

## A Comprehensive Survey of Clustering in Wireless Sensor Network

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**ABSTRACT**—networks always represent either in wire or wireless; will maybe affect via various reasons on its effective functioning. The problem of routing, appropriate to any type of networks, is the most important one factor. The wireless sensor network hasn't been exclusion of this. Furthermore, such problems are critical because of serious resource constraints such as energy utilization, the lifespan of the network, and extreme ecological situations in wireless sensor network. In case of wireless sensor network the reachability and jump of hop is not possible. In this respect numerous protocols of routing have been suggested to improve efficiency and effectiveness of wireless sensor network amongst of aforementioned acute resource limitations. From these, clustering algorithms have won greater significance, in augmenting the lifespan of the wireless sensor network, due to their strategy in the selection of CH & data association. LEACH is an initial routing of clusters protocol that' demonstrated to other algorithms to be superior in comparison. In paper discussion we compare between clustering protocols; LEACH, LEACH-C, K-mean, Hierarchical, Weight-Based clustering protocol. The justification will definite by saying of investigation result about these protocols. [1]

**Index Terms**—clustering of wireless sensor networks (WSN), LEACH, LEACH-C, K-mean, Hierarchical, Weight-Based clustering protocol.

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### I. INTRODUCTION:

Wireless Sensor Network containing the vast of sensor Nodes alongside the low power energy to carry out a given task, densely deployed within an area. Sensor nodes are capable of cooperating with one another and quantifying the condition of their surrounding environment (i.e. Temperature of light, sounds, vibration). The detected mensuration are then transformed in digital signal and processed to disclose some properties of the phenomena around sensors. The range transmissions of sensor nodes in wireless sensor network have short radio, intermediates nodes performance as pass on nodes to transmit data in the direction of the sink (BS) node using a multi-hop route. The capability of WSN to find and perceive some physical phenomenon has made them most known at these days. Equipped nodes along with processing & sensing abilities in addition, any physical phenomenon as an example of heat level and send that info at (BS) or sink utilizing only jump or multi-jump communiqué. In terms of low energy and limitation of resources the Wireless sensor network is rather dissimilar from customary ad-hoc and wired communication. The developed protocols and algorithms for such networks can't apply directly to Wireless sensor network. The designing protocols duration, researchers need to contemplate of energy and

resource constrained nature of WSN. Measure network application and increasing of nodes numbers; network should sustain its result of communication. Low power or shortage of data rate and low-cost wireless sensor communication is handling by different technologies. Actual technology choices are depending upon applications. For applications necessitating short range communication IEEE 802.15.4 has been use. The remaining part of the texts describes the clustering process in wireless sensor network which represented at Section II followed by writing survey.

The Categorization of different clustering algorithms and on the facts the clustering parameters is discussed in Section IV along with the comparative analysis of different algorithms. In V section we have explored several benefits of all clustering algorithms mentioned in this paper based on their performance of routing and comparison from resulting of researcher's simulation based on these parameters. [2]

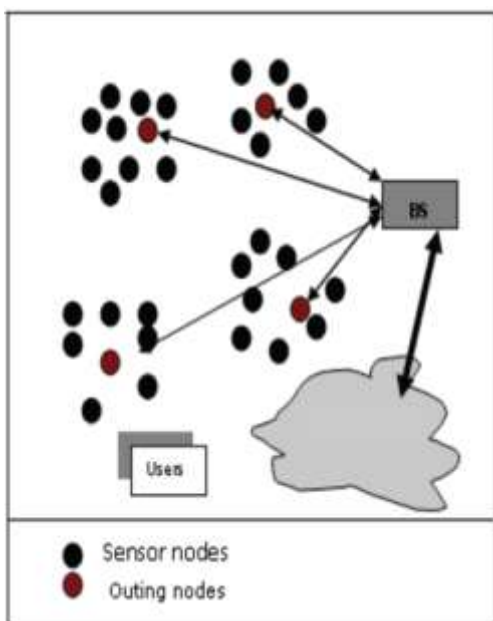


Fig. 1 Wireless Sensor Network Structure

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Wireless sensor networks are application specific networks composed of huge variety of sensor nodes. Restricted energy resource of device nodes makes the energy consumption of nodes as main style issue. Energy potency is reached from hardware level to network protocol levels. Agglomeration of nodes is an economical approach to minimize energy consumption of nodes. Agglomeration algorithms cluster nodes in freelance cluster. Each individual cluster has one cluster head. Nodes send information to various cluster heads, and cluster head sends acknowledge to BS. Agglomerative algorithms prolong network life time by avoiding long distance communication of nodes to base station. Work of this paper discusses operating of a number of them and differentiates them per operational mode and state of agglomeration and may facilitate to know classification of agglomeration schemes. Nodes sense the realm and send detected acknowledge to base station via single or multi-hop communication. Due to tiny in size and price effective nodes in wireless sensor networks have terribly speedy and enormous application space like military police investigation is an energy economical approach for wireless device networks. Every cluster has a minimum of one cluster head. CH receives knowledge of all nodes in clusters and aggregates it. CH sends aggregate acknowledge to BS once more via single or multi hop. Once sure fundamental measure re agglomeration of nodes is conducted. Agglomeration of the nodes avoiding long distance connection of nodes to BS few nodes i.e. CHs are causing knowledge on long distance. Shunning of long distance communication is

protective energy of nodes. Whereas knowledge reduction gratitude to aggregation conserves energy of CHs. agglomeration schemes use TDMA designing for within cluster communication. Slots are assigned by nodes for causing knowledge. Nodes preserve energy by pass across to state of sleep for another slots of different nodes and avoid idle listening and overhearing. [3]

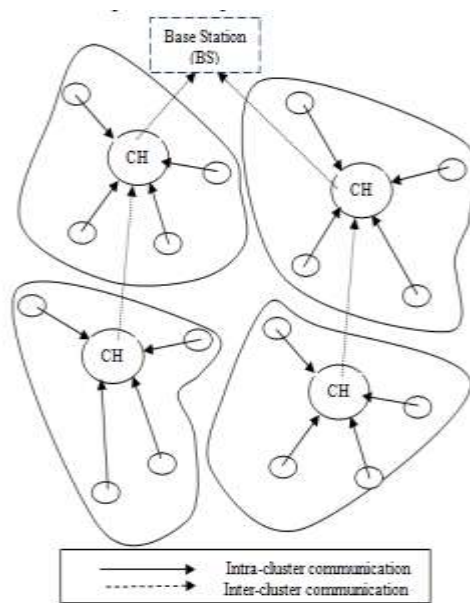


Fig. 2 Data Communication in a Cluster Network [4]

**II. RELATED WORK**

Whereas we are trying to balance mixture of some necessary parameter in the level of a common cause called joined weight if the connectivity of a random sensor node is lost with cluster's head then it results inevitable topology reconfiguration. This is the case when Weighted Clustering Algorithm (WCA) working in principle base of the periodic invocation of themselves. There are multiple sinks included in Grid- clustering Routing Protocol (GROUP). 'Primary sink' which is considered as one of the multiple sinks is responsible for dynamic selection of cluster heads which leads the formation of grid like structure. Sensor nodes are being assigned probability values and these prior assigned for clustering in WSN probabilistically. Balancing the provision of energy usage the cluster heads random rotation and at the same time assurance of shape leveling in one shape sensor networks is being proposed by less energy adaptive hierarchy clustering (LEACH) protocol. The minimization of energy utilization, primary & secondary level cluster head selection is being two levels LEACH (TL-LEACH). On the basis of energy residue of sensor nodes which provide lower message overhead as well as issue

the cluster heads uniform ally, the selection of cluster heads takes place. This selection takes place dynamic , non-iterative and localized competition based process which is being proposed by energy efficient clustering Scheme (EECS) While selecting the cluster heads in MH sensor networks the energy residue of sensor nodes and intra- cluster network costs is being taken into account by a methodology which has been proposed by Hybrid Energy Efficient Distributed Clustering protocols that require to be aforesaid. There is a technique known as delayed willingness announcement technique which is used by Distributed Clustering Algorithm (DCA) protocol. This technique is used for any sensor before it becoming CH because of the opportunity is given to other higher- weighted sensor nodes neighboring to it to become CH.

Randomized cluster head uses by SPAN process. The decision making of this process is locally oriented. The process beneficiary is on the number of sensor nodes and from energy levels itself; the possibility of this process will become cluster head for the sensor node. [4]

### III. CLUSTERING ALGORITHM APPROACHES

**LEACH and LEACH-C:** Cluster head can be selected from some nodes by LEACH protocol. In the LEACH algorithm certain cluster heads will be locate close to the BS or at distance. Longer spacing between CH and BS the energy onsumption may be more. Assumptions made in the LEACH-C protocol are as:Every node can calculate the level of its energy in the network.Information about the location of node can be sent to Base Station by node itself.The base station can receive message from each node. In the time of electing the cluster head of LEACH does not keep this spacing in account that reasons additional consumption of the energy. But in the Base Station (BS) the cluster head can be elects by LEACH-C on the level of nodes energy, interval between node and BS. The numbers of cluster heads are different in LEACH in different rounds, while in LEACH-C the number of cluster head is optimal value that is predetermined. In overall of them work at circular. The two different operational phases are in each round, i.e. Cluster Setup stage and Steady State phases. Through the cluster heads cluster setup stage includes bunch head ads and the arrangement of the nodes in each group. Steady condition level contains communication of information from nodes to their particular clusters heads at programmed period's interval. Common relation of those protocols and significant to be understood:

- 1- Randomized “base stations” cycle or “CH” and analogous clusters.
- 2- Reduction of global communication through local compression to. [5]

**Table1. Comparison of LEACH / LEACH-C**

LEACH	LEACH-C
It is known as distributed clustering.	It is known as centralized clustering.
Independently a node will chooses itself as a cluster head independent of other nodes.	base station elects Cluster heads
Election of Cluster heads are founded on Probabilistic threshold that is node chosen randomly.	Centralized cluster formation algorithm runs by base station to elect Cluster Heads based on energy level of a node and its distance from Base Station
The form of desired number of cluster heads neither guaranteed nor even the distribution of cluster heads in the network.	Creation of desired number of cluster heads is guaranteed and consistently distributed between the nodes in the network.
Set up phase consists of choosing cluster heads randomly, such that every node becomes cluster head atleast once.	Every node may not get a chance to become CH, and same node may become CH for the next rounds as BS takes control of network.
With LEACH the lifespan of network will be less.	With the LEACH-C the lifespan of network will be more.
Startup energy dissipation will be less compared to that of LEACH-C	Startup energy dissipation will be more compared to that of LEACH
Data signals received at BS will be less compared to that of LEACH-C	Data signals received at BS will be more compared to that of LEACH
Energy dissipation will be more	Energy dissipation will be less

#### A. K-mean Clustering:

A k-means algorithm is described below. There are various methods to pick the initial k points that represent the clusters. The centers of the algorithms are for looping, where it reflects the points from k selected things and allocate it for the nearby cluster, where closest means that the neighboring of centuries' to the bunch. Reminder the centuries of the cluster will be migrating like things are assigned for it. But as only close place of cluster will probably be delegated, the centroid tends will do not change too much. The way of K-Mean clustering algorithm works? In case the numbers of clusters are larger than the number of data then we assign each data as the centroid of the bunch. Each centroid is going to have bunch number. In case the numbers of cluster are less than the numbers of the data, for any information, we compute the distance to each of centroid and receive the minimum space. This data is stated belong to the bunch which has minimal distance from this data. Because we're not sure about the position of the centroid, we have to adjust the centroid location depending on the current data. Then we assign each of the data to this brand new

centroid. This procedure is repeated until no information is shifting to another bunch anymore. Primarily elect k-point which will be possible in various clusters make these nodes at the centroid of their clusters, each remaining point P, do find the centroid at which point P is nearest, Adding of P to the bunch of centroid, Adjust the centroid of the clusters of account for p. To initialize Cluster of K-Means, We would like to select a few point of which having fantastic prospect of lying in various clusters. Two strategies can be there. Choose a point as far as possible from each other. There can be K number of clusters. Choose any of the possibly closest point to the centroid of the bunch from each bunch. For the first strategy there are variations and for the second strategy we need elaboration. The best alternative is to select on the primary points in arbitrary, while there are more than k points do from a distance as big as possible add a point to the selected point.

#### C. K-mean clustering Applications:

There are many more K-mean clustering applications, not supervised acquisition of the neural network, recognition, classification analysis, AI, digital image processing, machine learning, etc. In principle, you've a lot of objects and every object have many attributes and you desire to categorize the objects based on the characteristics, after that you may well apply the algorithm. [6]

#### D. Weight Based Clustering Protocol:

In weight based clustering protocols, Weight is utilized as criteria for choosing the cluster head. This weight can be measured with regards to several factors such as energy and space from the cluster head or no times each node became cluster head based upon the algorithm. Each node computes its weight in each of their iteration of clustering. Clusters are shaped so that energy consumption occurs in a wireless sensor network. Clustering based on weight is a technique for networks. It selects the better cluster heads thus increases the life time and throughput of WSN with its clustering algorithm. The goals of the Weight Based Clustering are the following!

- i. Choose sensor nodes having high residual energy to increase the lifetime of sensor nodes
- ii. To put a stop to the election of low energy sensor nodes as CH. Weight Based Clustering Algorithm Picks Cluster Head so that cluster head consistently has greatest residual energy. Residual energy is energy left after performing its processing and data moving functions. It avoids the choice of low energy sensor nodes as cluster heads. It upgrades the life time of wireless sensor network. Other than energy

it also considers other factors such as number of live neighbors and space from the main station to elect the bunch of head. In case the energy of sensor nodes are higher than the energy it's chosen as a cluster node otherwise it's regarded as a node. A sensor node considered dead when its energy drops below a certain threshold amount. Every node broadcast an "I am alive" message following each round that is clustering. Therefore it calculates the quantity of live neighbors of every node. It computes of residual power of every node using a first-order radio energy model. Node having greatest residual energy is chosen as cluster head. However this system has a disadvantage that it elects bunch heads. As cluster heads consume additional energy so it degrades the efficiency of the network. [7]

#### IV. CONCLUSION

Wireless Sensor Networks is using for many reasons like finding applications in widespread geographical area.

LEACH & LEACH-C clustering protocols are also presenter of the similarity of results and analyses of those protocols. In brief, LEACH can work in localized coordination of clustering nodes with no implicating base station of LEACH-C will be selecting the deterministic or central approach casing whole network yet increased network lifespan and favorable number of cluster.

In dynamic networks performance Weight based clustering technique is one of the best techniques it's more efficient and there will be less number of dead nodes as compare to other clustering techniques.

In resulting of simulation done in [ISSN : 0975-3397] paper, K-mean clustering has primary advantage of clustering data collections like increasing number of clusters with the operation of K-mean algorithm is much better compared to Hierarchical Clustering Algorithm. Virtually further of work that's done for research work is:

Different WSN is made up for distinct purposes. The effect of the strictures will differ from network to network, in this research we tried to work with these parameters that are communal and virtually all the detectors. For finding the right combination of parameters beside their best value for particular WSN is a big challenge. For our experimentation we have worked with uniform further experimentation will be complete by selecting exponential negative and exponential distribution. [8]

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