

The SM Prediction and Discrepancy

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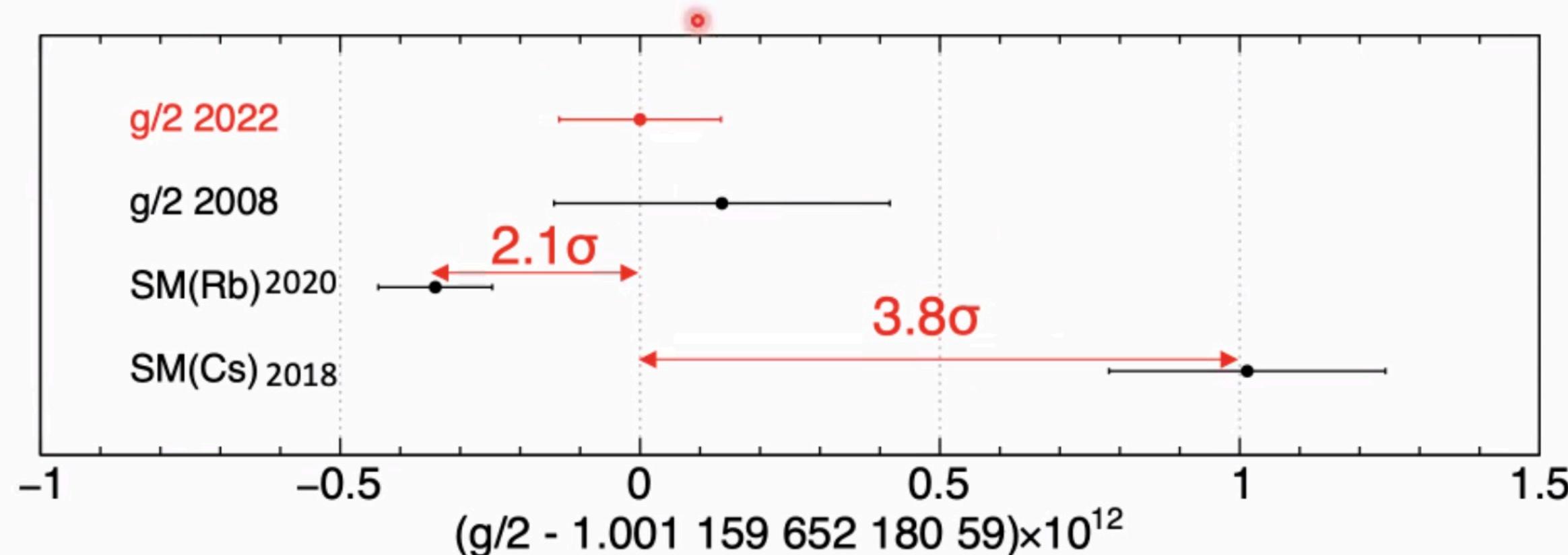
$$\frac{g}{2}(\text{Rb}) = 1.001\ 159\ 652\ 180\ 254\ (12)\ (11)\ (\mathbf{93})$$

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$$\frac{g}{2}(\text{Cs}) = 1.001\ 159\ 652\ 181\ 598\ (12)\ (11)\ (\mathbf{234})$$

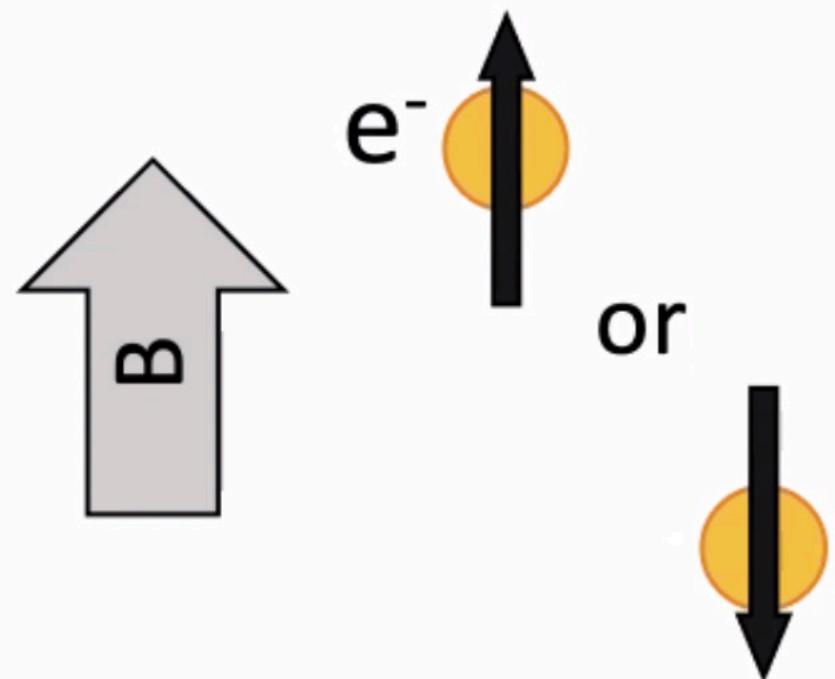
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this work



Principle of $g/2$ measurement

Ideally, measure $g/2$ in free space



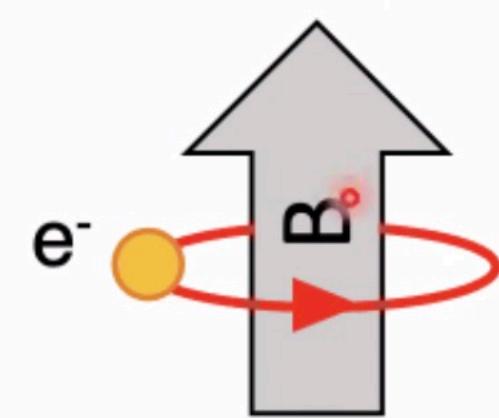
$$\Delta E_s = 2\mu \cdot B = \frac{g}{2} \times \frac{\hbar e B}{m}$$

spin precession
energy $\hbar\nu_s$

cyclotron motion
energy $\hbar\nu_c$

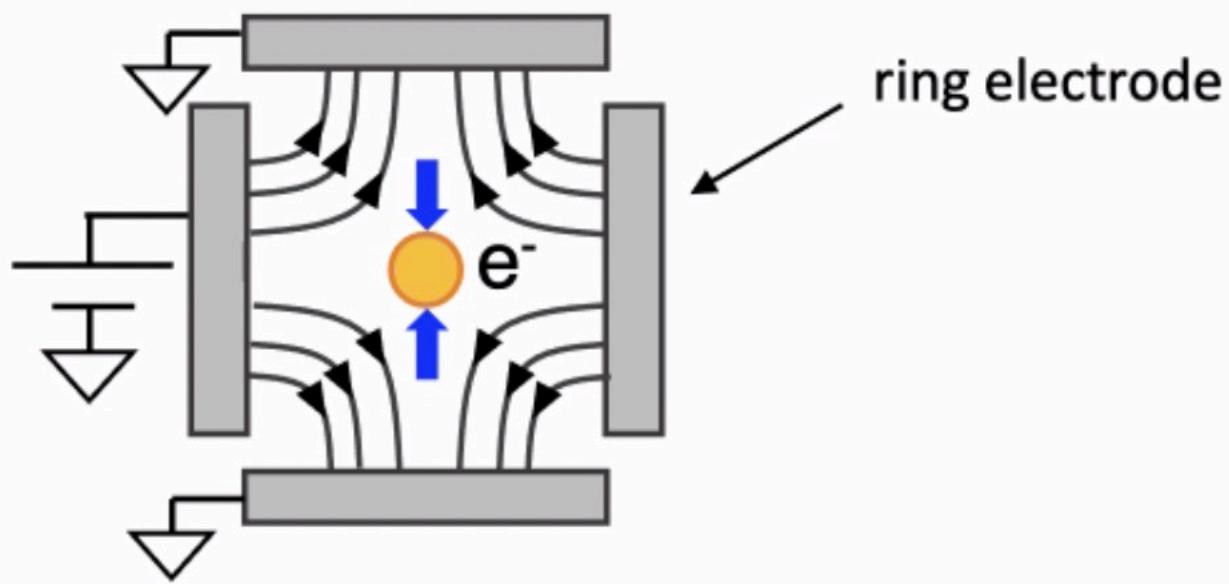
In actual, electron is trapped in a Penning trap

magnetic field



+

electric field



horizontal confinement

vertical confinement

Why Measure v_a , not v_s ?

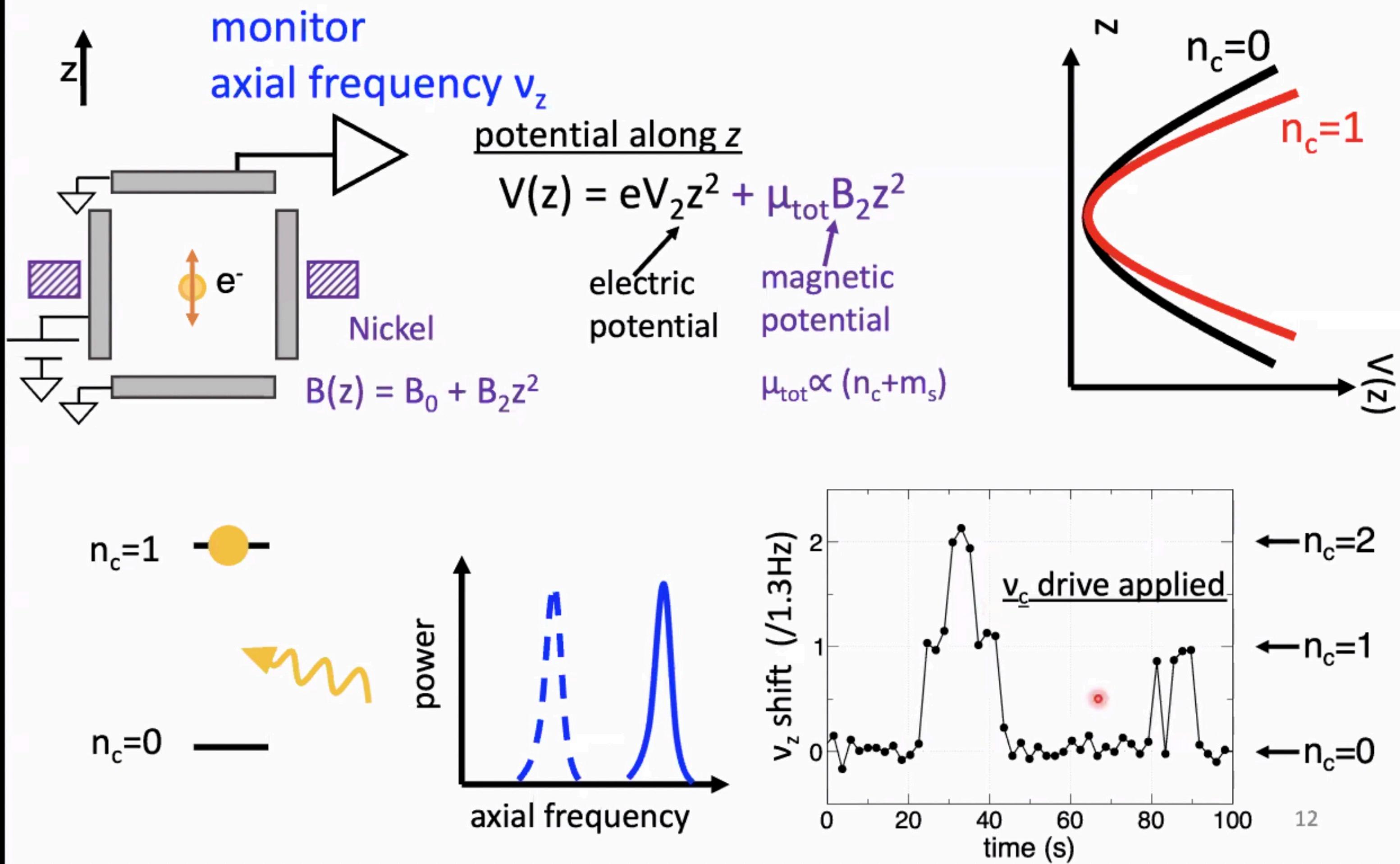
$$\frac{g}{2} = \frac{v_s}{v_c} = 1 + \frac{v_a}{v_c}$$

~ 1.001   measure this with 10^{-13} precision

  measure this with 10^{-10} precision
(but this is not the end of the story)



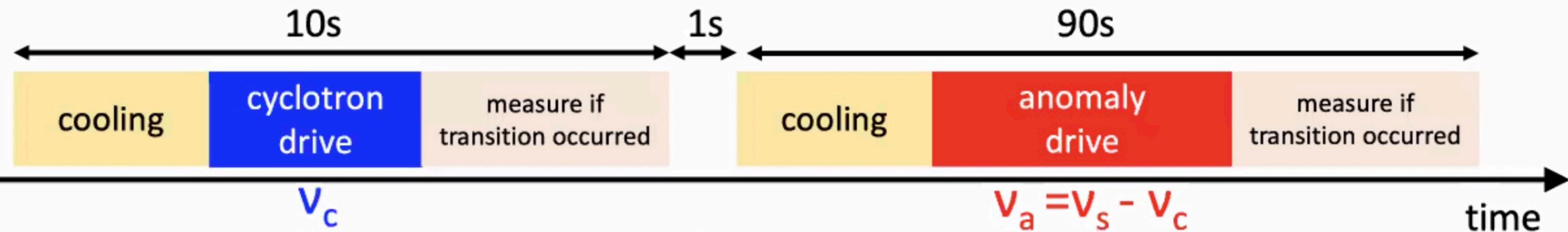
How to Detect Transition?



List of Improvements

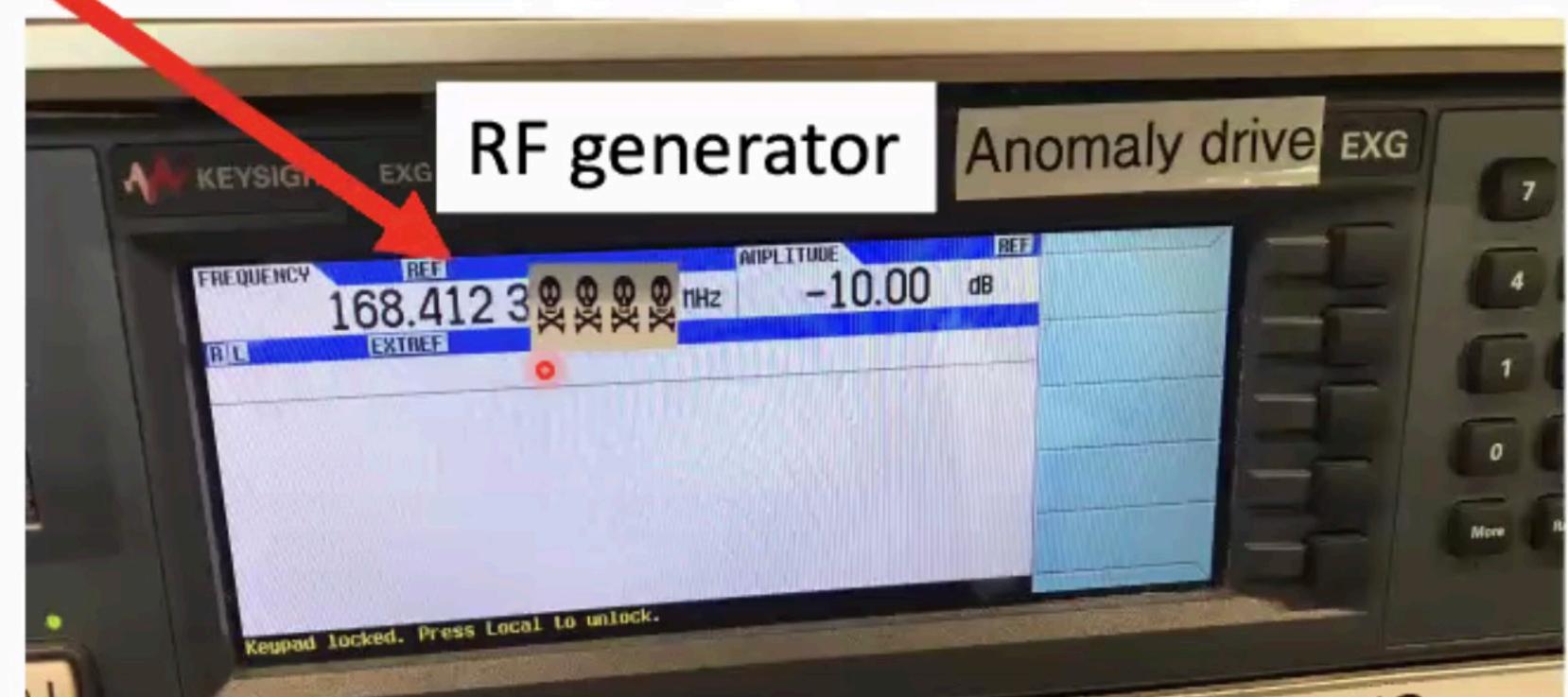
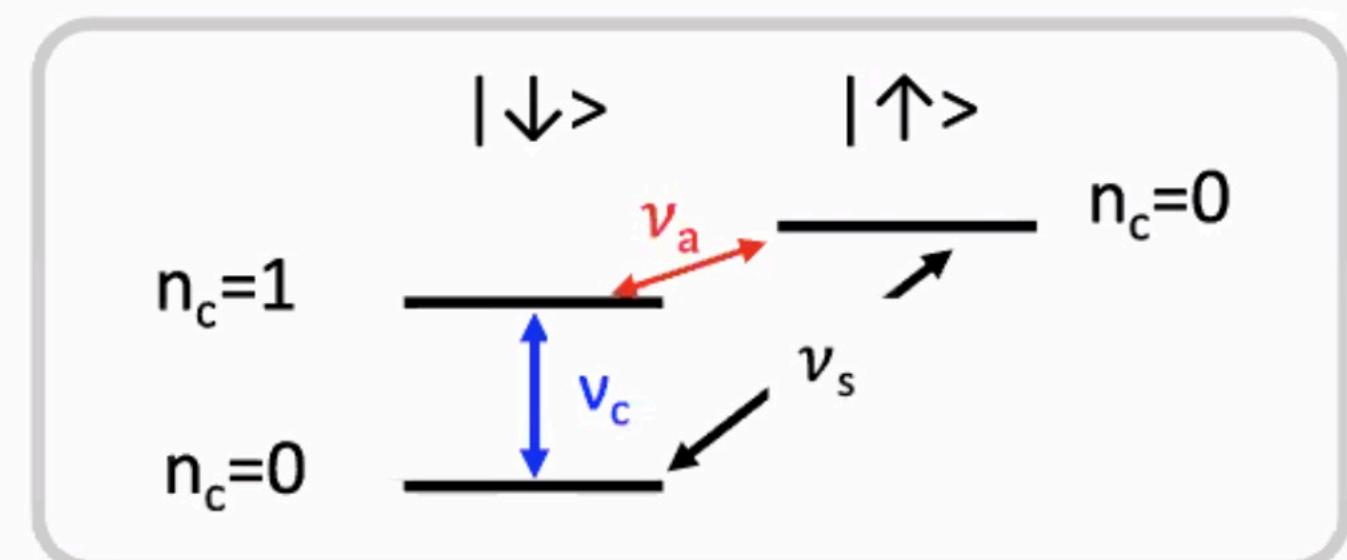
1. Improved reliability and stability by a new system
 - Constructed many modular and robust hardware for long-term reliable operation
2. Better stabilization of magnet
 - ^3He NMR probe to optimize the homogeneity
3. Reduction of microwave cavity sys. error

Measurement Scheme

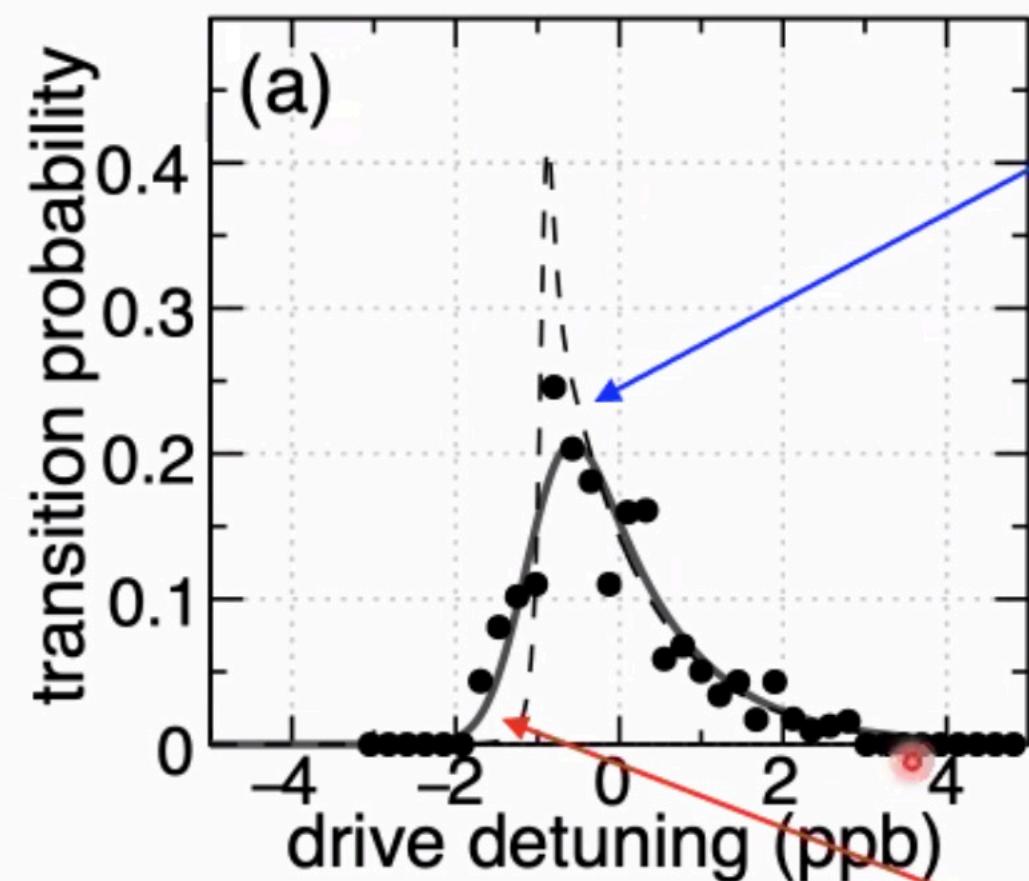


- measure **cyclotron** and **anomaly** alternately
→ cancels slow B drift
→ record transition prob. vs drive freq.
- the exact anomaly freq was blinded

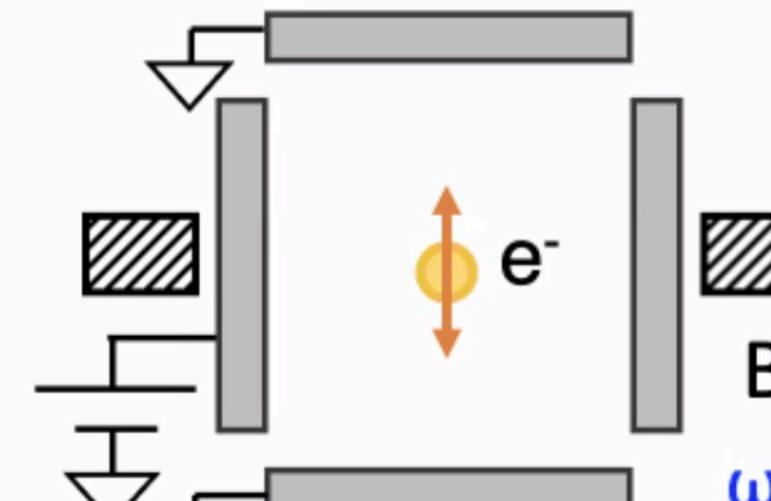
$$v_a^{\text{true}} = v_a^{\text{set in computer}} + X$$



Why is Cyclotron Broader?



theoretical lineshape



$$B(z) = B_0 + B_2 z^2$$

$$\omega_c(z) = \omega_c(0) + qB_2 z^2/m$$

z^2 follows Boltzmann distribution

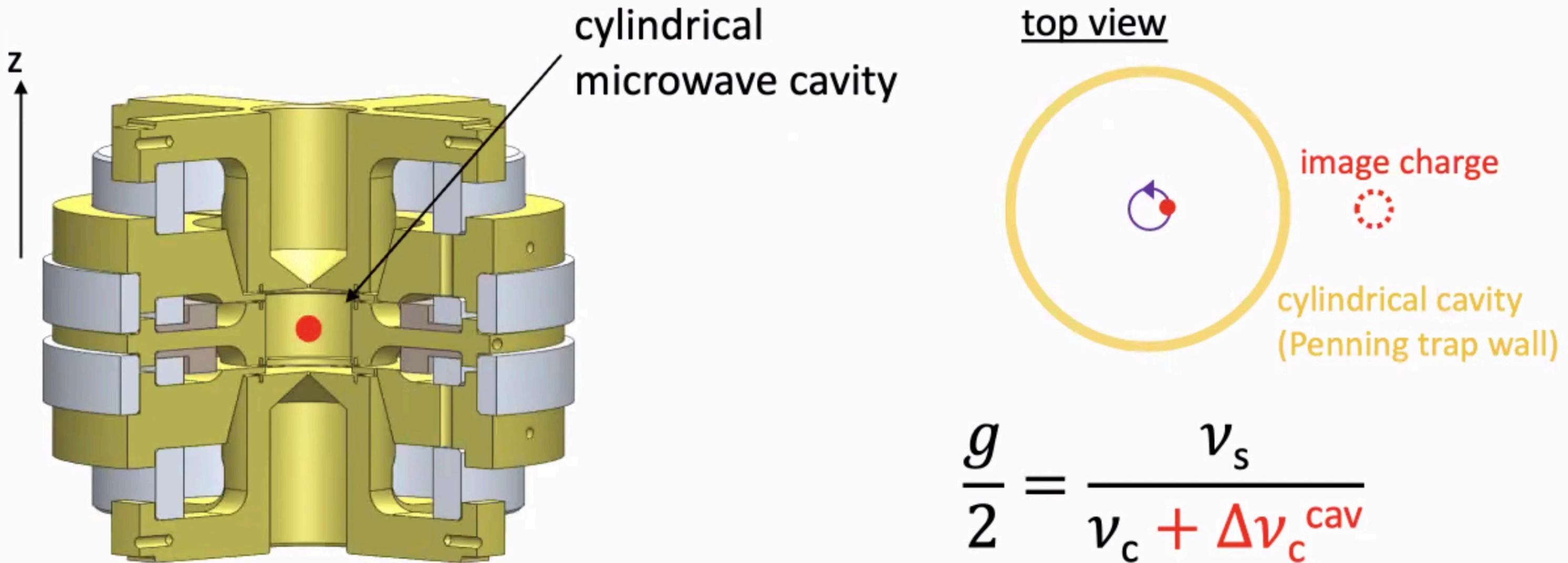
$$P(z^2) \propto \exp\left(-\frac{m\omega_z^2 z^2}{k_B T}\right)$$

most likely
from p-value test

- We see additional broadening!
- Fit with many noise shape models
- Gaussian, Lorentzian,
30 Hz noise, 60 Hz noise, rectangular shape

Took the discrepancy as sys. error

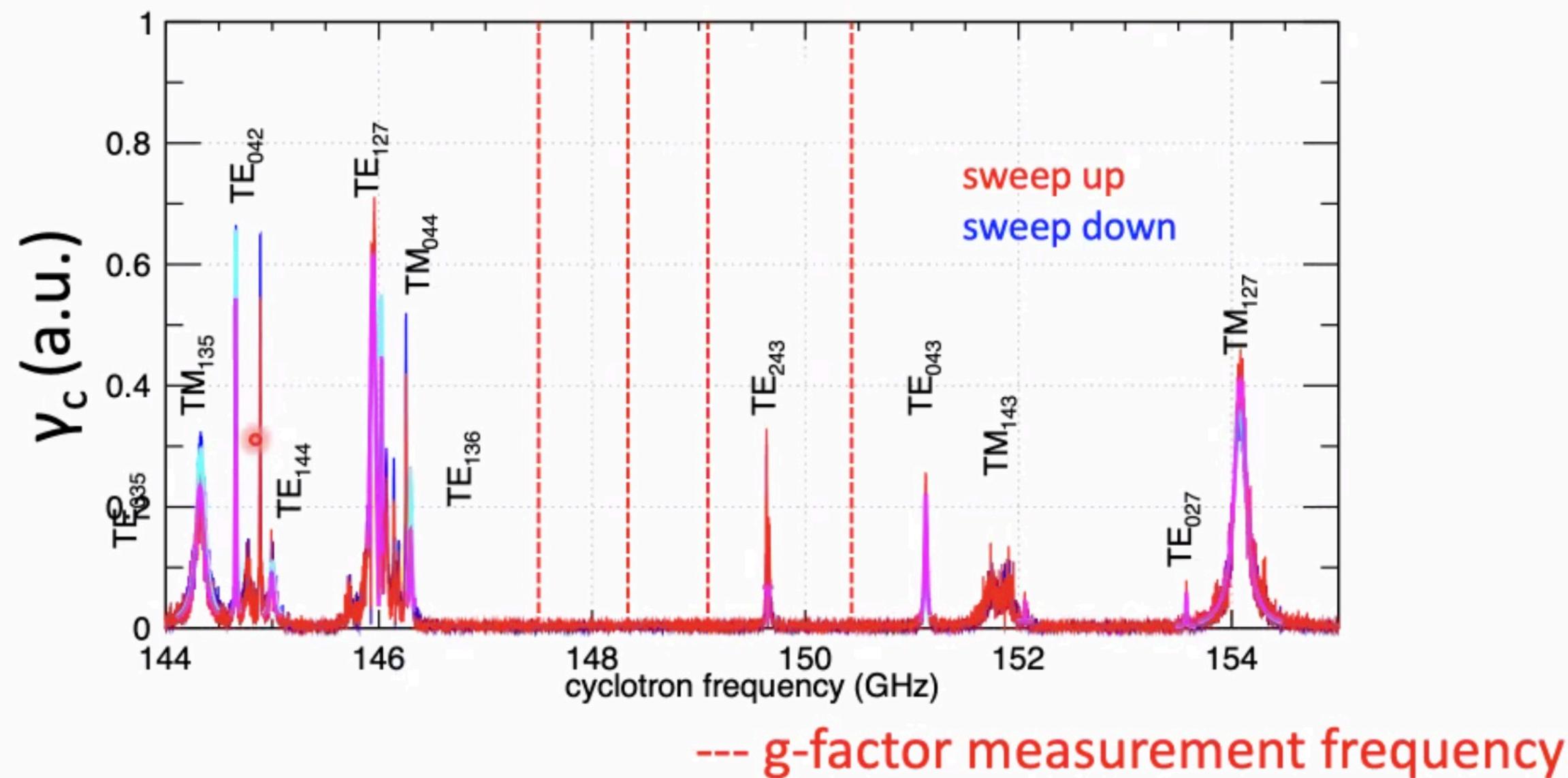
Major Systematic Error: Microwave Cavity Correction



$$\frac{g}{2} = \frac{\nu_s}{\nu_c + \Delta\nu_c^{\text{cav}}}$$

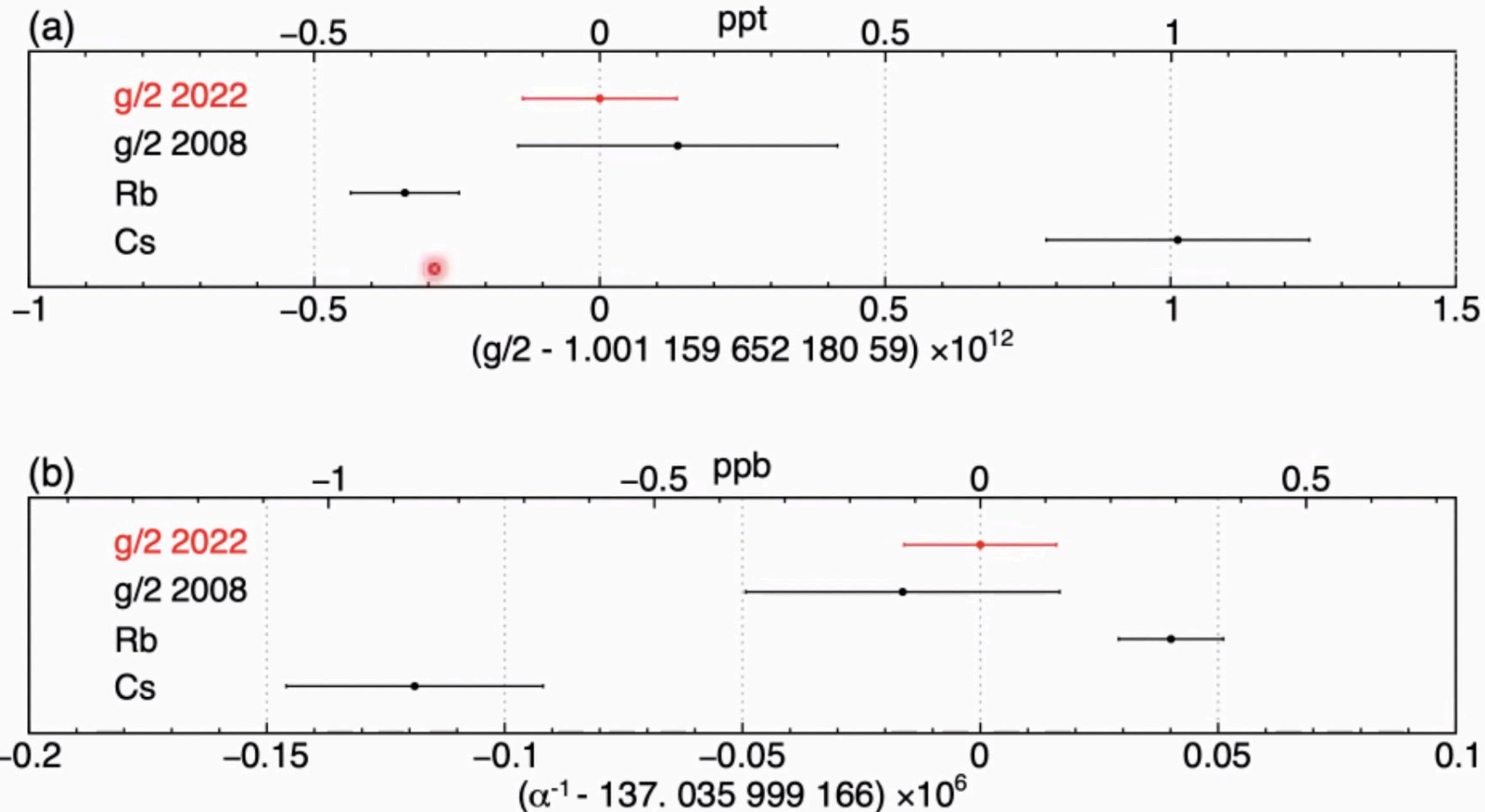
- ν_c is affected by the electrodes, but ν_s is not!!!
- Large when ν_c is resonant with cavity resonance
 - measure cavity resonances accurately
 - measure $g/2$ at many different ν_c (=different B-fields)

Microwave Resonances Measured by a Cloud of Electrons



One narrow range from the whole range (60-160 GHz)

Result



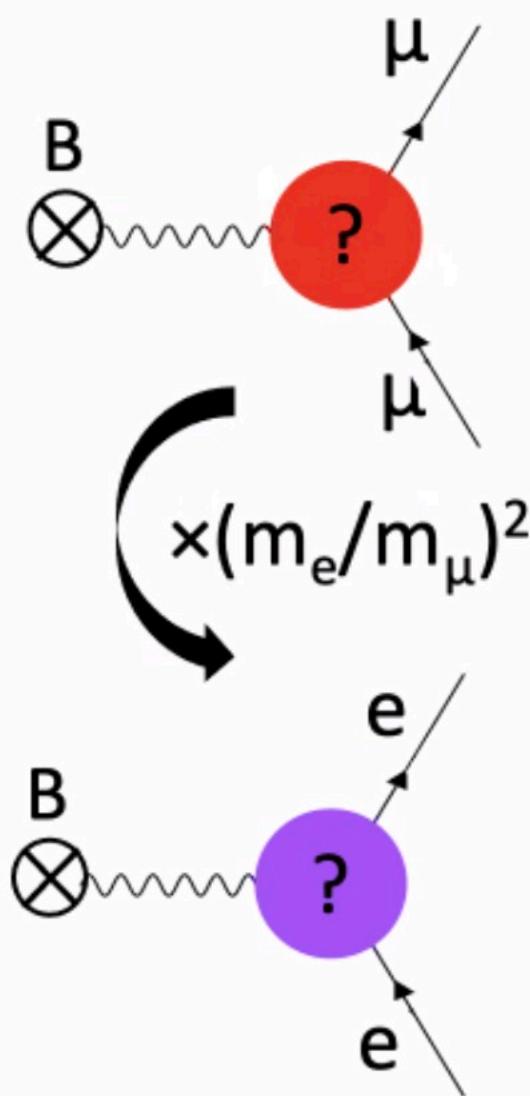
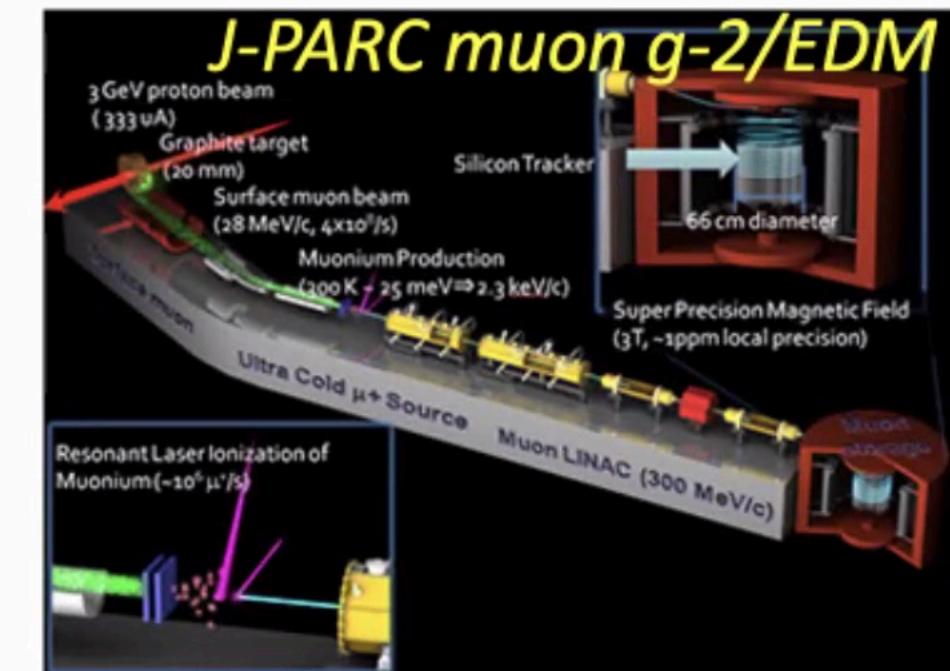
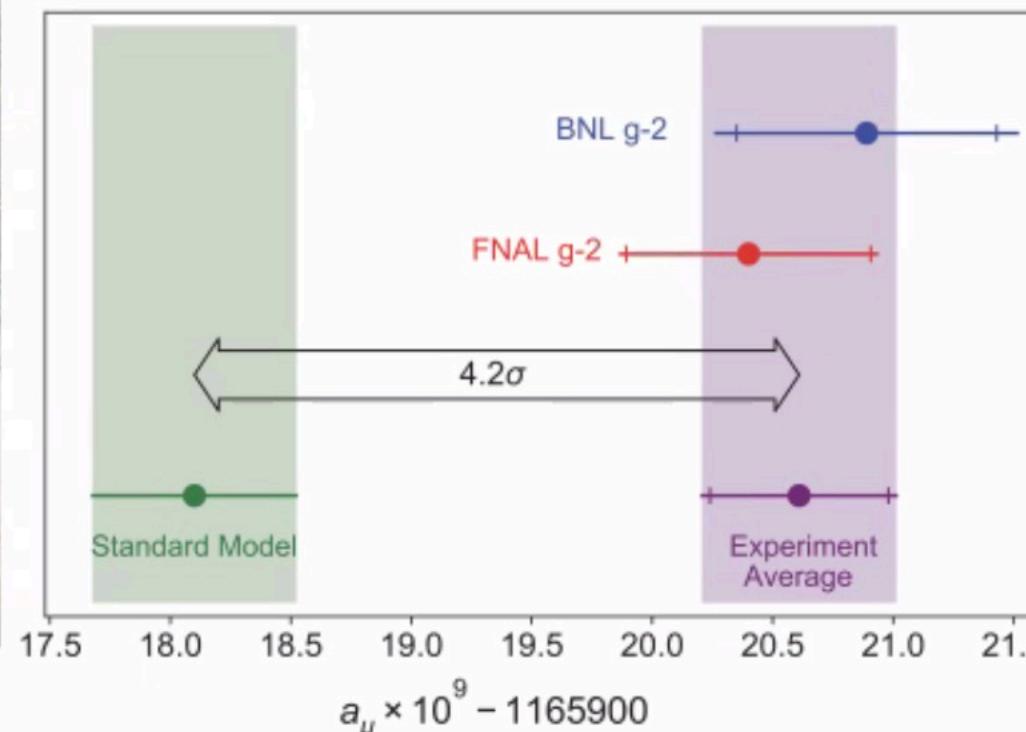
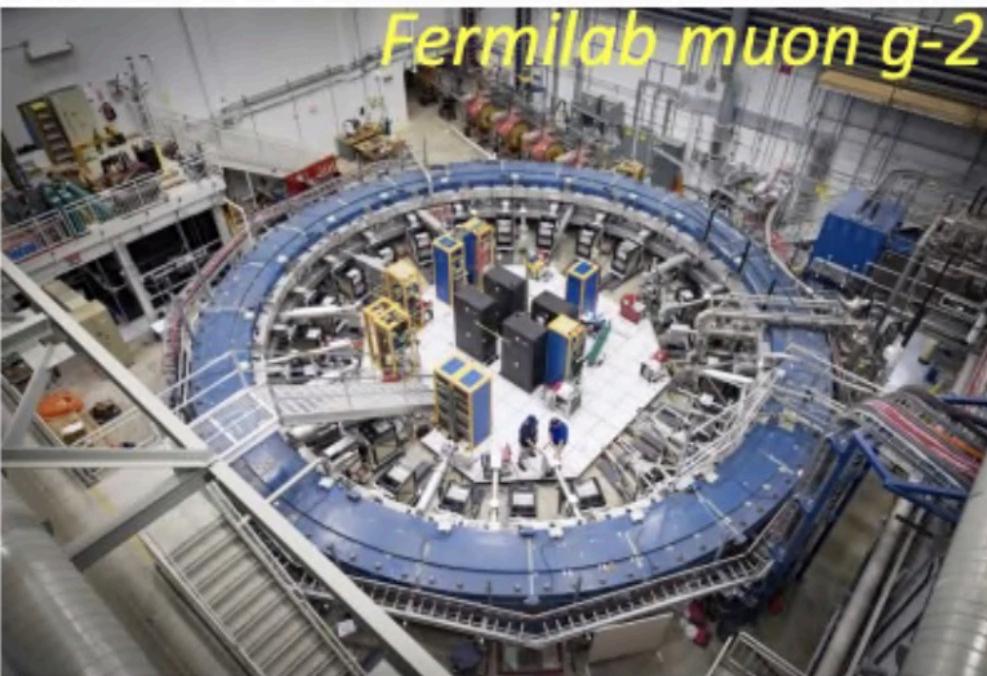
$$g/2 = 1.001\ 159\ 652\ 180\ 59\ (13)$$

stat. 0.029×10^{-12}

sys. (line shape) 0.094×10^{-12}

sys. (microwave cavity) 0.090×10^{-12}

Able to check μ g-2?



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$$\Delta g_\mu/2 = g_\mu/2^{\text{exp}} - g_\mu/2^{\text{theo.}} = 251(59) \times 10^{-11} \quad 4.2\sigma$$

$$\Delta g_e/2 = \Delta g_\mu/2 \times (m_e/m_\mu)^2 = 0.058(14) \times 10^{-12}$$

this time: $\sigma(g_e/2) = 0.13 \times 10^{-12}$

need another factor 2.2 improvement
(and a consistent α measurement)