

Energy Efficient Sleep/Wake Scheduling for Multihop Sensor Networks: Non-convexity and Approximation Algorithm

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Presentation Outline

- ▶ Introduction
- ▶ System Model
- ▶ Optimal Sleep/Wake Scheduling Problem
 - ▶ PART 1: Single-hop Intra-Cluster
 - ▶ PART 2: Multi-hop
- ▶ Conclusion



Introduction

- ▶ **Contribution of the Paper**

- ▶ When to wakeup/sleep?

- ▶ Single-hop

- ▶ Multi-hop

- ▶ Uniqueness of the problem

- ▶ Consider synchronization error

- ▶ Technical merit of the paper

- ▶ Non-convex Optimization

- Formulate into Convex Optimization

- Approximation Method (0.73-approximation algorithm)



Introduction

▶ Motivation

- ▶ Idle listening consumes a proportion of total energy
- ▶ Impact of synchronization error is non-negligible

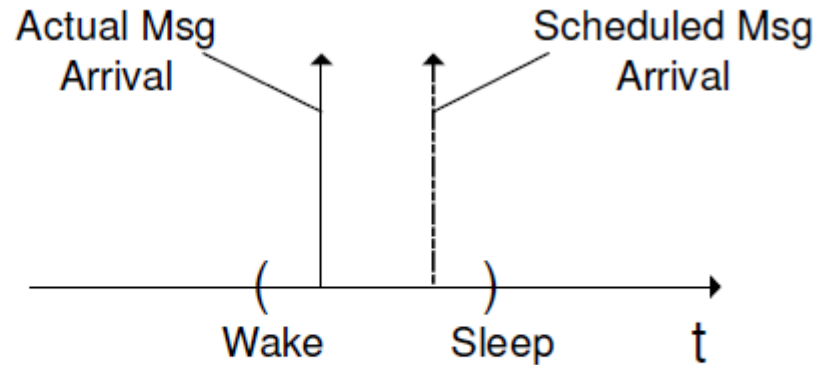


Fig. 3. Wake up interval to capture the message

▶ Tradeoff

- ▶ Energy consumption vs. Message delivery performance
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Introduction

- ▶ Optimal sleep/wake scheduling algorithm
 - ▶ Goal: min energy consumption (max lifetime)
 - ▶ Condition: Satisfies QoS
 - ▶ Single-hop: per-hop message capture probability threshold
 - ▶ Multi-hop: source (sensors) to destination (BS)

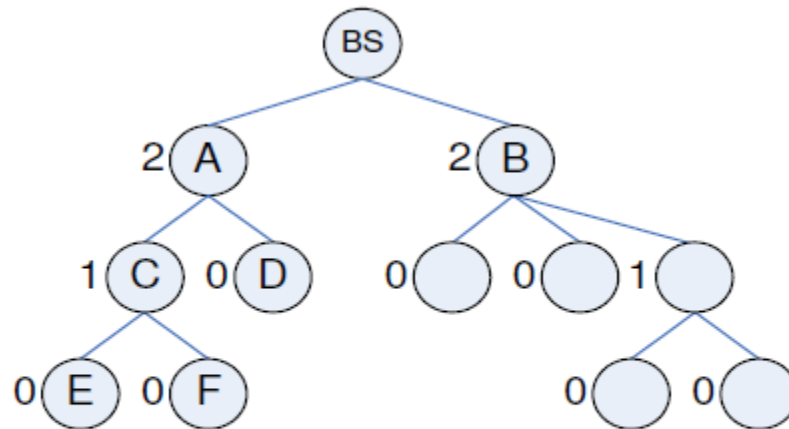


Fig. 1. A three-level cluster hierarchy

System Model

▶ Cluster Hierarchy

- ▶ Existing clustering algorithms

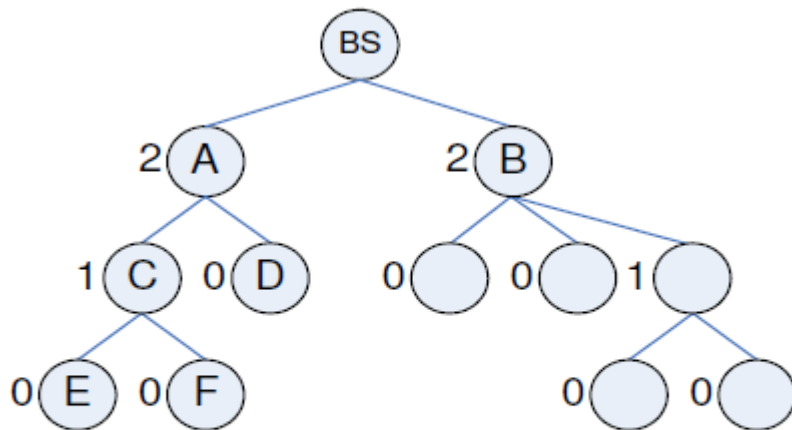


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▶ Scheduling

- ▶ TDMA (Sync + $M T_x$)
- ▶ CH - CMs

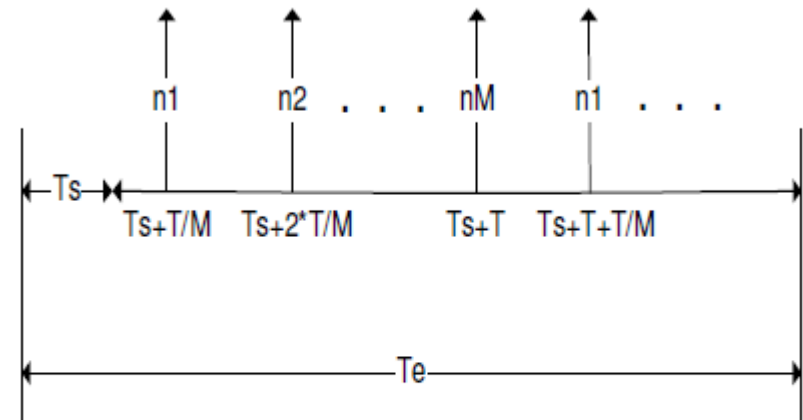


Fig. 2. Equispaced upstream transmissions

System Model

▶ Assumptions

- ▶ Neighboring clusters do not interfere with each other
 - ▶ Orthogonal frequency channel (1000's of channels available)
- ▶ Data aggregation
 - ▶ Length of the aggregated message:

$$\chi(L_0, \dots, L_M) = r \sum_{i=0}^M L_i + c. \quad (1)$$

M members, $i = 1, \dots, M$

CH “compression ratio” “length of message” “overhead”

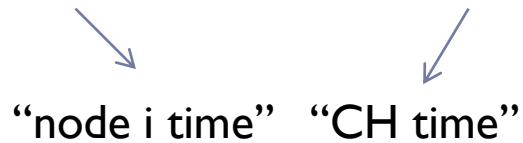
- ▶ Negligible collision probability
 - ▶ large separation distance between transmissions
 - ▶ Negligible propagation delay
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Problem Formulation

- ▶ Synchronization
 - ▶ Phase offset
 - ▶ Clock skew

$$t_i(j, k) = a_i(j)C(j, k) + b_i(j) + e_i(j, k), \quad (2)$$


“node i time” “CH time”



Problem Formulation

▶ Goal

- ▶ When to wake/sleep?

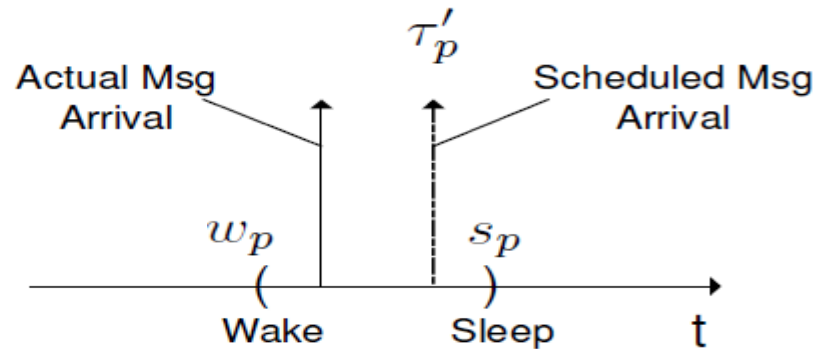


Fig. 3. Wake up interval to capture the message

$$E = (\text{if arrival outside } w_p \text{ and } s_p \rightarrow E_{\text{idle}}) + (\text{if arrival inside } w_p \text{ and } s_p \rightarrow E_{\text{idle}} + E_{\text{receive}})$$

$$(A) \text{ Min } E = (s_p - w_p)\alpha_I \text{Prob}\{\tau'_p \notin (w_p, s_p)\} + \int_{w_p}^{s_p} \left\{ (x - w_p)\alpha_I + \frac{L_p}{R}\alpha_r \right\} f_{\tau'_p}(x) dx$$

→ Outside
→ Inside

such that $\text{Prob}\{\tau'_p \in (w_p, s_p)\} \geq th$,

$$f_{\tau'_p}(\cdot) \text{ (PDF) of } \tau'_p$$

Single-hop

► Simplification

- Normal distribution: $f_{\tau'_p}(\cdot)$ (PDF) of τ'_p :

$$(A) \text{ Min } E = (s_p - w_p)\alpha_I \text{Prob}\{\tau'_p \notin (w_p, s_p)\} + \int_{w_p}^{s_p} \left\{ (x - w_p)\alpha_I + \frac{L_p}{R}\alpha_r \right\} f_{\tau'_p}(x) dx$$

such that $\text{Prob}\{\tau'_p \in (w_p, s_p)\} \geq th$,

$$E(\tau'_p) = \tau_p, \quad (4)$$

$$\text{VAR}(\tau'_p) \equiv \sigma_p^2 = \frac{\sigma_0^2}{a_i^2(j)} \frac{1}{N_s} \left[1 + \frac{(\tau_p - \overline{C(j,k)})^2}{C^2(j,k) - (\overline{C(j,k)})^2} \right],$$

where $\overline{C(j,k)} = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{N_s} C(j,k)}{N_s}$, $C^2(j,k) = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{N_s} C^2(j,k)}{N_s}$.

$$\hat{\tau} = \frac{\tau'_p - \tau_p}{\sigma_p}, \quad \hat{w} = \frac{w_p - \tau_p}{\sigma_p}, \quad \hat{s} = \frac{s_p - \tau_p}{\sigma_p}$$

$$(A1) \text{ Min } F(w, s) = (s - w)\sigma_p\alpha_I - [Q(w) - Q(s)]s\sigma_p\alpha_I + [g(w) - g(s)]\sigma_p\alpha_I + [Q(w) - Q(s)]\frac{L_p}{R}\alpha_r,$$

such that $Q(w) - Q(s) \geq th$,

$g(\cdot)$ is the PDF for the standard normal distribution.

$Q(\cdot)$ is the complementary cumulative distribution function.



Part 1: Single-hop

▶ Non-Convexity of (A1)

▶ Hessian Matrix

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(A1) Min } F(w, s) &= (s - w)\sigma_p\alpha_I - [Q(w) - Q(s)]s\sigma_p\alpha_I \\ &\quad + [g(w) - g(s)]\sigma_p\alpha_I + [Q(w) - Q(s)]\frac{L_p}{R}\alpha_r, \\ &\text{such that } Q(w) - Q(s) \geq th, \end{aligned}$$

Proposition 1: For Problem (A1), any optimal solution (w^*, s^*) satisfies $Q(w^*) - Q(s^*) = th$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(A2) Min } G(w) &= (1 - th)s(w) - w + g(w) - g(s(w)), \\ &\text{such that } s(w) = Q^{-1}(Q(w) - th) \text{ and } w < Q^{-1}(th). \end{aligned}$$

(Convex Optimization) **Second derivative of $G(w) > 0$**



Single-hop

► Finally!

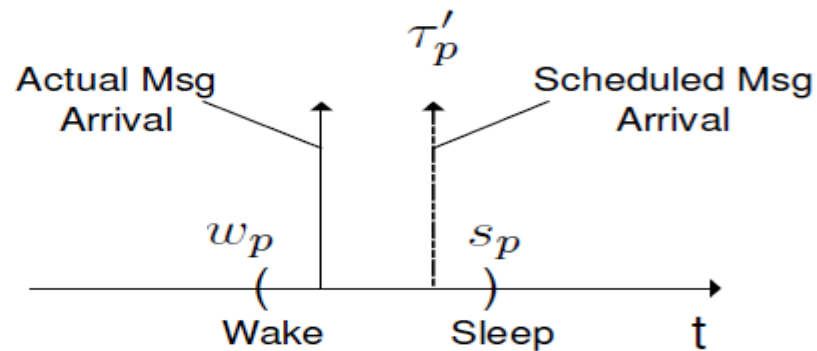


Fig. 3. Wake up interval to capture the message

After we obtain w^*, s^* , we compute the optimal sleep/wake schedule as $(w_p^* = \tau_p + w^* \sigma_p, s_p^* = \tau_p + s^* \sigma_p)$.



Part 2: Multi-hop

- ▶ Different from the single hop
 - ▶ Per-hop threshold \rightarrow Src. to Dest. QoS

▶ System Model (Modified)

- ▶ Cluster Head of node n : $H(n)$
- ▶ $d(n)$: hop distance to node n from H
- ▶ $M(n)$: members of node n
- ▶ $D(n)$: descendants of node n

$$H^{(d(n))}(n) \equiv \underbrace{\hat{H}(H(\dots \hat{H}(n) \dots))}_{d(n)} = BS.$$

Ex) node A = n
 $H(A) = BS$
 $d(n) = 1$
 $M(n) = C, D$
 $D(A) = C, D, E, F$

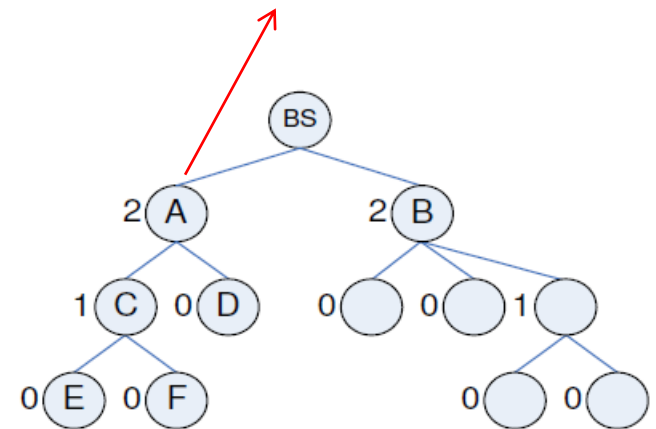


Fig. 1. A three-level cluster hierarchy

Multi-hop

▶ Goal

$$(B) \text{ Max } T_L$$

such that $\prod_{i=0}^{d(n)-1} z(H^{(i)}(n)) \geq \Lambda, \forall n \in S,$



$z(n)$: capture probability threshold of $H(n)$

▶ Solution

Satisfy “leaf node” \rightarrow Satisfy “all ancestors” (on the path to the leaf node)

$$(B) \text{ Max } T_L$$

such that $\prod_{i=0}^{d(n)-1} z(H^{(i)}(n)) \geq \Lambda, \forall n \in \underline{\underline{LF}},$



Multi-hop

▶ System Model

▶ Message Aggregation

$$L^{avg}(n) = rl + \sum_{i \in M(n)} z(i) L^{avg}(i) + c.$$

$$L^{avg}(n) = rl + c + \sum_{i \in D(n)} (rl + c) \prod_{k=0}^{d(i)-d(n)-1} [rz(H^{(k)}(i))]. \quad (8)$$

▶ Energy Consumption

▶ Avg. Consumption by node n

$$\begin{aligned} \eta(n, \vec{z}) &= \frac{\varepsilon_s(n) + \varepsilon_{syn}(n) + \varepsilon_t(n) + \varepsilon_r(n)}{T_e} \quad (12) \\ &= A(n) + \sum_{i \in M(n)} P(n, i) \gamma(z(i)) + \\ &\quad \sum_{i \in D(n)} Q(n, i) \prod_{k=0}^{d(i)-d(n)-1} z(H^{(k)}(i)), \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} A(n) &= \frac{1}{T_e} [\varepsilon_s(n) + \varepsilon_{syn}(n) + N\alpha_t(n) \frac{rl+c}{R}], \\ P(n, i) &= \frac{1}{T_e} \sum_{h=1}^N \alpha_I \sqrt{\sigma_0^2 \frac{1}{N_s} \left[1 + \frac{(T_s + \frac{\theta(i)T}{|M(n)|} + hT - \frac{1+N_s}{2} \frac{T_s}{N_s})^2}{\frac{\sum_{k=1}^{N_s} (k \frac{T_s}{N_s} - \frac{1+N_s}{2} T_s)^2}{N_s}} \right]}, \\ Q(n, i) &= \frac{1}{T_e} \frac{rN\alpha_t(n) + N\alpha_r}{R} (rl+c) r^{d(i)-d(n)-1}. \end{aligned}$$

Multi-hop

► Formulation + Energy Conditions

$$(B) \text{ Max } T_L$$

such that $\prod_{i=0}^{d(n)-1} z(H^{(i)}(n)) \geq \Lambda, \forall n \in LF,$

$$\text{Max } T_L$$

such that $\prod_{i=0}^{d(n)-1} z(H^{(i)}(n)) \geq \Lambda, \forall n \in LF,$
 $\eta(n, \vec{z}) \leq \xi(n)/T_L, \forall n \in S.$

“avg. energy consumption” “initial energy”

Introduce life-time penalty function: $\Psi(1/T_L) \quad u = 1/T_L$

$$(B) \text{ Min } \Psi(u)$$

such that $\prod_{i=0}^{d(n)-1} z(H^{(i)}(n)) \geq \Lambda, \forall n \in LF,$
 $\eta(n, \vec{z}) \leq \xi(n)u, \forall n \in S.$

Add

Equivalent problem

Multi-hop

► Non-Convex Optimization Problem

(B) Min $\Psi(u)$

such that $\prod_{i=0}^{d(n)-1} z(H^{(i)}(n)) \geq \Lambda, \forall n \in LF,$
 $\eta(n, \vec{z}) \leq \xi(n)u, \forall n \in S.$

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Non-convex

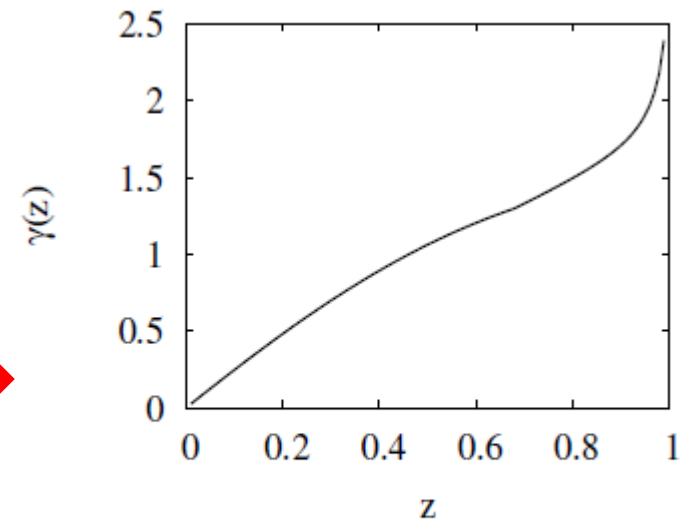


Fig. 4. $\gamma(z)$

$$\gamma(th) = \min\{G(w) : w < Q^{-1}(th)\} \quad (7)$$

Multi-hop

► Approximation

Proposition 3: (1) For $z \geq 0.86$, $\gamma(z)$ is strictly convex;
(2) For $z \in [0, 0.99]$, $1.86z < \gamma(z) < 2.52z$.

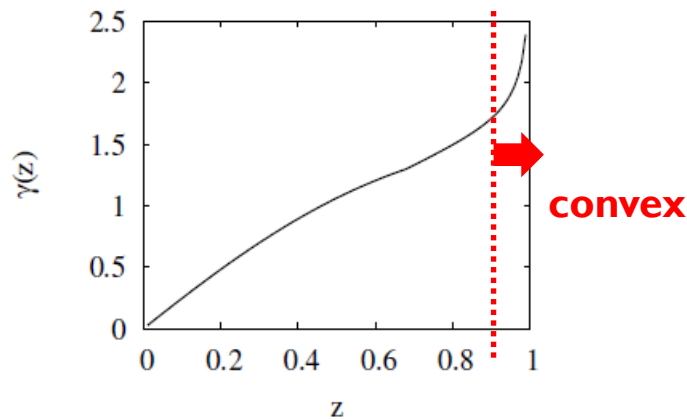


Fig. 4. $\gamma(z)$

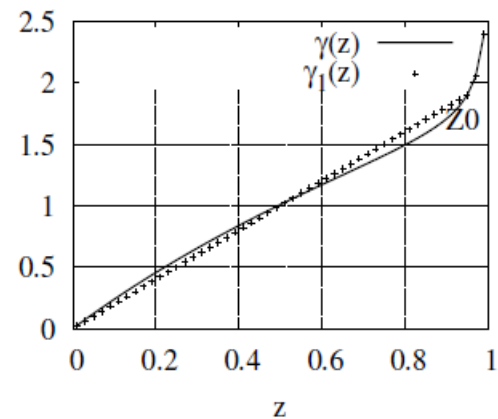


Fig. 5. Approximating $\gamma(z)$

$$\text{Approximation (Fig. 5): } \gamma_1(z) = \begin{cases} 2z + 0.001z^2 & 0 \leq z \leq Z_0 \\ \gamma(z) & Z_0 \leq z < 1 \end{cases} \quad Z_0 \approx 0.95.$$

Multi-hop

- ▶ How close is the approximation to the optimal?
 - ▶ Achievable approximation ratio: **0.73**

Proposition 4: (1) $0.929 \leq \gamma(z)/\gamma_1(z) \leq 1.26$;
(2) $\gamma_1(z)$ is strictly convex.

$$T_L(\vec{z}^*) \leq 1/(0.929u_1^*)$$
$$T_L(\vec{z}_1^*) \geq 0.73T_L(\vec{z}^*)$$



Multi-hop

► Solve BI ...

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{(B1')} \text{ Min } \Psi(u) \\
 & \text{such that } \sum_{i=0}^{d(n)-1} v(H^{(i)}(n)) \geq \ln \Lambda, \forall n \in LF, \\
 & \eta'_1(n, \vec{v}) = A(n) + \sum_{i \in M(n)} P(n, i) \gamma_1(e^{v(i)}) + \\
 & \sum_{i \in D(n)} Q(n, i) e^{\sum_{k=0}^{d(i)-d(n)-1} v(H^{(k)}(i))} \leq \xi(n)u, \forall n \in S.
 \end{aligned}$$

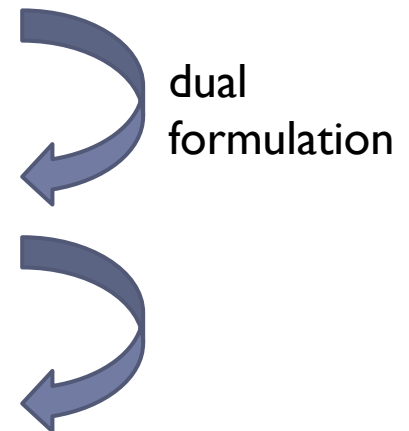
convex objective
convex constrains

$$\max_{\vec{\lambda} \geq 0, \vec{\mu} \geq 0} \Phi(\vec{\lambda}, \vec{\mu}),$$

$$\vec{\lambda}, \vec{\mu} \text{ are Lagrange multipliers}$$

$$\Phi(\vec{\lambda}, \vec{\mu}) = \min_{u \geq 0, \vec{v} < 0} \Psi(u) + \sum_{n \in LF} \lambda_n (\ln \Lambda -$$
 (15)

$$\sum_{i=0}^{d(n)-1} v(H^{(i)}(n))) + \sum_{n \in S} \mu_n (\eta'_1(n, \vec{v}) - \xi(n)u).$$



► Then, use “subgradient method” to solve dual problem.

Simulation Results

- ▶ Vs. scheme with “equal” thresholds
- ▶ Capture probability: 0.7

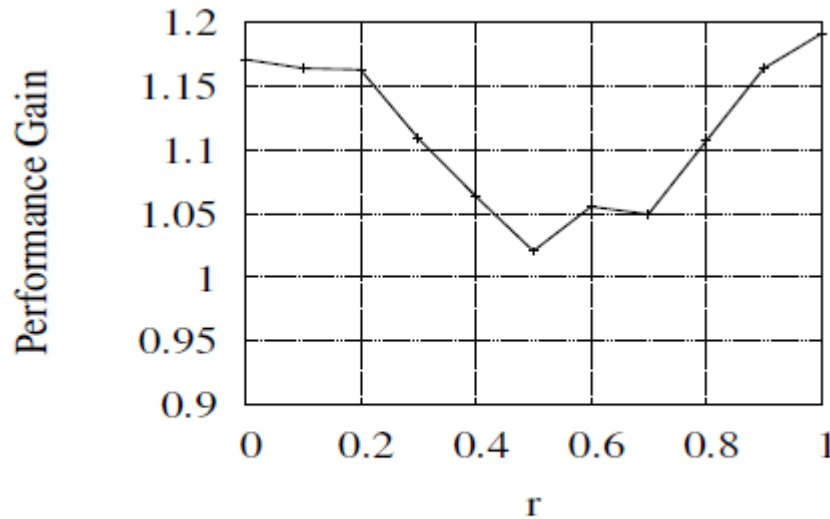


Fig. 7. Performance gain

r : compression ratio
 $r=1$, no compression

Simulation Results

- ▶ $r=1$ (no compression)
 - ▶ Node 1 becomes bottleneck, $z(2)$ and $z(3)$ should be small

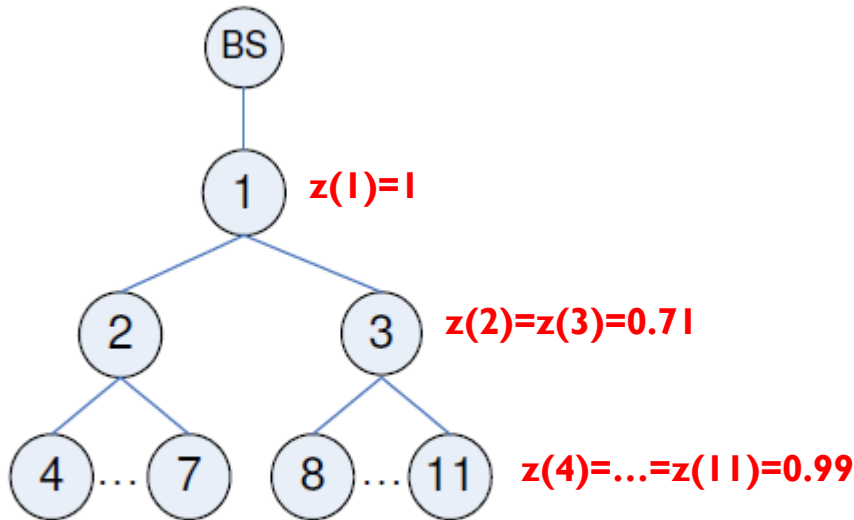


Fig. 6. Simulation topology

- ▶ $r=0$ (high compression)
 - ▶ Node 2 and 3 becomes bottleneck (to receive from more member nodes)

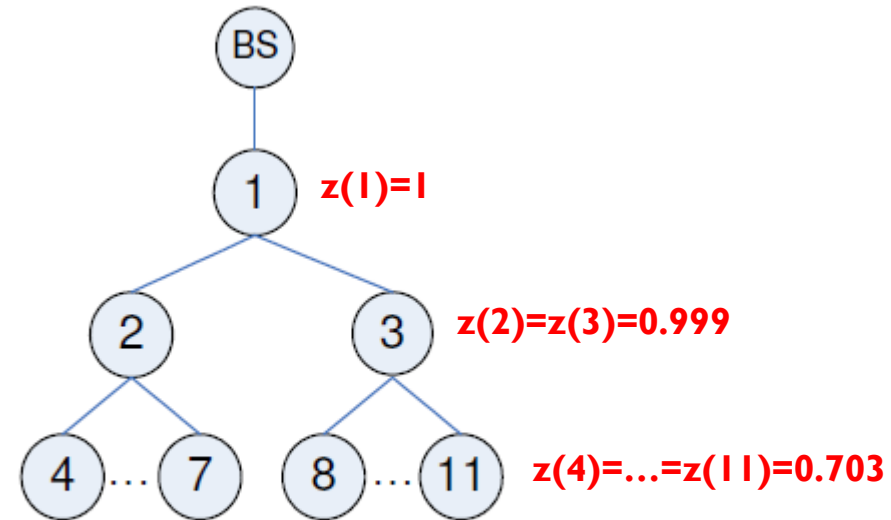


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Conclusion

- ▶ Sleep/wake scheduling for low duty-cycle sensor networks
- ▶ Consider synchronization error
- ▶ Achieve given capture probability threshold with min energy consumption
 - ▶ Non-convex optimization
 - ▶ 0.73-approximation algorithm
 - ▶ Correctly identifies the bottlenecks to extend the network lifetime

