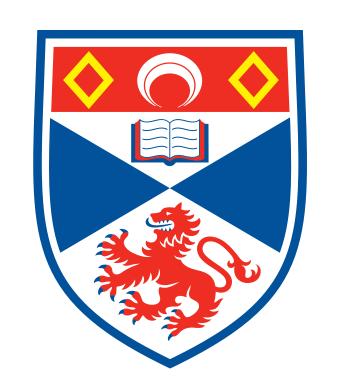
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CS4099 Demo

Ubiquitous Communication for the Internet of Things An Identifier-Locator addressing split overlay network

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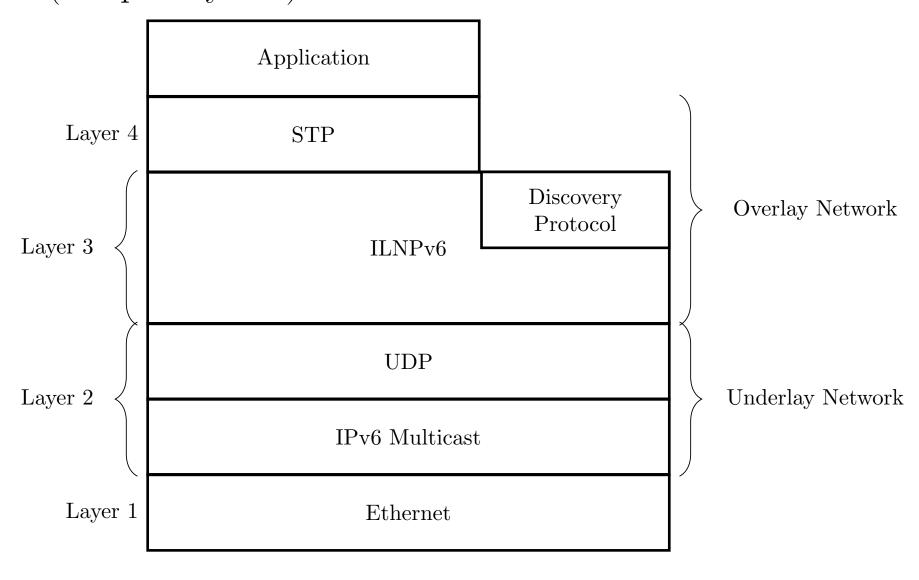
Background

- Ubiquitous Computing and the Internet of Things.
- Mobility in IP.
- -Overloading of IP address semantics.
- -Entanglement of layers.
- Identifier-Locator Network Protocol (ILNP).

Protocol layer	ILNP	IP
Application	FQDN	FQDN, IP address
Transport	Identifier, I	IP address
Network	Locator, L	IP address
(interface)	dynamic binding	
ILNP and IP use of names		

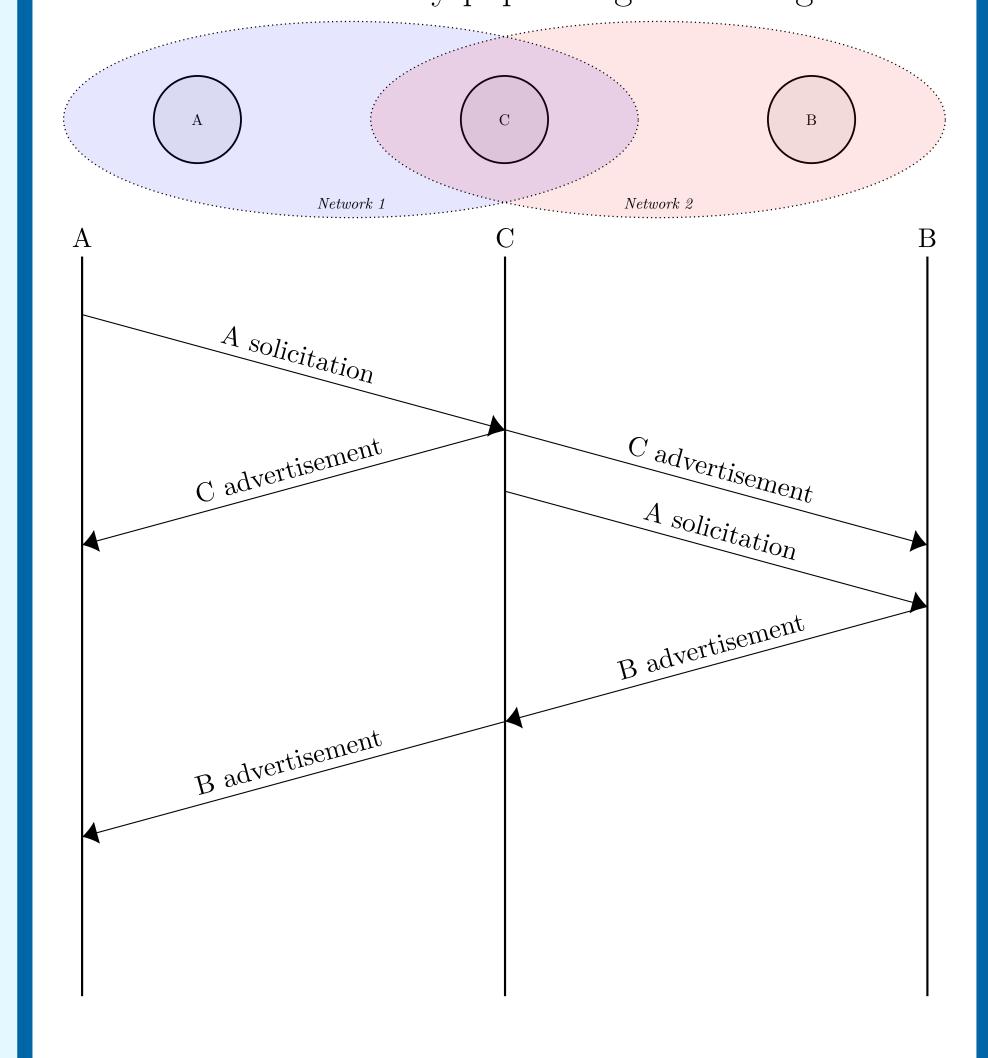
An ILNP Overlay Network

- Created in userspace with Python.
- Focus on protocol design and interaction.
- Evaluated with experimental analysis in IoT scenario (Raspberry Pis).



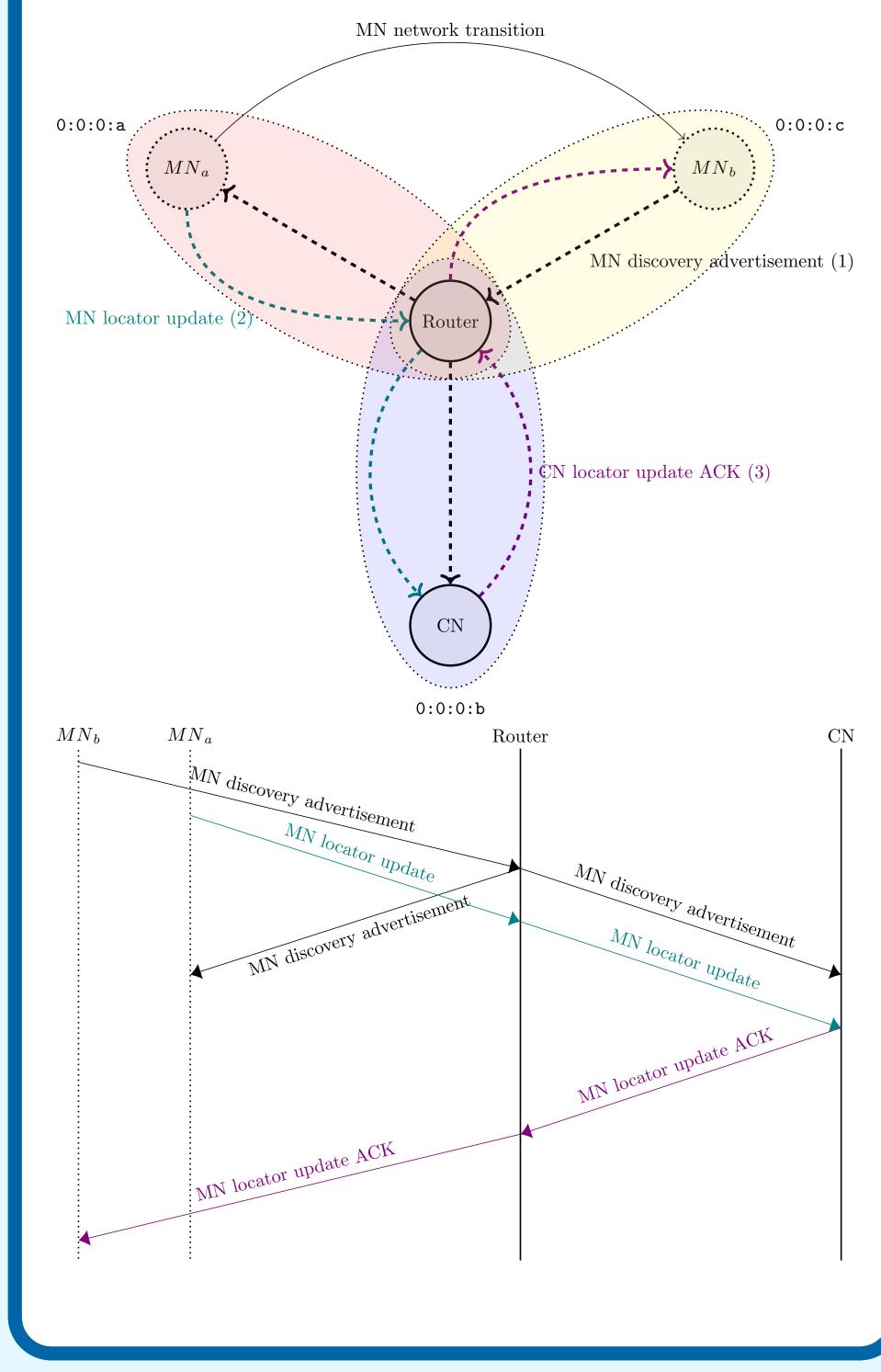
Discovery Protocol Example

- Similar to IPv6 Neighbour Discovery.
- Includes hostname resolution.
- Packets used for backwards learning.
- Bootstarts network by populating forwarding table.

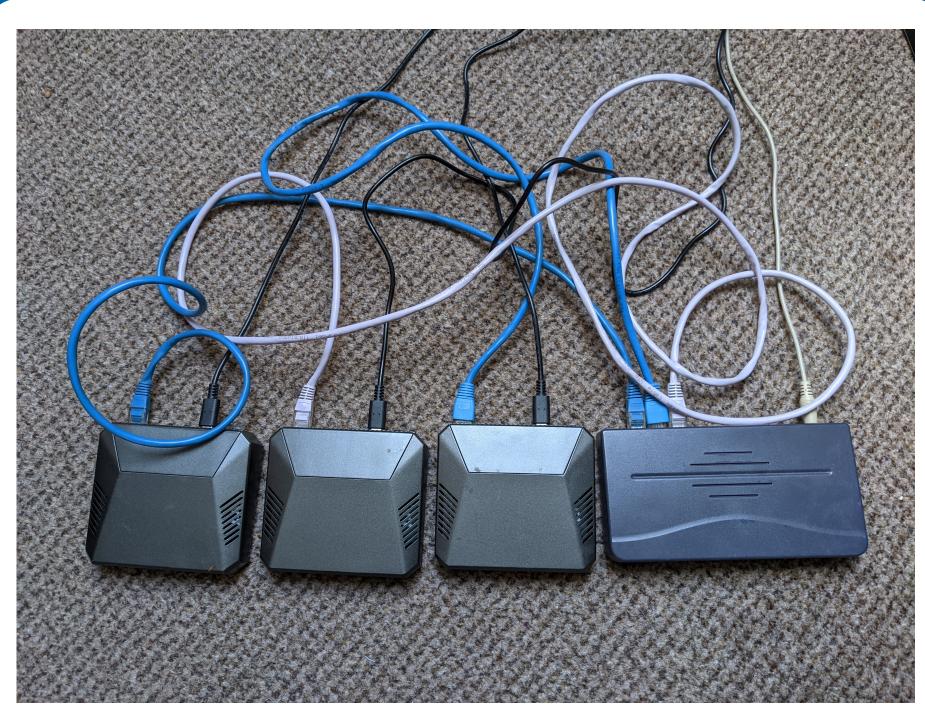


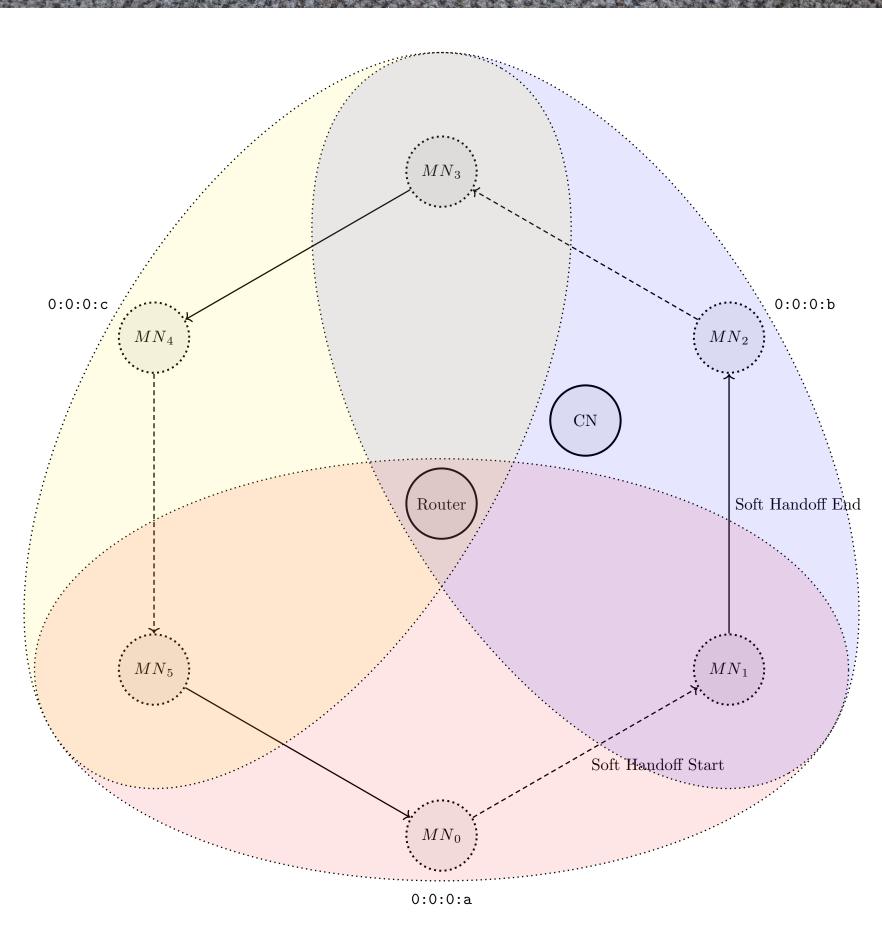
Locator Update Protocol Example

- ILNP supports seamless connectivity through soft handoffs for layer 3 network transitions.
- MN discovery advertisement is for CN to learn where to forward packets to the new locator (0:0:0:c).
- Locator update informs all hosts in a unicast communication session with MN of new locator.

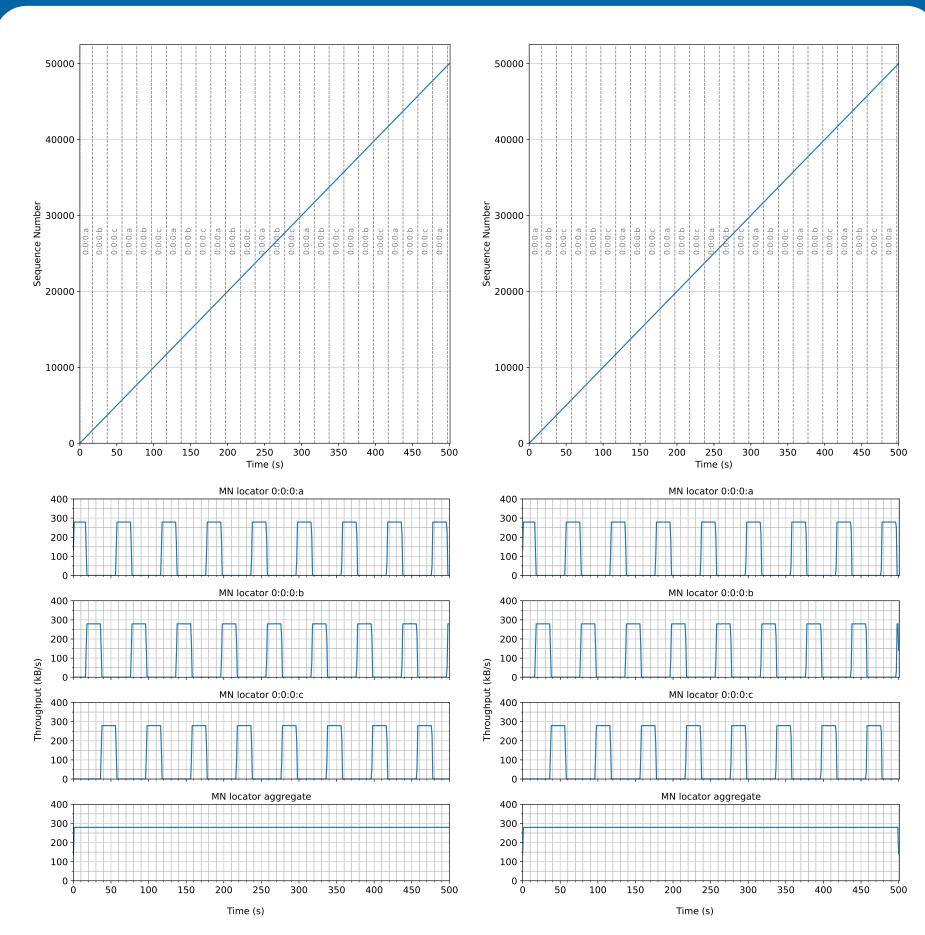


Experiment Setup



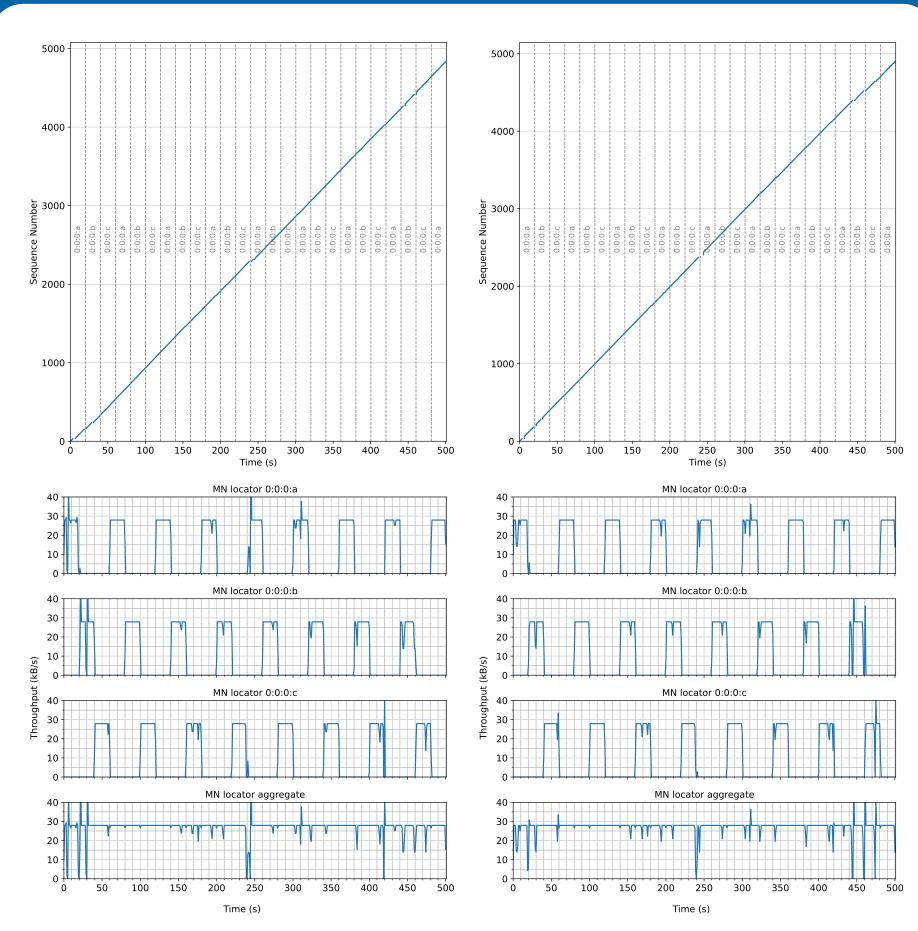


Experiment 3 MN<->CN



- Bidirectional flow of 1388 byte packets between CN and MN every 10ms.
- Smooth receival of sequence numbers across network transitions.
- Rectangular throughputs for each locator shows distinct separation between locator uses.
- Aggregate throughput shows smooth connectivity across network moves.

Systems Stability Issues



- This is exactly what we don't want to see: gaps in sequence numbers, and drops & spikes in throughput.
- This was caused by disk I/O resulting in processes being suspended, due to poor write performance when flushing page cache.