# A Framework for Statistically Sender Private OT with Optimal Rate

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#### Main Application: OT is complete for 2PC/MPC

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Lower bound: k OTs need at least 2k bits of communication



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#### **Applications:**

- Statistical zaps
- Circuit-private FHE
- Non-malleable commitments

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- **Communication Complexity:** 2k(1 + o(1)) for k independent OT executions  $\bullet$

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#### **SSP Co-PIR from DDH**











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