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Impact of Resolution on Double-Detonation Models for Type Ia Supernovae

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SN Ia (2005cf)(2009ApJ...697...380W)





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Name	Companion	Material
Chandrasekhar (M_{Ch})	Deg/Non-Deg	H or He
near-Chandra (nearCh)	Deg	He
Double WD (DWD)	Deg	He, C, O, Ne



Relevant Scales

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Property Ranges	
White dwarf size/mass	$\sim 5000 {\rm km}, {\sim} 1.0 {\it M}_{\odot}$
Envelope size/mass	$\sim 2000 { m km}, \sim 0.1 M_{\odot}$
Temperatures	10^6 to 10^{10} K
Densities	10^{-2} to $10^{6}~{\rm g\cdot cm^{-3}}$
Pressures	10^{17} to $10^{27}~{\rm dyne}\cdot{\rm cm}^{-2}$
Detonation timescale	$\sim 1.0 \ { m s}$
Detonation speeds	$10^7~{\rm to}~10^9~{\rm cm\cdot s^{-1}}$
Rayleigh Number	>10 ¹¹



Codebase: FLASH

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 $\tt Hydro\ PPM$ solver for the compressible Euler equations.

- EoS updates hydrodynamic or thermodynamic ones as required by Hydro and Burn, respectively (Helmholtz free-energy tables).
- Grid uses an adaptive mesh refinement (AMR) criteria to increase the resolution of the simulation where needed (2000ApJS..131..273F)
- Burn calculates burning energy release for a given network of species. 13 alpha isotope network used. (1999ApJS..124..241T)
- Gravity Poisson equation equation solver for the simulation density field via a multipole expansion, yielding an external field for the Hydro module. (8 moments)



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3D: will it scale?



1D says 1km (Katz 2019ApJ...874..169K) SPH says maybe? (Gronow 2021A&A...649A.155G: 30km resolution with mixed results)



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Thank You!



Computational cost



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