

A Standard Model Prediction of the muon $g-2$?

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Direct searches at colliders (the energy frontier) have so far not provided evidence of physics beyond the SM

Indirect indications exist, either from the cosmic frontier (dark matter,...) or from the precision frontier (**muon $g-2$** ,...)

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possible evidence of new physics by studying quite subtle quantum effects

Requires:

- high precision measurement
- equally precise prediction of the SM value

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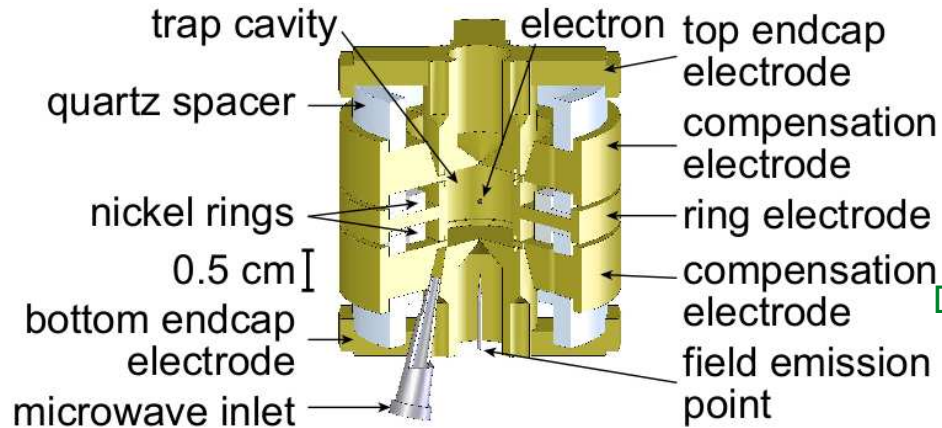
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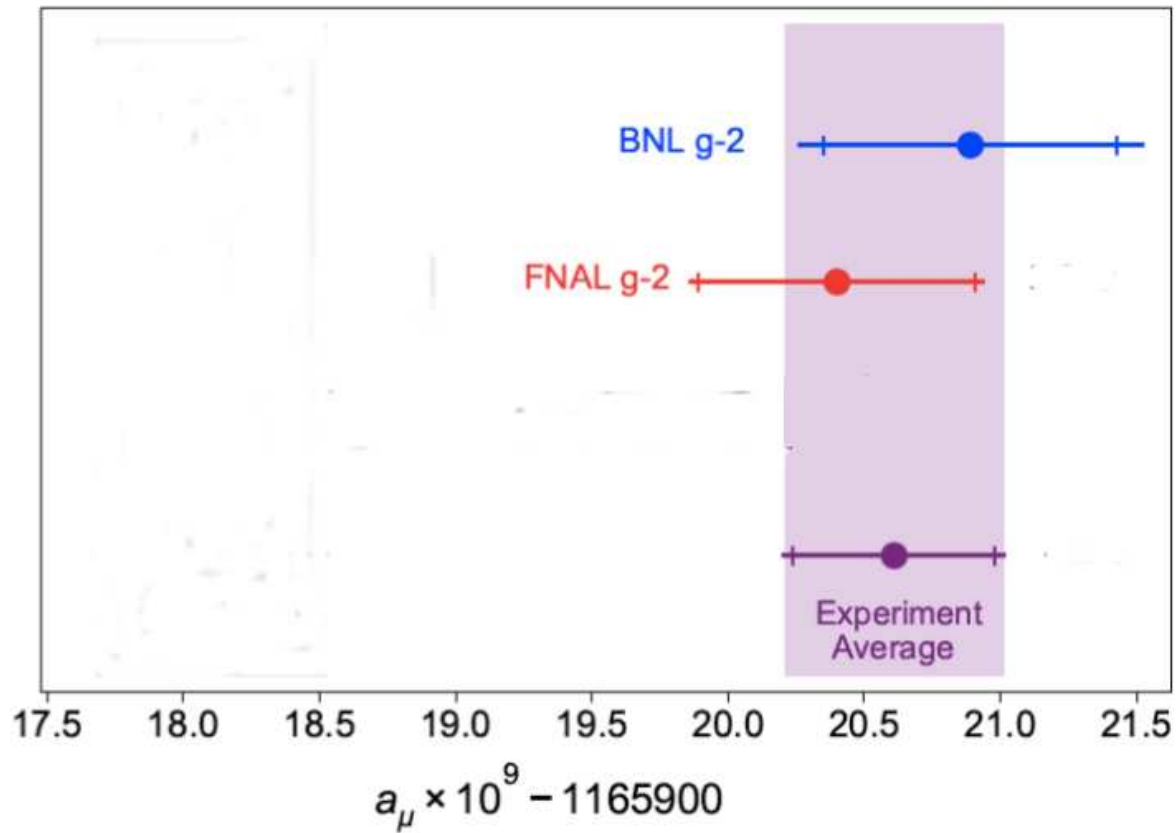
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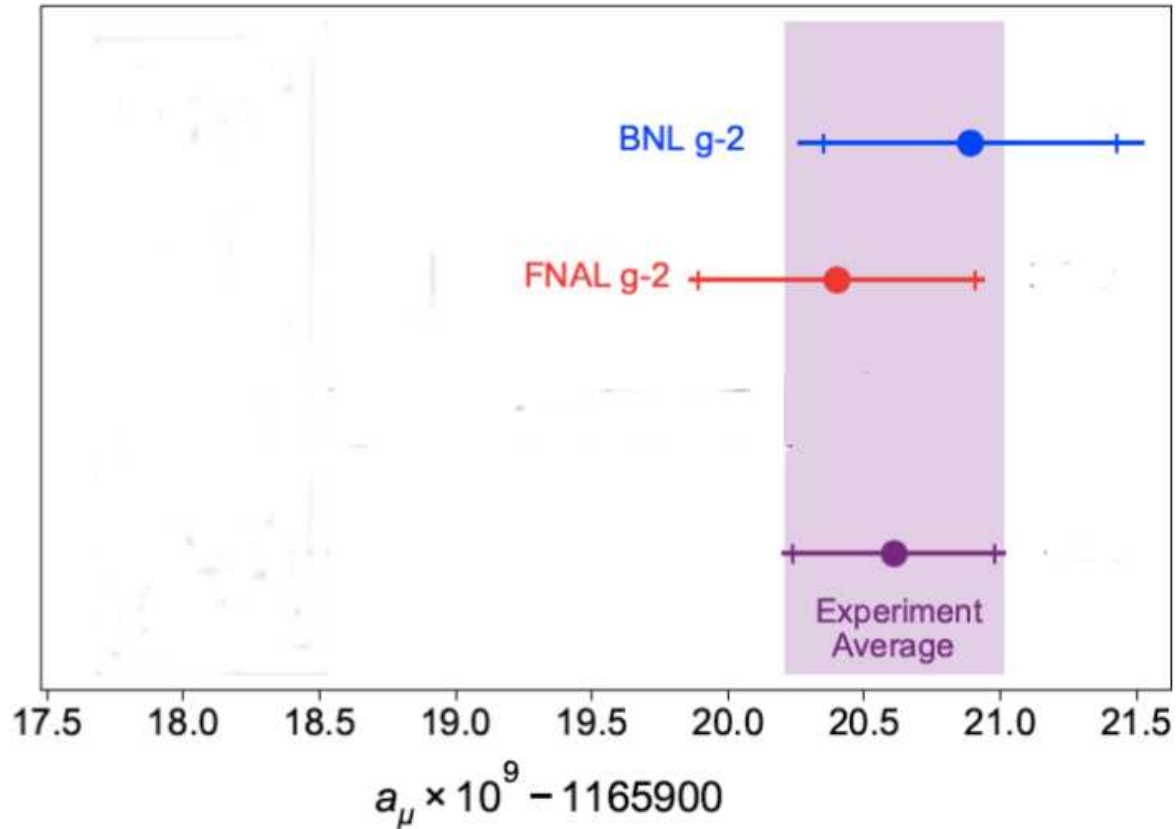
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[J-PARC E34	2027?	μ^+	???	$\sim 0.45]$

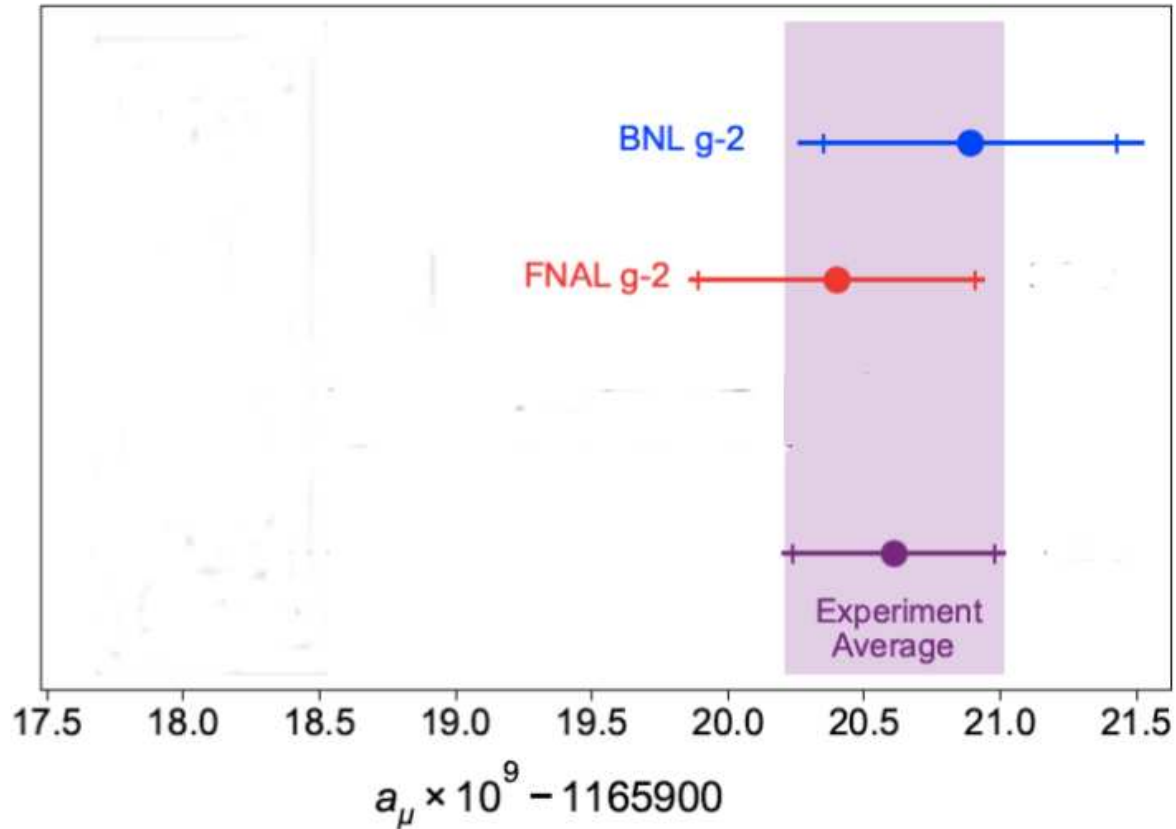


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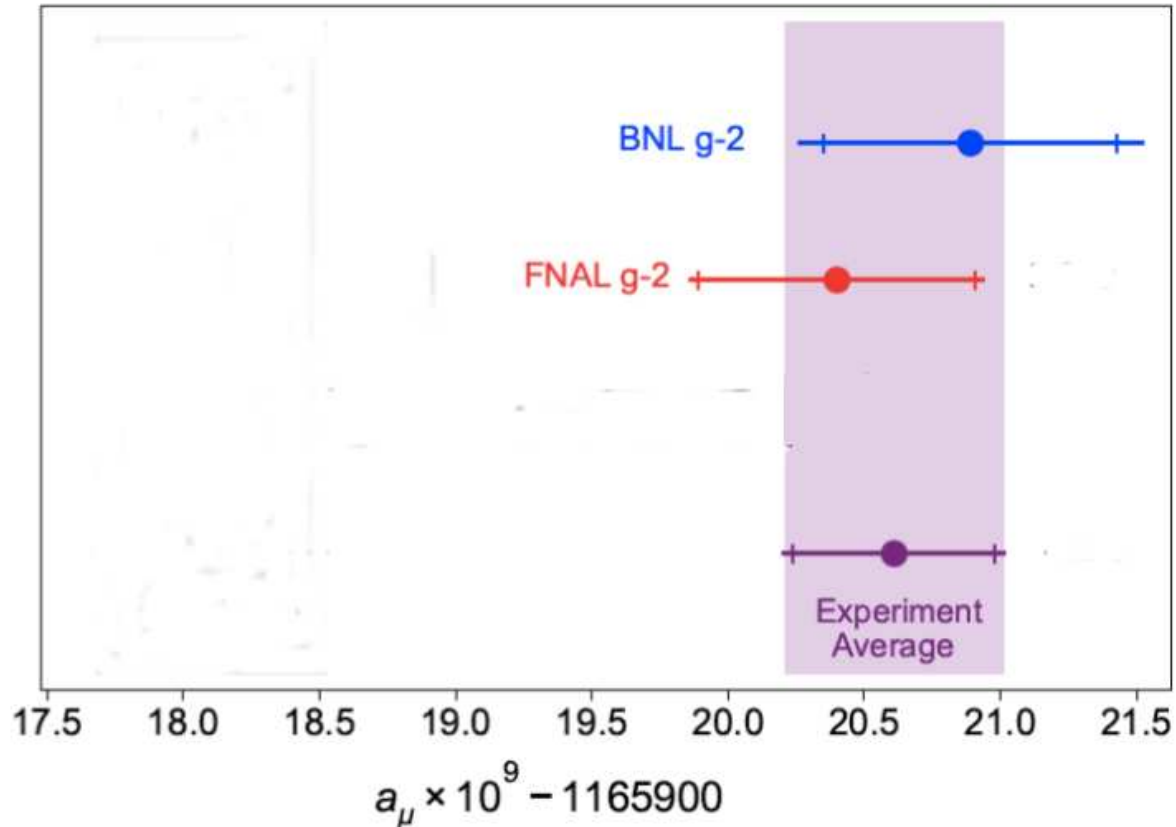


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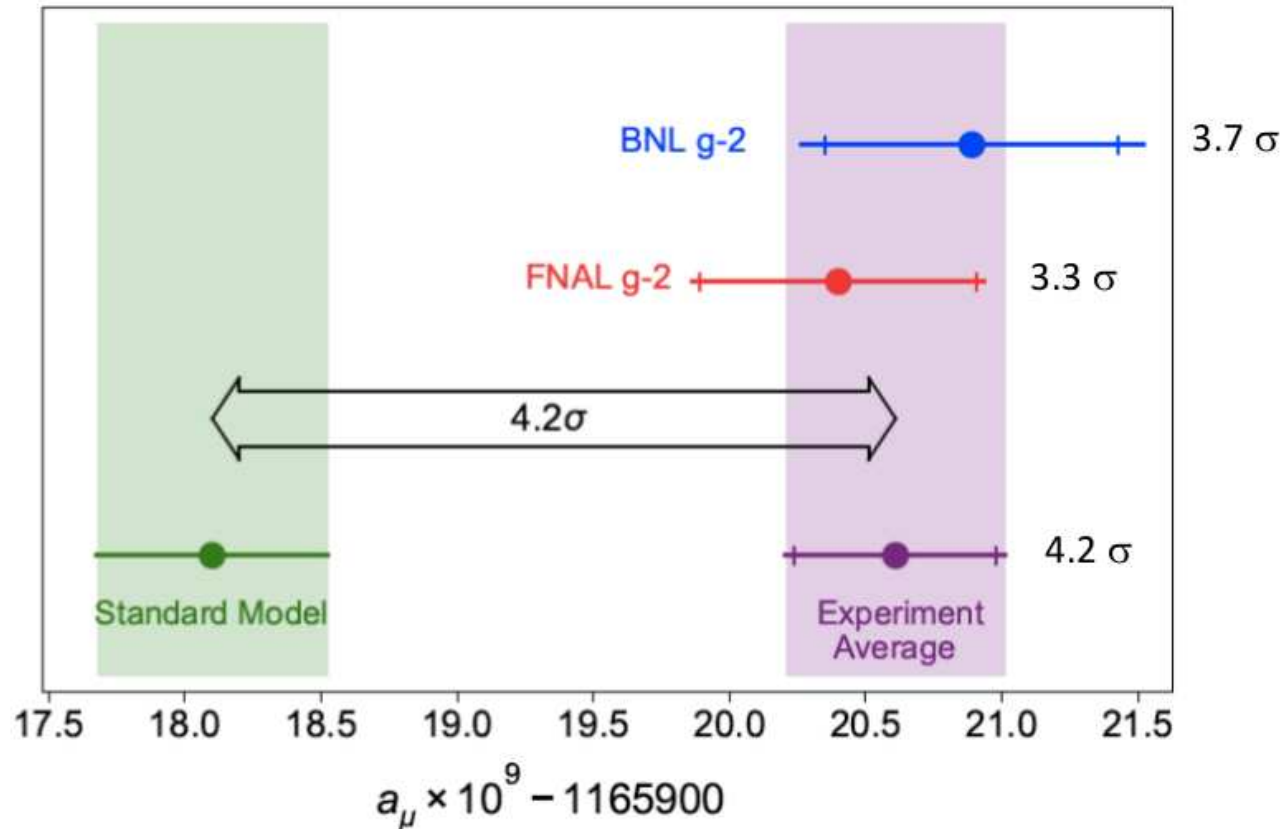
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Full and detailed account [up to June 15, 2020] given in the White Paper

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initiated by the Muon $g - 2$ Theory Initiative



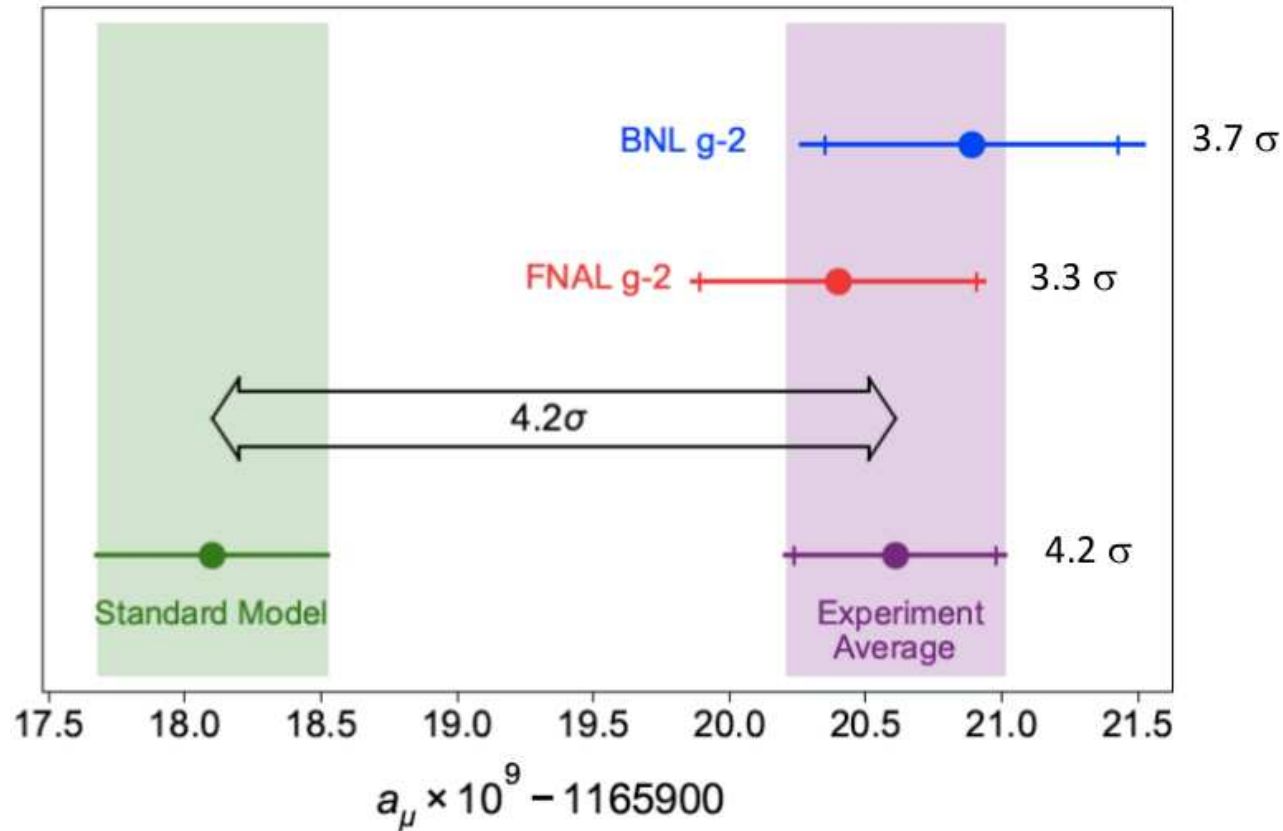
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Leads to a discrepancy th. vs. exp. at the level of 4.2σ

$$a_\mu^{\text{exp;WA}} - a_\mu^{\text{th;WP}} = 251(59) \cdot 10^{-11} \text{ [4.2}\sigma\text{]}$$



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Does $a_\mu^{\text{th};\text{WP}} = a_\mu^{\text{th};\text{SM}}$ still hold today?

Why Anomalous Magnetic Moment?

How is it defined?

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May be appropriate description for a spinless elementary particle but not for a particle with spin $1/2$

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Misses an important aspect: ceaseless emission and absorption of virtual particles (SM or not!), cf. Lamb shift

→ requires QFT

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$F_2(k^2) \rightarrow$ Pauli form factor $\rightarrow F_2(0) = a_\ell$

$F_3(k^2) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}, \mathcal{T}$, electric dipole moment $\rightarrow F_3(0) = d_\ell/q_\ell$

$F_4(k^2) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$, anapole moment

$$G_E(k^2) = F_1(k^2) + \frac{k^2}{4m_\ell^2} F_2(k^2), \quad G_M(k^2) = F_1(k^2) + F_2(k^2)$$

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Tree-level contributions to $F_2(k^2)$, $F_3(k^2)$, $F_4(k^2)$ would require operators of dimensions > 4 \longrightarrow no counterterms available in the SM!

in the SM, $F_2(k^2)$, $F_3(k^2)$, $F_4(k^2)$ are only induced by loops
 \longrightarrow calculable! (i.e. UV finite)

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How do we measure it?

Experimental aspects

- The electron case

1947: hf splitting in H and D (0.2% discrepancy with the value $g_e^{\text{Dirac}} = 2$)

[J. Nafe, E. B. Nelson, I. I. Rabi, Phys. Rev. 71, 914 (1947)]

1958: first direct measurement of g_e for *free* electrons

[H. G. Dehmelt, Phys. Rev. 109, 381 (1958)]

1968 → 1987: Penning trap type experiments → single trapped electron (geonium)

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$g_{e^-}/g_{e^+} = 1 + (0.5 \pm 2.1) \times 10^{-12}$ probes CPT invariance

$$(\rightarrow |M_{K^0} - M_{\bar{K}^0}|/M_{K^0} \leq 10^{-18} \text{ (90\% CL)})$$

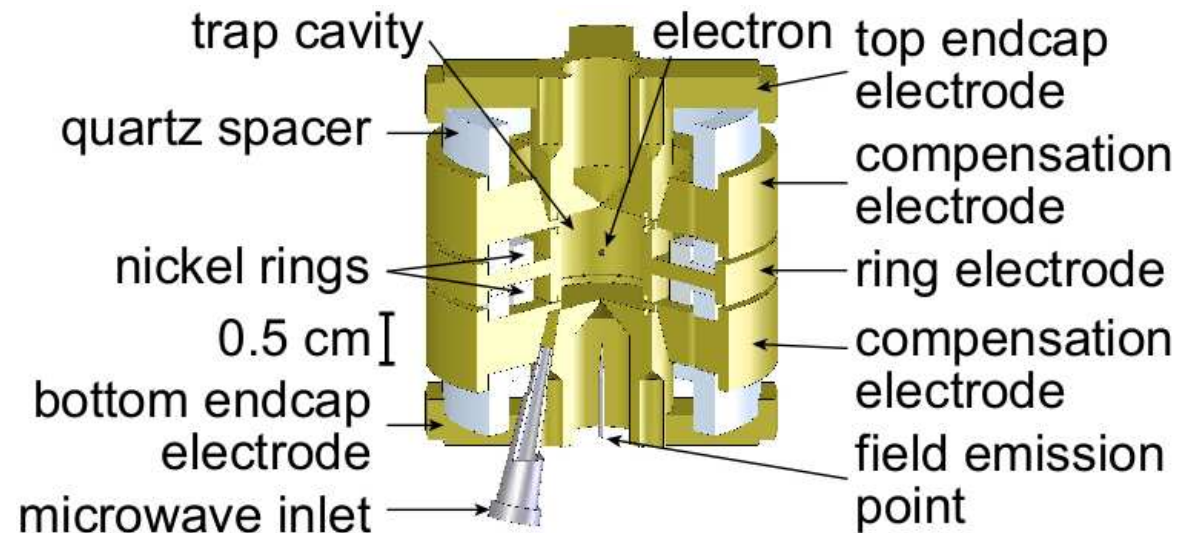
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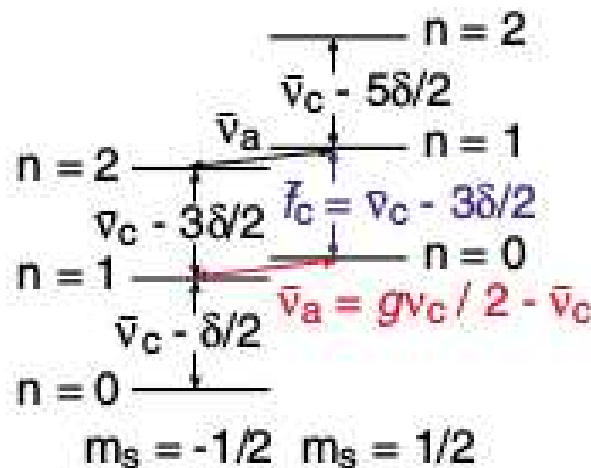
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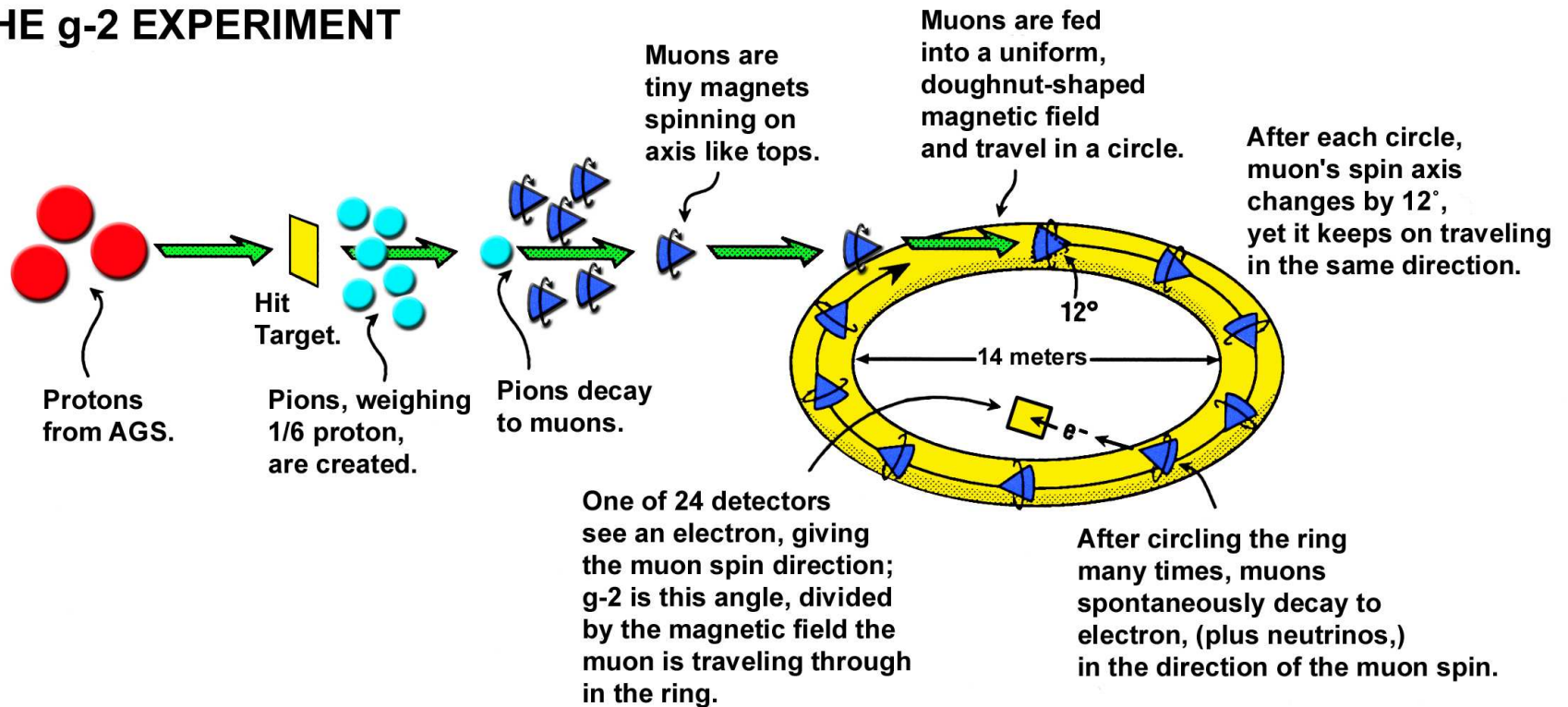
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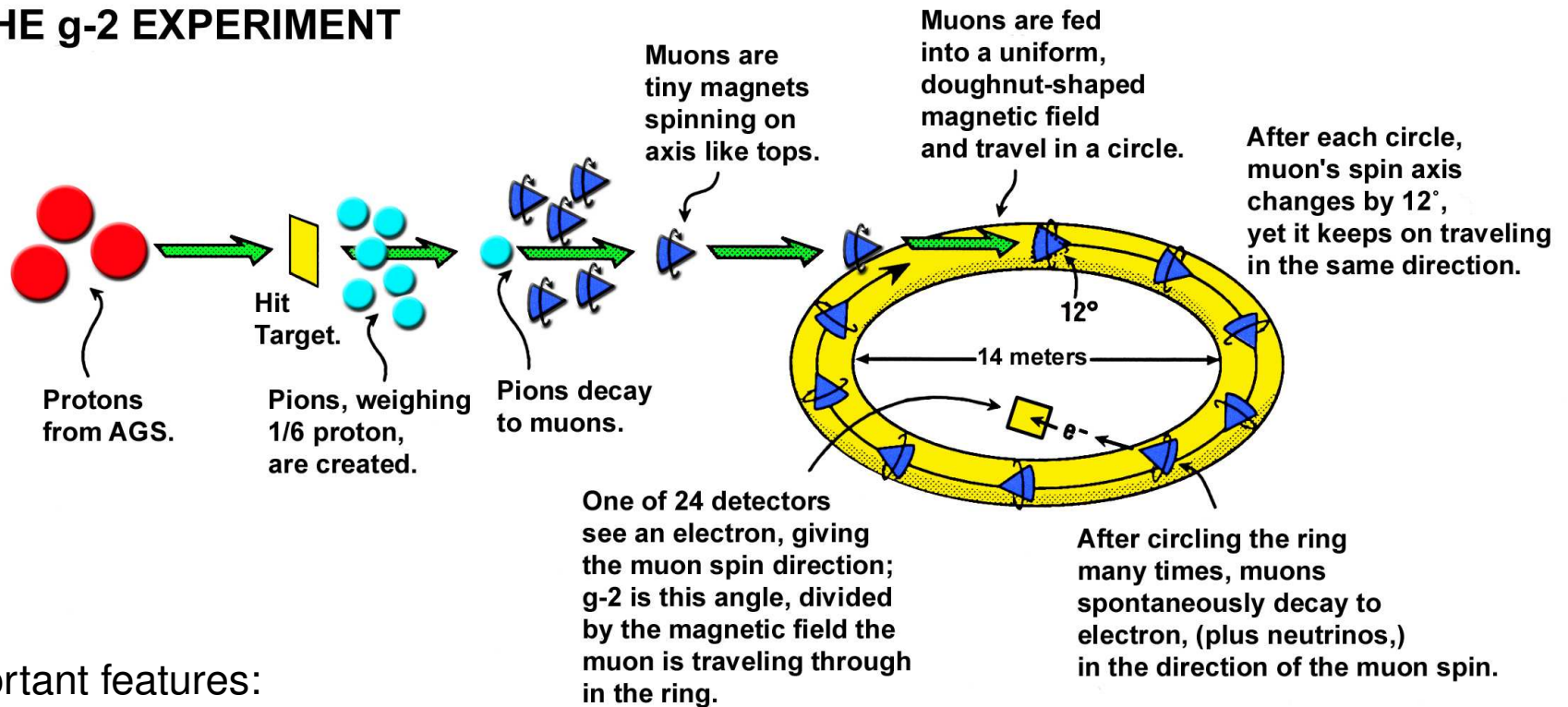


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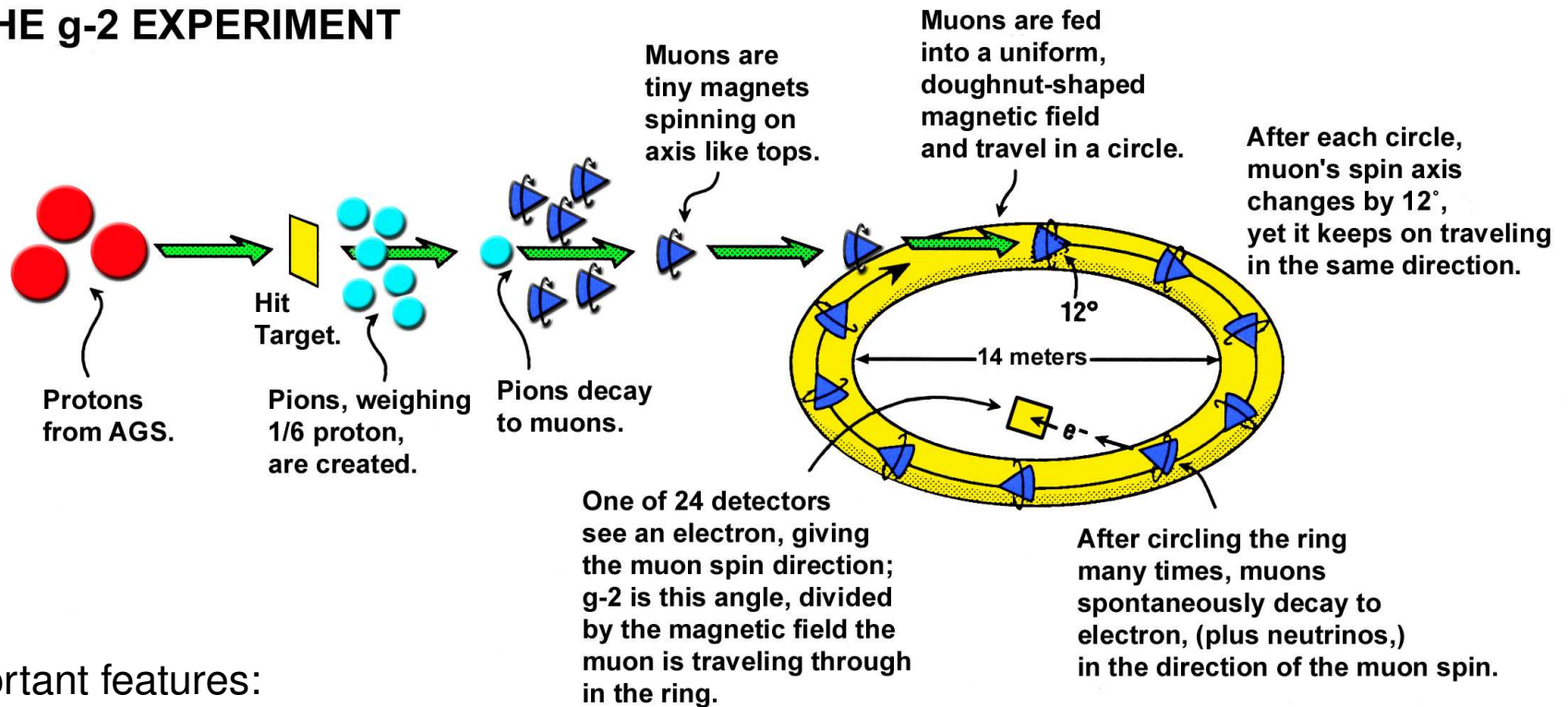
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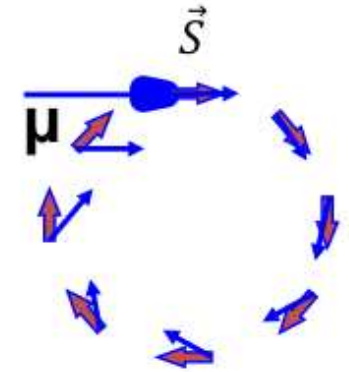
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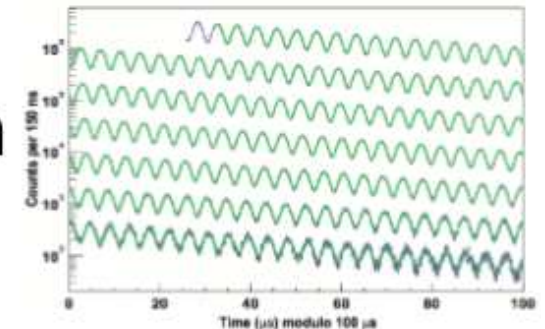
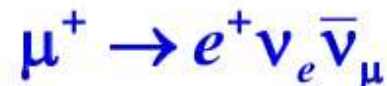
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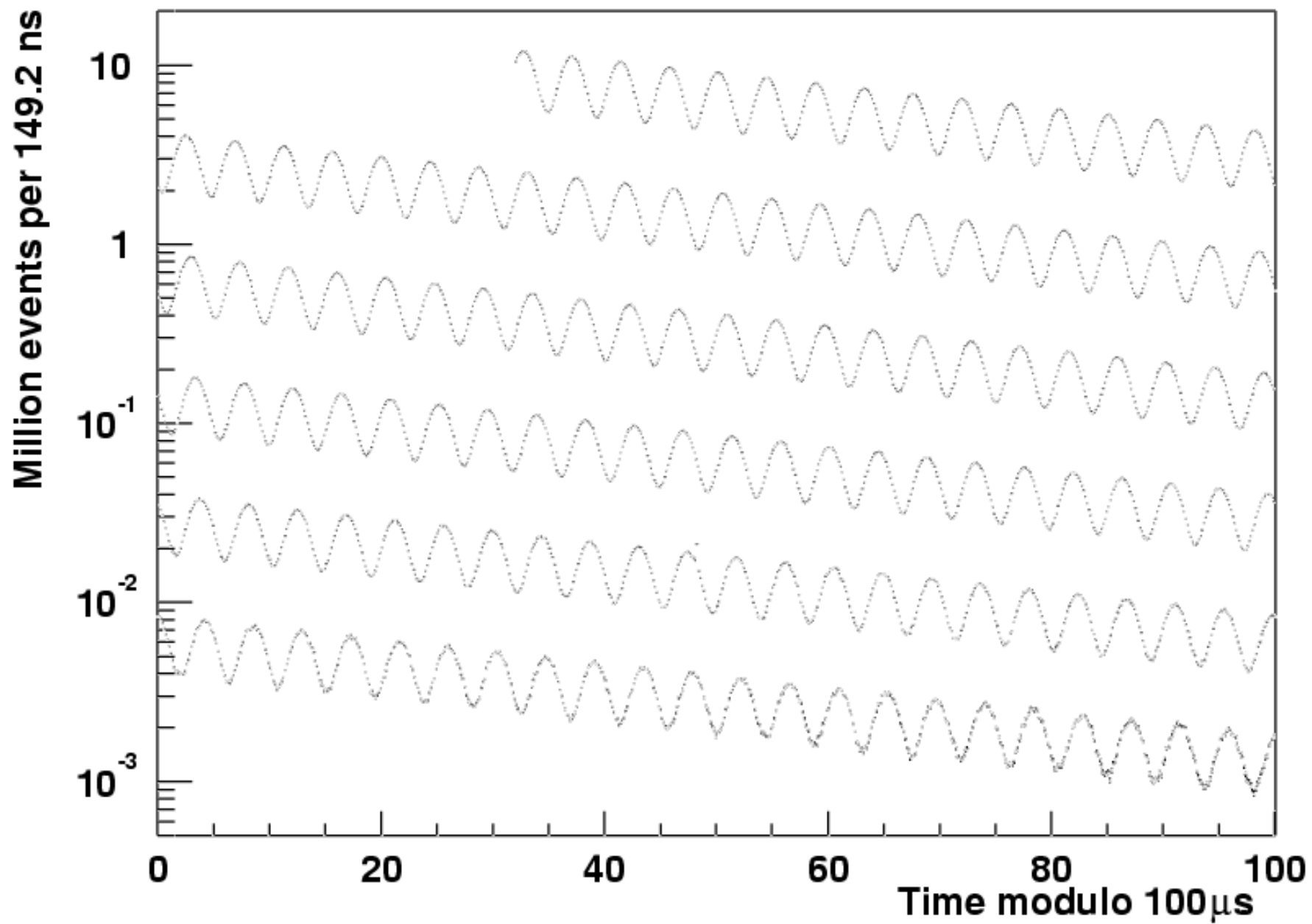


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→ Various proposals to improve the situation exist: [arXiv:0707.2496](https://arxiv.org/abs/0707.2496), [arXiv:0807.2366](https://arxiv.org/abs/0807.2366)

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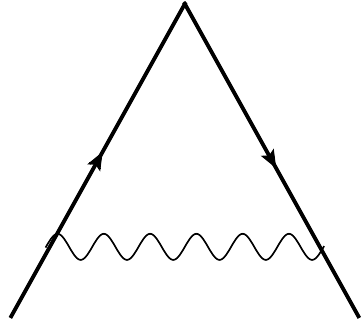
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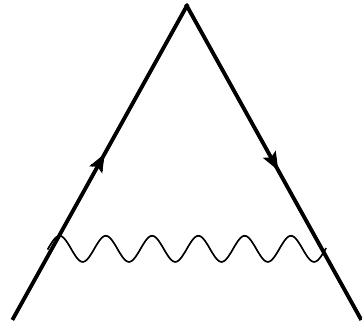


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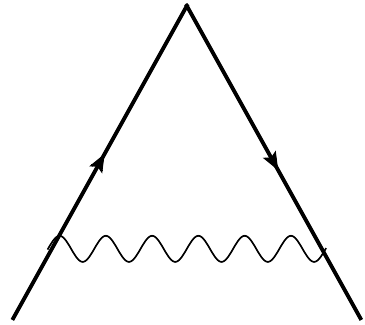
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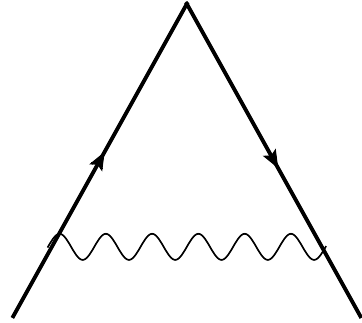
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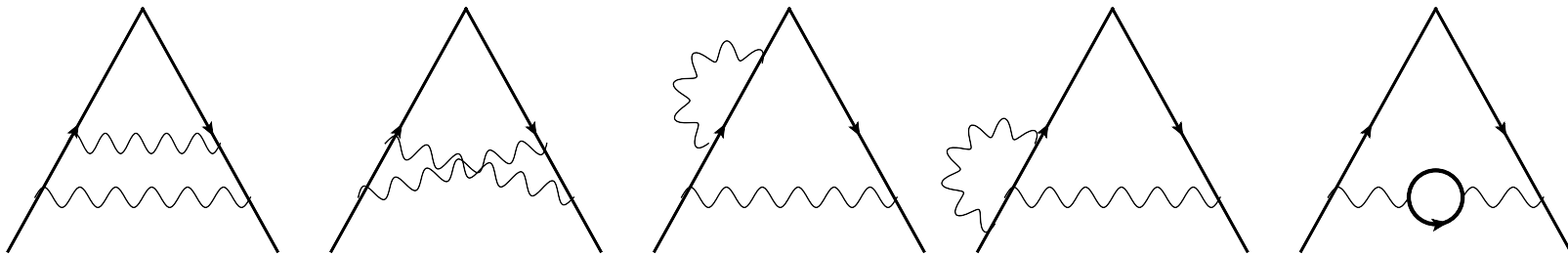
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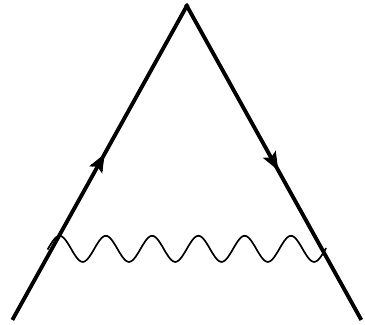
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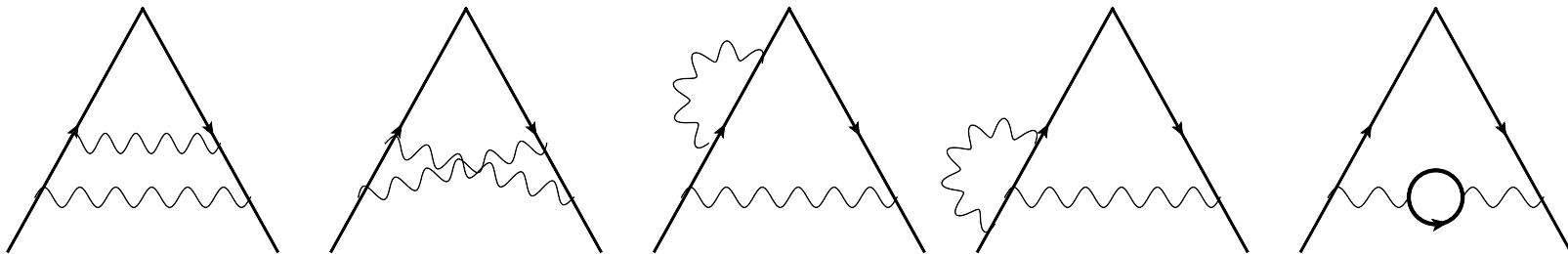
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M. A. Samuel and G. Li, Phys. Rev. D 44, 3935 (1991)

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$$A_2^{(4)}(m_\ell/m_{\ell'}) = \frac{1}{45} \left(\frac{m_\ell}{m_{\ell'}}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{70} \left(\frac{m_\ell}{m_{\ell'}}\right)^4 \ln\left(\frac{m_\ell}{m_{\ell'}}\right) + \frac{9}{19600} \left(\frac{m_\ell}{m_{\ell'}}\right)^4 + \mathcal{O}\left[\left(\frac{m_\ell}{m_{\ell'}}\right)^3 \ln\left(\frac{m_\ell}{m_{\ell'}}\right)\right], \quad m_{\ell'} \gg m_\ell$$

B.E. Lautrup and E. de Rafael, Phys. Rev. 174, 1835 (1965)

M. A. Samuel and G. Li, Phys. Rev. D 44, 3935 (1991)

$$A_2^{(4)}(m_e/m_\mu) = 5.197\,386\,676(24) \cdot 10^{-7}$$

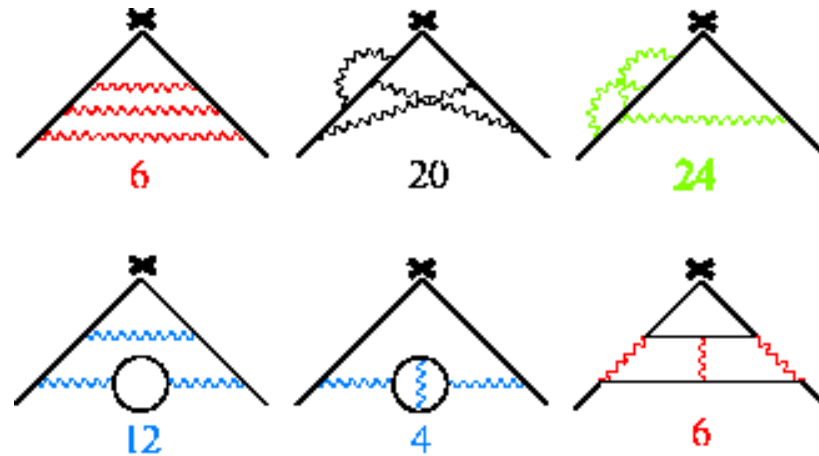
$$A_2^{(4)}(m_e/m_\tau) = 1.837\,90(25) \cdot 10^{-9}$$

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QED contribution : loops with only photons and leptons

→ can be computed in perturbation theory:

order $(\alpha/\pi)^3$: 72 diagrams



$$\begin{aligned}
 A_1^{(6)} = & \frac{87}{72} \pi^2 \zeta(3) - \frac{215}{24} \zeta(5) + \frac{100}{3} \left[\left(a_4 + \frac{1}{24} \ln^4 2 \right) - \frac{1}{24} \pi^2 \ln^2 2 \right] - \frac{239}{2160} \pi^4 \\
 & + \frac{139}{18} \zeta(3) - \frac{298}{9} \pi^2 \ln 2 + \frac{17101}{810} \pi^2 + \frac{28259}{5184} \quad [a_p = \sum_1^\infty 1/(2^n n^p)]
 \end{aligned}$$

S. Laporta, E. Remiddi, Phys. Lett. B265, 182 (1991); B356, 390 (1995); B379, 283 (1996)

S. Laporta, Phys. Rev. D 47, 4793 (1993); Phys. Lett. B343, 421 (1995)

$$A_1^{(6)} = 1.181\,241\,456\dots$$

numerical evaluations: $A_1^{(6)}(\text{num}) = 1.181\,259(40)\dots$

[T. Kinoshita, Phys. Rev. Lett. 75, 4728 (1995)]

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order $(\alpha/\pi)^4$: 891 diagrams

$A_1^{(8)}$ has also been evaluated! (a_e)

S. Laporta, Phys. Lett. B 772, 232 (2017)

$$A_1^{(8)} = -1.912\,245\,764\,926\,445\,574\,152\,647\,167\,439\,830\,054\,060\,873\,390\,658\,725\,345\,171\,329\dots$$

Good agreement with earlier numerical evaluations

$$A_1^{(8)} = -1.912\,98(84) \quad \text{T. Aoyama et al., Phys. Rev. D 91, 033006 (2015)}$$

Mass-dependent contributions (a_μ)

only a few diagrams are known analytically → numerical evaluation

Automated generation of diagrams, systematic numerical evaluation of multi-dimensional integrals over Feynman-parameter space

$$A_2^{(8)}(m_e/m_\mu) = 9.161\,970\,703(373) \cdot 10^{-4} \quad A_2^{(8)}(m_e/m_\tau) = 7.429\,24(118) \cdot 10^{-6}$$

$$A_3^{(8)}(m_e/m_\mu, m_e/m_\tau) = 7.468\,7(28) \cdot 10^{-7}$$

$$A_2^{(8)}(m_\mu/m_e) = 132.685\,2(60) \quad A_2^{(8)}(m_\mu/m_\tau) = 0.042\,494\,1(53)$$

$$A_3^{(8)}(m_\mu/m_e, m_\mu/m_\tau) = 0.062\,722(10)$$

Independent check of mass-dependent contributions A. Kataev, Phys. Rev. D 86, 013019 (2012)

A. Kurz, T. Liu, P. Marquard, M. Steinhauser, Nucl. Phys. B 879, 1 (2014)

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Agreement at the level of accuracy required by present and future experiments for a_μ

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	$\ell = e$	$\ell = \mu$
$C_\ell^{(2)}$	0.5	0.5
$C_\ell^{(4)}$	-0.328 478 444 00...	0.765 857 425(17)
$C_\ell^{(6)}$	1.181 234 017...	24.050 509 96(32)
$C_\ell^{(8)}$	-1.911 321 390...	130.878 0(61)
$C_\ell^{(10)}$	6.733(159)	750.72(93)

n	1	2	3	4	5
$(\alpha/\pi)^n$	$2.32 \dots \cdot 10^{-3}$	$5.39 \dots \cdot 10^{-6}$	$1.25 \dots \cdot 10^{-8}$	$2.91 \dots \cdot 10^{-11}$	$6.76 \dots \cdot 10^{-14}$

$$\Delta C_e^{(10)} \cdot (\alpha/\pi)^5 \sim 0.15 \cdot 10^{-13} \quad \Delta a_e^{\text{exp}} = 2.8 \cdot 10^{-13}$$

[$\Delta C_e^{(8)} \cdot (\alpha/\pi)^4$ was $\sim 0.2 \cdot 10^{-13}$ before Laporta's calculation]

A few comments about the QED contributions

- Uncertainties on the coefficients $C_\mu^{(2n)}$ not relevant for a_μ at the present (and future) level of precision

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta C_\mu^{(4)} \cdot (\alpha/\pi)^2 &\sim 0.9 \cdot 10^{-13} & \Delta C_\mu^{(6)} \cdot (\alpha/\pi)^3 &\sim 0.04 \cdot 10^{-13} \\ \Delta C_\mu^{(8)} \cdot (\alpha/\pi)^4 &\sim 1.8 \cdot 10^{-13} & \Delta C_\mu^{(10)} \cdot (\alpha/\pi)^5 &\sim 0.7 \cdot 10^{-13} \end{aligned} \quad \Delta a_\mu^{\text{exp}} = 41 \cdot 10^{-11}$$

- Order $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^4)$ and even order $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^5)$ relevant for a_μ at the present (and future) level of precision

$$C_\mu^{(8)} \cdot (\alpha/\pi)^4 \sim 380 \cdot 10^{-11} \quad C_\mu^{(10)} \cdot (\alpha/\pi)^5 \sim 5 \cdot 10^{-11}$$

- Drastic increase with n in the coefficients $C_\mu^{(2n)}$ [$\pi^2 \ln(m_\mu/m_e) \sim 50!$]
- Estimate of $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^6)$ contributions with these enhancement factors

$$\delta a_\mu \sim A_2^{(6)}(m_\mu/m_e; \text{LxL}) \left[\frac{2}{3} \ln \frac{m_\mu}{m_e} - \frac{5}{9} \right]^3 \cdot 10 \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi} \right)^6 \sim 0.54 \cdot 10^4 \cdot \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi} \right)^6 \sim 0.08 \cdot 10^{-11}$$

- No sign of substantial contribution to a_μ from higher order QED

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In order to have an accurate evaluation of a_ℓ one needs a determination of α with precision

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- quantum Hall effect

$$\alpha^{-1}[qH] = 137.036\,00300(270) \quad [19.7\text{ppb}]$$

[P. J. Mohr, B. N. Taylor, D. B. Newell, Rev. Mod. Phys. 80, 633 (2008)]

- atomic recoil velocity through photon absorption

$$\alpha^2 = \frac{2R_\infty}{c} \cdot \frac{M_{\text{atom}}}{m_e} \cdot \frac{h}{M_{\text{atom}}}$$

$$\frac{\Delta R_\infty}{R_\infty} = 1.9 \cdot 10^{-12} \quad \Delta \left(\frac{M_{\text{Rb}}}{m_e} \right) = 2.9 \cdot 10^{-11}$$

$$\alpha^{-1}[Cs\ 02] = 137.036\ 0001(11) \quad [7.7\ \text{ppb}]$$

A. Wicht, J. M. Hensley, E. Sarajilic, S. Chu, Phys. Scr. T102, 82 (2002)

$$\alpha^{-1}[Rb\ 06] = 137.035\ 998\ 84(91) \quad [6.7\ \text{ppb}]$$

P. Cladé et al, Phys. Rev. A 74, 052109 (2006)

$$\alpha^{-1}[Rb\ 08] = 137.035\ 999\ 45(62) \quad [4.6\ \text{ppb}]$$

M. Cadoret et al, Phys. Rev. Lett. 101, 230801 (2008)

$$\alpha^{-1}[Rb\ 11] = 137.035\ 999\ 037(91) \quad [0.66\ \text{ppb}]$$

R. Bouchendira, P. Cladé, S. Ghelladi-Khélifa, F. Nez, F. Biraben, Phys. Rev. Lett. 106, 080801 (2011)

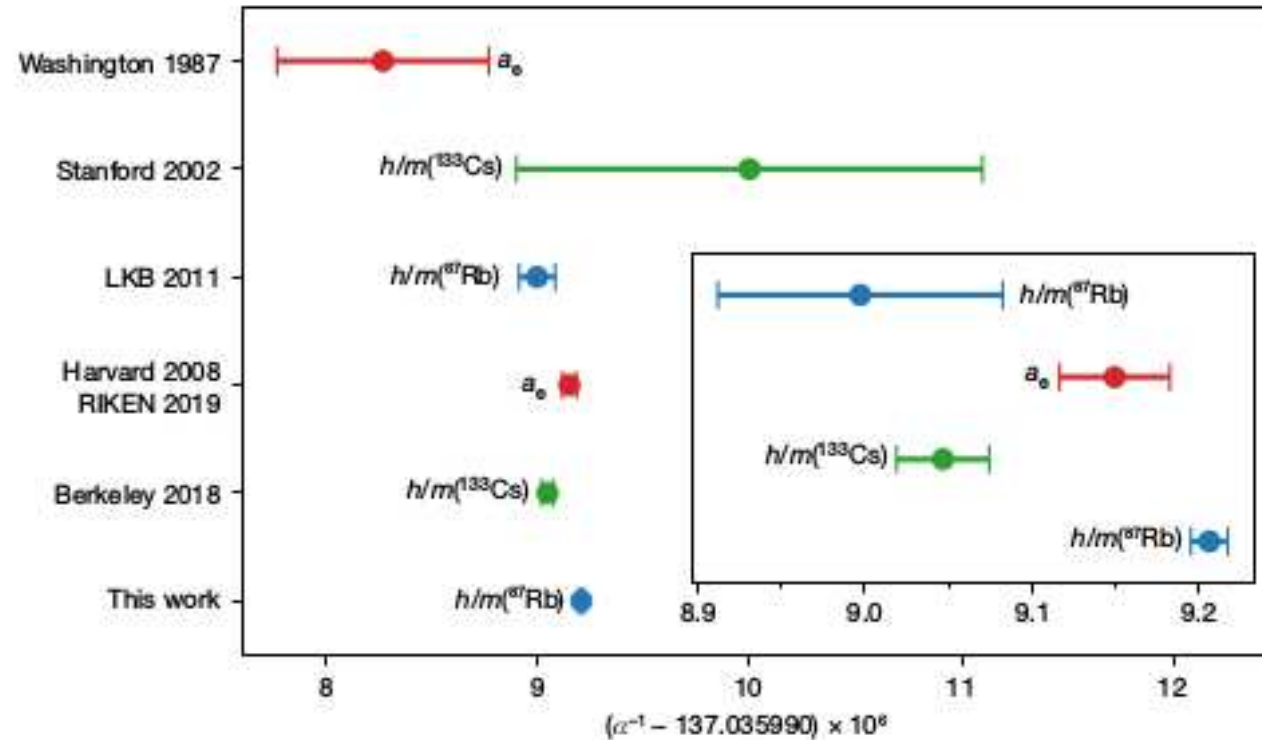
$$\alpha^{-1}[Rb\ 11] = 137.035\ 998\ 995(85) \quad [0.62\ \text{ppb}] \quad [\text{shift in } R_\infty]$$

$$\alpha^{-1}[Cs\ 18] = 137.035\ 999\ 046(27) \quad [0.20\ \text{ppb}]$$

R. H. Parker, C. Yu, W. Zhong, B. Estey, H. Müller, Science 360, 191 (2018)

$$\alpha^{-1}[Rb\ 20] = 137.035\ 999\ 206(11) \quad [81\ \text{ppt}]$$

L. Morel, Z. Yao, P. Cladé, S. Ghelladi-Khélifa, Nature 588, 61 (2020)



→ need to understand discrepancy between $\alpha(Cs\ 18)$ and $\alpha(Rb\ 20)$, but also between $\alpha(Rb11)$ and $\alpha(Rb20)$

→ particularly important in view of the possibility to improve the accuracy on a_e^{exp} by an order of magnitude!

G. Gabrielse, S. E. Fayer, T. G. Myers, X. Fan, *Atoms* 7, 45 (2019)

- $a_e^{\text{QED}}(Rb\ 11) = 1\ 159\ 652\ 180.311(720)_{\alpha(Rb11)}(11)_{\alpha^5} \cdot 10^{-12}$

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$$a_{\mu}^{\text{exp;WA}} - a_{\mu}^{\text{QED}}(Cs\ 19) = 7342(41) \cdot 10^{-11}$$

- QED provides more than 99.99% of the total value, without uncertainties at this level of experimental precision
- The missing part has to be provided by weak and strong interactions (or else, new physics...)

A Standard Model Prediction of the muon $g-2$?

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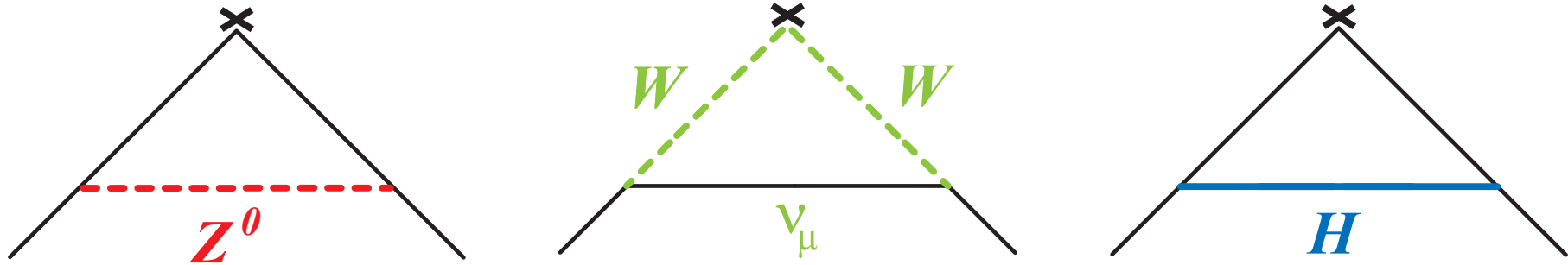
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Weak contributions : W, Z, \dots loops

One-loop contributions



$$\begin{aligned}
 a_{\mu}^{\text{weak}(1)} &= \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{m_{\mu}^2}{8\pi^2} \left[\frac{5}{3} + \frac{1}{3} (1 - 4 \sin^2 \theta_W)^2 + \mathcal{O} \left(\frac{m_{\mu}^2}{M_Z^2} \log \frac{M_Z^2}{m_{\mu}^2} \right) + \mathcal{O} \left(\frac{m_{\mu}^2}{M_H^2} \log \frac{M_H^2}{m_{\mu}^2} \right) \right] \\
 &= 194.8 \cdot 10^{-11}
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M. Fujikawa, B.W. Lee and A.I. Sanda, Phys. Rev. D 6, 2923 (1972)

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Two-loop bosonic contributions

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{weak}(2);\text{bos}} = \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{m_{\mu}^2}{8\pi^2} \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \cdot \left[-5.96 \ln \frac{M_W^2}{m_{\mu}^2} + 0.19 \right] = \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{m_{\mu}^2}{8\pi^2} \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi} \right) \cdot (-79.3)$$

A. Czarnecki, B. Krause, W. J. Marciano, Phys. Rev. Lett. 76, 3267 (1996)

Two-loop fermionic contributions

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A. Czarnecki, W.J. Marciano, A. Vainshtein, Phys. Rev. D 67, 073006 (2003). Err.-ibid. D 73, 119901 (2006)

Complete three-loop short-distance leading logarithms

G. Degrossi and G. F. Giudice, Phys. Rev. D 58, 053007 (1998)

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{weak}} = (154 \pm 1) \cdot 10^{-11}$$
$$a_e^{\text{weak}} = (0.0297 \pm 0.0005) \cdot 10^{-12}$$

Updated a few years ago: $a_{\mu}^{\text{weak}} = (153.6 \pm 1.0) \cdot 10^{-11}$

C. Gnendiger, D. Stöckinger, H. Stöckinger-Kim, Phys. Rev. D 88, 053005 (2013)

Recent numerical evaluation: $a_{\mu}^{\text{weak}} = (152.9 \pm 1.0) \cdot 10^{-11}$

T. Ishikawa, N. Nakazawa and Y. Yasui, Phys. Rev. D 99, 073004 (2019)

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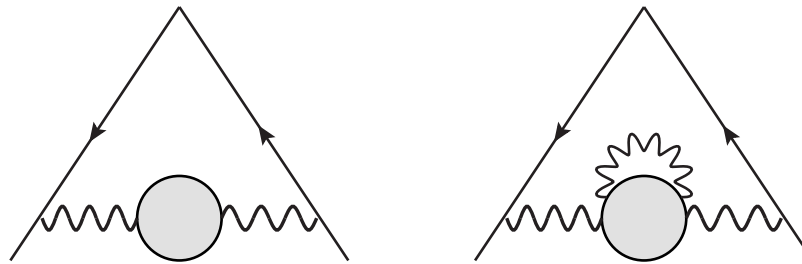
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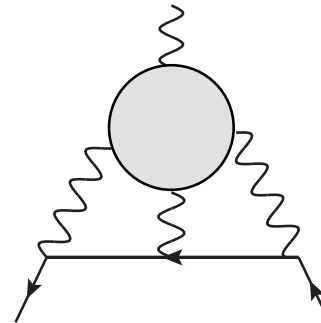
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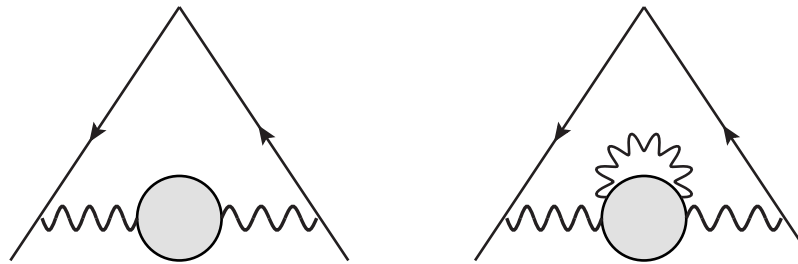
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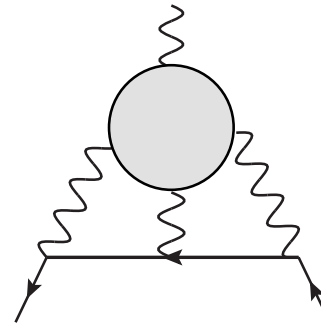
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$$a_\ell^{\text{had}} = a_\ell^{\text{HVP-LO}} + a_\ell^{\text{HVP-NLO}} + a_\ell^{\text{HVP-NNLO}} + a_\ell^{\text{HLxL}}$$

Hadronic vacuum polarization

- Occurs first at order $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^2)$

$$\begin{aligned} a_\ell^{\text{HVP-LO}} &= 4\alpha^2 \int_{4M_\pi^2}^{\infty} \frac{ds}{s} K(s) \frac{1}{\pi} \text{Im}\Pi(s) \quad K(s) = \int_0^1 dx \frac{x^2(1-x)}{x^2 + (1-x) \frac{s}{m_\ell^2}} \\ &= 2\alpha^2 \int_0^1 dx (1-x)(2-x) \mathcal{A}\left(\frac{x^2}{1-x} m_\ell^2\right) \end{aligned}$$

B. E. Lautrup, A. Peterman, E. de Rafael, Phys. Rep. 3, 193 (1972)

- Involves the vacuum polarization tensor

$$\text{F.T. } \langle 0|T\{j_\mu j_\nu\}|0\rangle = i(q^2 \eta_{\mu\nu} - q_\mu q_\nu) \Pi(q^2)$$

or the Adler function

$$\mathcal{A}(Q^2) = -Q^2 \frac{\partial \Pi(Q^2)}{\partial Q^2} = \int_0^\infty ds \frac{Q^2}{(s+Q^2)^2} \frac{1}{\pi} \text{Im}\Pi(s) \quad [Q^2 \equiv -q^2]$$

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C. Bouchiat, L. Michel, J. Phys. Radium 22, 121 (1961)
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- $K(s) > 0$ and $R^{\text{had}}(s) > 0 \implies a_\ell^{\text{HVP-LO}} > 0$
- $K(s) \sim m_\ell^2/(3s)$ as $s \rightarrow \infty \implies$ the (non perturbative) low-energy region dominates

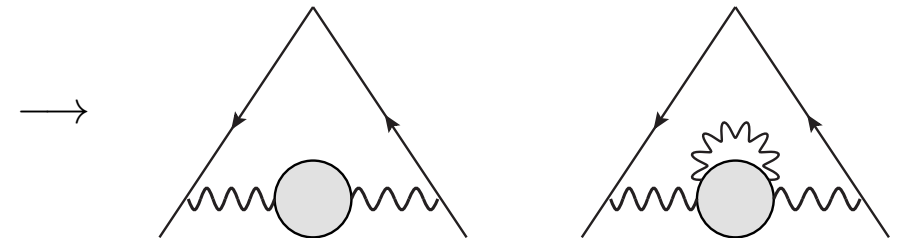
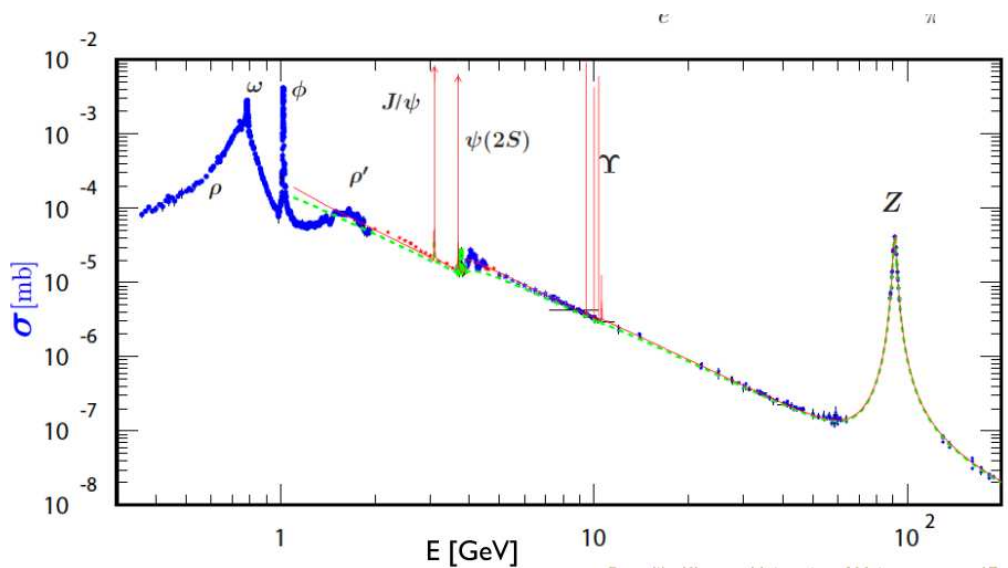
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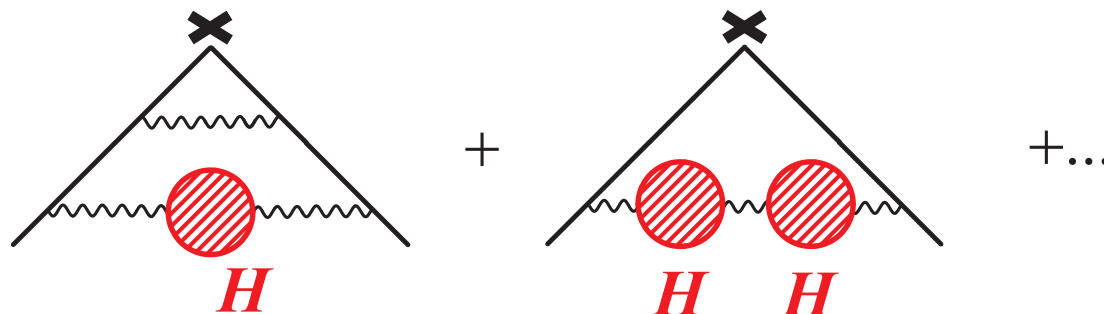
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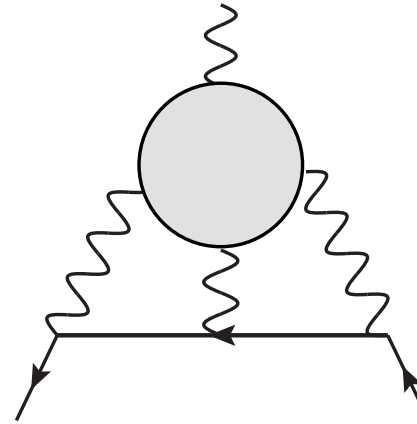
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Hadronic light-by-light

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- Not related, as a whole, to an experimental observable...

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- Involves the fourth-rank vacuum polarization tensor

$$\text{F.T. } \langle 0 | T \{ j_\mu j_\nu j_\rho j_\sigma \} | 0 \rangle \longrightarrow \Pi_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}(q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4) \quad q_1 + q_2 + q_3 + q_4 = 0$$

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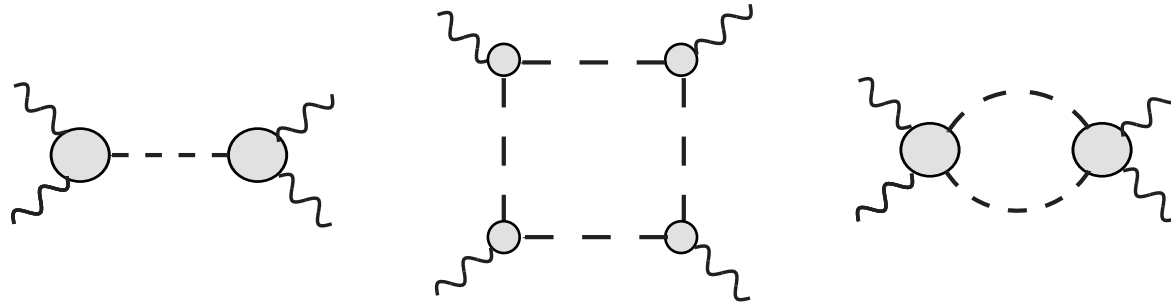
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- Highly model-dependent, uncertainties large and difficult to quantify
- At least the sign (positive) was eventually fixed

Hadronic light-by-light: dispersive approach

- Set up dispersion relations for the invariant functions into which $\Pi_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}$ decomposes
- Identify specific contributions through the singularities they produce



$$\Pi = \Pi^{\pi^0, \eta, \eta'} \text{ poles} + \Pi^{\pi^\pm, K^\pm} \text{ box} + \Pi^{\pi\pi} + \Pi^{\text{residual}}$$

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- Identify corresponding form factors

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- Use input from data (when available) for these form factors
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Hadronic light-by-light: lattice QCD

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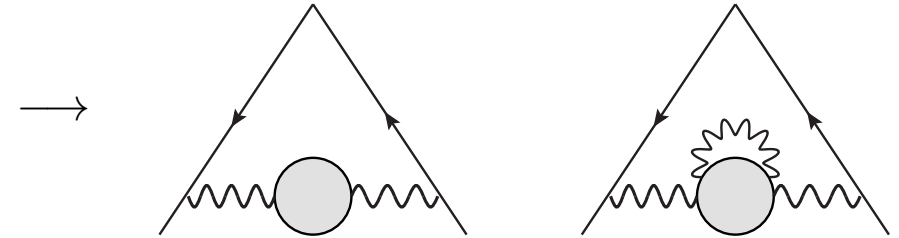
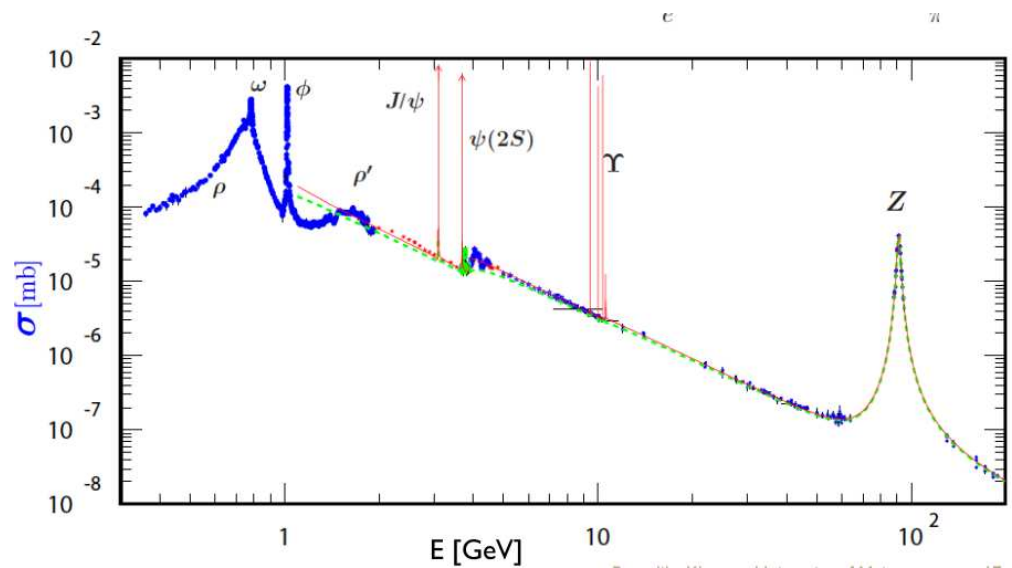
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Hadronic vacuum polarization: data-driven determination



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 - ISR experiments (e.g. @ DAΦNE, B-factories, BEPC)
- Precision on $a_\ell^{\text{HVP-LO}}$ has reached $\sim 0.5\%$

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M. Davier et al., Eur. Phys. J. C 71, 1515 (2011)

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F. Jegerlehner, R. Szafron, Eur. Phys. J. C 71, 1632 (2011)

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A. Kurz et al., Phys. Lett. B 734, 144 (2014)

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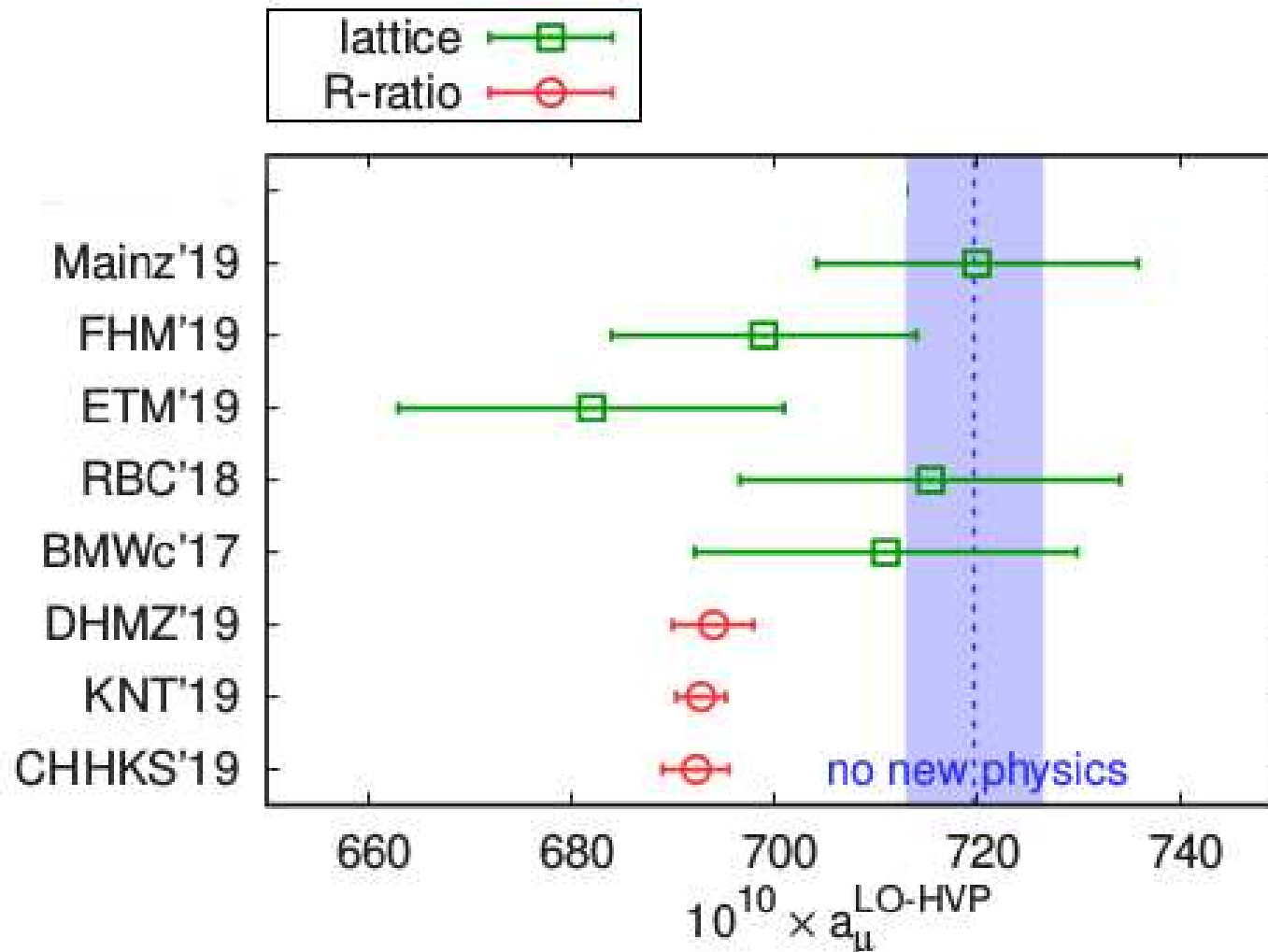
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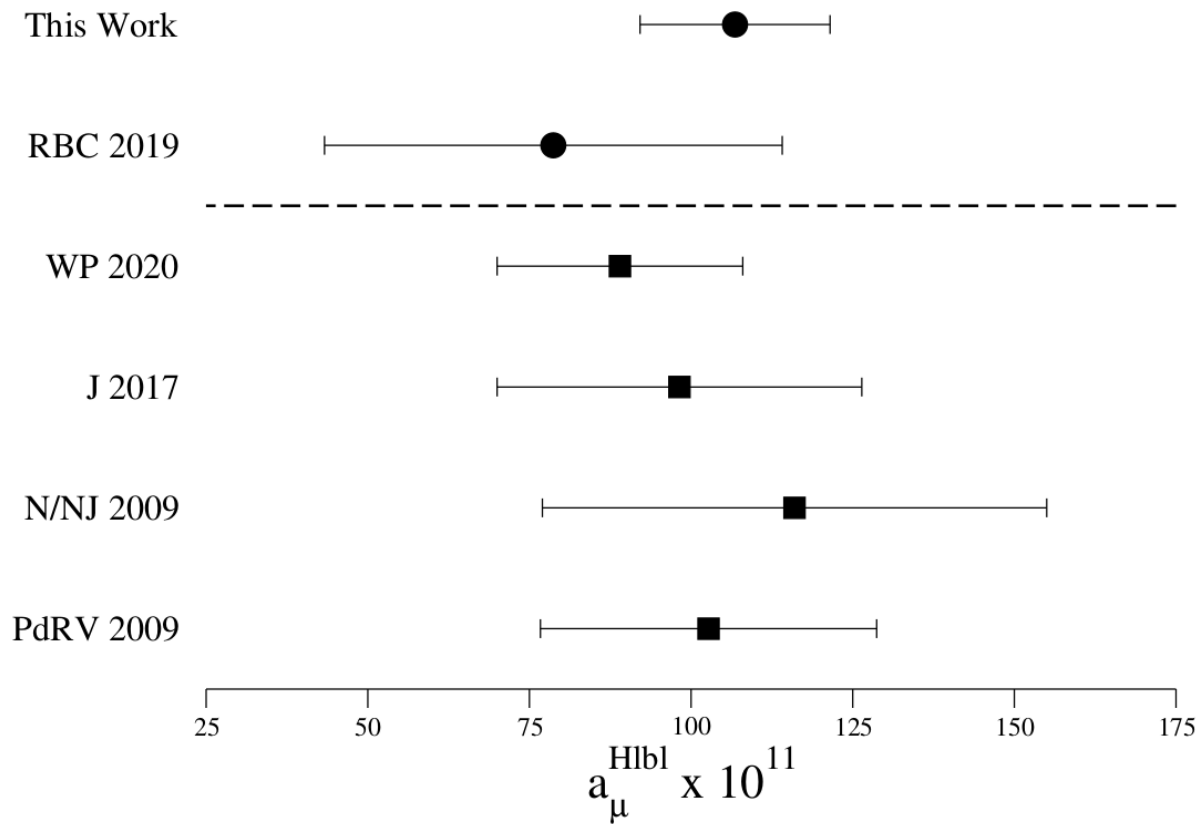
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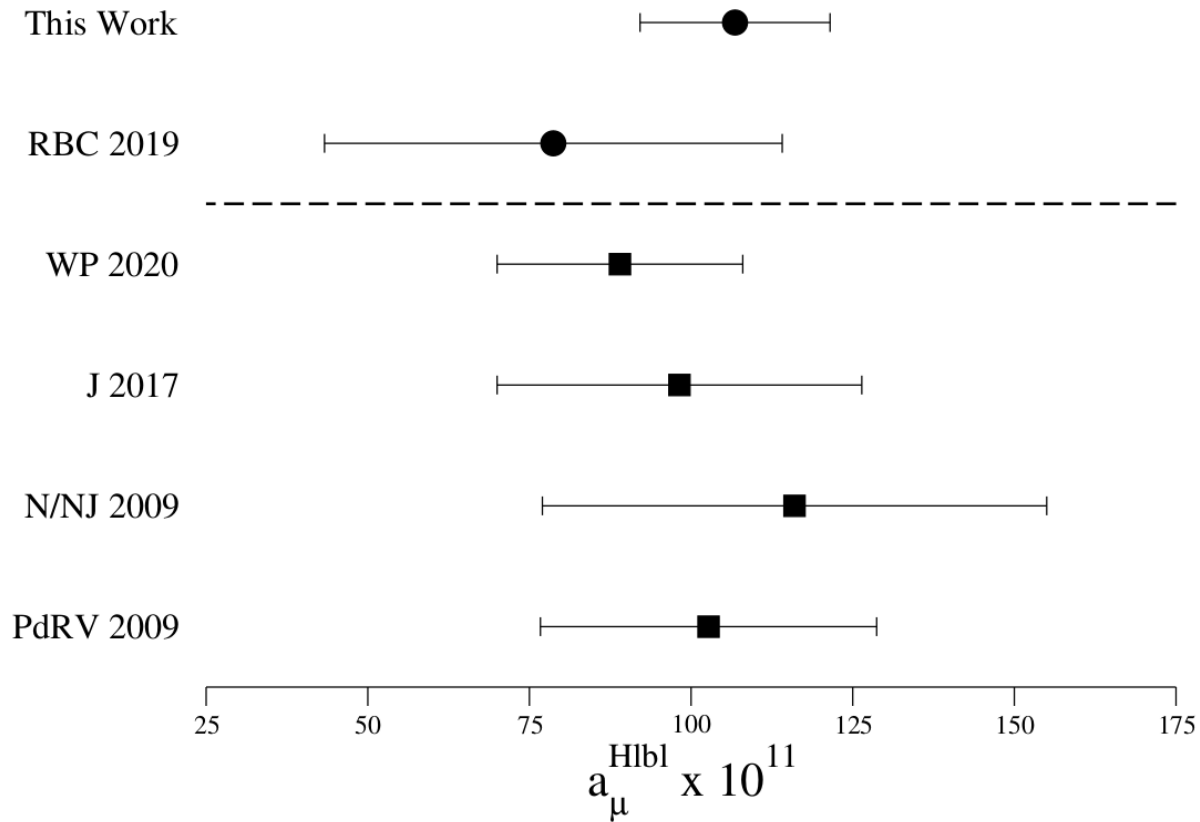


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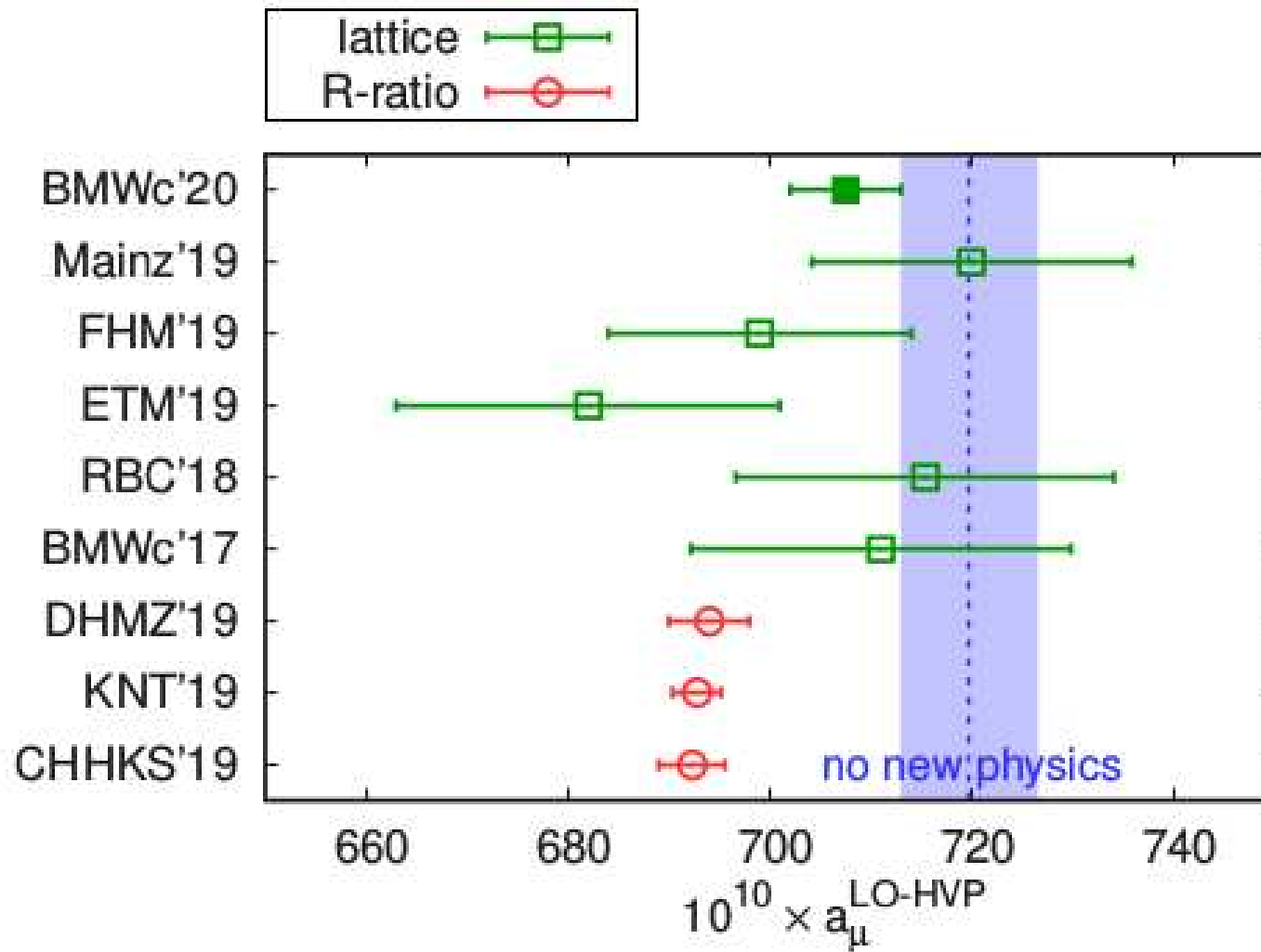
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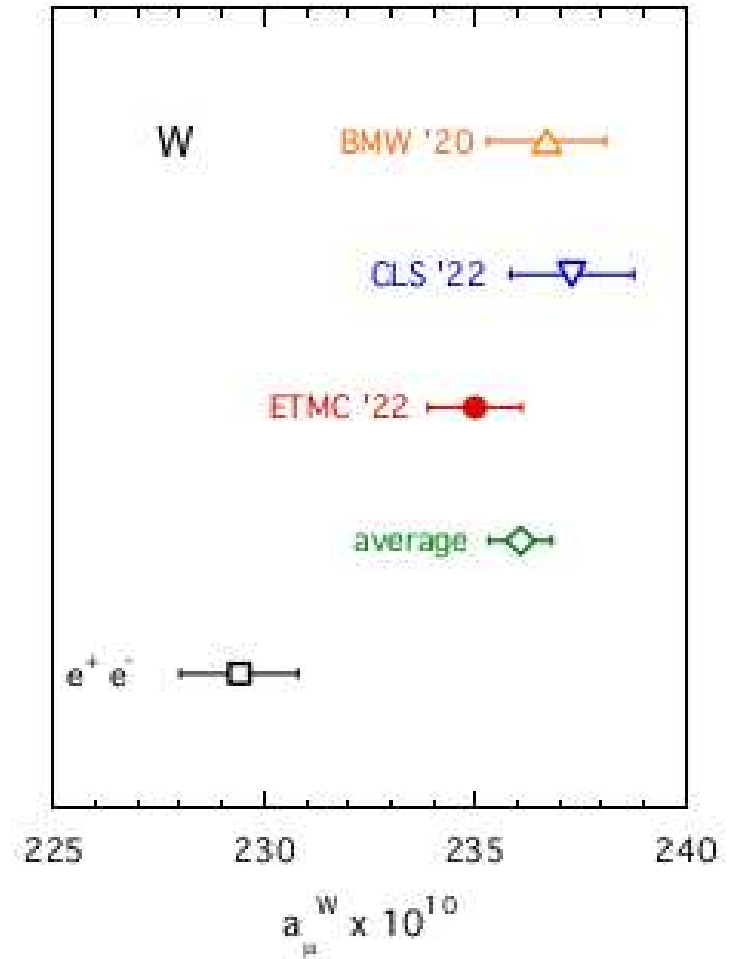
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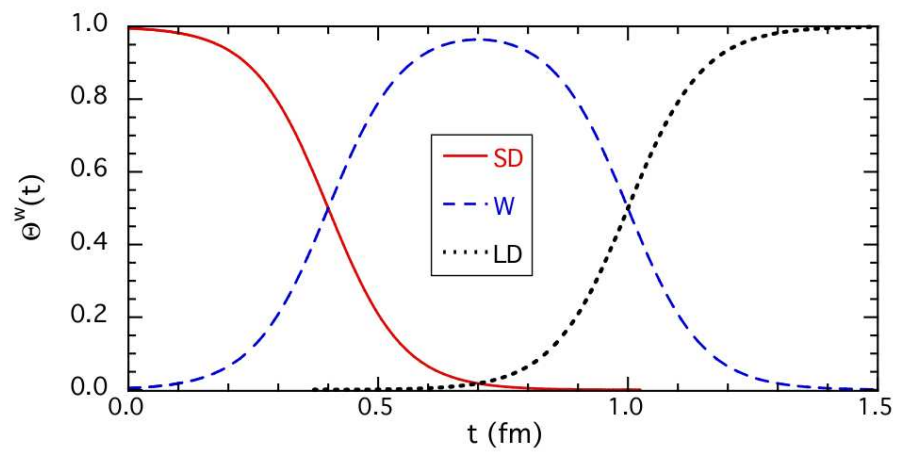
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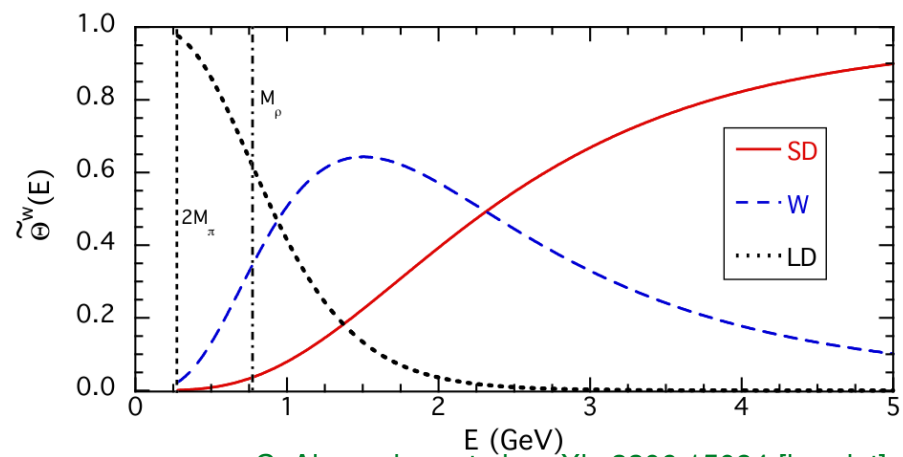
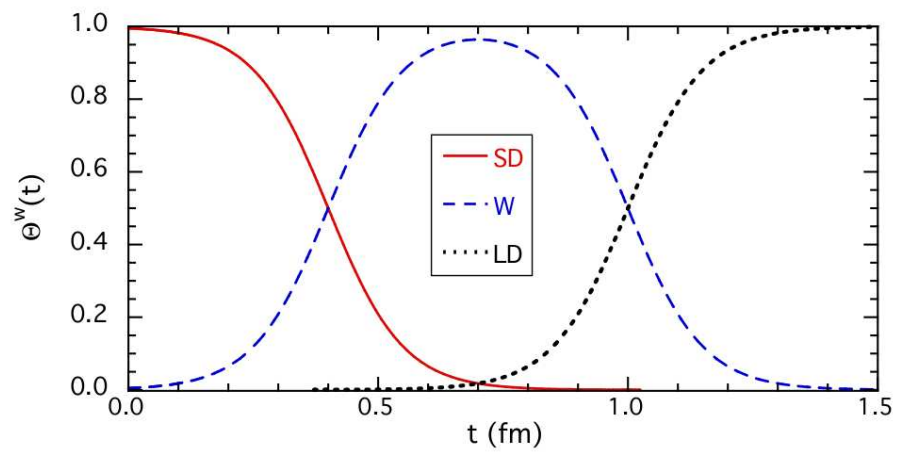
Several independent cross-checks for the intermediate window

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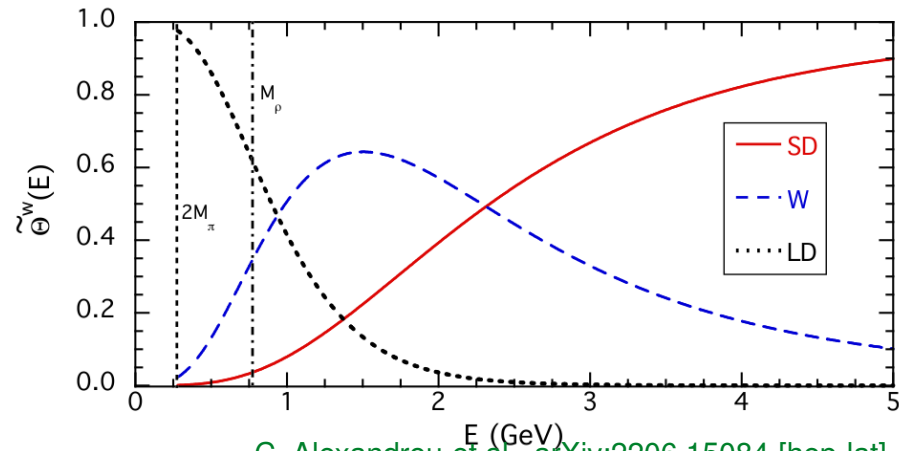
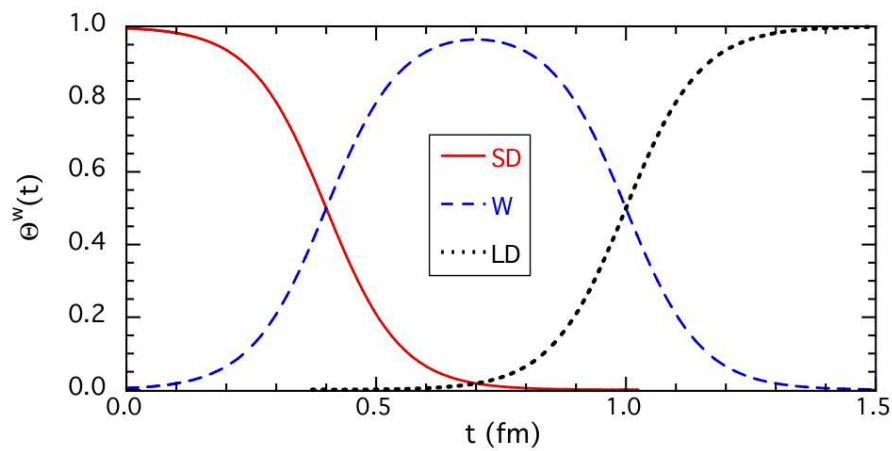




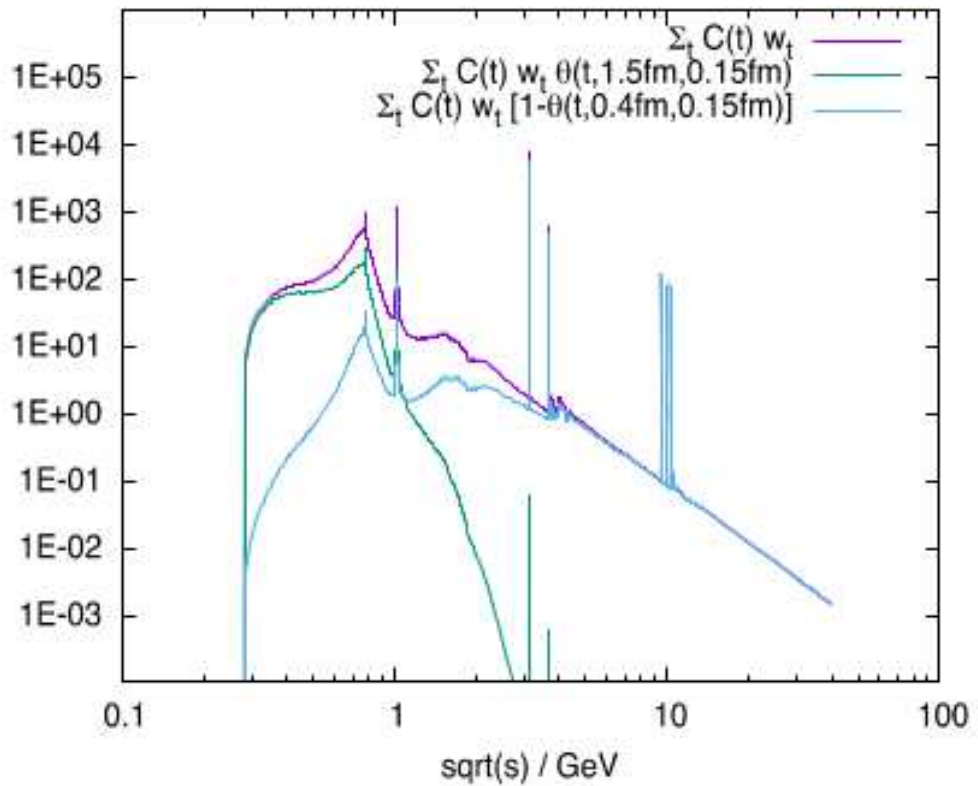
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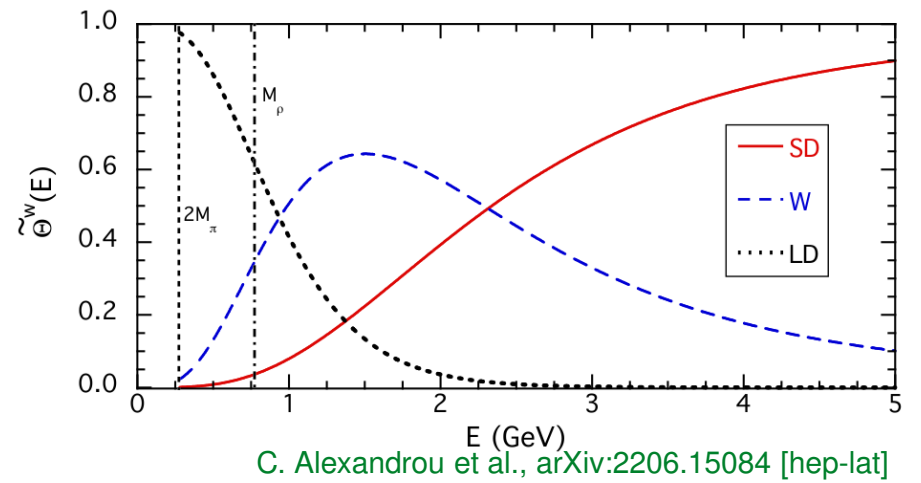
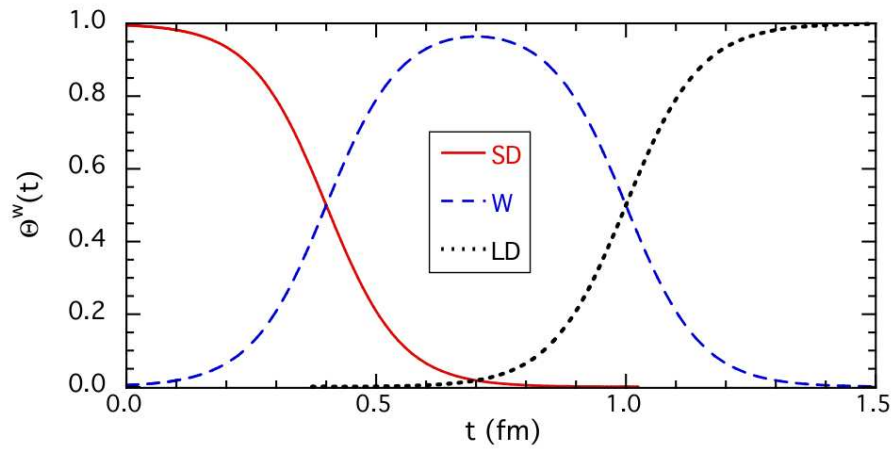


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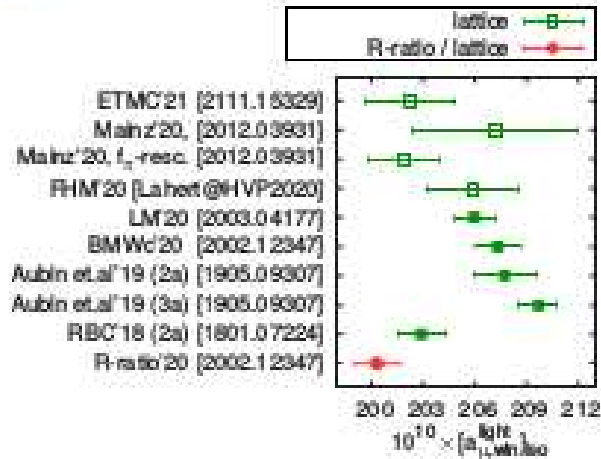
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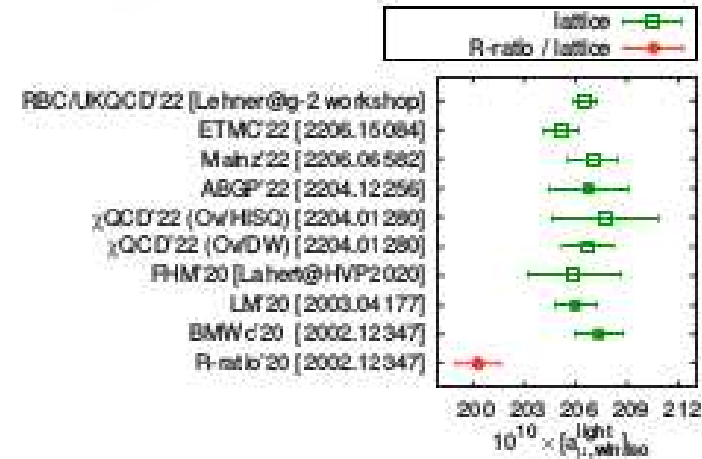
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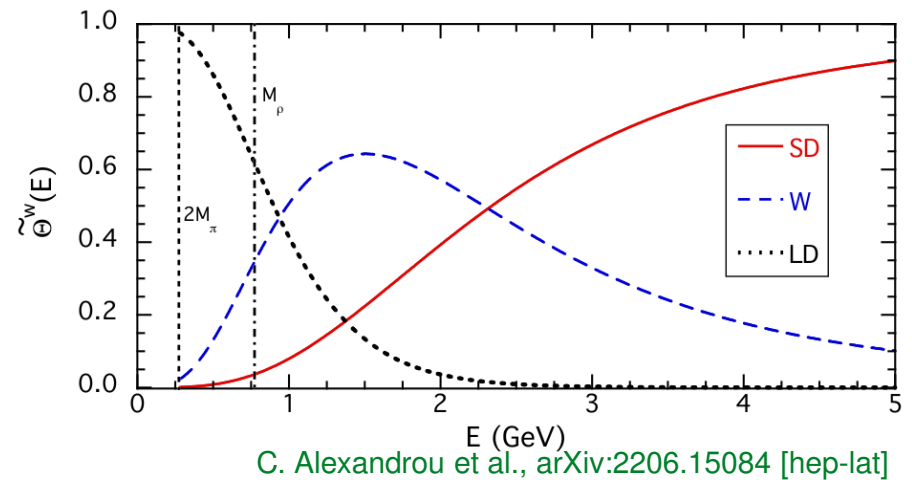
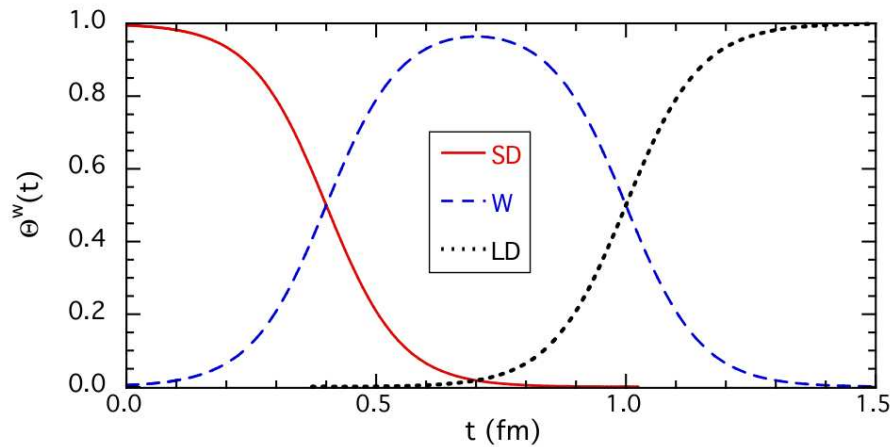
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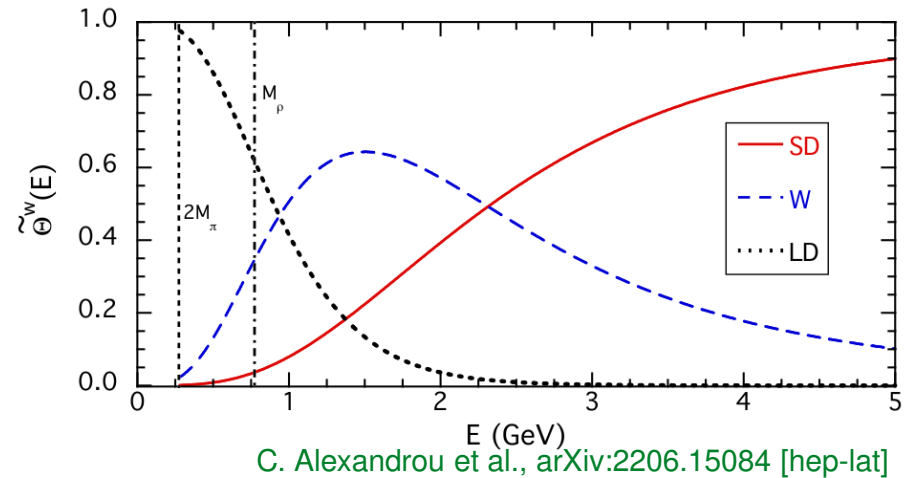
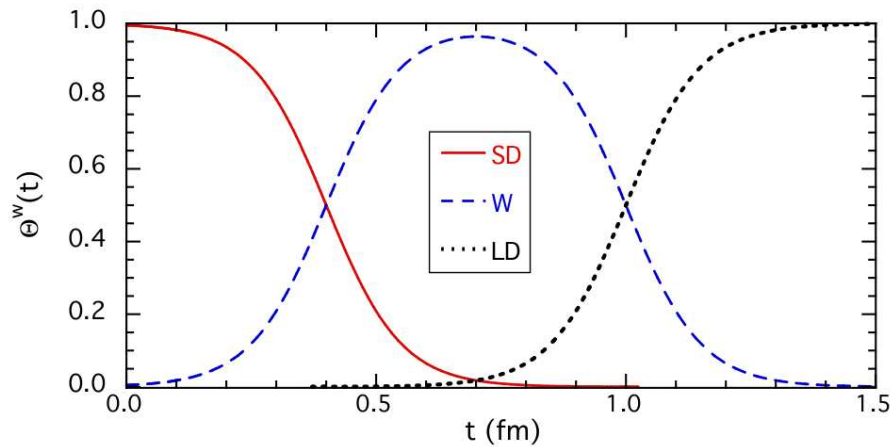
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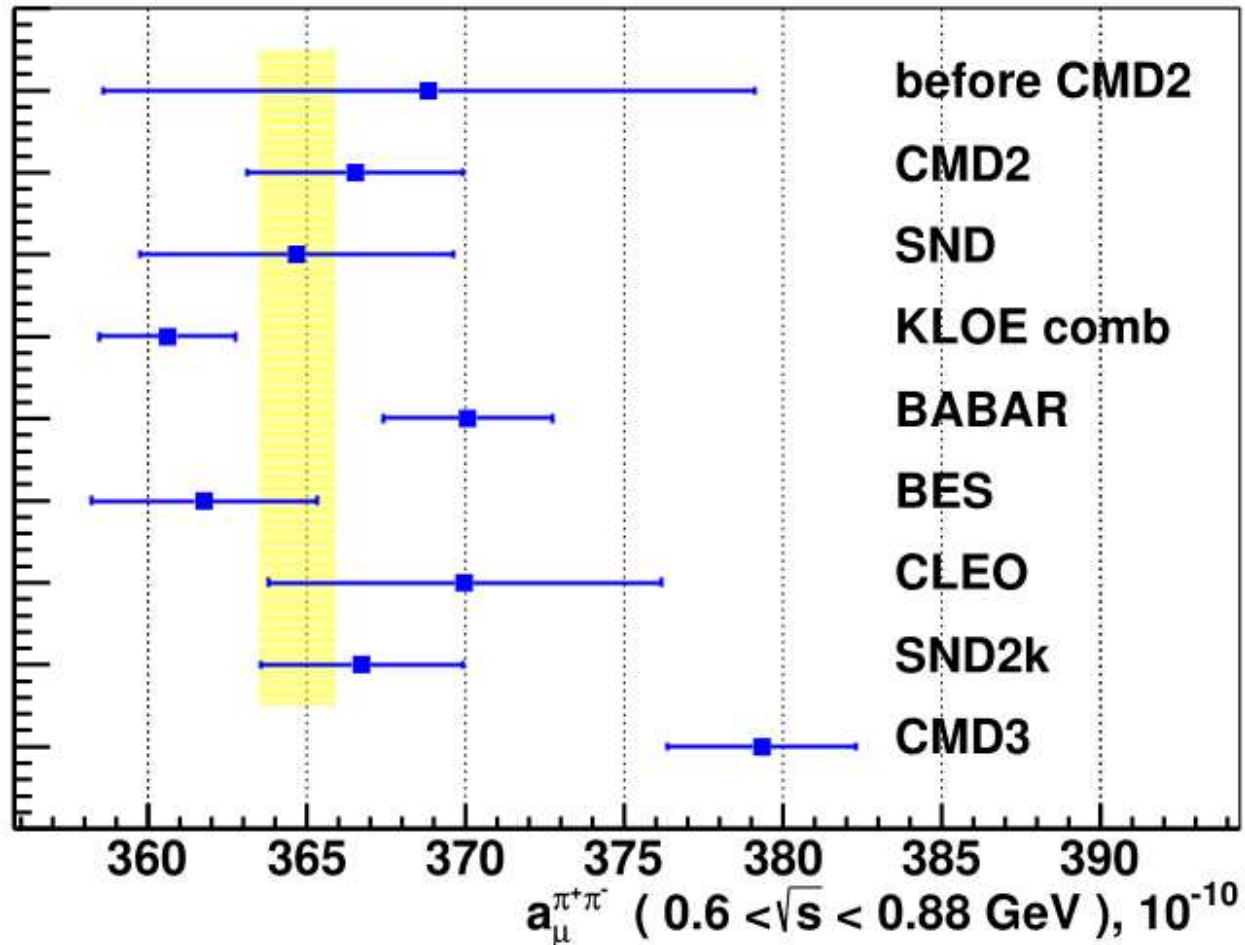
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So far, no complete LQCD cross-check of BMWc result available

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Does $a_{\mu}^{\text{th;WP}} = a_{\mu}^{\text{SM}}$ still hold today?

- Possibility to measure HVP in the space-like region from μe scattering?

C. M. Carloni-Calame, M. Passera, L. Trentadue, G. Venanzoni, Phys. Lett. B 476, 325 (2015)

G. Abbiendi et al., Eur. Phys. J. C 77, 139 (2017)

- $a_\mu^{\text{HVP}} = \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \int_0^1 dx (1-x) \Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}\left(-\frac{x^2}{1-x} m_\mu^2\right)$

$$t = \frac{x^2 m_\mu^2}{x-1} \quad 0 \leq -t < +\infty \quad 0 \leq x < 1$$

- a_μ^{HVP} given by the integral

- measurement of $\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}$ in the space-like region

- contribution at small t enhanced

- a 0.3% error can be achieved in 2y of data taking with $1.3 \times 10^7 \mu/s$ (CERN)

→ challenging (systematics)

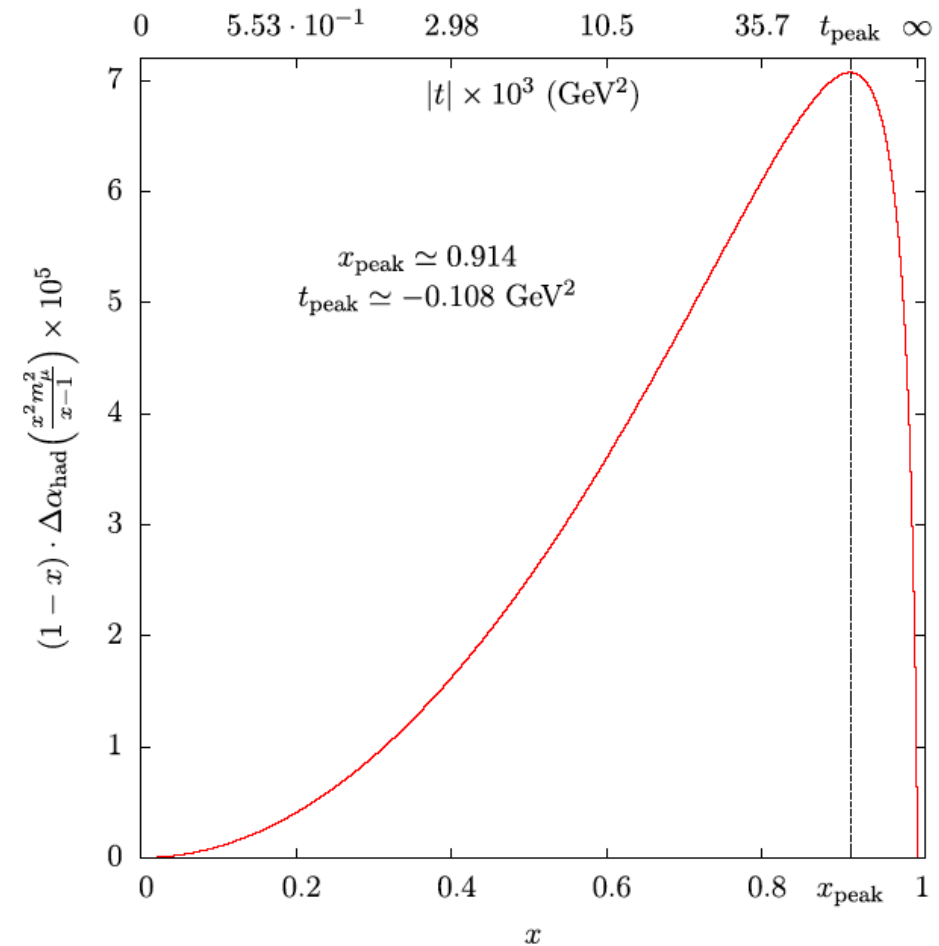
→ inclusive measurement (more like lattice QCD)

→ MUonE coll. LoI CERN-LHCC-2017-009/CMS-TDR-014

→ test run (proof of concept, assessment of systematics,...) scheduled for the end of 2021

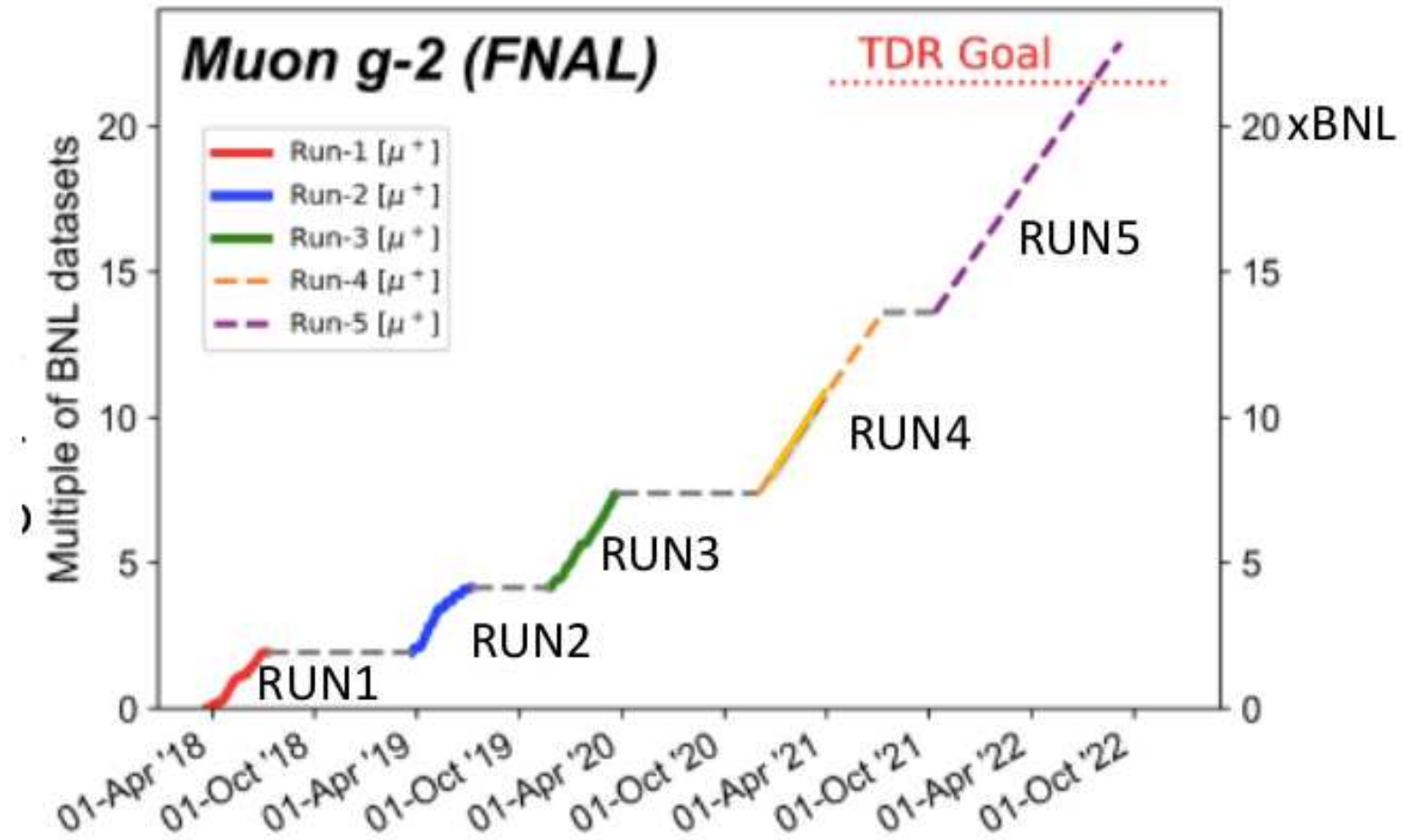
→ project starting in 2022?, running time during LHC-Run3

→ postponed



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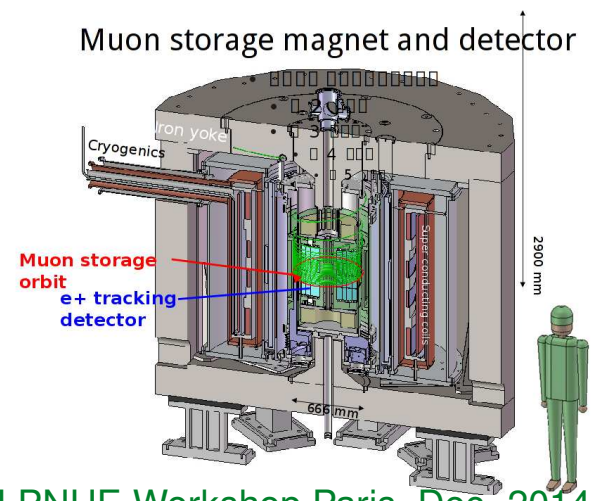
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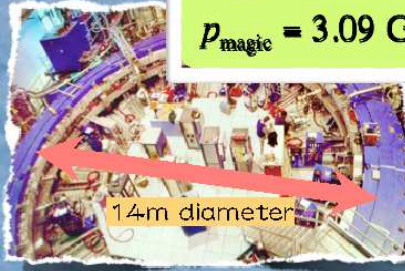
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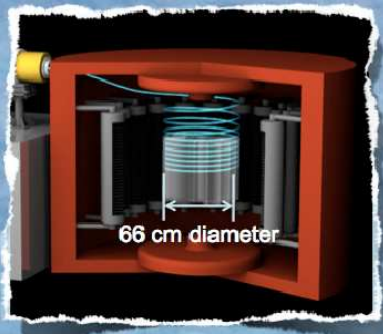
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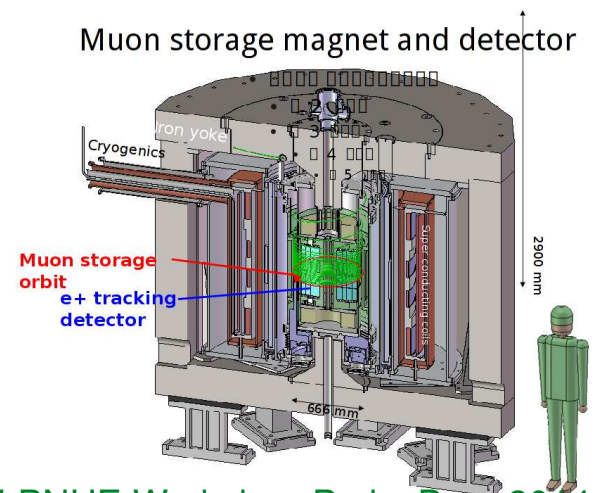
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- completely different set-up (uses slow muons)
- never been tested before
- data taking might start in 2025, accuracy goal 0.45ppm

A. Abe et al., PTEP 2019, 053C02 (2019)

- Testing the SM with a_e ?

G. F. Giudice, P. Paradisi, M. Passera, JHEP 1211, 113 (2012)

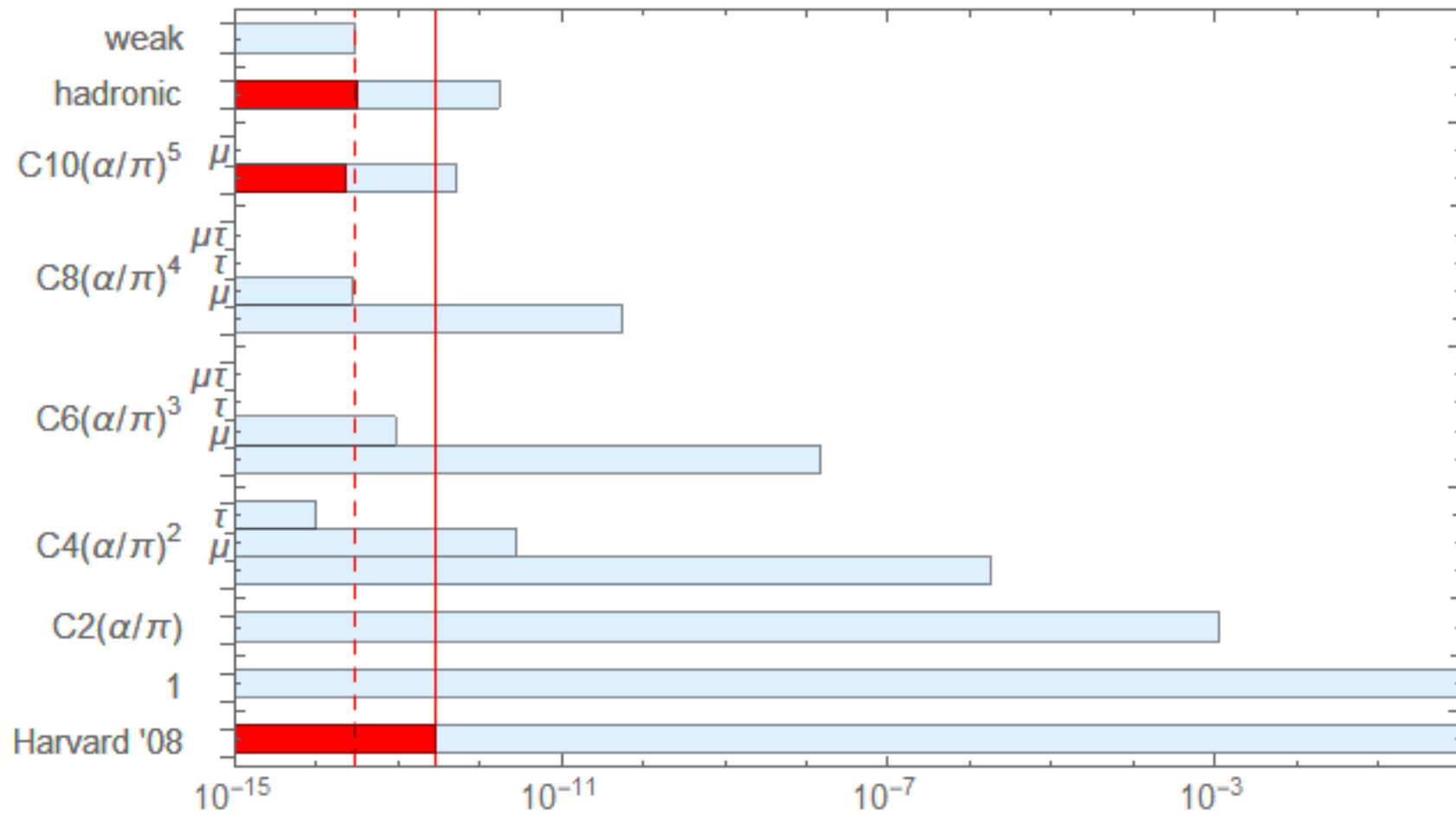
—→ a_e one of the most precisely measured observable in particle physics

D. Hanneke, S. Fogwell, G. Gabrielse, PRL 100, 120801 (2008)

—→ accuracy goal: from 0.24ppb to 0.02ppb (vs. 0.14ppm for a_μ)

G. Gabrielse, S. E. Fayer, T. G. Myers, X. Fan, Atoms 7, 45 (2019)

—→ need to determine the fine structure constant at the same level of accuracy! (at least)



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