Efficient Identity-Based Encryption using NTRU Lattices

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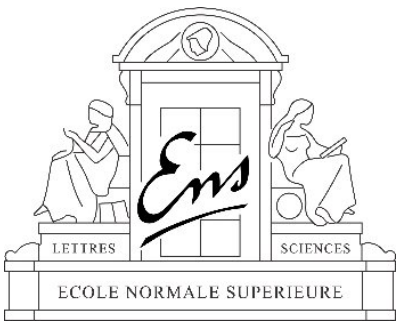

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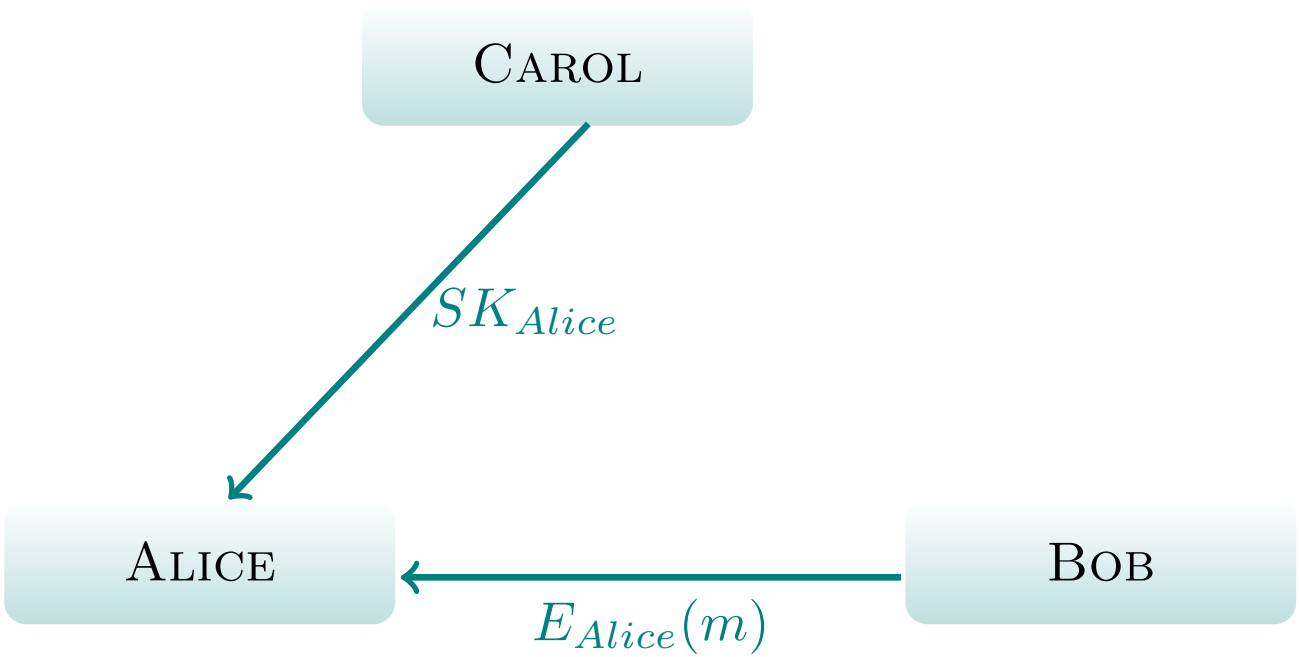
Identity-based encryption (IBE)



An Identity-based encryption scheme

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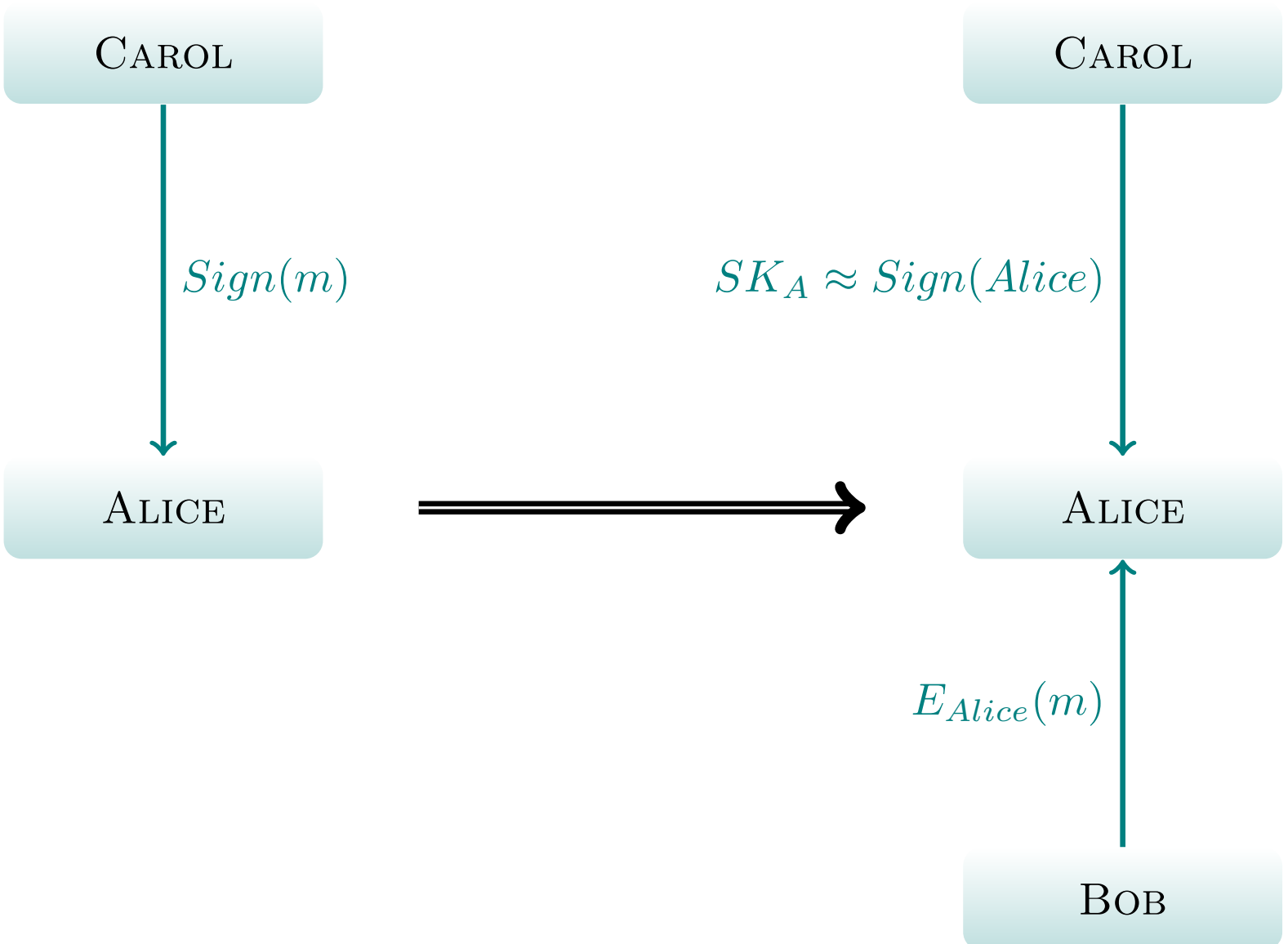

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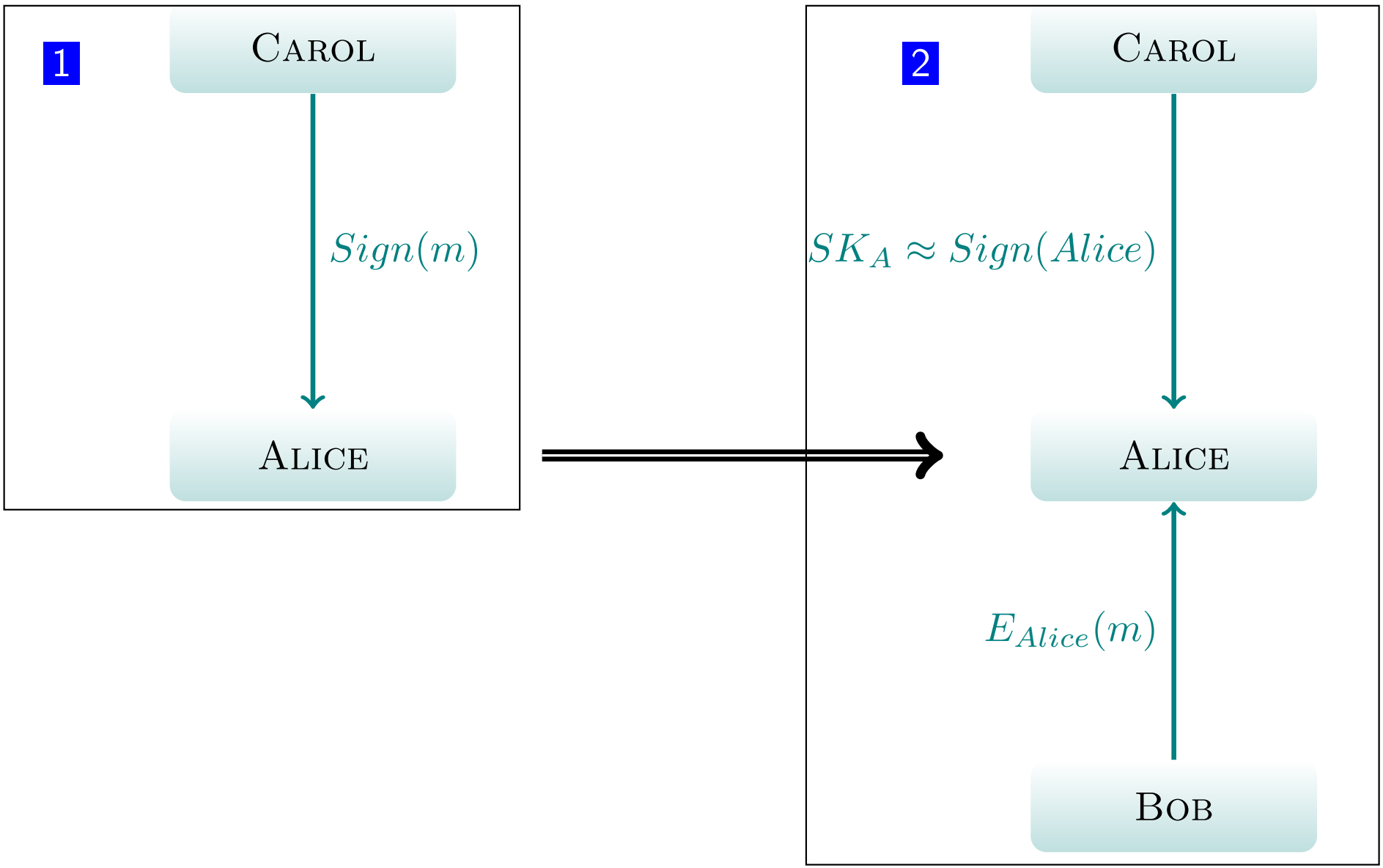

A signature scheme: GGH/NTRUSign [GGH, HHP$^+$]

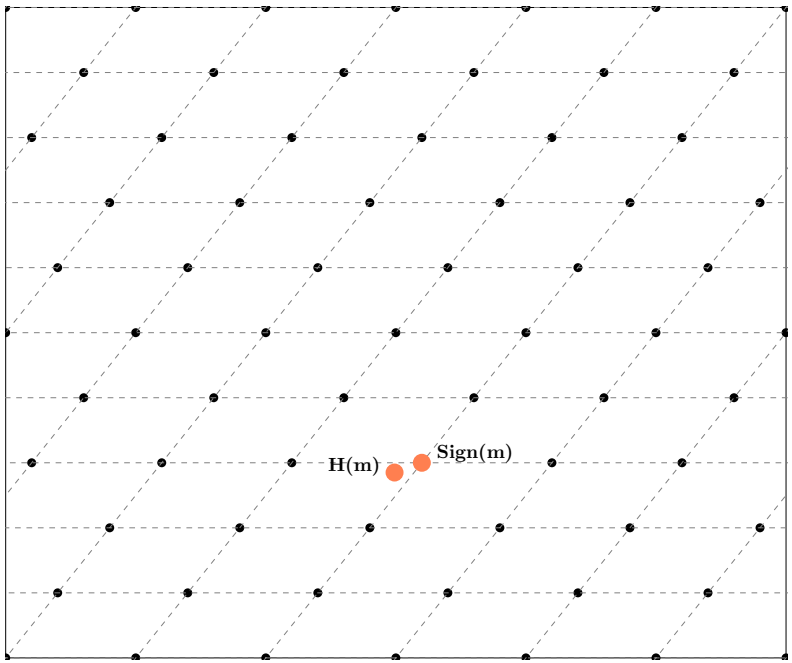

Figure: Only one possible signature

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

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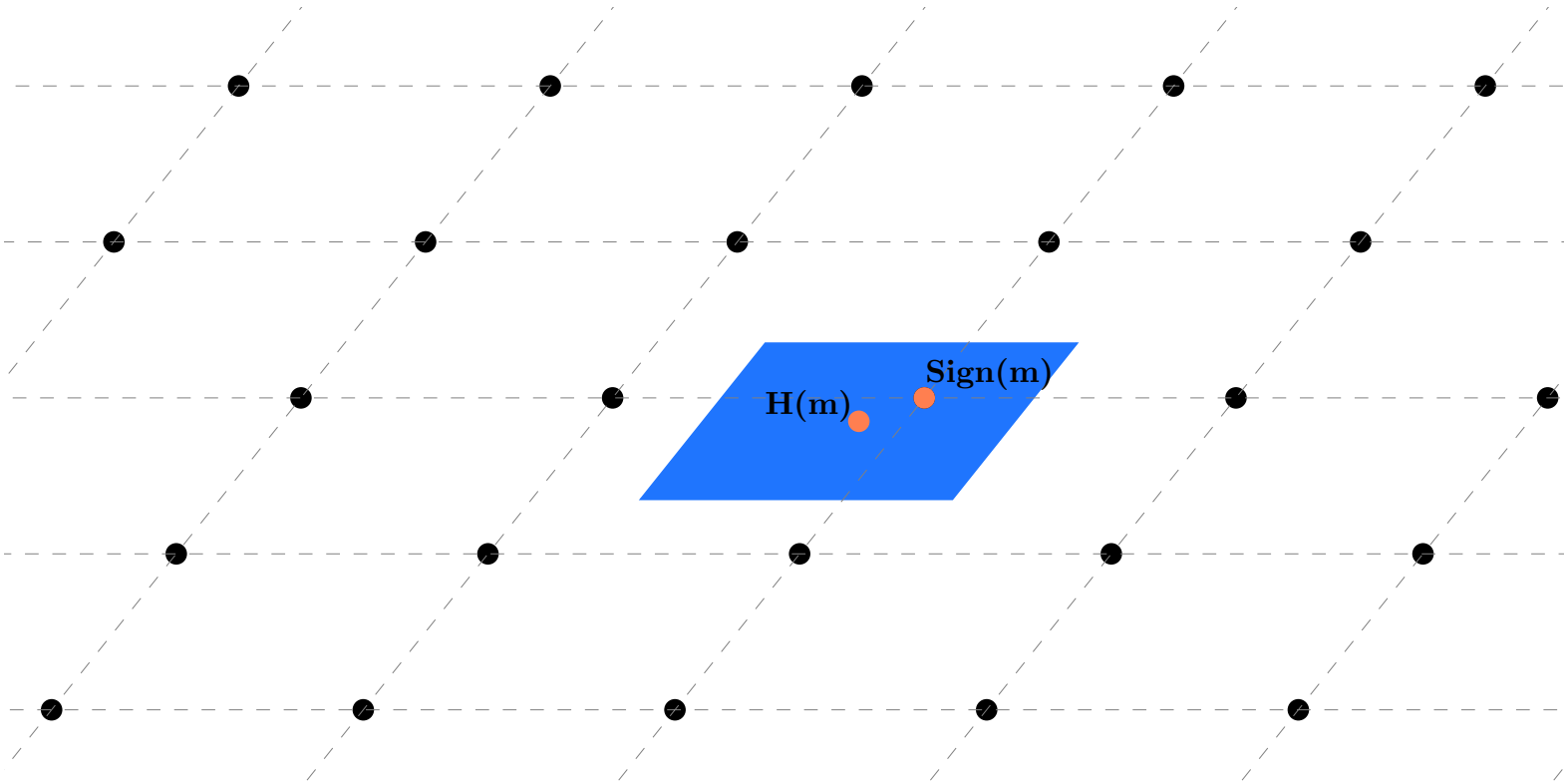
What GGH/NTRUSign does



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2. Let ▱ be the fundamental parallelepiped of $\mathbf{B}$ centered over $H(m)$
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Information leakage in GGH/NTRUSign

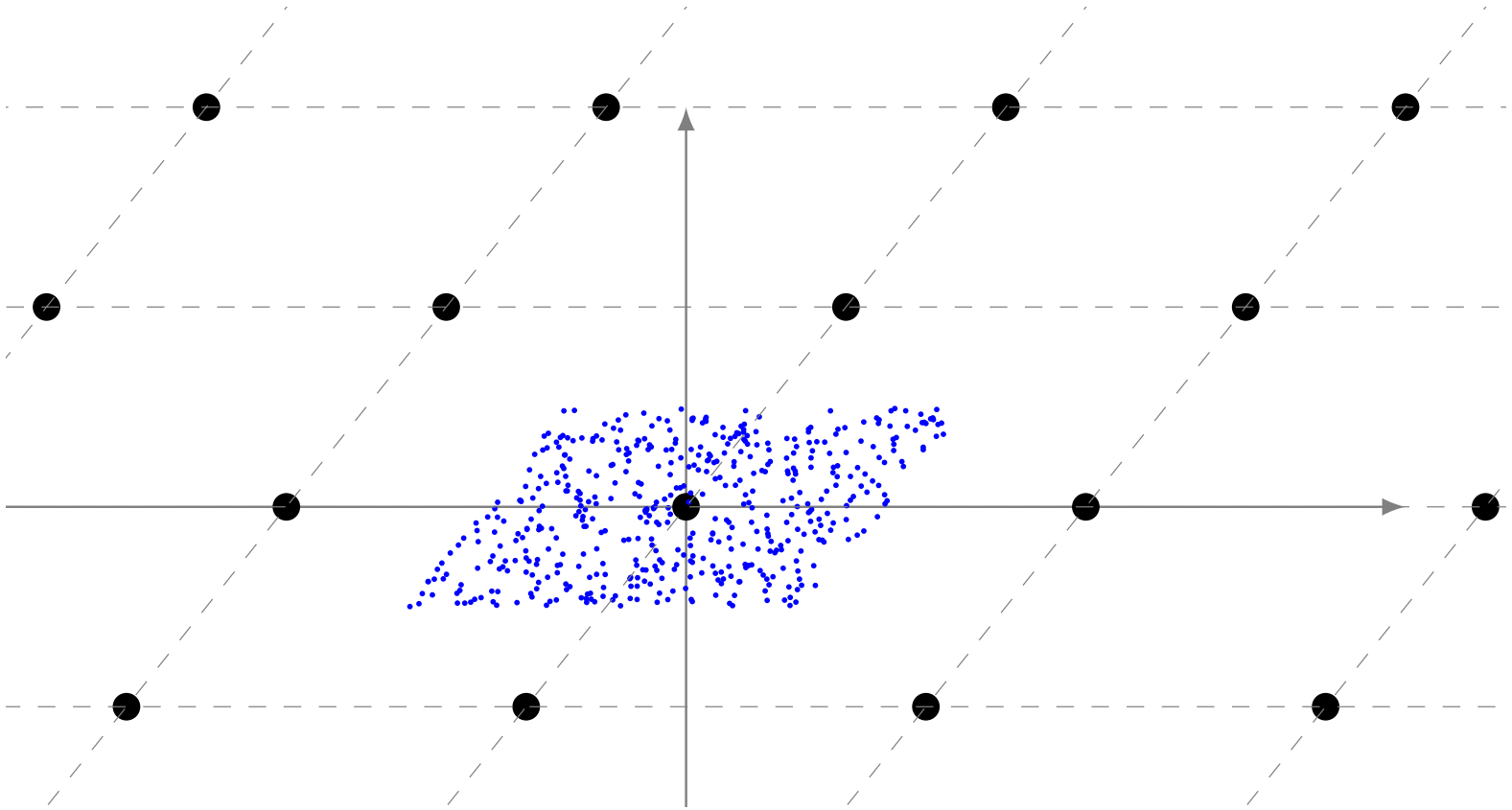

Figure: Distribution of the $H(m_i) - sign(m_i)$

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

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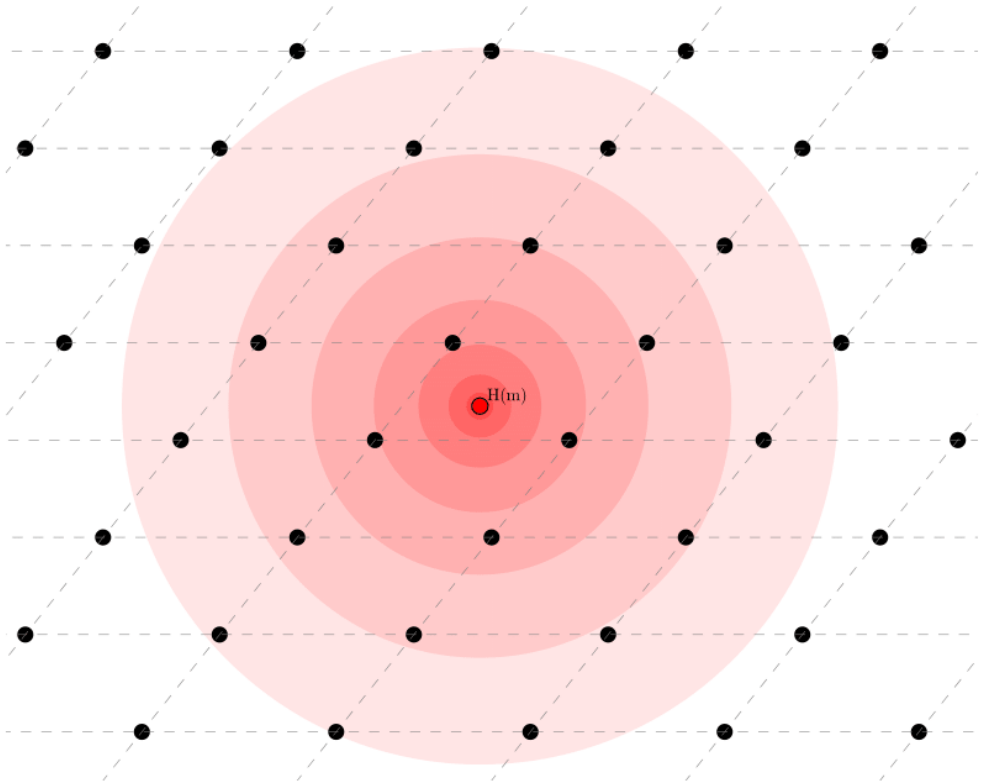

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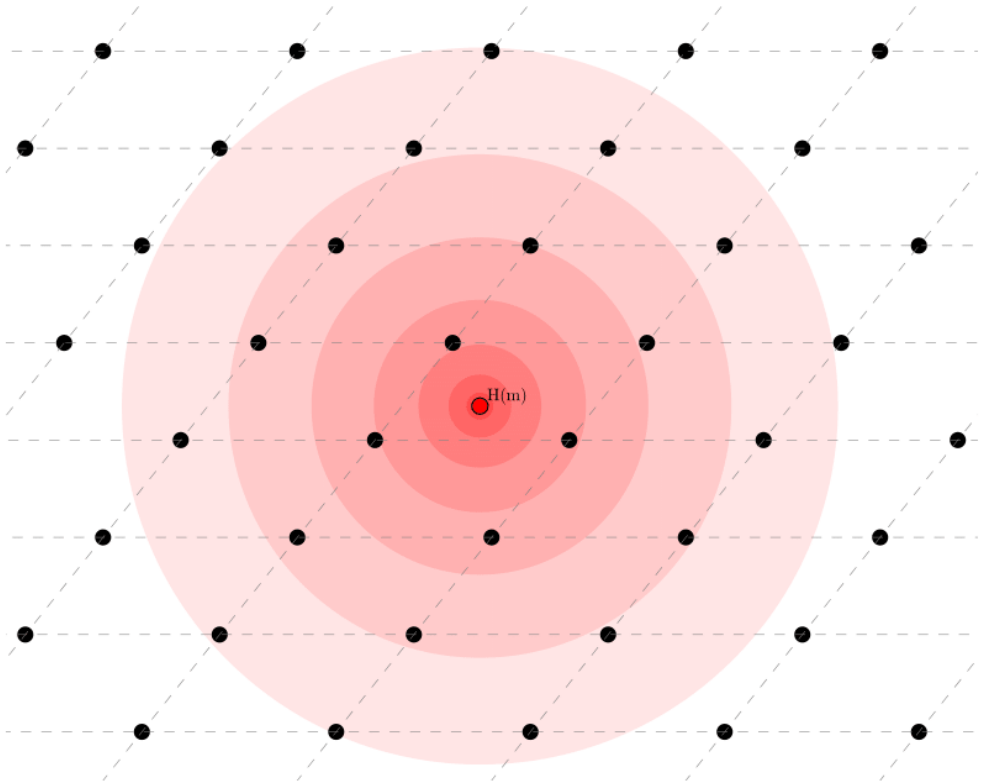

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- The larger the standard deviation σ, the looser the security
- If σ is too small, the simulated gaussian leaks the basis again

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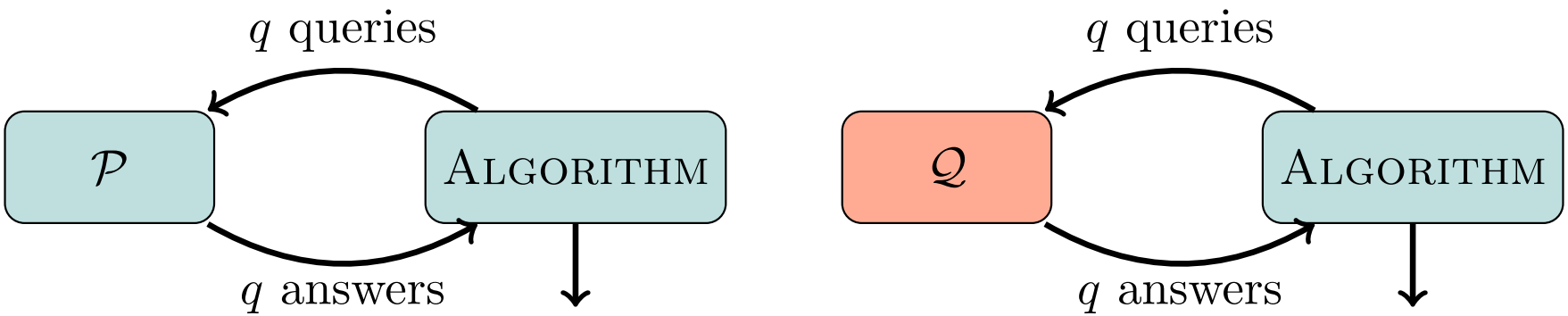

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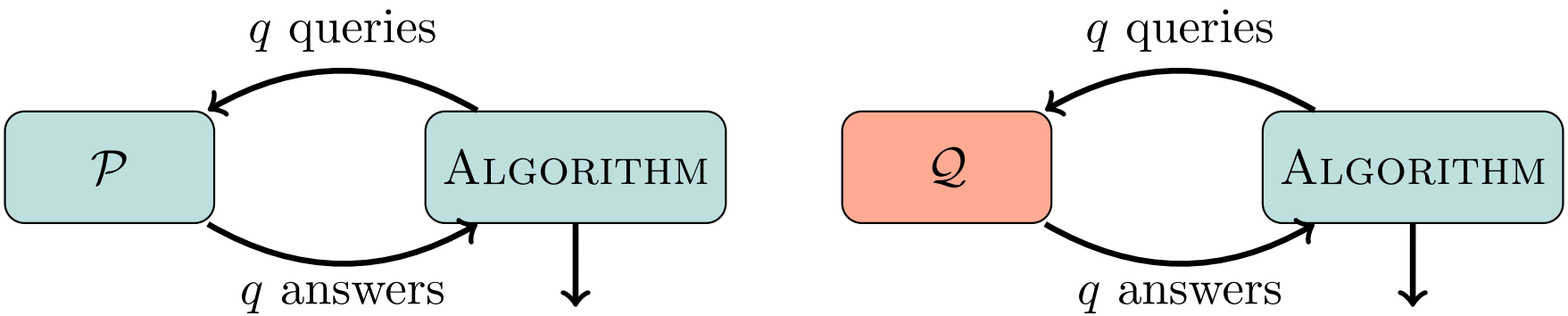

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Let the algorithm $\mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{P}}$ do at most q queries to $\mathcal{P}$ and output a bit. Let x (resp. y) be the probability that $\mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{P}}$ (resp. $\mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{Q}}$) outputs 1.

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

$\Rightarrow$ We can replace Statistical Distance with KL-Divergence.

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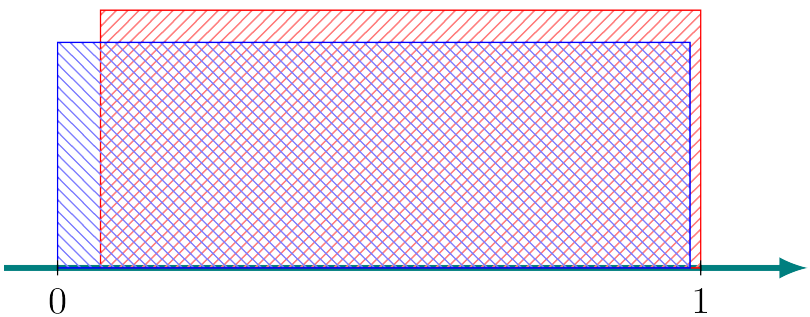

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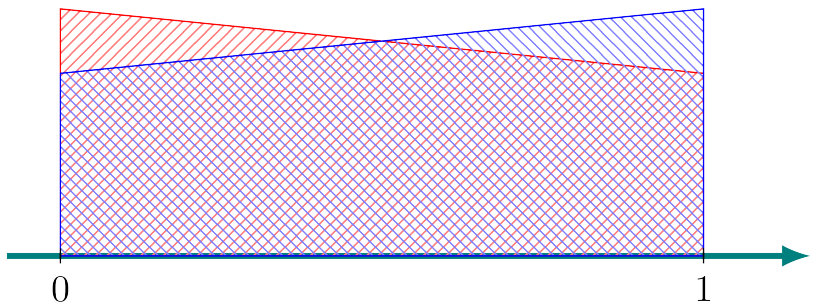

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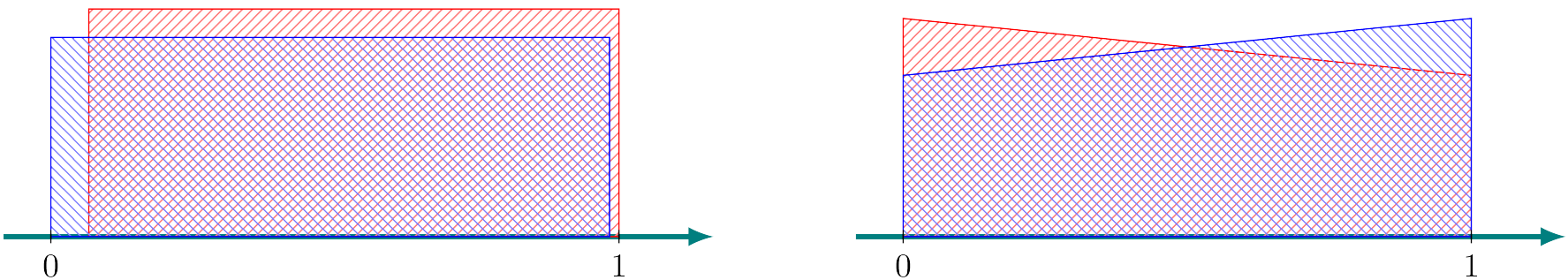

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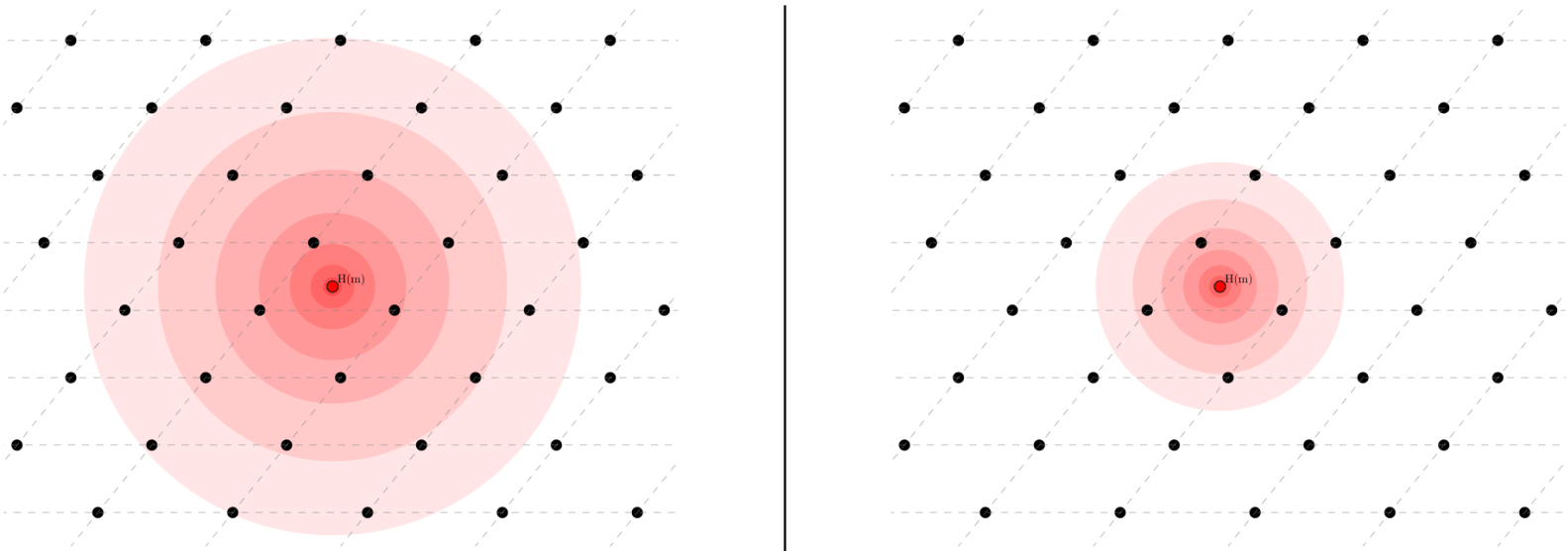
Practical impact of KL-Divergence



With statistical distance | With KL-Divergence

Figure: Sizes of the signatures

- Smaller signatures
- Gain for free!

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 $h = g * f^{-1} \mod q$ (NTRU basis)

Sign:

$$t \leftarrow H(m)$$

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[LPR] Encrypt:

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

[LPR] Decrypt:

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

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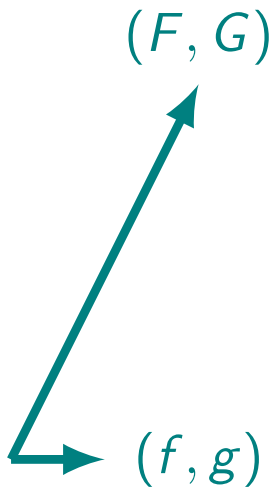

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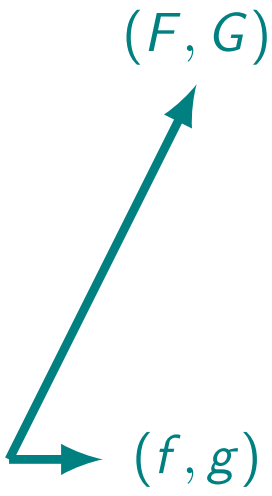

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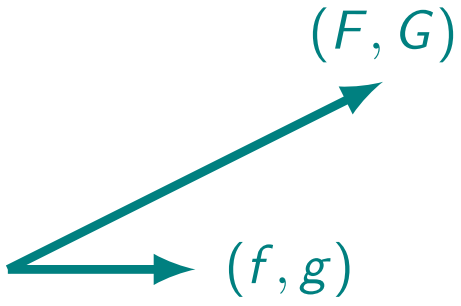

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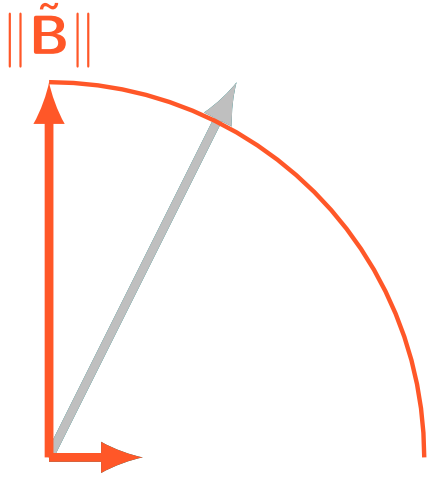

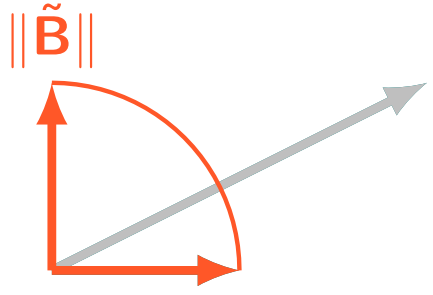

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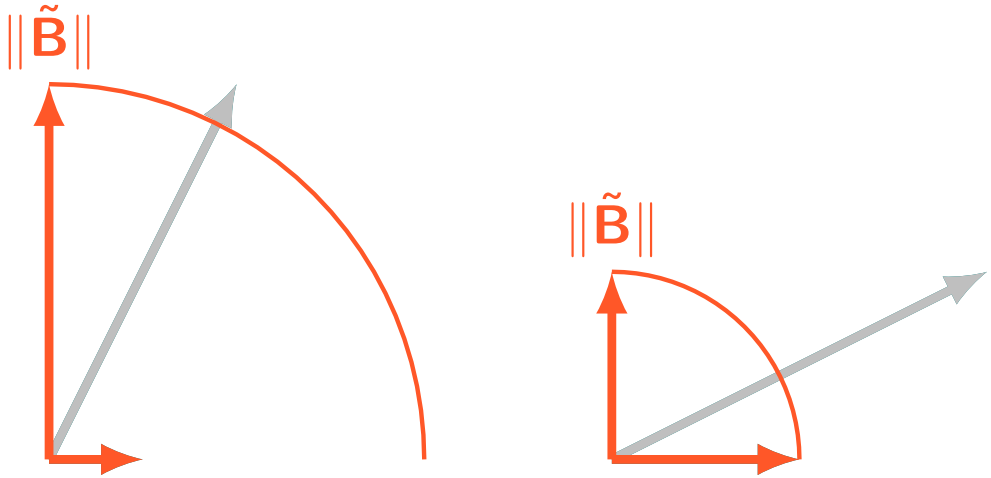

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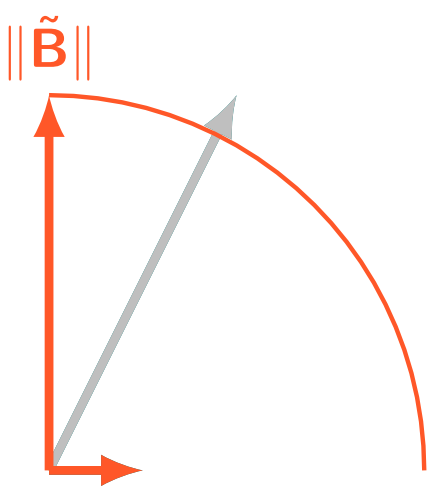

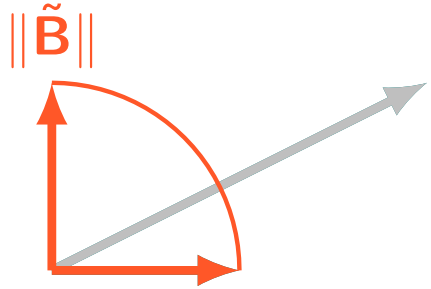

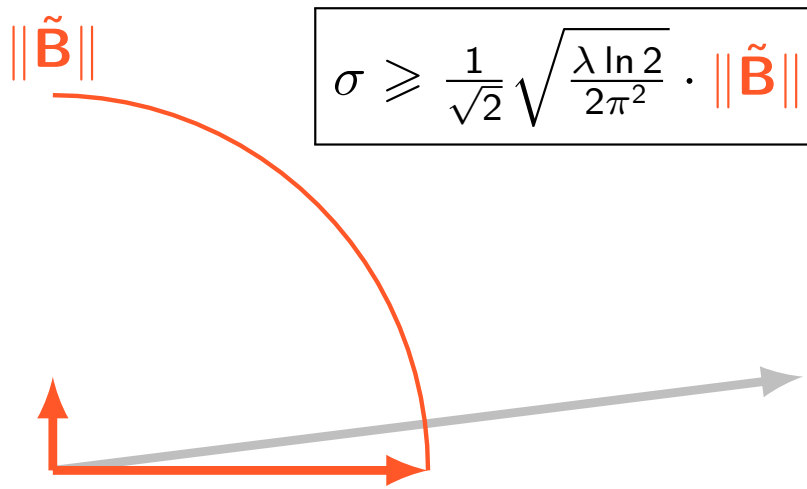

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Implementation[1] in `C++` with `NFLlib`[2] [ABFK].
Comparison with Boneh-Franklin (implementation by [Gui]) for $\lambda = 192$.

[1] Material: Intel Core i5-3210M 2.5GHz and 6GB RAM
[2] NTT-based Fast Lattice library (only for Encrypt, Decrypt)

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- **Encrypt:** **1200× faster**
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User Key	27 kbits	0.25 kbits
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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