Theoretical Advances in g - 2 (lattice)

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g-2 Theory Overiew

Magnetic moment of muon μ:

$$\vec{\mu}_{\mu} = \frac{g}{2m_{\mu}}\vec{S}$$



ζ

$$a_{\mu} = (g-2)/2$$



• Computed perturbatively in power series of $\alpha = \frac{1}{4\pi\varepsilon_0} \frac{e^2}{\hbar c} \approx \frac{1}{137}$

$$\mu \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad a_{\mu}^{(1)} = \frac{\alpha}{2\pi} \approx 0.00116171491\dots \text{ Schwinger}, 1948$$

▶ $a_{\mu}^{(n>1)}$ contributions: mass dependence, QCD, EW, $O(10^{n-1})$ diagrams.

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¹T. Aoyama et al., Phys. Rept. 887, 1–166 (2020).

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Hadronic contributions



► HVP: Î1(Q²) convolution with known muon kernels (LO, NLO, NNLO).

▶ HLbL enters at $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^3)$.

Contribution	$10^{10} a_{\mu}$
HVP LO	693.1(4.0)
HVP NLO	-9.83(7)
HVP NNLO	1.24(1)
HLbL	9.2(1.9)
Hadronic	694.6(4.4)

Muon g - 2: probe of new physics



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 - Data-driven HVP
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²G. W. Bennett et al., Phys. Rev. D73, 072003 (2006).

³B. Abi et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 126, 141801 (14 2021), D. P. Aguillard et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 131.16, 161802 (2023).



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- New cross-section measurement (data-driven) from CMD3⁶ in 3-5σ tension with last 20 years of experiments!
- ⁵S. Borsanyi et al., Nature, 593.7857, 51–55 (2021).
 ⁶F. V. Ignatov et al., (Feb. 2023).

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► What is Lattice QCD Talk by Will Jay on Tuesday, backup slides.

Lattice hadronic vacuum polarization

- Challenges & progress
- Euclidean windows

Lattice hadronic light-by light

Lattice Hadronic Vacuum Polarization

• Lattice a_{μ}^{HVP} calculations are typically performed in the (Euclidean)time-momentum rep.⁷

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{HVP,LO}} = 4\alpha^2 \int_0^\infty dt \tilde{K}(t) C(t), \quad C(t) = \frac{1}{3} \sum_i^3 \int d^3x \, \langle J_i(x) J_i(0) \rangle \quad \text{(F.T. of HVP)}$$
$$J_i(x) = \sum_f Q_{q_f} \bar{q}_f(x) \gamma_i q_f(x), \quad Q_u = +\frac{2}{3}, \ Q_d = -\frac{1}{3}, \ Q_s = -\frac{1}{3}, \dots$$

We compute C(t) on the lattice.

⁷D. Bernecker and H. B. Meyer, Eur. Phys. J. A, 47, 148 (2011).

HVP Contributions⁸

Calculation broken down by flavor, Wick contraction & isospin symmetric/breaking $+ a_{\mu}(\text{disc.})$ $+ \Delta a_{\mu}^{ud}(\text{SIB}) + \Delta a_{\mu}(\text{QED})$ 2% a_{μ}^{HVP} $\sigma^2_{a_{\mu}^{\rm HVP}}$ light strange charm disconnected 89% 85% IB ⁸S. Borsanyi et al., Nature, 593.7857, 51–55 (2021).

HVP challenges

Light-quark-connected:

- Goal: < 1% determination (BMW 0.8%).
- Statistics: S2N issue in C(t).
- Finite volume: Typically 3%.
- Uncertainty in lattice spacing $a: \frac{\Delta a_{\mu}}{a_{\mu}} \approx 1.8 \frac{\Delta a}{a}$
- Disconnected: < 20% determination, LQ physics in tail, expensive.</p>
- **Isospin Breaking**: $\sim 1\%$ effect, expensive.

All uncertainties are systematically improvable with lattice QCD calculations!

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⁹J. Gasser, A. Rusetsky, and I. Scimemi, Eur. Phys. J. C, 32.1, 97–114 (Dec. 2003).
 ¹⁰L. Giusti et al., JHEP, 04, 013 (2004).
 ¹¹T. A. DeGrand and S. Schaefer, Nucl. Phys. B Proc. Suppl. 140, 296–298 (2005).

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- Direct: Two-pion operators & diagonalize correlation matrix^{12,13,14}
- ¹²M. Bruno et al., PoS, LATTICE2019, 239 (2019).
 ¹³F. Erben et al., Phys. Rev. D, 101, 054504 (5 2020).
 ¹⁴S. Lahert et al., PoS, LATTICE2021, 526 (2022).

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- Typically: $M_{\pi}L \approx 4 \rightarrow \text{effect} \approx 3\%$.
- EFTs/Models
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¹⁵S. Borsanyi et al., Nature, 593.7857, 51–55 (2021).

- ¹⁶B. Chakraborty et al., Phys. Rev. D, 96.3, 034516 (2017).
- ¹⁷M. T. Hansen and A. Patella, Phys. Rev. Lett. 123, 172001 (2019).
- ¹⁸A. Bazavov et al., (Jan. 2023).



Finite volume (light-quark)

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¹⁹E. Shintani and Y. Kuramashi, Phys. Rev. D, 100.3, 034517 (2019).

²⁰S. Borsanyi et al., Nature, 593.7857, 51–55 (2021).

Scale setting

- Uncertainty from a: $\% \sigma_{a_{\mu}^{\text{HVP}}} \approx 1.8 \% \sigma_a$
- Scale from phys. quantities, f_{π} , M_{Ω} ,..., gradient flow w_0 , t_0 (relative)²¹
- ▶ Goal for next WP: common SS scheme for all lattice groups.





²¹S. Borsanyi et al., JHEP, 09.2012, 010 (2012).

Plots from Alexei Bazavov @ Lattice 2023 & FLAG 2023

Need to quantify $\Delta a_{\mu}^{ud}(\text{SIB})$ & $\Delta a_{\mu}(\text{QED})$ for < 1% total uncertainty.

Approaches: Perturbation around isosym-QCD, dynamical QCD+QED simulations, IV QED.

SIB $(m_u \neq m_d)$

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6.59(63)(53)	BMW
10.6(4.3)(6.8)	RBC/UKQCD
6.0(2.3)	ETM
7.7(3.7) 9.0(2.3) FHM
9.0(0.8)(1.2)	LM
-4,63(54)(69)	

Five groups within 1σ (conn)

Plots taken from V. Gülpers @ Lattice HVP workshop 2020

QED (charged quarks)



- One complete calculation (BMW)
- In progress: Mainz 2206.06582, RBC/UKQCD, Lattice 2022, BMWc, Lattice 2022, FHM 2212.12031, Harris et al., 2301.03995

Lattice HVP windows

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Euclidean windows (Energy space)



Plot from Ref.²⁴

²⁴G. Colangelo et al., Phys. Lett. B, 833, 137313 (2022).

Intermediate window



- ▶ Left: 7 groups in agreement on light contribution, 2 most recent from blinded analyses.
- Right: 4 groups in agreement.
- ▶ 3.8σ tension with R-ratio (WP) 2205.12963, 2311.09523.

Plots: Simon Kuberski @ Lattice 2023



▶ a_{μ}^{HVP} from four-loop pQCD.^{25,26}

 Light SD result stable as you replace latt. with massless pQCD.²⁷

²⁵R. V. Harlander and M. Steinhauser, Comput. Phys. Commun. 153, 244–274 (2003).
 ²⁶K. G. Chetyrkin and A. Maier, Nucl. Phys. B, 844, 266–288 (2011).
 ²⁷T. Blum et al., Phys. Rev. D, 108.5, 054507 (2023).



- ▶ Plot from Mainz/CLS²⁸.
- ▶ No significant disagreement with R-ratio at SD (high-energy).

²⁸S. Kuberski et al., JHEP, 03, 172 (2024).

Lattice Hadronic Light-by-Light

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- Mainz 2021: $L_{QED} = \infty, m_{\pi} : 200 \sim 422 \text{MeV}$, Wilson fermion. E.H. Chao et al. 2021 (EPJC 81, 7, 651)
- ► RBC-UKQCD 2023: $L_{Q \in D} = \infty$: 5.5fm, $m_{\pi} = 139 \text{MeV}, a^{-1} = 1.73 \text{GeV}$, Domain wall fermion. T. Blum et al 2023 (arXiv:2304.04423 [hep-lat])

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- ▶ Ongoing work: see talks by Marcus Petschlies & Antoine Gérardin @ g-2 TI workshop, Bern 2023.
- Difficult: $\eta \eta'$ mixing, noisy quark-disconnected contributions.

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- ► All results in excellent agreement.
- ▶ Error: $\approx 15\%$, goal: 10%.

Plot from talk: Luchang Jin @ g-2 TI workshop, Bern 2023



HVP:

- Short- and intermediate- windows in good standing w/ more results to come.
- Tensions with data-driven r-ratio result in W.
- Work on long-distance and full integrand still underway.
- Expect multiple < 1% calculations in the next year.
- Theory Initiative goal: WP2 with lattice averages.

HLbL

- Agreement between dispersive and lattice results.
- Quickly approaching 10% uncertainty goal.

Thank you

Lattice perscription: Wick rotate, $t \rightarrow it$, and discretize, $a \neq 0$, the path integral.

$$\langle O \rangle = \frac{1}{Z_{\text{LOCD}}} \int \mathcal{D}\left[q_f, \bar{q}_f\right] \mathcal{D}[U] e^{-S_F\left[q_f, \bar{q}_f, U\right] - S_G[U]} O\left[q_f, \bar{q}_f, U\right]$$



M. Savage, 2015 National Nuclear Physics Summer School

- ▶ Quarks on sites, gluons, $U_{\mu}(n) \equiv \exp(iaG_{\mu}(n))$, on links.
- Perform path integral:
 - Fermionic: Analytic \rightarrow Wick contractions.
 - Bosonic: Markov Chain Monte Carlo (Importance Sampling).
- Observables: $\langle O \rangle (\{a, L, m_q\}).$
- Extrapolate, interpolate, or correct (EFT) to continuum, infinite volume, physical point.

Continuum limit (light-quark)



▶ WP release: physical-mass lattice spacing range $a \approx [0.15, 0.06]$ fm

- ▶ Newest lattices w/ $a \approx 0.04$ fm (physical pion)²⁹, $a \approx 0.03$ fm (unphysical pion).³⁰
- Multiple vector current discretizations^{31,32,33}.
- ²⁹S. Lahert, g-2 TI workshop, Bern 2023, (2023).
- ³⁰S. Kuberski et al., JHEP, 03, 172 (2024).
- ³¹C. Alexandrou et al., Phys. Rev. D, 107.7, 074506 (2023).
- ³²T. Blum et al., Phys. Rev. D, 108.5, 054507 (2023).
- ³³S. Kuberski et al., JHEP, 03, 172 (2024).

Disconnected contribution

$$\sum_{f,f'} \sim q_f \quad q_{f'} \quad : \quad a_{\mu}(\text{disc.}) = a_{\mu}^{I=0} - \frac{1}{9} a_{\mu}^{I=1}.$$

- ► I = 1 channel: Noisy tail and FV effects (like a^{ll}_µ(conn.)).
- Expensive, requires propagators w/ support on all sites.



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Windows change the relative size of the flavour contributions!

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