



# **Muon g-2 AEM Update**

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### Computing





#### **Last Week**

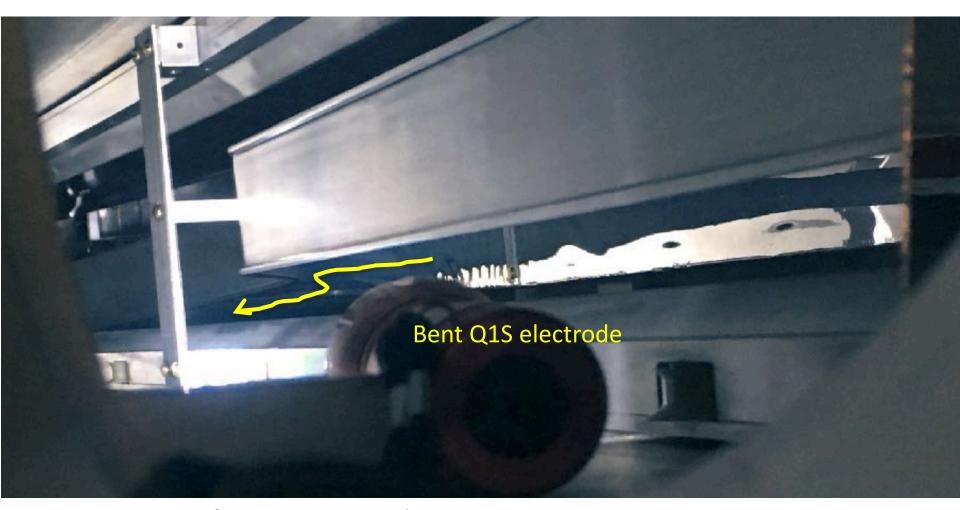
- Performed SRV access [Mon-Thurs]
  - Brought in engineering and tech support to help with the trolley motion problems
  - Extracted and retuned the absolute magnetic field calibration probe
  - Performed tests with the kickers
  - Used downtime to improve magnet/inflector cryo
  - Pumped down Thursday pm. Had an issue.
    - Identified electrical short of two quad plates
    - Suspected mechanical damage
    - Decided not to bring trolley around
    - Performed another letup Friday afternoon

#### Q1 Vacuum incident

- Accidentally connected 1 atm cryo pump reservoir to the ring which was at 10^-4 atm, at Q1short location in vacuum chamber.
- Fair amount of damage
  - Inner Q1S electrode bent significantly w/ one horizontal ceramic standoff broken
  - Outer Q1S mylar electrode intact but one vertical ceramic broken
  - Cage strut bent, uncertain how much cage might have shifted within chamber



### Q1 Vacuum incident (looking downstream)



Pictures from J. Kaspar and H. Nguyen

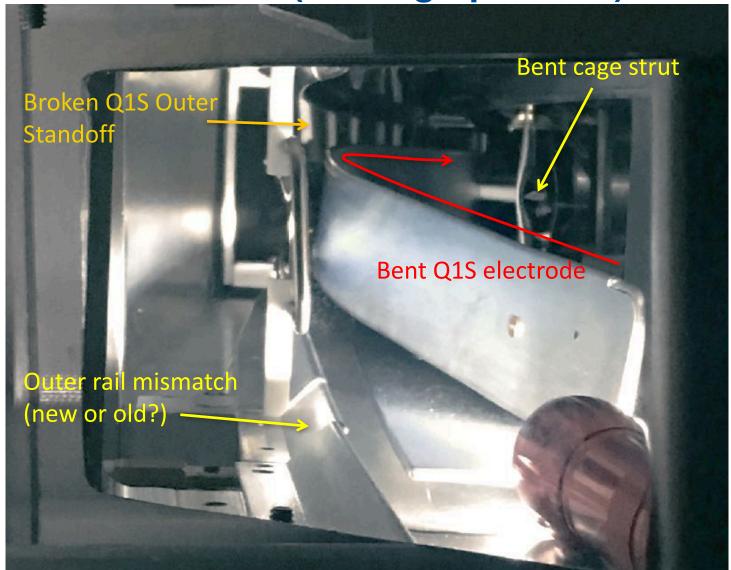
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Broken horizontal ceramic standoff on Q1S inner



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#### Where are we headed

- Experiment stood down this weekend
- Brought in extra engineering and technical support
  - Examining the possibility of an in-situ repair. Written plan being drafted, could know if its hopeful by Thurday.
    - Mechanical: Need to ensure trolley passes
    - Electrical: Repairs may be difficult, quad may not "work"
    - Physics: Systematics with out of spec quad need to be examined
  - Assessing alternatives
    - Turn off quadrupole (and its symmetric partner)
    - Pulling the chamber