Paper Title:

Hybrid Genetic Firefly Algorithm-Based Routing Protocol for Vehicular Ad Hoc Networks (VANETs)

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1. ABSTRACT:

This research paper presents a novel Hybrid Genetic Firefly Algorithm-Based Routing Protocol designed to address the dynamic challenges in Vehicular Ad Hoc Networks (VANETs). Leveraging the adaptive nature of genetic algorithms and the collaborative exploration of firefly algorithms, the proposed protocol aims to optimize routing decisions in real-time vehicular environments. Through comprehensive simulations, we evaluate the protocol's performance in terms of adaptability, convergence speed, and solution quality, showcasing its potential to enhance the efficiency and reliability of VANET routing.

2. INTRODUCTION:

VANETs play a crucial role in modern intelligent transportation systems, necessitating efficient and adaptive routing protocols. The paper introduces the hybrid approach, combining genetic and firefly algorithms, as a promising solution to overcome the unique challenges posed by the high mobility and dynamic network topology of VANETs.

3. RELATED WORK:

A review of existing VANET routing protocols is presented, highlighting their strengths and limitations. Emphasis is placed on the need for hybrid approaches to better adapt to the dynamic nature of vehicular environments.

4. HYBRID GENETIC FIREFLY ALGORITHM:

Detailed explanations of the genetic and firefly algorithms are provided, emphasizing their individual strengths and how their integration creates a synergistic effect. The hybrid approach's ability to balance exploration and exploitation is discussed, addressing the specific requirements of VANET routing.

5. PROTOCOL DESIGN AND IMPLEMENTATION:

The architecture and design of the proposed routing protocol are presented, outlining how the hybrid genetic firefly algorithm is implemented to optimize routing decisions in VANETs. Key parameters and mechanisms are discussed, emphasizing the adaptability and efficiency of the protocol.

6. SIMULATION METHODOLOGY:

A comprehensive simulation setup is described, including the selection of relevant metrics for evaluation. The paper details the scenarios and conditions used to assess the protocol's performance in various VANET environments.

7. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION:

Simulation results are presented and analyzed to showcase the protocol's performance. Metrics such as convergence speed, solution quality, and adaptability are thoroughly discussed, providing insights into the advantages of the hybrid approach over traditional routing protocols.

8. CONCLUSION:

The research paper concludes by summarizing the key findings and contributions of the hybrid genetic firefly algorithm-based routing protocol. The potential impact on VANETs is discussed, and avenues for future research are highlighted.