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is an integer multiple of the other from which equality follows (since that integer can only be 1).
For $hc \notin \langle h^2 k^2, h^2 l^2 \rangle = h^2 hc \notin \langle k^2, l^2 \rangle$
the proof is virtually identical.
and $hc \notin \langle k^2, l^2 \rangle = 1$ is shown in the 'alternative' proof.

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I'm sorry, Paul, but I can't read your proof.

You have taken a complicated line (using prime decomposition) which I do think can work but you would need to lay it all out very clearly for me to be convinced.

I enclose a proof using lemma 5.1