

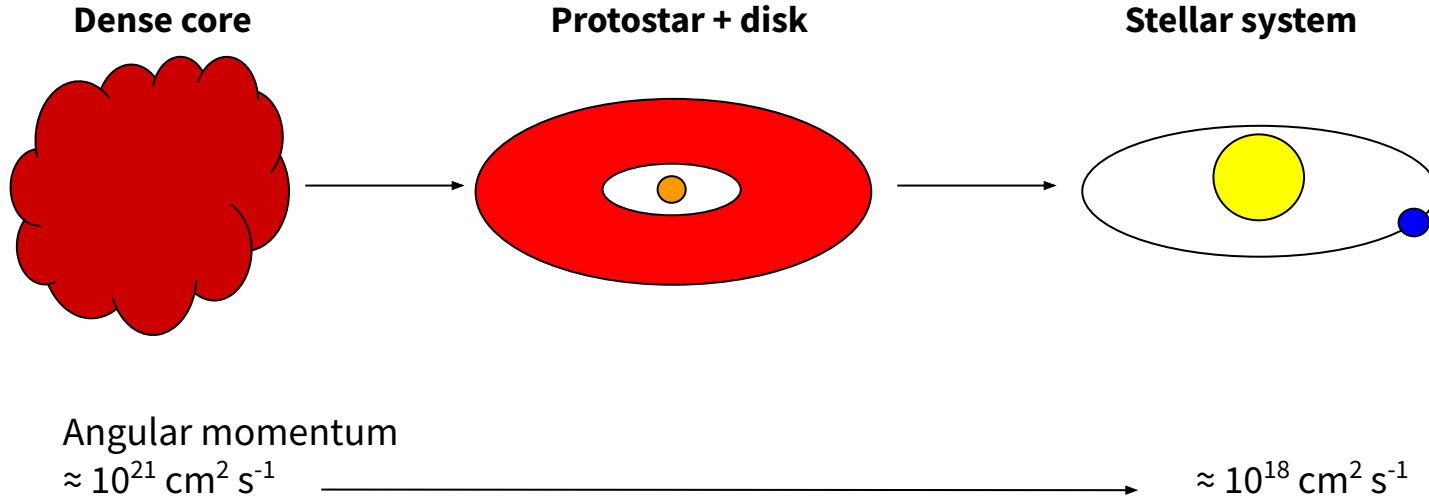
Dust growth during the protostellar collapse

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The angular momentum in star formation

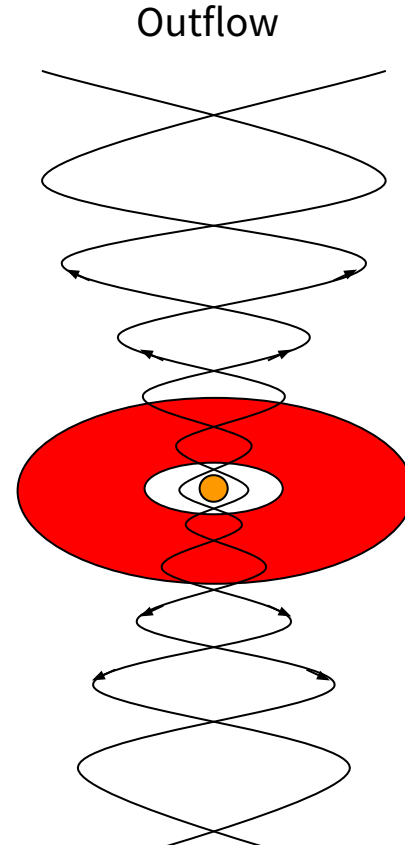
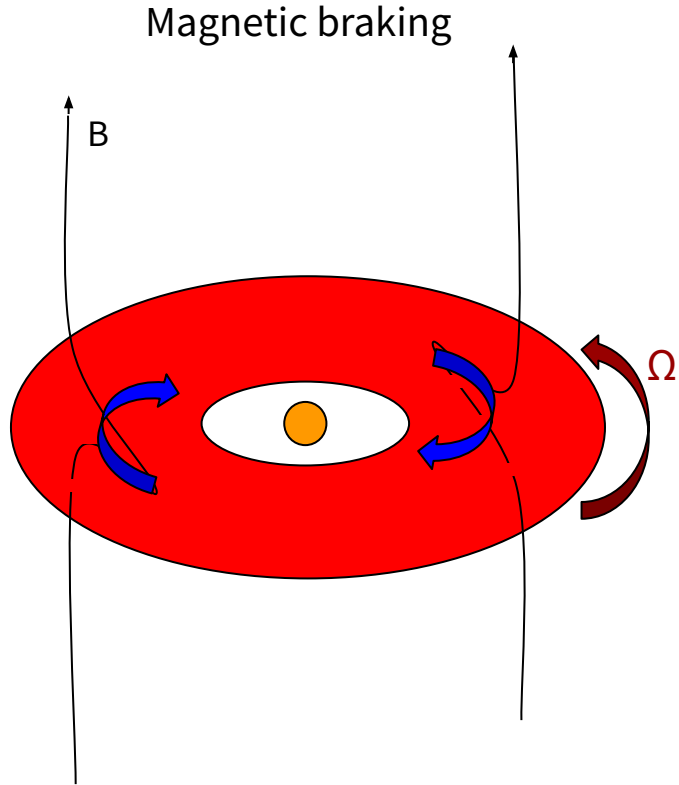


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- ◆ Angular momentum is not conserved during star formation.

Most angular momentum is removed during star formation

Removal of angular momentum by magnetic fields



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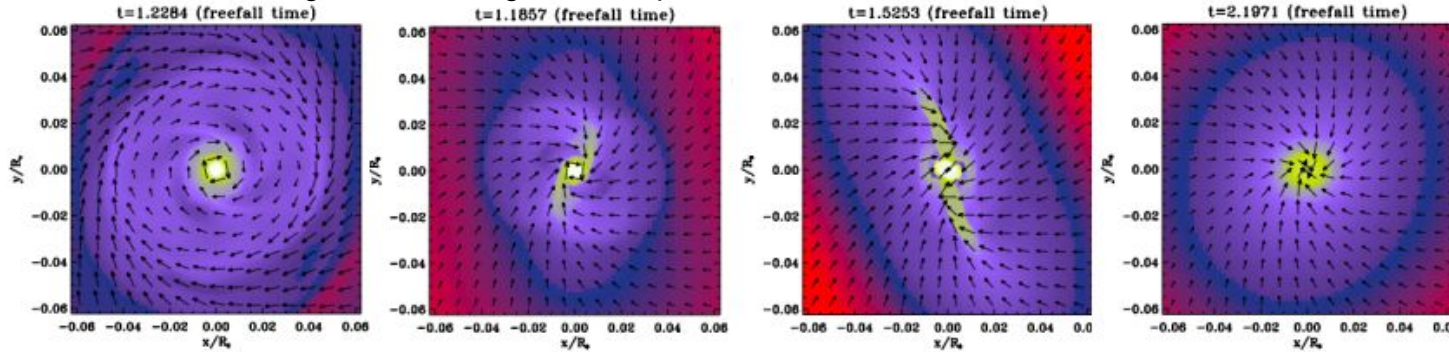
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MagnetoHydroDynamics (MHD) in star formation

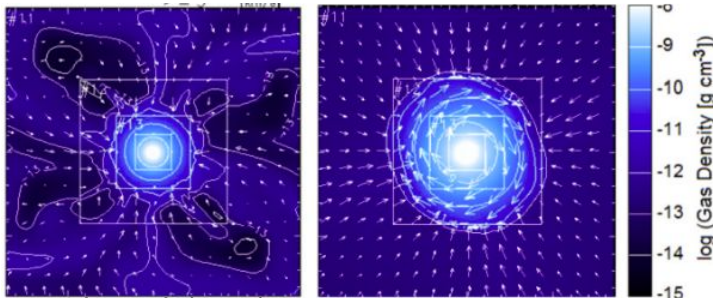
Ideal MHD = no magnetic dissipation, perfect coupling between the gas and the field.

→ Leads to a *magnetic braking catastrophe*.

Hennebelle & Teyssier (2008)



Ideal MHD / Non-ideal MHD



Tomida et al. (2015)

- Magnetic braking weakened by the **ambipolar** and **Ohmic diffusions**.
- Magnetic braking weakened or strengthened with the **Hall effect**.

Non-ideal MHD necessary in star formation calculations.

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- ❖ **Ideal MHD prevents disk formation**
→ Non ideal MHD necessary.

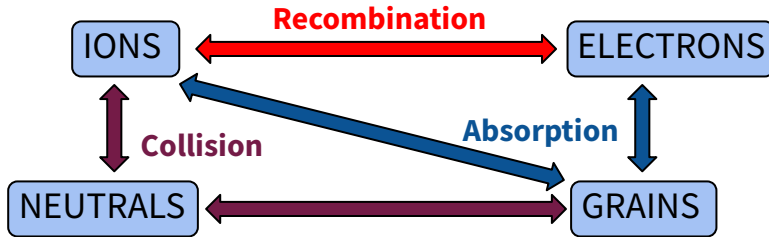
Non-Ideal MHD - resistivities

Ohmic diffusion = decoupling of **electrons** and magnetic field
Hall effect = decoupling of **ions** and magnetic field
Ambipolar diffusion = decoupling of **neutrals** and magnetic field

} Weaken / alter magnetic braking

We know how to calculate / implement them.

BUT we need to calculate their strength = **resistivities**



How do particles interact with each other ?

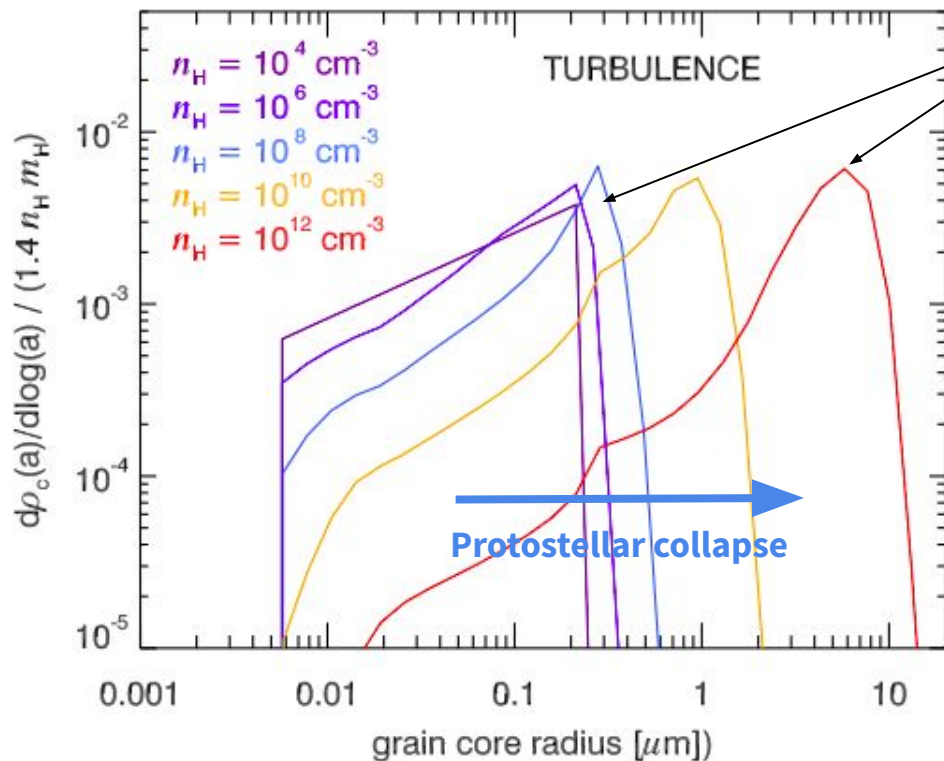
- Ions, neutrals : Number ? Mass ?
 - Electrons : Number ? Recombination ?
 - Grains : Size ? Number ? Mass ? Charge ?
 - ...
- } Chemistry
- Grain **size-distribution**

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Grain growth

Guillet et al. (2020) in a one-zone model



Growth by coagulation

Grain size important for :

- Chemistry
- Ionization
- Radiative transfer
- Observations
- Cooling
- Planet formation

**Grain coagulation
computationally expensive**

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Grain coagulation

Smoluchowsky equation of coagulation

Smoluchowsky (1916)

$$\frac{d\rho(m,t)}{dt} = - \int_0^\infty mK(m,m')n(m,t)n(m',t)dm' + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^m mK(m-m',m')n(m-m',t)n(m',t)dm' + \frac{\rho(m,t)}{n_H} \frac{dn_H}{dt},$$

For every kernel $K = f(\text{grain}) * g(\text{gas})$

Coagulation is a 1D process parametrized by χ

= Different environments alter the coagulation speed, not its outcome.

= The coagulated size-distribution is entirely determined by the initial distribution and χ

How to use

1. Pre-calculate the distributions as a function of χ
2. Calculate χ in your hydro simulation
3. Read the size-distribution from the table
4. Do physics

Marchand et al. (2021)

$$\frac{dX(a,\chi)}{d\chi} = C_2 I(a, X, \chi).$$
$$\chi = \int_0^t n_H^{\frac{3}{4}} T^{-\frac{1}{4}} dt.$$

After some clever manipulations

Grain quantity

Independent from environment

Summary of relevant grain history

Use Ishinisan (Marchand et al. 2021)

Mathematically exact and self-consistent

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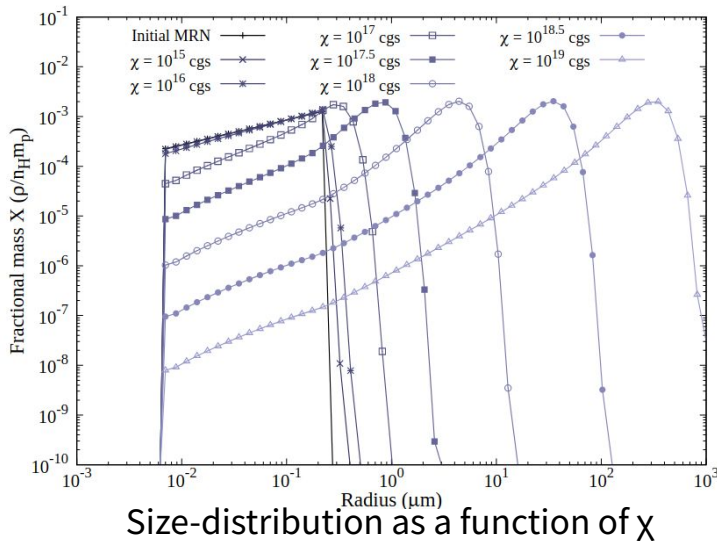
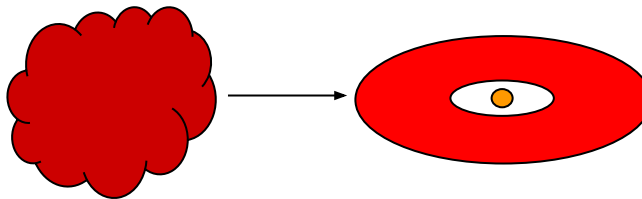
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Protostellar collapse : simulation

Marchand et al. (submitted)

Simulation with **RAMSES** (Teyssier 2002) : 3D with full non-ideal MHD effects.

Collapse of a dense core \rightarrow disk formation.



Starting size-distribution : **MRN** (Mathis et al. 1977)

Dust-to-gas mass ratio : 1%.

χ calculated as a passive scalar in every cell.

Coagulation pre-calculated with Ishinisan.

Resistivities computed on-the-fly

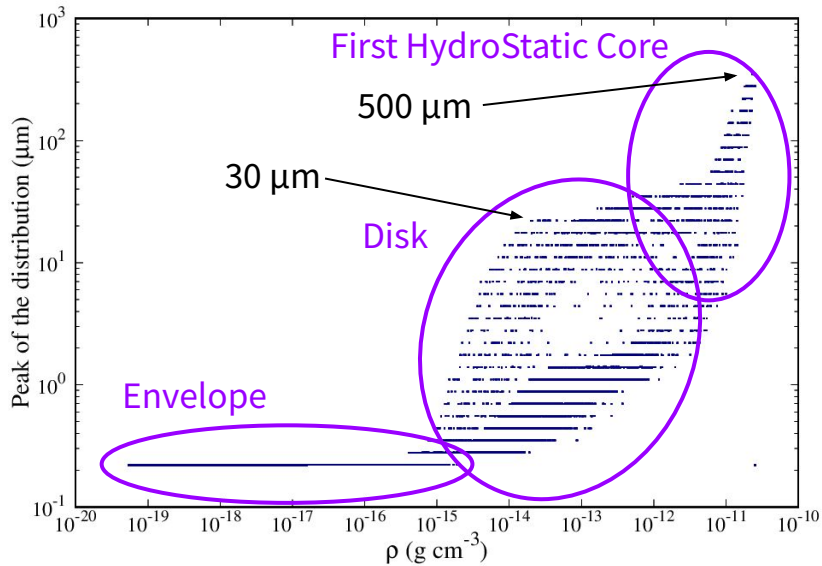
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Grain coagulation in protostellar collapse

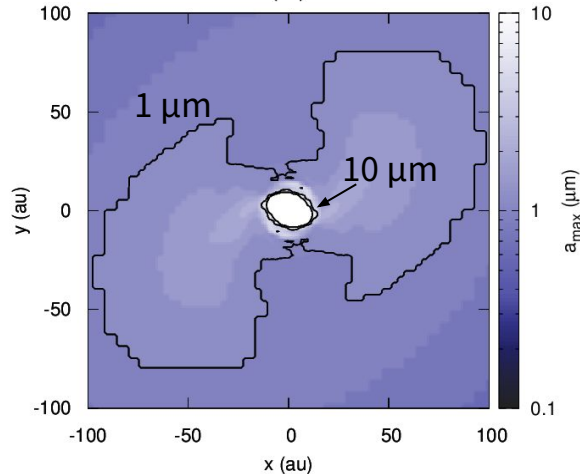
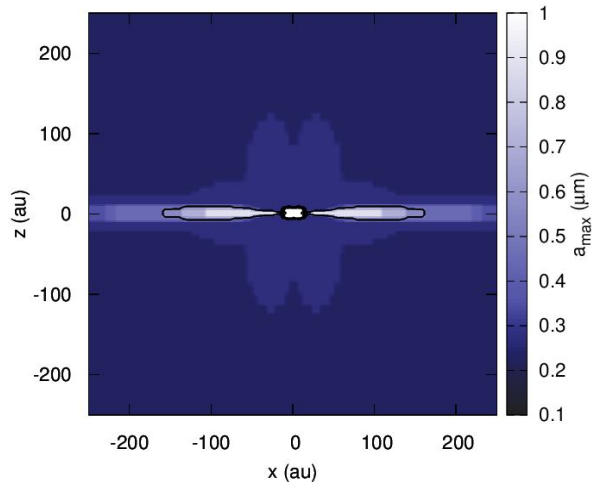
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Peak of the size-distribution in the simulation



Large grains concentrated in the high-density regions

Grains grow to $> 10 \mu\text{m}$ very fast (disk < 1000 yr) !



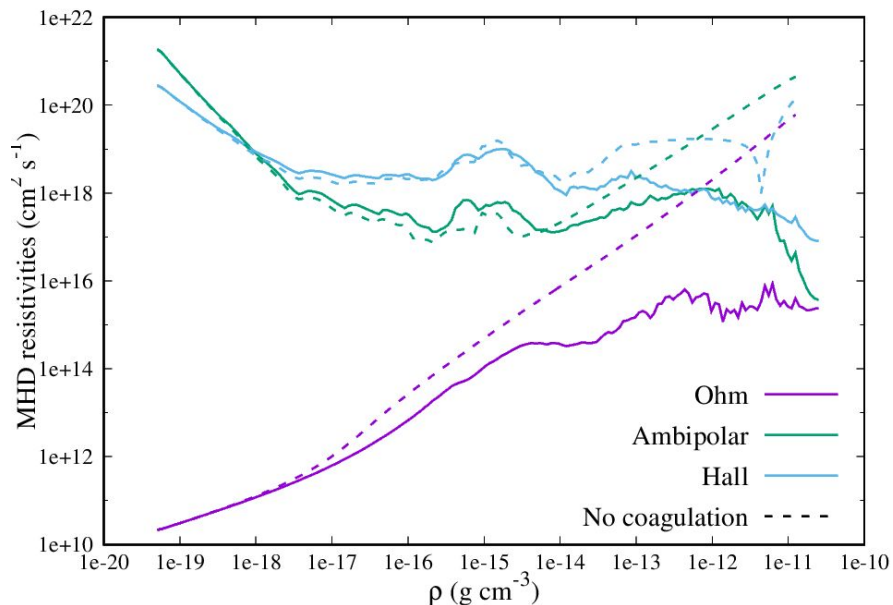
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Grain coagulation : impact on resistivities

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Resistivities as a function of density in simulations with/without coagulation



Grain coagulation :

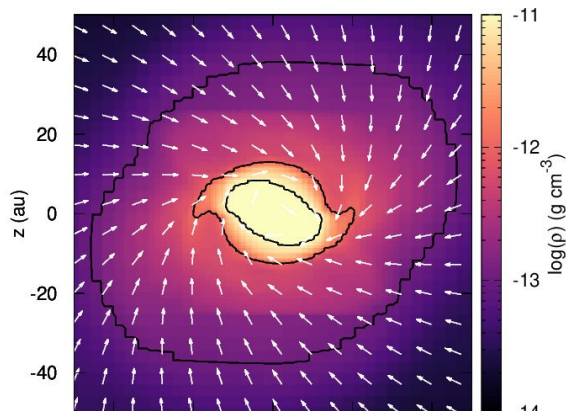
- Small grains disappear,
- Larger, less numerous grains,
- Lower grain surface area,
- Lower electron / ion absorption
- More “free” electrons / ions
- **Lower resistivities**

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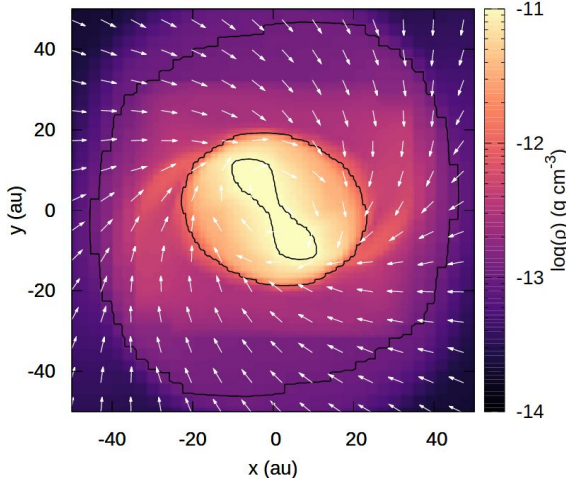
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With coagulation :

Low resistivities \rightarrow Higher magnetic braking

\rightarrow **Smaller disk**



Without coagulation :

High resistivities \rightarrow Lower magnetic braking

\rightarrow **Larger disk**

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Thank you !

Grain ionization

Marchand et al. (2021,2022) Inspired from Draine & Sutin (1987)

- Equilibrium of ion/electron flux on grains

$$\epsilon = \frac{1 - \psi}{\Theta e^\psi}$$

- Charge neutrality

$$n_i + n_s - n_e + \sum n_k Z_k = 0.$$

- Recombination/ionization equilibrium for ions

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- Recombination/ionization equilibrium for ions (with thermal ionization)

$$\begin{aligned} & \zeta(n_{s,0} - n_s) + \left(\frac{dn_s}{dt} \right)_{\text{thermal ionization}} + k_{i,s}(n_{s,0} - n_s)n_i \\ &= \langle \sigma v \rangle_{se} n_e n_s + n_s v_s \sum n_k \pi a_k^2 J_k + k_{s,i}(n_H - n_{s,0} - n_i)n_s \end{aligned}$$

4 equations

4 unknowns ψ, ϵ, n_i, n_s

Get:

- Ions number n_i, n_s
- Electrons number n_e
- Every grain charge Z_k (arbitrary size-dist.)

~ 3-4 iterations of
Newton-Raphson