### The Electric and Magnetic Dipole moments of the Muon: Results and Future Possibilities

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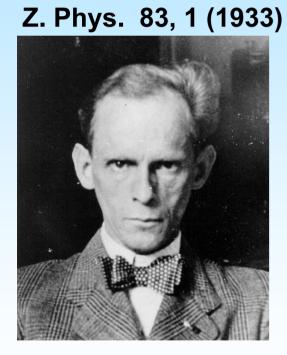
### Outline

- Introduction to the muon
- Magnetic ( $a_{\mu}$ ) and electric ( $d_{\mu}$ ) dipole moments
  - E821 result and the SM
  - E821 EDM limit
- Limits on CPT/Lorentz Violation in muon spin precession
- Future improvements in  $a_{\mu}$  and  $d_{\mu}$ ?
- Summary and conclusions.

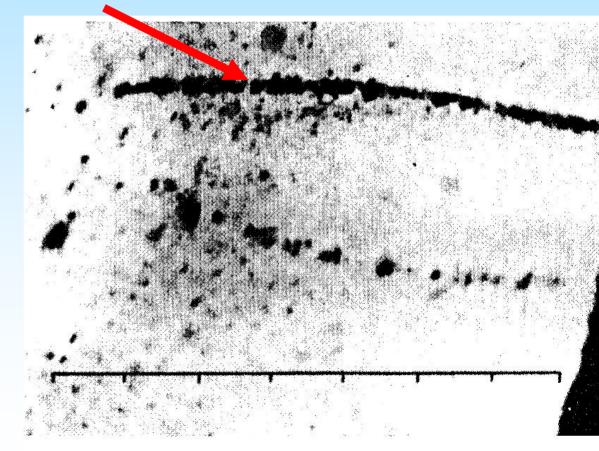


# First published observation of the muon came from cosmic rays:

"a particle of uncertain nature"

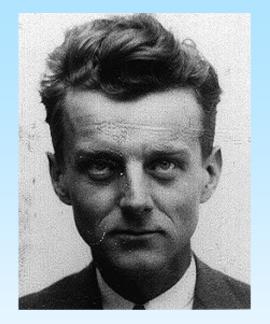


Paul Kunze,

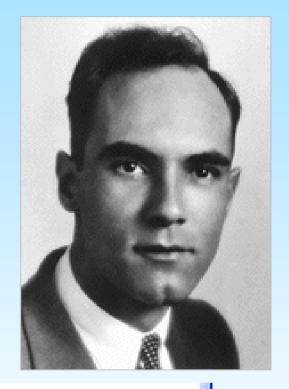




### Identified in 1936



Study of cosmic rays by Seth Neddermeyer and **Carl Anderson** 



MAY 15, 1937

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#### Note on the Nature of Cosmic-Ray Particles

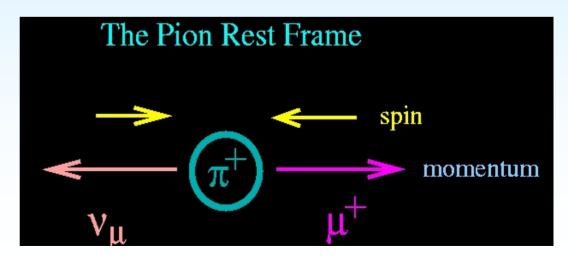
SETH H. NEDDERMEYER AND CARL D. ANDERSON California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, California (Received March 30, 1937)

EASUREMENTS<sup>1</sup> of the energy loss of massive than protons but more penetrating than particles occurring in the cosmic-ray electrons obeying the Bethe-Heitler theory, we showers have shown that this loss is proportional have taken about 6000 counter-tripped photo-



### Muon properties:

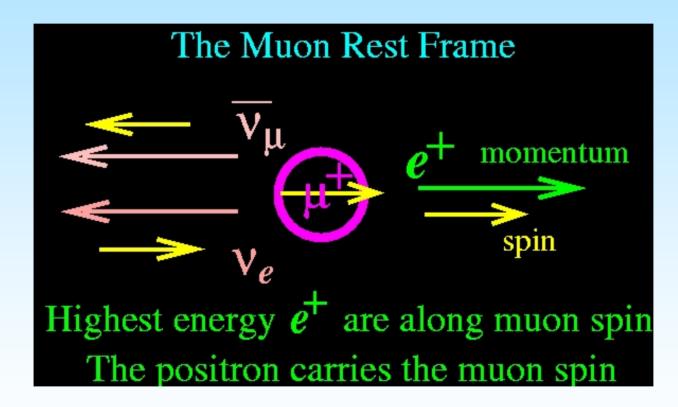
- Lifetime ~2.2  $\mu$ s, practically forever
- 2<sup>nd</sup> generation lepton
- $m_{\mu}/m_{e}$  = 206.768 277(24)
- produced polarized
  - in-flight decay: both "forward" and "backward" muons are highly polarized
- Paul Scherrer Institut has 10<sup>8</sup> low-energy  $\mu$ /s in a beam





### Death of the Muon

Decay is self analyzing





### What have we learned from the $\mu$ 's death?

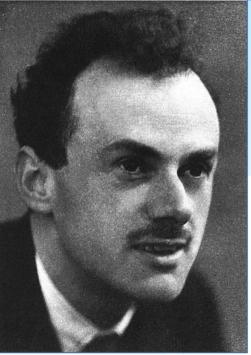
- The strength of the weak interaction
   i.e. the Fermi constant G<sub>F</sub> (more properly G<sub>µ</sub>)
- The V A nature of the weak interaction
- Lepton flavor conservation in  $\mu$ -decay
- VEV of the Higgs field:

$$\frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{2v^2}$$

• Induced form-factors in nuclear  $\mu$ -capture



# Theory of Magnetic and Electric Dipole Moments



The Quantum Theory of the Electron.

By P. A. M. DIRAC, St. John's College, Cambridge.

(Communicated by R. H. Fowler, F.R.S.—Received January 2, 1928.)

Proc. R. Soc. (London) A117, 610 (1928)





#### P. A. M. Dirac.

§ 4. The Hamiltonian for an Arbitrary Field.

To obtain the Hamiltonian for an electron in an electromagnetic field with scalar potential  $A_0$  and vector potential A, we adopt the usual procedure of substituting  $p_0 + e/c$ .  $A_0$  for  $p_0$  and  $\mathbf{p} + e/c$ . A for  $\mathbf{p}$  in the Hamiltonian for no field. From equation (9) we thus obtain

$$\left[p_0 + \frac{e}{c} \mathbf{A}_0 + \rho_1 \left(\boldsymbol{\sigma}, \mathbf{p} + \frac{e}{c} \mathbf{A}\right) + \rho_3 mc\right] \boldsymbol{\psi} = 0.$$
 (14)

This differs from (1) by the two extra terms

$$rac{eh}{c}(\sigma,\mathbf{H})+rac{ieh}{c}
ho_1(\sigma,\mathbf{E})$$

in F. These two terms, when divided by the factor 2m, can be regarded as the additional potential energy of the electron due to its new degree of freedom. The electron will therefore behave as though it has a magnetic moment eh/2mc.  $\sigma$  and an electric moment ieh/2mc.  $\rho_1 \sigma$ . This magnetic moment is just that assumed in the spinning electron model. The electric moment, being a pure imaginary, we should not expect to appear in the model. It is doubtful whether

The magnetic dipole moment directed along spin.

$$\vec{\mu}_{s} = g_{s} \left(\frac{e\hbar}{2m}\right) \vec{s} \quad \text{Dirac Theory:} \quad g_{s} = 2$$

$$\mu = (1+a) \frac{e\hbar}{2m} \quad \text{Dirac + Pauli moment} \quad a = \frac{g-2}{2}$$

$$\alpha \quad \gamma \xi$$

**A** 

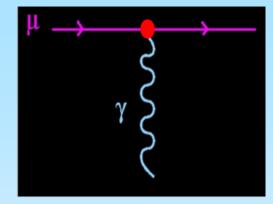
 $2\pi$ 

For leptons, radiative corrections dominate the value of  $a \approx 0.00116...$ 



**Modern Notation:** 

$$\Gamma_{\beta} = eF_1 \bar{\psi}_R \gamma_{\beta} \psi_R + \frac{ie}{2m} F_2 \bar{\psi}_R \sigma_{\beta\delta} q^{\delta} \psi_L$$



- Muon Magnetic Dipole Momoment  $a_{\mu}$  chiral changing

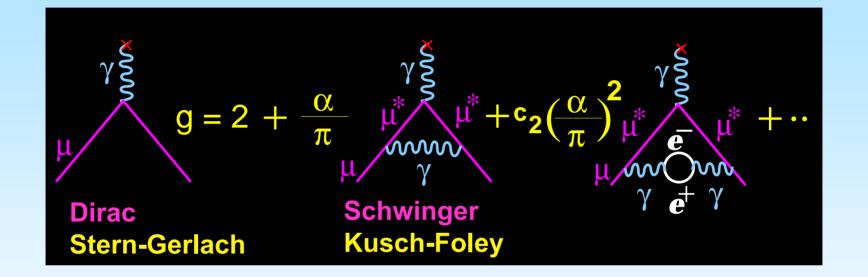
$$\overline{u}_{\mu}[eF_1(q^2)\gamma_{\beta} + \frac{ie}{2m_{\mu}}F_2(q^2)\sigma_{\beta\delta}q^{\delta}]u_{\mu}$$
$$F_1(0) = 1 \quad F_2(0) = a_{\mu}$$

Muon EDM

$$\overline{u}_{\mu} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{ie}{2m_{\mu}} F_2(q^2) - F_3(q^2)\gamma_5 \end{bmatrix} \sigma_{\beta\delta} q^{\delta} u_{\mu}$$
$$F_2(0) = a_{\mu} \quad F_3(0) = d_{\mu}; \text{ EDM}$$



### Radiative corrections change g



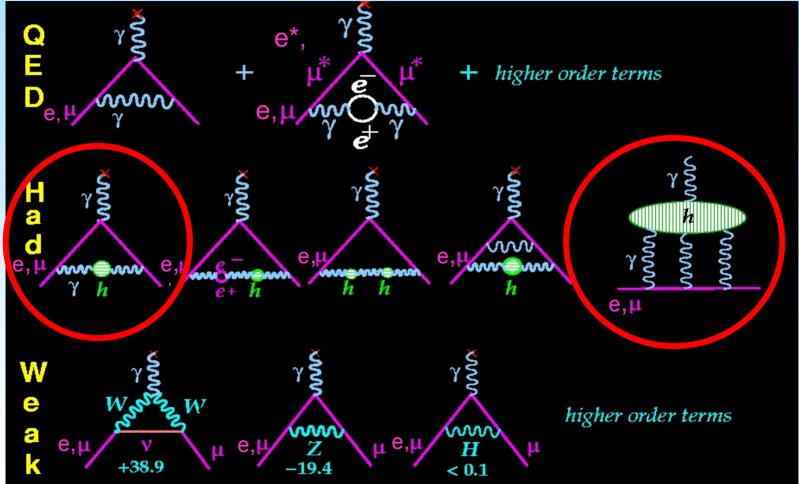
$$a(\mathsf{QED}) = \frac{1}{2}\frac{\alpha}{\pi} + C_4 \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^2 + C_6 \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^3 + C_8 \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^4 + C_{10} \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^5 + \cdots$$



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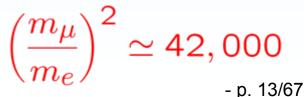
The SM Value for electron and muon anomalies  $a_{\mu}(SM) = a_{\mu}(QED) + a_{\mu}(hadronic) + a_{\mu}(weak)$ 



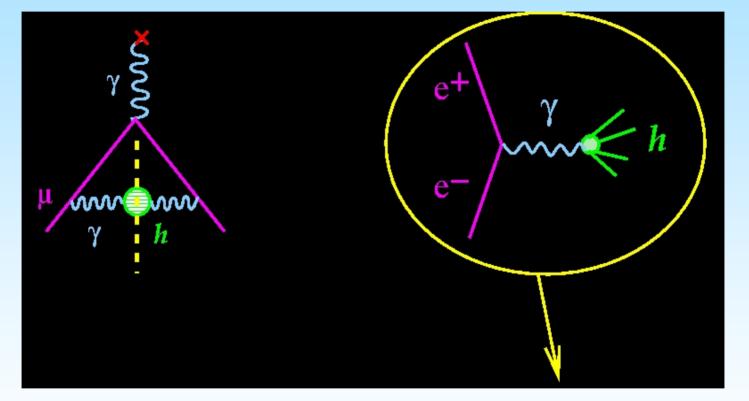
#### e vrs. $\mu$ : relative contribution of heavier things

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# Lowest Order Hadronic from $e^+e^-$ annihilation using analyticity and the optical theorem:

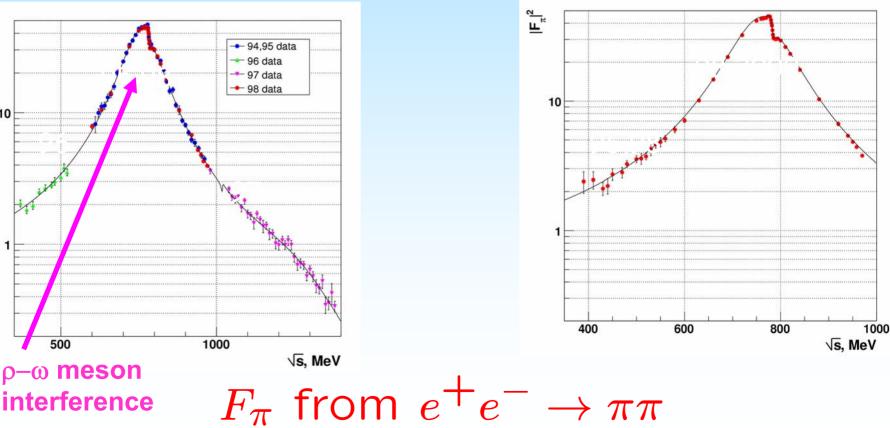


$$a_{\mu}(\text{had}) = \left(\frac{\alpha m_{\mu}}{3\pi}\right)^2 \int_{4m_{\pi}^2}^{\infty} \frac{ds}{s^2} K(s) \left(\frac{\sigma(e^+e^- \to \text{hadrons})}{\sigma(e^+e^- \to \mu^+\mu^-)}\right)$$



Two experiments at the Budker Insitute at Novosibirsk have measured R(s) to better than a percent. KLOE at Frascati has also measured R, and BaBar has a large data set that is being analyzed with a blind analysis.

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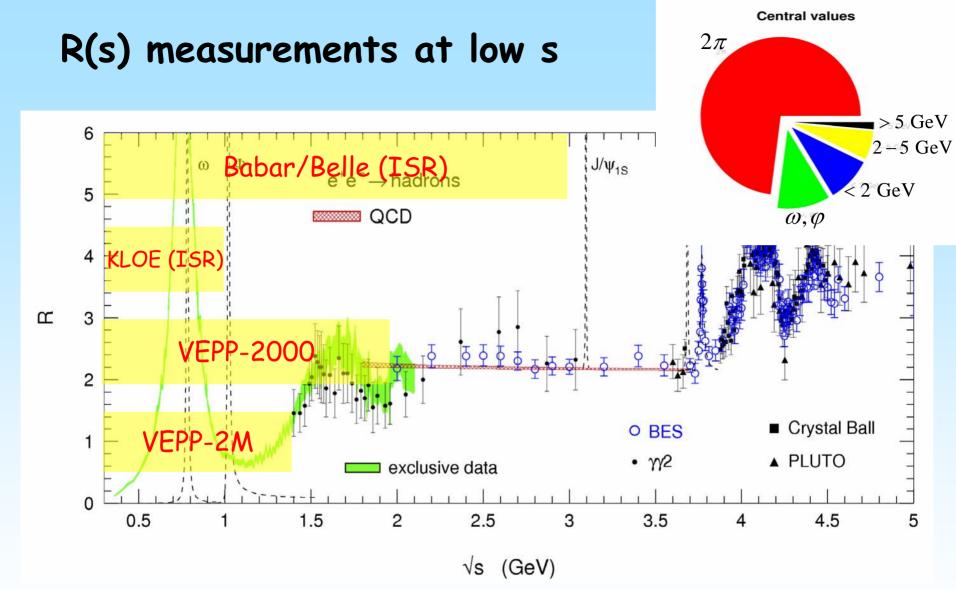


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At low s the cross-section is measured independently for each final state

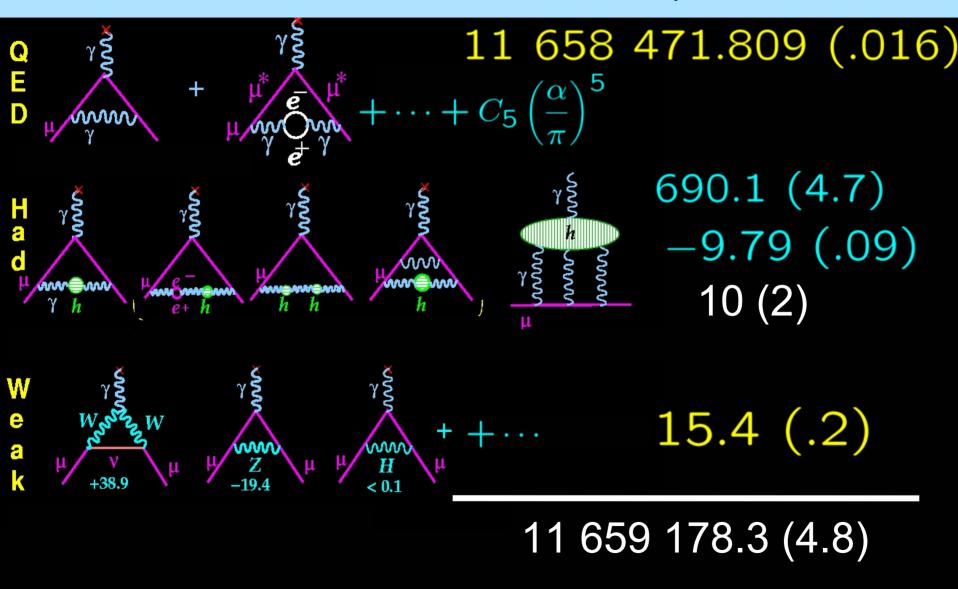


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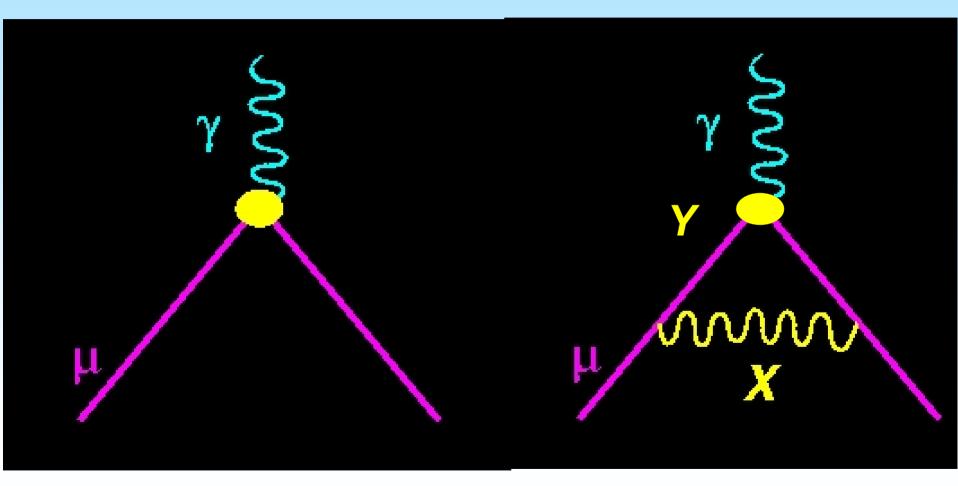
from Davier/Höcker

### The SM Value for the muon anomaly $(10^{-10})$





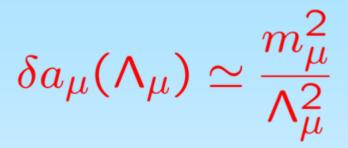
# from Miller, de Rafael, Roberts, Rep. Prog. Phys. **70** (2007) 795–881 B. Lee Roberts, LANL – 18 June 2008 - p. 17/67 Since  $a_{\mu}$  represents a sum over <u>all</u> physics, it is sensitive to a wide range of potential new physics



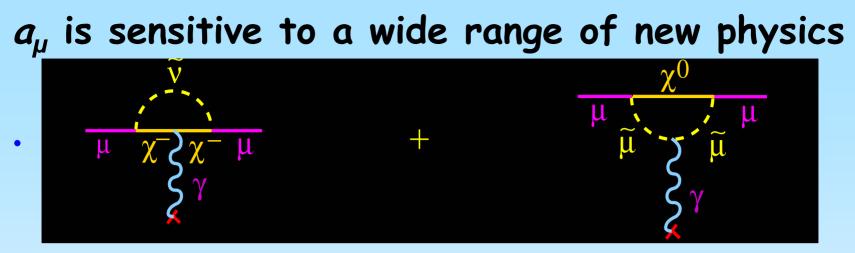


### $a_{\mu}$ is sensitive to a wide range of new physics

• substructure







• SUSY (with large  $tan\beta$ )

$$a_{\mu}(\text{SUSY}) \simeq \frac{\alpha(M_Z)}{8\pi \sin^2 \theta_W} \frac{m_{\mu}^2}{\tilde{m}^2} \tan \beta \left( 1 - \frac{4\alpha}{\pi} \ln \frac{\tilde{m}}{m_{\mu}} \right)$$
$$\simeq (\text{sgn}\mu) 13 \times 10^{-10} \tan \beta \left( \frac{100 \text{ GeV}}{\tilde{m}} \right)^2$$

many other things (extra dimensions, etc.)



# Spin Motion in a Magnetic Field

Momentum turns with  $\omega_C$ , cyclotron frequency Spin turns with  $\omega_S$ 

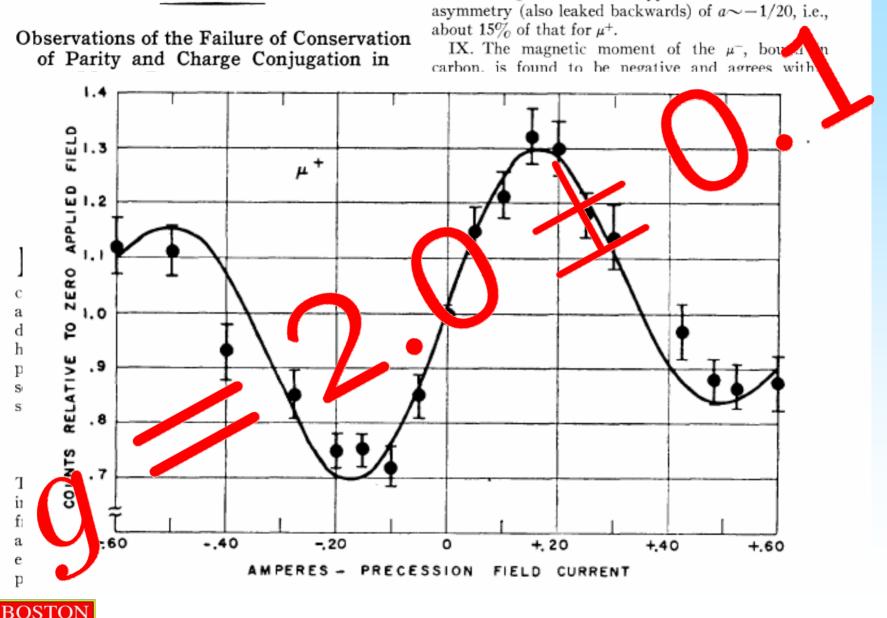
$$\omega_C = \frac{eB}{mc\gamma}$$
  $\omega_S = \frac{geB}{2mc} + (1-\gamma)\frac{eB}{\gamma mc}$ 

Spin turns relative to the momentum with  $\omega_a$ 

$$\omega_a = \omega_S - \omega_C = \left(\frac{g-2}{2}\right)\frac{eB}{mc} = a\frac{eB}{mc}$$



### First muon spin rotation experiment



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#### Accurate Determination of the $u^+$ Magnetic Moment<sup>\*</sup>

R. L. GARWIN,<sup>†</sup> D. P. HUTCHINSON, S. PENMAN,<sup>‡</sup> AND G. SHAPIRO§ Columbia University, New York, New York (Received August 4, 1959)

Note added in proof.—Experiments which have recently been reported to us [J. Lathrop, et al. and A. Bearden et al., Phys. Rev. Letters (to be published)] indicate a mass value of  $M_{\mu} = 206.76_{-0.02}^{+0.03}M_e$ . This yields a value of  $g_{\mu} = 2(1.00113_{-0.00012}^{+0.00016})$ . Although the assigned errors are now slightly greater than above, it is to be noted that the new result represents a direct measurement, rather than a lower limit. The agreement

$$a = \frac{\alpha}{2\pi} = 0.001161$$



# Subsequent (g-2) experiments measured the difference frequency, $\omega_a$ , between the spin and momentum precession

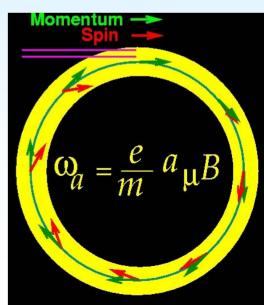
With an electric quadrupole field for vertical focusing

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

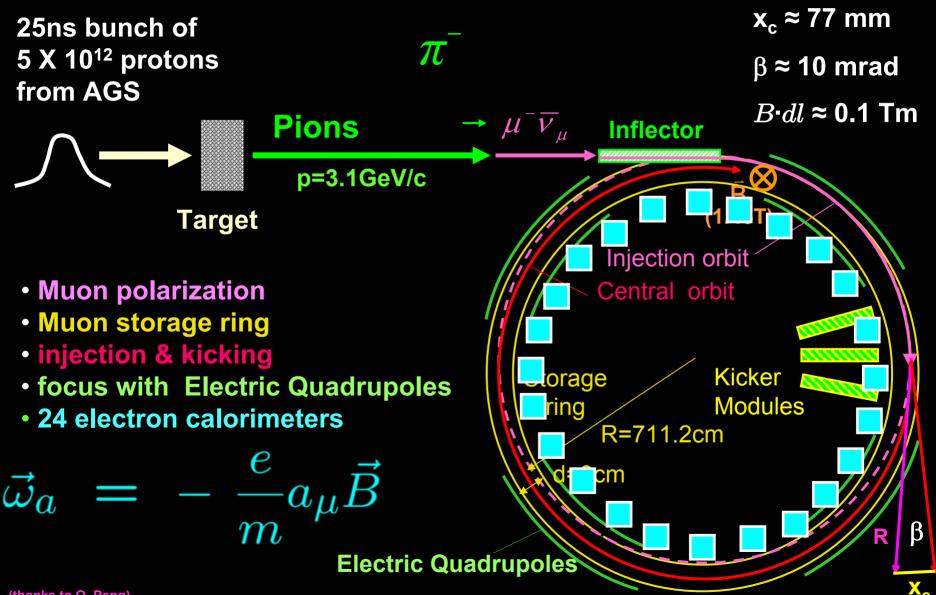
$$\gamma_{\text{magic}} = 29.3$$
  
 $p_{\text{magic}} = 3.09 \text{ GeV/c}$ 

 $B \Rightarrow \langle B \rangle_{\mu} - \text{dist}$ 





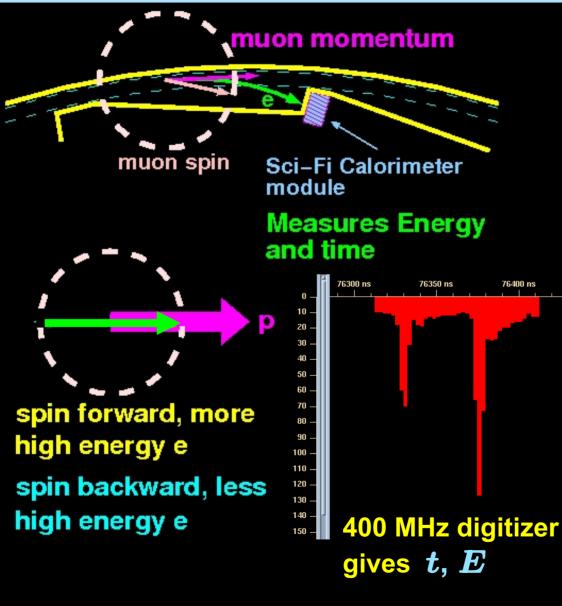
### **Experimental Technique**



### muon (g-2) storage ring



## To measure $\omega_a$ , we used Pb-scintillating fiber calorimeters.





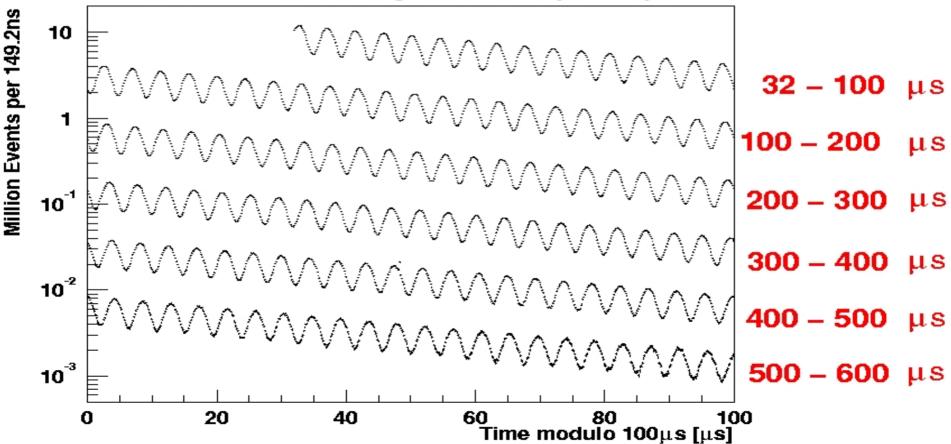
Count number of  $e^{-}$  with  $E_e \ge 1.8 \text{ GeV}$ 



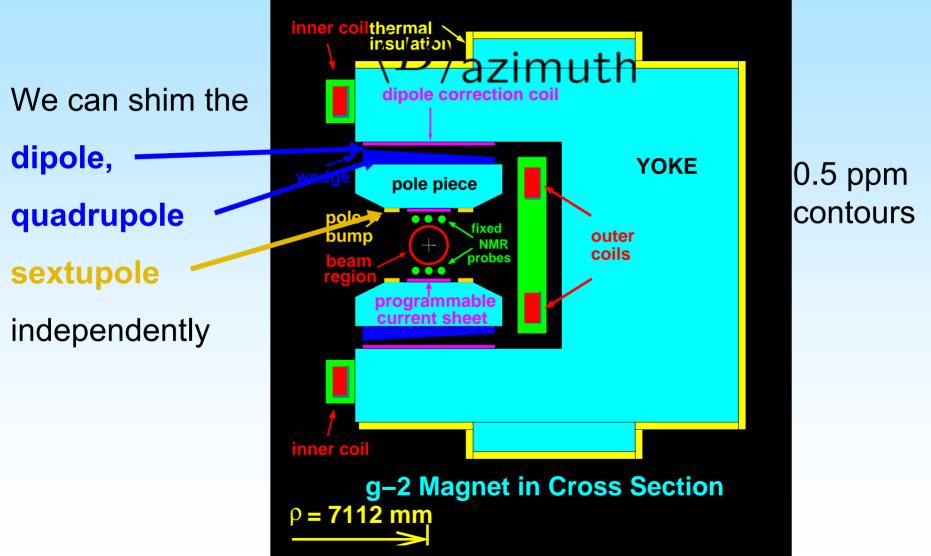
# We count high-energy electrons as a function of time.

 $4 \times 10^9 \ e, E_{e^-} \ge 1.8 \text{ GeV}$  $f(t) \simeq N_0 e^{-\lambda t} [1 + A \cos \omega_a t + \phi)]$ 

electron time spectrum (2001)



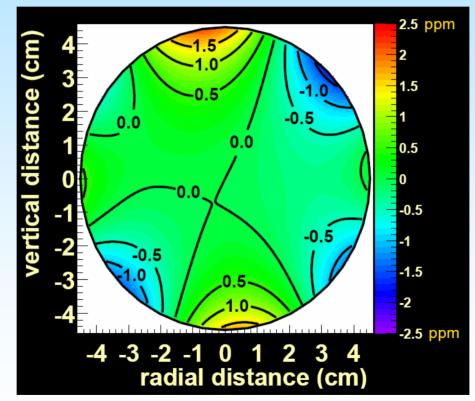
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 $\langle B \rangle_{\rm azimuth}$ 



0.5 ppm contours

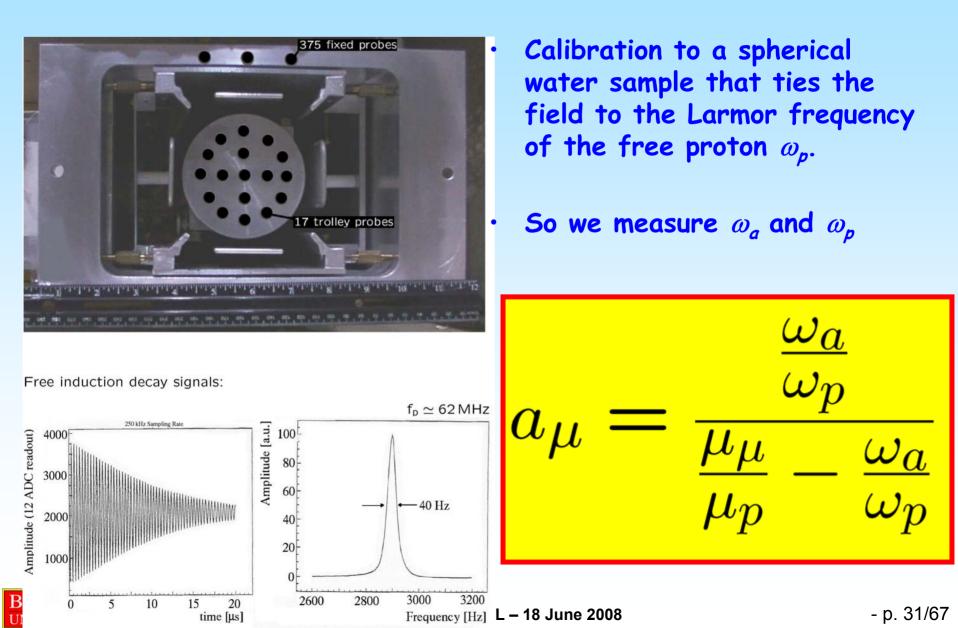


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 $\sigma_{\rm syst}$  on  $\langle B \rangle_{\mu-{\rm dist}} = \pm 0.03$  ppm

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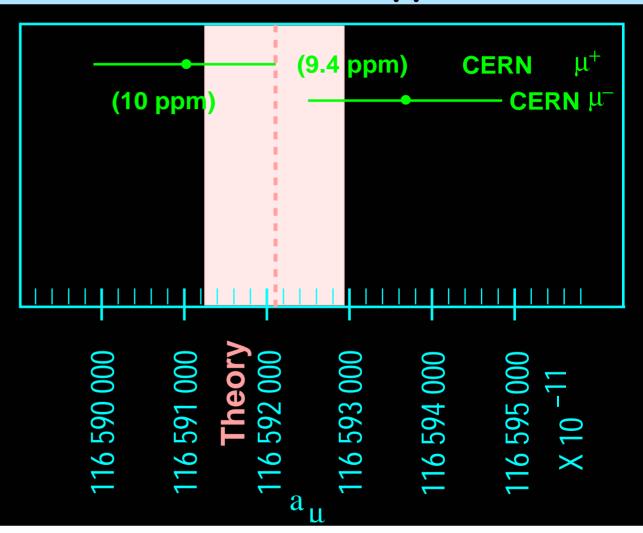
The magnetic field is measured and controlled using pulsed NMR and the free-induction decay.



# When we started in 1983, theory and experiment were known to about 10 ppm.

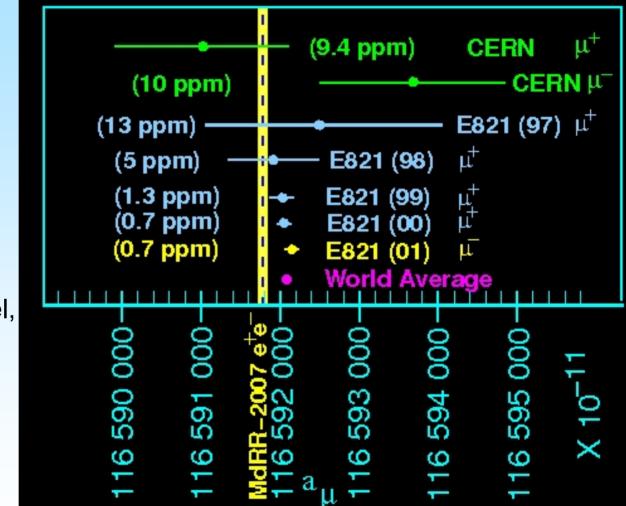
Theory uncertainty was ~ 9 ppm

Experimental uncertainty was 7.3 ppm





E821 achieved 0.5 ppm and the  $e^+e^-$  based theory is also at the 0.6 ppm level. Difference is 3.7  $\sigma$ 



 $(29.7 \pm 7.9) imes 10^{-10}$ 

MdRR=Miller, de Rafael, Roberts, Rep. Prog. Phys. **70** (2007) 795

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If the electroweak contribution is left out of the standard-model value, we get a 5.1  $\sigma$  difference.

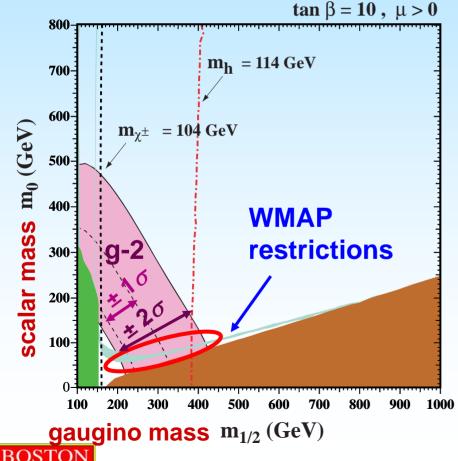
$$a_{\mu}^{EW} = 15.4(.1)(.2) \times 10^{-10}$$

 $\Delta$ (no EW) = 44.9(8.8) × 10<sup>-10</sup>



### $a_{\mu}$ helps constrain new physics

In a constrained minimal supersymmetric model,  $(g-2)_{\mu}$  provides an independent constraint on the SUSY LSP (lightest supersymmetric partner) being the dark matter candidate.



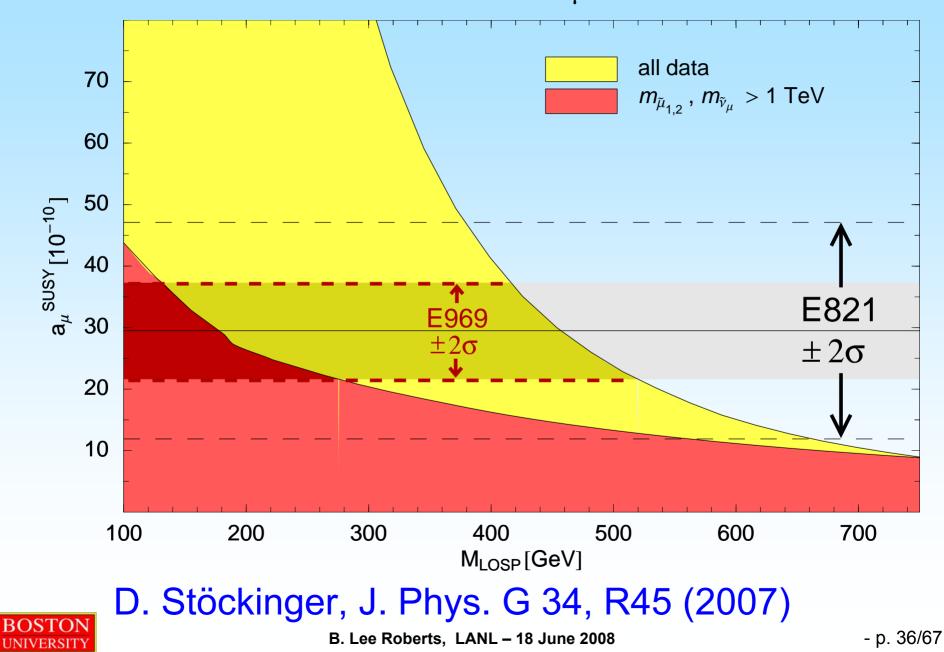
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Historically muon (g-2) has played an important role in restricting models of new physics.

It provides constraints that are independent and complementary to high-energy experiments.

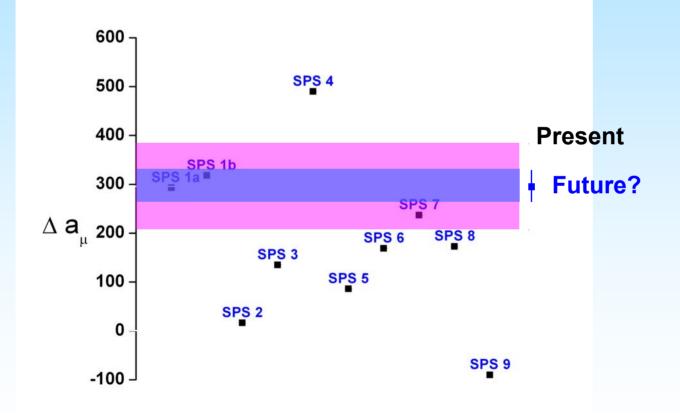
> CMSSM calculation Following Ellis, Olive, Santoso, Spanos, provided by K. Olive

### MSSM scan of $M_{LOSP}$ vrs. $a_{\mu}^{SUSY}$



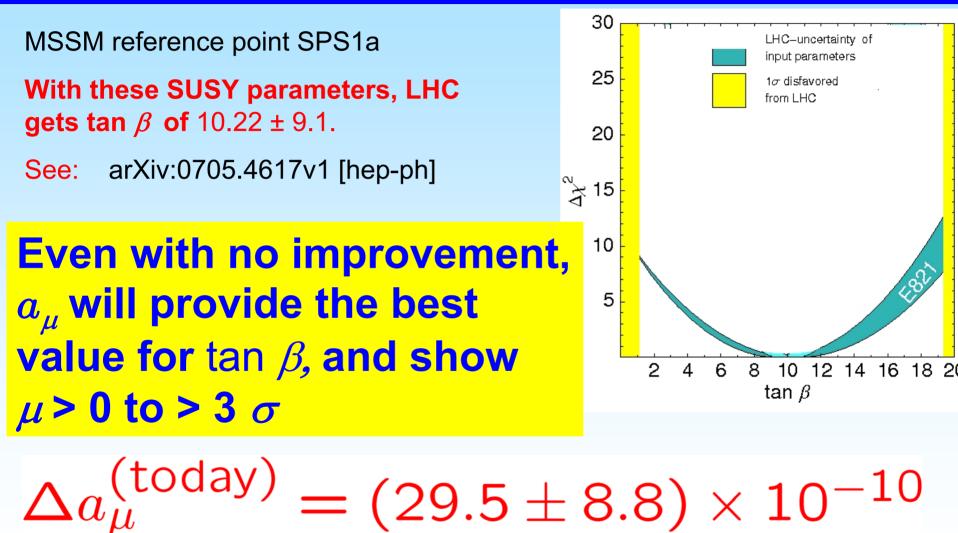
The Snowmass Points and Slopes give reasonable benchmarks to test observables with model predictions

Muon g-2 is a powerful discriminator ... <u>no matter where the final value lands</u>!



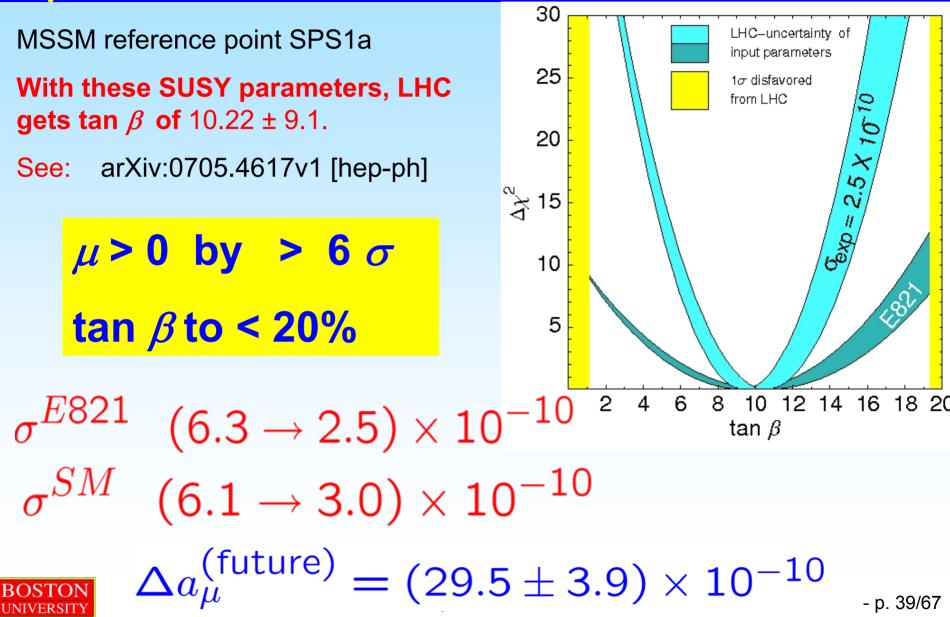


## $a_{\mu}$ will help constrain the interpretation of LHC data, e.g. tan $\beta$ and sgn $\mu$ parameter





# Improved experiment and theory for $a_{\mu}$ is important



The search for a Muon Electric Dipole Moment

# Electric Dipole Moment:

$$\mathcal{H} = -\vec{\mu} \cdot \vec{B} - \vec{d} \cdot \vec{E} \quad \vec{\mu}, \ \vec{d} \parallel \text{ to } \vec{\sigma}$$

$$\vec{E} \quad \vec{B} \quad \vec{\mu} \text{ or } \vec{d}$$

$$P \quad - \quad + \quad + \quad \text{Transformation}$$

$$C \quad - \quad - \quad - \quad \text{Properties}$$

$$T \quad + \quad - \quad -$$

If CPT is valid, an EDM would imply non-standard model *CP*.



#### Purcell and Ramsey: EDM would violate Parity Proposed to search for an EDM of the neutron

#### "raises directly the question of parity."

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#### On the Possibility of Electric Dipole Moments for Elementary Particles and Nuclei

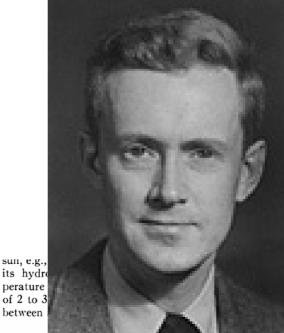
E. M. PURCELL AND N. F. RAMSEY Department of Physics, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts April 27, 1950

**I** T is generally assumed on the basis of some suggestive theoretical symmetry arguments<sup>1</sup> that nuclei and elementary particles can have no electric dipole moments. It is the purpose of this note to point out that although these theoretical arguments are valid when applied to molecular and atomic moments whose electromagnetic origin is well understood, their extension to nuclei and elementary particles rests on assumptions not yet tested.

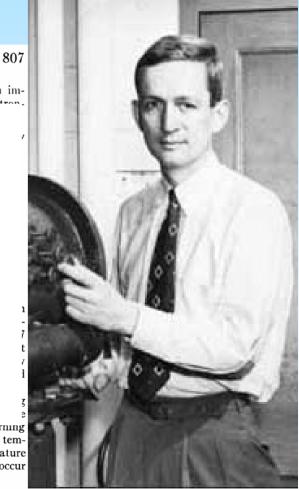
One form of the argument against the possibility of an electric dipole moment of a nucleon or similar particle is that the dipole's orientation must be completely specified by the orientation of the angular momentum which, however, is an axial vector specifying a direction of circulation, not a direction of displacement as would be required to obtain an electric dipole moment from electrical charges. On the other hand, if the nucleon should spend part of its time asymmetrically dissociated into opposite magnetic poles of the type that Dirac<sup>2</sup> has shown to be theoretically possible, a circulation of these magnetic poles could give rise to an electric dipole moment. To forestall a possible objection we may remark that this electric dipole would be a polar vector, being the product of the angular momentum (an axial vector) and the magnetic pole strength, which is a pseudoscalar in conformity with the usual convention that electric charge is a simple scalar.

The argument against electric dipoles, in another form, raises directly the question of parity. A nucleon with an electric dipole moment would show an asymmetry between left and fight handed coordinate systems; in one system the dipole moment

The authors wish to thank Mr. Smith for suggesting an im-



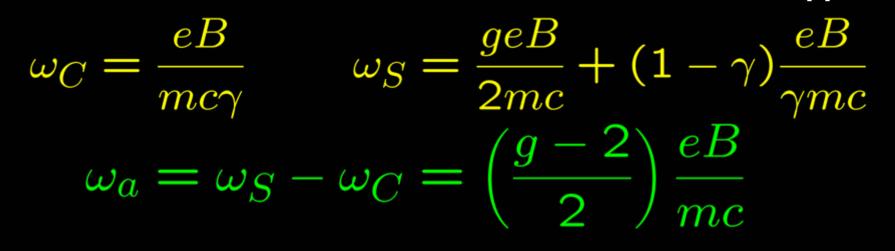
ral temperature vill occur



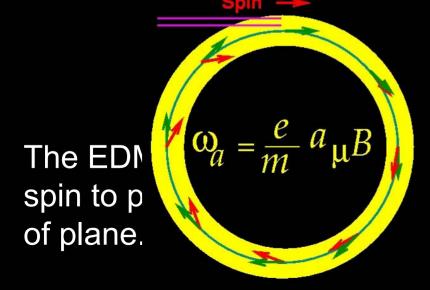




Spin Frequencies:  $\mu$  in B field with MDM & EDM

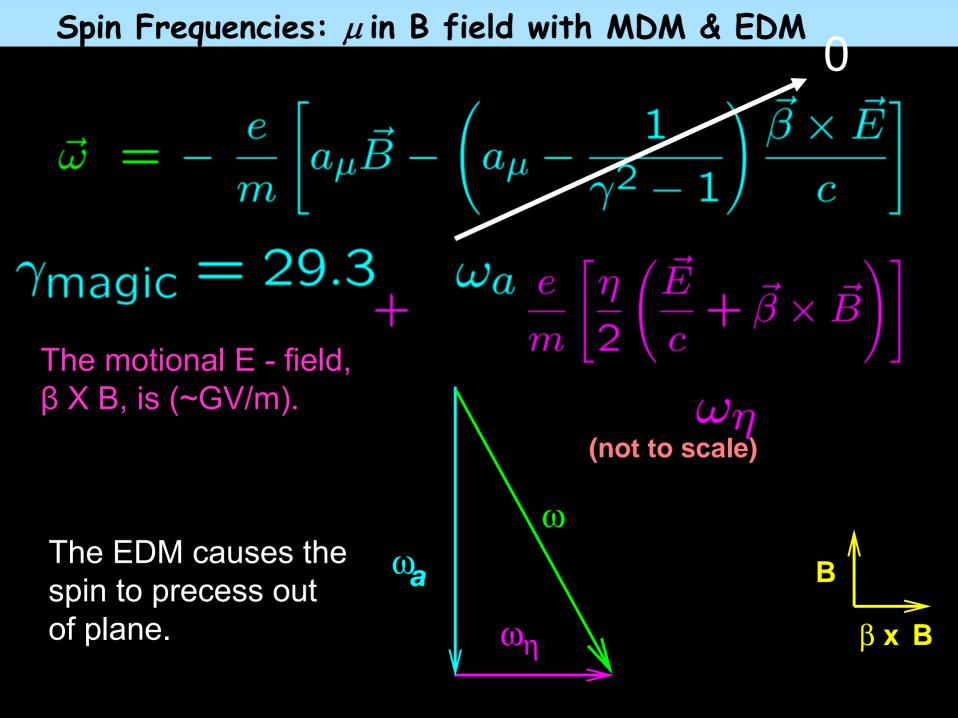


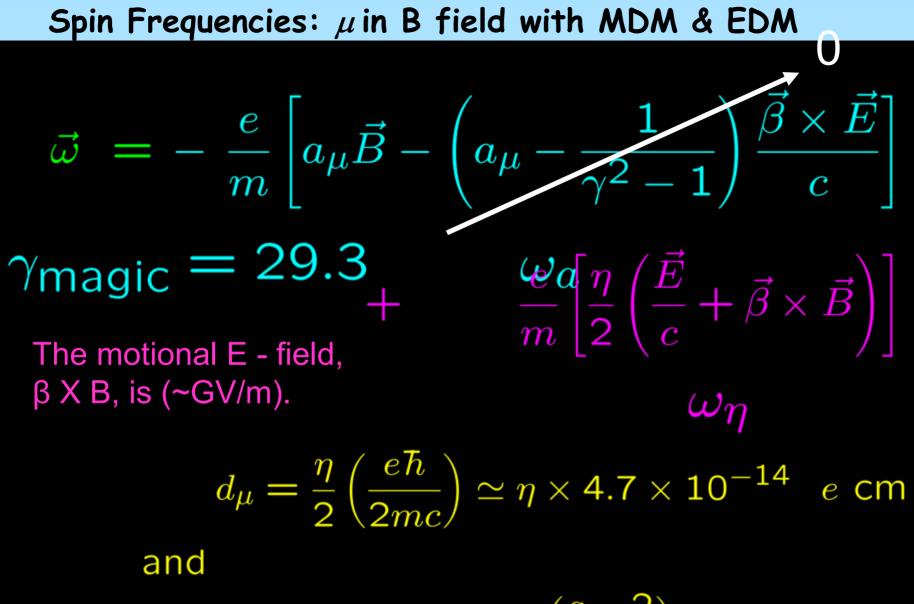
spin difference frequency =  $\omega_s - \omega_c$ 



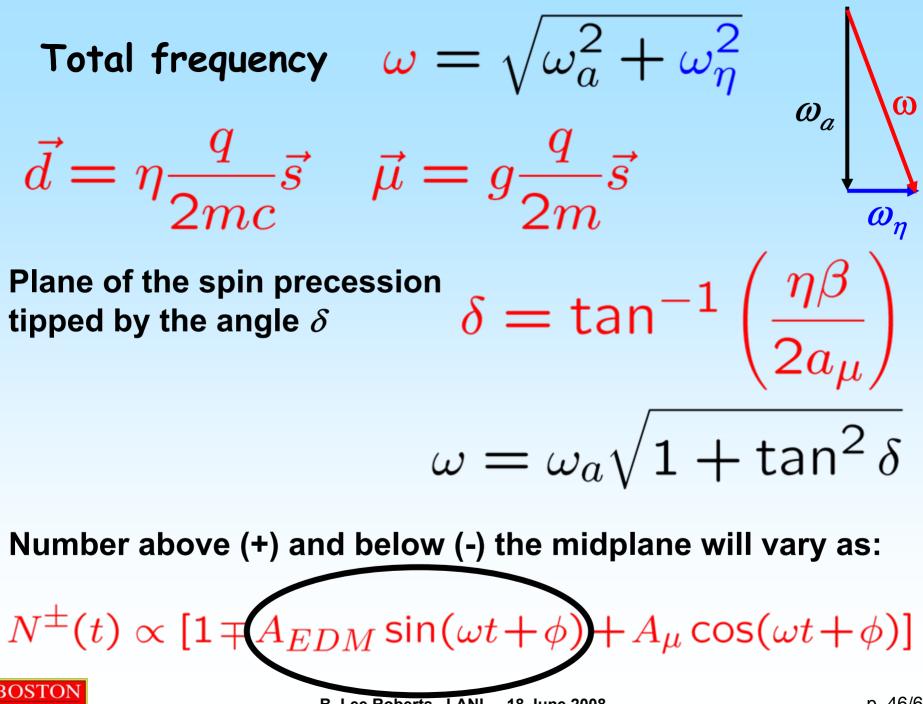
Momentum -

The highest energy decay  $e^{\pm}$  are along  $10^{-14}$  e Cm the muon spin direction





$$a_{\mu} = \left(\frac{g-2}{2}\right)$$



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since  $\omega^2 = \omega_a^2 + \omega_\eta^2$ , the  $\Delta_{a\mu}$  could be an EDM what value EDM would this correspond to?  $|d_{\mu}| = 1.8(.5) \times 10^{-19} \text{ eCm}$ obviously this would be exciting. See: Feng, et al., Nucl. Phys. B 613 (2001) 366

The CERN limits was:  $< 1.05 \times 10^{-18}$  95% CL

SM value < 10<sup>-38</sup>



E821 looked for this vertical oscillation in 3 ways

- 5-piece vertical hododscope in front of the calorimeters called an FSD
  - 14 detector stations
- Much finer x-y hododscope called a PSD
  - 5 detector stations
- Traceback straw tube array
  - 1 station
- No significant oscillation was found  $d_{\mu} < 2 \times 10^{-19} \ 95\% \ {\rm CL}^{*}$
- The observed  $\Delta a_{\mu}$  is not from an EDM at the 2.2  $\sigma$  level

#### \*Coming soon to a preprint server near you

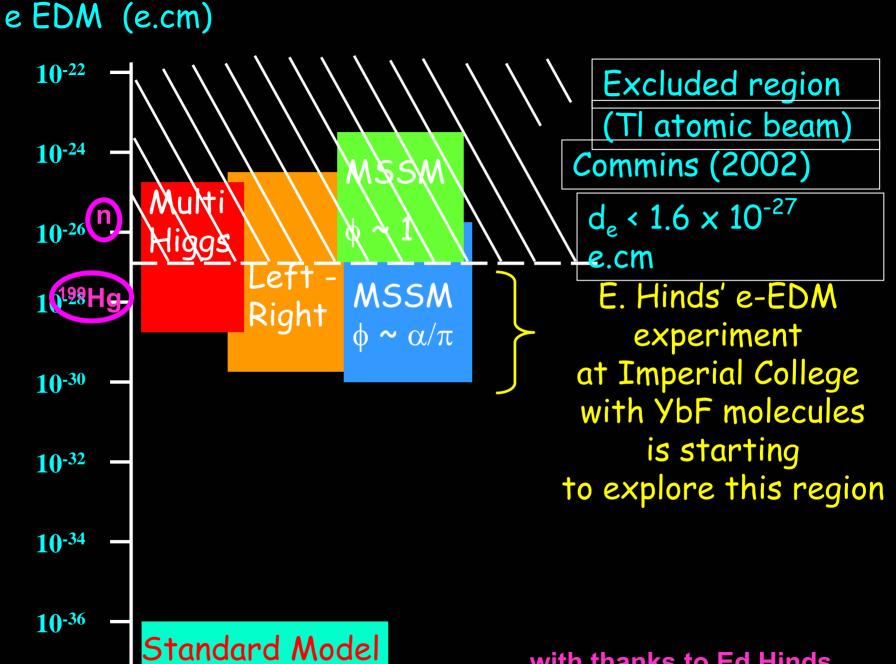


### The present EDM limits are orders of magnitude from the standard-model value

| Particle         | <i>Present EDM limit</i><br>(e-cm)     | <i>SM value</i><br>(e-cm) |  |  |
|------------------|--|---------------------------|--|--|
| n                | $2.9	imes10^{-26}$                     | $10^{-32} - 10^{-31}$     |  |  |
| $e^-$            | $\sim 1.6 	imes 10^{-27}$              | $< 10^{-41}$              |  |  |
| $\mu$            | $2 \times 10^{-19} * (E821)$           | < 10 <sup>-38</sup>       |  |  |
| future $\mu$ exp | 10 <sup>-24</sup> to 10 <sup>-25</sup> |                           |  |  |

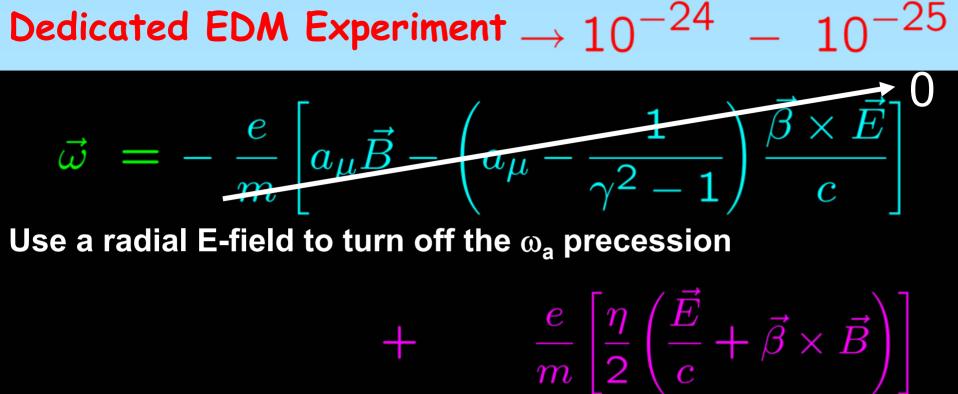
#### \*final and will be submitted to PRD soon





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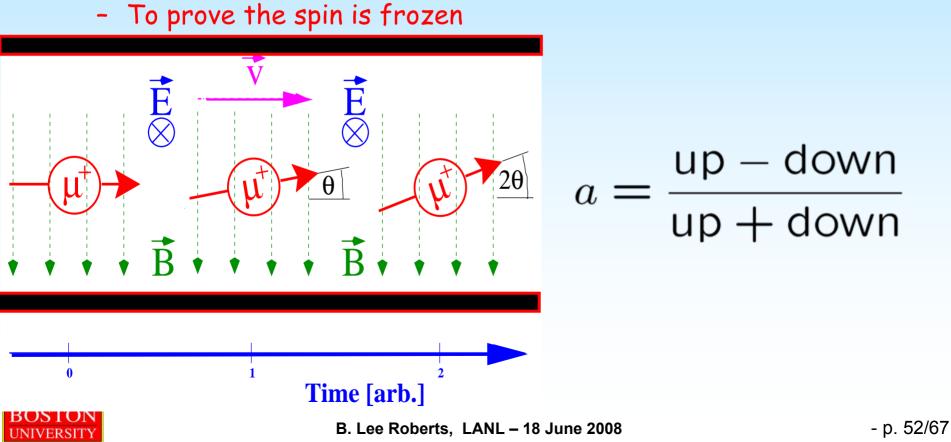
with thanks to Ed Hinds



With  $\omega_a = 0$ , the EDM causes the spin to steadily precess out of the plane.

#### "Frozen spin" technique to measure EDM

- Turn off the (g-2) precession with radial  $oldsymbol{E}$
- Up-Down detectors measure EDM asymmetry
- Look for an up-down asymmetry building up with time
- Side detectors measure (g-2) precession



#### **PSI** suggestion:

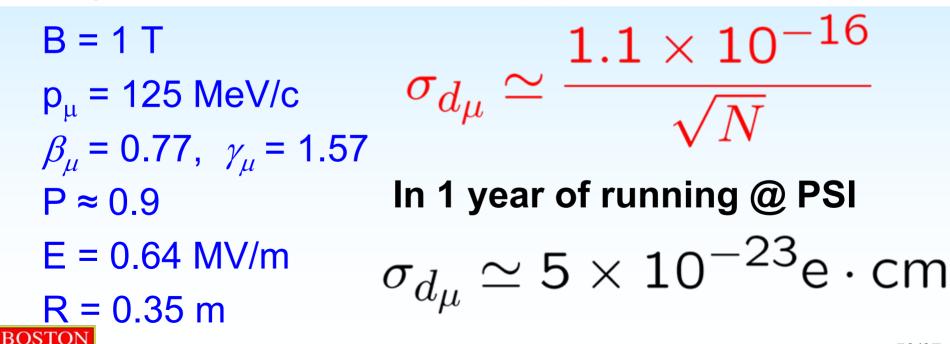
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Search for the muon electric dipole moment using a compact storage ring

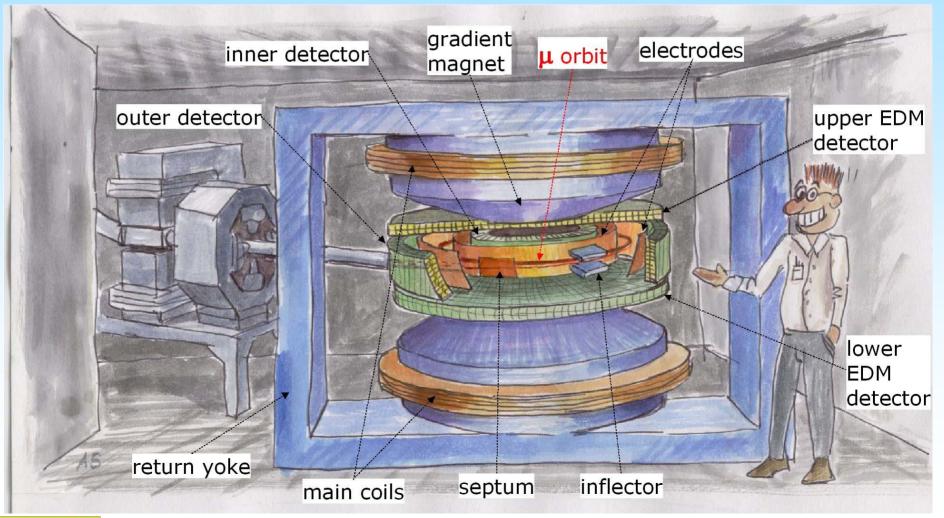
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The recently proposed 'New Method of Measuring Electric Dipole Moments in Storage Rings' [1], [2], [3] could be used in an experiment using the existing muon beam  $\mu$ E1 at PSI. A high muon polarization and a rather low momentum of  $p_{\mu} \sim 125 \text{ MeV/c}$  allow for an almost table-top storage ring and increase the intrinsic sensitivity and, thus, partially compensate for limitations due to lower event statistics. A measurement of the muon electric dipole moment with a sensitivity of better than  $d_{\mu} \sim 5 \times 10^{-23}$  e-cm within one year of data taking appears feasible.



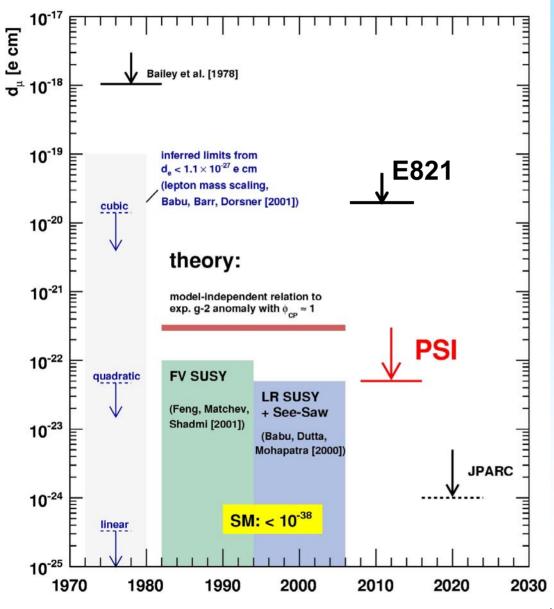


#### The storage ring is modest in size Injection studies look promising.





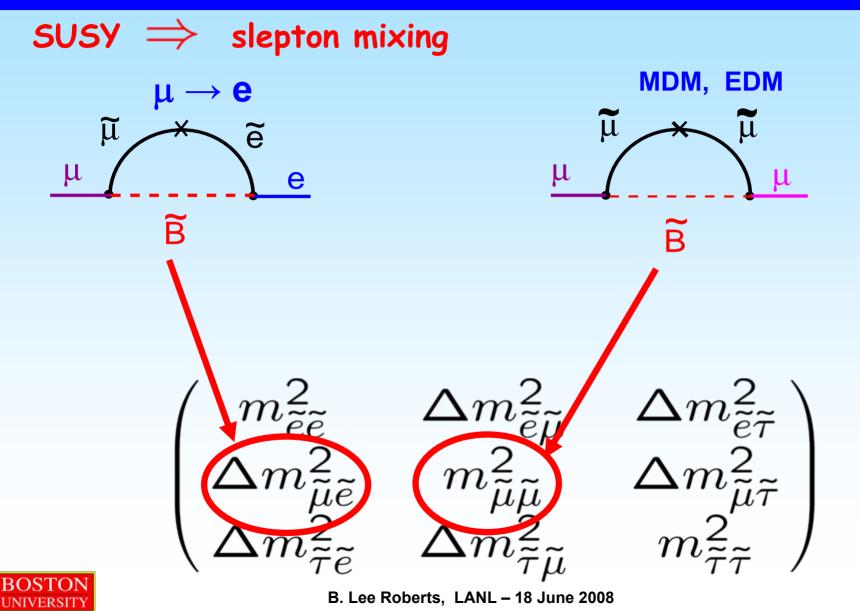
#### Muon EDM Limits: CERN3 and E821



#### E821: G. Bennett, et al., (Muon g-2 collaboration) to be submitted to PRD 2008

year June 2008

## Connection between MDM, EDM and the lepton flavor violating transition moment $\mu \rightarrow e$



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An Intermezzo: The search for CPT and Lorentz violation in  $\omega_a$ 

#### Search for Lorentz and CPT Violation Effects in Muon Spin Precession

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What we measure that could show CPT/Lorentz 0  
violation  
$$\vec{\omega}_a = -\frac{e}{m} \left[ a_\mu \vec{B} + \left( a_\mu - \frac{1}{\gamma^2 - 1} \right) \frac{\vec{\beta} \times \vec{E}}{c} \right]$$

 $\omega_a = \omega_S - \omega_C$ ; where  $\omega_C$  is unaffected by CPT/Lorentz to lowest order.

• BUT 
$$\omega_a = \omega_a(B) \Rightarrow \omega_a(\omega_p)$$

 $\cdot$  Instead we have to use  $\ \mathcal{R}=\frac{\omega_a}{\omega_p}$ 



 $\begin{aligned} \mathcal{C}\mathsf{PT/Lorentz violation in the Lagrangian}^{\star} \\ \mathcal{L}' &= -a_{\kappa}\bar{\psi}\gamma^{\kappa}\psi - b_{\kappa}\bar{\psi}\gamma_{5}\gamma^{\kappa}\psi - \frac{1}{2}H_{\kappa\lambda}\bar{\psi}\sigma^{\kappa\lambda}\psi \\ &+ \frac{1}{2}ic_{\kappa\lambda}\bar{\psi}\gamma^{\kappa}\stackrel{\leftrightarrow}{D^{\lambda}}\psi + \frac{1}{2}id_{\kappa\lambda}\bar{\psi}\gamma_{5}\gamma^{\kappa}\stackrel{\leftrightarrow}{D^{\lambda}}\psi \end{aligned}$ 

- $a_{\kappa}$ ,  $b_{\kappa}$  are CPT odd, others CPT even
- All terms violate Lorentz invariance
- In lowest-order,  $a_{\mu}$  is insensitive to violating terms
- Two tests of CPT/Lorentz violation:
  - Difference between  $\mathcal{R}(\mu^+)$  and  $\mathcal{R}(\mu^-)$
  - Sidereal time variation in  $\omega_a$



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Difference between 
$$\omega_a$$
 for  $\mu^+$  and  $\mu^-$   
 $\mathcal{L}' = -a_{\kappa}\bar{\psi}\gamma^{\kappa}\psi - (b_{\kappa})\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma^{\kappa}\psi - \frac{1}{2}H_{\kappa\lambda}\bar{\psi}\sigma^{\kappa\lambda}\psi$   
 $+\frac{1}{2}ic_{\kappa\lambda}\bar{\psi}\gamma^{\kappa} \stackrel{\leftrightarrow}{D^{\lambda}}\psi + \frac{1}{2}id_{\kappa\lambda}\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma^{\kappa} \stackrel{\leftrightarrow}{D^{\lambda}}\psi$   
 $\Delta\omega_a \equiv \langle \omega_a^{\mu^+} \rangle - \langle \omega_a^{\mu^-} \rangle = \frac{4b_Z}{\gamma}\cos\chi$   
To compare frequencies, in the experiment we must use  
 $\mathcal{R} = \frac{\omega_a}{\omega_p}$   
Separate studies show that any variation in  $\omega_p$  is much  
less that our limits for  $\omega_a$ .  $T_{\text{sidereal}} = 86164.09$  s

$$T_{\rm solar}$$
 = 86400 s

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For two measurements with different colatitudes and  $\omega_p$ :

 $\mathcal{L}' = -a_{\kappa}\bar{\psi}\gamma^{\kappa}\psi - (b_{\kappa}\bar{\psi}\gamma_{5}\gamma^{\kappa}\psi - \frac{1}{2}H_{\kappa\lambda}\bar{\psi}\sigma^{\kappa\lambda}\psi$  $+\frac{1}{2}ic_{\kappa\lambda}\bar{\psi}\gamma^{\kappa}\stackrel{\leftrightarrow}{D^{\lambda}}\psi+\frac{1}{2}id_{\kappa\lambda}\bar{\psi}\gamma_{5}\gamma^{\kappa}\stackrel{\leftrightarrow}{D^{\lambda}}\psi$  $\Delta \mathcal{R} = \frac{2b_Z}{\gamma} \left(\frac{\cos \chi_1}{\omega_{p1}} + \frac{\cos \chi_2}{\omega_{p2}}\right)$ EQUATOR  $+2(m_{\mu}d_{Z0}+H_{XY})\left(\frac{\cos\chi_{1}}{\omega_{p1}}-\frac{\cos\chi_{2}}{\omega_{p2}}\right)$ 



# For the difference, we find $\Delta \mathcal{R} = -(3.6 \pm 3.7) \times 10^{-9}$

Bennett, et al., Phys. Rev. D73, 072003-1

# $b_Z = -(8.7 \pm 8.9) \times 10^{-24} \text{ GeV}$ $r_{\Delta \omega_a} \equiv \frac{\Delta \omega_a}{m_\mu} = -(1.0 \pm 1.1) \times 10^{-23}$



#### Approaches to search for an oscillation signal:

- G. Bennett, et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 100, 091602 (2008) (Thesis of Xiaobo Huang)
  - Multi-parameter fit
    - good for all data
  - Fourier Transform
    - only works on equally spaced data
  - Lomb-Scargle test
    - designed for unequally spaced data
  - All gave comparable results.

-No significant oscillation



These limits translate into 95% CL limits on parameters

$$b_T^{\mu^+} = \sqrt{(\check{b}_X^{\mu^+})^2 + (\check{b}_Y^{\mu^+})^2} \le 1.4 \times 10^{-24} \text{ GeV}$$
$$\check{b}_T^{\mu^-} = \sqrt{(\check{b}_X^{\mu^-})^2 + (\check{b}_Y^{\mu^-})^2} \le 2.6 \times 10^{-24} \text{ GeV}$$

dividing by  $m_{\mu}$ 

$$r_{A_{\Omega}}^{\mu^+} \leq 2 \times 10^{-23}$$
  $r_{A_{\Omega}}^{\mu} \leq 3.8 \times$ 

**Muonium hyperfine structure** 

electron in a penning trap

 $r^{\mu^+} \le 5 \times 10^{-22}$  $r^e \le 1.6 \times 10^{-21}$ 

note that



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 $\frac{m_{\mu}}{2} = 8.7 \times 10^{-21}$ 

# Future Improvements in $a_{\mu}$ ?

- $\sigma_{\rm stat} = \pm 0.46 \text{ ppm } \sigma_{\rm syst} = \pm 0.28 \text{ ppm}$
- Theory (strong interaction part) will improve.
  - both lowest order, and light-by-light
- If money were no object, how well could the experiment be improved?
  - The limit of our technique is between ~0.1 and 0.06 ppm.



### The error budget for a new experiment represents a continuation of improvements already made during E821

| Systematic uncertainty (ppm)  | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | E???<br>Goal |
|-------------------------------|------|------|------|------|--------------|
| Magnetic field – $w_{p}$      | 0.5  | 0.4  | 0.24 | 0.17 | ≤0.1         |
| Anomalous precession – $w_a$  | 0.8  | 0.3  | 0.31 | 0.21 | ≤0.1         |
| a a                           |      |      |      |      |              |
| Statistical uncertainty (ppm) | 4.9  | 1.3  | 0.62 | 0.66 | ?            |
| Total Uncertainty (ppm)       | 5.0  | 1.3  | 0.73 | 0.72 | <b>≃0</b> .1 |

- Field improvements: better trolley calibrations, better tracking of the field with time, temperature stability of room, improvements in the hardware
- Precession improvements will involve new beam scraping scheme, lower thresholds, more complete digitization periods, better energy calibration



#### Possible Future Experiments ?

- Brookhaven
  - E969 aimed for 0.2 ppm overall error
  - No funding, most unlikely
- Fermilab
  - the  $\mu \rightarrow e$  conversion experiment is top priority in the recent P5 recommendations.
  - g-2 is mentioned as important, but with the three sites mentioned as possibilities. We would aim for 0.1 ppm total error. It could be done at FNAL, and we have received significant interest there.
- J-PARC
  - Significant interest in moving the ring there. goal is  $\leq 0.1$  total error



#### Summary

- The measurement of  $e^-$  and  $\mu^{\pm}$  magnetic dipole moments has been an important benchmark for the development of QED and the standard model of particle physics.
- The muon anomaly has been particularly valuable in restricting physics beyond the standard model, and will continue to do so in the LHC Era
- There appears to be a difference between  $a_{\mu}$  and the standard-model prediction at the 3.4 (3.7)  $\sigma$  level.
- Much activity continues on the theoretical front.
- A new limit on the EDM is now available
- The experiment can certainly be improved... and we look forward to discussions with FNAL and J-PARC

