

Comparing electron-capture rates in CCSNe simulations

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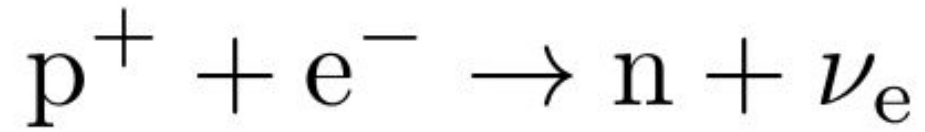
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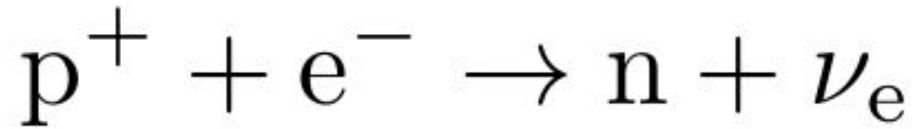
Background

1. Electron-capture
2. Core-collapse
3. Rates

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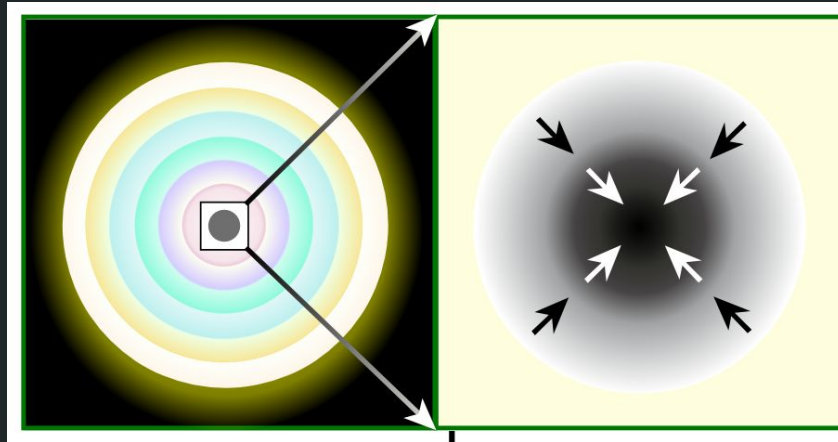
- Turns **protons** into **neutrons**
- Produces **neutrinos**
- Removes leptons from the system (**deleptonization**)

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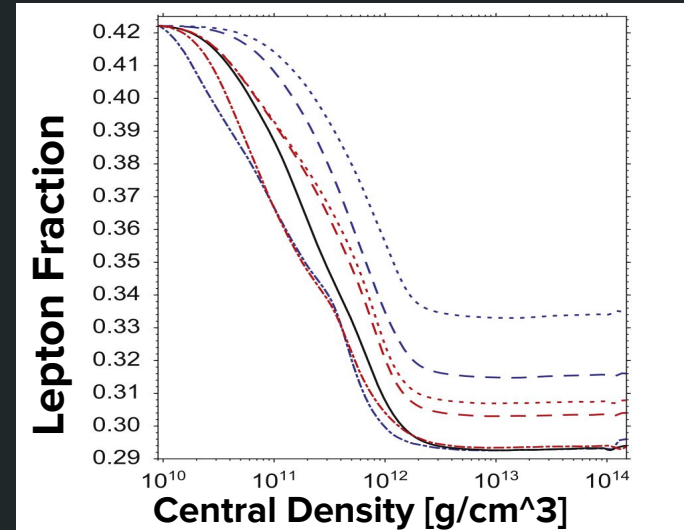
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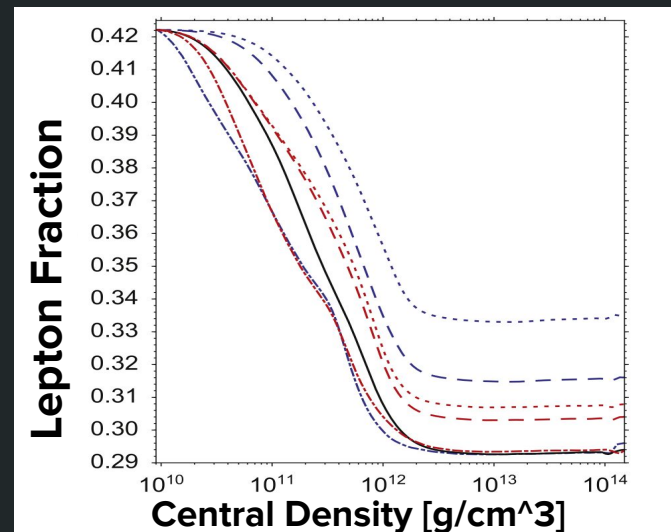
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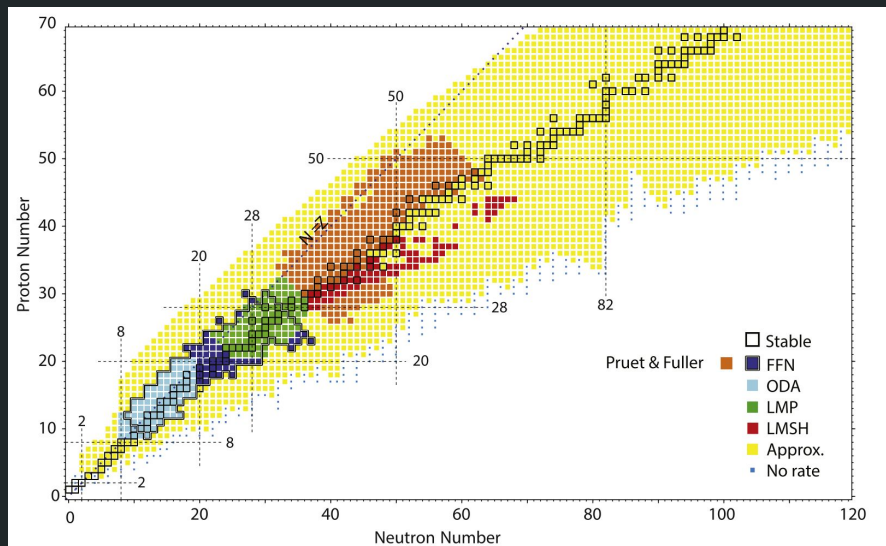
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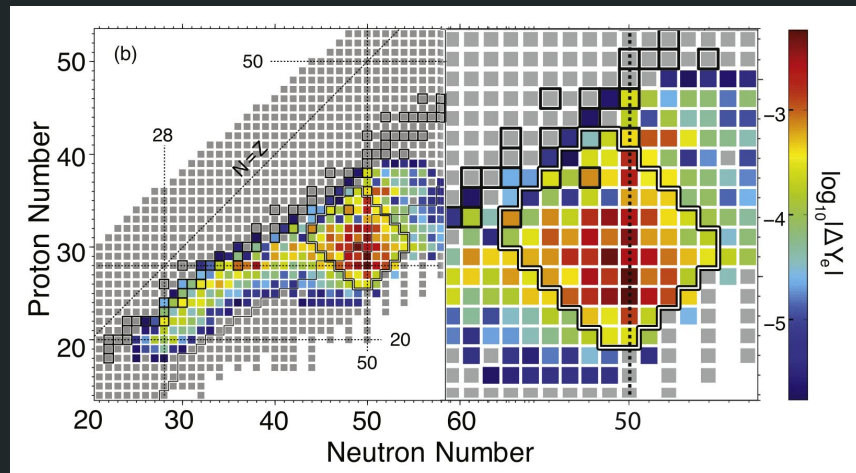
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How do rates impact CCSNe properties?

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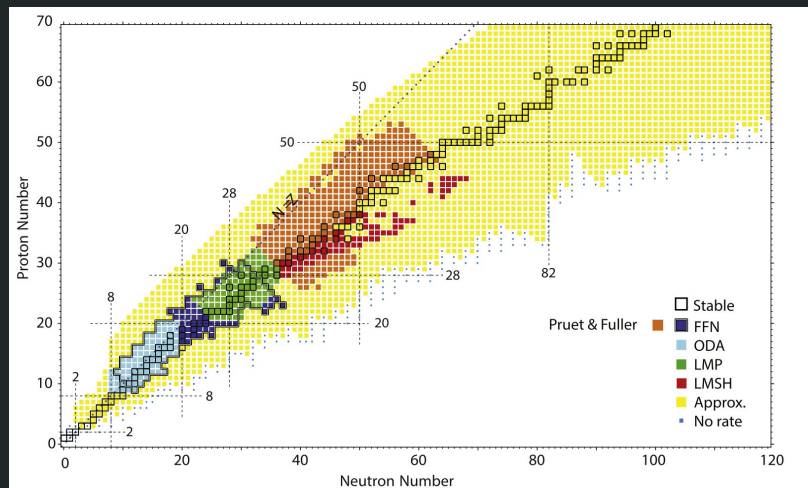
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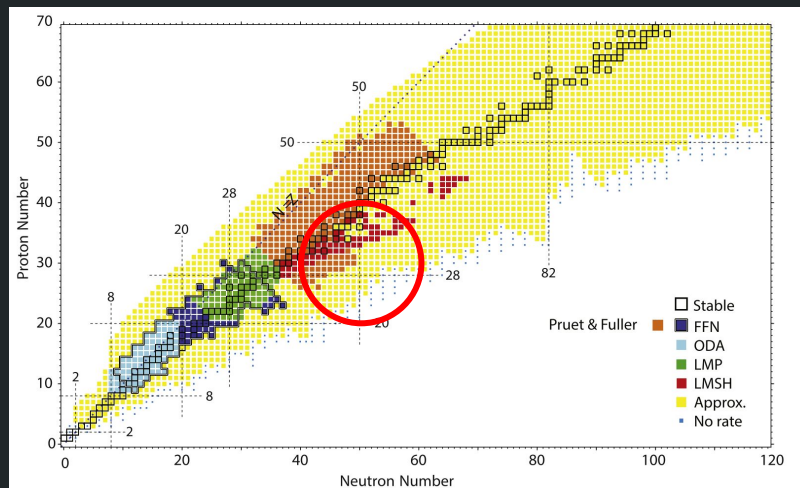
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Results

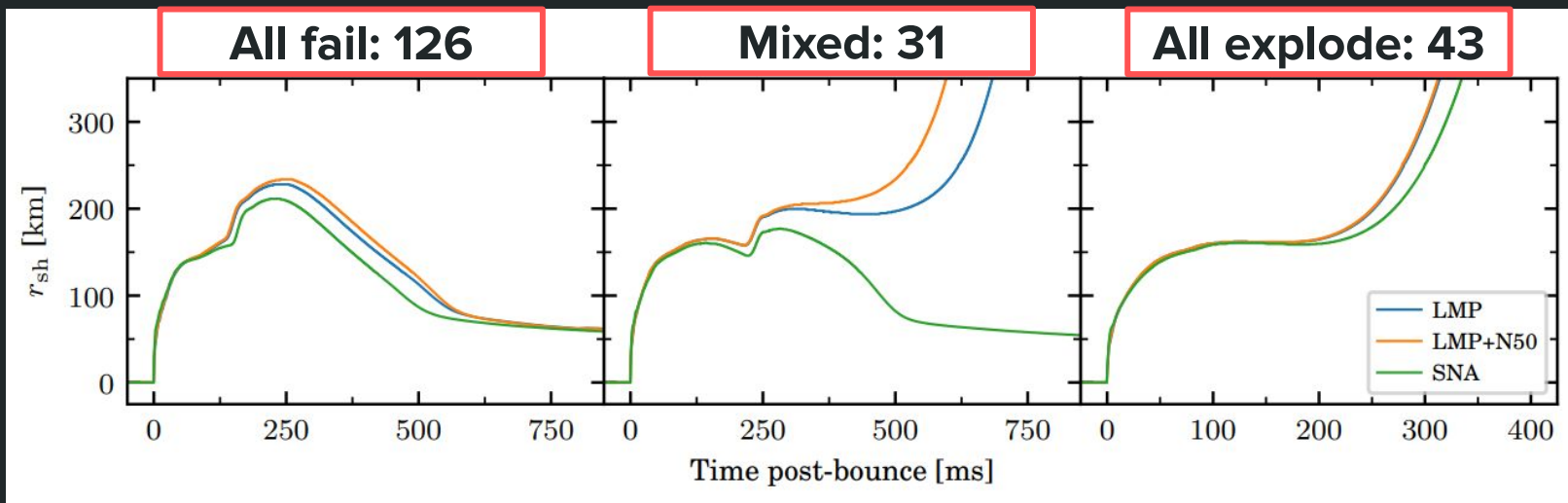
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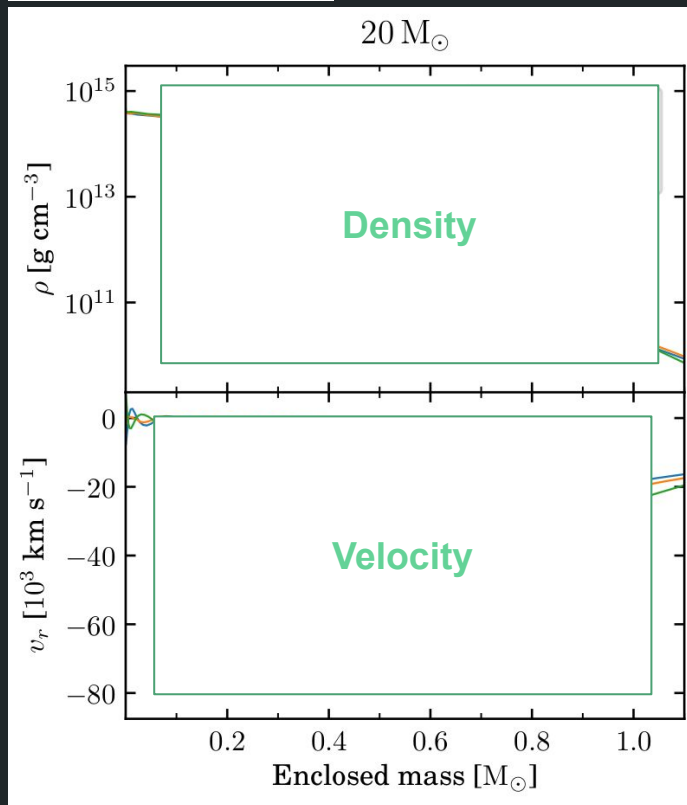
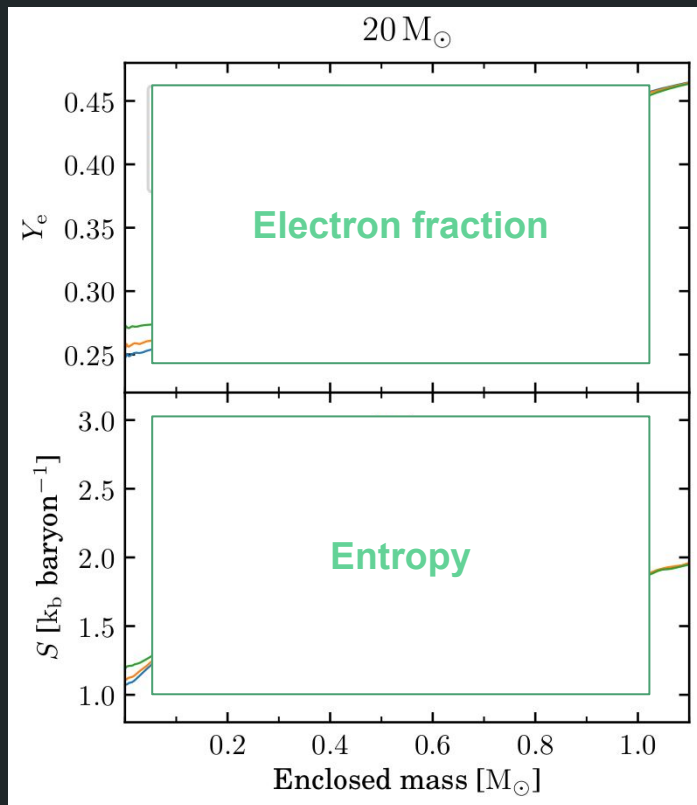
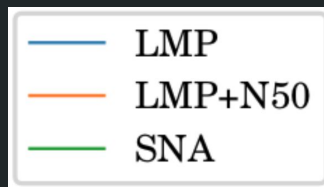
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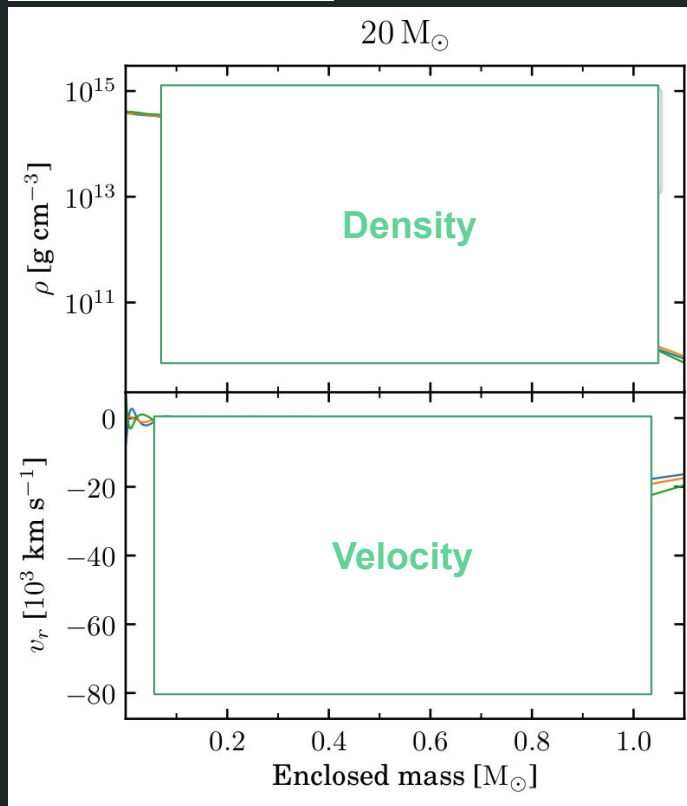
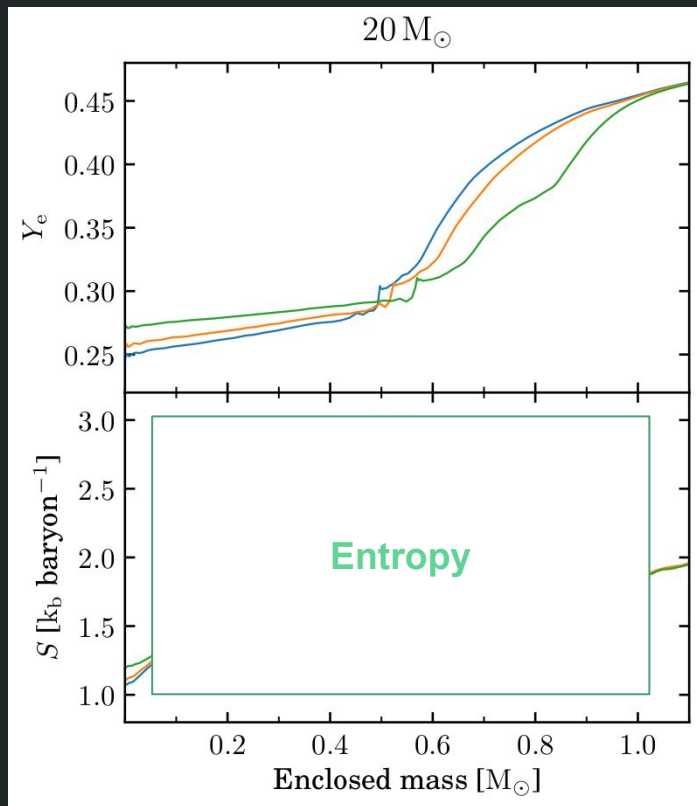
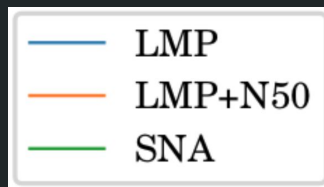
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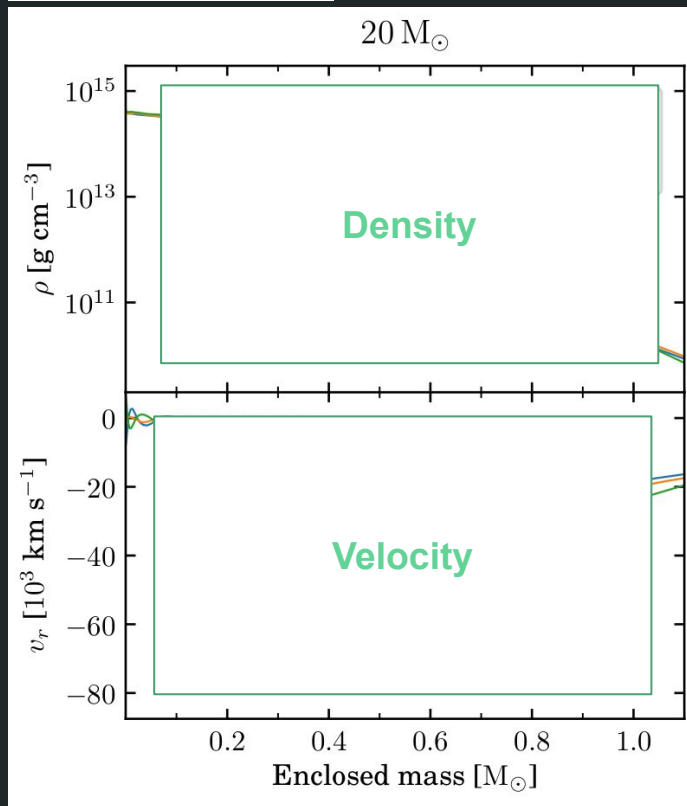
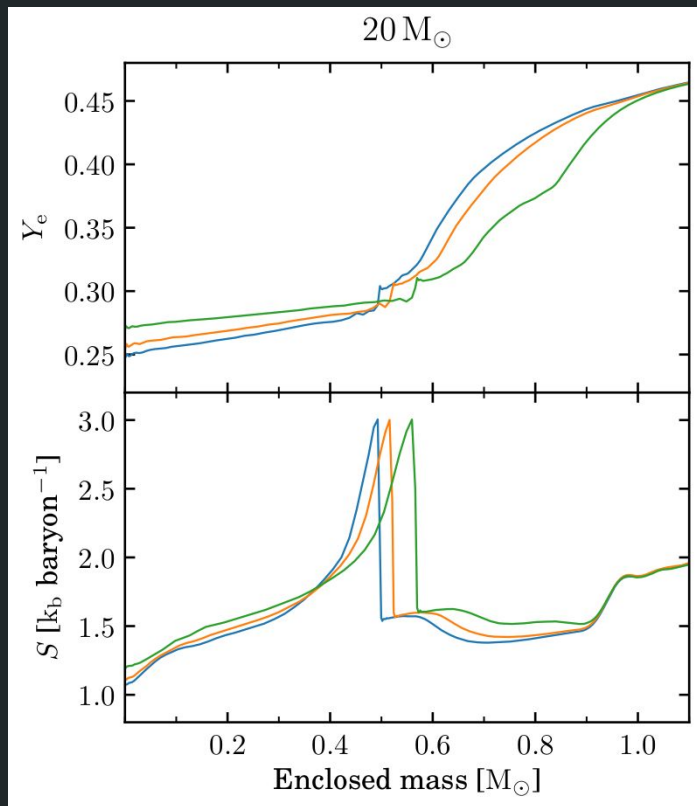
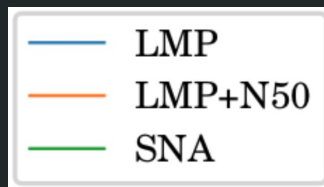
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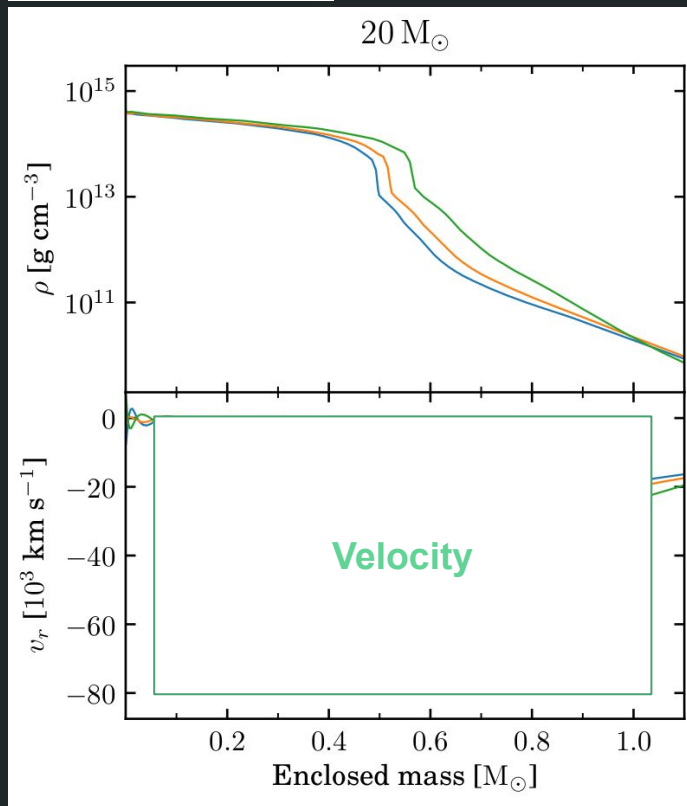
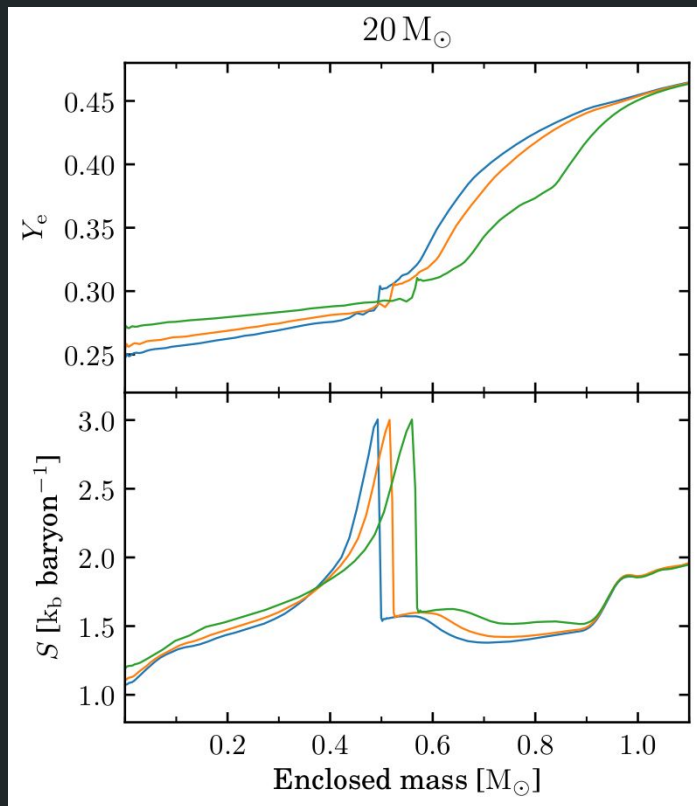
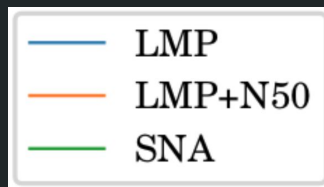
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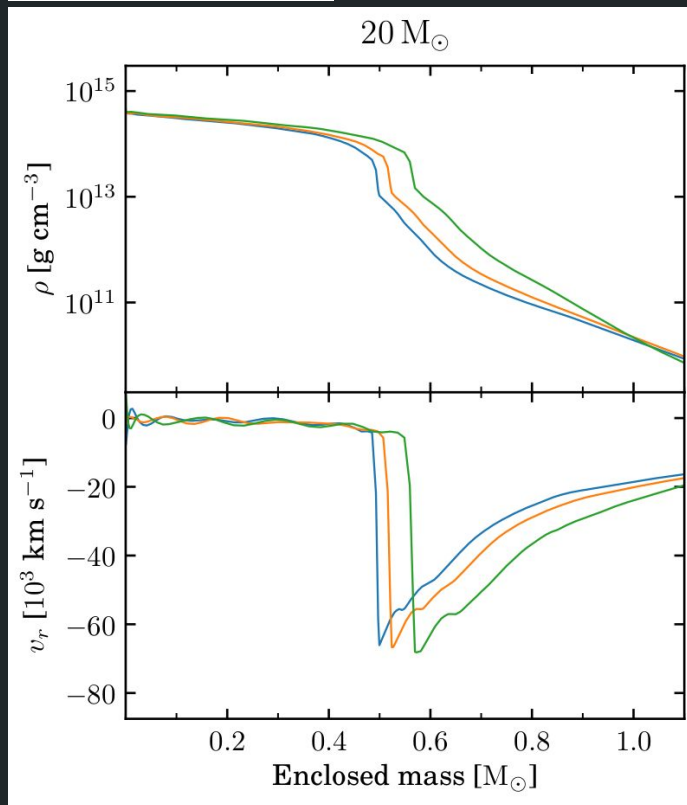
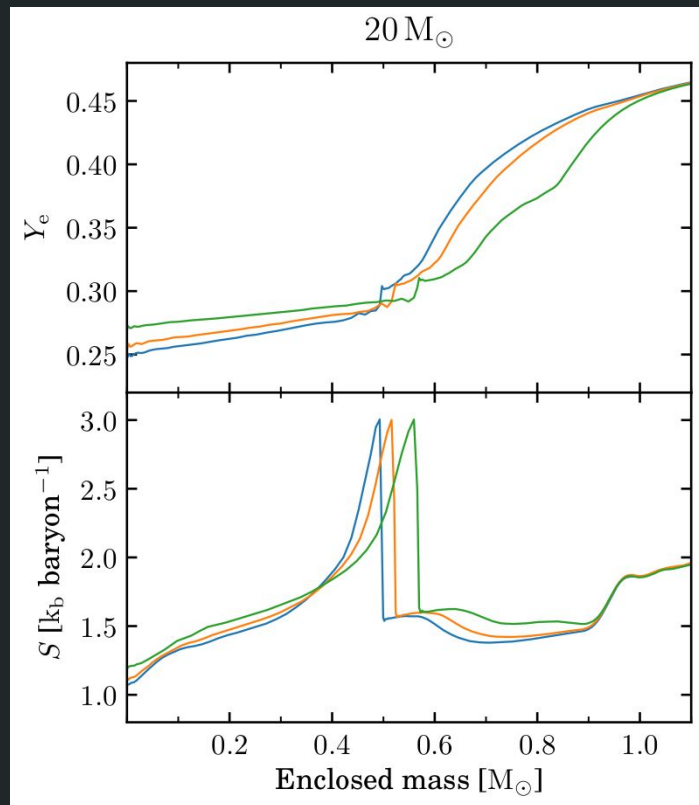
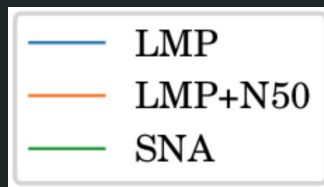
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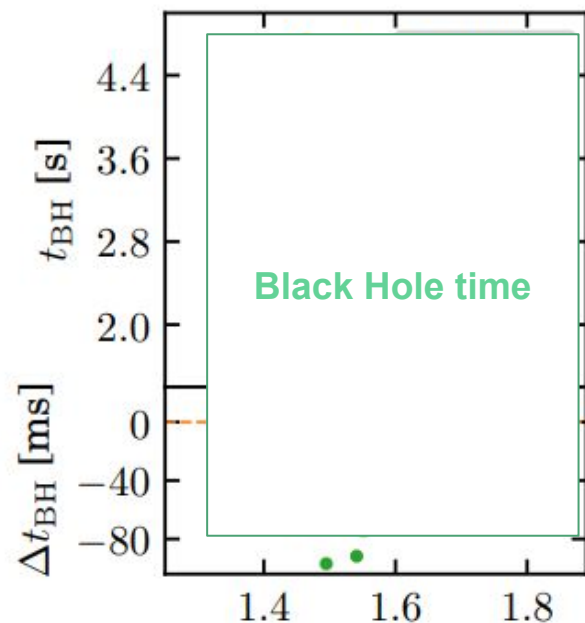
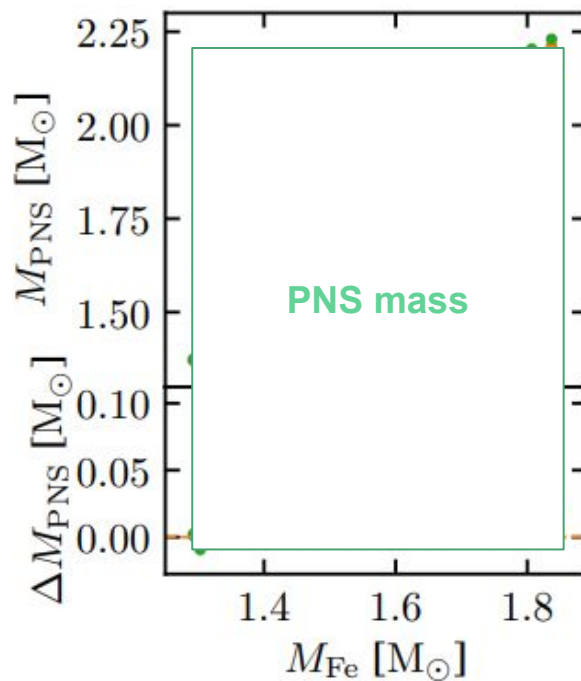
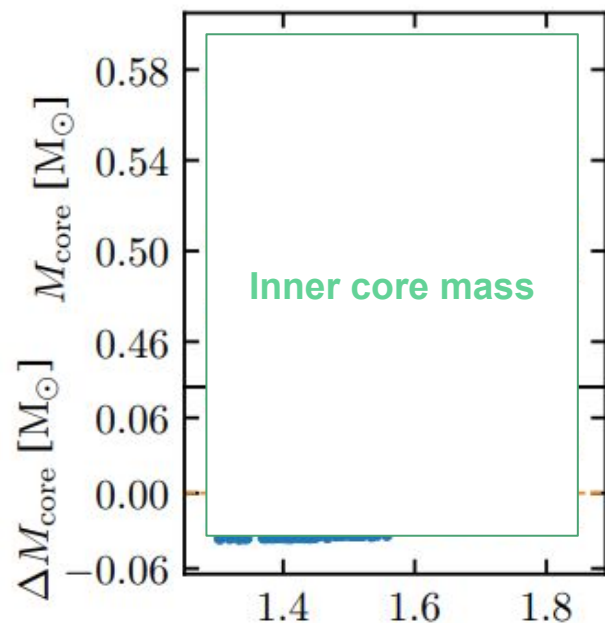


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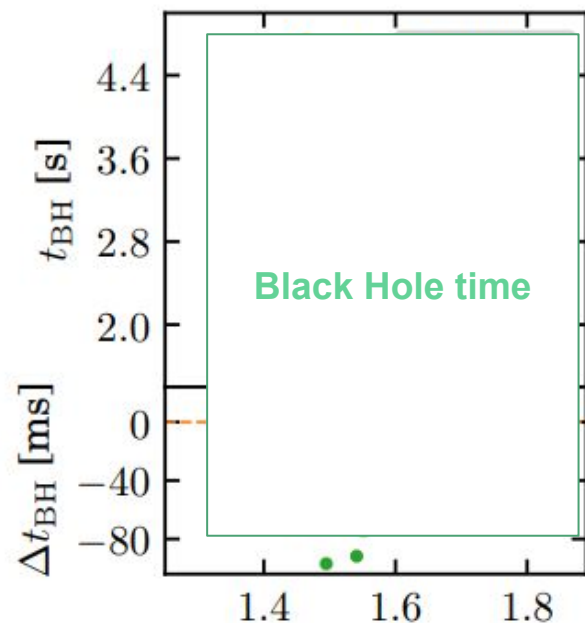
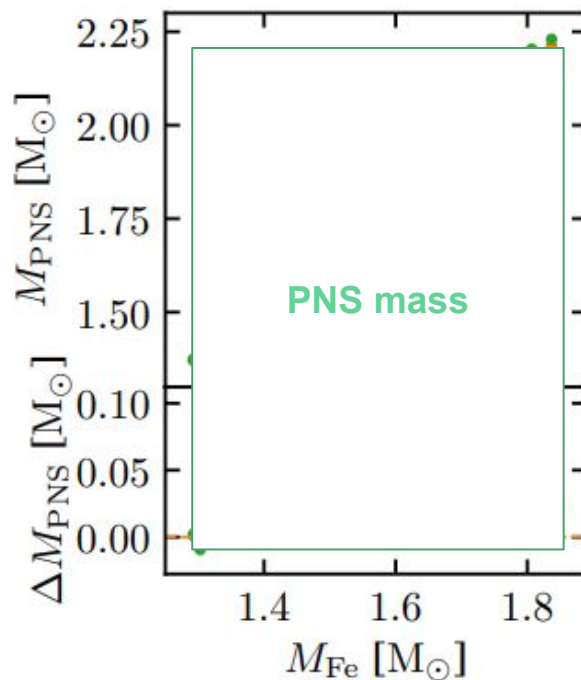
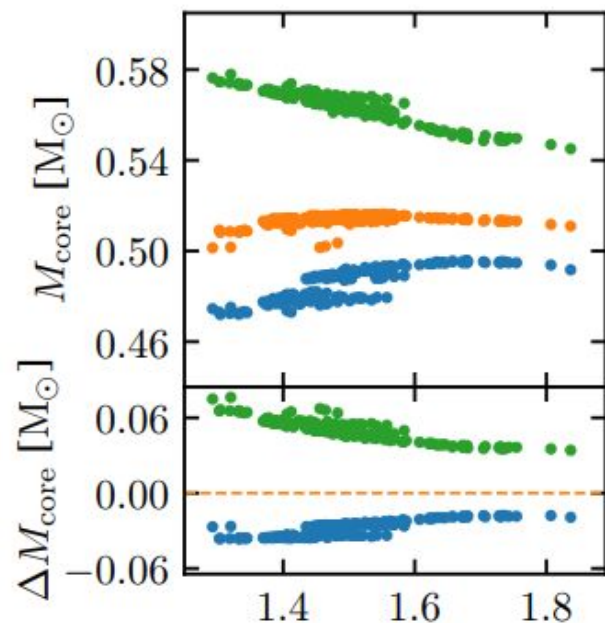
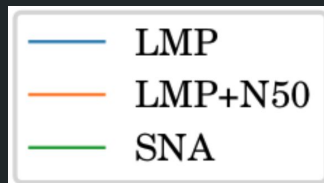


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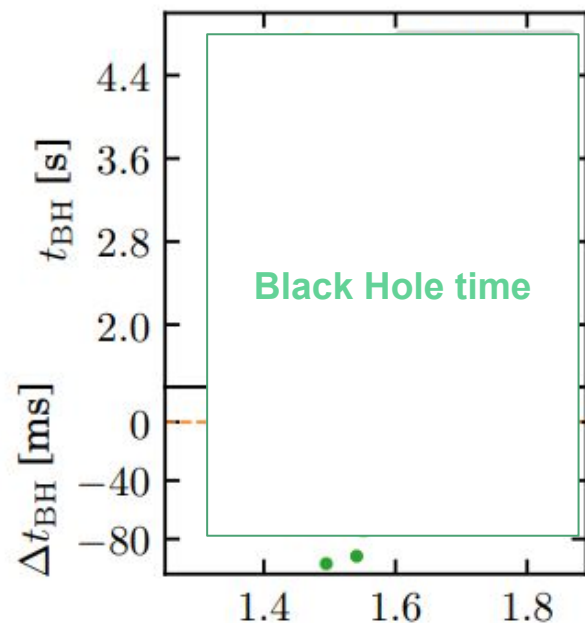
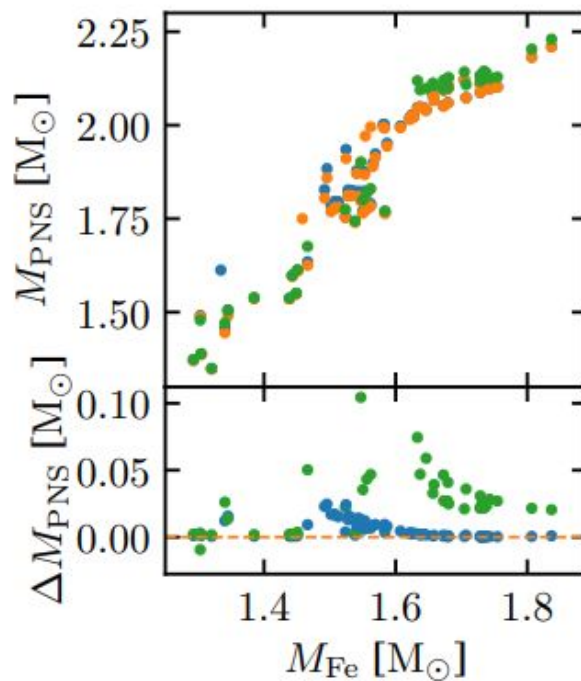
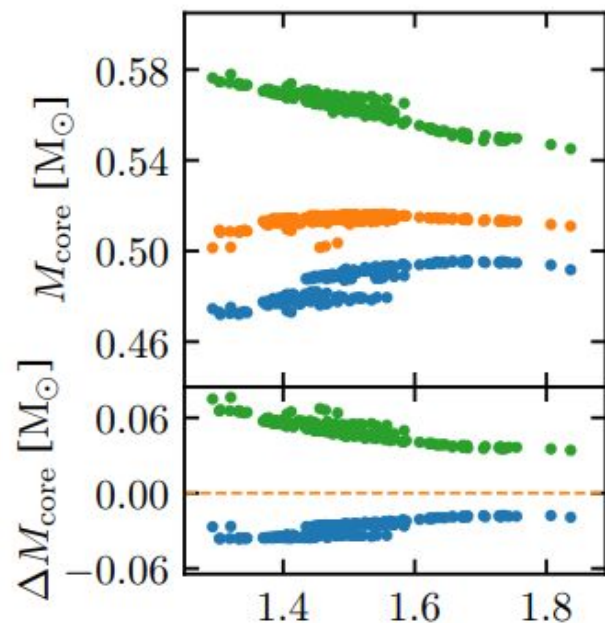
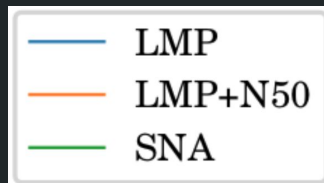
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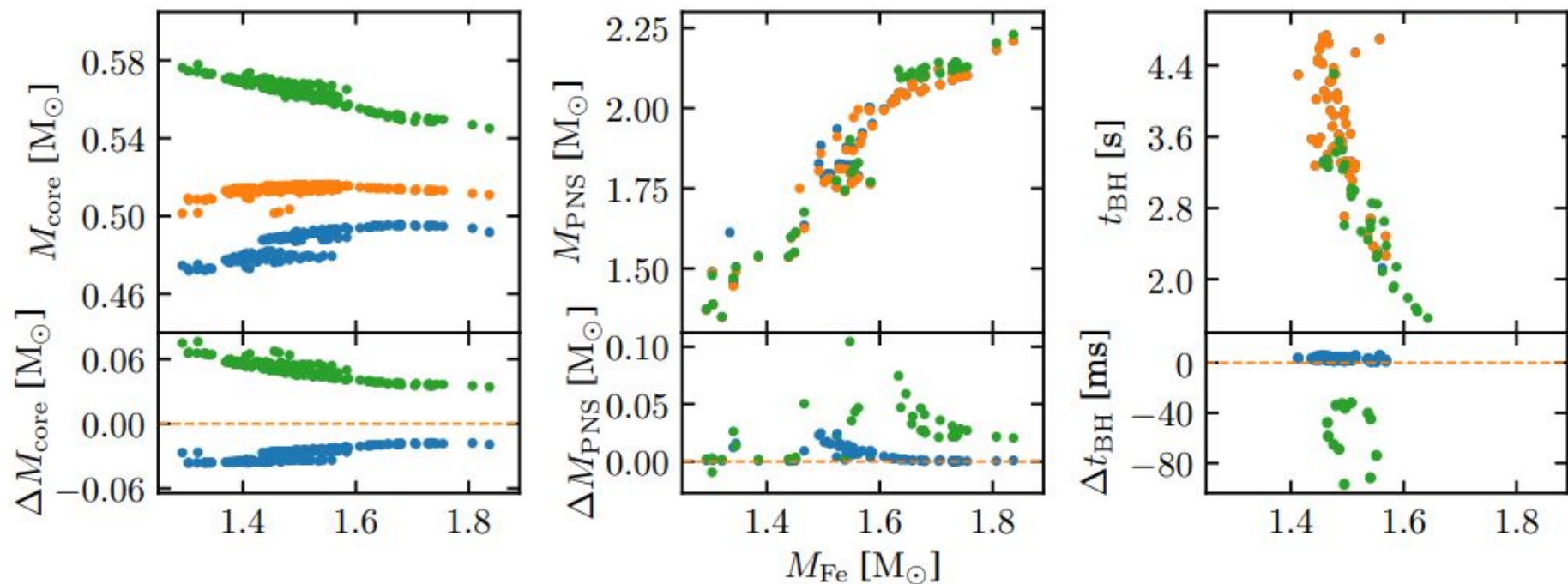
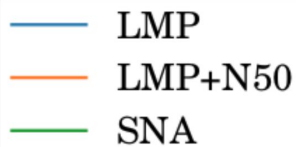


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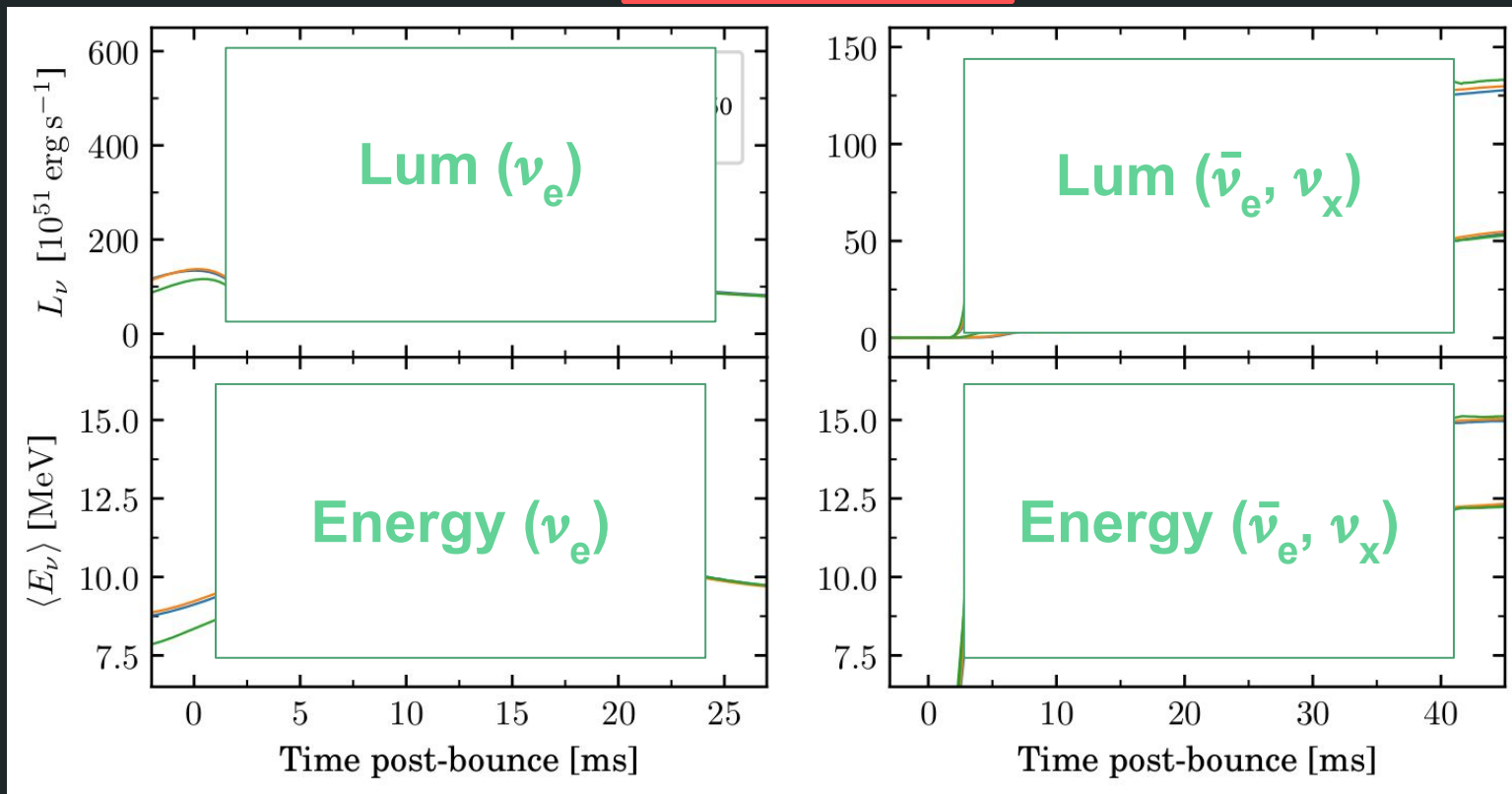
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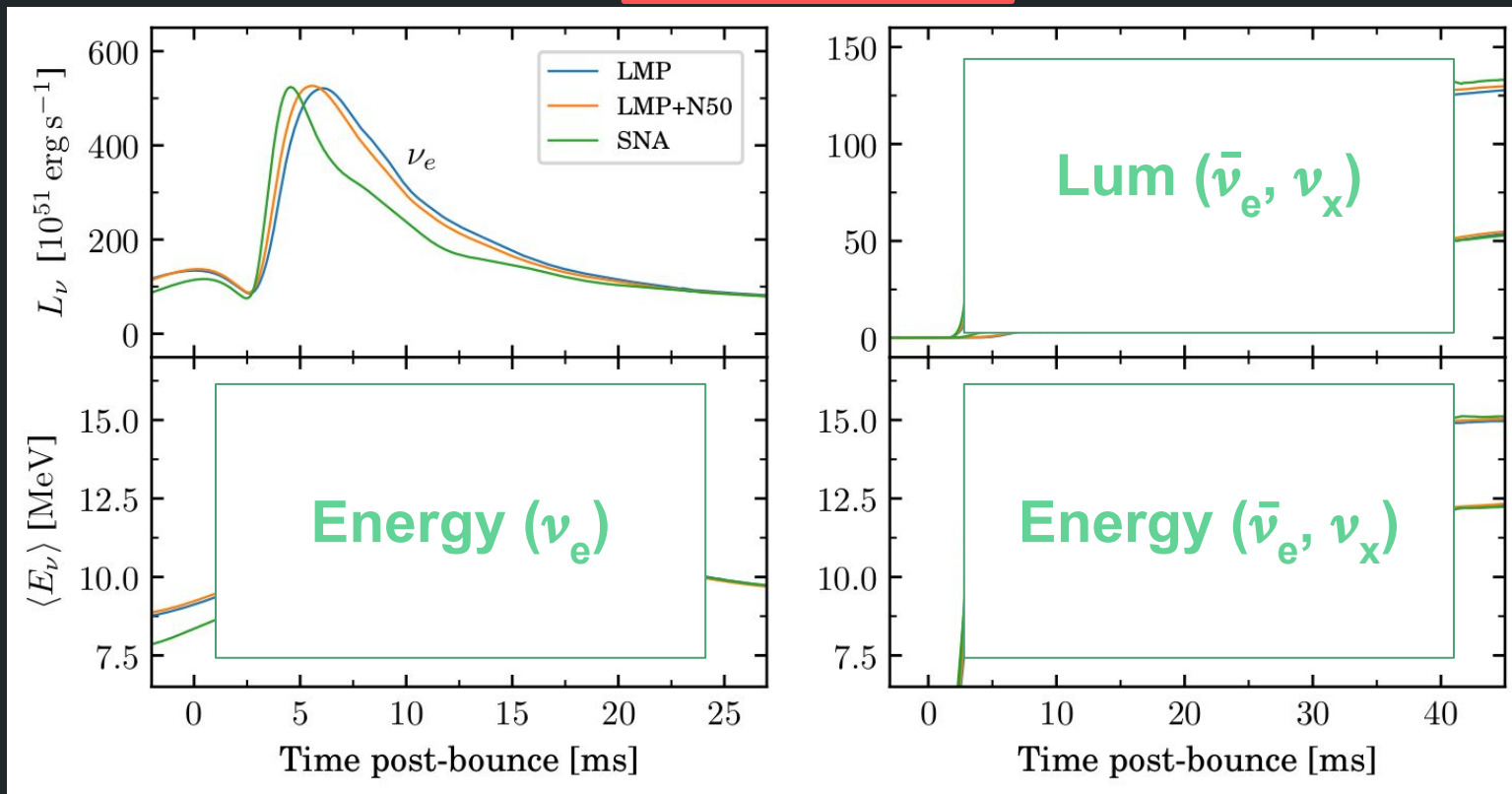
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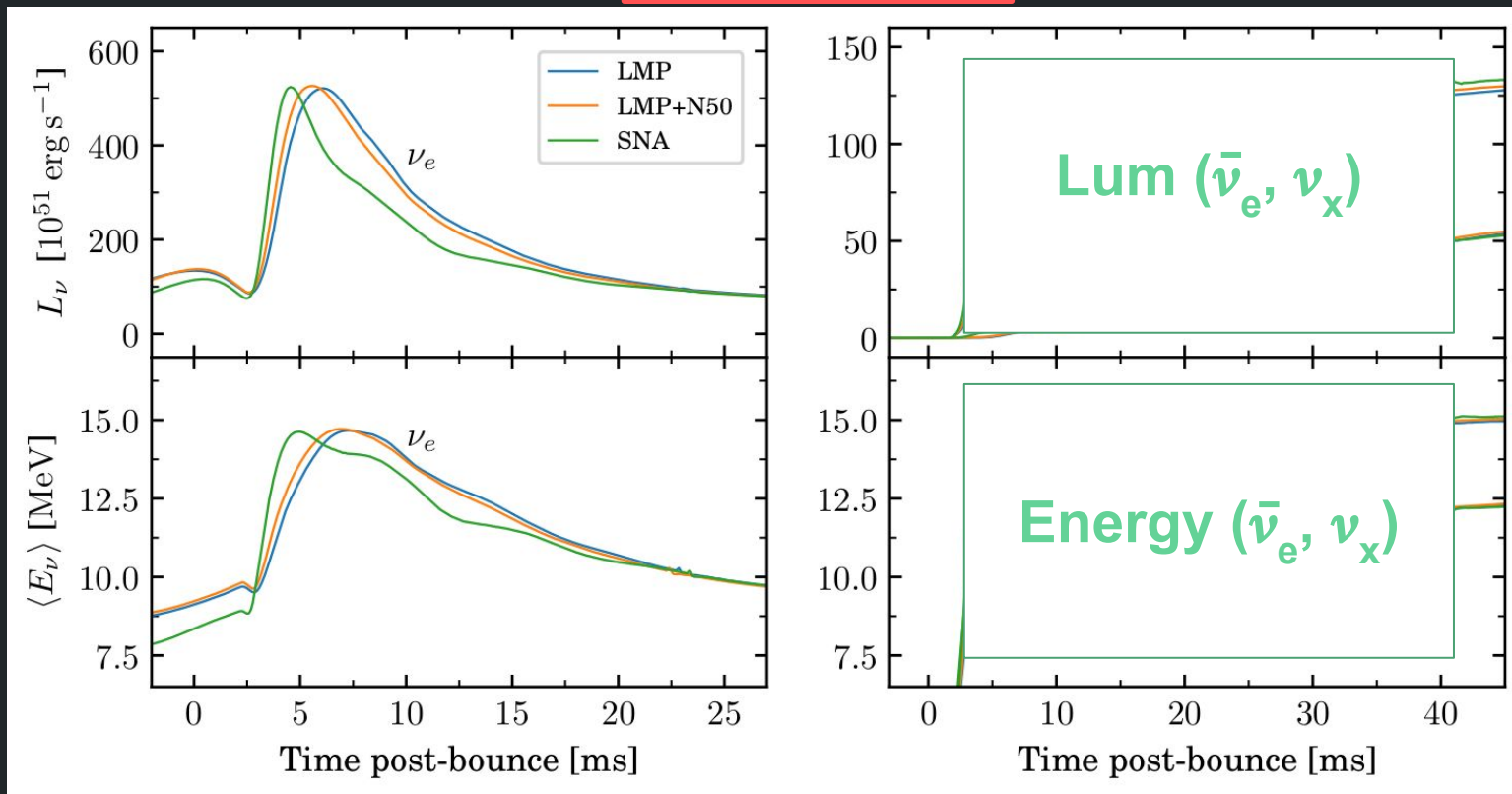
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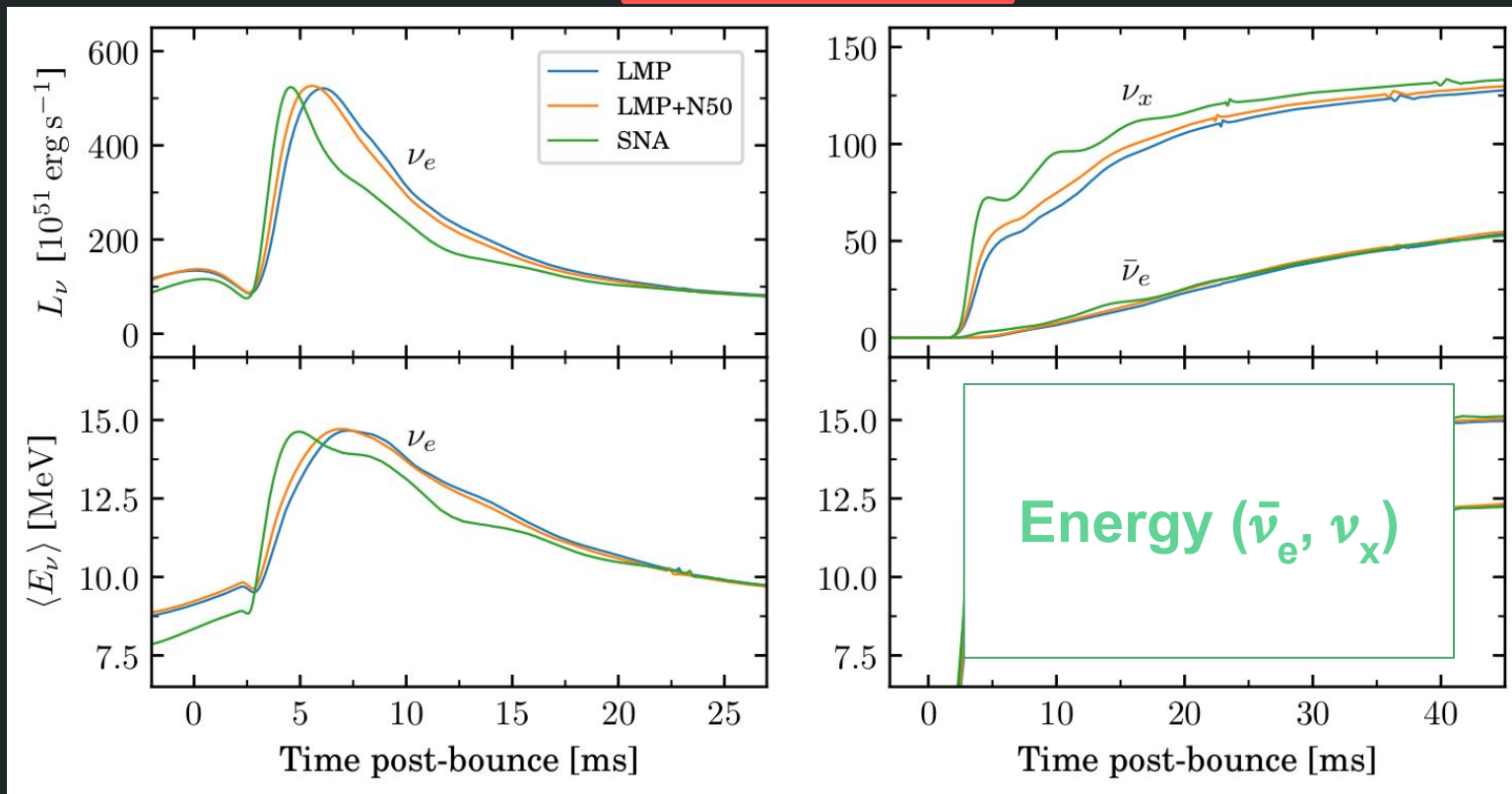
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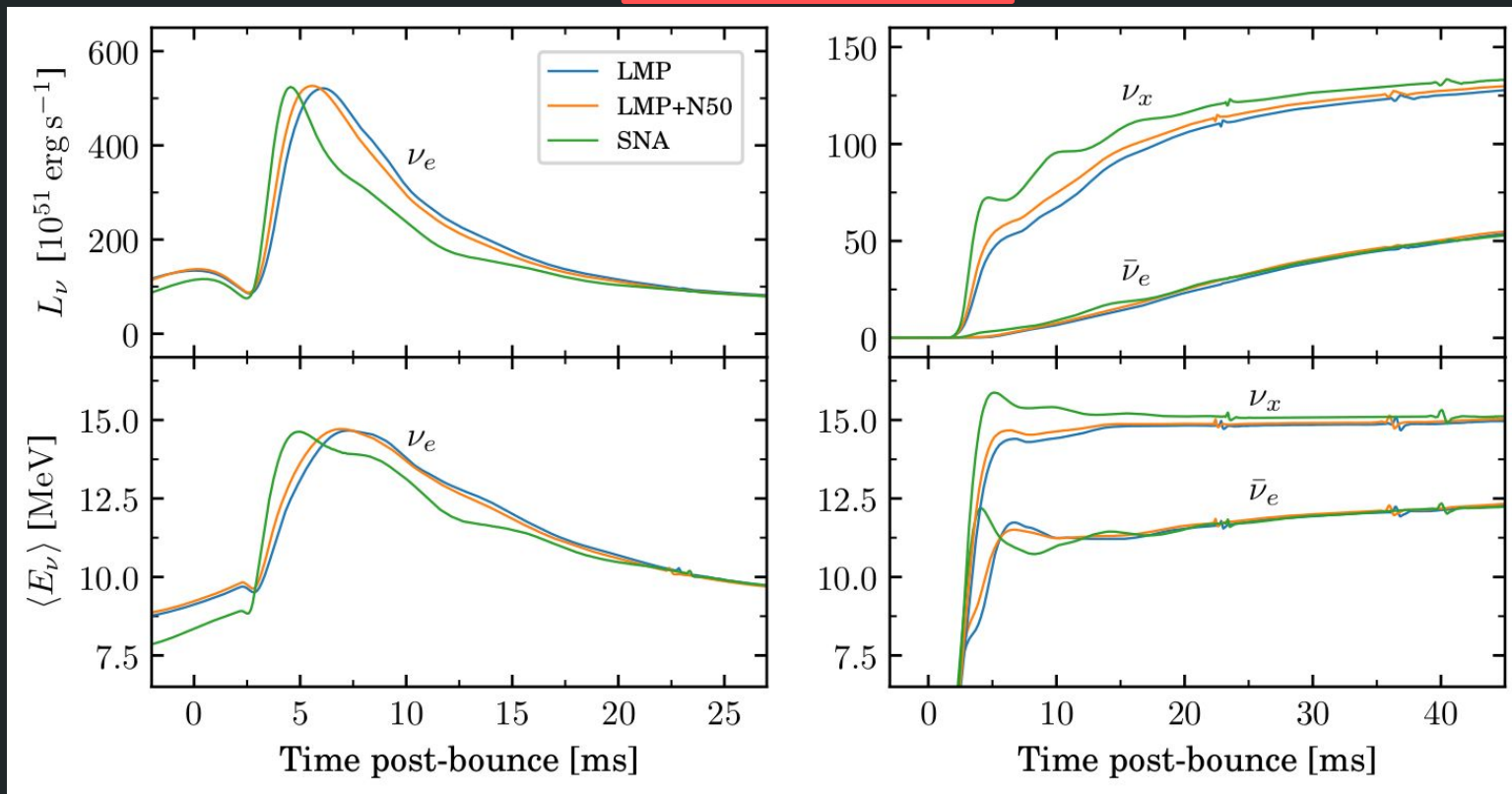
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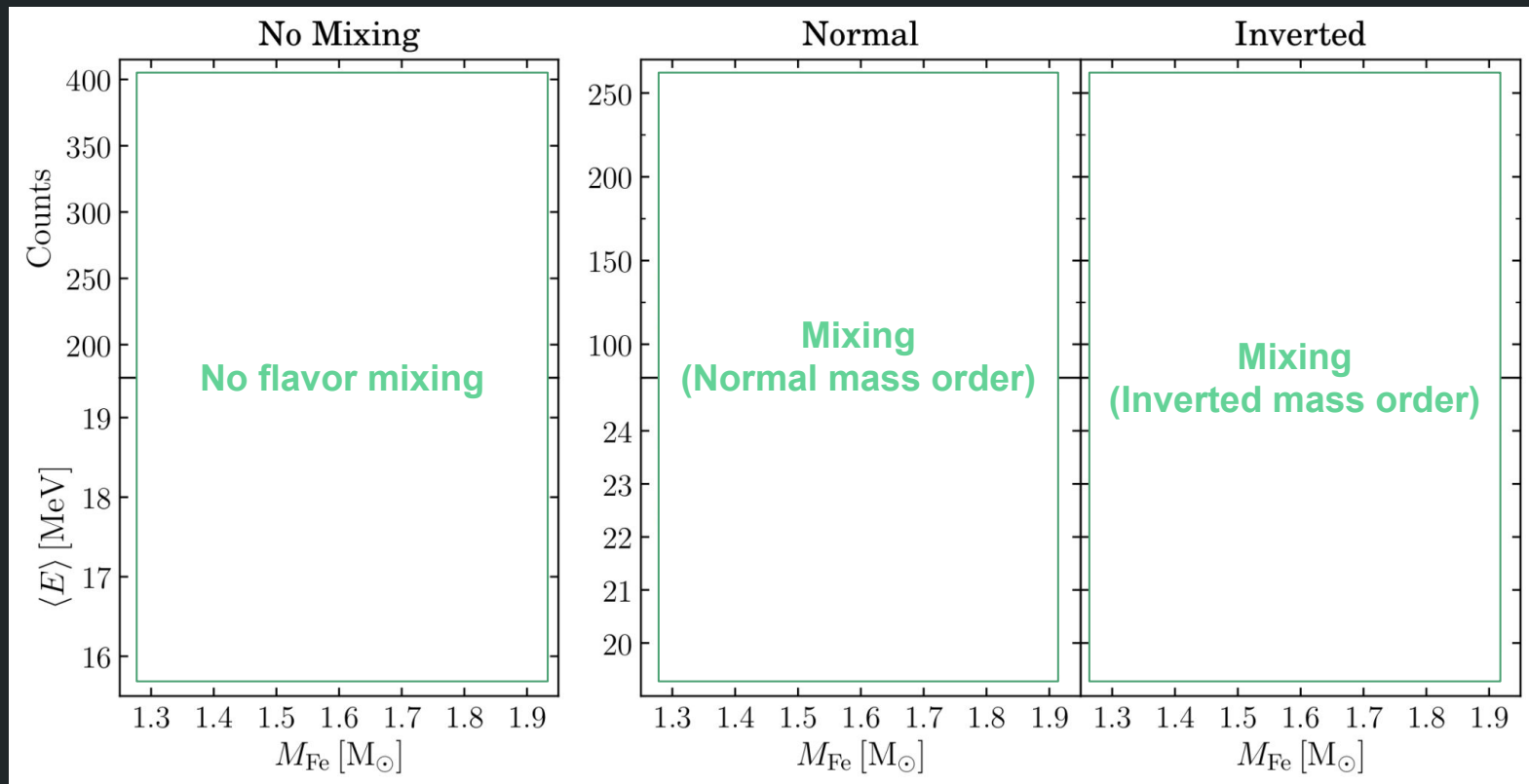
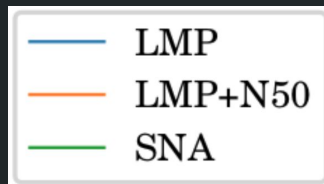
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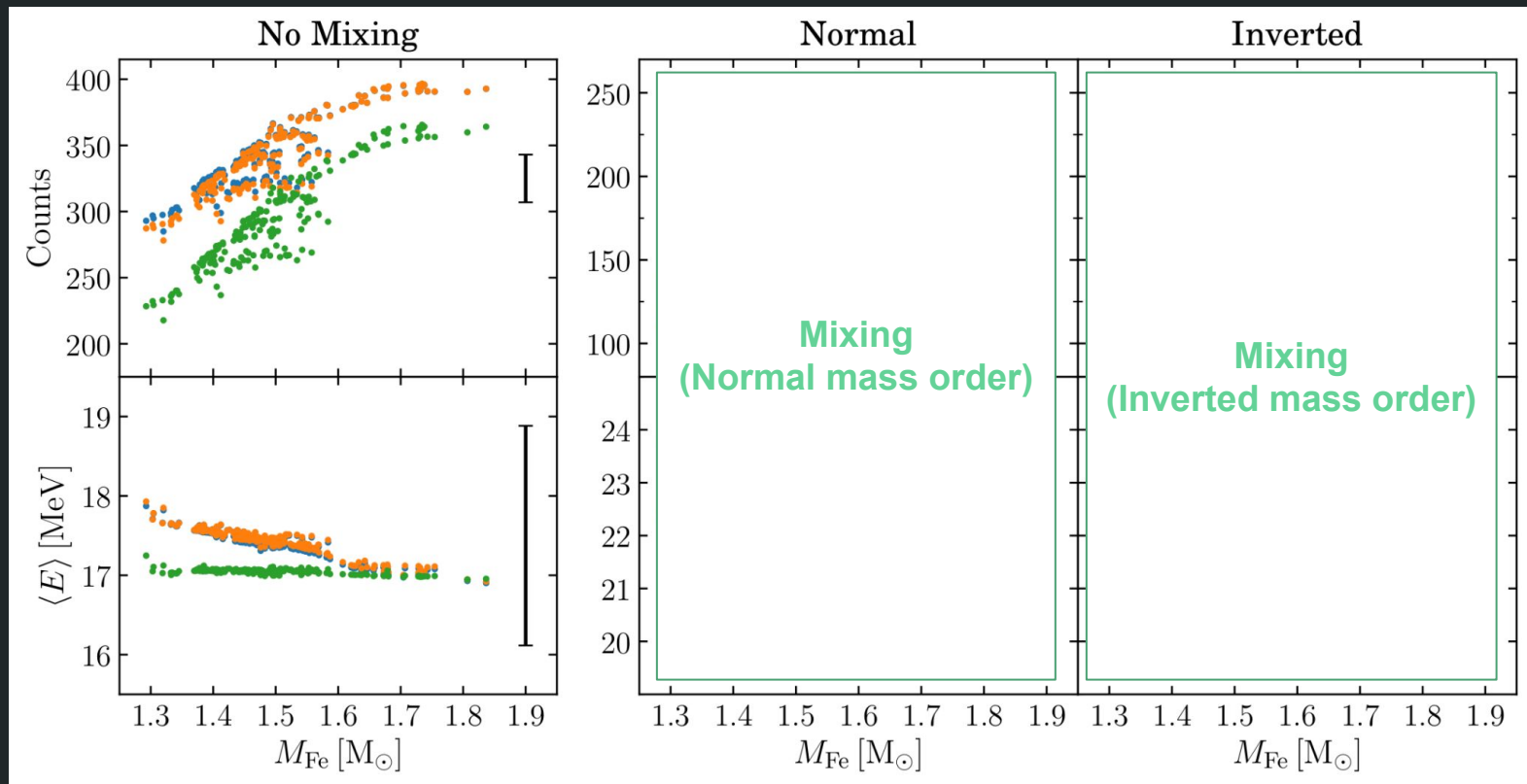
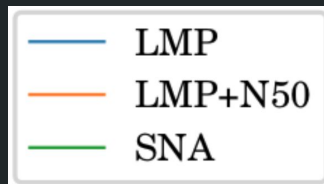
Neutrino Observables

- SNOwGLoBES
- DUNE detector
 - 40 kt liquid-argon
 - Dominant channel: ν_e charged current
- Integrate 100 ms around bounce
- Adiabatic neutrino flavor mixing (normal/inverted)

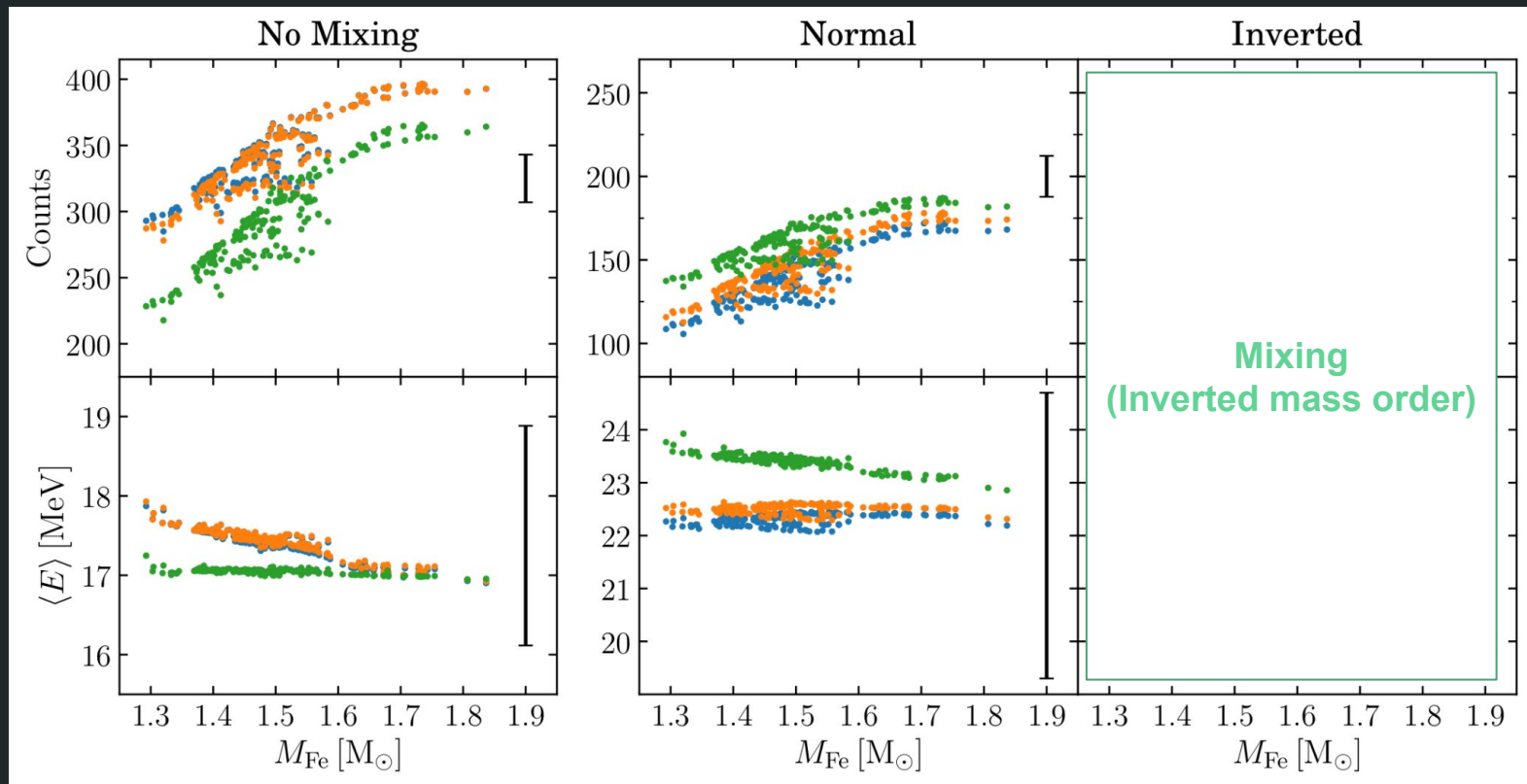
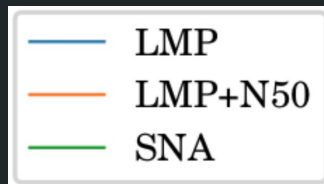
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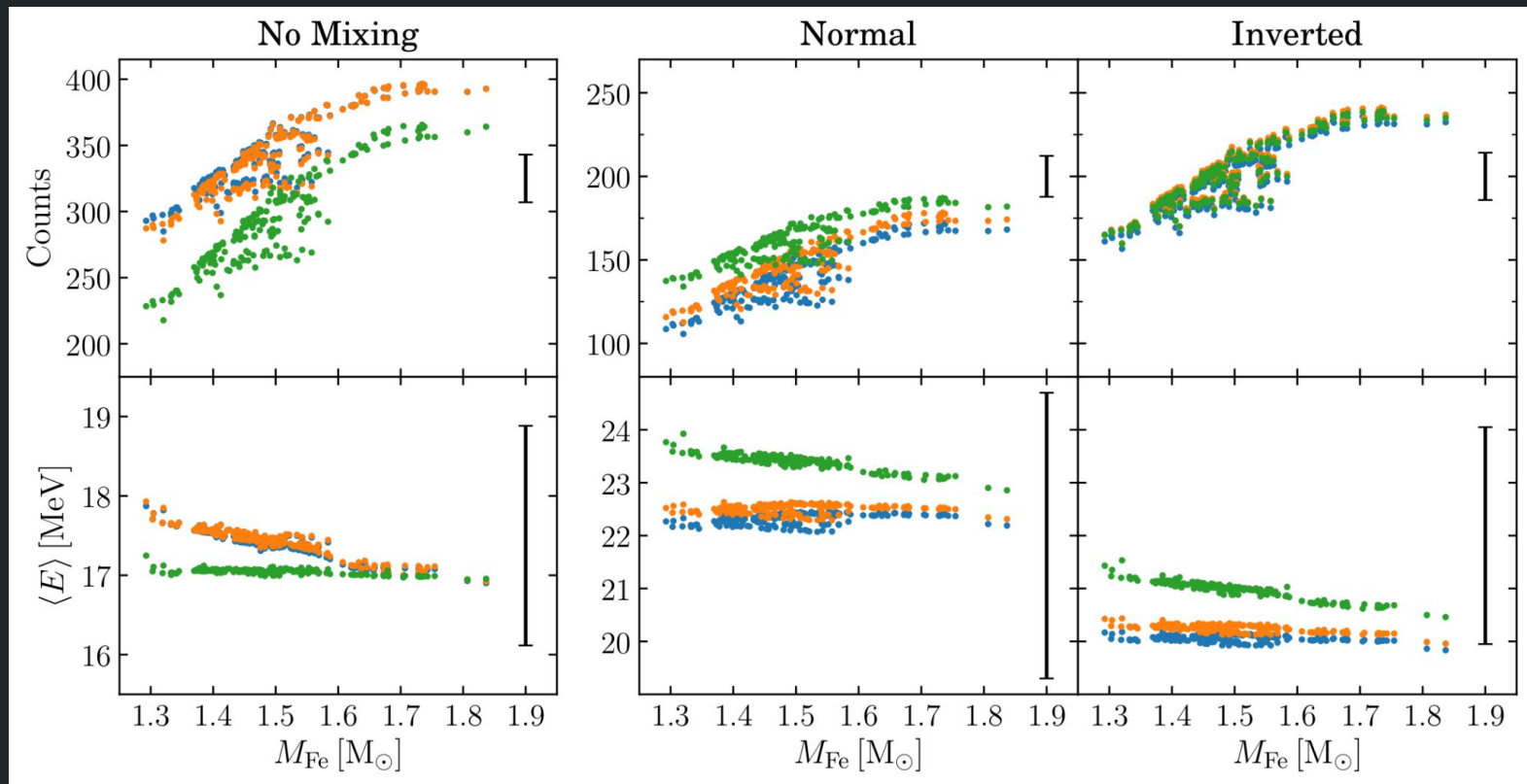
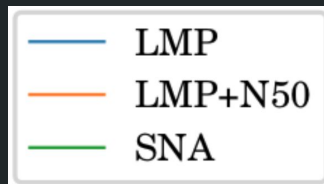
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Overall Results

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- Higher Y_e (high dens)
- Lower Y_e (low dens)
- Faster collapse
- Larger cores
- Least favorable exp.

LMP

- Lower Y_e (high dens)
- Higher Y_e (low dens)
- Slower collapse
- Smaller cores
- More favorable exp.

LMP+N50

- Intermediate
- Most favorable (?)

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 - Still rely on approximations for many nuclei
 - No temp-dependence effects

Summary

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- **200** progenitors: 9 - 120 M_{\odot}
- Consistent difference in CCSNe properties
- **SNA** least-favorable, **LMP** more, **LMP+N50** most (slightly)
- Neutrino detections (SNOwGLoBES)
- Johnston et al. (2021) in prep.

Bonus Slides

12 M_{\odot} 20 M_{\odot} 40 M_{\odot} 