

Massive widowed stars:



Runaways and walkaways from binary disruptions

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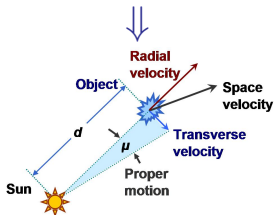
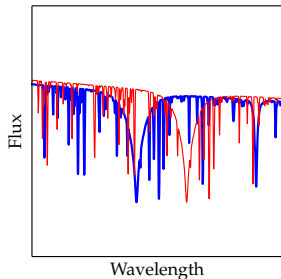
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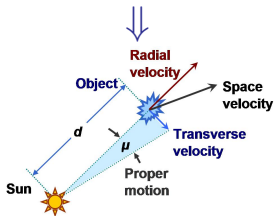
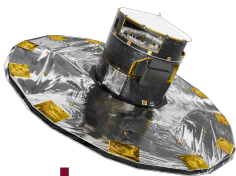
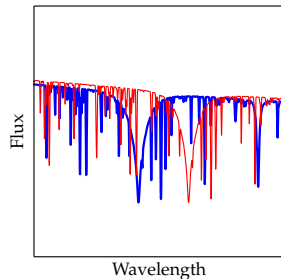
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(typically) least massive thrown out.

Binaries matter...

- (Binding) Energy reservoir
- Cross section $\propto a^2 \gg R_*^2$

Poveda *et al.*, 1967

..but don't necessarily leave imprints!

Very Preliminary!

Spectral analysis:

$$M_{\text{ZAMS}} = 150.0_{-17.4}^{+28.7} M_{\odot}$$

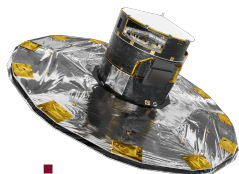
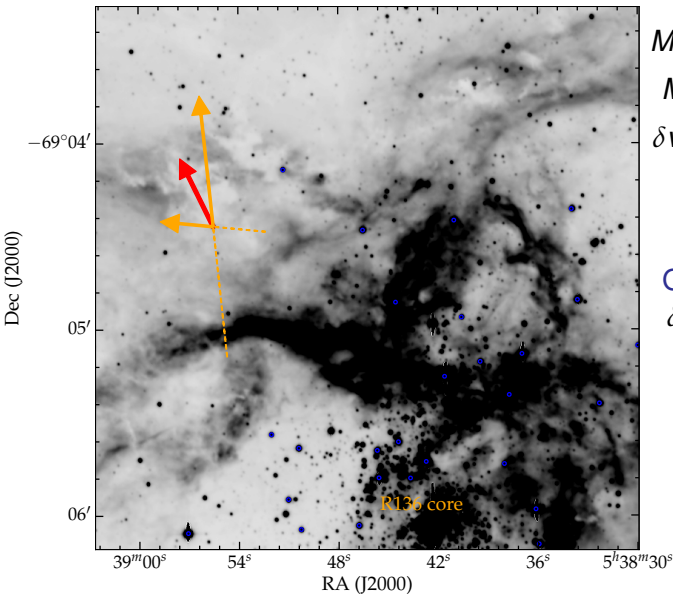
$$M_{\text{now}} = 137.8_{-15.9}^{+27.5} M_{\odot}$$

$$\delta v_{\text{LOS}} \simeq 30 \pm 10 \text{ km s}^{-1}$$

Evans *et al.*, '11Schneider *et al.*, '18

Gaia DR2 astrometry:

$$\delta v_{\parallel} \simeq 34 \pm 17 \text{ km s}^{-1}$$

Renzo *et al.*, in prep.**gaia**

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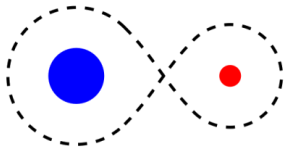
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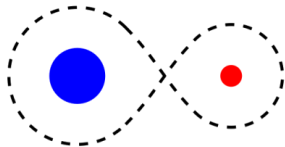
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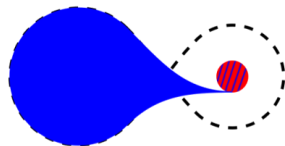
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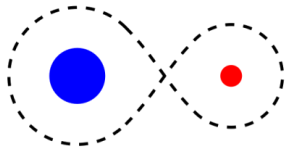
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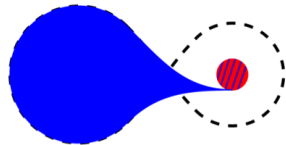
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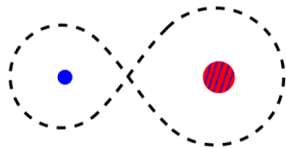
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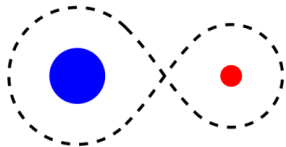
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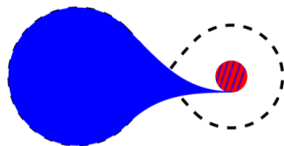
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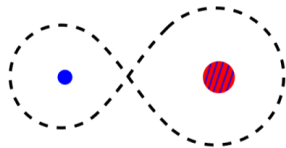
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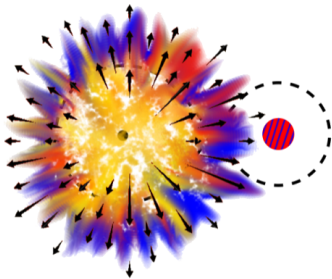
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Core Collapse & Disruption



The binary disruption shoots out the accretor

Spin up: Packet '81, Cantiello *et al.* '07, de Mink *et al.* '13

Pollution: Blaauw '93

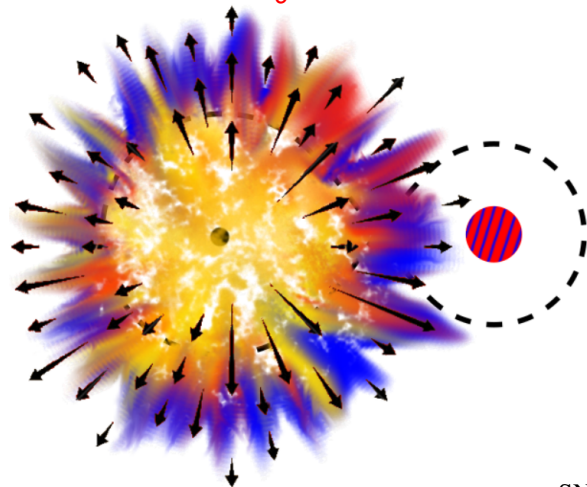
Rejuvenation: Hellings '83, Schneider *et al.* '15

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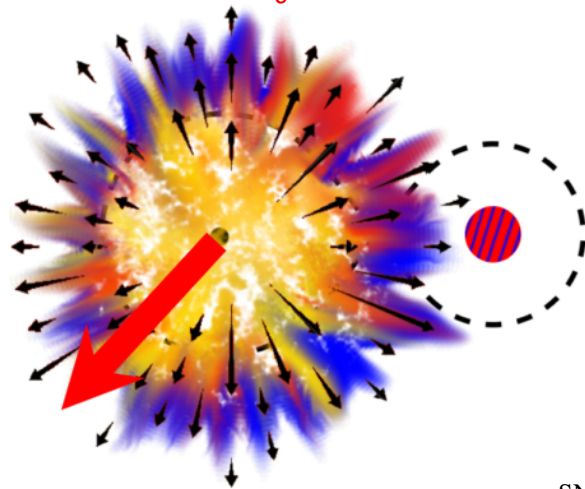
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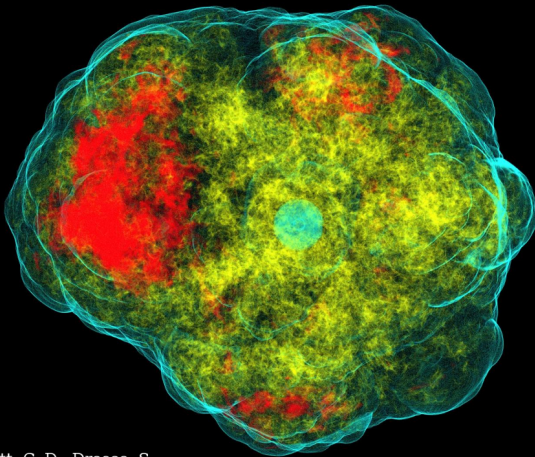
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SN natal kick

Observationally: $v_{\text{pulsar}} \gg v_{\text{OB-stars}}$

Physically: ν emission and/or ejecta anisotropies



Credits: Ott, C. D., Drasco, S.

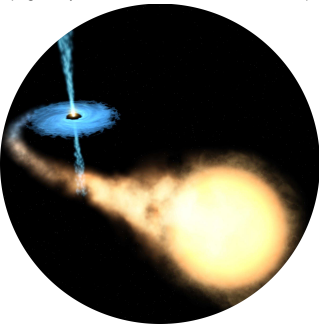
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Do BH receive natal kicks?

Spatial distribution
of X-ray binaries

(e.g., Repetto *et al.* '12,'15,'16, Mandel '16)

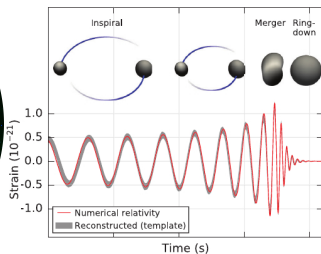


Massive (and WR)
runaways

(Dray *et al.* '05)



Disrupted binaries are
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Constraints on binary physics

- Orbital evolution \Leftrightarrow pre-SN period
- Mass transfer efficiency \Leftrightarrow pre-SN M_2
- Angular momentum loss \Leftrightarrow isotropic re-emission, circumbinary disk, etc.



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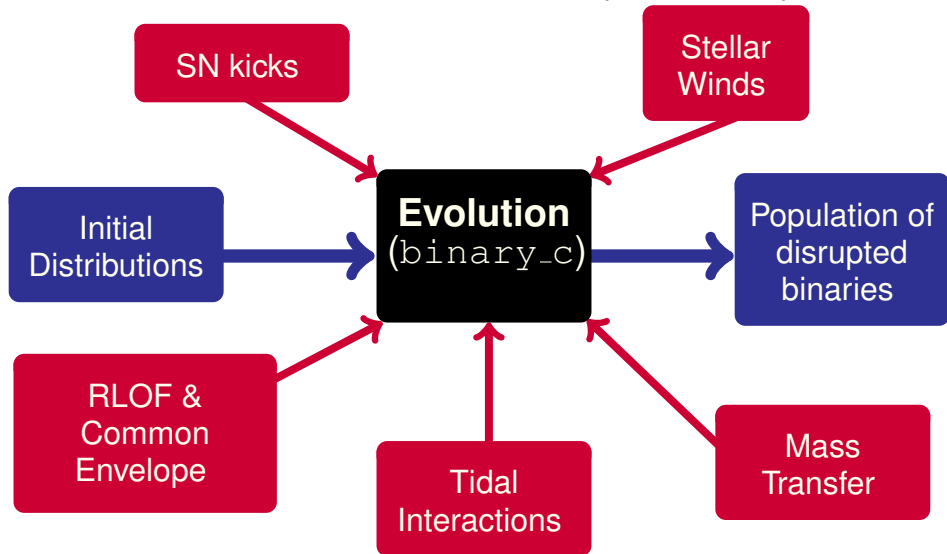
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What I do: Population Synthesis



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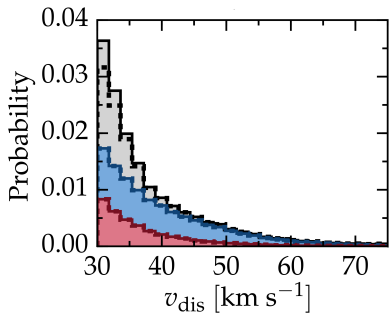
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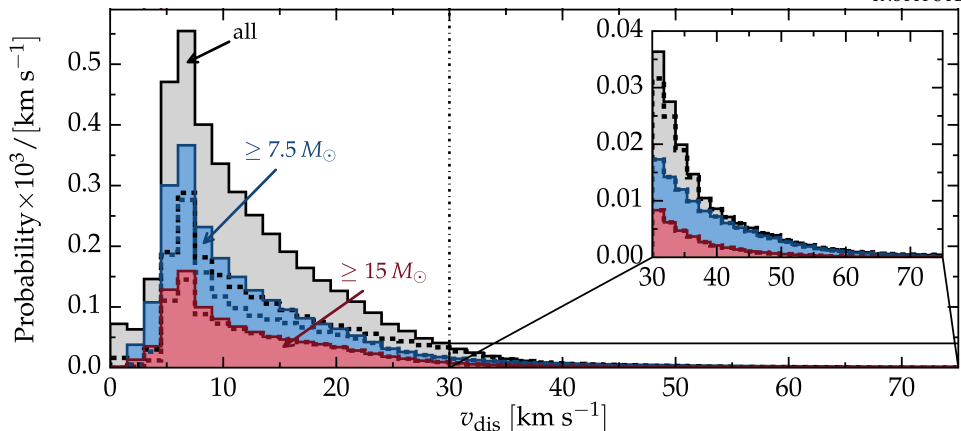
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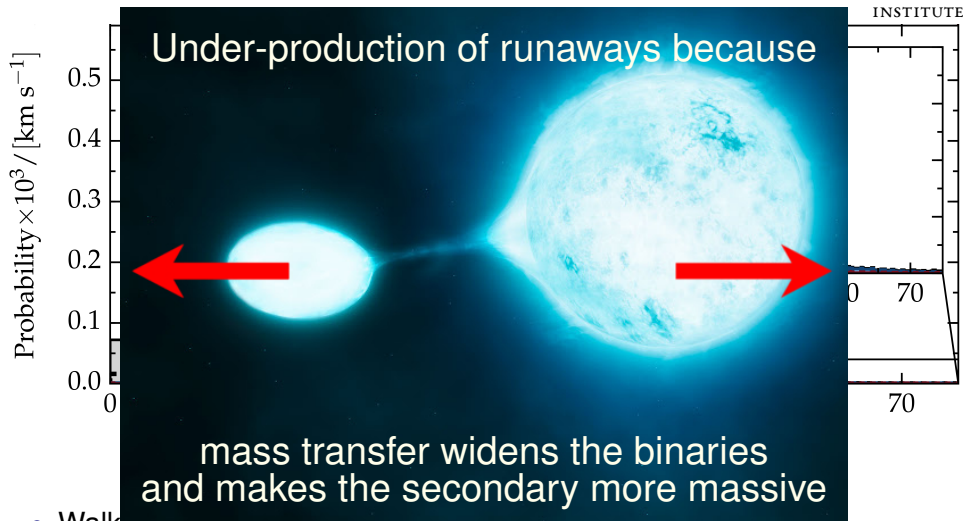
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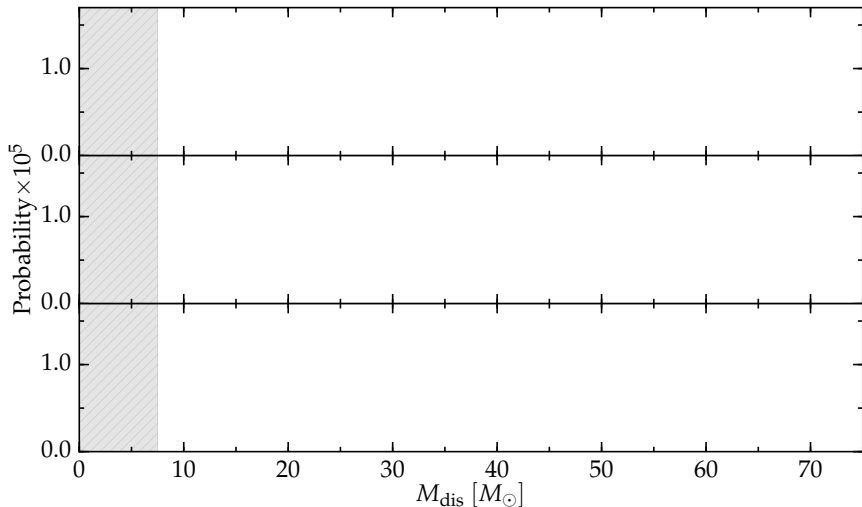
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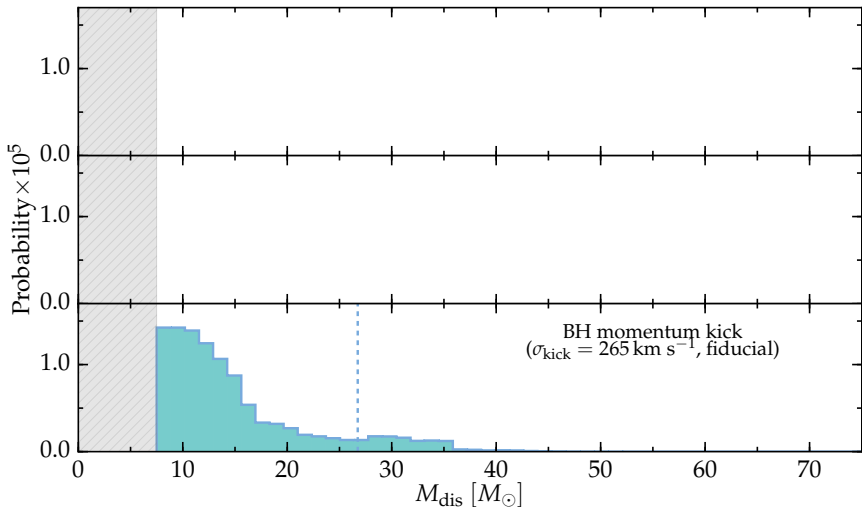
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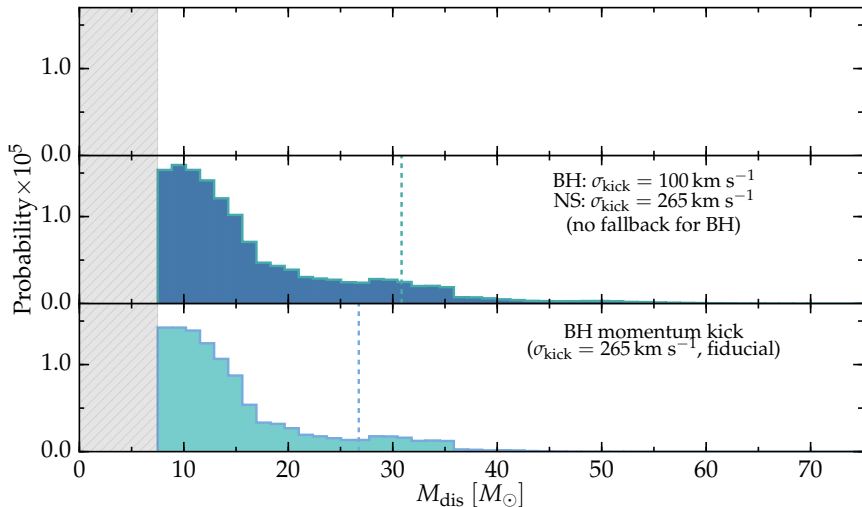
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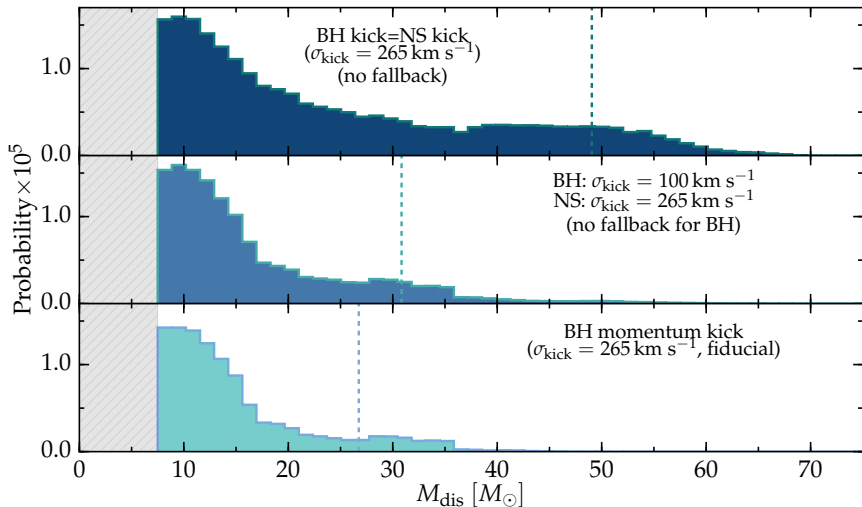
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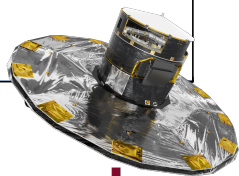
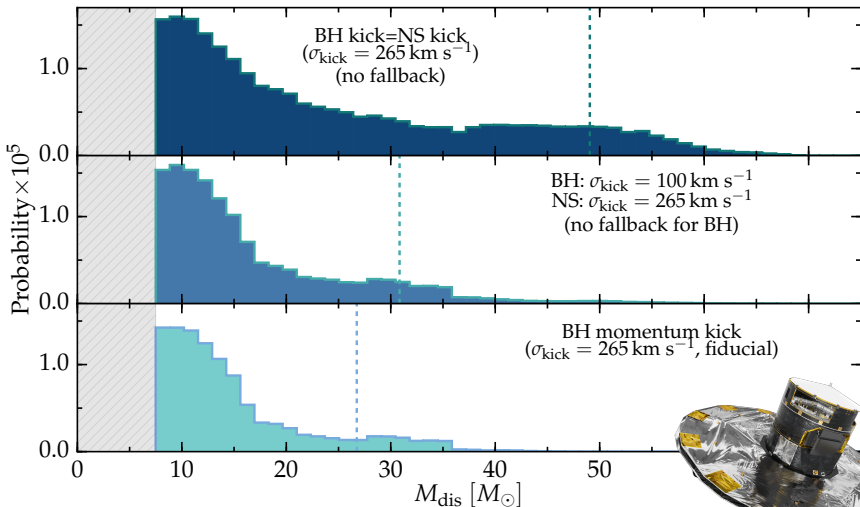
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| | | 0.03 | 88 | 0.5 | 10.0 |

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(but less bad at low Z)

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$\sim \frac{2}{3}$ of runaways from
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Runaway fraction for O-type **too low!**



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| Physical Assumptions | Parameter | value | \mathcal{D} [%] | f_{15}^{RW} [%] | f_{15}^{WA} [%] |
|--|-------------------------------|---|----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Fiducial population | | see Sec. 2 | 86 | 0.5 | 10.1 |
| Mass transfer efficiency | β_{RLOF} | 0 | 86 | 0.3 | 1.5 |
| | | 0.5 | 87 | 1.2 | 8.6 |
| | | 1 | 87 | 0.7 | 14.7 |
| Angular momentum loss | γ_{RLOF} | γ_{disk} | 85 | 0.2 | 7.3 |
| | | 1 | 86 | 0.6 | 9.9 |
| Common envelope efficiency | α_{CE} | 0.1 | 86 | 0.5 | 10.1 |
| | | 10 | 84 | 0.5 | 10.0 |
| Mass ratio for case A merger | $q_{\text{crit, A}}$ | 0.80 | 86 | 0.5 | 10.2 |
| | | 0.25 | 86 | 0.6 | 9.4 |
| Mass ratio for case B merger | $q_{\text{crit, B}}$ | 1.0 | 89 | 0.0 | 5.0 |
| | | 0.0 | 85 | 0.6 | 10.1 |
| Natal kick velocity | σ_{kick} | 0 | 16 | - | 0.0 |
| | | 300 | 87 | 0.6 | 10.3 |
| | | 1000 | 91 | 1.2 | 11.2 |
| Natal kick amplitude | $(\sigma_{\text{kick}}, f_b)$ | (100, 0) | 84 | 0.3 | 8.7 |
| Double maxwellian with $\sigma_{\text{kick}} = 30 \text{ km s}^{-1}$ | | for $M_{\text{NS}} \leq 1.35$ | 65 | 0.5 | 4.9 |
| Restricted kick directions | | $\alpha < 10 \text{ deg}$ | 87 | 0.6 | 10.3 |
| | | $\frac{\pi}{2} - \alpha < 45 \text{ deg}$ | 86 | 0.5 | 10.0 |
| Fallback fraction | f_b | 0 | 97 | 1.5 | 12.1 |
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How far do they get?

