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Status of the OLYMPUS Experiment[1] AXEL SCHMIDT, MIT, OLYMPUS COLLABORATION — The OLYMPUS Experiment finished collecting data at DESY, Hamburg, in 2013, and the analysis effort is well underway. The goal of the experiment is to measure the ratio of electron-proton to positron-proton elastic scattering cross sections with 1 percent uncertainty. Deviation in this ratio from unity is evidence of hard two-photon exchange, an effect which may be responsible for the current proton form-factor discrepancy. At OLYMPUS, alternating beams of positrons and electrons were directed through a windowless hydrogen gas target, and the scattered lepton and recoiling proton were detected in coincidence in a large-acceptance magnetic spectrometer. Forward tracking telescopes, and Møller/Bhabha calorimeters independently monitored the relative luminosity of the electron and positron running modes. Over 4 fb^{-1} of integrated luminosity were collected, giving OLYMPUS excellent statistical precision. The analysis procedure as well as the current status will be presented.

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