

# Lattice cryptography and lattice cryptanalysis

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Lecture for Cryptography I  
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## Messages

Last lecture: exam coming up!

*"The first exam will take place **January 27, 2015, 13:30 - 16:30**. Please make sure to register on time! Deadline for registering for the first exam is **January 11, 2015**."*

*"The exam will be an **open-book exam**, meaning that you can use any book or notes that you have on paper. I will bring a laptop to display pdf files if you send me the files beforehand. The laptop will have access to the course page incl. blackboard pictures and scripts, but you may not use it to surf the internet. There will be a terminal to run GP-Pari and one to run Python; sage is not allowed. You may use a **programmable calculator** and I expect you to be able to use it for **modular exponentiation and inversion**."*

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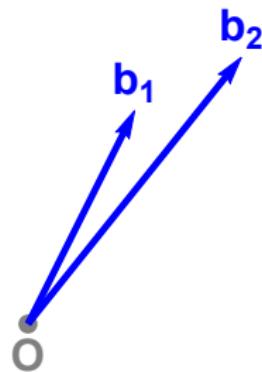
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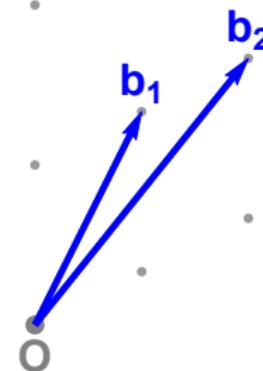
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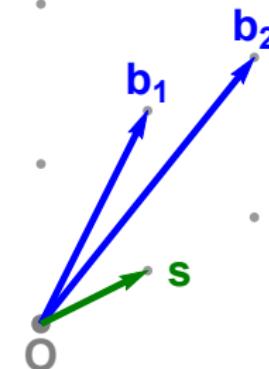
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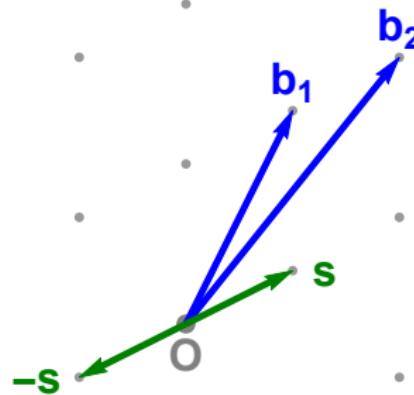
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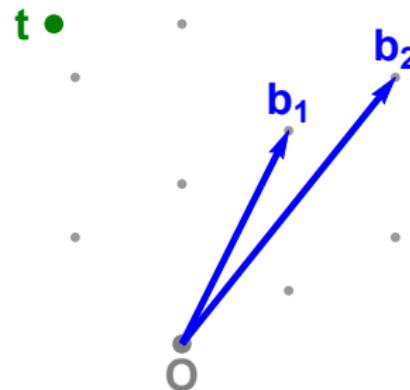
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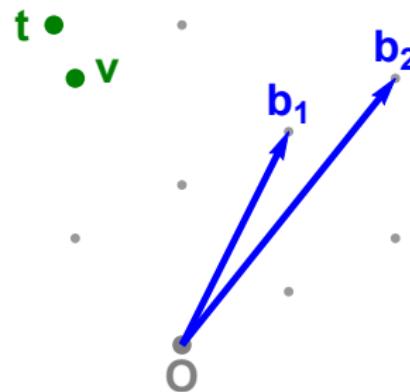
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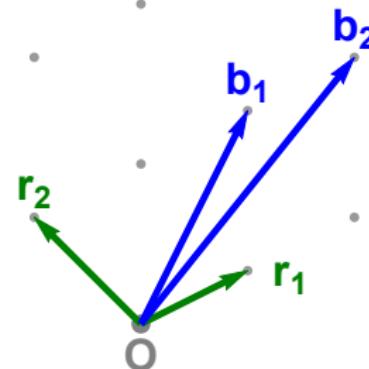
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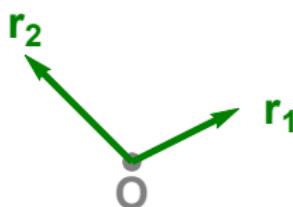
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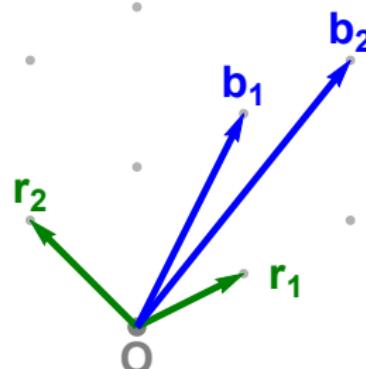
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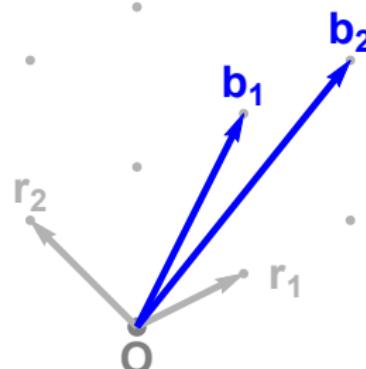
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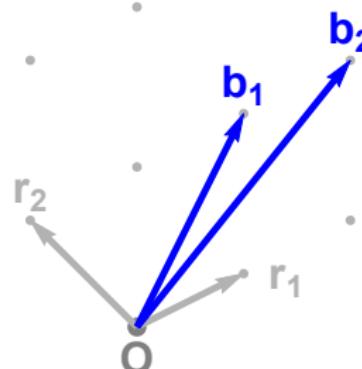
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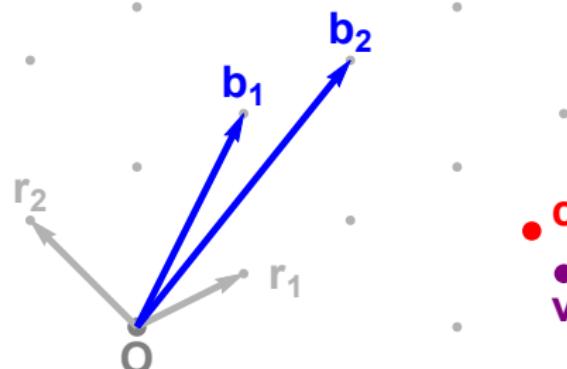
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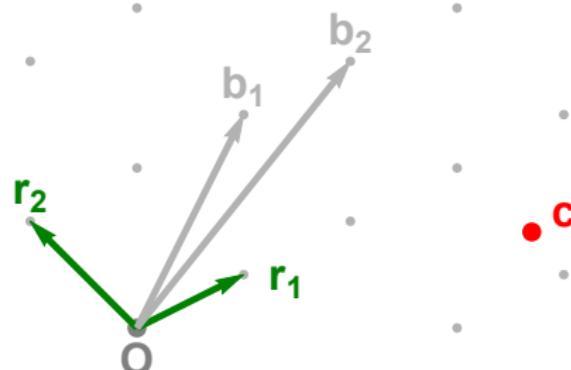
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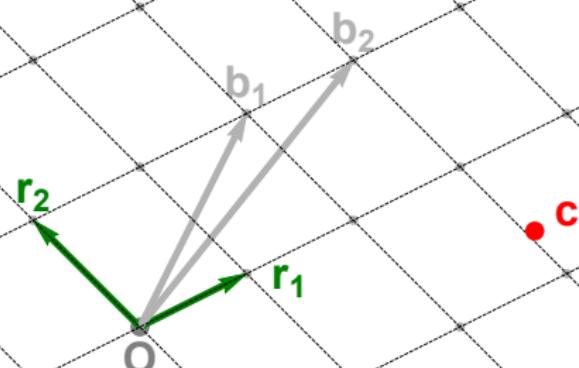
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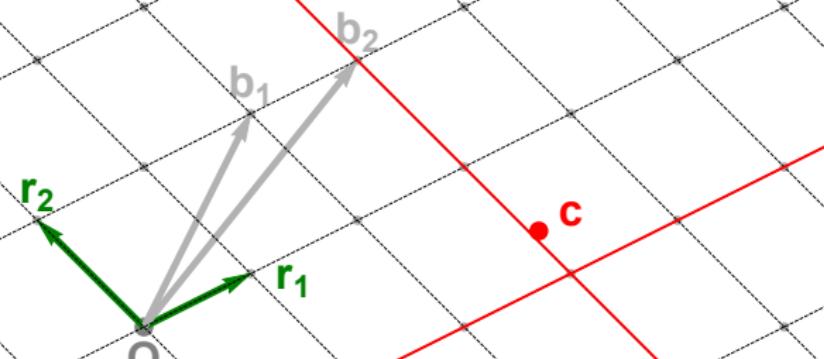
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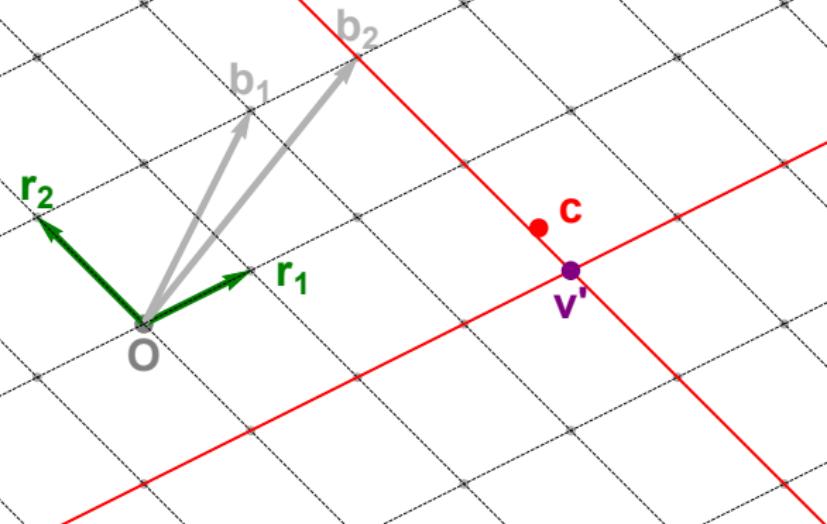
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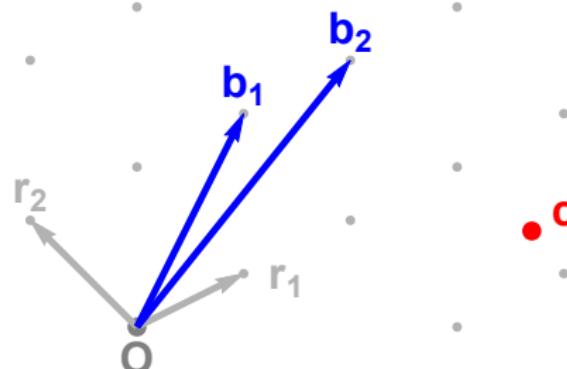
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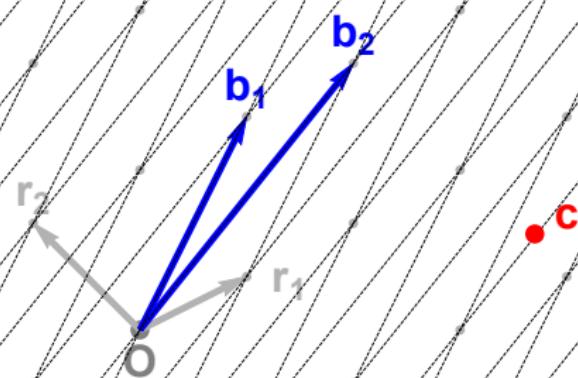
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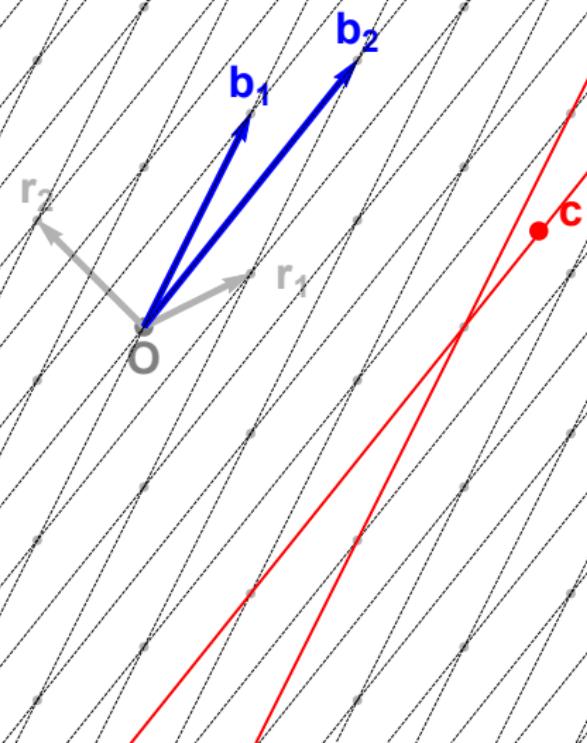
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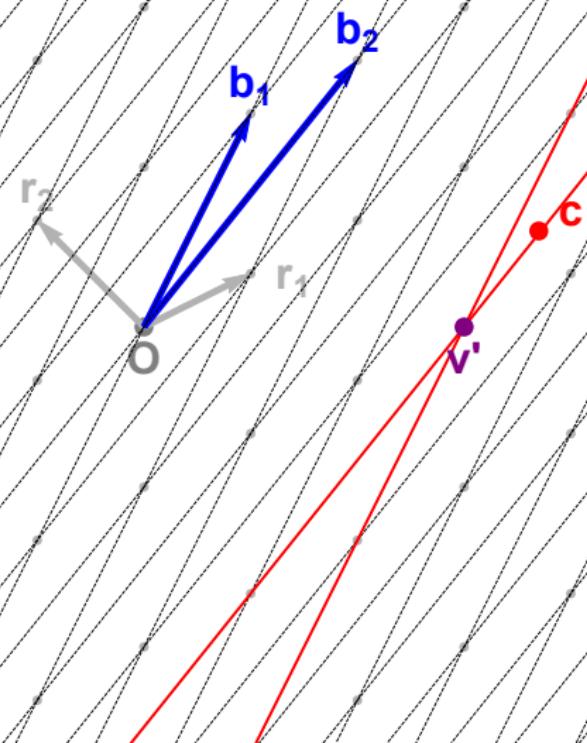
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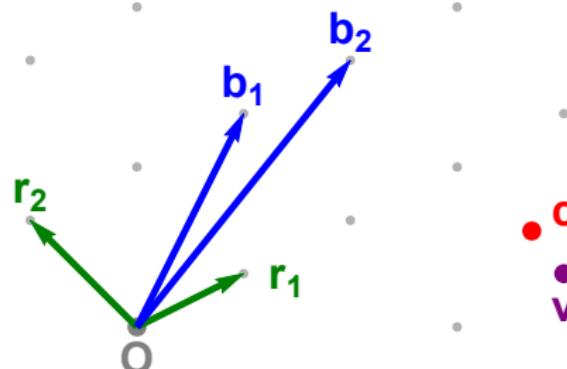
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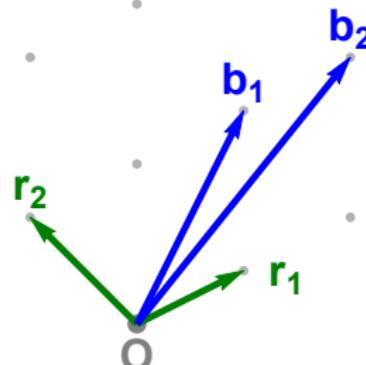
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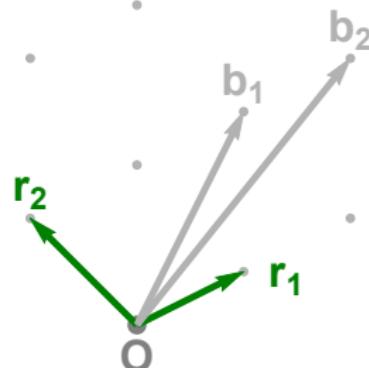
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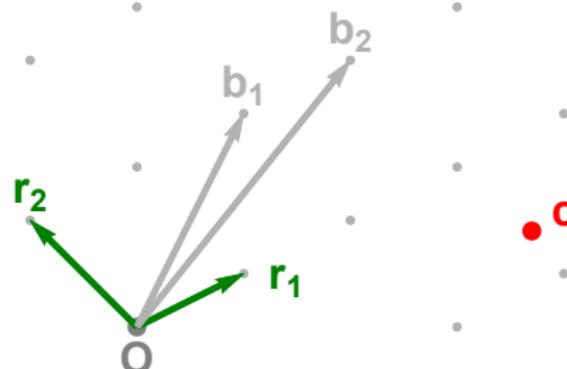
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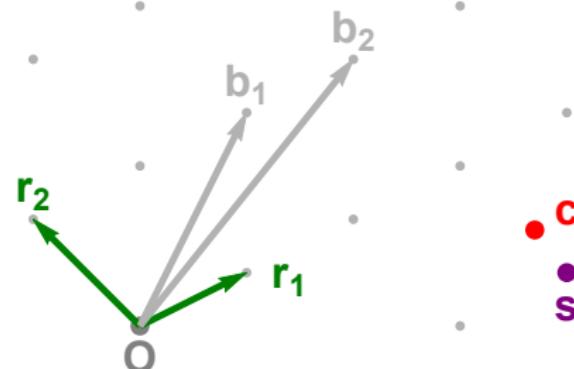
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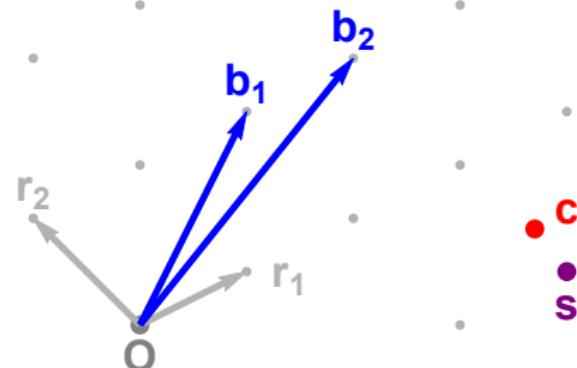
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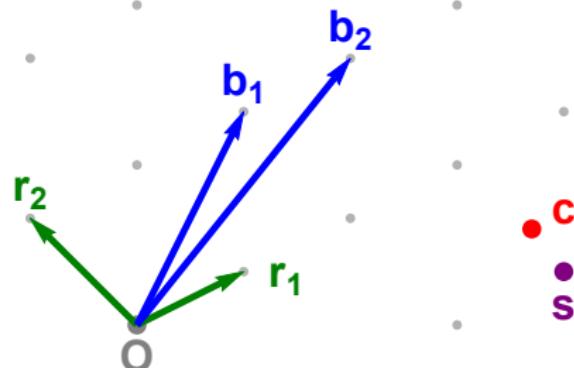
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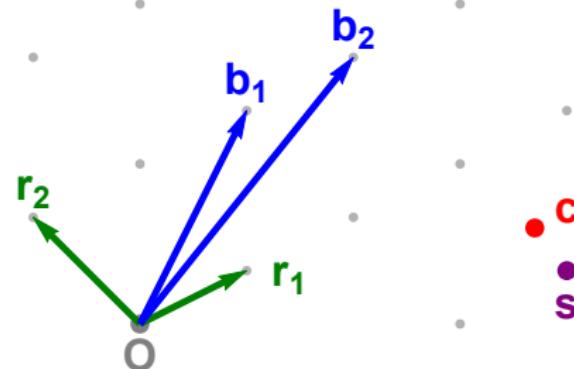
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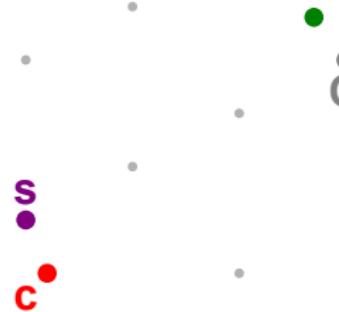
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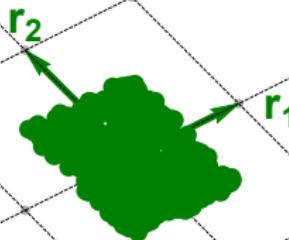
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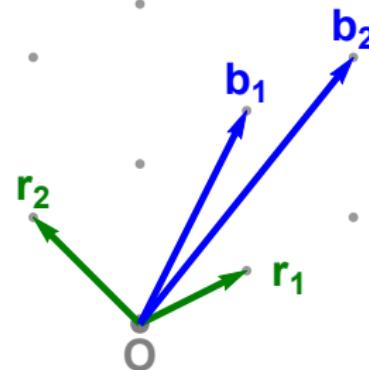


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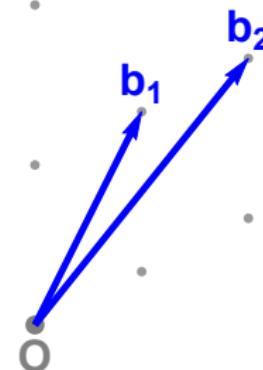
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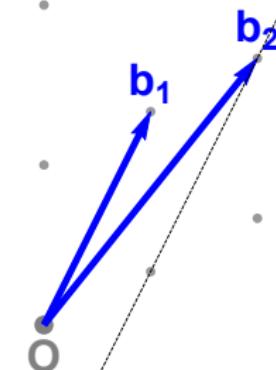
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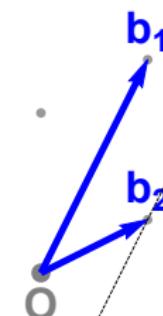
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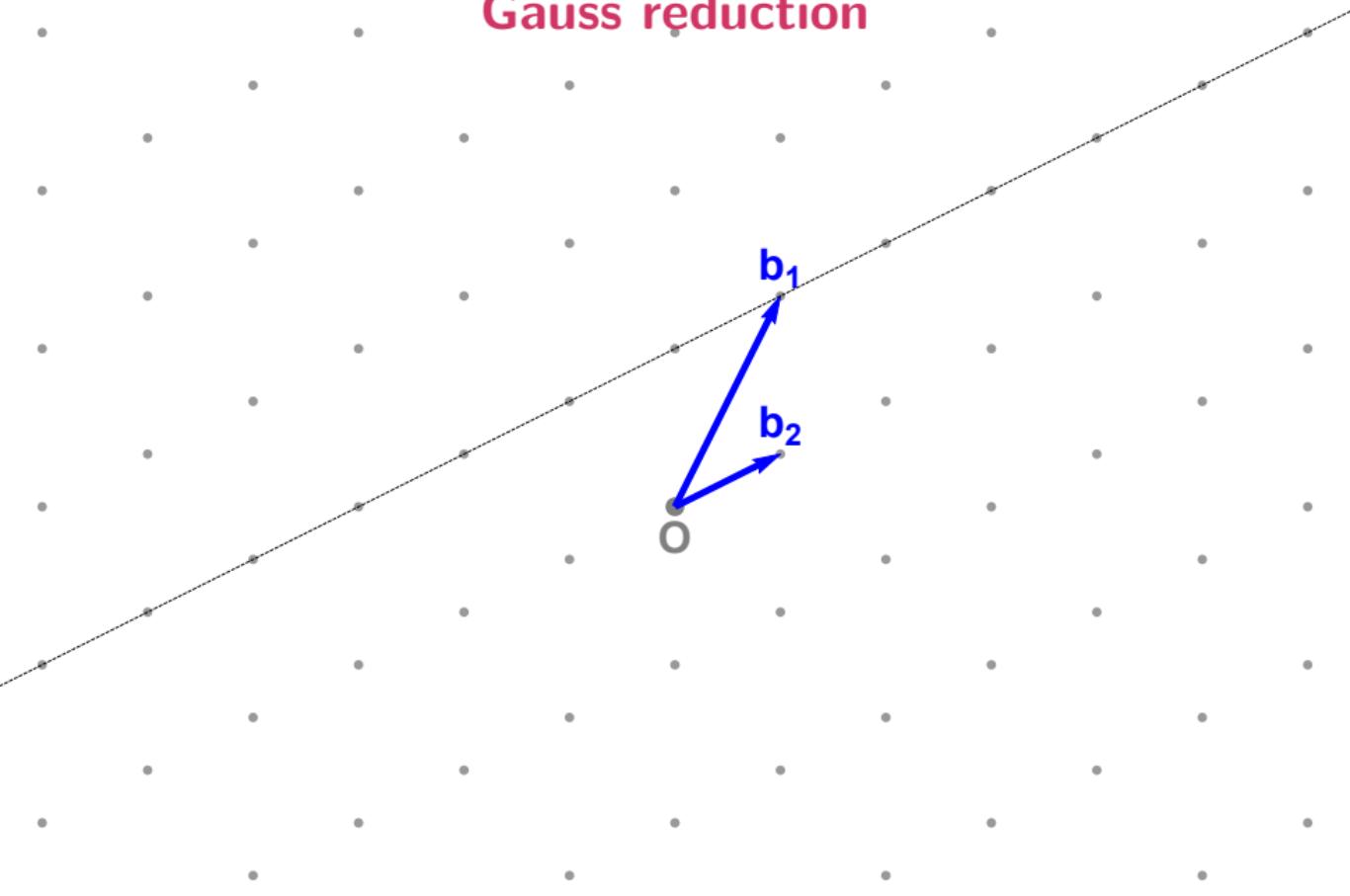
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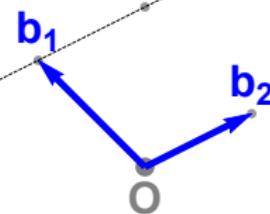
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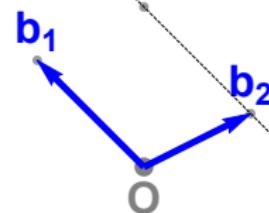
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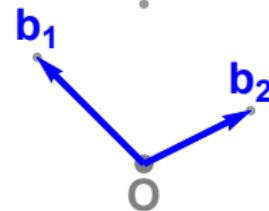
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