LATTICES AND CRYPTOGRAPHY

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Definition

Let n and d be two positive integers. Let $b_1 \cdots, b_d \in \mathbb{R}^n$ be d linearly independent vectors. The lattice \mathcal{L} generated by $(b_1 \cdots, b_d)$ is the set

$$\mathcal{L} = \sum_{i=1}^{d} \mathbb{Z}b_i = \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^{d} x_i b_i \mid x_i \in \mathbb{Z} \right\}.$$

The vectors $b_1 \cdots , b_d$ are called a vector basis of \mathcal{L} . The lattice rank is n and the lattice dimension is d. If n = d then \mathcal{L} is called a full rank lattice.



Notation

Let $b_1 \cdots, b_d \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and

$$\mathcal{L} = \sum_{i=1}^{d} \mathbb{Z}b_i = \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^{d} x_i b_i \mid x_i \in \mathbb{Z} \right\}.$$

We use vertical representation of the vectors.

b_1	b_2		b_i		b_d	
a_{11}	a_{12}		a_{1i}		a_{1d}	
a_{21}	a_{22}		a_{2i}		a_{2d}	
÷	:	:	:	:	:	
a_{j1}	a_{j2}		a_{ji}		a_{jd}	
÷	:	:	:	:	:	
a_{n1}	a_{n2}		a_{ni}		a_{nd}	

Example

- Rank n=3.
- Dimension d=2.
- The basis is (b_1, b_2) with

$$b_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \sqrt{2} \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad b_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \\ -\sqrt{5} \end{bmatrix}.$$

• The lattice \mathcal{L} generated by (b_1, b_2) is the set

$$\mathcal{L} = \{v, \quad v = x_1b_1 + x_2b_2, \quad (x_1, x_2) \in \mathbb{Z}^2\}.$$



Example: Lattice with dimension 2

Exercice

Consider the lattice with basis (b_1, b_2) where

$$b_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, b_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Draw the lattice $\mathcal{L} = \{v, \ v = x_1b_1 + x_2b_2, \ (x_1, x_2) \in \mathbb{Z}^2 \}$.



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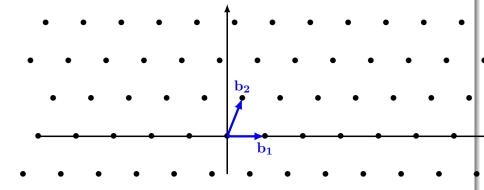


Figure: The lattice with the basis (b_1, b_2)



Proposition

Let \mathcal{L} be a lattice of dimension d and rank n, with a basis $(b_1 \cdots, b_d)$. Then \mathcal{L} can be written as the columns of a $n \times d$ matrix B with real entries.

Exercice

Prove the proposition.



Proposition

Let \mathcal{L} be a lattice of dimension d and rank n, with a basis $(b_1 \cdots, b_d)$. Then $\mathcal L$ can be written as the columns of a $n \times d$ matrix B with real entries.

Proof.

Let
$$(b_1\cdots,b_d)$$
 be a basis of $\mathcal L$ such that, for $1\leq i\leq d$, $b_i=\left[\begin{array}{c}a_{1i}\\a_{2i}\\ \vdots\\a_{ni}\end{array}\right]$.

Let $v \in \mathcal{L}$. Then $v = \sum_{i=1}^d x_i b_i$ for $x_i \in \mathbb{Z}$. Hence v can be rewritten as

$$v = x_1 \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} \\ a_{21} \\ \vdots \\ a_{n1} \end{bmatrix} + \dots + x_d \begin{bmatrix} a_{1d} \\ a_{2d} \\ \vdots \\ a_{nd} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1d} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2d} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nd} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_d \end{bmatrix}.$$

Proposition

Let $\mathcal{L} \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ be a lattice of dimension d. Let $(b_1 \cdots, b_d)$ and $(b'_1 \cdots, b'_d)$ be two bases of \mathcal{L} . Then there exists a $d \times d$ matrix U with entries in \mathbb{Z} and $\det(U) = \pm 1$ such that

$$\left[\begin{array}{c}b_1'\\ \vdots\\ b_d'\end{array}\right] = U \left[\begin{array}{c}b_1\\ \vdots\\ b_d\end{array}\right].$$

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$$(b'_1,\ldots,b'_d)^t = U(b_1,\ldots,b_d)^t.$$

Proof.

$$\begin{bmatrix} b_1' \\ \vdots \\ b_d' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} u_{11}b_1 + \ldots + u_{1d}b_d \\ \vdots \\ u_{d1}b_1 + \ldots + u_{dd}b_d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} u_{11} & \cdots & u_{1d} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ u_{d1} & \cdots & u_{dd} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ b_d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} U_{11} & \cdots & U_{1d} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ U_{d1} & \cdots & U_{dd} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ b_d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ b_d \end{bmatrix}$$
. Also,
$$\begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ b_d \end{bmatrix} = U' \begin{bmatrix} b_1' \\ \vdots \\ b_d' \end{bmatrix}$$
. Then $U'U = I_d$ and
$$\det(U) = \pm 1$$
.

Definition

Let $\mathcal L$ be a lattice with a basis $(b_1\cdots,b_d)$. The volume or determinant of $\mathcal L$ is

$$\det(\mathcal{L}) = \sqrt{\det\left(\left(B^T\right)B\right)},$$

where B is the $n \times d$ matrix formed by the columns of the basis vectors.

Exercice

Let \mathcal{L} be the lattice with basis (b_1, b_2) and

$$b_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad b_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Compute $det(\mathcal{L})$.



Example

- Rank n=3,
- Dimension d=2.
- The basis is (b_1,b_2) with $b_1=\begin{bmatrix}1\\3\\-2\end{bmatrix}$, $b_2=\begin{bmatrix}2\\1\\0\end{bmatrix}$.
- The matrix is $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \\ -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.
- Then $B^T=\begin{bmatrix}1&3&-2\\2&1&0\end{bmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix}B^T\end{pmatrix}B=\begin{bmatrix}14&5\\5&5\end{bmatrix}$
- The volume or determinant of \mathcal{L} is $\det(\mathcal{L}) = \sqrt{\det\left((B^T)B\right)} = \sqrt{45}$.



Proposition

Let \mathcal{L} be a full-rank lattice (n=d) with a basis $(b_1 \cdots, b_d)$. The volume or determinant of \mathcal{L} is

$$\det(\mathcal{L}) = \sqrt{\det((B^T)B)} = |\det(B)|,$$

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Proof.

We have

$$\det((B^T)B) = \det(B^T)\det(B) = (\det(B))^2.$$

Hence
$$det(\mathcal{L}) = \sqrt{(det(B))^2} = |det(B)|$$
.



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- The basis is (b_1,b_2) with $b_1=\begin{bmatrix}1\\3\end{bmatrix},\quad b_2=\begin{bmatrix}2\\1\end{bmatrix}$.
- The matrix is $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.
- ullet The volume or determinant of ${\cal L}$ is

$$\det(\mathcal{L}) = |\det(\mathcal{L})| = |1 - 6| = 5.$$



Proposition

Let \mathcal{L} be a lattice of dimension d. Then the $\det(\mathcal{L})$ is independent of the choice of the basis.

Exercice

Prove the proposition.



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Proof.

- Let $(b_1 \cdots, b_d)$ be a basis of \mathcal{L} . Then $\det(\mathcal{L}) = \sqrt{\det((B^T)B)}$.
- Let $(b'_1 \cdots, b'_d)$ be another basis of \mathcal{L} .
- There exists $U \in \mathbb{Z}^{d \times d}$ with $\det(U) = \pm 1$ such that B' = UB.
- Then

$$\det ((B'^T) B') = \det ((B^T U^T) UB)$$
$$= \det (U^T) \det ((B^T) B) \det (U)$$
$$= \det ((B^T) B).$$

• Hence $\sqrt{\det((B'^T)B')} = \sqrt{\det((B^T)B)} = \det(\mathcal{L}).$



Definition

Let \mathcal{L} be a lattice with a basis $(b_1 \cdots, b_d)$. The fundamental domain or parallelepipede for \mathcal{L} is the set

$$\mathcal{P}(b_1 \cdots, b_d) = \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^d x_i b_i, \mid 0 \le x_i < 1 \right\}.$$

Proposition

Let $\mathcal L$ be a lattice with a basis (b_1,\ldots,b_d) . The determinant $\det(\mathcal L)$ of the lattice is the volume $\mathcal V$ of the fundamental domain $\mathcal P(b_1,\ldots,b_d)$, that is

$$\det(\mathcal{L}) = \mathcal{V}(\mathcal{P}(b_1, \dots, b_d)).$$



Lattice with dimension 2

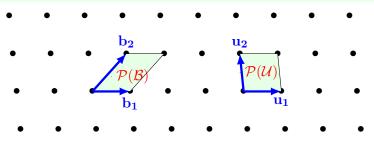


Figure: The fundamental domain for the bases (b_1, b_2) and (u_1, u_2)



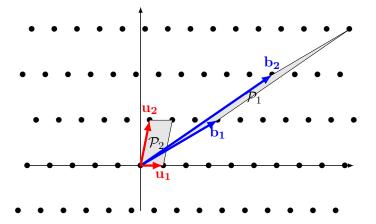


Figure: A lattice with two parallelepipeds and the same area



Proposition

Let \mathcal{L} be a lattice. Then \mathcal{L} has infinitely many bases.

• Let $(b_1 \cdots, b_d)$ and $(b'_1 \cdots, b'_d)$ be two bases of \mathcal{L} . Then there exists a $d \times d$ matrix $U \in \mathbb{Z}^{d \times d}$ and $\det(U) = \pm 1$ such that

$$\left[\begin{array}{c}b_1'\\ \vdots\\ b_d'\end{array}\right] = U \left[\begin{array}{c}b_1\\ \vdots\\ b_d\end{array}\right].$$

- The equation $\det(U)=\pm 1$ has infinitely many solutions in $U\in\mathbb{Z}^{d\times d}$.
- Example: if d=2 and $U=\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ y & x \end{bmatrix}$, then $\det(U)=3x-5y=1$ has infinitely many solutions $(x,y)\in\mathbb{Z}^2.$



How to find v?

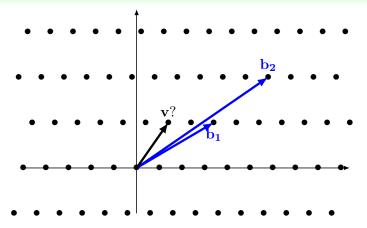


Figure: A lattice with a bad basis (b_1, b_2)

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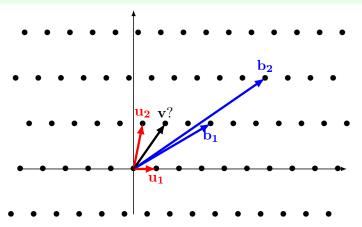


Figure: The same lattice with a good basis (u_1, u_2)

A good basis

- In a lattice some bases are better than others.
- A good basis is a basis with
 - Short vectors.
 - Almost orthogonal vectors.



Comparison of bases

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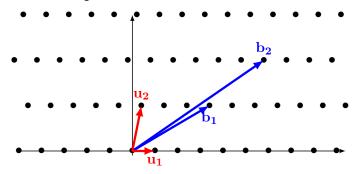


Figure: Comparison of the two bases

Inner product and Euclidean norm

Definition

Let $u=(u_1,\cdots,u_n)$ and $v=(v_1,\cdots,v_n)$ be two vectors of \mathbb{R}^n .

lacktriangle The inner product of u and v is

$$\langle u, v \rangle = u^T v = \sum_{i=1}^n u_i v_i.$$

$$||u|| = (\langle u, u \rangle)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} u_i^2\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$



Shortest vector

Definition

Let \mathcal{L} be a lattice. The minimal distance λ_1 of \mathcal{L} is the length of the shortest nonzero vector of \mathcal{L} :

$$\lambda_1 = \inf\{\|v\|: v \in \mathcal{L}\setminus\{0\}\}.$$



The shortest vector

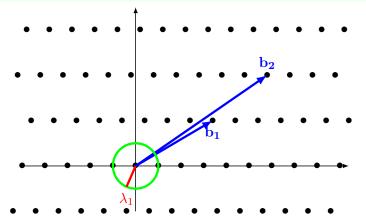


Figure: The shortest vector

Definition (The *i*th successive minimum)

Let L be a lattice of dimension n. For $i = 1, \dots n$, the ith successive minimum of the lattice is

 $\lambda_i = \min\{\max\{\|v_1\|, \dots, \|v_i\|\} \mid v_1, \dots, v_i \in \mathcal{L} \text{ are linearly independent}\}.$

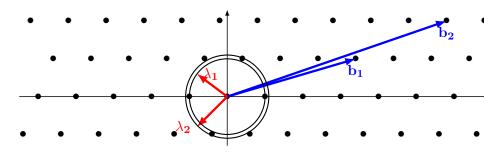


Figure: The first minima λ_1 and the second minima λ_2



Definition (The Shortest Vector Problem (SVP))

Given a basis matrix B for \mathcal{L} , compute a non-zero vector $v \in \mathcal{L}$ such that ||v|| is minimal, that is $||v|| = \lambda_1(\mathcal{L})$.



Theorem (Minkowski's Theorem)

Let \mathcal{L} be a lattice with dimension n. Then there exists a non-zero vector $v \in \mathcal{L}$ satisfying

$$||v|| \le \sqrt{n} \det(L)^{\frac{1}{n}}.$$

Example

• Let \mathcal{L} be a lattice with a basis (b_1, b_2) with

$$b_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 19239 \\ 2971 \end{bmatrix}, \quad b_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 22961 \\ 3546 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- The determinant is $det(\mathcal{L}) = 4363$.
- The shortest non-zero vector is $v = 37b_1 31b_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 52 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$.
- The norm is $||v|| = \sqrt{2705} \approx 52$.
- Minkowski's bound $\sqrt{n} \det(L)^{\frac{1}{n}} \approx 93$.

Closest Vectors

Definition (The Closest Vector Problem (CVP))

Given a basis matrix B for \mathcal{L} and a vector $v \notin \mathcal{L}$, compute a vector $v_0 \in \mathcal{L}$ such that $||v - v_0||$ is minimal.



Closest Vectors

The closest vector

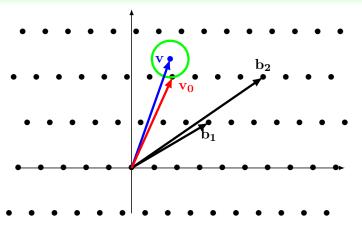


Figure: The closest vector to v is v_0

Lattice problems

Definition

Let \mathcal{L} be a full rank lattice of dimension n in \mathbb{Z}^n .

- **1** The Shortest Vector Problem (SVP): $||v|| = \lambda_1(\mathcal{L})$.
- **2** The Closest Vector Problem (CVP): ||v u|| is minimal.
- **3** The Shortest Independent Vectors Problem (SIVP): Given a basis matrix B for \mathcal{L} , find n linearly independent lattice vectors v_1, v_2, \ldots, v_n such that $\max_i \|v_i\| \leq \lambda_n$, where λ_n is the nth successive minima of \mathcal{L} .
- **The approximate SVP problem (\gammaSVP):** Fix $\gamma > 1$. Given a basis matrix B for \mathcal{L} , compute a non-zero vector $v \in \mathcal{L}$ such that $\|v\| \leq \gamma \lambda_1(\mathcal{L})$ where $\lambda_1(\mathcal{L})$ is the minimal Euclidean norm in \mathcal{L} .
- **The approximate CVP problem (\gammaCVP):** Fix $\gamma > 1$. Given a basis matrix B for $\mathcal L$ and a vector $v \not\in \mathcal L$, find a vector $u \in \mathcal L$ such that $\|v-u\| \leq \gamma \lambda_1 \mathsf{d}(v,\mathcal L)$ where $\mathsf{d}(v,\mathcal L) = \min_{u \in \mathcal L} \|v-u\|$.



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Mauritania



- Invented in 1982 by Lenstra, Lenstra and Lovász.
- Given an arbitrary basis B of a lattice \mathcal{L} , LLL finds a "good" basis.
- Polynomial time algorithm.
- Various applications:
 - **1** Formulae for π , $\log 2$, ...
 - 2 Implemented in Mathematica, Maple, Magma, Pari/GP, ...
 - 3 Solving diophantine equations.
 - Solving SVP and CVP problems in low dimensions.
 - Oryptanalysis of Knapsack cryptosystems.
 - 6 Attacks on RSA and NTRU.

Theorem

Let V be a vector space of dimension n and $(b_1 \cdots, b_n)$ a basis of V. Let $(b_1^* \cdots, b_n^*)$ be n vectors such that

$$b_1^* = b_1, \quad b_i^* = b_i - \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} \mu_{i,j} b_j^*,$$

where, for j < i

$$\mu_{i,j} = \frac{\langle b_i, b_j^* \rangle}{\langle b_j^*, b_j^* \rangle}.$$

Then $(b_1^* \cdots , b_n^*)$ is an orthogonal basis of V.

Exercice

Prove the theorem.



Proof.

• $(b_1^* \cdots, b_n^*)$ is a basis of V

$$\begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \\ \vdots \\ b_{n-1} \\ b_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \mu_{2,1} & 1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \mu_{3,1} & \mu_{3,2} & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \mu_{n_1,1} & \mu_{n-1,2} & \mu_{n-1,3} & \cdots & 1 & 0 \\ \mu_{n,1} & \mu_{n,2} & \mu_{n,3} & \cdots & \mu_{n,n-1} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b_1^* \\ b_2^* \\ b_3^* \\ \vdots \\ b_{n-1}^* \\ b_n^* \end{bmatrix} .$$

- Hence det(U) = 1.
- ullet $b_1^*=b_1$ et $b_2^*=b_2-\mu_{2,1}b_1$, then $\langle b_1^*,b_2^*
 angle=0$.
- By recursion, $\langle b_k^*, b_i^* \rangle = 0$ for $k \neq i$.



Proof.

The basis $(b_1^* \cdots, b_n^*)$ is orthogonal.

ullet Since $b_1^* = b_1$ and $b_2^* = b_2 - \mu_{1,1} b_1^*$, then

$$\langle b_1^*, b_2^* \rangle = \langle b_1, b_2 - \mu_{2,1} b_1 \rangle = \langle b_1, b_2 \rangle - \mu_{2,1} \langle b_1, b_1 \rangle$$
$$= \langle b_1, b_2 \rangle - \frac{\langle b_2, b_1 \rangle}{\langle b_1, b_1 \rangle} \langle b_1, b_1 \rangle = 0.$$

• By recursion, if $(b_1^* \cdots, b_{i-1}^*)$ is orthogonal for $i \geq 3$, then for 1 < k < i-1,

$$\langle b_k^*, b_i^* \rangle = \left\langle b_k^*, b_i - \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} \mu_{i,j} b_j^* \right\rangle = \left\langle b_k^*, b_i \right\rangle - \mu_{i,k} \left\langle b_k^*, b_k^* \right\rangle$$
$$= \left\langle b_k^*, b_i \right\rangle - \frac{\left\langle b_i, b_k^* \right\rangle}{\left\langle b_k^*, b_k^* \right\rangle} \left\langle b_k^*, b_k^* \right\rangle = 0.$$

Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization method: n=2

$$b_1^* = b_1, \quad b_2^* = b_2 - \frac{\langle b_2, b_1 \rangle}{\langle b_1, b_1 \rangle} b_1,$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle b_1^*, b_2^* \rangle = \langle b_1, b_2 \rangle - \frac{\langle b_2, b_1 \rangle}{\langle b_1, b_1 \rangle} \langle b_1, b_1 \rangle = 0.$$

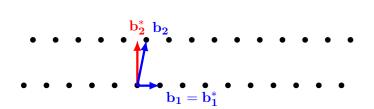


Figure: An orthogonal basis (b_1^*, b_2^*)

Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization method: the algorithm

Algorithm 1: Gram-Schmidt process

Require: A basis $(b_1 \cdots, b_n)$ of a space vector $V \subset \mathbb{R}^n$.

Ensure: An orthogonal basis $(b_1^* \cdots, b_n^*)$ of V.

- 1: Set $b_1^* = b_1$.
- 2: **for** $i = 1, 2, \dots n$, **do**
- 3: **for** $j = 1, 2, \dots, i-1, \text{ do}$
- 4: Compute $\mu_{i,j} = \frac{\langle b_i, b_j^* \rangle}{\langle b_j^*, b_j^* \rangle}$.
- 5: end for
- 6: Compute $b_i^* = b_i \sum_{i=1}^{i-1} \mu_{i,j} b_i^*$.
- 7: end for



Exercice

Give the associated orthogonal Gram-Schmidt vectors for :

- $b_1 = (3,1), b_2 = (1,2).$
- ② $b_1 = (3, 2, 5), b_2 = (2, 4, -1), b_3 = (-2, -1, 6).$



Exercice

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We get

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$$b_1^* = (3,1), \ \mu_{2,1} = \frac{\langle b_2, b_1^* \rangle}{\langle b_1^*, b_1^* \rangle}, \frac{1}{2}, \ b_2^* = b_2 - \mu_{2,1} b_1 = \left(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right).$$

$$\begin{split} b_1^* &= (3,2,5), \\ \mu_{2,1} &= \frac{9}{38}, \quad b_2^* = \left(\frac{49}{38}, \frac{67}{19}, -\frac{83}{38}\right), \\ \mu_{3,1} &= \frac{11}{19}, \quad \mu_{3,2} = -\frac{730}{717}, \quad b_3^* = \left(-\frac{1738}{717}, \frac{1027}{717}, \frac{632}{717}\right). \end{split}$$

Proposition

Let $B = \{b_1, \dots, b_n\}$ be a basis of a lattice \mathcal{L} and $B^* = \{b_1^*, \dots, b_n^*\}$ be the associated Gram-Schmidt basis. Then for $1 \le i \le n$,

$$||b_i^*|| \leq ||b_i||.$$

Exercice

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Proof.

- For i = 1, $||b_1^*|| = ||b_1||$
- For $2 \le i \le n$, $b_i = b_i^* + \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} \mu_{i,j} b_j^*$, Then

$$||b_i||^2 = ||b_i^*||^2 + \sum_{i=1}^{i-1} \mu_{i,j}^2 ||b_j^*||^2 \ge ||b_i^*||^2.$$



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Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization method: the determinant

Corollary (Hadamard)

Let $B = \{b_1, \dots, b_n\}$ be a basis of a lattice \mathcal{L} and let $B^* = \{b_1^*, \dots, b_n^*\}$ be the associated Gram-Schmidt basis. Then

$$\det(\mathcal{L}) = \prod_{i=1}^{n} ||b_i^*|| \le \prod_{i=1}^{n} ||b_i||.$$

Definition

Let \mathcal{L} be a lattice. A basis $(b_1 \cdots, b_n)$ of \mathcal{L} is LLL-reduced if the orthogonal Gram-Schmidt basis $(b_1^* \cdots, b_n^*)$ satisfies

$$|\mu_{i,j}| \leq \frac{1}{2}$$
, pour $1 \leq j < i \leq n$, (1)

$$\frac{3}{4} \|b_{i-1}^*\|^2 \le \|b_i^* + \mu_{i,i-1} b_{i-1}^*\|^2, \quad \text{pour } 1 < i \le n,$$
 (2)

where, for j < i

$$\mu_{i,j} = \frac{\langle b_i, b_j^* \rangle}{\langle b_j^*, b_j^* \rangle}.$$

Condition (2) can be transformed into the inequality

$$\left(\frac{3}{4} - \mu_{i,i-1}^2\right) \|b_{i-1}^*\|^2 \le \|b_i^*\|^2.$$



LLL-reduced basis: dimension 2

- $\bullet \langle b_2, b_1^* \rangle = ||b_1|| ||b_2|| \cos(b_1, b_2).$
- $|\mu_{2,1}| = \left| \frac{\langle b_2, b_1^* \rangle}{\langle b_1^*, b_1^* \rangle} \right| = \frac{\|b_1\| \|b_2\| |\cos(b_1, b_2)|}{\|b_1\|^2}.$
- $|\mu_{2,1}| \leq \frac{1}{2}$ means $|\cos(b_1, b_2)|$ is small and $b_1 \approx \perp b_2$.
- $(\frac{3}{4} |\mu_{2,1}|^2) \|b_1^*\|^2 \le \|b_2^*\|^2$ means b_2^* can be short.

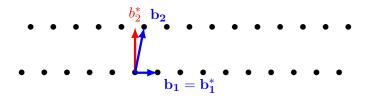


Figure: An 2-dimension reduced basis

LLL-reduced basis: properties

Let $(b_1 \cdots, b_n)$ be an LLL-reduced basis and (b_1^*, \cdots, b_n^*) be the Gram-Schmidt orthogonal associated basis.

- **3** $||b_j|| \le 2^{\frac{i-1}{2}} ||b_i^*||$ for $1 \le j \le i \le n$.
- $||b_1|| \le 2^{\frac{n-1}{4}} (\det(L))^{\frac{1}{n}}.$
- $||b_j|| \le 2^{\frac{n(n-1)}{4(n-j+1)}} (\det L)^{\frac{1}{n-j+1}}.$
- **6** For any nonzero vector $v \in L$, $||b_1|| \le 2^{\frac{n-1}{2}} ||v||$.



Comparison

- The LLL algorithm: $||b_1|| \leq 2^{\frac{n-1}{4}} \det(L)^{\frac{1}{n}}$.
- Minkowski: $||v|| \le \sqrt{n} \det(L)^{\frac{1}{n}}$.

Theorem

Let (b_1, \dots, b_n) be a basis of a lattice $\mathcal L$ of dimension n. Define $B = \max_i \|b_i\|$. The LLL algorithm computes an LLL-reduced basis with running time

$$\mathcal{O}\left(n^4\log^3 B\right)$$
.



Example

• Let \mathcal{L} be a lattice with a basis (u_1, u_2) with

$$u_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 12104590255 \\ 16053445447 \end{bmatrix}, \quad u_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 509666982522 \\ 675934577519 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- The determinant is $det(\mathcal{L}) = 11$.
- The LLL algorithm: $||b_1|| \leq 2^{\frac{1}{4}} \det(L)^{\frac{1}{2}} \approx 3.9.$
- ullet The LLL outputs the basis $(b_1,b_2 ext{ with } b_1=\left[egin{array}{c}2\\3\end{array}
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- The smallest norm is $||b_1|| = \sqrt{13} \approx 3.6$.



Example

Find $(x_1, x_2, x_3) \in \mathbb{Z}^3$ such that $F(x_1, x_2, x_3) \neq 0$ is minimal where

$$F(x_1, x_2, x_3)$$

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• Then
$$v = x_1u_1 + x_2u_2 + x_3u_3$$
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Apply the LLL algorithm to get

$$\begin{bmatrix} b_1 \to -23 & 11 & 12 \\ b_2 \to -2 & -21 & -16 \\ b_3 \to 20 & -19 & 27 \end{bmatrix}$$



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Solve the equation

$$\left[\begin{array}{c} 23795990x_1 + 2789321x_2 + 6722230x_3 \\ 10618674239468197x_1 + 4045209235436167x_2 + 3033906925524537x_3 \\ 175016190714715827x_1 + 66672834559179425x_2 + 50004625917609416x_3 \end{array}\right] = \left[\begin{array}{c} -23 \\ 11 \\ 12 \end{array}\right].$$

We get

$$(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (-76189063333397798959, -3309671943642864303, 271074617596603292055).$$

• The minimal is then $F(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (-23)^2 + 11^2 + 12^2 = 794$.

Algorithm 2: The LLL algorithm

Require: A basis (u_1, \dots, u_n)

Ensure: An LLL reduced basis (b_1, \dots, b_n)

- 1: For i = 1, ..., n, $b_i = u_i$.
- 2: k = 2
- 3: while $k \le n$ do
- 4: **for** j = 1, ..., k-1 **do**

5:
$$\mu_{k,j} = \frac{\langle b_k, b_j^* \rangle}{\langle b_k^*, b_k^* \rangle}, \ b_k = b_k - \lfloor \mu_{k,j} \rceil b_k^*.$$

6: end for

7: **if**
$$\|b_k^*\|^2 \geq \left(\frac{3}{4} - \mu_{k,k-1}^2\right) \|b_{k-1}^*\|^2$$
 then

8:
$$k = k + 1$$
.

- 9: **else**
- 10: Swap b_{k-1} and b_k , $k = \max(k-1, 2)$.
- 11: end if
- 12: end while
- 13: Return (b_1, \dots, b_n) .

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The RSA Cryptosystem

Invented in 1978 by Rivest, Shamir and Adleman.





- The most widely used asymmetric cryptosystem.
- The security of RSA is based on two hard problems:
 - 1 The integer factorization problem.
 - 2 The RSA Problem (the *e*th modular root).

The RSA Cryptosystem



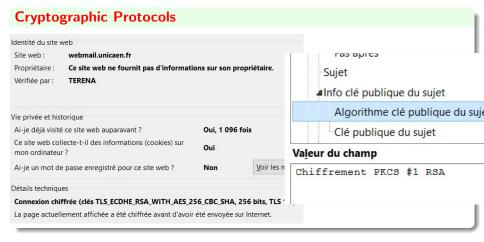


The most widely used cryptosystem

- 1. Encryption and digital signature.
- 2. Implemented in most Web servers and browsers.
- **3.** Securing e-commerce and e-mail.
- 4. Authenticity of electronic documents.
- **5.** Most commercially available security products.



Cryptography and the Internet



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Polynomial equation

Given a multivariate polynomial f and a modulus N, find a solution (x_1, \ldots, x_n) of the equation

$$f(x_1,\ldots,x_n)\equiv 0\pmod{N}.$$

Principles of Coppersmith's method

- $oldsymbol{0}$ f is a polynomial with small roots.
- **2** Use f to build ω polynomials sharing the roots.
- **3** Use the new polynomials to build a lattice \mathcal{L} with a basis B.
- Apply the LLL algorithm to reduce the basis B.
- Solve the polynomials of the reduced basis using Howgrave-Graham's Theorem and resultant or Gröbner Basis techniques.

The attack of Boneh and Durfee

- Start with ed k(p-1)(q-1) = 1.
- Transform to $k(N-p-q+1)+1 \equiv 0 \pmod{e}$.
- Consider $f(x,y) = x(N+y) + 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{e}$.
- Then $f(k, -p-q-1) \equiv 0 \pmod{e}$.
- For m and t positive integers, $0 \le k \le m$, define the polynomials

$$g_{k,i_1}(x,y) = x^{i_1-k} f(x,y)^k e^{m-k}, \quad k \le i_1 \le m,$$

 $h_{k,i_2}(x,y) = y^{i_2-k} f(x,y)^k e^{m-k}, \quad k+1 \le i_2 \le k+t.$



Exercice

- Show that $g_{k,i_1}(k,-p-q-1) \equiv 0 \pmod{e^m}$.
- 2 Show that $h_{k,i_2}(k,-p-q-1) \equiv 0 \pmod{e^m}$.
- **3** Let m=2 and t=1. For $0 \le k \le m$, compute $g_{k,i_1}(x,y)$ and $h_{k,i_2}(x,y)$.

Exercice

- We have $f(k, -p q 1) \equiv 0 \pmod{e}$.
- Then

$$g_{k,i_1}(k, -p-q-1) = k^{i_1-k} f(k, -p-q-1)^k e^{m-k}$$

= $k^{i_1-k} a e^k e^{m-k} = b e^m$.

Hence $g_{k,i_1}(k, -p - q - 1) \equiv 0 \pmod{e^m}$.

Also,

$$h_{k,i_2}(k, -p - q - 1) = (-p - q - 1)^{i_2 - k} f(k, -p - q - 1)^k e^{m - k}$$
$$= (-p - q - 1)^{i_2 - k} a' e^k e^{m - k} = b' e^m.$$

Hence $h_{k,i_2}(k,-p-q-1) \equiv 0 \pmod{e^m}$.



Exercice

Let m=2 and t=1. Compute $g_{k,i_1}(x,y)=x^{i_1-k}f(x,y)^ke^{m-k}$ for $0 \le k \le m$ and $k \le i_1 \le m$.

We have

$$\begin{split} g_{0,0}(x,y) &= e^2, \quad g_{0,1}(x,y) = e^2x, \quad g_{0,2}(x,y) = e^2x^2, \\ g_{1,1}(x,y) &= (xy+Nx+1)e = e+Nex+exy, \\ g_{1,2}(x,y) &= x(xy+Nx+1)e = e+Nex^2+ex^2y, \\ g_{2,2}(x,y) &= (xy+Nx+1)^2 = 1+2Nx+Nx^2+2xy+2Nx^2y+x^2y^2. \end{split}$$

Exercice

Let
$$m=2$$
 and $t=1$. Compute $h_{k,i_2}(x,y)=y^{i_2-k}f(x,y)^ke^{m-k}$ for $0 \le k \le m$ and $k+1 \le i_2 \le k+t$.

We have

$$h_{0,1}(x,y) = ye,$$

$$h_{1,2}(x,y) = y(xy + Nx + 1)e = Nexy + ey + exy^{2},$$

$$h_{2,3}(x,y) = y(xy + Nx + 1)^{2}$$

$$= y + 2Nxy + Nx^{2}y + 2xy^{2} + 2Nx^{2}y^{2} + x^{2}y^{3}.$$

Exercice

Let m=2 and t=1. For $k=0,\ldots,m$, collect the monomials of $g_{k,i_1}(x,y)$ and $h_{k,i_2}(x,y)$.

k	g, h	1	x	x^2	y	xy	x^2y	xy^2	x^2y^2	x^2y^3
k = 0	$g_{0,0}$	e^2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
k=0	$g_{0,1}$	0	e^2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
k = 0	$g_{0,2}$	0	0	e^2	0	0	0	0	0	0
k = 0	$h_{0,1}$	0	0	0	e	0	0	0	0	0
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k=1	$g_{1,2}$	e	0	Ne	0	0	e	0	0	0
k=1	$h_{1,2}$	0	0	0	e	Ne	0	e	0	0
k=2	$g_{2,2}$	1	2N	N	0	2	2N	0	1	0
k=2	$h_{2,3}$	0	0	0	1	2N	N	2	2N	1

Proposition

Let N=pq be an RSA modulus with q . Then

$$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\sqrt{N} < q < \sqrt{N} < p < \sqrt{2}\sqrt{N}, \quad p+q < 3\sqrt{N}.$$

Exercice

Prove the proposition.



Proposition

Let N=pq be an RSA modulus and $e<\phi(N)=(p-1)(q-1)$ be a public exponent such that $ed-k\phi(N)=1$. Then k< d.

Exercice

Prove the proposition.



The attack of Boneh and Durfee

- In the equation $ed k\phi(N) = 1$, suppose that $d < N^{\delta}$.
- $\bullet \ \, \mathrm{Let} \,\, X = N^\delta \,\, \mathrm{and} \,\, Y = 3N^{\frac{1}{2}}.$
- Then k < d < X and $p + q 1 < 3N^{\frac{1}{2}} = Y$.
- Form a lattice \mathcal{L} with the coefficients of the polynomials $g_{k,i_1}(Xx,Yy)$ and $h_{k,i_2}(Xx,Yy)$.



The attack of Boneh and Durfee

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g, h	1	x	x^2	y	xy	x^2y	xy^2	x^2y^2	x^2y^3
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$g_{0,1}$	0	Xe^2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$g_{0,2}$	0	0	X^2e^2	0	0	0	0	0	0
$h_{0,1}$	0	0	0	Ye	0	0	0	0	0
g _{1,1}	*	*	0	0	XYe	0	0	0	0
$g_{1,2}$	*	0	*	0	0	X^2Ye	0	0	0
$h_{1,2}$	0	0	0	*	*	0	XY^2e	0	0
$g_{2,2}$	*	*	*	0	*	*	0	X^2Y^2	0
$h_{2,3}$	0	0	0	*	*	*	*	*	X^2Y^3

The attack of Boneh and Durfee

- Consider $f(x,y) = x(N+y) + 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{e}$.
- Then $f(k, -p q 1) \equiv 0 \pmod{e}$.
- For m and t positive integers, $0 \le k \le m$, define the polynomials

$$g_{k,i_1}(x,y) = x^{i_1-k} f(x,y)^k e^{m-k}, \quad 0 \le k \le m, \quad k \le i_1 \le m,$$

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ullet Form a lattice ${\cal L}$ with the coefficients of the polynomials $g_{k,i_1}(Xx,Yy)$ and $h_{k,i_2}(Xx,Yy)$.

Exercice

- Prove that any polynomial $P(Xx, Yy) \in \mathcal{L}$ satisfies $P(k, -p-q+1) \equiv 0 \pmod{e^m}$.
- Give the general form for $det(\mathcal{L})$.

The attack of Boneh and Durfee

• For m and t positive integers, form a lattice \mathcal{L} with the coefficients of the polynomials $g_{k,i_1}(Xx,Yy)$ and $h_{k,i_2}(Xx,Yy)$ with

$$g_{k,i_1}(Xx, Yy) = (Xx)^{i_1-k} f(Xx, Yy)^k e^{m-k},$$

$$0 \le k \le m, \quad k \le i_1 \le m,$$

$$h_{k,i_2}(Xx, Yy) = (Yy)^{i_2-k} f(Xx, Yy)^k e^{m-k},$$

$$0 \le k \le m, \quad k+1 \le i_2 \le k+t.$$

- Since $g(k, -p-q+1) \equiv 0 \pmod{e^m}$, $h(k, -p-q+1) \equiv 0 \pmod{e^m}$ and P(x,y) = ag(x,y) + bh(x,y) with $a,b \in \mathbb{Z}$, then $h(k, -p-q+1) \equiv 0 \pmod{e^m}$.
- The determinant of the lattice is

$$\det(\mathcal{L}) = e^{n_e} X^{n_X} Y^{n_Y}.$$



The attack of Boneh and Durfee

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$$\det(\mathcal{L}) = e^{n_e} X^{n_X} Y^{n_Y}.$$

Exercice

Compute the dimension ω of \mathcal{L} and the exponents n_e , n_X and n_Y .

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The attack of Boneh and Durfee

$$g_{k,i_1}(Xx, Yy) = (Xx)^{i_1-k} f(Xx, Yy)^k e^{m-k},$$

$$0 \le k \le m, \quad k \le i_1 \le m,$$

$$h_{k,i_2}(Xx, Yy) = (Yy)^{i_2-k} f(Xx, Yy)^k e^{m-k},$$

$$0 \le k \le m, \quad k+1 \le i_2 \le k+t.$$

• The dimension of \mathcal{L} is

$$\omega = \sum_{k=0}^{m} \sum_{i,j=k}^{m} 1 + \sum_{k=0}^{m} \sum_{i,j=k+1}^{k+t} 1 = \frac{(m+1)(m+2t+2)}{2}.$$

The attack of Boneh and Durfee

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$$0 \le k \le m, \quad k+1 \le i_2 \le k+t.$$

• The exponent of e is m-k. Then

$$n_e = \sum_{k=0}^{m} \sum_{i_1=k}^{m} (m-k) + \sum_{k=0}^{m} \sum_{i_2=k+1}^{k+t} (m-k) = \frac{m(m+1)(2m+3t+4)}{6}$$

The attack of Boneh and Durfee

$$g_{k,i_1}(Xx, Yy) = (Xx)^{i_1-k} f(Xx, Yy)^k e^{m-k},$$

$$0 \le k \le m, \quad k \le i_1 \le m,$$

$$h_{k,i_2}(Xx, Yy) = (Yy)^{i_2-k} f(Xx, Yy)^k e^{m-k},$$

$$0 \le k \le m, \quad k+1 \le i_2 \le k+t.$$

• The exponents of X are i_1 and k. Then

$$n_X = \sum_{k=0}^{m} \sum_{i_1=k}^{m} i_1 + \sum_{k=0}^{m} \sum_{i_2=k+1}^{k+t} k = \frac{m(m+1)(2m+3t+4)}{6}$$

The attack of Boneh and Durfee

$$g_{k,i_1}(Xx, Yy) = (Xx)^{i_1-k} f(Xx, Yy)^k e^{m-k},$$

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$$h_{k,i_2}(Xx, Yy) = (Yy)^{i_2-k} f(Xx, Yy)^k e^{m-k},$$

$$0 \le k \le m, \quad k+1 \le i_2 \le k+t.$$

• The exponent of Y are k and i_2 . Then

$$n_Y = \sum_{k=0}^{m} \sum_{i_1=k}^{m} k + \sum_{k=0}^{m} \sum_{i_2=k+1}^{k+t} i_2 = \frac{(m+1)(m^2 + 3tm + 2m + 3t^2 + 3t)}{6}$$

The attack of Boneh and Durfee

- $\omega = \frac{(m+1)(m+2t+2)}{2}$.
- $n_e = \frac{m(m+1)(2m+3t+4)}{6}$.
- $n_X = \frac{m(m+1)(2m+3t+4)}{6}$.
- $n_Y = \frac{(m+1)(m^2+3tm+2m+3t^2+3t)}{6}.$

Exercice

Let $t = \tau m$. Find the dominant part of ω , n_e , n_X and n_Y .



The attack of Boneh and Durfee

• Put $t=m\tau$. Then

$$\begin{split} \omega' &= \left(\frac{1}{2} + \tau\right) m^2 + o(m^2), \\ n'_e &= \left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2}\tau\right) m^3 + o(m^3), \\ n'_X &= \left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2}\tau\right) m^3 + o(m^3), \\ n'_Y &= \left(\frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{2}\tau + \frac{1}{2}\tau^2\right) m^3 + o(m^3). \end{split}$$

The attack of Boneh and Durfee

- Apply the LLL algorithm to the lattice L.
- It outputs a reduced basis $P_1(Xx,Yy), P_2(Xx,Yy), \dots, P_{\omega}(Xx,Yy)$. (LLL properties p. 54)
- The first polynomials satisfy

$$||P_1(Xx, Yy)||| \le 2^{\frac{n-1}{4}} \det(\mathcal{L})^{\frac{1}{n}},$$

$$||P_2(Xx, Yy)|| \le 2^{\frac{n}{4}} \det(\mathcal{L})^{\frac{1}{n-1}}.$$

Definition

Let $P(x,y) = \sum_{i} \sum_{j} a_{i,j} x^{i} y^{j} \in \mathbb{Z}[x,y]$. Then the Euclidean norm of P(x,y) is

$$||P(x,y)|| = \sqrt{\sum_{i} \sum_{j} a_{i,j}^2}.$$

The attack of Boneh and Durfee

The polynomials $P_1(Xx, Yy)$ and $||P_2(Xx, Yy)|$ satisfy

- $||P_1(Xx, Yy)||, ||P_2(Xx, Yy)|| < 2^{\frac{n}{4}} \det(\mathcal{L})^{\frac{1}{n-1}}$.
- $P_1(k, -p q + 1) \equiv 0 \pmod{e^m}$, $P_2(k, -p q + 1) \equiv 0 \pmod{e^m}$.

Theorem (Howgrave-Graham)

Let $P(x,y) \in \mathbb{Z}[x,y]$ be a polynomial with at most ω monomials. Suppose that

- **1** $P(x_0, y_0) \equiv 0 \pmod{e^m}$,
- $|x_0| < X, |y_0| < Y$
- $||P(Xx,Yx)|| < \frac{e^m}{\sqrt{\omega}}.$

Then $P(x_0, y_0) = 0$ holds over the integers.

Exercice

Prove the theorem.

Howgrave-Graham

We have

$$|P(x_0, y_0)| = \left| \sum_{i,j} a_{i,j} x_0^i y_0^j \right| \le \sum_{i,j} \left| a_{i,j} x_0^i y_0^j \right| < \sum_{i,j} \left| a_{i,j} X^i Y^j \right|.$$

• The Cauchy-Schwarz inequality asserts that for $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$, we have

$$\left(\sum_{i,j} \alpha_{i,j} \beta_{i,j}\right)^2 \le \left(\sum_{i,j} \alpha_{i,j}^2\right) \left(\sum_{i,j} \beta_{i,j}^2\right).$$

Using this, we get

$$\left(\sum_{i,j} \left| a_{i,j} X^i Y^j \right| \right)^2 \le \left(\sum_{i,j} 1^2 \right) \left(\sum_{i,j} \left(a_{i,j} X^i Y^j \right)^2 \right) = \omega \sum_{i,j} \left(a_{i,j} X^i Y^j \right)^2 = \omega \|P(Xx, Yx)\|^2.$$

Howgrave-Graham

- We have $|P(x_0, y_0)| < \sqrt{\omega} ||P(Xx, Yx)||$.
- If $\|P(Xx,Yx)\|<\frac{e^m}{\sqrt{\omega}}$, then $|P(x_0,y_0)|<\sqrt{\omega}\|P(Xx,Yy)\|< e^m$.
- If $P(x_0, y_0) \equiv 0 \pmod{e^m}$, then $P(x_0, y_0) = 0$.

Proposition

Let $P_1(x,y), P_2(x,y) \in \mathbb{Z}[x,y]$ be two polynomial with at most ω monomials. Suppose that

- **1** $P_1(k, -p-q+1) \equiv 0 \pmod{e^m}$ and $P_2(k, -p-q+1) \equiv 0$ $\pmod{e^m}$.
- |k| < X, |-p-q+1| < Y,
- **3** $||P_1(Xx,Yx)|| < \frac{e^m}{\sqrt{\omega}}$ and $||P_2(Xx,Yx)|| < \frac{e^m}{\sqrt{\omega}}$.

$$\textit{Then } (k,-p-q+1) \textit{ is a solution of the system } \begin{cases} P_1\left(x_0,y_0\right)=0\\ P_2\left(x_0,y_0\right)=0. \end{cases}$$

The attack of Boneh and Durfee

The first polynomials of the lattice \mathcal{L} satisfy condition (1) and (2) and

$$||P_1(Xx, Yy)||, ||P_2(Xx, Yy)|| \le 2^{\frac{\omega}{4}} \det(\mathcal{L})^{\frac{1}{\omega-1}}.$$

The attack of Boneh and Durfee

- Set $2^{\frac{\omega}{4}} \det(\mathcal{L})^{\frac{1}{\omega-1}} < \frac{e^m}{\sqrt{\omega}}$.
- Then

$$\det(\mathcal{L} < \frac{1}{\left(\sqrt{\omega}2^{\frac{\omega}{4}}\right)^{\omega-1}} e^{m(\omega-1)} < e^{m\omega}.$$

• Since $\det(\mathcal{L})\approx e^{n'_e}X^{n'_X}Y^{n'_Y}$ (p. 87) with $X=N^{\delta}$, $Y=3N^{\frac{1}{2}}$ and $e\approx N$, then

$$N^{n_e'} N^{n_X'\delta} N^{\frac{1}{2}n_Y'} < e^{m\omega} \approx N^{m\omega'}$$

• Taking logarithms, we get $n'_e + n'_X \delta + \frac{1}{2} n'_Y < m\omega'$. Then

$$\left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2}\tau\right)m^3 + \left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2}\tau\right)m^3\delta + \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{2}\tau + \frac{1}{2}\tau^2\right)m^3$$

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Exercice

Rearrange the inequality in terms of τ .

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Rearranging, we get

$$\frac{1}{6}\left(-\frac{1}{2} + 2\delta\right) + \frac{1}{2}\left(-\frac{1}{2} + \delta\right)\tau + \frac{1}{4}\tau^2 < 0.$$

Exercice

- **1** Find the optimal value τ_0 .
- ② Plug au_0 and find a new inequality.
- **3** Solve for δ .

The attack of Boneh and Durfee

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- **1** This is optimized for $\tau_0 = \frac{1}{2} \delta$.
- ② Plugging τ_0 , we get $-12\delta^2 + 28\delta 7 < 0$.
- **3** Solving for δ , we get

$$\delta < \frac{7}{6} + \frac{\sqrt{7}}{3} \approx 2.048, \quad \delta < \frac{7}{6} - \frac{\sqrt{7}}{3} \approx 0.284.$$



The attack of Boneh and Durfee

- Suppose that ed-k(N-p-q+1)=1 with $d< N^{\delta}$ with $\delta<\frac{7}{6}-\frac{\sqrt{7}}{3}\approx 0.284.$
- Find $P_1(x,y)$ and $P_2(x,y)$ such that

$$||P_1(Xx, Yy)||, ||P_2(Xx, Yy)|| \le 2^{\frac{\omega}{4}} \det(\mathcal{L})^{\frac{1}{\omega - 1}}$$

- Solve $P_1(x,y) = 0$ and $P_2(x,y) = 0$ over \mathbb{Z}^2 using resultants or Gröbner basis techniques to get $x_0 = k$ and $y_0 = -p q + 1$.
- Then $d = \frac{k(N-p-q+1)+1}{e}$.
- Using $y_0 = -p q + 1$ and N = pq, we can find p and q.

Exercice

Prove the last assertion.



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NTRU

NTRU

- Invented by Hoffstein, Pipher et Silverman in 1996.
- Security based on the Shortest Vector Problem (SVP).
- Various versions between 1996 and 2001.

Definition

The Shortest Vector Problem (SVP): Given a basis matrix B for \mathcal{L} , compute a non-zero vector $v \in \mathcal{L}$ such that ||v|| is minimal, that is $||v|| = \lambda_1(\mathcal{L})$.



Polynomials

$$f = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} f_i X^i, \qquad g = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} g_i X^i,$$

Sum

$$f+g=(f_0+g_0,f_1+g_1,\cdots,f_{N-1}+g_{N-1})$$

Product

$$f * g = h = (h_0, h_1, \cdots, h_{N-1})$$
 with

$$h_k = \sum_{i+j \equiv k \pmod{N}} f_i g_j.$$



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Convolution

$$\underbrace{f = (f_0, f_1, \cdots, f_{N-1}), \quad g = (g_0, g_1, \cdots, g_{N-1})}_{f * g = h = (h_0, h_1, \cdots, h_{N-1})}.$$

	1	X		X^k		X^{N-1}
	f_0g_0	f_0g_1		f_0g_k		f_0g_{N-1}
+	$f_{1}g_{N-1}$	f_1g_0		f_1g_{k-1}		f_1g_{N-2}
+	f_2g_{N-2}	f_2g_{N-1}	• • •	f_2g_{k-2}	• • •	f_2g_{N-3}
:	:	:			:	:
+	$f_{N-2}g_2$	$f_{N-2}g_3$		$f_{N-2}g_{k+2}$		$f_{N-2}g_1$
+	$f_{N-1}g_1$	$f_{N-1}g_2$		$f_{N-1}g_{k+1}$		$f_{N-1}g_0$
h =	h_0	h_1	• • •	h_k		h_{N-1}

NTRU Parameters

- N = a prime number (e.g. N = 167, 251, 347, 503).
- q = a large modulus (e.g. q = 128, 256).
- p = a small modulus (e.g. p = 3).



NTRU Algorithms

Key Generation:

- Randomly choose two private polynomials f and g.
- Compute the inverse of f modulo q: $f * f_q = 1 \pmod{q}$.
- Compute the inverse of f modulo p: $f * f_p = 1 \pmod{p}$.
- Compute the public key $h = f_q * g \pmod{q}$.



NTRU Algorithms

Encryption:

- m is a plaintext in the form of a polynomial mod q.
- Randomly choose a private polynomial r.
- Compute the encrypted message $e = m + pr * h \pmod{q}$.

Decryption:

- Compute $a = f * e = f * (m + pr * h) = f * m + pr * g \pmod{q}$.
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Correctness of decryption

We have

$$a \equiv f * e \pmod{q}$$

$$a \equiv f * (p * r * h + m) \pmod{q}$$

$$a \equiv f * r * (p * g * f_q) + f * m \pmod{q}$$

$$a \equiv p * r * g * f * f_q + f * m \pmod{q}$$

$$a \equiv p * r * g + f * m \pmod{q}.$$

If
$$p*r*g+f*m\in\left[-\frac{q}{2},\frac{q}{2}\right]$$
, then

$$m \equiv a * f_p \mod p$$
.



Example

Key generation

- Public parameters N = 13, p = 3, q = 8.
- • Private keys $f=X^{12}+X^{11}+X^{10}+X^9+X^8+X^7+1$, $g=X^{12}+X^5-X^4+X^3-X^2+X-1$.
- $f * f_p \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$ with $f_p = 2X^{12} + 2X^{11} + 2X^{10} + 2X^9 + 2X^8 + 2X^7 + 2X^5 + 2X^4 + 2X^3 + 2X^2 + 2X$.
- $f * f_q \equiv 1 \pmod{q}$ with $f_q = X^{12} + X^{11} + X^{10} + X^9 + X^8 + X^7 + 2X^6 + X^5 + X^4 + X^3 + X^2 + X + 2$.
- The public key is $h \equiv g * f_q$ $\pmod{q} = 2X^{12} + 2X^{11} + 2X^9 + 2X^7 + 3X^5 + 2X^3 + 2X.$



Example

Encryption

- Message $m = X^{10} + X^8 + X^7 + X^4 + X^3 + 1$.
- Random error $r = X^{12} + X^{11} + X^8 + X^7 + 1$.
- The ciphertext $e \equiv p * r * h + m \pmod{q} \equiv 5X^{12} + 2X^{11} + 3X^{10} + 2X^9 + 5X^8 + 3X^7 + 2X^6 + 5X^5 + 6X^4 + 4X^3 + 2X$.



Example

Decryption

•

$$a \equiv f * e \pmod{q}$$

$$\equiv 6X^{12} + 3X^{11} + 6X^{10} + 2X^{9} + 3X^{8} + 4X^{7} + 6X^{6} + 6X^{5} + 4X^{4} + 7X^{3} + X^{2} + 6X + 3.$$

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$$m \equiv f_p * a \pmod{p}$$

 $\equiv X^{10} + X^8 + X^7 + X^4 + X^3 + 1.$



Application of LLL to NTRU



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GGH

- Invented by Goldreich, Goldwasser and Halevi in 1996.
- Security based on the Closest Vector Problem (CVP).
- Brocken by Nguyen in 1999.

Definition (The Closest Vector Problem (CVP))

Given a basis matrix B for $\mathcal L$ and a vector $v \notin \mathcal L$, compute a vector $v_0 \in \mathcal L$ such that $\|v-v_0\|$ is minimal.



Key generation

Algorithm 3 : GGH key generation

Require: A lattice \mathcal{L} of dimension n.

Ensure: A public key B and a private key A.

- 1: Find a "good basis" A of \mathcal{L} .
- 2: Find a "bad basis" B of \mathcal{L} .
- 3: Publish B as the public key.
- 4: Keep A as the secret key.



Encryption

Algorithm 4: GGH encryption

Require: A lattice \mathcal{L} , a parameter $\rho > 0$, a public key B and a plaintext $m \in \mathbb{Z}^n$.

Ensure: A ciphertext c.

- 1: Compute $v = mB \in \mathcal{L}$.
- 2: Choose a small vector $e \in [-\rho, \rho]^n$.
- 3: The ciphertext is c = v + e.



Encryption

Algorithm 5: GGH decryption

Require: A lattice \mathcal{L} , a private key A and a ciphertext c.

Ensure: A plaintext $m \in \mathbb{Z}^n$.

- 1: Use A to compute $w = cA^{-1} \notin \mathcal{L}$.
- 2: Use Babai's algorithm to find the closest vector $v \in \mathcal{L}$ to w.
- 3: Compute $m = (vA)B^{-1}$.

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Example

Key generation

• The private key
$$A$$
 is $A = \begin{bmatrix} 12 & 12 & 19 \\ -1 & -15 & 24 \\ 66 & -24 & -23 \end{bmatrix}$



Example

Encryption

- The message is m = [51, -27, 97].
- v = mB = [44455887216084962654, 35894452606629461698, 83703178711351846467]
- The error term is e = [5, 2, 4].
- The encrypted message is c=mB+e=[44455887216084962659,35894452606629461600,83703178711351846471]



Example

Decryption

- The encrypted message is c=mB+e=[44455887216084962659,35894452606629461600,83703178711351846471]
- $\begin{array}{l} \bullet \ \ \mathsf{Compute} \ w = cA^{-1} = \\ [\frac{181850135858273612488133}{49050}, \frac{305320675791351385134}{545}, \frac{391492401074328685279}{49050}. \end{array}$
- Use Babai's algorithm to find $v = \lfloor w \rceil = [3707444156131979867, 560221423470369514, 7981496454114754]$
- Compute $m = (vA)B^{-1} = [51, -27, 97].$



Correctness of GGH

- B = UA for some $U \in \mathbb{Z}^{n \times n}$ with $\det(U) = \pm 1$.
- The encrypted message is c = mB + e = mUA + e.
- $\bullet \ w = cA^{-1} = (mUA + e)A^{-1} = mU + eA^{-1}, \ \text{where} \ eA^{-1} \ \text{is "small"}.$
- Use Babai's algorithm to find $v=\lfloor w \rceil=mU$, if $|eA^{-1}|<\frac{1}{2}.$
- $(vA)B^{-1} = (mUA)B^{-1} = (mB)B^{-1} = m$.

Hard Problem: CVP

- The encrypted message is c = mB + e.
- The Attack: Find mB as the closest vector to c.
- The security is based on the hardness of CVP.
- Solved by Nguyen when the error term e is small enough.



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LWE

- Invented by O. Regev in 2005.
- Security based on the GapSVP problem.
- Provable Security.

Definition

The GapSVP problem: Let $\mathcal L$ be a lattice with a basis B. Let $\lambda_1(\mathcal L)$ be the length of the shortest nonzero vector of $\mathcal L$. Let $\gamma>0$ and r>0. Decide whether $\lambda_1(\mathcal L)< r$ or $\lambda_1(\mathcal L)>\gamma r$.



Example

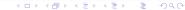
• Easy: solve the system

$$\begin{bmatrix} 17 & 42 & -127 \\ 24 & 3 & 71 \\ -7 & -23 & 45 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3265 \\ 246 \\ 1202 \end{bmatrix}$$

Harder: solve the system

$$\begin{bmatrix}
117 & 422 & -127 \\
214 & 23 & 71 \\
-17 & -223 & 45
\end{bmatrix}
\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix}
x_1 \\
x_2 \\
x_3
\end{bmatrix}}_{S} + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix}
e_1 \\
e_2 \\
e_3
\end{bmatrix}}_{E} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix}
-4718 \\
4177 \\
2485
\end{bmatrix}}_{P}$$

• AS + E = P: LWE equation over \mathbb{Z} .



Example

• Hard: solve the system

$$\begin{bmatrix} 17 & 42 & 127 \\ 24 & 3 & 71 \\ 7 & 23 & 45 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 116 \pmod{503} \\ 158 \pmod{503} \\ 271 \pmod{503} \end{bmatrix}$$

Much harder: solve the system

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 117 & 422 & 127 \\ 214 & 23 & 71 \\ 17 & 223 & 45 \end{bmatrix}}_{A} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}}_{S} \underbrace{+}_{+} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} e_1 \\ e_2 \\ e_3 \end{bmatrix}}_{E} \underbrace{=}_{=} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 144 \pmod{503} \\ 229 \pmod{503} \\ 503 \pmod{503} \end{bmatrix}}_{P}$$

• AS + E = P: LWE equation over \mathbb{Z}_{503} .



LWE Key Generation

Algorithm 6: LWE Key Generation

Require: Integers n, m, l, q.

Ensure: A private key S and a public key (A, P).

- 1: Choose $S \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times l}$ at random.
- 2: Choose $\underline{A} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{m \times n}$ at random.
- 3: Choose $E \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{m \times l}$ according to $\chi(E) = e^{-\pi \|E\|^2/r^2}$ for some r > 0.
- 4: Compute $P = AS + E \pmod{q}$. Hence $P \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{m \times l}$.
- 5: The private key is S.
- 6: The public key is (A, P).



LWE: Encryption

Algorithm 7: LWE Encryption

Require: Integers n, m, l, t, r, q, a public key (A, P) and a plaintext $M \in \mathbb{Z}_t^{l \times 1}$.

Ensure: A ciphertext (u, c).

- 1: Choose $\mathbf{a} \in [-r, r]^{m \times 1}$ at random.
- 2: Compute $\mathbf{u} = A^T \mathbf{a} \pmod{q} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times 1}$.
- 3: Compute $c = P^T a + \left\lceil \frac{Mq}{t} \right\rceil \pmod{q} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{l imes 1}.$
- 4: The ciphertext is (u, c).



LWE: Decryption

Algorithm 8: LWE Decryption

Require: Integers n, m, l, t, r, q, a private key S and a ciphertext (u, c).

Ensure: A plaintext M.

1: Compute $v = c - S^T u$ and $M = \left\lceil \frac{tv}{q} \right\rceil$.



Correctness of decryption

We have

$$v = c - S^{T}u$$

$$= (AS + E)^{T}a - S^{T}A^{T}a + \left[\frac{Mq}{t}\right]$$

$$= E^{T}a + \left[\frac{Mq}{t}\right].$$

Hence

$$\left\lceil \frac{tv}{q} \right\rceil = \left\lceil \frac{tE^Ta}{q} + \frac{t}{q} \left\lceil \frac{Mq}{t} \right\rceil \right\rceil.$$

With suitable parameters, the term $\frac{tE^Ta}{q}$ is negligible and $\frac{t}{q}\left\lceil \frac{Mq}{t} \right\rceil = M.$

Consequently $\left\lceil \frac{tv}{q} \right\rceil = M$.

LWE

Hard Problem

Equations

- The public equation $P = AS + E \pmod{q}$.
- The public ciphertext $c = P^T a + \left\lceil \frac{Mq}{t} \right\rceil \pmod{q}$.
- Can be reduced to the approximate-SVP and GapSVP.

q-ary lattices

Let $A \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times l}$ for some integers q, n, l.

The q-ary lattice:

$$\Lambda_q(A) = \left\{ y \in \mathbb{Z}^l : \quad y \equiv A^T s \pmod{q} \quad \text{for some} \quad s \in \mathbb{Z}^n \right\}.$$

• The orthogonal q-ary lattice:

$$\Lambda_q^{\perp}(A) = \left\{ y \in \mathbb{Z}^l : \quad Ay \equiv 0 \pmod{q} \right\}.$$

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Conclusion

Lattice cryptography

- Can be used to build cryptographic schemes (GGH, NTRU, LWE,...).
- Can be used to build fully homomorphic encryption, Digital signatures, identity based encryption IBE, hash functions.
- Many hard problems (SVP, CVP,).
- Fast implementation.
- Resistance to quantum computers and NSA..





Merci

Thank you





