



## **IoT based Fire and Emergency Evacuation Using Virtual Sensors**

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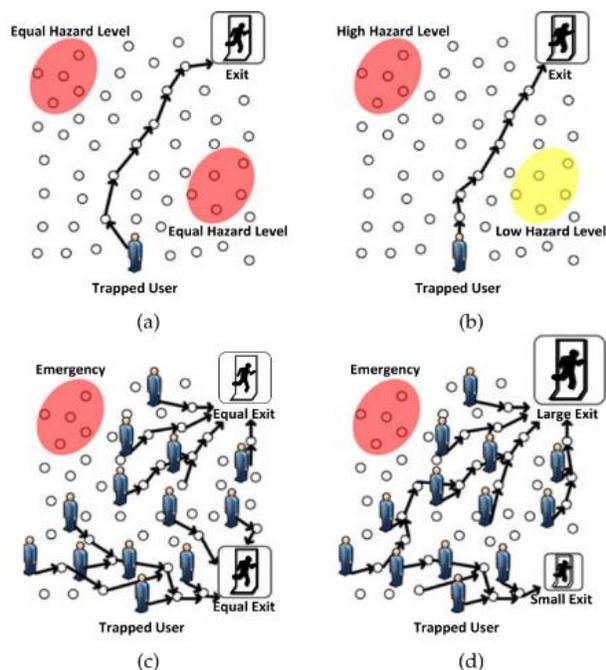
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**Abstract-**People make use of technology to come out of any discrepancy these days. In this mobile scenario, people are equipped with devices that can communicate with sensors. When emergency occurs, navigation services in the smartphones can guide people move to exits while they can safeguard themselves form emergency situations and can be helpful in saving lives. To achieve this there needs an automatic and early detection of emergencies and dangers which also requires proper navigation services and quick response provided with the most safest and easiest path to exits. For this there needs to be an environment monitoring using a viable source and reliable data transmission methodology. Wireless sensor networks (WSNs) are used to support emergency and navigation services. WSNs are most likely to deploy easily at an affordable cost and have the ability of ubiquitous sensing. Previous works on emergency navigation have excluded considering hazardous levels of emergency and navigation capabilities to reach the exits. In such a case developers fail to consider the congestion levels at each exits and high hazard levels and lower evacuation capabilities, which becomes an important demerit and needs to be rectified. In this paper, a different algorithm is used where the sensor network explores the emergencies and provides necessary guidance information to the mobile users so that the users can be eventually guided to safe exits as well as considering the hazard levels and congestion at exits and hence the best path is provided.

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### **1. Introduction**

Many Hazardous situations may arise these days and there is critical need of an emergency navigation where the methods are available and popular with the use of WSNs. Different emergency situation can occur with different Hazard levels. The various methods proposed earlier include paths of emergency navigation that consider the entire emergency situation equally and the hazard levels are not taken into consideration. For example in case of any emergency such a poisonous gas leakage the hazardous level is most likely to be calculated by the poisonousness of the leaked gas. Considering if there is a poisonous gas leakage and in such a case, chlorine gas is more poisonous gas than the carbon monoxide. Moreover, sizes of leakage holes decide the hazardousness of the gas. When the size is more big then there is an alarming increase in rate and hence the hazardous level needs to be considered and also taken into account. When different hazard levels are not considered in case of emergency, it may fail to provide proper navigation services. Another limitation is that the evacuation capabilities of exits are assumed to be equal. When there is more than one entrance it is common for the public to opt for the nearer ones, which may not be the safest and also becomes congested as shown in Fig. 1. Such a strategy will probably guide a majority of people to one of the exits and hence congestion occurs and prolongs the emergency navigation time while other exits are at low usages. It is most important part is to define the path properly and hence the hazardousness will be a factor for measuring the level of emergency situation and guiding the user to the safest path has a greater role in here. It is non-trivial to extend the existing methods which aims at navigating users along the paths with equal distances to emergencies.



**Fig. 1** Emergency navigation with a 2D WSN.

The emergency navigation paths when (a) there are equal hazard levels of emergencies, (b) the hazard level is higher and lower, (c) the two exits have equal evacuation capabilities, and (d) one exit has higher evacuation capability than the other.

Defining the safety properly is the main challenge, whereas incorporating the impacts of both different hazard levels of emergencies and different capabilities of the exits at the same time. It is still difficult to incorporate the impact of different capabilities of the exits at the same time. For one thing, the evacuation capability of an exit represents the safety level instead of the hazard level, but a unified treatment is not there. For another, it is not easy to extend the way of direction identification on the backbone, such that the direction can divert the flows to exits in accordance with their capabilities. To address the above issues, in this paper, we present an IoT-based fire and emergency evacuation which takes the hazard levels of emergencies and the evacuation capabilities of exits into account and provides the mobile users the safest navigation paths. We thus propose to model the evacuation capabilities and the hazard levels of emergencies of exits as hazard potentials with positive and negative values, respectively. Then we establish a hazard potential field in the network. By guiding users in the hazard potential field, our method can achieve success of navigation and provide safety to users. It does not require any location information.

We present the Preliminaries in Section 2 and elaborate on our approach in Section 3, we provide the related works in Section 4, System architecture and working in Section 5, and present the conclusion in section 6 with final references

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

### 2.1 NETWORK MODEL

We consider a field with multiple emergency events and many different exits with different evacuation capabilities. People within the field are anticipated to be immediately navigated to appropriate exits while being far away from emergencies in proportion to corresponding hazard levels. Specifically, the emergency navigation paths are to be far away from areas with higher hazard levels, and exits with higher evacuation capabilities should be guided with more people. On the basis of these observations, we thus formulate the navigation problem as a path planning problem. The Path with greater efficiency should be in the answer for most situations.

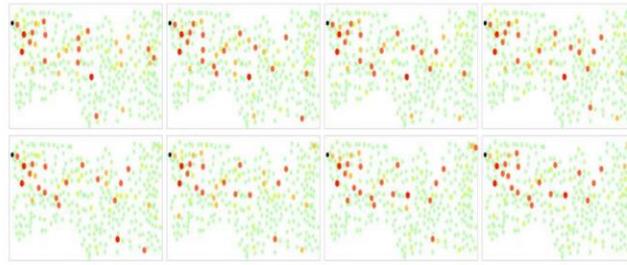


Fig. 2 The Figure depicts the network traffic where the Red dots are the highly traffic areas and the green dots are lesser traffic affected areas.

Here the efficiency in terms refers to the lesser hazardous areas and the shortest path which should be found out by using the algorithms. The network should be used to form the traffic and congestion lesser paths as shown in Fig. 2. The network traffic should be controlled and the path without any traffic or congestion should be produced as the best and most efficient path.

### 2.2 NAVIGATION PROCESS

An emergency navigation problem is to find the optimal emergency navigation paths. Where quantifying the safety of a path is equal to quantifying the hazard of a path, which is closely related to emergency. In the following, we first focus on the hazard of any arbitrary point in the field of interest, where the sensors are being available and the emergency place which is the basis of finding the safest navigation path. To quantify the hazard of a location, we introduce a novel metric called hazard intensity, which is based on the observation that for an internal user, one may feel more hazardous threat when getting closer to emergencies, and would feel safer when getting closer to exits. The centralized server checks with the user's source and destination and find the path for the respective travel and navigate the user in the map level. Furthermore, the feeling should be a vector that has the ability to describe the direction of the hazardous event. If the user is in need to get the particular path from the source to the destination. The user request for the path with the destination that user should reach.

### 2.3 HAZARD POTENTIAL FIELD

we will now able to define the hazard potential field in a continuous space and finding the safest paths for trapped users. The Potential field is set for a particular region where the occurs an emergency situation and the when the region is set the trapped users needs to te find the exits which are far away from the hazardous region. The goal is to find the shortest route and the one which is far away from the possibly safe region and save the users. Hazard potential field is the region where there is a high change of getting affected or the region which from the most affected to the least affected and the paper helps to find the most probably possible route which gets satisfied being safe for the users. According to psychology, it is said to be more safe when we are away from the emergency or the hazardous situations and or nearer to a exit. The more the farer from emergency and the more closer to the exits that safer we are is the most probable consideration.

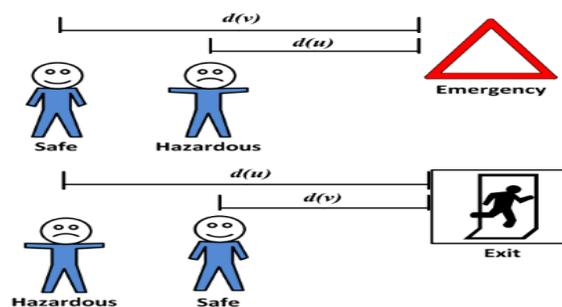


Fig.3 This Figure depicts the safe feeling of a normal human being based on hazardous region and the exits.

### 3 ALGORITHM

Based on the aforementioned theoretical foundation in continuous domains, in this section, we further describe the details of SEND algorithm in discrete sensor networks. We first define hazard potential field in the network, which is the discrete counterpart of hazard potential field in continuous domains. Then we propose an iterative method to establish the hazard potential field by sensor readings in a fully distributed manner. Based on the established hazard potential field, we next propose a path selection method and theoretically prove that the selected paths guarantee successful navigation and are optimal in terms of safety. We also propose a scheme to accelerate the establishment of the hazard potential field, in order to achieve timely emergency navigation.

#### 3.1 Hazard Potential Field in Sensor Networks

A relatively dense sensor network can be viewed as a discrete approximation of a continuous space  $R$ . The sensor network is then modelled as an undirected graph  $G(V,E)$ , where  $V$  is the set of vertices that represent the sensor nodes, and  $E$  denotes the set of edges that represent the communication links between sensor nodes. Let  $V_d$  denote the sensors with hazardous readings,  $V_e$  the sensors at the exits, and  $V_n$  the remaining sensors with normal readings.

We first define the hazard potential field in discrete WSNs. According to the mean value property of the hazard potential field in Section 2, the hazard potential function  $F(v)$  of a sensor node  $v$  satisfies the following equation:

$$F(v) = \frac{1}{|N(v)|} \sum_{u \in N(v)} F(u), \quad v \in V_n,$$

However, when emergencies occur across the sensor field, only the sensor nodes near the emergencies and exits have abnormal readings. It is not easy for the hazard potential functions of all sensors to satisfy. Therefore, we need to distribute these readings to the whole network and establish the hazard potential field.

#### 3.2 Iterative Hazard Potential Field Establishment

Based on the mean value property, we propose an iterative method to distribute abnormal readings to the network and establish the hazard potential field in a fully distributed manner. To be more concrete, when there is no emergency, each node  $v \in V_n$  is assigned a hazard potential value as 0, while each sensor  $v \in V_e$  is assigned a negative hazard potential value reversely proportional to its capability. When the emergency happens, each sensor  $v \in V_d$  will set its hazard potential value with a positive value proportional to the hazard level of its reading. Theoretically, the hazard potential of the sensor  $v \in V_d$  could be any positive number, and a larger potential represents a larger hazardous reading; likewise, the potential of the sensor  $v \in V_e$  could be any negative number, and a larger potential represents a smaller capability. In our implementation, the potential of the sensor with a hazardous reading is set in  $1/20; 1$ , while the potential of the exit is set in  $1/21; 0$ . For example, in the experiment, we set the potential of the sensor with a small (resp. large) hazardous reading with  $0.5$  (resp.  $1$ ), and the potential of the small (resp. large) exit with  $0.5$  (resp.  $1$ ). At first, every sensor  $v \in V_n \cup V_e$  has set its hazard potential value. When the emergency happens, every sensor  $v \in V_d$  begins to set its hazard potential value. At this time, the potentials of the sensors with hazardous readings, the exits and other sensors with normal readings are positive, negative and zero, respectively. When the hazard potential function  $F(v)$  of  $v \in V_d \cup V_e$  is fixed, every sensor  $v \in V_n$  conducts the iteration as follows:

$$F^{(k+1)}(v) \leftarrow \frac{1}{|N(v)|} \sum_{u \in N(v)} F^k(u), \quad v \in V_n.$$

According to Dirichlet boundary condition this iterative process will finally converge if the hazard potential  $F(v)$  at the position of  $v \in V_d \cup V_e$  is set to be constant. Once the hazard potentials of all nodes in the network are stable, the final  $F(v)$  is the hazard potential of node  $v \in V$ .

### 3.3 Safest Paths Identification

With the established hazard potential field in the sensor network, it is straightforward to select the safest paths among all possible paths that link the internal users and safe exits. In particular, every user initiates the path selection by communicating to a nearby sensor node  $v \in N(v)$  with a normal reading,

$$S(v) = \arg \min_{u \in N(v)} F(u),$$

which then selects a neighbor node  $u \in N(v)$  with the smallest hazardous potential  $F(u)$  among its neighbors and sets it as the next destination node. By repeating this process, the emergency navigation path comes into being and is guaranteed to reach the sensor at the location of one exit. This process can then be expressed as shown. Where  $S(v)$  denotes the next destination node of the current sensor  $v$ .

### 4. RELATED WORKS:

**SEND: A Situation-Aware Emergency Navigation Algorithm with Sensor Networks, Chen Wang, Member, Hongzhi Lin, Rui Zhang, and Hongbo Jiang** It leads the primary work on circumstance mindful crisis route by thinking about a more broad and functional issue, where crises of various danger levels also, exits with various clearing abilities may coincide. They first model the circumstance mindful crisis route issue and formally characterize the security of a route way. They at that point propose a completely dispersed calculation to give clients the most secure route ways, and a quickened form that can fundamentally help up the speed of the route. The two investigations and broad reproductions in 2D furthermore, 3D situations approve the viability of SEND. They are right now giving to directing a little scale framework model under more perplexing situations. Later on, they might want to investigate displaying the risk speed in the unique circumstance of crisis route. They likewise plan to coordinate with the nearby Fire Department to test our model, e.g., in the putting out fires works out, to give more confirmations on the genuine consequences for client security in genuine situations during this paper

**Composable Information Gradients in Wireless Sensor Networks, Huijia Lin, Maohua Lu, Nikola Milosavljević and Jie Gao** had demonstrated that symphonies data possibilities, a lightweight structure that keeps up and diffuses data accessibility, can be extremely useful in controlling data stream and information driven questions in sensor systems. The rich structure of symphonious capacities takes into account extraordinary adaptability furthermore, flexibility in directing calculation plans and they anticipate that numerous future utilizations of these procedures will be conceivable during this paper

**Connectivity-Guaranteed and Obstacle-Adaptive Deployment Schemes for Mobile Sensor Networks, Guang Tany, Stephen A. Jarvis and Anne-Marie Kermarrec** had introduced two sensor sending plans for portable sensor arrangements all in all 2-D fields. The major contrast of our plans from earlier work is their adaptiveness to subjective system densities or correspondence extends, and to deterrents. Our first plan is an improved type of the customary virtual power based technique, which is appeared to perform well just in extremely confined situations. They at that point propose a story based plan which demonstrates great execution in all cases during this paper

**Optimal Path Selection for Mobile Robot Navigation Using Genetic Algorithm, Tamilselvi, Mery and Hariharasudhan** had proposed hereditary calculation for way arranging of a portable robot. The hereditary calculation joins the space learning into its concern particular hereditary administrators. The created GA additionally includes its proficient assessment technique that is incredibly advantageous for developing great arrangements from infeasible arrangements. The most vital adjustment connected to the calculation is the wellness assessment. Because of the adjustment, the ideal way is gotten in the 50 ages where the ideal way is gotten in 283 age were discussed this paper

**Evaluating Service Disciplines for Mobile Elements in Wireless Ad Hoc Sensor Networks, iang He, Zhe Yang, Jianping Pan, Lin Cai1, and Jingdong Xu2** demonstrating and examination are indicated precise yet a few issues should be additionally investigated. Here they talk about some of these issues and the bearings of progressing

work. Obviously, the suspicion of a square detecting field may not hold by and by. Notwithstanding, our line based demonstrating and investigation approaches are as yet plausible notwithstanding for any broad detecting fields, gave that the separation appropriation between discretionary areas in the field can be gotten, e.g., they have additionally systematically inferred the irregular separation dispersions related with rhombuses and hexagons [31], [32]. Besides, if the detecting field is of sporadic shape, which might be valid in certain cases, they can receive the polygon-guess way to deal with estimated the field by the mix of a few consistent shapes, and determine the arbitrary separation circulations inside what's more, between them during this paper

**Efficient Data Aggregation in Multi-hop Wireless Sensor Networks Under Physical Interference Model Xiang-Yang Lit, XiaoHua Xu, ShiGuang Wang, ShaoJie Tang, GuoJun Dait, JiZhong Zhao and Yong Qi** consider the conglomeration booking with least inertness under the physical impedance display in remote sensor systems. They proposed a disseminated collection booking calculation, and demonstrated that the dormancy accomplished by our calculation is  $O(R + \sim)$  schedule vacancies, which is inside a steady factor of ideal in the event that they can just utilize connects in  $G(V, 8r)$ . They additionally gave the general lower-bound of idleness by any calculation for accumulation booking under the physical impedance show. They additionally investigated accumulation idleness in an arbitrarily conveyed remote systems. A few fascinating inquiries are left for future research. The first is to enhance the steady estimation proportion of our booking calculation. The second is to outline proficient information collection strategy that has the asymptotical ideal execution ensure contrasted and the ideal dormancy utilizing  $G(V, r)$ . The third is to stretch out our calculation to manage a more broad way misfortune show during this paper

**Boosting Sensor Network Calculus by Thoroughly Bounding Cross-Traffic, Steffen Bondorf and Jens B. Schmitt** of the two stages associated with arrange math execution investigation, bouncing a specific stream of premium's cross-activity landings and inferring its deferral and excess bound, they center on the previous one in this paper. Albeit much exertion has so far been put resources into the last one, they demonstrated that commonly it just devours around 20% of the calculation time. The high exertion of cross-activity entry bouncing is caused by the degree it is joined with the topology it is connected to. So as to break this reliance, they contribute a novel hypothesis that sums up the established link hypothesis – which is just relevant to couples of servers – to empower for sink tree examination. The summed up link hypothesis for sensor organize analytics permits to bound entries of person cross-streams for all intents and purposes isolated from each other and from the topology. Without trading off the nature of the limits, the different outcomes can be joined to the entire crosstraffic total's landing bound. This trademark presents an alleged stream area that prompts significantly decreased many-sided quality and along these lines asset request of the whole examination and furthermore supports versatility against recalculations caused by parameter changes. They could diminish the offer of landing bouncing from 80% to under 15% and in this manner diminish the general time to fulfillment of the examination by in excess of a factor of during this paper

#### **Detection of Failed Boundary Nodes in Wireless**

**Sensor Networks, Farid Lalem, Ahe`ene Bounceur, Rahim Kacimiz and Reinhardt Euler** have proposed a dispersed way to deal with identify disappointment hubs in Wireless Sensor Networks (WSN). Our new approach finds the WSN limit hubs and screens a touchy zone with the hubs arranged on the limit. Through broad recreations with the Castalia test system, they have assessed the execution of our plan under different conditions and they could demonstrate its vitality effectiveness. In this approach, the quantity of traded messages to recognize the broken sensors is little and a generous measure of vitality can be spared by the sensor hubs. In addition, the proposed approach outflanks past ones by giving high discovery precision. As future work they plan to dissect our approach in terms of strength to changes in the arrangement of disappointments by infusing shortcomings into the system, to think about the system execution in this case and how to instantly convey disappointment notices through the system in the paper

**Does Wireless Sensor network Scale? A Measurement Study on GreenOrbs, Yunhao Liu<sup>1</sup>, Yuan He, Mo Li, Jiliang Wang, Kebin Liu<sup>1</sup>**, lead an estimation think about on a largescale working sensor arrange framework, GreenOrbs, with up to 330 hubs conveyed in nature. They plan to thoroughly see how the sensor organize performs when it scales to contain hundreds or even a large number of hubs. They instrument such a working system all through the convention stack. The commitment of this work is twofold. To start with, to the best of our insight, they are the first

to direct a long haul and expansive scale estimation consider on an working sensor organize in nature. They show perceptions over an assortment of layers in the system that give explore group exact encounters on how viable issues influence when the sensor organize scales. Second, in view of our essential discoveries from the framework estimation, they additionally propose and at first endeavor to approve three guesses that give rules to future calculation furthermore, convention plans with bigger scale sensor systems. In rundown, (1) they figure it may be extremely conceivable that a few of the halfway hubs bottleneck the whole system, and the greater part of as of now utilized pointers may not precisely catch them; (2) the greater part of the remote connections in vast scale sensor systems are physically steady. The progression basically come from the inalienable simultaneousness of system activities which ought to be additionally researched and considered in planning versatile system conventions; (3) the earth, while with inconsequential elements, unpredictably affects the sensor arrange under it. They recommend that an occasion based steering structure can be prepared improved and in this way better adjust to the wild condition when assembling a huge scale sensor arrange in the paper

**CitySee: Urban CO<sub>2</sub> Monitoring with Sensors, Xufei Maoy, Xin Miaoy, Yuan Hey, Tong Zhuy, Jiliang Wang, Wei Dongy, Xiang-Yang Liz, and Yunhao Liuy** exhibit CitySee, a CO<sub>2</sub>-observing task utilizing a substantial scale remote sensor arrange in a urban zone in Wuxi, China. They center around the arrangement of transfer hub situation issue, one of four noteworthy parts of CitySee, by planning the G-GSTWH issue and giving a 2-estimate proportion arrangement. There are numerous future works remaining. For case, if LS is void with the end goal that they just consider to send a few RNs to interface all conveyed SNs under the gap limitation, the inquiry winds up terminal Steiner tree with gaps. Also, our answer just certification a 1- associated remote sensor arrange. Would they be able to have powerful and proficient technique to ensure a k-associated remote sensor arrange? Another fascinating thought is to utilize WSNs to develop virtual Carbon Flux Towers, which are used to screen carbon transition precisely yet extravagantly in the continuous way was discussed in the paper

## 5. CONCLUSION

To assist people in escaping from a hazardous region quickly when an emergency occurs with guaranteed safety, while avoiding excessive congestions and unnecessary detours has been implemented using the environment map navigation. This paper conducts the first work on situation-aware emergency navigation by considering a more general and practical problem, where emergencies of different hazard levels and exits with different evacuation capabilities may coexist. We first model the situation-aware emergency navigation problem and formally define the safety of a navigation path. We then propose a fully distributed algorithm to provide users the safest navigation paths, as well as an accelerated version that can significantly boost up the speed of the navigation. We are currently devoting to conducting a small-scale system prototype under more complex scenarios. In the future, we would like to explore modeling the hazard speed in the context of emergency navigation.

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