MUON 9-2 EXPERIMENT

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Muons

- Discovered in 1936 by C. Anderson and S. Neddermeyer
- Charge: -1; Spin ½
- Lifetime at rest: 2.2 µs
- Mass: 105.65 MeV

Standard Model of Elementary Particles

Spin Precession

• A particle in a magnetic field expericence a torque proportional to the magnetic moment:

$$
\vec{\mu} = g \frac{e}{2m} \vec{S}
$$

. The spin precession frequency is defined as:

$$
\omega_s = g \frac{e}{2m} B
$$

- From Dirac's equation $g=2$ for an elementary particle
- Define the anomaly $a_{\mu} = \frac{g-2}{2}$

 $\uparrow \vec{B}$ \vec{S}_{μ} μ^+ $\omega_s = g' \frac{e}{2m} B$

Muon g-2 Value

Theory VS Experiment

The Muon g-2 Theory Initiative

T. Aoyama et al. - The anomalous magnetic moment of the muon in the Standard Model - Phys. Rept. 887 (2020) 1-166

Table 1: Summary of the contributions to a_0^{SM} . After the experimental number from E821, the first block gives the main results for the hadronic contributions from Secs. 2 to 5 as well as the combined result for HLbL scattering from phenomenology and lattice QCD constructed in Sec. 8. The second block summarizes the quantities entering our recommended SM value, in particular, the total HVP contribution, evaluated from e^+e^- data, and the total HLbL number. The construction of the total HVP and HLbL contributions takes into account correlations among the terms at different orders, and the final rounding includes subleading digits at intermediate stages. The HVP evaluation is mainly based on the experimental Refs. [37– 89]. In addition, the HLbL evaluation uses experimental input from Refs. [90–109]. The lattice QCD calculation of the HLbL contribution builds on crucial methodological advances from Refs. [110–116]. Finally, the QED value uses the fine-structure constant obtained from atom-interferometry measurements of the Cs atom [117].

Beam Injection and Storage

How we produce and store a 95% polarized muon beam

Magnetometer Analysis

- Kickers show a transient in the measurement window that can bias the ω_a measurement
- A Faraday Effect magnetometer built by the INFN team used to precisely map the kickers field
- This measurement is now used to determine a correction and a systematic for the ω_a value

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The Measurement

Three main ingredients are needed with a very high precision

How to measure the Polarization

- . High Momentum positrons are emitted preferentially in the muon's spin direction
- Count the number of high momentum e^+ in a fixed direction to extract ω_a

Fitting ω_a

• In principle a simple exponential fit modulated by the precession frequency variation:

 $N(t) = N_0 e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \cdot [1 - A \cos(\omega_a t + \varphi)]$

- Beam Dynamics effectrs, visible in the FFT of residuals add a bias to the measured value
- Need to account for all these effects…

Fitting ω_a (for real)

$$
N(t) = N_0 e^{-\frac{t}{\gamma \tau}} [1 + A \cdot A_{BO}(t) \cos(\omega_a t + \phi + \phi_{BO}(t))] \cdot N_{\text{CBO}}(t) \cdot N_{\text{VW}}(t) \cdot N_y(t) \cdot N_{\text{2CBO}}(t) \cdot \Lambda(t)
$$

$$
N_{\text{CBO}}(t) = 1 + A_{\text{CBOCOS}}(\omega_{\text{CBO}}(t) \cdot t + \phi_{\text{CBO}})e^{-\frac{t}{\tau_{\text{CBO}}}}
$$
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$$
N_{2\text{CBO}}(t) = 1 + A_{2\text{CBOCOS}}(2\omega_{\text{CBO}}(t) \cdot t + \phi_{2\text{CBO}})e^{-\frac{t}{2\tau_{\text{CBO}}}}
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$$
N_{\text{VW}}(t) = 1 + A_{\text{VW}}\cos(\omega_{\text{VW}}(t) \cdot t + \phi_{\text{VW}})e^{-\frac{t}{\tau_{\text{VW}}}}
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N_{\text{y}}(t) = 1 + A_{\text{y}}\cos(\omega_{\text{V}}(t) \cdot t + \phi_{\text{y}})e^{-\frac{t}{\tau_{\text{CBO}}}}
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\phi_{\text{BO}}(t) = 1 + A_{\text{A}}\cos(\omega_{\text{CBO}}(t) \cdot t + \phi_{\text{A}})e^{-\frac{t}{\tau_{\text{CBO}}}}
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\phi_{\text{BO}}(t) = A_{\phi}\cos(\omega_{\text{CBO}}(t) \cdot t + \phi_{\phi})e^{-\frac{t}{\tau_{\text{CBO}}}}
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\omega_{\text{CBO}}(t) = \omega_{0}^{\text{CBO}} + \frac{A}{t}e^{-\frac{t}{\tau_{\text{A}}}} + \frac{B}{t}e^{-\frac{t}{\tau_{\text{B}}}}
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\omega_{\text{VW}}(t) = F\omega_{\text{CBO}}(t)\sqrt{2\omega_{\text{c}}/F\omega_{\text{CBO}}(t) - 1}
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$$
\omega_{\text{VW}}(t) = \omega_{\text{c}} - 2\omega_{\text{y}}(t)
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$$
\Lambda(t) = 1 - k_{\text{LM}}\int_{t_{0}}^{t} L(t')e^{t'/\tau} dt'
$$

The Magnetic Field

- Superconducting Magnet with 7.1m radius
- Producing 1.45 T magnetic field in the storage region
- Magnet current ~5173 A
- Provides field for bending the muons + producing the precession effect
- Highly uniform due to shimming and wedging process
- 347 NMR probes continuously monitor the field variations

The Magnetic Field (2)

- The Trolley is equipped with 17 NMR probes
- Monitors the field INSIDE the storage region
- Runs every 2/3 days

The Result

What does it mean and how it compares to theory

X C.F

aexp $= 0.00116592059 \pm 0.00000000022 [0.19 ppm]$

Un puzzle da 1000 pezzi con un pezzo mancante:

100 puzzle da 1000 pezzi con un pezzo mancante:

5263 puzzle da 1000 pezzi con un pezzo mancante:

7142 puzzle da 1000 pezzi con un pezzo mancante:

Conclusions and Future Perspectives

Ongoing analyses, Theory Puzzles

Theory Side

- Comparison with the white paper result leads to a 5.2 sigma discrepancy with the experiment
- The WP result is computed with dispersive approach and doesn't include Lattice calculations for HVP terms
- A result from BMW (2020) using the Lattice approach shows a smaller discrepancy
- New Lattice calculations suggest an agreement with the experiment

Theory Side (2)

• Dispersive approach is based on the integral

$$
a_{\mu}^{HVP} = \frac{\alpha^2}{3\pi^2} \int_{m_{\pi}^2}^{+\infty} \frac{K(s)}{s} R(s) ds
$$

$$
R(s) = \frac{\sigma(e^+e^- \to hadrons)}{\sigma_{pt}(e^+e^- \to \mu^+\mu^-)}
$$

- The e^+e^- into hadrons cross section is from experiments (KLOE, BaBar etc.)
- A new result from CMD-3 (Novosibirsk) shows additional tension with the previous measurements
- A new analysis of KLOE data is undergoing to understand the reason for the discrepancies

Future results

- On the 9th of July 2023 the experiment data-taking ended
- Overall a statistical power of 21
times the BNL experiment was collected
- Run 2-3 result released on 10th of August 2023 with an uncertainty of 200 ppb
- In 2023-2024 a campaign of field measurement was conducted on the magnet
- Magnet is now at room temperature ready for decommissioning
- Run 4-5-6 are under analysis and the result is expected to be published in 2025

