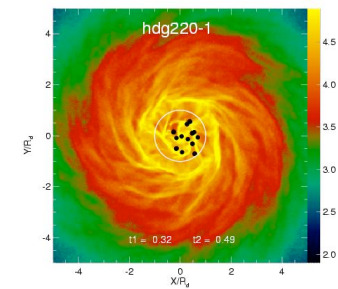
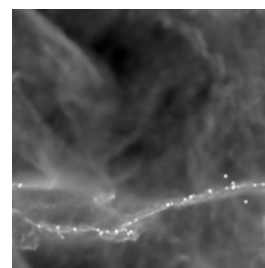
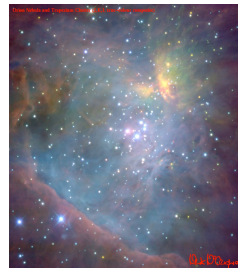
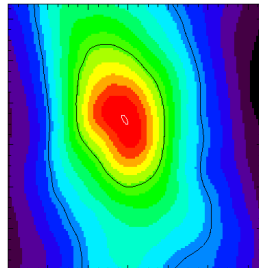
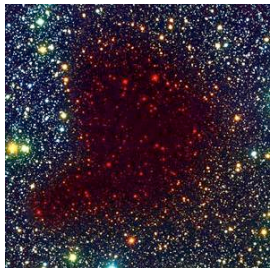


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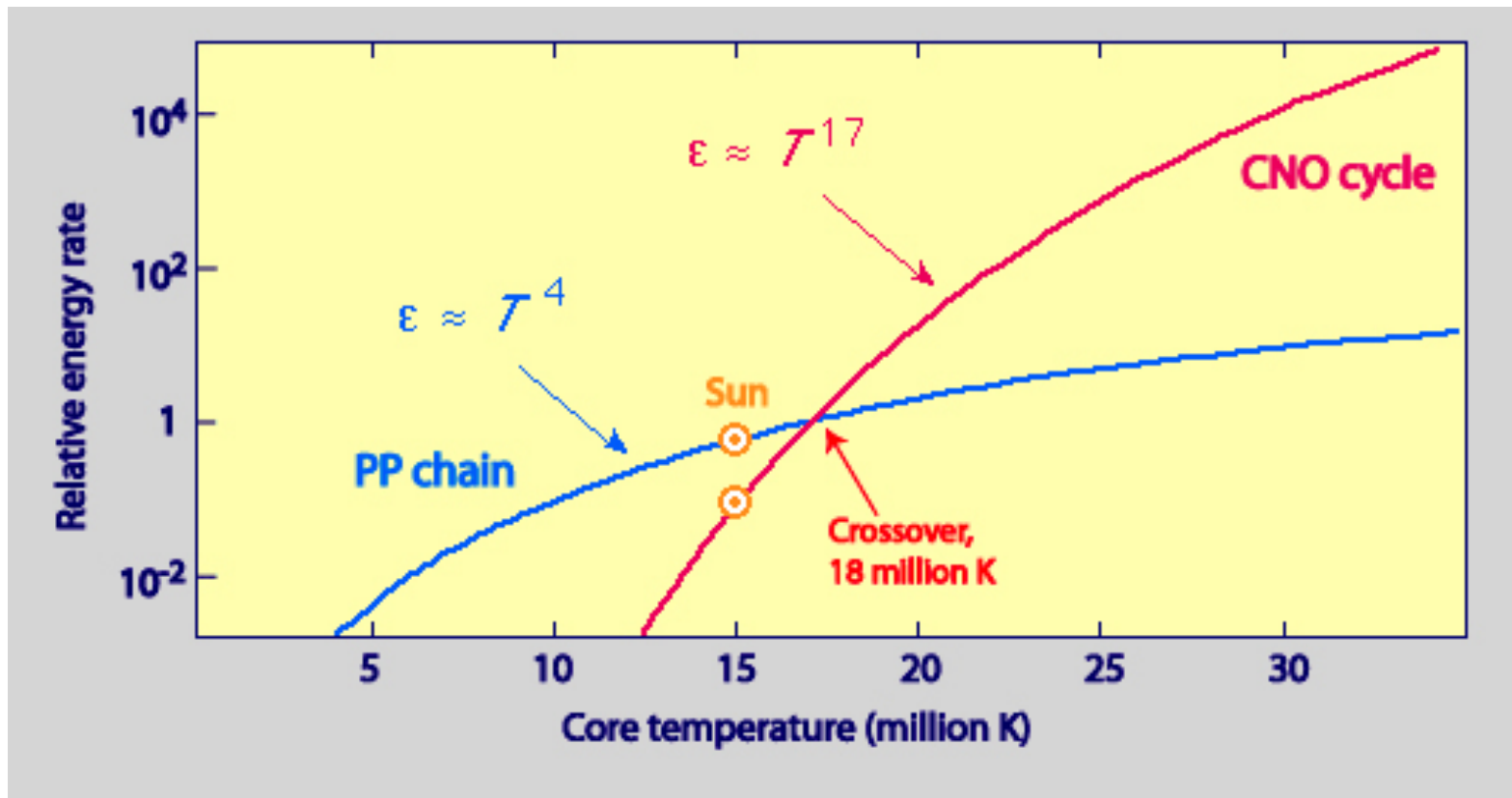
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Nachhauptreihenentwicklung

- ***Energieerzeugungsprozesse***
 - pp-Kette
 - CNO-Zyklus
 - höhere Brennprozesse
- **Stellare Nukleosynthese**
- **Nachhauptreihenentwicklung**
- **Endphasen der Sternentwicklung**
 - Weiße Zwerge
 - Neutronensterne
 - Supernovae
 - Schwarze Löcher



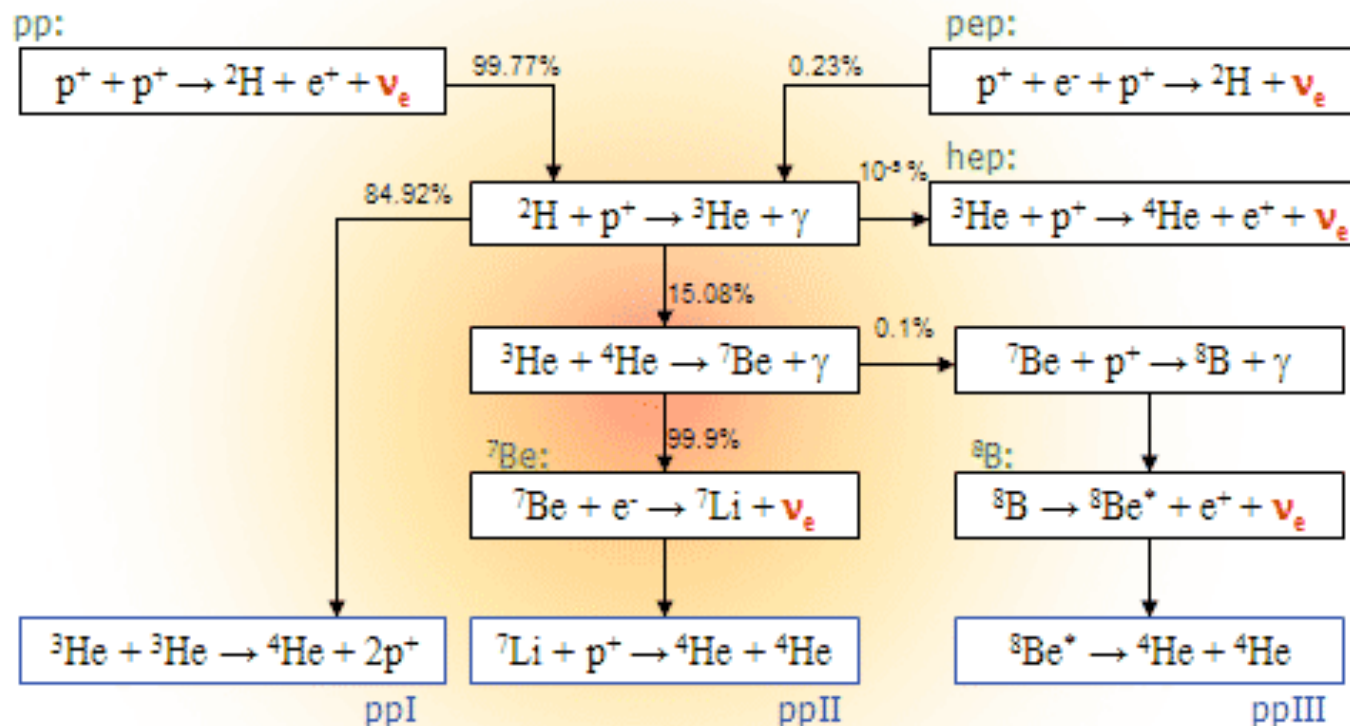
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Vergleich pp-Kette und CNO-Zyklus

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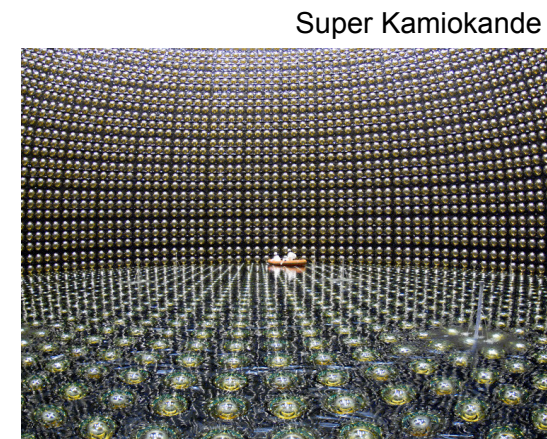
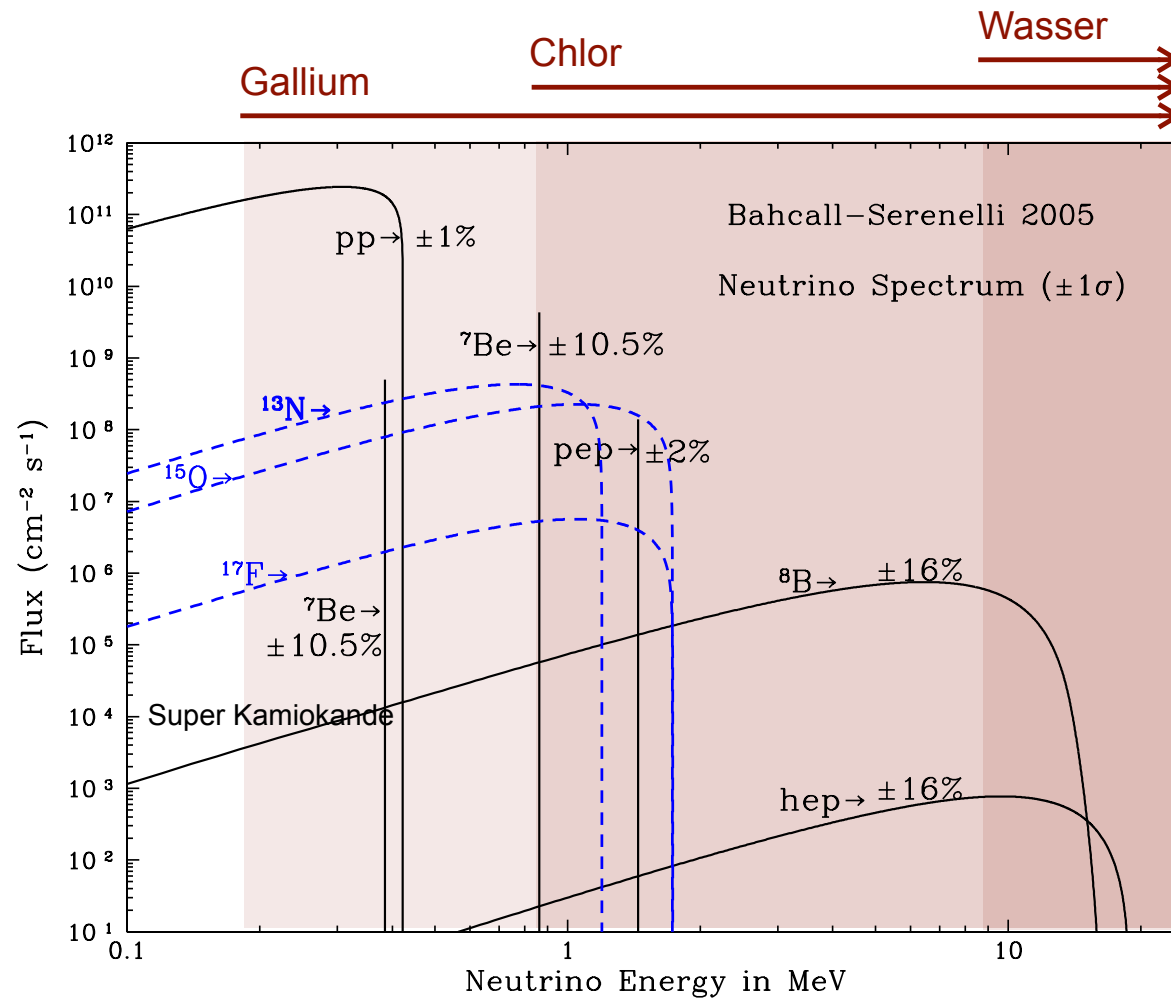


Bildnachweis: LAGUNA Consortium - Large Apparatus studying Grand Unification and Neutrino Astrophysics

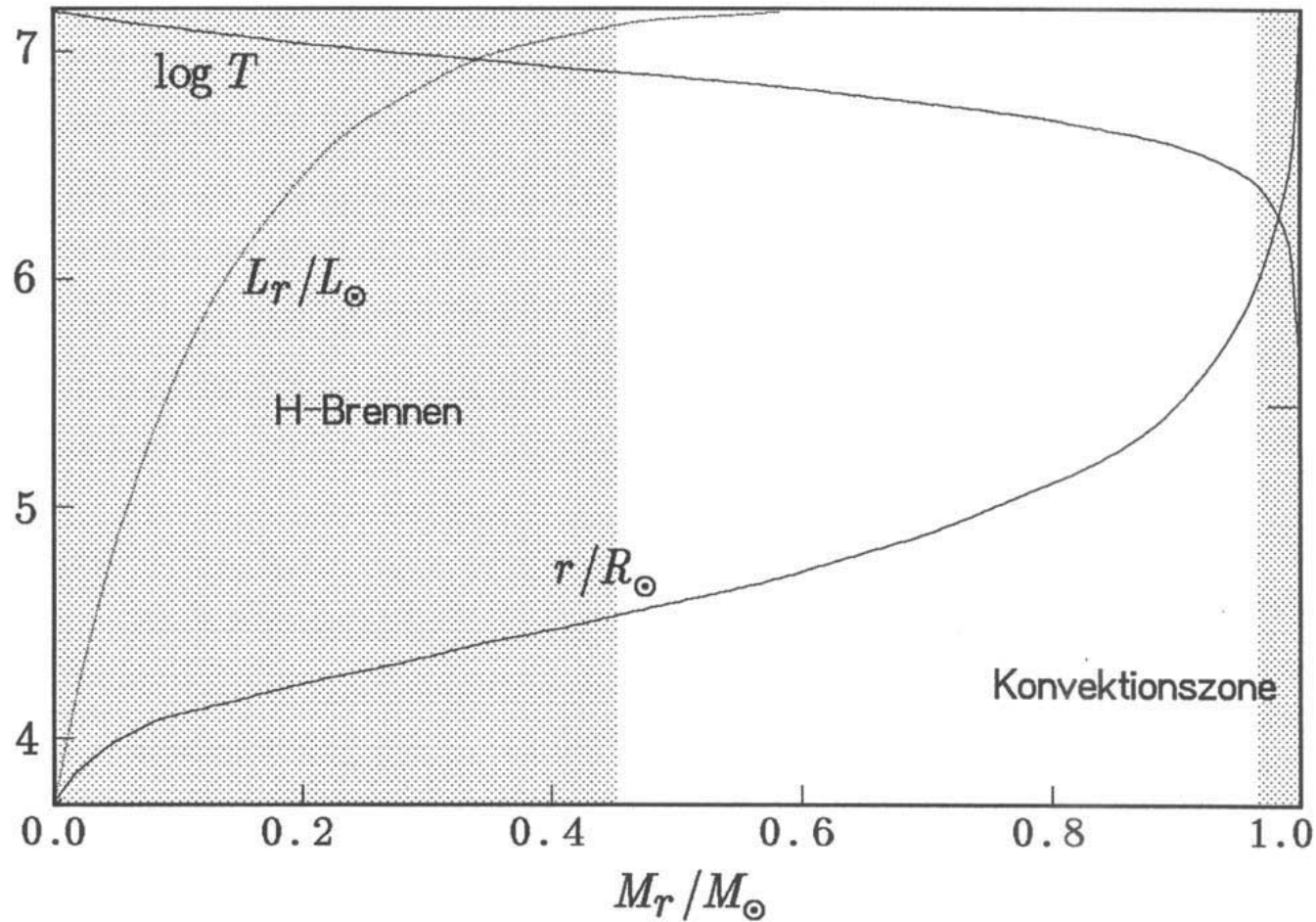
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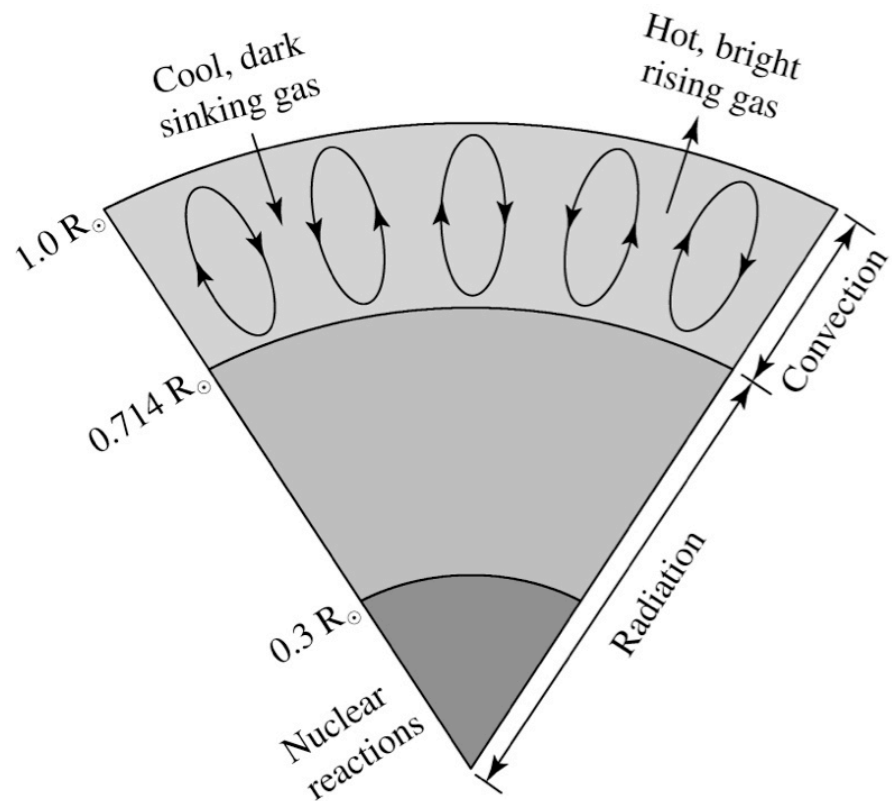
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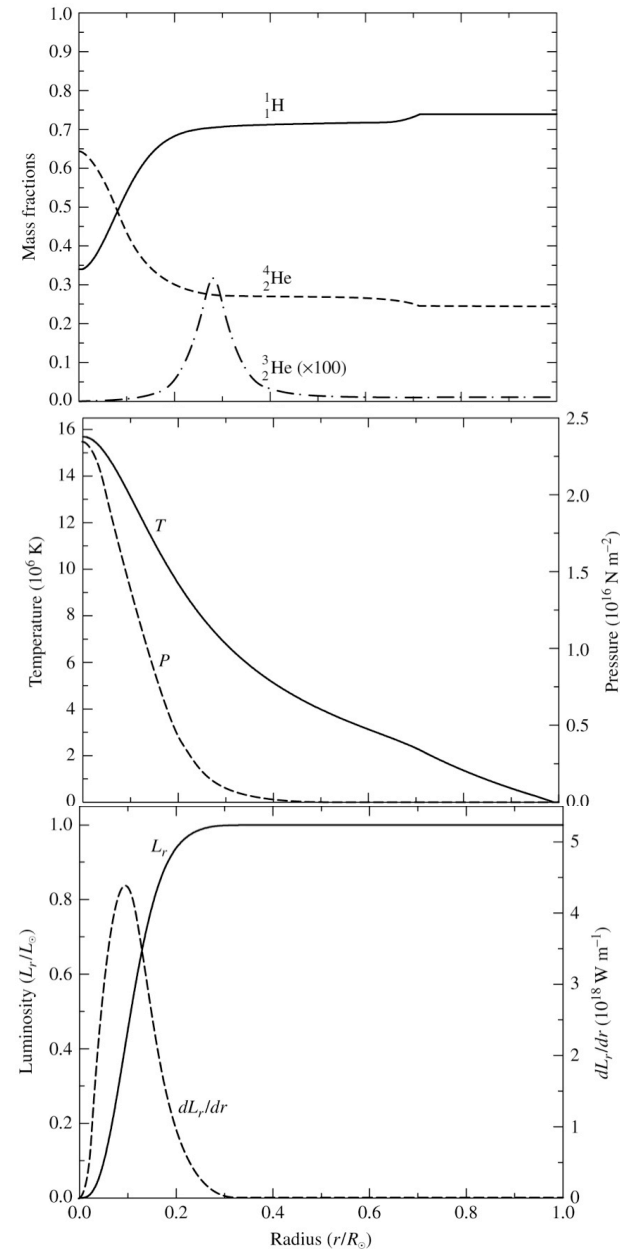
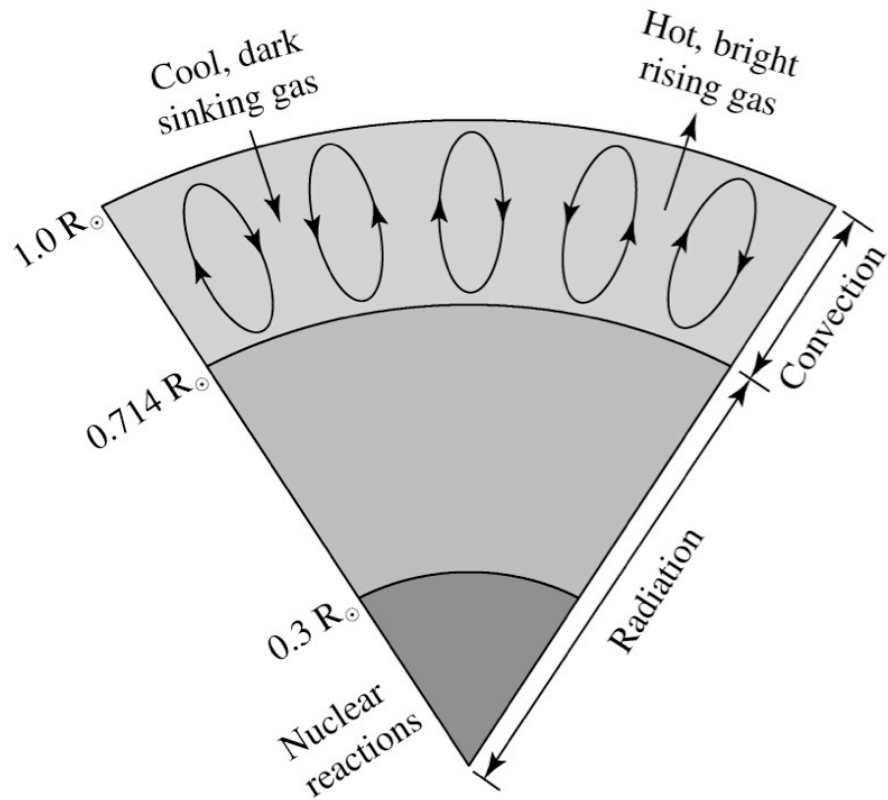
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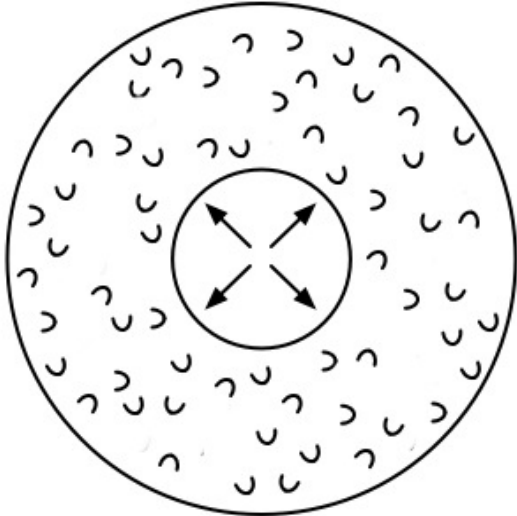
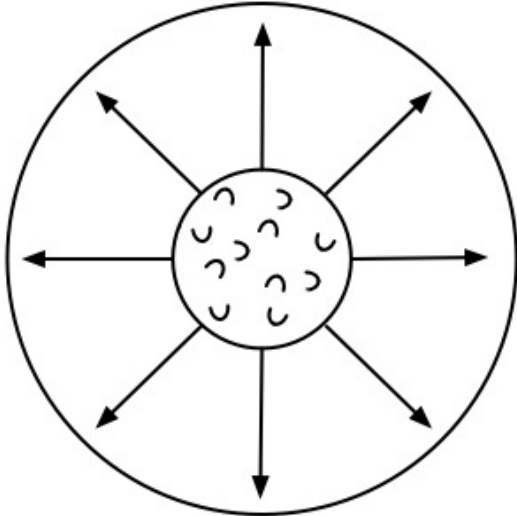


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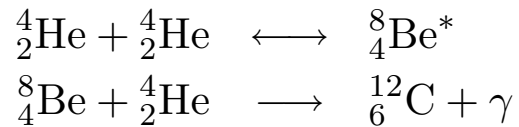
Carroll & Ostlie, Abbildung 11.2 - 11.5

Vergleich massearmer Stern / massereicher Stern

| | |
|---|---|
| <p>lower main sequence</p> <p>$M < 1.5 M_{\odot}$ (F) (M to F0)</p> <p>pp-chain</p> <p>$\epsilon_{pp} \propto T^4$</p> <p>low T-dependency; less concentrated energy source \rightarrow small T-gradients</p> <p>Radiative Core</p> <p style="text-align: center;">$T_c > 20 \cdot 10^6 > T_c$</p> <p>surface H neutral ; then ionization and rapid increase of opacity \rightarrow steep T gradient.</p> <p>convective envelope</p>  <p>the smaller M, the further convective zone reaches into star.</p> | <p>upper main sequence</p> <p>$M > 1.5 M_{\odot}$ (F0 to O)</p> <p>CNO-cycle</p> <p>$\epsilon_{CNO} \propto T^{20}$</p> <p>in center larger flux and steep temperature gradient</p> <p>Convective Core</p> <p>surface hot and ionized modest temperature gradient.</p> <p>radiative envelope</p>  <p>the larger m, the larger the convective core</p> |
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Triple α -Process of Helium Burning

once the central density and temperature gets high enough, He burning can set in:

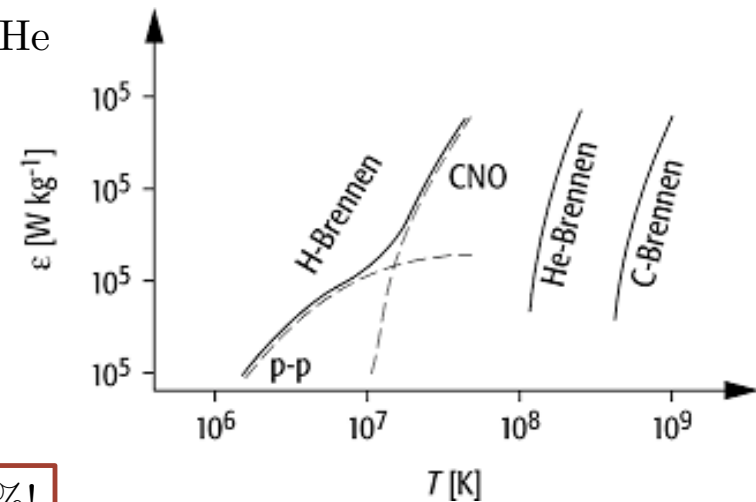


$$\Delta E_{\text{eff}} = 7.3 \text{ MeV}$$

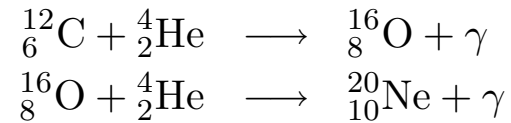
* unstable, decays back to $2 {}^4_2\text{He}$ if not hit by other ${}^4_2\text{He}$

$$\epsilon_{3\alpha} = \epsilon_{0.3\alpha} \rho^2 Y^3 T_8^{41} \quad (Y = \text{He fraction})$$

very steep T dependence: $\Delta T = 10\% \rightarrow \Delta L$ of 5000%!

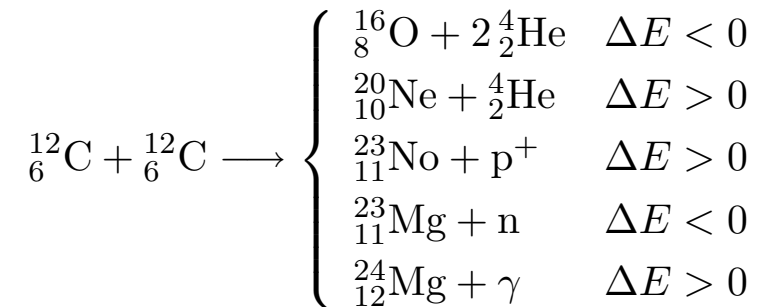


Carbon and Oxygen Burning

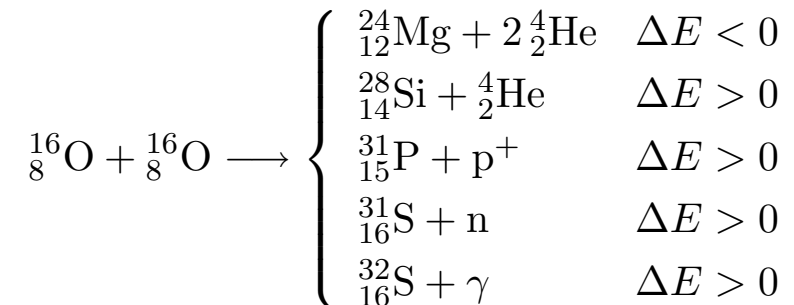


Production of α -Elements!

Near $6 \cdot 10^8 \text{K}$:



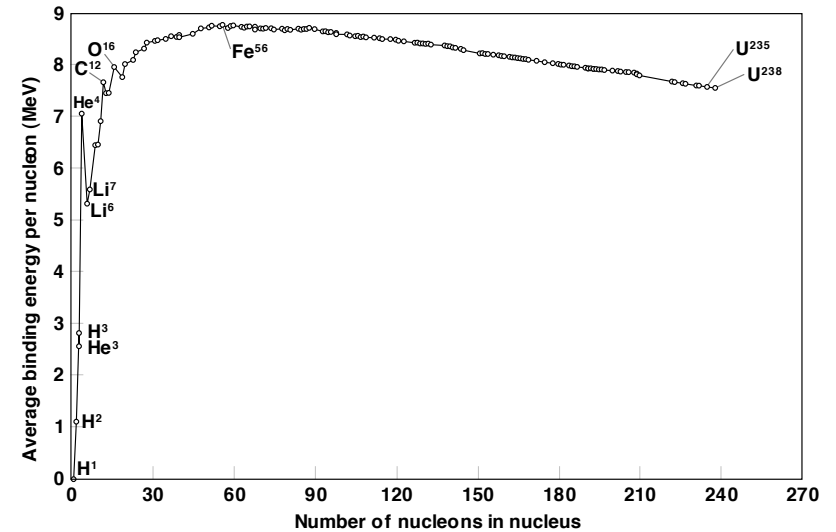
Further oxygen burning at $T > 10^9 \text{K}$



$\Delta E < 0$: energy is absorbed rather than released.

Fusion goes up to ${}^{56}\text{Fe}$!

This is the most stable element.

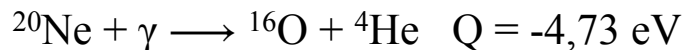


Photodisintegration:

For $T > 10^9$ K also photodisintegration can become important!

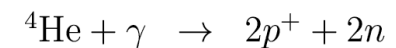
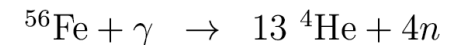
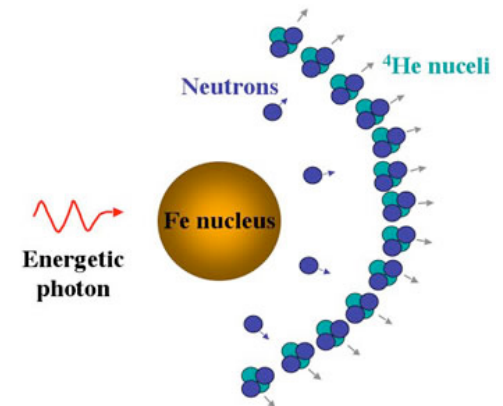
At that temperature more and more photons reach energies in the MeV range, comparable to the binding energy of the nucleus. Photon absorption can lead to α -decay, breaking up heavier nuclei.

Example: Neon



As T goes up, more and more bound nuclei can become disintegrated by photon absorption and subsequent α -decay. As iron is most strongly bound it may survive as dominant species (iron core).

At $T > 5 \times 10^9$ K even ${}^{56}\text{Fe}$ breaks up leaving behind only α -particles (${}^4\text{He}$), reversing all previous burning processes. This is relevant, for example, in the core collapse phase of supernovae.



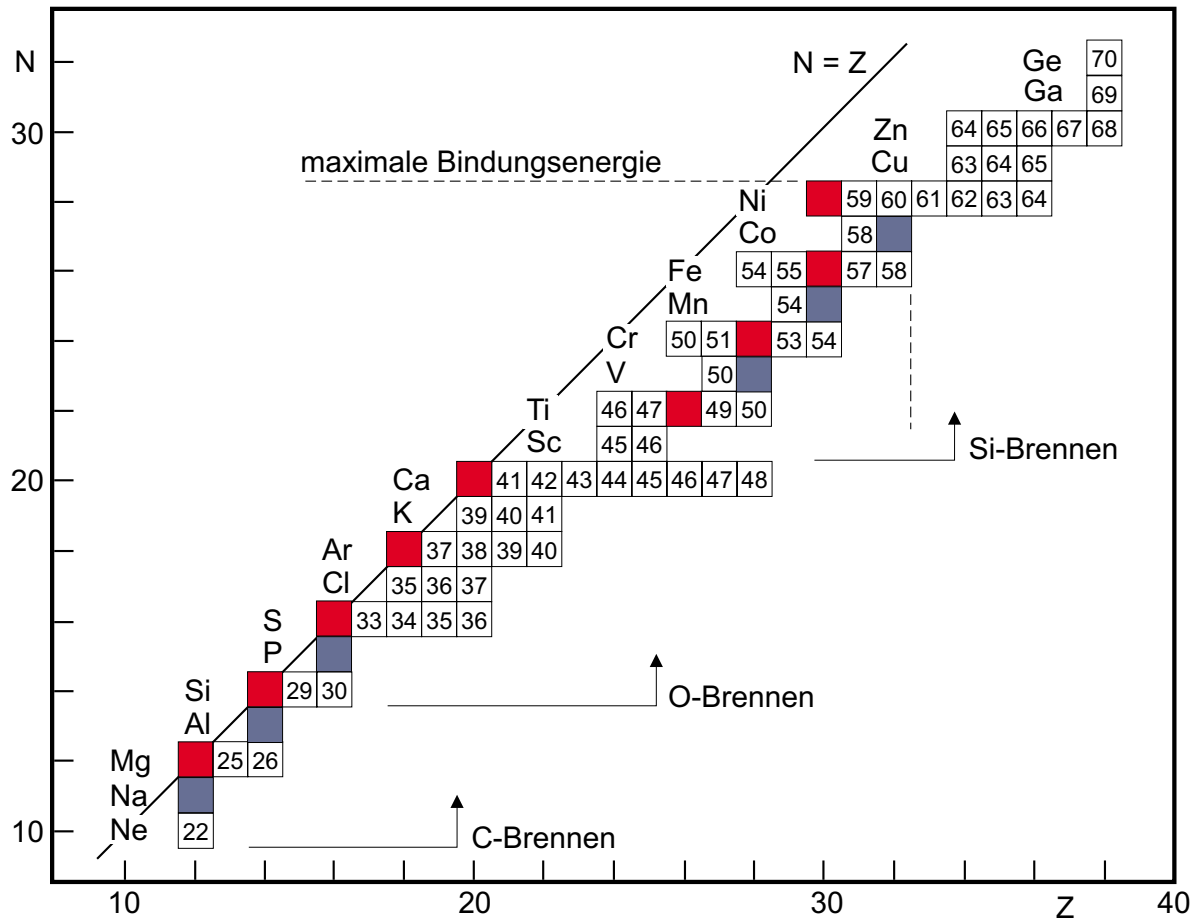
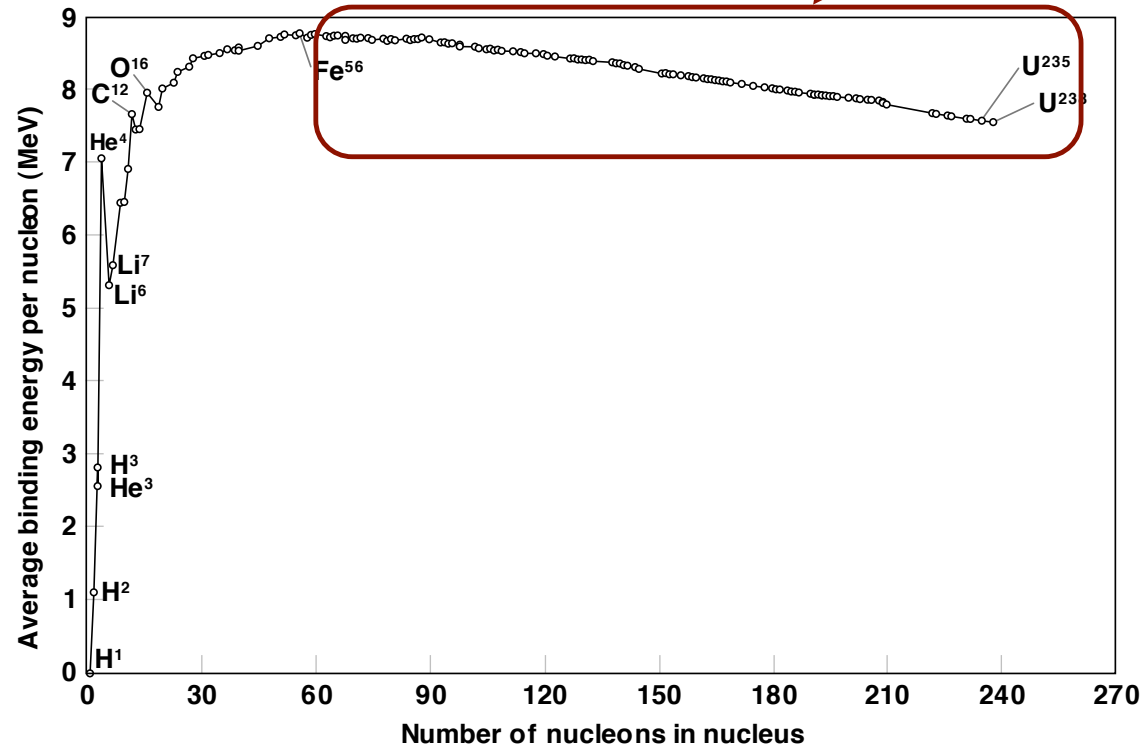
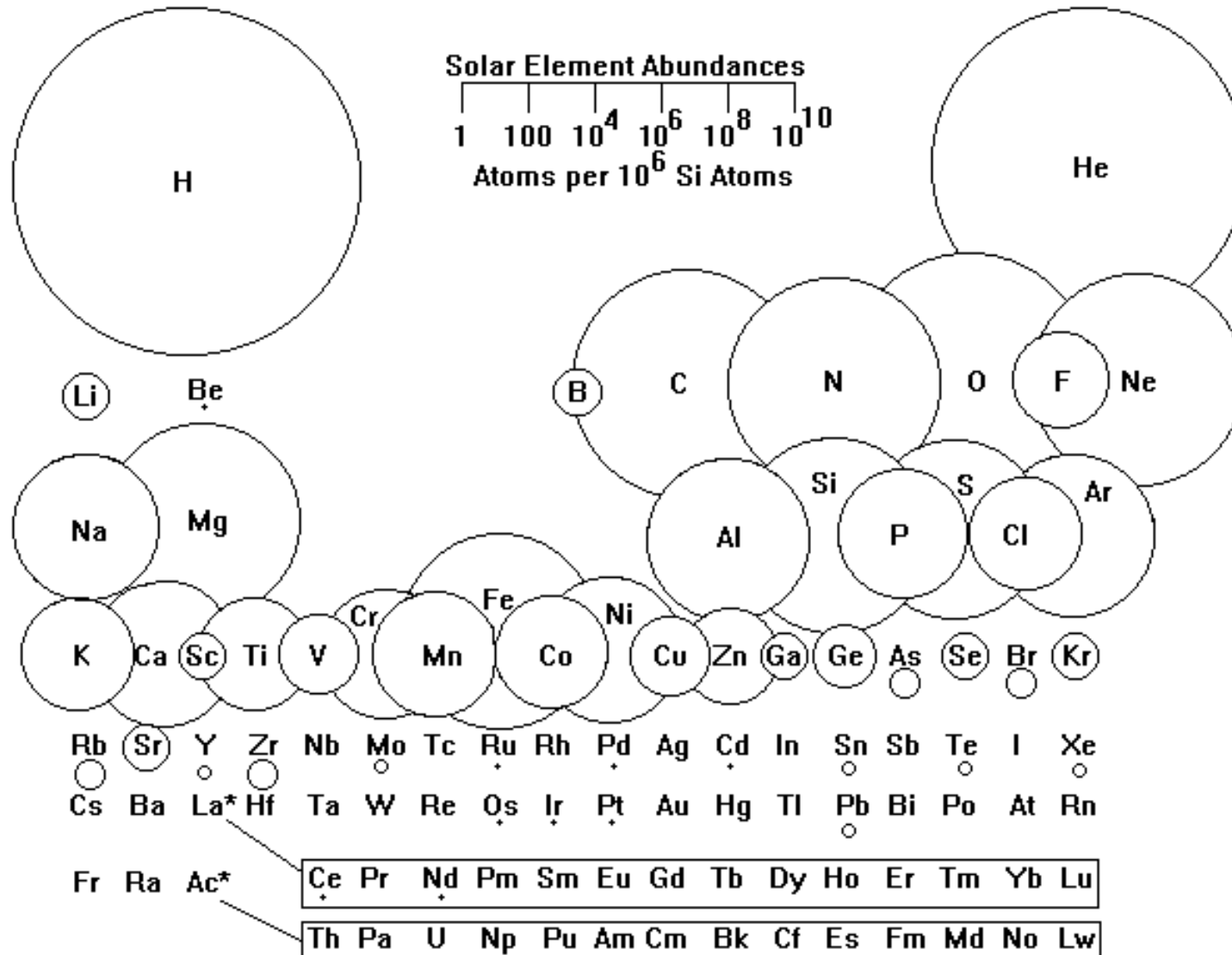


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Wie kann man diese Elemente erzeugen?

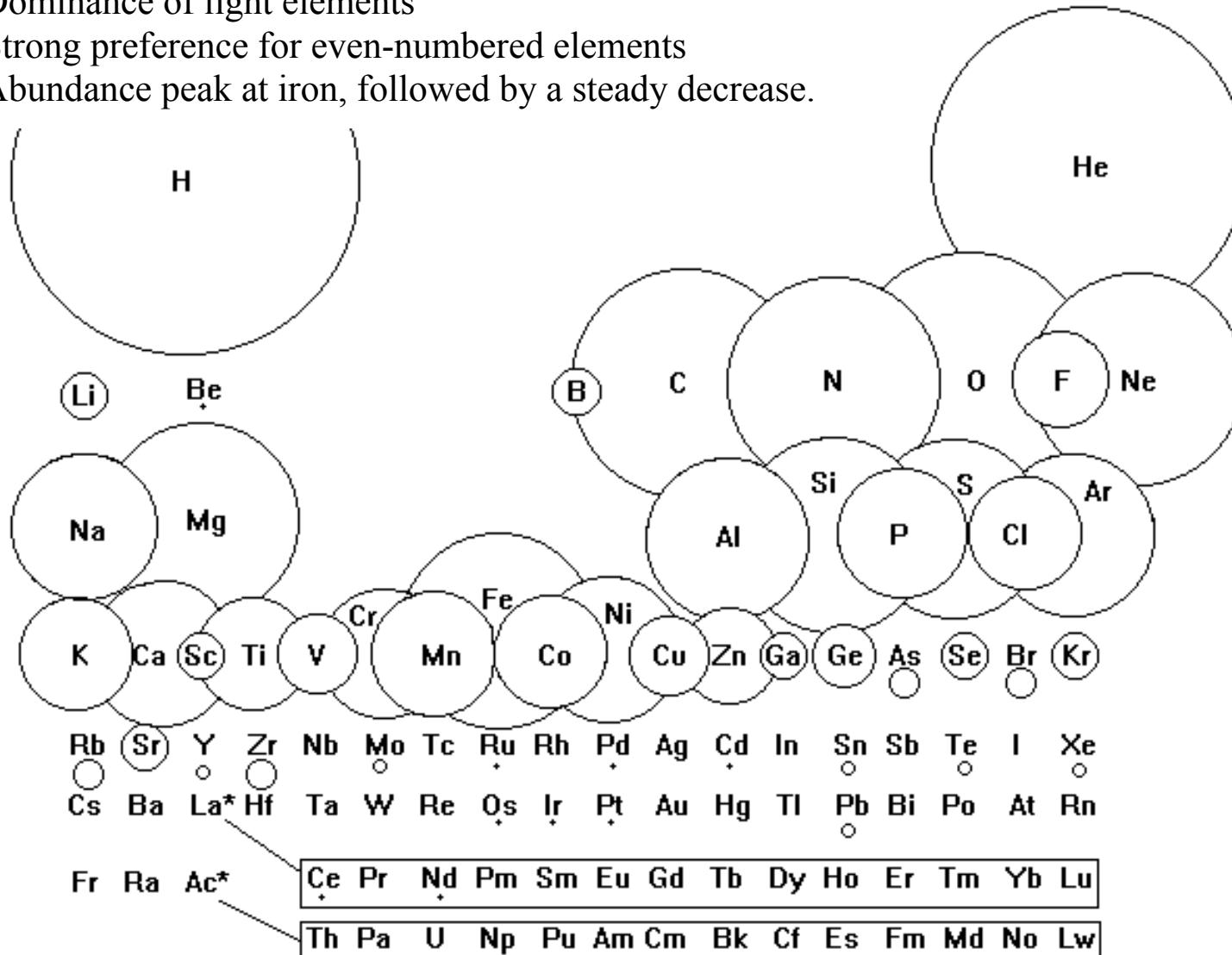


Elemental composition of the Sun. Silicon is used as a basis for comparison for convenient comparison with planetary element abundances. Note that the abundance scale is *logarithmic*.



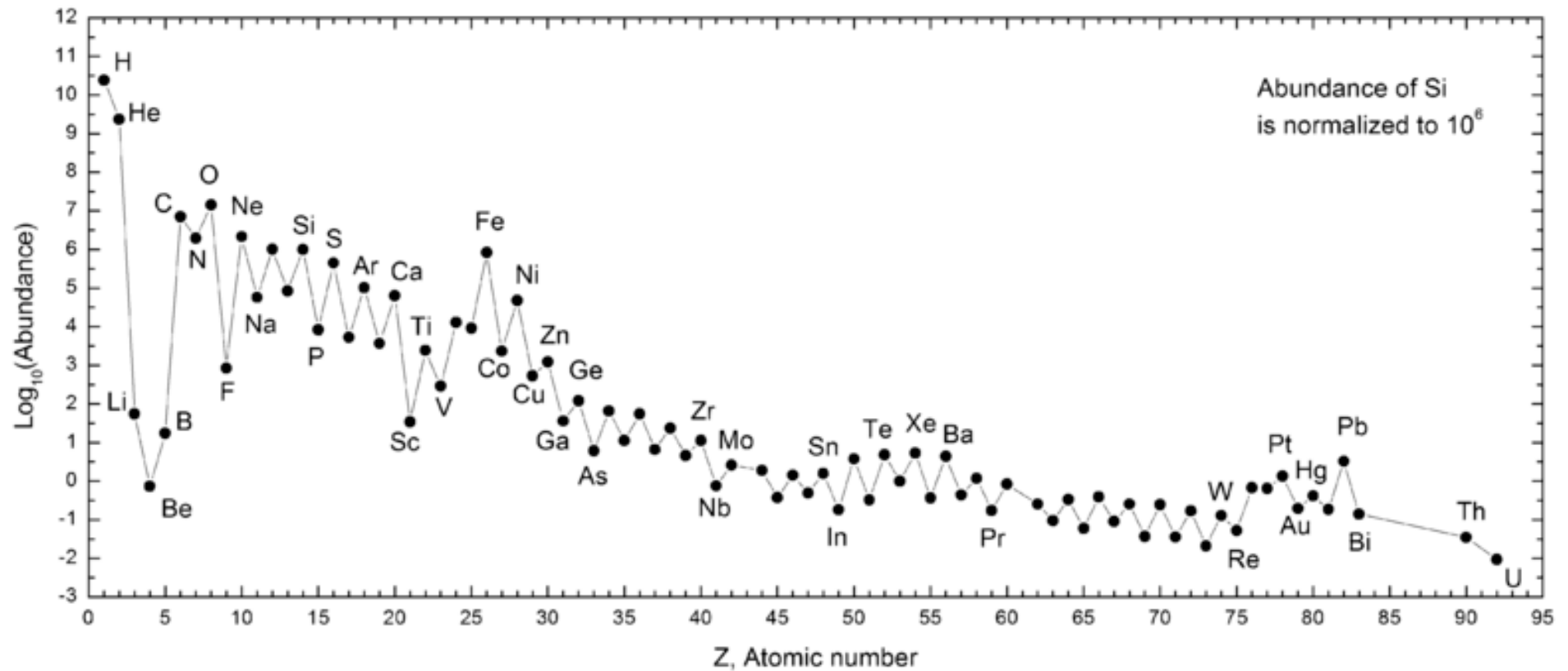
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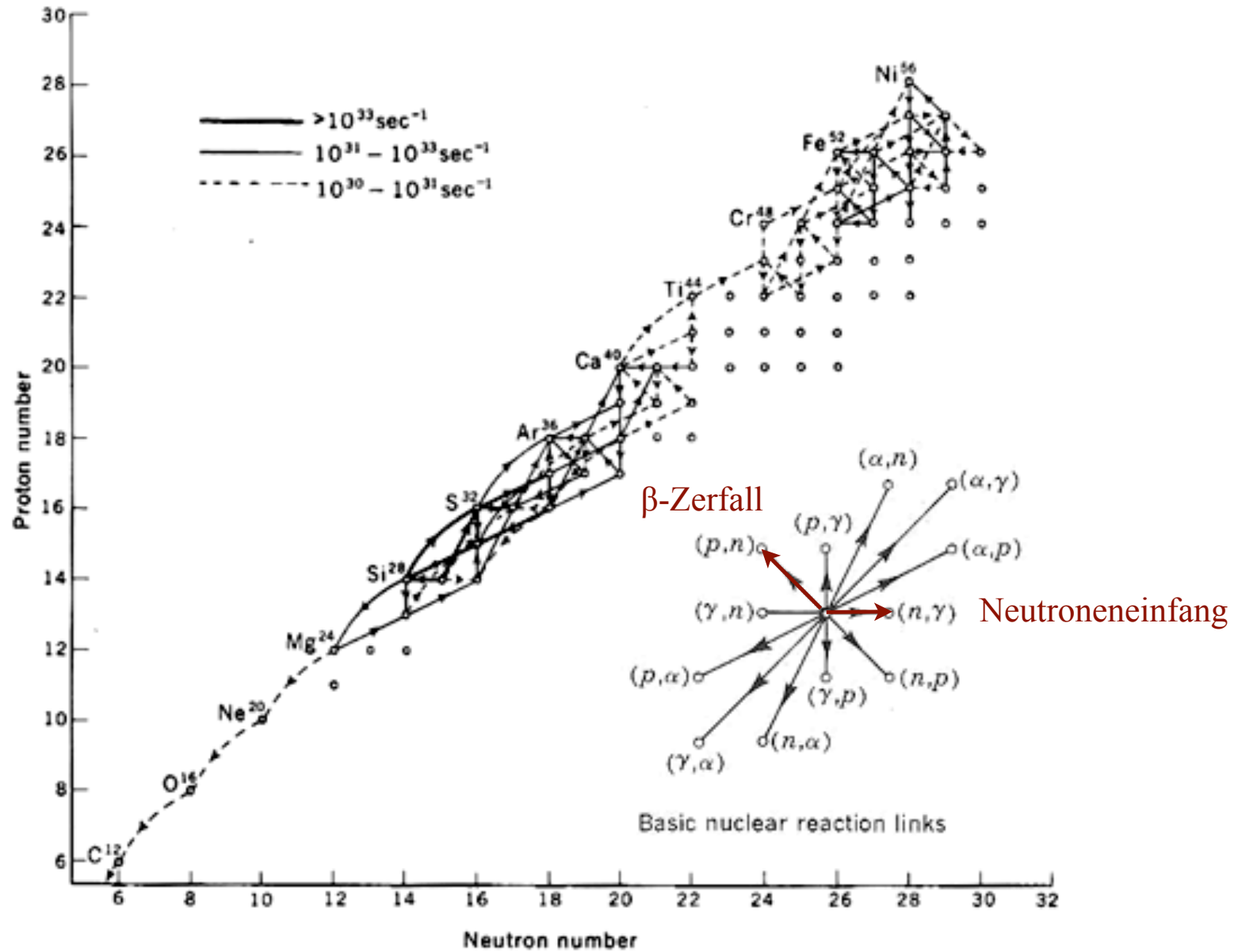
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- Abundance peak at iron, followed by a steady decrease.

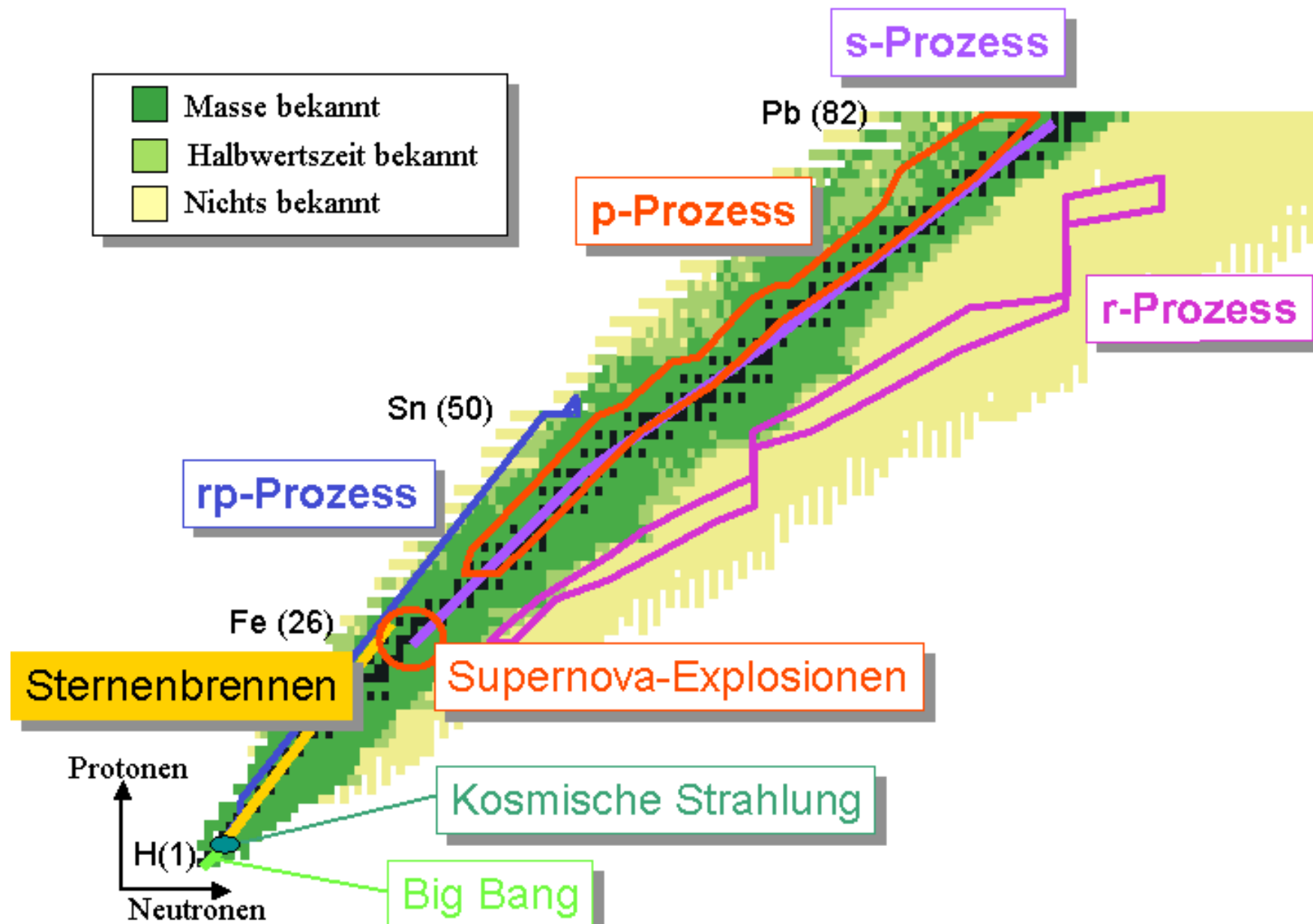


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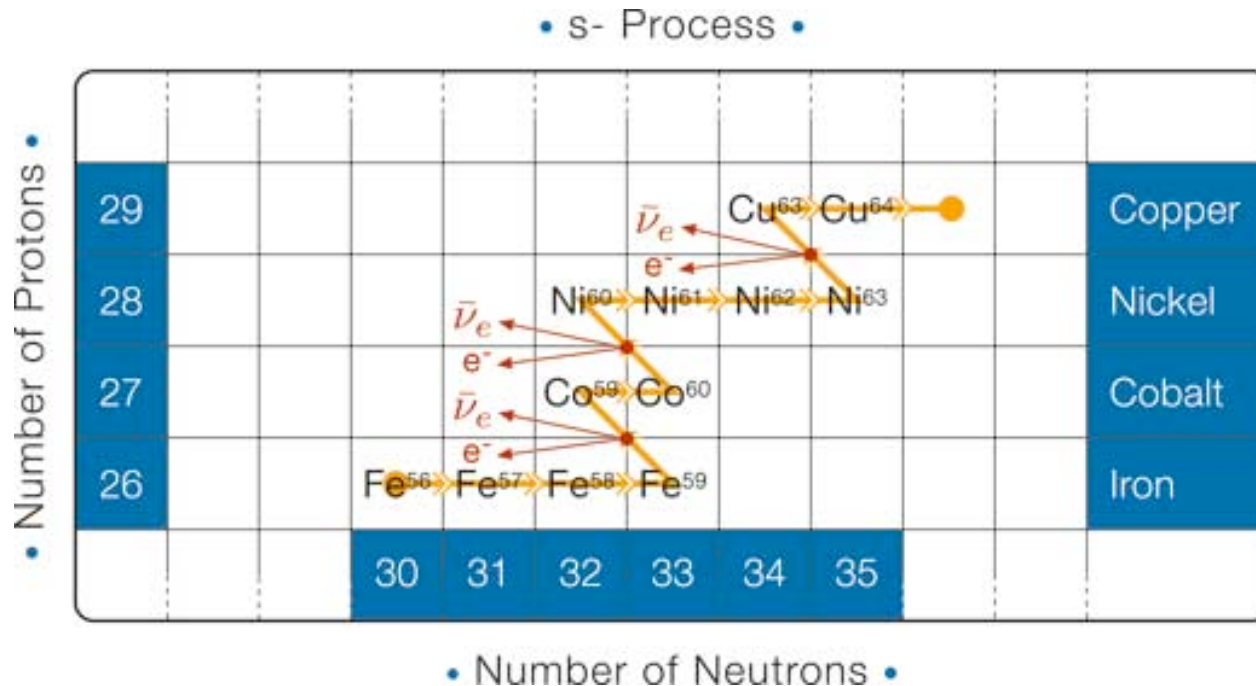






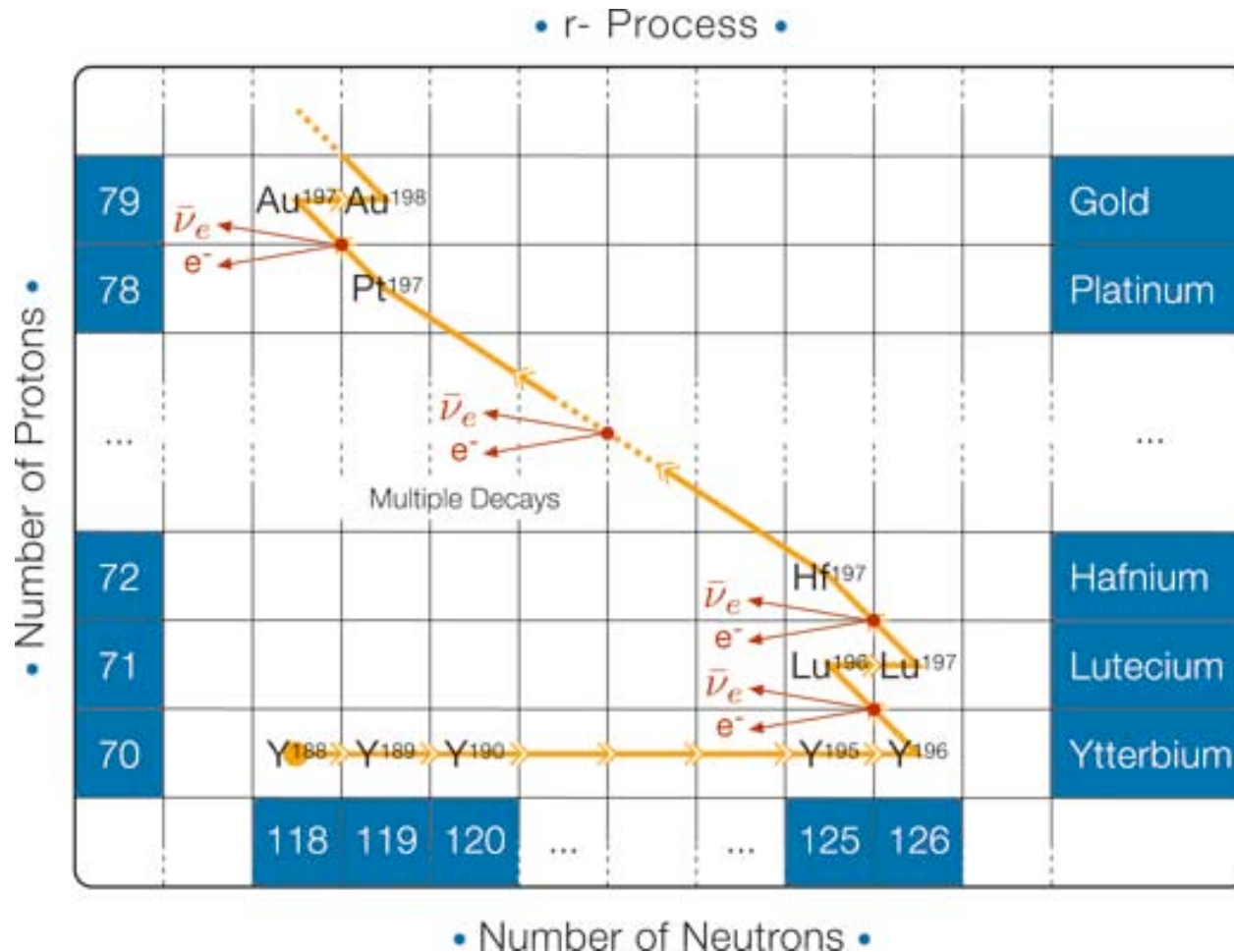
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p-Prozess: p = Proton; **Protoneneinfang auf langer Zeitskala** (Jahre)

Auf der neutronenarmen Seite der Nuklidkarte gibt es stabile Kerne, die durch Neutroneneinfang und anschließenden Beta-Zerfall nicht gebildet werden können. Diese p-Prozess-Kerne werden entweder durch Protoneneinfang während einer Supernova-Explosion gebildet oder auch durch Photodissoziation aus r- und s-Prozess Saatkernen.

rp-Prozess: rp = rapid protons = schnelle Protonen; **Schneller Protoneneinfang** (wie beim r-Prozess, jedoch mit Protonen) im Sekunden- oder Minutenbereich

Es können mittelschwere Kerne bis etwa Zinn gebildet werden. Der Protonenfluss wird wahrscheinlich in einem Nova-Ausbruch erzeugt.

Nucleosynthesis in the r-process

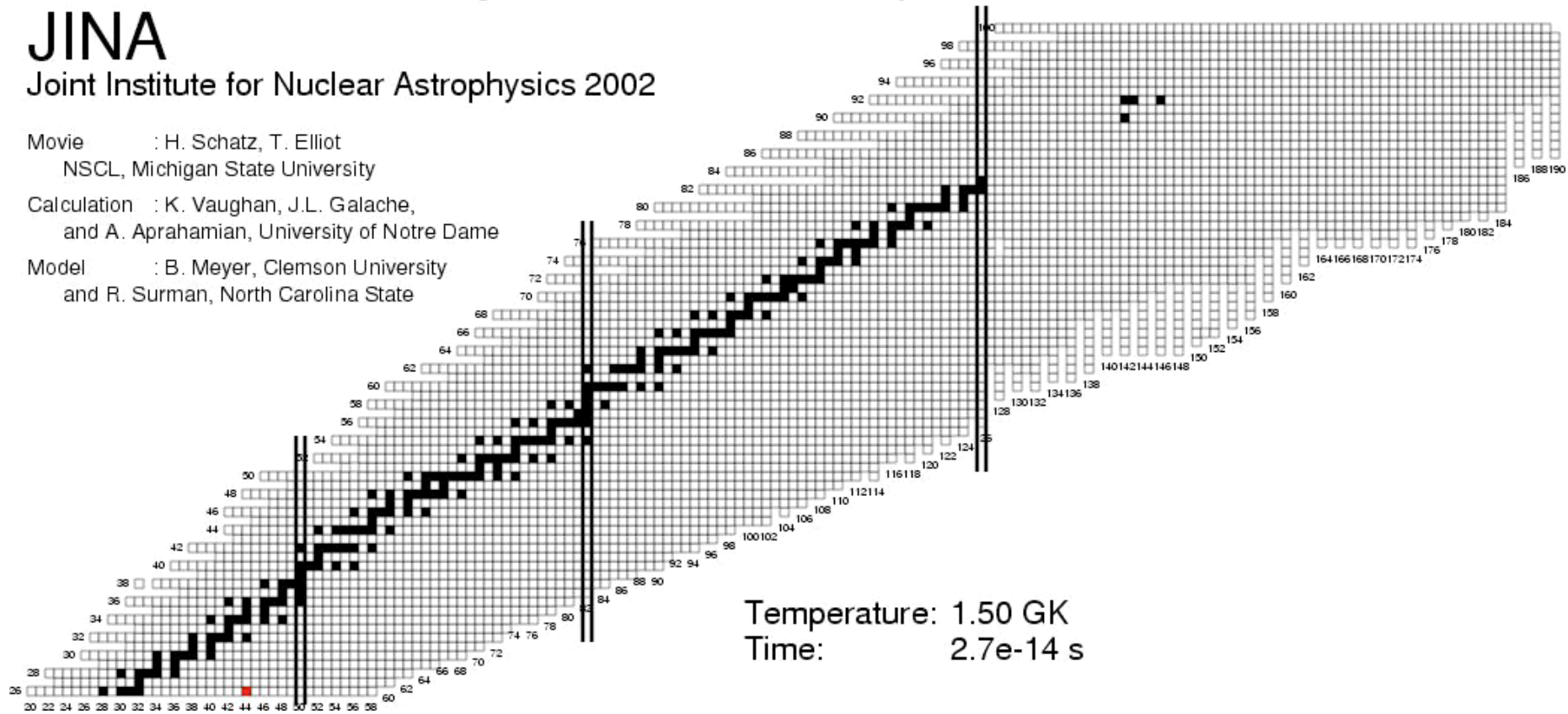
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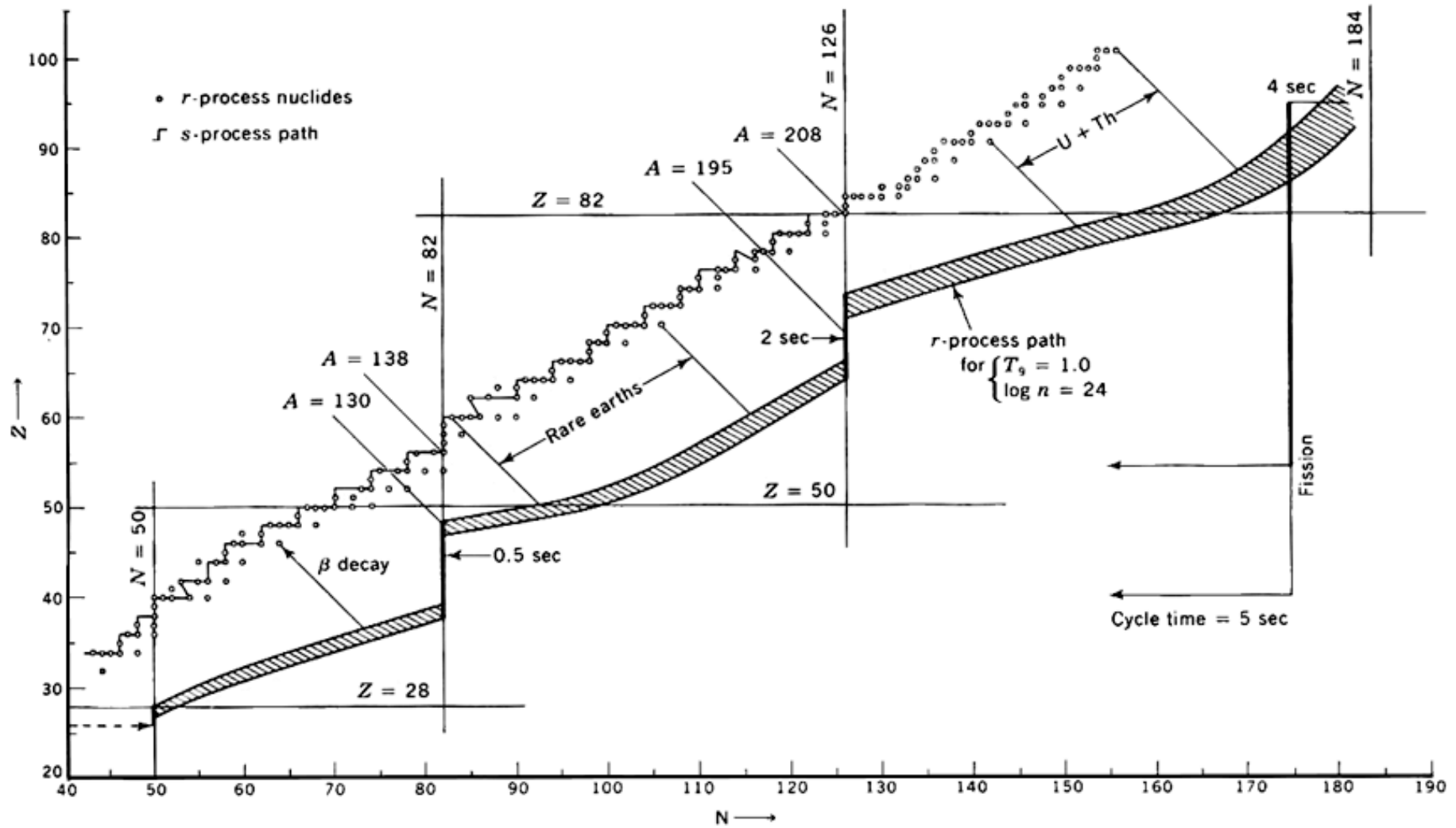
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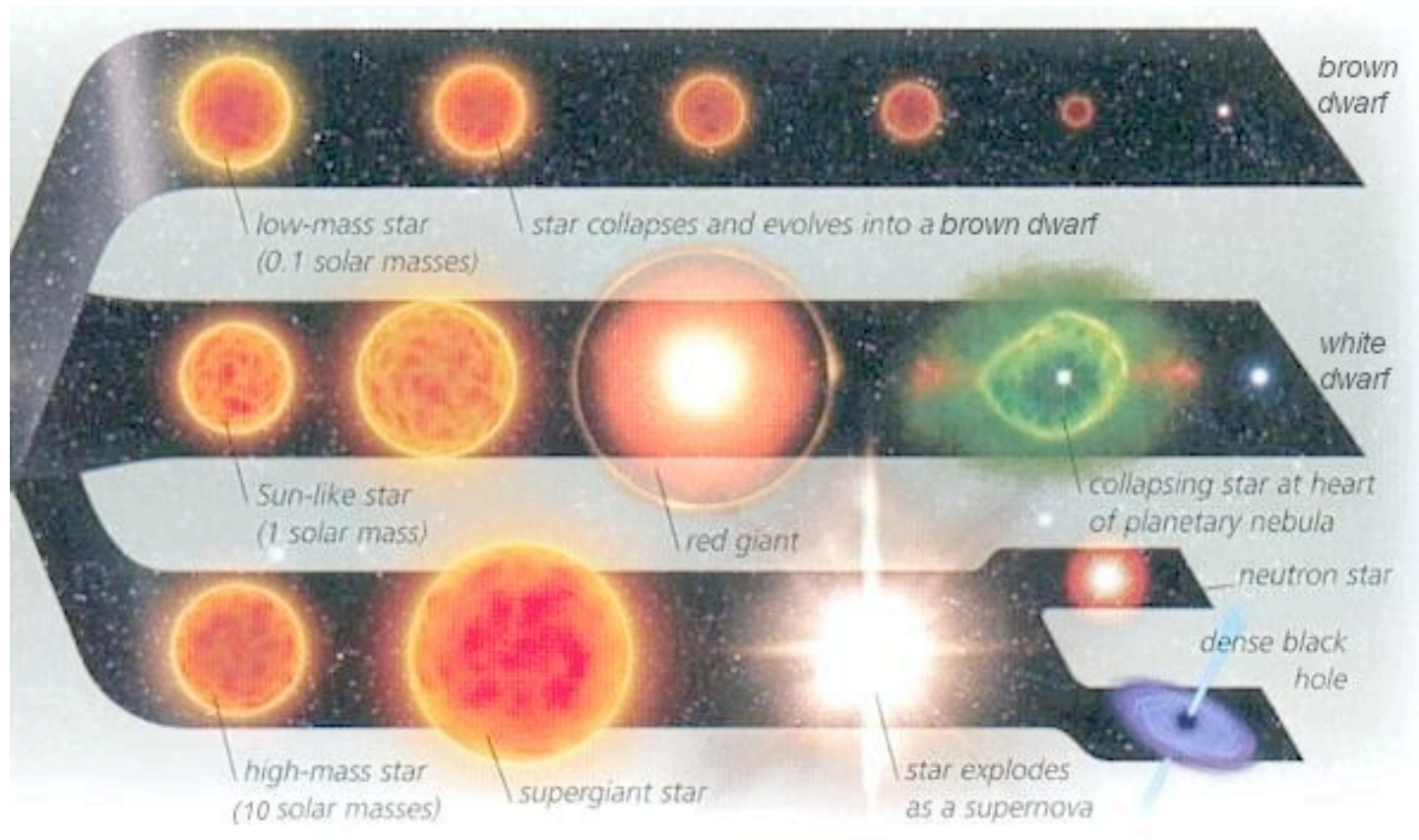
r-Prozess zu verschiedenen Zeiten



Nach Seeger, Fowler, Clayton (1965, ApJSS, 11, 121)

Ausgewählte Elemente und ihre Produktionsprozesse

| Element | Prozeß | Massenbereich | Sternentwicklungsstadium |
|------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|---|
| H | primordial | | |
| He | primordial | | |
| | pp-Kette | $M \geq 0.1M_{\odot}$ | Hauptreihe und Riesenast |
| | CNO-Zyklus | $M \geq 2M_{\odot}$ | Hauptreihe und Riesenast |
| C, O, Ne | 3α -Prozeß | $M \geq 1M_{\odot}$ | Riesenast und asymptotischer Riesenast |
| N | CNO-Zyklus | $M \geq 1.5M_{\odot}$ | Hauptreihe und Riesenast (Anreicherung) |
| Na, Mg, Al | C-Brennen | $M \geq 5 \dots 8M_{\odot}$ | asymptotischer Riesenast, Supernovae |
| Si ... Ca | O-Brennen | | Supernovae (explosiv) |
| Ti ... Ni | Si-Brennen und NSE | | Supernovae (explosiv) |
| Sr, Y | <i>s</i> -Prozeß | $M \geq 2M_{\odot}$ | asymptotischer Riesenast |
| Ba | | | |
| Ba, Eu | <i>r</i> -Prozeß | | Supernovae (explosiv) |



Bildnachweis: <http://universe-review.ca/F08-star.htm>

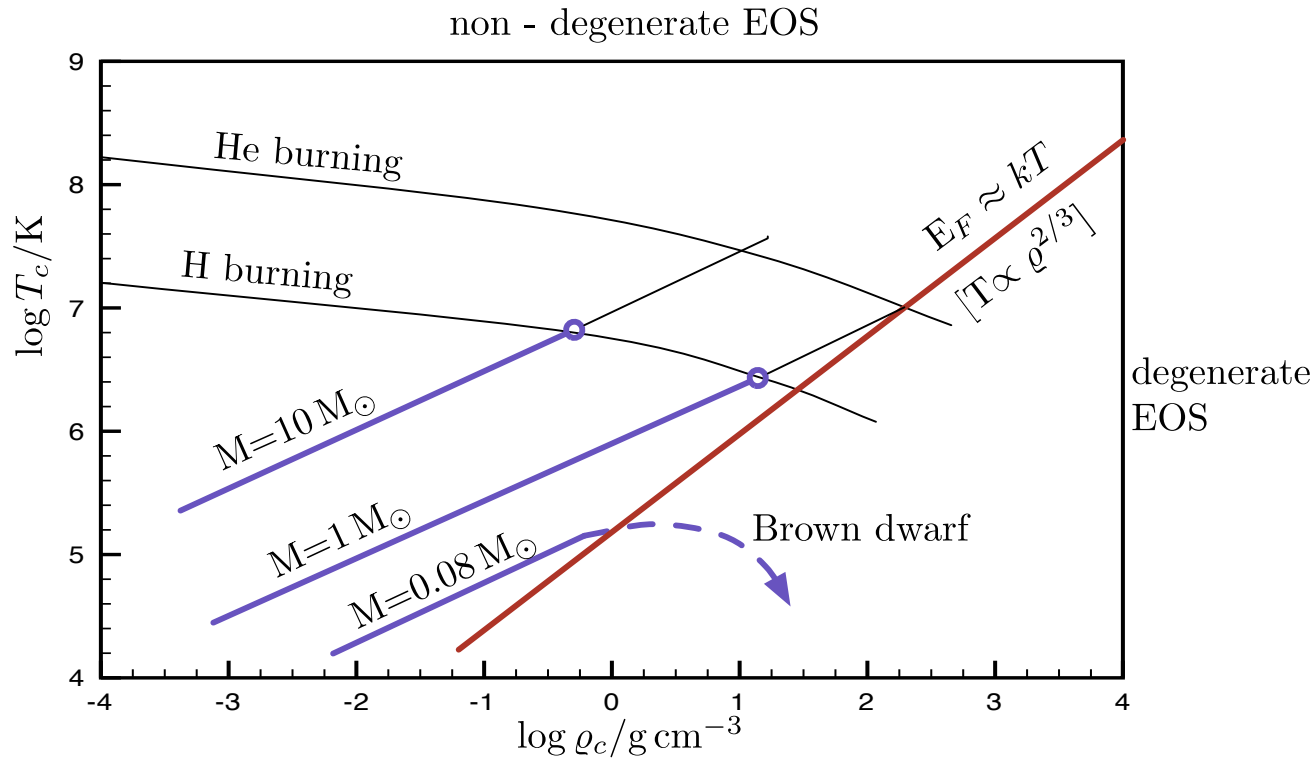


Figure 13.1: non-degenerate/degenerate EOS. [for more details see Iben, 1985]

Hydrostatische Kontraktion

$$T_c \approx 2 \cdot 10^6 K \left(\frac{M}{1 M_\odot} \right)^{2/3} \left(\frac{\rho}{1 g/cm^3} \right)^{1/3}$$

Kritische Temperatur für Entartung

$$T_c \approx 3 \cdot 10^5 K \left(\frac{\rho}{1 g/cm^3} \right)^{2/3}$$

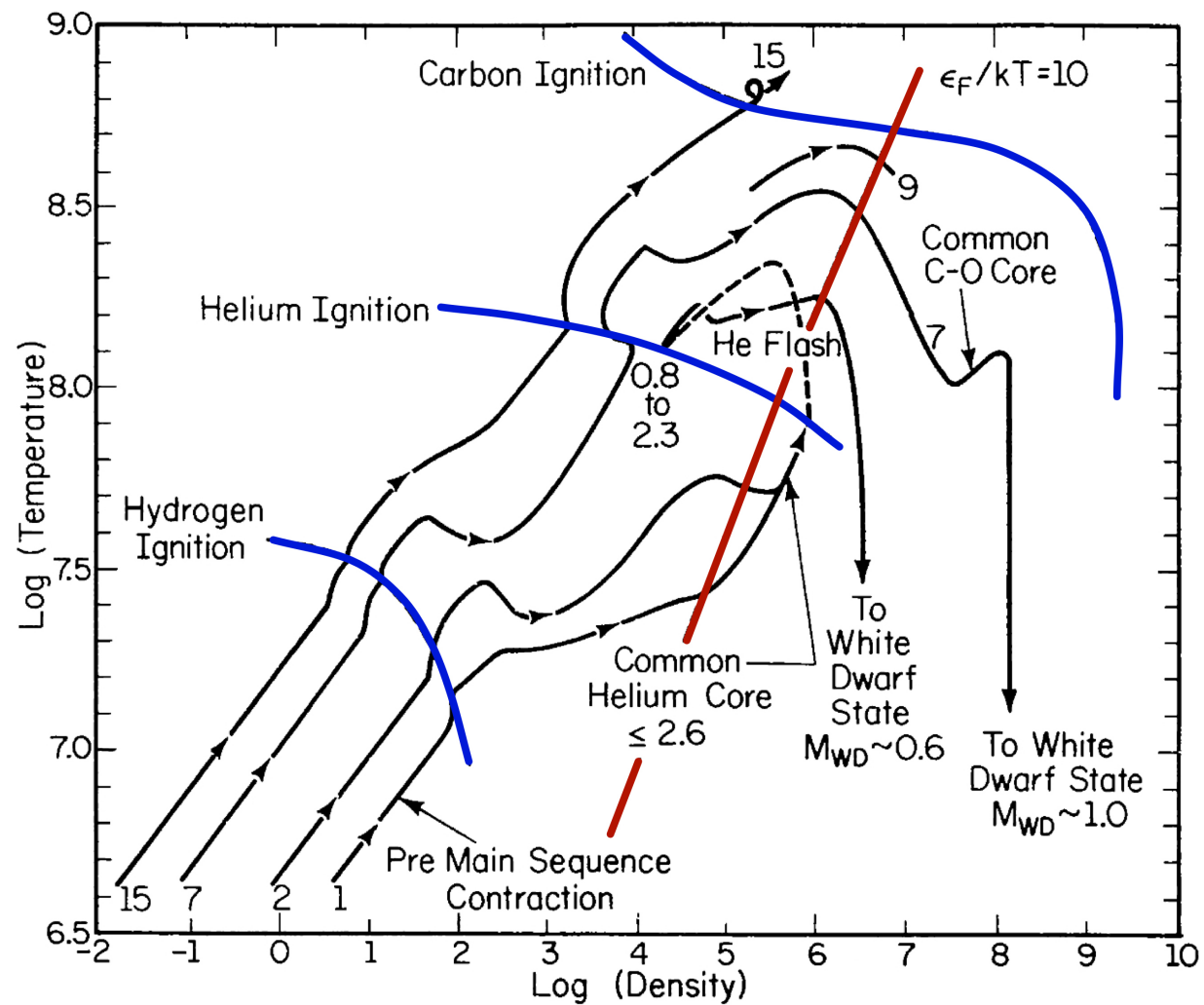
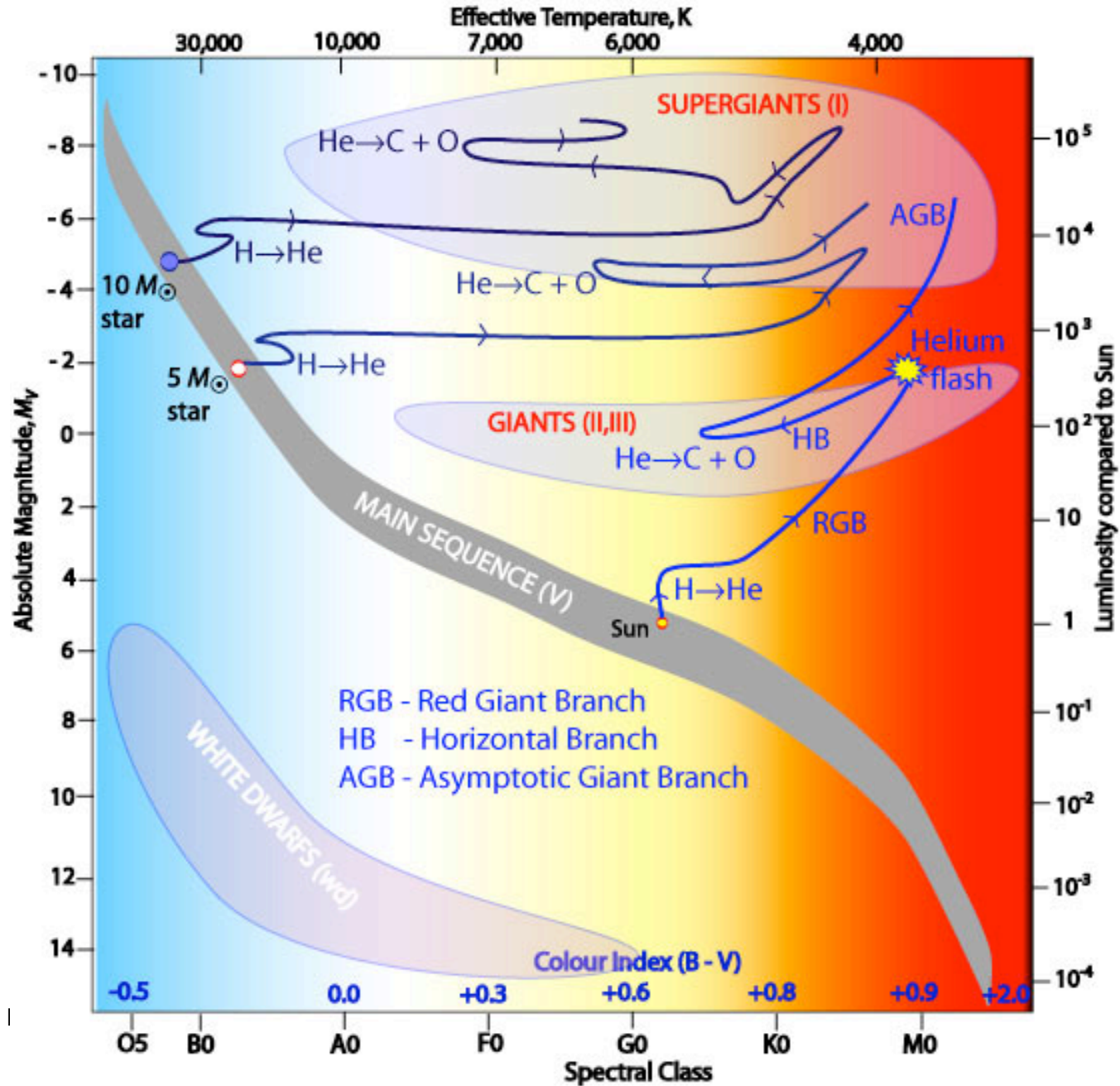
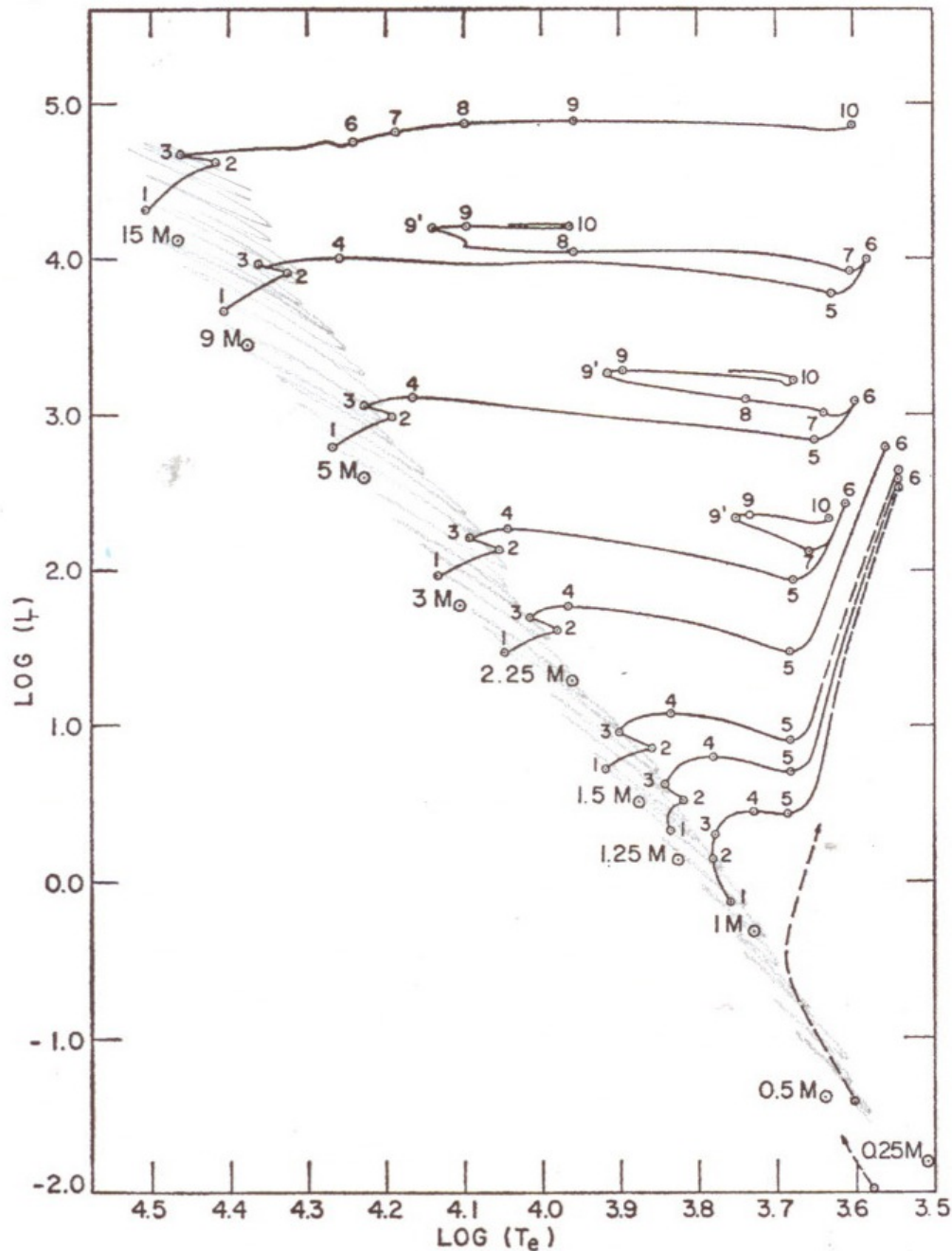


Figure 13.2: [Iben, 1985, Figure 2]

- Stars with initial mass below $\approx 10 M_{\odot}$ will turn into white dwarfs after heavy mass loss.
- low-mass stars develop e^{-} -degeneracy core before He burning starts (He burning then may occur in degenerate phase)
- low-to intermediate-mass stars can burn He and develop e^{-} -degenerate core made of carbon and oxygen (C,O core)

Evolutionary Tracks off the Main Sequence





Iben (1967, ARAA, 5, 571)

FIG. 3. Paths in the H-R diagram for metal-rich stars of mass (M/M_{\odot}) = 15, 9, 5, 3, 2.25, 1.5, 1.25, 1, 0.5, 0.25. Units of luminosity and surface temperature are the same as in Figure 1. Traversal times between labeled points are given in Tables III and IV. Dashed portions of evolutionary paths are estimates.

Sternentwicklung

- auf der Hauptreihe kaum Veränderungen mit der Zeit (1 .. 2), H-Brennen
- Entwicklung nach der Hauptreihe ist sehr komplex (3 ... 10)
- starke Massenabhängigkeit
- breites Spektrum verschiedener physikalischer Prozesse werden wichtig (höhere Brennprozesse, Entartung, explosives Brennen, usw.)

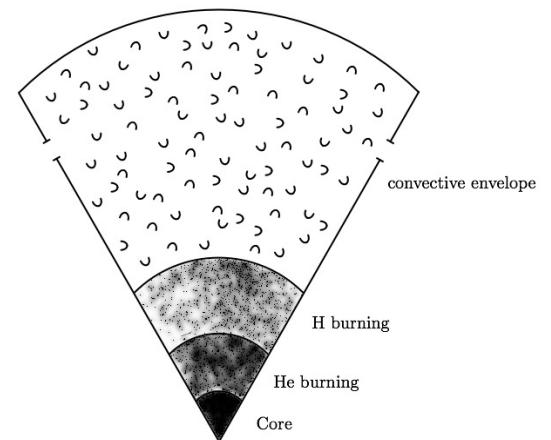
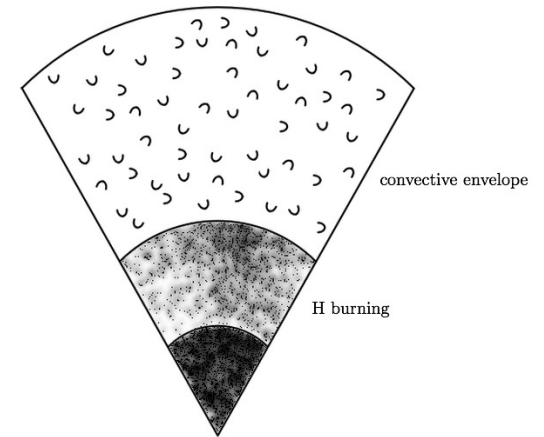
TABLE III
STELLAR LIFETIMES (yr)*

| Mass (M_{\odot}) | Interval ($i-j$) | | | | |
|----------------------|--------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|
| | (1-2) | (2-3) | (3-4) | (4-5) | (5-6) |
| 15 | 1.010 (7) | 2.270 (5) | | 7.55 (4) | |
| 9 | 2.144 (7) | 6.053 (5) | 9.113 (4) | 1.477 (5) | 6.552 (4) |
| 5 | 6.547 (7) | 2.173 (6) | 1.372 (6) | 7.532 (5) | 4.857 (5) |
| 3 | 2.212 (8) | 1.042 (7) | 1.033 (7) | 4.505 (6) | 4.238 (6) |
| 2.25 | 4.802 (8) | 1.647 (7) | 3.696 (7) | 1.310 (7) | 3.829 (7) |
| 1.5 | 1.553 (9) | 8.10 (7) | 3.490 (8) | 1.049 (8) | ≥ 2 (8) |
| 1.25 | 2.803 (9) | 1.824 (8) | 1.045 (9) | 1.463 (8) | ≥ 4 (8) |
| 1.0 | 7 (9) | 2 (9) | 1.20 (9) | 1.57 (8) | ≥ 1 (9) |

* Numbers in parentheses beside each entry give the power of ten to which that entry is to be raised.

Entwicklung: 1 M_⊙ Stern

- core completely convective → is always well mixed
→ H burning stops when
≈ 0.2 M_⊙ He has been produced.
- now: He **core contracts**:
↔ T_c increases and H ignites in **SHELL** around core
↔ Star moves up red giant branch.
- He flash ignites (off center)
 - this is an almost explosive event (He ignition under electron degenerate conditions)
 - released energy goes into heat T increases, **but** because of e^- -degeneracy the pressure is not increased!
↔ star **cannot** cool by expansion!
 - as T increases rapidly, the energy production in 3α process increases dramatically (eventually the outer convective zone expands and begins to transport away the energy released) ¹
 - He core burns quietly. star expands dramatically (and reddens) ²
 - Red giant phase
- while He burns (quietly) in core C and O build up and eventually He burning ceases.
 - He shell burning still continues
 - **Asymptotic Giant BRANCH** (He shell dominates)
- there is the possibility for He shell flashes (and additional dredge ups) and for higher mass objects: thermal pulses that can revitalize H burning outer shells.
- now heavy mass loss in post-AGB phase (line driven winds)
↔ formation of planetary nebulae
↔ remnant ≈ 0.6 M_⊙ CO white dwarf



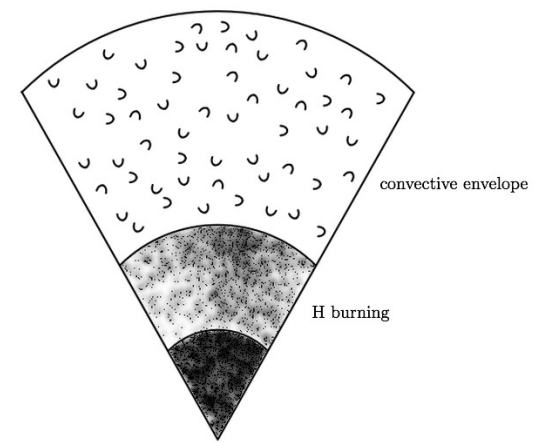
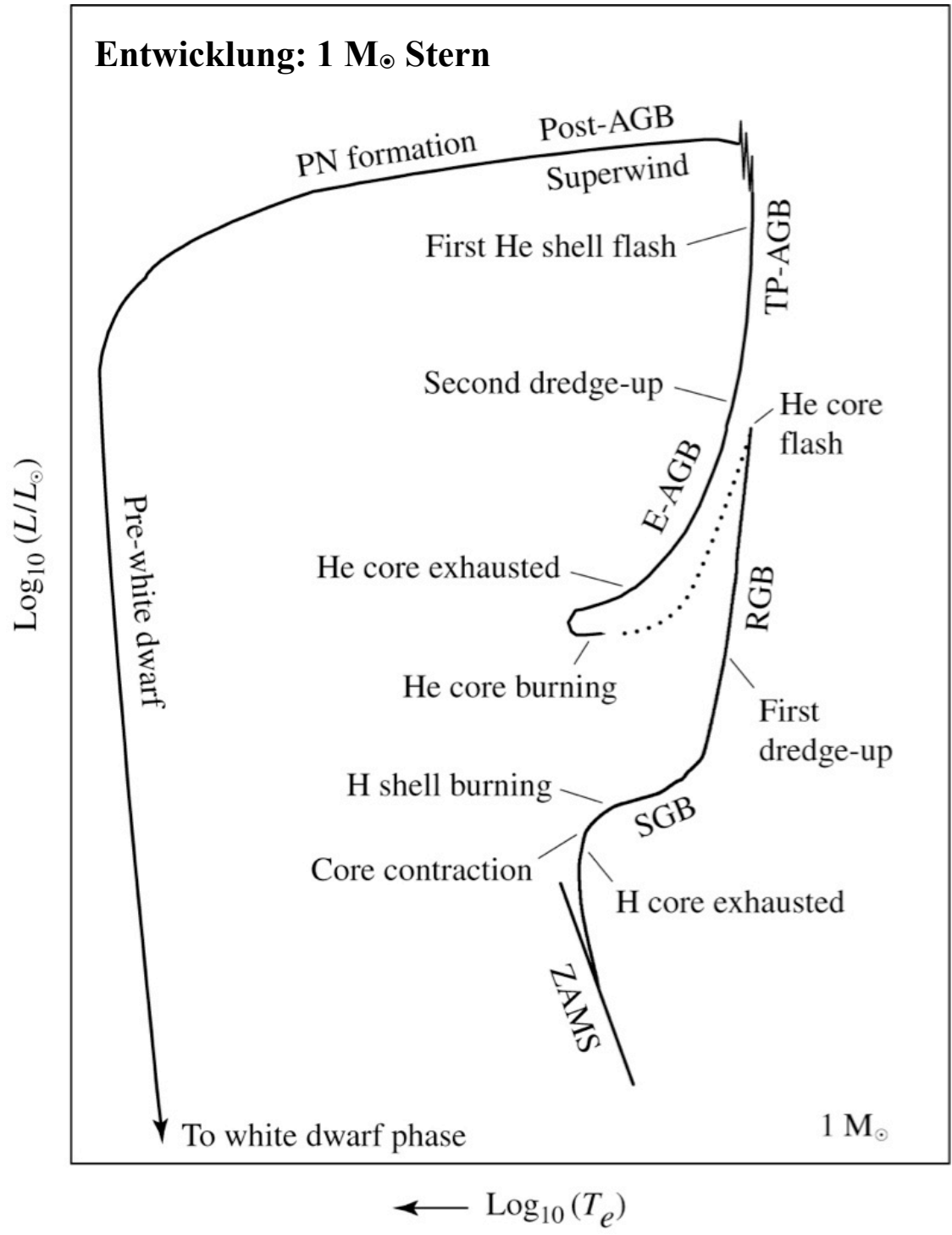
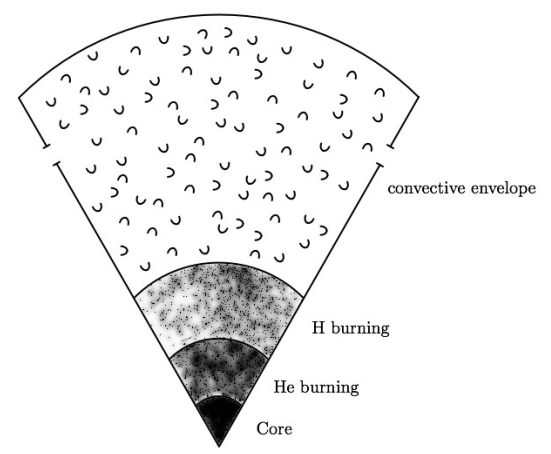
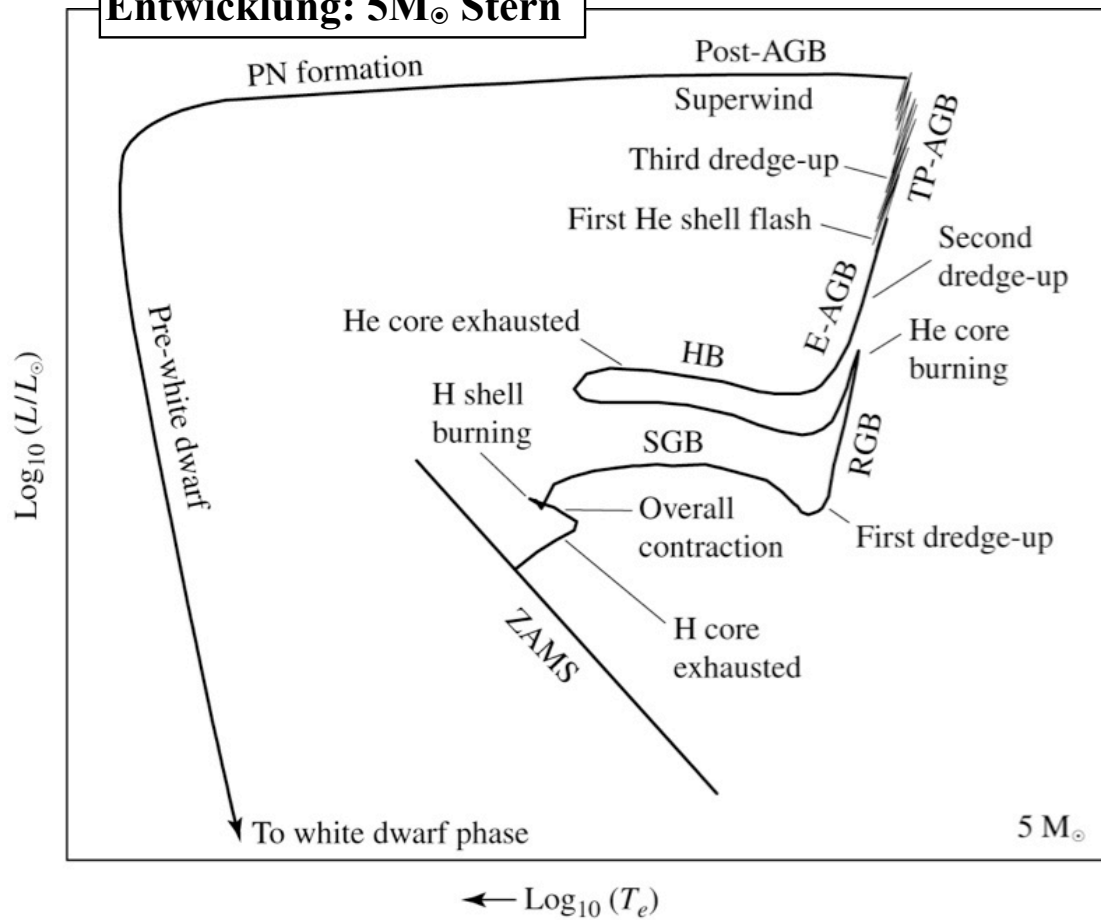


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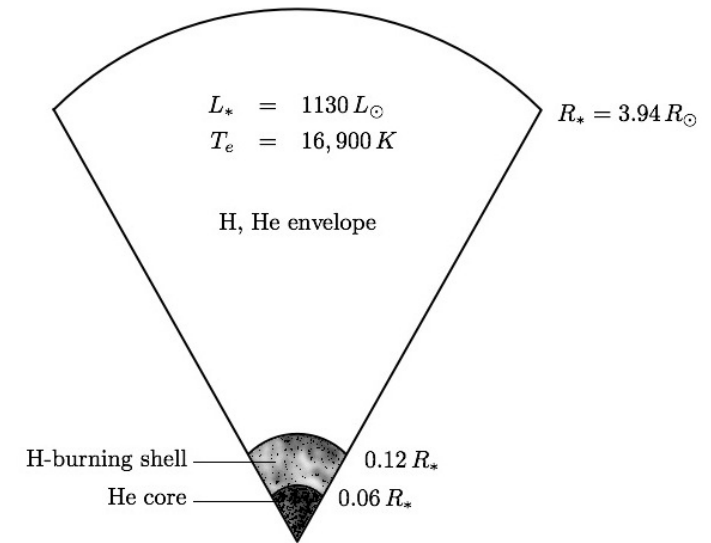


Bildnachweis: Carroll & Ostlie, Abbildung 13.4

Entwicklung: $5M_{\odot}$ Stern



structure of star during RGB, shortly after H-burning shell ignited.



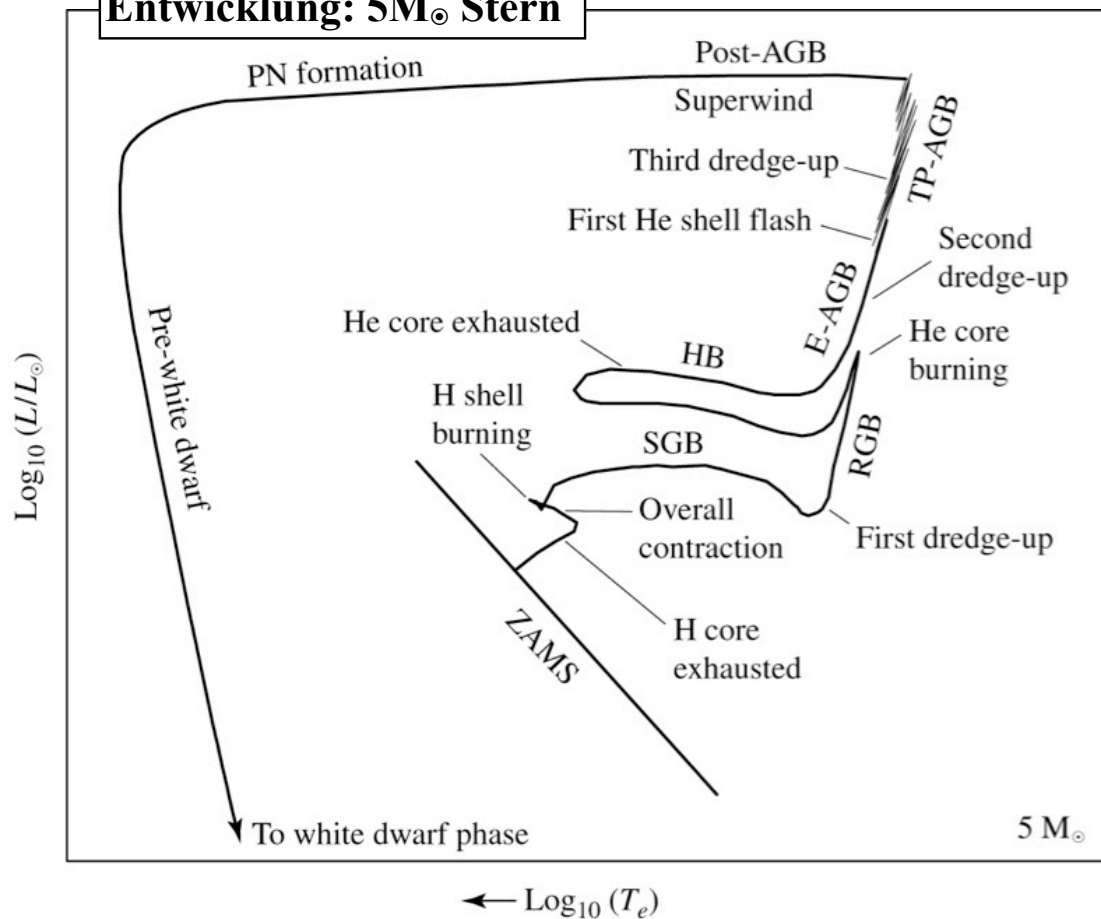
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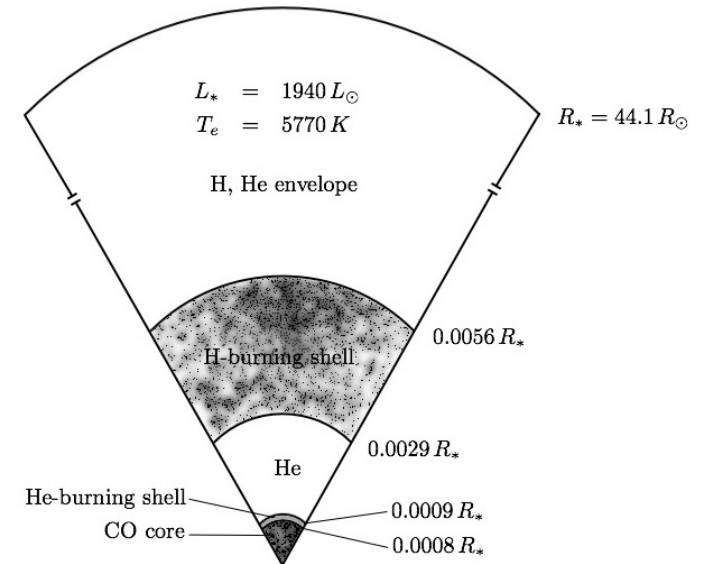
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structure of star during He flash



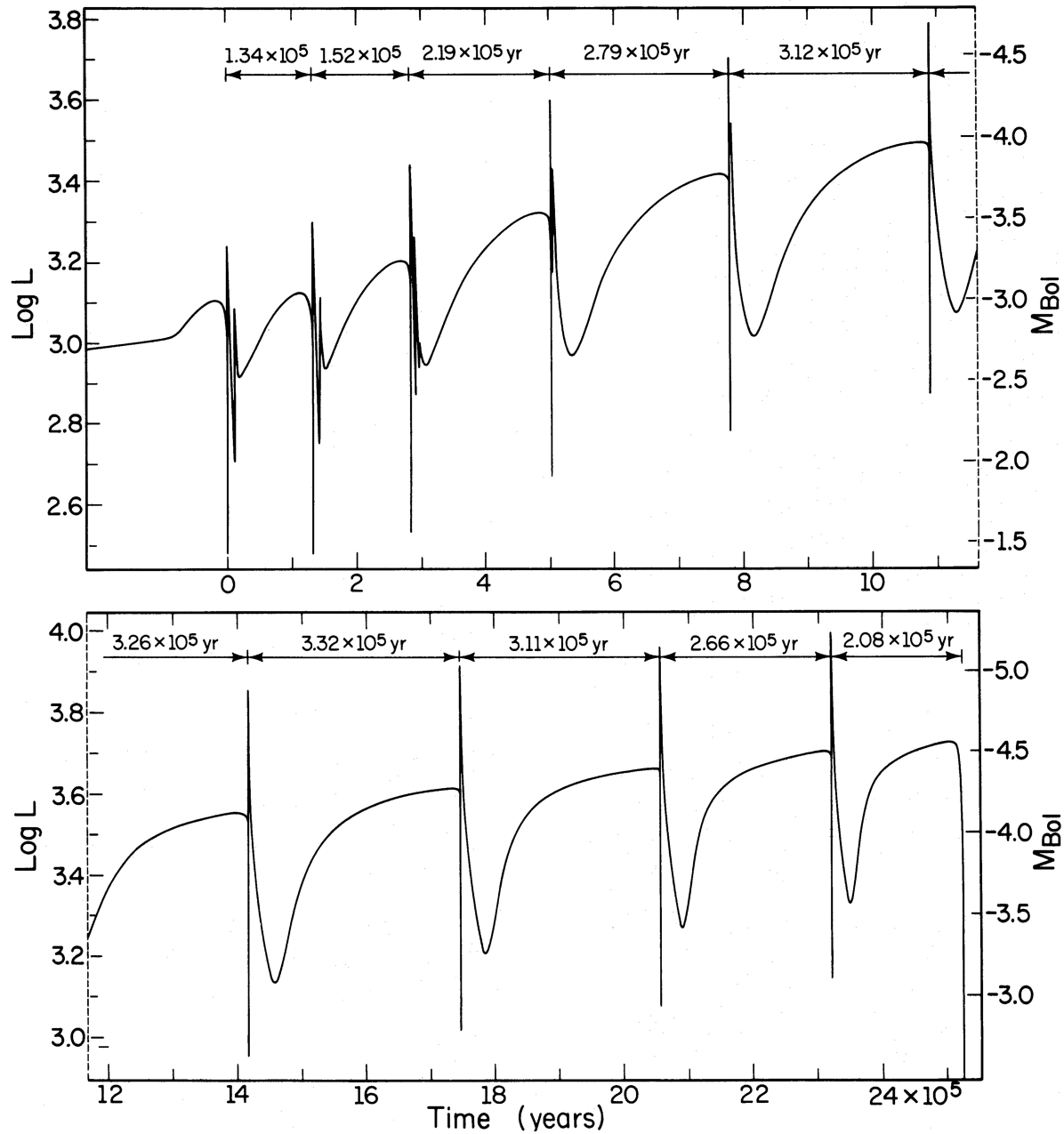
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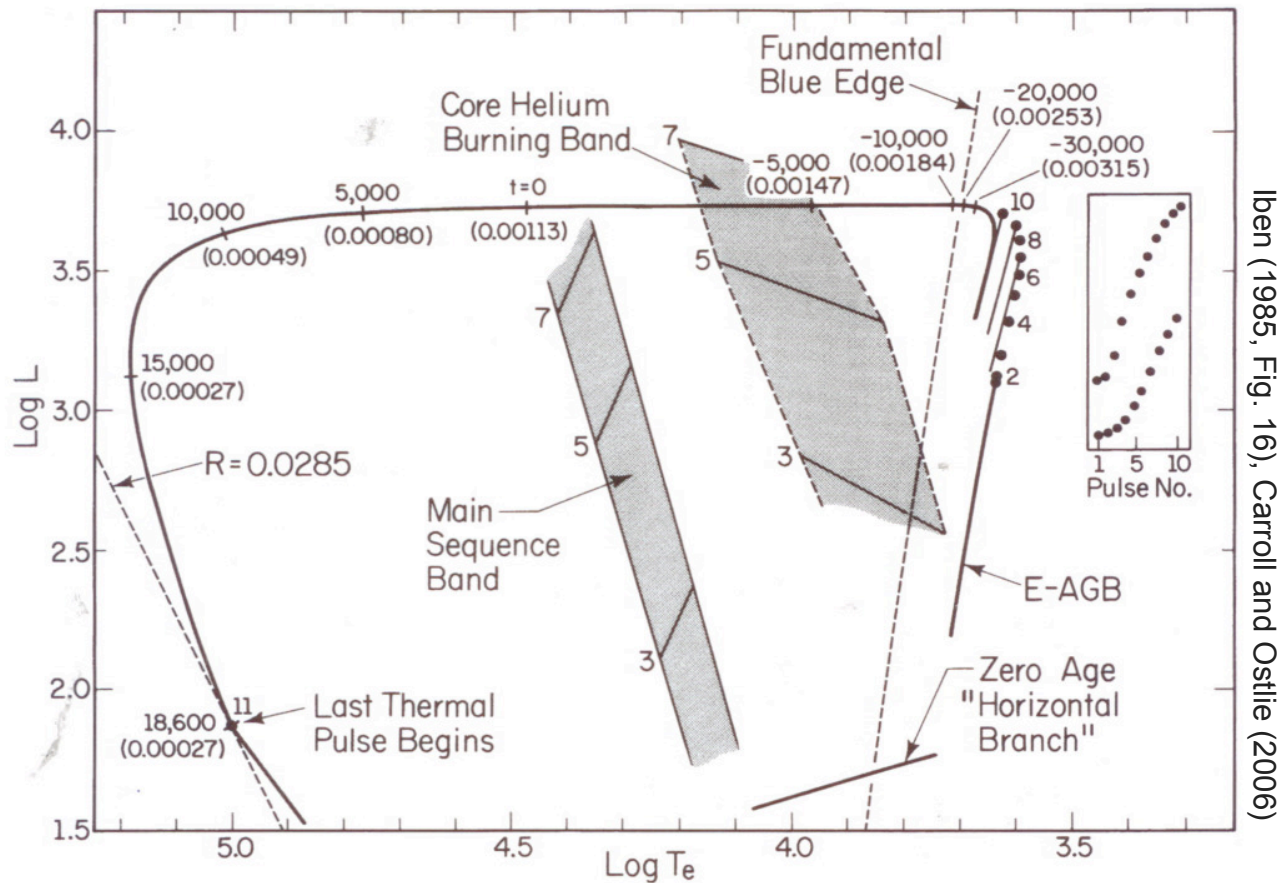
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Thermische Pulse am Ende der AGB Phase:



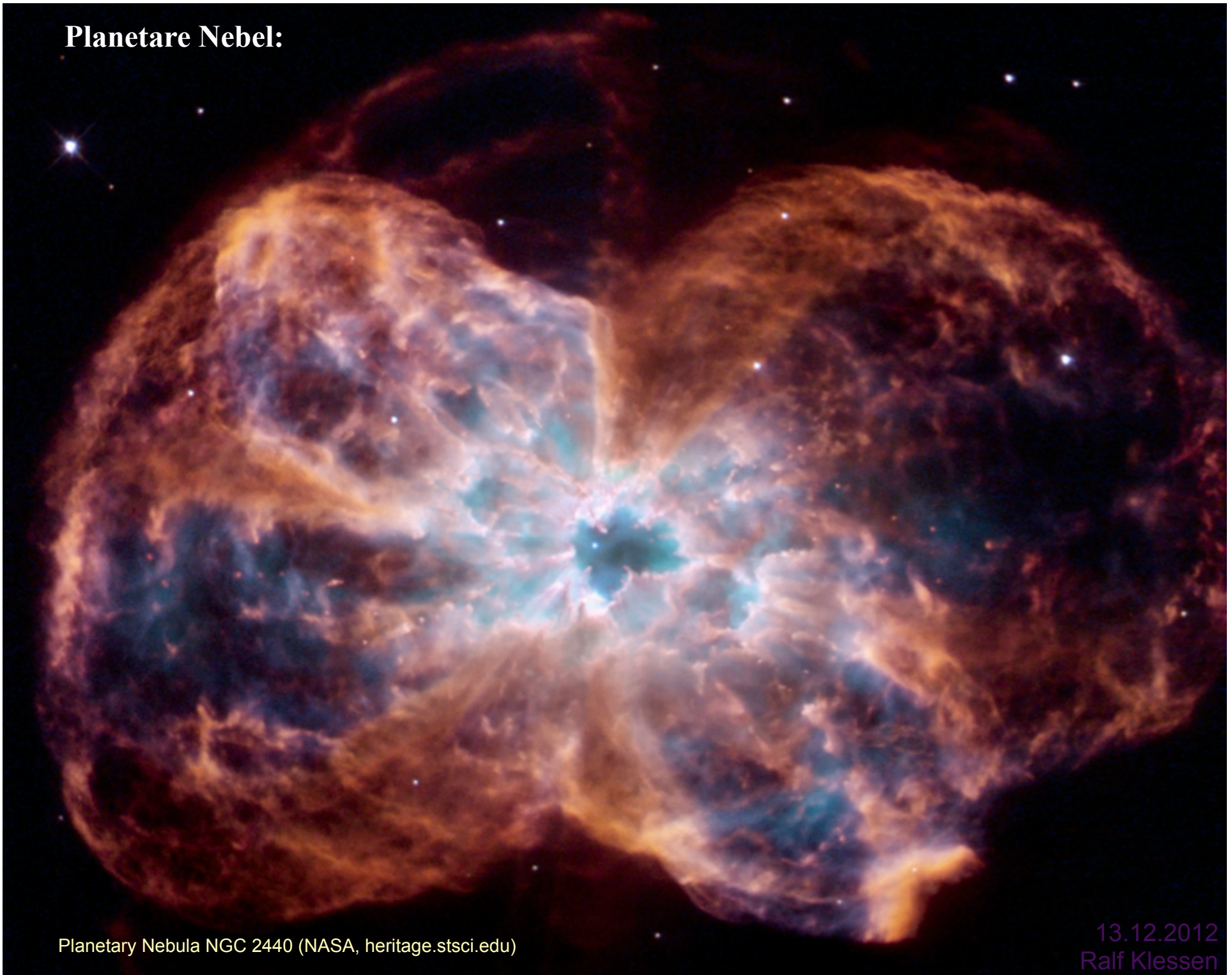
Time dependence of luminosity and bolometric magnitude during the thermally pulsing phase [see Iben, 1982, Figure 2]



Iben (1985, Fig. 16), Carroll and Ostlie (2006)

- AGB stars are known to lose mass at high rate (up to $dM/dt = 10^{-4} M_{\odot} / \text{yr}$)
- surface temperature $\approx 300 \text{ K}$, that means they are quite cool \rightarrow dust can form
 - silicates in O-rich environment
 - graphite in C-rich stars
- this dust may couple to radiation and this radiation may drive the large mass loss. (not well understood, maybe thermal pulses)
- as the envelope expands, it eventually becomes optically thin.
 - thus exposing the central star, which typically shows spectrum of F-type or G-type super-giant.
 - the evolutionary track moves more or less horizontally to the blue
- eventual expelled envelope + central white dwarf make up a planetary nebula (PN)

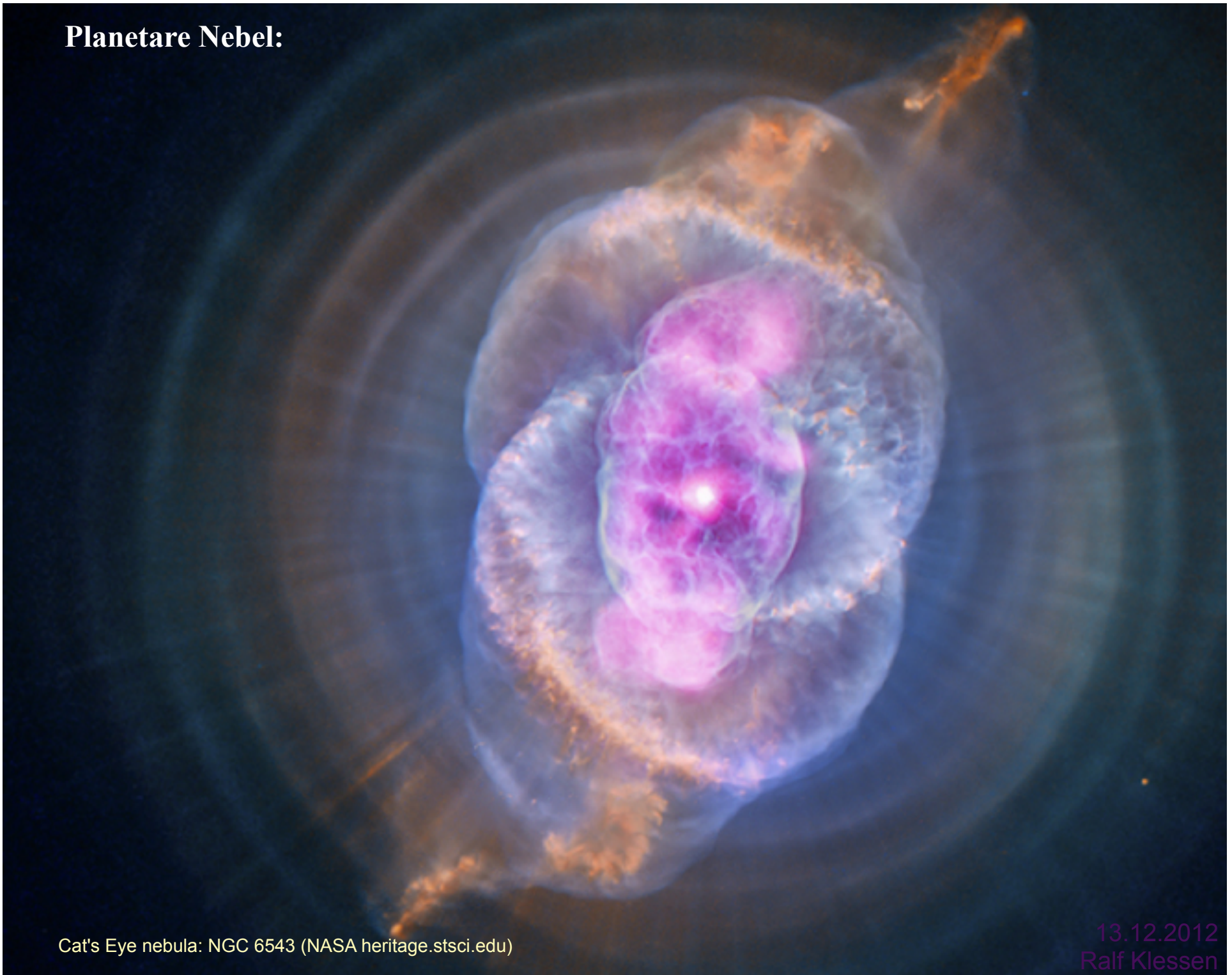
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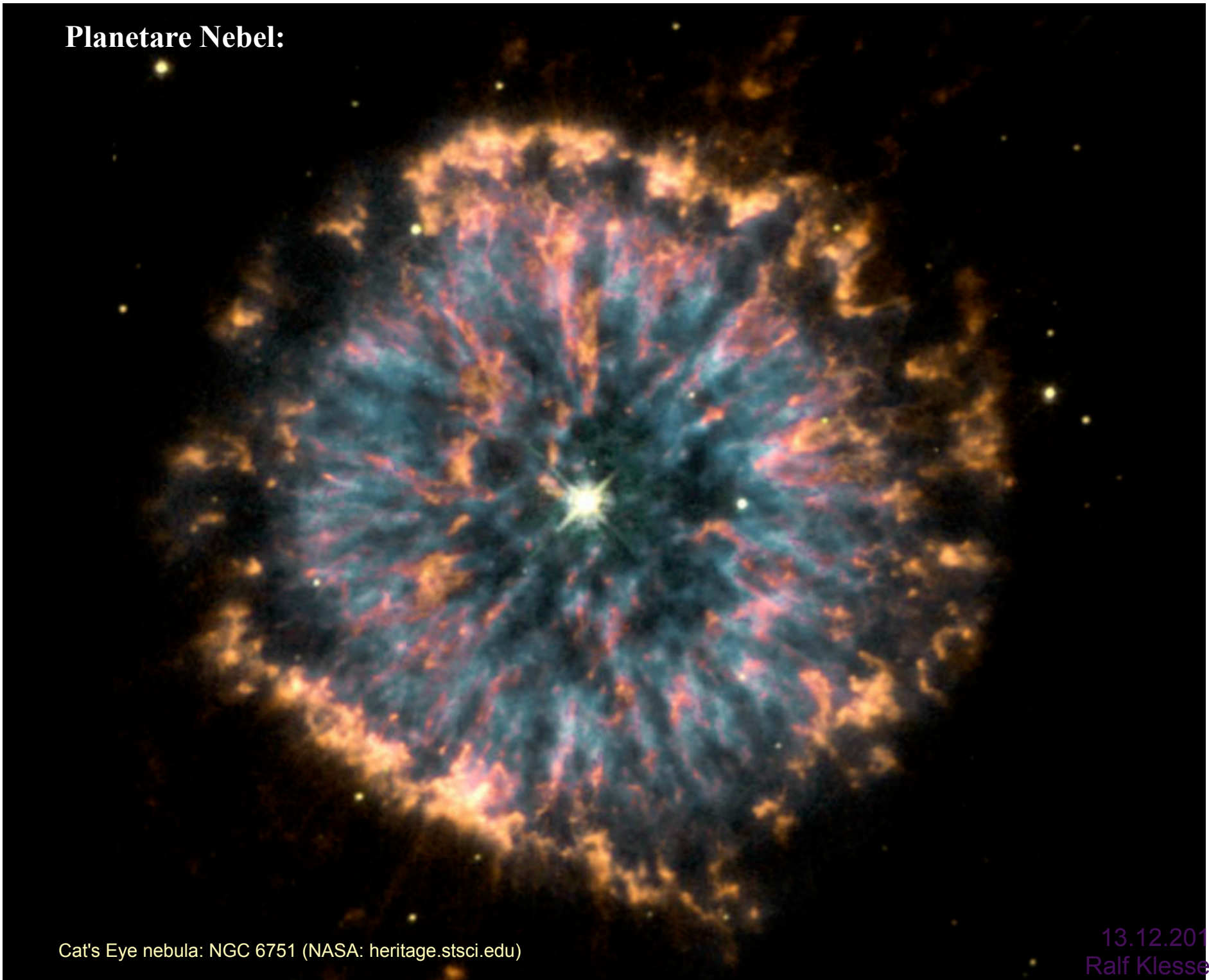
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Entwicklung eines sehr massereichen Sterns ($M > 8 M_{\odot}$)

- stars initially more massive than $\sim 8 \dots 10 M_{\odot}$ end their lives in supernova explosions.
- before that, they go through several higher-element nuclear burning phases and several mass-loss phases.

- **luminous blue variables** (LBVs)

- * have surface temperatures, luminosities and masses

$$T \approx 15,000 \text{ K} - 30,000 \text{ K}$$

$$L \gtrsim 10^6 L_{\odot}$$

$$M \gtrsim 85 M_{\odot}$$

↔ sit in upper left of H-R diagram.

- * these stars have huge mass loss rates and they are rapid rotators.

- **Wolf-Rayet stars** (WR)

- * are closely related to LBVs
- * there are $\sim 1000 - 2000$ WRs in the Galaxy
- * have $T_{\text{eff}} \approx 25.000 \text{ K} - 100.00 \text{ K}$ and show very strong emission lines
- * have huge mass loss rate $10^{-5} M_{\odot}/\text{yr}$ with wind speeds $\gtrsim 800 \text{ km/s}$
- * have masses $\gtrsim 20 M_{\odot}$
- * three classes:

WC have emission lines of C and He (**no** N & H)

WN have N and He

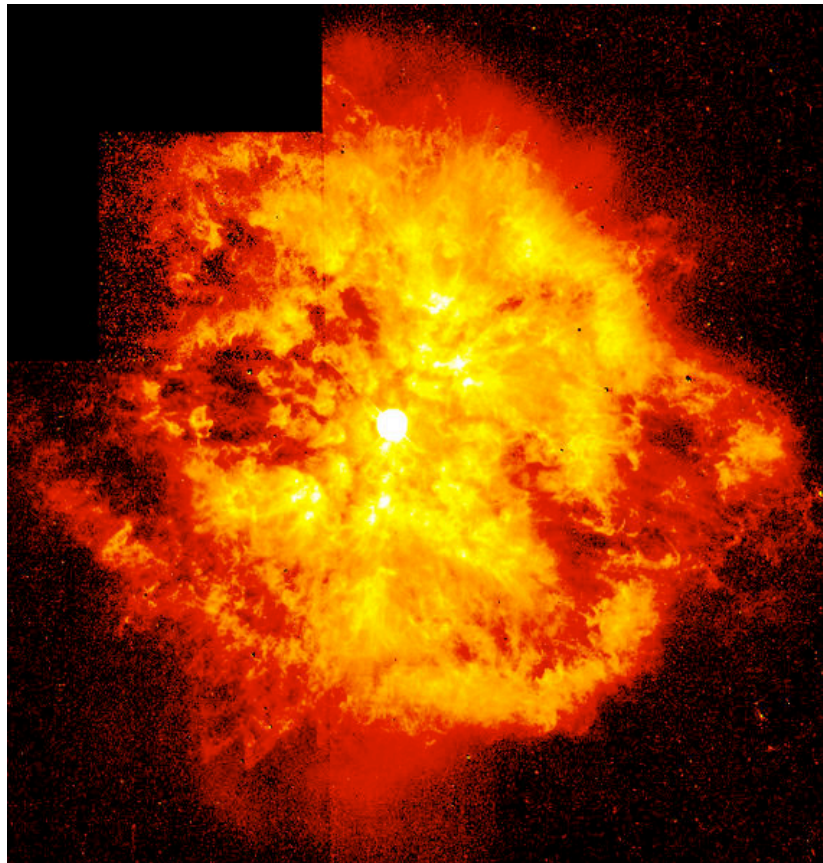
WO have strong O-lines

- there are also **blue super-giants** (BSG), **red super-giants** (RSG), and **OF stars** (O super-giants with pronounced emission lines)

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- the general evolutionary sequence is as follows:

| | | |
|-------------------------|---|--|
| $10 < M/M_{\odot} < 20$ | : | $O \rightarrow RSG \rightarrow BSG \rightarrow \text{SN}$ |
| $20 < M/M_{\odot} < 25$ | : | $O \rightarrow RSG \rightarrow WN \rightarrow \text{SN}$ |
| $25 < M/M_{\odot} < 40$ | : | $O \rightarrow RSG \rightarrow WN \rightarrow WC \rightarrow \text{SN}$ |
| $40 < M/M_{\odot} < 85$ | : | $O \rightarrow Of \rightarrow WN \rightarrow WC \rightarrow \text{SN}$ |
| $85 < M/M_{\odot}$ | : | $O \rightarrow Of \rightarrow LBV \rightarrow WN \rightarrow WC \rightarrow \text{SN}$ |



- sehr starke Winde
- Massen zwischen 10 und 250 Sonnenmassen
- Oberflächentemperatur zwischen 30.000 und 120.000 K

Wolf-Rayet-Stern WR-124 mit umgebendem Planetaren Nebel M 167 (Aufnahme mit dem HST)

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Supernovae: – supernovae describe the explosive, sudden mass loss (very-)massive stars experience at the end of their lives.

– there are two classes of SN

Type I: no hydrogen lines

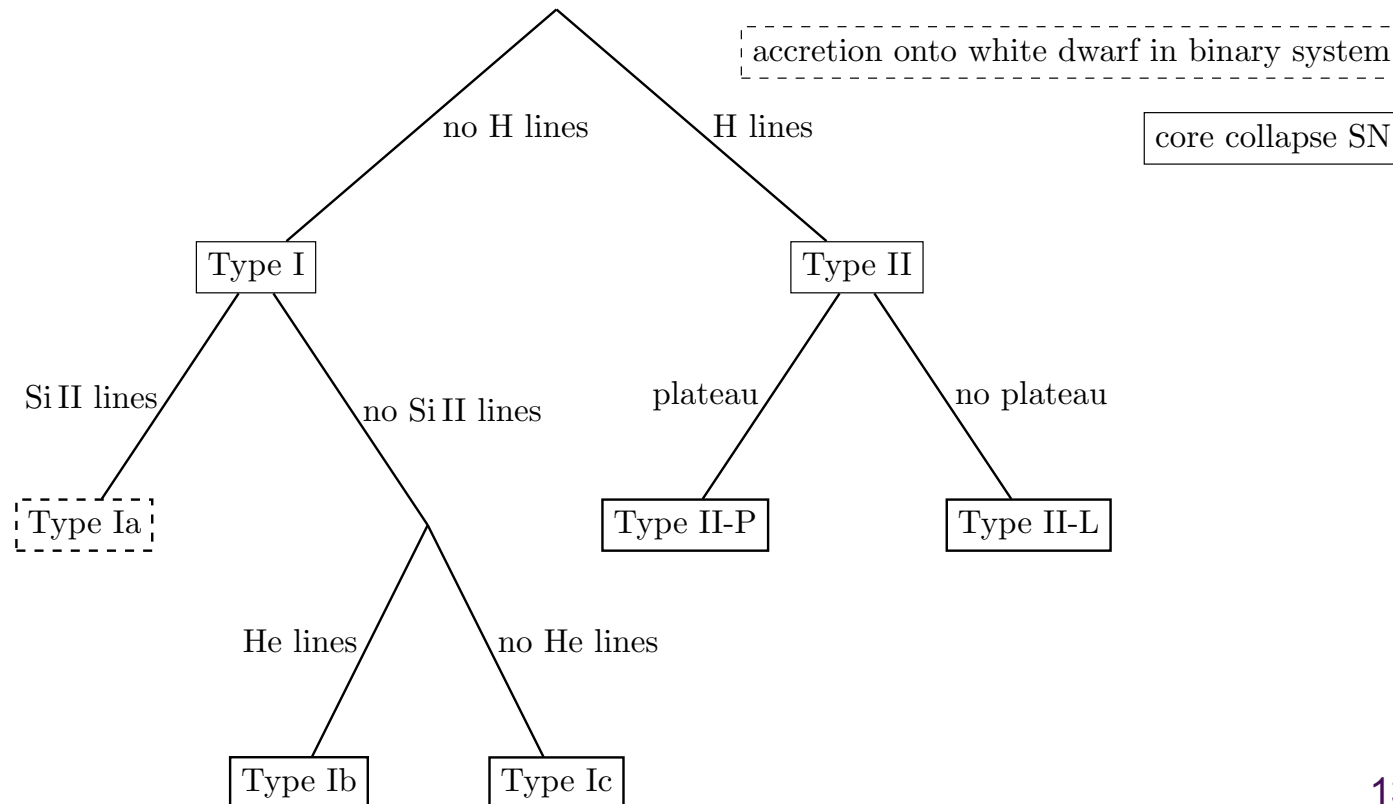
Type II: strong H lines

Type I's are sub-classified according to other spectral features:

Type Ia: strong Si II line (615 nm)

Type Ib: strong He I line

Type Ic: no He I line



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- Supernovae:**
- a typical Type II SN releases 10^{53} erg energy:
 - ~ 99% in neutrinos
 - ~ 1% in kinetic energy of ejecta similar values for Type Ib and Ic
 - ~ 0.01% in radiation

- Type II, Ib and Ic are core collapse supernovae

Type Ia occur in binary system, when mass transfer onto white dwarf causes ignition of degenerate He and sends a shock wave into CO core which ignites carbon and oxygen burning as well.

The WD gets completely disrupted, leaving the binary companion “alone”.

- core collapse SN:

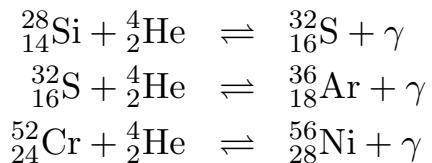
this type of SN occurs in shell-burning massive stars.

He-shell adds C and O ashes to CO core, as the core continues to contract (not degenerate!) it ignites C burning, generating elements like



this triggers a variety of further burning processes:

Ne-O core will burn to Si.

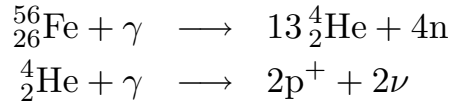
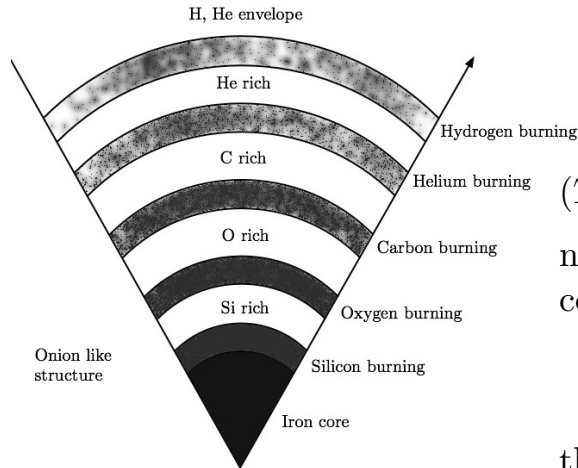


eventually an iron-rich core builds up

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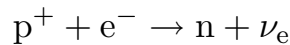
Supernovae:

- at very high temperatures in the core **photo-disintegration** of heavy elements occurs:



$$(T_c \approx 8 \cdot 10^9 \text{ K} \ \& \ \rho_c \approx 10^{10} \text{ g cm}^{-3})$$

now, the free electrons that had assisted in supporting the star against further collapse (by degeneracy pressure) are captured by protons:



there is a gigantic burst of neutrino emission, the neutrino luminosity is orders of magnitude larger than nuclear burning luminosity.

↔ degeneracy pressure is gone + enormous energy loss by ν_e emission.

↔ **core collapse extremely rapidly.**

depending on mass a **neutron star** remnant builds up in center
(for stars with $M_{ZAMS} \lesssim 25 M_{\odot}$)

↔ reverse shock expels outer layers

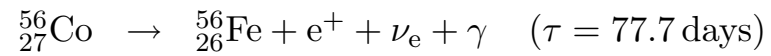
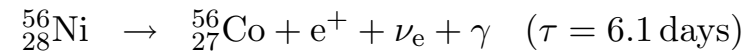
for stars with $M_{ZAMS} \gtrsim 25 M_{\odot}$ the remnant is too heavy and cannot be stabilized by n degeneracy → collapse to **black hole!**

still a reverse shock expels material just like with neutron star.

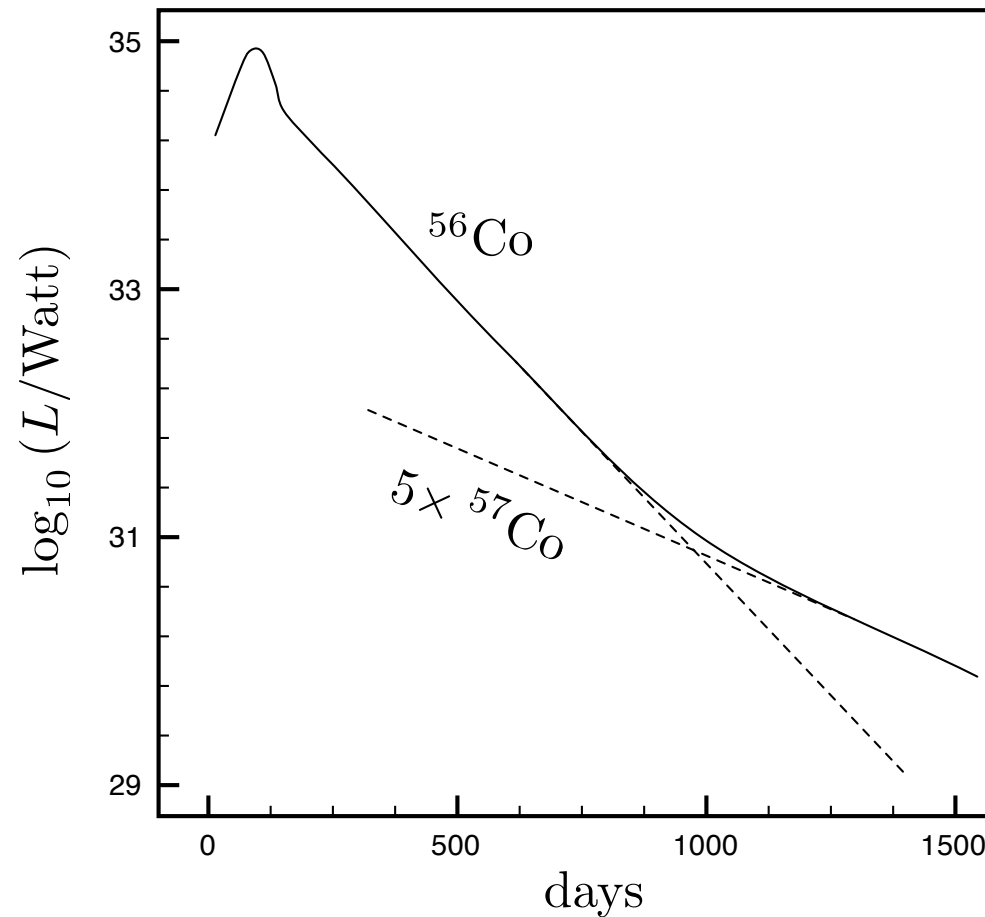
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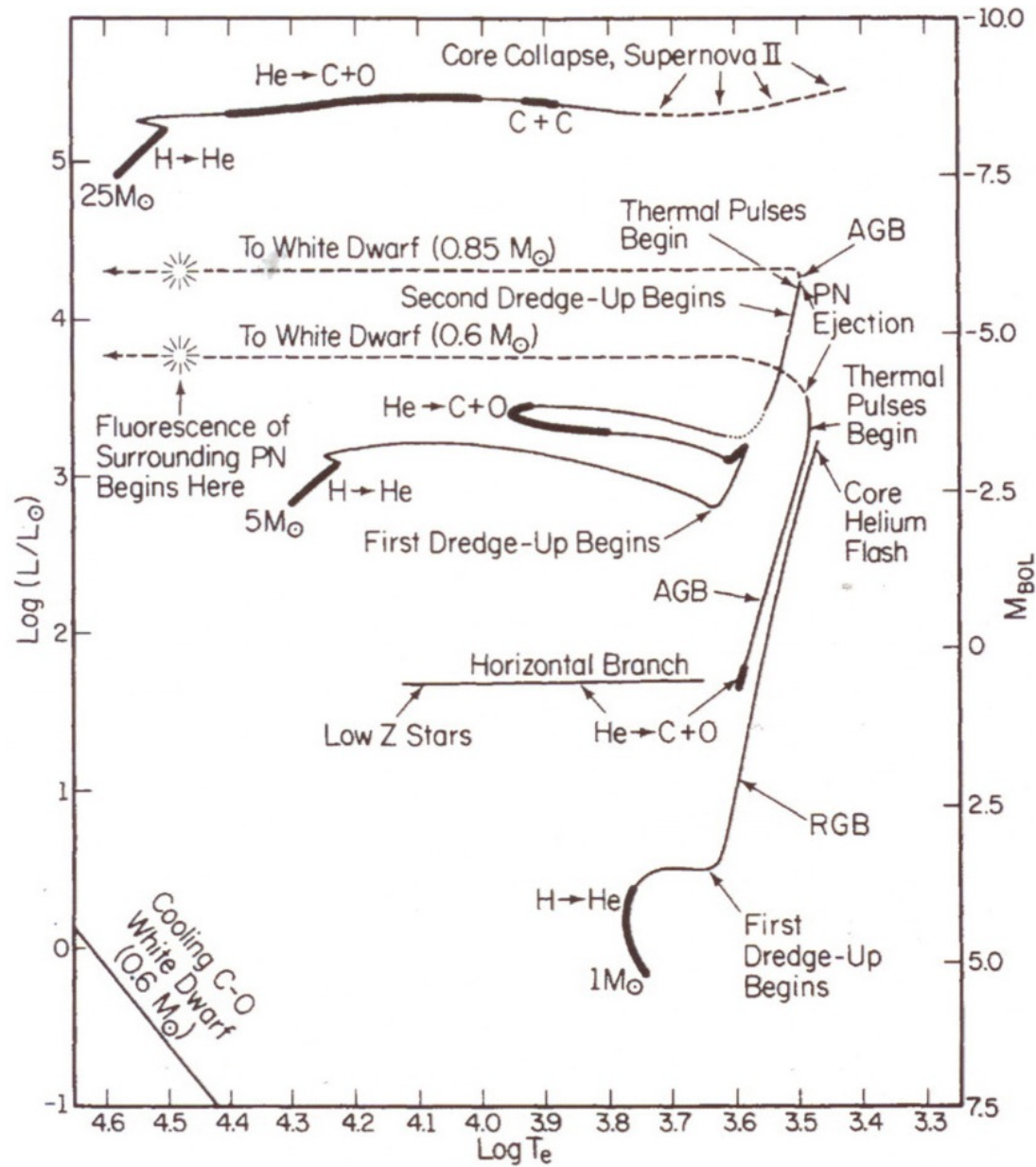
- the energy in the light curve comes from **radioactive decay** of expelled material:



- typical light curve:



Zusammenfassung der Nachhauptreihenentwicklung:



Tracks in the HR diagram of a representative selection of stars.
[see Iben, 1985, Figure 15]