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### Stellar Nucleosynthesis and Yields

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(A 3D printed chart of the nuclides at Monash University)

### NUCLEOSYNTHESIS

Multidisciplinary field that ties together many of the talks here!

- · Stellar Evolution (all masses)
- Mixing and Stellar Processes
- Spectroscopy
- · Nuclear and Quantum Physics (theoretical and experimental)
- · Cosmochemistry
- · Terrestrial and Meteoritic Chemistry
- Cosmology
- · Galactic Chemical Evolution
- Neutrino Astrophysics
- · IMF
- · ISM
- Hydrodynamics

### THE SCIENTIFIC QUESTION

- By what means and in which quantities are the naturally occurring isotopes produced?
- What are their astrophysical sites?



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### Synthesis of the Elements in Stars\*

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> "It is the stars, The stars above us, govern our conditions"; (King Lear, Act IV, Scene 3)

> > but perhaps

"The fault, dear Brutus, is not in our stars, But in ourselves," (Julius Caesar, Act I, Scene 2)

### NUCLEOSYNTHETIC PROCESSES

- Hydrogen burning (pp, CNO, NeNa, MgAl)
- Helium burning  $(3\alpha)$
- Advanced burning ( $\alpha$ -captures, C, Ne, O, Si, QSE)
- NSE (iron peak Sc Se)
- s-process
- i-process
- r-process
- · p-process (relatively n-poor stable nuclei )
- rp-process
- irp-process
- αp-process
- $\cdot \gamma$ -process (disintegration of s/r nuclei)
- ν-process
- νp-process
- BBN (H, He, Li)
- Spallation (Li, Be, B, + random isotopes)

Hydrostatic burning (A  $\leq$  60)

} Explosive burning (  $48 \le A \le 84$ )

Neutron captures (A > 56)

A  $\ge$  74 (between <sup>74</sup>Se and <sup>196</sup>Hg)

SN neutrino winds (A > 56)

Non-Stellar Nucleosynthesis

#### SIGNATURES OF NUCLEOSYNTHETIC PROCESS - SOLAR SYSTEM ABUNDS



### OTHER SIGNATURES OF NUCLEOSYNTHETIC PROCESS





**рlate 3**. В<sup>2</sup>FH (1957) Characterized by their neutron-capture time scales compared to average  $\beta$ -decay half lives.



Dy: Dysprosium Tb: Terbium Gd: Gadolinium • The r-process  $\tau_{\beta} >> \tau_n$ ; N<sub>n</sub> > 10<sup>20</sup> n/cm<sup>3</sup>. Unstable nucleus captures another neutron before decaying. Operates far from stability and decays back.

- The s-process  $\tau_{\beta} << \tau_{\rm n}$ ; N<sub>n</sub> > 10<sup>7</sup> n/cm<sup>3</sup>. Unstable nucleus decays before capturing another neutron. Operates close to the valley of  $\beta$ -stability
- · If  $\tau_{\beta} \approx \tau_n$  several paths possible (branching point)

Iliadis (2007)

### MULTIPLE SITES/COMPONENTS?



Sneden et al. (2008)

#### MASSIVE STAR STRUCTURE



José and Iliadis (2011)



During NSE abundances determined by repeated application of Saha equation  $\longrightarrow N_i(T,\rho,\eta)$ 

After NSE the nucleosynthesis depends on three wind parameters that set Y<sub>n</sub>/Y<sub>seed</sub>. In general high entropy, short expansion timescales, and low electron fractions will lead to r-process.



State of the art models suggest:  $\tau \approx 0.01$ s, S/k  $\approx 100$  in the wind.

Need S/k  $\geq$  400 given typical expansion and Ye from the models.

Hoffman et al. (1997)

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 $X_{i,Yield}$ (Mass Loss, SN explosion) =  $X_{i,ejected} - X_{i,initial}$ 

Mass Range ${\rm M}_{\odot}$	Main Products	Comments
$\lesssim 0.8$		They lock up gas
[0.8 ,8.0]	<sup>4</sup> He, <sup>12</sup> C, <sup>14</sup> N, Fluorine, CNO isotopes and s-process	Differences across masses due to dredge-up events, HBB, etc. S-process from $^{13}\mathrm{C}(\alpha,n)^{16}\mathrm{O}$ source
≳ 10	(N, C, O, Ne, Mg) (Al, Si, S, Ar, Ca) Fe peak, s-process r- and νp- process p process	Hydrostatic burning phases Hydrostatic and (SN) explosive Essentially explosive burning (NSE, QSE) $^{22}$ Ne $(\alpha, n)^{25}$ Mg source during core-He and shell-C burning phases. Neutrino winds?
$\gtrsim$ 100	Oxygen	And lots of it

System	Main Products	Comments
Nova	<sup>26</sup> Al, <sup>22</sup> Na, <sup>15</sup> N, <sup>17</sup> O, <sup>13</sup> C, <sup>7</sup> Li	WD + low-mass companion (typically K-M dwarf), Recurrent.
Type 1a	Fe-peak nuclei, <sup>56</sup> Ni ( <sup>56</sup> Fe), possible p-process?	CO WD + companion (SD/DD). Several ignition regimes possible
Type 1 XRB	lphap and rp nuclei	NS + low-mass companion. Most frequent type of thermonuclear explosions. Escape?
Hard GRB (Kilonova)	r-process	NS+NS. GW 170817
Soft GRB	<sup>56</sup> Ni, <sup>49</sup> Ti, <sup>45</sup> Sc, <sup>64</sup> Zn, <sup>92</sup> Mo	Rich nucleosynthesis possible from BH/accretion disc channel. Depends on model details especially mass-accretion rate.

### MASSIVE STAR YIELD UNCERTAINTIES

	Mass Cut (25 M <sub>o</sub> Model) <sup>a</sup>			Mass Cut (20 $M_{\odot}$ Model) <sup>b</sup>			
Element	1.42	1.54	1.62	1.42	1.55	1.62	Main Element
Fe	2.44E-01	1.62E-01	1.14E - 01	1.72E-01	9.53E-02	5.50E-02	<sup>56</sup> Ni
Cr	1.30E-03	1.27E-03	1.24E - 03	1.31E-03	1.20E-03	1.14E-03	<sup>52</sup> Fe
Mn	3.38E-04	3.37E-04	3.37E-04	3.35E-04	3.34E-04	3.33E-04	55Co
Со	6.87E-04	4.84E-04	3.01E - 04	5.33E-04	2.33E-04	7.00E-05	59Cu
Ni	8.71E - 02	5.48E-02	3.64E - 02	6.42E-02	2.70E - 02	7.16E - 03	<sup>58</sup> Ni

TABLE 1 Dependence on Mass Cut: Yield  $(M_{-})$ 

<sup>a</sup>  $M_{\text{core}} = 8 M_{\odot}, E_{\text{exp}} = 1.0 \times 10^{51} \text{ ergs}, Y_{e}^{\text{deep}} = 0.4950.$ <sup>b</sup>  $M_{\text{core}} = 6 M_{\odot}, E_{exp} = 1.0 \times 10^{51} \text{ ergs}, Y_{e}^{\text{deep}} = 0.4940.$ 

S = k log  $\Gamma$ : Universe: S/k $\approx$  10<sup>10</sup>, MS/room: S/k $\approx$  10, SNCC: S/k $\approx$  1

- Mass cut usually taken at S/k=4. Coincides well to first principle models usually around base of the oxygen shell.
- Rotation
- Binarity
- Mass Loss
- · Overshoot, semi convection, instabilities, convective boundaries.

Nakamura et al (1999)



- Z=0.0, 0.0001, 0.0004, 0.004, 0.008, 0.02, 0.05
- WOW Wooley and Weaver (1995)
- PCB Portinari, Chiosi Bressan (1998)
- · CLI Chieffi and Limongi (2003, 2004)
- · LIM Limongi and Chieffi (2006, 2012)
- **KOB** Kobayashi et al. (2006) + Rauscher et al (2002)
- HEG Heger and Woosely (2010) + Frölich et al (2006)
- · See also Pignatari et al. (2015)

Predictions for  $\alpha$  yields at different Z, where  $\alpha = {}^{20}$  Ne  $+ {}^{24}$  Mg  $+ {}^{28}$  Si  $+ {}^{32}$  S  $+ {}^{40}$  Ca

Molla et al. (2015)

		Lable 1. Yield definit	lons
Nuclide $i$	Yields $Y_i(M)$	Net yields $y_i(M)$	Production factors $f_i(M)$
Created	$> M_{0,i}$	> 0	> 1
Re-ejected	$= M_{0,i}$	= 0	= 1
Destroyed	$< M_{0,i}$	< 0	< 1

 $M_{0,i}$  is defined in Eq. 2.16.



Chieffi and Limongi (2013)



Reference	$\begin{array}{c} \text{Mass range} \\ (\text{in } \text{M}_{\odot}) \end{array}$	Metallicity range (in mass fraction, Z)	s-process?	Downloadable tables?
Fenner et al. (2004)	2.5-6.5	[Fe/H] = -1.4	No	No
Herwig (2004b)	2.0-6.0	$1 \times 10^{-4}$	No	Yes
Karakas & Lattanzio (2007)	1.0-6.0	$1 \times 10^{-4}, 4, 8 \times 10^{-3}, 0.02$	No	Yes
Campbell & Lattanzio (2008)	1.0-3.0	Z = 0, [Fe/H] = $-6.5$ , $-5.45$ , $-4$ , $-3$	No	Yes
Iwamoto (2009)	1.0-8.0	$Z = 2 \times 10^{-5}$	No	No
Karakas (2010)	1.0-6.0	$1 \times 10^{-4}, 4, 8 \times 10^{-3}, 0.02$	No	Yes
Siess (2010)a	7.5-10.5	$1 \times 10^{-4}$ to 0.02	No	Yes
Cristallo et al. (2011) <sup>b</sup>	1.3-3.0	$1 \times 10^{-4}$ to 0.02	Yes	Yes
Ventura et al. (2013)	1.5 - 8.0	$3 \times 10^{-4}, 10^{-3}, 0.008$	No	No
Gil-Pons et al. (2013) <sup>c</sup>	4.0-9.0	$1 \times 10^{-5}$	No	Yes
Pignatari et al. (2013)	1.5, 3.0, 5.0	0.01, 0.02	Yes	Yes
Karakas, Marino, & Nataf (2014)	1.7, 2.36	$3, 6 \times 10^{-4}$	Yes	Yes
Ventura et al. (2014)	1.0-8.0	$4 \times 10^{-3}$	No	No
Doherty et al. (2014a)	6.5-9.0	0.004, 0.008, 0.02	No	Yes
Doherty et al. (2014b)	6.5-7.5	$0.001, 1 \times 10^{-4}$	No	Yes
Straniero et al. (2014)	4.0-6.0	$0.0003, [\alpha/Fe] = +0.5$	Yes	Yes

<sup>*a*</sup> Yields for six metallicities are provided with the range noted in the table. <sup>*b*</sup> Yields for nine metallicities are provided with the range noted in the table.

<sup>c</sup>Downloadable tables are surface abundance predictions, yields are given in their Table 4.



Potential differences and uncertainties in the models

- Mass loss prescription
- Nuclear network strategy
- Treatment of convective boundaries
- Paramterization of C13 pocket and source activation
- · Number of thermal pulses and dredge-up efficiency  $(\lambda)$
- $\cdot\,$  Strength and depth of HBB
- Extra mixing
- PIE/DSF at low Z

### Karakas and Lugaro (2016)

## The Monash Chemical Yields Project

MonXey

Doherty, Lattanzio, Angelou, Campbell, Church, Constantino, Cristallo, Gil-Pons, Hampel, Henkel, Lugaro, Karakas, Stancliffe



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A large and homogeneous set of (single star) nucleosynthetic yields for low and intermediate mass stars for all elements H-Pb

Grid will consist of over 800 detailed evolutionary and nucleosynthetic models from ~ 0.8 Msun to core collapse supernova boundary (CC-SN) Also will include various test subgrids (ie mass loss rates)

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### GW170817 + GRB 170817A

- $\cdot$  GRB (2s)
- Gravitational waves
- Transient optical/near-infrared source from r-process.



Opacities from bound-bound transitions of open f-shell, Lanthanide elements (Nd and Er) responsible for observed emission.

PS: Models suggest <Ye>  $\approx$  0.1, <S/k>  $\approx$  20 (Bovard et al. 2017)

---- M<sub>r-p</sub> = 0.01 M<sub>☉</sub>

 $-M_{r-p} = 0.05 M_{\odot}$ 

### AN R-PROCESS SITE



### ANOTHER SITE?



Magenta stars represent observations. Red- CE model star abundances assuming coalescence timescale of  $10^8$  years, Green assumes  $10^6$  years, Blue show increase in probability of NS mergers. Within this treatment of galactic chemical evolution, none of these options would permit a fit with observations of low metallicity stars in the metallicity range  $-4 \leq [Fe/H] \leq -2.5$ 

Thielemann et al. (2017)

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- Can estimate  $3\alpha$  reaction. But its never been measured in a laboratory: uncertain  $\pm 15\%$ . Theoretical determinations do not reproduce to fundamental observations.
- <sup>12</sup>C(α, γ)<sup>16</sup>O we are forced to extrapolate into relevant regime but this is complicated by the existence of two subthreshold levels.
   Important as this will determine the nature of the remnant neutron star.
- The various measurements of  $^{16}O + ^{16}O$  are in poor agreement at the lower energies. Incomplete knowledge of the branching ratios for the different exit channels. Primary O reactions least a factor of  $\approx$  3 uncertain. Secondary reactions probably uncertain to within 25%
- Nuclear properties far from stability.



deBoer et al. (2017)

### (SOME) OPEN QUESTIONS

- · Spite Plateau/ BBN (see J.M talk)
- · Role of Mergers/Type 1 XRB?
- Do we now predict an over-production of r-process nuclei? How many sites do we need?
- $\cdot$  Do NS-NS mergers occur early enough to explain the UMP stars?
- Do we need other processes (LEPP) to explain all s-process nuclei? *v*p-process sufficient to explain Sr, Y and Z?
- We have an s/r process. Is there an i-process and what role does it play?
- · Are all nuclear physics measurement techniques equal?
- · Impact of metallicity on SN1a?
- · IMF? (See P.K talk)

### APPENDIX

### **R-PROCESS**

### MAGNETO-ROTATIONALLY-DRIVEN SN (JET-SN)

A fraction of high mass stars end their life as a "magneto-rotationally driven supernova" (magnetar) forming in the center a highly magnetized neutron star (with fields of the order 10<sup>15</sup>G) and ejecting r-process matter along the poles of the rotation axis.



Green: CE model star abundances assuming Jet-SN formation of 0.1%, blue assuming 1% (Wehmeyer et al. 2015) George Angelou 3/26

### HYDROSTATIC BURNING PHASES AND REMNANTS

### Low & Intermediate Mass Stars

Evolutionary Phase CO WD co Asymptotic Giant Branch (AGB) Phase WD Gentle Central Ignition Degenerate Helium Off-centre **Core He Burning** WD ignition Brown Planets Dwarf Core H Burning Core H Burning (burn D) M/M e 0.013 0,08 0.5 0.8 2.2 lower intermediate Mass range name lowest low mass stars intermediate m mass stars

Karakas and Lattanzio (2014)

### **HYDROSTATIC BURNING PROCESSES & REMNANTS**



### Karakas and Lattanzio (2014)

Central Burning Phase	Main Products	Temperature (K)	Density (g/cc)	Duration
hydorgen burning	Не	7×10 <sup>7</sup>	10	10 <sup>7</sup> years
helium burning	С, О	2×10 <sup>8</sup>	2000	10 <sup>6</sup> years
carbon burning	Ne, Na, Mg, Al	8×10 <sup>8</sup>	10 <sup>6</sup>	1000 years
neon burning	O, Mg	1.6×10 <sup>9</sup>	10 <sup>7</sup>	3 years
oxygen burning	Si, S, Ar, Ca	1.8×10 <sup>9</sup>	10 <sup>7</sup>	0.3 years
silicon burning	Fe	2.5×10 <sup>9</sup>	10 <sup>8</sup>	5 days

"The late stages (> helium burning) of evolution in massive stars are characterized by huge luminosities, carried away predominantly by neutrinos, and consequently by short time scales. The nuclear physics can become quite complicated."

- Woosley, Heger, and Weaver (2002) Rev. Mod. Phys., 74, 1016.

### NUCLEOSYNTHETIC PROCESSES

### With thanks to Christian Iliadis and his book Nuclear Physics of Stars (Wiley 2007)

#### **PP CHAINS**







 $T_{1/2}$ : <sup>13</sup>N (9.965 min); <sup>15</sup>O (122.24 s); <sup>17</sup>F (64.49 s); <sup>18</sup>F (109.77 min)

CNO1	CNO2	CNO3	CNO4
${}^{12}C(p,\gamma){}^{13}N$ ${}^{13}N(\beta^+\nu){}^{13}C$	<sup>14</sup> N(p,γ) <sup>15</sup> O <sup>15</sup> O(β <sup>+</sup> ν) <sup>15</sup> N	<sup>15</sup> N(p,γ) <sup>16</sup> O <sup>16</sup> O(p,γ) <sup>17</sup> F	<sup>16</sup> O(p,γ) <sup>17</sup> F <sup>17</sup> F(β <sup>+</sup> ν) <sup>17</sup> O
<sup>13</sup> C(p,γ) <sup>14</sup> N	<sup>15</sup> N(p,γ) <sup>16</sup> O	<sup>17</sup> F(β <sup>+</sup> ν) <sup>17</sup> O	<sup>17</sup> O(p,γ) <sup>18</sup> F
<sup>14</sup> N(p,γ) <sup>15</sup> O	<sup>16</sup> O(p,γ) <sup>17</sup> F	<sup>17</sup> O(p,γ) <sup>18</sup> F	<sup>18</sup> F(β <sup>+</sup> ν) <sup>18</sup> O
<sup>15</sup> O(β <sup>+</sup> ν) <sup>15</sup> N	<sup>17</sup> F(β <sup>+</sup> ν) <sup>17</sup> O	<sup>18</sup> F(β <sup>+</sup> ν) <sup>18</sup> O	<sup>18</sup> O(p,γ) <sup>19</sup> F
<sup>15</sup> N(p,α) <sup>12</sup> C	<sup>17</sup> O(p,α) <sup>14</sup> N	<sup>18</sup> O(p,α) <sup>15</sup> N	<sup>19</sup> F(p,α) <sup>16</sup> O



19F

18F

17F

14C





<sup>19</sup>F

<sup>18</sup>O

CNO2

CNO1

12C 13C

### HELIUM BURNING



It was pointed out (Hoyle 1954) that the overall conversion of three  $\alpha$ -particles to one <sup>12</sup>C nucleus during helium burning would be too slow unless the second step proceeds via an s-wave resonance (J $\pi$  = 0 + ) corresponding to a compound level near the  $\alpha$ -particle threshold in <sup>12</sup>C (S $\alpha$  = 7367 keV).

### **EXPLOSIVE H-BURNING**



Hot CNO T=100-400 MK.  $\beta$ + start competing with proton capture. H exhausted after a few thousand seconds.



HCNO Break Out T > 500MK.  $\alpha$ -particle captures on O isotopes remove HCNO catalysts.

EXPLOSIVE H-BURN A > 20



T > 250 MK. This energy is generated by building up heavier nuclei from lighter seed nuclei via proton-captures and  $\beta$ + -decays (typical Nova conditions). Once we reach GK (Type 1 XRB) can build up to Ni through rp and  $\alpha$ p-processes

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Hydrostatic Burning T = 0.61.0 GK Explosive Burning T = 1.8 - 2.5 GK

• Primary reactions:  ${}^{12}C({}^{12}C,p){}^{23}Na$  (Q=2.2 MeV)  ${}^{12}C({}^{12}C,\alpha){}^{20}Ne$  (Q=4.6 MeV)  ${}^{12}C({}^{12}C,n){}^{23}Mg$  (Q=-2.6 MeV

+ several secondary reactions



Time integrated abundance flows for conditions typical of core-carbon burning in a 25  $M_{\odot}$  star.

### **NEON BURNING**

- Hydrostatic Burning T = 1.2 1.8 GK
- Explosive Burning T = 2.5 3.0 GK
- Might expect <sup>16</sup>O + <sup>16</sup>O is the next process to proceed
- Now at temperatures where photodisintegrations play a significant role.
- Primary reaction:  $^{20}Ne(\gamma,\alpha)^{16}O$  (Q=-4730 keV)
- Secondary reactions  ${}^{20}\text{Ne}(\alpha,\gamma){}^{24}\text{Mg}(\alpha,\gamma){}^{28}\text{Si}$ + more



### **OXYGEN BURNING**

- $\cdot~$  Hydrostatic Burning T= 1.5 2.7 GK
- Explosive Burning T= 3.6 GK
- Primary reactions  ${}^{16}O({}^{16}O, p){}^{31}P$   ${}^{16}O({}^{16}O, 2p){}^{30}Si$   ${}^{16}O({}^{16}O, \alpha){}^{28}Si$   ${}^{16}O({}^{16}O, 2\alpha){}^{24}Mg$   ${}^{16}O({}^{16}O, d){}^{30}P$  ${}^{16}O({}^{16}O, n){}^{31}S$
- · Plus many secondary
- The reaction rate contributions for the emission of protons ≈ 62%, α-particles ≈21%, and neutrons ≈ 17%.

- Photodisintegration rearrangement & QSE
- A = 24–46 form one large quasi-equilibrium cluster. A second cluster at Fe peak.



- Hydrostatic burning T = 2.8 4.1 GK
- $\cdot$  Explosive burning T= 4 5 GK
- Coloumb barrier for <sup>28</sup>S+<sup>28</sup>Si too high
- Many lighter particles liberated through photodisintegration and they combine to form heavier (Fe-peak) nuclei
- Photodisintegration rearrangement on larger scale.



#### $\nu\text{-}$ and $\nu\text{p-process}$

1
$(Z, A) + v \rightarrow (Z, A)^* + v' \rightarrow (Z, A - 1) + n + v',$
$\rightarrow (Z-1, A-1) + p + v'$
$\rightarrow$ $(Z-2, A-4) + \alpha + \nu'$

 $\nu p$  -process

 $\nu$ -process

$$\begin{split} \nu_{e} + n &\rightarrow p + e^{-} \\ \bar{\nu_{e}} + p &\rightarrow n + e^{+} \\ \nu_{e} + {}^{4} &\text{He} \rightarrow {}^{3} &\text{He} + p + e^{-} \\ \bar{\nu_{e}} + {}^{4} &\text{He} \rightarrow {}^{3} &\text{H} + n + e^{+} \end{split}$$

sequence of  $(p,\gamma)$  and (n,p) or  $\beta^+$  reactions producing neutron-deficient nuclei with A > 64.

TABLE 25

SUMMARY TABLE: SPECIES DUE TO NEUTRINO NUCLEOSYNTHESIS<sup>a</sup>

Species	н	He	С	Ne	0	NSE
<sup>7</sup> Li	В	A	С			Α
<sup>10</sup> B		С	в			
<sup>11</sup> B		В	Α			Α
<sup>15</sup> N			С	С	С	
<sup>19</sup> F				Α		
<sup>22</sup> Na				Е		
<sup>26</sup> Al				E		
<sup>27</sup> Al					С	
<sup>31</sup> P					E	
<sup>35</sup> Cl				Е	E	
<sup>39</sup> K					Е	
<sup>40</sup> K				E	в	
<sup>41</sup> K					Е	
<sup>43</sup> Ca				С	С	
45Sc					С	В
<sup>47</sup> Ti				С	С	С
<sup>49</sup> Ti						в
<sup>50</sup> V				E	в	в
<sup>51</sup> V				С	Е	E
<sup>55</sup> Mn						E
<sup>59</sup> Co			·			E
<sup>63</sup> Cu						в
<sup>138</sup> La				Α		
<sup>180</sup> Ta				Α		

\* A = species produced in full abundance; B = important production; C = minor production; E = enhanced significant production.

### TYPE 1A SUPERNOVA

W7 - Nomoto et al. (1984) 1D deflagration. Compared here to 2D models with (a) deflagration, (b) Centre-delayed and (c) Off-Centre delayed detonation.



Figure 14. Ratios of integrated element yields to the W7 model yields.

- **Prompt Detonation** Pure detonation propagating from the centre (cannot reproduce distribution of intermediate-mass elements from spectra)
- **Deflagration** Subsonic flame allows layers to expand (cannot reproduce Fe peak, energies for majority + other issues)
- **Delayed Detonation** Deflag front propagates and pre-expands layers before switching to detonation (matches spectroscopic elemental abundances and velocities)

See also Travalio et al (2011) for p-process, Seitenzahl et al. (2013) for 3D yields Maeda et al. (2010)

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### **XRB AND TZOS**

### Type 1XRB

- $\cdot \ \ 3\alpha$  process creates  $^{\rm 12}{\rm C}$
- Accreted material from LM companion allows for rp process (Series of (p, $\gamma$ ) reactions and  $\beta^+$  decays .
- · Also sequence of  $(\alpha, p)$  and  $(p,\gamma)$  reactions.
- Reach nuclei far from stability, close to proton drip line.
- Waiting points, i.e.  $(\alpha, p)$  reactions cannot progress and must wait for  $\beta^+$  decay), can affect the nucleosynthetic path and energy output.

### Massive Thorn-Zytkow Objects

- Neutron star core surrounded by a large and diffuse envelope (M > 12)
- Convective envelope with turn over of 0.01s
- Material may repeatedly random walk to the base of the convective envelope, spells or rp-conditions separated by intervals long enough for beta decay back towards stability hence interupted rp-process
- Back of envelope suggest that If they exist they could account for all the p-nuclei however do not give solar system abundance pattern

### SIC GRAIN TAXONOMY

Designation	Mainstream	X	Y	Z	A+B <sup>a</sup>	Nova
Crystal type	3C, 2H <sup>b</sup>	3C, 2H <sup>b</sup>	3C, 2H <sup>b</sup>	3C, 2H <sup>b</sup>	3C, 2H <sup>b</sup>	3C, 2H?
						b
Heavy trace	$\sim 10$ -20× <sup>c</sup>	highly	$\sim$ 10× $^{ m c}$	NA	solar or	NA
elements °		depleted			10-20× °	
$^{12}C/^{13}C$	10 - 100	20 - 7000	140 - 260	8 - 180	< 3.5 (A)	< 10
14	4				3.5 - 10(B)	
<sup>14</sup> N/ <sup>15</sup> N	$50 - 2 \times 10^{4}$	10 - 180	400 -	1100 -	$40 - 1.2 \times 10^{4}$	< 20
29286		28	5000	1.9×10*		
<sup>2</sup> Si/ <sup>2</sup> Si <sup>c</sup>	0.95-1.20×	<sup>20</sup> Si-rich	0.95-	≈solar	1.20×	≈solar
20 28 -		29	1.15×	20		20
<sup>30</sup> Si/ <sup>28</sup> Si	$0.95 - 1.14 \times$	<sup>28</sup> Si-rich	<sup>30</sup> Si-rich	<sup>30</sup> Si-rich	1.13×	<sup>30</sup> Si-rich
<sup>20</sup> Al/ <sup>27</sup> Al	10 <sup>-3</sup> to 10 <sup>-4</sup>	0.02 to 0.6	similar to	similar to	<0.06	up to 0.4
			MS	MS		17
Other	excess in	<sup>44</sup> Ca	excess in	excess in	excess in	4/Ti-rich
isotopic	<sup>40</sup> Ti, <sup>49</sup> Ti,	excess	<sup>4</sup> °Ti, <sup>49</sup> Ti,	<sup>40</sup> Ti, <sup>47</sup> Ti,	<sup>40</sup> Ti, <sup>49</sup> Ti,	
markers <sup>c</sup>	<sup>50</sup> Ti	<sup>41</sup> K excess	<sup>50</sup> Ti	<sup>49</sup> Ti	<sup>50</sup> Ti	
22	over <sup>48</sup> Ti		over <sup>48</sup> Ti	over <sup>48</sup> Ti	over <sup>48</sup> Ti	
<sup>22</sup> Ne <sup>a</sup>	yes	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Abundance	87-94%	1%	1 - 2%	0 - 3%	2-5%	<< 1%

Table 5. Some characteristics of presolar silicon carbide populations

Sources: Amari et al. 2001a,b, Hoppe and Ott 1997, Hoppe and Zinner 2000, Nittler and Hoppe 2004a,b,Ott 2003, Zinner 1998

<sup>a</sup> Group A and B grains were initially separated but later found to form a continuum in composition.

<sup>b</sup> cubic 3C, hexagonal 2H; Daulton et al. (2002, 2003).

<sup>c</sup> Abundance compared to solar composition.

 $d^{22}$ Ne = Ne-E(H) = Ne(G); and NA: not analyzed.

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- $\cdot\,$  Main s-process ( 90 < A < 208) in LIM during TP-AGB with the main neutron source being  $^{13}{\rm C}(\alpha,n)^{16}{\rm O}$  reaction
- Weak s-components (A leq 90) in massive stars during core Heand shell C-burning phases with the main source  $^{22}$ Ne( $\alpha$ ,n) $^{25}$ Mg reaction.
- Strong s-component, introduced by Clayton Rassbach (1967) in order to reproduce more than 50% of solar <sup>208</sup>Pb,. Active in low-Z low-mass AGB stars ( ≤1.5M<sub>☉</sub> Gallino et al. 1998, see also Kappeler et al. 2011 for a recent review)
- Extant chemical evolution models underestimate the Galactic production of Sr, Y and Zr as well as the Solar System abundances of s-only isotopes with 90 < A < 130. To solve this problem, an additional (unknown) process has been invoked, the so called LEPP (Light Element Primary Process, see Travaglio et al. 2004 ) The ratio of neutron source/seed nuclei is key

### **CONSTRAINTS - GCE**



- Salpeter
   1995
- Miller
   Scalo
   1979
- Ferrini et al. 1998
- Kroupa
   2002
- Chabrier
   2003

- Stellar nucleosynthesis seeks to understand the origin of the isotopes.
- We must consider binaries and single stars. Some systems require multidimensional modelling.
- There are uncertainties from the stellar modelling and nuclear physics.
- To understand the contribution to GCE, the yields need to be integrated over an IMF which is yet another source of uncertainty.
- The best way to quantify the uncertainty is to systematically compare GCE calculations with different yields and IMFs.
- $\cdot\,$  There are still many open questions.

### WHY NO R-PROCESS IN MASSIVE STARS?

- $\cdot\,$  The entropy per baryon (S)
- $\cdot$  The expansion timescale (au)
- $\cdot$  The electron fraction (Y<sub>e</sub> or  $\eta$ )



Entropy For radiation dominated environments :  ${\rm S} \propto {\rm T}^3/\rho$ 

- $\cdot \uparrow T$ ,  $\uparrow S$ .
- $\cdot$  Photodisintegration destroy seed nuclei  ${\rightarrow}{\uparrow}Y_n/Y_{seed}$

The expansion timescale  $\uparrow \tau$ , the less time remains to form seed nuclei.

$$Y_{e,eq} \simeq \frac{\lambda_{\nu_e}}{\lambda_{\nu_e} + \lambda_{\bar{\nu}_e}}$$

 $Y_e < 0.5 \rightarrow$  neutron rich

For successful r-process we want high entropy, short expansion timescales, and low electron fractions.

 $\cdot$  Entropy too low,  $\lambda_{ar{
u_{
m e}}}$  too low