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# Implementing Wiener's Extensions in the Range $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{\frac{3}{4}-\beta}$ and $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{(\frac{1-\gamma}{2})}$ , $\gamma \leq \frac{1}{2}$ with Lattice Reduction

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**Abstract:** In this paper, Wiener Attack extensions on RSA are implemented with approximation via lattice reduction. The continued fraction based arguments of Wiener Attack extensions in the range  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{\frac{3}{4}-\beta}$ ,  $p-q = N^{\beta}$  and  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{(\frac{1-\gamma}{2})}$ ,  $|\rho q - p| \leq \frac{N^{\gamma}}{16}$ ,  $1 \leq \rho \leq 2$ ,  $\gamma \leq \frac{1}{2}$ , are implemented with the Lattice based arguments and the LLL algorithm is used for reducing a basis of a lattice.

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### 1. Introduction

Wiener's attack on RSA applies when the private exponent d is less than  $N^{\frac{1}{4}}$ . Whenever  $d < \frac{N^{1/4}}{\sqrt{6}}$ , the fraction  $\frac{t}{d}$  is a convergent of  $\frac{e}{N}$  and hence it is an approximation of  $\frac{e}{N}$  and thus (d,t) may be obtained as a short vector by reducing the quadratic form  $q(x,y) = M\left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N}x - y\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$  for an appropriate choice of M [8]. Now we adapt these ideas to Wiener Attack extensions in the range  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{\frac{3}{4}-\beta}$ ,  $p - q = N^{\beta}$  and  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{(\frac{1-\gamma}{2})}$ ,  $\gamma \leq \frac{1}{2}$  with lattice reduction.

## 2. Implementing Wiener's Extension in the Range $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{\frac{3}{4}-\beta}$ with Lattice Reduction

This section shows that for the bound of private exponent d in RSA, extended to  $N^{\delta}$ , where  $\frac{1}{4} \leq \delta < \frac{3}{4} - \beta$  and  $\Delta = p - q = N^{\beta}$ ,  $\beta \in (\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2})$ , the attack may be implemented with lattice reduction. We first recall an estimation for  $\varphi(N)$  and show that with this estimation we may consider a quadratic form and using this quadratic form, (d, t) may be obtained as a short vector of the quadratic form for some appropriate M.

**Lemma 2.1.** Let N = pq where p, q are primes such that  $q and <math>\Delta = p - q$ . Then 0 .

**Lemma 2.2.** An estimation of  $\varphi(N)$  when q is given by

$$N + 1 - \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}N^{\frac{1}{2}} < \varphi(N) < N + 1 - 2N^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

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This estimation plays an important role in the following theorem.

**Theorem 2.3.** Let  $p - q = \Delta = N^{\beta}$  and  $d = N^{\delta}$ , where  $q , <math>d < N^{\frac{3}{4} - \beta}$ . Then

$$\left|\frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}-\frac{t}{d}\right|<\frac{1}{2d^2}$$

Hence by approximation theorem it follows that  $\frac{t}{d}$  is a convergent of  $\frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ . Thus,  $\frac{t}{d}$  is obtained from the list of convergent of  $\frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$  using continued fractions. Wiener's extension attack on RSA basically searches the convergent  $\frac{t}{d}$  from the class of convergent of  $\frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$  that lead to (p,q,d) whenever  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{\frac{3}{4}-\beta}$ ,  $p-q = N^{\beta}$ .

**Theorem 2.4** (Wiener's extension in the range  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{\frac{3}{4}-\beta}$ ). Let  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{\frac{3}{4}-\beta}$ ,  $p-q = N^{\beta}$  and for any convergent  $\frac{t'}{d'}$  of  $\frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ , take  $\varphi'(N) = \frac{ed'-1}{t'}$ ,  $x' = \frac{N-\varphi'(N)+1}{2}$  and  $y' = \sqrt{x'^2 - N}$ . If  $x', y' \in \mathbb{N}$ , then the private key (q, p, d) = (x' - y', x' + y', d').

Therefore, the search of  $\frac{t}{d}$  leading to solution (p,q,d) may be obtained from the class of convergent of  $\frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ . As convergent are approximations, the fraction  $\frac{t}{d}$  is a rational approximation of  $\frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ . In the following theorem, we prove that (d,t) may be obtained as a short vector of quadratic form  $q(x,y) = M(\bar{\alpha}x-y)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$  for  $\alpha = \frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ .

**Theorem 2.5.** Let N = pq, for  $q , be the modulus for RSA with <math>N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{\frac{3}{4}-\beta}$ ,  $p-q = N^{\beta}$ ,  $\beta \in (\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2})$ , e be the public enciphering exponent and d be the deciphering exponent, then for t such that  $ed - 1 = \varphi(N)t$  and  $\frac{t}{d}$ , (d,t) is a short vector of a lattice  $\mathbf{Z}^2$  equipped with a quadratic form

$$q(x,y) = M\left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}x - y\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$$

for an appropriate M.

*Proof.* First note for each choice of  $M = 10^l$  for some l, and  $\frac{\overline{e}}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$  decimal approximation of  $\frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$  to the precision  $\frac{1}{M}$  we reduce the lattice  $\mathbf{Z}^2$  with a quadratic form q(x,y) in the variables x, y given as

$$q(x,y) = M\left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}x - y\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$$

the 2-dimensional Gram-matrix for the above is given as

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \left(\frac{\overline{e}}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}\right)^2 M + \frac{1}{M} - \left(\frac{\overline{e}}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}\right) M \\ - \left(\frac{\overline{e}}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}\right) M & M \end{bmatrix}$$

and note the corresponding lattice in  $R^2$  is given by the basis as columns of matrix B given as

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{M}} & 0\\ \\ -\\ \left(\frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}\right)\sqrt{M} & -\sqrt{M} \end{bmatrix}$$

which may be deduced by the results in *Lattices and Quadratic Forms* of [3]. Now applying LLL algorithm to  $B^T$ , we get reduced basis matrix B' and repeating the arguments as above we have a integer unimodular transformation matrix U

$$U = \left[ \begin{array}{cc} a & b \\ c & d \end{array} \right]$$

with (a, c) as short vector obtained for the choice of  $M = 10^l$ . Now note for any (v, u) such that  $\frac{u}{v}$  is an approximation of  $\frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ , we have

$$q(v,u) = M \left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}v - u\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}v^2$$
  
=  $Mv^2 \left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N+1-2^{N^{\frac{1}{2}}}} - \frac{u}{v}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}v^2$   
=  $O\left(\frac{M}{v^2}\right) + O\left(\frac{v^2}{M}\right) + O(1)$ 

For any short vector (v, u) as q(u, v) = O(1), note for  $M \approx d^2$  the above holds for  $v \ni v \approx d$ . Therefore, by Theorem 2.3 as the required t, d are such that  $\frac{t}{d}$  is an approximation to  $\frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ , (d, t) is a short vector for the given quadratic form  $q(x, y) = M\left(\frac{\overline{e}}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}x - y\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$ , for  $M \approx d^2$ .

Note 1. The search of convergent  $\frac{t}{d}$  leading to solution (p,q,d) may be obtained from the class of short vectors (d,t) of

$$q(x,y) = M\left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}x - y\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$$

for an appropriate choice of M.

In the following theorem, using lattice reduction we depicted the process of tracing the required (d, t) as short vector by varying M with respect to restrictions to d that are even beyond the Wiener Attack bound for d. This process can be interpreted as Wiener's extension with lattice reduction.

**Theorem 2.6** (Wiener's extension in the range  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{\frac{3}{4}-\beta}$  with Lattice Reduction). Let N = pq, q be the modulus for RSA, <math>e be the public enciphering exponent, d be the deciphering exponent for  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} < d < N^{\frac{3}{4}-\beta}$  and  $p-q = \Delta = N^{\beta}$ , then there is a M such that (d,t) is a short vector of the quadratic form,

$$q(x,y) = M\left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}x-y\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$$

where  $\frac{\overline{e}}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$  is a decimal approximation of  $\frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$  to precision  $\frac{1}{M}$ .

*Proof.* By Theorem 2.3 as the required t, d are such that  $\frac{t}{d}$  is an approximation to  $\frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ , we have by above theorem that (d, t) is a short vector for a quadratic form

$$q(x,y) = M\left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}x - y\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$$

for  $M = 10^l$  for some appropriate l, such that  $d \approx \sqrt{M}$ . The search for this M is described in the following: Let

$$r = \begin{cases} \frac{d(N)}{2} & \text{if } d(N) \text{ is even,} \\ \\ \frac{d(N)+1}{2} & \text{if } d(N) \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

where d(N) is the number of digits in N. Then for all s with  $r \leq s < d(N)$ , note  $M_s = 10^s$  is such that  $N^{\frac{1}{2}} < M_s < N$ . Now note as d is such that  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} < d < N^{\frac{3}{4}-\beta}$  for  $\beta \in (\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2})$ . Considering the maximum upper bound for d at  $\beta = \frac{1}{4}$ , we have  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} < d < N^{\frac{1}{2}}$ , this implies  $N^{\frac{1}{2}} < d^2 < N$ . Therefore,  $d^2$  and  $M_s$  lie in the same range i.e.,  $N^{\frac{1}{2}} < M_s, d^2 < N$ . Now varying s from r to d(N), note as  $M_s$  gets close to  $d^2$ ,  $M_s \approx d^2$  i.e.,  $s \approx d(d^2)$  the short vector corresponding to such  $M_s$  gives the required (d, t). Note such  $M_s$  can be reached with utmost  $\frac{d(N)}{2}$  variations for s. Further note for  $d > N^{\frac{1}{2}}$ , as d does not satisfy the hypothesis of theorem, note  $\frac{t}{d}$  of the required (d, t) may not be a convergent of  $\frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ , hence it may not be an approximation and hence we cannot obtain (d, t) as a short vector of the quadratic form for some M for  $d > N^{\frac{1}{2}}$ . In the following theorem we describe the execution of the private key (p, q, d) using Wiener extension with Lattice Reduction:

**Theorem 2.7.** Let  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{\frac{3}{4}-\beta}$ ,  $p-q = N^{\beta}$  and let  $M = 10^s$  for  $r \leq s \leq d(N)$ , then for short vector  $(d_s, t_s)$  of the quadratic form,

$$q(x,y) = M\left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}x - y\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$$

take  $\varphi_s(N) = \frac{ed_s - 1}{t_s}$ ,  $x_s = \frac{N - \varphi_s(N) + 1}{2}$  and  $y_s = \sqrt{x_s^2 - N}$ . If  $x_s, y_s \in \mathbb{N}$ , then  $(d_s, t_s)$  is the required short vector giving the private key  $(q, p, d) = (x_s - y_s, x_s + y_s, d_s)$ .

*Proof.* Suppose  $x_s, y_s \in \mathbb{N}$  for some s in range  $1 \leq s \leq r$ , then by definition of  $y_s$  in theorem, we have

$$N = x_s^2 - y_s^2$$
$$= (x_s + y_s)(x_s - y_s).$$

Since  $x_s + y_s, x_s - y_s \in \mathbb{N}$ , they are the factors of N, i.e.,  $x_s + y_s, x_s - y_s$  are 1, p, q or N. Now as p < q we have two cases:

- (i).  $x_s + y_s = N, x_s y_s = 1,$
- (ii).  $x_s + y_s = p, x_s y_s = q.$

Note Case (i) is not possible, for as  $x_s + y_s = N$  and  $x_s - y_s = 1$ , then  $\frac{N+1}{2} = x_s$ ,

and 
$$x_{s} = \frac{N - \varphi_{s}(N) + 1}{2}$$
$$\Rightarrow \frac{N+1}{2} = \frac{N - \varphi_{s}(N) + 1}{2}$$
$$\Rightarrow \frac{ed_{s} - 1}{t} = 0$$
$$\Rightarrow ed_{s} = 1$$
$$\Rightarrow e = 1$$

which is not possible. Therefore, Case (i) is not possible since e > 1. Thus, the only possible Case is (ii). Therefore and we have  $x_s + y_s = p$ ,  $x_s - y_s = q$ , whenever  $x_s, y_s \in \mathbb{N}$ . Now, we show that  $d = d_s$ . By definition of  $x_s$  we have

$$x_s = \frac{N - \varphi_s(N) + 1}{2}$$
  
$$\Rightarrow \varphi_s(N) = N - 2x_s + 1$$
  
$$= N - (q + p) + 1$$
  
$$= \varphi(N)$$
  
$$\Rightarrow d_s \equiv d \mod \varphi(N)$$

Now note that the short vector (d, t) is either  $(d_s, t_s)$  or obtained as a short vector in the later iterations for some  $M = 10^l$ , for l > s. Then as  $M \approx d^2$ , we have  $d_s \leq d$ . Therefore as  $d < \varphi(N)$ , we have  $d_s \leq d < \varphi(N)$ . Hence  $d_s \equiv d \mod \varphi(N) \Rightarrow$  $d = d_s$ .

An algorithm for the implementation of Wiener's extension in the range  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{\frac{3}{4}-\beta}$  with lattice reduction is given in the following:

Algorithm:

Step 1: Start

Step 2: Input e, N.

**Step 3:** Compute  $\frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$  to d(N) decimals, where

$$r = \begin{cases} \frac{d(N)}{2} & \text{if } d(N) \text{ is even,} \\ \frac{d(N)+1}{2} & \text{if } d(N) \text{ is odd.} \end{cases}$$

Step 4: Set i = r.

**Step 5:** Set  $M = 10^i$ ,  $\frac{\overline{e}}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}} = \frac{e}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$  corrected to *i* decimal places. **Step 6:** Set

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{M}} & 0\\ \frac{\overline{e}}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}} & -\sqrt{M} \end{bmatrix}$$

Apply LLL algorithm to  $B^T$  and then obtain unimodular transformation matrix  $U = B^{-1}(B')^T$ , where B' is the resultant obtained using LLL

$$U = \left[ \begin{array}{cc} a & b \\ c & d \end{array} \right]$$

Set  $t_i = |c|, d_i = |a|$ 

Step 7: Compute  $\varphi_i(N) = \frac{ed_i - 1}{t_i}, x_i = \frac{N - \varphi_i(N) + 1}{2}, y_i = \sqrt{x_i^2 - N}$ . Step 8: If  $\varphi_i(N), x_i, y_i \in N$ , then  $(q, p, d) = (x_i - y_i, x_i + y_i, d_i)$ , otherwise i = i + 1 and go to Step 5.

**Example 2.8.** Consider (e, N) = (948120312068323160758410969049, 1774710840319667979443236768633). Then the decimal representation of  $\left(\frac{e}{N+1-2\sqrt{N}}\right)$  which is equal to 0.53423931974041775745656621940281027437235911349... Now, as N has 30 digits and is even, choose  $M = 10^{\frac{d(N)}{2}} = 10^{15}$  and find the decimal expansion of  $\left(\frac{e}{N+1-2\sqrt{N}}\right)$  corrected to 15 decimals. Thus,  $\left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N+1-2\sqrt{N}}\right) = 0.534239319740418$ . Now construct the matrix B and apply LLL algorithm to  $B^T$ :



Now, the LLL matrix, B' is given by :



Finally, the unimodular integral transformation matrix is given by:

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} 17420644 & 16654113 \\ 9306793 & 8897282 \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus, the convergent obtained is  $\frac{t}{d} = |\frac{9306793}{17420644}| = \frac{9306793}{17420644}$  and do not give integer values for  $\varphi_s(N), x_s$  and  $y_s$ . Therefore, discarding this convergent, we update M to  $10^{16}$  and consider 16 decimals of  $\left(\frac{e}{N+1-2\sqrt{N}}\right)$ . Thus,  $\left(\frac{e}{N+1-2\sqrt{N}}\right)$ 

0.5342393197404178. Now proceeding as above, note we obtain the same convergent, so we again discard this convergent and next update M to  $10^{17}$  and consider 17 decimals of the  $\left(\frac{e}{N+1-2\sqrt{N}}\right)$ . Thus,  $\left(\frac{e}{N+1-2\sqrt{N}}\right) = 0.53423931974041776$ . Now construct the matrix B and apply LLL algorithm to  $B^T$ :

$$B^{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 27272480621782245960612/8624315620763702785491703096421 & 4334864986046/25659 \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & &$$

Now, the LLL matrix,  $B^\prime$  is given by :

$$B' = \begin{bmatrix} 2829719853610307547623124167796/8624315620763702785491703096421 & -271238245164079764474912938/647701315451232527118109041 \\ & \\ -13673495092142570585715361164852/8624315620763702785491703096421 & -221129753178901684114343038/215900438483744175706036347 \end{bmatrix}$$

Finally, the unimodular integral transformation matrix is given by:

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} 103757333 & -501366021 \\ \\ 55431247 & -267849442 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Now, required convergent is given by,  $\frac{t}{d} = \left| \frac{-55431247}{103757333} \right| = \frac{55431247}{103757333}$  and we have

$$\begin{split} \varphi_s(N) &= \frac{ed-1}{t} = \frac{(948120312068323160758410969049)(103757333) - 1}{55431247} \\ &= 1774710840319665277283460346228 \\ x_s &= \frac{N-\varphi_s(N)+1}{2} = 1351079888211203 \\ y_s &= \sqrt{x_s^2 - N} = 225179981368524 \end{split}$$

Therefore as  $\varphi_s(N), x_s$  and  $y_s$  are integers we have the private key given as

$$(q, p, d) = (x_s - y_s, x_s + y_s, d)$$
  
= (1125899906842679, 1576259869579727, 103757333).

This process of varying  $M_s$  in the range  $N^{\frac{1}{2}} < M_s < N$  and applying LLL to obtain  $\frac{t_s}{d_s}$  leading to private key is depicted in the following table:

$(q, p, d) = (x_s - y_s, x_s + y_s, d_s)/\text{Set } M$ to iterate	Set $M = 10^{16}$	Set $M = 10^{17}$	(1125899906842679, 1576259869579727, 103757333)
$y_s = \sqrt{x_s^2 - N}$	∉ N	¢N	3225179981368524
$\frac{x_s}{N-\varphi_s(N)+1} = \frac{2}{2}$	¢ N	¢ N	. 135107988821120:
$\varphi_s(N) = \frac{ed_s - 1}{t_s}$	¢ N	¢ N	1774710840319665277283460 346228
$\frac{t_s}{d_s} = \left  \frac{c}{a} \right $	$\frac{9306793}{17420644}$	$\frac{9306793}{17420644}$	$= \frac{55431247}{103757333}$
Jnimodular matrix using LLL $U = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$	$J = \begin{bmatrix} 17420644 & 16654113 \\ 9306793 & 8897282 \end{bmatrix}$	$J = \begin{bmatrix} 17420644 & 103757333 \\ 9306793 & 55431247 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 103757333 \\ 55431247 \\ -267849442 \end{bmatrix} =$
$\bar{\alpha} = \frac{\bar{e}}{N+1-2N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$	0.534239319740418	0.5342393197404178	0.53423931974041776
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# 3. Implementing Wiener's Extension in the Range $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{(\frac{1-\gamma}{2})}$ , $\gamma \leq \frac{1}{2}$ with Lattice Reduction

For q , the maximum difference between <math>p and q is  $\sqrt{N}$ . In this section, if  $|\rho q - p| \le \frac{N^{\gamma}}{16}$  for  $1 \le \rho \le 2$ ,  $\gamma \le \frac{1}{2}$ , then the RSA is insecure when  $d = N^{\delta}$  and  $\delta < \frac{1}{2} - \frac{\gamma}{2}$ .

**Lemma 3.1.** Let  $|p - \rho q| \leq \frac{N^{\gamma}}{16}$ , where  $\gamma \leq \frac{1}{2}$  and  $1 \leq \rho \leq 2$ . Then

$$\left| p + q - \left( \sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}} \right) \sqrt{N} \right| < \frac{N^{\gamma}}{8}$$

**Theorem 3.2.** Let  $|p - \rho q| \leq \frac{N^{\gamma}}{16}$  with  $1 \leq \rho \leq 2, \ \gamma \leq \frac{1}{2}$  and  $d = N^{\delta}$  and  $\delta < \frac{1}{2} - \frac{\gamma}{2}$  then

$$\left|\frac{e}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1} - \frac{t}{d}\right| \le \frac{1}{2d^2}$$

Hence by approximation theorem it follows that  $\frac{t}{d}$  is a convergent of  $\frac{e}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}$ . Thus,  $\frac{t}{d}$  is obtained from the list of convergent of  $\frac{e}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}$  using continued fractions. This Wiener's extension attack on RSA basically searches the convergent  $\frac{t}{d}$  from the class of convergent of  $\frac{e}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}$  that lead to (p, q, d) whenever  $\delta < \frac{1}{2} - \frac{\gamma}{2}$ .

**Theorem 3.3** (Wiener's extension in the range  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{(\frac{1-\gamma}{2})}, \gamma \leq \frac{1}{2}$ ). Let  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{(\frac{1-\gamma}{2})}, \gamma \leq \frac{1}{2}$  and for any convergent  $\frac{t'}{d'}$  of,  $\frac{e}{N-(\sqrt{\rho}+\frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}})\sqrt{N+1}}$  take  $\varphi'(N) = \frac{ed'-1}{t'}, x' = \frac{N-\varphi'(N)+1}{2}$  and  $y' = \sqrt{x'^2 - N}$ . If  $x', y' \in \mathbb{N}$ , then the private key (q, p, d) = (x' - y', x' + y', d').

Therefore, the search of  $\frac{t}{d}$  leading to solution (p, q, d) may be obtained from the class of convergent of  $\frac{e}{N - (\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}})\sqrt{N} + 1}$ . As convergent are approximations, the fraction  $\frac{t}{d}$  is a rational approximation of  $\frac{e}{N - (\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}})\sqrt{N} + 1}$ . In the following theorem, we prove that (d, t) may be obtained as a short vector of quadratic form  $q(x, y) = M (\bar{\alpha}x - y)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$  for  $\alpha = \frac{e}{N - (\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}})\sqrt{N} + 1}$ . **Theorem 3.4.** Let N = pq, for  $q be the modulus for RSA and <math>N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{(\frac{1-\gamma}{2})}, \gamma \leq \frac{1}{2}$ , e be the public enciphering exponent and d be the deciphering exponent. Then for t such that  $ed - 1 = \varphi(N)t$ , (d, t) is a short vector of a lattice  $\mathbb{Z}^2$  equipped with a quadratic form

$$q(x,y) = M\left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}x - y\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$$

for an appropriate M.

*Proof.* First note for each choice of  $M = 10^l$  for some l,  $\frac{\overline{e}}{N - (\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}})\sqrt{N+1}}$  and decimal approximation of  $\frac{e}{N - (\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}})\sqrt{N+1}}$  to the precision  $\frac{1}{M}$  we reduce the lattice  $\mathbf{Z}^2$  with a quadratic form q(x, y) in the variables x, y given as and

$$q(x,y) = M\left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}x - y\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$$

the 2-dimensional Gram-matrix for the above is given as

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \left(\frac{\overline{e}}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}\right)^2 M + \frac{1}{M} - \left(\frac{\overline{e}}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}\right) M \\\\ - \left(\frac{\overline{e}}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}\right) M \end{bmatrix} M$$

and note the corresponding lattice in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  is given by the basis as columns of matrix  $\mathbb{B}$  given as

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{M}} & 0\\\\ \left(\frac{\overline{e}}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}\right)\sqrt{M} & -\sqrt{M} \end{bmatrix}$$

which may be deduced by the results in *Lattices and Quadratic Forms* of [4]. Now applying LLL algorithm to  $B^T$ , we get reduced basis matrix B' and repeating the arguments as above we have a integer unimodular transformation matrix U

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$$

with (a, c) as short vector obtained for the choice of  $M = 10^l$ . Now note for any (v, u) such that  $\frac{u}{v}$  is an approximation of  $\frac{e}{N}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} q(v,u) &= M\left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}v - u\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}v^2 \\ &= Mv^2\left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1} - \frac{u}{v}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}v^2 \\ &= O(\frac{M}{v^2}) + O(\frac{v^2}{M}) + O(1) \end{aligned}$$

For any short vector (v, u) as q(u, v) = O(1), note for  $M \approx d^2$  the above holds for  $v \ni v \approx d$ . Therefore by Theorem 3.2 as the required t, d are such that  $\frac{t}{d}$  is an approximation to  $\frac{e}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}$  and (d, t) is a short vector for the given quadratic form  $q(x, y) = M\left(\frac{\overline{e}}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}x - y\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$ , for  $M \approx d^2$ .

Note 2. The search of convergent  $\frac{t}{d}$  leading to solution (p,q,d) may be obtained from the class of short vectors

$$q(x,y) = M\left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}x - y\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$$

for an appropriate choice of M.

In the following theorem, using lattice reduction we depicted the process of tracing the required (d, t) as short vector by varying M with respect to restrictions to d that are even beyond the Wiener Attack bound for d. This process can be interpreted as Wiener Attack extension via lattice reduction.

**Theorem 3.5** (Wiener's Extension in the Range  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{(\frac{1-\gamma}{2})}, \gamma \leq \frac{1}{2}$  with Lattice Reduction). Let N = pq, q be the modulus for RSA, <math>e be the public enciphering exponent, d be the deciphering exponent such that  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{(\frac{1-\gamma}{2})}, \gamma \leq \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $|p - \rho q| \leq \frac{N^{\gamma}}{16}, 1 \leq \rho \leq 2$ , then there is a M such that (d, t) is a short vector of a quadratic form,

$$q(x,y) = M\left(\frac{\overline{e}}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}x - y\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$$

 $\frac{\overline{e}}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1} \text{ is a decimal approximation of } \frac{e}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1} \text{ to precision } \frac{1}{M}.$ 

*Proof.* By Theorem 3.2 as the required t, d are such that  $\frac{t}{d}$  is an approximation to  $\frac{e}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}$ , we have by above theorem that (d, t) is a short vector for a quadratic form

$$q(x,y) = M\left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}x - y\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$$

for  $M = 10^l$  for some appropriate l, such that  $d \approx \sqrt{M}$ . The search for this M is described below: Let

$$r = \begin{cases} \frac{d(N)}{2} & \text{if } d(N) \text{ is even,} \\ \frac{d(N)+1}{2} & \text{if } d(N) \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

where d(N) is the number of digits in N. Then for all s with  $r \leq s < d(N)$ , note  $M_s = 10^s$  is such that  $N^{\frac{1}{2}} < M_s < N$ . Now note as d is such that  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{(\frac{1-\gamma}{2})}$ ,  $|\rho q - p| \leq \frac{N^{\gamma}}{16}$ ,  $1 \leq \rho \leq 2$ ,  $\gamma \leq \frac{1}{2}$ , considering the maximum upper bound for d at  $\gamma \approx 0$ , we have  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} < d < N^{\frac{1}{2}}$ , this implies  $N^{\frac{1}{2}} < d^2 < N$ . Therefore,  $d^2$  and  $M_s$  lie in the same range i.e.,  $N^{\frac{1}{2}} < M_s, d^2 < N$ . Now varying s from r to d(N), note as  $M_s$  gets close to  $d^2$ ,  $M_s \approx d^2$  i.e.,  $s \approx d(d^2)$ , the short vector corresponding to such  $M_s$  gives the required (d, t). Note such  $M_s$  can be reached with utmost  $\frac{d(N)}{2}$  variations for s. Further note for  $d > N^{\frac{1}{2}}$ , as d does not satisfy the hypothesis of theorem, note  $\frac{t}{d}$  of the required (d, t) may not be a convergent of  $\frac{e}{N - (\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}})\sqrt{N+1}}$ , hence it may not be an approximation and hence we cannot obtain (d, t) as a short vector of the quadratic form for some M for  $d > N^{\frac{1}{2}}$ .

In the following theorem we describe the execution of the private key (p, q, d) using Wiener extension with Lattice Reduction:

**Theorem 3.6.** Let  $|p - \rho q| \leq \frac{N^{\gamma}}{16}$  with  $1 \leq \rho \leq 2$ ,  $\gamma \leq \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $d = N^{\delta}$  and  $\delta < \frac{1}{2} - \frac{\gamma}{2}$  and let  $M = 10^s$  for  $r \leq s \leq d(N)$ , then for short vector  $(d_s, t_s)$  of the quadratic form,

$$q(x,y) = M\left(\frac{\bar{e}}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}x - y\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$$

take  $\varphi_s(N) = \frac{ed_s - 1}{t_s}, x_s = \frac{N - \varphi_s(N) + 1}{2}$  and  $y_s = \sqrt{x_s^2 - N}$ . If  $x_s, y_s \in \mathbb{N}$ , then  $(d_s, t_s)$  is the required short vector giving the private key  $(q, p, d) = (x_s - y_s, x_s + y_s, d_s)$ .

*Proof.* The proof is same as the proof of Theorem 3.5.

An algorithm for the implementation of Wiener's extension in the range  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{(\frac{1-\gamma}{2})}, \gamma \leq \frac{1}{2}$  with lattice reduction is given in the following:

#### Algorithm:

Step 1: Start

Step 2: Input e, N.

**Step 3:** Compute  $\frac{e}{N - (\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}})\sqrt{N} + 1}$  to d(N) decimals, where

$$r = \begin{cases} \frac{d(N)}{2} & \text{if } d(N) \text{ is even,} \\ \frac{d(N)+1}{2} & \text{if } d(N) \text{ is odd.} \end{cases}$$

Step 4: Set i = r.

**Step 5:** Set  $M = 10^i$ ,  $\frac{\overline{e}}{N - (\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}})\sqrt{N} + 1} = \frac{e}{N - (\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}})\sqrt{N} + 1}$  corrected to *i* decimal places.

Step 6: Set

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{M}} & 0\\ \\ \\ \\ \frac{\bar{e}}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}\sqrt{M} & -\sqrt{M} \end{bmatrix}$$

Apply LLL algorithm to  $B^T$  and then obtain unimodular transformation matrix  $U = B^{-1}(B')^T$ , where B' is the resultant obtained using LLL

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$$

Set  $t_i = |c|, d_i = |a|$ 

Step 7: Compute  $\varphi_i(N) = \frac{ed_i - 1}{t_i}, x_i = \frac{N - \varphi_i(N) + 1}{2}, y_i = \sqrt{x_i^2 - N}.$ 

**Step 8:** If  $\varphi_i(N)$ ,  $x_i, y_i \in N$ , then  $(q, p, d) = (x_i - y_i, x_i + y_i, d_i)$ , otherwise i = i + 1 and go to Step 5.

**Example 3.7.** Consider (e, N) = (1242349, 2035153). Then the decimal representation of  $\left(\frac{e}{N-\left(\sqrt{\rho}+\frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N}+1}\right)$  which is equal to 0.611353789122353.... Now, as N has 7 digits and is odd, choose  $M = 10^{\frac{d(N)+1}{2}} = 10^4$  and find the decimal expansion of  $\left(\frac{e}{N-\left(\sqrt{\rho}+\frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N}+1}\right)$  corrected to 4 decimals. Thus,  $\frac{\overline{e}}{N-\left(\sqrt{\rho}+\frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N}+1} = \frac{e}{N-\left(\sqrt{\rho}+\frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N}+1} = 0.6114$ . Choosing  $M = 10^4$ , we didn't get the desired convergent. Hence update M as  $M = 10^5$  and find the next convergent by considering 5 decimals of  $\left(\frac{e}{N-\left(\sqrt{\rho}+\frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N}+1}\right)$ ,  $\overline{\alpha} = 0.61135$ . Now construct the matrix B and apply LLL algorithm to  $B^T$ :

$$B^{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 9815920/3104066453 & 1633031337/8447041 \\ \\ 0 & -2709261463/8567437 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now, the LLL matrix, B' is given by :

$$B' = \begin{bmatrix} 2247845680/3104066453 & -19452456259019/72369491603917 \\ \\ -2424532240/3104066453 & -78954087169010/72369491603917 \end{bmatrix}$$

Finally, the unimodular integral transformation matrix is given by:

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} 229 & -247 \\ 140 & -151 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now, required convergent is given by,  $\frac{t}{d} = \mid \frac{140}{229} \mid = \frac{140}{229}$  and we have:

$$\begin{split} \varphi_s(N) &= \frac{ed-1}{t} \\ &= \frac{(1242349)(229)-1}{140} \\ &= 2032128, \\ x_s &= \frac{N-\varphi_s(N)+1}{2} = 1513 \\ y_s &= \sqrt{x_s^2 - N} = 504. \end{split}$$

Therefore as  $\varphi_s(N), x_s$  and  $y_s$  are integers we have the private key given as  $(q, p, d) = (x_s - y_s, x_s + y_s, d) = (1009, 2017, 229)$ . This process of varying  $M_s$  in the range  $N^{\frac{1}{2}} < M_s < N$  and applying LLL to obtain  $\frac{t_s}{d_s}$  leading to private key is depicted in the following table:

M	$\left(\frac{e}{N - \left(\sqrt{\rho} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}}\right)\sqrt{N} + 1}\right)$	Unimodular trix using U	ma- LLL	$\frac{t_s}{d_s} = \mid \frac{c}{a} \mid$	$\varphi_s(N) = \frac{ed_s - 1}{t_s}$	$x_s = \frac{N - \varphi_s(N) + 1}{2}$	$y_s = \sqrt{x_s^2 - N}$	$(q, p, d) = (x_s - y_s, x_s + y_s, d_s)/$ Set $M$ to iterate
$M = 10^4$	0.6114	$\begin{bmatrix} U \\ -18 & 175 \\ -11 & 107 \end{bmatrix}$	=	$\frac{11}{18}$	$\notin \mathbb{N}$	$\notin \mathbb{N}$	$\notin \mathbb{N}$	Set $M = 10^5$
$M = 10^5$	0.61135	$\begin{bmatrix} U \\ 229 & -247 \\ 140 & -151 \end{bmatrix}$	[]	$\frac{140}{229}$	2032128	1513	504	(1009, 2017,229)

Table 2: Implementation of Wiener's extension in the range  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{(\frac{1-\gamma}{2})}, \gamma \leq \frac{1}{2}$  with Lattice Reduction.

### 4. Conclusion

The main idea of Wiener Attack that whenever  $d < \frac{N^{1/4}}{\sqrt{6}}$ , the fraction  $\frac{t}{d}$  is a convergent of  $\frac{e}{N}$  and hence it is interpreted as finding (d, t) as a short vector by reducing the quadratic form  $q(x, y) = M\left(\frac{\overline{e}}{N}x - y\right)^2 + \frac{1}{M}x^2$  for an appropriate choice of M in our paper [8]. In this paper, we adapt these ideas to Wiener Attack extensions in the range  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{\frac{3}{4}-\beta}$ ,  $p-q = N^{\beta}$  and  $N^{\frac{1}{4}} \leq d < N^{(\frac{1-\gamma}{2})}$ ,  $\gamma \leq \frac{1}{2}$  with lattice reduction. The continued fraction based arguments of Wiener Attack extensions are implemented with the lattice based arguments and the *LLL* algorithm is used for reducing a basis of a lattice. This method is implemented as *LLL* comes close to solve *SVP* in smaller dimensions.

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