

大質量星におけるリン合成と リン過剰星の起源

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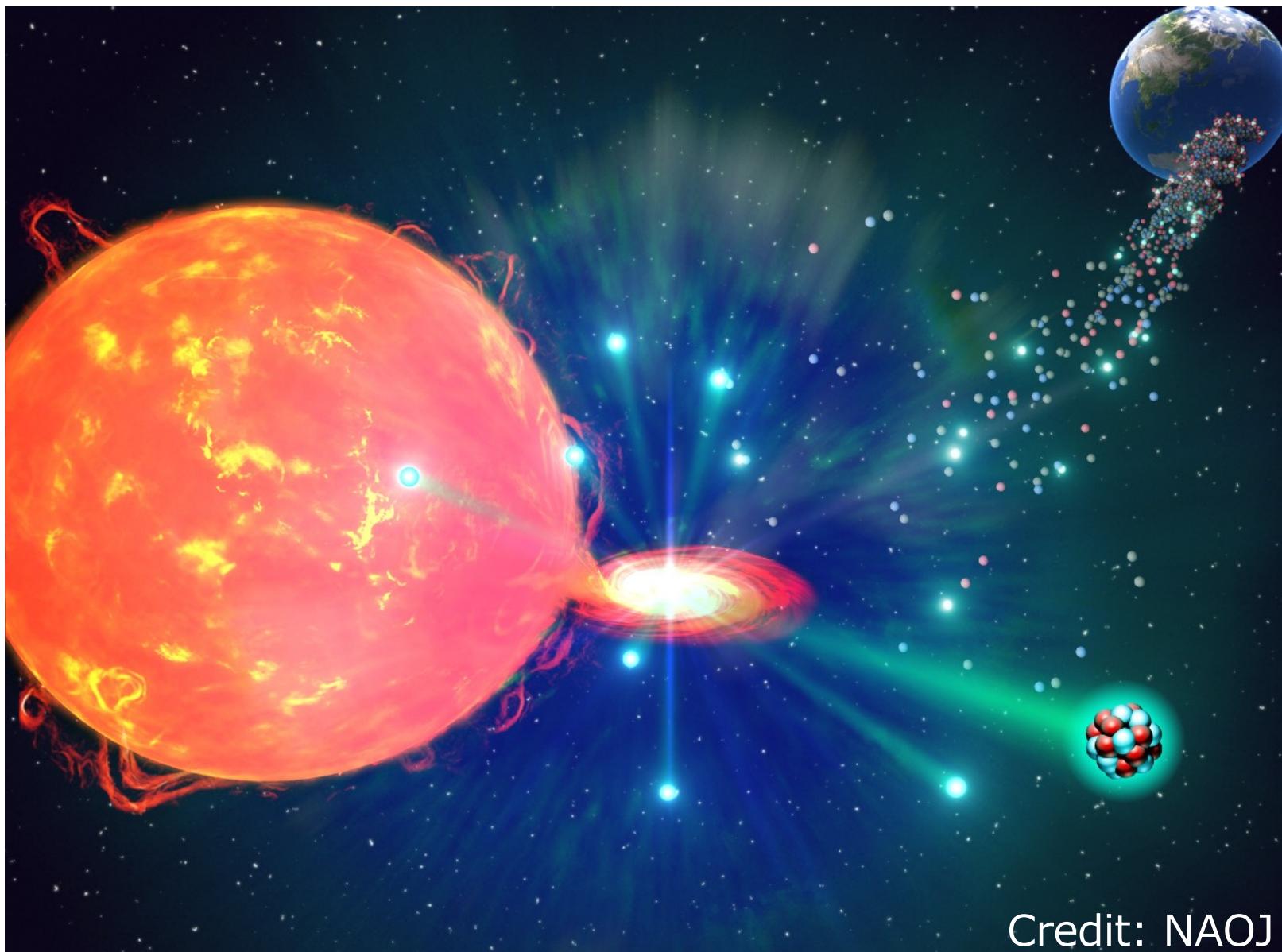
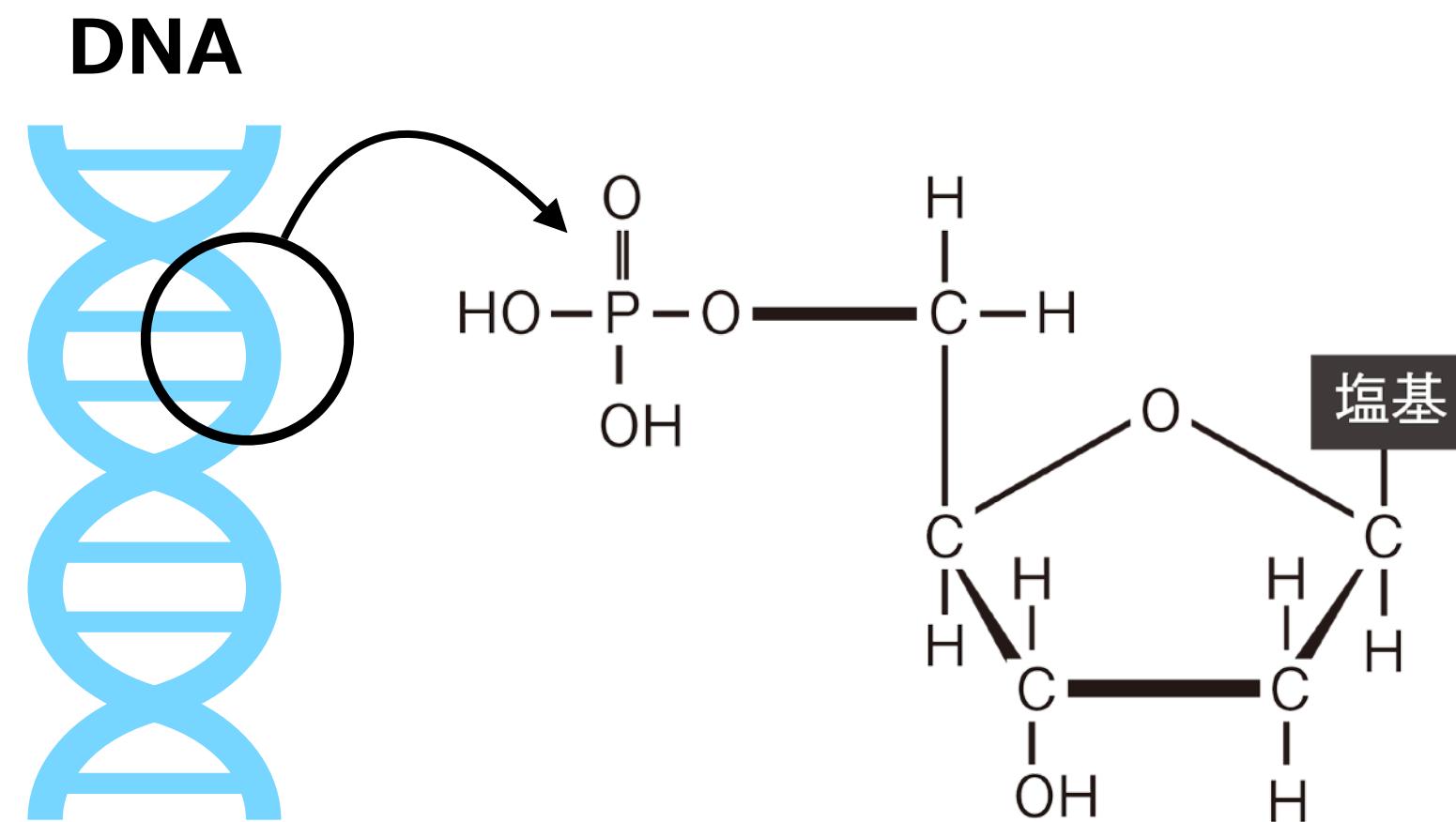
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Phosphorus in the Universe

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- Components of DNA/RNA, ATP, and Phospholipid
→ Essential elements for earthly life
- P synthesis sites are not fully understood
=> Investigation of the origin of P leads not only the **understanding of P synthesis sites** but also **implications for the origin of earthly life**



Phosphorus Synthesis Sites and Evolution

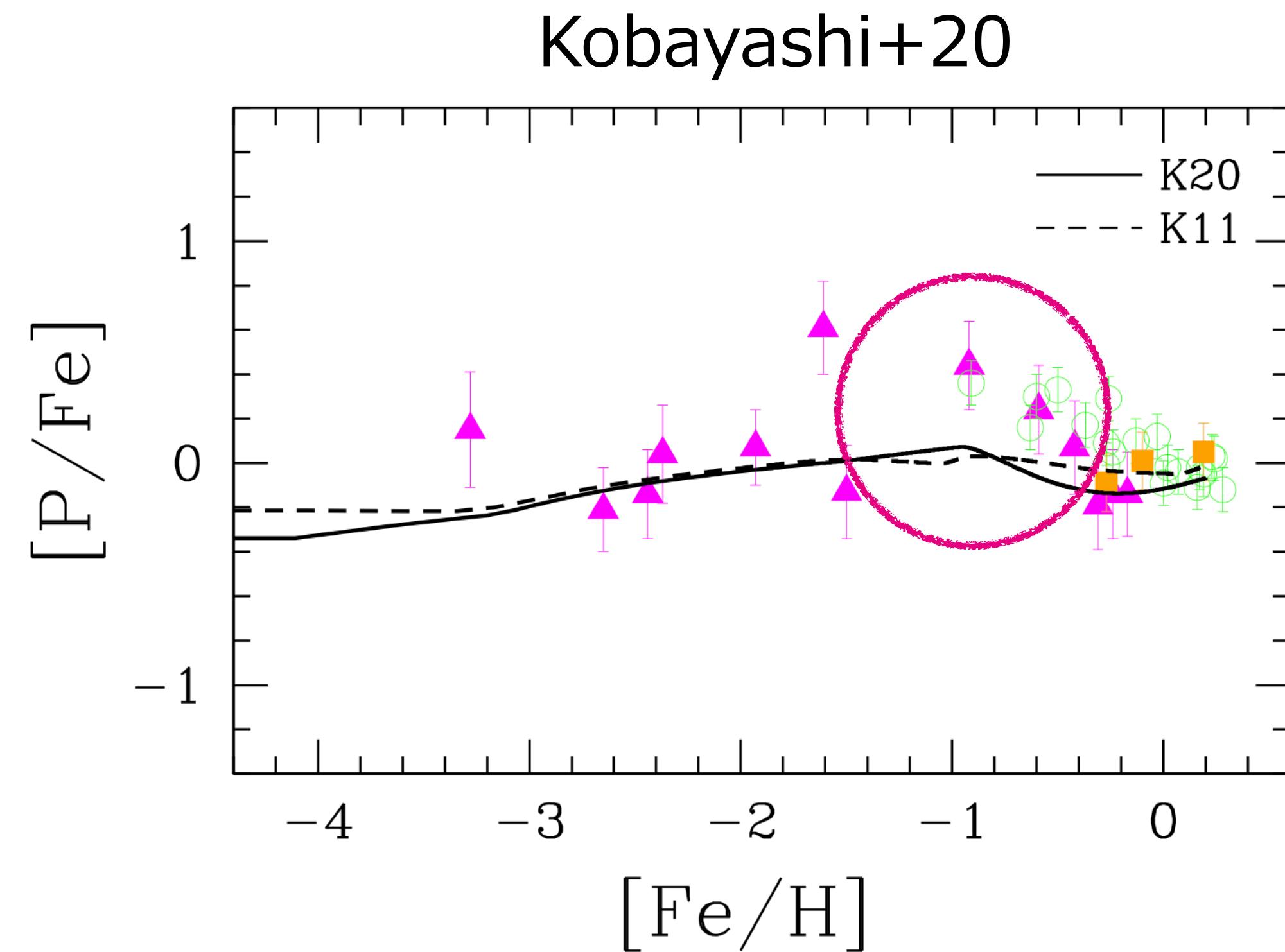
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Phosphorus abundance and its time evolution
haven't been reproduced by simulations
around $[\text{Fe}/\text{H}] \sim -1$

$$[\text{A}/\text{B}] := \log(N_{\text{A}}/N_{\text{B}}) - \log(N_{\text{A}}/N_{\text{B}})_{\odot}$$

Important sites around $[\text{Fe}/\text{H}] \sim -1 \dots ?$

- Classical nova (ONeMg WD $\sim 1.35M_{\odot}$)
- C-O shell merger (Massive stars $10-25M_{\odot}$?)

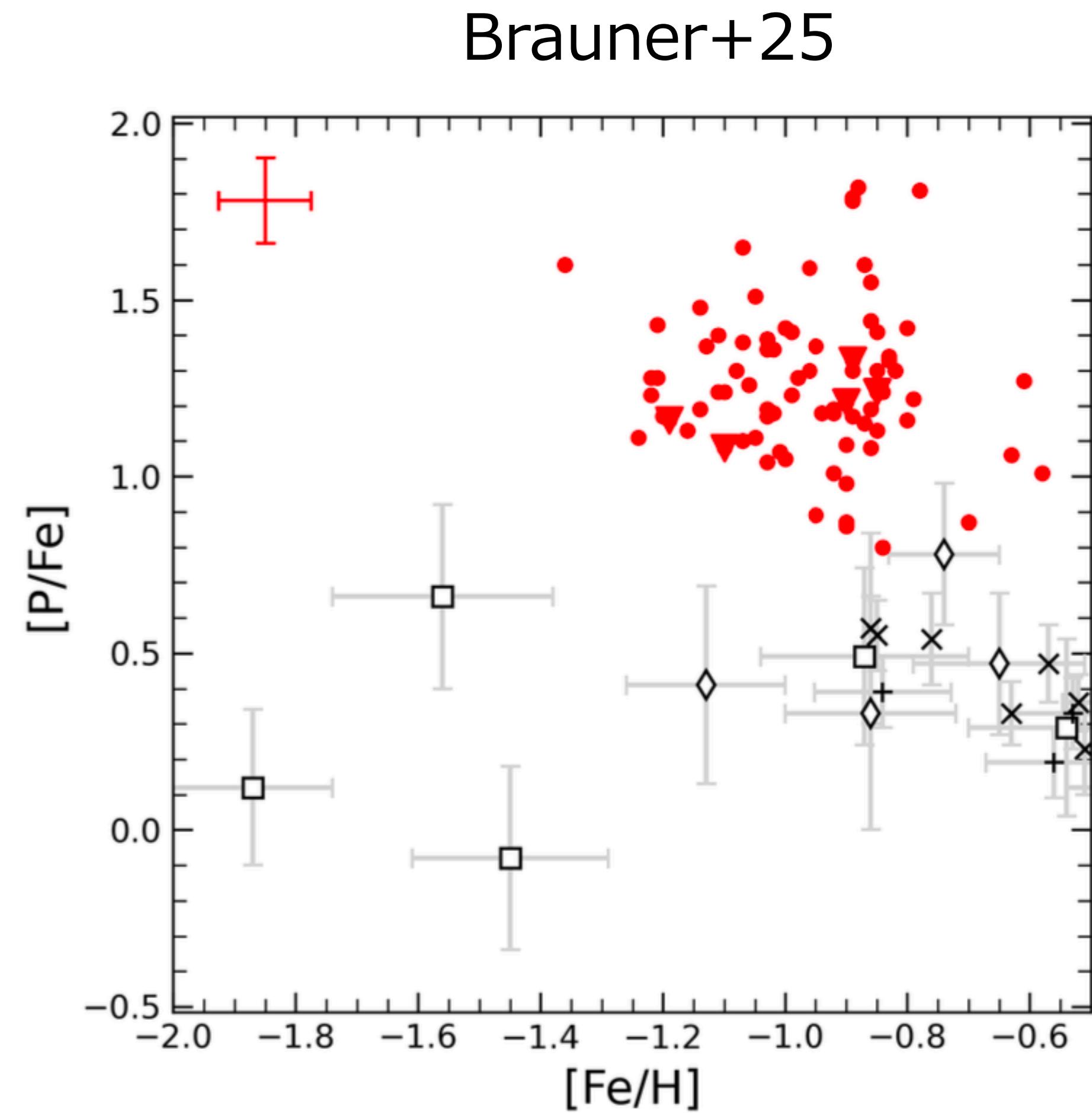


P-rich Stars

- Even though P-normal stars abundance haven't been reproduced…
→ Recent observations revealed
P-rich stars w/ $[P/Fe] > +1.0$
(Masseron+20, Brauner+23)
=> Synthesis of P and other elements around P should be investigated!!

Classical novae can synthesize up to $[P/Fe] \sim +0.7$ (Bekki & Tsujimoto 24)

→ How about massive stars?



What is C-O Shell Merger

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- Convective merging between **O burning shell** and **C burning shell (C-O shell merger)**

- Occurring a few days~hours before collapse

1. Density jump at Si/O interface (Bruenn+23)

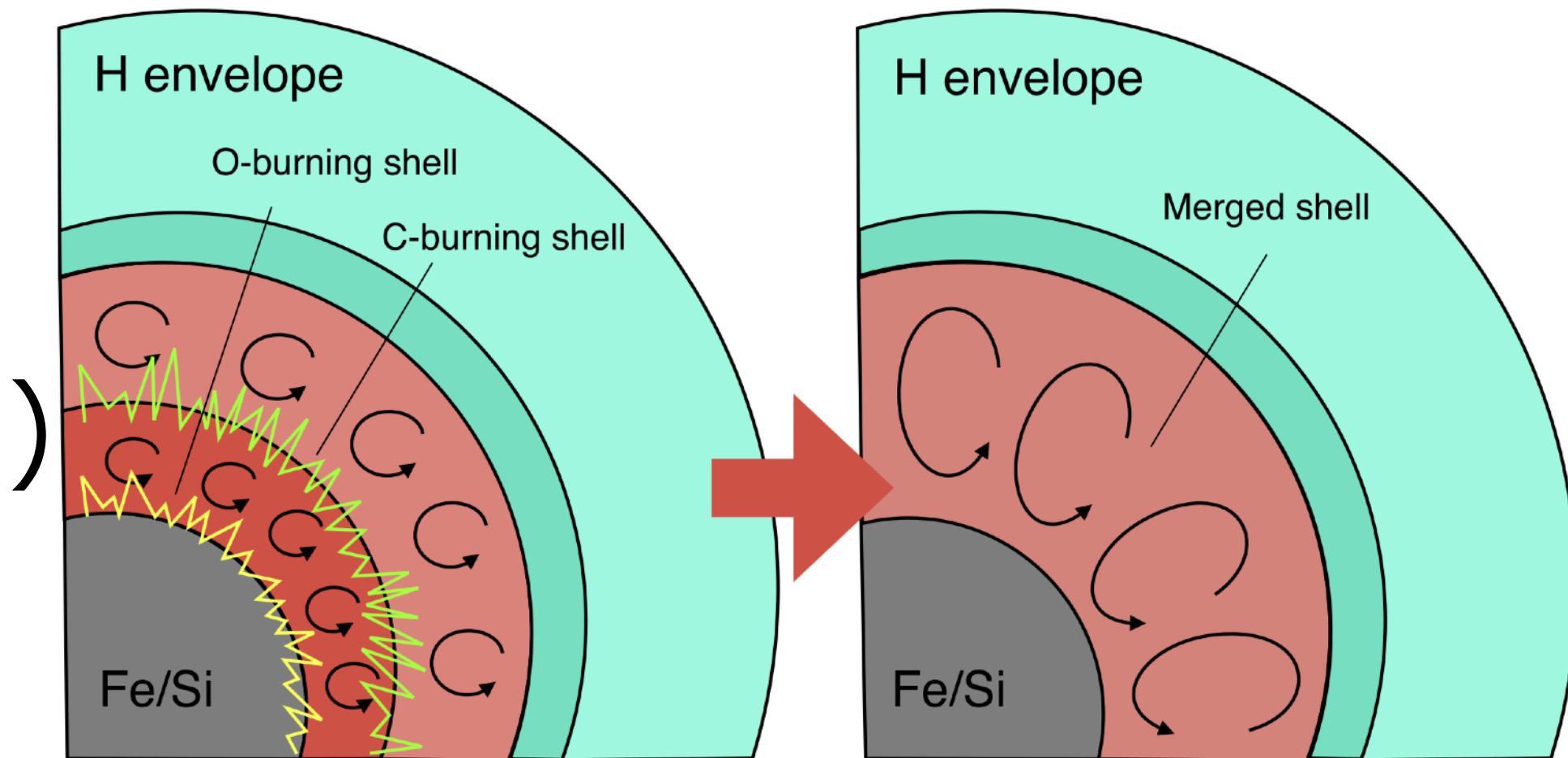
→ It supports shock propagation

2. Enhancement of odd-Z elements (P, Cl, K, Sc)

and O burning products (Si, S) (Ritter+18, Roberti+25)

→ It helps **explain stellar abundance** (and SNRs?)

Sato+25a



Nucleosynthesis during Shell Merger

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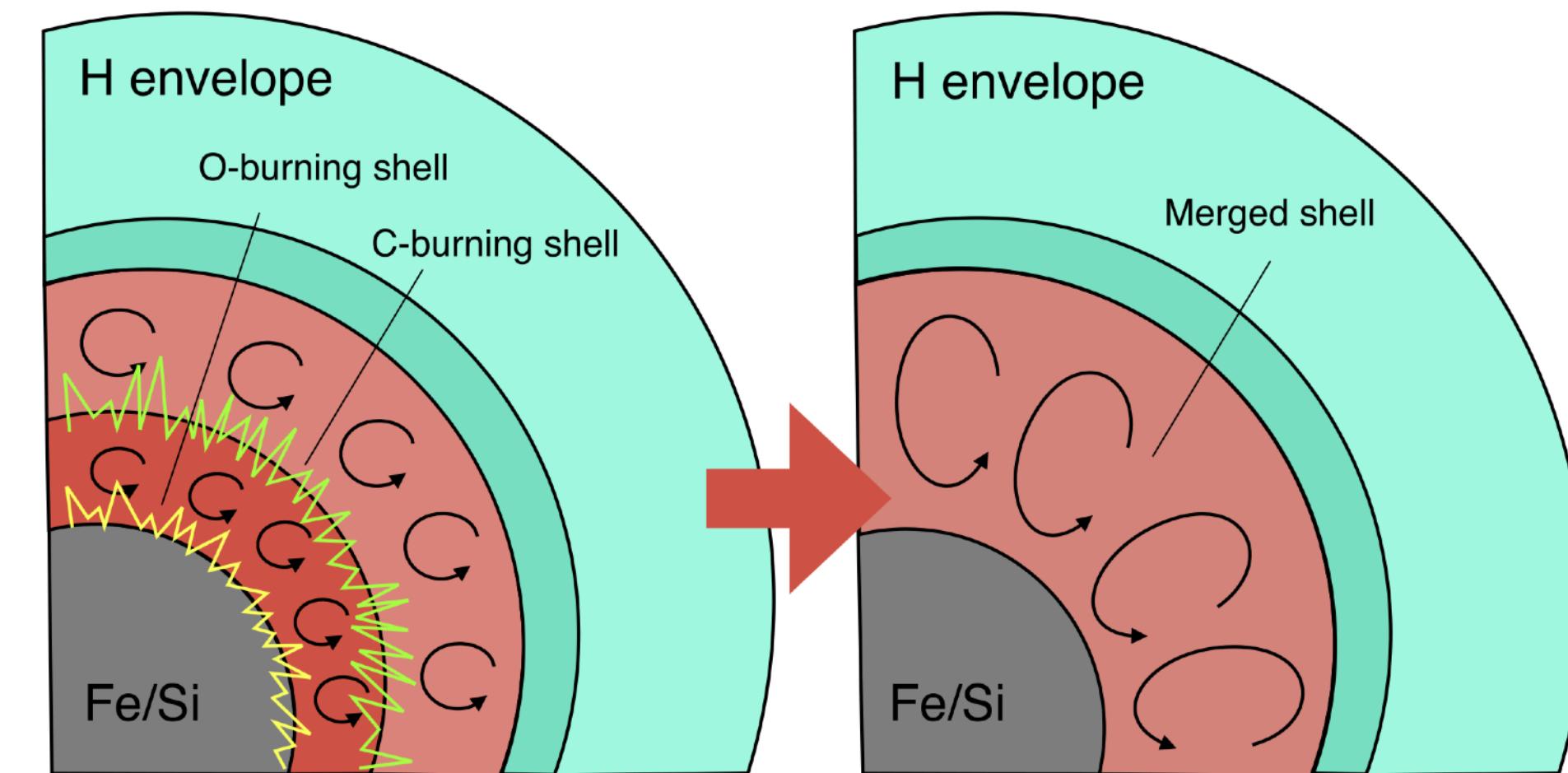
Nucleosynthesis is different from the case with no merger

C, O, C burning products (Na, Mg, Al) and Ne injected into O shell burning region

→ C+C, C+O, O+O, Ne+γ,
p, α capture etc. are activated

=> Odd-Z elements (**P, Cl, K, Sc**) and O burning products (**Si, S**) are enhanced
(Ritter+18, Roberti+25)

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C-O shell merger could reproduce P-rich stars?

Aim: Investigate the influence of C-O shell merger and supernova nucleosynthesis on P-rich stars

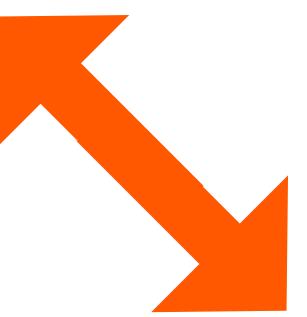
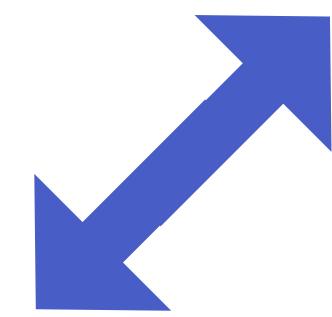
Stellar Nucleosynthesis

Calculate stellar evolution with different parameters such as stellar mass, initial rotation, etc. and examine whether shell merger occurs or not

Supernova Nucleosynthesis

Based on ρ - T history taken from explosion simulation, calculate nucleosynthesis and compare with abundances of P-rich stars

P-rich stars



Shell Merger

CCSN

Method: Stellar Evolution

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Code: HOSHI (HOngo Stellar Hydrodynamics sImulator;
Takahashi+18, Takahashi & Langer 21)

Nuclear Network: 300 species (p-⁷⁹Br)

Parameters: Mass, Rotation

Metallicity: $Z = 0.1Z_{\odot}$

(to compare with the abundances of P-rich stars)

Models and Parameters

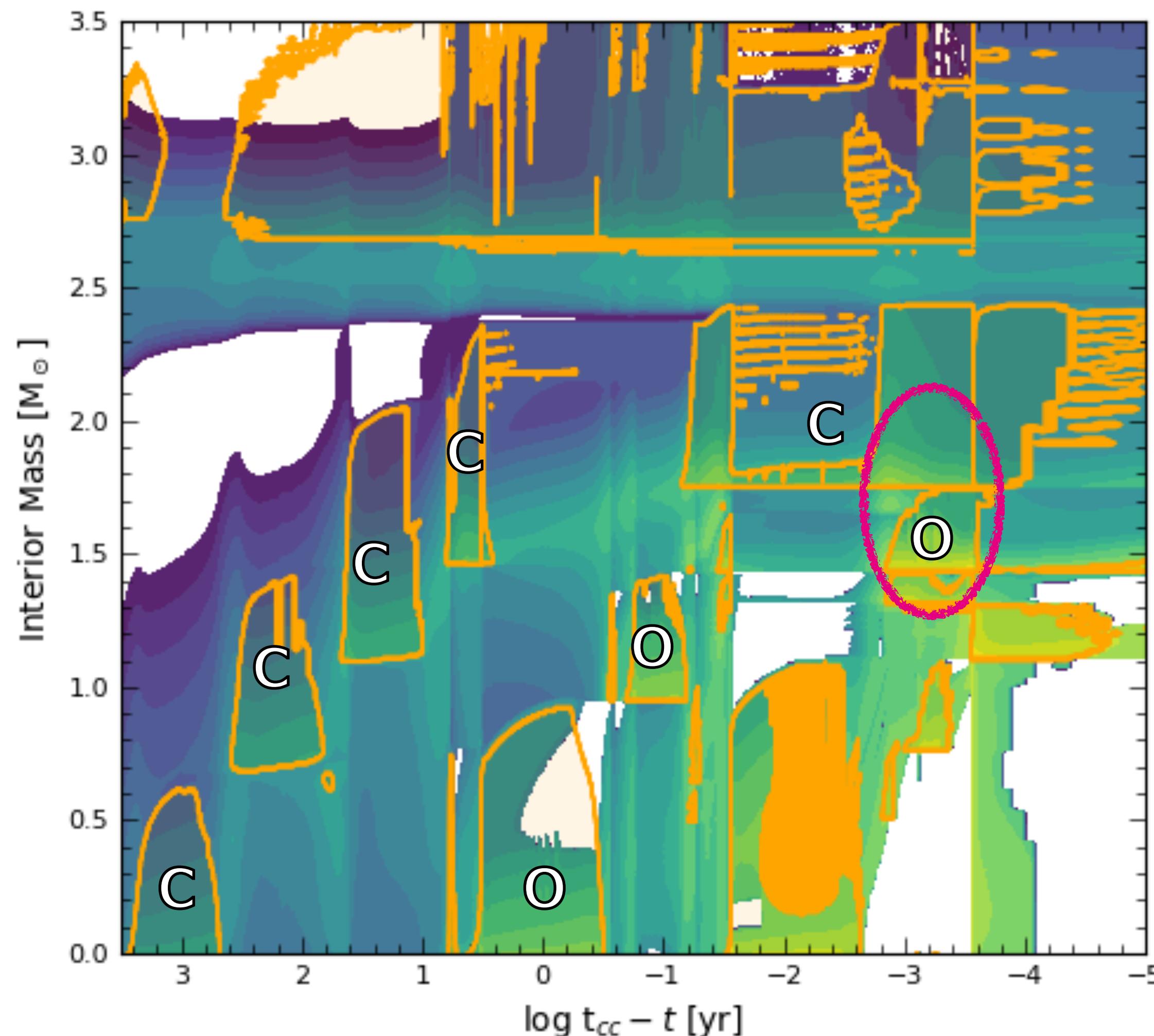
	A	B
Mass (M_{\odot})	15	15
Metallicity (Z_{\odot})	10^{-1}	10^{-1}
Rotation ($\Omega/\Omega_{\text{Kepler}}$)	0	0.2

Merger or No Merger: Kippenhahn Diagram

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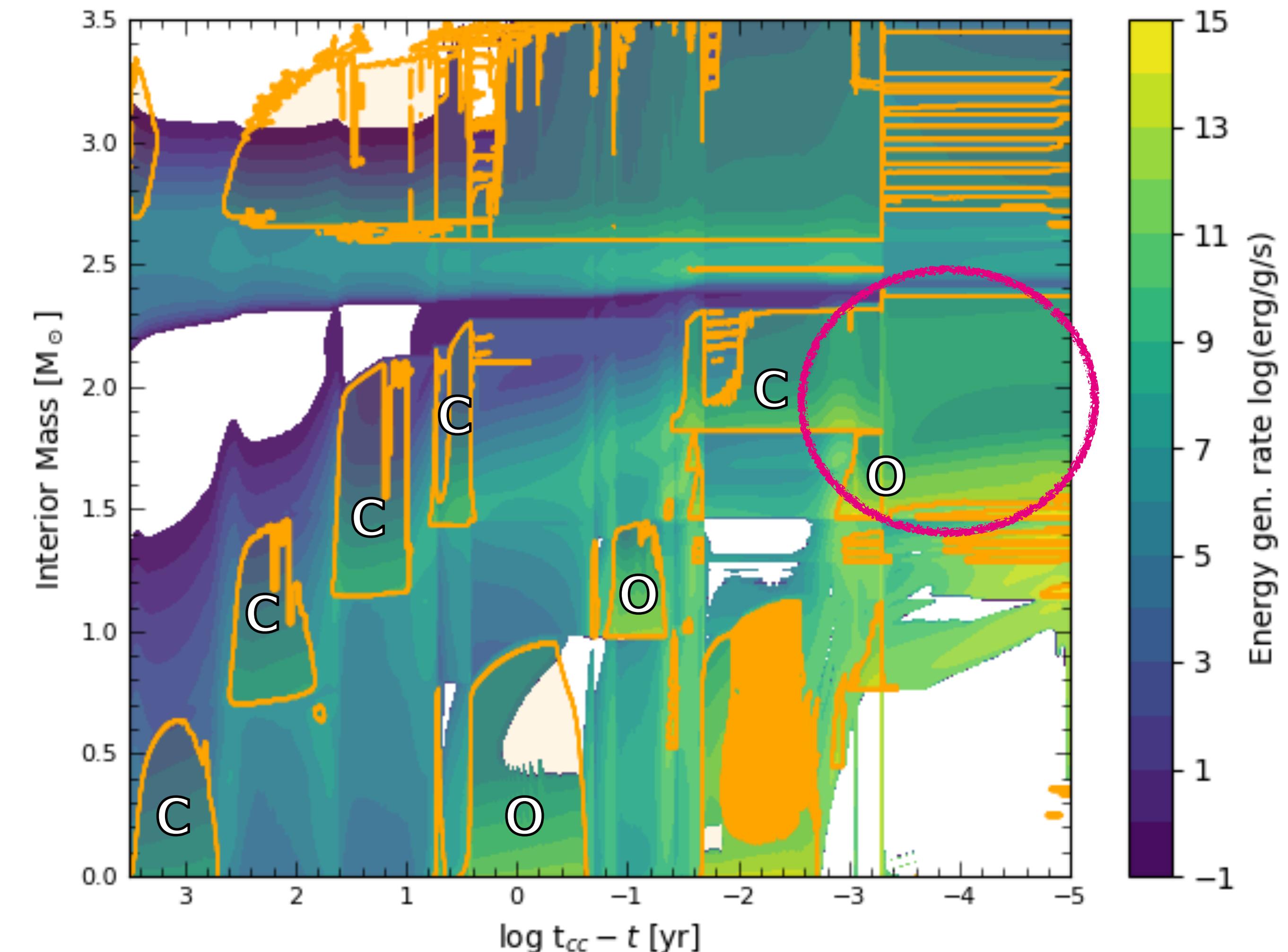
No merger

Model A



Merger

Model B

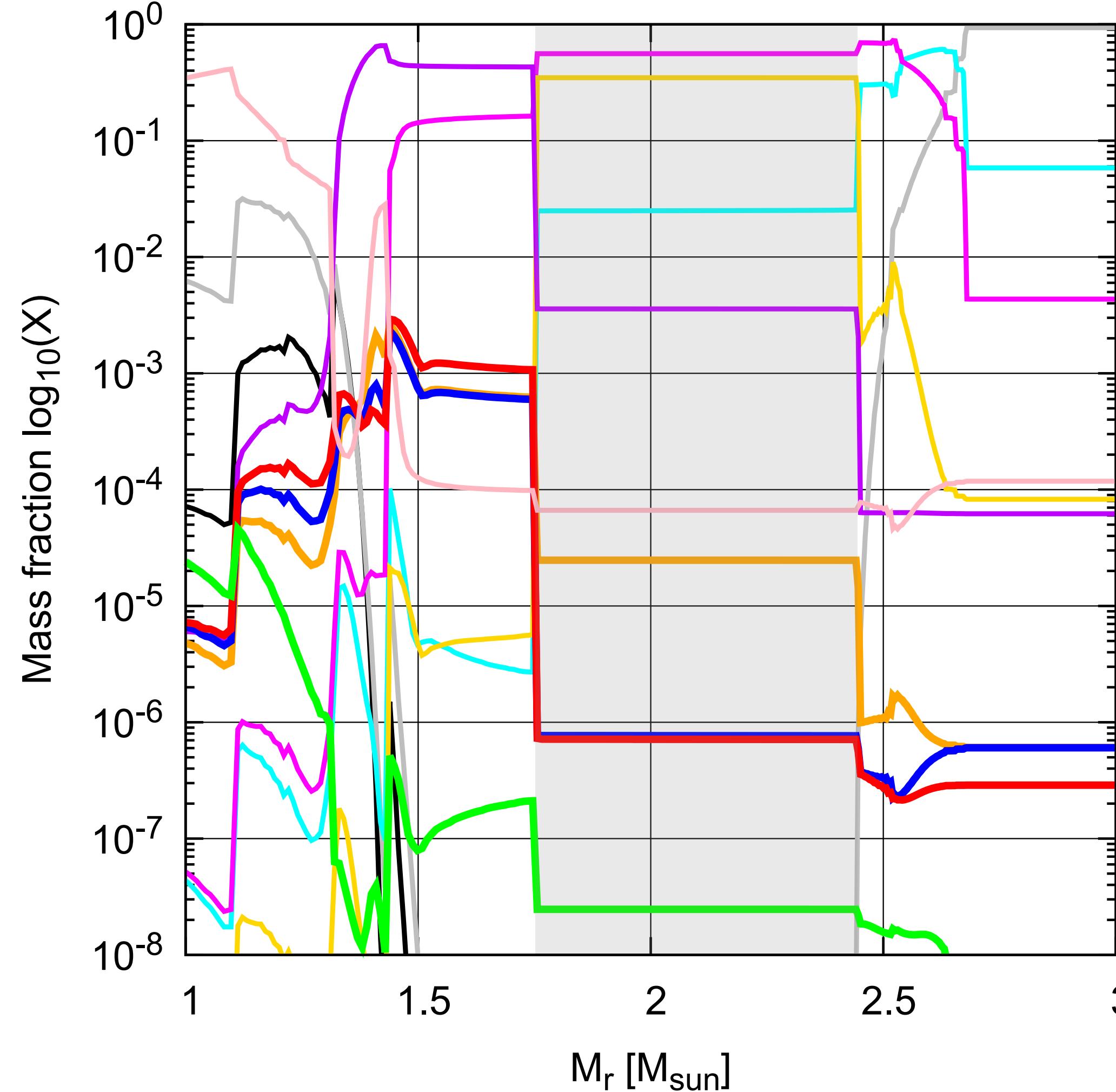


Final Abundance Distribution

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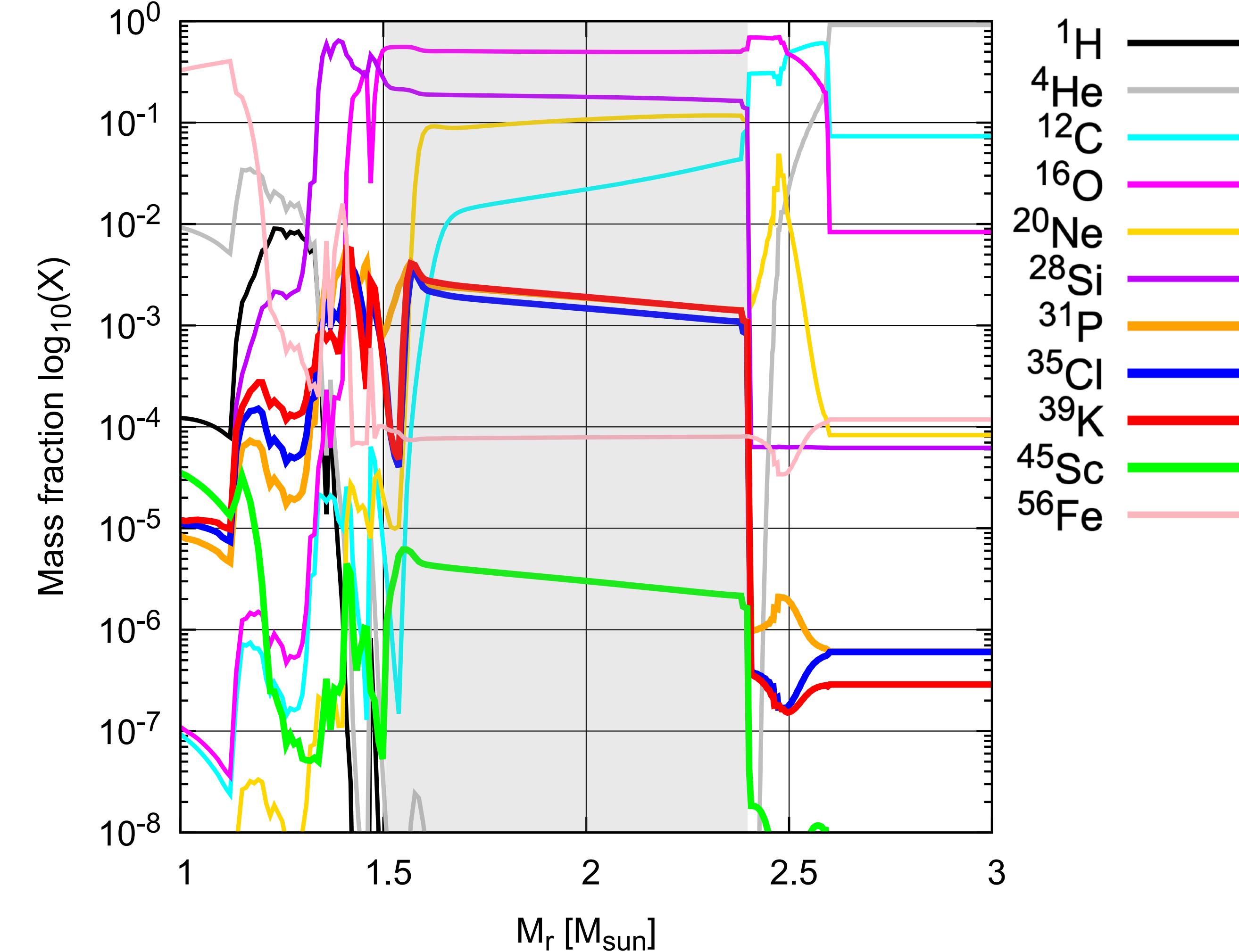
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Model A



Merger

Model B

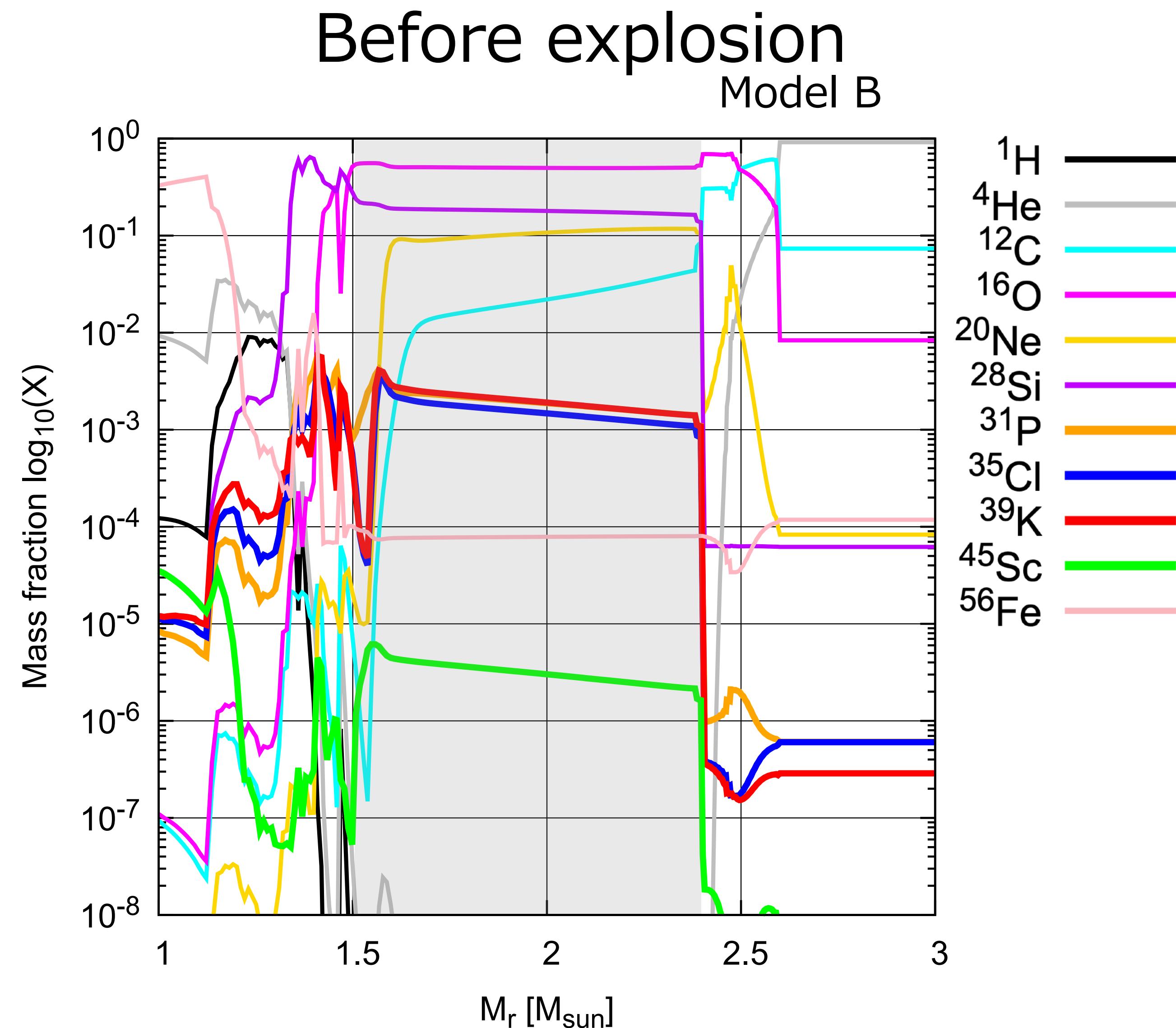


Explosion: Thermal Bomb

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Thermal bomb

- Injected energy: 3 B
($= 3 \times 10^{51}$ erg)
- Injected at $M_r \simeq 0.8M_\odot$
- Time scale of injection: 10^{-3} s
- Final explosion energy: ~ 1.2 B
- Network: 300 species (p- ^{79}Br)



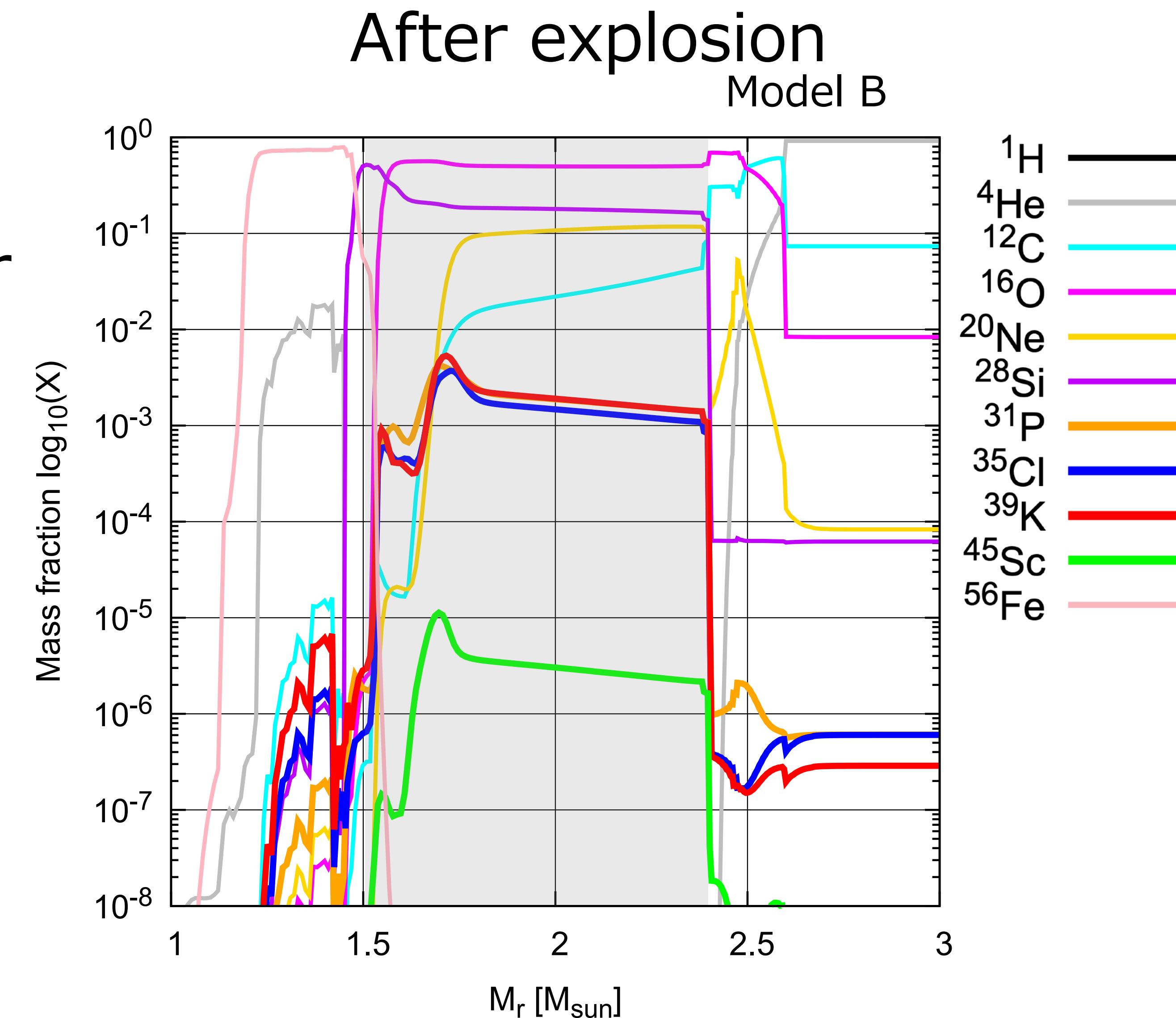
Abundance Distribution

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Only the bottom region of O layer experienced explosive burning

→ Outer region **remain**
pre-supernova composition

Integrate from outer region to the radius where $M(^{56}\text{Ni}) = 0.07M_{\odot}$



Abundance Pattern

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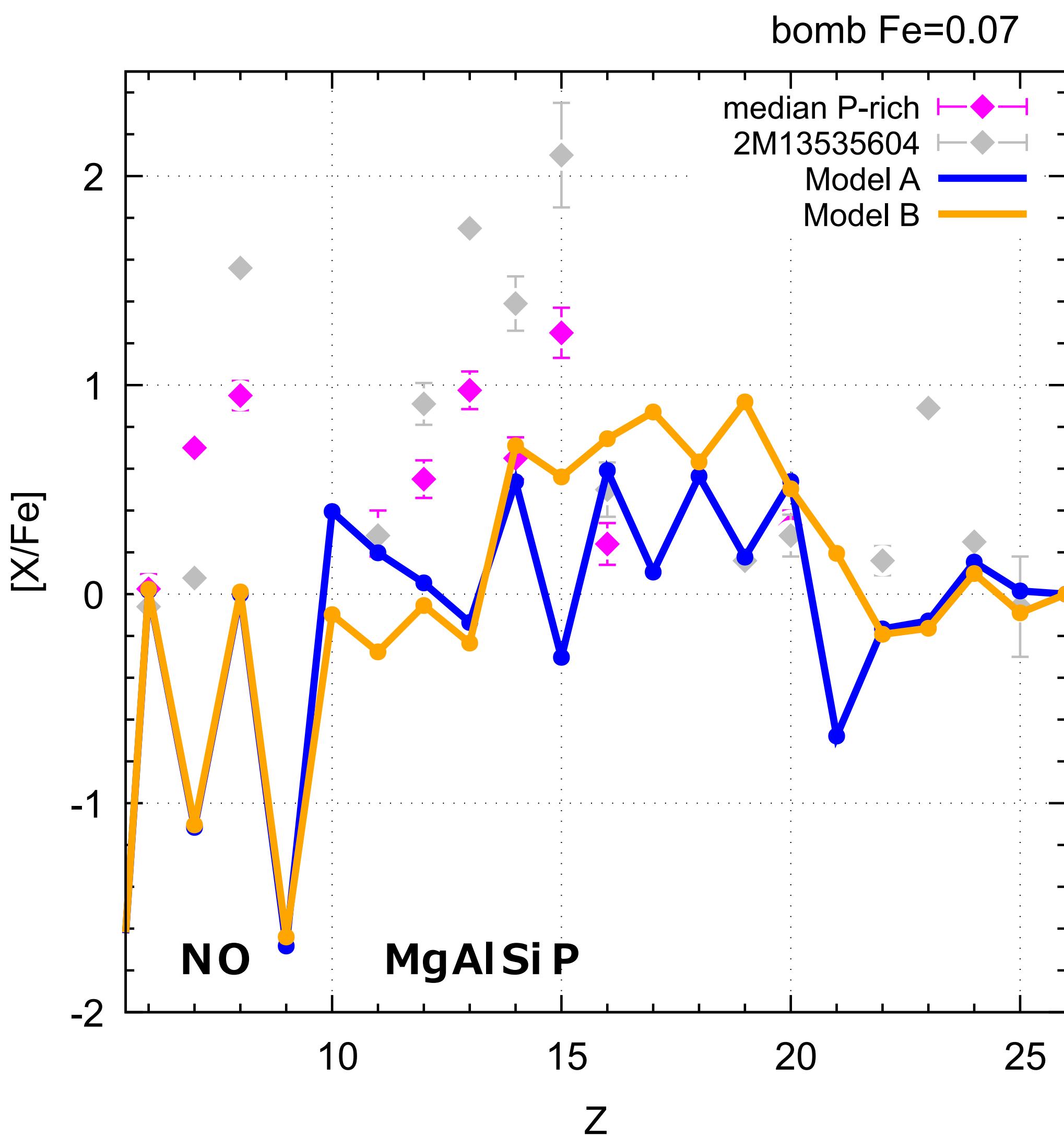
If shell merger occur,
[P/Fe] can be enhanced to $\sim +0.6$

(still lower than P-rich stars)

👍: P can be enhanced as much as nova

👎: Not only P but also N, O, Mg, and Al
are **deficient**

=> Need to combine with other
nucleosynthesis sites?



Aim

Investigate P synthesis in massive stars (especially C-O shell merger) and the effects on the origin of P-rich stars

Results

- C-O shell merger occurred in some models and **P can be enhanced as much as massive novae**
- Even though C-O shell merging models, **[P/Fe] is lower than +1.0**

Future work

- Investigate the cause of C-O shell merger (Neutrino Cooling?)
- Confirm P and other elements abundance in P-rich stars (in progress)
- Calculate nucleosynthesis based on neutrino-hydrodynamical simulations