

Hadronic effects in the muon anomalous magnetic moment

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Outline

Not B physics – A physics, $a = \frac{g-2}{2}$

- Decomposition of the muon anomalous magnetic moment
- Hadrons in polarization operator
- Hadrons in light-by-light
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Muon anomalous magnetic moment

Definition: $E = -\vec{\mu}\vec{B}$, $\vec{\mu} = g_{\mu} \frac{e\hbar}{2m_{\mu}c} \vec{S}$.

From the Dirac equation $g_{\mu} = 2$. Deviations are due to radiative corrections,

$$g_{\mu} = 2\left(1 + \frac{\alpha}{2\pi} + \dots\right) \quad \text{Schwinger '48}$$

The anomalous magnetic moment of muon is measured with a very high precision

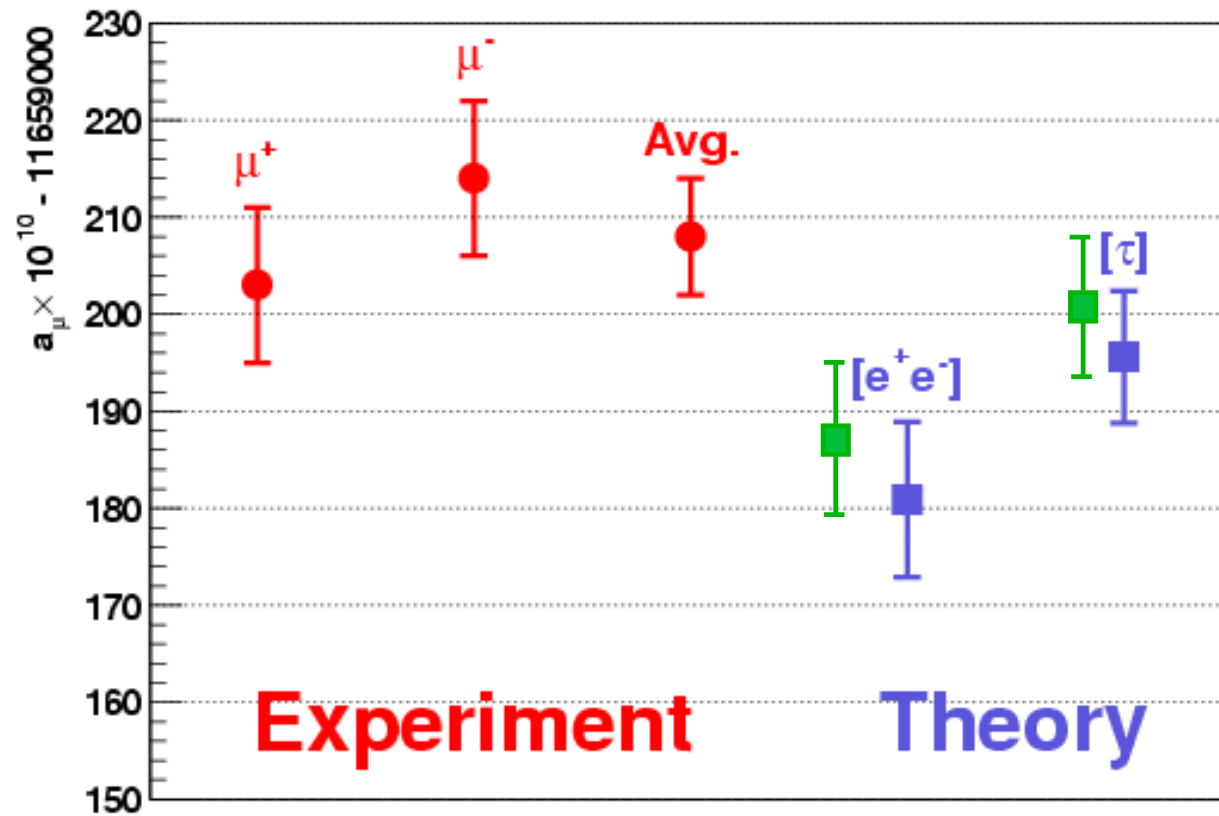
$$a_{\mu^{+}}^{\text{exp}} = \frac{g_{\mu^{+}} - 2}{2} = 116\,592\,030(80) \times 10^{-11} \quad \text{'02}$$

$$a_{\mu^{-}}^{\text{exp}} = \frac{g_{\mu^{-}} - 2}{2} = 116\,592\,140(80) \times 10^{-11} \quad \text{'04}$$

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Assuming CPT invariance the average is also given

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{exp}} = 116\,592\,080(60) \times 10^{-11}$$



Experimental values and theoretical predictions. The green bars are due to the shift in the hadronic light-by-light contribution.

The Standard Model prediction for a_μ can be represented as a sum

$$a_\mu^{\text{SM}} = a_\mu^{\text{QED}} + a_\mu^{\text{had}} + a_\mu^{\text{EW}}$$

The QED part involving only leptons and photons is the main one,

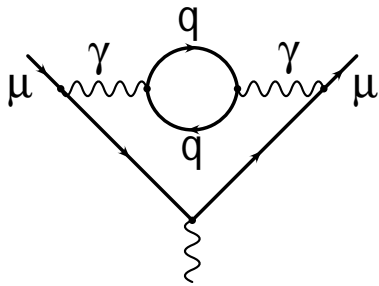
$$a_\mu^{\text{QED}} = 116\,584\,706(3) \times 10^{-11}.$$

This accounts for one-, two- and three-loop contributions, i.e., up to the α^3 terms. Not calculated yet the four-loop terms are of order $\alpha^4 \sim 10^{-11}$.

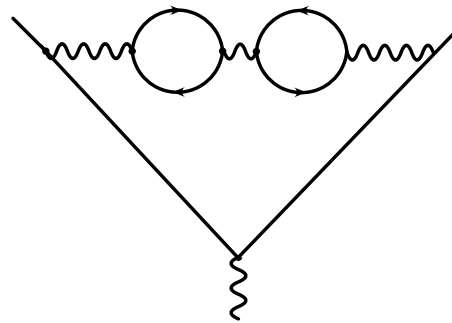
Next is the hadronic contribution.

Hadronic contributions

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{had}} = a_{\mu}^{\text{had,LO}} + a_{\mu}^{\text{had,HO}} + a_{\mu}^{\text{LBL}}$$

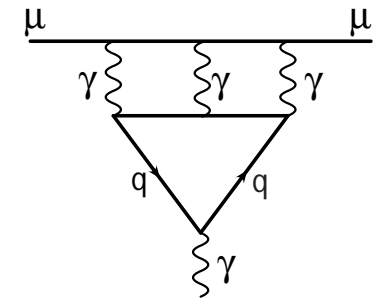


Lowest order hadronic contribution represented by a quark loop



An example of higher order hadronic contribution

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{h,HO}} = -100(6) \times 10^{-11}$$



Light-by-light scattering contribution

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{LBL}} = 86(35) \times 10^{-11}$$

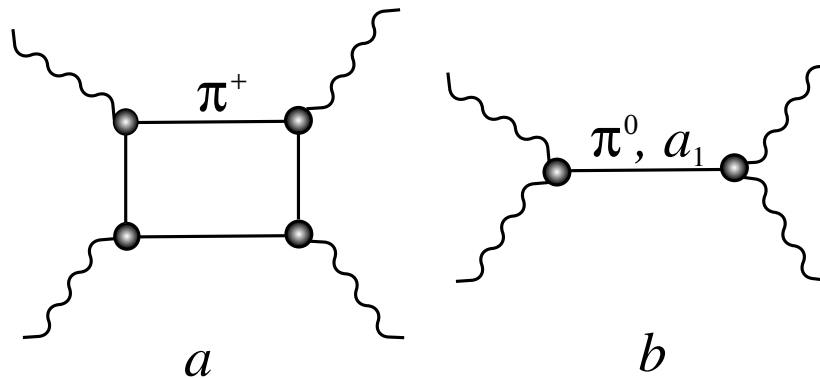
$$a_{\mu}^{\text{had,LO}} = \begin{cases} 6963(62)(36) \times 10^{-11} & e^+e^- \text{ based} \\ 7110(50)(8)(28) \times 10^{-11} & \tau \text{ based} \end{cases}$$

Light-by-light

The $\gamma^* \gamma^* \rightarrow \gamma^* \gamma$ amplitude is not accessible experimentally, a challenge for theorists. Parametrically the LbL contribution to a_μ can be presented in the form

$$a_\mu^{\text{LbL}} \sim \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^3 \left[c_1 \frac{m_\mu^2}{m_\pi^2} + c_2 N_c \frac{m_\mu^2}{m_\rho^2} \right]$$

The first, chirally enhanced term, is due to the loops of charged pion, the second, N_c -enhanced, term is due to exchanges of π^0 and heavier resonances. A similar expansion for the leading contribution, hadronic polarization.



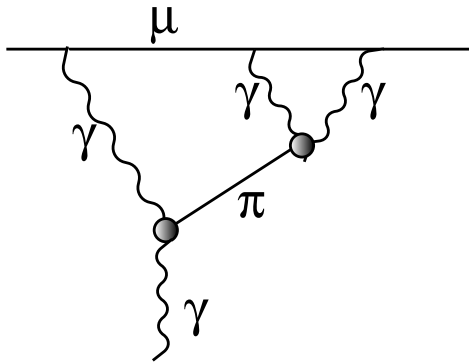
The chirally enhanced contribution does not result in large number, it is actually rather small, Kinoshita et al, Melnikov

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{LbL}}(\text{pion box}) \approx -4 \times 10^{-11}$$

(similarly to the hadronic polarization case).

The π^0 pole part of LbL contains besides N_c the chiral enhancement in the logarithmic form,

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{LbL}}(\pi^0) = \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^3 N_c \frac{m_{\mu}^2 N_c}{48\pi^2 F_{\pi}^2} \ln^2 \frac{m_{\rho}}{m_{\pi}} + \dots$$



Knecht, Nyffeler,
Kinoshita, Hayakawa
Bijens, Prades, Pallante
Blokland, Czarnecki, Melnikov

Numerically

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{LbL}}(\pi^0) = 56 \times 10^{-11}$$

Knecht, Nyffeler

Using constraints from the Operator Product Expansion (OPE) we show that it is underestimated value. The difference comes from absence of form factor suppression in $\gamma\gamma^*\pi^0$ vertex.

OPE constraints and hadronic model

$$\epsilon_i^\mu(q_i), \quad i = 1, 2, 3, 4, \quad \sum q_i = 0$$

$$\epsilon_4 \text{ represents the external magnetic field } f^{\gamma\delta} = q_4^\gamma \epsilon_4^\delta - q_4^\delta \epsilon_4^\gamma, \quad q_4 \rightarrow 0.$$

The LbL amplitude

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{M} &= \alpha^2 N_c \text{Tr} [\hat{Q}^4] \mathcal{A} = \alpha^2 N_c \text{Tr} [\hat{Q}^4] \mathcal{A}_{\mu_1 \mu_2 \mu_3 \gamma \delta} \epsilon_1^{\mu_1} \epsilon_2^{\mu_2} \epsilon_3^{\mu_3} f^{\gamma \delta} \\ &= -e^3 \int d^4x d^4y e^{-iq_1 x - iq_2 y} \epsilon_1^{\mu_1} \epsilon_2^{\mu_2} \epsilon_3^{\mu_3} \langle 0 | T \{ j_{\mu_1}(x) j_{\mu_2}(y) j_{\mu_3}(0) \} | \gamma \rangle \end{aligned}$$

The electromagnetic current $j_\mu = \bar{q} \hat{Q} \gamma_\mu q$, $q = \{u, d, s\}$

Three Lorentz invariants: q_1^2, q_2^2, q_3^2

Consider the Euclidian range $q_1^2 \approx q_2^2 \gg q_3^2$

We can use OPE for the currents that carry large momenta q_1, q_2

$$i \int d^4x d^4y e^{-iq_1x - iq_2y} T \{j_{\mu_1}(x), j_{\mu_2}(y)\} =$$

$$\int d^4z e^{-i(q_1+q_2)z} \frac{2i}{\hat{q}^2} \epsilon_{\mu_1\mu_2\delta\rho} \hat{q}^\delta j_5^\rho(z) + \dots .$$

$\hat{q} = (q_1 - q_2)/2$, the axial current $j_5^\rho = \bar{q} \hat{Q}^2 \gamma^\rho \gamma_5 q$ is the linear combination of

$$j_{5\rho}^{(3)} = \bar{q} \lambda_3 \gamma^\rho \gamma_5 q \quad \text{isovector}$$

$$j_{5\rho}^{(3)} = \bar{q} \lambda_8 \gamma^\rho \gamma_5 q \quad \text{hypercharge}$$

$$j_{5\rho}^{(3)} = \bar{q} \gamma^\rho \gamma_5 q \quad \text{singlet}$$

$$j_{5\rho} = \sum_{a=3,8,0} \frac{\text{Tr} [\lambda_a \hat{Q}^2]}{\text{Tr} [\lambda_a^2]} j_{5\rho}^{(a)}$$

The triangle amplitude

$$T_{\mu_3\rho}^{(a)} = i \langle 0 | \int d^4z e^{iq_3z} T \{ j_{5\rho}^{(a)}(z) j_{\mu_3}(0) \} | \gamma \rangle$$

kinematically is expressed via two scalar amplitudes

$$T_{\mu_3\rho}^{(a)} = -\frac{ie N_c \text{Tr} [\lambda_a \hat{Q}^2]}{4\pi^2} \left\{ w_L^{(a)}(q_3^2) q_{3\rho} q_3^\sigma \tilde{f}_{\sigma\mu_3} + \right. \\ \left. + w_T^{(a)}(q_3^2) \left(-q_3^2 \tilde{f}_{\mu_3\rho} + q_{3\mu_3} q_3^\sigma \tilde{f}_{\sigma\rho} - q_{3\rho} q_3^\sigma \tilde{f}_{\sigma\mu_3} \right) \right\}$$

Longitudinal w_L pseudoscalar mesons exchange
 Transversal w_T pseudovector mesons exchange

In perturbation theory for massless quarks

$$w_L^{(a)}(q^2) = 2w_T^{(a)}(q^2) = -\frac{2}{q^2}$$

Nonvanishing w_L is the signature of the axial Adler-Bell-Jackiw anomaly. Moreover, for nonsinglet $w_L^{(3,8)}$ it is the *exact* QCD result, no perturbative as well as nonperturbative corrections. So the pole behavior is preserved all way down to small q^2 where the pole is associated with Goldstone mesons π^0, η .

Comparing the pole residue we get the famous ABJ result

$$g_{\pi\gamma\gamma} = \frac{N_c \text{Tr} [\lambda_3 \hat{Q}^2]}{16\pi^2 F_\pi}$$

There exists the nonrenormalization theorem for w_T as well but only in respect to perturbative corrections. Higher term in the OPE does not vanish in this case, they are responsible for shift of the pole $1/q^2 \rightarrow 1/(q^2 - m^2)$

Combining we get

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{A}_{\mu_1\mu_2\mu_3\gamma\delta} f^{\gamma\delta} &= \frac{8}{\hat{q}^2} \epsilon_{\mu_1\mu_2\delta\rho} \hat{q}^\delta \sum_{a=3,8,0} W^{(a)} \left\{ w_L^{(a)}(q_3^2) q_3^\rho q_3^\sigma \tilde{f}_{\sigma\mu_3} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + w_T^{(a)}(q_3^2) \left(-q_3^2 \tilde{f}_{\mu_3}^\rho + q_{3\mu_3} q_3^\sigma \tilde{f}_\sigma^\rho - q_3^\rho q_3^\sigma \tilde{f}_{\sigma\mu_3} \right) \right\} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

where the weights $W^{(3)} = 1/4$, $W^{(8)} = 1/12$, $W^{(0)} = 2/3$. ■

The model

$$\mathcal{A} = \mathcal{A}_{\text{PS}} + \mathcal{A}_{\text{PV}} + \text{permutations,}$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{\text{PS}} = \sum_{a=3,8,0} W^{(a)} \phi_L^{(a)}(q_1^2, q_2^2) w_L^{(a)}(q_3^2) \{f_2 \tilde{f}_1\} \{\tilde{f} f_3\},$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{A}_{\text{PV}} = & \sum_{a=3,8,0} W^{(a)} \phi_T^{(a)}(q_1^2, q_2^2) w_T^{(a)}(q_3^2) \left(\{q_2 f_2 \tilde{f}_1 \tilde{f} f_3 q_3\} \right. \\ & \left. + \{q_1 f_1 \tilde{f}_2 \tilde{f} f_3 q_3\} + \frac{q_1^2 + q_2^2}{4} \{f_2 \tilde{f}_1\} \{\tilde{f} f_3\} \right). \end{aligned}$$

■ For π^0

$$w_L^{(3)}(q^2) = \frac{2}{q^2 + m_\pi^2},$$

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_L^3(q_1^2, q_2^2) &= \frac{N_c}{4\pi^2 F_\pi^2} F_{\pi\gamma^*\gamma^*}(q_1^2, q_2^2) \\ &= \frac{q_1^2 q_2^2 (q_1^2 + q_2^2) - h_2 q_1^2 q_2^2 + h_5 (q_1^2 + q_2^2) + (N_c M_1^4 M_2^4 / 4\pi^2 F_\pi^2)}{(q_1^2 + M_1^2)(q_1^2 + M_2^2)(q_2^2 + M_1^2)(q_2^2 + M_2^2)} \end{aligned}$$

Following the form factor analysis Knech, Nyffeler

$$M_1 = 769 \text{ MeV}, M_2 = 1465 \text{ MeV}, h_5 = 6.93 \text{ GeV}^4$$

They did not fix h_2 and put $h_2 = 0$ for the central value. Actually, it is fixed by the old QCD sum rule analysis Novikov et al '84 $h_2 \approx -10 \text{ GeV}^2$. ■

It results in

$$a_\mu^{\pi^0} = 76.5 \times 10^{-11}, \quad a_\mu^{\text{PS}} = 114(10) \times 10^{-11}$$

A similar analysis for pseudovector exchange gives

$$a_\mu^{\text{PV}} = 20.5(5) \times 10^{-11}$$

and finally

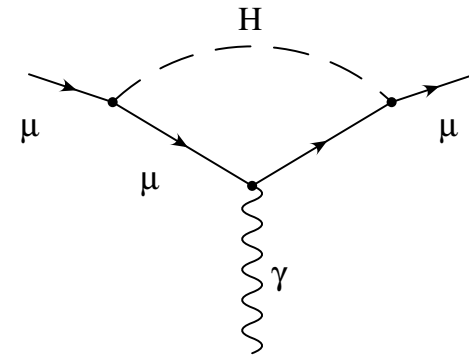
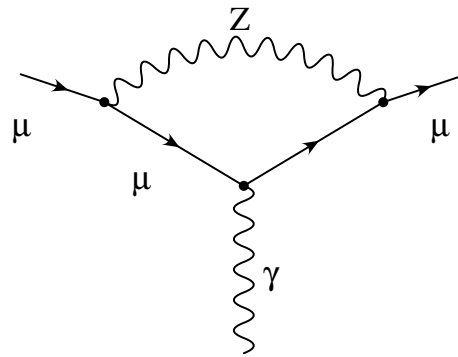
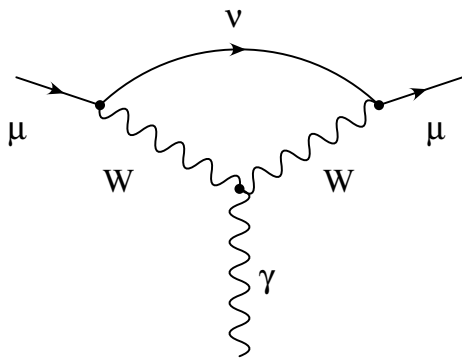
$$a_\mu^{\text{LbL}} = 134(25) \times 10^{-11}$$

Compare with $86(35) \times 10^{-11}$ from previous estimates.

Electroweak contributions to a_μ

In the Standard Model the one-loop electroweak contributions were calculated about 30 years ago

$$a_\mu^{\text{EW}}(\text{1-loop}) = \frac{5 G_\mu m_\mu^2}{24\sqrt{2}\pi^2} \left[1 + \frac{1}{5} (1 - 4 \sin^2 \theta_W)^2 + \mathcal{O} \left(\frac{m_\mu^2}{m_{W,H}^2} \right) \right] = 194.8 \times 10^{-11}$$



One-loop electroweak contributions to a_μ

Two-loop corrections are more involved

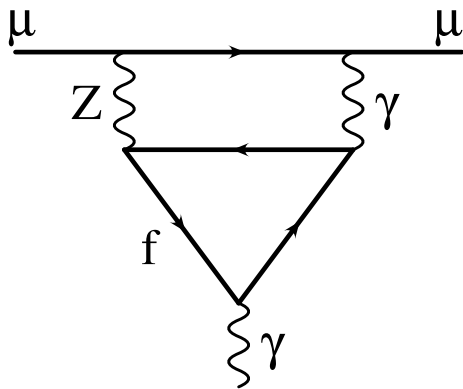
$$a_{\mu}^{\text{EW}}(2\text{-loop})_{LL} = \frac{5G_{\mu}m_{\mu}^2}{24\sqrt{2}\pi^2} \cdot \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \left\{ -\frac{43}{3} \ln \frac{m_Z}{m_{\mu}} + \frac{36}{5} \sum_{f \in F} N_f Q_f^2 I_f^3 \ln \frac{m_Z}{m_f} \right\}$$

$$\approx -37 \times 10^{-11} \quad F = \tau, u, d, s, c, b$$

Kukhto, Kuraev, Schiller, Silagadze '92

Peris, Perrottet, Rafael '95

Czarnecki, Krause, Marciano '95



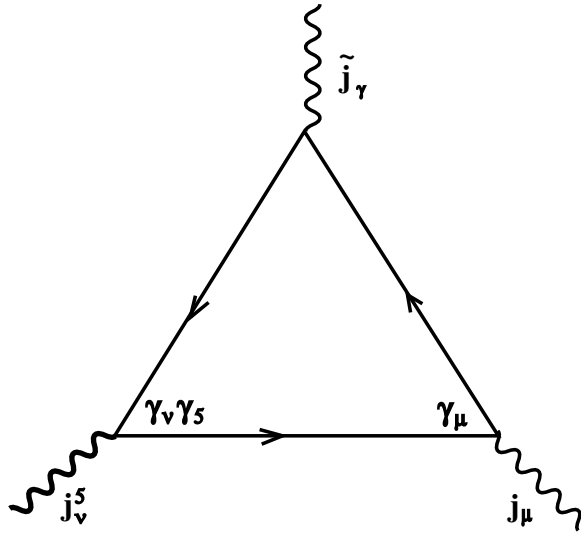
$$m_{u,d} = 0.3 \text{ GeV}, m_s = 0.5 \text{ GeV},$$

$$m_c = 1.5 \text{ GeV}, m_b = 4.5 \text{ GeV}$$

Fermion triangles ($Z^* \gamma \gamma^*$ vertex)

Total: $a_{\mu}^{\text{EW}} = 152(4) \times 10^{-11}$ Czarnecki, Marciano '01

Structure of $Z^* \gamma \gamma^*$ vertex



$$T_{\mu\nu} = i \int d^4x e^{iqx} \langle 0 | T \{ j_\mu(x) j_\nu^5(0) \} | \gamma(k) \rangle$$

$$j_\mu = \sum_f Q_f \bar{f} \gamma_\mu f, \quad j_\nu^5 = \sum_f 2I_f^3 \bar{f} \gamma_\nu \gamma_5 f$$

Q_f is an electric charge,

I_f^3 is a weak isospin projection

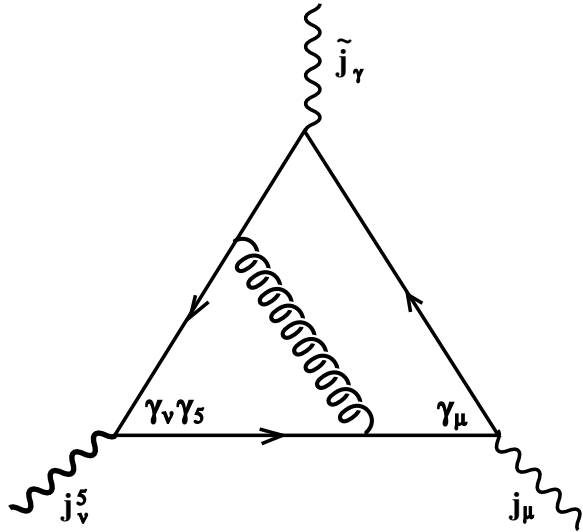
$$T_{\mu\nu} = -\frac{ie}{4\pi^2} \left[w_T(q^2) \left(-q^2 \tilde{f}_{\mu\nu} + q_\mu q^\sigma \tilde{f}_{\sigma\nu} - q_\nu q^\sigma \tilde{f}_{\sigma\mu} \right) + w_L(q^2) q_\nu q^\sigma \tilde{f}_{\sigma\mu} \right]$$

where $\tilde{f}_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{\mu\nu\gamma\delta} f^{\gamma\delta}$, $f_{\mu\nu} = k_\mu e_\nu - k_\nu e_\mu$

$$\Delta a_\mu^{\text{EW}} = \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \frac{G_\mu m_\mu^2}{8\pi^2 \sqrt{2}} \int dQ^2 \left(w_L(Q^2) + \frac{m_Z^2}{m_Z^2 + Q^2} w_T(Q^2) \right)$$

Hadronic corrections for quark triangles

How good is the one-loop approximation for w_L and w_T ? This question pertains to strong interaction effects for quark loops.



First, about perturbative corrections at $Q \gg m_q$. The longitudinal function w_L is protected by Adler-Bardeen nonrenormalization theorem. What about the transversal function w_T ? It turns out that the α_s corrections in w_T are also absent at $Q \gg m_q$ due to the new nonrenormalization theorem based on

$$w_T[m_q = 0] = \frac{1}{2} w_L[m_q = 0]$$

A.V. '02

No α_s corrections in chiral limit! For heavy quarks perturbative corrections show up at $Q \sim m_q$, they are regulated by small $\alpha_s(m_q)$ in a_μ .

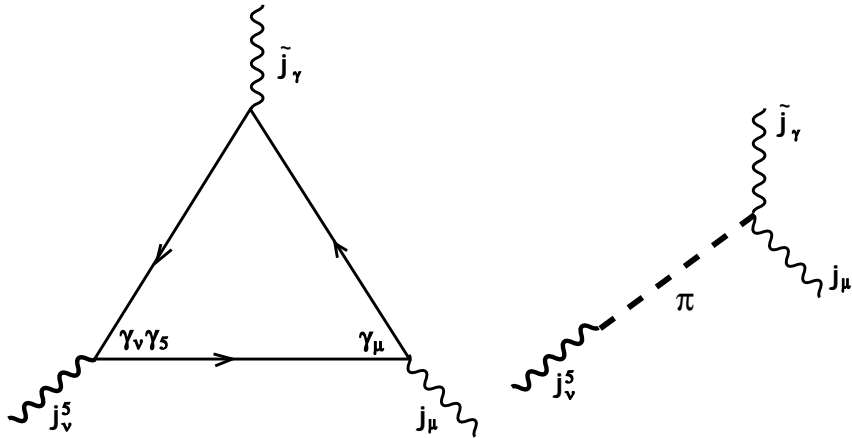
Nonperturbative corrections

Small for heavy quarks, $(\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2/m_q^2)^n$, but 100% important for light quarks, $(\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2/Q^2)^n$. Two approaches were used:

- Effective quark masses for light quarks Czarnecki, Krause, Marciano '95
- Hadron dynamics consistent with OPE Knecht, Peris, Perrottet, Rafael '95, '02

While the second approach was an improvement some conceptual mistakes were made in application of the OPE resulting in a change of large Q asymptotic.

First generation



Let us consider hadronic effects for the first generation, e , u and d . In the chiral limit $m_{u,d} = 0$ the quark longitudinal function

$$w_L[u] + w_L[d] = \frac{12 \sum_{u,d} I_q^3 Q_q^2}{Q^2}$$

acquire **no** nonperturbative corrections.

In other words the $1/Q^2$ dependence is valid not only at large Q but everywhere. The pole corresponds to the exact duality between the pion and quarks: 't Hooft matching condition. It gives a theoretical prediction for $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$. Deviations from the chiral limit are readily accounted for by a shift $1/Q^2 \rightarrow 1/(Q^2 + m_\pi^2)$,

For the transversal function $w_T[u, d]$ it is only spin one hadrons, like $\rho(770)$, $\omega(770)$ and $a_1(1230)$, which contribute. Thus, nonperturbative effects shift $1/Q^2$ at $Q \sim m_{\rho, a_1}$. The model of $w_T[u, d]$ consistent with the OPE is

$$w_T[u, d] = \frac{1}{m_{a_1}^2 - m_\rho^2} \left[\frac{m_{a_1}^2 - m_\pi^2}{Q^2 + m_\rho^2} - \frac{m_\rho^2 - m_\pi^2}{Q^2 + m_{a_1}^2} \right].$$

Together with $w_T[e] = -1/Q^2$ it gives for a_μ

$$\Delta a_\mu^T[e, u, d] = -\frac{\alpha}{\pi} \frac{G_\mu m_\mu^2}{8\pi^2 \sqrt{2}} \left\{ \ln \frac{m_\rho^2}{m_\mu^2} - \frac{m_\rho^2}{m_{a_1}^2 - m_\rho^2} \ln \frac{m_{a_1}^2}{m_\rho^2} + \frac{3}{2} \right\} = -1.32 \cdot 10^{-11}$$

The longitudinal part contributes $-0.7 \cdot 10^{-11}$. Thus,

$$\Delta a_\mu[e, u, d] = -2.32 \cdot 10^{-11}$$

what is about a half of the constituent quark mass value. The accuracy is rather high, about 10-20%, i.e. $(0.2 - 0.4) \cdot 10^{-11}$ is a theoretical uncertainty.

Summary

- The hadronic light-by-light scattering contribution to a_μ is shown to be larger than previous estimates. We cannot claim any significant reduction in the theoretical uncertainty although believe that the shift $\approx 50 \times 10^{-11}$ in the central value is real,

$$a_\mu^{\text{LbL}} = 134(25) \times 10^{-11}$$

$$a_\mu^{\text{exp}} - a_\mu^{\text{th}} = \begin{cases} (220 \pm 100) \times 10^{-11} & (2.2 \sigma), \quad e^+e^- \text{ based} \\ (76 \pm 100) \times 10^{-11} & (0.8 \sigma), \quad \tau \text{ based} \end{cases}$$

- Hadronic effects in electroweak corrections are determined by matching the OPE and hadronic phenomenology. Remaining uncertainty is shown to be very small. In total a small shift in a_μ^{EW} from the previous value of $152(4) \times 10^{-11}$ to a slightly larger (but consistent) value

$$a_\mu^{\text{EW}} = 154(1)(2) \times 10^{-11}$$

where the first error corresponds to hadronic loop uncertainties and the second to an allowed Higgs mass range of $114 \text{ GeV} < m_H < 250 \text{ GeV}$, the current top mass uncertainty and unknown three-loop effects.