• Assumption 1: $\nabla F(w)$ is uniformly L-Lipschitz continuous with respect to w, which can be given by

$$\|\nabla F(\boldsymbol{w}^{t+1}) - \nabla F(\boldsymbol{w}^{t})\| \leqslant L \|\boldsymbol{w}^{t+1} - \boldsymbol{w}^{t}\|, \quad (17)$$

where L is Lipschitz constant depending on $F(\cdot)$.

• Assumption 2: $\nabla F(w)$ is twice-continuously differentiable. Considering both Assumption 1 and Assumption 2, the following inequality can be established:

$$\gamma \mathbf{I} \leqslant \nabla^2 F(\mathbf{w}) \leqslant L \mathbf{I},\tag{18}$$

where **I** is an identity matrix.

• **Assumption 3:** The second moments of local gradient and parameters are constrained by

$$\left\|\nabla f\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}, \boldsymbol{x}_{u,k}, \boldsymbol{y}_{u,k}\right)\right\|^{2} \leqslant G^{2},\tag{19}$$

and

$$\mathbb{E}\{\|\boldsymbol{w}\|^2\} \leqslant D^2. \tag{20}$$

• **Assumption 4:** The stochastic gradients are unbiased, which can be represented as

$$\mathbb{E}\{g(\boldsymbol{w})\} = \nabla F(\boldsymbol{w}). \tag{21}$$

APPENDIX A PROOF OF LEMMA 2

The following two inequalities will be frequently used in the subsequent derivations.

Cauchy-Schwarz inequality

$$\sum_{k=1}^{n} a_k^2 \sum_{k=1}^{n} b_k^2 \geqslant \left(\sum_{k=1}^{n} a_k b_k\right)^2, \tag{A.1}$$

for $a_k \geqslant 0$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{n} a_k^2 \le \left(\sum_{k=1}^{n} a_k\right)^2, \tag{A.2}$$

and the triangle inequality of the Euclidean norm

$$||X + Y|| \le ||X|| + ||Y||$$
. (A.3)

Let \hat{g}^t denote the gradient reconstructed by compressed sensing. According to [?], the reconstruction error can be expressed as $\mathbb{E} \|\hat{g}^t - \tilde{g}^t\|^2$. Based on 1-bit quantization, feedback, and device dropout, the reconstruction error can be expressed as

$$\mathbb{E} \left\| \hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t} - \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t} \right\|^{2} \leqslant \frac{C^{2}}{S} \mathbb{E} \left\| \bar{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t} + \boldsymbol{r}^{t} - \boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t} - \left(\boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t-1} |_{\alpha^{t} = 0} \right) \right\|^{2}, \tag{A.4}$$

where C is the constant depending on the properties of Φ and $0 < \delta < 1$ is a constant of the RIP condition. We can express the total quantization error as

$$E \left\| \bar{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t} + \boldsymbol{r}^{t} - \boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t} - \left(\boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t-1} |_{\alpha^{t}=0} \right) \right\|^{2}$$

$$= \mathbb{E} \left\| \frac{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t} \left(\boldsymbol{sign} \left(\boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}_{u}^{t-1} \right) - \boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}_{u}^{t-1} |_{\alpha_{u}^{t-1}=0} \right)}{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}} + \frac{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t} \left(\boldsymbol{sign} \left(\boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}_{u}^{t} \right) - \boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}_{u}^{t} \right)}{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}} \right\|^{2}.$$
(A.5)

We will separately provide the upper bounds for the two aforementioned parts. First, we derive the upper bound of the gradient before CS and 1-bit quantization based on Assumption 3.

$$\mathbb{E} \|\boldsymbol{g}\|^{2} = \mathbb{E} \left\| \frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^{K} \nabla f(\boldsymbol{w}_{u}; \boldsymbol{x}_{k}, \boldsymbol{y}_{k}) \right\|^{2}$$

$$\stackrel{(c)}{\leqslant} \frac{1}{K^{2}} \mathbb{E} \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^{K} \|\nabla f(\boldsymbol{w}_{u}; \boldsymbol{x}_{k}, \boldsymbol{y}_{k})\|^{2} \right\} \stackrel{(d)}{\leqslant} \frac{G^{2}}{K}.$$
(A.6)

where (c) comes from Eq. (A.3), and (d) arises from Assumption 3. Next, we derive the upper bound of the error caused by 1-bit quantization. Measurement matrix Φ obeys "restricted isometry hypothesis", which means

$$(1 - \delta) \|\mathbf{g}\|^2 \le \|\mathbf{\Phi}\mathbf{g}\|^2 \le (1 + \delta) \|\mathbf{g}\|^2.$$
 (A.7)

In the *t*-th iteration, the upper bound of the error caused by 1-bit quantization of each device's gradient is given by

$$\mathbb{E} \left\| \boldsymbol{e}_{u,q}^{t} \right\|^{2} = \mathbb{E} \left\| \boldsymbol{sign} \left(\boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}_{u}^{t} \right) - \boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}_{u}^{t} \right\|^{2}$$

$$\stackrel{(d)}{\leqslant} 2\mathbb{E} \left(\left\| \boldsymbol{sign} \left(\boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}_{u}^{t} \right) \right\|^{2} + \left\| \boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}_{u}^{t} \right\|^{2} \right)$$

$$\stackrel{(A.8)}{\leqslant} 2S + 2(\delta + 1) \frac{G^{2}}{K},$$

where (d) is due to the fact that $(a-b)^2 \le 2(a^2+b^2)$ and the error of the accumulated gradient is given by

$$\mathbb{E} \left\| \boldsymbol{e}_{qr}^{t} \right\|^{2} = \mathbb{E} \left\| \boldsymbol{sign} \left(\boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}_{u}^{t-1} \right) - \boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}_{u}^{t-1} \big|_{\alpha_{u}^{t-1} = 0} \right\|^{2}$$

$$\leq 2 \mathbb{E} \left(\left\| \boldsymbol{sign} \left(\boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}_{u}^{t} \right) \right\|^{2} + \left\| \boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}_{u}^{t} \right\|^{2} \big|_{\alpha_{u}^{t-1} = 0} \right)$$

$$\leq 2 S \sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u} + 2(\delta + 1) \frac{G^{2}}{K} \sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u}.$$
(A.9)

The error after considering device dropout can be expressed as

$$\mathbb{E} \left\| \frac{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t} \left(sign \left(\mathbf{\Phi} \tilde{\mathbf{g}}_{u}^{t} \right) - \mathbf{\Phi} \tilde{\mathbf{g}}_{u}^{t} \right)}{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}} \right\|^{2}$$

$$\stackrel{(e)}{\leq} \mathbb{E} \left\{ \left(\frac{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t} \left\| \mathbf{e}_{u,q}^{t} \right\|}{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}} \right)^{2} \right\} \leq max (\mathbb{E} \left\| \mathbf{e}_{u,q}^{t} \right\|^{2})$$

$$\leq 2S + 2(\delta + 1) \frac{G^{2}}{K}, \tag{A.10}$$

and

$$\mathbb{E} \left\| \frac{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t} \left(sign \left(\Phi \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}_{u}^{t-1} \right) - \Phi \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}_{u}^{t-1} |_{\alpha_{u}^{t-1} = 0} \right)}{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}} \right\|^{2} \\
\leq \mathbb{E} \left\{ \left(\frac{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t} \|\boldsymbol{e}_{qr}^{t}\|}{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}} \right)^{2} \right\} \leq max (\mathbb{E} \|\boldsymbol{e}_{qr}^{t}\|^{2}) \\
2S \sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u} + 2(\delta + 1) \frac{G^{2}}{K} \sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u}. \tag{A.11}$$

Substituting Eq. (A.10) and Eq. (A.11) into Eq. (A.5), we can obtain

$$\mathbb{E} \left\| \hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t} - \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t} \right\|^{2} \leqslant \frac{C^{2}}{S} \mathbb{E} \left\| \bar{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t} + \boldsymbol{r}^{t} - \boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t} - \left(\boldsymbol{\Phi} \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t-1} |_{\alpha^{t}=0} \right) \right\|^{2}$$

$$\leqslant 6C^{2} + \frac{6(\delta+1)C^{2}G^{2}}{KS} + 6C^{2} \sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u}$$

$$+ \frac{6(\delta+1)C^{2}G^{2} \sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u}}{KS}. \tag{A.12}$$

APPENDIX B PROOF OF THEOREM 1

When the BS obtains the information from local devices, it reconstructs the global gradient \hat{g}^t to update the FL model as

$$\boldsymbol{w}^{t+1} = \boldsymbol{w}^t - \eta \hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^t. \tag{B.1}$$

Performing a second-order Taylor expansion of $F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t+1}\right)$ at \boldsymbol{w}^{t} and using Assumption 2, we can obtain

$$F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t+1}\right) \leqslant F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) + \left(\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)\right)^{\top} \left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t+1} - \boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) + \frac{\nabla^{2} F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)}{2} \left\|\boldsymbol{w}^{t+1} - \boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right\|^{2}$$

$$\leqslant F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) + \left(\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)\right)^{\top} \left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t+1} - \boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) + \frac{L}{2} \left\|\boldsymbol{w}^{t+1} - \boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right\|^{2}$$

$$\leqslant F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) - \eta \left(\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)\right)^{\top} \hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t} + \frac{L\eta^{2}}{2} \left\|\hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t}\right\|^{2},$$
(B.2)

and

$$-\eta \left(\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)\right)^{\top} \hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t}$$

$$= \frac{\eta}{2} \left\{ \left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) - \hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t}\right\|^{2} - \left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2} - \left\|\hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t}\right\|^{2} \right\}$$

$$\leq \frac{\eta}{2} \left\{ \left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) - \hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t}\right\|^{2} - \left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{\eta}{2} \left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) - \hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t}\right\|^{2} - \frac{\eta}{2} \left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2}.$$
(B.3)

So we obtain

$$\mathbb{E}\left\{F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t+1}\right)\right\} \leqslant \mathbb{E}\left\{F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) + \frac{\eta}{2}\left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) - \hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t}\right\|^{2} - \frac{\eta}{2}\left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2} + \frac{L\eta^{2}}{2}\left\|\hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t}\right\|^{2}\right\}.$$
(B.4)

For the sake of simplicity in writing, we introduce an auxiliary variable as

$$\boldsymbol{\lambda}^t = \nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^t\right) - \hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^t, \tag{B.5}$$

which can be bounded by

$$\mathbb{E} \|\boldsymbol{\lambda}^{t}\|^{2} = \mathbb{E} \left\{ \|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) - \hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t}\|^{2} \right\}$$

$$= \mathbb{E} \left\{ \|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) - \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{w}}^{t}) - (\hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t} - \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t})\|^{2} \right\}$$

$$\leq 2\mathbb{E} \left\{ \|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) - \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{w}}^{t})\|^{2} \right\} + 2\mathbb{E} \left\{ \|\hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t} - \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}^{t}\|^{2} \right\}.$$
(B.6)

We have provided the upper bound for $\mathbb{E}\left\{\|\hat{\boldsymbol{g}}^t - \tilde{\boldsymbol{g}}^t\|^2\right\}$ in Appendix A, then we will present the upper bound for the first part. We introduce an auxiliary variable as

$$\nabla F(\boldsymbol{w}^{t})' = \frac{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t} \nabla F_{u} \left(\boldsymbol{w}_{u}^{t}\right)}{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}},$$
(B.7)

so we can obtain

$$\mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F(\tilde{\boldsymbol{w}}^{t})\right\|^{2}\right\}$$

$$= \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)' + \nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F(\tilde{\boldsymbol{w}}^{t})\right\|^{2}\right\}$$

$$\leq \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)'\right\|^{2} + \left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F(\tilde{\boldsymbol{w}}^{t})\right\|^{2}\right\}.$$
(B.8)

Next, we will provide the upper bounds for the two parts above separately. Let U_1 represents the set of devices participating in the global iteration, and $|U_1|$ denotes the number of devices. Conversely, U_2 represents the set of devices that are not involved in the global iteration, and $|U_2|$ denotes the number of devices.

For the first part $\mathbb{E}\left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)-\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)'\right\|^{2}$, we have

$$\mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F(\boldsymbol{w}^{t})'\right\|^{2}\right\}$$

$$= \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\frac{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \nabla F_{u}\left(\boldsymbol{w}_{u}^{t}\right)}{K} - \frac{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t} \nabla F_{u}\left(\boldsymbol{w}_{u}^{t}\right)}{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}}\right\|^{2}\right\},$$
(B.9)

based on Eq. (8), we can obtain

$$\mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F(\boldsymbol{w}^{t})'\right\|^{2}\right\}$$

$$\stackrel{(f)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\sum_{u=1}^{U} \left(\frac{1}{K} - \frac{\alpha_{u}^{t}}{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}}\right) \cdot \sum_{k=1}^{K_{u}} \nabla f\left(\boldsymbol{w}_{u}; \boldsymbol{x}_{u,k}, \boldsymbol{y}_{u,k}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\}$$

$$\stackrel{(g)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\sum_{u=1}^{U} \left\|\frac{1}{K} - \frac{\alpha_{u}^{t}}{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}}\right\|^{2} \cdot \sum_{u=1}^{U} \left\|\sum_{k=1}^{K_{u}} \nabla f\left(\boldsymbol{w}_{u}; \boldsymbol{x}_{u,k}, \boldsymbol{y}_{u,k}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\}$$

$$\stackrel{(f)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\sum_{u=1}^{U} \left\|\sum_{k=1}^{K_{u}} \nabla f\left(\boldsymbol{w}_{u}; \boldsymbol{x}_{u,k}, \boldsymbol{y}_{u,k}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\}$$

where (f) arises from Eq. (8), (g) comes from Eq. (A.1). We

$$\mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F(\mathbf{w}^{t})'\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(h)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\sum_{u=1}^{U} \left\|\frac{1}{K} - \frac{\alpha_{u}^{t}}{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}}\right\|^{2} \sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} G^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\sum_{u=1}^{U} \left\|\frac{1}{K} - \frac{\alpha_{u}^{t}}{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}}\right\|^{2} \sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} G^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' + \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' + \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' + \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' + \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\sum_{u=1}^{U} \left(\frac{1}{K} - \frac{\alpha_{u}^{t}}{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}}\right)^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' + \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}^{t}}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}^{t}}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right\| - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}^{t}}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right\| - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right\| - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right) - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right\| - \nabla F\left(\mathbf{w}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
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\stackrel{(k)}{\leqslant} \mathbb{E$$

For the second part

$$\mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)' - \nabla F(\tilde{\boldsymbol{w}}^{t})\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
= \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\frac{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t} \left(\nabla F_{u}\left(\boldsymbol{w}_{u}^{t}\right) - \nabla F_{u}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{w}}_{u}^{t}\right)\right)}{\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}}\right\|^{2}\right\} \\
\stackrel{(i)}{\leq} \mathbb{E}\left\{\frac{\left(\sum_{u=1}^{U} \left\|K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}\right\|^{2}\right) \left(\sum_{u=1}^{U} \left\|\boldsymbol{w}_{u}^{t} - \tilde{\boldsymbol{w}}_{u}^{t}\right\|^{2}\right)}{\left\|\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}\right\|^{2}}\right\} L^{2} \\
= \frac{\left(\sum_{u=1}^{U} \left\|K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}\right\|^{2}\right) \left(\sum_{u=1}^{U} \mathbb{E}\left\{\left\|\boldsymbol{w}_{u}^{t} - \tilde{\boldsymbol{w}}_{u}^{t}\right\|^{2}\right\}\right)}{\left\|\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}\right\|^{2}} L^{2} \\
\stackrel{(j)}{\leq} \frac{\left(\sum_{u=1}^{U} \left\|K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}\right\|^{2}\right) \left(\sum_{u=1}^{U} \rho_{u}^{t} D^{2}\right)}{\left\|\sum_{u=1}^{U} K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}\right\|^{2}} L^{2} \\
\stackrel{(k)}{\leq} \frac{\left(\sum_{u=1}^{U} \left\|K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}\right\|^{2}\right) \left(\sum_{u=1}^{U} \rho_{u}^{t}\right)}{\sum_{u=1}^{U} \left\|K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}\right\|^{2}} L^{2} D^{2} \triangleq L^{2} D^{2} \Gamma^{t}. \\
\stackrel{(B.12)}{\leq} \frac{\left(\sum_{u=1}^{U} \left\|K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}\right\|^{2}\right) \left(\sum_{u=1}^{U} \rho_{u}^{t}\right)}{\sum_{u=1}^{U} \left\|K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}\right\|^{2}} L^{2} D^{2} = L^{2} D^{2} \Gamma^{t}. \\
\stackrel{(B.12)}{\leq} \frac{\left(\sum_{u=1}^{U} \left\|K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}\right\|^{2}\right) \left(\sum_{u=1}^{U} \rho_{u}^{t}\right)}{\left(\sum_{u=1}^{U} \left\|K_{u} \alpha_{u}^{t}\right\|^{2}\right)} L^{2} D^{2} = L^{2} D^{2} \Gamma^{t}.$$

(i) is due to Assumption 1 and (k) is derived from Eq. (A.2). And we can obtain (j) from [2].

$$E \|\nabla F(\mathbf{w}^{t}) - \tilde{\mathbf{g}}^{t}(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t})\|^{2}$$

$$= E \|\nabla F(\mathbf{w}^{t})\|^{2} + E \|\tilde{\mathbf{g}}^{t}(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t})\|^{2}$$

$$- 2E \left\{ (\nabla F(\mathbf{w}^{t}))^{\top} \tilde{\mathbf{g}}^{t}(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}) \right\}$$

$$= E \|\nabla F(\mathbf{w}^{t})\|^{2} + E \|\tilde{\mathbf{g}}^{t}(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t})\|^{2}$$

$$- 2E \left\{ \nabla F(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}) \right\}^{\top} E \left\{ \tilde{\mathbf{g}}^{t}(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}) \right\}$$

$$- 2\operatorname{Tr}\left(\operatorname{Cov}\left(\nabla F, \tilde{\mathbf{g}}^{t}\right)\right)$$

$$\leq E \|\nabla F(\mathbf{w}^{t})\|^{2} + E \|\tilde{\mathbf{g}}^{t}(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t})\|^{2}$$

$$- 2E \left\{ \nabla F(\mathbf{w}^{t}) \right\}^{\top} E \left\{ \tilde{\mathbf{g}}^{t}(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}) \right\}$$

$$= E \|\nabla F(\mathbf{w}^{t})\|^{2} + E \|\tilde{\mathbf{g}}^{t}(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t})\|^{2}$$

$$- 2E \left\{ \nabla F(\mathbf{w}^{t}) \right\}^{\top} E \left\{ \nabla F(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t}) \right\}$$

$$= E \left\{ \|\nabla F(\mathbf{w}^{t}) - \nabla F(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t})\|^{2} \right\} - E \|\nabla F(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t})\|^{2}$$

$$+ E \|\tilde{\mathbf{g}}^{t}(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t})\|^{2}$$

$$\leq L^{2}D^{2}\Gamma^{t} + \frac{G^{2}}{K} - E \|\nabla F(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{t})\|^{2}$$

$$+ KG^{2} \sum_{i=1}^{U} \sum_{\substack{|U_{1}|=i\\|U_{2}|=U-i}} \left\{ \frac{1}{K} - \left(\prod_{1} (1 - q_{u_{1}}^{t}) \prod_{1} \prod_{2 \leq U_{2}} q_{u_{2}}^{t} \frac{1}{\sum_{1 \leq U_{1}} K_{u_{1}}} \right) \right\}^{2}$$

$$(B.14)$$

Substituting Eq. (A.12) and Eq. (B.14)into Eq. (B.6), we can

obtain

$$\mathbb{E} \left\| \lambda^{t} \right\|^{2} \leqslant 2L^{2}D^{2}\Gamma^{t} + 2\frac{G^{2}}{K} - 2E\|\nabla F(\tilde{w}^{t})\|^{2} + 12C^{2}\sum_{u=1}^{U}q_{u}^{t} + 12C^{2} + \frac{12(\delta+1)C^{2}G^{2}}{SK} + \frac{12(\delta+1)C^{2}G^{2}\sum_{u=1}^{U}q_{u}^{t}}{SK} + 2KG^{2}\sum_{i=1}^{U}\sum_{\substack{|U_{1}|=i\\|U_{2}|=U-i}} \left\{ \frac{1}{K} - \left(\prod_{u_{1}\in U_{1}} \left(1 - q_{u_{1}}^{t}\right) \prod_{u_{2}\in U_{2}} q_{u_{2}}^{t} \frac{1}{\sum_{u_{1}\in U_{1}} K_{u_{1}}} \right) \right\}^{2} \\
\leqslant 2L^{2}D^{2}\Gamma^{t} + 2\frac{G^{2}}{K} + 12C^{2}\sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u}^{t} + 12C^{2}G^{2}\sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u}^{t} + 12C^{2} + \frac{12(\delta+1)C^{2}G^{2}\sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u}^{t}}{SK} + 2KG^{2}\sum_{i=1}^{U}\sum_{\substack{|U_{1}|=i\\|U_{2}|=U-i}} \left\{ \frac{1}{K} - \left(\prod_{u_{1}\in U_{1}} \left(1 - q_{u_{1}}^{t}\right) \prod_{u_{2}\in U_{2}} q_{u_{2}}^{t} \frac{1}{\sum_{u_{1}\in U_{1}} K_{u_{1}}} \right) \right\}^{2}. \tag{B.15}$$

Substituting Eq. (A.6) and Eq. (B.15) into Eq. (B.4), we can obtain

$$\mathbb{E}\left\{F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t+1}\right)\right\} \leqslant \mathbb{E}\left\{F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)\right\} + \eta L^{2}D^{2}\Gamma^{t} + \frac{\eta G^{2}}{K} + 6\eta C^{2} + \frac{6\eta(\delta+1)C^{2}G^{2}}{SK} + 6\eta C^{2} \sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u}^{t} - \frac{\eta}{2}\mathbb{E}\left\|\nabla F\left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t}\right)\right\|^{2} + \frac{6\eta(\delta+1)C^{2}G^{2}\sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u}^{t}}{SK} + \frac{L\eta^{2}G^{2}}{2K} + \eta KG^{2} \sum_{i=1}^{U} \sum_{\substack{|U_{1}|=i\\|U_{2}|=U-i}} \left\{\frac{1}{K} - \left(\prod_{u_{1}\in U_{1}} \left(1 - q_{u_{1}}^{t}\right) \prod_{u_{2}\in U_{2}} q_{u_{2}}^{t} \frac{1}{\sum_{u_{1}\in U_{1}} K_{u_{1}}}\right)\right\}^{2}, \tag{B.16}$$

and we can easily get

$$\mathbb{E} \left\| \nabla F \left(\mathbf{w}^{t} \right) \right\|^{2} \leqslant \frac{2}{\eta} \mathbb{E} \left\{ F \left(\mathbf{w}^{t} \right) - F \left(\mathbf{w}^{t+1} \right) \right\} + 2L^{2}D^{2}\Gamma^{t} \\
+ \frac{2G^{2}}{K} + 12C^{2} + \frac{12(\delta + 1)C^{2}G^{2}}{SK} + 12C^{2} \sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u}^{t} \\
+ \frac{12(\delta + 1)C^{2}G^{2} \sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u}^{t}}{SK} + \frac{L\eta G^{2}}{K} \\
+ 2KG^{2} \sum_{i=1}^{U} \sum_{\substack{|U_{1}|=i\\|U_{2}|=U-i}} \left\{ \frac{1}{K} - \left(\prod_{u_{1} \in U_{1}} \left(1 - q_{u_{1}}^{t} \right) \prod_{u_{2} \in U_{2}} q_{u_{2}}^{t} \frac{1}{\sum_{u_{1} \in U_{1}} K_{u_{1}}} \right) \right\}^{2}.$$
(B.17)

We sum and average the above equation from t = 0 to $\Omega - 1$,

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{\Omega} \sum_{t=0}^{\Omega-1} \mathbb{E} \left\{ \left\| \nabla F \left(\boldsymbol{w}^{t} \right) \right\|^{2} \right\} & \leqslant \frac{2}{\eta \Omega} \mathbb{E} \left\{ F \left(\boldsymbol{w}^{0} \right) - F \left(\boldsymbol{w}^{*} \right) \right\} \\ & + \frac{2L^{2}D^{2}}{\Omega} \sum_{t=0}^{\Omega-1} \Gamma^{t} + \frac{12(\delta+1)C^{2}G^{2}}{SK} + \frac{12C^{2}}{\Omega-1} \sum_{t=1}^{\Omega-1} \sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u}^{t} \\ & + 12C^{2} + \frac{2G^{2}}{K} + \frac{12(\delta+1)C^{2}G^{2}}{SK(\Omega-1)} \sum_{t=1}^{\Omega-1} \sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u}^{t} + \frac{L\eta G^{2}}{K} \\ & + \frac{2KG^{2}}{\Omega} \sum_{t=0}^{\Omega-1} \sum_{i=1}^{U} \sum_{|U_{1}|=i} \left\{ \frac{1}{K} - \left(\prod_{u_{1} \in U_{1}} \left(1 - q_{u_{1}}^{t} \right) \prod_{u_{2} \in U_{2}} q_{u_{2}}^{t} \frac{1}{\sum_{u_{1} \in U_{1}} K_{u_{1}}} \right) \right\}^{2}. \end{split}$$

Therefore we can obtain the upper bound of the Euclidean norm of the gradient as

$$\frac{1}{\Omega} \mathbb{E} \left\{ \left\| \nabla F \left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{w}}^{t} \right) \right\|^{2} \right\} \leqslant \frac{2}{\eta \Omega} \mathbb{E} \left\{ F \left(\boldsymbol{w}^{0} \right) - F \left(\boldsymbol{w}^{*} \right) \right\}
+ \frac{2L^{2}D^{2}}{\Omega} \sum_{t=0}^{\Omega-1} \Gamma^{t} + \frac{12(\delta+1)C^{2}G^{2}}{SK} + \frac{12C^{2}}{\Omega-1} \sum_{t=1}^{\Omega} \sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u}^{t}
+ 12C^{2} + \frac{2G^{2}}{K} + \frac{12(\delta+1)C^{2}G^{2}}{SK\Omega} \sum_{t=1}^{\Omega} \sum_{u=1}^{U} q_{u}^{t} + \frac{L\eta G^{2}}{K}
+ \frac{2KG^{2}}{\Omega} \sum_{t=0}^{\Omega-1} \sum_{i=1}^{U} \sum_{|U_{1}|=i} \left\{ \frac{1}{K} - \left(\prod_{u_{1} \in U_{1}} \left(1 - q_{u_{1}}^{t} \right) \prod_{u_{2} \in U_{2}} q_{u_{2}}^{t} \frac{1}{\sum_{u_{1} \in U_{1}} K_{u_{1}}} \right) \right\}^{2},$$
(B.19)

where w^* represents the final model.