

# Precision Experiments at low-energy accelerators

- Standard Model and its limitations
- BSM
- indirect tests for BSM
  
- the muon anomalous magnetic moment
- electric dipole moment of the neutron
- CP violation at b-factories

# The „Standard Model“ of Particle Physics

... is rather simple (und „übersichtlich“):

Elementary Particles				Elementary Forces		relative strength
	Generation			exchange boson		
	1	2	3			
<b>Quarks</b>	<b>u</b>	<b>c</b>	<b>t</b>	Strong	g	1
	<b>d</b>	<b>s</b>	<b>b</b>			
<b>Leptons</b>	$\nu_e$	$\nu_\mu$	$\nu_\tau$	Weak	$W^\pm, Z^0$	$1/137$
	<b>e</b>	$\mu$	$\tau$			
				Gravitation	G	$10^{-40}$

... as well as anti-particles

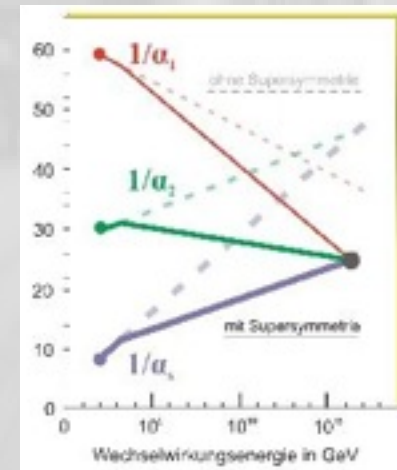
... describes the unified electro-weak interaction and the Strong force with gauge invariant quantum field theories;

... is extremely successful in consistently and precisely describing all particle reactions observed to date

... provides a consistent (yet incomplete) picture of the evolution of the very early universe → **particle cosmology**

# Limitations of the SM:

- it makes **unphysical predictions** at very high energies:
  - at  $E > 1$  TeV, violates unitarity for some reactions
- it is **incomplete** :
  - too many free parameters (26 masses, couplings ... → experiment)
  - symmetry breaking mechanism unclear (Higgs mechanism, masses)
- it leaves open many **fundamental questions** :
  - why are there **3 families** of quarks and leptons ?
  - why is (electron charge) = -(proton charge) ?
  - what happened to the **anti-matter** in the universe ?
  - do forces **unify** at high energies (GUT) ?
  - ....

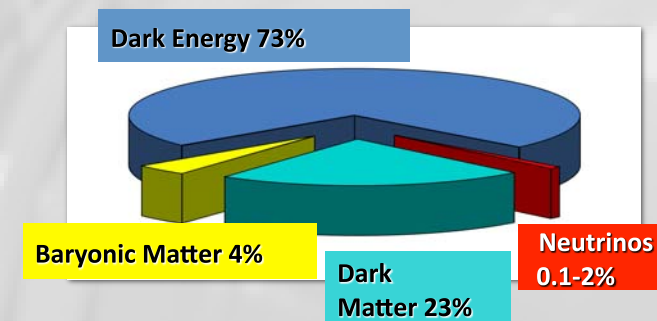


→ SM is only an **effective theory**

→ there must be physics **beyond SM** (BSM)

today, there are few but significant signals for  
BSM physics:

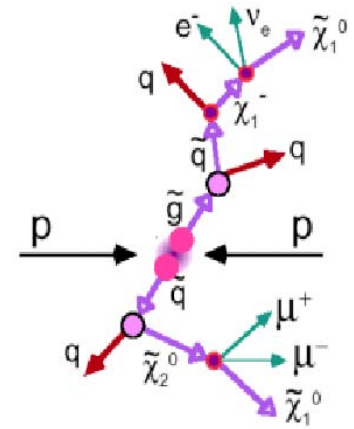
- neutrinos are not massless
- 95% of the mass/energy budget of the universe cannot be explained by SM particles and forces:
  - Dark Matter (23%)
  - Dark Energy (73%)



# the most *en vogue* candidates to solve (some of) these problems:

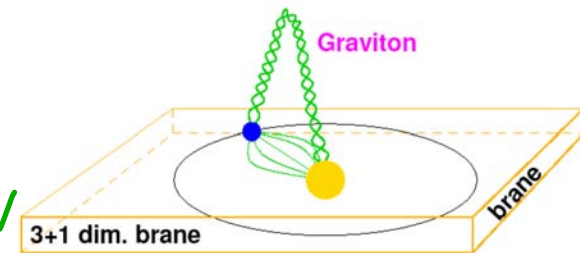
## • Supersymmetry (SUSY)

- + fully compatible with and supported by GUT's
- + offers excellent Dark Matter candidates
- + theory finite and computable up to Planck Mass
- + essential for realisation of string theory (including quantum gravity)
- no SUSY signals seen yet (LEP, Tevatron)
- (too) many free parameters, large parameter space



## • Extra Space Dimensions

- + would solve hierarchy problem ( $M_{\text{Planck}} \rightarrow O(1 \text{ TeV})$ )
- + inspired by string theory: compactified extra dimensions
- + exciting scenarios, but cannot solve many of above problems?
- large model dependences



# aims & scopes of particle physics

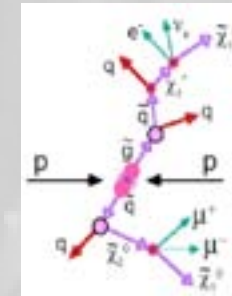
## experiments

- determine (**measure**) free **parameters** of the Standard Model ( $\alpha$  ,  $\alpha_s$  ,  $e$  ,  $m_e$  ,  $m_p$  ,  $m_Z$  ,  $\sin^2\Theta_w$  , ....)
- test **consistency of predictions** (based on known parameters)
- look for failures of SM predictions: **physics beyond SM** (BSM)
- falsify or confirm predictions of various BSM models

there are 2 principal possibilities  
to look for

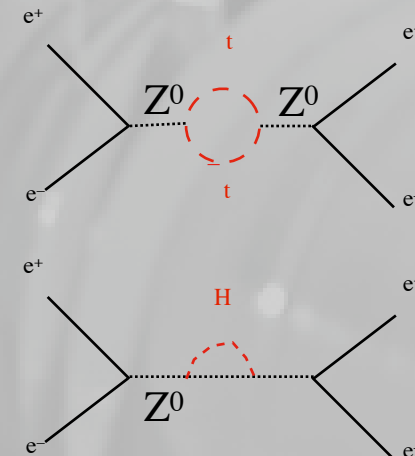
physics beyond the standard model:

- direct production of new particles  
in **highest energy** collisions



- indirect evidence for  
new phenomena in  
**high-precision** experiments

( through radiative corrections & virtual „loops“ )



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# where can effects of higher order virtual corrections be studied best?

observables which can be

- measured with highest precision
- calculated (predicted) very precisely, incl. many higher order radiative corrections

examples:

- lifetimes ( $\mu$ ,  $n$ ,  $\tau$ , ....)
- magnetic moments ( $\mu$ , ....)
- electric dipole moments ( $n$ ,  $\mu$ , atoms ...)
- lepton flavour violation ( $\mu \rightarrow e \gamma$ , ....)
- rare decays
- neutrinoless double-beta decays



# the muon magnetic moment

is related to its intrinsic spin by the gyromagnetic ratio  $g_\mu$  :

$$\vec{\mu}_\mu = g_\mu \left( \frac{q}{2m} \right) \vec{S}$$

where  $g_\mu = 2$  is expected for a **structureless, spin- 1/2 particle** of mass  $m$  and charge  $q = \pm e$ .

radiative corrections, which couple the muon spin to virtual fields, introduce an

**anomalous magnetic moment** defined by

$$a_\mu = \frac{1}{2}(g_\mu - 2)$$

cyclotron  $\omega_c$  frequency for a muon moving in the horizontal plane of a magnetic storage ring:

$$\vec{\omega}_c = -\frac{q\vec{B}}{m\gamma} \quad \gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}}$$

spin precession frequency  $\omega_s$  for a muon moving in the same magnetic field:

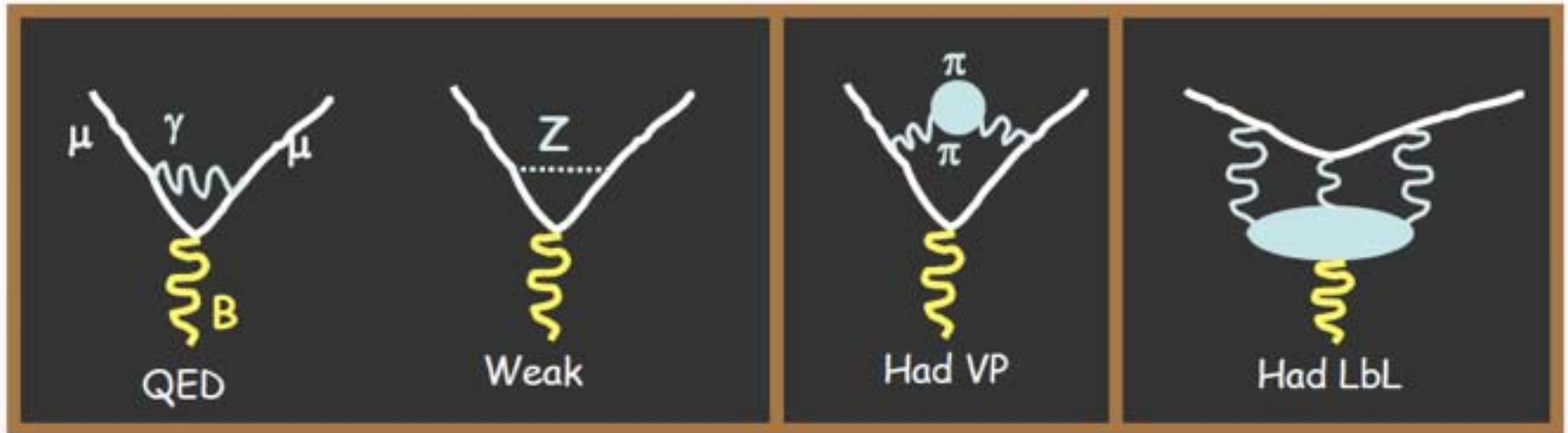
$$\vec{\omega}_s = -\frac{gq\vec{B}}{2m} - (1 - \gamma)\frac{q\vec{B}}{\gamma m}$$

anomalous precession frequency  $\omega_a$  :

$$\vec{\omega}_a = \vec{\omega}_s - \vec{\omega}_c = -\left(\frac{g-2}{2}\right)\frac{q\vec{B}}{m} = -a_\mu\frac{q\vec{B}}{m}$$

# Even in SM:

$g \neq 2$  because of virtual loops, many of which can be calculated very precisely



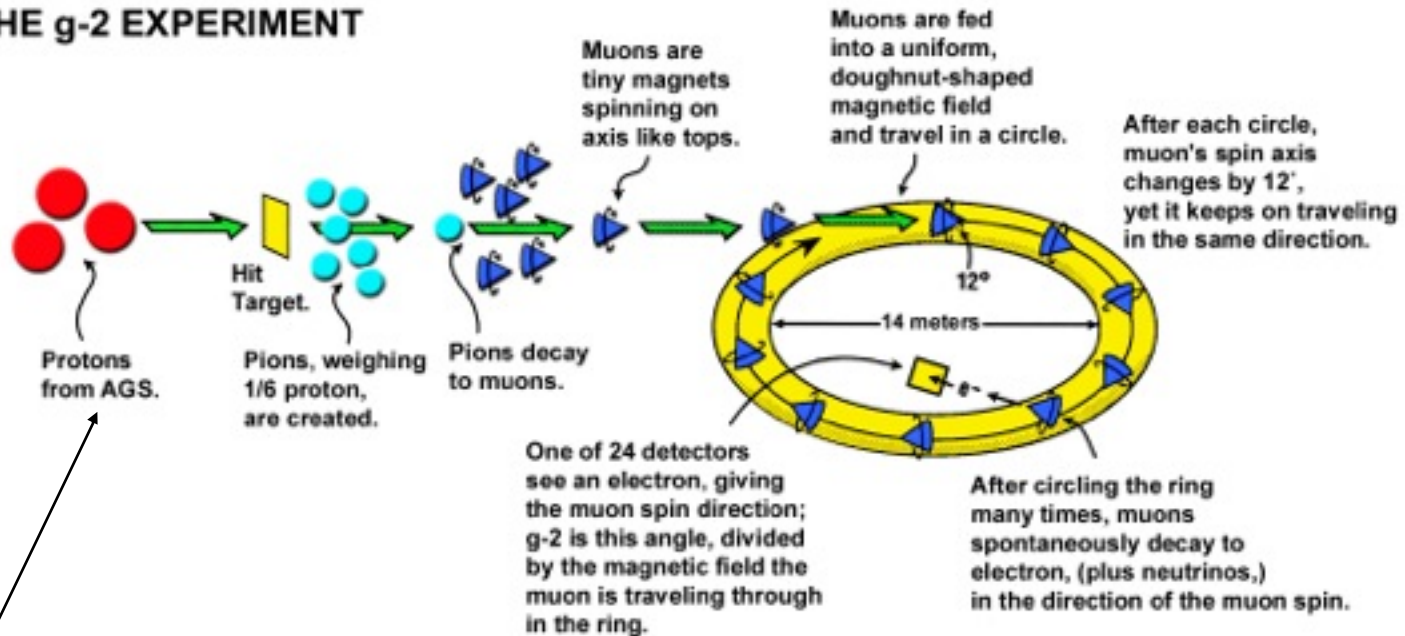
$$a_{\mu}(\text{QED}; \text{LO}) \approx \alpha/2\pi \approx 1.16 \times 10^{-3}$$

today, complete SM corrections calculated to  $\sim 0.5$  ppm !

# Precision measurement of...

## the anomalous magnetic moment of the muon ( $g-2$ )

### LIFE OF A MUON: THE $g-2$ EXPERIMENT



*Brookhaven alternate gradient synchrotron*

# „technical“ complication:

- need to „focus“ particle beam to prevent it from disintegration
- usually done using focussing magnetic quadrupoles (see lecture 2)
- however, cannot afford to use other magnetic fields than the constant (and precisely mapped) bending field  $B$ .
- can use *electric* quadrupole fields  $E$  for focussing
- however, Maxwell equations tell us that electric charge moving in an  $E$ -field will „see“ additional magnetic field;  $\rightarrow$

$$\vec{\omega}_a = \frac{e}{m c} \left[ a_\mu \vec{B} - \left( a_\mu - \frac{1}{\gamma^2 - 1} \right) \vec{\beta} \times \vec{E} \right]$$

- extra effect will vanish for  $\gamma \sim 29.3$  or  $p_\mu \sim 3.09 \text{ GeV}/c$  („magic momentum“)

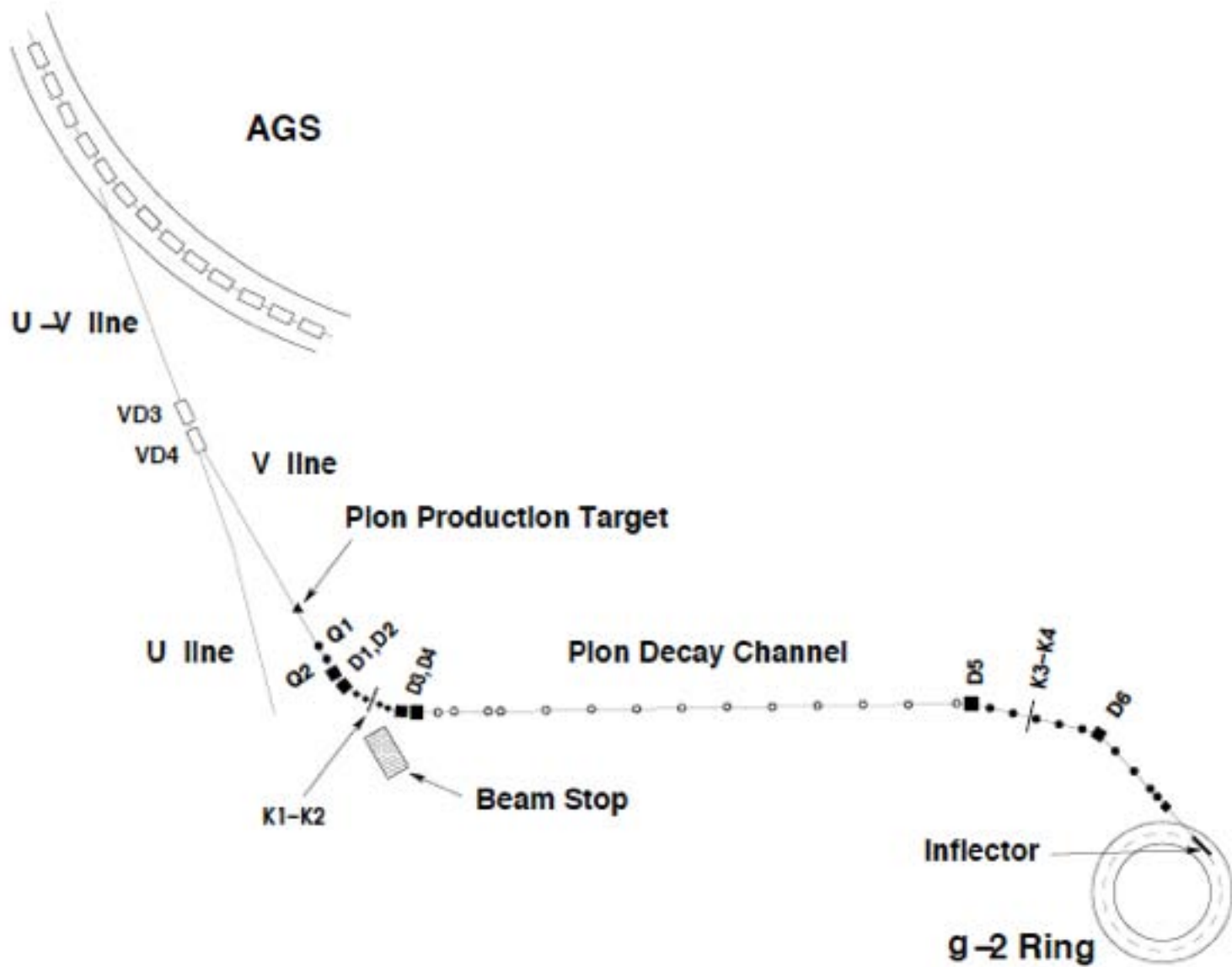


TABLE III: Selected AGS proton beam and secondary pion beamline characteristics

Proton Beam	Value	Pion Beamline	Value
Protons per AGS cycle	$5 \times 10^{13}$	Horizontal emittance	$42 \pi \text{mm-mrad}$
Cycle repetition rate	0.37 Hz	Vertical emittance	$56 \pi \text{mm-mrad}$
Proton momentum	24 GeV/ $c$	Inflector horizontal aperture	$\pm 9 \text{ mm}$
Bunches per cycle	6 to 12	Inflector vertical aperture	$\pm 28 \text{ mm}$
Bunch width ( $\sigma$ )	25 ns	Pions per proton*	$10^{-5}$
Bunch spacing	33 ms	Muons per pion decay**	0.012

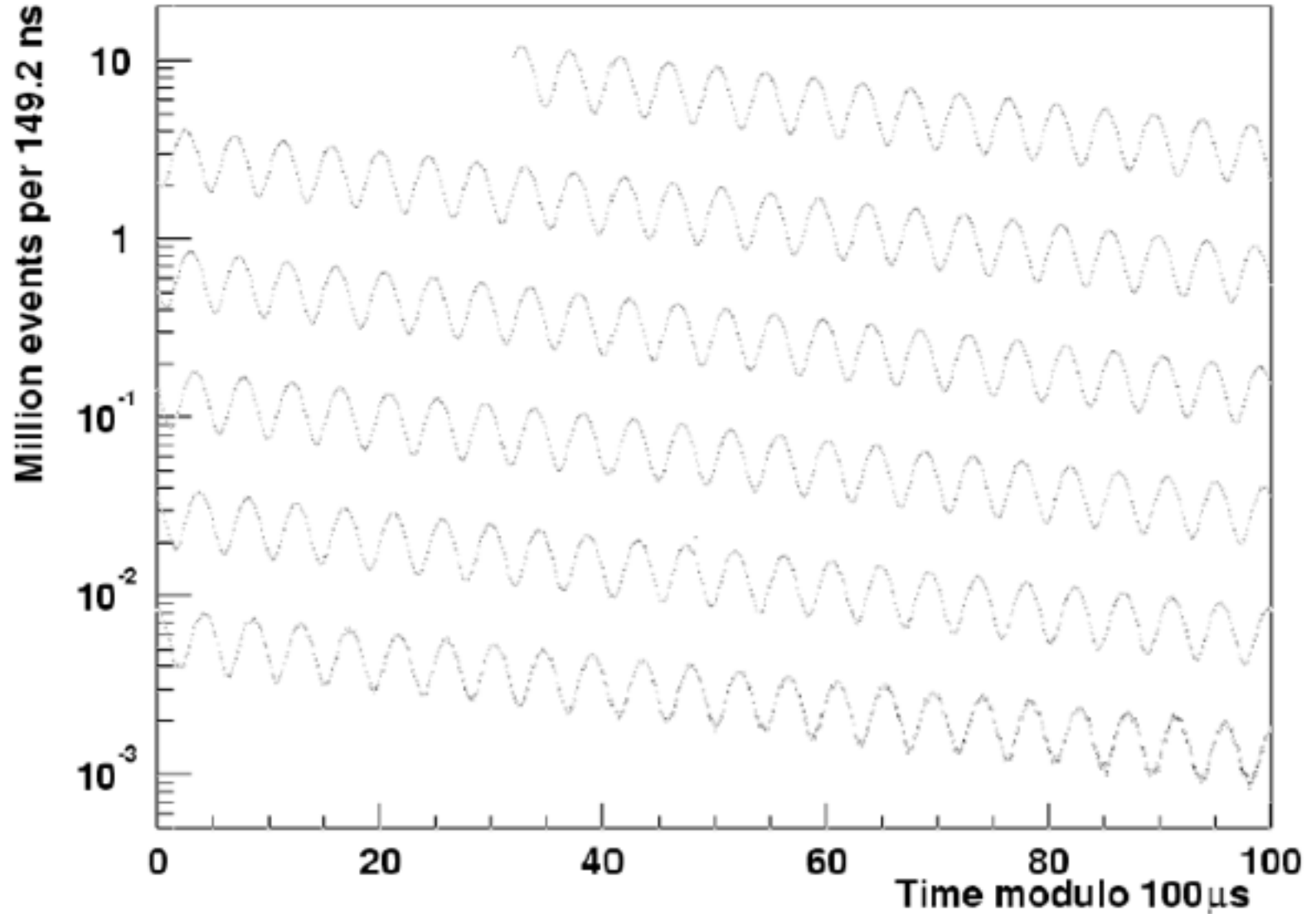
\*Captured by the beamline channel; \*\*Measured at the inflector entrance



# Muon (g-2) Collaboration

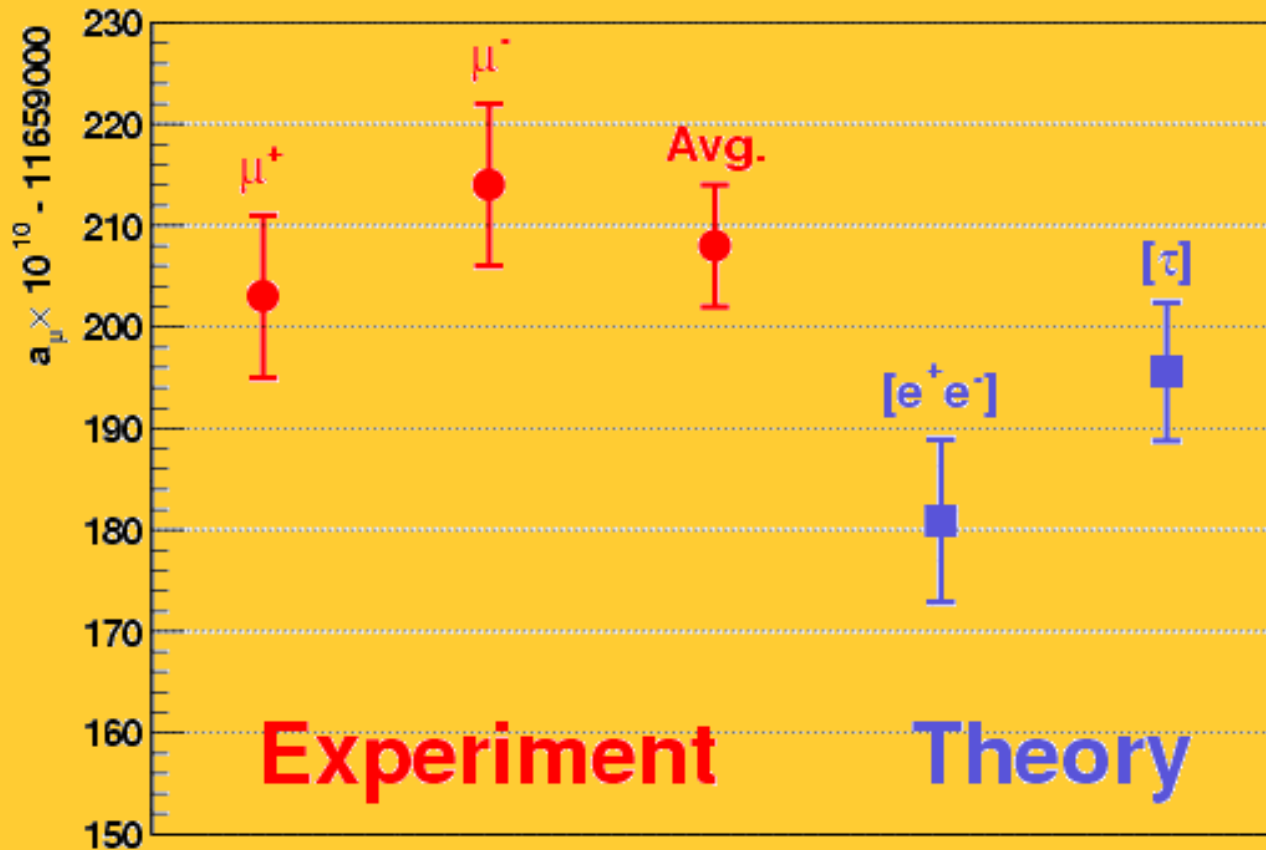


measurement of the time-dependent rate of electrons from muon decay



# The (g-2) value of the negative muon was announced January 8, 2004!

$$a_{\mu} \text{ (BNL'01)} = 11\,659\,214\,(8)(3) \times 10^{-10} \text{ (0.7 ppm)}$$



$$a_{\mu} \text{ (exp)} = 11\,659\,208\,(6) \times 10^{-10} \text{ (0.5 ppm)}$$



possible explanation  
(if effect thought to be significant):

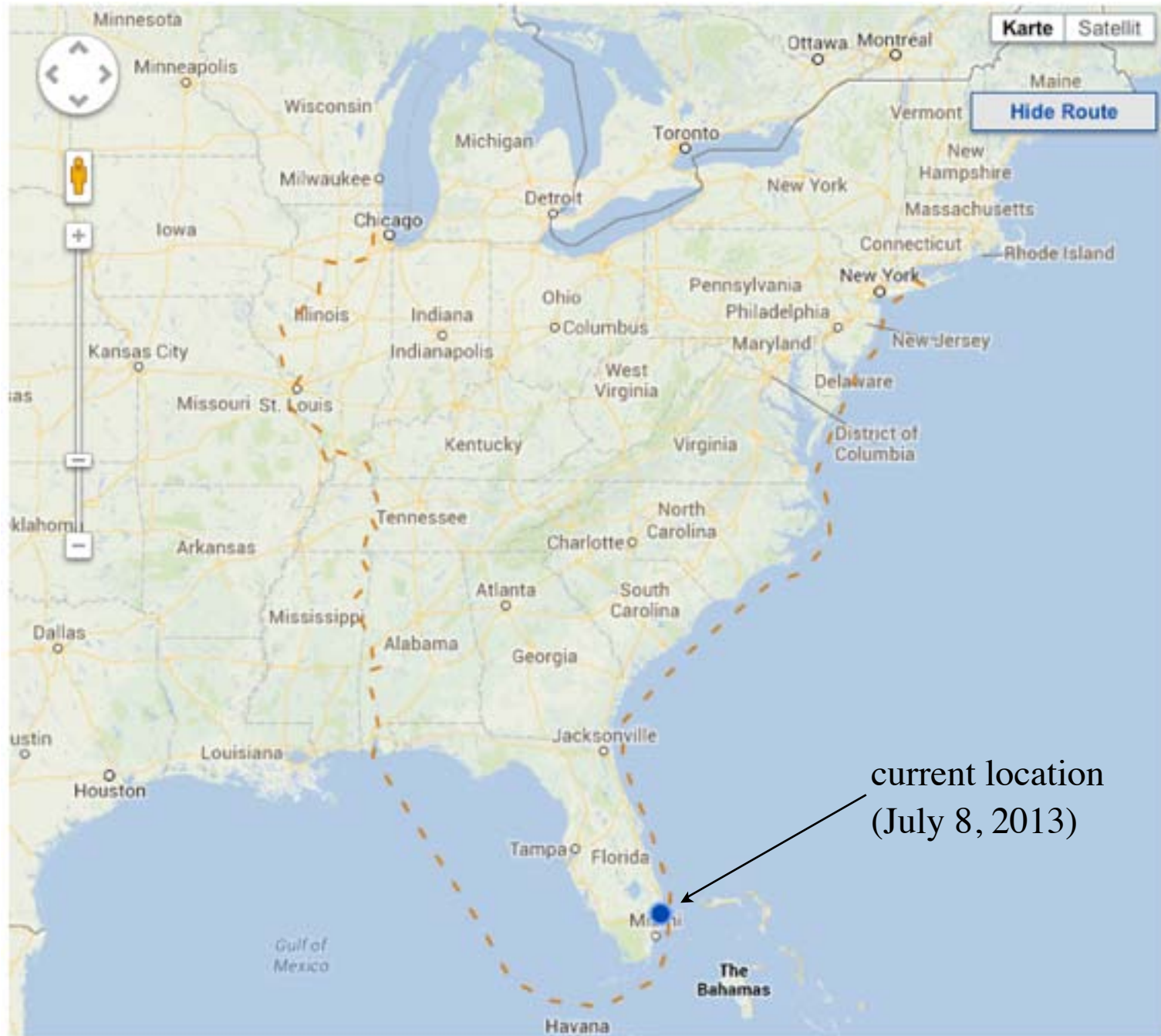
- Supersymmetrie: predicts contributions to  $a_\mu$ , mainly through smuon-neutralino and through sneutrino-chargino loops
- if true, then  $\rightarrow \tilde{m} \approx 120 \dots 400 \text{ GeV}$  for  $\tan\beta = 4 \dots 40$ .

clarification only possible with more data!

approved plan to increase precision by  $\sim 4$ :  
move magnet ring to Fermilab,  
muon-rate up by  $\sim 20$

move began June 20, 2013!

start data taking in 2016



current location  
(July 8, 2013)



Moon g-2

EMMER







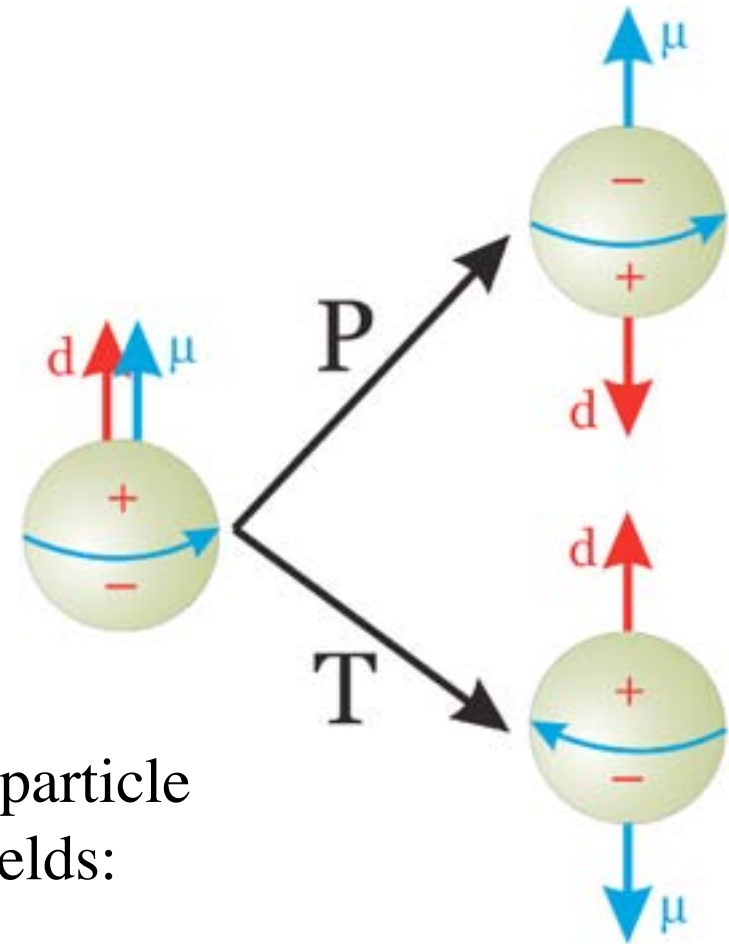
# electric dipole moments of quantum systems

... are a direct manifestation of violation of T- and P-parity

- if CPT is conserved, T-violation imposes CP-violation (important for question of matter-antimatter-asymmetry in the universe)

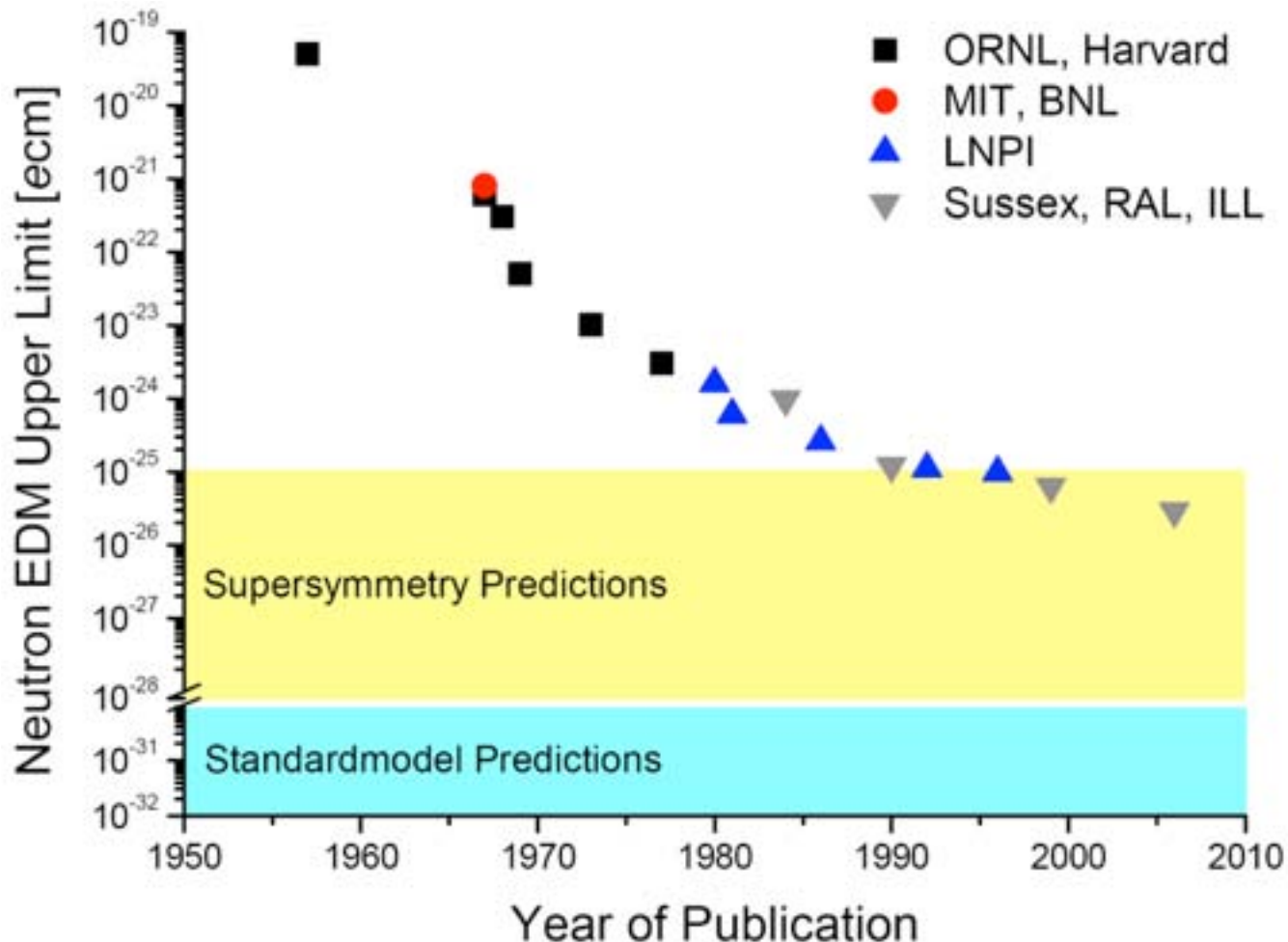
- exp. technique:  
measure Larmor-precession of a neutral particle in (anti-)parallel magnetic and electric fields:

$$h\nu = 2\mu_B B \pm 2dE \quad \rightarrow \quad d = h\Delta\nu / 4E$$

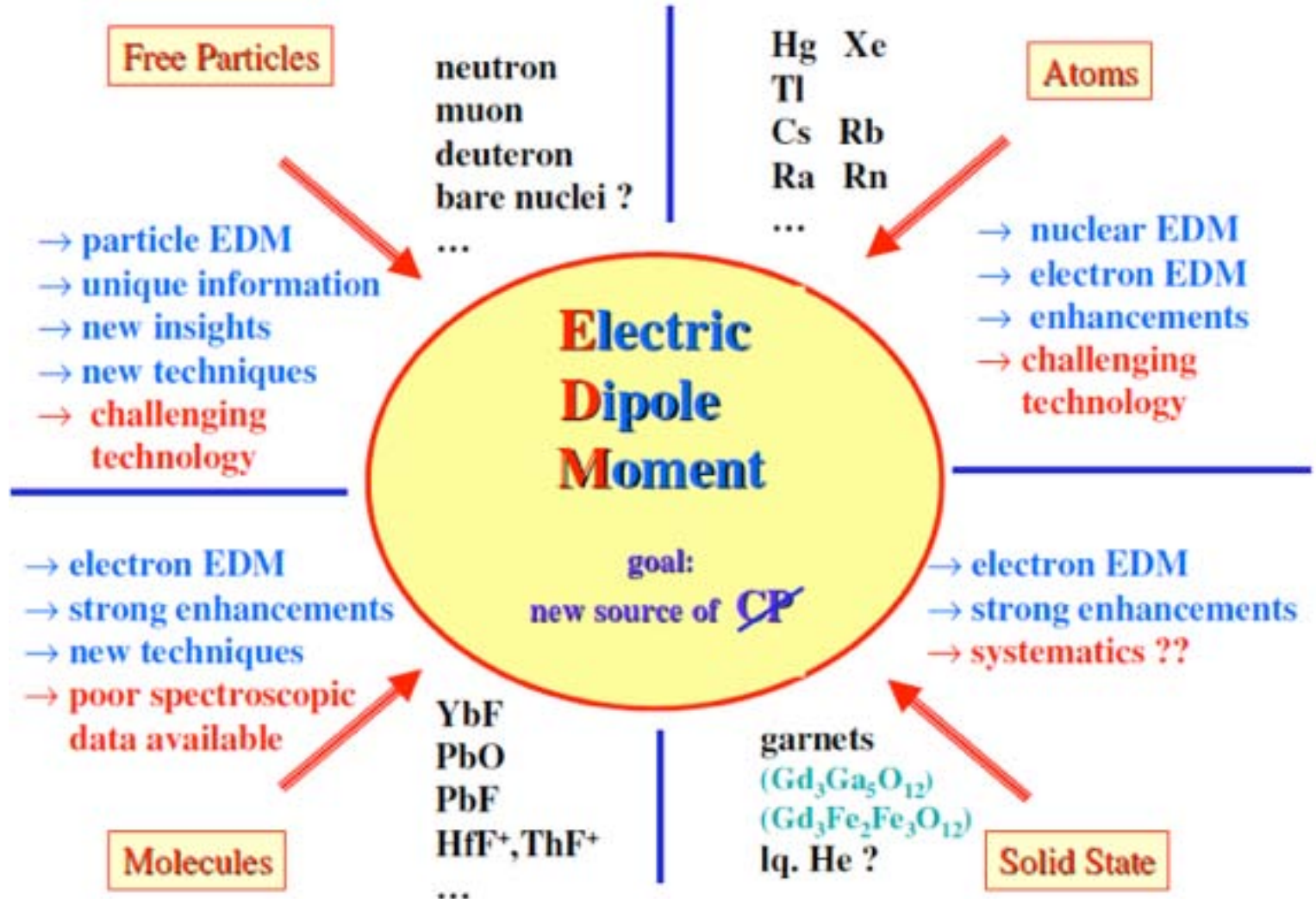


# neutron EDM

upper limits:  $d_n < 2.9 \cdot 10^{-26} \text{ e cm}$  (thermal / cold / ultracold neutrons from reactors)

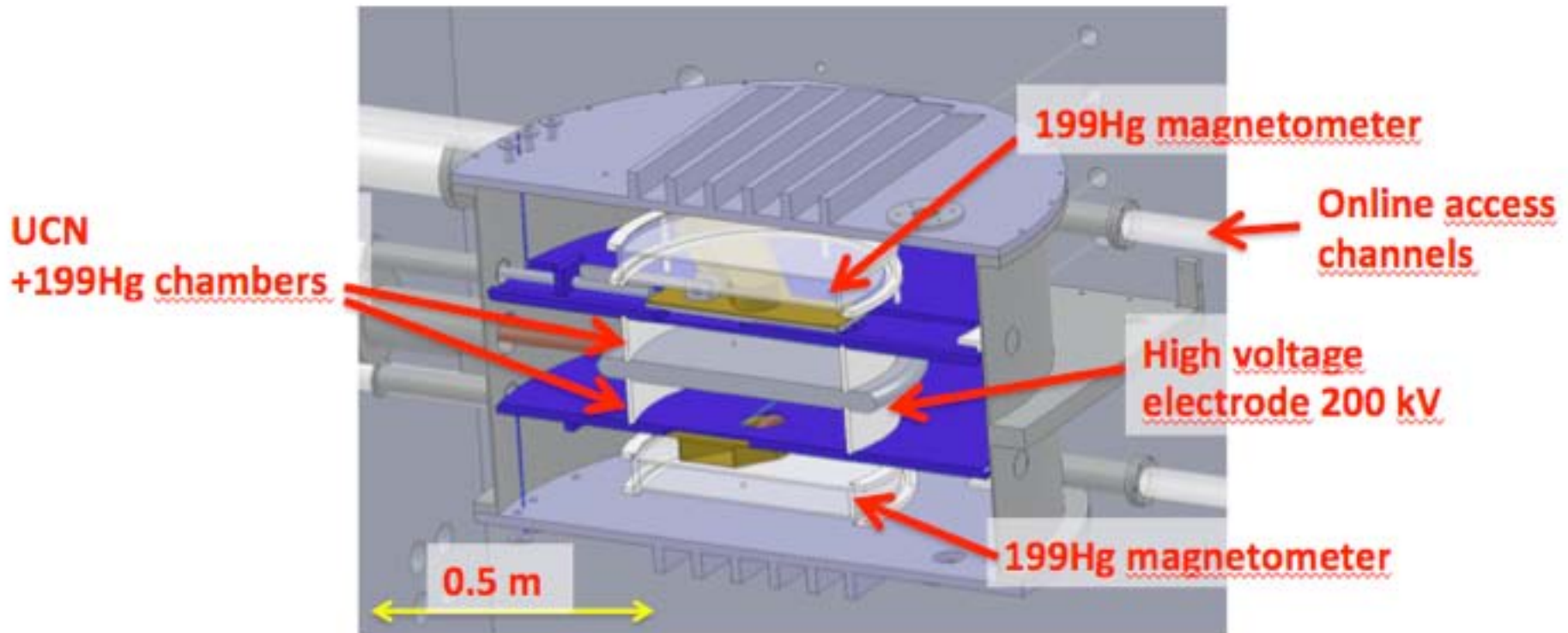


## Lines of attack towards an EDM



# A next generation measurement of the electric dipole moment of the neutron at the FRM-II

<http://www.universe-cluster.de/fierlinger/nedm.html>



goal:  $\sigma_{\text{dstat}} < 5 \times 10^{-28}$  ecm ( $3\sigma$ ) within 200 days of data

(SM:  $\sigma_{\text{dstat}} \sim 10^{-32}$  ecm    SUSY:  $\sigma_{\text{dstat}} \sim 10^{-26} - 10^{-28}$  ecm)

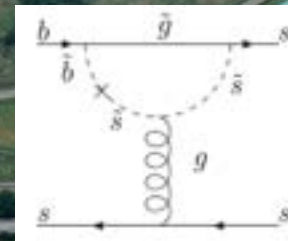
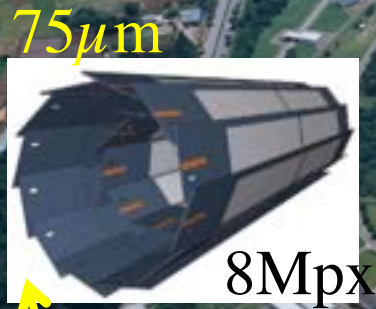


# SuperKEKB and Belle-II

“The Precision Frontier”

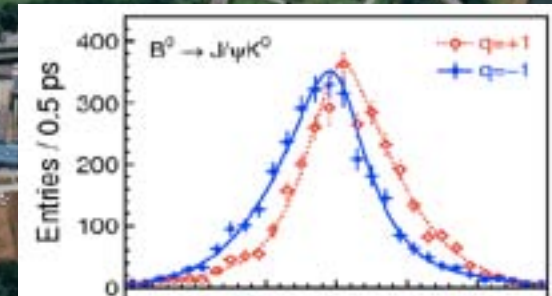
$$L = 8 \times 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

Belle-II Collaboration founded in Dec. 2008  
over 400 members from  
58 institutions and 14 countries,  
strong European participation:  
Germany, Czech Republic, Poland,  
Spain (Si Pixel Vertex Detector),  
Austria (Si Strip Detector),  
Slovenia (particle identification)

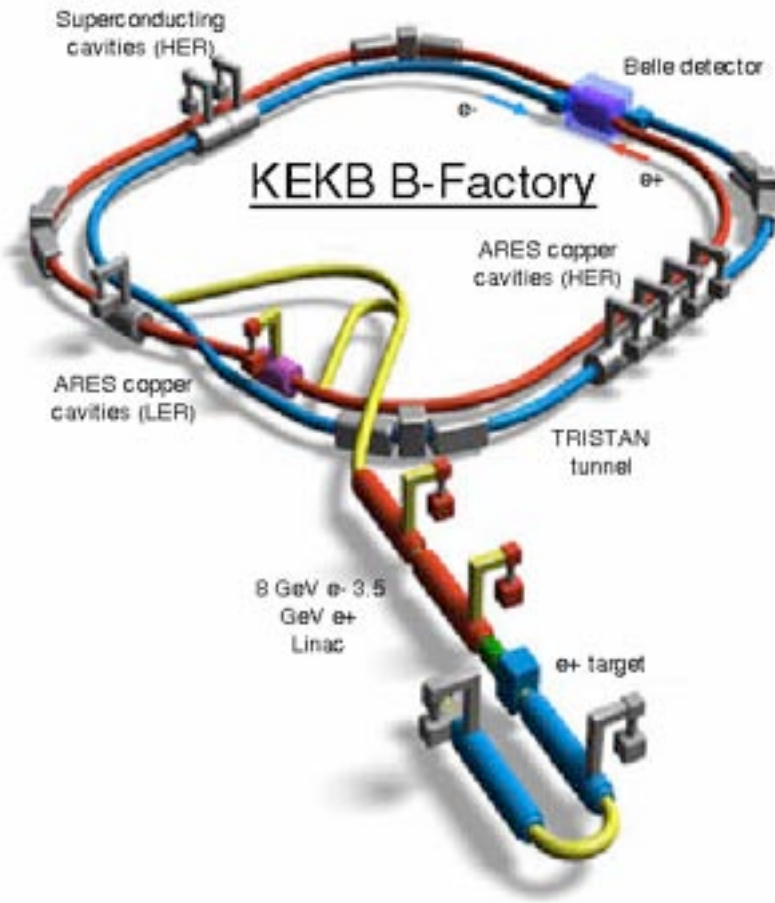


Physics program:

CP violation „Beyond SM“  
rare B decays, rare tau decays  
exotic resonances



# The asymmetric KEKB collider



- Electron ring (HER): 8 GeV
- Positron ring (LER): 3.5 GeV
- Center of mass energy: 10.58 GeV (Y(4S) resonance)  
→ production of B pair at threshold
- One interaction point (Belle)
- Optimized for luminosity
  - About 800 million BB pairs delivered since turn-on in 1999

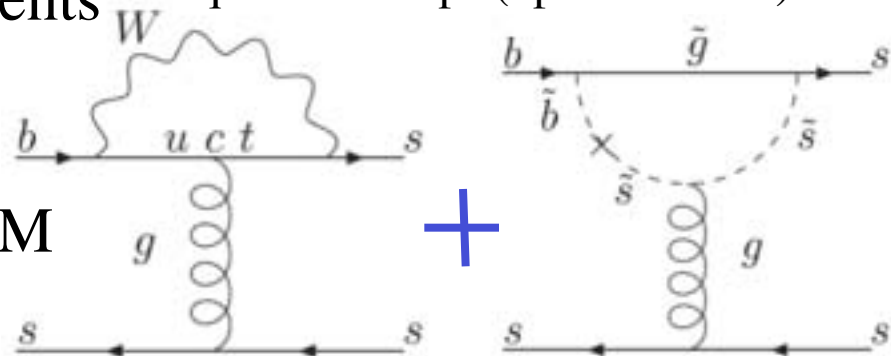
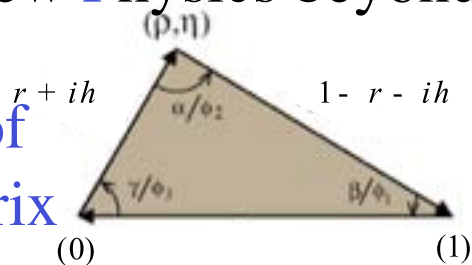


# Physics at the SuperKEKB factory

- CP violation: Precision measurements in the quark flavour sector
- Search for New Physics beyond SM

look for New Physics scales in quantum loops (up to 10 TeV!)

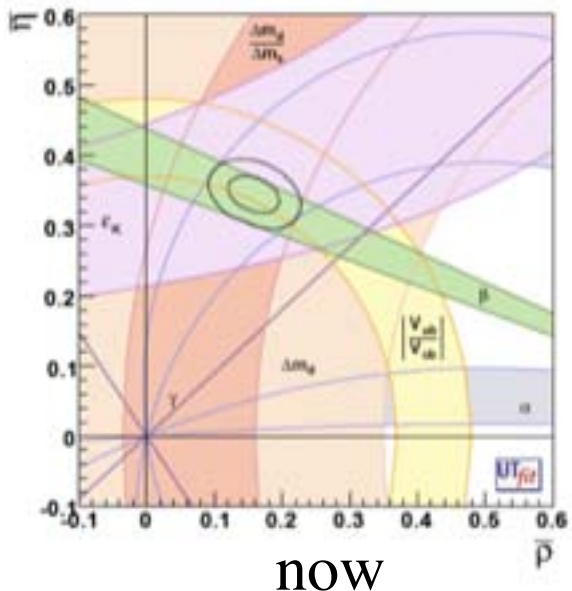
test unitarity of the CKM matrix



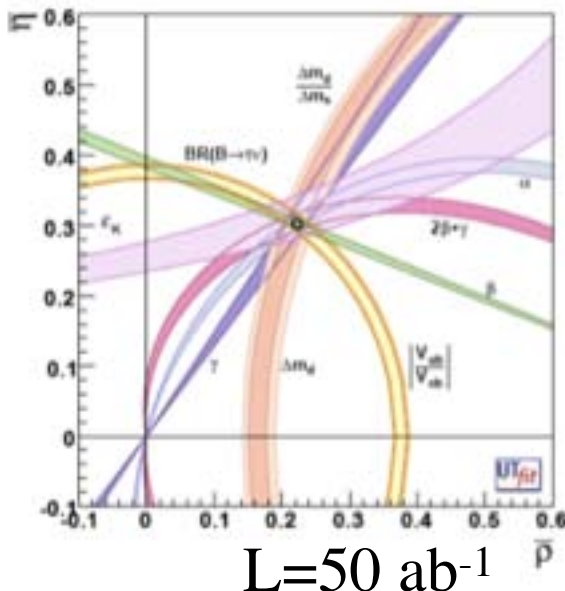
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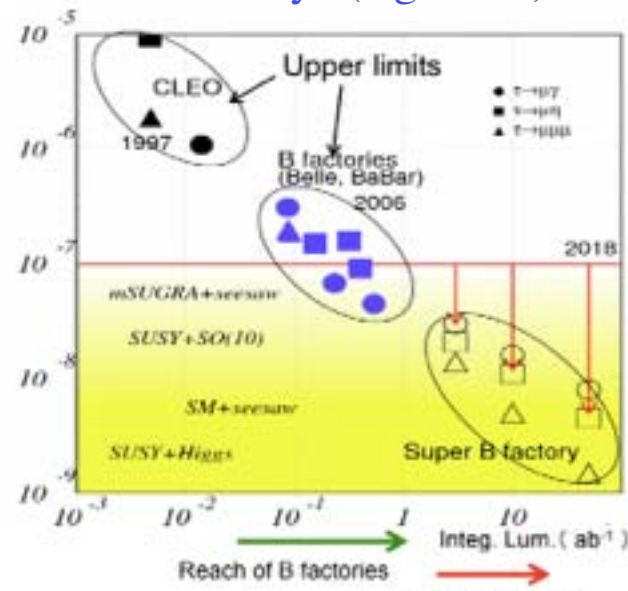
BR Rare decays (e.g. LFV)



now



L=50 ab<sup>-1</sup>





## summary

- precision experiments (mostly at low energy, high intensity accelerators, or using reactors as particle sources) can be used to search for **Physics Beyond the SM**, through effects caused by **radiative corrections** from e.g. SUSY particles.
- examples discussed in this lecture: measurements of /search for
  - anomalous magnetic moment of muons
  - electric dipol moment of neutrons
  - CP violation and rare decays at B-meson factories

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