

# *Supernova neutrino detection in KamLAND*

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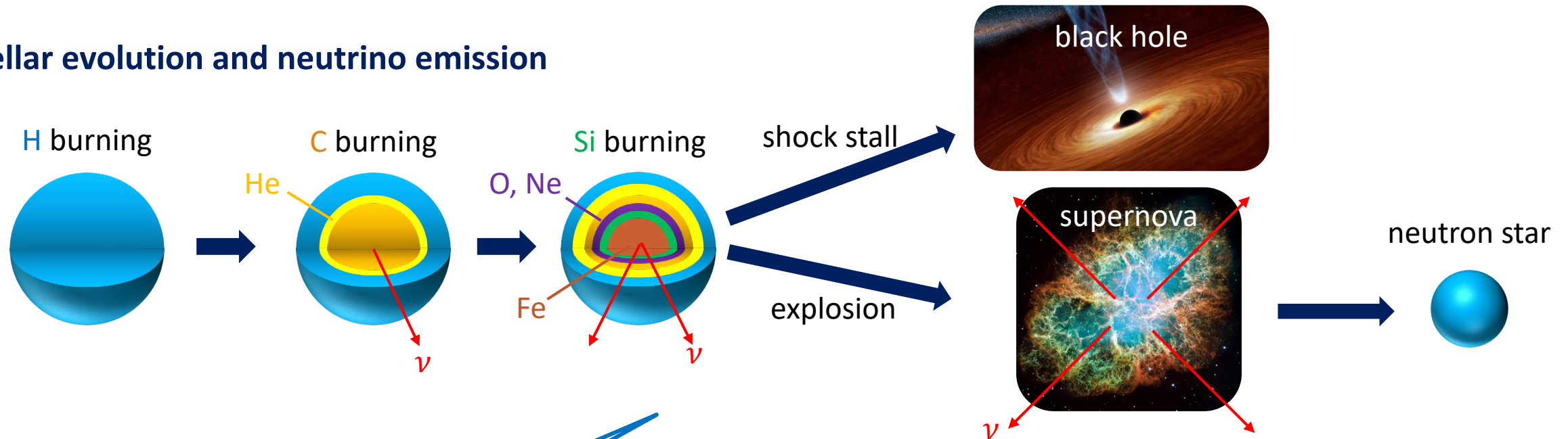
# The KamLAND collaboration

~50 researchers from US,  
Netherlands, and Japan



# Introduction (1)

## Stellar evolution and neutrino emission



## Motivations

### Pre-supernova neutrino (pre-SN $\nu$ )

- ✓ Later phase of stellar evolution

### Supernova neutrino (SN $\nu$ )

- ✓ Explosion mechanism
- ✓ Neutrino mass hierarchy
- ✓ (Galactic) star formation rate

### Supernova relic neutrino (SRN)

- ✓ Explosion mechanism
- ✓ Cosmic history

**Important information can be obtained from above neutrino observations.**

integration of past SN $\nu$ s



# Introduction (2)

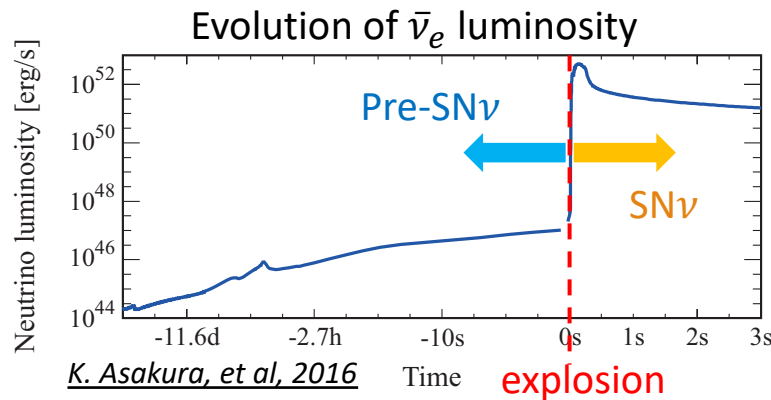
## Properties of various types of SN $\nu$ s

### Pre-SN $\nu$

- ✓ Increasing number of events  
→ Alarm of the explosion
- ✓ Average energy  $\sim 1$  MeV

### SN $\nu$

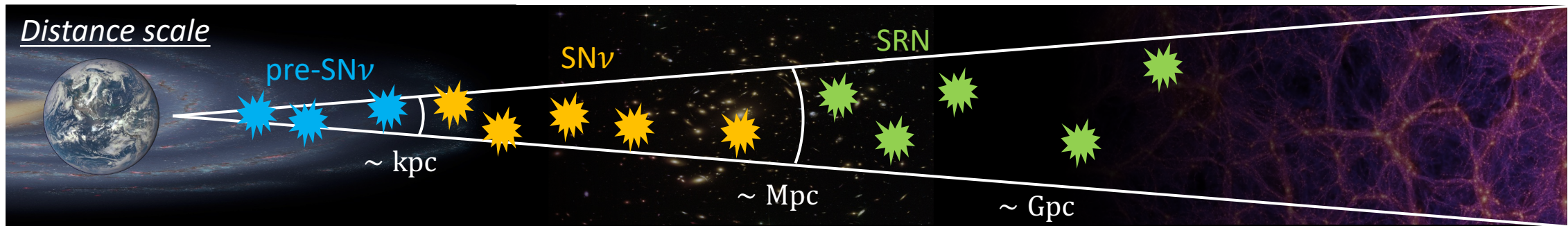
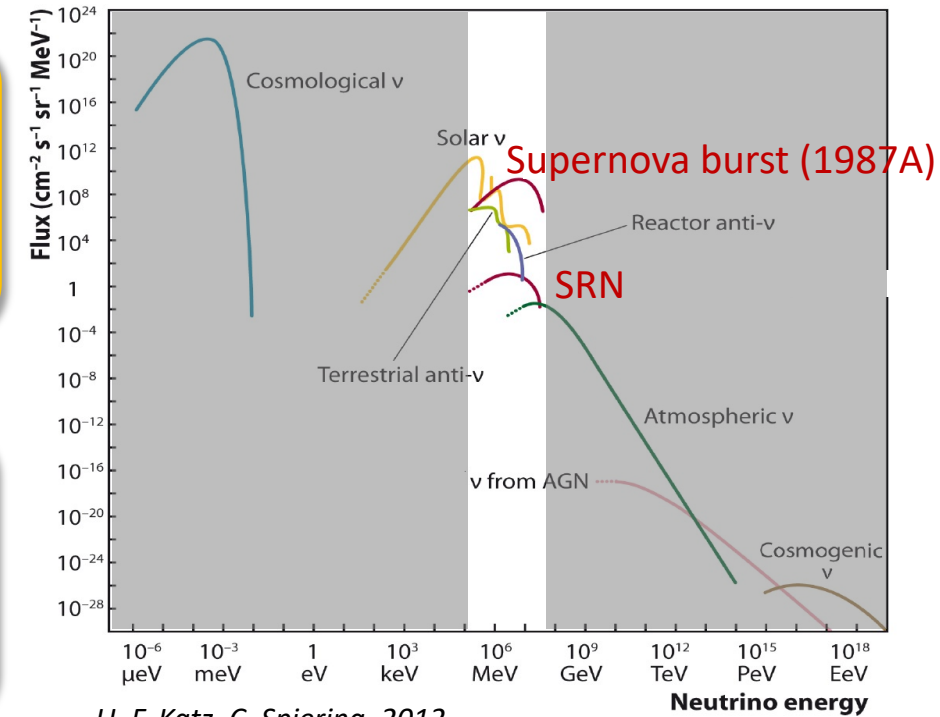
- ✓ Burst events
- ✓ Only once observed (from SN1987A)
- ✓ Average energy  $\sim 10$  MeV



### SRN

- ✓ Exist constantly in the universe
- ✓ No observation
- ✓ “Golden window” 10–30 MeV

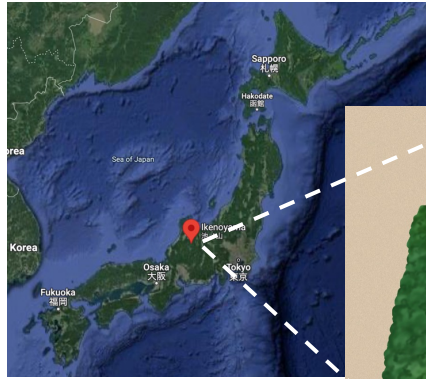
## Unified neutrino fluxes



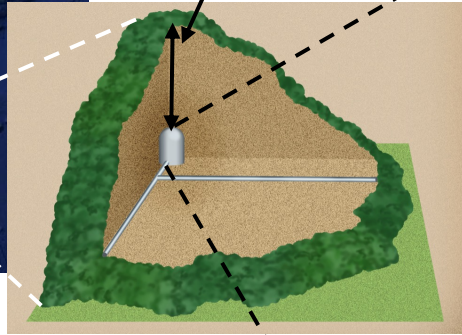


# Kamioka Liquid-scintillator Anti-Neutrino Detector (KamLAND)

Located in Kamioka @Japan



1000 m underground

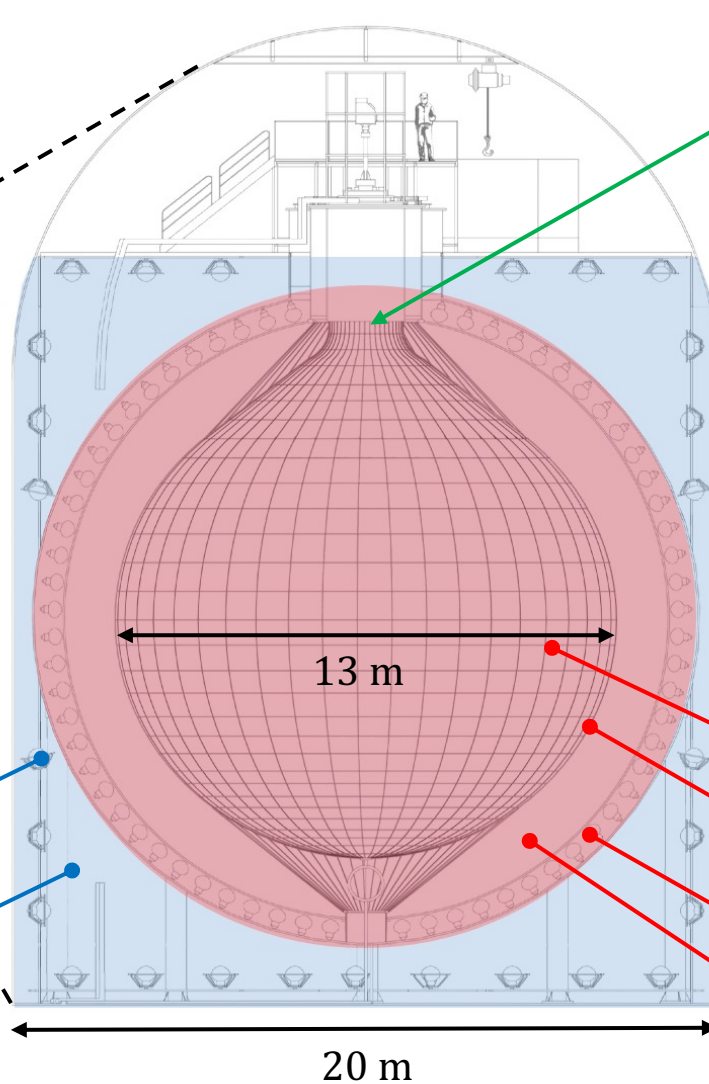


## Outer detector

Cherenkov light is used for the muon veto.

20-inch PMTs

Purified water



## Miniballoon

( $0\nu\beta\beta$  search has been performed during KamLAND-Zen period.)

## Inner detector

Scintillation light is used for the physics event observation.

1 kton Liquid Scintillator (LS)

20 m Nylon/EVOH balloon

17 & 20-inch PMTs

Buffer oil

**KamLAND has a significant sensitivity to MeV-energy neutrinos.**



# SN $\nu$ detection channel

## Inverse Beta Decay (IBD) $\bar{\nu}_e + p \rightarrow n + e^+$

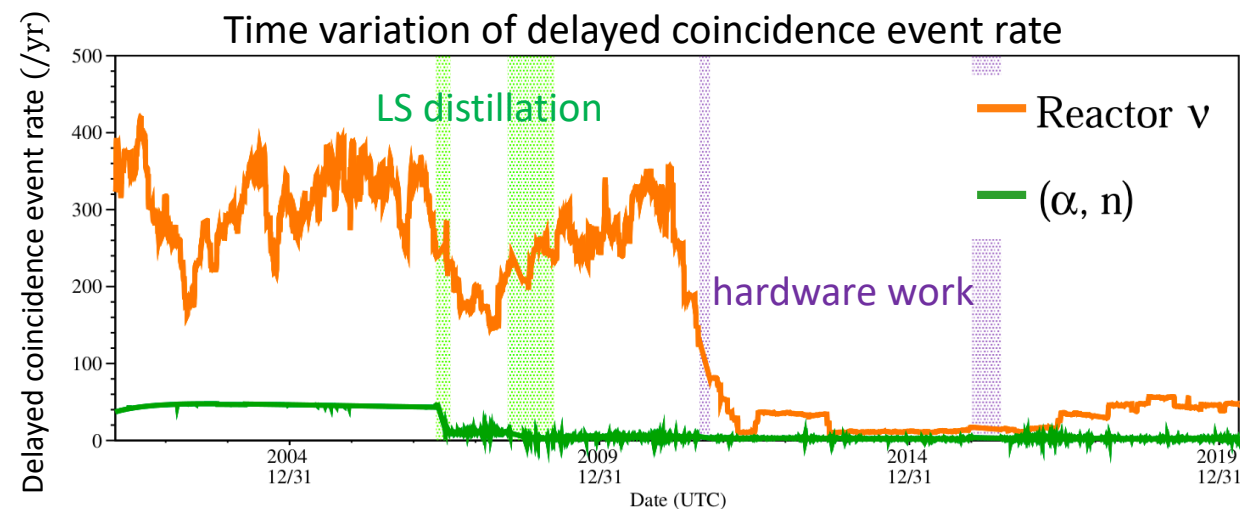
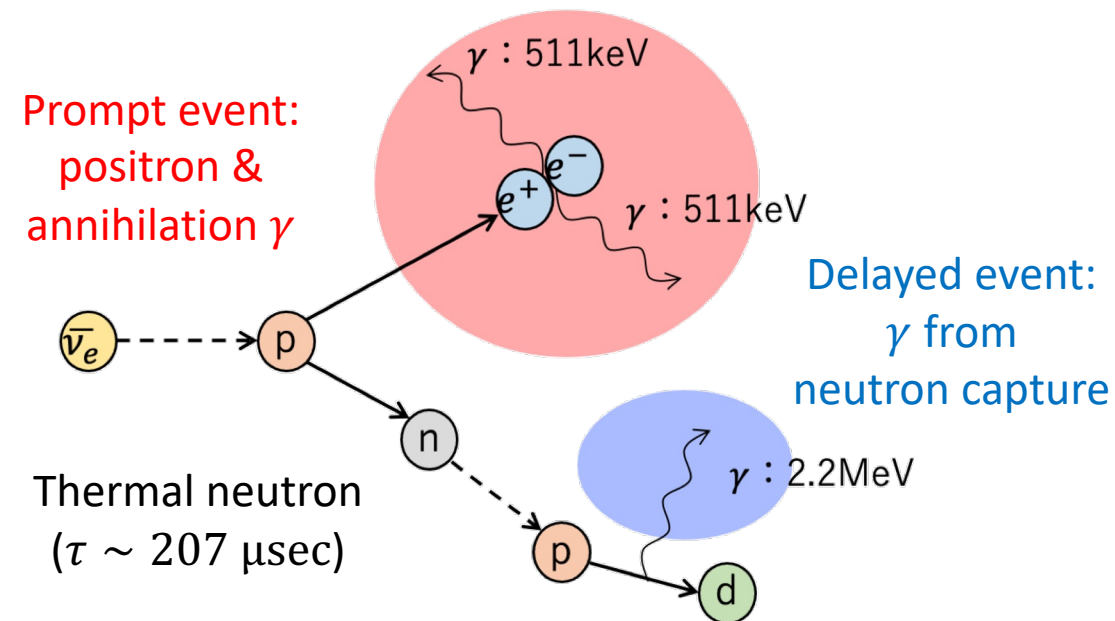
- Neutrino energy can be reconstructed from the observed energy.

$$E_\nu \simeq E_{\text{prompt}} + T_n + 0.78 \text{ [MeV]}$$

- Space-time correlations of sequential events are used for background reduction (**delayed coincidence**).

## Delayed coincidence events (except for SN $\nu$ event)

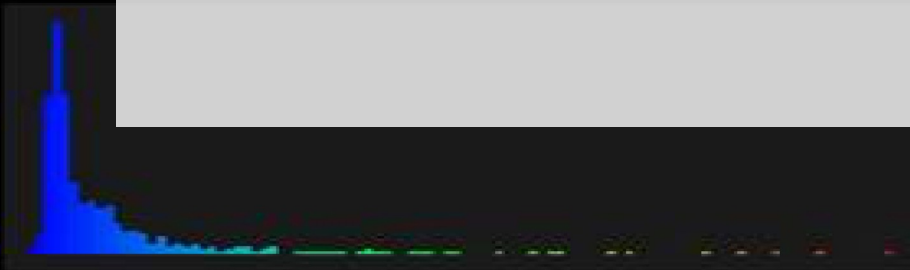
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|---|--|
| ➤ Reactor $\bar{\nu}_e$                 | Indistinguishable from SN $\nu$ events |
| ➤ Geo $\bar{\nu}_e$                     | Indistinguishable from SN $\nu$ events |
| ➤ Accidental coincidence                | → likelihood cut                       |
| ➤ Spallation products ( $^9\text{Li}$ ) | → muon veto, shower tag                |
| ➤ ( $\alpha, n$ ) interaction           | → LS distillation                      |
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- |                        |                                |
|------------------------|--------------------------------|
| ➤ Atmospheric neutrino | Proton scatter, hard to reduce |
| ➤ Fast neutron         | Proton scatter, hard to reduce |





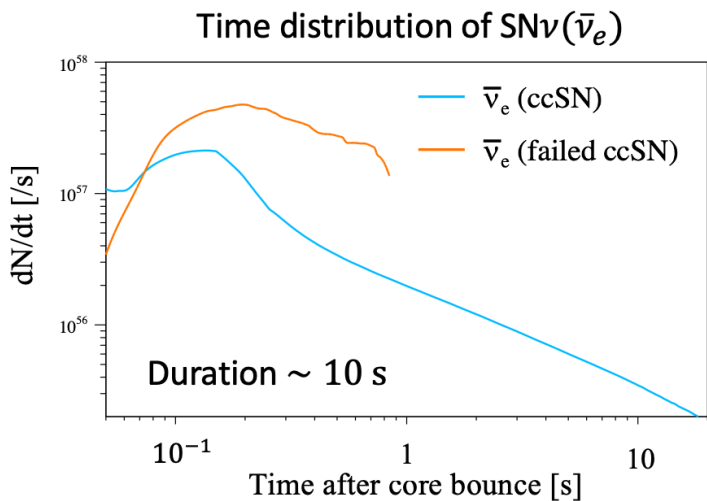
# ***KamLAND's recent status***

- ▶ ***Supernova neutrino***
- ▶ ***Supernova relic neutrino***
- ▶ ***Pre-supernova neutrino***



0.4 222.3 444.1 665.9 887.7 1109.5





## Selection criteria

Energy range:  $0.9 \leq E_{\text{prompt}} [\text{MeV}] \leq 100$

**Requirement: two IBD candidates (cluster) within 10 s time window**

Event rate of IBD candidates is low.  
~ 1 event/day (~2011)  
~ 0.1 event/day (2011~)

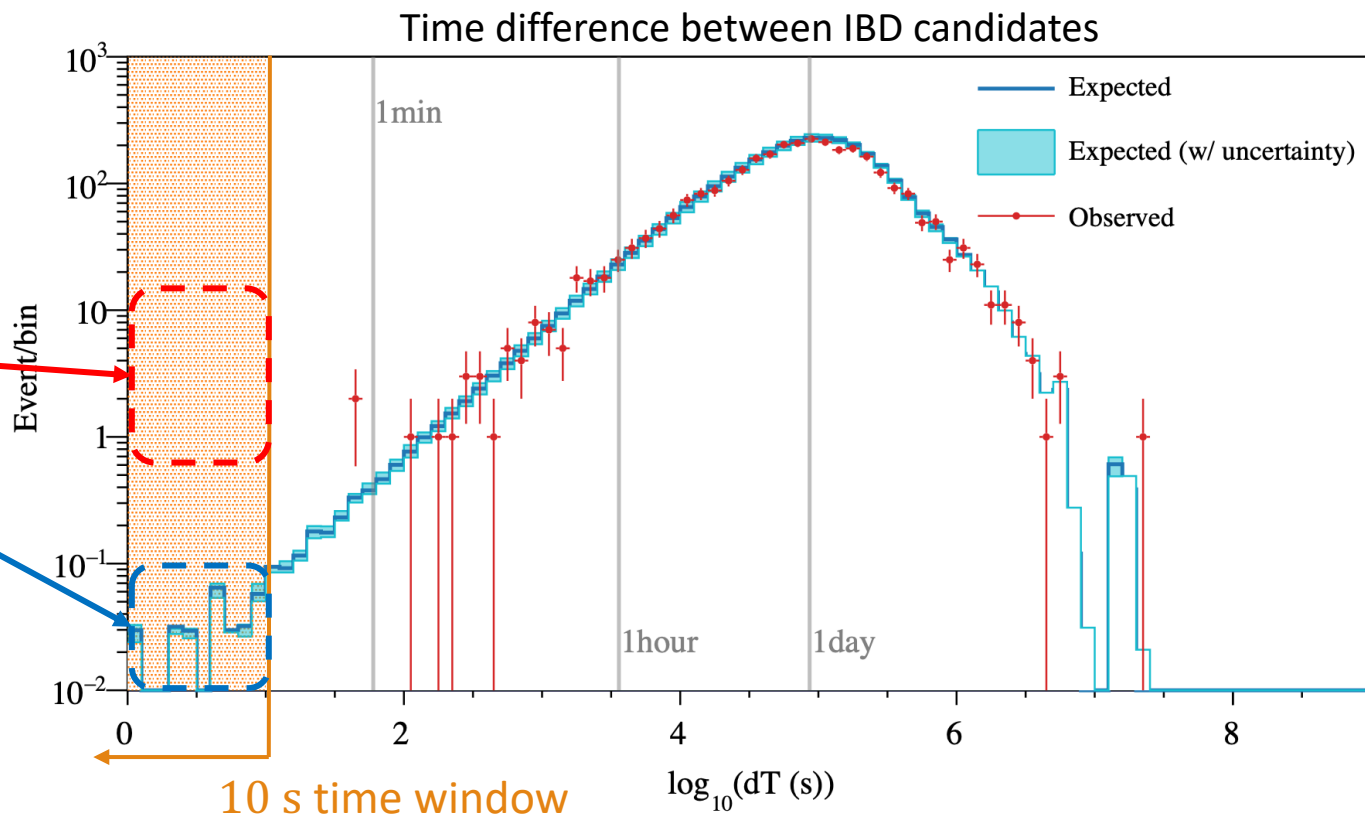
## Search result

**There are no SN $\nu$  candidates.**

**“Background” of the burst search**

Observed cluster rate  $< 0.15 \text{ yr}^{-1}$  (90% U.L.)

To interpret this result as a supernova rate, it is necessary to estimate the detectable range.



# SN $\nu$ Interpretation of search result

Model by Nakazato (*Nakazato, et al, 2013*)  
is used for this numerical calculation.

## Detectable range

SN $\nu$ s are observed with  $\geq 95\%$  detection probability

$\leq 40\text{--}58$  kpc (ccSN)

$\leq 62\text{--}77$  kpc (failed ccSN)

with model & neutrino  
mass hierarchy uncertainties

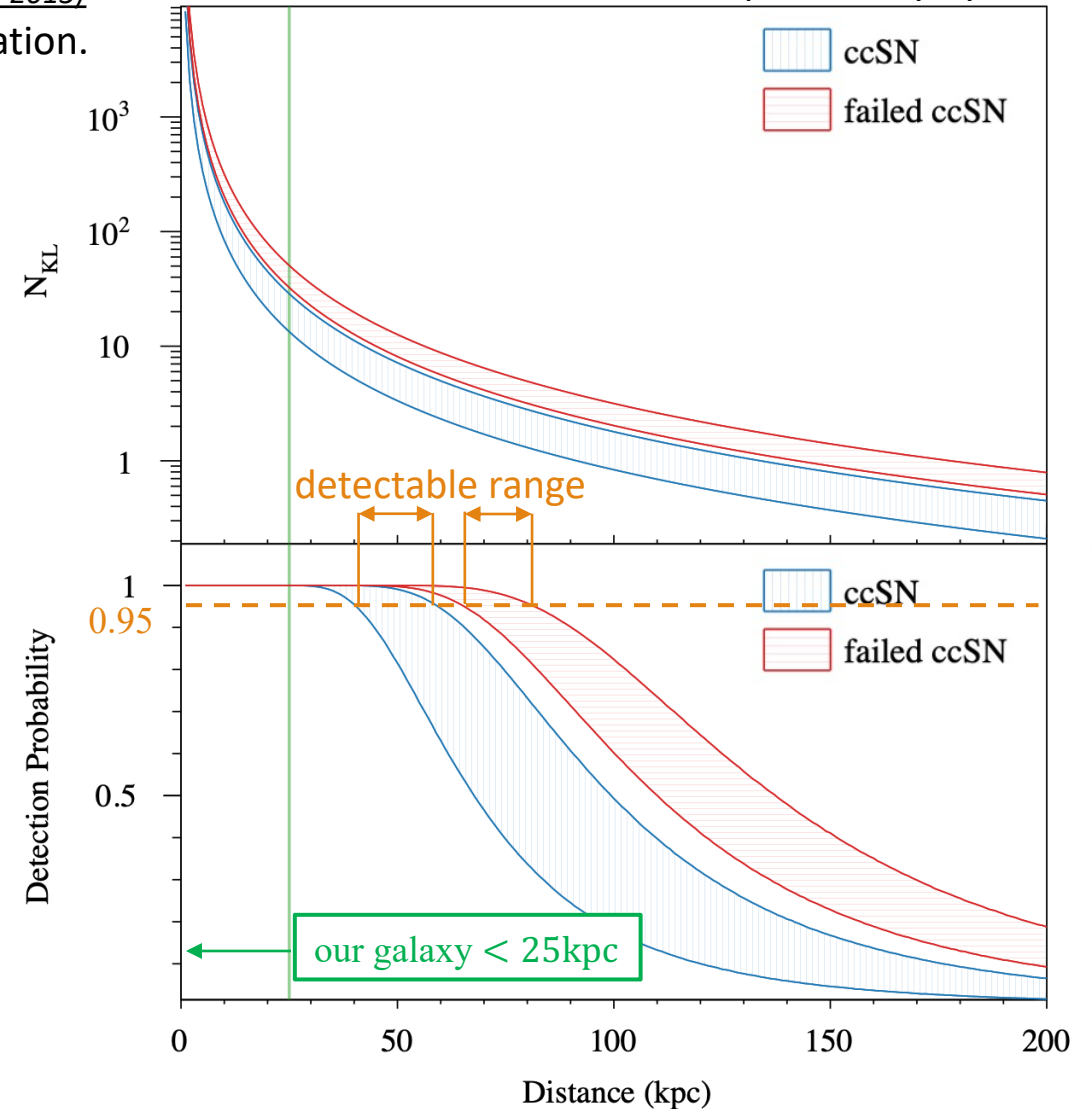
SN $\nu$ s from our Galaxy can be observed with  $> 99\%$  probability

## Supernova rate

Observed cluster rate = supernova rate in our Galaxy

Galactic supernova rate  $< 0.15 \text{ yr}^{-1}$  (90% U.L.)

Number of events and detection probability by IBD





# SN $\nu$ Constraint on the Galactic Star Formation Rate (SFR)

We attempted to constrain the Galactic SFR, which is important to understand our Galaxy.

## Relation between supernova rate and SFR

$$R_{\text{SN}}^{\text{gal}} = k_{\text{SN}} \psi_{\text{SFR}}^{\text{gal}}$$

$R_{\text{SN}}^{\text{gal}} = 0.15 \text{ yr}^{-1} [\text{yr}^{-1}]$ : Galactic supernova rate (burst search result)

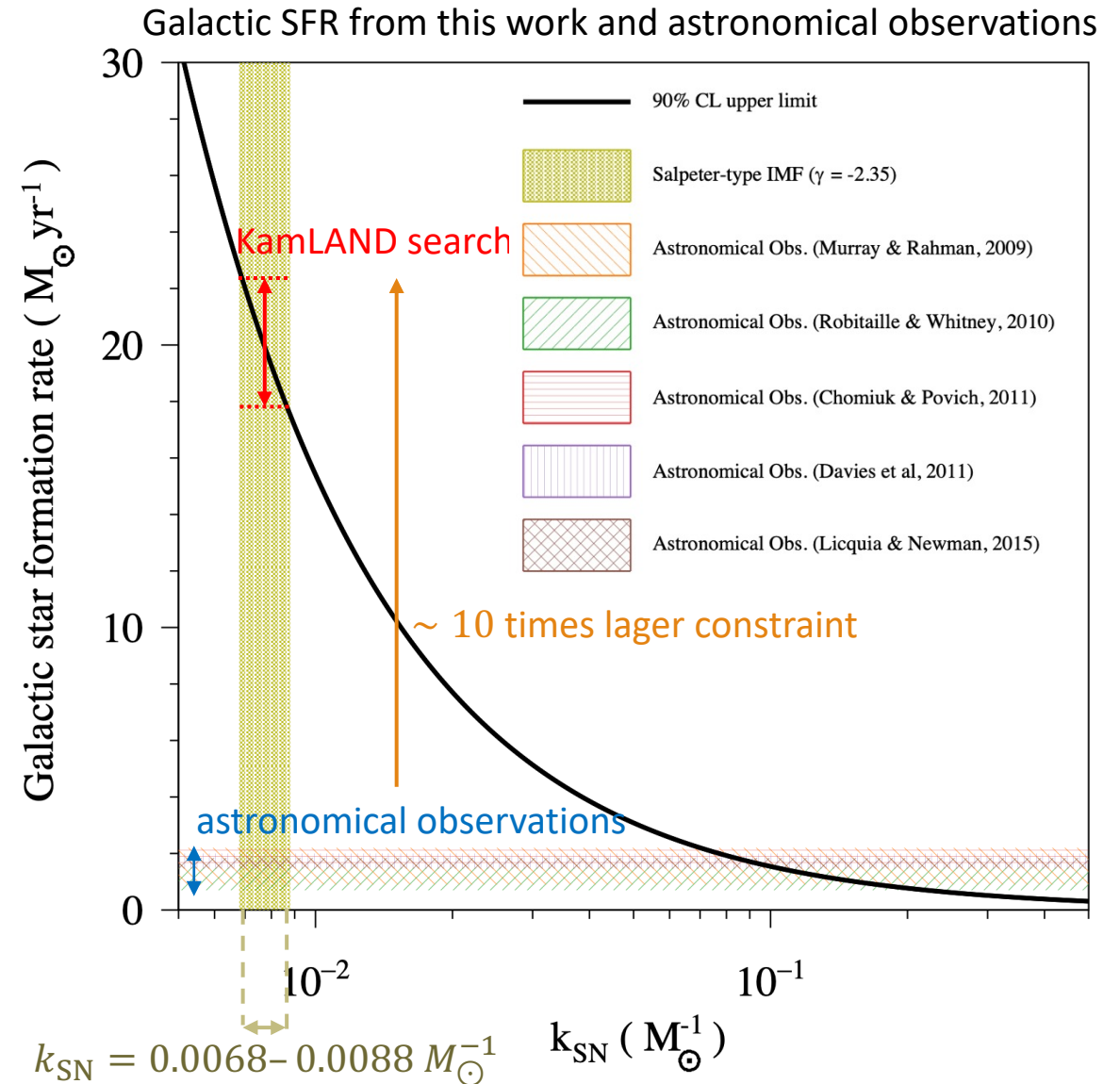
$\psi_{\text{SFR}}^{\text{gal}} [M_{\odot} \text{yr}^{-1}]$ : Galactic SFR

$k_{\text{SN}} = 0.0068 - 0.0088 [M_{\odot}^{-1}]$ : scale factor  
with information of mass distribution of stars  
 (Initial Mass Function)

## Result

$$\psi_{\text{SFR}}^{\text{gal}} < 17.5 - 22.7 M_{\odot} \text{yr}^{-1} \text{ (90\% U.L.)}$$

First constraint from neutrino experiments



# SN $\nu$ $\rightarrow$ Another detection channel — $^{12}\text{C}$ neutral current

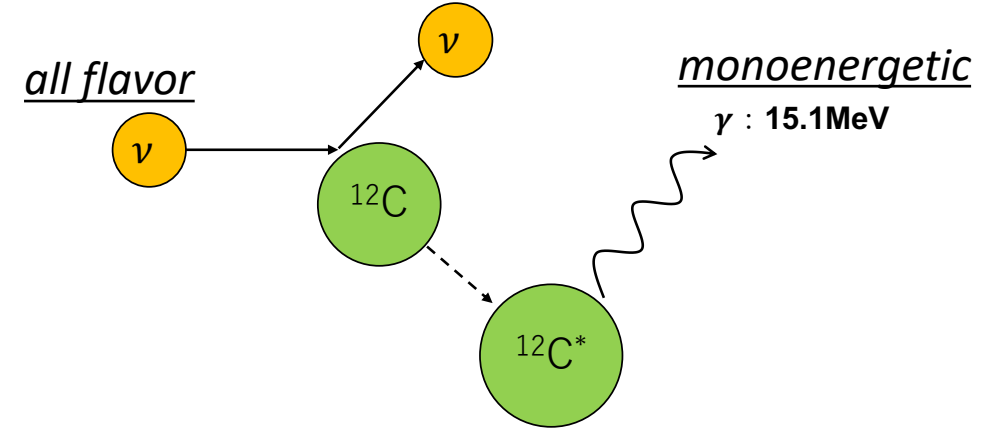
## $\nu$ – $^{12}\text{C}$ Neutral Current (NC)

$$\nu + ^{12}\text{C} \rightarrow \nu + ^{12}\text{C}^*$$

- ✓ Sensitive to  $\nu_{e\mu\tau}, \bar{\nu}_{e\mu\tau}$
- ✓ Easy to search

- ! Delayed coincidence is not available.
- ! NC has never been used in KamLAND experiment.

**$\rightarrow$  Estimation of energy scale uncertainties is necessary.**

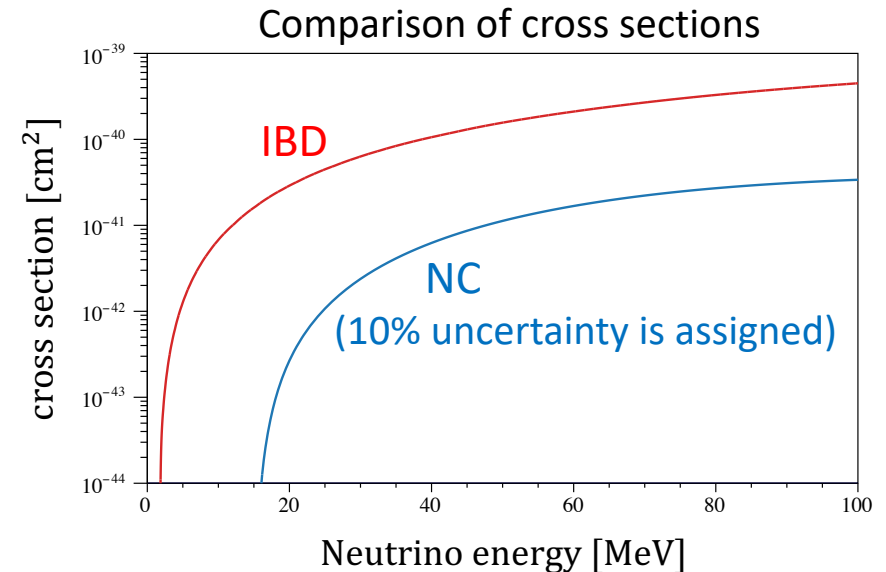


## NC event candidates (except for SN $\nu$ events)

- Solar  $\nu_e$  (hep NC) Indistinguishable from SN $\nu$  events
- Atm.  $\nu$  (NC) Indistinguishable from SN $\nu$  events

- Solar  $\nu_e$  ( $^8\text{B}$ , hep ES) Unrelated to NC, observed in the energy region
- Spallation products Unrelated to NC, observed in the energy region
- Atm.  $\nu$  (NCQE, CCQE etc.) Unrelated to NC, observed in the energy region
- Fast neutron Unrelated to NC, observed in the energy region

**Significantly reduced by burst event search**





# SN $\nu$ Energy scale uncertainty

## Signal simulation

→ Signal energy region w/o energy scale uncertainty

## Uncertainty estimation

- Dominant uncertainty comes from the difference of observed/simulated energy scale.
- **Decay events of unstable isotopes are used.**

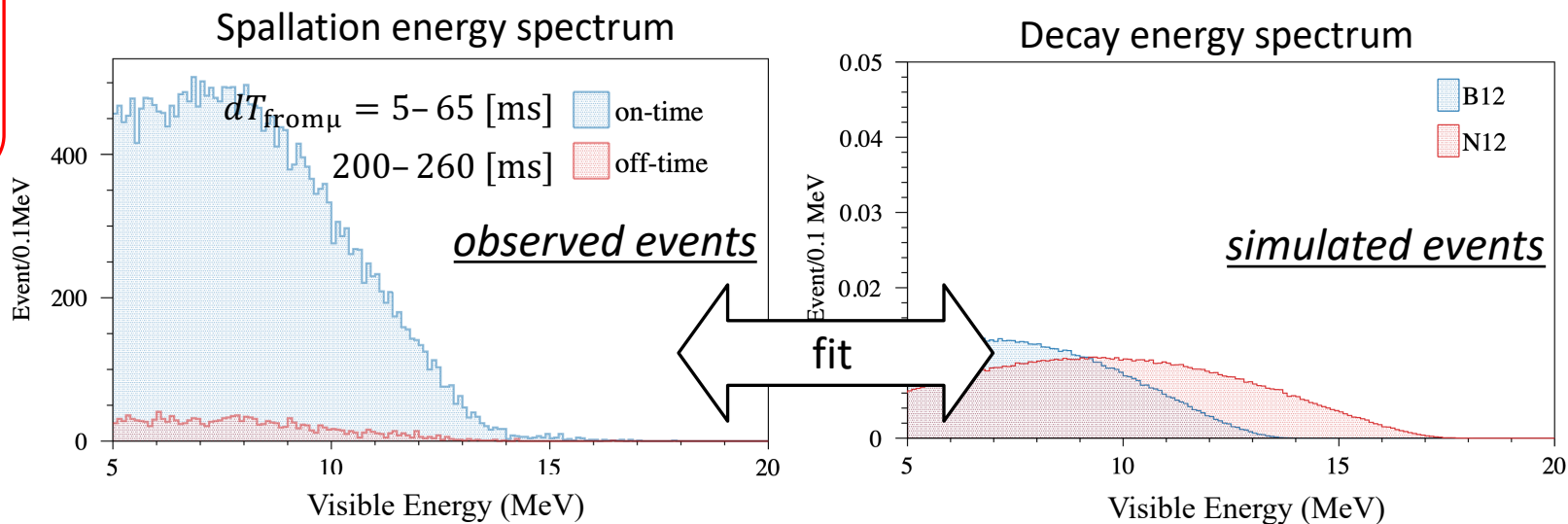
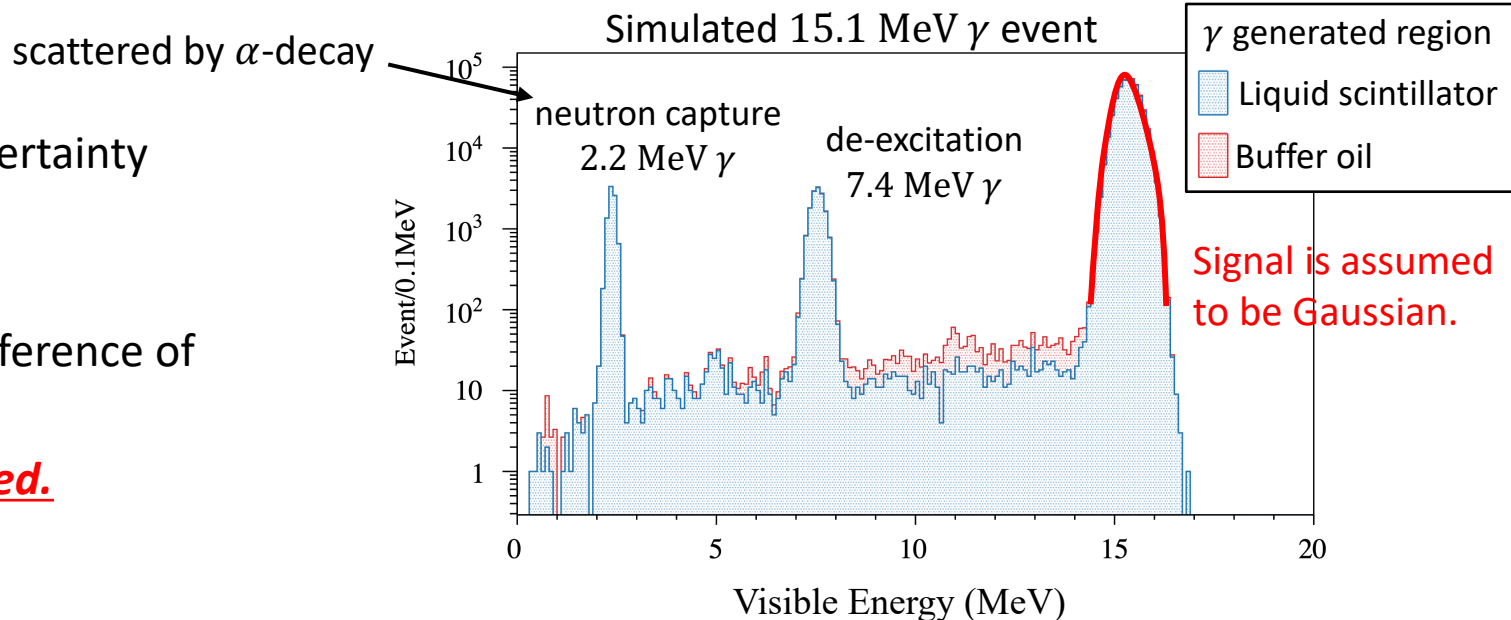
$\beta^-$  decay  
 $^{12}\text{B}$   $Q = 13.4$  MeV  
 $\tau = 29.1$  ms

$\beta^+$  decay  
 $^{12}\text{N}$   $Q = 17.3$  MeV  
 $\tau = 15.9$  ms



Energy region is chosen to satisfy

**Signal efficiency > 99%**



# SN $\nu$ IBD+NC combined SN $\nu$ search

## Detectable range improvement

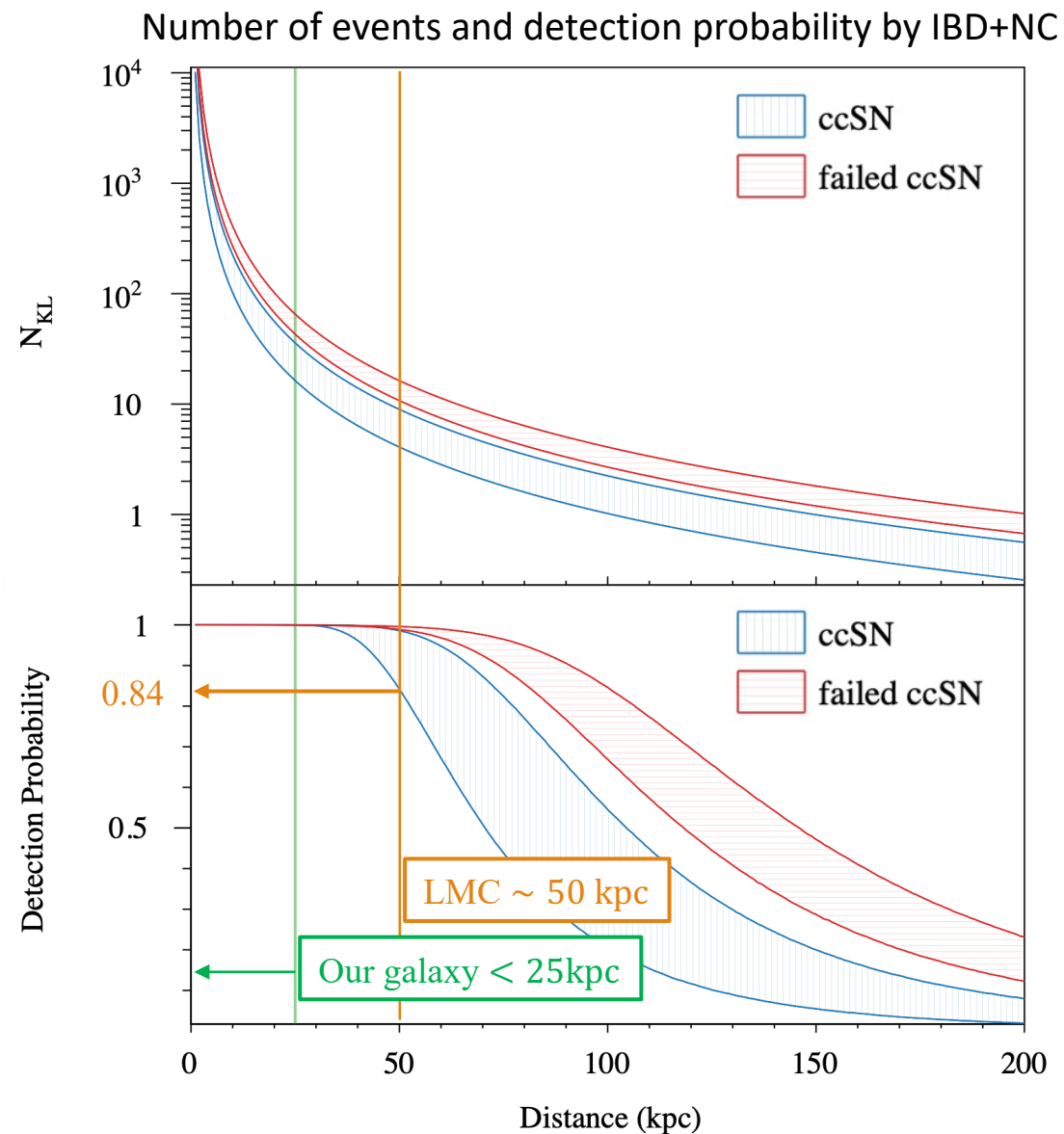
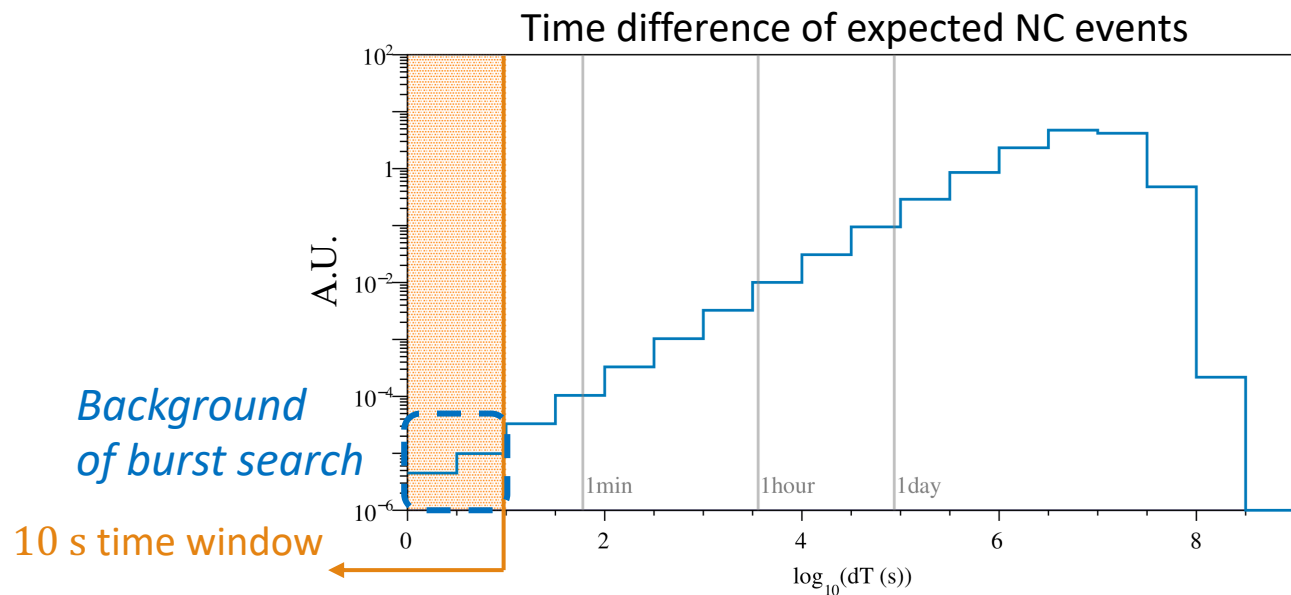
$\geq 95\%$  detection range: **2 kpc $\uparrow$**

$\geq 50\%$  detection range: **6 kpc $\uparrow$**

High detection probability to SN $\nu$  from LMC

## Data analysis

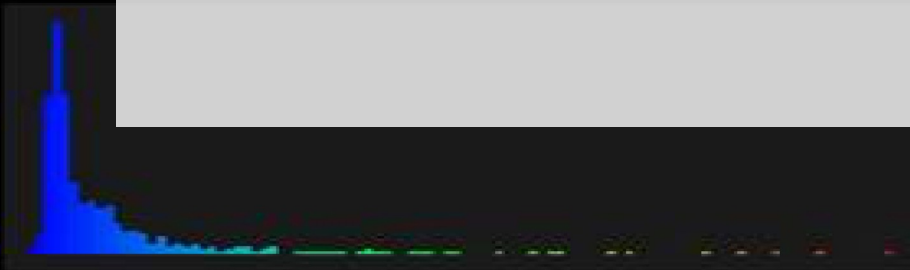
Real data analysis is currently under development.





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SRN search  $E_{\text{prompt}} = 7.5\text{--}30\text{ MeV}$

- ✓ Simultaneous fitting of energy & radius  
← To constrain fast neutron background
- ✓ Fitting parameter:  
number of SRN events and atm.  $\nu$  events

**Zero-event best fit for all cases**

SRN theoretical model	Fit result 90% C.L. U.L. (best fit)		Expected
	# of events	Flux ( $\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ )	Flux ( $\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ )
Kaplinghat (2000)	9.4 (0)	74.5	19.9
Horiuchi (2009) (6 MeV effective temp.)	10.2 (0)	61.6	5.8
Nakazato (2015) (max, IH)	9.3 (0)	108	5.1
Nakazato (2015) (min, NH)	8.9 (0)	105	2.2

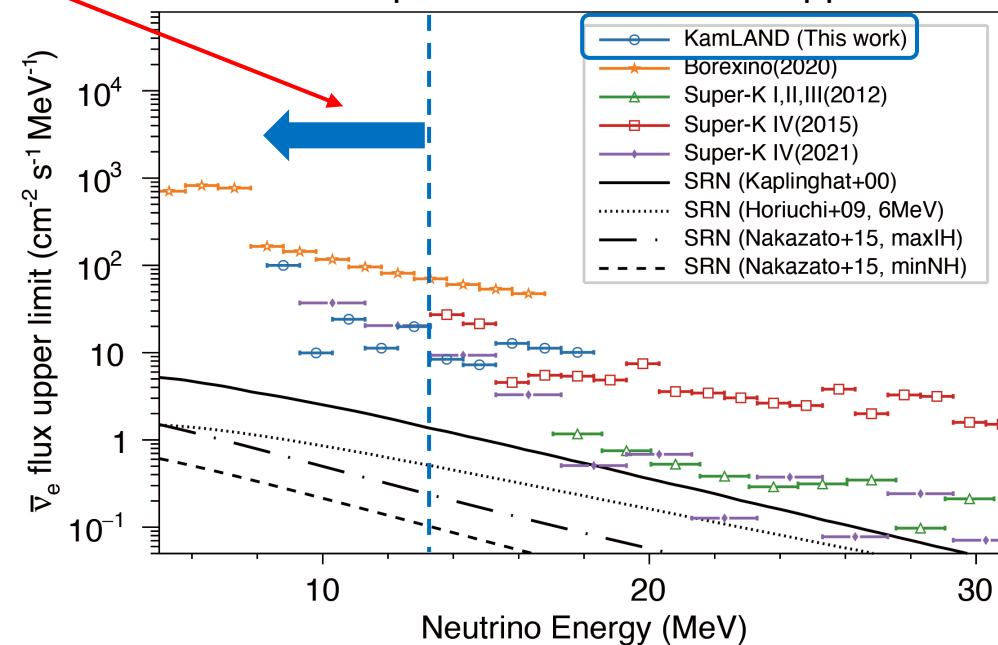
**Most stringent limit for 8–13 MeV**

## Model independent neutrino flux

Other astrophysical  $\bar{\nu}_e$  sources

- 8B solar  $\nu_e$  conversion
- Dark matter annihilation
- $\bar{\nu}_e$  from primordial black holes

Model independent neutrino flux upper limit

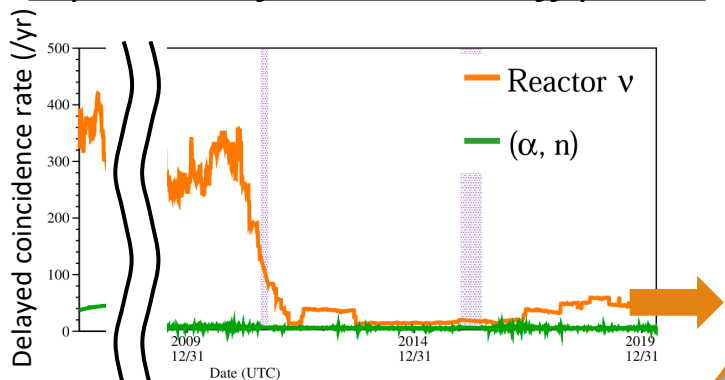




# SRN Prospects for updating the result

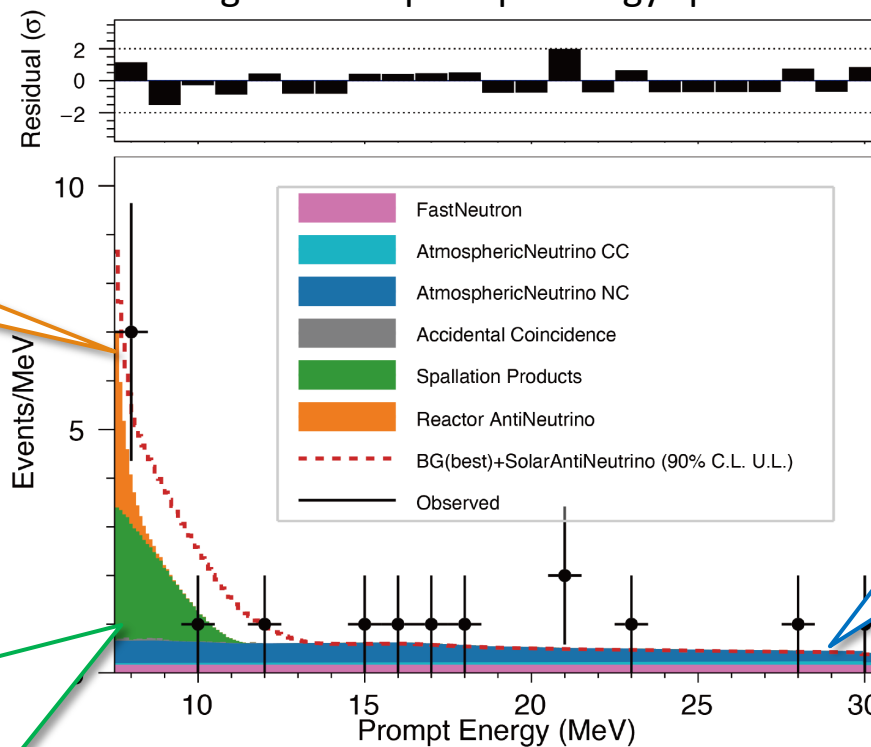
## Reactor $\bar{\nu}_e$

### Expansion of the reactor-off period



- ✓ Lower energy threshold
- ✓ Background reduction

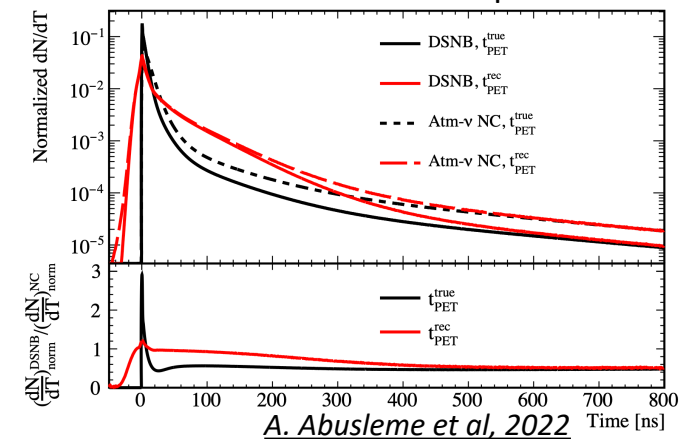
### Fitting result of prompt energy spectrum



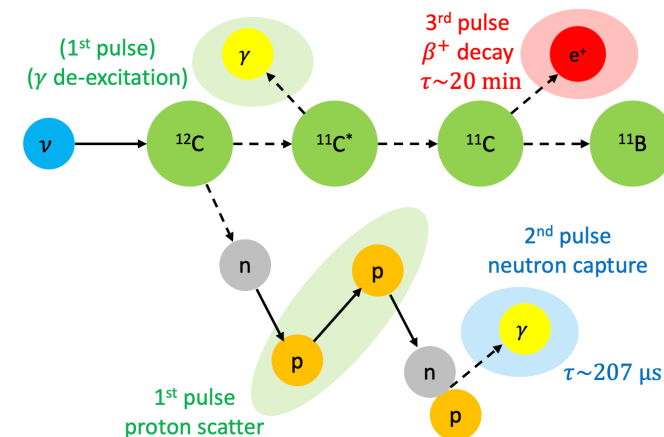
## Atm. $\nu$ NC

### Pulse shape discrimination

#### Photon emission time spectrum

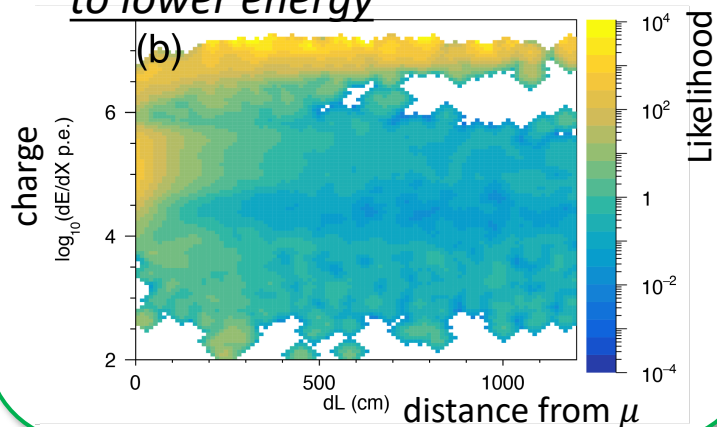


### $^{11}\text{C}$ triple coincidence



## Spallation products

### Application of the shower tool to lower energy



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**Combined pre-SN alarm system by KamLAND & Super-Kamiokande (SK-Gd) has been launched.**

Combined search by Poisson likelihood

$$\mathcal{L} = \text{Poisson}(n_{KL}^{obs} | S_{KL} + B_{KL}) \times \text{Poisson}(n_{SK}^{obs} | S_{SK} + B_{SK})$$

KL for KamLAND, SK for Super-Kamiokande

- $n^{obs}$ : observed number of candidates
- $S$ : parameters represent signal contributions
- $B$ : parameters represent background contributions

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Low background condition

→ It is possible to issue the alarm early.

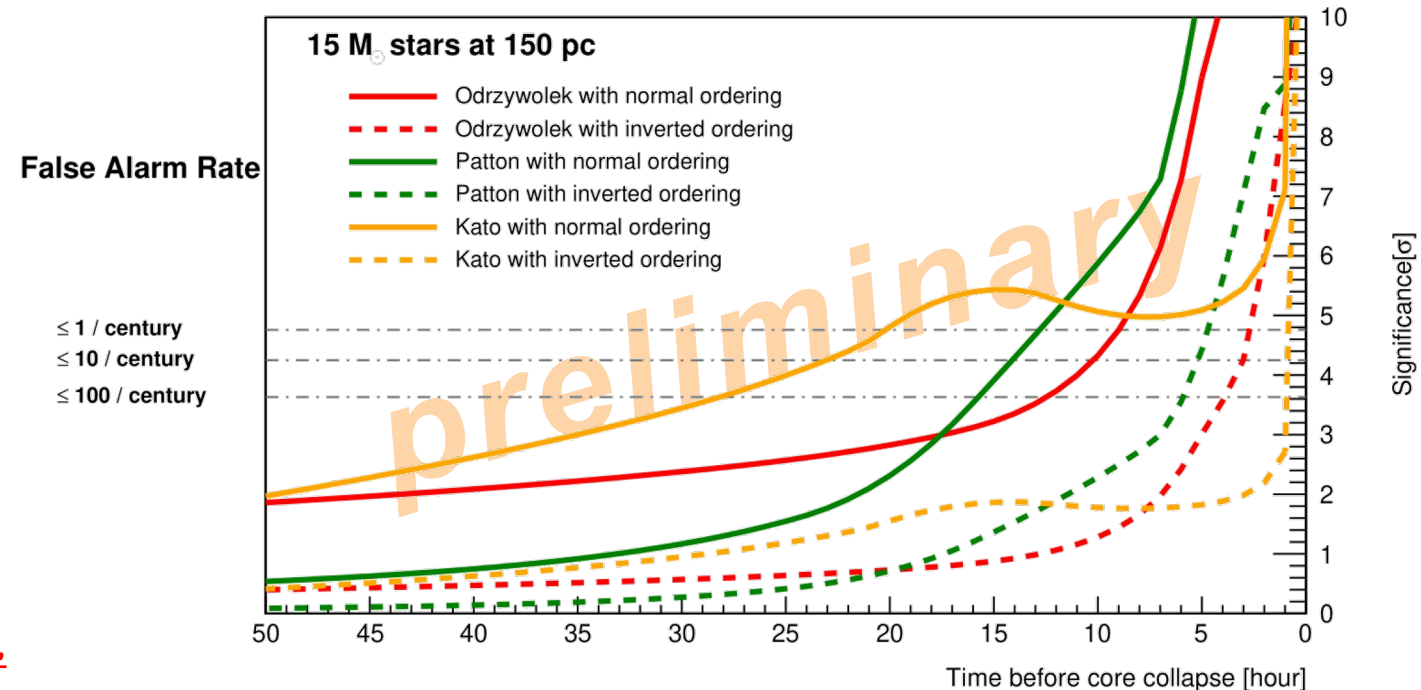
SK-Gd

Large fiducial volume

→ It helps increasing significance.

**We can derive benefits from both detectors.**

Time evolution of significance by the combined alarm system



# Summary

- We searched neutrino bursts by supernovae. [S. Abe, et al, 2022, Apj, 934, 85](#) (IBD only)
  - ✓ There were no supernova neutrino ( $\bar{\nu}_e$ ) candidates.
  - ✓ Supernova neutrinos from our Galaxy can certainly be observed ( $\geq 99\%$ ).
  - ✓ We set a constraint on the Galactic Star Formation Rate.
  - ✓ The study of new detection channel ( $\nu$ -  $^{12}\text{C}$  NC) is under development.
- We also searched supernova relic neutrinos. [S. Abe, et al, 2022, Apj, 925, 14](#)
  - ✓ There were no significant excesses over the background model.
  - ✓ The most stringent upper limit was set on the model-independent flux (8– 13 MeV).
- We are preparing for pre-supernova neutrino events. [K. Asakura, et, al, 2016, Apj, 818, 91](#) (KamLAND sensitivity)





*backup*



# Matter effect of supernova neutrino

- Matter effect by CC potential occur in following region:

$$\rho \sim 1.4 \times 10^6 \text{ [g/cm}^3] \left( \frac{\Delta m^2}{1 \text{ eV}^2} \right) \left( \frac{10 \text{ MeV}}{E} \right) \left( \frac{0.5}{Y_e} \right) \cos 2\theta$$

- H resonance ( $\sim 10^2 - 10^3 \text{ g/cm}^3$ )
- L resonance ( $\sim 40 \text{ g/cm}^3$ )

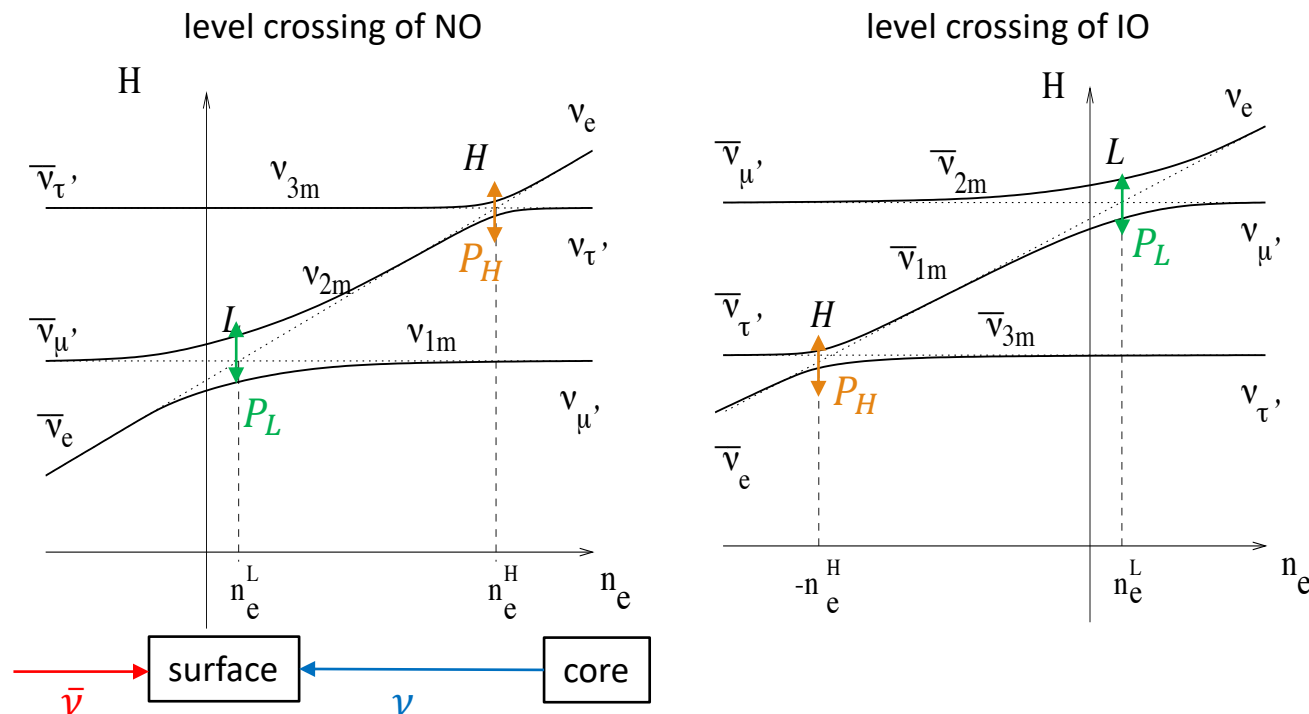
- Flux of observed mass eigenstate  $\bar{F}_i$  is described using flip probability.

Flip probability P: "jumping" probability of mass eigenstates in matter

Ex) in the case of electron-anti neutrino

$$\bar{F}_i = \bar{a}_i F_e^0 + (1 - \bar{a}_i) F_x^0 \longrightarrow F_{\bar{e}} = \sum |U_{ei}|^2 \bar{F}_i = \bar{p} F_e^0 + (1 - \bar{p}) F_x^0$$

$$\bar{a}_1 = 1 - P_L, \bar{a}_2 = P_L, \bar{a}_3 = 0 \qquad \bar{p} = \sum |U_{ei}|^2 \bar{a}_i = |U_{e1}|^2 (1 - P_L) + |U_{e2}|^2 P_L \quad \text{"survival probability"}$$



# Previous studies of SN burst search

## KamLAND

Liquid scintillator

Cherenkov

Search period: Mar. 2002–Apr. 2020

Energy region:

$$0.9 \leq E \text{ [MeV]} \leq 100$$

Livetime: 5011.51 day

UL on the supernova rate:  $0.15 \text{ yr}^{-1}$

volume: 1 kt

Detectable range:  $\leq 41\text{--}59 \text{ kpc (ccSN)}/\leq 64\text{--}79 \text{ kpc (failed ccSN)}$

	SK	LVD	Baksan	SNO	MiniBooNE	IMB
Search period	1996 年 4 月 –2018 年 5 月	1992 年 6 月 –2021 年	1980 年 6 月 –2018 年 12 月	1999 年 11 月 –2003 年 8 月	2004 年 12 月 –2008 年 7 月	1986 年 5 月 –1991 年 3 月
Livetime	2589.2 day (SK-I, II) 3318.41 day (SK-IV)	~ 29 yr	33.02 yr	241.4 day (Phase I) 388.4 day (Phase II)	1221.44 day	863 day
Fiducial volume	22.5 kt	300 t/1000 t	240 t	1 kt	800 t	8 kt
Observed energy region	$\geq 6.5\text{--}7.0 \text{ MeV}$ $\gtrsim 5.5 \text{ MeV}$	$\geq 4\text{--}7 \text{ MeV}$	$\geq 8 \text{ MeV}$	$\geq 4.5 \text{ MeV}$	11–45 MeV	20–60 MeV
U.L. of SN rate	0.32 /yr 0.29 /yr	0.08 /yr	0.070 /yr	–	0.69 /yr	0.71 /yr
Detectable range (detection probability)	$\leq 100 \text{ kpc}$ (~ 100%)	$\leq 25 \text{ kpc}$ ( $\geq 95\%$ )	$\leq 25 \text{ kpc}$	$\leq 10 \text{ kpc}$ (~ 100%) $\leq 30 \text{ kpc}$ (~ 100%)	$\leq 13.4 \text{ kpc}$ ( $\geq 95\%$ )	Our galaxy



# Component of delayed coincidence events

## spallation

$^{12}\text{C}$  spallation by cosmic muon  
(mainly by  $^9\text{Li } \beta^- + n$  decay)

## accidental coincidence

decay of radioactive isotopes in detector  
components or rock (mainly by  $^{208}\text{Tl } 2.6 \text{ MeV } \gamma$ )

## atmospheric neutrino

prompt: charged lepton or de-excitation  $\gamma$ ,  
delayed: neutron capture

reactor  $\bar{\nu}_e$       geo  $\bar{\nu}_e$

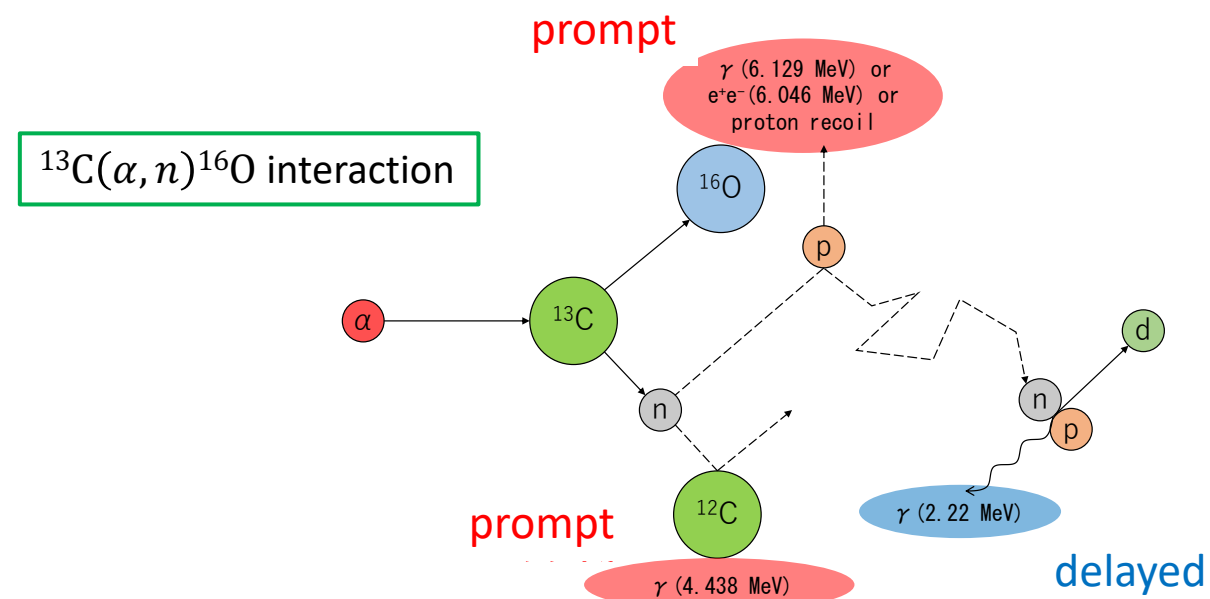
inverse beta decay

## $(\alpha, n)$ interaction

reaction of  $\alpha$ -ray from  $^{210}\text{Po}$  (radioactive impurity) and  $^{13}\text{C}$   
prompt:  $^{16}\text{O}$  de-excitation or proton scatter, delayed: neutron capture

## fast neutron

prompt: scattered proton by high-energy neutron  
delayed: neutron capture



# Supernova neutrino model

- Nakazato model Nakazato, K., et al, 2013
  - Early phase : neutrino-radiation hydrodynamic simulation
  - Late phase : quasi-static evolutionary calculations of proto-neutron star cooling

Spherical symmetry

- Right figures: energy and time distribution of neutrinos emitted from core collapse SN (ccSN)

- I checked all parameter combination.

- Progenitor mass

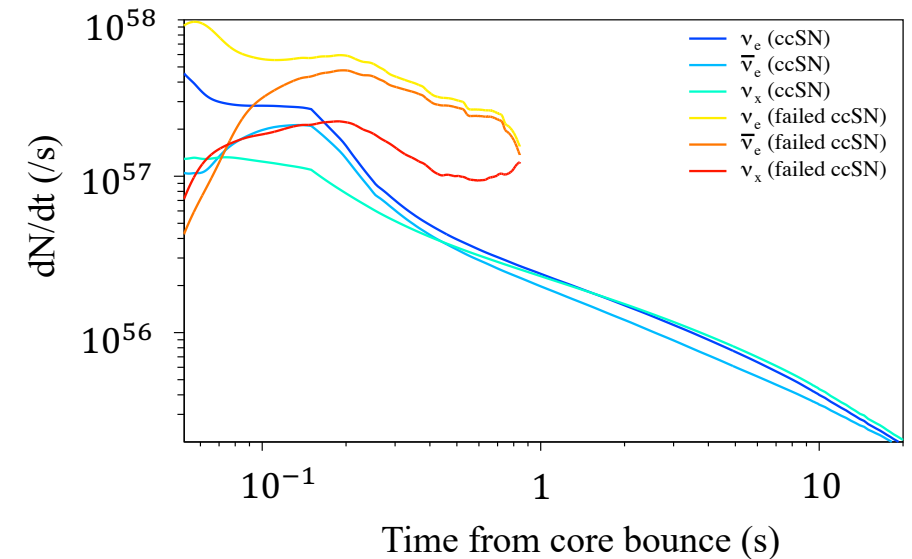
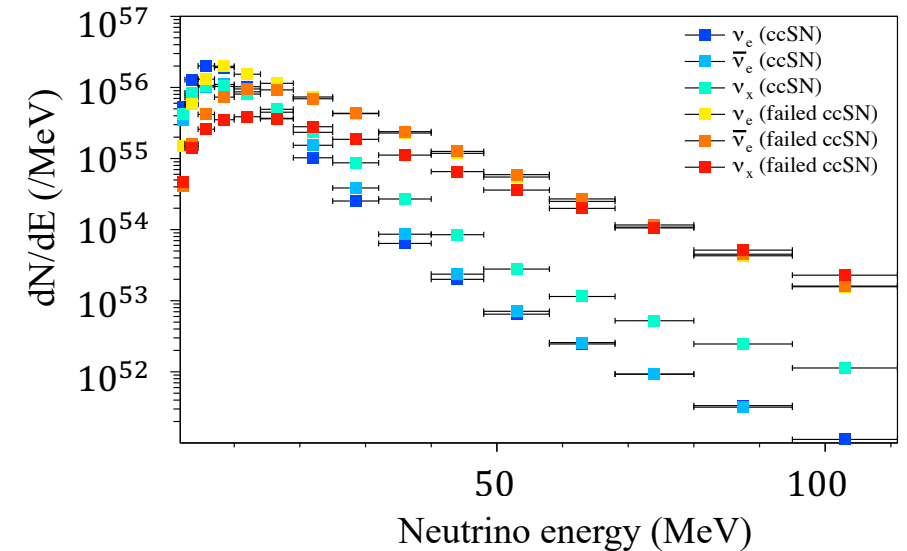
$$M_{\text{init}} = 13 M_{\odot}, 20 M_{\odot}, 30 M_{\odot}, 50 M_{\odot}$$

- Metallicity

$$Z = 0.02 \text{ (solar)}, 0.004 \text{ (Small Magelanic Cloud)}$$

- Shock revival time

$$t_{\text{revive}} = 100 \text{ ms}, 200 \text{ ms}, 300 \text{ ms}$$



# Calculation of number of expected events

- $\bar{\nu}_e$  flux at the Earth  $F_{\bar{\nu}_e \text{Earth}}(r, t)$

$$F_{\bar{\nu}_e \text{Earth}}(r, t) = \frac{1}{4\pi r^2} \left\{ \bar{p} \frac{d^2 N_{\bar{\nu}_e 0}}{dE dt} + (1 - \bar{p}) \frac{d^2 N_{x0}}{dE dt} \right\}$$

- $r$ : distance from the Earth
- $\frac{d^2 N_{i0}}{dE dt}$ : number of  $\nu_i$  emitted from SN  
← obtained from Nakazato model
- $\bar{p}$ : survival probability of  $\bar{\nu}_e$   
← consider matter effect in SN

$$\bar{p} = \cos^2 \theta_{12} \cos^2 \theta_{13} \text{ (NH)}, \sin^2 \theta_{13} \text{ (IH)}$$

$$\sin^2 \theta_{12} = 0.320$$

$$\sin^2 \theta_{13} = 0.0216 \quad \text{de Salas, P., et al, 2018}$$

Earth matter effect is ignored.

- Number of observed events in KamLAND  $N_{\text{KL}}$

$$N_{\text{KL}}(r) = \mathcal{N}_{\text{target}} \times \int dt dE F_{\bar{\nu}_e \text{Earth}}(r, t) \sigma_{\text{IBD}}(E) \epsilon_{\text{eff}}(E)$$

- $\mathcal{N}_{\text{target}}$ : number of target proton ( $r = 600 \text{ cm}$ )  
 $= (5.98 \pm 0.13) \times 10^{31}$
- $\sigma_{\text{IBD}}(E)$ : IBD cross section
- $\epsilon_{\text{eff}}(E)$ : IBD detection efficiency in KamLAND

Range of integration

$$1.8 \text{ MeV} \leq E \leq 111 \text{ MeV}$$

$$0 \text{ s} \leq t \leq 20 \text{ s}$$

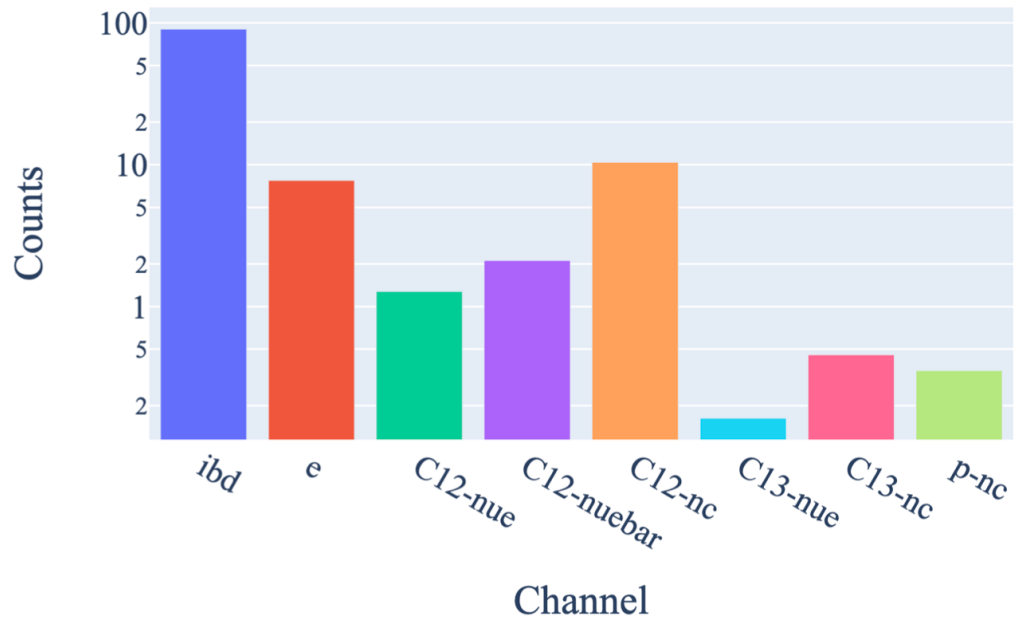
Livetime effect is considered as deadtimes after muon events.



# Number of expected events/ detection probability with some models

## Number of expected events by different neutrino detection channels

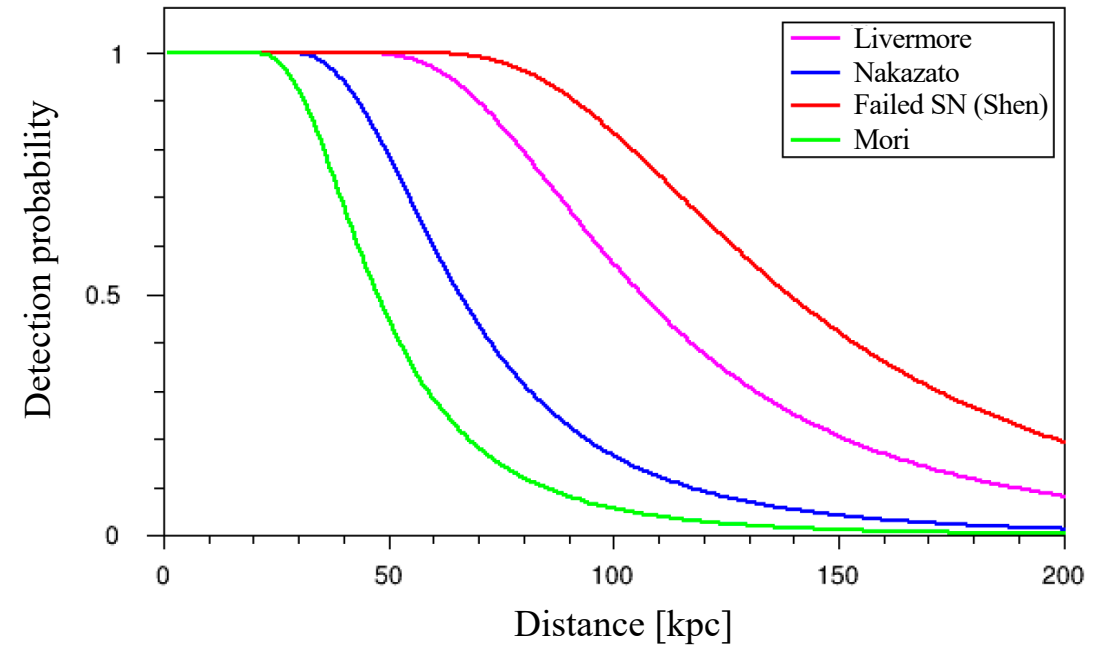
Nakazato 20 solar mass at 10 kpc



## Model dependence of detection probability

IBD only, time distribution is not considered

Livermore model is within Nakazato model uncertainty



# Detectable range (IBD only)

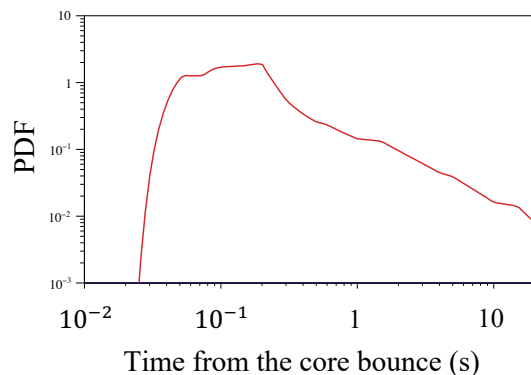
To **convert observed cluster rate to supernova rate**, detectable range of SN $\nu$  is need to be known.

K. Nakazato, et al., ApJS (2013)

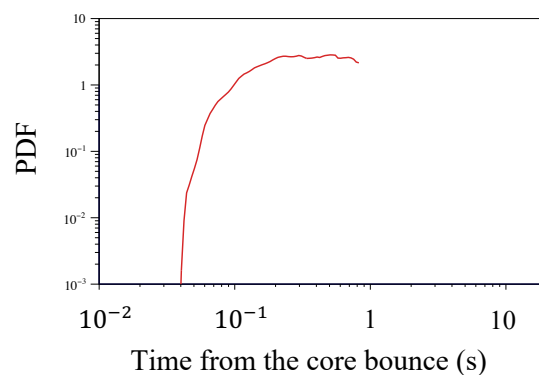
1. Numerical calculation of  $N_{KL}$  by Nakazato model (upper right figure) widely used long time simulation

2. MC simulation of expected event time distribution in KamLAND

SN $\nu$  event PDF in KamLAND (ccSN)



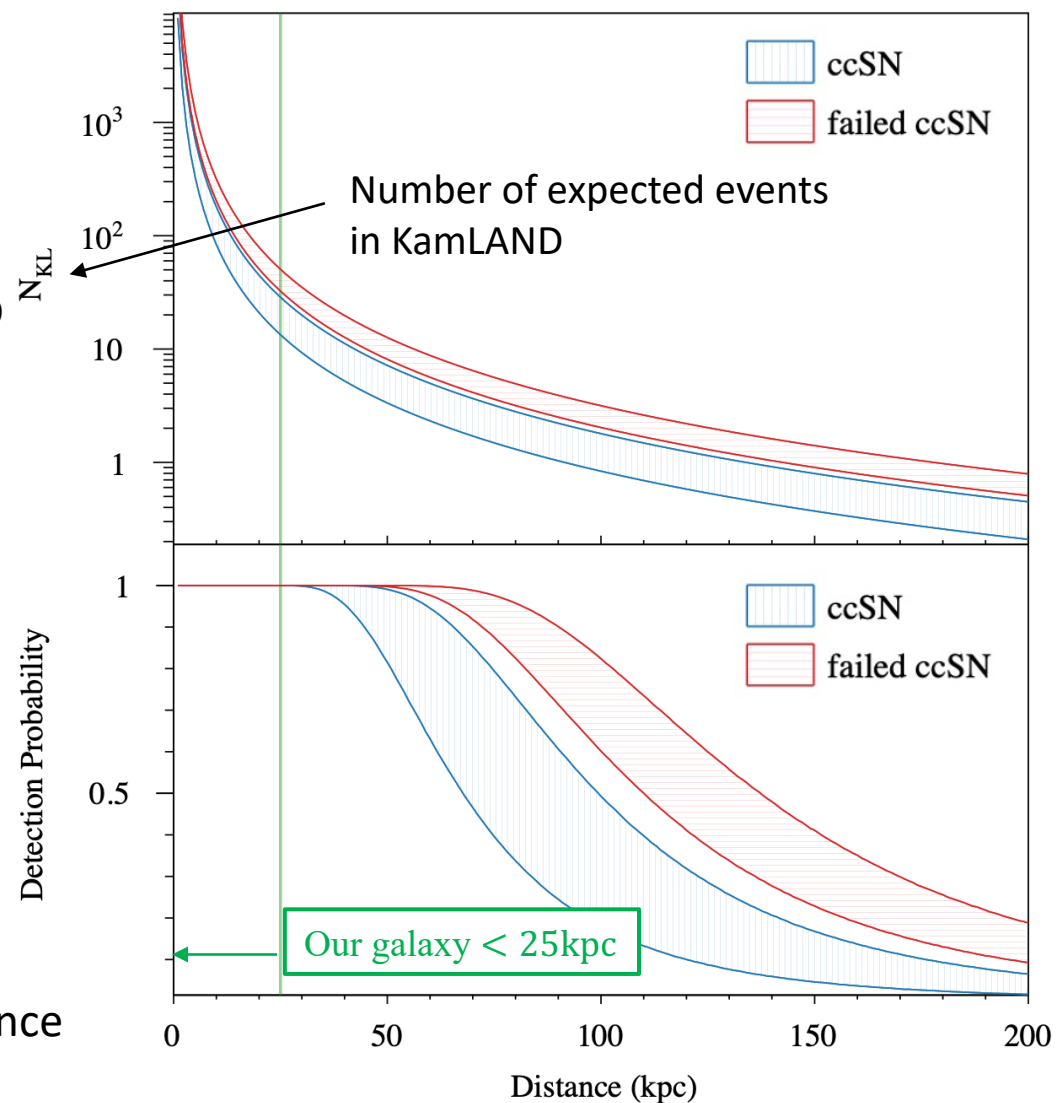
SN $\nu$  event PDF in KamLAND (failed ccSN)



3. Calculation of time difference of expected events (SN $\nu$  candidate? Or not?)

Repeating 1. to 3., detection probability is calculated for each distance (lower right figure).

Number of expected events and detection probability by IBD



# Detectable range (NC only)

- Detectable range cannot cover our Galaxy.

Detectable range

$\leq 7\text{--}10$  kpc (ccSN)

$\leq 10\text{--}11$  kpc (failed ccSN)

With model & NC cross section uncertainty

- I calculated detection probability by considering Galactic supernova distribution.

Detection probability in our Galaxy

(detection probability  $\times$  SN PDF)

$\leq 74.7\text{--}94.1\%$  (ccSN)

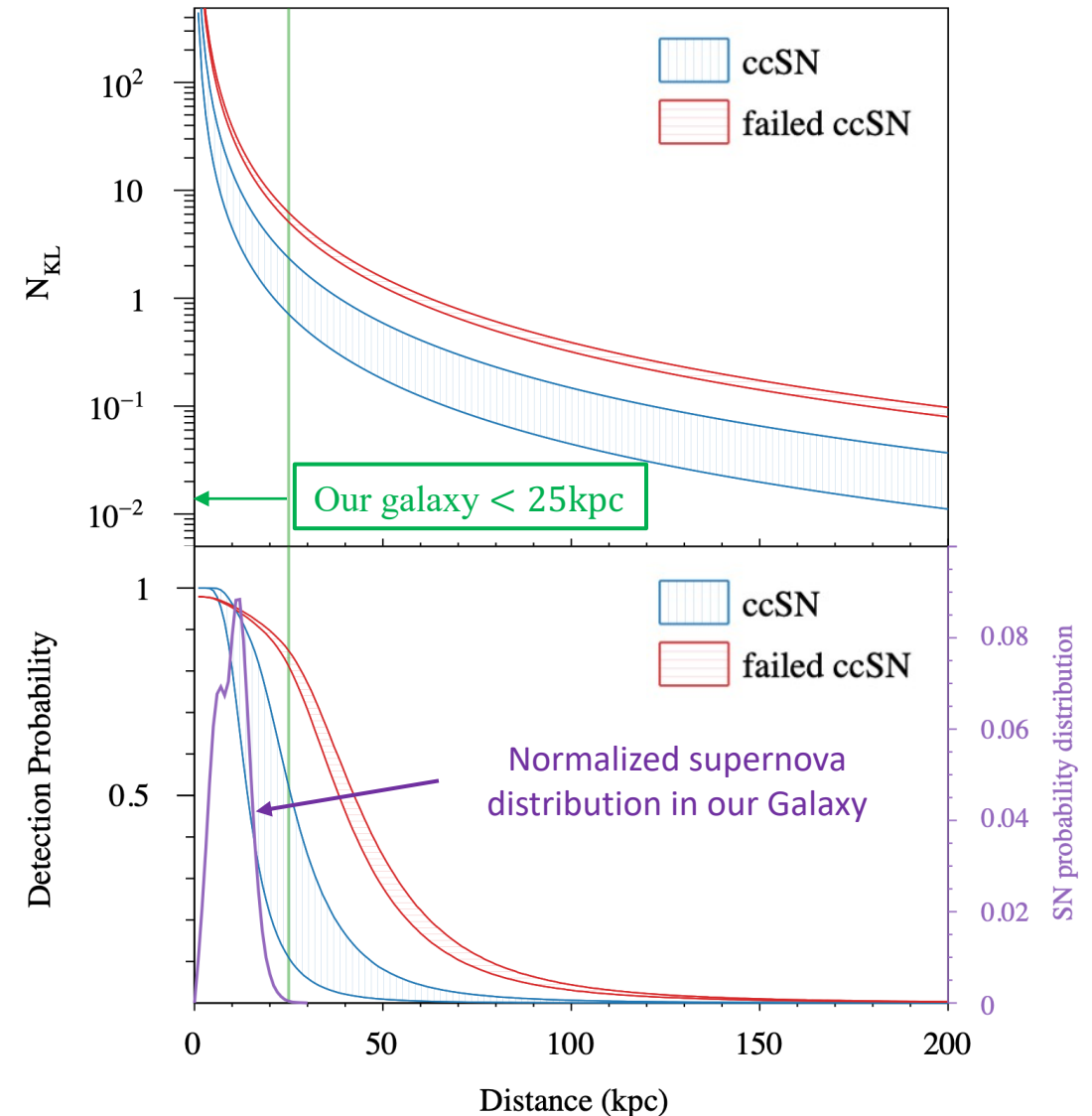
$\leq 94.8\text{--}95.4\%$  (failed ccSN)

Upper limit on the galactic supernova rate

$\leq 0.45\text{--}0.56$  yr<sup>-1</sup> (ccSN)

$\leq 0.44$  yr<sup>-1</sup> (failed ccSN)

Number of expected events and detection probability by NC





# Galactic supernova distribution

- SN distribution is used for detection probability calculation by NC only analysis.

## Radial distribution

$$\sigma_{cc}(r) \propto r^\xi \exp\left(-\frac{r}{u}\right)$$

$$\begin{cases} \xi = 4 \\ u = 1.25 \text{ kpc} \end{cases}$$

This corresponds to the NS distribution

$r$ : radius from the Galactic center

$$\longrightarrow d(r, z, \theta) = [r^2 + z^2 + d_\odot^2 - 2rd_\odot \cos\theta]^{1/2}$$

$d_\odot \sim 8.5 \text{ kpc}$ : solar distance from the Galactic center

$d$ : distance from the solar

## Vertical distribution

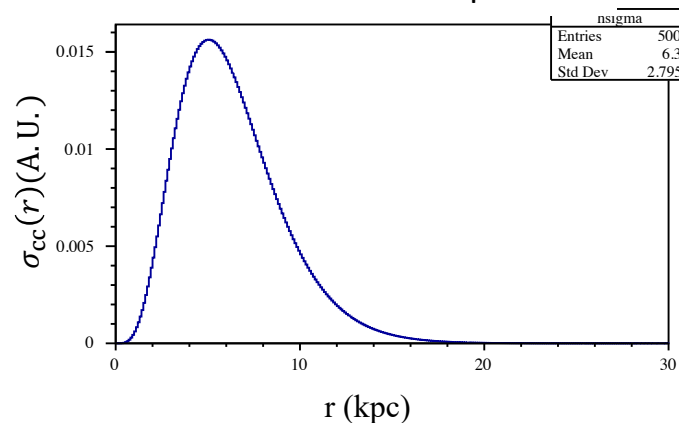
$$R_{cc}(z) \propto 0.79 \exp\left[-\left(\frac{z}{212 \text{ pc}}\right)^2\right] + 0.21 \exp\left[-\left(\frac{z}{636 \text{ pc}}\right)^2\right]$$

$z$ : distance from galactic plane

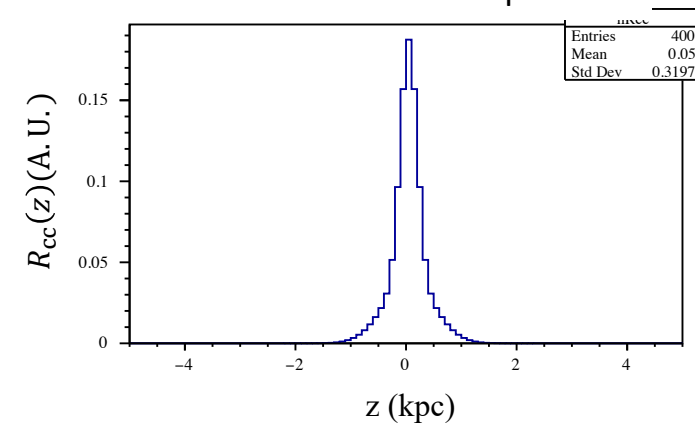
## Three-dimensional distribution

$$n_{cc}(r, z) \propto \sigma_{cc}(r)R_{cc}(z)$$

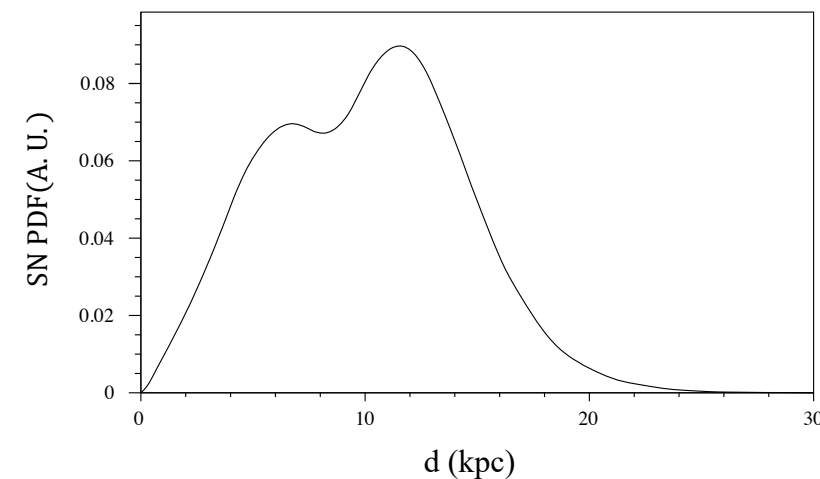
Radial distribution of supernova



Vertical distribution of supernova



Three-dimensional distribution of supernova



# Estimation of energy scale uncertainty (1)

## Scale uncertainty between observed and simulated events

- Reference:  $^{12}\text{B}$ ,  $^{12}\text{N}$  decay events

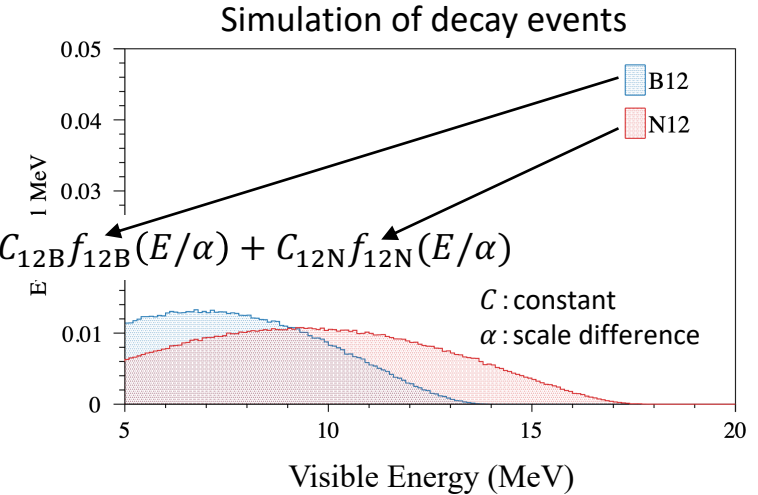
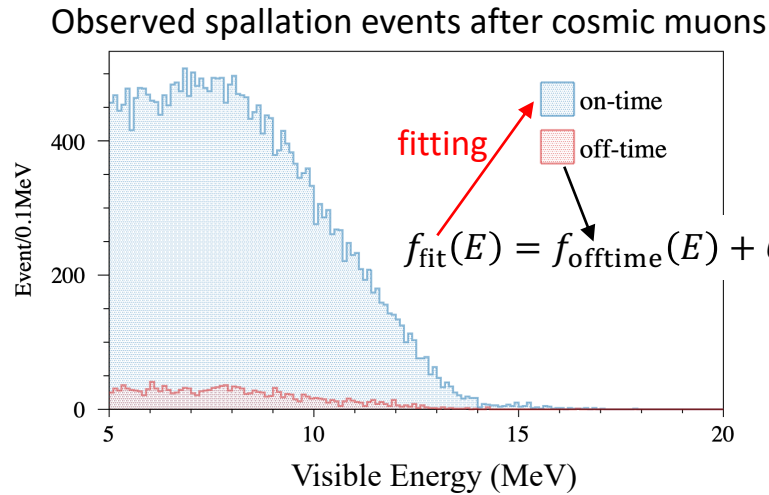
$$Q = 13.4, 17.3 \text{ MeV (around 15.1 MeV)}$$

- Fitting result

3.9% (before purification)

9.6% (after purification)

8.8% (after Zen 400)



## Quenching effect on the energy scale uncertainty

- Quenching effect:  
a part of  $dE/dx$  in LS is lost in the process of scintillation emission  $dL/dx$

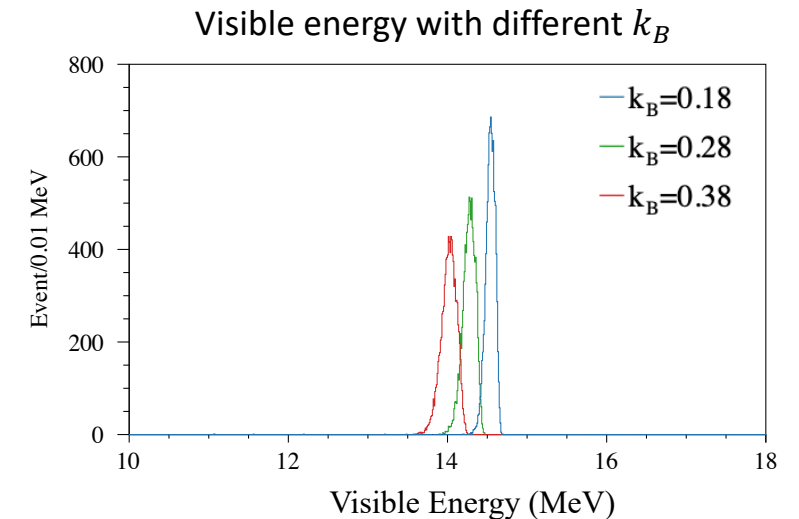
→ Birks formula

$$\frac{dL}{dx} = \frac{L_0 \left( \frac{dE}{dx} \right)}{1 + k_B \left( \frac{dE}{dx} \right)}$$

$k_B$  is LS specific value

KamLAND previous study:  $k_b \sim 0.3 \pm 0.1 \text{ mm/MeV}$

- The effect of  $k_B$  uncertainty is 1.9%



# Estimation of energy scale uncertainty (2)

## Summary of energy scale uncertainties

4.3% (before purification) / 9.8% (after purification) / 9.0% (after Zen 400)

Energy selection should be set to obtain enough signal efficiency.

## Energy selection criteria

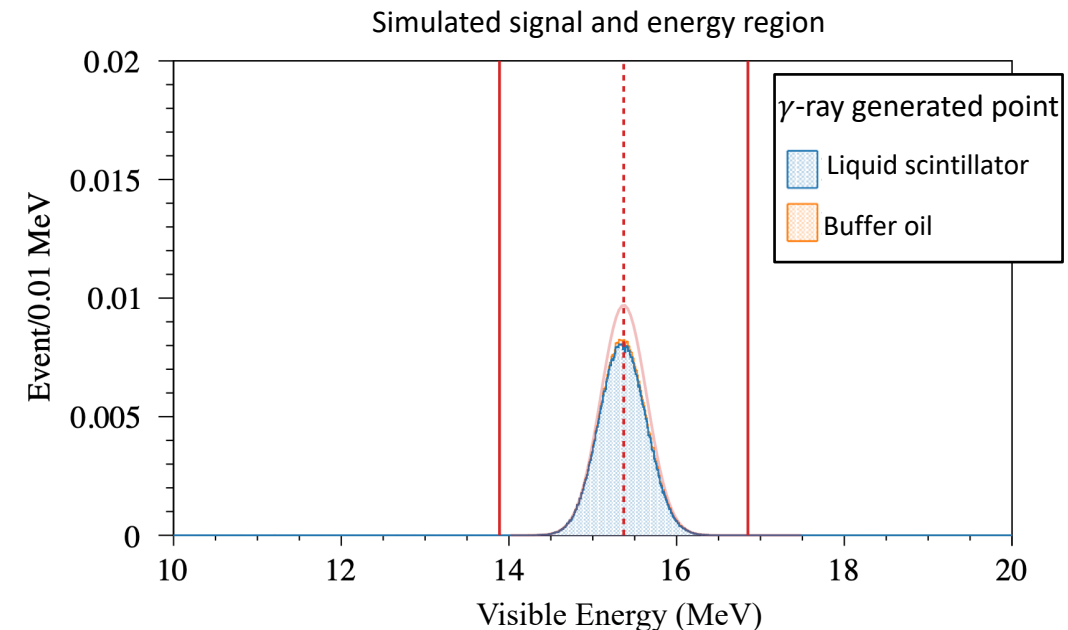
- Fit reconstructed 15.1 MeV  $\gamma$  spectrum
- Set energy range as  $\pm 3\sigma$  in addition to  $\text{mean} \times (\text{uncertainty})$

Before purification:  $13.89 \leq E \text{ [MeV]} \leq 16.85$

After purification:  $13.16 \leq E \text{ [MeV]} \leq 17.95$

After Zen 400:  $13.53 \leq E \text{ [MeV]} \leq 18.32$

- Under this selection, signal efficiency is **>99%**





# Conversion from observed cluster rate to SN rate

Tamman, G. A., et al, 1994

- Supernova rate is estimated from the observed historical supernovae.

- Contribution from type-II supernova at LMC, SMC is... ~0.5 /100 yr

TABLE 2

ABSOLUTE FREQUENCIES (in SNU) OF SUPERNOVAE OF DIFFERENT TYPES IN DIFFERENT TYPES OF GALAXIES

Supernova Type	GALAXY TYPE				
	E-S0	S0/a-Sa	Sab-Sb	Sbc-Sd	Sdm-Im
All types .....	0.25	0.17	0.53	1.29	1.40
Ia .....	0.25	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12
Ib .....	...	0.01	0.07	0.19	0.23
II .....	...	0.04	0.34	0.98	1.05

TABLE 4

SN FREQUENCIES IN LOCAL GROUP GALAXIES

PARAMETER	GALAXY AND TYPE			
	LMC Sm	SMC Im	M31 Sb	M33 Sc
$n$ (Ia) <sup>a</sup> .....	0.04	0.01	0.38	0.06
$n$ (II + Ib) <sup>a</sup> .....	0.45	0.11	0.83	0.62
$\tau$ (yr) .....	204	833	83	147

# Calculation of star formation rate

- Supernova rate  $R_{\text{SN}}$  and star formation rate  $\psi_{\text{SFR}}$  are linked by following equation.

$$R_{\text{SN}}(z) = \frac{\int_{m_l^{\text{SN}}}^{m_u^{\text{SN}}} \phi_{\text{IMF}}(m) dm}{\int_{m_l}^{m_u} m \phi_{\text{IMF}}(m) dm} \times \psi_{\text{SFR}}(z) \equiv k_{\text{SN}} \times \psi_{\text{SFR}}(z)$$

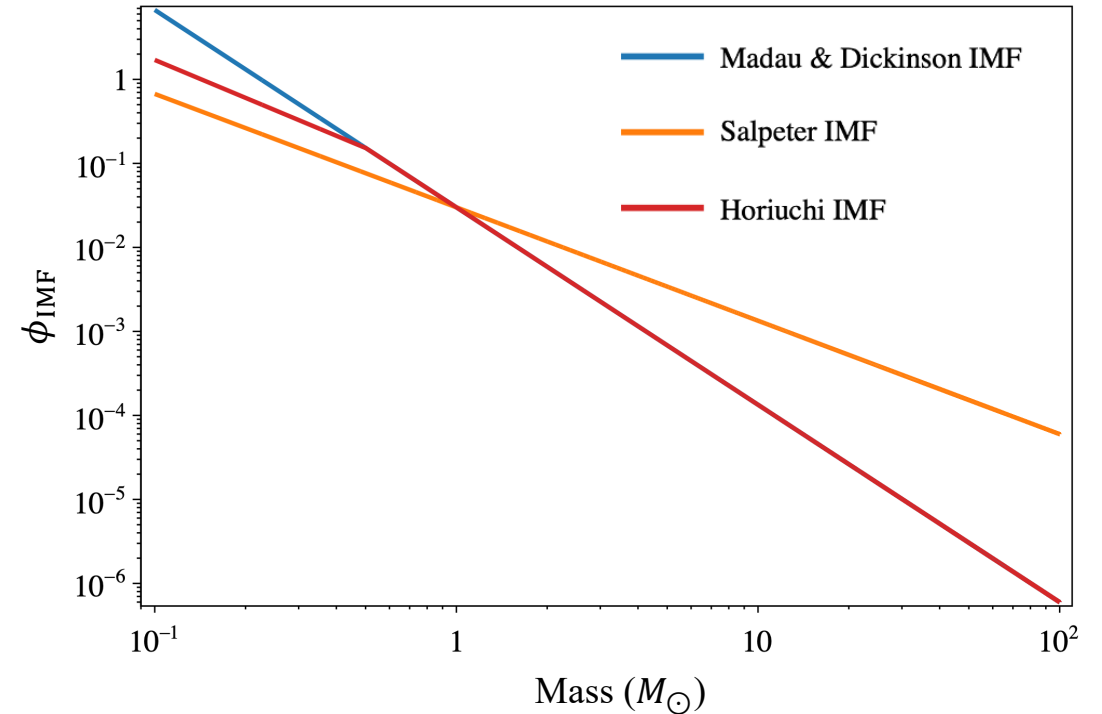
- ▣  $\phi_{\text{IMF}}$ : Initial Mass Function, IMF  
number distribution of star as a function of mass

$$\phi_{\text{IMF}} = 0.03 \left( \frac{m}{M_{\odot}} \right)^{-\gamma}$$

- ▣  $m_u^{\text{SN}}/m_l^{\text{SN}}$ : upper/lower limit of SN mass, 8–40  $M_{\odot}$
- ▣  $m_u/m_l$ : upper/lower limit of stellar mass, 0.1–100  $M_{\odot}$

$$\longrightarrow k_{\text{SN}} = 0.0068 - 0.0088 M_{\odot}^{-1}$$

Salpeter-type initial mass function



Original salpeter IMF:  $\gamma = -1.35$

Madau & Dickinson IMF:  $\gamma = -2.35$

Horiuchi IMF:  $\gamma = -1.5$  for 0.1–0.5  $M_{\odot}$   
 $\gamma = -2.35$  for 0.5–100  $M_{\odot}$

# Constraints on the SFR from astronomical observation

Murray & Rahman (2009)  $0.9 < \psi_{\text{SFR}}^{\text{gal}} [M_{\odot}\text{yr}^{-1}] < 2.2$

frequency of free-free radiation observed by WMAP (micro wave)

Robitaille & Whitney (2010)  $0.68 < \psi_{\text{SFR}}^{\text{gal}} [M_{\odot}\text{yr}^{-1}] < 1.45$

SFR set to reproduce observation result of Spitzer survey (infrared)

Chomiuk & Povich (2011)  $\psi_{\text{SFR}}^{\text{gal}} = 1.9 \pm 0.4 M_{\odot}\text{yr}^{-1}$

combined result of previous SFR estimations by normalizing with same initial mass function

Davis, et al (2011)  $1.5 < \psi_{\text{SFR}}^{\text{gal}} [M_{\odot}\text{yr}^{-1}] < 2.0$

SFR obtained by comparing simulation result and observed data of Midcourse Space Experiment

Licquia & Newman (2015)  $\psi_{\text{SFR}}^{\text{gal}} = 1.65 \pm 0.19 M_{\odot}\text{yr}^{-1}$

combined result of previous SFR estimations by Hierarchical Bayesian method

