

## IRON WHITE DWARFS?

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There are some indications that white dwarfs with anomalous chemical compositions, i.e. with a substantial amount of elements heavier than O-Ne, could exist. This possibility is intriguing since it is at odds with the well established theory of stellar evolution. Although the most obvious explanation is an erroneous interpretation of data, it is natural to explore the possibility of new issues that are not in contradiction with the well established facts.