

Hadronic light-by-light contribution to the muon anomalous magnetic moment

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Interaction of particle with static magnetic field

$$V(\vec{x}) = -\vec{\mu} \cdot \vec{B}_{\text{ext}}$$

The magnetic moment $\vec{\mu}$ is proportional to its spin ($c = \hbar = 1$)

$$\vec{\mu} = g \left(\frac{e}{2m} \right) \vec{S}$$

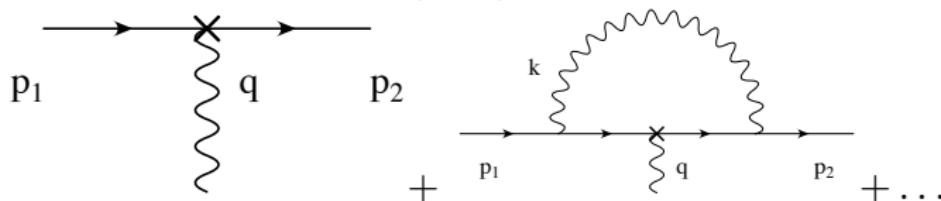
The Landé g -factor is predicted from the free Dirac eq. to be

$$g = 2$$

for elementary fermions

The magnetic moment of the muon

In interacting **quantum** (field) theory g gets corrections



$$\gamma^\mu \rightarrow \Gamma^\mu(q) = \left(\gamma^\mu F_1(q^2) + \frac{i \sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu}{2m} F_2(q^2) \right)$$

which results from Lorentz and gauge invariance when the muon is on-mass-shell.

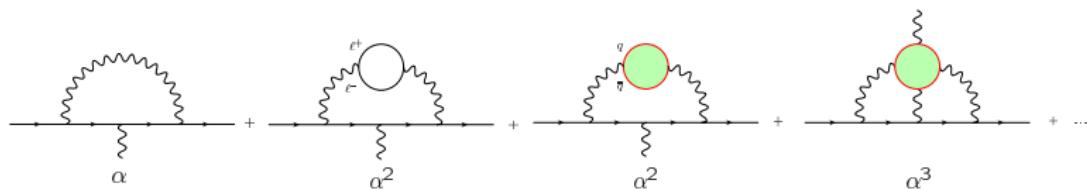
$$F_2(0) = \frac{g - 2}{2} \equiv a_\mu \quad (F_1(0) = 1)$$

(the anomalous magnetic moment, or anomaly)

The magnetic moment of the muon

Compute these corrections order-by-order in perturbation theory by expanding $\Gamma^\mu(q^2)$ in QED coupling constant

$$\alpha = \frac{e^2}{4\pi} = \frac{1}{137} + \dots$$

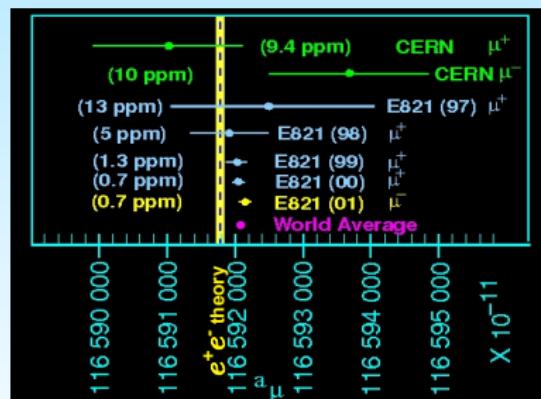


Corrections begin at $\mathcal{O}(\alpha)$; Schwinger term $= \frac{\alpha}{2\pi} = 0.0011614\dots$

hadronic contributions $\sim 6 \times 10^{-5}$ times smaller (**leading error**).

Experimental value (L. Roberts, INT WS) Dominated by BNL E821

E821 achieved ± 0.54 ppm. The e^+e^- -based theory is at the ~ 0.4 ppm level. Difference is $\sim 3.6 \sigma$



$$a_\mu^{exp} = 116\,592\,089(63) \times 10^{-11} \text{ (0.54 ppm)}$$

$$\Delta a_\mu \equiv a_\mu^{exp} - a_\mu^{SM} = (287 \pm 80) \times 10^{-11}$$

Theory: arXiv:1010.4180v1 [hep-ph] Davier, Hoecker, Malaescu, and Zhang, Tau2010

Lee Roberts - INT Workshop on HLbL 28 February 2011

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Theory value (standard model) (L. Roberts, INT WS)

The SM Value for a_μ from $e^+e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons}$ (Updated 9/10)

CONTRIBUTION	RESULT ($\times 10^{-11}$) UNITS
QED (leptons)	$116\ 584\ 718.09 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.04_\alpha$
HVP(lo)	$6\ 914 \pm 42_{\text{exp}} \pm 14_{\text{rad}} \pm 7_{\text{pQCD}}$
HVP(ho)	$-98 \pm 1_{\text{exp}} \pm 0.3_{\text{rad}}$
HLxL	105 ± 26
EW	$152 \pm 2 \pm 1$
Total SM	$116\ 591\ 793 \pm 51$

A. Höcker Tau 2010, U. Manchester September 2010

New experiments + new theory = new physics (?)

- ▶ Fermilab E989, ~ 5 years away, 0.14 ppm
- ▶ J-PARC E34 ? (recently, lower priority than $\mu \rightarrow e$)
- ▶ $a_\mu(\text{Expt}) - a_\mu(\text{SM}) = 287(63)(51) (\times 10^{-11})$, or $\sim 3.6\sigma$
- ▶ If both central values stay the same,
 - ▶ E989 ($\sim 4 \times$ smaller error) $\rightarrow \sim 5\sigma$
 - ▶ E989+new HLBL theory (models+lattice, 10%) $\rightarrow \sim 6\sigma$
 - ▶ E989+new HLBL +new HVP (50% reduction) $\rightarrow \sim 8\sigma$
- ▶ **Big discrepancy!** (New Physics $\sim 2 \times$ Electroweak)
- ▶ Lattice calculations crucial
- ▶ a_μ good for constraining and explaining BSM physics
- ▶ New 10th order $a_\mu(\text{QED}) = 116\,584\,718\,951(80) \times 10^{-14}$

arXiv:1205.5370

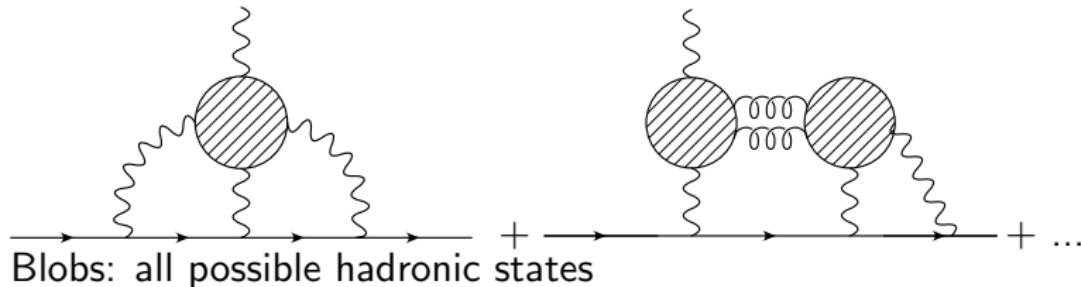
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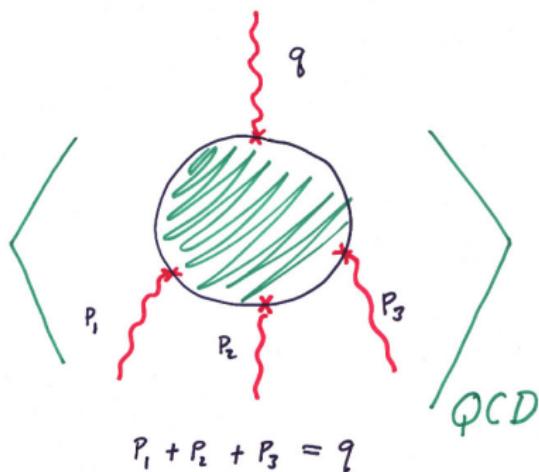


Model estimates put this $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^3)$ contribution at about $(10-12) \times 10^{-10}$ with a 25-40% uncertainty

No dispersion relation *a'la* vacuum polarization

Lattice regulator: model independent, approximations systematically improvable

Lattice QCD: conventional approach



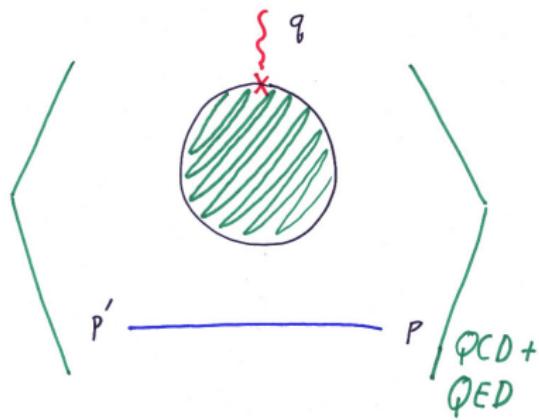
Correlation of 4 EM currents
 $\Pi^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}(q, p_1, p_2)$

Two independent momenta
+external mom q

Compute for all possible
values of p_1 and p_2 , ($O(V^2)$)
four index tensor (32 Lorentz
structures for g-2!)

several q , (extrap $q \rightarrow 0$),
fit, plug into perturbative QED
two-loop integrals

New approach (QCD+QED on the lattice)



Average over combined gluon
and photon gauge configurations

Quarks coupled to gluons and photons

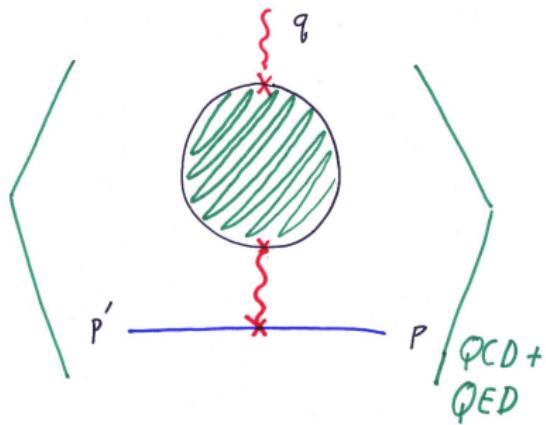
muon coupled to photons

[Hayakawa *et al.* (2005), hep-lat/0509016;

Chowdhury *et al.* (2008);

Chowdhury Ph. D. thesis (2009)]

New approach (QCD+QED on the lattice)



Attach one photon by hand (see why in a minute)

Correlation of hadronic loop and muon line

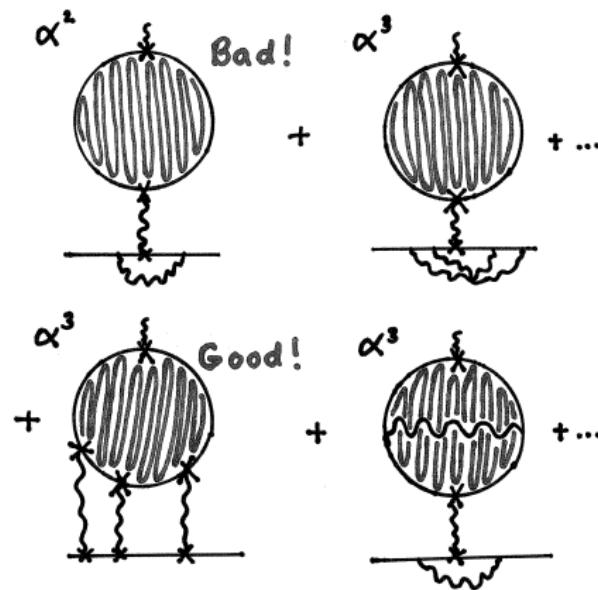
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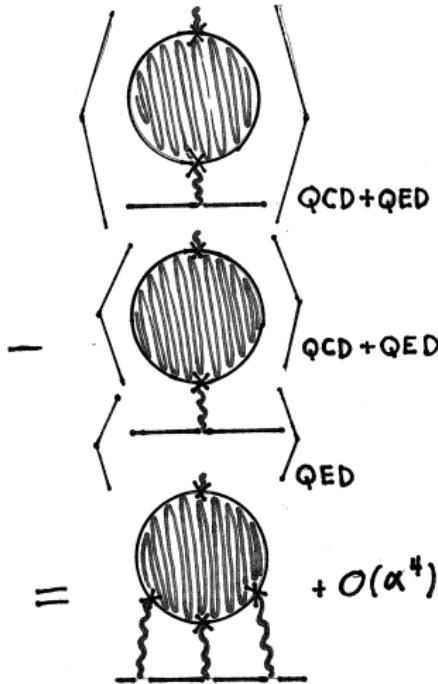
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New approach: Formally expand in α

The leading and next-to-leading contributions in α to magnetic part of correlation function come from



New approach: Subtraction of lowest order piece



Subtraction term is product of separate averages of the loop and line

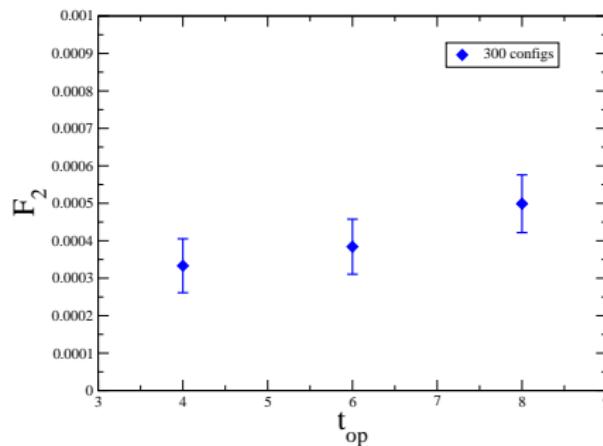
Gauge configurations identical in both, so two are **highly correlated**

In PT, correlation function and subtraction have **same contributions except the light-by-light** term which is absent in the subtraction

F_2 ($m_\mu/m_e = 40$, QED only)

(Chowdhury Ph. D. thesis, UConn, 2009)

$$F_2 = (3.96 \pm 0.70) \times 10^{-4}$$



- ▶ quenched QED
(Feynman gauge)
- ▶ $e = 1$
- ▶ $16^3 \times 32$ lattice size
- ▶ lowest non-zero momentum only
- ▶ **stat error only**
(300 meas)

- ▶ Expected size of enhancement (compared to $m_\mu/m_e = 1$)
- ▶ Continuum PT result: $\approx 10(\alpha/\pi)^3 = 1.63 \times 10^{-4}$ ($e = 1$)
- ▶ roughly consistent with PT result, large finite volume effect

F_2 , $m_\mu/m_e = 40$, finite volume study (QED only)

- ▶ Repeat calculation with 24^3 lattice volume
- ▶ Bigger box $F_2 = (1.19 \pm 0.32) \times 10^{-4}$
- ▶ Small box $F_2 = (3.96 \pm 0.70) \times 10^{-4}$
- ▶ finite volume effects manageable
- ▶ Continuum PT result: $\approx 10(\alpha/\pi)^3 = 1.63 \times 10^{-4}$ ($e = 1$)
- ▶ Roughly consistent with PT result

a_μ (HLbL) in 2+1f QCD+QED (PRELIMINARY)

- ▶ Same as before, but with $U = U(1) \times SU(3)$ [Duncan, et al., 1996]
- ▶ QCD in the loop only (same in subtraction)
- ▶ QED in both loop and line
- ▶ 2+1 flavors (u, d, s) of DWF (RBC/UKQCD)
- ▶ $a = 0.114$ fm, $16^3 \times 32 (\times 16)$, $a^{-1} = 1.73$ GeV
- ▶ $m_q \approx 0.013$, $m_\pi \approx 420$ MeV
- ▶ $m_\mu \approx 692$ MeV ($m_\mu^{\text{phys}} = 105.658367(4)$ MeV)
- ▶ 100 configurations (one QED conf. for each QCD conf.)
- ▶ $(N_s/4)^3 = 64$ (loop) propagator calculations/configuration

a_μ (HLbL) in 2+1f lattice QCD+QED (PRELIMINARY)

- ▶ a_μ (HLbL) = $(-15.7 \pm 2.3) \times 10^{-5}$ (lowest non-zero mom, $e = 1$)
- ▶ HLbL amplitude depends strongly on m_μ (m_μ^2 in models)
- ▶ Magnitude 5-10 times bigger, sign opposite from models
- ▶ models not expected to be accurate in this regime
- ▶ Check subtraction is working by varying $e = 0.84, 1.19$
 - ▶ HLbL amplitude ($\sim e^4$) changes by ~ 0.5 and 2 ✓
 - ▶ while unsubtracted amplitude stays the same ✓

a_μ (HLbL) in 2+1f lattice QCD+QED (PRELIMINARY)

- ▶ Easy to lower muon mass (muon line is cheap)
- ▶ Try $m_\mu \approx 190$ MeV
- ▶ $a_\mu(\text{HLbL}) = (-2.2 \pm 0.8) \times 10^{-5}$

(lowest non-zero mom, $e = 1$)

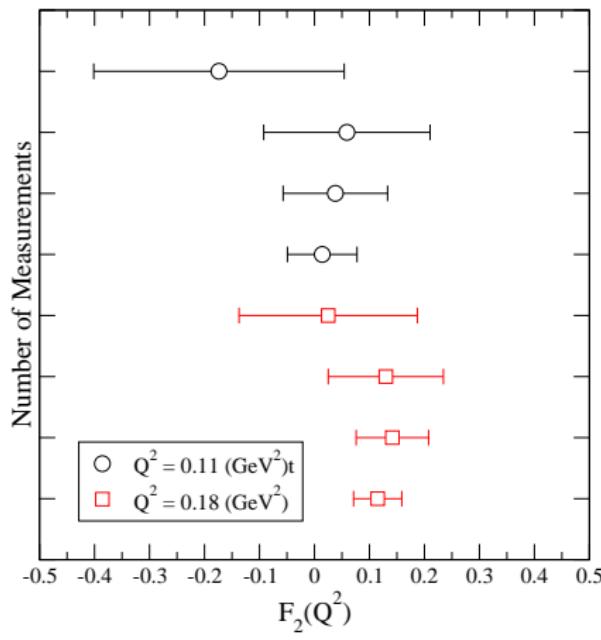
Right direction...

a_μ (HLbL) in 2+1 flavor lattice QCD+QED

- ▶ Try larger lattice, 24^3 ((2.7 fm) 3)
- ▶ Pion mass is smaller too, $m_\pi = 329$ MeV
- ▶ Same muon mass, $m_\mu \approx 190$ MeV
- ▶ two lowest values of Q^2 (0.11 and 0.18 GeV 2)
- ▶ Use **All Mode Averaging** (AMA)
 - ▶ 6^3 point sources/configuration (216)
 - ▶ AMA approximation:
 1. “sloppy CG” $r_{\text{stop}} = 10^{-4}$
 2. 400 low modes

$a_\mu(\text{HLbL})$ in 2+1f lattice QCD+QED (PRELIMINARY)

$F_2(Q^2)$ stable with additional configurations ($20 \rightarrow 40 \rightarrow 80 \rightarrow 160$)



24^3

$Q^2 = 0.11 \text{ and } 0.18 \text{ GeV}^2$

$m_\pi \approx 329 \text{ MeV}$

$m_\mu \approx 190 \text{ MeV}$

a_μ (HLbL) in 2+1f lattice QCD+QED (PRELIMINARY)

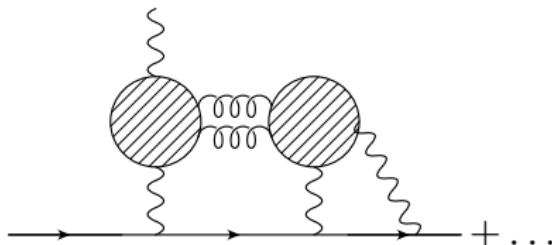
Signal may be emerging in the model ballpark:

- ▶ $F_2(0.18 \text{ GeV}^2) = (0.115 \pm 0.044) \times \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^3$
- ▶ $F_2(0.11 \text{ GeV}^2) = (0.014 \pm 0.063) \times \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^3$
- ▶ $a_\mu(\text{HLbL}/\text{model}) = (0.084 \pm 0.020) \times \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^3$

Lattice size 24^3 , $m_\pi = 329 \text{ MeV}$, $m_\mu \approx 190 \text{ MeV}$

model value/error is “Glasgow Consensus” (arXiv:0901.0306 [hep-ph])

HLbL systematic error



“Disconnected” diagrams (quark loops connected by gluons)
not calculated yet (not suppressed).

Conceptually straightforward:

- ▶ quenched QED → dynamical QED
- ▶ Re-weight in α (T. Ishikawa, *et al.* 2012)
- ▶ or dynamical QED in HMC

A-slash sequential source (Izubuchi)

Aslash SeqSrc

- Quark propagator with QED charge, $S(e)$

$$S(e) = S + ieS\cancel{A}S - e^2 S(0)\cancel{A}S\cancel{A}S - e^2 S\cancel{A}\cancel{A}S + \dots$$



- Each term could be computed by the **sequential source method** :

$$DX_0 = b, \quad DX_1 = \sum_x \cancel{A}(x) X_0(x) \rightarrow X_1 = S\cancel{A}Sb$$

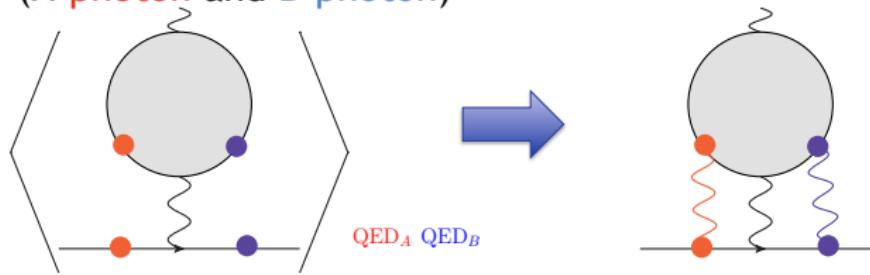
- \cancel{A} is the conserved vector current with photon field contracted :

$$\cancel{A}(x) = \sum_{\mu} V_{\mu}(x) A_{\mu}(x)$$

A-slash sequential source (Izubuchi)

Aslash SeqSrc for LbL

- Insert two Aslash for each of quark and lepton
- Use statistically independent photon field
(A-photon and B-photon)



- An alternative to the subtraction method
- **Explicitly free** from lower/higher orders in alpha
- Could recycle low modes of pure QCD propagators

HLbL systematics

Need to address

- ▶ Finite volume
- ▶ $q^2 \rightarrow 0$ extrapolation
- ▶ $m_q \rightarrow m_{q, \text{phys}}$
- ▶ $m_\mu \rightarrow m_{\mu, \text{phys}}$
- ▶ excited states/“around the world” effects
- ▶ $a \rightarrow 0$
- ▶ QED renormalization
- ▶ ...

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- ▶ Demanding, but straightforward calculation
- ▶ Early HLbL lattice calculation encouraging
- ▶ Intermediate lattice calculations to check models (four-point, $\pi \rightarrow \gamma^* \gamma$, chiral susceptibility, ...)
- ▶ Optimistic lattice+models+expt can reach 10% goal in ~ 5 years (INT WS on HLbL, Feb. 2011)
- ▶ White papers, prospects for lattice QCD:
 - ▶ USQCD white-paper
(<http://www.usqcd.org/collaboration.html>)
 - ▶ Fundamental Physics at the Intensity Frontier white-paper
(arXiv:1205.2671 [hep-ex])
- ▶ Expected precision
 - ▶ E989: 0.14 PPM (factor of 3-4 better than E821)
 - ▶ SM theory, HVP: 0.3% (factor of 2)
 - ▶ SM theory, HLbL 10% or better (?)
 - ▶ Same central values, a_μ discrepancy → 5-8 σ

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