

Opportunistic Medium Access Control and Routing on a Poisson Wireless Network

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Structure of the Talk

- Wireless channels and SINR
- Medium Access Control
 - * Spatial Aloha
 - * Opportunistic Aloha
- Routing
 - * Near neighbor routing
 - * Opportunistic routing

CAPACITY OF THE ADDITIVE WHITE GAUSSIAN NOISE CHANNEL

- On a shared wireless medium, the capacity of a channel between a transmitter and a receiver is given by **Shannon's theorem**

$$\theta = B \log(1 + \text{SINR}) \quad \text{where} \quad \text{SINR} = \frac{R}{W + I}$$

- R power with which the signal is received;
 - W power of thermal noise at the receiver;
 - I power of interference at the receiver.
- Hence $\theta \geq K$ iff $\text{SINR} = \frac{R}{W+I} \geq T = f(K)$.

INTERFERENCE IN A POISSON FIELD OF NODES

- $\Phi = \{X_i\}$ homogeneous Poisson point process on \mathbb{R}^2 representing location of transmitters;
 - $l : \mathbb{R}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$: attenuation function:
for instance $l(r) = r^\beta$ with $\beta > 2$ (power law model);
 - $F_{i,x} \in \mathbb{R}^+$: fading from X_i to $x \in \mathbb{R}^2$, i.i.d. and ind. of Φ .
- **Interference field:** Poisson shot noise field

$$I_\Phi(x) = \sum_i \frac{F_{i,x}}{l(|x - X_i|)}$$

a.s. finite provided $\mathbb{E}(F) < \infty$ and $\int l^{-1}(r)rdr < \infty$, with LT

$$\mathcal{L}_I(s) = \exp \left\{ -2\pi\lambda \int_0^\infty r \left(1 - \mathcal{L}_F(s/l(r)) \right) dr \right\}.$$

SPATIAL ALOHA PRINCIPLES

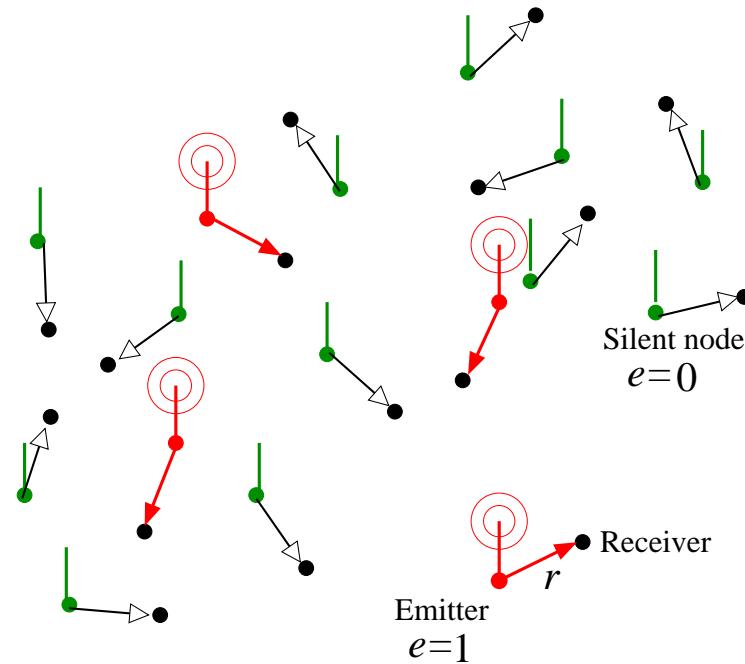
- **Data:** wireless network made of nodes (potential transmitters) which form some realization of a Poisson point process in the Euclidean plane.
- **Slotted version of Spatial Aloha:**
 - Each node tosses a coin with bias p (**MAP**) to be allowed to access the medium
 - This creates a random exclusion area around each location
 - Success of transmission is decided in function of the SINR at the receiver of each effective transmitter.

SINR MODEL FOR SPATIAL ALOHA

- $\Phi = \{X_i, (F_{i,.})\}$ independently marked PPP
- $e_i \in \{0, 1\}$: right for i to access medium in current slot
- $I_{\Phi^e}(y) = \sum_{i \neq 0} F_{i,y} e_i / l(|y - X_i|)$: 'filtered' interference at y ,
- Node at 0 active in slot can be received by that located at y iff

$$\frac{F_{0,y}/l(|y|)}{W + I_{\Phi^e}(y)} \geq T.$$

BIPOLAR ALOHA NETWORK



Each node has its receiver at some fixed distance r in some uniformly and independently sampled direction.

PROBABILITY OF TRANSMISSION SUCCESS FOR GIVEN RANGE: M/M CASE

■ Assumptions

- Φ Poisson with intensity λ
- e_i i.i.d. with $P(e_i = 1) = p \Rightarrow \Phi^e$ Poisson with intensity λp .
- Rayleigh fading: $F_{i,j}$ i.i.d. exponential with mean μ^{-1}

■ The probability of a successful transmission/coverage at distance r is

$$\begin{aligned}
 p_r(\lambda p) &= IP(F \geq Tl(r)(W + I_{\Phi^e})) = \mathcal{L}_W(\mu Tl(r)) \mathcal{L}_{I^e}(\mu Tl(r)) \\
 &= \mathcal{L}_W(\mu Tl(r)) \exp \left\{ -2\pi \lambda p \int_0^\infty \frac{u}{1 + l(u)/(Tl(r))} du \right\}.
 \end{aligned}$$

PROBABILITY OF TRANSMISSION SUCCESS FOR GIVEN RANGE: M/M CASE (*continued*)

- In the power law attenuation case with $W \equiv 0$,

$$p_r(\lambda p) = \exp(-\lambda p r^2 T^{2/\beta} K(\beta)),$$

where

$$K(\beta) = \frac{2\pi\Gamma(2/\beta)\Gamma(1 - 2/\beta)}{\beta} = \frac{2\pi^2}{\beta \sin(2\pi/\beta)}.$$

BEST MAP GIVEN RANGE

- Question: what value of p maximizes the **spatial density of successful transmissions** in the bipolar model with dist. r .
- Answer from maximization of $\lambda p_r(\lambda)$ **spatial density of successful access to channel w.r.t. λ** .

$$\lambda_{\max} = \frac{1}{2\pi \int_0^{\infty} \frac{u}{1+l(r)/(Tl(u))} du}$$

and

$$\lambda_{\max} p_r(\lambda_{\max}) = e^{-1} \lambda_{\max} \mathcal{L}_W \left(\frac{\mu T}{l(r)} \right)$$

BEST MAP GIVEN RANGE (*continued*)

- In the power law attenuation case,
 - Optimal spatial intensity of channel access

$$\lambda_{\max} = \frac{1}{r^2 T^{2/\beta} K(\beta)}$$

- Optimal spatial intensity of successful transmissions

$$\lambda_{\max} p_r(\lambda_{\max}) = \frac{1}{r^2 T^{2/\beta} e K(\beta)}$$

PROBABILITY OF TRANSMISSION SUCCESS FOR GIVEN RANGE: M/G CASE

■ Assumptions

- Φ Poisson with intensity λ ;
 - $F_{i,j}$ i.i.d. with general distribution with mean μ^{-1} ;
 - Power law attenuation model; $W \equiv 0$.
- $p_r(\lambda)$: probability of a successful transmission at distance r
- \bar{p}_r : value of $p_r(1)$ for the model with power law attenuation function, $T \equiv 1$ and normalized fading $\bar{F}_{i,j} = \mu F_{i,j}$.

LEMMA $p_r(\lambda) = \bar{p}_r T^{1/\beta} \lambda^{1/2}$.

PROBABILITY OF TRANSMISSION SUCCESS FOR GIVEN RANGE: M/G CASE (*continued*)

- **Optimization:** for the power law attenuation function and $W \equiv 0$

$$\lambda_{\max} = \frac{c_1}{r^2 T^{2/\beta}},$$

$$\lambda_{\max} p_r(\lambda_{\max}) = \frac{c_2}{r^2 T^{2/\beta}},$$

where the constants c_1, c_2 do not depend on r, T, μ , provided λ_{\max} is well defined.

- **Proof:** from

$$\lambda p_r(\lambda) = \lambda \bar{p}_{rT^{1/\beta} \lambda^{1/2}} = \frac{1}{r^2 T^{2/\beta}} \lambda r^2 T^{2/\beta} \bar{p}_{rT^{1/\beta} \lambda^{1/2}}$$

$$c_1 = \mathbf{maxarg}_{\lambda \geq 0} \{ \lambda \bar{p}_{\lambda^{1/2}} \}, \quad c_2 = \max_{\lambda \geq 0} \{ \lambda \bar{p}_{\lambda^{1/2}} \}.$$

PROBABILITY OF TRANSMISSION SUCCESS FOR GIVEN RANGE: M/G CASE (*continued*)

■ Fourier representation of the probability of coverage

LEMMA If

- F has a finite first moment and a square integrable density;
- Either I^e or W admit a density which is square integrable, then

the probability of a successful transmission at distance r is

$$p_r(\lambda p) = \int_{s=-\infty}^{\infty} \mathcal{L}_{I^e}(2i\pi l(r)Ts) \mathcal{L}_W(2i\pi l(r)Ts) \frac{\mathcal{L}_F(-2i\pi s) - 1}{2i\pi s} ds.$$

with

$$\mathcal{L}_{I^e}(s) = \exp \left\{ -2\pi \lambda p \int_0^{\infty} r \left(1 - \mathcal{L}_F(s/l(r)) \right) dr \right\},$$

OPPORTUNISTIC ALOHA

- **Spatial Aloha:** selects the nodes allowed to transmit at random
- **Opportunistic Aloha:** selects the nodes allowed to transmit in function of their channel condition: the medium access indicator e_i of node i is

$$e_i = \mathbf{1}(F_{i,i} > \theta),$$

where θ is some deterministic threshold.

OPPORTUNISTIC ALOHA (continued)

LEMMA Consider a bipolar Poisson network using Opportunistic Aloha with MAC threshold θ . Assume that

- The random variable \hat{F} (with law that of F conditional on $F > \theta$) has a finite first moment and a density which is square-integrable;
- Either W or I^e has a density which is square-integrable.

Then

$$\hat{p}_r(\lambda p) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} \mathcal{L}_{I^e}(2i\pi s T l(r)) \mathcal{L}_W(2i\pi s T l(r)) \frac{\mathbb{E} \left(e^{2i\pi s \hat{F}} \right) - 1}{2i\pi s} ds.$$

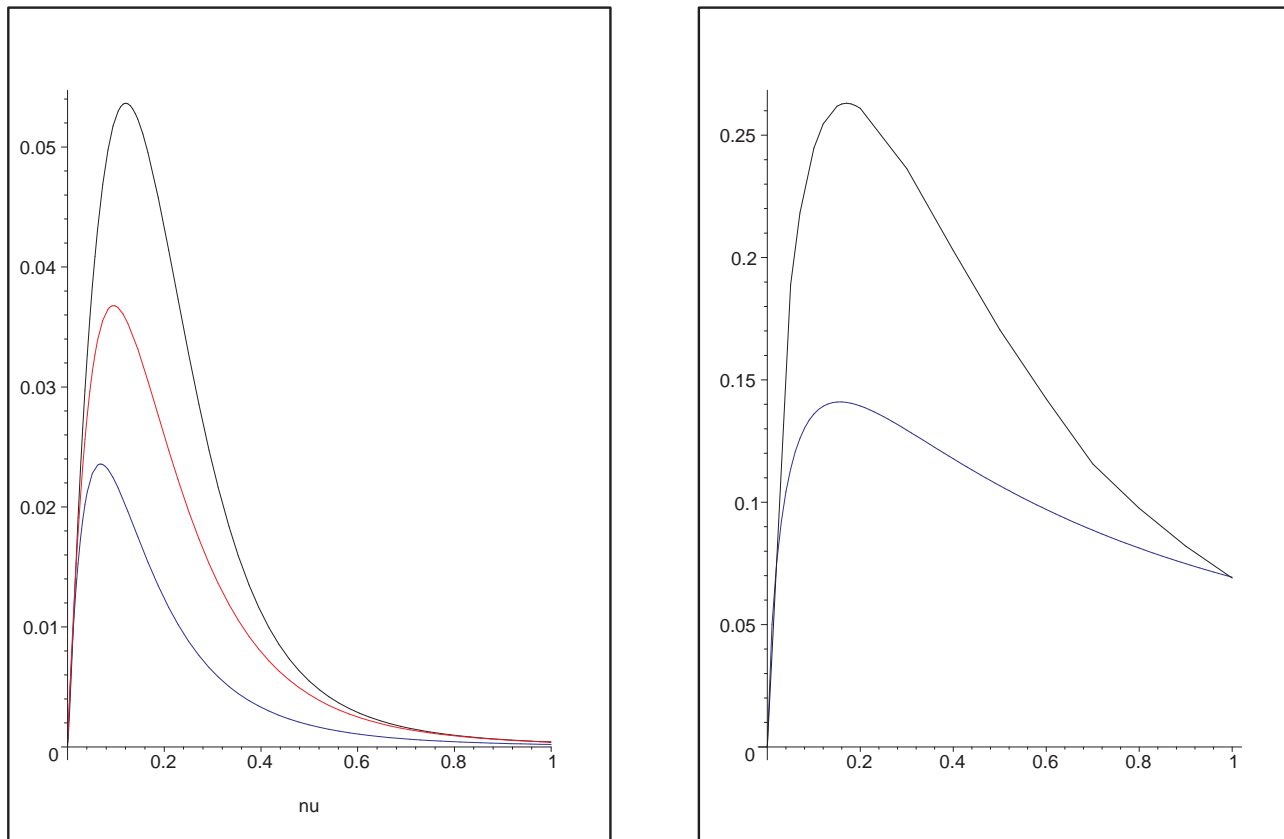


Figure 1: **Left:** Density of success in function of ν in the plain Aloha case with MAP $p = \nu/(\mu + \nu)$ (bottom curve), in Opportunistic Aloha with exponential threshold of parameter ν (middle curve) and in Opportunistic Aloha with deterministic threshold of parameter θ such that $\exp(-\mu\theta) = \nu/(\mu + \nu)$ (top curve). Fading is Rayleigh with parameter $\mu = 1$. **Right:** Transport density in function of p in the plain Aloha case with MAP p (bottom curve) and in Opportunistic Aloha with deterministic threshold of parameter θ such that $\exp(-\mu\theta) = p$ (top curve). Fading is Rayleigh with parameter $\mu = 1$. Here $\lambda = r = 1$ and we use power law propagation with $\beta = 4$.

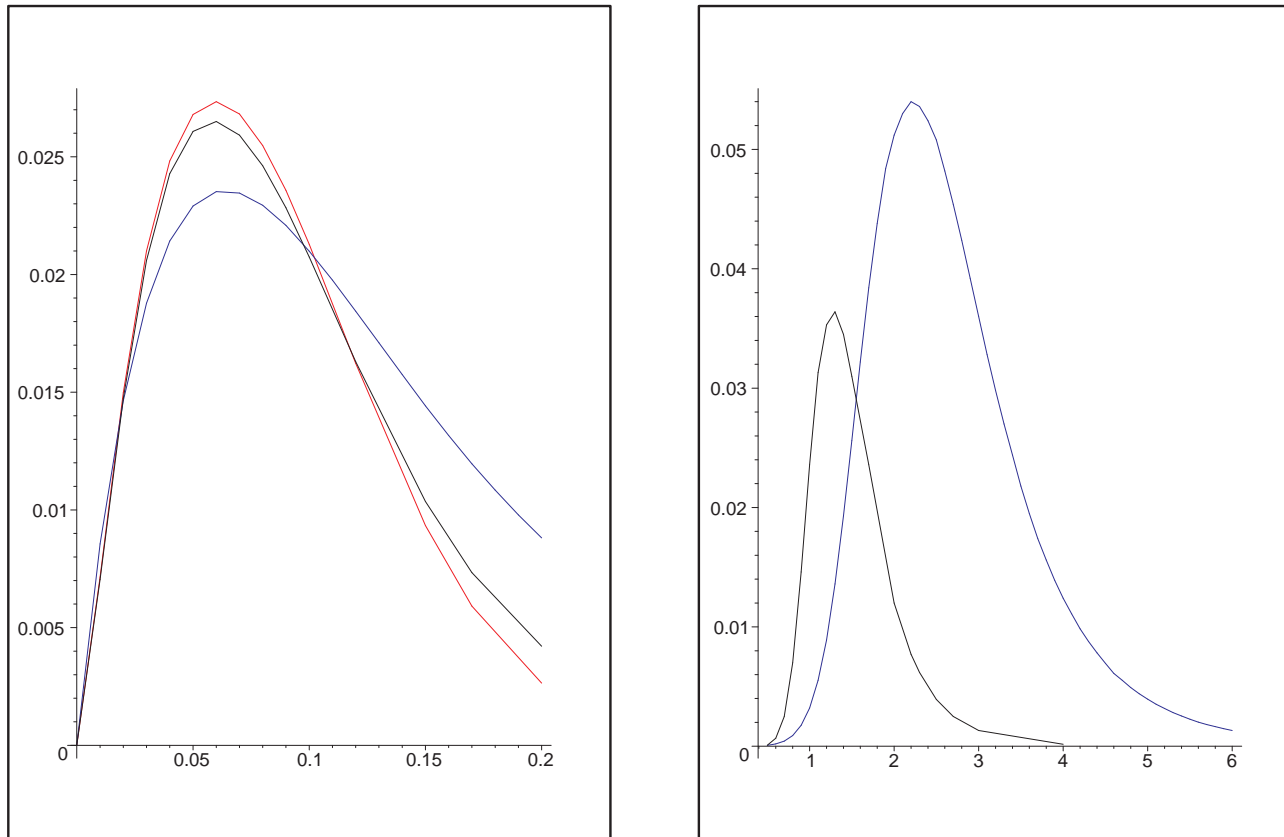


Figure 2: **Left:** Density of success for plain Aloha in function of p in the Rayleigh (in blue) and the Rician (with $q = 1/2$ in black and $q = .9$ in red) cases. **Right:** Density of success for Opportunistic Aloha in function of the threshold θ in the Rayleigh (in blue) and Rician (with $q = 1/2$ in black) cases. In both figures, $\lambda = r = 1$ and $T = 10\text{dB}$ and we use power law attenuation with $\beta = 4$.

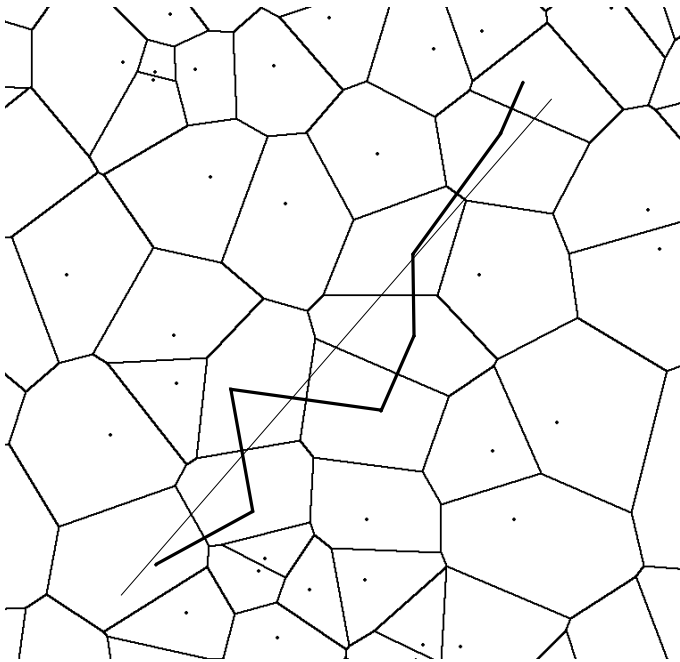
ROUTING

- Multihop routing on randomly located nodes
 - What **routing**?
 - * Usual protocols (link state or distance vector) versus geographic protocols
 - * Point to point versus multicast
 - On what **wireless links**?
 - * Separation of MAC and Routing: decide of route and ask MAC to implement it
 - * Interplay of MAC and Routing.

USUAL ROUTING PROTOCOLS

Distributed algorithms that assume the feasibility of a collection of links and compute an **optimal route** for any pair of source node and destination node (e.g. OSPF, OLSR).

Ex. links to Delaunay neighbors.



- A path on the **Delaunay graph** of a PPP.
- **Dynamic programming** allows one to compute the path with the **smallest number of hops** between any pair of points (Dijkstra's algorithm).
- Requires network state.

GEOGRAPHIC/GEOMETRIC ROUTING

– Node positions are used to determine the route from source to destination; in wireless, one should take into account:

- * distance to destination;
- * distance from transmitter to next relay

GPSR (Greedy Perimeter Stateless Routing)

IGF (Implicit Geographic Forwarding)

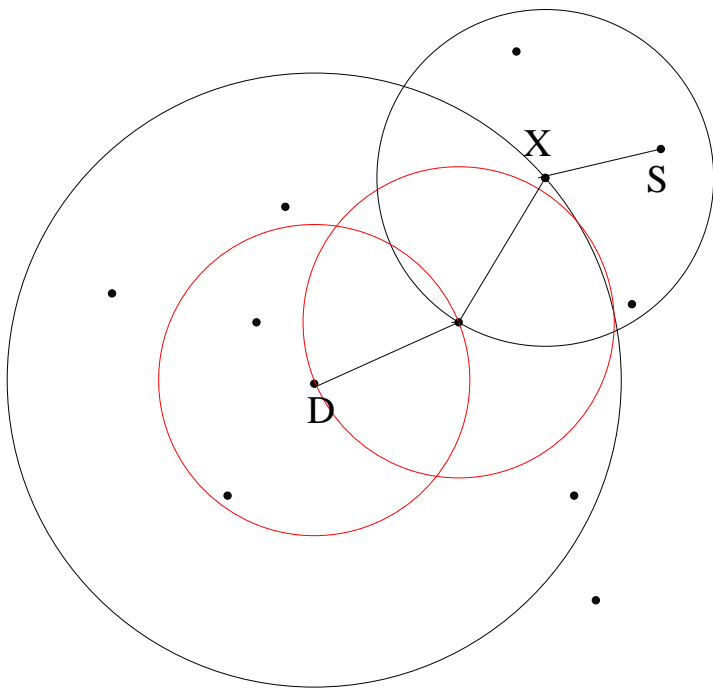
– Pros:

- * Reduction of the node routing state
- * Well adapted to highly dynamic settings and to MAC

– Cons:

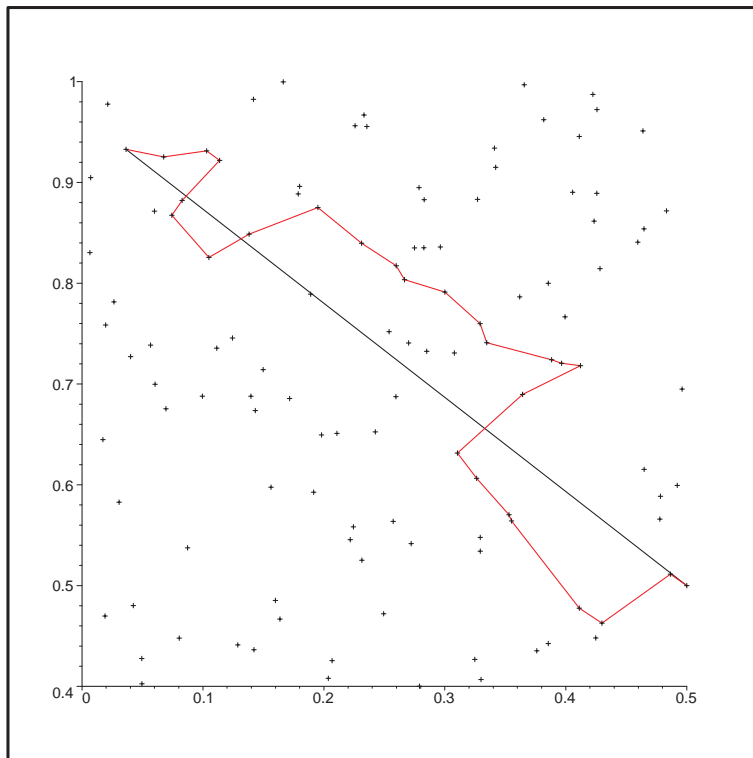
- * Requires positioning information
- * Less optimal compared to shortest path.

NEAREST NEIGHBOR POINT TO POINT GEOGRAPHIC ROUTING



The next hop on the route from any node X of the route from S to D is the nearest among the nodes which are closer from D than X .

NN GEOGRAPHIC ROUTING OVER A POISSON POINT PROCESS



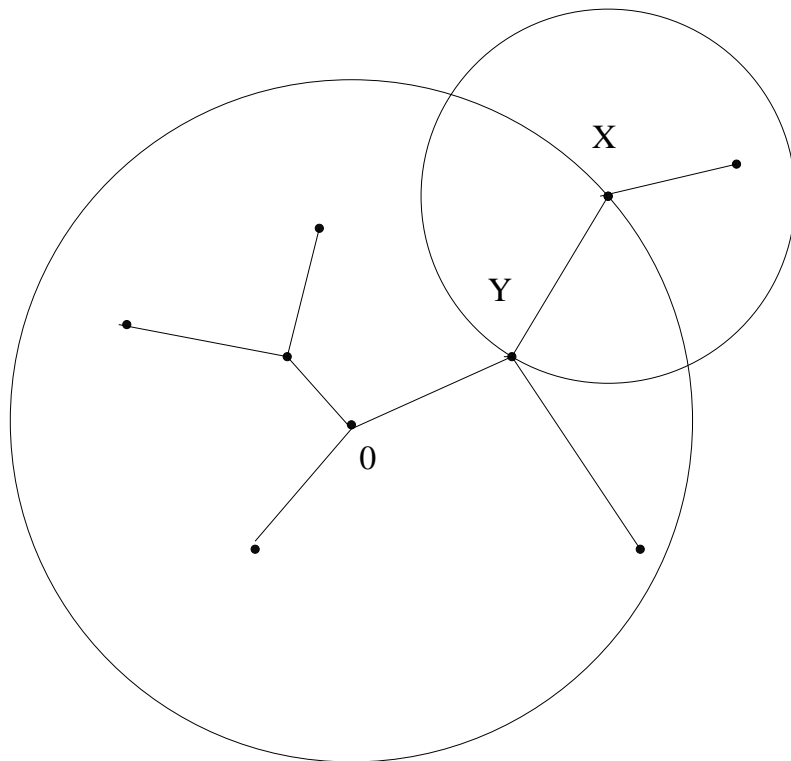
- Distance based geographic routing.
- The path can be built based on local information
- Edges are between neighbors, which is optimal in most wireless networks.

MULTICAST ROUTING

Same Dichotomy:

- **Minimal Spanning Tree:** analogue of the shortest path in the point to point case.
- **Radial Spanning Tree:** distance based spanning tree with local construction.

RADIAL SPANNING TREE

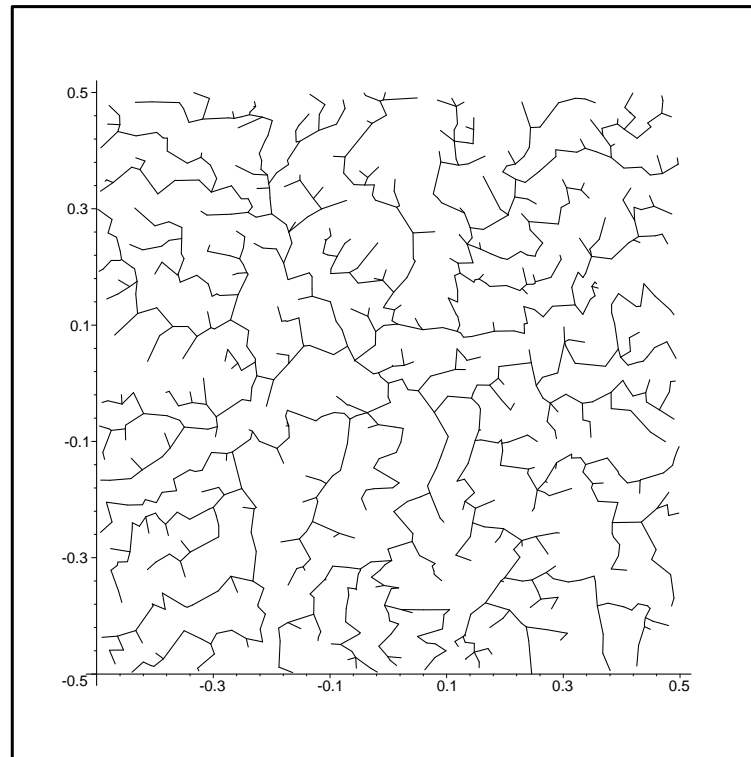


The **RST** with root 0 :
 $\mathcal{T} = (N, E)$ is a geometric tree
 on $N \cup \{0\}$.

If $|Y| < |X|$ and $X, Y \in N \cup \{0\}$
 then

$$(X, Y) \in E \iff N(B(0, |X|) \cap B(X, |X - Y|)) = \emptyset.$$

RST OVER 1000 RANDOM NODES IN THE UNIT SQUARE



THE GEOMETRY OF NEAREST NEIGHBOR ROUTES

- Spatial averages for length of edges, degree of nodes, progress: analytic expressions using Stochastic Geometry.
- Path averages for e.g. maximal deviation, shape using Harris Markov chain theory.

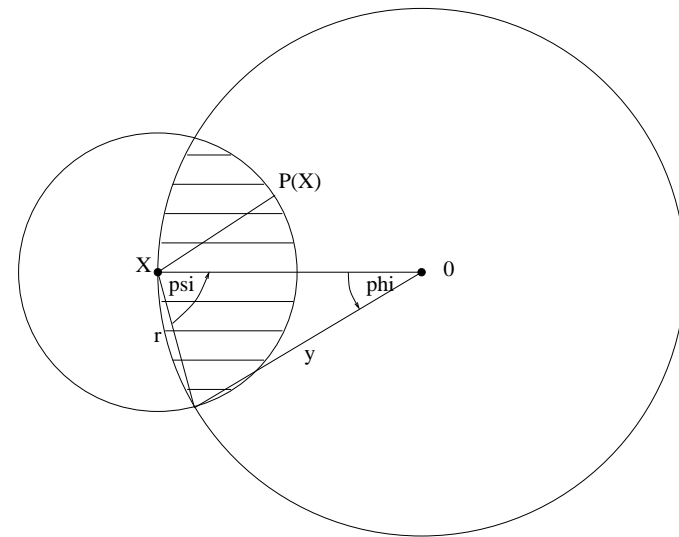
LOCAL FUNCTIONALS: example of the length of an edge

- Let $\mathcal{P}(X)$ be the ancestor of $X \in \mathbb{R}^2$ in the RST (built on $N \cup \{X\}$).
- Let $L(X) = |X - \mathcal{P}(X)|$: length of edge to ancestor.
- $P(L(X) \geq r) = \mathbf{I}(r \leq |X|)P(N(B(X, r) \cap B(0, |X|) = 0)$
 $= \mathbf{I}(r \leq |X|)e^{-M(|X|, r)},$

where

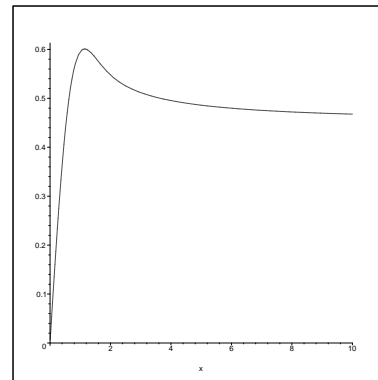
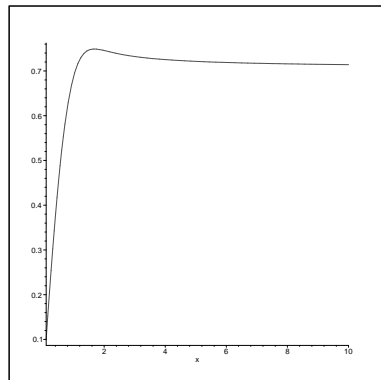
$$M(x, r) = x^2 \left(\phi - \frac{\sin(2\phi)}{2} \right) + r^2 \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\phi}{2} - \frac{\sin(\phi)}{2} \right)$$

with $\phi = 2 \arcsin \frac{r}{2x}$, is the volume of this lens:



PROGRESS

Same type of computation for the radial progress: $P(X) = |X| - |\mathcal{P}(X)|$.



Left: $EL(x)$ in function of x . Right: $EP(x)$ in function of x .

DEGREE OF THE ROOT

Degree of the root $D(0) \leq 5$

Mean degree of the root $ED(0)$

$$D(0) = \sum_{T \in N \setminus 0} \mathbf{1}(N(B(T, |T|) \cap B(0, |T|)) = 0).$$

From Campbell's formula:

$$ED(0) = 2\pi \int_0^{\infty} e^{-r^2(2\pi/3 - \sin(2\pi/3))} r dr = \frac{\pi}{2\pi/3 - \sqrt{3}/2} \sim 2.56.$$

DEGREE OF A NODE

Degree of node X added to N : $D(X)$

Mean degree of node X : $ED(X)$

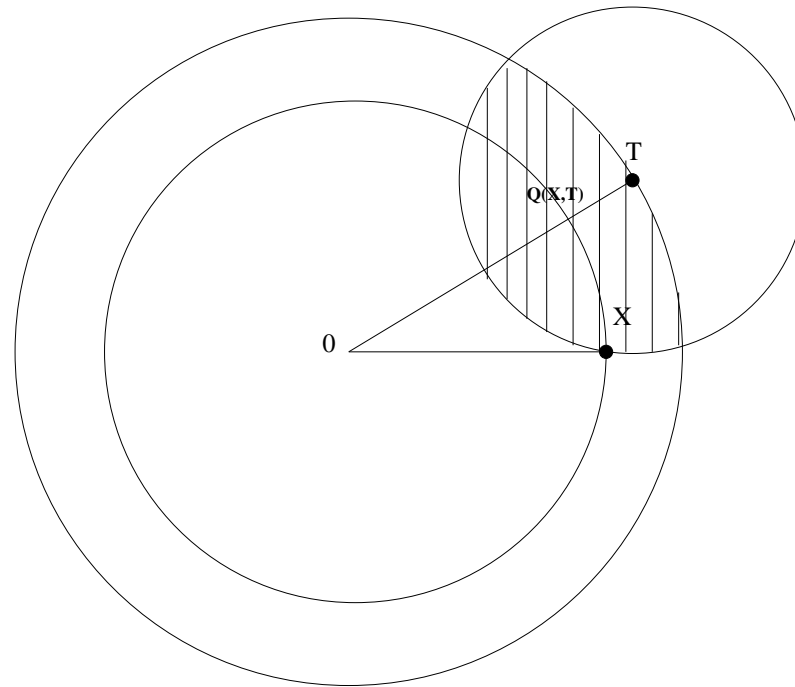
$$D(X) = 1 + \sum_{T \in N} \mathbf{I}(|T| \geq |X|) \mathbf{I}(N(B(T, |X - T|) \cap B(0, |T|) = 0) \\ \mathbf{I}(0 \notin B(T, |X - T|))).$$

From Campbell's formula (with $X = (x, 0)$):

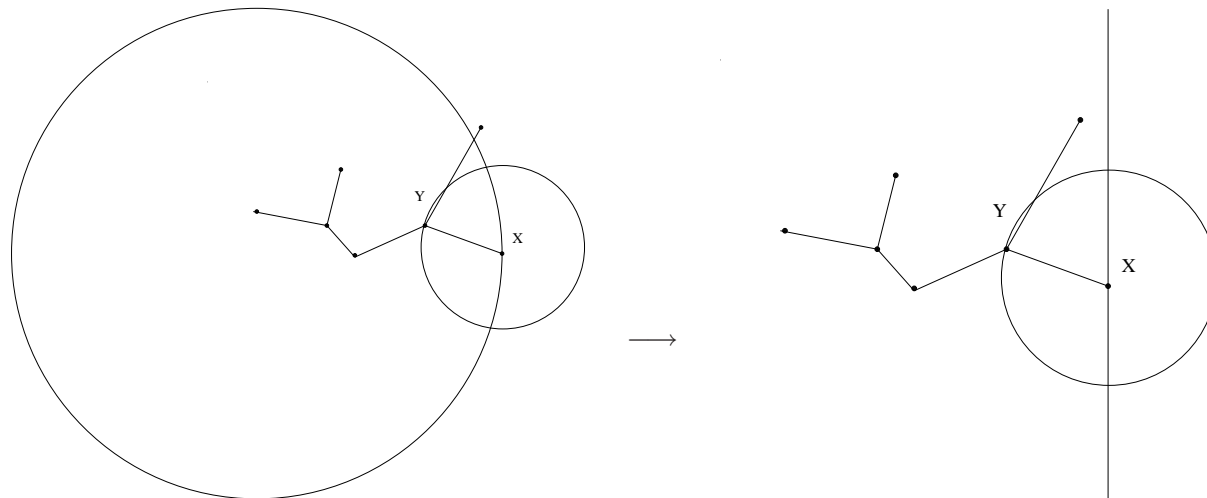
$$ED(x) = 1 + E \sum_{T \in N} \mathbf{I}(N(B(T, |X - T|) \cap B(0, |T|) = 0) \\ \mathbf{I}(x \leq |T|) \mathbf{I}(|T| > |X - T|) \\ = 1 + \int_{\rho > x - \arccos(\frac{x}{2\rho})} \int_{\arccos(\frac{x}{2\rho})} e^{-Q(x, \rho, \theta)} \rho d\rho d\theta,$$

DEGREE OF A NODE (Continued)

$Q(x, \rho, \theta)$ is the surface of the shaded region



LIMIT OF FUNCTIONALS WHEN $|X|$ TENDS TO ∞



—→ The ball $B(0, |X|)$ tends locally toward its tangent hyperplane

Directed Spanning Forest (DSF), \mathcal{T}_{DSF} : the ancestor of $x \in N$ is the nearest point of N which has a strictly smaller x -coordinate.

LIMIT OF FUNCTIONALS WHEN $|X|$ TENDS TO ∞

$$Ee^{-sL(x)} \xrightarrow{x \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-sr - \frac{\pi r^2}{2}} r dr \quad \text{and} \quad EL(x) \xrightarrow{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$Ee^{-sP(x)} \xrightarrow{x \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^{\infty} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} e^{-sr \cos \theta - \frac{\pi r^2}{2}} r dr d\theta \quad \text{and} \quad EP(x) \xrightarrow{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi}$$

$$ED(x) \xrightarrow{x \rightarrow \infty} 2$$

SPATIAL AVERAGE : example of edge length

$$L(X) = |X - \mathcal{P}(X)|$$

Total Edge Length : $T_r = \sum_{X \in N} \mathbf{I}(X \in B(0, r))L(X).$

Using $EL(x) \rightarrow_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$:

■ **Theorem:** a.s. and in L^1 ,

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{T_r}{r^2} = \pi/\sqrt{2}.$$

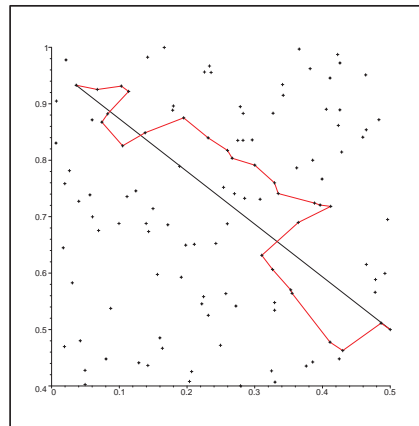
A similar result holds for $T_r^{(\alpha)} = \sum_{X \in N} \mathbf{I}(X \in B(0, r))L(X)^\alpha.$

PATH TO THE ROOT IN THE RST

$R_0(X)$: path from X to the root 0

$H(x)$ the generation of x in the RST and

$R_0(x) = \{x = T_0, T_1, \dots, T_{H(x)} = 0\}$ the successive ancest. of x .

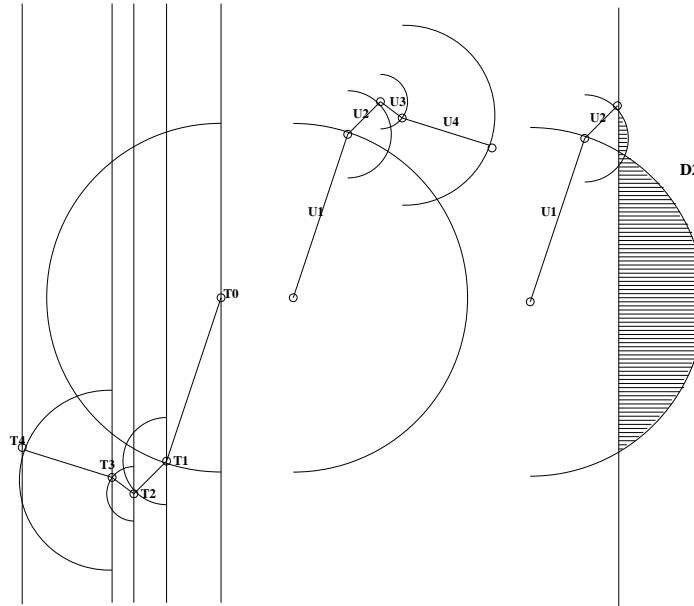


- **Order of Magnitude of the Deviation** : $D_{\max}(x) = d(R_0(x), \overline{0x}) \rightarrow ?$

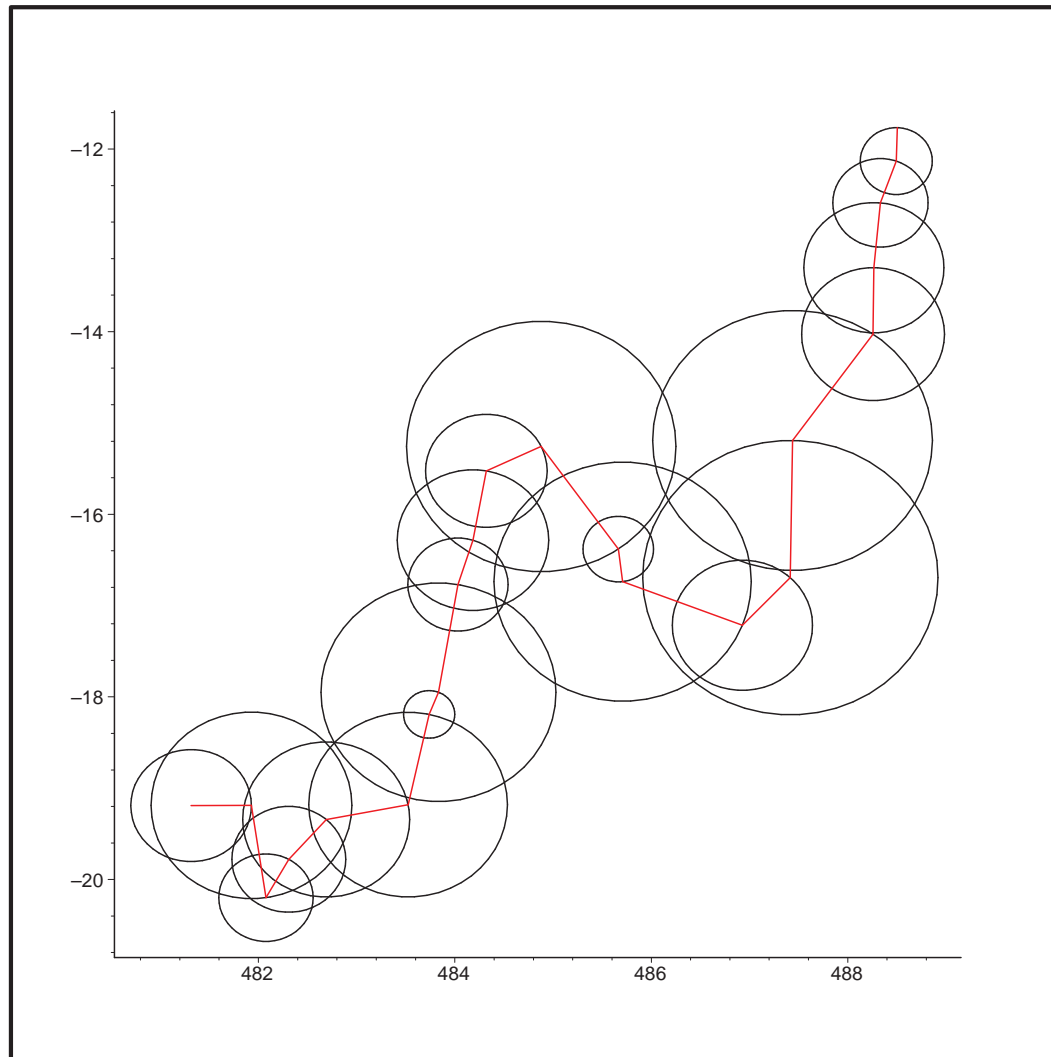
- **Average along the path** : $\frac{H(x)}{x} \rightarrow ?$, $\frac{1}{H(x)} \sum_{k=1}^{H(x)} g(T_{k-1} - T_k) \rightarrow ?$

PATH IN THE DSF

$R = \{0 = T_0, T_1, \dots, T_n, \dots\}$ the successive ancest. of 0 in the DSF.
 The edge process $(U_n = T_n - T_{n+1})$ is NOT a Markov Chain.
 There exists a sequence of *finite* stopping times (τ_k) such that



$\Phi_k = (U_{\tau_k}, \dots, U_{\tau_{k+1}-1})$ is a Ψ -irreducible, aperiodic Markov Chain which admits a small set and is hence geometrically ergodic.



PATH IN THE DSF

- **Theorem:** There exists a measure π such that if $g(x) \leq |x|^\alpha$ for $\alpha > 0$ then a.s. :

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} g(T_{k+1} - T_k) = \pi(g).$$

In particular there exists constants l_α and p such that:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \langle T_k - T_{k+1}, e_x \rangle = p \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} |T_{k+1} - T_k|^\alpha = l_\alpha.$$

PATH IN THE RST

■ **Theorem:** If $g(x) \leq |x|^\alpha$ for $\alpha > 0$ then a.s. :

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{H(x)} \sum_{k=0}^{H(x)-1} g(T_{k+1} - T_k) = \pi(g) \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{H(x)}{x} = \frac{1}{p}.$$

But

$$p \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} EP(x) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi} \quad \text{and} \quad l_1 \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} EL(x) = 1/\sqrt{2}$$

It follows:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{H(x)} \sum_{k=0}^{H(x)-1} |T_k - T_{k+1}| \neq \lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\pi r^2} \sum_{X \in N \cap B(0,r)} |X - \mathcal{P}(X)|$$

→ **The average along a long path is different from the spatial average : averaging along an infinite path creates a bias**

PATH IN THE RST : MAXIMAL FLUCTUATION

The trajectory $R = \{0 = T_0, T_1, \dots, T_n, \dots\}$ of the successive ancestors of 0 in the DSF converges properly scaled toward a Brownian Motion.

→ for the RST, it is not surprising that:

■ **Theorem:** Almost surely, for all $\epsilon > 0$, the number of points of N such that $D_{\max}(x) = d(R_0(x), \overline{0x}) \geq |x|^{\frac{1}{2}+\epsilon}$ is finite.

OPPORTUNISTIC ROUTING

- Routing algorithms
- Samples and simulation observations
- Joint routing and MAC optimization

SIR MODEL FOR SPATIAL ALOHA

- $\{X_i\}$ Poisson Point Process on \mathbb{R}^2 representing location of nodes
- $S_{i,j} \in \mathbb{R}^+$: fading from node i to node j
- $e_i \in \{0, 1\}$: right for i to access medium in current slot
- $W \in \mathbb{R}^+$: thermal noise
- $T \in \mathbb{R}^+$: SIR threshold
- $l(\cdot)$: attenuation function
- $I_{\Phi^e}(j) = \sum_{i \neq 0, j} S_{i,j} e_i l(\|X_j - X_i\|)$: interference at X_j ,
- Node at X_i active in slot can be received by that located at X_j iff

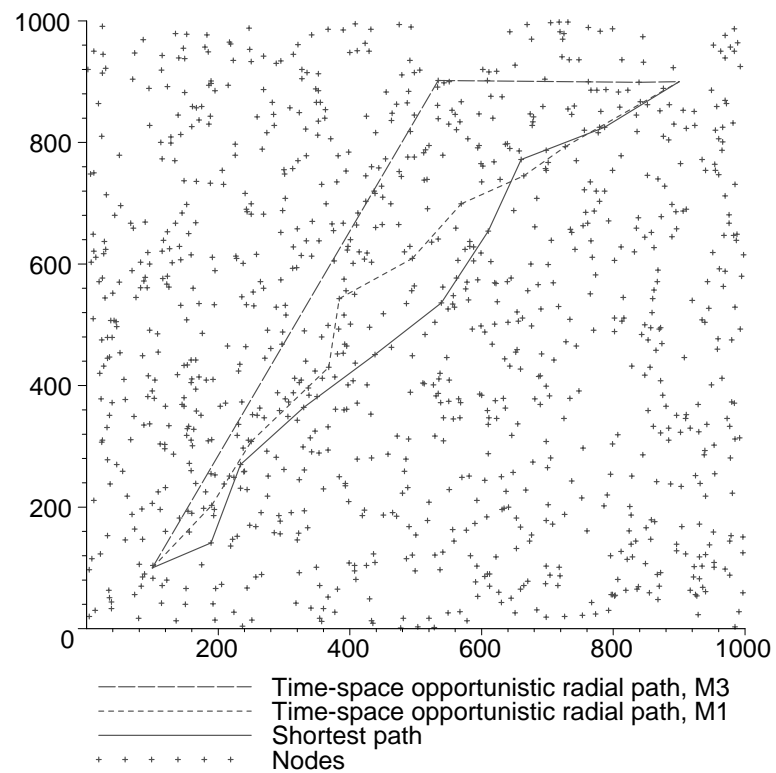
$$\frac{S_{i,j} l(\|X_i - X_j\|)}{W + I_{\Phi^e}(j)} \geq T.$$

FADING SCENARIOS

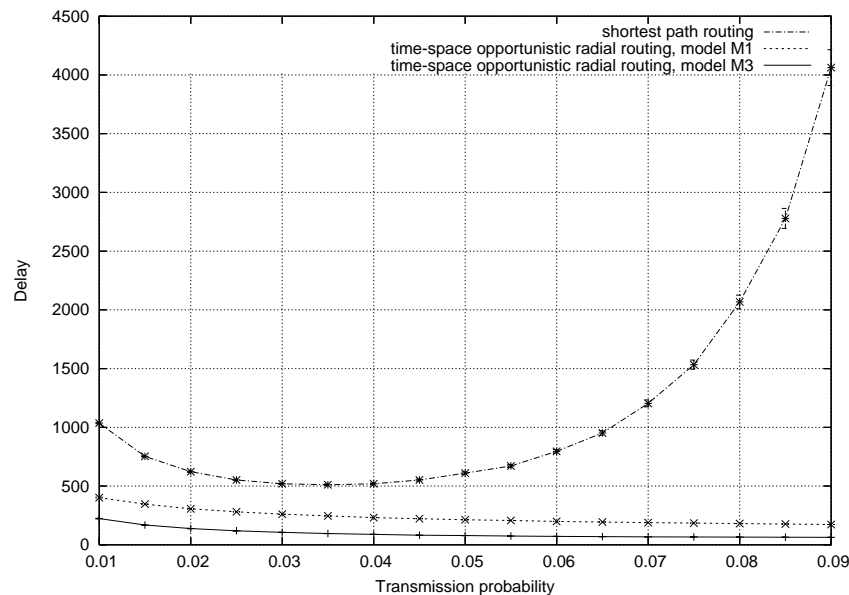
- (M1) **No fading:** all $S_{i,j}$ are equal to 1.
- (M2) **Position dependent fading:** all $S_{i,j}$ are sampled independently for each transmitter-receiver pair and stay constant for all time slots.
- (M3) **Position and time dependent fading:** all $S_{i,j}$ are sampled independently for each time slot and each transmitter-receiver pair.

For models M2 and M3, we assume a **Rayleigh fading**

SAMPLES OF OPPORTUNISTIC RADIAL PATHS



SIMULATION BASED OBSERVATIONS

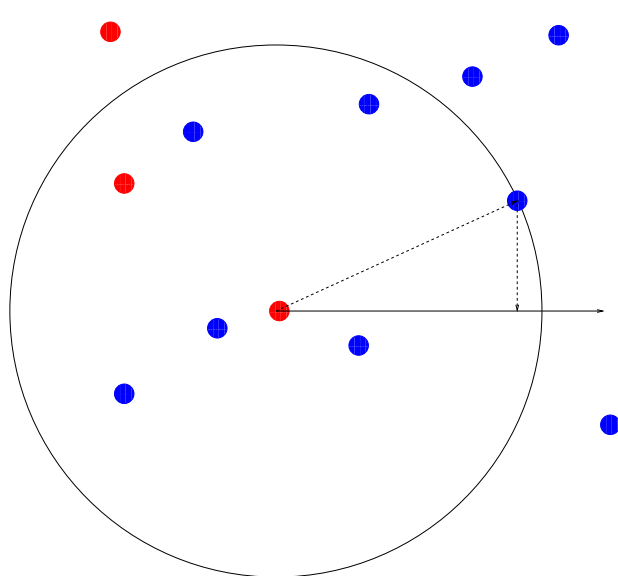


delay versus transmission probability p

The algorithm based on time-space diversity significantly outperforms the conventional shortest path routing strategy: the average delay of a packet is at least twice as small for this strategy than for Dijkstra's algorithm.

OPPORTUNISTIC DIRECTIONAL ROUTING: PROGRESS-1

Φ^1 : intensity λp transmitters, Φ^0 : intensity $\lambda(1-p)$ receivers
Progress-1 best progress to destination achieved in one hop:



$$D = \max_{X_j \in \Phi^0} \left(1_{\frac{s_{0,j} l(|X_j|)}{W + I_{\Phi^1}(X_j)} \geq T} |X_j| \left(\cos(\arg(X_j)) \right)^+ \right),$$

Maximization of the density of progress:

$$\lambda p d(\lambda, p)$$

with $E[D] = d(\lambda, p)$. Equivalent to minimization of end to end delay.

SPATIAL AVERAGES OF PROGRESS

Individual Progress-2 surrogate of progress-1 used in following calculations

$$\tilde{D} = \max_{X_j \in \Phi^0} \left(\left(p_{|X_j|}(\lambda p) |X_j| \left(\cos(\arg(X_j)) \right)^+ \right) \right),$$

$$E[\tilde{D}] = \tilde{d}(\lambda, p)$$

For all λ, p , $d(\lambda, p) \geq \tilde{d}(\lambda, p)$.

OPTIMAL MEDIUM ACCESS PROBABILITY

An **extremal shot-noise** $\max_{X_i \in \Phi^0} g(X_i)$, with Φ^0 Poisson has a distribution which can be obtained from the Laplace transform of the (additive) shot noise via:

$$P(\max_{X_i \in \Phi^0} g(X_i) \leq z) = \mathbb{E} \left[\exp \left[\sum_{X_i \in \Phi^0} \ln(\mathbf{I}(g(X_i) \leq z)) \right] \right]$$

Since \tilde{D} is an extremal shot-noise with response function

$$g(x) = p_{|x|} |x| (\cos(\arg(x)))^+$$

w.r.t. a Poisson PP of intensity $\lambda(1 - p)$,

$$P(\tilde{D} \leq z) = \exp \left[-\lambda(1 - p) \int_{\mathbb{R}^2} \mathbf{I}(g(x) > z) dx \right].$$

DISTRIBUTION OF PROGRESS IN THE M/M CASE

Theorem In the M/M case,

$$F_{\tilde{D}}(z) = P(\tilde{D} \leq z) = e^{-\lambda(1-p)(r_{\max}(\lambda p))^2 G(z/\rho(\lambda p))} .$$

with $p_r = e^{-\lambda p r^2 T^{2/\beta} C}$,

$$r_{\max}(\lambda) = \mathbf{maxarg}_r \{r p_r(\lambda)\} = \frac{1}{T^{1/\beta} \sqrt{2\lambda C}},$$

$$\rho(\lambda) = \max_r \{r p_r(\lambda)\} = \frac{r_{\max}(\lambda)}{\sqrt{e}}$$

MEAN INDIVIDUAL PROGRESS (2)

THEOREM The maximal spatial density of progress is attained for MAP p^* , which does not depend on λ , satisfying

$$\int_0^1 \left(1 + \frac{G(z)}{p^* T^{2/\beta} C}\right) \exp\left[\left(1 - \frac{1}{p^*}\right) \frac{G(z)}{2T^{2/\beta} C}\right] dz = 1.$$

with

$$G(z) = 2 \int_{\{t: e^t / \sqrt{2et} \leq 1/z\}} \arccos\left(\frac{ze^t}{\sqrt{2et}}\right) dt. \quad z \in [0, 1]$$

Same type of result for Progress 1 by scaling arguments.

MEAN INDIVIDUAL PROGRESS (2)

THEOREM Under the assumptions of Rayleigh fading, if $l(r) = (Ar)^{-\beta}$ and $W \equiv 0$, then

$$\tilde{d}(\lambda, p) = \mathbb{E}[\tilde{D}(\lambda, p)] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\lambda p T^{1/\beta}} \sqrt{2eC}} H(p)$$

with

$$H(p) = \int_0^1 1 - \exp\left[\left(1 - \frac{1}{p}\right) \frac{G(z)}{2T^{2/\beta}C}\right] dz$$

- For all values of p (an in particular for p^*), Opportunistic Aloha achieves the upper bound capacity of Gupta and Kumar.

CONCLUSIONS

- Interference can be represented by **shot noise fields**
- Fourier analysis allows one to analyze coverage and throughput offered by **MAC protocols**
- SG might in the long run play for wireless networks a role similar to that of Queuing Theory in wired networks: compute macroscopic space/time averages.

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