



# Current Status of Muon $g-2$ Experiment at Fermilab

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# Outline

- Anomalous Magnetic Moment of Muon
- Muon  $g-2$  Experiment
- Experiment Status
- What's Next?

# Muon Magnetic Moment and Defining the Anomaly

## Magnetic Moment of Muon

$$\vec{\mu} = g_{\mu} \frac{e}{2m} \vec{s}$$

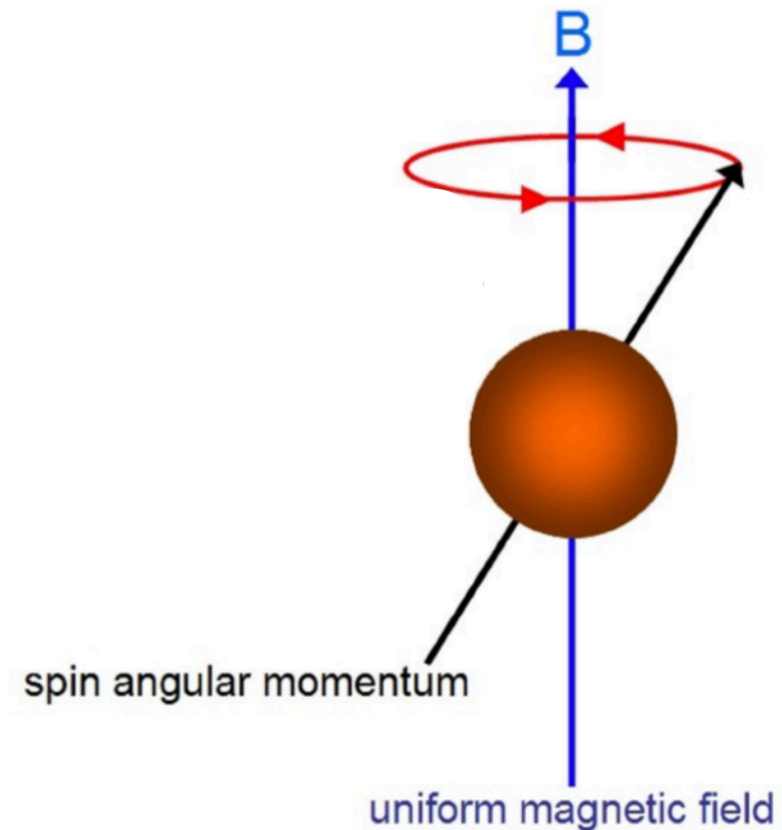
$g$ : Proportionality constant between spin and magnetic moment

## Anomalous Magnetic Moment of Muon

$$a_{\mu} = \frac{g_{\mu} - 2}{2}, \quad \vec{\mu} = (1 + a_{\mu}) \frac{e}{m} \vec{s}$$



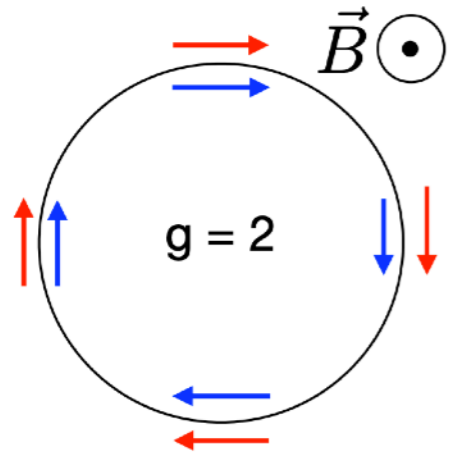
Shows how much  $g$  differs fractionally from 2!



# Muon Magnetic Moment and Measuring the Anomaly

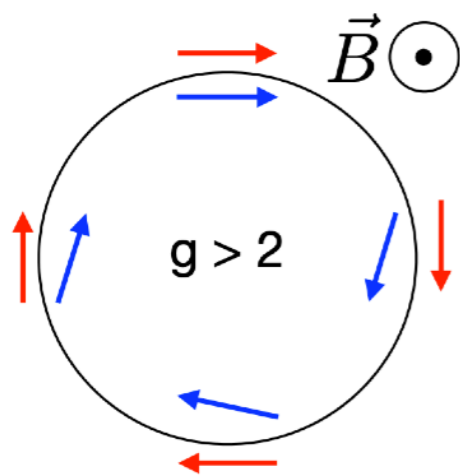
polarized muons in a magnetic field

$$\text{If } g = 2 \Rightarrow \vec{\omega}_a = 0$$

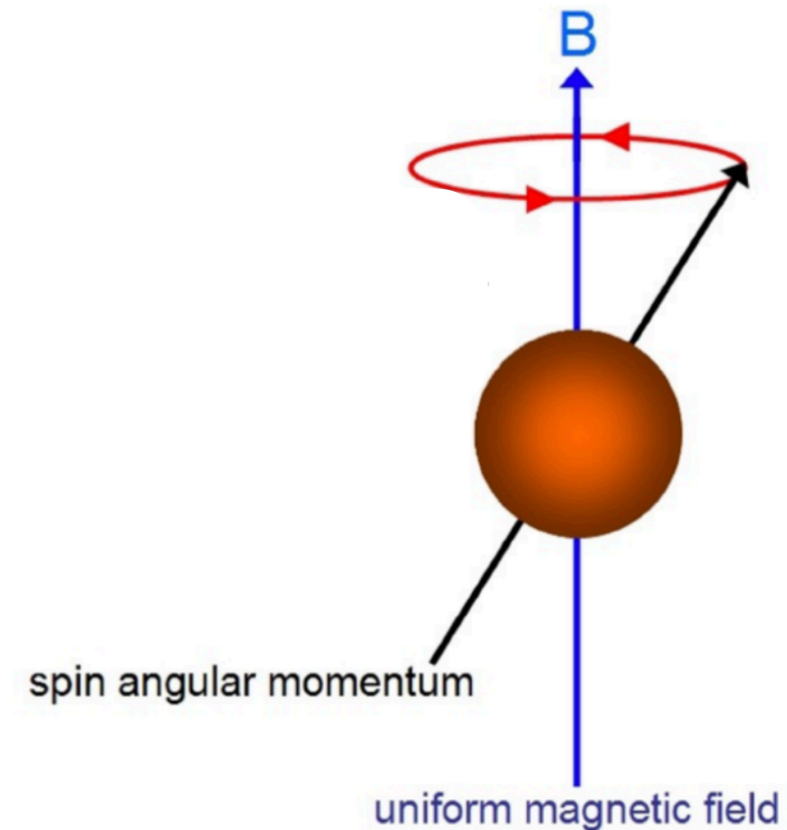


momentum   
 spin

$$g \neq 2 \Rightarrow \vec{\omega}_a \cong a_\mu \frac{e}{m} \vec{B}$$



momentum   
 spin



$$\vec{\omega}_c = -\frac{e}{\gamma m} \vec{B}, \text{ cyclotron frequency}$$

$$\vec{\omega}_s = -\frac{e}{\gamma m} \vec{B} (1 + \gamma a_\mu), \text{ Larmor precession frequency}$$

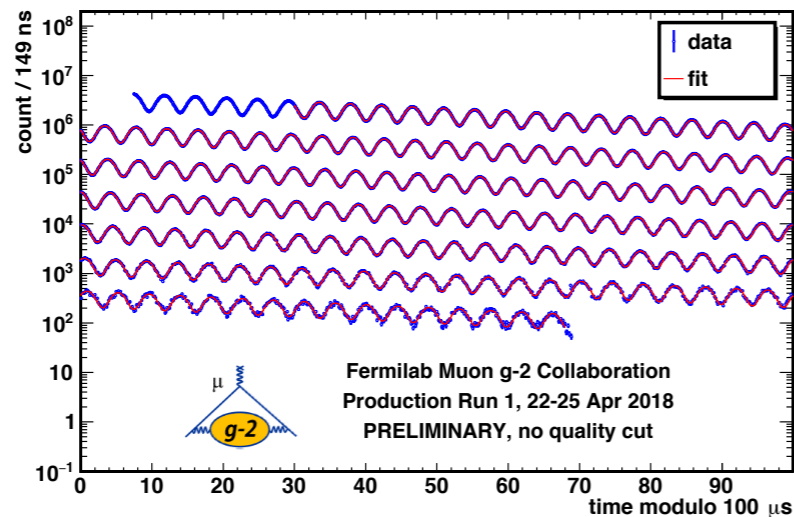
$$\vec{\omega}_a \cong \vec{\omega}_s - \vec{\omega}_c, \text{ anomalous precession frequency}$$

$$\vec{\omega}_a \cong a_\mu \frac{e}{m} \vec{B}$$

Measure them to extract anomaly



# Measuring the Muon Anomaly



$\omega_a$

Extract from decay positron time spectra  
 $N(t) = N_0 e^{-t/\tau_\mu} [1 + A \cos(\omega_a t + \phi)]$

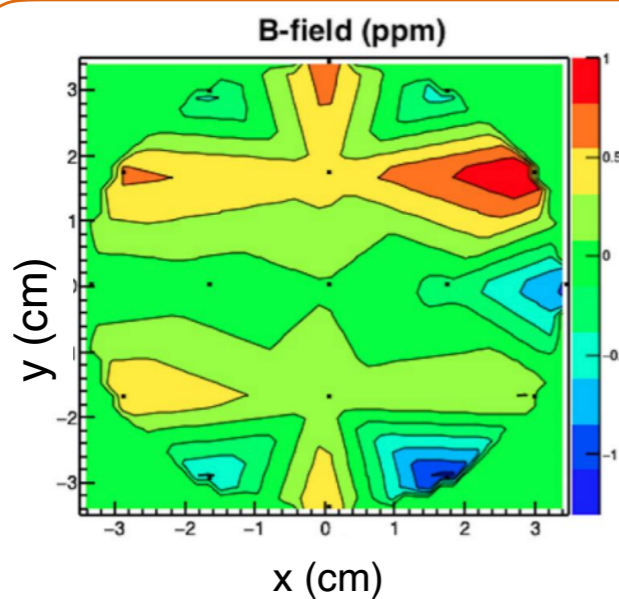
$$a_\mu = \left( \frac{g_e}{2} \right) \left( \frac{\omega_a}{\langle \omega_p \rangle} \right) \left( \frac{\mu_p}{\mu_e} \right) \left( \frac{m_\mu}{m_e} \right)$$

0.26 ppt

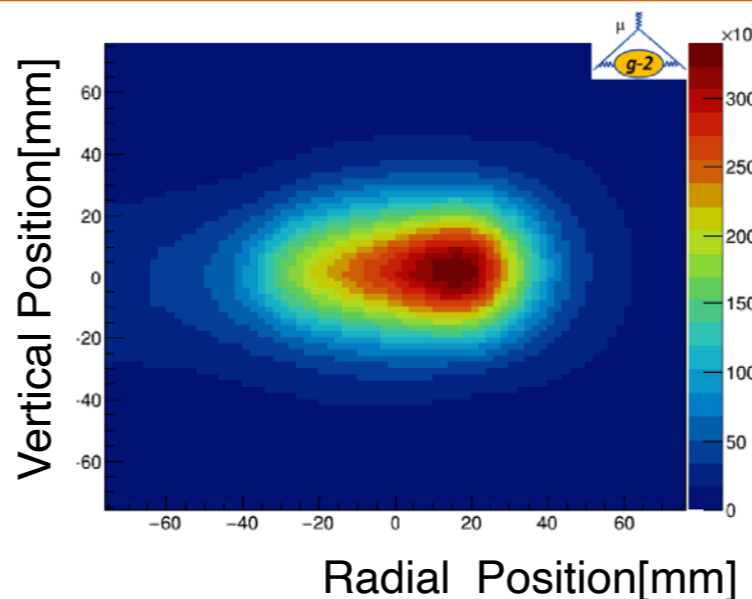
3 ppb

22 ppb

⇒ 2017 CODATA



Map the magnetic field



Obtain muon distribution In the storage ring

$$\langle \omega_p \rangle \approx \omega_p \otimes \rho(r)$$

Average magnetic field weighted by muon distribution

$\omega_p$ : free proton precession frequency  
 Using proton NMR  $\hbar\omega_p = 2\mu_p B$



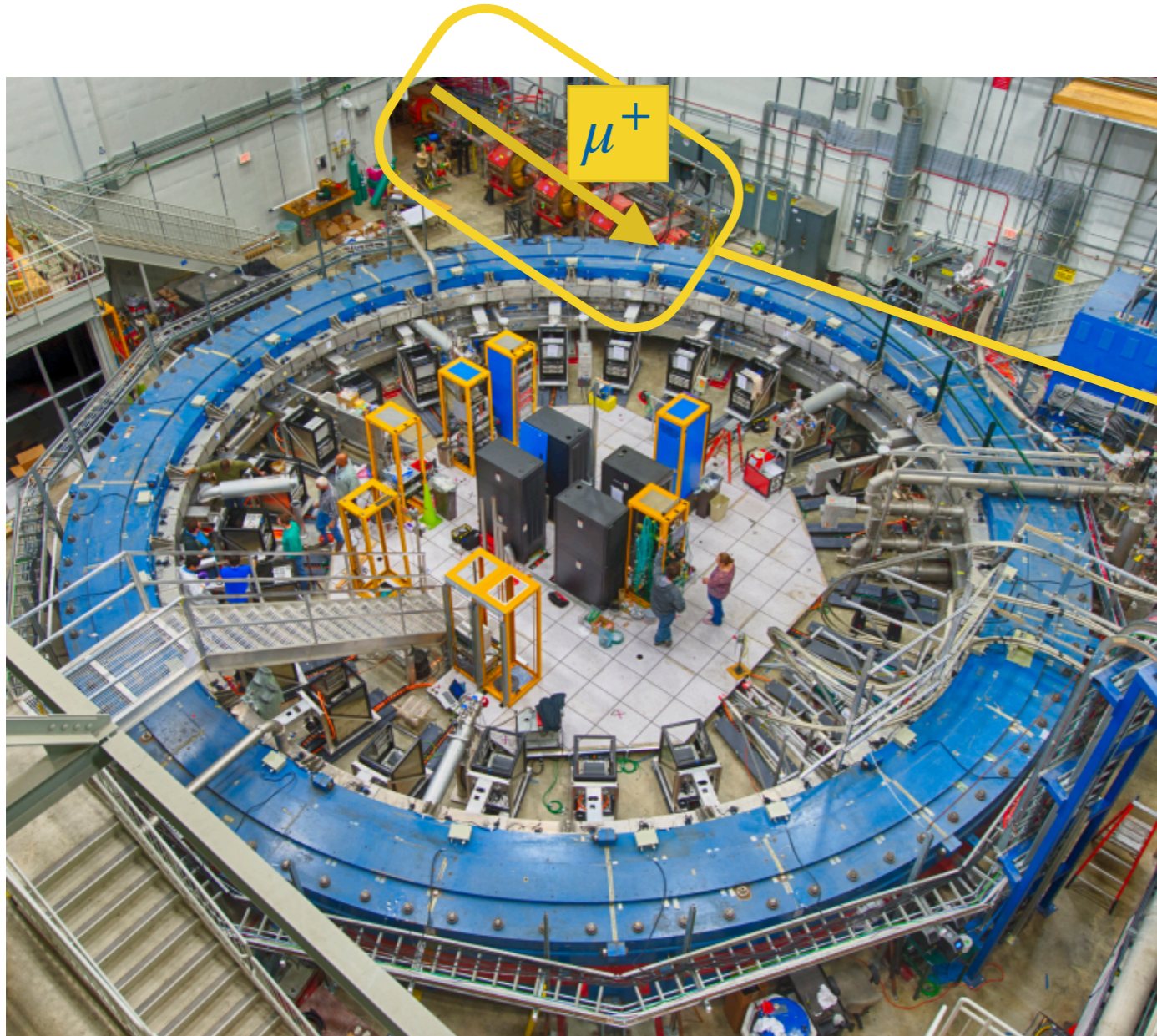
# Muon Campus at Fermilab



- 8 GeV protons are delivered to Recycler Ring from Booster
- Split the proton bunch into four bunches with RF system.
- Direct the proton punches to pion production target and obtain pions.
- Muons produced by pion decays circulate in the delivery ring until proton contamination is removed.
- Deliver muons to g-2 storage ring.



# Muons at the Experimental Hall



Final focusing by magnetic quads before injecting 3.1 GeV/c muons

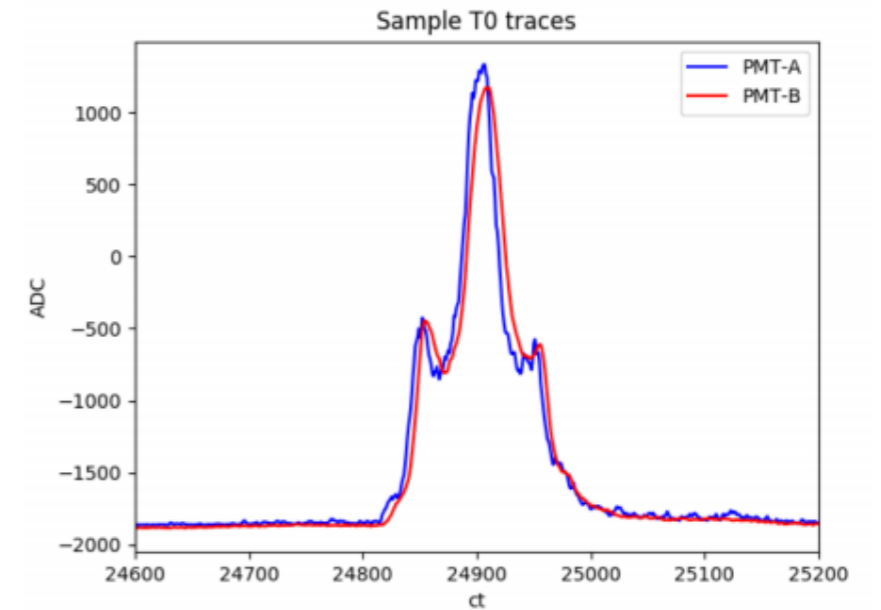
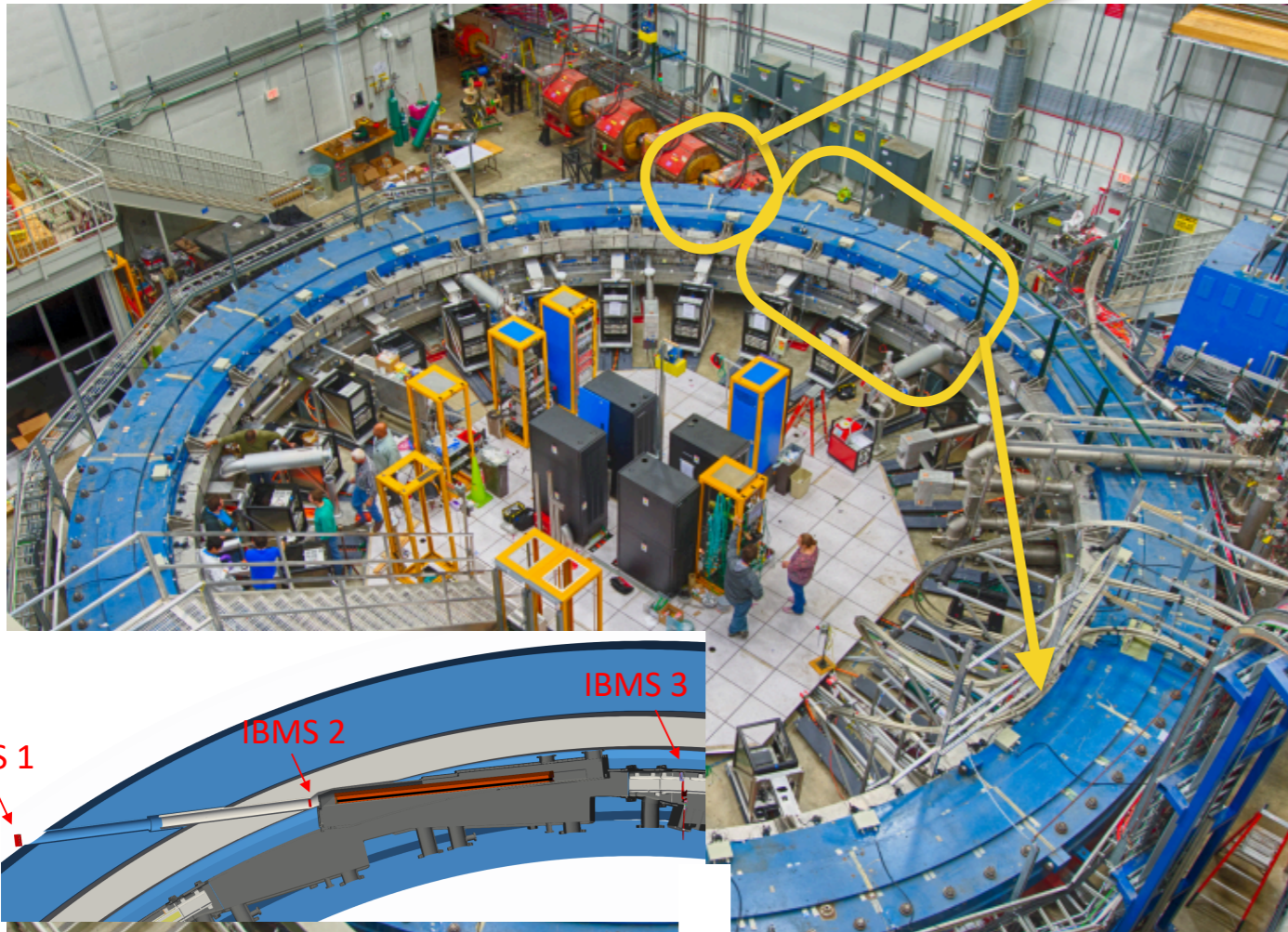




# Monitoring the Injected Beam

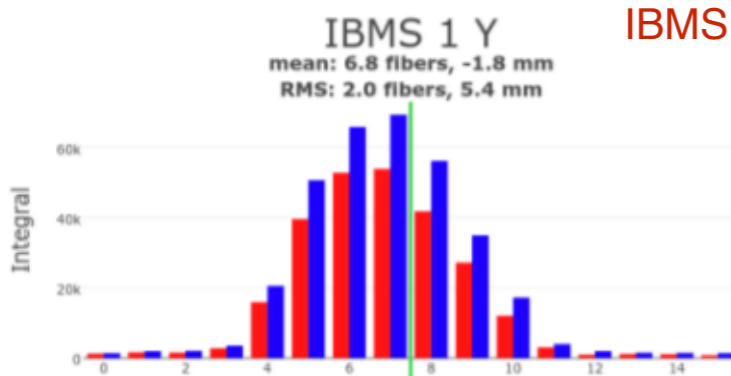
- **T0 Counter**

- Thin scintillator with 2 PMT readouts
- Provides beam time profile before beam enters the storage ring

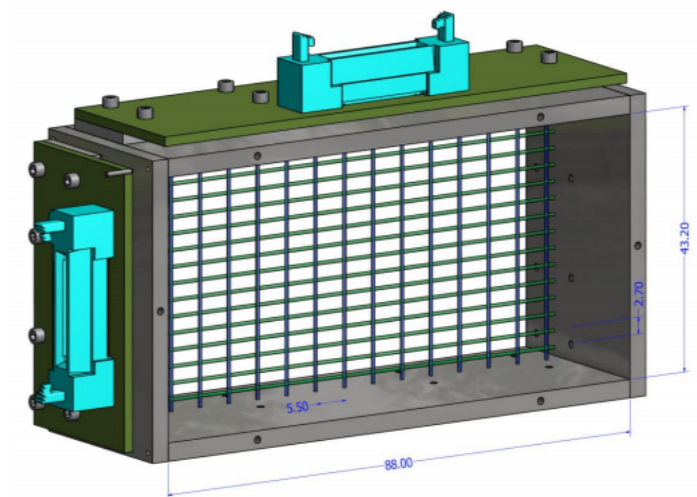
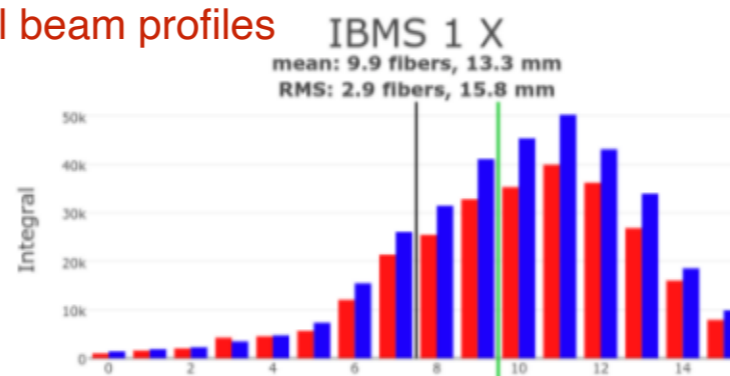


- **IBMS (Inflector beam monitoring systems)**

- Check beam injection characteristics
- 2 planes of scintillation fibers

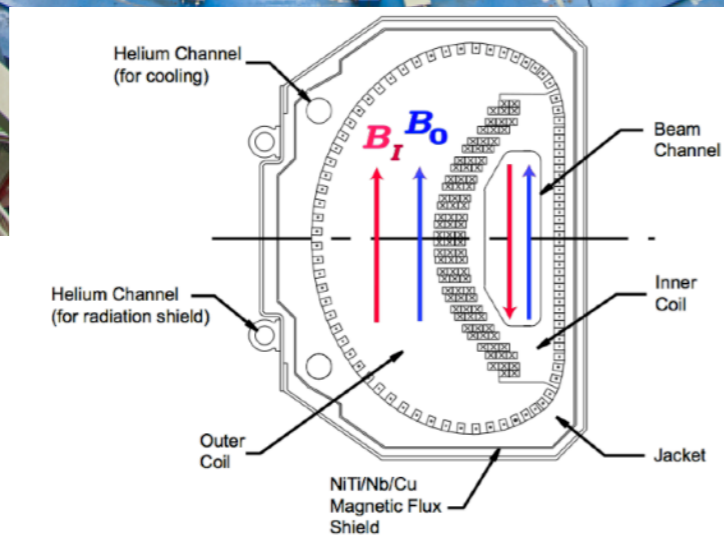
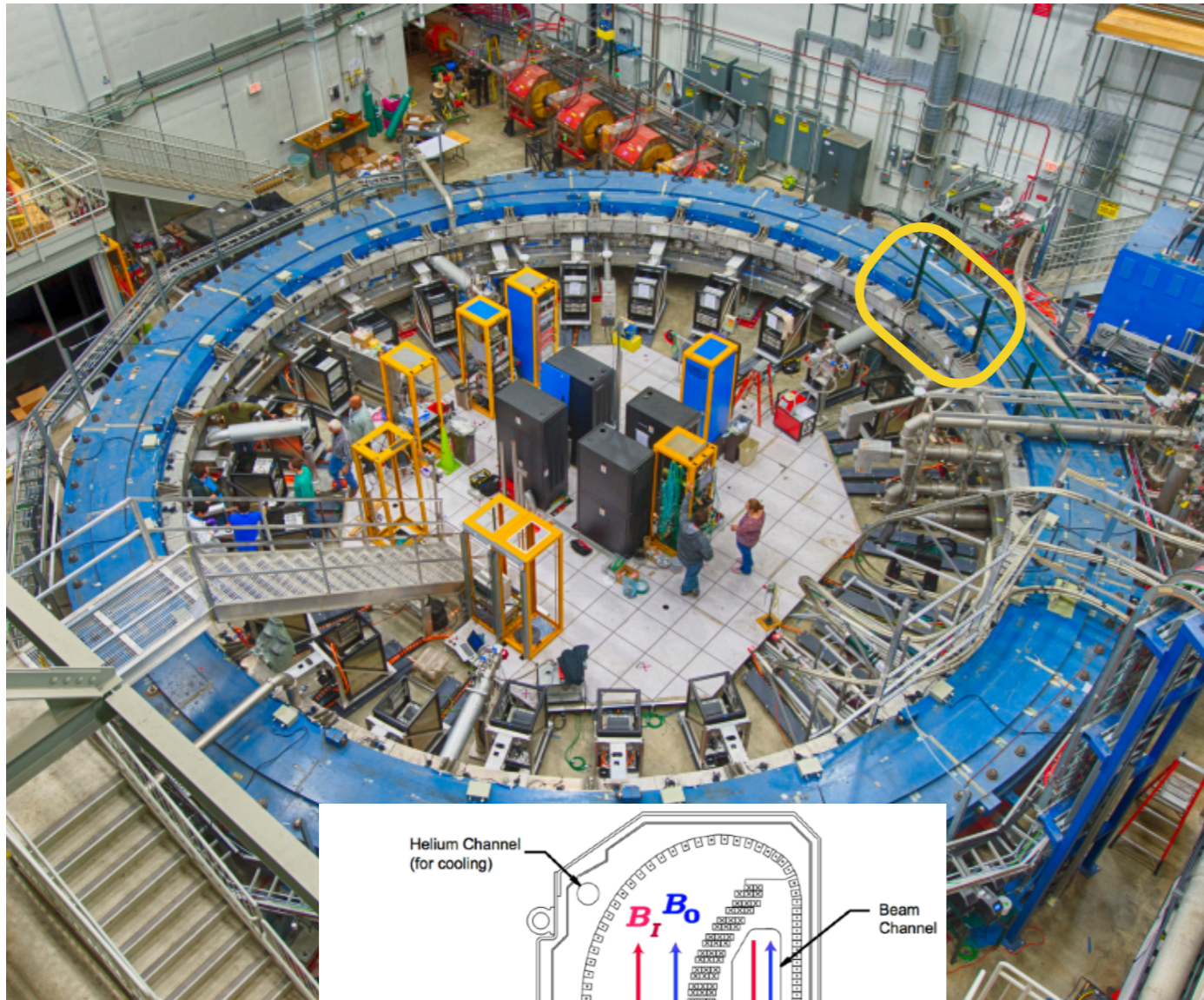


IBMS spatial beam profiles



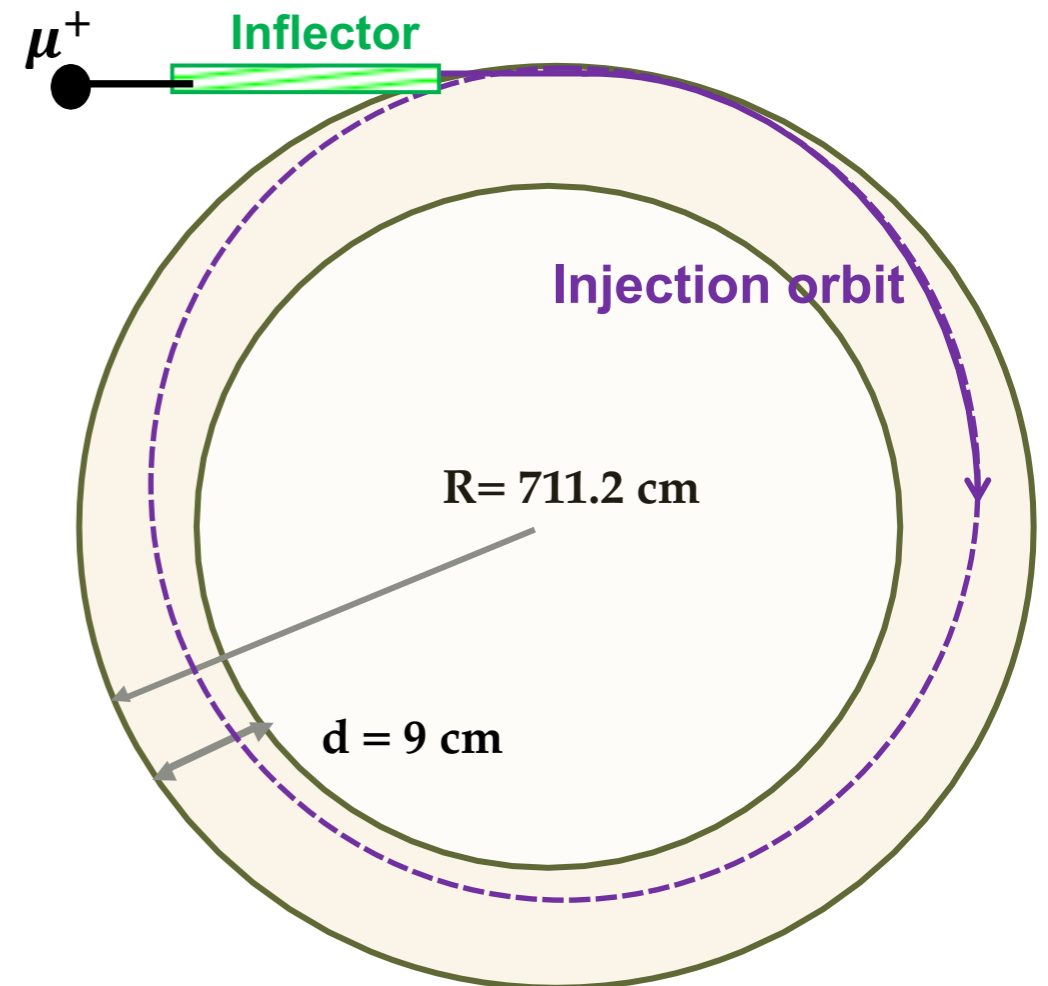


# Storing the Muons : Inflector and Kickers



- **Inflector**

- Cancels B field in the magnet gap and let the beam enter the storage ring without being deflected.
- They are at  $r=77\text{mm}$  outside central closed orbit

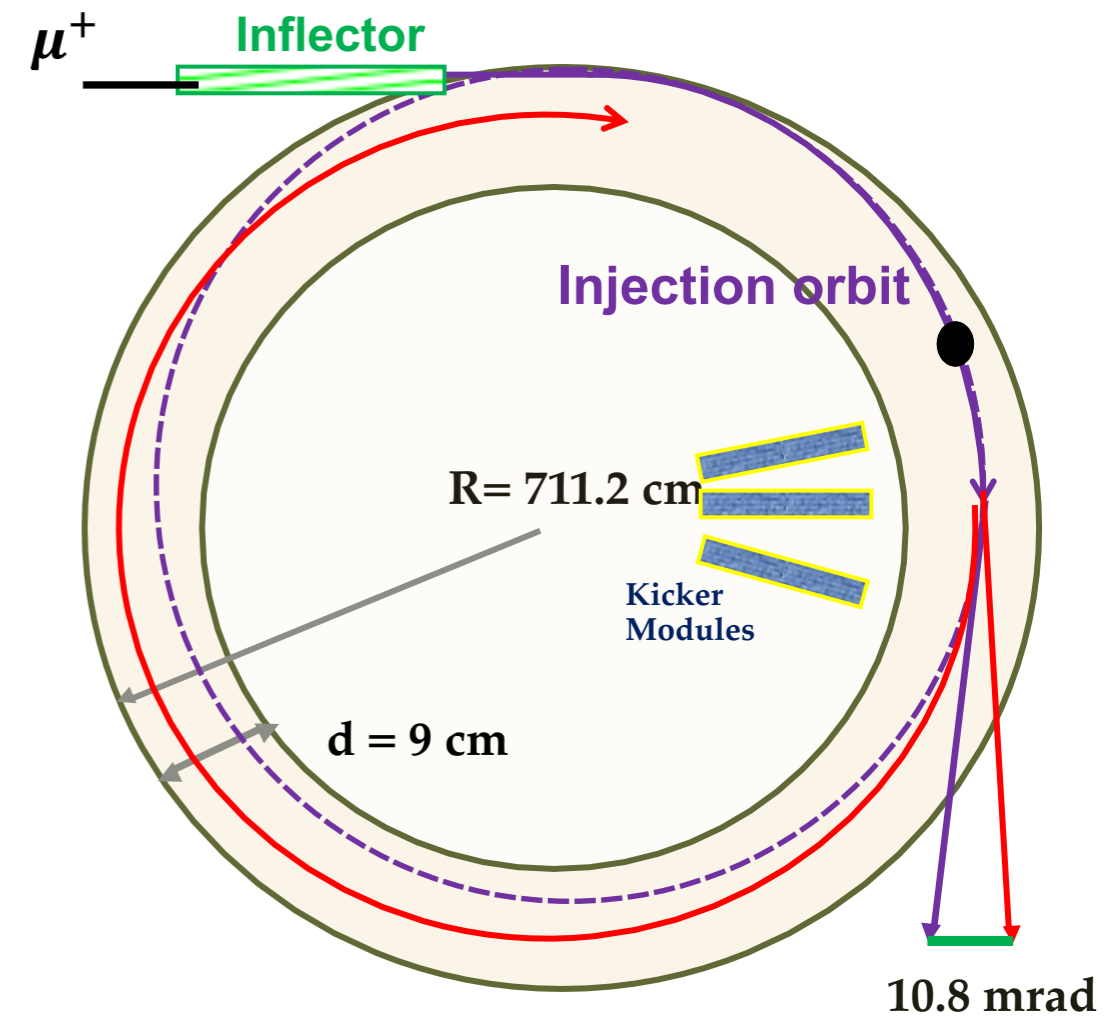
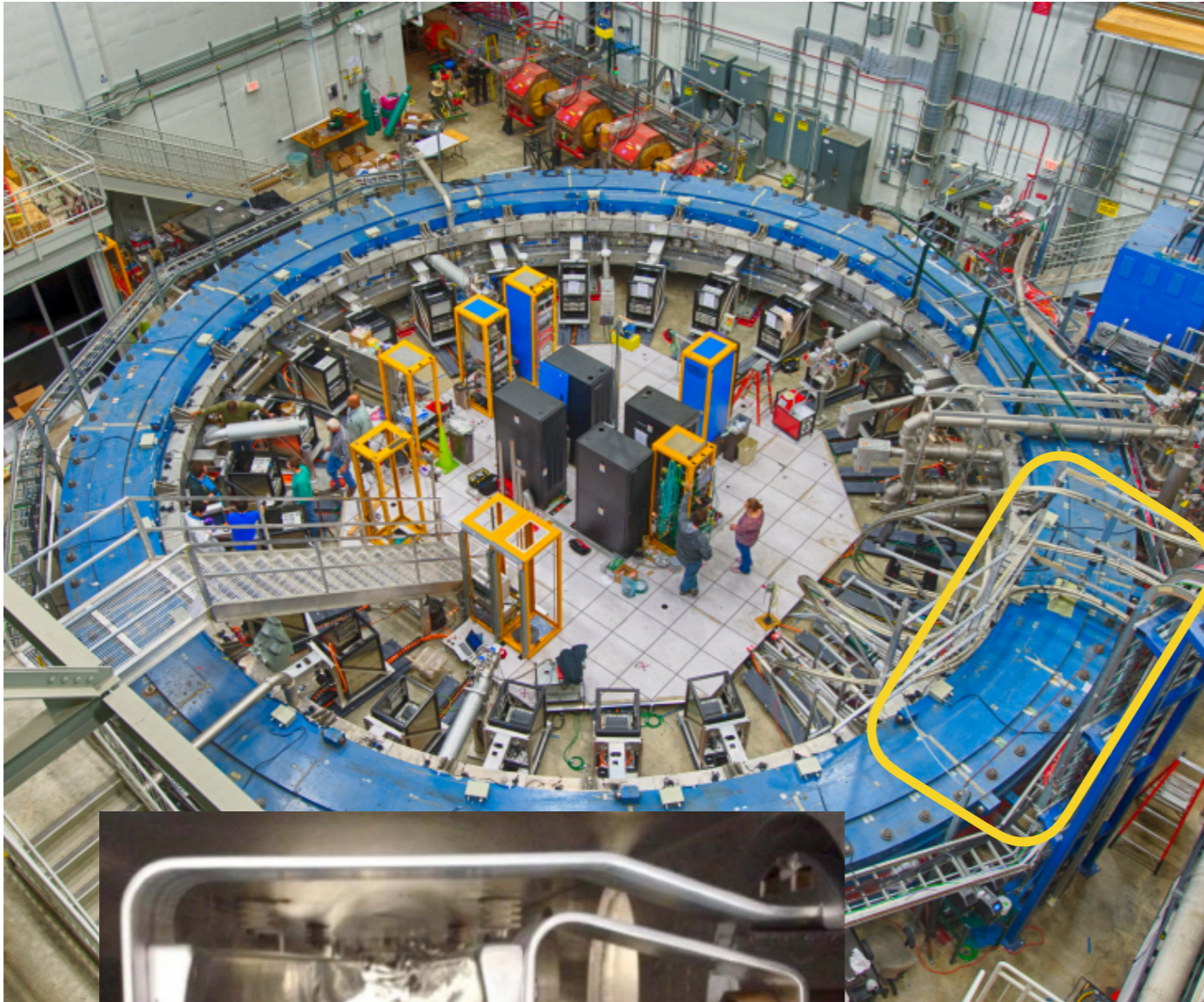




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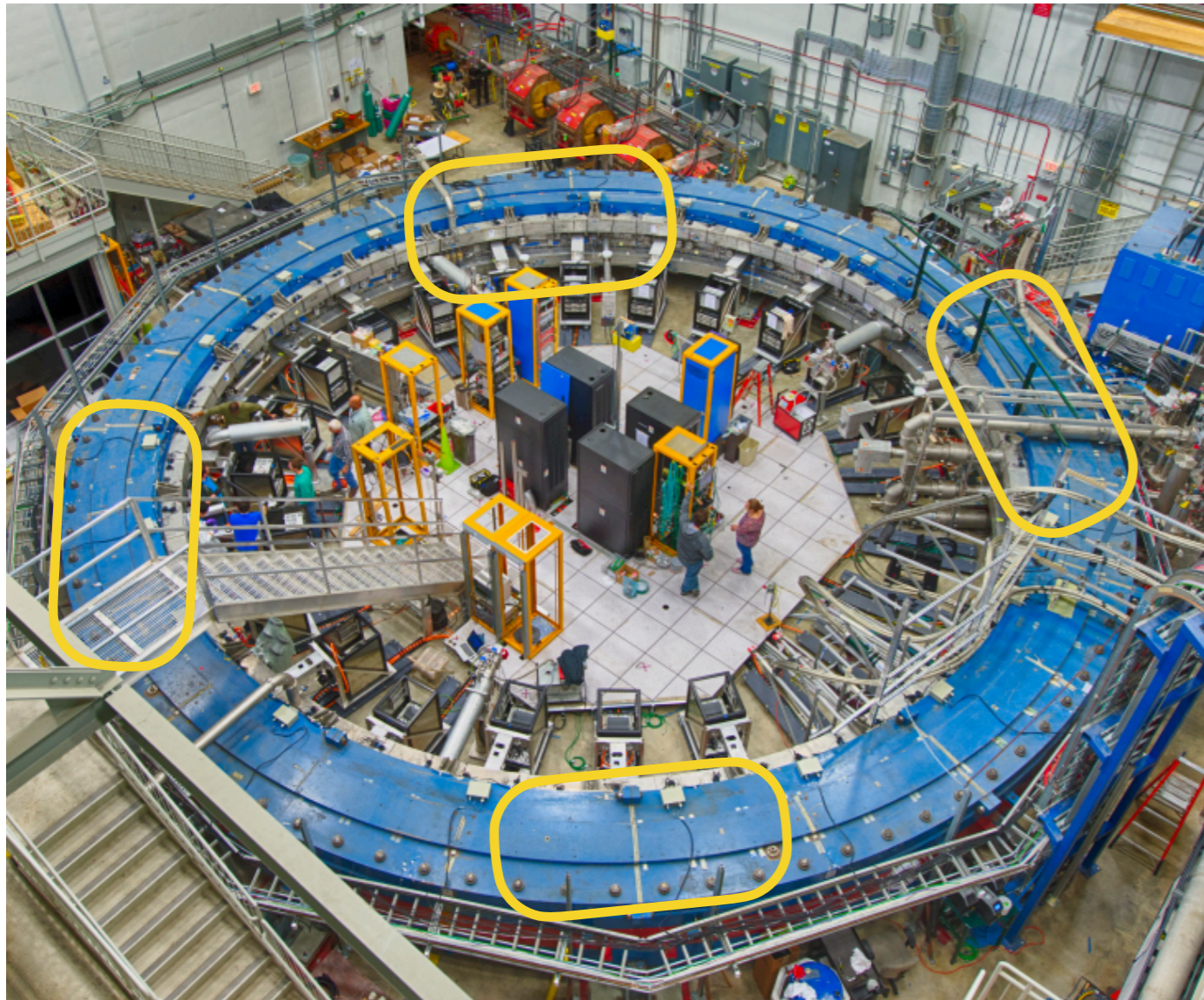
- **Magnetic Kickers**

- Kick some more to direct the muons into ideal orbit.
- Use 10.8 mrad pulsed kicks (<149 ns)



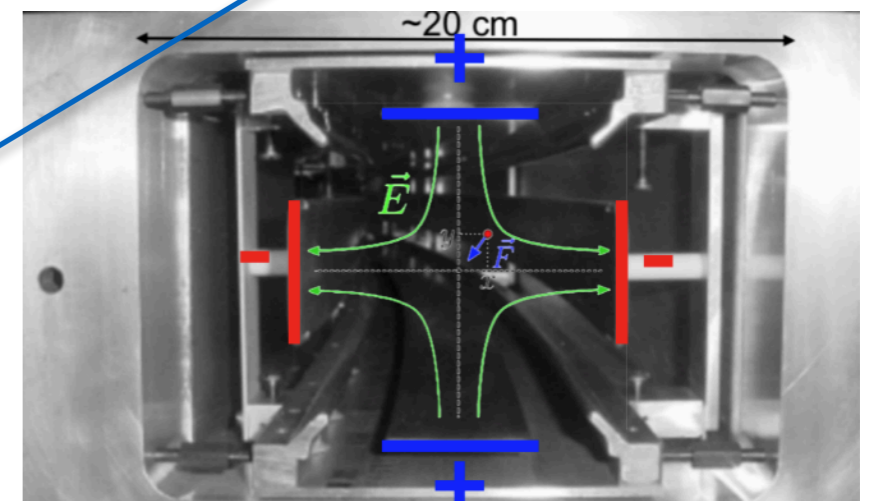


# Storing the Muons: Electrostatic Quadrupoles



- Electrostatic Quadrupoles
  - 4 sets of quads
  - Storage ring field provides horizontal focusing
  - Electrostatic quadrupoles which cover 43% of the ring are used to focus the beam vertically
  - Cancels out leading order of electric field contribution running at magic momentum  $p = 3.094 \text{ GeV}/c$

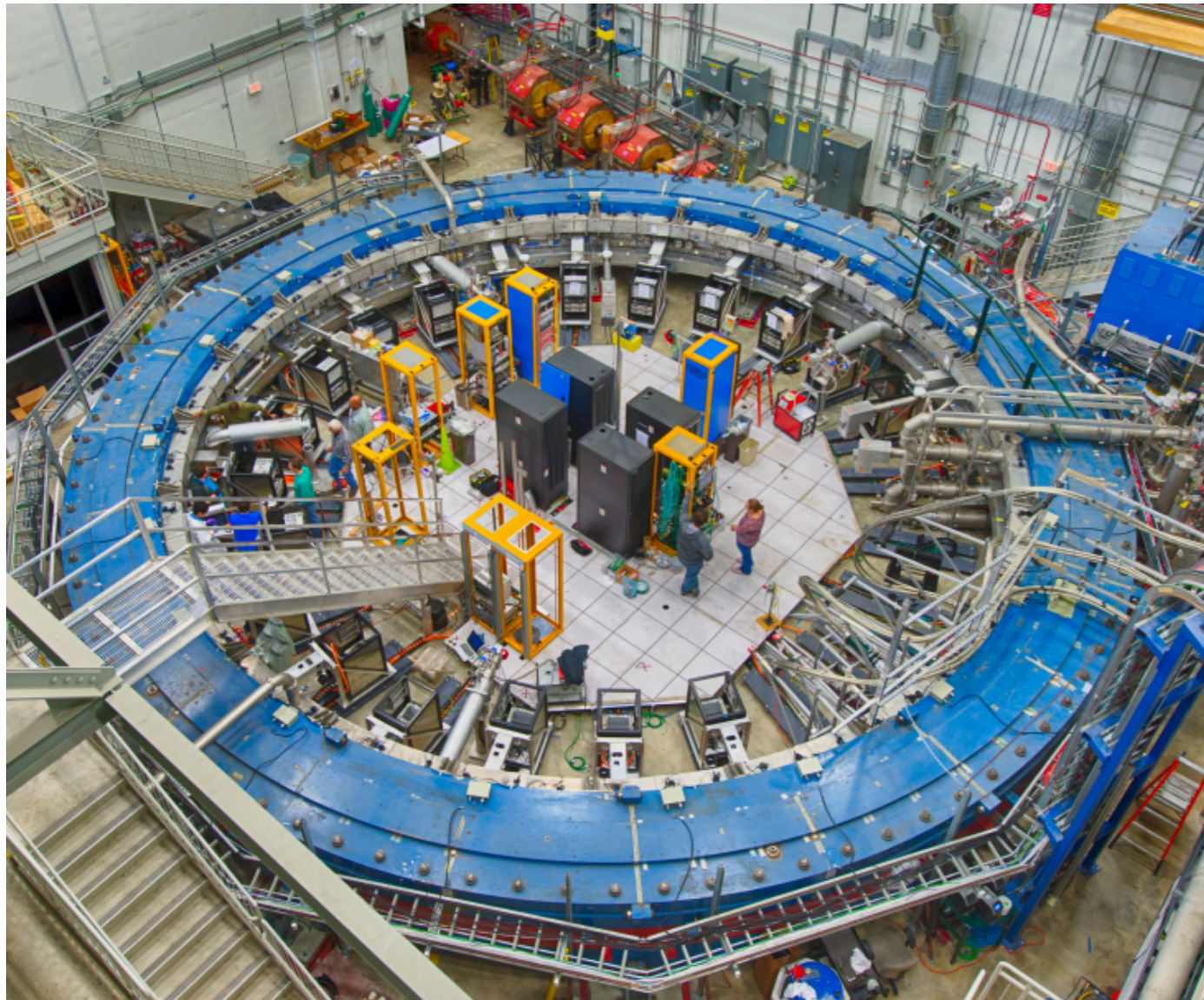
$$\vec{\omega}_a = -\frac{q}{m} \left( a_\mu \vec{B} - \left( a_\mu - \frac{1}{\gamma^2 - 1} \right) \frac{\vec{\beta} \times \vec{E}}{c} \right)$$



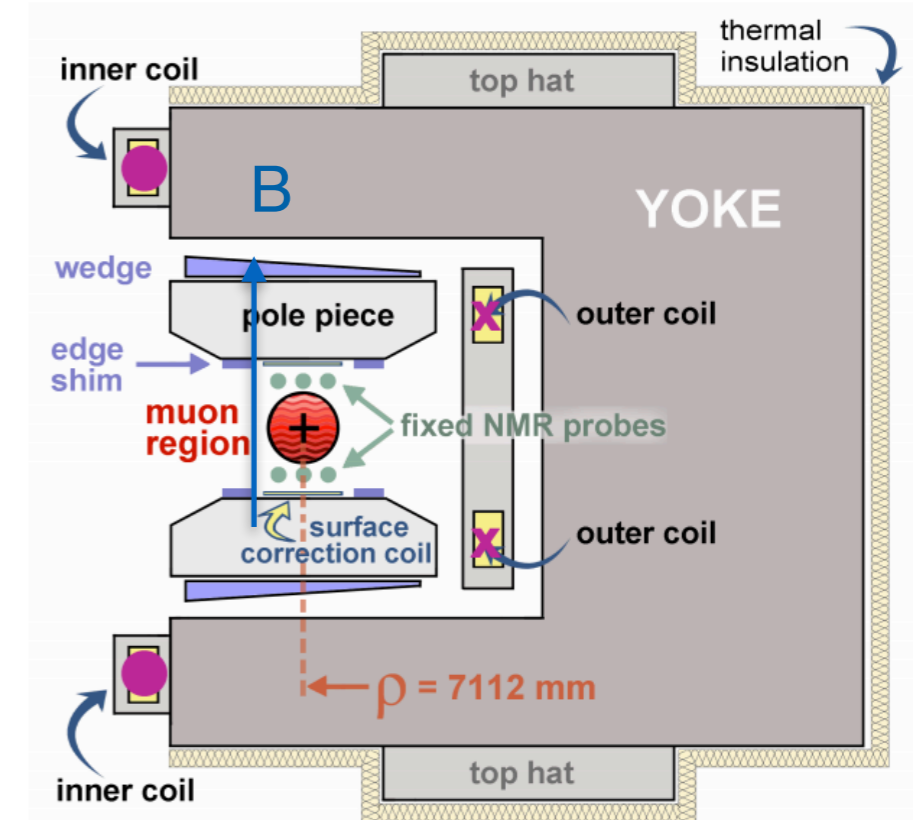
E-field correction is applied due to 0.5% momentum acceptance



# Magnet



Achieved 25 ppm on field uniformity



**g-2 Magnet in Cross Section**

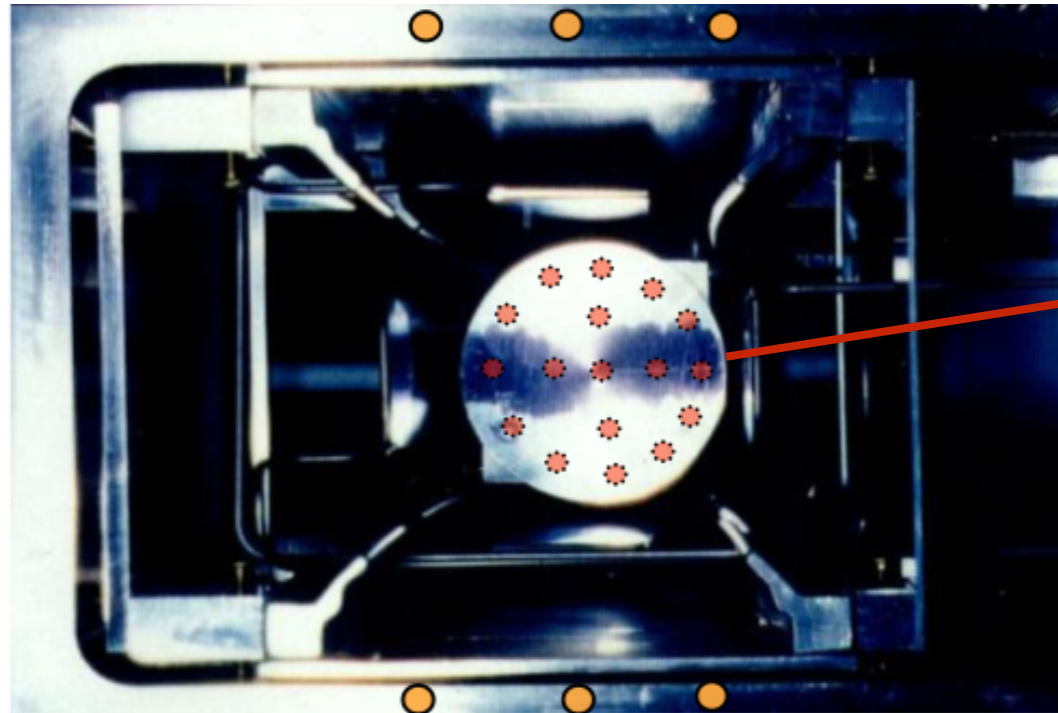
## Superconducting C shaped magnet

Provides 1.45T B field (vertical and uniform)

- **12 Yokes:** Open on the inside, allows the decay positrons to reach to the detectors.
- **72 poles:** Low-carbon steel to minimize the impurity
- **144 Edge shims:** Minimize the local sextupole field by changing edge shim thickness
- **864 Steel wedges:** Angle adjustment (compensate quadrupole component), radial adjustment (shim local dipole field).
- **Surface correction coil:** Reduces non-uniformities on higher moment of field.



# Measuring $\omega_p$ : Monitoring and Measuring the Magnetic Field



Electronics,  
Microcontroller,  
Communication

Position of NMR probes

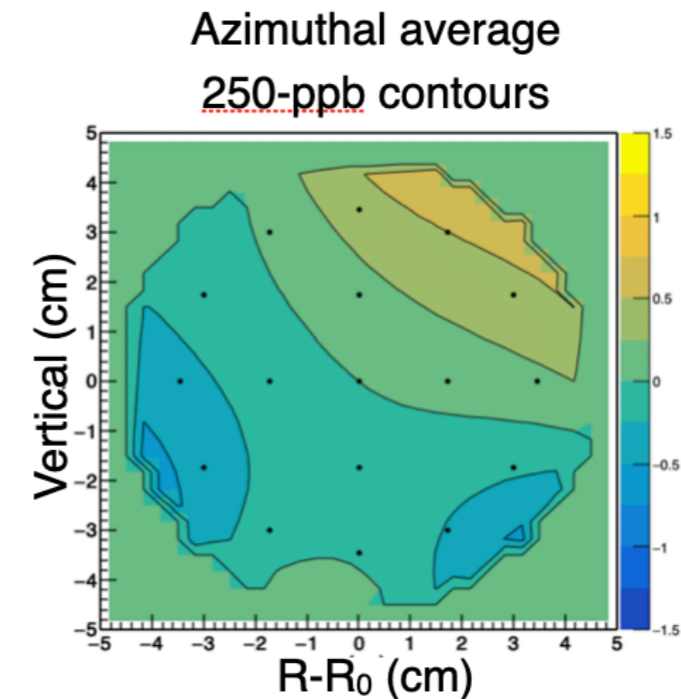
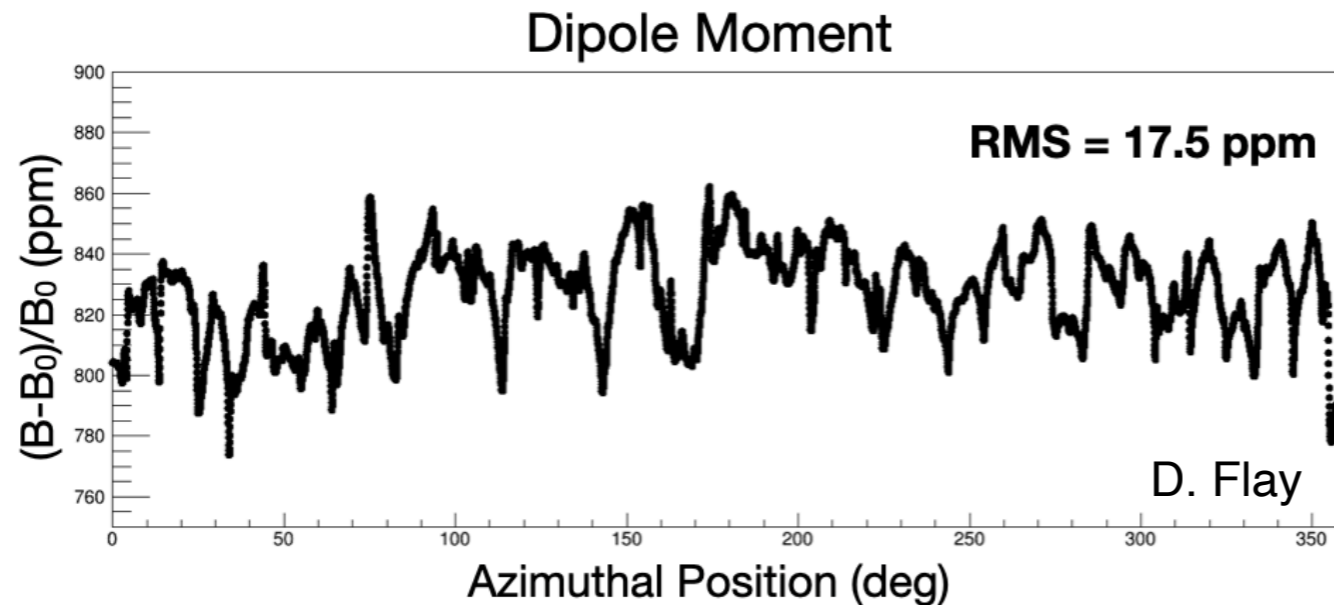
- **Fixed probes:**

- 378 probes located on vacuum chamber
- Measure the magnetic field while muons are inside the storage ring

- **Trolley(Motorized cart):**

- 17 NMR probes
- Circles around the ring on periodically
- Measures the magnetic field in the storage region
- Used to calibrate FP measurements

# Measuring $\omega_p$ : Monitoring and Measuring the Magnetic Field



**To determine  $\omega_p$  at all times:**

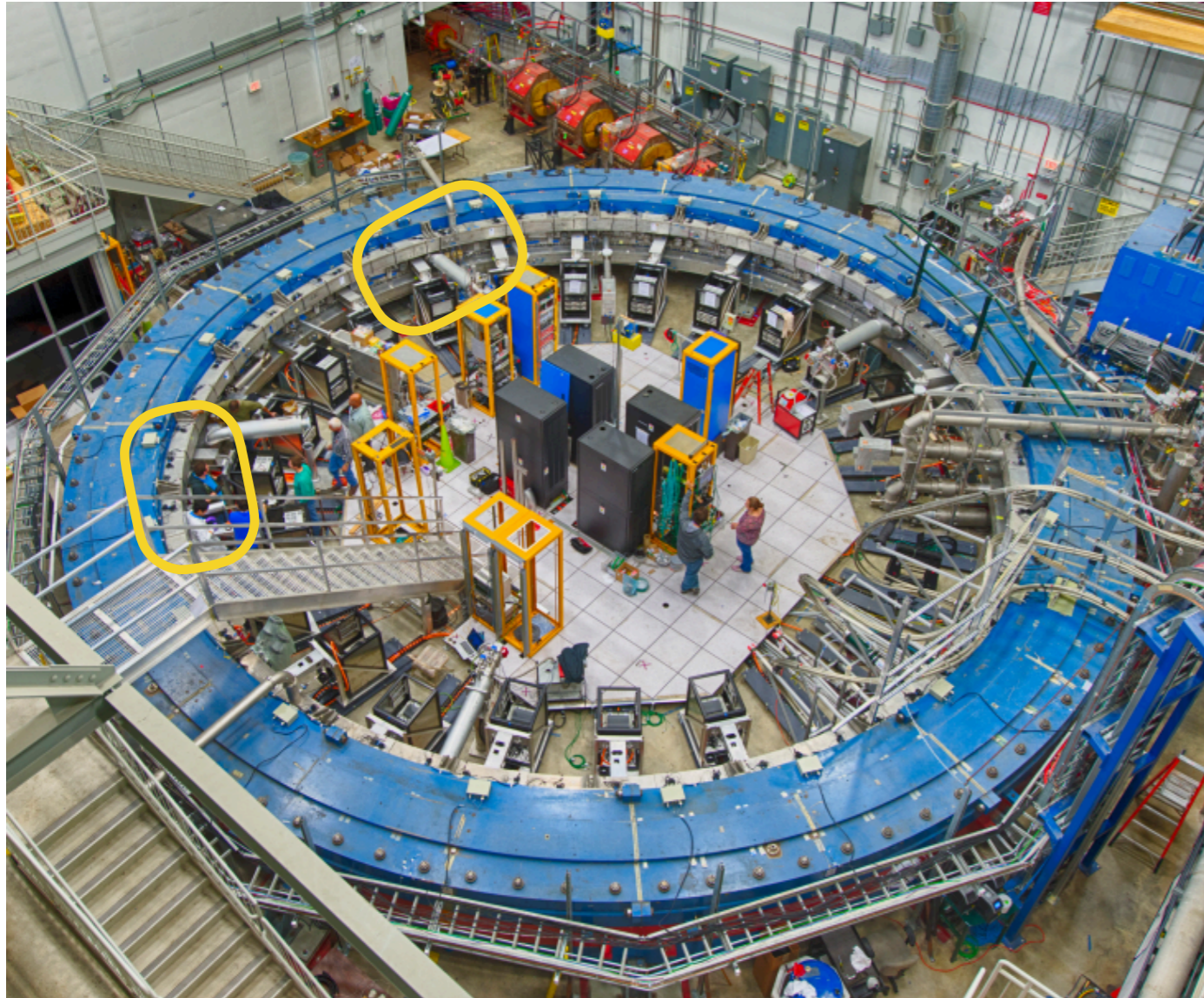
- Map the magnetic field in the storage region with trolley runs every 3 days
- Use fixed probes to interpolate the field between trolley runs

$$a_\mu = \left(\frac{g_e}{2}\right) \left(\frac{\omega_a}{\langle\omega_p\rangle}\right) \left(\frac{\mu_p}{\mu_e}\right) \left(\frac{m_\mu}{m_e}\right)$$

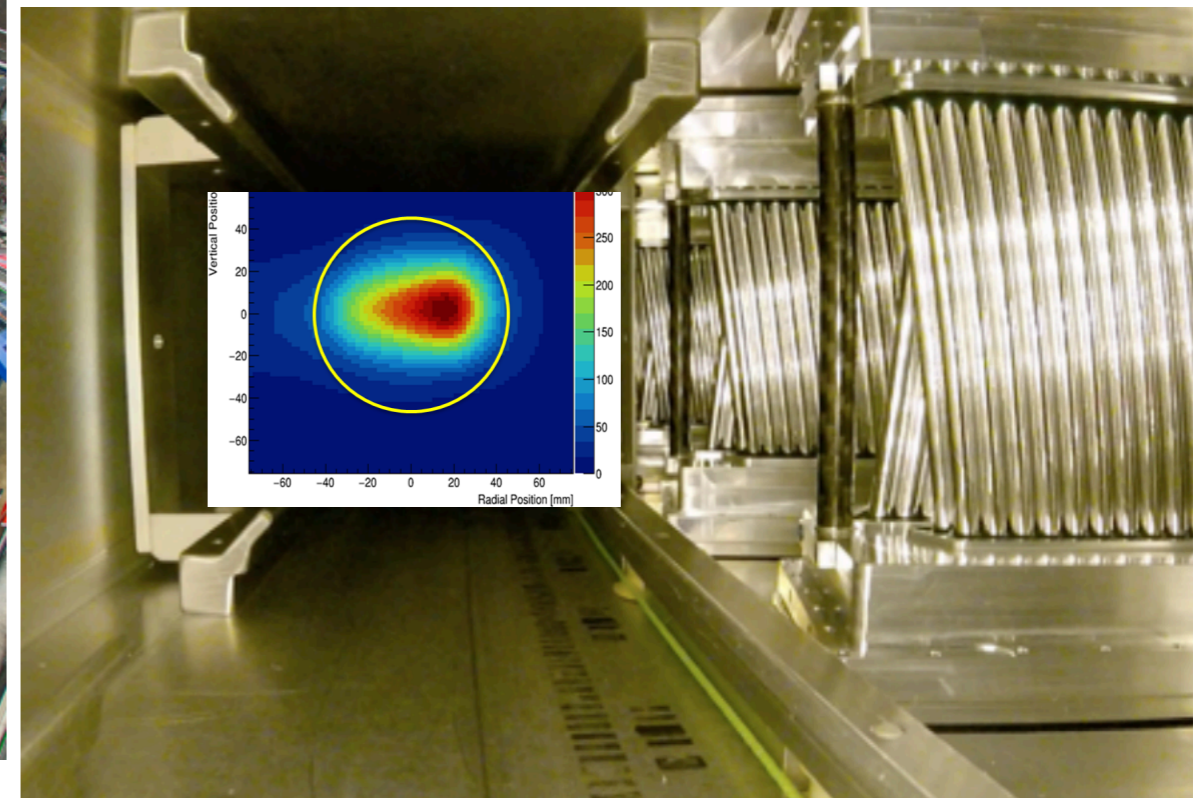
$$\langle\omega_p\rangle \approx \omega_p \otimes \rho(r)$$



# Detectors: Trackers



- Trackers
  - 2 straw-tracker stations
  - 8 modules per station each with 128 straws
  - Reconstruct muon beam profile from positron trajectories

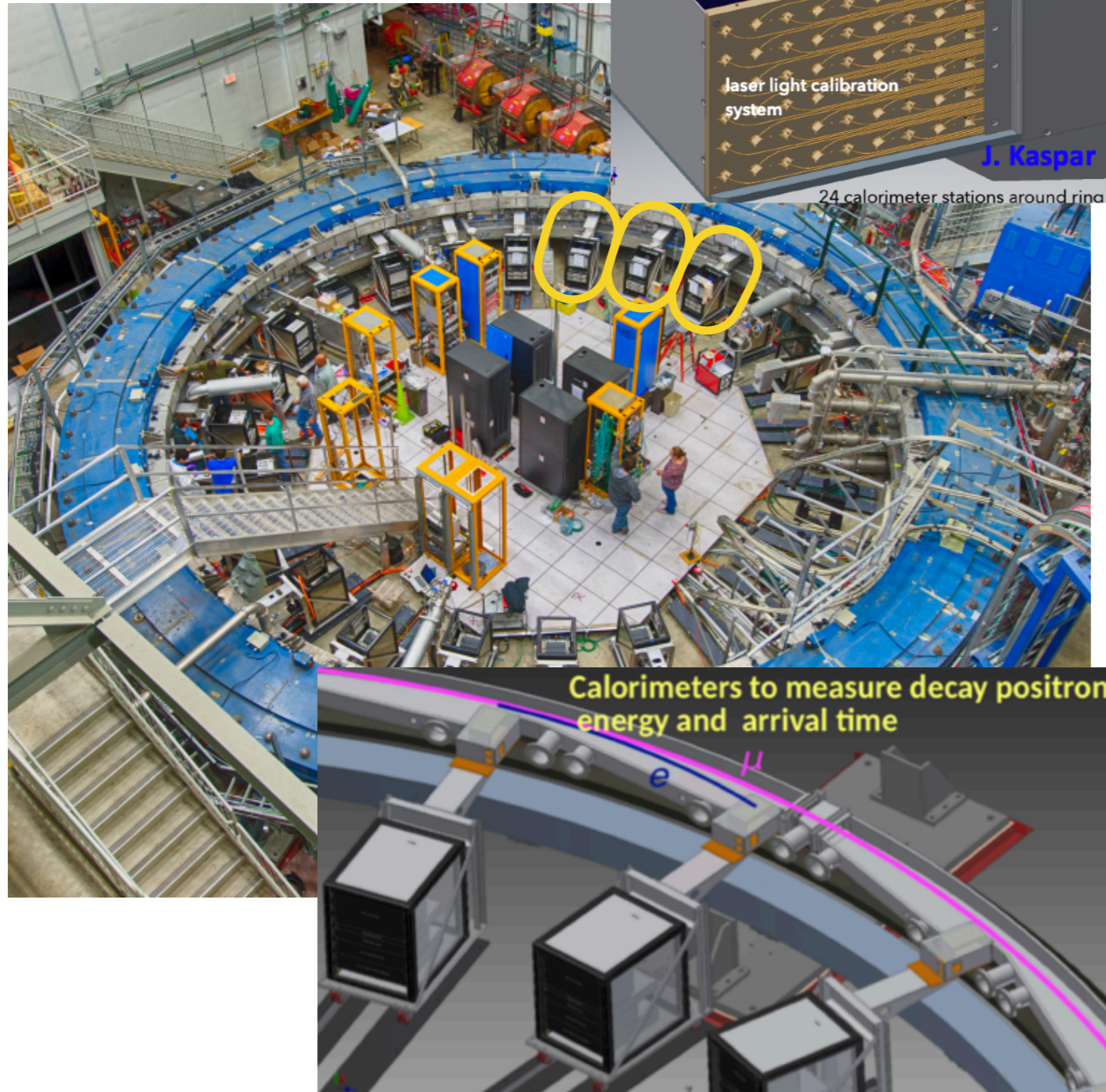


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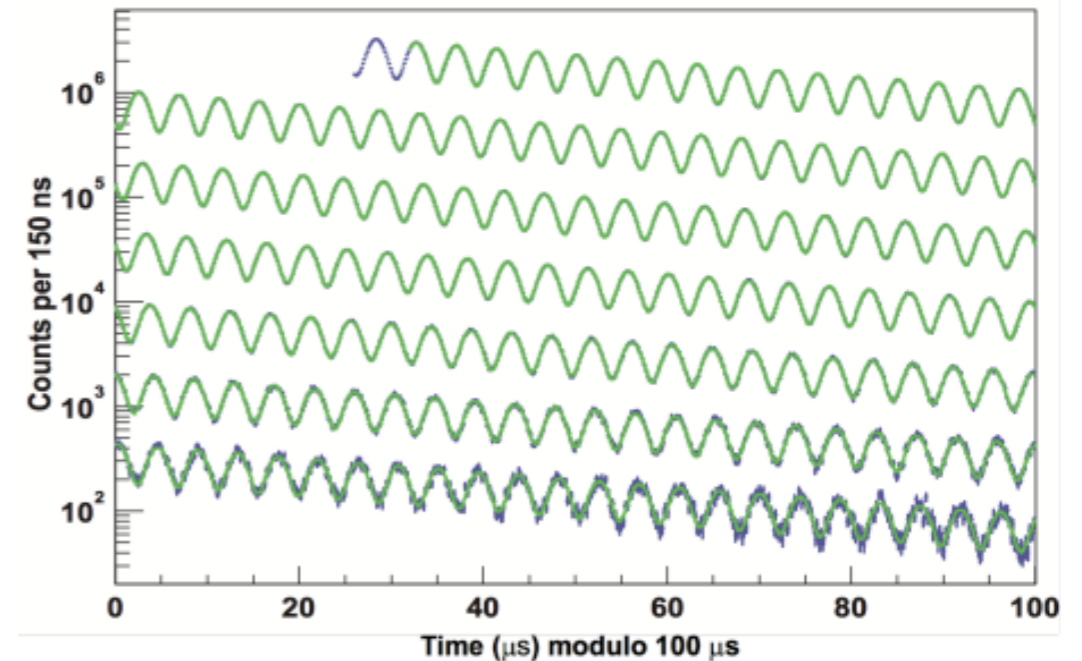


# Detectors : Calorimeters



## • Calorimeters

- 24 segmented PbF<sub>2</sub> crystal calorimeters stationed around the ring
- Detects energy and arrival time of  $e^+$  decayed from muons:  $\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ \bar{\nu}_\mu \nu_e$



$$N(t) = N_0 e^{-t/\tau_\mu} [1 + A \cos(\omega_a t + \phi)]$$

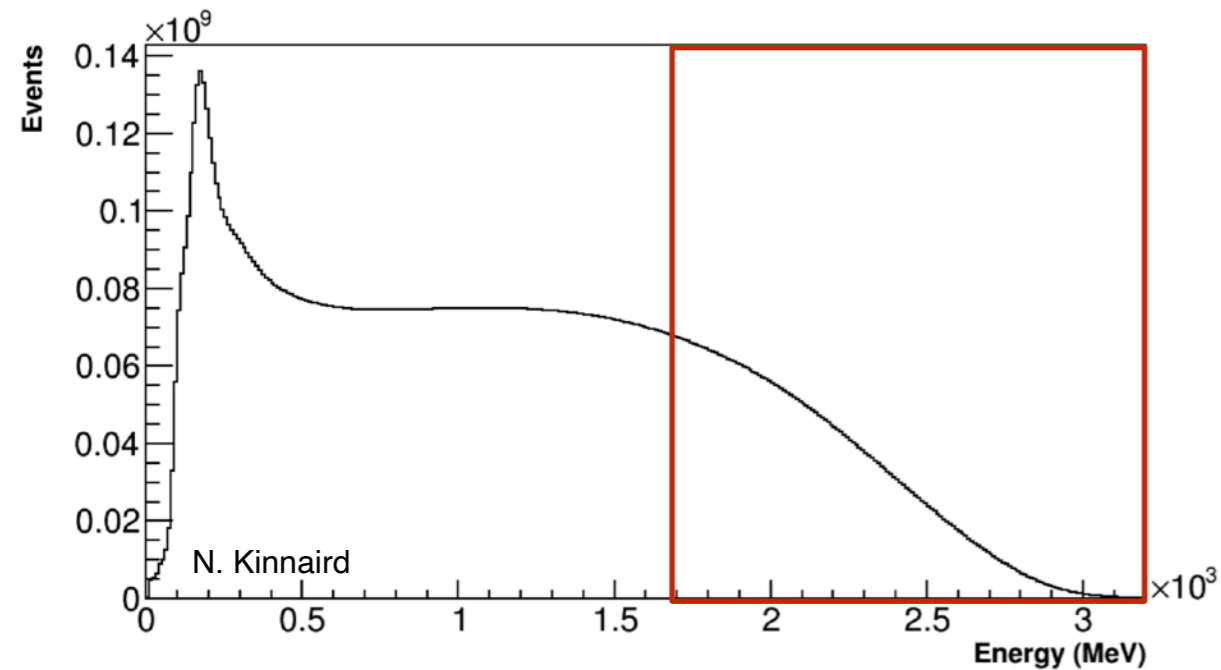
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## • Laser System

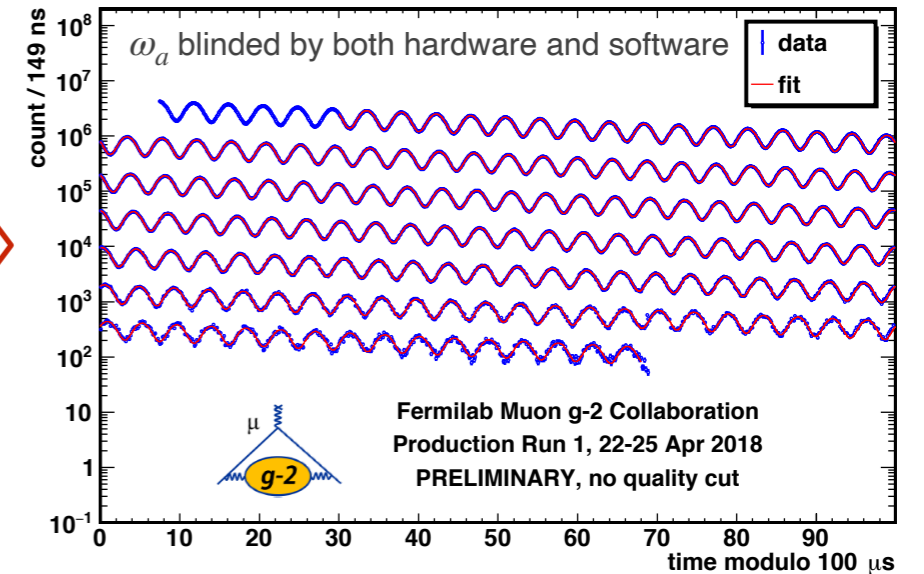
- Calibrates calorimeter gain response
- Provides time synchronization

# Measuring $\omega_a$ : Different analysis techniques to reduce systematic errors

Energy distribution recorded in the calorimeter.



Choosing high energy positrons results in sinusoidal oscillation in positron spectrum



## Fitting Methods

- **T method:**
  - Apply an energy threshold to choose
- **Asymmetry-Weighted Method**
  - Apply a smaller energy threshold and weight energy bin by g-2 Asymmetry.
- **Ratio method:**
  - Remove the exponential decay of the positron spectrum by sorting the positron time spectra into four equal subsets and then combining them again.
- **Q-method:**
  - A unique energy integrated method where you use sum over digitizer traces.

Requires reconstructing the positron time and energy information



# Measuring $\omega_a$ : An example of Fitting Method- Ratio

$$N(t) = N_0 e^{-t/\tau_\mu} [1 + A \cos(\omega_a t + \phi)]$$

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$$u_+(t) = N(t + T/2)/4$$

$$u_-(t) = N(t - T/2)/4$$

$$v_1(t) = v_2(t) = N(t)/4$$

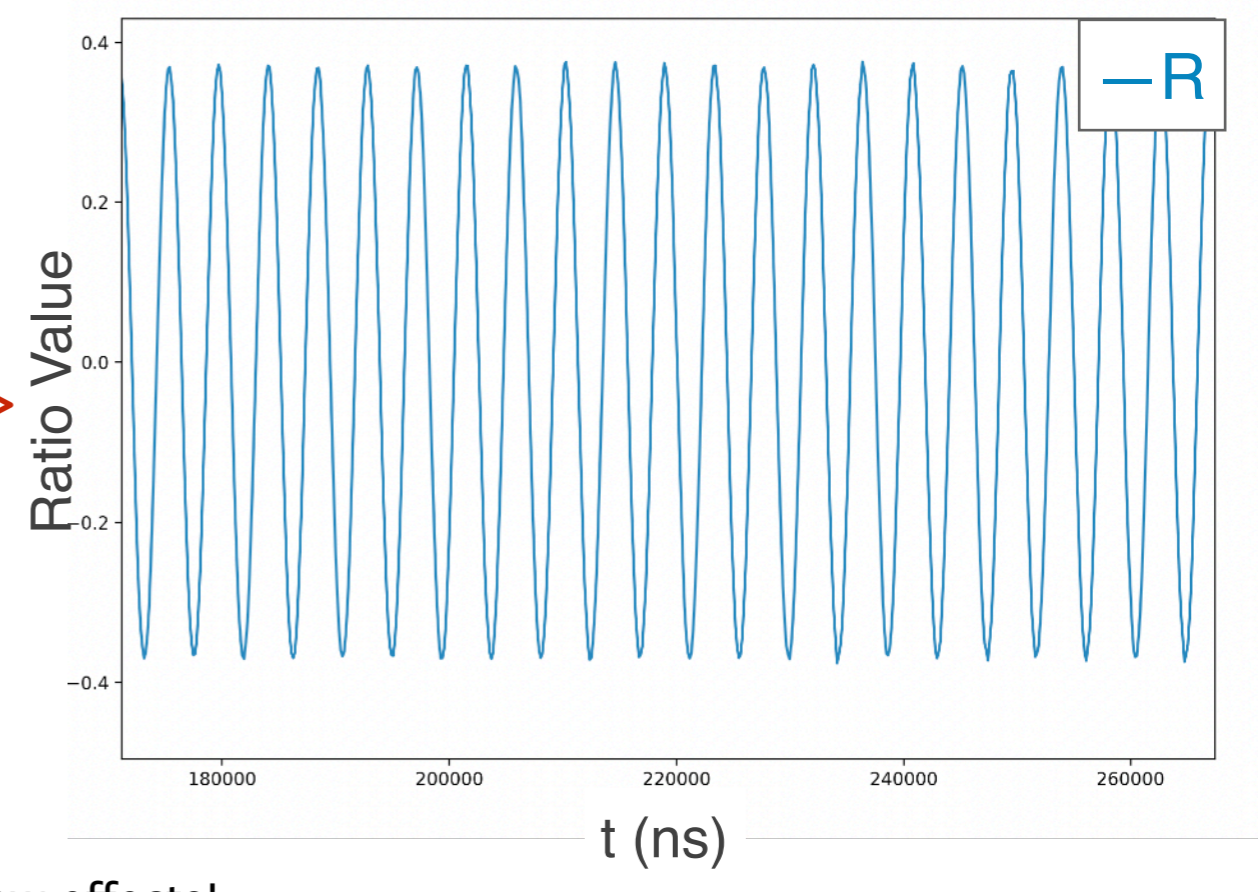
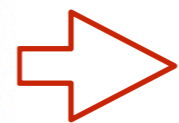
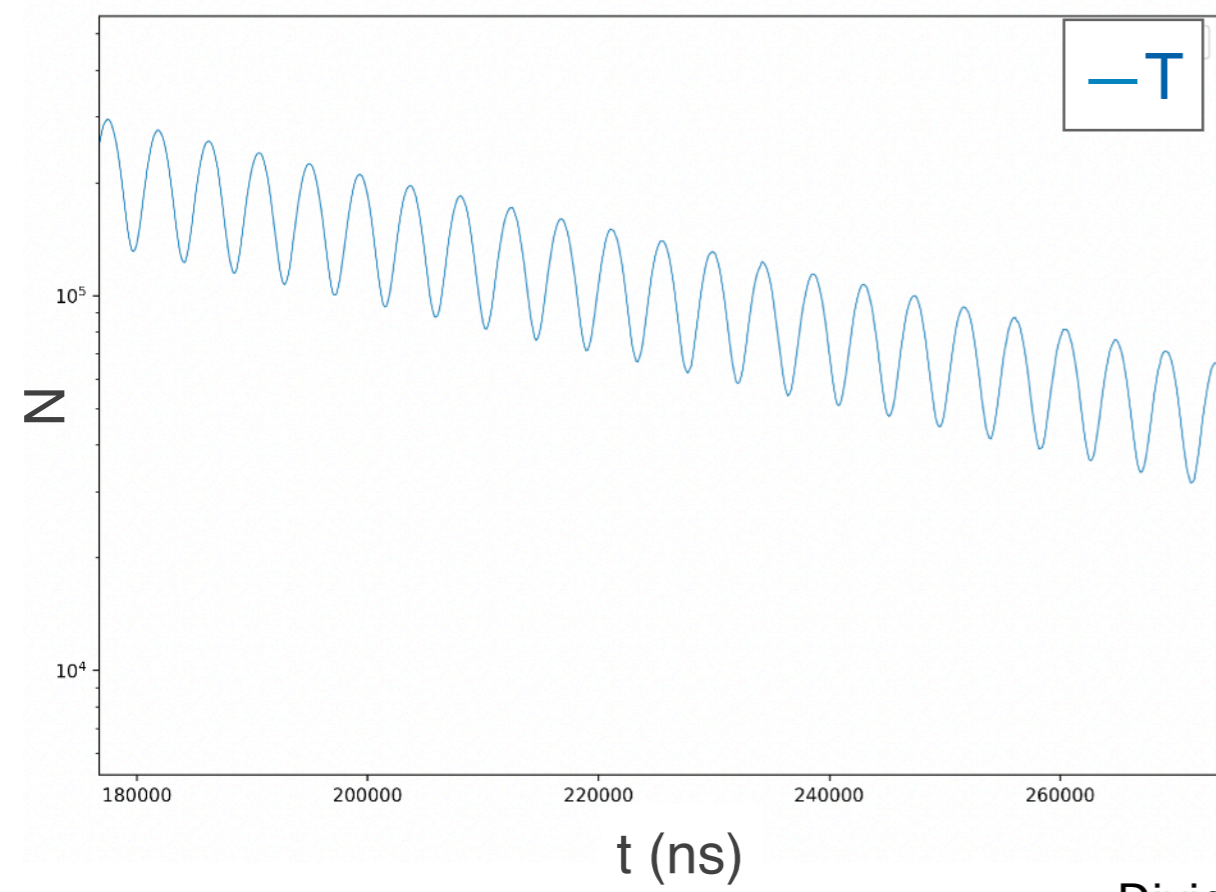
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$$U(t) = u_+(t) + u_-(t)$$

$$V(t) = v_1(t) + v_2(t)$$

$$R(t) = \frac{V(t) - U(t)}{V(t) + U(t)}$$

R is calculated differently when N(t) gets more complicated



-Divides out slow effects!

# Measuring $\omega_a$ : Example of fitting positron time spectra

## Underling Physics

5 parameter fit function

$$N(t) = N_0 e^{-t/\tau_\mu} [1 + A \cos(\omega_a t + \phi)]$$

## Systematic Effects

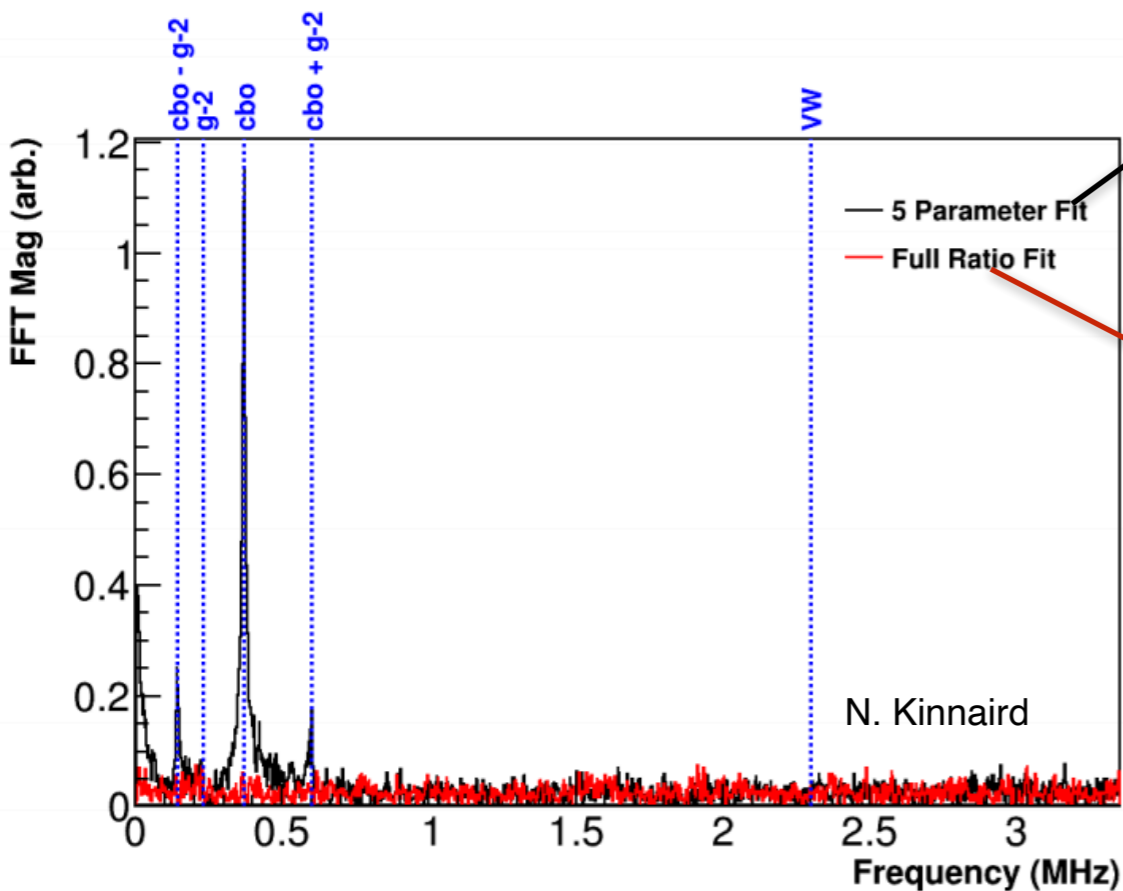
Including CBO, lost muon, other beam dynamics related parameters improve the fit results

$$N(t) = N_0 e^{-t/\tau_\mu} [1 + A_{cbo}(t) \cos(\omega_a t + \phi_{cbo}(t))] \times N_{2cbo}(t) \times [1 + A_{cbo} \cdot e^{-t/\tau_{cbo}} \cdot \cos(\omega_{cbo} t + \phi_0)] \times [1 + A_{vw} \cdot e^{-t/\tau_{vw}} \cdot \cos(\omega_{vw}(t)t + \phi_{vw})] \times [1 - K_{loss} \int_{t_0}^t e^{t/\tau_\mu} L(t) dt]$$

$$A_{cbo}(t) = A(1 + A_{cbo-A} e^{-t/\tau_{cbo}} \cos(\omega_{cbo} t + \phi_{cbo-A}))$$

$$\phi_{cbo}(t) = \phi_0 + A_{cbo-\phi} e^{-t/\tau_{cbo}} \cos(\omega_{cbo} t + \phi_{cbo-\phi})$$

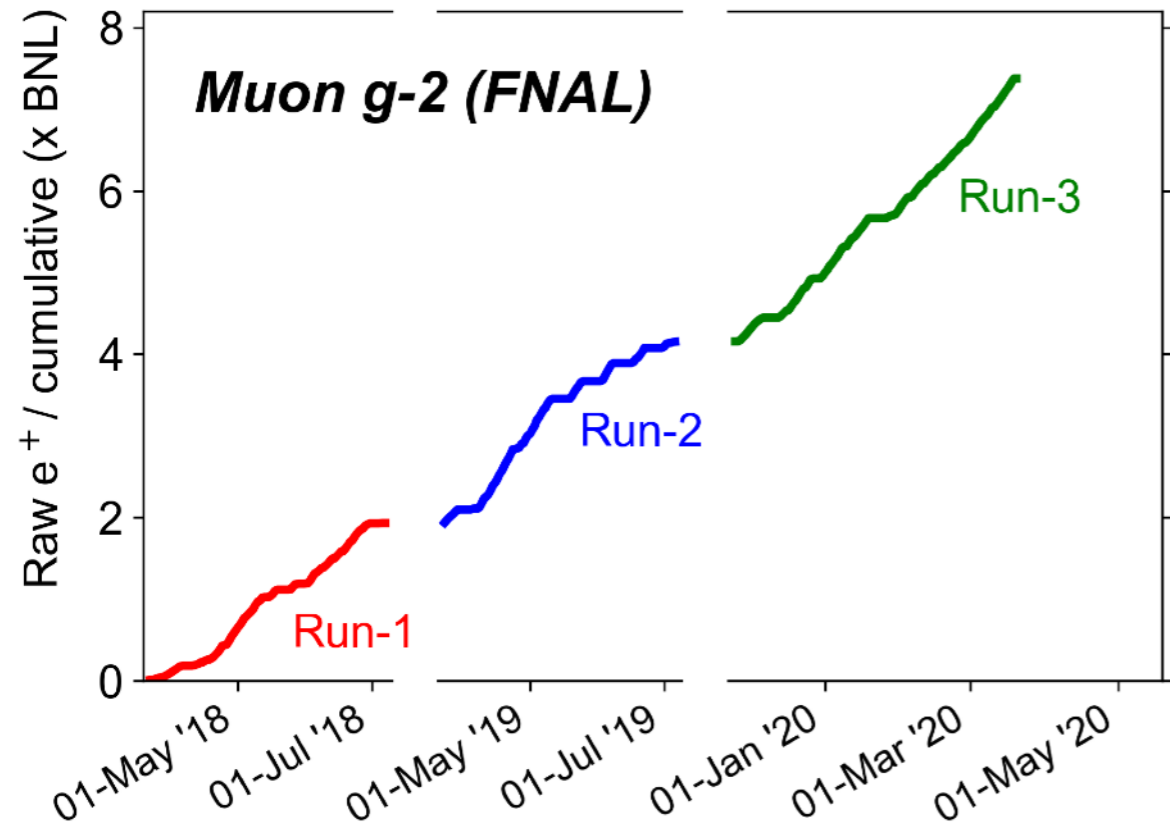
$$N_{2cbo}(t) = (1 + A_{2cbo-N} e^{-2t/\tau_{cbo}} \cos(2\omega_{cbo} t + \phi_{2cbo-N}))$$



FFT analysis of fit residuals



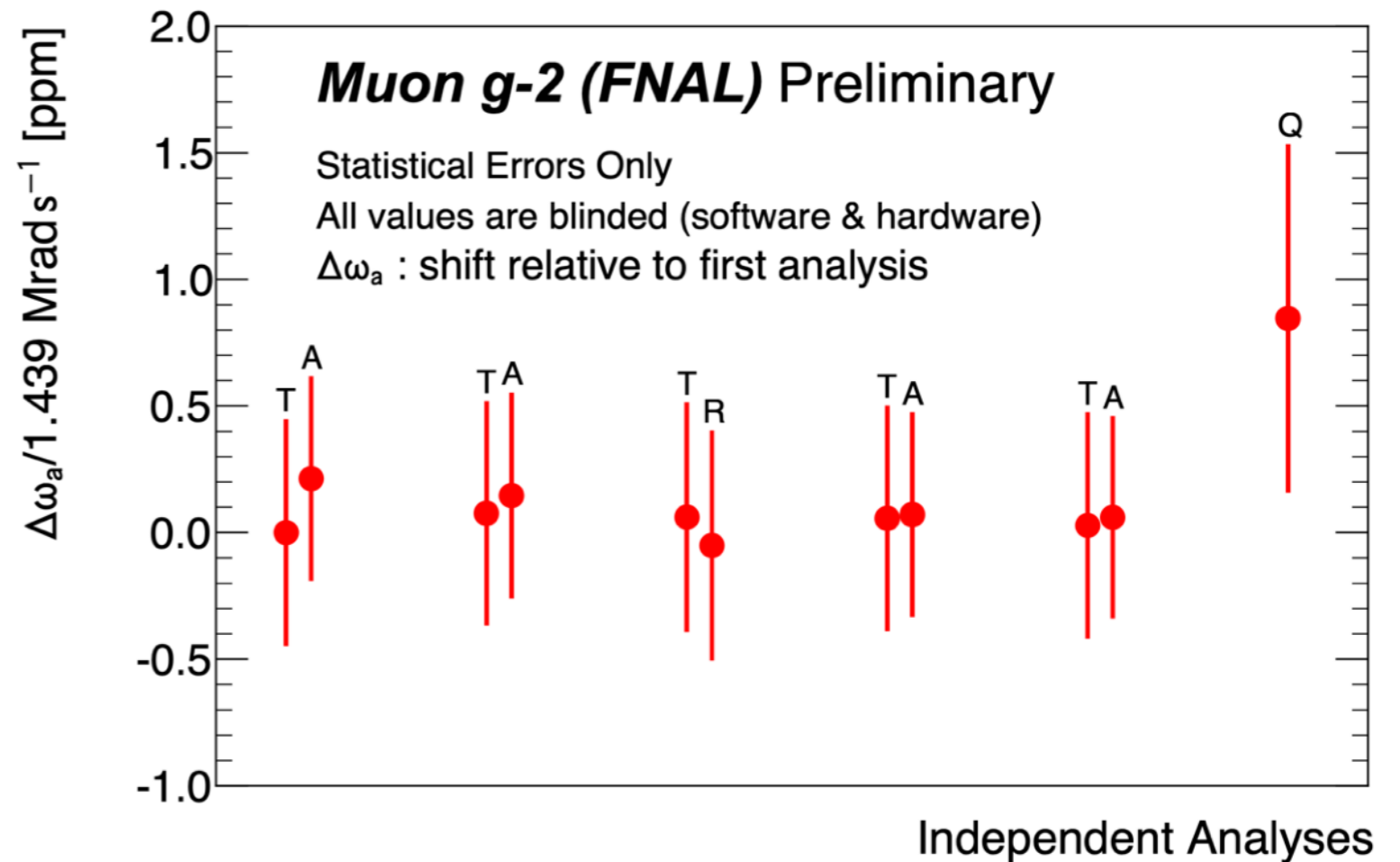
# Experiment Data Collection Status



- Total of 6.5 X BNL statistics collected (after the cuts):
  - Run-1 ~ 1 BNL
  - Run-2 ~ 2.2 BNL
  - Run-3 ~ 3.2 BNL
- Run-3 ended in March 2020
  - Improved kick: Most recent part of Run-3 had a perfectly centered beam owing to improved kicker system.
  - Improved field stability: More stable temperature

# Run-1 Analysis Status

- During Run 1:
  - Collected nearly 1xBNL equivalent of data
  - Total statistical error  $\sim 450$  ppb
  - Systematic Error is still being worked through. Major systematics studies are almost completed.
- 6 different  $\omega_a$  analysis team look at the precession data and performed a commonly software blinded analysis
  - Still blinded on hardware and software
  - 4 different fitting methods
  - 2 independent reconstruction algorithms
  - All agree with each other
- 2 different  $\omega_p$  analysis team is looking at the field data
  - Blinded on software
  - Have just done a relative unblinding
  - Both agree on each other on all relative trends for all Run-1 sub-datasets.





# Systematics (TDR)

## Systematics on $\omega_a$

Category	E821 [ppb]	E989 Improvement Plans	Goal [ppb]
Gain changes	120	Better laser calibration low-energy threshold	20
Pileup	80	Low-energy samples recorded calorimeter segmentation	40
Lost muons	90	Better collimation in ring	20
CBO	70	Higher $n$ value (frequency) Better match of beamline to ring	< 30
$E$ and pitch	50	Improved tracker Precise storage ring simulations	30
Total	180	Quadrature sum	70

## Systematics on $\omega_p$

Category	E821 [ppb]	Main E989 Improvement Plans	Goal [ppb]
Absolute field calibration	50	Special 1.45 T calibration magnet with thermal enclosure; additional probes; better electronics	35
Trolley probe calibrations	90	Plunging probes that can cross calibrate off-central probes; better position accuracy by physical stops and/or optical survey; more frequent calibrations	30
Trolley measurements of $B_0$	50	Reduced position uncertainty by factor of 2; improved rail irregularities; stabilized magnet field during measurements*	30
Fixed probe interpolation	70	Better temperature stability of the magnet; more frequent trolley runs	30
Muon distribution	30	Additional probes at larger radii; improved field uniformity; improved muon tracking	10
Time-dependent external magnetic fields	–	Direct measurement of external fields; simulations of impact; active feedback	5
Others †	100	Improved trolley power supply; trolley probes extended to larger radii; reduced temperature effects on trolley; measure kicker field transients	30
Total systematic error on $\omega_p$	170		70

- » 100 ppb statistical
- » 70 ppb field systematics
- » 70 ppb precession systematics

140 ppb uncertainty in total

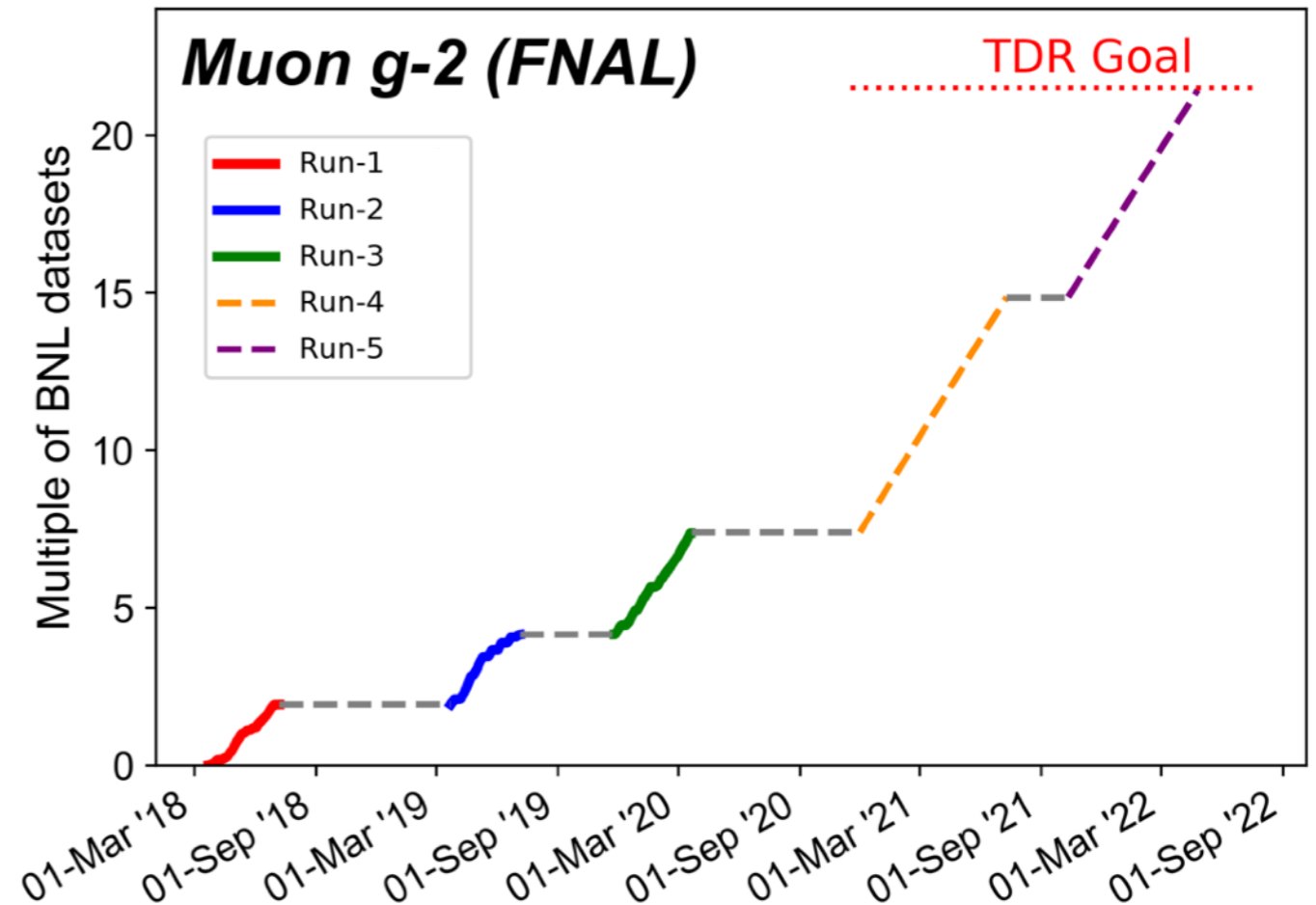
Understanding the systematics with:

- Sophisticated modeling tools
- Hardware based tests backed up with data driven approaches

# What's Next

- Run-1 is close to being published
- Run-2 first phase of analysis has started.
- Calibration program in the summer → Better understanding of systematics
- Run-4 is expected to begin Fall 2020
- Expect to have achieved 21.5 X BNL with Run-4 and Run-5
- Stay Tuned for Run-1 results!

## Extrapolated raw positron counts





# Thanks!



# Back-up



Muon g-2 Collaboration  
7 Countries, 33 Institutions, 203 Collaborators



**USA**

- Boston
- Cornell
- Illinois
- James Madison
- Kentucky
- Massachusetts
- Michigan
- Michigan State
- Mississippi
- North Central
- Northern Illinois
- Regis
- Virginia
- Washington

**USA National Labs**

- Argonne
- Brookhaven
- Fermilab



**China**

- Shanghai Jiao Tong



**Germany**

- Dresden



**Italy**

- Frascati
- Molise
- Naples
- Pisa
- Roma Tor Vergata
- Trieste
- Udine



**Korea**

- CAPP/ISB
- KAIST



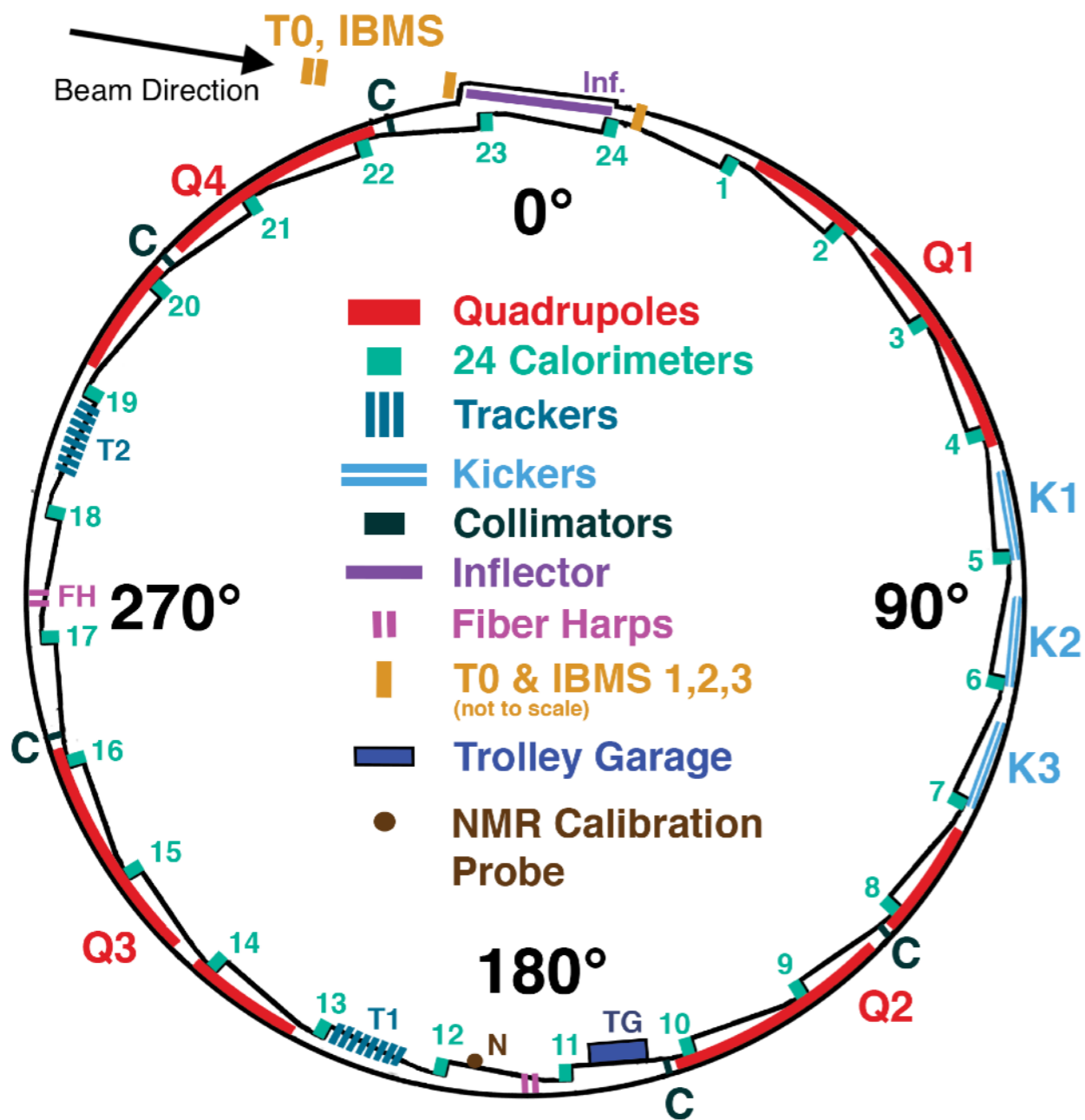
**Russia**

- Budker/Novosibirsk
- JINR Dubna



**United Kingdom**

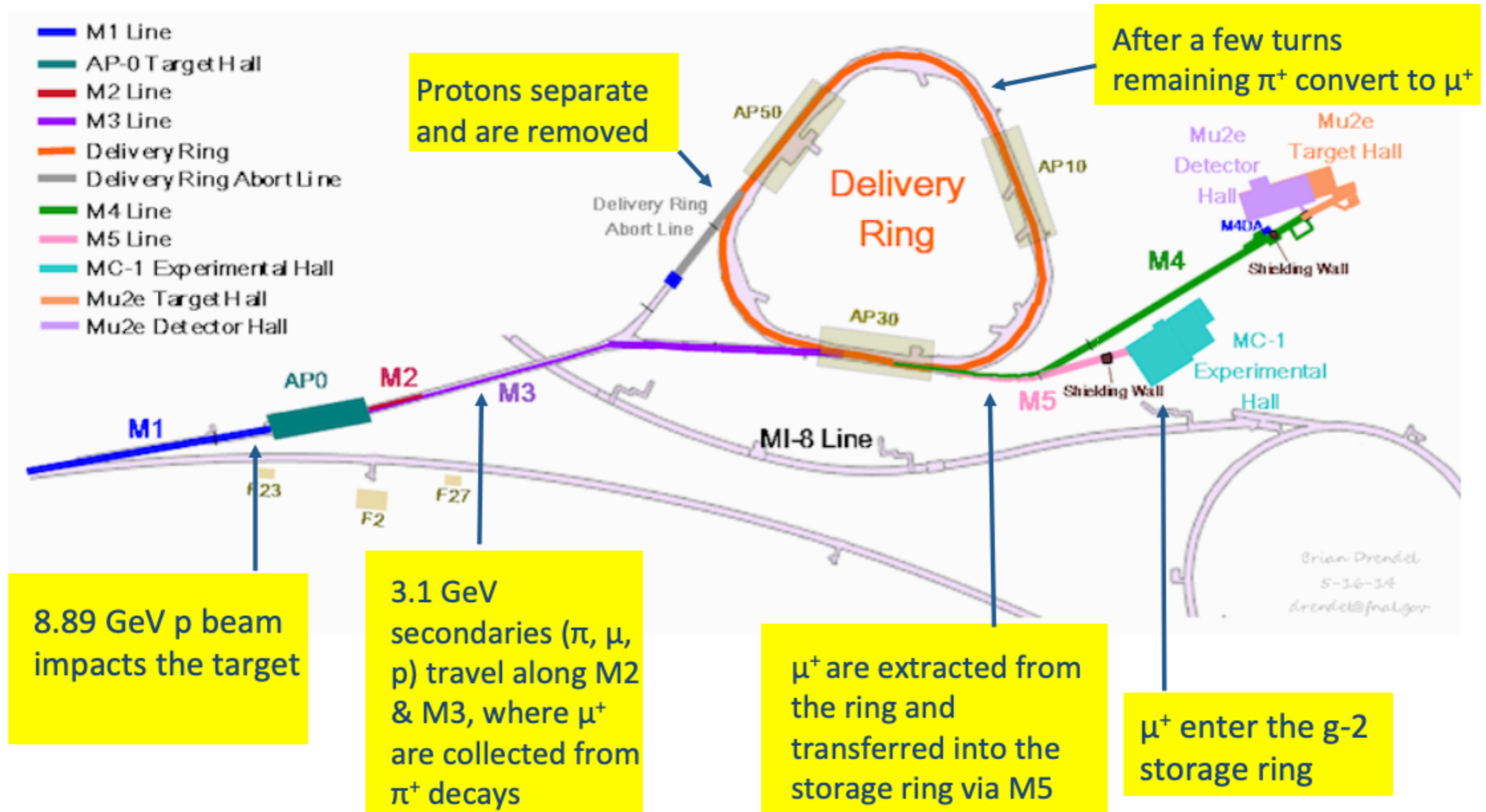
- Lancaster/Cockcroft
- Liverpool
- Manchester
- University College London



	E821	E989
Number of positrons	9x10 <sup>9</sup>	2x10 <sup>11</sup> (x 20 BNL )
Statistical Uncertainty	480 ppb	100 ppb
Systematic Uncertainty	248 ppb	100 ppb
Total Uncertainty	540 ppb	140 ppb



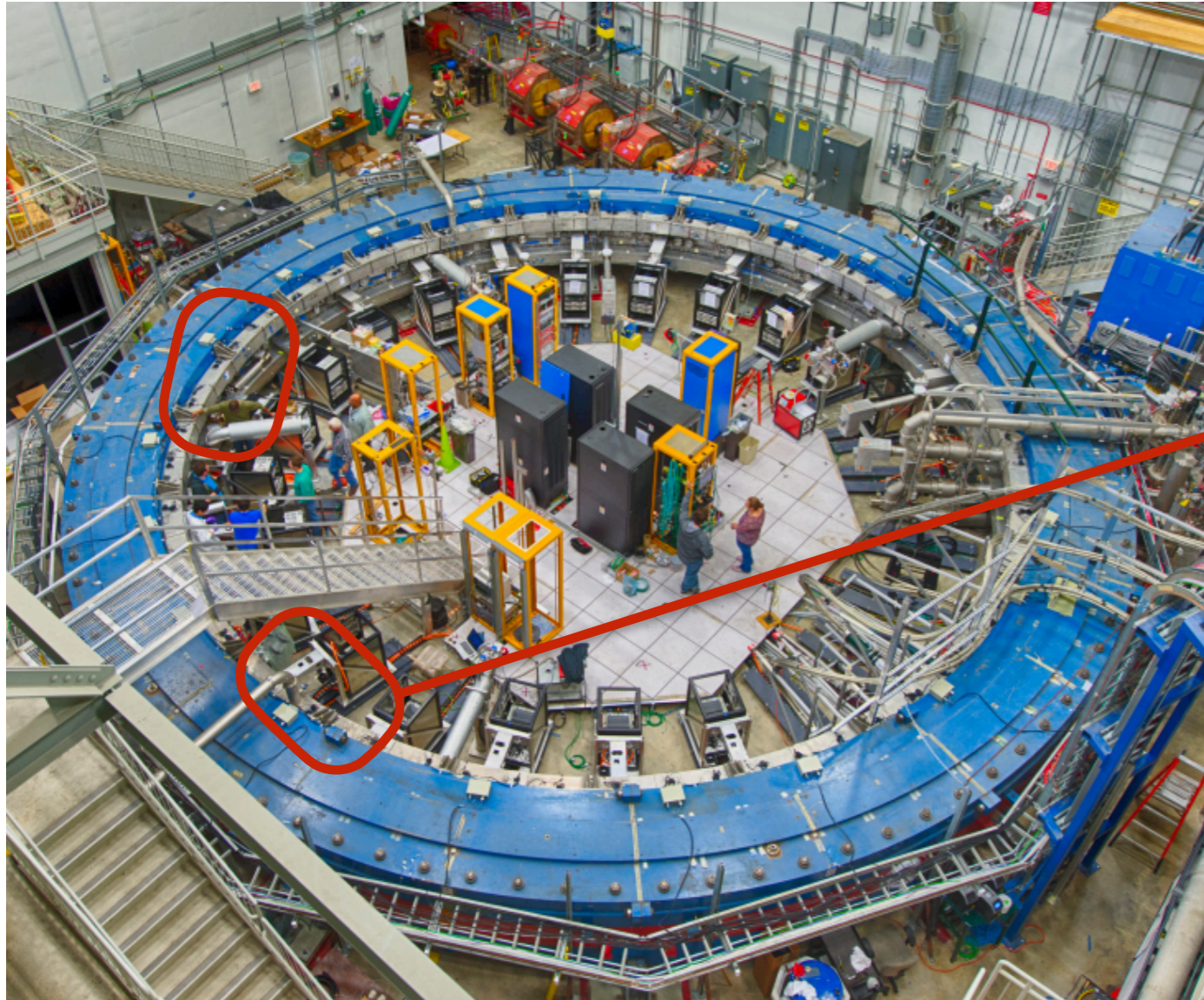
# Muon Beamline at Fermilab



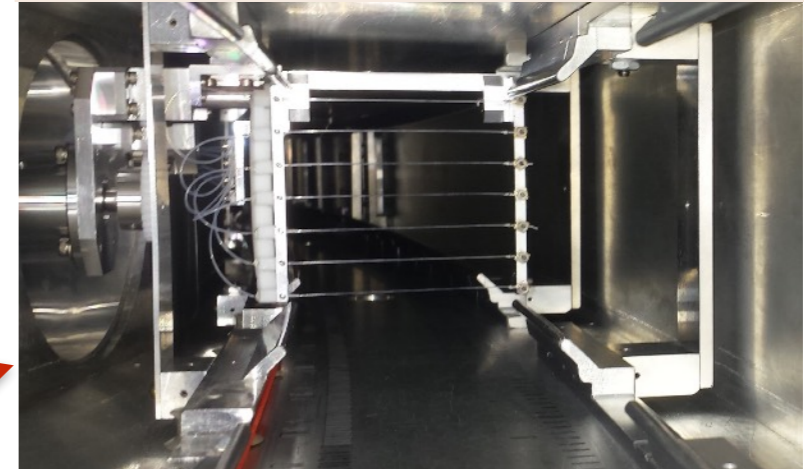
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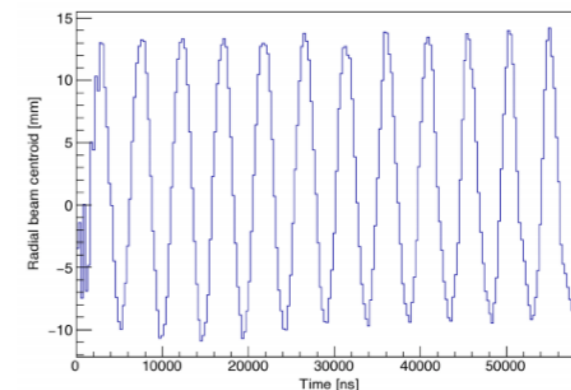


Y Profile Monitor at 180 degree position



- **Fiber Harps**

- Scintillating Fibers
- x and y profile monitoring
- Tool for beam commissioning

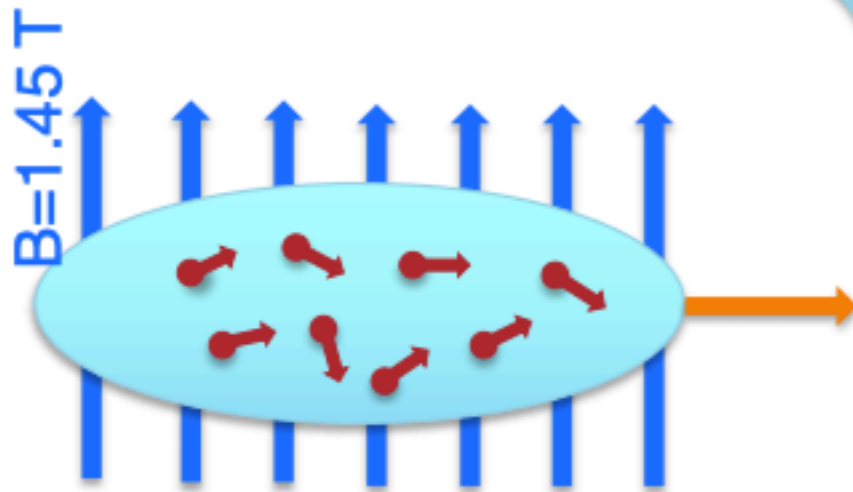




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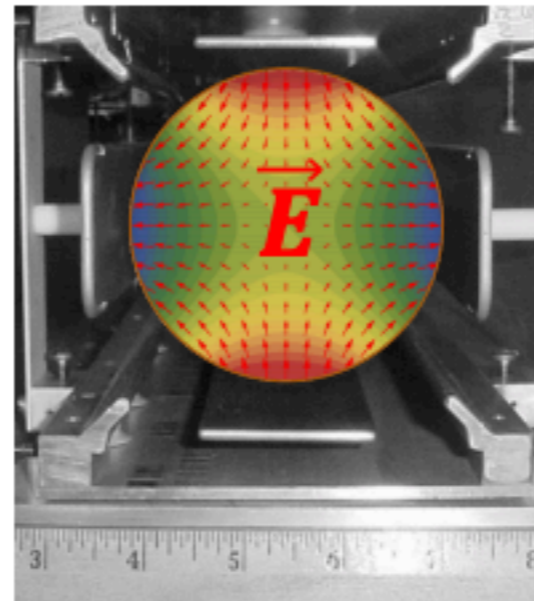
$$\omega_a = \langle (\bar{\omega}_s - \bar{\omega}_c)_y \rangle = -\frac{e}{m} a_\mu \langle B \rangle + \frac{e}{m} a_\mu \left\langle \left( \left( \frac{\gamma}{\gamma+1} \right) (\vec{\beta} \cdot \vec{B}) \vec{\beta} + \left( 1 - \frac{1}{(1+\delta)^2} \right) \frac{\vec{\beta} \times \vec{E}}{c} \right)_y \right\rangle$$

## Pitch Correction "C<sub>P</sub>"



- **Muon's** vertical motion aligns with B-field

## E-field Correction "C<sub>E</sub>"



Injected muon bunch's Momentum Acceptance:

$$\delta_{max} = \frac{dp}{p_0}$$

⇓

±0.5%

D. Tarazona