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MANET Unicast Routing

- ◆ Proactive Protocols
 - ◆ OLSR
 - ◆ DSDV
- ◆ Hybrid Protocols

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Proactive Protocols

- Most of the schemes discussed so far are reactive
- Proactive schemes based on distance-vector and link-state mechanisms have also been proposed

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Link State Routing [Huitema95]

- Each node periodically floods status of its links
- Each node re-broadcasts link state information received from its neighbor
- Each node keeps track of link state information received from other nodes
- Each node uses above information to determine next hop to each destination
- Examples: IS-IS, OSPF

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Optimized Link State Routing (OLSR)

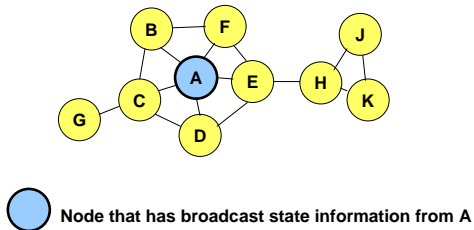
- RFC 3626
 - <http://hipercom.inria.fr/olsr/>
- The overhead of flooding link state information is reduced by requiring fewer nodes to forward the information
- A broadcast from node X is only forwarded by its *multipoint relays*
- Multipoint relays of node X are its neighbors such that each two-hop neighbor of X is a one-hop neighbor of at least one multipoint relay of X
 - Each node transmits its neighbor list in periodic beacons, so that all nodes can know their 2-hop neighbors, in order to choose the multipoint relays

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OLSR (1)

- Nodes C and E are multipoint relays of node A

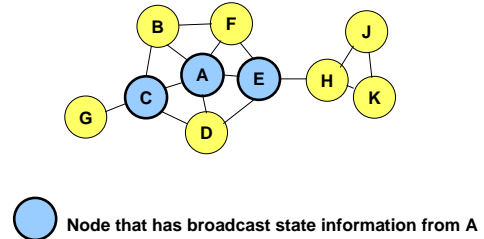


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OLSR (2)

- Nodes C and E forward information received from A

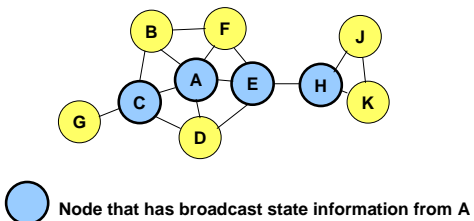


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OLSR (3)

- Nodes E and H are multipoint relays for each other
- Node H forwards information received to E
 - E has already forwarded the same information once, so discard



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OLSR (4)

- OLSR floods information through the multipoint relays
- The flooded itself is fir links connecting nodes to respective multipoint relays
- Routes used by OLSR only include multipoint relays as intermediate nodes

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Destination-Sequenced Distance-Vector (DSDV)

- [PB94] C. E. Perkins and P. Bhagwat, "Highly Dynamic Destination-Sequenced Distance-Vector Routing (DSDV) for Mobile Computers, *ACM SIGCOMM*, 1994.
- Each node maintains a routing table which stores
 - Next hop towards each destination
 - A cost metric for the path to each destination
 - A destination sequence number that is created by the destination itself
 - Sequence numbers used to avoid formation of loops
- Each node periodically forwards the routing table to its neighbors
 - Each node increments and appends its sequence number when sending its local routing table
 - This sequence number will be attached to route entries created for this node

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DSDV (1)

- Assume that node X receives routing information from Y about a route to node Z



- Let $S(X)$ and $S(Y)$ denote the destination sequence number for node Z as stored at node X, and as sent by node Y with its routing table to node X, respectively

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DSDV (2)

- Node X takes the following steps:



- If $S(X) > S(Y)$, then X ignores the routing information received from Y
- If $S(X) = S(Y)$, and cost of going through Y is smaller than the route known to X, then X sets Y as the next hop to Z
- If $S(X) < S(Y)$, then X sets Y as the next hop to Z, and $S(X)$ is updated to equal $S(Y)$

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Zone Routing Protocol (ZRP)

Zone routing protocol combines

- Proactive protocol: which pro-actively updates network state and maintains route regardless of whether any data traffic exists or not
- Reactive protocol: which only determines route to a destination if there is some data to be sent to the destination

[HP98] Z. J. Haas and M. R. Pearlman, "The Performance of Query Control Schemes for the Zone Routing Protocol," *ACM SIGCOMM*, 1998.

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ZRP: Routing Zone vs. Peripheral

- All nodes within hop distance at most d from a node X are said to be in the **routing zone** of node X
- All nodes at hop distance exactly d are said to be **peripheral** nodes of node X's routing zone

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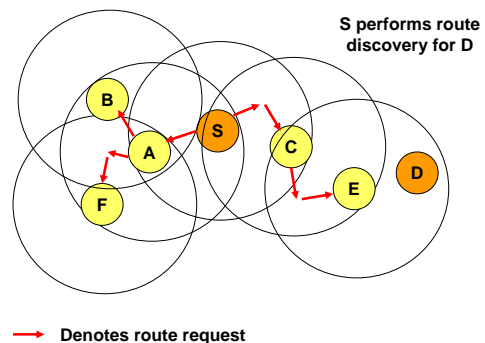
ZRP

- **Intra-zone routing**: Pro-actively maintain state information for links within a short distance from any given node
 - Routes to nodes within short distance are thus maintained proactively (using, say, link state or distance vector protocol)
- **Inter-zone routing**: Use a route discovery protocol for determining routes to far away nodes. Route discovery is similar to DSR with the exception that route requests are propagated via peripheral nodes.

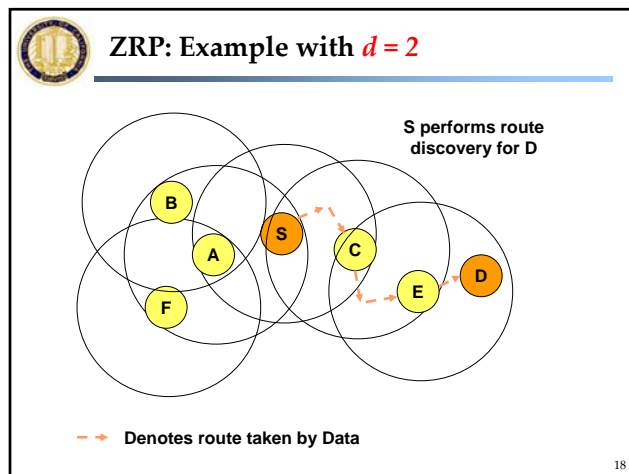
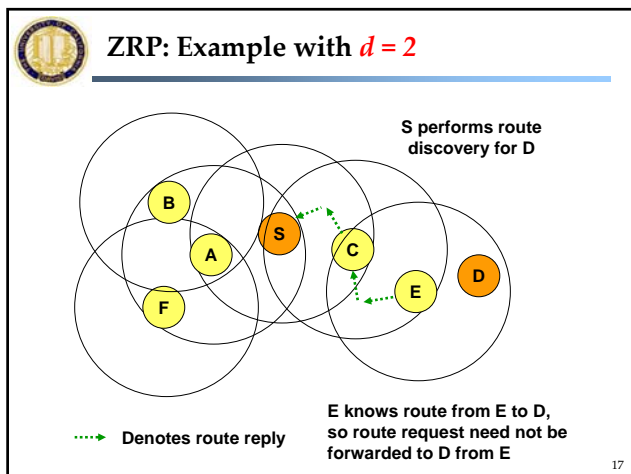
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ZRP: Example with Zone Radius = $d = 2$



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Landmark Routing (LANMAR) for MANET with Group Mobility

- [PGH00] G. G. Pei, M. Gerla, and X. Hong, "ANMAR: Landmark Routing for Large Scale Wireless Ad Hoc Networks with Group Mobility," *ACM Mobihoc*, 2000.
- A **landmark** node is elected for a group of nodes that are likely to move together
- A **scope** is defined such that each node would typically be within the scope of its **landmark** node
- Each node propagates **link state** information corresponding only to nodes within its **scope** and **distance-vector** information for all **landmark** nodes
 - Combination of link-state and distance-vector
 - Distance-vector used for landmark nodes outside the scope
 - No state information for non-landmark nodes outside scope maintained

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LANMAR Routing to Nodes Within Scope

- Assume that node C is within scope of node A

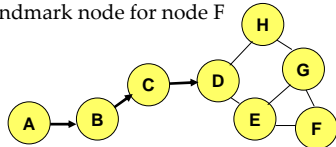
- Routing from A to C: Node A can determine next hop to node C using the available link state information

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LANMAR Routing to Nodes Outside Scope

- Routing from node A to F which is outside A's scope
- Let H be the landmark node for node F



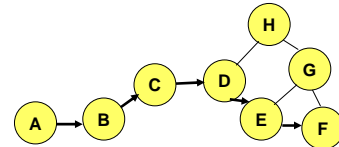
- Node A somehow knows that H is the landmark for C
- Node A can determine next hop to node H using the available distance vector information

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LANMAR Routing to Nodes Outside Scope

- Node D is within scope of node F



- Node D can determine next hop to node F using link state information
- The packet for F may never reach the landmark node H, even though initially node A sends it towards H

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Routing

- Protocols discussed so far find/maintain a route provided it exists
- Some protocols attempt to ensure that a route exists by
 - Power Control
 - Limiting movement of hosts or forcing them to take detours

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MANET Implementation Issues

Where to Implement Ad Hoc Routing

- Link layer
- Network layer
- Application layer

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Implementation Issues: **Security**

- How can I trust you to forward my packets without tampering?
 - Need to be able to detect tampering
- How do I know you are what you claim to be ?
 - Authentication issues
 - Hard to guarantee access to a certification authority

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Implementation Issues

- Can we make any guarantees on performance?
 - When using a non-licensed band, difficult to provide hard guarantees, since others may be using the same band
- Must use an licensed channel to attempt to make any guarantees
- Only some issues have been addresses in existing implementations
- Security issues often ignored
- Address assignment issue also has not received sufficient attention

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Integrating MANET with the Internet

- Mobile IP + MANET routing
- At least one node in a MANET should act as a gateway to the rest of the world
- Such nodes may be used as foreign agents for Mobile IP
- IP packets would be delivered to the foreign agent of a MANET node using Mobile IP. Then, MANET routing will route the packet from the foreign agent to the mobile host.

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Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF)

- IETF manet (**Mobile Ad-hoc Networks**) working group
 - <http://www.ietf.org/html.charters/manet-charter.html>
- IETF mobileip (**IP Routing for Wireless/Mobile Hosts**) working group
 - <http://www.ietf.org/html.charters/mobileip-charter.html>
- IETF pilc (**Performance Implications of Link Characteristics**) working group
 - <http://www.ietf.org/html.charters/pilc-charter.html>
 - <http://pilc.grc.nasa.gov>
 - Refer [RFC2757] for an overview of related work

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