

M2M

- * Point-to-point connection b/w machines of using wired/wireless
 - * All about machines & the older protocols & communication techniques
 - * hardware-based
 - * less built-in intelligence
 - * Limited scalability
 - * Internet connection is not required.
- Business-to-Business (B2B)**

IoT

- * IP network connections
 - * All about things.
 - * Varying new protocols specifically developed for IoT protocols such as LoWPAN.
 - * hardware & software.
 - * More intelligent form of machine communications.
 - * High scalability.
 - * Is required.
- B2B, B2C.**

Chapter-3 Wireless Sensor Networks

- Wireless Sensor Networks**
- * Group of sensors that are deployed in a area with a purpose of collecting data regarding the surrounding environment.
 - * Small network consisting of few nodes forming a large scale network that can monitor vast areas without human interventions.
 - * A node in WSN is self contained unit consisting of the sensor, transceiver power supply & microcontroller.
 - * The data received by node is sent to the base station by routing through other sensors in multi-hop fashion.
 - * It also depends on topology of WSN.
 - * A bidirectional WSN used to control nodes & remotely interact & help for custom data acquisition.
 - * The cost & size of sensor nodes depends on the application it designed, using onboard memory storage, power supply, frequency of sending & receiving the data & various sensors (visual, radar, seismic, magnetic, Infrared, thermal, acoustic).
 - * Various sensors have various constraints like computational capabilities, energy consumption among others.
 - * Self organised is important characteristic of WSN which enables the nodes to configure the self based on the requirements of particular application where human intervention is not possible.
 - * Challenges of WSN are - power limitation, less memory, communication network constraints - No GUI/display.
 - * Categories of WSN services - Monitoring, Alerting, Information on Demand, Actuating.
 - ① Monitoring - WSN are deployed in order to monitor the surrounding environment.
 - WSN is deployed for precision agriculture, collects the data regarding the temperature, wind speed & humidity.
 - WSN is also deployed for water quality testing, measure various elements like dissolved Oxygen & sends information twice a day.

- ② Alerting
- * WSN nodes are deployed in a disaster prone areas. These WSN nodes are subscribed to send alerts when the measured parameter crossed a certain threshold value.
 - * alerts can be issued from Tsunami monitoring WSN deployed in ocean.
 - * WSN nodes deployed for preventing landslides. 10m threshold

③ Information on demands

- * WSN can provide the information regarding the required information on features.
- * soil moisture values can be queried at particular position.
- * Arithmetic, boolean, logical operations can be performed on collected data.

④ Actuating

- * WSN system can send the signal & change the behaviour of external system based on the environment it displayed.
- * sensing weather conditions by WSN will trigger & GPS location can be shared.
- * Activating a sensor in order to capture the required data.

Characteristics of WSN

- * the WSN nodes can be used for monitoring unstructured physical environment
- * Energy efficient
- * Low cost
- * Computational power
- * Communication capabilities
- * Cross-layer design
- * distributed sensing and processing
- * security & privacy
- * Dynamic network topology
- * multi-hop communication
- * self-organisation

① Energy efficient

- * If the power run out of sensor node then it can't monitor the surrounding.
- * so efficient algorithms & protocols are used to designing the WSN.
- * Imp things for designing the WSN are Battery oriented.
 - The power source of WSN are Battery oriented. Sometimes lifetime of sensor node depends upon battery lifetime.
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 - a nearby station can also be used to charge the battery.
 - Lifetime should be high.
 - main utility of power is for sensing, communication & computation.

② Low Cost

- * many sensors are used in order to monitor a place. The cost is low as much as possible.

③ Computational Capabilities

- * WSN have limited computational capabilities & decided by cost; size and energy.

④ Communication Capabilities

- * 'Radio signals' are used for communication, the communication is bidirectional.
- * channel may be either unidirectional (or) bidirectional.

⑤ Cross layer Design

- * This type of designs recently used in wireless communication, it provides the data rate, energy efficient, QoS.
- * In traditional layered approach - different layers leads to data can't be communicated among different layers leads to incomplete information. incomplete information can't be acquired by WSN.
- Dynamically changes environment can't be acquired by WSN.

⑥ Distributed sensing & processing

- * To enable robustness & resilience, the sensor nodes in a WSN are distributed randomly & uniformly.
- * A sensor node sends the data to node which is capable of collecting, processing, aggregating & sending the data.

⑦ Security & privacy

⑧ Dynamic network topology

- * The capability of self-replacement with new nodes (or) addition of new nodes.

⑨ Multi-hop communications

- * A node requires to communicate with other nodes, a base station, a multi-hop route is needed.

⑩ Self organisation

- * The sensor nodes should have the capability of self-organise to fit in a distributed topology to form a optical performance.
- * If node gets lost, then system should be itself replace with new one & it should adjust with the current topology & support communication.

⑪ Robust Operations

- * The nodes should have self testing, self configuring, self-repairing.

⑫ Application oriented

- * depends on specific application.

Types of WSN

- * There are classified based on Application environment.

① multimedia

③ Terrestrial.

⑤ Underground

② mobile

④ Underwater

① multimedia WSN

- * These WSNs are used when monitoring & tracking. Requires the multimedia.
- * sensor nodes attached with camera & microphone. The nodes are connected with each other, form a network for data preprocessing like data retrieval, correction & compression.
- * requires high bandwidth & energy.

② Mobile WSN

- * The collection of sensor nodes that can move on their own and interact with surrounding environment are called "mobile WSN".
- * communication & computation capabilities. As sensors move, cover more surroundings, better energy, efficiency and channel capacity.

(i) Terrestrial WSN

- * These sensor nodes are capable of communication with base stations.
- * Many large no. of nodes are used to cover the terrain for effective mapping.
- * The deployment structure requires 2D, 3D or grid for performance & efficiency.
- * The nodes have the limited power & solar panels are used as additional source. The energy is managed by optimal routing, monitoring delays, low density cycles, etc.

(ii) Underwater WSN

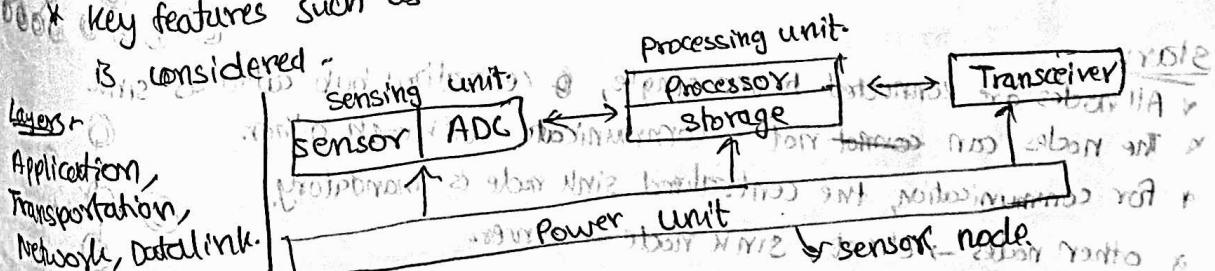
- * WSN which is deployed under the water is known as "Underwater WSN".
- * Limitations are propagation delay, bandwidth & sensor node failure.
- * Main issue of designing is energy conservation.
- * The data is collected from these nodes by using autonomous underwater vehicle.
- * In marine systems, drifting and moored buoys are used to measure various marine biological parameters.

(iii) Underground WSN

- * mainly designed for subsurface region.
- * main applications are precision agriculture, landslides.
- * cost is high due to high maintenance, careful planning, care also needed for data transferring from underground additional nodes on surface in order to communicate with base station.
- * Difficult to recharge them & signal from node gets attenuated.

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- * WSN architecture is different than conventional communication architecture bcoz of resource limitations.
- * Doesn't follow OSI model exactly. It has sensing unit, processing unit and power unit along with transceiver.
- * sensor node consists of the sensing unit, processing unit and power unit along with transceiver.
- * key features such as low cost, fault tolerance & low energy consumption.



Sensing Unit

- * It consists of sensor which is selected based on the application and the ADC.
- * Communication unit - transmitter + receiver. A suitable communication method is selected.
- * Communication done by network protocols.

Processing Unit

- * It has operating system & timer. The microcontroller process the data & stores the data.
- * It provides the energy to the sensor unit. The sensor node life is dependent on life of battery.
- * Key goals to be considered while designing the WSN are requirement analysis of application for which WSN is designed.

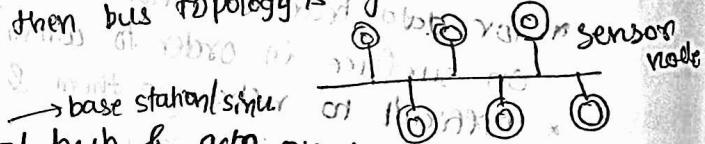
- * Quantitative analysis
- * Understanding & selecting the required technologies that are shifted & required
- * Best fit solution development
- * Employing power optimal technologies.

Topologies in WSN - Star, Mesh, one way, Bidirectional

- * these are classified into 4 types - Star, Mesh, tree, Ring, Circular, Grid.
- * Different types of WSN are - Bus, mesh, tree, Ring, star, circular, grid.

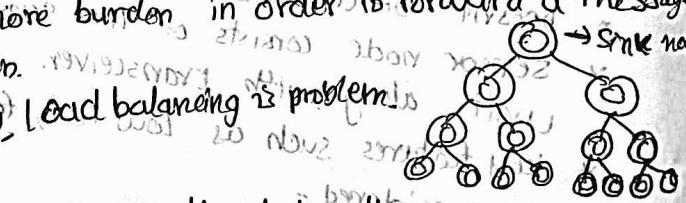
BUS

- * A sensor node sends a broadcast message to all nodes in a network and intended recipient a message.
- * It is easy to install but more traffic & congestion.
- * If nodes number is small, then bus topology is good.



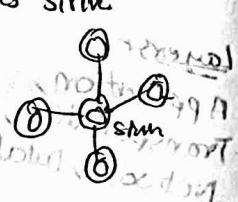
Tree

- * In this, the root node is central hub & acts as main router. The nodes are interconnected to each other.
- * It is a combination of star & peer-peer topology.
- * For distribution implementation, the tree topology is suitable.
- * The intermediate nodes have more burden in order to forward a message & more power loss will happen.
- * Leaf nodes → not in routing, load balancing is problem.



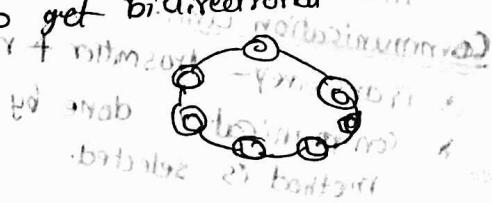
Star

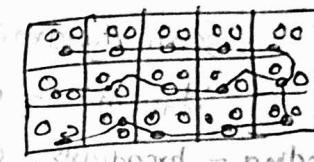
- * All nodes are connected to one single, centralized hub called as sink.
- * The nodes can communicate with each other.
- * For communication, the centralized sink node is mandatory.
- * Other nodes → client, sink node → server



Ring

- * Each node have exactly 2 neighbours.
- * Only one direction communication is possible (clock/anticlockwise).
- * If one node gets damaged, then connection would loss.
- * The more congestion if we want to get bidirectional communication.





- Mesh**
 - * every node is connected to every other node.
 - * many paths are possible b/w source & destination.
 - * It is used for load balancing, reliable delivery etc.

- circular**
 - * In a circular network, there is one circular sensing area & every such sensing area has a sink node. The event information is captured by sensor node and sink node.
 - * More efficient, simple to implement.

- grid**
 - * In the grid network, sensor network field is divided into non-overlapping square grids of same size.
 - * In each grid, at least one node should be in active state.
 - * By turns, the node become active so life span increases, energy efficient.
 - * Grid node is responsible for routing the information & transmitting the data packets.
 - * Avoids congestion, fast packet transfer.

WSN communication protocols

* primary goal is to optimize the network to work in an energy efficient way so that WSN lifetime is increased.

physical layer - communication hardware, signal detection, data encryption, freq. generation, modulation.

datalink layer - MAC protocols are applied.

Transport layer - data flow to WSN applications

Network layer - manages routing of data coming from transport layer.

① single channel MAC protocol

* Synchronization nodes.

S-MAC, T-MAC, RMAC, DW-MAC

* exchange of data happens only in the active time of the node, thus it saves energy.

* asynchronous approach to, sender sends a preamble for a period of sleeping of receiver before transmitting the data.

② Asynchronous single channel MAC protocol

* Each sensor node periodically checks the availability. If medium is busy, it waits further until become idle.

* Sender assumes receiver is not ready. All other consumes energy.

* Wiseman protocol utilizes the preamble sampling to overcome this problem but buffering time of packet increases, broadcasts the packet.

* dynamic length preambles are used to reduce idle listening time.

- Pseudo Random Asynchronous Protocol
- Uses hash function to decide next wakeup time, so saves energy
 - also collisions reduced.

Medium Reservation MAC (MR-MAC)

- additional info like NPAT, MRI is present in beacon msg? To reduce end-end latency in msg delivery, collisions reduced

Multi-channel MAC protocols

single channel - one channel, capacity, throughput of network is less

multi channel - several channels, divides bandwidth.

- adjacent nodes use diff. channels, hence collisions reduced.

three methods for channel assignment:

fixed assignment - cluster approach.

semi-dynamic - each node is assigned to certain channel for transmission & reception

dynamic - each node is assigned diff. channel after every wakeup schedule.

→ Flooding - broadcasts, useless retransmissions, increased collision. Not for dense WSN.

→ Gossiping, non-deterministic probabilistic

- easy to implement, reduces energy loss.
- latency, prop. delay.

Routing protocols in WSN - broadcast or drop transmission
consequent node failure is possible

- wireless links are unreliable, also

categories

location-based protocol - MECN, SMECN, GEAR, SPIN.

data-centric " SPIN, COUGAR, EAD, ACQUIRE

- Hierarchical LEECH, HEED, TEEN.

mobility-based " SEAD, TIDD, joint mobility routing

multipath-based " multipath discovery, braided multipath

Heterogeneity based " CTR, CTR, IDS.

QoS-based " DAM-WSAS, SPEED, DAM-T, DAM-E

OS for WSN less complex. has event handlers and tasks with run-to-completion semantics, based on TinyOS - has event-driven programming model.

User C-programming language

Life OS - UNIX like environment, User C-programming language

Contiki - supports advanced tech such as 6LoWPAN & Prothreads.

RIO - real-time OS & some as contiki

PreonVM - supports java programming, provides 6LoWPAN based on contiki.

Simulation of WSN by simulators like NS, Opnet, etc.

Security in WSN - msg corruption, node malfunction, denial of service, false node threats encountered.

Prone to threats due to infrastructure less architecture and unattended working environment.

Evolution of WSN towards IoT!

- * has high heterogeneity bcz there are many proprietary and non-proprietary solutions for diff. applications
- * Creating network of things web technologies like AJAX, JavaScript, PHP, Ruby.
- * to build applications & share using web mechanisms (HTML, CSS, JavaScript, etc.)
- * Real world WSN applications

① Health care monitoring

- * Sensors like wearable, implanted & environment-embedded devices.
- * for body position measurement, finding location, monitoring patients in hospital
- * environment embedded can be used for tracking a person for continuous health-diagnosis.
- * authenticity & privacy are important.

Area monitoring

- * an appln of WSN where WSN is deployed over a region as per the application.

Earth / Environmental sensing

- * monitoring physical environment around.
- * forest fire detection.
- * sensors installed in forest, senses the outbreak of forest.
- * sense temp, humidity, dryness, solar index, based on climatic conditions

Air pollution monitoring

- * concentration of dangerous gases is to be monitored with certain frequency to decide air pollution level.
- * done by ad hoc wireless links (ad hoc wireless network can be made mobile)

Water quality monitoring

- * distributed wireless sensor node, network senses diff parameters and decide water quality.

Natural disaster management

- * WSN installed in disaster-prone areas for taking precautionary measures
- * can save lives.

Landslide detection

- * WSN sensor nodes can detect slight movement of soil and changes in environmental parameters to detect the possibility.

② Industrial Monitoring

Datacenter monitoring

- * wireless temp. sensors are fitted on racks as many possible to monitor intake & outtake temp. of racks.

- * mesh network is useful.

Data logging

- * live data feed & its logging for useful when design changes are needed).

Machine health monitoring

- * Some parameters made checked by the sensor network, will help in planning & maintenance for best performance & long life of machinery.

Wastewater monitoring

- * produced by industrial waste. Such water's quality to be monitored before recycling this water for any use.

Structural health monitoring

- * condition of any civil infrastructure can be monitored by WSN. By monitoring diff. geophysical processes in real time using sensor.

Wine production

- * Using WSN for maintaining the desired quality of wine.

Chapter-1

- Multidisciplinary nature of IoT
- * IoT is not related to particular domain. In order to make a single device, all branches are integrated with each other. Developed by multidomain researchers and development teams.

Challenges

(i) Technological challenges

- (i) IoT system design considerations
 - * variety of protocols are being used by various organisations/entities to design, develop & implement IoT systems.
 - * Leading to non-interoperable systems whose integration & access is become very challenge.

(ii) Maturity & integration with existing technology

- * Most of IoT technologies have not reached 'matured' phase, but guaranteed growth in particular direction.
- * Integration with existing technologies & overhead due to constant requirement for upgradation of existing hardware.

(iii) Standard operating procedures (SOPs)

- (i) Standard operating procedures for IoT devices
 - * Lack of well understood standard operating procedures for IoT devices maintenance, response & incident management. These need to be strengthened to streamline the processes involved in IoT systems.

(iv) Security

- * crucial barrier for widespread acceptance of IoT
- * Malicious attacks & hacking of IoT devices can have security nightmare.
- * authentication & authorization for secure communication.

(v) Authentication & Authorization

- * authentication enables to establish the identity of various IoT devices deployed in a shared environment, so maintain integrity of IoT device & data.
- * authorization determines whether an entity has access rights to resources & to what extent.

* Security protocols such as digital certificates & cryptography approaches requires amount of space. So ongoing effort.

(ii) Privacy

- * In case of IoT nodes that are collecting private information, there is a threat to privacy at endpoints where each IoT node emits the data.
- ↳ data obtained from networked IoT nodes which are collected, combined & analyzed.

(3) Connectivity

- * For enabling connectivity in IoT, many technologies are available.
- * in unlicensed spectrum, (LPWAN), cellular & satellite-based technologies
- * connectivity solutions depend on the adaptability to vast array of IoT devices
- * connectivity varies in terms of capture rate, data transmission rate,
- * requirement varies in terms of latency, storage, etc.
- * connectivity needs are based on device & its particular characteristics

(4) Social drivers

* Issues of privacy & trust are going to be main drivers for wide acceptance of IoT.

* Data captured by device may send only the summary & does not transmit the original raw data.

Privacy by design starting from fundamental building blocks in IoT system development, privacy is given utmost importance & embedded in each process

(5) Uncertain Returns on investment

* Investment in IoT is very high.

Vision of IoT

Things perceptive, Standards & Semantics, Perceptive Internet, perception, IoT

Social perception.