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# *Physical characterization of Core-Collapse Supernovae with “fast” modeling procedures*

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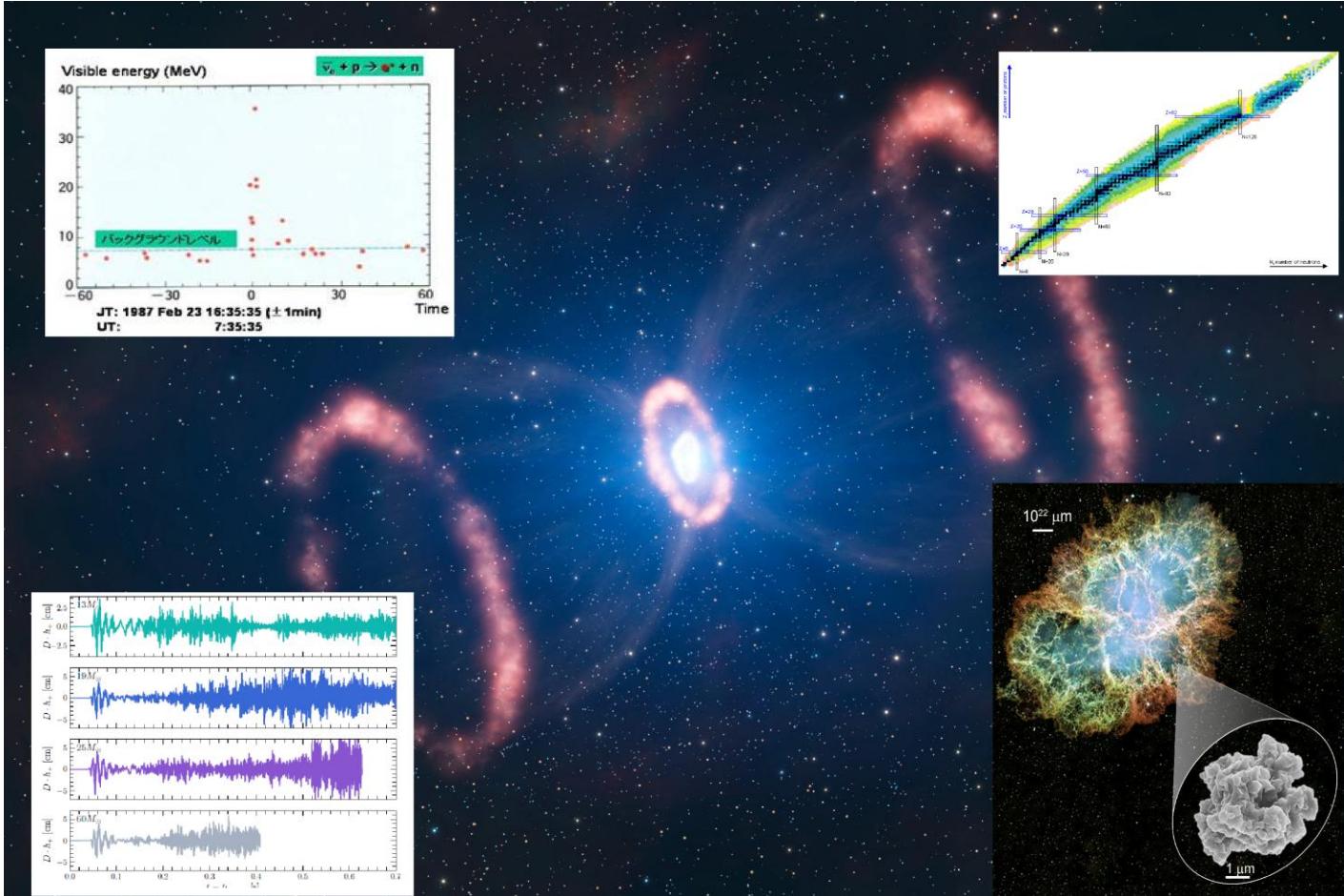


**AN EXTRAORDINARY JOURNEY INTO THE TRANSIENT SKY:  
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# Core-Collapse Supernovae

Neutrino  
Emission



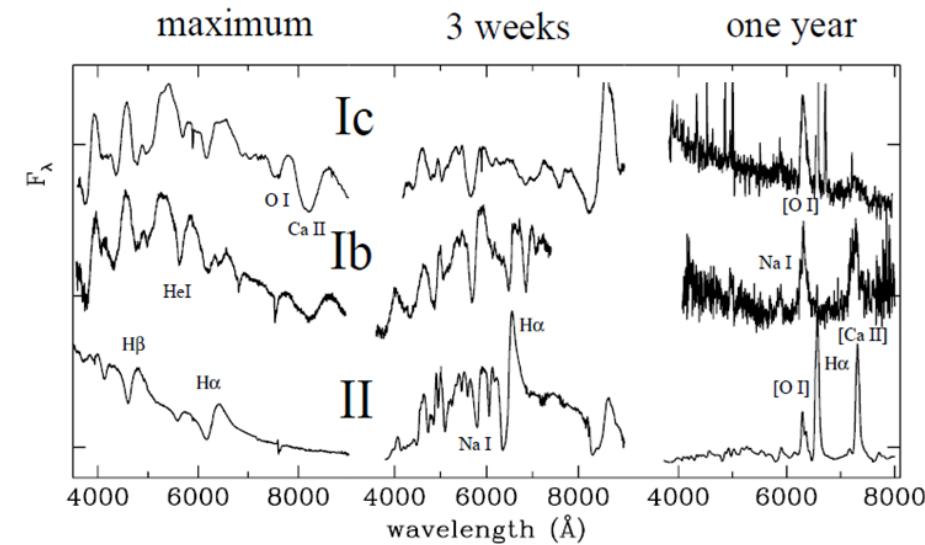
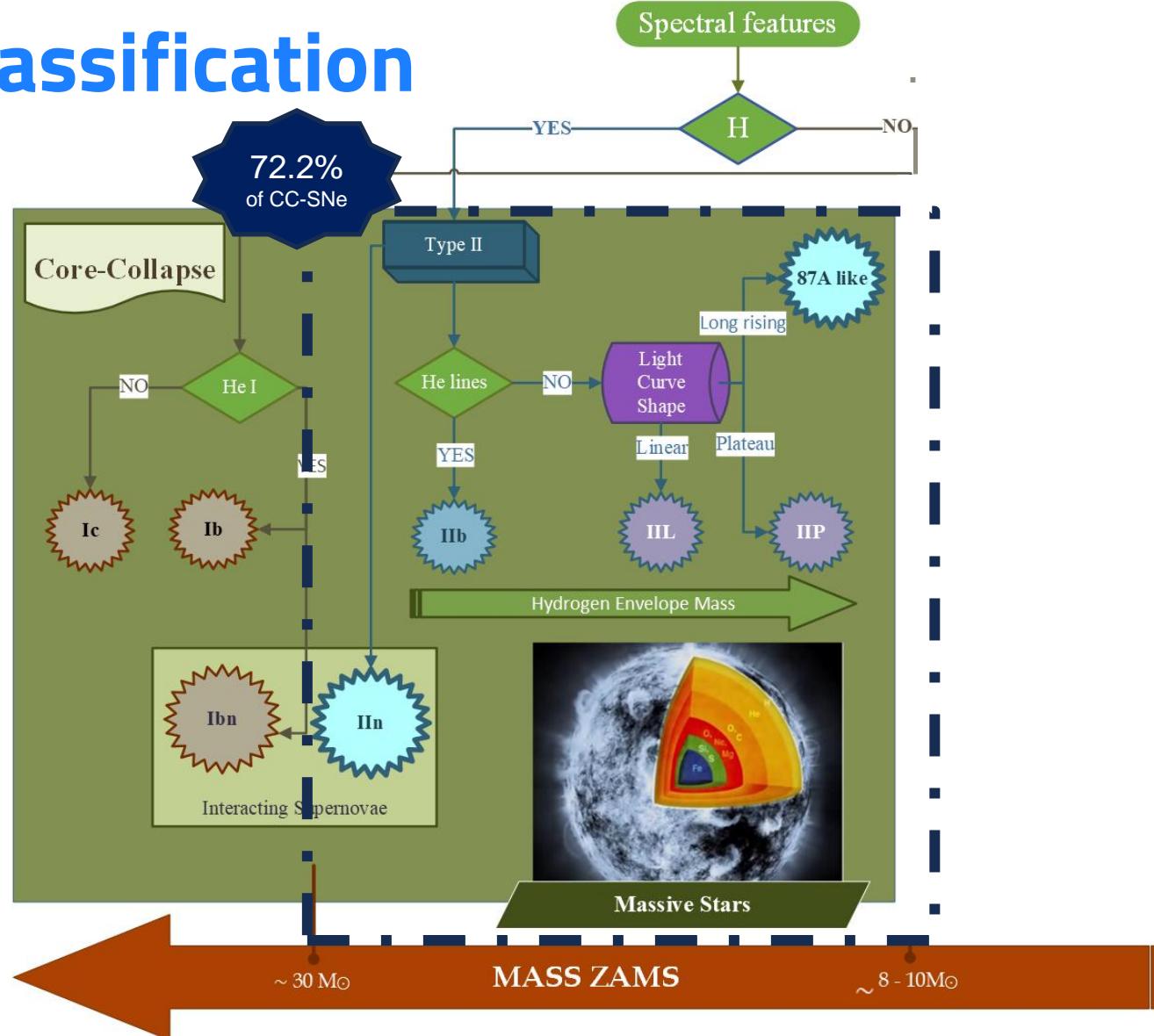
Gravitational  
Waves

Stellar  
Nucleosynthesis

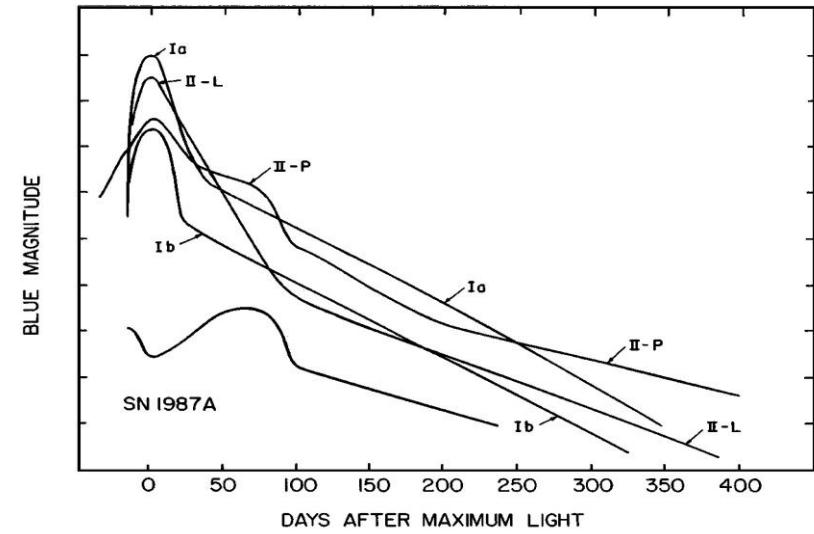
Molecular &  
Dust production

Composite image with artistic representation of SN 1987A (Ref. [ESO Website](#))

# SN classification



M. Turatto, Lecture Notes in Physics, vol. 598, p.21-36



A. V. Filippenko, ARA&A 35, 309 (1997)

# Physical Characterization of Supernova events

## Electromagnetic Observation:

- Light Curves →  
Bolometric Luminosity;
- Spectra →  
Photospheric Velocity.



## Theoretical Models:

- Hydrodynamic numerical models;
- Scaling Equations;
- Semi-/Analytical models.

## Explosion parameters:

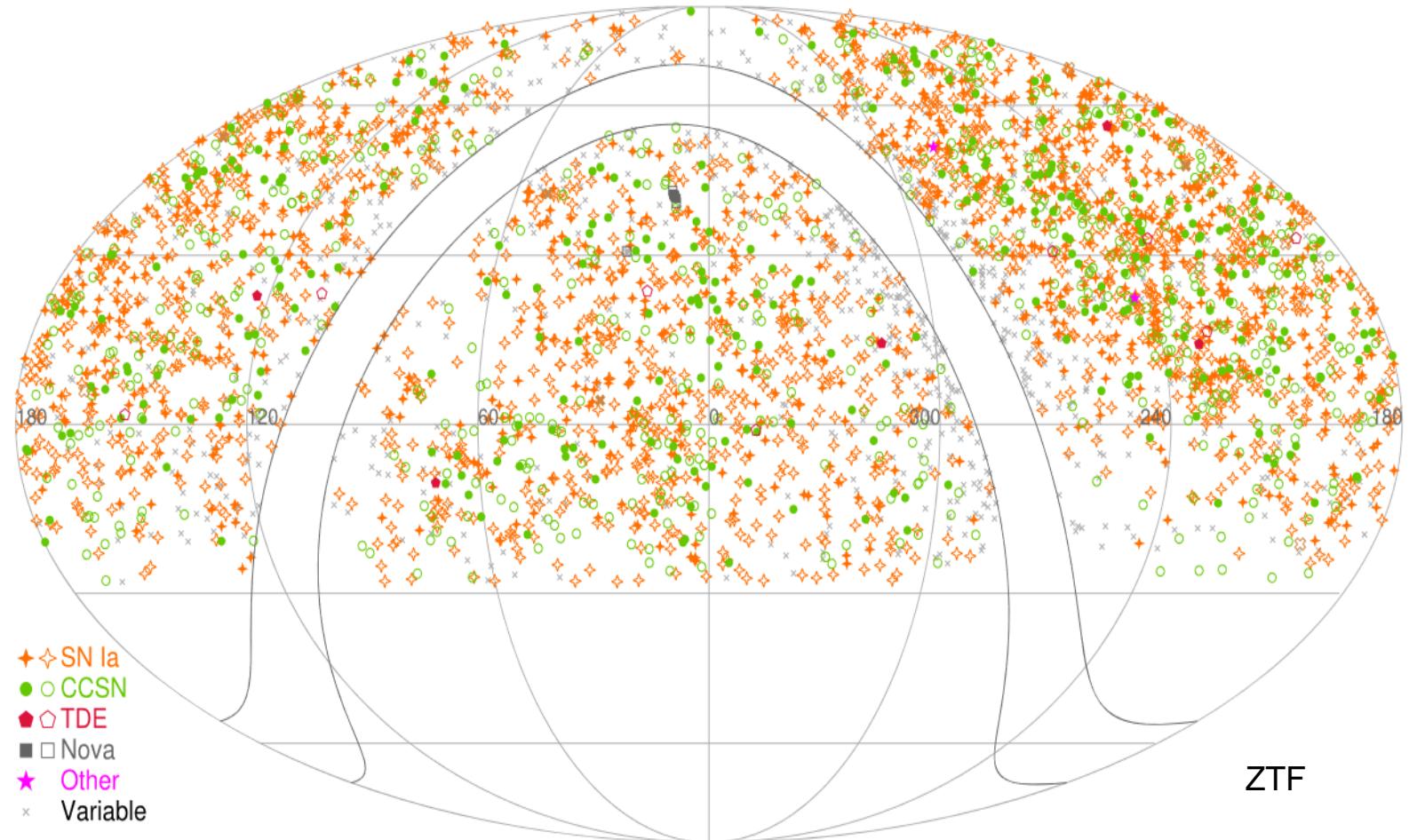
- Explosion energy ( $E$ );
- Ejected mass ( $M_{ej}$ ) ;
- Radius at explosion ( $R_0$ ) ;
- Source mechanism  $-^{56}\text{Ni}$  mass, magnetar, CSM interaction, etc.– parameters (e. g.  $M_{Ni}$ ,  $B_M$ ,  $P_M$ ,  $\dot{M}_{\text{CSM}}$ ,  $R_{\text{CSM}}$ , s, etc.).



## Discovery, classification, characterization rates:

- Transients  $\approx 10^4 \text{yr}^{-1}$
- SN Classifications  $\approx 10^3 \text{yr}^{-1}$
- Type II SNe  $\approx 2 \cdot 10^2 \text{yr}^{-1}$
- **Characterized SNe II**  $\approx 20 \text{yr}^{-1}$

LSST survey will increase  
the discovery rates of  
 **$\times 1000 - 2000$**

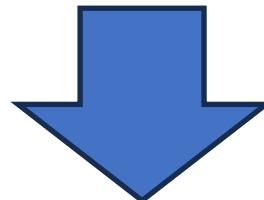


Ivezić, Ž et al., ApJ, Vol. 873, 2, id. 111, 44 pp. (2019).

Perley D.A., Fremling C., Sollerman et al., 2020, ApJ, 904:35

## Open Issues:

- Hydrodynamical models capable of characterizing SN events are very **computationally expensive**, limiting their application to fewer SNe than those observed by the surveys (e.g. ZTF, LSST);
- **Coherent statistical studies** of SNe properties using large data samples require fast, general, and accurate post-explosion models applicable to many SN types;



**«Fast» modeling procedures for CC-SNe**

## «Fast» modeling procedures for CC-SNe:

- Post-explosive (semi-)analytical models;
- Modeling procedures for physical characterization of H-rich SNe.

# Analytic Light Curve Model

## Common hypothesis for SN ejecta:

- spherical symmetry;
- homologous expansion;
- uniform density profile;
- dominant rad. pressure;
- strictly adiabatic solution (like **Arnett 1980-1982**);
- two-zone opacity model (like **Popov 1993**).



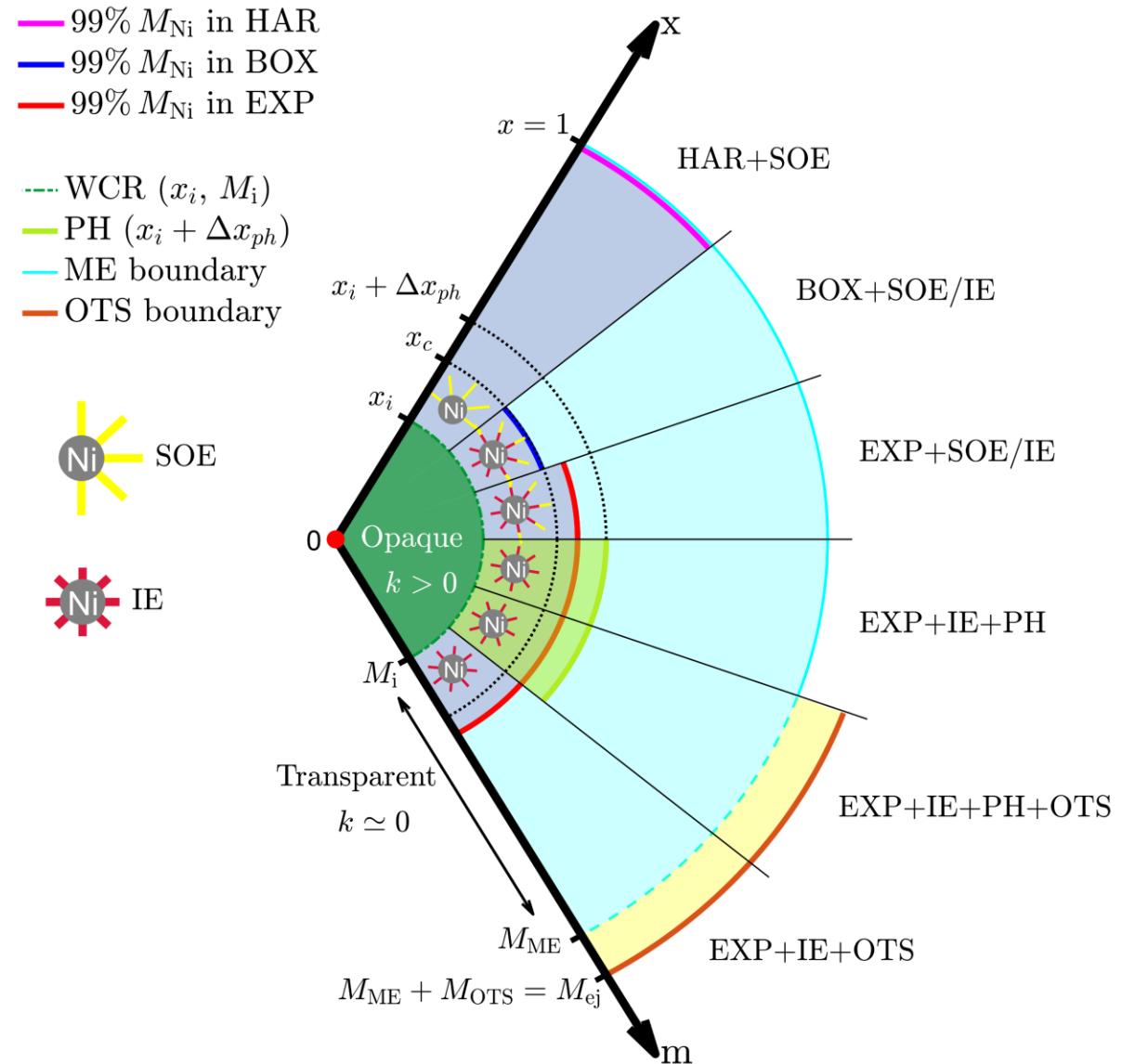
## New analytical model:

[Pumo & Cosentino, MNRAS, Vol. 538, 1, pp.223-242 \(2025\)](#)

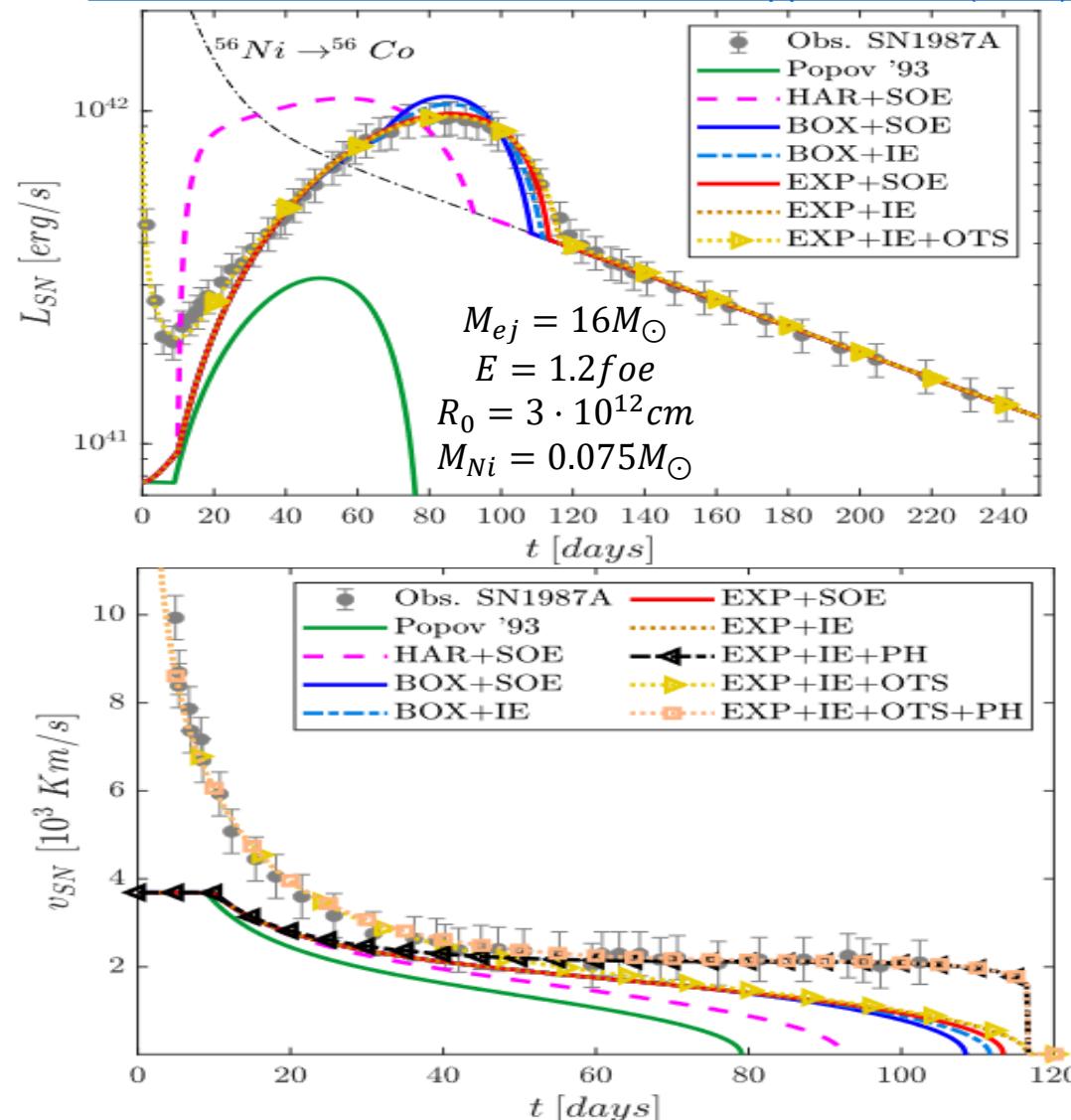
### ➤ Heating effects of $^{56}\text{Ni}$ decay during the recombination phase:

→ Ni distribution and emission hypothesis (BOX, EXP, SOE, IE)

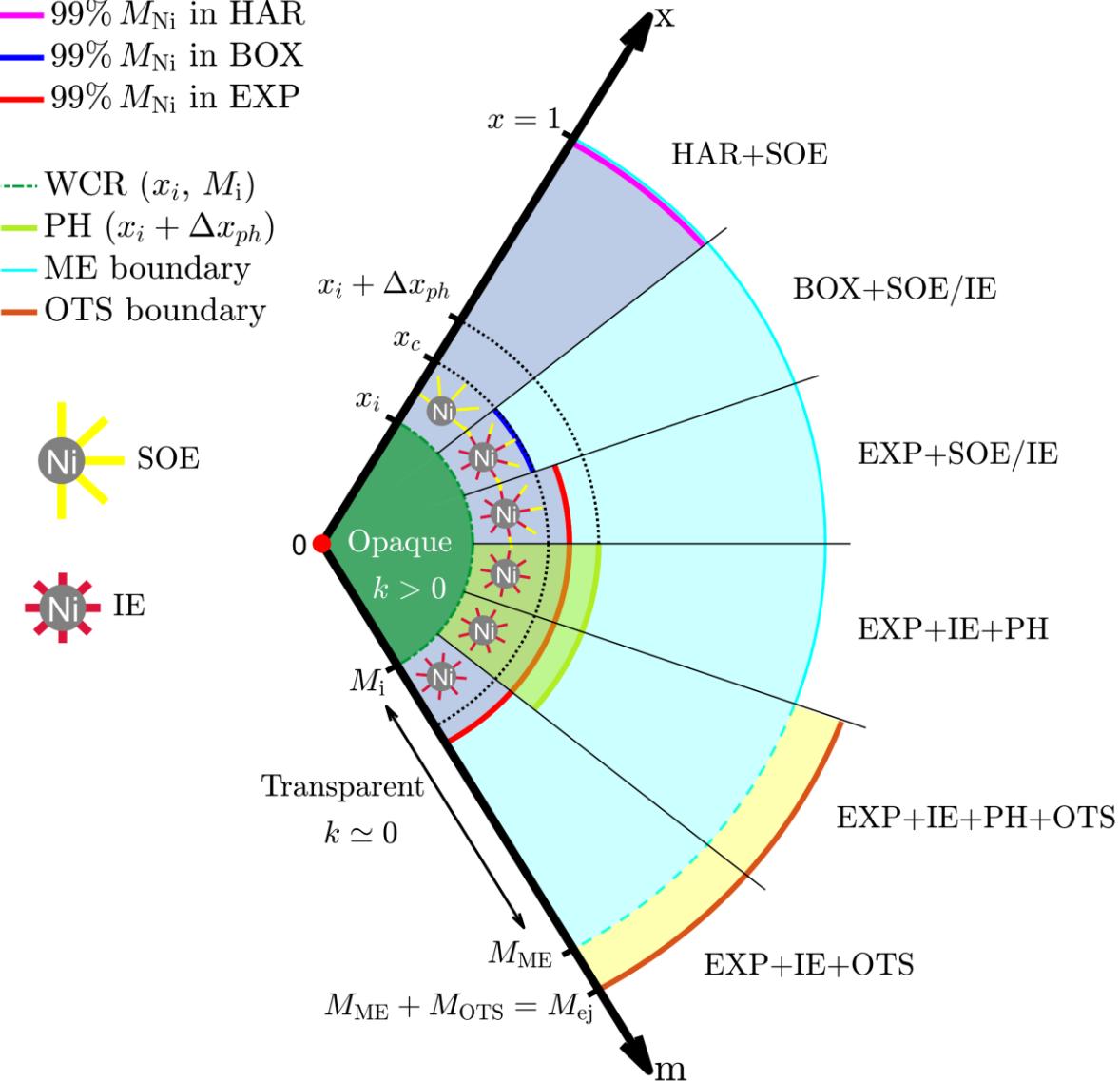
- Presence of an **Outer Thin Shell** (OTS) above the homologous ejecta:  
→ further shell parameters (at least two more)



Pumo & Cosentino, MNRAS, Vol. 538, 1, pp.223-242 (2025)



- 99%  $M_{Ni}$  in HAR
- 99%  $M_{Ni}$  in BOX
- 99%  $M_{Ni}$  in EXP
- - WCR ( $x_i, M_i$ )
- - PH ( $x_i + \Delta x_{ph}$ )
- - ME boundary
- - OTS boundary



# Shock luminosity in interacting Supernovae

➤ CSM configuration

$$M_{CSM}, R_{CSM}, S, f_\Omega$$

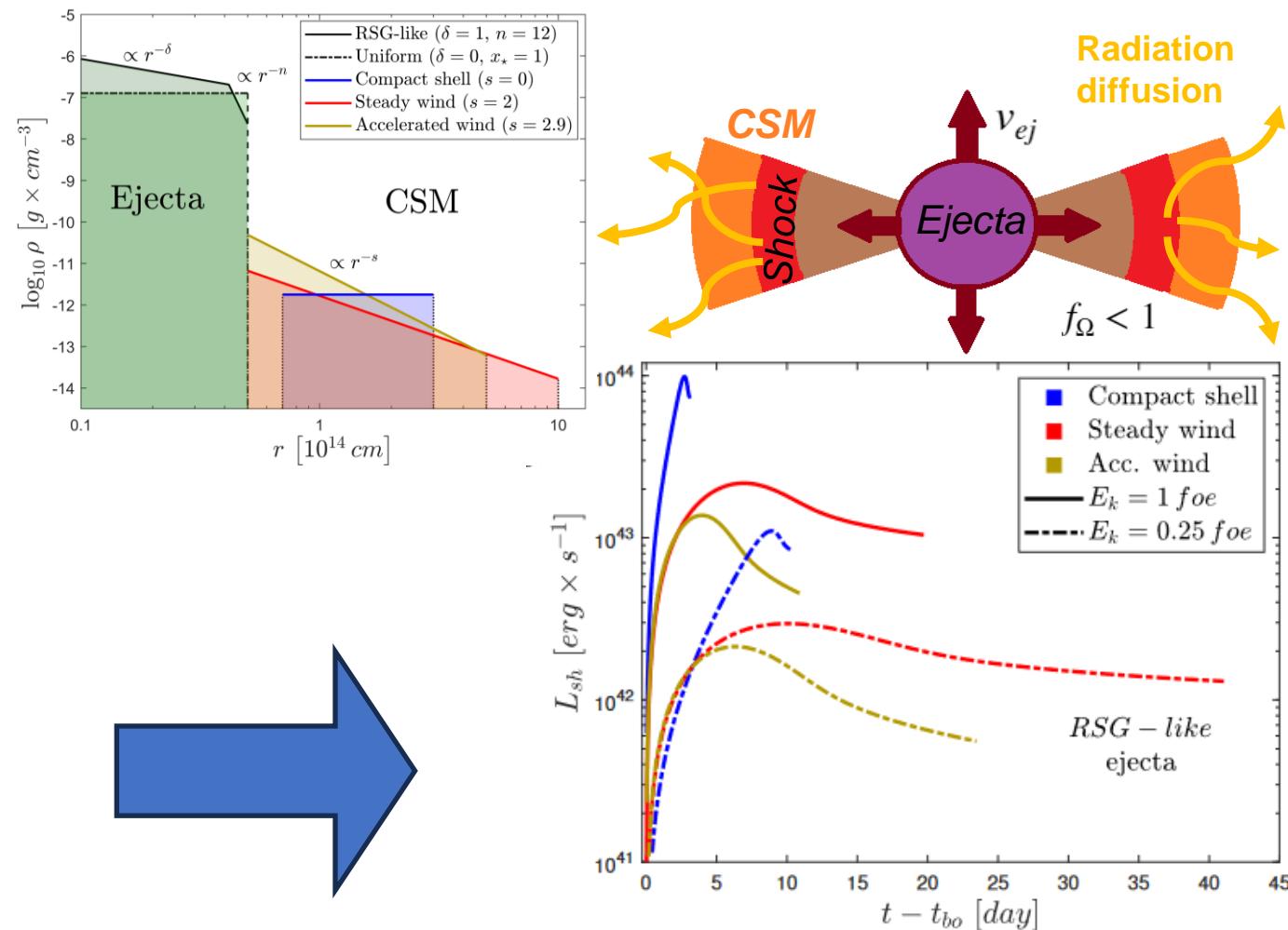
➤ Energy source & Diffusion time:

$$S_{sh} \equiv \frac{9}{2} \pi f_\Omega \epsilon_{rad} \rho_{CSM}|_{R_{sh}(t)} v_{sh}^3(t) R_{sh}^2(t)$$

$$t_d \equiv \frac{k_T}{c} \times \int_{R_{sh}}^{R_{ph}} \rho_{CSM}(r) d \left[ (r - R_{sh})^2 \right]$$

➤ Shock luminosity:

$$L_{sh}(t) = \int_{t_{bo}}^t \frac{S_{sh}(t')}{t_d(t')} \times e^{-(t-t')/t_d(t')} dt',$$



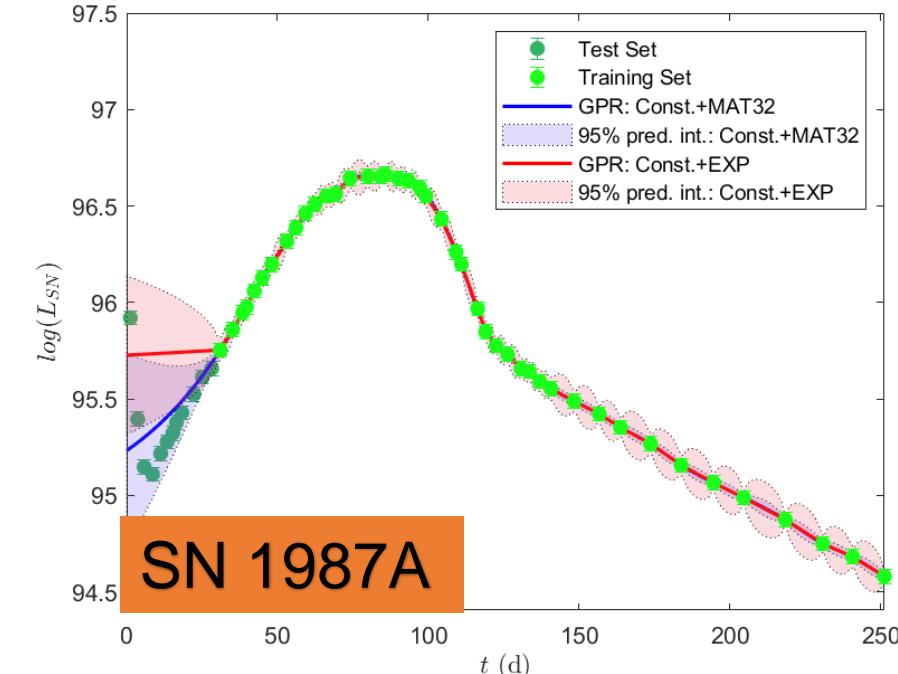
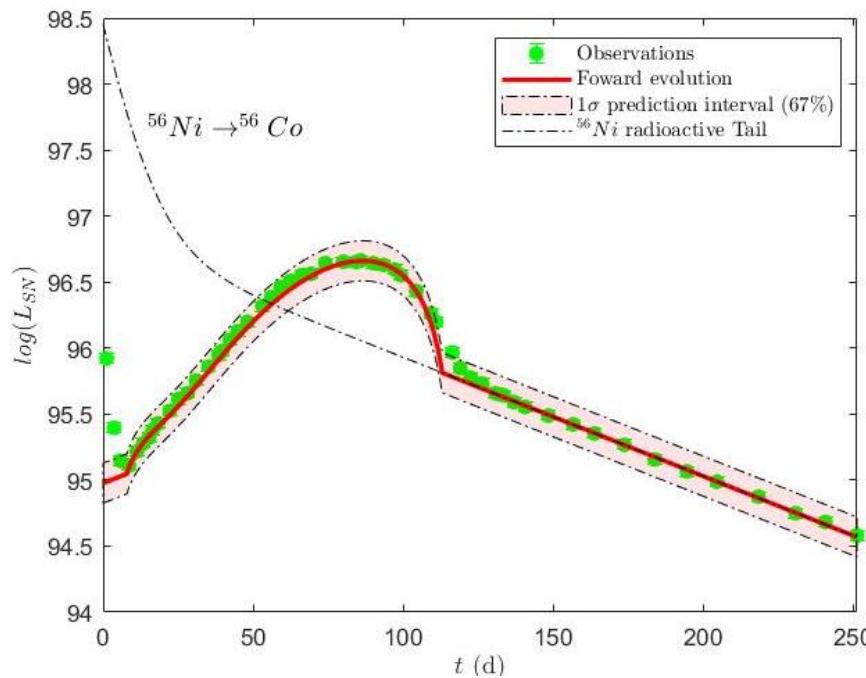
S.P. Cosentino, M.L. Pumo & S. Cherubini, MNRAS (2025, revised).

# <Fast> modeling procedures for CC-SNe

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## Data reduction and analysis:

- Sample choice and spectrophotometric reduction;
- Time series reconstruction (Gaussian Process).

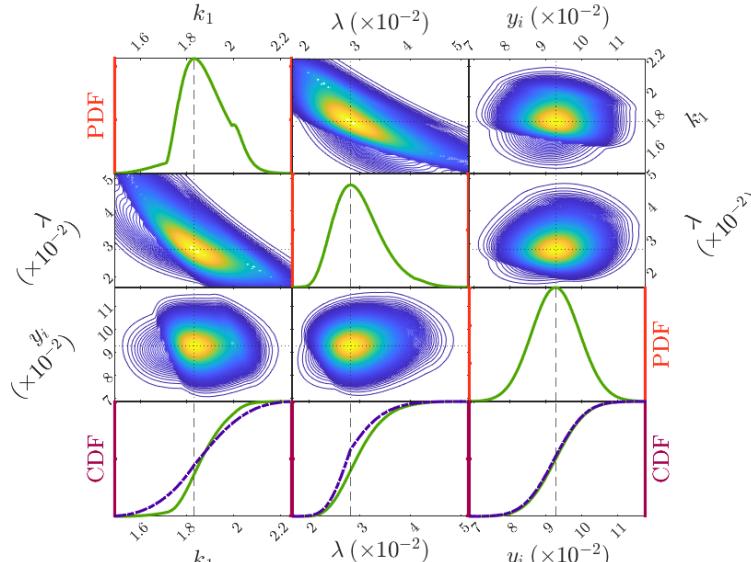
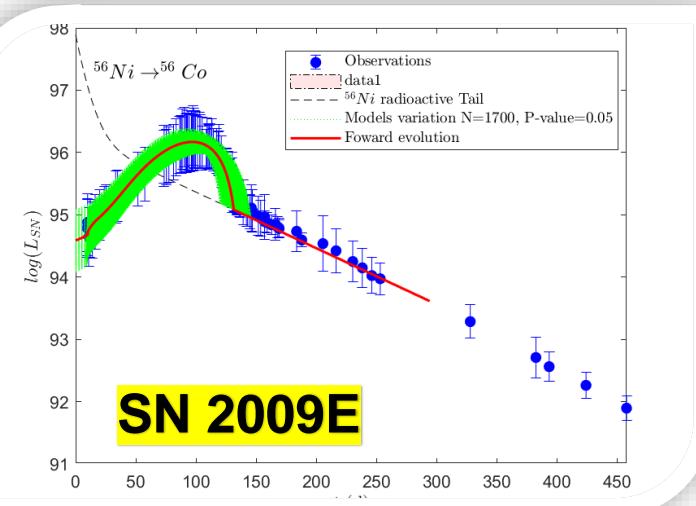
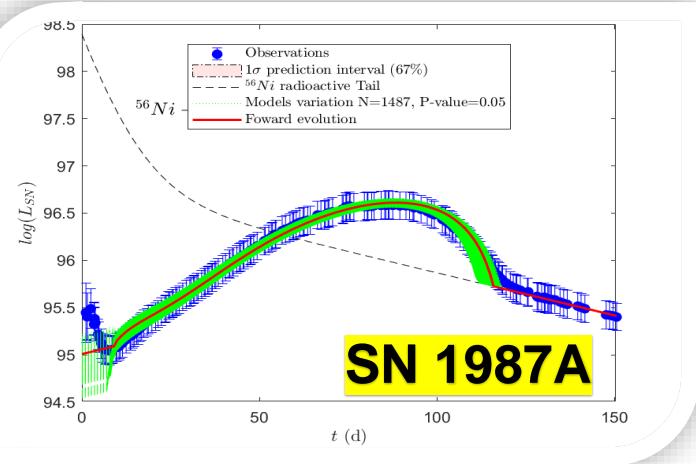


## Theoretical models and Modelling procedures:

- Development and validation of analytical models;
- Modeling parameter inference (SuperBAM).

# Supernova Bayesian Analytic Modeling - SuperBAM

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**SuperBAM**

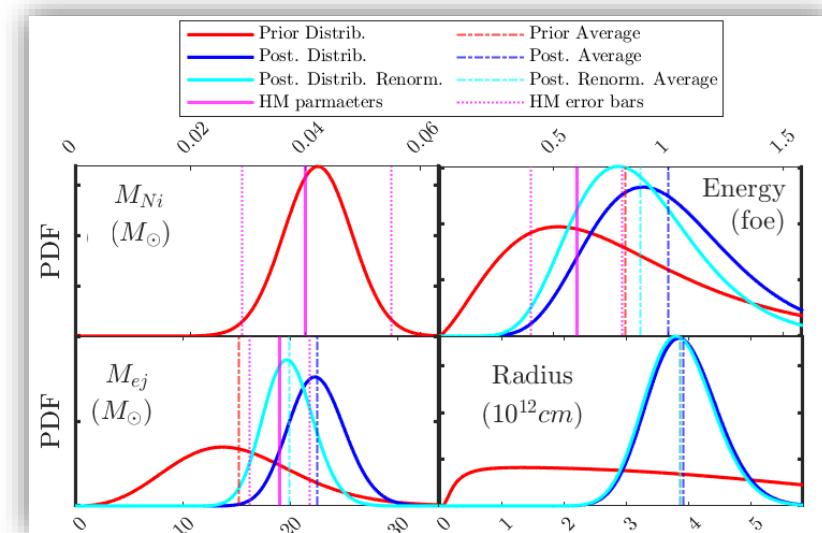
Prior probabilities from scaling relation of  
[Pumo, Cosentino, Pastorello et al., MNRAS 521, 4801–4818 \(2023\)](#);  
 Likelihood function model based on  
[Pumo & Cosentino, MNRAS, Vol. 538, 1, pp.223-242 \(2025\)](#).

## Likelihood Function

$$P(\bar{L}|\theta) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \cdot \prod_{obs.} \exp \left\{ -\frac{[\log \bar{L}_{Obs.} - \log \bar{L}_{Mod.}(y_{Obs.}, k_1, \lambda, y_{i/f})]^2}{2\sigma^2} \right\}$$

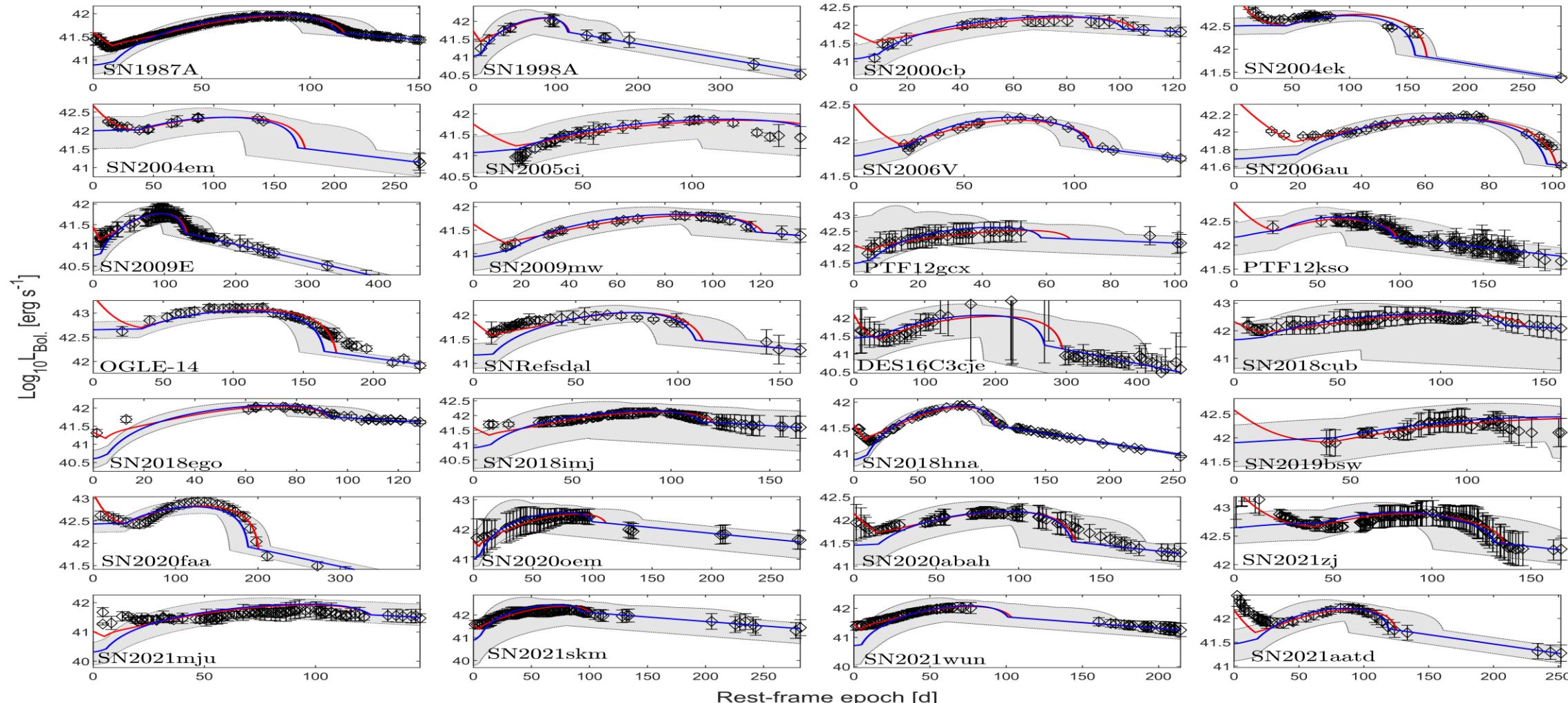
## Posterior Probability

$$P(\theta | \log \bar{L}) = N_{norm} \cdot P(\log \bar{L} | \theta) \cdot P(\theta)$$



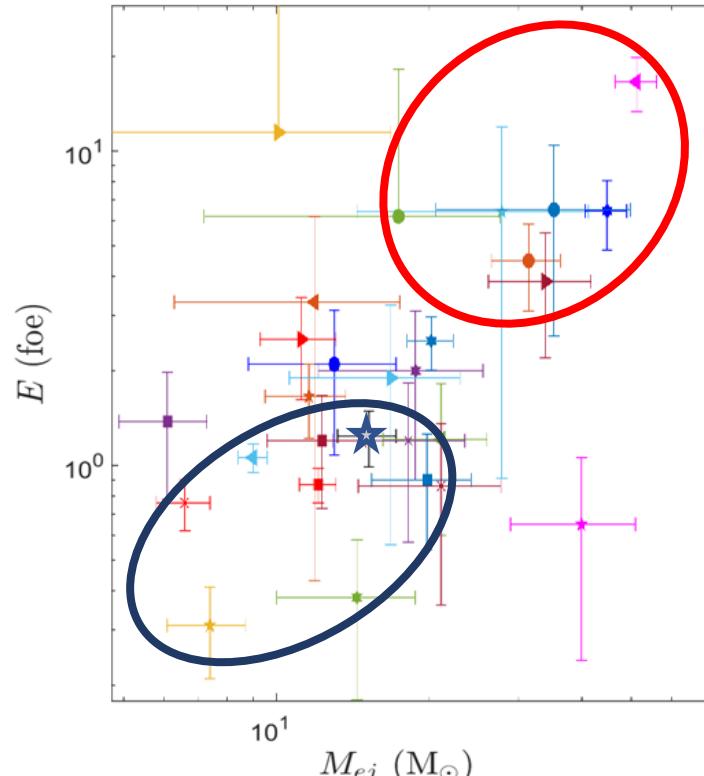
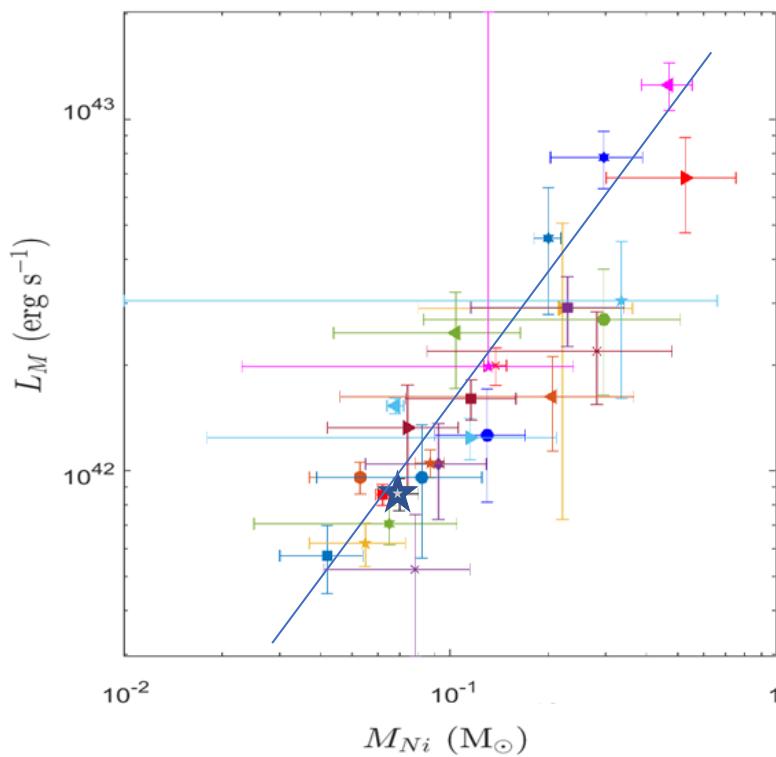
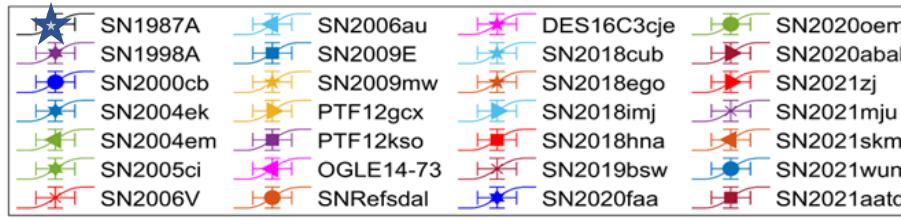
# Preliminary results for 28 long-rising SNe

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# 87A-like SNe parameter distribution

S.P. Cosentino, C. Inserra, M.L. Pumo (A&A, to be submitted) in agreement with [Pumo, Cosentino, Pastorello et al., MNRAS 521, 4801–4818 \(2023\)](#);

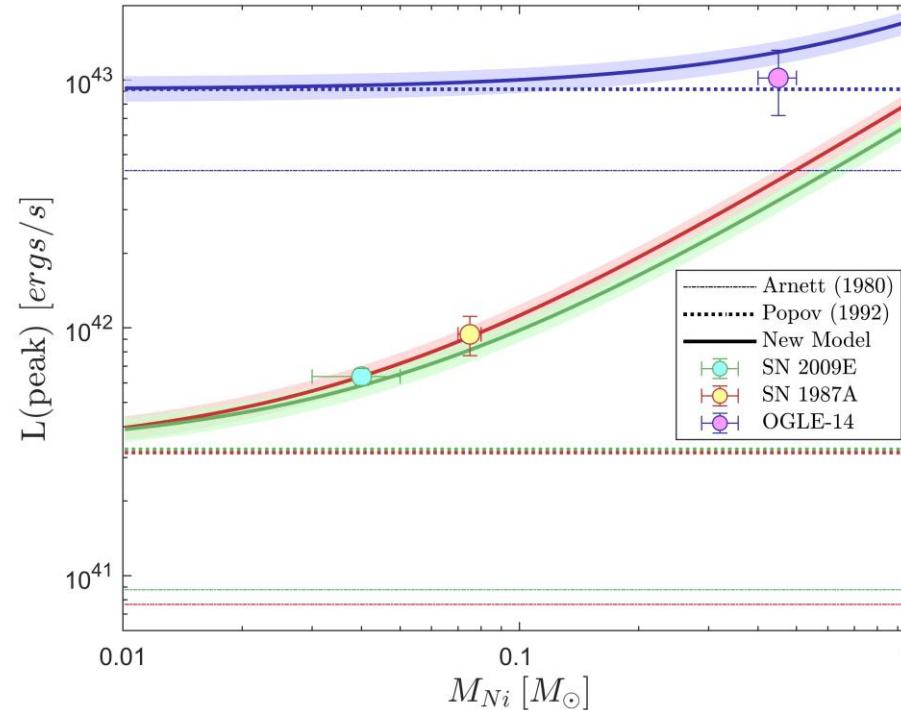
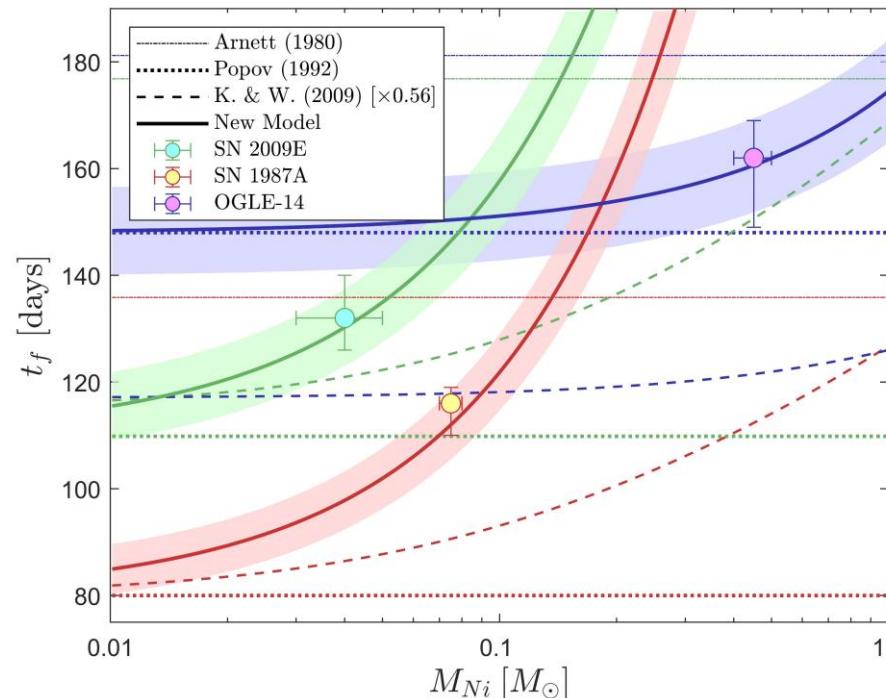


Analysis of the largest 87A-like SN sample:

- **High energetic** and no-standard Core-Collapse explosions;
- **Faint clones** of SN1987A;
- Continuous distribution in E- $M_{ej}$  plane;
- Peak luminosity and Nickel Mass correlation;
- DES16C3cje is an enigmatic object;

# New $^{56}\text{Ni}$ dependent scaling relations

Pumo & Cosentino, MNRAS, Vol. 538, 1, pp.223-242 (2025)

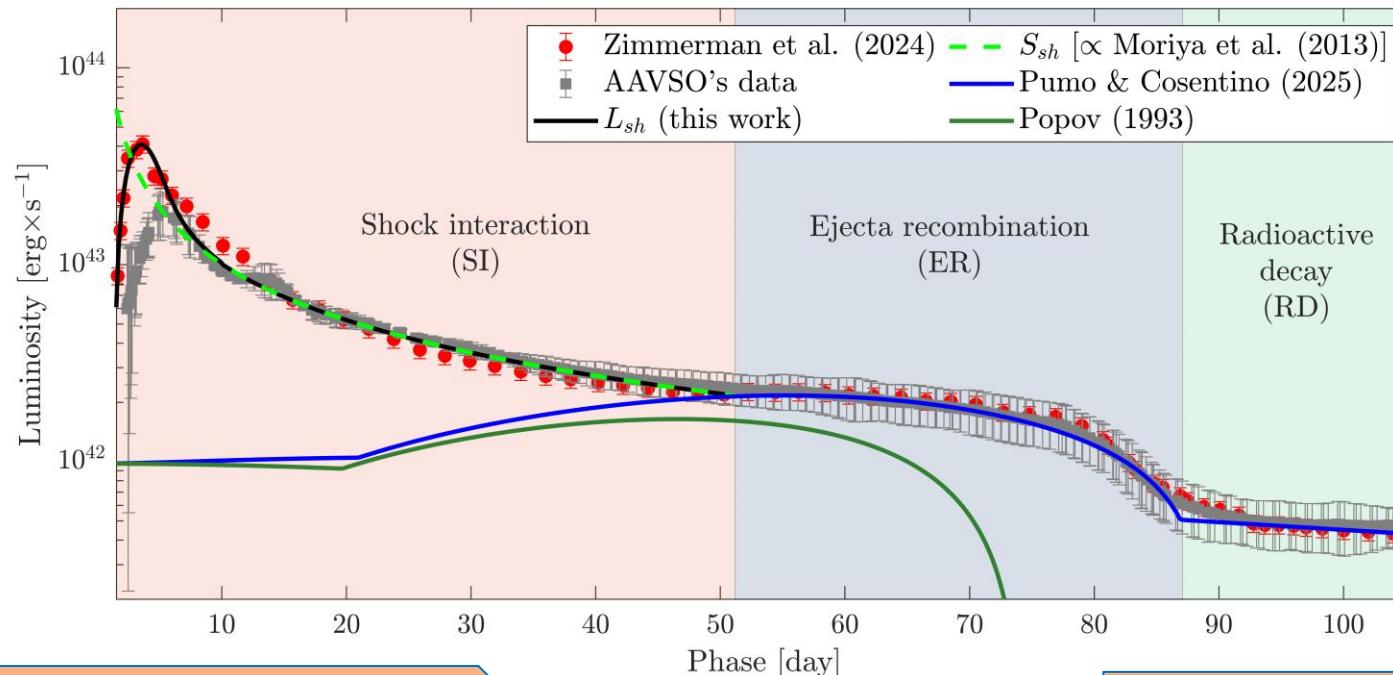


$$\begin{cases} t_f \propto R_0^{1/6} \cdot E^{-1/6} \cdot M^{1/2} \cdot [1 + T] \\ L_{\max} \propto R_0^{2/3} \cdot E^{5/6} \cdot M^{-1/2} \cdot [1 + \Lambda] \end{cases} \quad \text{where: } \begin{cases} T \simeq k_1 \cdot M_{Ni}^{0.93} \cdot R_0^{-0.56} \cdot E^{-0.58} \cdot M^{-0.12} \\ \Lambda \simeq k_2 \cdot M_{Ni} \cdot (E \cdot M \cdot R)^{-0.5} \end{cases}$$

Modeling parameters of OGLE-14-073 (OGLE-14) and SN 2009E are taken from Terreran et al. 2017, Pastorello et al. 2012, respectively, and inferred thanks to the same numerical Hydrodynamical model of SN 1987A (Pumo & Zampieri 2011).

# Application to other H-rich SNe: The case of SN 2023ixf

S.P. Cosentino, M.L. Pumo & S. Cherubini, MNRAS (2025, revised)



## SN ejecta parameters

$$M_{ej} = 9 \pm 0.5 M_{\odot}, \quad E = 1.8 \pm 0.2 \text{ foe}$$

$$R_0 = (1.6 \pm 0.6) \cdot 10^{13} \text{ cm}$$

$$M_{Ni} = 7.3_{-0.5}^{+1} \times 10^{-2} M_{\odot}$$

## CSM parameters

$$M_{CSM} = 6.5_{-1}^{+1.5} \cdot 10^{-2} M_{\odot}$$

$$R_{CSM} = (3.6 \pm 0.5) \cdot 10^{15} \text{ cm}$$

$$s = 2.90 \pm 0.03$$

## Ongoing and future activities

- Development of **new modeling procedures based on Machine Learning** inference (e.g. M. Grassia, S.P. Cosentino, M.L. Pumo, G. Mangioni, *in press on IEEE PDP2025 Conf. Proc.*);
- Development of **new model** for different types of sourcing functions and ejecta composition, to describe **other class of optical transients** (e.g. ILRT, SLSNe, Ib\c);
- Simulations of **High-Energy neutrinos and gamma-ray emission** in ejecta-CSM interaction (e.g. S.P. Cosentino, M.L. Pumo & S. Cherubini, MNRAS, 2025, revised);
- Modeling other real SN events to **perform the observation strategies for Large Volume Neutrino Observatories** (e.g. KM3Net, IceCube);



**Thanks for  
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