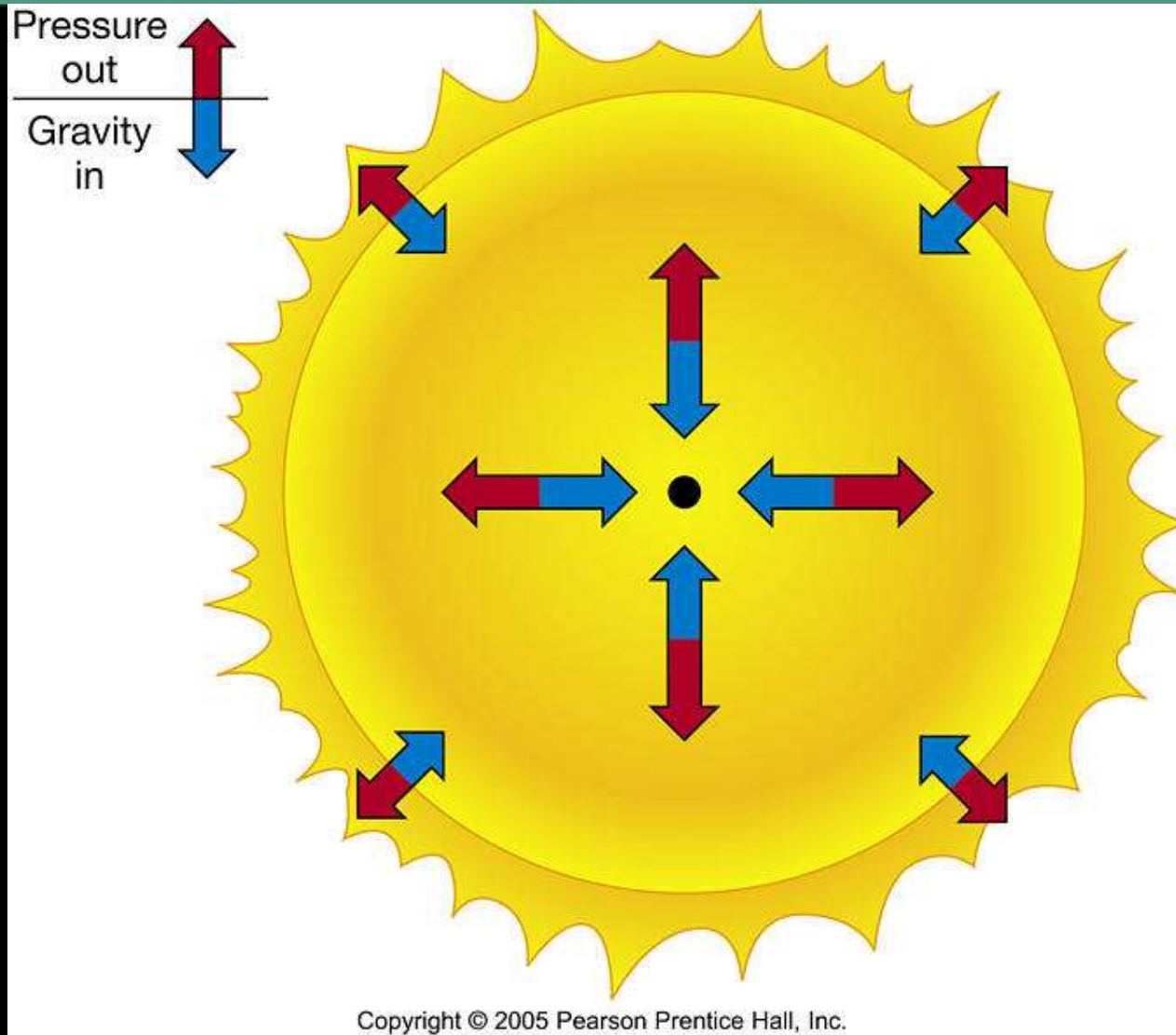


## 2. The Evolution of Stars (별의 진화)

### 2-1 Energy Generation (에너지 생성)



Hydrostatic equilibrium (정 유체역학적 평형)

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# Main Sequence (MS, 주계열성)

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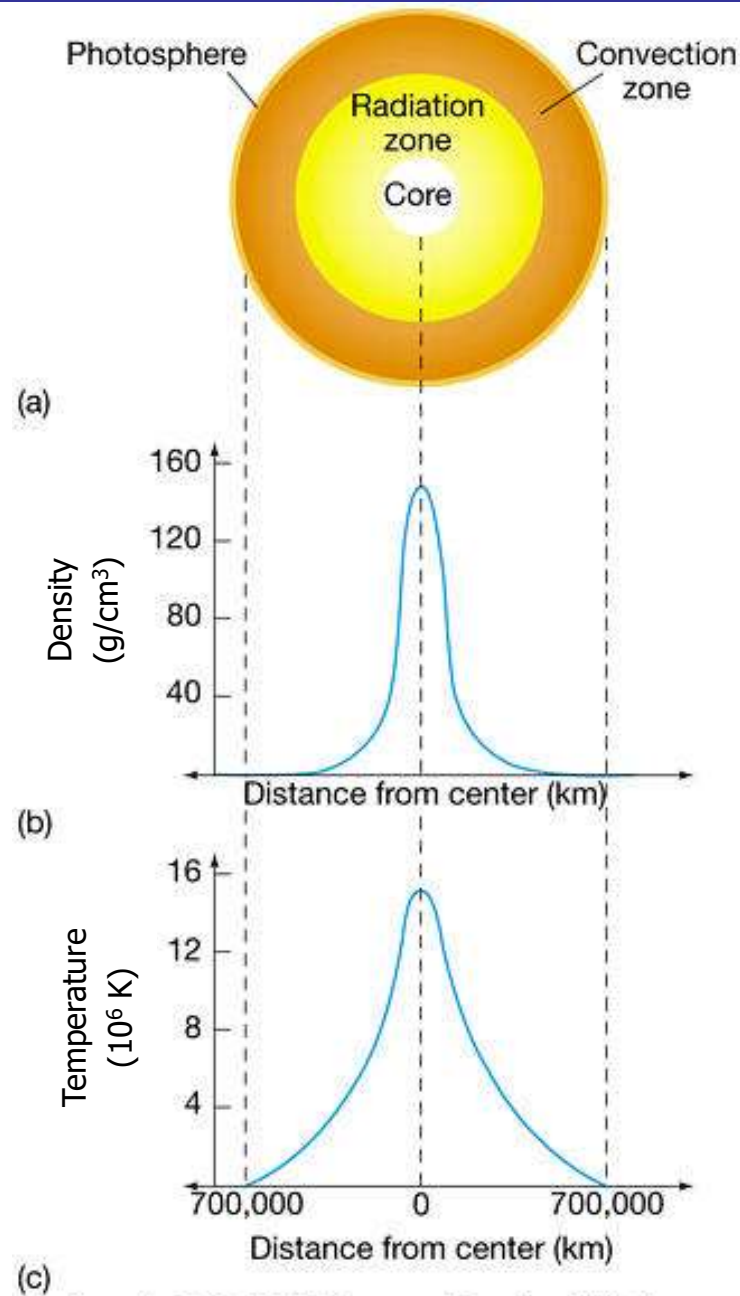
- Nuclear fusion (**proton-proton chain**, 양성자-양성자 연쇄반응) → energy generation and radiation
- Mass decreases slowly → almost constant luminosity (equilibrium between pressure and gravity)
- core : N(H) decreases, N(He) increases
- $M > 1.5 M_{\odot}$ ,  $T_{\text{center}} > 1.5 \times 10^7 \text{ K}$  → H burning by **CNO cycle** (탄소 순환반응)

## **Hydrostatic equilibrium (정 유체역학적 평형)**

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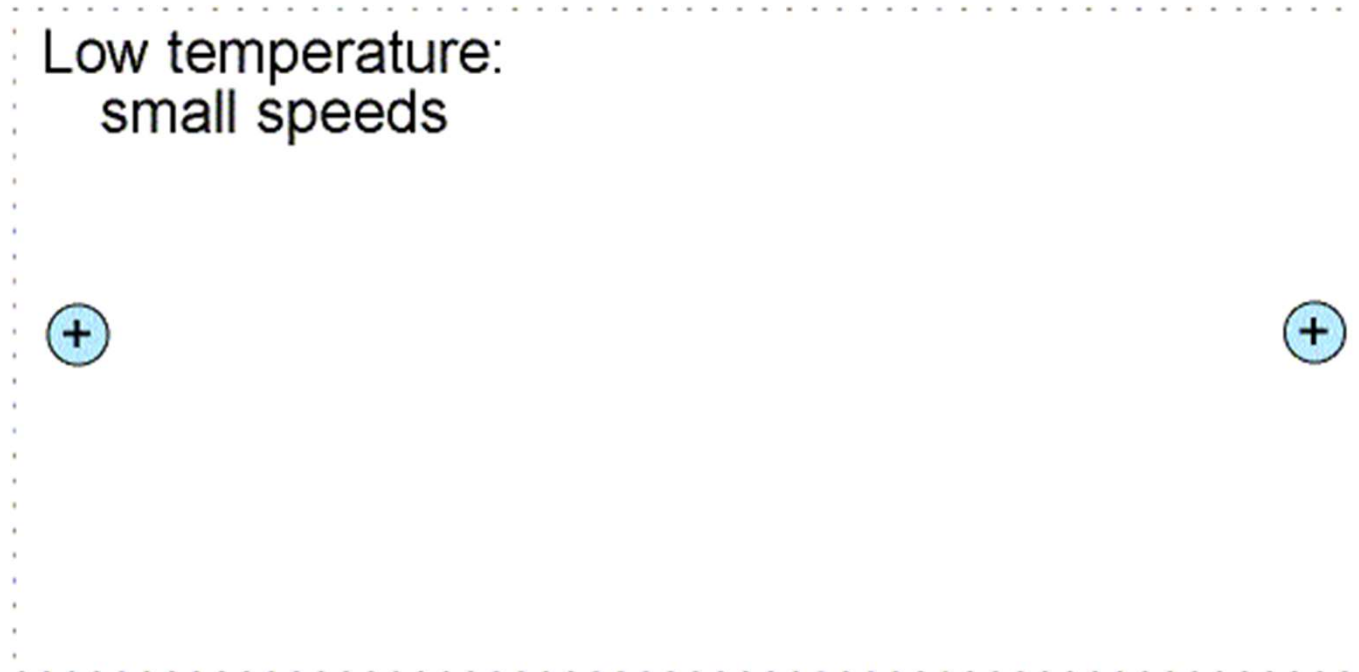
- If somehow core H-burning accelerates --> Core  $T \uparrow$ ,  $P \uparrow \rightarrow$  star expands
- Expansion makes  $T \downarrow \rightarrow$  H-burning decelerates
- Hydrostatic equilibrium makes H-burning speed keep  $\sim$ constant

# Interior structure of the Sun (태양의 내부 구조)



# Why H-burning occurs at the core - 1

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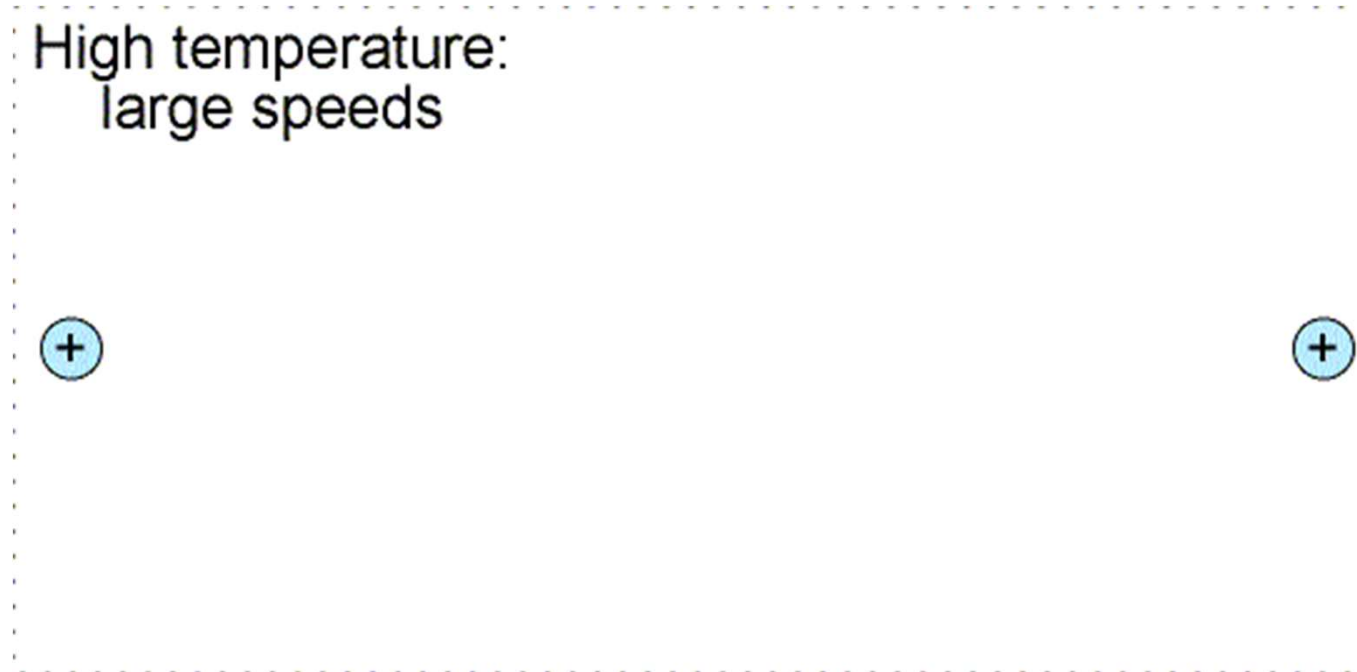


Low Temp, small speeds

→ Electrical repulsion > proton-proton fusion

## Why H-burning occurs at the core - 2

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High Temp, large speeds

→ Strong nuclear force (강한 핵력)

→ Nuclei fuse, **energy** released

# symbol

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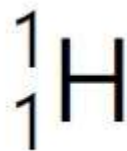
X : the chemical symbol of the element (e.g. : H, He, ...)

Z : the number of protons (the total positive charge, in units of e )

A : the mass number (the total number of nucleons, protons plus neutrons)

- $A = Z + N$   
(mass number = Z protons + N neutrons)

(e.g.)



# Energy from proton-proton chain

H atomic weight : 1.0078

4 H  $\rightarrow$  4.0312

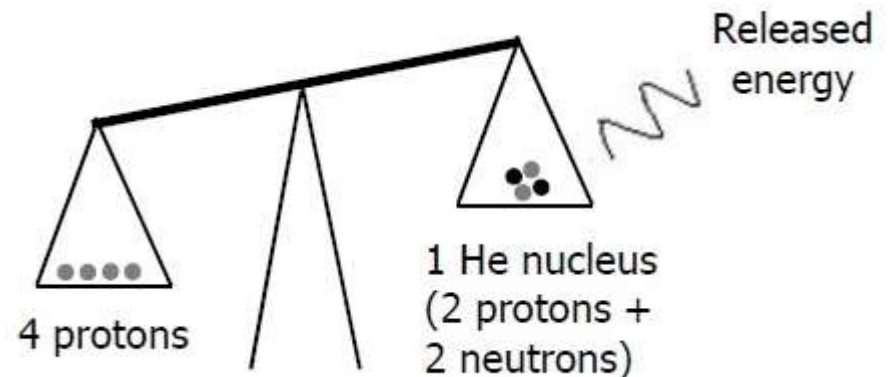
1 He  $\rightarrow$  4.0026

$\Delta m = 0.0286$  (mass deficit/defect, 질량 결손)

$E = mc^2$  (Einstein's equation for the equivalence of mass and energy)

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta m &= 4 \times m(p) - m(\text{He}) \\ &= (0.0286 \times 1.67 \times 10^{-24} \text{g}) \times (3 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm/s})^2 \\ &= 4.3 \times 10^{-5} \text{ erg} \\ &= 4.3 \times 10^{-12} \text{ J}\end{aligned}$$

1 Joule = 1 kg·m<sup>2</sup>/s<sup>2</sup>  
= 1 N·m  
= **10<sup>7</sup> erg**  
= 6.24 × 10<sup>18</sup> eV  
= 0.2390 cal  
= 2.78 × 10<sup>-7</sup> kW·h





# Energy from proton-proton chain

- Energy from coal 1 kg  $\sim 5000 \text{ kcal} = 2.1 \times 10^7 \text{ J}$
- Use H 1 kg to produce He
  - 0.993 kg He produces, 0.007 kg changes into E
  - $E = mc^2 = 7 \text{ g} \times (3 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm/s})^2 = 7 \times 9 \times 10^{20} \text{ g cm}^2/\text{s}^2$   
 $= 6.3 \times 10^{21} \text{ erg} = 6.3 \times 10^{14} \text{ J}$
  - same as E from  $3 \times 10^7 \text{ kg} = 30,000 \text{ tons of coal}$

Sun :  $4 \times 10^{38} \text{ protons/sec} = 6.68 \times 10^{14} \text{ g/sec}$  are consumed.  
 $2 \times 10^{38} \text{ neutrinos/sec}$  are generated.

Sun :  $1 L_{\odot} = 3.9 \times 10^{33} \text{ erg/s} = 3.9 \times 10^{26} \text{ J/s}$

# Energy from proton-proton chain

$$1 L_{\odot} = 3.9 \times 10^{33} \text{ erg/s} = 3.9 \times 10^{26} \text{ J/s}$$

= amount of electricity for all human beings can use for  $10^7$  years


Assuming :

Mankind populations =  $5 \times 10^9 \rightarrow 10^9$  families (assume 1 family = 5 members)

Monthly family electricity uses, home use : 200~250 kW·h

Let's assume  $\sim 1000$  kW·h/month including commercial use, etc

$$= 10^6 \text{ W} \times 3600 \text{ s/month} = 10^6 \text{ J/s} \times 3600 \text{ s/month} = 3.6 \times 10^9 \text{ J/month}$$


$$1 \text{ W} = 1 \text{ J/s}$$

Monthly mankind electricity uses  $\sim 3.6 \times 10^9 \text{ J} \times 10^9 \text{ families} = 3.6 \times 10^{18} \text{ J}$

$$\rightarrow \frac{3.9 \times 10^{26} \text{ J}}{3.6 \times 10^{18} \text{ J}} = 1.1 \times 10^8 \text{ months} = 9.2 \times 10^6 \text{ years} \sim 10^7 \text{ years}$$

# Energy from proton-proton chain

Atomic weight (원자량, 原子量) or relative atomic mass (상대 원자 질량) :

H  $\rightarrow$  1

$^{12}\text{C} \rightarrow 12$  ( $1.998467052 \times 10^{-23}$  g) (since 1962),

then H  $\rightarrow$  1.0078

He  $\rightarrow$  4.0026

$\alpha$ -ray,  $\alpha$ -particle : He nucleus

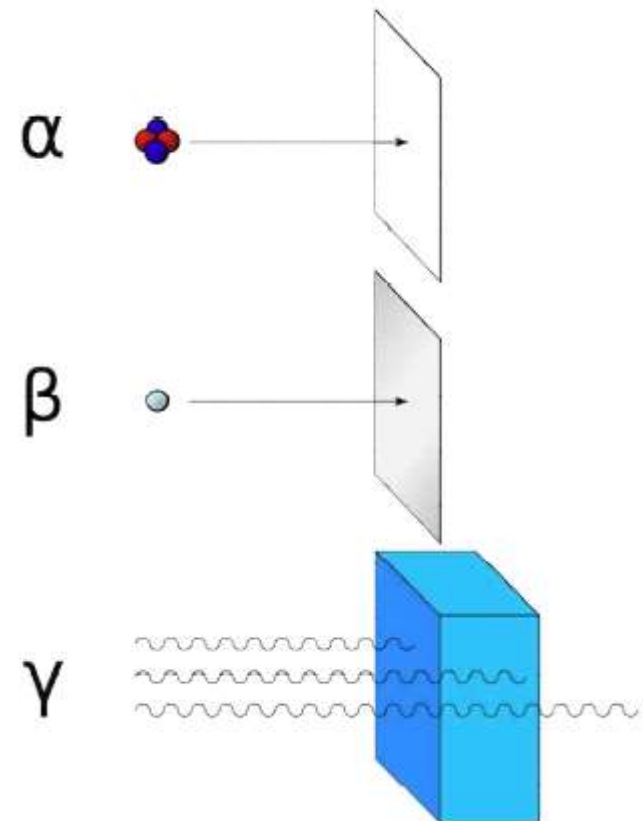
$\rightarrow$  cannot penetrate a paper

$\beta$ -ray : electron

$\rightarrow$  cannot penetrate aluminum

$\gamma$ -ray : high-energy photon

$\rightarrow$  absorbed by dense materials (water, lead)



## $\beta$ (beta)-decay

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$$\beta^- \text{ decay} : n \rightarrow p + \beta^- + \bar{\nu}_e$$

※  $\beta^- = e^-$  (electron)

$$\beta^+ \text{ decay} : p \rightarrow n + \beta^+ + \nu_e$$

※  $\beta^+ = e^+$  (positron)

$$\text{inverse-}\beta \text{ decay} : p^+ + e^- \rightarrow n + \nu$$

(IBD)

# Periodic Table of the Elements

Periodic Table of the Elements																	
<div>Atomic Number</div> <div>Symbol</div> <div>Name</div> <div>Atomic Mass</div>																	
1 <b>H</b> Hydrogen 1.01																	2 <b>He</b> Helium 4.00
3 <b>Li</b> Lithium 6.94	4 <b>Be</b> Beryllium 9.01											5 <b>B</b> Boron 10.81	6 <b>C</b> Carbon 12.01	7 <b>N</b> Nitrogen 14.01	8 <b>O</b> Oxygen 16.00	9 <b>F</b> Fluorine 19.00	10 <b>Ne</b> Neon 20.18
11 <b>Na</b> Sodium 22.99	12 <b>Mg</b> Magnesium 24.31											13 <b>Al</b> Aluminum 26.98	14 <b>Si</b> Silicon 28.09	15 <b>P</b> Phosphorus 30.97	16 <b>S</b> Sulfur 32.06	17 <b>Cl</b> Chlorine 35.45	18 <b>Ar</b> Argon 39.95
19 <b>K</b> Potassium 39.10	20 <b>Ca</b> Calcium 40.08	21 <b>Sc</b> Scandium 44.96	22 <b>Ti</b> Titanium 47.88	23 <b>V</b> Vanadium 50.94	24 <b>Cr</b> Chromium 51.99	25 <b>Mn</b> Manganese 54.94	26 <b>Fe</b> Iron 55.85	27 <b>Co</b> Cobalt 58.93	28 <b>Ni</b> Nickel 58.69	29 <b>Cu</b> Copper 63.55	30 <b>Zn</b> Zinc 65.38	31 <b>Ga</b> Gallium 69.72	32 <b>Ge</b> Germanium 72.63	33 <b>As</b> Arsenic 74.92	34 <b>Se</b> Selenium 78.97	35 <b>Br</b> Bromine 79.90	36 <b>Kr</b> Krypton 84.80
37 <b>Rb</b> Rubidium 85.47	38 <b>Sr</b> Strontium 87.62	39 <b>Y</b> Yttrium 88.91	40 <b>Zr</b> Zirconium 91.22	41 <b>Nb</b> Niobium 92.91	42 <b>Mo</b> Molybdenum 95.95	43 <b>Tc</b> Technetium 98.91	44 <b>Ru</b> Ruthenium 101.07	45 <b>Rh</b> Rhodium 102.91	46 <b>Pd</b> Palladium 106.42	47 <b>Ag</b> Silver 107.87	48 <b>Cd</b> Cadmium 112.41	49 <b>In</b> Indium 114.82	50 <b>Sn</b> Tin 118.71	51 <b>Sb</b> Antimony 121.76	52 <b>Te</b> Tellurium 127.6	53 <b>I</b> Iodine 126.90	54 <b>Xe</b> Xenon 131.29
55 <b>Cs</b> Cesium 132.91	56 <b>Ba</b> Barium 137.33	57-71 Lanthanides	72 <b>Hf</b> Hafnium 178.49	73 <b>Ta</b> Tantalum 180.95	74 <b>W</b> Tungsten 183.85	75 <b>Re</b> Rhenium 186.21	76 <b>Os</b> Osmium 190.23	77 <b>Ir</b> Iridium 192.22	78 <b>Pt</b> Platinum 195.08	79 <b>Au</b> Gold 196.97	80 <b>Hg</b> Mercury 200.59	81 <b>Tl</b> Thallium 204.38	82 <b>Pb</b> Lead 207.20	83 <b>Bi</b> Bismuth 208.98	84 <b>Po</b> Polonium [208.98]	85 <b>At</b> Astatine 209.98	86 <b>Rn</b> Radon 222.02
87 <b>Fr</b> Francium 223.02	88 <b>Ra</b> Radium 226.03	89-103 Actinides	104 <b>Rf</b> Rutherfordium [261]	105 <b>Db</b> Dubnium [262]	106 <b>Sg</b> Seaborgium [266]	107 <b>Bh</b> Bohrium [264]	108 <b>Hs</b> Hassium [269]	109 <b>Mt</b> Meitnerium [278]	110 <b>Ds</b> Darmstadtium [281]	111 <b>Rg</b> Roentgenium [280]	112 <b>Cn</b> Copernicium [285]	113 <b>Nh</b> Nihonium [286]	114 <b>Fl</b> Flerovium [289]	115 <b>Mc</b> Moscovium [289]	116 <b>Lv</b> Livermorium [293]	117 <b>Ts</b> Tennessine [294]	118 <b>Og</b> Oganesson [294]
57 <b>La</b> Lanthanum 138.91	58 <b>Ce</b> Cerium 140.12	59 <b>Pr</b> Praseodymium 140.91	60 <b>Nd</b> Neodymium 144.24	61 <b>Pm</b> Promethium 144.91	62 <b>Sm</b> Samarium 150.36	63 <b>Eu</b> Europium 151.96	64 <b>Gd</b> Gadolinium 157.25	65 <b>Tb</b> Terbium 158.93	66 <b>Dy</b> Dysprosium 162.50	67 <b>Ho</b> Holmium 164.93	68 <b>Er</b> Erbium 167.26	69 <b>Tm</b> Thulium 168.93	70 <b>Yb</b> Ytterbium 173.06	71 <b>Lu</b> Lutetium 174.97			
89 <b>Ac</b> Actinium 227.03	90 <b>Th</b> Thorium 232.04	91 <b>Pa</b> Protactinium 231.04	92 <b>U</b> Uranium 238.03	93 <b>Np</b> Neptunium 237.05	94 <b>Pu</b> Plutonium 244.06	95 <b>Am</b> Americium 243.06	96 <b>Cm</b> Curium 247.07	97 <b>Bk</b> Berkelium 247.07	98 <b>Cf</b> Californium 251.08	99 <b>Es</b> Einsteinium [254]	100 <b>Fm</b> Fermium 257.10	101 <b>Md</b> Mendelevium 258.10	102 <b>No</b> Nobelium 259.10	103 <b>Lr</b> Lawrencium [262]			

Alkali Metal   Alkaline Earth   Transition Metal   Basic Metal   Metalloid   Nonmetal   Halogen   Noble Gas   Lanthanide   Actinide

# Energy generation rate

- H atomic weight : 1.0078

$$4 \text{ H} \rightarrow 4.0312$$

$$1 \text{ He} \rightarrow 4.0026$$

$$\Delta m = 0.0286$$

- $0.0286/4.0312 = 0.0071 \rightarrow 0.71\%$

- Only H in the core  $\rightarrow$  T, P high enough to permit nuclear reactions  $\rightarrow \sim 10\%$  of the mass of the Sun is available for energy conversion
- Thermonuclear energy available in the Sun :

$$\begin{aligned}
 E_{\text{Total}} = mc^2 &= \left( \frac{4^1\text{H} - ^4\text{He}}{4^1\text{H}} \times 0.1 M_{\odot} \right) \times (c^2) \\
 &= 0.0071 \times (1.99 \times 10^{32} \text{ g}) \times (3 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm/s})^2 \\
 &\approx 10^{51} \text{ g} \cdot \text{cm}^2/\text{s}^2 \\
 &\approx 10^{51} \text{ erg} \\
 &\approx 10^{44} \text{ J}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 1 \text{ Joule} &= 1 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{s}^2 \\
 &= 1 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m} \\
 &= 10^7 \text{ erg} \\
 &= 6.24 \times 10^{18} \text{ eV} \\
 &= 0.2390 \text{ cal} \\
 &= 2.78 \times 10^{-7} \text{ kW} \cdot \text{h}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$L_{\odot} = 3.90 \times 10^{33} \text{ erg/s} = 3.90 \times 10^{26} \text{ J/s}$$

$$\rightarrow E/L_{\odot} = \text{Solar lifetime} = 8.11 \times 10^9 \text{ yr} \sim 10 \text{ Gyr}$$



# Energy generation rate

※ **AGN** → efficiency of conversion from mass to energy  $\sim 10\%$  ( $\eta=0.1$ )  
 (see, e.g., Fabian & Rees 1995, MNRAS, 277, L55,  
[http://phys.huji.ac.il/~joaw/winterschool/heckman\\_1.pdf](http://phys.huji.ac.il/~joaw/winterschool/heckman_1.pdf))

※ **Gravitational wave** (e.g, by merging of two identical black holes) → conversion efficiency  $\sim 30\%$  ( $\eta \sim 0.3$ )  
 (『Black Hole Physics』 1991, Edited by Vanzo de Sabbata, Zhenjiu Zhang, NATO ASI Series, Vol. 364, p. 139)

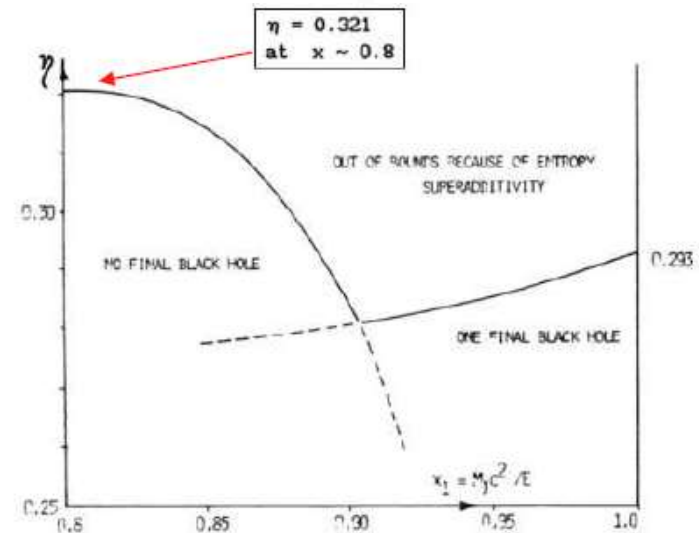
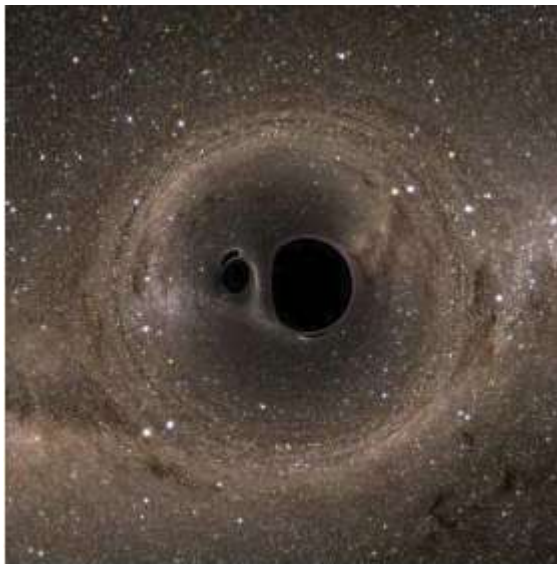


Figure 8. The maximum possible efficiency of gravitational wave energy production by the merging of two identical Schwarzschild black holes. The curves intersect at  $x_1 \sim 0.903$ ,  $\eta \sim 0.281$ .



<http://news.nationalgeographic.com/2016/02/160211-gravitational-waves-found-spacetime-science/>



<http://www.universetoday.com/127329/gravitational-wave-sources/>

# Energy generation rate

MS Lifetime :  $\tau = 10^{10}(M/L)$  yr

(M=stellar mass, L=stellar luminosity)

※ Mass-Luminosity Relation :

$$L/L_{\odot} = (M/M_{\odot})^4 \quad \text{for } M > 0.4M_{\odot}$$

$$L/L_{\odot} = (M/M_{\odot})^{2.3} \quad \text{for } M < 0.4M_{\odot}$$

→  $\tau = 10^{10} (M/M_{\odot})^4$  yr =  $10^{10} / [M(M_{\odot})]^3$  yr

1  $M_{\odot}$  →  $10^{10}$  yr

10  $M_{\odot}$  →  $10^7$  yr

**O stars** (the most massive stars) → **a million** years

"we are seeing some O stars!" = SF is still occurring in the MW

## Main-sequence Lifetimes

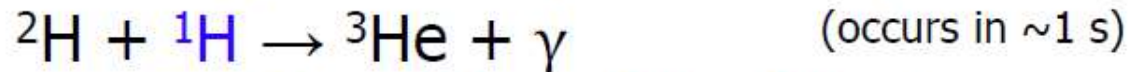
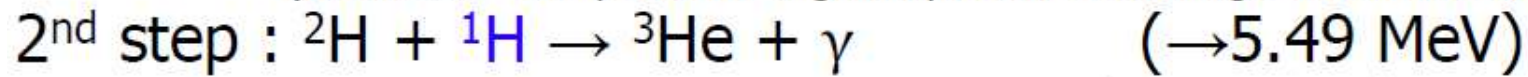
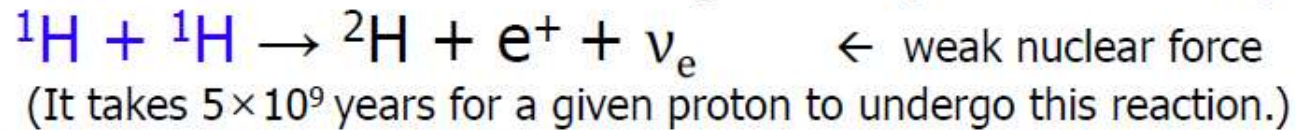
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Mass ( $M_{\odot}$ )	Effective Temperature (K)	Spectral Class	Luminosity ( $L_{\odot}$ )	MS Lifetime ( $10^6$ yr)
25	35,000	O	80,000	3
15	30,000	B	10,000	15
3	11,000	A	60	500
1.5	7000	F	5	3000
1.0	6000	G	1	10,000
0.75	5000	K	0.5	15,000
0.50	4000	M	0.03	200,000

[http://ircamera.as.arizona.edu/astr\\_250/Lectures/Lecture\\_20.htm](http://ircamera.as.arizona.edu/astr_250/Lectures/Lecture_20.htm)



# Proton-proton (PP) fusion chain process



$\leftarrow$  strong nuclear force

(It takes  $\sim 3 \times 10^5$  years.)

${}^1\text{H} = \text{p}$  : proton

${}^2\text{H}$  : deuterium (중수소) =  $\text{p} + \text{n}$

$\text{e}^+$  : positron ( $\text{e}^-$ 의 반물질 antimatter, same mass,  
positive charge)

$\nu$  : neutrino (energy, spin, very small mass)

$\nu_e$  : electron neutrino

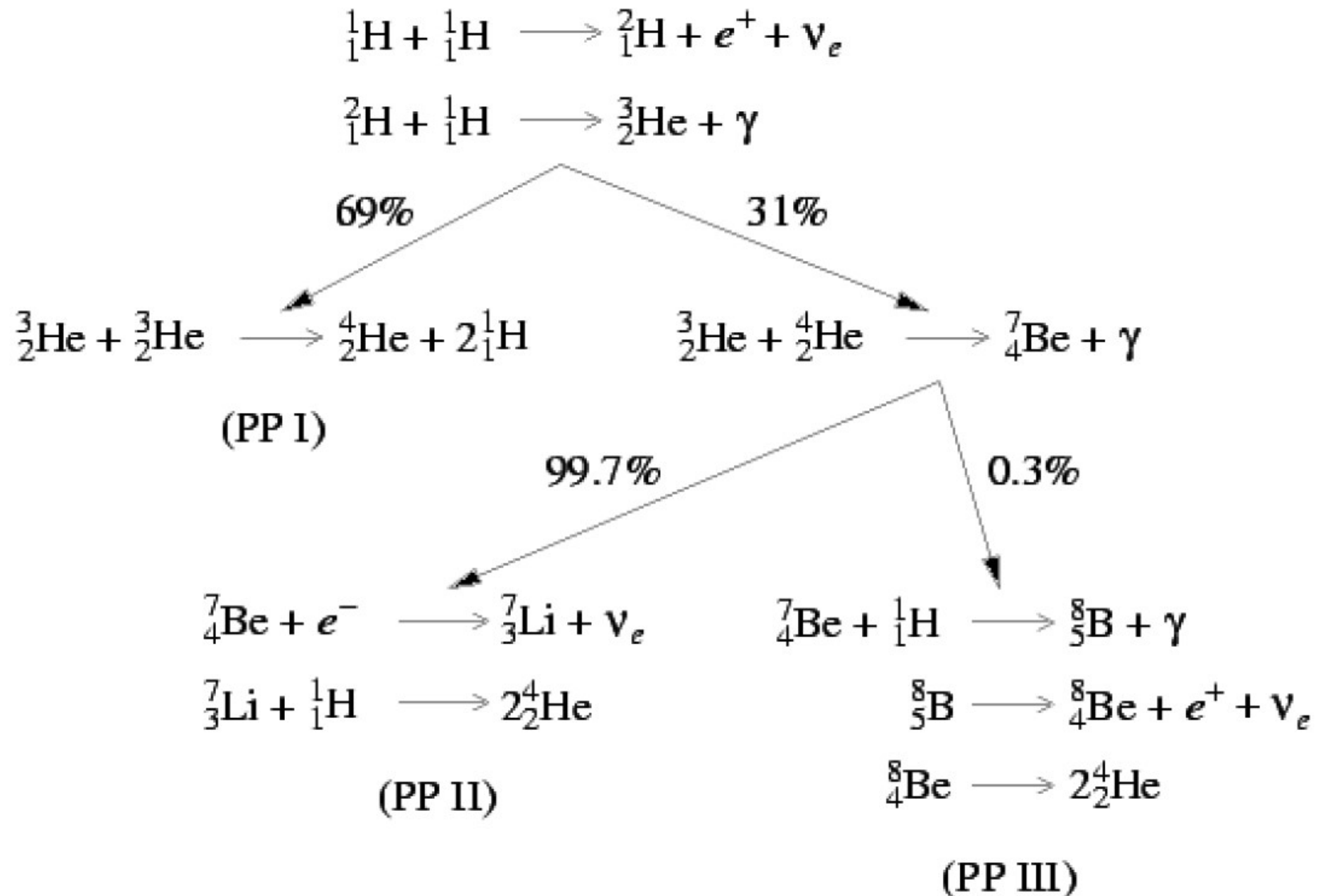
${}^3\text{He}$  : helium-3 nucleus =  $2\text{p} + 1\text{n}$

$\gamma$  : photon

${}^4\text{He}$  : helium-4 nucleus =  $2\text{p} + 2\text{n}$

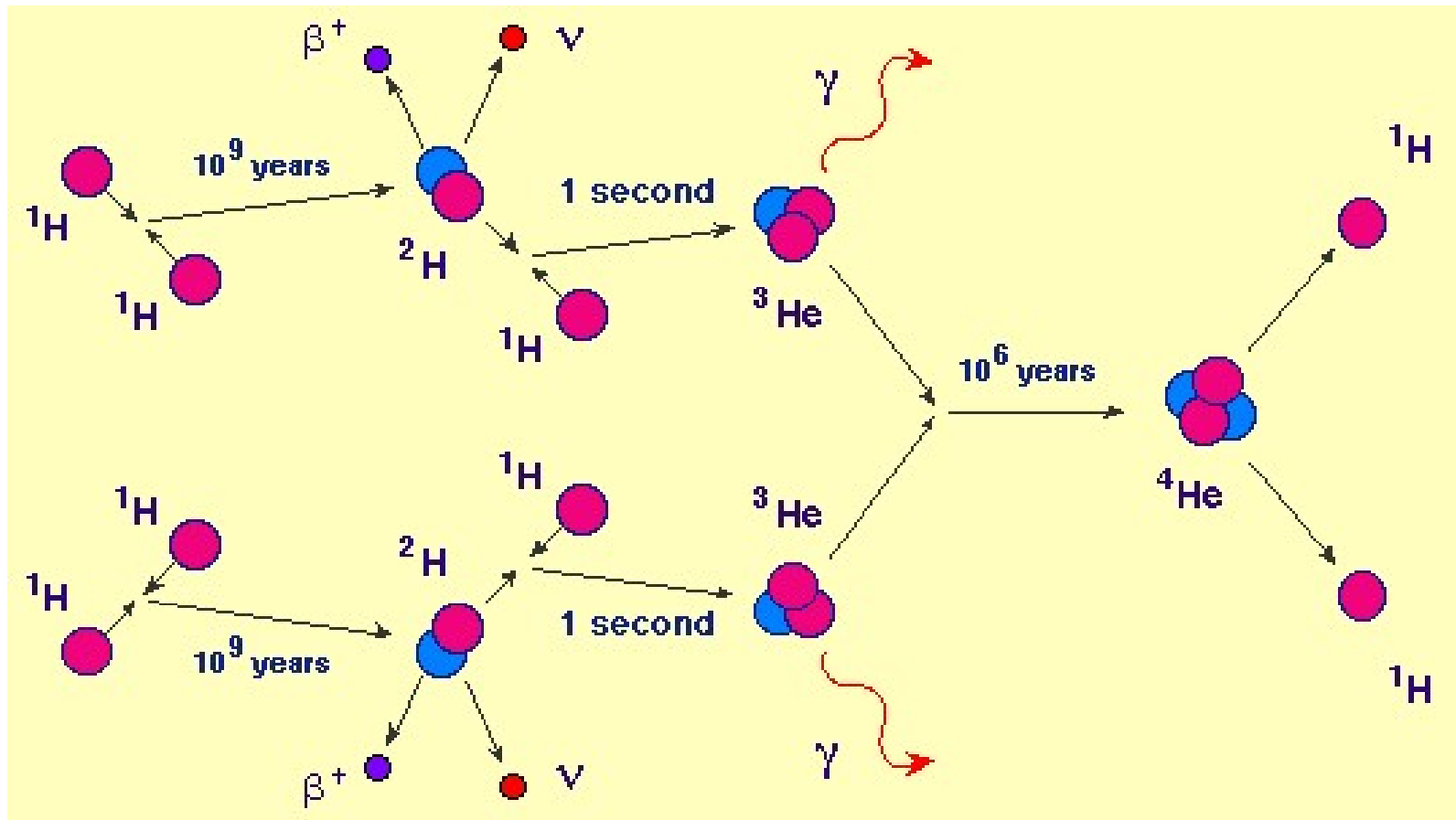
$\rightarrow 91\%$  of the time in the Sun

# Proton-proton (PP) fusion chain process



# Why this complicated process?

- Direct collision of 4 H atoms to produce He  $\rightarrow$  probability is very low
- Relatively, 2-body collision is more often !



# proton-proton (PP) fusion chain process

Proton-proton fusion chain process



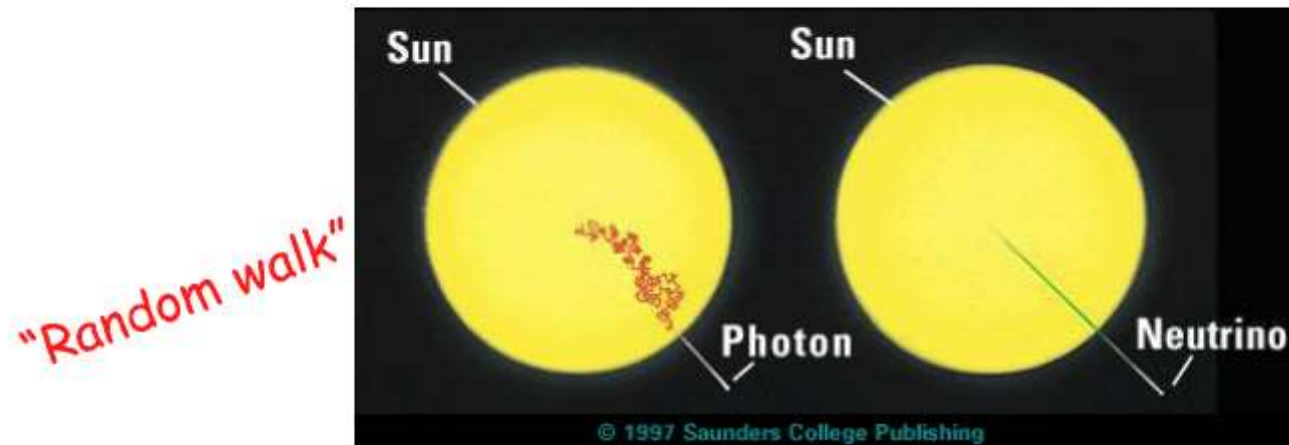
1st step: In two separate reactions, 2 protons in each reaction fuse

- 1<sup>st</sup> step :  $p + p \rightarrow \beta^+ + \nu + {}^2\text{H}$
- 2<sup>nd</sup> step :  ${}^2\text{H} + p \rightarrow {}^3\text{He} + \gamma$
- 3<sup>rd</sup> step :  ${}^3\text{He} + {}^3\text{He} \rightarrow {}^4\text{He} + p + p$

# Photon, neutrino – escape from the Sun

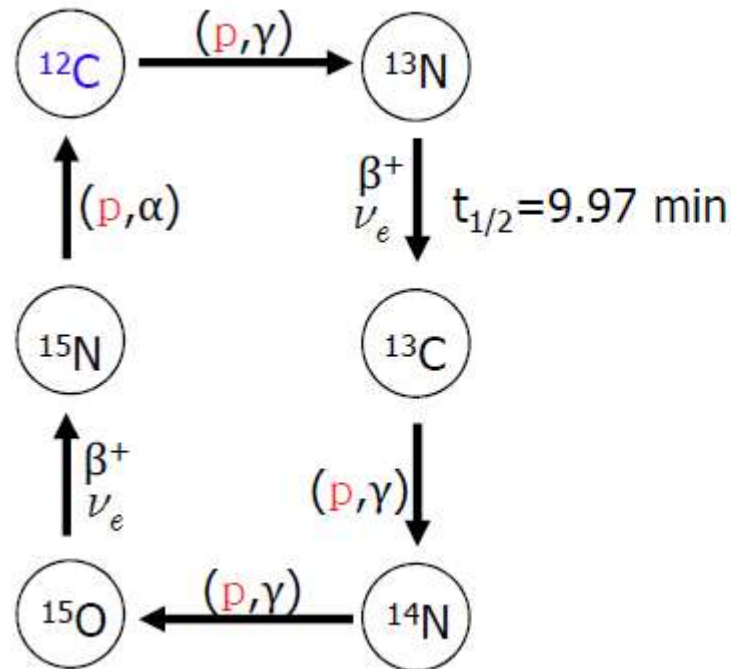
Photon and neutrino – **travel times** out of the center of the Sun

$10^4 - 10^5$  yr      2 sec



# CNO Cycle

- Carbon = catalyst : a substance that causes a chemical reaction to happen more quickly, while the substance not consumed and remain unchanged
- 촉매(觸媒) : 반응과정에서 소모되거나 변화되지 않으면서 반응속도를 빠르거나 느리게 변화시키는 물질

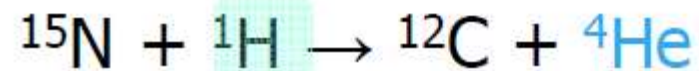
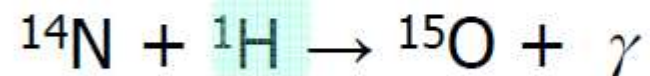
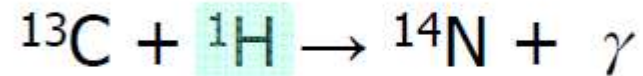
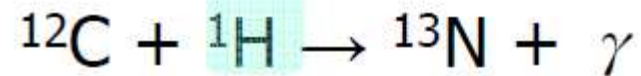


$\beta^+$  decay :  $p \rightarrow n + \beta^+ + \nu_e$   
 $\times \beta^+ = e^+$  (positron)

- Start :  $\text{C} + \text{p}$
- At high-temp stars :  $T > 1.6 \times 10^7 \text{ K}$ ,  $M > 1.1 M_{\odot}$

## CNO cycle process

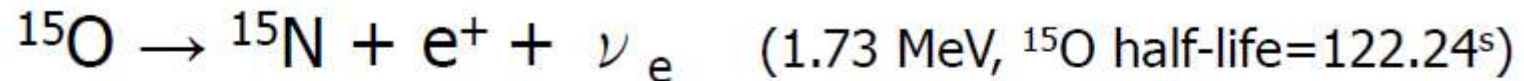
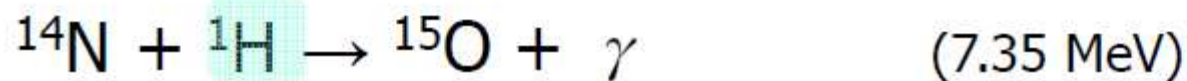
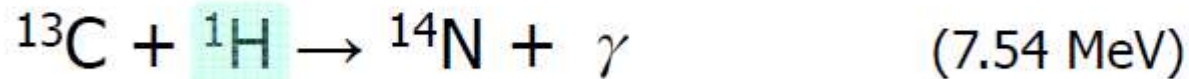
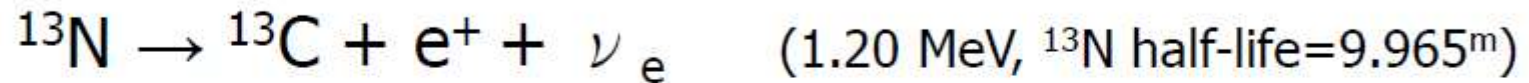
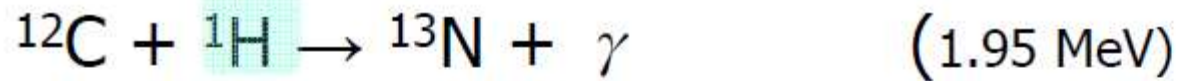
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## CNO cycle process

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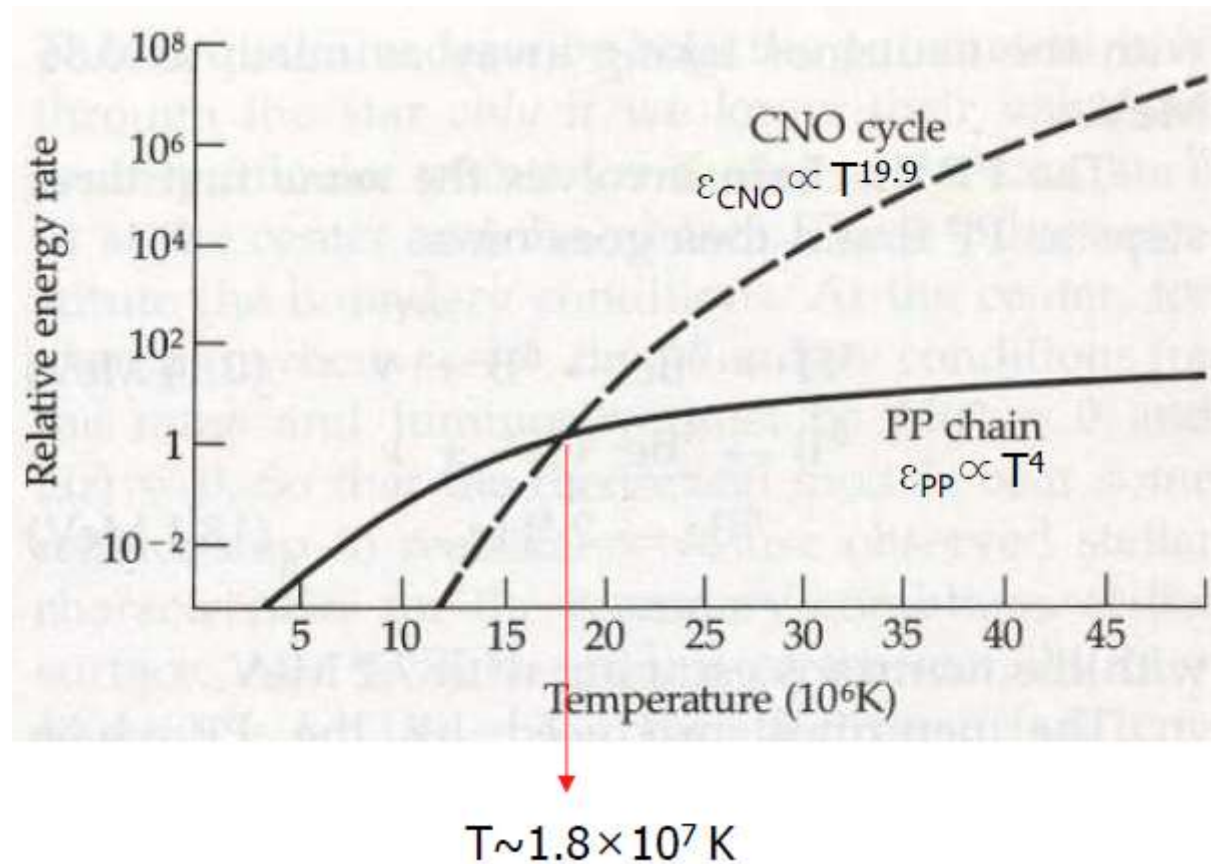
※ 2 positrons annihilate with 2 ambient electrons → produce 2.04 MeV

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Total 24.73 + 2.04 = 26.73 MeV



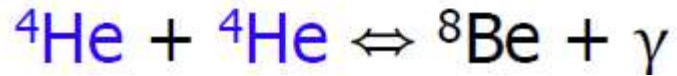
# Energy-generation rates



# Triple-alpha ( $3\alpha$ ) process

Nucleosynthesis using **He** :

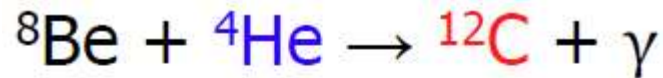
$T \geq 10^8 \text{ K}$ ,  $\rho \geq 10^5 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$  : He  $\rightarrow$  heavier elements



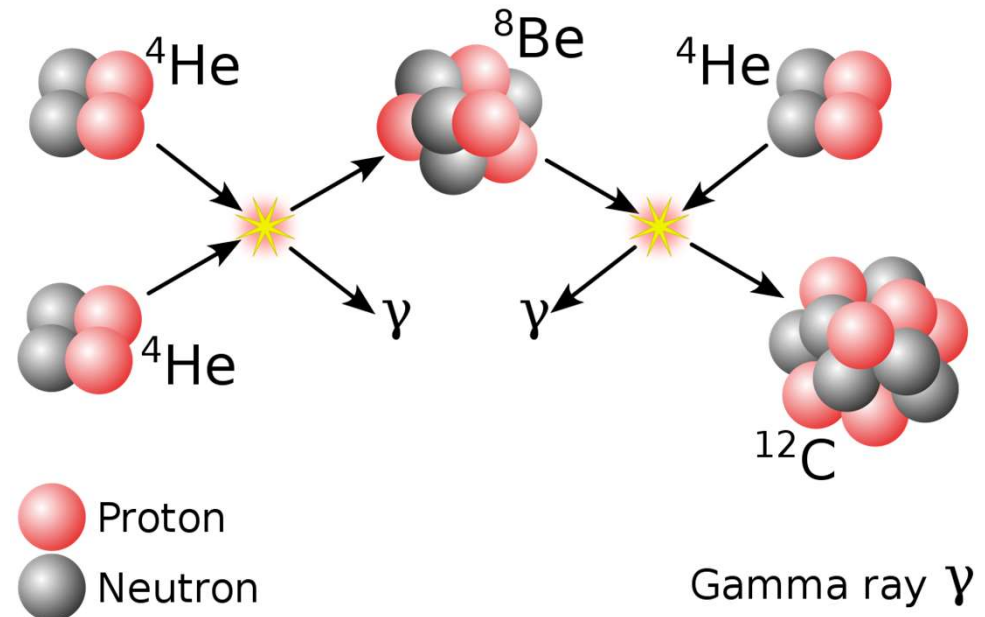
※  ${}^8\text{Be}$  lifetime  $\sim 2.6 \times 10^{-16} \text{ s}$

> mean collision (scattering) time of  $\alpha$ -particle ( $T_{\text{scattering}}$ )

Huge amount of He,  $n({}^8\text{Be}) : n({}^4\text{He}) = 1 : 10^9$

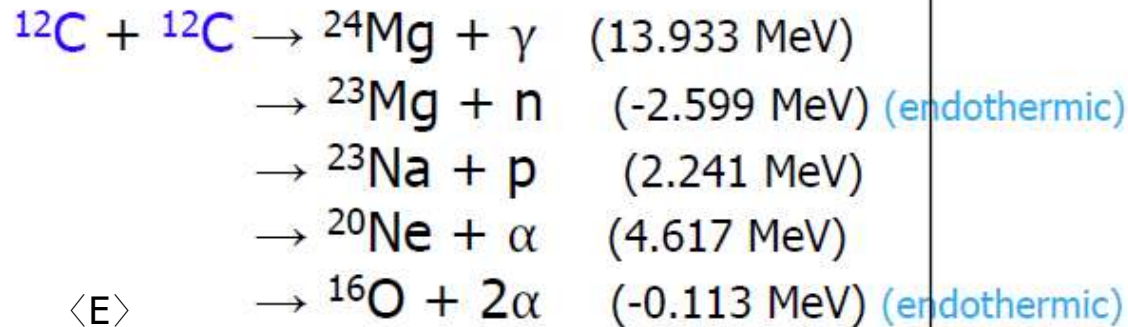


↑  
"Triple-  $\alpha$  process"



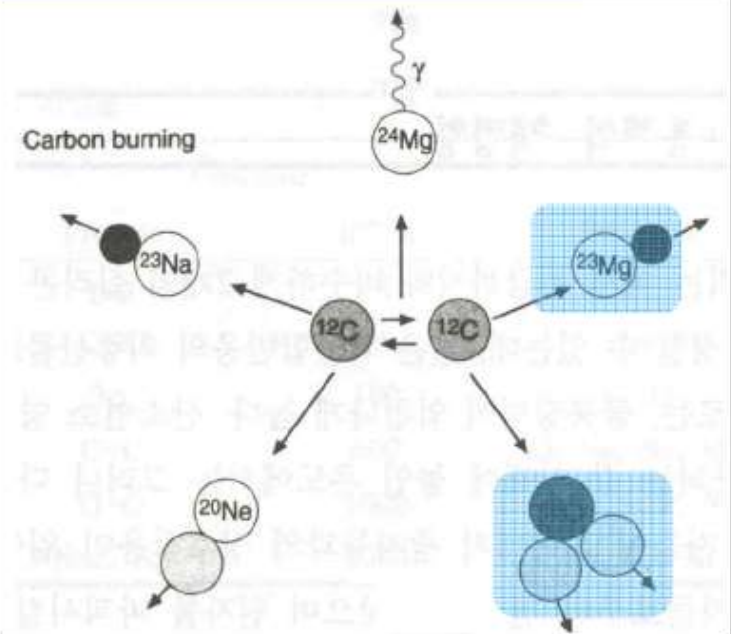
# C, O-burning

$T \geq 5 \times 10^8 \text{ K} \rightarrow \text{C-burning}$

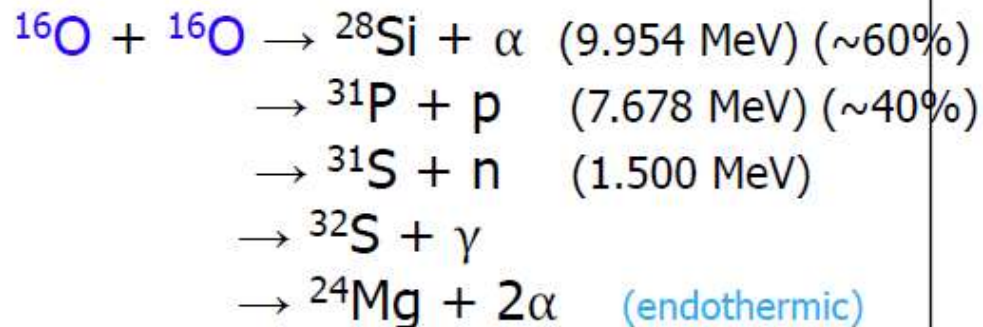


평균 방출에너지  $\approx 13 \text{ MeV}$

$\sim 5.2 \times 10^{13} \text{ J/kg} = 5.2 \times 10^{17} \text{ erg/g}$

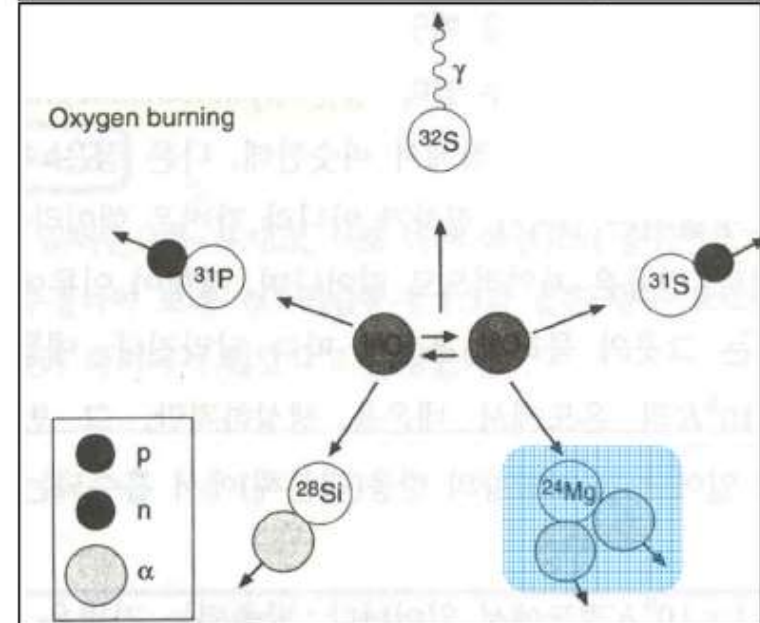


$T \geq 1 \times 10^9 \text{ K} \rightarrow \text{O-burning}$



평균 방출에너지  $\approx 16 \text{ MeV}$

$\sim 4.8 \times 10^{13} \text{ J/kg} = 4.8 \times 10^{17} \text{ erg/g}$



# Si-burning

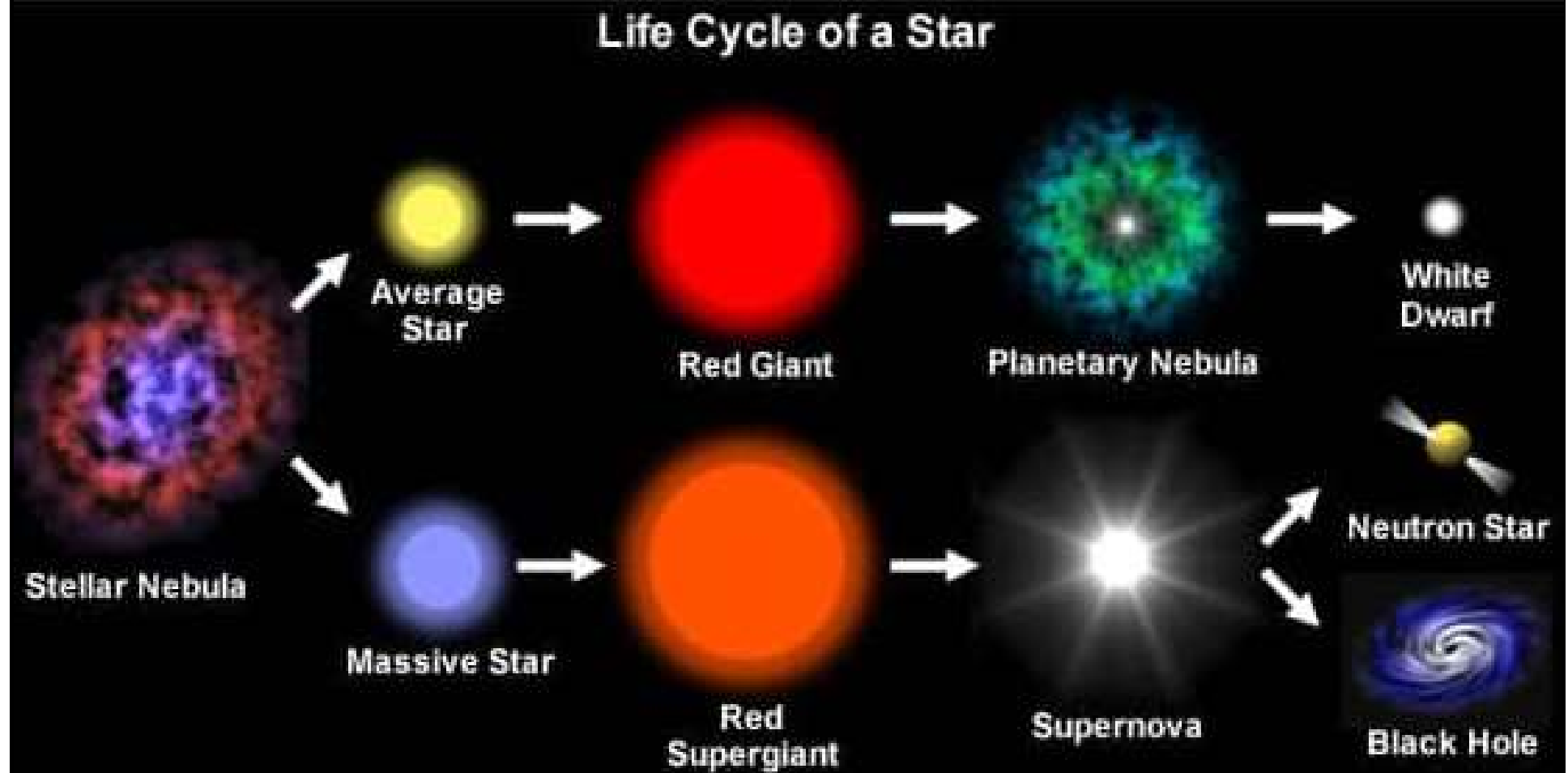
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- After O-burning, core = Si + S
- $T \sim (2.7-3.5) \times 10^9 \text{ K}$  (depends on mass)
- Duration  $\sim 2$  weeks
- No further fusion is possible.



## 2. The Evolution of Stars (별의 진화)

### 2-2 Stellar Evolution (항성 진화)



# Sun + Star

Solar surface composition :  
 $X=0.73, Y=0.25, Z=0.02$

Star = atmosphere + interior

Optical depth < 1

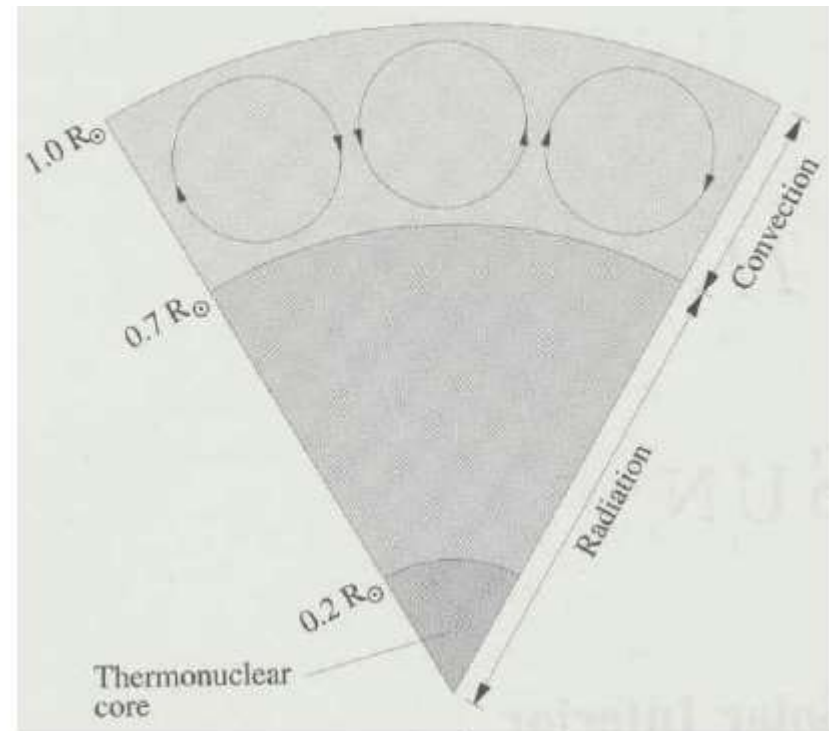
Optical depth > 1  
 nuclear reaction

※ Optical depth,  $\tau_\lambda$  :  $d\tau_\lambda = -\kappa_\lambda \rho ds$

$\tau_\lambda \gg 1$  : optically thick

$\tau_\lambda \ll 1$  : optically thin

※  $\kappa_\lambda$  : absorption coefficient (opacity)



Sun's interior



## ※ Mass fractions

Mass ratios (rather than numbers of particles)

Mass fractions of hydrogen :  $X \equiv \frac{\text{total mass of hydrogen}}{\text{total mass of gas}}$

Mass fractions of helium :  $Y \equiv \frac{\text{total mass of helium}}{\text{total mass of gas}}$

Mass fractions of metals :  $Z \equiv \frac{\text{total mass of metals}}{\text{total mass of gas}}$

$$X + Y + Z = 1$$

For stars, usually,  $X \sim 0.7$ ,  $0 < Z < 0.03$

$$[\text{Fe}/\text{H}] = \log \frac{(\text{Fe}/\text{H})_*}{(\text{Fe}/\text{H})_{\odot}} = \log (\text{Fe}/\text{H})_* - \log (\text{Fe}/\text{H})_{\odot}$$

$$\log Z = 0.977[\text{Fe}/\text{H}] - 1.699$$

$$[\text{Fe}/\text{H}] = 1.024 \log Z + 1.739$$

$$(\text{e.g.}) \quad -2.2 < [\text{Fe}/\text{H}] < -0.7 \text{ dex}$$

An Introduction to Modern Astrophysics (2<sup>nd</sup> edition) Bradley W. Carroll & Dale A. Ostlie, (1996) p. 325

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Metallicity>

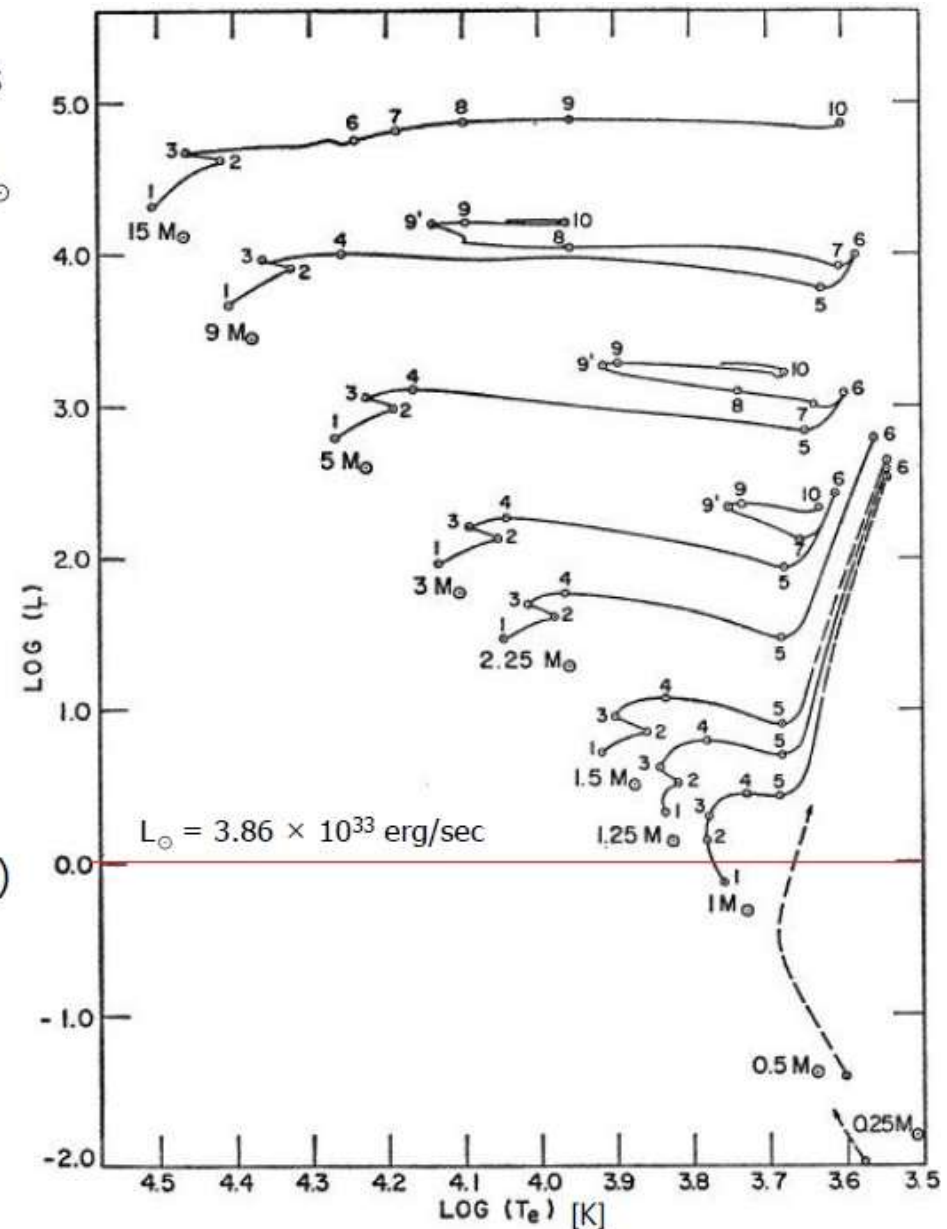
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Bertelli et al. 1994, A&AS, 106, 275 - Theoretical isochrones from models with new radiative opacities

# Post-MS Stellar Evolution

Hertzsprung-Russell Diagram of Metal-rich stars  
( $X=0.708$ ,  $Y=0.272$ ,  $Z=0.020$ )  
 $M = 15, 9, 5, 3, 2.25, 1.5, 1, 0.5, 0.25 M_{\odot}$   
Dashed lines : estimates

- Sun's L, R, T : increased steadily since it reached the zero-age main sequence (ZAMS) ~4.5 Gyr ago



Iben (1967, ARA&A, 5, 571) Fig 3



# Solar Evolution

Sun's center, during its lifetime :

X : 0.71 → 0.34

Y : 0.27 → 0.64

changing the composition and structure

The change in the Sun's **central composition**  
→ direct influence on observable L,  $T_{\text{eff}}$  and R

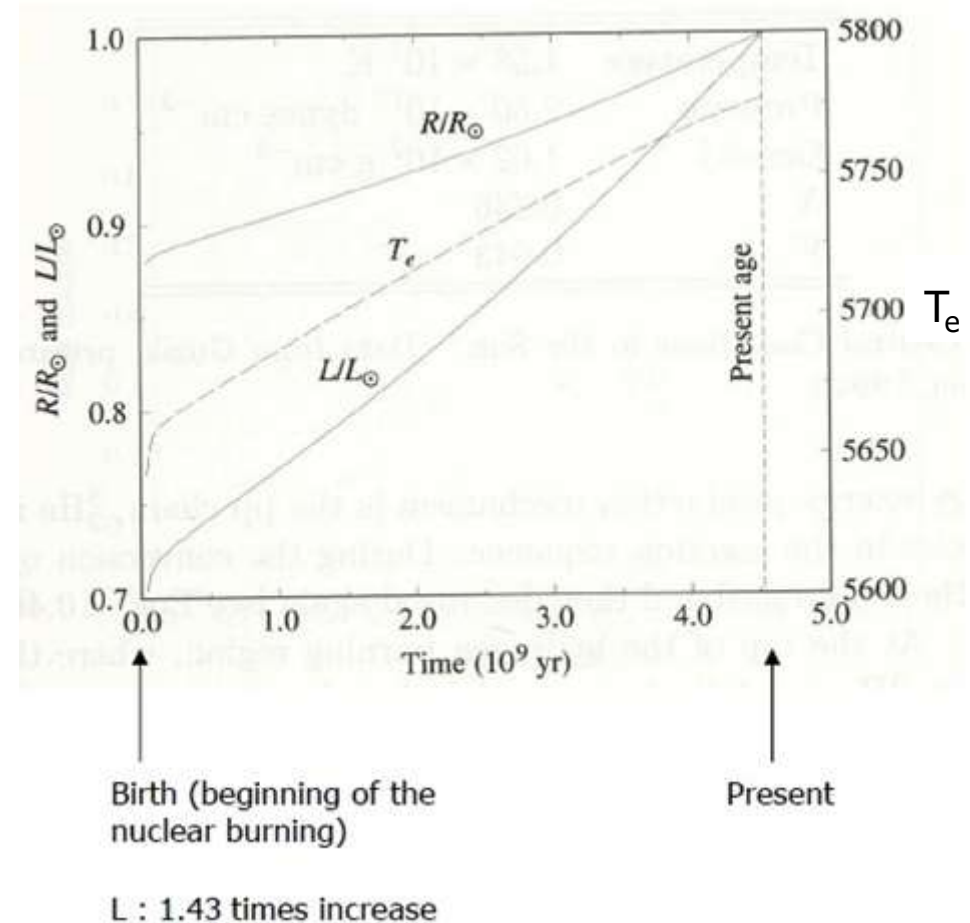
L increased by 40%

R increased by > 10%

※ Physical parameters of the Solar center  
(standard solar model of Joyce Guzik)

Central conditions in the Sun

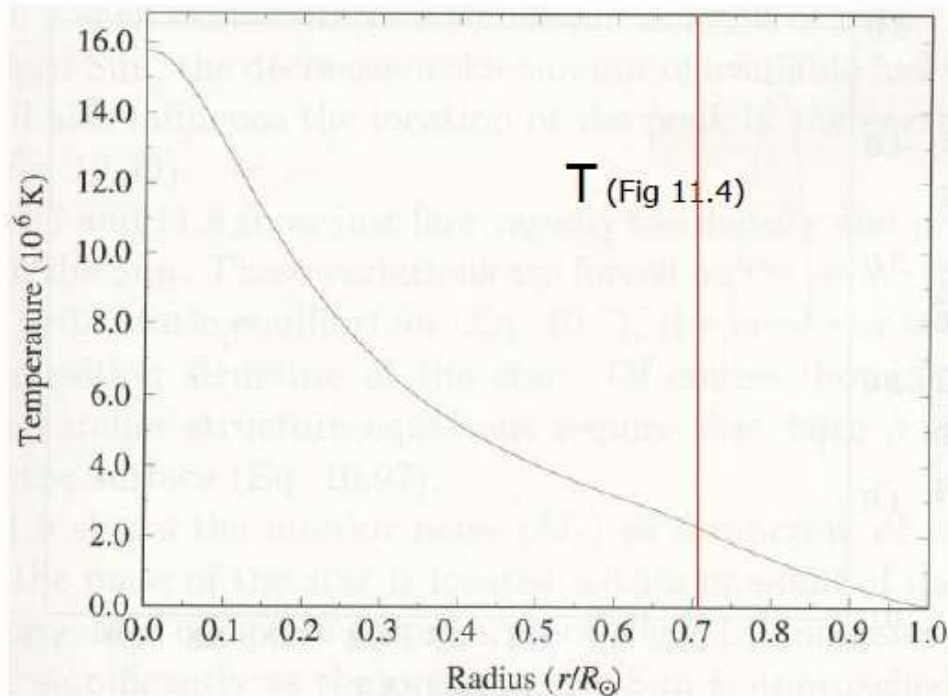
$T_C$	<b>(1.56~) <math>1.58 \times 10^7</math> K</b>
$P_C$	$2.50 \times 10^{17}$ dyne/cm <sup>2</sup>
$\rho_C$	162 (150-160) g/cm <sup>3</sup>
$X_C$	0.336
$Y_C$	0.643



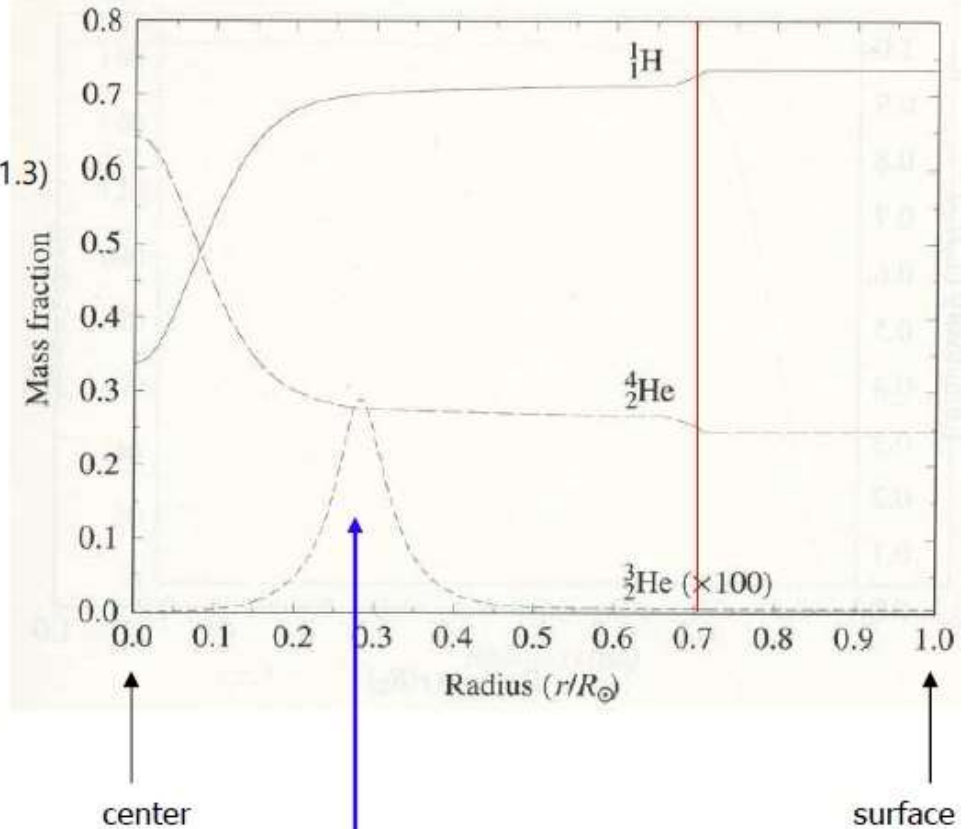
# Solar composition structure

${}^3_2\text{He}$  : intermediate species in the pp chain reaction sequence

## Solar Temp structure



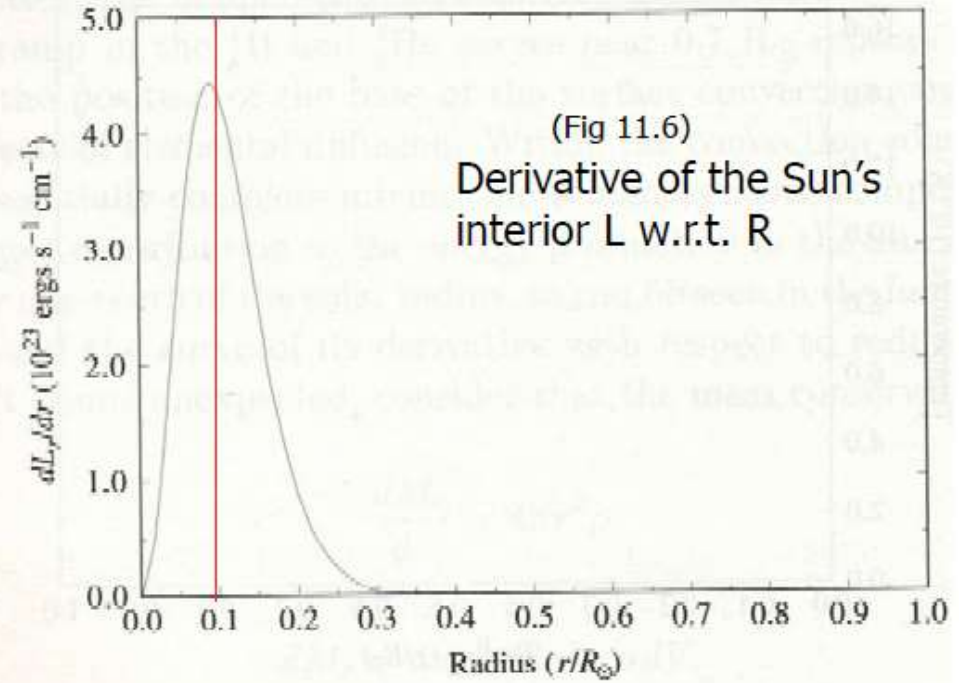
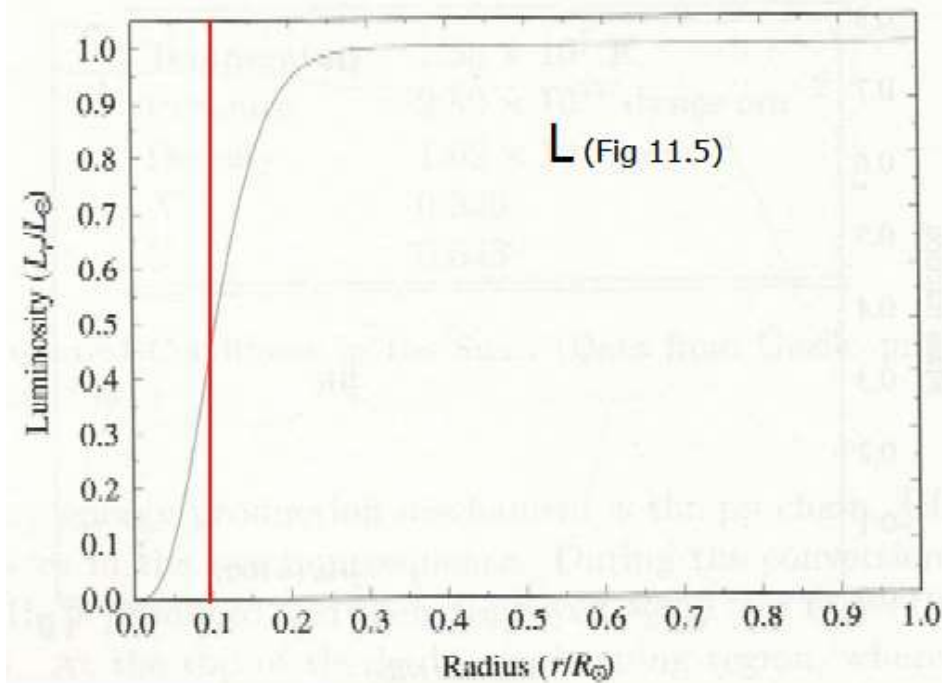
(Fig 11.3)



Produced more easily  
than destroyed

# Interior Lum of the Sun

## Location of the greatest contribution to the E output



Though amount of E liberated per gram of material ( $\epsilon$ ) decreases steadily from  $R=0$  outward  
 → Largest contribution to the total L – in a shell that contains a significant amount of mass

# Post-MS Stellar Evolution

TABLE III STELLAR LIFETIMES (yr)<sup>a</sup>

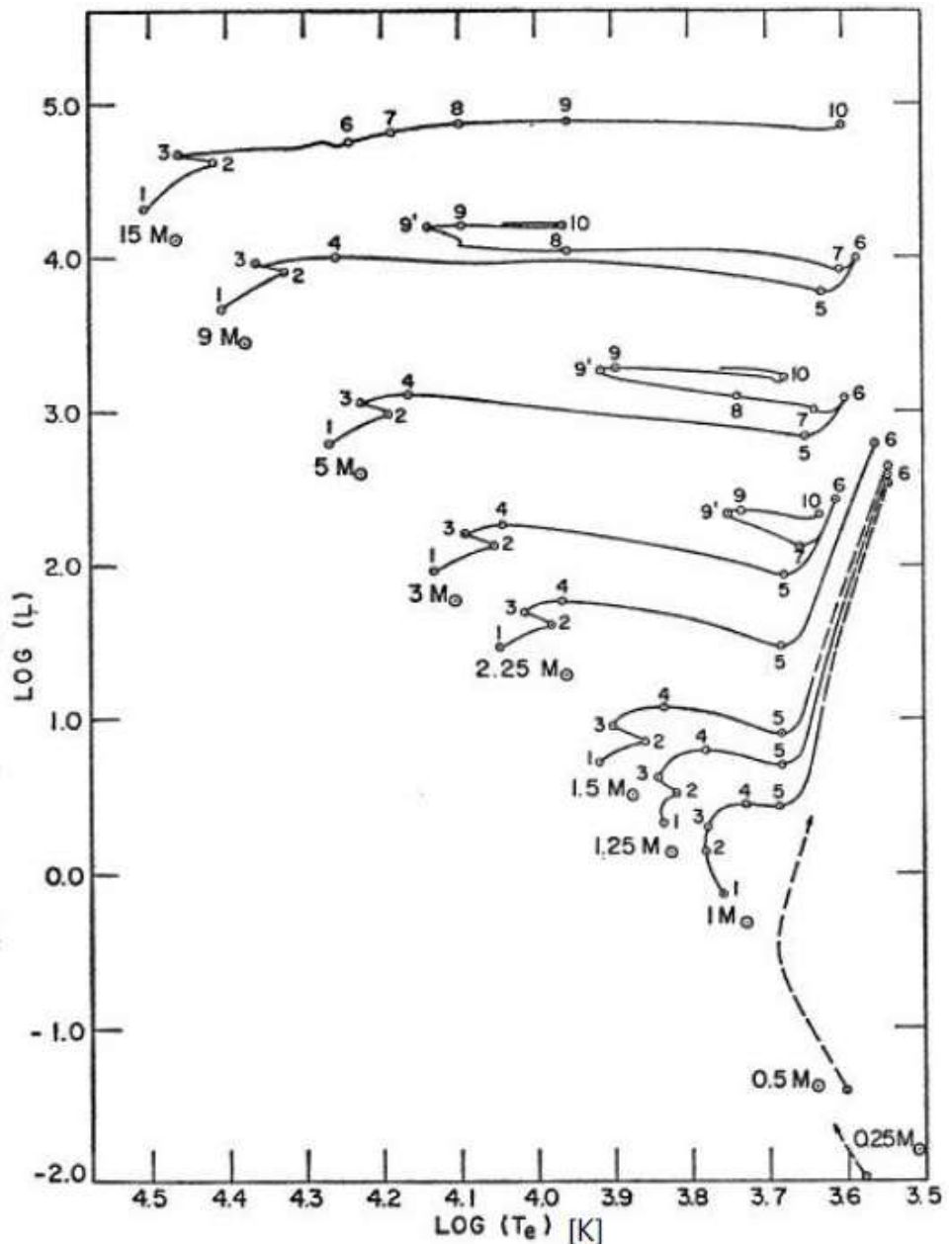
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Mass ( $M_{\odot}$ )					
15	1.010 (7)	2.270 (5)		7.55 (4)	
9	2.144 (7)	6.053 (5)	9.113 (4)	1.477 (5)	6.552 (4)
5	6.547 (7)	2.173 (6)	1.372 (6)	7.532 (5)	4.857 (5)
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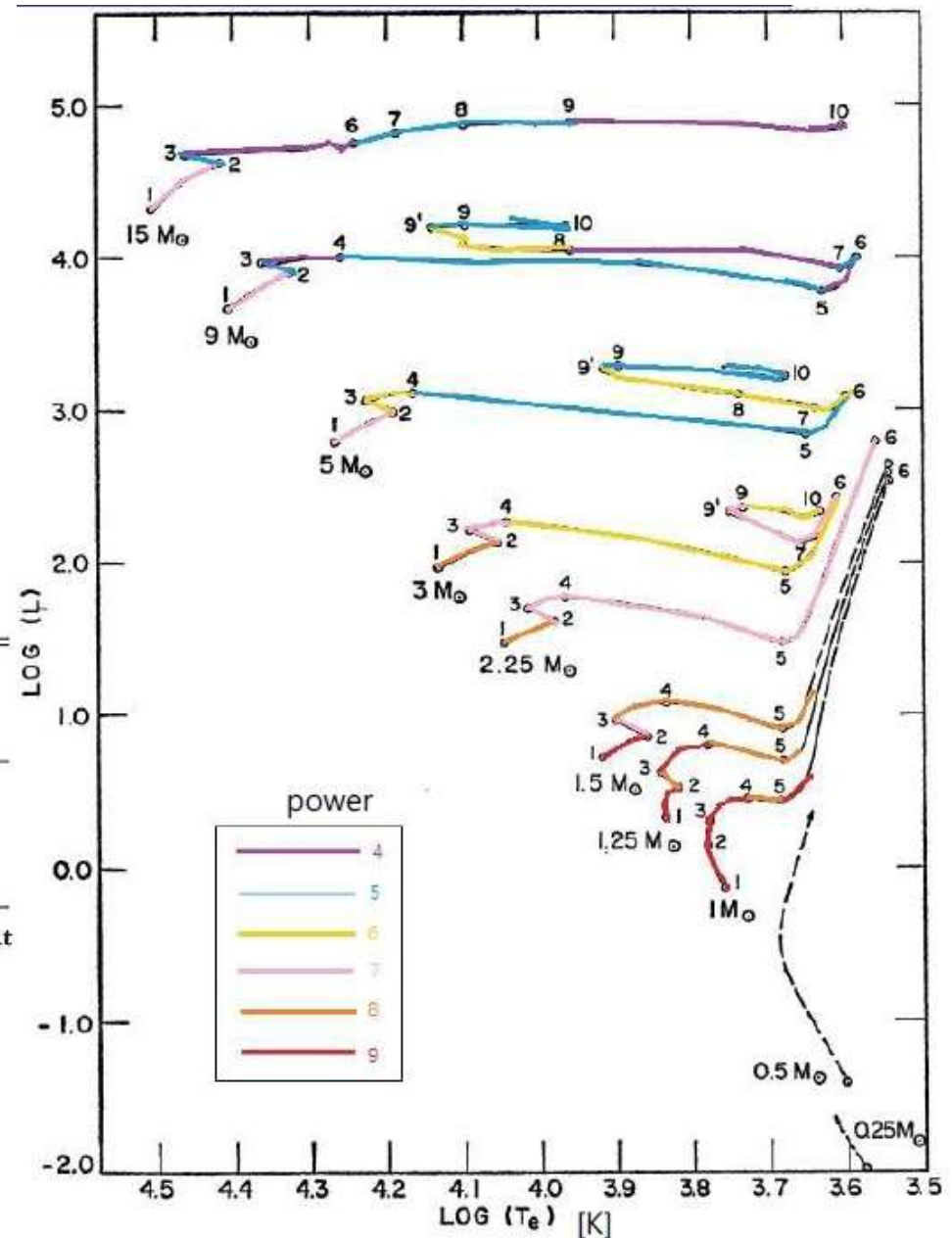
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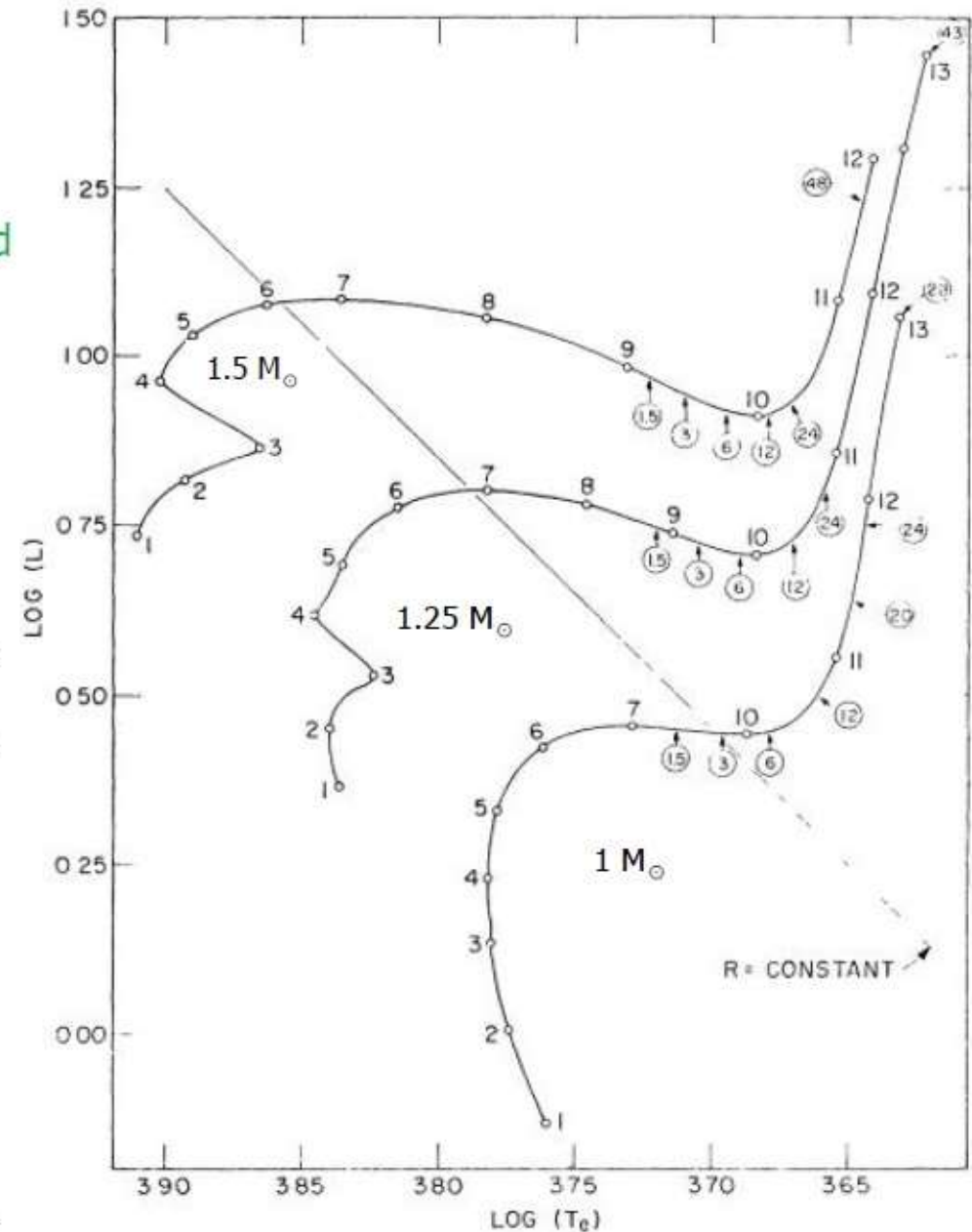


# Stellar Evolution – zoom in

- Evolutionary paths for **pop I stars**  
 $M = 1.5, 1.25, 1 M_{\odot}$
- Circled numbers : factors by which **surface  $^7\text{Li}$  abundance** has been **depleted** (relative to its MS value)  
6708Å, 6104Å

TABLE 1 (Times to reach circled points)  
EVOLUTIONARY LIFETIMES ( $10^9$  yr)

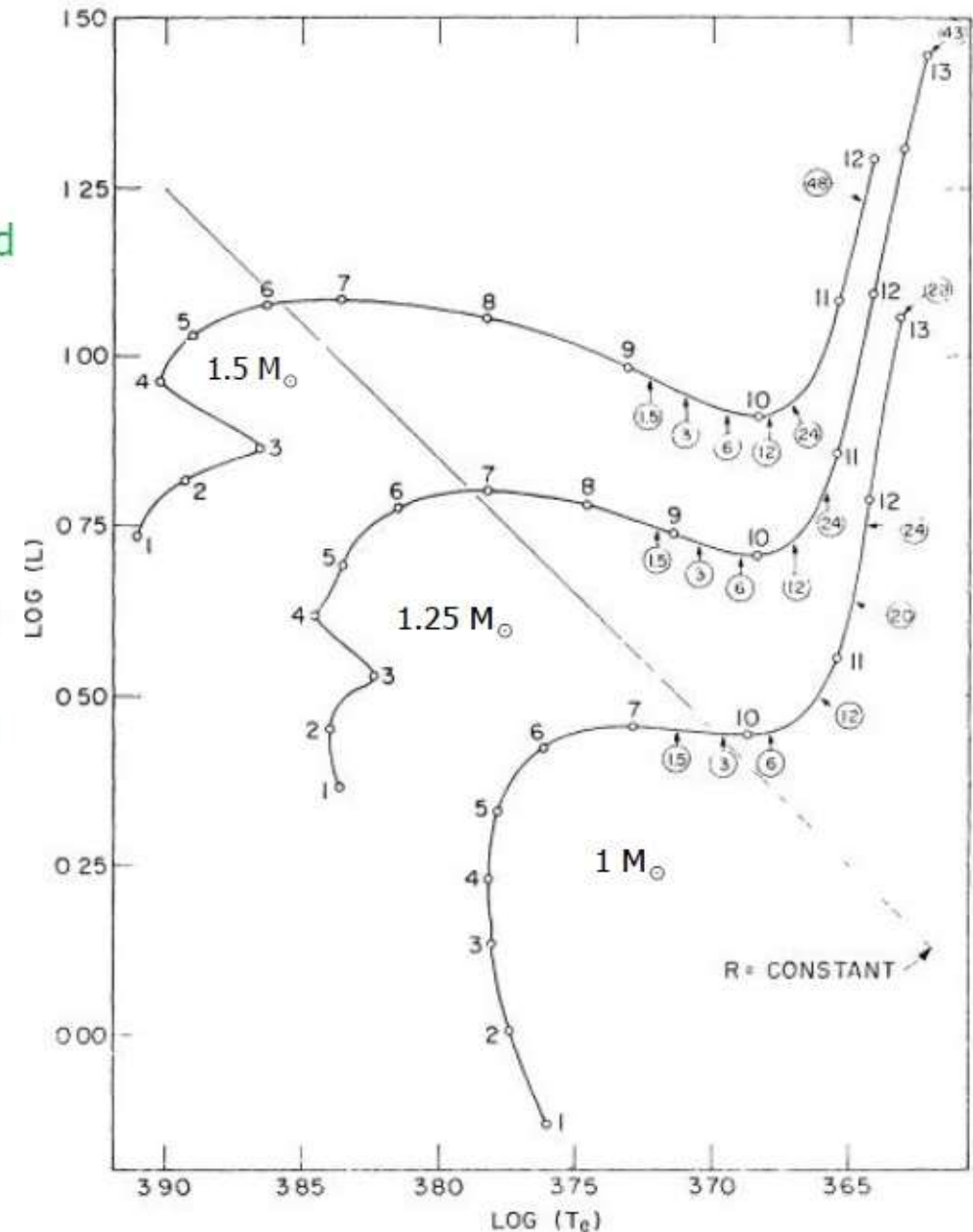
Point	$1 M_{\odot}$	$1.25 M_{\odot}$	$1.50 M_{\odot}$
1	0 05060	0 02954	0 01821
2	3 8209	1 4220	1 0277
3	6 7100	2 8320	1 5710
4	8 1719	3 0144	1 6520
5	9 2012	3 5524	1 8261
6	9 9030	3 9213	1 9666
7	10 195	4 0597	2 0010
8		4 1204	2 0397
9		4 1593	2 0676
10	10 352	4 2060	2 1059
11	10 565	4 3427	2 1991
12	10 750	4 4505	2 2628
13	10 875	4 5349	



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 $6708\text{\AA}, 6104\text{\AA}$

- (1) Solar surface lithium abundance :  $140\times$  less than the protosolar value
  - (2) Temperature at the base of the surface convective zone : not hot enough to burn lithium
- **Li depletion process** is needed  
 (Israelian+09 Nature 462 189 - Enhanced lithium depletion in Sun-like stars with orbiting planets)





# Stellar Evolution – zoom in

- As stellar mass  $\downarrow$ , the **direction of evolution off the MS** shifts from movement to the red to **movement to the blue**
- The phase of **over-all contraction and increasing surface temperature** (points 3  $\rightarrow$  4) : becomes **less pronounced** with  $M \downarrow$ , disappearing between  $1.25 M_{\odot}$  and  $1 M_{\odot}$  (core convection during the H-burning phase vanishes in this mass range)
- During the shell-narrowing phase (points 7  $\rightarrow$  10), the **drop in  $L$**  decreases with  $M \downarrow$

$$-\Delta(\log L) = 0.15, \quad 0.10, \quad 0.015$$

$$1.5 M_{\odot}, 1.25 M_{\odot}, 1 M_{\odot}$$

- As mass  $\downarrow$ , the  $\Delta L$  (increase) between points 1 and 7 : increases

$$\Delta(\log L) = 0.35, \quad 0.44, \quad 0.69$$

$$1.5 M_{\odot}, 1.25 M_{\odot}, 1 M_{\odot}$$

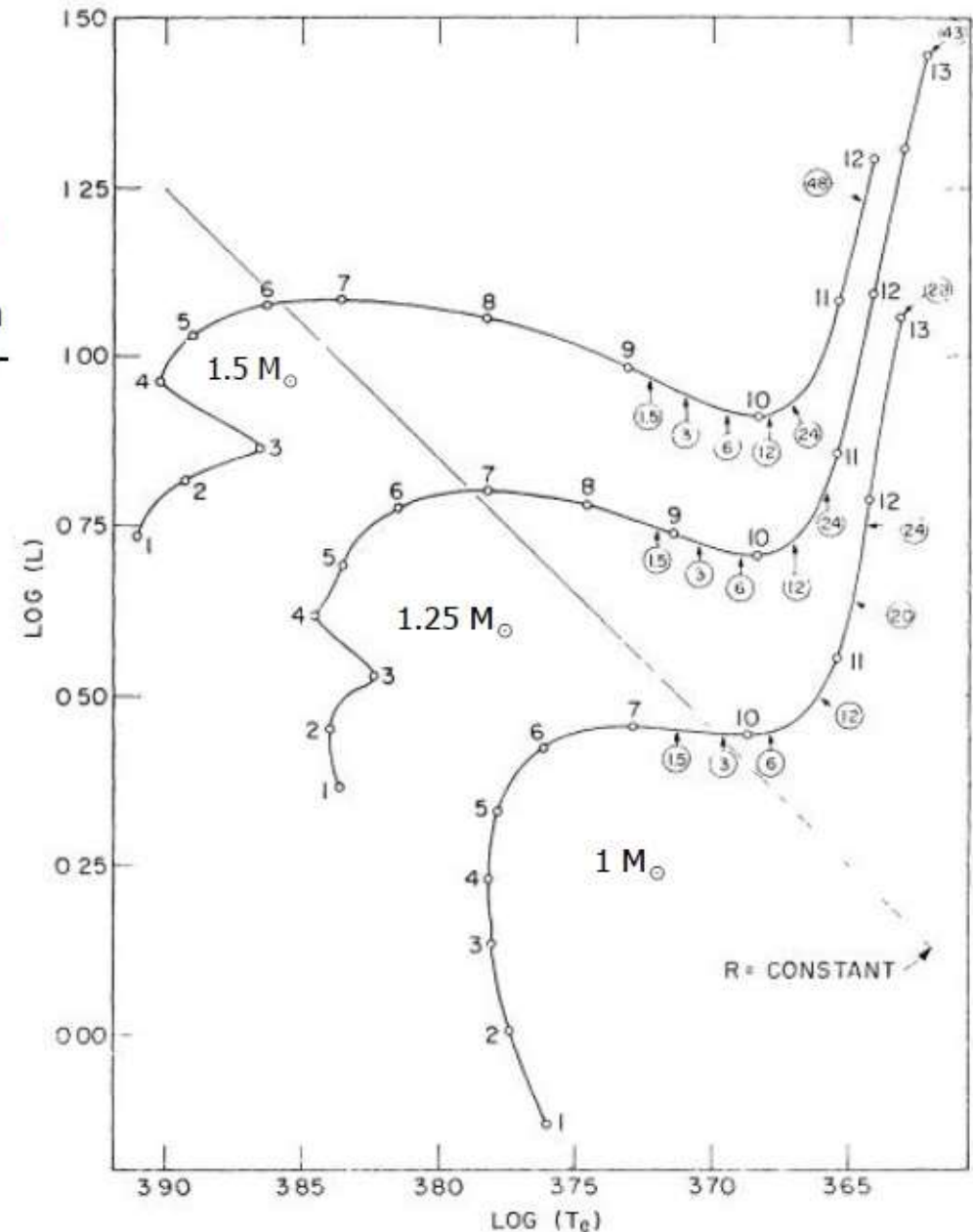
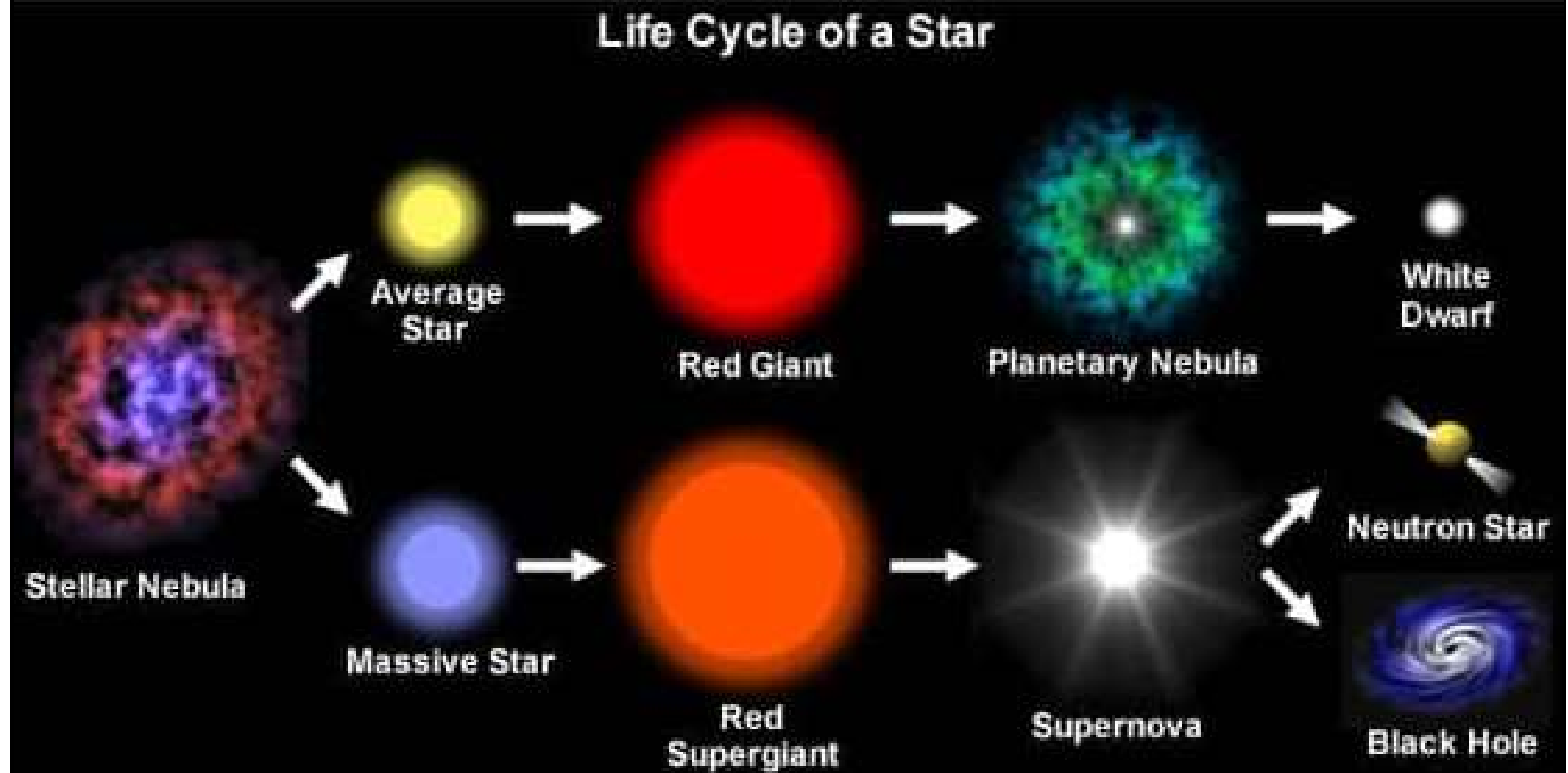


Fig 1



## 2. The Evolution of Stars (별의 진화)

### 2-3 Post-Main-Sequence Evolution (주계열 이후 진화)



# Post-MS Stellar Evolution

D. Schaerer, C. Charbonnel, G. Meynet, A. Maeder and G. Schaller  
1993 *Astron. Astrophys. Suppl. Ser.* **102**, 339-342

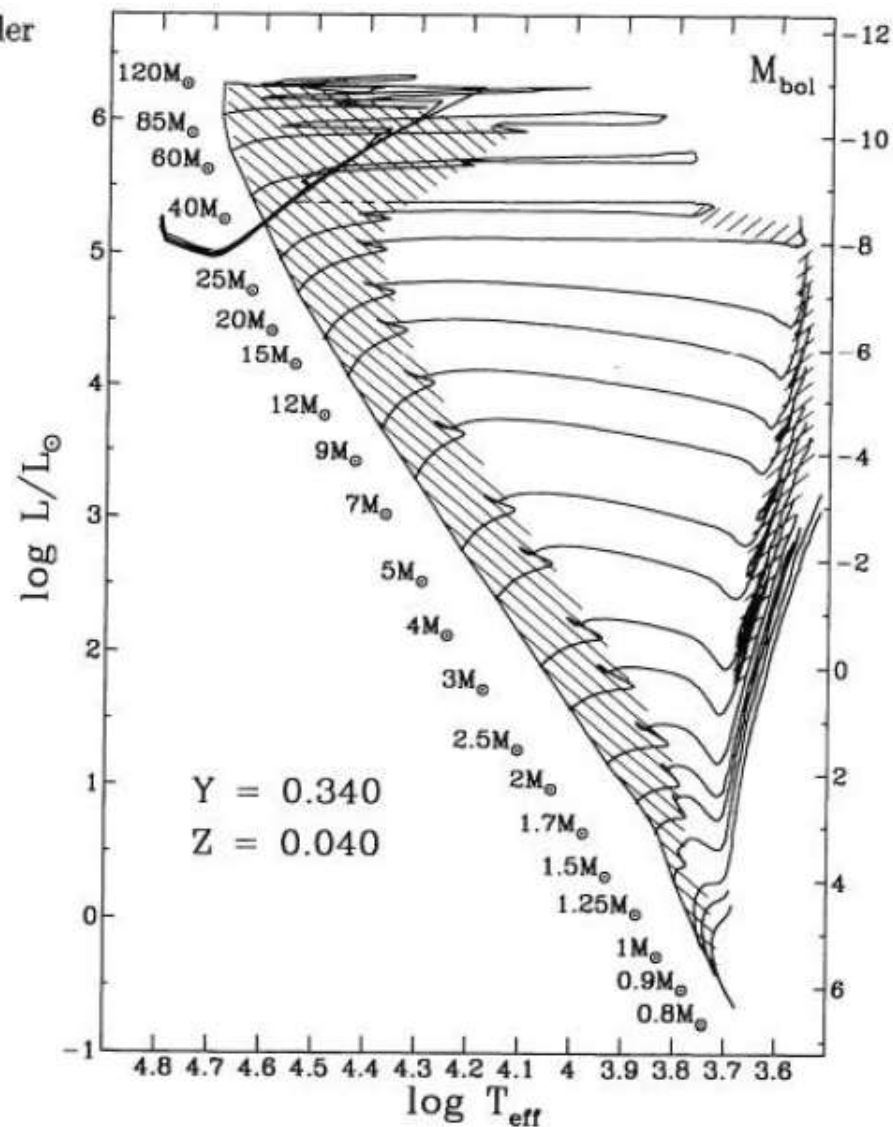
Grids of stellar models.

IV. From 0.8 to 120  $M_{\odot}$  at  $Z = 0.040$

Stellar evolution isochrones

- Padova
- Geneva
- VandenBerg
- Yonsei-Yale ( $Y^2$ )
- Dartmouth

Hatched areas : slow phases of nuclear burning



Schaerer et al (1993, A&AS, 102, 339) – Fig 1

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IV. From 0.8 to 120  $M_{\odot}$  at  $Z = 0.040$

HRD of massive stars (15 – 120  $M_{\odot}$ ) with  $Z=0.040$

$Y_c$  (central He content) : 0.97, 0.90, 0.80, 0.70, 0.60, ---, 0.10, 0

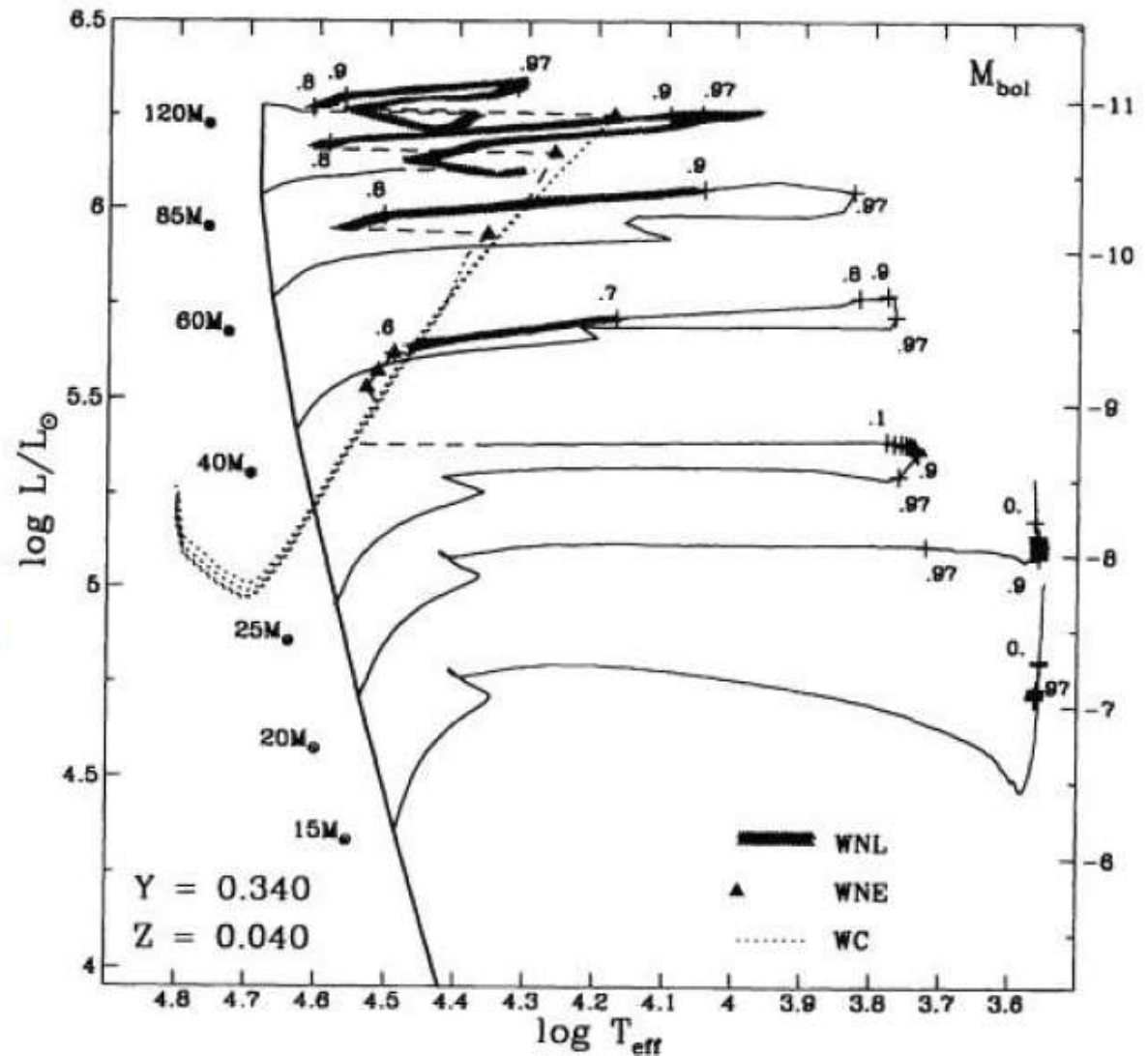
Wolf-Rayet stars

- broad emission lines of highly ionized He and N or C
- very high surface enhancement of heavy elements, depletion of hydrogen
- strong stellar winds
- $T_{\text{eff}} = 30,000 \text{ K} - 200,000 \text{ K}$

WN Early (WN2 – WN6)

WN Late (WN6 – WN9)

WC



Schaerer et al (1993, A&AS, 102, 339) – Fig 3

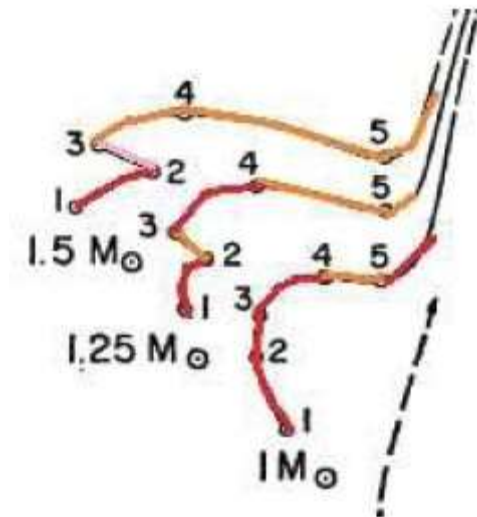
## Evolution beyond point 3

Maximum fraction of a star's mass

that can exist in an isothermal core + still support the overlying layers

= **Schönberg-Chandrasekhar limit** (1942)

$$\left(\frac{M_{ic}}{M}\right)_{SC} \simeq 0.37 \left(\frac{\mu_e}{\mu_{ic}}\right)^2$$



where,  $\mu = \langle m \rangle / m_H$  : mean molecular weight

(the average mass  $\langle m \rangle$  in units of the mass of a hydrogen atom  $m_H$ )

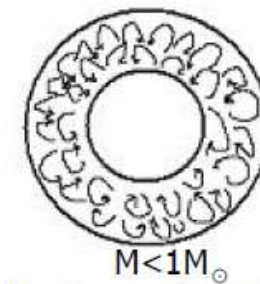
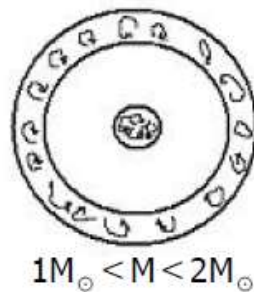
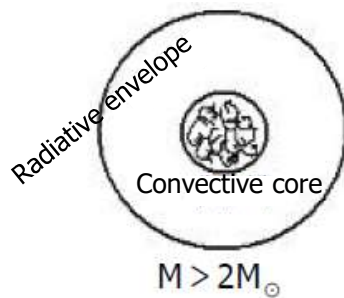
# Characteristics of MS Stars

$M > 1.5 M_{\odot}$	$M < 1.5 M_{\odot}$
$T_c > 2 \times 10^7 \text{ K}$	$T_c < 2 \times 10^7 \text{ K}$
CNO cycle	PP chain
Energy production rate : $\epsilon_{\text{CNO}} \propto T^{19.9} \rightarrow$ Production of most E near the center	$\epsilon_{\text{CNO}} \propto T^4 \rightarrow$ E source is not concentrated to the center
core : convective	core : radiative
envelope : radiation	envelope : H-convection

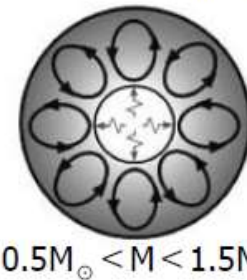
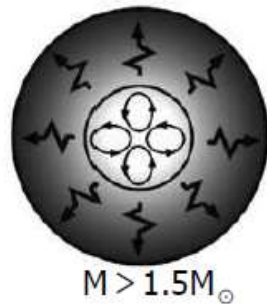
The more massive,  
the larger convective core.

← mass

As mass decreases,  
H-convection zone deepens.



<http://www.maths.qmul.ac.uk/~svv/MTH725U/Lecture8.htm>

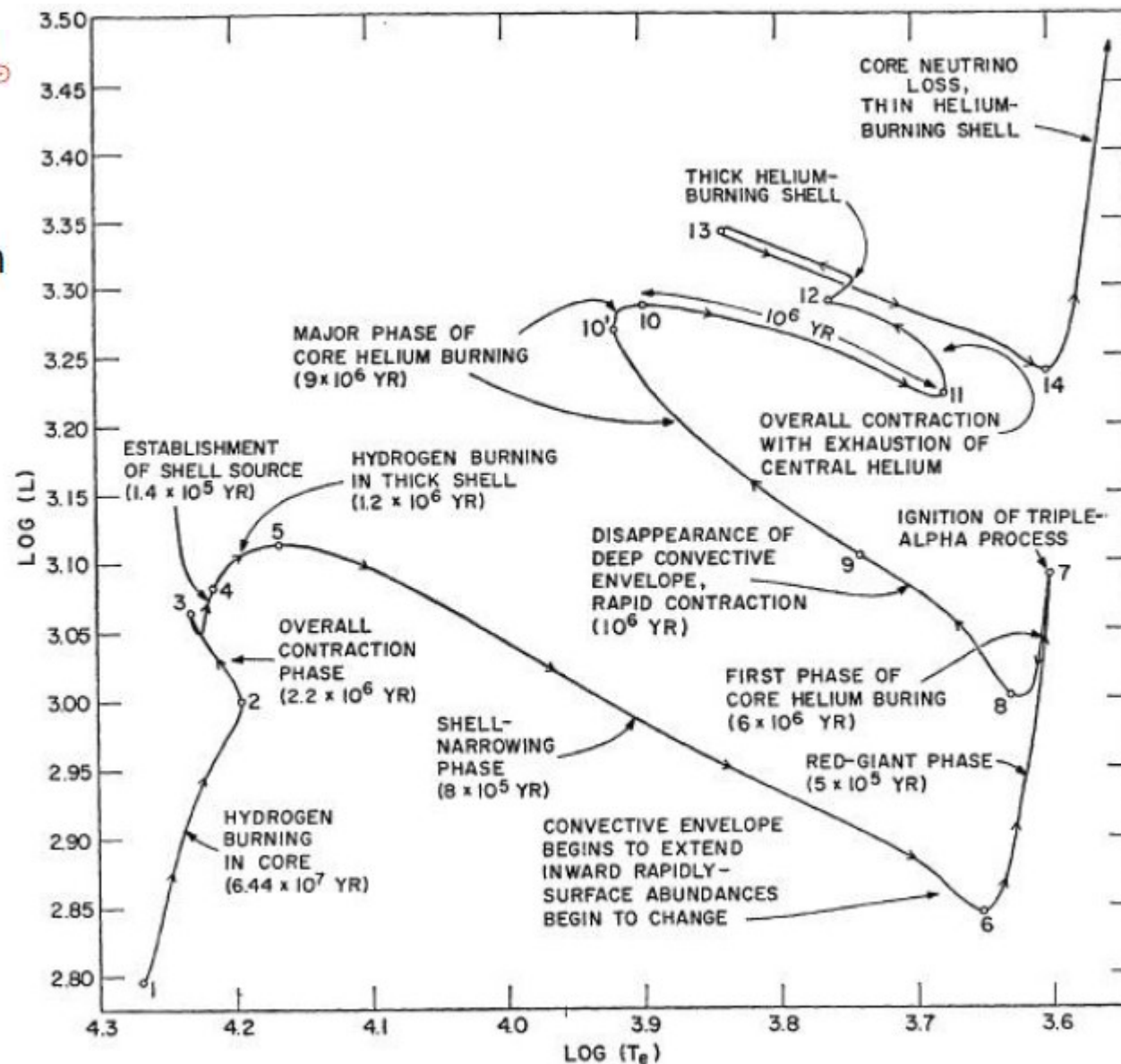


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# Post-MS Stellar Evolution

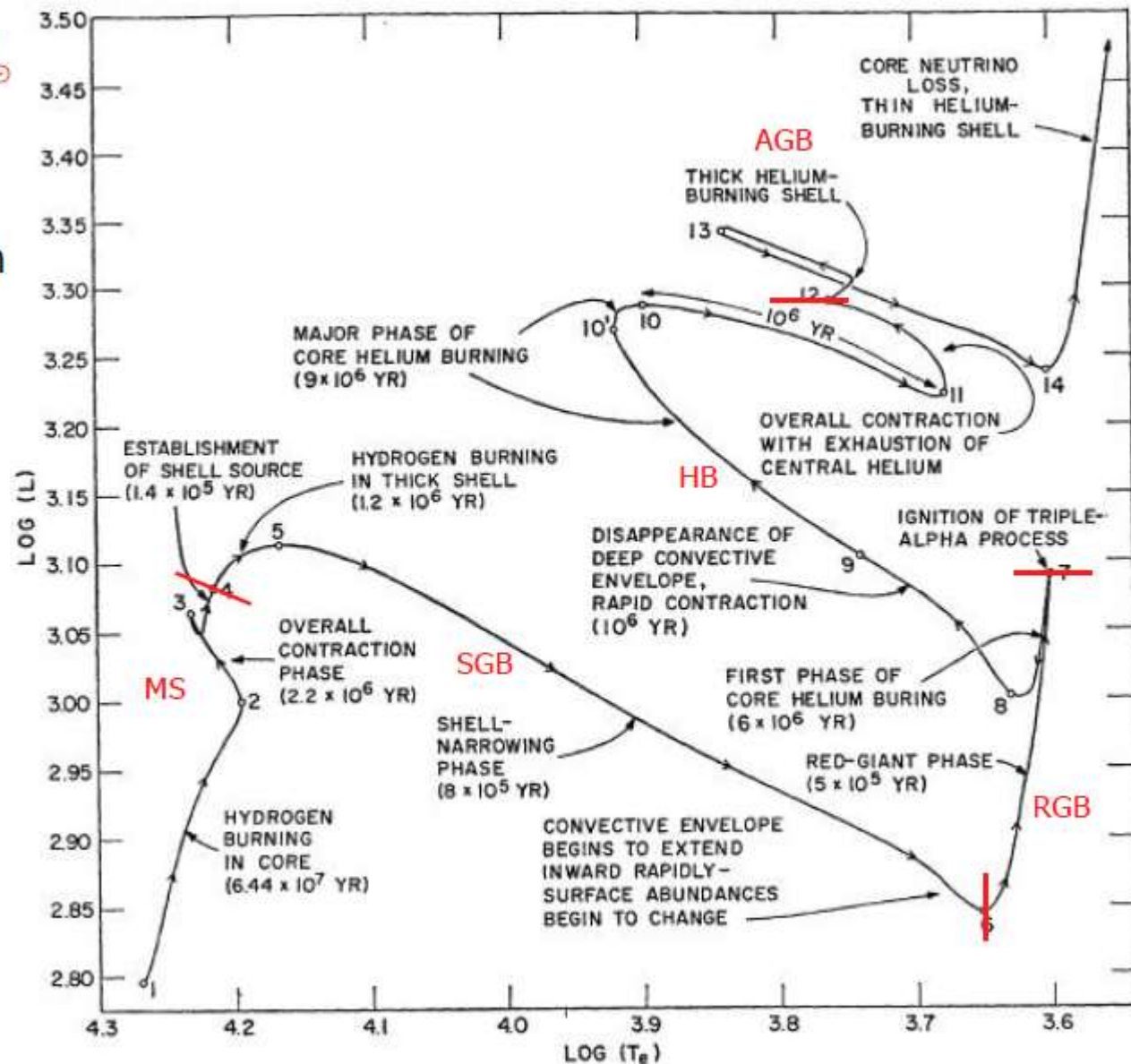
- Evolutionary path of a  $5 M_{\odot}$  metal-rich star in the HRD
- From ZAMS to the asymptotic giant branch (AGB)



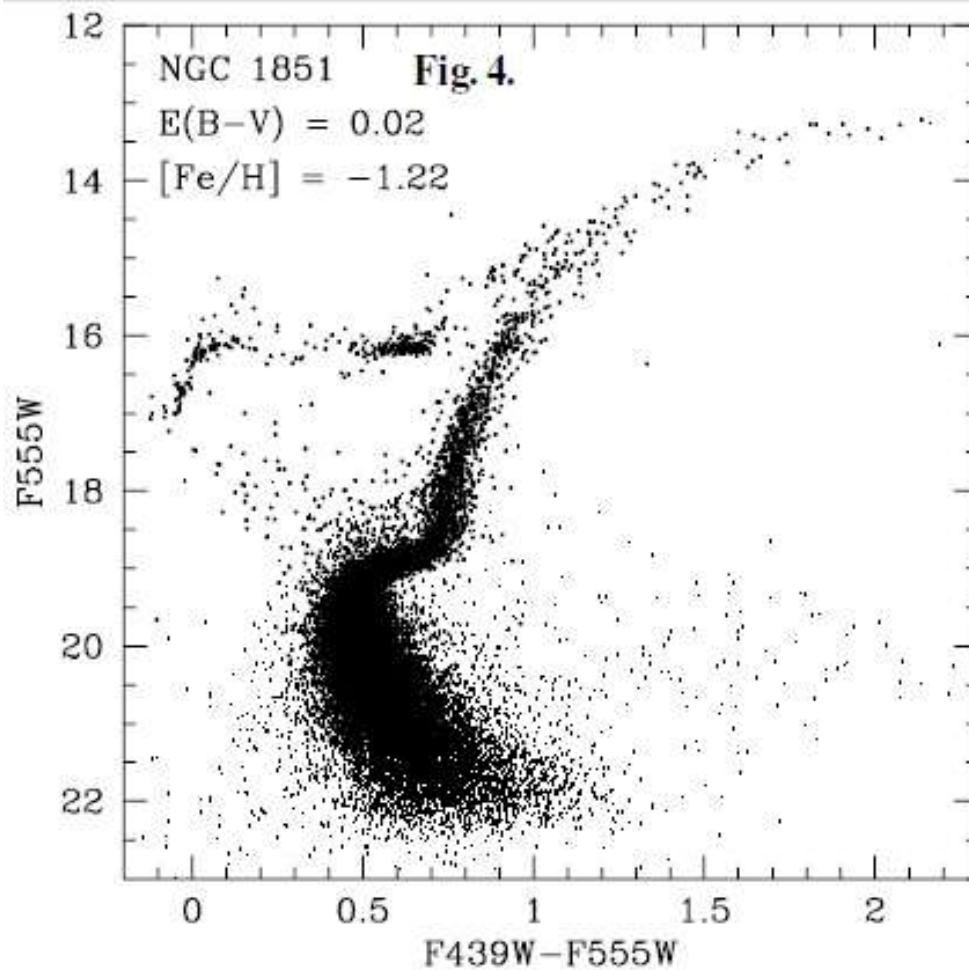


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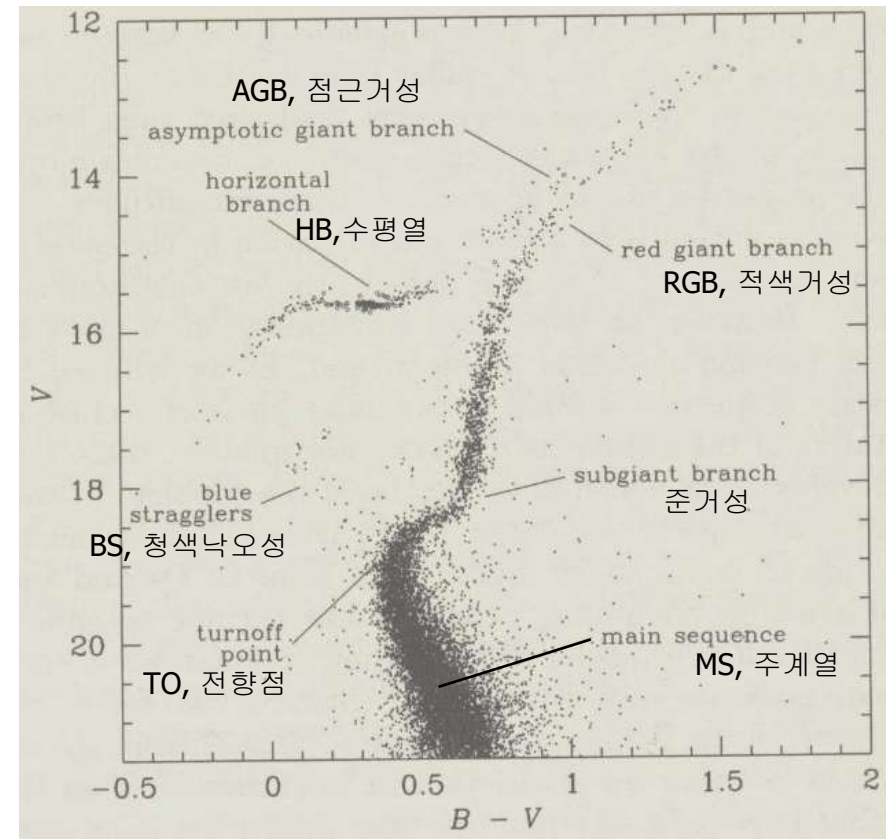
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# Color-Magnitude Diagrams for globular clusters (GCs)

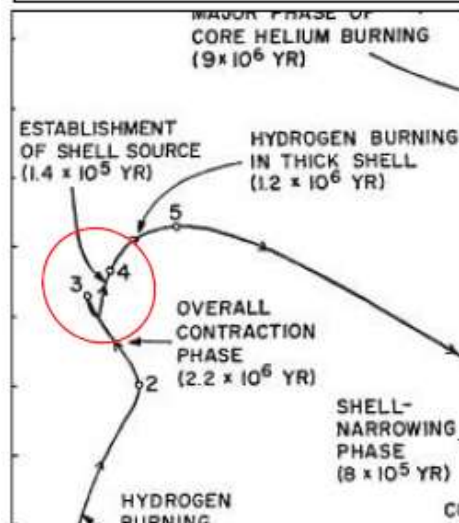
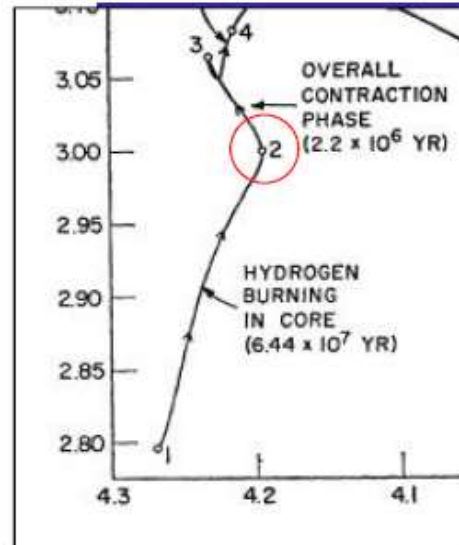


Piotto et al. (2002, A&A, 391, 945)



GC M3 (NGC 5272)  
 (variables=open circles)

## 5 M<sub>☉</sub> star - structure

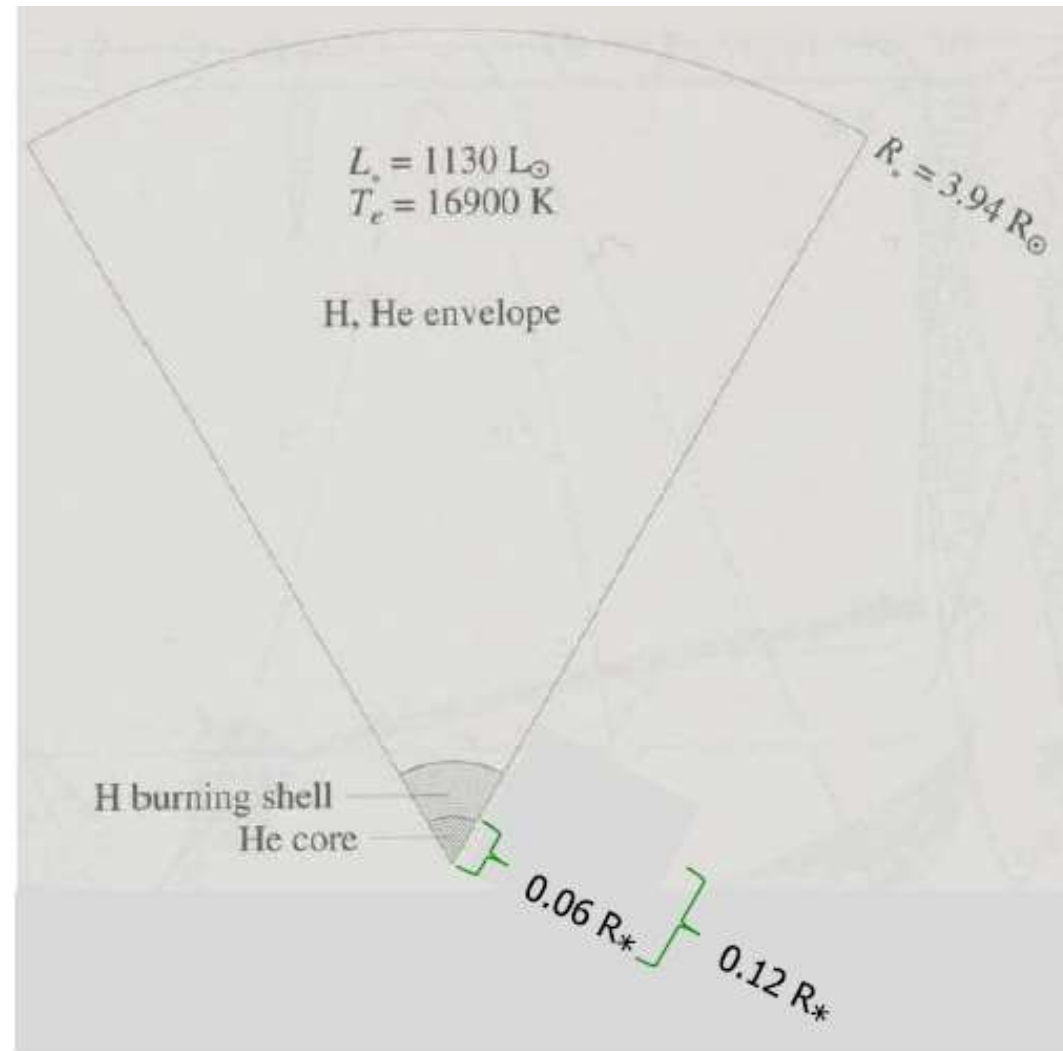


- At point 2 : near depletion of H fuel in the core
- During 2 → 3 : overall contraction (Core H mass fraction  $X$  : reduced to 0.01)
- During 3 → 4 : establishment of shell source - H burning begins in a thick shell
- Rapid shell ignition → overlying envelope absorbs some or much of the E release by the shell → envelope slightly expands

## 5 $M_{\odot}$ star approaching the **RGB**

Shortly after point 3 :

H shell burning



An Introduction to Modern Astrophysics (2<sup>nd</sup> edition),  
Bradley W. Carroll & Dale A. Ostlie (1996), p. 498



## Evolution beyond point 3

- At this point,
  - $L$  (generated in the thick shell)  $>$   $L$  (produced by the core during the core-H-b)
- Evolutionary track continues to rise beyond point 3  $L \uparrow$
- Some of the energy generated → goes into a slow expansion of the envelope
  - $T_{\text{eff}}$  decrease slightly, evolutionary track bends to the right

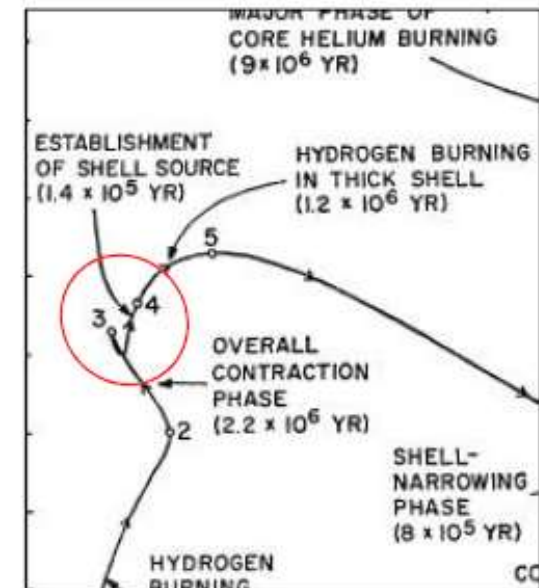
$$\frac{(\text{shell H-b time})}{(\text{core H-b time})} \propto \frac{1}{\text{mass}}$$

H-b shell continues to consume its nuclear fuel

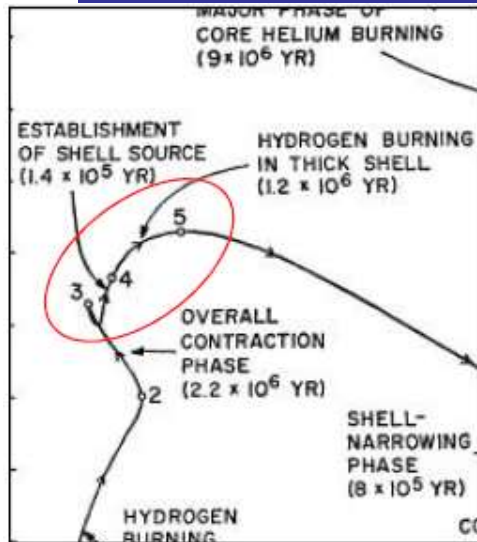
→ Isothermal He-core grows in mass

Star moves farther to the red in the HRD

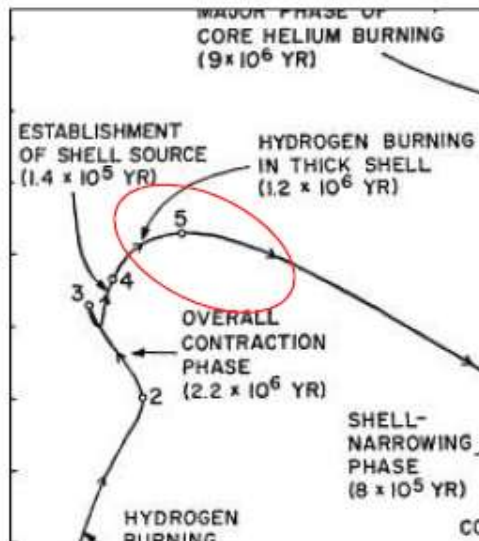
→ Redward locus = subgiant branch



## 5 $M_{\odot}$ star approaching the RGB



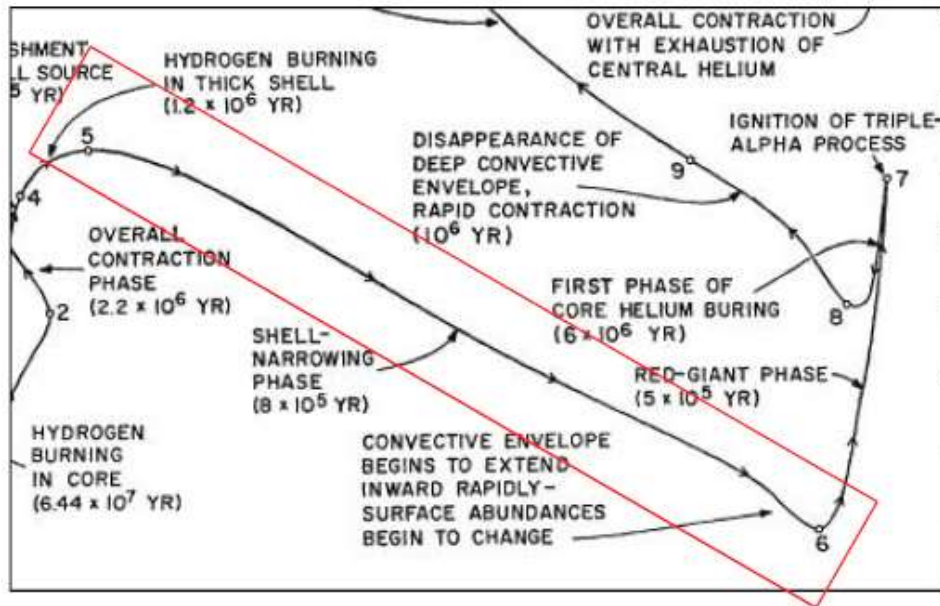
- During 3  $\rightarrow$  5 : Shell continues to consume H  
 $\rightarrow$  He-core : mass and size steadily increase  
 $\rightarrow$  becomes nearly isothermal core
- At Point 5  $\rightarrow$  Schönberg-Chandrasekhar limit is reached  
 $\rightarrow$  Core begins to collapse  
 $\rightarrow$  Much faster evolution



- At points from 5 :
  - Core begins to collapse  $\rightarrow$  gravitational potential E releases  
 $\rightarrow$  T gradient re-appears
  - H-b shell : T,  $\rho$  increase
  - Though shell begins to narrow significantly / shell E-generation rate increases rapidly



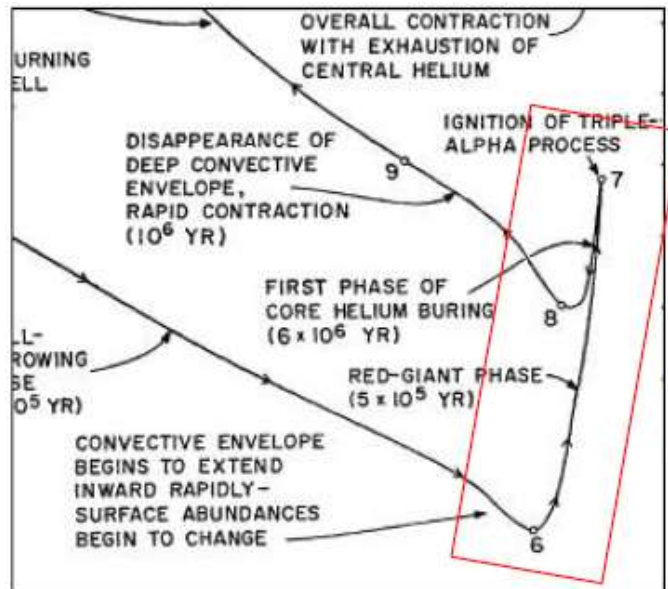
## 5 $M_{\odot}$ star approaching the RGB



- During point 5  $\rightarrow$  6 :
  - **Envelope expands** (absorbing much of the shell's E, before it reaches the surface)
    - $\rightarrow$  L decreases, effective T decreases, photospheric opacity increases ( $H^-$  ion)
    - $\rightarrow$  **convection zone** begins to develop near the surface

- Base of the **convection zone**  $\rightarrow$  **extends down** into regions where the **chemical composition has been modified** by nuclear processes
- Surface convection zone encounters these chemically modified regions
  - $\rightarrow$  Processed material become **mixed**
  - $\rightarrow$  **Photosphere composition** change ( $Li \downarrow$ ,  ${}^3He \uparrow$ )
  - "**First dredge-up**" begins at point 6

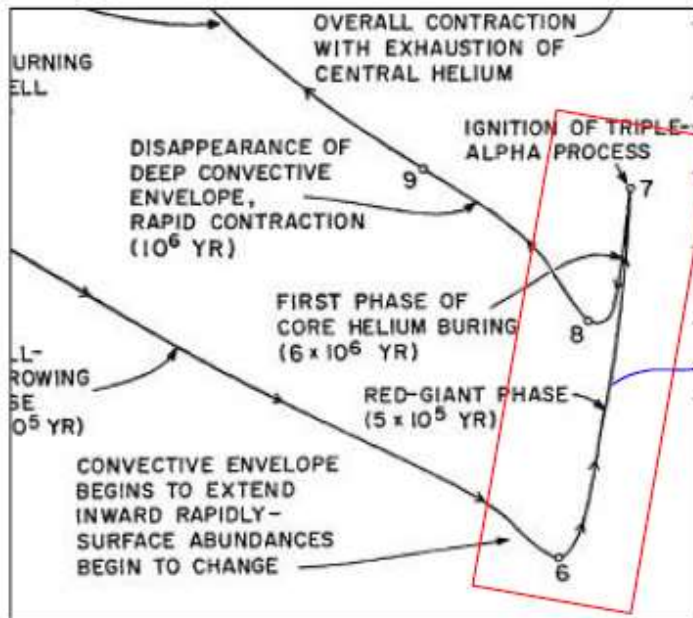
## 5 $M_{\odot}$ star at the RGB



- Surface of the envelope continues to cool  $\rightarrow$  recombination  $\rightarrow N(\text{free } e^-) \downarrow \rightarrow$  contribution of the  $H^-$  ion to the opacity  $\downarrow \rightarrow$  more E release
- During 6  $\rightarrow$  7 : core continues to contract – degenerate He  $\rightarrow$  (narrowing) H-b shell E-production rate  $\uparrow$   
 $\rightarrow L \uparrow, R \uparrow$   
 $\rightarrow$  vertical evolution, “red giant branch (RGB)”

- At point 7 :
  - $T_c = 1.3 \times 10^8 \text{ K}$
  - $\rho_c = 7700 \text{ g/cm}^3$
  - High central T and density  $\rightarrow$  quantum-mechanical tunneling through the Coulomb barrier (acting between  ${}^4_2\text{He}$  nuclei) becomes effective  
 $\rightarrow$  triple- $\alpha$  process begins
- Slow ignition of He-burning phase!
- New source of E  $\rightarrow$  core expands  
 $\rightarrow$  Shell E-generation rate decreases  
 $\rightarrow L \downarrow$   
 and envelope contracts,  $T_{\text{eff}} \uparrow$

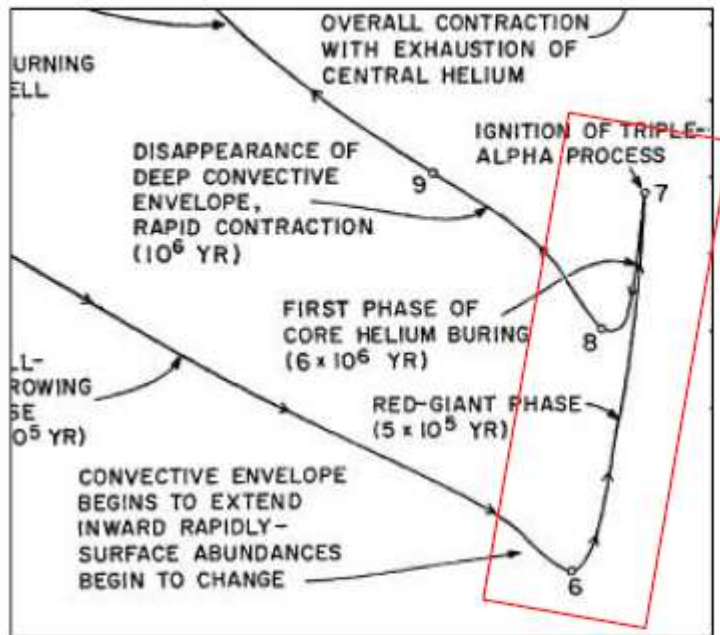
## ✧ For low mass stars of $M < 2 M_{\odot}$



- As He-core continues to collapse  
→ Core becomes strongly electron-degenerate
- $T, \rho$  become high enough  
to initiate the triple- $\alpha$  process ( $10^8$  K,  $10^4$  g/cm<sup>3</sup>)  
→ Explosive E release!  
**(core) helium flash**
- Luminosity  $\sim 10^{11} L_{\odot}$   
→ For only a few seconds!  
(most of the E never reaches the surface)  
→ E "lifts" the degeneracy and  
absorbed by the overlying layers of the envelope (possibly cause some mass loss)



## ✧ For low mass stars of $M < 2 M_{\odot}$



- **(core) helium flash**  
: Nearly constant mass – function of metallicity  
 $\sim 1.6 M_{\odot}$  for population I stars  
 $\sim 1 M_{\odot}$  for population II stars
- For pop II stars (ages 2-15 Gyr),  
if metallicity is same  
→ **bolometric luminosity** is  $\sim$  constant  
(varies only by  $\sim 0.1$  mag)

→ TRGB (tip of the red giant branch)  
: distance indicator for old, resolved galaxies

# TRGB (tip of the red giant branch)

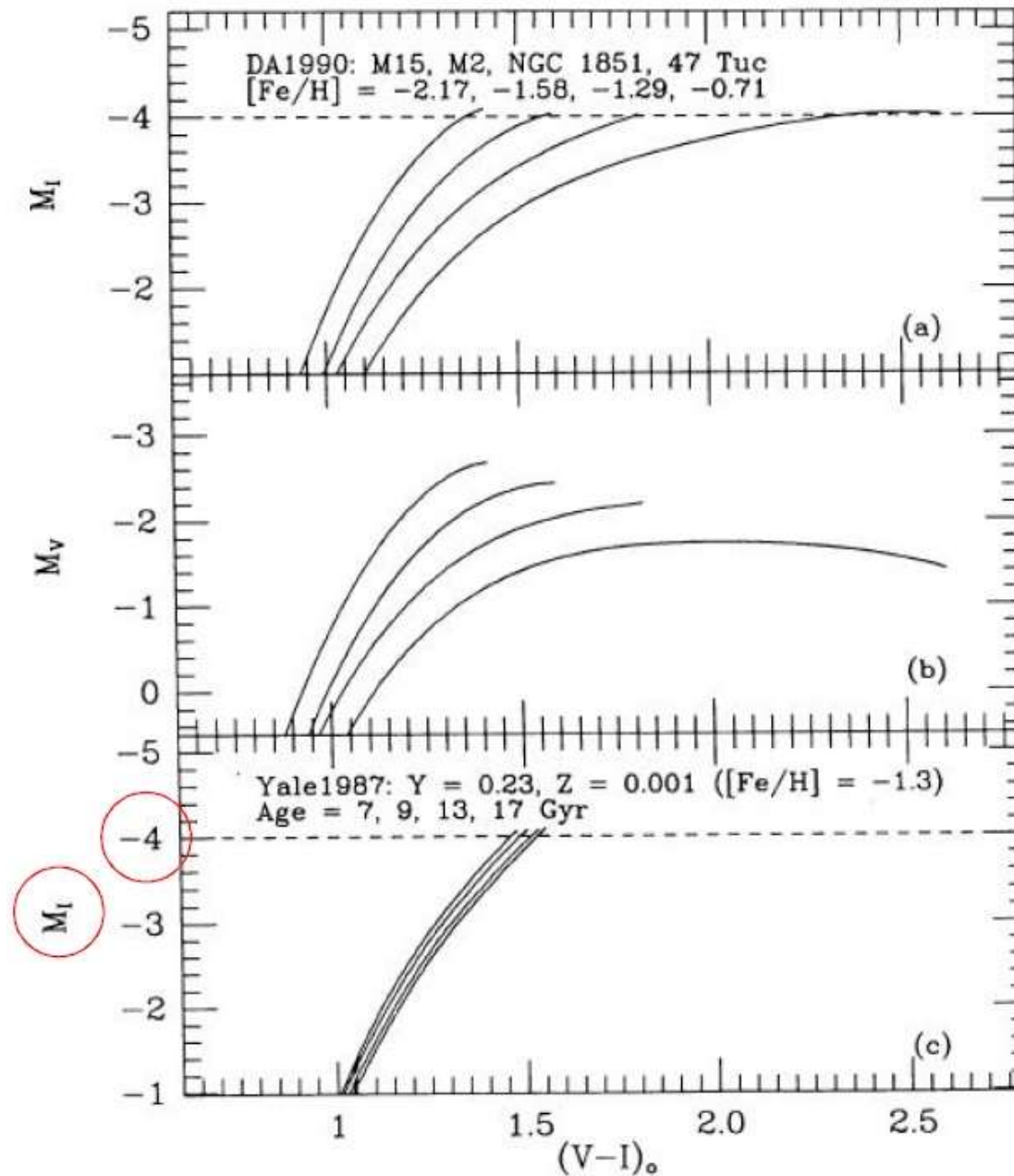


Fig. 1

# TRGB (tip of the red giant branch)

TABLE 1  
DISTANCE ESTIMATES FOR RESOLVED GALAXIES BASED ON PRIMARY DISTANCE INDICATORS

GALAXY (1)	TYPE <sup>a</sup> (2)	$E(B-V)$ (3)	$(m-M)_0$			$I_{\text{TRGB}}$ (7)	REFERENCE <sup>b</sup> (8)	[Fe/H] <sup>c</sup> (9)	$M_B$ (10)	$M_V$ (11)
			Cepheid (4)	RR Lyrae (5)	$I_{\text{TRGB}}$ (6)					
LMC .....	SBmII	0.10	18.50	18.28	18.42	14.6	1, 2, 3	-1.2	-17.93	-18.36
NGC 6822 .....	ImIV-V	0.28	23.62	...	23.46	20.05	4, 4	-1.8:	-15.13	-16.42
NGC 185 .....	dE3pec	0.19	...	24.01	23.94	20.30	5, 6	-1.2	-14.63	-15.52
NGC 147 .....	dE5	0.17	...	24.06	24.13	20.4	7, 8	-0.9	-14.39	-15.17
IC 1613 .....	IMV	0.02	24.42	24.27	24.27	20.25	1, 9, 10	-1.3	-14.51	-15.16
M31 .....	Sbl-II	0.08	24.44	24.36	24.44	20.55	1, 11, 12	-0.8	-20.98	-21.74
M33 .....	Sc(s)II-III	0.10	24.63	24.71	24.70	20.95	1, 13, 12	-2.0	-18.94	-19.40
WLM .....	ImIV-V	0.02	24.92	...	24.81	20.85	14, 14	-1.6:	-14.28	-14.62
NGC 205 .....	S0/dE5pec	0.035	...	24.76	24.42	20.45	15, 16	-0.8	-15.80	-16.62
NGC 3109 .....	SmlV	0.04	25.5	...	25.45	21.55	17, 18	-1.6	-15.95	-16.25

<sup>a</sup> From Sandage & Tammann 1987.

<sup>b</sup> References: (1) Madore & Freedman 1991, (2) Walker 1988, (3) Reid & Mould 1987, (4) Lee, Freedman, & Madore 1993, (5) Saha & Hoessel 1990, (6) Lee, Freedman, & Madore 1992, 1993c; (7) Saha, Hoessel, & Mossman 1990; (8) Mould, Kristian, & Da Costa 1983; (9) Saha et al. 1992; (10) Freedman 1988; (11) Pritchett & van den Bergh 1987, 1988; (12) Mould & Kristian 1986; (13) Pritchett 1988; (14) Lee, Freedman, & Madore 1993a; (15) Mould, Kristian, & Da Costa 1984; (16) Saha, Hoessel, & Krist 1991; (17) Capaccioli, Piotto, & Bresolin 1992; (18) Lee 1993.

<sup>c</sup> The metallicity [Fe/H] has been determined using the color  $(V-I)_{-3.5}$ .

$$-2.2 < [\text{Fe}/\text{H}] < -0.7 \text{ dex}$$



# TRGB (tip of the red giant branch)

- Y-axis (L scale) : squeezed
- Time scale : different
- Low-mass stars : less structure variation, less contraction → more simple and smooth tracks
- Thicker parts : major phases of fusion burning
- Dashed lines : uncertain phases

