

# CSE 561 Lecture 13 (ooh)

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# Today

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GPSR

Wired → Wireless (special wireless problems)

Multiple Access wireless

802.11

MACAW discussion

# GPSR

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Ad-hoc vs. hybrids with fixed infrastructure

Making routing scale:

- Hierarchy
- On-demand routes
- Geograpy

GPSR = Greedy + Right-Hand-Rule

- Make a planar graph
- Relies on location service

# GPSR thoughts (from reviews)

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What about power?

- Perimeter nodes do a lot of work
- Send to less distant nodes?
- Exploit stations with lots of transmit power?

Know your neighbors

- What about Indoors (no GPS)?
- What if the destination is moving?
- How to set beacon interval?

# Multiple Access Wireless

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token slide on cellular wireless networks.

centralized division of medium to active stations

- FDMA - Frequency division multiple access
- TDMA - Time
- CDMA - Code

but back to decentralized packet-switched computer networks  
and statistical multiplexing. ;)

# Wired → Wireless

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What are the problems?

# ALOHA

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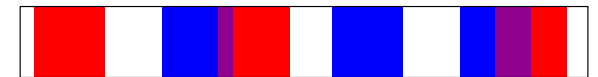
An early wireless protocol connecting Hawaiian islands

ALOHA (1970) inspired Ethernet (1976)

No carrier sense. No collision detection circuit.

Detect collisions by ack or implicitly.

Basic: send whenever



Slotted: synchronize frame start



Reservation: slotted + finders keepers



Still around in cell phone networks.

# CSMA/CD and CSMA/CA

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Scheme: wait until the medium is idle *before* transmitting.

Ethernet  $\approx$  1-persistent CSMA/CD

rule?

802.11  $\approx$  p-persistent CSMA/CA, optional RTS/CTS

rule?



# Why no collision detection in 802.11?

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receiver overloaded by transmitter

congestion matters at the receiver

but how do you know a transmission was successful?

# Wireless Challenge: Hidden stations

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The medium may not be idle at the receiver (fading).

What happens when your advisor has a phone headset? :P

# Hidden stations and RTS/CTS

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RTS: Please don't send until I get a CTS.

CTS: Please don't send until I've got my frame.

# Wireless Challenge: Exposed stations

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Waiting for the medium to be idle, but ...

Starvation of the best-placed station?

# Exposed stations solutions

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DS in MACAW. How does it help?

p-persistence in 802.11's CSMA/CA. How can it help?

# What about MACA/MACA W?

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MACA  $\rightarrow$  MACA W

Why ACK?

Why RRTS?

Is DS needed in 802.11?

Why “MILD” backoff strategy?

# More questions

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What if frame size  $<$  RTS size?

# Wireless + TCP

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Congestion signaling: Split TCP

Spurious retransmissions: Eifel



# WEP

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Turns out not so much.