ANALYSIS OF SCATTERING DATA FOR MUONE DETECTOR CALIBRATION



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$$a_{\mu}^{\rm SM} = a_{\mu}^{\rm QED} + a_{\mu}^{\rm EW} + a_{\mu}^{\rm HLO} + a_{\mu}^{\rm HHO}$$

Recap

- MuonE experiment attempts to measure muon g-2 anomaly to unprecedented precision
- Need extreme precision to measure the leading order hadronic contribution which cannot be computed analytically*
- Utilize μe -> μe scattering to measure the running coupling constant a(t) which can be used to compute g.

Analysis of 2023 Beam Data

- Developing method to calibrate and optimize the distance between detectors to order O(1 µm)
- Etalon provided by engineers that has distance between two plates measured to extremely fine precision
- Reconstruct the tracks from the detector hit data
- Use geometry to construct distribution of the distances between the detectors based on reconstructed tracks



Analysis of 2023 Beam Data

- Perform coordinate conversion to get distribution of hits
- Based on distribution of hits, compute distance between the planes using previously shown geometry
- Resulting distribution provides error in measurement which we attempt to minimize by recalibrating the targets











- Once we identify the bimodality, the algorithm will be complete and ready for use in the real experiment
- Suspicion that the "entry" coordinates are converted incorrectly and will conduct test to identify whether this is the case

ALMOST...



Test Beam 2024

- Test beam was run last week to collect data and verify the functionality of the proposed experimental apparatus
- Principal objective was calibrating and testing the calorimeter
- Utilize previous *g*-2 calorimeter from FermiLab comprised of a 5x5 array of crystals
- Part of my role was calibrating the calorimeter using this laser apparatus



- Use laser calibration system to correct for residual gain instabilities to very high precision during measurement period
- Necessary to monitor and stabilize the silicon photomultipliers of the calorimeter to ensure data is usable
- More details at

https://lss.fnal.gov/archive/2019/pub/ fermilab-pub-19-198-ppd.pdf

Summary

- Almost done with data analysis project (ostensibly)
- Despite issues with some of the calorimeter crystals going offline, sufficient data was collected and will probably analyzed by next summer's intern ©
- Since data analysis project has been "done" for a while, we're now exploring a 3D graphical interface for the beam data











