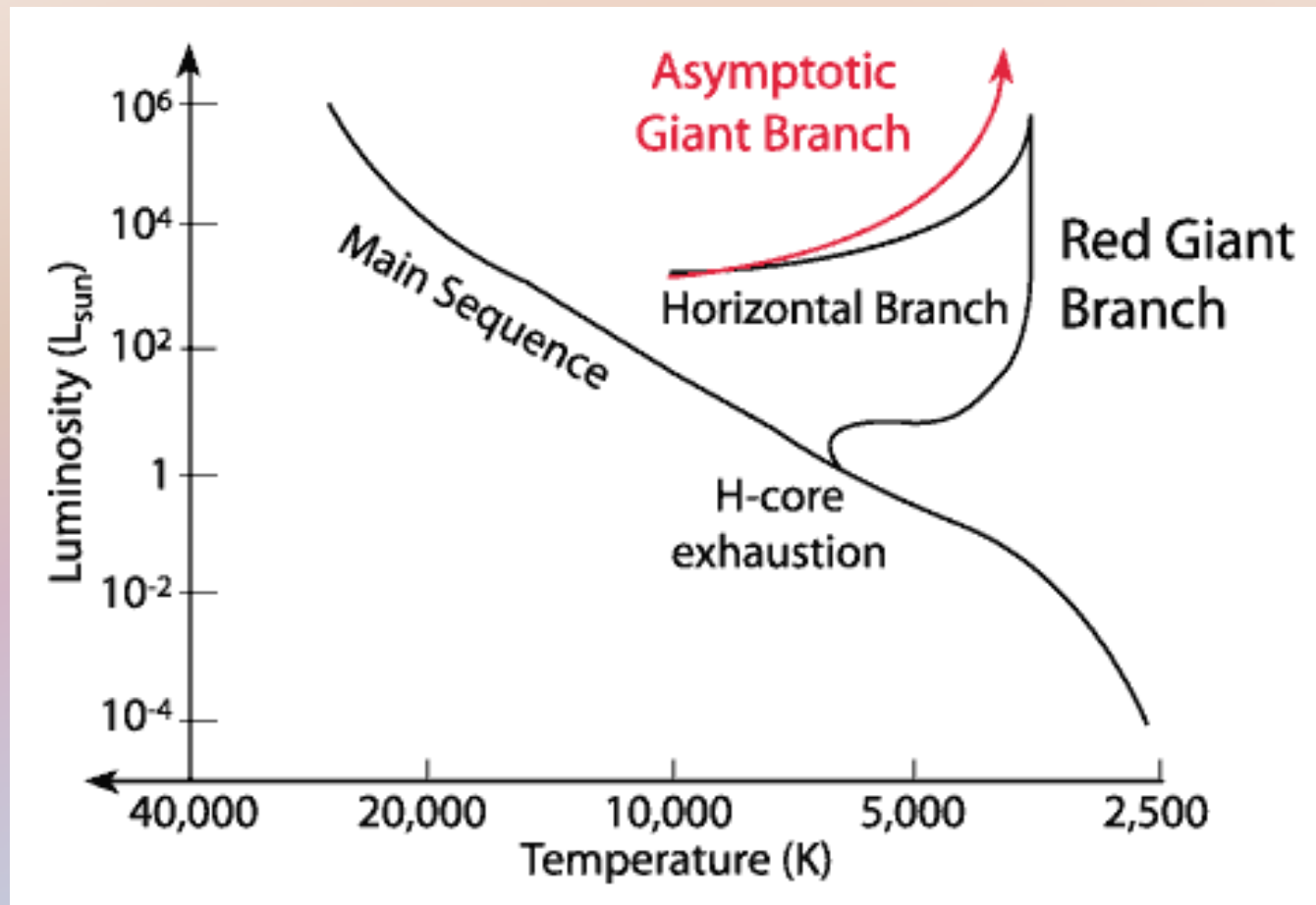


# Type Ia models: SD vs. DD



Maoz, Sharon, & Gal-Yam 2010, ApJ, 722, 1879

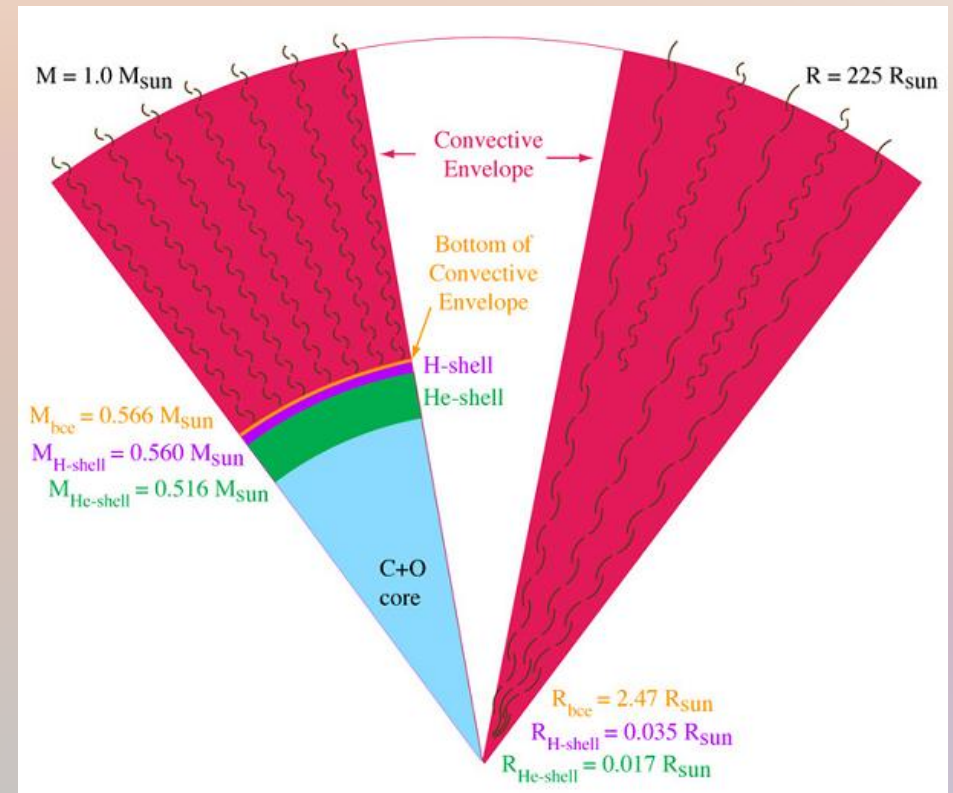
# Asymptotic giant branch (AGB) stars



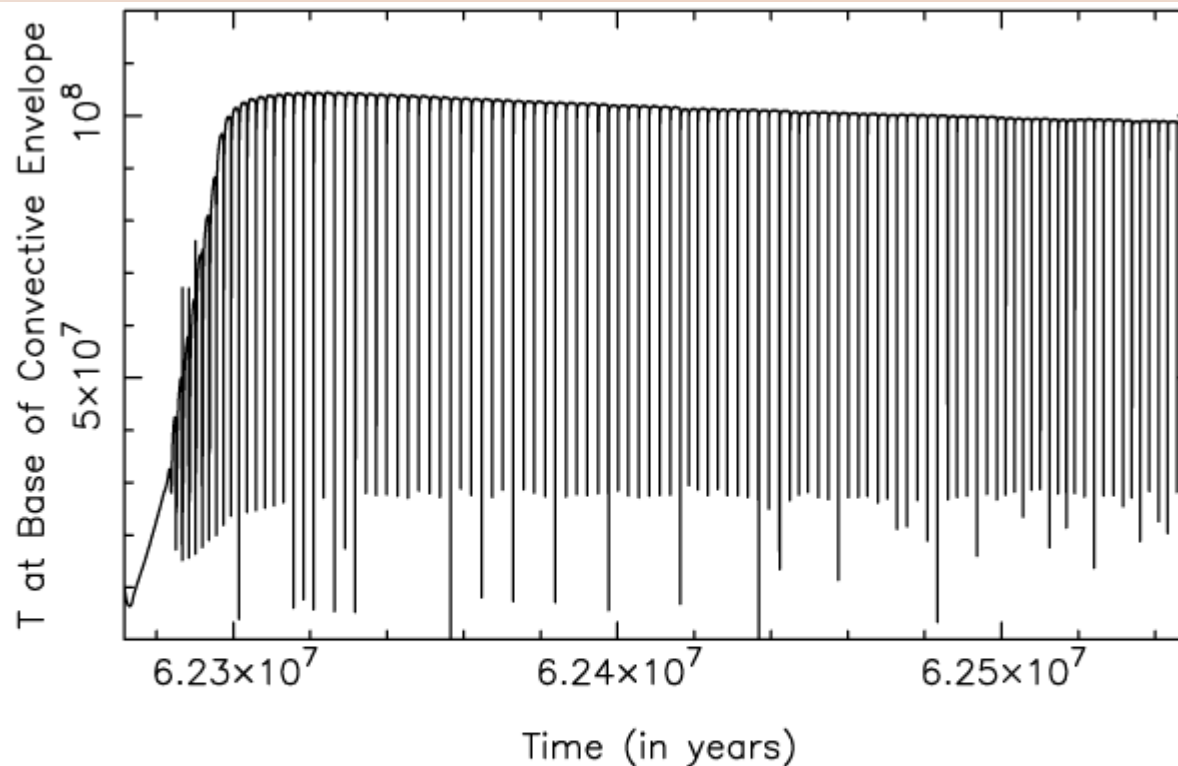


# AGB nucleosynthesis

- Major elements: C, N, O, F, Ne, Na *s*-process
- Mass loss up to 70% of initial mass during thermal pulses



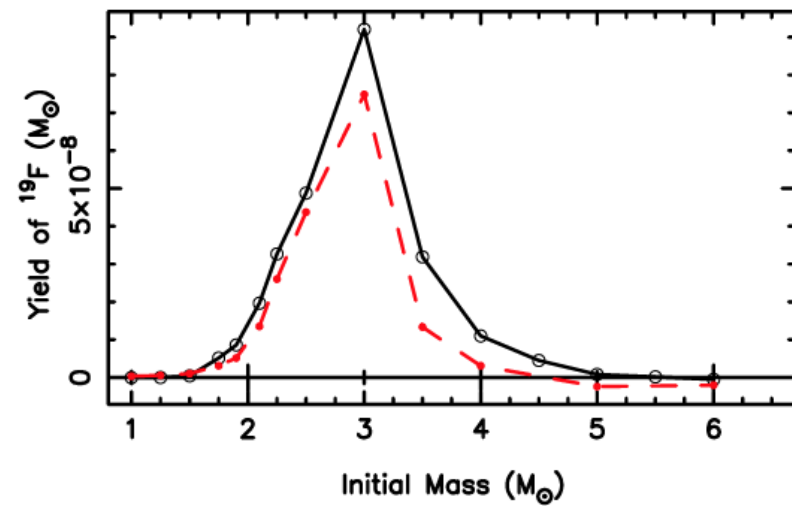
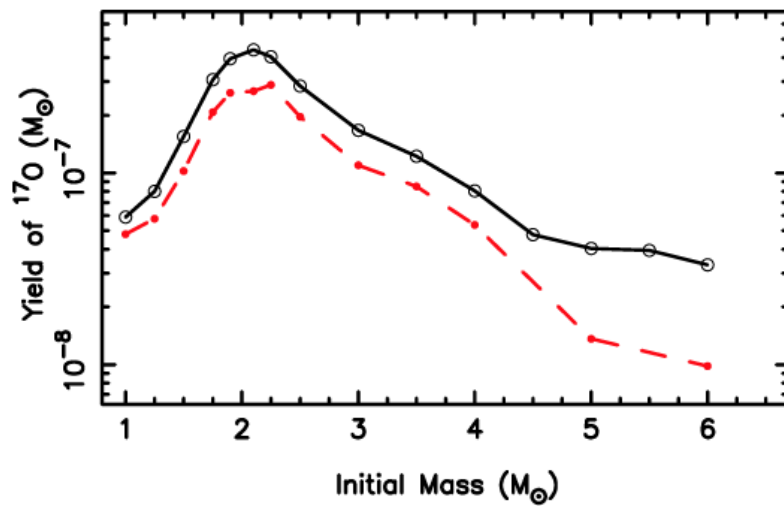
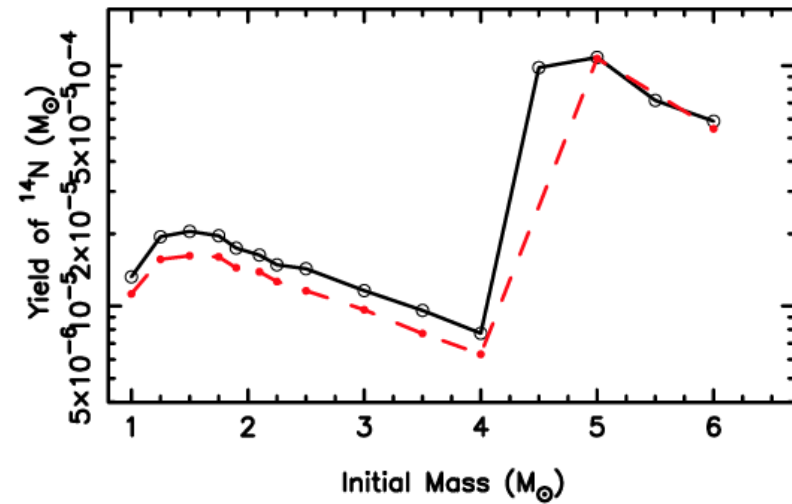
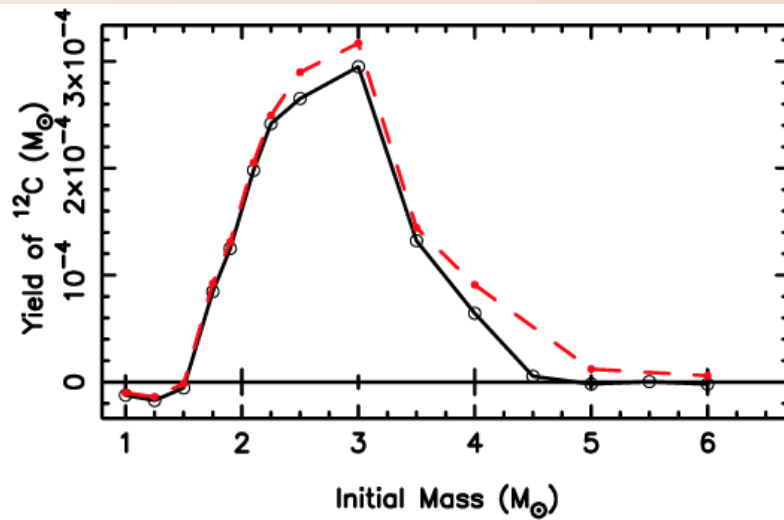
# AGB thermal pulses



**Figure 1.** The temporal evolution during the TP-AGB of the temperature at the base of the convective envelope for  $6 M_{\odot} Z = 0.0001$  models with R75 (top panel) and VW93 (lower panel) mass loss.

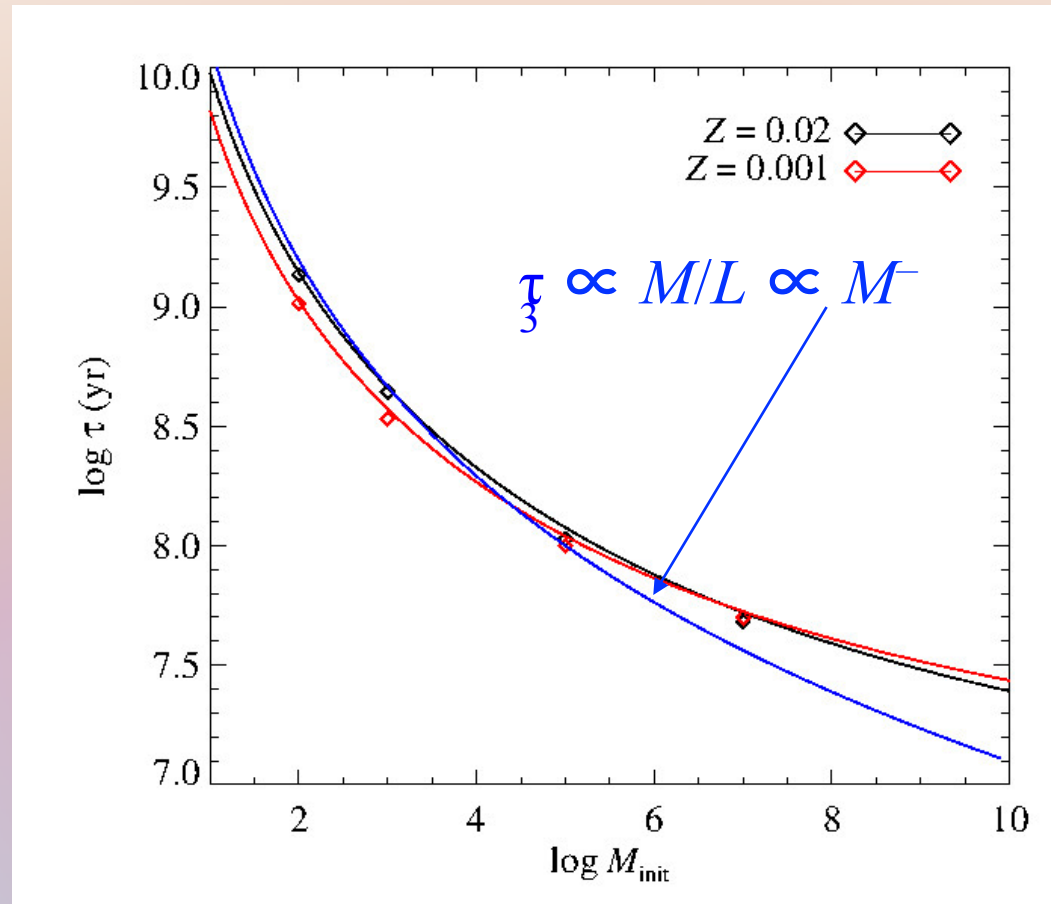
Karakas 2010, MNRAS, 403, 1413

# AGB nucleosynthesis



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# AGB delay time distribution



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 Z = 0.001: & \quad \tau = (6.5 \times 10^9) M_{\text{init}}^{-2.7} + (1.0 \times 10^8) M_{\text{init}}^{-0.90} + 1.7 \times 10^6 \\
 & \quad dN \propto M_{\text{init}}^{-2.35} dM \quad (\text{Salpeter IMF})
 \end{aligned}$$

# Neutron-capture nucleosynthesis

<http://www.nndc.bnl.gov/nudat2/>

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Latest Ground and isomeric states properties

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Radiation type, energy, intensity and dose following nuclear decay

Color code	Half-life	Decay Mode	$Q_{\beta^-}$	$Q_{EC}$	$Q_{\beta^+}$	$S_n$	$S_p$	$Q_{\alpha}$	$S_{2n}$	$S_{2p}$	$Q_{2\beta^-}$	$Q_{2EC}$	$Q_{ECp}$	$Q_{\beta-n}$
$Q_{\beta-2n}$	BE/A	(BE-LDM Fit)/A	$E_{1st\ ex. st.}$	$E_{2+}$	$E_{3-}$	$E_{4+}$	$E_{4+}/E_{2+}$	$\beta_2$	$B(E2)_{42}/B(E2)_{20}$	$\sigma(n,\gamma)$	$\sigma(n,f)$	235U FY	239Pu FY	252Cf FY

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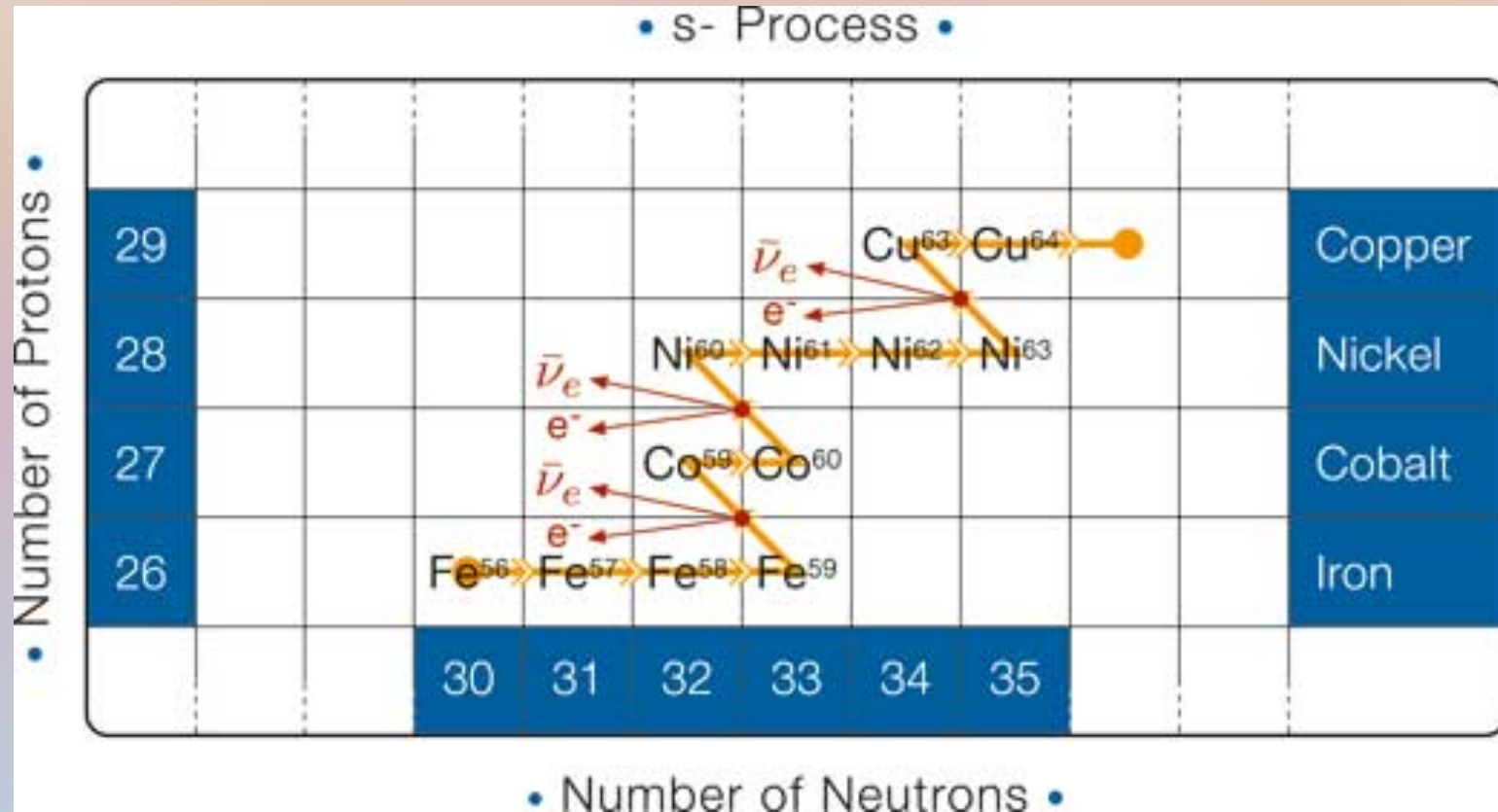
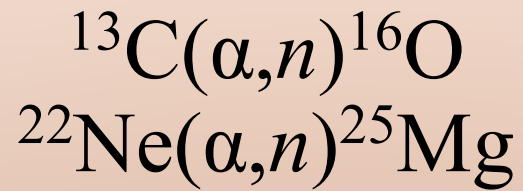
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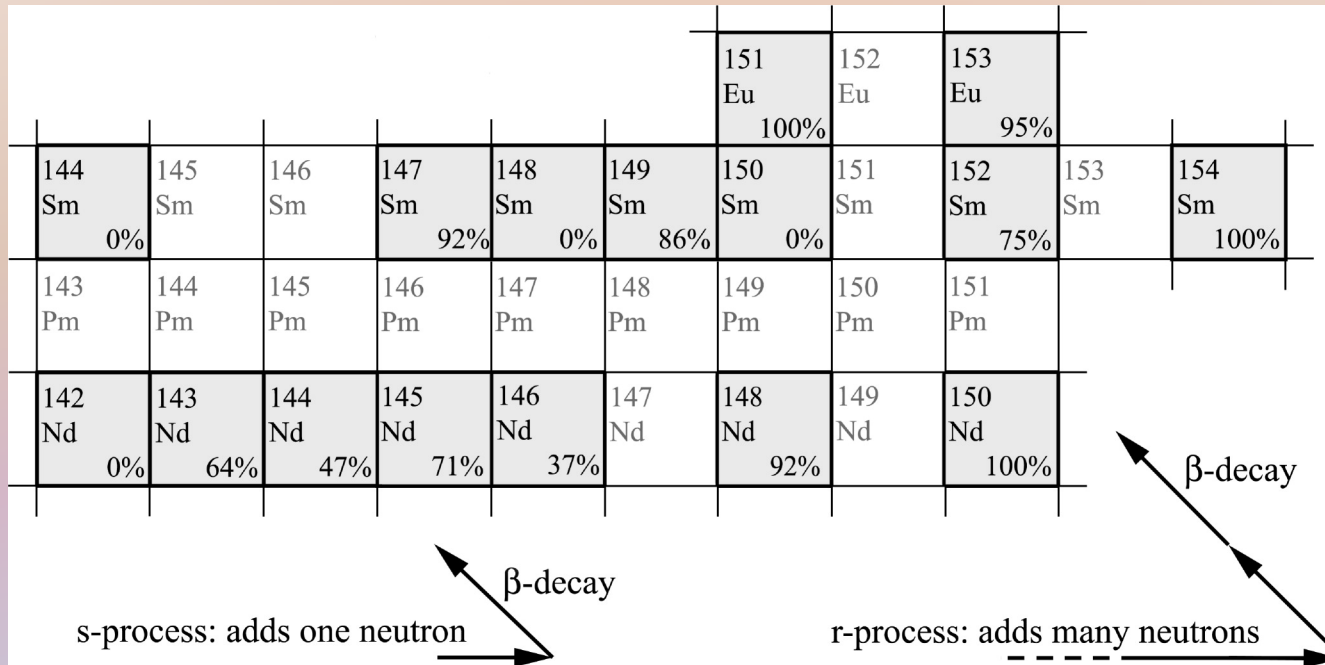


# AGB neutrons





# *r*-process



Roederer et al. 2008, ApJ, 675, 723

# *r*-process