

# High Energy Muon Colliders: Physics Goals & Pathways

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**Intentionally Provocative**

# 1. The High Energy Frontier - A Perspective

The "Standard Model" is a scientific triumph

"Symmetry Dictates Dynamics"

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \text{Poincaré Inv.} + \frac{\text{SU(3)}_C \times \text{SU(2)}_L \times \text{U(1)}_Y}{\text{Isospin, mass}} + \frac{\lambda(\phi^2 - v^2/2)^2 \text{ (Higgs)}}{v = 250 \text{ GeV}} \\
 \text{gluons} + W^\pm, Z, \gamma \quad \text{source of EW breaking} \\
 \text{+ 3 Fermion Generations} \quad \text{very compact}
 \end{array}$$

general  
 coor  
 (local) ↓  
 Gravity

25 Years of experimental confirmation (discovery)

$c, t, b, \ell, W^\pm, Z, \text{gluons}$  (Higgs?)

Precision Measurements  $\pm 0.1\%$ !  $\rightarrow (m_H < 220 \text{ GeV})$  Quantum loops

Rare Decays  $\rightarrow CP$ : FCNC,  $e'/e$ ,  $\nu$  osc. ...  
etc.

Outstanding Questions Remain:

- 1) True origin of EW sym. br. and mass?, Why is  $v = 250 \text{ GeV}$ ?  
Pattern of Fermion masses & mixing,  $CP$ ?  
Points to "New Physics"  $100 \text{ GeV} \rightarrow 1 \text{ TeV} \rightarrow 10 \text{ TeV} \longrightarrow ? (10^{18} \text{ GeV})$
- 2) Grand Unification? Quantum Gravity?
- 3) Why Parity Violation? Why 3 Generations?  
Why Symmetries? } Deep Insights about Nature

Seeking Answers: Rare or Forbidden Phenomena:  $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$ , e.d.m.,  $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \bar{\nu} \bar{\nu}$ ...  
Precision Measurements:  $m_W$ ,  $\sin^2 \theta_W$ , ...

## Most Direct - Advance the High Energy Frontier

Open New Windows (see Livingston Plot)

i) Why build a muon collider? Take us to higher energy. 4-10-100 TeV  
Better? Cheaper? More Discovery Pot.? than  $e^+e^-$ ?

ii)  $e^+e^-$  vs  $\mu^+\mu^-$  (similarities & differences)

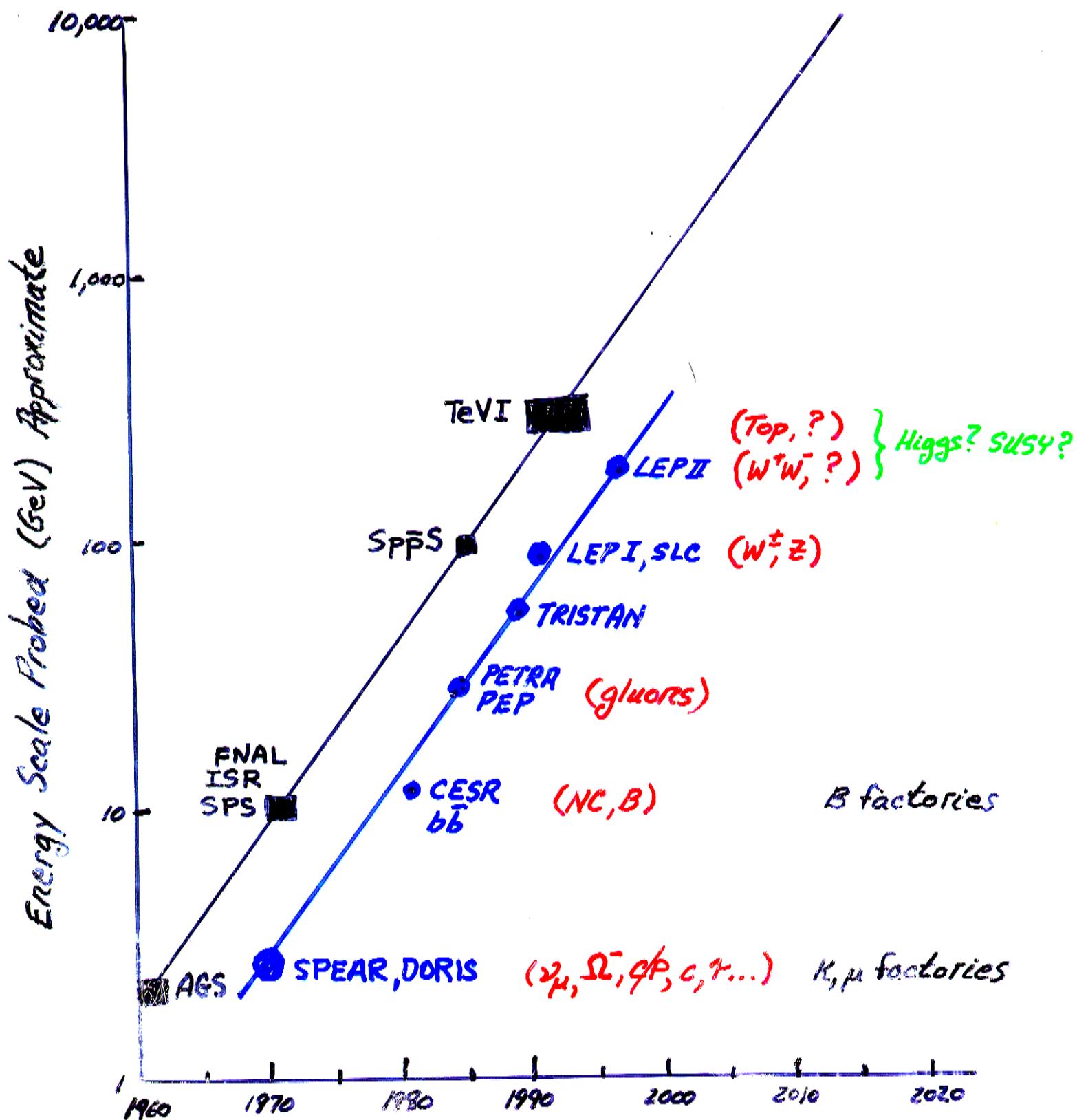
$e^+e^-$  Exp. Clean!, Polarization  $P_e^- \approx 0.9$ , High Luminosity, ...  
challenging, expensive, very long, ...  
hard to go  $> 1.0 \text{ TeV} (?)$  (New ideas?)

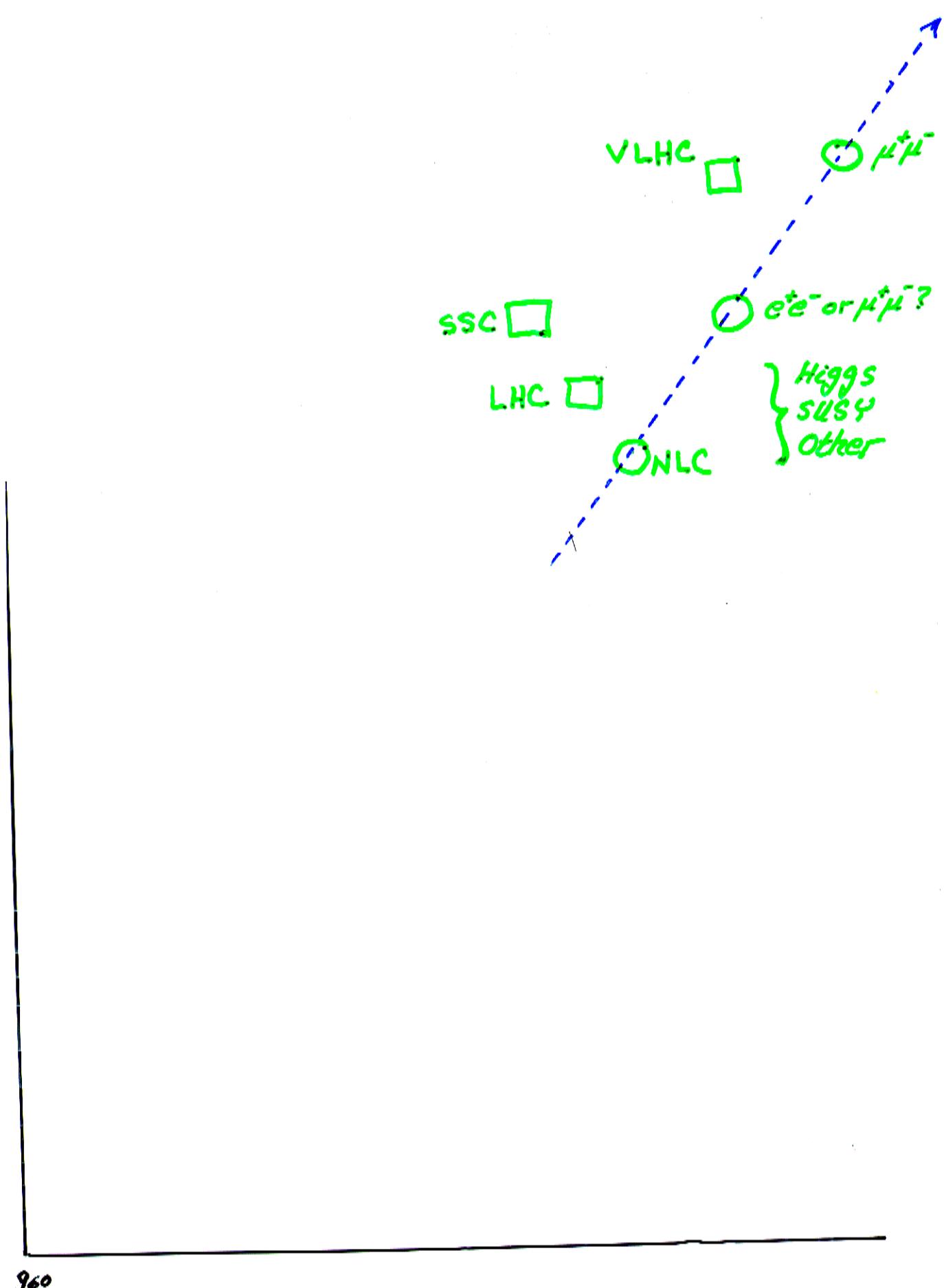
$\mu^+\mu^-$  Muons Decay! Polarization  $P_{\mu^-}, P_{\mu^+} \approx 0.2$ , High Luminosity ...  
(unclear)  $P_{\text{eff}} = \frac{P_{\mu^-} + P_{\mu^+}}{1 + P_{\mu^-} P_{\mu^+}} = 0.38$  neutrino radiation

Challenging (?), Cost (?), Size (depends on energy) (?)  
Good Energy Res., High  $\mathcal{L}$  ...

\* Once a muon collider is built  $\xrightarrow{\text{path}}$  Higher Energies  
 $4 \text{ TeV}, 10 \text{ TeV} \dots$

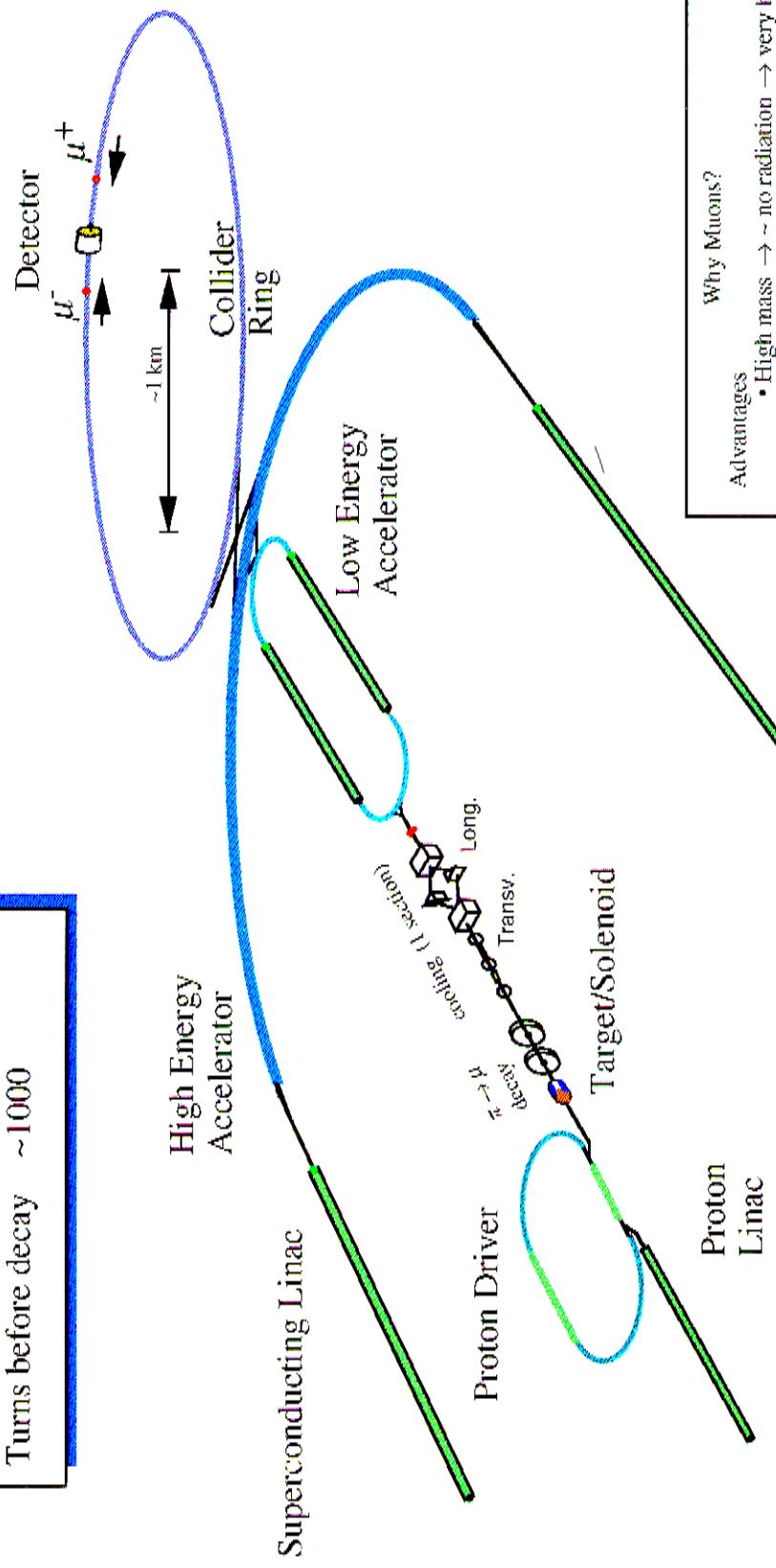
Both have options:  $e^+e^-$ ,  $e^-e^-$ ,  $\gamma\gamma$ ,  $\gamma e^-$ , fixed target,  $e\mu$   
 $\mu^+\mu^-$ ,  $\mu^+\mu^+$ , fixed target,  $\mu p$   
2 physics, low energy  $\mu, K \dots$  (Front End)

Livingston Plotproton +  $e^+e^-$ 



## A 1.5+1.5 TeV $\mu\mu$ Collider

Luminosity	$10^{35} \text{ /cm}^2\text{/s}$
Repetition rate	15-30 Hz
Circumference	7 km
Turns before decay	$\sim 1000$



### Why Muons?

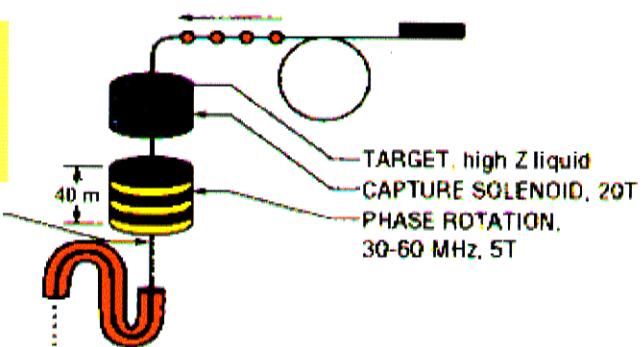
- High mass  $\rightarrow$  no radiation  $\rightarrow$  very high energies
- Low dE/E, good energy resolution
- Polarization of  $\mu^+$  and  $\mu^-$
- Complementary to  $e^+e^-$  and pp

### Advantages

- Challenging technology
- Large decay backgrounds in detector

# 2 x 2 TeV Muon Collider Schematic

$10^{22}$  protons  
per year at  
8 GeV/c



PROTON SOURCE

$\mu$  PRODUCTION

$2 \times 10^{21}$   
muons/yr at  
 $\sim 100$  MeV/c

\*POLARIZATION & P SELECTION  
Snake + Collimator



IONIZATION COOLING  
20 Stages

LINACS + RECIRCULATION

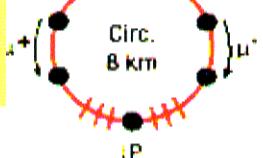


\*PULSED or ROTATING  
+ SC MAGNETS



FAST  
ACCELERATION

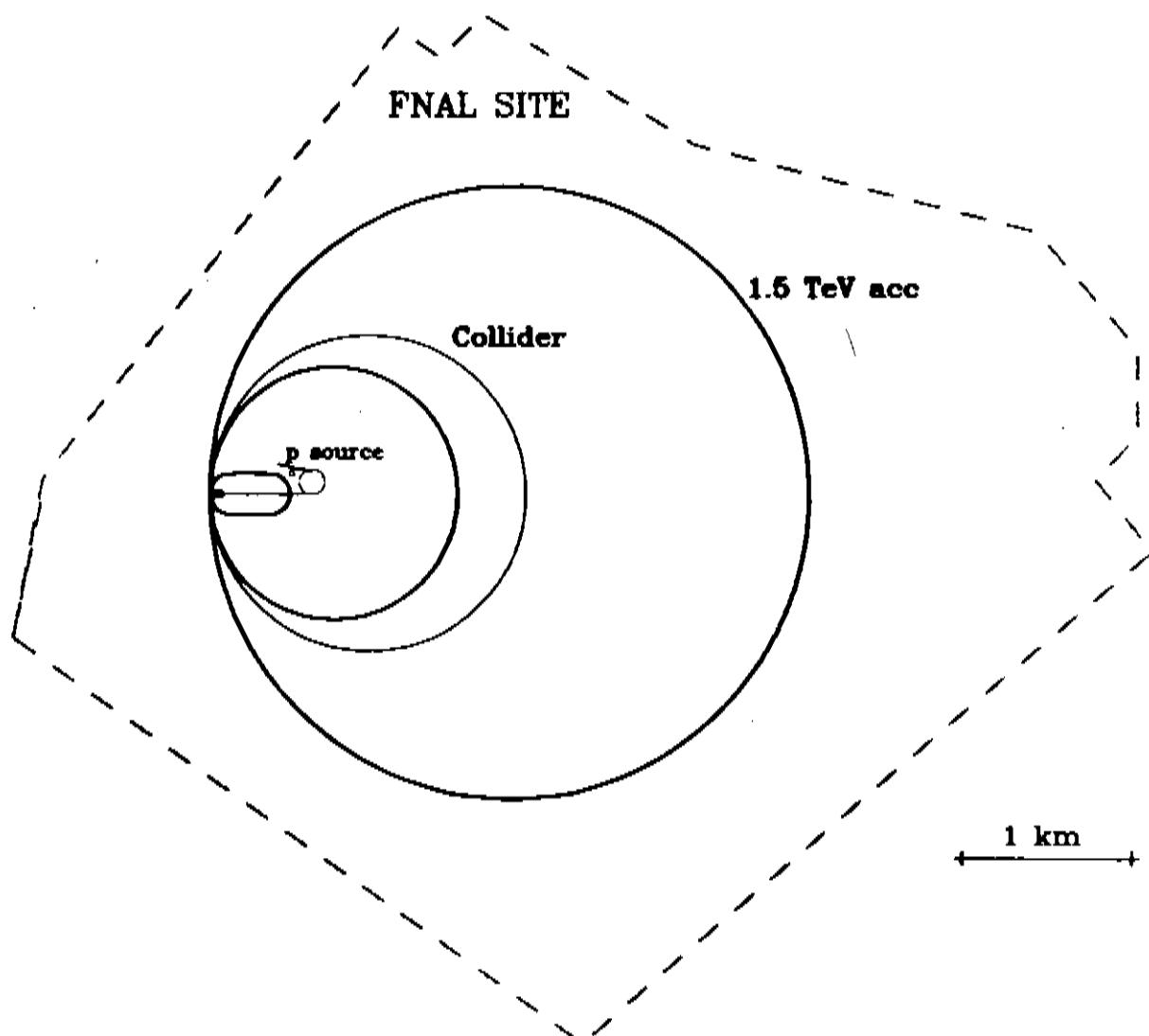
$\sim 2 \times 10^{12}$   
muons/bunch  
 $\times 4$  bunches  
 $\times 15$  Hz



$$L = 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$$
$$\beta^* = 3 \text{ mm}$$

COLLIDER  
RING

*Fits on existing lab site!*



# Physics Discovery Potential ( $e^+e^-$ vs $\mu^+\mu^-$ )

Electron- Muon Universality (tested to  $\lesssim 0.1\%$ )

To first approx. same physics  $ll \rightarrow ZH$ , SUSY pairs, ...

But  $m_\mu \approx 207 m_e$ ! (Fundamental Difference  $\rightarrow$  "New Physics")

\* The muon is probably a better probe of "New Physics" associated with mass, flavor, generation mixing ...

( $t, b, t'$  even better - Access via final states)

Example: Anomalous Mag. Moments:  $a_e = \frac{g_e - 2}{2}$

$$\text{Ave} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{exp} \\ a_e = 1159652188.3(3.1) \times 10^{-12} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{exp} \\ a_\mu = 116592080(460) \times 10^{-11} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{New BNL} \\ E821 \end{array}$$

$$\rightarrow \pm 120 \times 10^{-11} \text{ (99 data)} \\ \pm 40 \times 10^{-11}$$

Electron Measurement  $\sim 1,500$  times better!  
but

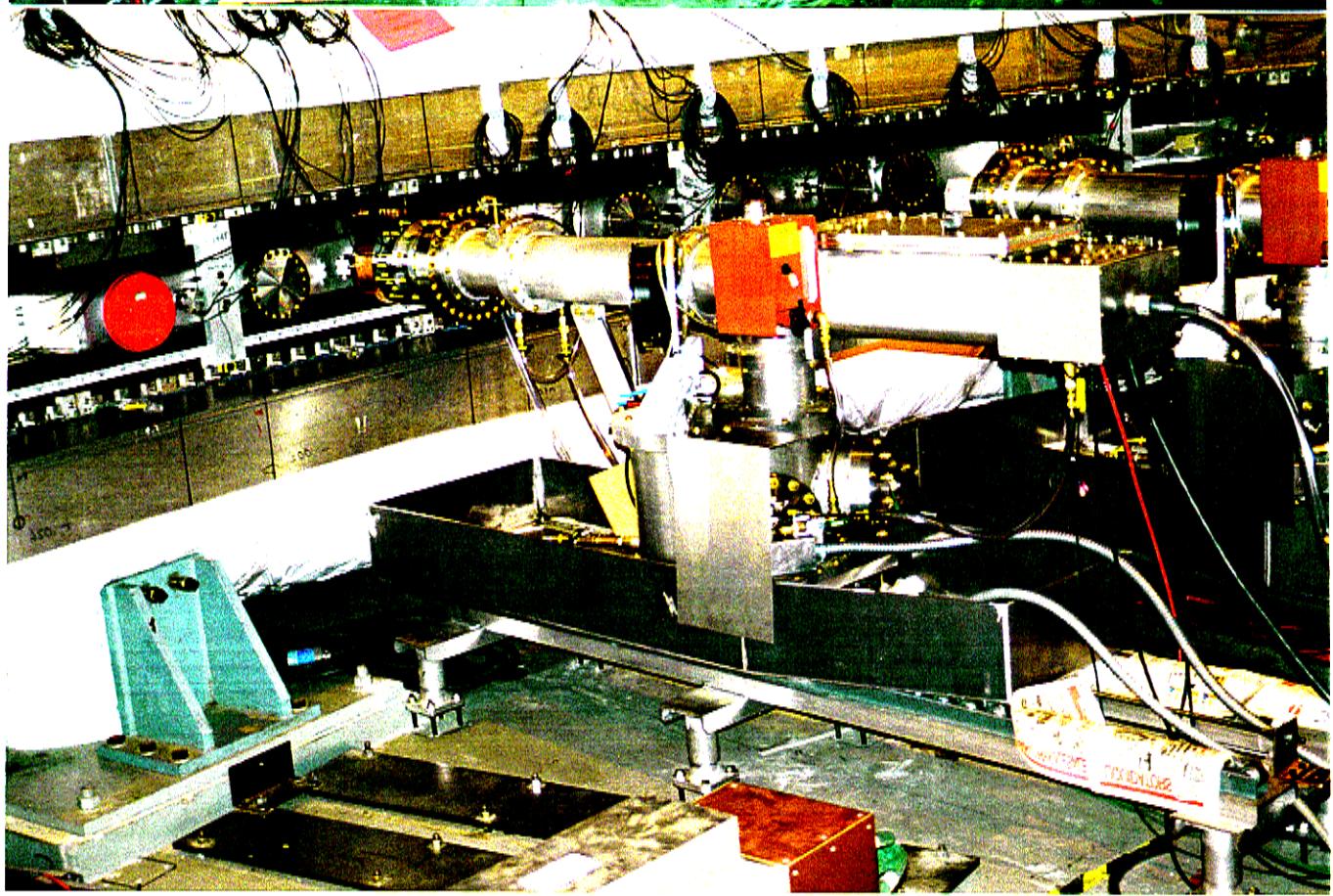
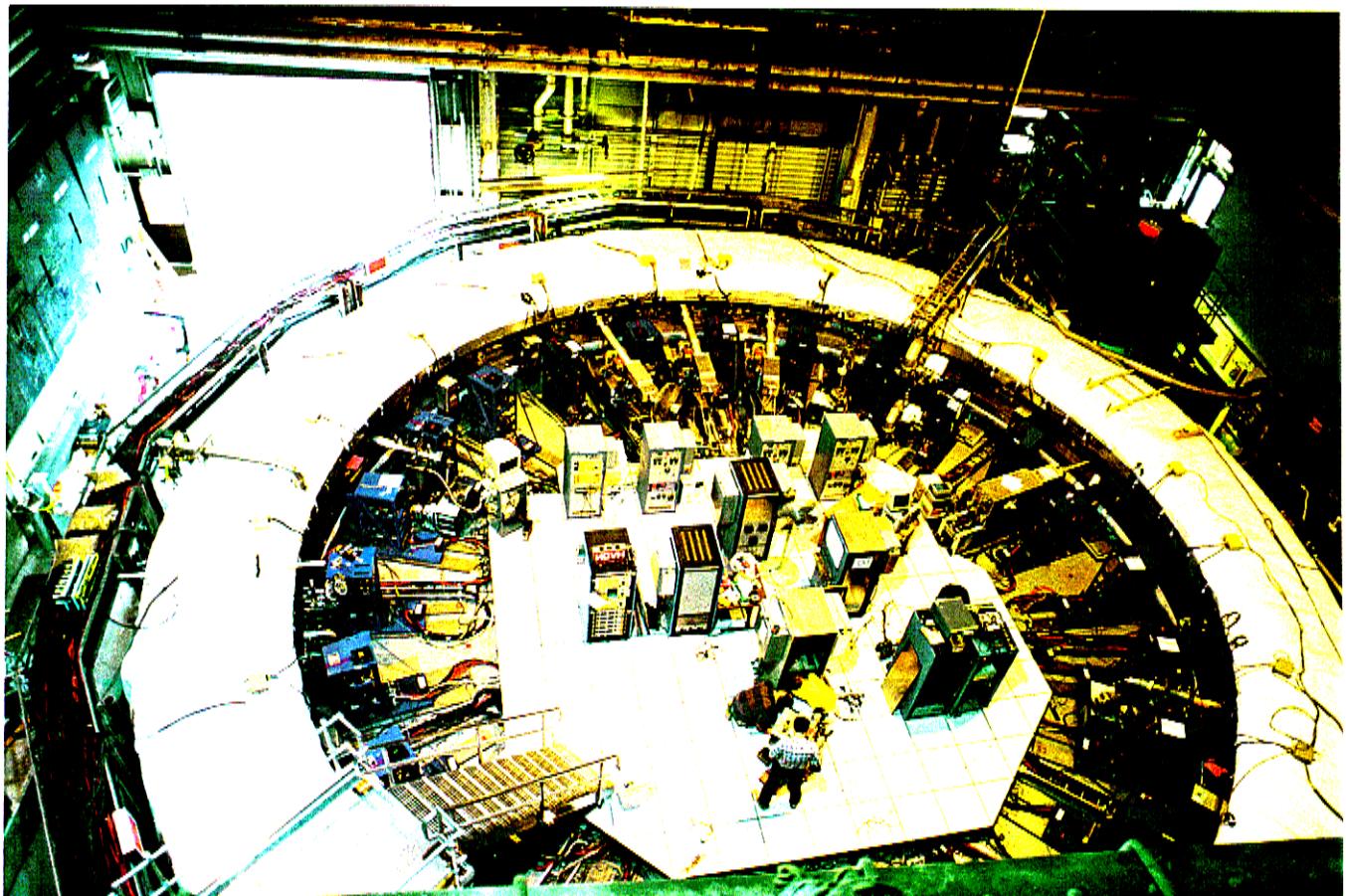
"New Physics"  $\propto m^2$   $\rightarrow$  muon 43,000 times more sensitive!!

e.g. SUSY loops (Carone, Giudice, Wagner; Chatterjee, Natta; ...)

$$\mu \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}^+ \tilde{\chi}^- \rightarrow \mu \quad \xrightarrow{\text{large } \tan\beta} \quad \Delta a_\mu^{\text{SUSY}} \simeq 140 \times 10^{-11} \left(\frac{100 \text{ GeV}}{\tilde{m}}\right)^2 \tan\beta$$

or dynamical mass generation  $m_\mu = \frac{X_\mu}{M_F F_F \mu} \simeq g^2 m_F \left(\frac{m_F}{M_{X_\mu}}\right)^n$

$$\mu \xrightarrow{F_F \tilde{\chi}_F \tilde{\chi}_F} \mu \quad \Delta a_\mu \simeq \frac{m_\mu^2}{M_{X_\mu}^2} \quad (\text{E821 probes } 1 \rightarrow 6 \text{ TeV } M_{X_\mu}) \text{ (W.M.)}$$



IF 1999  $a_\mu$  data (under analysis) shows deviation from S.M.

→ large  $\tan\beta$  scenario for SUSY  
or  $X_\mu \sim \text{few TeV!}$

*Interesting Consequences  
For Muon Colliders  
(Very Exciting)*

## 2. Standard Model Problems & "New Physics" (Commentary)

EW Symmetry Breaking?   Flavor Hierarchy? (Connected?)

GUTS?   Quantum Gravity? . . .

1) Higgs, Multi-Higgs, Exotic Higgs (leptogluarks etc.), Singlets, ...



$\ell^+\ell^- \rightarrow Z^* \rightarrow Zh$        $p\bar{p} \rightarrow W^* \rightarrow Wh$       Associated Production  
 $\ell^+\ell^- \rightarrow t\bar{t}h$        $pp \rightarrow t\bar{t}h$       (LEP II  $m_h \gtrsim 95 \text{ GeV}$ )

\* New Muon Collider Option :  $s$ -channel resonance {see Gunion talks}



Measure width,  $B(h \rightarrow b\bar{b})$ ,  $B(h \rightarrow c\bar{c})$ ,  $B(h \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-)$ ,  $h\mu^+\mu^-$  }  $\sim 3000$  events  
 $B(h \rightarrow WW^*)$ ,  $B(h \rightarrow ZZ^*)$  } to  $30,000$

Proposed  $\Delta E_\mu / E_\mu \simeq 3 \times 10^{-5}$       ( $\Gamma_h \sim \text{few MeV}$ )

## Elementary Particles & Their Masses

	<u>Particle</u>	<u>Mass (GeV)</u>
1st	$\nu_e$	$< 4.5 \times 10^{-9}$
	e	$0.51 \times 10^{-3}$
	u	$5 \times 10^{-3}$
	d	$9 \times 10^{-3}$
2nd	$\nu_\mu$	$< 0.16 \times 10^{-3}$
	$\mu$	0.106
	c	1.35
	s	0.175
3rd	$\nu_\tau$	$< 23.8 \times 10^{-3}$
	$\tau$	1.777
	t	<u><math>175 \pm 5!</math></u>
	b	4.5
Gauge Bosons	$\gamma$	0
	$W^\pm$	$80.42 \pm 0.05$
	$Z$	$91.187 \pm 0.002$
	Gluons	0
Scalar	H (Higgs)?	$90.78(88) < m_H < 800(440)$

# Resonant Higgs Studies at the FMC

Example:  $M_h = 110 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\Gamma_h \approx 3 \text{ MeV}$ ,  $\Delta E_\mu / E_\mu \approx 3 \times 10^{-5}$ ,  $L = 0.5 \text{ fb}^{-1}$   
 $\mu^+ \mu^- \rightarrow H \rightarrow b\bar{b}, c\bar{c}, \tau\bar{\tau}, WW^*, ZZ^*$   $L = 5 \times 10^{31} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$   
*(hard)*

Total Higgs Signal  $\sim 30,000$  events

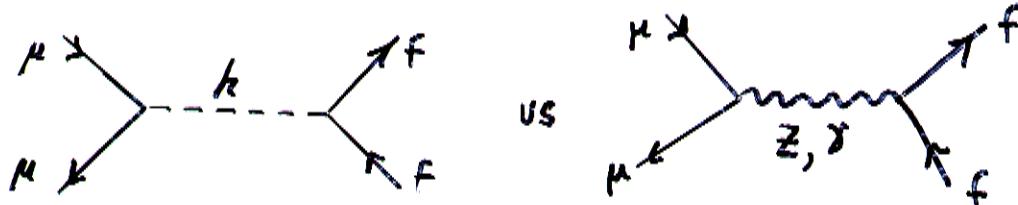
H	$b\bar{b}$	$c\bar{c}$	$\tau\bar{\tau}$
Signal $N_S$	24,000	2,100	2,700
backgr. $N_B$	25,200	24,160	9,450
$\pm \sqrt{N_S + N_B} / N_S$	$\pm 0.009$	$\pm 0.08$	$\pm 0.04$

Polarization useful - Luminosity much more important! & Resolution!

scan time

Signal LL or RR

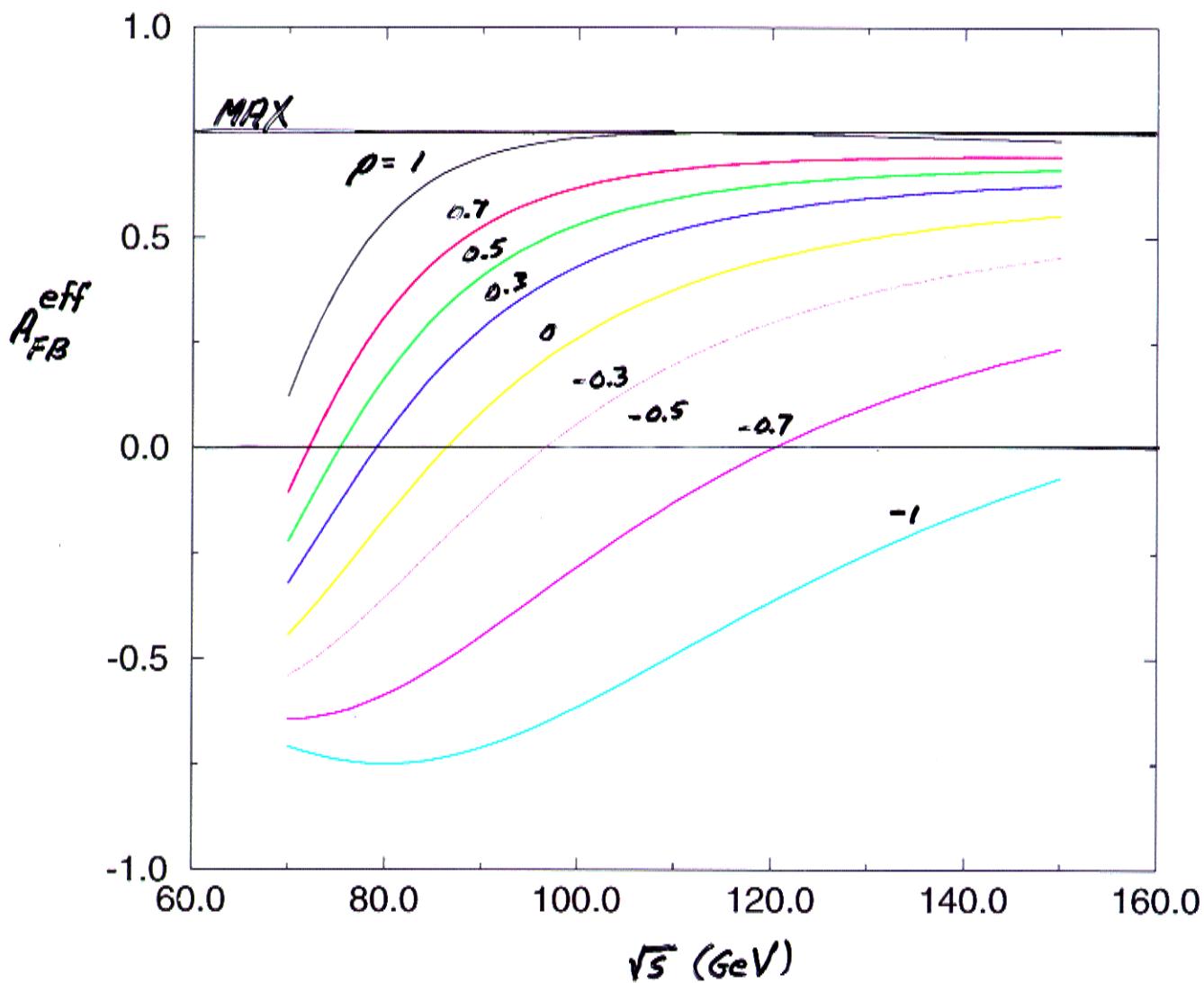
Back. LR or RL ( $\mu^+ \mu^- \rightarrow \gamma^*, Z^* \rightarrow f\bar{f}$ )



Effective Forward-Backward Asymmetry  $\mu^-\mu^+ \rightarrow b\bar{b}$

$$A_{FB}^{eff} = \frac{A_{FB} + \rho A_{LR}^{FB}}{1 + \rho A_{LR}}$$

$$\rho = \frac{P_+ - P_-}{1 + P_+ P_-}$$



2 Higgs Doublets:  $\rightarrow \tan\beta = v_2/v_1$      $h, H, A, H^\pm$  (5 Scalars)

$e^+e^- \rightarrow H^+H^-$      $e^+e^- \rightarrow HA$     (Pair Production)

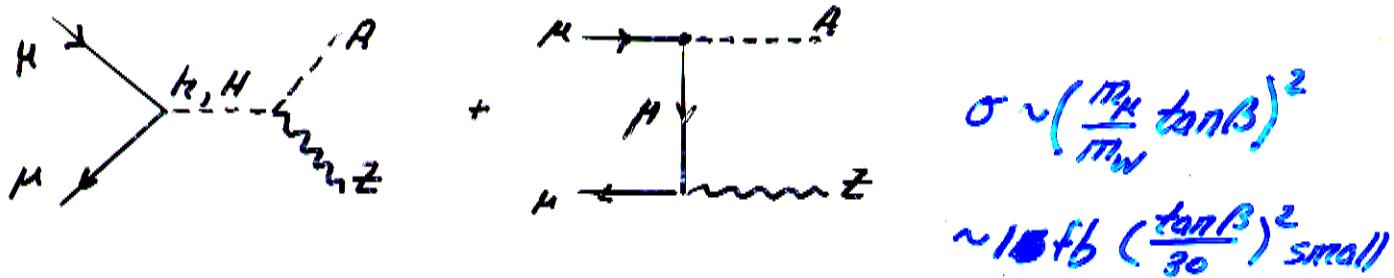
Needs  $\sqrt{s} > 2m_{H^\pm}$ ,  $\sqrt{s} \gtrsim m_A + m_H$  (may be high)

New Muon Collider Possibilities:

1) S-channel resonances  $\mu^+\mu^- \rightarrow H$  or  $\mu^+\mu^- \rightarrow A$  (Measure Properties)

2) If  $\tan\beta$  is large,     $\mu \rightarrow \nu_\mu \rightarrow H^+$      $\mu \rightarrow \nu_\mu \rightarrow A$      $\frac{igm_\mu}{2m_W} \tan\beta$

$\mu^+\mu^- \rightarrow H^\pm W^\mp$  or  $AZ$     (Akeroyd, Arhrib, Dove)



$$\sigma(\mu^+\mu^- \rightarrow H^\pm W^\mp) \sim 10 \text{ fb} \left(\frac{\tan\beta}{30}\right)^2 \quad \{ \text{expect } 50-200 \text{ fb}^{-1}/\text{yr} \}$$

Other Higgs? Likely to be more important for  $\mu^+\mu^-$  (mass)  
eg generation dep.

Polarization could be useful (suppress backgrounds)

$$P_{\text{eff}} = \frac{P_{\mu^+} + P_{\mu^-}}{1 + P_{\mu^+} + P_{\mu^-}} \quad P_{\mu^+} = P_{\mu^-} = 0.63 \rightarrow P_{\text{eff}} \approx 0.90$$

$$P_{\mu^+} = P_{\mu^-} = 0.85 \rightarrow P_{\text{eff}} \approx 0.99 !$$

High Pol.  $\rightarrow$  Loss of luminosity (Make more muons, small tight beams  
Needs Study)

## ii) SUSY $\rightarrow$ SUSY Breaking (Very large scale?)

$l^+ l^- \rightarrow$  SUSY (see Murayama & Peskin) MSSM

Lots of spectroscopy, measure  $\tilde{m}$ , couplings  
(Polarization very useful)

Expect  $m(\tilde{\omega}) \lesssim 250\text{ GeV}$   $m(\tilde{g}) \lesssim 800\text{ GeV}$

$m(\tilde{g}) > m(\tilde{l}) \approx m(\tilde{\nu})$

To study SUSY in  $l^+ l^- \sqrt{s} \approx 500\text{ GeV} \rightarrow 1.5\text{ TeV}$  (Higher? 3TeV?)

SUSY radically alters our perception of space-time.

If discovered  $\longrightarrow$  Motivation to explore higher energies

Source of SUSY Breaking (eg Messengers)

May require  $\sqrt{s} \gtrsim 10\text{ TeV}$   $\mu^+ \mu^-$  collider

SUSY does "not" explain: Generation Hierarchy (Flavor)

Likely to require additional horizontal physics

## Muon Collider Features (beyond $e^+ e^-$ )

J. Feng, s-channel sneutrino (R-parity violation)

$\mu^+ \mu^- \rightarrow \tilde{\nu} \rightarrow X$  (Good  $\Delta E_\mu / E_\mu$ )

Higher energies  $\sqrt{s} \approx 3\text{-}4\text{ TeV}, 10\text{ TeV}, \rightarrow ?$  explore flavor & SUSY Breaking

## SUSY Partner

$\tilde{\nu}_e$   
 $\tilde{e}$   
 $\tilde{\chi}$   
 $\tilde{d}$

spin = 0

$\tilde{\nu}_\mu$   
 $\tilde{\mu}$   
 $\tilde{c}$   
 $\tilde{s}$

$\tilde{\nu}_t$   
 $\tilde{\tau}$   
 $\tilde{t}$   
 $\tilde{b}$

$\tilde{\chi}^+$   
 $\tilde{W}^\pm$   
 $\tilde{Z}$   
 $\tilde{G}$

spin =  $1/2$

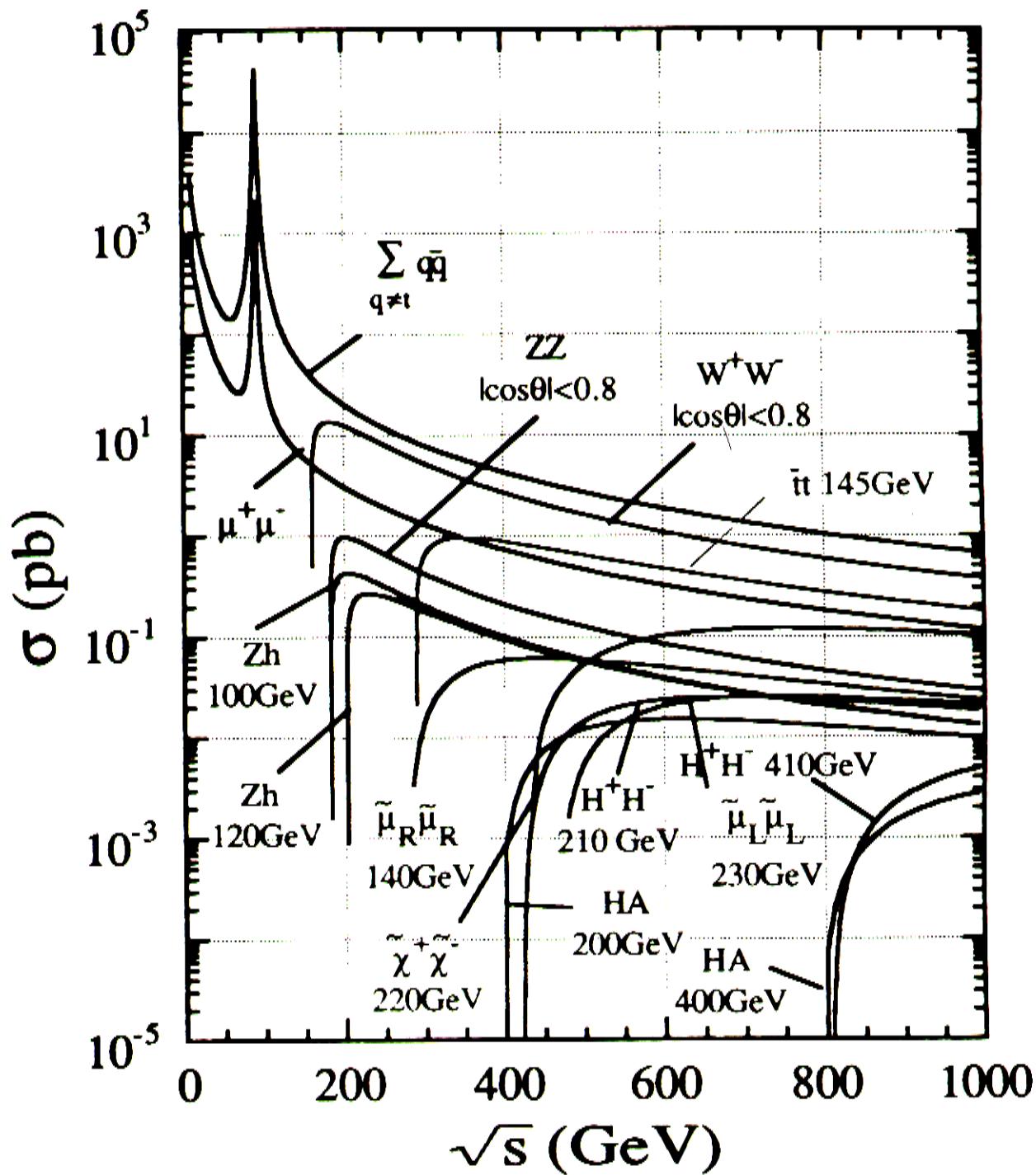
$\tau h, R, H^\pm$

$\tilde{H}$   
 $\tilde{h}$   
 $\tilde{R}$   
 $\tilde{H}^\pm$

spin =  $1/2$

lots of new phenomena  
 Mixing,  $gP \dots$

From JLC Group



### iii) New Strong Dynamics (No Higgs) Technicolor

So far, no supporting evidence: Precision Measurements  
S, T, U Parameters,  $Z \rightarrow b\bar{b}$   
 $m_h \lesssim 220 \text{ GeV}$

### Attractive Generic Idea - No Attractive Models

Techni-Fermions  $F_T \simeq 1000 f_\pi$  (QCD)  $\rightarrow \gtrsim 1 \text{ TeV}$  Spectroscopy  
Really need  $p\bar{p} \sqrt{s} \gtrsim 40 \text{ TeV}$  (SSC) } see Chivukula talk  
 $Q\bar{Q} \sqrt{s} \simeq 3-4 \text{ TeV}$  } Next Week

### Muon Collider - High Energy, Energy Resolution (Narrow Resonances)

$\mu^+\mu^- \rightarrow \omega_T^\circ, \rho_T^\circ, \pi_T^\circ$ , Techni-Hadrons } very good  
Rich Spectroscopy  $\gtrsim 1\text{-few TeV}$  }  $\mu^+\mu^-$  motivation  
3-4 TeV

### Extended Technicolor Explain Fermion Masses (Flavor, $q\bar{p}$ )



$\mu^+\mu^- \rightarrow t\bar{t} + \text{"New Physics"} \text{ at } \sqrt{s} \gtrsim 3-4 \text{ TeV}$

$\mu^+\mu^- \rightarrow \text{"New Physics"} \quad \sqrt{s} > 3-4 \text{ TeV}, 10 \text{ TeV}$

Polarization Important

$\mu^+\mu^- \rightarrow t\bar{t}, W^+W^- \text{ etc}$  Form Factors  
 $\rightarrow \text{New States}$

iv) \*Extra Dimensions: (large  $R \sim 10^{-17} \sim 10^{-18}$  cm; 1-10 TeV)

The most extraordinary discovery I can imagine!

Motivation: Superstrings  $d=10, 11$

If  $R \sim 10^{-17}$  cm  $\simeq 1$  TeV, they could be source of EW sym. br., SUSY Breaking, Fermion Masses, q/p Parity Viol., 3 Generations ...

Nature is revealing Her extra dimensions! (?)

Many High Energy Signatures:

Short-Distance Gravity Changes  $\rightarrow$  Gravitons (missing energy)

Excited  $W^*, Z^*, \gamma^*, g^*, h^* \dots$   $m_n^2 = m_0^2 + \frac{\vec{n}^2}{R^2}$  (see I. Antoniadis...)

Precision Measurements  $\rightarrow m_{W^*} \gtrsim 3\text{-}4$  TeV! LHC  $\rightarrow 6$  TeV!

look for in  $\ell^+ \ell^- \rightarrow f\bar{f}$  LR, FB Asym.  $\sqrt{s} \simeq 1$  TeV  
Polarization Explores  $m_Z^* \simeq 10$  TeV (higher)

Demands Higher Energy

$\sqrt{s} \simeq 3\text{-}4$  TeV } Asymmetries (Powerful)  
 $\sqrt{s} \gtrsim 10$  TeV } Explore  $\rightarrow 1000$  TeV  
= 1 PeV

Wonderful to someday do  $\mu^+ \mu^- \rightarrow Z^*$  on resonance

Directly excite Extra Dimensions!

Strong Motivation to extend  $\sqrt{s} \rightarrow 3\text{-}4$  TeV  $\rightarrow 10$  TeV  $\rightarrow 100$  TeV!

## v) $Z'$ , $W'$ , Compositeness ...

Much like searching for Extra Dimensions (Added Motivation)

$U(1)'$  From GUTS, SO(10),  $E_6$ ; Superstrings

$U(1)'$  Flavor Sym. Different  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$  (Breaks Universality)

Search For Narrow  $Z'$  resonances } Polarization Useful/  
Contact Interactions }

$\ell^+\ell^- \rightarrow f\bar{f}$ ,  $\ell^+\ell^- \rightarrow W^+W^-$ ,  $\ell^+\ell^- \rightarrow W^+W^- \nu\bar{\nu}$  etc.

Probably need high  $\sqrt{s}$ , good resolution

In Addition, precision EW:  $m_W$ ,  $\sin^2\theta_W$ ,  $A_{FB}$  ...

## 4) Future Lepton Collider Goals

High Energy, High Luminosity, Polarization, Good Resolution ...

Technically Feasible, Affordable, Potential Upgrades

Environmentally Safe

i) 100 GeV     $Z$  Factory  $10^8$ - $10^9 Z$ /yr! Polarization 90%  
 $\Delta \sin^2\theta_W = \pm 0.00002$ !  $\rightarrow \Delta m_h/m_h$  to  $\pm 5\%$ !  
 $b\bar{b}$ ,  $t\bar{t}$  Factories,  $q\bar{q}$ , Rare Decays  
(probably  $e^+e^-$  better)

Could be  
First Muon Collider {  $h$  Factory 30000h/yr Pol. Useful  
 $h \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ ,  $\tau_h$ ,  $m_h$ ,  $h \rightarrow WW^*$ ...  
(unique to  $\mu^+\mu^-$  but  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow h$  at  $e^+e^-$  may do)

- ii) 500 GeV     $\ell^+ \ell^- \rightarrow t\bar{t}, W^+W^-; f\bar{f} \rightarrow m_t, m_W, A_{FB}, A_{LR}$  } compelling  
 \*  $\ell^+ \ell^- \rightarrow Z h$  (up to  $m_h \approx 400$  GeV)  
 $\ell^+ \ell^- \rightarrow SUSY$   
 $\ell^+ \ell^- \rightarrow H^+ H^-$ , AH } get lucky

$\mu^+ \mu^- \rightarrow H^\circ, A^\circ, W^\pm H^\mp$ , other resonances (Becoming Interesting)

In my view we should explore this region SOON!  $\rightarrow e^+ e^-$  (later  $\mu^+ \mu^-$ )

- iii)  $\sqrt{s} \approx 1-1.5$  TeV     $\ell^+ \ell^- \rightarrow t\bar{t}, W^+W^-; f\bar{f} \dots$  (strong dyn.)  
 $\ell^+ \ell^- \rightarrow Z h, H^+ H^-, AH$   
 $\ell^+ \ell^- \rightarrow t\bar{t}h, b\bar{b}A, t\bar{b}H^-$   
 $\ell^+ \ell^- \rightarrow \tilde{\ell}^+ \tilde{\ell}^-, \tilde{\nu} \tilde{\nu}, \tilde{\chi}^+ \tilde{\chi}^- \dots$  } Polarization Important

Must also be done as soon as possible, if SUSY is seen  $\rightarrow e^+ e^-$

- iv)  $\sqrt{s} \approx 3-4$  TeV  $\rightarrow 10$  TeV  $\rightarrow 100$  TeV (?)

Motivation More General: SUSY Spectrum ?  
 (but very strong)  
 SUSY Breaking ?  
 Flavor Physics  
 Strong Dynamics  
 $Z^*, Z'$ , Structure ... Extra Dim.

Technical  $e^+ e^-$  breakthroughs, cost, ...

or

\* Muon collider: High Energy, High Luminosity, Polarization  
 At least 3-10 TeV    Eventual Goals  
Very Desirable    Must Do If Possible

#### 4. Path to the First Muon Collider - 3 steps

Must Produce, Collect, Cool, Accelerate  $\gtrsim 10^{13} \mu^\pm/\text{sec}$  }  $0.24^{\pm}/\text{proton}$   
 Store, Collide, Detect Physics }

Technically Very Challenging - But Doable (?)

Needs Significant R&D + Hands on Experience

Synergistic Experimental Program (Exciting)

(i) Muon Electric Dipole Moment  $d_\mu \lesssim 10^{-18} \text{ e-cm}$  (not competitive)

AGS-LOI ( $g_\mu - 2$  collaboration)  $\rightarrow d_\mu \approx 10^{-24} \text{ e-cm} !!$  borders!

Competitive with  $d_e \approx 5 \times 10^{-27} \text{ e-cm}$ ,  $d_n \approx 10^{-25} \text{ e-cm}$

Outstanding probes of P+T Violation

Requires  $\sim 7 \times 10^7 \mu/\text{sec}$ , Polarization, Strong Focusing

Longer term  $\rightarrow 10^{-25} \text{ e-cm} \rightarrow 10^{-26} \text{ e-cm} !$

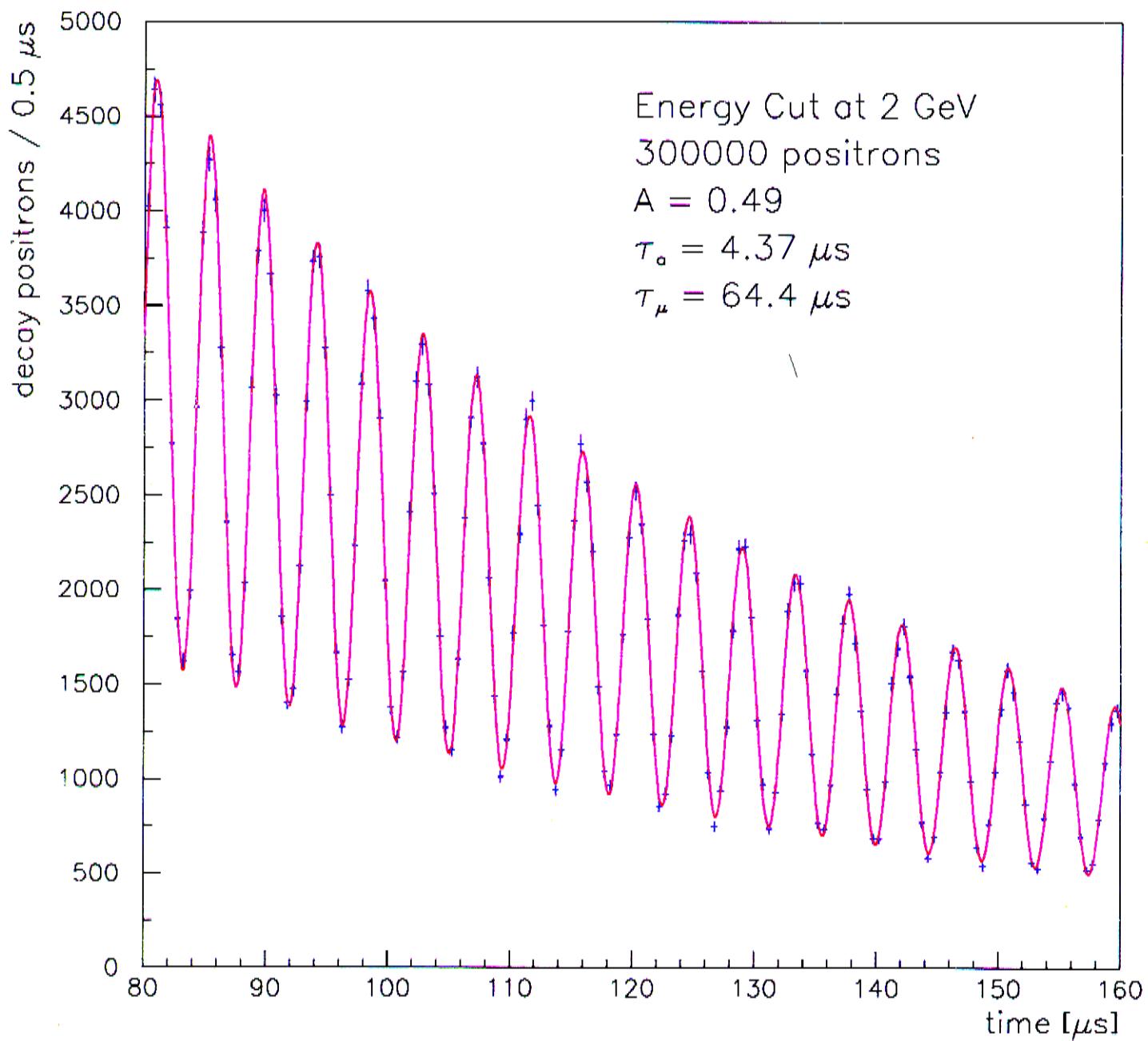
Must pursue, particularly if  $a_\mu^{\text{exp}} \neq a_\mu^{\text{S.M.}}$

(ii) Muon-Electron Conversion  ~~$\mu^- N \rightarrow e^- N$~~  coherent  $E_e \approx 105 \text{ MeV}$

MECO Proposal: Produce, Collect, Stop  $10'' \mu^-/\text{sec} !$

Current  $B(\mu^- Ti \rightarrow e^- Ti) < 6 \times 10^{-13} \rightarrow 5 \times 10^{-17}$  sensitivity !

Outstanding Discovery Potential - Very Clear Signal



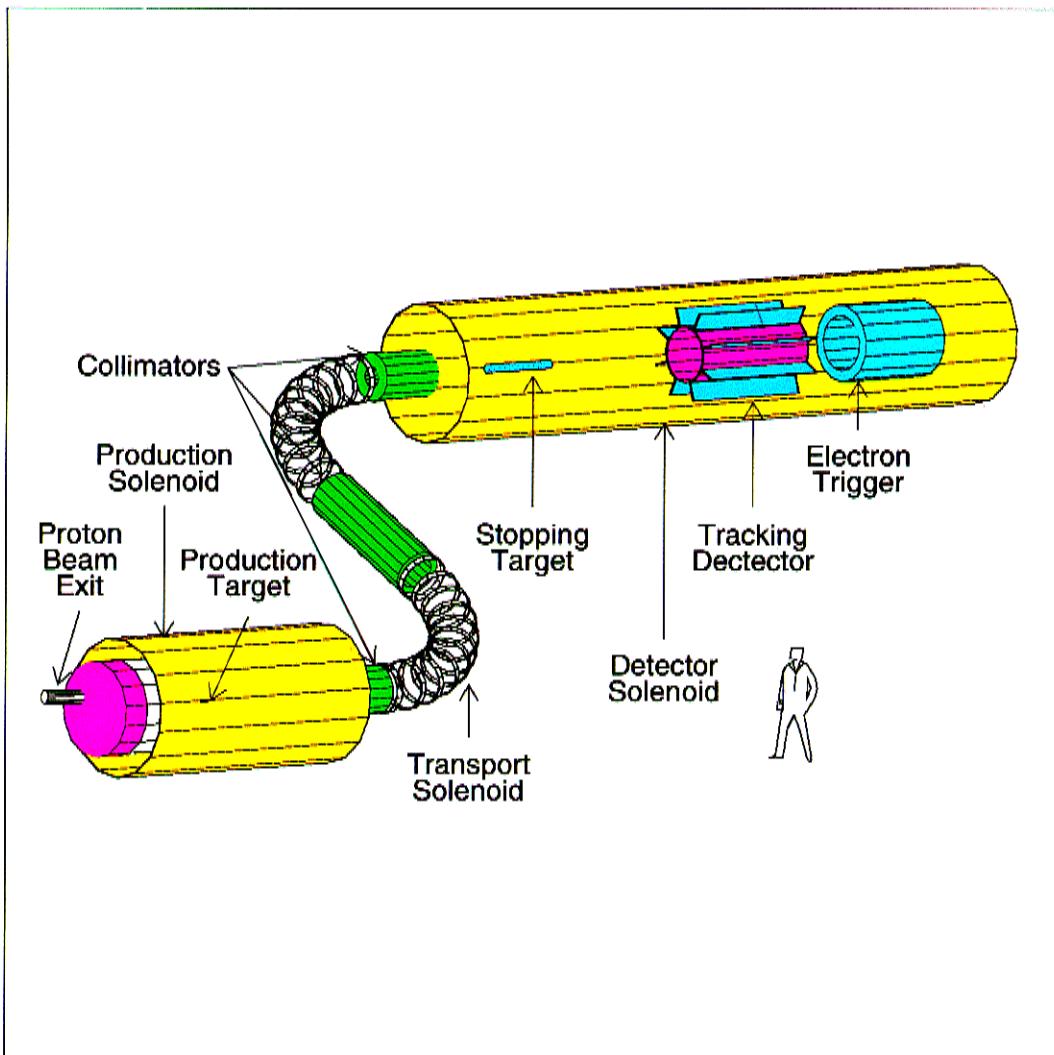


FIG. 31. Schematic layout of the MECCO detector (provided by W.R. Molzon).

From Kuro & Okada

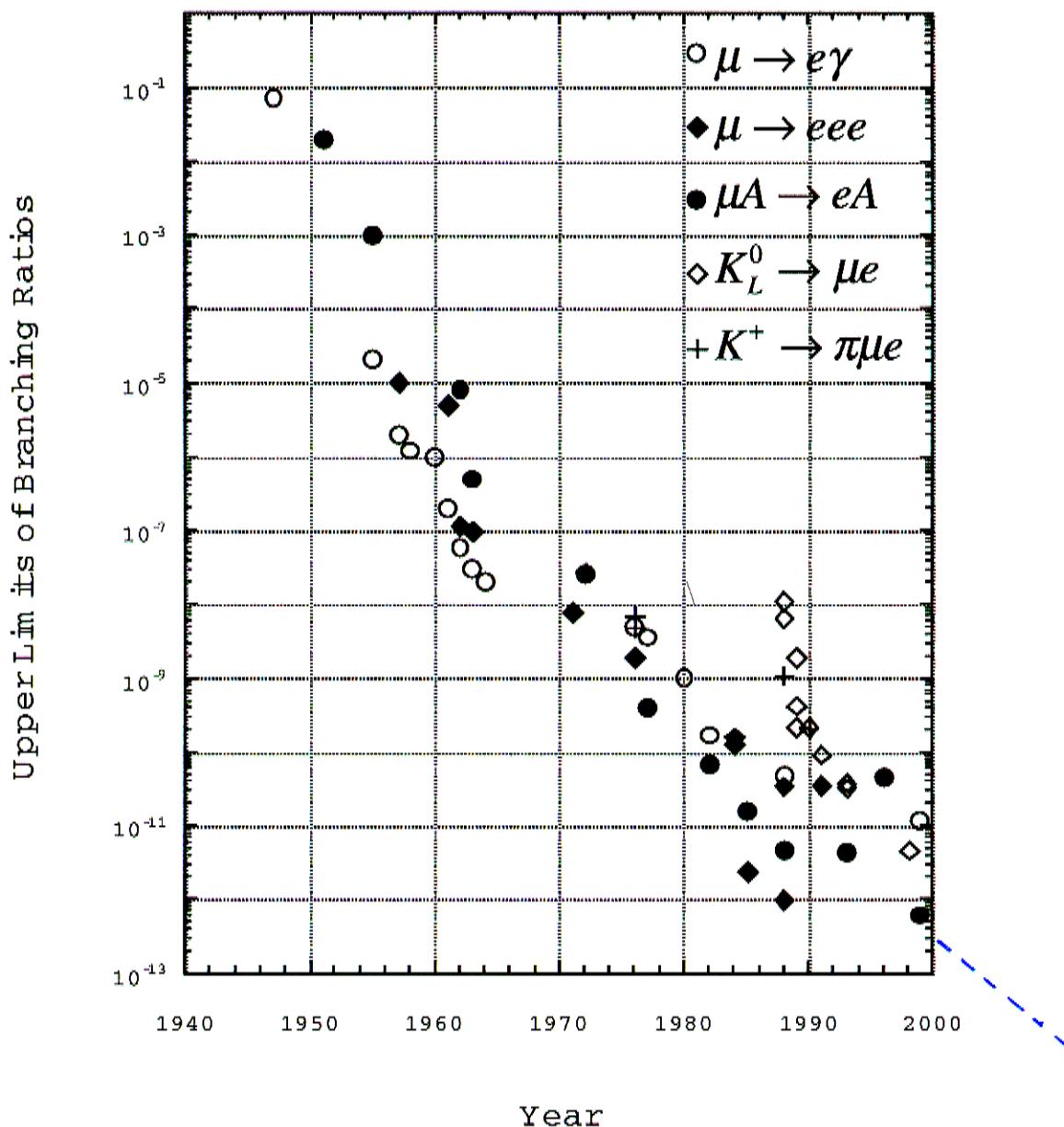


FIG. 1. Historical progress of LFV searches for various processes of muons and kaons.

X  
MECO!

# Experimental Tests of Muon-Number Non-Conservation

Reaction	Current Bound	Ongoing	Future Possibility
$R(\bar{\mu}N \rightarrow \bar{e}N)$	$< 8.4 \times 10^{-13}$	$\sim 4 \times 10^{-14}$	$\sim 10^{-16}$ ( $10^{-18}$ )
$B(\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ e^- e^+)$	$< 1 \times 10^{-12}$	-	?
$B(\mu \rightarrow e\gamma)$	$< 5 \times 10^{-11}$	$\sim 1 \times 10^{-11}$	$\sim 10^{-14}$
$B(K_L \rightarrow \mu e)$	$< 2.4 \times 10^{-11}$	$\sim 8 \times 10^{-13}$	$\sim 10^{-13}$
$B(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu e)$	$< 2.1 \times 10^{-10}$	$\sim 3 \times 10^{-12}$	$\sim 10^{-13}$
$B(K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu e)$	$< 3.2 \times 10^{-9}$	$\sim 10^{-11}$	$\sim 10^{-13}$
$B(B \rightarrow \mu e)$	$< 5.9 \times 10^{-6}$	<i>Not Competitive</i>	
$B(B \rightarrow K \mu e)$	$< 1.5 \times 10^{-5}$		
$B(\Xi \rightarrow \mu e)$	$< \text{few} \times 10^{-6}$	( $< 10^{-13}$ from $R(\bar{\mu}T_i \rightarrow \bar{e}T_i)$ )	

(iii) Neutrino Osc. - Muon Storage Ring

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ \nu_\mu \\ \nu_\tau \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} C_{12} C_{13} & S_{12} C_{13} & S_{13} e^{i\delta} \\ -S_{12} C_{23} - C_{12} S_{23} S_{13} e^{i\delta} & C_{12} C_{23} - S_{12} S_{23} S_{13} e^{i\delta} & S_{23} C_{13} \\ S_{12} S_{23} - C_{12} C_{23} S_{13} e^{i\delta} & -C_{12} S_{23} - S_{12} C_{23} S_{13} e^{i\delta} & C_{23} C_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \\ \nu_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Measure  $\theta_{12}, \theta_{23}, \theta_{13}, \delta, \Delta m_{31}^2, \Delta m_{21}^2$

SuperK  $\rightarrow \theta_{23} \approx 45^\circ, \theta_{13}$  small,  $\Delta m_{31}^2 \approx \Delta m_{23}^2 \approx 3 \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2$



$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ \nu_e \bar{\nu}_\mu \\ \mu^- \rightarrow e^- \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\mu \end{array} \right\} \text{clear, well known spectra}$$

Current Thinking  $E_{\mu^\pm} \approx 50 \text{ GeV}, \sim 10^{13} \mu^\pm/\text{sec}$ , some cooling

Long Baseline  $\sim 7000 \text{ km}$

Very Ambitious, Expensive  $\xrightarrow[\text{major step}]{}$  100 GeV  $\mu^+ \mu^-$  collider

Comment of requires  $J_{CP} = \sin \theta_{12} \sin \theta_{13} \sin \theta_{23} \sin \delta \cos \theta_{23} \cos \theta_{13} \cos \theta_{12}$   
 $\Delta m_{31}^2, \Delta m_{21}^2 \neq 0$

## 5. Concluding Remarks

Muon Collider Concept - "Pipe Dream" or  
 "An Idea Whose Time Has Come"

The Physics case is very strong, particularly  $\mu^+\mu^- \sqrt{s} \approx 3-4 \text{ TeV} \rightarrow 10 \text{ TeV}$

Must strive for: high luminosity  $10^{34}-10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ , good resolution  
 polarization, reduce  $\nu$  radiation

Probably  $\approx 25$  yrs for R+D, Proposal, Construction

In the immediate future - build a muon research program

### Frontier Research Capabilities

1)  $\mu \rightarrow \text{e.d.m. } d_\mu \sim 10^{-24}-10^{-26} \text{ e-cm}!$

2) MECO  $\rightarrow \mu^- N + e^- N$  at  $5 \times 10^{-17}!$

3)  $\nu$  osc.  $\Delta m_{31}^2, \Delta m_{21}^2 ?$ ,  $\overset{(-)}{\nu_\mu} \leftrightarrow \overset{(-)}{\nu_e}, \overset{(-)}{\nu_\mu}, \overset{(-)}{\nu_e} \rightarrow \overset{(-)}{\nu_\tau}, \overset{(-)}{\nu_s}$  CP

Go down  $\mu^+\mu^-$  path if clear path to high energy

$\rightarrow 100 \text{ GeV Higgs Factory } 30,000 \text{ events}$

$500-1000 \text{ GeV SUSY, } H^\pm, A, H, h, \dots$

$3-4-10 \text{ TeV Flavor, Strong Dynamics, Extra Dim., } Z'$

$\rightarrow 100 \text{ TeV SUSY Br.}$

Muons may be the window to Nature's Next Level of Secrets

We can't discover or progress if we don't explore