Simulations of massive star explosions driven by a first-order QCD phase transition Neutrino signal and gravitational wave mode analysis





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Global Picture



Energy released: $\triangle E_G \simeq 3 - 6 \times 10^{53} \text{ erg} \longrightarrow (\nu_e, \bar{\nu}_e, \nu_{\mu/\tau}, \bar{\nu}_{\mu/\tau})$

(Proto)neutron star is a hot and isospin asymmetric "heavy nucleus" with large atomic mass

 $\langle A \rangle_{\rm PNS} = 0.5 - 1.5 \,\,{\rm M}_{\odot}$ $(1 \,\,{\rm M}_{\odot} = 1.9891 \times 10^{33} \,\,{\rm g})$

Exception: gravity (!)







charged current reactions $e^- + \langle A, Z \rangle \iff \langle A, Z - 1 \rangle + \nu_e$ $e^- + p \iff n + \nu_e$ $e^+ + n \iff p + \overline{\nu}_e$

elastic scattering $\nu + \langle A, Z \rangle \iff \langle A, Z \rangle + \nu$ $\nu + N \iff \nu' + N$

> inelastic scattering $\nu + e^{\pm} \quad \leftrightarrows \quad \nu' + e^{\pm}$

 $\begin{array}{rcl} \text{pair processes} \\ e^- + e^+ & \leftrightarrows & \nu + \bar{\nu} \\ N + N & \leftrightarrows & N + N + \nu + \bar{\nu} \\ \nu_e + \bar{\nu}_e & \leftrightarrows & \nu_{\mu/\tau} + \bar{\nu}_{\mu/\tau} \end{array}$



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v – signal @ Super-Kamiokande (d ~ 10 kpc)





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Progenitor	EOS	$t_{\rm burst}$	$L_{\bar{\nu}_e,\mathrm{peak}}$	$\langle E_{\bar{\nu}_e} \rangle$	$E_{\rm expl}$
	RDF	$[\mathbf{S}]$	$[10^{53} \text{ erg s}^{-1}]$	[MeV]	$[10^{51} \text{ erg}]$
s25a28	1.9	0.345	6.36	38.59	4.21
s30a28	1.2	1.056	4.80	56.21	1.93
s30a28	1.8	0.833	5.64	42.21	2.66
s30a28	1.9	0.580	8.30	43.49	3.28
s40a28	1.2	0.895	4.15	38.60	1.59
s40a28	1.8	0.717	2.06	35.77	1.23
s40a28	1.9	0.491	4.28	39.94	3.31
s40.0	1.8	0.694	5.61	43.03	2.32
s40.0	1.9	0.443	8.52	48.69	3.79
u50	1.1	1.227	3.90	26.55	2.3
u50	1.2	0.819	5.37	36.19	3.8
s75.0	1.2	1.803	3.06	34.35	1.0



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