



Performance Criteria for Routing in Survivable Networks

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Routing in Survivable Networks

- Existing routing protocols
 - designed for a specific scenario
 - application specific optimization criteria
 - limited performance evaluation of proposals
 - low efficiency in heterogeneous networks
- Adaptability issues
 - not adaptive to network & resource changes
 - poor cross-network performance
 - reuse on new networks is difficult

Performance Metrics

- Network parameters: randomly time varying
 - network density: geographic and radio
 - channel: bandwidth, delay, error, connectivity
 - node resources: computing, memory & power
 - mobility model, network traffic model
- Protocol performance evaluation
 - survivability and resilience as a QoS metric
 - goodput, end-to-end delay
 - message delivery ratio, resources consumed
 - metrics based on interdependent parameters

Objectives

- Standard development platform
 - taxonomy to characterize network space
 - standard routing performance metrics
 - optimal region of operation for each protocol
- Simulation modules for:
 - episodic time varying channels
 - practical as well as ideal mobility models
- Adaptive routing in survivable networks
 - routing based on current state & resources

