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g-2 trolley system

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Today we will talk about

- g-2 introduction
- My work
- Future improvements



- Superconducting magnets generate 1.45 Tesla magnet field
- 7.1 metres radius



- g-2 experiment at Fermilab aims at measuring the anomalous magnetic moment of muons
- Previous experiment at Brookhaven (E821) measured a 3.6 sigma deviation from the theoretical value
- Fermilab goal is to improve precision to 140 ppb to see if hints of new physics beyond the SM are confirmed



- Fermilab new muon production facility can deliver 21 times more muons to the ring, thus increasing statistic
- Muons originate from decaying pions produced by protons hitting a nickel target
- First data scheduled in 2017



B-field

- Magnetic field around the ring will be mapped using a trolley system made of 17 fixed petroleum gelly (more stable over time) NMR probes
- Each of these probes will measure the field with a precision of 30 ppb
- These probes must be calibrated using a very homogeneous field generated by a MRI solenoid and compare the value to the one measured by absolute water probes
- Put water probes in the solenoid to measure B_{Abs}
- 2) Measure the same field with gelly petroleum probes to get Brolley
- 3) Take the difference B_{Abs} $B_{Trolley}$





360 fixed NMR probes



17 NMR probes on trolley to take map at 6000 azimuthal locations



But

• We want

 $\Delta B = B_{abs} - B_{trolley}$

- We measure instead:
- $\Delta B = \Delta B + \frac{dB}{dx} \Delta x$

We would like to have a stable system that places probes always **B/dx** in the same spot. This is crucial to get an accurate value of the field

This solenoid has a gradient of about 10 ppb/mm.







Basic idea:

- Bring trolley system inside the solenoid
- Try to bring water probes in the same spot of the trolley probes









How do we move probes? Galil motion crontrol

- 6 axes motion control
- Each axes has 6 pins to comunicate with the motor
- Can be programmed using C++ libraries

It can be integrated into MIDAS,

g-2 data acquisition system





MIDAS

- Data acquisition is being built using MIDAS software package
- It provides:
- 1) Framework for an event builder
- 2) Datas can be output into a binary data format that will be processed using ROOT

3)Web interface for control of the experiment



My work

My work was to :

- learn how to comunicate with Galil through c++ code
- Develop the interface using MIDAS sofware package









First test: repeatability





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• We measured the number of centimeters per encoder counts:

 $(3.242 \pm 0.003) * 10^{-3} \ cm/encoder counts$

• We used a switch to limit the motion in the forward direction

3 counts spred from the histogram

this corresponds to 0.1 mm resolution



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