

Hunting for new physics with precision Lattice Calculations

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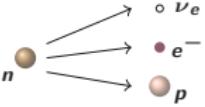
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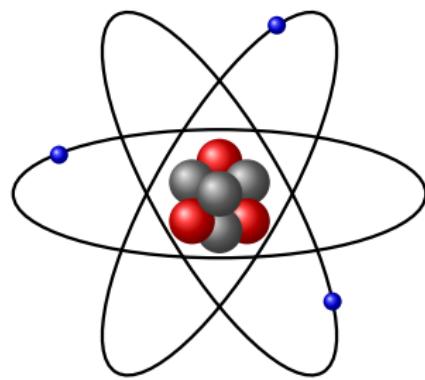
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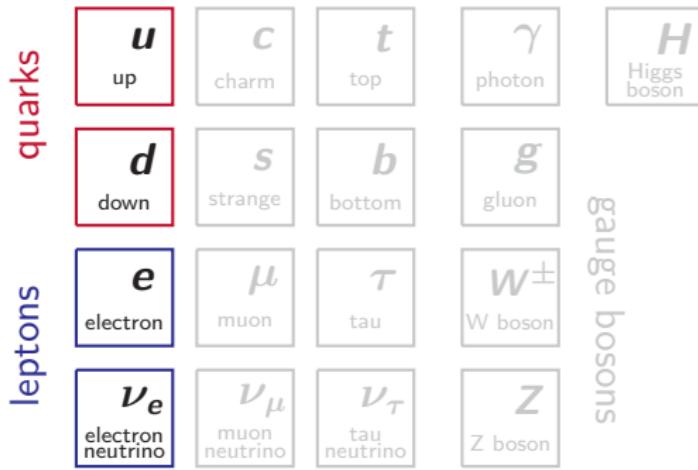
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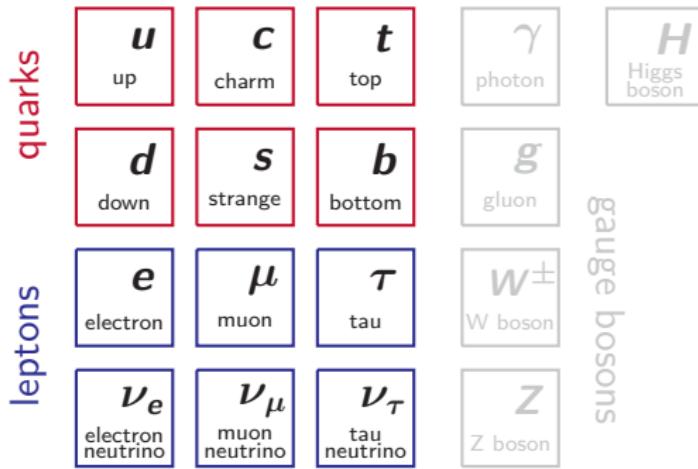
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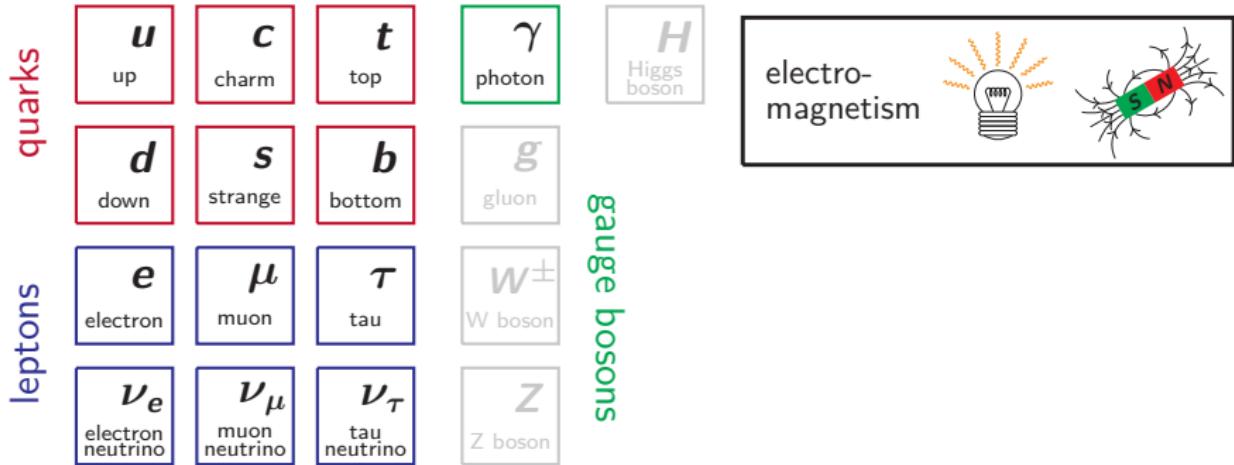
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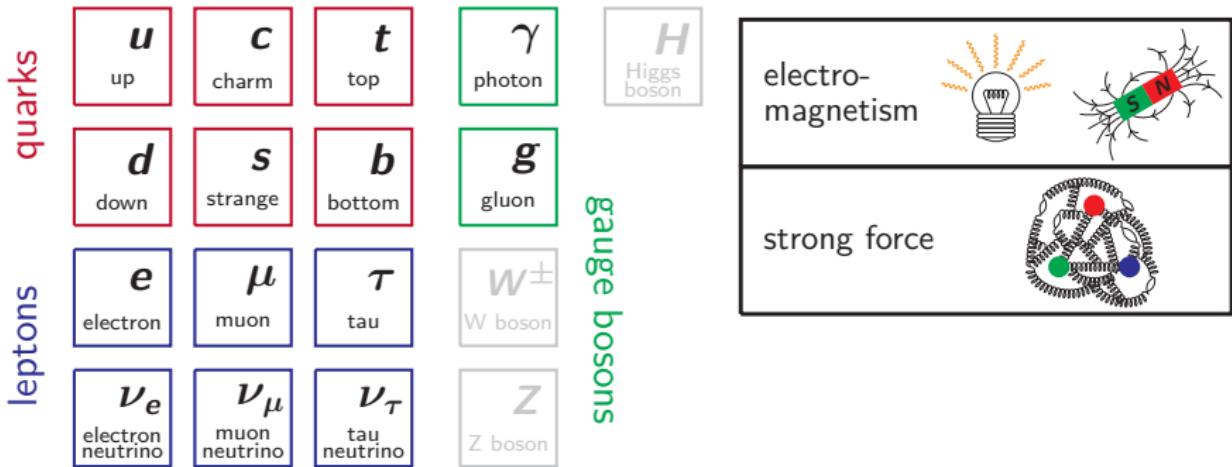
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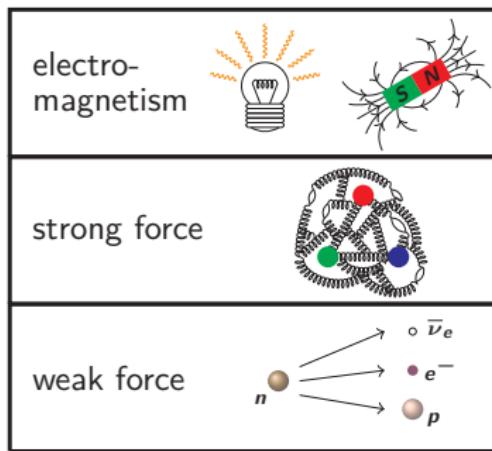


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The diagram illustrates the four fundamental forces of the Standard Model:

- Electromagnetism:** Represented by a lightbulb and a bar magnet.
- Strong force:** Represented by a nucleus composed of gluons.
- Weak force:** Represented by a neutron (n) decaying into an electron (e^-), an electron neutrino ($\bar{\nu}_e$), and a proton (p)).

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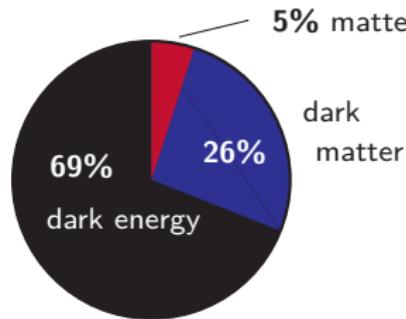
Higgs Boson discovered at LHC in 2012

→ Nobel Prize 2013 for P. Higgs and F. Englert for prediction

The need for new physics

Many unsolved questions, for example:

- ▶ What is dark matter? Or dark energy?



- ▶ Why is there more matter than antimatter in the Universe?
- ▶ Why are there three generations of fermions?
- ▶ ...

New physics is out there!

Hunting for new physics

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[<https://cds.cern.ch/record/1295244>]

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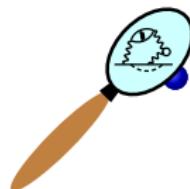
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High-Precision Frontier:

New physics contributes via quantum effects



“The closer you look
the more there is to see”

[F. Jegerlehner, *The Anomalous Magnetic Moment of the Muon*]

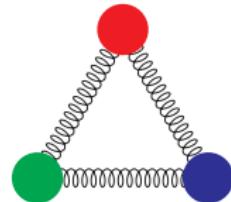
- ▶ precision measurements of properties of known particles
- ▶ precise calculation within the Standard Model
- find (potential) discrepancies

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→ theory of the strong interaction
- ▶ strong coupling $\alpha_s \sim \mathcal{O}(1)$ at small energies
- ▶ quarks and gluons confined to hadrons

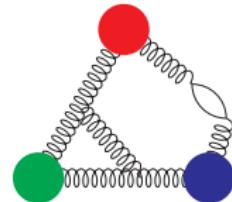
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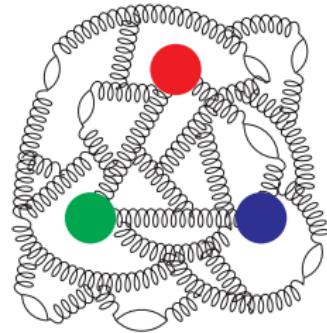
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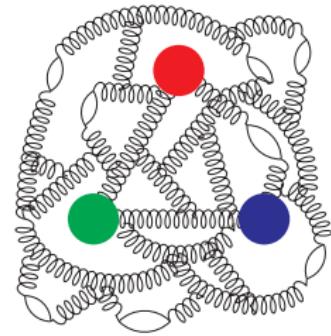
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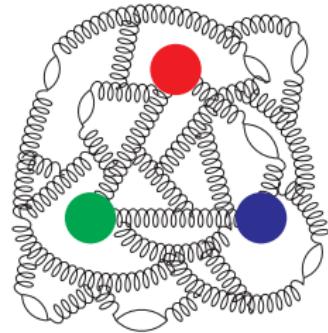
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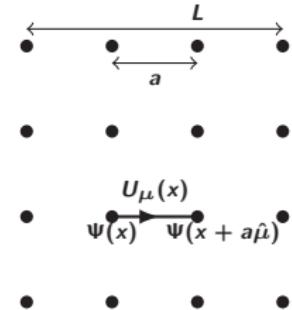
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Lattice QCD in a nutshell

- ▶ Discretize (Euclidean) space-time by a $4d$ lattice
- ▶ Quantize QCD using Euclidean path integrals

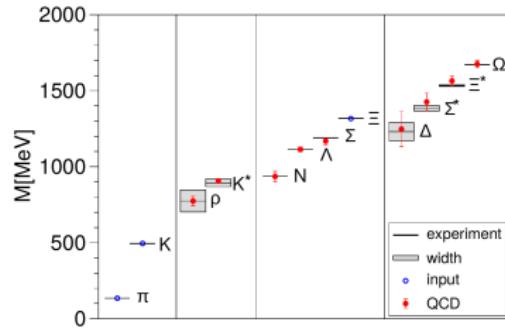
$$\langle A \rangle = \frac{1}{Z} \int \mathcal{D}[\Psi, \bar{\Psi}] \mathcal{D}[U] e^{-S_E[\Psi, \bar{\Psi}, U]} A(U, \Psi, \bar{\Psi})$$



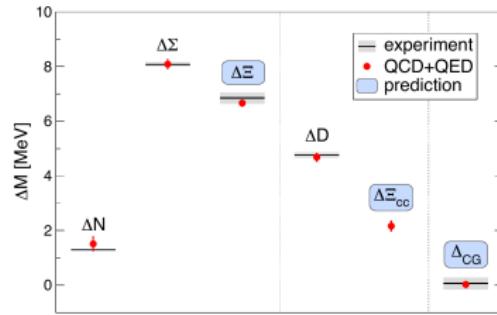
- ▶ gluonic expectation value: Monte Carlo techniques
- ▶ extrapolate to $a \rightarrow 0$ and $L \rightarrow \infty$

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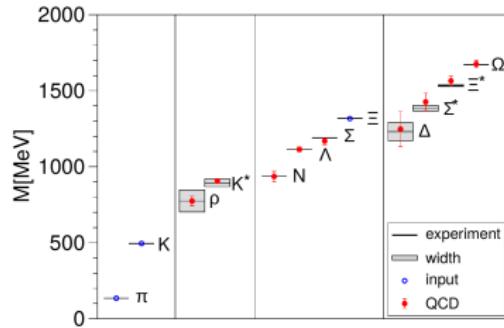
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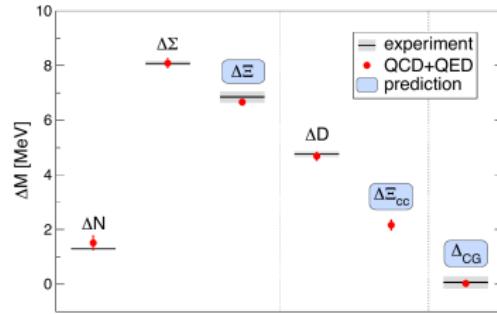
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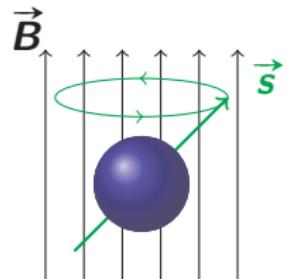
- ▶ Quantities studied in Lattice calculations include
 - ▶ Hadron Spectroscopy & interactions
 - ▶ weak decays of Hadrons & quark-mixing CKM matrix
 - ▶ Hadron Structure
 - ▶ QCD phase diagram
 - ▶ Beyond the Standard Model Physics
 - ▶ ...
- ▶ This talk: Lattice Calculations for Muon g-2

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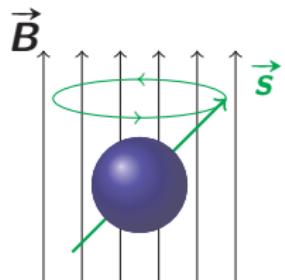


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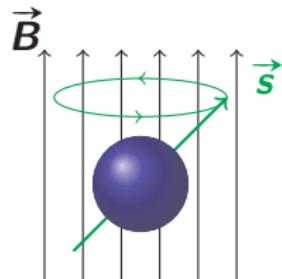
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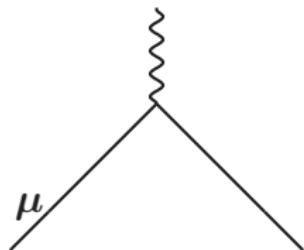
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- ▶ gyromagnetic-factor (***g***-factor) of the muon without quantum effects:

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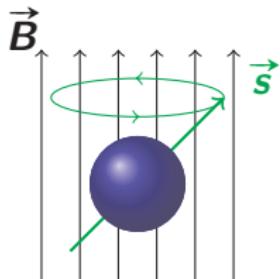


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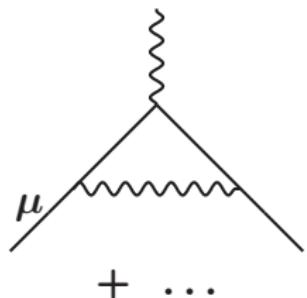
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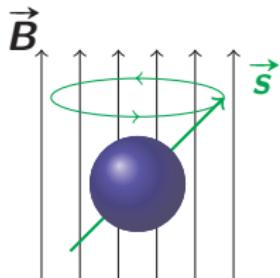
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Muon g-2: Experimental measurement

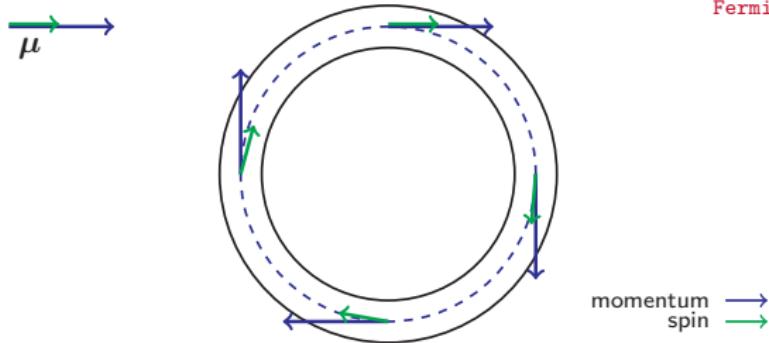
Previous: Muon g-2 @ BNL (2006)

[Phys.Rev. D73, 072003 (2006)]

New: Muon g-2 @ FNAL (2021)

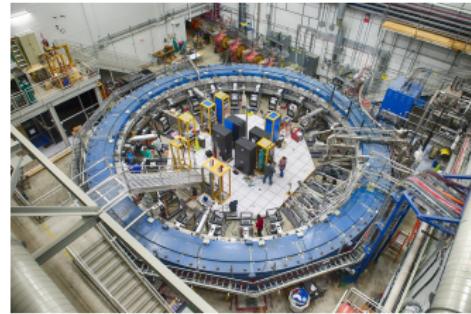
[PhysRevLett.126.141801 (2021)]

measure precession frequency of muons in magnetic field:



$$a_\mu(\text{exp}) = 11659206.1(4.1) \times 10^{-10}$$

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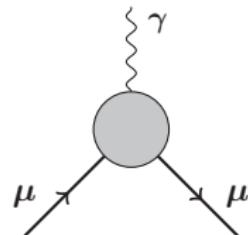
$$\omega_a = a_\mu \frac{eB}{m_\mu}$$

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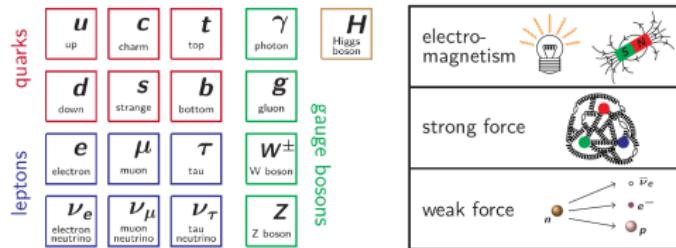


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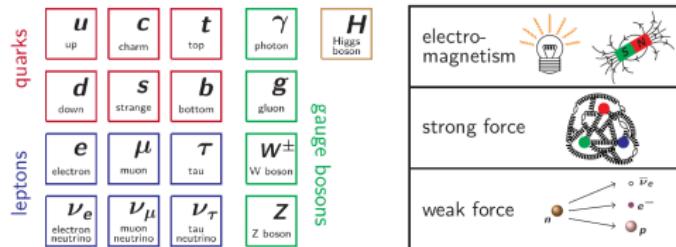


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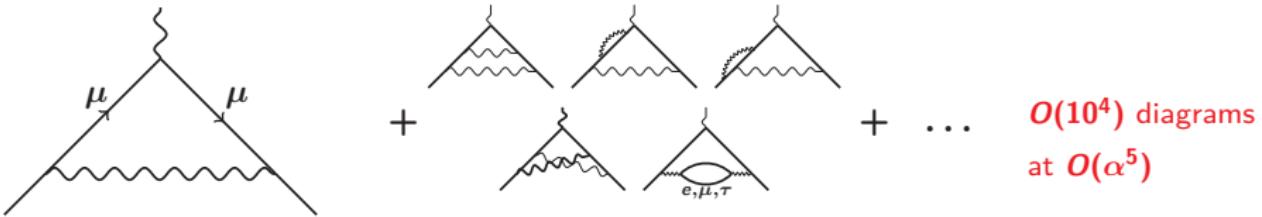
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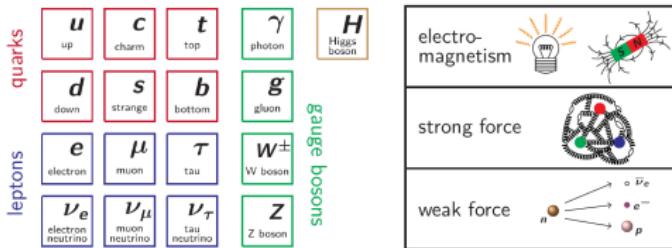


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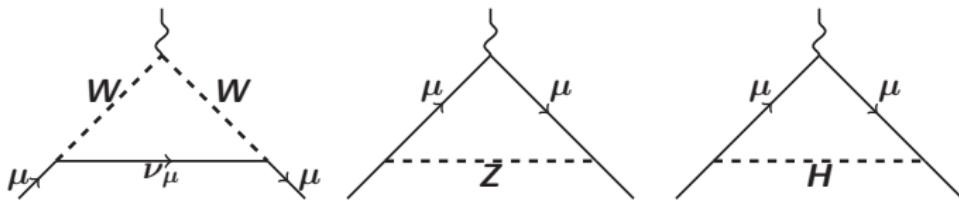


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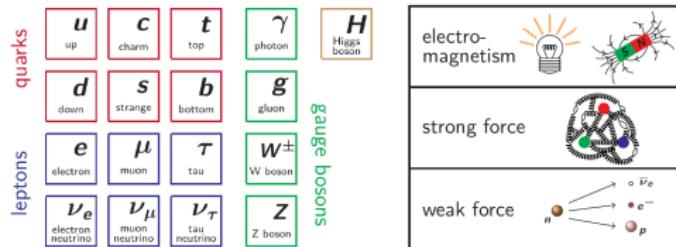


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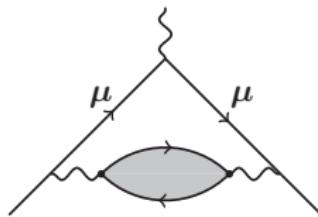
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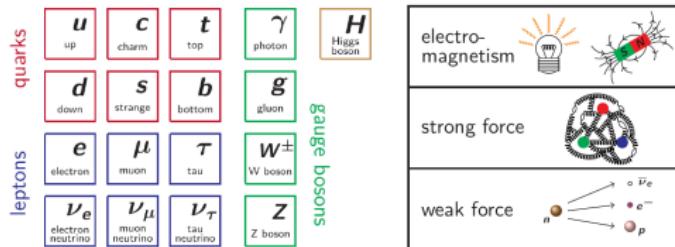


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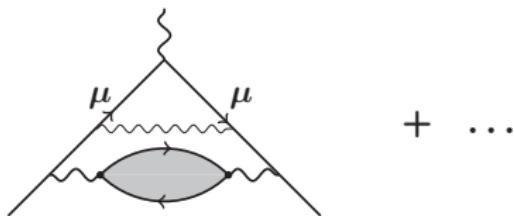
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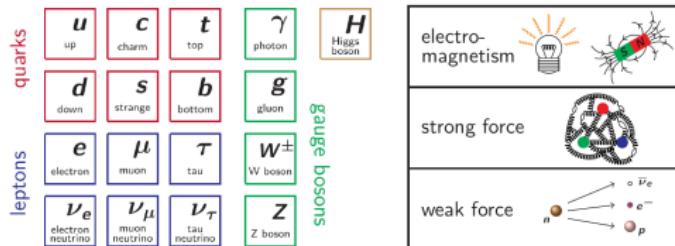


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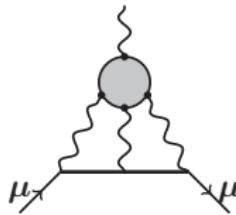
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Hadronic light-by-light scattering

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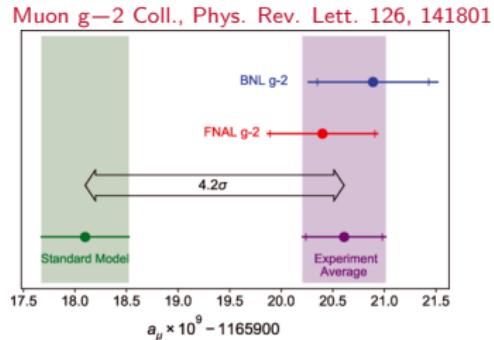


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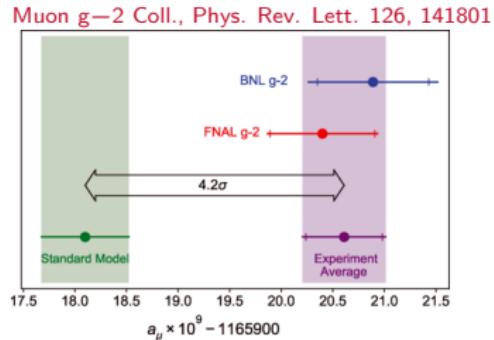


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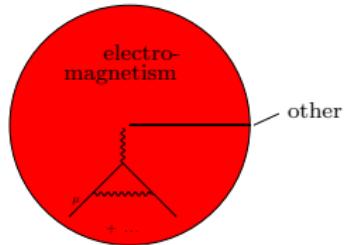
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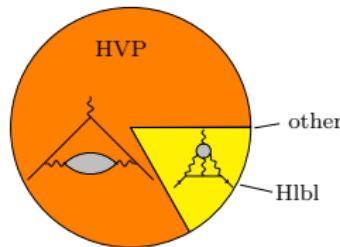
What's next?

- ▶ FNAL reduce error by factor ~ 4 , new upcoming experiment @JPARC
- ▶ Breakdown of Standard Model Prediction

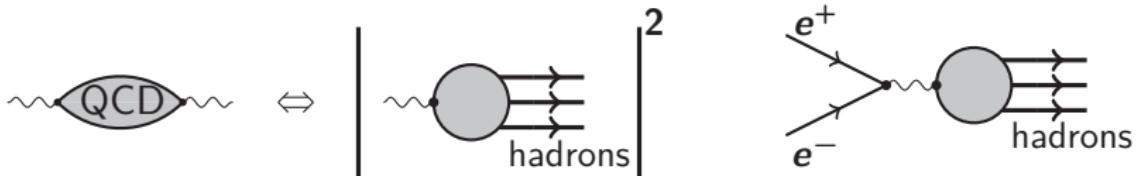
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contribution to variance $\Delta^2 a_\mu$

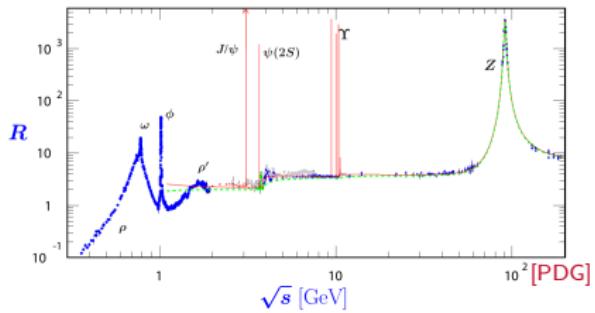


The HVP from R-ratio



$$R(s) = \frac{\sigma(e^+ e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons}, s)}{\sigma(e^+ e^- \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-, s)}$$

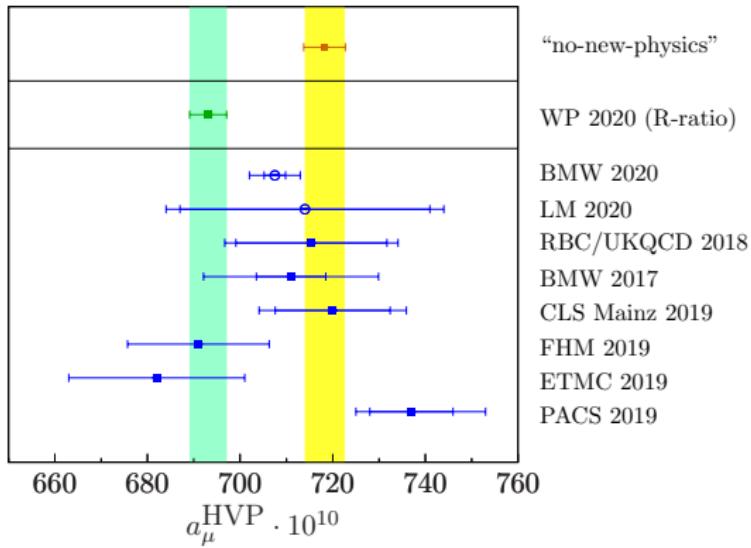
$$a_\mu^{\text{HVP}} = \left(\frac{\alpha m_\mu}{3\pi} \right)^2 \int_{m_\pi^2}^\infty ds \frac{R(s) K(s)}{s^2}$$



$a_\mu^{\text{hvp}} = 689.46(3.25)$	[Jegerlehner 18]
$a_\mu^{\text{hvp}} = 693.9(4.0)$	[DHMZ 19]
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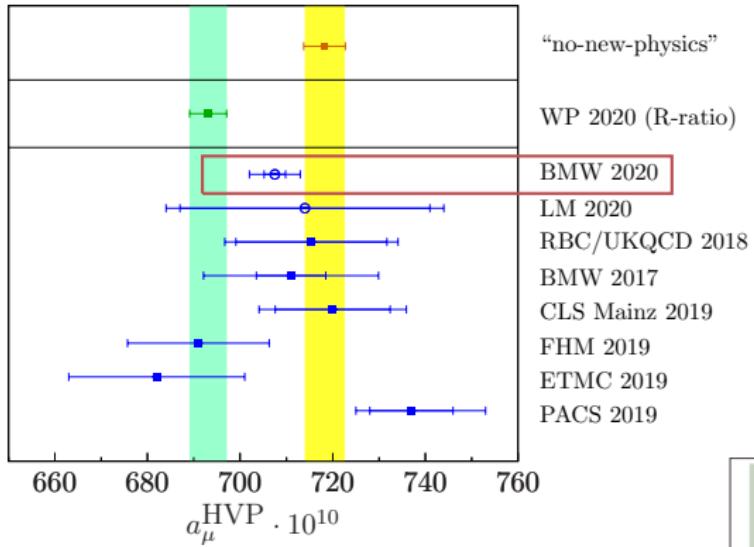
Lattice calculation of HVP

- ▶ Comparision of available lattice QCD calculations of HVP



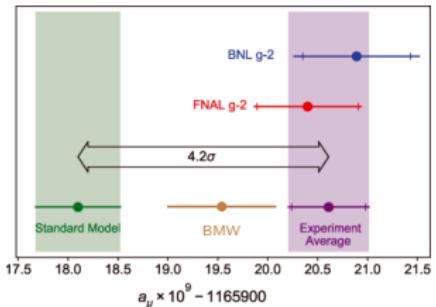
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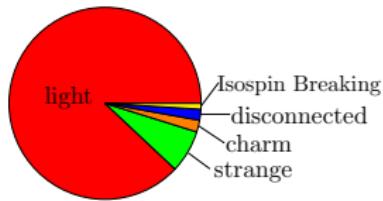
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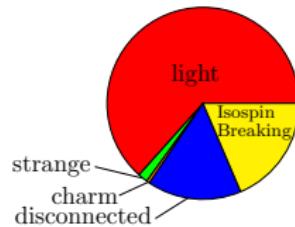
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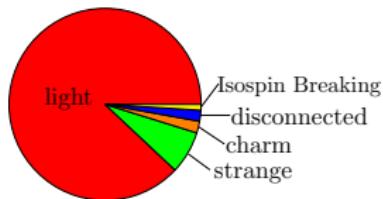


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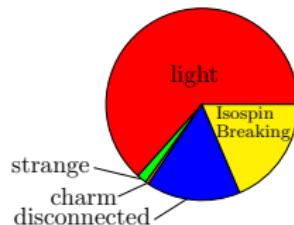


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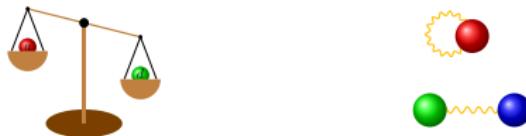
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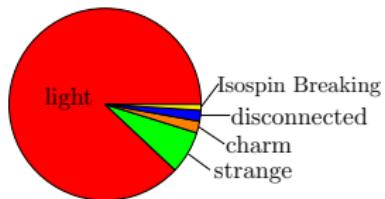
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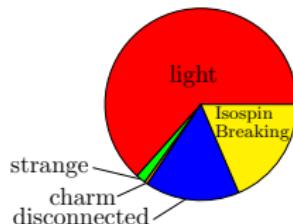
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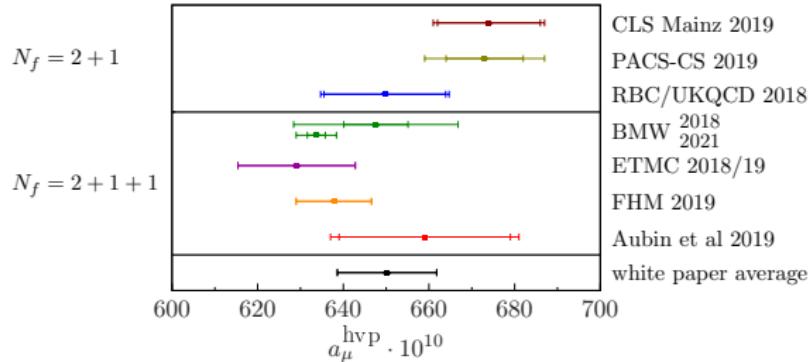
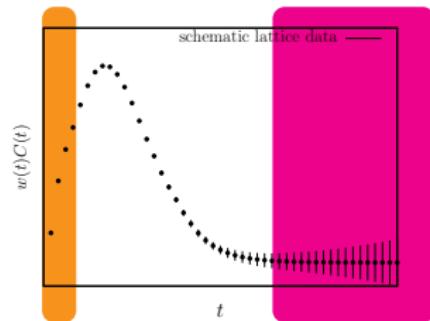
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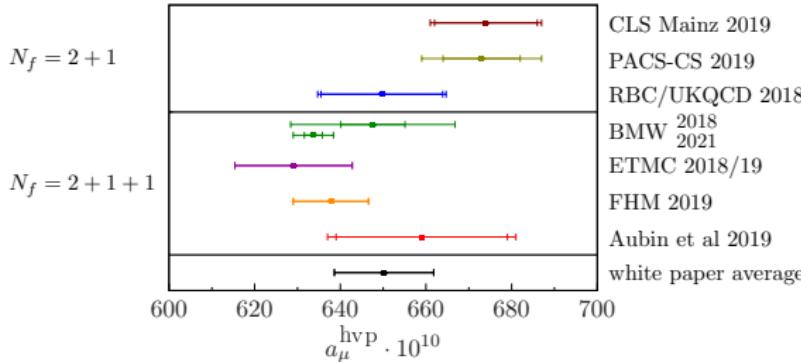
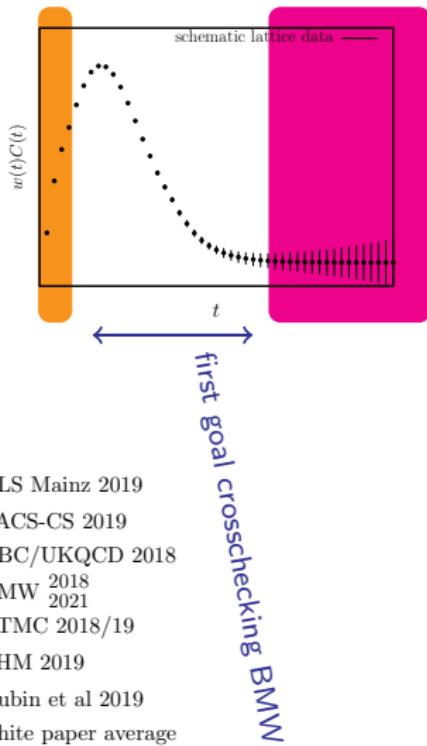
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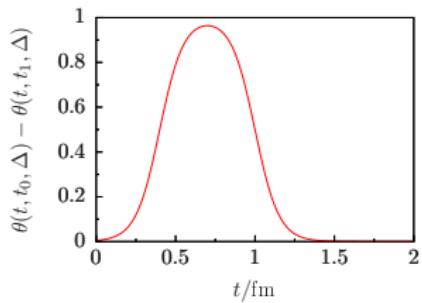
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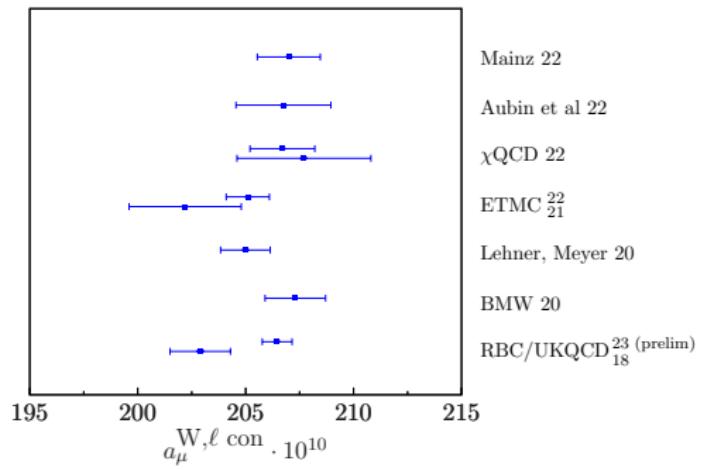
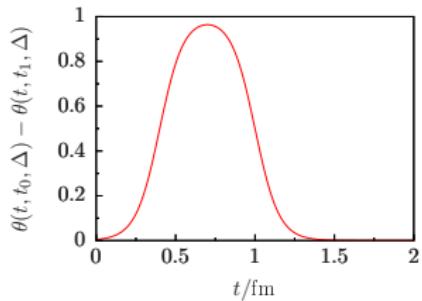
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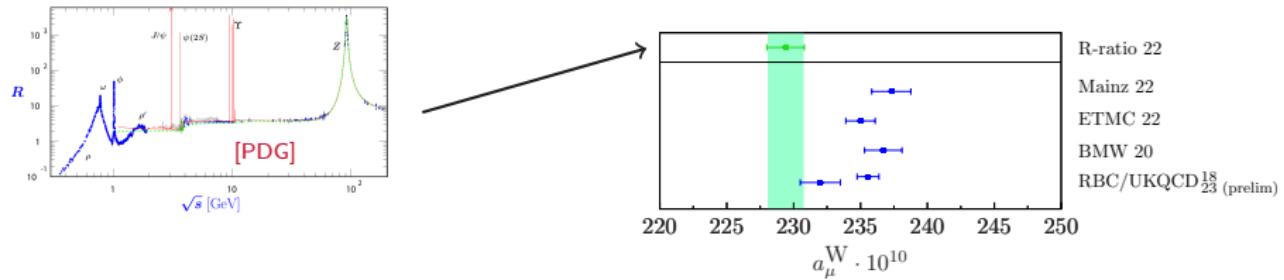
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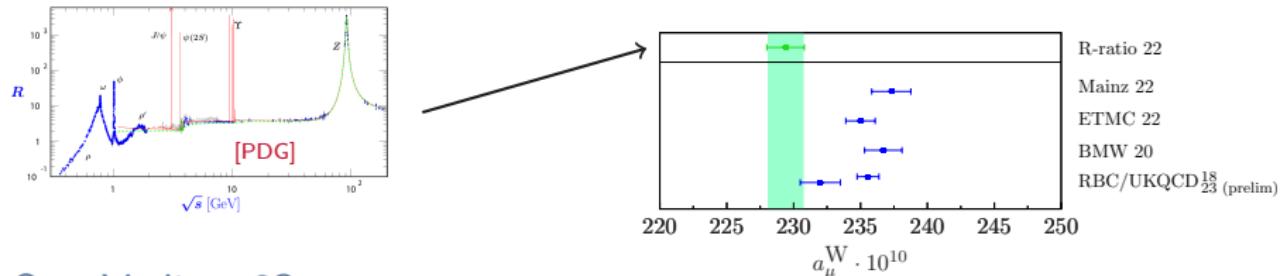
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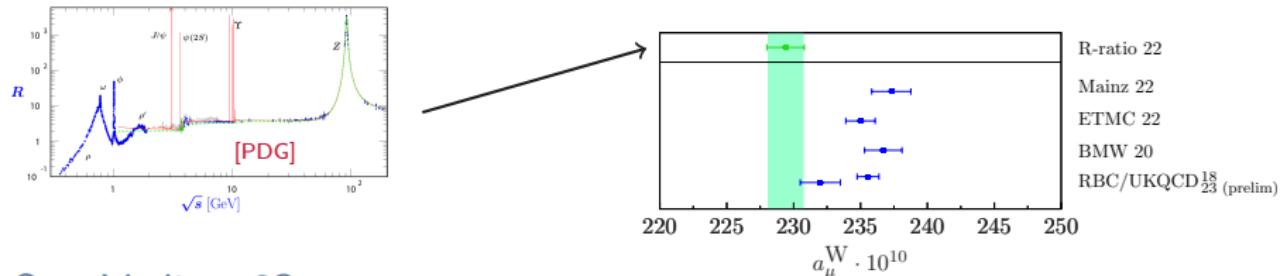
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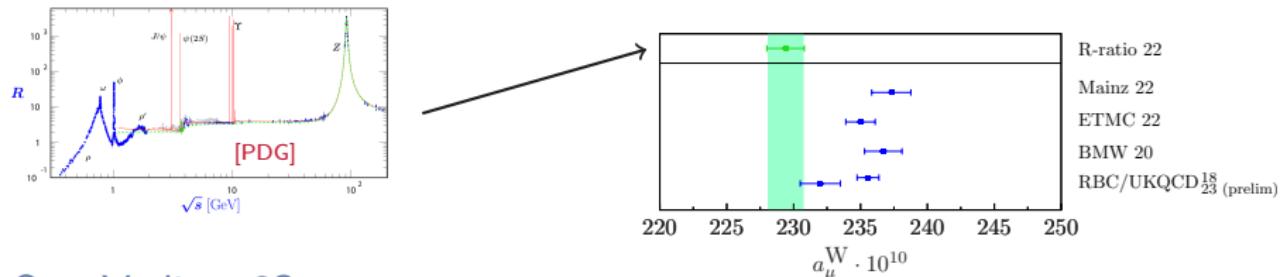
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