

# Vector-like extension of the Standard Model with extra scalars

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# The model of flavour

S.F.King, JHEP 09 (2018) 069

| Field     | $Q_{iL}$      | $u_{iR}$           | $d_{iR}$           | $L_{iL}$       | $e_{iR}$ | $Q_{4L}$      | $u_{4R}$           | $d_{4R}$           | $L_{4L}$       | $e_{4R}$ | $\nu_{4R}$ | $\tilde{Q}_{4R}$   | $\tilde{u}_{4L}$ | $\tilde{d}_{4L}$ | $\tilde{L}_{4R}$ | $\tilde{e}_{4L}$ | $\tilde{\nu}_{4L}$ | $\phi$        | $H_u$          | $H_d$    |
|-----------|---------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------------|----------|---------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------------|----------|------------|--------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------|---------------|----------------|----------|
| $SU(3)_C$ | <b>3</b>      | $\bar{\mathbf{3}}$ | $\bar{\mathbf{3}}$ | <b>1</b>       | <b>1</b> | <b>3</b>      | $\bar{\mathbf{3}}$ | $\bar{\mathbf{3}}$ | <b>1</b>       | <b>1</b> | <b>1</b>   | $\bar{\mathbf{3}}$ | <b>3</b>         | <b>3</b>         | <b>1</b>         | <b>1</b>         | <b>1</b>           | <b>1</b>      | <b>1</b>       | <b>1</b> |
| $SU(2)_L$ | <b>2</b>      | <b>1</b>           | <b>1</b>           | <b>2</b>       | <b>1</b> | <b>2</b>      | <b>1</b>           | <b>1</b>           | <b>2</b>       | <b>1</b> | <b>1</b>   | <b>2</b>           | <b>1</b>         | <b>1</b>         | <b>2</b>         | <b>1</b>         | <b>1</b>           | <b>1</b>      | <b>2</b>       | <b>2</b> |
| $U(1)_Y$  | $\frac{1}{6}$ | $-\frac{2}{3}$     | $\frac{1}{3}$      | $-\frac{1}{2}$ | <b>1</b> | $\frac{1}{6}$ | $-\frac{2}{3}$     | $\frac{1}{3}$      | $-\frac{1}{2}$ | <b>1</b> | <b>0</b>   | $-\frac{1}{6}$     | $\frac{2}{3}$    | $-\frac{1}{3}$   | $\frac{1}{2}$    | $-1$             | <b>0</b>           | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $-\frac{1}{2}$ |          |
| $U(1)_X$  | <b>0</b>      | <b>0</b>           | <b>0</b>           | <b>0</b>       | <b>0</b> | <b>1</b>      | <b>1</b>           | <b>1</b>           | <b>1</b>       | <b>1</b> | <b>1</b>   | $-1$               | $-1$             | $-1$             | $-1$             | $-1$             | $-1$               | <b>1</b>      | $-1$           | $-1$     |

Standard Model
New Physics: VL fermions + 2 scalars

## COMPLEX ... BUT STILL MINIMAL

- **SM Yukawa couplings forbidden** by global U(1)
- Masses generated via **mixing** with vector-like NP fermions
- A lot of NP parameters (Yukawa couplings and VL masses)...
- ... but constrained by the SM

$$\mathcal{M}_e = \begin{pmatrix} & e_{1R} & e_{2R} & e_{3R} & e_{4R} & \tilde{e}_{4R} \\ e_{1L} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ e_{2L} & 0 & 0 & 0 & y_{24}^e \frac{v_d}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 \\ e_{3L} & 0 & 0 & 0 & y_{34}^e \frac{v_d}{\sqrt{2}} & -x_{34}^L \frac{v_\phi}{\sqrt{2}} \\ e_{4L} & 0 & 0 & y_{43}^e \frac{v_d}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 & -M_4^L \\ \tilde{e}_{4L} & 0 & x_{42}^e \frac{v_\phi}{\sqrt{2}} & x_{43}^e \frac{v_\phi}{\sqrt{2}} & M_4^e & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\langle H_u^0 \rangle = v_u / \sqrt{2}, \quad \langle H_d^0 \rangle = v_d / \sqrt{2}, \quad \langle \phi \rangle = v_\phi / \sqrt{2}$$

# Fermion masses

S.F.King, JHEP 09 (2018) 069

A.Cárcamo Hernández, KK, H.Lee, D.Rizzo, arXiv:2309.13968

## 3<sup>rd</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> generations of the SM:

$$m_t \approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{y_{43}^u x_{34}^Q v_\phi v_u}{\sqrt{(x_{34}^Q v_\phi)^2 + 2(M_4^Q)^2}}, \quad m_c \approx \frac{y_{24}^u x_{42}^u v_\phi v_u}{2 M_4^u}$$

$$m_b \approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{y_{43}^d x_{34}^Q v_\phi v_d}{\sqrt{(x_{34}^Q v_\phi)^2 + 2(M_4^Q)^2}}, \quad m_s \approx \frac{y_{24}^d x_{42}^d v_\phi v_d}{2 M_4^d}$$

$$m_\tau \approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{y_{43}^e x_{34}^L v_\phi v_d}{\sqrt{(x_{34}^L v_\phi)^2 + 2(M_4^L)^2}}, \quad m_\mu \approx \frac{y_{24}^e x_{42}^e v_\phi v_d}{2 M_4^e}.$$

large to fit the top mass

small to fit the charm mass

$v_u/v_d \gg 1$  to get  $m_t \gg m_b$

1<sup>st</sup> generation is massless with 1 VL family

can be easily extended by another VL: A.C.Hernández, S.F.King, and H.Lee, Phys. Rev. D 103, 115024 (2021)

## Vector-like NP fermions:

Colored VL fermions heavier than 1400 GeV (LHC bounds)  $\rightarrow M_4^Q, M_4^U, M_4^D > 1200$  GeV

$$M_{E_1} \approx \sqrt{(M_4^L)^2 + \frac{1}{2}(v_\phi x_{34}^L)^2}, \quad M_{E_2} = \sqrt{(M_4^e)^2 + \frac{1}{2}(v_\phi x_{43}^e)^2 + \frac{1}{2}(v_\phi x_{42}^e)^2}.$$

$$M_{N_1} = M_{N_2} \approx M_4^\nu, \quad M_{N_3} = M_{N_4} \approx \sqrt{(M_4^L)^2 + \frac{1}{2}(v_\phi x_{34}^L)^2}$$

• Neutrinos 1,2 can be the lightest (DM?)

• Neutrinos 3,4 mass degenerate with charged VL leptons

# CKM mixing matrix

5x5 mixing matrix → 3x3 CKM matrix

A.Cárcamo Hernández, KK, H.Lee, D.Rizzo  
arXiv:2309.13968

$$V_{\text{CKM}}^{3 \times 3} \approx \begin{pmatrix} 1 - x_{ud}^2/2 & x_{ud} & x_{ud}x_d \\ -x_{ud} & 1 - x_{ud}^2/2 & x_d - x_u \\ -x_u x_{ud} & x_u - x_d & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x_d = \frac{y_{24}^d x_{43}^d M_4^Q}{y_{43}^d x_{34}^Q M_4^d}$$

$$x_u = \frac{y_{24}^u \overset{\text{order one}}{x_{43}^u} M_4^Q}{y_{43}^u x_{34}^Q M_4^u}$$

$$x_{ud} = \frac{y_{14}^d}{y_{24}^d}$$

## Comparing with the experiment:

- to fit the Cabibbo angle  $y_{14}^d \approx 0.22 y_{24}^d$
- to fit  $V_{13}$  one needs  $x_d \approx 0.017$   $x_u \approx -0.023$

$$\frac{|V_{\text{CKM}}^{\text{exp}}| - |V_{\text{CKM}}^{3 \times 3}|}{\delta |V_{\text{CKM}}^{\text{exp}}|} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.04 & 0 \\ 8.88 & 0.23 & 0.01 \end{pmatrix}$$

← difficult to fit with 1 VL family

1 extra VL family needed

# Phenomenology

## Studied in the context of ...

- Flavor anomalies in  $b \rightarrow s$  transitions S.F.King, JHEP 09, 069 (2018)  
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## ... but many things were wrong

- Scalar potential “boundedness from below”
- Alignment limit (the lightest scalar is the SM Higgs)
- Perturbativity of the Yukawa and scalar couplings
- Calculation of the NP contribution to muon  $g-2$

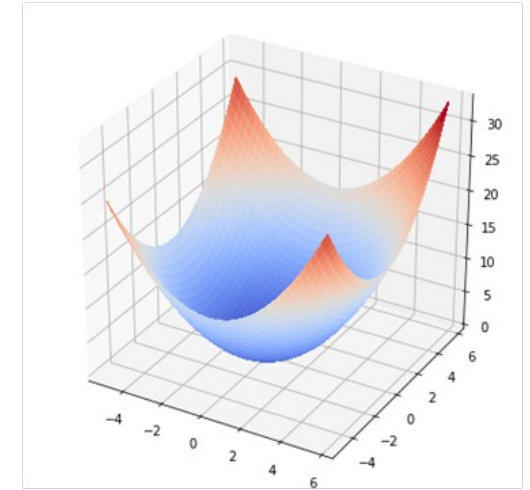
—————> **needs to be redone**

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# Scalar sector constraints

$$\begin{aligned}
 V = & \mu_u^2 (H_u^\dagger H_u) + \mu_d^2 (H_d^\dagger H_d) + \mu_\phi^2 (\phi^* \phi) - \frac{1}{2} \mu_{\text{sb}}^2 (\phi^2 + \phi^{*2}) \\
 & + \frac{1}{2} \lambda_1 (H_u^\dagger H_u)^2 + \frac{1}{2} \lambda_2 (H_d^\dagger H_d)^2 + \lambda_3 (H_u^\dagger H_u) (H_d^\dagger H_d) + \lambda_4 (H_u^\dagger H_d) (H_d^\dagger H_u) \\
 & - \frac{1}{2} \lambda_5 (\epsilon_{ij} H_u^i H_d^j \phi^2 + \text{H.c.}) + \frac{1}{2} \lambda_6 (\phi^* \phi)^2 + \lambda_7 (\phi^* \phi) (H_u^\dagger H_u) + \lambda_8 (\phi^* \phi) (H_d^\dagger H_d)
 \end{aligned}$$

quartic couplings determine the shape of scalar potential



$$\lambda_8 + \sqrt{\lambda_2 \lambda_6} > 0$$

$$\lambda_7 + \sqrt{\lambda_1 \lambda_6} > 0$$

$$\lambda_3 + \sqrt{\lambda_2 \lambda_1} > 0$$

$$\lambda_3 + \lambda_4 + \sqrt{\lambda_2 \lambda_1} > 0$$

$$-\frac{1}{4} \frac{(\text{Re } \lambda_5)^2 + (\text{Im } \lambda_5)^2}{\lambda_a} + \lambda_4 > 0$$

$$4\lambda_b^2 - (\text{Re } \lambda_5)^2 + \text{Re } \lambda_5 \text{Im } \lambda_5 > 0$$

$$4\lambda_b^2 - (\text{Im } \lambda_5)^2 + \text{Re } \lambda_5 \text{Im } \lambda_5 > 0$$

V must be bounded from below

3 neutral scalar fields from diagonalization of:

$$\mathbf{M}_{\text{CP-even}}^2 = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 v_u^2 - \lambda_5 \frac{v_d v_\phi^2}{4v_\phi} & \lambda_3 v_u v_d + \lambda_5 \frac{v_\phi^2}{4} & \lambda_7 v_u v_\phi + \lambda_5 \frac{v_d v_\phi}{2} \\ \lambda_3 v_u v_d + \lambda_5 \frac{v_\phi^2}{4} & \lambda_2 v_d^2 - \lambda_5 \frac{v_u v_\phi^2}{4v_d} & \lambda_8 v_d v_\phi + \lambda_5 \frac{v_u v_\phi}{2} \\ \lambda_7 v_u v_\phi + \lambda_5 \frac{v_d v_\phi}{2} & \lambda_8 v_d v_\phi + \lambda_5 \frac{v_u v_\phi}{2} & \lambda_6 v_\phi^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$h_1, h_2, h_3$

alignment limit:

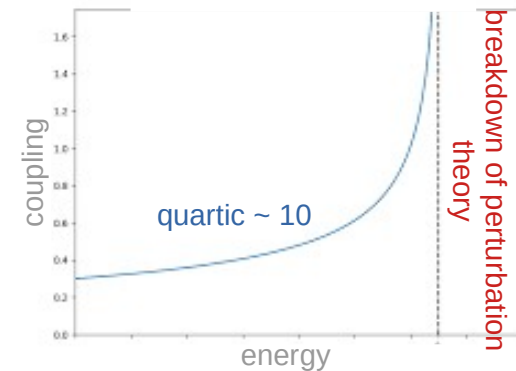
$$\begin{aligned}
 \lambda_8 \cos^2 \beta + \lambda_7 \sin^2 \beta + \lambda_5 \sin \beta \cos \beta &= 0 \\
 \lambda_2 \cos^2 \beta - \lambda_1 \sin^2 \beta - \lambda_3 (\cos^2 \beta - \sin^2 \beta) &= 0,
 \end{aligned}$$

# RGE perturbativity bounds

## Naive perturbativity:

gauge, Yukawa coupling (NP)  $< \sqrt{4\pi}$   
quartic coupling (NP)  $< 4\pi$

for the lagrangian parameters



## the problem:

NP must be an **effective theory** → UV completion required at the energy scale close to NP would **affect pheno predictions**

## RGE perturbativity:

UV completion does not affect NP-scale pheno (muon g-2)



the scale of UV completion must be above ~ 50 TeV

gauge, Yukawa coupling ( $\Lambda$ )  $< \sqrt{4\pi}$   
quartic coupling ( $\Lambda$ )  $< 4\pi$



gauge, Yukawa coupling (NP)  $< 1$   
quartic coupling (NP)  $< 2$



# Muon g-2 anomaly

## Measured value at BNL (2006):

Bennet *et al*, Phys. Rev. D 73 (2006) 072003 (hep-ex/0602035)

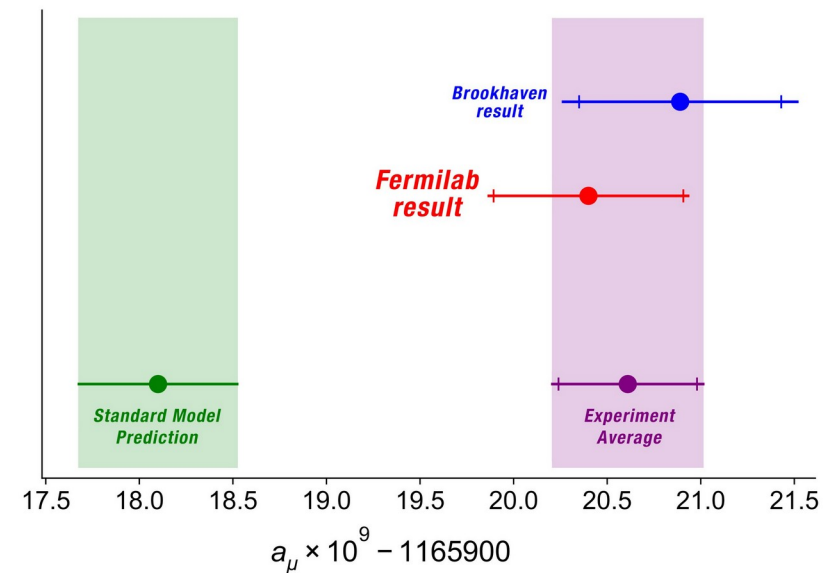
$$a_{\mu}^{\text{BNL}} = (116592089 \pm 63) \times 10^{-11}$$

## Measured value at FNAL (2021):

Muon g-2 Collaboration, Phys. Rev. Lett. 126 (2021) 141801

Muon g-2 Collaboration, arXiv: 2308.06230

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{FNAL}} = (116592055 \pm 24) \times 10^{-11}$$



$$\Delta a_{\mu} = (24.9 \pm 4.8) \times 10^{-10}$$

**New Physics?**

discrepancy at  $\sim 5.1 \sigma$ !

# Muon g-2 anomaly

**BUT BE(A)WARE OF THE LATTICE**

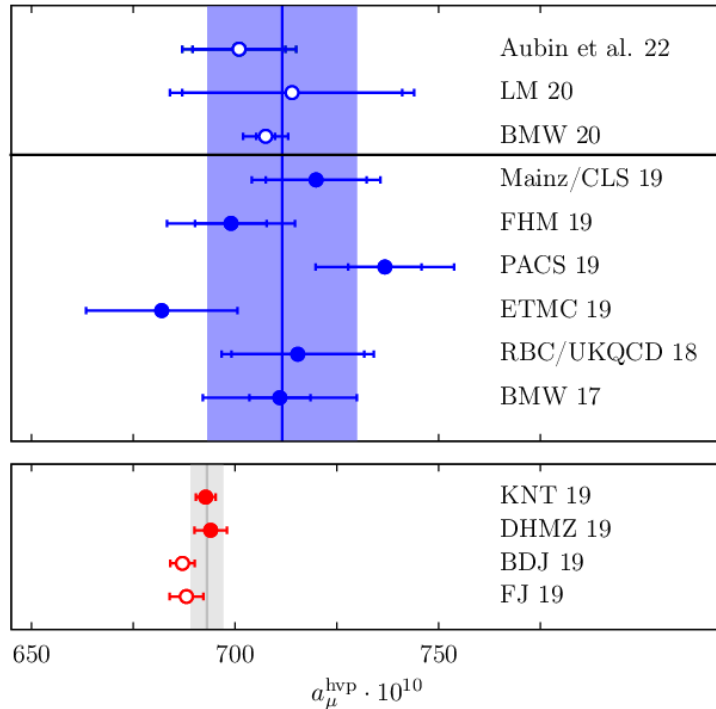
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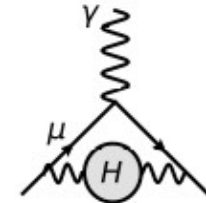
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$a_\mu^{\text{FT}}$

H.Wittig, arXiv:2306.04165

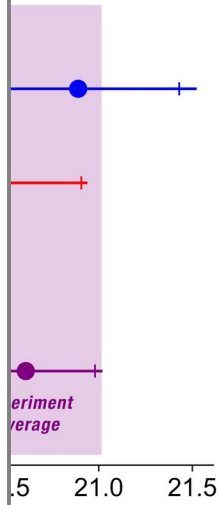


hadronic vacuum polarisation contribution  
**underestimated?**



muon (g-2) anomaly **reduced to 1.5-2  $\sigma$**

**tension** with the data-driven dispersive methods of 2-4  $\sigma$   
**New Anomaly?**



Experiment average

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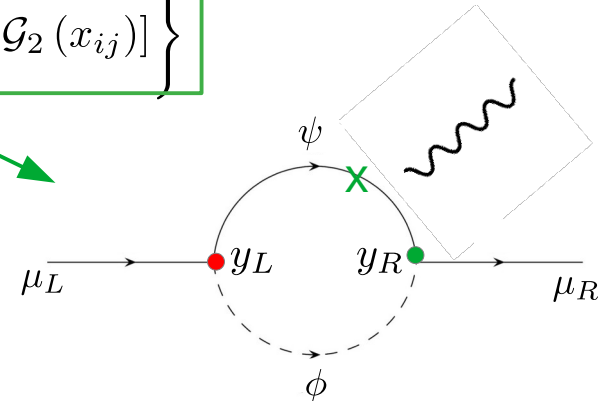
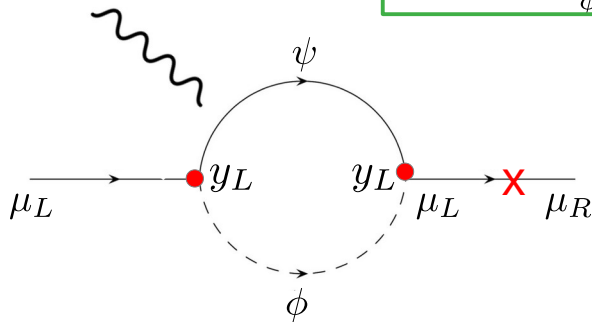
# g-2 with scalars and fermions

1-loop contribution from scalar(s)  $\phi_i$  and VL fermions  $\psi_j$

$$\delta(g-2)_\mu = \sum_{i,j} \left\{ -\frac{m_\mu^2}{16\pi^2 m_{\phi_i}^2} \left( |y_L^{ij\mu}|^2 + |y_R^{ij\mu}|^2 \right) [Q_j \mathcal{F}_1(x_{ij}) - Q_i \mathcal{G}_1(x_{ij})] \right.$$

$$x_{ij} = m_{\psi_j}^2 / m_{\phi_i}^2$$

$$\left. -\frac{m_\mu m_{\psi_j}}{16\pi^2 m_{\phi_i}^2} \text{Re} \left( y_L^{ij\mu} y_R^{ij\mu*} \right) [Q_j \mathcal{F}_2(x_{ij}) - Q_i \mathcal{G}_2(x_{ij})] \right\}$$



- minimal: 1 VL lepton and 1 scalar
- $m_\psi, m_\phi \sim \mathcal{O}(100 \text{ GeV})$
- Yukawa couplings  $> 1$
- **excluded by the LHC** see P. Athron et al., 2104.03691 for the most recent results
- **Landau Pole** e.g. KK. E.Sessolo, 1707.00753

- at least two reps. of VL needed
- parametrically enhanced
- LHC bounds easily avoided...



We have VL lepton SU(2) doublet and singlet

# Scanning methodology

Input parameters:

| Scalar sector            |                         |   |                              |                             |  |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|---|------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| $\tan \beta$ [2, 50]     | $v_\phi$ [1000, 1500]   | $\mu_{sb}^2$ [4, 64] $\times 10^4$          | $\lambda_2$ [-2.0, +2.0]     | $\lambda_3$ [0.24, 0.28]    |  |
| $\lambda_4$ [-2.0, +2.0] | $\lambda_5$ [-0.2, 0.0] | $\lambda_6$ [-2.0, +2.0]                    | $\lambda_7$ [-0.01, +0.01]   | $\lambda_8$ [-1.0, +1.0]    |  |
| Lepton sector            |                         |   |                              |                             |  |
| $y_{24}^e$ [-0.7, +0.7]  | $y_{43}^e$ [-1.0, +1.0] | $y_{14}^\nu$ [-1.0, +1.0] $\times 10^{-10}$ | $y_{14}^{\nu'}$ [-1.0, +1.0] | $M_4^e$ $\pm$ [200, 1000]   |  |
| $y_{34}^e$ [-1.0, +1.0]  | $x_{42}^e$ [-1.0, +1.0] | $y_{24}^\nu$ [-1.0, +1.0] $\times 10^{-10}$ | $y_{24}^{\nu'}$ [-1.0, +1.0] | $M_4^\nu$ $\pm$ [200, 1000] |  |
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| Quark sector             |                         |   |                              |                             |  |
| $y_{24}^u$ [-1.0, +1.0]  | $y_{43}^u$ [-1.4, +1.4] | $y_{14}^d$ [-0.7, +0.7]                     | $y_{43}^d$ [-1.0, +1.0]      | $M_4^d$ $\pm$ [1200, 4000]  |  |
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We minimize the  $\chi^2$  function:

$$\chi^2 = \sum_i \frac{(\mathcal{O}_i^{\text{model}} - \mathcal{O}_i^{\text{cen}})^2}{(\mathcal{O}_i^{\text{err}})^2}$$



- SM fermions masses
- CKM matrix angles
- Muon g-2



**benchmark points**

# Typical NP spectra

## Fermion sector:

### VL quarks

$U_1$ : ~1500 GeV

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$U_2$ : ~1700-1900 GeV

$D_2$ : ~2900-3600 GeV to suppress  $x_d$  (CKM)

} set by  $M^Q$

### VL leptons

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## Scalar sector:

### neutral scalars

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$h_2$ : ~400 GeV

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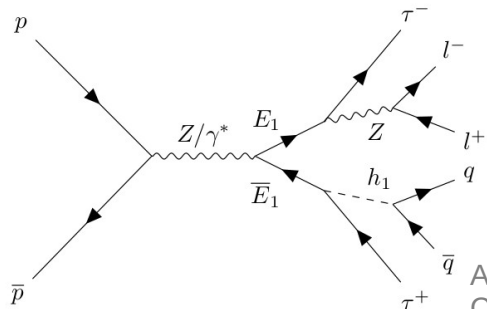
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# LHC bounds

## VL leptons:

decay predominantly to muons ... but **no dedicated experimental analysis**



BR to taus low (<10%) ... cross section 3-4 orders of magnitude below the current bounds

ATLAS: JHEP 07, 118 (2023)  
CMS: Phys. Rev. D 100, 052003 (2019)

## NP scalars:

$h_2 \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-$   
 $a_1 \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-$

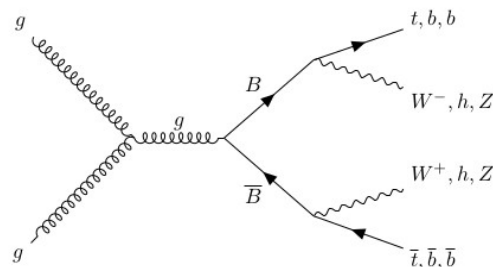
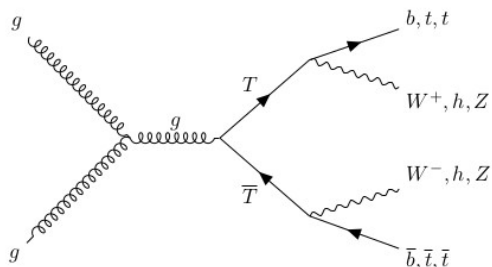
most promising channel

predicted CS  
 $\text{experimental}_{95\%} \text{ CS} = 0.6$

can be tested in Run 3

## VL quarks:

ATLAS: Eur. Phys. J. C 83, 719 (2023)  
CMS: JHEP 07, 020 (2023)



cross section one order of magnitude smaller than the current bounds  
can be tested in Run 3

# NP contributions to muon g-2

| Contributions to $\Delta a_\mu \times 10^9$ |        |        |        |                     |        |        |        |
|---|--------|--------|--------|---------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Charged scalars                             |        |        |        | CP-even scalars     |        |        |        |
| Loop  | BP1    | BP2    | BP3    | Loop                | BP1    | BP2    | BP3    |
| $h^\pm, N_{1,2}$                            | -1.076 | -0.792 | -0.942 | $h_1, E_1$          | -0.003 | -0.001 | -0.009 |
| $h^\pm, N_{3,4}$                            | 3.300  | 2.898  | 3.153  | $h_1, E_2$          | 0.003  | 0.001  | 0.009  |
| $h^\pm, N_{\text{tot}}$                     | 2.225  | 2.106  | 2.211  | $h_2, E_1$          | -0.409 | -0.520 | -0.969 |
| CP-odd scalars                              |        |        |        | $h_2, E_2$          | 0.437  | 0.548  | 0.994  |
| $a_1, E_1$                                  | 0.425  | 0.528  | 0.938  | $h_3, E_1$          | 0.018  | 0.115  | 0.076  |
| $a_1, E_2$                                  | -0.544 | -0.611 | -1.529 | $h_3, E_2$          | -0.017 | -0.127 | -0.076 |
| $a_2, E_1$                                  | -0.033 | -0.135 | -0.071 | $h, E_{\text{tot}}$ | 0.032  | 0.027  | 0.025  |
| $a_2, E_2$                                  | 0.110  | 0.196  | 0.621  | Total               |        |        |        |
| $a, E_{\text{tot}}$                         | -0.015 | -0.023 | -0.041 | $\Delta a_\mu$      | 2.215  | 2.101  | 2.196  |

## Dominant contribution from the charged scalar-neutrino loops

NP neutrino Yukawa couplings not constrained by the SM – can become large

Not calculated in the previous studies of the model ...

## Cancellations between the (pseudo) scalar-charged lepton loops

ex: L. Darmé, K. Kowalska, L. Roszkowski, and E. M. Sessolo, JHEP 10, 052 (2018)  
K. Kowalska and E. M. Sessolo, Phys. Rev. D 103, 115032 (2021)



# To take home

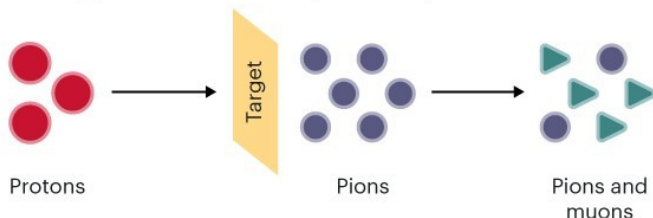
- NP model to explain the **SM fermion masses and mixings**
- Strong **constraints** on the Yukawa couplings **from perturbativity**
- **Heavy neutrino-charged scalar** contribution to muon  $g-2$  is dominant
- Possible discovery/exclusion in the **VL quark** and **scalar tau-channel** Run 3 LHC searches

# Muon g-2 measurement

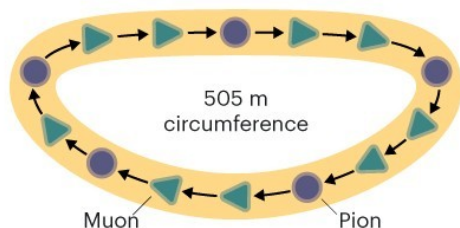
## THE HUNT FOR NEW PHYSICS

The Muon g - 2 experiment has been looking for virtual particles by measuring how muons wobble in a magnetic field.

1. Protons from the Fermilab accelerator hit a target, creating pions. Some of these pions decay into muons

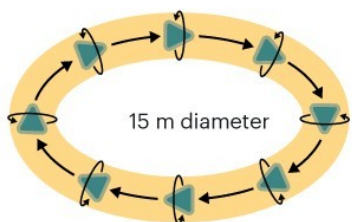


2. Pions travel around a delivery ring



Pions circle until almost all have decayed into muons.

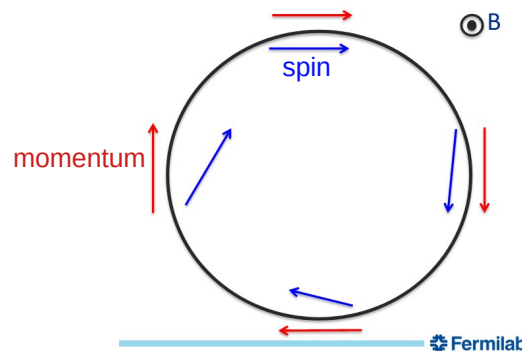
3. Muons speed around a second ring, with a doughnut-shaped magnetic field



Muons act like tiny magnets spinning on an axis like tops. As they circulate, their spin axis tilts, or 'precesses' in a way that relates to their magnetic moment.

Measuring the muons' spin direction, combined with a precise measurement of the ring's magnetic field, reveals the muon's anomalous magnetic moment — the part caused by interaction with the virtual particles.

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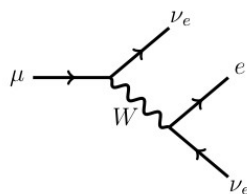


Brendan Kiburg, talk at the University of Warsaw Colloquium

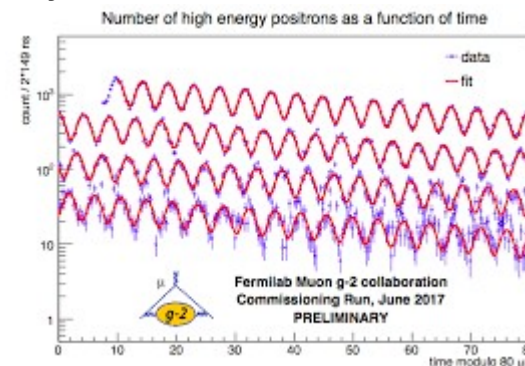
muon spin precession frequency  $\omega_a = \frac{e B}{m_\mu} a_\mu$   
relative precession frequency of the spin with respect to the momentum

step 1: measure magnetic field

step 2: measure precession frequency

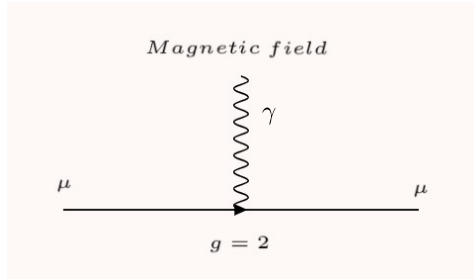


parity not conserved → positrons emitted in the direction correlated to the spin



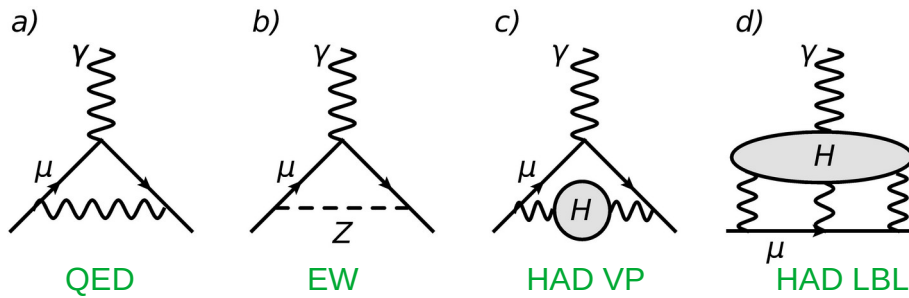
fit to get  $\omega_a$   $F(t) = N_0 e^{-t/\gamma\tau_\mu} [1 + A_0 \cos(\omega_a^m t + \phi_0)]$

# Muon g-2 - theory



$$\vec{\mu} = g \frac{q}{2m} \vec{S}$$

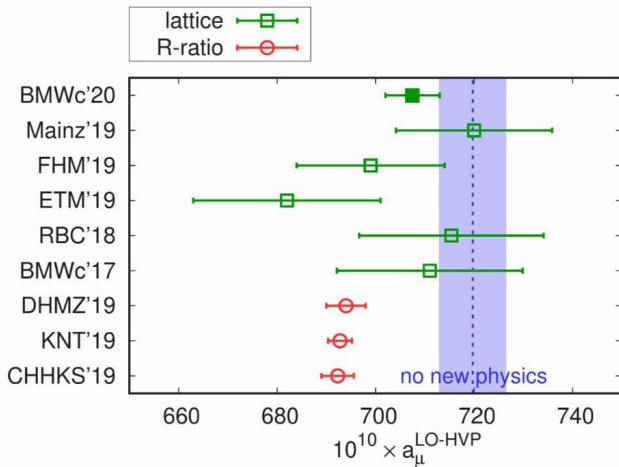
in quantum mechanics:  $g = 2$



in QFT loop effects can shift  $g$

$$\text{anomalous magnetic moment: } a = \frac{g - 2}{2}$$

subject to uncertainties



**Standard Model value:**

Aoyama, Kinoshita, Nio, Atoms 7 (2019) 28

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{SM}} = (116591810 \pm 43) \times 10^{-11}$$