
Status and prospects on muon $g-2$ and lepton flavor violation

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Introduction

Muon $g-2$

- ▶ sub-ppm theory prediction
- ▶ sub-ppm experimental uncertainty
- ▶ precise Standard Model test
 - ▶ discrepancy \Rightarrow New Physics
- ▶ to search for high-energy New Physics,
 $(g-2)_\mu$ test more powerful than e and τ
- ▶ many activities on-going
 - ▶ direct measurements
 - ▶ measurements for theory prediction
 - ▶ dispersive theory prediction
 - ▶ lattice QCD theory prediction

Lepton flavour violation

- ▶ theory predicts extreme suppression
[e.g. $\mathcal{B}(\mu \rightarrow e\gamma) \sim 10^{-54}$]
- ▶ experiments very sensitive
- ▶ valuable tool to search for New Physics
- ▶ μ LFV more effective than e or τ
- ▶ τ LFV modes essential to study NP models
- ▶ many muon and tau searches on-going

Muon magnetic anomaly a_μ

- ▶ $a_\mu = (g_\mu - 2)/2$

a_μ theory prediction to 0.37 ppm [Muon $g-2$ theory initiative, Dec 2020]

► [doi:10.1016/j.physrep.2020.07.006](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.physrep.2020.07.006)

Contribution	Section	Equation	Value $\times 10^{11}$	References
Experiment (E821)		Eq. (8.13)	116 592 089(63)	Ref. [1]
HVP LO (e^+e^-)	Sec. 2.3.7	Eq. (2.33)	6931(40)	Refs. [2–7]
HVP NLO (e^+e^-)	Sec. 2.3.8	Eq. (2.34)	-98.3(7)	Ref. [7]
HVP NNLO (e^+e^-)	Sec. 2.3.8	Eq. (2.35)	12.4(1)	Ref. [8]
HVP LO (lattice, $udsc$)	Sec. 3.5.1	Eq. (3.49)	7116(184)	Refs. [9–17]
HLbL (phenomenology)	Sec. 4.9.4	Eq. (4.92)	92(19)	Refs. [18–30]
HLbL NLO (phenomenology)	Sec. 4.8	Eq. (4.91)	2(1)	Ref. [31]
HLbL (lattice, uds)	Sec. 5.7	Eq. (5.49)	79(35)	Ref. [32]
HLbL (phenomenology + lattice)	Sec. 8	Eq. (8.10)	90(17)	Refs. [18–30, 32]
QED	Sec. 6.5	Eq. (6.30)	116 584 718.931(104)	Refs. [33, 34]
Electroweak	Sec. 7.4	Eq. (7.16)	153.6(1.0)	Refs. [35, 36]
HVP (e^+e^- , LO + NLO + NNLO)	Sec. 8	Eq. (8.5)	6845(40)	Refs. [2–8]
HLbL (phenomenology + lattice + NLO)	Sec. 8	Eq. (8.11)	92(18)	Refs. [18–32]
Total SM Value	Sec. 8	Eq. (8.12)	116 591 810(43)	Refs. [2–8, 18–24, 31–36]
Difference: $\Delta a_\mu := a_\mu^{\text{exp}} - a_\mu^{\text{SM}}$	Sec. 8	Eq. (8.14)	279(76)	

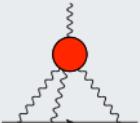
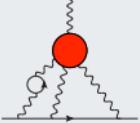
Contributions to a_μ : QCD HVP (hadronic vacuum polarization)

	a_μ contribution [10^{-11}]	order
	6931 ± 40	HVP,LO
	-98.3 ± 7	HVP,NLO
	12.4 ± 1	HVP,NNLO

terminology

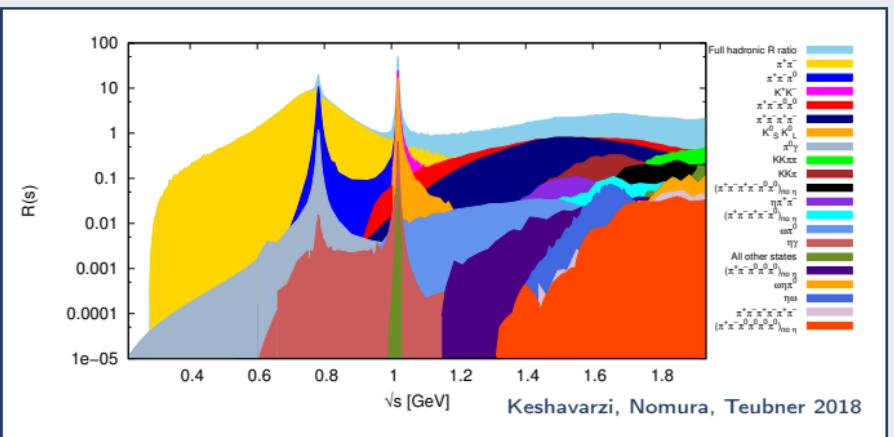
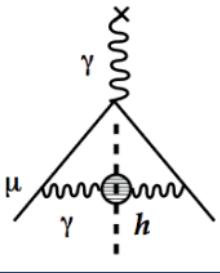
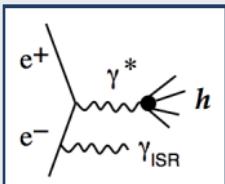
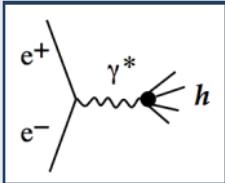
LO = “leading order”, NLO = “next to leading order”, NNLO = “next to next to leading order”

Contributions to a_μ : QCD HLbL (hadronic light-by-light)

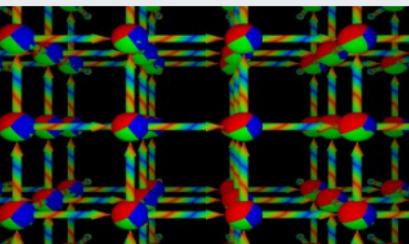
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 92 ± 19	HLbL,LO
 2 ± 1	HLbL,NLO

Calculation of QCD HVP,LO contribution to a_μ

using measurements of $e^+e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons}$ cross-section (or $\tau \rightarrow \text{hadrons} \nu$ decay)



using numeric calculations on discretized space-time (lattice QCD)



a_μ test more powerful than a_e to search for high energy New Physics

a_e test more precise than a_μ test

$$\frac{\Delta(a_\mu^{\text{exp}} - a_\mu^{\text{th}})}{\Delta(a_e^{\text{exp}} - a_e^{\text{th}})} \sim 2000$$

but

a_μ test more sensitive than a_e test
for "typical" high-energy New Physics models

$$\frac{\Delta a_\mu^{\text{New Physics}}}{\Delta a_e^{\text{New Physics}}} \sim \frac{m_\mu^2}{m_e^2} \simeq 43000$$

experiment and theory uncertainties contributions to a_μ test before April 2021

	δa_μ [ppm]	δa_e [ppb]
experiment	0.54	0.24
theory	0.37	0.20
- α_{QED}	0.00	0.20
- QED	0.00	0.01
- EW	0.01	0.00
- QCD	0.37	0.01
- HVP	0.34	
- HLbL	0.15	

- ▶ note: using less precise α_{QED} (Cs 2018) because of inconsistency with α_{QED} (Rb 2020)

Motion and spin precession of muon in uniform magnetic field

muon spin precession relative to momentum

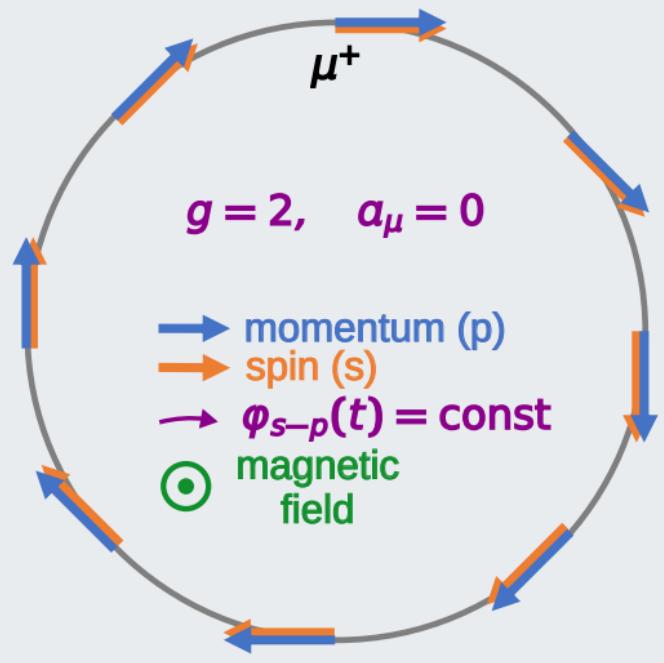
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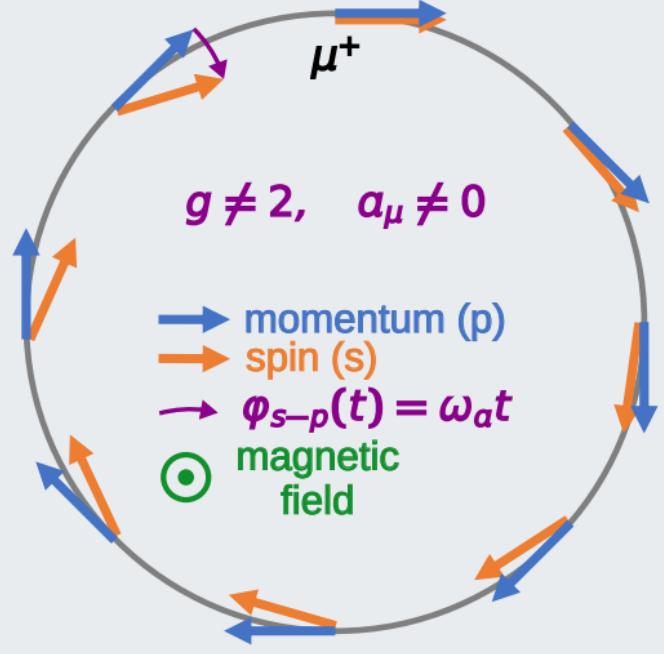
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Beam focusing in storage ring, magic energy

beam focusing

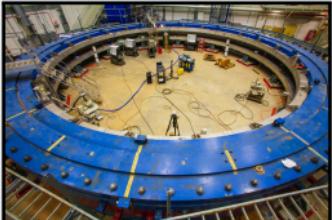
- ▶ weak horizontal focusing provided by uniform magnetic field
- ▶ weak vertical focusing with **electric field quadrupoles**
(associated E -field horizontal de-focusing overridden by magnetic focusing)

magic energy

- ▶ $\vec{\omega}_a = -\frac{e}{m_\mu} \left[a_\mu \vec{B} - \left(a_\mu - \frac{1}{\gamma^2 - 1} \right) (\vec{\beta} \times \vec{E}) - a_\mu \frac{\gamma}{\gamma + 1} (\vec{\beta} \cdot \vec{B}) \vec{\beta} \right]$
- E-field correction pitch correction
- ▶ **magic energy**, corresponding to $p_\mu^{\text{magic}} = 3.094 \text{ GeV}$ and $\gamma = 29.3$, zeroes E field correction

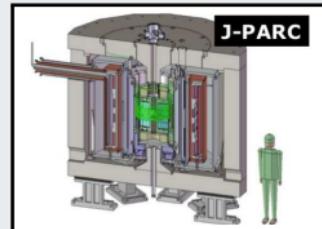
magic energy

- ▶ CERN 1975-, BNL, FNAL



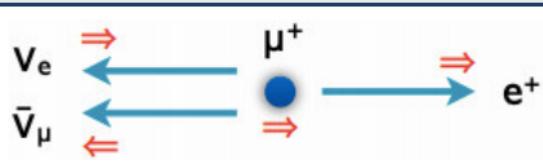
$E = 0$, ultra-cold muons

- ▶ J-PARC E34

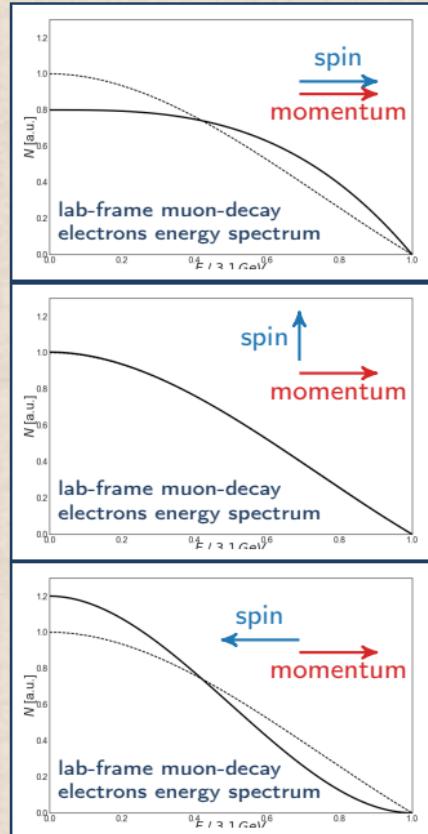
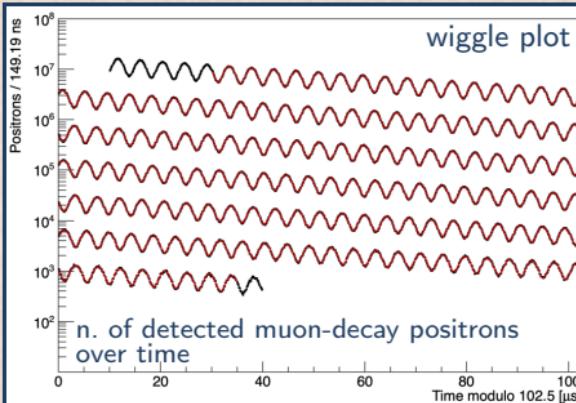


Rate of high-energy muon-decay electrons modulated with $\cos \omega_a t$

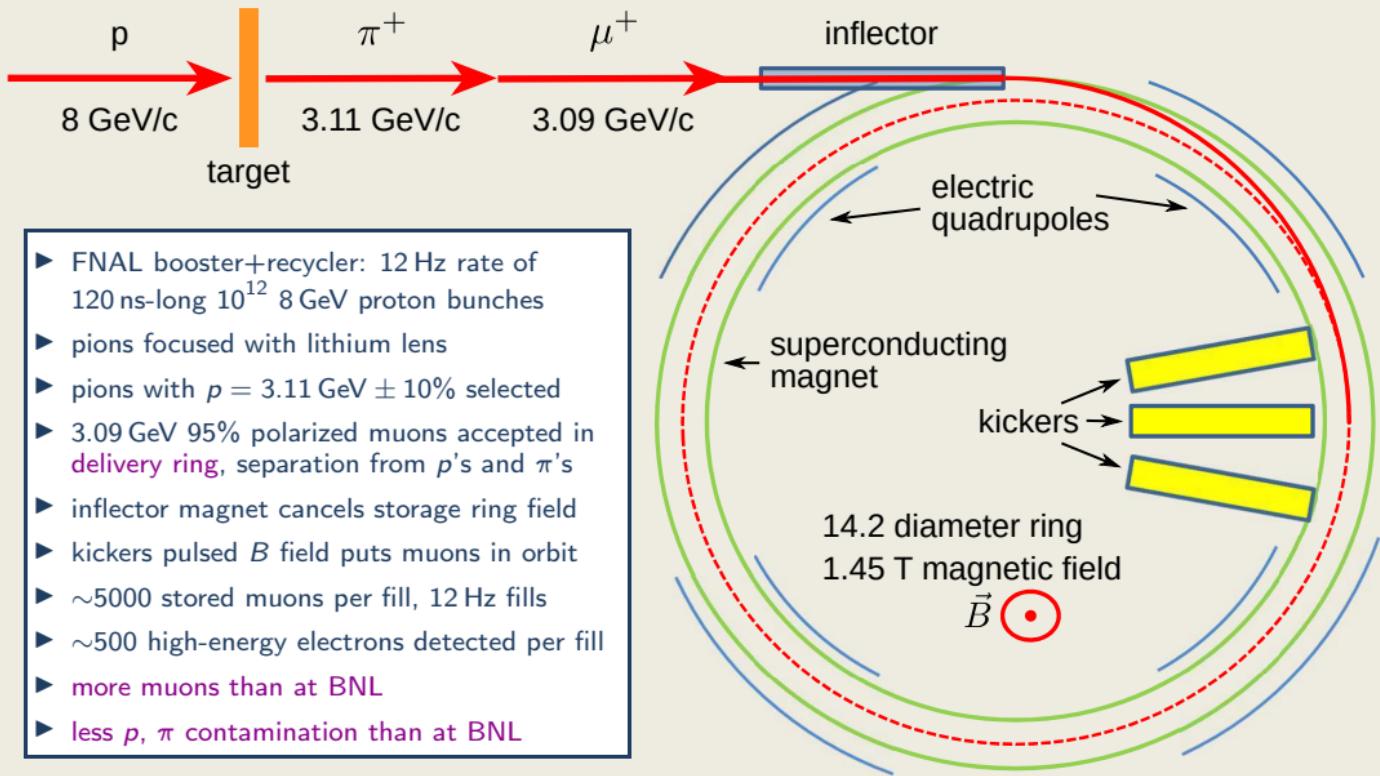
- because of parity violation in muon decay, decay electrons peak along muon spin



- electrons decaying along muon momentum have highest energy in laboratory frame
- $$N_e(E_e > E_t) = N_{e0} e^{-t/\tau_\mu} (1 + A \cos \omega_a t)$$



Muon production, storage and decay at FNAL Muon $g-2$ exp. (E989)

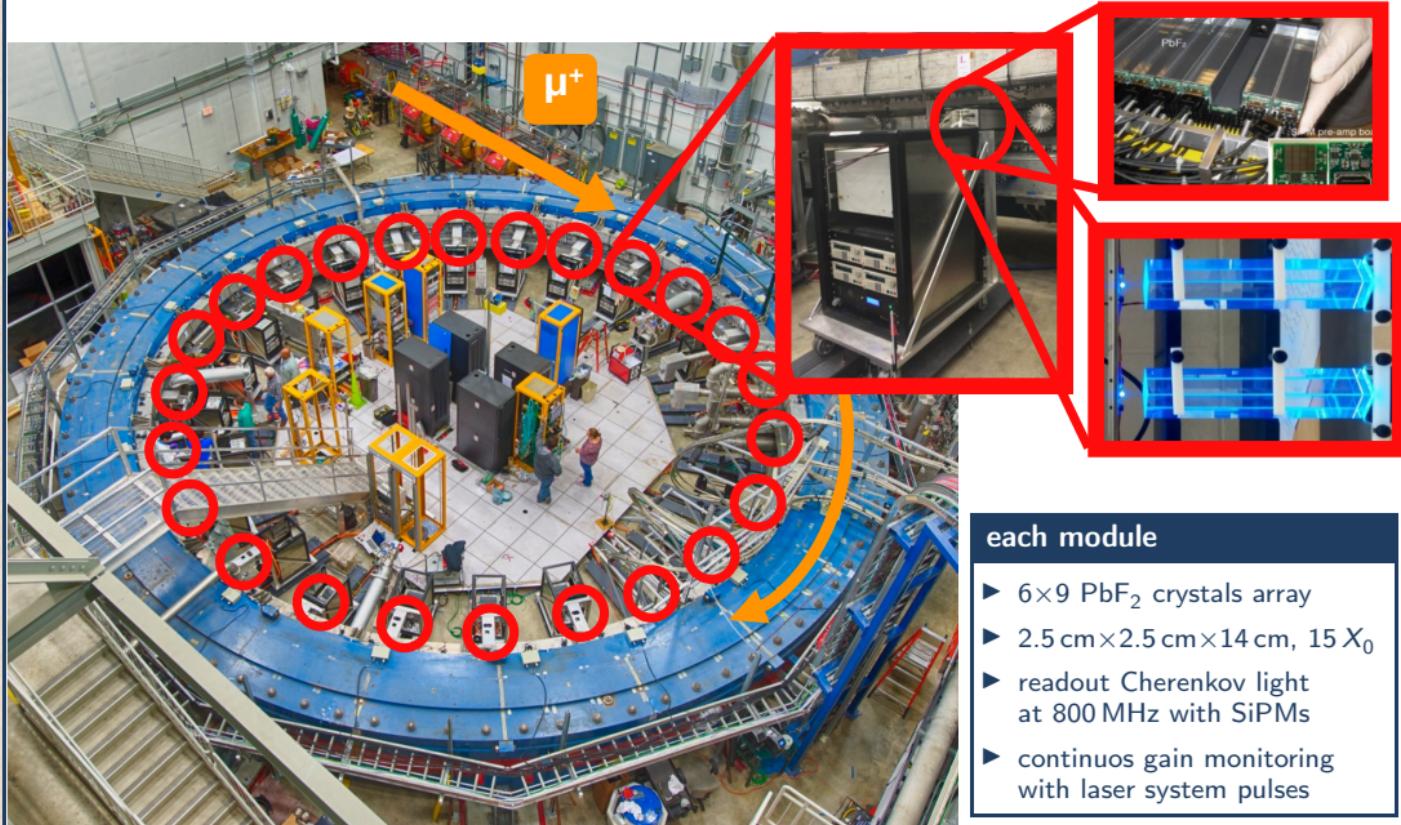


- ▶ FNAL booster+recycler: 12 Hz rate of $120 \text{ ns-long } 10^{12} \text{ } 8 \text{ GeV}$ proton bunches
- ▶ pions focused with lithium lens
- ▶ pions with $p = 3.11 \text{ GeV} \pm 10\%$ selected
- ▶ 3.09 GeV 95% polarized muons accepted in **delivery ring**, separation from p 's and π 's
- ▶ inflector magnet cancels storage ring field
- ▶ kickers pulsed B field puts muons in orbit
- ▶ ~ 5000 stored muons per fill, 12 Hz fills
- ▶ ~ 500 high-energy electrons detected per fill
- ▶ more muons than at BNL
- ▶ less p , π contamination than at BNL

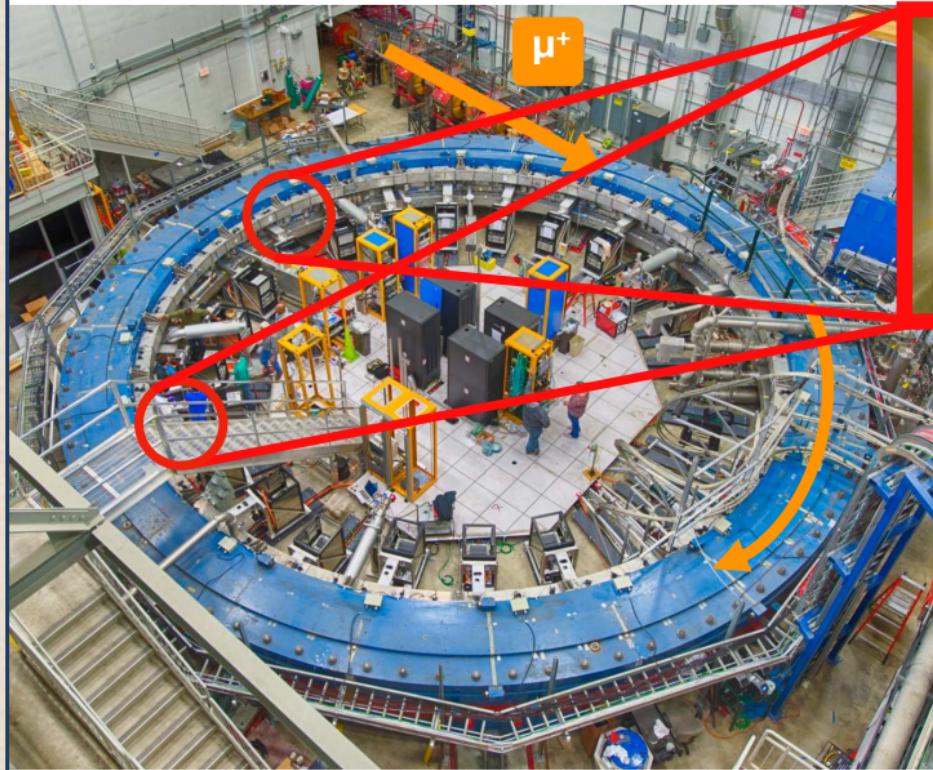
FNAL accelerator complex for Muon $g-2$



24 calorimeter modules



Two tracker modules



each tracker

- ▶ 8 modules
- ▶ 128 straw chambers each
- ▶ trace back muon decay points

Calculation of the muon magnetic anomaly

$$a_\mu = \left[\frac{\omega_a}{\tilde{\omega}'_p(T)} \right] \cdot \left[\frac{\mu'_p(T)}{\mu_e(H)} \right] \left[\frac{\mu_e(H)}{\mu_e} \right] \left[\frac{m_\mu}{m_e} \right] \left[\frac{g_e}{2} \right]$$

measurements by the Muon $g-2$ collaboration

- ▶ ω_a precession of muon spin relative to momentum rotation in magnetic field
- ▶ $\tilde{\omega}'_p(T)$ precession frequency of shielded proton spin in spherical water sample at $T = 34.7^\circ\text{C}$ in muon-beam-weighted magnetic field, $\tilde{\omega}'_p(T) = \langle \omega'_p(T)(x, y, \varphi) \times M(x, y, \varphi) \rangle$

notation

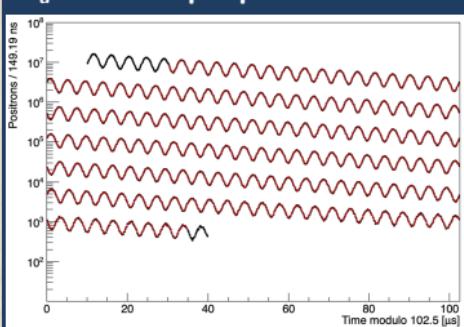
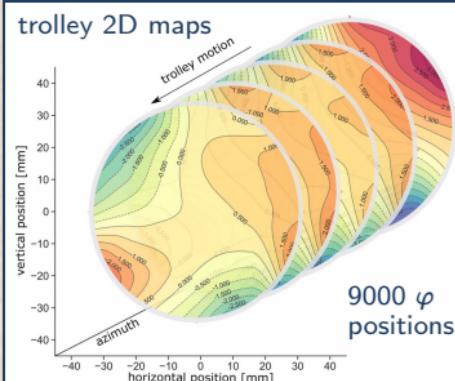
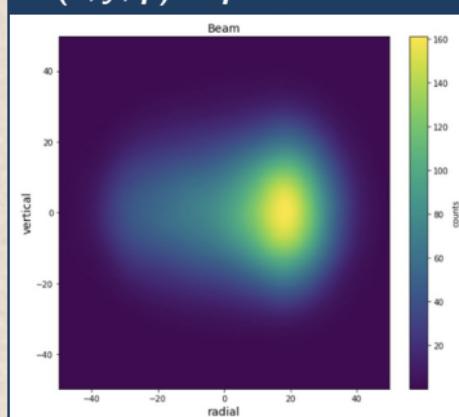
- ▶ $\mu'_p(T)$ magnetic momentum of proton in spherical water sample at 34.7°C
- ▶ $\mu_e(H)$ magnetic momentum of electron in hydrogen atom

external measurements

- ▶ $\mu'_p(T)/\mu_e(H)$ 10.5 ppb precision, Metrologia 13, 179 (1977)
- ▶ $\mu_e(H)/\mu_e$ 100 ppt (for n. digits) theory QED calculation, Rev. Mod. Phys. 88 035009 (2016)
- ▶ m_μ/m_e 22 ppb precision CODATA 2018 fit, primarily driven by LAMPF 1999 measurements of muonium hyperfine splitting, Phys. Rev. Lett. 82, 711 (1999)
- ▶ $g_e/2$ 0.12 ppt, PDG 2023

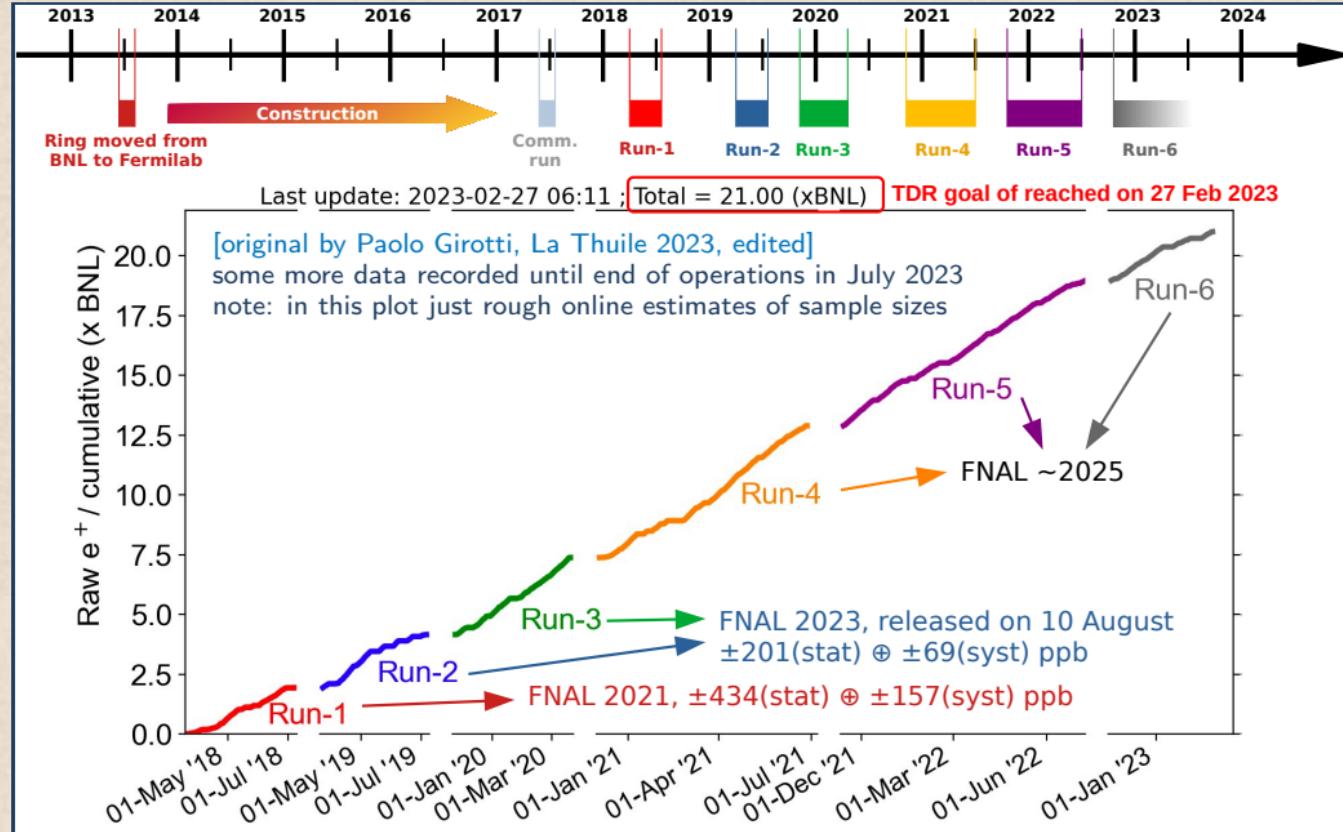
Conceptual formula for $R'_\mu(T) = \omega_a/\tilde{\omega}'_p(T)$

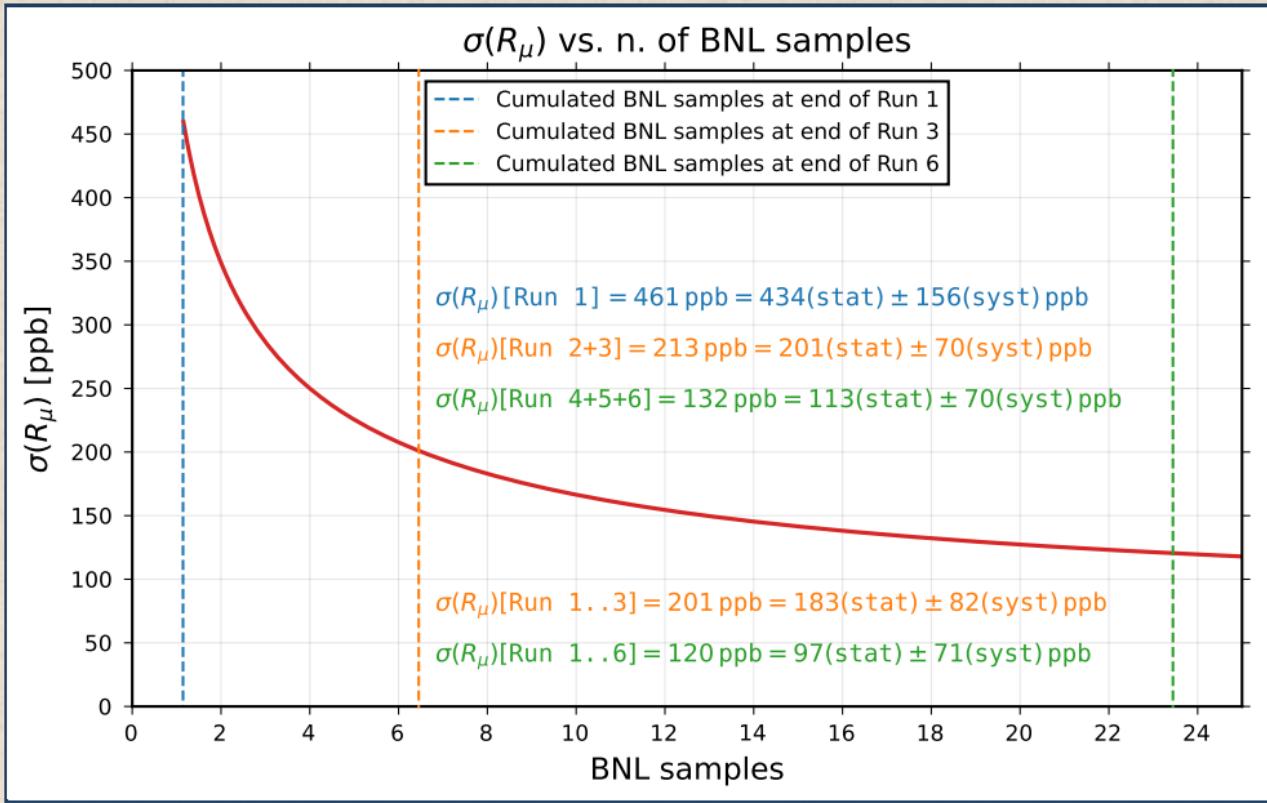
$$R'_\mu(T) = \frac{\omega_a}{\tilde{\omega}'_p(T)} \text{ conceptually} \equiv \frac{\omega_a^m (1 + C_e + C_p + C_{ml} + C_{pa} + C_{dd})}{\langle \omega'_p(T)(x, y, \varphi) \times M(x, y, \varphi) \rangle (1 + B_k + B_q)}$$

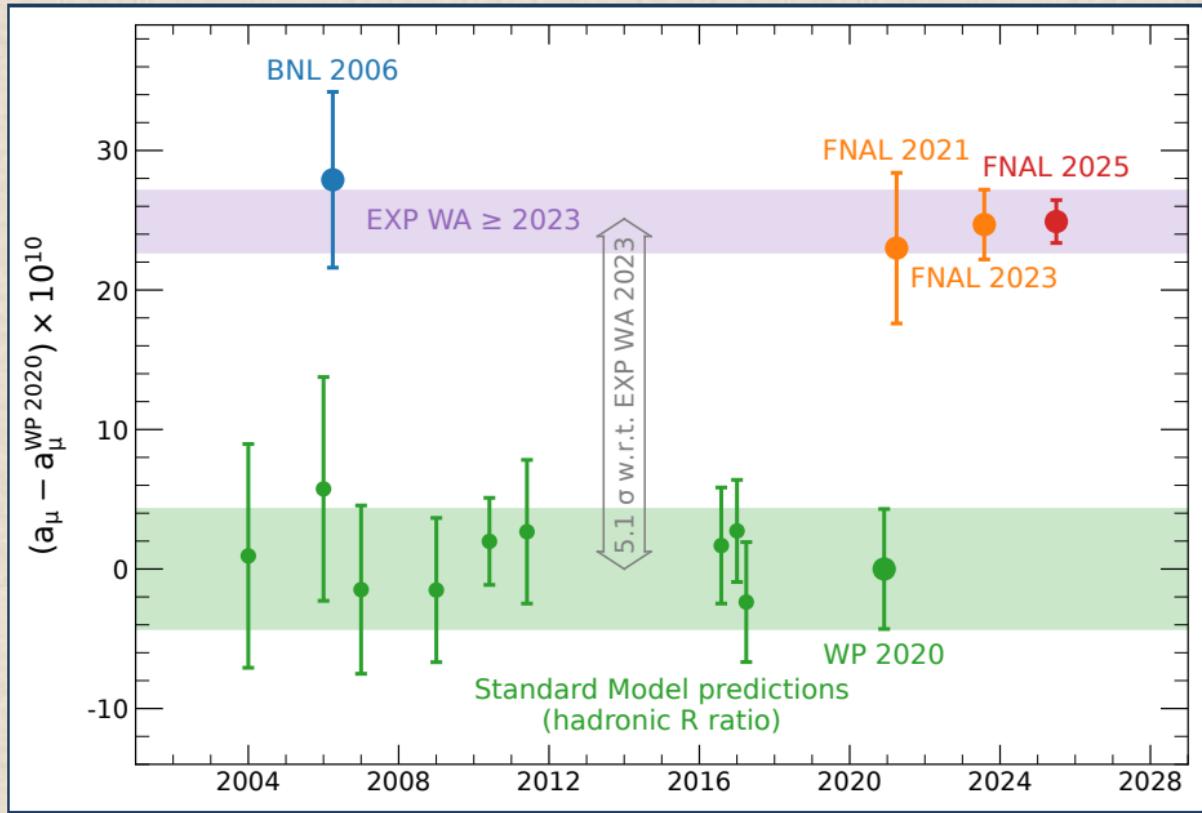
 ω_a^m - muon-spin precession $\omega'_p(T)(x, y, \varphi)$ - B field $M(x, y, \varphi)$ - μ^+ distribution

- ▶ ω_a : muon spin precession frequency
- ▶ C_x : corrections to ω_a for E field, pitch, muon loss, phase acceptance, differential decay
- ▶ $\omega'_p(T)$ precession frequency of shielded proton spin in spherical water sample at $T = 34.7^\circ\text{C}$
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Data recorded by FNAL Muon $g-2$ experiment exceeded design goal



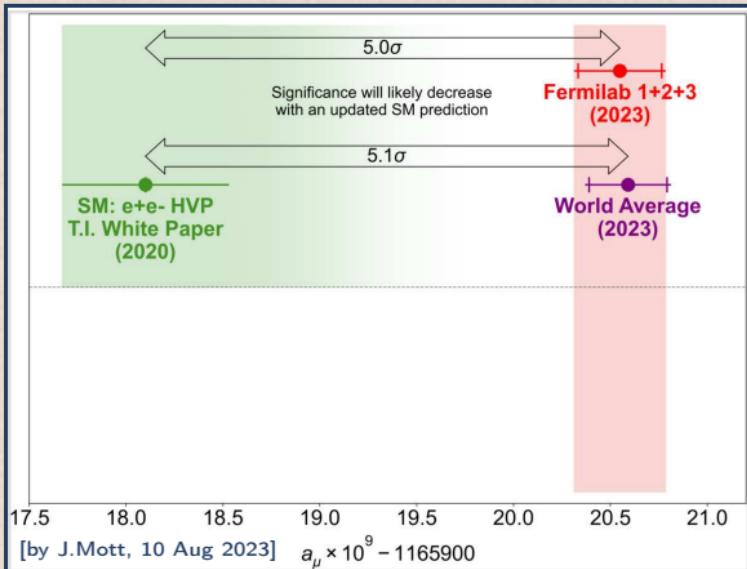
Expected future precision of FNAL Muon $g-2$ measurement

Muon $g-2$ test, after FNAL Run 2+3 measurement released in August 2023

Run 2+3 ω_a corrections and uncertainties

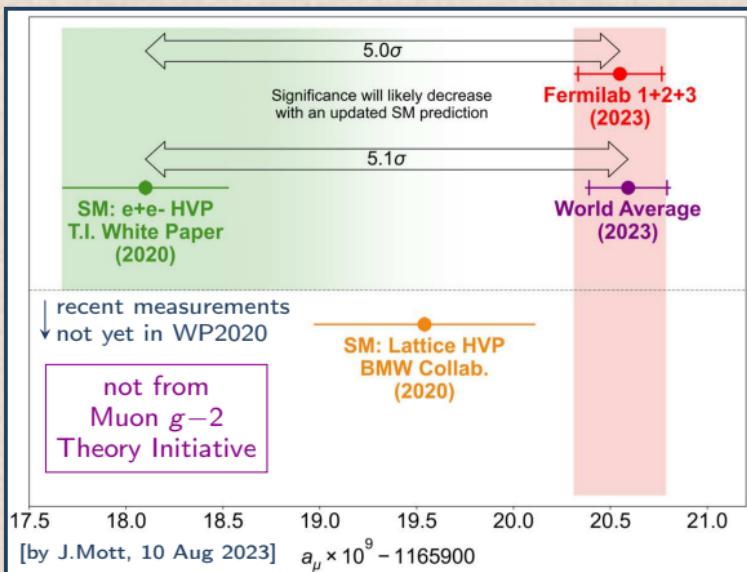
	Run 1 uncertainty	Run 2+3 uncertainty	design goal uncertainty
ω_a^m (statistical)	434	201	100
ω_a^m (systematic)	56	25	
- C_e	53	32	
- C_p	13	10	
- C_{pa}	75	13	
- C_{dd}	-	8	
- C_{ml}	5	3	
ω_a (total systematic)	109	44	70
$\omega'_p(T)$	56	46	
- B_q	92	20	
- B_k	37	13	
$\tilde{\omega}'_p(T)$ (total)	114	52	70
R_μ (total systematic)	157	70	100
external parameters	25	25	
total	462	215	140

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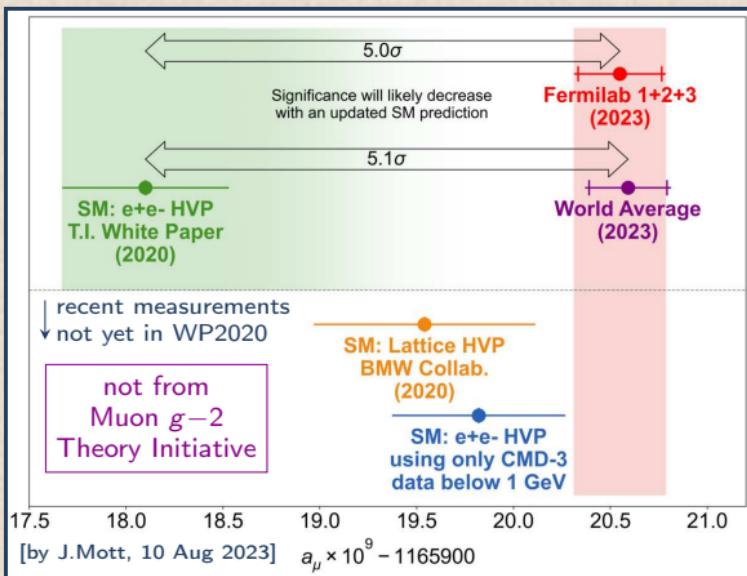
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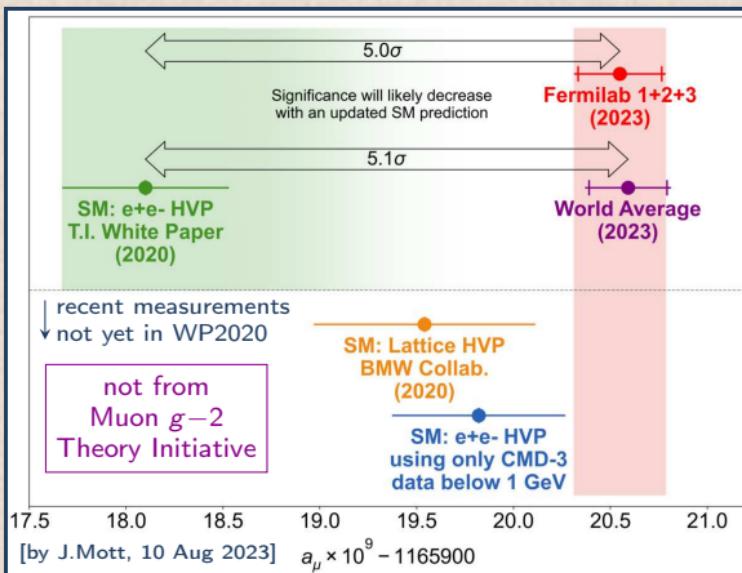
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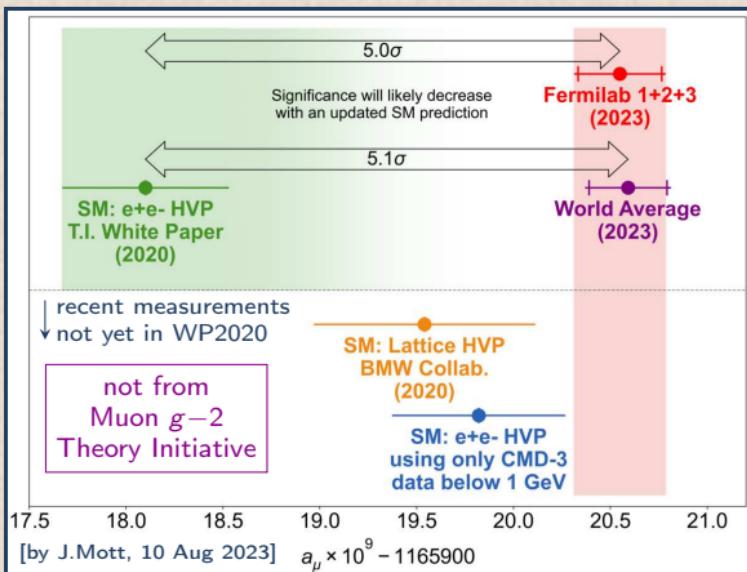


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- ▶ large ongoing effort to understand present poor consistency of theory predictions based on different inputs

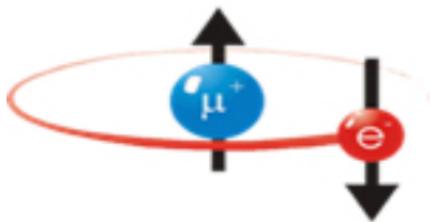
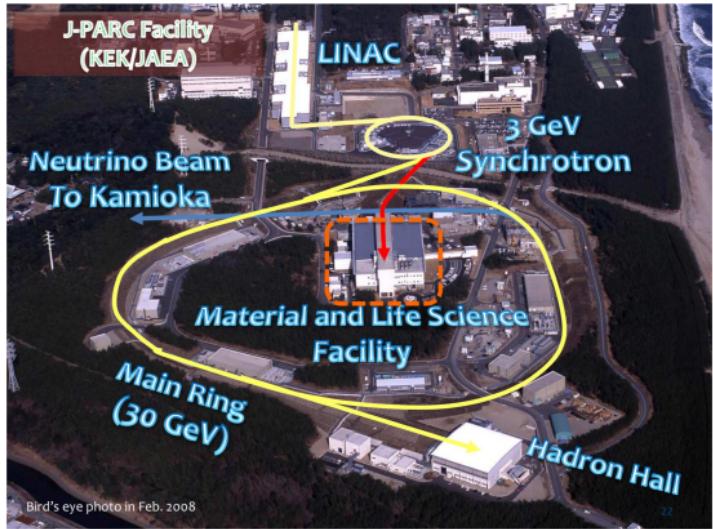
Muon $g-2$ test prospects

experimental measurement

- ▶ a_μ to 0.12, ppm from FNAL-E989 complete dataset analysis by 2025
- ▶ a_μ to 0.45 ppm from J-PARC E34 with cold slow ($E = 300$ MeV) muons in small 4 T NMR magnet
- ▶ a_μ to 3 ppm from Muonium spectroscopy [PRL 127 \(2021\) 251801](#)

theory prediction

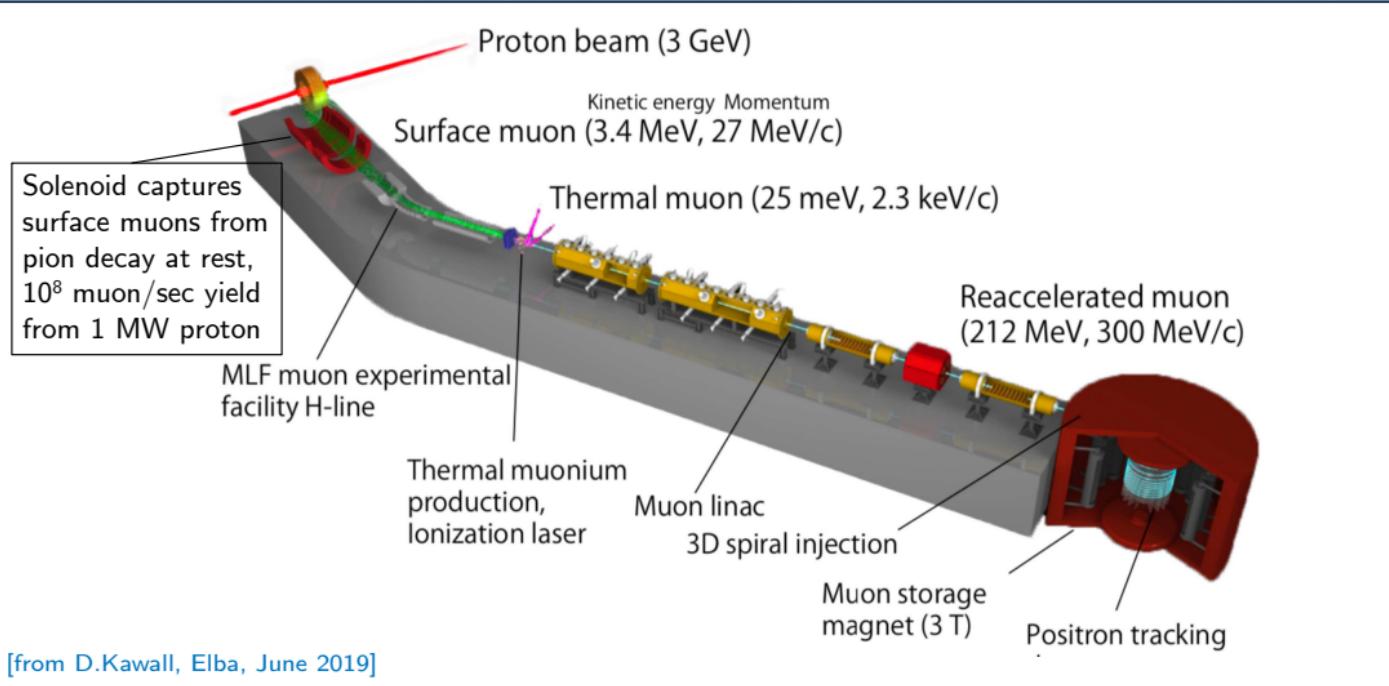
- ▶ energy-scan scan $\sigma(e^+ e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons})$
 - ▶ CMD-3, SND
 - ▶ BES-III
- ▶ ISR technique $\sigma(e^+ e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons})$
 - ▶ BABAR $\sigma(e^+ e^- \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- (\gamma))$
 - ▶ Belle II (asymmetric-energy super B -factory)
 - ▶ BES-III, possibly Super Charm-Tau factories
 - ▶ analysis of KLOE data ([Liverpool](#))
- ▶ MUonE: 160 GeV muons on e^- t-channel scattering, $a_\mu^{\text{HVP,LO}}$ to 0.5%
- ▶ Lattice QCD community will test and reproduce the BMW 2021 HVP contribution calculation
 - ▶ partial replications all confirmed BMW calculation
- ▶ Muon $g-2$ Theory Initiative group will verify and combine available measurement and calculations

J-PARC E34 Muon $g-2$ /EDM experiment

Slide Material: Tsutomu Mibe, Ken-ichi Sasaki, Koichiro Shimomura,
Takayuki Yamazaki, Sohtara Kanda

[from D.Kawall, Elba, June 2019]

J-PARC E34 schematics



[from D.Kawall, Elba, June 2019]

J-PARC E34 features

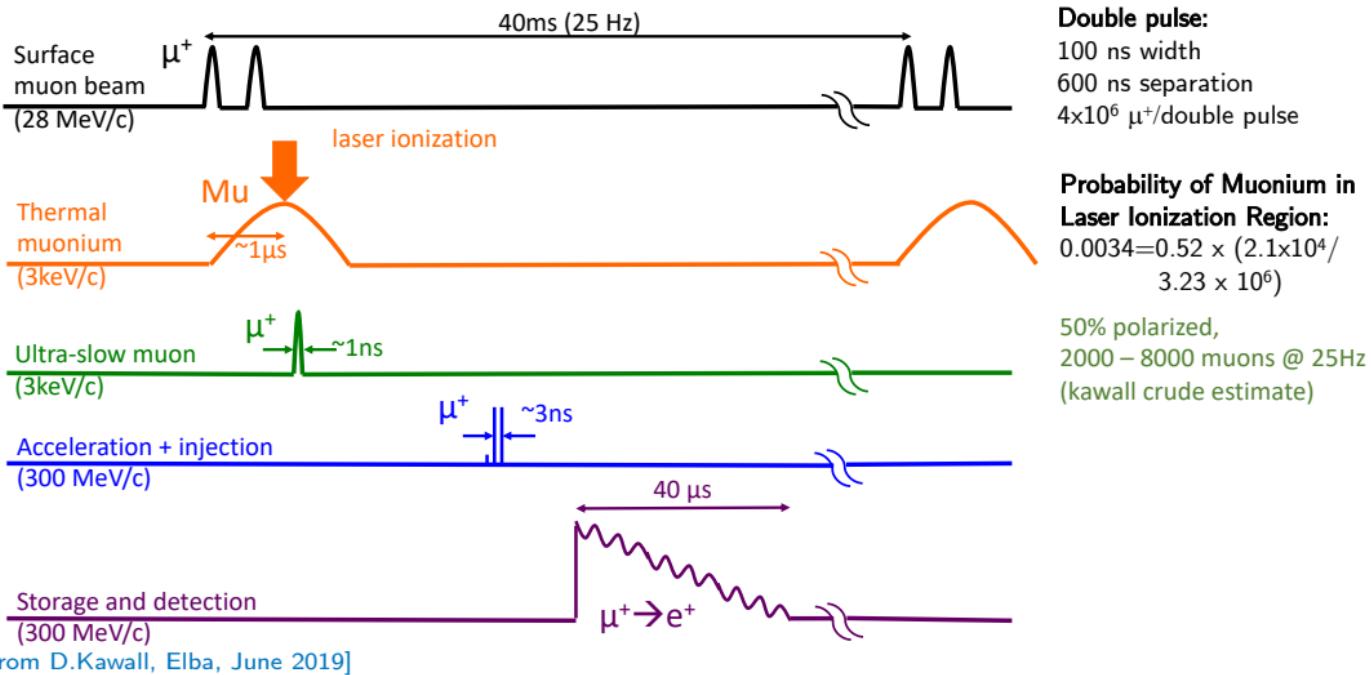
Measure muon g-2 and EDM with *significantly different methods* from BNL/Fermilab experiments

Features:

- Low emittance muon beam (1/1000)
- No strong focusing (1/1000):
 - Weak magnetic focusing, no/minimal E-field and pitch corrections
- Good injection efficiency ($\times 10$)
- Compact storage ring (1/20):
 - B-field significantly more homogeneous and stable, easier to measure
- Tracking detector with large acceptance

[from D.Kawall, Elba, June 2019]

J-PARC E34 experimental sequence



J-PARC E34 sensitivity

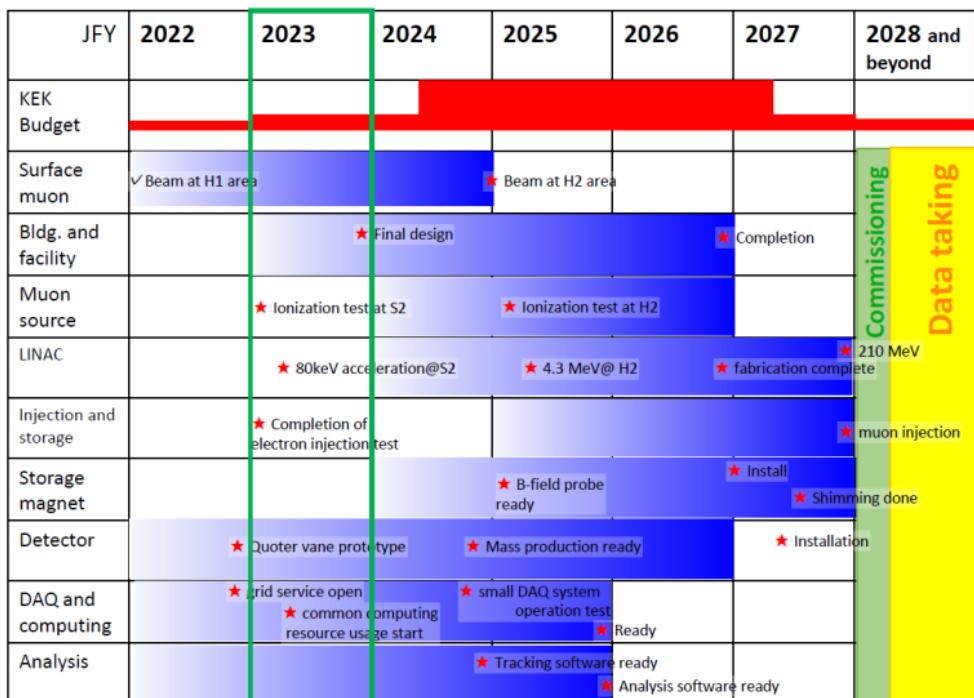
	BNL-E821	Fermilab-E989	Our Experiment
Muon momentum	3.09 GeV/c		300 MeV/c
Lorentz γ	29.3		3
Polarization	100%		50%
Storage field	$B = 1.45$ T		$B = 3.0$ T
Focusing field	Electric quadrupole		Very weak magnetic
Cyclotron period	149 ns		7.4 ns
Spin precession period	4.37 μ s		2.11 μ s
Number of detected e^+	5.0×10^9	1.6×10^{11}	5.7×10^{11}
Number of detected e^-	3.6×10^9	—	—
a_μ precision (stat.)	460 ppb	100 ppb	450 ppb
	(syst.)	280 ppb	<70 ppb
EDM precision (stat.)	$0.2 \times 10^{-19} e \cdot \text{cm}$	—	$1.5 \times 10^{-21} e \cdot \text{cm}$
	(syst.)	$0.9 \times 10^{-19} e \cdot \text{cm}$	$0.36 \times 10^{-21} e \cdot \text{cm}$

[PTEP 2019 (2019) 5, 053C02]

J-PARC E34 schedule

Schedule

- Construction of experimental apparatus is ongoing aiming at the start of the experiment in 2028 JFY.

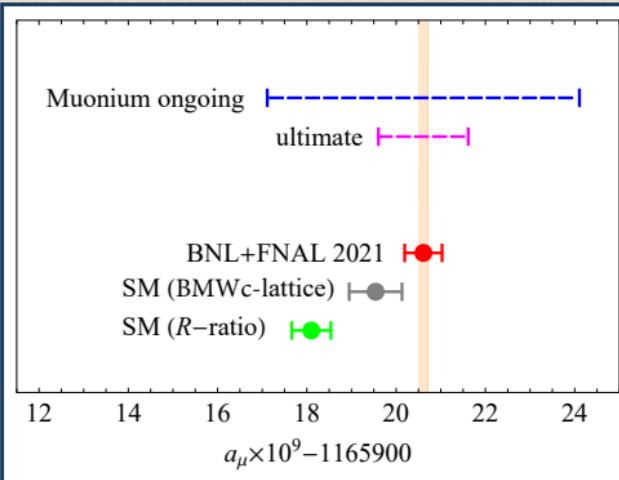


[Takashi Yamanaka, Bern, Sep 2023]

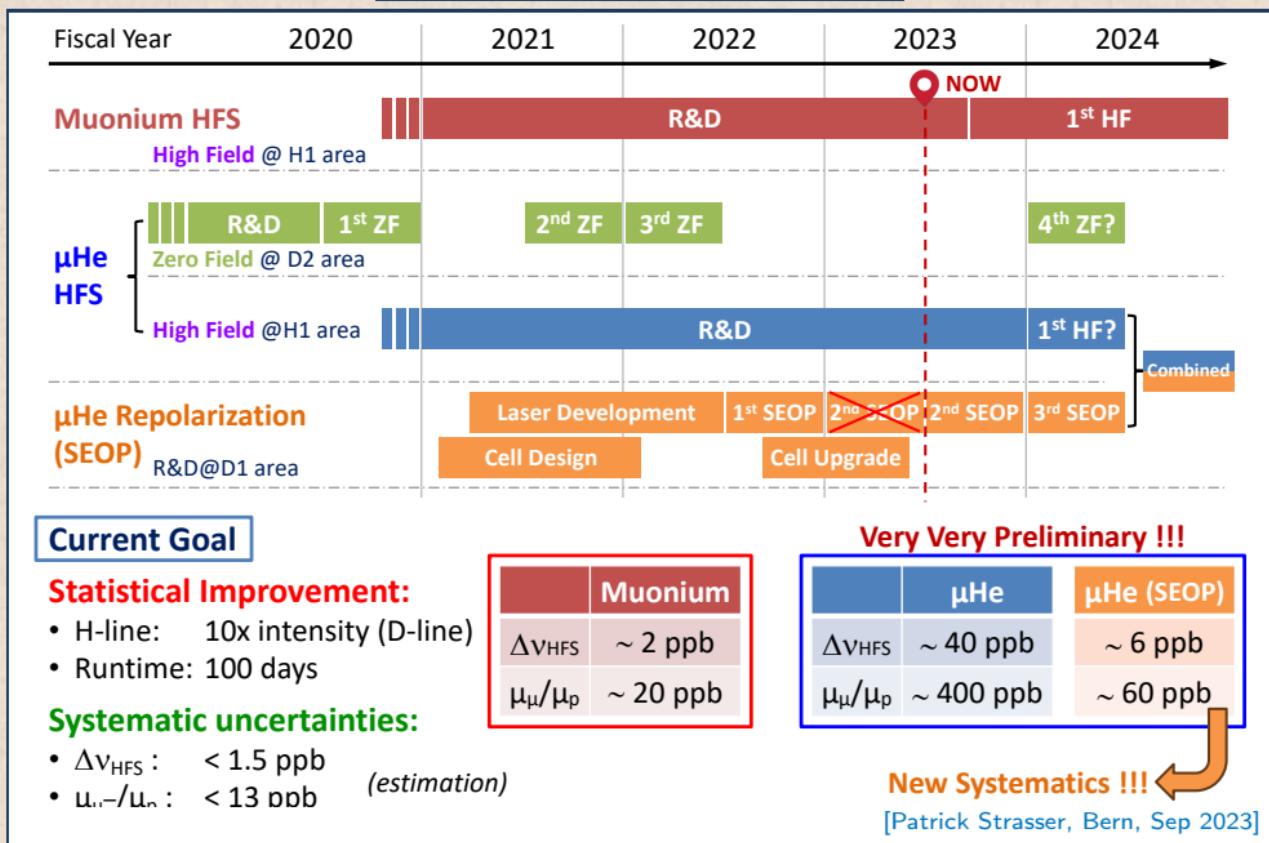
Muon $g-2$ from Muonium spectroscopy

- ▶ Delaunay, Ohayon, Soreqm, [PRL 127 \(2021\) 251801](#): measure both a_μ and m_e/m_μ from
 - ▶ Muonium hyperfine splitting ν_{HFS}
 - ▶ J-PARC MUSEUM experiment
- ▶ Muonium 1S-2S transition $\nu_{\text{1S-2S}}$
- ▶ PSI Mu-MASS experiment
- ▶ J-PARC Muonium 1S-2S experiment

parameter (unit)	quantity	current	u_r ongoing	ultimate
m_e/m_μ (ppb)	$\nu_{\text{1S-2S}}(\text{exp})$	825	0.84	0.34
	QED(1S-2S)	1.7	1.2	0.1
	R_∞	0.40	0.13	
	total	825	1.5	0.37
a_μ (ppm)	$\nu_{\text{1S-2S}}(\text{exp})$	708	0.73	0.29
	$\nu_{\text{HFS}}(\text{exp})$	10	1.9	0.77
	QED(1S-2S)	1.4	1.0	0.07
	QED(HFS)	14	1.9	0.2
	HVP(HFS)	0.29	0.16	
	R_∞	0.35	0.13	
	α	0.26	0.14	
	total	708	3.0	0.88

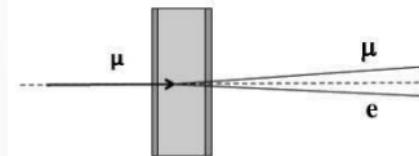


J-PARC MuSEUM schedule



MUonE experiment

Extraction of $\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}(t)$ from the *shape* of the $\mu e \rightarrow \mu e$ differential cross section

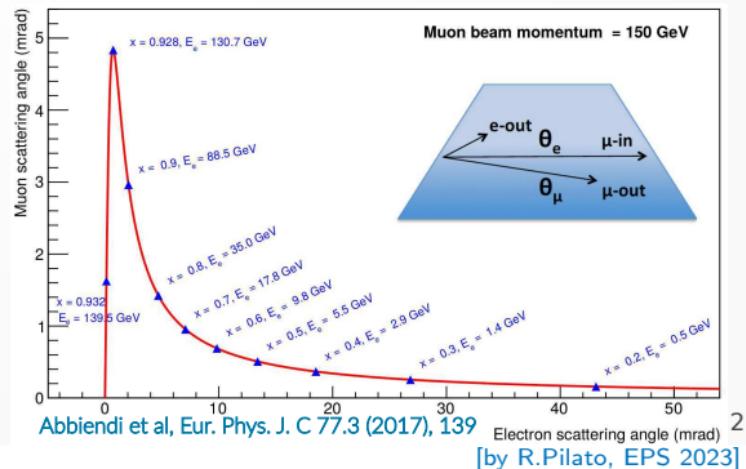


$$\frac{d\sigma_{\text{data}}(\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}})}{d\sigma_{\text{MC}}(\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}} = 0)} \sim 1 + 2\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}(t)$$

To be measured

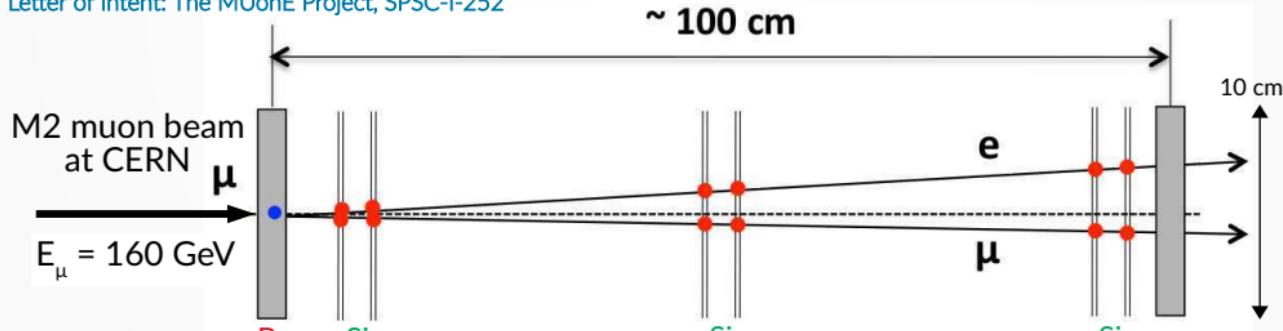
From theoretical calculation

- Compute a^{HLO} using data from one single experiment.
- Correlation between muon and electron angles allows to select elastic events and reject background ($\mu N \rightarrow \mu N e^+ e^-$).
- Boosted kinematics: $\theta_\mu < 5 \text{ mrad}$, $\theta_e < 32 \text{ mrad}$.

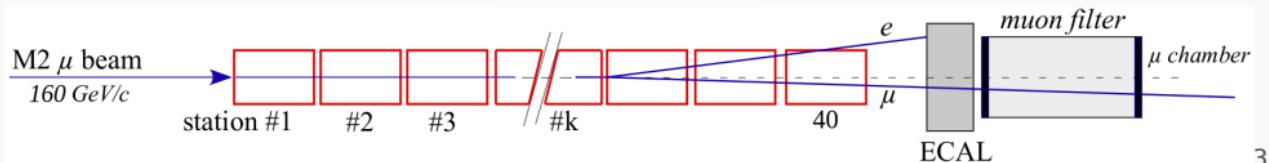


MUonE experiment

Letter of Intent: The MUonE Project, SPSC-I-252



Tracking system:
3 pairs of silicon strip detectors (CMS 2S modules)



[by R.Pilato, EPS 2023]

MUonE experiment

Conclusions and future plans

MUonE
web site

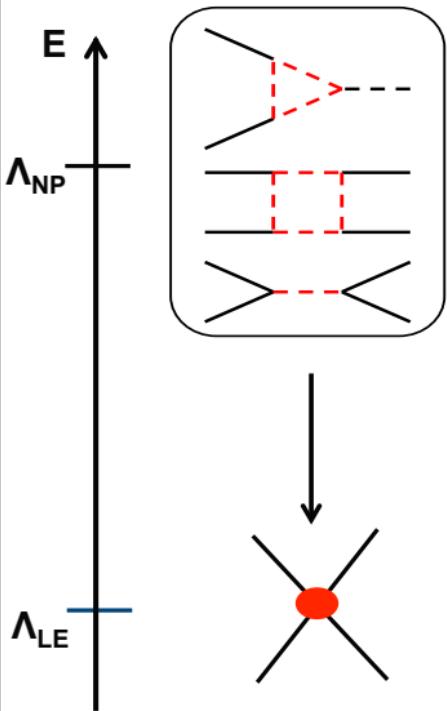


- The new method proposed by MUonE to measure a^{HLO} is independent and competitive with the latest evaluations.
- Intense Beam Test activities in 2021-2022: first experience with detector in real beam conditions.
- 3 weeks Test Run in 2023: proof of concept of the experimental proposal using 2 tracking stations (pretracker + 1 station with target) and ECAL.
- Technical proposal in 2024 based on the results of the Test Run.
- Towards the full experiment: 5-10 stations before LS3 (2026). 2-4 months data taking: first measurement (few % precision) of a^{HLO} .
- Full apparatus (40 stations) after LS3 to achieve the target precision (~0.3% stat and similar syst).

The MUonE Collaboration gratefully acknowledges the contributions of the CMS Collaboration.



Charged Lepton Flavour Violation searches



- In the quest of New Physics, can be sensitive to very high scale:
 - Kaon physics: $\frac{s\bar{d}s\bar{d}}{\Lambda^2} \Rightarrow \Lambda \gtrsim 10^5 \text{ TeV}$
[ε_K]
 - Charged Lepton Flavour Violation $\frac{\mu\bar{e}f\bar{f}}{\Lambda^2} \Rightarrow \Lambda \gtrsim 10^4 \text{ TeV}$
[$\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$]
- At low energy: lots of experiments e.g., *MEG, Sindrum, Sindrum II, BaBar, Belle, BESIII, LHCb, ATLAS* → huge improvements on measurements and bounds obtained and more expected e.g. *MEG, Mu3e, DeeMee, COMET, Mu2e, Belle II, LHCb, HL-LHC NA64, EIC, FC-ee, CEPC, STCF*
- Standard Model LFV extremely suppressed
Detectable rates from New Physics Models

[adapted from E.Passemar, FPCP 2022]

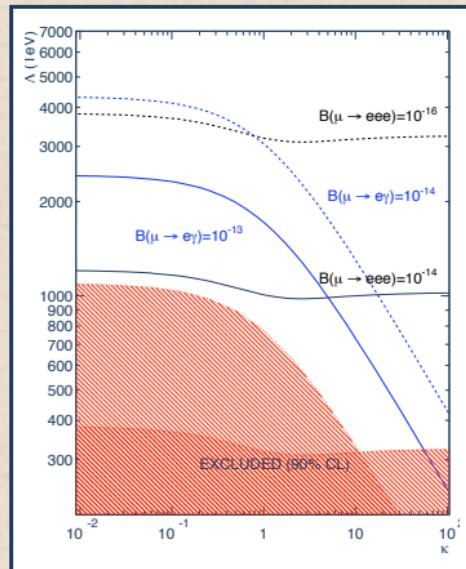
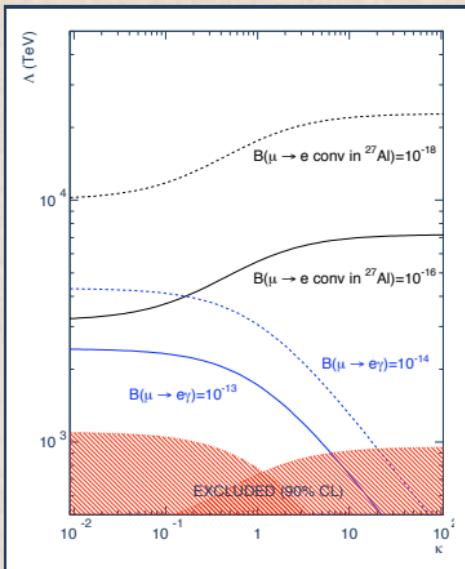
Muon Lepton Flavour Violation

- effective theory for $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$, $\mu \rightarrow eee$, $\mu N \rightarrow eN$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{CLFV}} = \begin{cases} \frac{m_\mu}{(\kappa+1)\Lambda^2} \bar{\mu}_R \sigma_{\mu\nu} e_L F^{\mu\nu} + h.c. + \\ \frac{\kappa}{(1+\kappa)\Lambda^2} \bar{\mu}_L \gamma_\mu e_L (\bar{u}_L \gamma^\mu u_L + \bar{d}_L \gamma^\mu d_L) + h.c. \end{cases}$$

[Prog.Part.Nucl.Phys. 71 (2013) 75]

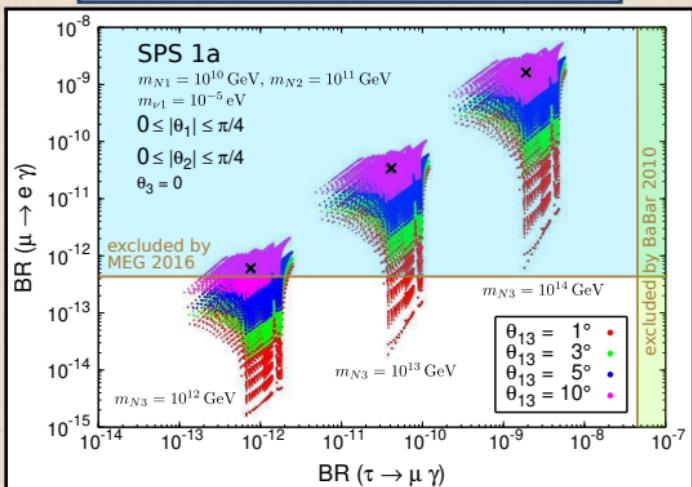
dipole term: SUSY, ...
 $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$, $\mu \rightarrow eee$
contact term, Z' , leptoquark
 $\mu N \rightarrow eN$, $\mu \rightarrow eee$
only via loops: $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$



Also tau LFV searches probe & constrain New Physics models

MSSM Seesaw

Antusch, Arganda, Herrero, Teixeira 2006

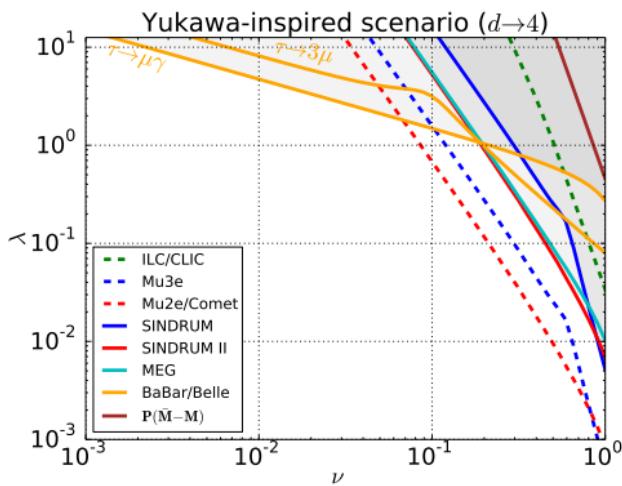


typical NP models

- $\mathcal{B}(\tau \rightarrow \mu\gamma) \sim 10-1000 \times \mathcal{B}(\mu \rightarrow e\gamma)$
- muon LFV searches more effective
- $(\theta_{13} \sim 8.5^\circ)$

doubly charged scalar

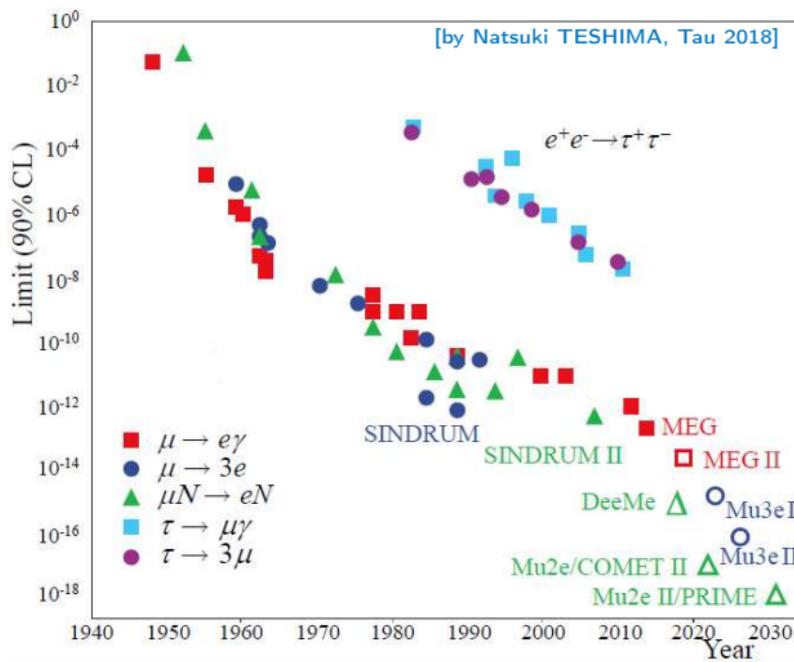
Crivellin, Ghezzi, Panizzi, Pruna, Signer 2019



specific models / parameter space regions

- part of plot only constrained by tau LFV limits

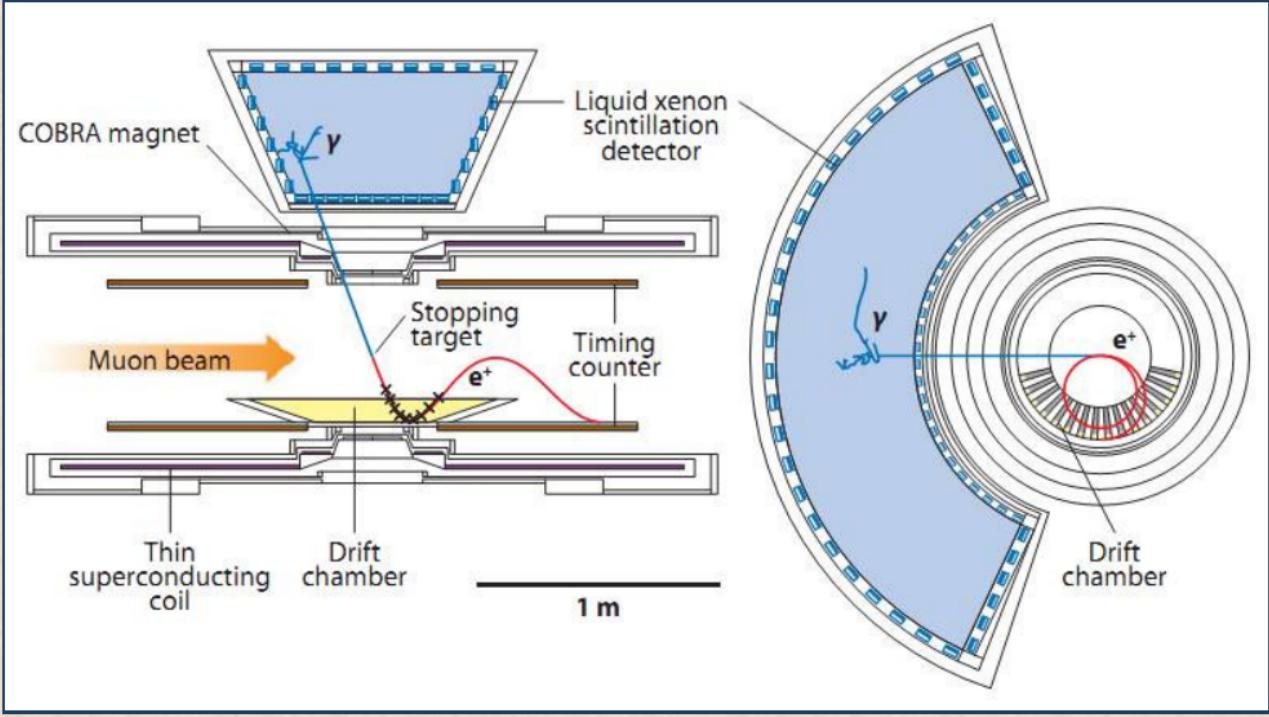
Muon LFV searches results and prospects



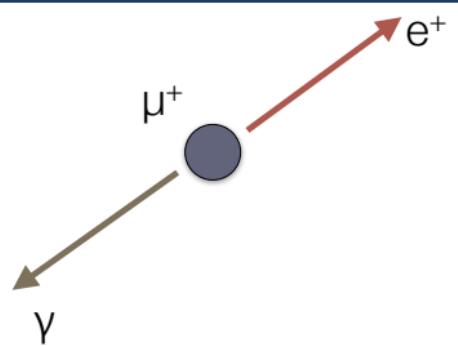
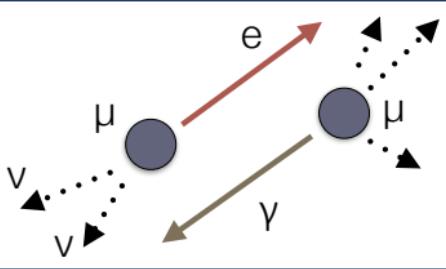
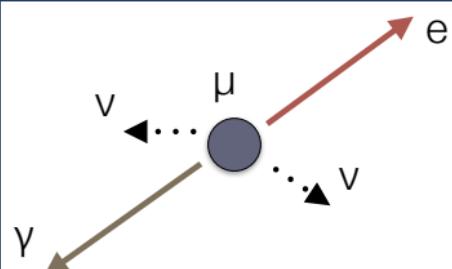
- ▶ recent MEG-II preliminary result, arXiv:2310.12614 [hep-ex],
 $\mathcal{B}(\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ \gamma) < 7.5 \cdot 10^{-13}$ (90% CL), combined with MEG 2016
 $\mathcal{B}(\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ \gamma) < 3.1 \cdot 10^{-13}$ (90% CL)

MEG experiment at PSI, search for $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$

- PSI 28 MeV/c-momentum surface μ^+ beam, rate up to $R_\mu = 10^8/s$



MEG experiment at PSI, search for $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$

signal**Accidental (Acc) background****Radiative Muon Decay (RMD)**

- ▶ $N \propto R_\mu$
- ▶ $E_\gamma = 52.8 \text{ MeV}$
- ▶ $E_{e+} = 52.8 \text{ MeV}$
- ▶ $\alpha_{e\gamma} = 180^\circ$
- ▶ $T_{e\gamma} = 0$

- ▶ $N \propto R_\mu^2$
- ▶ $E_\gamma < 52.8 \text{ MeV}$
- ▶ $E_{e+} < 52.8 \text{ MeV}$
- ▶ $\alpha_{e\gamma} < 180^\circ$
- ▶ $T_{e\gamma} = \text{flat}$

- ▶ $N \propto R_\mu$
- ▶ $E_\gamma < 52.8 \text{ MeV}$
- ▶ $E_{e+} < 52.8 \text{ MeV}$
- ▶ $\alpha_{e\gamma} < 180^\circ$
- ▶ $T_{e\gamma} = 0$

note: in the data analysis $\theta_{e\gamma} = 180^\circ$ is simplified form of $\theta_{e\gamma} = 0$ and $\phi_{e\gamma} = 0$,
 with $\theta_{e\gamma} = (\pi - \theta_e) - \theta_\gamma$ and $\phi_{e\gamma} = (\pi + \phi_e) - \phi_\gamma$

MEG experiment at PSI, search for $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$

optimization

- optimal $R_\mu = 3 \cdot 10^7 /s$ to suppress accidental background $\propto R_\mu^2$ [max $R_\mu = 1 \cdot 10^8 /s$]

analysis

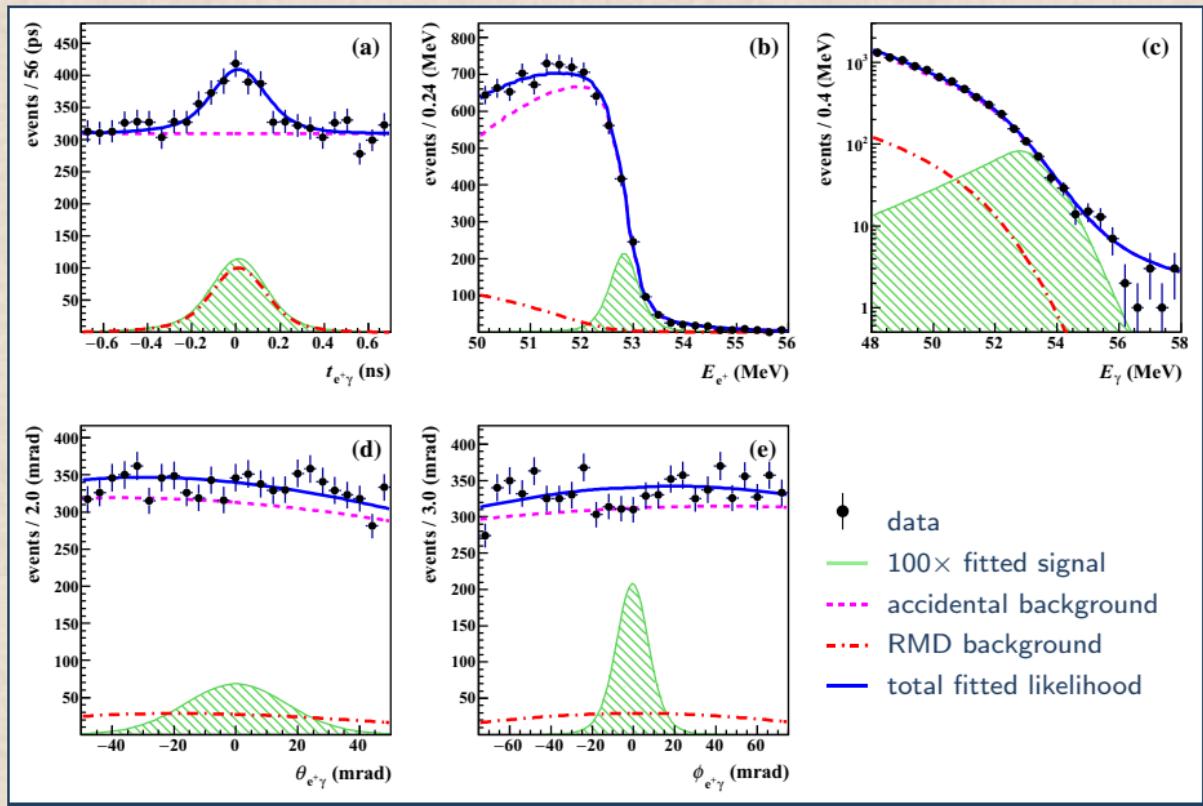
- loose selection of e^+ , γ candidates with compatible detection times
- extended maximum likelihood fit with (simplified expression):

$$L(N_{\text{sig}}, N_{\text{RMD}}, N_{\text{acc}}) = \frac{e^{-(N_{\text{sig}} + N_{\text{RMD}} + N_{\text{acc}})}}{N_{\text{obs}}!} \prod_1^{N_{\text{obs}}} (N_{\text{sig}} F_{\text{sig}}(x_i) + N_{\text{RMD}} F_{\text{RMD}}(x_i) + N_{\text{acc}} F_{\text{acc}}(x_i))$$

N_{obs} = number of events in signal window; $x_i = E_\gamma, E_{e+}, \theta_{e\gamma}, \phi_{e\gamma}, T_{e\gamma}$

- N_{RMD} and N_{acc} constrained to observed events in sidebands with Gaussian terms (not shown above)
- 90% confidence interval of N_{sig} using Feldman-Cousins approach with profile-likelihood ratio ordering
- N_μ in signal acceptance computed by counting Michel and radiative muon decays
- $1/N_\mu$ (signal acceptance) = $(5.84 \pm 0.21) \cdot 10^{-14}$ (single event sensitivity)
- no significant signal found $\mathcal{B}(\mu \rightarrow e\gamma) < 4.2 \cdot 10^{-13}$ at 90% CL Eur.Phys.J.C 76 (2016) 434

MEG experiment at PSI, likelihood projections



MEG-II vs. MEG detector performances

Resolutions	Foreseen	Achieved	MEG	Ratio
E_{e^+} (keV)	100	89	380	X 4
ϕ_{e^+}, θ_{e^+} (mrad)	3.7/6.7	4.1/7.4	8.7/9.4	X 2 / X 1.5
y_{e^+}, z_{e^+} (mm)	0.7/1.6	0.7/2.0	1.2/2.4	X 2 / X 1.25
E_γ (%) ($w < 2$ cm)/($w > 2$ cm)	1.7/1.7	2.0/1.8	2.4/1.7	X 1.2 / X 1.0
$u_\gamma, v_\gamma, w_\gamma$, (mm)	2.4/2.4/5.0	2.5/2.5/5.0	5/5/6	X 2 / X 2 / X 1.25
$t_{e^+\gamma}$ (ps)	70	78	122	X 1.6
Efficiency (%)				
ε_γ	69	62	63	X 1
ε_{e^+}	65	67	30	X 2.2
ε_{TRG}	≈ 99	80	99	X 0.8

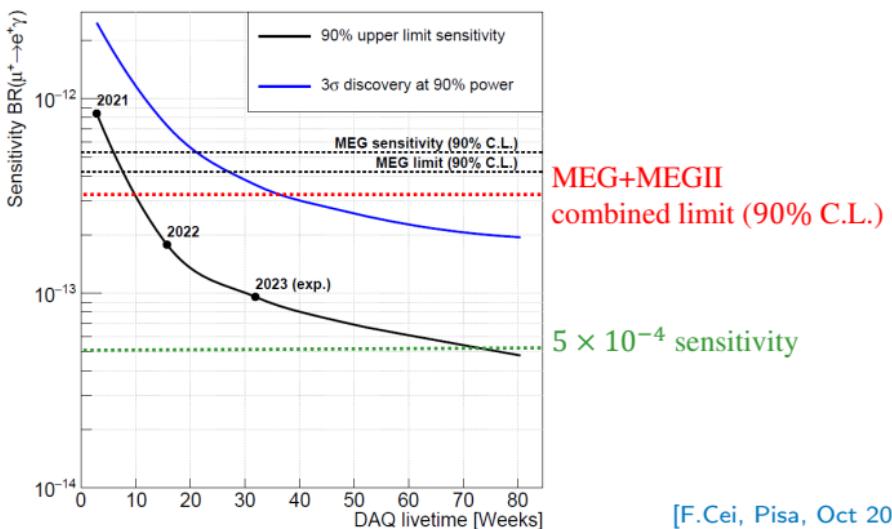
- Better S/N
- Much smaller analysis windows
- Reduced computing time

Fictitious, trigger efficiency for MEG in first data taking year was 69%. Effect of **unstable operations** in 2021 (different beam intensities, unstable photon detector energy thresholds ...). **Foreseen efficiency reachable in stable data taking conditions.**

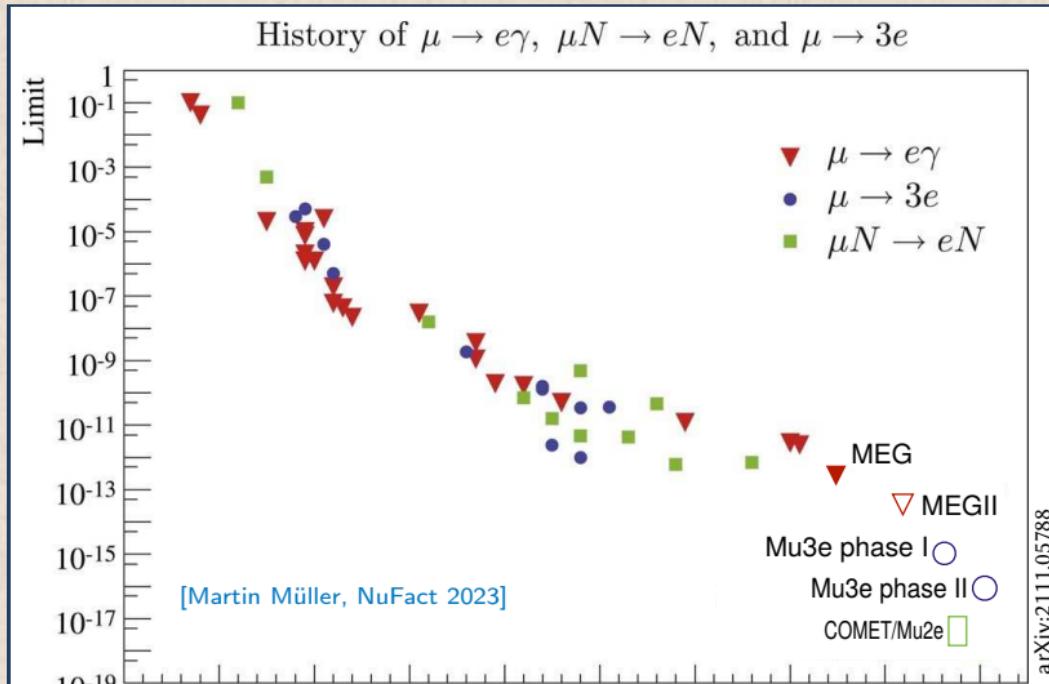
[F.Cei, Pisa, Oct 2023]

Future MEG + MEG-II sensitivity

An order of magnitude improvement in sensitivity wrt MEG is expected in about 80 weeks of DAQ livetime.



[F.Cei, Pisa, Oct 2023]

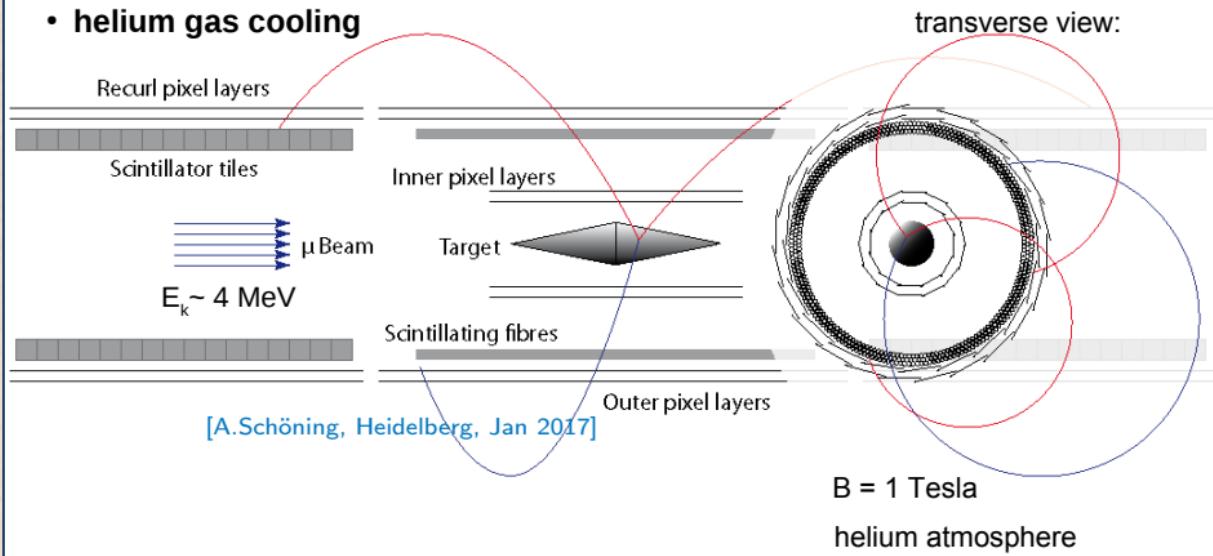
Mu3e (PSI), search for $\mu \rightarrow 3e$ 

► phase 2 requires PSI High Intensity Muon Beam project

Mu3e design

Features:

- surface muons ($p=29 \text{ MeV}/c$, DC) stopped on target at high rate: $10^8 - 10^9 / \text{s}$
- ultra thin **silicon pixel detector** (HV-MAPS) with **1 per mill radiation length** / layer
- high precision tracking using **recurling tracks** in strong magnetic field
- **fast timing** detectors (scintillating fibers & tiles)
- **helium gas cooling**

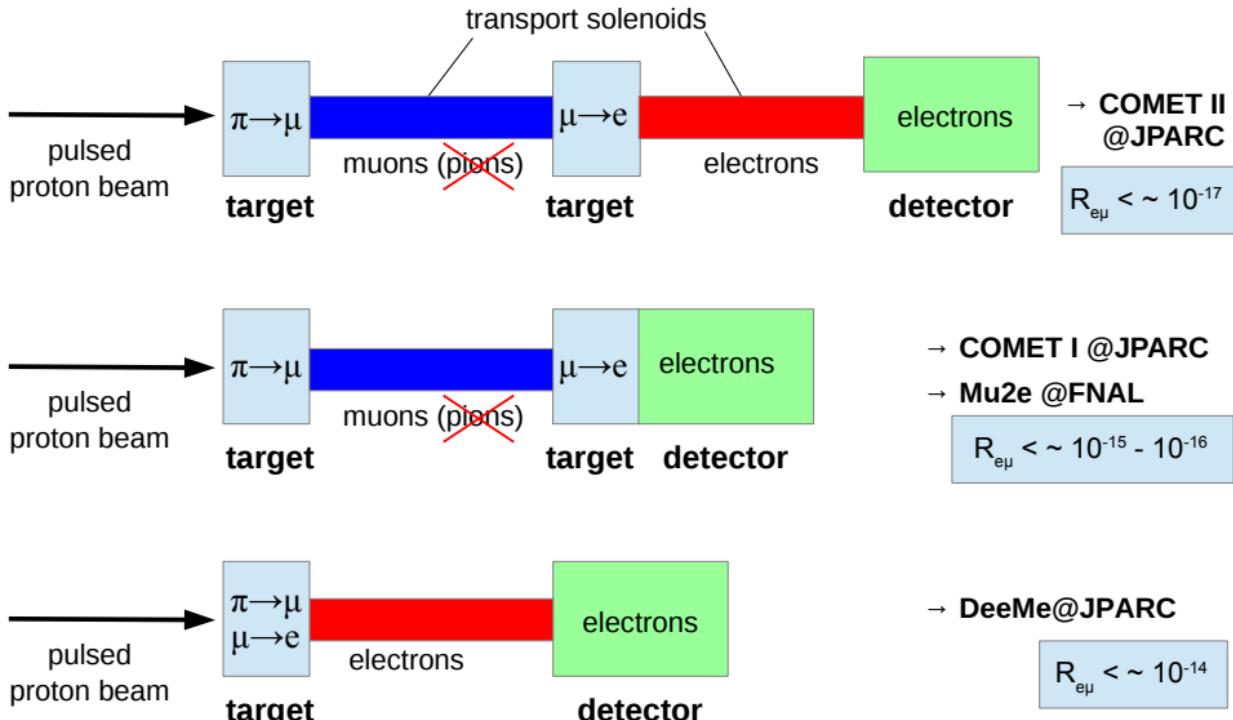


Searches for muon conversion in nuclei, $\mu N \rightarrow eN$

- ▶ DeeMe, C target, 1 year (JPARC, Japan), SES $\sim 1 \cdot 10^{-13}$
- ▶ DeeMe, SiC target, 4 years (JPARC, Japan), SES $\sim 5 \cdot 10^{-15}$
- ▶ Mu2e (FNAL, USA), SES $\sim 3 \cdot 10^{-17}$
- ▶ COMET-1 (JPARC, Japan), SES $\sim 3 \cdot 10^{-15}$
- ▶ COMET-2 (JPARC, Japan), SES $\sim 3 \cdot 10^{-17}$
- ▶ PRISM/PRIME (JPARC, Japan), SES $\sim 1 \cdot 10^{-18}$

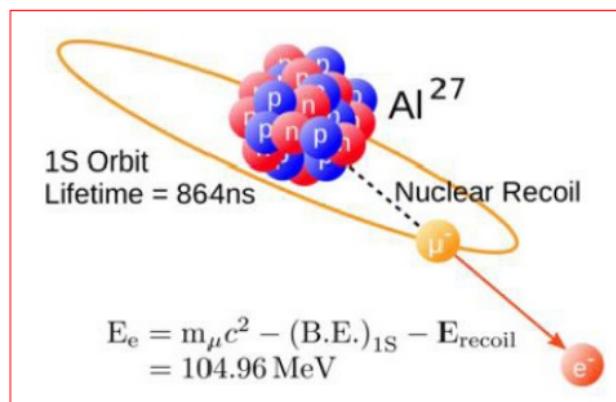
note: $\mu N \rightarrow eN$ signature is 1 electron with $E_e \simeq m_\mu$ and does not suffer R_μ^2 accidental background

Searches for muon conversion in nuclei, techniques

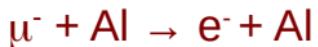


[A.Schöning, Heidelberg, Jan 2017]

Mu2e (FNAL)



Mu2e searches for **Charged Lepton Flavor Violation (CLFV)** via the coherent conversion:



Same channel as COMET, complementary to MEGII ($\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+\gamma$) and Mu3e ($\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+e^-e^+$)

[S. Di Falco, EPS-HEP2023]

Mu2e (FNAL)



Mu2e at
Fermilab Muon Campus

Mu2e **goal** is to improve by a factor 10^4 the world's best sensitivity on:

$$R_{\mu e} = \frac{\Gamma(\mu^- + N \rightarrow e^- + N)}{\Gamma(\mu^- + N \rightarrow \text{all captures})}$$

SINDRUM II @PSI (2006, Au)*:

$$R_{\mu e} < 7 \cdot 10^{-13} \text{ (90% CL)}$$

[S. Di Falco, EPS-HEP2023]

Mu2e (FNAL)

Background suppression: Radiative Pion Capture + other beam related bg

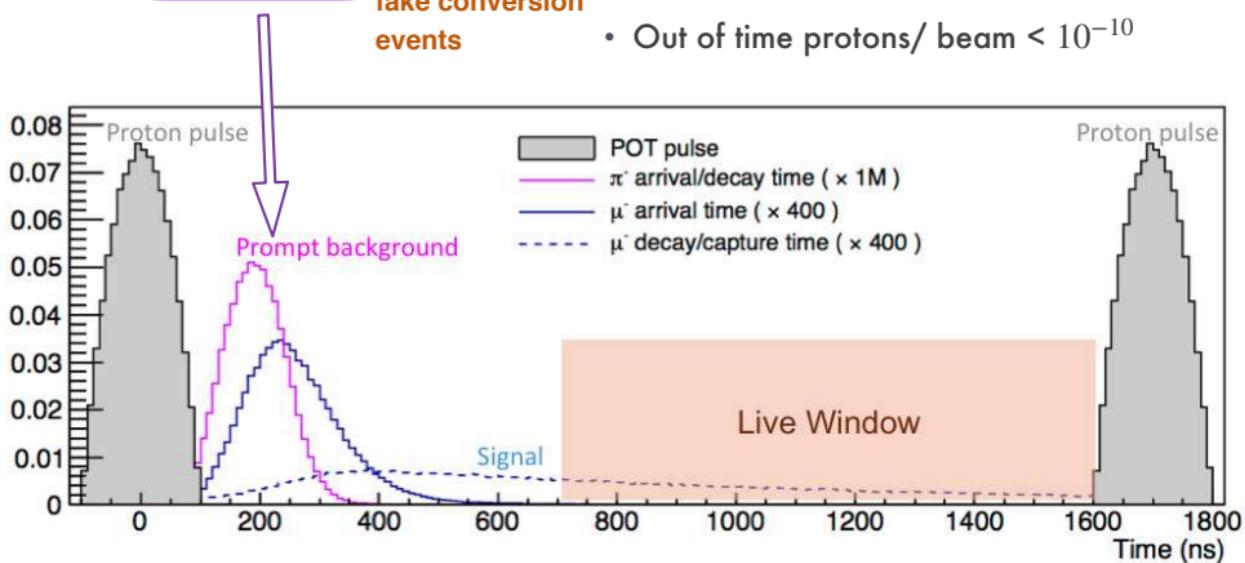
[Mete Yucel, Elba, 2022]



$\gamma \rightarrow e^- + e^+$

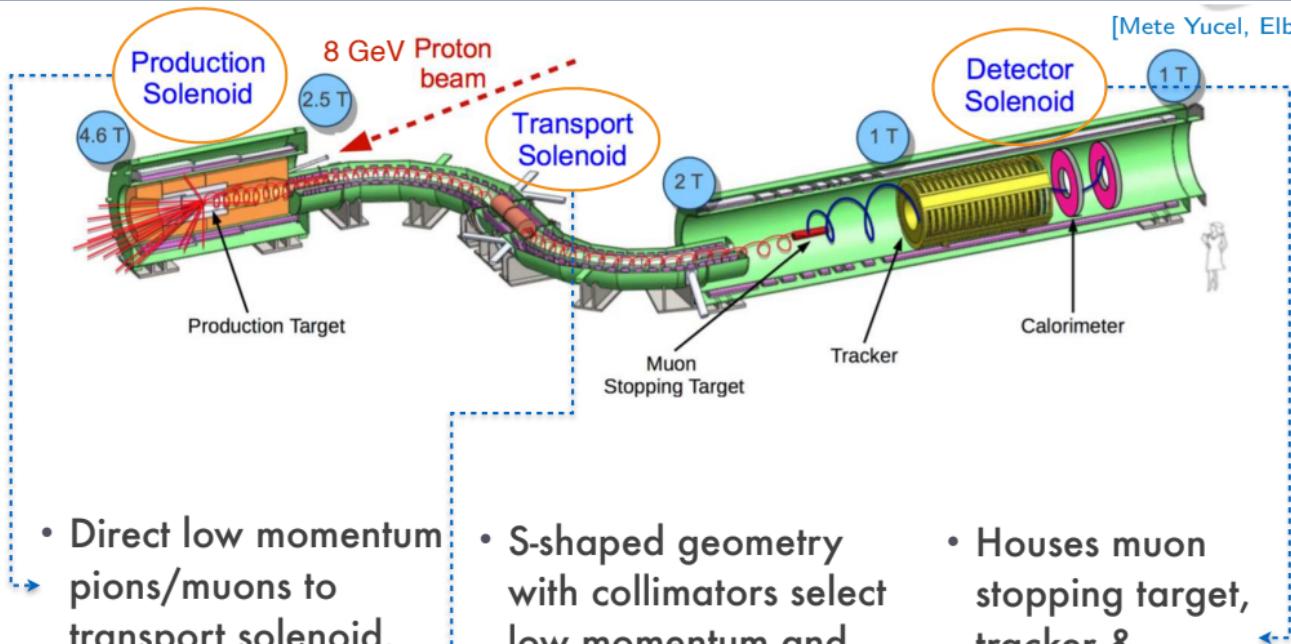
e^- with enough momentum can fake conversion events

- 8 GeV pulsed proton beam @ 1695 ns intervals.
- We wait 700 ns before taking C.E data to avoid most of the **prompt** background
 - Muonic Al lifetime = 864 ns.
- Out of time protons/ beam $< 10^{-10}$



Mu2e (FNAL)

[Mete Yucel, Elba, 2022]



- Direct low momentum pions/muons to transport solenoid.
- S-shaped geometry with collimators select low momentum and negatively charged particles.
- Houses muon stopping target, tracker & calorimeter.

Mu2e (FNAL)

Given the very low background level a **5 σ discovery** will require Mu2e to observe just **5 events** of muon conversion

The $R_{\mu e}$ corresponding to a **5 σ discovery** in Run 1 is:

$$R_{\mu e} = 1.1 \cdot 10^{-15}$$

Mu2e Run 1
5 σ Discovery reach

If no events will be observed the **90% CL limit** will be:

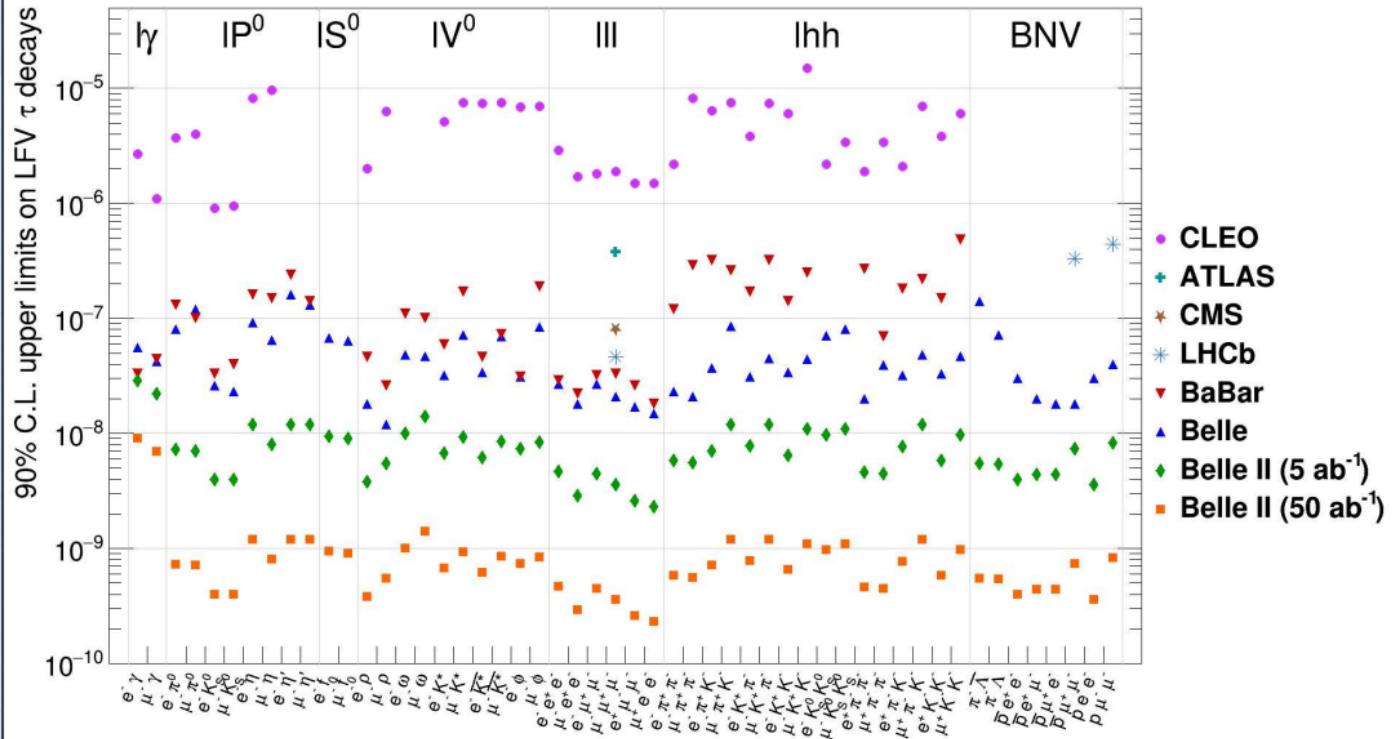
$$R_{\mu e} = 6.2 \cdot 10^{-16}$$

Mu2e Run 1
90% CL limit

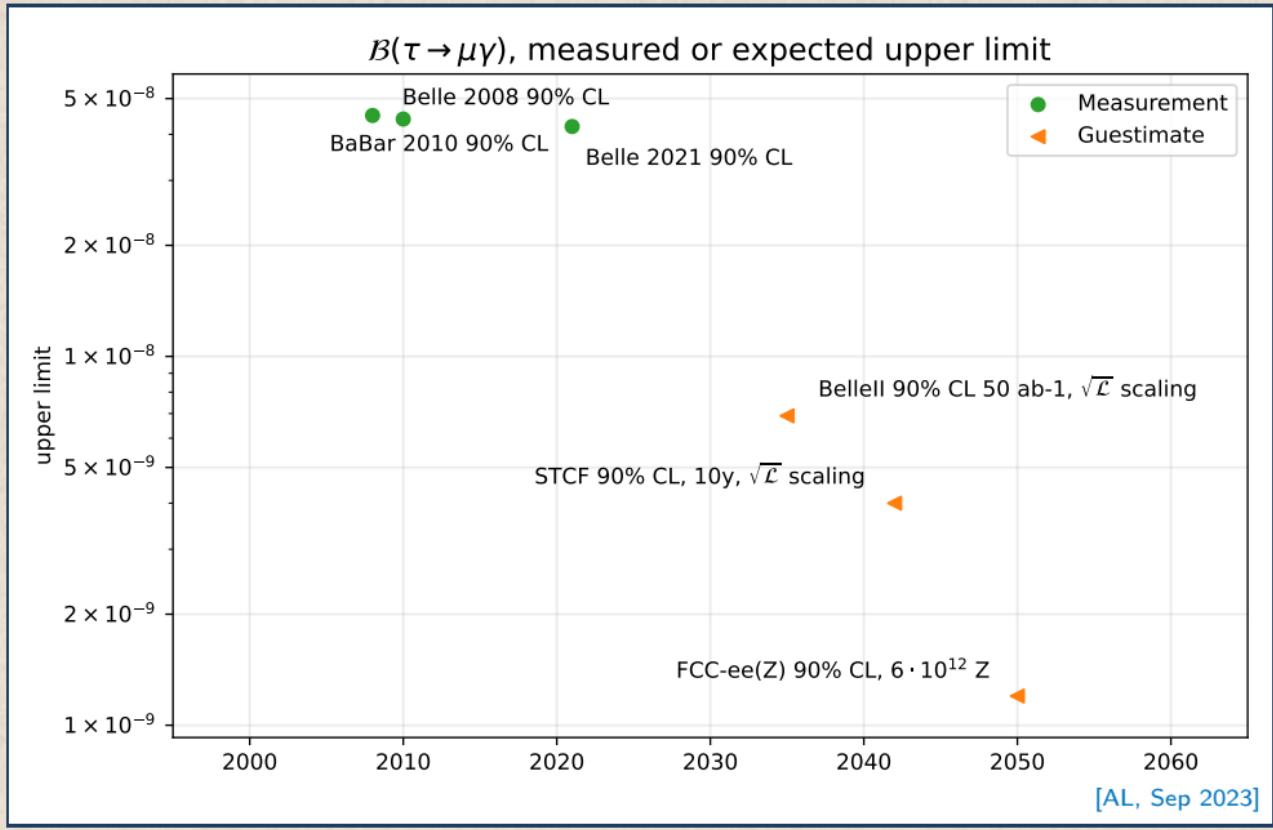
that is more than **x1000** better than current best limit!

[S. Di Falco, EPS-HEP2023]

Tau LFV decay searches



[M.H.Villanueva, arXiv:2208.02723 [hep-ex]]

LFV search for $\tau \rightarrow \mu\gamma$ 

Conclusions

- ▶ in several ways, muon measurements are highly valuable for HEP progress
- ▶ LFV searches sensitive to very high energy possible New Physics
 - ▶ muon LFV searches most sensitive, tau LFV searches are complementary

End

Backup slides

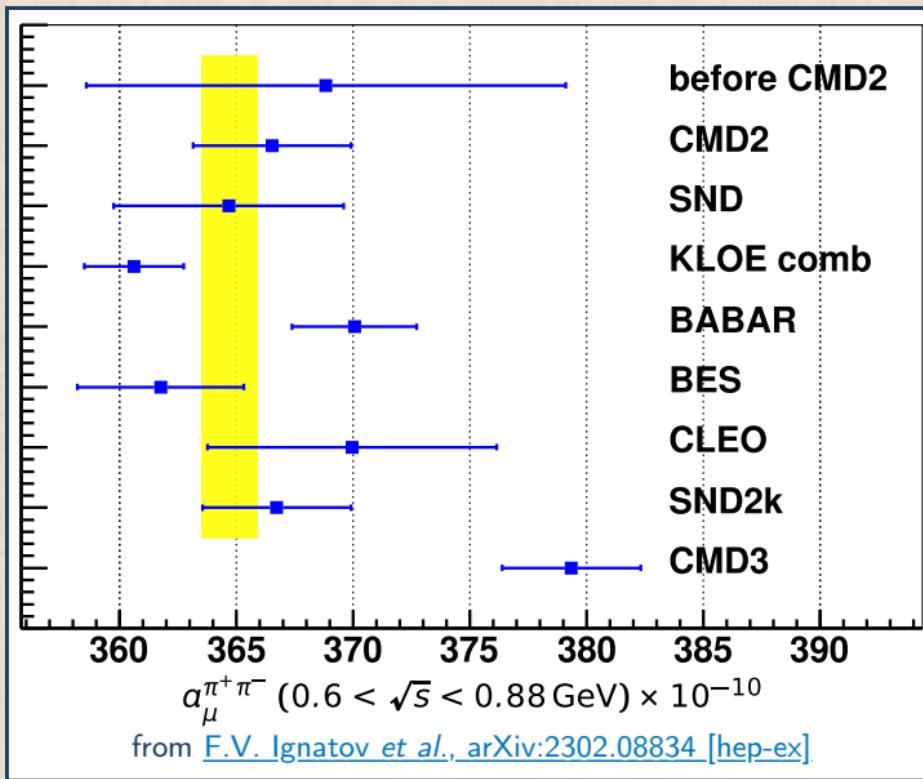
FNAL-E989 vs. BNL-E821

FNAL-E989 design precision, compared to BNL-E821 final report (2006)

	BNL E821 (2006)	FNAL E989 final goal	
ω_a statistical	460 ppb	100 ppb	$\times 21$ detected muon decays ($1.6 \cdot 10^{11}$)
ω_a systematic	210 ppb	70 ppb	faster calorimeter with laser calibration, tracker
ω_p systematic	170 ppb	70 ppb	more uniform B , improve NMR measurement
external measurements	25 ppb	25 ppb	
total	540 ppb	140 ppb	

ω_a : measured muon spin precession frequency in magnetic field

ω_p : measured proton spin precession frequency to measure magnetic field

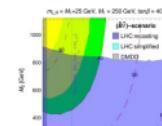
$a_{\mu}^{\text{HVP,LO}}(0.6 < \sqrt{s} < 0.88 \text{ GeV})$ from CMD-3

Muon $g-2$ discrepancy and New Physics Models

Which models can still accommodate large deviation?

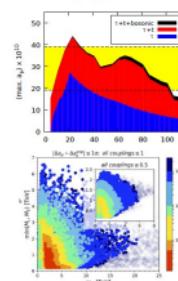
SUSY: MSSM, MRSSM

- MSugra... many other generic scenarios
- Bino-dark matter+some coannihil.+mass splittings
- Wino-LSP+specific mass patterns



Two-Higgs doublet model

- Type I, II, Y, Type X(lepton-specific), flavour-aligned



Lepto-quarks, vector-like leptons

- scenarios with muon-specific couplings to μ_L and μ_R

Simple models (one or two new fields)

- Mostly excluded
- light N.P. (ALPs, Dark Photon, Light $L_\mu - L_\tau$)

see also [arXiv:2104.03691](https://arxiv.org/abs/2104.03691)

Model	NP	Bound	Bound
1	X	0.12	0.17
2	X	0.12	0.17
3	X	0.12	0.17
4	X	0.12	0.17
5	X	0.12	0.17
6	X	0.12	0.17
7	X	0.12	0.17
8	X	0.12	0.17
9	X	0.12	0.17
10	X	0.12	0.17
11	X	0.12	0.17
12	X	0.12	0.17
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19	X	0.12	0.17
20	X	0.12	0.17

[Athron,Balazs,Jacob,Kotanski,DS Stöckinger-Kim, preliminary]

Comparisons

Sigma deviation between different predictions/measurements

	FNAL 2023 (World Ave)	WP 2020	BMW	CMD-3
Exp	-			
WP 2020	5.0 (5.1)	-		
BMW	1.6 (1.7)	2.0	-	
CMD-3	1.4 (1.5)	2.8	0.4	-

- Comparisons are taken from the whole a_μ value.
- They're accurate when comparing to experiment
- But e.g. WP (2020) & BMW both include same H-LbL components and error, so significance of difference between them is a little underestimated (2.0 vs 2.2σ).

[by J.Mott, 10 August 2023]

HVP dispersive prospects

A. El-Khadra P5 town hall, 21-24 Mar 2023

Ongoing work on experimental inputs:

- BaBar: new analysis of large data set in $\pi\pi$ channel, also $\pi\pi\pi$, other channels, other channels
- KLOE: new analysis of large data in $\pi\pi$ channel, other channels
- SND: new results for $\pi\pi$ channel, other channels in progress
- BESIII: new results in 2021 for $\pi\pi$ channel, continued analysis also for $\pi\pi\pi$, other channels
- Belle II: [arXiv:2207.06307](https://arxiv.org/abs/2207.06307) (Snowmass WP)
Better statistics than BaBar or KLOE; similar or better systematics for low-energy cross sections
- STCF: [arXiv:2203.06961](https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.06961)
- Need blind analyses to resolve the tensions (esp. for $\pi\pi$ channel)

Ongoing work on theoretical aspects:

- Developing NNLO Monte Carlo generators (STRONG 2020 workshop <https://agenda.infn.it/event/28089/>) [\rightarrow appendix]
- radiative corrections using FsQED (scalar QED + pion form factor)
- charge asymmetry (CMD-3 measurement) vs radiative corrections [Ignatov + Lee, arXiv:2204.12235]
- development of new dispersive treatment of radiative corrections in $\pi\pi$ channel [Colangelo et al, arXiv:2207.03495]
- including τ decay data: requires nonperturbative evaluation of IB correction [M. Bruno et al, arXiv:1811.00508]

If the differences between experiments are resolved:

data-driven evaluations of HVP with $\sim 0.3\%$ feasible by ~ 2025

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Lattice HVP

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HVP: lattice



Ongoing work:

Evaluations of short-distance windows [ETMC, RBC/UKQCD]

Proposals for computing more windows:

- ⌚ Use linear combinations of finer windows to locate the tension (if it persists) in \sqrt{s} [Colangelo et al, arXiv:12963]
- ⌚ Use larger windows, excluding the long-distance region $t \gtrsim 2 \text{ fm}$ to maximize the significance of any tension [Davies et al, arXiv:2207.04765]

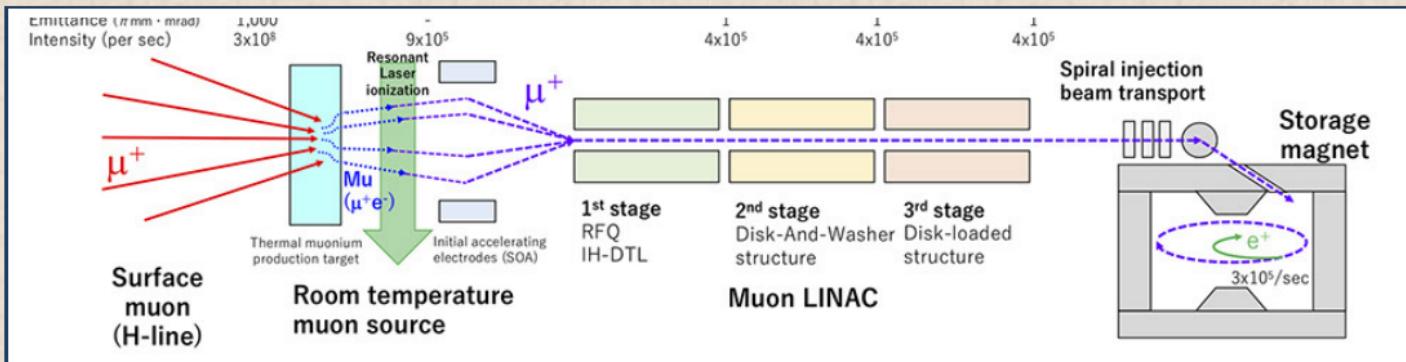
For total HVP:

- ⌚ independent lattice results at sub-percent precision: coming soon!
- ⌚ Including $\pi\pi$ states for refined long-distance computation (Mainz, RBC/UKQCD, FNAL/MILC)
- ⌚ include smaller lattice spacings to test continuum extrapolations (needs adequate computational resources)

If results are consistent, Lattice HVP (average) with $\sim 0.5\%$ errors feasible by 2025

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Muon g-2/EDM experiment at J-PARC



- ▶ 50% polarized 300 MeV muons, small 3.0 T magnet
- ▶ no electric field, low focusing magnetic field
- ▶ silicon tracker instead of calorimetry
- ▶ under construction aiming for data taking from 2028, 0.45 ppm statistical uncertainty goal
- ▶ taking data to demonstrate the muon cooling by using the laser ionization of muonium
- ▶ second phase with higher precision may be approved in future

g_e and α

- New measurement of g_e in 2023: 0.13 ppt on g_e

Measurement of the Electron Magnetic Moment

X. Fan, T. G. Myers, B. A. D. Sukra, and G. Gabrielse
Phys. Rev. Lett. **130**, 071801 – Published 13 February 2023

<https://journals.aps.org/prl/abstract/10.1103/PhysRevLett.130.071801>

- Ability to compare with prediction hampered by disagreement in the value of α :

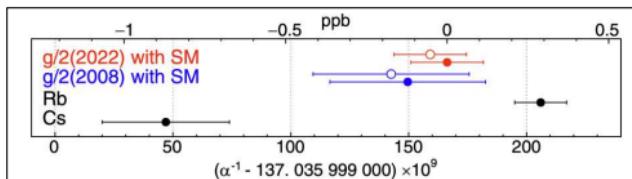


FIG. 5. SM prediction of α using μ/μ_B from this Northwestern measurement (red), and from our 2008 Harvard measurement (blue), with solid and open points for slightly differing C_{10} [40,41]. The α measurements (black) were made with Cs at Berkeley [38] and Rb in Paris [39]. A ppb is 10^{-9} .

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