

# A Survey On Routing Protocol Attacks In MANET

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**Abstract-** MANET is most widely used technology nowadays. “Mobile ad-hoc net-work (MANET)” is autonomous system and has dynamic topology. MANET is a Virtual net-work comprises of variable nodes with wirelessly links. Its virtual infrastructure fabricates MANET in various applications. For data dissemination nodes can publicize with each-one other inward the net-work without any physical medium. Due to defection of consolidated authority M-A-NET captivate the attackers. Hence, safeness is major aspect for this type of net-work. MANET is vulnerable to such type of attacks 1. Black hole attack, 2. Gray hole attack, 3. Wormhole attack. This piece of write-up, we will analyze different attacks performed on “Ad-hoc On-demand Distance Vector (AODV)” Reactive\_routing\_Protocol over M-A-NET.

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## I. INTRODUCTION

A “Mobile ad-hoc net-work (MANET)” is a combination of multiple wirelessly variable nodes that configures ephemeral net-work without any centralized authority. MANET is self-designed, virtual net-work of wirelessly variable nodes. These wireless nodes are dynamic in nature. Therefore, each node are liberate to approach autonomously in any location in the net-work. As wireless mobile nodes have characteristics that nodes can escape or associate the net-work at any instant of time.

In MANET, nodes itself acts like router establishes the communication with other nodes and exchange the data inward the net-work. As far as it is most convenient for data dissemination athwart on world wide, in simultaneous manner MANET is sensitive towards various attacks. Attacks can be classified under two major classifications:-

1. Static Attacks (Passive Attack)
2. Alive Attacks (Active Attacks)

A “Mobile Ad hoc Net-work (MANET)” is an addition of variable nodes furnished with a wireless transmitter and a receiver that publicizes with each one other via bifacial wirelessly links either directly or indirectly.

## II. ROUTING PROTOCOLS

In the routing\_table each node shares the information with the other nodes, each node has a rt\_routing table, which it shares with the neighboring nodes. As we have distinct types of routing\_protocols.

- Unicasting rp\_routing protocols
- Multicasting rp\_routing protocols
- Broadcasting rp\_routing protocols

But here we will discuss only ad-hoc rp\_routing protocols

- Proactive Rp\_routing protocols (PRP): In proactive rp\_routing protocols information is broadcasted. Here we have several mobile nodes, each node keeps their rt\_routing table and share it with the neighboring mobile nodes. Some of the pro-active rp\_routing protocols are “Optimized link state (OLS)” rp\_routing protocol[8] and “Destination-Sequenced-Distance-Vector (DSDV)” rp\_routing protocol. One of the major problem that we faces in the routing is that,as the size of the net-work increases the overhead increases,this degrades the proficiency of the protocols. In “Optimized link state (OLS)” routing overhead generated is greater than that of a reactive protocol but it does not increases as the no. of routes increases.On the other hand we have “Destination-Sequenced-Distance-Vector (DSDV)” rp\_routing protocol[5] is used in packet switch net- work.
- Reactive rp\_routing protocols (RRP): AODV[2] and DSR are two major reactive rp\_routing protocols
- Hybrid rp\_routing protocols

### A. DSDV

DSDV is created on the premise of Bellman–Ford routing calculation alongside a few changes. In DSDV rp\_routing protocol, every portable hub in the setup keeps a rt\_routing table. Each one of the rt\_routing table contains the record of every single accessible destination and the quantity of jumps to each. Every table section which is started by the destination hub, is labeled with an arrangement number. Occasional dissemination redesigns the rt\_routing tables help

to keep up the topology data of the system. In the event that there is any new noteworthy change in the routing data, the redesigns are transmitted quickly from the separate hubs. Along these lines, the routing data redesigned may either be occasion driven or intermittent. DSDV protocol requires every functional node in the system to publicize its own particular `rt_routing` table to its present neighbors which is either done by publicizing or by multicasting. Through the telecom, the neighboring hubs can roll out about any improvement that has happened in the setup in view of the developments of nodes. The routing upgrades could be issued in any of the 2 manners: Firstly is known as a "full dump" and secondly is "incremental". If there should arise an occurrence of full dump, the entire `rt_routing` table is sent to the neighbors, where as in the event of incremental redesign, just those passages which require changes are sent[3].

## B. AODV

The AODV routing convention is an adjustment of the DSDV convention for element interface conditions. Each hub in an adhoc net-work arrange keeps up a `routing_table`, which contains data about the start node to a specific destination. At whatever point a data bunch is to be sent by a hub, it first checks with its `rt_routing` table to figure out if a start node to the destination is as of now accessible. Assuming the concern, it utilizes that start node to send the parcels to the destination. Possibly and probably that a start node is not accessible on a different phase the beforehand entered start node is inactivated, then the hub starts a start node disclosure handle. A RREQ (Route REQuest) parcel is publicized by the hub. Each hub that gets the RREQ parcel first checks in the context that it is the destination for that parcel and provided it is to be true, it sends back a RREP (Route Reply) bundle. Possibly and probably that it is not the destination, then it checks with its directing table to figure out whether it has a start node to the destination. Possibly and probably that not, it transfers the RREQ parcel by publicizing it to its neighbors. In the context that its `rt_routing` table encloses a passage to the destination, then the following stride is the correlation of the 'Destination Sequence' number in its directing table to that display in the RREQ bundle. This `Dest_Seq_num` is the arrangement number of the last sent bundle from the destination to the source. Possibly and probably that the destination grouping number present in the `rt_routing` table is lesser than or equivalent to the one enclosed in the RREQ parcel, then the hub transfers the demand further to its neighbors. Possibly and probably that the number in the directing table is higher than the number in the parcel, it signifies that the start node is a 'crisp start node' and bundles can be sent through this start node. This middle of the road hub then sends a RREP bundle to the hub through which it got

the RREQ bundle. The RREP parcel gets handed-off back to the source through the start node. The source hub then redesigns its `rt_routing` table and sends its bundle through this start node. Amid the operation, if any hub recognizes a connection disappointment it sends a RERR (Route ERRor) parcel to every other hub that uses this interface for their correspondence to different hubs. In our work[3],[17] Reactive type (AODV) protocol is used. MANET'S have various characteristics that are:

- a) Multi-hop communication
- b) Dynamic topology
- c) Constrained resources
- d) Nodes work as routers

a) Low cost of deployment: As the name signifies "ad-hoc", deployment of ad-hoc network is very convenient, thus it does not demands costly framework. Ex:- Copper wires, Data cables, etc.

b) Quick arrangement: When conceded to WLANs, "ad-hoc net-works" are very acceptable purpose and easily disposable requires less manual intervention since there are no cables involved.

c) Active composition: "Ad hoc net-work" configuration changes quickly with time. Summary describes the useful attribute such as data exchanging in college building, banks etc. When we will compare it to configuration of LANs, it is very easy to change the net-work topology.

## III. RELATED WORK

Sathish M, Harikrishnan V S [2016] et al. paper depicts a novel methodology to decrease single and collaborative black hole attacks, with diminished routing, stockpiling and computational overhead. The technique fuses fake route request, `destination_sequence_num` and next hop information to ease the impediments of existing techniques[7].

Mohite, Vaishali Gaikwad, Lata Ragma [2015] et al. proposed a technique for distinguishing and staying away from cooperative blackhole attack we propose another procedure which utilizes Cooperative Cluster Agents. To evade single blackhole attack in MANET we considered a system those utilizations further Route\_Request packets. In the proposed approach we pass DRI and SRT-RRT table as a contribution to Cooperative Security Operators. In view of these information sources the CSAs utilize cross checking and location stream systems for recognizing cooperative blackhole attack, once it is distinguished that can be kept away from by passing ready notice in the MANET. For execution of the

proposed approach we will utilize net-work simulator - ns-2.35. We assess the proposed arrangement and contrast it and standard AODV protocol as far as throughput, packet delivery ratio and end-to-end delay[8].

I Muhammad Khan, F Aslam [2015] et al. proposed altogether break down these current methods on the premise of their impediments and in addition includes that are imperative in distinguishing wormhole attacks in MANETs Wormhole attack is a standout amongst the most extreme directing attacks, which is anything but difficult to actualize yet difficult to recognize. Regularly, it works in two stages; in the initial step, the wormhole hubs draw in more movement towards them through the wormhole channel, and in the second step, they begin hurting the net-work by changing or dropping the net-work activity. A few creators have proposed diverse answers for counter wormhole attacks in MANETs[9].

Bhalaji N and Shanmugam A [2012] et al. have implemented successful relief against the security attacks in the mobile adhoc net-work is a testing work. Along these lines the Greyhole nodes will be distinguished and won't be given inclination in the start node determination. The execution the proposed protocol is assessed by contrasting the recreation consequences of it and the standard DSR in nearness of Greyhole nodes. The reenactment comes about show that the proposed rp\_routing protocols can viably identify greyhole nodes and segregate them from routing[10].

Diep, Pham Thi Ngoc and Yeo, Chai Kiat [2015] et al. implemented a tremendous plan called Statistical-based Detection of Blackhole and Greyhole attackers (SDBG) to address both individual and intrigue assaults. Hubs are required to trade their experience record histories, based on which different hubs can assess their sending practices. To recognize the individual trouble making, we characterize sending proportion measurements that can recognize the behaviour of attackers from typical hubs. Vindictive hubs may abstain from being identified by conniving to control their sending proportion measurements. To constantly drop messages and advance the measurements in the meantime, attackers need to make fake experience records as often as possible and with high produced quantities of sent messages. We misuse the anomalous example of appearance recurrence and number of sent messages in fake experiences to outline a strong calculation to identify conspiring attackers. Broad reproduction demonstrates that our answer can work with different dropping probabilities and distinctive number of attackers per arrangement at high precision and low false positive[11].

Neha Sharma, Anand Singh Bisen [2016] et al. worked on a system for discovery of the black hole or, then again noxious hub. In this method, another technique a sort of trap technique is added in AODV convention for the location of noxious hubs. At the point when the Black hole hub is distinguished after that a alarming technique is activated to make different hubs mindful of malevolent hubs. [12].

Siddharth Dhama, Sandeep Sharma, and Mukul Saini [2016] et al. worked on testing as well as distinguishing BH hub. The test system utilized here to actualize the system is NS 2 and result demonstrated the adequacy of model as the throughput is high as contrasted with AODV that does not have proposed component. We are proposing a system for the recognition and avoidance of BH attack in the mobile ad hoc net-work. The steering convention that we are utilizing is Ad hoc on-request separate vector directing (AODV). As we realize that AODV is helpless against BH attack, where a hub imagines as a most limited way hub and gives false data to the sender[13].

H Ghayvat and S Pandya [2016] et al. proposed a security approach is to distinguish and relieve wormhole attack. It is secured Ad hoc on request remove vector (AODV) approach which productively discovers wormhole attack display in a MANET and Digital signature is utilized to anticipate it. This approach depends on a count of burrowing time taken by passage to break down the conduct of wormhole. A short time later, it chooses some static edge esteem. In view of this burrowing time and limit esteem, it chooses whether given hub is wormhole hub or dependable hub. An advanced signature and hash chain algorithm is connected to alleviate the wormhole hub. Remote Communication is an inescapable piece of Smart Home domain[14].

Shrishti Jain, and Sandeep K Raghuvanshi [2014] et al. worked on to displays behavioral abnormality base detection for gray hole attack and IDS hub watch the irregularity of information created by gray hole hub and broadcast the gray hole hub piece message to all took an interest hubs for prevention of that sort of attack. The whole work reproduce utilizing the net-work simulator-2 and break down the execution utilizing net-work base parameter and recognize the peculiarity generator hub and in addition information drop identification[15].

Brijendra Kumar Joshi and Megha Soni [2016] et al. showed security investigation of routing convention by and large and specially appointed on demand Separate Vector specifically under various sort of attacks. A MANet an is set of remote versatile hubs that offer a typical remote channel

with no brought together unit. As of late many rp\_routing protocols have been proposed for utilization of MANets in government, commercial and military territory. MANets have a few qualities, for example, dynamic nature, decentralized support and foundation less which make it greatly inclined to attacks. Security turns into a significant issue in the plan of rp\_routing protocols in MANets[16].

#### IV. ATTACKS

There are distinctive attacks in MANET, they may be internal or external, here in this piece of write-up we will discuss few attacks.

##### Black hole attack

Black hole means illusion or we can say that when one of the malicious node in the rt\_routing table act as a shortest path to the destination node (Consider Figure 1), because after getting a packet it will not forward the packet to the neighboring node, it will drop the packet, it is known as the black hole attack. It is also known as packet\_drop\_attack. Black hole attack[2],[5] is splitted into two types:

- Ordinary or single black hole attack
- Collaborative black hole attack

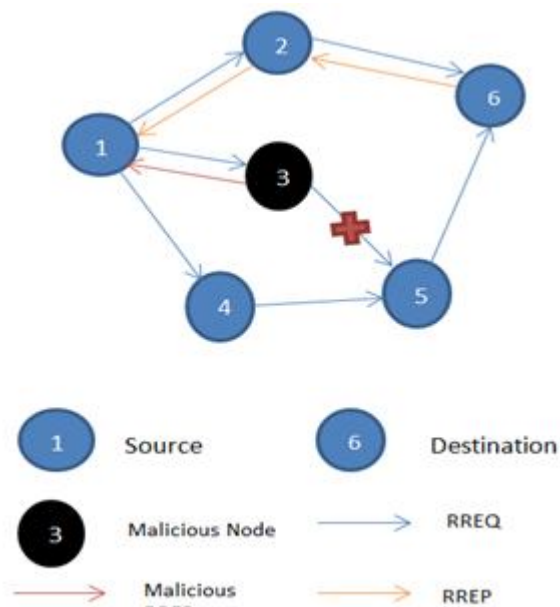


Figure: 1 Blackhole Attack

Interrupter can misuse the vulnerableness in route discovery procedures of on-demand rp\_routing protocols, such as AODV and DSR, when a node desires a route towards the destination. The node sends a RREQ and an interrupter proclaims itself as having the fresh route. By repeating this for

route requests received from other nodes, the interrupter may succeed in becoming part of many routes in the net-work. The interrupter, once chosen as an intermediary node, dumps the data bundle instead of remitting or processing them, causing a black hole [BH] in the net-work. The way the interrupter activates the blackhole attack and crimps the routes may differ in distinct rp\_routing protocols. For example, in AODV, the destination\_sequence\_num is used to represent the clean route. A higher value of dest\_seq means a fresher route. On receiving a RREQ, an interrupter can sponsor our self as having the fresher route by sending a Route\_Reply (RREP) bundle with a new destination\_sequence\_number additionally larger number than the current destination\_sequence\_number. In this way, the interrupter turns into the member towards the route to that destination. The severity of the assault rely upon the number\_of\_routes in the net-work the interrupter conveniently evolves into network.

Collaborative blackhole attack is broad in comparision to single blackhole attack. In Collaborative balckhole two or more than two or we can say multiple malignant nodes works in team to create maliciousness.

##### Gray hole attack

In black hole we have seen one of the node act as a malicious node where as in gray hole[4] initially a node act as a correct node but later on it will act as a malicious node (like that in black hole).So here we cannot identify the attacker easily. This is something more vulnerable than the black hole attack because initially all the nodes works correctly. A gray hole attack is an uncommon instance of the Black Hole attack[18], in which a interrupter initially catches the start node, i.e. turns out to be a part of the start node in the network and after that drops bunches specifically. Let's consider, the interrupter may drop packets for particular source nodes, or it may drop packets probabilistically or drop packets in some other specific pattern. As per our study we have mentioned, Black\_Hole and Gray\_Hole attacks are differentiative in nature like in packet dropping attacks, wherein interrupter quietly fails in forwarding bunches due to some reasons. On the different side Black\_Hole and Gray\_Hole attacks comprise two tasks: the attacker first captures routes and then either drops all packets as in Black\_Hole attack or some packets.

##### Worm hole attack

In worm hole two or more interrupter are connected through wormhole link[1]. In this attack attacker capture the packet and alter the information using the link and then forward the packet. Through this attack net-work is badly

affected. Here attacker can easily tunnel a packet to the destination node. Wormhole, the attack is produced by passages creation and it brings about entire interruption of routing ways on MANET. Two malignant nodes design a tunnel (Consider Figure 2) by means of committing something unethical is termed as worm hole attack.

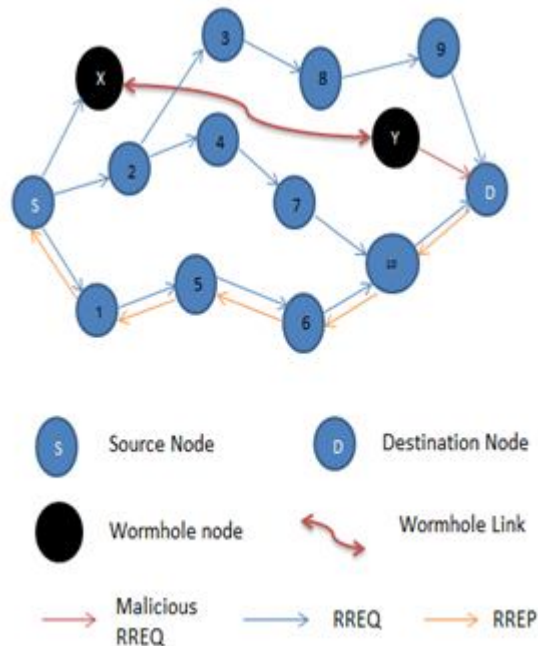


Figure: 2 Wormhole Attack

Means two malignant group nodes distant from each other are linked by a channel which creates a virtual reality that they are neighbors. Each one of the malignant nodes accept route\_request and topology control messages from the network and passes on to the other malignant group node via channel. Then they will replay from there into the network. By using this additional channel, these malignant group nodes will pretend themselves having nearest possible path through them. Once the attacking link is settled, the interrupters adopts each other as multipoint relays, which results into shuffling of some topology control messages and data packets through the wormhole channel and Worm hole node drop all the packets.

## V. CONCLUSION

As Mobile ad-hoc network (MANET) is most widely used technology which is an autonomous system and has dynamic topology. It is used in various applications. There are several types of protocols and attacks are discussed in this paper. It is required to develop the protocols of MANET which can mitigate the different types of attacks like black hole attack, grey hole attack and worm hole attack to make the MANET safe.

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