

# Knapsack Homework Problems

1. Suppose that Bob's knapsack public key is

$$T = [168, 280, 560, 393, 171, 230, 684, 418].$$

Suppose that Alice encrypts a message with Bob's public key and the resulting ciphertext is  $C_1 = 1135$ . Implement the LLL attack and use your program to solve for the plaintext  $P_1$ . For the same public key, find the plaintext  $P_2$  for the ciphertext  $C_2 = 2055$ . Can you determine the private key?

2. Suppose that Bob's knapsack public key is

$$T = [2195, 4390, 1318, 2197, 7467, 5716, 3974, 3996, 7551, 668].$$

Suppose that Alice encrypts a message with Bob's public key and the resulting ciphertext is  $C_1 = 8155$ . Implement the LLL attack and use your program to solve for the plaintext  $P_1$ . For the same public key, find the plaintext  $P_2$  for the ciphertext  $C_2 = 14748$ . Can you determine the private key?