An LLL algorithm for module lattices

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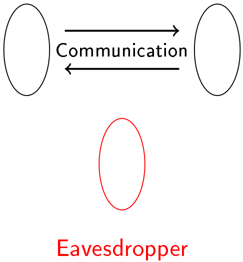

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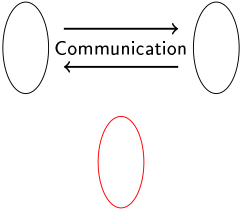

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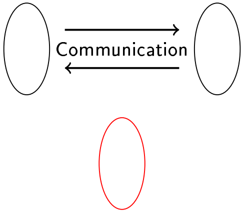

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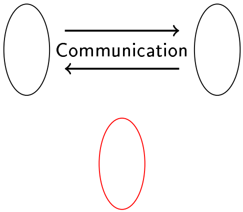

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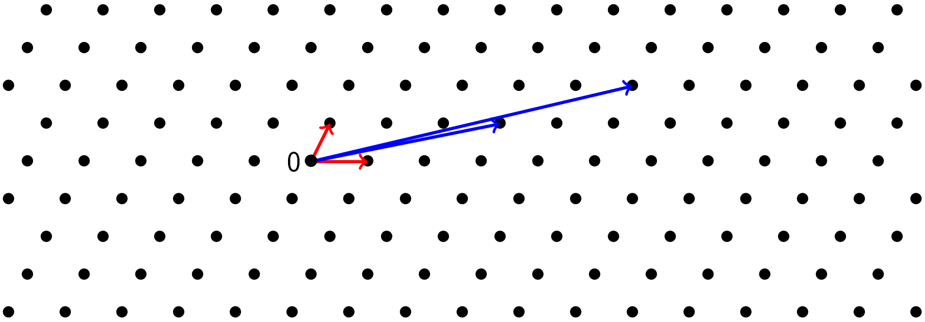

Lattice

A (full-rank) lattice L is a subset of $\mathbb{R}^n$ of the form $L = \{Bx \mid x \in \mathbb{Z}^n\}$, with $B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ invertible. B is a basis of L.

$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} 17 & 10 \\ 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ are two bases of the above lattice.

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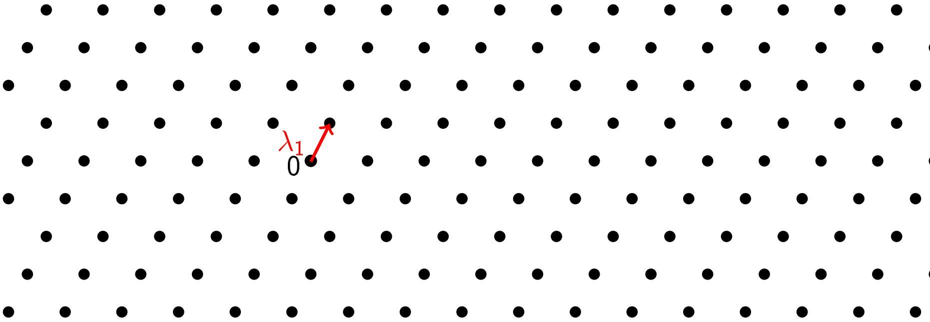

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Its Euclidean norm is denoted λ_1.

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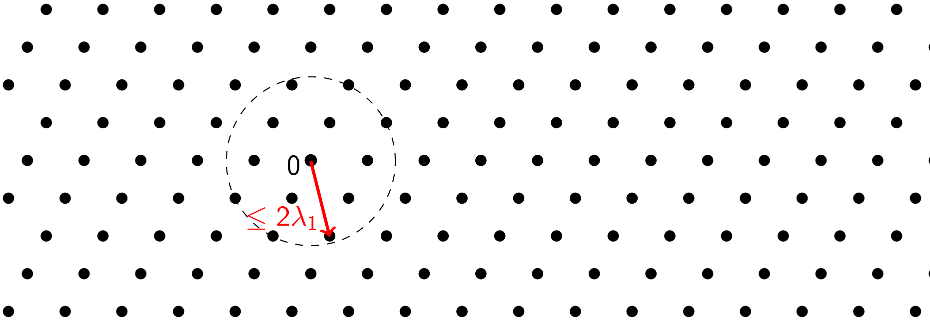

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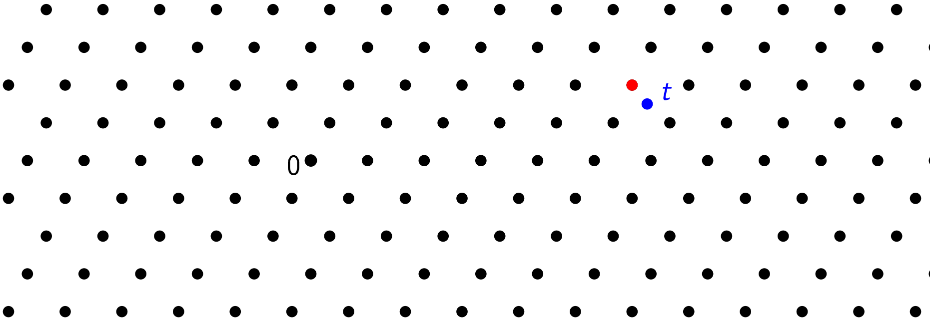

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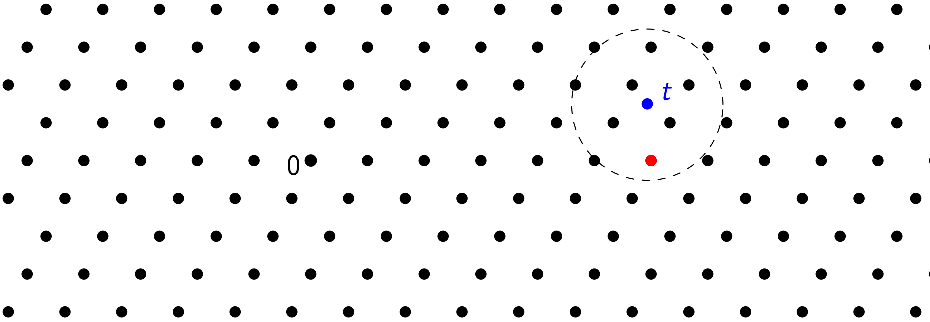

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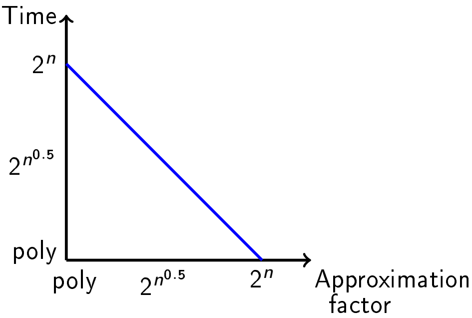

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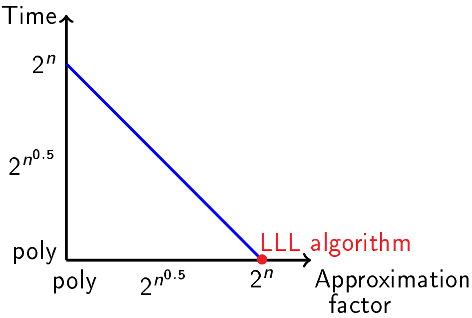

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Left matrix: block height n, total height nk. Right matrix: entry height 1, total height k.

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Typically $500 \leq nk \leq 1000$

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Typically $k \leq 10$

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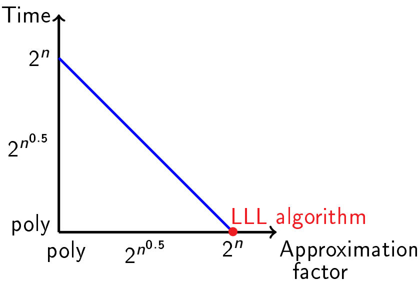

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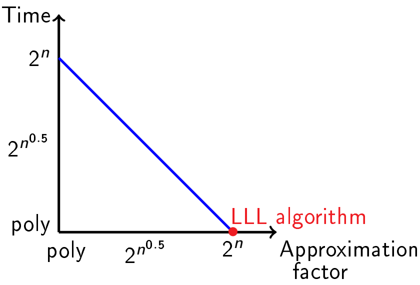

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Can we extend the LLL algorithm to lattices over R?

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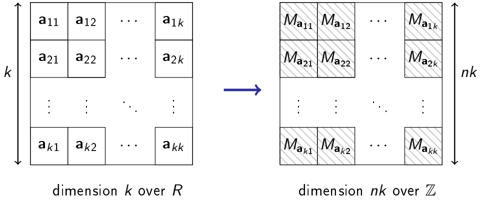

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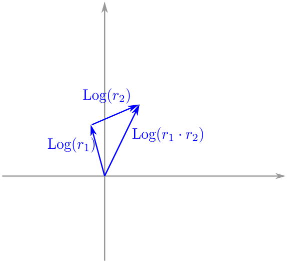

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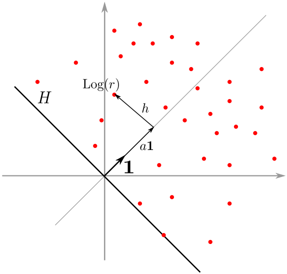

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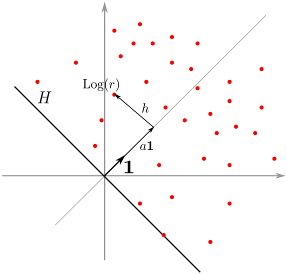

Outline of the talk

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2. LLL algorithm (in dimension 2)
   - Gauss' algorithm and limitations
   - Computing the relaxed Euclidean division

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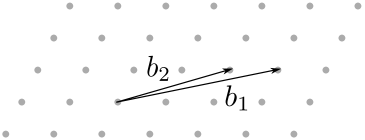

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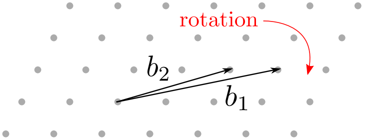

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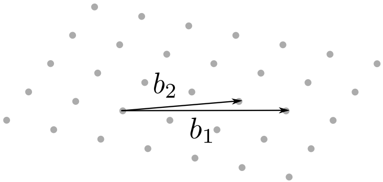

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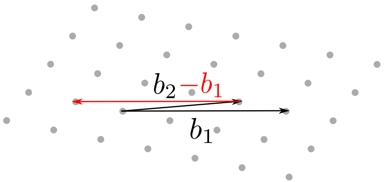

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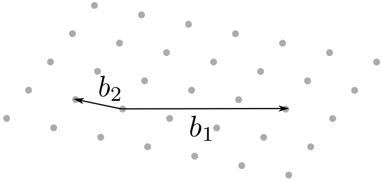

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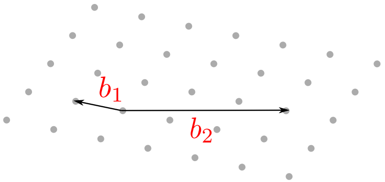

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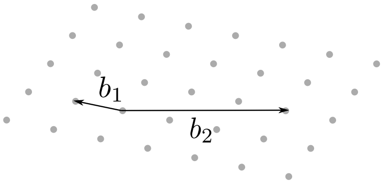

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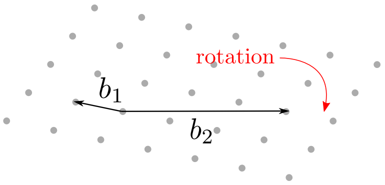

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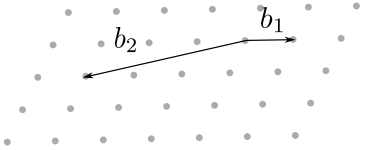

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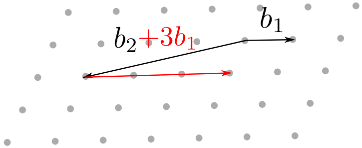

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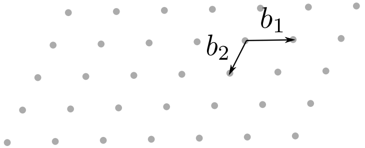

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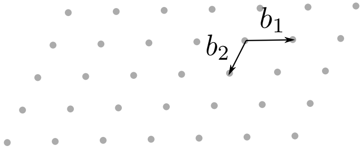

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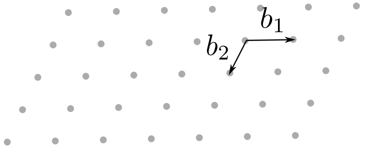

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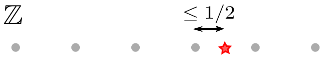

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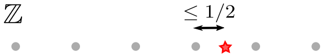

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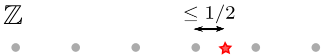

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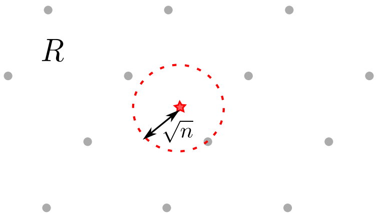

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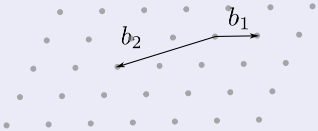

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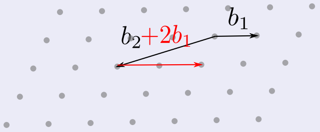

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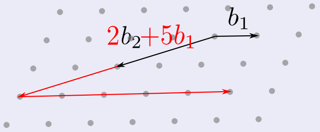

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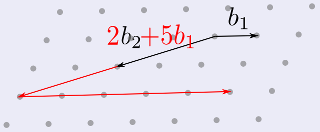

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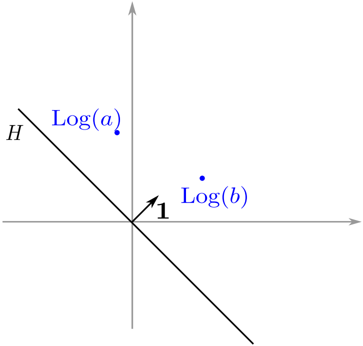

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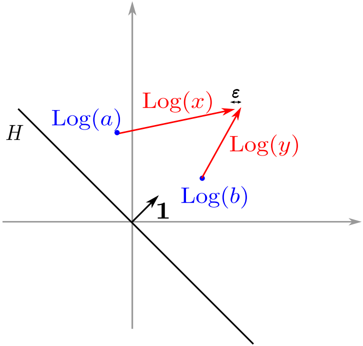

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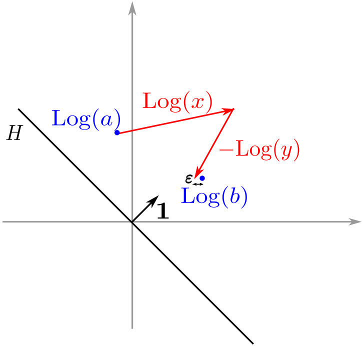

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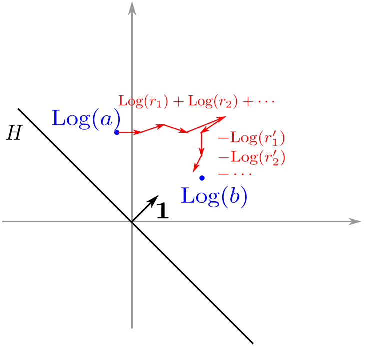

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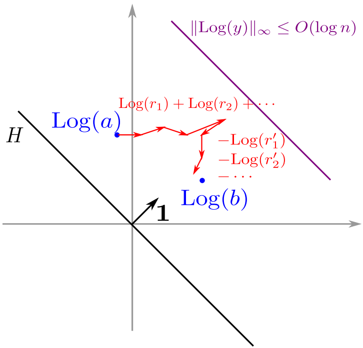

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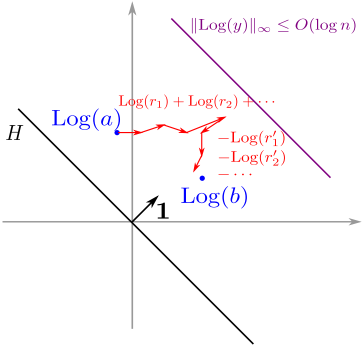

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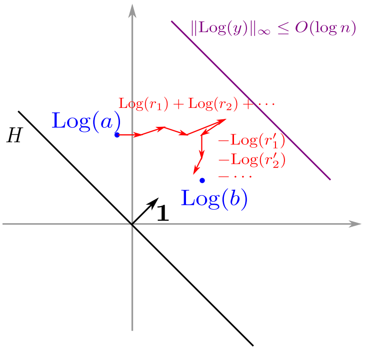

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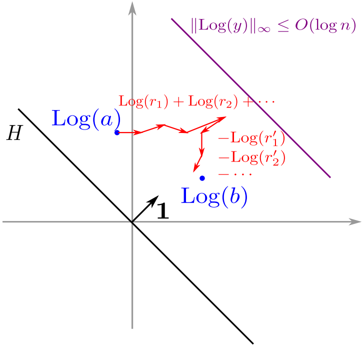

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Under the carpet

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[Buc88] J. Buchmann. A subexponential algorithm for the determination of class groups and regulators of algebraic number fields. Séminaire de théorie des nombres.

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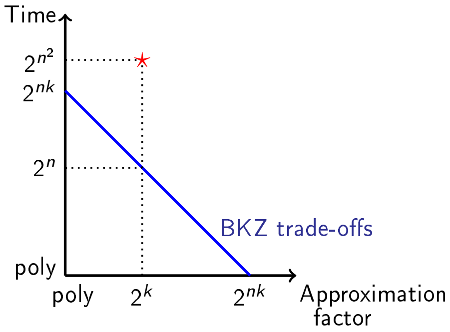

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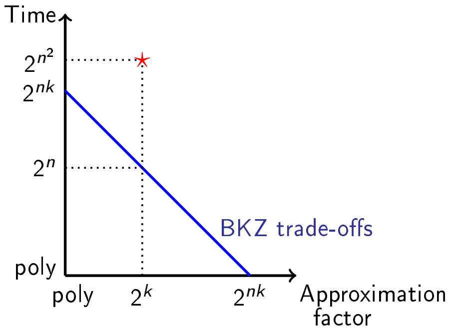

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