

# Towards a consistent modeling of magneto-rotating stellar evolution

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## What are the evolutionary processes to form rotating & magnetized WDs/NSs?

**No solid theoretical predictions have been made.**

(Langer 2014)

Because this is a tough work...

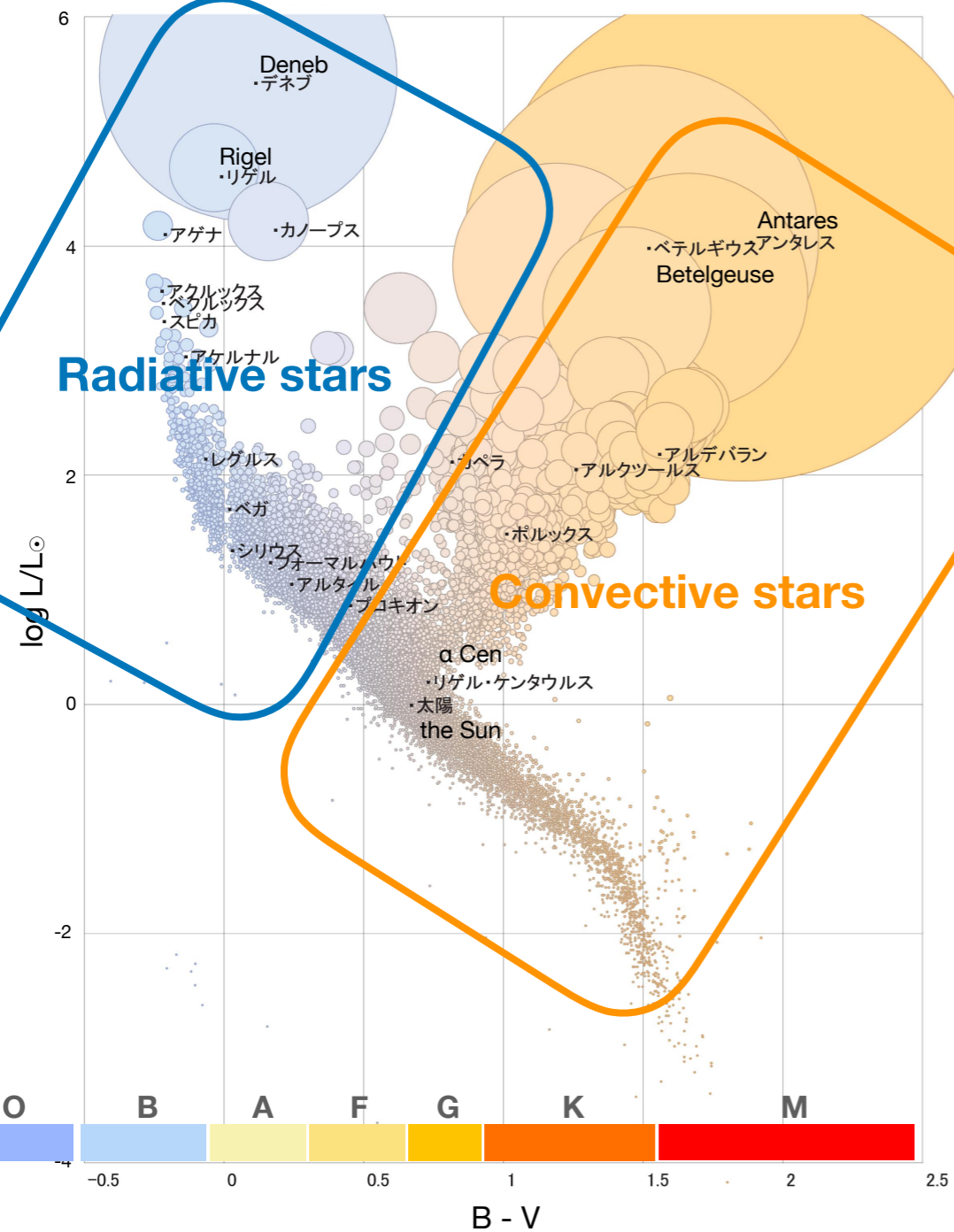
- The evolutionary timescale is **long**.
- The structure change affects the magnetic field.
- Stellar magnetic field will also affect the evolution.

**I will report the current status of this field.**

- A lot of studies have been done for specific topics.
  - Many observational works**
  - Promising mechanisms of the interplay
- We are trying to construct a consistent method to follow the magneto-rotating stellar evolution.

# Stars with convective/radiative envelopes

The HR Diagram of Nearby Stars



-Stars have different **envelope structures** due to different surface temperatures.

-OBA stars are **radiative** stars.

-FGK stars are **convective** stars.

-**Surface magnetic structures** are different between radiative stars and convective stars.

-**'Fossil field'** for radiative stars

-**'Dynamo field'** for convective stars

'fossil fields' just means 'stable fields'.

the origin of the 'fossil' field is unknown.

-flux conservation?

-core dynamo?

-**stellar merger?**

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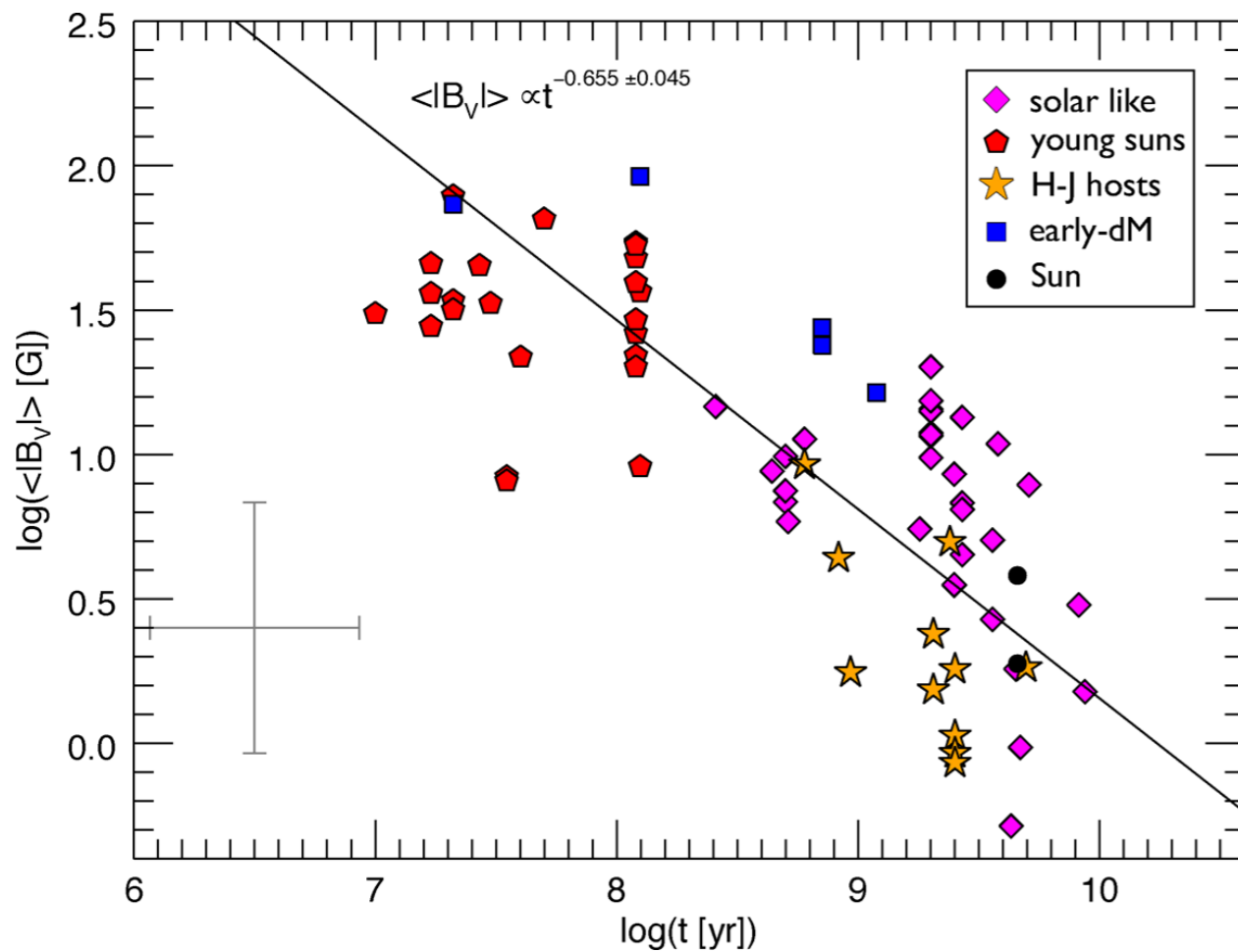
# The sun and FGK convective stars

- Magnetic activities
  - sunspots
  - flares
- Small & large scale fields
  - ~1 kG at sunspots
  - ~1 G for the dipole component

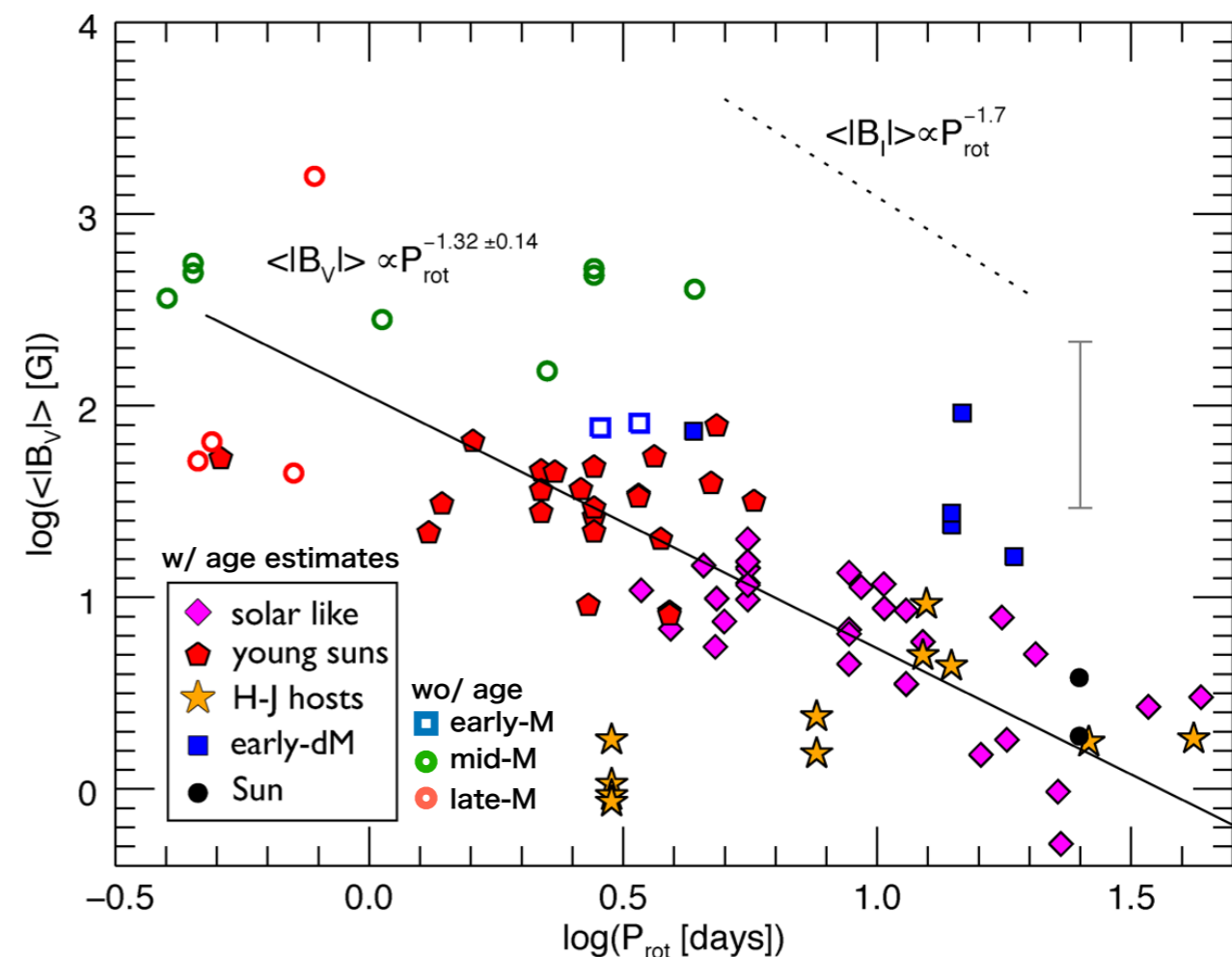
- All the convective stars** likely have solar-like surface magnetic fields.
- Surface magnetic field in FGK stars show **strong correlation with the age and the rotation periods.**

-Magnetic amplification by **the  $\alpha$ - $\Omega$  dynamo?**

## Age vs field strength



## Rotation vs field strength



(Vidotto et al. 2014)

# Surface magnetic fields in radiative stars

## Ap stars

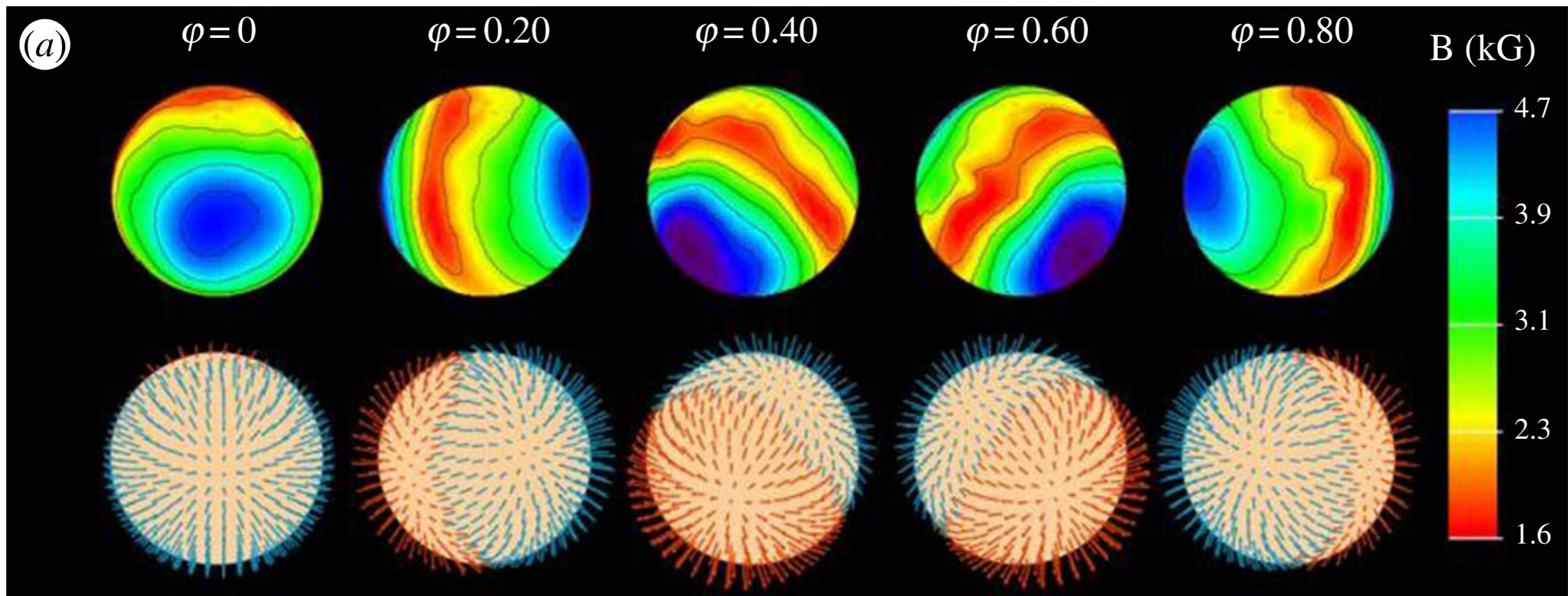
- Chemically peculiar A type stars
- ~10% of all A type stars
- $B_l \sim 300-10k \text{ G}$
- non-magnetic stars  $< \sim 1 \text{ G}$
- Large-scale structure** ( $> \sim$ dipole)

(Badcock 1947,58; Landstreet 1992)

-Accumulating evidences indicate that **massive OB type stars share common magnetic features with less-massive A type stars.** (Wade et al. 2016; Wade & Neiner 2018)

Compatible with **a field in a stable equilibrium** ('Fossil' field).

Kochukhov et al. 2002: Magnetic field structure in  $\alpha^2 \text{ CVn}$  with 5 rotational phases



# A fossil field in a stable stratified radiative zone

-**Strong, large-scale, and stable** surface magnetic fields observed in radiative stars are compatible with **the fossil field, i.e. a field in a stable equilibrium,** picture. (Wade & Neiner 2018)

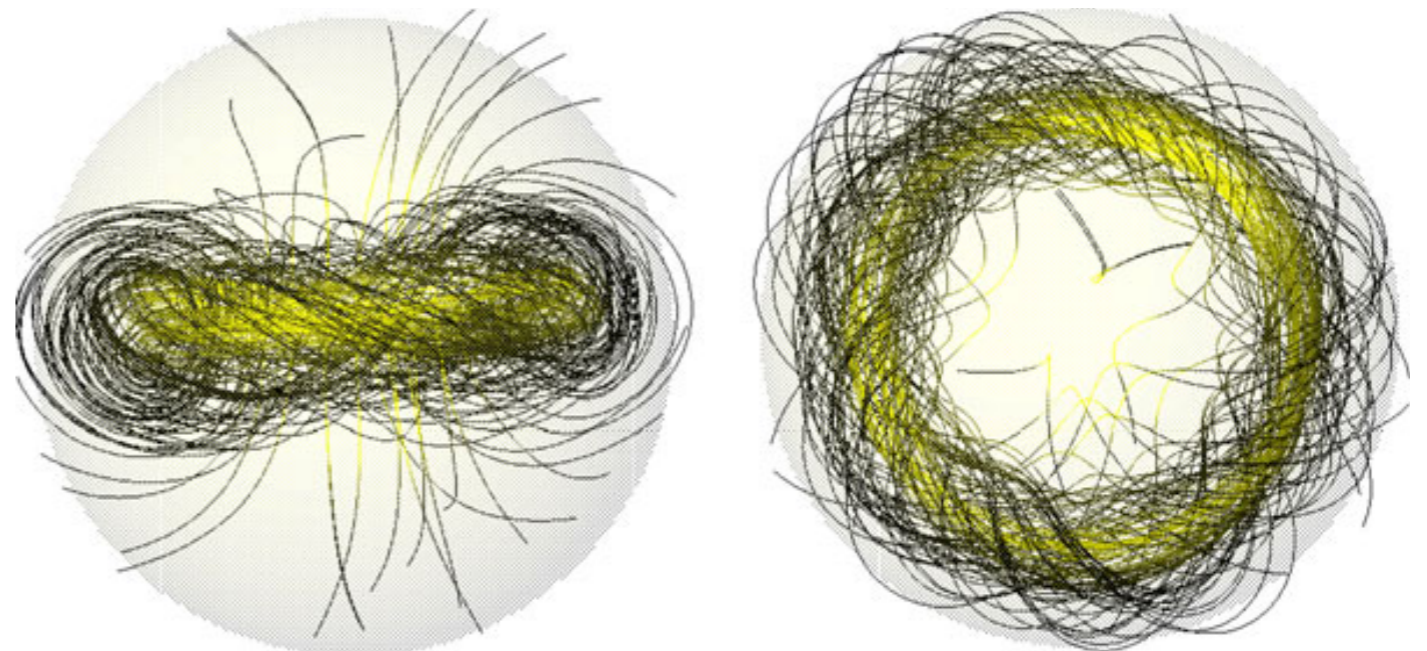
-A great number of investigations has been done to find the **static/stable magnetic configurations** in a radiative star. (Braithwaite & Spruit 2017 for a review)

-In an arbitrary configuration, magnetic fields move together with gases with the Alfvén velocity.

-With the short timescale  $\sim R/v_A \sim 10$  yr for a star with 10 kG, the magnetic field will find a stable configuration.

-The fossil field will persist with a long timescale  $\sim R^2/\eta \sim 10^{10}$  yr for the sun.

## A stable twisted-torus in equilibria



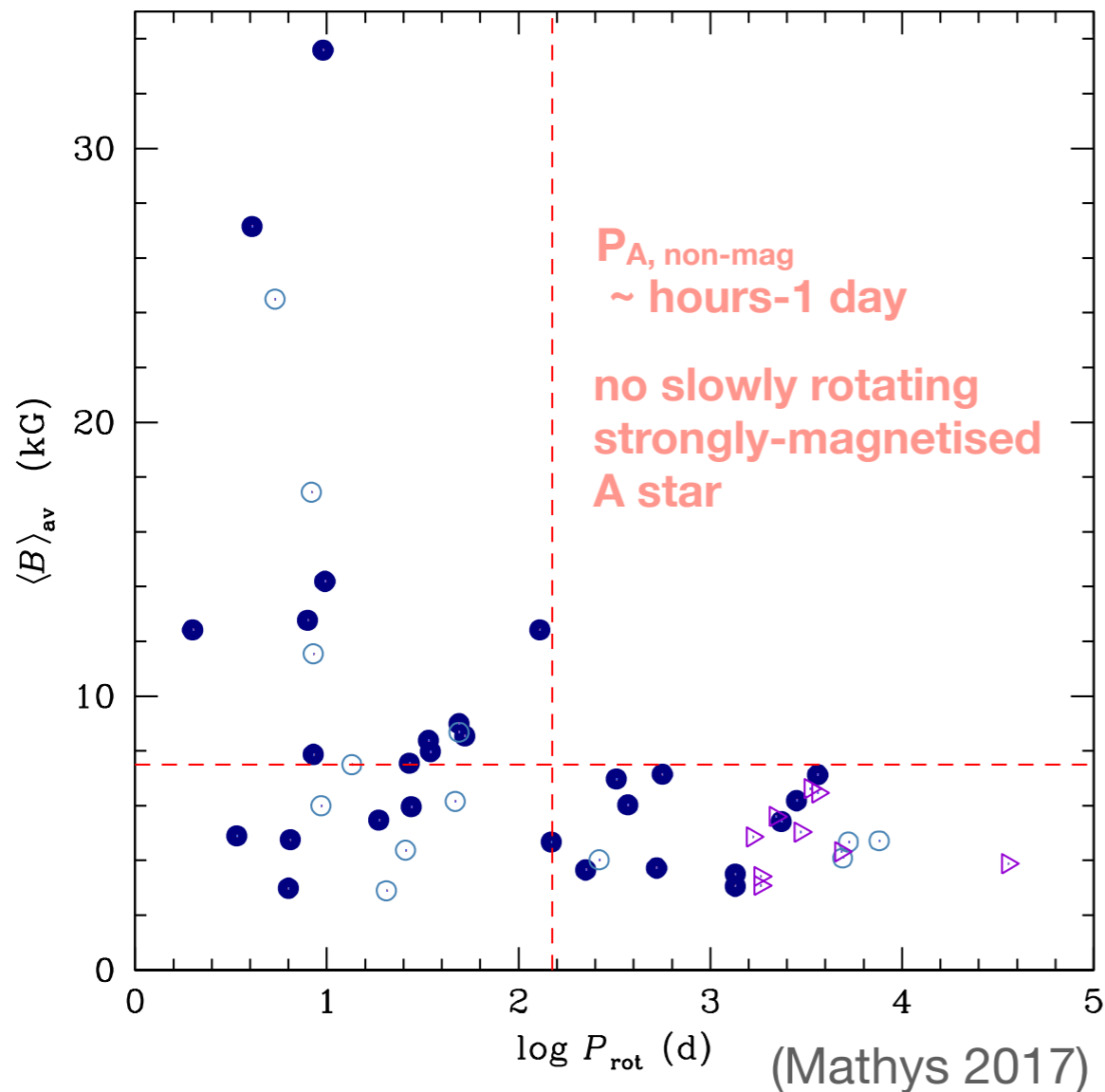
(Braithwaite & Nordlund 2006)

# Interesting correlations in radiative stellar magnetism

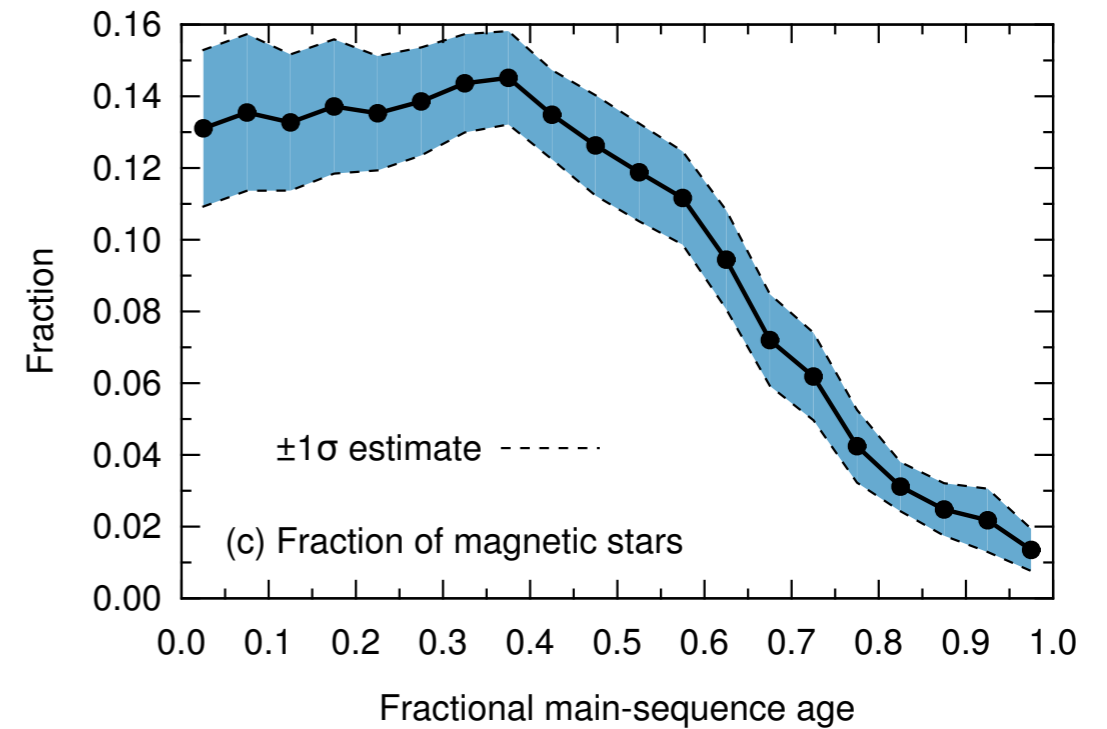
-Correlations with fundamental parameters have been observed.

- age
- rotation
- binarity

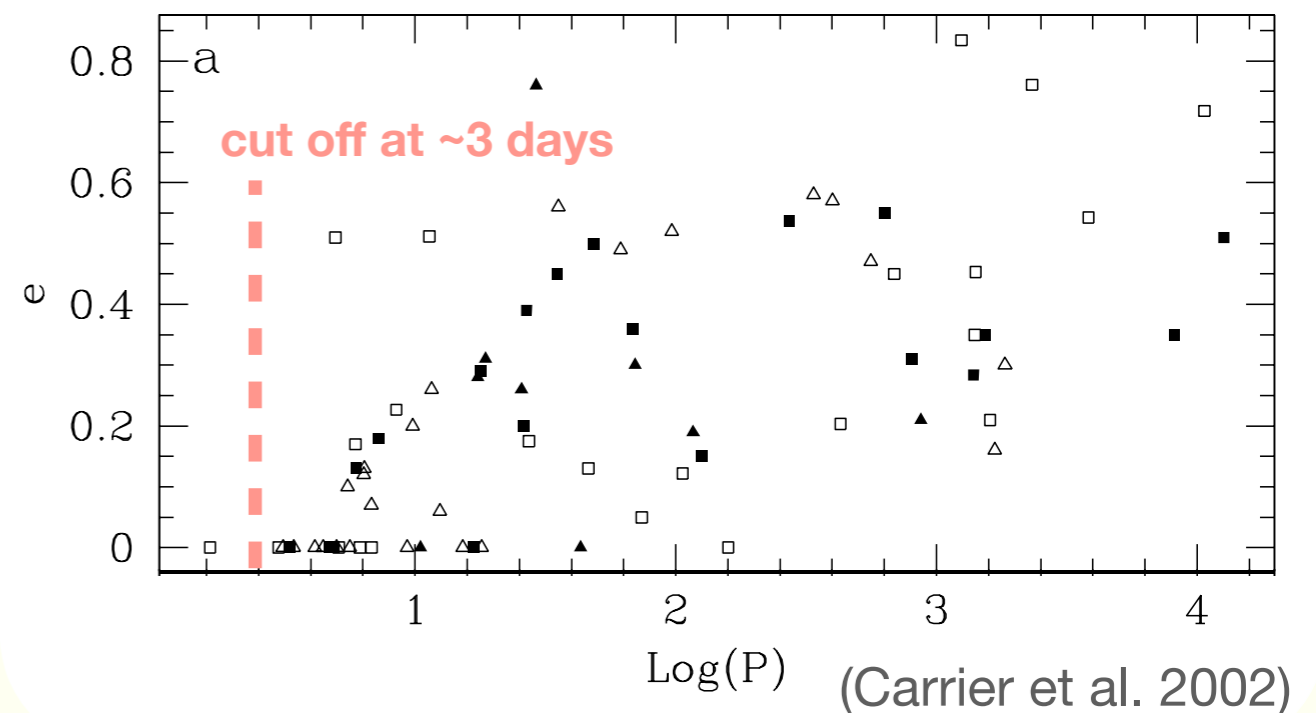
## Magnetic field modulus against $P_{rot}$



## Time evolution (Fossati et al. 2016)

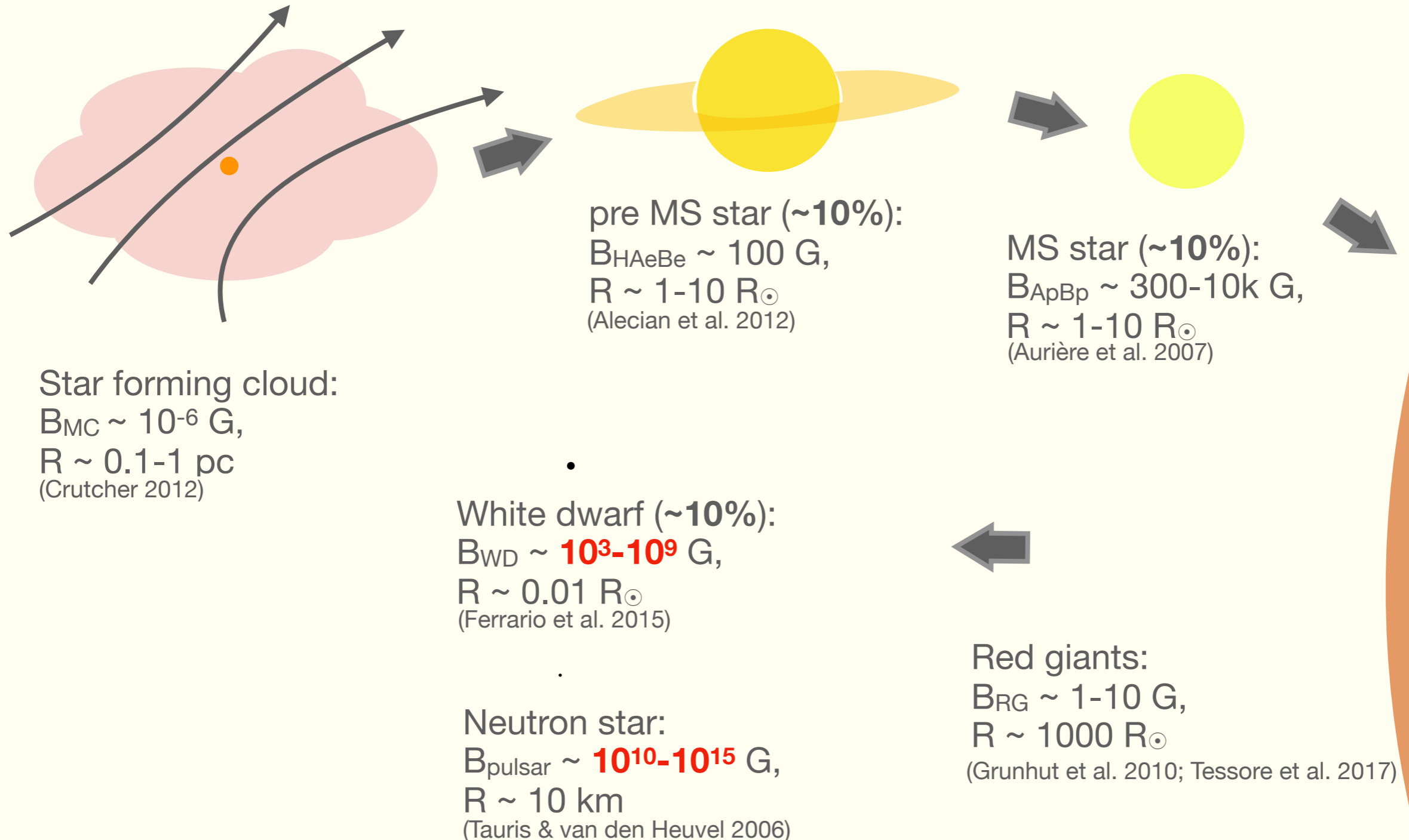


## Binarity of Ap magnetic stars



# Stars retain magnetic fields from the birth to the death.

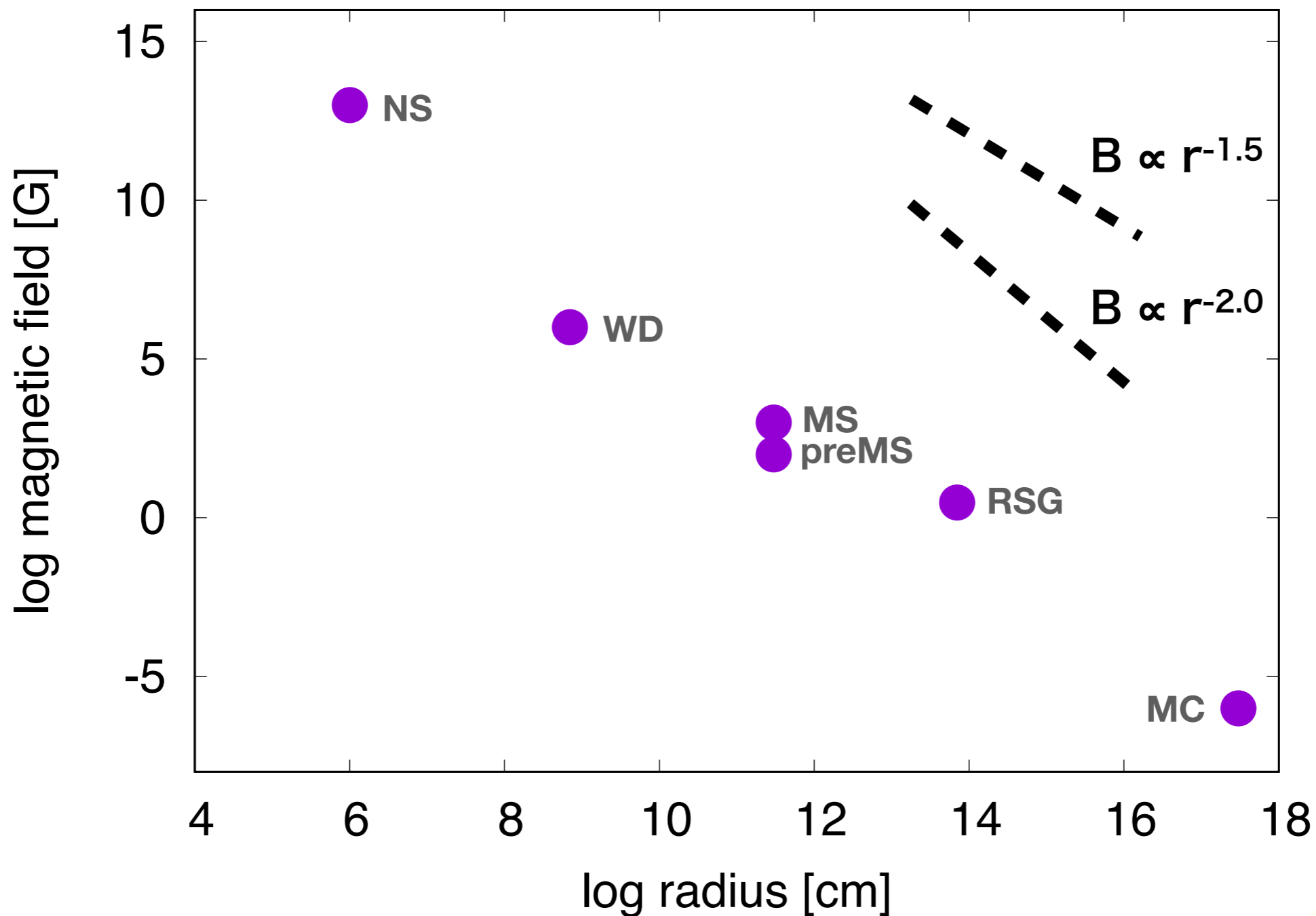
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## Scaling relation

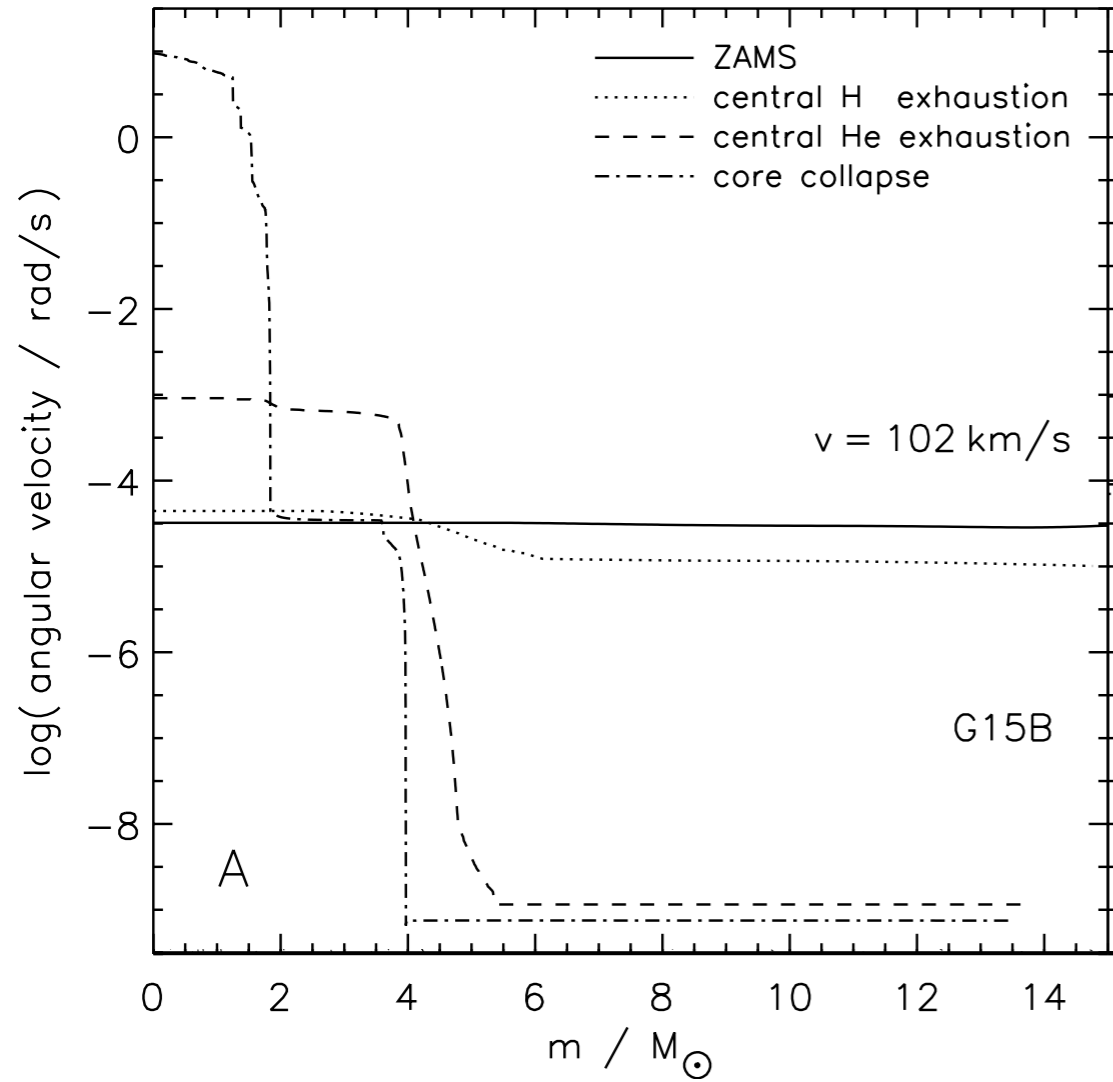


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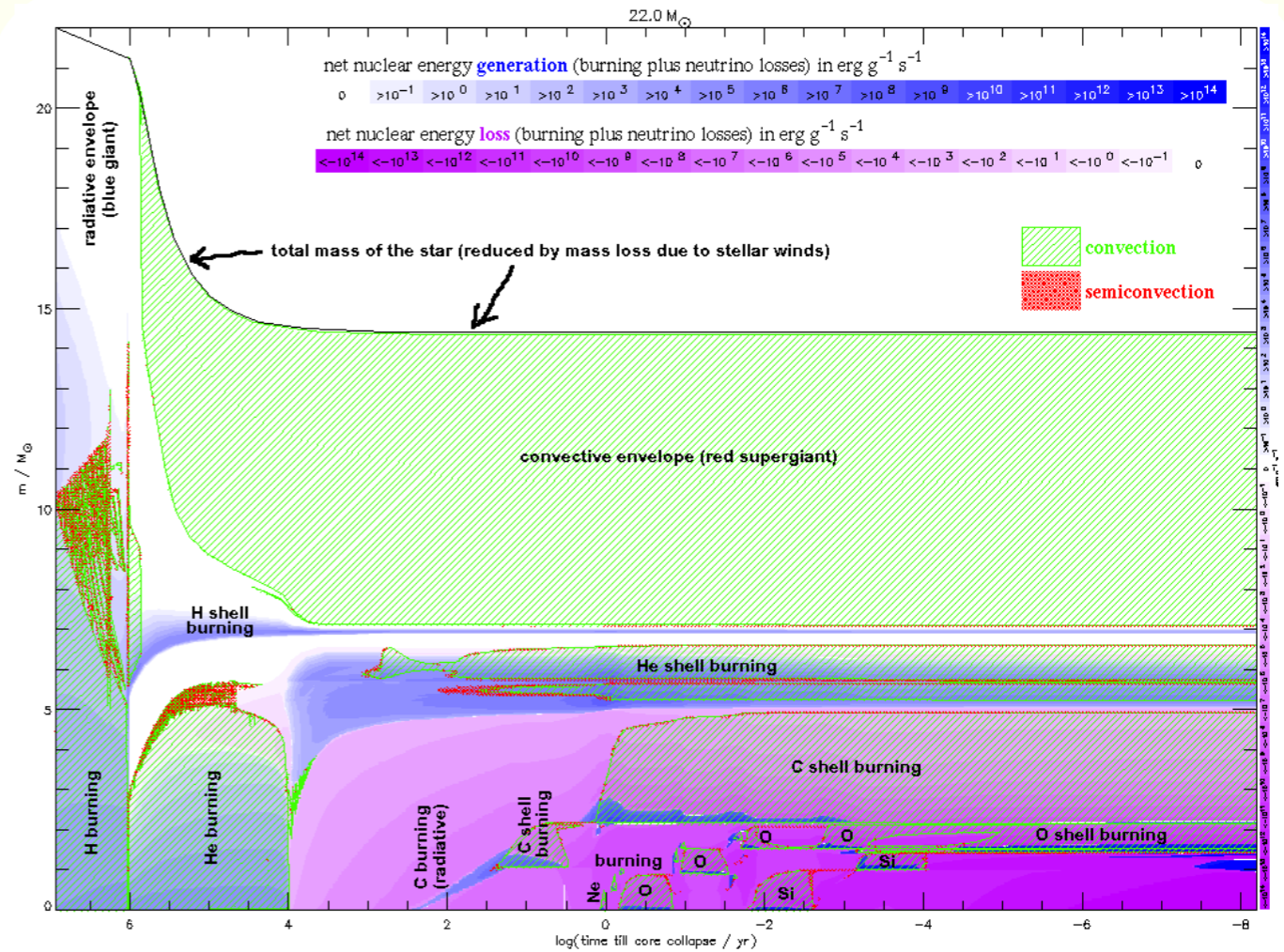
# Magnetic field amplification in a massive star

## Rotation profiles in a 15 M<sub>⊙</sub> model



(Heger et al. 2000)

## Kippenhahn diagram of a 22 M<sub>⊙</sub> model



(A. Heger; <https://2sn.org/stellarevolution/explain.gif>)

# Current status of magnetic evolution models

## Works which consider magnetic field distributions

### Taylor-Spruit dynamo:

- Maeder & Meynet 2003,04,05
- Heger et al. 2005
- Denissenkov & Pinsonneault 2007
- and a lot of more...

### Wind confinement:

- Petit et al. 2017
- Georgy et al. 2017

### Magnetic breaking:

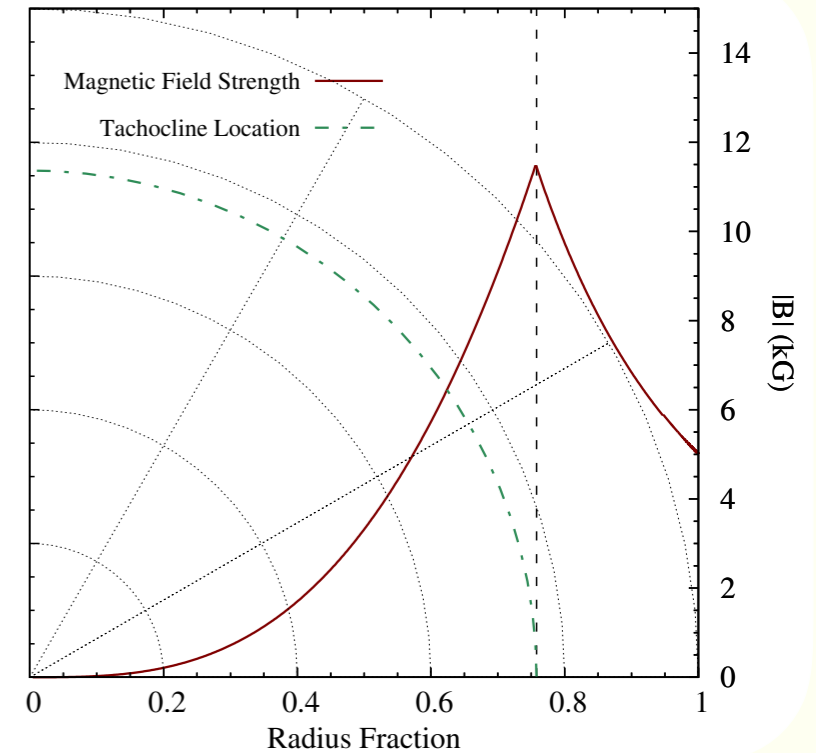
- Meynet et al. 2011

### Convection inhibition:

- Petermann et al. 2015

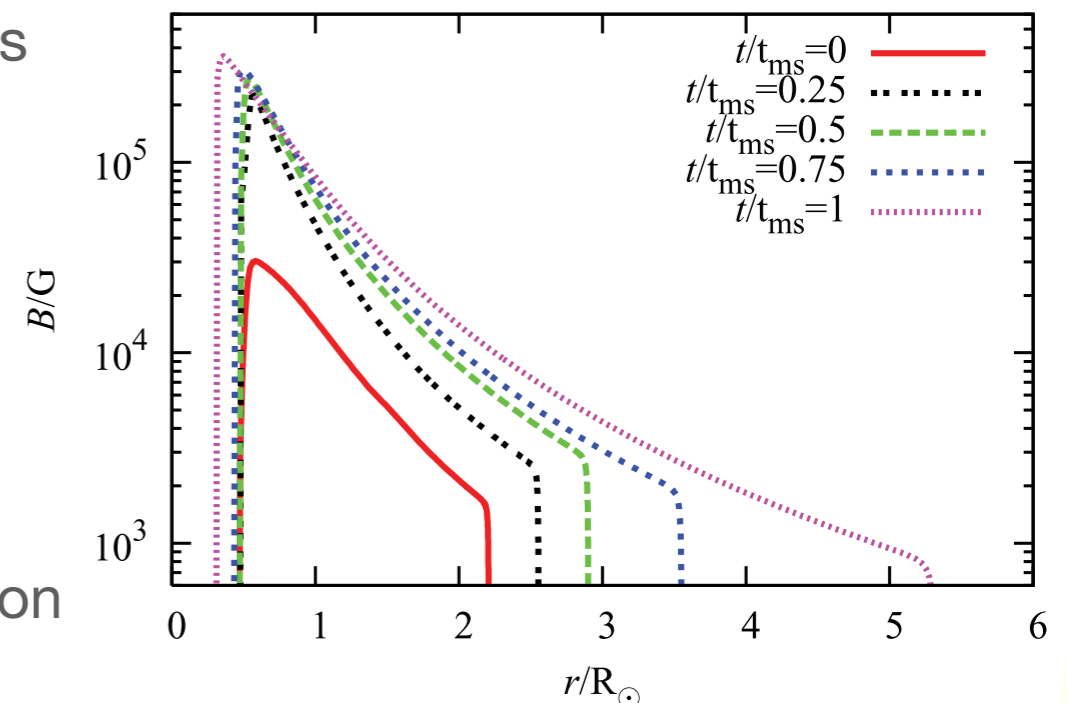
### Feiden & Chaboyer 2012,13,14

- low-mass stars
- magnetic pressure
- convective inhibition
- no rotation
- no dynamo



### Potter et al. 2012a,b,c

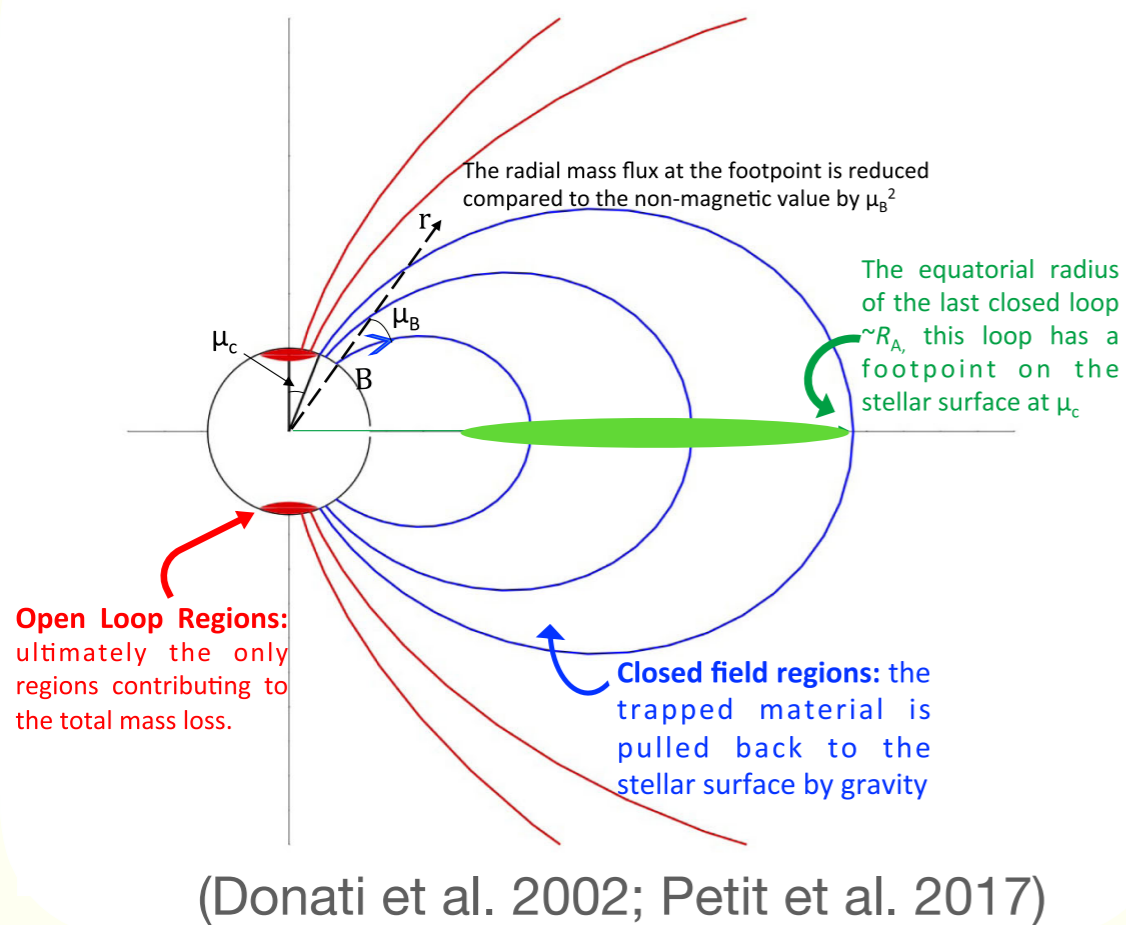
- intermediate-mass stars
- consider rotation
- magnetic stress**
- $\alpha\Omega$  dynamo**
- magnetic breaking
- no convective dynamo
- non-conservative form for angular momentum
- non-Lagrangian evolution equations



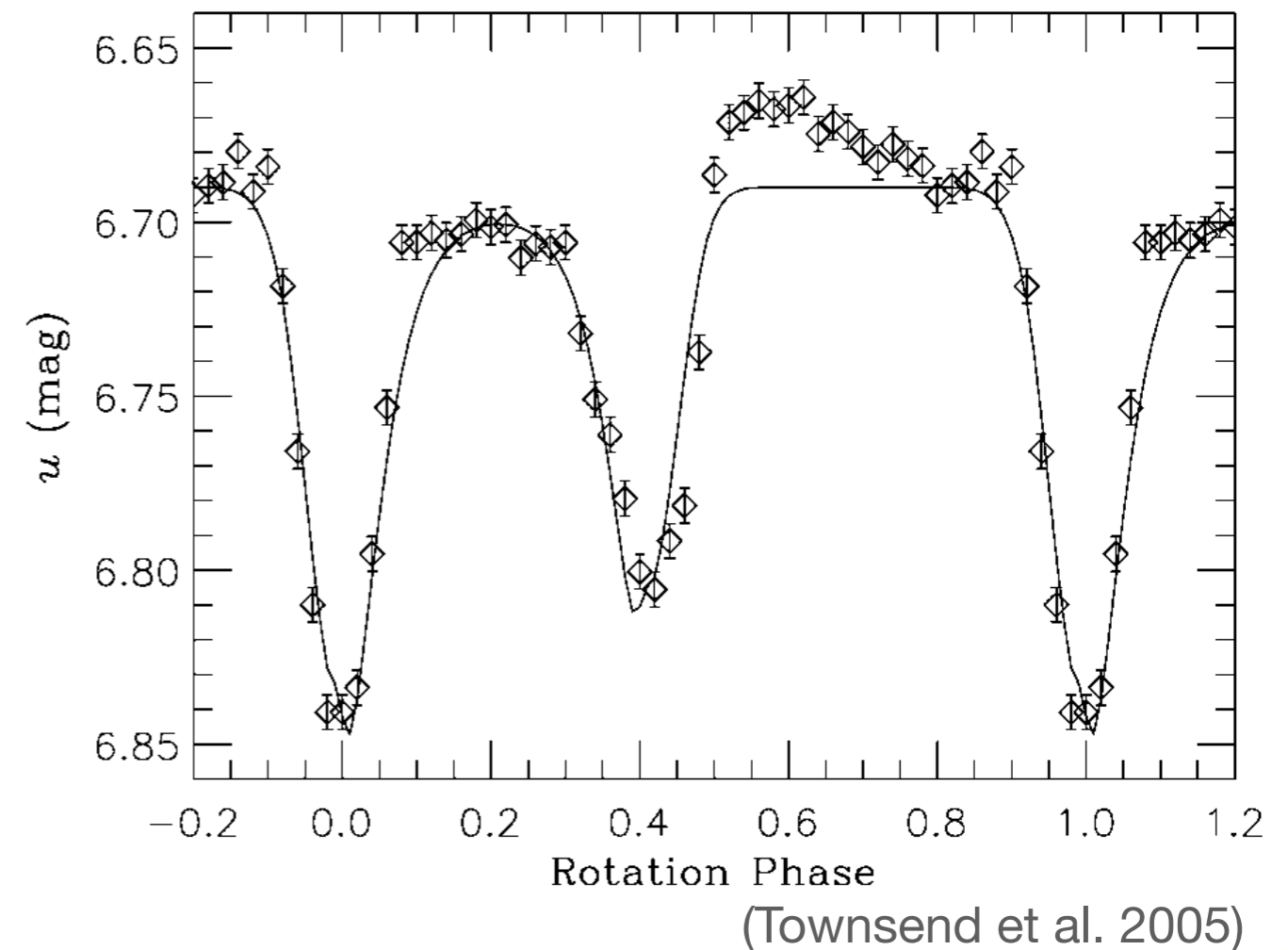
# Wind-magnetic field interaction

- Strong surface magnetic fields result in
  - wind confinement** leading to a formation of rigidly rotating magnetosphere
  - efficient angular momentum loss** by both the magnetic stress and by the gas

## Magnetic wind confinement



## Observed & modeled (solid line) light curves of $\sigma$ Ori E



# Magnetic inhibition of convection

-Strong magnetic fields inside a star may **limit the size of convective zones**, which is one of the fundamental parameter of the massive star evolution.

## -Ap star

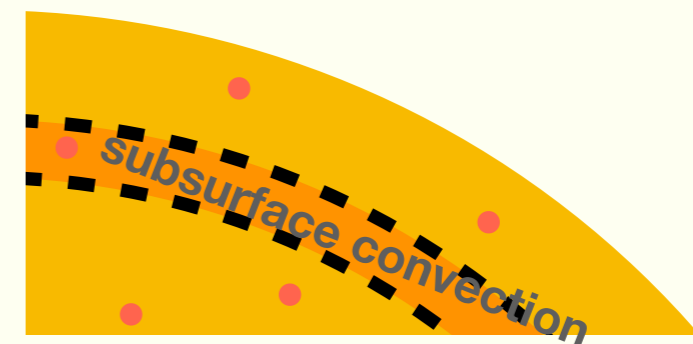
-Chemically peculiar A type stars  
-enhancements in **Sr, Cr, Eu, Si**.

-**Subsurface convection** mixes the chemical profiles in the subsurface region.

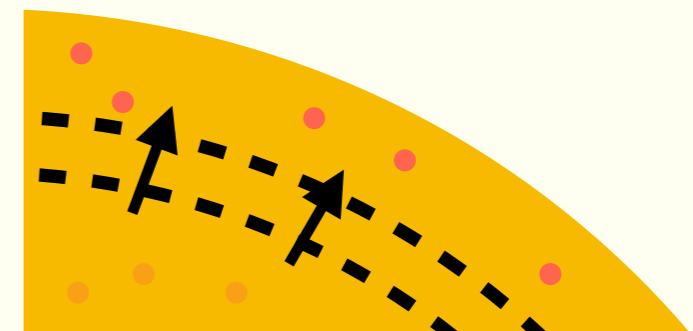
-In a magnetic star, the subsurface convection is **suppressed by the strong magnetic field**. Inside the stable medium, heavy elements which have a lot of lines is affected by the **radiative levitation**.

(Landstreet 1992)

## Non-magnetic star



## Magnetic star

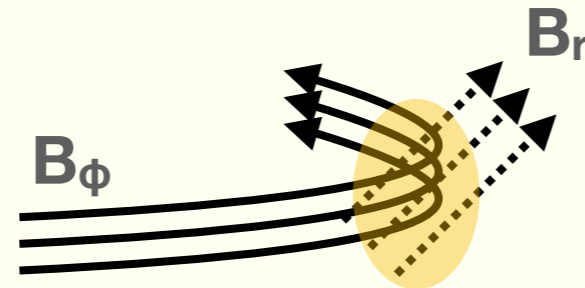


-The  $\beta$  Cep star V2052 Oph requires a small overshoot parameter.

(Briquet et al. 2012)

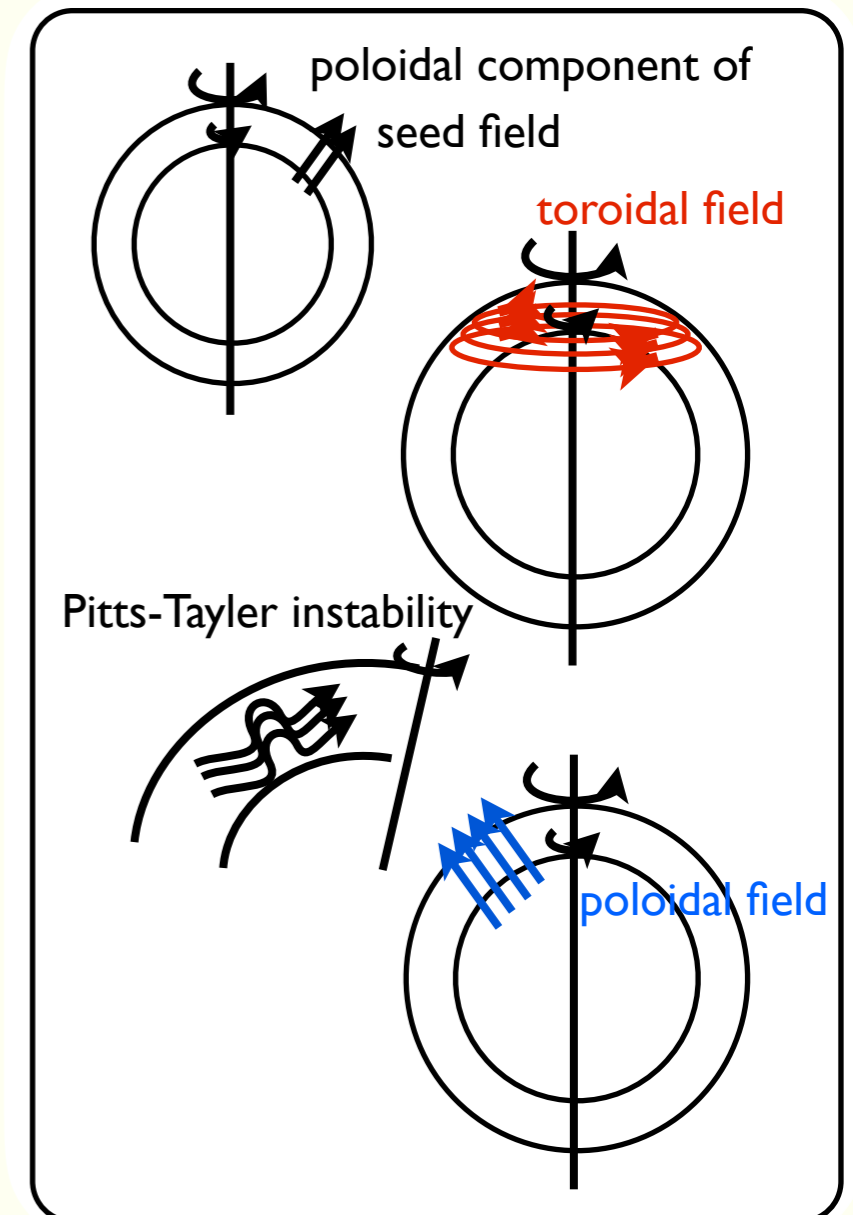
-**Magnetic stress** can transport angular momentum much more effectively than hydrodynamical processes.

$$S = \frac{B_r B_\phi}{4\pi}$$



-Most “magnetic” stellar evolution simulations estimate the magnetic stress based on the **Taylor-Spruit dynamo** theory. (Spruit 1999,2002; Maeder&Meynet 2003,04,05; Heger et al. 2005)

1. A poloidal field exists in the radiative layer.
2. **The  $\Omega$ -dynamo**: the poloidal field is wound up to create the new toroidal component.
3. The strong toroidal magnetic field is unstable to the  $m=1$  perturbation.
4. **The Pitts-Taylor instability in the toroidal field creates the new poloidal component.**
5. Saturation takes place when **turbulent diffusion by the Pitts-Taylor instability overcomes dynamo.**



# Towards a consistent modeling of magneto-rotating stellar evolution

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## Our strategy

### Goal:

-consistent calculation to estimate the **WD/NS rotation & magnetism.**

### Requirements:

- long timescale evolution
- following conservation laws accurately

### Method:

- new formalism based on the fundamental equations
- consistent evolutions among **structure, rotation, & magnetic field**

### Confirmation:

- problems known for rotating stellar evolution
- magnetic fields in stellar interiors**

# Evolution of rotating massive stars

**Rotation** affects stellar structure and evolution. (Meynet & Maeder 2000; Heger et al. 2000)

**Three rotational effects** are treated in 1D stellar evolution codes.

1. **Deformation** by centrifugal force

(Endal&Sofia 1976; Meynet&Maeder 1997)

2. **Matter mixing** by rotationally induced instabilities

(Endal&Sofia 1978; Maeder&Meynet 1996)

3. **Mass loss enhancement**

(Langer 1998, Maeder&Meynet 2000, Yoon et al. 2012)

The **shellular rotation** profile (Zahn 1992) evolves according to the radial transport equation of the angular momentum.

$$\rho \frac{d}{dt}(r^2 \Omega) = \frac{1}{5r^2} \frac{d}{dr}(\rho r^4 \Omega U_2) + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{d}{dr} \left( \rho r^4 \nu_{\text{eff}} \frac{d\Omega}{dr} \right) \quad (\text{Maeder \& Zahn 1998})$$

**$U_2$**  : radial component of the meridional flow velocity

**$\nu_{\text{eff}}$** : effective viscosity, most of which come from the Reynolds stress of turbulent flows induced by rotational instabilities.



# Formulation: field evolution

## Magnetic field configuration:

- toroidal+poloidal decomposition
- dipole approximation

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{B}(r, \theta) &\equiv \mathbf{B}_{\text{pol}}(r, \theta) + \mathbf{B}_{\text{tor}}(r, \theta) \\ \mathbf{B}_{\text{pol}} &= B_r(r, \theta)\mathbf{e}_r + B_\theta(r, \theta)\mathbf{e}_\theta \\ \mathbf{B}_{\text{tor}} &= B_\phi(r, \theta)\mathbf{e}_\phi,\end{aligned}$$

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## Basic equations:

- Ohm's law + turbulent effects
- Induction equation

$$\mathbf{j} = \sigma \left( \mathbf{E} + \frac{\mathbf{v}}{c} \times \mathbf{B} + \frac{\alpha}{c} \mathbf{B} + \frac{\eta_t}{c} \nabla \times \mathbf{B} \right)$$

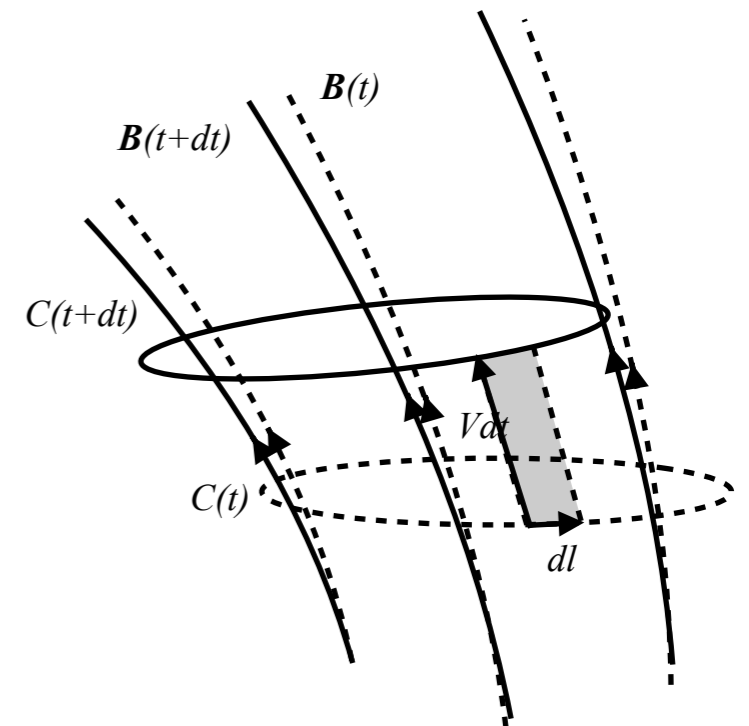
## Mean-field MHD-dynamo equation

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} = \nabla \times (\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B} + \alpha \mathbf{B}) - \nabla \times ((\eta + \eta_t) \nabla \times \mathbf{B})$$

## 1D averaging:

- Flux equation

$$\frac{d\Phi_C}{dt} = \int_C \left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} - \nabla \times (\mathbf{V} \times \mathbf{B}) \right) \cdot d\mathbf{S}$$



$$\frac{d(Ar)}{dt} = \eta r \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (Ar^2) \right) + r(\alpha \mathbf{B})_\phi (\theta = \pi/2).$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{Br}{r^2 \rho} \right) = \frac{1}{r^2 \rho} \left( Ar \frac{\partial \Omega}{\partial r} + \eta r \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (Br^2) \right) + r \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial r} \frac{\partial Br}{\partial r} - \alpha r \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (Ar^2) \right) - r \frac{\partial \alpha}{\partial r} \frac{\partial Ar}{\partial r} \right)$$

# Formulation: angular momentum transport

## Basic equation:

-momentum conservation + Lorentz force  $\rightarrow$  + Maxwell stress

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\rho \mathbf{v}) + \nabla \cdot (\rho \mathbf{v} \mathbf{v}) &= -\nabla P + \rho \mathbf{g} + \frac{1}{c} \mathbf{j} \times \mathbf{B} + (\text{viscosity}) \\ &= -\nabla P + \rho \mathbf{g} + \nabla \cdot \mathbf{M} + (\text{visc.}) \end{aligned}$$

## 1D averaging:

-Ang. mom. conservation + Maxwell stress

$$\begin{aligned} \rho \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + v_r \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{v_\theta}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} + \frac{v_\phi}{r \sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} \right) (v_\phi r \sin \theta) \\ = \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( \frac{r^3 \sin \theta B_r B_\phi}{4\pi} \right) + \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left( \frac{\sin^2 \theta B_\theta B_\phi}{4\pi} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} \left( \frac{B_\phi B_\phi}{4\pi} \right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} \left( \frac{B^2}{8\pi} \right) + (\text{visc.})_\phi \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} (r^2 \Omega) = \frac{1}{\rho r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( \frac{4 r^2 A B}{5 \cdot 4\pi} \right) + \frac{1}{\rho r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( \rho r^4 v_{\text{eff}} \frac{\partial \Omega}{\partial r} \right)$$

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## Induction equation

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## Momentum conservation

- Lorentz force → Maxwell stress

$$\frac{d}{dt} (r^2 \Omega) = \frac{1}{\rho r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( \frac{4}{5} \frac{r^2 AB}{4\pi} \right) + \frac{1}{\rho r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( \rho r^4 \nu_{\text{eff}} \frac{\partial \Omega}{\partial r} \right)$$

**In the new formalization, we have achieved;**

**Satisfying ang. mom. conservation & flux conservation:**

Adequate to follow a long-timescale evolution.

**$\Omega$  effect is naturally introduced:**

It comes from the induction equation.

**$\alpha$  effect taken from a mean-field dynamo theory:**

Convective helical flow amplifies magnetic fields (Rudiger&Kichatinov 1993).  
 $\alpha$ -quenching is included.

**Only  $\alpha_{\phi\phi}$  is currently considered.**

**$\eta_t$  of the Pitts-Tayler instability:**

Strong toroidal fields introduce  $m=1$  instability (Pitts&Tayler 1985).

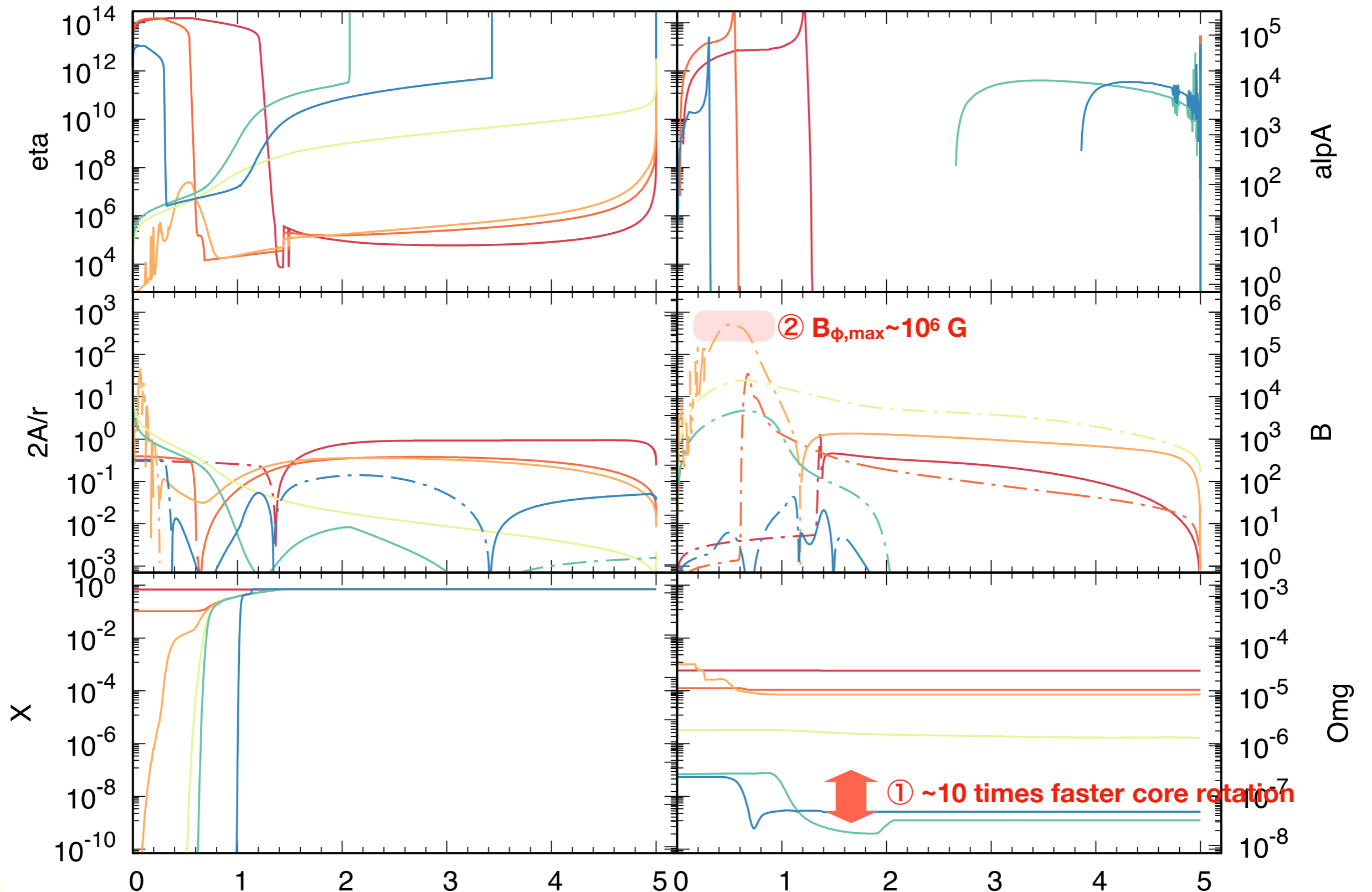
**No Tayler-Spruit dynamo included.**

**Tentatively omitted effects:**

- magnetic pressure
- Joule heat
- convective suppression
- magnetic breaking
- wind confinement

# Internal rotation & magnetic field evolution

Very **preliminary** results for a 'non-magnetic'  $5 M_{\odot}$  model



Stellar evolution calculation generally predicts **faster rotation periods** of stellar interior than observations.

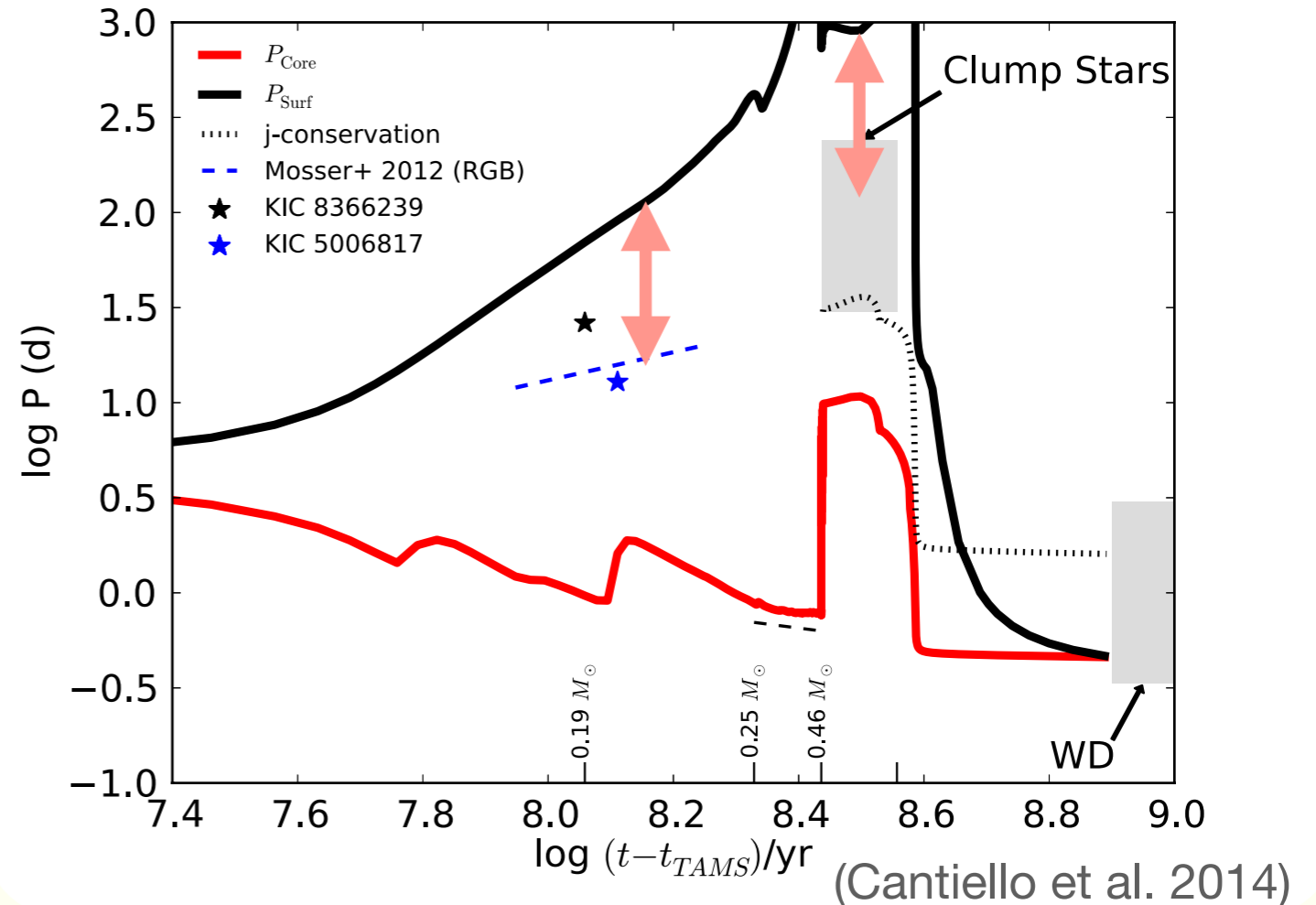
**-Compact remnants:**

- WDs for inter-mediate mass stars
- NSs for massive stars

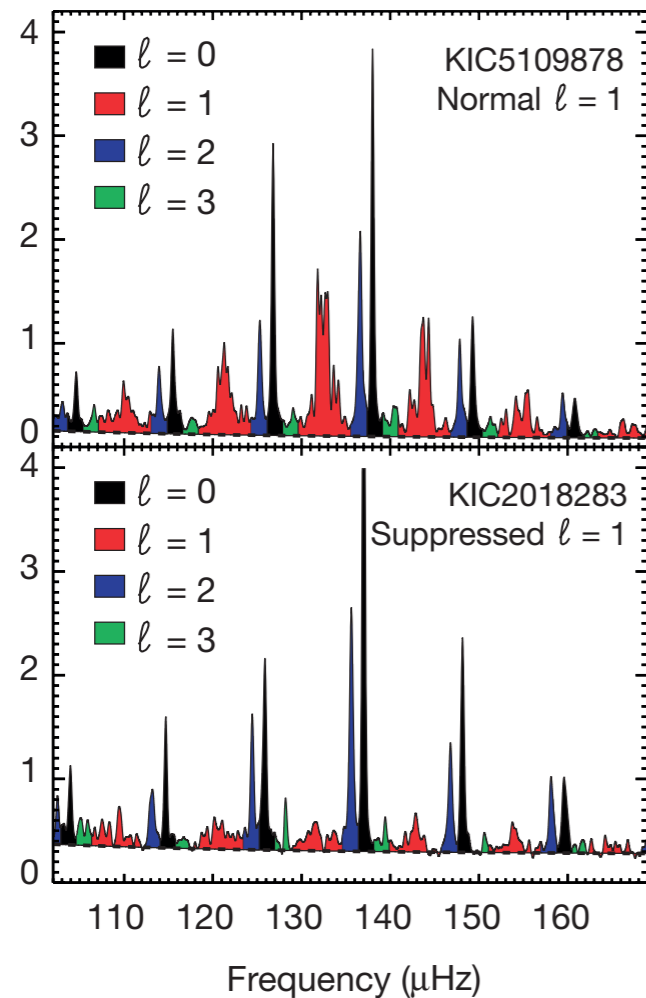
**-Red giant cores** for low-mass stars  
(Mosser et al. 2012)

**RG cores should rotate 10 times faster than their surfaces.**

## Evolution of the core rotation period



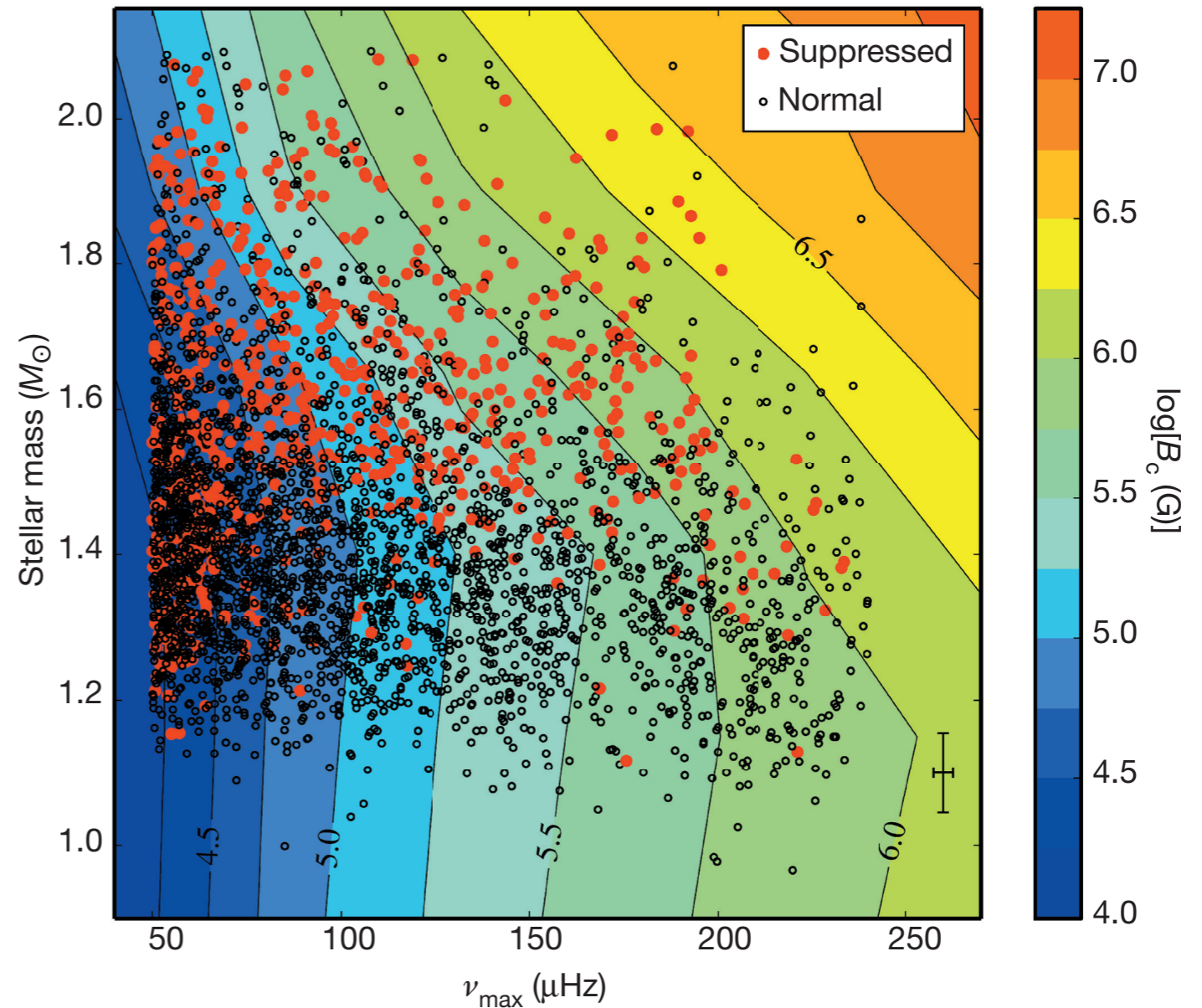
## $l=1$ mode suppression



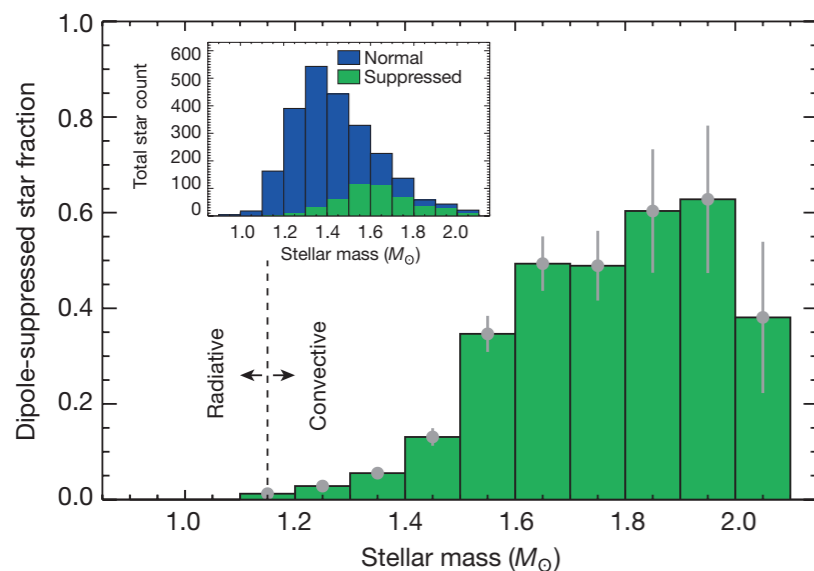
$l=1$  mode suppression in RGs would result from the wave trapping **due to strong magnetic field** in a He core.

- Fuller et al. 2015
- explain incidence rate**

## Stello et al 2016: Minimum magnetic field strength to explain the $l=1$ mode suppression



## incidence rate vs mass





# Conclusion

## Current Status

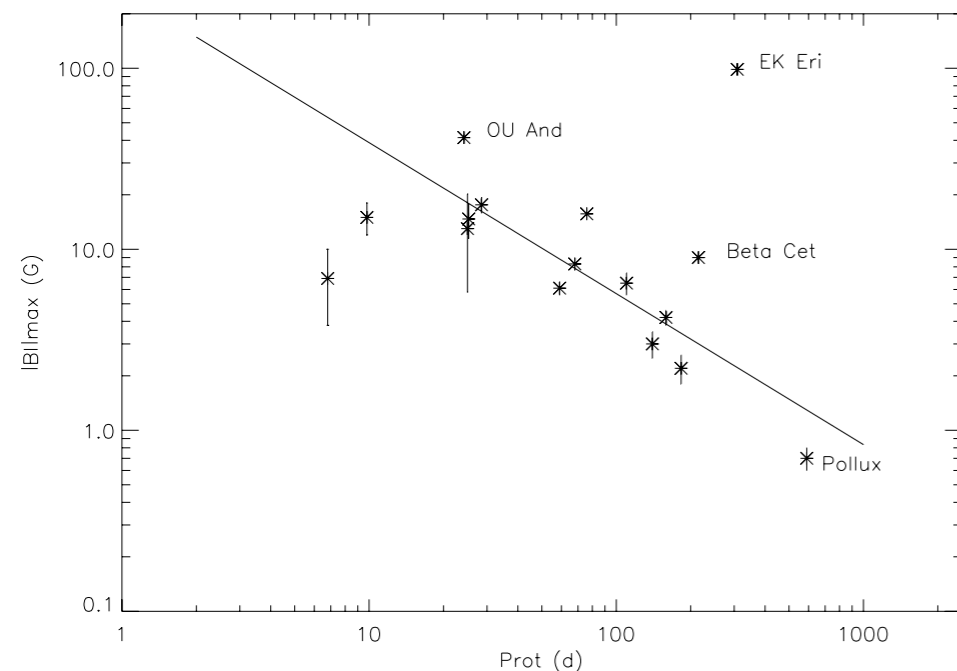
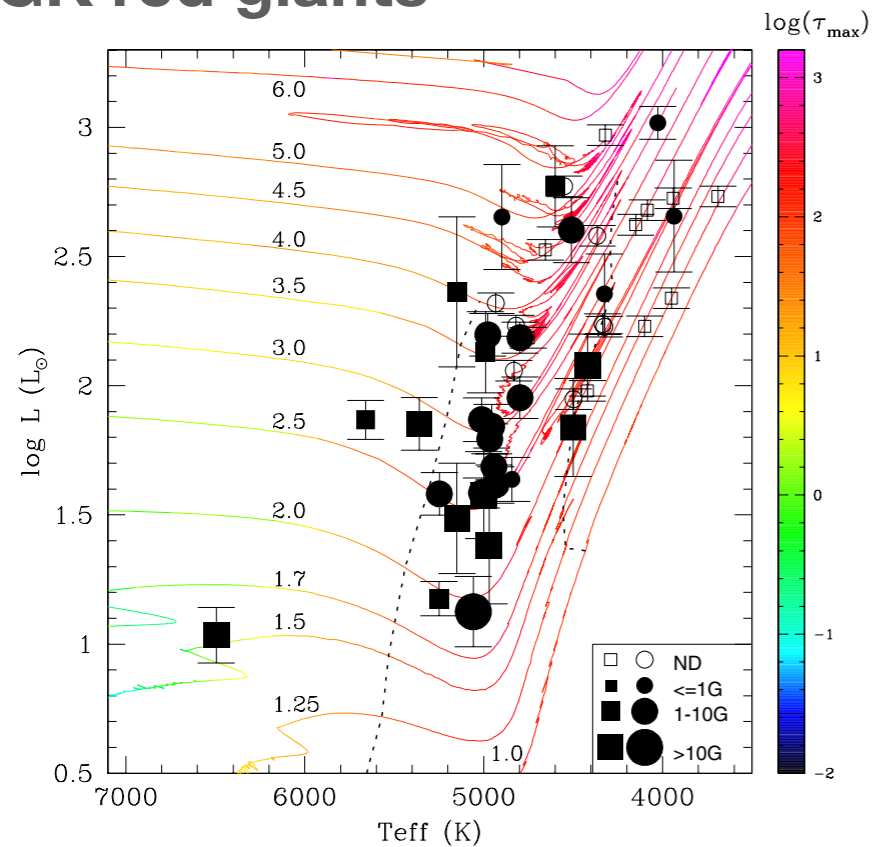
- Stars, at least a fraction of them, in all evolutionary stages have surface magnetic fields.
  - pre-MS stars
  - MS stars**
  - radiative/convective** stars
  - red giants
  - WDs/NSs
- Indications of magnetic effects onto the stellar evolution
  - angular momentum transport**
  - Wind-magnetic field interactions
  - inhibition of convection

## A new model

- Consistent treatments of **structure, rotation, & magnetic field** evolution
- Interesting agreements with observations
  - core/surface rotation periods of factor of ~10 difference**
  - internal magnetic field strength of  $\sim 10^6$  G.**

# Surface magnetic fields in convective stars

## GK red giants



### -Fraction:

-29/48 (but with highly biased samples)

- Active giants
- Thermohaline deviants (Ap descendants)
- CFHT snapshot subsamples

### -Properties:

- $B_{\parallel} \sim 1-100 G$

-**correlation with rotation periods**

-The magnetic fields are likely to be produced by **the  $\alpha$ - $\Omega$  dynamo**.

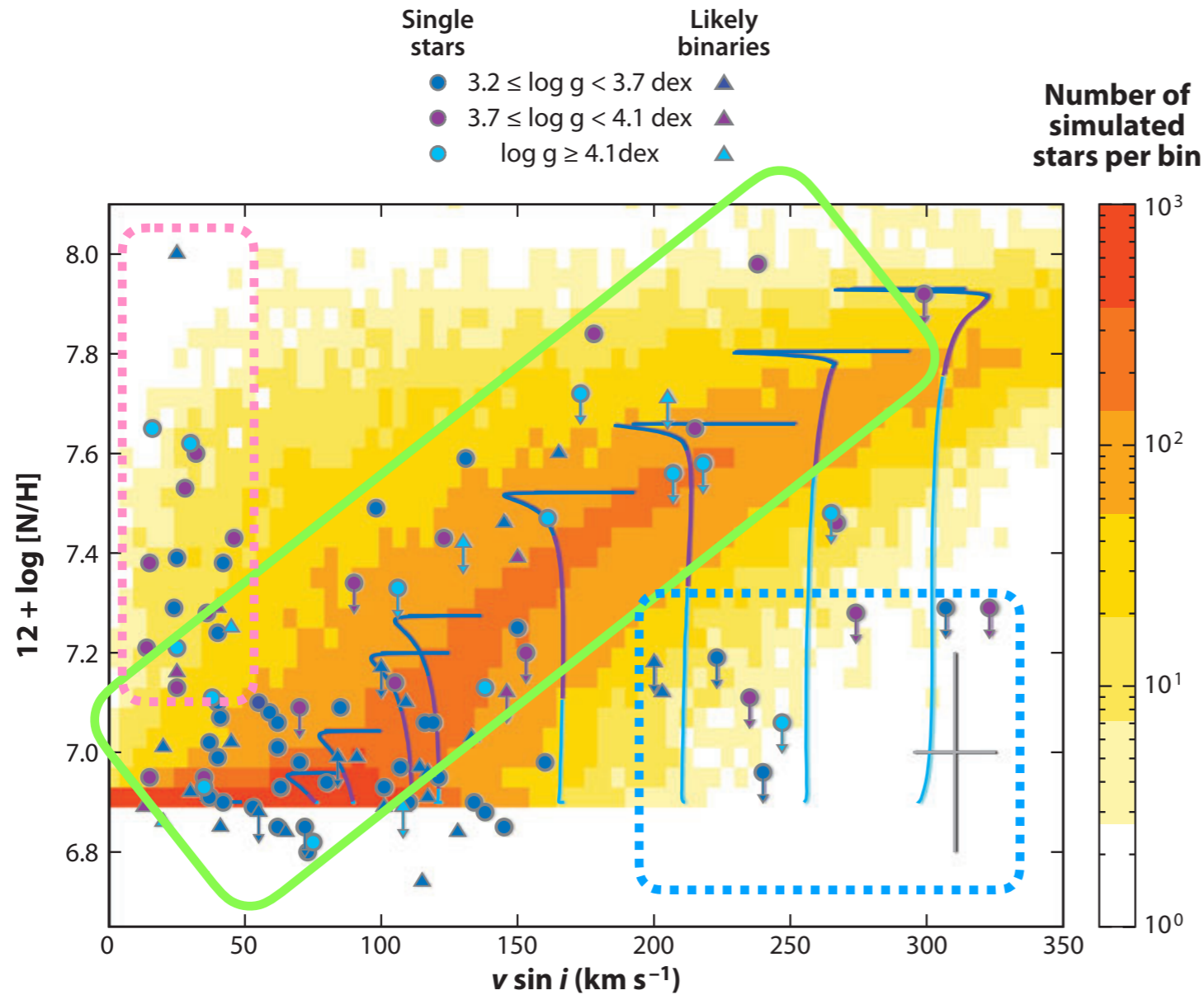
-GK giants are expected to have **weak surface magnetic fields** because of their large radii and slow rotations. (Landstreet 2004)

(Aurière et al. 2015)

# Hunter diagram

Rotational mixing can account for the **N enhancement in massive stars**.

## Observed & modeled [N/H] vs $v \sin i$ relation



(Brott et al. 2011; Langer 2012)

-Majority of stars coincide with **the positive correlation** predicted by the theory.

-Meanwhile, two outliers exist; **slowly-rotating N-enhanced** stars and **fast-rotating N-normal** stars.

-The origins of these outliers are still debatable.

-Age/Mass effect?

-Binary?

-**Magnetic field?**

High magnetic incidence rate for galactic N-rich stars (Morel et al. 2008)