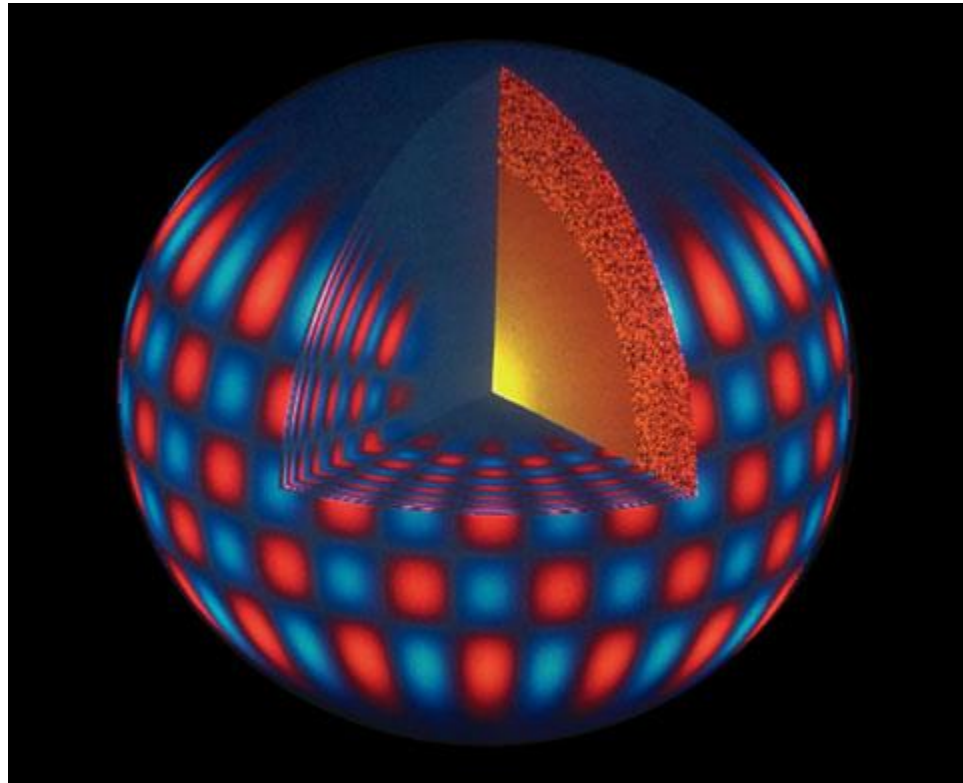


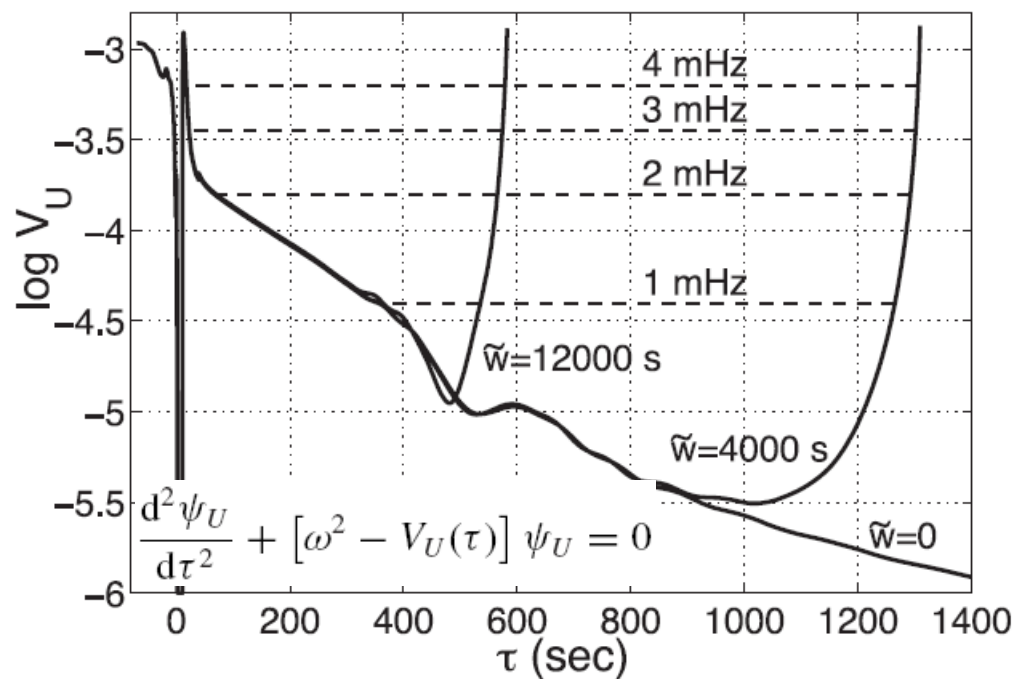
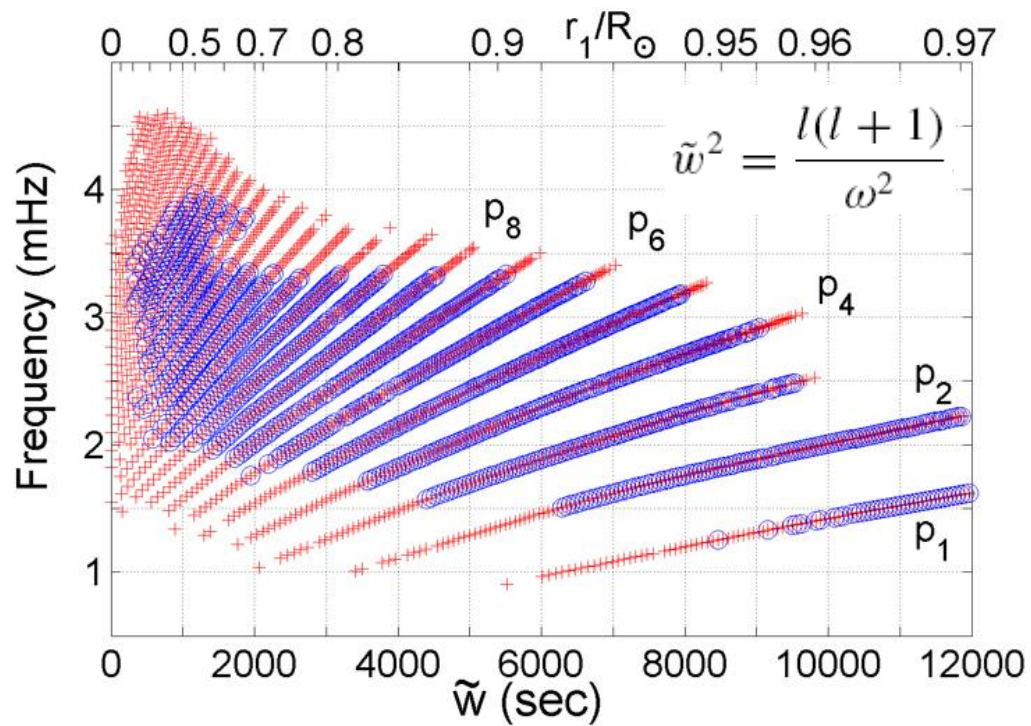
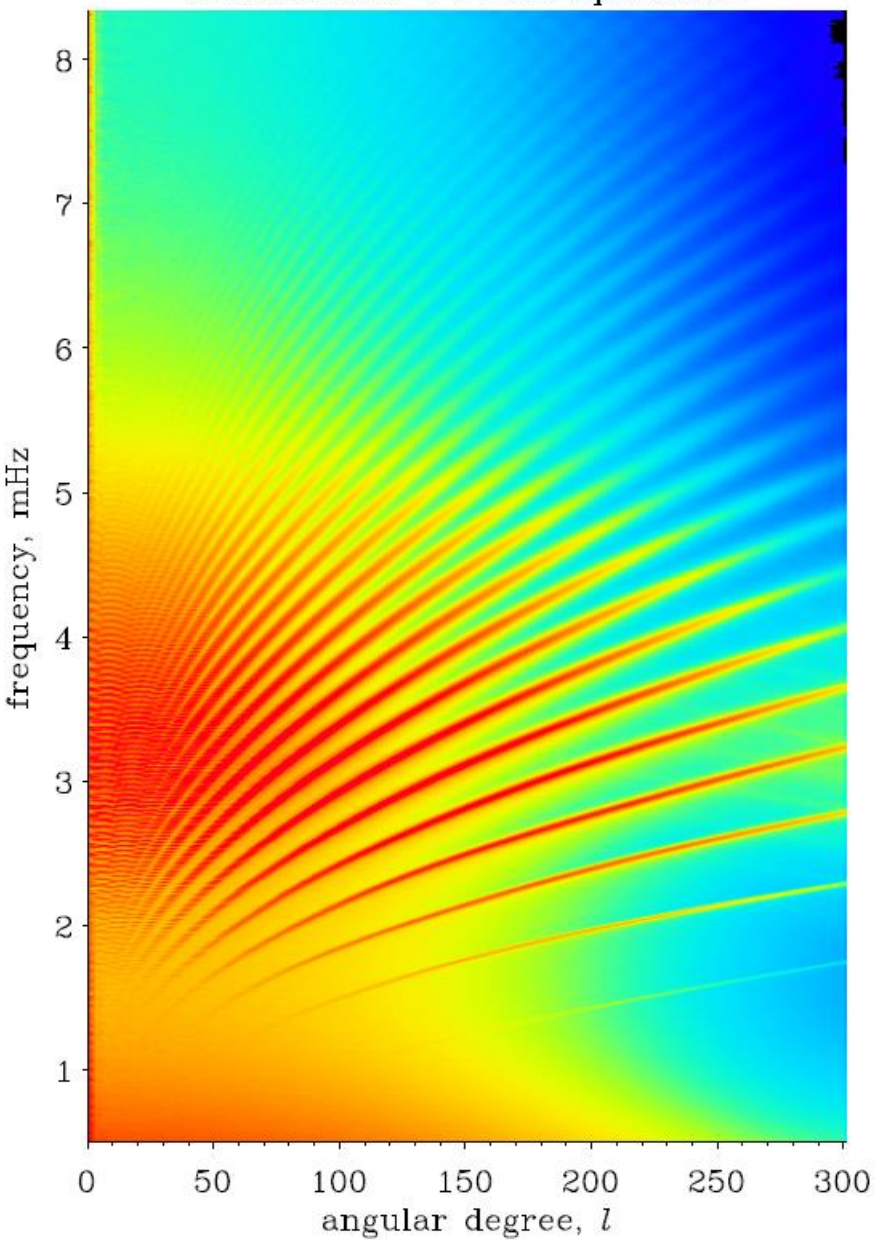
# ABUNDANCES MEASUREMENTS FROM HELIOSISMOLOGY

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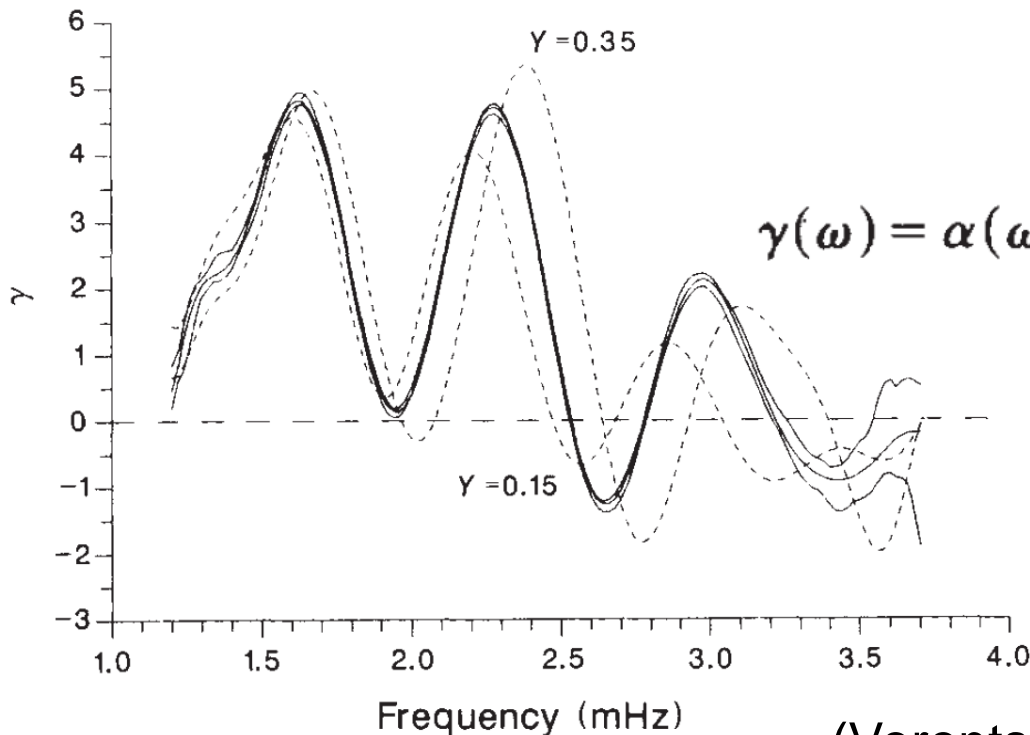
MDI Medium- $l$  Power Spectrum



# High-frequency asymptotic description of solar p modes

$$F(\tilde{\omega}) + \frac{1}{\omega^2} \Phi(\tilde{\omega}) \approx \pi \frac{n + \alpha_0(\omega) + \tilde{\omega}^2 \alpha_2(\omega)}{\omega}$$

$$F(\tilde{\omega}) = \int_{r_1}^R \tilde{s} dr, \quad \tilde{s} = \left( \frac{1}{c^2} - \frac{\tilde{\omega}^2}{r^2} \right)^{1/2}, \quad \tilde{\omega} = \frac{l + 1/2}{\omega}$$



$$\gamma(\omega) = \alpha(\omega) - \omega \frac{d\alpha}{d\omega} - \omega^2 \frac{d^2\alpha}{d\omega^2}$$

Result:  $Y=0.25 \pm 0.01$

(Vorontsov, Baturin and Pamyatnykh 1991)

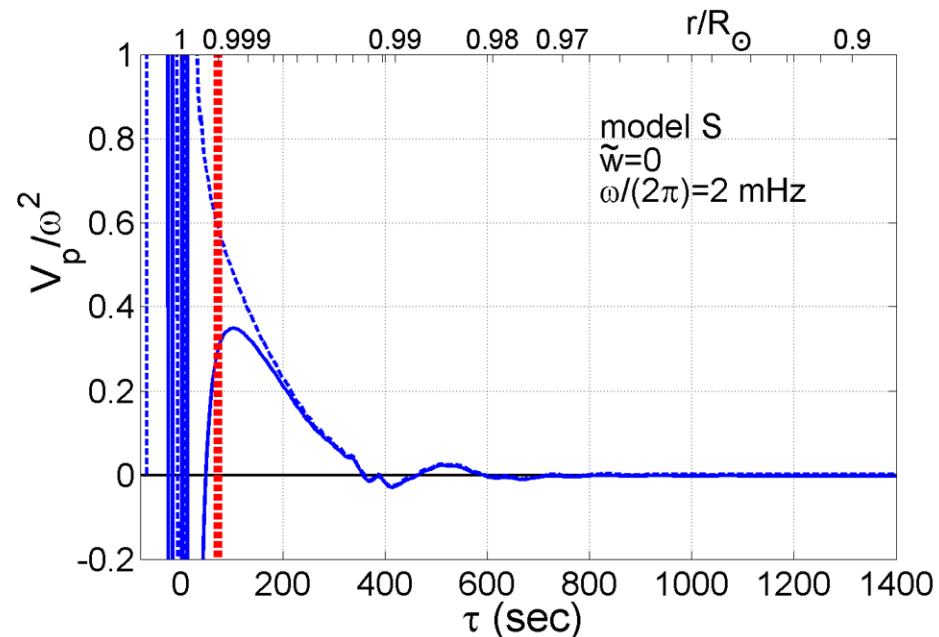
# Non-asymptotic analysis

Inversion of frequency differences (Sun – model)

$$\frac{\delta\nu}{\nu} = \int_0^R K_{\Gamma_1, \rho} \frac{\delta\Gamma_1}{\Gamma_1} dr + \int_0^R K_{\rho, \Gamma_1} \frac{\delta\rho}{\rho} dr + \frac{f(\nu)}{I}$$

Localized Averaging  
Tikhonov Regularization (RLS)

Differential-response technique



Direct model calibration  
Constrained structural inversion

# Helium abundance measurements

Vorontsov, Baturin and Pamyatnykh (1991)

**EOS: Saha (rejected), Saha+electrostatic corrections, MHD**

Method: Asymptotic, calibration with phase shifts

Result:  **$Y=0.25\pm0.01$**

Christensen-Dalsgaard and Perez Hernandez (1991)

**EOS: EFF, MHD**

Method: Differential asymptotic, calibration with phase shifts

Result:  **$Y\approx0.25$**

Dappen, Gough, Kosovichev and Thompson (1991)

**EOS: MHD with  $Z=0$ +Fe ions in ground states**

Method: Localized Averaging

Result:  **$Y=0.268\pm0.002$**

Dziembowsky, Pamyatnykh and Sienkiewicz (1991)

**EOS: MHD with  $Z=0$  ions in all excited states**

Method: Tikhonov regularization (RLS)

Result:  **$Y=0.235\pm0.005$**

Perez Hernandez and Christensen-Dalsgaard (1994)

**EOS: MHD**

Method: Differential asymptotic, calibration with phase shifts

Result:  **$Y=0.242\pm0.003$**

Antia and Basu (1994)

**EOS: MHD**

Method: Differential asymptotic, calibration with sound speed and phase shifts

Result:  **$Y=0.252\pm0.003$**

Kosovichev (1996)

**EOS: OPAL**

Method: Localized Averaging

Result:  **$Y=0.248\pm0.006$**

Basu (1998)

**EOS: OPAL**

Method: Localized Averaging

Result:  **$Y=0.248\pm0.001$**

Richard, Dziembowski, Sienkiewicz and Goode (1998)

**EOS: OPAL, MHD**

Method: Tikhonov regularization (RLS)

Result:  **$Y=0.248\pm0.002$  (OPAL)**

**$Y\approx0.242$  (MHD)**

Di Mauro, Christensen-Dalsgaard, Rabello-Soares and Basu (2002)

**EOS: MHD, OPAL**

Method: Localized Averaging

Result:  **$Y=0.2457\pm 0.0005$  (MHD)**

**$Y=0.2539\pm 0.0005$  (OPAL)**

# Metallicity measurements

Antia and Basu (2006)

**EOS: OPAL, CEFF**

Method: Tikhonov regularization (RLS), sound-speed gradient

Result: **Z=0.0172±0.002**

Vorontsov, Baturin, Ayukov and Gryaznov (1913)

**EOS: OPAL, SAHA-S**

Method: Differential Responce, direct calibration

Result: **Z=0.008-0.013, Y=0.240-0.255**

Buldgen, Salmon, Noels, Scuflaire, Dupret and Rees (2017)

**EOS: CEFF, FreeEOS**

Method: Localized Averaging

Result: **Z=0.008-0.014, Y=0.242-0.255**

Buldgen, Noels, Baturin, Oreshina, Ayukov, Scuflaire, Amarsi and Grevesse  
(in press)

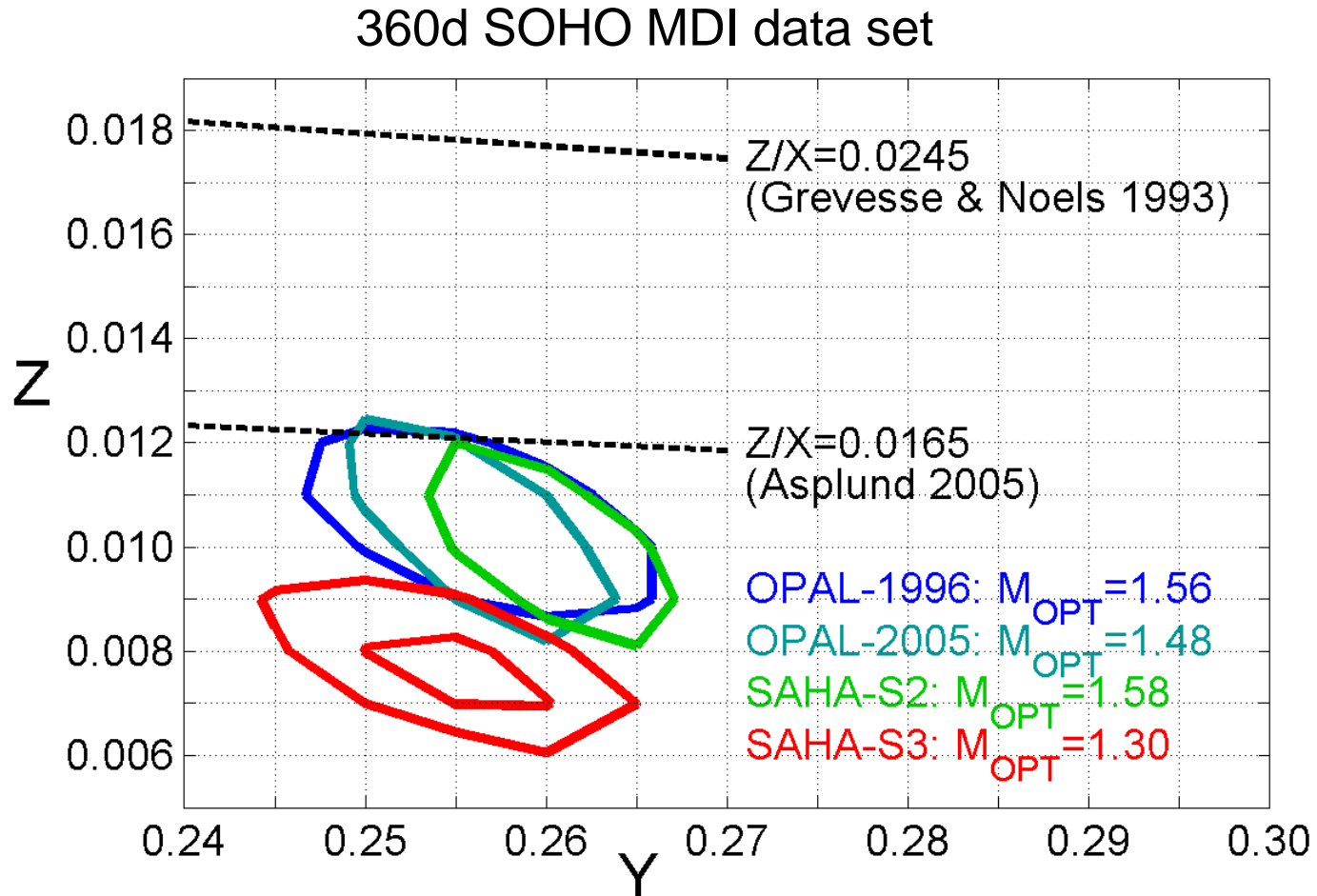
**EOS: SAHA-S, FreeEOS**

Method: Localized Averaging

Result: **Z=0.0120-0.0151, Y=0.255-0.273**

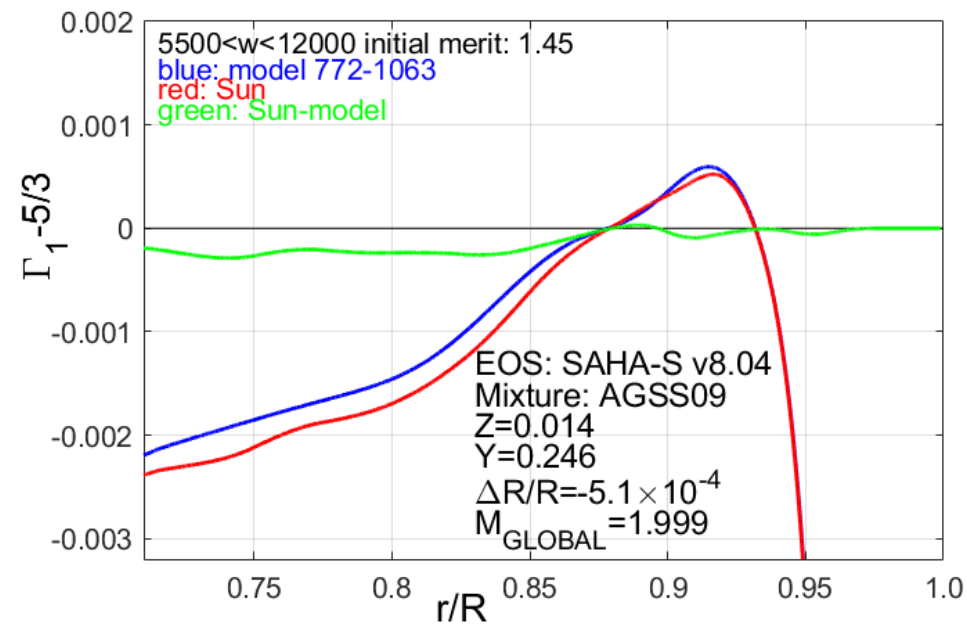
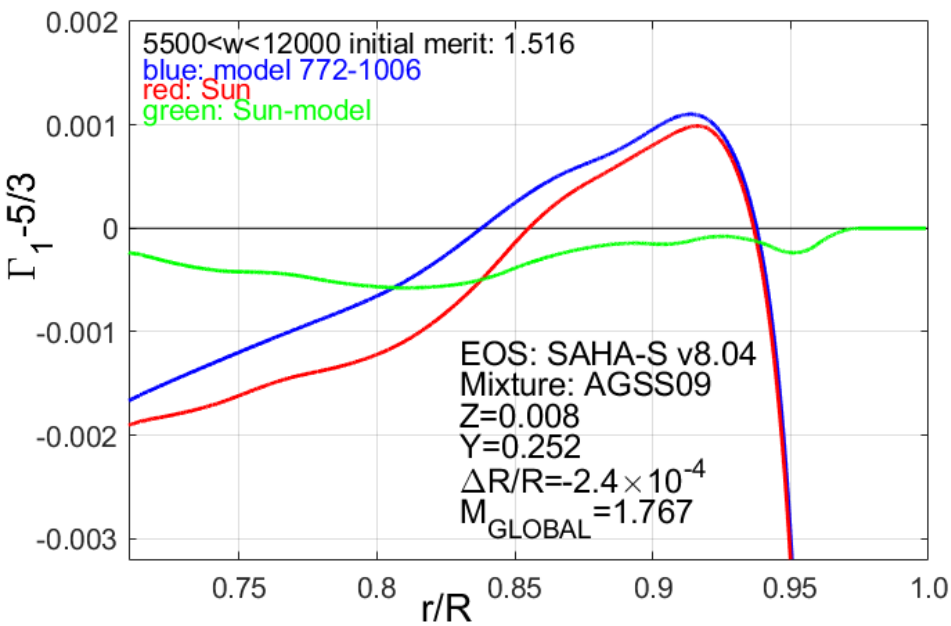


# Calibration with differential response

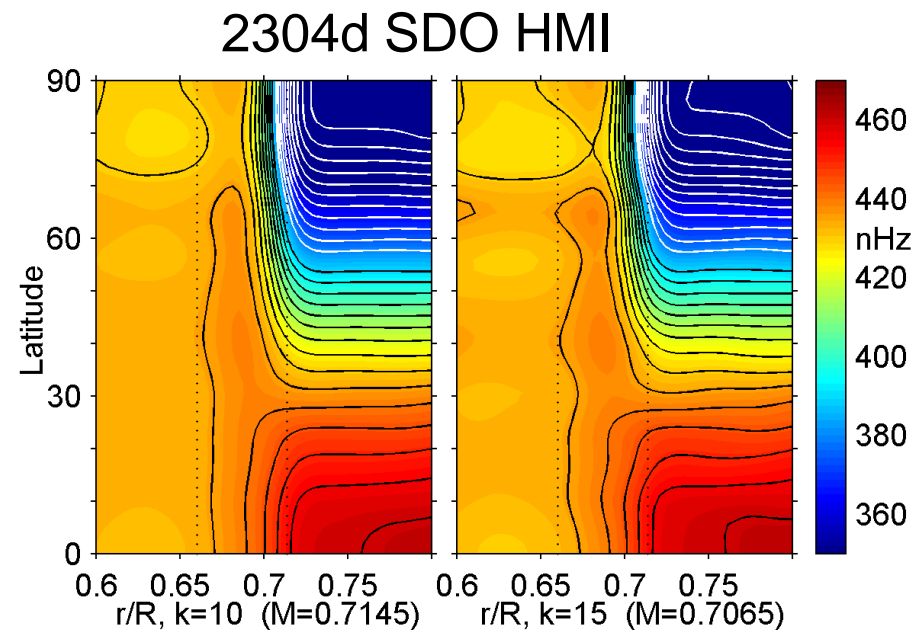
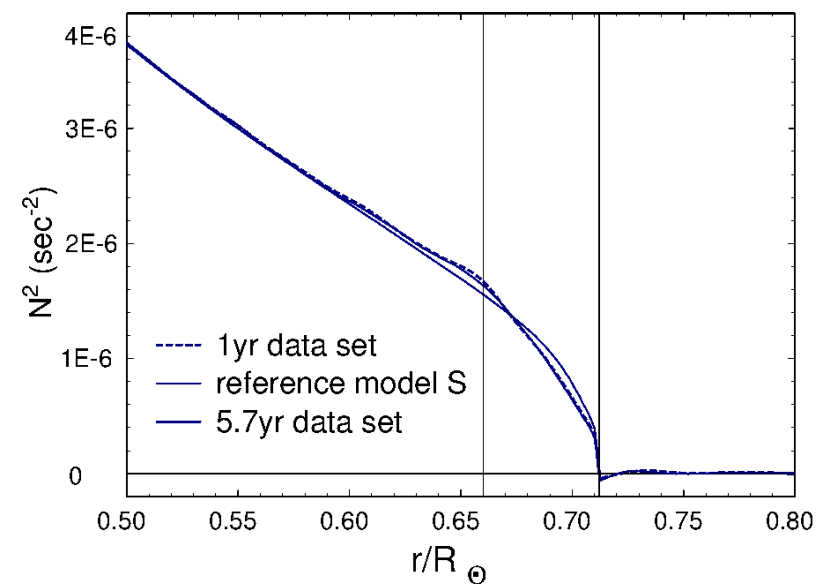
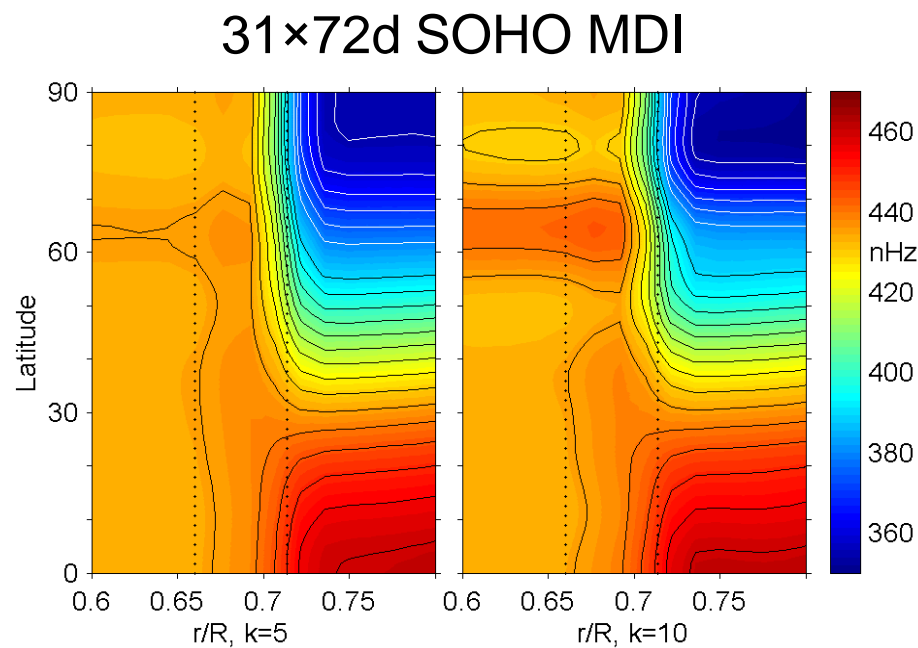
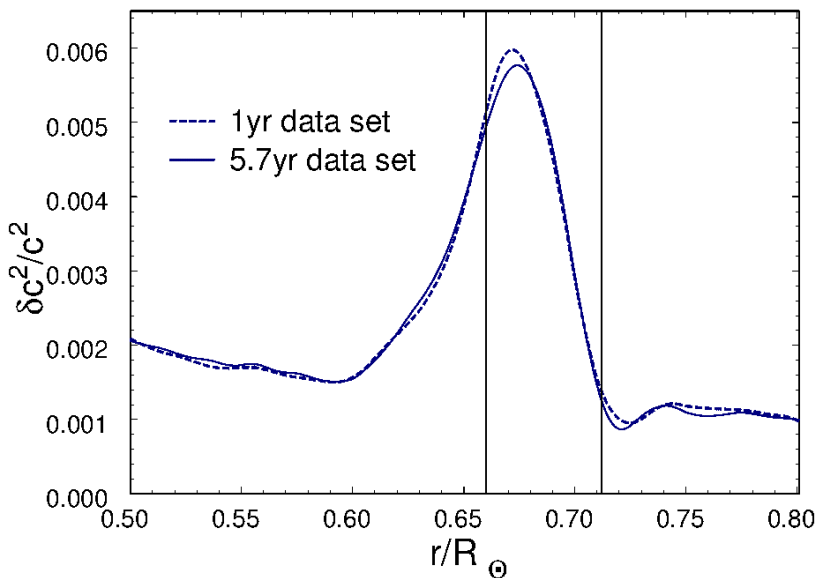


# Some more recent results

Updated versions of the SAHA-S EOS  
Updated data set (2304d SDO HMI)



# The solar tachocline



# Group velocity of surface waves

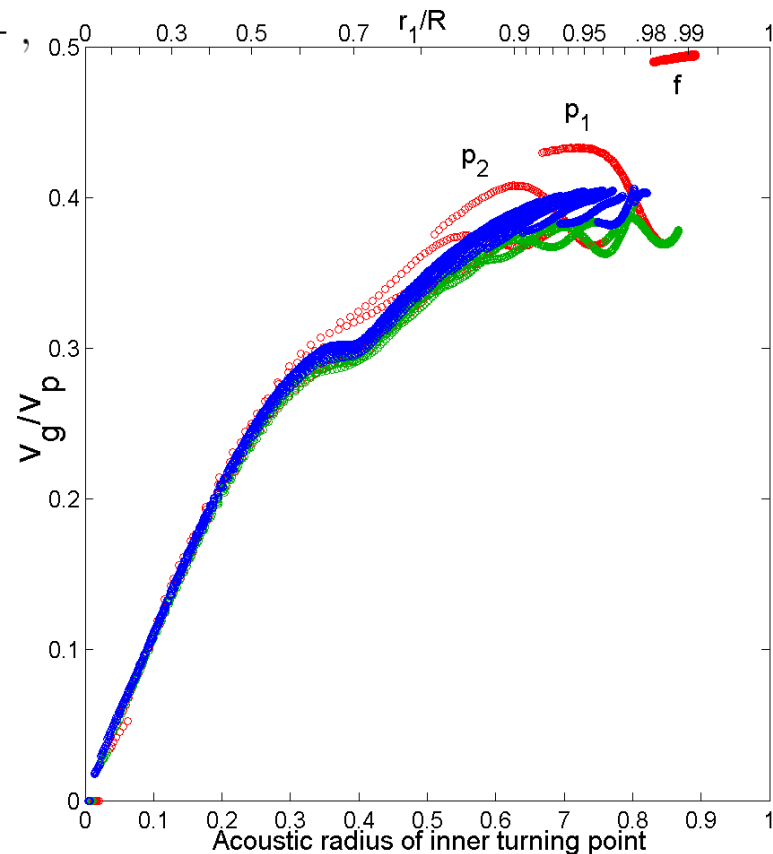
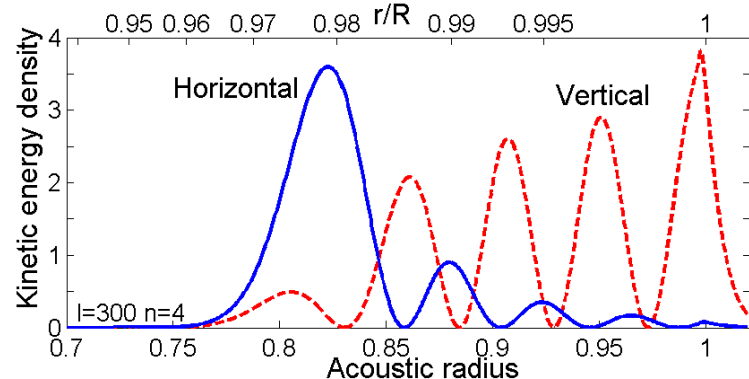
$$v_p = \frac{\omega}{L} R_\odot, \quad v_g = \left( \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial L} \right)_n R_\odot, \quad L^2 = l(l+1).$$

$$\frac{v_g}{v_p} \equiv \left( \frac{\partial \ln \omega}{\partial \ln L} \right)_n = \frac{\int_0^R \rho_0 r^2 L^2 V^2 dr + \frac{L^2}{4\pi G \omega^2} \int_0^\infty P^2 dr}{\int_0^R \rho_0 r^2 (U^2 + L^2 V^2) dr}$$

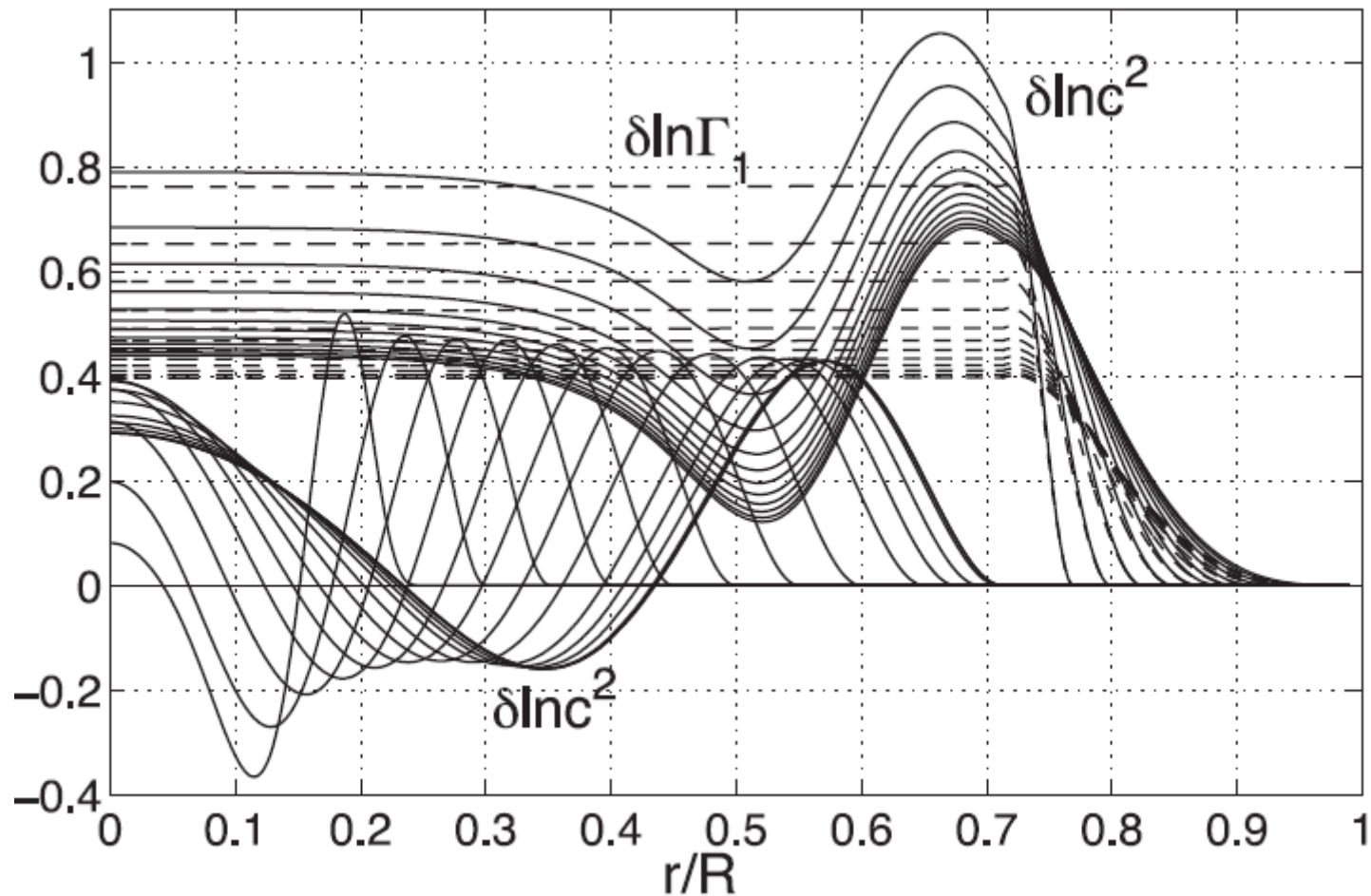
$$\mathbf{u} = \hat{\mathbf{r}}U(r)Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi) + V(r)\nabla_1 Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi),$$

$$\psi' = -P(r)Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi).$$

[Vorontsov et al. 2014]



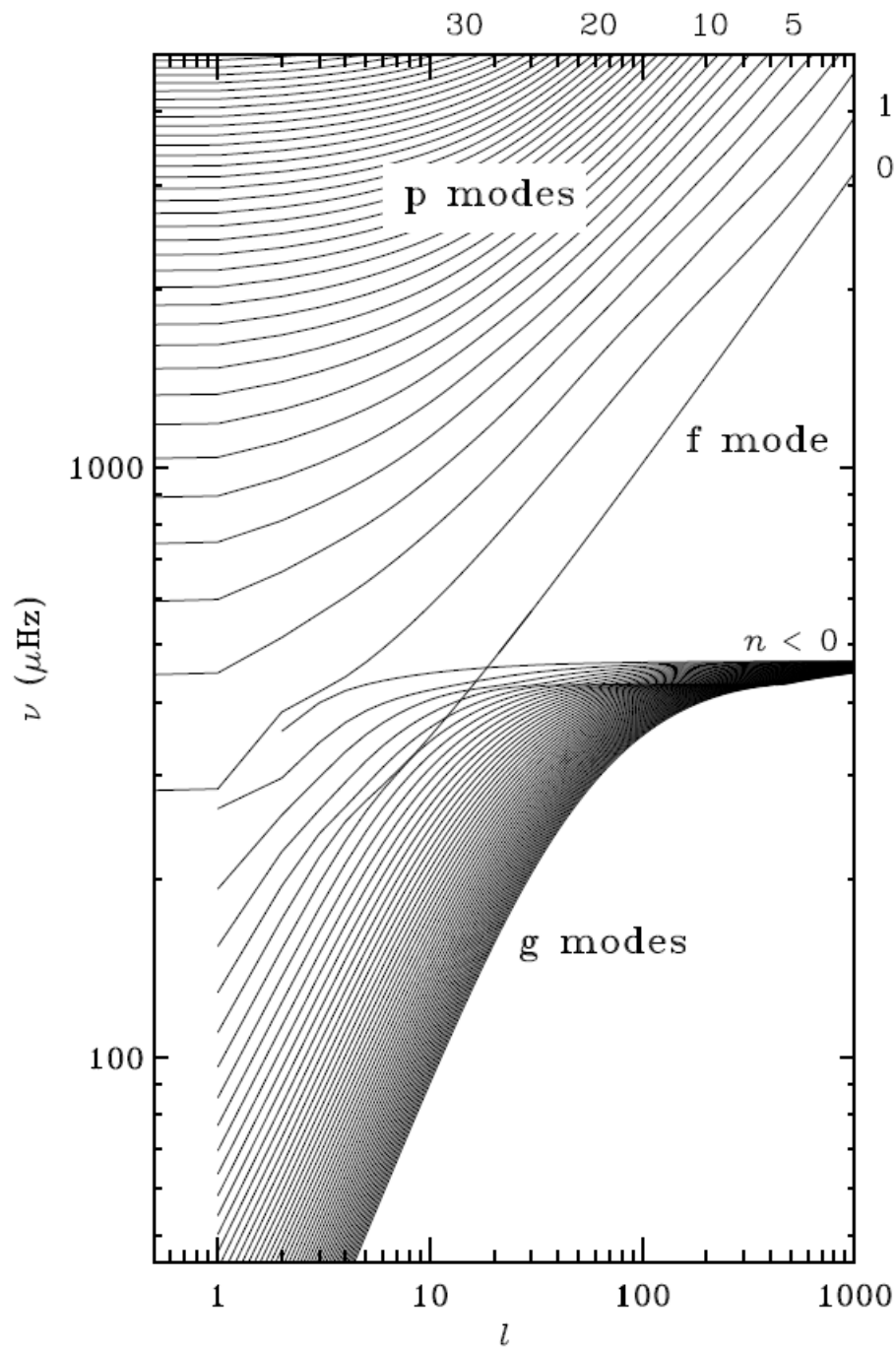
# Constrained structural inversion with differential-response technique: set of elementary model variations



# Homology rescaling: dimensionless variables

$$\tilde{\rho} = \frac{4\pi R_{\odot}^3}{M_{\odot}} \rho_0, \quad \tilde{p} = \frac{4\pi R_{\odot}^4}{GM_{\odot}^2} p_0, \quad \tilde{g} = \frac{R_{\odot}^2}{GM_{\odot}} g_0,$$

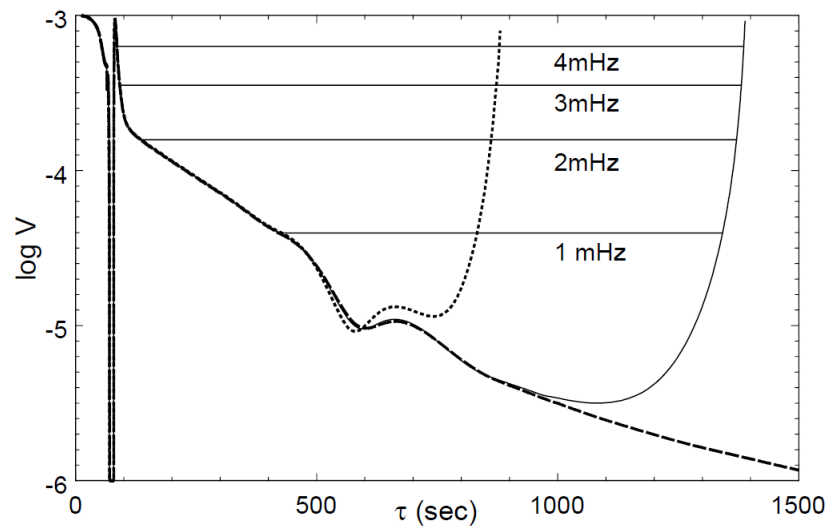
$$\tilde{c}^2 = \Gamma_1 \frac{\tilde{p}}{\tilde{\rho}} = \frac{R_{\odot}}{GM_{\odot}} c^2, \quad \tilde{N}^2 = \frac{R_{\odot}^3}{GM_{\odot}} N^2, \quad x = \frac{r}{R_{\odot}}.$$



$$\frac{d^2}{d\tau^2} \zeta + [\omega^2 - V(\tau)] \zeta = 0,$$

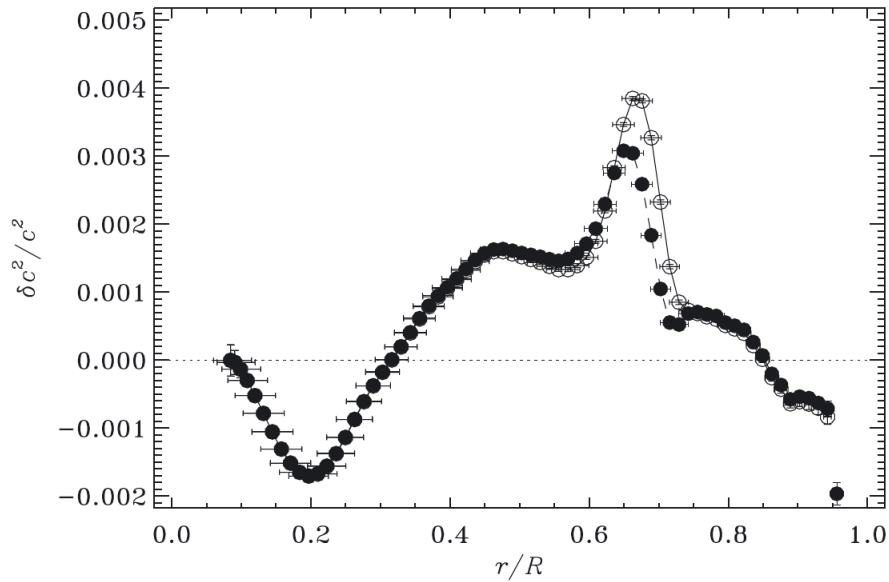
$$\tau = \text{sgn}(s^2) \int_r^R |s| dr, \quad s^2 = \frac{1}{c^2} - \frac{\tilde{\omega}^2}{r^2},$$

$$\tilde{\omega} = \frac{\ell + 1/2}{\omega}, \quad \zeta = s^{-1/2} r \xi_r,$$

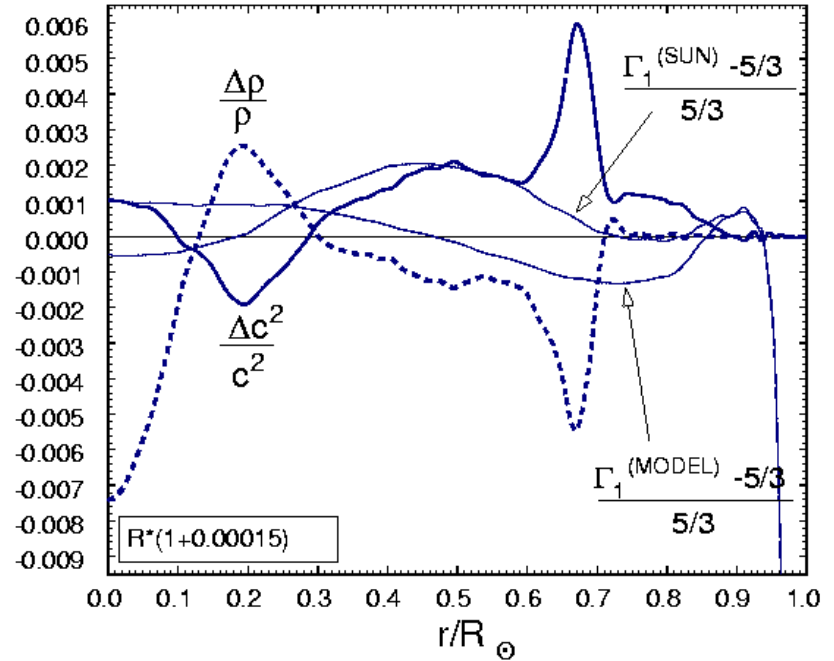


Acoustic potential

# STRUCTURAL INVERSION



Christensen-Dalsgaard et al. 2011  
Localized Averaging



Vorontsov 2001  
Iterative regularization  
(Strakhov & Vorontsov 2001)