



# LOCV Calculations for Maximum mass of Neutron stars

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# Introduction

-Equation of state

EOS of dense matter

-density and temperature dependence

-Microscopic EOS

BHF, FHNC, .....

Lowest Order Constrained Variational Method

L O C V

1977-79: Symmetrical Nuclear Matter , Reid68 Jop(1979)  
Bishop,Irvine,Modarres

80's :Asymmetrical Nuclear Matter, Reid68,  
 $\Delta$  -Reid MM jop(1982)  
Neutron Matter MM jop(1985) MM Cjop(1989)

90's: UV14,AV14, 3-body cluster energy, T#0  
MM PRC(98) MM PRC(97) HRM,MM JOPG(98)24

00's: b-stable matter, He3 ,electron gas T=0, T#0  
HRM PRC(2000), HRM,MM EJOPB(2004), MM,HRM  
EjopB(2003)  
Reid93, ELOCV,  
MM,HRM PTP (2004) HRM,MM EJOPB(2004) HRM  
NPA(2008,2009)

10's: finite Nuclei, Lattice, RLOCV  
MM NPA(2011,2012) HRM(2010,2013,2014)

Three Body Forces?

# THE LOCV FORMALISM

trial wave functions for many-body  
interacting system

$$\Psi(1\dots A) = F(1\dots A)\Phi(1\dots A)$$

$\Phi$  : uncorrelated ground state wave function

$F$  : A-body correlation operator which is assumed to  
have the Jastrow type

$$F = S \prod_{i>j} f(ij)$$

$$f(ij) = \sum_{\alpha,p=1}^3 f_{\alpha}^p(ij; \mathbf{T}) O_{\alpha}^p(ij)$$

$$\alpha = \{J, L, S, T, T_z\}$$

for uncoupled  
channels,  $p=1$   
for coupled  
channels,  $p=2,3$

$$O_{\alpha}^{p=1,3} = 1, \left(\frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{6}S_{12}\right), \left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{6}S_{12}\right)$$

The general form of **AV18**  
potential

$$V(12) = \sum_{p=1}^{18} V^p(r_{12})O_{12}^p$$

cluster expansion for the expectation value of our  
Hamiltonian

$$E[f] = \frac{1}{A} \frac{\langle \Psi | H | \Psi \rangle}{\langle \Psi | \Psi \rangle} = E_1 + E_{MB} \cong E_1 + E_2$$

$$E_1 = \sum_{i=n,p} \frac{\hbar^2}{2m \rho \pi^2} \frac{\rho_i}{\rho} \int_0^{\infty} k^4 n_i(k) dk$$

$$n_i(k) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\exp[(\varepsilon_i(k) - \mu)\beta] + 1} & T > 0 \\ \Theta(k_F - |k|) & T = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\varepsilon_i(k) = \frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{2m^*}$$

$$E_2 = \frac{1}{2A} \sum_{ij} \langle ij | W(12) | ij - ji \rangle$$

$$W(12) = -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} [f(12), [\nabla_{12}^2, f(12)]] + f(12) V(12) f(12)$$

After some tedious algebra:

$\gamma_{\alpha}^{ij}(r)$  are the matrix elements of different terms of the AV18 potential taken with respect to the plane-waves

$$E_2 = \frac{2}{\pi^4 \rho} \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \sum_{JLSTT_z} \left| \left\langle \frac{1}{2} \tau_{z1} \frac{1}{2} \tau_{z2} | TT_z \right\rangle \right|^2 (2J+1) \frac{1}{2} \{1 - (-1)^{L+S+T}\}$$

$$\times \int_0^{\infty} dr \{ [f_{\alpha}^{(1)2} a_{\alpha}^{(1)2}(rT) + \frac{2m}{\hbar^2} \gamma_{\alpha}^{11}(r) a_{\alpha}^{(1)2}(rT) + \gamma_{\alpha}^{12}(r) c_{\alpha}^{(1)2}(rT) f_{\alpha}^{(1)2}]$$

$$+ [f_{\alpha}^{(2)2} a_{\alpha}^{(2)2}(rT) + \frac{2m}{\hbar^2} (\gamma_{\alpha}^{21}(r) a_{\alpha}^{(2)2}(rT) + \gamma_{\alpha}^{22}(r) c_{\alpha}^{(2)2}(rT) + \gamma_{\alpha}^{23}(r) d_{\alpha}^{(2)2}(rT)) f_{\alpha}^{(2)2}]$$

$$+ [f_{\alpha}^{(3)2} a_{\alpha}^{(3)2}(rT) + \frac{2m}{\hbar^2} (\gamma_{\alpha}^{31}(r) a_{\alpha}^{(3)2}(rT) + \gamma_{\alpha}^{32}(r) b_{\alpha}^{(3)2}(rT) + \gamma_{\alpha}^{33}(r) c_{\alpha}^{(3)2}(rT) + \gamma_{\alpha}^{34}(r) d_{\alpha}^{(3)2}(rT)) f_{\alpha}^{(3)2}]$$

$$+ \frac{2m}{\hbar^2} \gamma_{\alpha}^{32}(r) b_{\alpha}^{(2)2}(rT) f_{\alpha}^{(3)} f_{\alpha}^{(2)} + \frac{1}{r^2} (f_{\alpha}^{(2)} - f_{\alpha}^{(3)})^2 b_{\alpha}^{(2)2}(rT) \}$$

The normalization function:

$$\langle \Psi | \Psi \rangle = 1 + \frac{1}{2!} \chi_2 + \frac{1}{3!} \chi_3 + \dots$$

employed constraint which introduces a Lagrange multiplier  $\lambda$

$$\chi_2 = \frac{1}{A} \sum_{ij} \langle ij | h_{T_z}^2(12) - f^2(12) | ij - ji \rangle = 0$$

modified Pauli function

$$h_{T_z}(r) = \begin{cases} \left[ 1 - \frac{9}{2} \left( \frac{J_1(k_i^F r)}{k_i^F r} \right)^2 \right]^{-\frac{1}{2}} & T_z = \pm 1 \\ 1 & T_z = 0 \end{cases}$$



minimizing the two-body  
cluster energy



one uncoupled and two  
coupled Euler–Lagrange  
differential equations

$$g_{\alpha}^{(1)} - \left[ \frac{a_{\alpha}^{(1)''}}{a_{\alpha}^{(1)}} + \frac{m}{\hbar^2} (\gamma_{\alpha}^{11}(r) + \lambda) + \frac{m}{\hbar^2} \gamma_{\alpha}^{12}(r) \frac{c_{\alpha}^{(1)2}}{a_{\alpha}^{(1)}} \right] g_{\alpha}^{(1)} = 0$$

$$g_{\alpha}^{(k)}(r) = a_{\alpha}^{(k)}(r) f_{\alpha}^{(k)}(r)$$

$$g_{\alpha}^{(2)} - \left[ \frac{a_{\alpha}^{(2)''}}{a_{\alpha}^{(2)}} + \frac{m}{\hbar^2} (\gamma_{\alpha}^{21}(r) + \lambda) + \frac{m}{\hbar^2} \gamma_{\alpha}^{22}(r) \frac{c_{\alpha}^{(2)2}}{a_{\alpha}^{(2)2}} + \frac{m}{\hbar^2} \gamma_{\alpha}^{23}(r) \frac{d_{\alpha}^{(2)2}}{a_{\alpha}^{(2)2}} + \frac{b_{\alpha}^2}{r^2 a_{\alpha}^{(2)2}} \right] g_{\alpha}^{(2)} \\ + \left[ \frac{1}{r^2} - \frac{m}{2\hbar^2} \gamma_{\alpha}^{32}(r) \right] \frac{b_{\alpha}^2}{a_{\alpha}^{(2)} a_{\alpha}^{(3)}} g_{\alpha}^{(3)} = 0$$

$$g_{\alpha}^{(3)} - \left[ \frac{a_{\alpha}^{(3)''}}{a_{\alpha}^{(3)}} + \frac{m}{\hbar^2} (\gamma_{\alpha}^{31}(r) + \lambda) + \frac{m}{\hbar^2} \gamma_{\alpha}^{22}(r) \frac{c_{\alpha}^{(3)2}}{a_{\alpha}^{(3)2}} + \frac{m}{\hbar^2} \gamma_{\alpha}^{23}(r) \frac{d_{\alpha}^{(3)2}}{a_{\alpha}^{(3)2}} + \frac{b_{\alpha}^2}{r^2 a_{\alpha}^{(2)2}} \right] g_{\alpha}^{(3)} \\ + \left[ \frac{1}{r^2} - \frac{m}{2\hbar^2} \gamma_{\alpha}^{32}(r) \right] \frac{b_{\alpha}^2}{a_{\alpha}^{(2)} a_{\alpha}^{(3)}} g_{\alpha}^{(2)} = 0$$

# THREE BODY FORCE

three-body forces are included in our nuclear Hamiltonian for the purpose of reproducing the empirical saturation properties of cold asymmetric nuclear matter

the Urbana  
interaction

$$V_{ijk} = V_{ijk}^{2\pi} + V_{ijk}^R$$

two-body  
contribution

$$V_{ijk}^{2\pi} = A \sum_{cyc} (\{X_{ij}, X_{jk}\} \{\tau_i \cdot \tau_j, \tau_j \cdot \tau_k\} + \frac{1}{4} [X_{ij}, X_{jk}] [\tau_i \cdot \tau_j, \tau_j \cdot \tau_k])$$

The repulsive  
part

$$V_{ijk}^R = U \sum_{cyc} T(r_{ij})^2 T(r_{jk})^2$$

Y(r) and T(r) are the Yukawa and tensor functions associated with the one-pion exchange interaction

one-pion exchange  
operator

$$X_{ij} = Y(r_{ij}) \sigma_i \cdot \sigma_j + T(r_{ij}) S_{ij}$$

The strengths A and U are fitted in order to reproduce the empirical nuclear matter properties

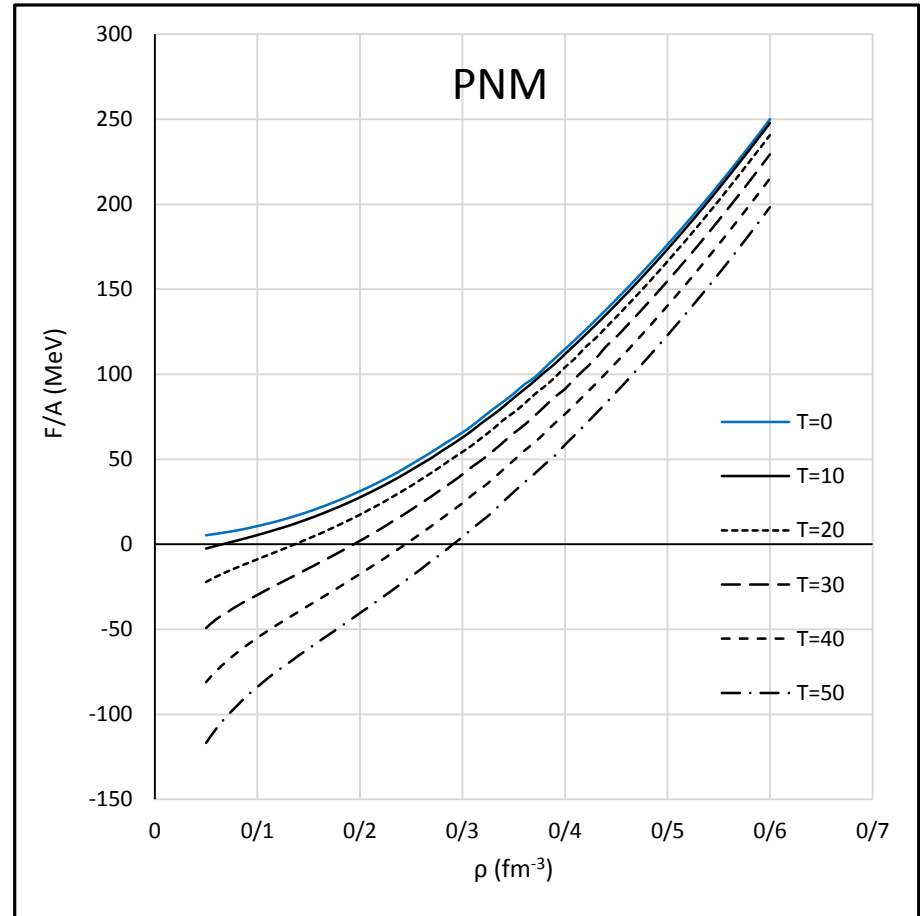
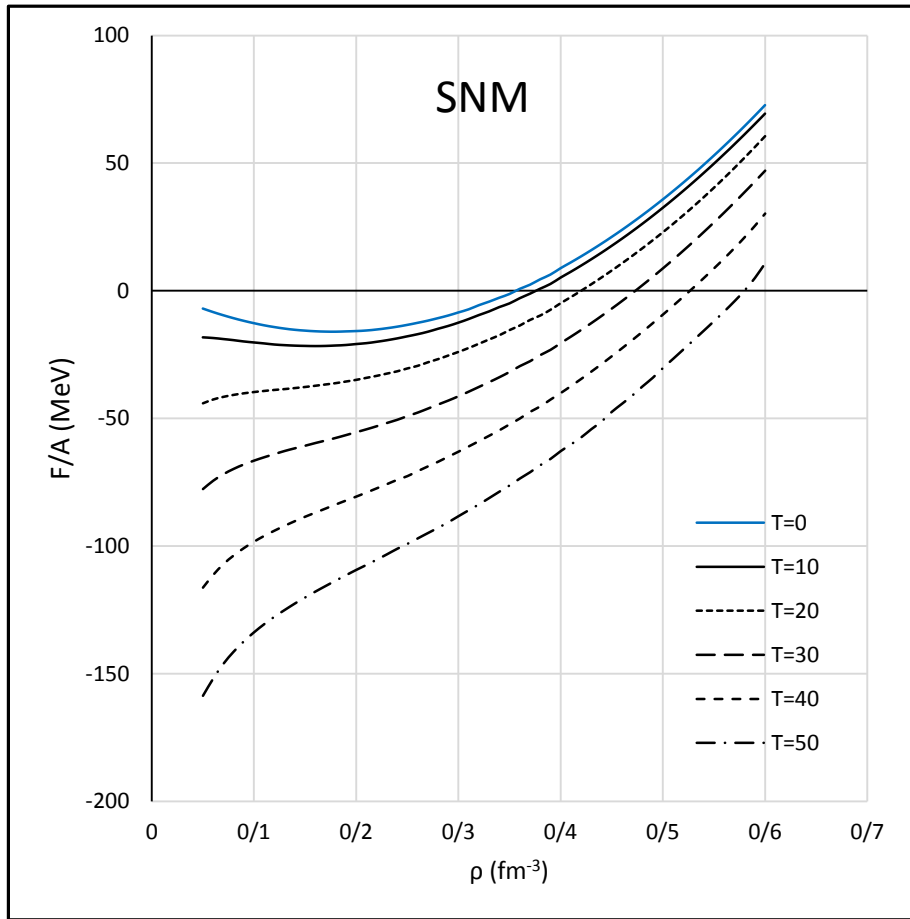


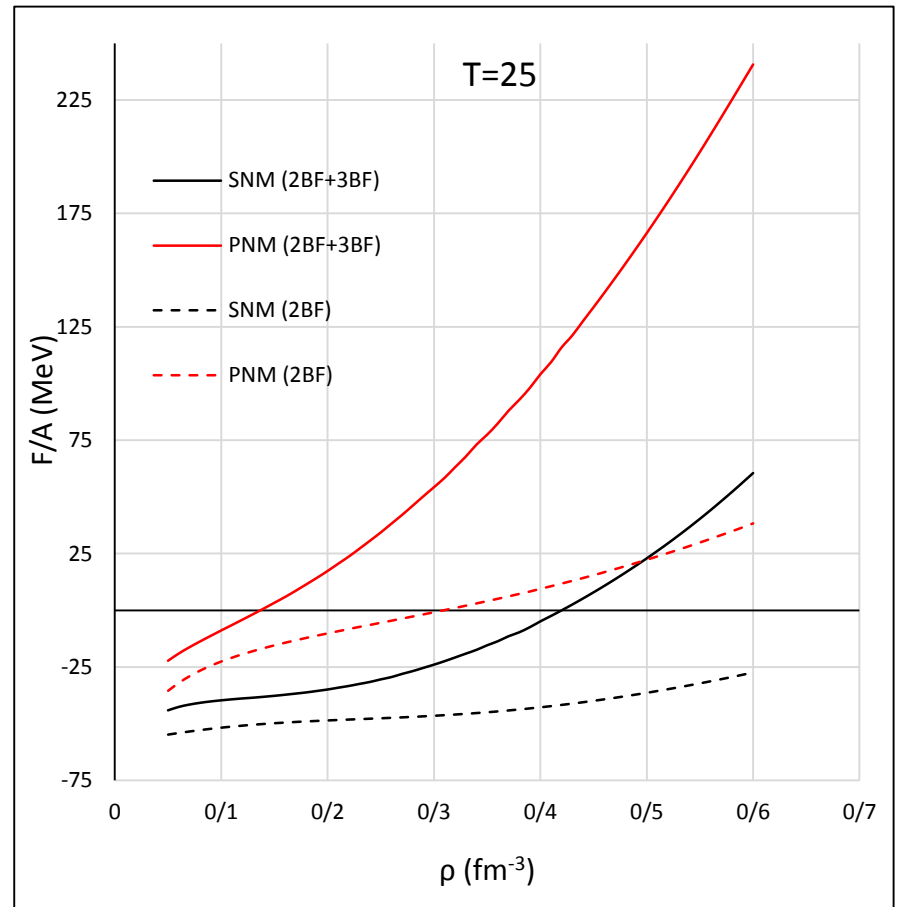
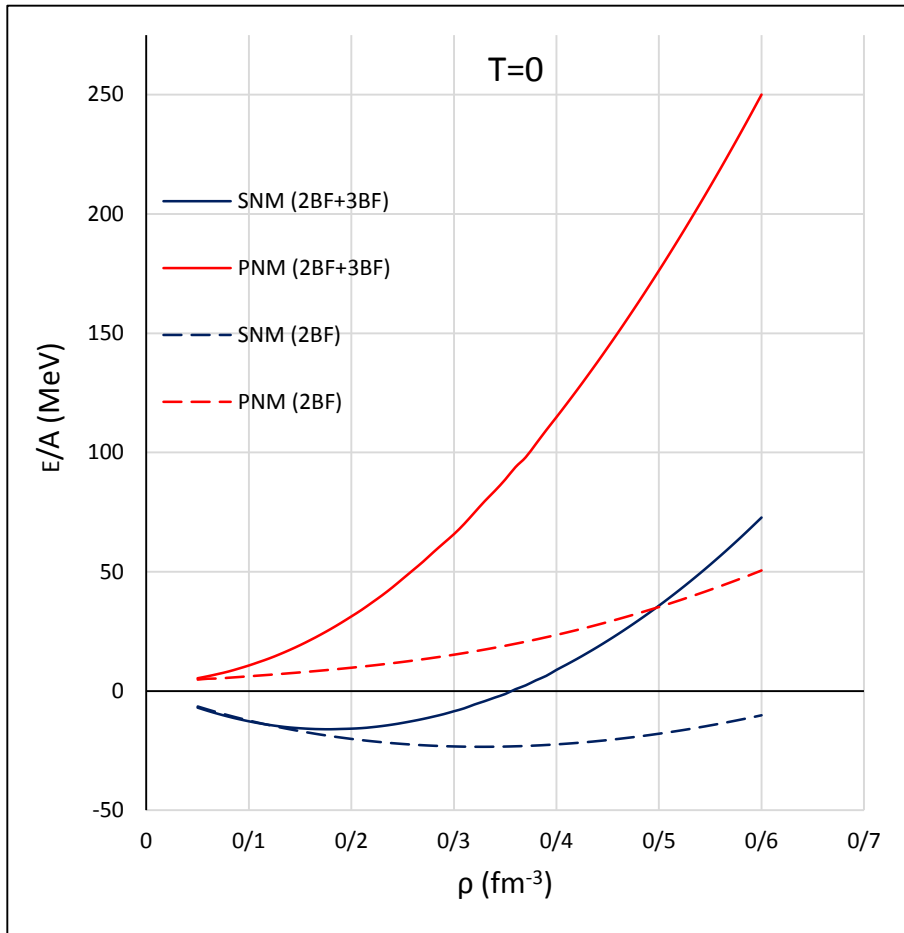
A=1.21 and U=1.91

It may be more convenient to reduce the three-body interaction to an effective two-body one, by an averaging over the third particle coordinates . The final form for the attractive part can be written as

$$V_3^{eff} = V_S(r_{ij})(\sigma_i \cdot \sigma_j) + V_T(r_{ij})S_{ij}$$

This effective force is added to the nuclear Hamiltonian and the calculation is proceed along the same ordinary LOCV method with only two-body forces.

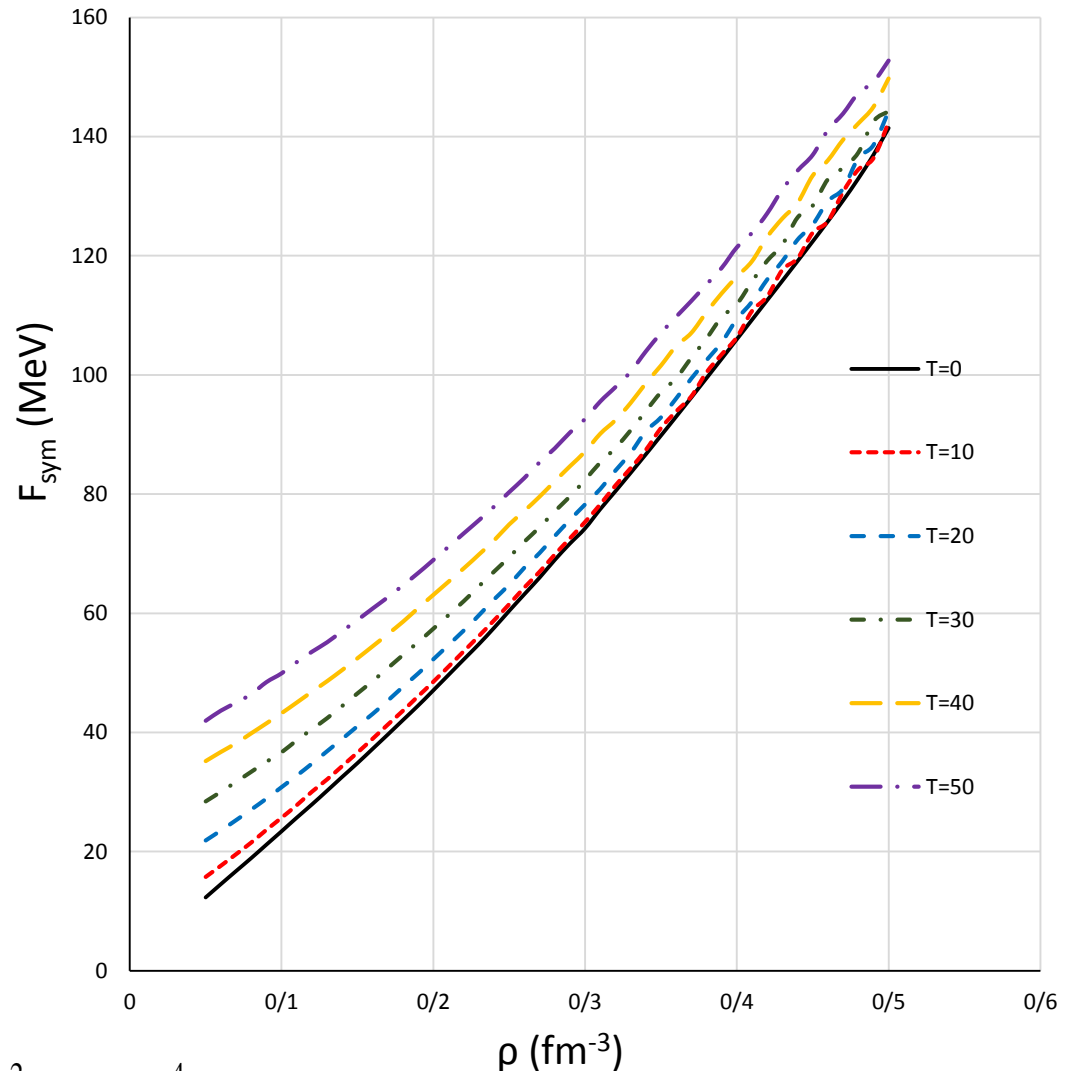




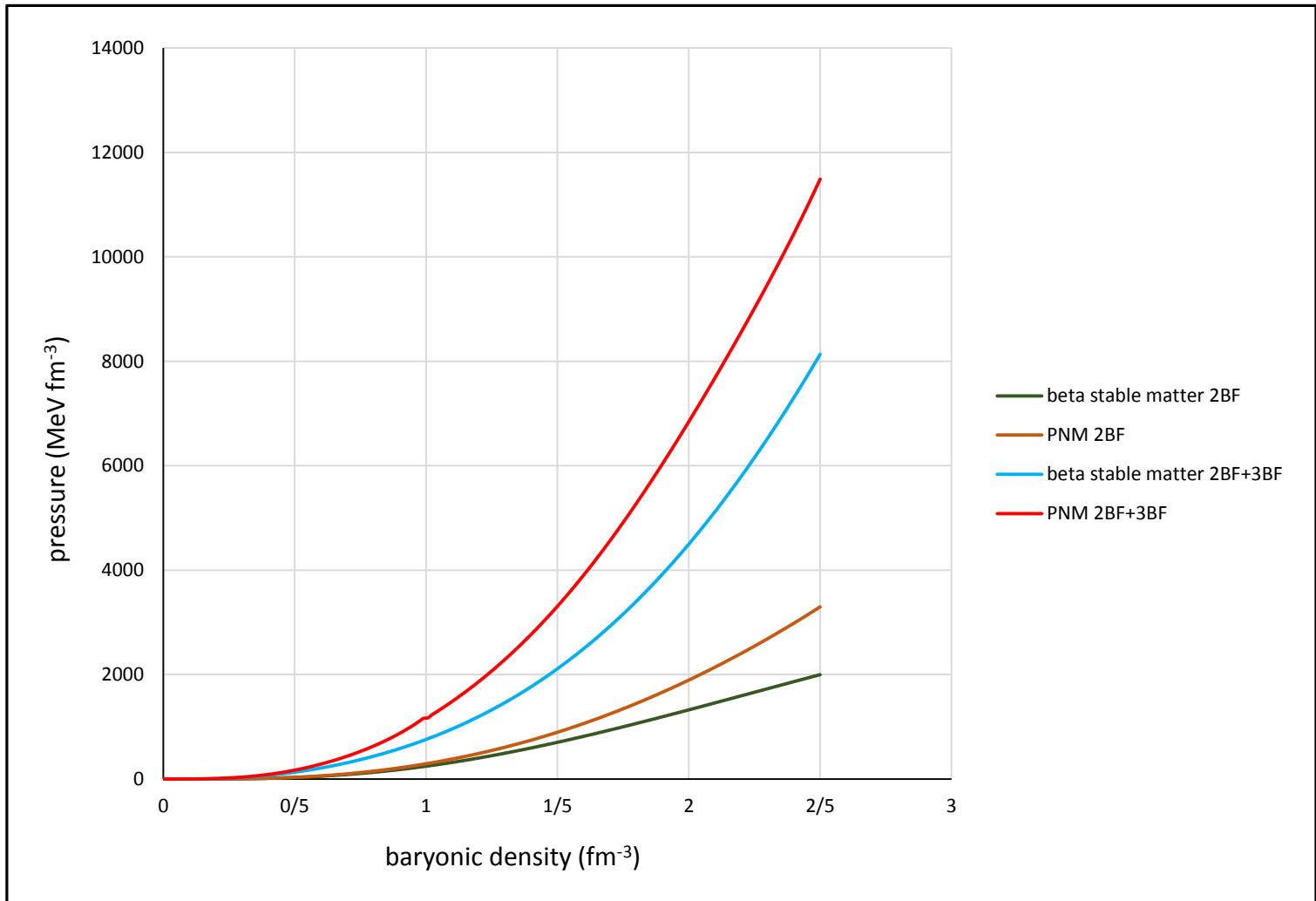
# THE NUCLEAR SYMMETRY ENERGY

The Helmholtz free energy per nucleon of asymmetric nuclear matter at given density and temperature can be expanded to second order in isospin asymmetry parameter  $X$  as

$$X = \frac{\rho_n - \rho_p}{\rho_n + \rho_p}$$

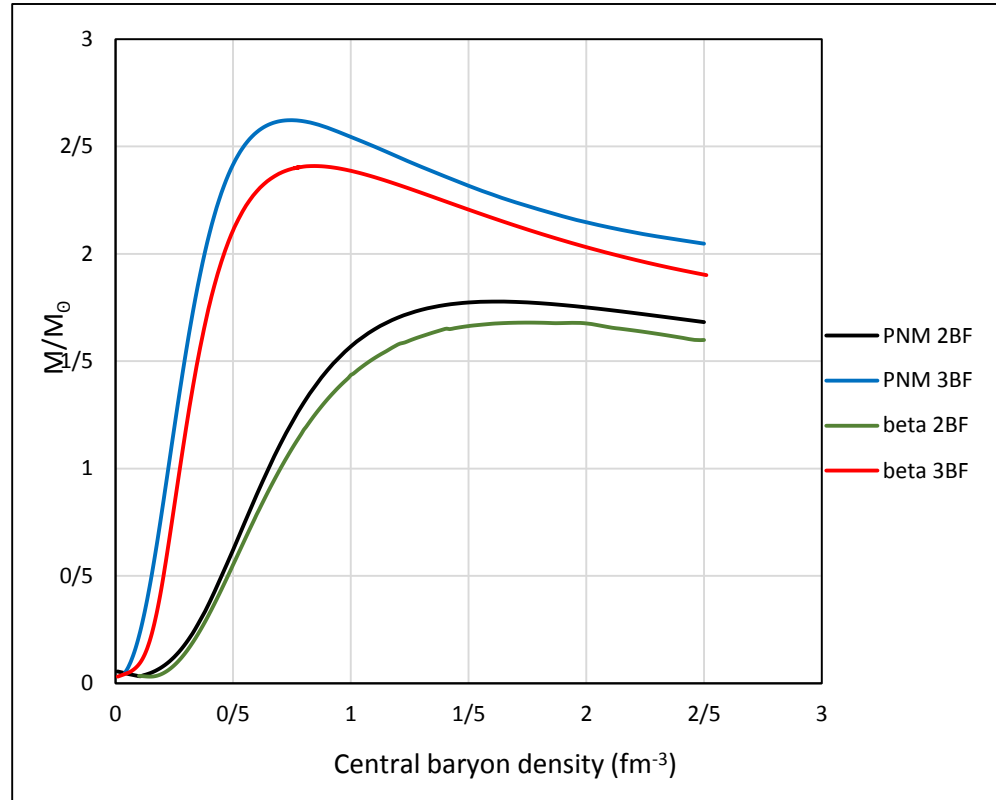


$$F(\rho, X, T) = F_0(\rho, T) + F_{\text{sym}}(\rho, T)X^2 + O(X^4)$$



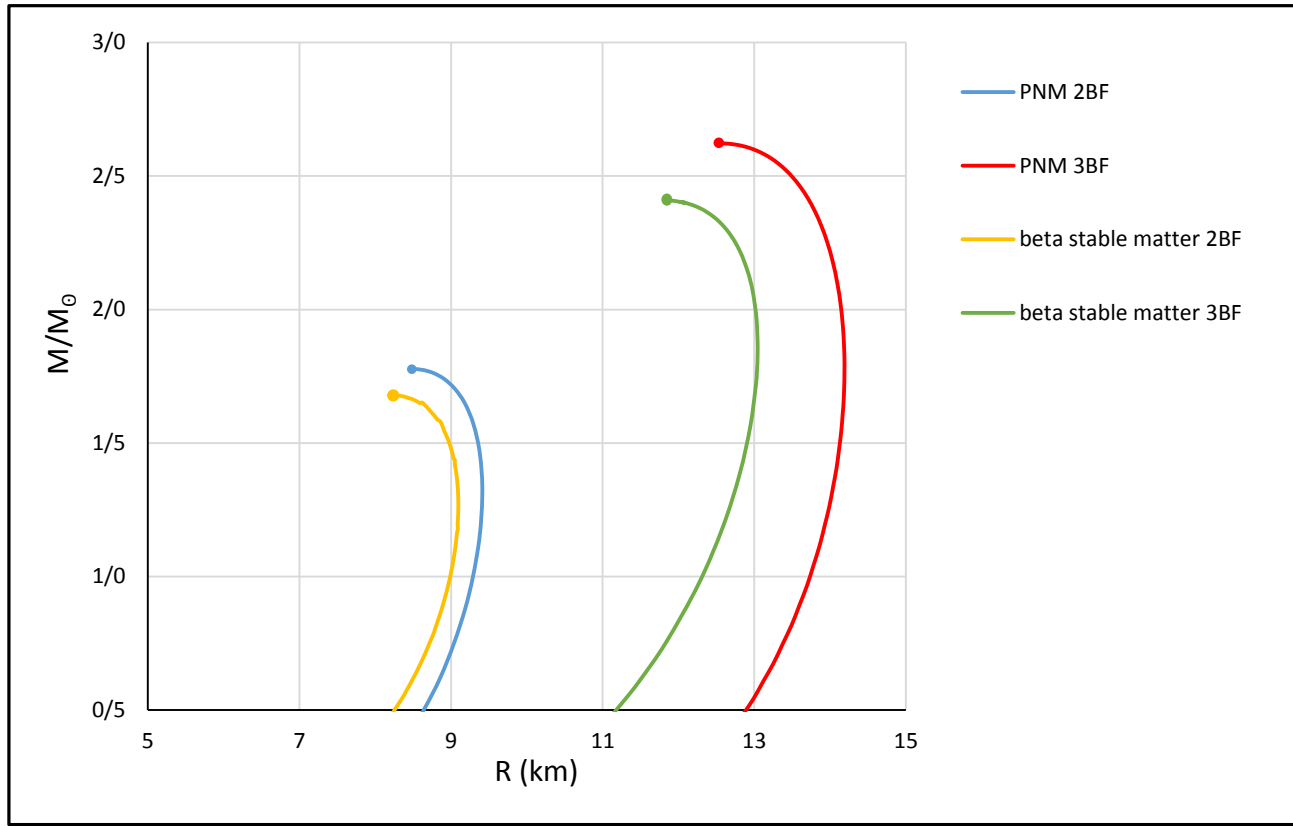
# THE TOLMAN-OPPENHEIMER-VOLKOV EQUATION

$$\frac{dM(r)}{dr} = \frac{4\pi\varepsilon(r)r^2}{c^2}$$



$$\frac{dP}{dr} = -\frac{G}{c^2} \frac{M(r)\varepsilon(r)}{r^2} \left(1 + \frac{P(r)}{\varepsilon(r)}\right) \left(1 + \frac{4\pi r^3 P(r)}{M(r)c^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{2GM(r)}{rc^2}\right)^{-1}$$





	Mass (in $M_{\text{sun}}$ )	Radius (km)
PNM 2BF	1.78	8.50
Beta stable matter 2BF	1.68	8.18
PNM 2BF+3BF	2.62	12.56
Beta stable matter 2BF+3BF	2.41	11.82

# Conclusion

- EOS from a microscopic, self consistent method

- use the pure variational method

- Thermal properties , phase transition etc.

Maximum mass of NS more 2 solar mass  
so maybe including hyperons could reduce  
to 2 solar mass