

Note: HW 3 posted,  
due next Thursday.

EE 597  
4/17/12

## Routing

Static : ETX, Anypath,  
Backpressure

Ad Hoc Networks : AODV, DSR, Baras Relay

ICMN : Epidemic Flooding,  
Spray & Wait

Intermittently Connected Mobile Networks  
with perfectly predictable  
encounters

(e.g. buses/trains with  
deterministic schedule)

Given: a list of all <sup>pairwise</sup> encounters &  
their times in advance. find the best (shortest  
delay) route from node A to B.

e.g.

| encounter | start time | end time |
|-----------|------------|----------|
| A-B       | 1          | 1.1      |
| B-C       | 2          | 2.1      |
| A-C       | 4          | 4.1      |
| A-B       | 7          | 7.2      |
| A-B       | 7.5        | 7.8      |
| A-D       | 8          | 8.2      |
| C-D       | 8.2        | 8.3      |

at node A towards B at line 3

Goal: given the list of encounters & times, compute the shortest delay path between any two nodes for a given starting time.

One possible algorithm:

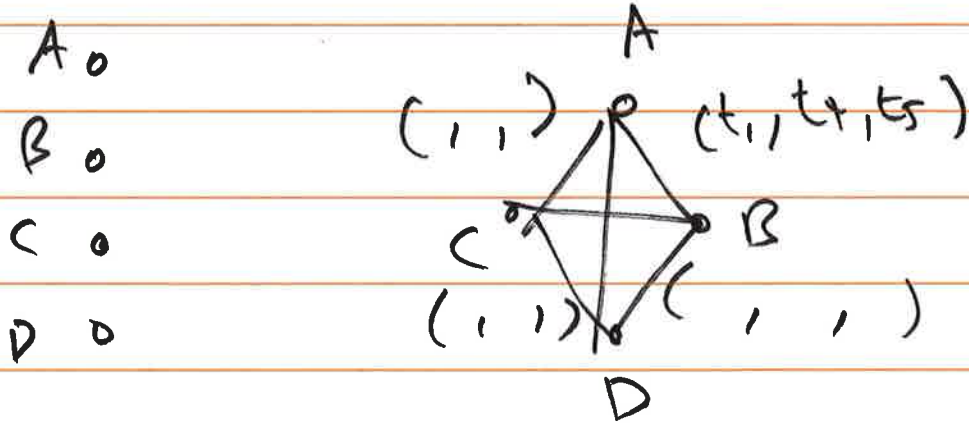
- try every permutation

e.g. A-B-C-D  
A-C-D-B

- for each find the shortest delay ref. & pick the shortest of all

Another approach:

- Use Dynamic Programming



e.g. to go from A to D,  
consider all nodes of A:

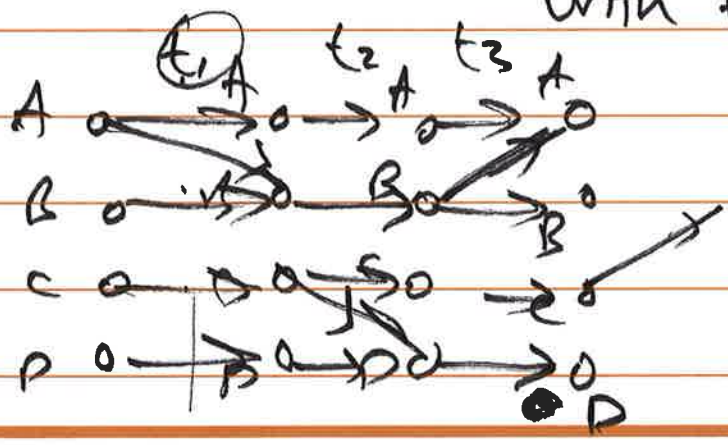
$$S(A, D) = \min_t \min_{K \in N(A)} \underbrace{S(A, K)}_{t_{AK}} + \underbrace{S(K, D)}_{t_{KD}}$$

Optim 3:

- Do a "virtual" flood
- see when the destination gets the packet & trace it back
- this is the shortest delay path.

e.g. D gets the pkt at some time  $t$  from C for the first time, it makes a reverse

Optim 4: printer to C, labelled with time  $t_0$ .



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Analysis of  
Algorithms.

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MAC

Routing

Transport ✓

## Functions of the Transport Layer

• congestion control & flow control

• End to end reliability

• multiplexing Applications

not fundamentally different in wireless networks.

← using ports

UDP on a wireless network needs no modification.

Reliability: • missing packets  
• out of order packets

both typically detected using sequence numbers.

by buffering at the transport layer, reordering, & then sending to application.

missing pkts ~~at~~ at the  
end to end perspective can  
only be dealt with by  
source retransmissions  
=> end to end acks/racks  
are needed.

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Recall that we also typically  
use hop by hop ARQ  
& Ack's. In fact, this

why we use ETX as  
the only metric.

Although in theory this should  
ensure even end to end  
reliability, in practice  
number of retransmission attempts are  
capped at some finite value,  
resulting in some prob of link  
loss. (Also due to route breaks).

Congestion Control turns out to be a bit more challenging in Wireless Networks

Two parts to Congestion:

Arriving Traffic

Available Bandwidth

In communication networks, the net effect of congestion is increased end to end delays & packet loss.

Extreme solution: conservatively provision traffic for worst case bandwidth availability.

congestion control mechanisms  
must balance two  
conflicting objectives:

1. avoid congestion
2. maximize utilization

TCP: Transmission Control  
Protocol  
(for congestion control)

At its heart are two pieces:

1. Congestion detection
2. Response to congestion

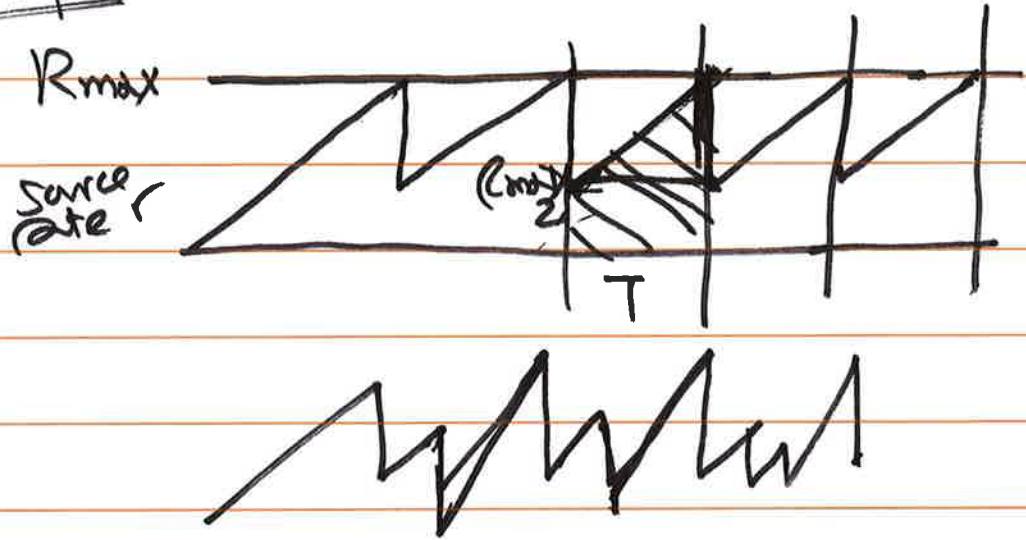
Typically, 1: loss detection  
via timeouts  
for ACK reception

2: Additive Increase multiplicative  
Decrease



# Idealized model :

example :



max efficiency is 75%

