

## **A Novel Framework for Prevention of Black hole in Wireless Sensor Networks using Deep Belief Network (DBN)**

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### **Abstract**

Wireless Sensor Networks are playing essential role across the world with its features and different kinds of development stages. Many researchers are contributing to build the WSN and extract its features. Intruders are involving in between the WSN signals and modify are reconstruct the entire network or framework. In past decades, Viruses and Trojans are the threats for the End user and anti-virus software are sufficient to face these threats. But now a days, passive and active attacks are occurring while transmission of network packages. Even though different kinds of threats in a WSN framework, we are contributing blackhole attack prevention mechanism using Deep Belief Network (DBN). DBN is the deep learning module and we are able to construct more number of hidden layers. We extracted the probability of black hole parameters and trained with original values for getting optimum results.

**Keywords:** WSN, Deep Belief Network (DBN), black hole attack

### **1 INTRODUCTION**

Blackhole attack is an interruption, when an intermediary captures and re-programs a set of nodes in the network to block or drop the packets and generates false messages instead of forwarding the correct or true information in wireless sensor network through the base station. In routing path, the routing security methods and techniques works based on the blockage of data and the time of communication [8]. The attention of scientific and industrial domains is developed significantly by the Wireless Sensor Networks from the last decades of time. The term sensor field refers to a requisite number of sensor nodes scattered over by a WNS (Sabbir and Hassan, 2013; Sanjeev and Poonam, 2014). Node routing attackers consists of and that provide an environmental of separated attack with respect to the malicious nodes [6]. The Blackhole is a kind of Denial of Service (DoS) attack and is very difficult to detect and defend that are prone to various attacks by the Wireless Sensor Networks.

As a result, any information which enters the blackhole region is captured and not be able to reach the destination that causes high end-to-end delay and with low throughput. Previously little amount of Work is already done for both the detection and prevention methods of the blackhole

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attack in the WSN making its both the methods very crucial and essential as per the performance of the network is concerned. Initially the attack is measured on the parameters of the network followed by the proposal of a novel technique for both the methods of detection and prevention of Blackhole attack in Wireless Sensor Network.

The most important aspects and applications of Wireless Sensor Network (WSN) include the environmental monitoring, personal healthcare, enemy monitoring, etc. Often sometimes the most sensitive information is transferred and communicated to the destination node through an insecure medium. So by the Denial-of-Service (DoS) attacks, thus the WSN can be easily attacked. By these the data loss along with large energy expenditure takes place. Further, securing of the links is important in designing a sensor network. Blackhole attack is also DoS in nature.

### **1.1 MACHINE LEARNING IN WIRELESS SENSOR NETWORKS: ALGORITHMS, STRATEGIES, AND APPLICATIONS**

Over the period of time the wireless sensor networks (WSNs) dynamically monitors the environment that changes rapidly. This change of behaviour namely dynamic is neither caused by the factors of external or by the initiated system designers themselves. To have an idea and accept to such conditions, to eliminate the needs for unnecessary redesign, the machine learning techniques with the sensory networks are often accepted or adopted. To prolong the lifespan of the network, the machine learning maximizes the resource utilization and inspires many practical solutions. In this paper, we present and a literature of extensive review over the time of 2002-2013 of machine learning methods that were used for addressing the common issues in Wireless Sensor Networks. The merits and demerits of each proposed algorithms are against the evaluation of corresponding problem. To aid WSN designers are provided with comparative guides for developing solutions for their specific application challenges using suitable Machine Learning.

### **1.2 A REVIEW OF ML SOLUTIONS TO DENIAL-OF -SERVICES ATTACKS IN WIRELESS SENSOR NETWORKS.**

In various fields of remote data collection, the wireless sensor networks are used, such as environmental habitat monitoring, military applications, smart homes, traffic control, and health monitoring etc. The WSN are vulnerable to different or various types of attacks because they play a vital role in different domains and the sensors that are constructed by the resources. The Denial-of Service (DoS) attack is one of the main attack types that are threaten in WSNs. The various or different layers of network architecture can be carried out by DoS. In this paper the DoS attacks is reviewed at each layer of TCP/IP protocol stack. Besides that, we concentrate on the other network layers attacks due to more diverse than other attacks of Layer. A number of studies are reviewed for proposing machine learning solutions for pertaining to network layer DoS attacks in WSNs.

## **II LITERATURE REVIEW**

Soni Rani et al. (2016) have reported that wireless sensor network has a numerous form of applications in various fields of experiments such as military, health and environmental areas. This is due to withstand of harsh environmental conditions and ease of use conditions. They have also further discussed that security issues are of main that are to be concerned and networks are self-administrated in which that the nodes are to be self-organized and to have a reliable communication between them. They have discussed and expressed that the blackhole attack is

one of the very common attacks due to its stop communication from the various source of destination. They had further determined that there are numerous measures to detect and prevent the blackhole attack in networks.

They have done an experimental result on various algorithms to detect the blackhole attack. By demonstrating two specialized algorithms such as soft computing algorithms and AODV routing algorithms have done a research.

Sareen Karapoola et al. (2020) has discussed and concentrated on volumetric Distributed Denial of Service (DDoS) that are most important for the data technology-based organizations. As a victim these attacks results in revenue losses in terms of resource wastage and service of unavailability. As well as the Internet Service Provider (ISPs) along with the path of attack is demonstrated. This paper also presents or explains a detail hardware test-bed platform consisting of 30 routers on which the service of networks as a Net-police has to be implemented and a study on feasibility field. As an Experimental result reveals that the Net-Police performs better than the state-of-the-art that are traceback and cloud-based solutions in terms of the bandwidth ISP and the legitimate client's victim availability.

Baviskar et al. (2014) have concentrated and discussed that the Wireless Sensor Network consists of various nodes that can be communicated with each other by the use of Wireless Sensor Networks node is a static and it is said to be remained fixed in their position of general conception. A dominant manner for a long period of time has been deployed. They have also discussed that many researches have been mostly focused on WSN sensor nodes of energy consumption. It mainly focused and concentrated that in WSN the security is a critical issue because of the inherent limitations. Due to the computational capacity and usage of power, the blackhole attacks are one of the challenging attacks in the Security of WSN.

A set of nodes in the network is to block/ drop due to blackhole attacks when an adversary captures and re-programs a set of nodes and also, they receive and generate them towards the base station instead of forwarding them. Any data that enters the region of blackhole is captured. They have also reported that the blackholes are capable of effective and undermining network by the network partitioning. In such way the vital information doesn't reach the base stations. To overcome the blackhole attack in the networks, various techniques have been proposed on the secret sharing and multipath routing. It has been demonstrated that these techniques are not more effective, they may even end up by making more effective the blackhole attacks. It is deployed that the use of multiple base stations in network counter has the impact of data transmission of blackhole attacks. They have done an experimental result with the help of java simulator and the compare of performance with and without multiple base station to prevent the blackhole attacks.

Ankit Kumar et al. (2021) has discussed that the vehicular ad hoc networks (VANETs) which has gained a significant value in the domain research of intelligent transportation System (ITS). They have also provided a safety and security for both the drivers and passengers. VANETS are mostly differing in many terms of characteristics and the architecture of the system that is proposed. In these networks, any node can be functioned as a router for other nodes. Any network and a node connected to any network many inject the routing table by affecting the operations and tables of the networks. They have discussed as an experimental result that a secure AODV protocol of routing overcomes this issue and is used for developing the blackhole detection.

### **III IMPLEMENTATION**

During the transmission, the malicious are keenly watching all the packets and give the fake or wrong routing information to sender and drop the packets. So we implemented a novel

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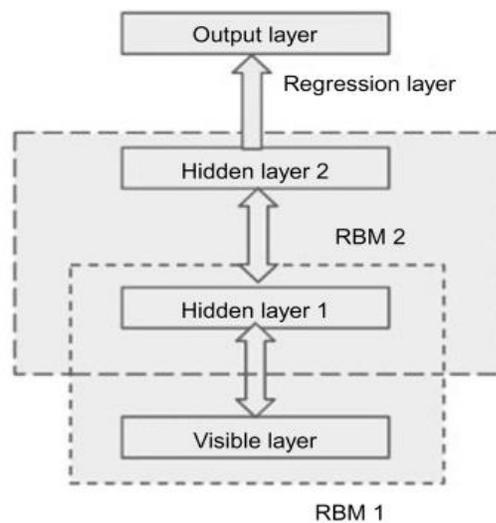
framework using Deep Belief Network to identify the malicious and identify the originality of protocol structure. It is pre-trained by greedy methods with top-down priority approach and depending on the weights. DBN is working on the layer by layer approach with the stack of RBM (Restricted Boltzmann machine) algorithm. In the RBM stack, a layer is cable of communicating with previous layer and subsequent layer. In the join distribution between vector and hidden layer are calculated as

$$P(x, h^1, \dots, h^l) = \left( \prod_{k=0}^{l-2} P(h^k | h^{k+1}) \right) P(h^{l-1}, h^l)$$

$X=h_0, \quad P(h^k | h^{k+1})$  –

Conditional\_Distribution

Level K =  $P(h^{l-1}, h^l)$  – Visible and hidden\_Joint\_Distribution



**Figure 3.1 Architecture of DBM with 2 RBM**

Deep neural network is used to solve two kinds of problem. They are directed problem and Inverse problem. Direct problem is to paraphrase the cognitive functions of human mind system. Inverse problem is to simulate the applications of engineering based systems with biological structure. This network is constructed by few layers. Each layer is made of nodes. The computations are performed in this node with the construction of neuron in human brain. A node is mixed with coefficients or weights of the relevant information.

| d      | Time | Is_CH | Who CH | Dist_T<br>o_CH | JOIN_<br>S | JOIN_<br>R | SCH_S | SCH_R | Rank | DATA<br>_S | DATA<br>_R | Data_S<br>ent_T<br>o_BS | Dist_C<br>H_To<br>_BS | Consu<br>med<br>energy | Attack<br>type |
|--------|------|-------|--------|----------------|------------|------------|-------|-------|------|------------|------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|----------------|
| 106079 | 303  | 1     | 106079 | 0              | 0          | 75         | 1     | 0     | 0    | 0          | 1350       | 7                       | 108.3                 | 1.64                   | Grayh<br>ole   |
| 107033 | 353  | 1     | 107033 | 0              | 0          | 71         | 1     | 0     | 0    | 0          | 1349       | 9                       | 162.6                 | 2.033                  | Grayh<br>ole   |
| 115021 | 753  | 1     | 115021 | 0              | 0          | 59         | 1     | 0     | 0    | 0          | 1298       | 0                       | 0                     | 0.007                  | Blackh<br>ole  |
| 117044 | 853  | 1     | 117044 | 0              | 0          | 54         | 54    | 0     | 0    | 0          | 0          | 0                       | 0                     | 0.007                  | Schedu<br>ling |
| 103043 | 153  | 1     | 103043 | 0              | 0          | 47         | 1     | 0     | 0    | 0          | 1269       | 14                      | 145.1                 | 1.88                   | Grayh<br>ole   |
| 105005 | 253  | 1     | 105005 | 0              | 0          | 47         | 1     | 0     | 0    | 0          | 1170       | 7                       | 137.6                 | 0.921                  | Grayh<br>ole   |
| 110024 | 503  | 1     | 110024 | 0              | 0          | 35         | 1     | 0     | 0    | 0          | 1200       | 15                      | 113.3                 | 2.058                  | Grayh<br>ole   |
| 101041 | 53   | 1     | 101041 | 0              | 0          | 34         | 1     | 0     | 0    | 0          | 1258       | 0                       | 0                     | 0.002                  | Blackh<br>ole  |
| 102040 | 103  | 1     | 102040 | 0              | 0          | 31         | 1     | 0     | 0    | 0          | 1240       | 0                       | 0                     | 0.007                  | Blackh<br>ole  |
| 201061 | 1003 | 1     | 201061 | 0              | 0          | 31         | 1     | 0     | 0    | 0          | 1240       | 0                       | 0                     | 0.007                  | Blackh<br>ole  |
| 118058 | 903  | 1     | 118058 | 0              | 0          | 27         | 27    | 0     | 0    | 0          | 0          | 0                       | 0                     | 0.007                  | Schedu<br>ling |
| 103003 | 153  | 1     | 103003 | 0              | 0          | 22         | 1     | 0     | 0    | 0          | 1166       | 29                      | 85.2                  | 2.07                   | Grayh<br>ole   |
| 111050 | 553  | 0     | 111093 | 15.17          | 1          | 0          | 0     | 1     | 10   | 22         | 0          | 0                       | 0                     | 0.042                  | Norma<br>1     |

Table 3.1 A Dataset for Intrusion Detection Systems in Wireless Sensor Networks

|            | Normal | Flooding | Scheduling | Grayhole | Blackhole |
|------------|--------|----------|------------|----------|-----------|
| Normal     | 135488 | 358      | 40         | 160      | 20        |
| Flooding   | 0      | 1331     | 0          | 0        | 0         |
| Scheduling | 32     | 0        | 2629       | 6        | 18        |
| Grayhole   | 31     | 0        | 11         | 5400     | 429       |
| Blackhole  | 0      | 0        | 7          | 2647     | 1384      |

Table 3.2 One – hidden layer (Confusion Matrix)

In Mobile Adhoc Network (MANET), Blackhole [8] is an active attack and it can process with RREQ message (Route Request). Malicious node is intruding and posts the fake copy of RREP (Request Reply). So the transmission will be happened with packet lost. We analyzed following parameters for extracting the features to overcome the black hole attack.

| Parameters     | Description                                      |
|----------------|--|
| Protocol       | AODV (Ad-hoc On-demand Distance Vector) Protocol |
| Channel Mode   | Wireless Sensor                                  |
| Time           | 120 sec  |
| Traffic in WSN | Cooperative Balancing Routing                    |
| Packet         | 780  |
| Nodes          | 80   |
| Data speed     | 0.2 mbps   |

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|-----|--|
| QOS | Packet delivery ratio, Delay, Overhead |
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Table 3.3 Parameters of Black-Hole evaluation

**IV RESULT AND DISCUSSION**

As we discussed in the section 3.1 and 3.2, first and foremost to suppose identify the original parameter metrics and measure the deviations from the current routing path if block hole will appear. The following steps depicts the way of processing our framework

Step 1: Malicious or Intruder identification;

Step 2: Malicious initialization; we suppose to use Boolean as true or false

Step 3: Black hole demonstration  
 (black hole (parameters == true)  
 Malicious = true

Step 4: Reconstruct Request and Reply

Step 5: Modify the routing path

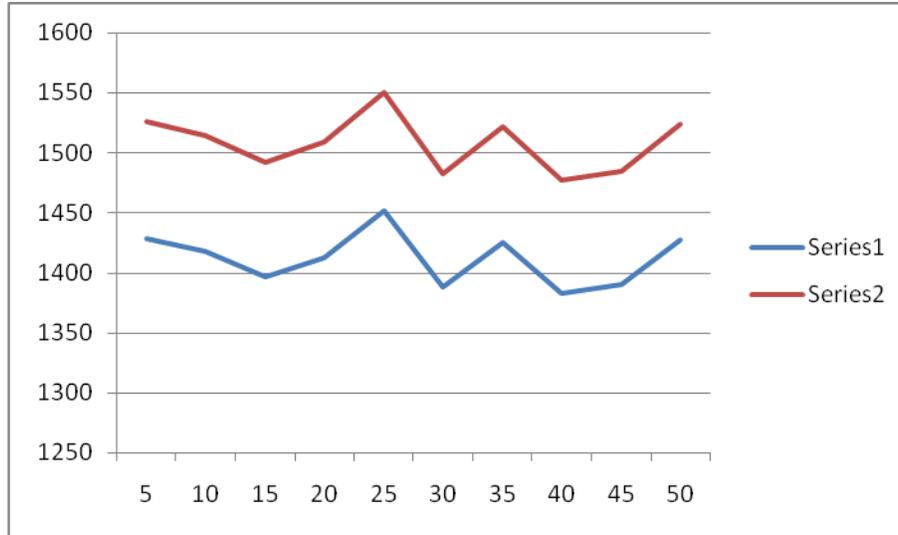
Step 6: Redo Step 3 to Step 5 until the packets will be delivered

Step 7: Analyze the accuracy

**Performance Analysis**

| No.Nodes | Packet Delivery Ratio | ABC Throughput | Proposed Throughput |
|----------|-----------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| 5        | 97.04                 | 1428.4288      | 1525.4688           |
| 10       | 96.29                 | 1417.3888      | 1513.6788           |
| 15       | 94.9                  | 1396.928       | 1491.828            |
| 20       | 95.94                 | 1412.2368      | 1508.1768           |
| 25       | 98.6                  | 1451.392       | 1549.992            |
| 30       | 94.31                 | 1388.2432      | 1482.5532           |
| 35       | 96.8                  | 1424.896       | 1521.696            |
| 40       | 93.94                 | 1382.7968      | 1476.7368           |
| 45       | 94.44                 | 1390.1568      | 1484.5968           |
| 50       | 96.93                 | 1426.8096      | 1523.7396           |

Table 4.1 Performance analysis with ABC and DBN



**Figure 4.1 Comparison Chart**

We analyzed throughput which is calculated by packet size (Estimated time – arrived time) \* 0.008. Artificial Bee colony algorithms [7] with DBN algorithm have been processed and simulation results are showing the difference between them with maximum of 50 nodes.

## V CONCLUSION

Today's world is function with WSN signals and data transmission. Even though WSN is the ancient concept of Information Technology but redefinition or re-configuration are essential for the researchers and society. We narrated in Chapter – I and II, significance of WSN and impacts of black hole attack. Hence we discussed with existing ABC algorithm and Deep belief network. Based on the simulation results, it shows comparatively high throughput. Trustworthy optimization, Intruder avoidance and PDR with high ratio are major parameters to define the best Wireless Sensor Network. In this paper, we have contributed black hole attack avoidance with deep learning concepts with reasonable accuracy.

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