

**LEMMA 1.** For any  $\mu \in \mathbb{R}_+^M$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{t=1}^T \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu) - \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t) &\leq \\ \frac{\|\mu\|_2^2}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\beta_1} - \delta_1 \right) + MNA^2G^2J_T(\beta) + \sum_{t=1}^T \beta_t \delta_t^2 \|\mu_t\|_2^2, \end{aligned} \quad (25)$$

where  $J_T(\beta) \triangleq \sum_{t=1}^T \beta_t$ .

**PROOF OF LEMMA 1.** Note that  $\mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu)$  is  $\delta_t$ -strongly concave in  $\mu$ . This implies that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu) - \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t) &\leq \langle \mu - \mu_t, \nabla_\mu \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t) \rangle \\ &\quad - \frac{\delta_t}{2} \|\mu - \mu_t\|_2^2, \end{aligned} \quad (26)$$

The updating rule of  $\mu_t$  leads to

$$\begin{aligned} \|\mu - \mu_{t+1}\|_2^2 &\leq \|\mu - \mu_t - \beta_t \nabla_\mu \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t)\|_2^2 \\ &= \|\mu - \mu_t\|_2^2 + \beta_t^2 \|\nabla_\mu \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t)\|_2^2 \\ &\quad - 2\beta_t \langle \mu - \mu_t, \nabla_\mu \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t) \rangle, \end{aligned} \quad (27)$$

which leads to

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \mu - \mu_t, \nabla_\mu \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t) \rangle &\leq \\ \frac{\|\mu - \mu_t\|_2^2 - \|\mu - \mu_{t+1}\|_2^2}{2\beta_t} + \frac{\beta_t \|\nabla_\mu \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t)\|_2^2}{2} \end{aligned} \quad (28)$$

Finally, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu) - \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t) &\leq \frac{\|\mu - \mu_t\|_2^2 - \|\mu - \mu_{t+1}\|_2^2}{2\beta_t} \\ &\quad + \frac{\beta_t \|\nabla_\mu \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t)\|_2^2}{2} - \frac{\delta_t}{2} \|\mu - \mu_t\|_2^2. \end{aligned} \quad (29)$$

Summing over  $t \in \{1, 2, \dots, T\}$  leads to

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{t=1}^T \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu) - \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t) &\leq \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\beta_t \|\nabla_\mu \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t)\|_2^2}{2} \\ &\quad + \sum_{t=1}^T \left( \frac{\|\mu - \mu_t\|_2^2 - \|\mu - \mu_{t+1}\|_2^2}{2\beta_t} - \frac{\delta_t}{2} \|\mu - \mu_t\|_2^2 \right) \end{aligned} \quad (30)$$

Next we upper bound the above formula in two steps. First, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\beta_t \|\nabla_\mu \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t)\|_2^2}{2} &\leq \sum_{t=1}^T \beta_t (MNA^2G^2 + \delta_t^2 \|\mu_t\|_2^2) \\ &= MNA^2G^2J_T(\beta) + \sum_{t=1}^T \beta_t \delta_t^2 \|\mu_t\|_2^2, \end{aligned} \quad (31)$$

where the inequality follows from  $(a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n)^2 \leq n(a_1^2 + a_2^2 + \dots + a_n^2)$ .

Second, we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\sum_{t=1}^T \left( \frac{\|\mu - \mu_t\|_2^2 - \|\mu - \mu_{t+1}\|_2^2}{2\beta_t} - \frac{\delta_t}{2} \|\mu - \mu_t\|_2^2 \right) \\ &= \frac{\|\mu - \mu_1\|_2^2}{2\beta_1} - \frac{\|\mu - \mu_{T+1}\|_2^2}{2\beta_T} + \sum_{t=2}^T \frac{\|\mu - \mu_t\|_2^2}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\beta_t} - \frac{1}{\beta_{t-1}} \right) \\ &\quad - \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\delta_t}{2} \|\mu - \mu_t\|_2^2 \\ &\stackrel{(a)}{\leq} \frac{\|\mu\|_2^2}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\beta_1} - \delta_1 \right) + \sum_{t=2}^T \frac{\|\mu - \mu_t\|_2^2}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\beta_t} - \frac{1}{\beta_{t-1}} - \delta_t \right) \\ &\stackrel{(b)}{\leq} \frac{\|\mu\|_2^2}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\beta_1} - \delta_1 \right) \end{aligned} \quad (32)$$

where the inequality (a) follows from  $\frac{\|\mu - \mu_{T+1}\|_2^2}{2\beta_T} \geq 0$  and  $\mu_1 = \mathbf{0}_M$ . The inequality (b) follows from (16b).

This completes the proof.  $\square$

**LEMMA 2.** For any feasible allocation  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{X}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{t=1}^T \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t) - \mathcal{L}_t(\mathbf{x}; \mu_t) &\leq \\ A \left[ \alpha_T \ln(N) + \frac{(1+M)G^2}{2} \left( J_T(\alpha) + \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\|\mu_t\|_2^2}{\alpha_t} \right) \right] \end{aligned} \quad (33)$$

where  $J_T(\alpha) \triangleq \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{1}{\alpha_t}$ .

**PROOF OF LEMMA 2.** Note that  $\mathcal{L}_t(\cdot; \mu_t)$  is convex in  $\mathbf{x}$ . This implies that

$$\sum_{t=1}^T \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t) - \mathcal{L}_t(\mathbf{x}; \mu_t) \leq \sum_{t=1}^T \langle \hat{\mathbf{x}}_t - \mathbf{x}, \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t) \rangle. \quad (34)$$

Next we will derive an upper bound for the RHS in (34) based on the potential function  $\Phi_t(\alpha)$ , i.e.,

$$\Phi_t(\alpha) \triangleq \alpha \ln \left( \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N \exp \left( -\frac{1}{\alpha} \sum_{s=1}^t \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}_s(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_s; \mu_s)}{\partial x_n} \right) \right). \quad (35)$$

For any  $t > 1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\Phi_t(\alpha_t) - \Phi_{t-1}(\alpha_t) \\ &= \alpha_t \ln \left( \frac{\sum_{n=1}^N \exp \left( -\frac{1}{\alpha_t} \sum_{s=1}^t \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}_s(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_s; \mu_s)}{\partial x_n} \right)}{\sum_{n=1}^N \exp \left( -\frac{1}{\alpha_t} \sum_{s=1}^{t-1} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}_s(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_s; \mu_s)}{\partial x_n} \right)} \right) \\ &\stackrel{(a)}{=} \alpha_t \ln \left( \sum_{n=1}^N \frac{\hat{x}_{t,n}}{A} \exp \left( -\frac{1}{\alpha_t} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t)}{\partial x_n} \right) \right) \\ &\stackrel{(b)}{\leq} - \frac{\langle \hat{\mathbf{x}}_t, \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t) \rangle}{A} + \frac{(1 + \|\mu_t\|_1)^2 G^2}{2\alpha_t} \\ &\stackrel{(c)}{\leq} - \frac{\langle \hat{\mathbf{x}}_t, \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t) \rangle}{A} + \frac{(1+M)(1 + \|\mu_t\|_2^2)G^2}{2\alpha_t}, \end{aligned} \quad (36)$$

where the equality (a) follows from (11) and the weight vector's updating rule (14). The inequality (b) follows from Hoeffding's inequality and  $\|\nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t)\|_{(n)} \leq (1 + \|\mu_t\|_1)G$ . The inequality (c) follows from  $(a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_k)^2 \leq k(a_1^2 + a_2^2 + \dots + a_k^2)$ .

This leads to

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\langle \hat{\mathbf{x}}_t, \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \mu_t) \rangle}{A} &\leq \frac{(1+M)(1 + \|\mu_t\|_2^2)G^2}{2\alpha_t} \\ &\quad + \Phi_{t-1}(\alpha_t) - \Phi_t(\alpha_t), \end{aligned} \quad (37)$$

Summing over  $t \in \{1, 2, \dots, T\}$  leads to

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\langle \hat{\mathbf{x}}_t, \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \boldsymbol{\mu}_t) \rangle}{A} \\
& \leq \sum_{t=1}^T [\Phi_{t-1}(\alpha_t) - \Phi_t(\alpha_t)] + \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{(1+M)(1+\|\boldsymbol{\mu}_t\|_2^2)G^2}{2\alpha_t} \\
& \stackrel{(a)}{=} \Phi_0(\alpha_1) - \Phi_T(\alpha_T) + \sum_{t=1}^{T-1} [\Phi_t(\alpha_{t+1}) - \Phi_t(\alpha_t)] \\
& \quad + \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{(1+M)(1+\|\boldsymbol{\mu}_t\|_2^2)G^2}{2\alpha_t} \tag{38} \\
& \stackrel{(b)}{\leq} \Phi_0(\alpha_1) - \Phi_T(\alpha_T) + \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{(1+M)(1+\|\boldsymbol{\mu}_t\|_2^2)G^2}{2\alpha_t} \\
& \stackrel{(c)}{=} -\Phi_T(\alpha_T) + \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{(1+M)(1+\|\boldsymbol{\mu}_t\|_2^2)G^2}{2\alpha_t},
\end{aligned}$$

where the equality (a) follows from Abel transformation. The inequality (b) follows from that  $\Phi_t(\alpha)$  is decreasing in  $\alpha$  and the sequence  $\{\alpha_t : \forall t \in \mathcal{T}\}$  is increasing in  $t$  according to (13). The equality (c) follows from  $\Phi_0(\alpha_1) = 0$ .

Next we derive a lower bound for  $\Phi_T(\alpha_T)$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
\Phi_T(\alpha_T) &= \alpha_T \ln \left( \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N \exp \left( -\frac{1}{\alpha_T} \sum_{t=1}^T [\nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \mathcal{L}_t(\mathbf{x}_t; \boldsymbol{\mu}_t)]_{(n)} \right) \right) \\
& \stackrel{(a)}{\geq} \alpha_T \ln \left( \sum_{n=1}^N \frac{x_n}{A} \exp \left( -\frac{1}{\alpha_T} \sum_{t=1}^T [\nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \mathcal{L}_t(\mathbf{x}_t; \boldsymbol{\mu}_t)]_{(n)} \right) \right) - \alpha_T \ln(N) \\
& \stackrel{(b)}{\geq} -\sum_{n=1}^N \frac{x_n}{A} \sum_{t=1}^T [\nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \mathcal{L}_t(\mathbf{x}_t; \boldsymbol{\mu}_t)]_{(n)} - \alpha_T \ln(N) \\
& = -\sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\langle \mathbf{x}, \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \mathcal{L}_t(\mathbf{x}_t; \boldsymbol{\mu}_t) \rangle}{A} - \alpha_T \ln(N) \tag{39}
\end{aligned}$$

where the inequality (a) follows from  $\|\mathbf{x}\|_1 = A$  and  $\mathbf{x} \geq 0$ . The inequality (b) follows from Jensen's inequality.

Combining the above two aspects, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\langle \hat{\mathbf{x}}_t - \mathbf{x}, \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \boldsymbol{\mu}_t) \rangle}{A} \leq \\
& \alpha_T \ln(N) + \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{(1+M)(1+\|\boldsymbol{\mu}_t\|_2^2)G^2}{2\alpha_t} \tag{40}
\end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof.  $\square$

**PROOF OF THEOREM 1.**

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{t=1}^T \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \boldsymbol{\mu}) - \mathcal{L}_t(\mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\mu}_t) \\
&= \sum_{t=1}^T \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \boldsymbol{\mu}) - \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \boldsymbol{\mu}_t) + \sum_{t=1}^T \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \boldsymbol{\mu}_t) - \mathcal{L}_t(\mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\mu}_t) \\
&\leq \frac{\|\boldsymbol{\mu}\|_2^2}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\beta_1} - \delta_1 \right) + MNA^2G^2J_T(\boldsymbol{\beta}) + \sum_{t=1}^T \beta_t \delta_t^2 \|\boldsymbol{\mu}_t\|_2^2 + A \left[ \alpha_T \ln(N) + \frac{(1+M)G^2}{2} \left( J_T(\boldsymbol{\alpha}) + \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\|\boldsymbol{\mu}_t\|_2^2}{\alpha_t} \right) \right]
\end{aligned} \tag{41}$$

By expanding  $\sum_{t=1}^T \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \boldsymbol{\mu}) - \mathcal{L}_t(\mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\mu}_t)$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{t=1}^T \mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \boldsymbol{\mu}) - \mathcal{L}_t(\mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\mu}_t) \\
&= \sum_{t=1}^T f_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t) - f_t(\mathbf{x}) + \sum_{m=1}^M \left[ \mu_m \sum_{t=1}^T g_{t,m}(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t) - \sum_{t=1}^T \mu_{t,m} g_{t,m}(\mathbf{x}) \right] - \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\delta_t \|\boldsymbol{\mu}\|_2^2}{2} + \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\delta_t \|\boldsymbol{\mu}_t\|_2^2}{2}.
\end{aligned} \tag{42}$$

Taking the expectation on both sides over  $\{\theta_t : \forall t \in \mathcal{T}\}$  leads to

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{t=1}^T \mathbb{E} [\mathcal{L}_t(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t; \boldsymbol{\mu}) - \mathcal{L}_t(\mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\mu}_t)] \\
&= \text{Reg}_T(\mathcal{U}) + \sum_{m=1}^M \left[ \mu_m \sum_{t=1}^T \mathbb{E}[g_{t,m}(\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t)] - \sum_{t=1}^T \mu_{t,m} \mathbb{E}[g_{t,m}(\mathbf{x})] \right] - \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\delta_t \|\boldsymbol{\mu}\|_2^2}{2} + \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\delta_t \mathbb{E} \|\boldsymbol{\mu}_t\|_2^2}{2} \\
&\geq \text{Reg}_T(\mathcal{U}) + \sum_{m=1}^M \mu_m \sum_{t=1}^T \mathbb{E}[g_{t,m}(\mathbf{x}_t)] - \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\delta_t \|\boldsymbol{\mu}\|_2^2}{2} + \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\delta_t \mathbb{E} \|\boldsymbol{\mu}_t\|_2^2}{2}
\end{aligned} \tag{43}$$

Combining the above upper bound and lower bound, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
& \text{Reg}_T(\mathcal{U}) + \sum_{m=1}^M \mu_m \sum_{t=1}^T \mathbb{E}[g_{t,m}(\mathbf{x}_t)] - \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\delta_t \|\boldsymbol{\mu}\|_2^2}{2} + \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\delta_t \mathbb{E} \|\boldsymbol{\mu}_t\|_2^2}{2} \\
&\leq \frac{\|\boldsymbol{\mu}\|_2^2}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\beta_1} - \delta_1 \right) + MNA^2G^2J_T(\boldsymbol{\beta}) + \sum_{t=1}^T \beta_t \delta_t^2 \mathbb{E} \|\boldsymbol{\mu}_t\|_2^2 \\
&\quad + A\alpha_T \ln(N) + \frac{(1+M)G^2AJ_T(\boldsymbol{\alpha})}{2} + \frac{(1+M)G^2A}{2} \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{\mathbb{E} \|\boldsymbol{\mu}_t\|_2^2}{\alpha_t}
\end{aligned} \tag{44}$$

which leads to

$$\begin{aligned}
& \text{Reg}_T(\mathcal{U}) + \sum_{m=1}^M \left[ \mu_m \sum_{t=1}^T \mathbb{E}[g_{t,m}(\mathbf{x}_t)] - \frac{\frac{1}{\beta_1} - \delta_1 + J_T(\boldsymbol{\delta})}{2} \cdot (\mu_m)^2 \right] \\
&\leq \left[ \alpha_T \ln(N) + \frac{(1+M)G^2J_T(\boldsymbol{\alpha})}{2} \right] A + MNA^2G^2J_T(\boldsymbol{\beta}) + \sum_{t=1}^T \mathbb{E} \|\boldsymbol{\mu}_t\|_2^2 \left( \beta_t \delta_t^2 + \frac{(1+M)G^2A}{2\alpha_t} - \frac{\delta_t}{2} \right) \\
&\leq \left[ \alpha_T \ln(N) + \frac{(1+M)G^2J_T(\boldsymbol{\alpha})}{2} \right] A + MNA^2G^2J_T(\boldsymbol{\beta})
\end{aligned} \tag{45}$$

where the last inequality follows from condition C2.

Maximizing left-hand-side over  $\boldsymbol{\mu}$  leads to

$$\text{Reg}(T) + \frac{\sum_{m=1}^M \mathbb{E} \left( \left[ \sum_{t=1}^T g_{t,m}(\mathbf{x}_t) \right]^+ \right)^2}{2 \left( \frac{1}{\beta_1} - \delta_1 + J_T(\boldsymbol{\delta}) \right)} \leq \left[ \alpha_T \ln(N) + \frac{(1+M)G^2J_T(\boldsymbol{\alpha})}{2} \right] A + MNA^2G^2J_T(\boldsymbol{\beta}). \tag{46}$$

Note that on the LHS, we have

$$\sum_{m=1}^M \mathbb{E} \left( \left[ \sum_{t=1}^T g_{t,m}(\mathbf{x}_t) \right]^+ \right)^2 \geq \frac{[\text{Vio}_T(\mathcal{U})]^2}{M}, \tag{47}$$

which follows from the inequality  $z_1^2 + z_2^2 + \dots + z_M^2 \geq (z_1 + z_2 + \dots + z_M)^2/M$ .

Therefore, we obtain

$$\text{Reg}_T(\mathcal{U}) + \frac{[\text{Vio}_T(\mathcal{U})]^2}{2\left(\frac{1}{\beta_1} - \delta_1 + J_T(\delta)\right)M} \leq \left[\alpha_T \ln(N) + \frac{(1+M)G^2 J_T(\alpha)}{2}\right]A + MNA^2 G^2 J_T(\beta) \quad (48)$$

When  $\alpha_t = t^\epsilon G \sqrt{\frac{1+M}{2\ln(N)}}$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Reg}_T(\mathcal{U}) + \frac{[\text{Vio}_T(\mathcal{U})]^2}{2\left(\frac{1}{\beta_1} - \delta_1 + J_T(\delta)\right)M} &\leq \left[\alpha_T \ln(N) + \frac{(1+M)G^2}{2} J_T(\alpha)\right]A + MNA^2 G^2 J_T(\beta) \\ &= \left(T^\epsilon + \frac{T^{1-\epsilon}}{1-\epsilon}\right)AG \sqrt{\frac{(1+M)\ln(N)}{2}} + MNA^2 G^2 J_T(\beta) \\ &\leq \left(T^\epsilon + \frac{T^{1-\epsilon}}{1-\epsilon}\right)AG \sqrt{\frac{(1+M)\ln(N)}{2}} + \frac{MNA^2 G^2}{3\sqrt{2(1+M)\ln(N)}} \cdot \frac{T^\epsilon}{\epsilon} \\ &= AG \cdot \Omega_T(\epsilon) \end{aligned} \quad (49)$$

Note that  $\frac{1}{\beta_1} - \delta_1 = 3AG\sqrt{2(1+M)\ln(N)}$ . This leads to

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Vio}_T(\mathcal{U}) &\leq \sqrt{6AGM\sqrt{2(1+M)\ln(N)}\left(1 + \frac{T^{1-\epsilon}}{1-\epsilon}\right)\left(AG \cdot \Omega_T(N, M) + TAG\sqrt{2N}\right)} \\ &\leq AG \sqrt{\frac{24MC}{1-\epsilon} \left[\frac{\Omega_T(\epsilon)}{T} + \sqrt{2N}\right]} \cdot T^{1-\epsilon/2} \end{aligned} \quad (50)$$

$$C = \sqrt{(1+M)\ln(N)/2}$$

For notations simplicity, we let  $\Psi \triangleq \sqrt{\frac{(1+M)\ln(N)}{2MN}}$  and obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Reg}(T) &\leq AG\sqrt{MN} \left[ \left(\Psi + \frac{1}{6\Psi\epsilon}\right)T^\epsilon + \frac{\Psi \cdot T^{1-\epsilon}}{1-\epsilon} \right] \\ \text{Vio}(T) &\leq AG \sqrt{\frac{24\Psi\sqrt{MN}}{1-\epsilon} \left[\frac{\text{Reg}(T)}{AGT} + \sqrt{2N}\right]} \cdot T^{1-\frac{\epsilon}{2}} \end{aligned} \quad (51)$$

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PROOF .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Reg}(T) &\leq AG\sqrt{MN} \left[ \left(\Psi + \frac{1}{6\Psi\epsilon}\right)T^\epsilon + \frac{\Psi \cdot T^{1-\epsilon}}{1-\epsilon} \right] \\ \text{Vio}(T) &\leq AG \sqrt{\frac{68MN\Psi}{1-\epsilon}} T^{1-\frac{\epsilon}{2}} \\ \text{Vio}(T) &\leq AG \sqrt{48\sqrt{2}MN\Psi \frac{T^{1-\epsilon}}{1-\epsilon}} T \end{aligned} \quad (52)$$

□

**LEMMA 3.** *Given the following parameters*

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha_t &= t^\epsilon G \sqrt{\frac{1+M}{2 \ln(N)}} \\ \delta_t &= \frac{3(1+M)G^2 A}{\alpha_t} = \frac{3GA\sqrt{2(1+M) \ln(N)}}{t^\epsilon} \\ \beta_t &= \frac{1}{\delta_t(t+1)} = \frac{1}{3GA\sqrt{2(1+M) \ln(N)}} \cdot \frac{t^\epsilon}{1+t}\end{aligned}\tag{53}$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned}J_T(\alpha) &\leq \frac{1}{G} \sqrt{\frac{2 \ln(N)}{1+M}} \frac{T^{1-\epsilon}}{1-\epsilon}, \\ J_T(\beta) &\leq \frac{1}{3GA\sqrt{2(1+M) \ln(N)}} \cdot \frac{T^\epsilon}{\epsilon} \\ J_T(\delta) &\leq 3GA\sqrt{2(1+M) \ln(N)} \frac{T^{1-\epsilon}}{1-\epsilon}.\end{aligned}\tag{54}$$

**PROOF OF LEMMA 3.** The proof of this lemma relies on the fact

$$\sum_{t=1}^T \frac{1}{t^\epsilon} \leq \frac{T^{1-\epsilon}}{1-\epsilon}.\tag{55}$$

We upper bound  $J_T(\alpha)$  as follows:

$$J_T(\alpha) = \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{1}{\alpha_t} = \frac{1}{G} \sqrt{\frac{2 \ln(N)}{1+M}} \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{1}{t^\epsilon} \leq \frac{1}{G} \sqrt{\frac{2 \ln(N)}{1+M}} \frac{T^{1-\epsilon}}{1-\epsilon}.\tag{56}$$

We upper bound  $J_T(\beta)$  as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}J_T(\beta) &= \frac{1}{3GA\sqrt{2(1+M) \ln(N)}} \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{t^\epsilon}{1+t} \leq \frac{1}{3GA\sqrt{2(1+M) \ln(N)}} \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{t^\epsilon}{t} \\ &= \frac{1}{3GA\sqrt{2(1+M) \ln(N)}} \cdot \frac{T^\epsilon}{\epsilon}\end{aligned}\tag{57}$$

We upper bound  $J_T(\delta)$  as follows:

$$J_T(\delta) = 3GA\sqrt{2(1+M) \ln(N)} \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{1}{t^\epsilon} \leq 3GA\sqrt{2(1+M) \ln(N)} \frac{T^{1-\epsilon}}{1-\epsilon}.\tag{58}$$

□

**LEMMA 4.** *Conditions C1 and C2 hold if the sequence  $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \geq 1}$  is increasing, the sequences  $\{\delta_t\}_{t \geq 1}$  and  $\{\beta_t\}_{t \geq 1}$  satisfy*

$$\begin{aligned}\delta_t &= \frac{3(1+M)G^2 A}{\alpha_t} \\ \beta_t &= \frac{1}{\delta_t(t+1)}\end{aligned}\tag{59}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{C1: } &\frac{1}{\beta_t} - \frac{1}{\beta_{t-1}} - \delta_t \leq 0, \quad \forall t \geq 2 \\ \text{C2: } &\beta_t \delta_t^2 + \frac{(1+M)G^2 A}{2\alpha_t} - \frac{\delta_t}{2} \leq 0, \quad \forall t \geq 2\end{aligned}\tag{60}$$

**PROOF OF LEMMA 4.** We prove C1 as follows:

$$\frac{1}{\beta_t} - \frac{1}{\beta_{t-1}} = \delta_t(t+1) - \delta_{t-1}t = (\delta_t - \delta_{t-1})t + \delta_t \leq \delta_t,\tag{61}$$

where the last inequality follows from that the sequence  $\{\delta_t\}_{t > 1}$  is decreasing (i.e.,  $\delta_t < \delta_{t-1}$ ).

We prove C2 as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
\beta_t \delta_t^2 + \frac{(1+M)G^2 A}{2\alpha_t} - \frac{\delta_t}{2} &\stackrel{(a)}{=} \frac{\delta_t}{t+1} + \frac{(1+M)G^2 A}{2\alpha_t} - \frac{\delta_t}{2} \\
&= \delta_t \left( \frac{1}{t+1} - \frac{1}{2} \right) + \frac{(1+M)G^2 A}{2\alpha_t} \\
&\stackrel{(b)}{\leq} -\frac{\delta_t}{6} + \frac{(1+M)G^2 A}{2\alpha_t} \\
&\stackrel{(c)}{=} 0
\end{aligned} \tag{62}$$

where the equality (a) follows from  $\beta_t = \frac{1}{\delta_t(t+1)}$ , the inequality (b) follows  $t \geq 2$  in C2, the equality (c) follows from  $\delta_t = \frac{3(1+M)G^2 A}{\alpha_t}$ . This completes the proof.  $\square$