

μ $J = \frac{1}{2}$

μ MASS

The mass is known more precisely in u (atomic mass units) than in MeV (see the footnote to COHEN 87). The conversion from u to MeV, $1\text{u} = 931.49432 \pm 0.00028\text{ MeV}$, involves the relatively poorly known electronic charge.

Where m_μ/m_e was measured, we have used the 1986 CODATA value for $m_e = 0.51099906 \pm 0.00000015\text{ MeV}$.

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
105.658389 ± 0.000034	¹ COHEN	87	RVUE	1986 CODATA value
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
105.65841 ± 0.00033	² BELTRAMI	86	SPEC	— Muonic atoms
105.658432 ± 0.000064	³ KLEMPPT	82	CNTR	+ Incl. in MARIAM 82
105.658386 ± 0.000044	⁴ MARIAM	82	CNTR	+
105.65856 ± 0.00015	⁵ CASPERSON	77	CNTR	+
105.65836 ± 0.00026	⁶ CROWE	72	CNTR	
105.65865 ± 0.00044	⁷ CRANE	71	CNTR	

¹ The mass is known more precisely in u: $m = 0.113428913 \pm 0.000000017\text{ u}$. COHEN 87 makes use of the other entries below.

² BELTRAMI 86 gives $m_\mu/m_e = 206.76830(64)$.

³ KLEMPPT 82 gives $m_\mu/m_e = 206.76835(11)$.

⁴ MARIAM 82 gives $m_\mu/m_e = 206.768259(62)$.

⁵ CASPERSON 77 gives $m_\mu/m_e = 206.76859(29)$.

⁶ CROWE 72 gives $m_\mu/m_e = 206.7682(5)$.

⁷ CRANE 71 gives $m_\mu/m_e = 206.76878(85)$.

μ MEAN LIFE τ

Measurements with an error $> 0.001 \times 10^{-6}\text{ s}$ have been omitted.

VALUE (10^{-6} s)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG
2.19703 ± 0.00004 OUR AVERAGE			
2.197078 ± 0.000073	BARDIN	84	CNTR +
2.197025 ± 0.000155	BARDIN	84	CNTR —
2.19695 ± 0.00006	GIOVANETTI	84	CNTR +
2.19711 ± 0.00008	BALANDIN	74	CNTR +
2.1973 ± 0.0003	DUCLOS	73	CNTR +

$\tau_{\mu^+}/\tau_{\mu^-}$ MEAN LIFE RATIO

A test of *CPT* invariance.

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
1.000024±0.000078	BARDIN	84	CNTR
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
1.0008 ± 0.0010	BAILEY	79	CNTR Storage ring
1.000 ± 0.001	MEYER	63	CNTR Mean life μ^+/μ^-

$$(\tau_{\mu^+} - \tau_{\mu^-}) / \tau_{\text{average}}$$

A test of *CPT* invariance. Calculated from the mean-life ratio, above.

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID
(2±8) × 10⁻⁵ OUR EVALUATION	

μ MAGNETIC MOMENT ANOMALY

$$\mu_\mu/(e\hbar/2m_\mu)-1 = (g_\mu-2)/2$$

For reviews of theory and experiments, see HUGHES 85, KINOSHITA 84, COMB-LEY 81, FARLEY 79, and CALMET 77.

VALUE (units 10 ⁻⁶)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
1165.9230±0.0084	COHEN	87	RVUE	1986 CODATA value
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
1165.910 ± 0.011	⁸ BAILEY	79	CNTR +	Storage ring
1165.937 ± 0.012	⁸ BAILEY	79	CNTR -	Storage ring
1165.923 ± 0.0085	⁸ BAILEY	79	CNTR ±	Storage ring
1165.922 ± 0.009	⁸ BAILEY	77	CNTR ±	Storage ring
1166.16 ± 0.31	BAILEY	68	CNTR ±	Storage rings
1162.0 ± 5.0	CHARPAK	62	CNTR +	

⁸ BAILEY 79 is final result. Includes BAILEY 77 data. We use μ/p magnetic moment ratio = 3.1833452 and recalculate the BAILEY 79 values. Third BAILEY 79 result is first two combined.

$$(g_{\mu^+} - g_{\mu^-}) / g_{\text{average}}$$

A test of *CPT* invariance.

VALUE (units 10 ⁻⁸)	DOCUMENT ID
-2.6±1.6	BAILEY

μ ELECTRIC DIPOLE MOMENT

A nonzero value is forbidden by both T invariance and P invariance.

VALUE (10^{-19} ecm)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
3.7±3.4	⁹ BAILEY	78	CNTR	± Storage ring
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
8.6±4.5	BAILEY	78	CNTR	+ Storage rings
0.8±4.3	BAILEY	78	CNTR	- Storage rings

⁹ This is the combination of the two BAILEY 78 results given below.

μ/p MAGNETIC MOMENT RATIO

This ratio is used to obtain a precise value of the muon mass. Measurements with an error > 0.00001 have been omitted.

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
3.18334547±0.00000047	¹⁰ COHEN	87	RVUE	1986 CODATA value
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
3.1833441 ±0.0000017	KLEMPPT	82	CNTR	+ Precession strob
3.1833461 ±0.0000011	MARIAM	82	CNTR	+ HFS splitting
3.1833448 ±0.0000029	CAMANI	78	CNTR	+ See KLEMPPT 82
3.1833403 ±0.0000044	CASPERSON	77	CNTR	+ HFS splitting
3.1833402 ±0.0000072	COHEN	73	RVUE	1973 CODATA value
3.1833467 ±0.0000082	CROWE	72	CNTR	+ Precession phase

¹⁰ COHEN 87 (1986 CODATA) value was fitted using their own selection of the following data. Because their value is from a multiparameter fit, correlations with other quantities may be important and one cannot arrive at this result by any average of these data alone.

μ^- DECAY MODES

μ^+ modes are charge conjugates of the modes below.

Mode	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level
$\Gamma_1 e^- \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\mu$	≈ 100%	
$\Gamma_2 e^- \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\mu \gamma$	[a] (1.4±0.4) %	
$\Gamma_3 e^- \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\mu e^+ e^-$	[b] (3.4±0.4) × 10 ⁻⁵	

Lepton Family number (*LF*) violating modes

$\Gamma_4 e^- \nu_e \bar{\nu}_\mu$	<i>LF</i>	[c] < 1.2	%	90%
$\Gamma_5 e^- \gamma$	<i>LF</i>	< 4.9	× 10 ⁻¹¹	90%
$\Gamma_6 e^- e^+ e^-$	<i>LF</i>	< 1.0	× 10 ⁻¹²	90%
$\Gamma_7 e^- 2\gamma$	<i>LF</i>	< 7.2	× 10 ⁻¹¹	90%

[a] This only includes events with the γ energy > 10 MeV. Since the $e^- \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\mu$ and $e^- \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\mu \gamma$ modes cannot be clearly separated, we regard the latter mode as a subset of the former.

- [b] See the Particle Listings below for the energy limits used in this measurement.
 [c] A test of additive vs. multiplicative lepton family number conservation.
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μ^- BRANCHING RATIOS

$\Gamma(e^- \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\mu \gamma)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$

VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	Γ_2/Γ
0.014 ± 0.004		CRITTENDEN 61	CNTR	γ KE > 10 MeV	
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •					
862	BOGART	67	CNTR	γ KE > 14.5 MeV	
0.0033 ± 0.0013	CRITTENDEN 61	61	CNTR	γ KE > 20 MeV	
27	ASHKIN	59	CNTR		

$\Gamma(e^- \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\mu e^+ e^-)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$

VALUE (units 10^{-5})	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT	Γ_3/Γ
3.4 ± 0.2 ± 0.3	7443	11 BERTL	85 SPEC	+	SINDRUM	
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •						
2.2 ± 1.5	7	12 CRITTENDEN 61	HLBC	+	$E(e^+ e^-) > 10$ MeV	
2	1	13 GUREVICH	60 EMUL	+		
1.5 ± 1.0	3	14 LEE	59 HBC	+		

¹¹ BERTL 85 has transverse momentum cut $p_T > 17$ MeV/c. Systematic error was increased by us.

¹² CRITTENDEN 61 count only those decays where total energy of either (e^+ , e^-) combination is > 10 MeV.

¹³ GUREVICH 60 interpret their event as either virtual or real photon conversion. e^+ and e^- energies not measured.

¹⁴ In the three LEE 59 events, the sum of energies $E(e^+) + E(e^-) + E(e^+)$ was 51 MeV, 55 MeV, and 33 MeV.

$\Gamma(e^- \nu_e \bar{\nu}_\mu)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$

Γ_4/Γ

Forbidden by the additive conservation law for lepton family number. A multiplicative law predicts this branching ratio to be 1/2. For a review see NEMETHY 81.

VALUE	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT	Γ_4/Γ
< 0.012	90	15 FREEDMAN	93 CNTR	+	ν oscillation search	
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •						
< 0.018	90	KRAKAUER	91B CALO	+		
< 0.05	90	16 BERGSMA	83 CALO	$\bar{\nu}_\mu e \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}_e$		
< 0.09 - 0.001 ± 0.061	90	JONKER WILLIS	80 CALO 80 CNTR	+	See BERGSMA 83	
0.13 ± 0.15		BLIETSCHAU	78 HLBC	±	Avg. of 4 values	
< 0.25	90	EICHTEN	73 HLBC	+		

¹⁵ FREEDMAN 93 limit on $\bar{\nu}_e$ observation is here interpreted as a limit on lepton family number violation.

¹⁶ BERGSMA 83 gives a limit on the inverse muon decay cross-section ratio $\sigma(\bar{\nu}_\mu e^- \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}_e)/\sigma(\nu_\mu e^- \rightarrow \mu^- \nu_e)$, which is essentially equivalent to $\Gamma(e^- \nu_e \bar{\nu}_\mu)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$ for small values like that quoted.

$\Gamma(e^- \gamma)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$

Forbidden by lepton family number conservation.

VALUE (units 10^{-11})	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
< 4.9	90	BOLTON	88	CBOX	+
$\bullet \bullet \bullet$ We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. $\bullet \bullet \bullet$					
<100	90	AZUELOS	83	CNTR	+
< 17	90	KINNISON	82	SPEC	+
<100	90	SCHAAF	80	ELEC	+
					SIN

Γ_5/Γ

$\Gamma(e^- e^+ e^-)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$

Forbidden by lepton family number conservation.

VALUE (units 10^{-12})	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
< 1.0	90	17 BELLGARDT	88	SPEC	+
$\bullet \bullet \bullet$ We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. $\bullet \bullet \bullet$					
< 36	90	BARANOV	91	SPEC	+
< 35	90	BOLTON	88	CBOX	+
< 2.4	90	17 BERTL	85	SPEC	+
<160	90	17 BERTL	84	SPEC	+
<130	90	17 BOLTON	84	CNTR	LAMPF

Γ_6/Γ

¹⁷ These experiments assume a constant matrix element.

$\Gamma(e^- 2\gamma)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$

Forbidden by lepton family number conservation.

VALUE (units 10^{-11})	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
< 7.2	90	BOLTON	88	CBOX	+
$\bullet \bullet \bullet$ We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. $\bullet \bullet \bullet$					
< 840	90	18 AZUELOS	83	CNTR	+
<5000	90	19 BOWMAN	78	CNTR	DEPOMMIER 77 data

Γ_7/Γ

¹⁸ AZUELOS 83 uses the phase space distribution of BOWMAN 78.

¹⁹ BOWMAN 78 assumes an interaction Lagrangian local on the scale of the inverse μ mass.

LIMIT ON $\mu^- \rightarrow e^-$ CONVERSION

Forbidden by lepton family number conservation.

$\sigma(\mu^- {}^{32}\text{S} \rightarrow e^- {}^{32}\text{S}) / \sigma(\mu^- {}^{32}\text{S} \rightarrow \nu_\mu {}^{32}\text{P}^*)$

VALUE	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
< 7×10^{-11}	90	BADERT...	80	STRC SIN
$\bullet \bullet \bullet$ We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. $\bullet \bullet \bullet$				
< 4×10^{-10}	90	BADERT...	77	STRC SIN

$\sigma(\mu^- \text{Cu} \rightarrow e^- \text{Cu}) / \sigma(\mu^- \text{Cu} \rightarrow \text{capture})$

VALUE	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN
$\bullet \bullet \bullet$ We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. $\bullet \bullet \bullet$			
< 1.6×10^{-8}	90	BRYMAN	72 SPEC

$\sigma(\mu^- \text{Ti} \rightarrow e^- \text{Ti}) / \sigma(\mu^- \text{Ti} \rightarrow \text{capture})$

VALUE	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
$<4.3 \times 10^{-12}$	90	20 DOHMEN	93 SPEC	SINDRUM II
$\bullet \bullet \bullet$ We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. $\bullet \bullet \bullet$				
$<4.6 \times 10^{-12}$	90	AHMAD	88 TPC	TRIUMF
$<1.6 \times 10^{-11}$	90	BRYMAN	85 TPC	TRIUMF

²⁰DOHMEN 93 assumes $\mu^- \rightarrow e^-$ conversion leaves the nucleus in its ground state, a process enhanced by coherence and expected to dominate.

$\sigma(\mu^- \text{Pb} \rightarrow e^- \text{Pb}) / \sigma(\mu^- \text{Pb} \rightarrow \text{capture})$

VALUE	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
$<4.6 \times 10^{-11}$	90	HONECKER	96 SPEC	SINDRUM II
$\bullet \bullet \bullet$ We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. $\bullet \bullet \bullet$				
$<4.9 \times 10^{-10}$	90	AHMAD	88 TPC	TRIUMF

LIMIT ON $\mu^- \rightarrow e^+$ CONVERSION

Forbidden by total lepton number conservation.

$\sigma(\mu^- {}^{32}\text{S} \rightarrow e^+ {}^{32}\text{Si}^*) / \sigma(\mu^- {}^{32}\text{S} \rightarrow \nu_\mu {}^{32}\text{P}^*)$

VALUE	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
$<9 \times 10^{-10}$	90	BADERT...	80 STRC	SIN
$\bullet \bullet \bullet$ We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. $\bullet \bullet \bullet$				
$<1.5 \times 10^{-9}$	90	BADERT...	78 STRC	SIN

$\sigma(\mu^- {}^{127}\text{I} \rightarrow e^+ {}^{127}\text{Sb}^*) / \sigma(\mu^- {}^{127}\text{I} \rightarrow \text{anything})$

VALUE	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
$<3 \times 10^{-10}$	90	21 ABELA	80 CNTR	Radiochemical tech.

²¹ABELA 80 is upper limit for $\mu^- e^+$ conversion leading to particle-stable states of ${}^{127}\text{Sb}$. Limit for total conversion rate is higher by a factor less than 4 (G. Backenstoss, private communication).

$\sigma(\mu^- \text{Cu} \rightarrow e^+ \text{Co}) / \sigma(\mu^- \text{Cu} \rightarrow \nu_\mu \text{Ni})$

VALUE	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN
$\bullet \bullet \bullet$ We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. $\bullet \bullet \bullet$			
$<2.6 \times 10^{-8}$	90	BRYMAN	72 SPEC
$<2.2 \times 10^{-7}$	90	CONFORTO	62 OSPK

$\sigma(\mu^- \text{Ti} \rightarrow e^+ \text{Ca}) / \sigma(\mu^- \text{Ti} \rightarrow \text{capture})$

VALUE	CL%	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
$<3.6 \times 10^{-11}$	90	1	22,23 KAULARD	98 SPEC	-	SINDRUM II
$\bullet \bullet \bullet$ We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. $\bullet \bullet \bullet$						
$<1.7 \times 10^{-12}$	90	1	23,24 KAULARD	98 SPEC	-	SINDRUM II
$<4.3 \times 10^{-12}$	90		24 DOHMEN	93 SPEC		SINDRUM II
$<8.9 \times 10^{-11}$	90		22 DOHMEN	93 SPEC		SINDRUM II
$<1.7 \times 10^{-10}$	90		25 AHMAD	88 TPC		TRIUMF

²²This limit assumes a giant resonance excitation of the daughter Ca nucleus (mean energy and width both 20 MeV).

²³ KAULARD 98 obtained these same limits using the unified classical analysis of FELDMAN 98.

²⁴ This limit assumes the daughter Ca nucleus is left in the ground state. However, the probability of this is unknown.

²⁵ Assuming a giant-resonance-excitation model.

LIMIT ON MUONIUM → ANTIMUONIUM CONVERSION

Forbidden by lepton family number conservation.

$$R_g = G_C / G_F$$

The effective Lagrangian for the $\mu^+ e^- \rightarrow \mu^- e^+$ conversion is assumed to be

$$\mathcal{L} = 2^{-1/2} G_C [\bar{\psi}_\mu \gamma_\lambda (1 - \gamma_5) \psi_e] [\bar{\psi}_\mu \gamma_\lambda (1 - \gamma_5) \psi_e] + \text{h.c.}$$

The experimental result is then an upper limit on G_C/G_F , where G_F is the Fermi coupling constant.

VALUE	CL%	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
< 0.0030	90	1	26 WILLMANN 99	SPEC	+	μ^+ at 26 GeV/c
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •						
< 0.14	90	1	27 GORDEEV	97 SPEC	+	JINR phasotron
< 0.018	90	0	28 ABELA	96 SPEC	+	μ^+ at 24 MeV
< 6.9	90		NI	93 CBOX		LAMPF
< 0.16	90		MATTHIAS	91 SPEC		LAMPF
< 0.29	90		HUBER	90B CNTR		TRIUMF
< 20	95		BEER	86 CNTR		TRIUMF
< 42	95		MARSHALL	82 CNTR		

²⁶ WILLMANN 99 quote both probability $P_{MM} < 8.3 \times 10^{-11}$ at 90%CL in a 0.1 T field and $R_g = G_C/G_F$.

²⁷ GORDEEV 97 quote limits on both $f = G_{MM}/G_F$ and the probability $W_{MM} < 4.7 \times 10^{-7}$ (90%CL).

²⁸ ABELA 96 quote both probability $P_{MM} < 8 \times 10^{-9}$ at 90% CL and $R_g = G_C/G_F$.

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μ DECAY PARAMETERS

ρ PARAMETER

($V-A$) theory predicts $\rho = 0.75$.

VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
0.7518 ± 0.0026		DERENZO 69	RVUE		
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •					
0.762 ± 0.008	170k	29 FRYBERGER	68 ASPK	+	25–53 MeV e^+
0.760 ± 0.009	280k	29 SHERWOOD	67 ASPK	+	25–53 MeV e^+
0.7503 ± 0.0026	800k	29 PEOPLES	66 ASPK	+	20–53 MeV e^+

²⁹ η constrained = 0. These values incorporated into a two parameter fit to ρ and η by DERENZO 69.

η PARAMETER

($V-A$) theory predicts $\eta = 0$.

VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
-0.007±0.013 OUR AVERAGE					
-0.007±0.013	5.3M	30 BURKARD	85B FIT	+	9–53 MeV e^+
-0.12 ± 0.21	6346	DERENZO	69 HBC	+	1.6–6.8 MeV e^+
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •					
-0.012±0.015±0.003	5.3M	31 BURKARD	85B CNTR	+	9–53 MeV e^+
0.011±0.081±0.026	5.3M	BURKARD	85B CNTR	+	9–53 MeV e^+
-0.7 ± 0.5	170k	32 FRYBERGER	68 ASPK	+	25–53 MeV e^+
-0.7 ± 0.6	280k	32 SHERWOOD	67 ASPK	+	25–53 MeV e^+
0.05 ± 0.5	800k	32 PEOPLES	66 ASPK	+	20–53 MeV e^+
-2.0 ± 0.9	9213	33 PLANO	60 HBC	+	Whole spec-trum

³⁰ Global fit to all measured parameters. Correlation coefficients are given in BURKARD 85B.

³¹ $\alpha = \alpha' = 0$ assumed.

³² ρ constrained = 0.75.

³³ Two parameter fit to ρ and η ; PLANO 60 discounts value for η .

δ PARAMETER

($V-A$) theory predicts $\delta = 0.75$.

VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
0.7486±0.0026±0.0028					
34 BALKE	88	SPEC	+		Surface μ^+ 's
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •					
35 VOSSLER	69				
0.752 ± 0.009	490k	FRYBERGER	68 ASPK	+	25–53 MeV e^+
0.782 ± 0.031		KRUGER	61		
0.78 ± 0.05	8354	PLANO	60 HBC	+	Whole spec-trum

³⁴ BALKE 88 uses $\rho = 0.752 \pm 0.003$.

³⁵ VOSSLER 69 has measured the asymmetry below 10 MeV. See comments about radiative corrections in VOSSLER 69.

$|(\xi \text{ PARAMETER}) \times (\mu \text{ LONGITUDINAL POLARIZATION})|$

($V-A$) theory predicts $\xi = 1$, longitudinal polarization = 1.

VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
1.0027±0.0079±0.0030					
		BELTRAMI	87 CNTR		SIN, π decay in flight
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •					
1.0013±0.0030±0.0053		36 IMAZATO	92 SPEC	+	$K^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu$
0.975 ± 0.015		AKHMANOV	68 EMUL		140 kG
0.975 ± 0.030	66k	GUREVICH	64 EMUL		See AKHMA-NOV 68
0.903 ± 0.027		37 ALI-ZADE	61 EMUL	+	27 kG
0.93 ± 0.06	8354	PLANO	60 HBC	+	8.8 kG
0.97 ± 0.05	9k	BARDON	59 CNTR		Bromoform target

³⁶ The corresponding 90% confidence limit from IMAZATO 92 is $|\xi P_\mu| > 0.990$. This measurement is of K^+ decay, not π^+ decay, so we do not include it in an average, nor do we yet set up a separate data block for K results.

³⁷ Depolarization by medium not known sufficiently well.

$\xi \times (\mu \text{ LONGITUDINAL POLARIZATION}) \times \delta / \rho$

VALUE	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
>0.99682	90	38 JODIDIO	86	SPEC +	TRIUMF
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •					
>0.9966	90	39 STOKER	85	SPEC +	μ -spin rotation
>0.9959	90	CARR	83	SPEC +	11 kG

38 JODIDIO 86 includes data from CARR 83 and STOKER 85. The value here is from the erratum.

39 STOKER 85 find $(\xi P_\mu \delta / \rho) > 0.9955$ and > 0.9966 , where the first limit is from new μ spin-rotation data and the second is from combination with CARR 83 data. In $V-A$ theory, $(\delta / \rho) = 1.0$.

$\xi' = \text{LONGITUDINAL POLARIZATION OF } e^+$

$(V-A)$ theory predicts the longitudinal polarization = ± 1 for e^\pm , respectively. We have flipped the sign for e^- so our programs can average.

VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
1.00 ±0.04 OUR AVERAGE					
0.998 ± 0.045	1M	BURKARD	85	CNTR +	Bhabha + annihil
0.89 ± 0.28	29k	SCHWARTZ	67	OSPK -	Moller scattering
0.94 ± 0.38		BLOOM	64	CNTR +	Brems. transmiss.
1.04 ± 0.18		DUCLOS	64	CNTR +	Bhabha scattering
1.05 ± 0.30		BUHLER	63	CNTR +	Annihilation

ξ'' PARAMETER

VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
0.65±0.36	326k	40 BURKARD	85	CNTR +	Bhabha + annihil

40 BURKARD 85 measure $(\xi'' - \xi \xi') / \xi$ and ξ' and set $\xi = 1$.

TRANSVERSE e^+ POLARIZATION IN PLANE OF μ SPIN, e^+ MOMENTUM

VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •					
0.016 ± 0.021 ± 0.01	5.3M	BURKARD	85B	CNTR +	Annihil 9–53 MeV

TRANSVERSE e^+ POLARIZATION NORMAL TO PLANE OF μ SPIN, e^+ MOMENTUM

Zero if T invariance holds.

VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
0.007±0.022±0.007	5.3M	BURKARD	85B	CNTR +	Annihil 9–53 MeV

α/A

VALUE (units 10^{-3})	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
0.4± 4.3		41 BURKARD	85B	FIT	

• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. **• • •**

15 ± 50 ± 14 5.3M BURKARD 85B CNTR + 9–53 MeV e^+

41 Global fit to all measured parameters. Correlation coefficients are given in BURKARD 85B.

α'/A

Zero if T invariance holds.

<u>VALUE</u> (units 10^{-3})	<u>EVTS</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
- 0.2 ± 4.3		42 BURKARD	85B FIT		

• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •

$-47 \pm 50 \pm 14$	5.3M	43 BURKARD	85B CNTR +	9–53 MeV e^+
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42 Global fit to all measured parameters. Correlation coefficients are given in BURKARD 85B.

43 BURKARD 85B measure e^+ polarizations P_{T_1} and P_{T_2} versus e^+ energy.

β'/A

<u>VALUE</u> (units 10^{-3})	<u>EVTS</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
3.9 ± 6.2		44 BURKARD	85B FIT		

• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •

$2 \pm 17 \pm 6$	5.3M	BURKARD	85B CNTR +	9–53 MeV e^+
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44 Global fit to all measured parameters. Correlation coefficients are given in BURKARD 85B.

β'/A

Zero if T invariance holds.

<u>VALUE</u> (units 10^{-3})	<u>EVTS</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
1.5 ± 6.3		45 BURKARD	85B FIT		

• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •

$17 \pm 17 \pm 6$	5.3M	46 BURKARD	85B CNTR +	9–53 MeV e^+
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45 Global fit to all measured parameters. Correlation coefficients are given in BURKARD 85B.

46 BURKARD 85B measure e^+ polarizations P_{T_1} and P_{T_2} versus e^+ energy.

a/A

This comes from an alternative parameterization to that used in the Summary Table (see the “Note on Muon Decay Parameters” above).

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<15.9	90	47 BURKARD	85B FIT
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47 Global fit to all measured parameters. Correlation coefficients are given in BURKARD 85B.

a'/A

This comes from an alternative parameterization to that used in the Summary Table (see the “Note on Muon Decay Parameters” above).

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5.3 ± 4.1		48 BURKARD	85B FIT
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48 Global fit to all measured parameters. Correlation coefficients are given in BURKARD 85B.

(b' + b)/A

This comes from an alternative parameterization to that used in the Summary Table (see the "Note on Muon Decay Parameters" above).

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<1.04 90 49 BURKARD 85B FIT

49 Global fit to all measured parameters. Correlation coefficients are given in BURKARD 85B.

c/A

This comes from an alternative parameterization to that used in the Summary Table (see the "Note on Muon Decay Parameters" above).

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<6.4 90 50 BURKARD 85B FIT

50 Global fit to all measured parameters. Correlation coefficients are given in BURKARD 85B.

c'/A

This comes from an alternative parameterization to that used in the Summary Table (see the "Note on Muon Decay Parameters" above).

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• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •

3.5 ± 2.0 51 BURKARD 85B FIT

51 Global fit to all measured parameters. Correlation coefficients are given in BURKARD 85B.

$\bar{\eta}$ PARAMETER

(V-A) theory predicts $\bar{\eta} = 0$. $\bar{\eta}$ affects spectrum of radiative muon decay.

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0.02 ± 0.08 OUR AVERAGE

-0.014 ± 0.090 EICHENBER... 84 ELEC + ρ free

$+0.09 \pm 0.14$ BOGART 67 CNTR +

• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •

-0.035 ± 0.098 EICHENBER... 84 ELEC + $\rho=0.75$ assumed

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FELDMAN	98	PR D57 3873	G.J. Feldman, R.D. Cousins
KAULARD	98	PL B422 334	J. Kaulard+
GORDEEV	97	PAN 60 1164	V.A. Gordeev+
		Translated from YAF 60 1291.	(SINDRUM-II Collab.)
ABELA	96	PRL 77 1950	+Bagaturia+ (PSI, ZURI, HEIDH, TBIL, YALE+)
HONECKER	96	PRL 76 200	+Dohmen, Haan, Junker+ (SINDRUM II Collab.)
DOHMEN	93	PL B317 631	+Groth, Heer+ (PSI SINDRUM-II Collab.)
FREEDMAN	93	PR D47 811	+Fujikawa, Napolitano, Nelson+ (LAMPF E645 Collab.)
NI	93	PR D48 1976	+Arnold, Chmely+ (LAMPF Crystal-Box Collab.)
IMAZATO	92	PRL 69 877	+Kawashima, Tanaka+ (KEK, INUS, TOKY, TOKMS)
BARANOV	91	SJNP 53 802	+Vanko, Glazov, Evtukhovich+ (JINR)
		Translated from YAF 53 1302.	

KRAKAUER	91B	PL B263 534	+Talaga, Allen, Chen, Doe+ (UMD, UCI, LANL)
MATTHIAS	91	PRL 66 2716	+Ahn+ (YALE, HEIDP, WILL, GSI, VILL, BNL)
Also	91B	PRL 67 932 erratum	Matthias, Ahn+ (YALE, HEIDP, WILL, GSI, VILL, BNL)
HUBER	90B	PR D41 2709	+ (WYOM, VICT, ARIZ, ROCH, TRIU, SFRA, BRCO)
AHMAD	88	PR D38 2102	+Azuelos+ (TRIU, VICT, VPI, BRCO, MONT, CNRC)
Also	87	PRL 59 970	Ahmad+ (TRIU, VPI, VICT, BRCO, MONT, CNRC)
BALKE	88	PR D37 587	+Gidal, Jodidio+ (LBL, UCB, COLO, NWES, TRIU)
BELLGARDT	88	NP B299 1	+Otter, Eichler+ (SINDRUM Collab.)
BOLTON	88	PR D38 2077	+Cooper, Frank, Hallin+ (LANL, STAN, CHIC, TEMP)
Also	86	PRL 56 2461	Bolton, Bowman, Cooper+ (LANL, STAN, CHIC, TEMP)
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BELTRAMI	87	PL B194 326	+Burkard, Von Dincklage+ (ETH, SIN, MANZ)
COHEN	87	RMP 59 1121	+Taylor (RISC, NBS)
BEER	86	PRL 57 671	+Marshall, Mason+ (VICT, TRIU, WYOM)
BELTRAMI	86	NP A451 679	+Aas, Beer, Dechambrier, Goudsmit+ (ETH, FRIB)
JODIDIO	86	PR D34 1967	+Balke, Carr, Gidal, Shinsky+ (LBL, NWES, TRIU)
Also	88	PR D37 237 erratum	Jodidio, Balke, Carr+ (LBL, NWES, TRIU)
BERTL	85	NP B260 1	+Egli, Eichler+ (SINDRUM Collab.)
BRYMAN	85	PRL 55 465	+ (TRIU, CNRC, BRCO, LANL, CHIC, CARL+)
BURKARD	85	PL 150B 242	+Corriveau, Egger+ (ETH, SIN, MANZ)
BURKARD	85B	PL 160B 343	+Corriveau, Egger+ (ETH, SIN, MANZ)
Also	81B	PR D24 2004	Corriveau, Egger, Fetscher+ (ETH, SIN, MANZ)
Also	83B	PL 129B 260	Corriveau, Egger, Fetscher+ (ETH, SIN, MANZ)
HUGHES	85	CNPP 14 341	+Kinoshita (YALE, CORN)
STOKER	85	PRL 54 1887	+Balke, Carr, Gidal+ (LBL, NWES, TRIU)
BARDIN	84	PL 137B 135	+Duclos, Magnon+ (SACL, CERN, BGNA, FIRZ)
BERTL	84	PL 140B 299	+Eichler, Felawka+ (SINDRUM Collab.)
BOLTON	84	PRL 53 1415	+Bowman, Carlini+ (LANL, CHIC, STAN, TEMP)
EICHENBER...	84	NP A412 523	Eichenberger, Engfer, VanderSchaff (ZURI)
GIOVANETTI	84	PR D29 343	+Dey, Eckhause, Hart+ (WILL)
KINOSHITA	84	PRL 52 717	+Nizic, Okamoto (CORN)
AZUELOS	83	PRL 51 164	+Depommier, Leroy, Martin+ (MONT, TRIU, BRCO)
Also	77	PRL 39 1113	Depommier+ (MONT, BRCO, TRIU, VICT, MELB)
BERGSMA	83	PL 122B 465	+Dorenbosch, Jonker+ (CHARM Collab.)
CARR	83	PRL 51 627	+Gidal, Gobbi, Jodidio, Oram+ (LBL, NWES, TRIU)
KINNISON	82	PR D25 2846	+Anderson, Matis, Wright+ (IFI, STAN, LANL)
Also	79	PRL 42 556	Bowman, Cooper, Hamm+ (LASL, EFI, STAN)
KLEMP	82	PR D25 652	+Schulze, Wolf, Camani, Gygax+ (MANZ, ETH)
MARIAM	82	PRL 49 993	+Beer, Bolton, Egan, Gardner+ (YALE, HEIDH, BERN)
MARSHALL	82	PR D25 1174	+Warren, Oram, Kiefl (BRCO)
COMBLEY	81	PRPL 68 93	+Farley, Picasso (SHEF, RMCS, CERN)
NEMETHY	81	CNPP 10 147	+Hughes (LBL, YALE)
ABELA	80	PL 95B 318	+Backenstoss, Simons, Wuest+ (BASL, KARLK, KARLE)
BADERT...	80	LNC 28 401	Badertscher, Borer, Czapek, Flueckiger+ (BERN)
Also	82	NP A377 406	Badertscher, Borer, Czapek, Flueckiger+ (BERN)
JONKER	80	PL 93B 203	+Panman, Udo, Allaby+ (CHARM Collab.)
SCHAAF	80	NP A340 249	+Engfer, Povel, Dey+ (ZURI, ETH, SIN)
Also	77	PL 72B 183	Povel, Dey, Walter, Pfeiffer+ (ZURI, ETH, SIN)
WILLIS	80	PRL 44 522	+Hughes+ (YALE, LBL, LASL, SACL, SIN, CNRC+)
Also	80B	PRL 45 1370	Willis+ (YALE, LBL, LASL, SACL, SIN, CNRC+)
BAILEY	79	NP B150 1	(CERN, DARE, MANZ)
FARLEY	79	ARNPS 29 243	+Picasso (RMCS, CERN)
BADERT...	78	PL 79B 371	Badertscher, Borer, Czapek, Flueckiger+ (BERN)
BAILEY	78	JPG 4 345	(DARE, BERN, SHEF, MANZ, RMCS, CERN, BIRM)
Also	79	NP B150 1	Bailey (CERN, DARE, MANZ)
BLIETSCHAU	78	NP B133 205	+Deden, Hasert, Krenz+ (Gargamelle Collab.)
BOWMAN	78	PRL 41 442	+Cheng, Li, Matis (LASL, IAS, CMU, EFI)
CAMANI	78	PL 77B 326	+Gygax, Klemp, Schenck, Schulze+ (ETH, MANZ)
BADERT...	77	PRL 39 1385	Badertscher, Borer, Czapek, Flueckiger+ (BERN)
BAILEY	77	PL 67B 225	+ (CERN Muon Storage Ring Collab.)
Also	77C	PL 68B 191	Bailey+ (CERN, DARE, BERN, SHEF, MANZ+)
Also	75	PL 55B 420	Bailey+ (CERN Muon Storage Ring Collab., BIRM)
CALMET	77	RMP 49 21	+Narison, Perrottet+ (CPPM)
CASPERSON	77	PRL 38 956	+Crane+ (BERN, HEIDH, LASL, WYOM, YALE)
DEPOMMIER	77	PRL 39 1113	+ (MONT, BRCO, TRIU, VICT, MELB)
BALANDIN	74	JETP 40 811	+Grebenyuk, Zinov, Konin, Ponomarev (JINR)

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COHEN	73	JPCRD 2 663	+Taylor	(RISC, NBS)
DUCLOS	73	PL 47B 491	+Magnon, Picard	(SACL)
EICHEN	73	PL 46B 281	+Deden, Hasert, Krenz+	(Gargamelle Collab.)
BRYMAN	72	PRL 28 1469	+Blecher, Gotow, Powers	(VPI)
CROWE	72	PR D5 2145	+Hague, Rothberg, Schenck+	(LBL, WASH)
CRANE	71	PRL 27 474	+Casperon, Crane, Egan, Hughes+	(YALE)
DERENZO	69	PR 181 1854		(IFI)
VOSSLER	69	NC 63A 423		(IFI)
AKHMANOV	68	SJNP 6 230	+Gurevich, Dobretsov, Makarina+	(KIAE)
		Translated from YAF 6	316.	
BAILEY	68	PL 28B 287	+Bartl, VonBochmann, Brown, Farley+	(CERN)
Also	72	NC 9A 369	Bailey, Bartl, VonBochmann, Brown+	(CERN)
FRYBERGER	68	PR 166 1379		(IFI)
BOGART	67	PR 156 1405	+Dicapua, Nemethy, Strelzoff	(COLU)
SCHWARTZ	67	PR 162 1306		(IFI)
SHERWOOD	67	PR 156 1475		(IFI)
PEOPLES	66	Nevis 147 unpub.		(COLU)
BLOOM	64	PL 8 87	+Dick, Feuvrais, Henry, Macq, Spighel	(CERN)
DUCLOS	64	PL 9 62	+Heintze, DeRujula, Soergel	(CERN)
GUREVICH	64	PL 11 185	+Makarina+	(KIAE)
BUHLER	63	PL 7 368	+Cabibbo, Fidecaro, Massam, Muller+	(CERN)
MEYER	63	PR 132 2693	+Anderson, Bleser, Lederman+	(COLU)
CHARPAK	62	PL 1 16	+Farley, Garwin+	(CERN)
CONFORTO	62	NC 26 261	+Conversi, Dilella+	(INFN, ROMA, CERN)
ALI-ZADE	61	JETP 13 313	+Gurevich, Nikolski	
		Translated from ZETF	40 452.	
CRITTENDEN	61	PR 121 1823	+Walker, Ballam	(WISC, MSU)
KRUGER	61	UCRL 9322 unpub.		(LRL)
GUREVICH	60	JETP 10 225	+Nikolski, Surkova	(ITEP)
		Translated from ZETF	37 318.	
PLANO	60	PR 119 1400		(COLU)
ASHKIN	59	NC 14 1266	+Fazzini, Fidecaro, Lipman, Merrison+	(CERN)
BARDON	59	PRL 2 56	+Berley, Lederman	(COLU)
LEE	59	PRL 3 55	+Samios	(COLU)
