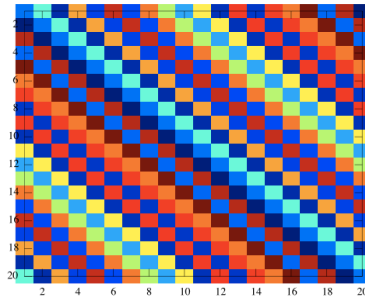


# Sieving for Shortest Vectors in Ideal Lattices (work in progress)

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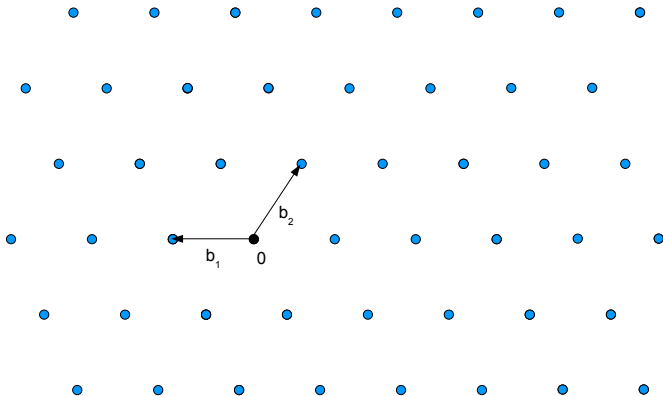


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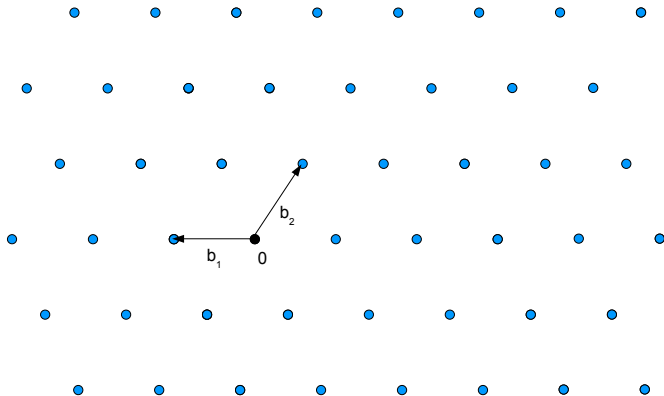


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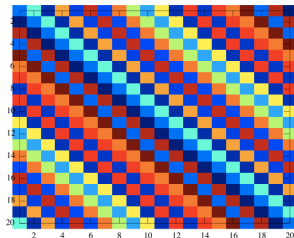


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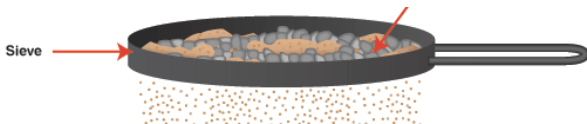


SVP: Given a basis of  $L$ , find  $\mathbf{v} \in L$  with  $\|\mathbf{v}\| = \min_{\mathbf{x} \in L} \|\mathbf{x}\|$

- ▶ Lattices of special form
- ▶ Used preferably for lattice crypto
- ▶ Supposed to be as hard as regular lattices
- ▶ For  $\mathbf{v} \in L$ , also  $\text{rot}^i(\mathbf{v}) \in L \forall i = 1 \dots n - 1$



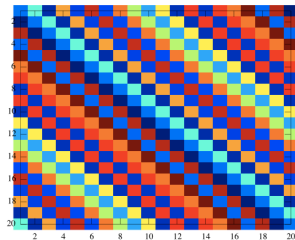
- ▶ SVP solver
- ▶ Probabilistic
- ▶ Exponential runtime  $2^{\mathcal{O}(n)}$
- ▶ Exponential space  $2^{\mathcal{O}(n)}$



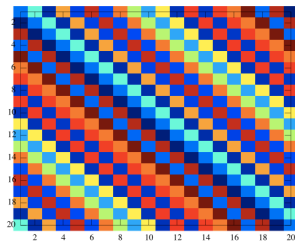


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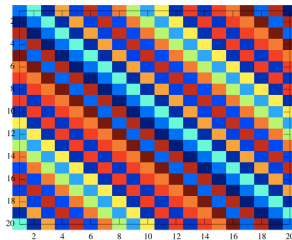
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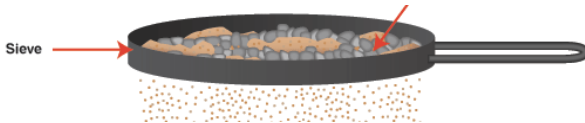
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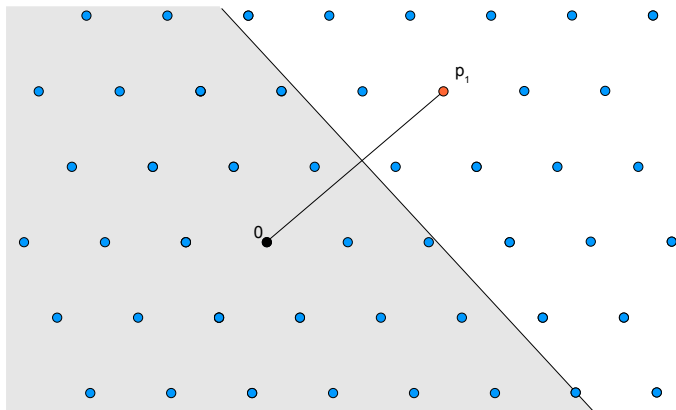


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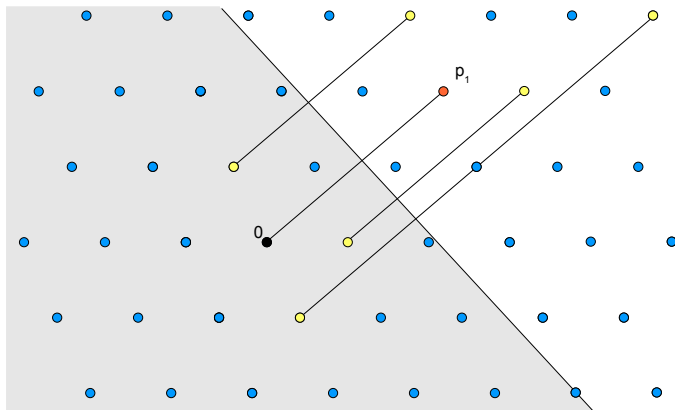


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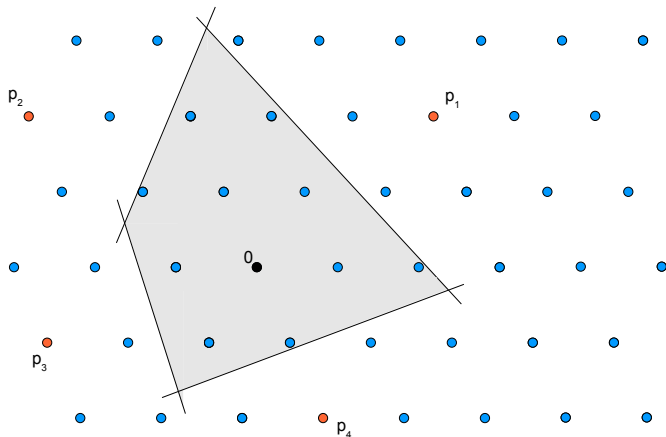




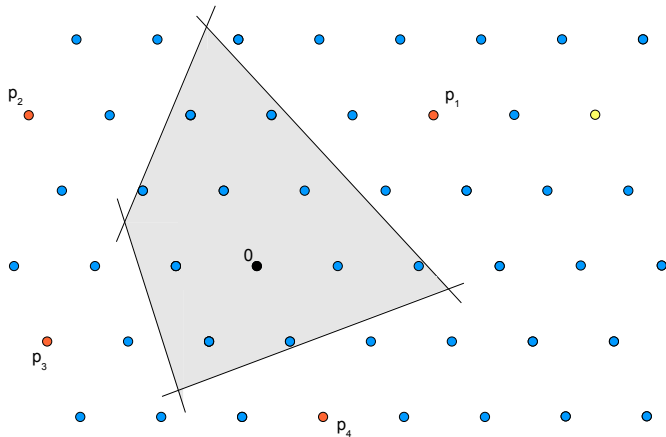
$$\cdot = \{\mathbf{x} : \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{p}_1\| \geq \|\mathbf{x}\|\}$$

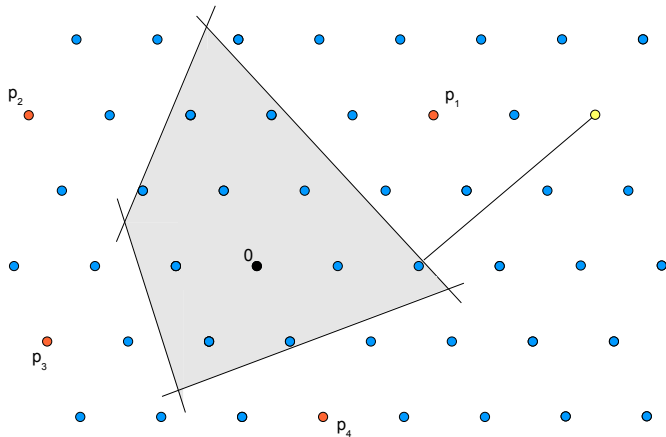


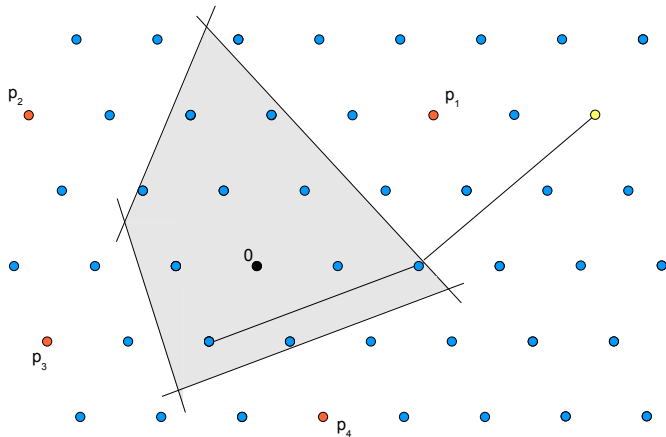
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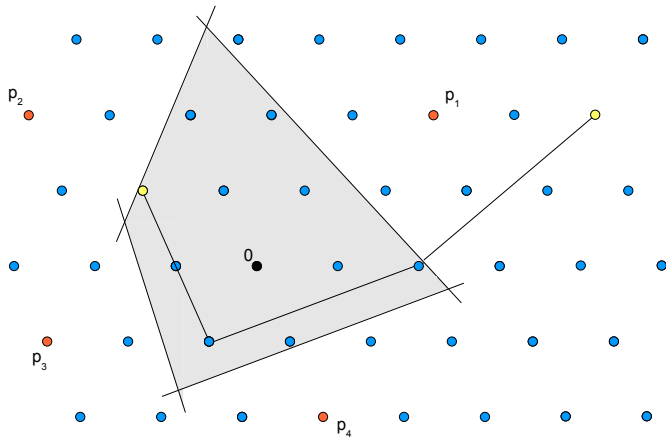


intersection of halfspaces



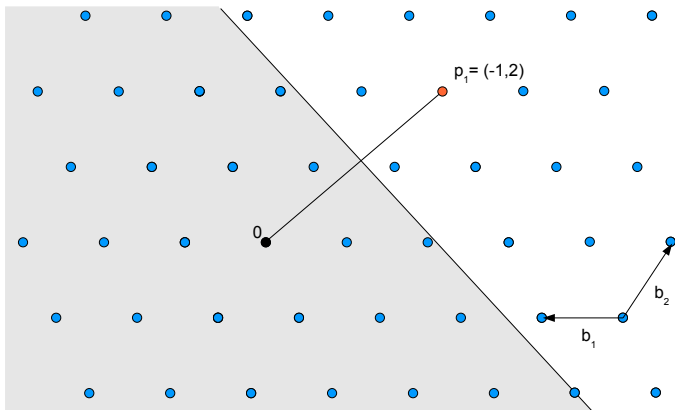




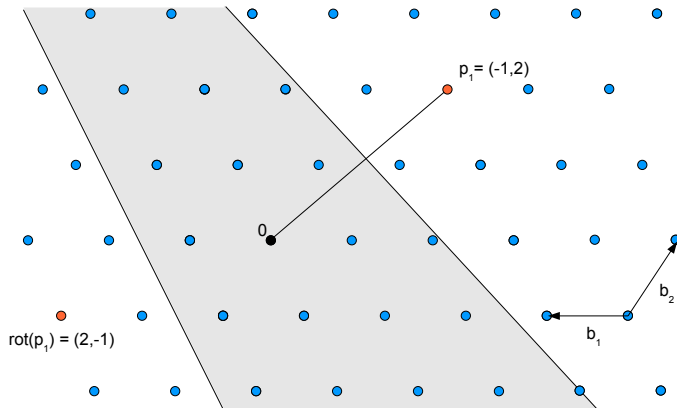




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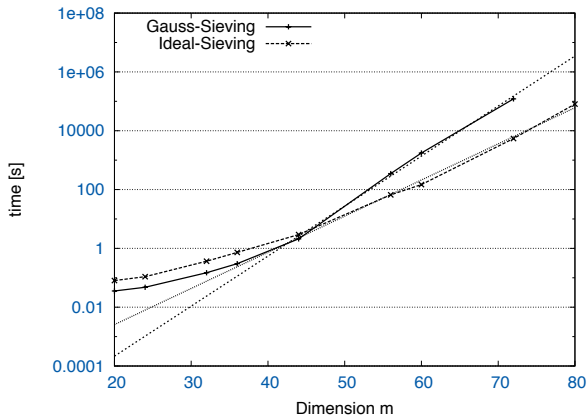
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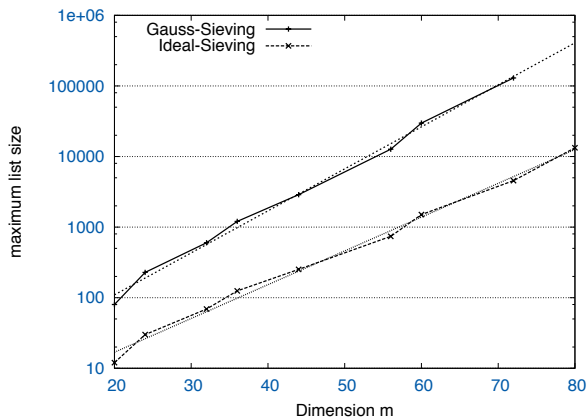
# Sieving Algorithms

Algorithm	Time	Space	Comment
[AKS01]	$2^{\mathcal{O}(m)}$	$2^{\mathcal{O}(m)}$	
[NV08]	$2^{5.9m}$	$2^{2.95m}$	practical
[MV10]	$2^{3.2m}$	$2^{1.33m}$	
[PS10]	$2^{2.46m}$	$2^{1.23m}$	best in theory
[MV10]	$2^{0.52m}$	$2^{0.2m}$	not provable
this work	$2^{0.41m}$	$2^{0.16m}$	only ideal lattices

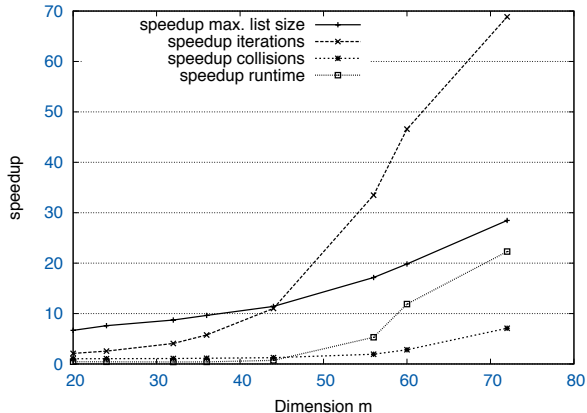
## Measured Runtime



## Maximum List Size



## Speedups





- ▶ Adapt runtime proof
- ▶ ...

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Thank you for your attention!





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