

From the measurement of the Lamb Shift in Muonium towards its Fine Structure

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Muonium is a purely leptonic bound-state containing a positive muon and an electron. The absence of finite size effects and its light mass makes Muonium a distinguished probe for bound- state QED and recoil effects [1], as well as for new Physics beyond the Standard Model. Focusing on Lorentz and CPT violation in the muonic sector [2], the Mu-MASS collaboration measured the Lamb Shift

($2S_{1/2} \rightarrow 2P_{1/2}$) in Muonium to be $1047.2(2.3)_{\text{stat}}(1.1)_{\text{syst}}$ MHz and was able to put constraints onto two isotropic non-relativistic coefficients of the Standard Model Extension [3]. A measurement of the Muonium Fine Structure (($2S_{1/2} \rightarrow 2P_{3/2}$)) would give access to different SME coefficients using a transition between different angular momenta from $J = 3/2$ to $J = 1/2$. The setup of the Muonium Lamb Shift experiment is being upgraded since the last year with a microwave waveguide to perform the 10 GHz excitation needed to access the Fine Structure transition. I will present the progress of the experimental setup towards the measurement of the Muonium Fine Structure which is scheduled to be performed this year.

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