On determination of the fine-structure constant: Electron g-2 and Atom interferometers

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Determination of <u>the fine-structure constant</u> with an accuracy of 81 parts per trillion

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Three ways to determine α

L. Morel et al. 2020



Best values of α

L. Morel et al. 2020



Plan of my talk

- What is the fine-structure constant α ?
- Atom interferometers and derived α Berkeley Cs and LKB-in-Paris Rb
- Electron g-2 and derived α Possible improvements in experiment and theory
- Comparison of α and electron g-2

The fine-structure constant $\alpha = 1/137.03$...

Explanation

strength of electro-magnetic interaction

a dimensionless constant

named after the fine structure of the hydrogen atom spectral lines

by A. Sommerfeld in 1916

The definition in SI units:

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{e^2}{\hbar c}$$

In natural units $\alpha = \frac{e^2}{4\pi}$

		Old SI before 2019	New SI after 2019
e	elementary charge	derived	$1.602 \ 176 \ 634 \times 10^{-19} C \text{ exact}$
С	sleep of light in vacuum	299 792 458 m/s exact	exact, unchanged
ϵ_0	electric constant	$1/(\mu_0 c^2), \ \mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \mathrm{N/A^2}$	derived
$h = 2\pi\hbar$	Planck constant	derived	$6.626\ 070\ 15 \times 10^{-34} \mathrm{J\cdot s}$

determination of α from the H-atom

• Binding energy of Bohr Model

$$E_n = -m_e c^2 \frac{\alpha^2}{2} \frac{1}{n} = -R_\infty h c \frac{1}{n}$$



- Energy or frequency can be precisely determined
- To obtain α , need to know the precise value of the electron-mass m_e or m_e/h
- precise value of α cannot be directly obtained from the atom spectroscopy only _{東北大学物理斎藤研}

https://flex.phys.tohoku.ac.jp/~rsaito/spectrum/ 撮影は、電気通信大 伊東敏雄先生

Quantum Hall Effect

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New Method for High-Accuracy Determination of the Fine-Structure Constant Based on Quantized Hall Resistance

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Measurements of the Hall voltage of a two-dimensional electron gas, realized with a silicon metal-oxide-semiconductor field-effect transistor, show that the Hall resistance at particular, experimentally well-defined surface carrier concentrations has fixed values which depend only on the fine-structure constant and speed of light, and is insensitive to the geometry of the device. Preliminary data are reported.

Experimental discovery of Integer Quantum Hall effect The authors seem happy with the nice value of α

Quantum Hall resistance R_{κ}

von Klitzing constant

$$R_K = \frac{h}{e^2} = \frac{1}{2\alpha\epsilon_0 c}$$

In old SI, ϵ_0 , c are exact.

 $R_K = 25812.68 \pm 0.028 \ \Omega$ $\alpha^{-1} = 137.0353 \pm 0.004$

K. v. Klitzing et al PRL 1980



FIG. 2. Hall resistance $R_{\rm H}$, and device resistance, R_{pp} , between the potential probes as a function of the gate voltage V_g in a region of gate voltage corresponding to a fully occupied, lowest (n = 0) Landau level. The plateau in $R_{\rm H}$ has a value of $6453.3 \pm 0.1 \ \Omega$. The geometry of the device was $L = 400 \ \mu m$, $W = 50 \ \mu m$, and L_{pp} = 130 $\ \mu m$; $B = 13 \ T$.

This method is no longer available. R_K is exact and the standard of resistance in new SI. $R_K = 25812.807~45~\Omega$

Values of α in 2014

CODATA2014, 2016



Values of α in 2020



Light Interferometer

Young's-double slit interferometer of light



Difference in paths makes an interference pattern

Atom interferometer light → atom slits → light

An atom must travel two different paths

Diagram for the double-slit experiment https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Double-slit experiment#/media/File:Doubleslit.svg

Manipulation of an atom w/ light

Suppose that an atom has two states |1> and |2>



Atom interferometry Introduction — Müller Group

Ramsey-Bordé Interferometer

H. Mueller arXiv:1312.6449



Recoil or Doppler shift

An atom goes up from $|1\rangle$ to $|2\rangle$ absorbing a photon (ω). Then, it comes back from $|2\rangle$ to $|1\rangle$ emitting a photon (ω ').

Energy conservation:

$$\omega - \omega' = (\vec{k} + \vec{k}') \cdot \vec{v} + \frac{\hbar}{2M} (\vec{k} + \vec{k}')^2$$

Photon frequencies can be precisely determined. So, if the velocity of an atom is determined,

h/M can be determined.

S. Chu 2001 Nobel Symposia

Hyperfine level F=3 and F=4 of Cs atom Hyperfine level F=1 and F=2 of Rb atom will be used.

Atom interferometers

h/m(Cs) 2018, Science Parker et al. h/m(Rb) 2020, Nature Morel et al.



Find difference in Raman frequencies $\omega_m \text{ or } \delta \omega_R$ s.t. $\Phi = 0$



Interference patterns



α from h/M

H. Mueller, Nature 2020



$$\alpha = \left[\frac{h}{M} \times \frac{A_r(M)}{A_r(m_e)} \times \frac{2R_\infty}{c}\right]^{1/2}$$

Constants determination

CODATA2014

• Rydberg constant R_{∞}

Hydrogen atom spectroscopy + QED calculation

Relative atomic mass A_r(M), A_r(m_e)
 A_r(M) Cs⁺ or Rb⁺ ion in Penning trap

 an ion mass is converted to an atom mass
 adding an electron mass and ionization energy.

 A_r(m_e) ¹²C⁺⁵ ion in Penning trap, bound-g factor
 Cyclotron frequency ~1/m_c and Zeeman splitting ~1/m_e

Values of R_{∞}

To clarify proton charge radius puzzle, two new experiments on H-atom were performed

CODATA201810973731.568160(21) m^{-1} Announced in 20201S-3S10973731.56853(14) m^{-1} Fleurbaey et al. 20182S-4P10973731.568076(96) m^{-1} Beyer et al. 2017CODATA201410973731.568508(65) m^{-1} Announced in 2016

2.7 σ difference b.w. 2017 and 2018 measurements h/m(Rb) uses CODATA2018 R_{∞} 1.9 ppt h/m(Cs) uses CODATA2014 R_{∞} 5.9 ppt Both are sufficiently accurate for α w/ 81 ppt

Bound g-factor of an electron

Magnetic field

Cyclotron frequency of C⁺⁵ ion $\omega_c = \frac{(6-1)eB}{M_{C^{+5}}}$ Zeeman spin-flip frequency of e⁻ $\omega_s = |g(C^{+5})| \frac{eB}{2m_e}$



 $g(C^{+5})$ is the bound g-factor of the electron, calculated w/QED

The ratio between two frequencies gives the relative atomic mass $A_r(m_e)$

 $A_r(m_e) = 5.485\ 799\ 090\ 65\ (16) \times 10^{-4}$ $A_r(M_{^{133}Cs}) = 132.905\ 451\ 9615\ (86)$ $A_r(M_{^{87}Rb}) = 86.909\ 180\ 5310\ (60)$ 29 ppt 65 ppt 69 ppt Need to be improved

Data sets analyzed



Erro[°]^{(T)=3}^{*}B¹⁰/^T Udgets

Cs 200ppt

 Table 1. Error budget.
 For each systematic effect, more discussion can be found in the listed section of the supplementary materials.
 N/A, not applicable.

Effect	Section	δα∕α (ppb)
 This study		
Laser frequency	1	-0.24 ± 0.03
Acceleration gradient	4A	-1.79 ± 0.02
Gouy phase	3	-2.60 ± 0.03
Beam alignment	5	0.05 ± 0.03
Bloch oscillation light shift	6	0 ± 0.002
Density shift	7	0 ± 0.003
Index of refraction	8	0 ± 0.03
Speckle phase shift	4B	0 ± 0.04
Sagnac effect	9	0 ± 0.001
Modulation frequency wave number	10	0 ± 0.001
Thermal motion of atoms	11	0 ± 0.08
Non-Gaussian waveform	13	0 ± 0.03
Parasitic interferometers	14	0 ± 0.03
Total systematic error	All previous	-4.58 ± 0.12
Statistical error	N/A	±0.16
Other studies		
Electron mass (16)	N/A	±0.02
Cesium mass (6, 15)	N/A	±0.03
Rydberg constant (6)	N/A	±0.003
Combined result		
Total uncertainty in α	N/A	±0.20

Table 1 | Error budget on a

Source	Correction (×10 ⁻¹¹)	Relative uncertainty (×10 ⁻¹¹)
Gravity gradient	-0.6	0.1
Alignment of the beams	0.5	0.5
Coriolis acceleration		1.2
Frequencies of the lasers		0.3
Wave-front curvature	0.6	0.3
Wave-front distortion	3.9	1.9
Gouy phase	108.2	5.4
Residual Raman light shift	2.3	2.3
Index of refraction	0	<0.1
Internal interaction	0	<0.1
Light shift (two-photon transition)	-11.0	2.3
Second-order Zeeman effect		0.1
Phase shifts in Raman phase-lock loop	-39.8	0.6
Global systematic effects	64.2	6.8
Statistical uncertainty		2.4
Relative mass of ⁸⁷ Rb ^a : 86.9091805310(60)		3.5
Relative mass of the electron ^b : $5.48579909065(16) \times 10^{-4}$		1.5
Rydberg constant ^b : 10,973,731.568160(21) m ⁻¹		0.1
Total: α ⁻¹ =137.035999206(11)		8.1

Rb

81 ppt

Consistency of α within $h/m \exp_{1} 2020$



Suspected reasons

H. Mueller 2020

• Speckle?

small-scale spatial variations of the laser intensity

- a phase shift arising in electronic-signal processing?
- Laser beam profile ? largest error source –

Cs overcorrected ?

Rb under-corrected ?

• Further study needed

Cs ``20 folds improvement ! " H. Mueller 2019

Electron g-2



Electron in the static magnetic field

$$H = -\vec{\mu}_e \cdot \vec{B} \qquad \qquad \vec{\mu}_e = g_e \frac{e\hbar}{2m_e} \frac{\vec{s}}{\hbar}$$

Deviation from 2 is the anomalous magnetic moment

$$a_e = \frac{g_e - 2}{2}$$

Very precisely measured and calculable within the SM

Single electron Penning Trap



Signal detection

$$V = \hbar \delta_c \left(a_c^{\dagger} a_c + \frac{1}{2} \right) \left(a_z^{\dagger} a_z + \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

change in n_c is detected through change in n₇

$$\rightarrow$$
 image current

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X. Fan and G. Gabrielse 2020

Error source of elec.



Backaction from the axial motion detection to the electron





Theoretical analysis

+ new electoorical circuit X. Fan et al.2020

2008 Measurement ... Line shapes of cyclotron and anomaly transitions Hanneke et al.

``20 folds improvement in a year "

Gabrielse 2019

Theory of electron g-2

SM contribution $a_e = a_e(\text{QED}) + a_e(\text{hadron}) + a_e(\text{weak})$ 1.5ppb 0.025ppb mass-dependence $a_e(\text{QED}) = A_1 + A_2\left(\frac{m_e}{m_{\mu}}\right) + A_2\left(\frac{m_e}{m_{\tau}}\right) + A_3\left(\frac{m_e}{m_{\mu}}, \frac{m_e}{m_{\tau}}\right)$ 2.4ppb

Universal for any point-like spin ½ particles

Numerically calculated

Perturbation in α

$$A_{1} = A_{1}^{(2)} \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right) + A_{1}^{(4)} \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^{2} + A_{1}^{(6)} \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^{3} + A_{1}^{(8)} \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^{4} + A_{1}^{(10)} \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^{5}$$

All terms are analytically known, double checked

QED results up to the 10th-order

Coefficient $A_i^{(2n)}$	Value (Error)	
$A_1^{(2)}$	0.5	
$A_2^{(2)}(m_e/m_\mu)$	0	
$A_{2}^{(2)}(m_{e}/m_{ au})$	0	
$A_3^{(2)}(m_e/m_{\mu}, m_e/m_{\tau})$	0	
$A_{1}^{(4)}$	$-0.328\ 478\ 965\ 579\ 193\cdots$	
$A_{2}^{(4)}(m_e/m_{\mu})$	$0.519~738~676~(24) imes 10^{-6}$	
$A_{2}^{(4)}(m_{e}/m_{ au})$	$0.183~790~(25) \times 10^{-8}$	
$A_3^{(4)}(m_e/m_{\mu}, m_e/m_{\tau})$	0	
$A_{1}^{(6)}$	$1.181\ 241\ 456\ 587\cdots$	
$A_2^{(6)}(m_e/m_\mu)$	$-0.737\ 394\ 164\ (24)\! imes\!10^{-5}$	Uncertainty comes from
$A_{2}^{(6)}(m_{e}/m_{\tau})$	$-0.658\ 273\ (79) \times 10^{-7}$	/ muon-electron mass ratio
$A_3^{(6)}(m_e/m_{\mu}, m_e/m_{\tau})$	$0.1909(1) \times 10^{-12}$	tau-electron mass ratio
$A_{1}^{(8)}$	$-1.912\ 245\ 764\cdots$	
$A_2^{(8)}(m_e/m_\mu)$	$0.916\ 197\ 070\ (37) \times 10^{-3}$	
$A_2^{(8)}(m_e/m_{ au})$	$0.742~92~(12) imes 10^{-5}$	
$A_3^{(8)}(m_e/m_{\mu}, m_e/m_{\tau})$	$0.746\ 87\ (28) imes 10^{-6}$	
$A_1^{(10)}$	6.737 (159)	Uncortainty comos from
$A_2^{(10)}(m_e/m_\mu)$	-0.003 82 (39)	
$A_2^{(10)}(m_e/m_{ au})$	$\mathcal{O}(10^{-5})$	numerical integration
$A_3^{(10)}(m_e/m_\mu, m_e/m_\tau)$	$\mathcal{O}(10^{-5})$	

8^{th} -order calculation $A_1^{(8)}$



518 diagrams of Set V

Laporta(2017)-2.176886 $02 \cdots$ AHKN(2015)-2.17733(82)Volkov(2018)-2.1790(22)

- 8th-order is established
 - The numerical calculation methods are confirmed.

10th-order calculation $A_1^{(10)}$

12,672 vertex diagrams Some of them are doubly checked



Baikov et al. 2013 Laporta et al. 1994

Independent check confirms the result

 Easy extension from the computer programs for the 8th-order diagrams

6354 vertex diagrams of this type are the hardest ones to evaluate

Two results of A₁⁽¹⁰⁾[Set V]

AHKN(2018)7.668 (159)Volkov(2019)6.793 (90)diff.0.875 (183)

4.8σ tension!

Is a meaningful difference?

$$0.875 \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^5 = 0.059 \times 10^{-12}$$

I must figure out the difference!



Home Alone

No. The uncertainty of the current experiment:

 $\delta a_e(\text{HV2008}) = 0.28 \times 10^{-12}$

Yes. Soon, the NW team will reduce the uncertainty to $\delta a_e(NW202x) = 0.02 \times 10^{-12}$

Vertex sum v.s. Ward-Takahashi sum

Volkov directly calculated 3,213 vertex diagrams AHKN calculated the Ward-Takahashi 389 sum



4 numerical data

Different renom. constants

On-shell renormalization constants for a self-energy diagram G:

 $L_{G(i)}$ for vertex renormalization

 B_G for wave-function renormalization

Volkov used IR-free and gauge-invariant:

$$BV_G + \sum_{i=1}^{2n-1} LV_{G(i)} = 0$$

We used IR free, easy-determined, but not gauge-invariant

$$BK_G + \sum_{i=1}^{2n-1} LK_{G(i)} + \Delta LB_G = 0$$

Connection b.w. Volkov and AHKN



$$\Delta M_{4a} - (\Delta M_{4a(1)} + 2\Delta M_{4a(2)}) = 2 \ \delta L_2 \ M_2$$

where

$$\delta L_2 = IV_2 - IK_2$$

finite!

New calculation of $\delta L_{n(i)}$

Difference of renormalization constants $\delta L_{n(i)}$

are newly calculated for n=2,4,6,8. No 10^{th} -order.

(#) ...# of independent diagrams, time-reversal symmetry

Order n	2	4	6	8
# of vertex diagrams	1	6 (4)	50 (28)	518 (269)
<pre># of diagrams calculated so far</pre>	1	6 (4)	50 (28)	on-going (132)

132 x 1 hour x 40 core = 5,280 core x hours, 1 night at RIKEN'S HOKUSAI-BW very small calculation compared to the 10th-order g-2 calculation Ref. One diagram evaluation of 10th-order g-2 requires O(10^5) core x hours

6354 (3213) vertex diagrams represented by 706 (389) self-energy diagrams



X001 as an example



$\Delta M_{X001} - \sum^{9} \Delta M_{X001(i)} = \Delta M_2 \ (-3(\delta L_{4a1})^2 - 6\delta L_2 \delta L_{6f1} + 12(\delta L_2)^2 \delta L_{4a1})^2$
$\overline{i=1}$ $-5(\delta L_2)^4 + 2\delta L_{21-1})$
$- 3(\delta L_2) + 2\delta L_{01v1} + \Delta M_{01} (2\delta L_2)$
$+\Delta M_{6f} \ (2\delta L_{4a1} - 3(\delta L_2)^2)$
$+\Delta M_{4a} \ (2\delta L_{6f1} - 6\delta L_2 \delta L_{4a1} + 4(\delta L_2)^3)$
l.h.s $= -0.16083 (334) - 0.58095 (534)$
= -0.74178 (630)
r.h.s $= -0.73854$
l.h.s - r.h.s - 0.00324 (630) Consistently 0 !
X001 safely passes the numerical check.
L35 of 389 have been checked. All are consistent.

Electron g-2 Experiment v.s. Theory

Best 3 values of $\boldsymbol{\alpha}$

$\alpha^{-1}(a_e)$	= 137.035 999 150 (33)	$240 \mathrm{ppt}$
$\alpha^{-1}(Cs18)$	= 137.035 999 046 (27)	$200 \mathrm{ppt}$
α^{-1} (Rb20)	= 137.035 999 206 (11)	81 ppt
Evneriment		

 $\begin{aligned} a_e(\text{HV08}) &= 1\ 159\ 652\ 180.73\ (28) \end{aligned}{\textbf{AKHN QED}} \\ a_e(\alpha(\text{Cs})) &= 1\ 159\ 652\ 181.616 \\ a_e(\alpha(\text{Rb})) &= 1\ 159\ 652\ 180.265 \end{aligned}{\textbf{Come from } \alpha \text{ solely!}} \end{aligned}$

Contributions to Th. Electron g-2



Normalized absolute contribution

Cs 2018



Electron g-2 Experiment v.s. Theory



QED contribution to muon g-2

 $a_{\mu}(\text{QED}; \alpha(a_e)) = 116\ 584\ 718.842\ (7)(17)(6)(28)$ $a_{\mu}(\text{QED}; \alpha(\text{Cs})) = 116\ 584\ 718.931\ (7)(17)(6)(23)$ $a_{\mu}(\text{QED}; \alpha(\text{Rb})) =$

 $116\ 584\ 718.793\ (7)(17)(6)(9)$

Uncertainties tau-lepton mass, 8th-order QED, 10th-order QED, α , combined

Estimated 12th-order contribution is $\pm 0.100 \times 10^{-11}$



Add one more electron vacuum polarization bubble $[34] \times 10^{-11}$ $[33] \times 10^{-11}$

 $[22] \times 10^{-11}$

Truly dominant at the 8th-order QED

Limits on dark vector boson



Be more careful

Searching

new physics interactable with a photon via $a_l(\text{expt.}) \stackrel{?}{=} a_l(\text{theory} : \alpha(h/M, R_{\infty}, A_r(e), A_r(M)))$

- new physics appears in free muon and electron (g-2)'s $a_\mu({\rm expt.})$, $a_e({\rm expt.})$

Summary

- New α from the atom interferometer is explained.
- Progress in electron g-2, both expt. and theory, is explained.
- `Comparison" is discussed. three α's , electron g-2 expt. and theory
- In near future, ``comparison" will be performed at a few ppt level.