

Developments in Dynamic Modelling

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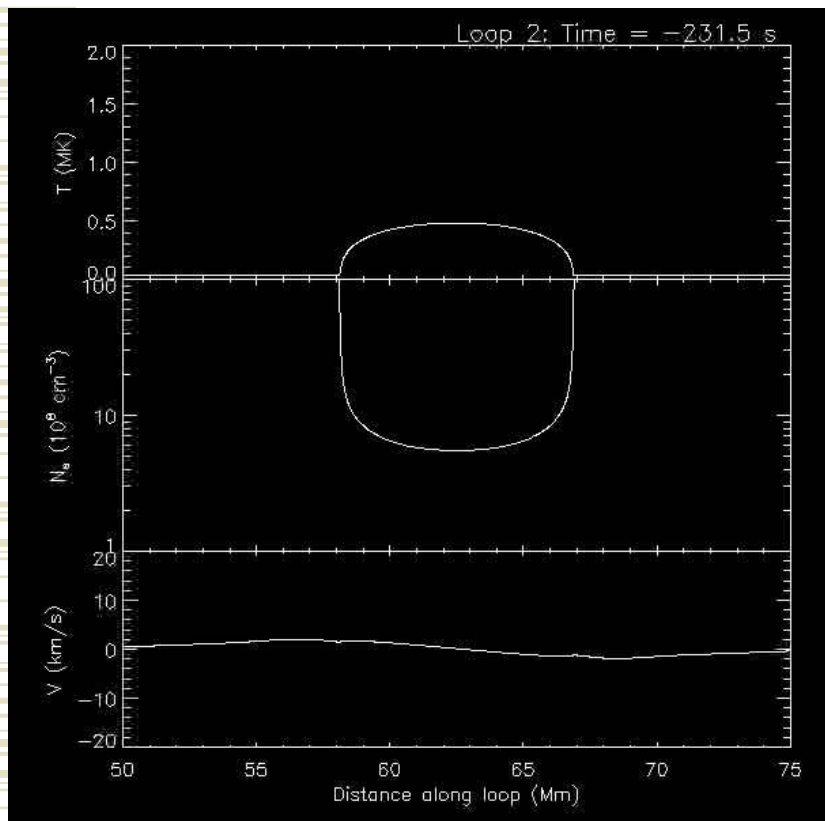
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motivationS

- Understanding the structure and dynamics of the Sun's TR and inner corona
 - Recent observations revealed a wealth of dynamic fine-scale structures. Partial explanation of why static models on hot large-scale loops could not match observations
 - Reproducing the observed emission measure ($\propto \int N_e^2 dV$) and persistent red-shift ($F(T)$).
 - Presence of small network cool loops constituents of TR (SOHO/SUMER)
 - Nanoflares heating

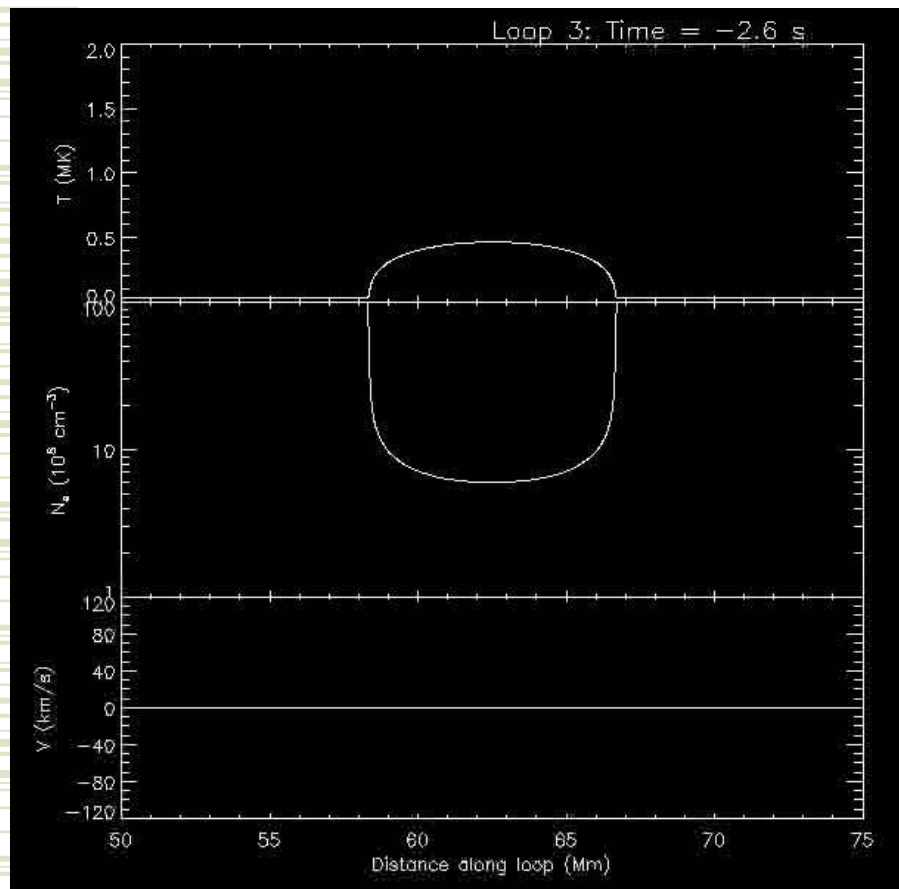
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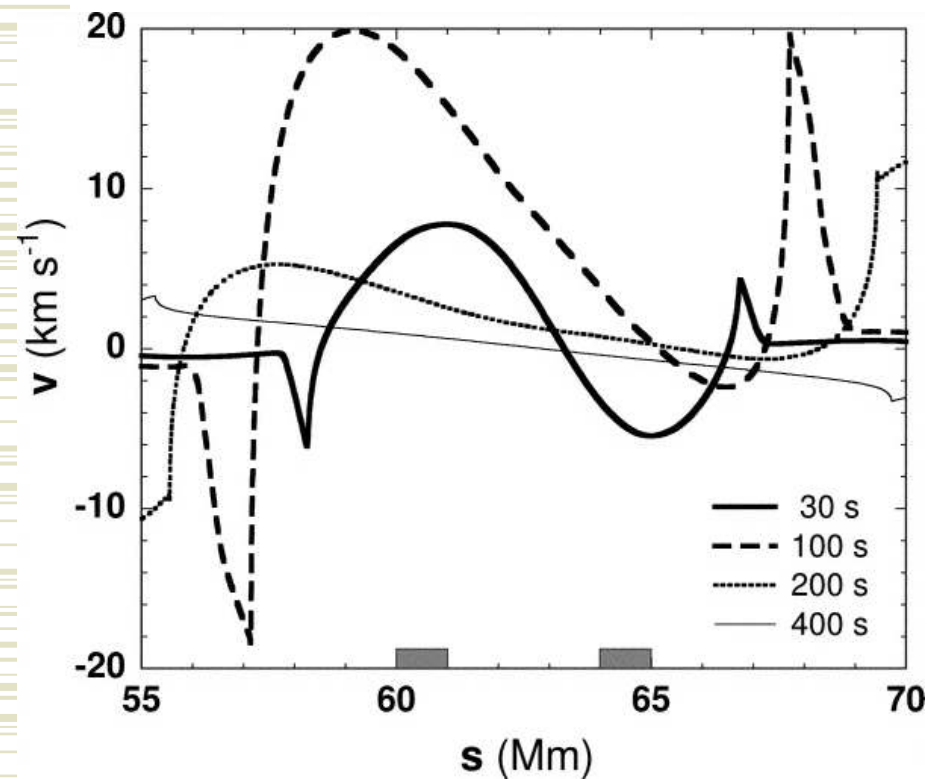
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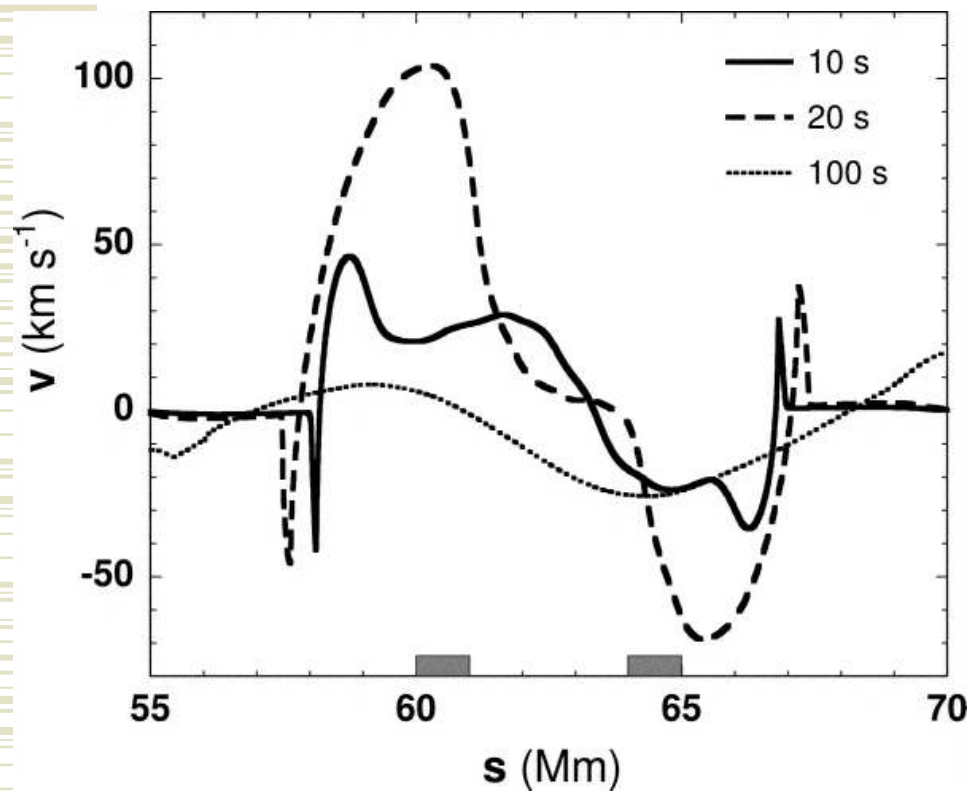
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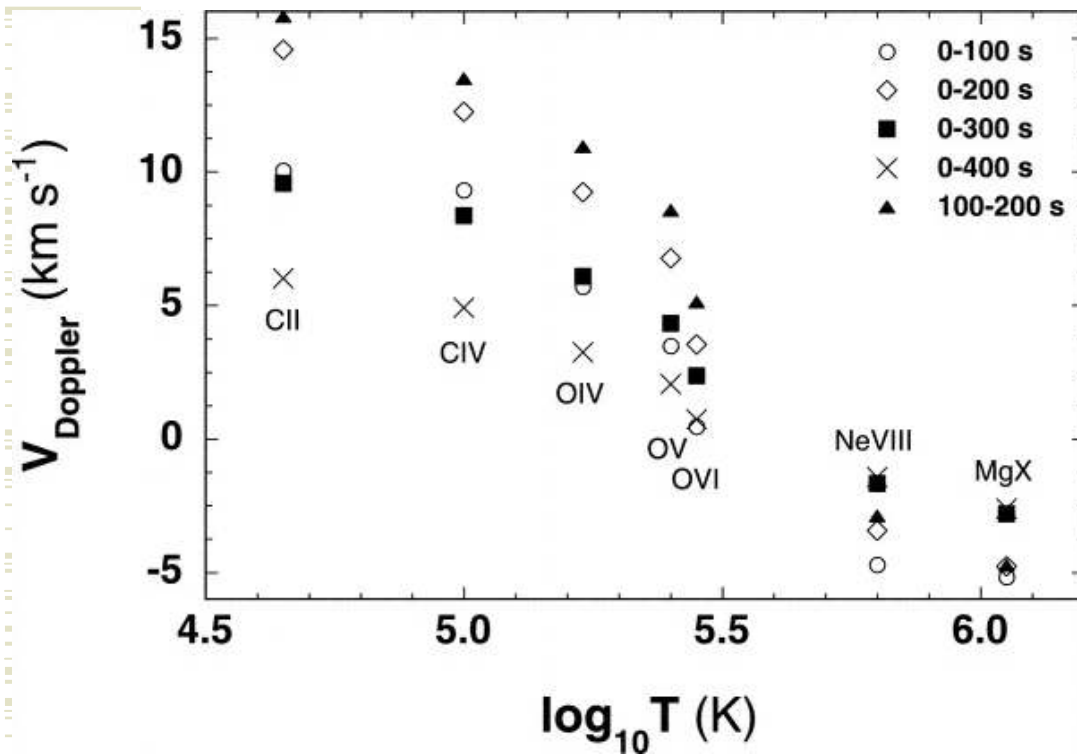
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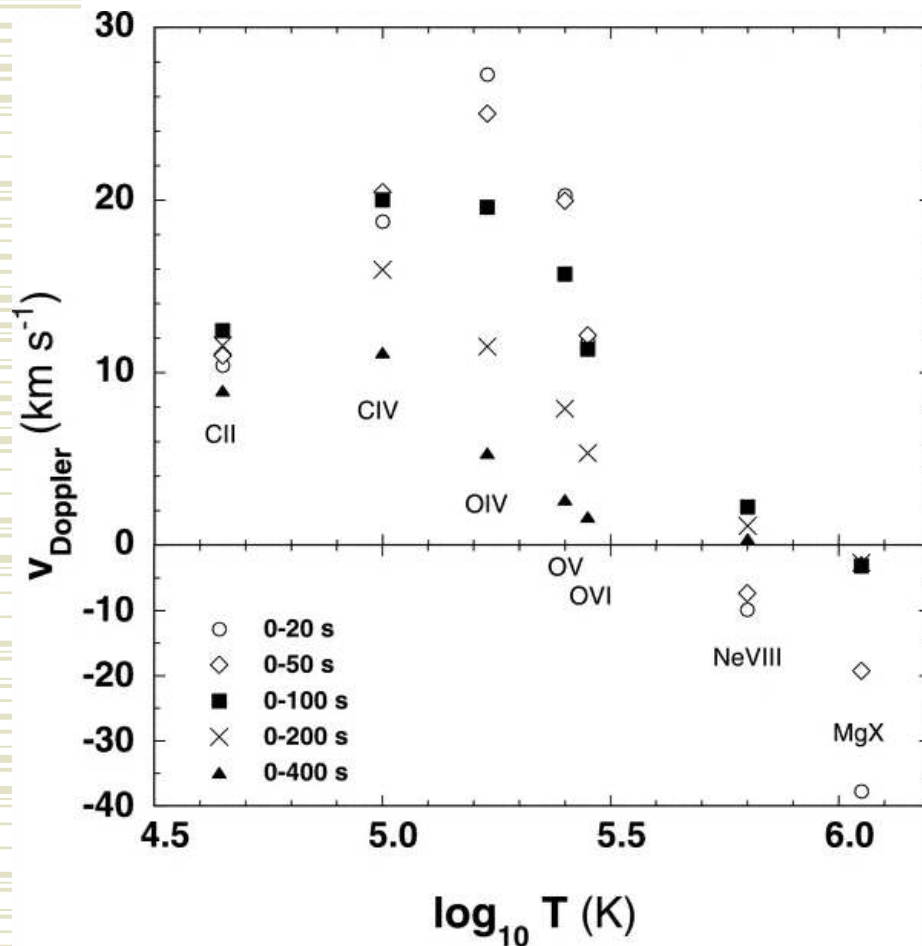
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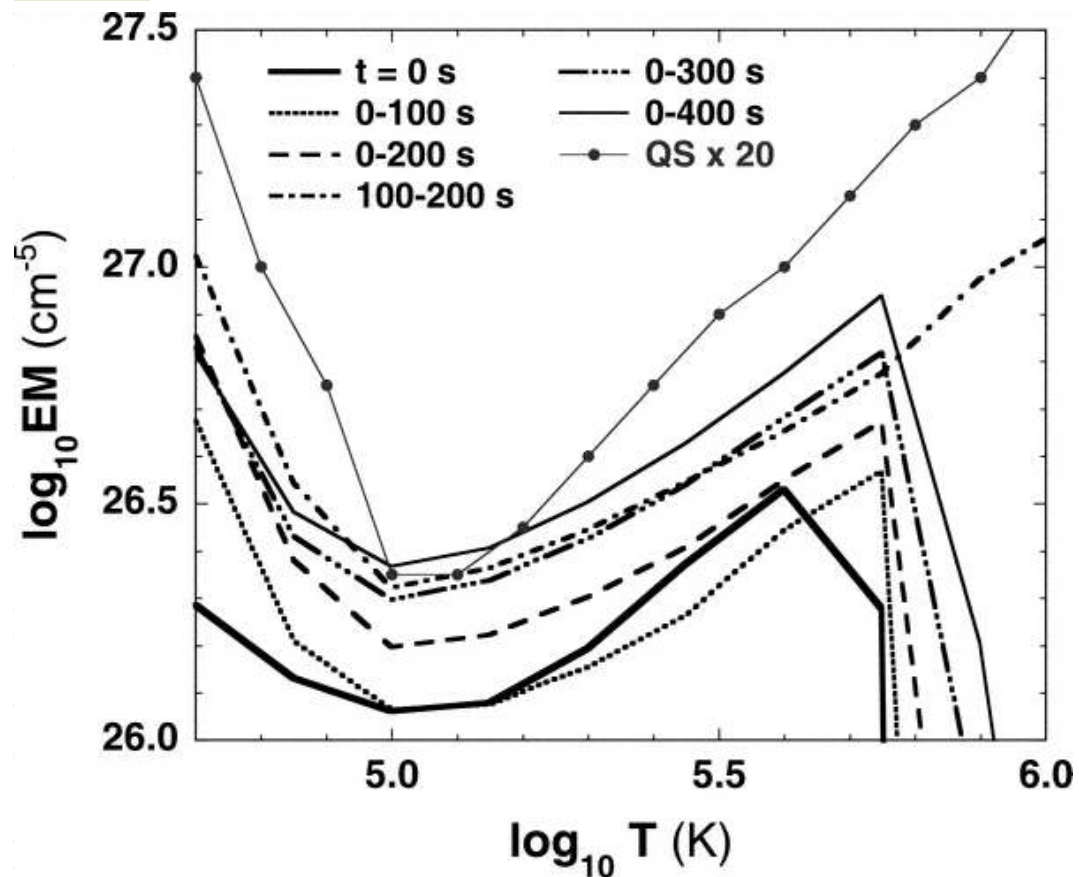
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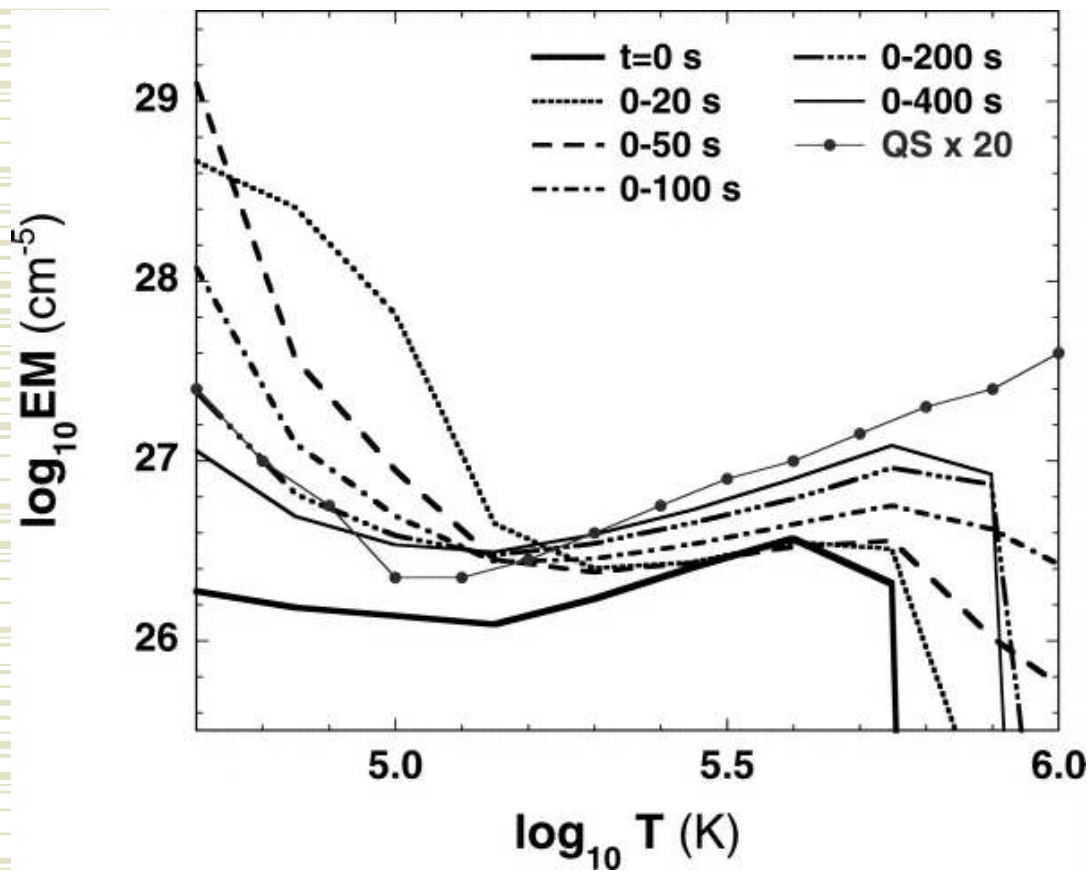
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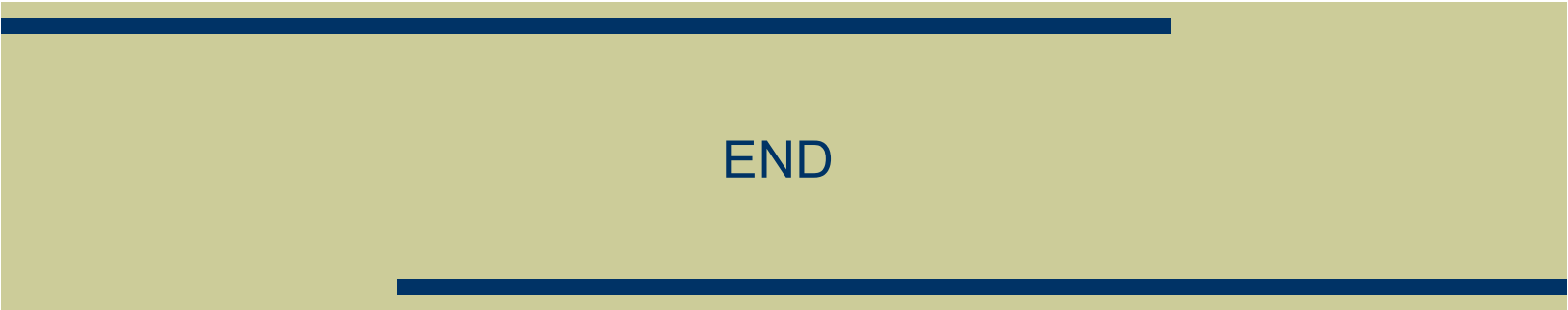
Aims of the project



- Dynamic modelling of major diagnostics: ions of C, O, Ne, Mg, Si, Fe
 - Computation of electron impact x-secs
 - Production of GCR coefficients
 - Update statistical balance code (population densities in dynamical plasma)
 - Application to HD simulations already done plus new (bundles of loops, different regimes, etc.):

Status of the project

- Started april 2005 (glasgow work-in)
- Collaborators/Consultants: H. Summers, A. Whiteford, M. O'Mullane, M. Witthoef, C. Ballance, N. Badnell, D. Spadaro, N. Lanza
- COMETA/TriGrid grant 2007-2008 (post-graduate research contract – Francesco Marziani)
 - R-max calculation on Sicilian (Trinacria) GRID
- PhD at Strathclyde University /RAL / JET (Alessandra Giunta start January 2007)
- GCR coefficients available for C, O, Ne (need update?)
- Currently concentrating on Mg ions
- Some work still needed on coding for GCR coefficients?
- Future developments: Fe, Si, update O, C, Ne?



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