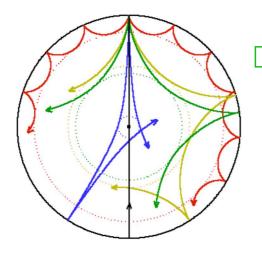
Helioseismology provides observational information on the solar interior...

(see http://163.180.179.74/~magara/page31/Topics/Seismology/seis2.html)



Distribution of sound speed (=> temperature) in the solar interior

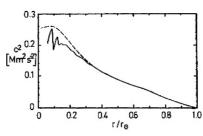
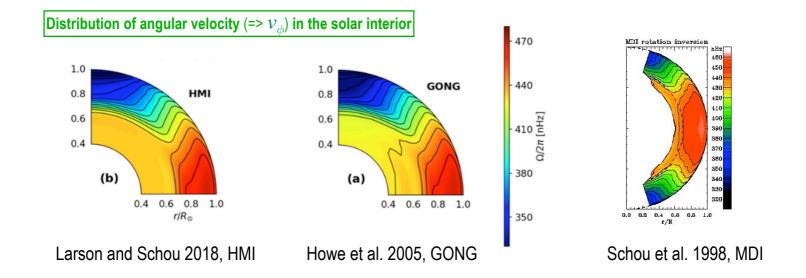
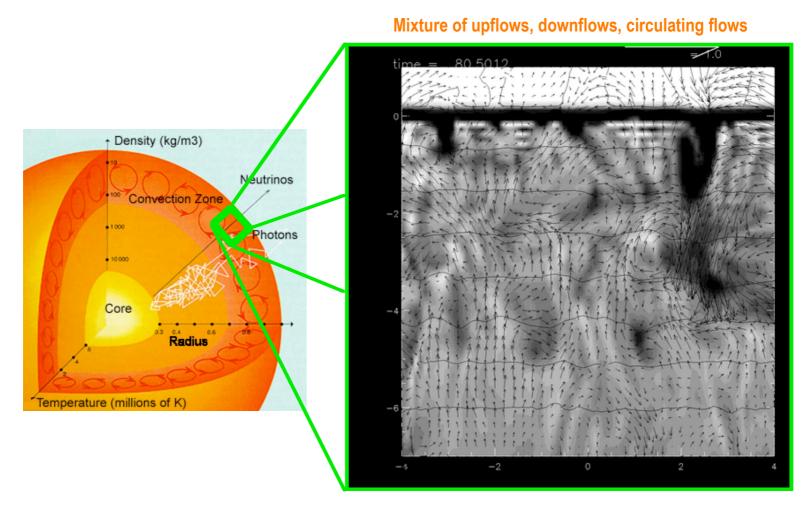


Fig. 5.17. Square of the sound speed in the Sun. Continuous line: inversion of the data in Fig. 5.16; dashed: theoretical solar model. From Christensen-Dalsgaard et al. (1985)



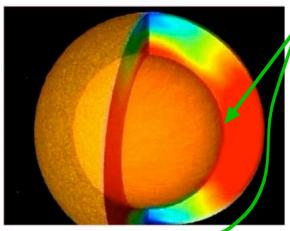
Transport of magnetic fields through the convection zone

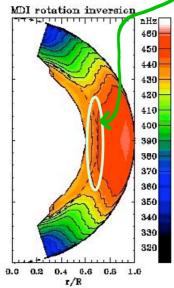
Convective motions...



Vertical slice of a 3D simulation

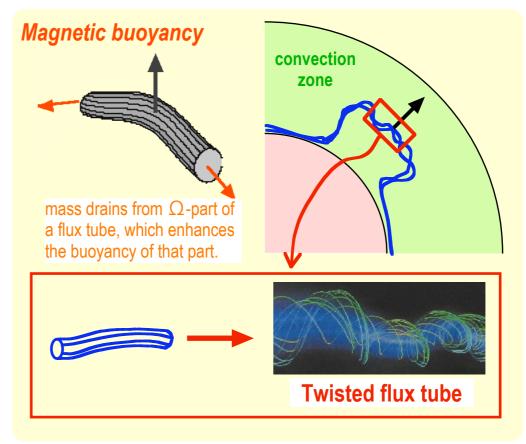
SMFs rise via magnetic buoyancy...



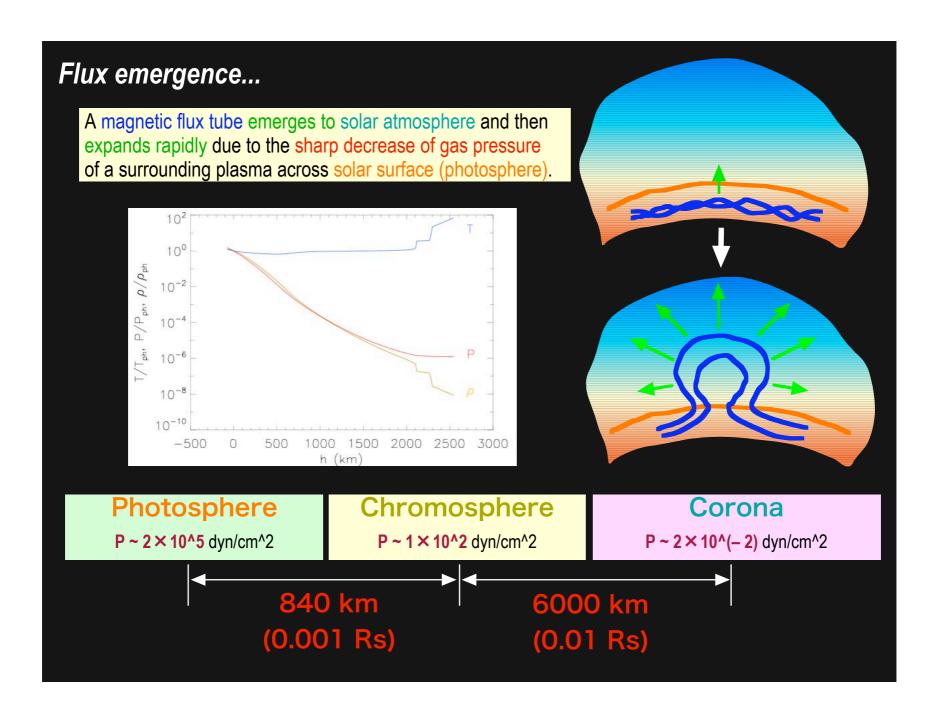


Distribution of angular velocity in the solar interior

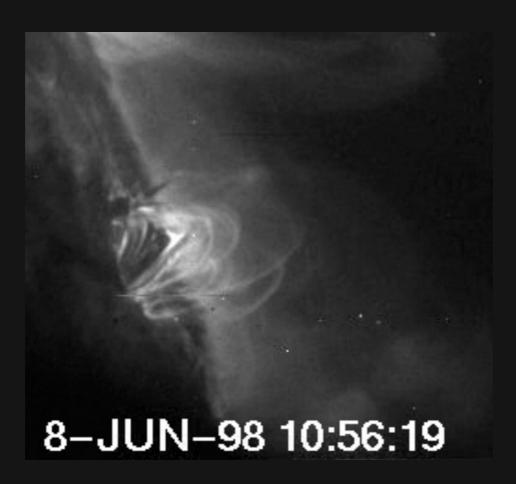
Tachocline (bottom of the convection zone)
... sharp change of angular velocity => shear flow
magnetic fields are deformed by the shear flow, which may
produce flux tubes of intense magnetic flux.



Emergence of magnetic fields into the solar atmosphere



Flux emergence... a very dynamic process (observation)



Observed by **TRACE**

Flux emergence... a very dynamic process (simulation)

