# Node Addressing in Wireless Sensor Networks

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Sensor Networks

Internet,
Satellite,
etc

Proxy
Server

Osensor node (snode)
actuator (anode)
collector (cnode)
gateway (gnode)
wireless link

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### **Addressing in Sensor Networks**

#### **Motivation:**

Unique node addresses cannot be used in many sensor networks;

- sheer number of nodes,
- energy constraints,
- data centric approach.

#### Node addressing is needed for;

- node management,
- sensor management,
- querying,
- data aggregation and fusion,
- service discovery,
- routing.

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### **Addressing in Sensor Networks**

- 1. Attribute based naming and data centric routing,
- 2. Spatial addressing,
- 3. Query mapping.

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#### **Attribute Based Naming**

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- nodes that measure <u>certain amplitude for a specified attribute</u> are addressed.

#### **Example:**

"nodes that measure more than 35°C temperature"

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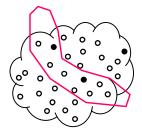
### **Spatial Addressing**

- 1. Polygonal Addressing,
- 2. Sectoral Sweepers,
- 3. Quadtree/Octree Addressing,
- 4. Modulus Addressing.

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## **Polygonal Addressing**



#### 1. Distributed Edge Detection

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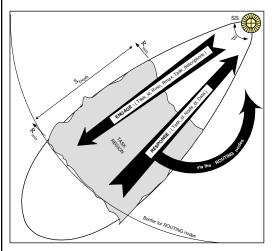
#### 2. Location Series

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### **Sectoral Sweepers**

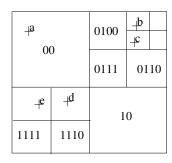


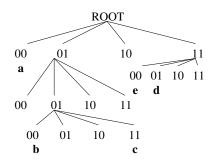
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### **Quadtree/Octree Addressing**

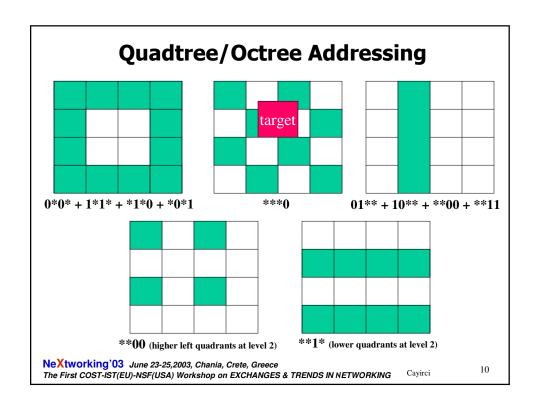




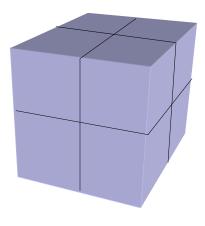
C. Cimen, E. Cayirci, V. Coskun, "Querying Sensor Fields By Using Quadtree Based Dynamic Clusters And Task Sets," Proc. of the MILCOM 2003.

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### **Quadtree/Octree Addressing**



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### **Modulus Addressing**

E. Cayirci, "Data Aggregation and Dilution by Modulus Addressing in Wireless Sensor Networks," IEEE Communications Letters, August 2003.

$$f(x) = x \ div \ m \tag{1}$$

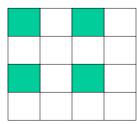
$$f(x) = (x/r) \bmod (m/r) \tag{2}$$

where

x is the grid location of a node relative to one of the axes,

r is the resolution in meters, and

m is the dilution or aggregation factor.



**Select** [ task, time, location, [distinct | all], amplitude, [[avg | min | max | count | sum ] (amplitude)]]

from [any, every, aggregate m, dilute m]

**where** [ power available [<|>] PA | location [in | not in] RECT |

 $t_{min}$  < time <  $t_{max}$  | task = t | amplitude [<|==|>] a ]

group by task

**based on** [time limit =  $I_t$  | packet limit =  $I_p$  | resolution = r | region = xy]

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### **Query Mapping**

#### Needed for;

- the Internet users that query remote sensor networks,
- service discovery, etc.

To the best of our knowledge, this field is **UNTOUCHED.** 

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### **Conclusion**

New node addressing schemes that fit the requirements of all layers including

- application and
- transport layers

are needed for sensor networks.

This is an interesting research area with some points still untouched.

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