Tsz Ho Chan\* (tchan@memphis.edu), Department of Mathematical Sciences, University of Memphis, Memphis, TN 38152, and Igor E. Shparlinski. Concentration of Points on Modular Hyperbolas and Exponential Curves.

We are interested in the number of points (x, y) on the modular hyperbola  $xy \equiv a(\text{mod}p)$  that lie in a small square of side length H. Is it true that there are only o(H) points when H = o(p)? We will answer this question using sum-product type estimates from additive combinatorics. Similar argument applies to the modular exponential curve  $y \equiv ag^x(\text{mod}p)$ . This is joint work with Igor Shparlinski. (Received August 13, 2009)