

# Status and outlook for Muon g-2 at Fermilab

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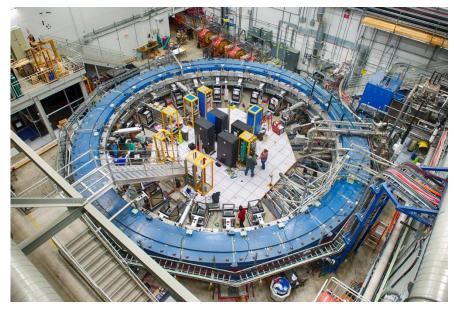
# To Peek Beyond...

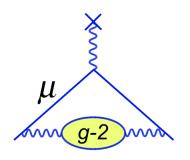
Standard Model predicts and describes most particle

experiment observations

- Exceptions to this include:
  - Matter-antimatter asymmetry
  - Presence of dark matter
  - Mass and strength hierarchy

Muon g-2 indirectly searches for new physics by probing the impact of virtual particles on the behavior of muons



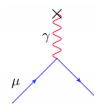


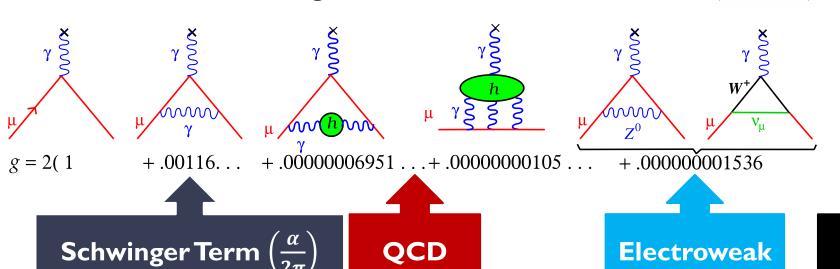
#### More than a Moment

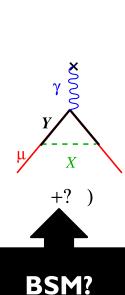
- Magnetic moment used as the handle
- Relation to particle spin and the dimensionless g-factor

$$\vec{\mu} = g \frac{q}{2m} \vec{S}$$

- For Dirac point-like particle, g=2
  - Radiative corrections from fundamental forces increase value of g







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> QCD processes contribute most to uncertainty on  $a_{\mu}$

— Leading order vacuum polarization — Light-by-light scattering

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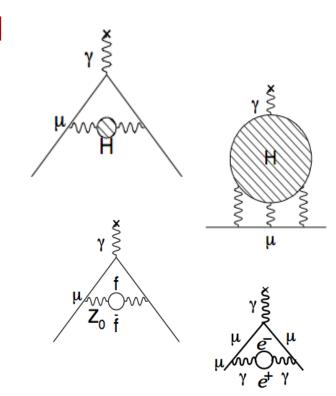
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#### Prologue: why muons?

- Pion decay produces polarized beams
- Parity violation → relation between muon spin and decay positron momentum
- Heavier mass makes muons more sensitive to BSM physics
  - $\blacktriangleright$  Driven by  $\left(m_e^2/m_\mu^2\right)$
- Long lifetime permits the precision measurement

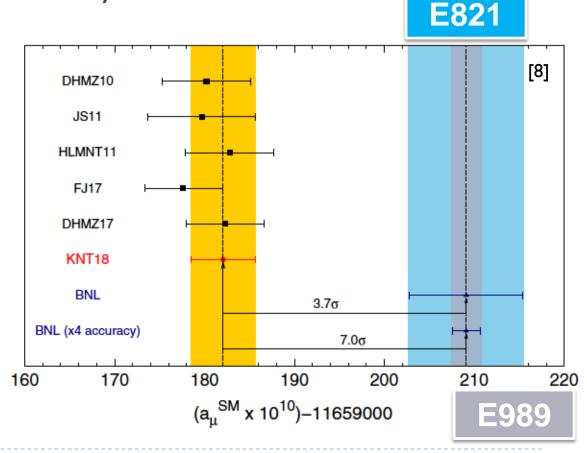
#### A Persisting Puzzle

**BNL E821** measured  $a_{\mu}$  to a precision of 540 ppb

▶ Differs from SM prediction by  $> 3\sigma$ 

Motivated creation of FNAL-based experiment

Precision goal of 140 ppb

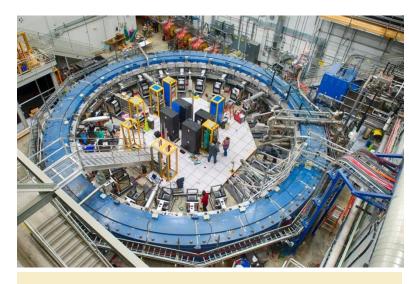


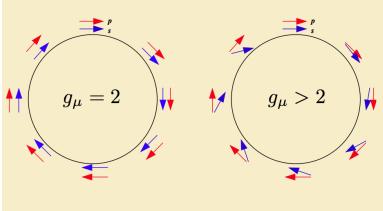
- Muon g-2 ring provides 1.45T field in storage vacuum region
- Polarized muons injected from Fermilab accelerator complex
- Mismatch between cyclotron frequency and spin precession frequency provide handle on  $a_{\mu}$

$$\overrightarrow{\omega}_C = -\frac{q}{\gamma m} \overrightarrow{B}$$

$$\vec{\omega}_S = -\frac{q}{\gamma m} \vec{B} (1 + \gamma a_\mu)$$

$$\vec{\omega}_a \equiv \vec{\omega}_S - \vec{\omega}_C = -\frac{q}{m} a_\mu \vec{B}$$



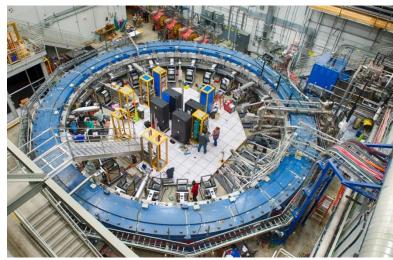


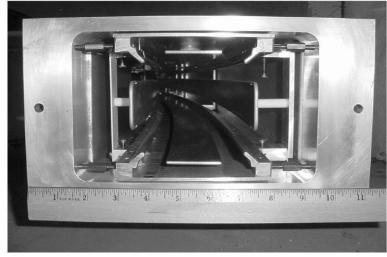
#### Building an Experiment - Some Expansion

- Uniform storage ring field only provides horizontal focusing
- Vertical focusing provided by electrostatic quadrupoles
  - Muons observe magnetic field

$$\vec{\omega}_a \equiv -\frac{q}{m} \left( a_\mu \vec{B} - \left( a_\mu - \frac{1}{\gamma^2 - 1} \right) \frac{\vec{\beta} \times \vec{E}}{c} \right)$$

- Quadrupole term vanishes when  $p_{\mu} = 3.094 \text{ GeV/c}, \gamma = 29.3$ 
  - Tune beam to exploit the "magic momentum"





$$a_{\mu}(expt) = \frac{g_e}{2} \frac{m_{\mu}\mu_p}{m_e\mu_e} \frac{\omega_a}{\langle \omega_p \rangle}$$

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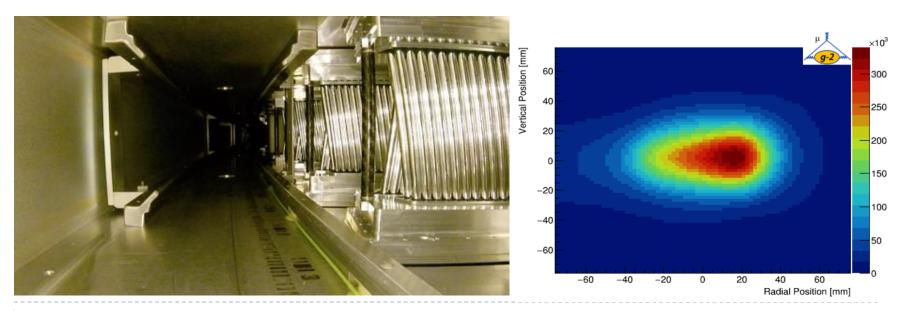
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- $\langle \omega_p \rangle$  assessed via NMR probes to find average field seen by muons
- $lackbox{\omega}_a$  measured via muon decay products
  - Exploiting the nature of weak decay
- Frequency standard for clocks blinded to ppm level

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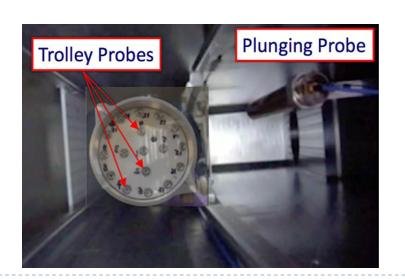


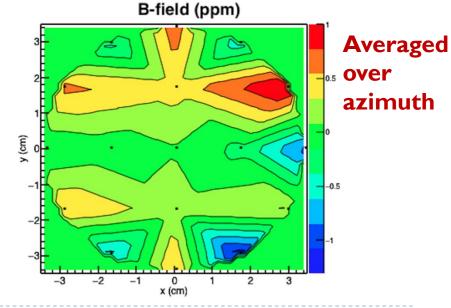
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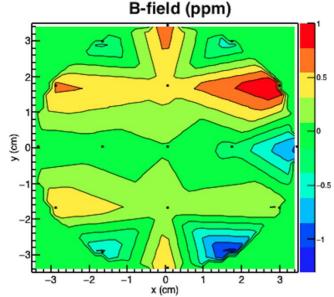
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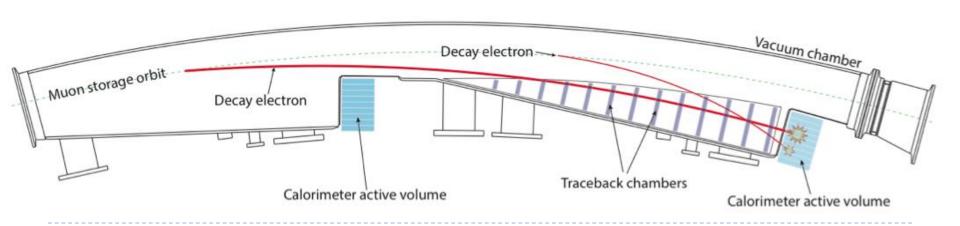
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    B-field (ppm)
- Magnetic field uniformity efforts reduced systematic uncertainty
  - ▶ 170 ppb (BNL)
  - ▶ 70 ppb (FNAL)



#### Building an Experiment: Muons

- $\omega_a$  assessed using 24 calorimeters that are spaced around the storage ring
- Muons in beam weakly decay  $\left[\mu^+ \to \bar{\nu}_{\mu} \nu_e e^+\right]$ 
  - Positrons preferentially emitted along muon spin vector
  - With high energy cut, selected positrons had initial momenta aligned to muon spins

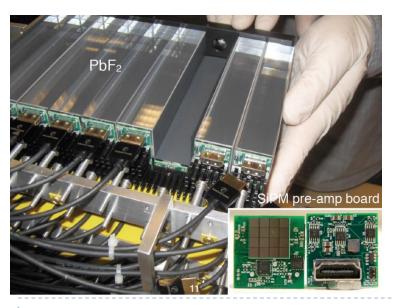


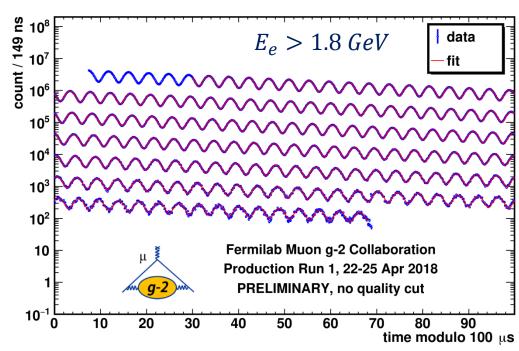
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Energy cut results in sinusoidally-oscillating function for deposition in calorimeters:

$$N(t) = N_0 e^{-t/\tau} [1 + A \cos(\omega_a t + \varphi)]$$

Fit data to extract  $\omega_a$ 

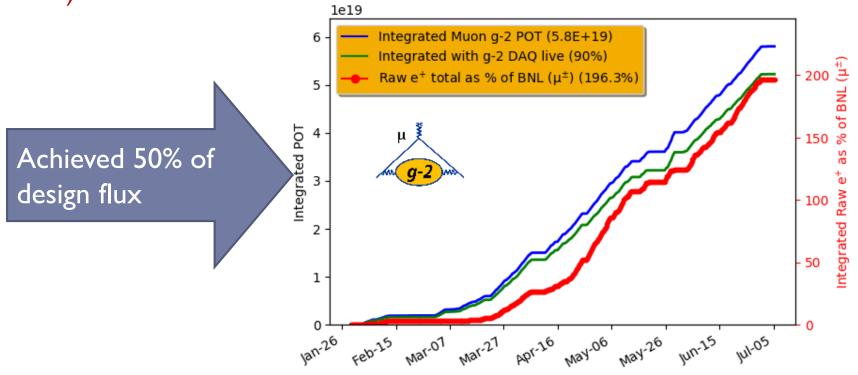




#### Run 1 Data Taking

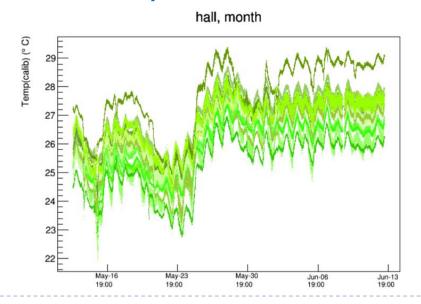
- First data run finished on July 7, 2018
  - Acquired almost 2X the BNL dataset in a few months
  - Data quality cuts still need to be applied

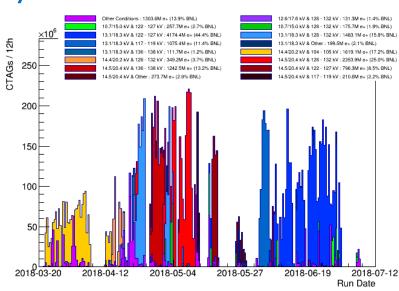
In 3 months, I7.5TB e<sup>+</sup> events recorded (BNL total was 9.4TB e<sup>+</sup>/ e<sup>-</sup>)



#### Run 1 Learning Points

- Analysis underway on the Run I dataset with aim to unblind Summer 2019
- Several challenges uncovered during this time:
  - ▶ Temperature fluctuations in the experimental hall
  - Stability issues with electrostatic quadrupole system
  - Stability issues with the kicker system

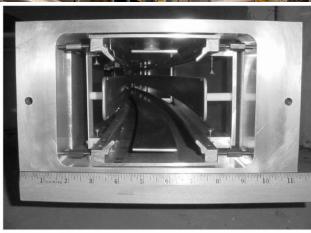




#### Upgrades for Run 2

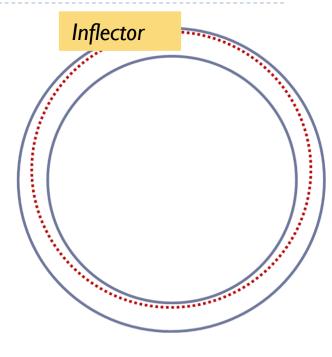
- Magnet covered in insulation to address effect of temperature fluctuations
- Electrostatic quadrupole stability improved by adding mechanical supports to HV leads
  - Vibrations caused breakdowns
  - Latest round of conditioning shows improvement
- Additional upgrades to magnet system protections and beamline monitors
- Kicker system underwent largest overhaul





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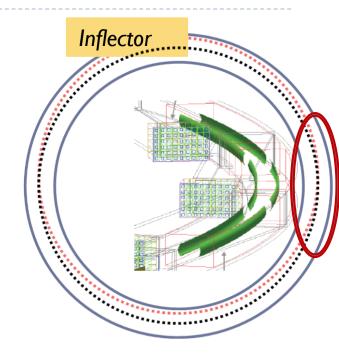
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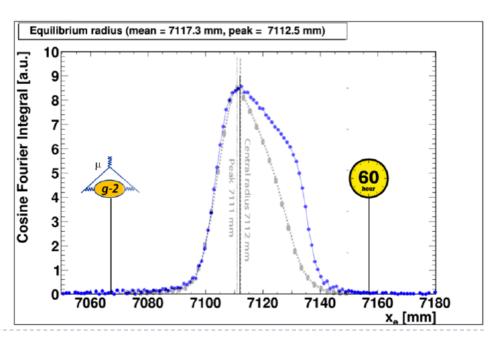
- When beam enters ring, not on the correct trajectory for storage
  - ▶ Correction comes from three magnets placed ¼ turn from the injection point
  - Reduces field strength by 280G
- ▶ Desired pulse time ~120ns
- Put muons onto closed orbit paths





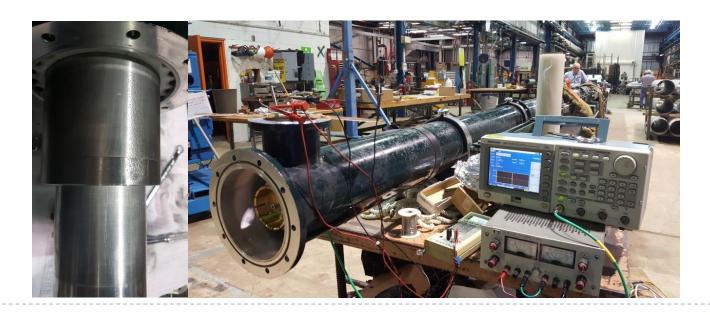
#### Kicker Upgrade – Run 1 Findings

- Kicker upgrade driven by several observations
  - Aim to improve the muon flux from 50% design mark
  - Analysis revealed radial distribution that suggested underkicking
    - Additionally generates stronger betatron oscillations
  - Resistive loads were repeatedly damaged
  - PFN measurements showed breakdowns



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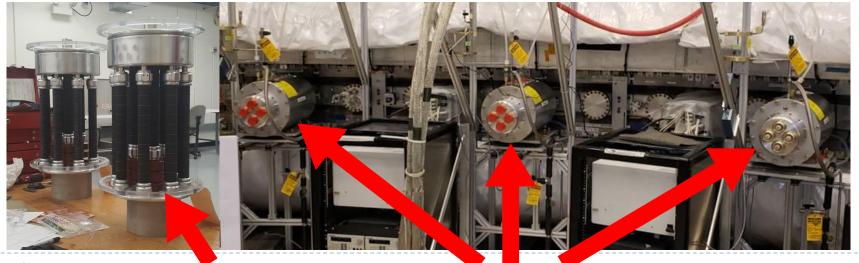
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More robust equipment, capacitive 'speed-up' network



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- Superior plumbing for cooling and dielectric fluids installed





- New power supply racks designed, built, and installed at Fermilab
- Trigger controls and data acquisition system also improved

#### Outlook

- The muon magnetic anomaly provides insight into potential BSM physics
- Muon g-2 Run I data is currently being analyzed
  - Collected roughly 2X the BNL dataset in three months
  - Expected result coming later this year, so stay tuned!
- Significant upgrades were implemented prior to Run 2 that will make the ring systems more robust
  - Kicker system improvements, in particular, will have large impact on muon storage
  - Essential for push to acquiring >20X BNL dataset

Back-Up

#### The Beam Profile

- Coherent betatron oscillations generated shape of snapshot on Slide 13
  - Consequence of betatron oscillations and detector sampling
  - Understanding behavior critical for measurement

