

Some basics on muon $g-2$

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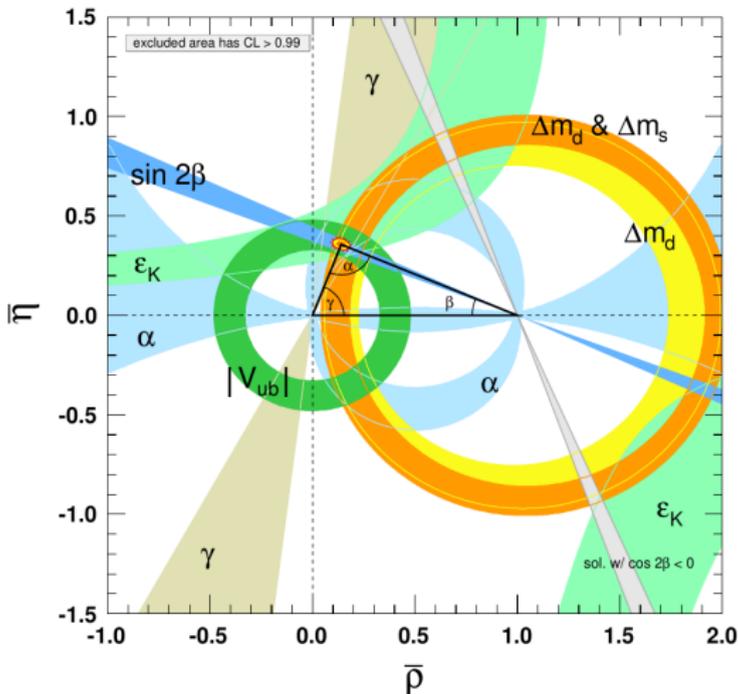
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Current status of the Standard Model (SM)

Unitarity of CKM matrix



$$\bar{\rho} \equiv -\text{Re} \left[(V_{ud}V_{ub}^*) / (V_{cd}V_{cb}^*) \right]$$

$$\bar{\eta} \equiv -\text{Im} \left[(V_{ud}V_{ub}^*) / (V_{cd}V_{cb}^*) \right]$$

Fig. from Particle Data Book, 2020

Data on CP violation support the SM, too.

Electroweak precision data vs SM

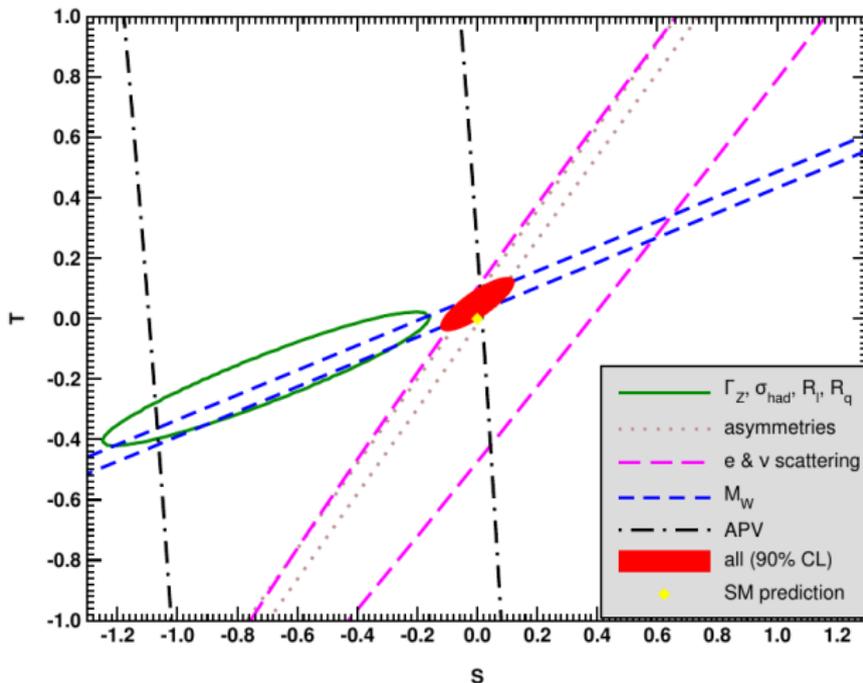


Fig. from Particle Data Book, 2020

Precision measurements at $\sim M_Z$ agree very well with the SM prediction.

Although the SM is such a successful theory, nobody believes that it is the ultimate theory.

Because...

What the SM cannot explain

- Why 3 generations? Why $SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$?
- Many (19) free parameters

gauge couplings	g', g, g_s
vacuum expectation value (VEV)	v
Higgs boson mass	m_H
lepton masses	m_e, m_μ, m_τ
quark masses	$m_u, m_d, m_s, m_c, m_b, m_t$
quark mixing angles	ϕ_1, ϕ_2, ϕ_3
CKM phase	δ
(QCD θ -angle)	$\bar{\theta}$

- Neutrino masses & mixing matrix
- Why $\bar{\theta} \lesssim 2 \times 10^{-10}$? (strong CP problem)
- Why $m_{\text{weak}} \ll m_{\text{GUT}}$? (gauge hierarchy problem)
- Dark matter & dark energy
- Origin of the baryon number
- Gravity
- \vdots

To solve these problems, new physics beyond the SM should exist.

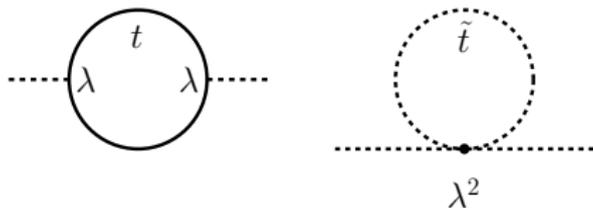
It might exist at the TeV scale, because....

Hierarchy Problem in the Standard Model



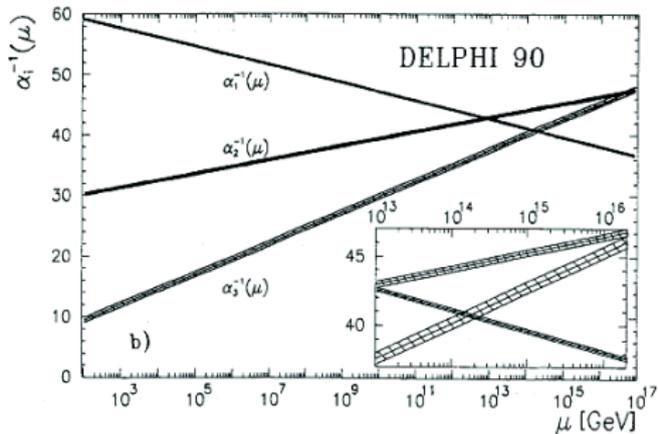
Radiative corrections to m_H^2 diverges as $\sim \Lambda^2$. \Leftrightarrow
Physical Higgs mass $\sim m_{\text{weak}}^2$. (**Fine-tuning necessary** if $\Lambda \gg m_{\text{weak}}$)

In **SUSY Standard Models** this is automatically solved since **(softly broken) SUSY** ensures the cancellation of the quad. divergences. For example,

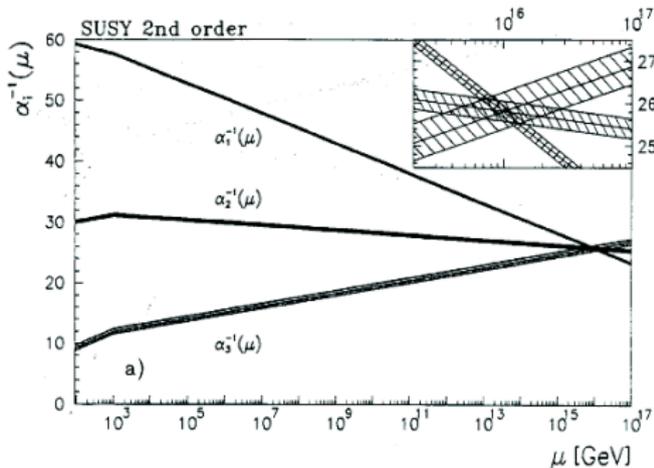


Gauge coupling unification:

SM case



MSSM case



Amaldi-de Boer-Fürstenau '91

SUSY particles change the 'running' of the gauge couplings above m_{SUSY} . Gauge unification also explains why the electric charges are quantized.

Muon g-2: Hint of new physics?

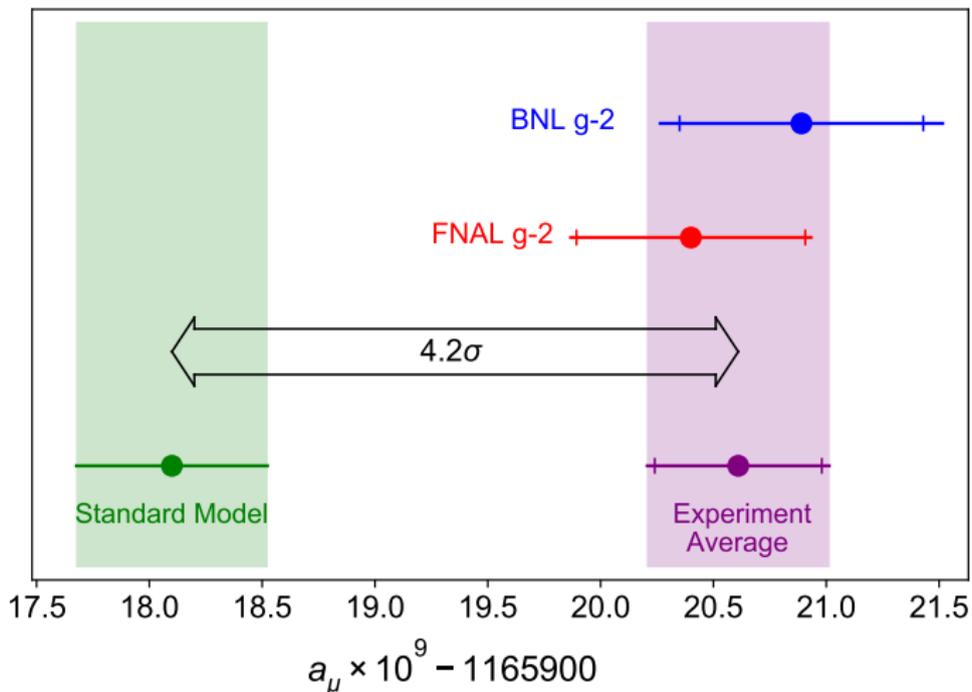


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4.2 σ discrepancy in $(g-2)_\mu$: new physics?

Many physicists thought that the LHC would discover new particles beyond the SM, once it started operation.

But the reality is ...

Model	Signature	$\int \mathcal{L} dt$ [fb $^{-1}$]	Mass limit	Reference		
Inclusive Searches	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow g\tilde{g}^0$	0 ν, μ mono-jet	E_{T}^{miss} 139 E_{T}^{miss} 36.1	\tilde{g} [19] [16 Dequen] \tilde{g} [16 Dequen]	$m(\tilde{g}) > 400$ GeV $m(\tilde{g}) - m(\tilde{t}_1) > 9$ GeV	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow g\tilde{g}^0$	0 ν, μ	2-6 jets E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{g}	$m(\tilde{g}) > 400$ GeV $m(\tilde{g}) > 1000$ GeV	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow g\tilde{g}WZ^0$	1 ν, μ	2-6 jets E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{g}	$m(\tilde{g}) > 600$ GeV	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow g\tilde{g}(f\bar{f})^0$	ν, μ, τ	2 jets E_{T}^{miss} 36.1	\tilde{g}	$m(\tilde{g}) - m(\tilde{t}_1) > 50$ GeV	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow g\tilde{g}WZ^0$	0 ν, μ	7-11 jets E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{g}	$m(\tilde{g}) > 600$ GeV	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow g\tilde{g}WZ^0$	SS ν, μ	6 jets E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{g}	$m(\tilde{g}) - m(\tilde{t}_1) > 200$ GeV	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow g\tilde{g}^0$	0-1 ν, μ SS ν, μ	3 jets E_{T}^{miss} 79.8 6 jets E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{g}	$m(\tilde{g}) > 200$ GeV $m(\tilde{g}) - m(\tilde{t}_1) > 300$ GeV	
	1 $^{\text{st}}$ gen. squarks decolor production	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$	0 ν, μ	2 b E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{t}_1	$m(\tilde{t}_1) > 400$ GeV 2101.12527
		$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1 - \tilde{b}b^0 \rightarrow \tilde{b}\tilde{b}^0$	0 ν, μ	6 b E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{t}_1	10 GeV $< m(\tilde{t}_1) - m(\tilde{b}_1) < 20$ GeV 2101.12527
		$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1 - \tilde{c}c^0$	2 τ	2 b E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{t}_1	1006.0322
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1 - \tilde{W}W^0$		0-1 ν, μ	≥ 1 jet E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{t}_1	$m(\tilde{t}_1) > 1$ GeV 2004.14060, 2012.03799	
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1 - \tilde{W}W^0$		1 ν, μ	3 jets+1 b E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{t}_1	$m(\tilde{t}_1) > 500$ GeV 2012.03799	
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1 - \tilde{t}_1\tilde{b}, \tilde{t}_1 - \tilde{c}c^0$		1-2 τ	2 jets+1 b E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{t}_1	$m(\tilde{t}_1) > 800$ GeV ATLAS-CO NF-2021-008	
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1 - \tilde{c}c^0$		2 ν, μ	2 c E_{T}^{miss} 36.1	\tilde{t}_1	$m(\tilde{t}_1) > 0$ GeV 1805.01649	
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1 - \tilde{c}c^0 / \tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1 - \tilde{c}c^0$		0 ν, μ	mono-jet E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{t}_1	$m(\tilde{t}_1) - m(\tilde{t}_1^0) > 5$ GeV 2102.11874	
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1 - \tilde{t}_1\tilde{b}, \tilde{t}_1^0 - Z\tilde{b}^0$		1-2 ν, μ	1-4 b E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{t}_1	$m(\tilde{t}_1) > 500$ GeV 2006.05880	
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1 - \tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1^0 - Z\tilde{b}^0$		3 ν, μ	1 b E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{t}_1	$m(\tilde{t}_1) > 300$ GeV, $m(\tilde{t}_1) - m(\tilde{t}_1^0) > 40$ GeV 2006.05880	
EW direct	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$ via WZ	Multiple l /jets ν, μ, τ	≥ 1 jet E_{T}^{miss} 139	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$	0.96	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$ via WW	2 ν, μ	E_{T}^{miss} 139	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$	0.205	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$ via W \bar{t}	Multiple l /jets	E_{T}^{miss} 139	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$	Forbidden	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$ via Z_L/\bar{t}	2 ν, μ	E_{T}^{miss} 139	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$	1.06	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$ via Z_L/\bar{t}	2 ν, μ	E_{T}^{miss} 139	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$	1.0	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$ via Z_L/\bar{t}	2 τ	E_{T}^{miss} 139	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$	0.16-0.3	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$ via Z_L/\bar{t}	2 ν, μ	0 jets E_{T}^{miss} 139	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$	0.7	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$ via Z_L/\bar{t}	ν, μ, τ	≥ 1 jet E_{T}^{miss} 139	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$	0.256	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$ via Z_L/\bar{t}	0 ν, μ	≥ 3 b E_{T}^{miss} 139	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$	0.13-0.23	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$ via Z_L/\bar{t}	4 ν, μ	0 jets E_{T}^{miss} 139	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$	0.55	
$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$ via Z_L/\bar{t}	0 ν, μ	≥ 2 large jets E_{T}^{miss} 139	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$	0.29-0.88 0.45-0.93		
Long-lived particles	Direct $\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0$ prod., long-lived \tilde{t}_1^+	Disapp. trk	1 jet E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{t}_1^+	0.66	
	Stable \tilde{t}_1 R-hadron	Multiple	36.1	\tilde{t}_1	2.0	
	Metastable \tilde{t}_1 R-hadron, $\tilde{t}_1 - g\tilde{t}_1^0$	Multiple	36.1	\tilde{t}_1	2.05, 2.4	
RPV	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1^+ \tilde{t}_1^0$	3 ν, μ	139	\tilde{t}_1^+	0.625	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1^+ \tilde{t}_1^0$	4 ν, μ	0 jets E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{t}_1^+	0.95	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1^+ \tilde{t}_1^0$	4-5 large jets	36.1	\tilde{t}_1^+	1.3, 1.9	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1^+ \tilde{t}_1^0$	Multiple	36.1	\tilde{t}_1^+	0.95	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1^+ \tilde{t}_1^0$	2 jets + 2 b	36.7	\tilde{t}_1^+	0.42	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1^+ \tilde{t}_1^0$	2 ν, μ	2 b E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{t}_1^+	0.61	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1^+ \tilde{t}_1^0$	1 μ	DV E_{T}^{miss} 136	\tilde{t}_1^+	0.4-1.45	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1^+ \tilde{t}_1^0$	1-2 ν, μ	≥ 6 jets E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{t}_1^+	1.6	
	$\tilde{t}_1^+\tilde{t}_1^0 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1^+ \tilde{t}_1^0$	1-2 ν, μ	≥ 6 jets E_{T}^{miss} 139	\tilde{t}_1^+	0.2-0.32	

*Only a selection of the available mass limits on new states or phenomena is shown. Many of the limits are based on simplified models, c.f. refs. for the assumptions made.

10 $^{-1}$ 1 Mass scale [TeV]

Fig. from ATLAS TWiki

No SUSY particles found so far
Current bound from LHC: $m_{SUSY} \gtrsim 1$ TeV

$$\int \mathcal{L} dt = (3.6 - 139) \text{ fb}^{-1}$$

$$\sqrt{s} = 8, 13 \text{ TeV}$$

Model	ℓ, γ	Jets [†]	E_{miss}^T	$ \mathcal{L} dt [\text{fb}^{-1}]$	Limit	Reference
Extra dimensions	ADD $G_{KK} + g/\eta$	$0, e, \mu, \tau, \gamma$	1-4 J	Yes	139	$M_{\text{pl}} = 11.2 \text{ TeV}$ $a = 2$
	ADD non-resonant $\gamma\gamma$	$2, \gamma$	-	-	37.0	8.6 TeV $a = 3 \text{ HLZ NLO}$
	ADD GH	-	2 J	-	37.0	8.9 TeV $a = 6$
	ADD BH multijet	-	$\geq 3 J$	-	3.5	15.12 fb^{-1} $a = 6, M_{\text{pl}} = 3 \text{ TeV}$ var BH
	RS1 $G_{KK} \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	$2, \gamma$	-	-	139	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 4.5 TeV $\frac{M_{\text{pl}}}{\Lambda} = 0.1$
	Bulk RS $G_{KK} \rightarrow WW/ZZ$	multi-channel	-	-	139	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 2.3 TeV $\frac{M_{\text{pl}}}{\Lambda} = 1.0$
	Bulk RS $G_{KK} \rightarrow WW + \nu\nu\bar{\nu}\bar{\nu}$	$1, e, \mu$	2 J / 1 J	Yes	139	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 2.0 TeV $\frac{M_{\text{pl}}}{\Lambda} = 1.0$
	Bulk RS $G_{KK} \rightarrow \tau\tau$	$1, e, \mu$	$\geq 1 b, \geq 2 J$	Yes	36.1	1.7 TeV $\frac{M_{\text{pl}}}{\Lambda} = 1.0$
	2UED / RPP	$1, e, \mu$	$\geq 2 b, \geq 1 J$	Yes	36.1	$KK \text{ mass}$ 1.8 TeV 3.8 TeV $\text{Var} (1, 1), \mathcal{R}(A^{(1,1)} - \pi) = 1$
	Gauge bosons	SSM $Z' \rightarrow \ell\ell$	$2, e, \mu$	-	-	139
SSM $Z' \rightarrow \tau\tau$		$2, \tau$	-	-	36.1	$Z' \text{ mass}$ 2.42 TeV
Leptophobic $Z' \rightarrow b\bar{b}$		$2, b$	-	-	36.1	$Z' \text{ mass}$ 2.1 TeV
Leptophobic $Z' \rightarrow t\bar{t}$		$0, e, \mu$	$\geq 1 b, \geq 2 J$	Yes	139	$Z' \text{ mass}$ 4.1 TeV
SSM $W' \rightarrow \ell\nu$		$1, e, \mu$	-	-	139	$W' \text{ mass}$ 6.0 TeV
SSM $W' \rightarrow \tau\nu$		$1, \tau$	-	-	139	$W' \text{ mass}$ 5.0 TeV
SSM $W' \rightarrow b\bar{b}$		$2, b$	-	-	139	$W' \text{ mass}$ 4.4 TeV
HVT $W' \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow \nu\nu\bar{\nu}\bar{\nu}$ model B		$1, e, \mu$	$\geq 1 b, \geq 1 J$	Yes	139	$W' \text{ mass}$ 4.3 TeV
HVT $Z' \rightarrow ZH$ model B		$2, e, \mu$	$1, 2 b$	Yes	139	$Z' \text{ mass}$ 3.2 TeV
LRSM $W'_B \rightarrow \mu\nu$		$2, e, \mu$	$1, J$	-	80	$W'_B \text{ mass}$ 5.0 TeV
CI	CI $\ell\ell\bar{q}q$	-	2 J	-	37.0	21.8 TeV κ_{CI}
	CI $\ell\ell\bar{q}q$	$2, e, \mu$	-	-	139	1.8 TeV
	CI $\ell\nu\bar{b}b$	$2, e, \mu$	$1, b$	-	139	1.8 TeV
	CI $\mu\nu\bar{b}b$	$2, \mu$	$1, b$	-	139	2.57 TeV
DM	Axial-vector med. (Dirac DM)	$0, e, \mu, \tau, \gamma$	1-4 J	Yes	139	m_{DM} 2.1 TeV
	Pseudo-scalar med. (Dirac DM)	$0, e, \mu, \tau, \gamma$	1-4 J	Yes	139	m_{DM} 376 GeV
	Vector med. Z' -ZHDM (Dirac DM)	$0, e, \mu$	$2, b$	Yes	139	m_{DM} 3.1 TeV
	Pseudo-scalar med. ZHDM-a multi-channel	$0, e, \mu$	$1, b, 0-1 J$	Yes	36.1	560 GeV m_{DM} 3.4 TeV
LO	Scalar LQ 1 st gen	$2, e$	$\geq 2 J$	Yes	139	$LQ \text{ mass}$ 1.8 TeV
	Scalar LQ 2 nd gen	$2, \mu$	$\geq 2 J$	Yes	139	$LQ \text{ mass}$ 1.7 TeV
	Scalar LQ 3 rd gen	$1, \tau$	$2, b$	Yes	139	$LQ \text{ mass}$ 1.2 TeV
	Scalar LQ 3 rd gen	$0, e, \mu$	$\geq 2 J, \geq 2 b$	Yes	139	$LQ \text{ mass}$ 1.24 TeV
	Scalar LQ 3 rd gen	$\geq 2, e, \mu, \tau$	$\geq 1 J, \geq 1 b$	Yes	139	$LQ \text{ mass}$ 1.43 TeV
	Scalar LQ 3 rd gen	$0, e, \mu, \tau$	$\geq 1 \tau, 0-2 J, 2 b$	Yes	139	$LQ \text{ mass}$ 1.26 TeV
Heavy quarks	VLO $T \bar{T} \rightarrow Z\gamma + X$	$2e, 2\mu, 2\tau, 3e, \mu, \tau$	$\geq 1 b, \geq 1 J$	-	139	$T \text{ mass}$ 1.4 TeV
	VLO $B\bar{B} \rightarrow W\gamma, Zb + X$	multi-channel	-	-	36.1	$B \text{ mass}$ 1.34 TeV
	VLO $T_{1/3} \bar{T}_{1/3} \rightarrow W\gamma + X$	$2(SS)_{2/3}, 3e, \mu, \tau, 1, b, \geq 1 J$	Yes	36.1	$T_{1/3} \text{ mass}$ 1.64 TeV	
	VLO $T \rightarrow H\gamma, Z\gamma$	$1, e, \mu$	$\geq 1 b, \geq 1 J$	Yes	139	$T \text{ mass}$ 1.8 TeV
	VLO $\nu \rightarrow W\gamma$	$1, e, \mu$	$\geq 1 b, \geq 1 J$	Yes	36.1	$\nu \text{ mass}$ 1.85 TeV
Excited fermions	VLO $B \rightarrow Hb$	$0, e, \mu, \tau$	$\geq 2b, \geq 1 J, \geq 1 J$	-	139	$B \text{ mass}$ 2.0 TeV
	Excited quark $q^* \rightarrow q\bar{q}$	-	2 J	-	139	$q^* \text{ mass}$ 6.7 TeV
	Excited quark $q^* \rightarrow q\gamma$	$1, \gamma$	1 J	-	36.7	$q^* \text{ mass}$ 5.3 TeV
	Excited quark $b^* \rightarrow b\bar{g}$	$3, b$	$1, b, 1 J$	-	36.1	$b^* \text{ mass}$ 2.6 TeV
	Excited lepton ℓ^*	-	-	-	-	2.6 TeV
Other	Excited lepton τ^*	$3, e, \mu, \tau$	-	-	20.3	$\tau^* \text{ mass}$ 1.8 TeV
	Type III Seesaw	$2.3, 4, e, \mu$	$\geq 2 J$	Yes	139	$N^c \text{ mass}$ 910 GeV
	LRSM Majorana	$2, \mu$	2 J	-	36.1	$N_u \text{ mass}$ 3.2 TeV
	Higgs triplet $H^{++} \rightarrow WW^{++}$	$2.3, 4, e, \mu$ (SS)	various	Yes	139	$H^{\pm\pm} \text{ mass}$ 390 GeV
	Higgs triplet $H^{++} \rightarrow \ell\ell$	$2.3, 4, e, \mu$ (SS)	various	Yes	36.1	$H^{\pm\pm} \text{ mass}$ 870 GeV
Multi-charged particles	Higgs triplet $H^{++} \rightarrow \ell\ell$	$3, e, \mu, \tau$	-	-	20.3	$H^{\pm\pm} \text{ mass}$ 400 GeV
	Multi-charged particles	-	-	-	36.1	multi-charged particle mass 1.22 TeV
	Magnetic monopoles	-	-	-	34.4	multipole mass 2.37 TeV

*Only a selection of the available mass limits on new states or phenomena is shown.

† Small-radius (large-radius) jets are denoted by the letter J (J).

Fig. from ATLAS TWiki

Situation is similar for non-SUSY new particles
 Current bound from LHC: $m_{\text{exotics}} \gtrsim 1 \text{ TeV}$

But the LHC is not almighty.

- Not suitable for very precise measurements due to various uncertainties (pdf, BG, ...)
- Limitation on \sqrt{s} accessible in the near future.

⇒ Important to combine with other methods

- e^+e^- colliders, various precision measurements (flavor physics, EDM searches, $(g-2)_{e,\mu}$, $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay searches...), dark matter searches, cosmology, ...

⇒ **Precision physics**, in particular **the muon $g-2$** , is a good complement to the LHC.

Why Muon $g-2$?

- **4.2 σ Anomaly Reported**

Long standing anomaly (~ 20 yrs), in spite of careful studies on every aspect.

(\rightarrow Major theoretical blunder unlikely.)

Hint of New Physics beyond the Standard Model?

- No new physics at the LHC so far
Intensity frontier: more and more important
- Long history of research
1st $(g - 2)_\mu$ exp.: Garwin, Lederman & Weinrich (1957)
Well-established place to search for new physics
- Leptonic observable
Experimentally and theoretically clean

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First results from Fermilab's Muon g-2 experiment strengthen evidence of new physics

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The long-awaited [first results](#) from the Muon g-2 experiment at the U.S. Department of Energy's Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory show fundamental particles called muons behaving in a way that is not predicted by scientists' best theory, the Standard Model of particle physics. This [landmark result](#), made with unprecedented precision, confirms a discrepancy that has been gnawing at researchers for decades.

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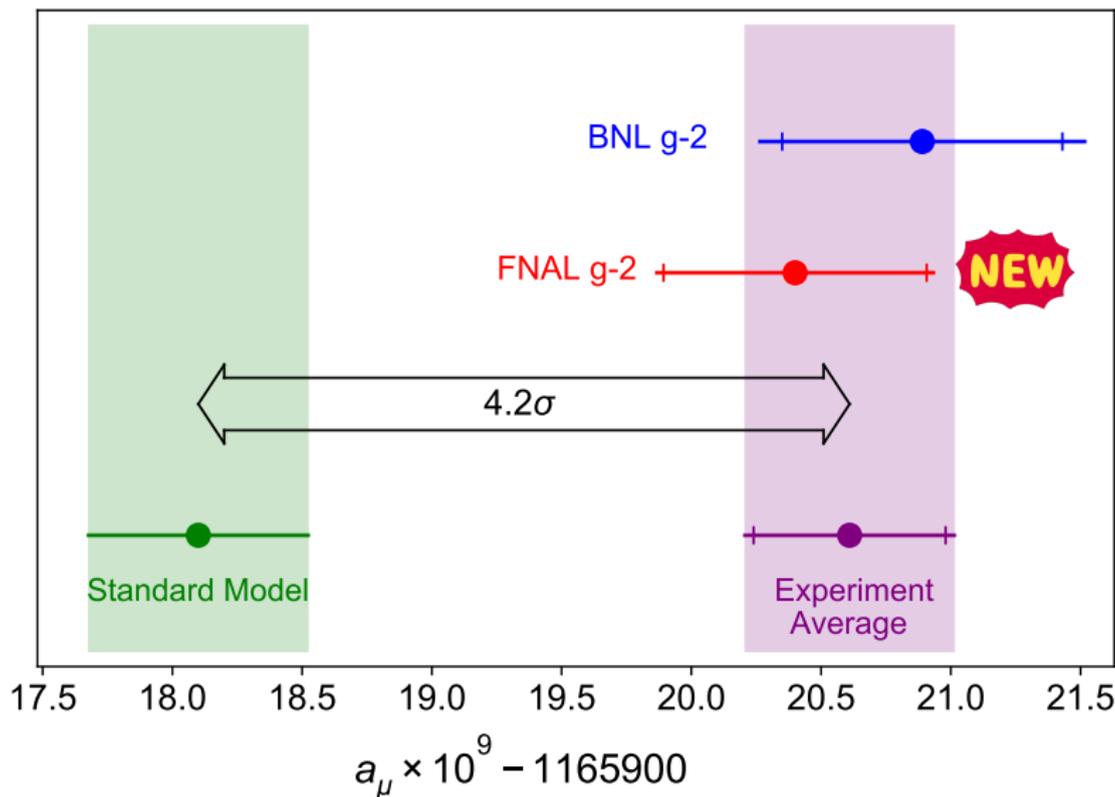


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Science

Muons: 'Strong' evidence found for a new force of nature

By Pallab Ghosh
Science correspondent

Magnetic Moment: Definition

Suppose that there is a point particle f at rest in an external magnetic field \vec{B} . If the interaction Hamiltonian H_{mdm} between f and \vec{B} is given by

$$H_{\text{mdm}} = -\vec{\mu} \cdot \vec{B},$$

then $\vec{\mu}$ is called the **magnetic dipole moment** of f .

- If f has a non-zero spin \vec{s} , then $\vec{\mu} \propto \vec{s}$

- H_{mdm} is P-even and T-even

- Its cousins:

EDM \vec{d} : $H_{\text{EDM}} = -\vec{d} \cdot \vec{E}$ (P-odd, T-odd)

(EDM: electric dipole moment)

anapole \vec{a} : $H_{\text{ana}} = -\vec{a} \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{B})$ (P-odd, T-even)

Muon g-2: introduction

Lepton magnetic moment $\vec{\mu}$: $\vec{\mu} = g \frac{e}{2m} \vec{s}$ \vec{s} : spin

Anomalous magnetic moment a : $a \equiv (g - 2)/2$

Historically,

- $g = 2$ at tree level (Dirac, 1928)
- $a = \alpha/(2\pi)$ at 1-loop (QED) (Schwinger, 1947)

Today, still important since...

- One of the **most precisely measured** quantities:

$$a_{\mu}(\text{exp}) = 11\,659\,206.1(4.1) \times 10^{-10} \quad (0.35\text{ppm})$$

(B. Abi et al., 2021)

- **Extremely useful** in probing/constraining new physics beyond the SM

Dipole moments of a spin-1/2 particle

For a spin-1/2 particle f ,

$$\langle f(p') | J_\mu^{\text{em}} | f(p) \rangle = \bar{u}_f(p') \Gamma_\mu u_f(p),$$

$$\Gamma_\mu = F_1(q^2) \gamma_\mu + \frac{i}{2m_f} F_2(q^2) \sigma_{\mu\nu} q^\nu - F_3(q^2) \sigma_{\mu\nu} q^\nu \gamma_5 - F_4(q^2) (\gamma_\mu q^2 - 2m_f q_\mu) \gamma_5$$

There are no other independent form factors of a spin-1/2 particle other than $F_1(q^2), \dots, F_4(q^2)$ (See e.g., Nowakowski, Paschos, & Rodriguez, physics/0402058)

$$F_1(0) = -eQ_f \quad (\text{electric charge})$$

$$F_2(0) = -eQ_f a_f \quad (a_f : \text{anomalous magnetic moment})$$

$$F_3(0) = d_f \quad (\text{EDM})$$

$$F_4(0) = \tilde{a}_f \quad (\text{anapole moment})$$

If f is a Majorana particle, then $F_1(q^2) = F_2(q^2) = F_3(q^2) = 0$.

Breakdown of SM prediction for muon $g-2$

From Table 1 of the White Paper

Contribution	Section	Equation	Value $\times 10^{11}$	References
Experiment (E821)		Eq. (8.13)	116 592 089(63)	Ref. [1]
HVP LO (e^+e^-)	Sec. 2.3.7	Eq. (2.33)	6931(40)	Refs. [2–7]
HVP NLO (e^+e^-)	Sec. 2.3.8	Eq. (2.34)	−98.3(7)	Ref. [7]
HVP NNLO (e^+e^-)	Sec. 2.3.8	Eq. (2.35)	12.4(1)	Ref. [8]
HVP LO (lattice, $udsc$)	Sec. 3.5.1	Eq. (3.49)	7116(184)	Refs. [9–17]
HLbL (phenomenology)	Sec. 4.9.4	Eq. (4.92)	92(19)	Refs. [18–30]
HLbL NLO (phenomenology)	Sec. 4.8	Eq. (4.91)	2(1)	Ref. [31]
HLbL (lattice, uds)	Sec. 5.7	Eq. (5.49)	79(35)	Ref. [32]
HLbL (phenomenology + lattice)	Sec. 8	Eq. (8.10)	90(17)	Refs. [18–30, 32]
QED	Sec. 6.5	Eq. (6.30)	116 584 718.931(104)	Refs. [33, 34]
Electroweak	Sec. 7.4	Eq. (7.16)	153.6(1.0)	Refs. [35, 36]
HVP (e^+e^- , LO + NLO + NNLO)	Sec. 8	Eq. (8.5)	6845(40)	Refs. [2–8]
HLbL (phenomenology + lattice + NLO)	Sec. 8	Eq. (8.11)	92(18)	Refs. [18–32]
Total SM Value	Sec. 8	Eq. (8.12)	116 591 810(43)	Refs. [2–8, 18–24, 31–36]
Difference: $\Delta a_\mu := a_\mu^{\text{exp}} - a_\mu^{\text{SM}}$	Sec. 8	Eq. (8.14)	279(76)	

HVP: Hadronic Vacuum Polarization contribution

HLbL: Hadronic Light-by-Light contribution

$$a_\mu(\text{exp, BNL}) - a_\mu(\text{SM}) = 27.9(7.6) \times 10^{-10} (3.7 \sigma)$$

$$a_\mu(\text{exp, 2021}) - a_\mu(\text{SM}) = 25.1(5.9) \times 10^{-10} (4.2 \sigma)$$



QED contribution (1)

QED contribution:

$$\begin{aligned} a_\mu(\text{QED}) &= \frac{\alpha}{2\pi} + 0.765857425(17) \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^2 + 24.05050996(32) \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^3 \\ &\quad + 130.8796(63) \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^4 + 752.2(1.0) \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^5 + \dots \\ &= 11658471.892(0.003) \times 10^{-10}, \quad (\text{numbers from PDG 2020}) \end{aligned}$$

where the uncertainty is dominated by that of α .

- 5-loop calculation! (Aoyama, Hayakawa, Kinoshita & Nio)
- The 4-loop corrections $\simeq 38 \times 10^{-10} \simeq \mathcal{O}(a_\mu(\text{exp}) - a_\mu(\text{SM}))$.
- The 4-loop contribution now fully cross-checked by another group. Mass-independent part by S. Laporta (Phys.Lett. **B772** (2017) 232), and mass-dependent part by A. Kurz et al (Nucl. Phys. **B879** (2014) 1; Phys. Rev. **D92** (2015) 073019; ibid. **D93** (2016) 053017)
- The 5-loop contribution very small ($\simeq 0.5 \times 10^{-10} \ll a_\mu(\text{exp}) - a_\mu(\text{SM})$)

QED contribution (2)

QED contribution to the **electron** $g - 2$:

$$a_e(\text{QED}) = \frac{\alpha}{2\pi} - (0.32847844400\dots) \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^2 + (1.181234017\dots) \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^3 \\ - 1.91206(84) \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^4 + 7.79(34) \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^5 + \dots$$

(coefficients from CODATA 2014)

QED contributions to the **muon** $g - 2$:

$$a_\mu(\text{QED}) = \frac{\alpha}{2\pi} + 0.765857425(17) \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^2 + 24.05050996(32) \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^3 \\ + 130.8796(63) \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^4 + 752.2(1.0) \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^5 + \dots$$

(coefficients from PDG 2020)

At higher orders, the coefficients of $a_\mu(\text{QED})$ are much larger than those of $a_e(\text{QED})$. This happens because ...

logarithmic enhancement in muon g-2

the logarithmic enhancement $\ln(m_\mu/m_e) \approx 5.3$

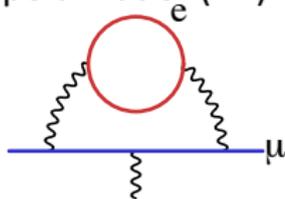
note: It does not exist for the lightest lepton, electron.

Two sources of the logarithm

1. Charge renormalization of the vacuum-polarization(VP) function

2nd-order VP arises

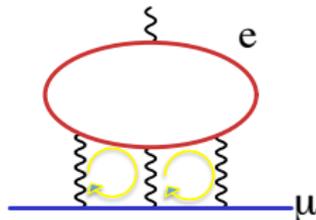
$$\frac{2}{3} \ln(m_\mu/m_e) - \frac{5}{9} \sim 3$$



“Renormalization Group” estimate

2. Light-by-light scattering diagram

$$\frac{2}{3} \pi^2 \ln(m_\mu/m_e) \sim 35$$

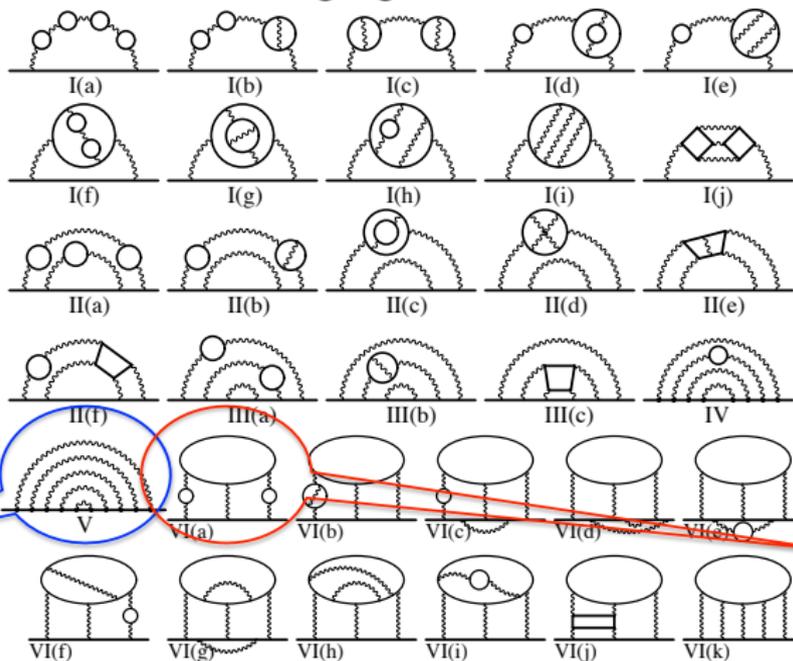


Coulomb photon loops provide the factor π^2

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10th-order contribution

12,672 Feynman vertex diagrams contribute to the 10th order .
 They are classified into 32 gauge-invariant subsets over 6 sets.

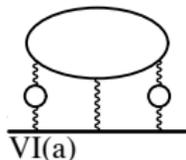


No mass-dependence

LO contribution

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10th-order leading term of $A_2^{(10)}$



The Leading Order(LO) contribution:

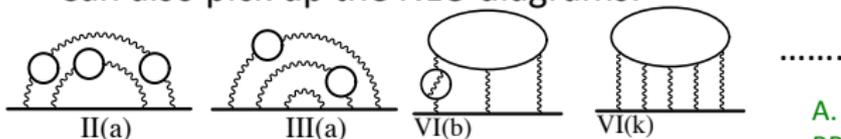
6th-order light-by-light x two 2nd-order vp's

estimate $20 \times 3^2 \times 6 \text{ ways} \sim 1080$

l-by-l 2 vp

Actually, its contribution is $542.760 \pm 0.099 > (\alpha/\pi)^{-1} \sim 430$

Can also pick up the NLO diagrams:



A. L. Kataev,
PRD74(2006)073011

The numerical results are consistent

with the renormalization group estimate

The total of 31 subsets of the mass-dependent 10th-order term

$$A_2^{(10)}(m_\mu/m_e) = 742.18(87)$$

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Summary of 8th and 10th-order QED to muon g-2

$$A_2^{(8)}(m_\mu/m_e) = 132.6852 \quad (60)$$

$$A_2^{(8)}(m_\mu/m_\tau) = 0.042 \ 34 \quad (12)$$

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

$$A_2^{(10)}(m_\mu/m_e) = 742.18 \quad (87)$$

$$A_2^{(10)}(m_\mu/m_\tau) = -0.068 \quad (5)$$

$$A_3^{(10)}(m_\mu/m_e, m_\mu/m_\tau) = 2.011 \quad (10)$$

QED contributions to the muon g-2 is now firmly established.

Rough estimate of the 12th-order contribution:

6th-order light-by-light x three 2nd-order vp x 10 ways

$$\sim 20 \times 3^3 \times 10 (\alpha/\pi)^6 \sim 5,000 (\alpha/\pi)^6 \sim 0.08 \times 10^{-11}$$

Recall the aimed goal of the on-going experiments $\sim 12 \times 10^{-11}$

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Electroweak Contribution

Electroweak (EW) contribution:

$$a_\mu(\text{EW}) = \underbrace{19.48 \times 10^{-10}}_{\text{1-loop}} + \underbrace{(-4.12(10) \times 10^{-10})}_{\text{2-loop}} + \underbrace{\mathcal{O}(10^{-12})}_{\text{3-loop leading log}}$$
$$= 15.36(10) \times 10^{-10}, \quad (\text{Number taken from PDG 2020})$$

where the uncertainty mainly comes from quark loops.

- 1-loop result published by many groups (Bardeen-Gastmans-Lautrup, Altarelli-Cabibbo-Maiani, Jackiw-Weinberg, Bars-Yoshimura, Fujikawa-Lee-Sanda) in 1972, and now a textbook exercise (Peskin & Schroeder's textbook, Problems 6.3 (Higgs) and 21.1 (W, Z))
- 2-loop contribution (~ 1700 diagrams in the 't Hooft-Feynman gauge) enhanced by $\ln(m_Z/m_\mu)$ and also by a factor of $\mathcal{O}(10)$,

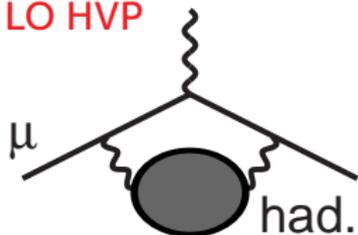
$$a_\mu(\text{EW}, \text{2-loop}) \simeq -10 \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi} \right) a_\mu(\text{EW}, \text{1-loop}) \left(\ln \frac{m_Z}{m_\mu} + 1 \right),$$

where the factor of 10 appears since many "order one" diagrams accidentally add up. (Czarnecki-Krause-Marciano)

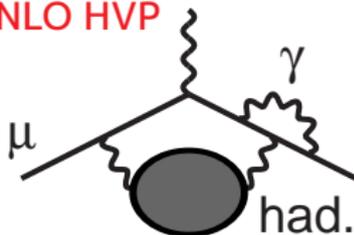
Hadronic Contributions

There are several hadronic contributions:

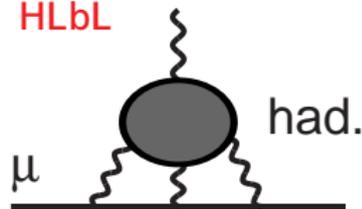
LO HVP



NLO HVP



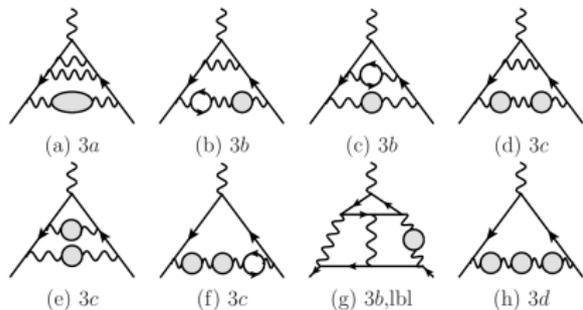
HLbL



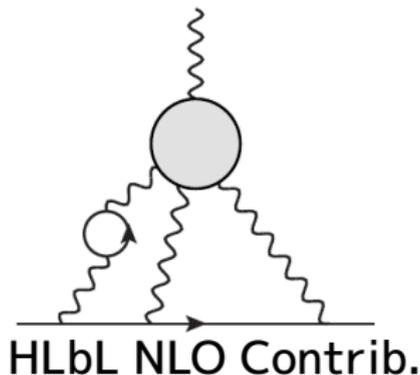
LO HVP: Leading Order Hadronic Vacuum Polarization Contribution

NLO HVP: Next-to-Leading Order HVP Contribution

HLbL: Hadronic Light-by-Light Scattering Contribution



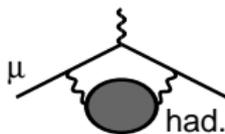
NNLO HVP Contributions



HLbL NLO Contrib.

LO Hadronic Vacuum Polarization Contribution

The diagram to be evaluated:

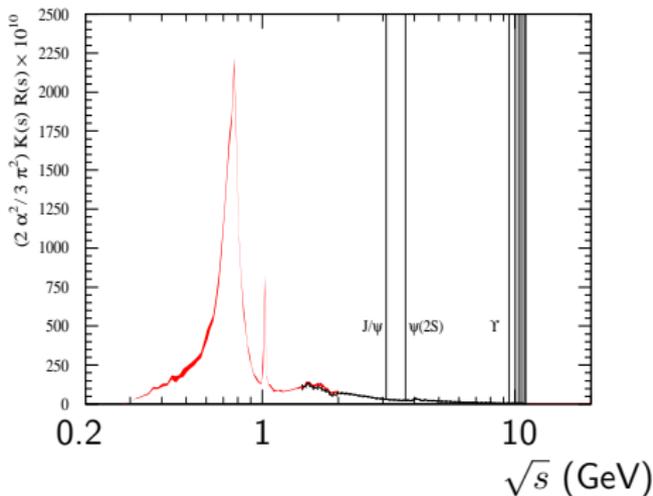


pQCD not useful. Use the **dispersion relation** and the **optical theorem**.

$$\text{had.} = \int \frac{ds}{\pi(s-q^2)} \text{Im} \text{had.}$$

$$2 \text{Im} \text{had.} = \sum_{\text{had.}} \int d\Phi \left| \text{had.} \right|^2$$

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{had,LO}} = \frac{m_{\mu}^2}{12\pi^3} \int_{s_{\text{th}}}^{\infty} ds \frac{1}{s} \hat{K}(s) \sigma_{\text{had}}(s)$$



- Weight function $\hat{K}(s)/s = \mathcal{O}(1)/s$
 \implies **Lower** energies **more important**
 $\implies \pi^+\pi^-$ channel: 73% of total $a_{\mu}^{\text{had,LO}}$

Channel	Energy range [GeV]	$a_{\mu}^{\text{had,LQVP}} \times 10^{10}$	$\Delta a_{\mu}^{\text{had}}(M_Z^2) \times 10^4$	New data
Chiral perturbation theory (ChPT) threshold contributions				
$\pi^0\gamma$	$m_{\pi} \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 0.600$	0.12 ± 0.01	0.00 ± 0.00	...
$\pi^+ \pi^-$	$2m_{\pi} \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 0.305$	0.87 ± 0.02	0.01 ± 0.00	...
$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	$3m_{\pi} \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 0.660$	0.01 ± 0.00	0.00 ± 0.00	...
$\eta\gamma$	$m_{\eta} \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 0.660$	0.00 ± 0.00	0.00 ± 0.00	...
Data based channels ($\sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$ GeV)				
$\pi^0\gamma$	$0.600 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.350$	4.46 ± 0.10	0.36 ± 0.01	[65]
$\pi^+ \pi^-$	$0.305 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	502.97 ± 1.97	34.26 ± 0.12	[34,35]
$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	$0.660 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	47.79 ± 0.89	4.77 ± 0.08	[36]
$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$	$0.613 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	14.87 ± 0.20	4.02 ± 0.05	[40,42]
$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \pi^0$	$0.850 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	19.39 ± 0.78	5.00 ± 0.20	[44]
$(2\pi^+ 2\pi^- \pi^0)_{\text{non}}$	$1.013 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.99 ± 0.09	0.33 ± 0.03	...
$3\pi^+ 3\pi^-$	$1.313 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.23 ± 0.01	0.09 ± 0.01	[66]
$(2\pi^+ 2\pi^- 2\pi^0)_{\text{non}}$	$1.322 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	1.35 ± 0.17	0.51 ± 0.06	...
$K^+ K^-$	$0.988 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	23.03 ± 0.22	3.37 ± 0.03	[45,46,49]
$K_S^0 K_L^0$	$1.004 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	13.04 ± 0.19	1.77 ± 0.03	[50,51]
$KK\pi$	$1.260 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	2.71 ± 0.12	0.89 ± 0.04	[53,54]
$KK2\pi$	$1.350 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	1.93 ± 0.08	0.75 ± 0.03	[50,53,55]
$\eta\gamma$	$0.660 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.760$	0.70 ± 0.02	0.09 ± 0.00	[67]
$\eta\pi^+ \pi^-$	$1.091 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	1.29 ± 0.06	0.39 ± 0.02	[68,69]
$(\eta\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)_{\text{non}}$	$1.333 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.60 ± 0.15	0.21 ± 0.05	[70]
$\eta 2\pi^+ 2\pi^-$	$1.338 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.08 ± 0.01	0.03 ± 0.00	...
$\eta\omega$	$1.333 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.31 ± 0.03	0.10 ± 0.01	[70,71]
$\omega(\rightarrow \pi^0\gamma)\pi^0$	$0.920 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.88 ± 0.02	0.19 ± 0.00	[72,73]
$\eta\phi$	$1.569 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.42 ± 0.03	0.15 ± 0.01	...
$\phi \rightarrow$ unaccounted	$0.988 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.029$	0.04 ± 0.04	0.01 ± 0.01	...
$\eta\omega\pi^0$	$1.550 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.35 ± 0.09	0.14 ± 0.04	[74]
$\eta(\rightarrow \text{npp})K\bar{K}_{\text{non}\phi \rightarrow K\bar{K}}$	$1.569 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.01 ± 0.02	0.00 ± 0.01	[53,75]
$p\bar{p}$	$1.890 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.03 ± 0.00	0.01 ± 0.00	[76]
$n\bar{n}$	$1.912 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.03 ± 0.01	0.01 ± 0.00	[77]
Estimated contributions ($\sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$ GeV)				
$(\pi^+ \pi^- 3\pi^0)_{\text{non}}$	$1.013 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.50 ± 0.04	0.16 ± 0.01	...
$(\pi^+ \pi^- 4\pi^0)_{\text{non}}$	$1.313 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.21 ± 0.21	0.08 ± 0.08	...
$KK3\pi$	$1.569 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.03 ± 0.02	0.02 ± 0.01	...
$\omega(\rightarrow \text{npp})2\pi$	$1.285 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.10 ± 0.02	0.03 ± 0.01	...
$\omega(\rightarrow \text{npp})3\pi$	$1.322 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.17 ± 0.03	0.06 ± 0.01	...
$\omega(\rightarrow \text{npp})K\bar{K}$	$1.569 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.00 ± 0.00	0.00 ± 0.00	...
$\eta\pi^+ \pi^- 2\pi^0$	$1.338 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 1.937$	0.08 ± 0.04	0.03 ± 0.02	...
Other contributions ($\sqrt{s} > 1.937$ GeV)				
Inclusive channel	$1.937 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq 11.199$	43.67 ± 0.67	82.82 ± 1.05	[56,62,63]
J/ψ	...	6.26 ± 0.19	7.07 ± 0.22	...
ψ'	...	1.58 ± 0.04	2.51 ± 0.06	...
$\Upsilon(1S - 4S)$...	0.09 ± 0.00	1.06 ± 0.02	...
pQCD	$11.199 \leq \sqrt{s} \leq \infty$	2.07 ± 0.00	124.79 ± 0.10	...
Total	$m_{\pi} \leq \sqrt{s} \leq \infty$	693.26 ± 2.46	276.11 ± 1.11	...

Breakdown of contributions to a_{μ} (HVP) from various hadronic final states

KNT have included new data sets from ~ 30 papers, in addition to those included in the HLMNT11 analysis

KNT have included ~ 30 hadronic final states

At $2 \lesssim \sqrt{s} \lesssim 11$ GeV, we use inclusively measured data

At higher energies $\gtrsim 11$ GeV, we use pQCD

Table from A. Keshavarzi, DN, & T. Teubner (KNT), Phys. Rev. D97 (2018) 114025

Vacuum Polarization Corrections to $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons})$

Optical Theorem:

$$\text{Im} \left| \begin{array}{c} \gamma \\ \text{had} \\ \gamma \end{array} \right| \Leftrightarrow \left| \begin{array}{c} \gamma \\ \text{had} \\ \gamma \end{array} \right|^2$$

$\text{Im} \Pi_{\text{had}}(q^2) \qquad \sim \sigma_{\text{had}}(q^2)$

Experimentally observed cross section:

$$\begin{array}{c} e^+ \\ \nearrow \\ \gamma \\ \nwarrow \\ e^- \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{VP} \\ \text{had} \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{c} e^+ \\ \nearrow \\ \gamma \\ \nwarrow \\ e^- \end{array} \text{had}$$

$\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma^* \rightarrow \text{hadrons}) \qquad \sigma^0(e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma^* \rightarrow \text{hadrons})$

To evaluate $a_\mu^{\text{LO, had}}$, we need to subtract the vacuum polarization (VP) contribution.

It is straightforward to subtract the leptonic part of the VP, but the **hadronic part is non-trivial**: we need to do this **recursively** by using hadronic data, which introduces uncertainty.

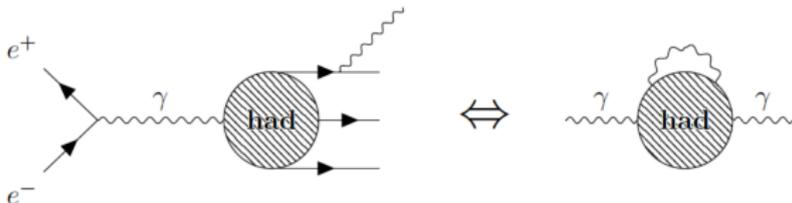
Final State Radiation Corrections to $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons})$

Optical Theorem:

$$\text{Im} \left| \begin{array}{c} \gamma \\ \text{had} \\ \gamma \end{array} \right| \Leftrightarrow \left| \begin{array}{c} \gamma \\ \text{had} \\ \gamma \end{array} \right|^2$$

$\text{Im} \Pi_{\text{had}}(q^2) \qquad \sim \sigma_{\text{had}}(q^2)$

To evaluate $a_{\mu}^{\text{LO, had}}$, by definition, we use the hadronic cross sections which include all the Final State Radiations (FSR).



In real experiments, people often impose cuts on the final state photons and/or miss photons in the final states. So we have to add back those missed photons, which introduces uncertainties.

Data Combination

To evaluate the vacuum polarization contribution, we have to combine lots of experimental data.

To do so, we usually construct a χ^2 function and find the value of $R(s)$ at each bin which minimizes χ^2 .

Naively, the χ^2 function defined as

$$\chi^2(\{\bar{R}_i\}) \equiv \sum_{n=1}^{N_{\text{exp}}} \sum_{i=1}^{N_{\text{bin}}} \sum_{j=1}^{N_{\text{bin}}} (R_i^{(n)} - \bar{R}_i)(V_n^{-1})_{ij}(R_j^{(n)} - \bar{R}_j),$$

where V_n is the cov. matrix of the n -th exp.,

$$V_{n,ij} = \begin{cases} (\delta R_{i,\text{stat}}^{(n)})^2 + (\delta R_{i,\text{sys}}^{(n)})^2 & (\text{for } i = j) \\ (\delta R_{i,\text{sys}}^{(n)})(\delta R_{j,\text{sys}}^{(n)}) & (\text{for } i \neq j) \end{cases}$$

may seem OK, but when there are non-negligible normalization uncertainties in the data, we have to be more careful.

χ^2 vs normalization error: d'Agostini bias

G. D'Agostini, Nucl. Instrum. Meth. A346 (1994) 306

We first consider an observable x whose true value is 1. Suppose that there is an experiment which measures x and whose normalization uncertainty is 10%.

Now, assume that this experiment measured x twice:

$$\text{1st result: } 0.9 \pm 0.1_{\text{stat}} \pm 10\%_{\text{syst}} ,$$

$$\text{2nd result: } 1.1 \pm 0.1_{\text{stat}} \pm 10\%_{\text{syst}} .$$

Taking the systematic errors 0.09 and 0.11, respectively, the covariance matrix and the χ^2 function are

$$(\text{cov.}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0.1^2 + 0.09^2 & 0.09 \cdot 0.11 \\ 0.09 \cdot 0.11 & 0.1^2 + 0.11^2 \end{pmatrix} ,$$

$$\chi^2 = (x - 0.9 \quad x - 1.1) (\text{cov.})^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} x - 0.9 \\ x - 1.1 \end{pmatrix} .$$

χ^2 takes its minimum at $x = 0.98$: **Biased downwards!**

d'Agostini bias (2): improvement by iterations

What was wrong? In the previous page,

$$\text{1st result: } 0.9 \pm 0.1_{\text{stat}} \pm 10\%_{\text{syst}} ,$$

$$\text{2nd result: } 1.1 \pm 0.1_{\text{stat}} \pm 10\%_{\text{syst}} .$$

we took the syst. errors 0.09 and 0.11, respectively, which made the downward bias. Instead, we should take 10% of some estimator \bar{x} as the syst. errors. Then,

$$(\text{cov.}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0.1^2 + (0.1\bar{x})^2 & (0.1\bar{x})^2 \\ (0.1\bar{x})^2 & 0.1^2 + (0.1\bar{x})^2 \end{pmatrix} ,$$

$$\chi^2 = (x - 0.9 \quad x - 1.1) (\text{cov.})^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} x - 0.9 \\ x - 1.1 \end{pmatrix} .$$

χ^2 takes its minimum at $x = 1.00$: **Unbiased!**

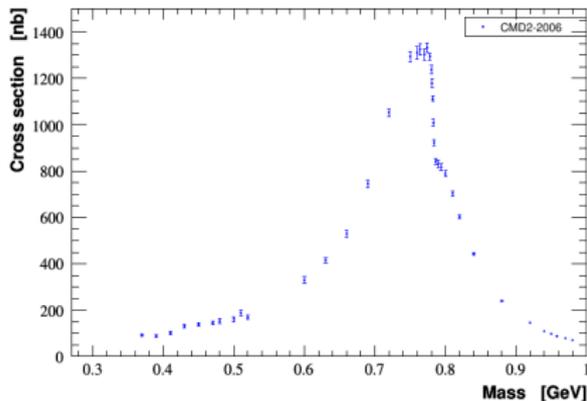
In more general cases, we use **iterations**: we find an estimator for the next round of iteration by

χ^2 -minimization.

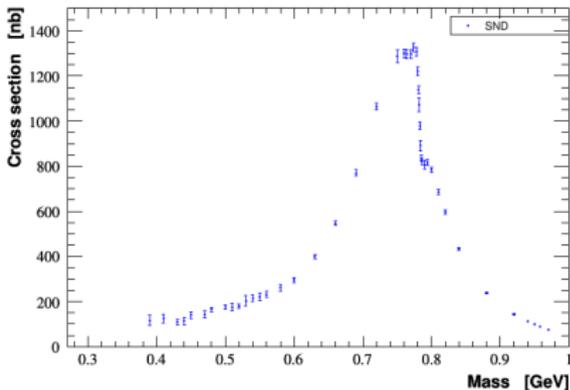
R.D.Ball et al, JHEP 1005 (2010) 075.

$\pi^+\pi^-$ data from CMD-2 and SND

$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$ data



CMD-2 data



SND data

Fig. 2 of White Paper

$\pi^+\pi^-$ data from KLOE

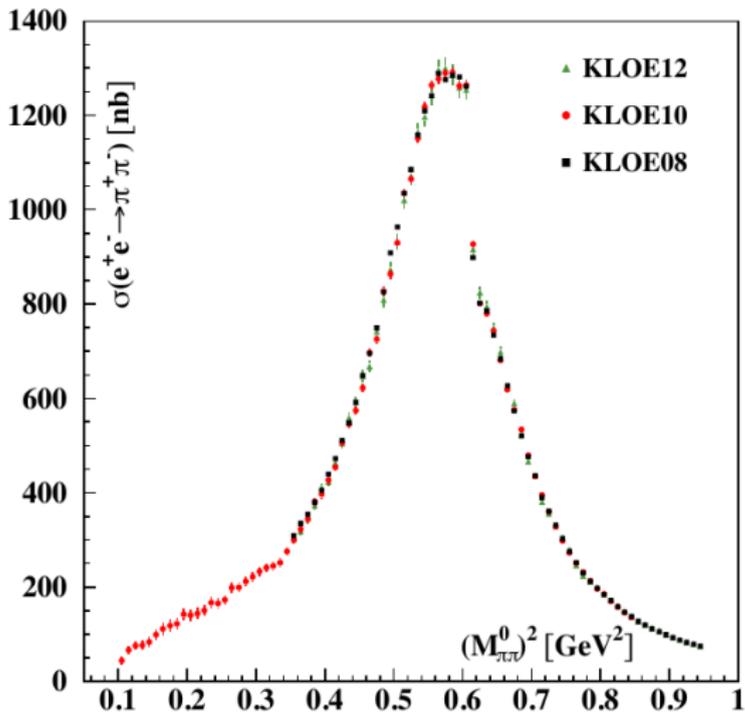


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$\pi^+\pi^-$ data from BaBar

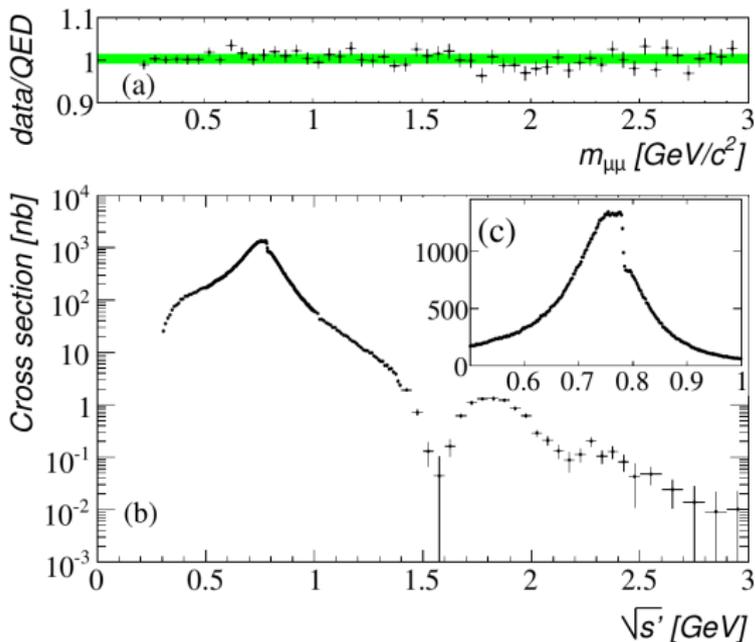
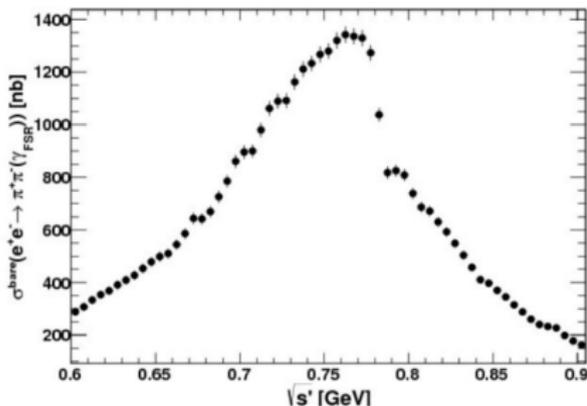
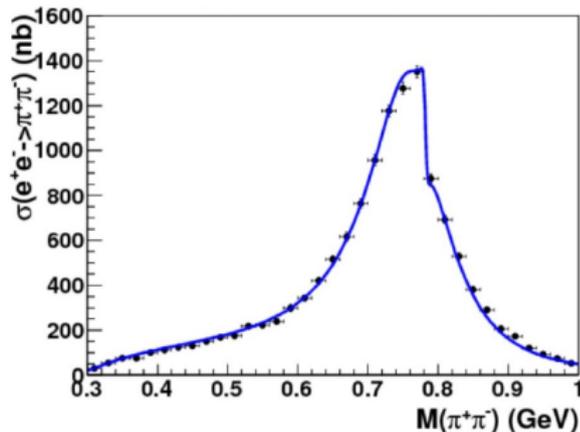


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$\pi^+\pi^-$ data from BESIII and CLEO-c



BESIII data



CLEO-c data

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$\pi^+\pi^-$ data: comparison

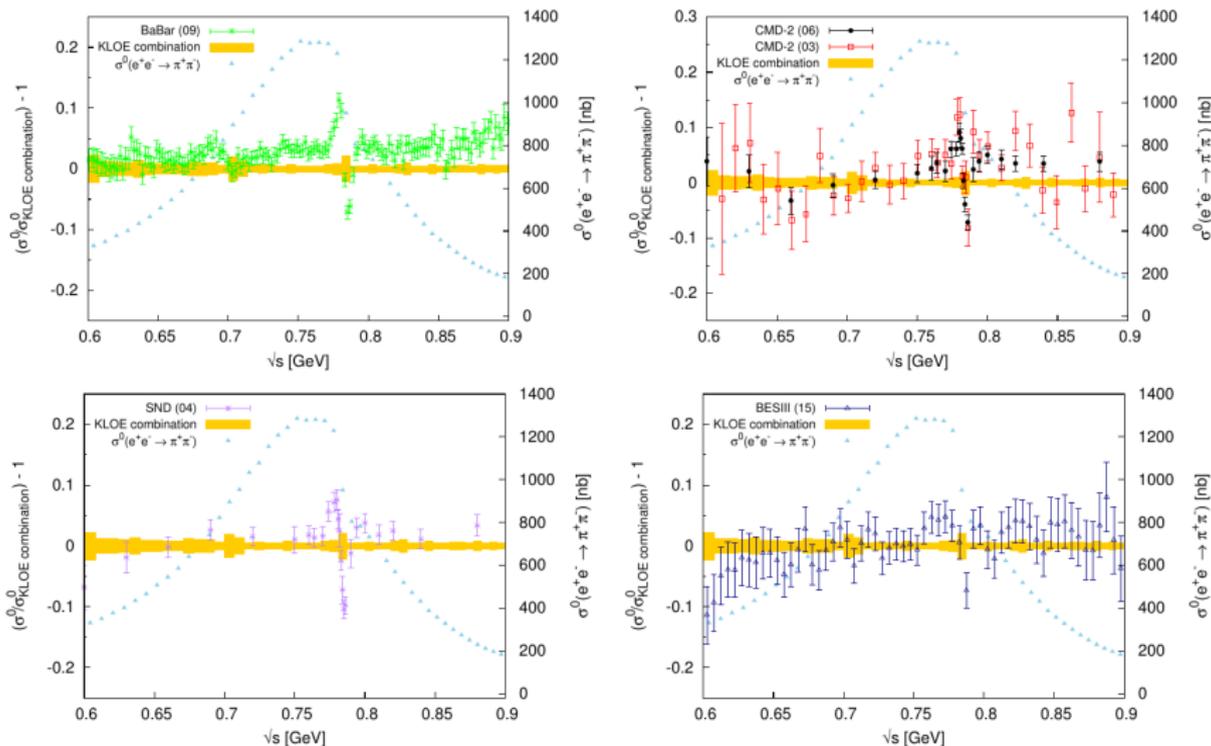


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$\pi^+\pi^-$ data: comparison

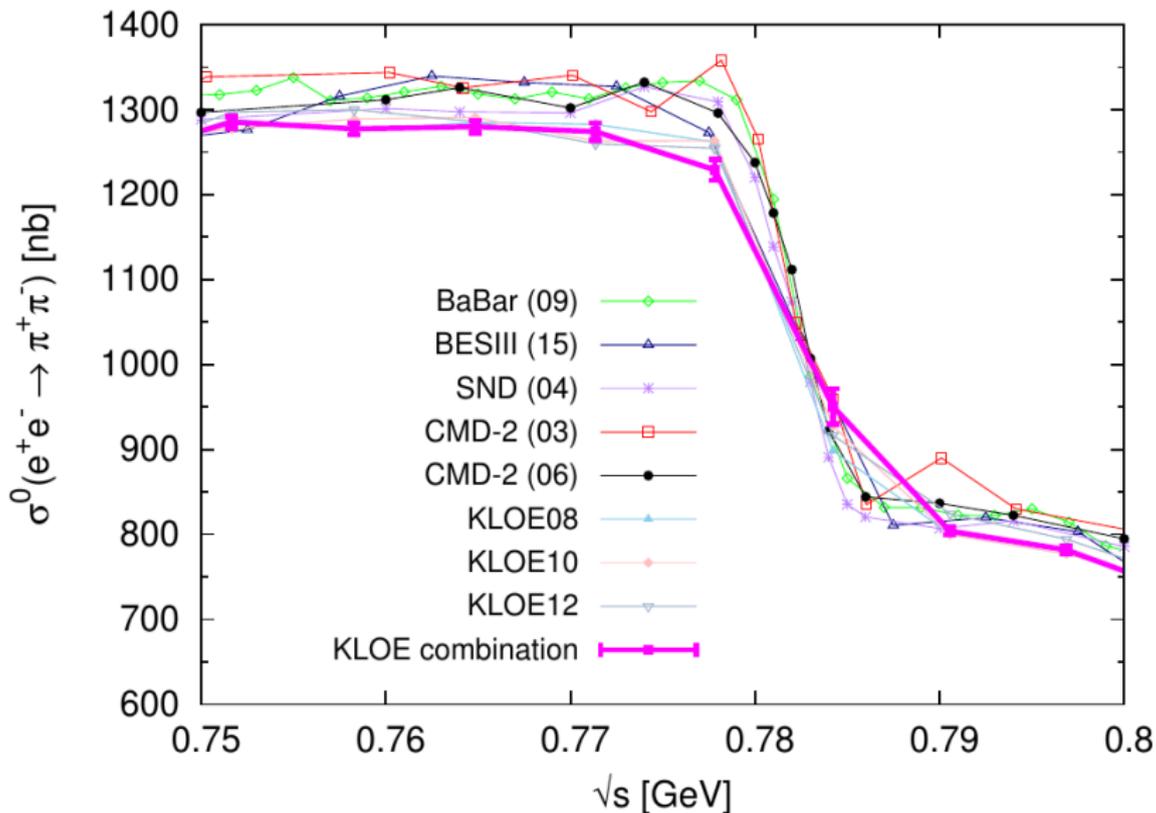


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a_μ from $\pi^+\pi^-$ data: comparison

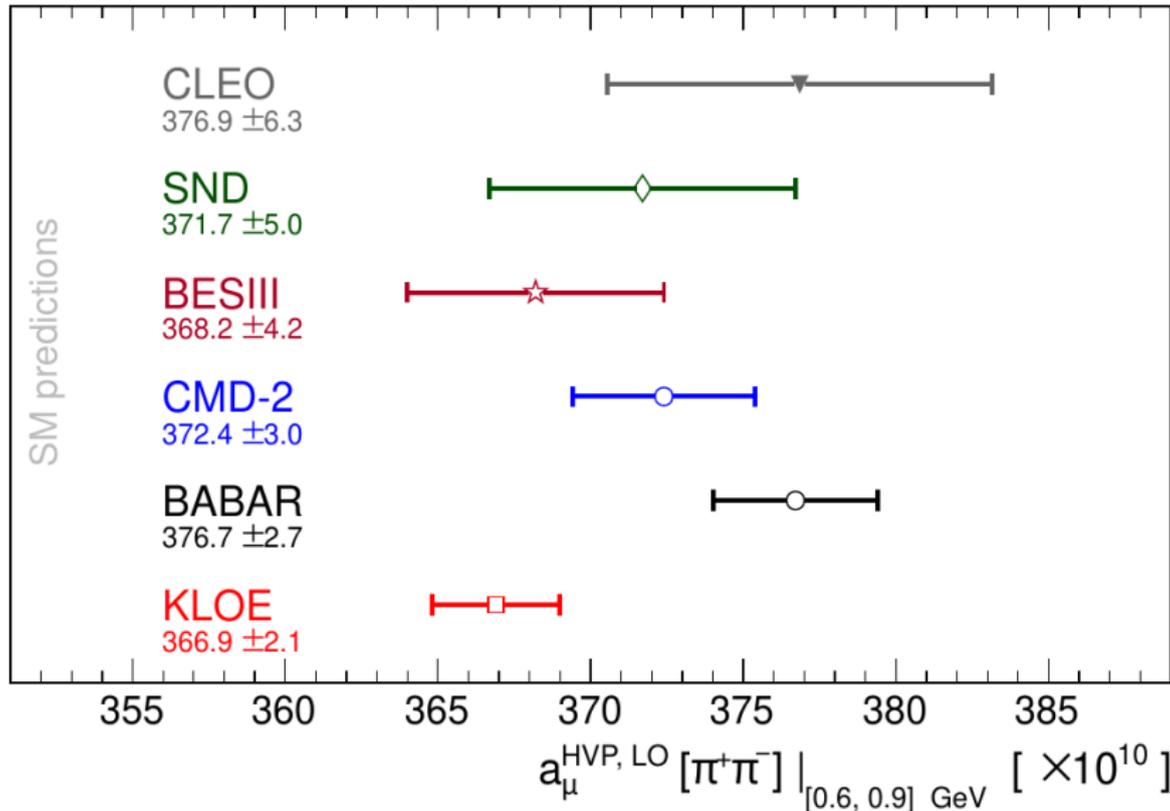


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$\pi^+\pi^-$ channel: ACD vs CHS vs DHMZ vs KNT

$\pi^+\pi^-$ Contribution to a_μ (HVP LO):

Table 6 of White Paper

Energy range	ACD18	CHS18	DHMZ19	DHMZ19'	KNT19
≤ 0.6 GeV		110.1(9)	110.4(4)(5)	110.3(4)	108.7(9)
≤ 0.7 GeV		214.8(1.7)	214.7(0.8)(1.1)	214.8(8)	213.1(1.2)
≤ 0.8 GeV		413.2(2.3)	414.4(1.5)(2.3)	414.2(1.5)	412.0(1.7)
≤ 0.9 GeV		479.8(2.6)	481.9(1.8)(2.9)	481.4(1.8)	478.5(1.8)
≤ 1.0 GeV		495.0(2.6)	497.4(1.8)(3.1)	496.8(1.9)	493.8(1.9)
[0.6, 0.7] GeV		104.7(7)	104.2(5)(5)	104.5(5)	104.4(5)
[0.7, 0.8] GeV		198.3(9)	199.8(0.9)(1.2)	199.3(9)	198.9(7)
[0.8, 0.9] GeV		66.6(4)	67.5(4)(6)	67.2(4)	66.6(3)
[0.9, 1.0] GeV		15.3(1)	15.5(1)(2)	15.5(1)	15.3(1)
≤ 0.63 GeV	132.9(8)	132.8(1.1)	132.9(5)(6)	132.9(5)	131.2(1.0)
[0.6, 0.9] GeV		369.6(1.7)	371.5(1.5)(2.3)	371.0(1.6)	369.8(1.3)
$[\sqrt{0.1}, \sqrt{0.95}]$ GeV		490.7(2.6)	493.1(1.8)(3.1)	492.5(1.9)	489.5(1.9)

ACD18: B. Ananthanarayan et al, PRD 98 (2018) 114015

CHS19: G. Colangelo et al, JHEP 02 (2019) 006

DHMZ19: M. Davier et al, EPJC 80 (2020) 241

KNT19: A. Keshavarzi et al, PRD 101 (2020) 014029

DHMZ vs KNT (table 5 of WP)

Contributions from major channels to a_μ (HVP LO):

	DHMZ19	KNT19	Difference
$\pi^+\pi^-$	507.85(0.83)(3.23)(0.55)	504.23(1.90)	3.62
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	46.21(0.40)(1.10)(0.86)	46.63(94)	-0.42
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$	13.68(0.03)(0.27)(0.14)	13.99(19)	-0.31
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0\pi^0$	18.03(0.06)(0.48)(0.26)	18.15(74)	-0.12
K^+K^-	23.08(0.20)(0.33)(0.21)	23.00(22)	0.08
$K_S K_L$	12.82(0.06)(0.18)(0.15)	13.04(19)	-0.22
$\pi^0\gamma$	4.41(0.06)(0.04)(0.07)	4.58(10)	-0.17
Sum of the above	626.08(0.95)(3.48)(1.47)	623.62(2.27)	2.46
[1.8, 3.7] GeV (without $c\bar{c}$)	33.45(71)	34.45(56)	-1.00
$J/\psi, \psi(2S)$	7.76(12)	7.84(19)	-0.08
[3.7, ∞] GeV	17.15(31)	16.95(19)	0.20
Total $a_\mu^{\text{HVP, LO}}$	694.0(1.0)(3.5)(1.6)(0.1) $_{\psi(0.7)_{\text{DV+QCD}}}$	692.8(2.4)	1.2

Difference in the $\pi^+\pi^-$ channel is mainly from the way to combine the data sets.

KNT19: Global χ^2 minimization

DHMZ19: Takes the average of “all but KLOE” and “all but BaBar” as the mean value, and counts the half of the diff of the two as an additional systematic uncertainty.

Comparison with Lattice Results

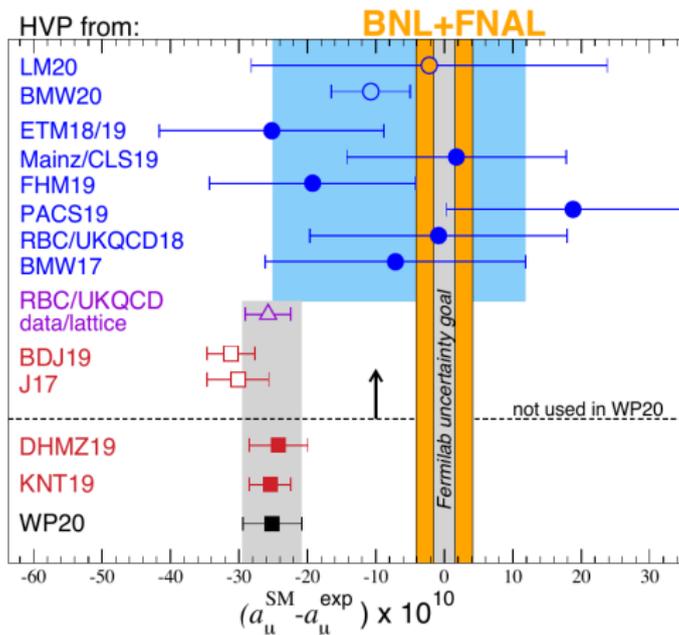
$$a_{\mu}^{\text{SM}} \left\{ a_{\mu}^{\text{HVP}} + [a_{\mu}^{\text{QED}} + a_{\mu}^{\text{Weak}} + a_{\mu}^{\text{HLbL}}] \right\}$$

Lattice QCD + QED

hybrid: combine data & lattice

data driven

+ unitarity/analyticity constraints



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Breakdown of SM prediction for muon $g-2$

From Table 1 of the White Paper

Contribution	Section	Equation	Value $\times 10^{11}$	References
Experiment (E821)		Eq. (8.13)	116 592 089(63)	Ref. [1]
HVP LO (e^+e^-)	Sec. 2.3.7	Eq. (2.33)	6931(40)	Refs. [2–7]
HVP NLO (e^+e^-)	Sec. 2.3.8	Eq. (2.34)	−98.3(7)	Ref. [7]
HVP NNLO (e^+e^-)	Sec. 2.3.8	Eq. (2.35)	12.4(1)	Ref. [8]
HVP LO (lattice, $udsc$)	Sec. 3.5.1	Eq. (3.49)	7116(184)	Refs. [9–17]
HLbL (phenomenology)	Sec. 4.9.4	Eq. (4.92)	92(19)	Refs. [18–30]
HLbL NLO (phenomenology)	Sec. 4.8	Eq. (4.91)	2(1)	Ref. [31]
HLbL (lattice, uds)	Sec. 5.7	Eq. (5.49)	79(35)	Ref. [32]
HLbL (phenomenology + lattice)	Sec. 8	Eq. (8.10)	90(17)	Refs. [18–30, 32]
QED	Sec. 6.5	Eq. (6.30)	116 584 718.931(104)	Refs. [33, 34]
Electroweak	Sec. 7.4	Eq. (7.16)	153.6(1.0)	Refs. [35, 36]
HVP (e^+e^- , LO + NLO + NNLO)	Sec. 8	Eq. (8.5)	6845(40)	Refs. [2–8]
HLbL (phenomenology + lattice + NLO)	Sec. 8	Eq. (8.11)	92(18)	Refs. [18–32]
Total SM Value	Sec. 8	Eq. (8.12)	116 591 810(43)	Refs. [2–8, 18–24, 31–36]
Difference: $\Delta a_\mu := a_\mu^{\text{exp}} - a_\mu^{\text{SM}}$	Sec. 8	Eq. (8.14)	279(76)	

HVP: Hadronic Vacuum Polarization contribution

HLbL: Hadronic Light-by-Light contribution

$$a_\mu(\text{exp, BNL}) - a_\mu(\text{SM}) = 27.9(7.6) \times 10^{-10} (3.7 \sigma)$$

$$a_\mu(\text{exp, 2021}) - a_\mu(\text{SM}) = 25.1(5.9) \times 10^{-10} (4.2 \sigma)$$



The muon $g-2 \iff \Delta a$ connection

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Precision Electroweak Fit

- The electroweak sector of the Standard Model can be parametrized by 3 parameters, $\{g, g', v\}$.
- Instead of $\{g, g', v\}$, we usually choose 3 most precisely measured quantities $\{M_Z, G_F, \alpha(M_Z)\}$ as input, where $\alpha(M_Z)$ is the least accurately known.
- By using $\{M_Z, G_F, \alpha(M_Z)\}$ as input, **we can indirectly predict the Higgs boson mass** by comparing observables (such as $M_W, \text{Br}(Z \rightarrow f\bar{f}), \dots$) with the SM predictions.
- This is possible since the Higgs boson gives a contribution to these observables through radiative corrections.

- Can Δa_μ be due to **missing contributions** in the hadronic $\sigma(s)$?
- An upward shift of $\sigma(s)$ also induces an increase of $\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(M_Z)$.
- Consider:

$$a_\mu^{\text{HLO}} \rightarrow a = \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{s_u} ds f(s) \sigma(s), \quad f(s) = \frac{K(s)}{4\pi^3}, \quad s_u < M_Z^2,$$

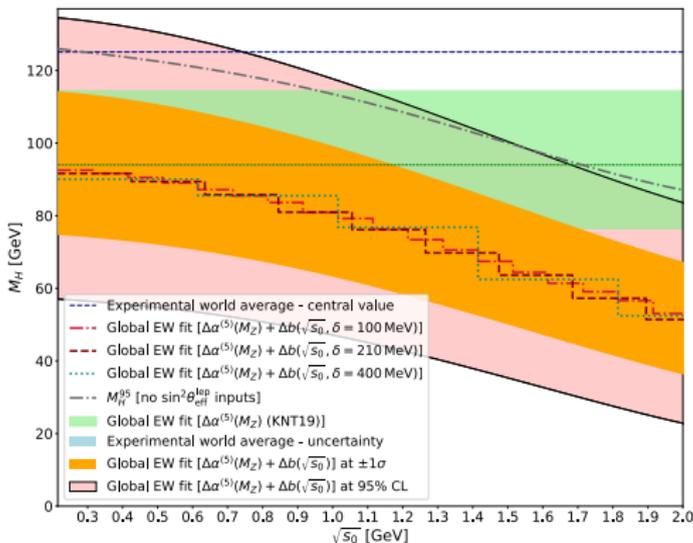
$$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)} \rightarrow b = \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{s_u} ds g(s) \sigma(s), \quad g(s) = \frac{M_Z^2}{(M_Z^2 - s)(4\alpha\pi^2)},$$

and the increase

$$\Delta\sigma(s) = \epsilon\sigma(s)$$

$\epsilon > 0$, in the range:

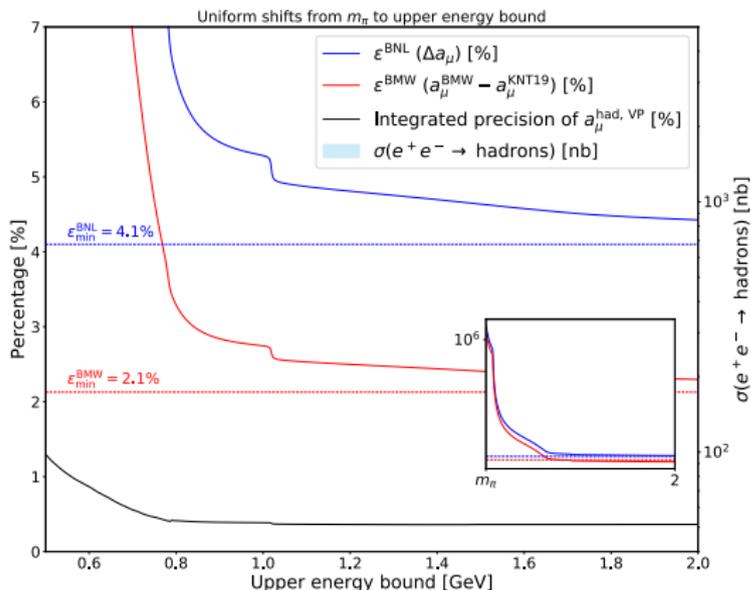
$$\sqrt{s} \in [\sqrt{s_0} - \delta/2, \sqrt{s_0} + \delta/2] \quad \longrightarrow$$



Shifts $\Delta\alpha(s)$ to fix Δa_μ are possible,
 but conflict with the EW fit if they occur above ~ 1 GeV

How large are the required shifts $\Delta\sigma(s)$?

$\Delta\alpha$



Shifts below ~ 1 GeV conflict with the quoted exp. precision of $\sigma(s)$

Keshavarzi, Marciano, MP, Sirlin, PRD 2020 (updated 2021)

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Summary

- SM prediction for $(g - 2)_\mu$: 4.2σ deviation from measured value \implies New Physics?
- Recent data-driven evaluations of HVP contributions seem convergent
- To better establish the $(g - 2)_\mu$ anomaly, better data for $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$ welcome (from BESIII, CMD-3, Belle II, ...)
- In general, lattice results still suffer from large uncertainties, but the BMW collaboration claim a smaller uncertainty and a better agreement with $a_\mu(\text{exp})$.
(Which is correct, data-driven or BMW?)
- The EW precision data seem to favor the data-driven analysis (although I may be biased...)