

# Neutrino Processes in Neutron Stars

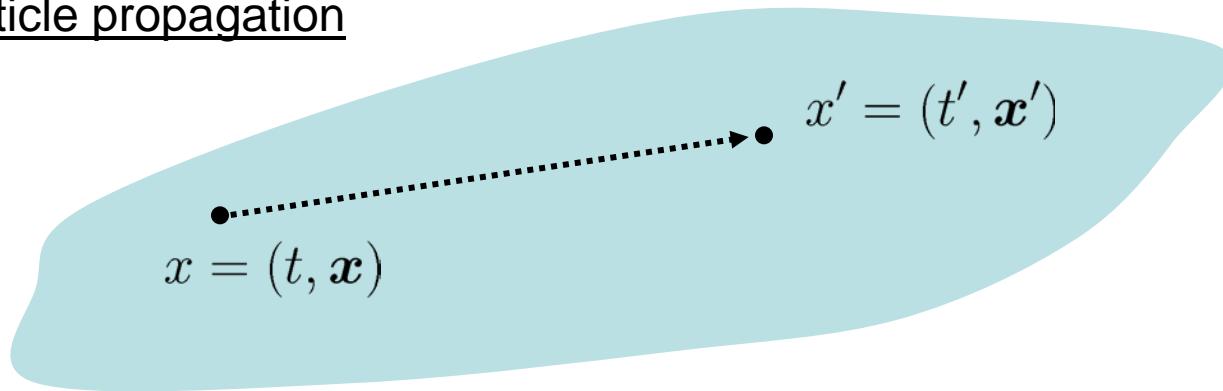
## 2. *Inclusion of strong interactions*

# Green's functions

N-body system: wave function of the whole system  $\Psi(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N)$   
encodes the dynamics of all particles and is very complicated

Introduce the object which describes the dynamics of the reduced number of particles of interest

## one-particle propagation



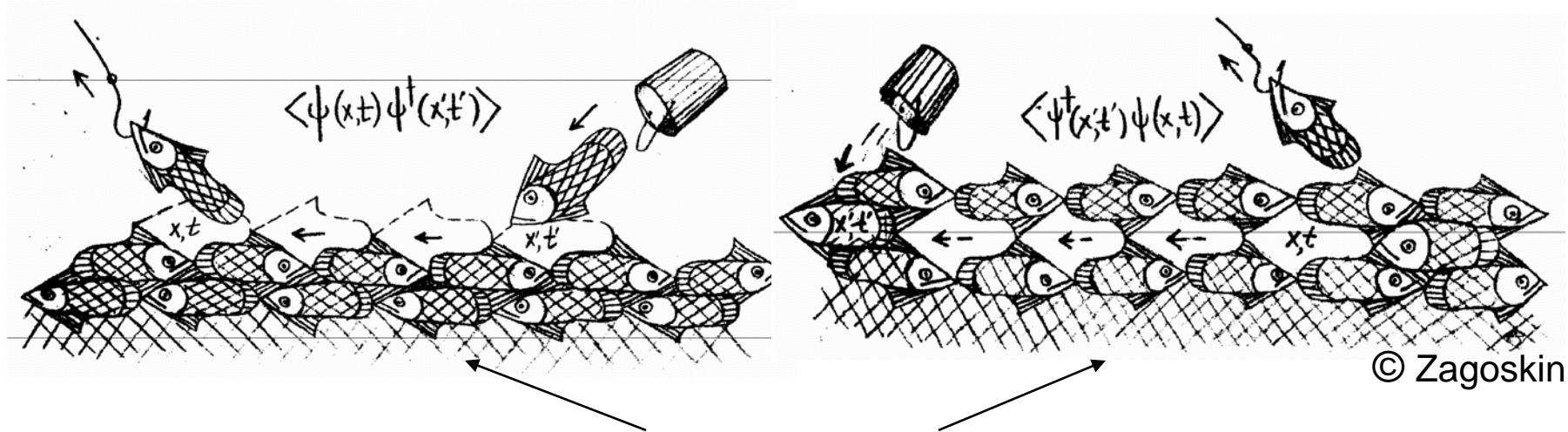
Amplitude of particle transition from a point  $(x, t)$  to a point  $(x', t')$

$$\Psi(\mathbf{x}', t') = \int d\mathbf{x} G^{(+)}(\mathbf{x}', t'; \mathbf{x}, t) \Psi(\mathbf{x}, t) \quad t' > t$$

# Green's function of non-interacting fermions

$$i G(\mathbf{x}, t; \mathbf{x}', t') = < N | T\{\hat{\Psi}(\mathbf{x}, t) \hat{\Psi}^\dagger(\mathbf{x}', t')\} | N >$$

$$= < N | \hat{\Psi}(\mathbf{x}, t) \hat{\Psi}^\dagger(\mathbf{x}', t') | N > \theta_{t-t'} - < N | \hat{\Psi}^\dagger(\mathbf{x}', t') \hat{\Psi}(\mathbf{x}, t) | N > \theta_{t'-t}$$



$$G(\epsilon, p) = \frac{1 - n_p}{\epsilon - \epsilon_p + i 0} + \frac{n_p}{\epsilon + \epsilon_p^h - i 0}$$

$$T = 0$$

$$n_p = \theta(p_F - p)$$

$$\epsilon_p^h = -\epsilon_p$$

$$G(\epsilon, \mathbf{p}) = \frac{1}{\epsilon - \epsilon_p + i \text{sign}(\epsilon)}$$

$$\epsilon_p = \frac{p^2 - p_F^2}{2m}$$

# Diagram technique

**Ground state:**

$$iG(x, y) = \langle N | \hat{T} \{ \hat{\Psi}(x) \hat{\Psi}^\dagger(y) \} | N \rangle = \langle N | \hat{S}^{-1} \hat{T} \{ \hat{\Psi}_I(x) \hat{\Psi}_I^\dagger(y) \} \hat{S} | N \rangle$$

in interaction picture:  $iG = \langle N | \hat{T} \{ \hat{\Psi}_I(x) \hat{\Psi}_I^\dagger(y) \} \hat{S} | N \rangle < \hat{S}^{-1} >$

transition from the ground state to the ground state under action of evolution operator

$$\hat{S} = \hat{T} \exp \left\{ -i \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \hat{V}_I(t) dt \right\}$$

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time ordering

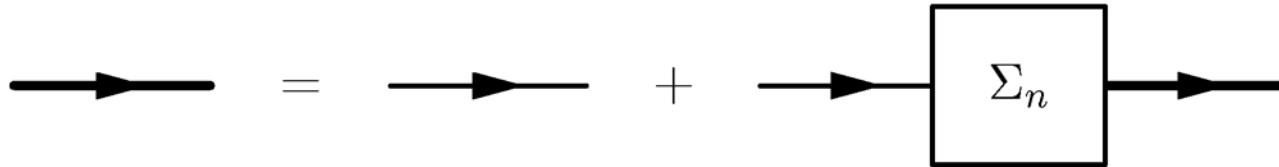
$$\hat{V}_I(t) = e^{i\hat{H}_0(\mu)t} \hat{V} e^{-i\hat{H}_0(\mu)t}$$
$$\hat{H}_0(\mu) = H_0 - \sum_a \mu_a \hat{N}_a$$

Only one type of Green's functions



# Full Green's function

particle-line



$$\hat{G}_{\text{n.s.}} = \hat{G}_0 + \hat{G}_0 \hat{\Sigma}_{\text{n.s.}} \hat{G}_{\text{n.s.}} = \left[ [\hat{G}_0]^{-1} - \hat{\Sigma}_{\text{n.s.}} \right]^{-1}$$

$$\hat{G}_0(\epsilon, \mathbf{p}) = \frac{\hat{1}}{\epsilon - \mathbf{p}^2/2m_N + i0 \operatorname{sign}(\epsilon - \epsilon_F)}$$

diagonal in spin-space

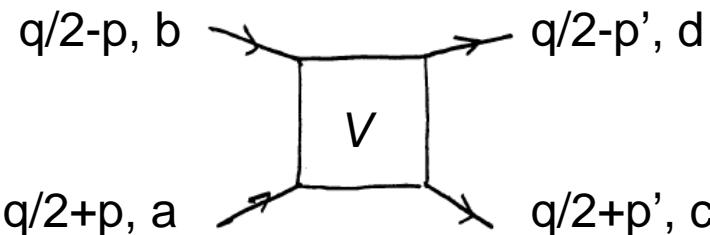
analogously for the hole-line



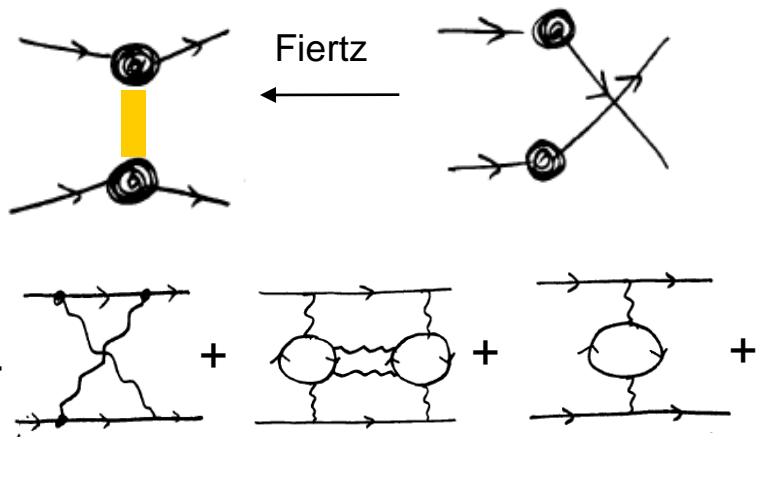
# Particle-particle interaction

$$-i T_{pp}(p, p'; q) = \text{shaded box} = V + \text{shaded box with loop} \quad \text{two-particle irreducible interaction}$$

The diagram shows a shaded box representing the total interaction. It is equated to a bare potential  $V$  plus a correction term consisting of a bare potential  $V$  with a loop attached to one of its external lines.



$$\begin{aligned} [\hat{V}(p, p', q)]_{cd,ab} &= V_0(p, p', q)(i\sigma_2)_{dc}(i\sigma_2)_{ab} \\ &+ V_1(p, p', q)(\boldsymbol{\sigma} i\sigma_2)_{dc}(i\sigma_2 \boldsymbol{\sigma})_{ab} \end{aligned}$$

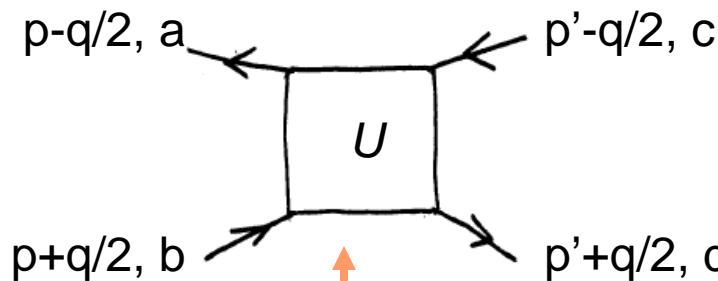


$$\text{shaded box} = \cancel{\text{diagram with wavy line}} + \cancel{\text{diagram with loop}} + \text{diagram with loop} + \text{diagram with loop} + \text{diagram with loop} + \dots$$

$$\widehat{T}_{pp}(p, p', q) = \widehat{V}(p, p', q) + \int \frac{d^4 p''}{(2\pi)^4 i} \widehat{V}(p, p'', q) \widehat{G}(q/2 + p'') \widehat{G}(q/2 - p'') \widehat{T}_{pp}(p'', p', q)$$

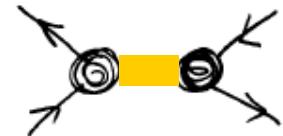
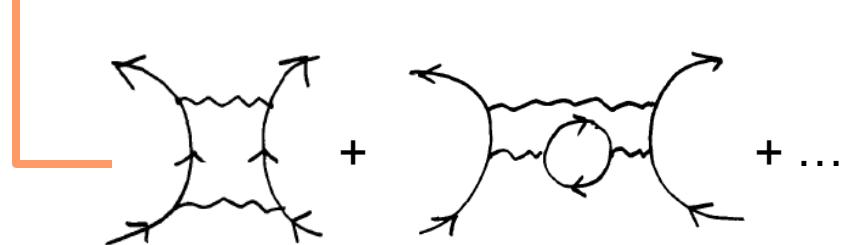
# Particle-particle interaction

$$-i T_{\text{ph}}(p, p'; q) = \text{Diagram with shaded box} = \text{Diagram with U box} + \text{Diagram with U and loop}$$



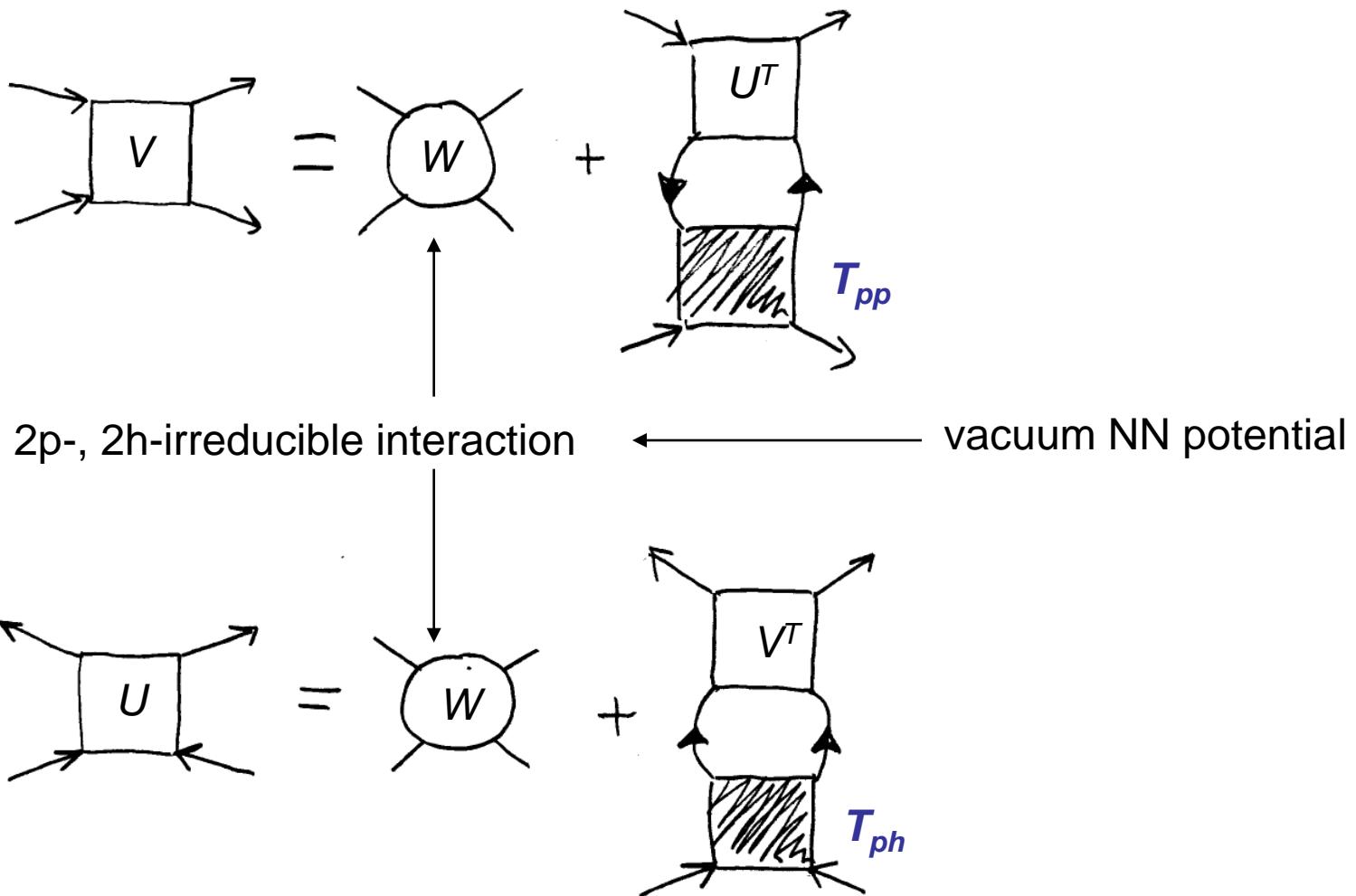
particle-hole irreducible interaction

$$[\hat{U}(p, p', q)]_{dc, ab} = U_0(p, p', q) \delta_{dc} \delta_{ab} + U_1(p, p', q) \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{dc} \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{ab}$$

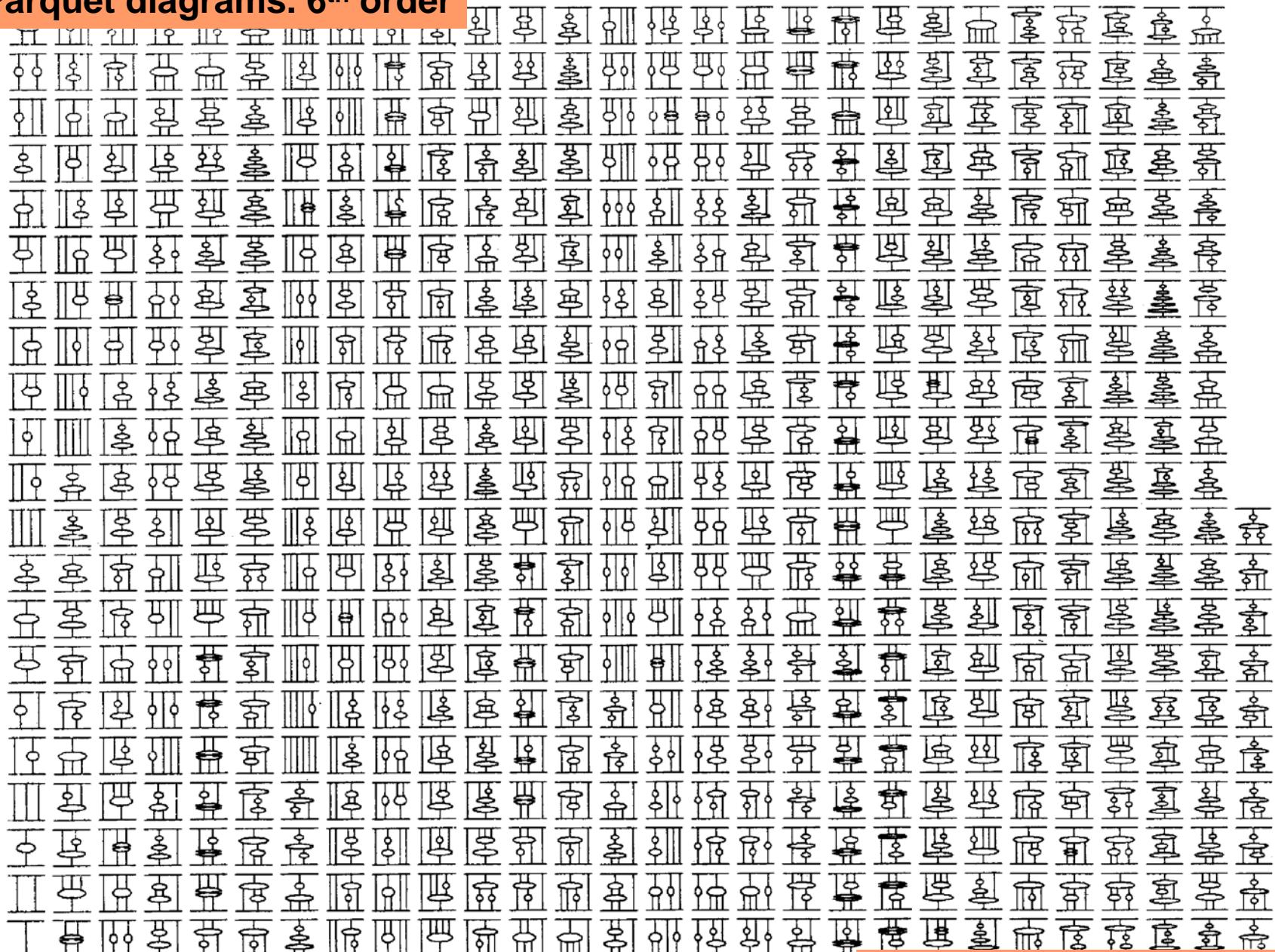


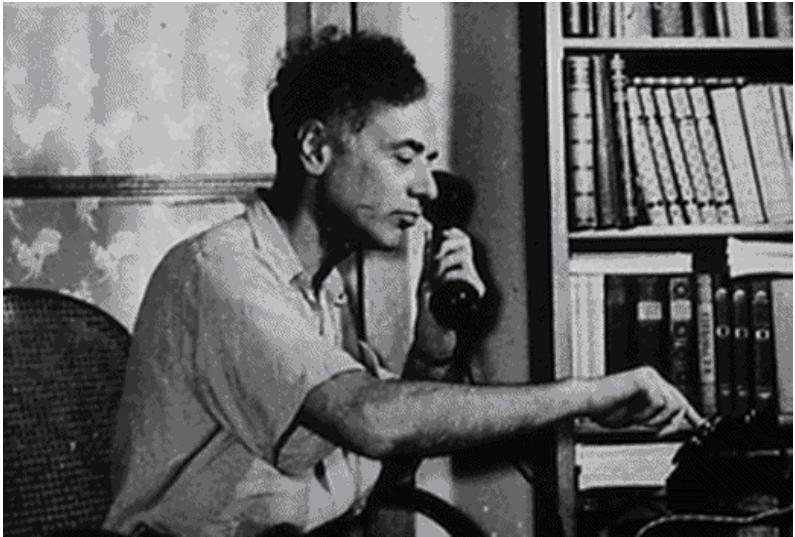
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$$\hat{T}_{\text{ph}}(p, p', q) = \hat{U}(p, p', q) + \int \frac{d^4 p''}{(2\pi)^4 i} \hat{U}(p, p'', q) \hat{G}(q/2 + p'') \hat{G}^h(q/2 - p'') \hat{T}_{\text{ph}}(p'', p', q)$$



## Parquet diagrams. 6<sup>th</sup> order



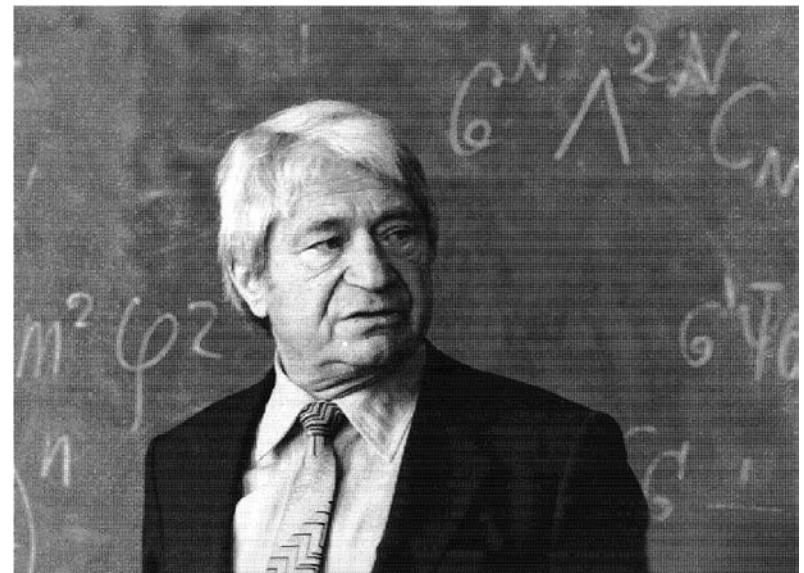


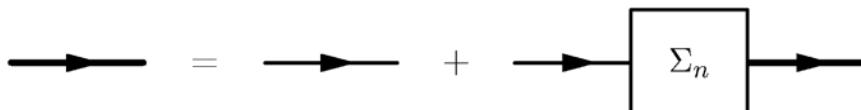
$$\frac{\delta E}{\delta n(\mathbf{p})} = \varepsilon(\mathbf{p})$$

$$\varepsilon(\mathbf{p}) = \varepsilon^{(0)}(\mathbf{p}) + \sum_{\mathbf{p}'} f(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{p}') \delta n(\mathbf{p}')$$

## NUCLEAR FERMI LIQUID

$$G(\epsilon, \mathbf{p}) = \frac{a}{\epsilon - \epsilon_p + i \gamma \epsilon^2 \text{sign}\epsilon} + G_{\text{reg}}(\epsilon, \mathbf{p})$$





$$\hat{G} = \hat{G}_0 + \hat{G}_0 \hat{\Sigma} \hat{G} = \left[ [\hat{G}_0]^{-1} - \hat{\Sigma} \right]^{-1}$$

$T \ll \varepsilon_{F,n}, \varepsilon_{F,p}$  and  $\epsilon \sim \epsilon_F, p \sim p_F$

**pole residue**       $a^{-1} = 1 - \frac{\partial}{\partial \epsilon} \Sigma(\epsilon, 0, T) \Big|_{\epsilon \simeq \epsilon_F}$

$$G(\epsilon, \mathbf{p}) = \frac{a}{\epsilon - \epsilon_p + i \gamma \epsilon^2 \text{sign}\epsilon} + G_{\text{reg}}(\epsilon, \mathbf{p})$$

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q.p. energy                        q.p. width

$$\epsilon_p = \frac{p^2 - 2m_N\mu_N}{2m_N^*} \approx \frac{p^2 - p_F^2}{2m_N^*} \approx v_F(p - p_F)$$

$$\gamma = - \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \text{Im } \Sigma^R(\epsilon, p^2 = 2m_N\mu_N, T) / \epsilon^2$$

q.p. effective mass

$$\frac{1}{m_N^*} = \frac{a}{m_N} + 2a \left. \frac{\partial}{\partial p^2} \Sigma(\epsilon, \mathbf{p}, T) \right|_{p=0, \epsilon \simeq \epsilon_F}$$

small for  $T \ll \varepsilon_F$



$G_{\text{reg}}(\epsilon, \mathbf{p})$  complicated background part

# Fermi liquid approximation

particle-hole propagator .... for  $q \rightarrow 0$

$$n = p/p$$

$$G(q/2 + p) G^h(q/2 - p) \simeq 2\pi i a^2 \delta(\epsilon) \frac{v_F q n}{\omega - v_F q n + i 0} \delta(p - p_F) + B(p, q)$$

singular pole term

complicated background

$$-i T_{ph}(p, p'; q) = \text{[Diagram with shaded loop]} = U + \text{[Diagram with shaded loop and U block]}$$

$$-i T_{\text{ph}}(p, p'; q) = \text{Diagram} = U + \text{Diagram}$$

for  $|\mathbf{p}| \simeq p_F \simeq |\mathbf{p}'|$  and  $|\mathbf{q}\mathbf{p}| \ll \omega \ll \epsilon_F$

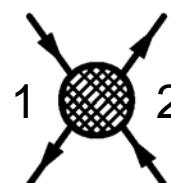
$$\widehat{T}_{\text{ph}}(\mathbf{n}, \mathbf{n}', q) = \widehat{\Gamma}^\omega(\mathbf{n}, \mathbf{n}') - \int \frac{d\Omega_{p''}}{4\pi} \widehat{\Gamma}^\omega(\mathbf{n}, \mathbf{n}') \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{n}, q) \widehat{T}_{\text{ph}}(\mathbf{n}, \mathbf{n}', q)$$

$$\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{n}, q) = a^2 \frac{m^* p_F}{\pi^2} \frac{v_F \mathbf{q} \mathbf{n}}{\omega - v_F \mathbf{q} \mathbf{n} + i0}$$

complicated dynamics is here:

$$\widehat{\Gamma}_{\text{ph}}^\omega(\mathbf{n}, \mathbf{n}') = \widehat{U}(\mathbf{n}, \mathbf{n}') - \int \frac{d^4 p''}{(2\pi)^4 i} \widehat{U}(\mathbf{n}, \mathbf{n}') \mathbf{B}(p, q=0) \widehat{\Gamma}_{\text{ph}}^\omega(\mathbf{n}, \mathbf{n}')$$

parameterize



Landau-Migdal parameters

$$1 2 = f_{12}(\mathbf{n}, \mathbf{n}') + g_{12}(\mathbf{n}, \mathbf{n}') \boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 \boldsymbol{\sigma}_2$$

extracted from experiment



$$= C_0 (f + f' \boldsymbol{\tau}_1 \boldsymbol{\tau}_2 + g \boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 \boldsymbol{\sigma}_2 + g' \boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 \boldsymbol{\sigma}_2 \boldsymbol{\tau}_1 \boldsymbol{\tau}_2)$$

$$C_0 = \frac{\pi^2}{m_N p_{FN}(n_0)} \simeq 300 \text{ MeV fm}^3 \simeq 0.77 m_\pi^{-2} \text{ introduced for convenience}$$

$$f(\cos \theta_{pp'}) = \sum_l f_l P_l(\cos \theta_{pp'}) \quad g(\cos \theta_{pp'}) = \sum_l g_l P_l(\cos \theta_{pp'}) \quad \dots$$

to be fitted to empirical information (nucleus properties)

effective mass

$$m^* = m \left( 1 + \frac{2}{3} f_1 \right)$$

compressibility

$$K = 6 \frac{p_F^2}{m^*} (1 + 2 f_0)$$

symmetry energy

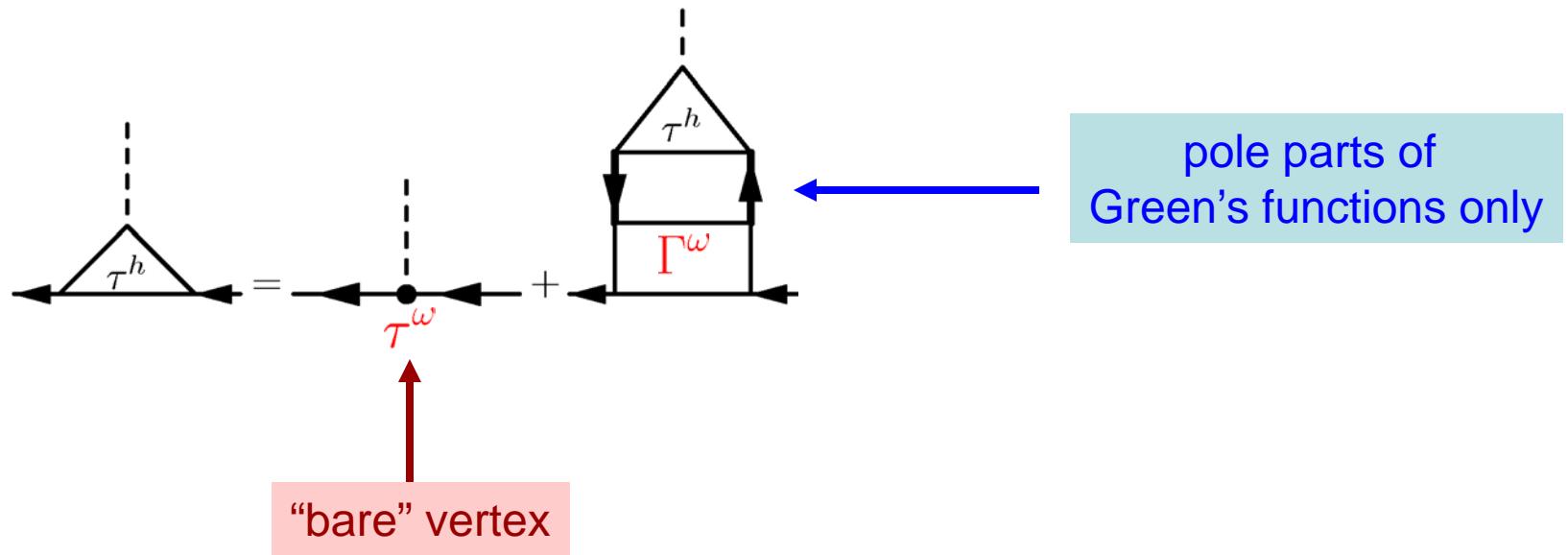
$$E_{\text{sym}} = \frac{1}{3} \frac{p_F^2}{2 m^*} (1 + 2 f'_0)$$

[Saperstein,Fayans, et al. 1995, 1998]

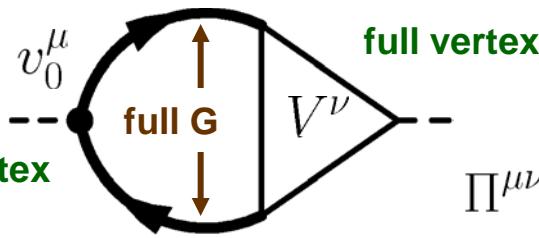
$$f \simeq 0, f' \simeq 0.5 - 0.6, g \simeq 0.05 \pm 0.1, g' \simeq 1.1 \pm 0.1$$

# Fermi liquid approximation

Coupling of the external field to a particle



# Vector current conservation



Current is conserved if

$$\Pi^{\mu\nu} q_\nu = 0$$

$$\Pi^{\mu\nu} \propto \int d^4 p \operatorname{Tr} \left\{ \gamma^\mu G(p + q/2) V^\nu(p, -q) G(p - q/2) \right\}$$

If the relation

$$q_\mu V^\mu(p, q) = G^{-1}(p + q/2) - G^{-1}(p - q/2)$$

Is fulfilled

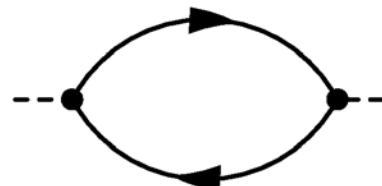
$$\Pi^{\mu\nu} q^\nu \propto \int d^4 p \operatorname{Tr} \left\{ \gamma^\mu [G(p - q/2) - G(p + q/2)] \right\} = 0$$

The Ward identities impose non-trivial relations

between vertex functions and Green's functions,

which synchronize any modification of  
the Green's function with a corresponding change in the vertex function.

in non-relativistic limit for free  $G$  and vertices:  $\tau_0^\mu = (1, \mathbf{v})$   $G(p) = (\epsilon - p^2/2m)^{-1}$



$$q \cdot \tau_0 = \omega - \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{q} \equiv G_0^{-1}(p + q/2) - G_0^{-1}(p - q/2)$$

The Ward identity is fulfilled and the current is conserved

## • "Bare" vertices

"bare" vertex after the Fermi-liquid renormalization

$$V_\mu^{nn} \approx g_V \chi_p^\dagger(p') (1, \mathbf{v}) \chi_n(p)$$

$$A_\mu^{nn} \approx g_A \chi_p^\dagger(p') (\boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{v}, \boldsymbol{\sigma}) \chi_n(p)$$

$$\tau_a^\omega = [1 + \Gamma_0^\omega (G_+ G_-)^\omega] \tau_a^0$$

$$B = (G_+ G_-)^\omega = \lim_{\mathbf{q} \rightarrow 0} \int \frac{2 d^4 p}{(2\pi)^4 i} G_+ G_-$$

$$\tau_V^0 - \tau_A^0 = (V_\mu - A_\mu) l^\mu$$

weak interactions

$$\hat{\tau}_V^\omega = g_V (\tau_{V,0}^\omega l_0 - \boldsymbol{\tau}_{V,1}^\omega \mathbf{l}) \quad \tau_{V,0}^\omega = \frac{e_V}{a}, \quad \boldsymbol{\tau}_{V,1}^\omega = \frac{e_V}{a} \mathbf{v}$$

$$\hat{\tau}_A^\omega = -g_A (\boldsymbol{\tau}_{A,1}^\omega \boldsymbol{\sigma} l_0 - \tau_{A,0}^\omega \boldsymbol{\sigma} \mathbf{l}) \quad \tau_{A,0}^\omega = \frac{e_A}{a}, \quad \boldsymbol{\tau}_{A,1}^\omega = \frac{e_A}{a} \mathbf{v}$$

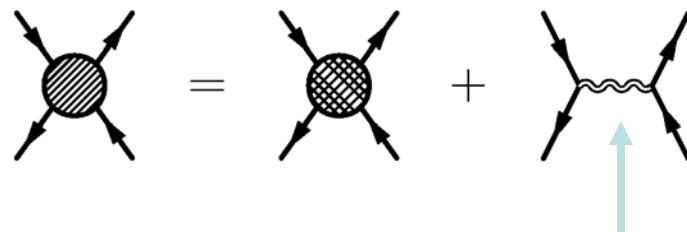
$e_A$     $e_V$    effective charges

$$e_V = 1 \quad \omega \tau_{V,0}^\omega - \mathbf{q} \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau}_{V,1}^\omega = G^{(\text{pole}),-1}(p + q/2) - G^{(\text{pole}),-1}(p - q/2)$$

$$e_A = 0.8 - 0.95 \quad \text{experiment: Gamov-Teller transitions in nuclei} \quad g_A^* \simeq 1$$

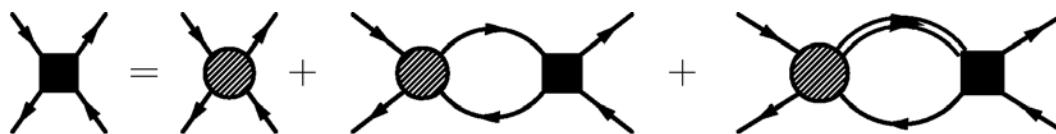
# Fermi-liquid with pions

- explicit pionic degrees of freedom



pion with residual (irreducible in  $NN^{-1}$  and  $\Delta N^{-1}$ ) s-wave  $\pi N$  interaction and  $\pi\pi$  scattering``

- explicit  $\Delta$  degrees of freedom

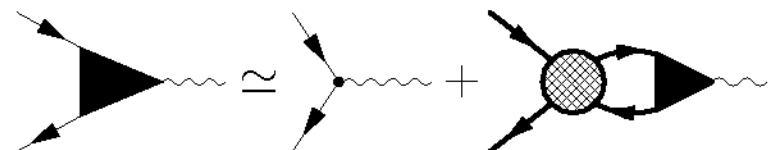
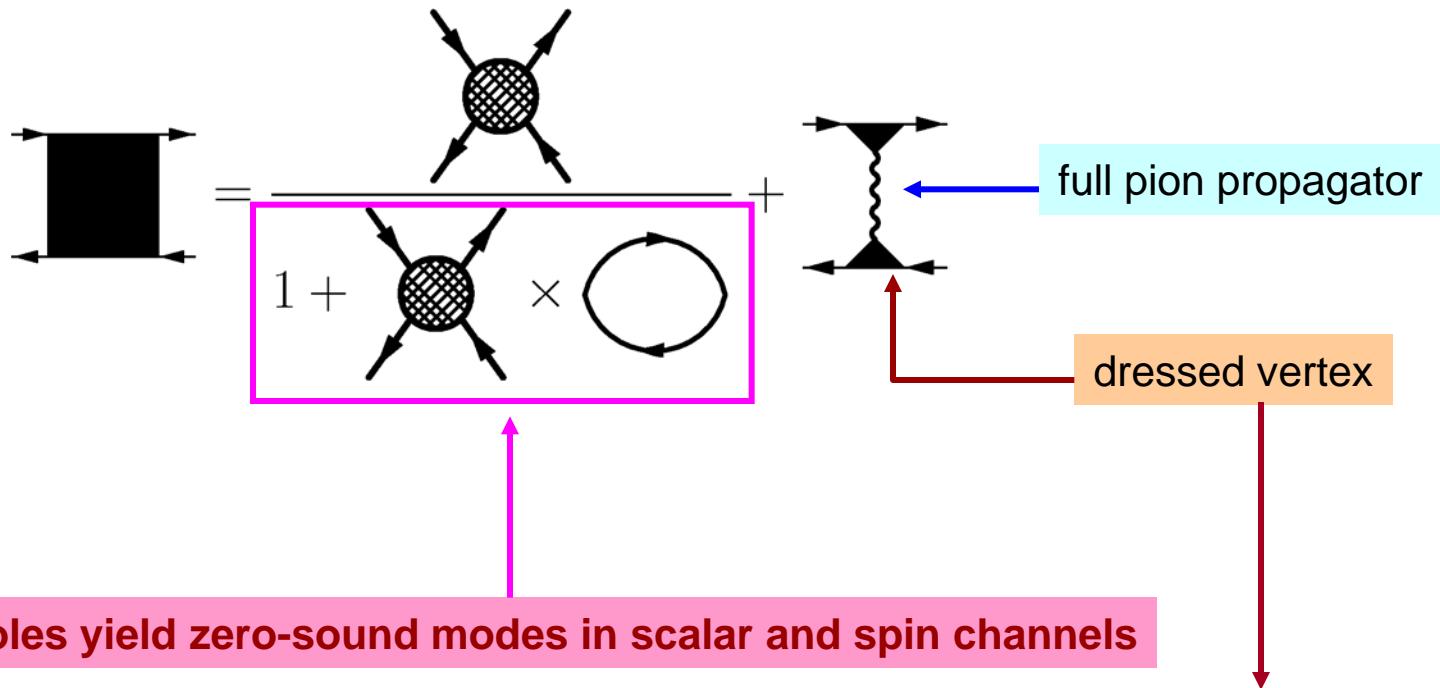


Part of the interaction involving  $\Delta$  isobar is analogously constructed:

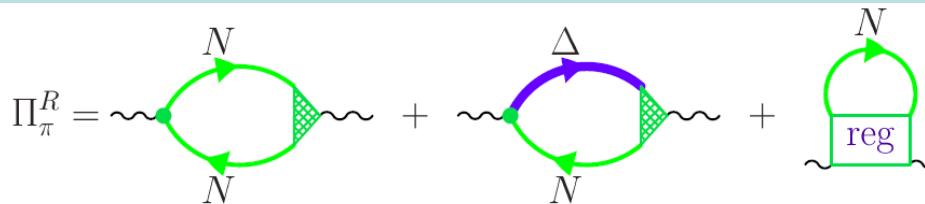


# Resummed $NN$ interaction

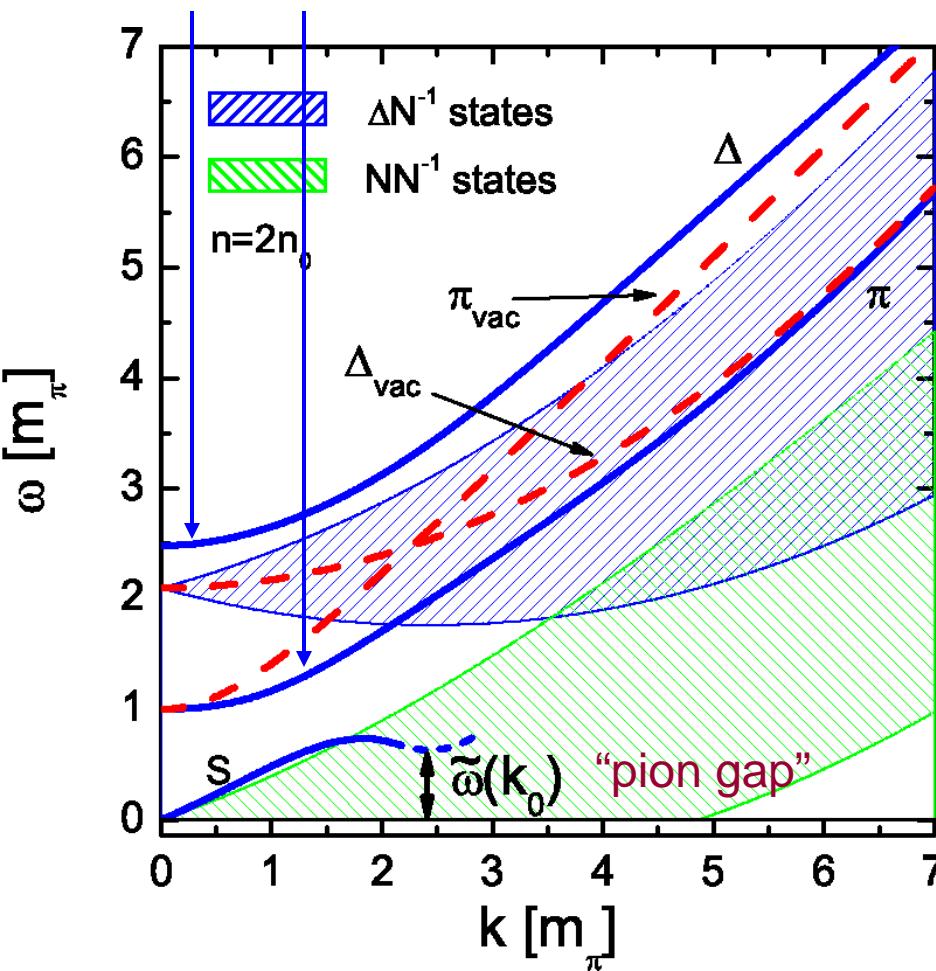
Graphically, the resummation is straightforward and yields:



# Pion modes in nuclear medium



quasi-particle modes



$$A_{\pi}(\omega, \mathbf{k}) \approx \sum_{i=\pi, \Delta} \frac{2\pi \delta(\omega - \omega_i(\mathbf{k}))}{\left(2\omega - \frac{\partial \Pi^R}{\partial \omega}\right)} \Big|_{\omega=\omega_i(\mathbf{k})} + \frac{2\beta k \omega}{\tilde{\omega}^4(k) + \beta^2 k^2 \omega^2} \theta(\omega < v_F k)$$

pion propagator has a complex pole

$$D^{-1}(\omega, k) \simeq D^{-1}(0, k) + i\beta\omega$$

$$\beta = m_N^{*2} k f_{\pi NN}^2 / \pi$$

$$\tilde{\omega}^2(k) = -D^{-1}(0, k)$$

$$\omega \propto -i\tilde{\omega}^2(k_{\min})/\beta$$

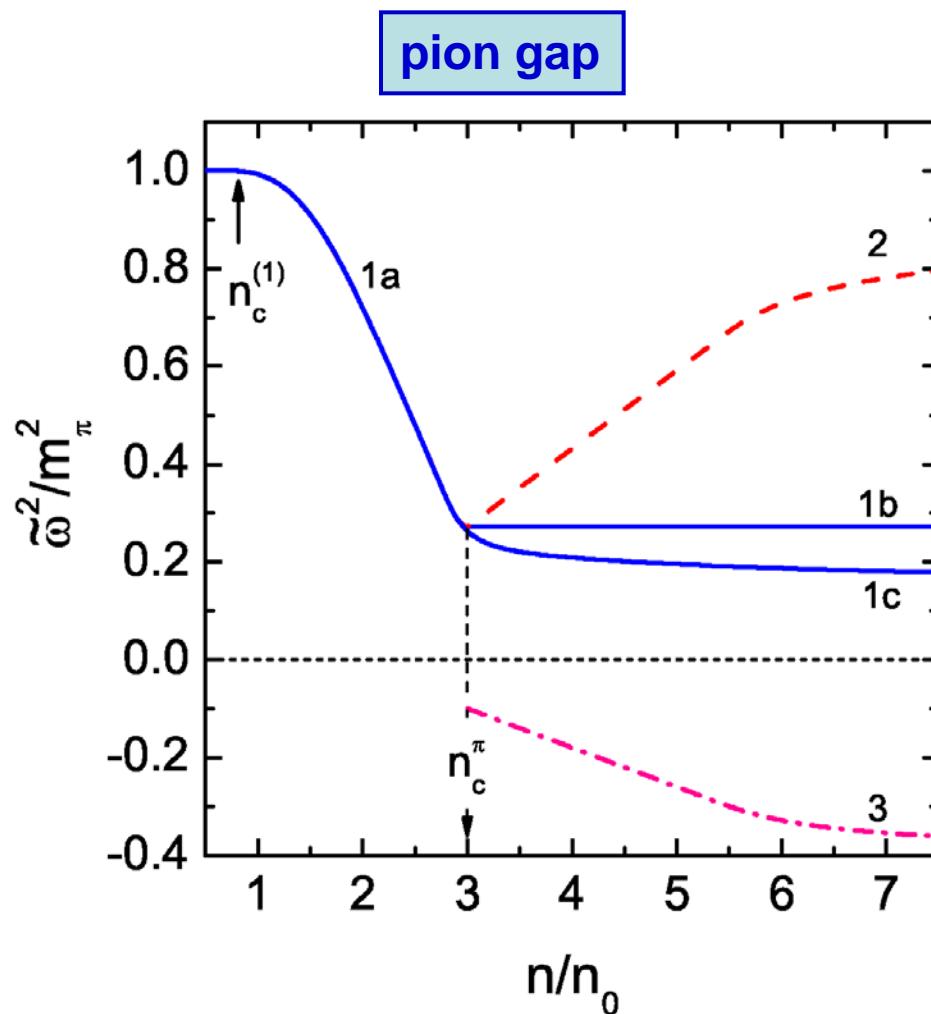
when  $\tilde{\omega}^2(k_{\min} \simeq p_F) < 0$

→ instability → pion condensation

- pion softening

**pion propagator** for  $\omega \ll k_0 v_F$   $k \sim k_0 \simeq p_F$

$$D_\pi^R(\omega, k) \simeq \frac{1}{-\tilde{\omega}^2 - \gamma(k - k_0)^2 + i\beta(k)\omega}$$



reconstruction of pion spectrum  
on top of the pion condensate

LM parameters increase with density  
saturation of pion softening  
no pion condensate

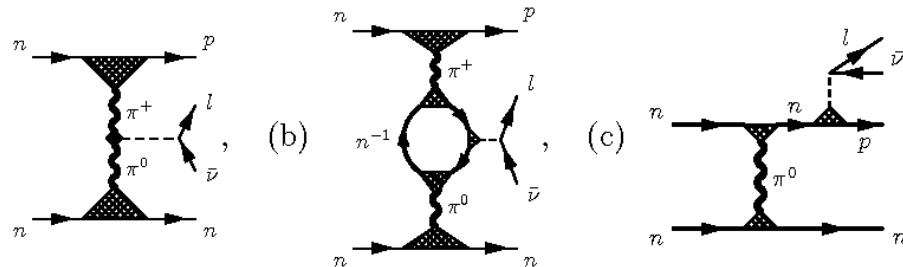
amplitude of the pion condensate

## • pion softening in neutrino production

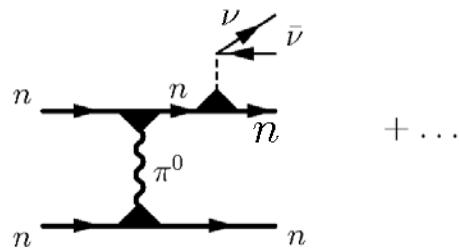
enhancement factors w.r.t. MU emissivity

### medium MU reactions

$$F_{\text{MMU}}(n) = 3 \left( \frac{n}{n_0} \right)^{10/3} \frac{[\Gamma(n)/\Gamma(n_0)]^6}{(\tilde{\omega}/m_\pi)^8}$$



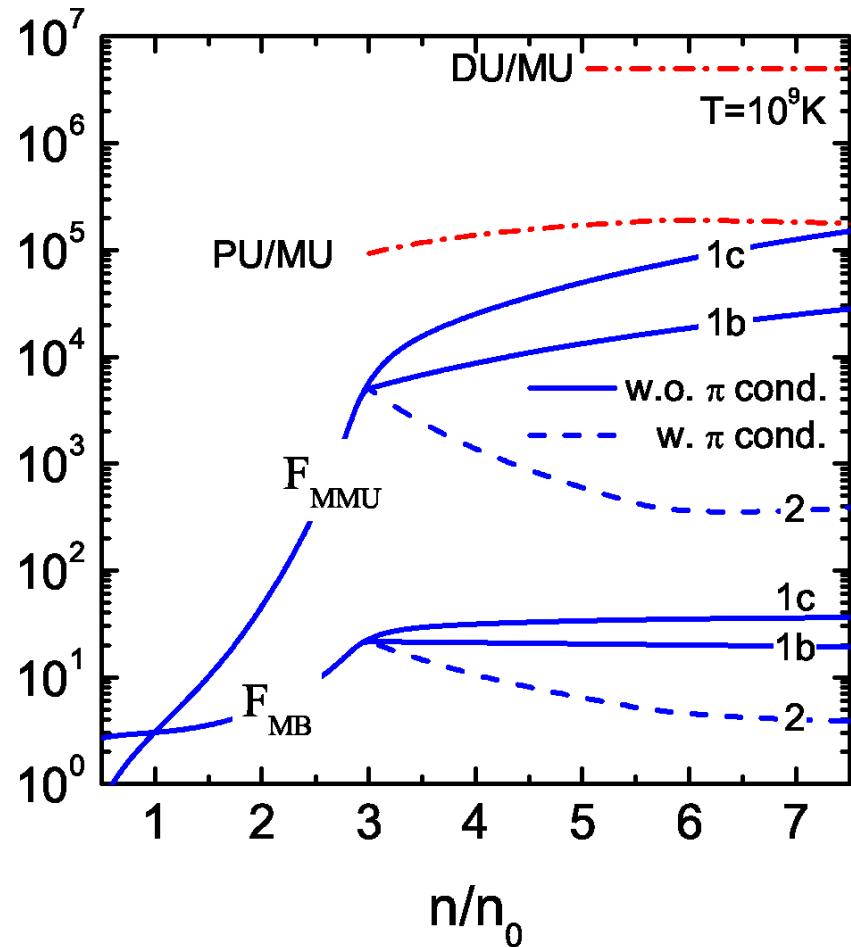
### medium bremsstrahlung reactions



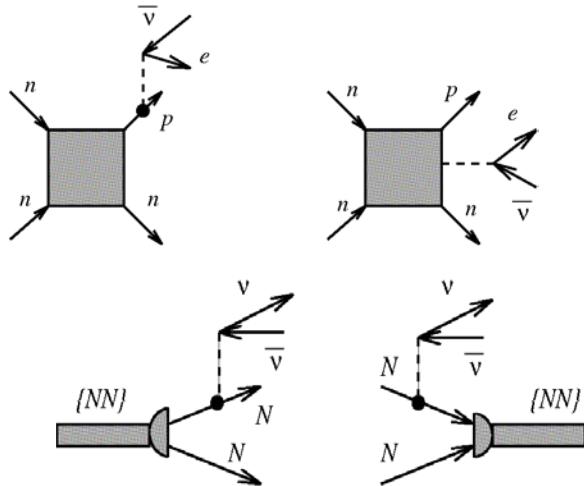
$$F_{\text{MB}}(n) = 3 \left( \frac{n}{n_0} \right)^{4/3} \frac{[\Gamma(n)/\Gamma(n_0)]^6}{[\omega^*(n)/m_\pi]^3}.$$

vertex correlation function

$$\Gamma(n) \simeq \frac{1}{1 + 1.6(n/n_0)^{1/3}}$$



# Basic reactions of neutron star cooling



medium Modified Urca (MMU)

(depends strongly on the NN interaction)

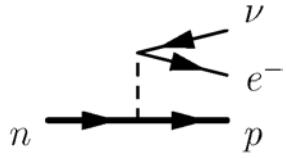
pair formation-breaking process (PFB)

(operating at  $T < T_c \sim 0.1$  MeV)

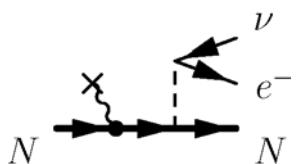
These processes can describe all three groups of the cooling data.

Direct Urca (DU)

**much more efficient than MMU**



allowed only if the proton concentration is  $>11\%$ ,  
for our EoS it corresponds to  $M > 1.8 M_{\text{sol}}$

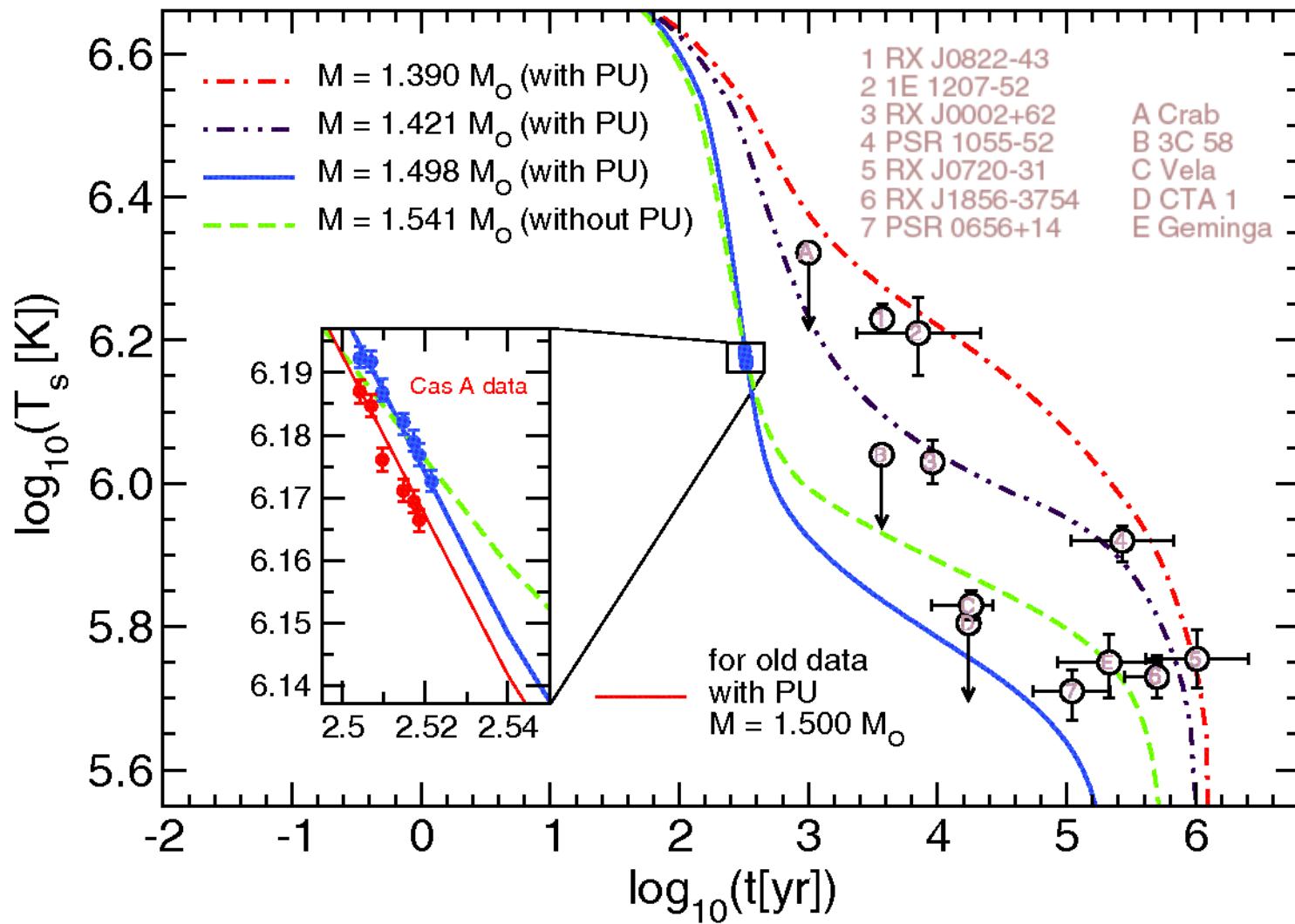


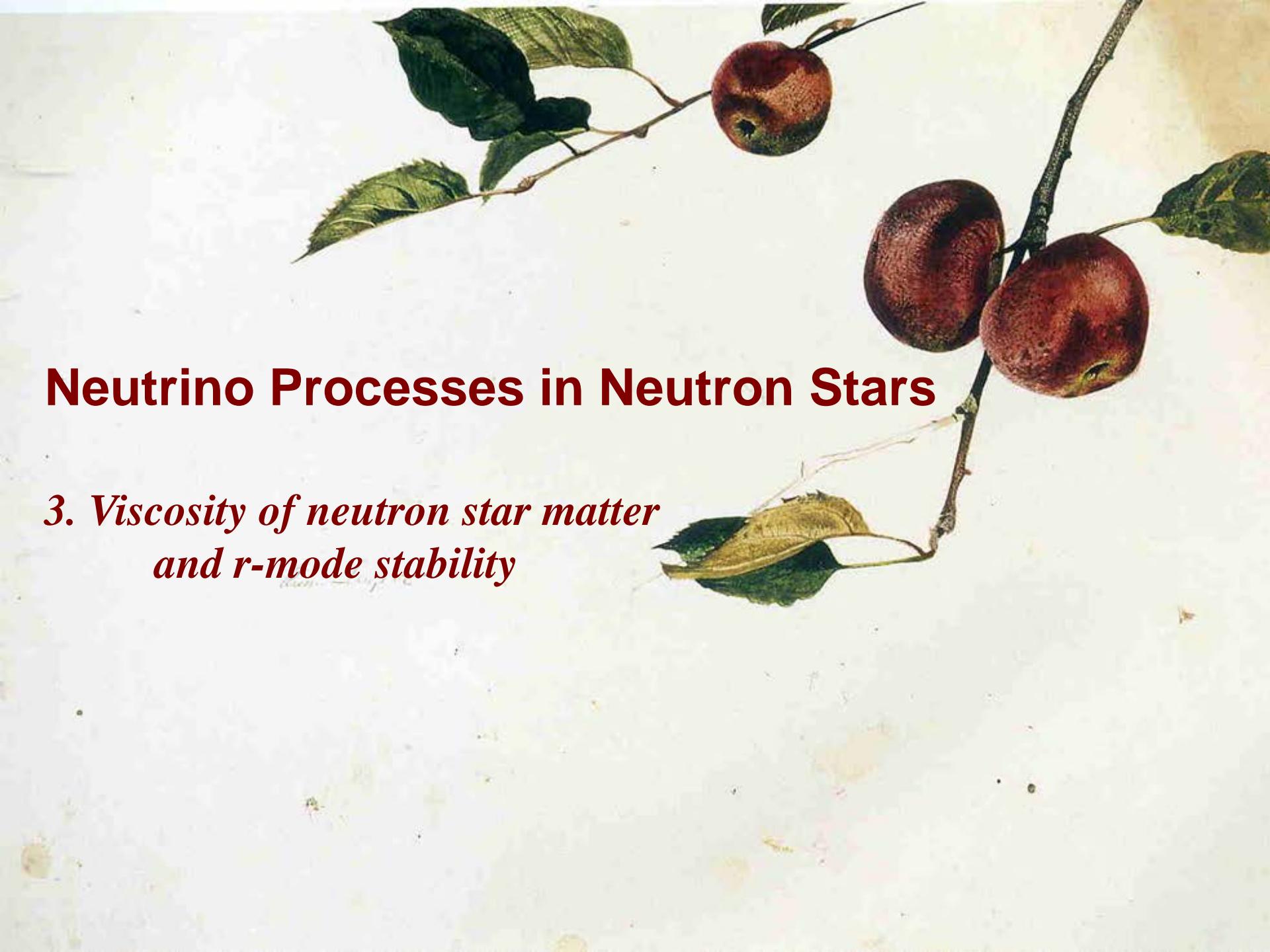
Processes of meson condensate (PU)  
allowed only for  $M > 1.3 M_{\text{sol}}$  for our Eos

**much more efficient than MMU**

# Neutron star cooling

[Blaschke, Grigorian, Voskresensky PRC88 (2013)065805]





# Neutrino Processes in Neutron Stars

## *3. Viscosity of neutron star matter and r-mode stability*

## Lepton shear viscosity

Lepton shear viscosity = electron + muon contribution     $\eta_{e/\mu} = \eta_e + \eta_\mu$

*low T, Fermi liquid results*    $\eta_l = \frac{1}{5} n_l p_{F,l} \tau_l$

Lepton collision time  $\tau_l$  is determined by lepton-lepton and lepton-proton collisions

Flowers and Itoh:     $\eta_{e/\mu}^{(\text{FI})} \approx \eta_e^{(\text{FI})} = 4.2 \cdot 10^{17} \left[ \frac{\text{g}}{\text{cm} \cdot \text{s}} \right] \left( \frac{\rho}{\rho_0} \right)^2 T_9^{-2}$

### Important role of the phonon modification (plasmon exchange)

for QCD plasma [Heiselberg, Pethick Phys. Rev. D 48 (1993) 2916]

[Shternin, Yakovlev, Phys. Rev. D 78 (2008) 063006]

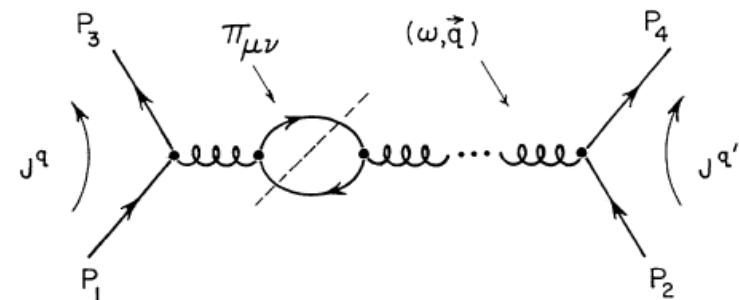
*leading terms for small T*

$$\tilde{\eta}_e = 1.82 \cdot 10^{19} \left[ \frac{\text{g}}{\text{cm} \cdot \text{s}} \right] \left( \frac{n_p}{n_0} \right)^{\frac{14}{9}} \left( \frac{n_e}{n_p} \right)^2 \frac{T_9^{-\frac{5}{3}}}{(1+r)^{\frac{2}{3}}}$$

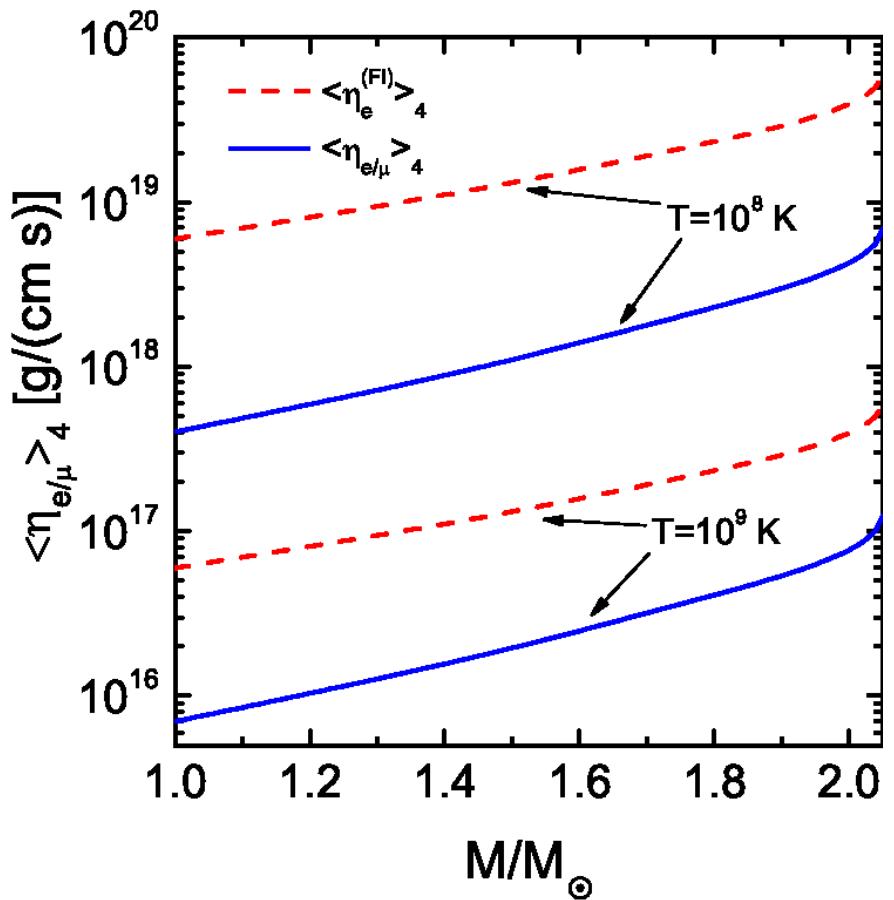
$$r = (p_{F,e}^2 + p_{F,\mu}^2)/p_{F,p}^2$$

$$\tilde{\eta}_\mu = \left( \frac{n_\mu}{n_e} \right)^{\frac{5}{3}} \tilde{\eta}_e$$

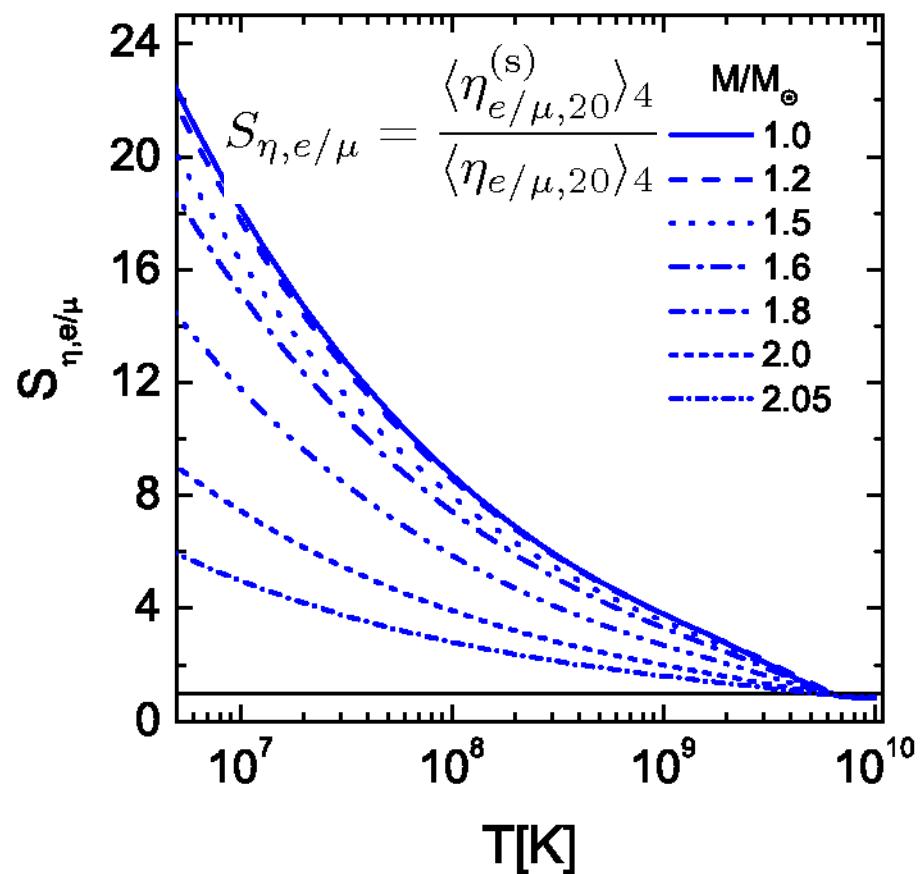
*muon contributions are important*



## Lepton shear viscosity vs. neutron star mass



## Effects of proton pairing on lepton shear viscosity



# Nucleon shear viscosity

[Shternin, Yakovlev, Phys. Rev. D 78 (2008) 063006]

$$\eta_n = \frac{3n_n p_{F,n}^2 m_N^2}{80m_n^* {}^4T^2 S_{nn}}$$

Fermi liquid  
result

*effective NN  
cross section*

$$S_{nn} = \frac{m_N^2}{16\pi^2} \int_0^1 dx' \int_0^{\sqrt{1-x'^2}} dx \frac{12x^2 x'^2 Q_{nn}(q, q')}{\sqrt{1-x^2 - x'^2}}$$

$$Q_{nn} = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{\text{spin}} |M_{nn}|^2$$

**FOPE:**

$$S_{nn}^{\text{FOPE}} \simeq \frac{3m_n^2 f_{\pi NN}^4}{40\pi} \simeq \frac{1.1}{m_\pi^2}$$

**MOPE:**

$$S_{nn}^{\text{MOPE}} = K S_{nn}^{\text{FOPE}}$$

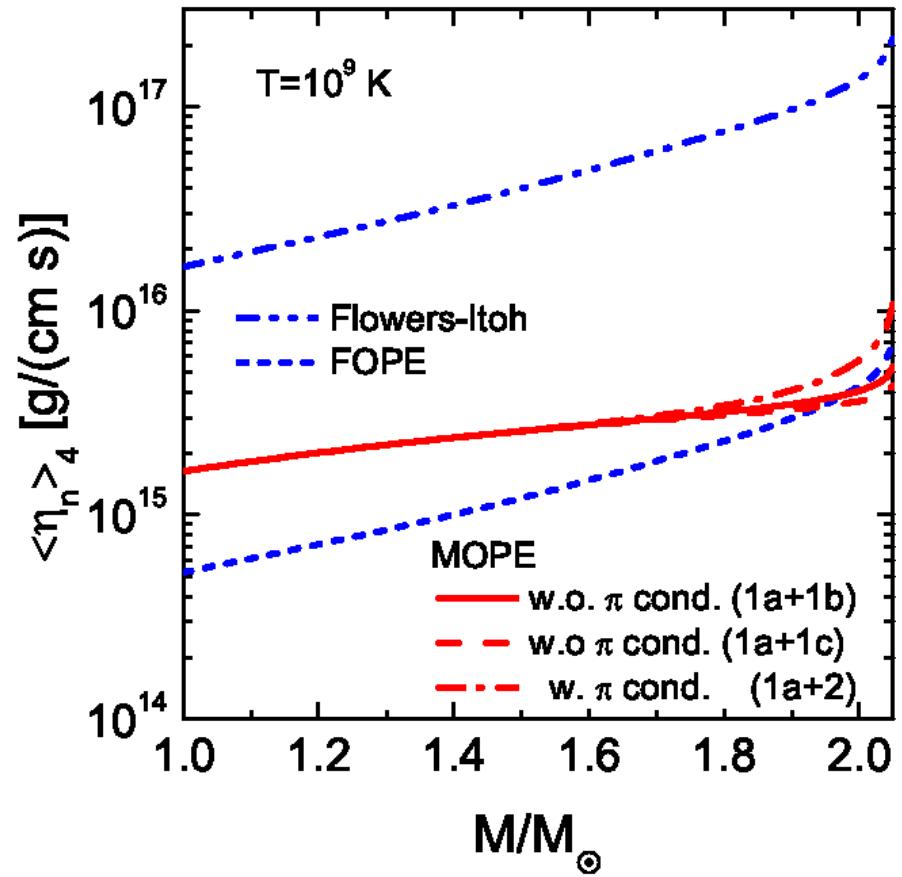
$$K = \frac{30\pi\Gamma^4 p_{F,n}^3}{128\gamma\tilde{\omega}^3} \left[ 1 + \frac{2}{3} \frac{\tilde{\omega}}{\gamma p_{F,n}} \right]$$

*modification factor*

$$K(n = n_0) \simeq 0.3 \longleftrightarrow [\text{Bacca et al, PRC80}]$$

$$K(n = 2.6n_0) \simeq 1$$

$$K(n \geq 3n_0) \simeq 2$$



## Phonon shear viscosity

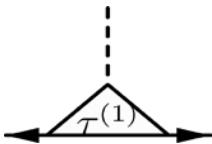
A shear viscosity induced by **phonon-phonon** interactions was discussed by Manuel and Tolos in [PRD84 (2011) 123007; PRD88 (2013) 043001].

These interactions may give a contribution to the resulting shear viscosity if  $T_{cn} > T \gtrsim 10^9 \text{K}$ . However, at such temperatures the bulk viscosity is dominant.

We consider the interaction of the phonon (Anderson-Bogoliubov) mode with neutrons

$$\eta_{\text{ph}} = \int \frac{d^3 q}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{\tau_{\text{ph}}}{15T} \frac{(sv_{F,n})^2 q^2}{(e^{sv_{F,n}q/T} - 1)(1 - e^{-sv_{F,n}q/T})} = \frac{2\pi^2}{25} \frac{T^4}{v_{F,n}^3} \bar{\tau}_{\text{ph}} \quad s = 1/\sqrt{3}$$

From the Larkin-Migdal equation for anomalous vertex [E.K. Voskresensky, PRC77, PRC81]



$$\tilde{\tau}_{V,0} = \frac{-2\Delta\omega}{\omega^2 - \frac{1}{3}v_{F,n}^2 q^2 - i\omega \gamma_{\text{ph}}(\omega, q)} \tau_{V,0}^\omega$$

← bare p.-h. vertex

$$\gamma_{\text{ph}}(q) = 1/\tau_{\text{ph}} \approx \frac{2\pi}{3} v_{F,n} q e^{-\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}\frac{\Delta}{T}}$$

The phonon lifetime  $\bar{\tau}_{\text{ph}} \simeq 5.9 \cdot 10^{-22} \frac{e\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}\frac{\Delta}{T}}{T_9} \text{s}$  must be smaller than the ballistic time

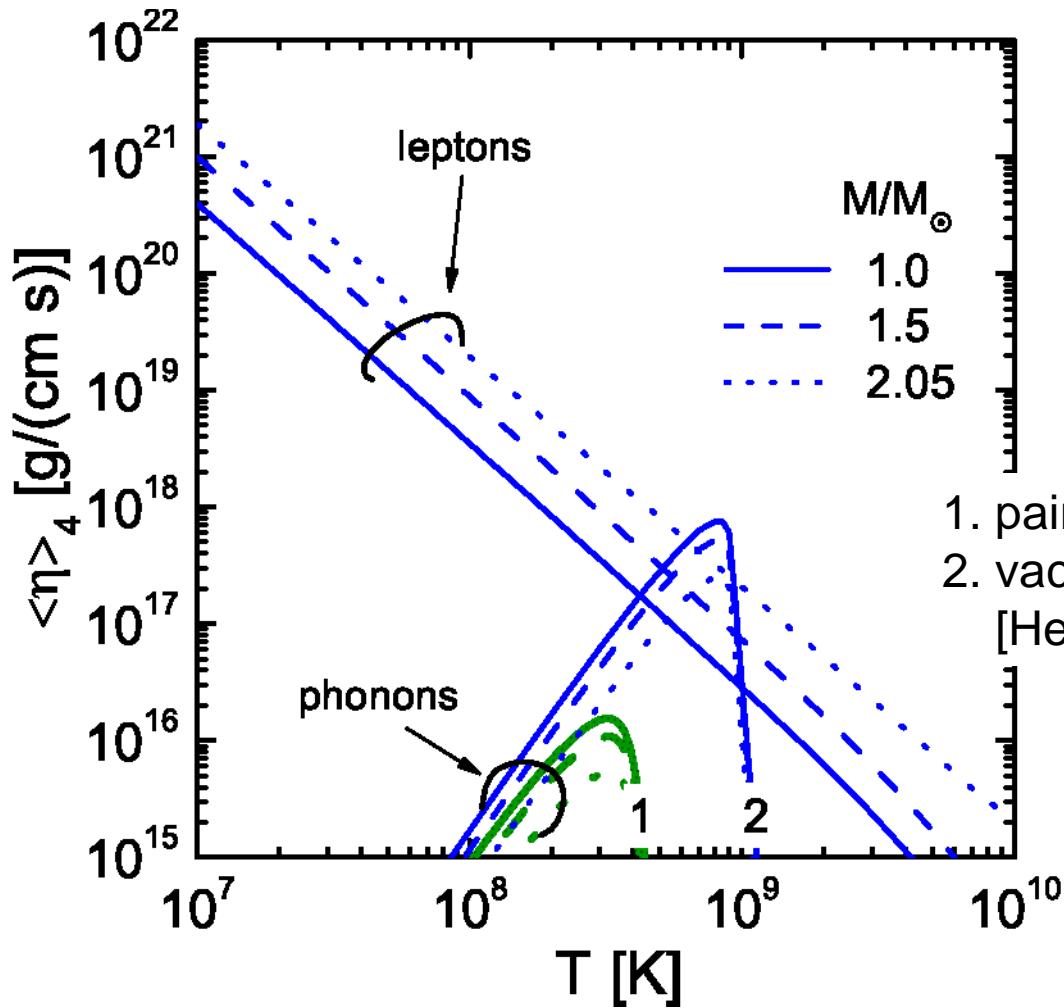
$$\tau_{\text{bal}} \sim \frac{1 \text{ km}}{s v_F} \simeq 1.6 \cdot 10^{-5} \text{ s} \left( \frac{n_0}{n} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \frac{m_n^*}{m_N}$$

*size of the region of the neutron pairing*

$$\eta_{\text{ph}} \simeq 2.1 \cdot 10^{23} \left[ \frac{\text{g}}{\text{cm} \cdot \text{s}} \right] \left( \frac{n_0}{n} \right) \left( \frac{m_n^*}{m_N} \right)^3 T_9^4 \frac{\min\{\bar{\tau}_{\text{ph}}, \tau_{\text{bal}}\}}{\text{s}}$$

$$\bar{\tau}_{\text{ph}} \simeq 5.9 \cdot 10^{-22} e \sqrt{\frac{3}{2} \frac{\Delta}{T}} \text{ s}$$

$$\tau_{\text{bal}} \simeq 1.6 \cdot 10^{-5} \text{ s} \left( \frac{n_0}{n} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \frac{m_n^*}{m_N}$$



1. pairing gaps reduced in medium
2. vacuum pairing gaps  
[Hebeler, Schwenk, Friman]

## Neutrino shear viscosity

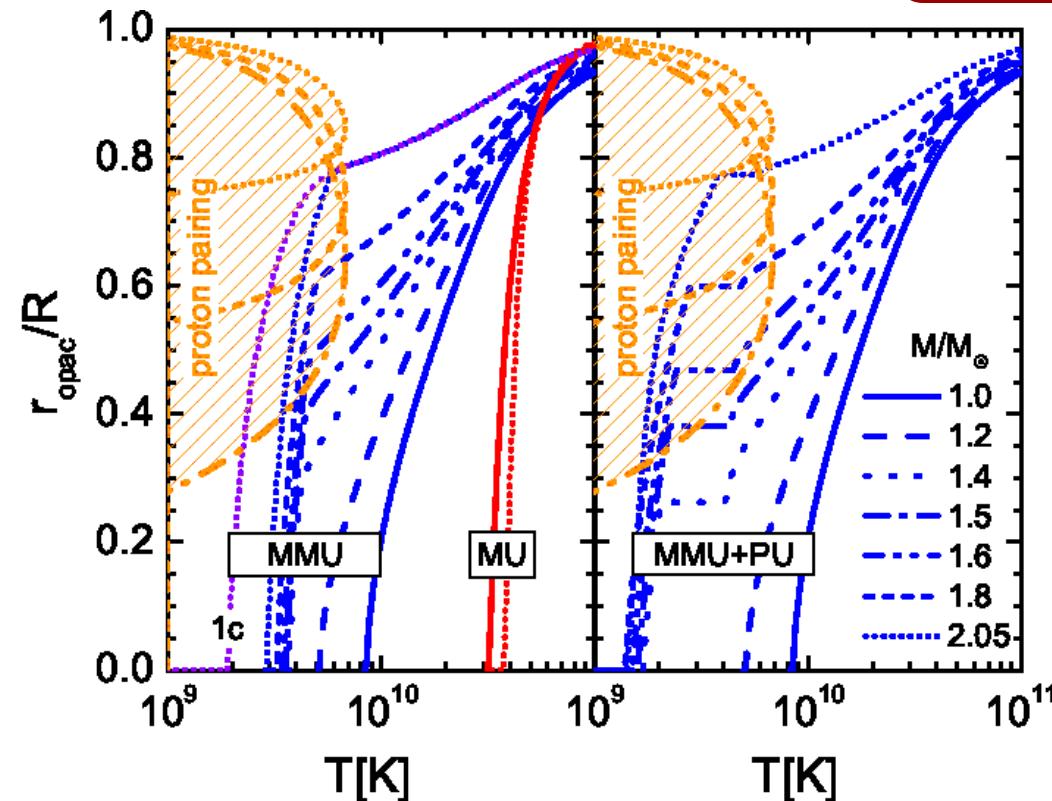
With the temperature increase the neutrino mean free path decreases and for sufficiently high temperatures neutrinos become trapped inside the neutron star interior.

$$\eta_\nu = 2 \int \frac{2d^3q}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{\tau_\nu}{15T} \frac{v_\nu^2 q^2}{(e^{v_\nu q/T} + 1)(1 + e^{-v_\nu q/T})} = \frac{7\pi^2}{225 v_\nu^3} T^4 \bar{\tau}_\nu \quad v_\nu = c$$

Neutrino mean free path is determined by inverse MMU and PU processes

$$\bar{\tau}_\nu \simeq \frac{8.7 \text{ s}}{T_9^4 F_{\text{MMU}}(n)} \left(\frac{m_N}{m_N^*}\right)^4 \frac{(n_0/n_e)^{\frac{1}{3}}}{1 + \chi_{\text{PU}}(n, T)}$$

$$\eta_\nu \simeq \frac{3.08 \cdot 10^{22}}{1 + \chi_{\text{PU}}(n, T)} \left[ \frac{\text{g}}{\text{cm} \cdot \text{s}} \right] \left( \frac{n_0}{n_p} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \frac{(m_N/m_N^*)^4}{F_{\text{MMU}}(n)}$$



weak  $T$  dependence

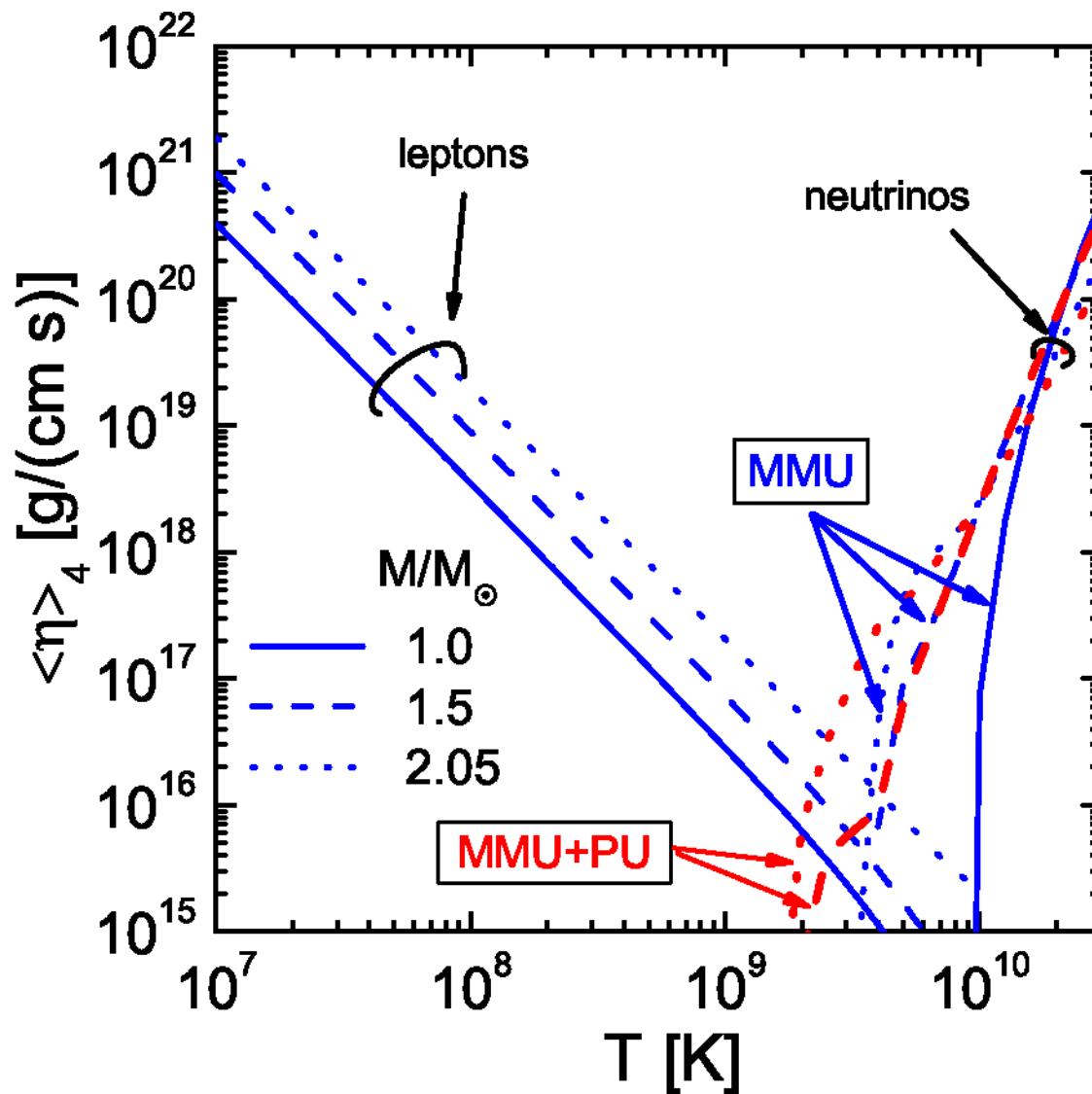
contributes only in regions where neutrinos are trapped

$$\eta_\nu^{(\text{opac})}(r, T) = \eta_\nu(n(r)) \theta(r_{\text{opac}} - r)$$

**opacity radius** is determined as

$$v_\nu \bar{\tau}_\nu(n(r_{\text{opac}}), T) = R - r_{\text{opac}}$$

## Lepton shear viscosity



## Bulk viscosity

collisional

$$\zeta_{\text{coll}} = \frac{m_N^{*3}/n_0}{162\pi^2} \tau T^4 \left[ \frac{n_0}{n} \right]^{1/3} F_0^2$$

[Sykes, Brooker, Ann. Phys. 56(1970) 1]

$F_0$  is the zeroth harmonics of the dimensionless scalar Landau-Migdal parameter,  $F_0 \sim 1$

$\tau \sim m_\pi^2 / (m_N^* T^2)$  nucleon relaxation time;

$$\zeta_{\text{coll}} \sim 90 \left[ \frac{\text{g}}{\text{cm} \cdot \text{s}} \right] T_9^2 \left[ \frac{n_0}{n} \right]^{1/3} F_0^2$$

small contribution

## Bulk viscosity

Energy dissipation of the mode:  $\dot{E}_{\text{mode}} = \dot{P}\dot{V} - \epsilon_\nu$       $\epsilon_\nu$  is neutrino emissivity

Energy of the mode decreases if the pressure depends on an order parameter, which variation is delayed with respect to the variation of the density  
 [Mandelstam, Leontovich, ZhETF 7(1937)438]

### soft mode

[Sawyer PRD39, Haensel, Levenfish, Yakovlev A&A357, A&A372]

order parameter is  $X_l = n_l/n$  lepton concentration    $\delta\mu_l = \mu_n - \mu_p - \mu_l \neq 0$

$$\delta\dot{X}_l = -\frac{\delta X_l}{\tau_{X,l}} + n \frac{\partial \delta\mu_l}{\partial n} \delta n(t)$$

*relaxation time*

$$\zeta_{\text{s.m.}} \approx -\frac{\partial P}{\partial X_l} \frac{dX_l}{dn} \frac{n\tau_{X,l}}{1 + \omega^2 \tau_{X,l}^2}$$

$$\zeta_{\text{s.m.}} = n \frac{\langle P(n + \delta n(t), X_l + \delta X_l(t)) \delta \dot{n}(t) \rangle_{\mathcal{P}}}{\langle (\delta \dot{n}(t))^2 \rangle_{\mathcal{P}}}$$

$\langle \dots \rangle_{\mathcal{P}}$  average over the perturbation period

$$\zeta_{\text{s.m.}} \approx -\frac{\partial P}{\partial X_l} \frac{dX_l}{dn} \frac{n\tau_{X,l}}{1 + \omega^2 \tau_{X,l}^2} \approx -\frac{\partial P}{\partial X_l} \frac{dX_l}{dn} \frac{n}{\omega^2 \tau_{X,l}} \quad \text{for } \omega\tau_{X,l} \gg 1$$

$$\frac{1}{\tau_{X,l}} = \sum_r \mathcal{R}^{[r]} = \sum_r \frac{1}{\tau_{X,l}^{[r]}} \quad \text{sum over various processes changing } \delta X_l$$

$$\zeta_{\text{s.m.}} \approx \sum_r \zeta_{\text{s.m.}}^{[r]}$$

direct Urca (DU);

$$\zeta_{\text{s.m.}}^{[\text{DU}]} \propto T^5$$

modified Urca (MU)

[calculated with FOPE]

or

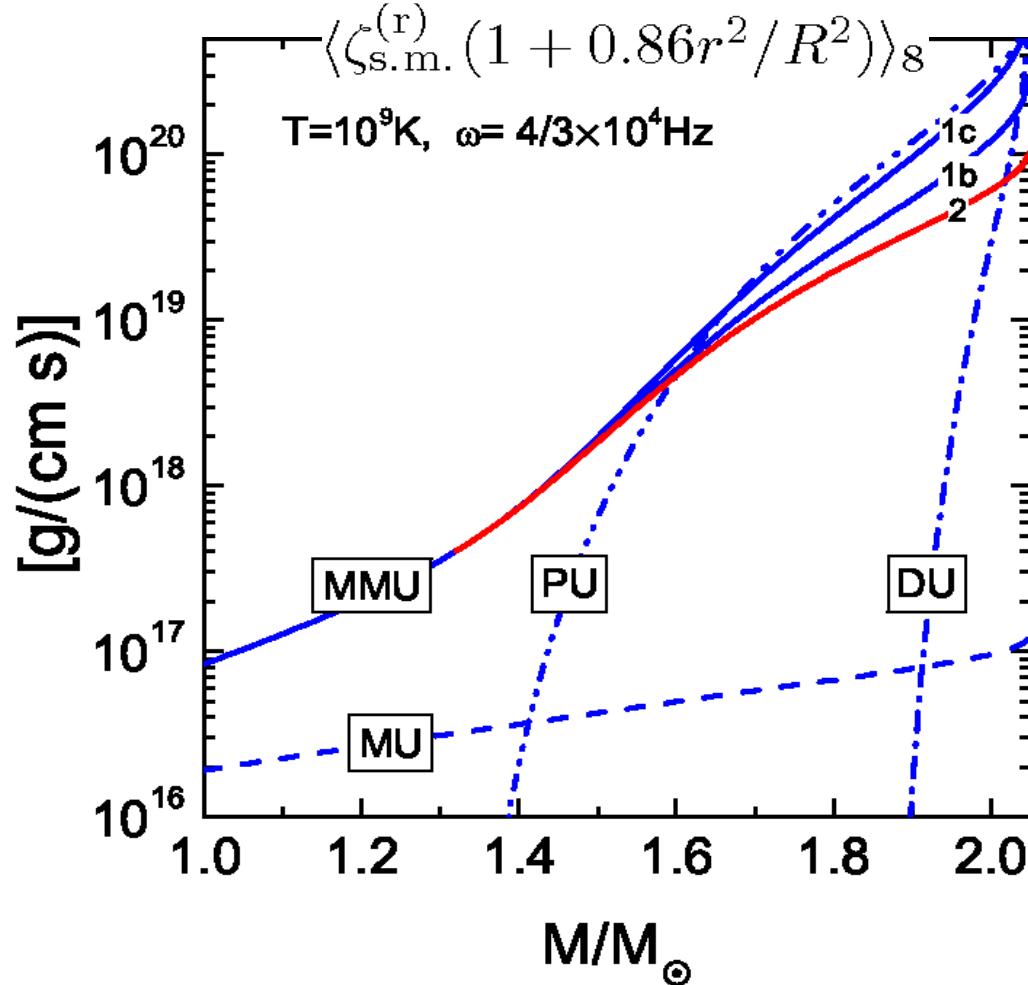
medium MU (MMU)

[calculated with MOPE];

$$\zeta_{\text{s.m.}}^{[\text{MMU}]} \propto F_{\text{MMU}}(n) T^7$$

pion condensate Urca (PU)

$$\zeta_{\text{s.m.}}^{[\text{PU}]} \propto T^5$$



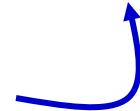
Energy dissipation of the mode:  $\dot{E}_{\text{mode}} = \dot{P}\dot{V} - \underline{\epsilon_\nu}$      $\epsilon_\nu$  is neutrino emissivity

Meltzer, Thorne ApJ145(66)514; Hansen, Tsuruta, Can.J.Phys. 45 (67)2823;  
Sa'd, Schaffner-Bielich 0908.4190

radiative viscosity    $\zeta_{\text{rad}} = -n^2 \frac{\langle \epsilon_\nu(n + \delta n(t), \delta \mu(t)) - \epsilon_\nu(n, 0) \rangle_{\mathcal{P}}}{\langle (\delta \dot{n}(t))^2 \rangle_{\mathcal{P}}} = \sum_r \zeta_{\text{rad}}^{[r]}$

$$\zeta_{\text{rad}}^{[r]} \approx \frac{3}{2} \zeta_{\text{s.m.}}^{[r]} + \frac{n^2}{2\omega^2} \frac{\partial^2 \epsilon_\nu^{[r]}}{\partial n^2}$$

reactions changing  
the number of e, $\mu$   
Urca reactions [DU,MMU,PU]



vv production  
Bremsstrahlung,  
Pair-breaking formation

*small contribution*

## Pairing effects on bulk viscosity

pairing suppression  
factor for nucleon  $i=n,p$

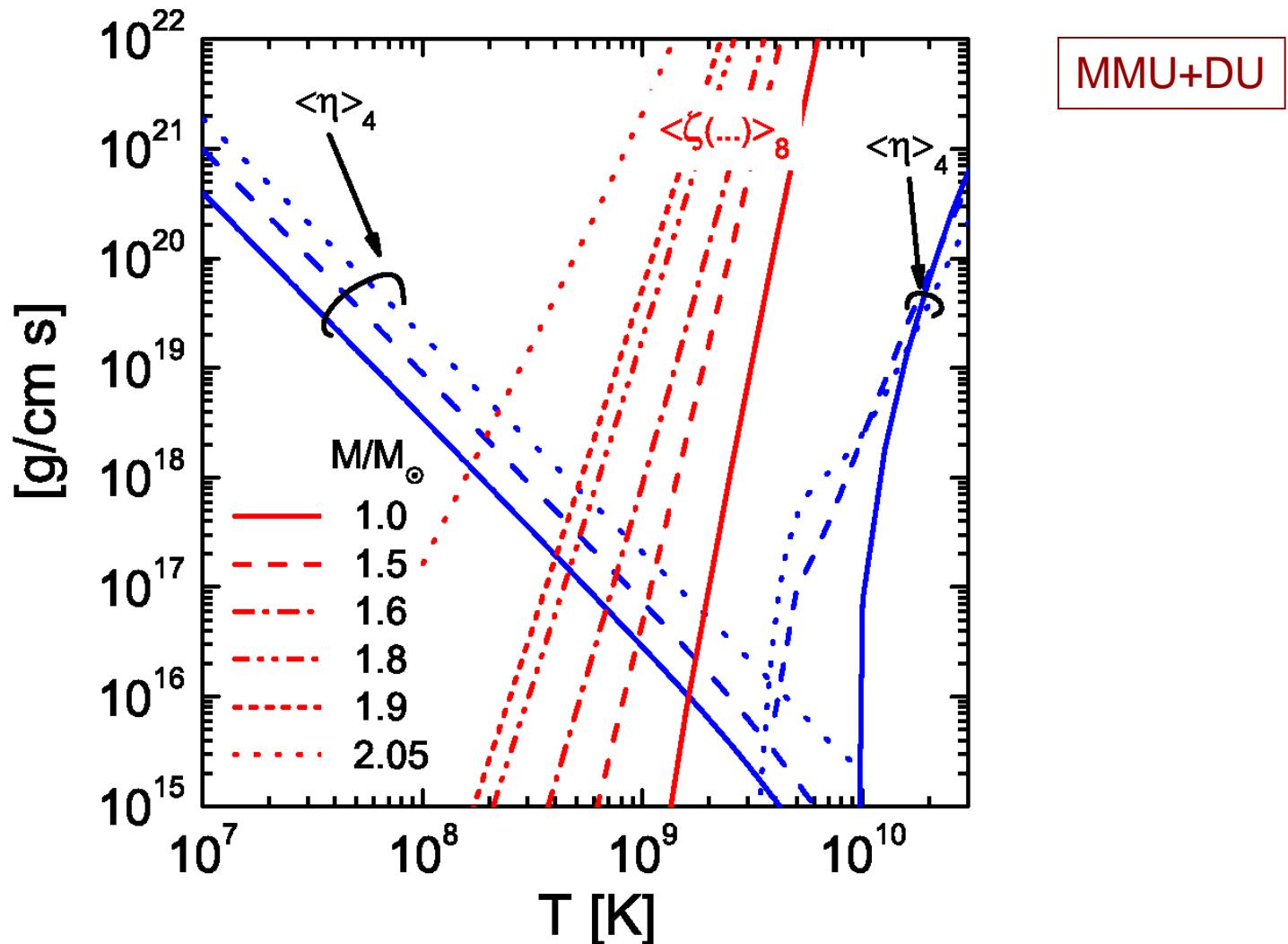
$$\xi_i = \exp(-\Delta_i/T)$$

$$\zeta_{\text{s.m.},l}^{(\text{DU/PU})(s)} = \zeta_{\text{s.m.},l}^{(\text{DU/PU})} \min[\xi_n, \xi_p],$$

$$\zeta_{\text{s.m.},l}^{(\text{MU/MMU})i(s)} = \zeta_{\text{s.m.},l}^{(\text{MU/MMU})i} \xi_p \xi_i$$

$$T \ll \Delta_i$$

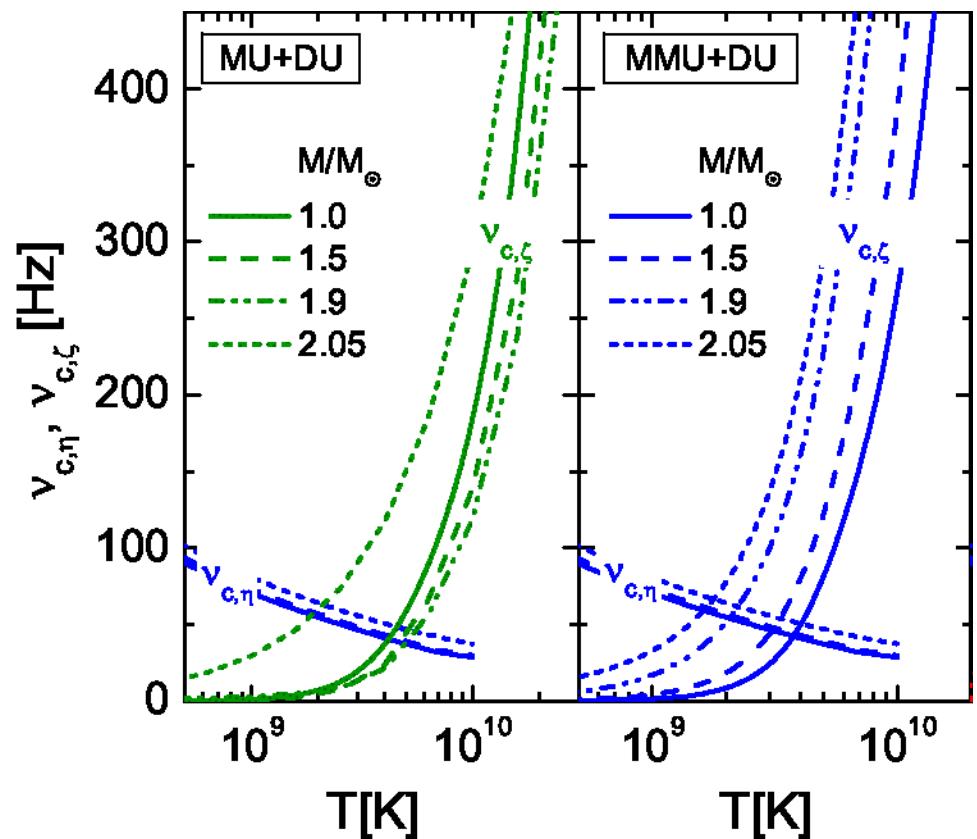
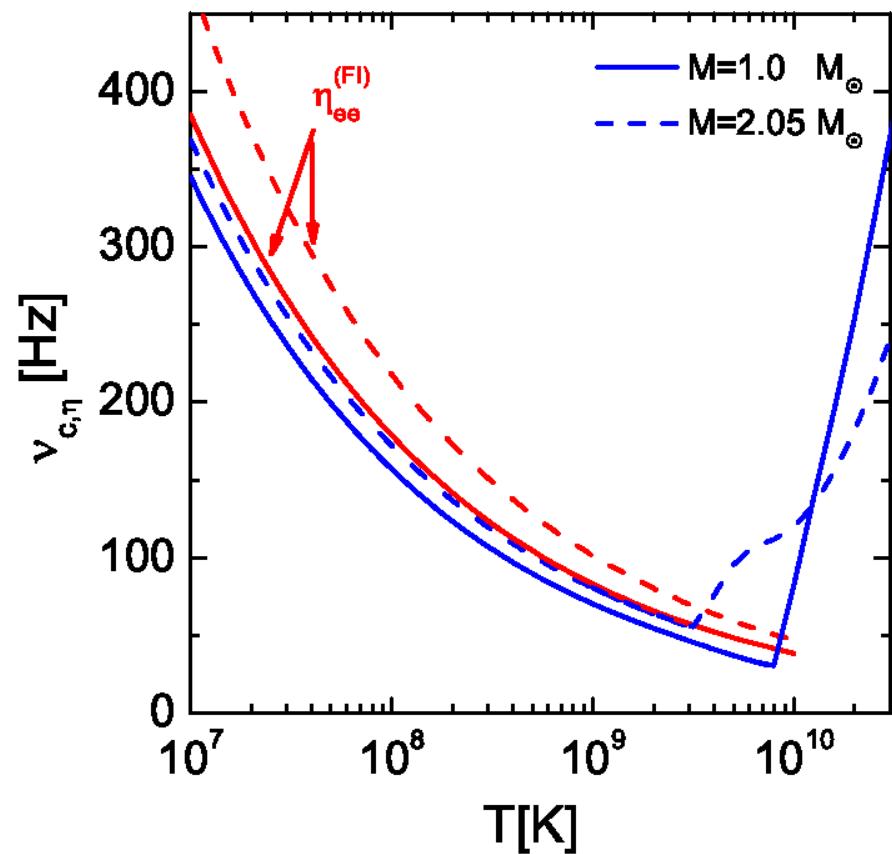
## Shear and bulk viscosities. Results



## R-mode stability window

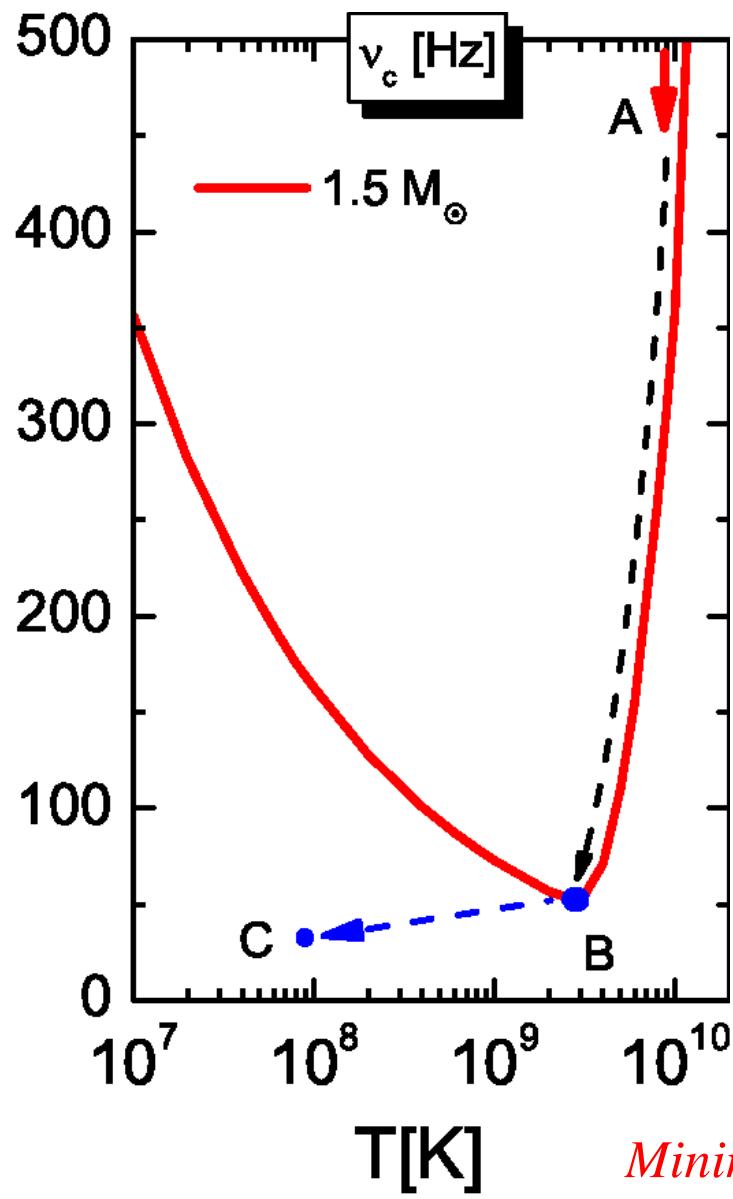
$$\tau_G^{-1}(\nu_c) = \tau_\eta^{-1}(\nu_c) + \tau_\zeta^{-1}(\nu_c) \quad \rightarrow \quad \nu_c = \nu_c(T)$$

$$\tau_G^{-1}(\nu_{c,\eta}) = \tau_\eta^{-1}(\nu_{c,\eta}) \quad \rightarrow \quad \nu_c^6 = \nu_{c,\eta}^6 + \nu_c^2 \nu_{c,\zeta}^4 \quad \leftarrow \quad \tau_G^{-1}(\nu_{c,\zeta}) = \tau_\zeta^{-1}(\nu_{c,\zeta})$$



$$\nu = \Omega/2\pi$$

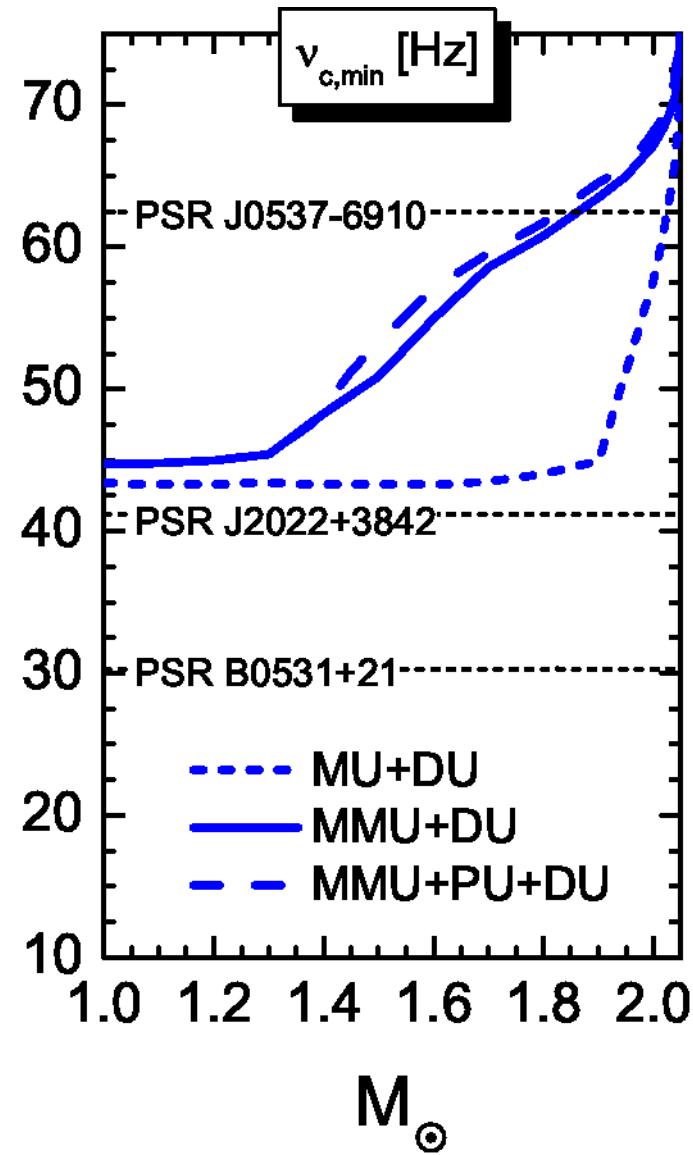
## Young pulsars



1. star is born hot and rapidly rotating (point A)
2. cooling time (heat transport!)  $\gg$  spin-down time  
 $t_{\text{spin-down}} \sim 100\text{s}/a_{\max}^2 \nu_3^6$   
for max. r-mode amplitude  $a_{\max} \sim 1$
3. star moves along line AB because of r-modes
4. line BC, cooling and magnetic breaking

*Minimum point B must be above 62 Hz (PSRJ0537-6910)*

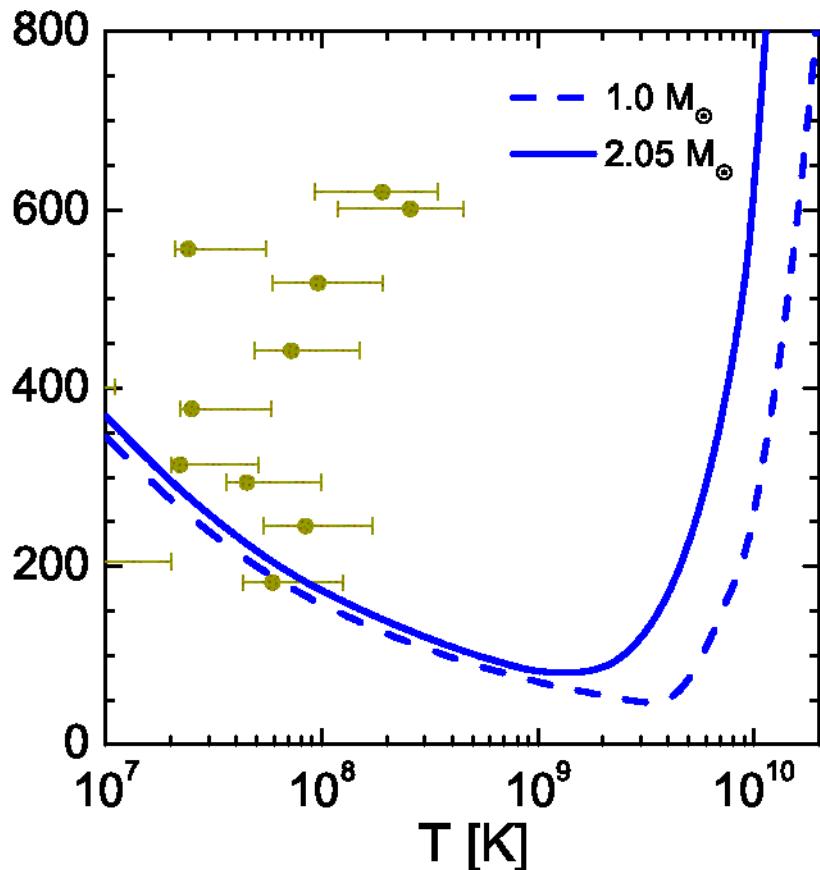
## Minimum of the stability window



## LMXB recycled pulsars

*Rotation of LMXB pulsars cannot be explained. Shear viscosity is too small.*

### Alternative mechanisms



- differential drift in magnetic field  
[Rezzolla, Lamb, Shapiro]
- weak reactions with hyperons +hyperon pairing  
[Jones; Nayyar Owen]
- core-crust coupling  
[Bildsten, Ushomirsky, Levin]
- saturation of r-mode amplitude at small values  
[Arras, Bondaresku, Wasserman]
- non-linear decay of r-modes  
[Kastaun]
- coupling to more stable modes  
[Gusakov, Chugunov, Kantor]
- vortex flux-tube interactions  
[Haskell, Glampedakis, Andersson]