

The MUon Scattering Experiment

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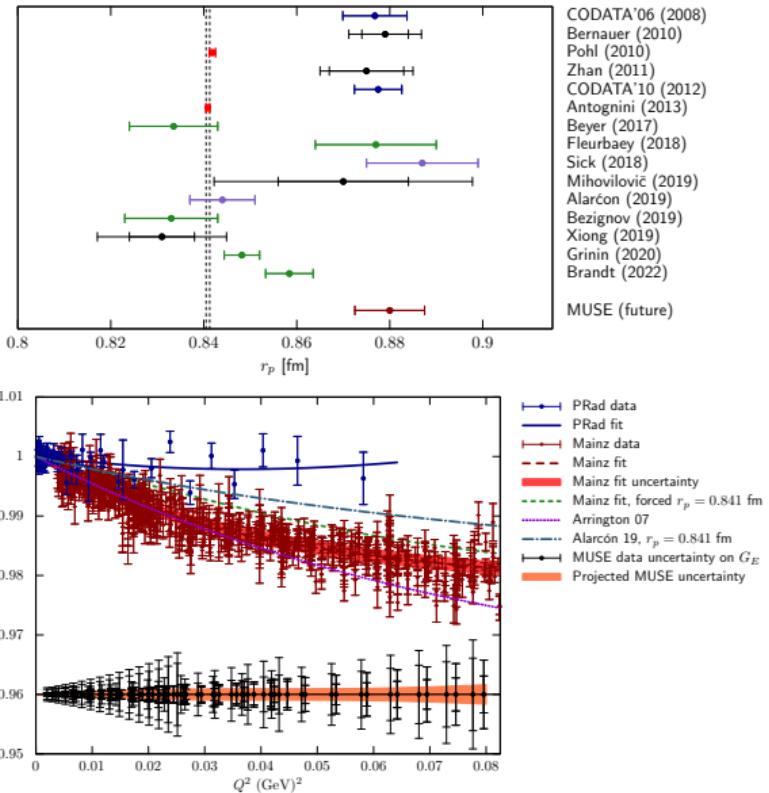
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# Electromagnetic / Hadronic Physics Issues in Proton Radius Measurements

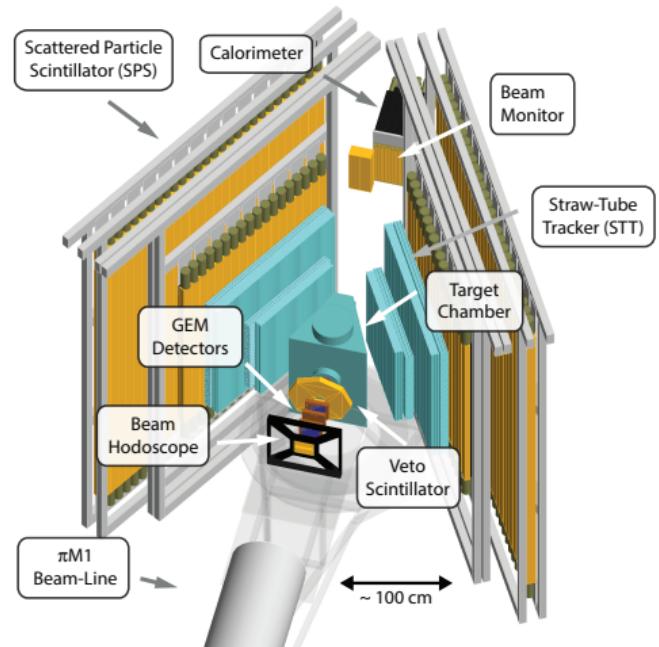
- Inconsistency between/within form factor and spectroscopy data
- Radiative corrections/Two-photon exchange
- All current measurements with negative polarity leptons



Precise measurement of cross sections and first high precision measurement of  $\mu p$  scattering for  $Q^2$  relevant to resolve puzzles

$$e^\pm, \mu^\pm, \pi^\pm; \quad P_{\text{beam}}: 115, 161, 210 \text{ MeV}; \quad \theta: 20-100^\circ; \quad Q^2: 0.0016-0.08 \text{ GeV}^2$$

- Simultaneous elastic  $ep$  and  $\mu p$  scattering → test lepton universality
- Both lepton charge polarities → direct test, cancellation of two photon exchange
- Low energy  $\pi p$  scattering important for  $\chi PT$ , search for  $\sigma(\pi^+ p)/\sigma(\pi^- p)$  resonances
- PSI only facility world-wide suitable for these measurements
- Substantial progress, multi-year effort remaining



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