

Solution to Exercise 7.1.

For opacity law $\kappa = \kappa_0 \rho^\lambda T^{-\nu}$ $\kappa = \kappa_0 \rho^\lambda T^{-\nu}$

$\kappa = \kappa_0 \rho^\lambda T^{-\nu}$ (equation 7.24), equation of radiative energy transfer gives (see equation 7.25)

$$L \propto R^{3\lambda-\nu} M^{3+\nu-\lambda} .$$

$$L \propto R^{3\lambda-\nu} M^{3+\nu-\lambda} \quad L \propto R^{3\lambda-\nu} M^{3+\nu-\lambda} .$$

In our case $\lambda=0, \nu=0$, and we get

$$L \propto M^3 . \quad L \propto M^3 \quad L \propto M^3 .$$

For $\epsilon \propto \rho T^\alpha$ $\epsilon \propto \rho T^\alpha$, energy generation equation gives (see equation 6.10)

$$L \propto \frac{M^{2+\alpha}}{R^{3+\alpha}} . \quad L \propto \frac{M^{2+\alpha}}{R^{3+\alpha}} \quad L \propto \frac{M^{2+\alpha}}{R^{3+\alpha}} .$$

In our case $\alpha = 18$ $\alpha = 18$, and we get

$$L \propto M^{20} R^{-21} . \quad L \propto M^{20} R^{-21} \quad L \propto M^{20} R^{-21} .$$

We thus have $M^{20} R^{-21} \propto M^3$ $M^{20} R^{-21} \propto M^3$
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$$R \propto M^{17/21} .$$

Solution to Exercise 7.2.

For opacity law $\kappa = \kappa_0 \rho^\lambda T^{-\nu}$ $\kappa = \kappa_0 \rho^\lambda T^{-\nu}$

$\kappa = \kappa_0 \rho^\lambda T^{-\nu}$ (equation 7.24), equation of radiative energy transfer gives (see equation 7.25)

$$L \propto R^{3\lambda-\nu} M^{3+\nu-\lambda} .$$

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Now we have $\lambda=1, \nu=3.5$, and we get

$$L \propto M^{5.5} R^{-0.5} .$$

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For $\varepsilon \propto \rho T^\alpha$
equation gives (see equation 6.10)

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$$L \propto \frac{M^{2+\alpha}}{R^{3+\alpha}} .$$

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Now we have $\alpha = 18$

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$$L \propto M^{18} R^{-19} .$$

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We thus have $M^{18} R^{-19} \propto M^{5.5} R^{-0.5}$

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hence

$$R \propto M^{25/37} .$$

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With this relation between mass and radius, we have

$$L \propto M^{\frac{191}{37}} .$$

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But $L \propto \frac{R^2 T_{\text{eff}}^4}{4 \times 37}$

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$$M \propto T_{\text{eff}}^{\frac{141}{4}}$$

$$M \propto T_{\text{eff}}^{\frac{4 \times 37}{4}} \quad M \propto T_{\text{eff}}^{\frac{4 \times 37}{4}} , \text{ which gives}$$

$$L \propto T_{\text{eff}}^{5.4} .$$

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The slope of the line in $\log L - \log T_{\text{eff}}$

$\log L - \log T_{\text{eff}}$ coordinates is thus about 5.4.