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1. Introduction

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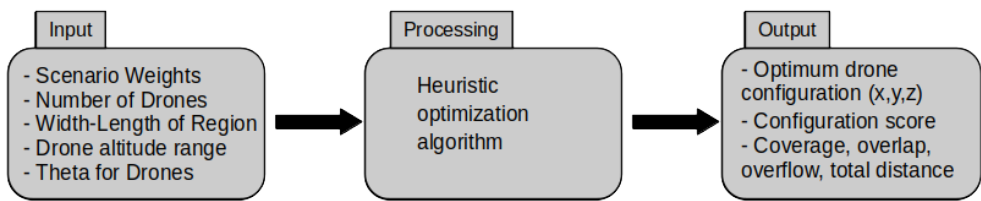


Figure 1.0.1: The architecture of the proposed framework.

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Example Table 1.0.1.

Table 1.0.1: Application cases and proposed set of weights.

| Application type (Scenario) | W_c | W_l | W_f | W_d |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| S1: Max coverage with no compromise | + | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| S2: Max coverage with only overlap/overflow penalty | + | - | - | 0 |
| S3: Max coverage with overlap/overflow penalty and min total distance of drones from VBS | + | - | - | + |
| S4: Max coverage with only min total distance of drones from VBS | + | 0 | 0 | + |

Example Algorithm 1.

Algorithm 1: The proposed “optimum region coverage” algorithm in pseudo code.

Input : Optimisation Parameters: User supplied

Input : Region Polygon: User selected on map

Input : BS Positions: User selected on map, out of the region polygon

Output: Drone positions and the tessellated region polygon

1 Estimation of VBS (special drones) positions:

2 The closest points on the region polygon edges to BS positions are chosen as VBS positions

3 VBSs are kept at “medium” altitude

4 Voronoi Tessellation:

5 The VBS points are chosen as “site” points for the tessellation

6 Weighted/Normal tessellation is carried out dividing region into sub-regions

7 Number of drones are distributed according to the area of each sub-regions

8 Initial Solution:

9 Drones are placed hexagonally in the sub-regions

10 “Extra” (out of hexagonal positions) drones are placed randomly

11 All drones in the same sub-region are at the same altitude

12 Initial solution is shown on the map

13 Optimum Solution:

14 Heuristic evolutionary optimisation tries to improve the supplied initial solution

15 Optimisation according to the “weights” is carried out for each sub-region

16 Optimal solution is shown on the map

17 return Optimum Drone positions and the tessellated region polygon

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