# Final Presentation

'A Communication Layer for Distributed Decision Making'

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#### Introduction

11 September 2001 New York

• 911 was overwhelmed by calls

- Communication coverage was limited
- Wrong/Incomplete information

### Introduction



#### Introduction – **Problem**

## How can information efficiently be distributed without using a centralized point?



Solutions

a real simulation



#### Introduction – *Background*

#### **Crisis Management :**



**Agent Layer** 

**Traffic Simulation Layer** 

**Communication Layer** 

#### Introduction – *Approach*

- Preparation
- Research
- Design
- Implementation
- Closing

20 weeks

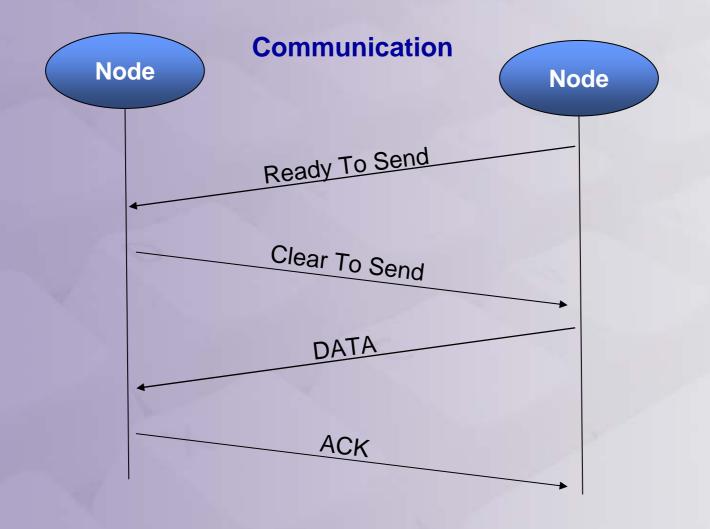
#### Research – *IEEE802.11b*

- Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)
- Wireless Local-Area Network (WLAN)
- 11Mb/sec





#### Research – *IEEE802.11b*



#### Research – *Routing Algorithms*

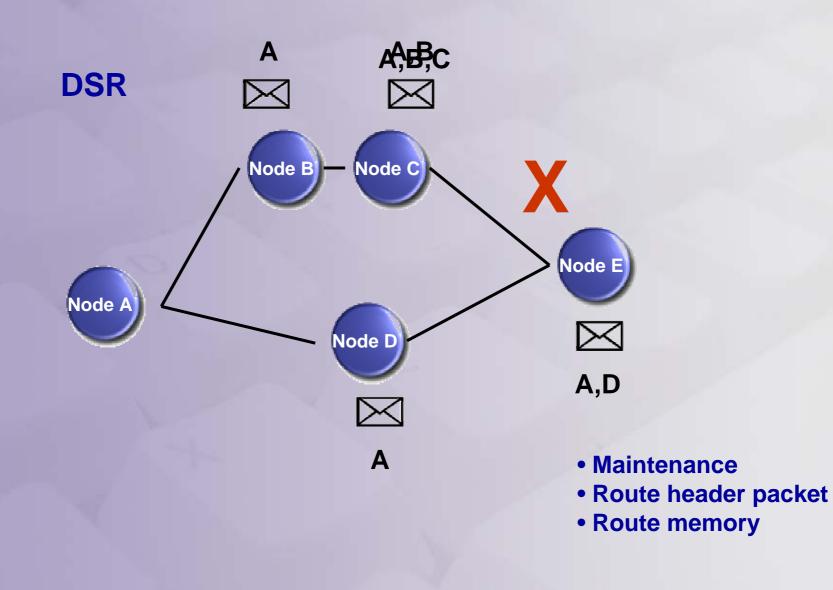
#### How to create a Route between two nodes?

- Dynamic Source Routing (DSR)
- Ant based Routing Algorithm (ARA)

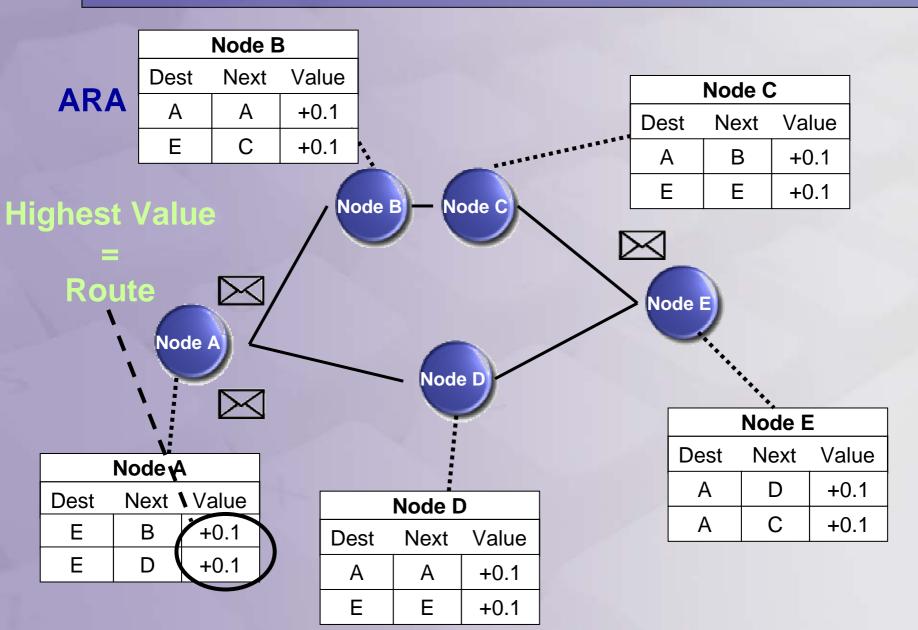
#### How to determine the performance?

Processor time, Memory usage,
Storage, message Processing,
network traffic... etc.

#### Research – *Routing Algorithms*



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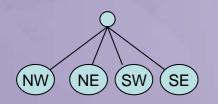
#### Research – *Neighbour Searching Algorithms*

#### How to search efficiently for neighbours?



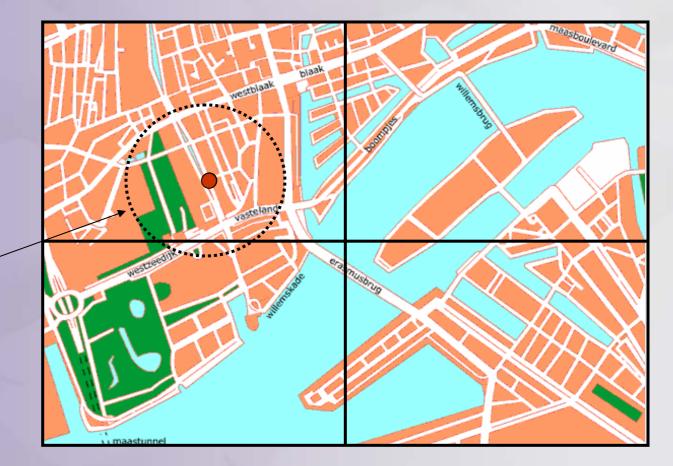
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#### **Quad Tree**

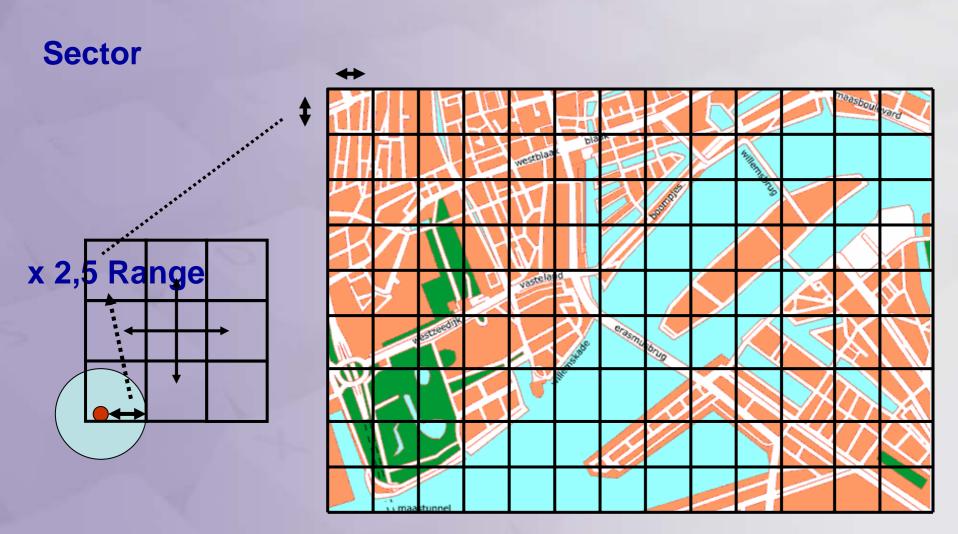


**Etcetera** 

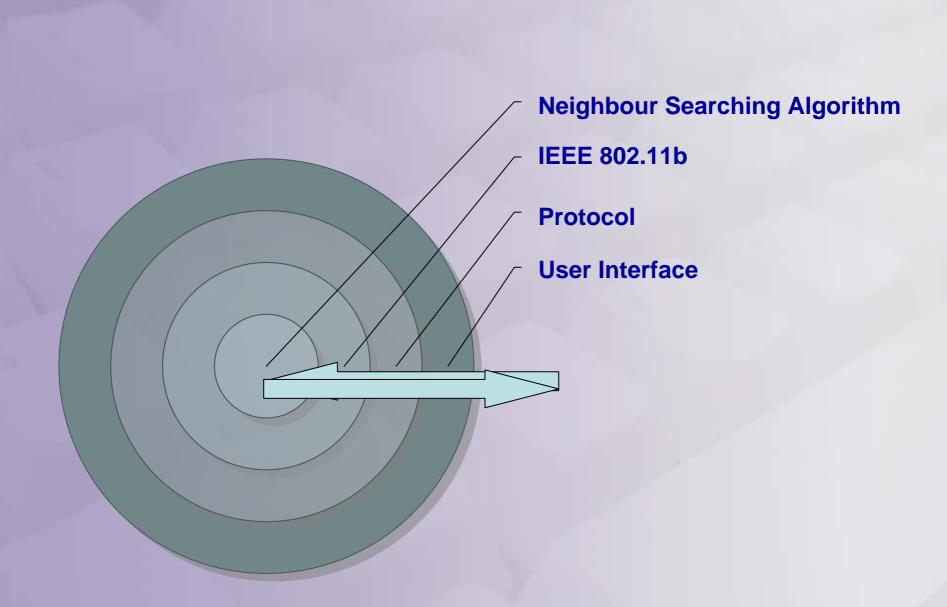
doesn't fit place level up



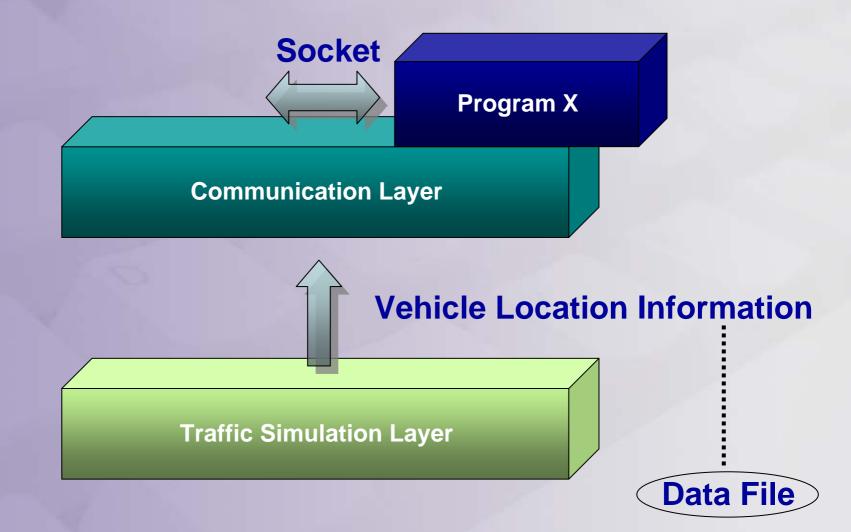
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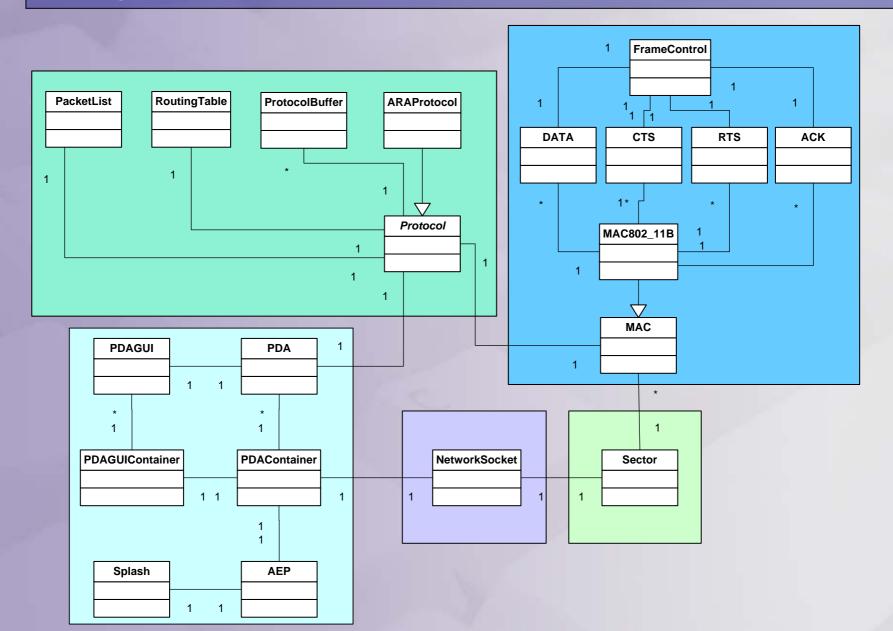
#### Design



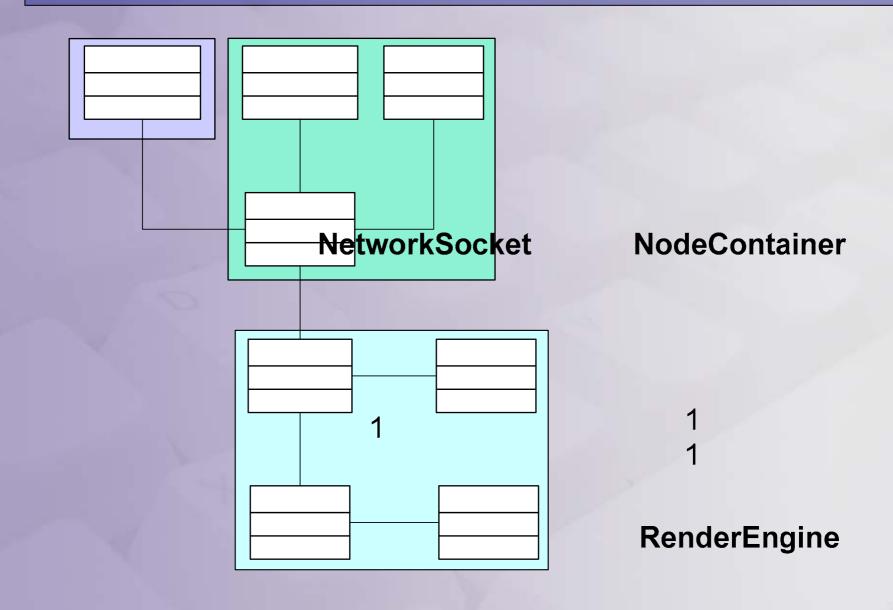
#### Design – Information extraction



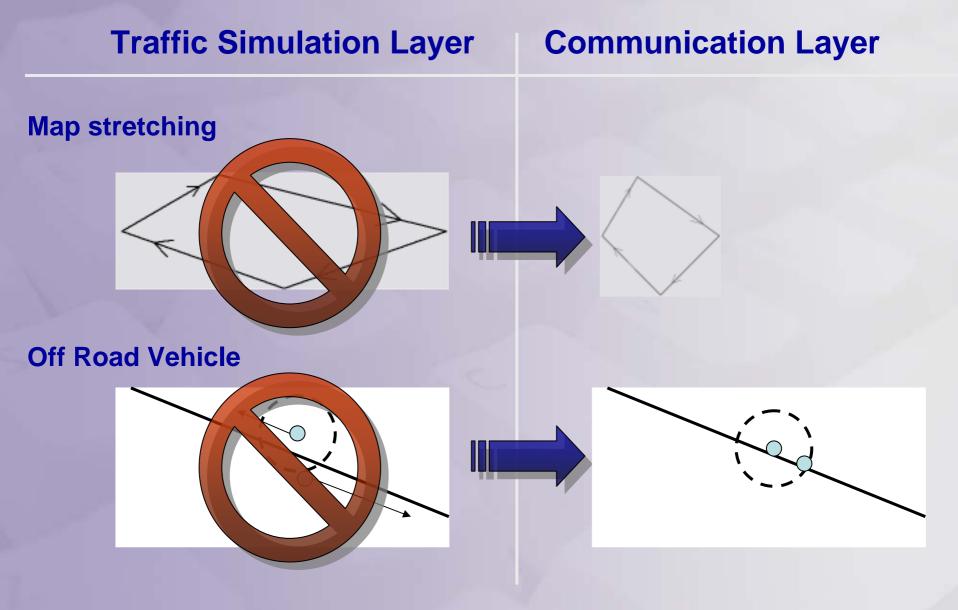
#### Design – Ad Hoc Simulation (AHS)



#### Design – Ad Hoc Visualization (AHV)



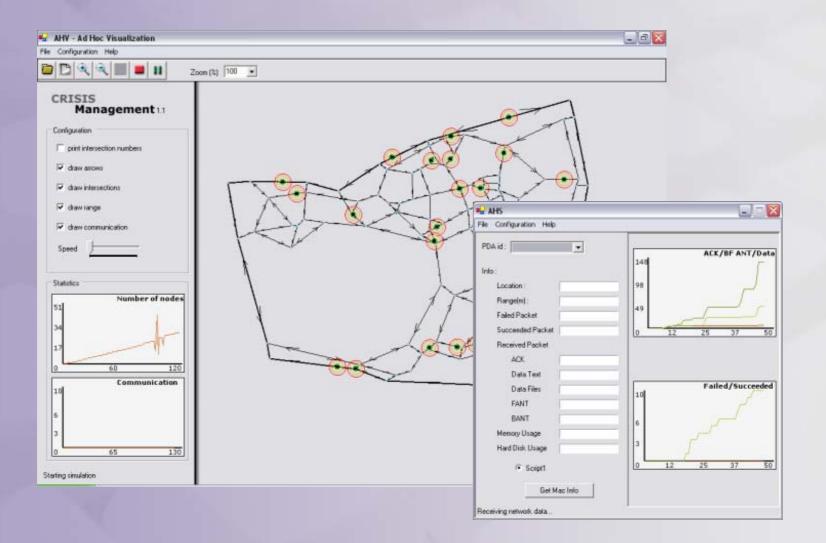
#### Implementation



#### Implementation – *Example of communication*



#### **Demonstration**



# Questions?