

# DP and its variations

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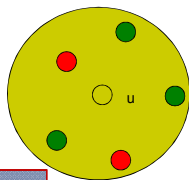
## Today's Menu

- Dominant Pruning (DP)
- Partial Dominant Pruning (PDP)
- Total Dominant Pruning (TDP)
- Multi-cover Dominant Pruning (MDP)

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## Dominant pruning (DP)

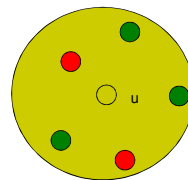
- Proactive
- A node selects some of its neighbors for forwarding to make sure that all of its 2-hop neighbors receive the packet.
- The selected set of nodes are called forward list and specified in the packet header
- While selecting 1-hop neighbors, a node tries to engage as minimum number as possible



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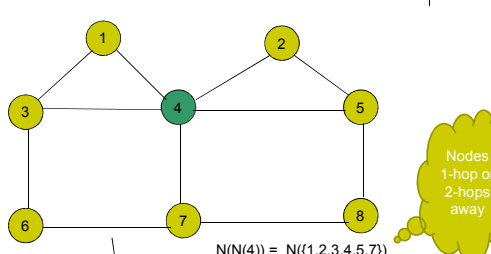
## Some terminology

- Needs 2-hop information
- Periodic beacon messages can be used to generate 2-hop neighbor info.
- Let:
  - $N(u)$  = nodes exactly 1-hop away
  - $N(N(u))$  = nodes either 1-hop or 2-hop away
  - $N(N(u)) - N(u)$  = nodes exactly 2-hops away



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## Example



Nodes 1-hop or 2-hops away

$$N(4) = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$$

$$N(N(4)) = N(\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7\})$$

$$= \{\text{exactly 1-hop}\} \cup \{\text{exactly 2-hop}\}$$

$$= \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7\} \cup \{8\}$$

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## Dominant pruning explained

- Two cases
  - The originator
  - Intermediate forwarding node

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## Originator case explained

- Suppose node  $v$  is the originator of a broadcast packet
- Node  $v$  creates a list of neighbors who should forward after receiving from  $v$ .
- Here is how  $v$  creates the forward list
  - All its 1-hop neighbors in  $N(v)$  will receive when  $v$  will broadcast.
  - Among its all 1-hop and 2-hop neighbors the following set of nodes  $U_v$  haven't received yet:  $U_v = N(N(v)) - N(v)$
  - The forward list is the minimum subset of  $B_v$  such that each node in  $U_v$  is neighbor of some node in  $B_v$ .

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## Originator case explained

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## DP Algorithm in action

$N(4) = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$   
 $N(N(4)) = N(4) \cup \{6, 8\}$   
 $= \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\}$

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## DP Algorithm in action

Two solutions:  $\{3, 5\}$  and  $\{7\}$   
 Engage as minimum as possible

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## Intermediate Forwarding node case

- Suppose node  $v$  received a broadcast from  $u$ .
- Node  $v$  creates a list of neighbors who should re-forward after receiving from  $v$ .
- Here is how  $v$  creates the forward list
  - Among all its 2-hop neighbors, nodes in  $N(u)$  already received the broadcast from  $u$ .
  - All its 1-hop neighbors in  $N(v)$  will receive when  $v$  will broadcast.
  - Among its all 1-hop and 2-hop neighbors the following set of nodes  $U_v$  haven't received yet:  $U_v = N(N(v)) - N(v) - N(u)$
  - The forward list is the minimum subset of  $B(u, v)$  such that each node in  $U_v$  is neighbor of some node in  $B(u, v)$ .

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## Can be mapped to a set cover problem

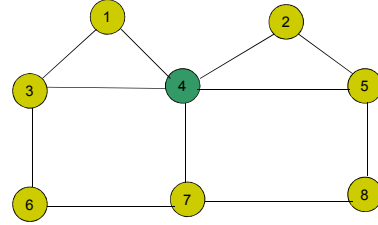
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## DP algorithm

1. Let  $F = \emptyset$ ,  $K = \{S_1, S_2, \dots, S_n\}$  where  $S_k = N(v_k) \cap U (1 \leq k \leq n)$ ,  $Z = \emptyset$ .
2. Find the set  $S_k$  whose size is maximal in a set  $K$ .
3.  $F = F \cup \{v_k\}$ ,  $Z = Z \cup S_k$ ,  $K = K - \{S_k\}$ ,  $S_l = S_l - S_k$  for all  $S_l \in K$ .
4. If  $Z = U$ , complete the algorithm.
5. Otherwise, repeat from 2 again.

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## DP Algorithm in action



$$N(u) = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7\}$$

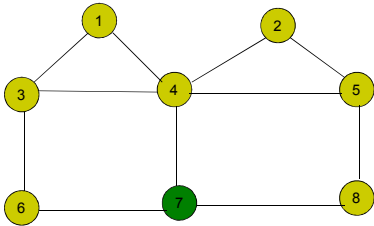
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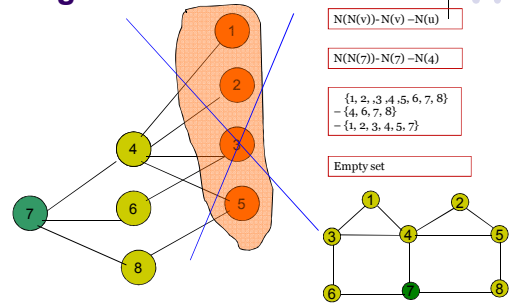
## DP Algorithm in action (for Node 7)



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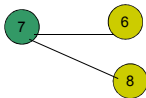
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## DP Algorithm in action



$$N(N(v)) - N(v) - N(u)$$

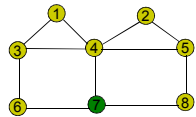
$$N(N(7)) - N(7) - N(4)$$

$$\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\}$$

$$- \{4, 6, 7, 8\}$$

$$- \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7\}$$

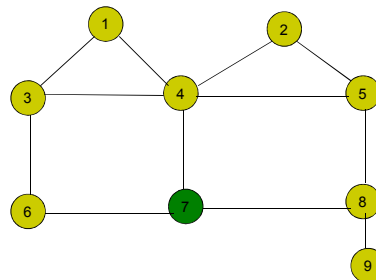
$$\text{Empty set}$$



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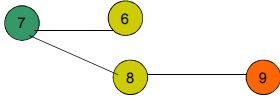
## A slight modification



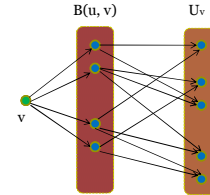
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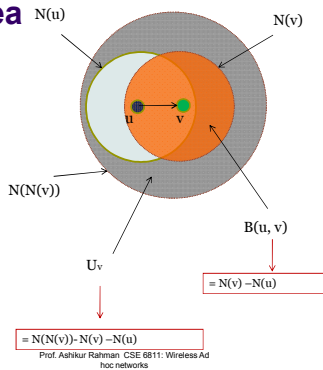


## Further optimization in DP!



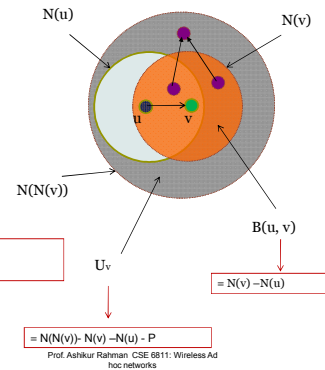
Optimization is only possible if we can reduce size of U set!

## Basic Idea



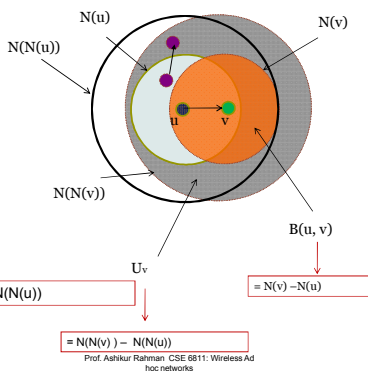
## PDP

Case 1:  
Neighbor of a common neighbor

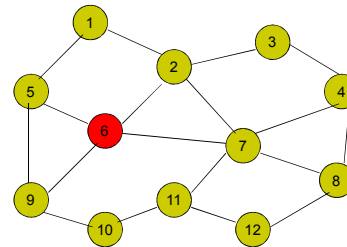


## TDP

Case 2:  
Common in both  $N(N(u))$  and  $N(N(v))$



## Example in DP



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### In PDP

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## Is redundancy always a bad thing?

Of course not! (think about "un-trusted" environment)

Untrusted Network →

- Network with selfish nodes
- Noisy environment
- Network with intentionally un-cooperative nodes

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Example: Noisy environment:  
Level of Arsenic monitoring in Bangladesh.  
A joint project by UCLA, MIT and BUET.

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## Trade off game

- Un-trusted environment demands fault tolerant design of protocols!
- To make broadcasting algorithms fault tolerant we need *increased* redundancy!

Minimize Redundancy ↔ Increase Fault-Tolerance

- Wouldn't be nice if we could control redundancy with the help of some tunable parameter(s)?

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## Multi-cover Dominant Pruning (MDP)

- Reformulate the problem as a set-multicover problem to make it fault-tolerant.
- Now the forward list is the minimum subset of  $B(u, v)$  such that each node in  $U_v$  is neighbor of at least  $m$  nodes in  $B(u, v)$ .
- $m$  becomes the tunable parameter. With  $m = 1$  the algorithm becomes dominant pruning and  $m = \infty$  the algorithm becomes simple flooding.

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## MDP Example

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