

# Lenstra-Lenstra-Lovasz Algorithm

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# Introduction

- Lenstra-Lenstra-Lovasz (LLL) Algorithm is an approximation algorithm of the shortest vector problem.
- It runs in polynomial time and finds an approximation within an exponential factor of the correct answer.
- It is a practical method with enough accuracy in solving integer linear programming, factorizing polynomials over integers and breaking cryptosystems.

# Shortest Vector Problem

- A lattice  $L$  is a discrete subgroup generated by all the integer combinations of the vectors of some basis  $B$ .
- The Shortest vector problem (SVP) is the most famous and widely studied lattice problem, which finds the shortest non-zero vector in a given lattice  $L$ .
- The length of the vector can be defined with any norm, but most frequently with Euclidean norm.
- SVP has been studied since 19th century due to its connectivity with many problems, like integer linear programming and number theory.
- There was not efficient algorithm of solving SVP in higher dimensions until 1980s. In 1981, mathematician Perter van Emde Boas conjectured that SVP is a NP-hard problem.

# Basis Reduction

Basis reduction is a process of reducing the basis of a lattice  $L$  to a shorter basis while keeping  $L$  the same. For a lattice with  $n$  vector basis we are trying to find  $n$  shortest possible vectors belonging to lattice which are linearly independent.

A 2D basis with defined to be reduced if it satisfies following condition:

$$\begin{aligned} \|b_1\| &\leq \|b_2\| \\ u = \frac{b_1 \cdot b_2}{\|b_1\|^2} &\leq \frac{1}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

This condition is ensuring the vectors are orthogonal enough. Similarly for higher dimensional reduced basis tend to have nearly orthonormal vectors

# Gram-Schmidt Orthogonalization

- The idea of basis reduction in two dimensional lattice is to find the orthogonal basis based on the given basis.
- To generalize the algorithm to n-dimensions, we need to find a way to construct n-dimensional orthogonal basis based on the given basis, which leads us to Gram-Schmidt Orthogonalization.

$$\mathbf{x}_1^* = \mathbf{x}_1,$$

$$\mathbf{x}_i^* = \mathbf{x}_i - \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} \mu_{ij} \mathbf{x}_j^* \quad (2 \leq i \leq n), \quad \mu_{ij} = \frac{\mathbf{x}_i \cdot \mathbf{x}_j^*}{\mathbf{x}_j^* \cdot \mathbf{x}_j^*} \quad (1 \leq j < i \leq n).$$

# LLL basis reduction Algorithm

```
 $k = 1$ 
while  $k \leq n$  :
    for  $j$  from  $k - 1$  to  $0$  :
        if not SizeCondition( $k, j$ ) :
             $\mathbf{b}_k = \mathbf{b}_k - \lfloor \mu_{k,j} \rfloor \mathbf{b}_j$ 
            UpdateGramSchmidt( $\mathbf{b}_0, \dots, \mathbf{b}_n$ )
    if LovászCondition( $k$ ) :
         $k = k + 1$ 
    else:
        Swap( $\mathbf{b}_k, \mathbf{b}_{k-1}$ )
        UpdateGramSchmidt( $\mathbf{b}_0, \dots, \mathbf{b}_n$ )
         $k = \text{Max}(k - 1, 1)$ 
return  $\mathbf{b}_0, \dots, \mathbf{b}_n$ 
```

Variables

$\mathbf{b}_0, \dots, \mathbf{b}_n$

$\mathbf{b}_0^*, \dots, \mathbf{b}_n^*$

$$\mu_{i,j} = \frac{\mathbf{b}_i \cdot \mathbf{b}_j^*}{\mathbf{b}_j^* \cdot \mathbf{b}_j^*}$$

Index  $k$

# Conditions in LLL Reduced basis algorithm

## LLL-Reduced Basis

- Size Condition

$$|\mu_{i,j}| \leq .5 \text{ for } 0 \leq j < i \leq n$$

- Lovász Condition

$$|\mathbf{b}_k^*|^2 \geq (3/4 - \mu_{k,k-1})^2 \cdot |\mathbf{b}_{k-1}^*|^2 \text{ for } k = 1, \dots, n$$

# Size Condition

- Size condition checks if the  $k$ th vector is almost orthogonal to all the vectors before it. If the condition is not satisfied for vector  $j$  we can assume LLL algorithm removes the component of the  $j$ th vector from vector  $k$ .
- This operation reduces the size of the vector as short as possible and keep it as orthonormal as possible to all the  $k-1$  vectors.
- Performing this operation for all the vectors along with Lovász Exchange Condition will make sure that our basis is reduced and approximately orthogonal which are the conditions needed to find a short basis.



# Lovász Exchange Condition

$$\|\mathbf{b}_{i+1}^* + \mu_{i+1,i} \mathbf{b}_i^*\|^2 \geq \delta \|\mathbf{b}_i^*\|^2.$$

Let us explain this mysterious condition. As Gram–Schmidt orthogonalization depends on the order of the vectors, its vectors change if  $\mathbf{b}_i$  and  $\mathbf{b}_{i+1}$  are swapped; in fact, only  $\mathbf{b}_i^*$  and  $\mathbf{b}_{i+1}^*$  can possibly change. And the new  $\mathbf{b}_i^*$  is simply  $\mathbf{b}_{i+1}^* + \mu_{i+1,i} \mathbf{b}_i^*$ ; therefore, Lovász' condition means that by swapping  $\mathbf{b}_i$  and  $\mathbf{b}_{i+1}$ , the norm of  $\mathbf{b}_i^*$  does not decrease too much, where the loss is quantified by  $\delta$ : one cannot gain much on  $\|\mathbf{b}_i^*\|$  by swap.

# Implementation

```
def reduction(basis, delta = 0.75) : #our main func
    n = len(basis)
    basis = list(map(Vector, basis))
    ortho = gramschmidt(basis)

    def mu(i, j): #returns gram-schmidt coeffs
        return ortho[j].proj_coff(basis[i])

    k = 1
    while k < n:
        for j in range(k - 1, -1, -1): #check for all j< k
            mu_kj = mu(k, j)
            if abs(mu_kj) > 0.5: # size condition
                basis[k] = basis[k] - basis[j] * round(mu_kj)
                ortho = gramschmidt(basis)

        if ortho[k].sdot() >= (delta - mu(k, k - 1)**2) * ortho[k - 1].sdot(): #lovasz condition
            k += 1
        else:
            basis[k], basis[k - 1] = basis[k - 1], basis[k] #swap both
            ortho = gramschmidt(basis)
            k = max(k - 1, 1)

    return [list(map(int, b)) for b in basis]
```

# Implementation(Improved)

- In the original code, After the correction due to size condition we are updating the orthogonal matrix.
- But we have observed the orthogonal matrix does not change due to the operation

$$\text{basis}[k] = \text{basis}[k] - \text{basis}[j] * \text{round}(\mu_{kj})$$

- So we have updated the code so that orthogonal matrix calculation is skipped for size condition.
- Also, For orthogonalization if Lovasz condition fail, we only need to update  $k-1$  and  $k^{\text{th}}$  vectors in the orthogonal matrix since only  $(k-1)^{\text{th}}$  and  $k^{\text{th}}$  vectors were swapped.
- This have improved runtime performance by a heavy margin.

# Implementation(Improved)

```
def reduction1(basis, delta = 0.75) : #our main func
    n = len(basis)
    basis = list(map(Vector, basis))
    ortho = gramschmidt(basis)

    def mu(i, j): #returns gram-schmidt coeffs
        return ortho[j].proj_coff(basis[i])

    k = 1
    while k < n:
        for j in range(k - 1, -1, -1): #check for all j < k
            mu_kj = mu(k, j)
            if abs(mu_kj) > 0.5: # size condition
                basis[k] = basis[k] - basis[j] * round(mu_kj)

        if ortho[k].sdot() >= (delta - mu(k, k - 1)**2) * ortho[k - 1].sdot(): #lovasz condition
            k += 1
        else:
            basis[k], basis[k - 1] = basis[k - 1], basis[k] #swap both
            ortho = gramschmidt_up(ortho, k, basis)
            k = max(k - 1, 1)

    return [list(map(int, b)) for b in basis]
```

# Implementation(Improved)

```
A = np.random.randint(-500,500, size=(10,10));A
```

```
array([[ 109,  341, -322,   79,  -77,  468, -487, -124,  -57, -151],
       [-146, -133,  440,  117, -106, -224,  490,  306, -415,  394],
       [-408,   33,  481, -208,   62, -161,  -64, -468,  188,  174],
       [-441, -453, -488, -166,  409,   -3, -478,  442,   -1, -215],
       [-224,  255,  100,  -74,  464,  280,  -37,  419, -102,   9],
       [ 139,  333,  -65,  375, -258,  270,  172,   53,   49, -207],
       [ 103, -331,   99, -312,  -73, -463, -117,  -19,  276,  259],
       [ 143, -438, -303, -350, -283,  364,  167, -110, -215,  429],
       [ 459, -233, -173, -401, -208, -220, -442,  126,  358,  342],
       [ 398,  -50, -168,  21,  314, -368,  165,  -5, -455,  245]])
```

```
print(timeit.timeit('reduction_(list(A))', globals=globals(), number=1)*100)
```

```
4.051412599834505
```

```
print(timeit.timeit('reduction(list(A))', globals=globals(), number=1)*100)
```

```
21.283085300092353
```

```
np.array_equal(np.array(reduction(list(A)))-np.array(reduction_(list(A))),np.zeros((10,10)))
```

```
True
```

- The code block shows the drastic increase in performance. (20 s -> 4 s)
- It also shows the correctness by comparing them.

# Runtime

- It's polynomial time algorithm
- Given a basis with  $d$  linearly independent  $n$ -dimensional integer coordinates vectors, algorithm calculates reduced lattice basis in time

$$O(d^5 n \log^3 B)$$

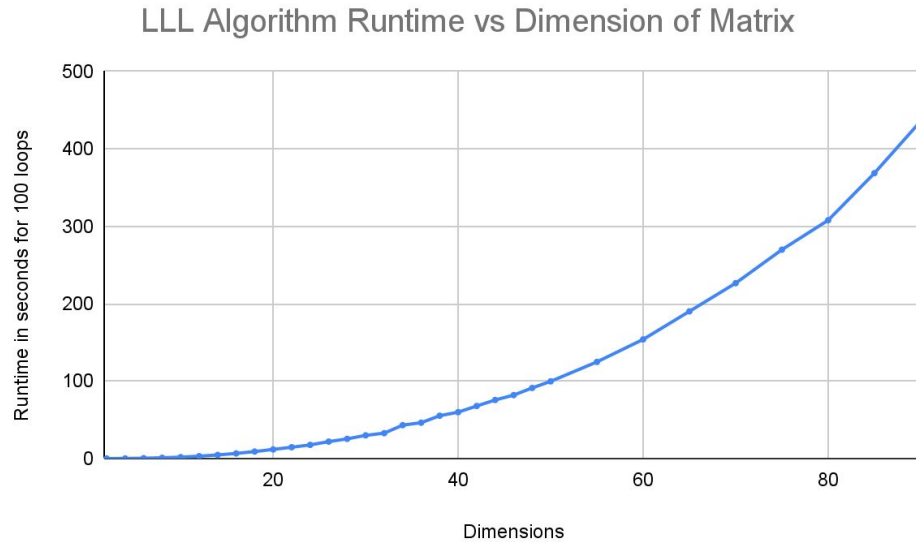
- where  $B$  is largest vector in basis under Euclidean norm.

# Runtime vs Dimensions of matrix analysis

```
for size in range(2, 50, 2):  
    print(size, timeit.timeit('reduction_(list(np.random.randint(-500,500, size=(size,size))))', globals=globals(), number=100))
```

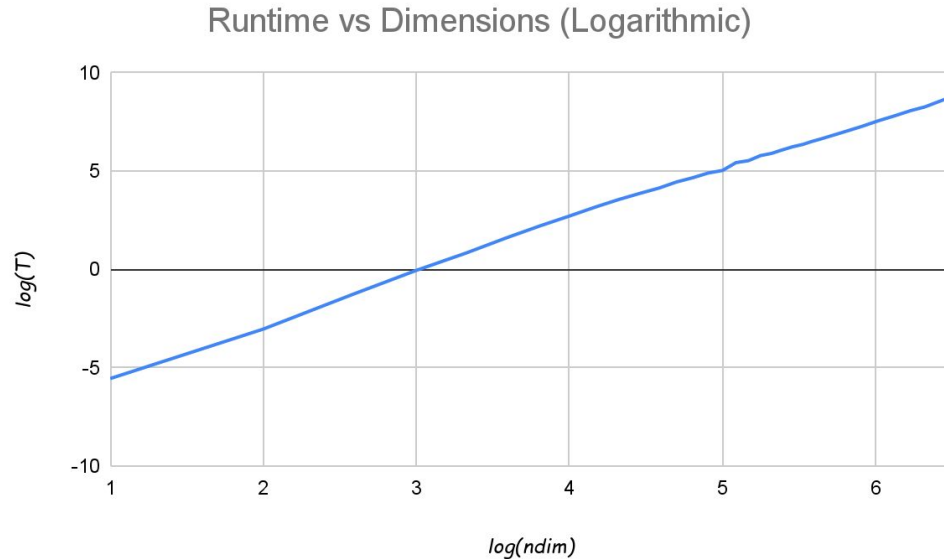
- For each size of matrix, we will create an array of random integers from the range [-500, 500] uniformly.
- Then do LLL reduced basis algorithm and note the runtime after repeating the process 100 times.
- We change the size in steps of 2 and after crossing 50, we will change in steps of 5 (Because it's too time consuming).

# Runtime vs dimensions





# Runtime vs Dimensions



- We plotted  $\log(T)$  vs  $\log(\text{ndim})$  for finding exponent of polynomial time LLL algorithm complexity.
- Slope was around 2-2.5 (Worst case is 6 theoretically)

# Perturbations to inputs

- For perturbation analysis, we will add an array of random numbers devised from gaussian distribution with zero mean and analyze for different deviations.
- We have to keep in mind that it's an integer algorithm, so we need to round it to nearest integers after perturbing.
- Set of deviations we tried: 5, 50, 100, 150

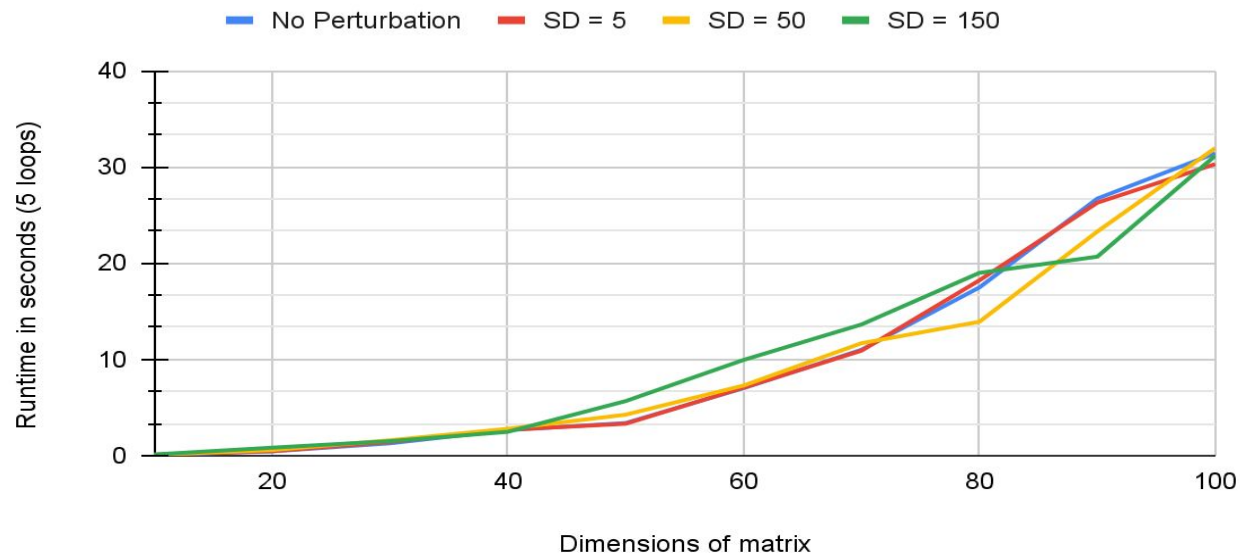
# Perturbation Code

```
variances = [0.05, 0.1, 0.15]
for dim in range(10, 110, 10):
    print('n =', dim)
    A = np.random.randint(-500, 500, size=(dim, dim))
    print('Without Perturbation', timeit.timeit('reduction_(list(A))', globals=globals(), number=1)*100)
    for var in variances:
        print('Perturbation with variance', var, ': ', timeit.timeit('reduction_(list(A+ np.round( np.random.normal(0, var*1000, size = (dim, dim))).astype(int))))',
                                                                    globals=globals(), number=100))
```

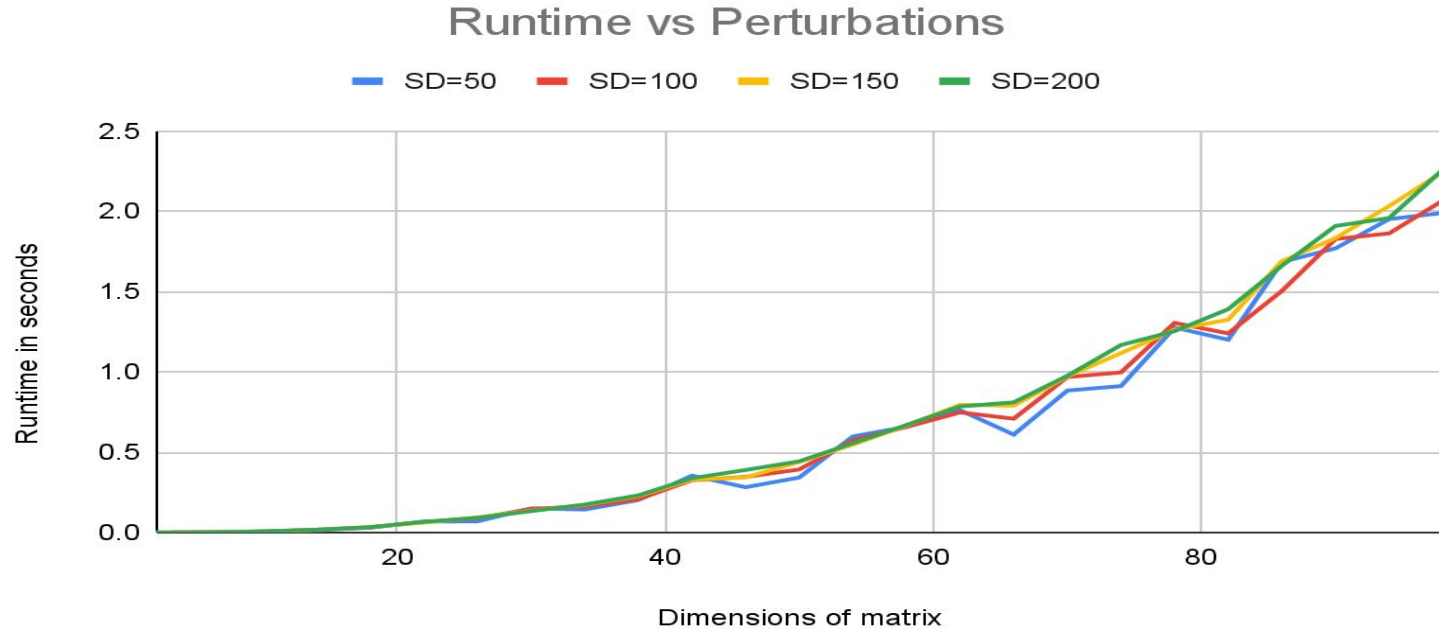
```
n = 10
Without Perturbation 1.5325167000128204
Perturbation with variance 0.05 : 2.143665745000135
Perturbation with variance 0.1 : 2.0126204690000122
Perturbation with variance 0.15 : 2.0071849989999464
n = 20
Without Perturbation 22.00010049998582
Perturbation with variance 0.05 : 14.659756155000196
Perturbation with variance 0.1 : 13.490080590999924
Perturbation with variance 0.15 : 11.906798750000007
n = 30
Without Perturbation 36.89423319999605
Perturbation with variance 0.05 : 32.34531388999994
Perturbation with variance 0.1 : 33.28070798199997
Perturbation with variance 0.15 : 36.56957571199996
```

# Perturbation results (5 loops)

Runtime vs Perturbations



# Perturbation results (100 loop average)



# Analysis

- Algorithm runtime not only depends on dimensions, but it also depends heavily on the relation between vectors (Degree of Orthogonality).
- It also depends on initialization of random numbers. If the vectors of integers generated are close to orthogonality, it takes less time, otherwise more.
- From the above graph, we can observe that runtime doesn't change much for perturbation with standard deviation 5, but for deviation of 150, as there is a possibility of drastic degree of orthogonality change, runtime changes a lot.
- In general as standard deviation increases runtime increased (There were some exceptions)

**Thank You**