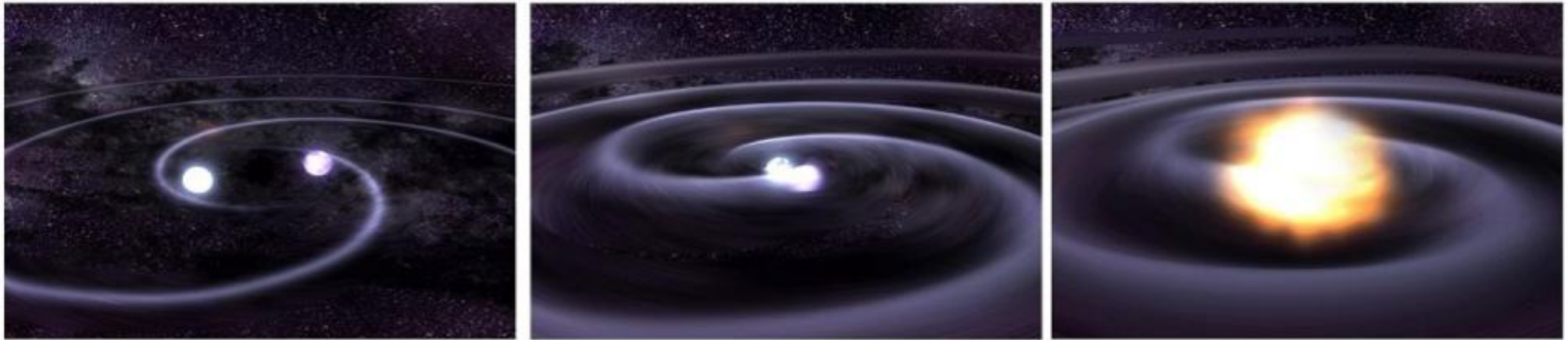


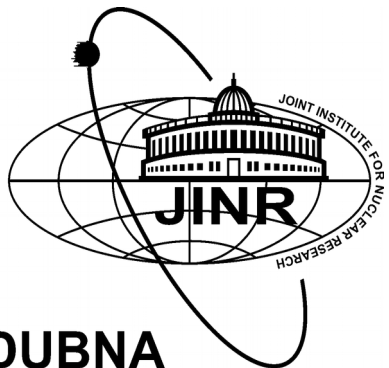
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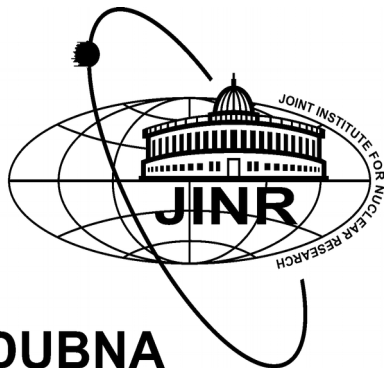
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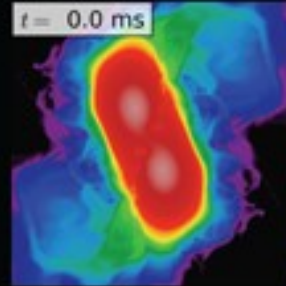
(General) Relativistic (Very) Heavy-Ion Collisions at  $\sim 100$  MeV/nucleon

Simulations: Rezzola et al (2013)

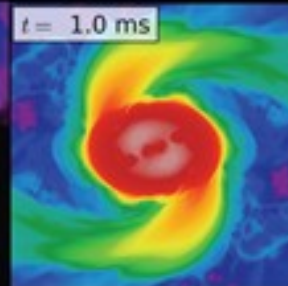
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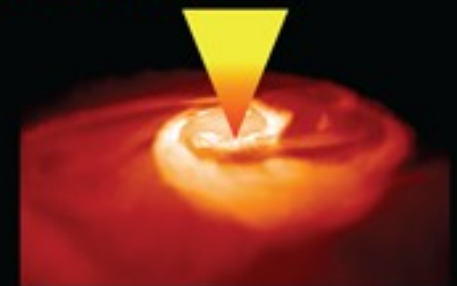
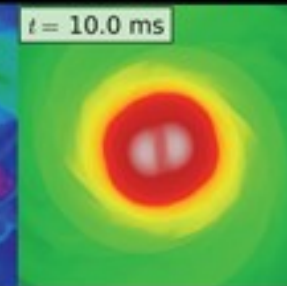
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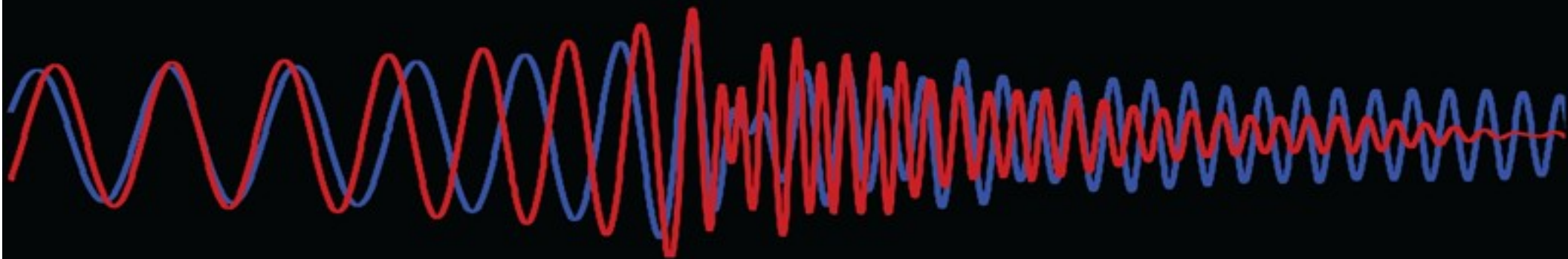
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Inspiral:  
Gravitational waves,  
Tidal Effects

Merger:  
Disruption, NS oscillations, ejecta  
and r-process nucleosynthesis

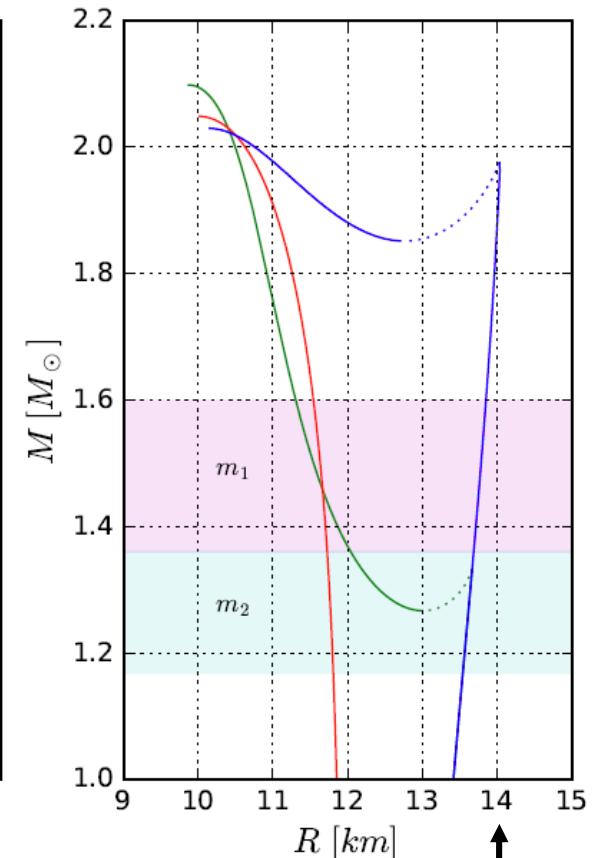
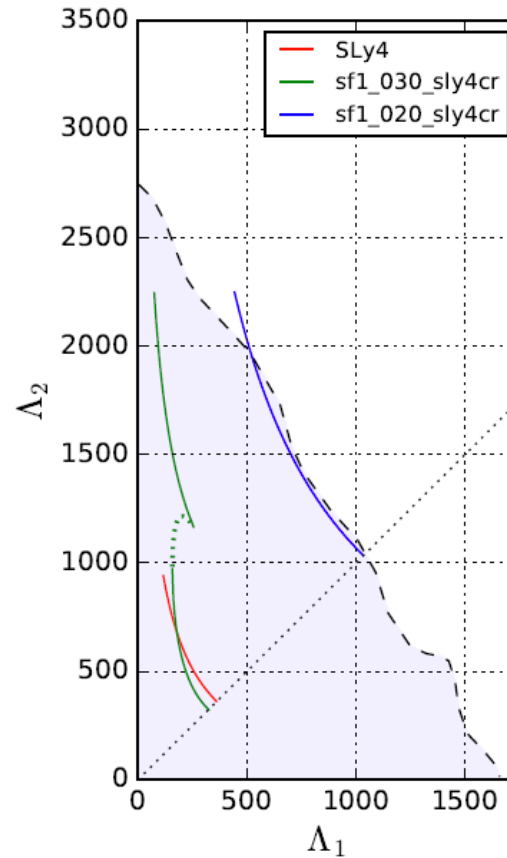
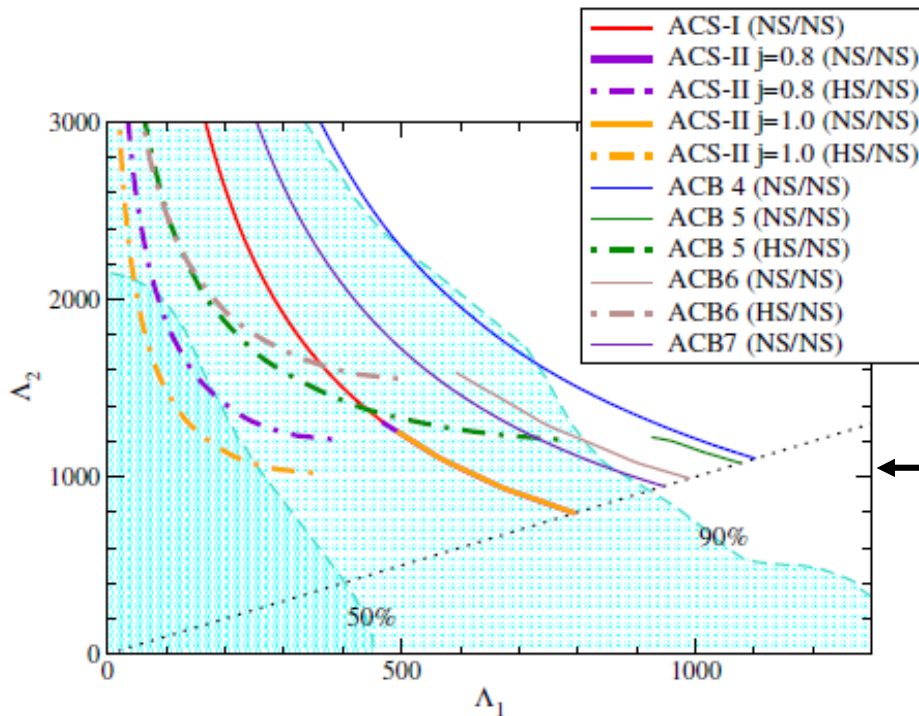
Post Merger:  
GRBs, Afterglows, and  
Kilonova



# GW170817: NS-NS Merger – Equation of State Constraints

Low-spin priors ( $|\chi| \leq 0.05$ )

Primary mass $m_1$	1.36–1.60 $M_\odot$
Secondary mass $m_2$	1.17–1.36 $M_\odot$
Chirp mass $\mathcal{M}$	$1.188^{+0.004}_{-0.002} M_\odot$
Mass ratio $m_2/m_1$	0.7–1.0
Total mass $m_{\text{tot}}$	$2.74^{+0.04}_{-0.01} M_\odot$
Radiated energy $E_{\text{rad}}$	$> 0.025 M_\odot c^2$
Luminosity distance $D_L$	$40^{+8}_{-14}$ Mpc



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V. Paschalidis, K. Yagi, D. Alvarez-Castillo, D.B., A. Sedrakian, arxiv:1712.00451  
Phys. Rev. D96 (2018) to appear April 24

**Suggestion:** The heavier NS be a hybrid star (HS) with a quark core, evtl. member of a “third family”!

# History: Third family & Nonidentical Twins

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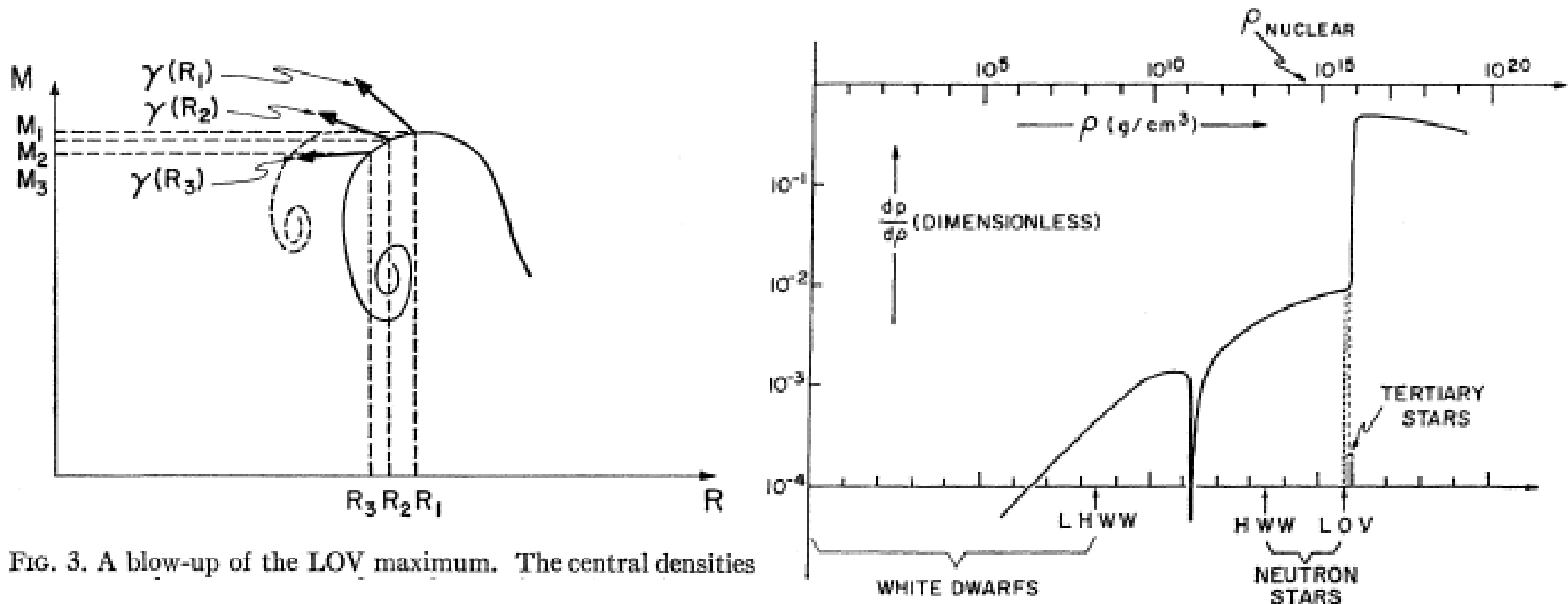


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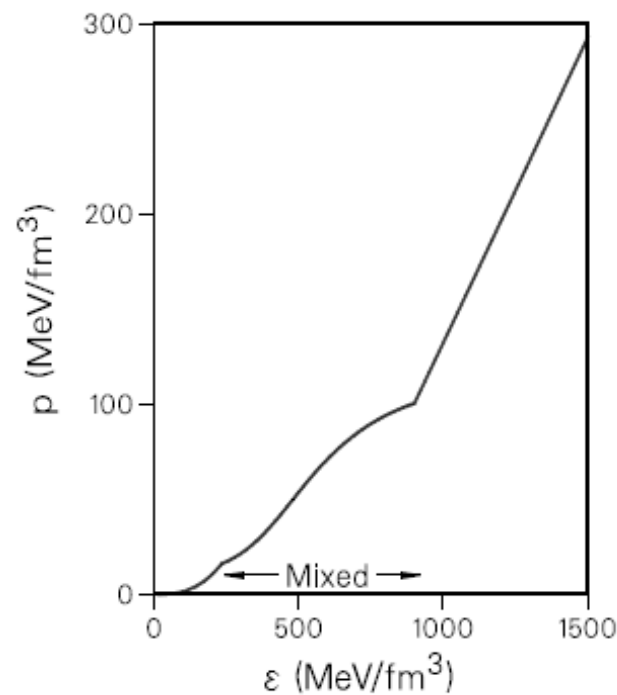
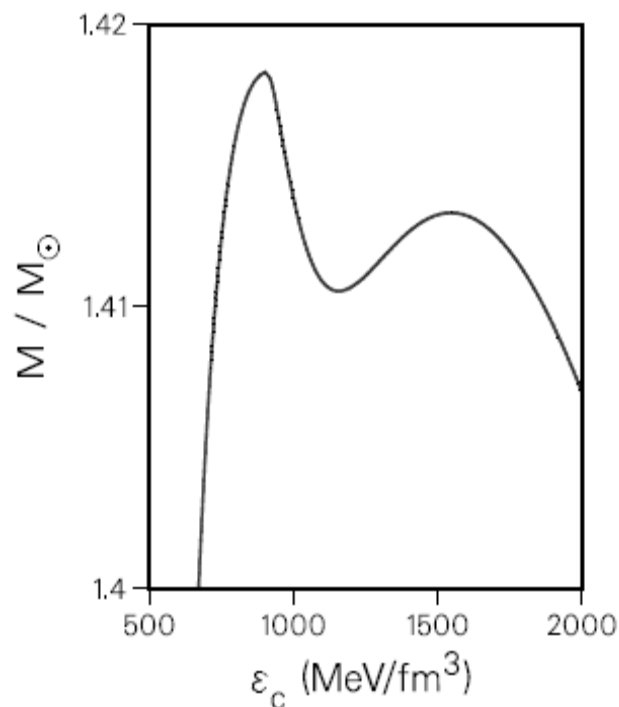
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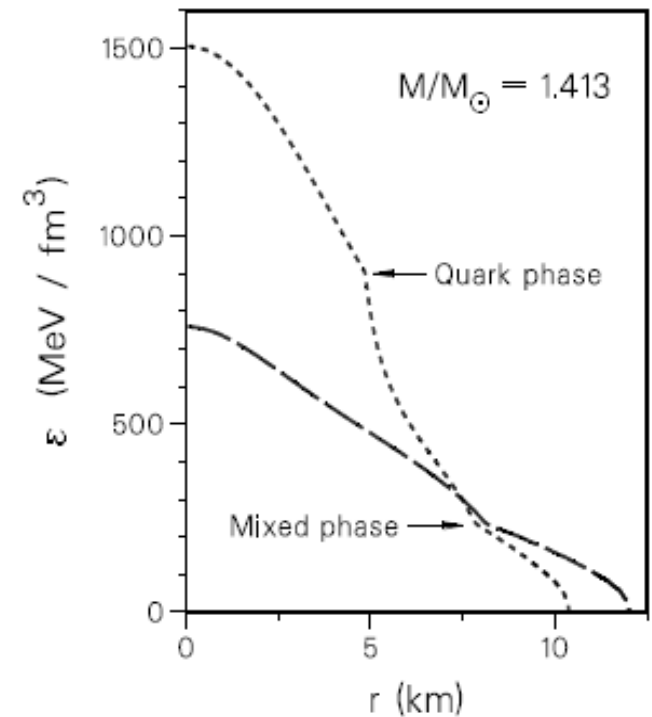
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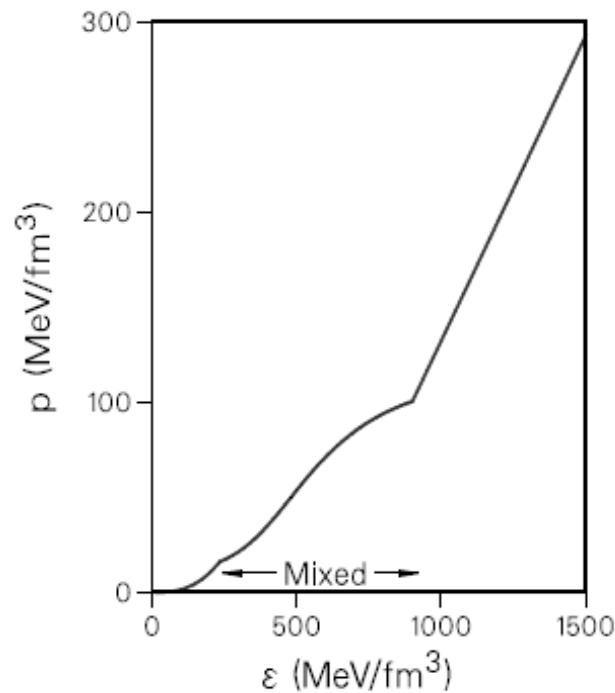
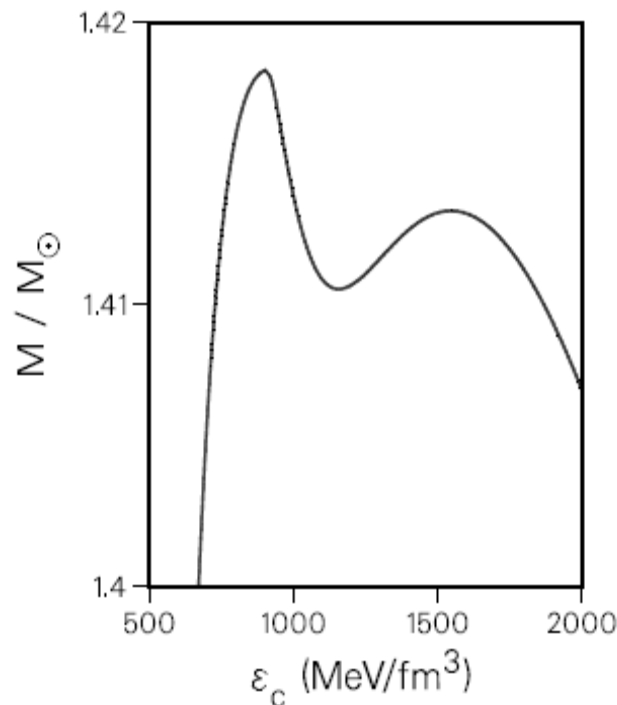
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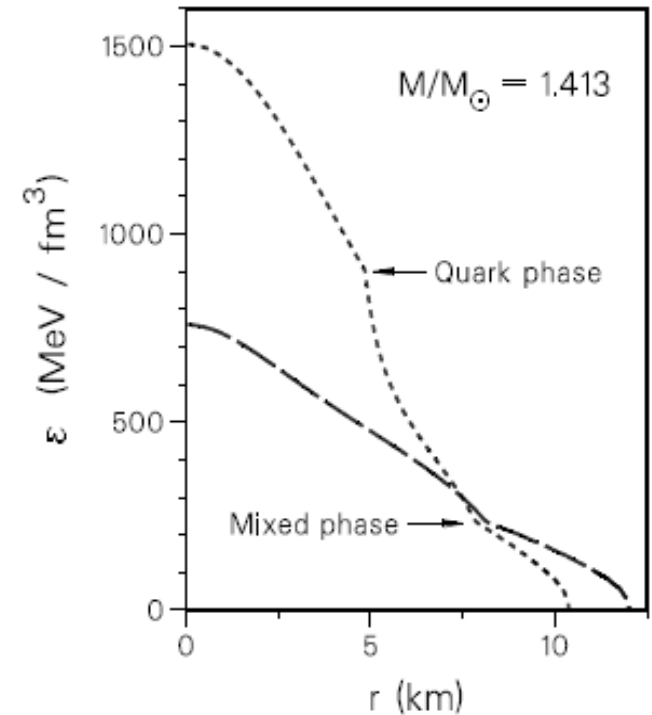
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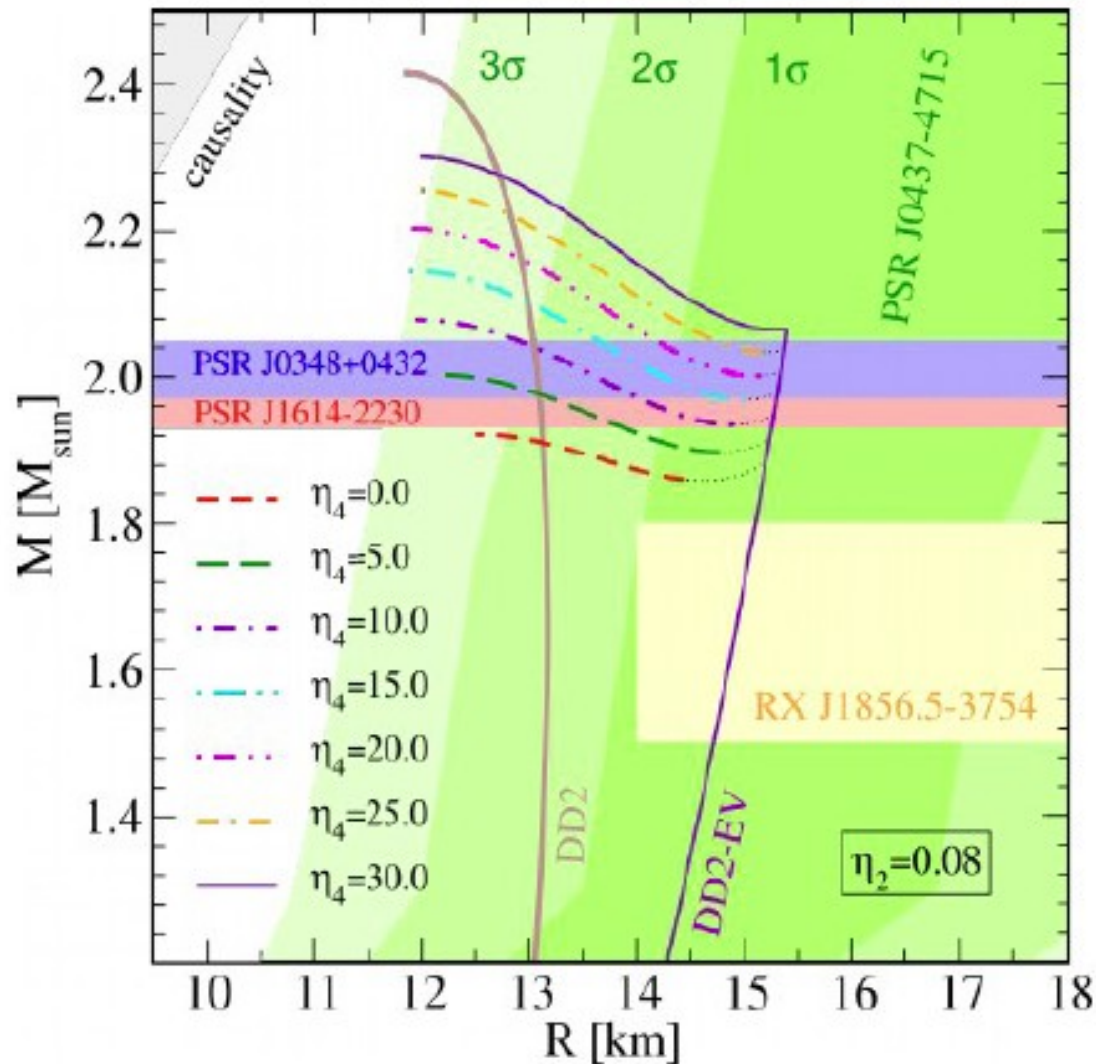
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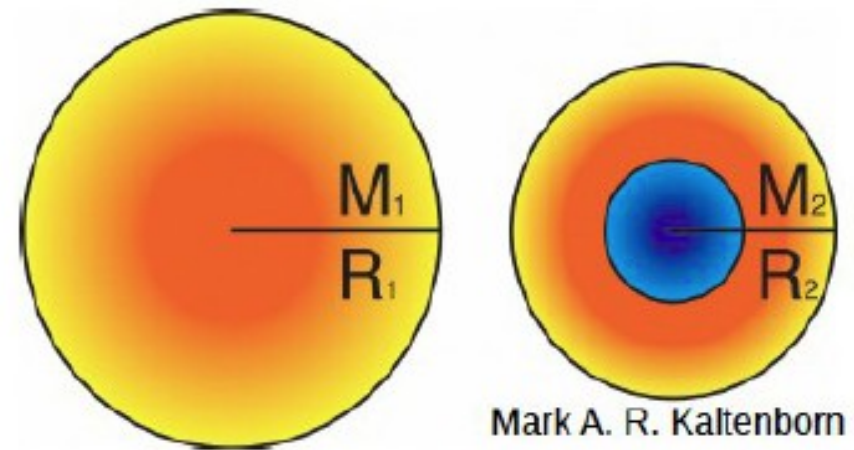
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→ does not fulfill 2Msun constraint ! ... Like all follow-up papers until ~2010 (B.K. Agrawal)

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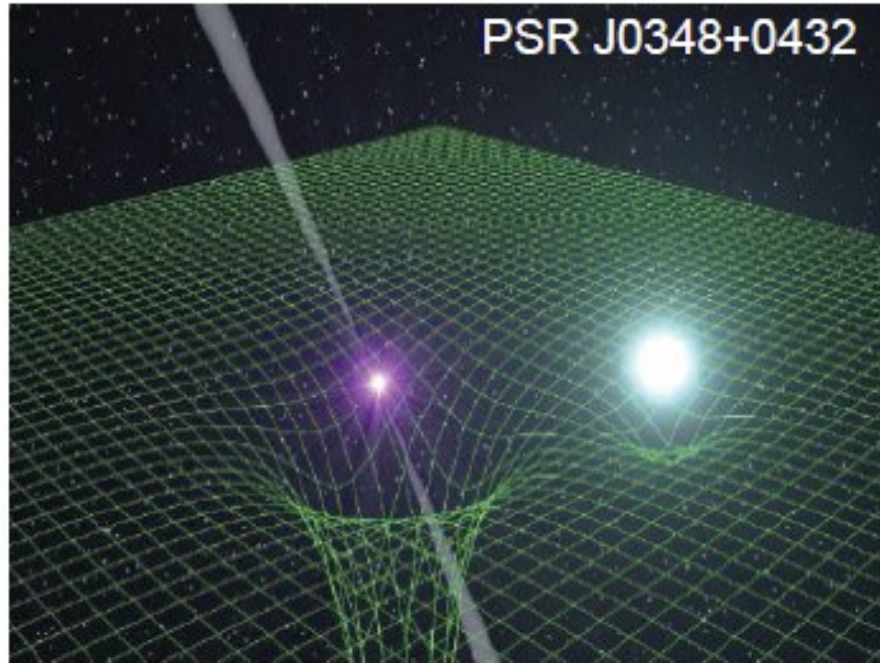


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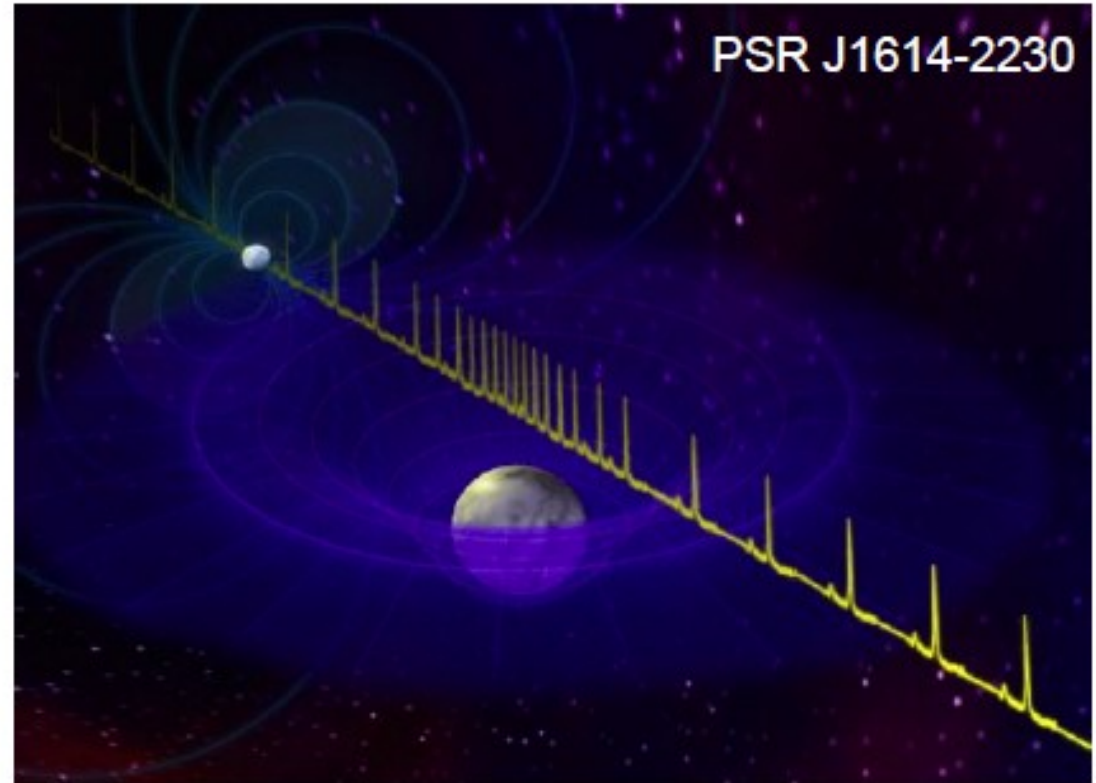
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Antoniadis et al., Science 340 (2013) 448  
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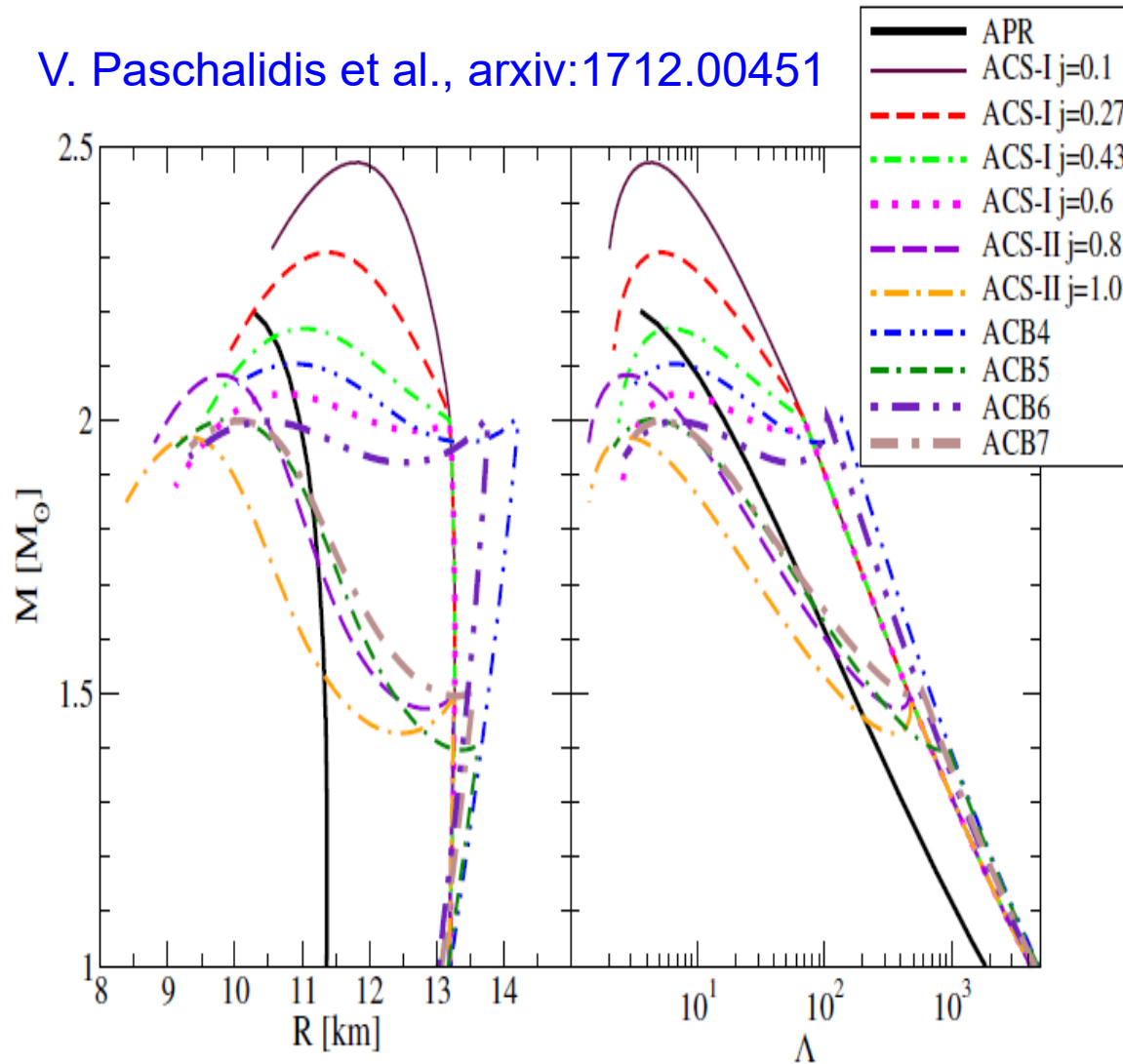


**What if they were high-mass twin stars?**

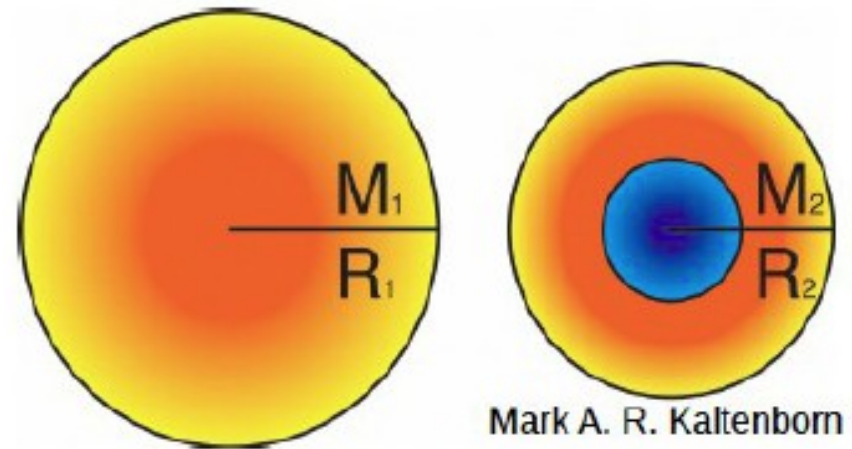
→ radius measurement required ! → NICER (2018/19)

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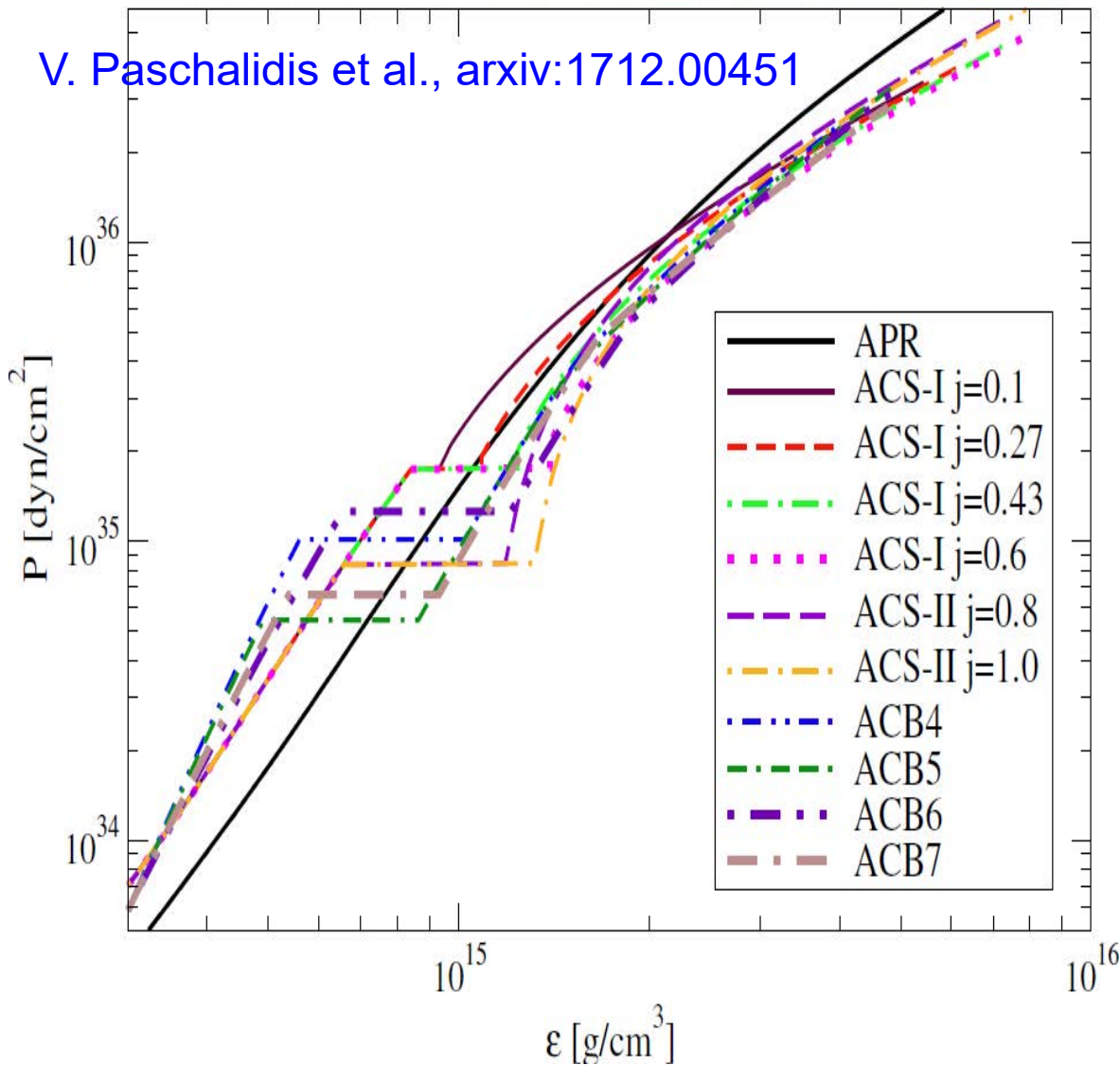
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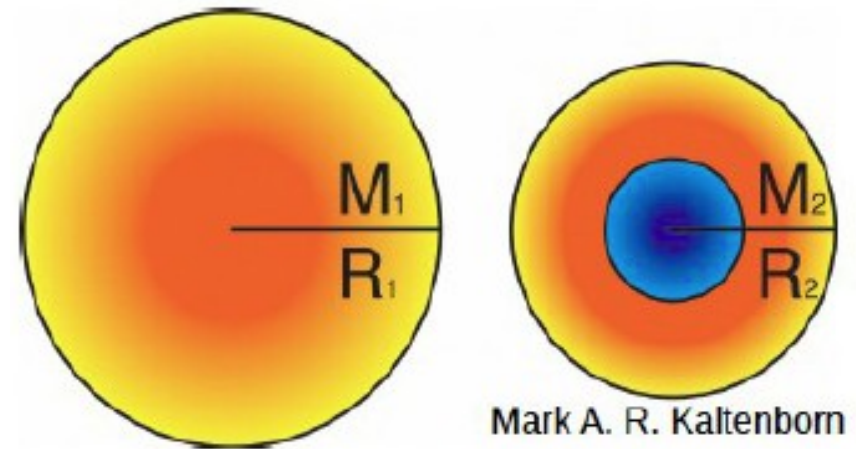
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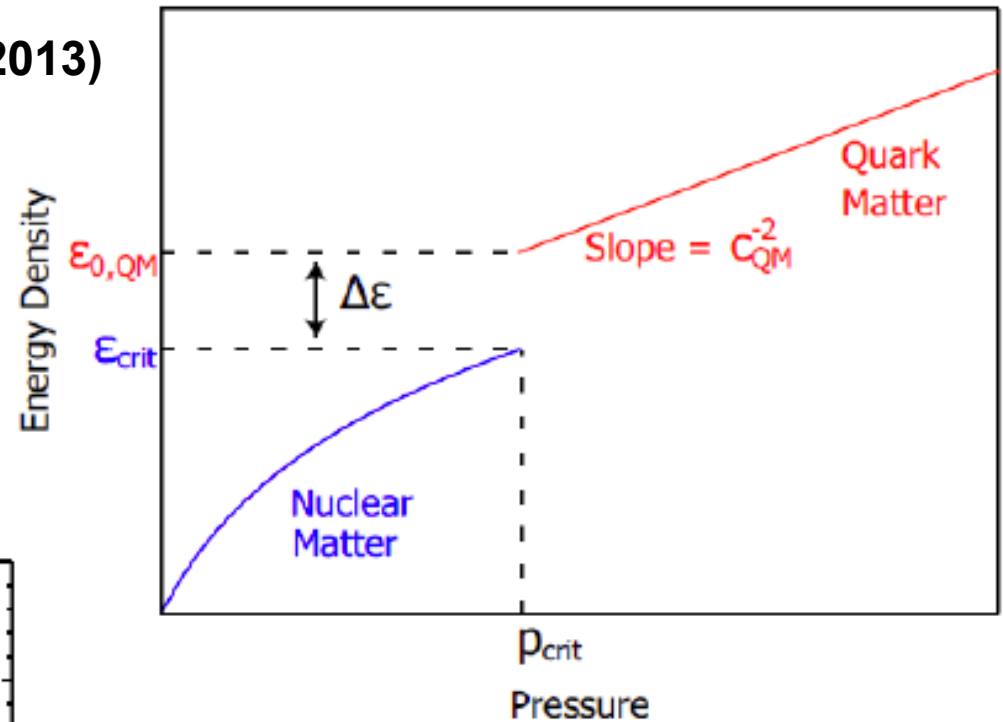
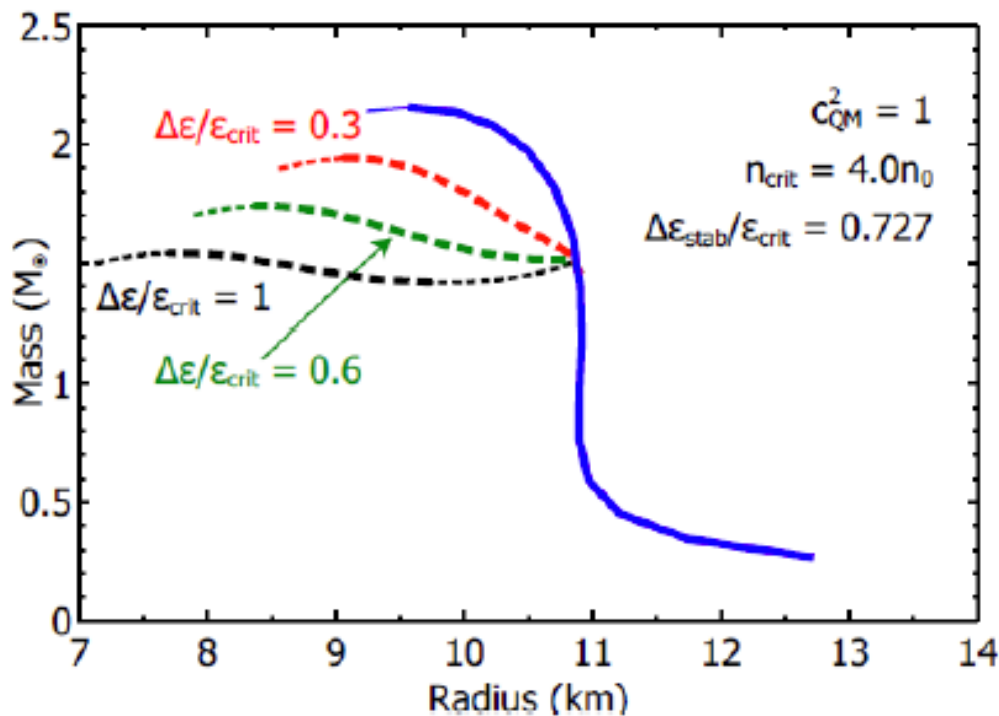
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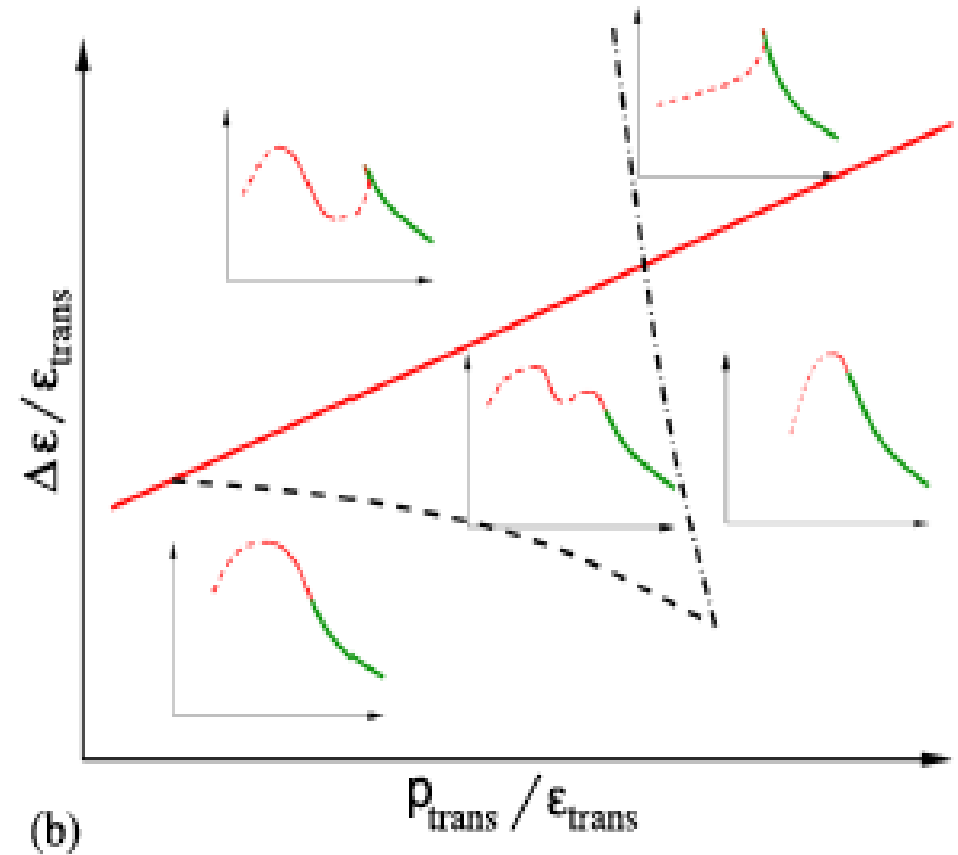
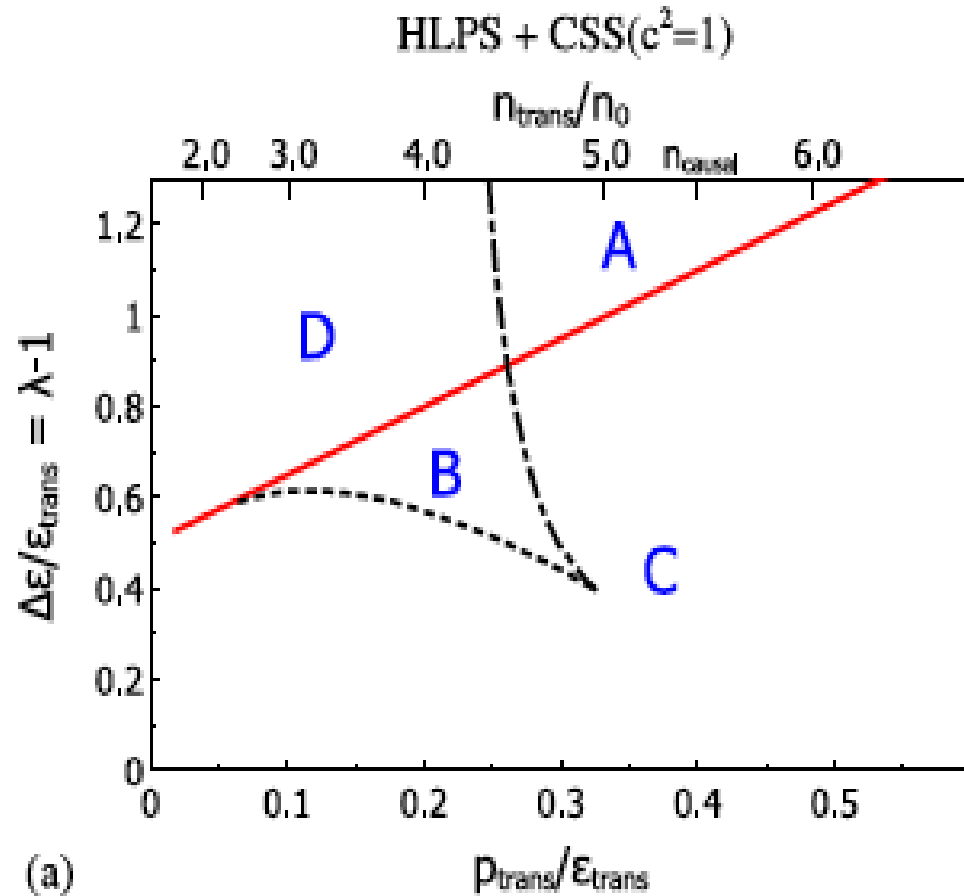
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First order PT can lead to a stable branch of hybrid stars with quark matter cores which, depending on the size of the “latent heat” (jump in energy density), can even be disconnected from the hadronic one by an unstable branch → “third family of CS”.



Measuring two disconnected populations of compact stars in the M-R diagram would be the detection of a first order phase transition in compact star matter and thus the indirect proof for the existence of a critical endpoint (CEP) in the QCD phase diagram!

# Key fact: Mass “twins” $\leftrightarrow$ 1<sup>st</sup> order PT



Systematic Classification [Alford, Han, Prakash: PRD88, 083013 (2013)]

EoS  $P(\epsilon) \leftrightarrow$  Compact star phenomenology  $M(R)$

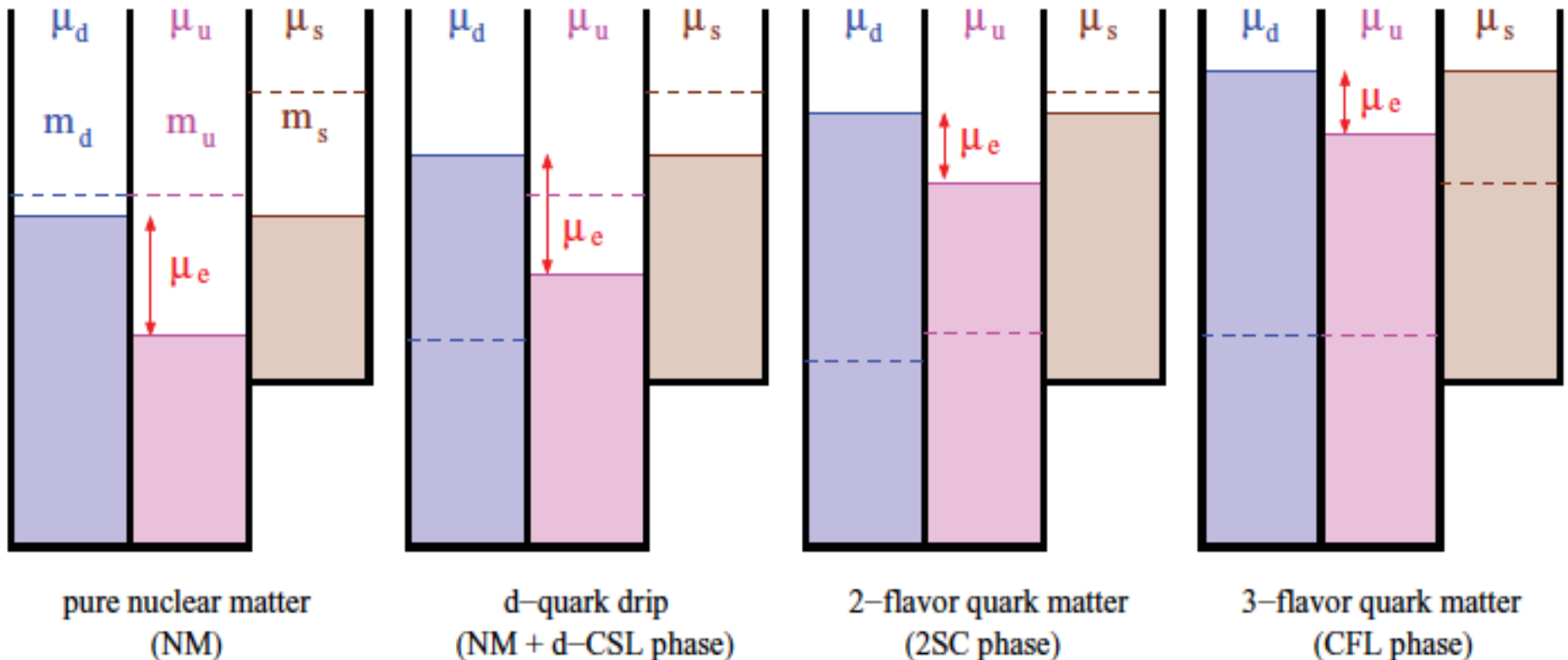
Most interesting and clear-cut cases: (D)isconnected and (B)oth – high-mass twins!

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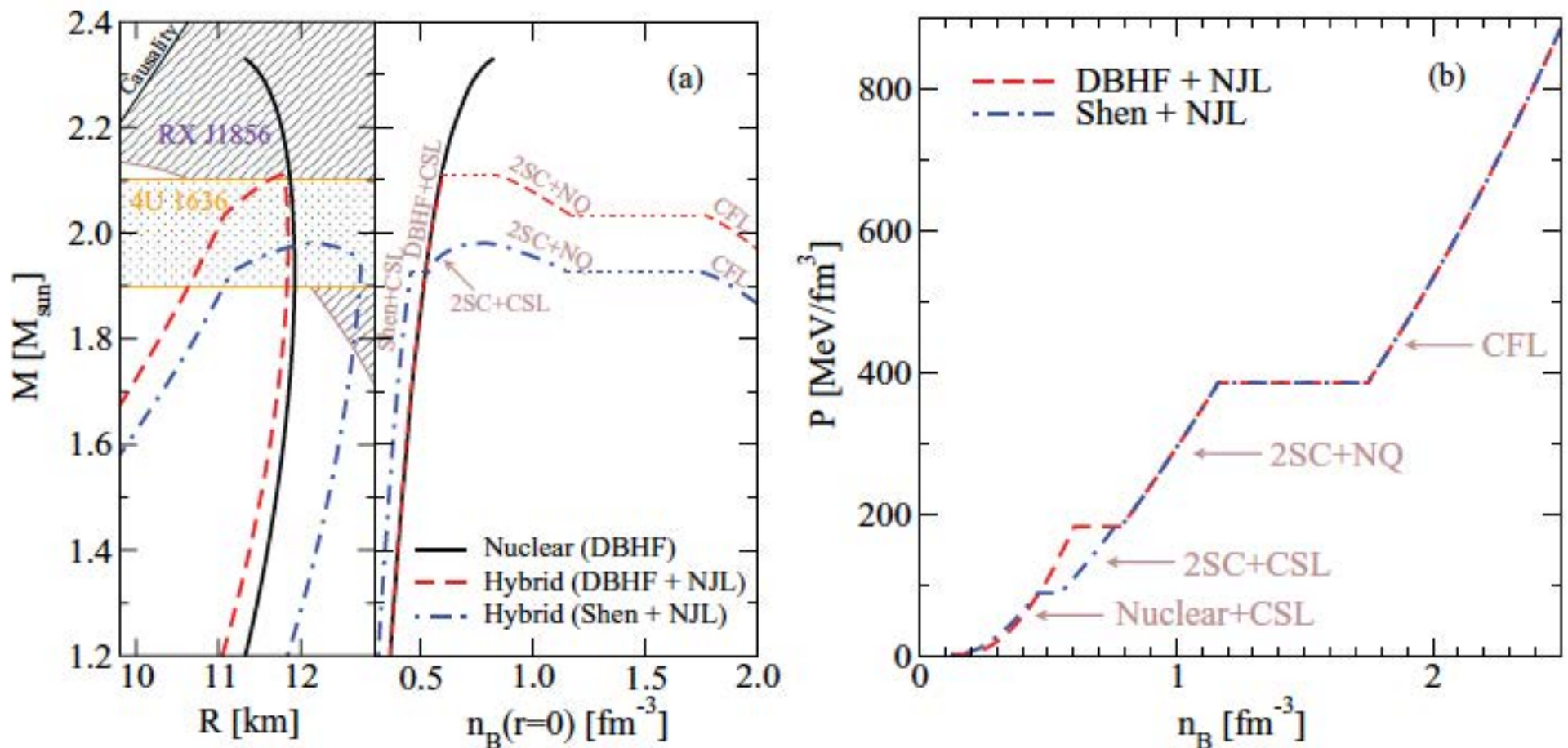
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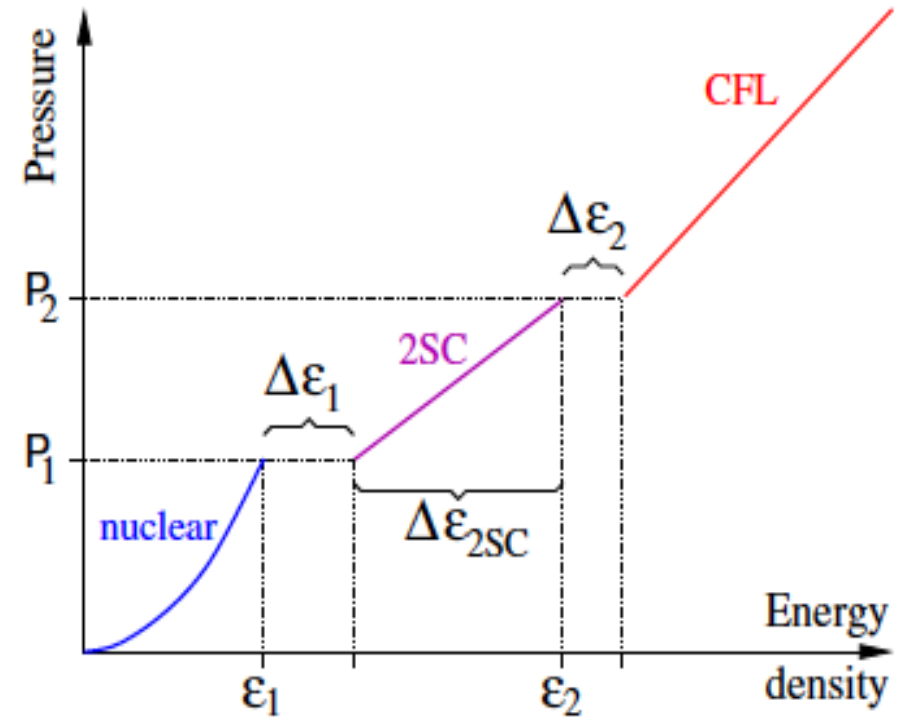
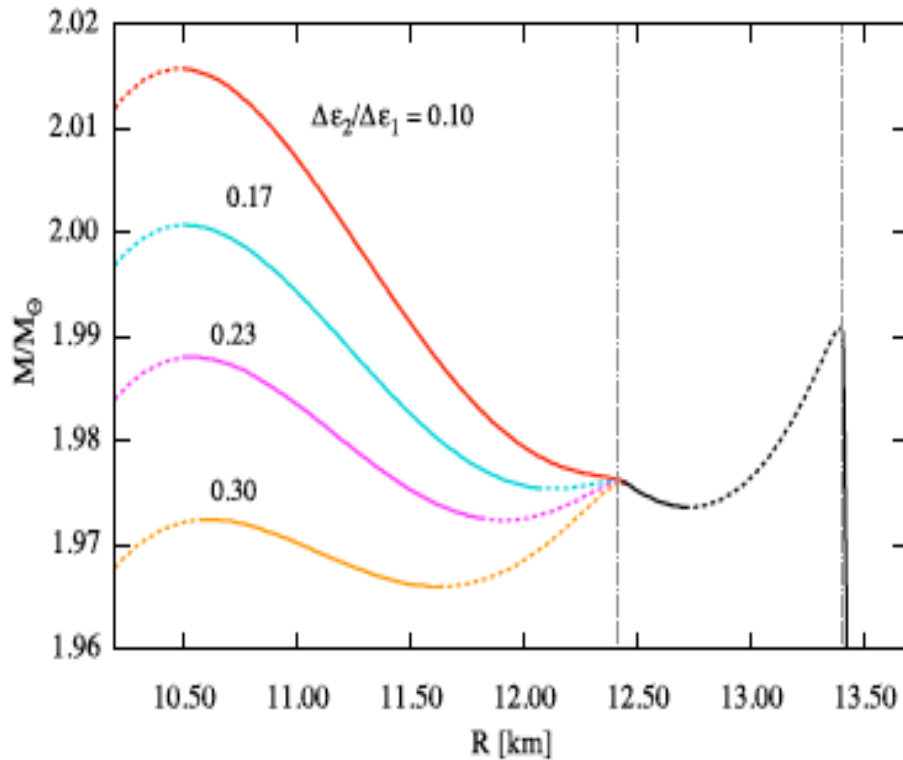


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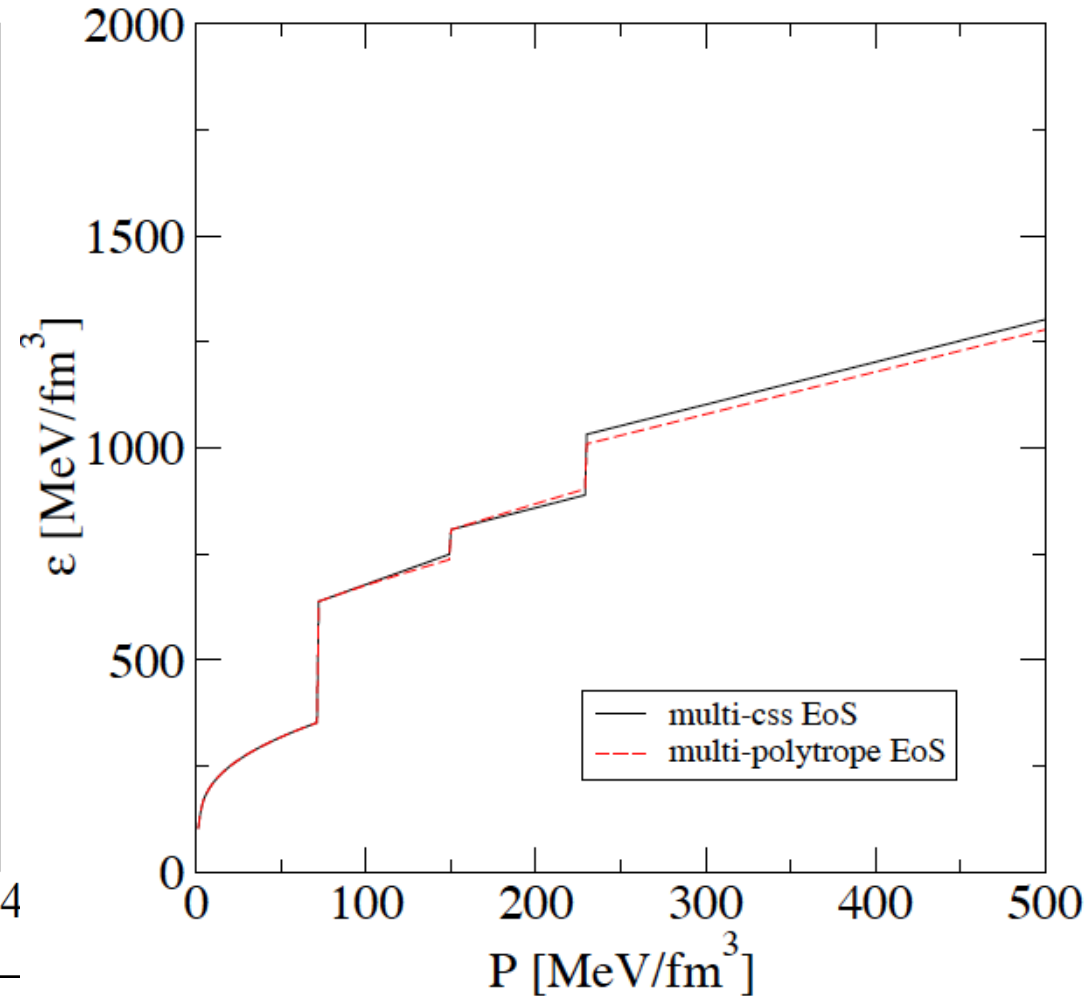
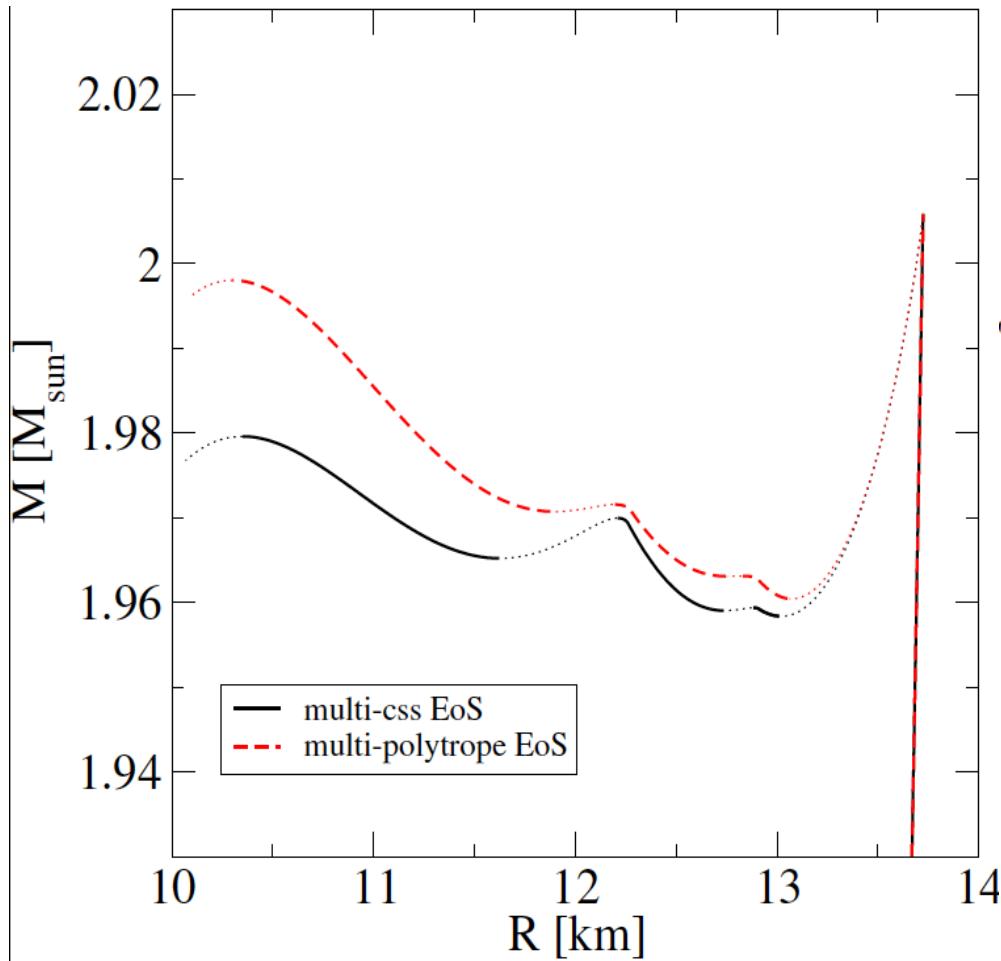


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# Relativistic density functional approach to quark matter - string-flip model (SFM)



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## Pauli quenching effects in a simple string model of quark/nuclear matter

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# Relativistic density functional approach\* (I)

$$\mathcal{Z} = \int \mathcal{D}\bar{q}\mathcal{D}q \exp \left\{ \int_0^\beta d\tau \int_V d^3x [\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} + \bar{q}\gamma_0\hat{\mu}q] \right\}, \quad q = \begin{pmatrix} q_u \\ q_d \end{pmatrix}, \quad \hat{\mu} = \text{diag}(\mu_u, \mu_d)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{free}} - U(\bar{q}q, \bar{q}\gamma_0q), \quad \mathcal{L}_{\text{free}} = \bar{q} \left( -\gamma_0 \frac{\partial}{\partial \tau} + i\vec{\gamma} \cdot \vec{\nabla} - \hat{m} \right) q, \quad \hat{m} = \text{diag}(m_u, m_d)$$

General nonlinear functional of quark density bilinears: scalar, vector, isovector, diquark ...  
Expansion around the expectation values:

$$U(\bar{q}q, \bar{q}\gamma_0q) = U(n_s, n_v) + (\bar{q}q - n_s)\Sigma_s + (\bar{q}\gamma_0q - n_v)\Sigma_v + \dots,$$

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$$\langle \bar{q}\gamma_0q \rangle = n_v = \sum_{f=u,d} n_{v,f} = \sum_{f=u,d} \frac{T}{V} \frac{\partial}{\partial \mu_f} \ln \mathcal{Z}, \quad \Sigma_v = \left. \frac{\partial U(\bar{q}q, \bar{q}\gamma_0q)}{\partial (\bar{q}\gamma_0q)} \right|_{\bar{q}\gamma_0q=n_v} = \frac{\partial U(n_s, n_v)}{\partial n_v}$$

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$$\mathcal{S}_{\text{quasi}}[\bar{q}, q] = \beta \sum_n \sum_{\vec{p}} \bar{q} G^{-1}(\omega_n, \vec{p}) q, \quad G^{-1}(\omega_n, \vec{p}) = \gamma_0(-i\omega_n + \hat{\mu}^*) - \vec{\gamma} \cdot \vec{p} - \hat{m}^*$$

\*This work was inspired by the textbook on “Thermodynamics and statistical mechanics” of the “red” series on Theoretical Physics by Walter Greiner and Coworkers.

# Relativistic density functional approach (II)

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$$\mathcal{Z}_{\text{quasi}} = \int \mathcal{D}\bar{q}\mathcal{D}q \exp \{ \mathcal{S}_{\text{quasi}}[\bar{q}, q] \} = \det[\beta G^{-1}], \quad \ln \det A = \text{Tr} \ln A$$

$$P_{\text{quasi}} = \frac{T}{V} \ln \mathcal{Z}_{\text{quasi}} = \frac{T}{V} \text{Tr} \ln[\beta G^{-1}] \quad \text{“no sea” approximation ...}$$

$$= 2N_c \sum_{f=u,d} \int \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \left\{ T \ln \left[ 1 + e^{-\beta(E_f^* - \mu_f^*)} \right] + T \ln \left[ 1 + e^{-\beta(E_f^* + \mu_f^*)} \right] \right\}$$

$$P_{\text{quasi}} = \sum_{f=u,d} \int \frac{dp}{\pi^2} \frac{p^4}{E_f^*} [f(E_f^* - \mu_f^*) + f(E_f^* + \mu_f^*)] \quad E_f^* = \sqrt{p^2 + m_f^{*2}}$$

$$f(E) = 1/[1 + \exp(\beta E)]$$

$$P = \sum_{f=u,d} \int_0^{p_{F,f}} \frac{dp}{\pi^2} \frac{p^4}{E_f^*} - \Theta[n_s, n_v], \quad p_{F,f} = \sqrt{\mu_f^{*2} - m_f^{*2}}$$

$$\hat{m}^* = \hat{m} + \Sigma_s$$

$$\hat{\mu}^* = \hat{\mu} - \Sigma_v$$

Selfconsistent densities

$$n_s = - \sum_{f=u,d} \frac{\partial P}{\partial m_f} = \frac{3}{\pi^2} \sum_{f=u,d} \int_0^{p_{F,f}} dp p^2 \frac{m_f^*}{E_f^*}, \quad n_v = \sum_{f=u,d} \frac{\partial P}{\partial \mu_f} = \frac{3}{\pi^2} \sum_{f=u,d} \int_0^{p_{F,f}} dp p^2 = \frac{p_{F,u}^3 + p_{F,d}^3}{\pi^2}.$$

# Relativistic density functional approach (III)

Density functional for the SFM

$$U(n_s, n_v) = D(n_v)n_s^{2/3} + an_v^2 + \frac{bn_v^4}{1 + cn_v^2},$$

Quark selfenergies

$$\Sigma_s = \frac{2}{3}D(n_v)n_s^{-1/3}, \quad \text{Quark "confinement"}$$

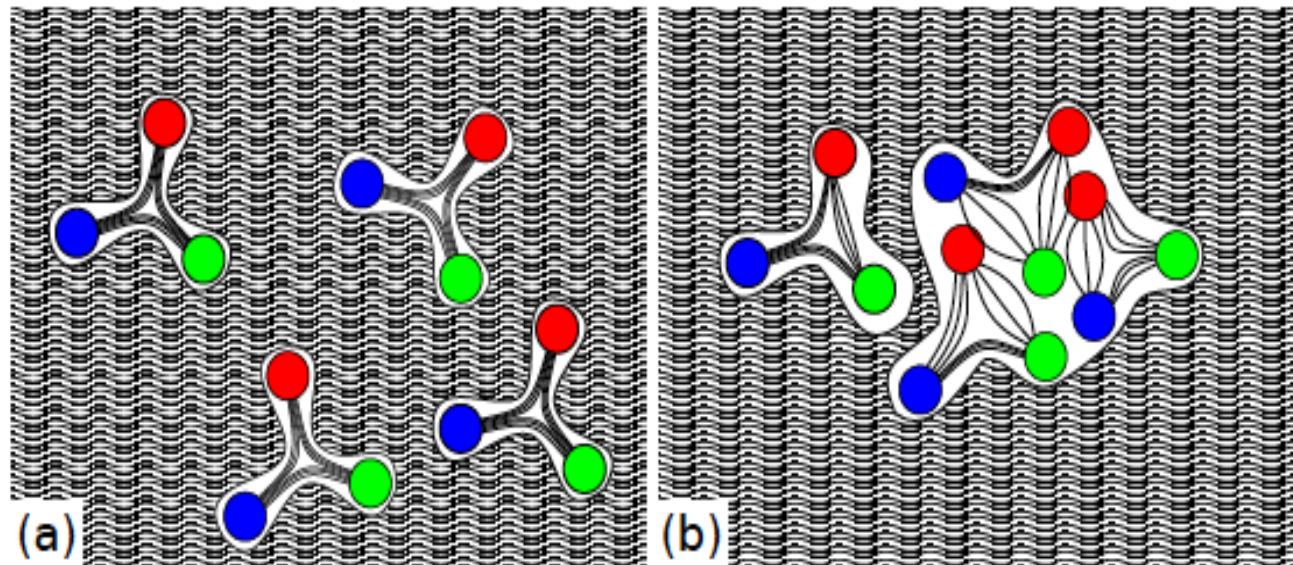
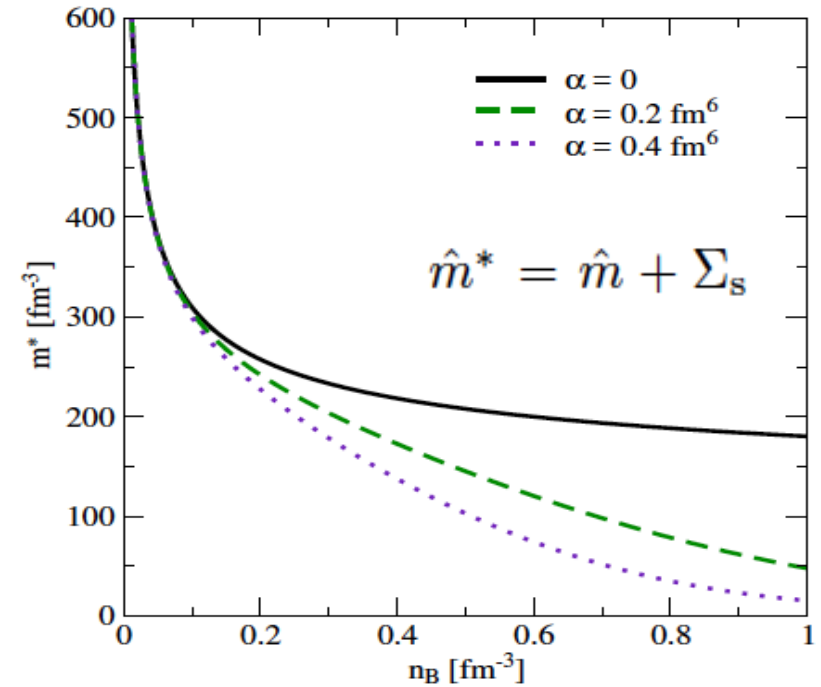
$$\Sigma_v = 2an_v + \frac{4bn_v^3}{1 + cn_v^2} - \frac{2bcn_v^5}{(1 + cn_v^2)^2} + \frac{\partial D(n_v)}{\partial n_v}n_s^{2/3}$$

String tension & confinement due to dual Meissner effect (dual superconductor model)

$$D(n_v) = D_0\Phi(n_v)$$

Effective screening of the string tension in dense matter by a reduction of the available volume  $\alpha = v|v|/2$

$$\Phi(n_B) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } n_B < n_0 \\ e^{-\alpha(n_B - n_0)^2}, & \text{if } n_B > n_0 \end{cases}$$



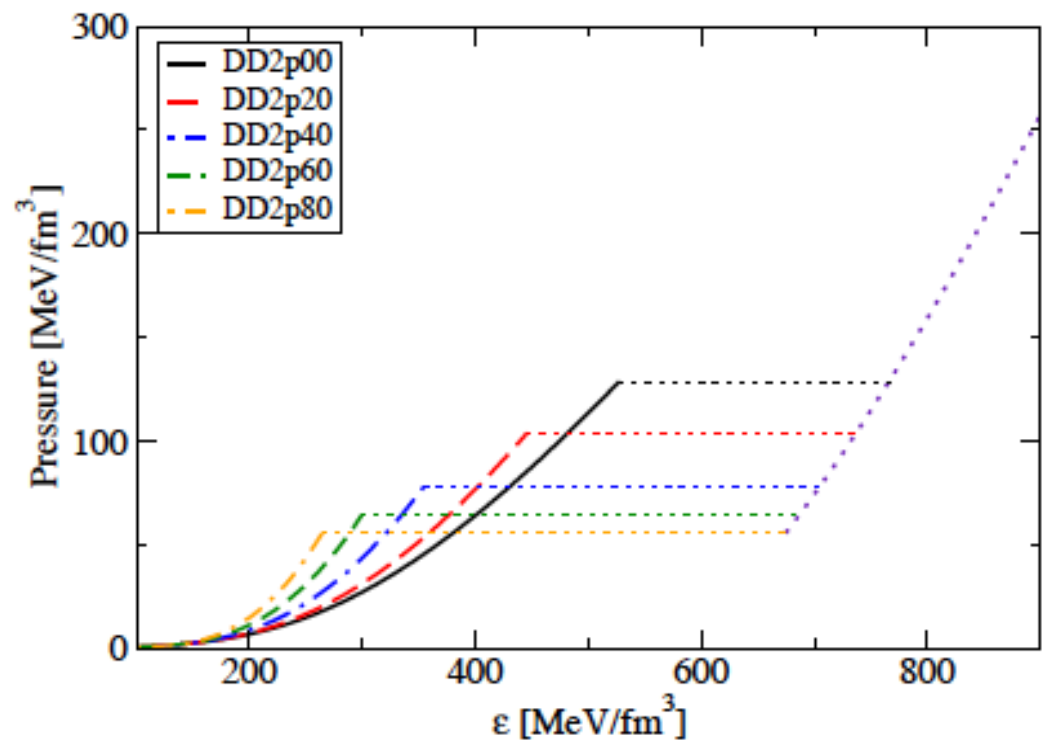
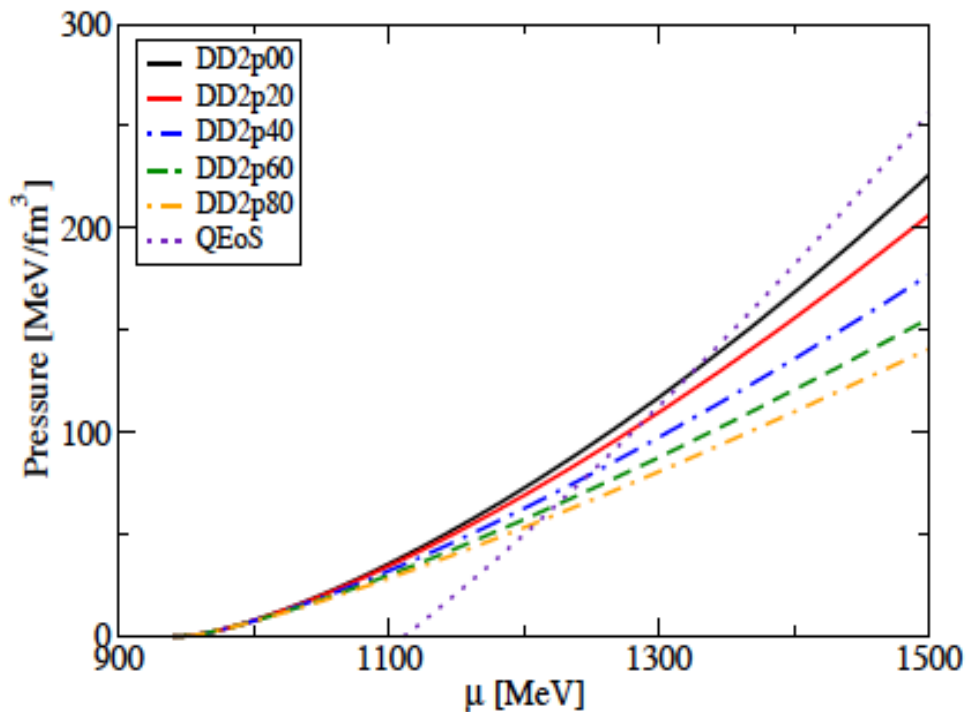
# Phase transition from hadronic to SFM quark matter

Hadronic matter: DD2 with excluded volume

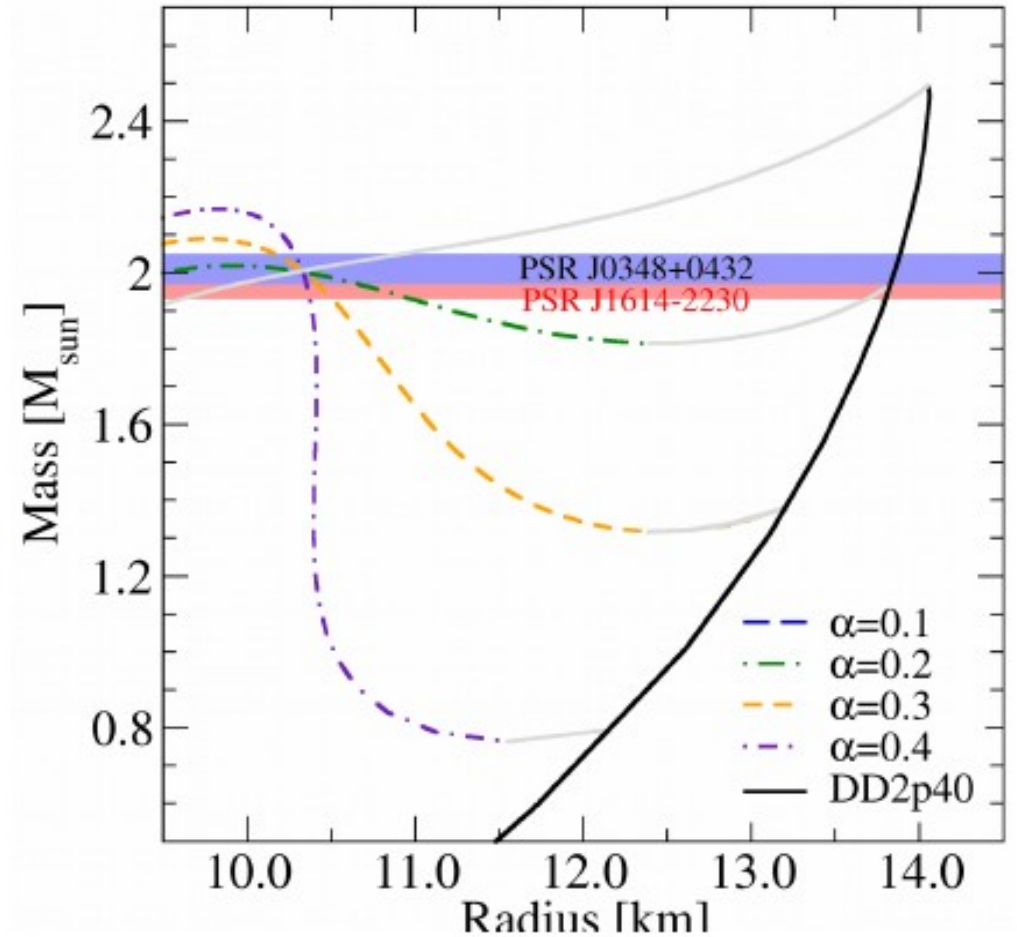
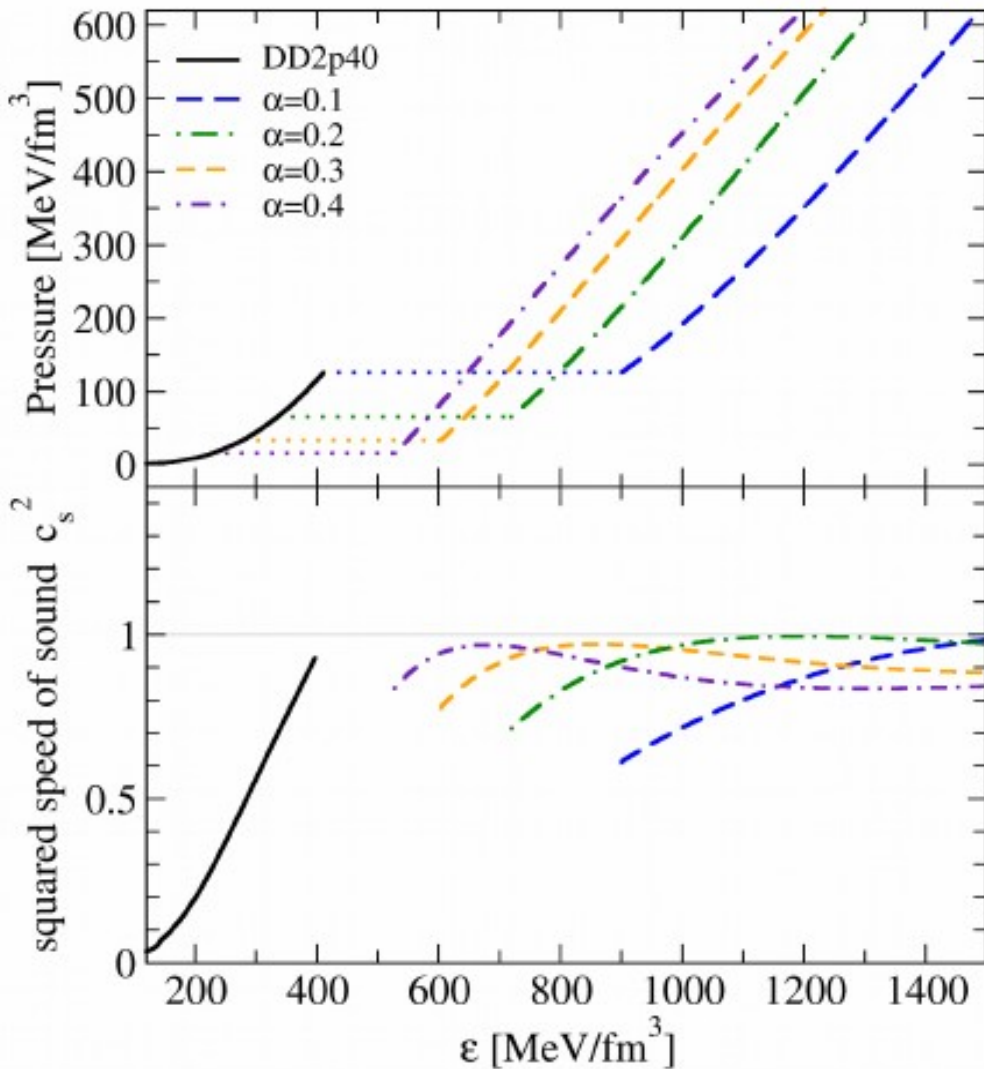
[S. Typel, EPJA 52 (3) (2016)]

$$\Phi_n = \Phi_p = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } n_B < n_0 \\ e^{-\frac{v|v|}{2}(n_B - n_0)^2}, & \text{if } n_B > n_0 \end{cases}$$

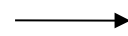
Varying the hadronic excluded volume parameter, p00  $\rightarrow$  v=0, ... , p80  $\rightarrow$  v=8 fm<sup>3</sup>



# Hybrid EoS: high-mass and low-mass twins (3<sup>rd</sup> family) !



Kaltenborn, Bastian, Blaschke, arXiv:1701.04400



Phys. Rev. D 96, 056024 (2017)

Results of Maxwell construction! Could pasta phases remove the twins (3<sup>rd</sup> family instability)?



# Pasta phases – robustness of 3<sup>rd</sup> family?



Tatsumi-san,  
Voskresensky-san,  
Nara (2000)

A. Ayriyan, N.-U.Bastian, D.B., H. Grigorian, K. Maslov, D. Voskresensky;  
Phys. Rev. D96, 045802 (2018); [arxiv:1711.03926]

K. Maslov, N. Yasutake, A. Ayriyan, D.B., H. Grigorian, T. Maruyama, T. Tatsumi,  
D. Voskresensky; in preparation

# Robustness of Twins against Pasta Phase Effects

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## Robustness of third family solutions for hybrid stars against mixed phase effects

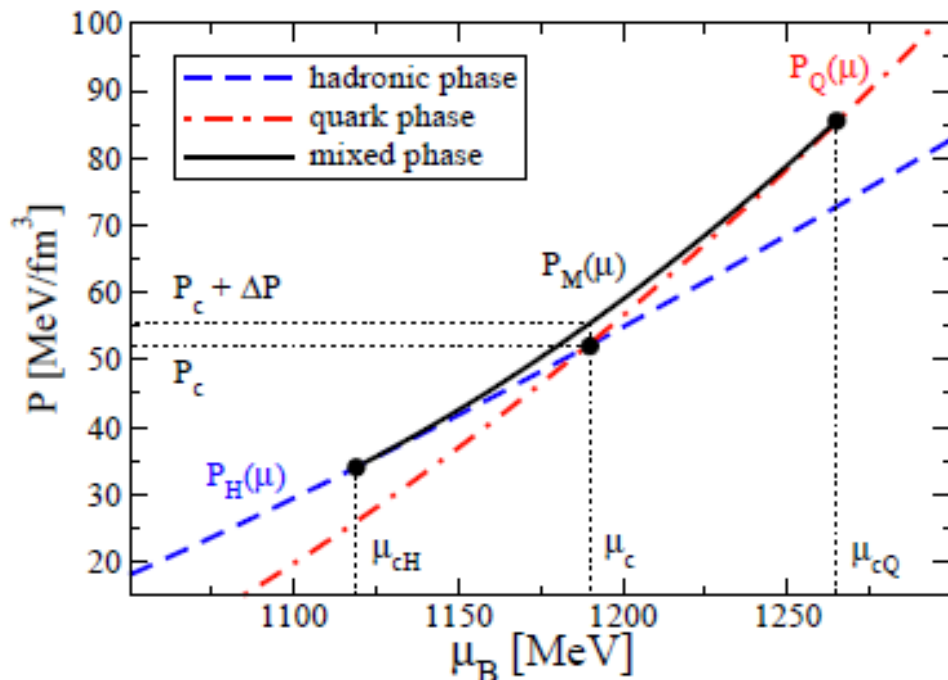
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Strong 1<sup>st</sup> order transition (large density jump)  
 → surface tension large → structures (pasta phases)

Simple interpolation ansatz (Ayriyan et al.(2017)):

$$P_M(\mu) = a(\mu - \mu_c)^2 + b(\mu - \mu_c) + P_c + \Delta P.$$

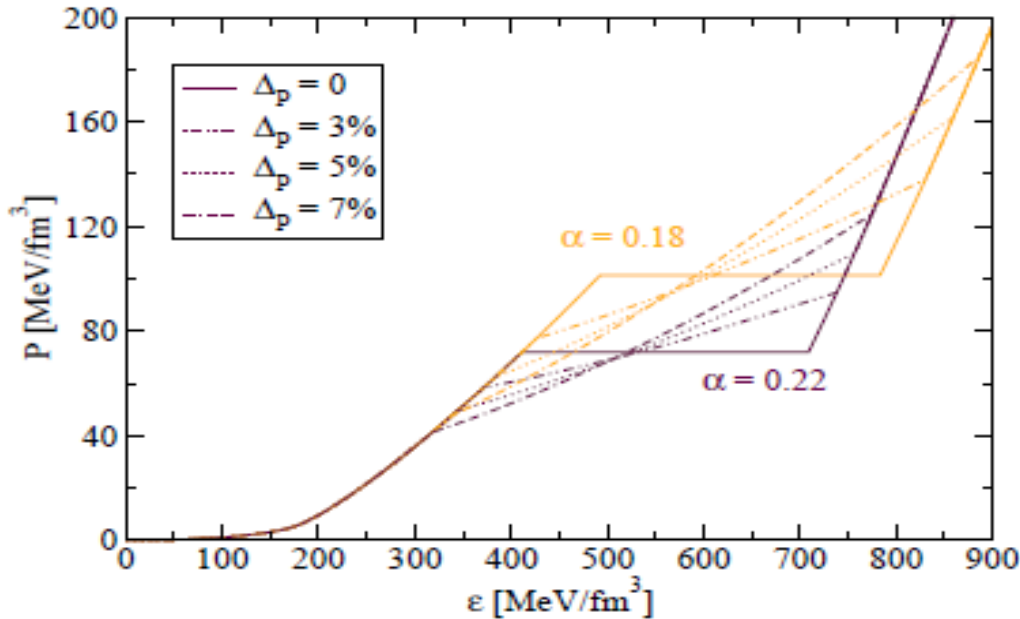
Continuity of pressure:  $P_M(\mu_{cH}) = P_H(\mu_{cH}) = P_H$

$$P_M(\mu_{cQ}) = P_Q(\mu_{cQ}) = P_Q,$$

and density:  $n_M(\mu_{cH}) = n_H(\mu_{cH})$

$$n_M(\mu_{cQ}) = n_Q(\mu_{cQ})$$

# Robustness of Twins against Pasta Phase Effects

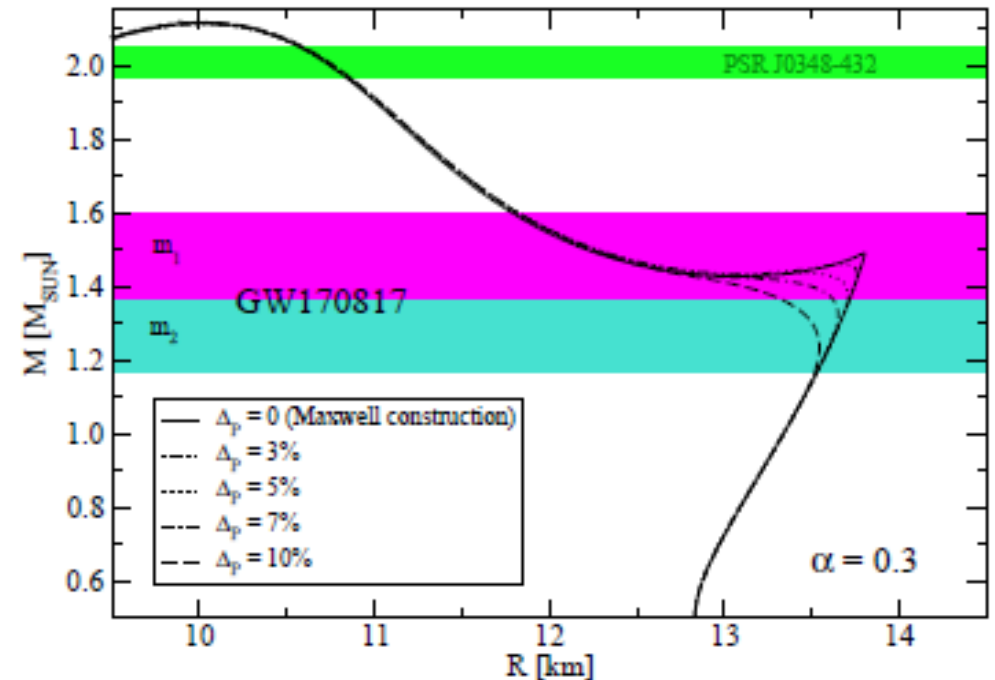
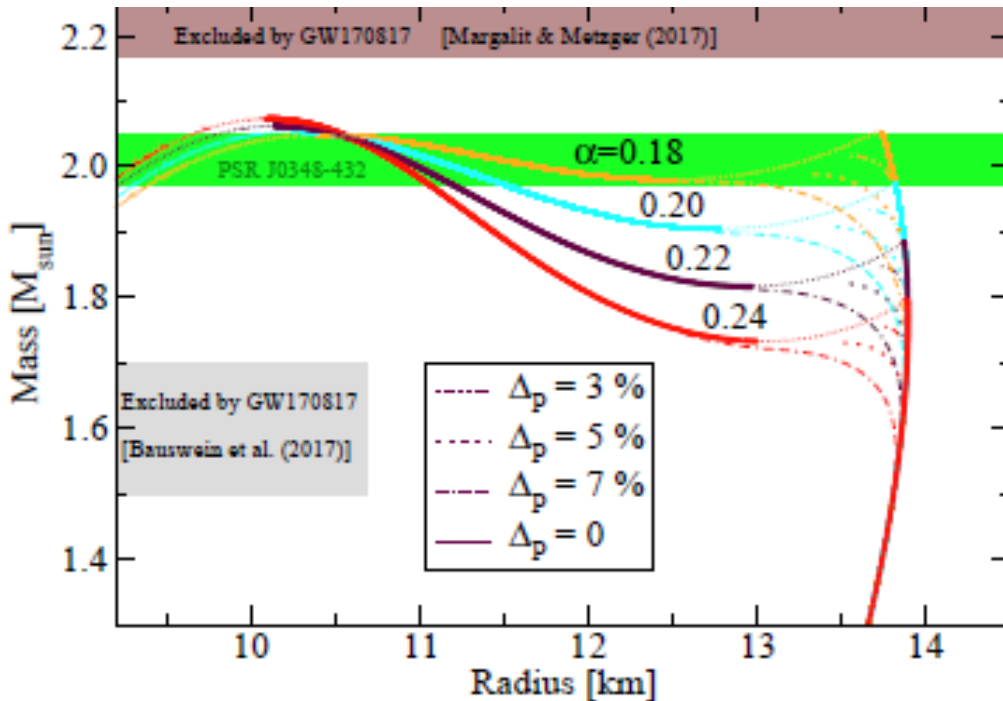


## Result:

3<sup>rd</sup> family solutions (i.e. also the mass twins) are robust against pasta phase effects (mimicked by interpolation) for  $\Delta_p < 5\%$

GW170817 could have been a HS-NS or even A HS-HS merger rather than NS-NS merger !!

Ayriyan et al., PRD96, 045802 (2018) [arxiv:1711.03926]



# Robustness of Twins against Pasta Phase Effects

Hybrid equation of state with pasta phases and third family of compact stars  
 I: Pasta phases and effective mixed phase model

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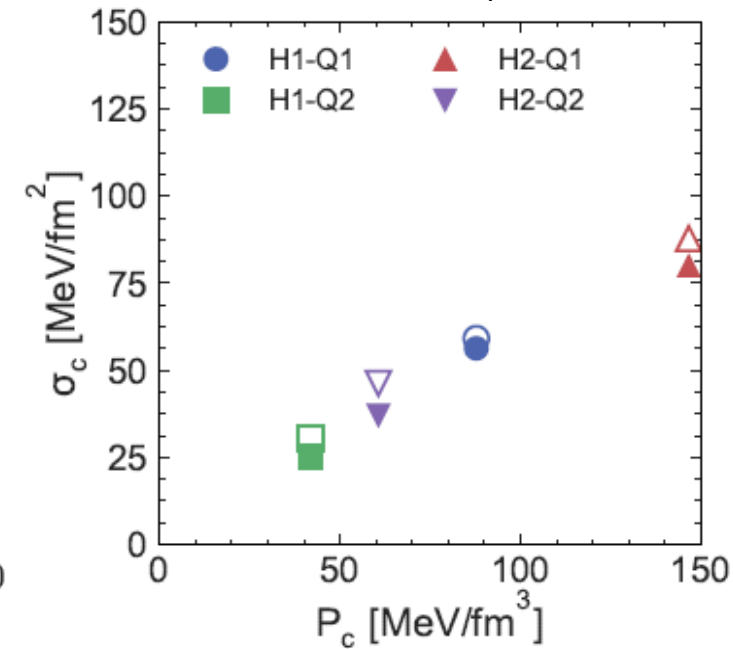
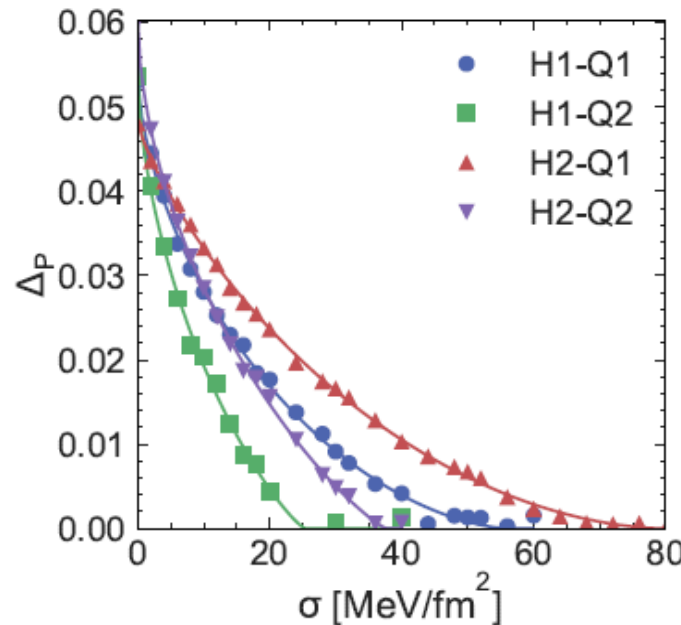
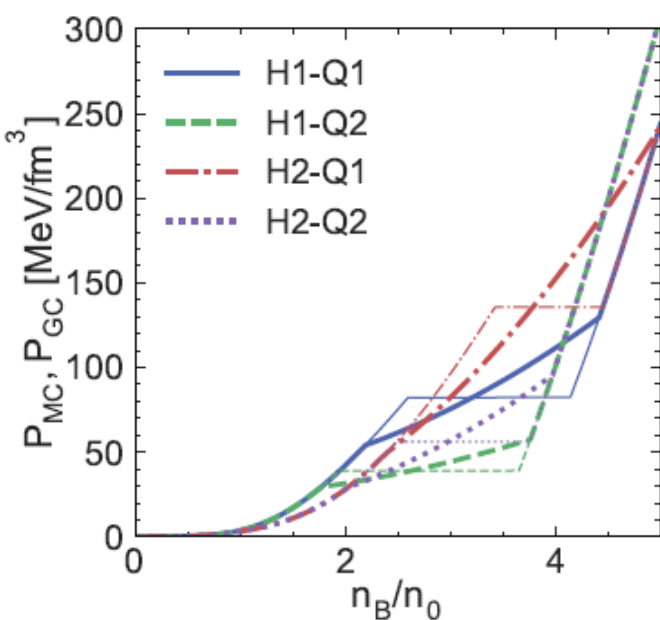
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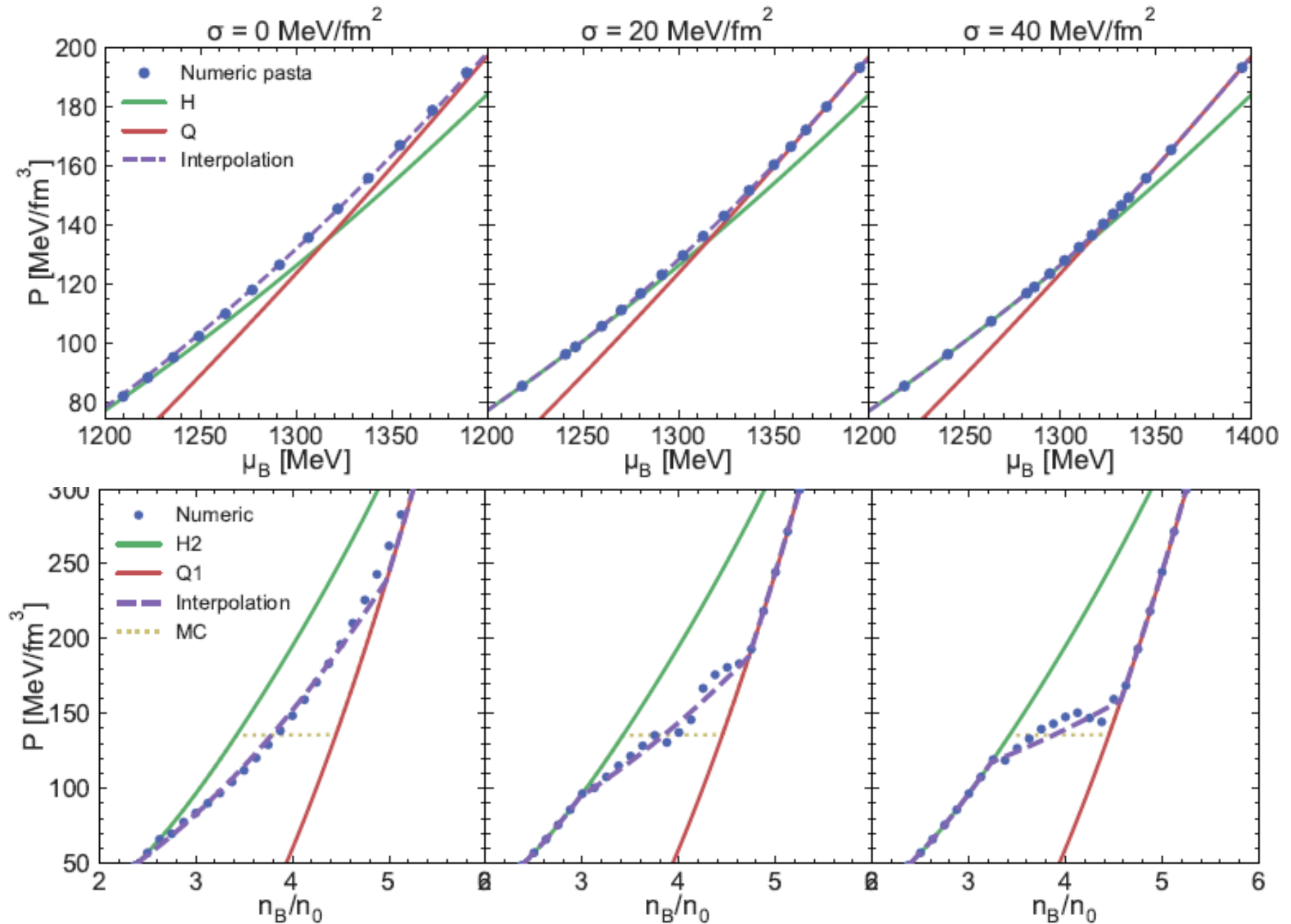
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(Dated: May 26, 2018)

**Q:** Can real pasta calculations be approximated by the interpolation? **A:** Yes! And  $\Delta_p < 5\%$  ...



# Robustness of Twins against Pasta Phase Effects

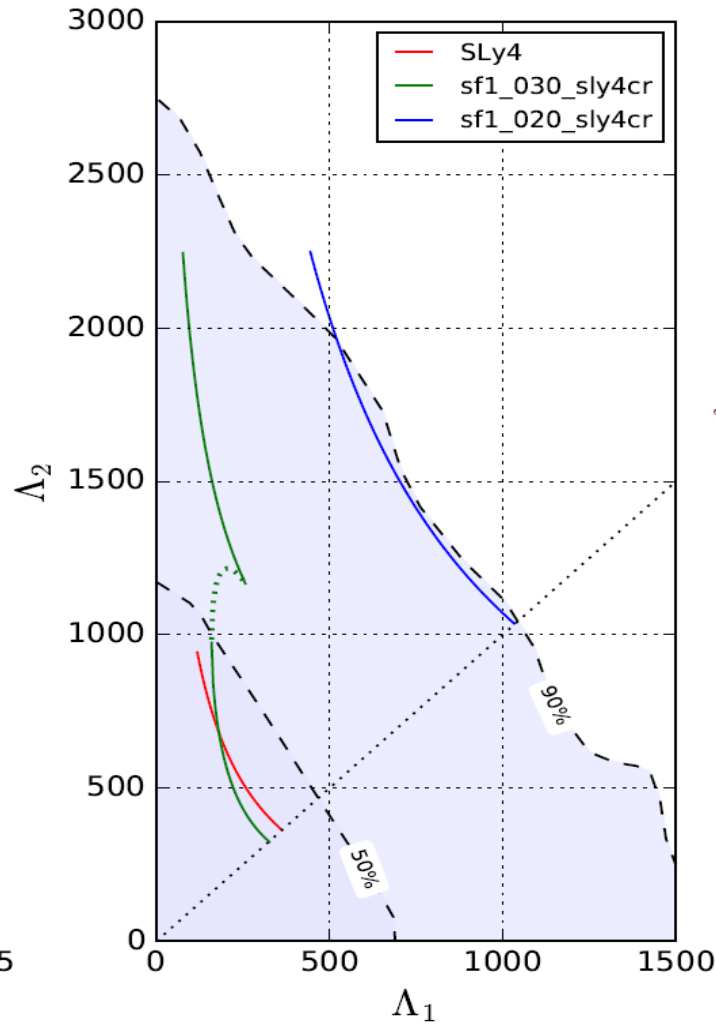
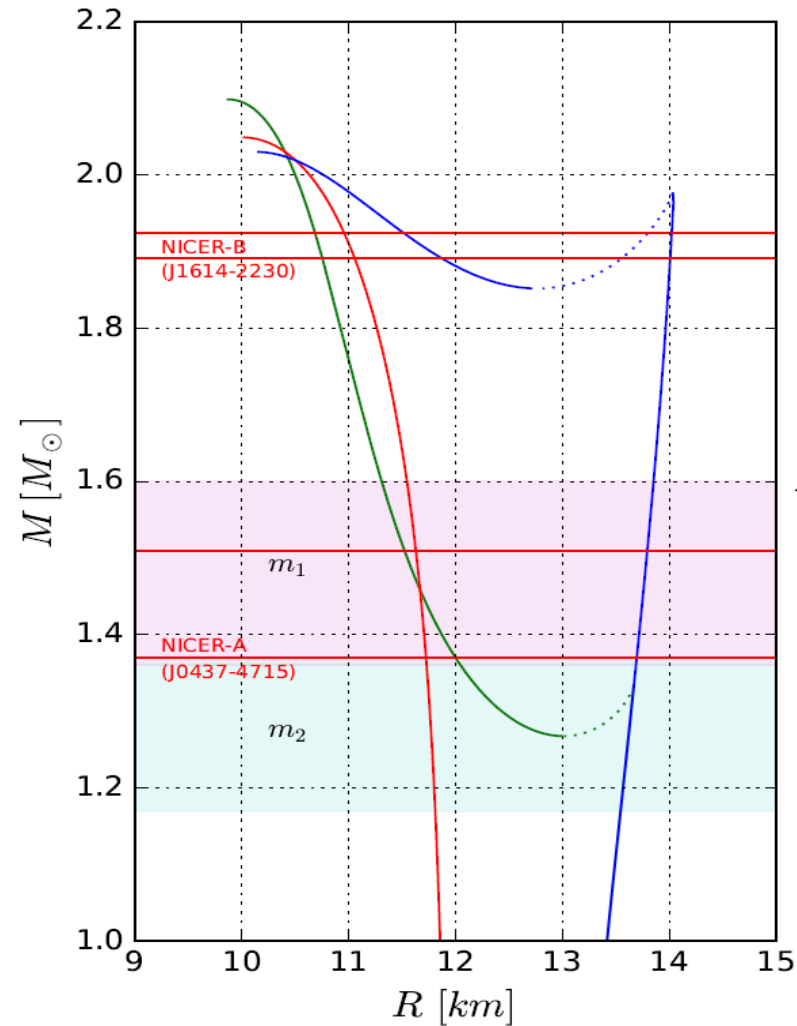


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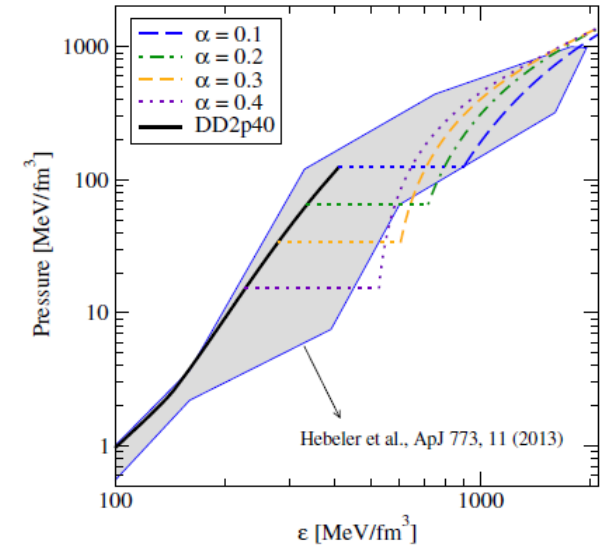
Thanks to the collaborators !

# Discover the 3<sup>rd</sup> family – NICER vs. GW170817



**EoS:**

DD2\_P40 – SFM\_α=0.3  
M. Kaltenborn et al.  
PRD 96 (2017) 056024



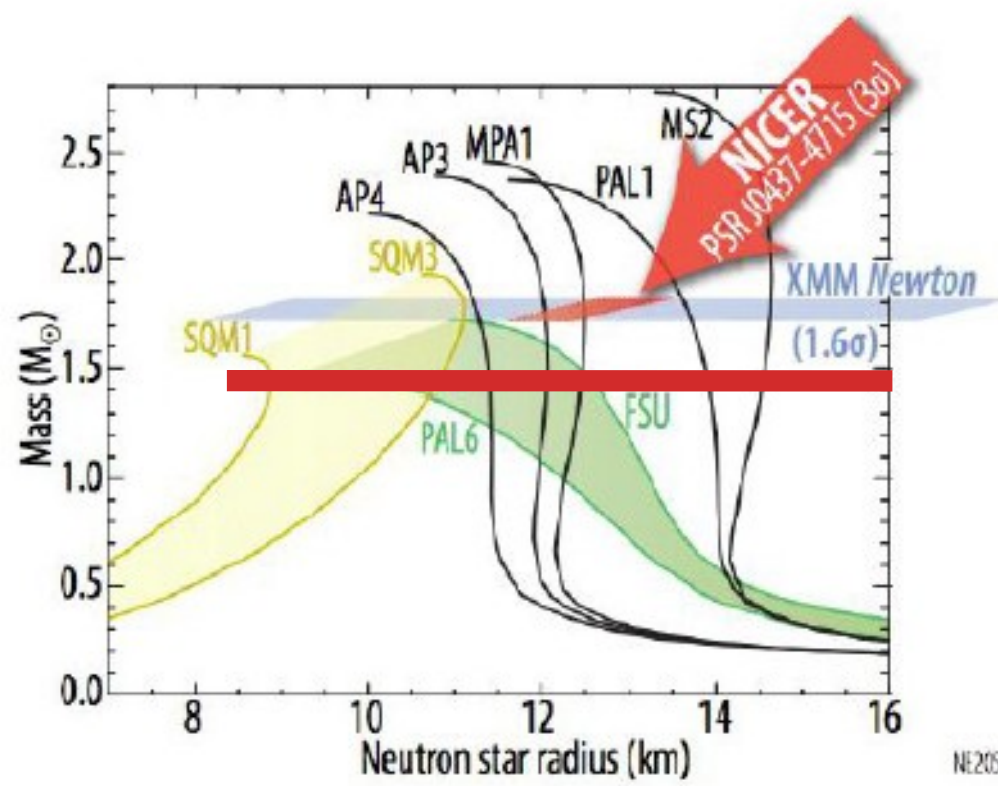
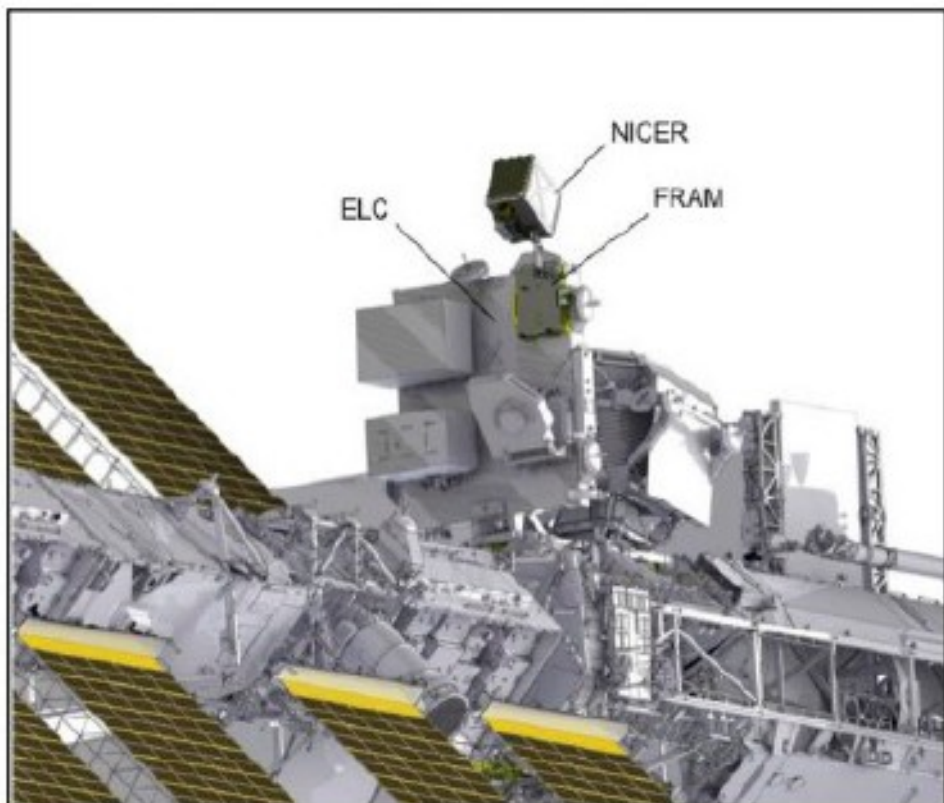
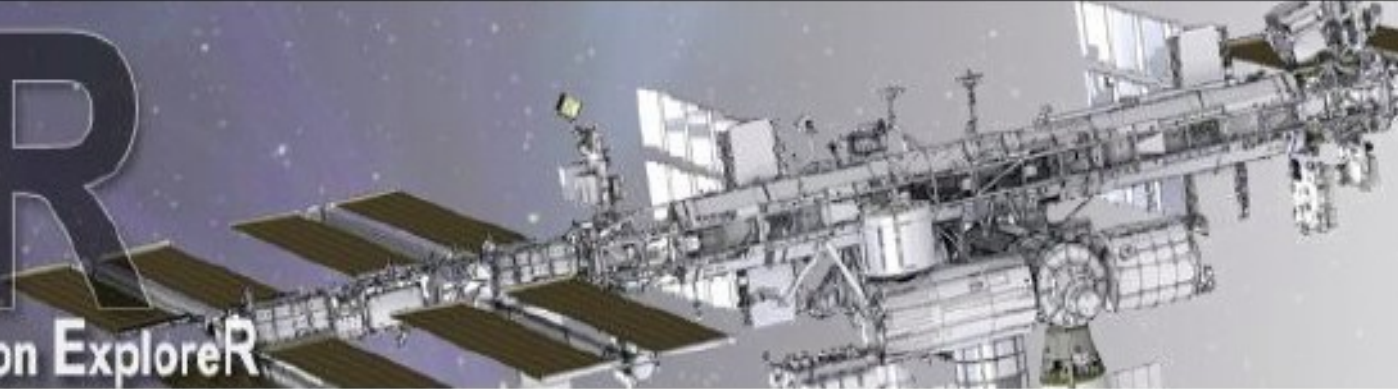
**TOV / TD calculation:**  
M. Bejger et al.

**Alternative** to NS merger with soft EoS → Hybrid star (HS) – HS / HS-NS merger

**If NICER rules out soft EoS (since  $R_{0437-4715} > 13.5$  km) then Third Family is Discovered !!**

# NICER

Neutron star Interior Composition Explorer



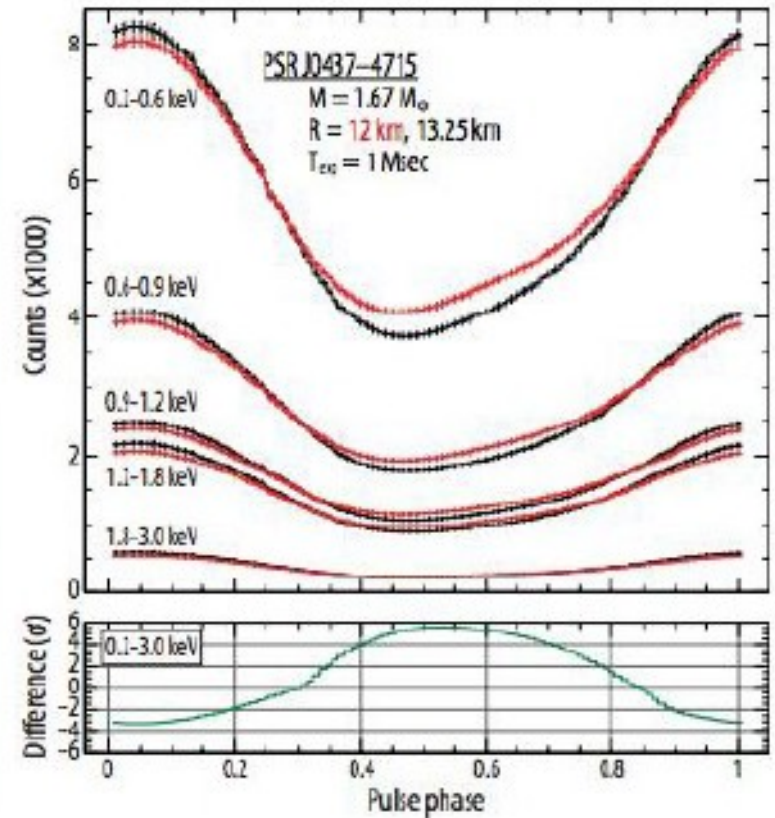
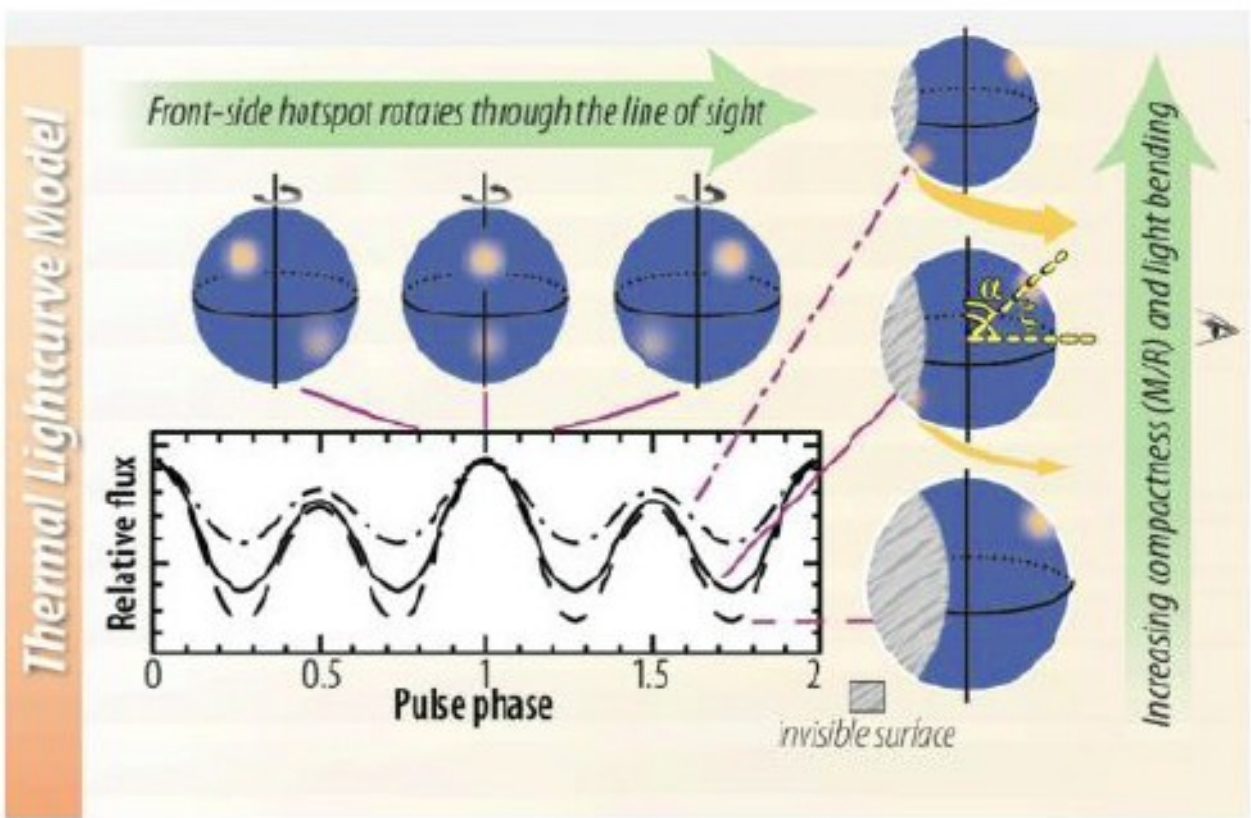
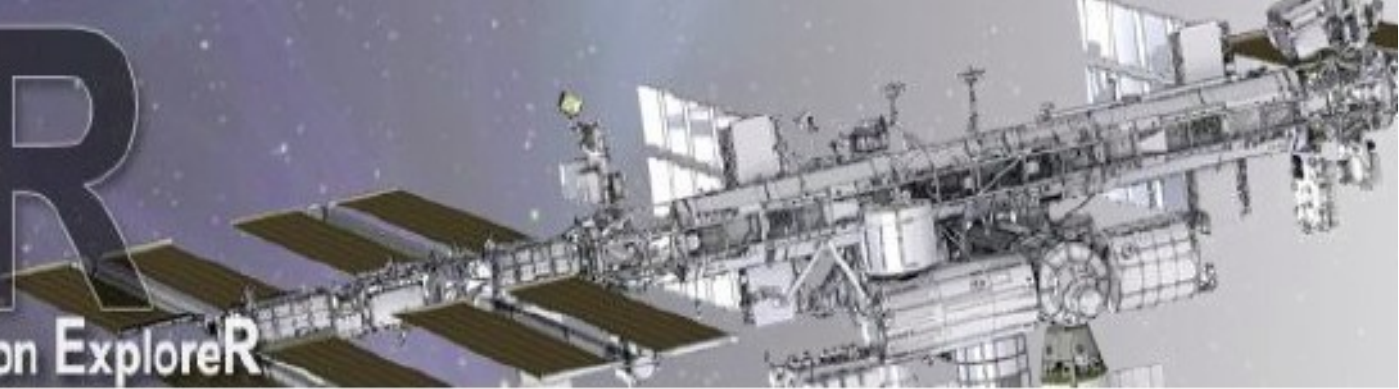
## NICER 2017

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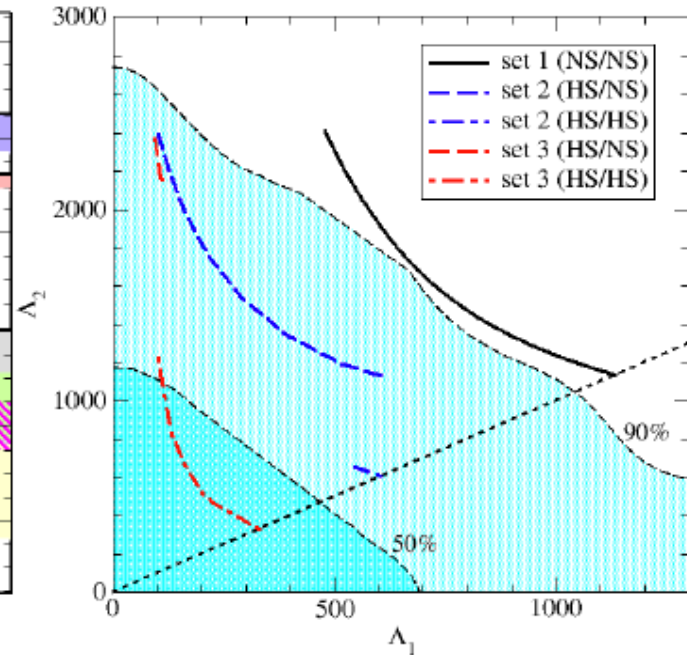
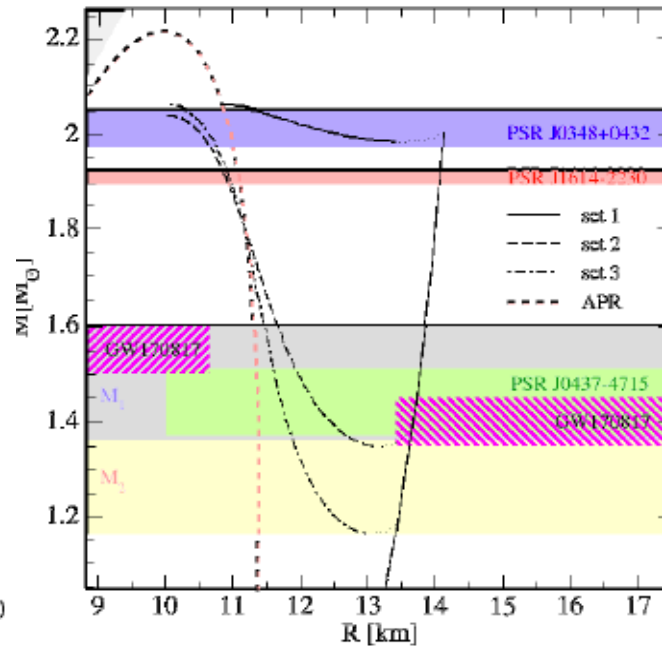
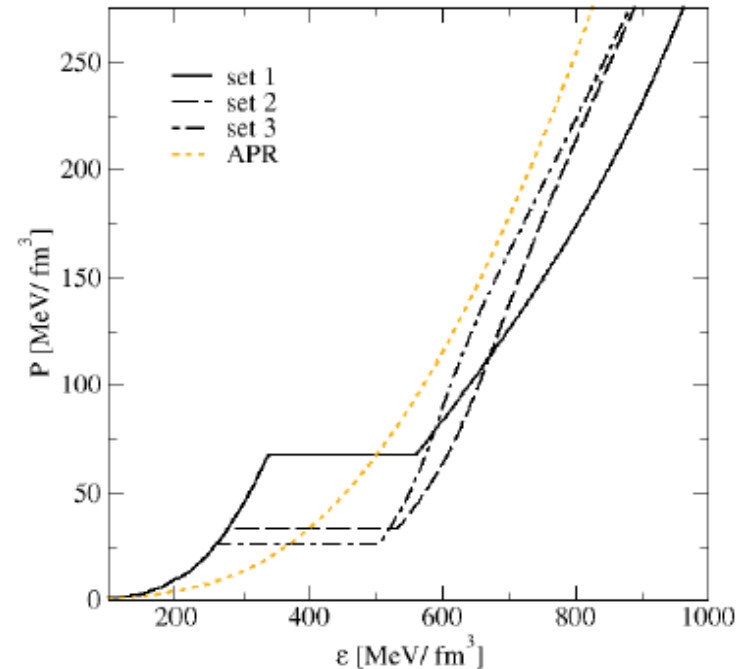
Neutron star Interior Composition Explorer



## Hot Spots

# Discover the 3<sup>rd</sup> family – NICER vs. GW170817

Nonlocal NJL model (with interpolation), D. Alvarez-Castillo et al. (arxiv:1805.04105)



## EoS based on:

Nonlocal chiral QM with 2SC  
Blaschke et al. PRC 75 (2007);  
Pasta phase ext. (w/o 2SC):  
Yasutake et al. PRC 89 (2014)

## TOV / TD calculation:

2 M<sub>sun</sub> constraint fulfilled  
GW170817:  $R_{1.4} < 13.6$  km  
[Annala et al., PRL (2018)]  
NICER:  $R_{1.44} > ??$  (2018)

## Pasta calculation:

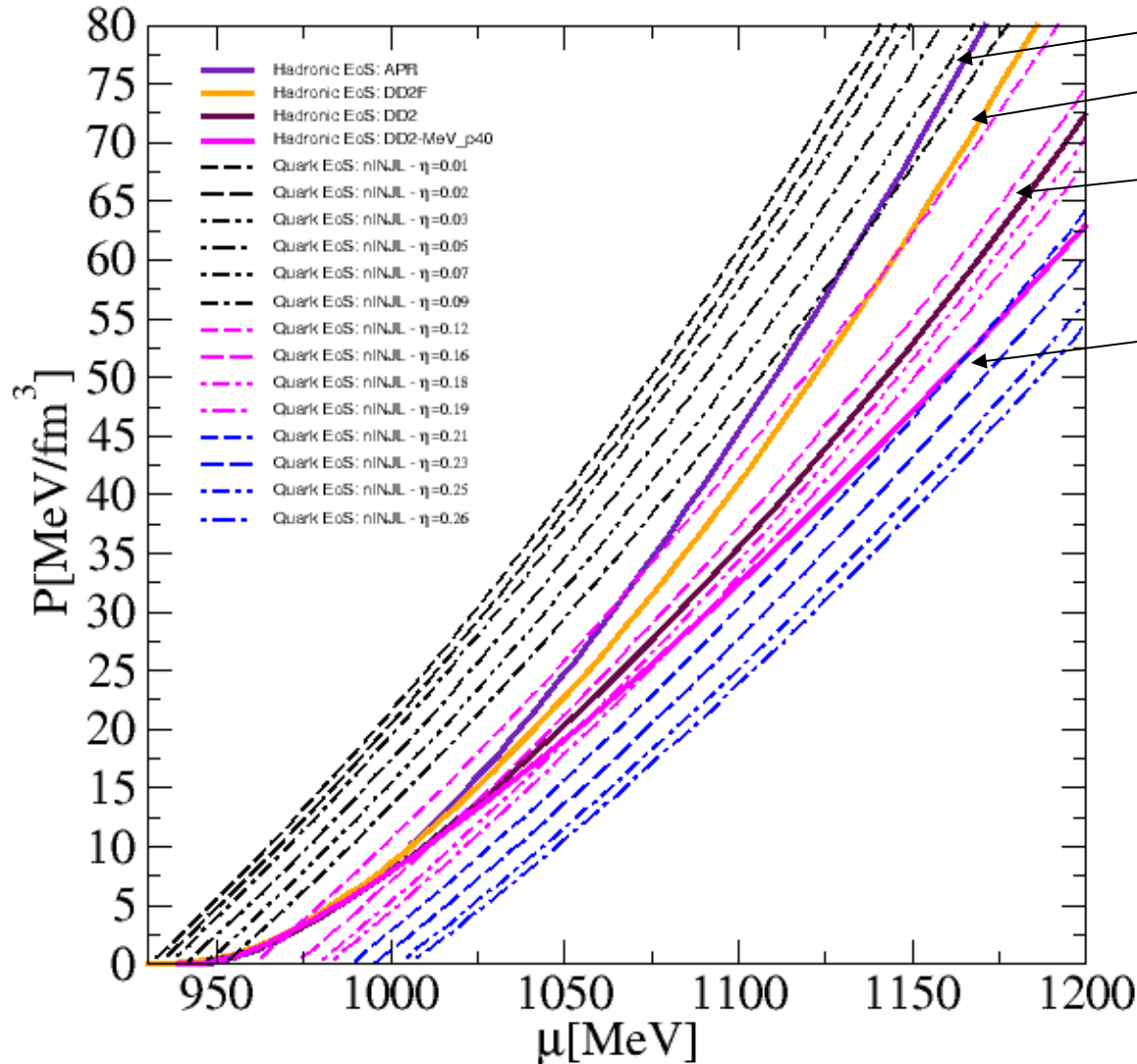
Does not spoil twin  
scenario of NS-HS or  
HS-HS merger!  
Yasutake et al. (2018)

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# Maxwell Construction between Hadron and Quark Phases

D.E. Alvarez-Castillo, D.B., A.G. Grunfeld, V.P. Pagura, arxiv:1805.04105v2



APR  
DD2F

No Maxwell construction  
→ Kojo interpolation

DD2

Masquerade with nonlocal  
NJLsc for eta=0.17

DD2\_p40

Normal Maxwell construction

The nonlocal covariant sc quark model:

$$S_E = \int d^4x \left\{ \bar{\psi}(x) (-i\not{\partial} + m_c) \psi(x) - \frac{G_S}{2} j_S^f(x) j_S^f(x) - \frac{H}{2} [j_D^a(x)]^\dagger j_D^a(x) - \frac{G_V}{2} j_V^\mu(x) j_V^\mu(x) \right\}.$$

$$j_S^f(x) = \int d^4z g(z) \bar{\psi}(x + \frac{z}{2}) \Gamma_f \psi(x - \frac{z}{2}),$$

$$j_D^a(x) = \int d^4z g(z) \bar{\psi}_C(x + \frac{z}{2}) \Gamma_D \psi(x - \frac{z}{2})$$

$$j_V^\mu(x) = \int d^4z g(z) \bar{\psi}(x + \frac{z}{2}) i\gamma^\mu \psi(x - \frac{z}{2}).$$

# Nonlocal chiral quark model - generalized

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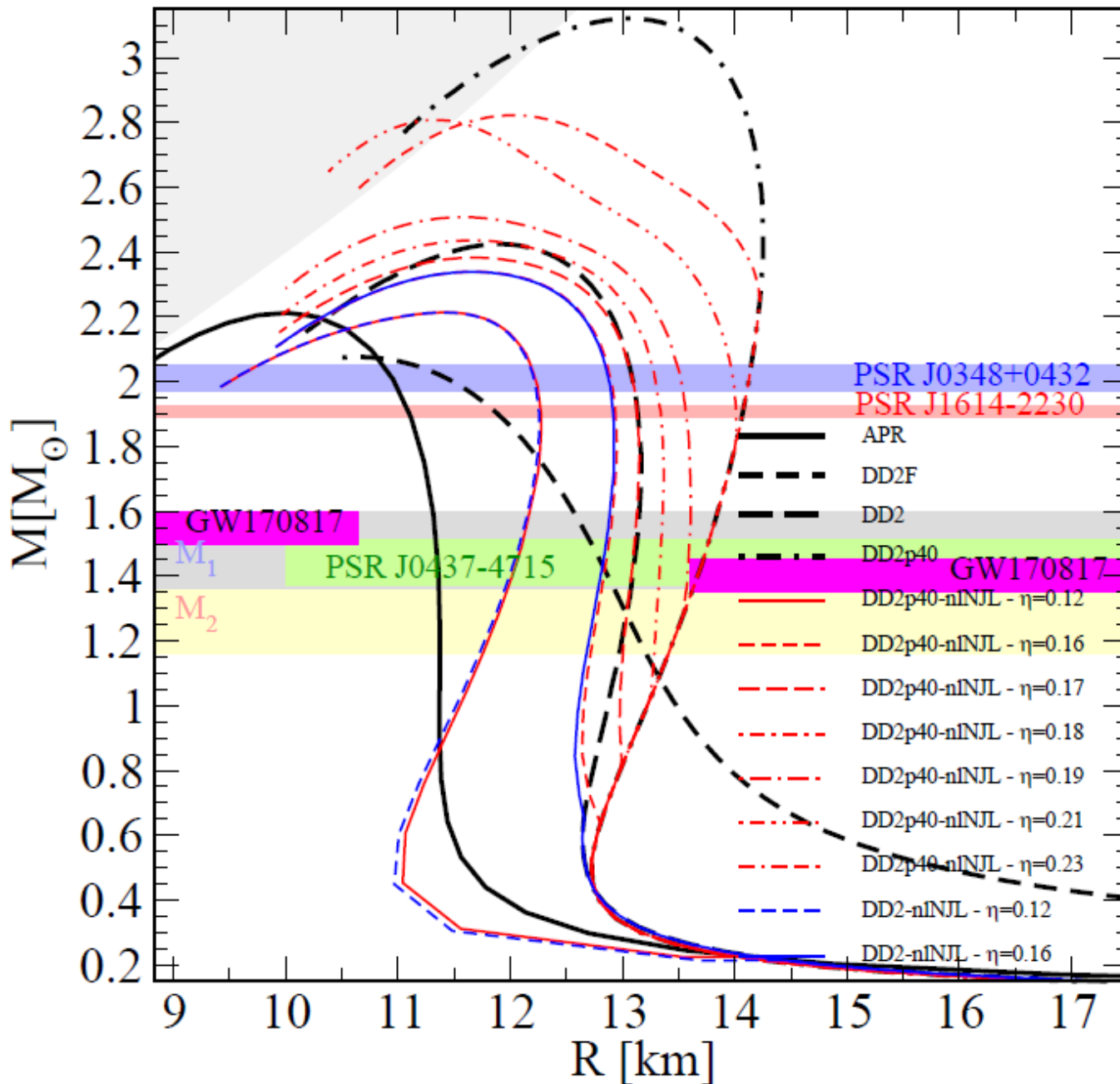
$$\Omega^{MFA} = \frac{\bar{\sigma}^2}{2G_S} + \frac{\bar{\Delta}^2}{2H} - \frac{\bar{\omega}^2}{2G_V} - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{d^4p}{(2\pi)^4} \ln \det [ S^{-1}(\bar{\sigma}, \bar{\Delta}, \bar{\omega}, \mu_{fc}) ]$$

$$\frac{d\Omega^{MFA}}{d\bar{\Delta}} = 0, \quad \frac{d\Omega^{MFA}}{d\bar{\sigma}} = 0, \quad \frac{d\Omega^{MFA}}{d\bar{\omega}} = 0.$$

$$P(\mu; \eta, B) = -\Omega^{MFA} - B$$

D.B., D. Gomez-Dumm, A.G. Grunfeld, T. Klahn, N.N. Scoccola, "Hybrid stars within a covariant, nonlocal chiral quark model", Phys. Rev. C 75, 065804 (2007)

# Maxwell Construction between Hadron and Quark Phases



Here:

Baseline without interpolation

→ no 3<sup>rd</sup> family, no twins!

# Interpolating between Quark Phase Parametrizations

Twofold interpolation method:

1. to model the unknown density dependence of the confining mechanism by interpolating a bag pressure contribution between zero and a finite value  $B$  at low densities in the vicinity of the hadron-to-quark matter transition, and
2. to model a density dependent stiffening of the quark matter EoS at high density by interpolating between EoS for two values of the vector coupling strength,  $\eta_<$  and  $\eta_>$ .

$$P(\mu) = [f_<(\mu)(P(\mu; \eta_<) - B) + f_>(\mu)P(\mu; \eta_<)]f_{\ll}(\mu) + f_{\gg}(\mu)P(\mu; \eta_>)$$

$$f_<(\mu) = \frac{1}{2} \left[ 1 - \tanh \left( \frac{\mu - \mu_<}{\Gamma_<} \right) \right], \quad f_{\ll}(\mu) = \frac{1}{2} \left[ 1 - \tanh \left( \frac{\mu - \mu_{\ll}}{\Gamma_{\ll}} \right) \right],$$

$$f_>(\mu) = 1 - f_<(\mu), \quad f_{\gg}(\mu) = 1 - f_{\ll}(\mu).$$

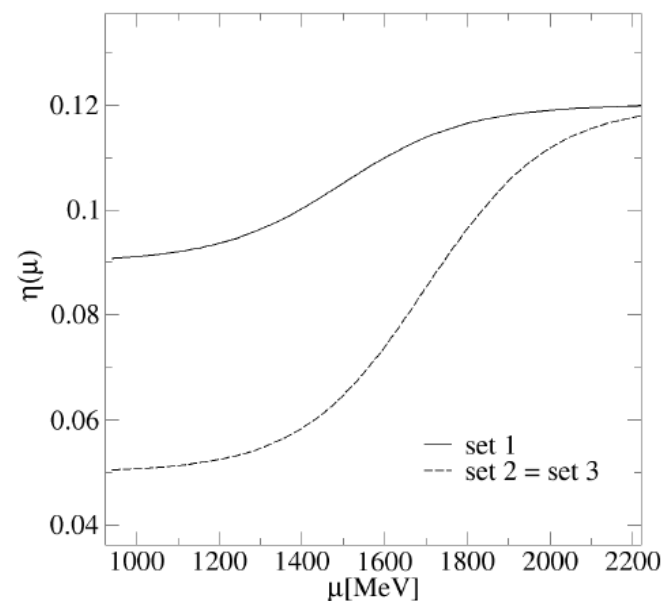
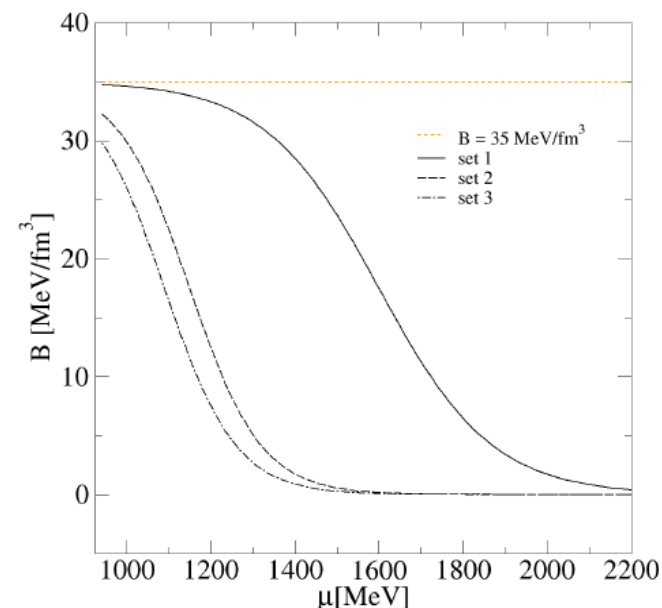
# Interpolation vs. medium dependence of coefficients

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(\mu) &= P(\mu; \eta, B) f_{<}(\mu) + P(\mu; \eta, 0) f_{>}(\mu) \\
 &= P(\mu; \eta, 0) [f_{<}(\mu) + f_{>}(\mu)] - B f_{<}(\mu) \\
 &= P(\mu; \eta, B(\mu)),
 \end{aligned}$$

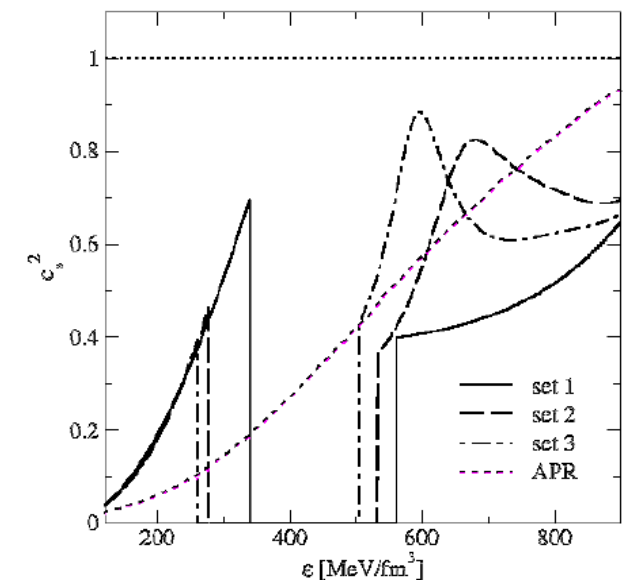
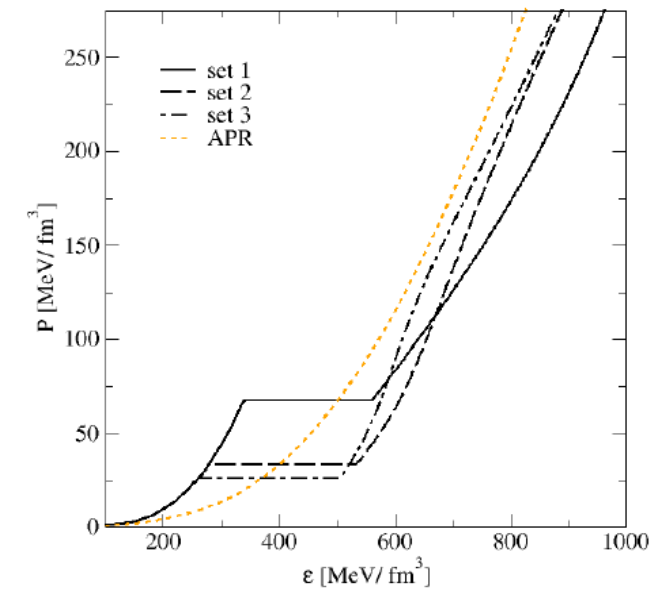
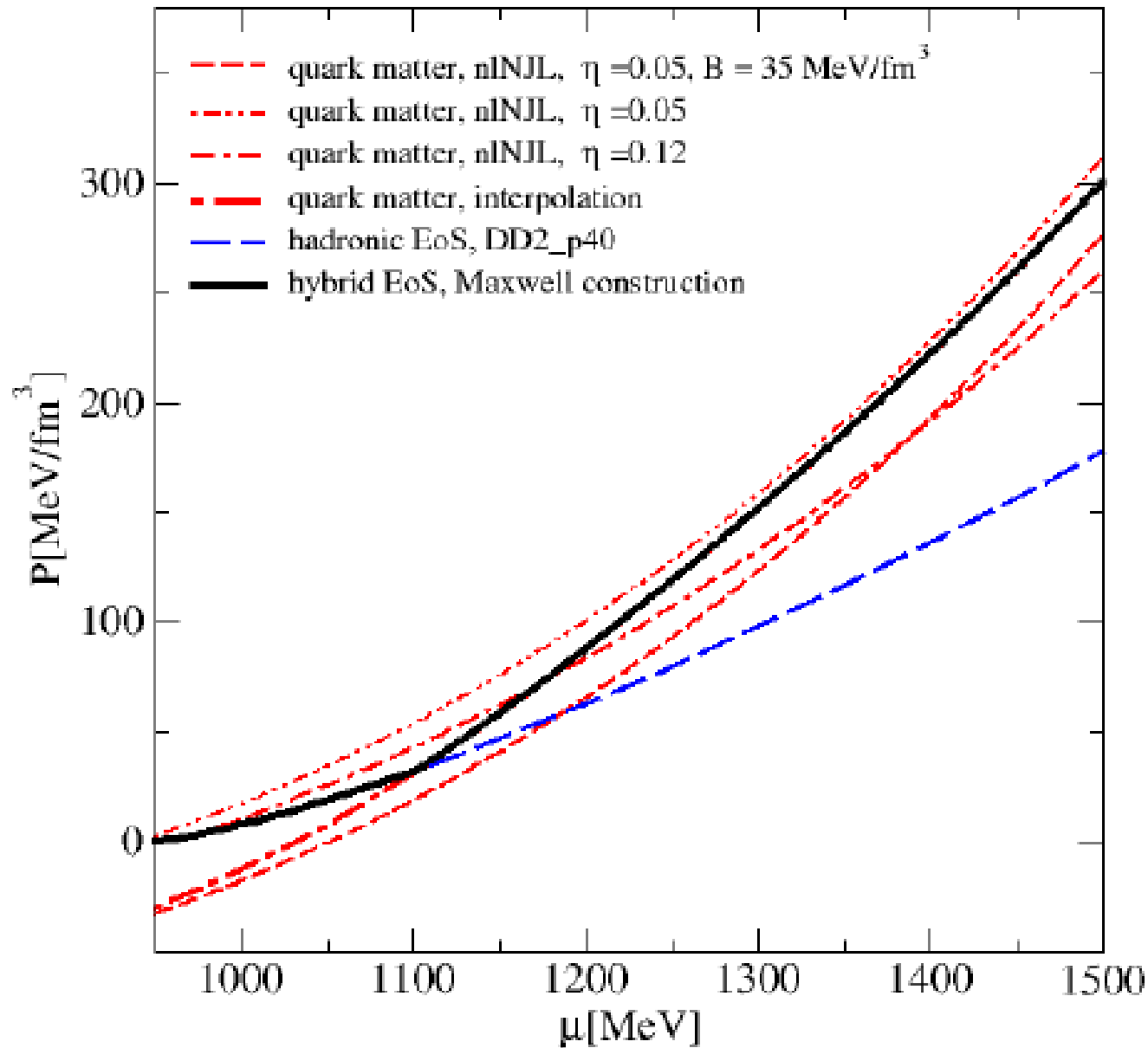
$B(\mu) = B f_{<}(\mu)$  is the  $\mu$ -dependent bag pressure

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(\mu) &= P(\mu; \eta_{<}, B) f_{\ll}(\mu) + P(\mu; \eta_{>}, B) f_{\gg}(\mu) \\
 &= P(\mu; \eta_{<}, B) [f_{\ll}(\mu) + f_{\gg}(\mu)] \\
 &\quad + (\eta_{>} - \eta_{<}) f_{\gg}(\mu) \left. \frac{dP(\mu; \eta, B)}{d\eta} \right|_{\eta=\eta_{<}} \\
 &= P(\mu; \eta_{<}, B) \\
 &\quad + [\eta_{>} f_{\gg}(\mu) + \eta_{<} f_{\ll}(\mu) - \eta_{<}] \left. \frac{dP(\mu; \eta, B)}{d\eta} \right|_{\eta=} \\
 &= P(\mu; \eta(\mu), B),
 \end{aligned}$$

$\eta(\mu) = \eta_{>} f_{\gg}(\mu) + \eta_{<} f_{\ll}(\mu)$  is the medium-dependent vector meson coupling

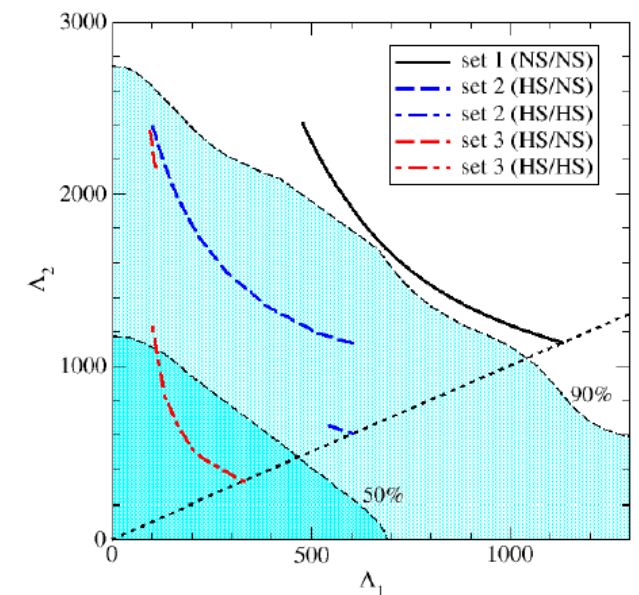
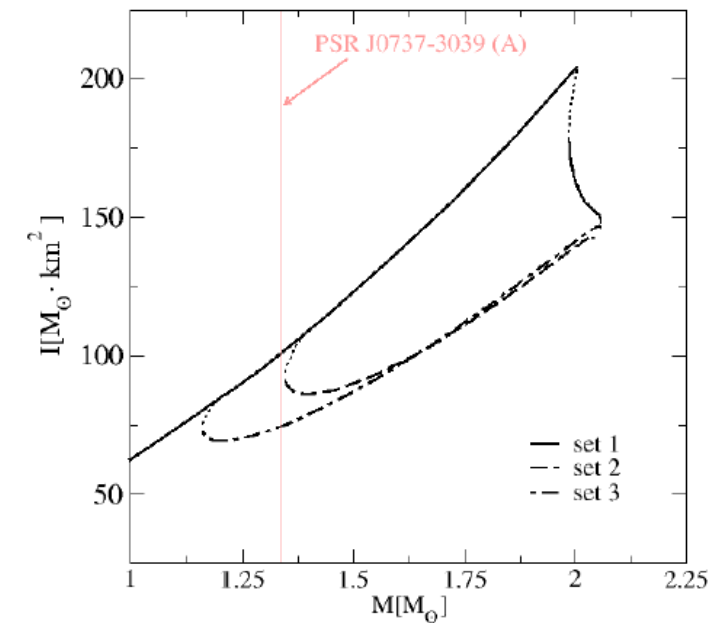
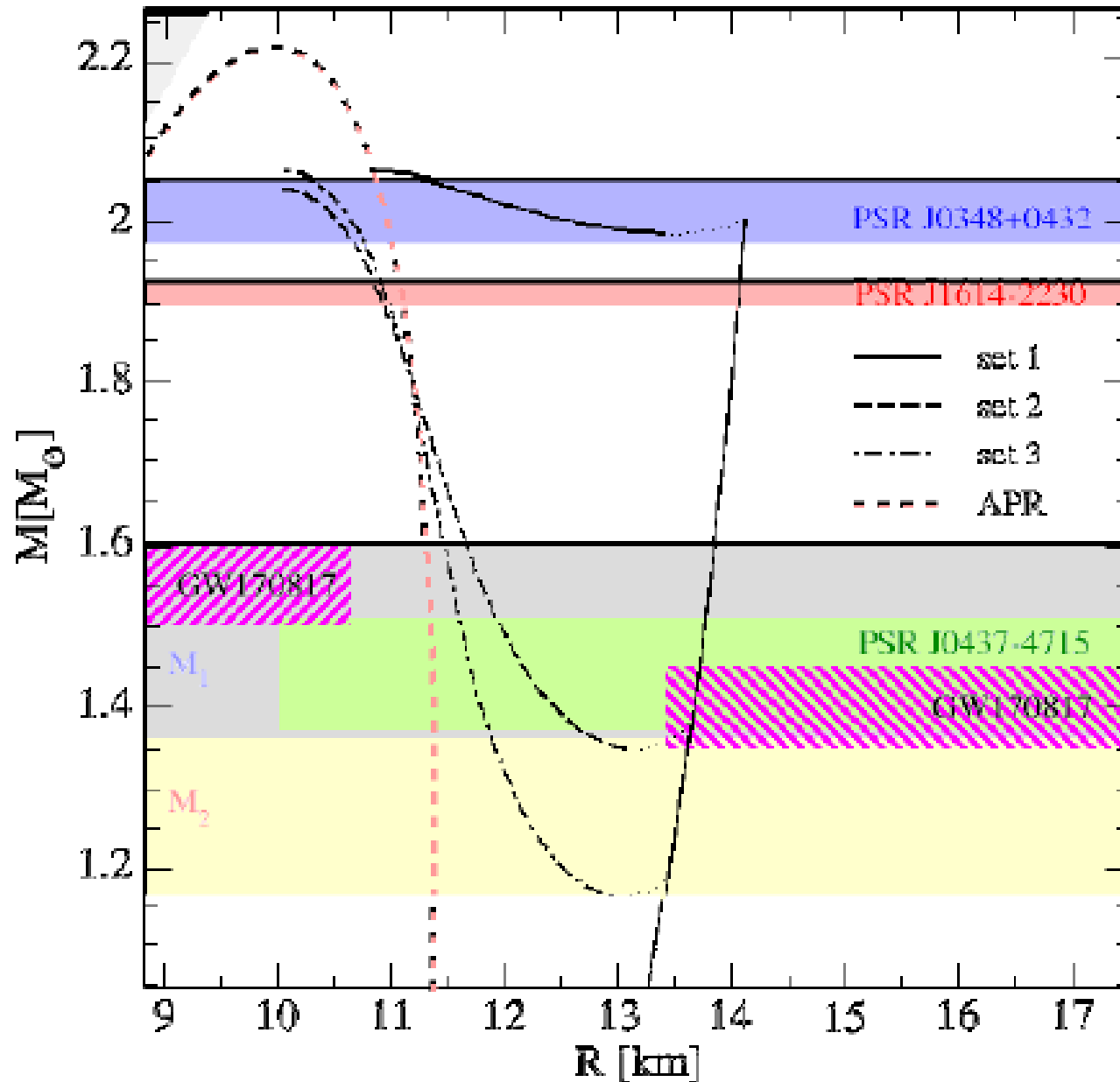


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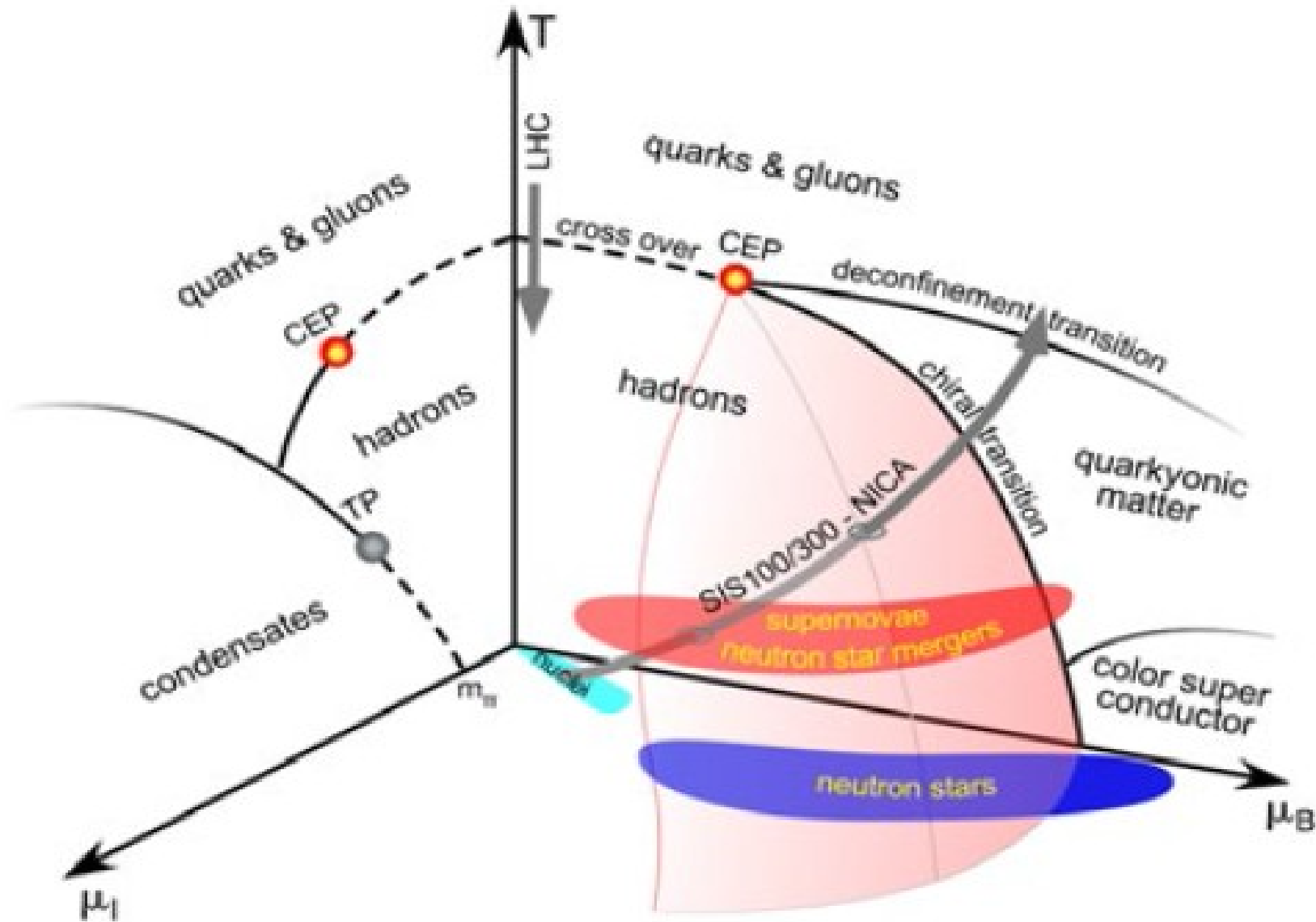




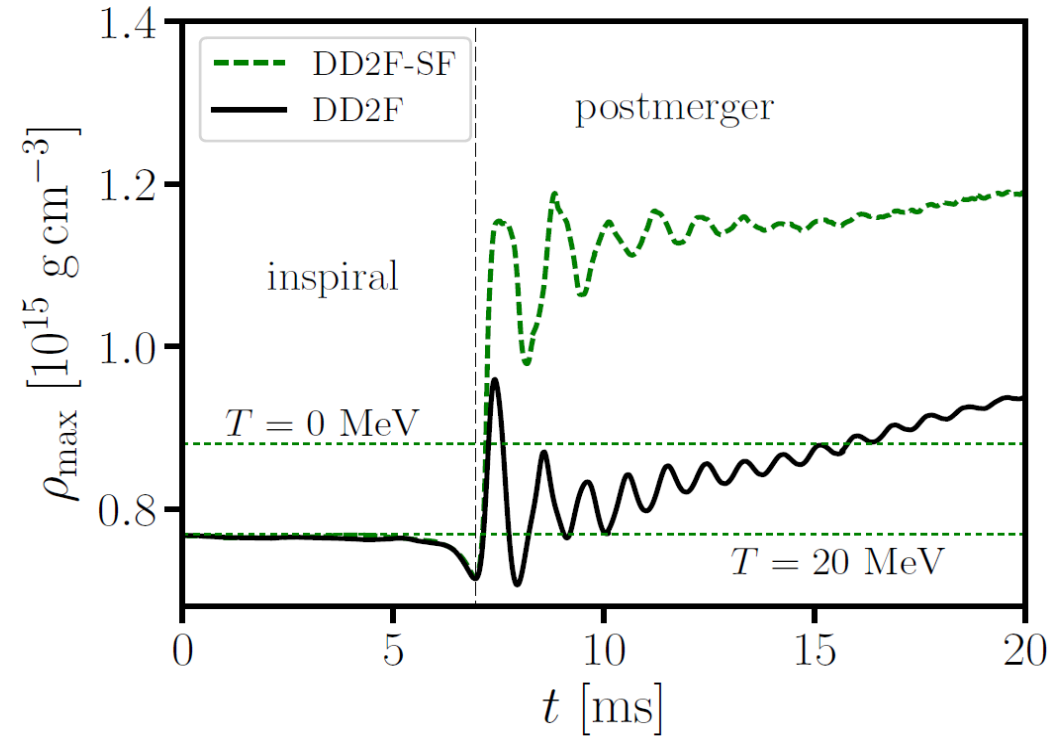
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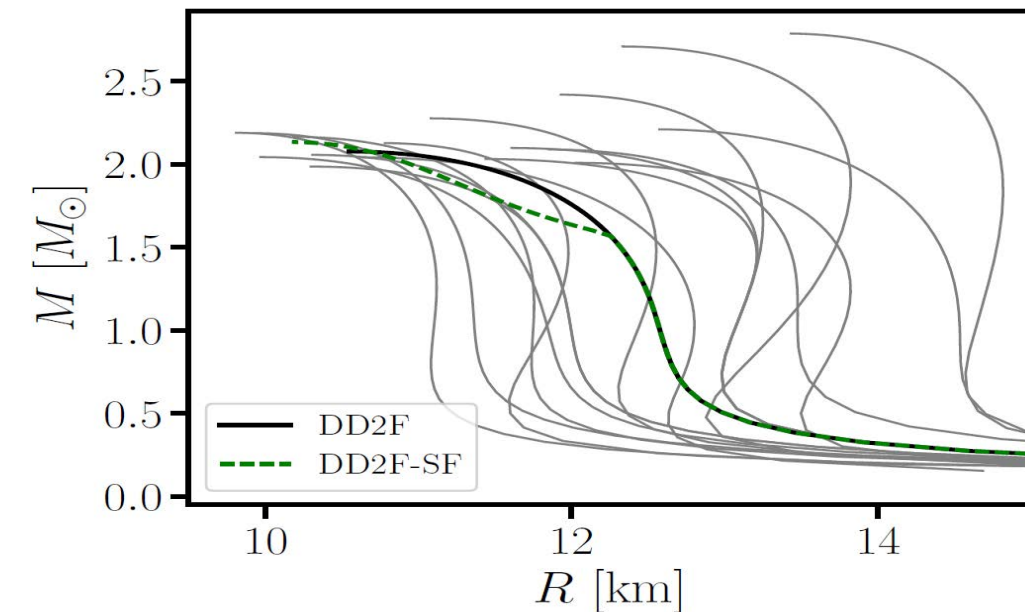
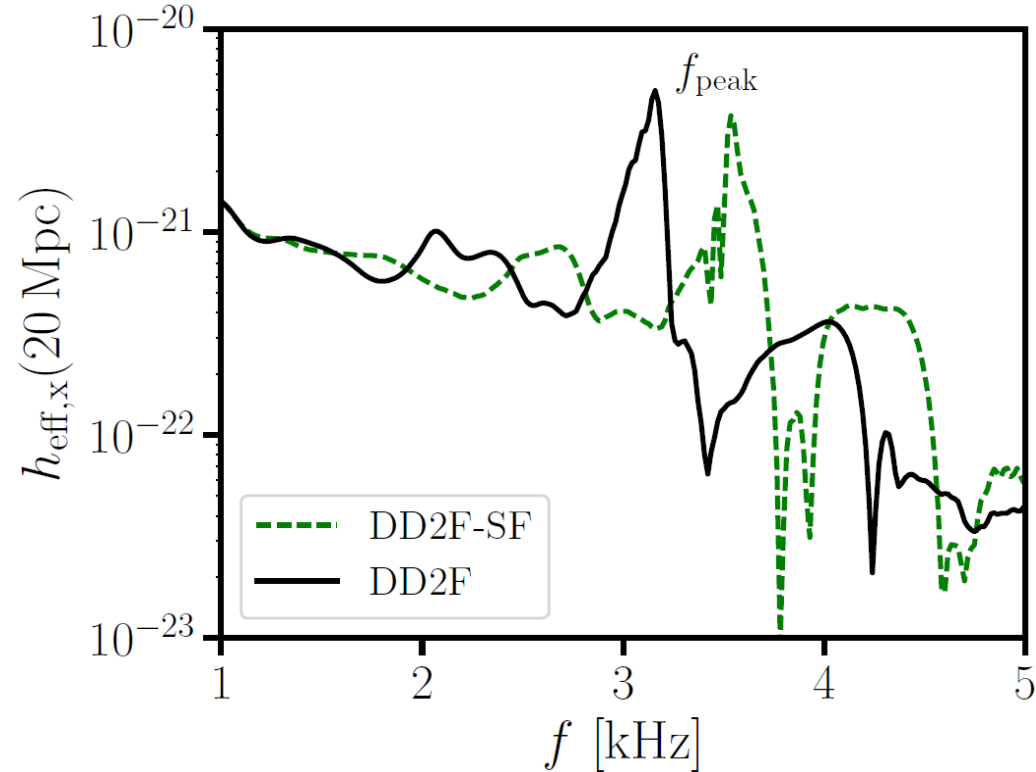
# CEP in the QCD phase diagram: HIC vs. Astrophysics



# Hybrid star formation in postmerger phase



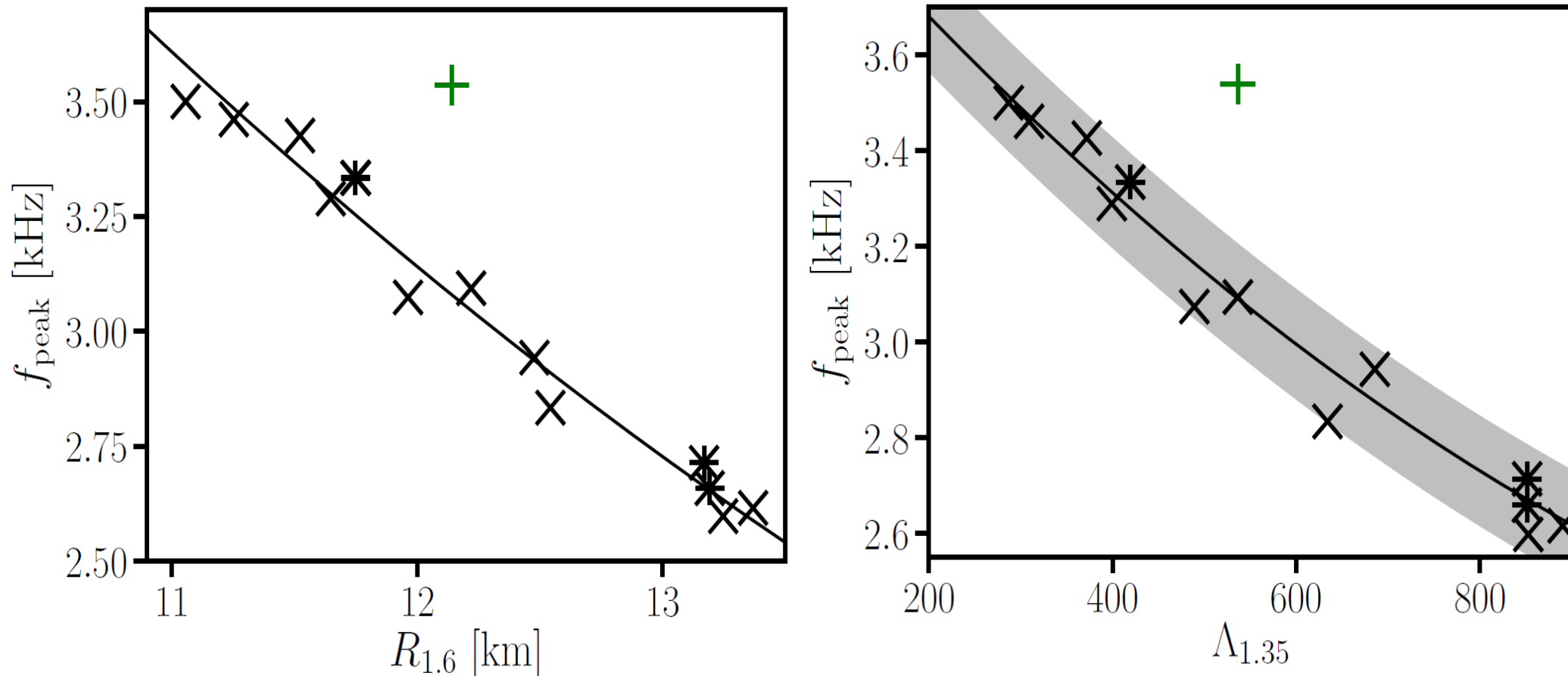
Strong phase transition in postmerger GW,  
A. Bauswein et al. arxiv:1809.01116



Hybrid star formation during NS merger  
→ higher densities and compacter star  
→ higher peak frequency of the GW

# Hybrid star formation in postmerger phase

Strong phase transition in postmerger GW signal, A. Bauswein et al. arxiv:1809.01116



**Strong deviation** from  $f_{\text{peak}} - R_{1.6}$  relation signals **strong phase transition** in NS merger!

Complementarity of  $f_{\text{peak}}$  from **postmerger** with tidal deformability  $\Lambda_{1.35}$  from **inspiral phase**.

# Conclusions:

High-mass twin (HMT) and Typical-mass twin (TMT) solutions obtained within different hybrid star EoS, e.g.,

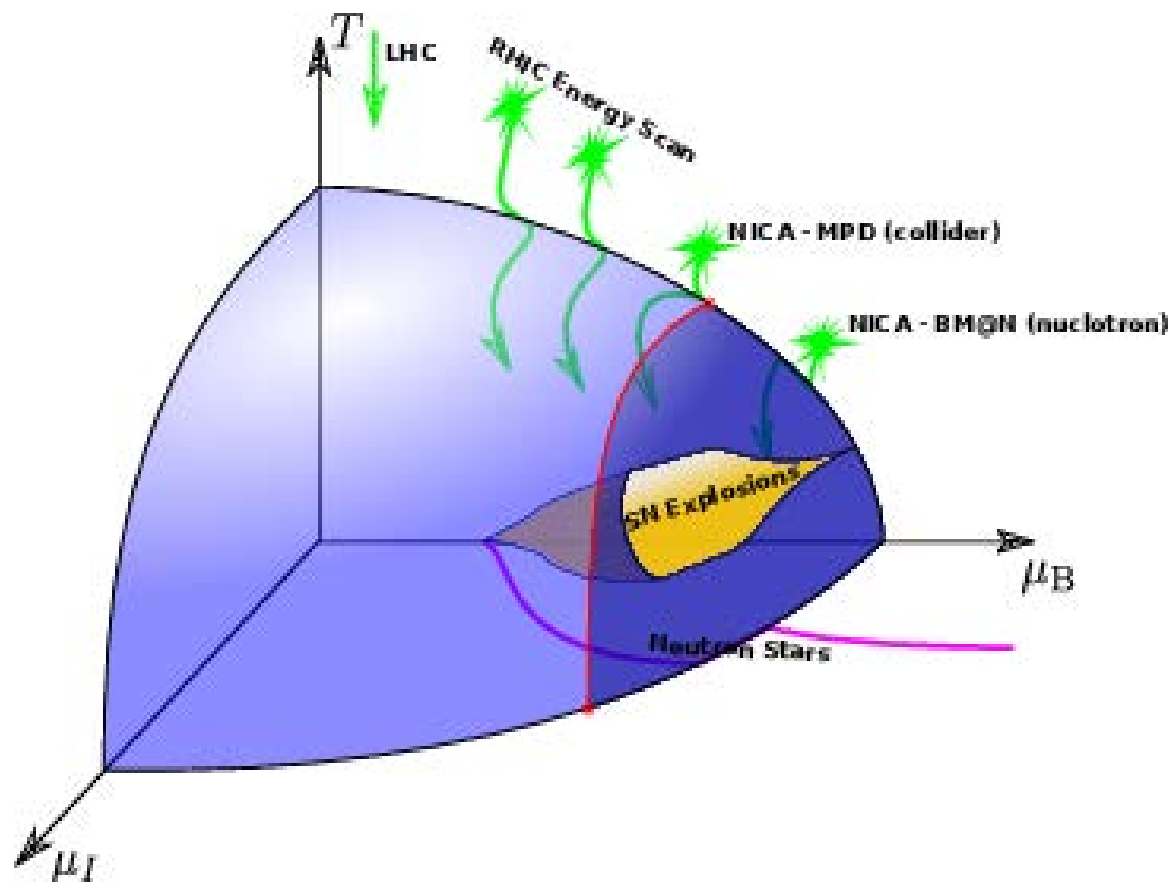
- constant speed of sound
- higher order NJL
- piecewise polytrope
- density functional

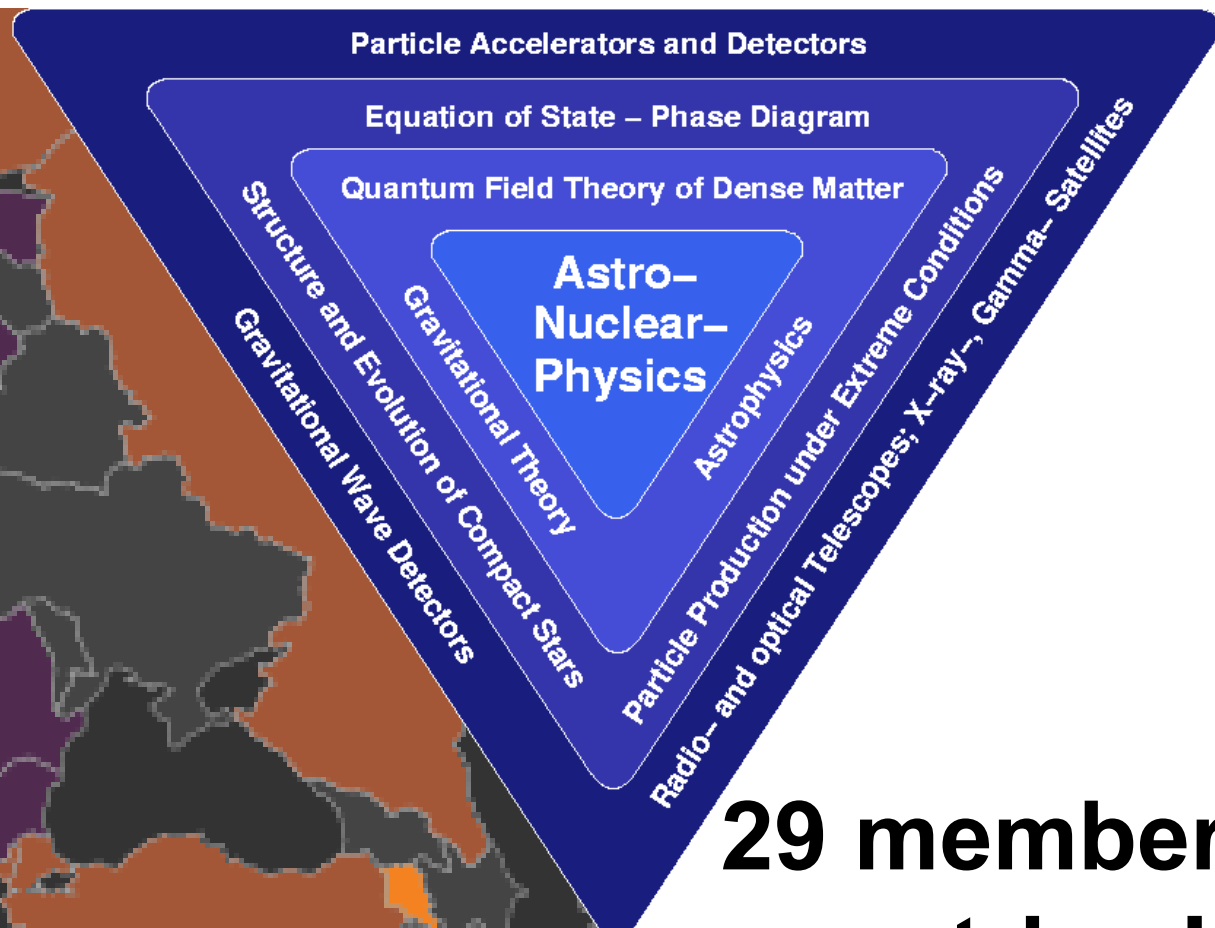
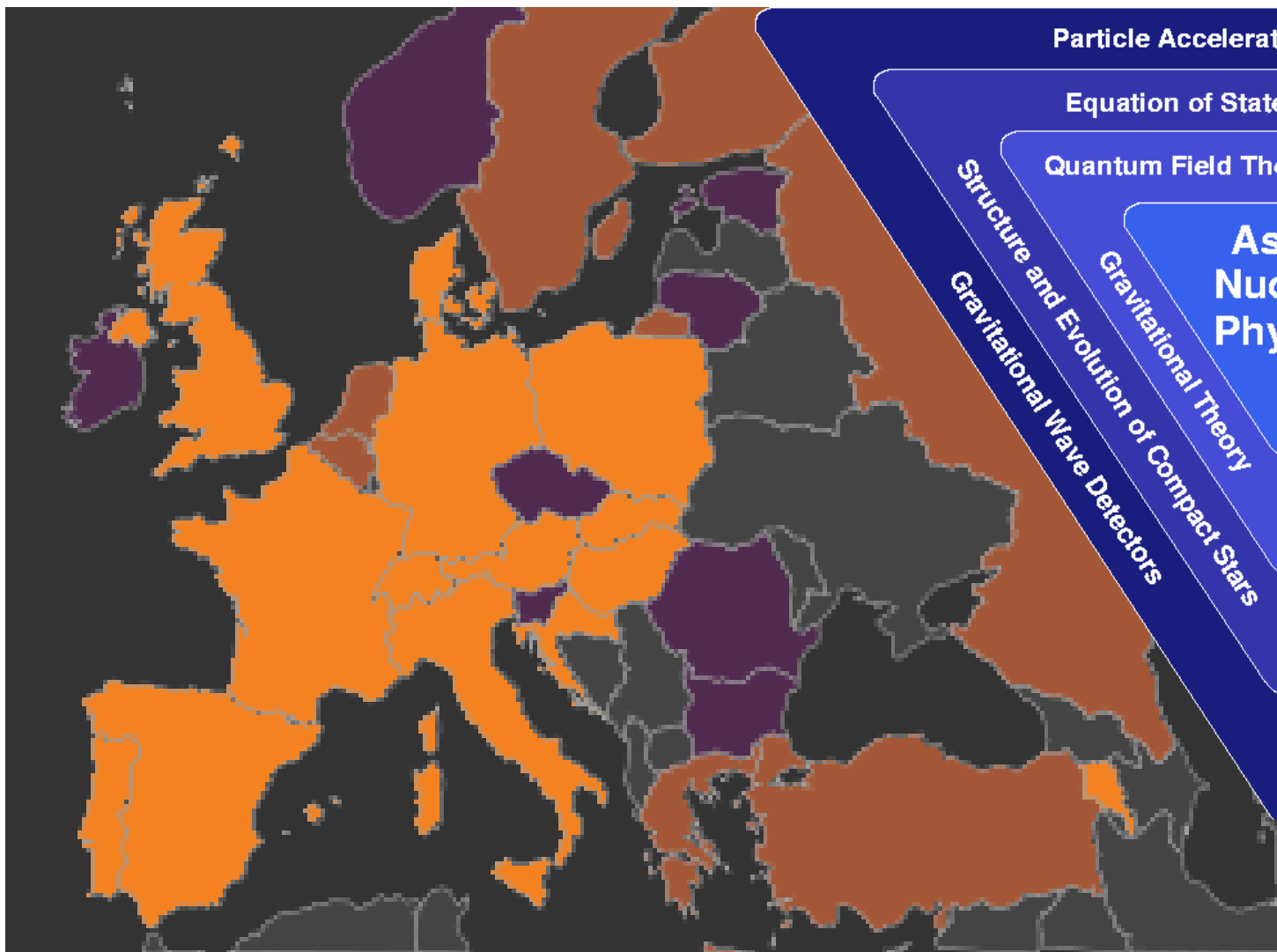
Main condition: stiff hadronic & stiff quark matter EoS with strong phase transition (PT)

Existence of HMTs & TMTs can be verified, e.g., by precise pulsar mass and radius measurements (and good luck) → Indicator for strong PT !!

Extremely interesting scenarios possible for dynamical evolution of isolated (spin-down and accretion) and binary (NS-NS merger) compact stars; GW170817 could be inspiral of NS – hybrid star (HS) or HS - HS binary !

**Critical endpoint search in the QCD phase diagram with Heavy-Ion Collisions goes well together with Compact Star Astrophysics**



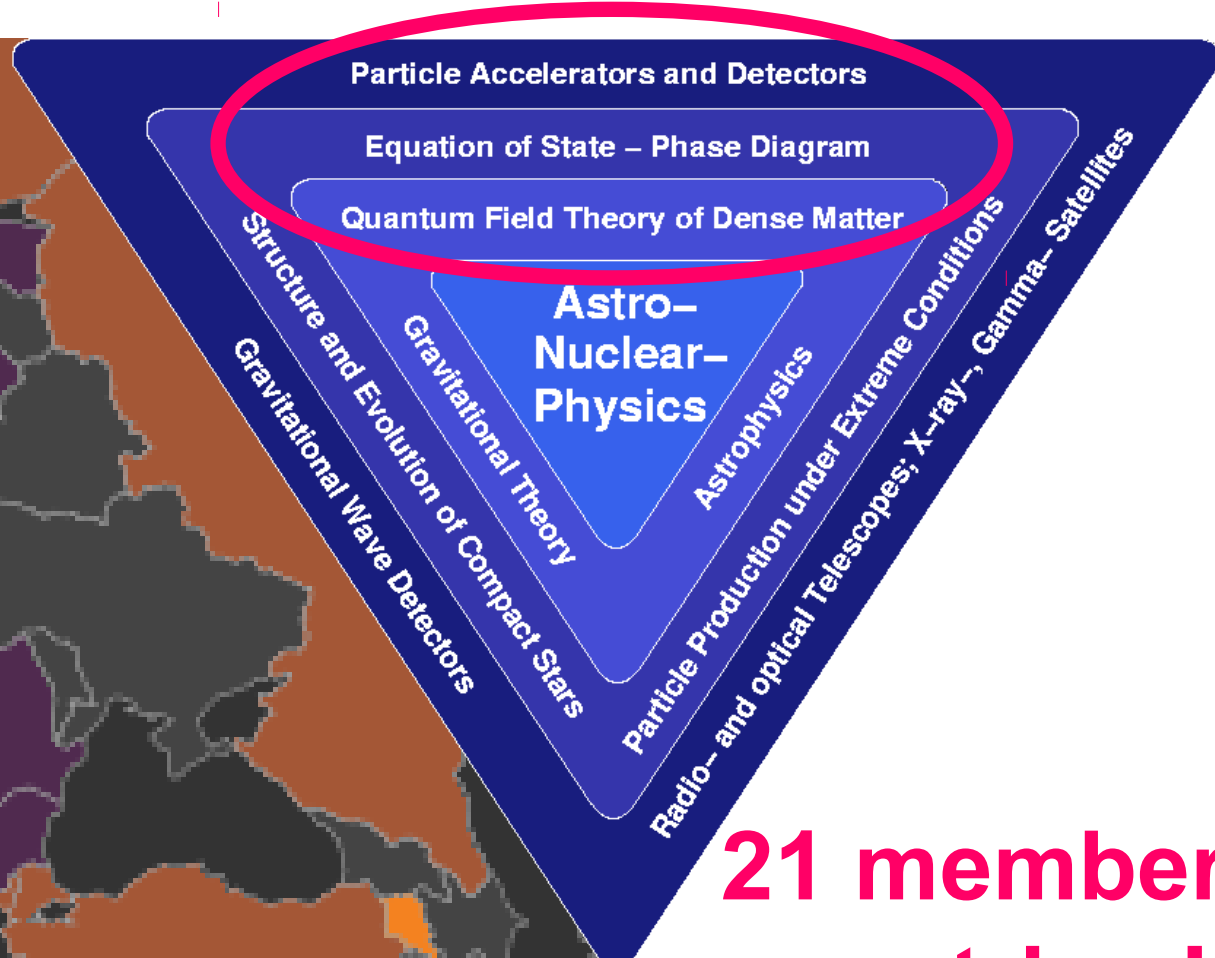
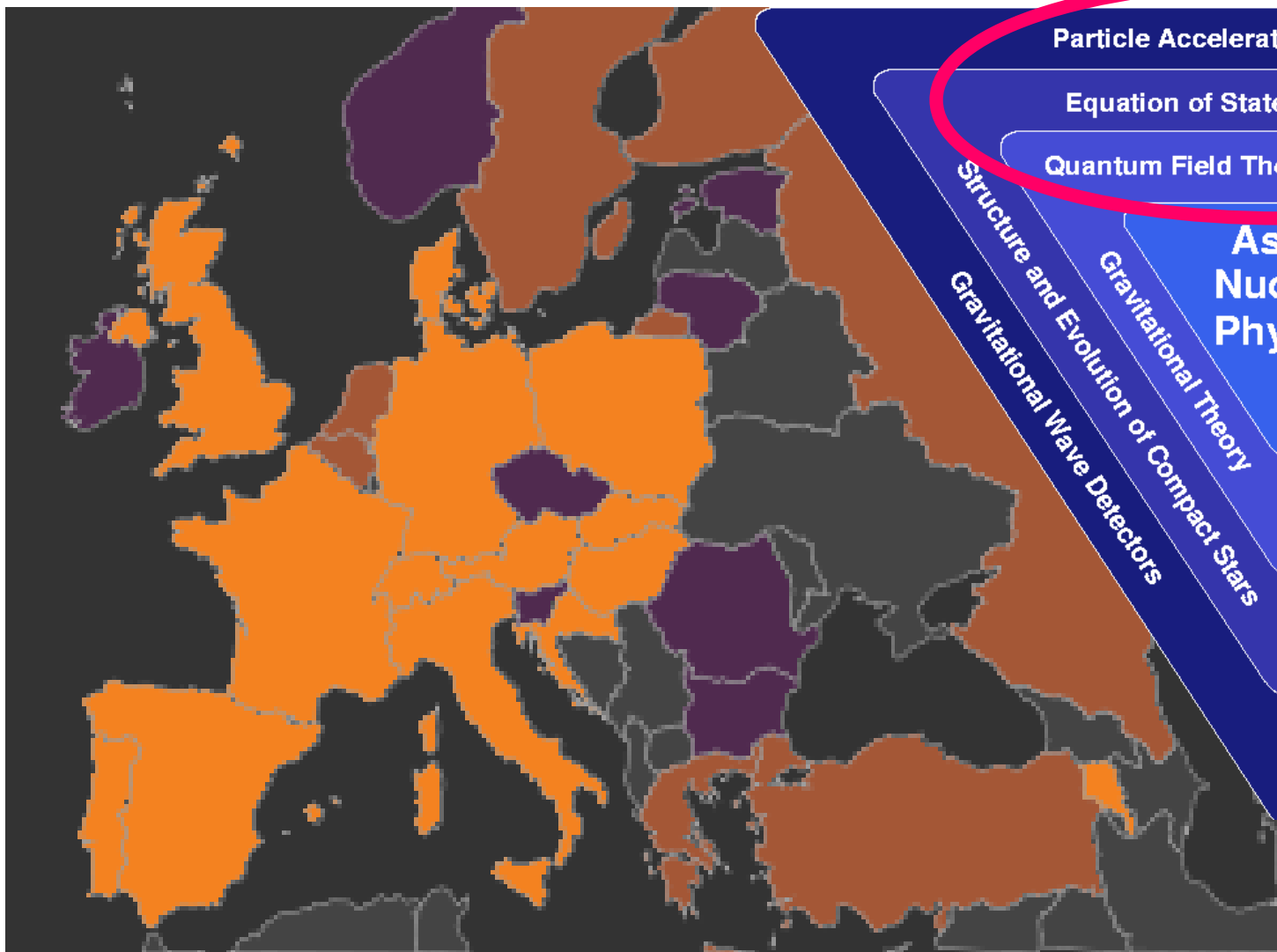


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**New**



**Kick-off: Brussels, November 25, 2013**



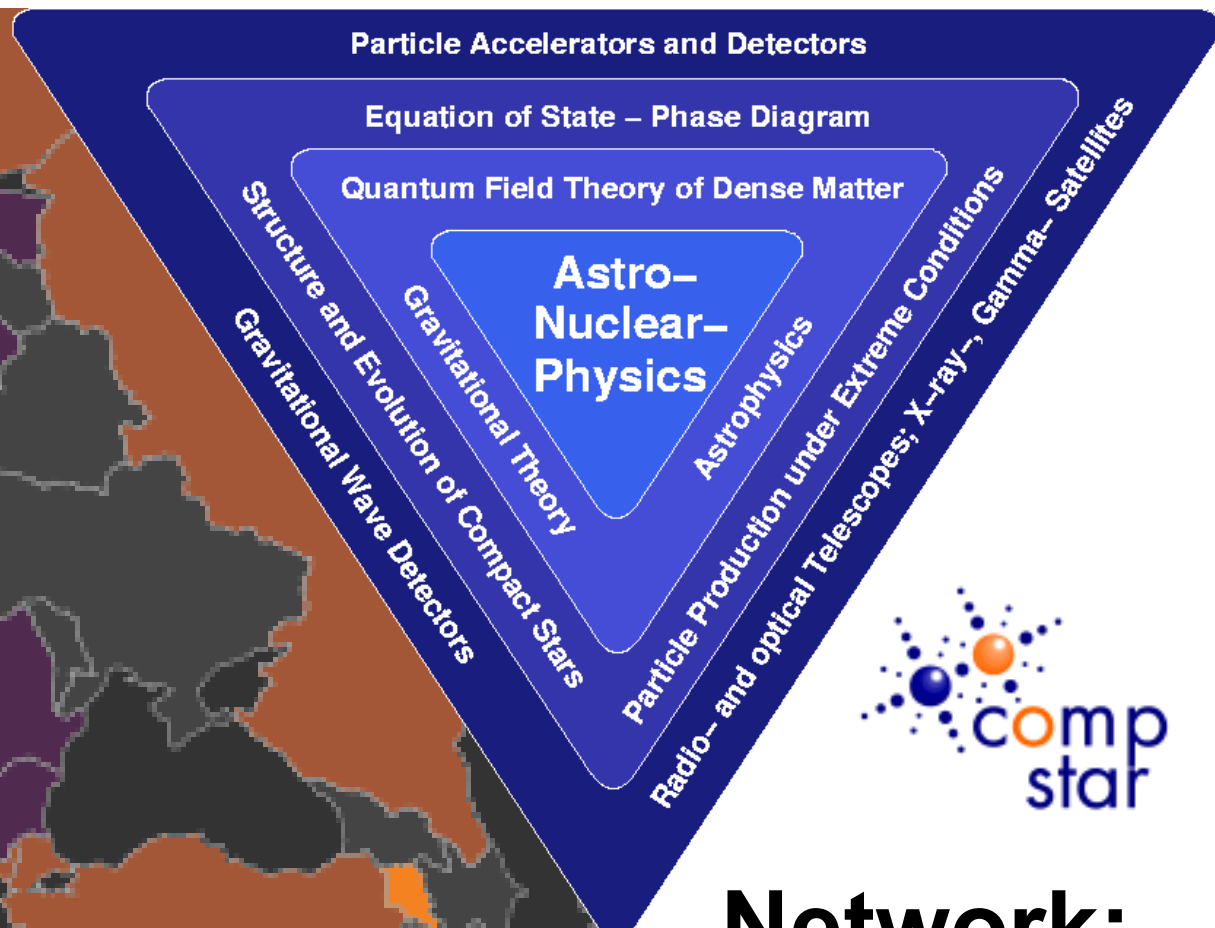
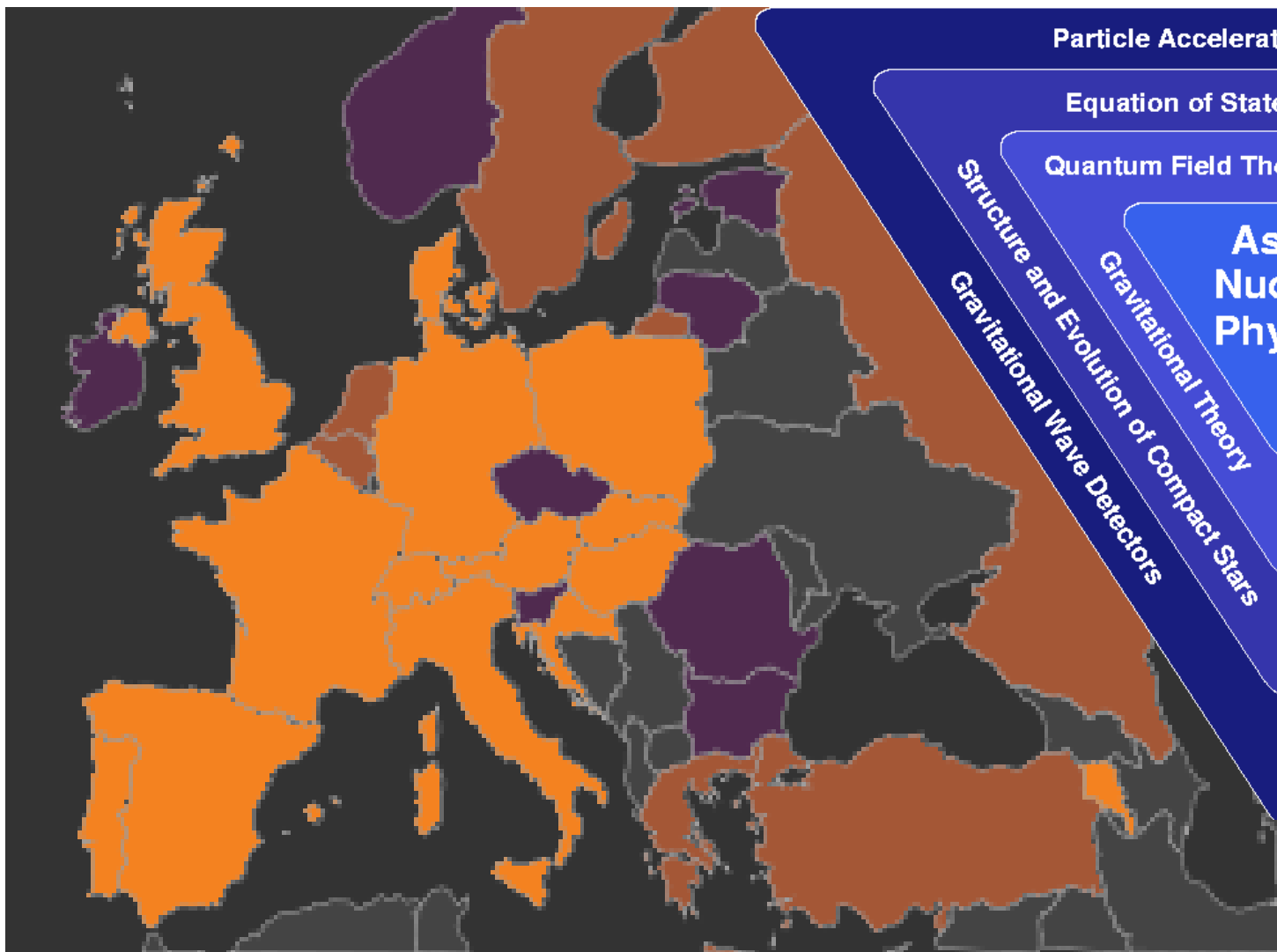
**21 member countries !  
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“Theory of **H**OT Matter in **R**elativistic Heavy-Ion Collisions”

**New: THOR!**



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**Kick-off: Brussels, 22.11. 2017**





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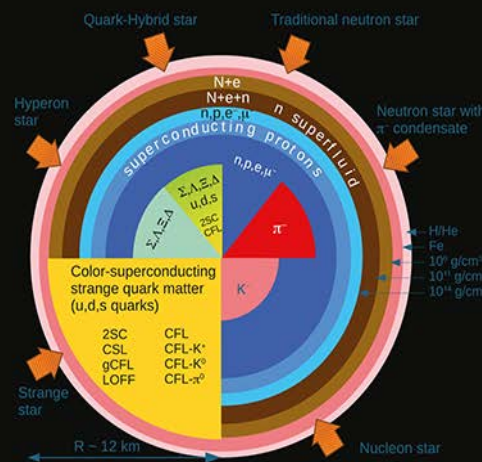
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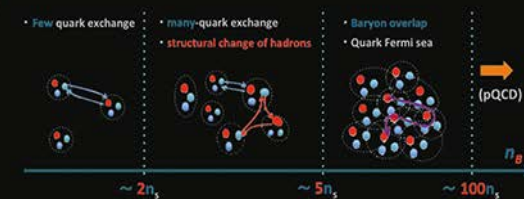


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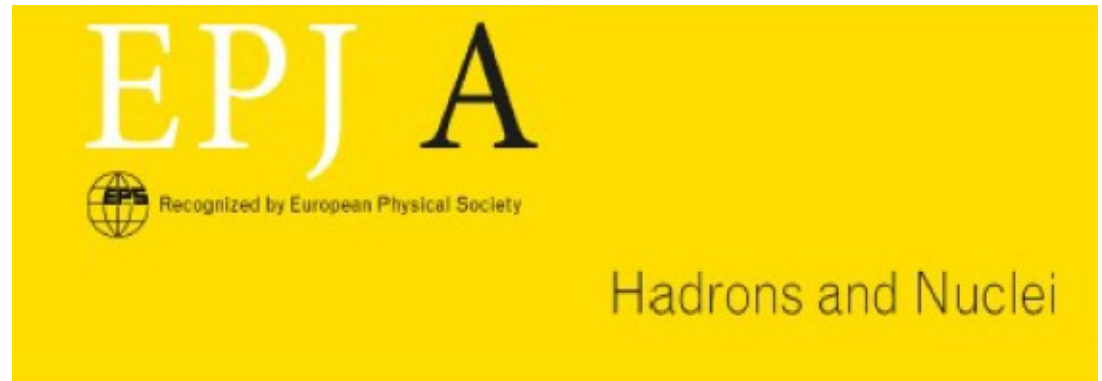


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## New Topical Issue:



# **The first observation of a neutron star merger and its implications for nuclear physics**

Editors: D. Blaschke (EPJA), M. Colpi, C. Horowitz, D. Radice

Open call for contributions  
Deadline – October 2018

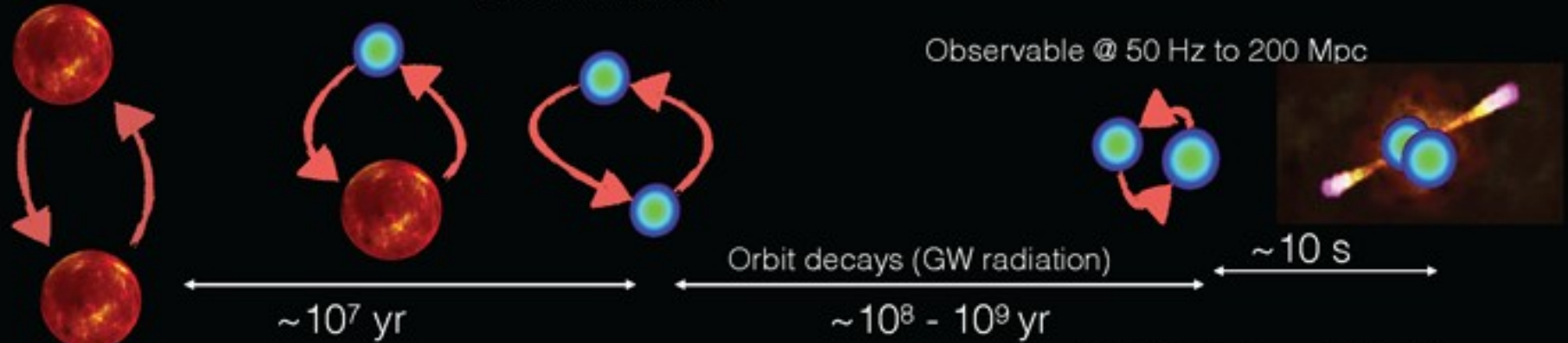
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## NS Binaries



## In the Milky Way

	Orbital Period	Masses (solar)	Time to Merger
B1913+16	0.323 days	1.441 + 1.387	$3 \times 10^8$ yrs
B1534+12	0.421 days	1.333 + 1.347	$27 \times 10^8$ yrs
B2127+11C	0.335 days	1.35 + 1.36	$2.2 \times 10^8$ yrs
J0737-3039	0.102 days	1.34 + 1.25	$0.86 \times 10^8$ yrs
J1756-2251	0.32 days	1.34 + 1.23	$17 \times 10^8$ yrs
J1906+746	0.166 days	1.29 + 1.32	$3.1 \times 10^8$ yrs
J1913+1102	0.201 days	1.65 + 1.24	$5 \times 10^8$ yrs

SGRB rate is  $\sim 6$  /Gpc<sup>3</sup>/y

If 2/3 of SGRBs are associated with BNS mergers, the rate in Ad. LIGO at design sensitivity would be about

2 per year

after accounting for beaming.

Initial expectation for BNS mergers in Ad. LIGO at design sensitivity: 0.4 - 400 / year

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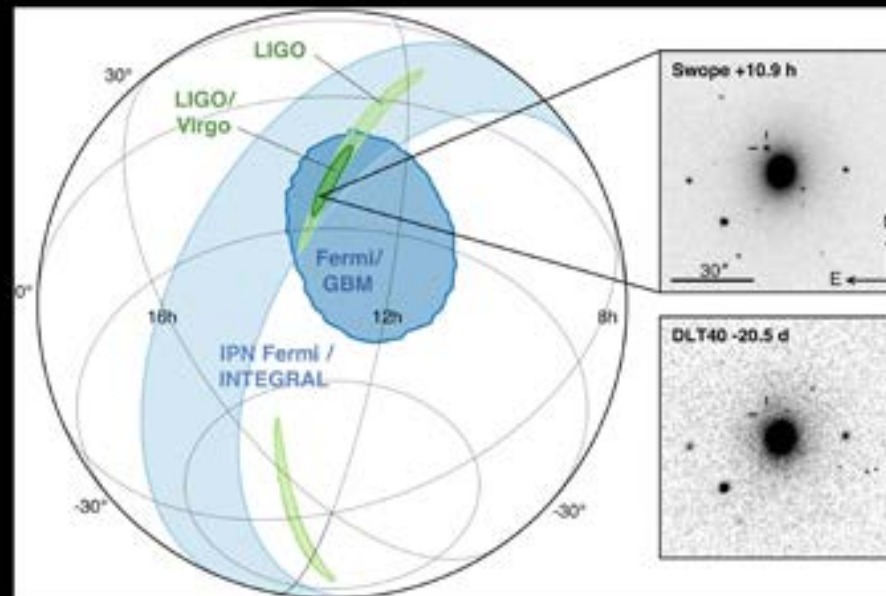
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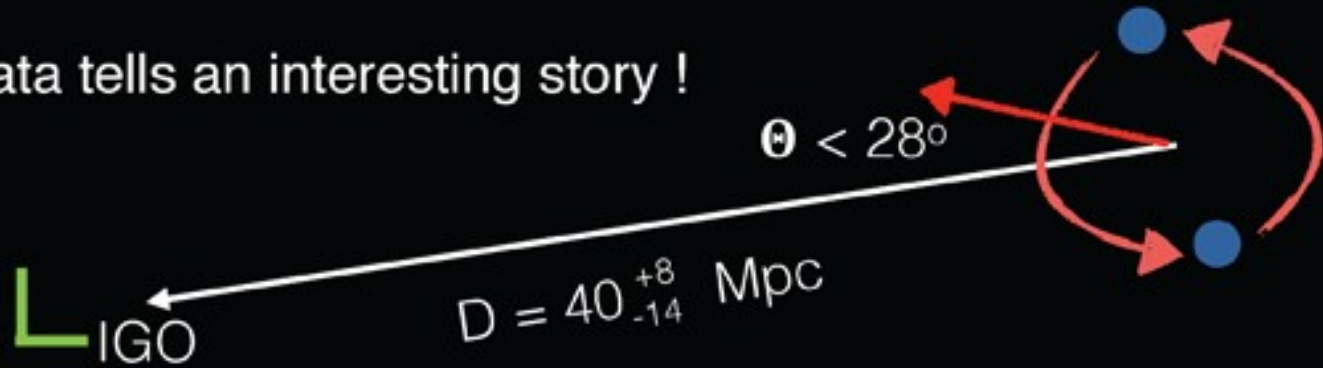
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**+11 hours:** Optical transient detected in a galaxy NGC 4993 at 40 Mpc by the 1M2H team.  
Carnegie observatories at Los Campanas, Chile.



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Taken together the data tells an interesting story !



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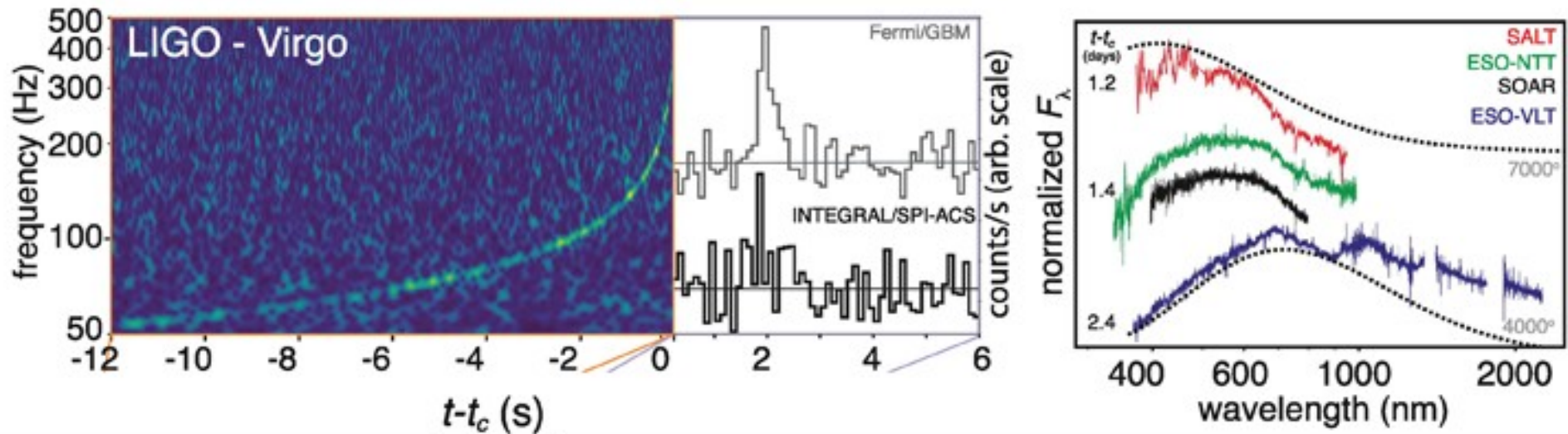
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## Multi-messenger Observations of a Binary Neutron Star Merger





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## Parameters from GW data analysis

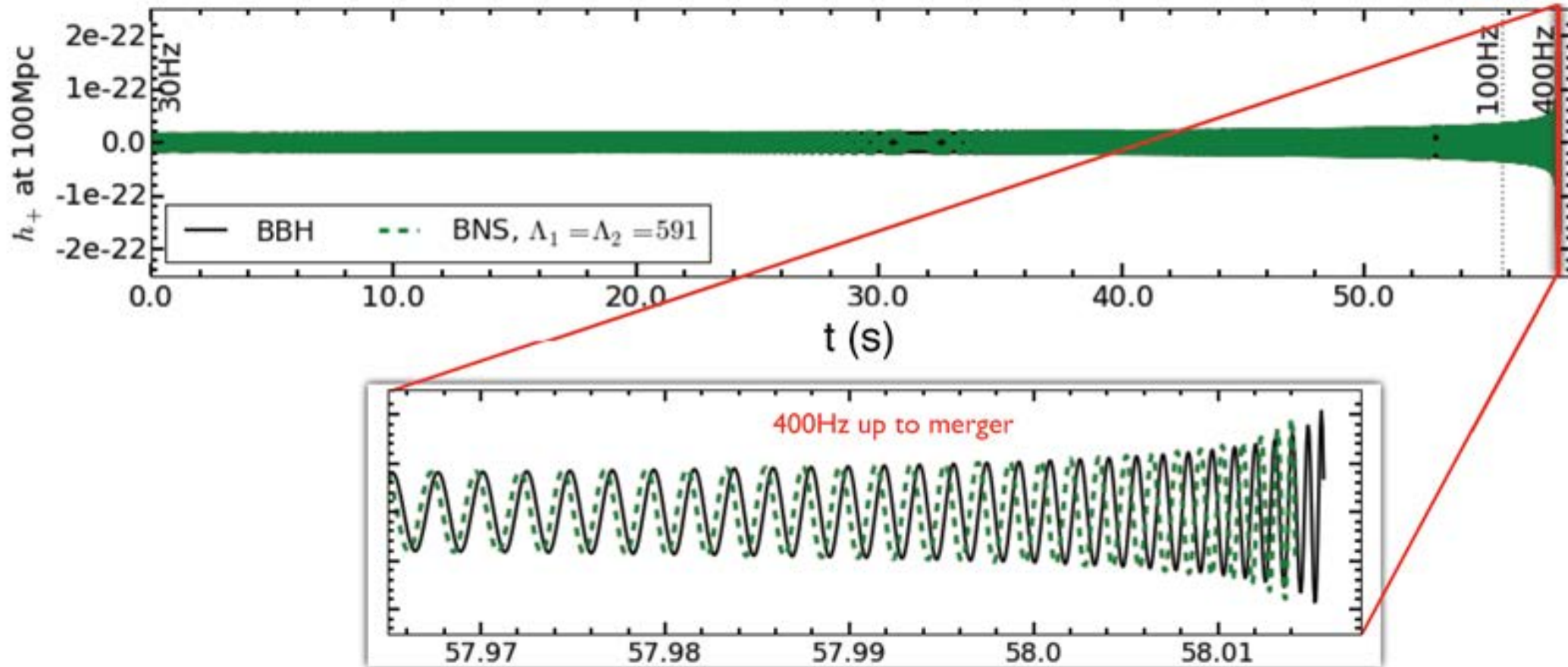
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Viewing angle $\Theta$	$\leq 55^\circ$
Using NGC 4993 location	$\leq 28^\circ$
Combined dimensionless tidal deformability $\tilde{\Lambda}$	$\leq 800$
Dimensionless tidal deformability $\Lambda(1.4M_\odot)$	$\leq 800$

$$\mathcal{M} = \frac{(m_1 m_2)^{3/5}}{(m_1 + m_2)^{1/5}} \quad \leftarrow \frac{df}{dt} = \frac{96 \pi^{8/3}}{5} \mathcal{M}^{5/3} f^{11/3}$$

$$\tilde{\Lambda} = \frac{1}{26} \left( \frac{(m_{\text{tot}} + m_2)m_1^4}{m_{\text{tot}}^5} \Lambda_1 + \frac{(m_{\text{tot}} + m_1)m_2^4}{m_{\text{tot}}^5} \Lambda_2 \right) \quad \text{where} \quad \Lambda_i = \frac{\lambda_i}{m_i^5} = \frac{2}{3} k_2(\beta_i, \text{EOS}) \frac{R_i^5}{m_i^5}$$

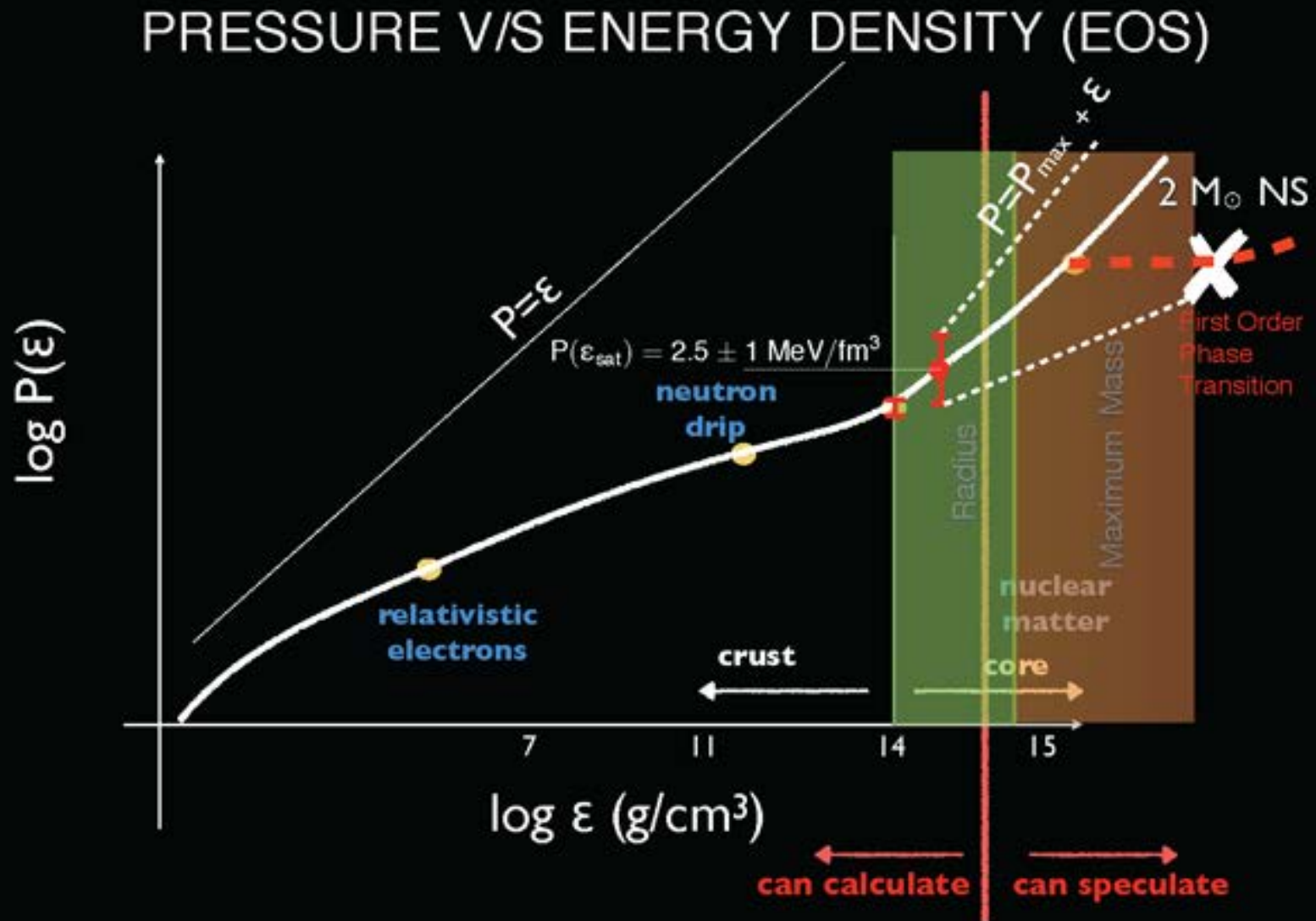
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## Tidal Effects at Late Times



B. Lackey, L. Wade. PRD 91, 043002 (2015)

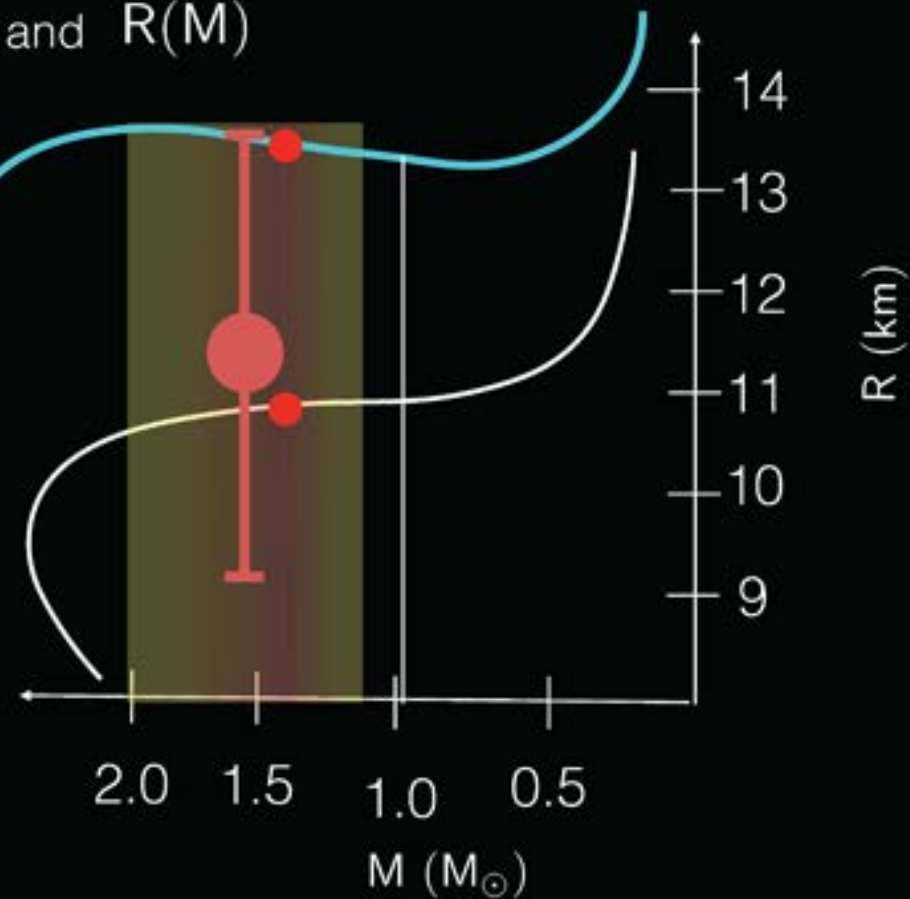
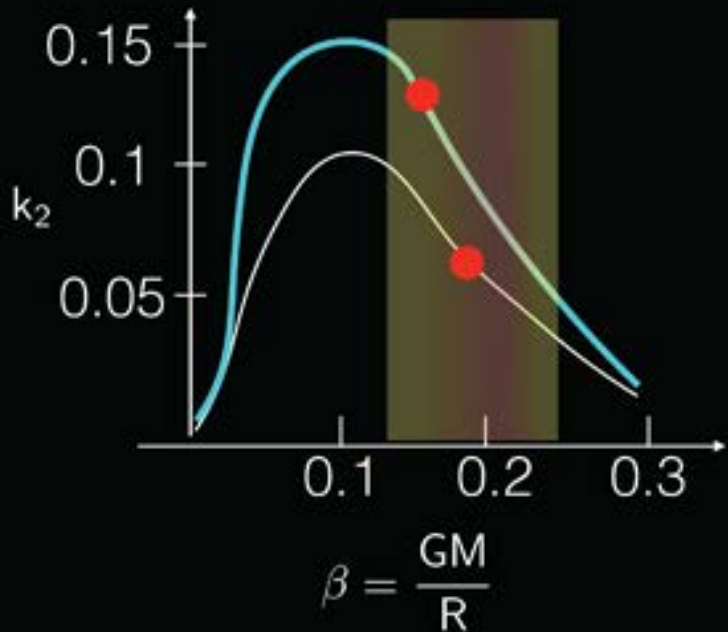
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## Tidal Polarizability and the Equation of State

The dense matter EOS determines:  $k_2(M)$  and  $R(M)$

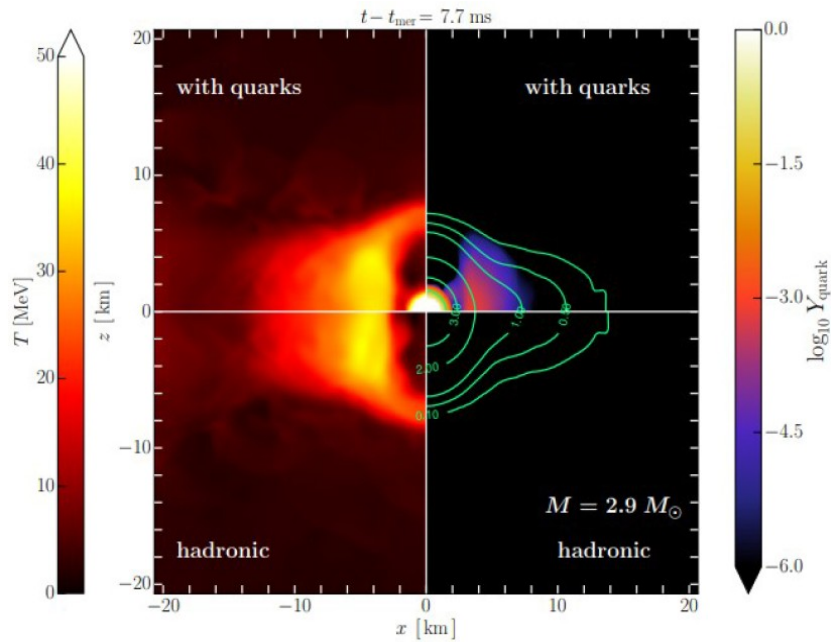


At  $M=1.4 M_\odot$

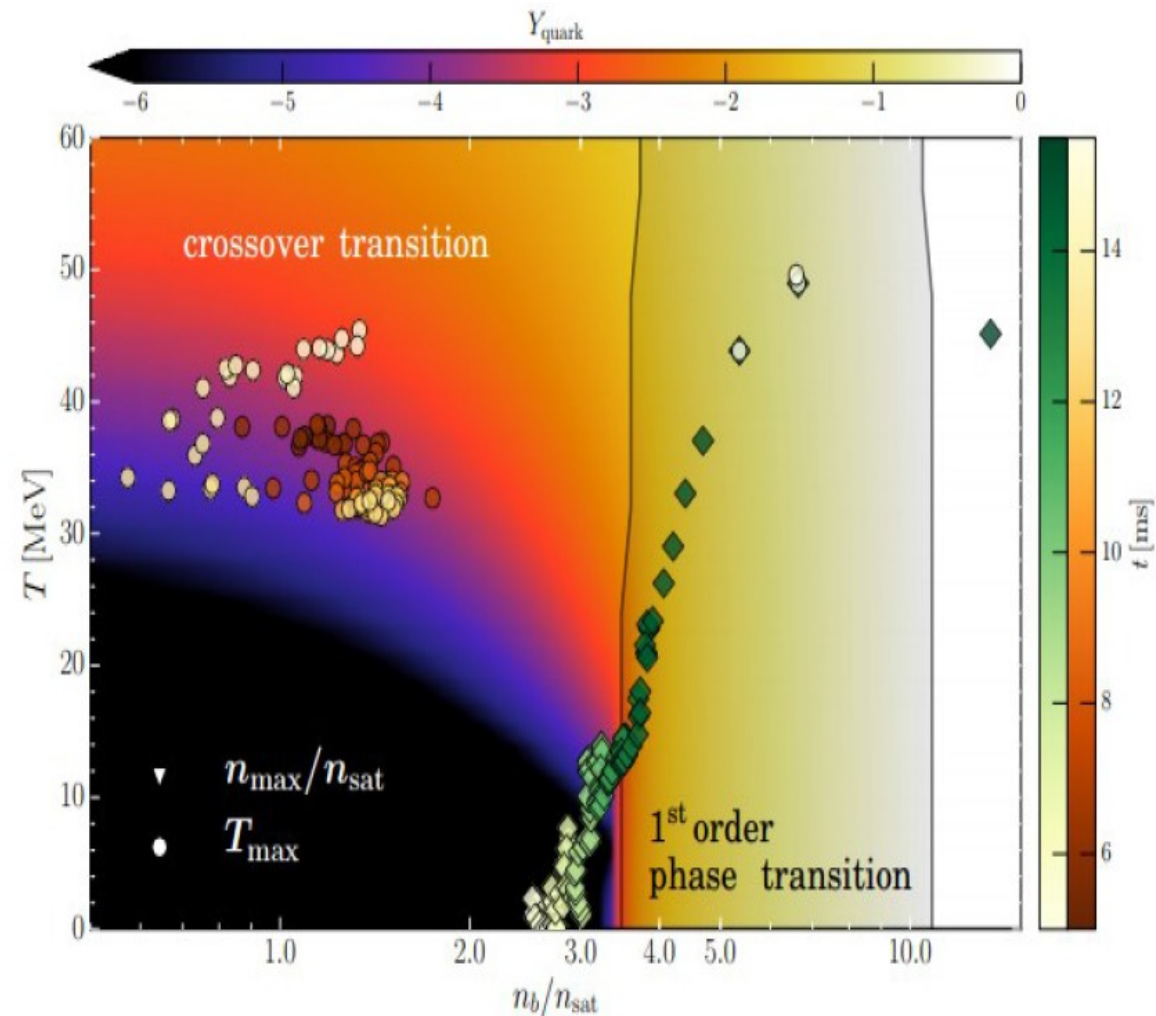
$\Lambda(R = 14\text{km}) \simeq 800$

$\Lambda(R = 12\text{km}) \simeq 300$

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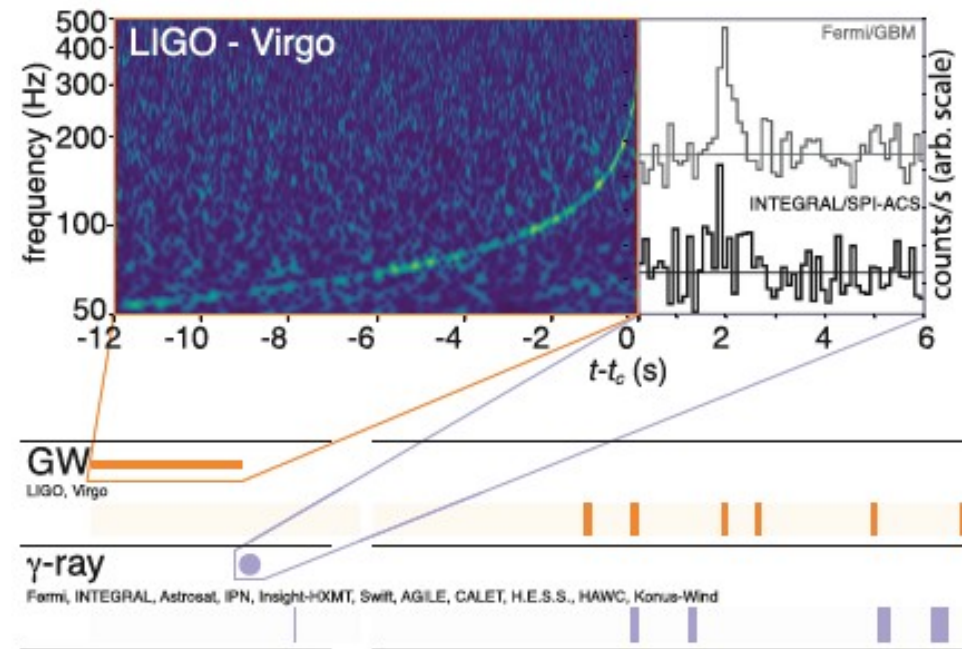
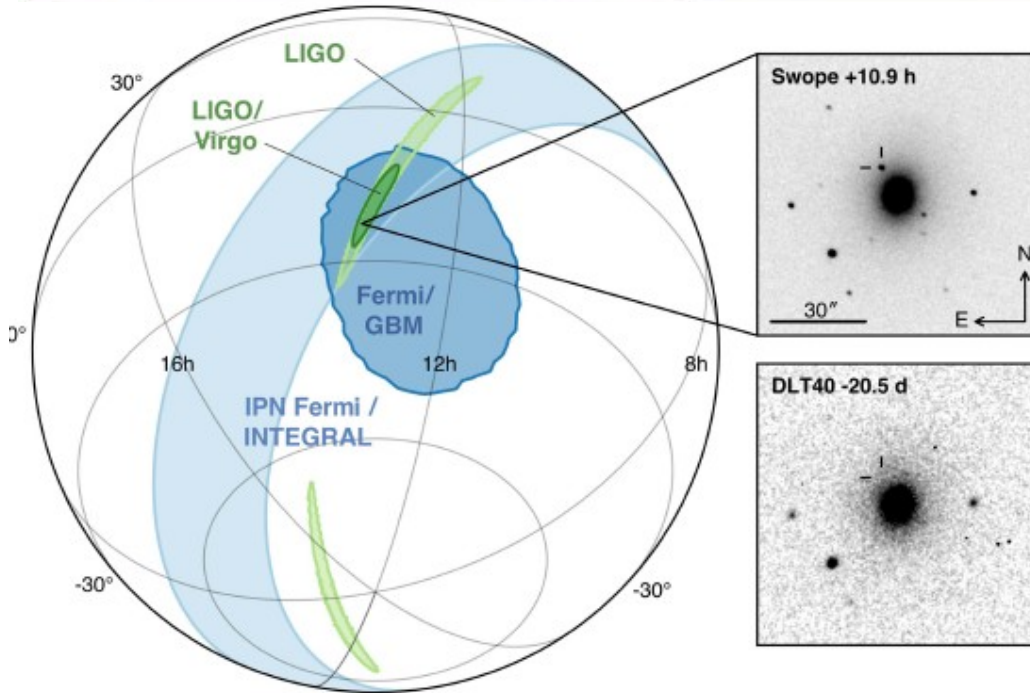
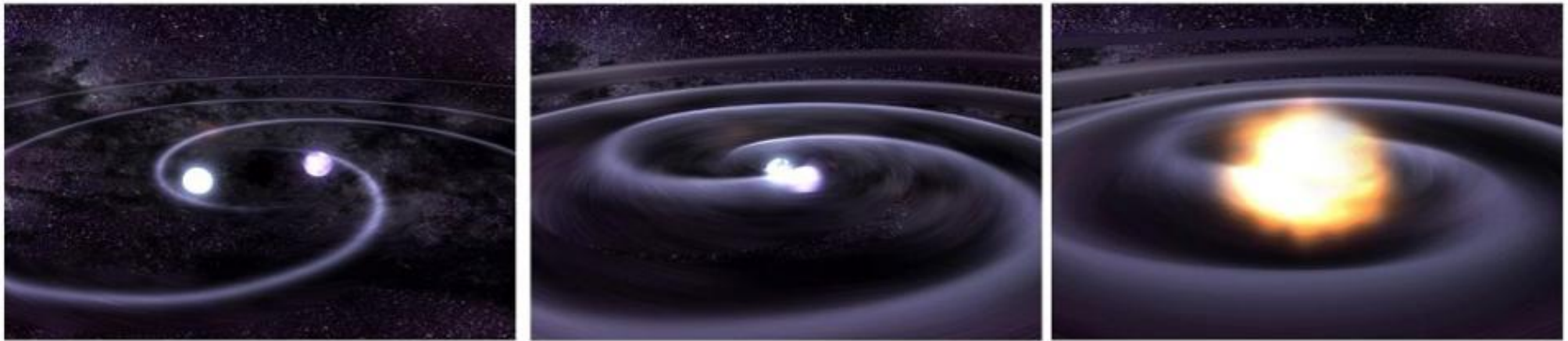


← Meridional plane of a hot, supermassive binary star during the merger process. quark vs. hadronic chiral meanfield model.



Evolution of the densest and hottest points in the supermassive binary star In the phase diagram during the merger process. The background colors indicate quark fractions.

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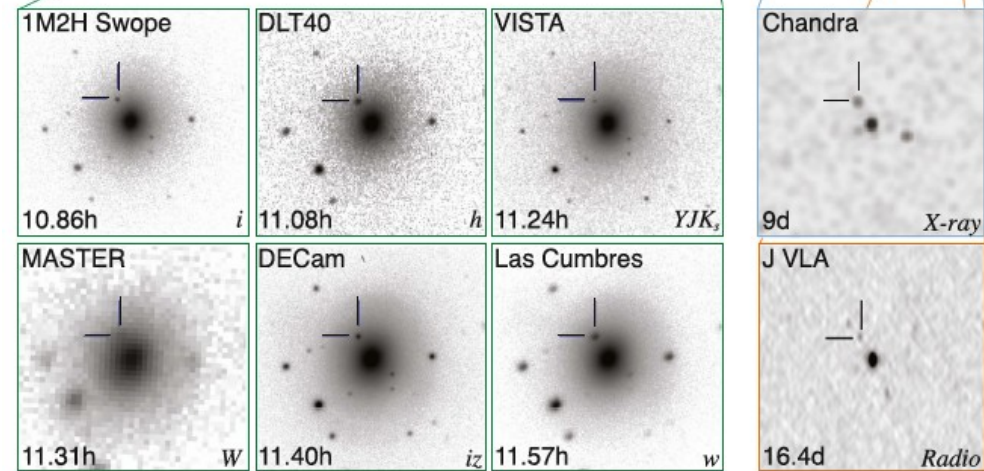
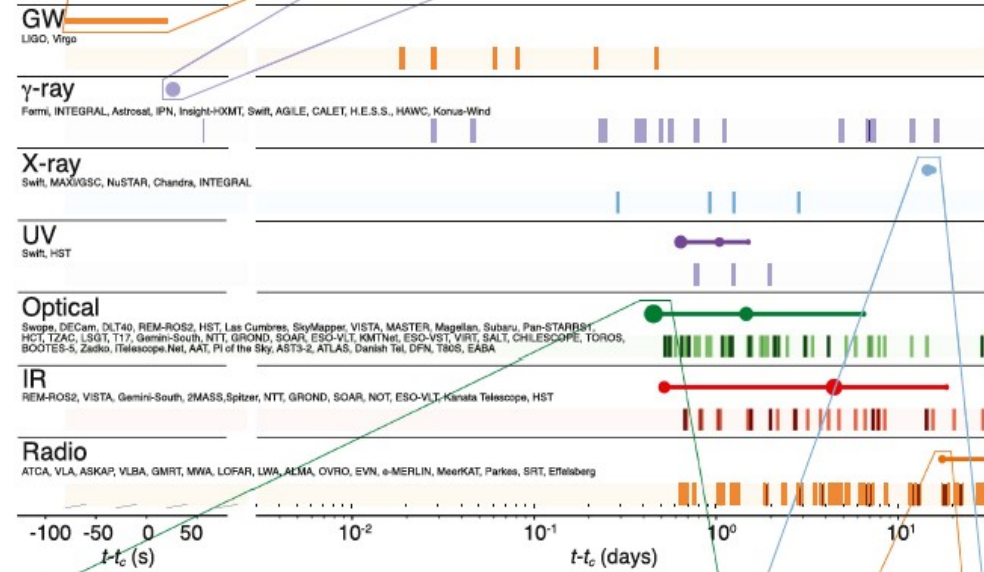
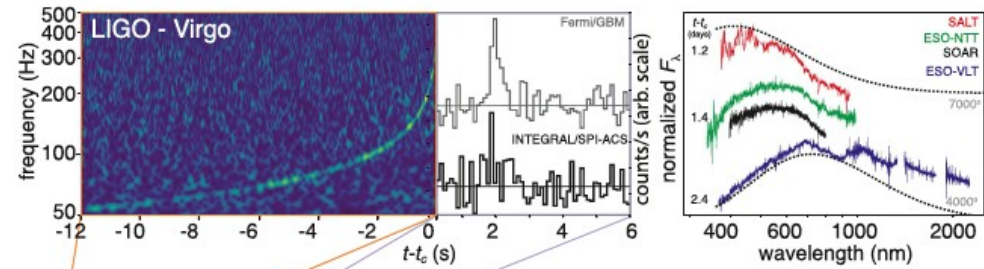
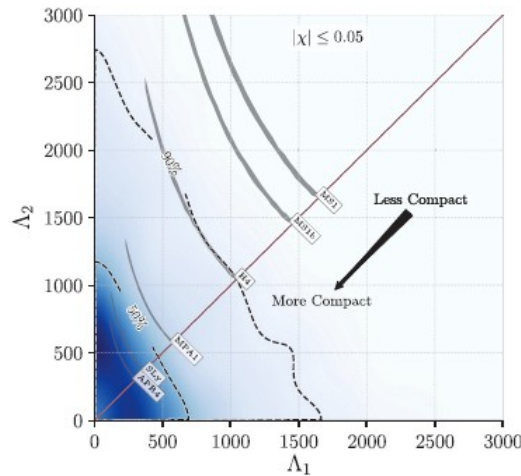
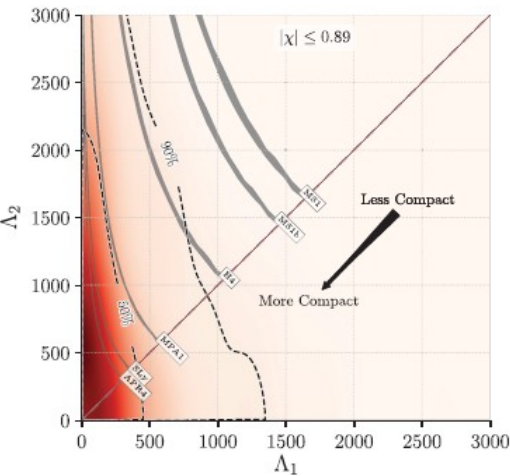
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Multi-Messenger Astrophysics !!

$M < 2.17 M_{\text{sun}}$  (arxiv:1710.05938)

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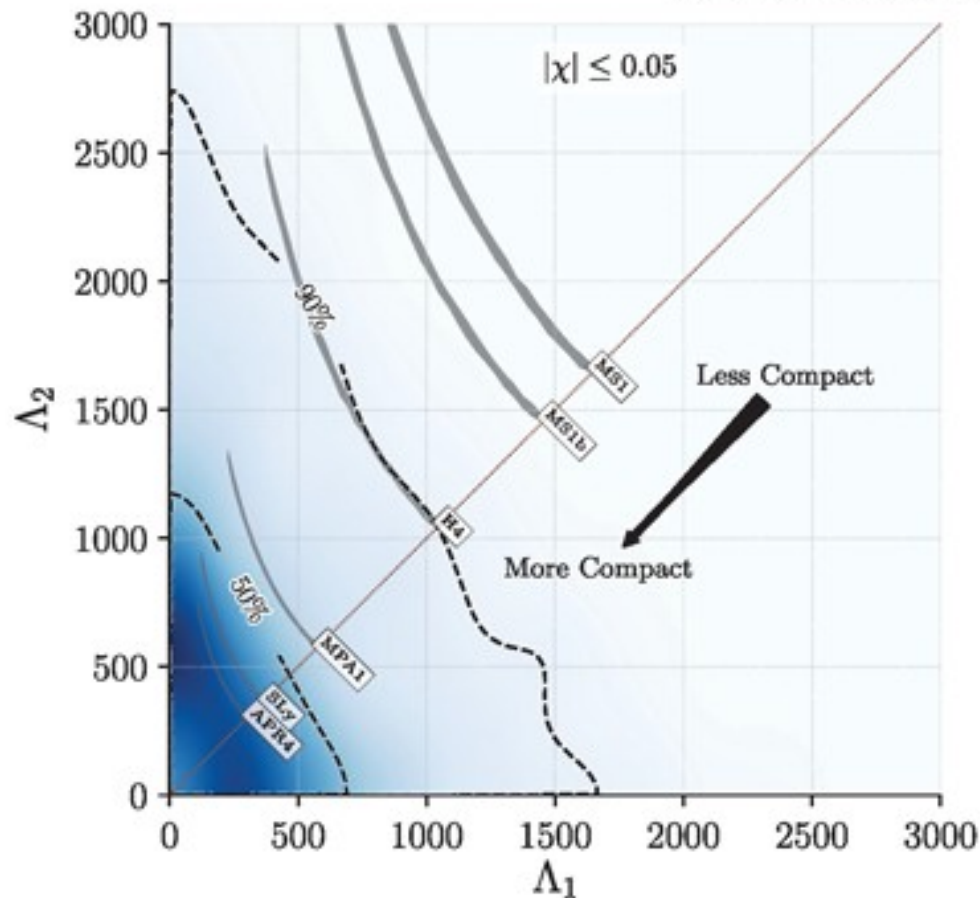
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- Very stiff (unrealistic) EOS which predict  $R > 14$  kms are disfavored.
- Data appears to favor a finite polarizability but cannot distinguish between radii in the range 9-13 kms.
- Systematic errors due to spin-orbit, spin-spin interactions are included in parameter estimation.



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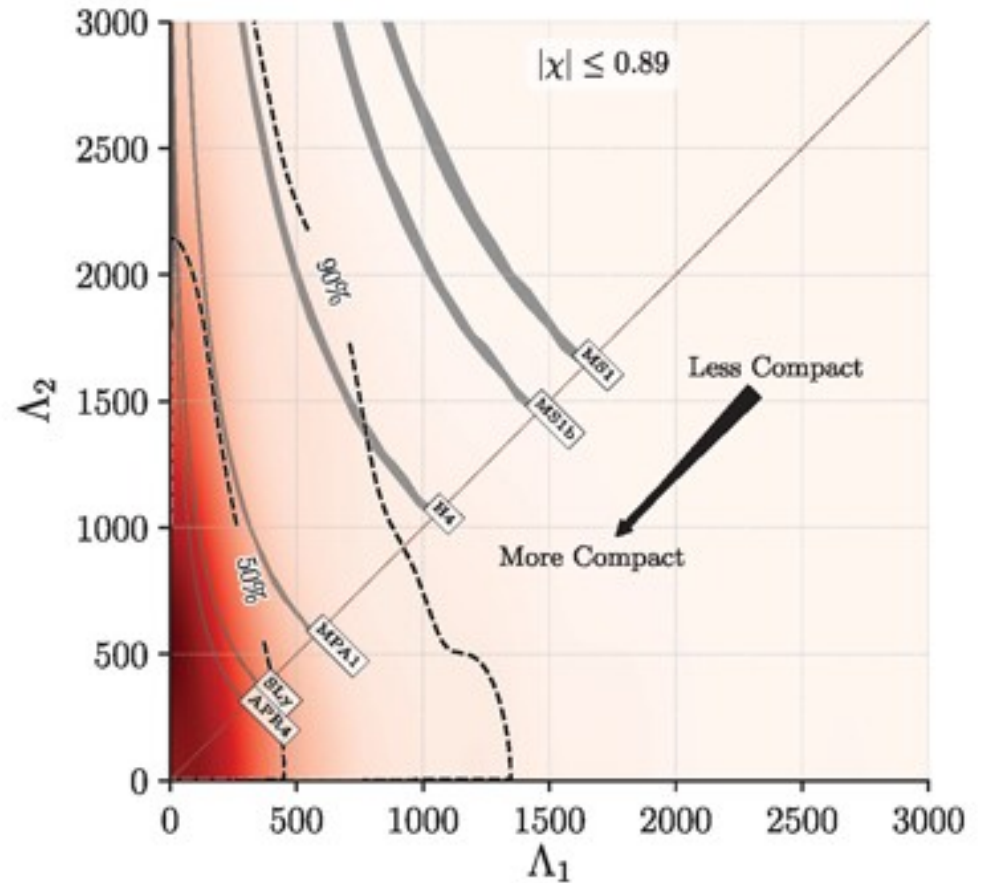
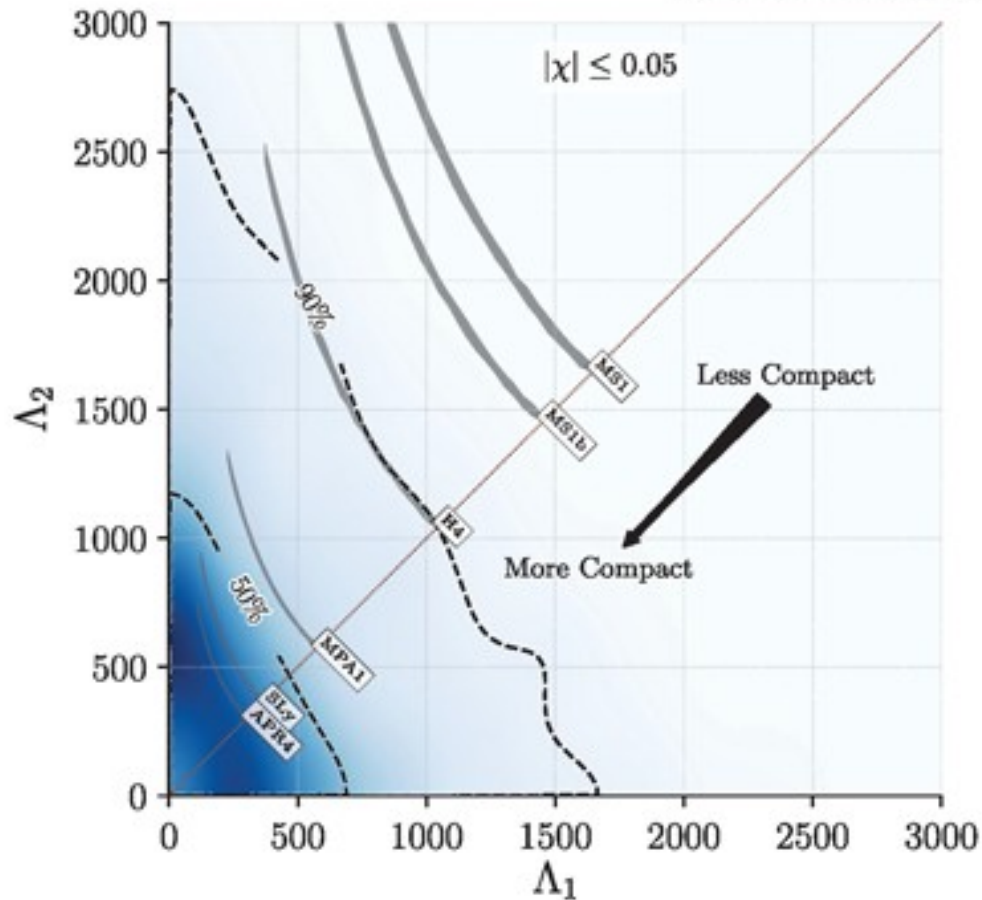
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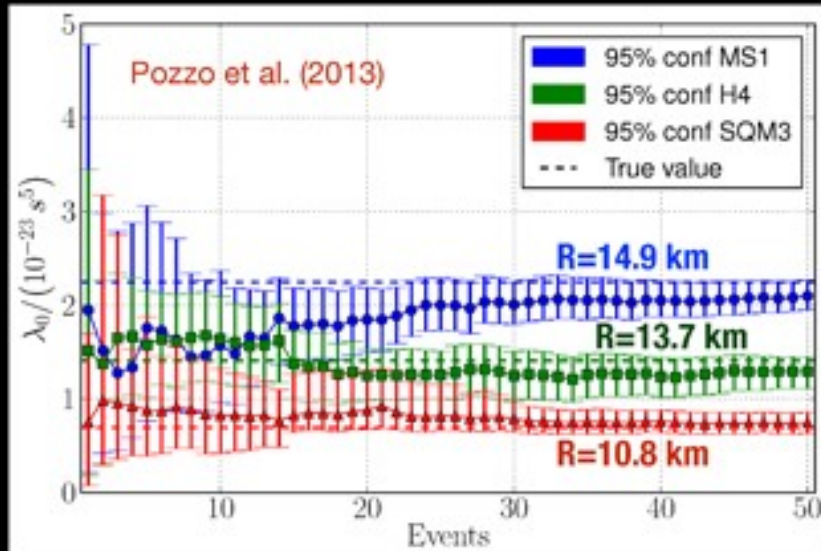
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With Many Detections and Some Luck

Quadrupole Polarizability



10% measurement of neutron star radius may be possible.

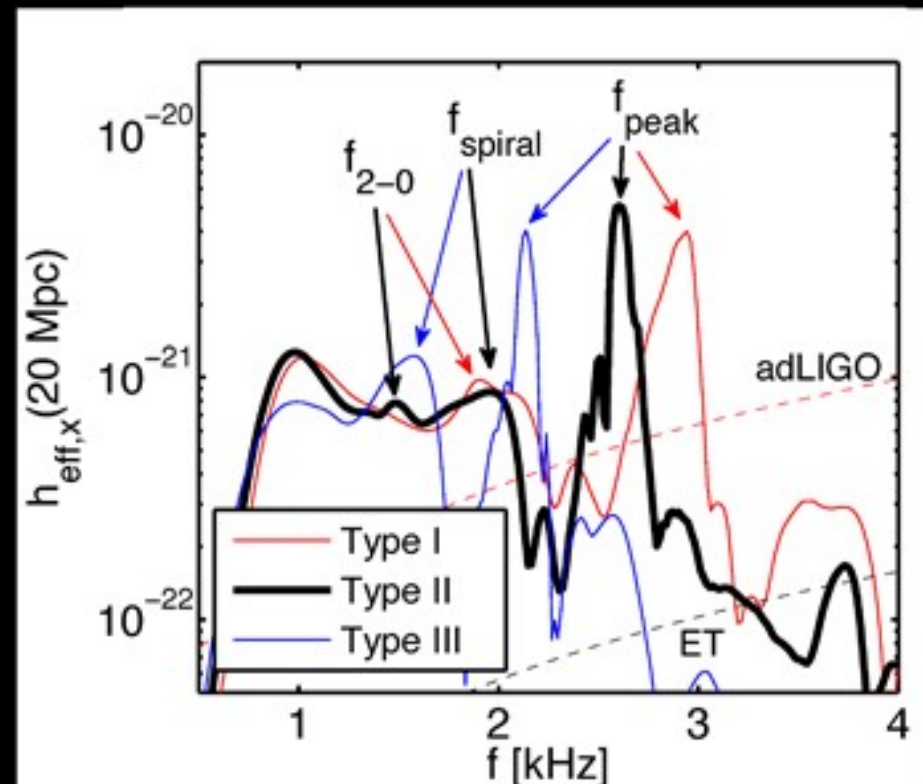
Frequency of quasi-normal modes of NS post merger are sensitive to EOS.

$$f_{\text{peak}}[\text{kHz}] = 199(M/R)^2 - 28.1(M/R) + 2.33$$

$$f_{\text{spiral}}[\text{kHz}] = 358(M/R)^2 - 82.1(M/R) + 6.16$$

$$f_{2-0}[\text{kHz}] = 392(M/R)^2 - 88.3(M/R) + 5.95$$

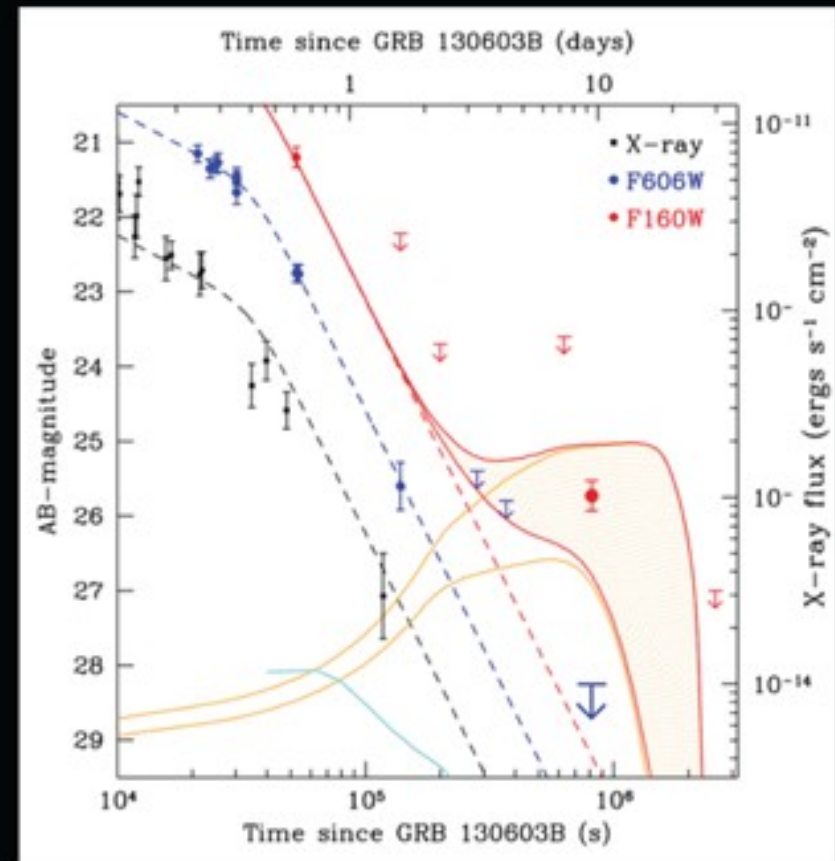
Bauswein & Stergioulas (2015)



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## Ejecta and Kilonova

- Mergers produce and heavy elements.  
*Lattimer & Schramm 1974*
- Radioactive heavy elements synthesized and ejected can power an EM signal.  
*Eichler, Livio, Piran, Schramm 1989, Li & Paczynski 1998, Metzger et al. 2010, Roberts et al. 2011, Goriely et al. 2011*
- Magnitude and color of the optical emission is sensitive to the composition of the ejecta.  
*Kasen 2013*



Detection of a Kilonova ?

*Tanvir et al. 2013*

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## Late time EM emission

Tremendous detail in the observed light curves !

Remarkably, models that fit these light curves suggests:

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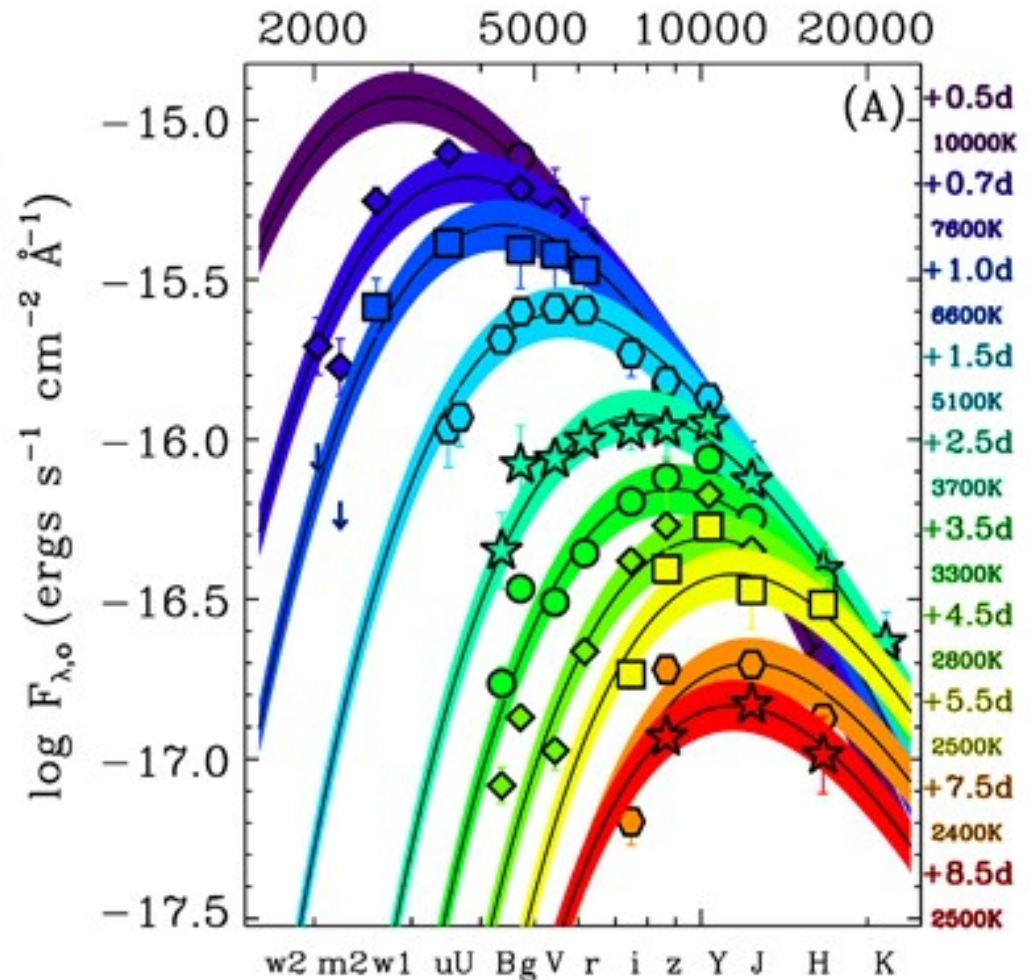
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Origin of the heavy elements in binary neutron-star mergers from a gravitational-wave event

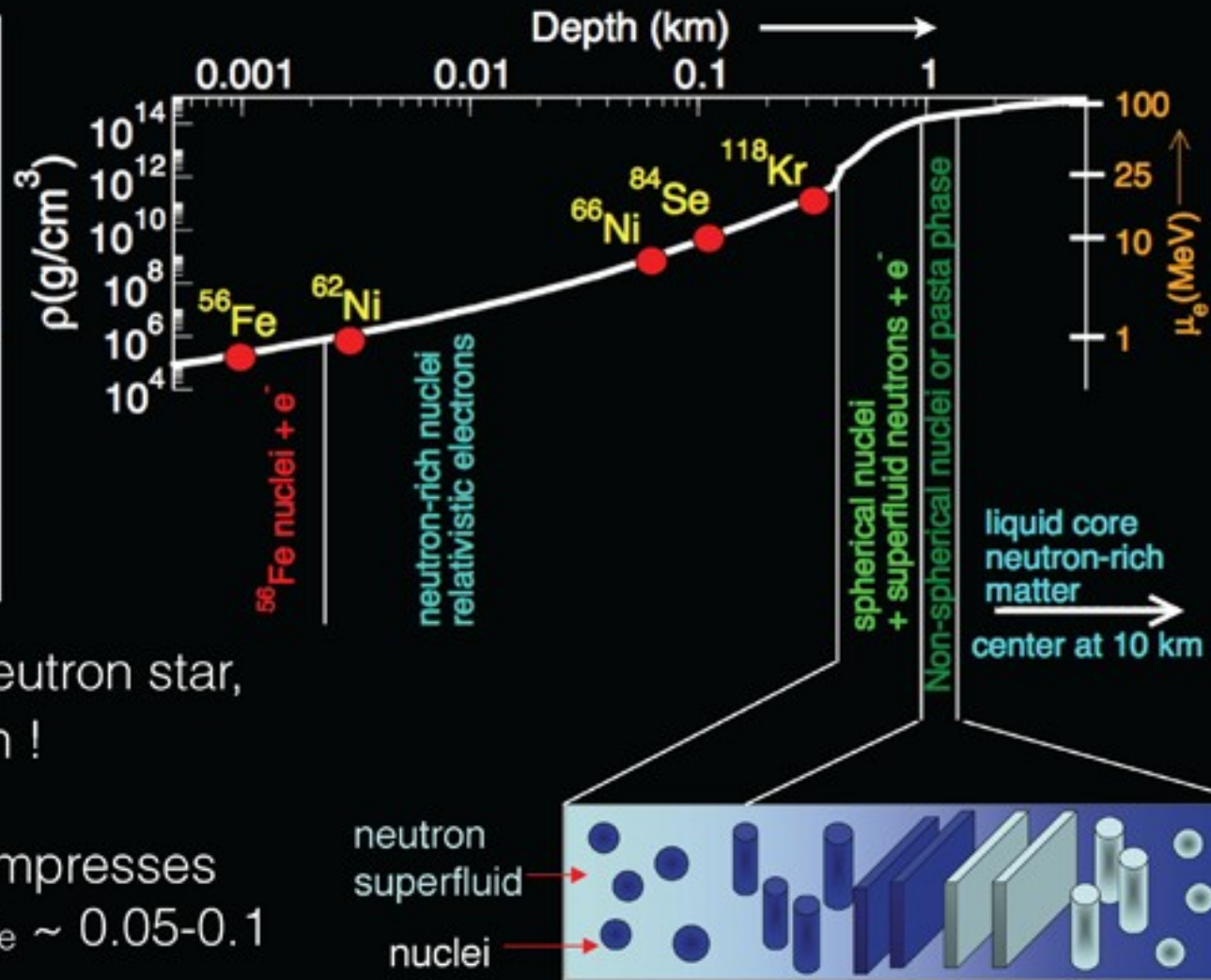
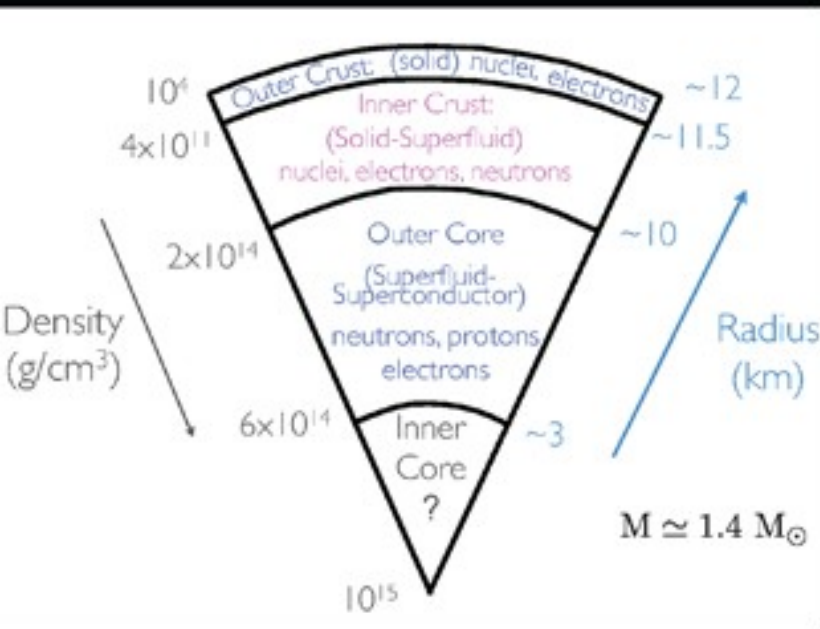
Daniel Kasen, Brian Metzger, Jennifer Barnes, Eliot Quataert & Enrico Ramirez-Ruiz

1. Merger ejected  $\sim 0.06 M_{\odot}$  of radioactive nuclei
2. Radioactive ejecta had two components
3. One component with  $A > 140$  (heavy r-process)
4. Second component with  $A < 140$  (light r-process)
5. Mass of the  $A > 140$  component  $\sim 0.04 M_{\odot}$
6. Mass of the  $A < 140$  component  $\sim 0.025 M_{\odot}$



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## Blast Mining Neutron Stars



To extract  $\sim 0.03 M_{\odot}$  from each neutron star, need to dig down  $>2$  km in depth !

Ejection during the merger decompresses dense neutron-rich matter.  $Y_p = Y_e \sim 0.05-0.1$

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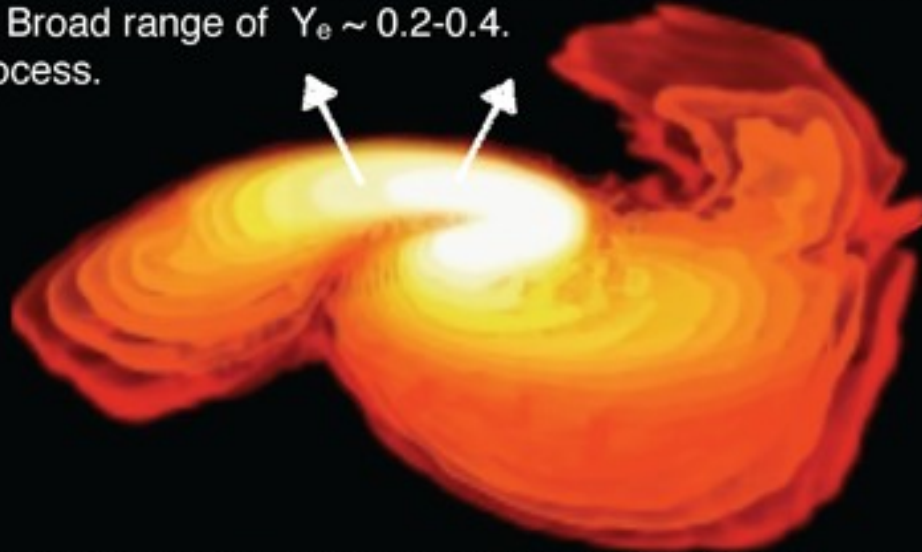
## Merger Ejecta

Shock and wind driven ejecta:

Processed by weak interactions and neutrinos, much like in a supernova.

Not as neutron rich. Broad range of  $Y_e \sim 0.2-0.4$ .

Makes the light r-process.



Tidal ejecta:

Early, and very neutron-rich.  $Y_e < 0.2$

Robust heavy r-process.

Makes  $A=130$  and  $A=190$  peaks.

Simulations find that the amount and composition of the material ejected depends:

- Neutron star radius
- Weak interaction rates in dense matter
- Mass ratio
- Magnetic fields generated during the merger.

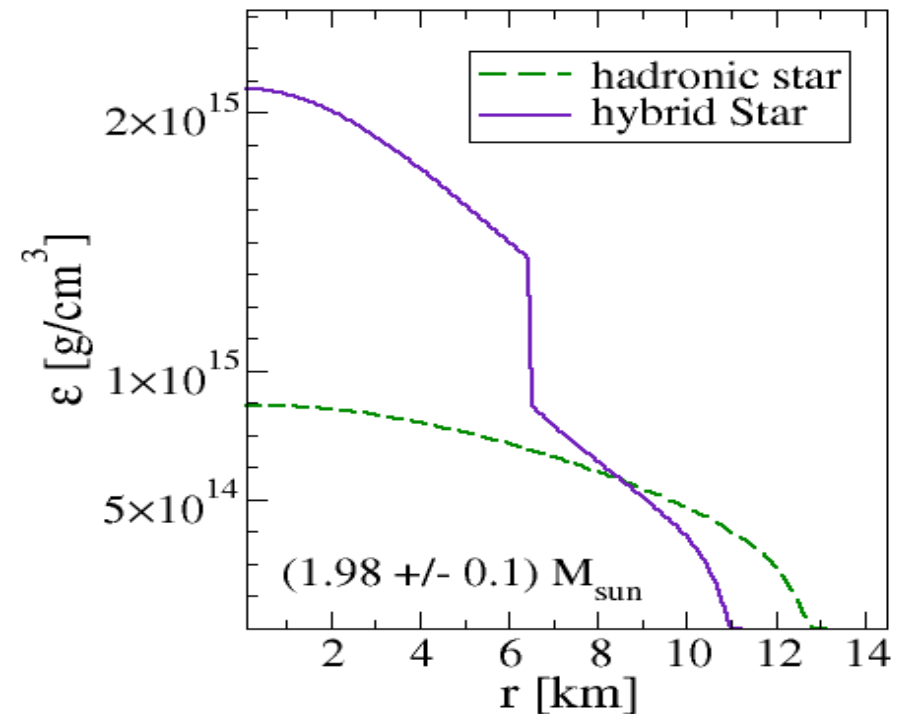
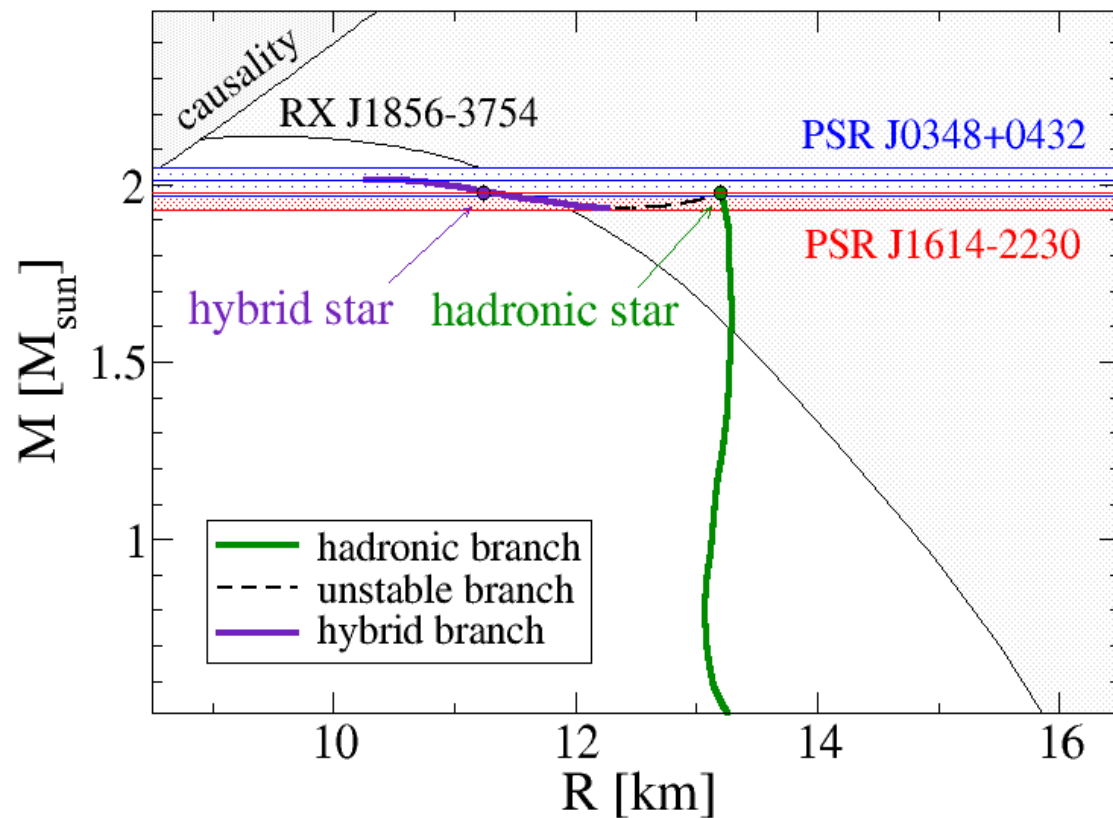
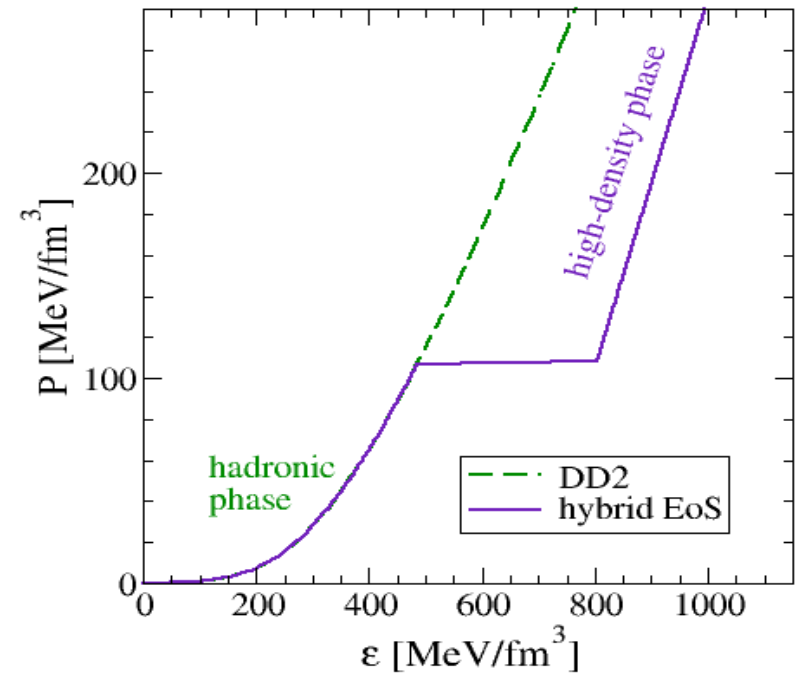
Typical mass ejected is between  $0.001-0.01 M_{\odot}$ .

# “Holy Grail” - High-Mass Twin Stars

Twins prove existence of **disconnected populations** (third family) in the M-R diagram

Consequence of a **first order phase transition**

**Question:** Do twins prove the 1st order phase trans.?

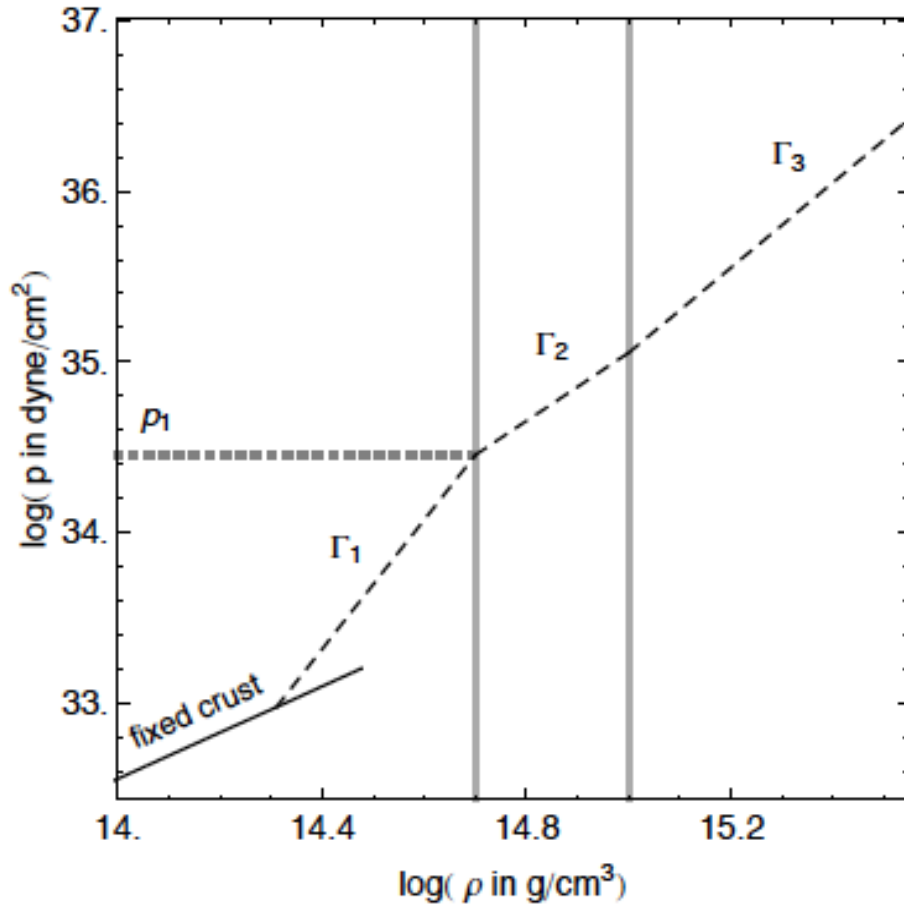


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J. Read et al., PRD 79, 124032 (2009)

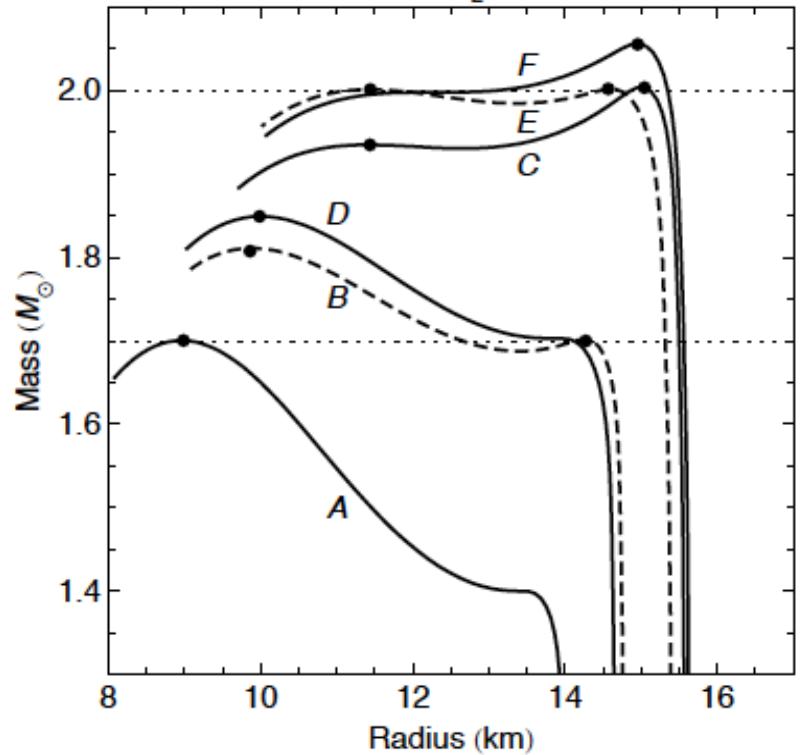
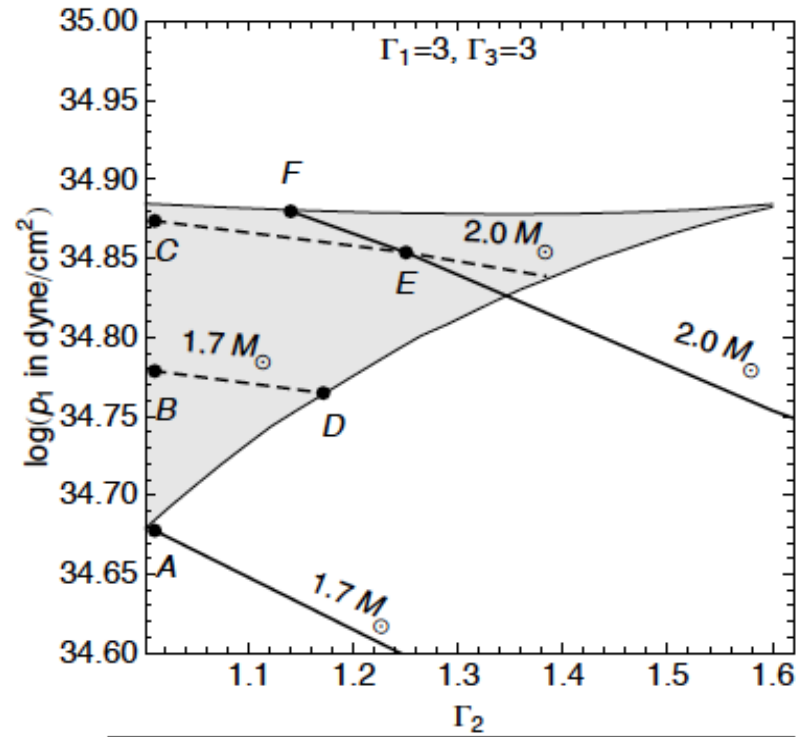
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Case E:

**HMT @  
2 M<sub>sun</sub>**





# 3. Piecewise polytropic EoS – high mass twins?

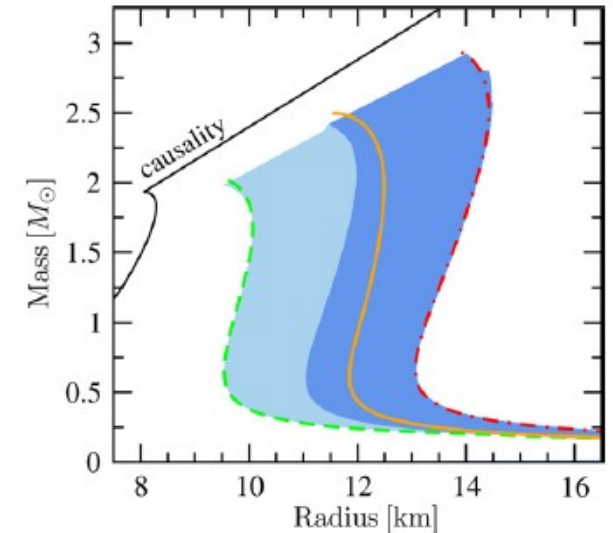
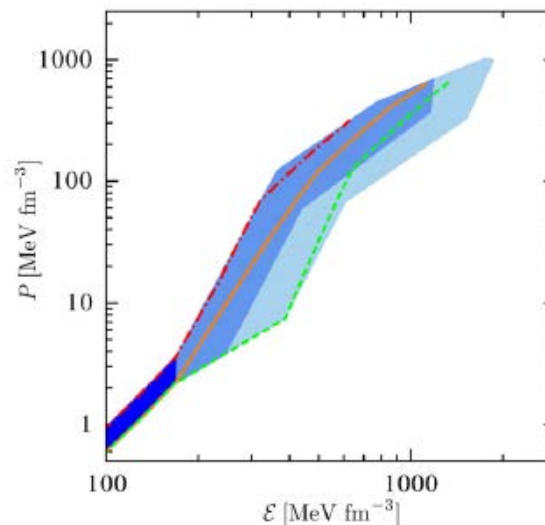
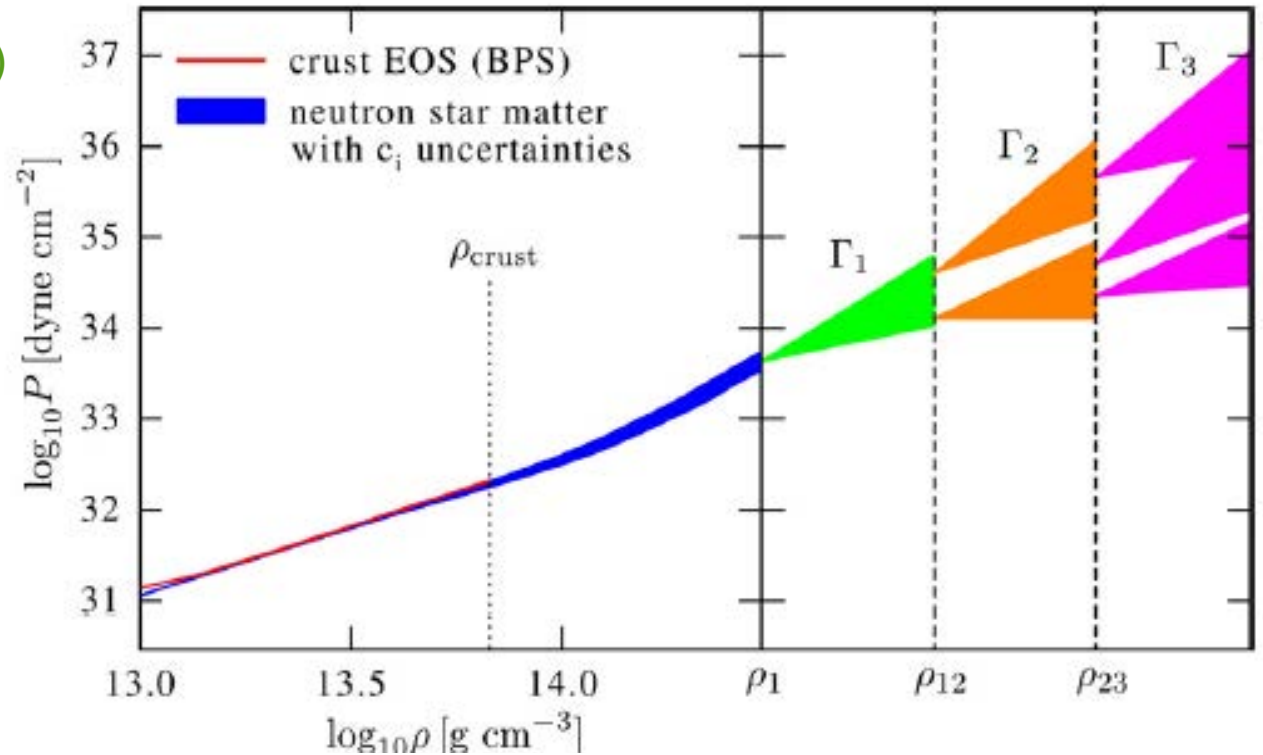
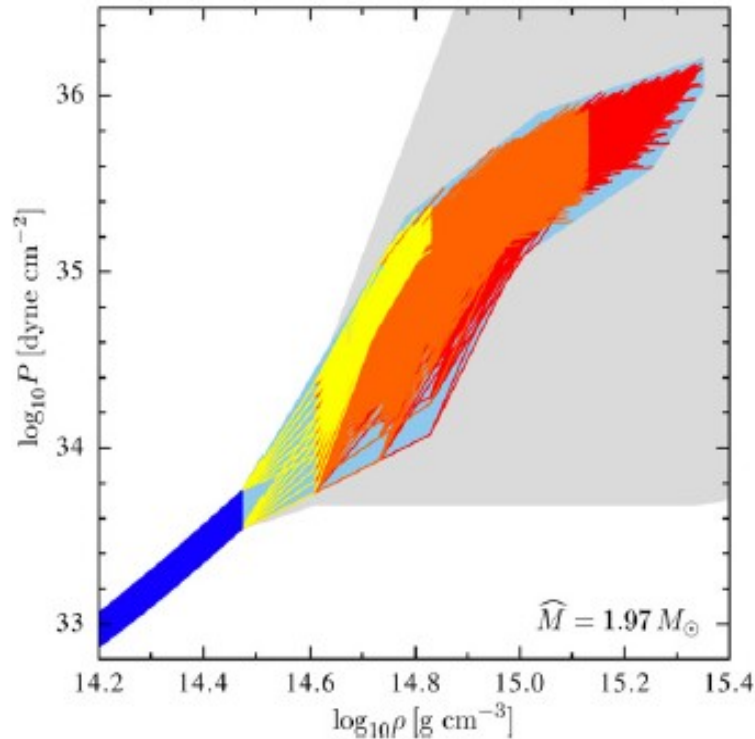
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Here, 1<sup>st</sup> order PT in region 2:

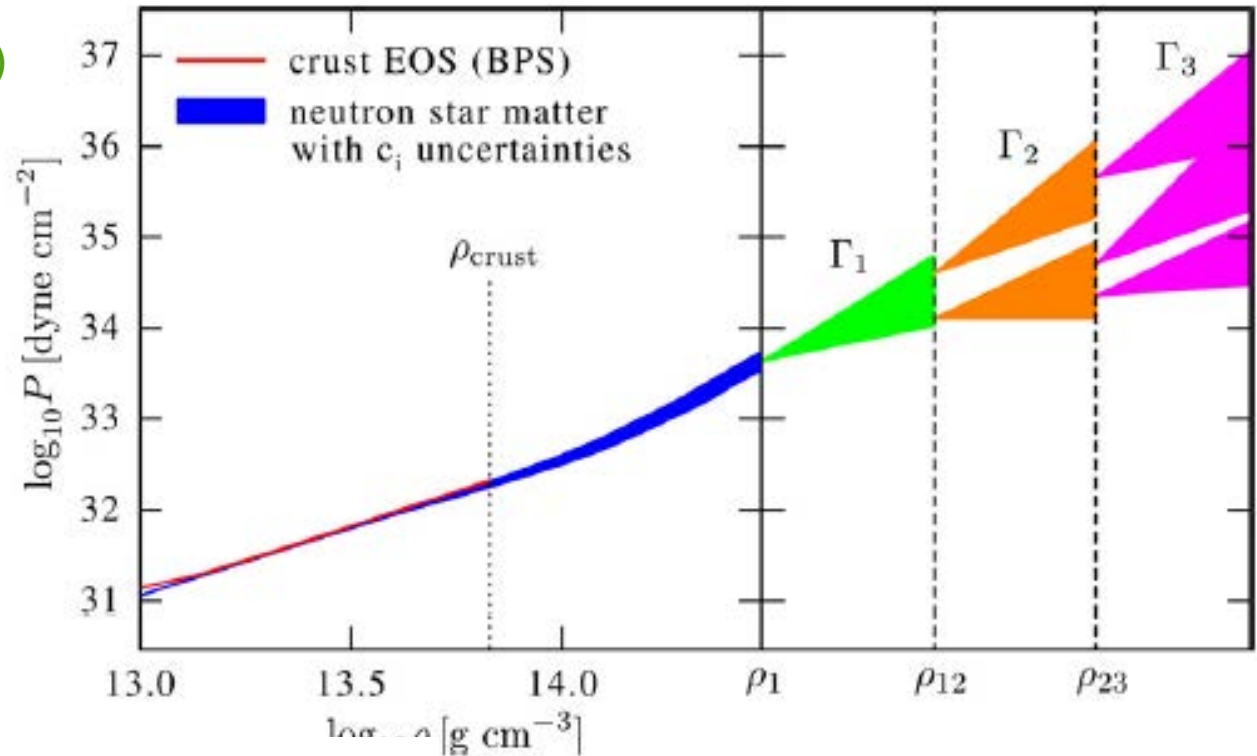
$$\Gamma_2 = 0 \text{ and } P_2 = \kappa_2 = P_{\text{crit}}$$

$$P(n) = n^2 \frac{d(\varepsilon(n)/n)}{dn},$$

$$\varepsilon(n)/n = \int dn \frac{P(n)}{n^2} = \int dn \kappa n^{\Gamma-2} = \frac{\kappa n^{\Gamma-1}}{\Gamma-1} + C,$$

$$\mu(n) = \frac{P(n) + \varepsilon(n)}{n} = \frac{\kappa \Gamma}{\Gamma-1} n^{\Gamma-1} + m_0,$$

Seidov criterion for instability:  $\frac{\Delta\varepsilon}{\varepsilon_{\text{crit}}} \geq \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{3} \frac{P_{\text{crit}}}{\varepsilon_{\text{crit}}}$



$$n(\mu) = \left[ (\mu - m_0) \frac{\Gamma - 1}{\kappa \Gamma} \right]^{1/(\Gamma-1)}$$

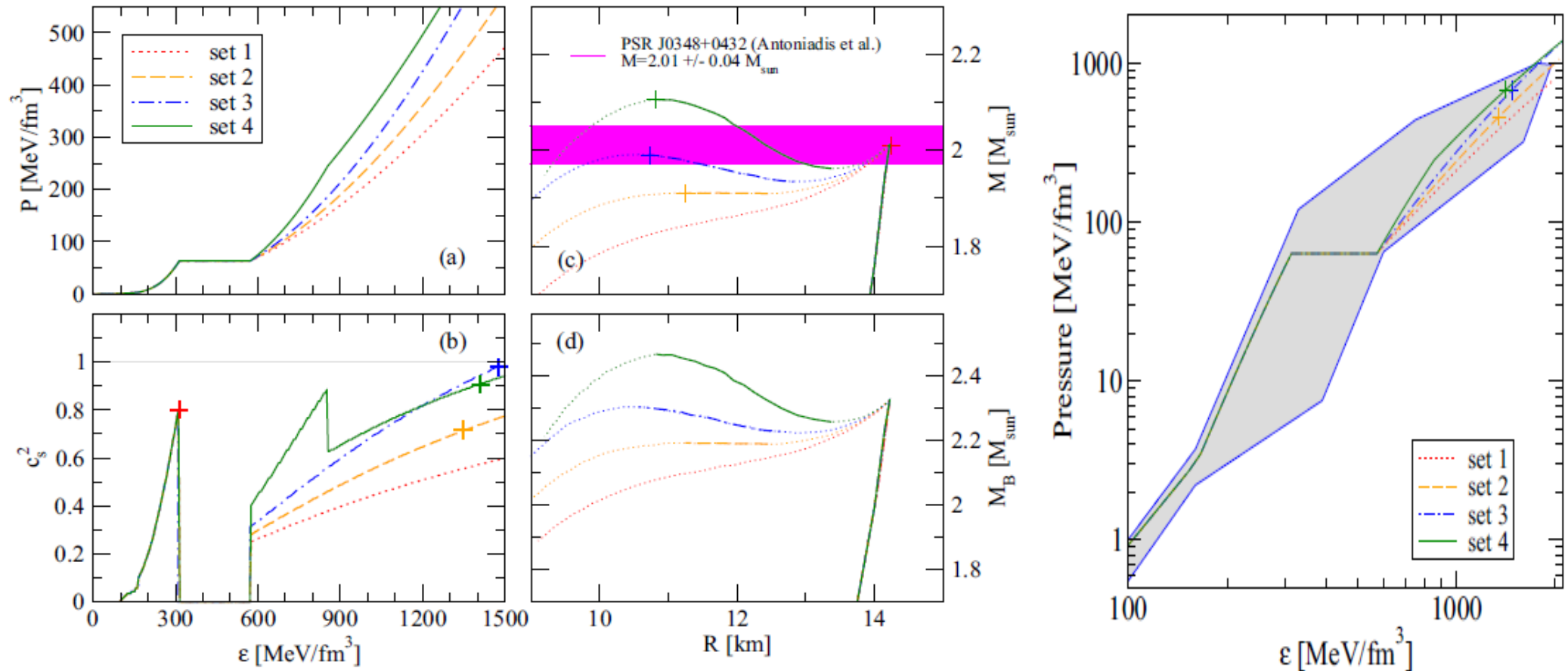
$$P(\mu) = \kappa \left[ (\mu - m_0) \frac{\Gamma - 1}{\kappa \Gamma} \right]^{\Gamma/(\Gamma-1)}$$

Maxwell construction:

$$P_1(\mu_{\text{crit}}) = P_3(\mu_{\text{crit}}) = P_{\text{crit}}$$

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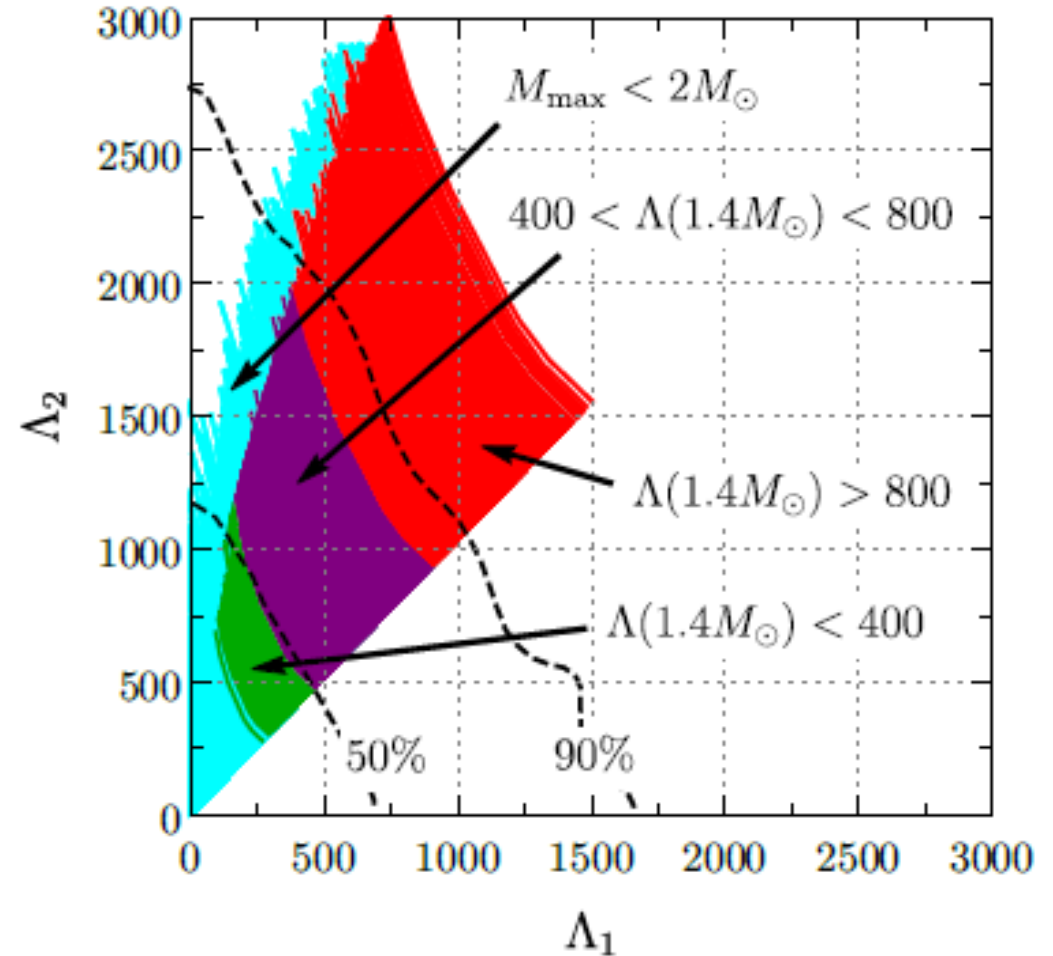
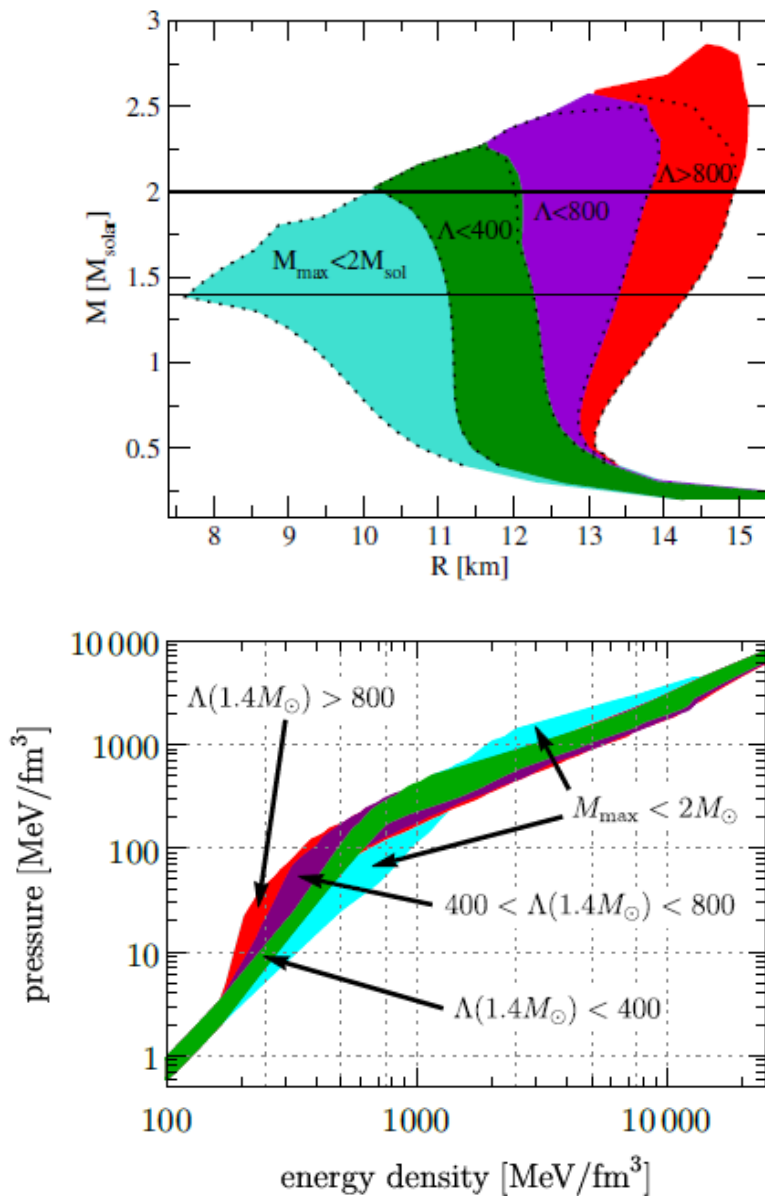
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All sets with same onset of phase transition;  
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 and same jump in energy density  
 $\Delta\epsilon = 253.9 \text{ MeV/fm}^3$ ; varying  $\Gamma_3$

Third family solutions found at 2 Msol (HMT),  
 4-tropes favored; match with Hebeler et al.!  
 [D. Alvarez & D.B. PRC 96 (2017) 045809]

# Gravitational-wave constraints on the neutron-star-matter Equation of State

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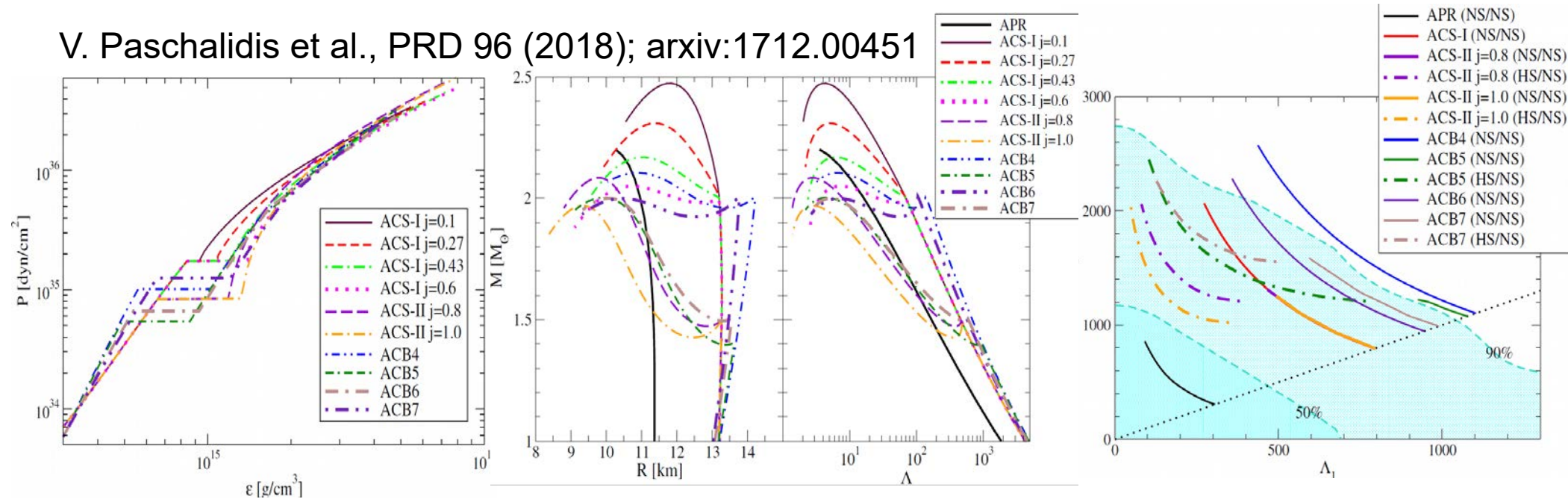


Unfortunately, twins and third family forgotten !!!  
For this aim, 2- and 3-tropes not sufficient, 4-tropes!

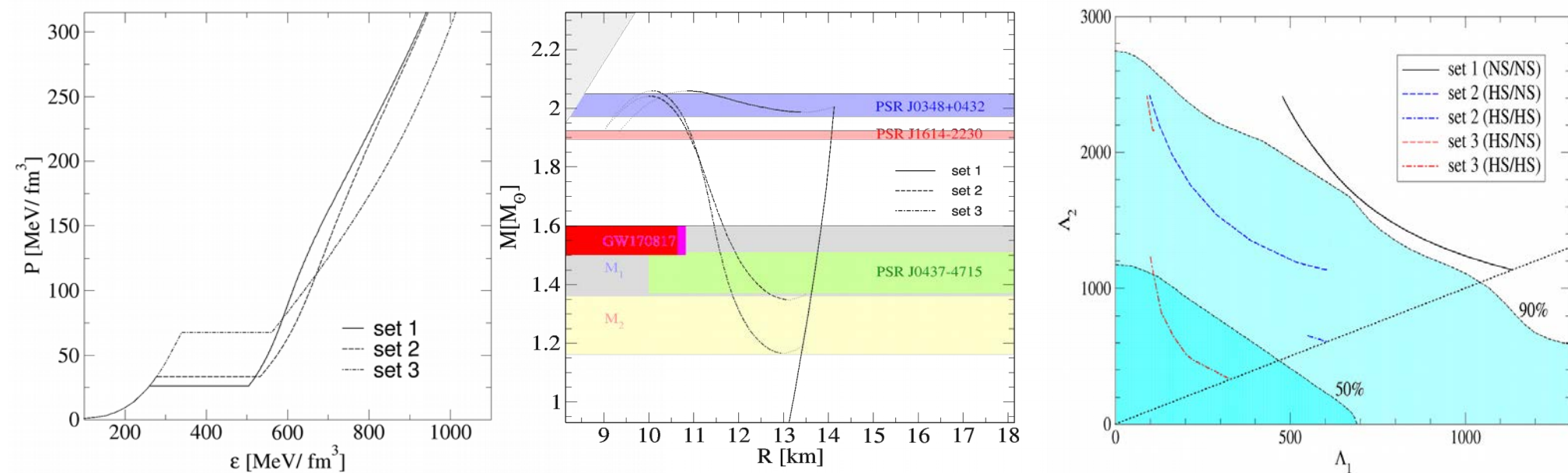
Refined calculation (with twins) is under way (A.V.)

## Other examples: Multi-polytrope and multi-CSS model

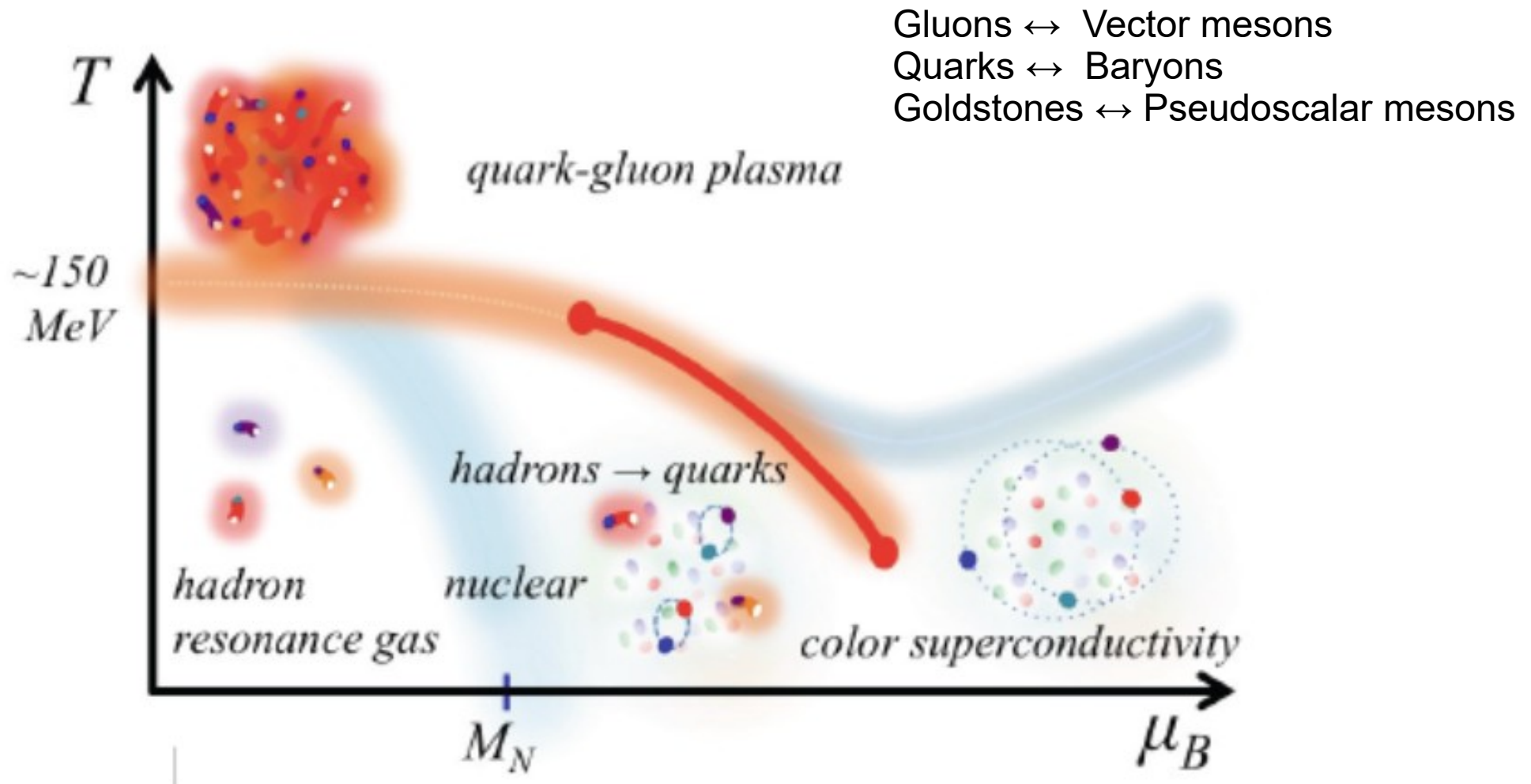
V. Paschalidis et al., PRD 96 (2018); arxiv:1712.00451



Nonlocal NJL model (with interpolation), D. Alvarez-Castillo et al. (arxiv:1805.04105)



## 2<sup>nd</sup> CEP in QCD phase diagram: Quark-Hadron Continuity?



T. Schaefer & F. Wilczek, Phys. Rev. Lett. 82 (1999) 3956

C. Wetterich, Phys. Lett. B 462 (1999) 164

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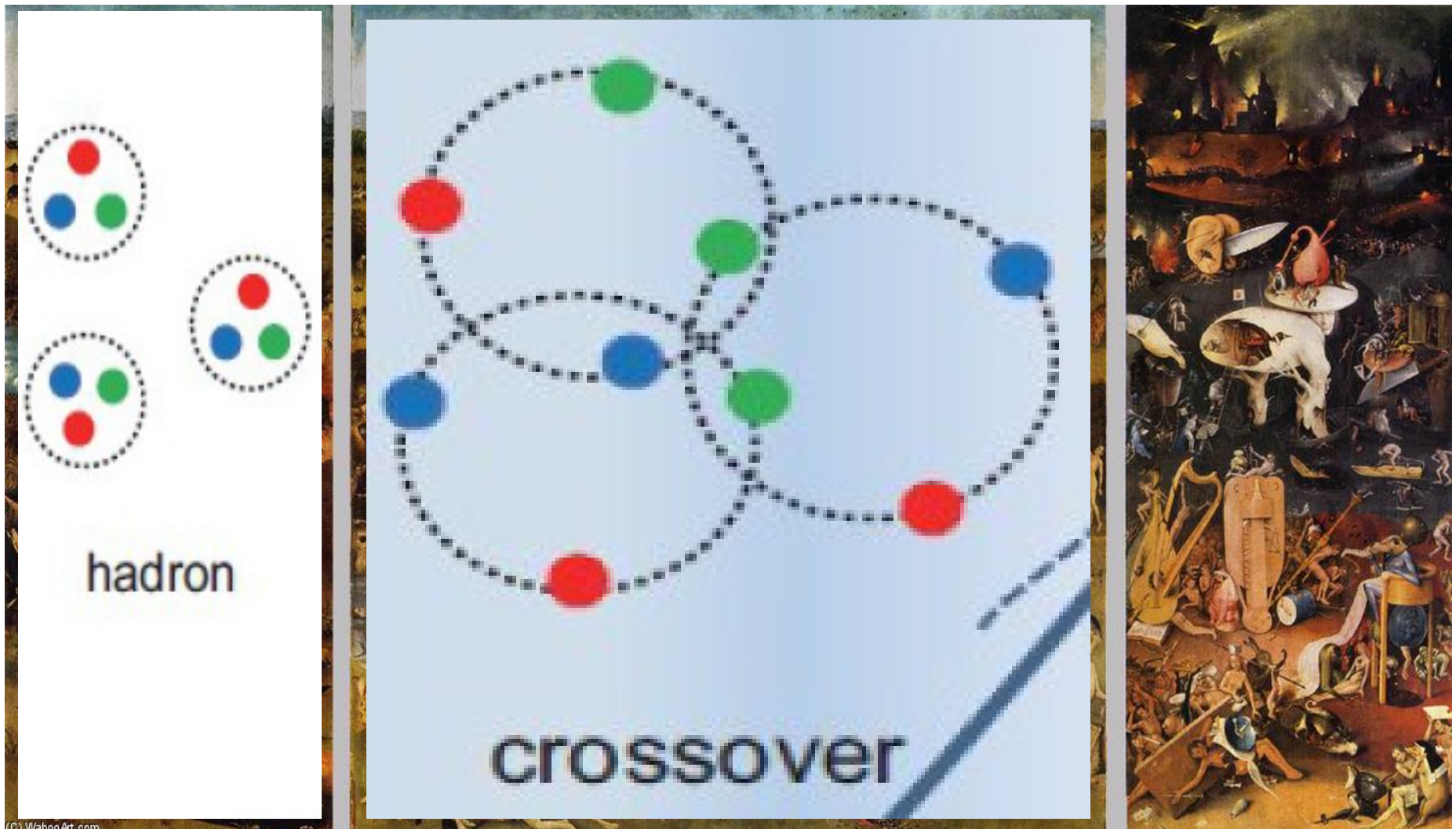


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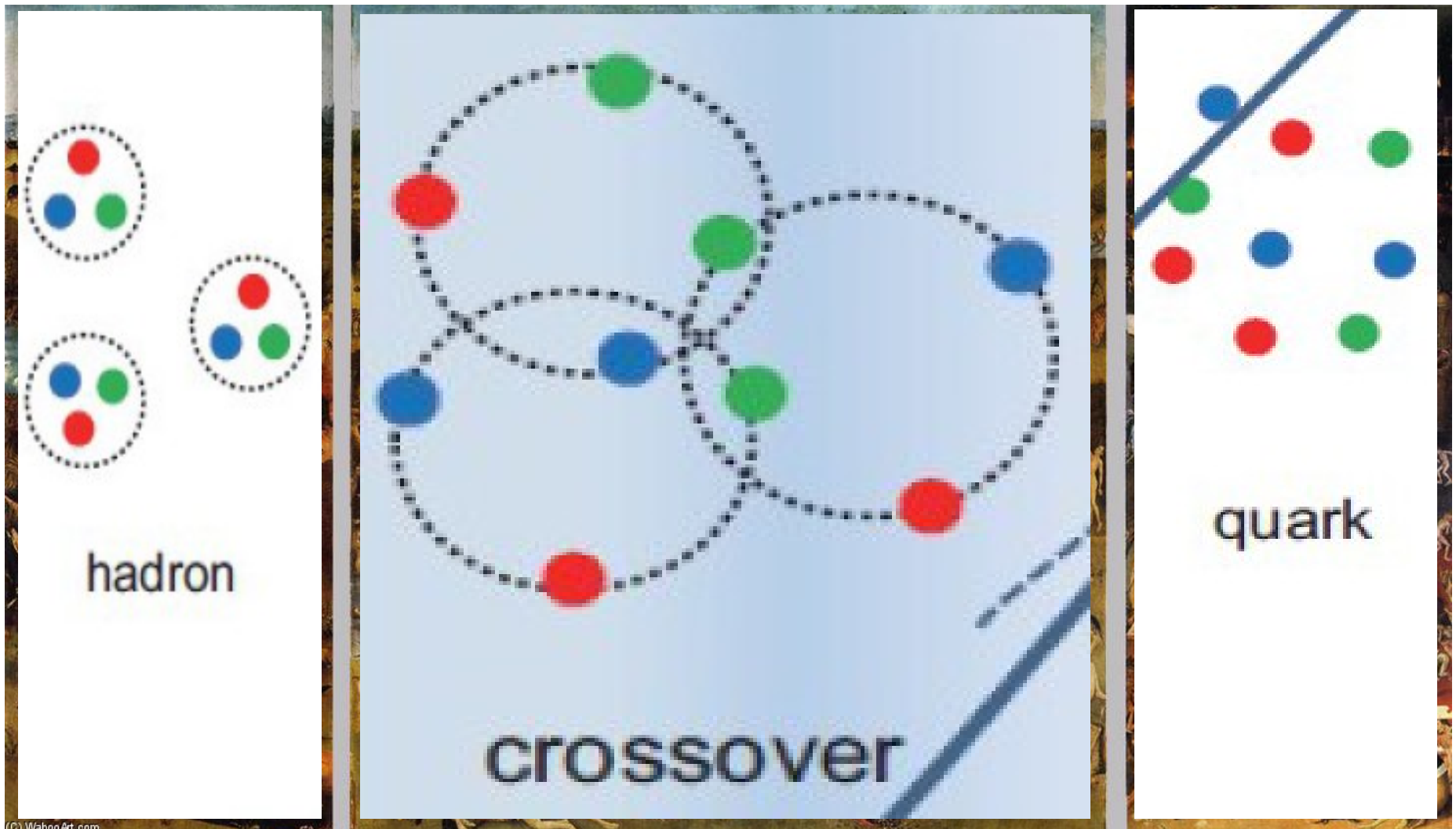




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# Hadron-Quark Crossover and Massive Hybrid Stars

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 On the basis of the percolation picture from the hadronic phase with hyperons to the quark phase with strangeness, we construct a new equation of state (EOS) with the pressure interpolated as a function of the baryon density. The maximum mass of neutron stars can exceed  $2M_{\odot}$  if the following two conditions are satisfied; (i) the crossover from the hadronic matter to the quark matter takes place at around three times the normal nuclear matter density, and (ii) the quark matter is strongly interacting in the crossover region. This is in contrast to the conventional approach assuming the first order phase transition in which the EOS becomes always soft due to the presence of the quark matter at high density. Although the choice of the hadronic EOS does not affect the above conclusion on the maximum mass, the three-body force among nucleons and hyperons plays an essential role for the onset of the hyperon mixing and the cooling of neutron stars.  
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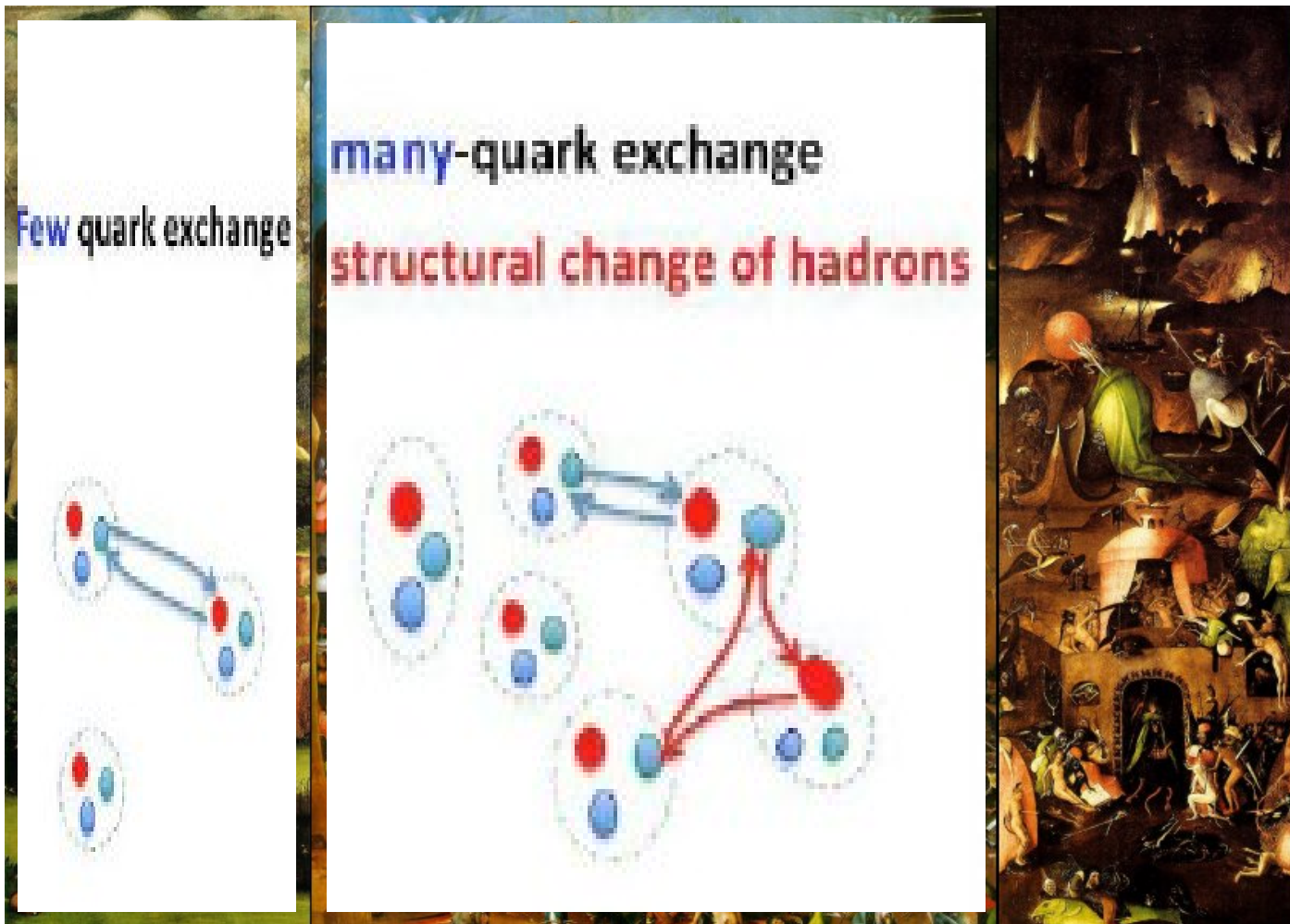
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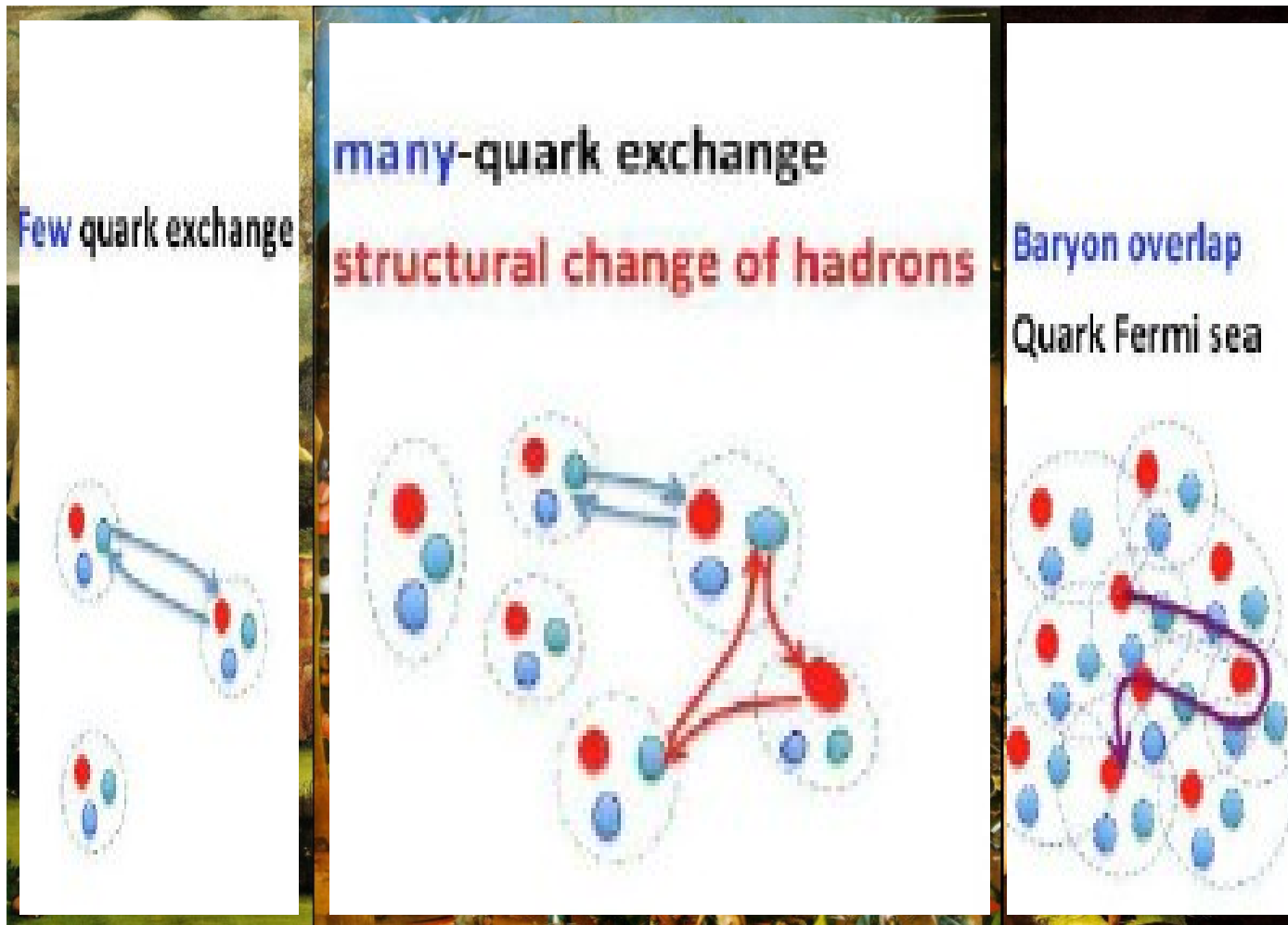
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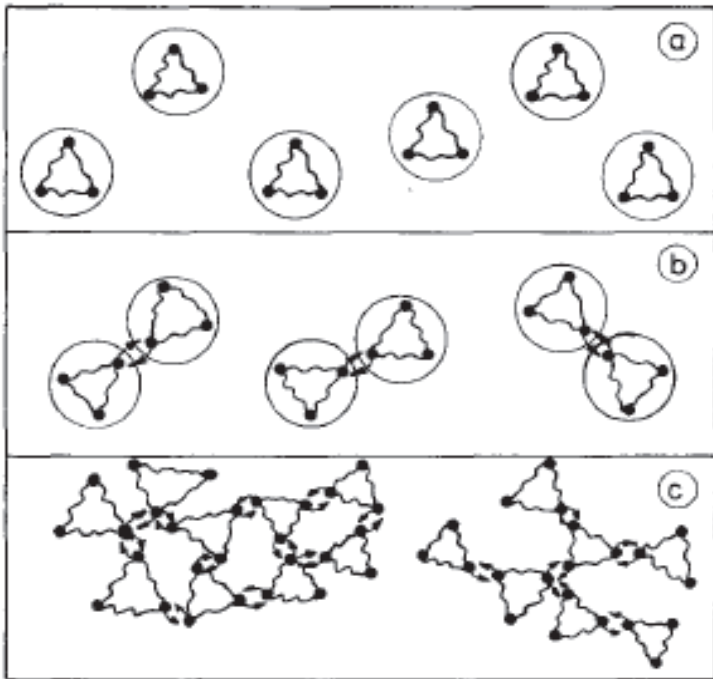


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Toru Kojo,  
EPJA 52,  
51 (2016)

# Quark Pauli blocking among baryons

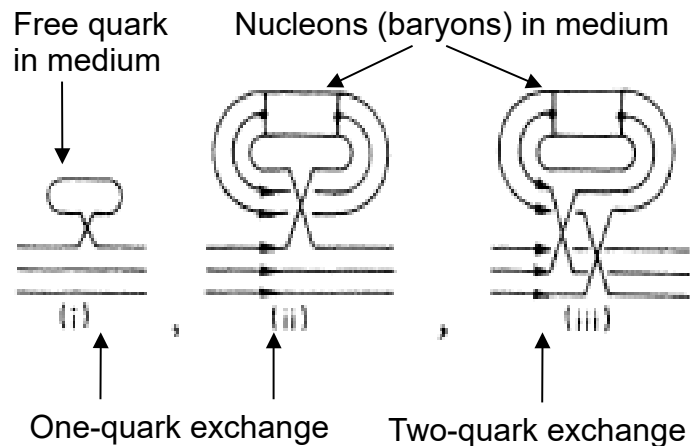


a) Low density: Fermi gas of nucleons (baryons)

b) ~ saturation: Quark exchange interaction and Pauli blocking among nucleons (baryons)

c) high density: Quark cluster matter (string-flip model ...)

Roepke & Schulz, Z. Phys. C 35, 379 (1987); Roepke, DB, Schulz, PRD 34, 3499 (1986)



Nucleon (baryon) self-energy --> Energy shift

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta E_{\nu P}^{\text{Pauli}} &= \sum_{123} |\psi_{\nu P}(123)|^2 [E(1) + E(2) + E(3) - E_{\nu P}^0] [f_{\alpha_1}(1) + f_{\alpha_2}(2) + f_{\alpha_3}(3)] \\ &+ \sum_{123} \sum_{456} \sum_{\nu P'} \psi_{\nu P}^*(123) \psi_{\nu P'}(456) f_3(E_{\nu P'}^0) \{ \delta_{36} \psi_{\nu P}(123) \psi_{\nu P'}^*(456) - \psi_{\nu P}(453) \psi_{\nu P'}^*(126) \} \\ &\quad \times [E(1) + E(2) + E(3) + E(4) + E(5) + E(6) - E_{\nu P}^0 - E_{\nu P'}^0] \\ &= \Delta E_{\nu P}^{\text{Pauli, free}} + \Delta E_{\nu P}^{\text{Pauli, bound}} \end{aligned}$$





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## Pauli quenching effects in a simple string model of quark/nuclear matter

G. Röpke and D. Blaschke

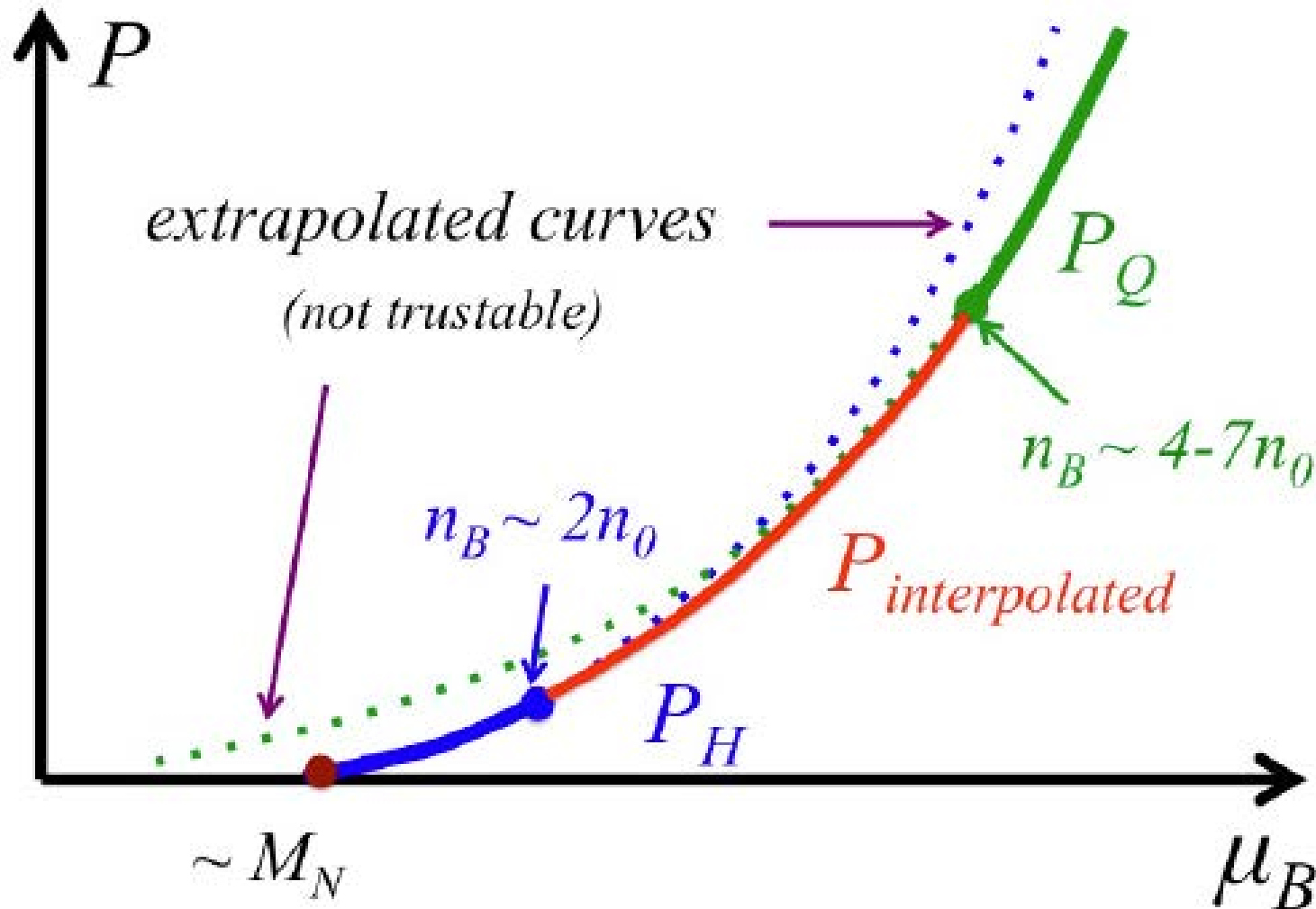
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(Received 16 December 1985)

# Interpolating between Hadron and Quark Phases



## Note:

Here, a usual Maxwell construction Makes no sense!

Replaced by "Kojo interpolation"

From: T. Kojo, P.D. Powell, Y. Song and G. Baym, PRD 91, 045003 (2015)  
See also discussion in: D.B. and N. Chamel, arxiv:1803.01836

# COMPACT STARS IN THE QCD PHASE DIAGRAM VI (COSMIC MATTER IN HEAVY-ION COLLISION LABORATORIES?)

26-29 September 2017 DUBNA

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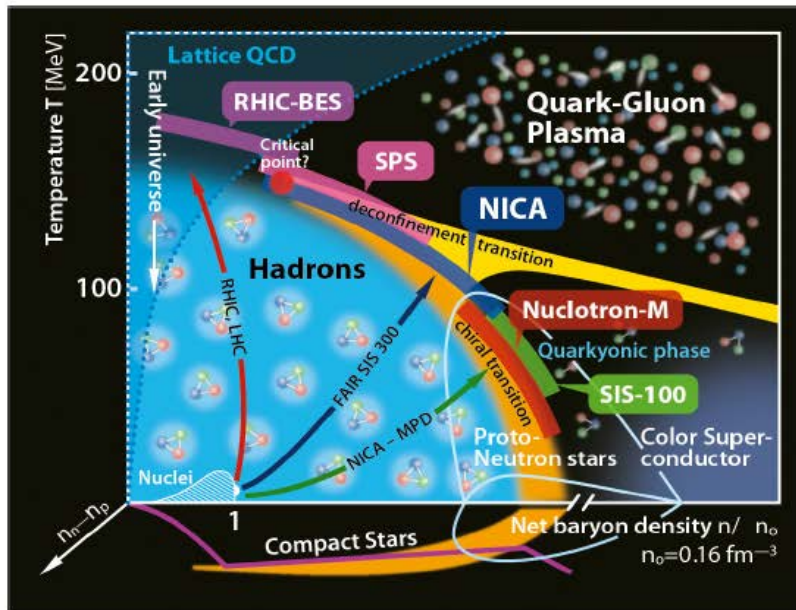
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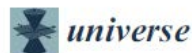
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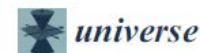
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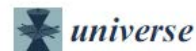
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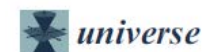
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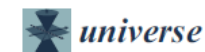
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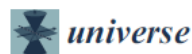
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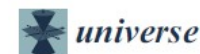
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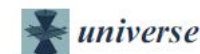
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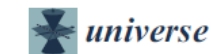
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# Compact Stars in the QCD Phase Diagram in 2019

**1. Suggestion:** Yerevan, Armenia

**Local Organizers:** A. Sedrakian, A. Saharian, H. Grigorian

**Capsule:** The Modern Physics of Compact Stars ...  
... in the QCD Phase Diagram

**Venue:** Yerevan State University; Bjurakan Observatory

**Background:** Pioneering Contr. to Neutron Star Physics  
by Ambarzumjan, Sahakian, Sedrakian, Chubaryan

New Group on Compact Stars  
at Byurakan Observatory



18-21 Sept. 2013, Yerevan, Armenia



# Compact Stars in the QCD Phase Diagram in 2019

**2. Suggestion:** Wroclaw, Poland

**Local Organizer(s):** T. Fischer, D. Blaschke, C. Sasaki

**Venue:**  
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University of Wroclaw

**Background:**

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Observation of gravitational waves (GWs), gamma-rays, x-rays, optical, infrared and radio waves from a neutron star (NS) merger event, now called GW170817, has the potential to revolutionize nuclear astrophysics. Data from this event has already provided strong hints that heavy elements are produced in NS mergers, and that these elements directly influence the observed optical and infra-red light curves. Properties of dense matter which was expected to play a key role also appear to be essential in interpreting the GW data.

An unprecedented observing campaign, triggered within hours of the discovery in GWs by Advanced LIGO & VIRGO, and in gamma-rays by Fermi and Integral, resulted in EM and GW data with detailed spectral and temporal features. This wealth of new data has arrived at the most opportune time. Advances in nuclear astrophysics, nuclear theory and computational astrophysics in recent years that led to the development of simulation and analysis tools that have played a critical role in the interpretation of the multi-messenger data from GW170817.

In the coming months, collaborative efforts involving nuclear physicists, computational astrophysicists and the observing (GW and EM) communities will continue to sharpen the interpretation, and likely identify puzzling discrepancies.

In this situation, the Editorial Board of *The European Physical Journal A (Hadrons and Nuclei)* decided that it is absolutely timely to prepare a Topical Issue which provides a forum for contributions from the communities involved in the analysis and early interpretation of data from GW170817 and their implications for nuclear physics.

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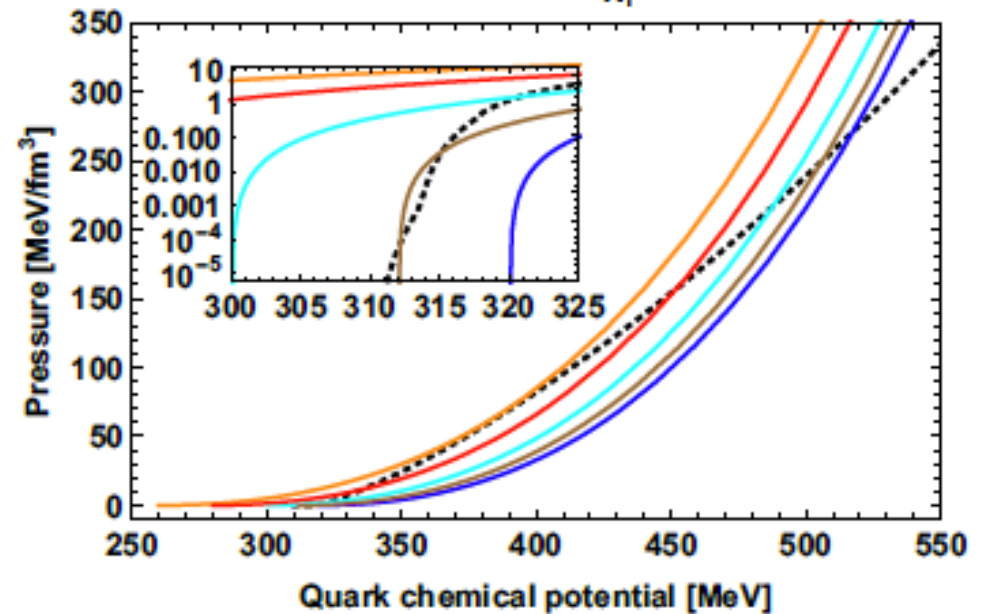
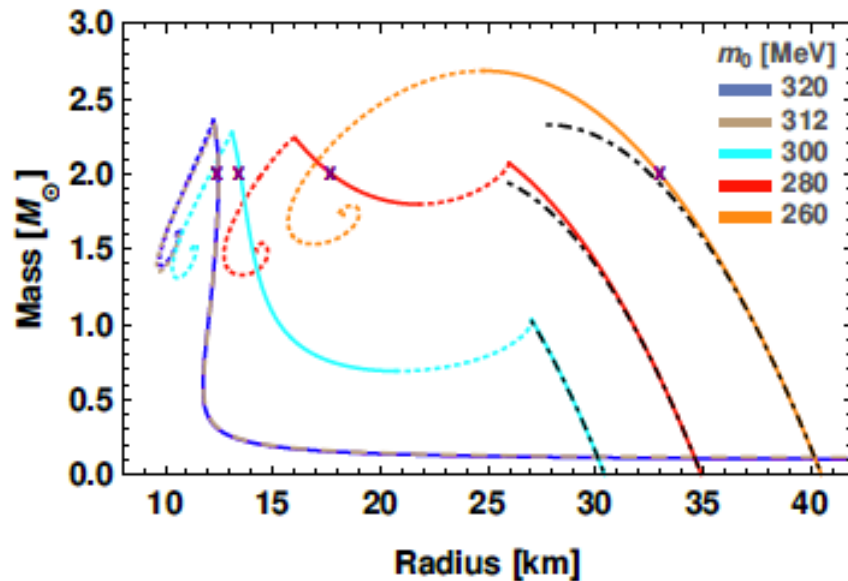
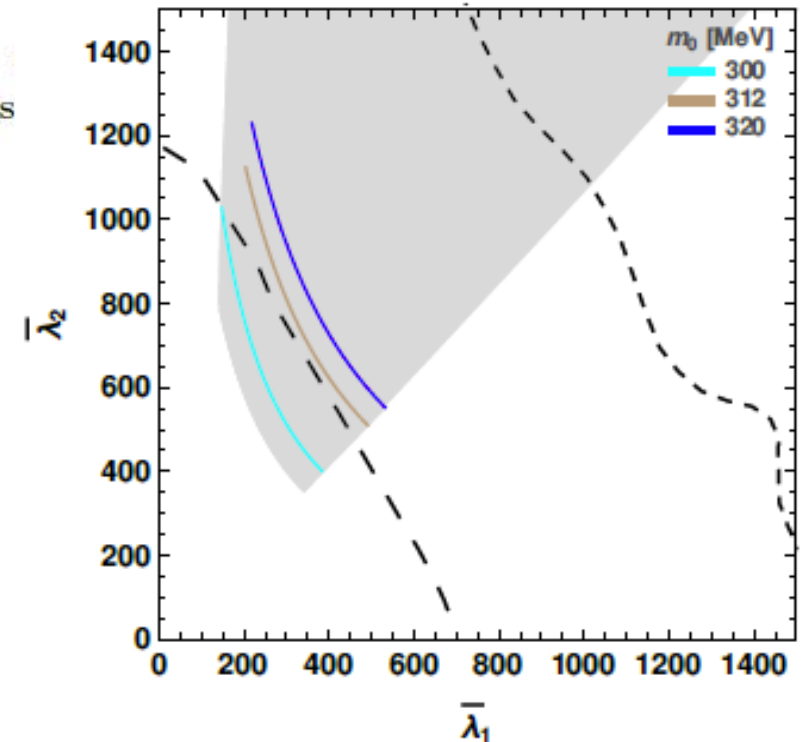
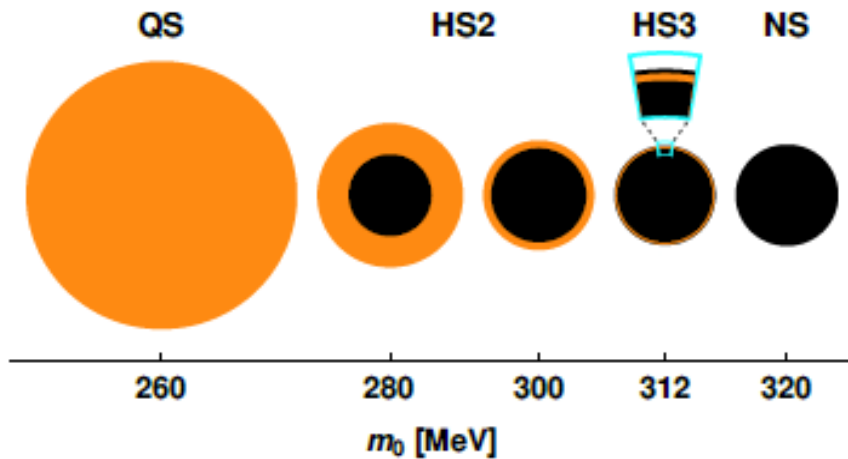
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# Alternative facts: New hybrid star solutions!

arxiv:1711.06244v1, 1611.2017

Holographic compact stars meet gravitational wave constraints

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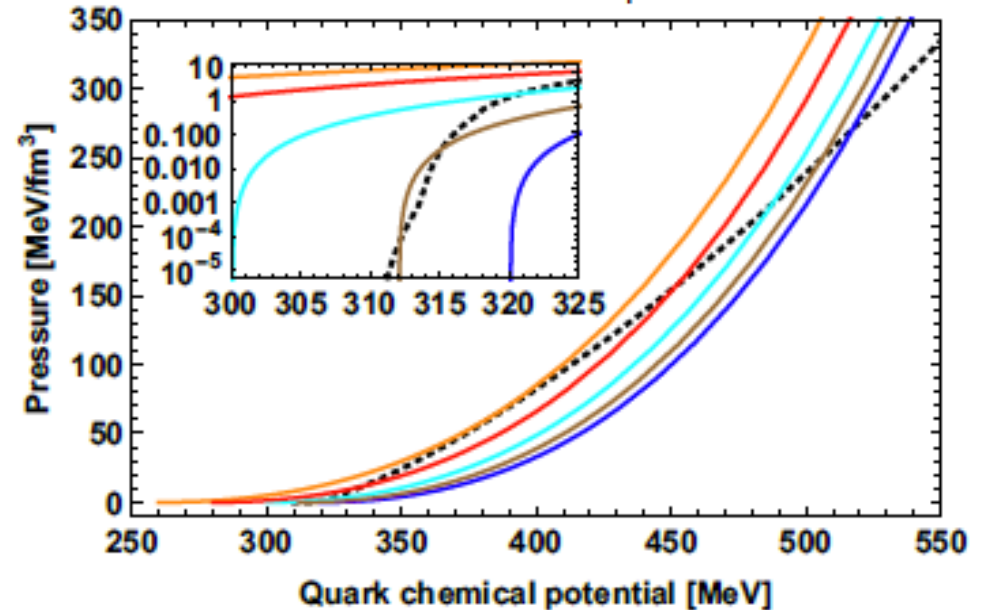
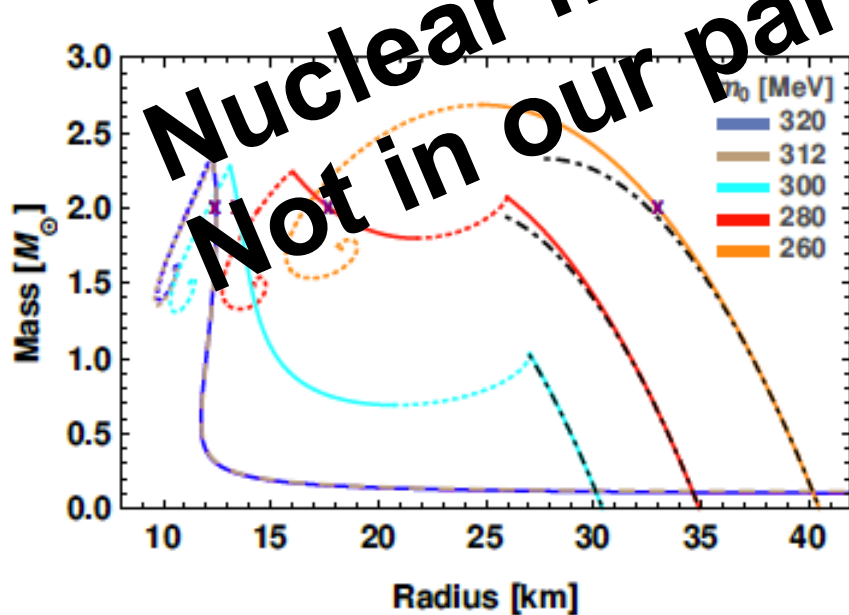
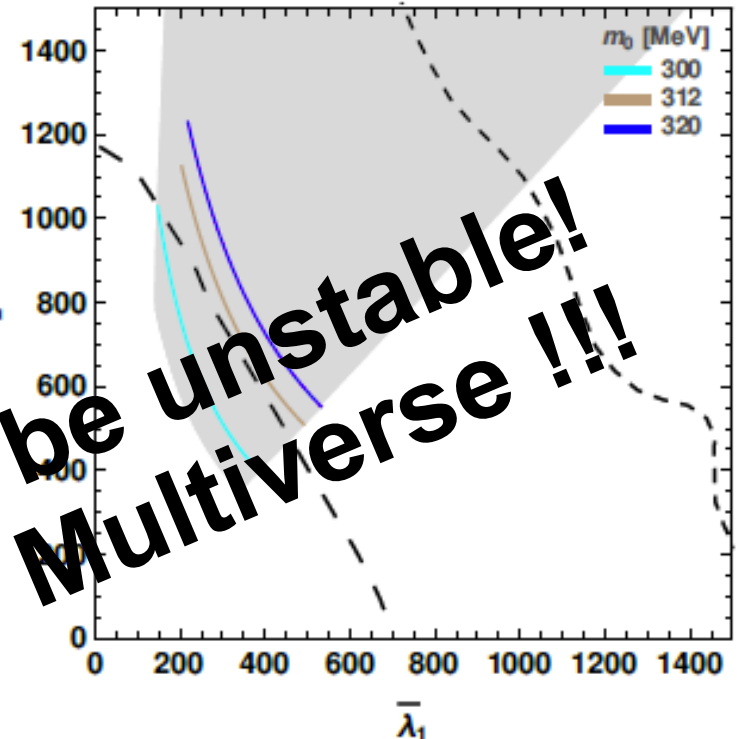
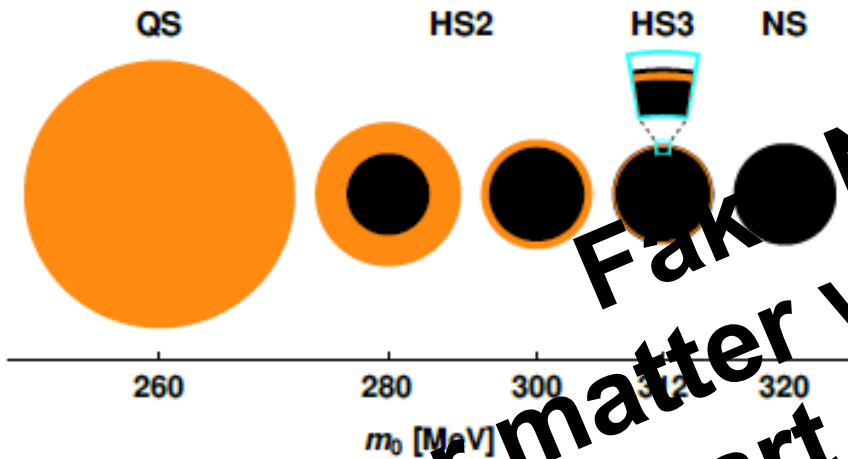


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