

# Mass loss in LPCODE and MESA stellar evolution codes

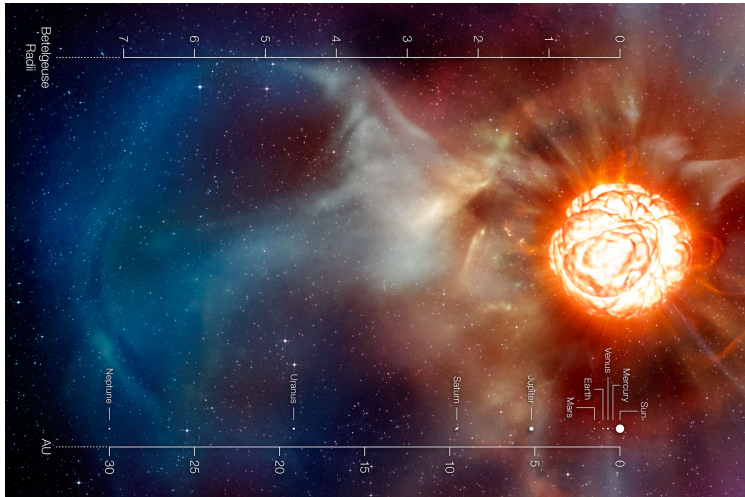
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# Introduction



# Goal

- To learn about mass loss in stellar evolution
- To compare evolutionary models
- To study the  $M_i - M_f$  relation as a function of  $Z$

# Stellar evolution codes

Mass

Metallicity

LPCODE

La Plata

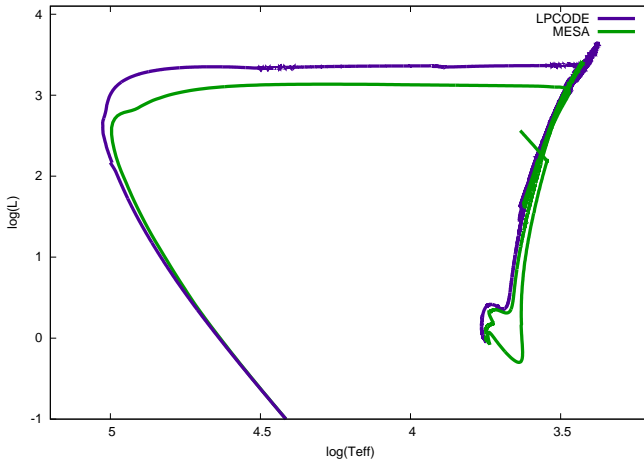
$$0.5 \leq \frac{M_*}{M_\odot} \leq 7$$

MESA

Free

$$\sim 100M_\odot$$

# Comparing evolutionary tracks



# Mass loss

 $L^\alpha$  $M^\beta$  $R^\gamma$  $T_{eff}^\delta$  $Z^\epsilon$  $P^\zeta$ 

LPCODE

Reimers - RGB

Vasiliadis &amp; Wood - AGB

MESA

Vink - RGB

van Loon - AGB

$$M_i = 2M_\odot$$

$$Z_i = 0.04$$

$$L_* = 1536L_\odot$$

$$M_* = 1.03M_\odot$$

$$R_* = 150R_\odot$$

$$T_{eff} = 2910K$$

# Mass loss

$$\text{Vassiliadis \& Wood} - \dot{M} = 10^{-7.83} \left[ \frac{M_{\odot}}{\text{yr}} \right]$$

$$\log \dot{M} \left[ \frac{M_{\odot}}{\text{yr}} \right] = -11.4 + 0.0125 \left[ P - 100 \left( \frac{M}{M_{\odot}} - 2.5 \right) \right] \quad (1)$$

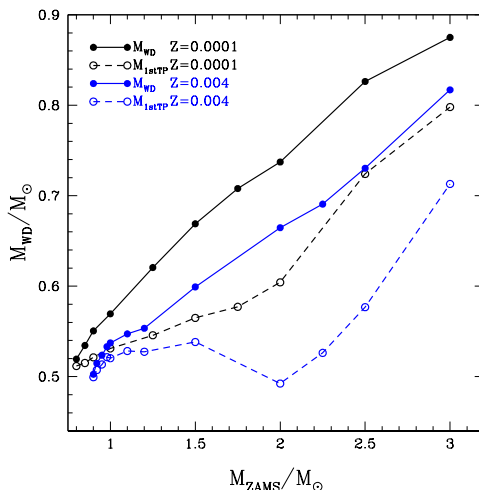
$$\log P [\text{days}] = -2.07 + 1.94 \log \frac{R}{R_{\odot}} - 0.9 \log \frac{M}{M_{\odot}} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{van Loon} - \dot{M} = 10^{-6} \left[ \frac{M_{\odot}}{\text{yr}} \right]$$

$$\log \dot{M} \left[ \frac{M_{\odot}}{\text{yr}} \right] = -5.65 + 1.05 \log \left( \frac{L}{10^4 L_{\odot}} - 6.3 \log \left( \frac{T_{\text{eff}}}{3500\text{K}} \right) \right) \quad (3)$$

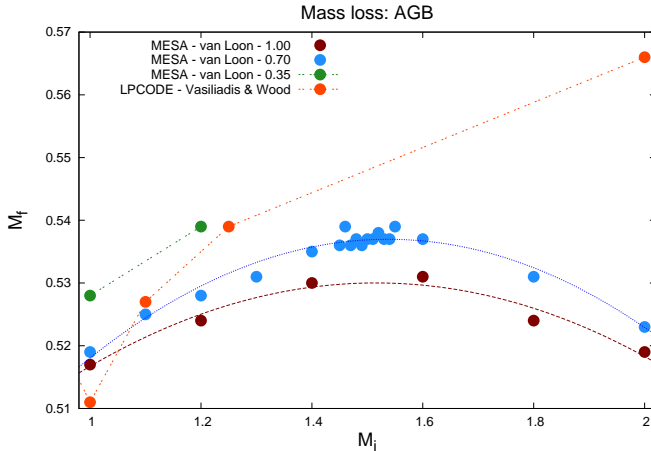
# Initial-to-final mass relation

Romero, *et. al*, 2015



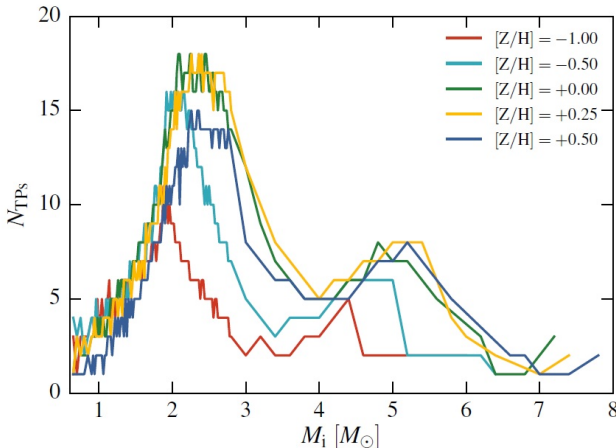


# Results and discussion

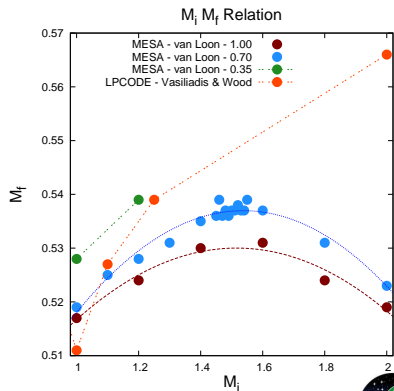
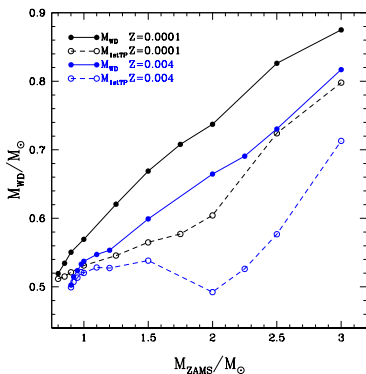


# Number of thermal pulses

Choi, *et. al*, 2016



# Discussion



# Conclusion



Attention!

Nonphysical results



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