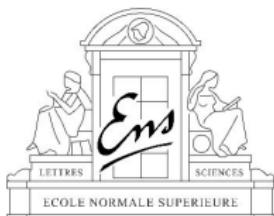


# Efficient Identity-Based Encryption using NTRU Lattices

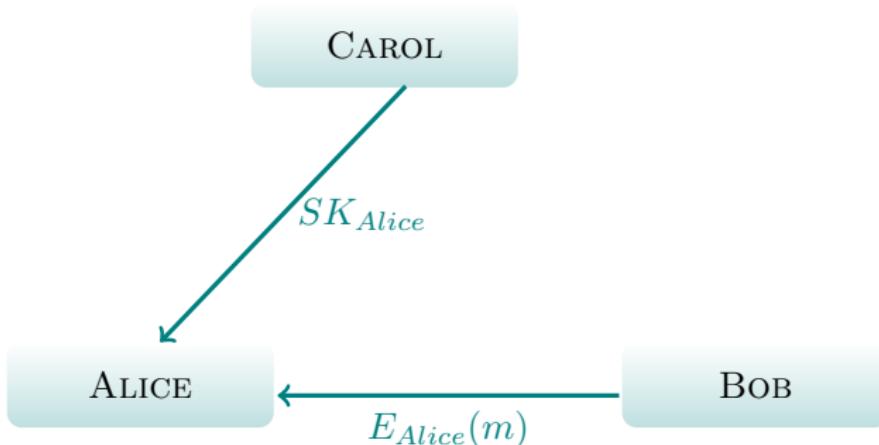
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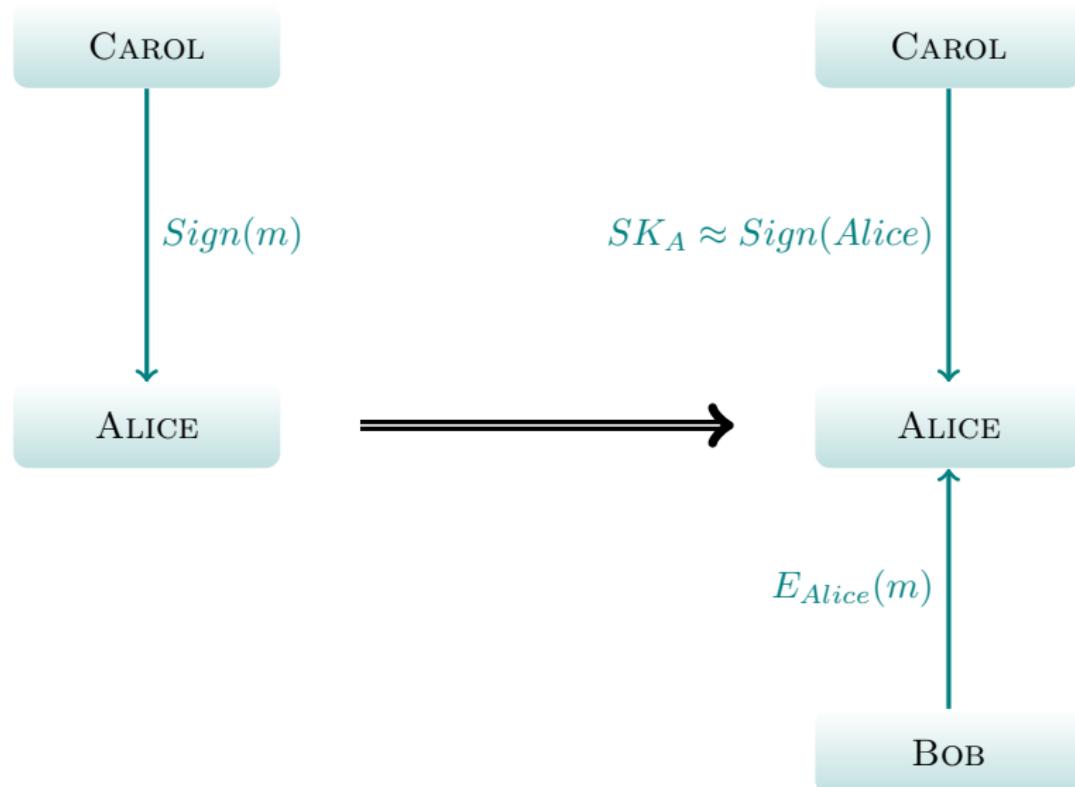
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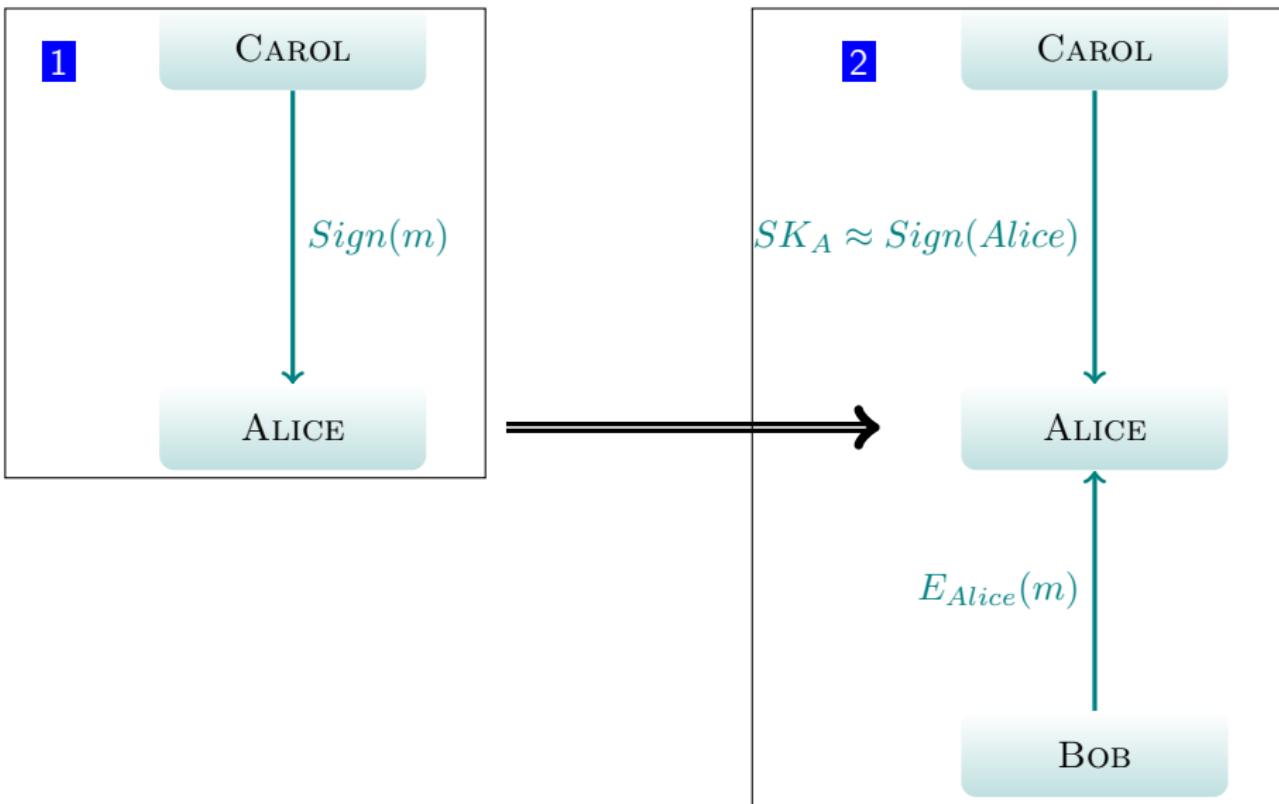


An Identity-based encryption scheme

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# A signature scheme: GGH/NTRUSign [GGH, HHP<sup>+</sup>]

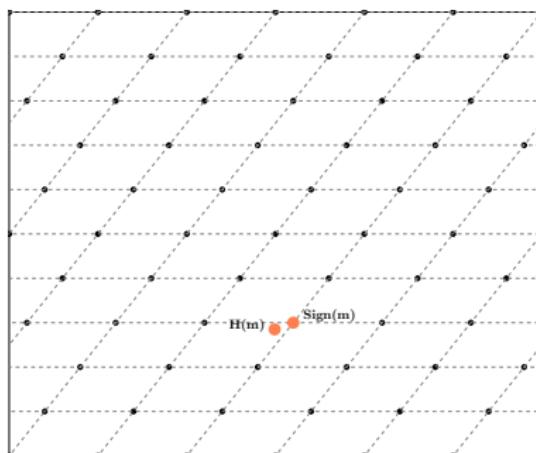


Figure : Only one possible signature

How to sign  $m$  with a short basis  $\mathbf{B}$  of a lattice  $\Lambda \subset q\mathbb{Z}^n$ :

- 1  $H(m) \leftarrow \$ \mathbb{Z}_q^n$
- 2  $Sign(m) \leftarrow$  a point  $\mathbf{v} \in \Lambda$  s.t.  $\|\mathbf{v} - H(m)\|$  is small

# What GGH/NTRUSign does

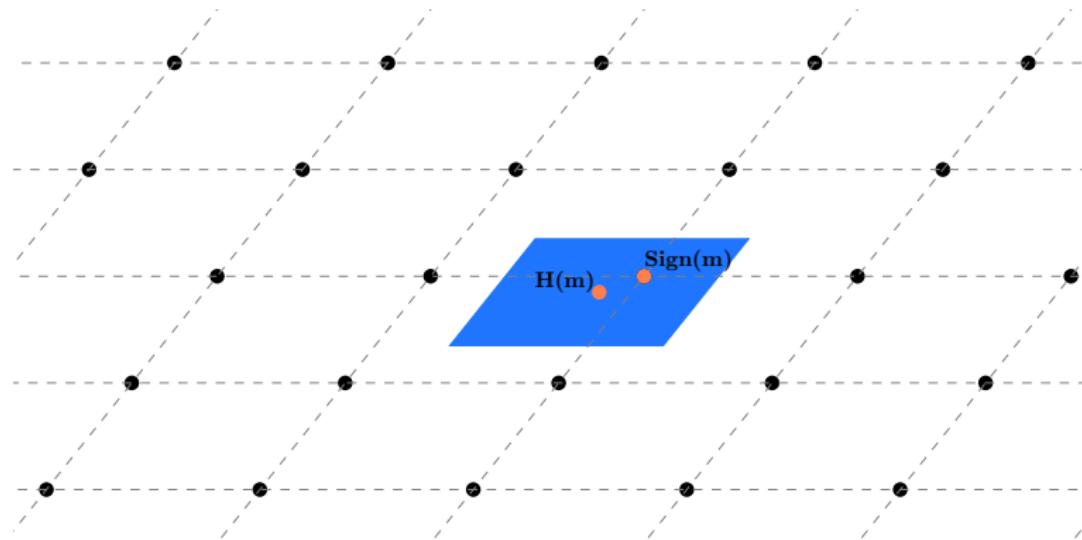


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- 1  $H(m) \leftarrow \$ \mathbb{Z}_q^n$
- 2 Let  $\blacksquare$  be the fundamental parallelepiped of  $\mathbf{B}$  centered over  $H(m)$
- 3  $\text{Sign}(m) \leftarrow \blacksquare \cap \Lambda$

# Information leakage in GGH/NTRUSign

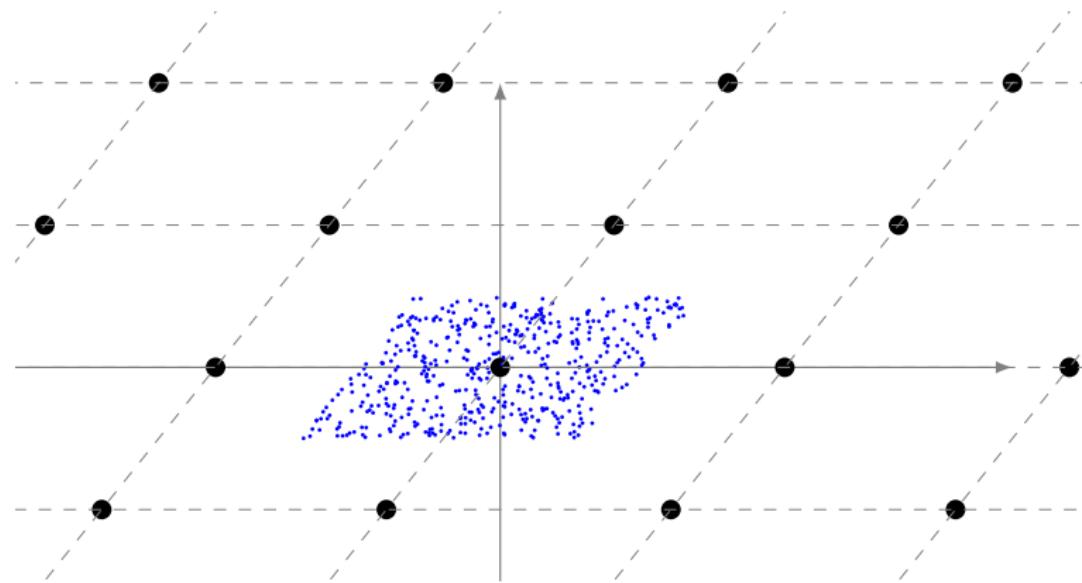


Figure : Distribution of the  $H(m_i) - \text{sign}(m_i)$

- One can recover the short base [NR]
- Countermeasures are ineffective [DNb]

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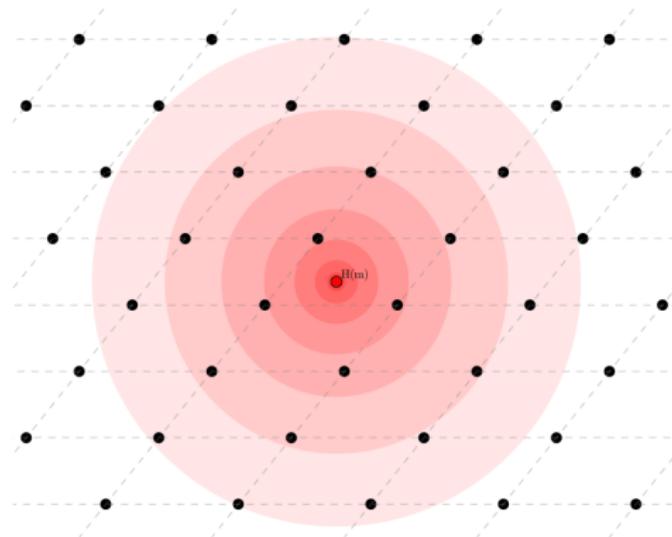


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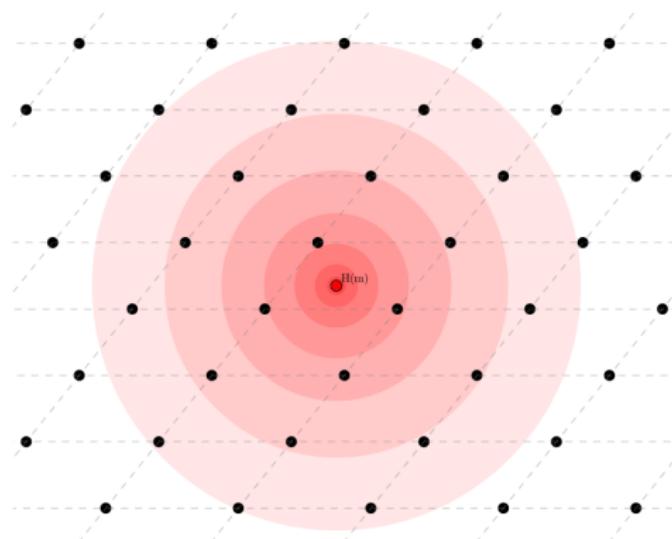
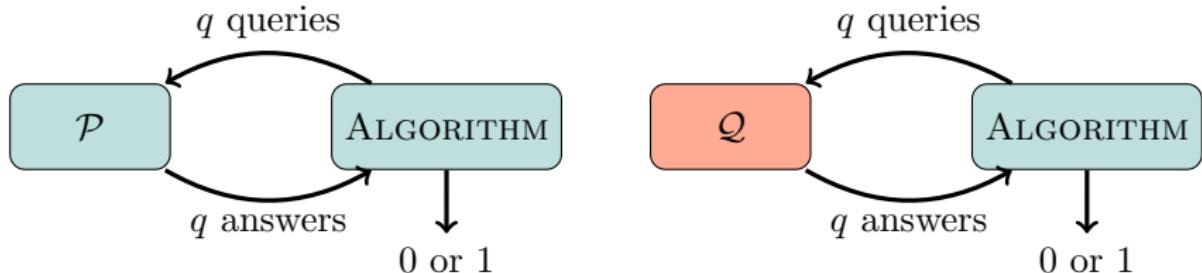


Figure : Gaussian Sampling: several possible signatures

- No more information leakage [GPV]
- The larger the standard deviation  $\sigma$ , the looser the security
- If  $\sigma$  is too small, the simulated gaussian leaks the basis again

# Distinguishing two distributions



**Figure :** Are  $\mathcal{P}$  and  $\mathcal{Q}$  indistinguishable?

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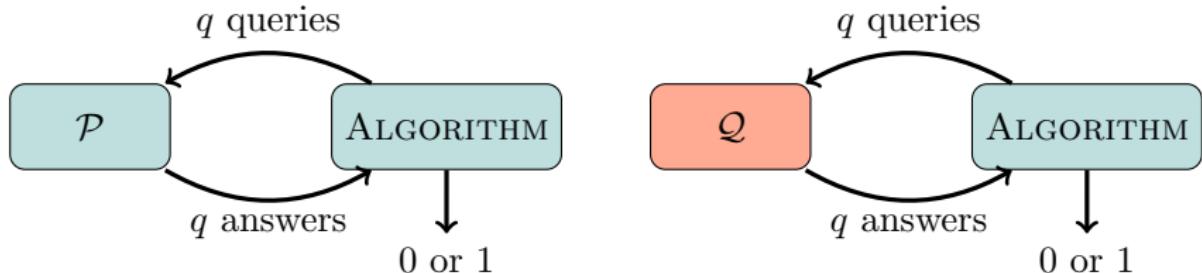


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Let the algorithm  $\mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{P}}$  do at most  $q$  queries to  $\mathcal{P}$  and output a bit. Let  $x$  (resp.  $y$ ) be the probability that  $\mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{P}}$  (resp.  $\mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{Q}}$ ) outputs 1.

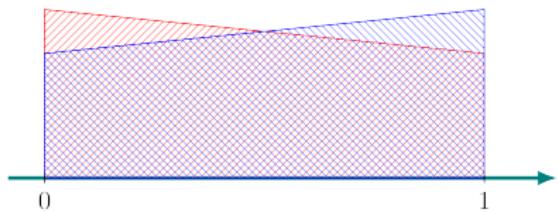
- If  $SD(\mathcal{P}, \mathcal{Q}) \leq \delta$ , then  $|x - y| \leq q\delta$
- If  $D_{KL}(\mathcal{P} \| \mathcal{Q}) \leq \delta$ , then  $|x - y| \leq \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{q\delta}$  [PDG]

⇒ We can replace Statistical Distance with KL-Divergence.

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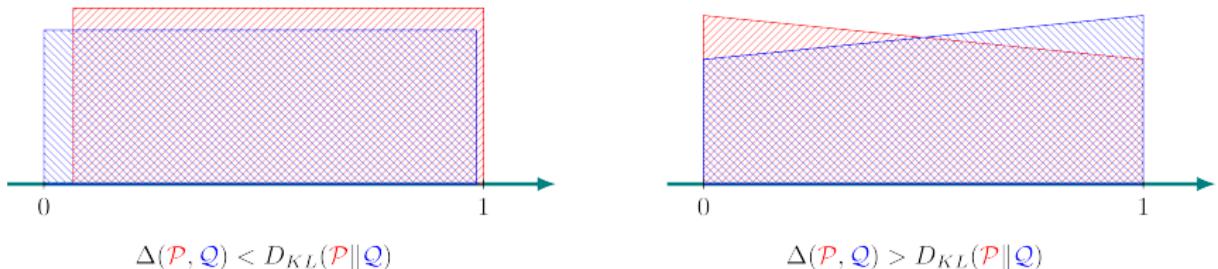


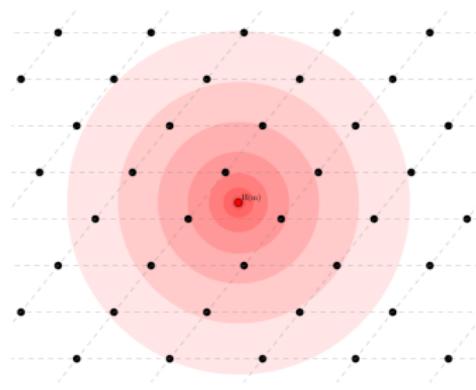
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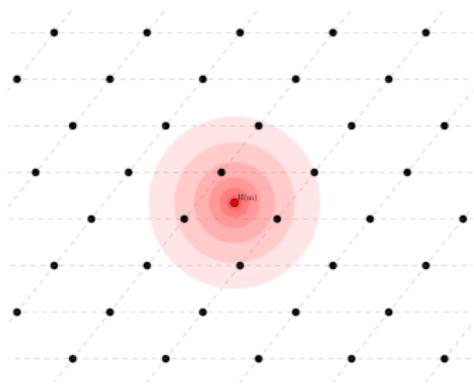
[GPV, DNA]  $\rightarrow$  If  $\sigma \geq \sqrt{\frac{\lambda \ln 2}{2\pi^2}} \cdot \|\tilde{\mathbf{B}}\|$ , then  $SD(\mathcal{P}, \mathcal{Q}) \leq 2^{-\lambda}$

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# Practical impact of KL-Divergence



With statistical distance



With KL-Divergence

Figure : Sizes of the signatures

- Smaller signatures
- Gain for free!

- 1 Gaussian Sampling and KL-Divergence
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# From a signature scheme to an IBE scheme

**Keygen:**

$$SK \leftarrow \begin{bmatrix} g & G \\ -f & -F \end{bmatrix}, PK \leftarrow h$$

Where  $f * G - g * F = q$  and  $h = g * f^{-1} \pmod{q}$  (NTRU basis)

**Sign:**

$$t \leftarrow H(m)$$

$$Sign(m) = \begin{bmatrix} s_1 \\ s_2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ s.t. } s_1 + s_2 * h = t$$

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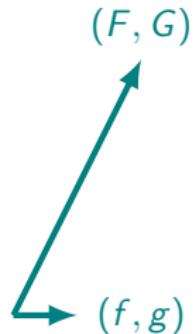
$$\begin{aligned} u &\leftarrow r * h + e_1 \\ v &\leftarrow r * t + e_2 + \left\lfloor \frac{q}{2} \right\rfloor \cdot b \end{aligned}$$

**[LPR] Decrypt:**

$$v - u * s_2 = \left\lfloor \frac{q}{2} \right\rfloor \cdot b + \underbrace{e_2 + r * s_1 - e_1 * s_2}_{\| \|_\infty \text{ small}}$$

# Optimal NTRU bases

Which NTRU lattices should we use for signature (or IBE)?

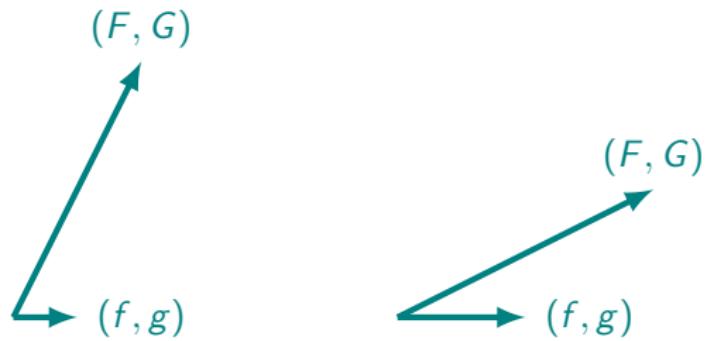


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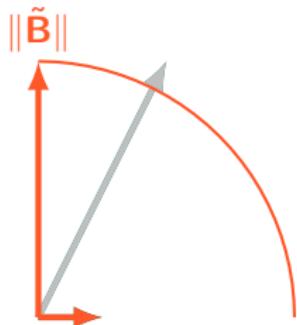
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Our paper

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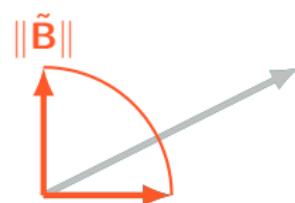
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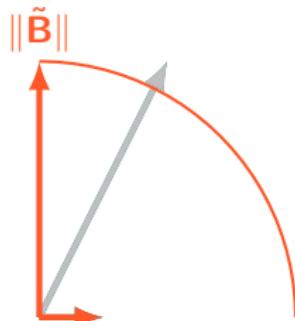
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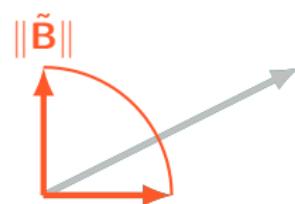
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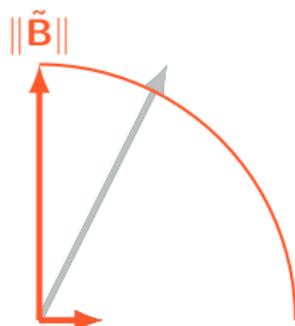
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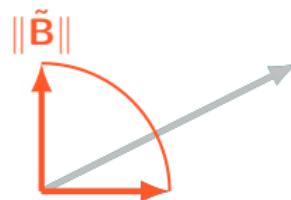
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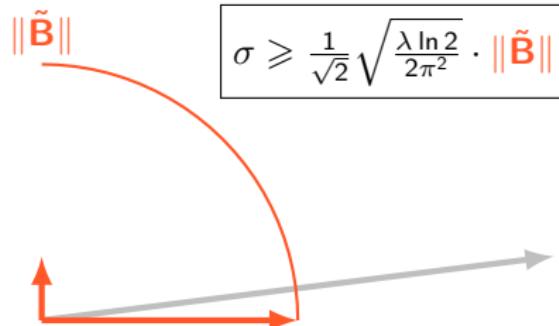
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[SS]

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## KL-Divergence + optimal NTRU bases

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Implementation<sup>1</sup> in C++ with NFLlib<sup>2</sup> [ABFK].

Comparison with Boneh-Franklin (implementation by [Gui]) for  $\lambda = 192$ .

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<sup>1</sup>Material: Intel Core i5-3210M 2.5GHz and 6GB RAM

<sup>2</sup>NTT-based Fast Lattice library (only for Encrypt, Decrypt)

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For 192 bits of security:

- Extract: 10× slower
- Encrypt: 1200× faster
- Decrypt: 2700× faster

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Scheme	This paper	BF-128
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Ciphertexts	30 kbits	3 kbits
Extract	32.7 ms	0.52 ms
Encrypt	0.033 ms	7.21 ms
Decrypt	0.012 ms	4.78 ms

192 bits of security for us, 128 for Boneh-Franklin:

- Extract: 60× slower
- Encrypt: 200× faster
- Decrypt: 400× faster

# Thank you! Any questions?

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