

# Fast oscillations in supernovae neutrinos: Beyond two flavors

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# Linearization:

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## Linearized flavor-stability analysis of dense neutrino streams

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Neutrino-neutrino interactions in dense neutrino streams, like those emitted by a core-collapse supernova, can lead to self-induced neutrino flavor conversions. While this is a nonlinear phenomenon, the onset of these conversions can be examined through a standard stability analysis of the linearized equations of motion. The problem is reduced to a linear eigenvalue equation that involves the neutrino density, energy spectrum, angular distribution, and matter density. In the single-angle case, we reproduce previous results and use them to identify two generic instabilities: The system is stable above a cutoff density (“cutoff mode”), or can approach an asymptotic instability for increasing density (“saturation mode”). We analyze multi-angle effects on these generic types of instabilities and find that even the saturation mode is suppressed at large densities. For both types of modes, a given multi-angle spectrum typically is unstable when the neutrino and electron densities are comparable, but stable when the neutrino density is much smaller or much larger than the electron density. The role of an instability in the SN context depends on the available growth time and on the range of affected modes. At large matter density, most modes are off-resonance even when the system is unstable.

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### I. INTRODUCTION

Neutrino flavor oscillations in a supernova (SN) are strongly suppressed by matter effects [1] until the neutrinos pass through the usual MSW region [2–5] far out in the envelope of the collapsing star. However, neutrino-neutrino interactions [6, 7], through a flavor off-diagonal refractive index, can trigger self-induced flavor conversions [8–13]. This collective effect tends to occur between the neutrino sphere and the MSW region and can lead to strongly modified neutrino spectra, showing features such as spectral swaps and splits [14–19]; for a review see Ref. [20]. The overall scenario, supported by heuristic arguments [21–23], is that the neutrino density is

dynamics. Recent studies dedicated to the SN accretion phase, under simplifying assumptions, once more confirm this picture [24, 25].

However, what is missing is a systematic approach to decide, without solving the equations of motion, if self-induced flavor conversions occur for given neutrino spectra (flavor-dependent energy and angular distribution), overall neutrino density, and matter density. Formal stability criteria exist only in the “single-angle approximation” where it is assumed that all neutrinos feel the same neutrino-neutrino refractive effect. In this case the analytic pendulum solution has been found and its existence and parameters can be calculated from the neutrino spec-

# Linearized System

## Liouville like equations

$$v^\beta \partial_\beta \rho = -i[H_p, \rho_p] \quad v^\beta = (1, \mathbf{v}) \\ \beta = 0, \dots, 3$$

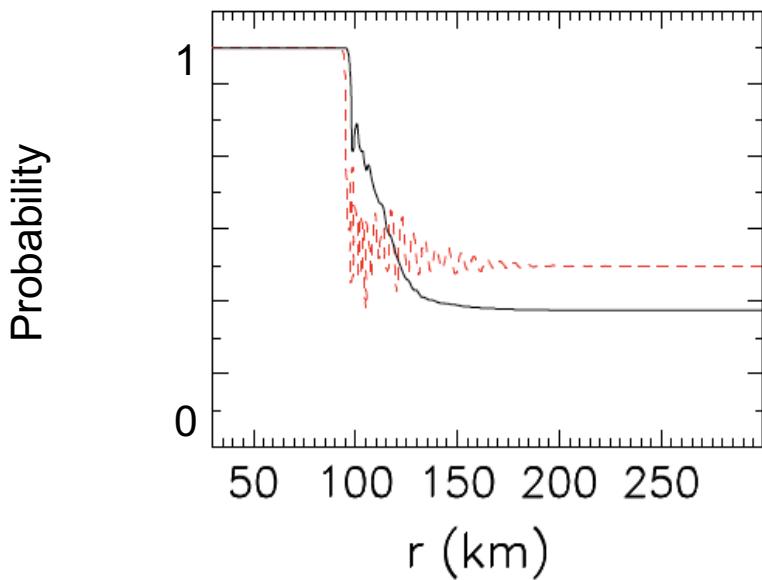
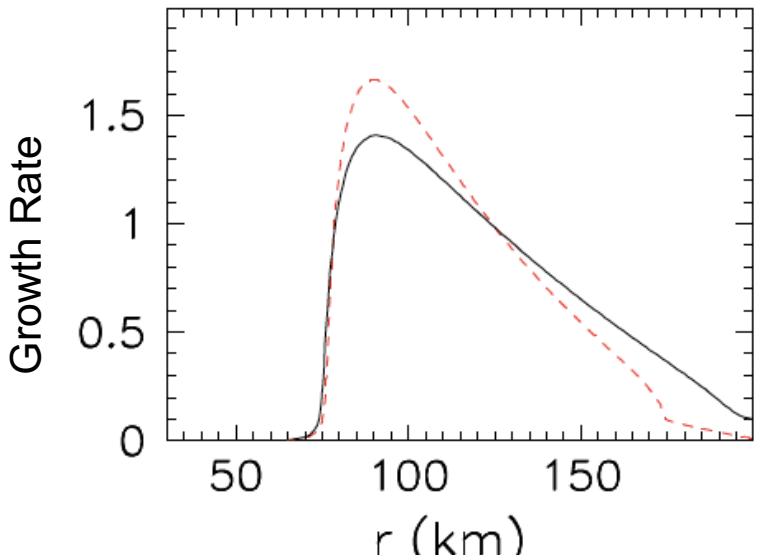
$$\Omega_{\mathbf{r}, E, \mathbf{v}} = g_{1E, \mathbf{v}} \begin{pmatrix} S & S_1 \\ S_1^* & -S \end{pmatrix}_{\mathbf{r}, E, \mathbf{v}} \quad \leftarrow |S| \ll 1$$

$$i v^\beta \partial_\beta \underline{S_{1E, \mathbf{v}}} = (\omega_{12} + v^\beta \lambda_{1\beta}) \underline{S_{1E, \mathbf{v}}} - \sqrt{2} G_F v^\beta \int d\Gamma' v'_\beta g_{1E', \mathbf{v}'} \underline{S_{1E', \mathbf{v}'}}$$

Spectrum:

$$g_{1E, \mathbf{v}} = \begin{cases} f_{\nu_e, \mathbf{p}} - f_{\nu_\mu, \mathbf{p}} & \text{for } E > 0, \\ f_{\bar{\nu}_\mu, \mathbf{p}} - f_{\bar{\nu}_e, \mathbf{p}} & \text{for } E < 0. \end{cases} \quad \int d\Gamma = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{E^2 dE}{2\pi^2} \int \frac{d\mathbf{v}}{4\pi},$$

# LINEARIZED STABILITY ANALYSIS

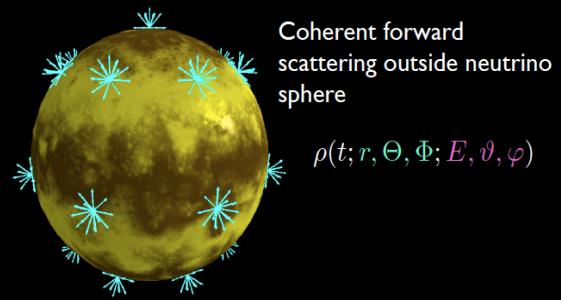


Onset of the conversion:  
Peak of the growth rate curve

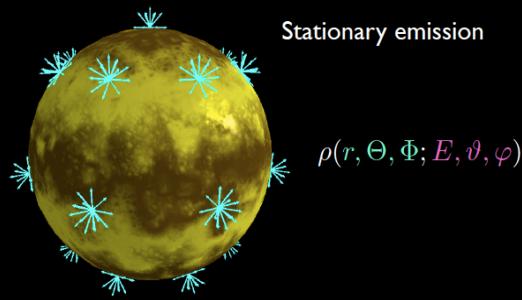
S.C & Mirizzi, PRD, 2014

# NEUTRINO TRANSPORT & FLAVOR OSCILLATIONS: 7D PROBLEM

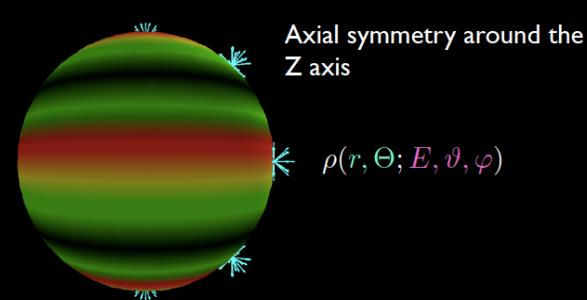
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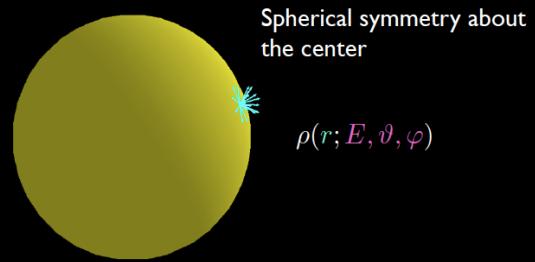
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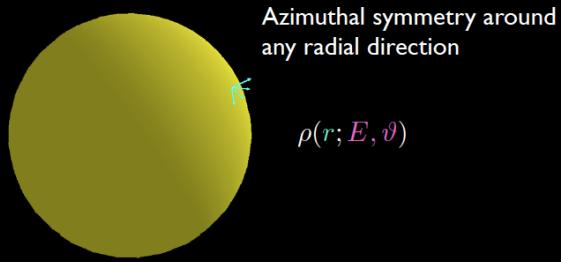
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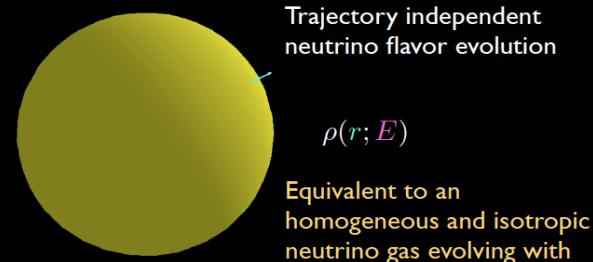
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(0+1+2)D  
Multi-Angle/Bulb Model



(0+1+1)D  
Single-Angle Model



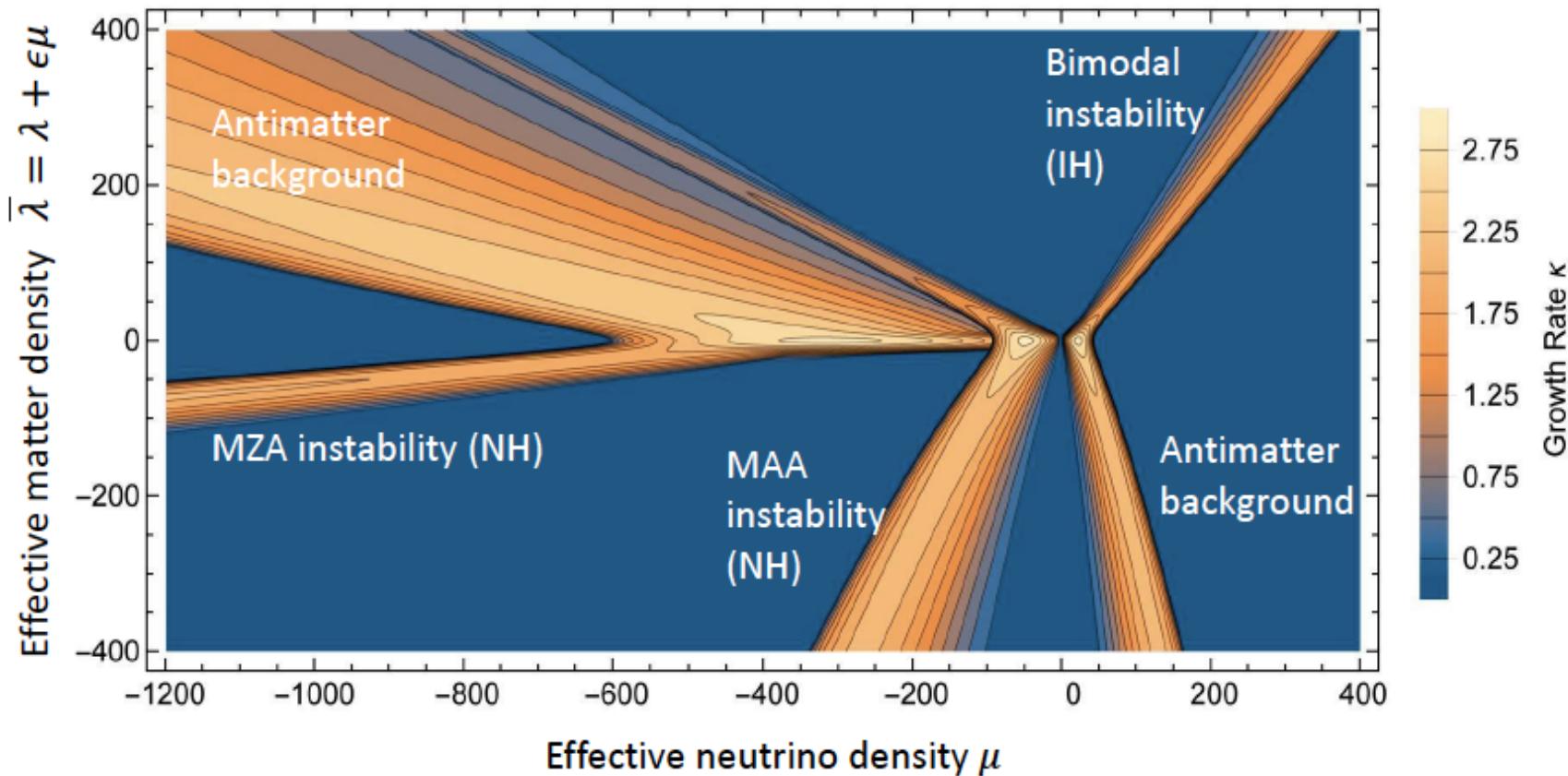
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Duan & Shalgar, PLB 2015

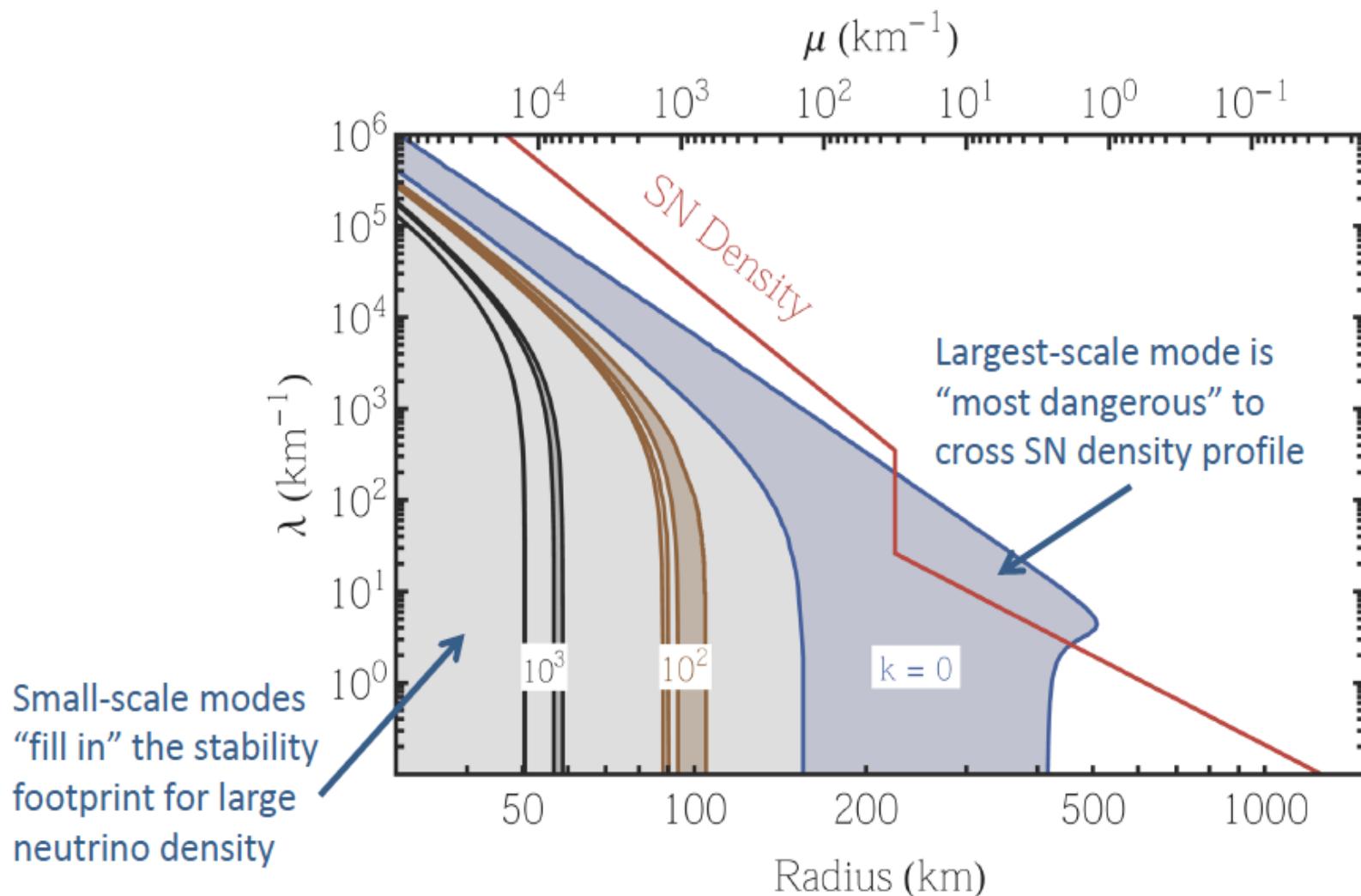
Mirizzi, Mangano & Saviano, PRD 2015

# LINEARIZED STABILITY ANALYSIS (0+3+3)

Growth rate in 2D parameter space of effective matter and neutrino density  
("Butterfly diagram")



# LINEARIZED STABILITY ANALYSIS: INHOMOGENEITY IN TRANSVERSE PLANE (0+3+3)



# FAST INSTABILITY (0+1+3)

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## Speed-up of neutrino transformations in a supernova environment

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(Received 8 April 2005; published 5 August 2005)

When the neutral current neutrino-neutrino interaction is treated completely, rather than as an interaction among angle-averaged distributions, or as a set of flavor-diagonal effective potentials, the result can be flavor mixing at a speed orders of magnitude faster than that one would anticipate from the measured neutrino oscillation parameters. It is possible that the energy spectra of the three active species of neutrinos emerging from a supernova are nearly identical.

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[10.1103/PhysRevD.72.045003](https://doi.org/10.1103/PhysRevD.72.045003)

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## Neutrino Cloud Instabilities Just above the Neutrino Sphere of a Supernova

R. F. Sawyer

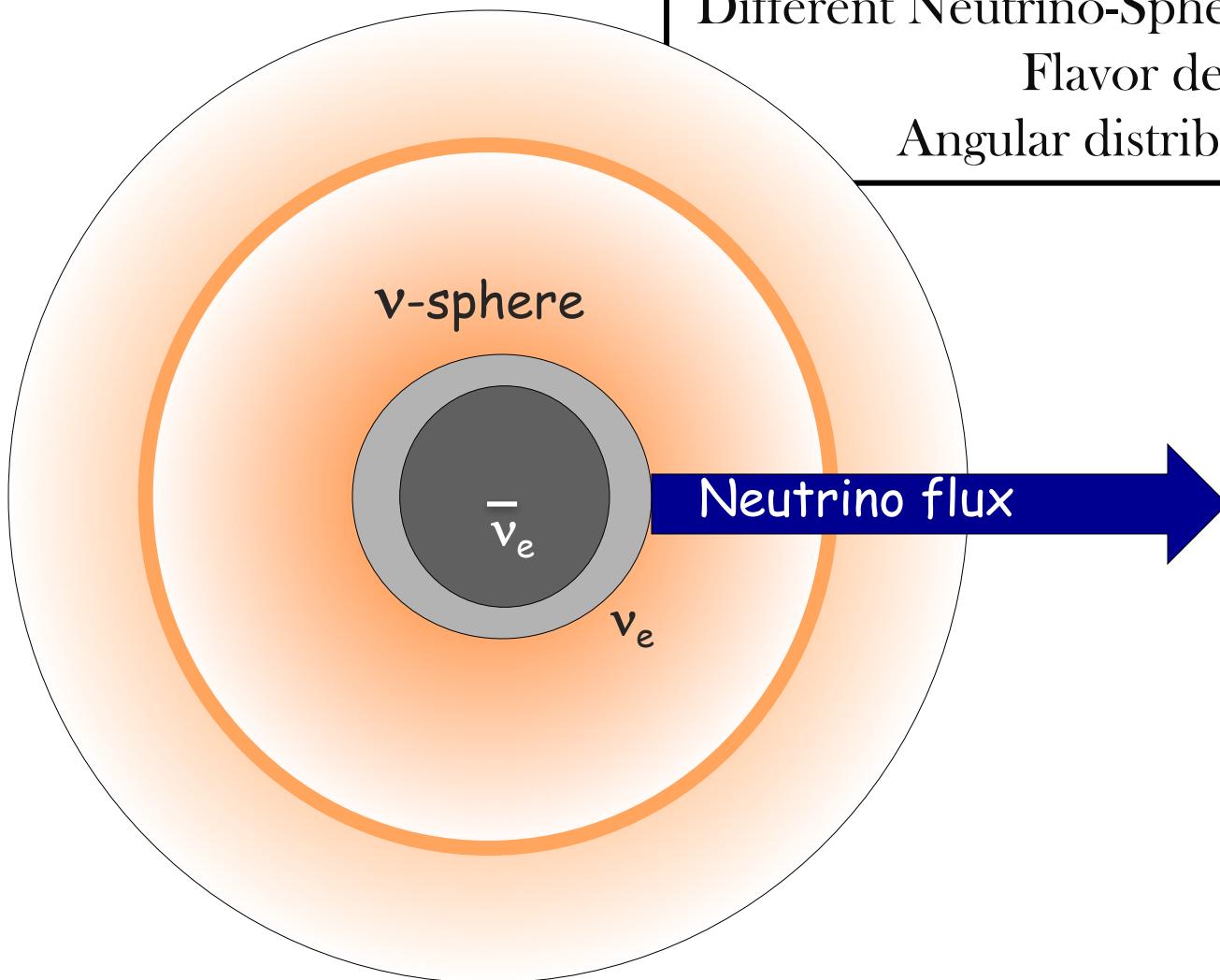
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(Received 7 September 2015; revised manuscript received 2 January 2016; published 25 February 2016)

Most treatments of neutrino flavor evolution, above a surface of the last scattering, take identical angular distributions on this surface for the different initial (unmixed) flavors, and for particles and antiparticles. Differences in these distributions must be present, as a result of the species-dependent scattering cross sections lower in the star. These lead to a new set of nonlinear equations, unstable even at the initial surface with respect to perturbations that break all-over spherical symmetry. There could be important consequences for explosion dynamics as well as for the neutrino pulse in the outer regions.

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# SN ν FLAVOR TRANSITIONS: COLLECTIVE OSCILLATION

Different Neutrino-Sphere for different flavors :  
Flavor dependent  
Angular distribution / spectra



# FAST INSTABILITY: ORDER $\mu$ GROWTH

$$i v^\beta \partial_\beta S_{1E,\mathbf{v}} = (\omega_{12} + v^\beta \lambda_{1\beta}) S_{1E,\mathbf{v}} - \sqrt{2} G_F v^\beta \int d\Gamma' v'_\beta g_{1E',\mathbf{v}'} S_{1E',\mathbf{v}'}$$

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- Unstable modes grow with rates of order  $\mu$  instead of  $\omega$  ( $\mu \gg \omega$ )
- This requires different angle distribution for different flavors.
- The difference spectrum  $g_{\omega,\mathbf{v}}$  is flavor dependent

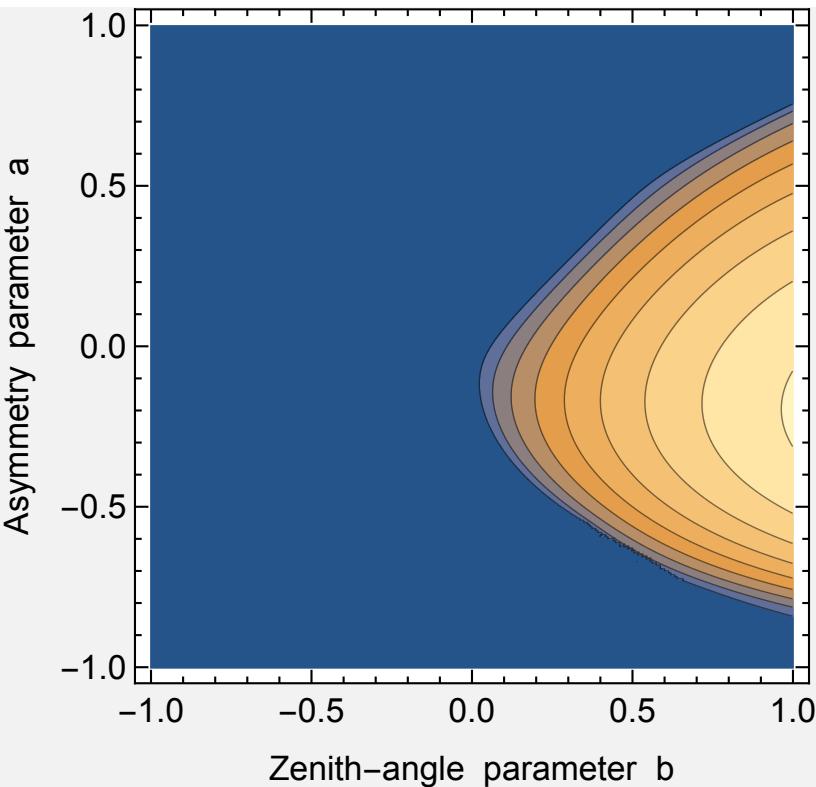
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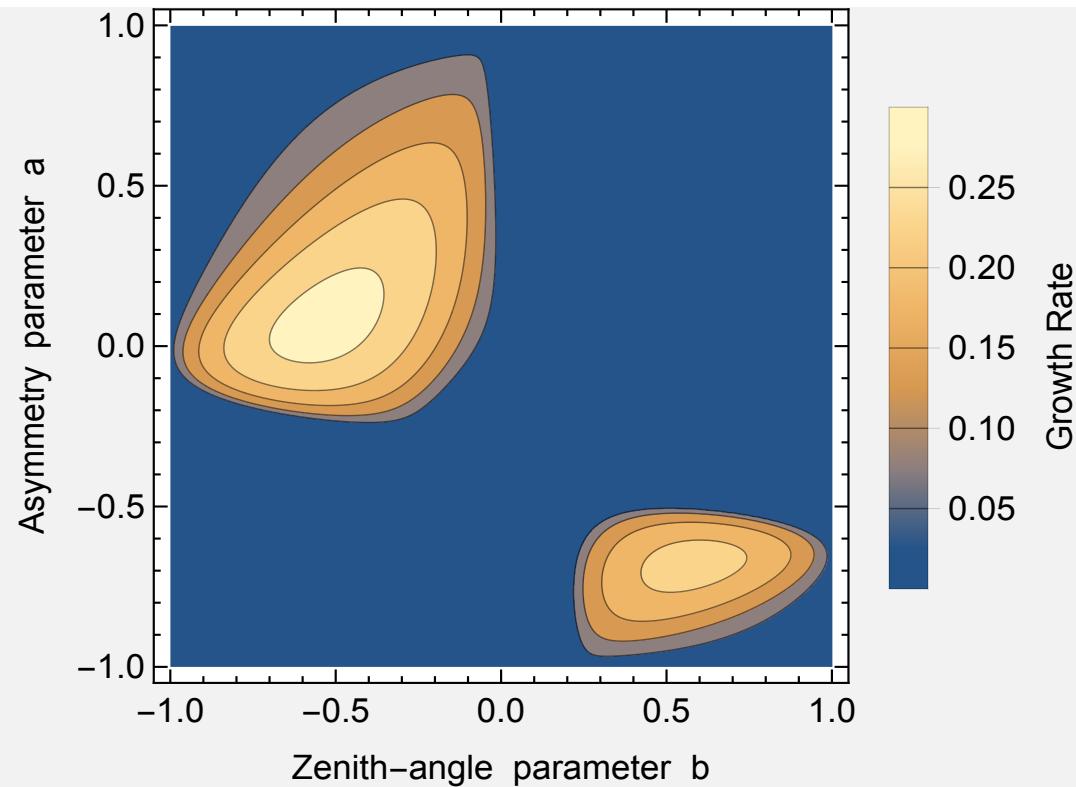
# FAST INSTABILITY (0+1+3)

**SN:  $a > 0, b > 0$**

Axially symmetric solution  
**(0+1+2)**



Axial symmetry broken  
**(0+1+3)**



# Fast Oscillations: Three Flavor

$$i v^\beta \partial_\beta S_{1E,\mathbf{v}} = (\omega_{12} + v^\beta \lambda_{1\beta}) S_{1E,\mathbf{v}} - \sqrt{2} G_F v^\beta \int d\Gamma' v'_\beta g_{1E',\mathbf{v}'} S_{1E',\mathbf{v}'}$$

$$S_{1\Gamma,r} = Q_{1\Gamma,K} e^{-i(K_1^0 t - \mathbf{K}_1 \cdot \mathbf{r})}$$

Izaguirre, Raffelt and Tamborra, PRL 2016

In the fast oscillation limit,  $\omega \rightarrow 0$ ,

$$\Pi_{j,K}^{\alpha\beta} = \eta^{\alpha\beta} + \int \frac{d\mathbf{v}}{4\pi} G_{j,\mathbf{v}} \frac{v^\alpha v^\beta}{v_\gamma (K_j^\gamma - \lambda_j^\gamma)}$$

j = 1

However, in the three flavor case: two more such tensors,

$$\det \Pi_{j,K}^{\alpha\beta} = 0$$

Dispersion relations:  
Connecting  $K_j^0$  &  $K_j^i$

j = 1,2,3

Three decoupled dispersion relations!

S.C & M. Chakraborty,  
JCAP, (2019)

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There are three effective ‘lepton numbers’ not only ELN

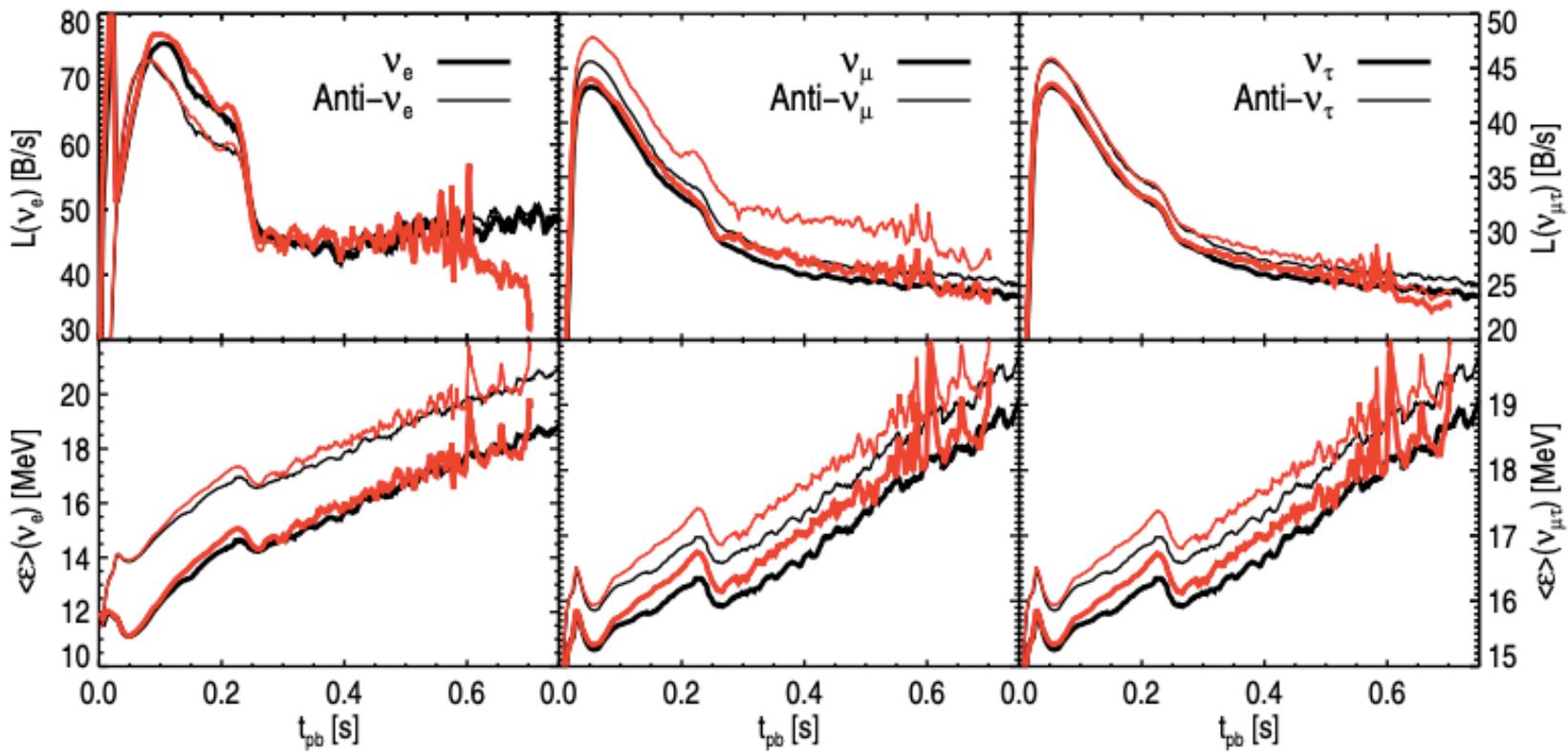
$$G_{1,\mathbf{v}} = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{E^2 dE}{2\pi^2} g_{1,E,\mathbf{v}} = \sqrt{2} G_F \int_0^{\infty} \frac{E^2 dE}{2\pi^2} (f_{\nu_e,\mathbf{p}} - f_{\bar{\nu}_e,\mathbf{p}} - f_{\nu_\mu,\mathbf{p}} + f_{\bar{\nu}_\mu,\mathbf{p}}),$$

$$G_{2,\mathbf{v}} = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{E^2 dE}{2\pi^2} g_{2,E,\mathbf{v}} = \sqrt{2} G_F \int_0^{\infty} \frac{E^2 dE}{2\pi^2} (f_{\nu_e,\mathbf{p}} - f_{\bar{\nu}_e,\mathbf{p}} - f_{\nu_\tau,\mathbf{p}} + f_{\bar{\nu}_\tau,\mathbf{p}}),$$

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Neglecting the three flavor effect is  
non-trivial than simply assuming that  
fluxes of the mu and tau neutrinos are equal.

# Full flavor analysis: the rise of mu-tau neutrinos



Asymmetry between  
Muon neutrinos  
and Muon antineutrinos,  
with Muon creation from pair  
production

R. Bollig, H.-T. Janka, A. Lohs,  
G. Martinez-Pinedo, C.J. Horowitz,  
and T. Melson,  
**PRL 119, 242702 (2017)**

## Fast oscillations: Three flavor effects

Nonlinear Results: SN like toy problems

# Full flavor Test: Set Up

- Both axial and zenith angle breaking instabilities are allowed
- The angular information of the ‘muon’ simulations were not sufficient

Probe by toy examples

F. Capozzi, M. Chakraborty, S.C and M. Sen, **PRL 2020**

F. Capozzi, S. Abbar, R. Bollig, H. -T. Janka PRD 2021

# Full flavor Test: Set Up

## Probe by toy examples

ELN

$$G_{\mathbf{v}}^e = \sqrt{2} G_F \int_0^\infty \frac{dEE^2}{2\pi^2} [\rho_{ee}(E, \mathbf{v}) - \bar{\rho}_{ee}(E, \mathbf{v})].$$

MuLN

$$G_{\mathbf{v}}^\mu = \sqrt{2} G_F \int_0^\infty \frac{dEE^2}{2\pi^2} [\rho_{\mu\mu}(E, \mathbf{v}) - \bar{\rho}_{\mu\mu}(E, \mathbf{v})],$$

TauLN

$$G_{\mathbf{v}}^\tau = \sqrt{2} G_F \int_0^\infty \frac{dEE^2}{2\pi^2} [\rho_{\tau\tau}(E, \mathbf{v}) - \bar{\rho}_{\tau\tau}(E, \mathbf{v})].$$

$$G_{\mathbf{v}}^{e\mu} = G_{\mathbf{v}}^e - G_{\mathbf{v}}^\mu,$$

Effective lepton  
numbers

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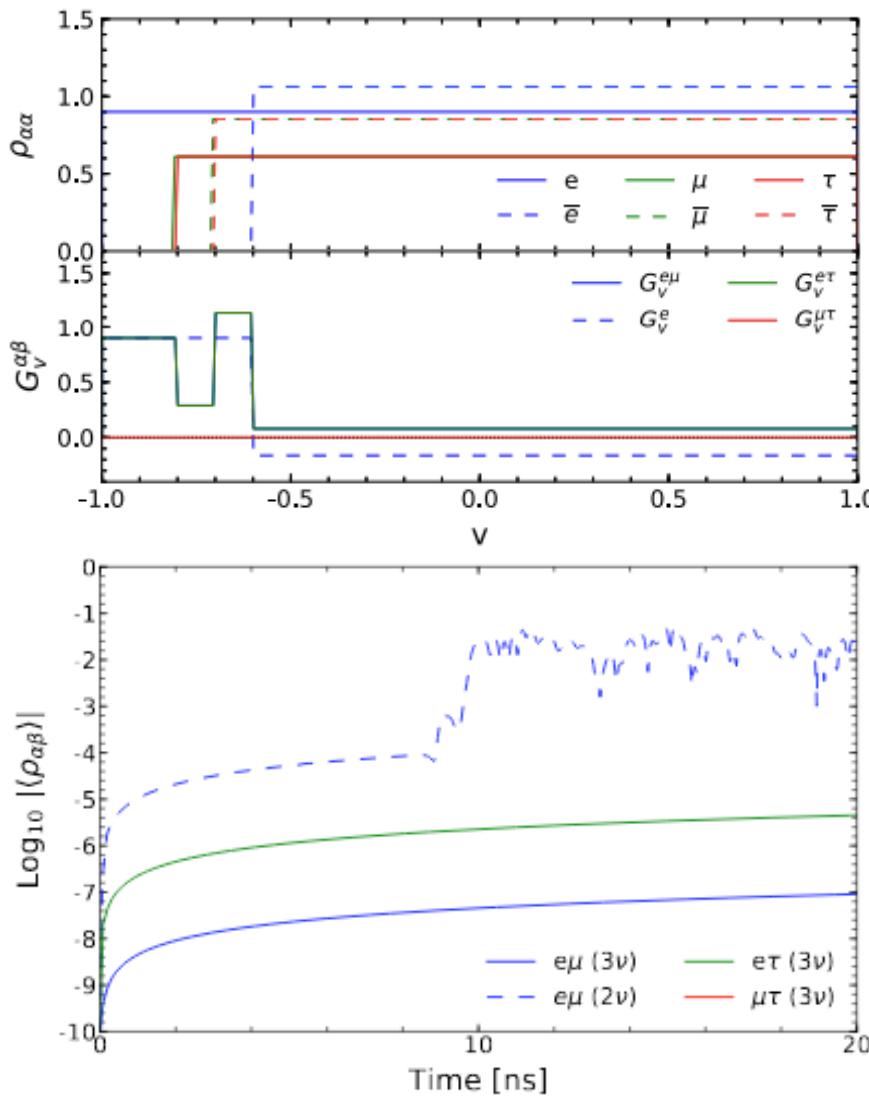
$$G_{\mathbf{v}}^{\mu\tau} = G_{\mathbf{v}}^\mu - G_{\mathbf{v}}^\tau.$$

# Full flavor Test: Results

Case I:

Fast Conversion  
In 2 flavor

No Fast Conversion  
In 3 flavor



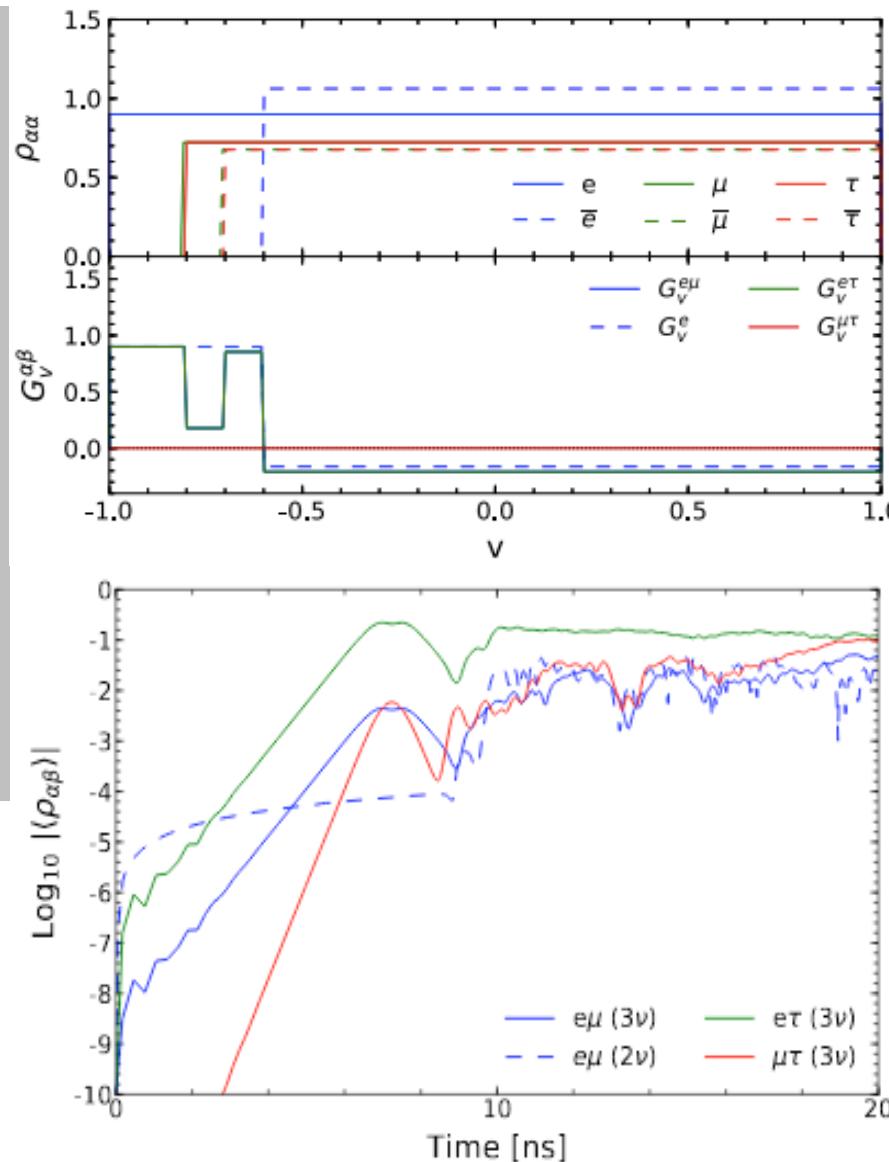
# Full flavor Test: Results

Case II:

Fast Conversion  
In 2 flavor

Fast Conversion  
in all flavors

Though,  $\mu$ - $\tau$  sector  
has no crossing  
It participates in the  
flavor conversion



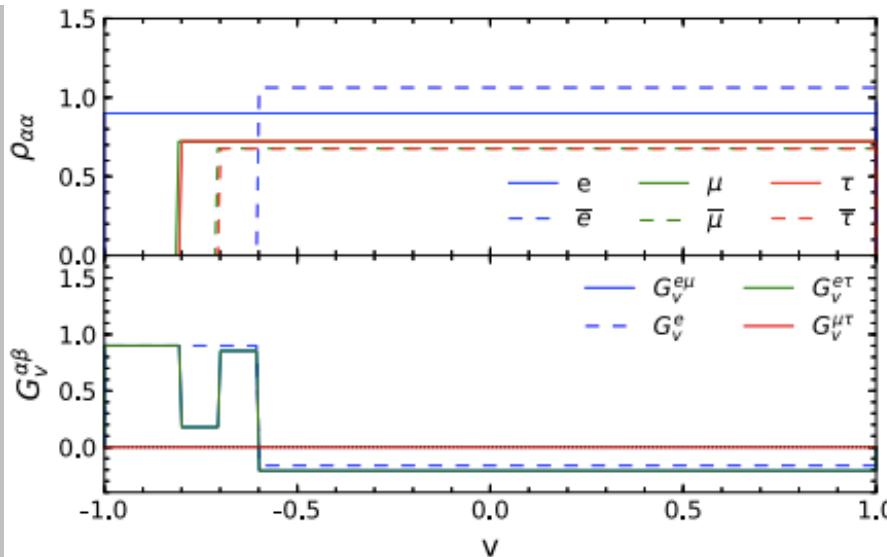
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In 2 flavor

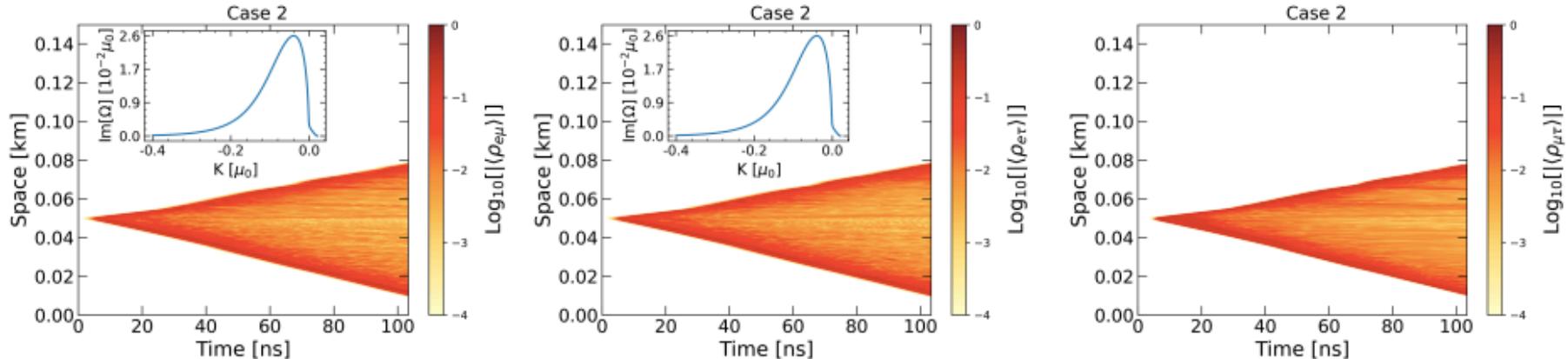
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1 + 1D results

F. Capozzi, M. Chakraborty, S.C and M. Sen, PRD 2022



# Beyond 3 Flavors: Sterile Neutrinos

$$\rho_{\mathbf{P}} = \begin{pmatrix} \rho_{\mathbf{P}}^{ee} & \rho_{\mathbf{P}}^{e\mu} & \rho_{\mathbf{P}}^{es} \\ \rho_{\mathbf{P}}^{\mu e} & \rho_{\mathbf{P}}^{\mu\mu} & \rho_{\mathbf{P}}^{\mu s} \\ \rho_{\mathbf{P}}^{se} & \rho_{\mathbf{P}}^{s\mu} & \rho_{\mathbf{P}}^{ss} \end{pmatrix}. \quad \text{2 active + 1 sterile, } 1 \text{ eV}^2 \text{ mass squared difference}$$

Linearized system: The off diagonals involving sterile evolve trivially in linear order

$$i v^\beta \partial_\beta S_{3E,\mathbf{v}} = [\omega_3 + v^\beta \lambda_\mu^\beta] S_{3E,\mathbf{v}} - \sqrt{2} G_F S_{2E,\mathbf{v}} \xi^{-1} v^\beta \int d\Gamma' v'_\beta g_{E',\mathbf{v}'} S_{1E',\mathbf{v}'}$$

Non linear results found no influence of sterile on evolution on Fast Oscillation.

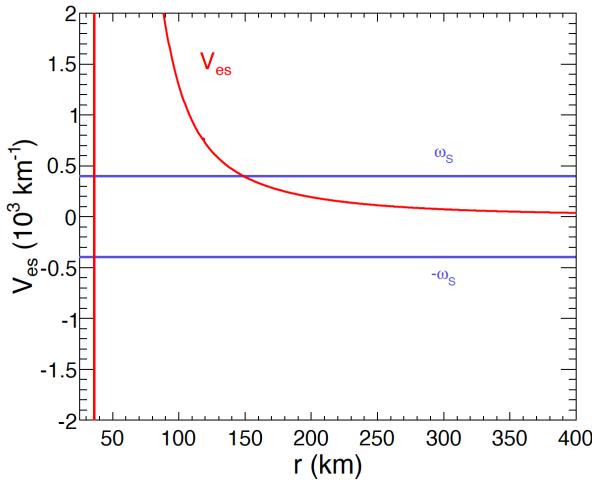
# Active-Sterile MSW & Fast Oscillation

1) Fast Oscillation driven by,

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$$G_{\mathbf{v}}^e = \sqrt{2} G_F \int_0^\infty \frac{dE E^2}{2\pi^2} [\rho_{ee}(E, \mathbf{v}) - \bar{\rho}_{ee}(E, \mathbf{v})].$$

2) For a given mass ordering MSW either for neutrino or antineutrino



I. Tamborra, G. Raffelt, L. Huedepohl &  
H-T Janka, JCAP 2011

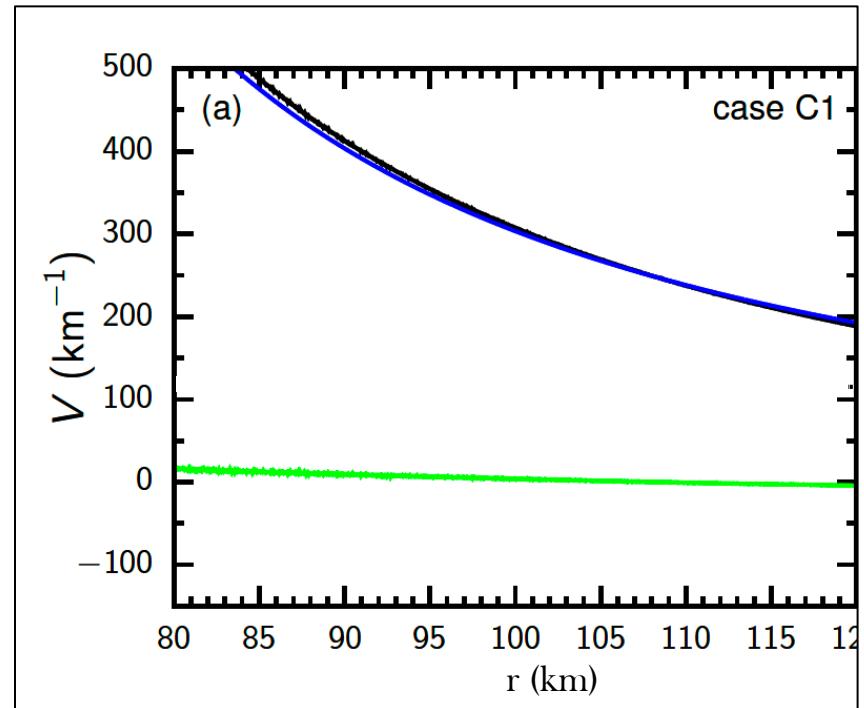
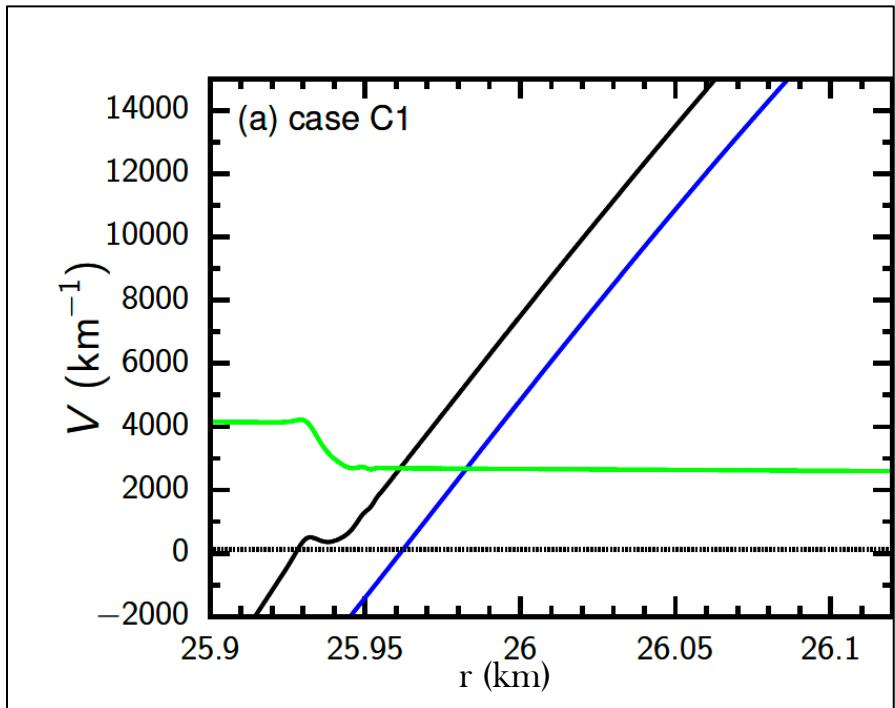
$$\begin{aligned} H_{ee}^{m+\nu\nu} &= \sqrt{2} G_F \left[ N_b \left( \frac{3}{2} Y_e - \frac{1}{2} \right) + 2(N_{\nu_e} - N_{\bar{\nu}_e}) + (N_{\nu_x} - N_{\bar{\nu}_x}) \right] \\ H_{xx}^{m+\nu\nu} &= \sqrt{2} G_F \left[ N_b \left( \frac{1}{2} Y_e - \frac{1}{2} \right) + (N_{\nu_e} - N_{\bar{\nu}_e}) + 2(N_{\nu_x} - N_{\bar{\nu}_x}) \right] \end{aligned}$$

Oscillation between e-s sector, only.

3) ELN (hence Fast oscillation) can be modified by Active-Sterile MSW

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Inner resonance: few 10s km

Outer resonance: 50-100 km

# Beyond 3 Flavors: Sterile Neutrinos

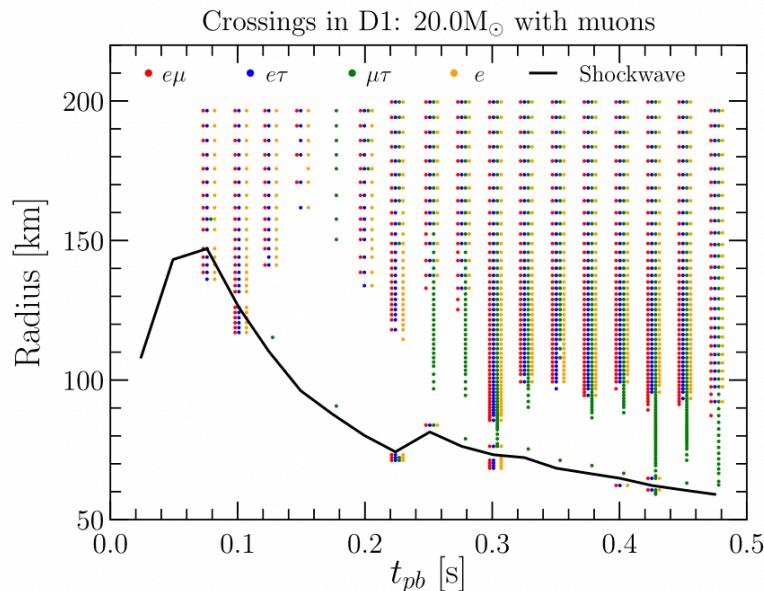
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## Scenario I: Fast oscillation before active-sterile MSW

Relatively straight forward implication

Possible effect on nucleosynthesis or neutrino spectra at earth

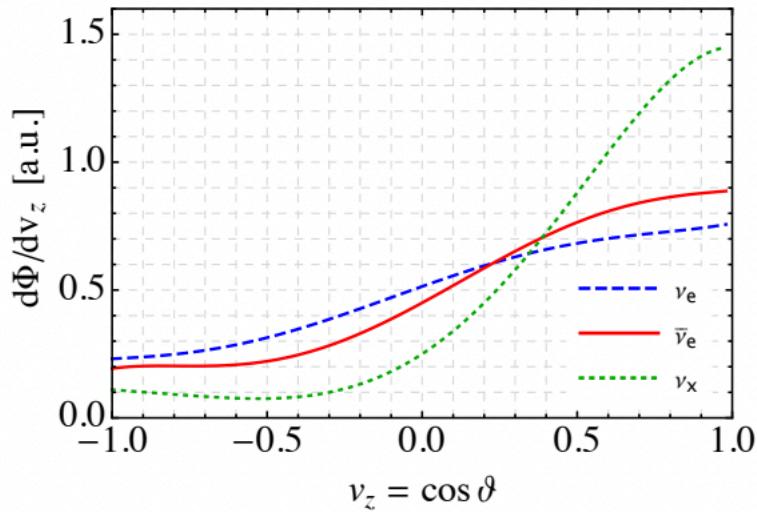
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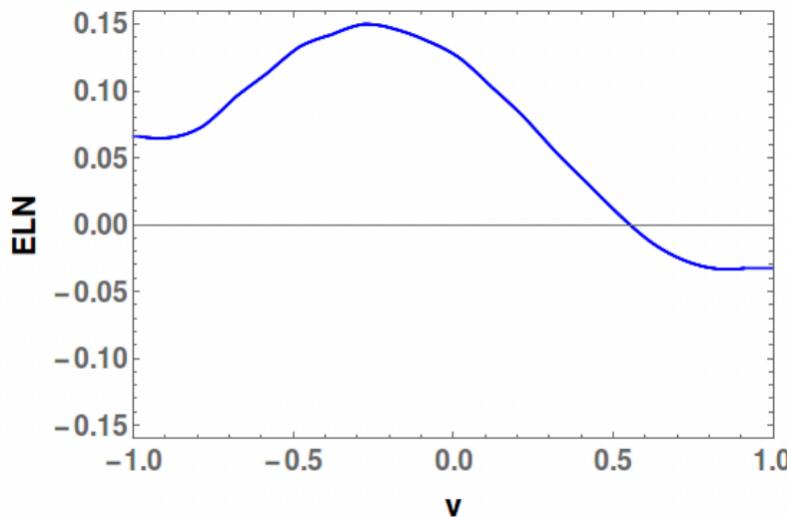
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Toy Model: Oscillation in e-s sector, only + NO in e-s.

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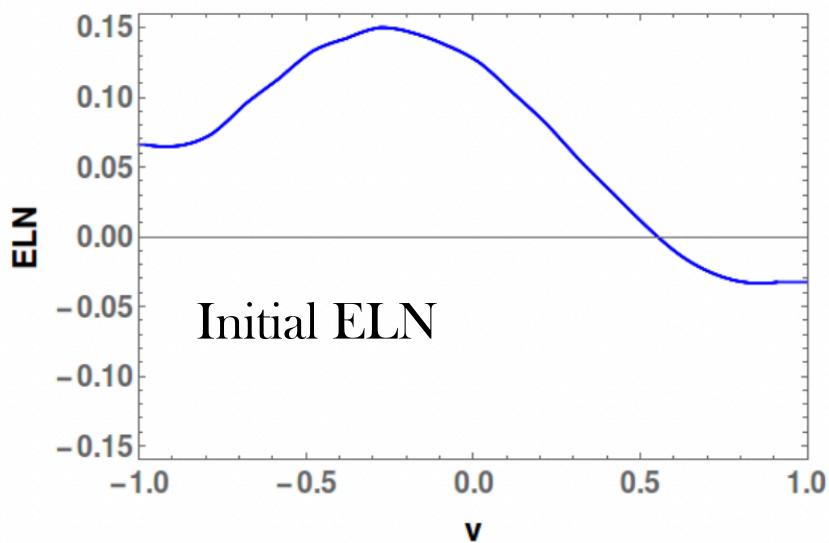
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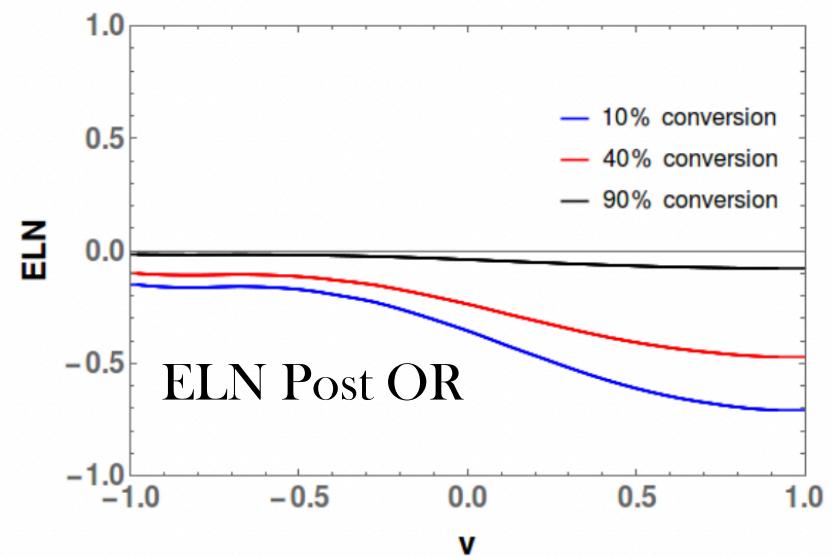
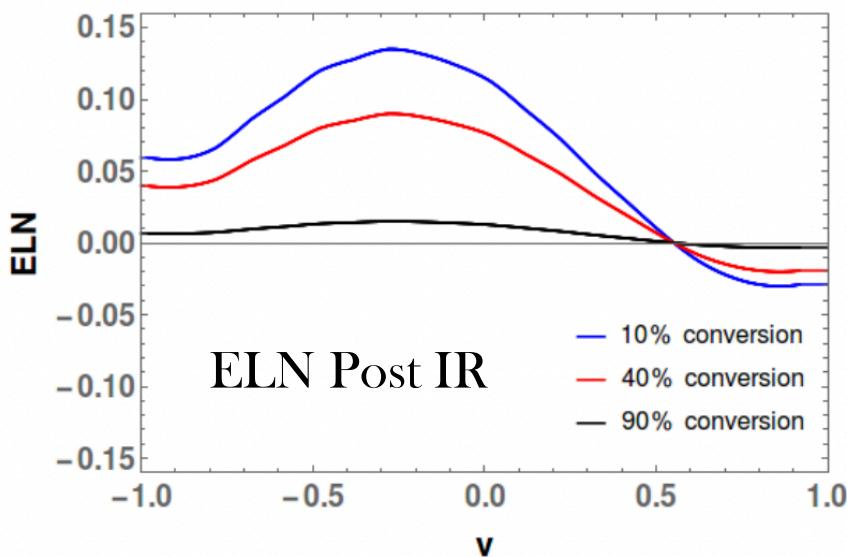
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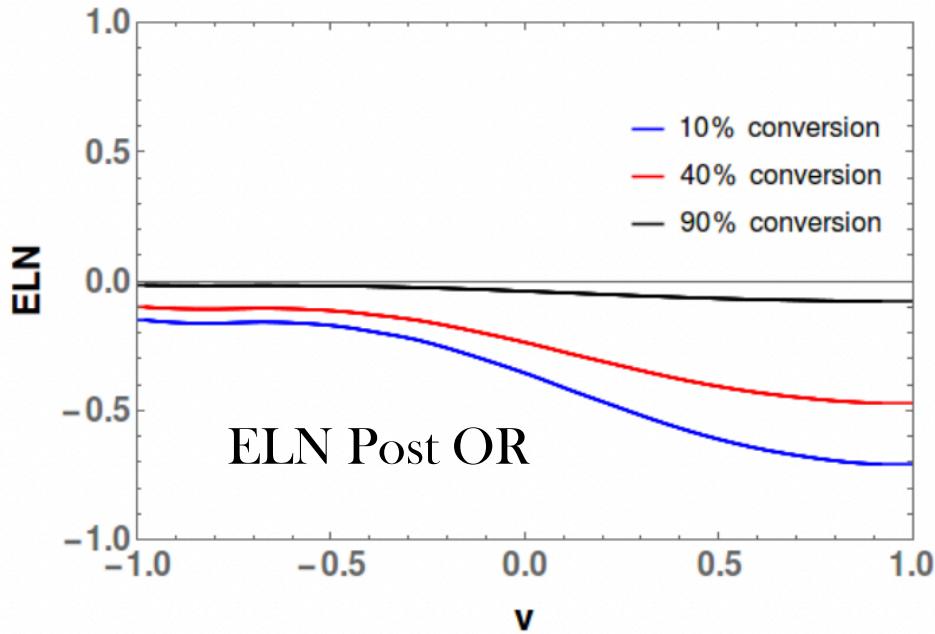
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Fast oscillations are suppressed for  $R_{\text{resonance}} < R_{\text{FO}}$

Possible influence on nucleosynthesis or neutrino spectra at earth

Active-sterile MSW mostly looked into late phase for nucleosynthesis.

Interesting to see what happens in LESA simulations!!



Thank You, Georg!

Wish you a galactic SN!

## Linearized System: 3 Flavor

### Liouville like equations

$$v^\beta \partial_\beta \rho = -i[H_p, \rho_p]$$

$$v^\beta = (1, \mathbf{v})$$

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### Matrix of densities & Hamiltonian

$$\rho_p = \begin{pmatrix} \rho_p^{ee} & \rho_p^{e\mu} & \rho_p^{e\tau} \\ \rho_p^{\mu e} & \rho_p^{\mu\mu} & \rho_p^{\mu\tau} \\ \rho_p^{\tau e} & \rho_p^{\tau\mu} & \rho_p^{\tau\tau} \end{pmatrix} \quad \& \quad H_p = \frac{M^2}{2E} + H^{matter}$$

Taking into account the off-diagonals of  $\rho$  upto linear order,

$$i v^\beta \partial_\beta \rho_p^{e\mu} = \left[ \frac{m_1^2 - m_2^2}{2E} + v_\beta (\lambda_e^\beta - \lambda_\mu^\beta) \right] \rho_p^{e\mu} - \sqrt{2} G_F (\rho_p^{ee} - \rho_p^{\mu\mu}) v^\beta \int d\mathbf{p}' v'_\beta (\rho_{\mathbf{p}'}^{e\mu} - \bar{\rho}_{\mathbf{p}'}^{e\mu})$$

Simillar equations for e- $\tau$  and  $\mu-\tau$

## Linearized System: 3 Flavor

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Simillar equations for e- $\tau$  and  $\mu$ - $\tau$

Evolution of the off-diagonal ' $S_p$ ' holds all flavor coherence information,

$$\rho_p = \frac{f_{\nu_e, p} + f_{\nu_\mu, p} + f_{\nu_\tau, p}}{3} 1 + \frac{f_{\nu_e, p} - f_{\nu_\mu, p}}{3} \begin{pmatrix} s_p & S_{1p} & 0 \\ S_{1p}^* & -s_p & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Three  $S_p$ 's

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**Spectra :** 
$$g_{1E,\mathbf{v}} = \begin{cases} f_{\nu_e,\mathbf{p}} - f_{\nu_\mu,\mathbf{p}} & \text{for } E > 0, \\ f_{\bar{\nu}_\mu,\mathbf{p}} - f_{\bar{\nu}_e,\mathbf{p}} & \text{for } E < 0. \end{cases}$$

Simillar spectra for e- $\tau$  and  $\mu$ - $\tau$

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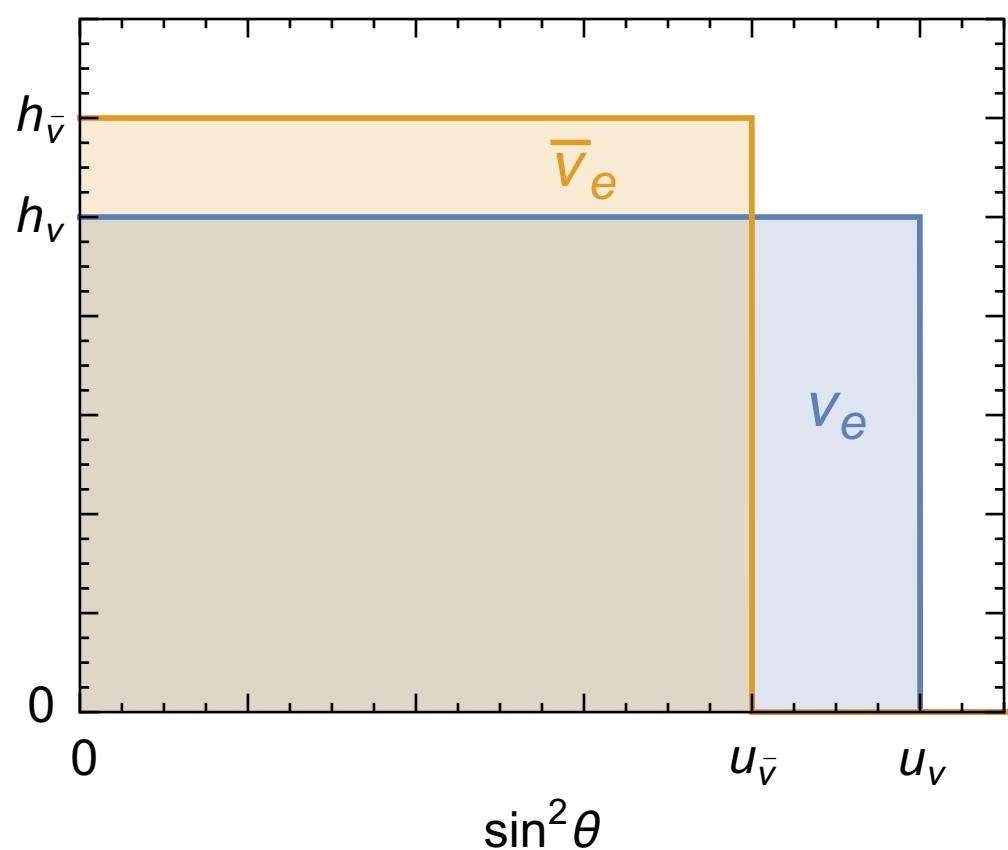
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**In the linearized regime,**

- Three off diagonal modes evolve independently!
- Three flavor evolution is equivalent to three two flavor evolution.

# FAST INSTABILITY



**SN:  $a > 0, b > 0$**

[S.C, Hansen, Izaguirre & Raffelt, JCAP 2016](#)

[S.C, Hansen, Izaguirre & Raffelt, PLB 2016](#)

$$h_{\nu_e}(u) = \int_0^\infty d\omega g(\omega, u)$$

$$h(u) = \frac{1 \pm a}{1 \pm b} \times \begin{cases} 1 & \text{for } 0 \leq u \leq 1 \pm b, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

Uniform but different distribution  
For neutrinos and antineutrinos,  
width parameter (b)  
 $-1 < b < +1$

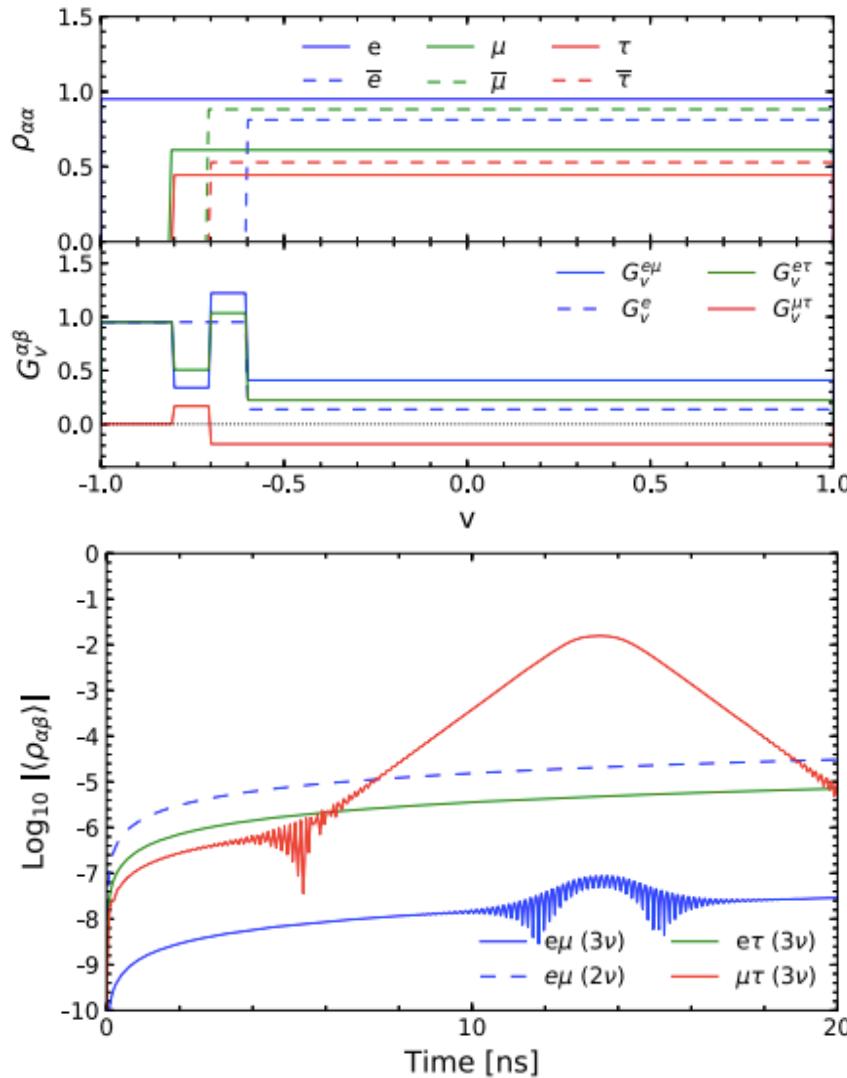
The distribution also connected  
to the lepton asymmetry of the system,  
asymmetry parameter (a)  
 $-1 < a < +1$

# Full flavor Test: Results

Case III:  
No Fast Conversion  
In 2 flavor

No Fast Conversion  
in  $e-\tau$  and  $e-\mu$ .

$\mu-\tau$  shows  
instability

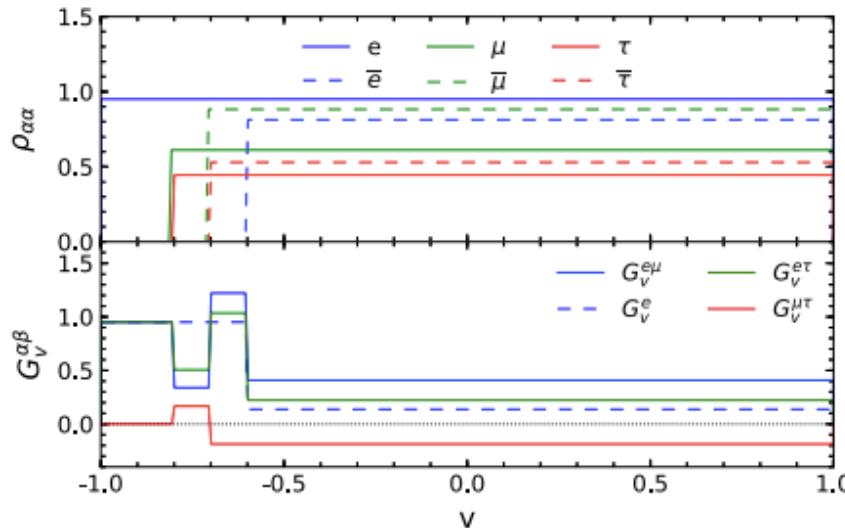


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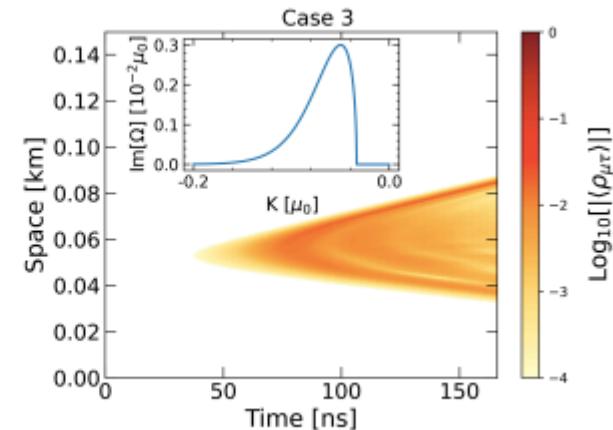
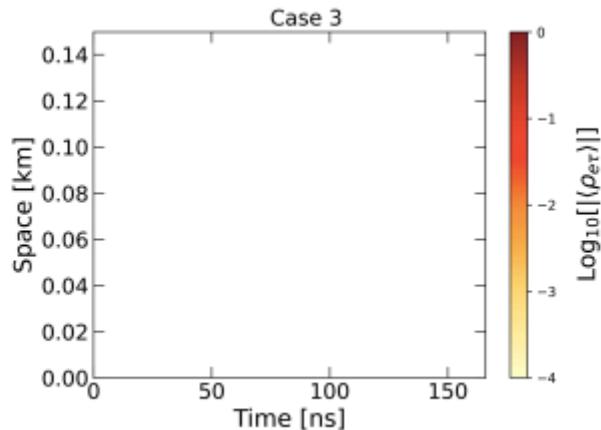
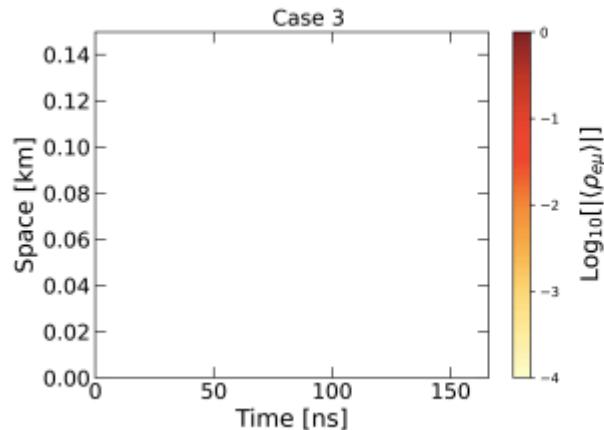
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1 + 1D results

F. Capozzi, M. Chakraborty, S.C and M. Sen, PRD 2022



# BREAKING OF STATIONARITY (1+3+3)

$$i(\partial_t + \mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{r}})\varrho = [\mathsf{H}, \varrho], \quad \varrho = \varrho(t, \mathbf{r}, E, \mathbf{v}),$$

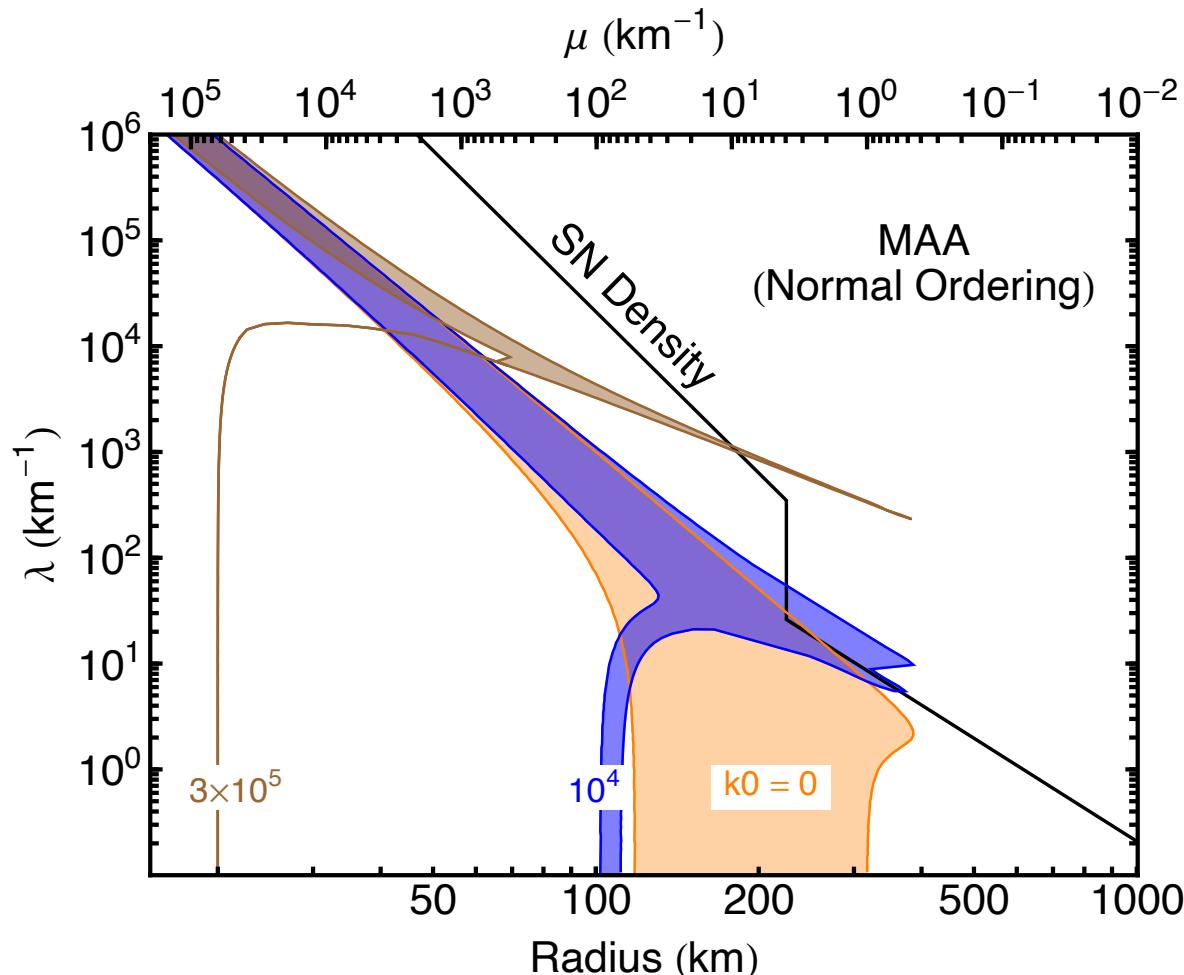
Abbar & Duan, PLB 2015  
Dasgupta & Mirizzi, PRD 2015

$$\left( \boxed{\bar{\lambda}_r \mathbf{v}^2 + k_0 \frac{R^2}{2r^2} \mathbf{v}^2} + \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v} + \omega - \Omega_r \right) Q_{\Omega, k_0, \mathbf{k}, \omega, v} = \\ \mu_r \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} d\omega' \int d\mathbf{v}' (\mathbf{v} - \mathbf{v}')^2 Q_{\Omega, k_0, \mathbf{k}, \omega', v'}$$

- $k_0$  from Fourier transform to the time part, i.e., frequency
- $k_0$  can be both +ve and -ve, thus can nullify matter effect

# BREAKING OF STATIONARITY (1+1+3)

- For simplicity assume spatial homogeneity,  $k = 0$ ,  $K_0 \neq 0$



Cascading between different temporal modes would change the picture

However, that depends on the Duration of instability

Capozzi, Dasgupta & Mirizzi,  
JCAP 2016

## MULTI ANGLE PROBLEM (0+1+2):

Stationary, spherically symmetric, evolving with radius

$$v_r \partial_r \rho(r, E, \theta) = -i [H(r, E, \theta), \rho(r, E, \theta)]$$

‘ $\theta$ ’ Zenith angle of nu momentum  $\vec{p}(E)$ ,

azimuthal symmetry in momentum: no  $\phi$

‘ $v_r$ ’ Radial velocity depends on  $\theta$ , leads to multi-angle matter effect

Ignore matter: Matter induced resonance happens  
far away from collective, however.....

