

On the minimum mass of neutron stars

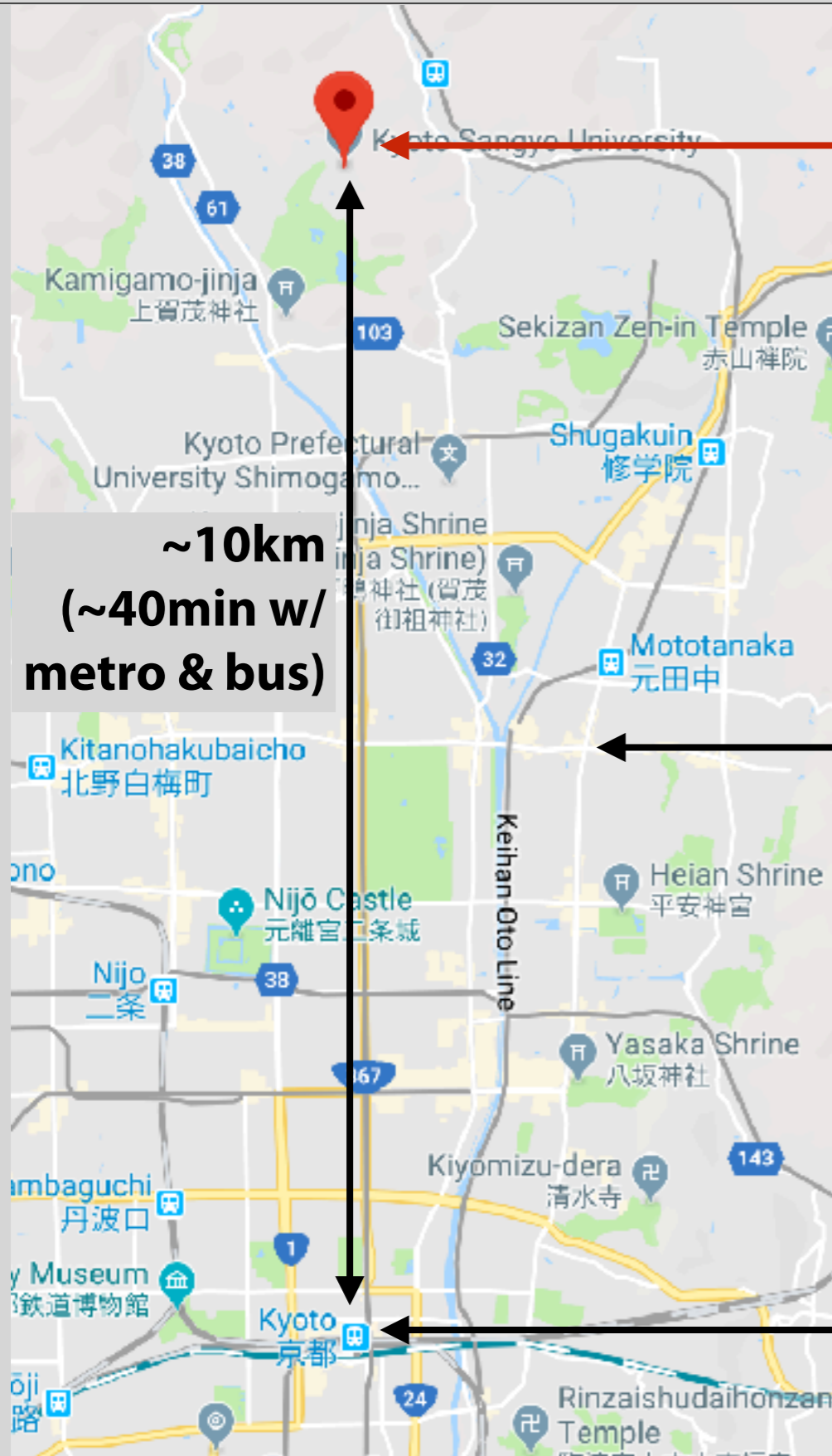
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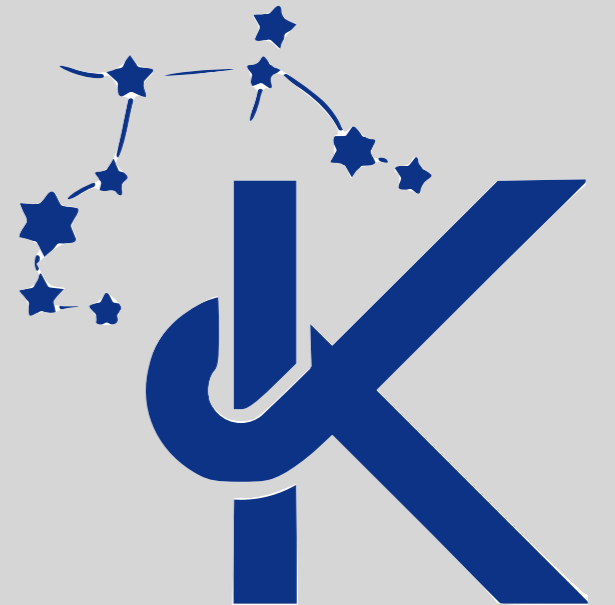


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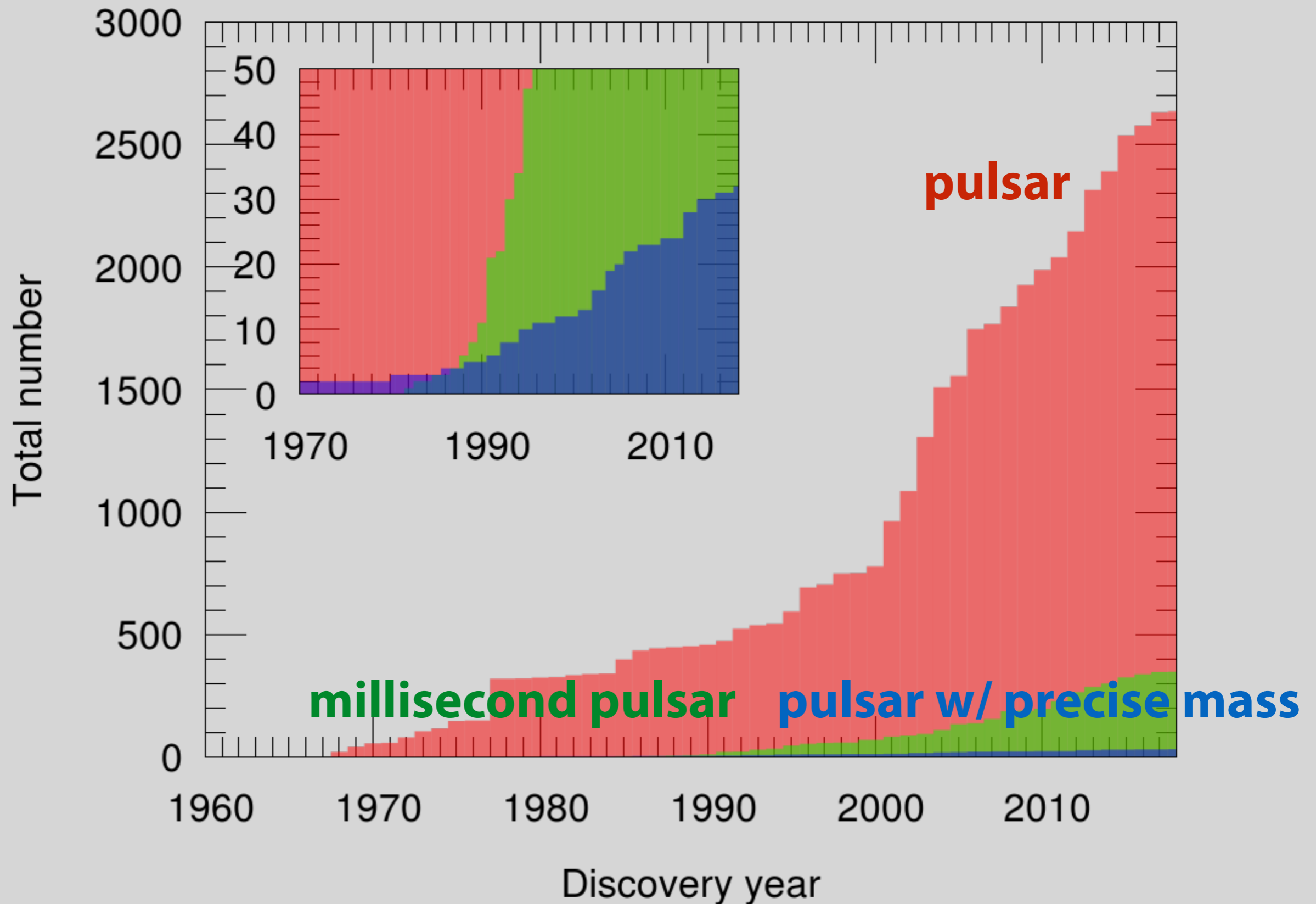
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~10km
(~40min w/
metro & bus)



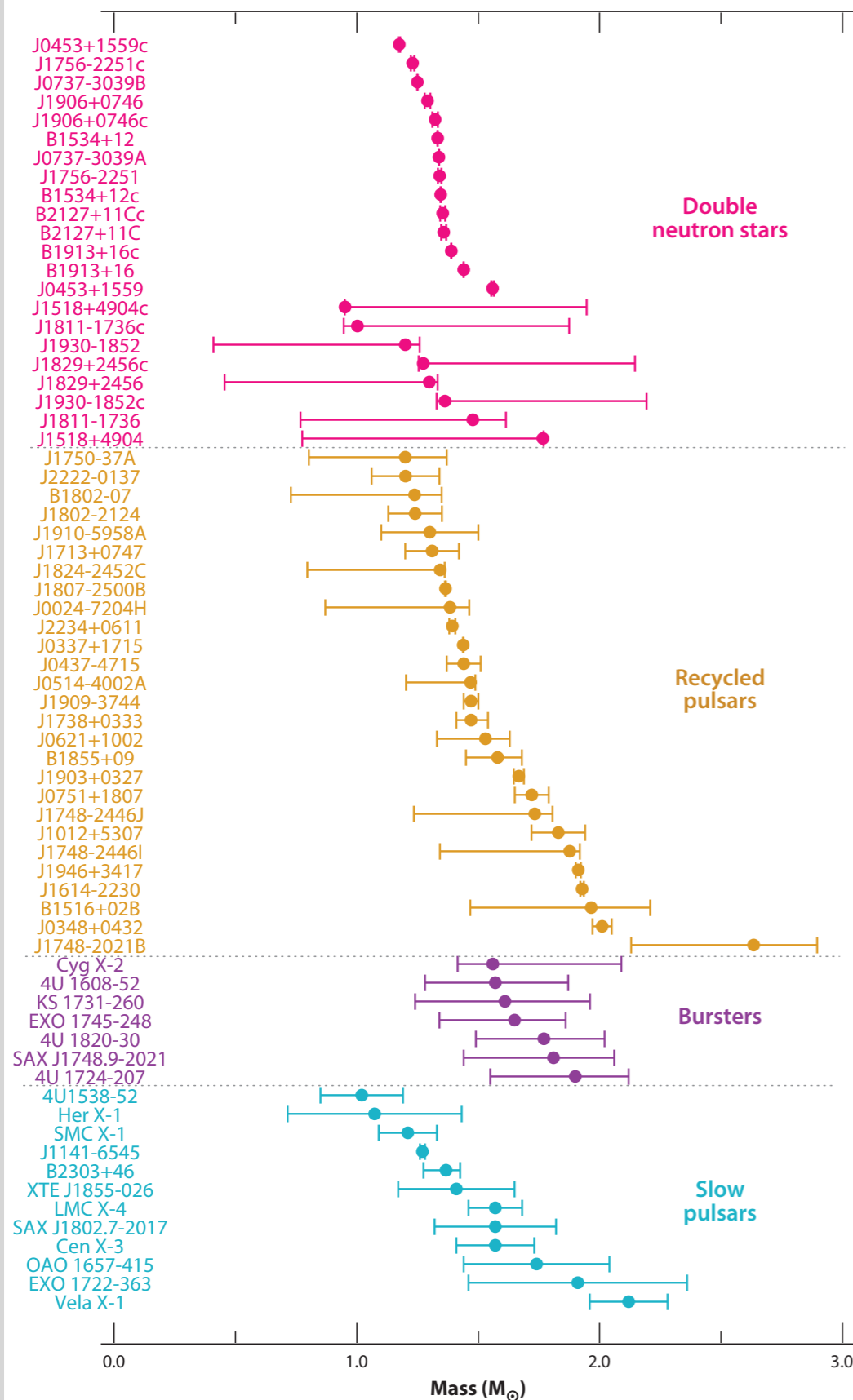
Long-term workshop
*"Multi-messenger astrophysics
in the GW era"*
(24 Sep.-25 Oct. 2019)
incl. YKIS conference
(7 Oct.-11 Oct. 2019)

Pulsar number is increasing

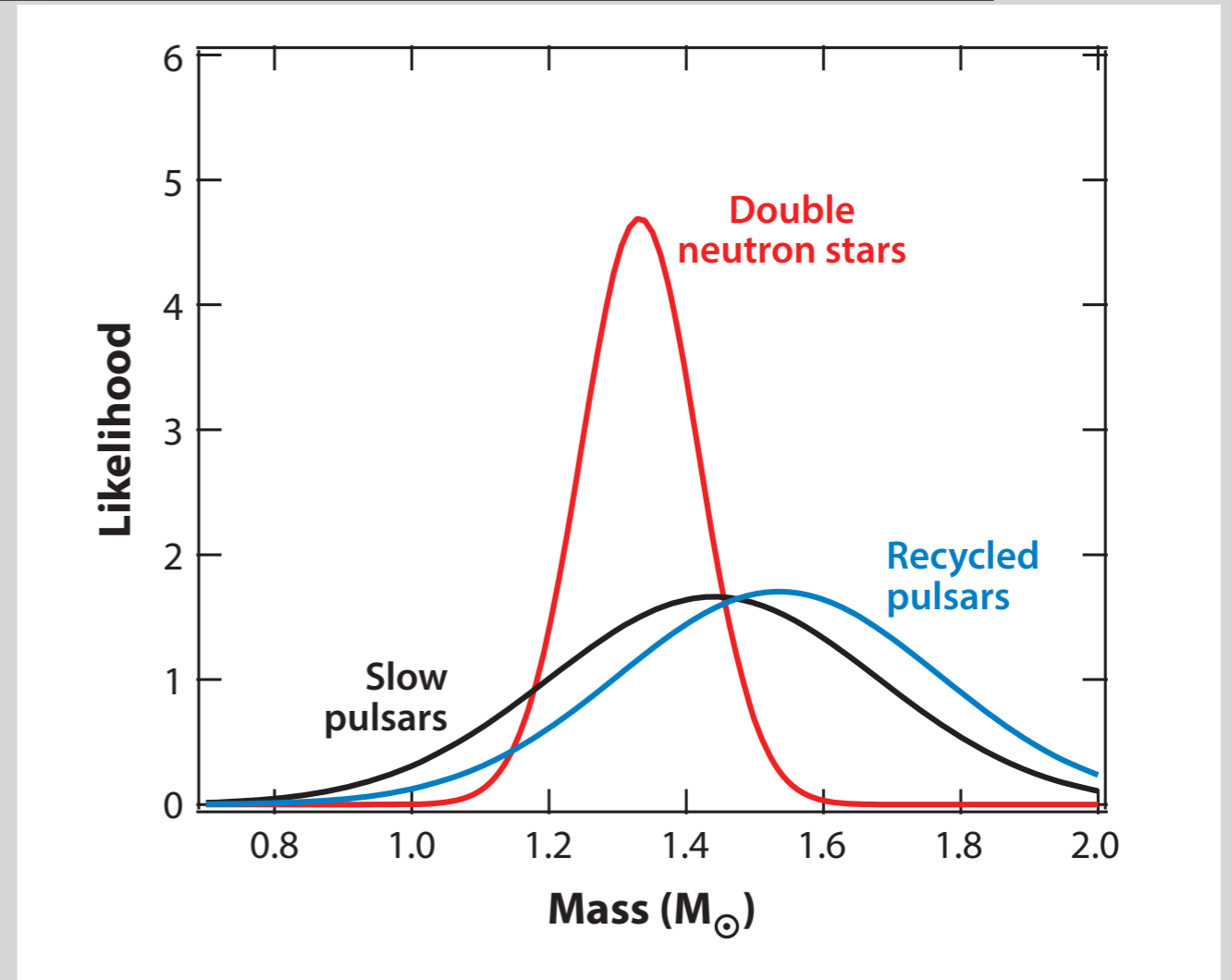


compiled data from ATNF pulsar catalog and P. Freire's table

Mass measurements of NSs



Özel & Freie 2016

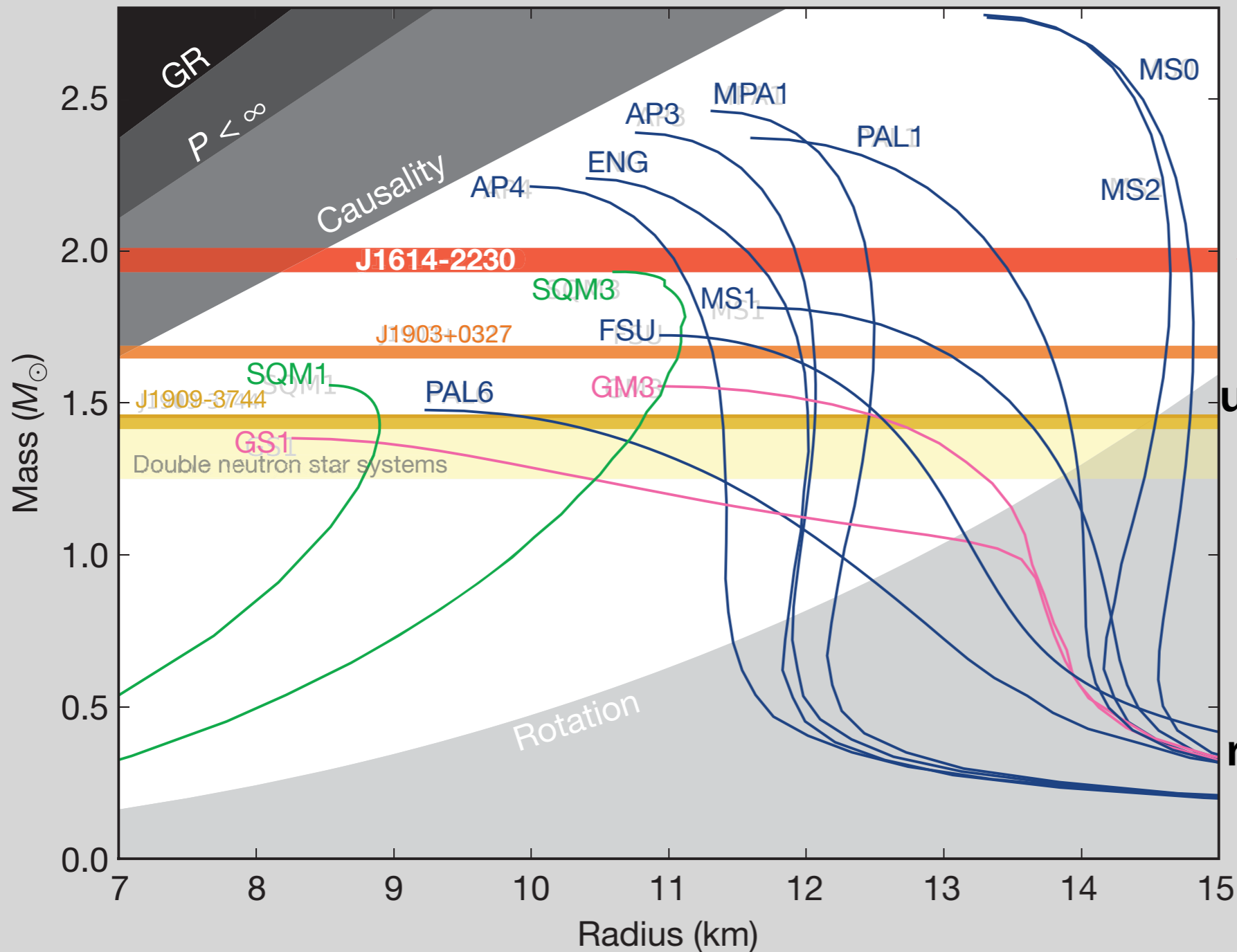


- * **>2600 pulsars have been found in the Galaxy**
- * **10% in the binary system**
→ **mass measurement possible**
- * **15 double NSs so far [Tauris+ 2017]**

http://www3.mpifr-bonn.mpg.de/staff/pfreire/NS_masses.html

Massive NSs tell us nuclear physics

Demorest+ 2010



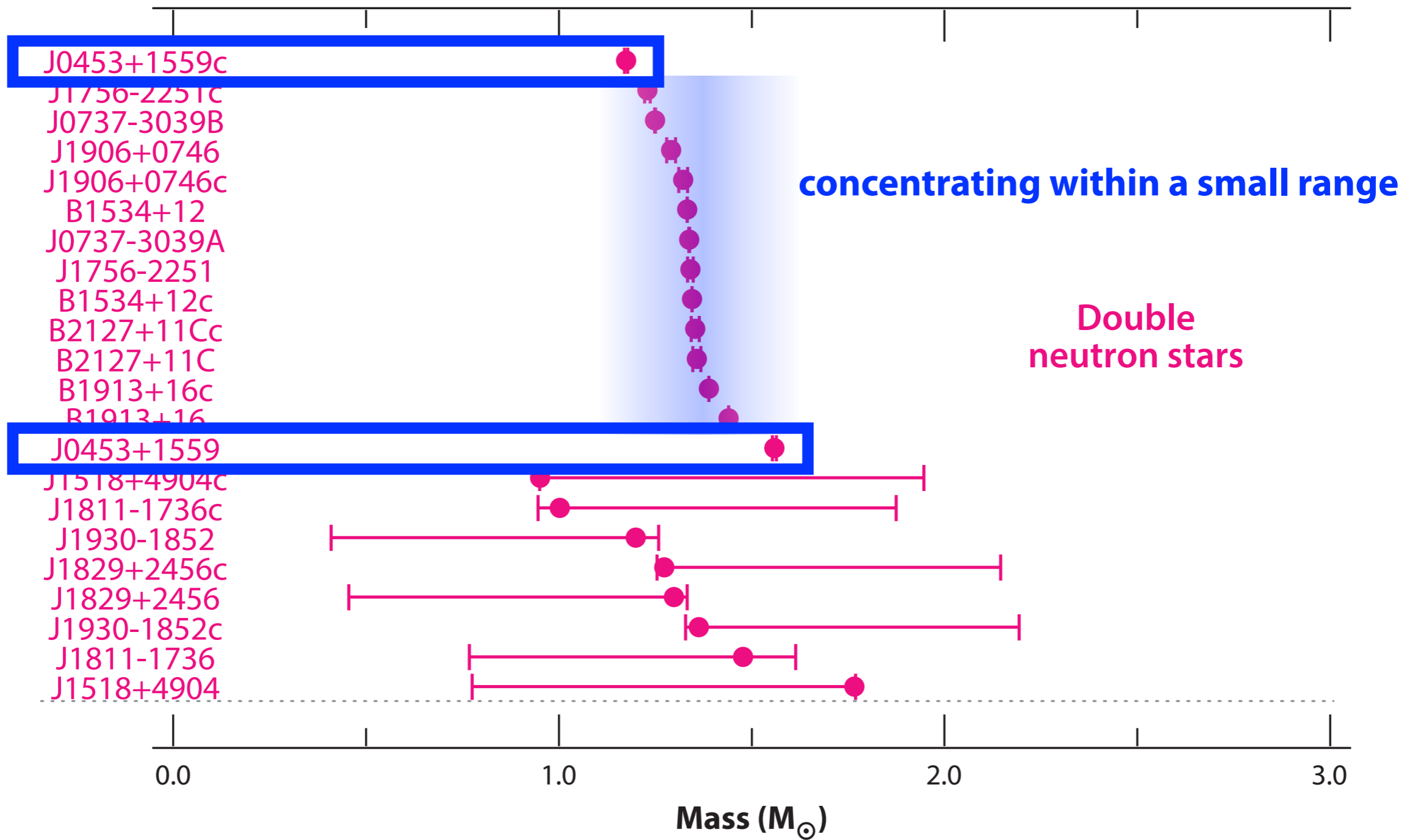
← $1.97 \pm 0.04 M_{\odot}$

NB) mass estimation was updated by Arzoumanian+ 2018 as $1.908 \pm 0.016 M_{\odot}$

Another massive NS was reported by Antoniadis+ (2013), J0348+0432, $2.01 \pm 0.04 M_{\odot}$

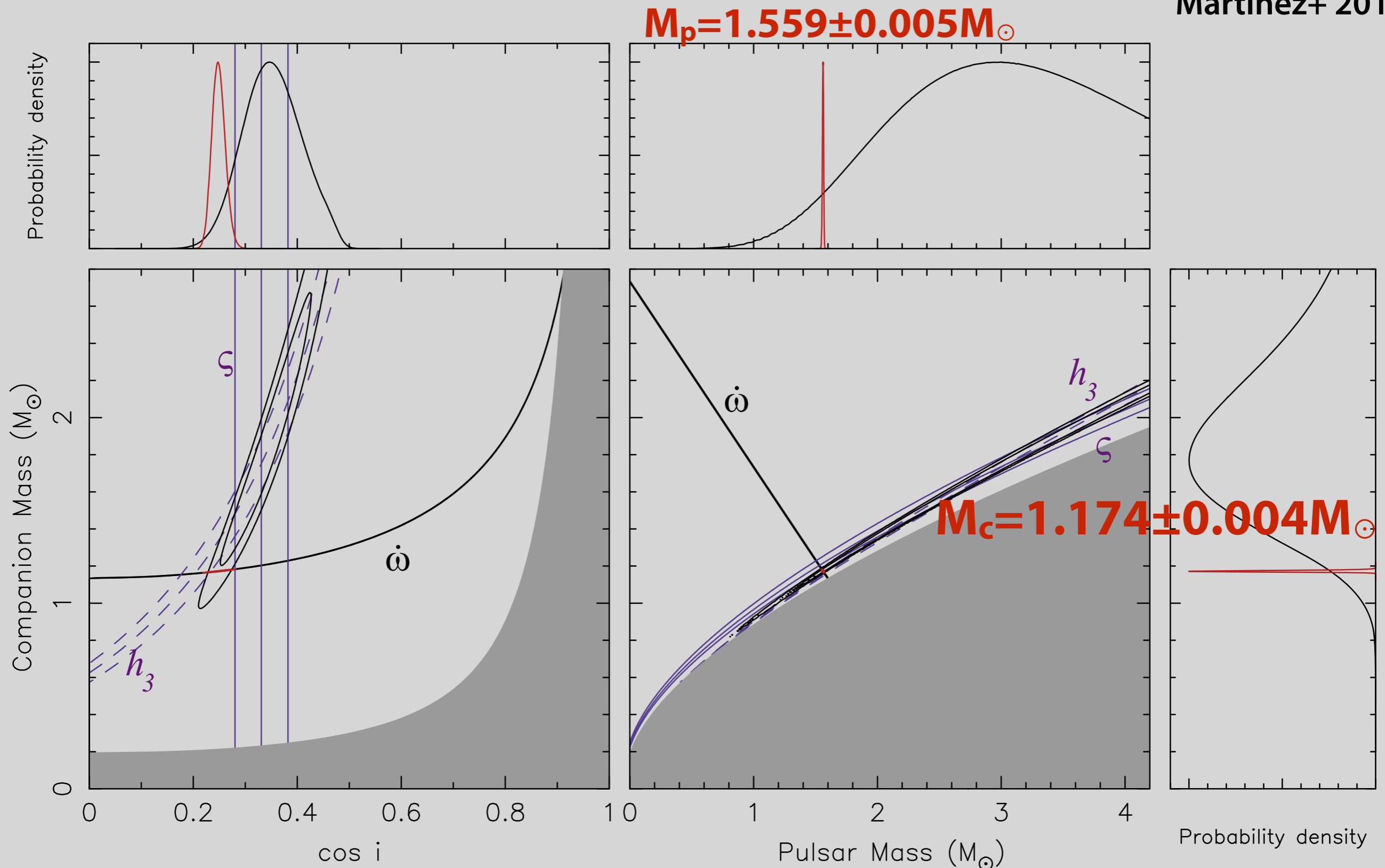
So, what does a small NS tell?

Double NSs



First asymmetric DNS system

Martinez+ 2015

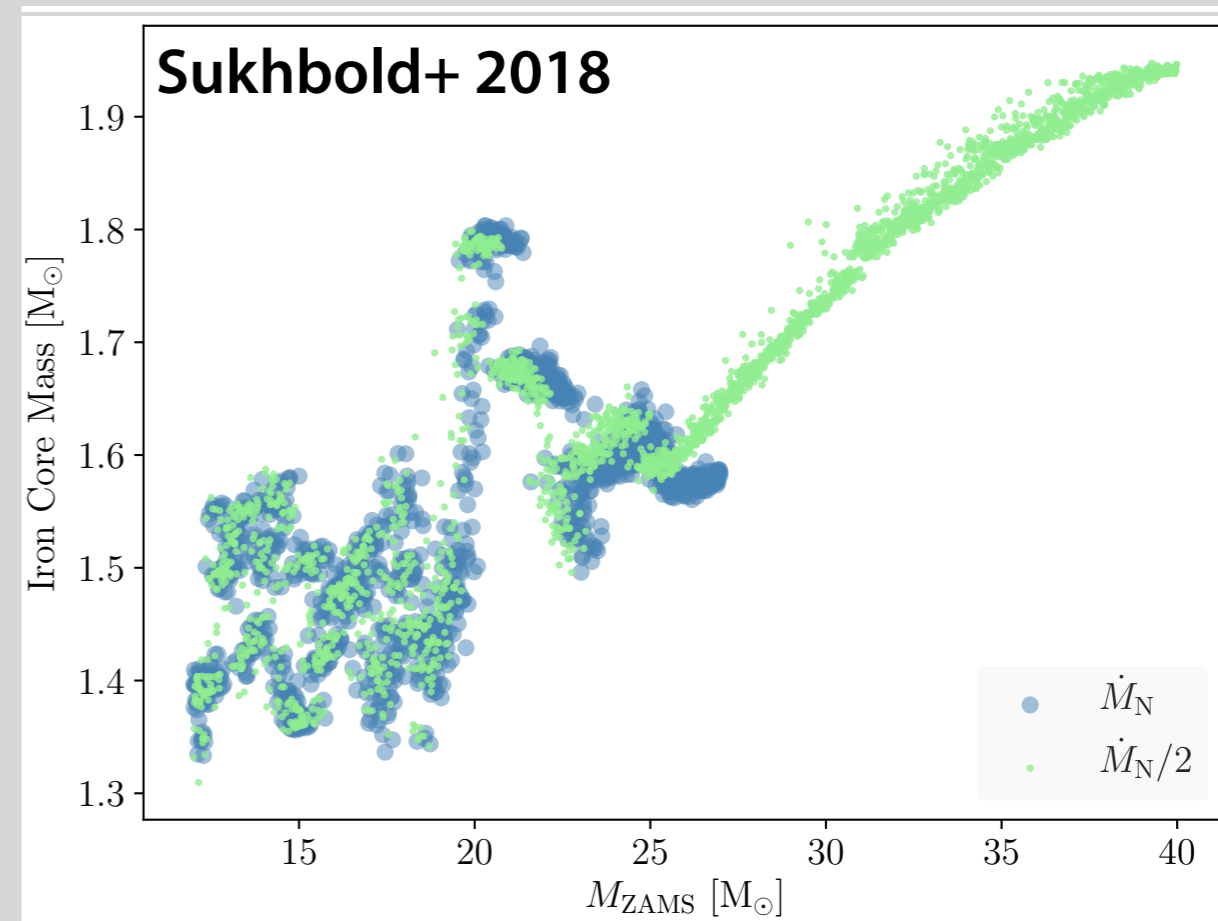


A low-mass NS

- * $M_{\text{NS}} = 1.174 M_{\odot}$! (NB, it's gravitational mass, baryonic mass is $\sim 1.28 M_{\odot}$)
- * Is it a white dwarf? Maybe no
 - ✦ a large eccentricity ($e=0.112$) is difficult to explain by slow evolution into a WD

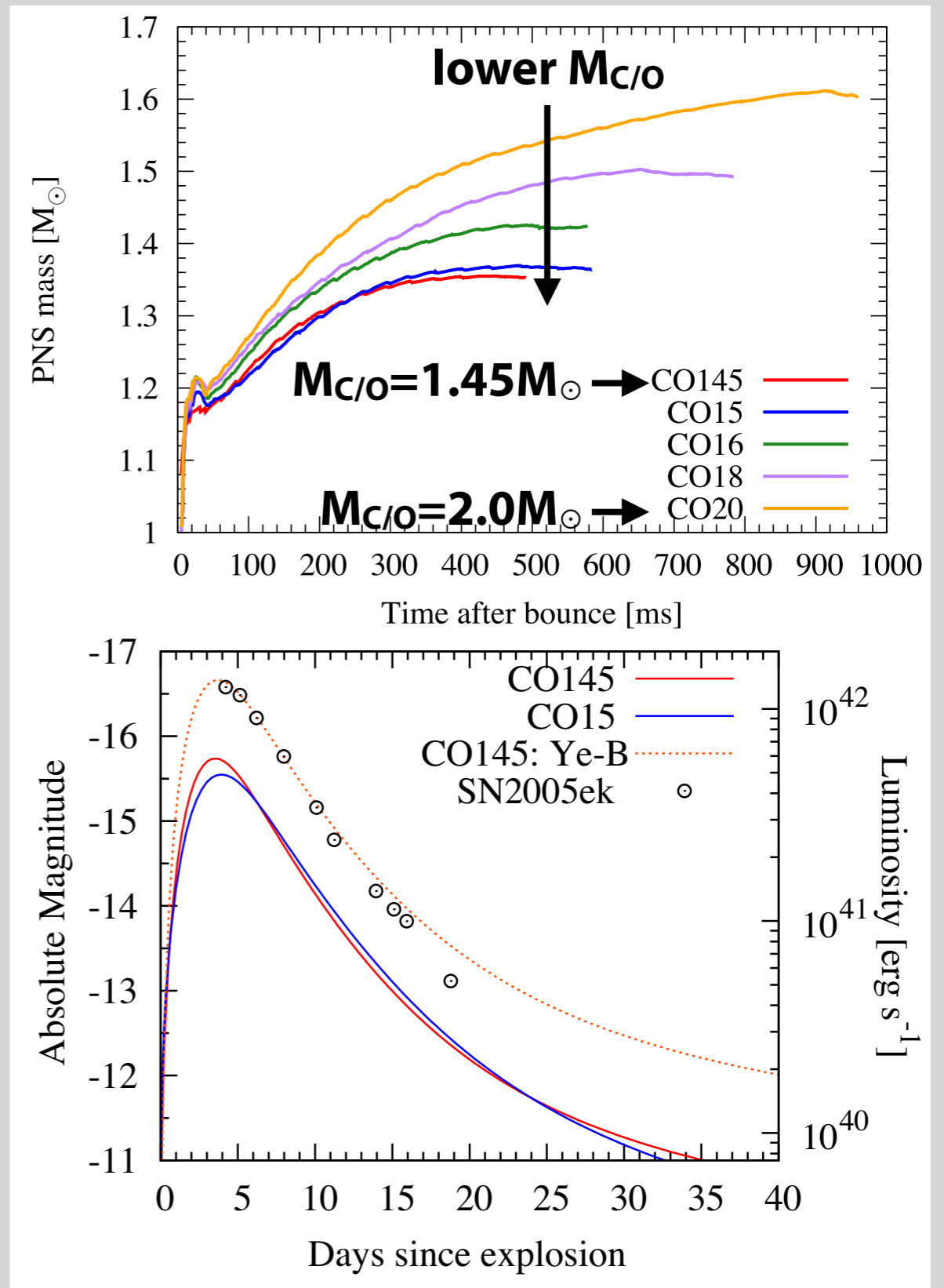
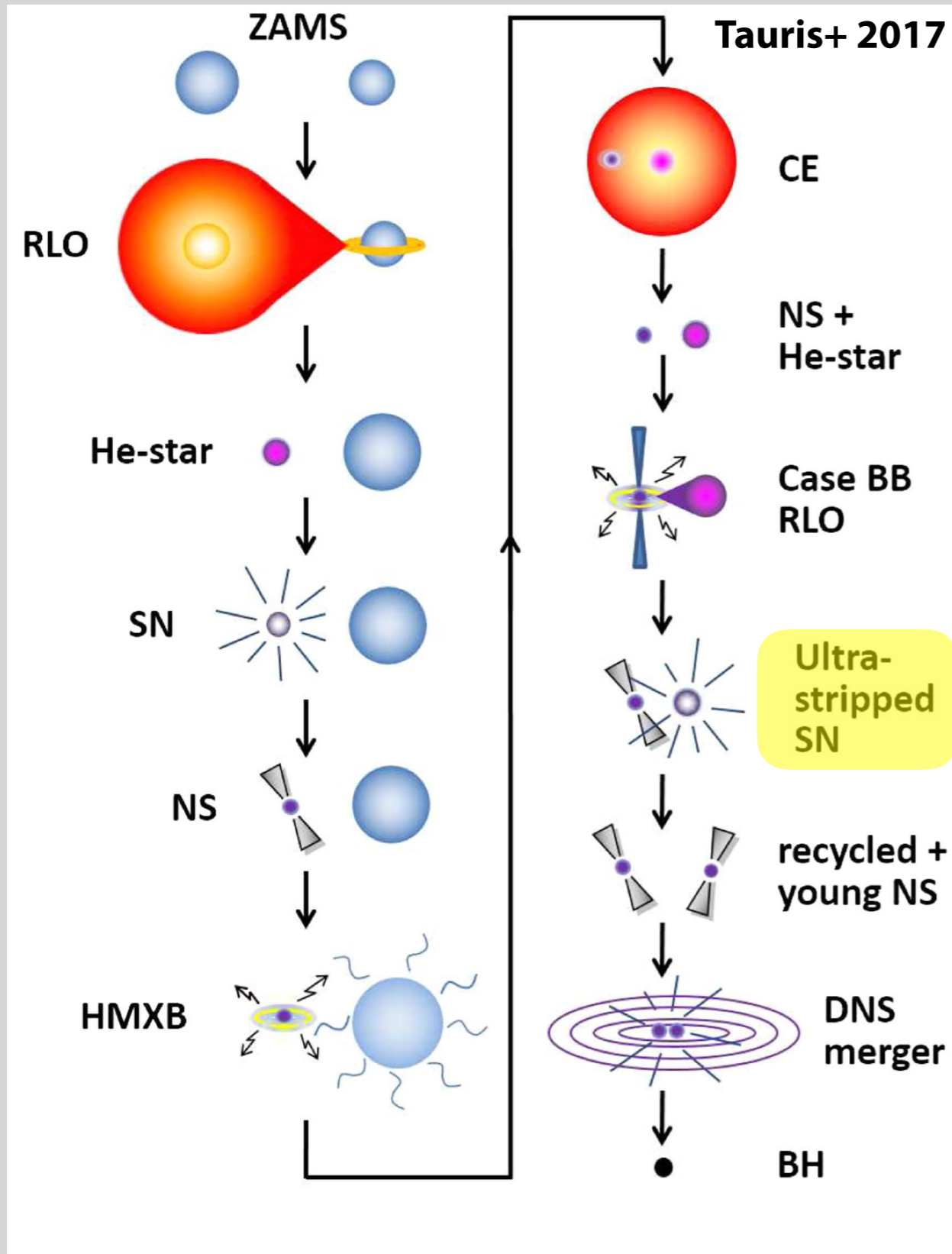
- * **How to make it?**

- ✦ a small iron core of massive star? (typically $M_{\text{Fe}} \sim 1.4 - 1.8 M_{\odot}$)
- ✦ getting rid of mass from a NS?

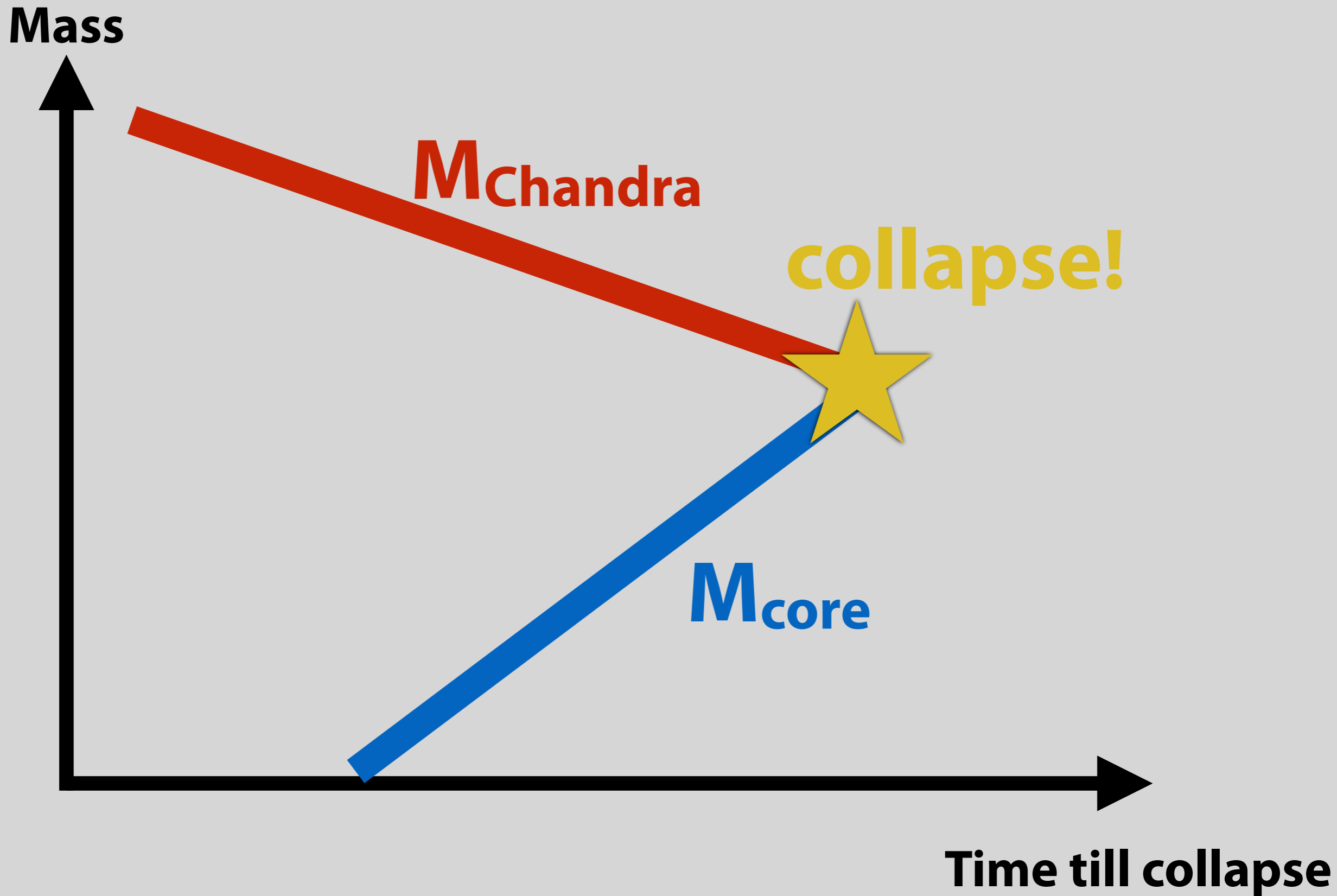


A path toward a low mass NS?: Ultra-stripped SN

[Suwa+, MNRAS, 454, 3073 (2015); Yoshida+, MNRAS, 471, 4275 (2017)]



When does a core collapse?



Modified Chandrasekhar mass

- * Chandrasekhar mass *without* temperature correction

$$M_{\text{Ch0}}(Y_e) = 1.46M_{\odot} \left(\frac{Y_e}{0.5} \right)^2$$

- * Chandrasekhar mass *with* temperature correction

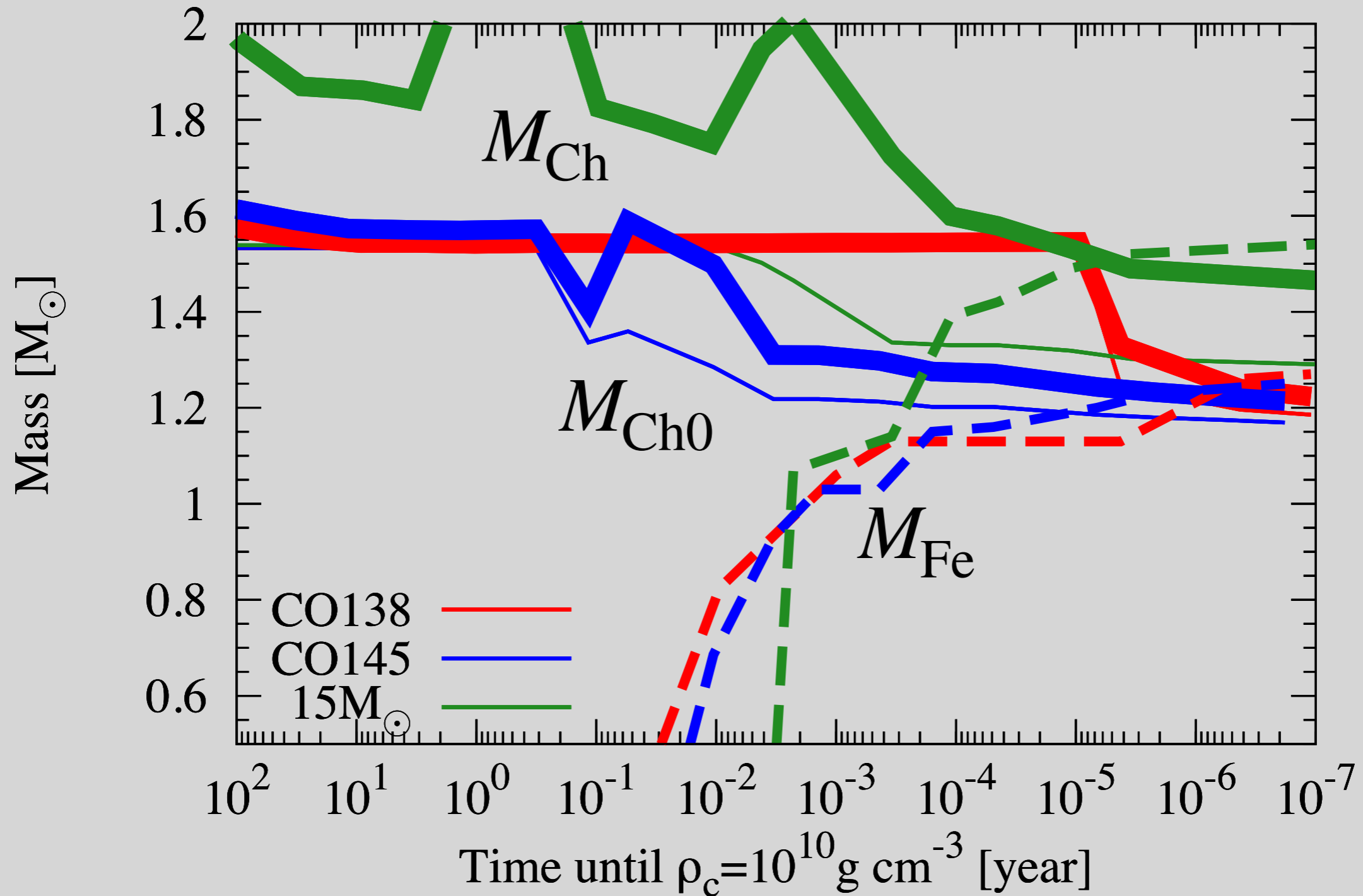
$$M_{\text{Ch}}(T) = M_{\text{Ch0}}(Y_e) \left[1 + \left(\frac{s_e}{\pi Y_2} \right)^2 \right] \quad s_e = 0.5\rho_{10}^{-1/3}(Y_e/0.42)^{2/3}T_{\text{MeV}}$$

Baron+ 1990; Timmes+ 1996

- * To make a small core, *low* Y_e and *low entropy* are necessary

M_{ch} vs. M_{core}


[Suwa, Yoshida, Shibata, Umeda, Takahashi, MNRAS, 481, 3305 (2018)]



Explosion simulations and NS masses

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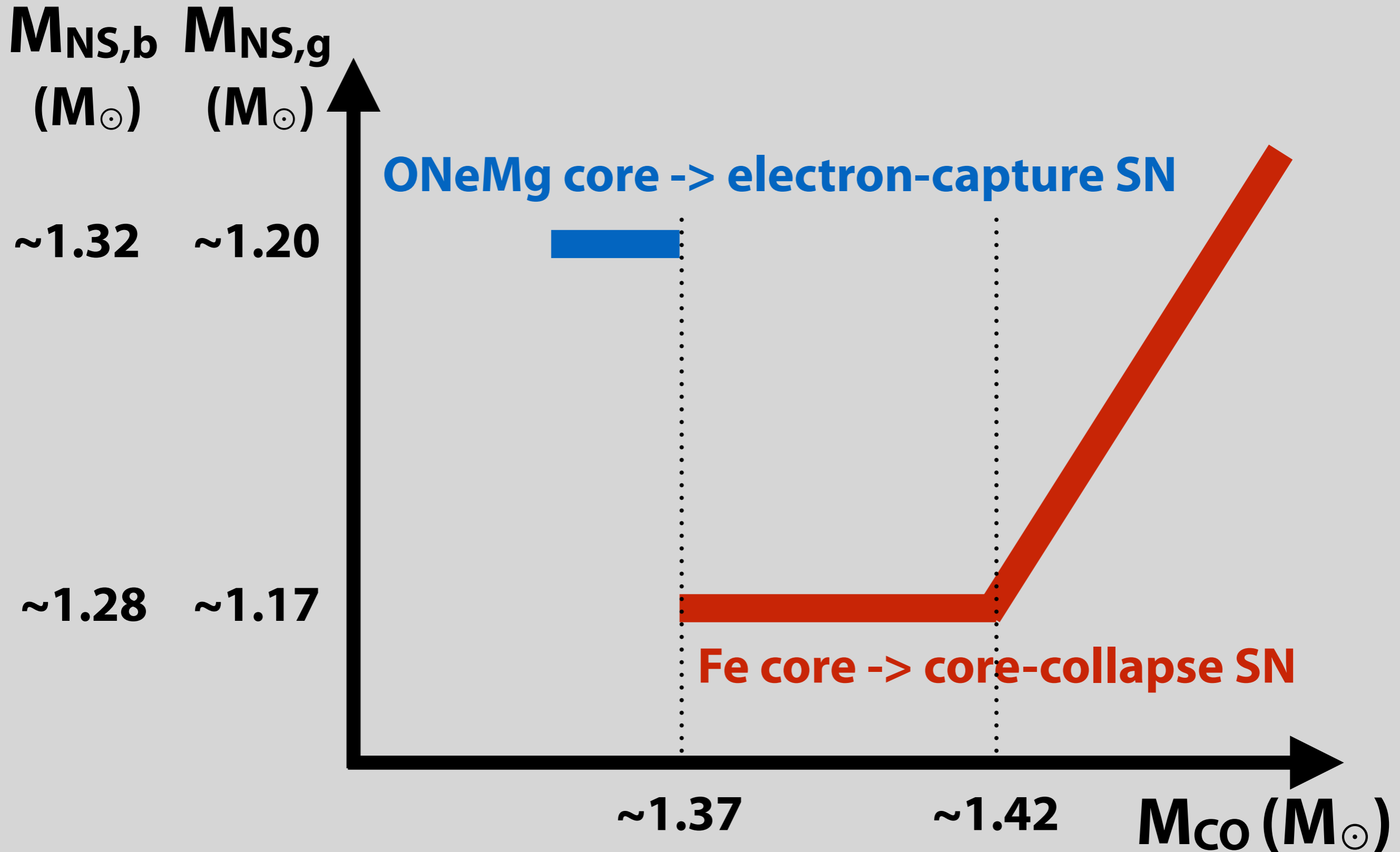
Model	$M_{\text{CO}} (M_{\odot})$	$M_{\text{ZAMS}} (M_{\odot})$	$M_{\text{Fe}} (M_{\odot})$	$M_{\text{NS,b}} (M_{\odot})$	$M_{\text{NS,g}} (M_{\odot})$
CO137	1.37	9.35	1.280	1.289	1.174
CO138	1.38	9.4	1.274	1.296	1.179
CO139	1.39	9.45	1.258	1.302	1.184
CO140	1.4	9.5	1.296	1.298	1.181
CO142	1.42	9.6	1.265	1.287	1.172
CO144	1.44	9.7	1.234	1.319	1.198
CO145	1.45	9.75	1.277	1.376	1.245


$$M_{\text{NS,b}} - M_{\text{NS,g}} = 0.084 M_{\odot} (M_{\text{NS,g}} / M_{\odot})^2$$

(Lattimer & Prakash 2001)

Discussion

[Suwa, Yoshida, Shibata, Umeda, Takahashi, MNRAS, 481, 3305 (2018)]



Summary

- * **A low-mass NS of $M_{\text{NS,g}}=1.174M_{\odot}$ was found**
- * **Q: *Is it possible to make such a low-mass NS with standard modeling of SN?***
- * **A: Yes, it is.**
 - ✦ The minimum mass is $\sim 1.17M_{\odot}$.
 - ✦ If a new observation finds even lower mass NS, we cannot make it. Something wrong.