

## Nuclear structure corrections in muonic atoms (To appear in J. Phys. G)

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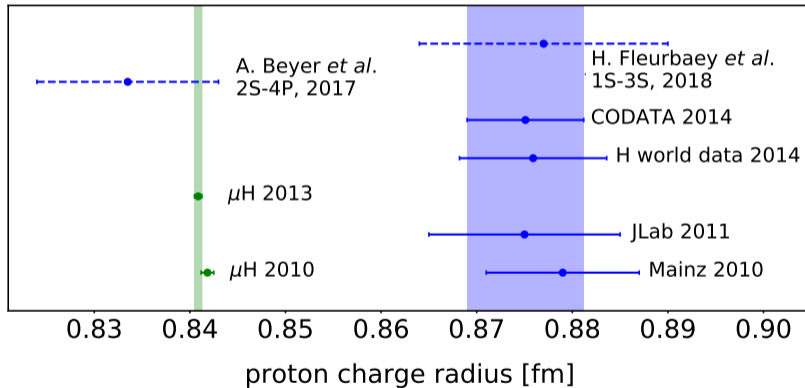
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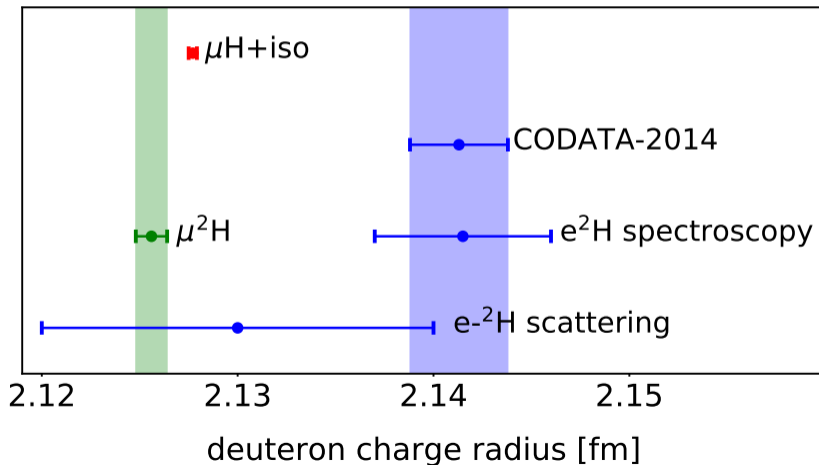
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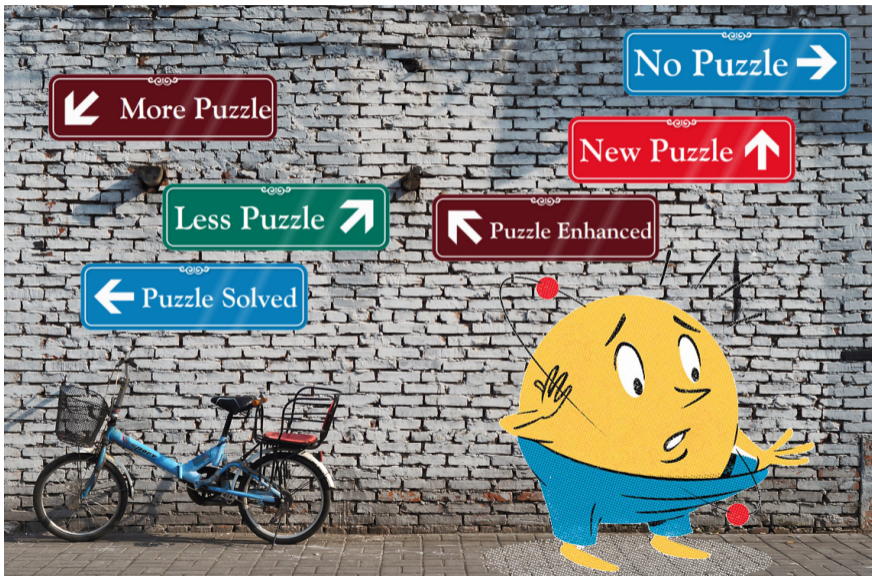


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- HFS in  $\mu\text{H}$  in two new methods (planned)

Precise  $R_c$  ( $R_m$ ) from  $\mu A$  LS (HFS)

Require accurate theoretical inputs from QED, hadron and nuclear physics

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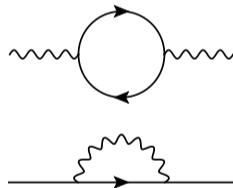
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- QED corrections:
  - vacuum polarization
  - lepton self energy
  - relativistic recoil effects
  
- Theory of  $\mu$ - $p$ , D,  ${}^3,4\text{He}^+$  reexamined
  - Martynenko *et al.* '07, Borie '12, Krutov *et al.* '15
  - Karshenboim *et al.* '15, Krauth *et al.* '15 ...



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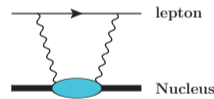
• Nuclear finite-size corrections (elastic):

- leading term (OPE):  $\delta_{size} = \frac{m_r^3}{12} (Z\alpha)^4 \times R_c^2$
- Zemach/Friar term (TPE):  $\delta_{Zem} = -\frac{m_r^4}{24} (Z\alpha)^5 \times \langle r^3 \rangle_{(2)} \propto R_c^3$ 
  - can be calculated from g.s. charge distribution,  
 Friar '79, Borie '12('14), Krutov *et al.* '15
  - extracted from experimental form factors,  
 Sick '14
  - or avoided due to cancellations with  $\delta_{pol}$   
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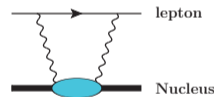
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  - sometimes rewritten as:
 
$$\delta_{TPE} \equiv \delta_{Zem} + \delta_{pol}$$



The accuracy of  $R_c$  is limited by  $\delta_{\text{TPE}}$

Example —  $\mu\text{D}$ :

$$\Delta E_{\text{QED}}^{\text{LS}} = 228.77356(75) \text{ meV}$$

$$\Delta E_{\text{rad.}-\text{dep.}}^{\text{LS}} = -6.11025(28) r_d^2 \text{ meV/fm}^2 + 0.00300(60) \text{ meV}$$

$$\Delta E_{\text{TPE}}^{\text{LS}} = 1.70910(2000) \text{ meV}$$

J. Krauth *et al.* (CREMA), **Ann. Phys. (2016)**; R. Pohl *et al.* (CREMA), **Science 2016**

Status — prior to  $\mu^{3,4}\text{He}^+$  measurements:

- Uncertainty in  $\delta_{\text{pol}}$ :  $\sim 20\%$
- Required:  $\sim 5\%$   
(to determine  $R_c$  with  $\sim 10^{-4}$  accuracy)

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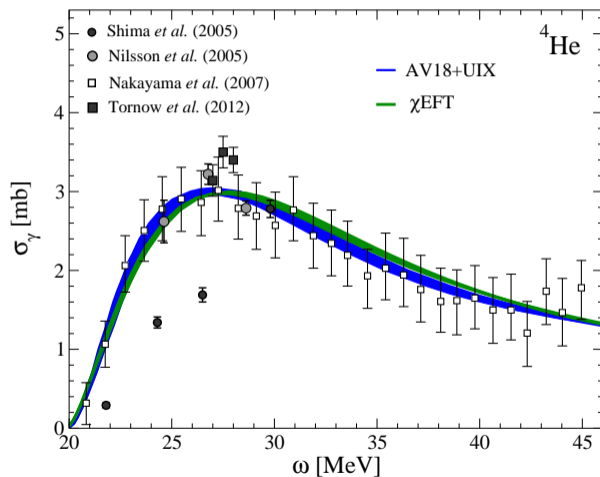
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electric dipole photoabsorption cross section  $\sigma_\gamma(\omega) = 4\pi^2\alpha\omega S_{D1}(\omega)$  — from LIT

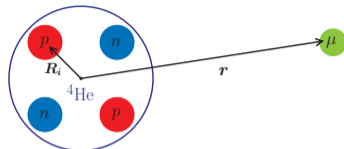




- Hamiltonian for muonic atoms

$$H = H_{nucl} + H_{\mu} + \Delta H$$

$$H_{\mu} = \frac{p^2}{2m_r} - \frac{Z\alpha}{r}$$



- Corrections to the point Coulomb from protons

$$\Delta H = \alpha \sum_i^Z \left( \frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{R}_i|} \right)$$

- Evaluate inelastic effects of  $\Delta H$  on muonic spectrum in  $2^{nd}$ -order perturbation theory

$$\delta_{pol} = \sum_{N \neq N_0, \mu} \langle N_0 \mu_0 | \Delta H | N \mu \rangle \frac{1}{E_{N_0} - E_N + \epsilon_{\mu_0} - \epsilon_{\mu}} \langle N \mu | \Delta H | \mu_0 N_0 \rangle$$

$|\mu_0\rangle$ : muon wave function for  $2S/2P$  state

## Systematic contributions to nuclear polarization

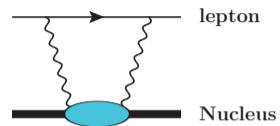
$\delta_{NR}$  **Non-Relativistic** limit

$\delta_{Rel}$  **Relativistic** corrections

$\delta_C$  **Coulomb** distortions

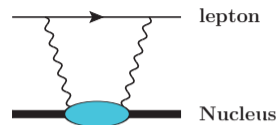
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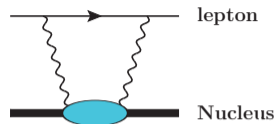
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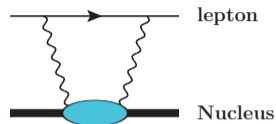
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$$P_{NR}(\omega, \mathbf{R}, \mathbf{R}') \simeq \frac{m_r^3 (Z\alpha)^5}{12} \sqrt{\frac{2m_r}{\omega}} \left[ |\mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}'|^2 - \frac{\sqrt{2m_r\omega}}{4} |\mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}'|^3 + \frac{m_r\omega}{10} |\mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}'|^4 \right]$$

$$\delta_{NR} = \delta_{NR}^{(0)} + \delta_{NR}^{(1)} + \delta_{NR}^{(2)} \sim \eta^2 + \eta^3 + \eta^4$$

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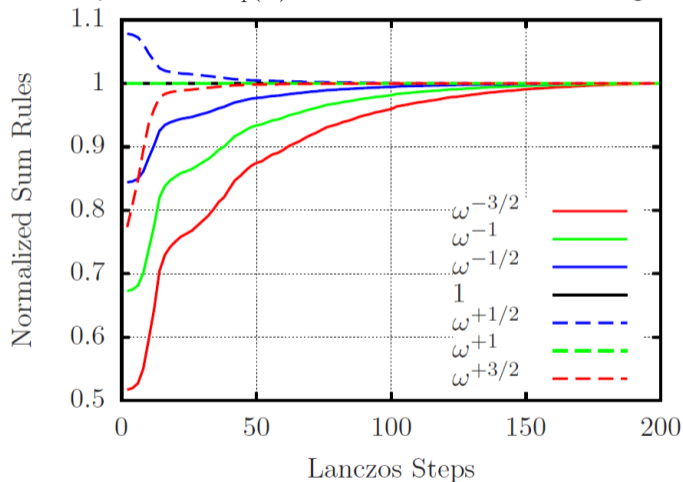
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$\Rightarrow$  or calculate  $I_a$  directly from  $\hat{O}|i\rangle$  using LSR:

fast, precise, efficient  $\rightarrow$  automatized

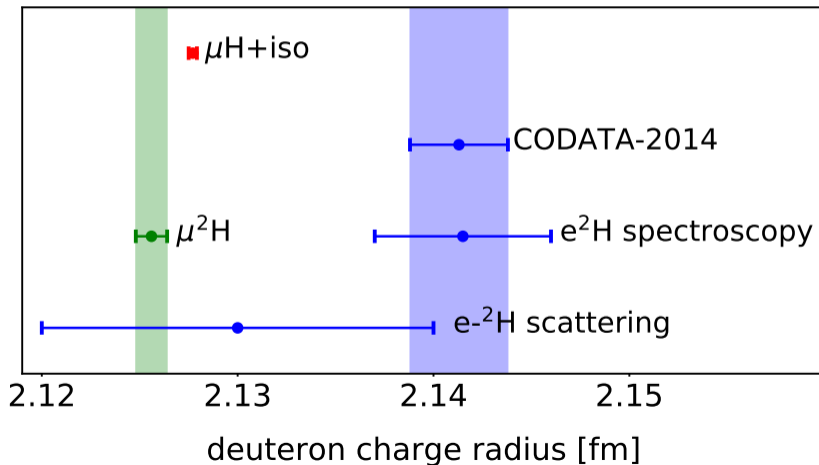
- For example, from  $S_{D_1}(\omega)$  calculated with  $M \sim 10^5$ , we get



NND, Barnea, Ji, and Bacca, PRC (2014)

	Pachucki [36] (2011)	Hernandez et al. [41] (2014)	Pachucki and Wienczek [39] (2015)	Friar [28] (2013)
$\delta_{D1}^{(0)}$	-1.910	-1.907	-1.910	-1.925
$\delta_L^{(0)}$	0.035	0.029	0.026	0.037
$\delta_T^{(0)}$	–	-0.012	–	–
$\delta_{HO}$	–	–	-0.004	–
$\delta_C^{(0)}$	0.261	0.262	0.261	–
$\delta_M^{(0)}$	0.016	0.008	0.008	0.011
$\delta_{Z3}^{(1)}$	–	0.357	–	–
$\delta_{R2}^{(2)}$	0.045	0.042	0.042	0.042
$\delta_Q^{(2)}$	0.066	0.061	0.061	0.061
$\delta_{D1D3}^{(2)}$	-0.151	-0.139	-0.139	-0.137
$\delta_{Z1}^{(1)}$	–	0.064	–	–
$\delta_{np}^{(1)}$	–	0.017	0.018	0.023
$\delta_{NS}^{(2)}$	–	-0.020	-0.020	-0.021
$\delta_{pol}^A$	–	-1.240	–	–
$\delta_{Zem}^A$	–	-0.421	–	–
$\delta_{TPE}^A$	-1.638	-1.661	-1.657	-1.909

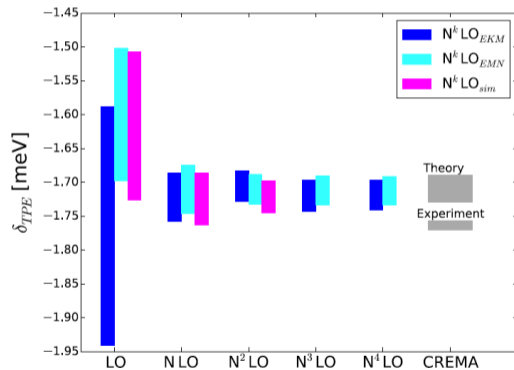
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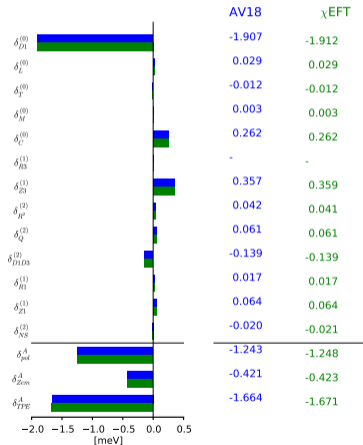


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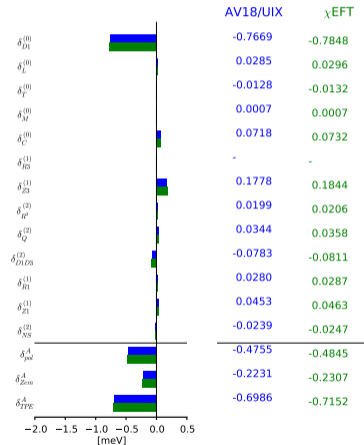
Uncertainty breakdown of the final  $\delta_{TPE}$  value. For the single-nucleon contribution we quote two values, one where we adopted the strategy of Ref. [19] and one where we use the larger uncertainties from Ref. [33] for  $\delta_{sub}^N$ .

Contribution	Uncertainty in meV	
Nuclear physics (syst)	+0.008	-0.011
Nuclear physics (stat)	$\pm 0.001$	
$\eta$ -expansion	$\pm 0.005$	
Single-nucleon	$\pm 0.0102$ [19]	$\pm 0.0198$ [33]
Atomic physics	$\pm 0.0172$	
Total	+0.022	+0.028
	-0.024	-0.029

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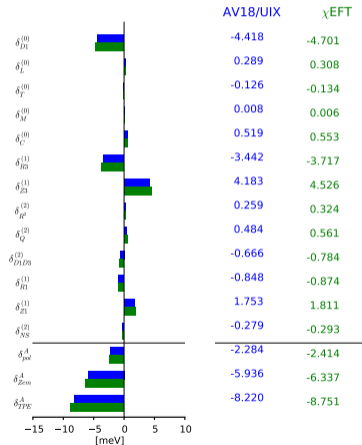


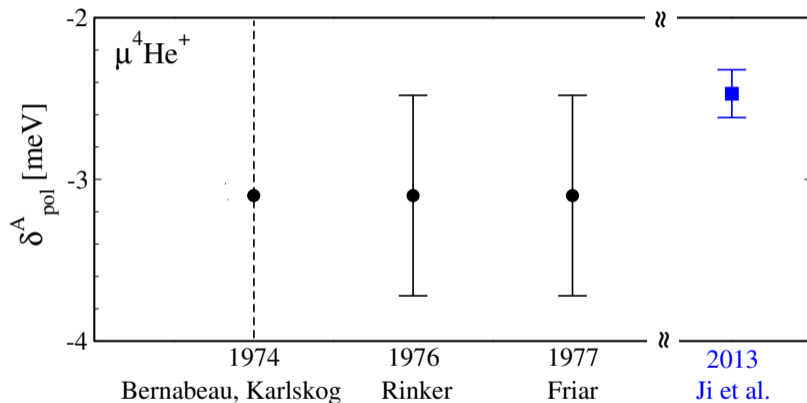
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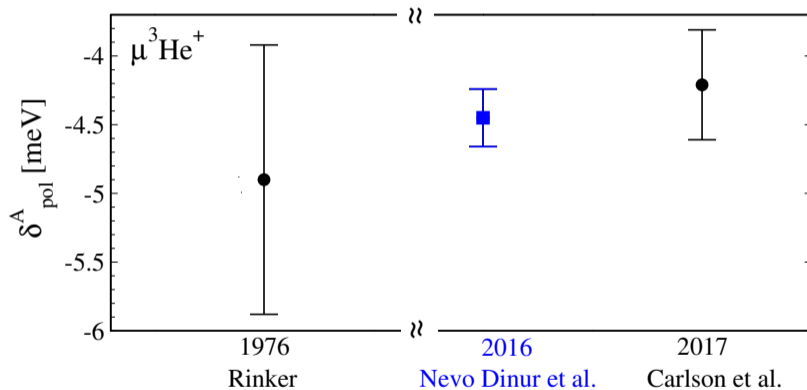




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## Two-photon exchange correction to $2S$ - $2P$ splitting in muonic $^3\text{He}$ ions

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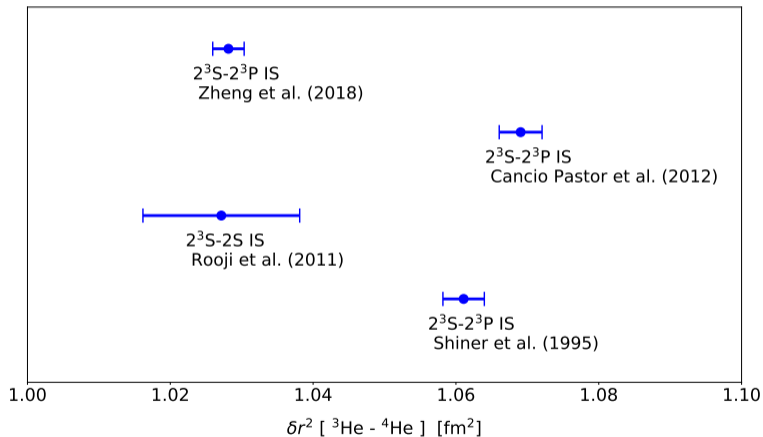
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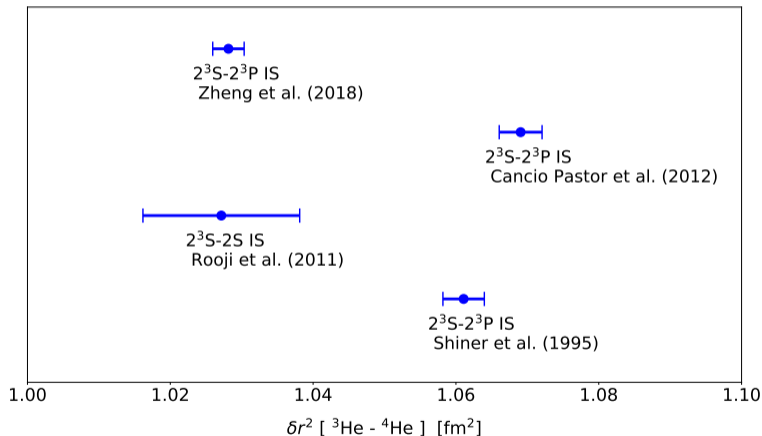
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We calculate the two-photon exchange correction to the Lamb shift in muonic  $^3\text{He}$  ions within the dispersion relations framework. Part of the effort entailed making analytic fits to the electron- $^3\text{He}$  quasielastic scattering data set, for purposes of doing the dispersion integrals. Our result is that the energy of the  $2S$  state is shifted downwards by two-photon exchange effects by 15.14(49) meV, in good accord with the result obtained from a potential model and effective field theory calculation.

TABLE I. Individual contributions to  $\Delta E_{2S}$  from two-photon exchange in  $\mu\text{-}^3\text{He}$ , in units of meV.

Contribution	This work	Refs. [21,22]
Elastic	-10.93(27)	-10.49(24)
$\delta_{Zem}^N$		-0.52(3)
Inelastic	-5.81(40)	-4.45(21)
Nuclear	-5.50(40)	-4.17(17)
Nucleon	-0.31(2)	-0.28(12)
Subtraction	1.60(12)	
Nuclear	1.39(12)	
Nucleon	0.21(3)	
<b>Total TPE</b>	<b>-15.14(49)</b>	<b>-15.46(39)</b>





**$\mu$ He precision:  $\sim 0.03$  fm<sup>2</sup> — thanks to correlations between <sup>3,4</sup>He calculations**

	$\mu^2\text{H}$			$\mu^3\text{H}$			$\mu^3\text{He}^+$			$\mu^4\text{He}^+$		
	$\delta_{\text{pol}}^A$	$\delta_{\text{Zem}}^A$	$\delta_{\text{TPE}}^A$	$\delta_{\text{pol}}^A$	$\delta_{\text{Zem}}^A$	$\delta_{\text{TPE}}^A$	$\delta_{\text{pol}}^A$	$\delta_{\text{Zem}}^A$	$\delta_{\text{TPE}}^A$	$\delta_{\text{pol}}^A$	$\delta_{\text{Zem}}^A$	$\delta_{\text{TPE}}^A$
Numerical	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.4
<b>Nuclear model</b>	<b>0.3</b>	0.5	0.4	<b>1.3</b>	2.4	1.7	<b>0.7</b>	1.8	<b>1.5</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>4.4</b>
<b>ISB</b>	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.7	0.2	0.5	<b>1.8</b>	0.2	0.5	2.2	0.5	0.5
<b>Nucleon size</b>	0.3	0.8	0.0	0.6	0.9	0.2	1.2	1.3	<b>0.9</b>	2.7	2.0	<b>1.2</b>
Relativistic	0.0	-	0.0	0.1	-	0.1	0.4	-	0.1	0.1	-	0.0
<b>Coulomb</b>	<b>0.4</b>	-	0.3	0.5	-	0.3	<b>3.0</b>	-	<b>0.9</b>	0.4	-	0.1
<b><math>\eta</math>-expansion</b>	<b>0.4</b>	-	0.3	<b>1.3</b>	-	0.9	1.1	-	0.3	0.8	-	0.2
<b>Higher <math>Z\alpha</math></b>	<b>0.7</b>	-	0.5	0.7	-	0.5	<b>1.5</b>	-	0.4	<b>1.5</b>	-	0.4
Total	1.0	0.9	0.8	2.3	2.2	2.0	4.2	2.2	2.1	5.5	5.1	4.6



System	Our Ref.	Unc.	Experimental Status
$\mu^2\text{H}$	Phys. Lett. B '14, '18	1%	published <i>Science</i> '16
$\mu^4\text{He}^+$	Phys. Rev. Lett. '13	20% $\rightarrow$ 6%	measured, unpublished
$\mu^3\text{He}^+$	} Phys. Lett. B '16	20% $\rightarrow$ 4%	measured, unpublished
$\mu^3\text{H}$		2%	measurable?

- Our results agree with other values and are more accurate
  - $\Rightarrow$  Unc. comparable with  $\sim 5\%$  experimental needs
  - $\Rightarrow$  Will improve precision of  $R_e$  from Lamb shifts
  - $\Rightarrow$  May help shed light on the “proton (deuteron) radius puzzle”
  - $\Rightarrow$  ... and on the  $^3,^4\text{He}$  “isotope-shift puzzle”

The work is not completed yet ...



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## Lamb shift in muonic ions of lithium, beryllium, and boron

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We present a precise calculation of the Lamb shift ( $2P_{1/2} - 2S_{1/2}$ ) in muonic ions ( $\mu_3^7\text{Li}^{2+}$ ,  $\mu_3^7\text{Li}^{2+}$ ,  $\mu_4^9\text{Be}^{3+}$ ,  $\mu_4^{10}\text{Be}^{3+}$ ,  $\mu_5^{10}\text{B}^{4+}$ ,  $\mu_5^{11}\text{B}^{4+}$ ). The contributions of orders  $\alpha^3 \div \alpha^6$  to the vacuum polarization, nuclear structure and recoil, and relativistic effects are taken into account. Our numerical results are consistent with previous calculations and improved by additional corrections. The obtained results can be used for the comparison with future experimental data, and extraction more accurate values of nuclear charge radii.

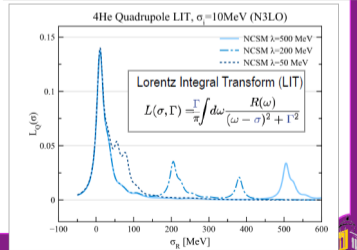
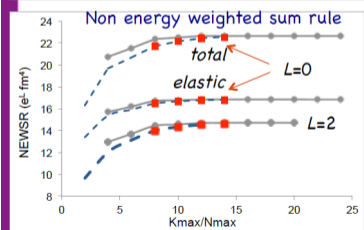
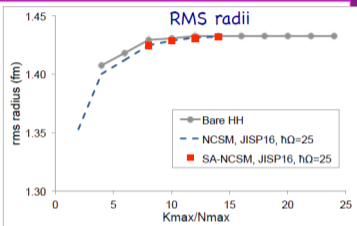
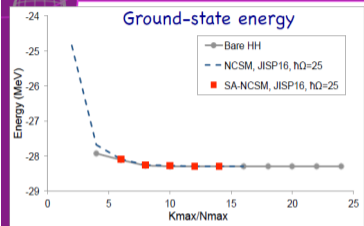
TABLE I. Lamb shift ( $2P_{1/2} - 2S_{1/2}$ ) in muonic ions ( $\mu_3^7\text{Li}^{2+}$  and  $\mu_3^6\text{Li}^{2+}$ ). In parentheses are given the results obtained by other authors, with some references to their works, which discuss the calculation of corrections of this type.

	Contribution to the splitting	$(\mu_3^7\text{Li}^{2+})$ (meV)	$(\mu_3^6\text{Li}^{2+})$ (meV)
1	VP contribution of order $\alpha(Z\alpha)^2$ in $1\gamma$ interaction	4682.38 (4682.4 [7])	4664.95 (4665.0 [7])
2	Two-loop VP contribution of order $\alpha^2(Z\alpha)^2$ in $1\gamma$ interaction	32.54 (32.44 [7])	32.41(32.27 [7])
3	VP and MVP contribution in one-photon interaction	0.01	0.01
	⋮		
30	HVP contribution	1.17 [7,58–60]	1.16 [7,58–60]
31	Nuclear polarizability	$21 \pm 4$ [7]	$15 \pm 4$ [7]
32	Total contribution	1531.78	1161.85

- ${}^4\text{He}$ :  $J^\pi = 0^+$
- N3LO, JISP16
- Quadrupole (E2): IS+IV  
→ Dipole (E1) & Isoscalar Monopole (E0)



## Sum rules for $^4\text{He}$ : HH and SA-NCSM benchmark



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The proton radius puzzle is unsolved despite new data.

More experiments are underway.

**Nuclear corrections are the bottleneck in  $\mu A$  spectroscopy.**

Extracting them from data was imprecise.

Ab-initio calculations with the LSR method provide precise and efficient results.

**We obtained the best nuclear corrections for  $A \leq 4$ .**

Our hyperspherical harmonics  $^4\text{He}$  sum rules are benchmarked with SA-NCSM.

This will allow calculations for  $\mu-A$ , with  $6 \leq A$ ,

as well as other sum rules in heavy open-shell nuclei.

We continue to develop new methods to study and improve these results and related problems (e.g., HFS)



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