



Receiving the Top Card (Contd.)

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$$\leq \exp \left( -s^{p-2} \log^3 n \cdot \frac{\mathbf{e}_{i^*}^{-1} (\sum_j x_{i^*}(j)^{p/2})^2}{\sum_j \sum_i \mathbf{e}_i^{-1} x_i(j)^p} \right)$$

$$\left(\sum_j x_{i*}(j)^{p/2}\right)^2 \geq \frac{1}{s^{p-2}} \left(\sum_j x_{i*}(j)\right)^p = \frac{1}{s^{p-2}} \left(x_{i*}\right)^p$$

$$\sum_j \sum_i \mathbf{e}_i^{-1} x_i(j)^p \leq \sum_i \mathbf{e}_i^{-1} x_i^p \leq (C \log^2 n) \cdot \mathbf{e}_{i^*}^{-1} x_{i^*}^p$$

$$\Pr[\text{Not receiving } i^*] \leq 1/\text{poly}(n)$$

$$(c_f[s] = s^{p-1})$$



(super-additivity)

# Receiving the Top Coordinate (Contd.)

$$\leq \exp \left( -s^{p-2} \log^3 n \cdot \frac{\mathbf{e}_{i^*}^{-1} (\sum_j x_{i^*}(j)^{p/2})^2}{\sum_j \sum_i \mathbf{e}_i^{-1} x_i(j)^p} \right)$$

$$\left( \sum_j x_{i^*}(j)^{p/2} \right)^2 \geq \frac{1}{s^{p-2}} \left( \sum_j x_{i^*}(j) \right)^p = \frac{1}{s^{p-2}} (x_{i^*})^p \quad (c_f[s] = s^{p-1})$$

$$\sum_j \sum_i \mathbf{e}_i^{-1} x_i(j)^p \leq \sum_i \mathbf{e}_i^{-1} x_i^p \leq (C \log^2 n) \cdot \mathbf{e}_{i^*}^{-1} x_{i^*}^p \quad (\text{Super-additivity})$$

$$\Pr[\text{Not receiving } i^*] \leq 1/\text{poly}(n)$$

# Computing $i^*$