

Lattice-Based Cryptography: Trapdoors, Discrete Gaussians, and Applications

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Agenda

- ① “Strong trapdoors” for lattices
- ② Discrete Gaussians, sampling, and “preimage sampleable” functions
- ③ Applications: signatures, ID-based encryption (in RO model)

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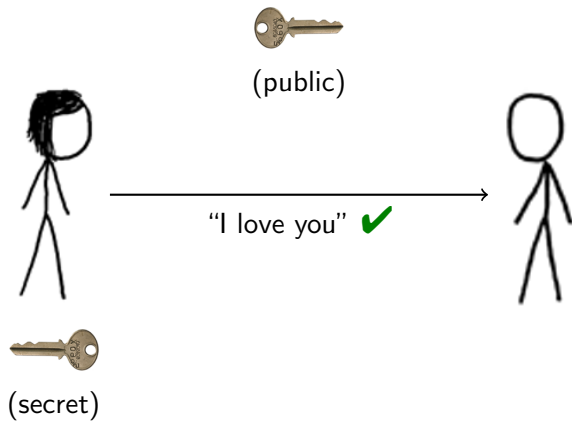


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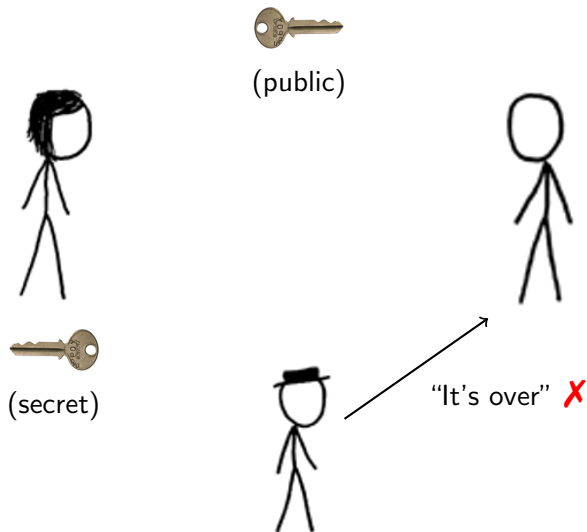


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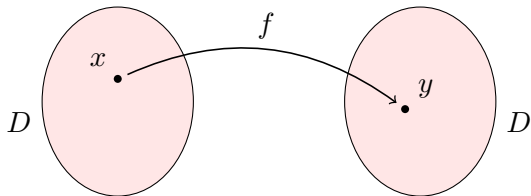


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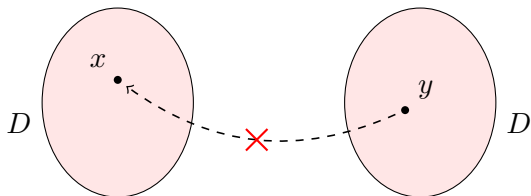
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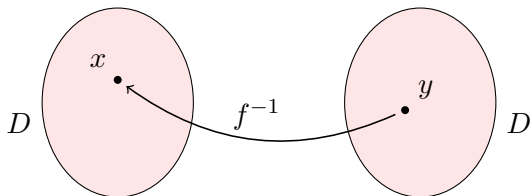
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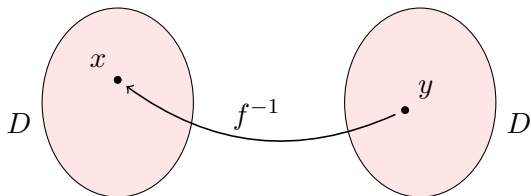
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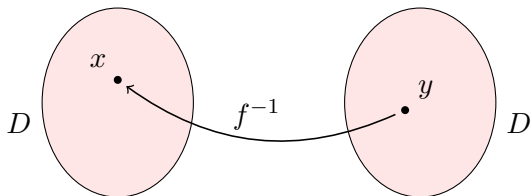
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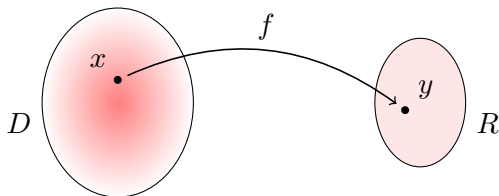
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- ▶ Candidate TDPs: [RSA'78,Rabin'79,Paillier'99] ('general assumption')

All rely on hardness of **factoring**:

- ✗ Complex: 2048-bit exponentiation
- ✗ Broken by quantum algorithms [Shor'97]

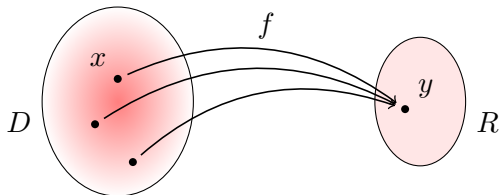
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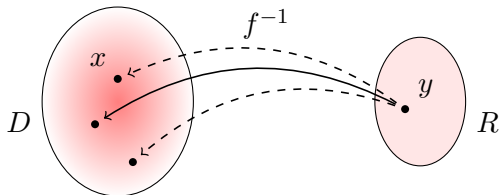
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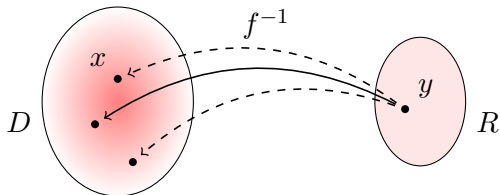
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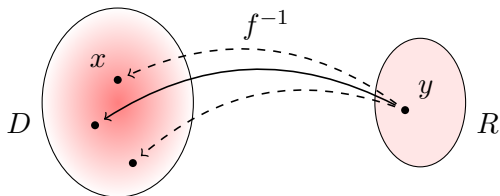
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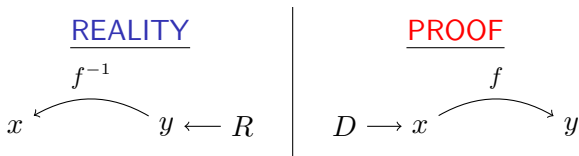
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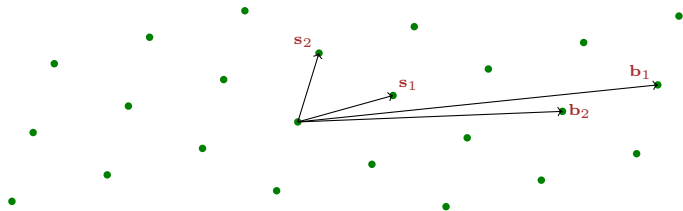


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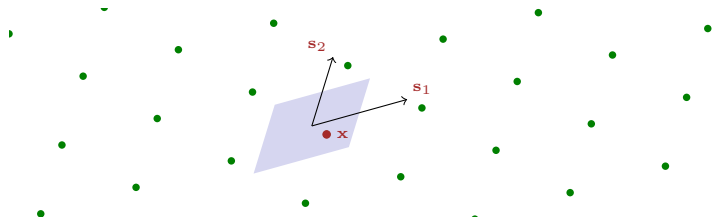
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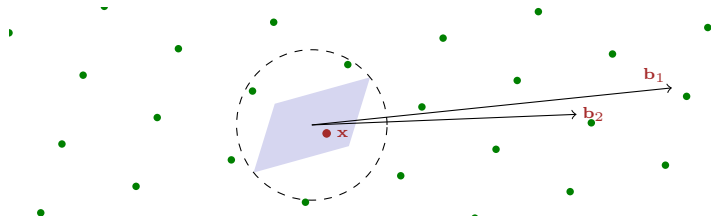
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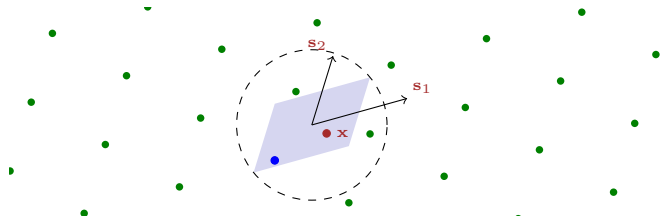
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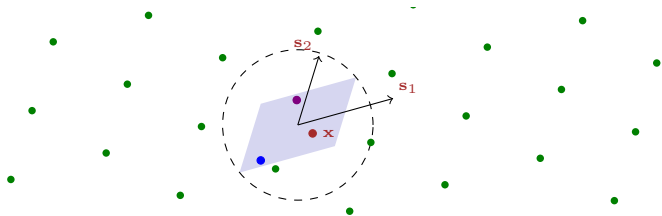
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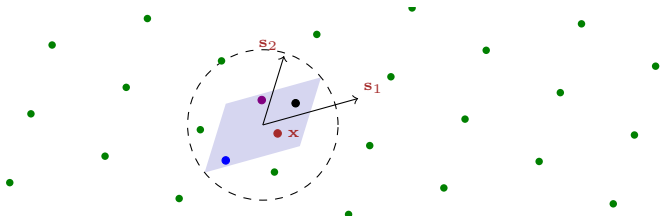
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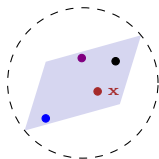
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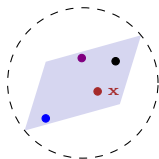


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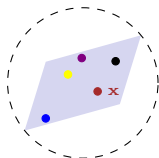


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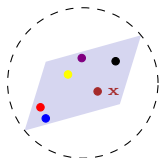


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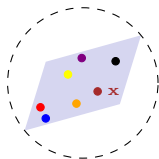


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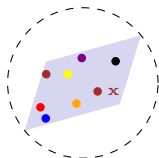


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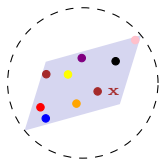


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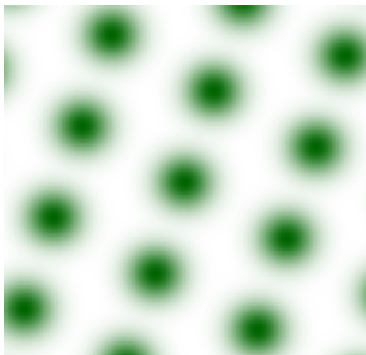
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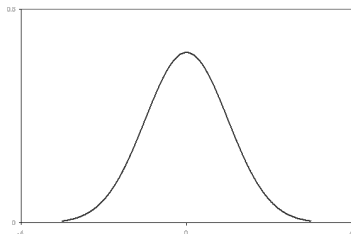
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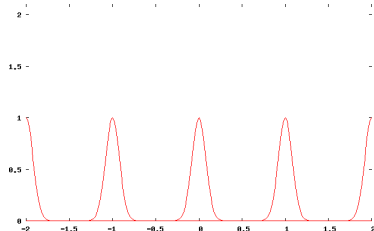
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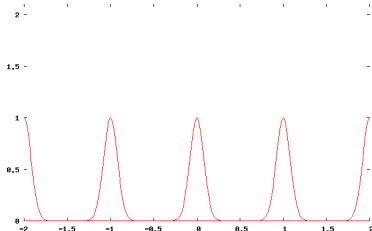
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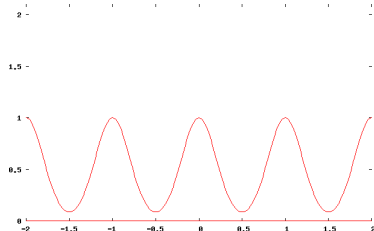
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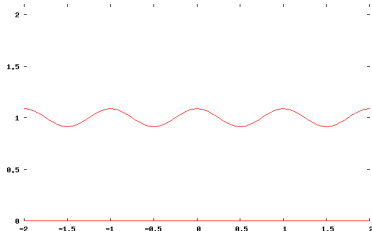
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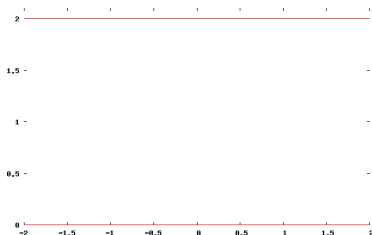
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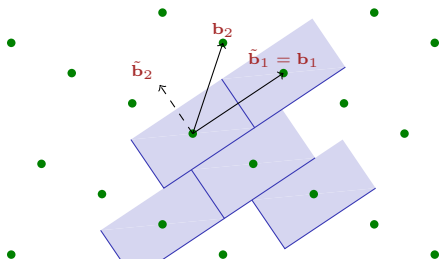
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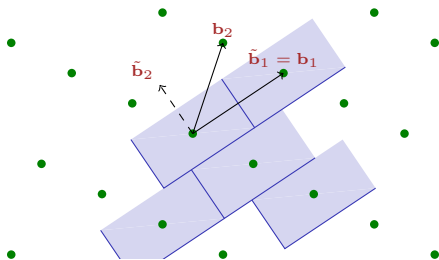
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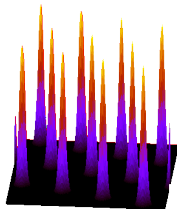
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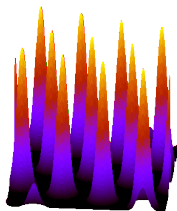
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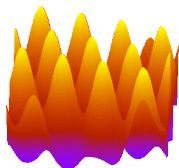
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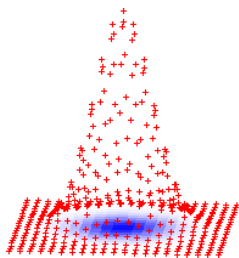
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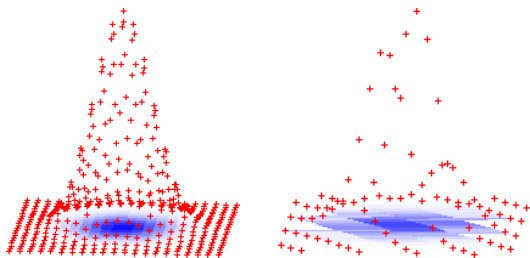
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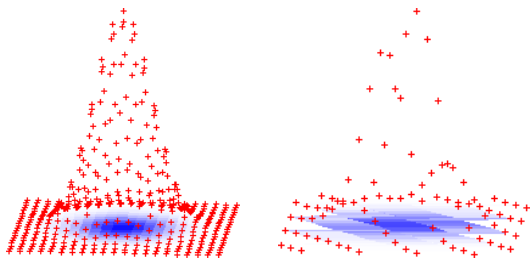
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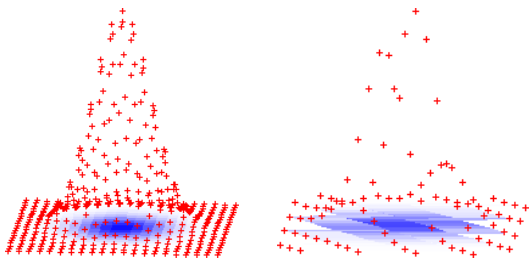
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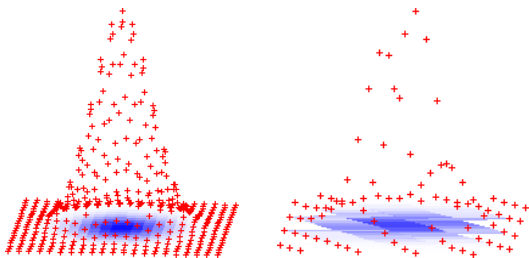
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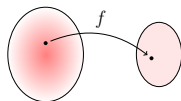
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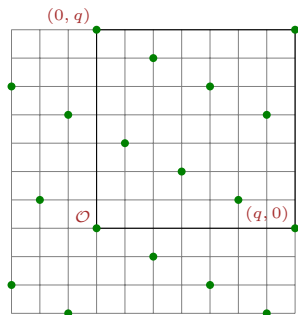
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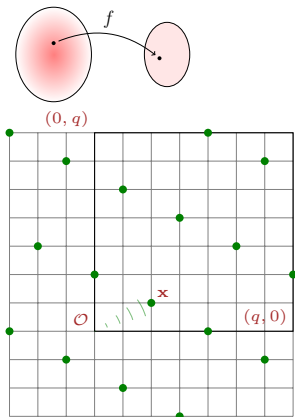


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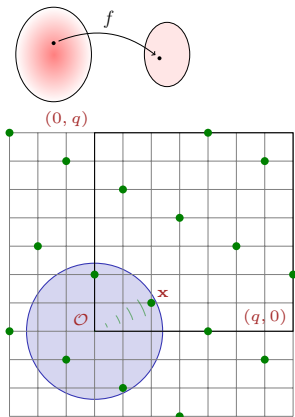
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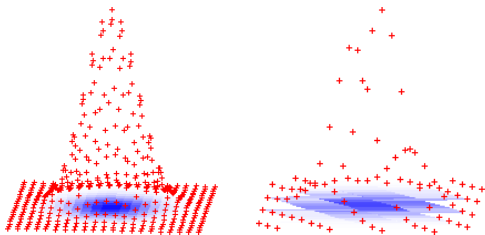
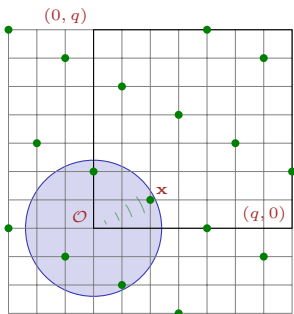
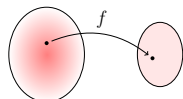
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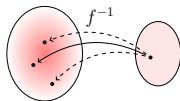


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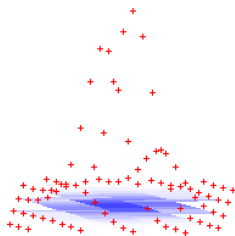
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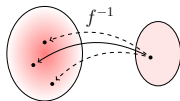
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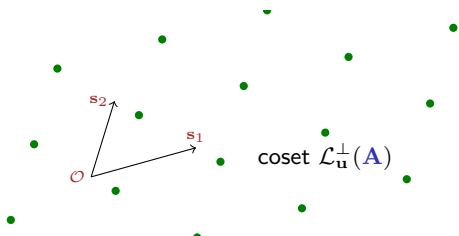
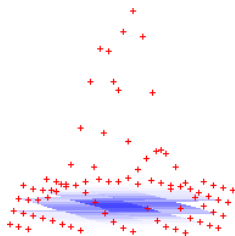
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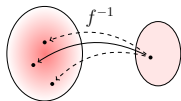
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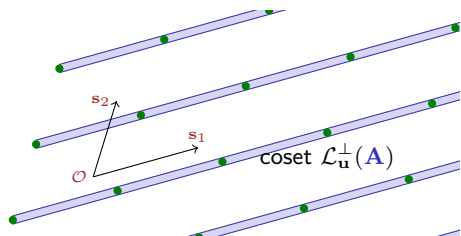
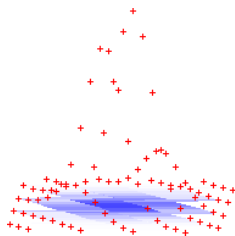
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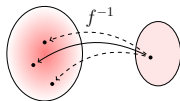
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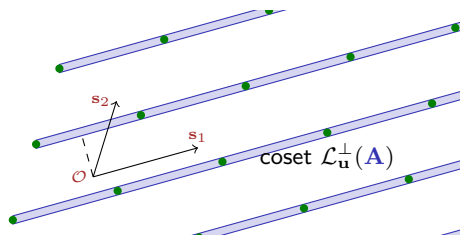
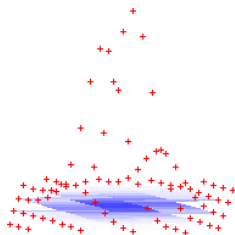
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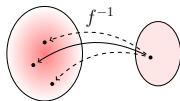
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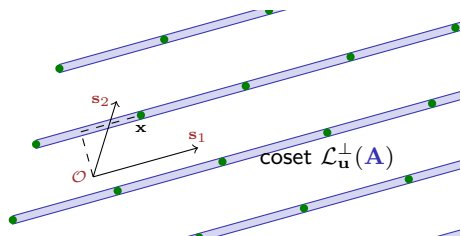
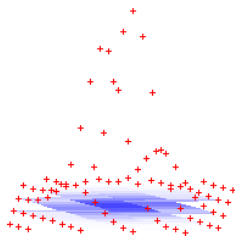
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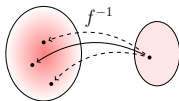
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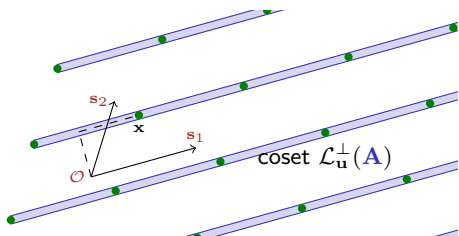
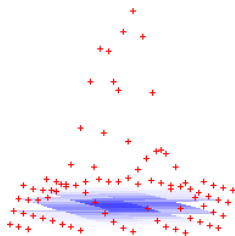
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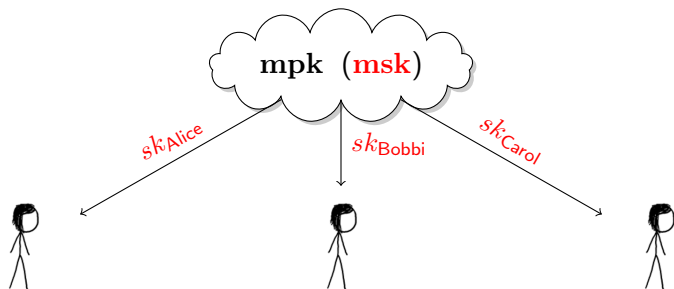
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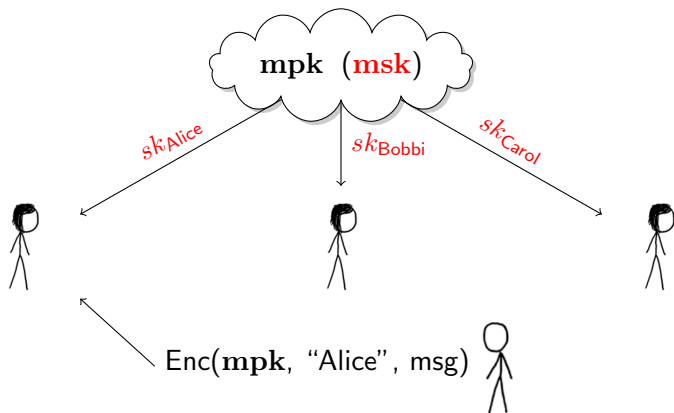
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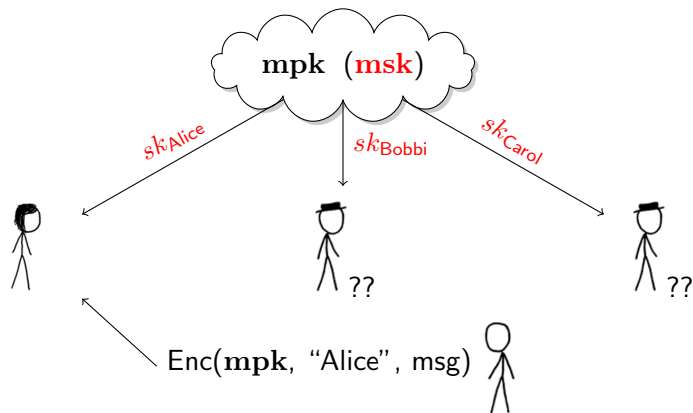
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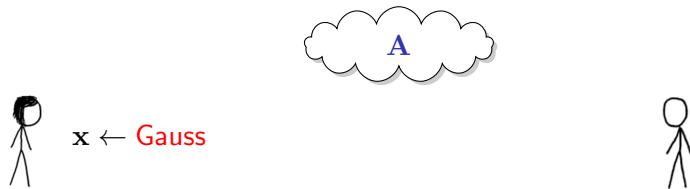
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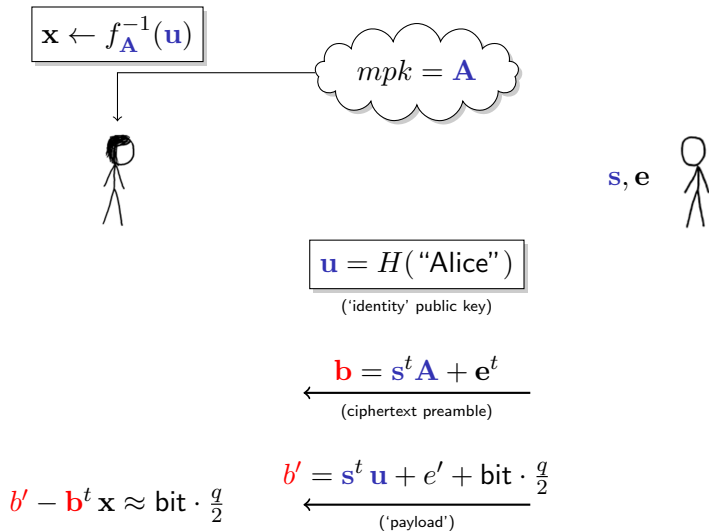
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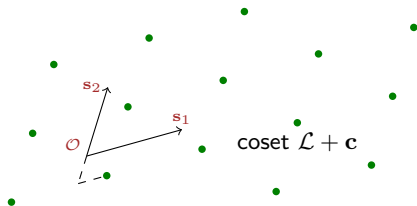
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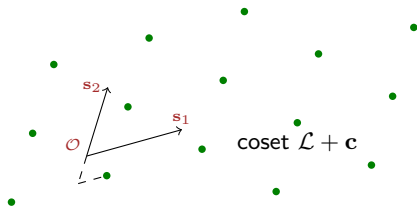
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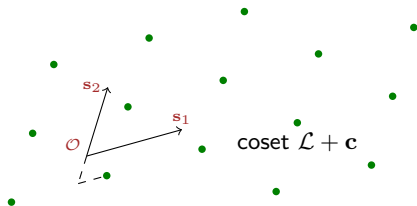
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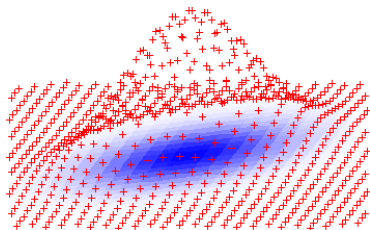
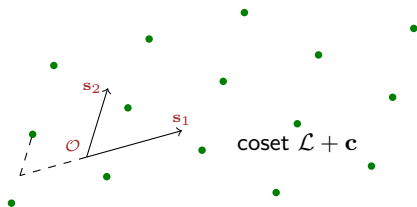
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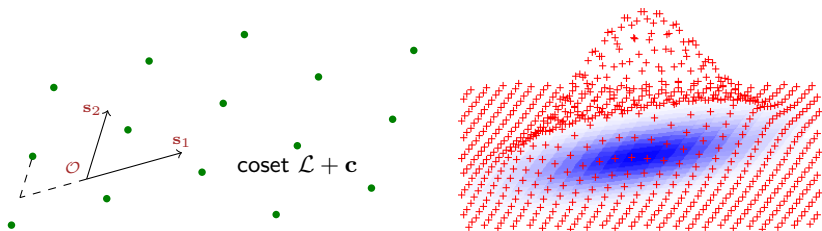
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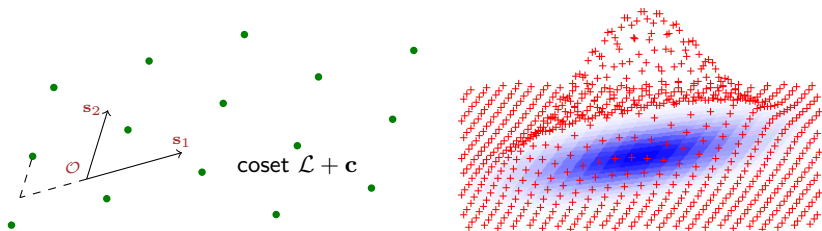


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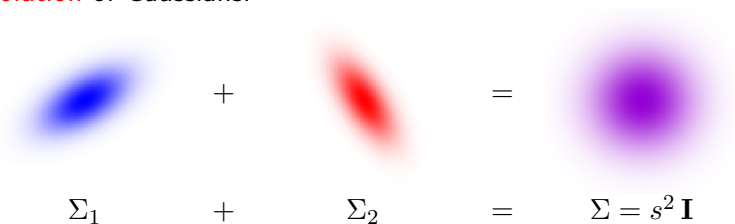
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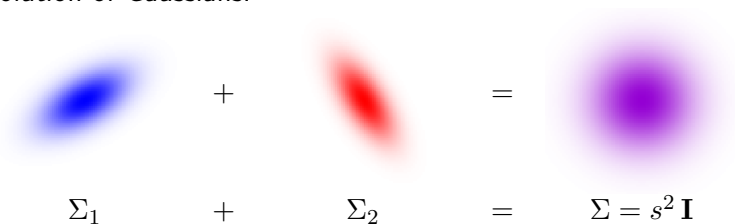


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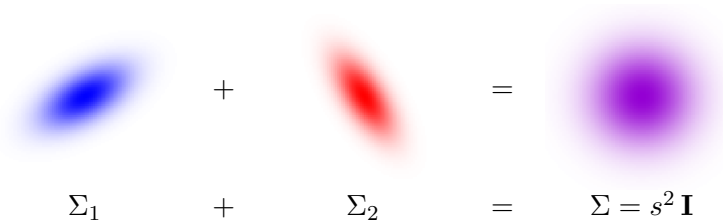
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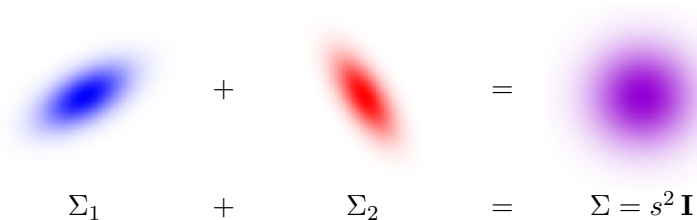
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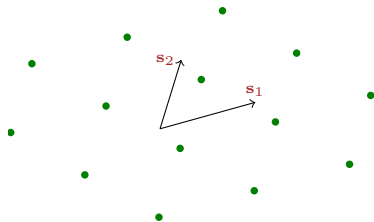
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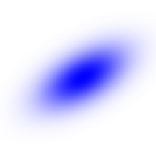
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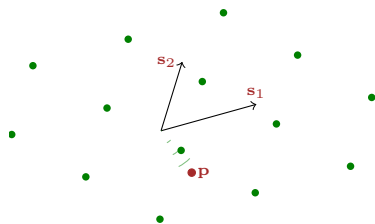


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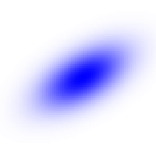

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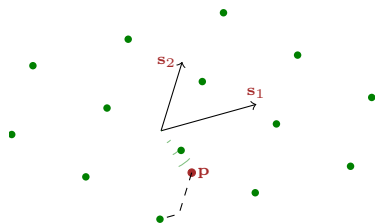


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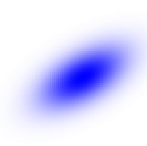

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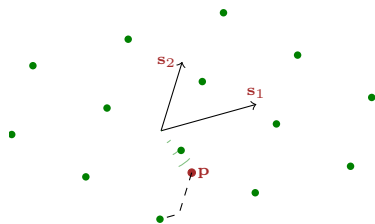


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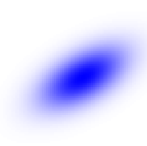


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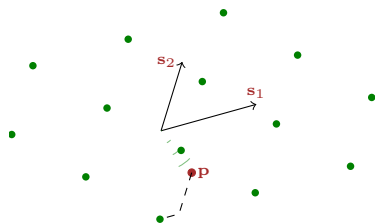
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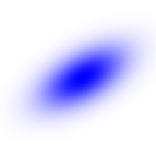
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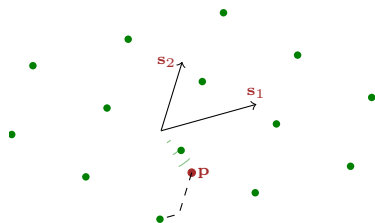
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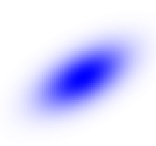


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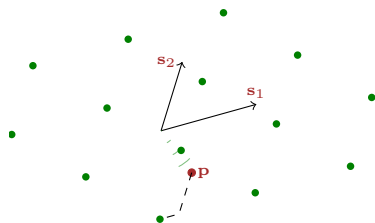
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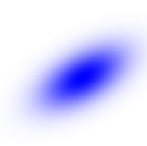


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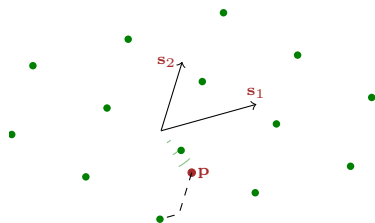
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