

The muon $g-2$ recent progress

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Theory of the g-2: the beginning

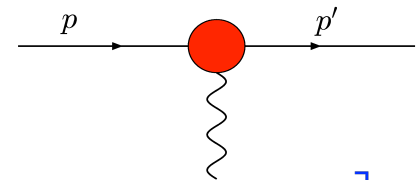
- Kusch and Foley 1948:

$$\mu_e^{\text{exp}} = \frac{e\hbar}{2mc} (1.00119 \pm 0.00005)$$

- Schwinger 1948 (triumph of QED!):

$$\mu_e^{\text{th}} = \frac{e\hbar}{2mc} \left(1 + \frac{\alpha}{2\pi}\right) = \frac{e\hbar}{2mc} \times 1.00116$$

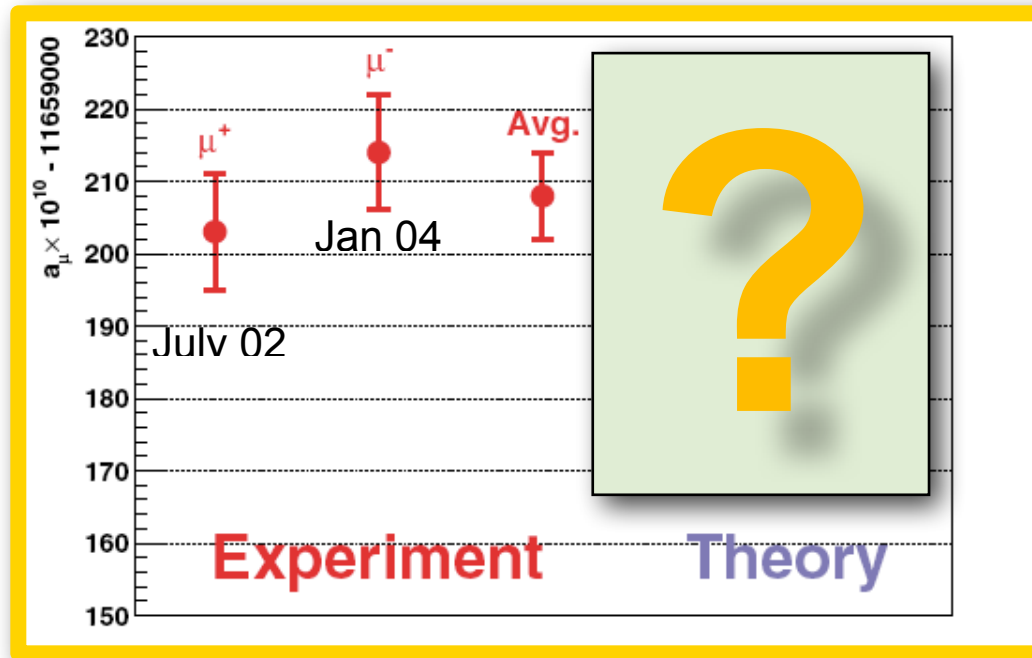
- Keep studying the lepton- γ vertex:



$$\bar{u}(p')\Gamma_\mu u(p) = \bar{u}(p') \left[\gamma_\mu F_1(q^2) + \frac{i\sigma_{\mu\nu}q^\nu}{2m} F_2(q^2) + \dots \right] u(p)$$

$$F_1(0) = 1 \quad F_2(0) = a_l$$

A pure “quantum correction” effect!



- **Today:** $a_\mu^{\text{EXP}} = (116592089 \pm 54_{\text{stat}} \pm 33_{\text{sys}}) \times 10^{-11}$ [0.5ppm].
- **Future:** new muon g-2 experiments at:
 - **Fermilab E989:** aiming at $\pm 16 \times 10^{-11}$, ie 0.14ppm.
Beam expected next year. First result expected in 2018 with a precision comparable to that of BNL E821.
 - **J-PARC proposal:** aiming at 2019 Phase 1 start with 0.4ppm.
- **Are theorists ready for this (amazing) precision? Not yet**

The muon g-2: the QED contribution



$$a_{\mu}^{\text{QED}} = (1/2)(\alpha/\pi) \quad \text{Schwinger 1948}$$

$$+ 0.765857426 (16) (\alpha/\pi)^2$$

Sommerfield; Petermann; Suura&Wichmann '57; Elend '66; MP '04

$$+ 24.05050988 (28) (\alpha/\pi)^3$$

Remiddi, Laporta, Barbieri ... ; Czarnecki, Skrzypek; MP '04;
Friot, Greynat & de Rafael '05, Mohr, Taylor & Newell 2012

$$+ 130.8773 (61) (\alpha/\pi)^4$$

Kinoshita & Lindquist '81, ... , Kinoshita & Nio '04, '05;
Aoyama, Hayakawa, Kinoshita & Nio, 2007, Kinoshita et al. 2012 & 2015;
Lee, Marquard, Smirnov², Steinhauser 2013 (electron loops, analytic),
Kurz, Liu, Marquard, Steinhauser 2013 (τ loops, analytic);
Steinhauser et al. 2015 & 2016 (all electron & τ loops, analytic).

$$+ 752.85 (93) (\alpha/\pi)^5 \text{ COMPLETED!}$$

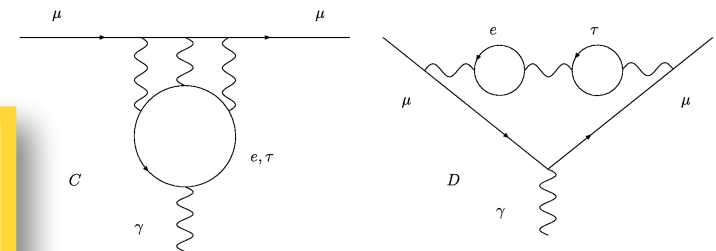
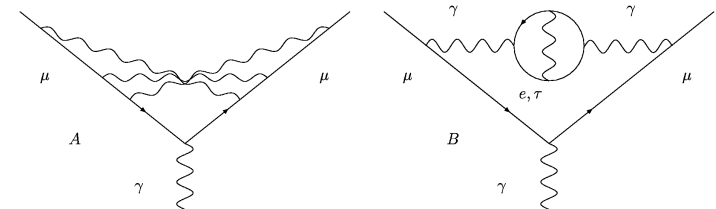
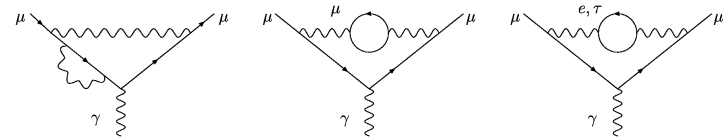
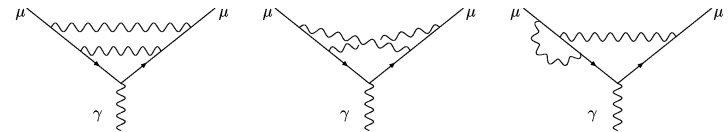
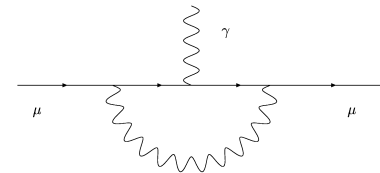
Kinoshita et al. '90, Yelkhovsky, Milstein, Starshenko, Laporta,
Karshenboim,..., Kataev, Kinoshita & Nio '06; Kinoshita et al. 2012 & 2015

Adding up, we get:

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{QED}} = 116584718.941 (21)(77) \times 10^{-11}$$

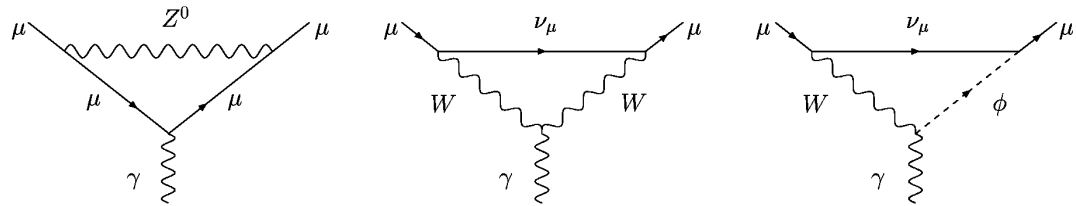
from coeffs, mainly from 4-loop unc   from $\delta\alpha(\text{Rb})$

with $\alpha=1/137.035999049(90)$ [0.66 ppb]



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One-loop term:



$$a_{\mu}^{\text{EW}}(1\text{-loop}) = \frac{5G_{\mu}m_{\mu}^2}{24\sqrt{2}\pi^2} \left[1 + \frac{1}{5} (1 - 4\sin^2\theta_W)^2 + O\left(\frac{m_{\mu}^2}{M_{Z,W,H}^2}\right) \right] \approx 195 \times 10^{-11}$$

1972: Jackiv, Weinberg; Bars, Yoshimura; Altarelli, Cabibbo, Maiani; Bardeen, Gastmans, Lautrup; Fujikawa, Lee, Sanda; Studenikin et al. '80s

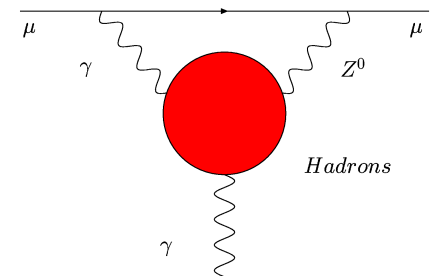
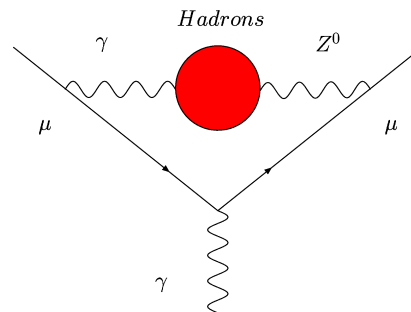
One-loop plus higher-order terms:

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{EW}} = 153.6 (1) \times 10^{-11}$$

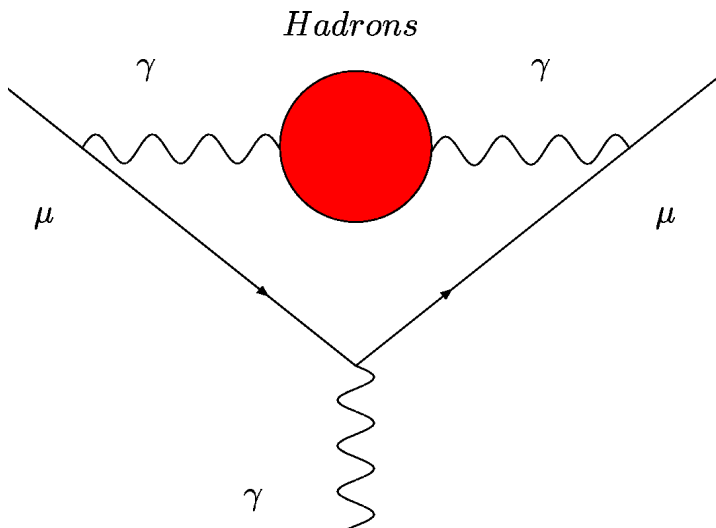
with $M_{\text{Higgs}} = 125.6 (1.5) \text{ GeV}$

Hadronic loop uncertainties
and 3-loop nonleading logs.

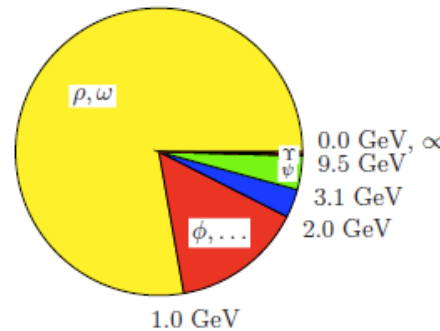
Kukhto et al. '92; Czarnecki, Krause, Marciano '95; Knecht, Peris, Perrottet, de Rafael '02; Czarnecki, Marciano and Vainshtein '02; Deggrasi and Giudice '98; Heinemeyer, Stockinger, Weiglein '04; Gribouk and Czarnecki '05; Vainshtein '03; Gnendiger, Stockinger, Stockinger-Kim 2013.



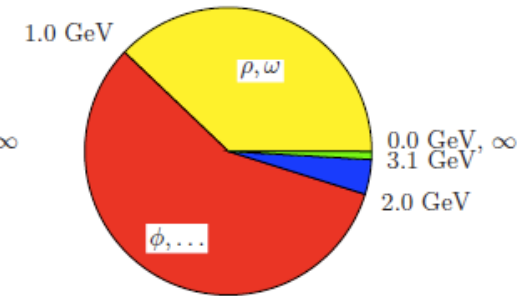
The muon g-2: the hadronic LO contribution (HLO)



Central values



Errors²



F. Jegerlehner and A. Nyffeler, Phys. Rept. 477 (2009) 1

$$K(s) = \int_0^1 dx \frac{x^2(1-x)}{x^2 + (1-x)(s/m^2)}$$

$$a_\mu^{\text{HLO}} = \frac{1}{4\pi^3} \int_{4m_\pi^2}^\infty ds K(s) \sigma^{(0)}(s) = \frac{\alpha^2}{3\pi^2} \int_{4m_\pi^2}^\infty \frac{ds}{s} K(s) R(s)$$

$$a_\mu^{\text{HLO}} = 6870 (42)_{\text{tot}} \times 10^{-11}$$

F. Jegerlehner, arXiv:1511.04473 (includes BESIII 2π)

$$= 6923 (42)_{\text{tot}} \times 10^{-11}$$

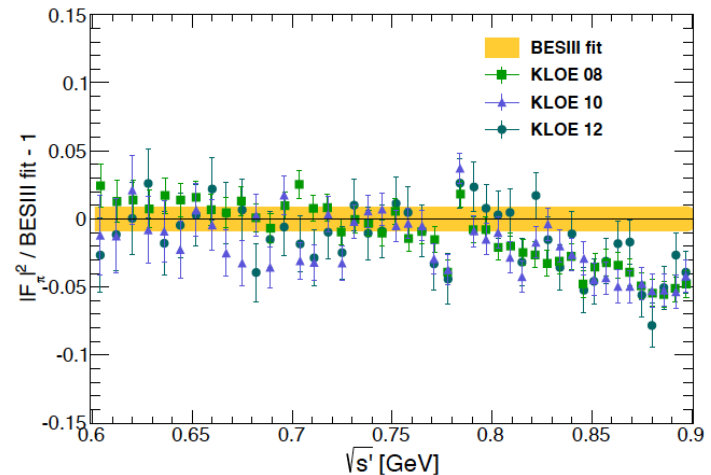
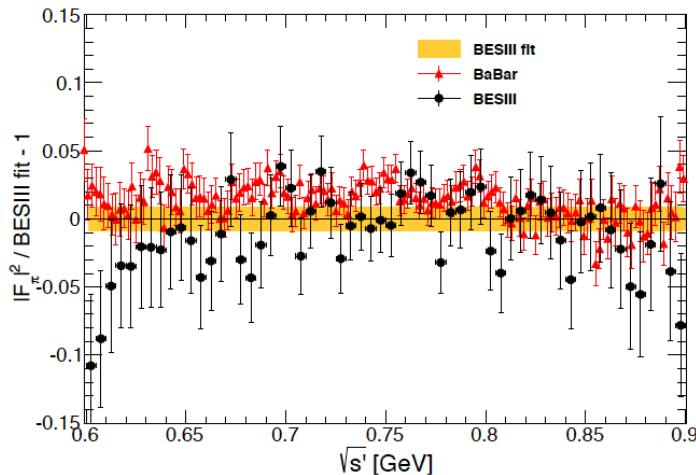
Davier et al, EPJ C71 (2011) 1515

$$= 6949 (37)_{\text{exp}} (21)_{\text{rad}} \times 10^{-11}$$

Hagiwara et al, JPG 38 (2011) 085003

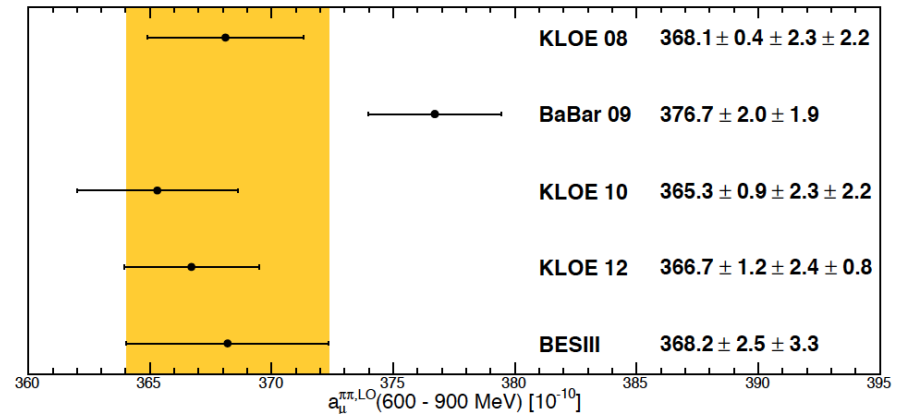


New from BESIII: measurement of the $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$ cross section between 600 & 900 MeV using initial state radiation



BESIII Collaboration, arXiv:1507.08188 (PLB 2016)

See talk of
Yuping GUO

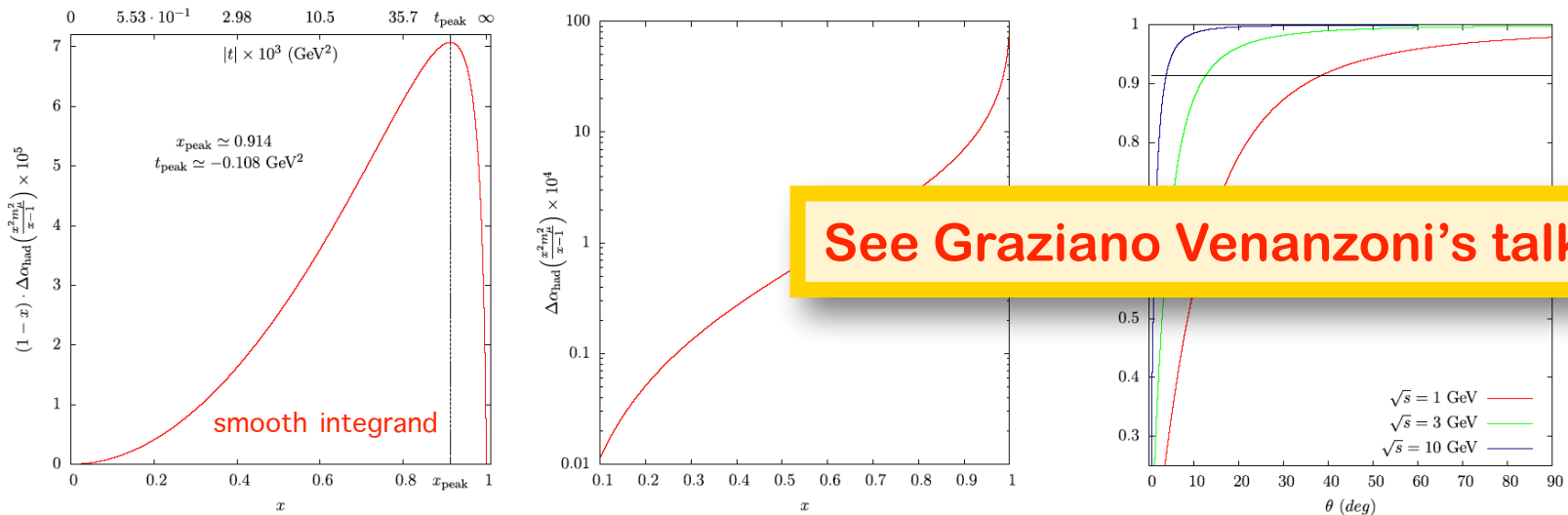


Upcoming $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$ cross section data from VEPP 2000

- Alternatively, exchanging the x and s integrations in a_μ^{HLO} ,

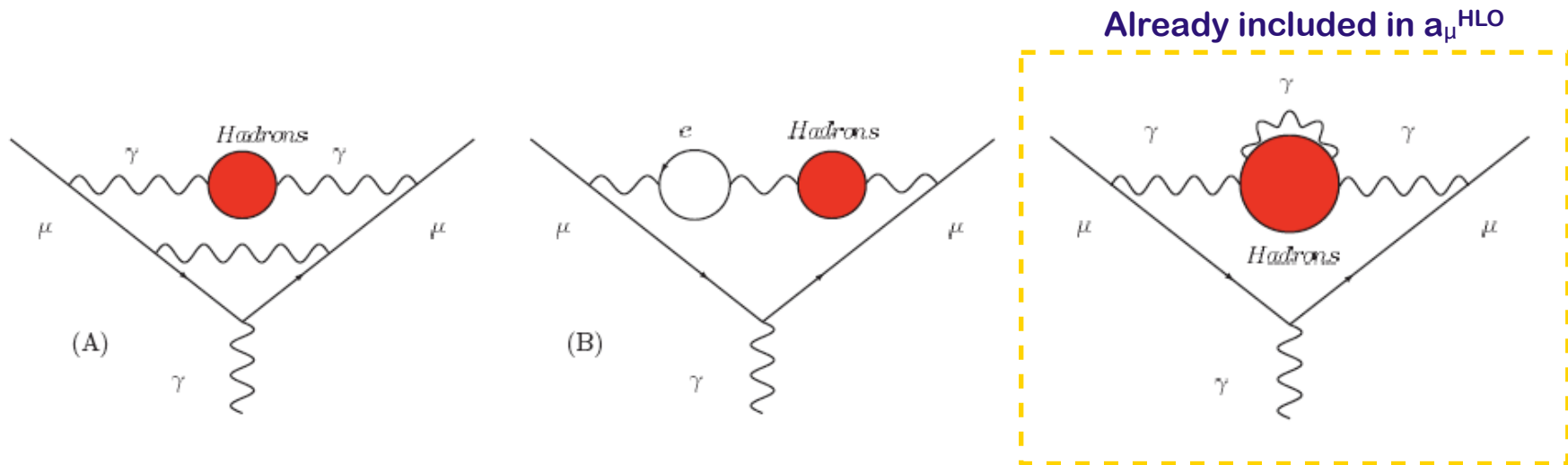
$$a_\mu^{\text{HLO}} = \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \int_0^1 dx (1-x) \Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}[t(x)] \quad t(x) = \frac{x^2 m_\mu^2}{x-1} < 0$$

involving the hadronic contrib. to the running of α in the **space-like** region, which can be extracted from **Bhabha** scattering data!



- Requires Bhabha cross section at small angles at better than 10^{-4} . Challenging: must improve by at least 1 order of magnitude.
- A dedicated feasibility study is in progress.

• HNLO: Vacuum Polarization



$\mathcal{O}(\alpha^3)$ contributions of diagrams containing hadronic vacuum polarization insertions:

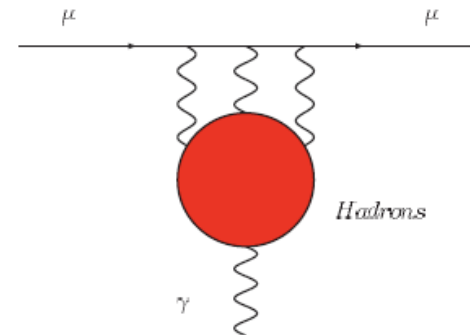
$$a_\mu^{\text{HNLO}}(\text{vp}) = -98 (1) \times 10^{-11}$$

Krause '96, Alemany et al. '98, Hagiwara et al. 2011

● HNLO: Light-by-light contribution

📌 Unlike the HLO term, the hadronic l-b-l term relies at present on theoretical approaches.

📌 This term had a troubled life! Latest values:



$a_{\mu}^{\text{HNLO}}(b) = +80 (40) \times 10^{-11}$	Knecht & Nyffeler '02
$a_{\mu}^{\text{HNLO}}(b) = +136 (25) \times 10^{-11}$	Melnikov & Vainshtein '03
$a_{\mu}^{\text{HNLO}}(b) = +105 (26) \times 10^{-11}$	Prades, de Rafael, Vainshtein '09
$a_{\mu}^{\text{HNLO}}(b) = +102 (39) \times 10^{-11}$	Jegerlehner, arXiv:1511.04473

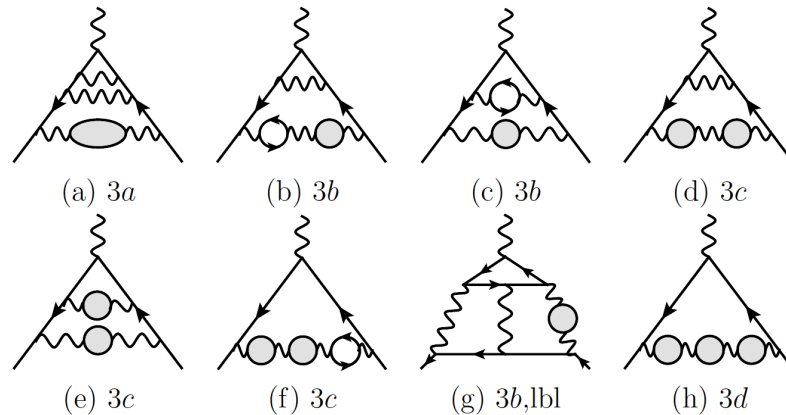
Results based also on Hayakawa, Kinoshita '98 & '02; Bijmens, Pallante, Prades '96 & '02

📌 **Improvements expected in the π^0 transition form factor** A. Nyffeler 1602.0339

📌 **Dispersive approach proposed** Colangelo, Hoferichter, Procura, Stoffer, 2014 & 2015
Pauk and Vanderhaeghen 2014.

📌 **Lattice? Very hard but promising** Tom Blum et al. 2015

• HNNLO: Vacuum Polarization



$O(\alpha^4)$ contributions of diagrams containing hadronic vacuum polarization insertions:

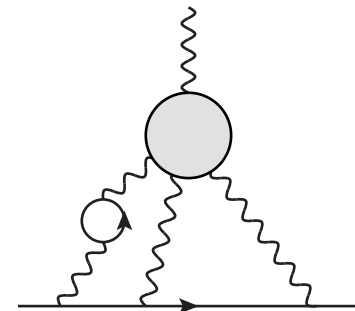
$$a_{\mu}^{\text{HNNLO}}(\text{vp}) = 12.4 (1) \times 10^{-11}$$

Kurz, Liu, Marquard, Steinhauser 2014

• HNNLO: Light-by-light

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{HNNLO}}(\text{lbl}) = 3 (2) \times 10^{-11}$$

Colangelo, Hoferichter, Nyffeler, MP, Stoffer 2014



Comparisons of the SM predictions with the measured g-2 value:

$$a_\mu^{\text{EXP}} = 116592091 (63) \times 10^{-11}$$

E821 – Final Report: PRD73 (2006) 072 with latest value of $\lambda = \mu_\mu/\mu_p$ from CODATA'10

$a_\mu^{\text{SM}} \times 10^{11}$	$\Delta a_\mu = a_\mu^{\text{EXP}} - a_\mu^{\text{SM}}$	σ
116 591 795 (56)	$296 (86) \times 10^{-11}$	3.5 [1]
116 591 815 (57)	$276 (85) \times 10^{-11}$	3.2 [2]
116 591 841 (58)	$250 (86) \times 10^{-11}$	2.9 [3]

with the very recent “conservative” hadronic light-by-light $a_\mu^{\text{HNLO}}(\text{lbl}) = 102 (39) \times 10^{-11}$ of F. Jegerlehner arXiv:1511.04473, and the hadronic leading-order of:

- [1] Jegerlehner, arXiv:1511.04473 (includes BaBar, KLOE10-12 & BESIII 2π)
- [2] Davier et al, EPJ C71 (2011) 1515 (includes BaBar & KLOE10 2π)
- [3] Hagiwara et al, JPG38 (2011) 085003 (includes BaBar & KLOE10 2π)

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

$$\begin{aligned} a_\mu^{\text{HLO}} &\rightarrow a = \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{s_u} ds f(s) \sigma(s), & f(s) &= \frac{K(s)}{4\pi^3}, \quad s_u < M_Z^2, \\ \Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)} &\rightarrow b = \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{s_u} ds g(s) \sigma(s), & g(s) &= \frac{M_Z^2}{(M_Z^2 - s)(4\alpha\pi^2)}, \end{aligned}$$

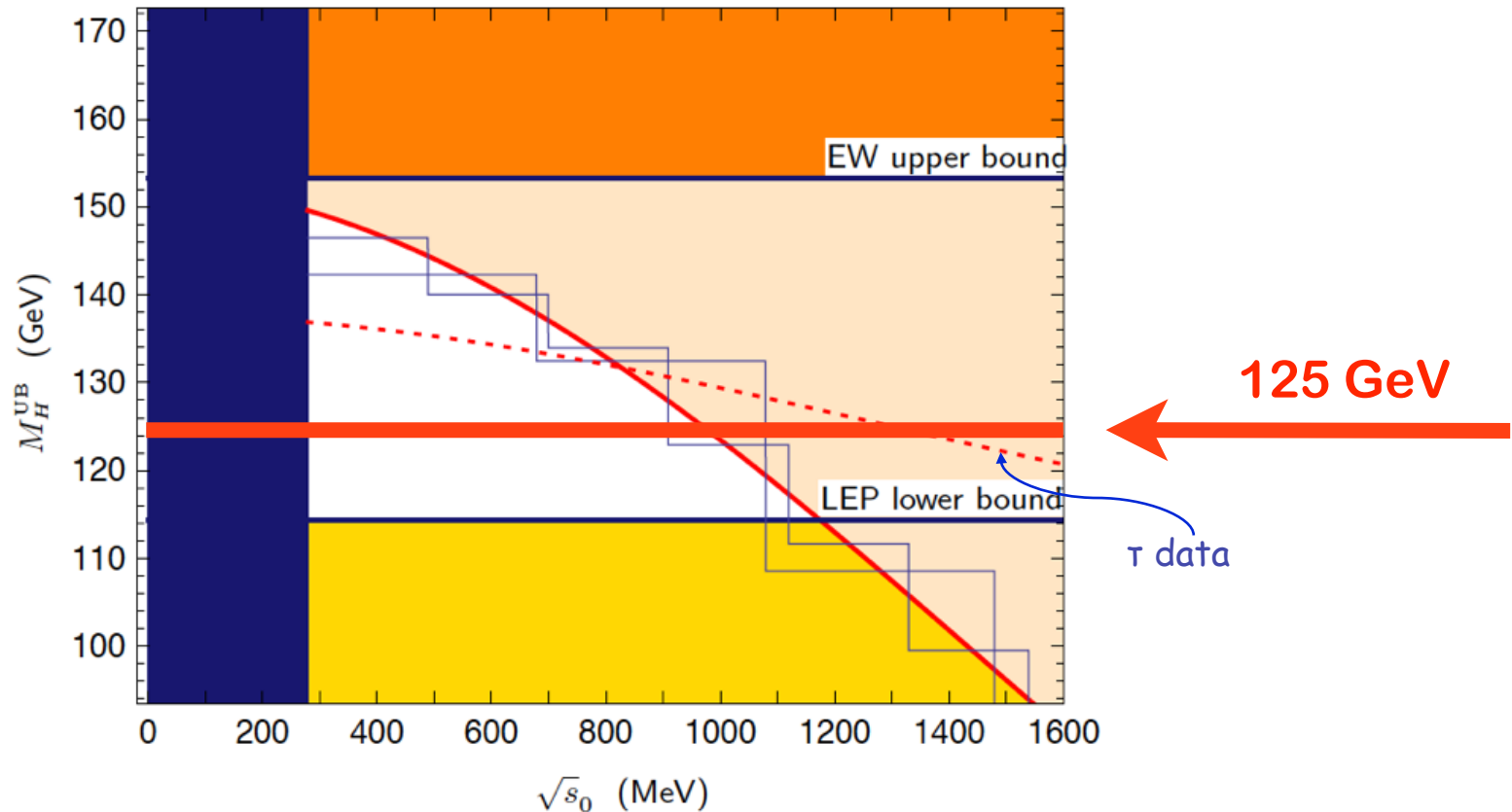
and the increase

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

($\epsilon > 0$), in the range:

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

- How much does the M_H upper bound from the EW fit change when we shift $\sigma(s)$ by $\Delta\sigma(s)$ [and thus $\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(M_Z)$] to accommodate Δa_μ ?



W.J. Marciano, A. Sirlin, MP, 2008 & 2010

-  Given the quoted exp. uncertainty of $\sigma(s)$, the possibility to explain the muon g-2 with these very large shifts $\Delta\sigma(s)$ appears to be very unlikely.
-  Also, given a 125 GeV SM Higgs, these hypothetical shifts $\Delta\sigma(s)$ could only occur at very low energy (below ~ 1 GeV) where $\sigma(s)$ is precisely measured.
-  Vice versa, assuming we now have a SM Higgs with $M_H = 125$ GeV, if we bridge the M_H discrepancy in the EW fit decreasing the low-energy hadronic cross section, **the muon g-2 discrepancy increases.**

The tau g-2: opportunities or fantasies?

The Standard Model prediction of the tau g-2 is:

$$\begin{aligned}
 a_{\tau}^{\text{SM}} &= 117324 \quad (2) \quad \times 10^{-8} \quad \text{QED} \\
 &+ 47.4 \quad (0.5) \quad \times 10^{-8} \quad \text{EW} \\
 &+ 337.5 \quad (3.7) \quad \times 10^{-8} \quad \text{HLO} \\
 &+ 7.6 \quad (0.2) \quad \times 10^{-8} \quad \text{HHO (vac)} \\
 &+ 5 \quad (3) \quad \times 10^{-8} \quad \text{HHO (lbl)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$a_{\tau}^{\text{SM}} = 117721 \quad (5) \times 10^{-8}$$

Eidelman & MP
2007

$(m_{\tau}/m_{\mu})^2 \sim 280$: great opportunity to look for New Physics, and a “clean” NP test too...

	Muon	Tau
$a_{\text{EW}}/a_{\text{H}}$	1/45	1/7
$a_{\text{EW}}/\delta a_{\text{H}}$	3	10

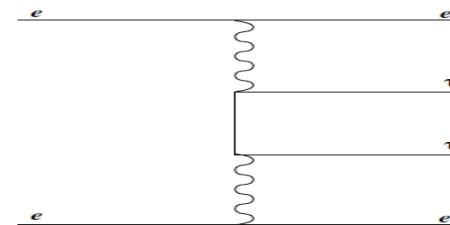
... if only we could measure it!!

- The very short lifetime of the tau makes it very difficult to determine a_τ measuring its spin precession in a magnetic field.

- DELPHI's result, from $e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-\tau^+\tau^-$ total cross-section measurements at LEP 2 (the PDG value):

$$a_\tau = -0.018 (17)$$

PDG 2014



- With an effective Lagrangian approach, using data on tau lepton production at LEP1, SLC, and LEP2:

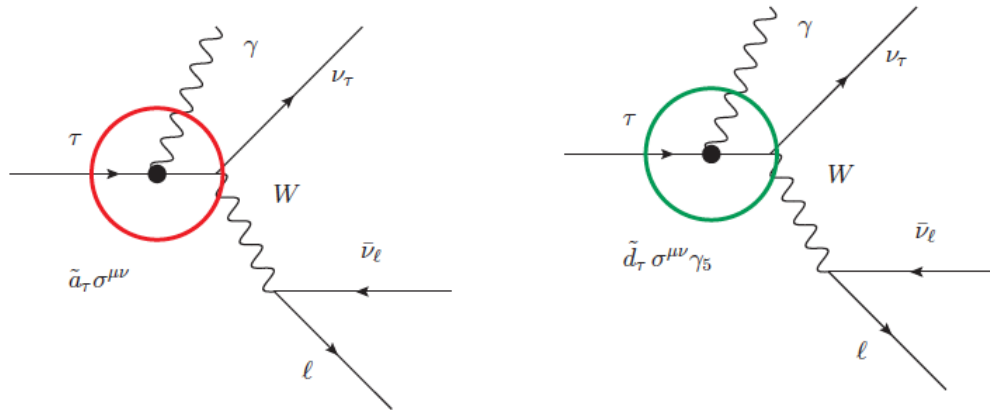
$$-0.007 < a_\tau^{\text{NP}} < 0.005 \quad (95\% \text{ CL})$$

González-Sprinberg et al 2000

- Bernabéu et al, propose the measurement of $F_2(q^2=M_\gamma^2)$ from $e^+e^- \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$ production at B factories. NPB 790 (2008) 160

- a_τ via the radiative leptonic decays $\tau \rightarrow e \bar{\nu} \nu \gamma$, $\tau \rightarrow \mu \bar{\nu} \nu \gamma$
comparing the theoretical prediction for the differential decay rates with precise data from high-luminosity B factories:

$$d\Gamma = d\Gamma_0 + \left(\frac{m_\tau}{M_W}\right)^2 d\Gamma_W + \frac{\alpha}{\pi} d\Gamma_{\text{NLO}} + \tilde{a}_\tau d\Gamma_a + \tilde{d}_\tau d\Gamma_d$$



- Detailed feasibility study performed in Belle-II conditions:
we expect a (modest) improvement of the present PDG bound.

Eidelman, Epifanov, Fael, Mercolli, MP, arXiv:1601.07987 (JHEP 2016)

B.R. of radiative τ leptonic decays ($\omega_0 = 10$ MeV)		
	$\tau \rightarrow e \bar{\nu} \nu \gamma$	$\tau \rightarrow \mu \bar{\nu} \nu \gamma$
$\mathcal{B}_{\text{LO}}$	1.834×10^{-2}	3.663×10^{-3}
$\mathcal{B}_{\text{NLO}}^{\text{Inc}}$	$-1.06 (1)_n (10)_N \times 10^{-3}$	$-5.8 (1)_n (2)_N \times 10^{-5}$
$\mathcal{B}_{\text{NLO}}^{\text{Exc}}$	$-1.89 (1)_n (19)_N \times 10^{-3}$	$-9.1 (1)_n (3)_N \times 10^{-5}$
$\mathcal{B}^{\text{Inc}}$	$1.728 (10)_{\text{th}} (3)_{\tau} \times 10^{-2}$	$3.605 (2)_{\text{th}} (6)_{\tau} \times 10^{-3}$
$\mathcal{B}^{\text{Exc}}$	$1.645 (19)_{\text{th}} (3)_{\tau} \times 10^{-2}$	$3.572 (3)_{\text{th}} (6)_{\tau} \times 10^{-3}$
$\mathcal{B}_{\text{EXP}}^{\dagger}$	$1.847 (15)_{\text{st}} (52)_{\text{sy}} \times 10^{-2}$	$3.69 (3)_{\text{st}} (10)_{\text{sy}} \times 10^{-3}$

(n): numerical errors

(N): uncomputed NNLO corr.

$$\sim (\alpha/\pi) \ln r \ln(\omega_0/M) \times \mathcal{B}_{\text{NLO}}^{\text{Exc/Inc}}$$

[†]BABAR - PRD 91 (2015) 051103

(th): combined (n) $\oplus$ (N)

(τ): experimental error of τ

lifetime: $\tau_{\tau} = 2.903(5) \times 10^{-13}$ s

	$\tau \rightarrow e \bar{\nu} \nu \gamma$	$\tau \rightarrow \mu \bar{\nu} \nu \gamma$
Δ^{Exc}	$2.02 (57) \times 10^{-3} \rightarrow 3.5\sigma$	$1.2 (1.0) \times 10^{-4} \rightarrow 1.1\sigma$

- Agreement with MEG's recent $\mu \rightarrow e \nu \nu \gamma$ measurement [EPJ C76 (2016) 3, 108]

Fael, Mercolli and MP, 1506.03416 (JHEP 2015)
Fael and MP, 1602.00457

Conclusions

- The muon $g-2$ discrepancy is $\Delta a_\mu \sim 3.5 \sigma$. Is it NP? Or an exp issue? New upcoming $g-2$ experiment: QED and EW ready for the challenge. How about the hadronic contributions?
- Hadronic **VP** contribution: new BESIII and upcoming Vepp-2000 time-like data. New space-like data proposal.
- Future of hadronic **LBL**: dispersive approach and lattice?
- Could Δa_μ be due to **mistakes in the hadronic $\sigma(s)$** ? Given a 125 GeV SM Higgs, these hypothetical shifts $\Delta\sigma(s)$ could only occur below $\sim 1\text{GeV}$: very unlikely.
- The **tau $g-2$** is essentially unknown: new proposal to measure it at Belle II via radiative leptonic tau decays. Modest improvement of the present PDG bound expected.
- BaBar's recent precise measurement of $\mathcal{B}(\tau \rightarrow e\bar{\nu}\nu\gamma)$ differs from our SM prediction by **3.5σ** !

The End