

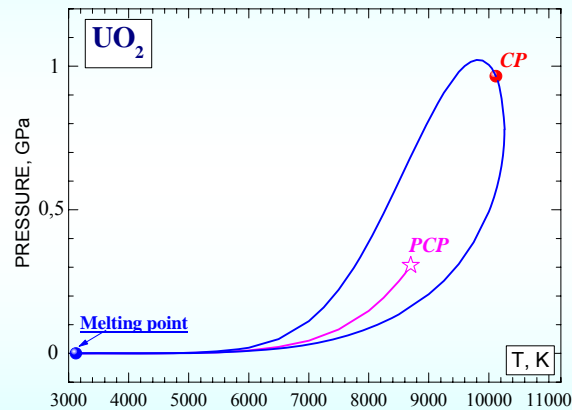


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Non-congruent Phase Transitions *in Cosmic Matter and Laboratory*



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Elemental Abundance in Solar and Extrasolar Planets

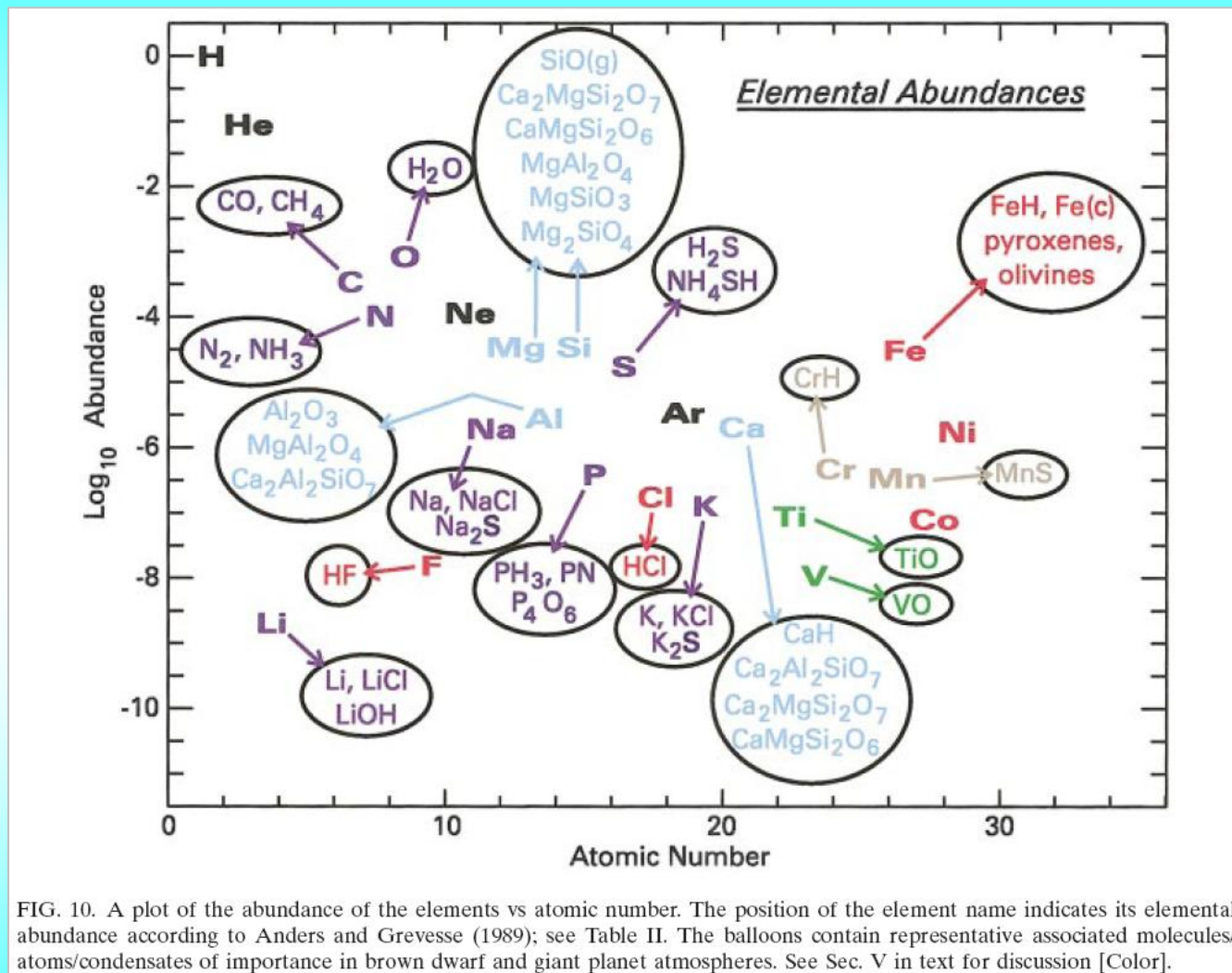
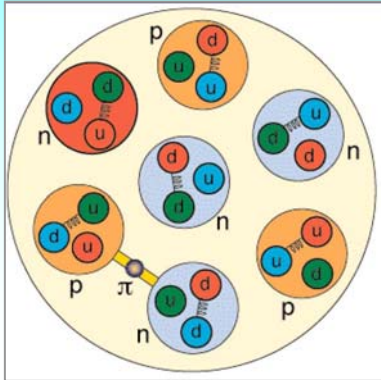


FIG. 10. A plot of the abundance of the elements vs atomic number. The position of the element name indicates its elemental abundance according to Anders and Grevesse (1989); see Table II. The balloons contain representative associated molecules/atoms/condensates of importance in brown dwarf and giant planet atmospheres. See Sec. V in text for discussion [Color].

Quasi-chemical representation ("Chemical picture")

Neutron stars



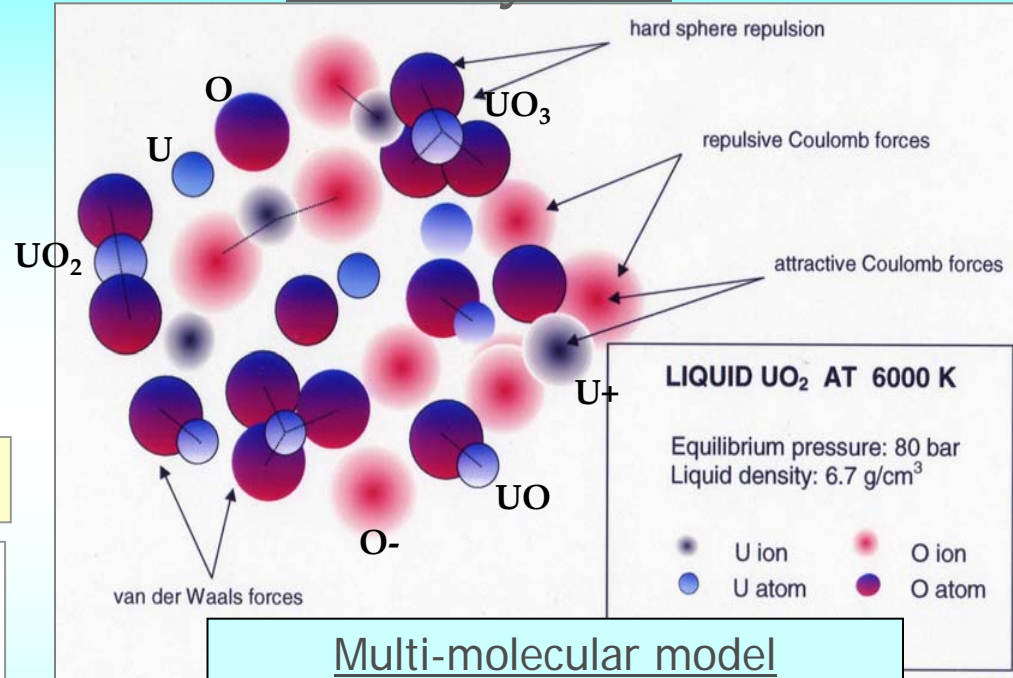
u, d, s, p, n, e

$\mu_u, \mu_d, \mu_s, \mu_p, \mu_n, \mu_e$

$u + e \Leftrightarrow d$
 $d \Leftrightarrow s$
 $p + e \Leftrightarrow n$
 $n \Leftrightarrow u + 2d$
 $(p \Leftrightarrow 2u + d)$

$\mu_u + \mu_e = \mu_d,$
 $\mu_d = \mu_s,$
 $\mu_p + \mu_e = \mu_n \equiv \mu_B,$
 $\mu_n = \mu_u + 2\mu_d,$
 $(\mu_p = 2\mu_u + \mu_d).$

U – O system



Multi-molecular model

(*Liquid & Gas*)

$U + O + O_2 + UO + UO_2 + UO_3$
 $U^+ + UO^+ + UO_2^+ + O^- + UO_3^- + e^-$

$U + 2O \Leftrightarrow UO_2$
 $2O \Leftrightarrow O_2$
 $U^+ + e \Leftrightarrow U$
 $UO_3 + e \Leftrightarrow UO_3^-$

$\mu_U + 2\mu_O = \mu_{UO_2}$
 $2\mu_O = \mu_{O_2}$
 $\mu_{U^+} + \mu_e = \mu_U$
 $\mu_{UO_3} + \mu_e = \mu_{UO_3^-}$

Two problems in phase transition calculation

- **Construction of Equation of State (EOS)**
- **Phase coexistence parameters calculation**

Chosen approach and fundamentals

Sketch of theoretical approach

Quasi-chemical representation for liquid & gaseous phases

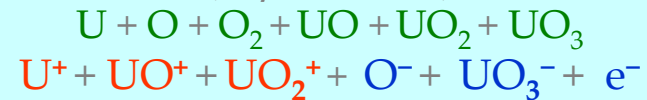
Ionic model

(*Liquid*)



Multi-molecular model

(*Liquid & Gas*)



Interactions: (*Pseudopotential components*)

- Intensive short-range repulsion
- Coulomb interaction between charged particles
- Short-range effective attraction between all particles

Interaction corrections: (*Modified for mixtures*)

- Hard-sphere mixture with varying diameters
- Modified Mean Spherical Approximation (MSAE+DHSE)
- Modified Thermodynamic Perturbation Theory {TPT- $\sigma(T)$; $\varepsilon(T)$ }

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Phase coexistence parameters calculation

(*two approaches*)

Ordinary way:

Maxwell (“equal squares”)

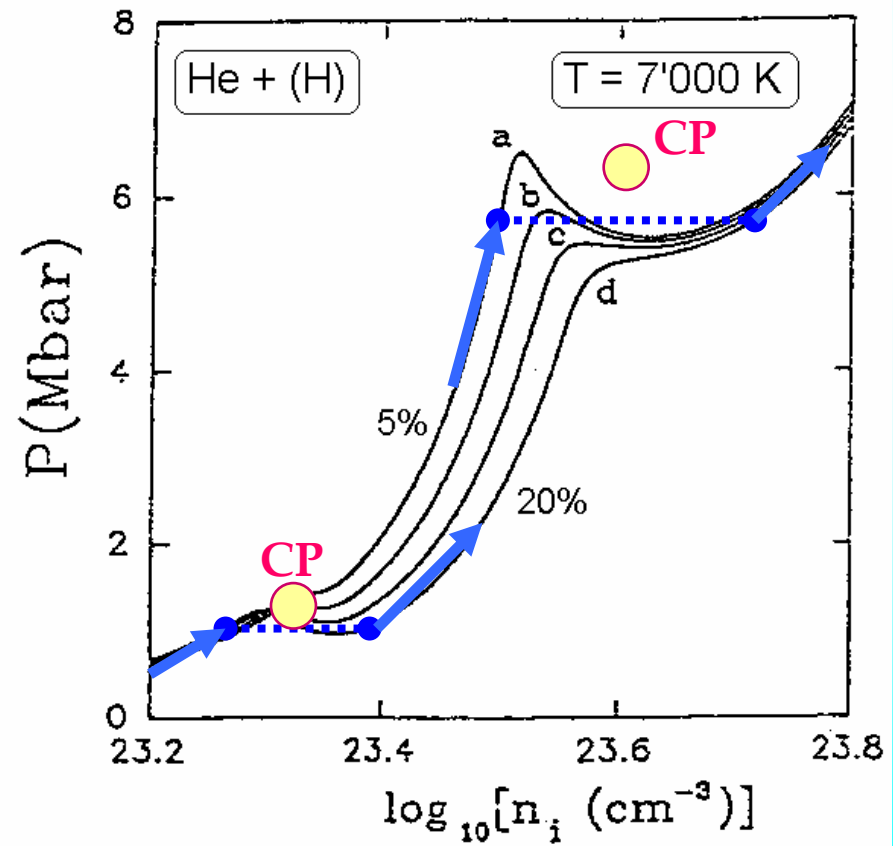
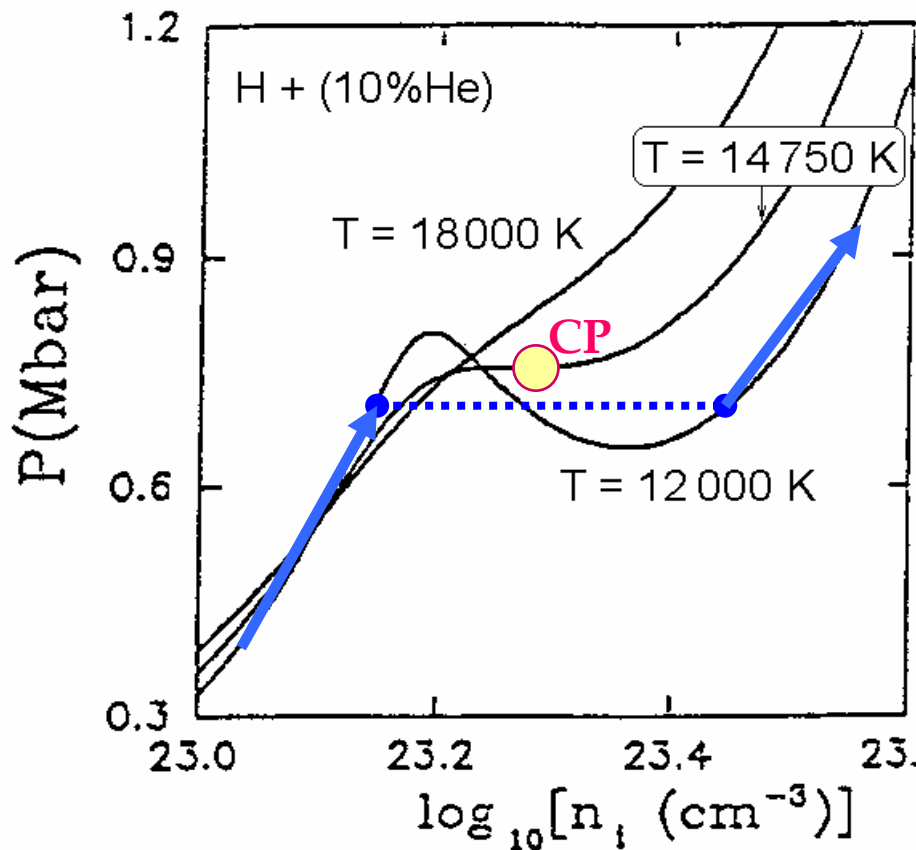
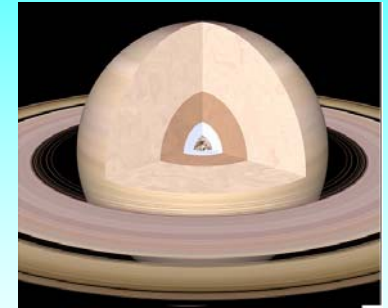
or “Double tangent” {in $F(V)$ } construction

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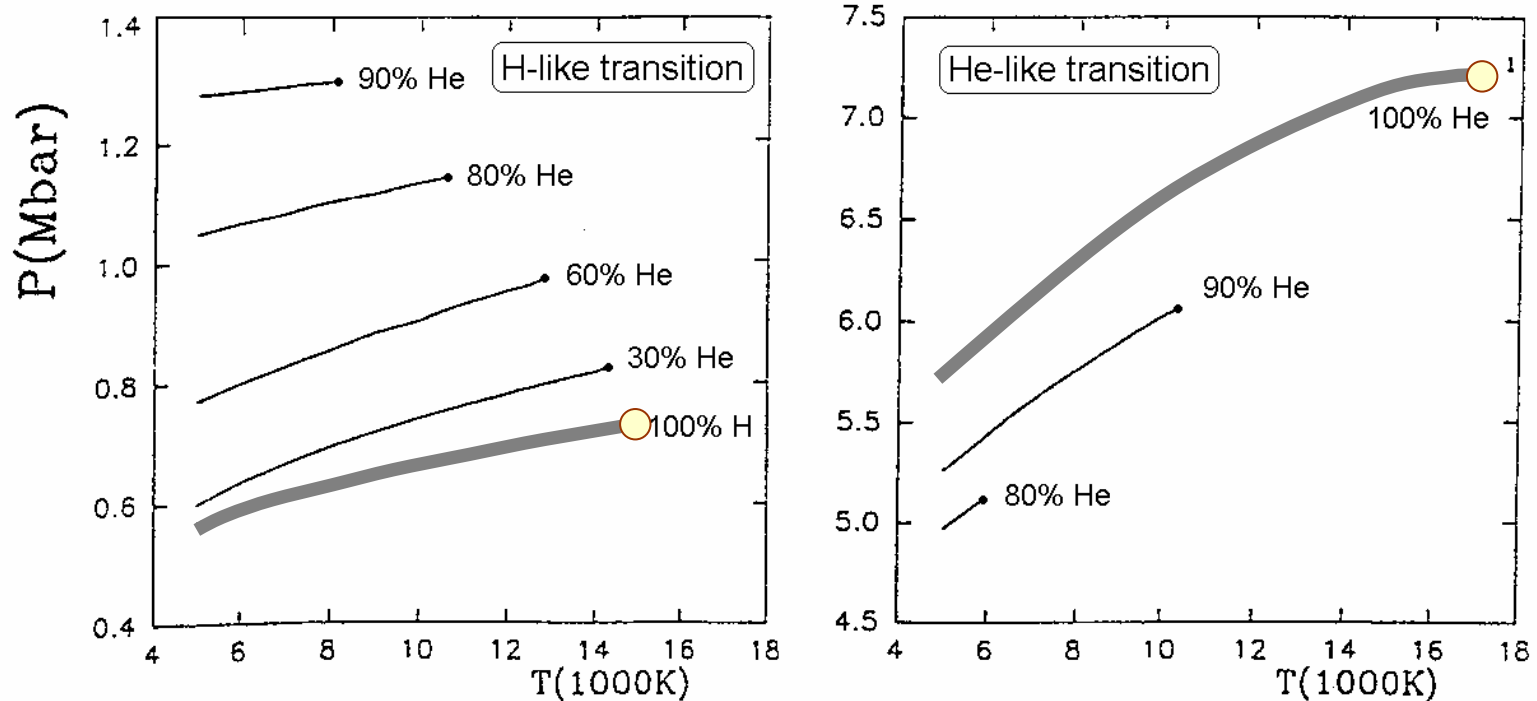
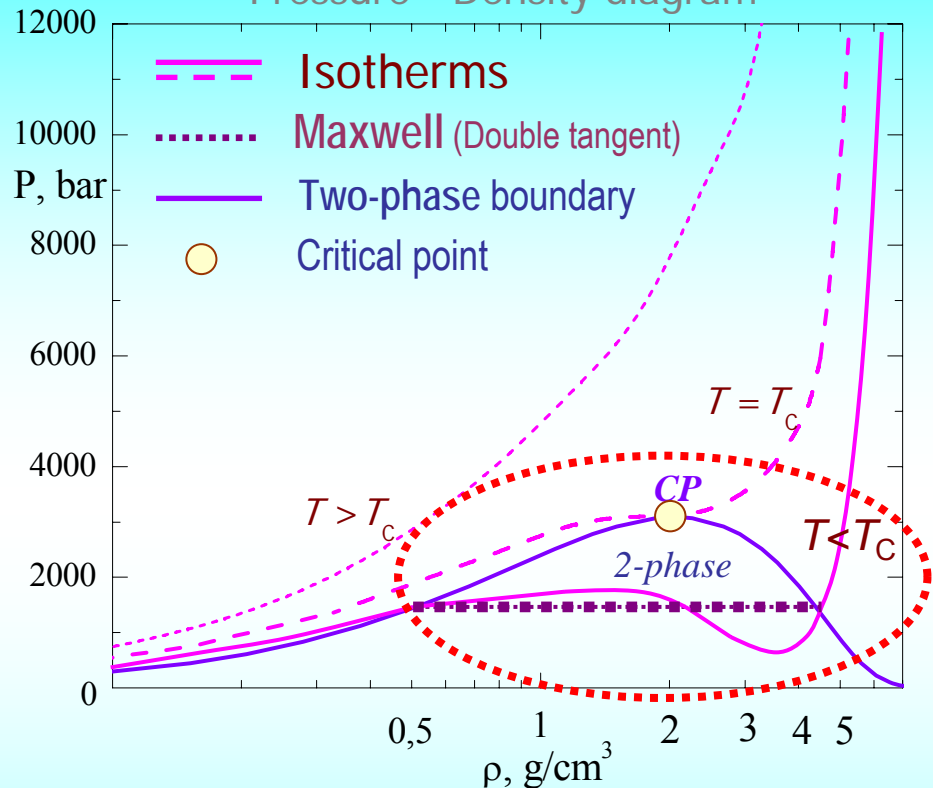


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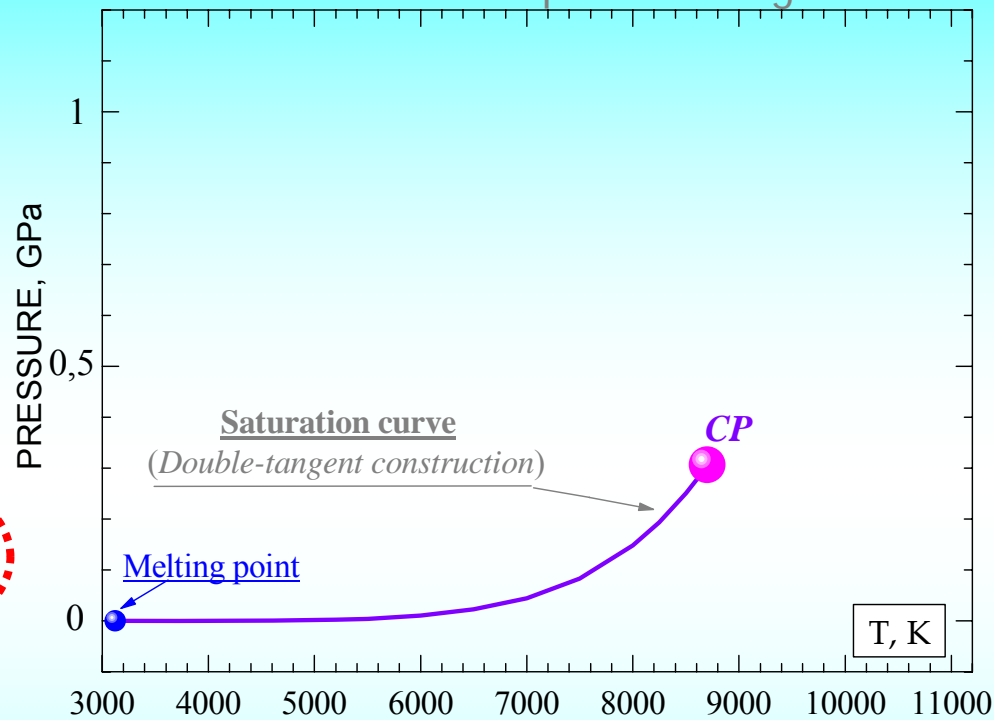
Standard

Congruent evaporation in U-O system

Pressure - Density diagram



Pressure - Temperature diagram



- Stoichiometry of coexisting phases are equal:

$$x' = x''$$

It should be

$$x' \neq x''$$

- Van der Waals loops (at $T < T_c$) corrected via the “double tangent construction”

It should be

- Standard phase equilibrium conditions:

$$P' = P'' \quad \parallel \quad T' = T'' \quad \parallel \quad G'(P, T, x) = G''(P, T, x)$$

- Standard critical point:

$$(\partial P / \partial V)_T = 0 \quad \parallel \quad (\partial^2 P / \partial V^2)_T = 0 \quad \parallel \quad (\partial^3 P / \partial V^3)_T < 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_1'(P, T, x') &= \mu_1''(P, T, x'') \\ \mu_2'(P, T, x') &= \mu_2''(P, T, x'') \\ &\dots \\ \mu_k'(P, T, x') &= \mu_k''(P, T, x'') \end{aligned}$$

Congruent evaporation in U-O system
does not correspond to the total equilibrium
(only to the partial one)

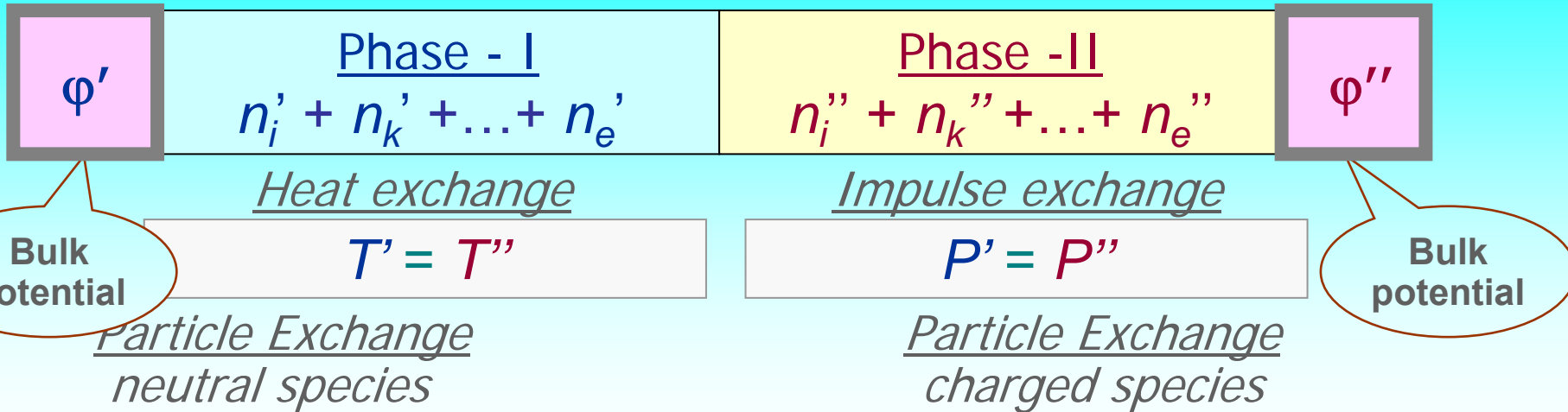
Maxwell approach

- should be rejected as non-adequate

Correct approach:

- Gibbs (+ Guggenheim) conditions

Phase equilibrium conditions in reacting Coulomb system



$$\begin{aligned} \mu_1'(P, T, x') &= \mu_1''(P, T, x'') \\ \mu_2'(P, T, x') &= \mu_2''(P, T, x'') \\ &\dots\dots\dots \\ \mu_k'(P, T, x') &= \mu_k''(P, T, x'') \end{aligned}$$

Equilibrium reactions

(reduced number of basic units)

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_a'(P, T, x') &= \mu_a''(P, T, x'') \\ \mu_b'(P, T, x') &= \mu_b''(P, T, x'') \end{aligned}$$

Uranium – Oxygen system

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_U'(P, T, x') &= \mu_U''(P, T, x'') \\ \mu_O'(P, T, x') &= \mu_O''(P, T, x'') \end{aligned}$$

NB! - Chemical potentials of charged species are **not equal** (Guggenheim, 1929)

Electro-chemical potentials are equal

$$\mu_i' + Z_i e \phi' = \mu_i'' + Z_i e \phi'' \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \Delta\phi(T)$$

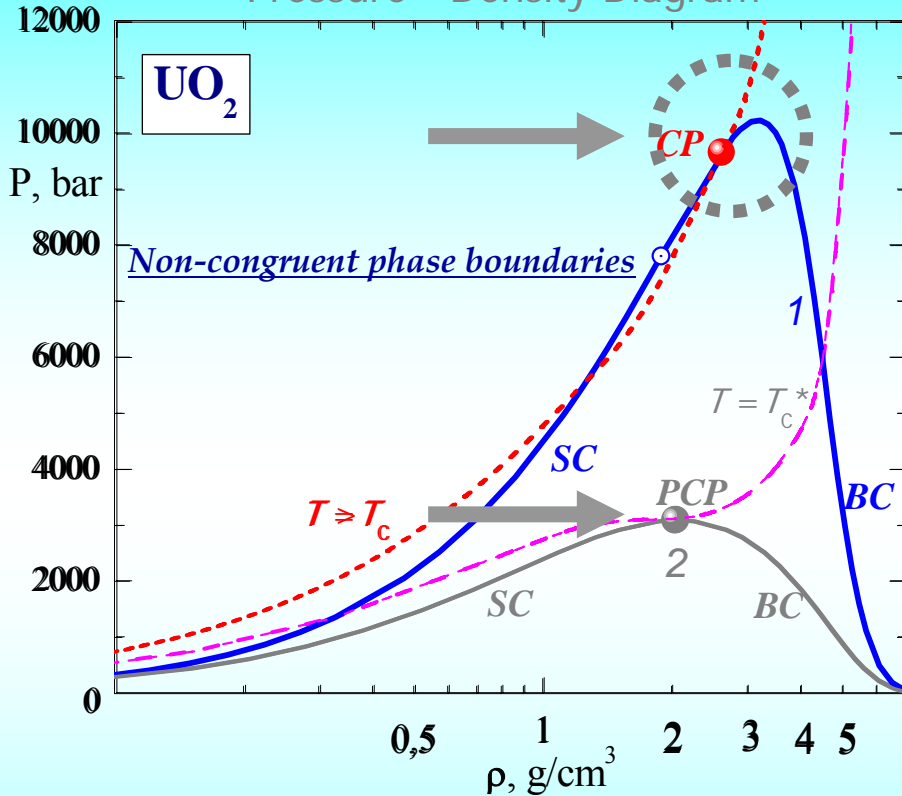
Potential drop at mean-phase interface in equilibrium Coulomb system

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_1'(P, T, x') &= \mu_1''(P, T, x'') + Z_1 e \Delta\phi(T) \\ \mu_2'(P, T, x') &= \mu_2''(P, T, x'') + Z_2 e \Delta\phi(T) \\ &\dots\dots\dots \\ \mu_e'(P, T, x') &= \mu_e''(P, T, x'') - e \Delta\phi(T) \end{aligned}$$

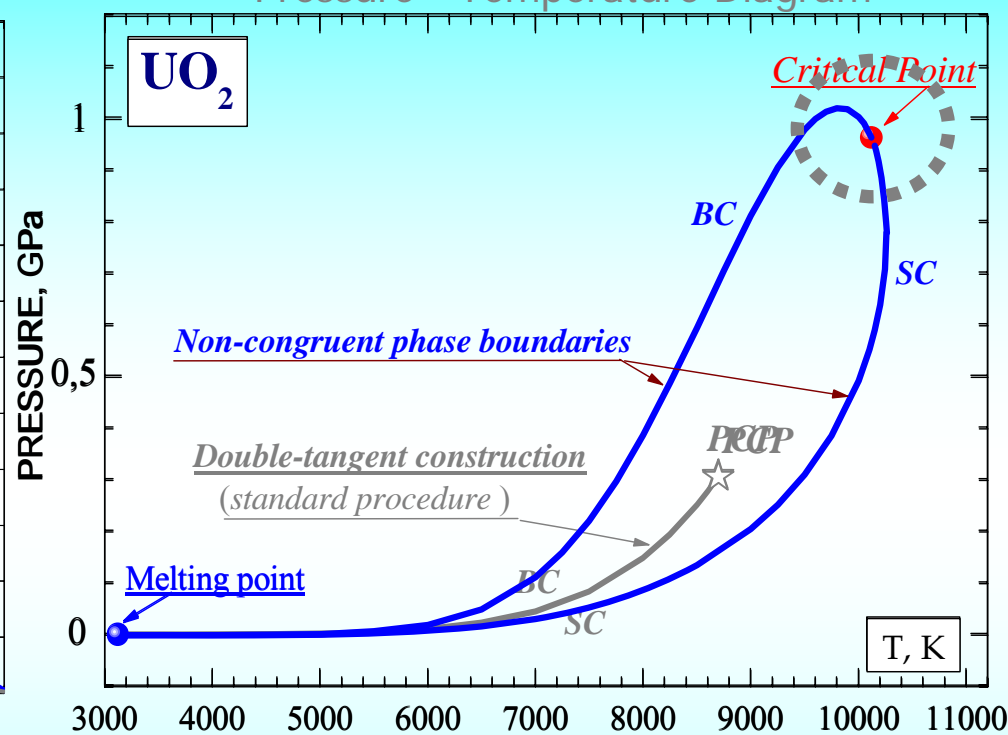
Non-congruent evaporation in U-O system

(Gibbs - Guggenheim conditions)

Pressure - Density Diagram



Pressure - Temperature Diagram



1 – Non-congruent (total) equilibrium

2 – Forced congruent (partial) equilibrium

BC – Boiling liquid conditions

SC – Saturated vapor conditions

NB! 2-dimensional two-phase region instead of standard P - T saturation curve

• Stoichiometry of coexisting phases are different $v \neq v'$

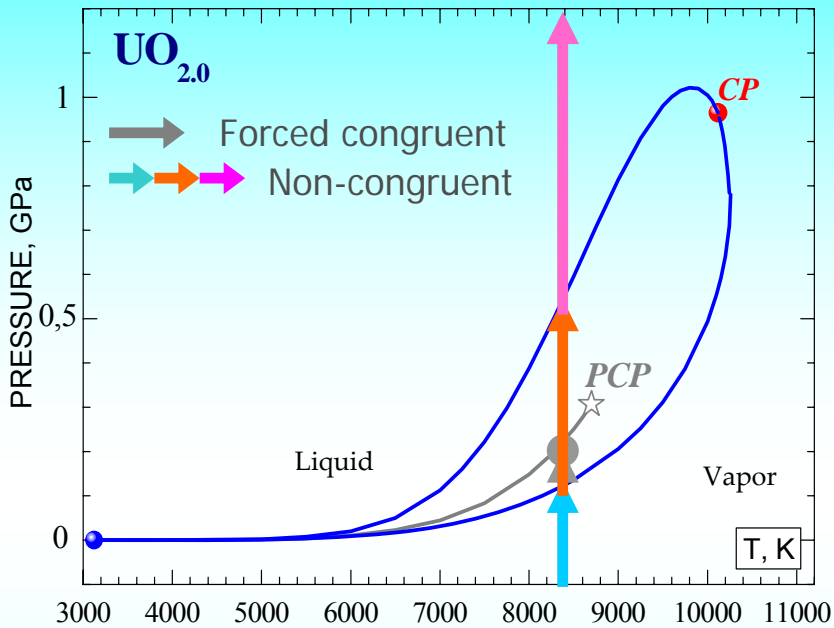
NB! High pressure level of non-congruent phase decomposition

• Total phase equilibrium conditions for mixture are valid instead of the

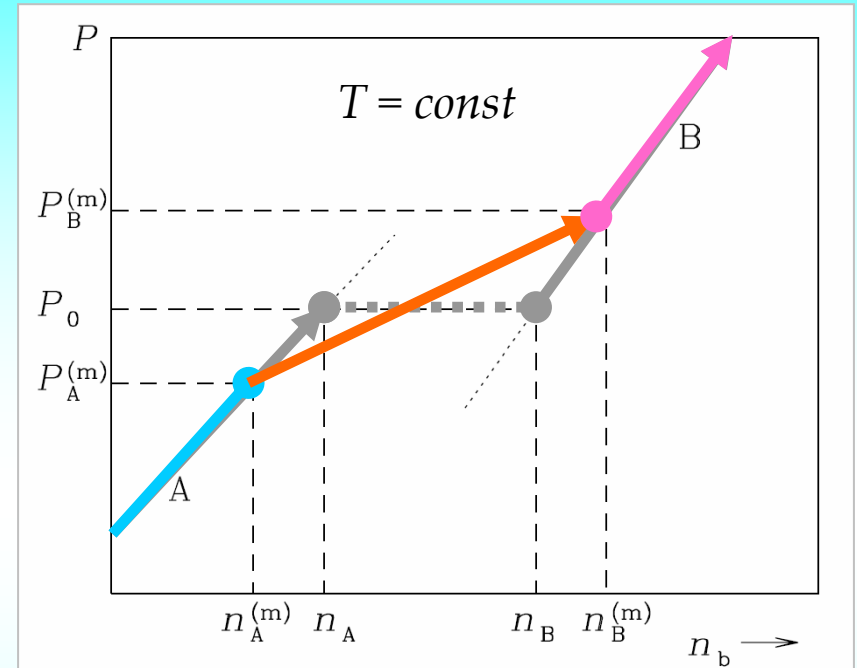
NB! Critical point should be of non-standard type: $(\partial P / \partial V)_T \neq 0$ $(\partial^2 P / \partial V^2)_T \neq 0$

It should be instead: $(O/U)_{\text{liquid}} = (O/U)_{\text{vapor}}$ and $\{ \partial \mu_i / \partial n_k \}_T \}_{CP} = 0$

Non-congruent phase transformation in two-phase region

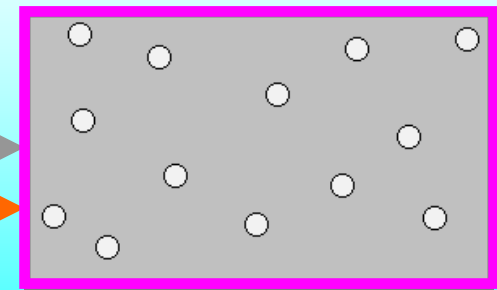
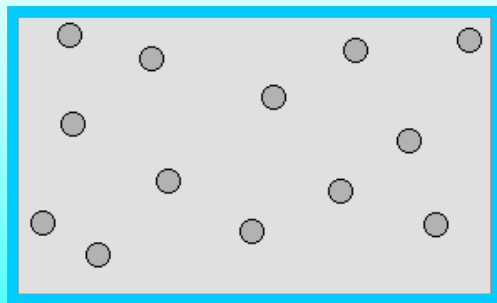


Phase Diagram P - T of Non-congruent Evaporation



First liquid droplets in saturated vapor

Last vapor bubbles in boiling liquid

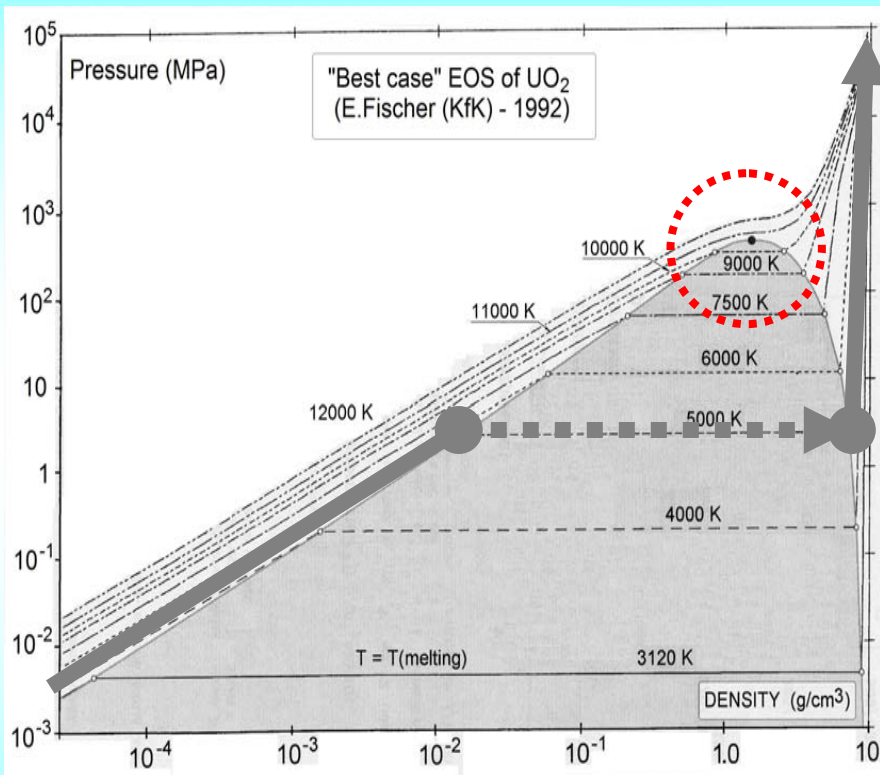


Oxygen depleted liquid
! Different stoichiometry!

Oxygen enriched vapor
! Different stoichiometry!

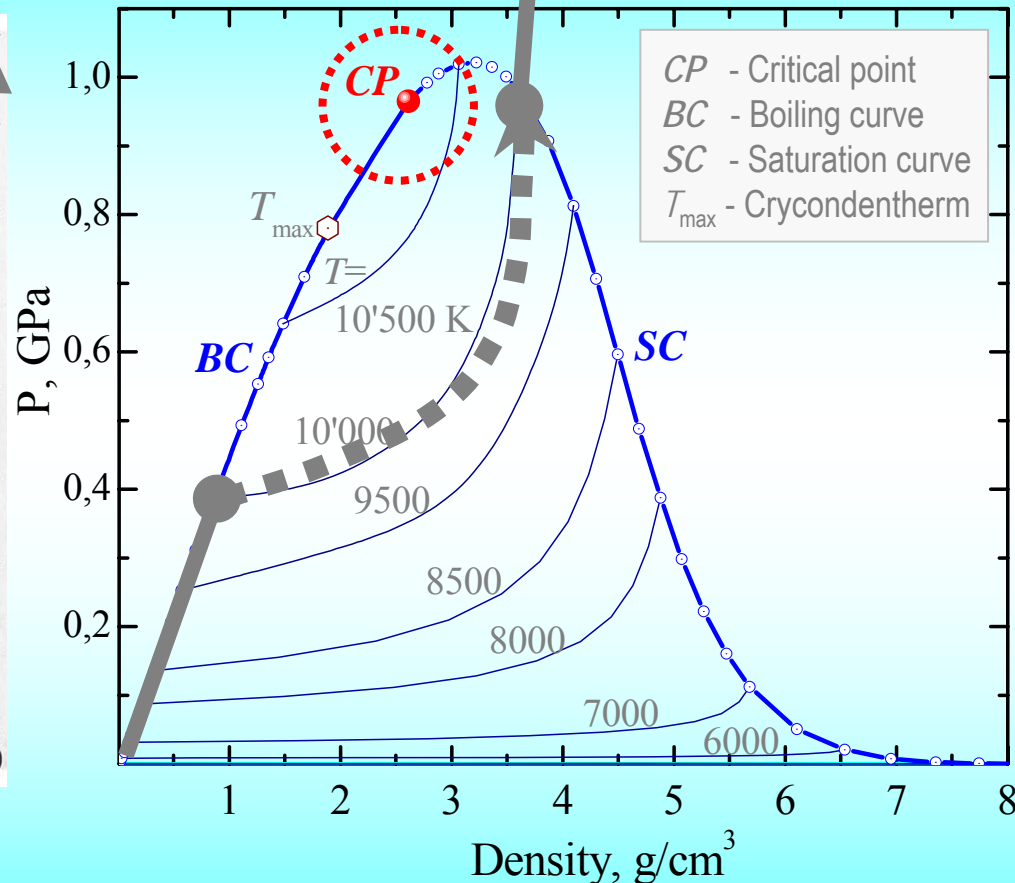
Isotherms in two-phase region

Standard pressure-density diagram



Fischer E.A. *J. Nucl. Sci. Eng.* (1989)

Non-congruent pressure-density diagram



- **Isothermal** phase transition starts and finishes at *different pressures*
- **Isobaric** phase transition starts and finishes at *different temperatures*

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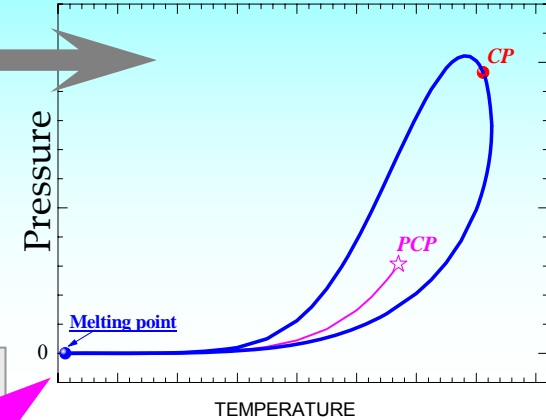
Non-congruence in general

Main issue for study of non-congruent evaporation in U-O system

Non-congruence of phase transition in U-O system – – is it an exception or a general rule ?

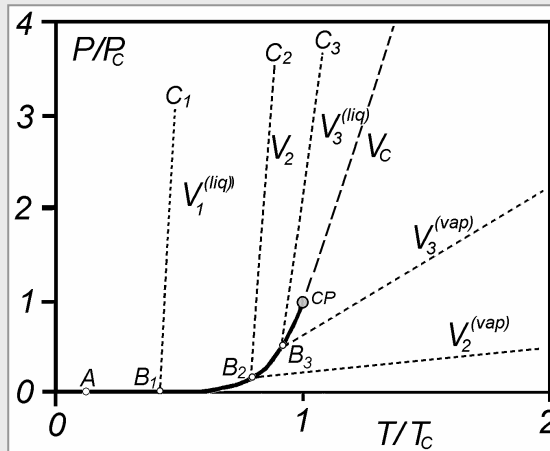
Basic conclusion:

- Any phase transition in a system of **two** or **more chemical elements** must be **non-congruent**
- **Congruent** phase transition is **exception**



Evident contradiction

H_2O , CO_2 , NH_3



Non-congruence in H_2O etc... – what does it mean ?

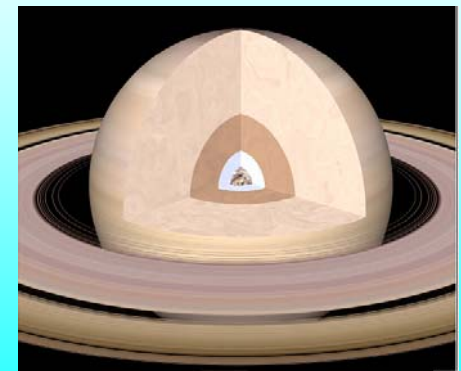
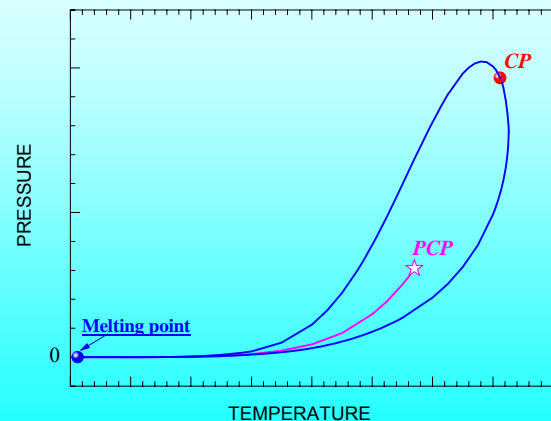
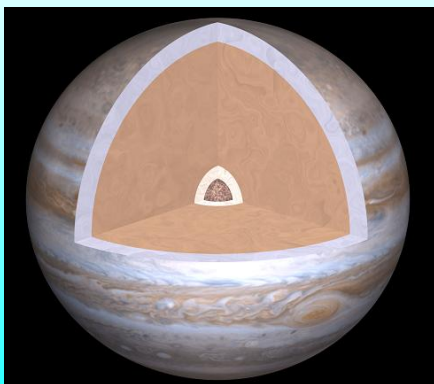
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Basic conclusion

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• Hypothetical example of non-congruent phase transition

- **Plasma Phase Transition** in H_2/He mixture in **Jupiter, Saturn, Brown Dwarfs** and **Extra-Solar Planets** . . .



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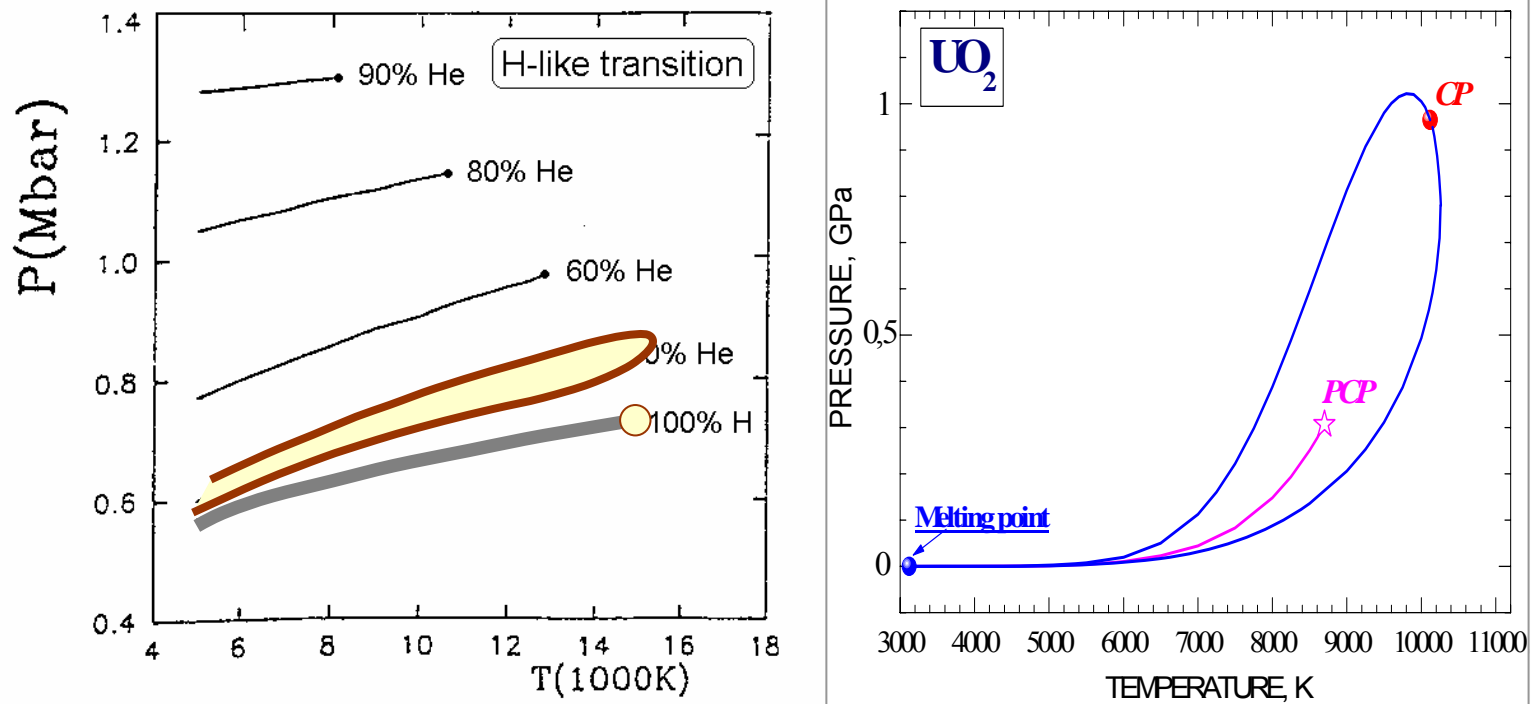


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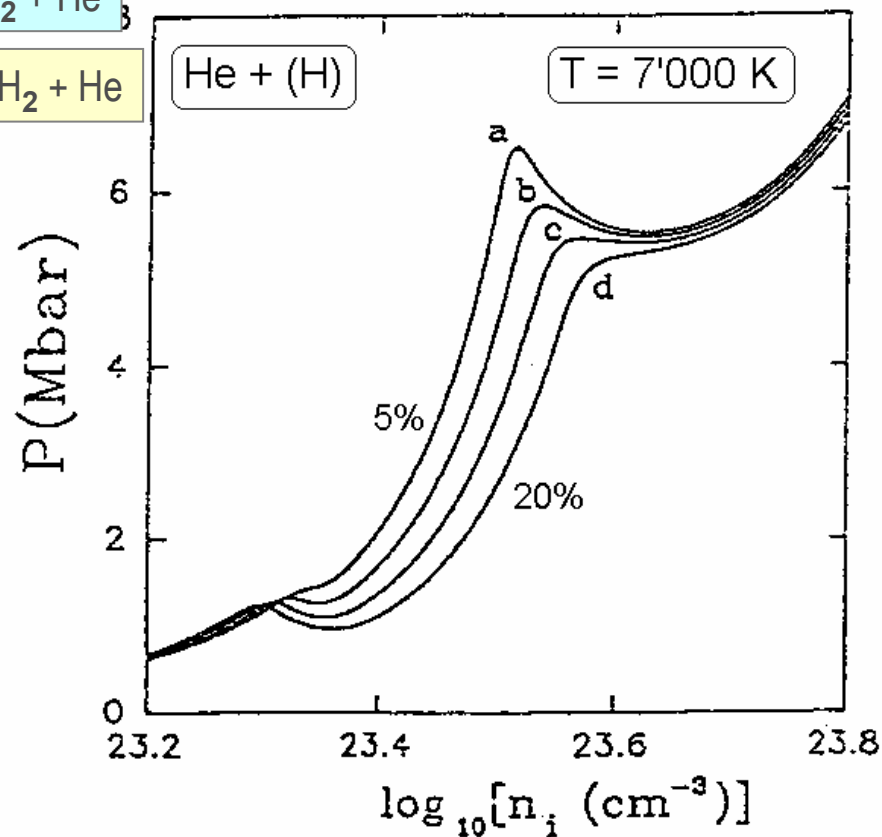
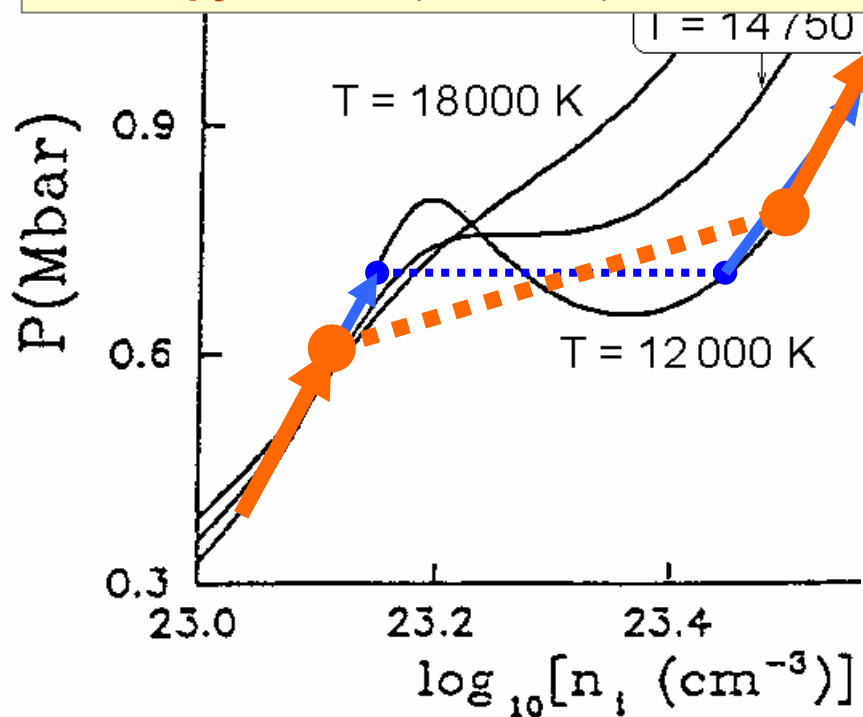
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Конгруэнтный фазовый переход в системе H₂ + He

Неконгруэнтный фазовый переход в системе H₂ + He



Cassini-Huygens

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Giant planets evolution problem

Hypothetical phase transition in H₂/He mixture

after Chabrier G., Saumon D., Hubbard W., Lunine J. (SCCS-1992, Rochester)

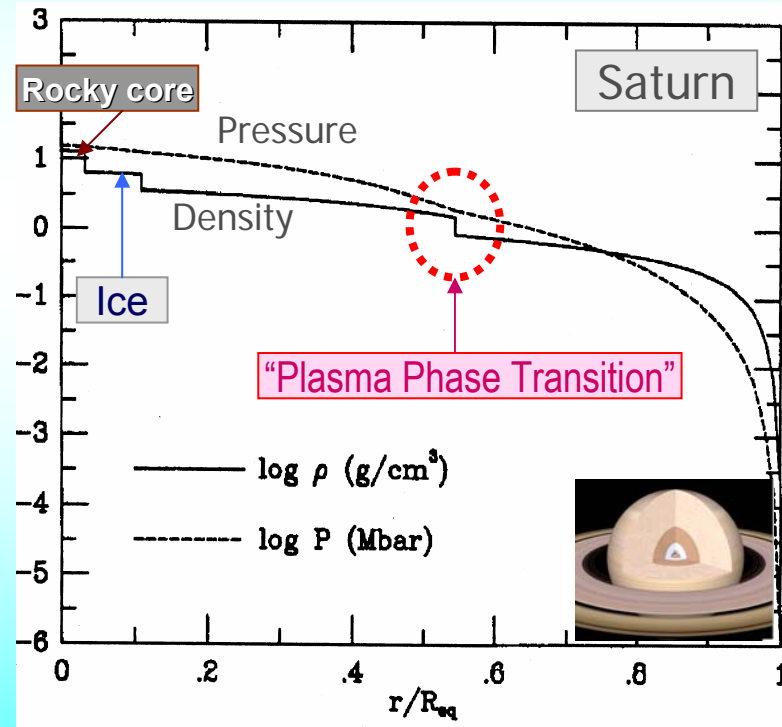
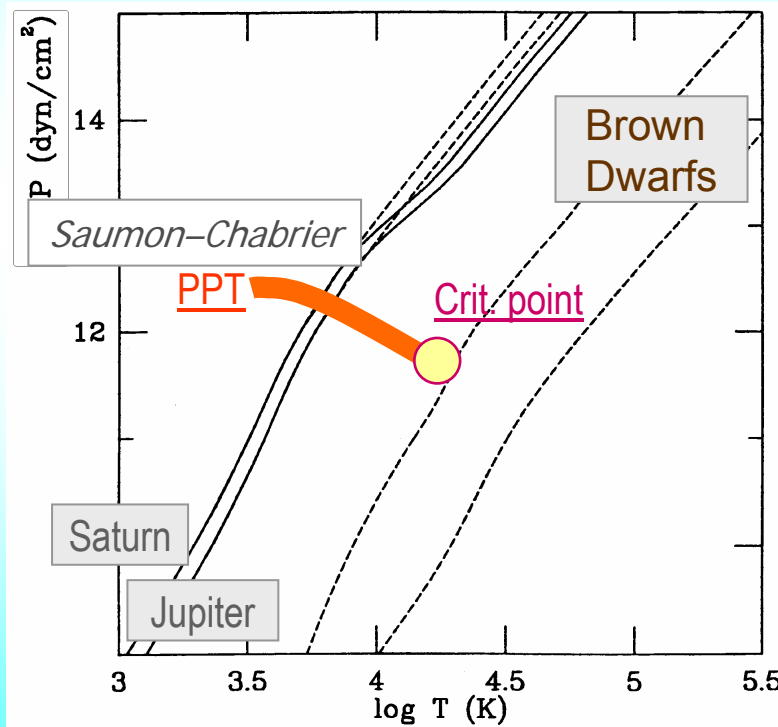
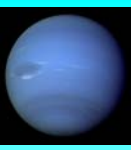


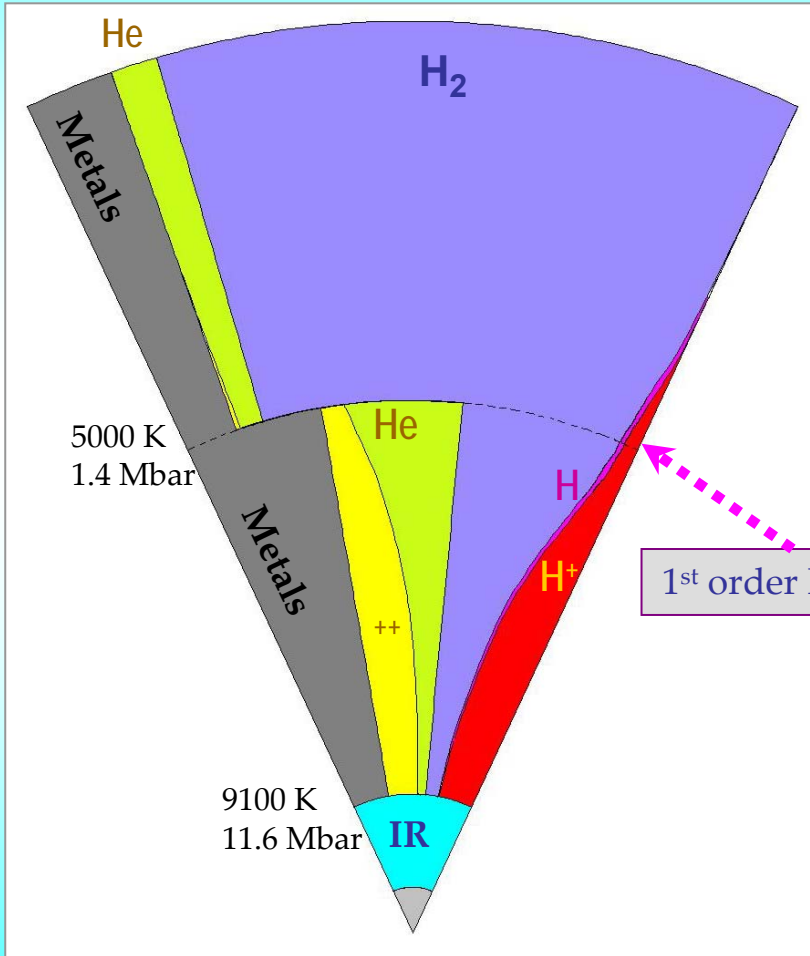
Fig. 1. Pressure and density profiles of optimized models of Jupiter (top panel) and Saturn (bottom panel), plotted as a function of mean radius. Discontinuities in the density clearly mark the boundaries of the four layers of the models: rocky core, ice mantle, metallic and molecular



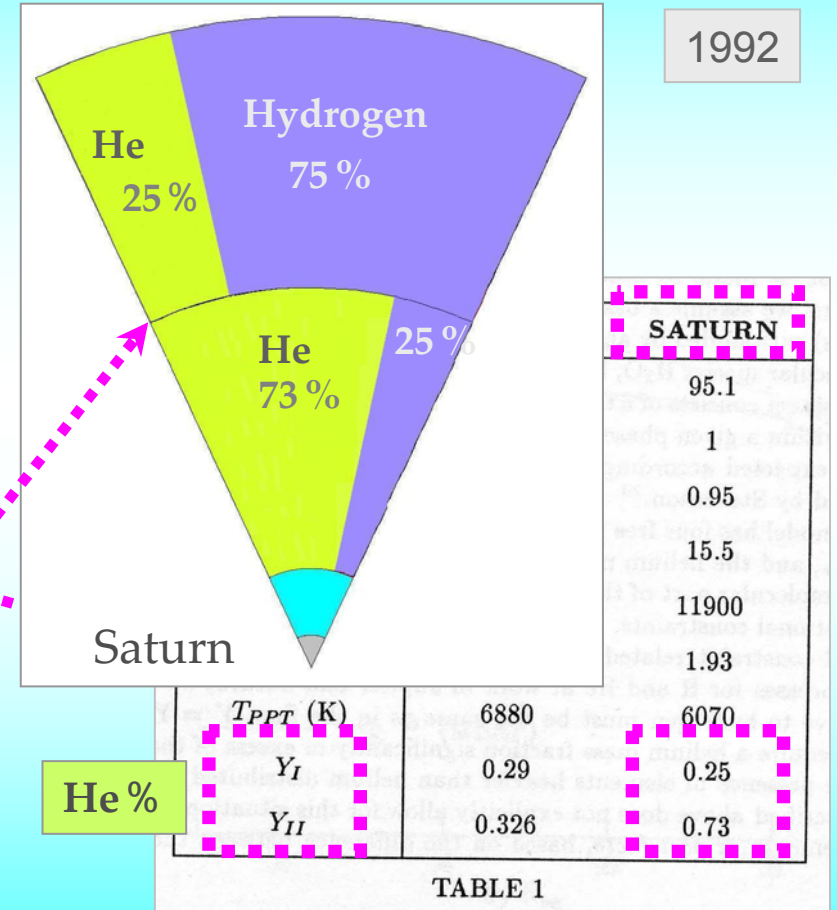
Giant planets interior composition



Saturn interior composition using SCVH-95_EOS



Optimized models of Jupiter and Saturn (D. Saumon, G. Chabrier, W. Hubbard, J. Lunine)

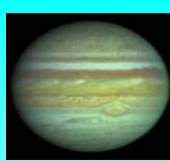


After N. Nettelmann, R. Redmer, et al., PNP-12, Darmstadt, 2006)

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Hypothetical phase transitions in interiors of GP-s and BD-s via “additivity approximation”



(optimistic)

Phase diagram of H₂/He mixture in frames of “additivity approximation” is **superposition** of *P-T* phase diagrams for pure hydrogen and helium.

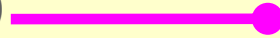
Dissociative Phase Transition in H₂
(Scandolo S., Bonev S., Militzer B., Galli G.)



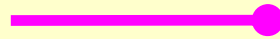
Plasma Phase Transition in H
(Ebeling et al.)



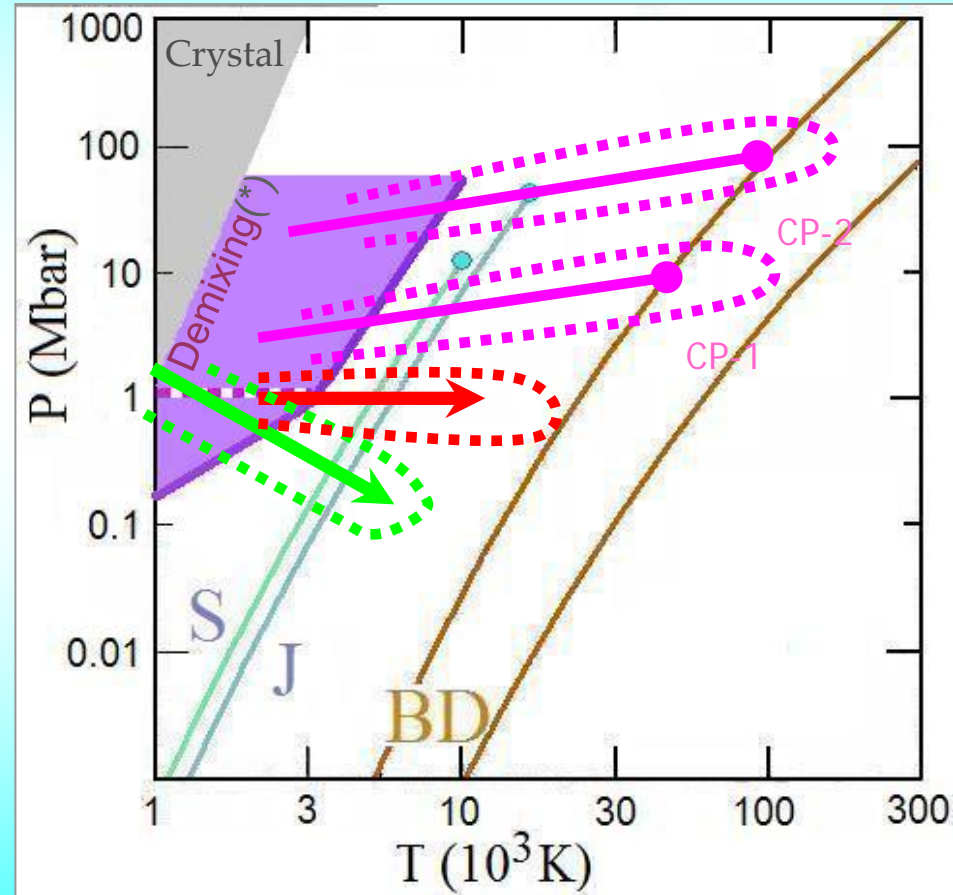
1st Plasma Phase Transition in He
(Ebeling et al.)



2nd Plasma Phase Transition in He⁺
(Ebeling et al.)



H₂ + He



Presence of helium relax phase transition in hydrogen <> presence of hydrogen relax phase transition in helium

Schlages M., Bonitz M, Tschetschjan A. *Contrib. Plasma Phys.* **35** 109 (1995)

(*) Pfaffenzeller O. et al. *PRL* **74** (13) 2599 (1995)

Phase diagram in simple mixture $\text{H}_2 + \text{He}$
could be complicated due to non-congruence

The question is:

What kind of phase transition one can expect
in high- T high- P complex plasma ?



at $T \sim 1 - 20$ kK & $P \sim 1 - 10$ Mbar

Typical composition in planetary science

Five layers (!) model of Saturn's interior

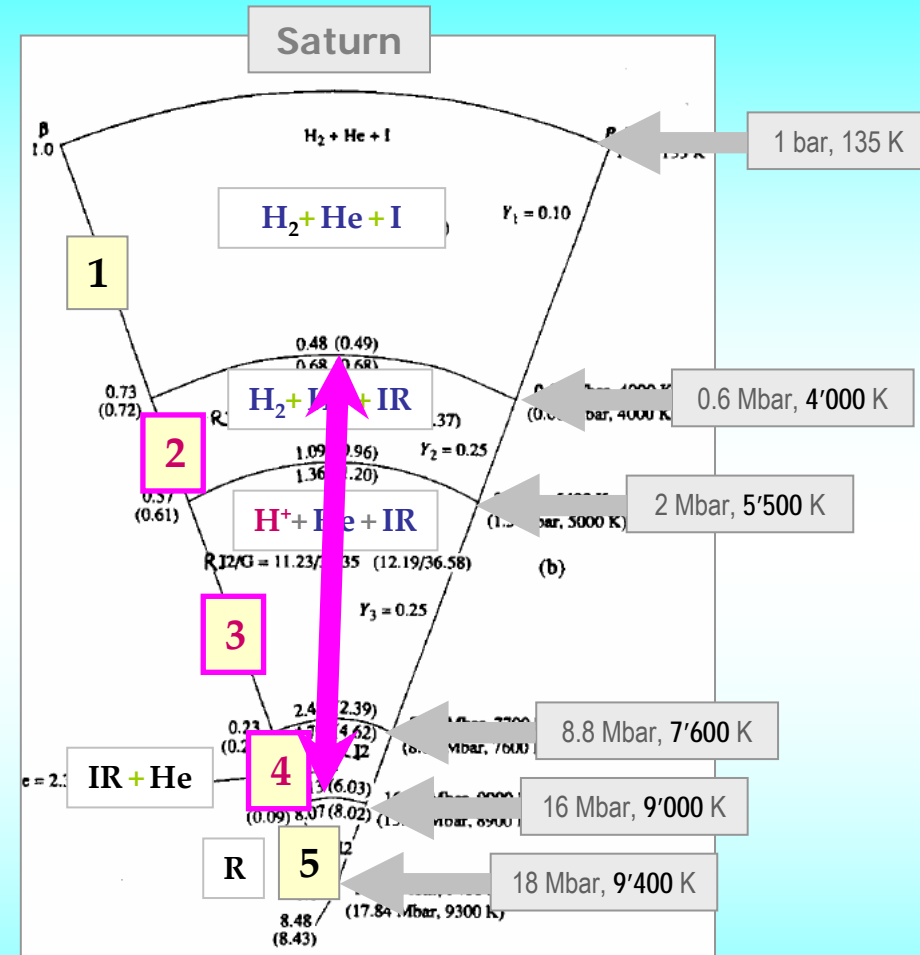
Table 4
Parameters of the models of Saturn

Model	Y_0	Y_1	Z_{2-4}	Z_m	P_{1-2}	$M_{\text{He, core}}$	M_{core}
$Y_1 = 0.06, Y_2 = 0.25, Z_1 = 0.02, I/R = 2.2$							
MS1	0.267	0.00	0.30	3.0	0.42	10.66	16.18
MS2	0.171	0.00	0.40	3.0	0.64	4.58	8.59
MS3	0.225	0.00	0.30	2.0	0.44	9.88	15.06
MS4	0.133	0.00	0.40	2.0	0.67	4.02	7.65
MS5	0.274	0.25	0.30	3.0	0.46	6.33	9.99
MS6	0.187	0.25	0.40	3.0	0.72	0.05	1.03
MS7	0.285	0.25	0.25	2.0	0.43	7.34	10.74
MS8	0.244	0.25	0.25	2.0	0.43	5.05	6.74
MS9	0.322	0.25	0.25	2.0	0.43	7.66	11.16
MS10	0.278	0.25	0.25	2.0	0.43	3.80	6.38
MS11	0.237	0.25	0.25	2.0	0.43	0.41	1.58
MS12	0.293	0.25	0.25	2.0	0.43	3.90	6.15
MS13	0.255	0.25	0.25	2.0	0.43	0.81	2.11
MS14	0.282	0.25	0.25	2.0	0.43	2.60	4.42
MS15	0.249	0.25	0.25	2.0	0.43	0.007	0.76
$Y_1 = 0.10, Y_2 = 0.25, Z_1 = 0.02, I/R = 2.2$							
MS16	0.275	0.10	0.30	3.0	0.42	10.91	16.54
MS17	0.186	0.10	0.40	3.0	0.64	4.98	9.25
MS18	0.234	0.10	0.30	2.0	0.44	10.22	15.55
MS19	0.149	0.10	0.40	2.0	0.67	4.50	8.45
MS20	0.282	0.25	0.30	3.0	0.46	6.69	10.51
MS21	0.202	0.25	0.40	3.0	0.82	0.57	1.9
MS22	0.277	0.25	0.27	2.0	0.56	6.39	9.7
MS23	0.254	0.25	0.30	2.0	0.64	4.49	7.36
MS24	0.277	0.25	0.25	1.5	0.60	6.64	9.8
MS25	0.263	0.25	0.27	1.5	0.66	5.45	8.41
MS26	0.327	0.35	0.25	3.0	0.43	7.93	11.52
MS27	0.287	0.35	0.30	3.0	0.56	4.16	6.89
MS28	0.248	0.35	0.35	3.0	0.71	0.90	2.34
MS29	0.301	0.35	0.25	2.0	0.57	4.39	6.80
MS30	0.266	0.35	0.30	2.0	0.73	1.36	2.89
MS31	0.291	0.35	0.25	1.5	0.71	3.13	5.12
MS32	0.259	0.35	0.30	1.5	0.87	0.48	1.64

H₂ + He
30-40 %
H₂O
NH₃
CH₄
(Fe + Ni)

Gudkova T. & Zharkov V.

Planetary and Space Science 47 (1999) (1999)

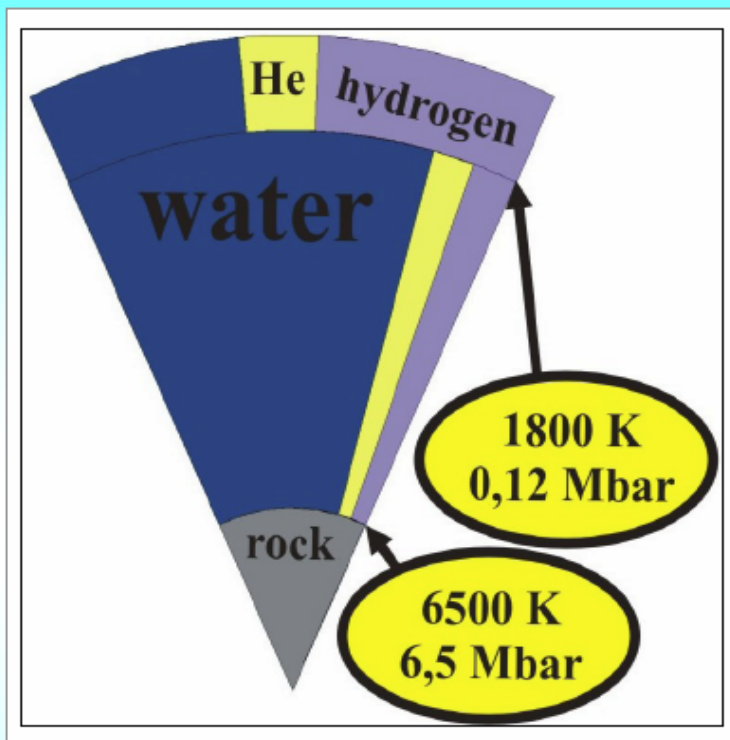
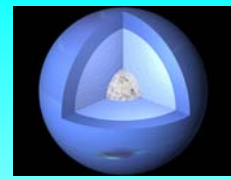
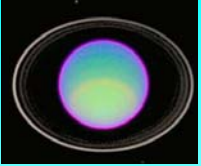


I = "Ices" (H₂O, NH₃, CH₄) **R** = Rocks + Fe + Ni

Y_i = mass fraction He

Z_i = mass fraction (H₂O, NH₃, CH₄ + Fe + Ni)

H₂O, CH₄, NH₃ in giant planets



Neptune

After N.Nettelmann, R.Redmer *et al.* (2007)

Chemical composition of Neptune [1]:

- 56% water
- 36% methane
- 8% ammonia

W. Hubbard. *Science*, 214 (1981)

“Hot-water” extrasolar planet GJ436b

GJ436b

Star: - Gliese 436 (RD)

M ~ 22M_O

R ~ 4R_O

ΔT ~ 2,6 days (!)

T_{Surf.} ~ 500 K

Main Comp. – H₂O

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(Discovered in 2007)

Phase diagram in simple mixture $\text{H}_2 + \text{He}$
may be very complicated due to non-congruence

The question is:

What kind of phase transition one can expect
in high- T high- P complex plasma ?



at $T \sim 1 - 20$ kK & $P \sim 1 - 10$ Mbar

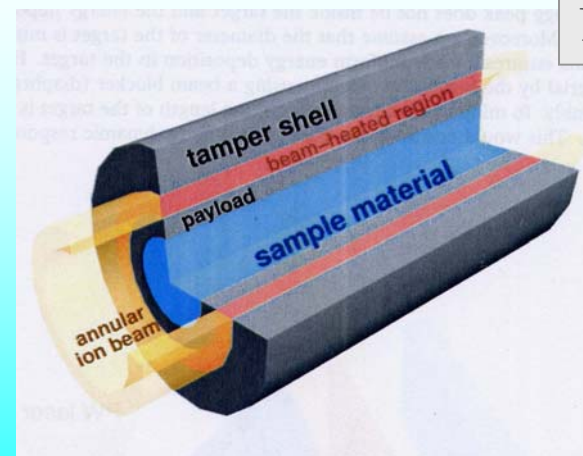
Typical composition in planetary science



Conclusions *and* perspectives

- **Non-congruence** of phase transitions in H_2 / **He** mixture can 'provoke' to the $\text{H} \leftrightarrow \text{He}$ separation in interiors of Jovian and Extrasolar planets and Brown Dwarfs.
- **New experiments** are desirable for study of discussed non-congruence for phase transition in H_2 / **He** / H_2O / NH_3 / CH_4 / mixture.

- **Heavy Ion Beam** volumetric heating is very promising tool for adiabatic compression of the H_2 / **He** / H_2O / NH_3 / CH_4 mixture just under conditions of **Jovian** and **Extrasolar planets** and **Brown Dwarfs**.



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EMMI : *Cosmic Matter in the Laboratory*

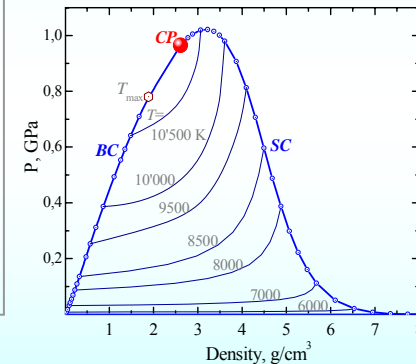
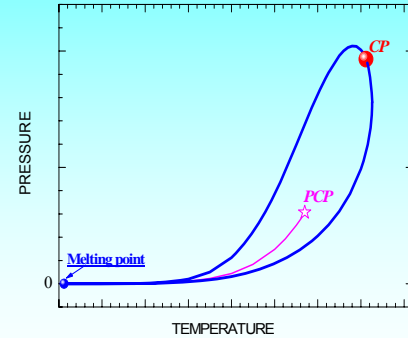
Non-congruence in general

Hypothetical non-congruent phase transitions

(*short list - Swedish buffet*)

Terrestrial applications:

- **Uranium- and Plutonium-bearing compounds:**
 - UO_2 , PuO_2 , UC , UN , ... etc.,
- **Metallic alloys:** ($Li-K-Na$,...etc.)
- **Oxides:** (SiO_2 ...etc.)
- **Hydrides of metals** (LiH ,... etc.)
- **Ionic liquids and molten salts:**
 - alkali halides ($NaCl$, ... etc.), ammonium halides (NH_4Cl ... etc.)
- **“Dusty” and Colloid plasmas:**
(Coulomb system of macro-ions $+Z$ and micro-ions: $+1, -1$)



Non-Congruence in Cosmic Matter:

- **Plasma Phase Transitions in mixture:** H_2 / He / H_2O / NH_3 / CH_4
in **Giant Planets, Brown Dwarfs** and **Extra-Solar Planets,**
- **Phase Transitions in White Dwarfs,**
- **Phase Transitions in Neutron Stars,**
- **Phase Transitions in “Strange” Stars** (quark-hadron transition ... etc.)

EMMI : Cosmic Matter in the Laboratory

The question is:

What kind of phase transition one can expect
in high- T _high- P complex plasma ?





Exploration of the Moon Continues!

LCROSS Lunar CRater Observation and Sensing Satellite



What kind of phase transition one can expect in high- T _high- P complex plasma?



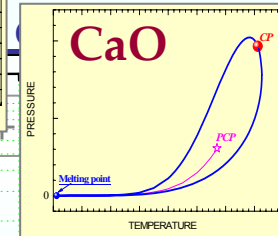
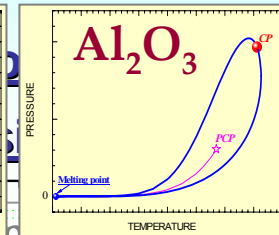
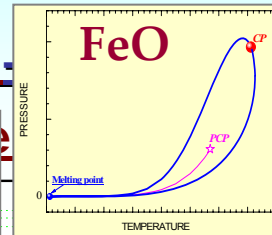
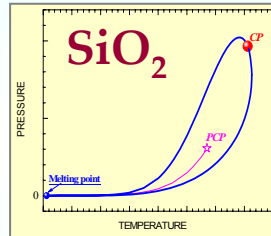
$T \sim eV$ & $P \sim GPa$

The question is open

Impact - June 2, 2009

km/h \Leftrightarrow Impact plume ~ 50 km high

1st Stage

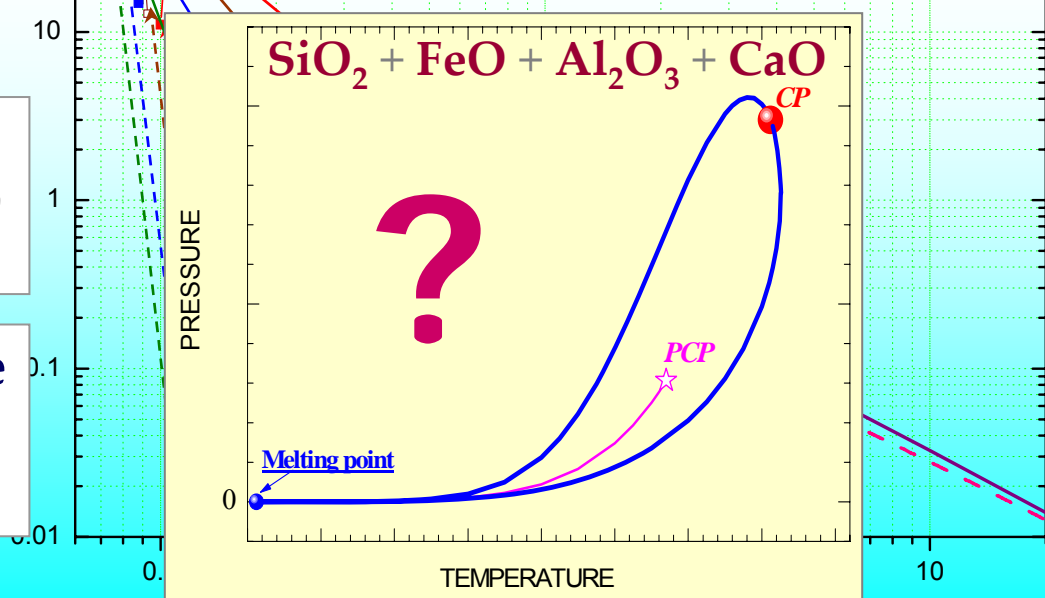


Transition

NB !

Phase transition in each constituent (SiO_2 , FeO , Al_2O_3 , CaO ...) must be *non-congruent* !

Phase transitions in the mixture must be *non-congruent* moreover !





Conclusions *and* perspectives

- **Non-congruence** of phase transitions in $\text{SiO}_2 + \text{FeO} + \text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 + \text{CaO}$ (+ H_2O) mixture can 'provoke' to the $\text{Si} \Leftrightarrow \text{O} \Leftrightarrow \text{Fe} \Leftrightarrow \text{Al} \Leftrightarrow \text{Ca}$ (+ H_2O) () separation in the *high-T_high-P impact plume* of Lunar ground in **LCROSS** experiment.
- **New experiments** are desirable for study of discussed non-congruence for phase transition in $\text{SiO}_2 + \text{FeO} + \text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 + \text{CaO}$ mixture.

- **Heavy Ion Beam** heating is very promising tool for isochoric compression *and* adiabatic release of the $\text{SiO}_2 / \text{FeO} / \text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 / \text{CaO}$ mixture just under conditions of **LCROSS** experiment.

HIHEX

- **Surface Laser Heating** (PHELIX) is very promising tool for non-congruent evaporation *and* expansion in the $\text{SiO}_2 / \text{FeO} / \text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 / \text{CaO}$ mixture just under conditions of **LCROSS** experiment.

PHELIX

High-Temperature evaporation in SiO_2 - is it congruent or not ?

Fast Optical Discharge Propagation through Optical Fibres under kW-Range Laser Radiation

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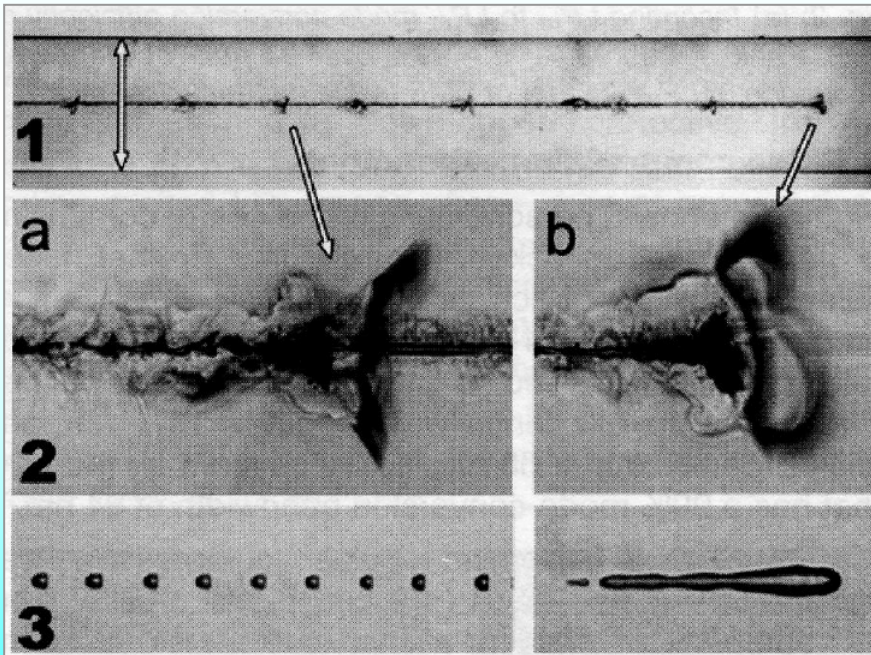
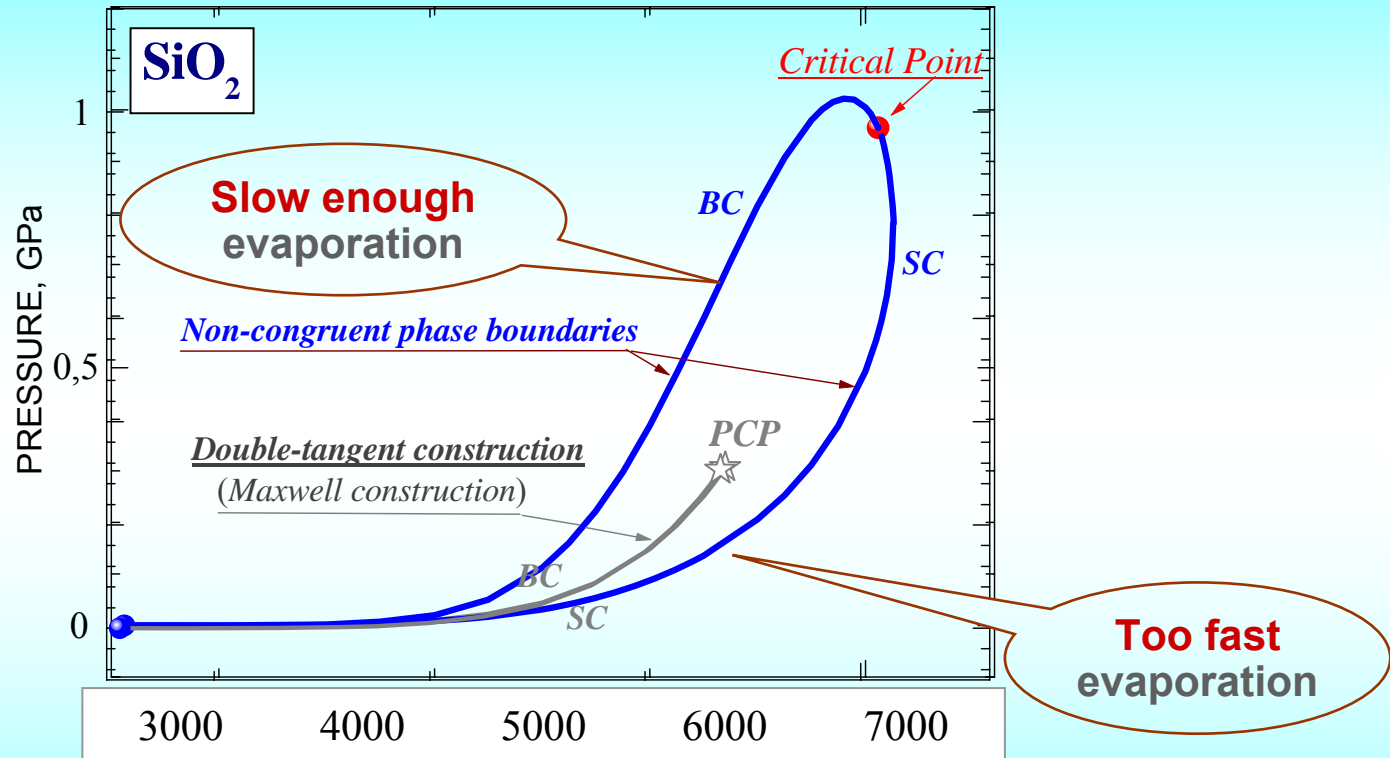


Fig.1. Pictures of F2 fibre after OD propagation. 1–damaged core of the fibre after fast OD propagation. The double-sided arrow indicates 600µm diameter of the fibre. 2–damages of the fibre core on an enlarged scale (the vertical dimension of the frame is 100µm): 2a–region of intermediate stop of OD, 2b–final stop point of fast OD. 3–for comparison: damaged fibre core after slow OD propagation: 3a–at the distance of 1mm from the stop point, 3b– stop point of the slow OD after laser beam cut off by mechanical shutter. The scale is the same as for part 2. In all frames the laser radiation propagated from right to left.

High-Temperature evaporation in SiO_2 - is it congruent or not ?



Parameters of non-congruent evaporation in SiO_2
strongly depend on the *rapidity* of phase transformation !

Non-congruence in exotic situations

(di scussi on)



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Non-congruence in exotic situations

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Non-congruence in compact stars

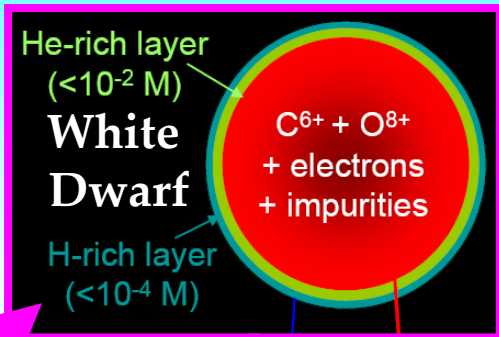
The New Physics of Compact Stars



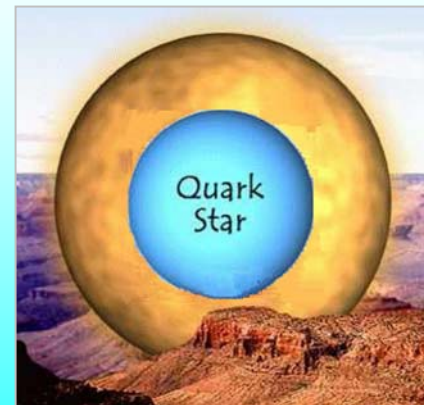
Compact stars

White dwarfs, Neutron stars, "Strange" (quark) stars, Hybrid stars

Neutron and "Strange" Stars



Hybrid Stars
 Quark core + Hadron Crust



$\leftarrow R \sim 10 \text{ km} \rightarrow$

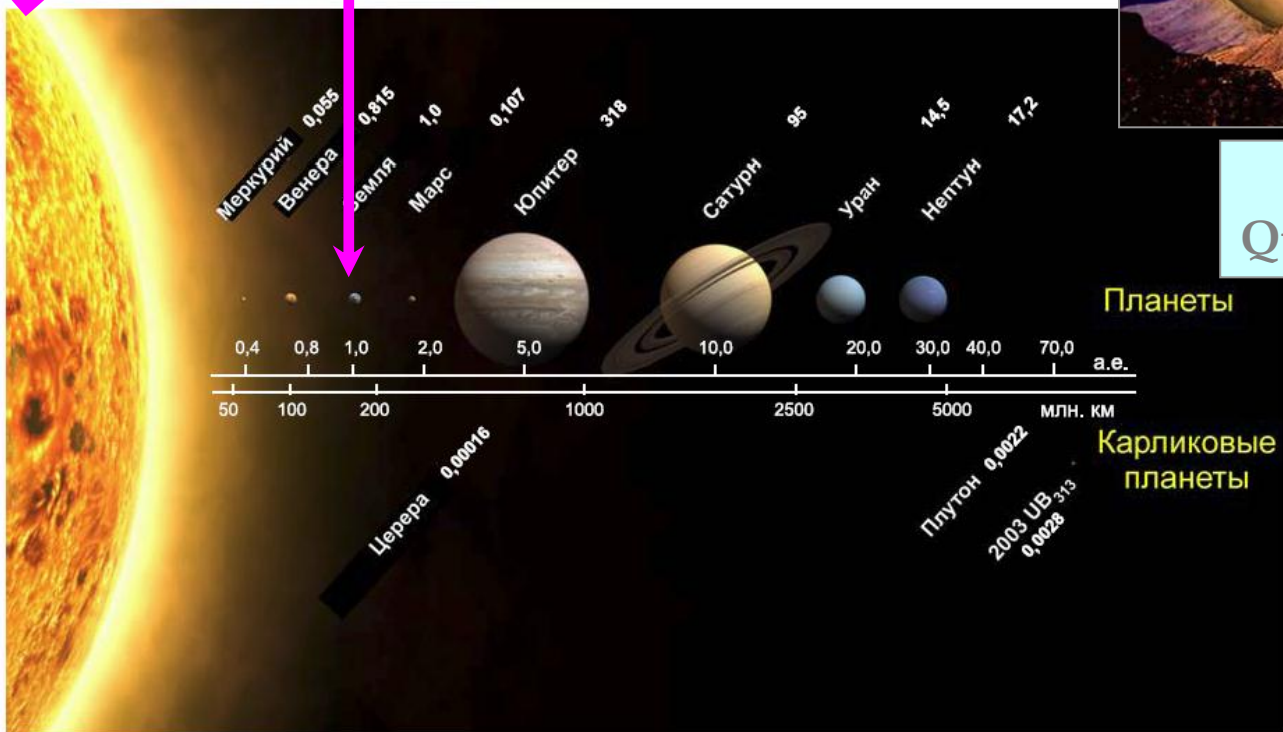
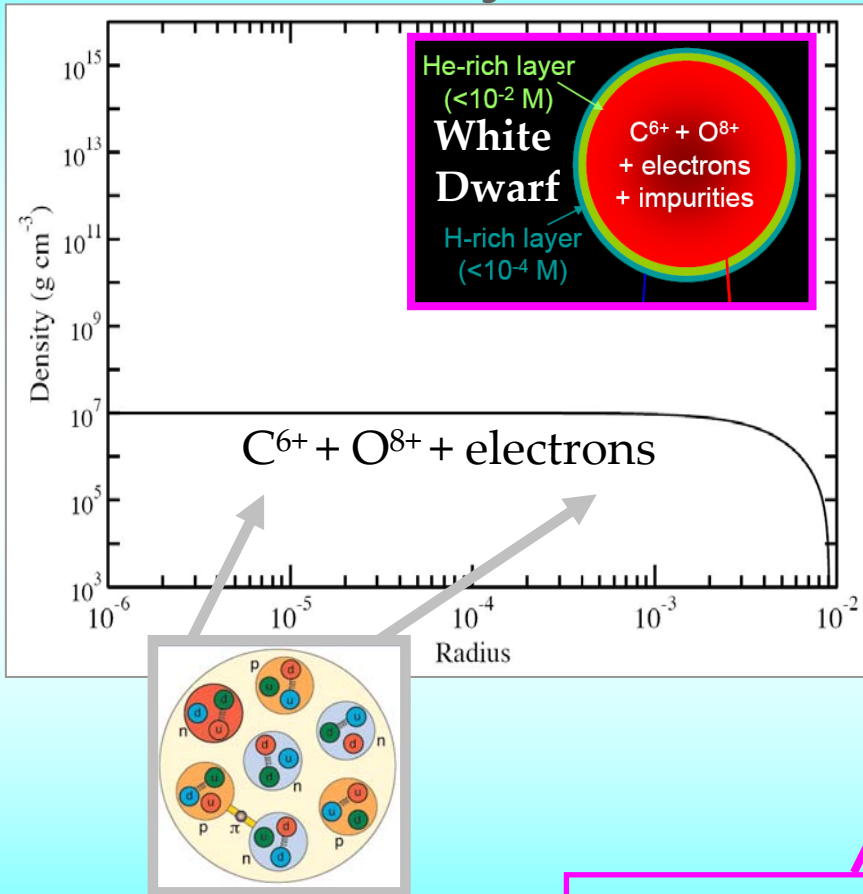


Рис. 65. Массы планет (в единицах массы Земли) и их среднее расстояние от Солнца [371]

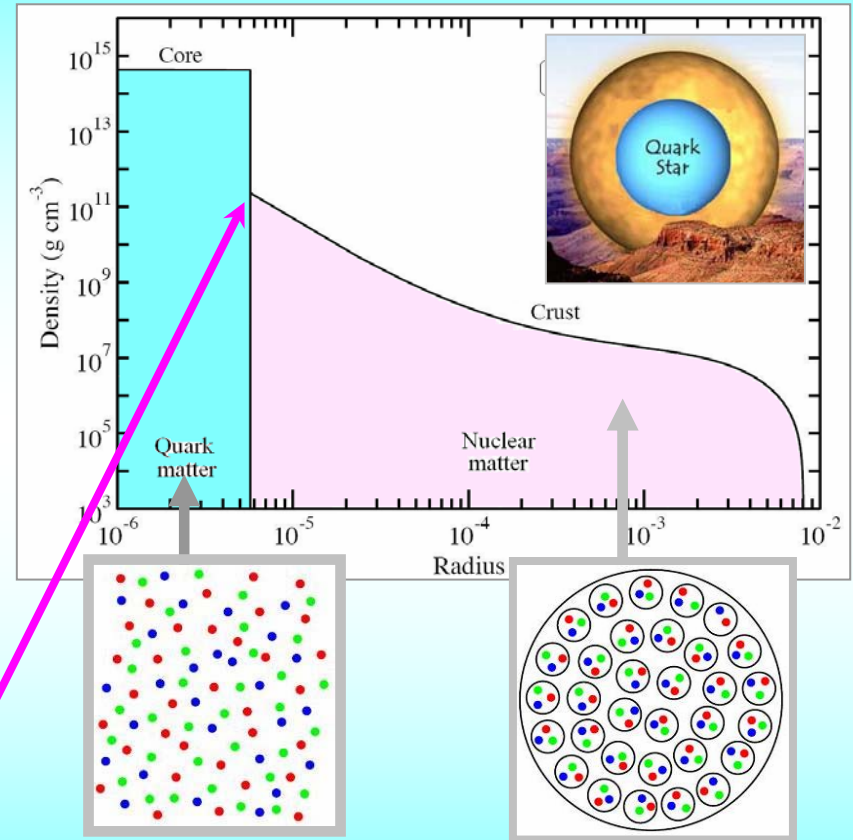
Hybrid ("strange") white dwarfs

Mathews G., Weber F. et al. *J. Phys. G*, 32, (2006) - *White dwarfs with strange-matter cores*

Ordinary WD



Strange WD



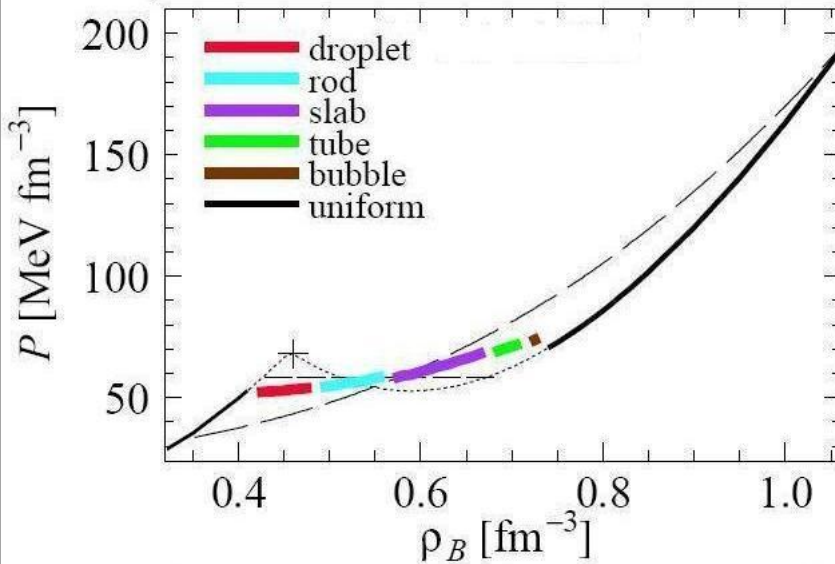
Phase transition ?

Jump-like ?

or Extended ?

Hypothetical phase transitions in interior of compact stars: are they CONGRUENT or NON-CONGRUENT ?

Pasta structures in compact stars



Maruyama T., Tatsumi T., Endo T., Chiba S.
/arXiv:nucl-th/0605075v2 /2006/

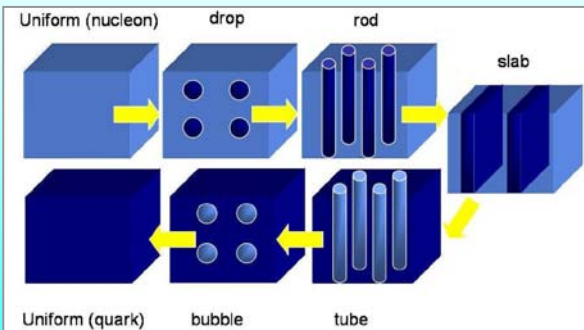
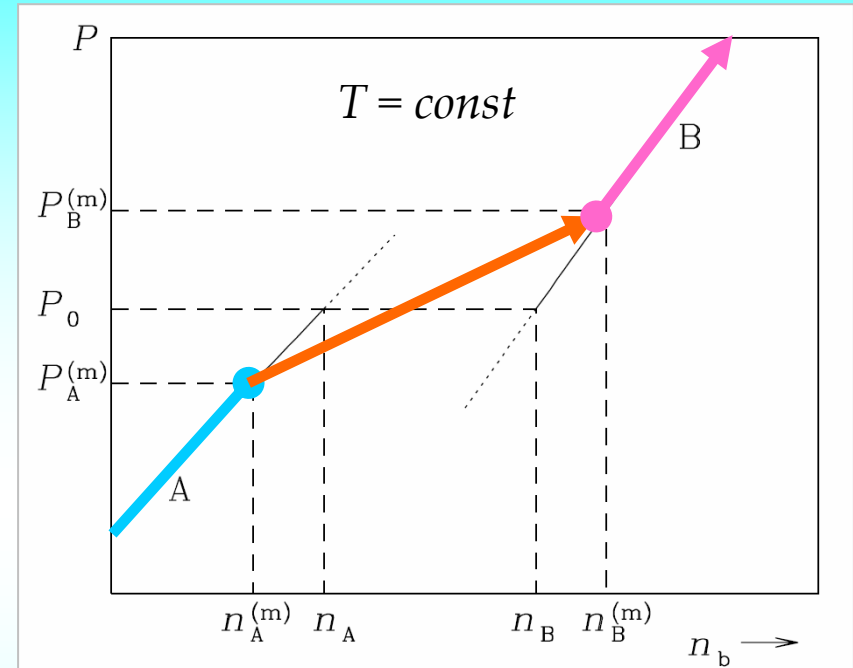
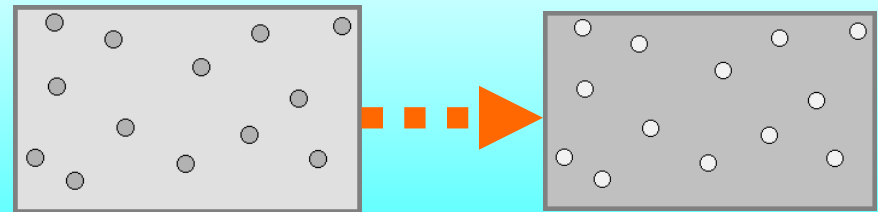


Figure 2: Schematic image of structured mixed phase.

Endo T., Maruyama T., Chiba S., Tatsumi T.
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First quark droplets
in hadron matter

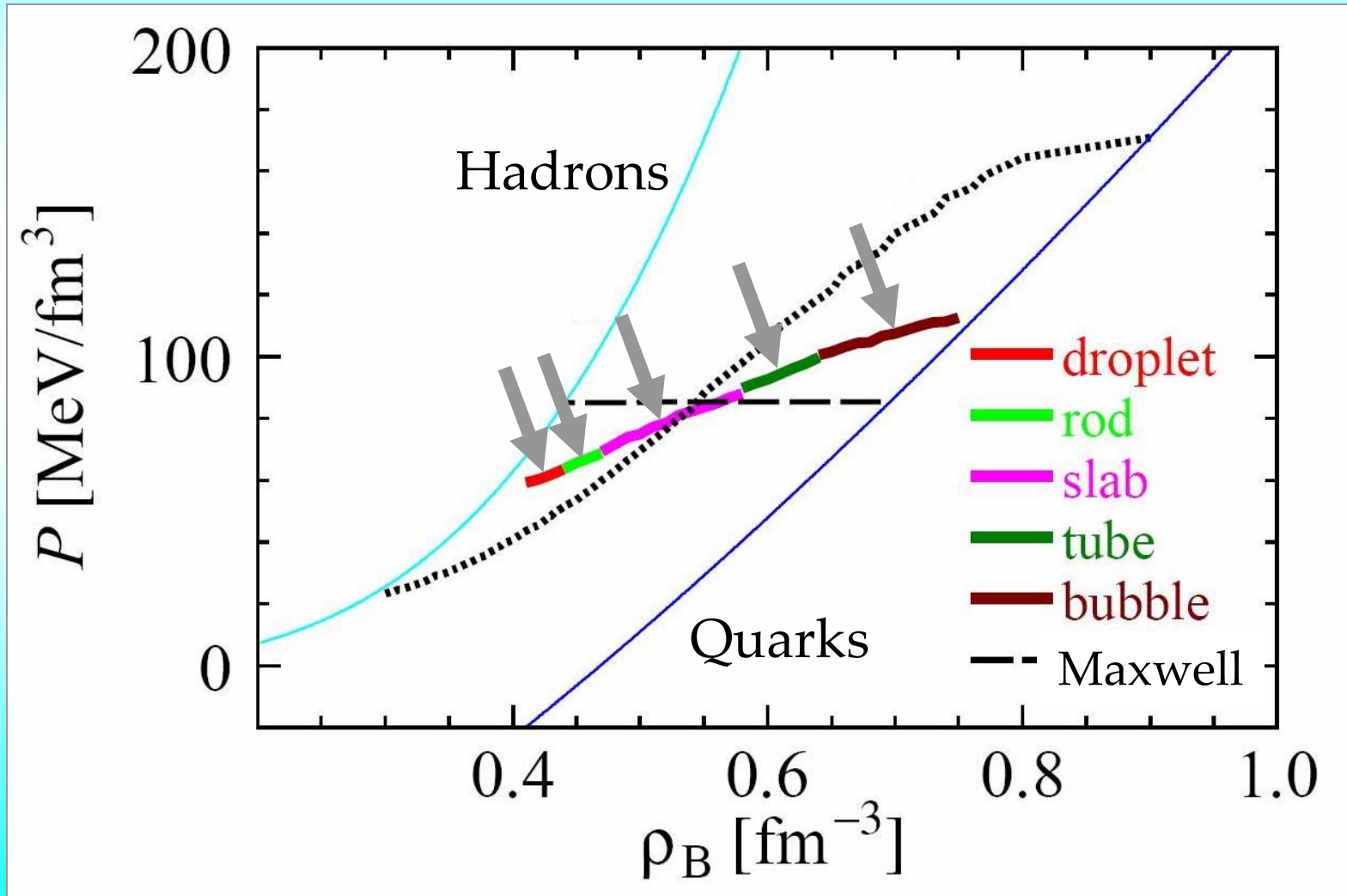


Last hadron bubbles
in quark matter

Structured Mixed Phase Concept \Leftrightarrow "Pasta"

The sequence of five (or more ?) phase transitions !

Uniform (nucleons) \rightarrow Drops \rightarrow Rods \rightarrow Slabs \rightarrow Bubbles \rightarrow Uniform (quarks)



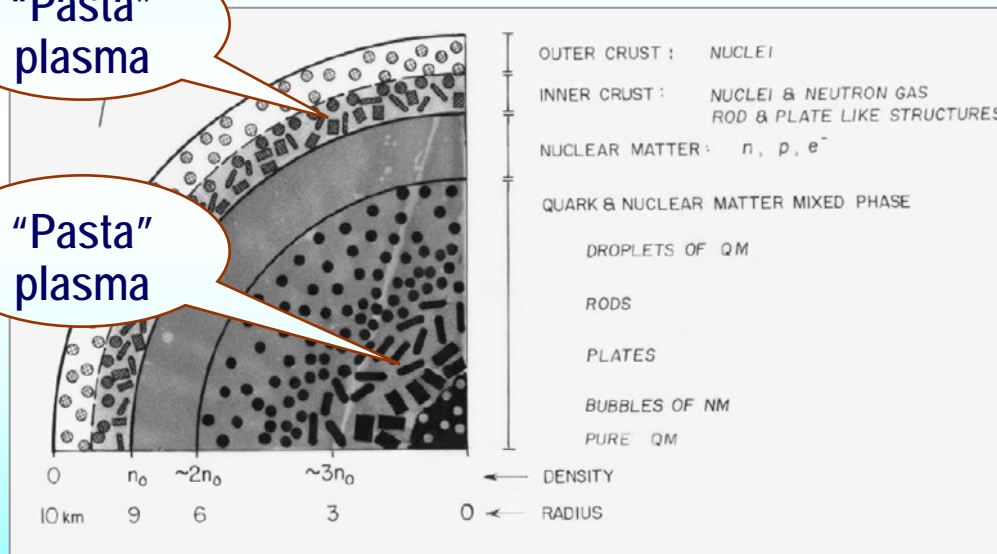
Structured Mixed Phase \Leftrightarrow "Pasta" plasma

'Pasta' plasma – hadron-quark phase transition in interior of neutron stars
(‘Mixed phase’ of Glendenning *et al.* 1992)

- Charged quark droplets (rods, slabs) in equilibrium hadron matter
- Charged hadron bubbles (tubes, slabs) in equilibrium quark matter

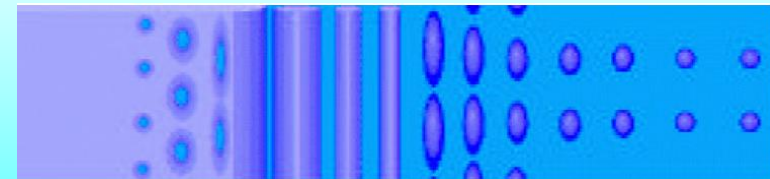
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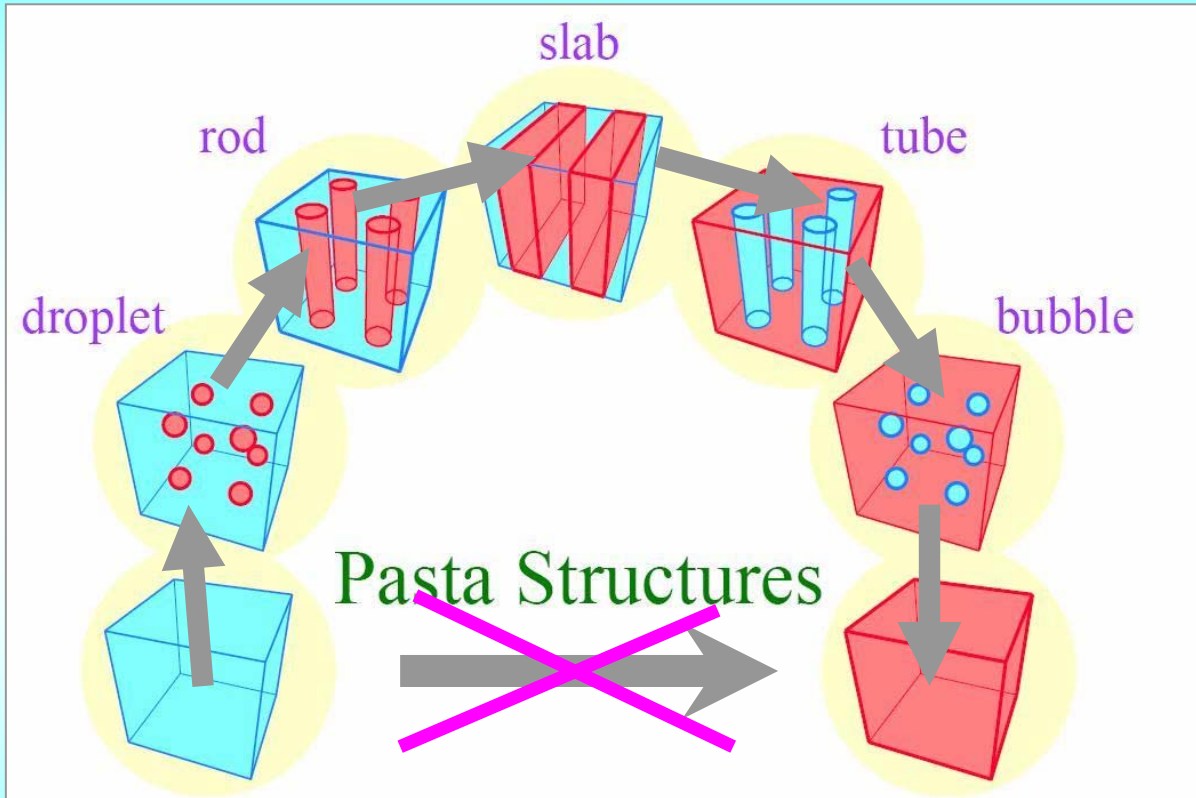
Heiselberg *and* Hjorth-Jensen
Phase Transitions in Neutron Stars
arXiv:astro-ph/9802028v1 (1998)

T.Maruyama, T.Tatsumi, T.Endo, S.Chiba
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"Pasta" plasma:- "Spaghetti" phase, "Lasagne" phase

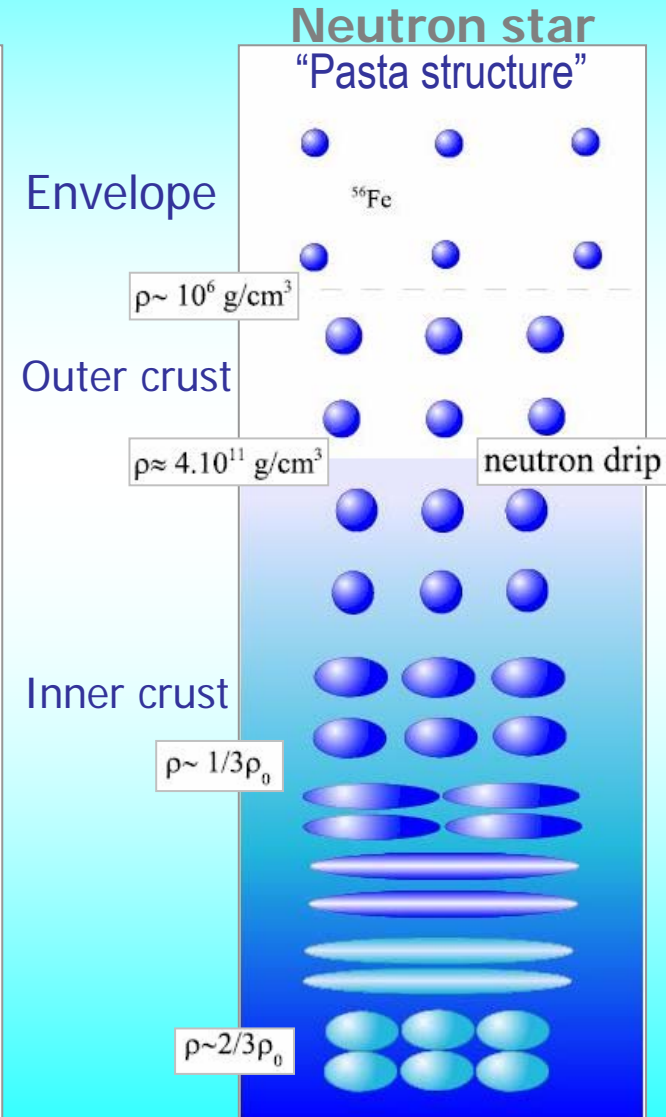
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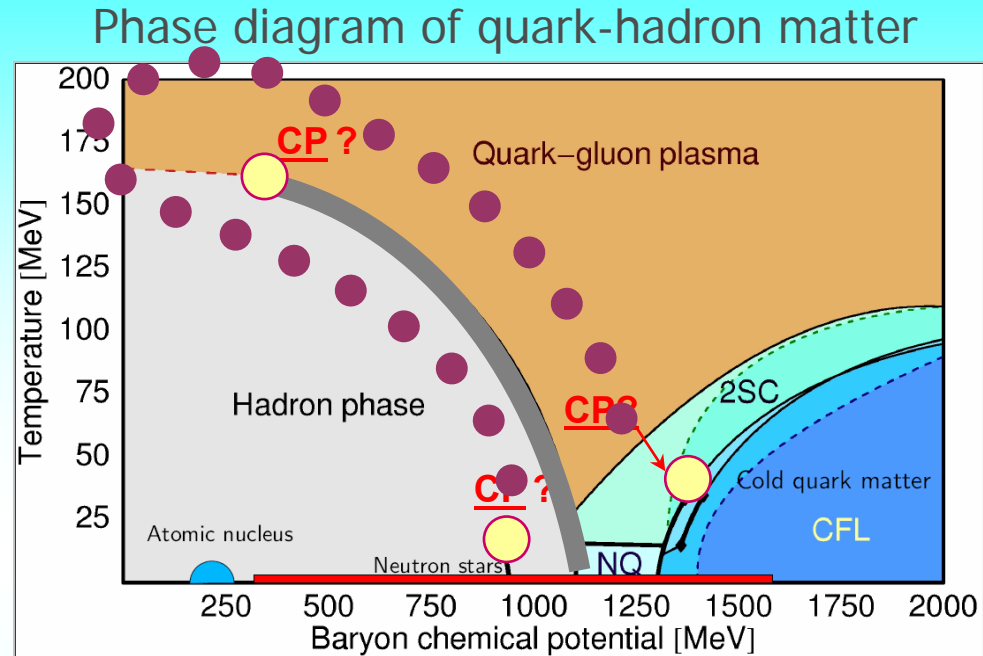
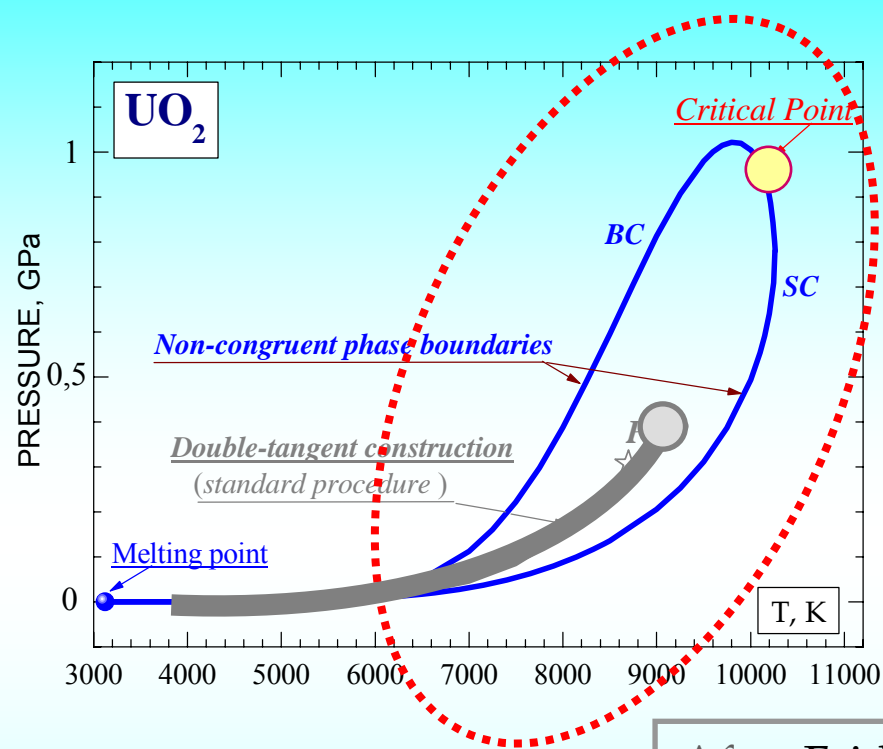
Schematic picture of pasta structures. Phase transition from blue phase (left-bottom) to red phase (right-bottom) is considered.

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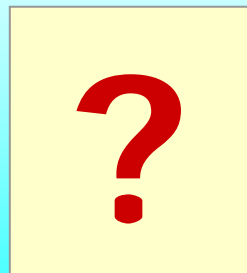
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Hypothetical phase transitions in ultra-dense matter: are they CONGRUENT or NON-CONGRUENT ?



After Fridolin Weber, WEHS Seminar, Bad Honnef, 2006
After David Blaschke, WEHS Seminar, Bad Honnef, 2007



- - Forced-congruent phase transition
- ■ ■ ■ ■ - Non-congruent phase transition

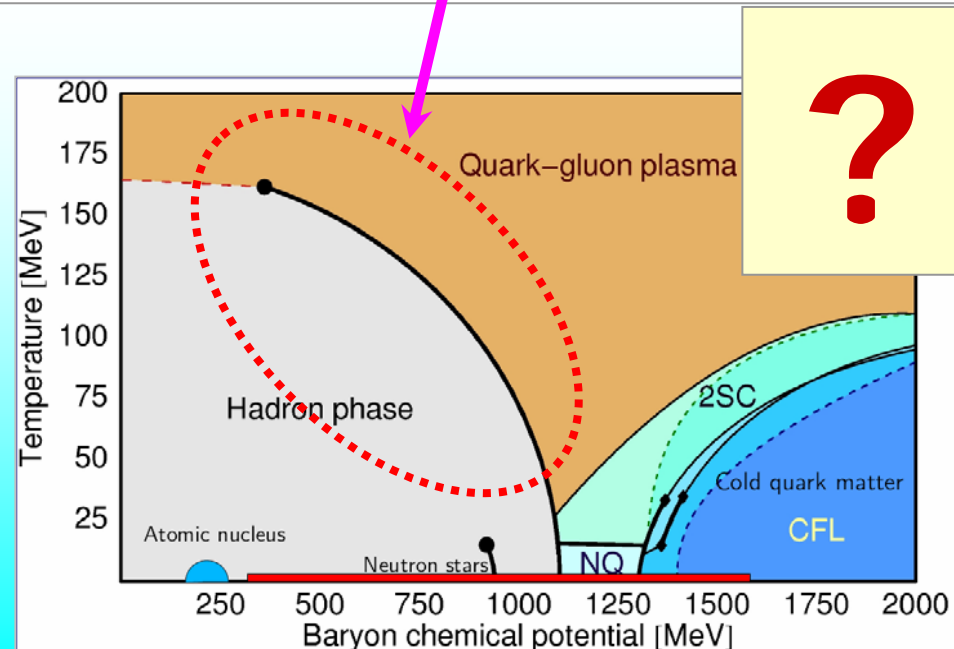
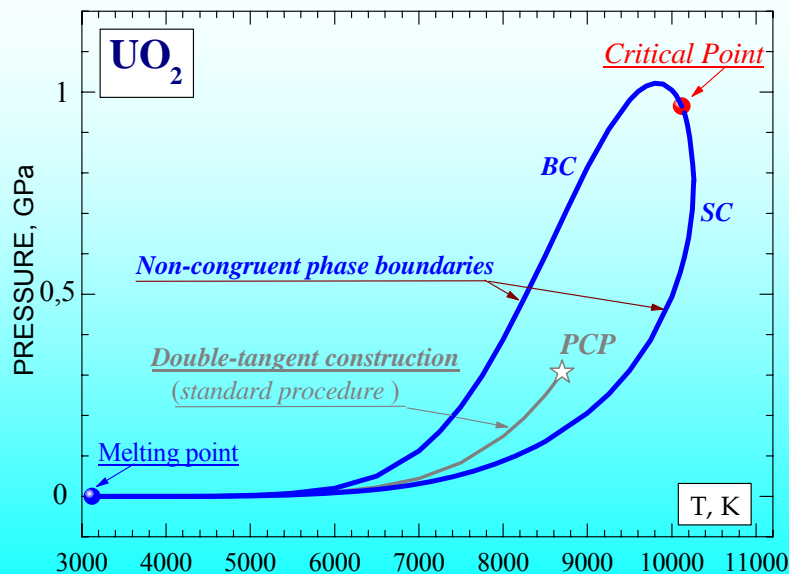
Evaporation of strange matter in the early Universe

Alcock C., Farhi E. (PRD, 1985)

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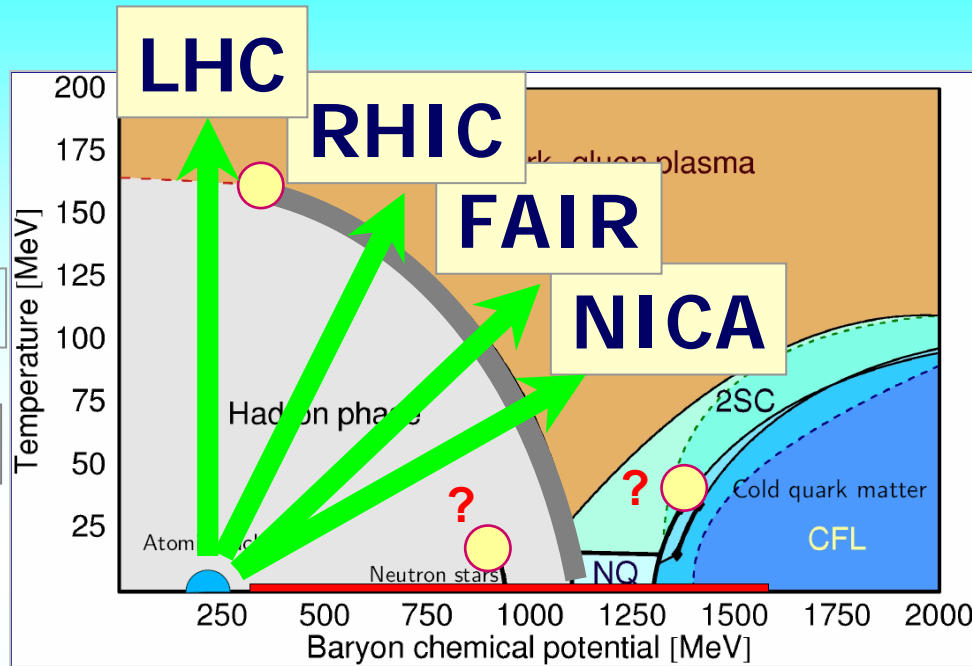
Strange matter, a stable form of quark matter containing a large fraction of strange quarks, may have been copiously produced when the Universe had a temperature of ~ 100 MeV. We study the evaporation of lumps of strange matter as the Universe cooled to 1 MeV. Only lumps with baryon number larger than $\sim 10^{22}$ could survive. This places a severe restriction on scenarios for strange-

Strange matter is a form of quark matter that has been conjectured to be stable at zero temperature. If heated to a temperature $T \geq 2$ MeV, a strange-matter lump evaporates nucleons from its surface. We show that at higher temperatures ($T \geq 20$ MeV), strange matter *boils*, with bubbles of hadronic gas forming and growing throughout the interior. Strange matter, or any other phase which resembles strange matter, could not have survived this process in the early Universe.



Hypothetical phase transitions in ultra-dense matter

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Quark-Hadron Phase Diagram

LHC – CERN

RHIC – Brookhaven

FAIR – Darmstadt

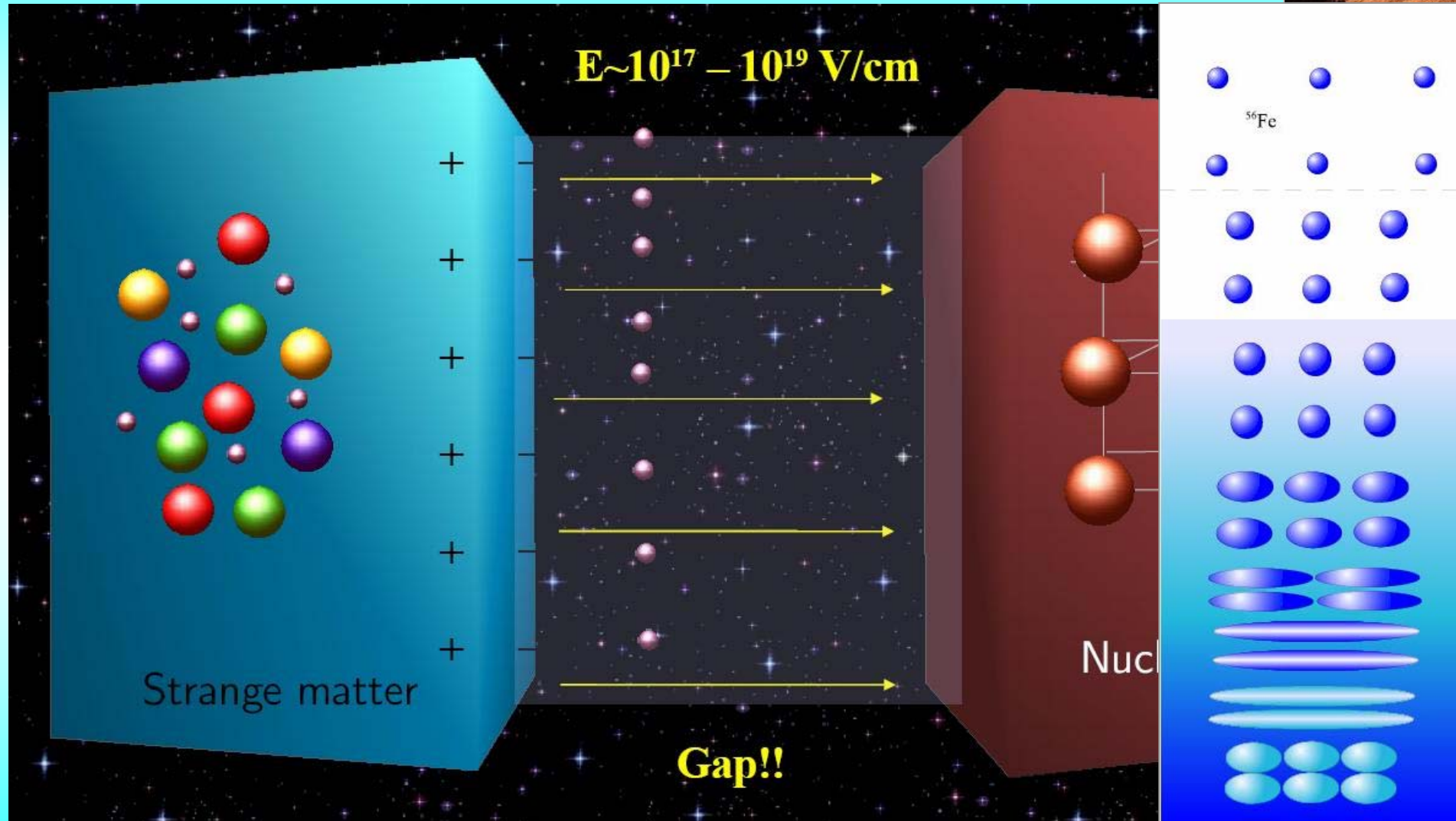
NICA – Dubna

Nuclotron Ion Collider facility
JINR, Dubna

The problem of non-congruence for the Quark-Hadron phase transition is relevant !

Electrostatics of Quark-Hadron Interface

Nuclear Crust on Strange Matter



After Fridolin Weber, WEH Seminar, Bad Honnef, 2006

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Conclusions *and* Perspectives

- **Non-congruent** phase transition is **general** phenomenon.

- **Non-congruent** phase transition is **universal** phenomenon.

- **Non-congruent** phase transition is **interesting** phenomenon.

- It is **promising** to investigate non-congruent phase transitions **experimentally** in particular with **intense laser** and **heavy ion** heating

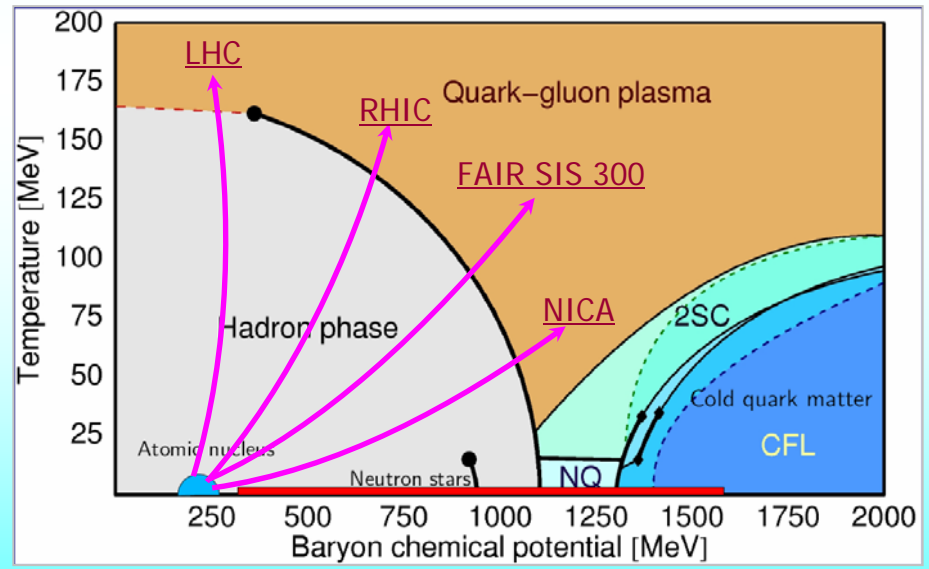
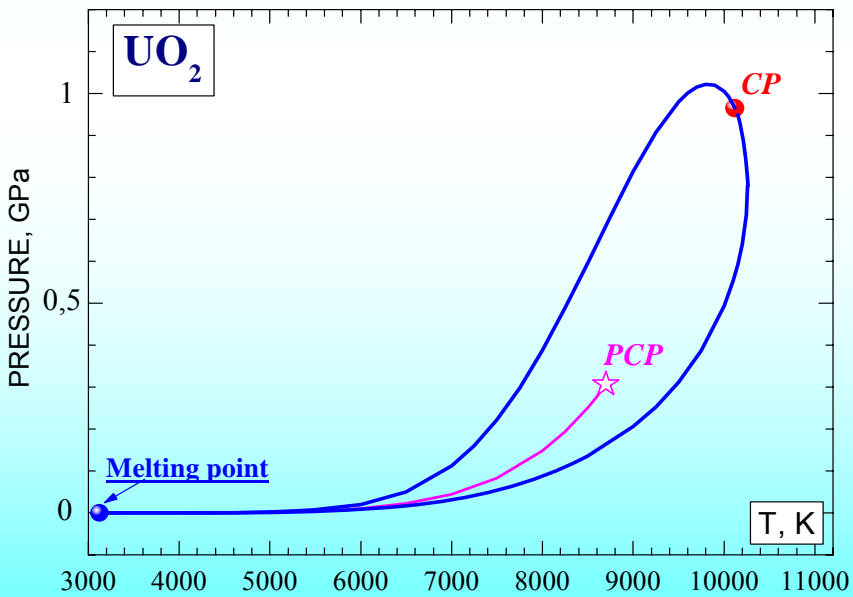
- It is **promising** to investigate non-congruent phase transitions in **direct numerical simulations** ("numerical experiment") DFT_MD, PIMC, WP_MD...

- If one takes into account hypothetical **non-congruence** of **phase transitions** in **cosmic matter** objects (*planets, compact stars etc.*) he should **revise** totally the **scenario** of all **phase transformations** in these objects.



Non-Congruent Phase Transitions in Cosmic Matter and Laboratory

Thank you!



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