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**Q1: In what aspects is an Ad-hoc network different from infrastructure networks? (3)**

**ANSWER:**

The connectivity which makes both the networks different from each other. Ad-hoc is also known as peer to peer mode which is a decentralized type of wireless network. A network is Ad-hoc because it does not depend on pre-existing infrastructure. And infrastructure requires centralized access points.

**Q2: What is the difference between reactive and proactive routing protocols in MANETS? (3)**

**ANSWER:**

- **PROACTIVE ROUTING:**

It is also known as table driven routing. It maintains the fresh lists of destinations and their routes by sequentially distributing routing tables throughout the network. It minimizes flooding and provides immediate route availability. It uses OLSR (Optimized Link State Routing) and DSDV (Destination Sequenced Distance Vector).

- **REACTIVE ROUTING:**

It is also known as on-demand routing. It finds a route on demand by flooding the network with Route Request (RREQ) packets. It uses AODV (Ad-hoc On-Demand Distance Vector) and DSR (Dynamic Source Routing).

**Q3: Differentiate between regular and MPR flooding? (2)**

**ANSWER:**

- **REGULAR FLOODING:**

Regular flooding can be as simple as: when a packet must be flooded, each node in the network repeats the packet first time it receives it. Starting from the source of the packet, each node in the component connected to the source will receive the packet at least once (but typically multiple times).

- **MPR FLOODING:**

Multi Point Relays is a set of selected neighbor nodes. It minimizes the flooding of broadcast packets in the network by reducing duplicate retransmission in the same region.

**Q4: On which path is the route reply message sent in DSR? (3)**

**ANSWER:**

Route reply message is sent on a route obtained by reversing the route appended to receive route request.

**Q5: What is source routing? (2)**

**ANSWER:**

Source routing is also known as path addressing. Packet header contains a route, which is represented as a complete sequence of nodes between a source-destination pair. It is a specific routing process where sender can specify the route that data packets take through a network. Intermediate nodes use the source route included in a packet to determine the neighbor to send the packet.

**Q6: If AODV does not store route information in the packet then how does the routing works? (4)**

**ANSWER:**

Routes does not need to be included in packet header. Node maintain routing tables containing entries only for routes the are active in use. Sequence numbers are used to avoid broken routes and prevent formation of routing loops. Unused routes expire even if topology does not change.

**Q7. What are the functions of sequence numbers in AODV?**

**(3)**

**The functions of sequence numbers in AODV are:**

- **Every entry in the routing table is associated with a sequence number.**
- **The sequence number act as a route timestamp and ensures the freshness of the route.**
- **Receiving a route request packet, an intermediate node compares its sequence number with the sequence number in the route request packet.**
- **If the sequence number already registered is greater than that in the packet, the existing route is more up to dated.**