

# The anomalous magnetic moment of the muon: present status

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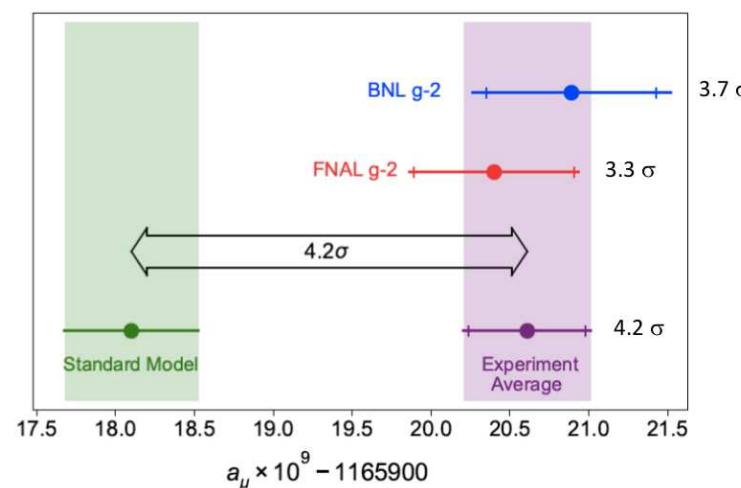
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→ hundreds of papers on arXiv since April 7, 2021

## OUTLINE

- Brief overview of the main experimental aspects
- Theory aspects:  $a_\mu$  in the SM
- Conclusion and a look into the (near) future

# Experimental aspects

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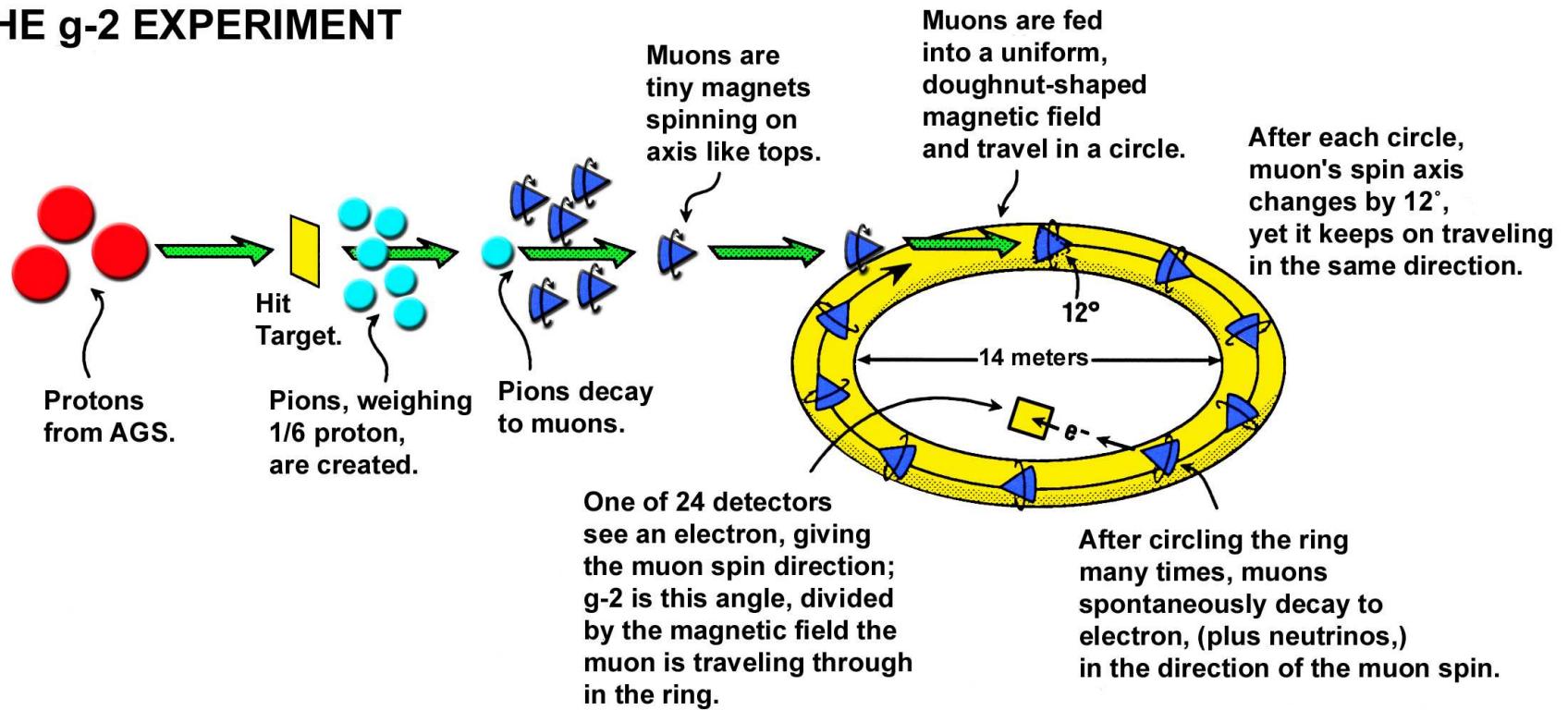
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CERN II	1962-1968	$\mu^+$	11 661 600(3100)	270
CERN III	1974-1976	$\mu^+$	11 659 100(110)	10
CERN III	1975-1976	$\mu^-$	11 659 360(120)	10
BNL E821	1997	$\mu^+$	11 659 251(150)	13
BNL E821	1998	$\mu^+$	11 659 191(59)	5
BNL E821	1999	$\mu^+$	11 659 202(15)	1.3
BNL E821	2000	$\mu^+$	11 659 204(9)	0.73
BNL E821	2001	$\mu^-$	11 659 214(9)	0.72
FNAL E989	2021	$\mu^+$	11 659 2040(54)	0.46
FNAL E989	2023?	$\mu^+$	???	$\sim 0.14$
[J-PARC E34	2027?	$\mu^+$	???	$\sim 0.45$ ]

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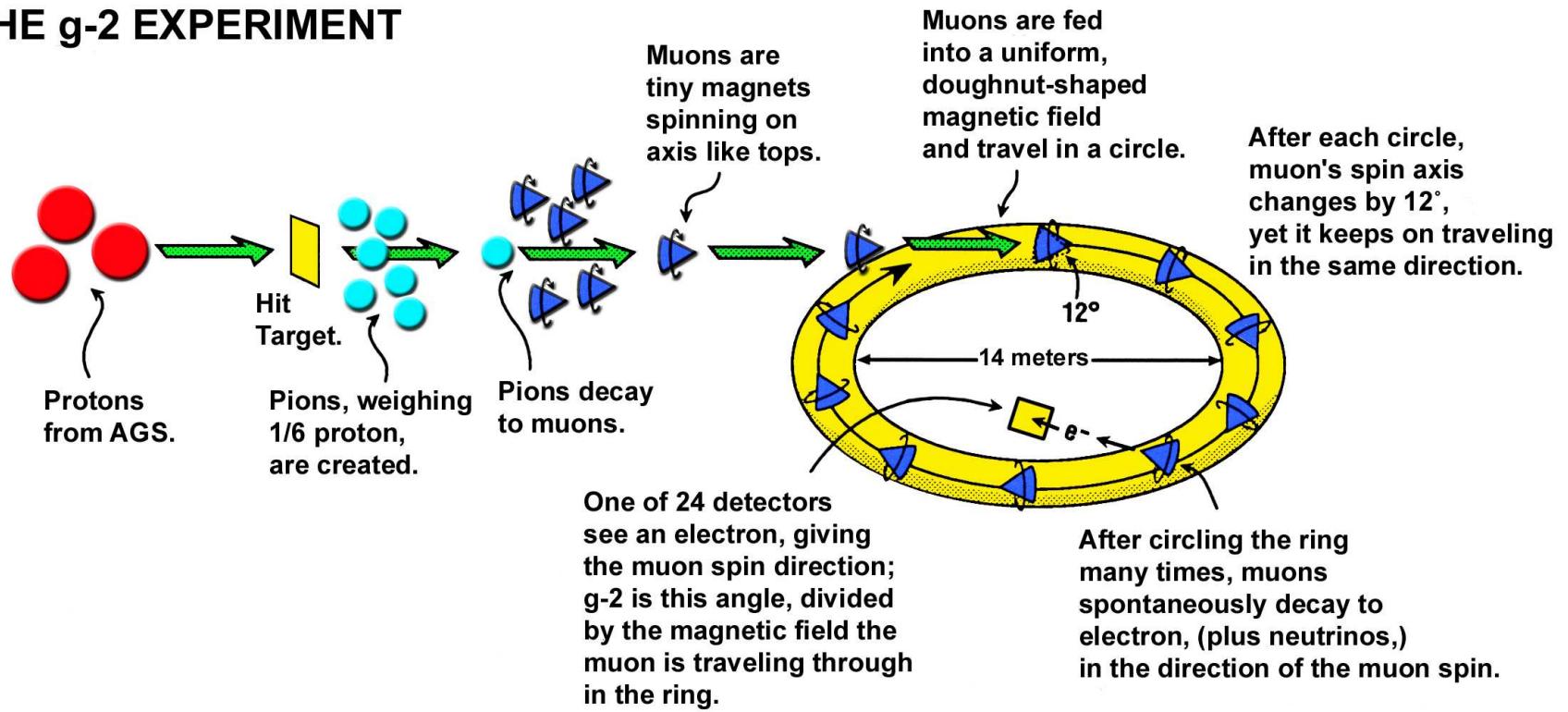
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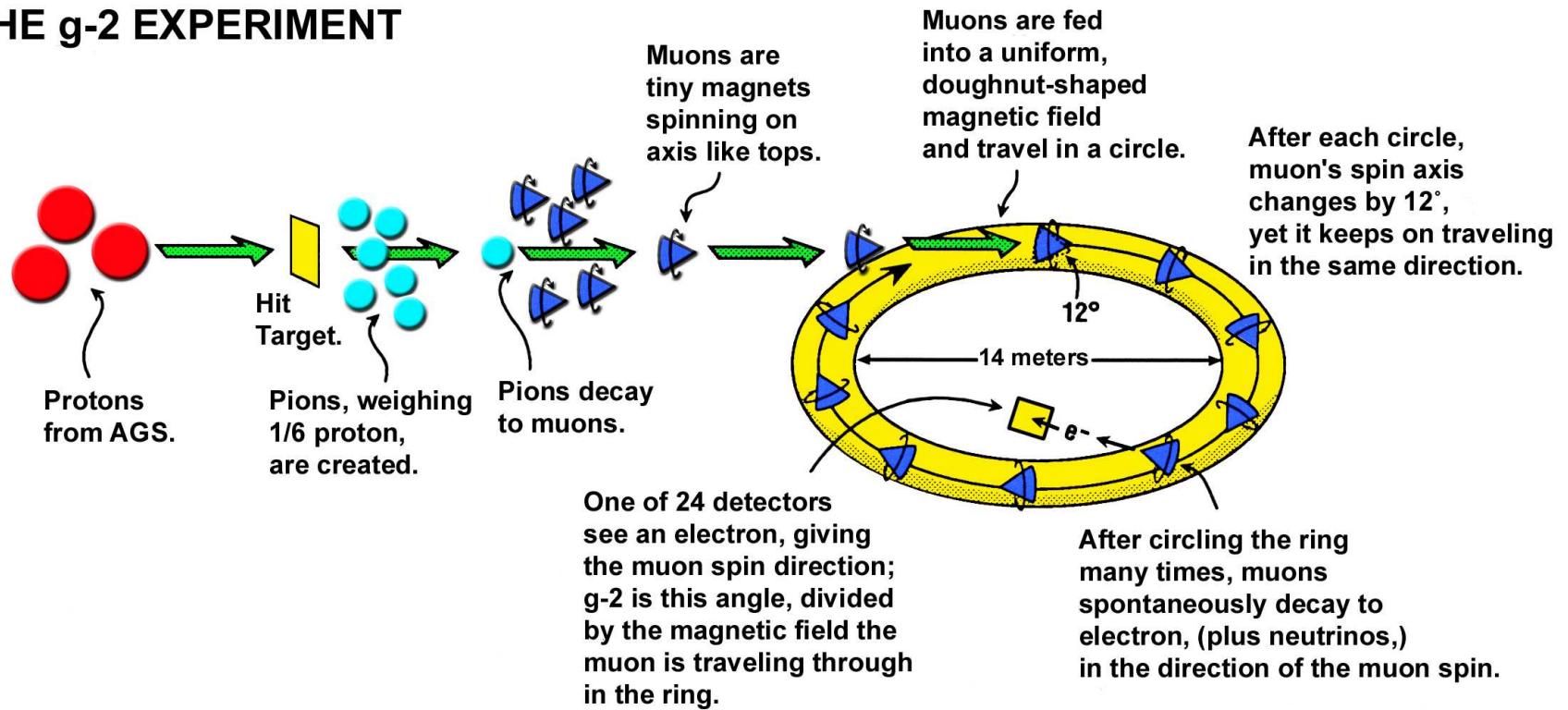
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# Key ingredients



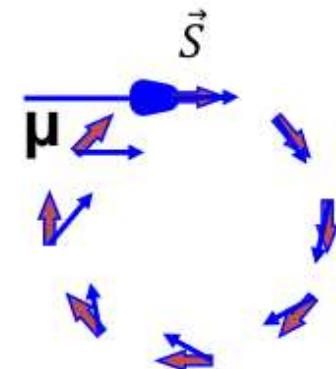
## 1) Polarized muons

~95% polarized for forward decay



## 2) Precession proportional to ( $g-2$ )

$$\omega_a = \omega_{spin} - \omega_{cyclotron} = \left( \frac{g-2}{2} \right) \frac{eB}{mc} \quad a_\mu = (g-2)/2$$

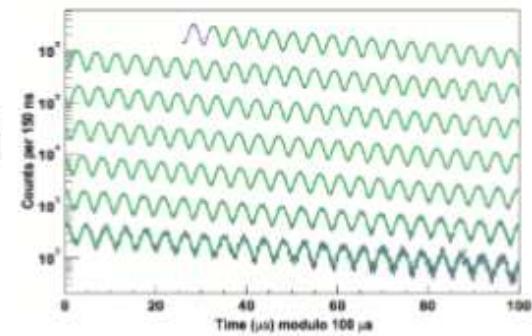


## 3) $P_\mu$ magic momentum = 3.09 GeV/c

$$\bar{\omega}_a = \frac{e}{mc} \left[ a_\mu \bar{B} - \left( a_\mu - \frac{1}{\gamma^2 - 1} \right) \vec{\beta} \times \bar{E} \right]$$

## 4) Decay $e^+$ emitted preferably in spin direction of the muon

$$\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ \nu_e \bar{\nu}_\mu$$





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- $\gamma \sim 29.3$  [electrostatic focusing will not affect the spin]

Muon g-2 Coll., H. N. Brown et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 86, 2227 (2001)

- $|d_\mu| < 1.9 \cdot 10^{-19}$  [95% CL]      Muon g-2 Coll., G. W. Bennett et al., Phys. Rev. D 80 (2009)



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- Still need to measure the magnetic field  $\rightarrow$  NMR probes  $\rightarrow \omega_p = -g_p \frac{e}{2m_p} B$

$$\textcolor{violet}{a}_\mu = \frac{g_p}{2} \frac{\omega_a}{\omega_p} \frac{m_\mu}{m_p} = \frac{g_e}{2} \frac{\omega_a}{\omega_p} \frac{m_\mu}{m_p} \frac{\mu_p}{\mu_e}$$

$$\frac{\Delta g_e}{g_e} = 0.26 \text{ ppt}, \quad \frac{\Delta(m_\mu/m_e)}{m_\mu/m_e} = 22 \text{ ppb}, \quad \frac{\Delta \mu_p/\mu_e}{\mu_p/\mu_e} = 3 \text{ ppb}, \quad \frac{\Delta \omega_p}{\omega_p} = 70 \text{ ppb}$$

# Theory aspects

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# Theory I: QED

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→ no uncertainties in  $A_1^{(2)}$ ,  $A_1^{(4)}$ ,  $A_1^{(6)}$

→ precision of  $A_2^{(4)}$ ,  $A_2^{(6)}$ ,  $A_3^{(6)}$  only limited by precision in  $m_\ell/m_{\ell'}$

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$A_1^{(8)}$  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 ( $a_\mu$ )

only a few diagrams are known analytically  $\longrightarrow$  numerical evaluation

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

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

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$$A_3^{(8)}(m_\mu/m_e, m_\mu/m_\tau) = 0.062\,72(4)$$

## Independent check of mass-dependent contributions

A. Kataev, Phys. Rev. D 86, 013019 (2012)

A. Kurz et al., Nucl. Phys. B 879, 1 (2014); Phys. Rev. D 92, 073019 (2015)

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QED contributions : loops with only photons and leptons

→ can be computed in perturbation theory:

$$a_\ell^{\text{QED}} = C_\ell^{(2)} \left( \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \right) + C_\ell^{(4)} \left( \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \right)^2 + C_\ell^{(6)} \left( \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \right)^3 + C_\ell^{(8)} \left( \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \right)^4 + C_\ell^{(10)} \left( \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \right)^5$$

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

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  $a_\mu$  at the present (and future) level of precision

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

- Order  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^4)$  and even order  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^5)$  relevant for  $a_\mu$  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

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

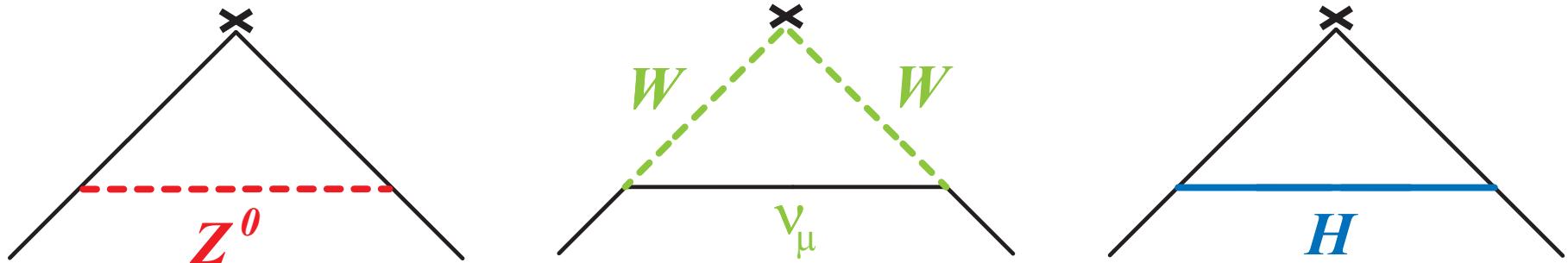
- No sign of substantial contribution to  $a_\mu$  from higher order QED

## A few comments about the QED contributions

- $a_\mu^{\text{QED}}(Cs19) = 116\,584\,718.931(7)_{\text{mass}}(17)_{\alpha^4}(6)_{\alpha^5}(100)_{\alpha^6}(23)_{\alpha(Cs19)} \cdot 10^{-11}$
- $a_\mu^{\text{exp;WA}} - a_\mu^{\text{QED}}(Cs19) = 7342(41) \cdot 10^{-11}$
- 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...)

# Theory II: weak interactions

- Weak contributions :  $W$ ,  $Z$ ,... loops



$$\begin{aligned}
 a_\mu^{\text{weak(1)}} &= \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{m_\mu^2}{8\pi^2} \left[ \frac{5}{3} + \frac{1}{3} \left( 1 - 4 \sin^2 \theta_W \right)^2 + \mathcal{O} \left( \frac{m_\mu^2}{M_Z^2} \log \frac{M_Z^2}{m_\mu^2} \right) + \mathcal{O} \left( \frac{m_\mu^2}{M_H^2} \log \frac{M_H^2}{m_\mu^2} \right) \right] \\
 &= 194.8 \cdot 10^{-11}
 \end{aligned}$$

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M. Fujikawa, B.W. Lee and A.I. Sanda, Phys. Rev. D 6, 2923 (1972)

## Two-loop bosonic contributions

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

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M. K., S. Peris, M. Perrottet, E. de Rafael, JHEP11, 003 (2002)

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

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

$$a_e^{\text{weak}} = (0.0297 \pm 0.0005) \cdot 10^{-12}$$

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

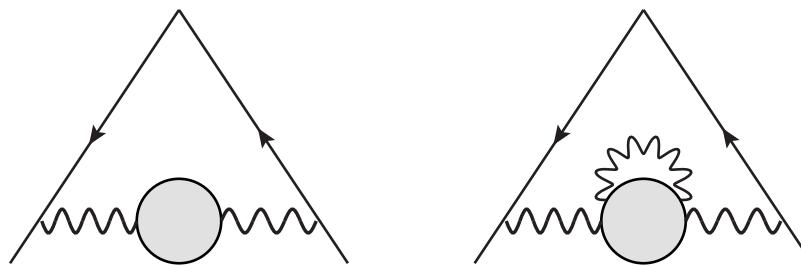
C. Gnendiger, D. Stöckinger, H. Stöckinger-Kim, Phys. Rev. D 88, 053005 (2013)

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

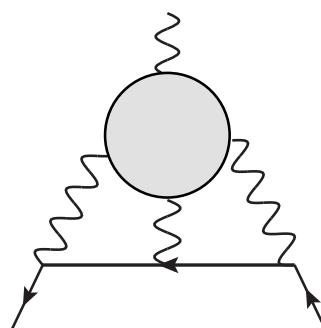
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## Theory III: strong interactions

- hadronic vacuum polarization



- (virtual) hadronic light-by-light (HLxL)



→ non-perturbative regime of QCD

## Hadronic vacuum polarization

- Occurs first at order  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^2)$
- Can be expressed as (optical theorem)

$$a_\ell^{\text{HVP-LO}} = \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \right)^2 \int_{4M_\pi^2}^\infty \frac{ds}{s} K(s) R^{\text{had}}(s) \quad K(s) = \int_0^1 dx \frac{x^2(1-x)}{x^2 + (1-x) \frac{s}{m_\ell^2}}$$

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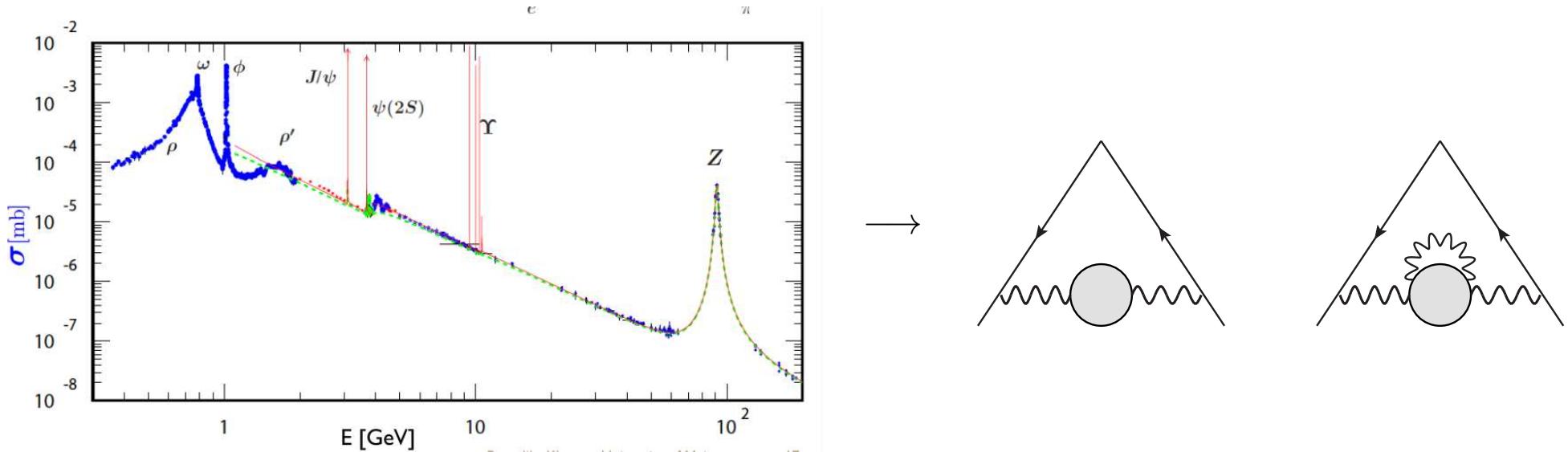
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M. Gourdin, E. de Rafael, Nucl. Phys. B 10, 667 (1969)

- $K(s) > 0$  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

## Hadronic vacuum polarization

- Can be evaluated using available experimental data



- Combination of  $\sim 39$  exclusive channels

- Scan experiments (e.g. @ VEPP)
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$$a_\mu^{\text{HVP-LO}} \cdot 10^{10}, e^+e^-$$

692.3(4.2)	M. Davier et al., Eur. Phys. J. C 71, 1515 (2011)
694.9(4.3)	K. Hagiwara et al., J. Phys. G 38, 085003 (2011)
690.75(4.72)	F. Jegerlehner, R. Szafron, Eur. Phys. J. C 71, 1632 (2011)
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693.1(3.4)	M. Davier et al., Eur. Phys. J. C 77, 827 (2017)
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692.78(2.42)	A. Keshavarzi et al., Phys. Rev. D 101, 014029 (2020)

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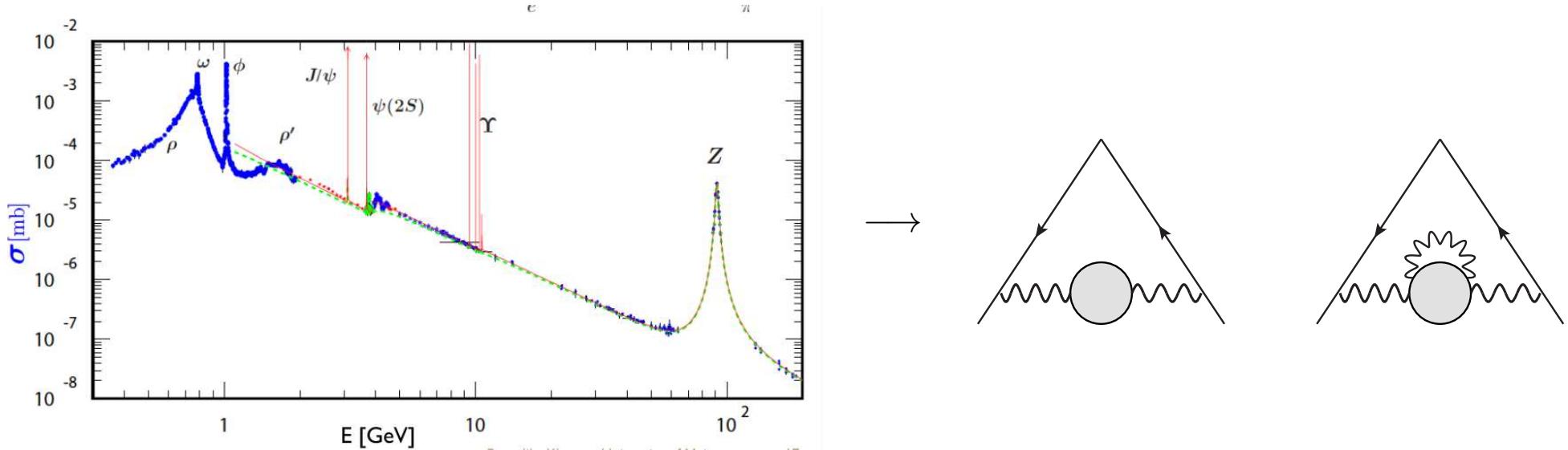
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-9.82(4)	A. Keshavarzi et al., Phys. Rev. D 97, 114025 (2018)
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$$a_\mu^{\text{HVP-NNLO}} \cdot 10^{10}, e^+e^-$$

1.24(1)	A. Kurz et al., Phys. Lett. B 734, 144 (2014)
1.22(1)	F. Jegerlehner, EPJ Web Conf. 166, 00022 (2018)

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- More recently: lattice results (for the time being, stick to WP)

A. Gérardin *et al.*, Phys. Rev. D 100, 014510 (2019)

C. T. H. Davies *et al.*, arXiv:1902.04223 [hep-lat]

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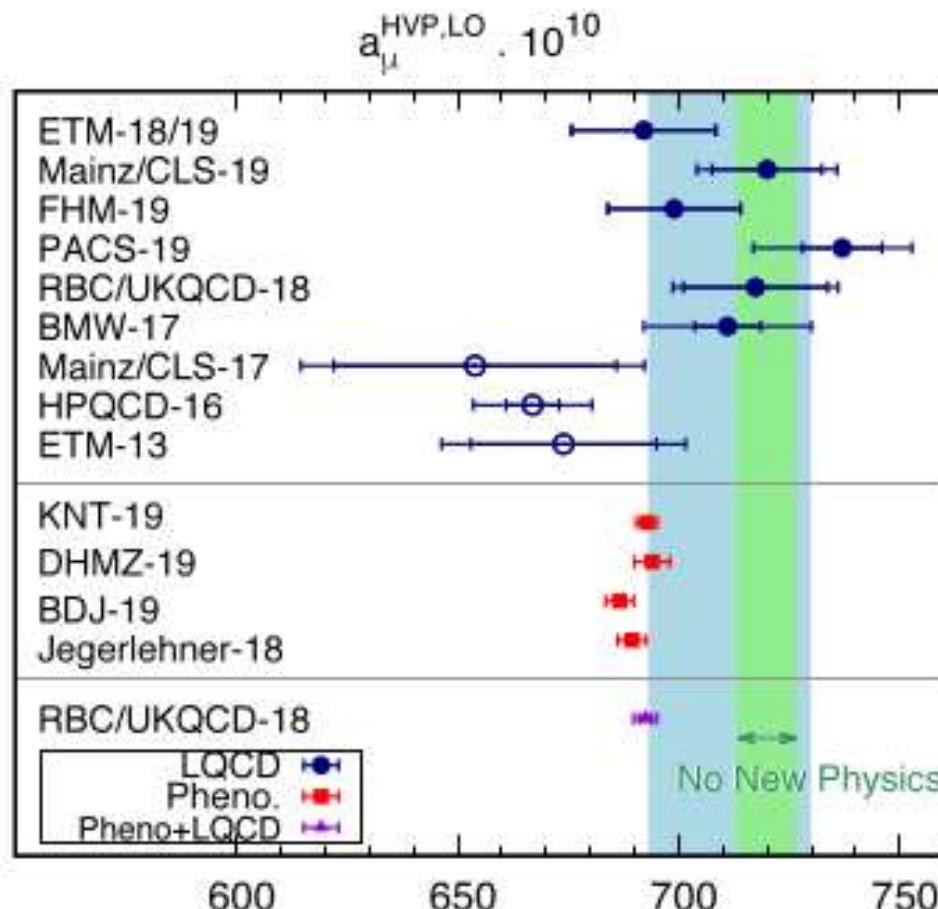
M. Della Morte *et al.*, JHEP 10, 020 (2017)

# White Paper summary

- Data evaluation:

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{HVP;LO}} = 6931(40) \cdot 10^{-11} \quad a_{\mu}^{\text{HVP;NLO}} = -98.3(7) \cdot 10^{-11} \quad a_{\mu}^{\text{HVP;LO}} = 12.4(1) \cdot 10^{-11}$$

- Lattice WA:  $a_{\mu}^{\text{HVP;LO}} = 7043(150) \cdot 10^{-11}$

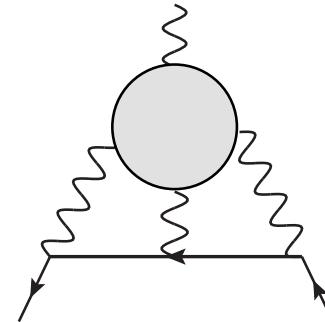


## Hadronic light-by-light

- Occurs at order  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^3)$
- Not related, as a whole, to an experimental observable...

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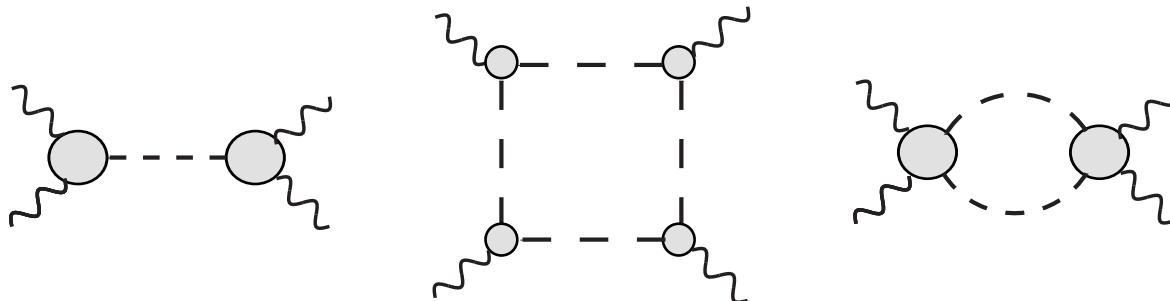
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- Involves the fourth-rank vacuum polarization tensor

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

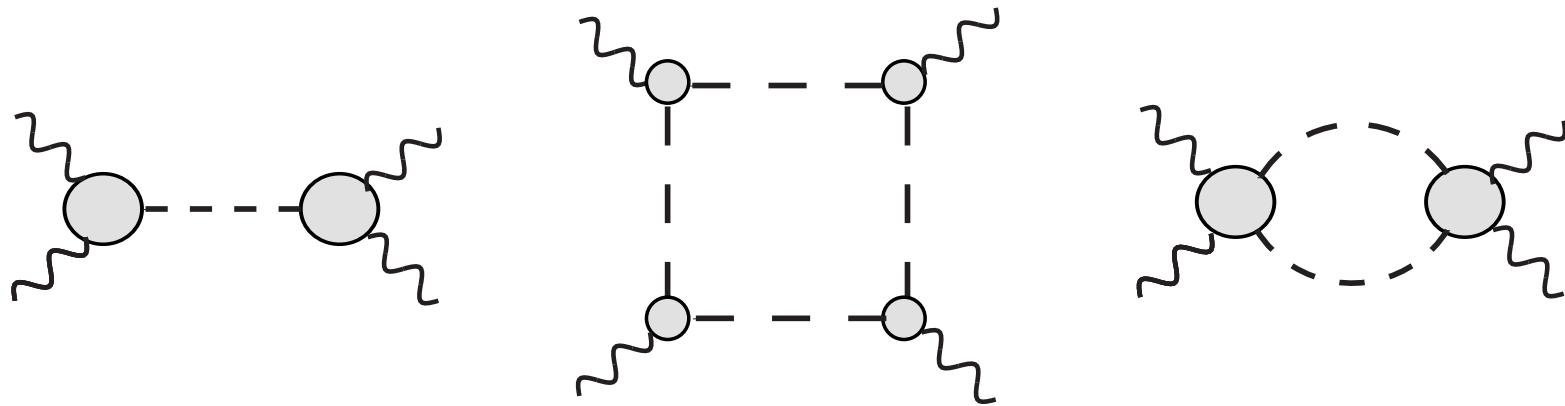
- Many individual contributions have been identified...



## Hadronic light-by-light

- More recently: dispersive approaches

–  $\Pi_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}$  



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

G. Colangelo, M. Hoferichter, M. Procura, P. Stoffer, JHEP09, 091 (2014); JHEP09, 074 (2015)

Needs input from data (transition form factors,...)

G. Colangelo, M. Hoferichter, B. Kubis, M. Procura, P. Stoffer, Phys. Lett. B 738, 6 (2014)

A. Nyffeler, arXiv:1602.03398 [hep-ph]

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T. Blum et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 124, 132002 (2020)

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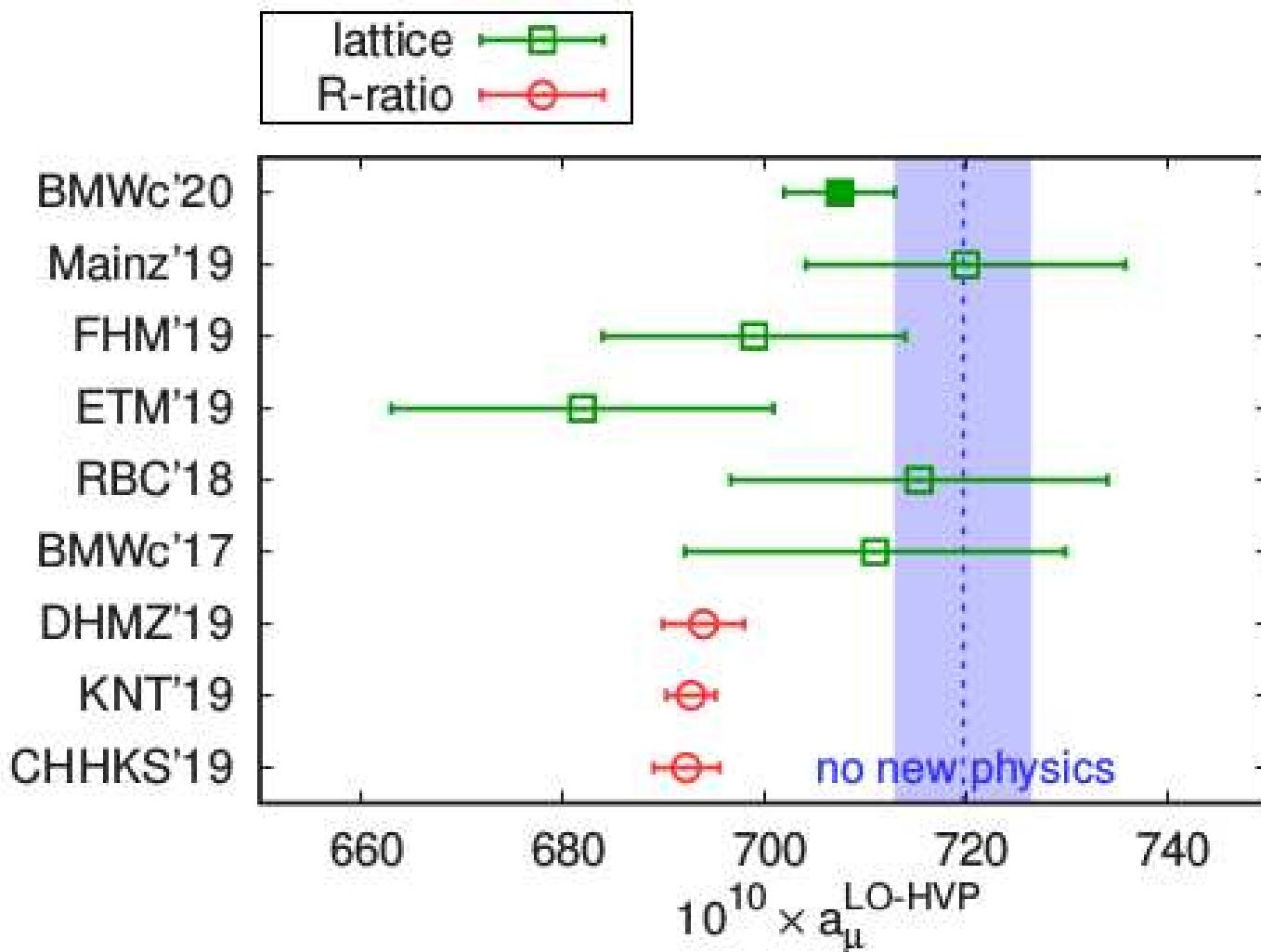
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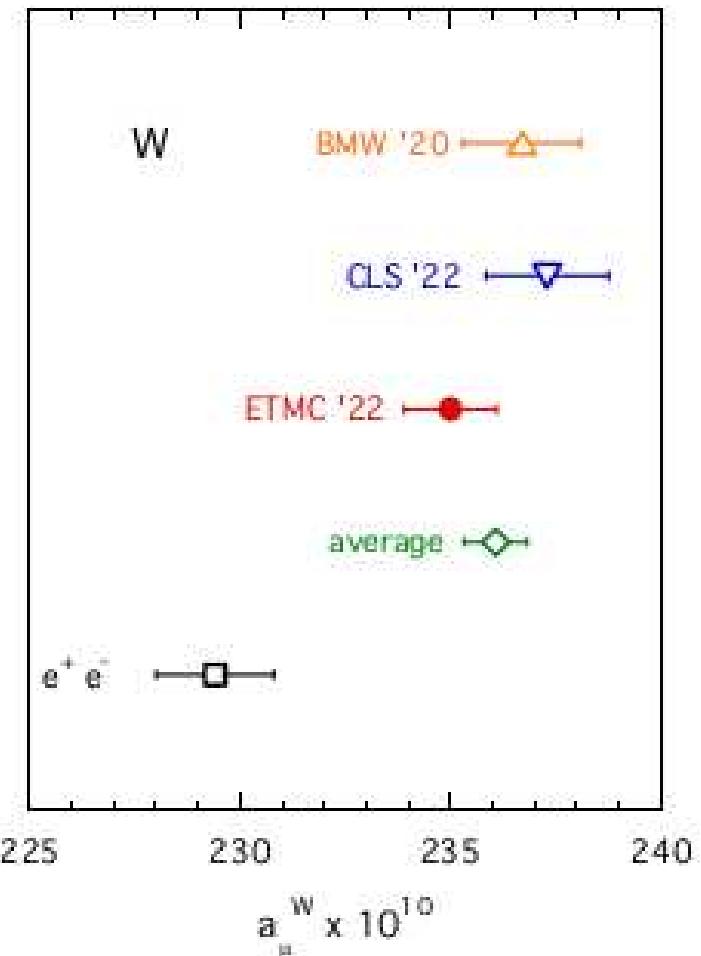
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$a_\mu^W$ :  $0.4\text{fm} \leq t_E \leq 1.0\text{fm}$

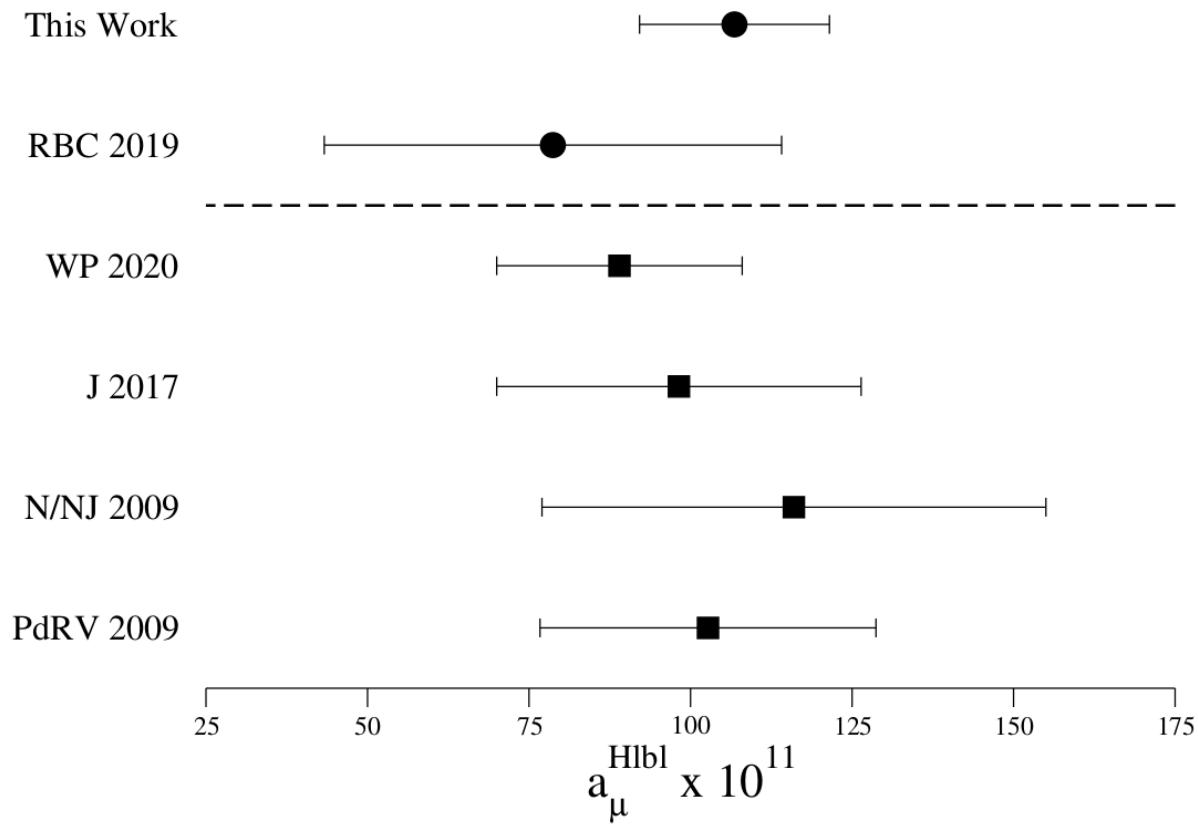


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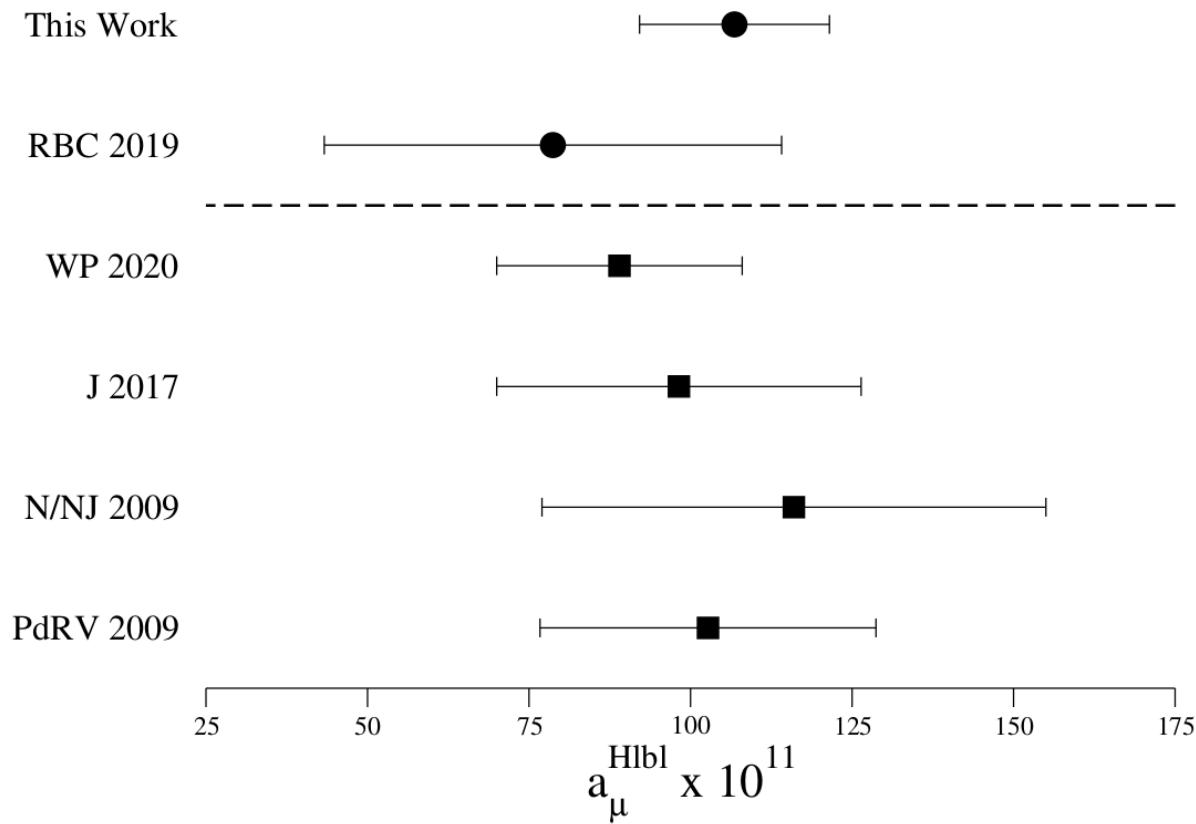


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~10% accuracy goal seems within reach

# Conclusion and outlook

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$$a_{\mu}^{\text{exp;WA}} - a_{\mu}^{\text{SM}} \sim \left\{ \begin{array}{l} a_{\mu}^{\text{QED}}(\alpha^4) \\ 60 \cdot a_{\mu}^{\text{QED}}(\alpha^5) \\ 5 \cdot a_{\mu}^{\text{weak}(2)} \\ 3 \cdot a_{\mu}^{\text{HLxL}} \end{array} \right.$$

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$$a_\mu^{\text{HVP;LO data}} = 6931(40) \cdot 10^{-11} \quad \text{vs} \quad a_\mu^{\text{HVP;LO BMWc}} = 7075(55) \cdot 10^{-11}$$

First (partial) cross-checks from other lattice collaborations available  
→ so far BMWc result confirmed

No straightforward or convincing phenomenological explanation for the lattice vs. data discrepancy

- Possibility to measure HVP in the space-like region from  $\mu e$  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)

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

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

- $a_\mu^{\text{HVP}}$  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  $1.3 \times 10^7 \mu/\text{s}$  (CERN)

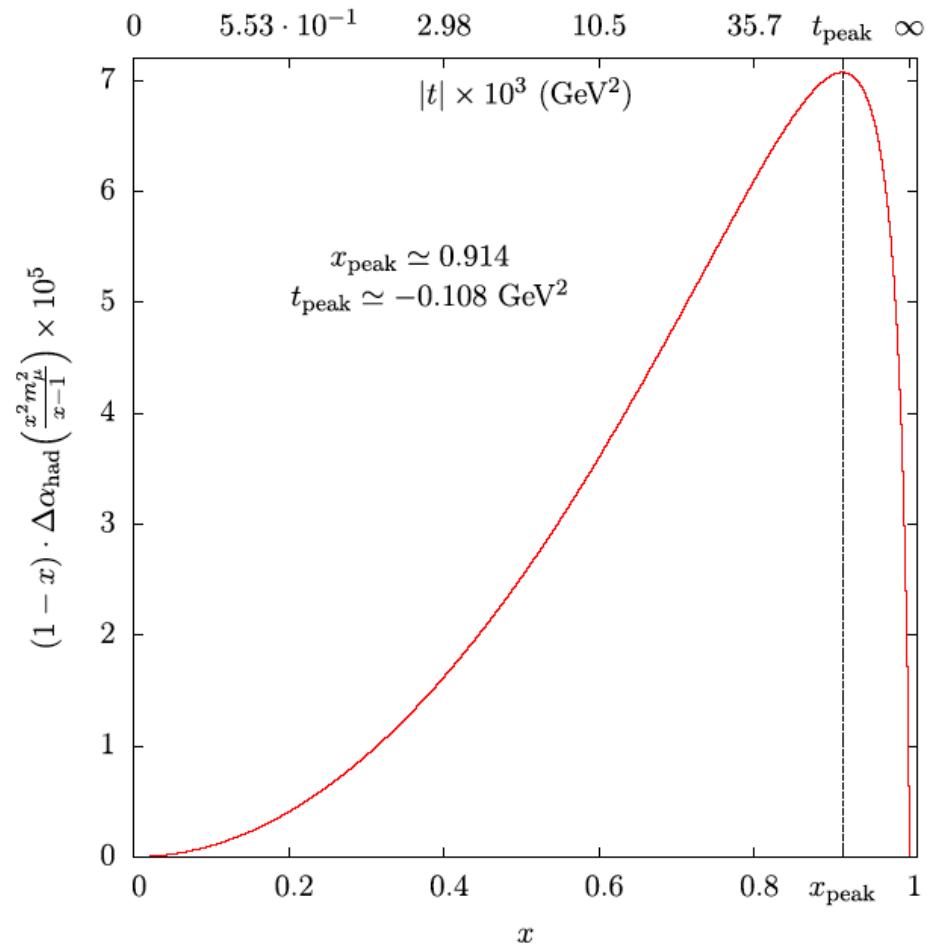
→ challenging (systematics)

→ 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

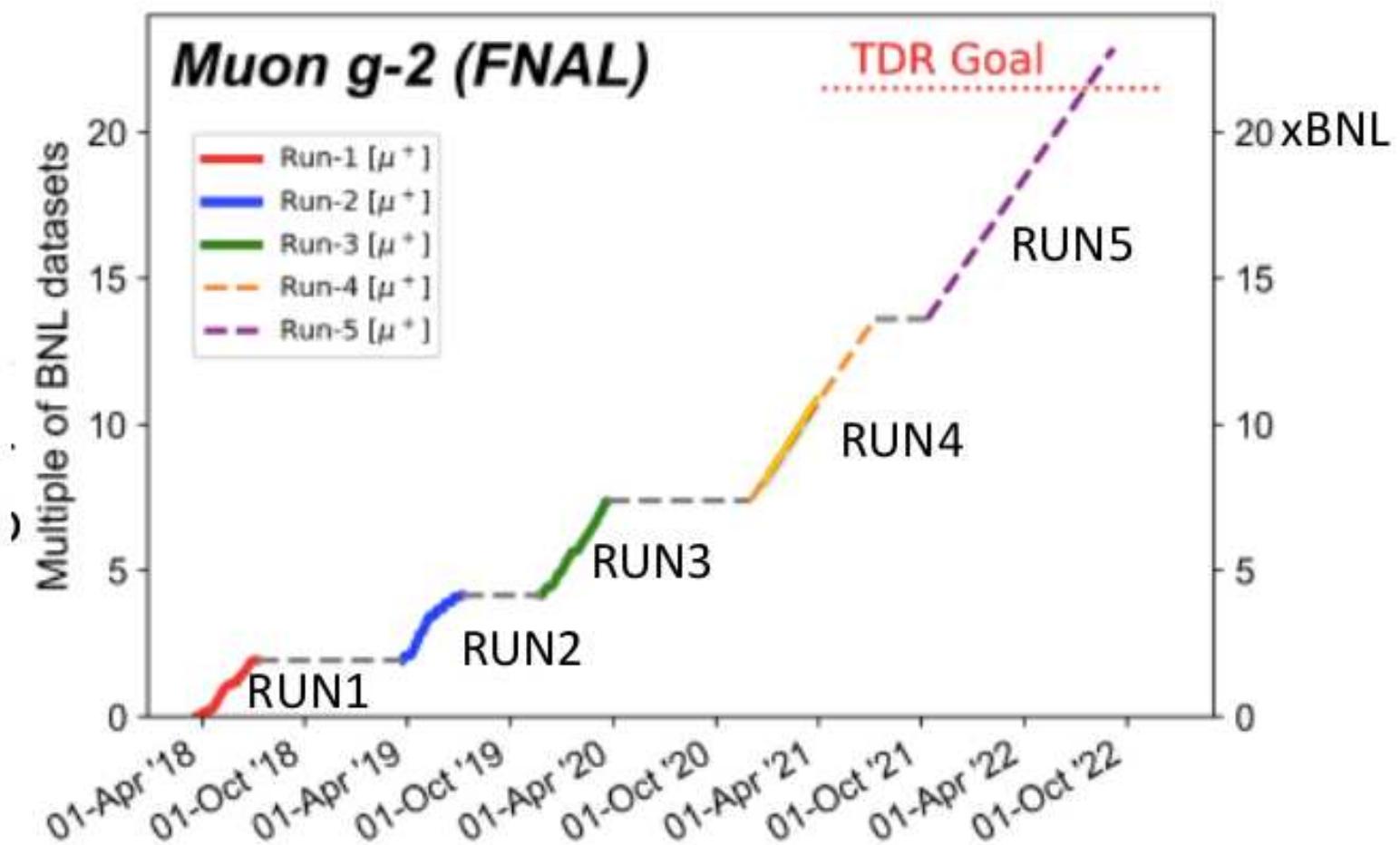
→ project starting in 202?, running time during LHC-Run3



→ postponed

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  - only part of the data collected so far has been analysed
  - more have been taken, to reach the accuracy goal of  $\sim 0.14\text{ppm}$



- could the experiment be wrong? → project to measure  $a_\mu$  at J-PARC (E34)

## Magic vs “New Magic”

■ Complimentary!

$$\vec{\omega} = -\frac{e}{m} \left[ a_\mu \vec{B} - \left( a_\mu - \frac{1}{\gamma^2 - 1} \right) \frac{\vec{\beta} \times \vec{E}}{c} + \frac{\eta}{2} \left( \vec{\beta} \times \vec{B} + \frac{\vec{E}}{c} \right) \right]$$

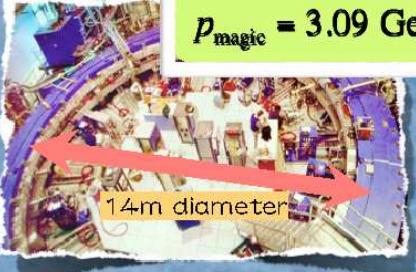
BNL/Fermilab Approach

$a_\mu - \frac{1}{\gamma^2 - 1} = 0$

$\eta \approx 0$

$\gamma_{\text{magic}} = 29.3$

$p_{\text{magic}} = 3.09 \text{ GeV}/c$

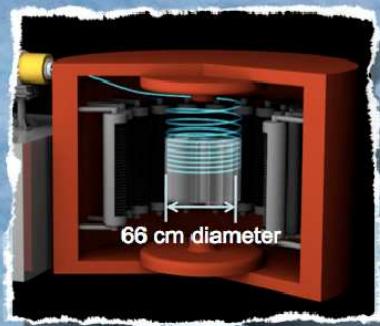


$\vec{\omega}_a = -\frac{e}{m} a_\mu \vec{B}$

J-PARC Approach

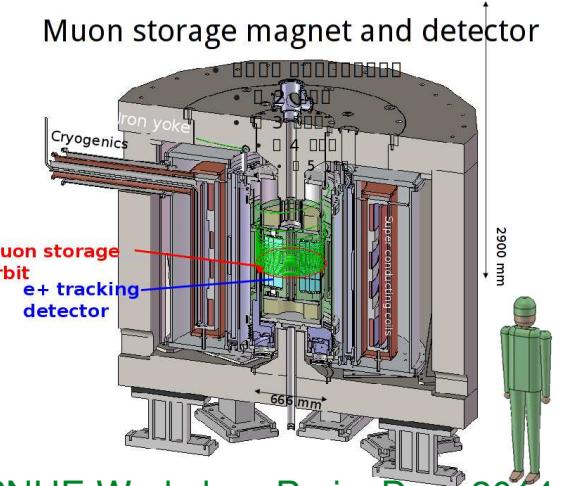
$\vec{E} = 0$

$\vec{\omega} = \vec{\omega}_a + \vec{\omega}_\eta$

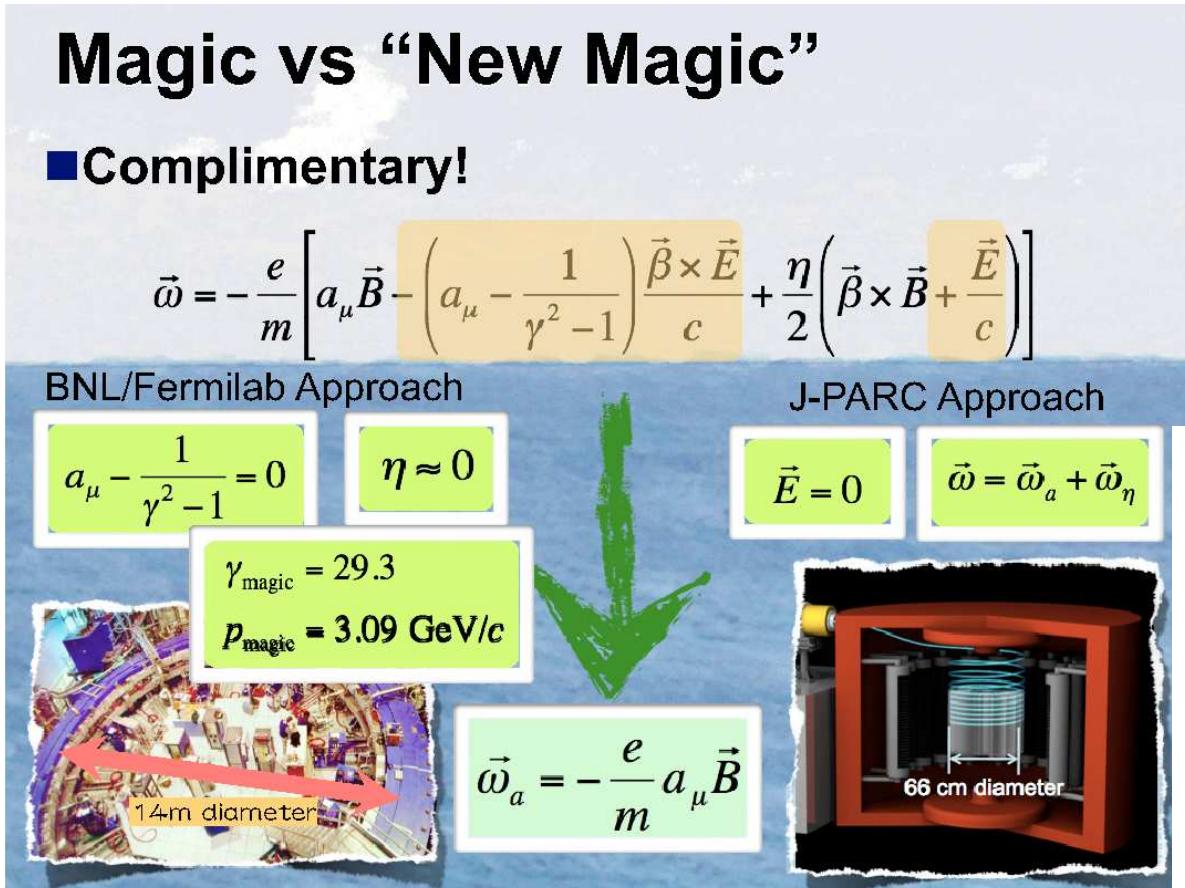


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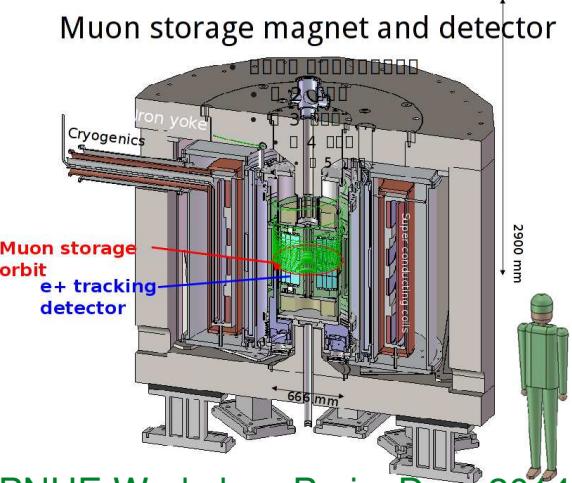


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- completely different set-up (uses slow muons)
- never been tested before
- data taking might start in 2025, accuracy goal 0.45ppm

- 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. Forgwell, G. Gabrielse, PRL 100, 120801 (2008)

→ accuracy goal: from 0.24ppb to 0.02ppb (vs. 0.14ppm for  $a_\mu$ )

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)

**Thanks for your attention!**