

# Handover simulations...

- A brief overview = graph marathon (=

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# Agenda

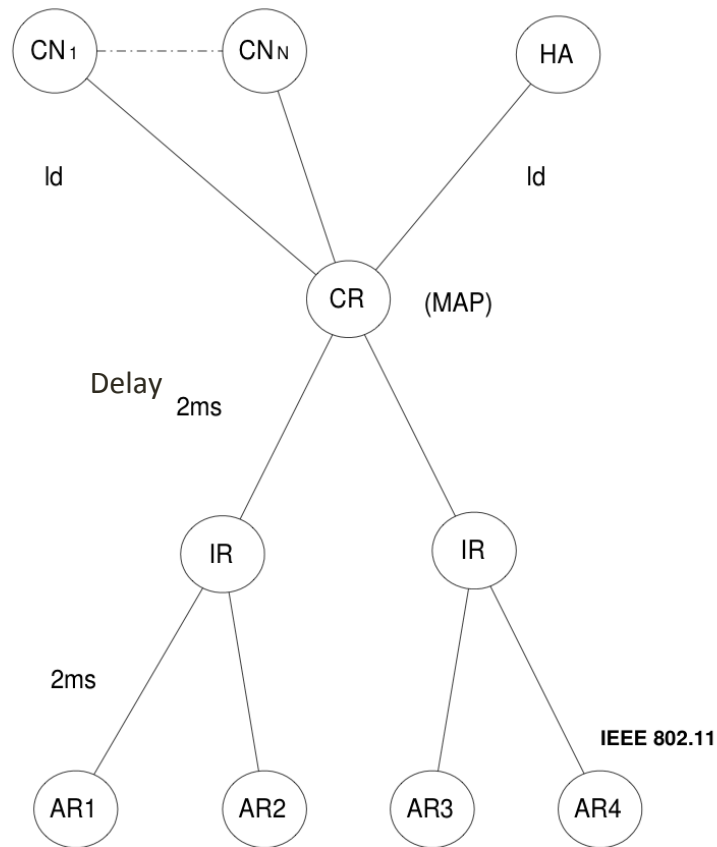
- Present three simulation and their respective results:
- Simulation 1:
  - A Performance Comparison of Mobile IPv6, Hierarchical Mobile IPv6, Fast Handovers for Mobile IPv6 and their Combination
- Simulation 2:
  - Vertical Handover criteria and algorithms in IEEE 802.11 and 802.16 networks
- Simulation 3:
  - A case study: IEEE 802.21 enabled mobile terminals for optimized WLAN/3G handovers
- Results in comparison and typical numbers
- Table of summary

# Simulation 1

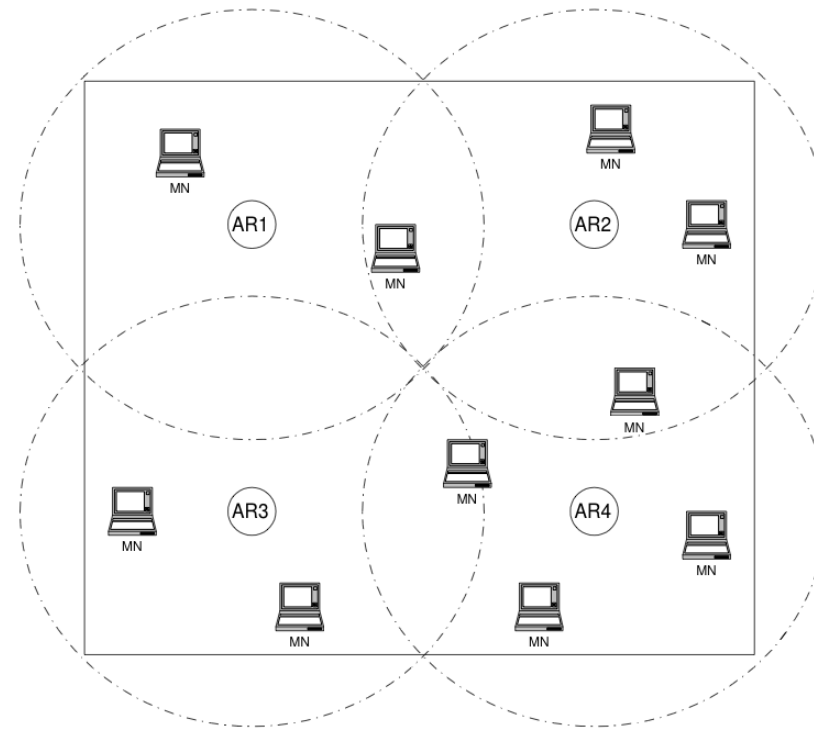
- Compares Mobile IPv6, Fast Handovers for Mobile IPv6, Hierarchical Mobile IPv6 and H+F MIPv6
- Performance metrics
  - Handoff latency
  - Packet loss
  - Bandwidth per station
- Simulation length 125s with warm up for 5 sec.
- 50 stations/MN, random movement
- 2Mbps WLAN as wireless medium

# Simulation 1

- Scenario

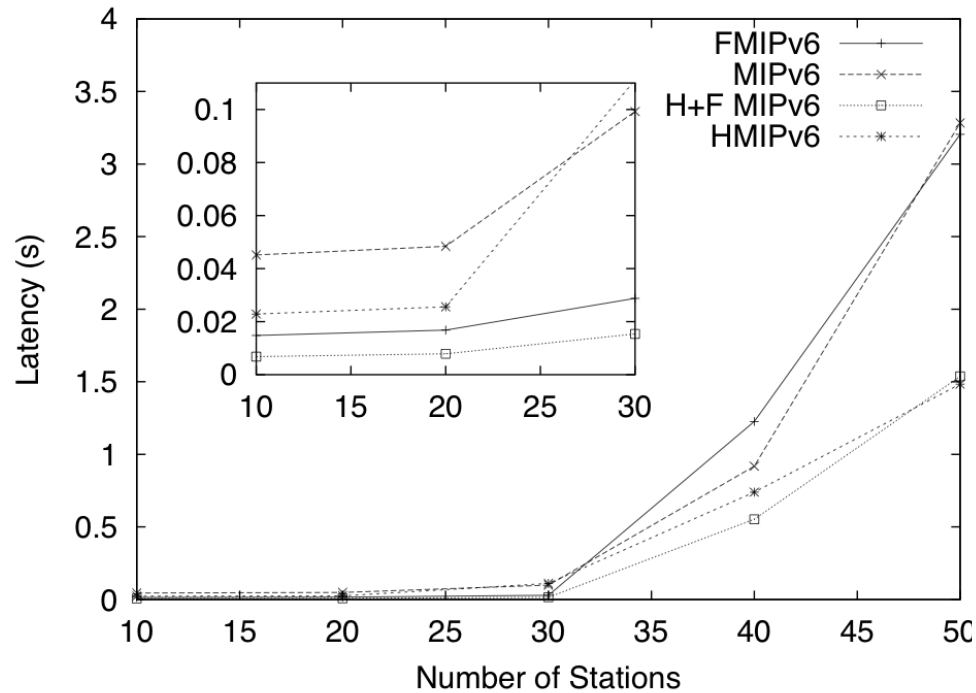


CN = Correspondent node (sender)  
HA = Home agent  
CR = Central Router  
IR = Intermediate Router  
AR = access router  
MN = mobile node  
Coverage = 700x700 m



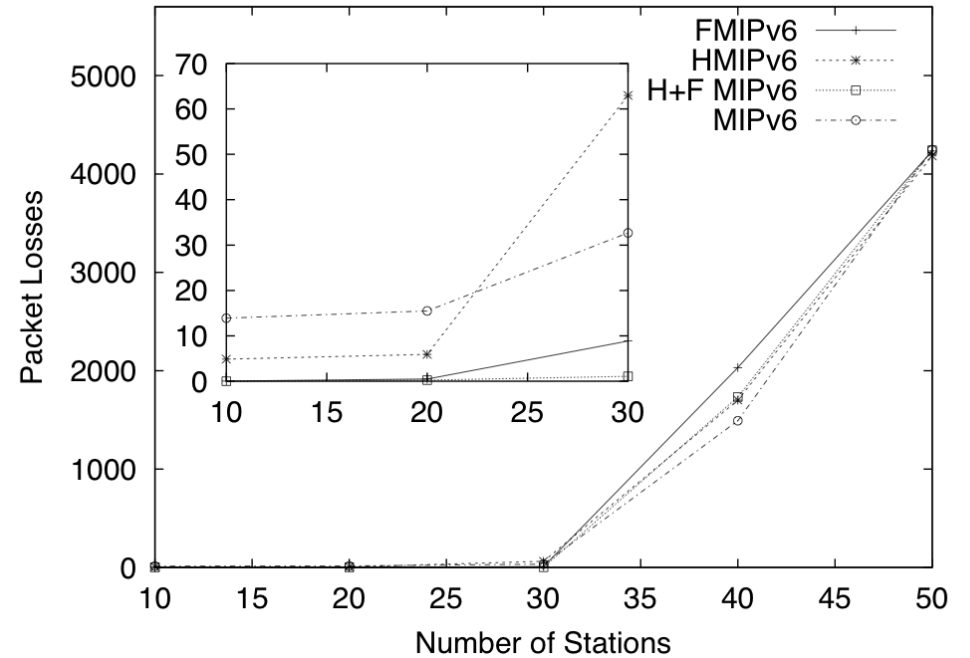
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# Simulation 1



Handoff latency

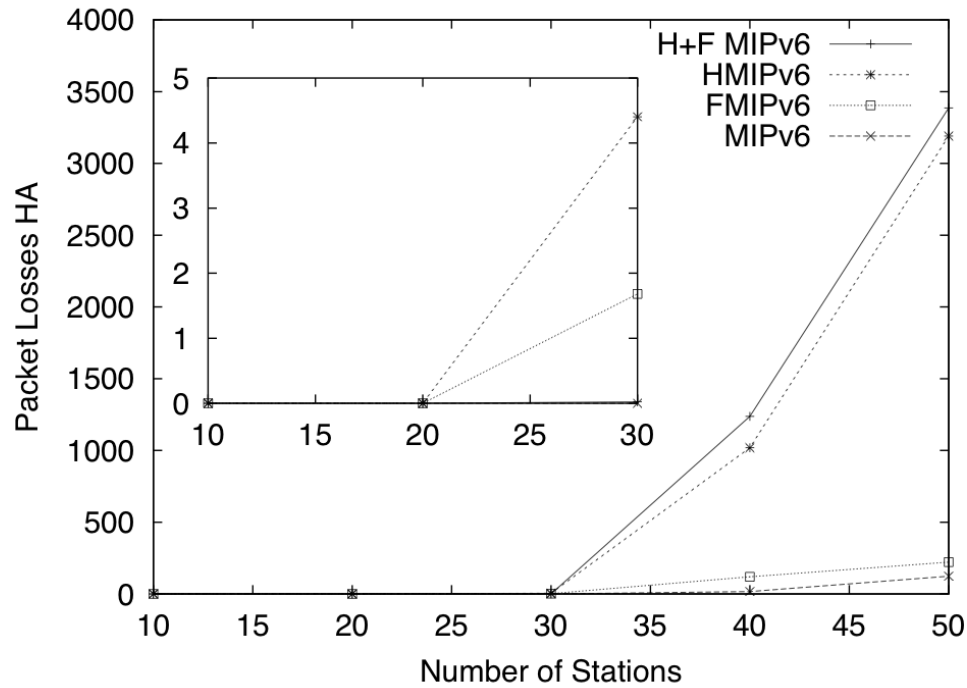
H+F MIPv6 is better up to 49/50 Nodes  
Then HMIPv6 is better



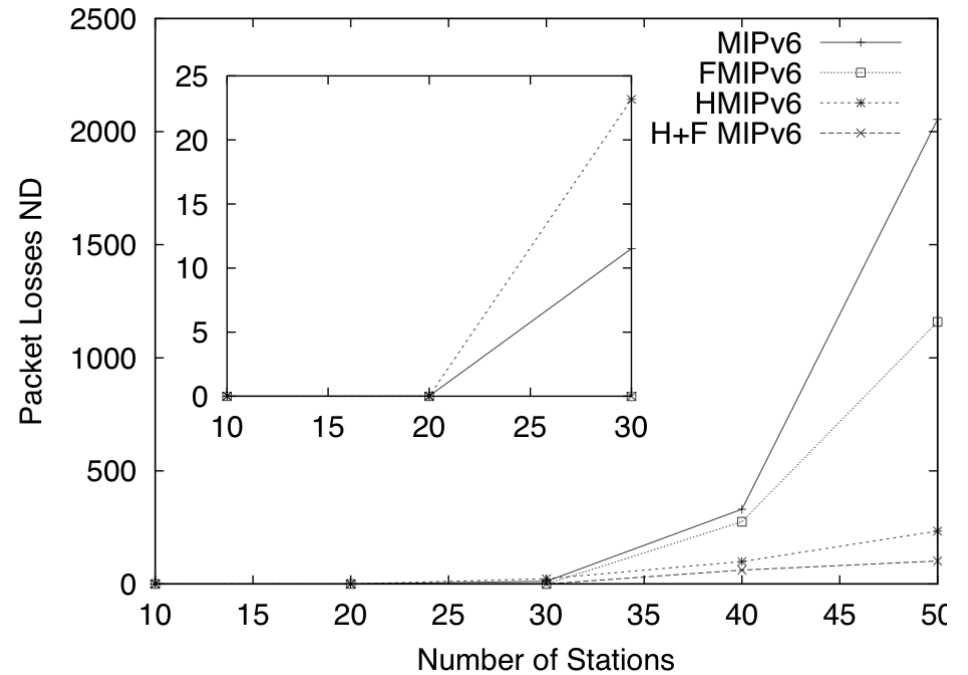
Packet loss

MIPv6 is the better

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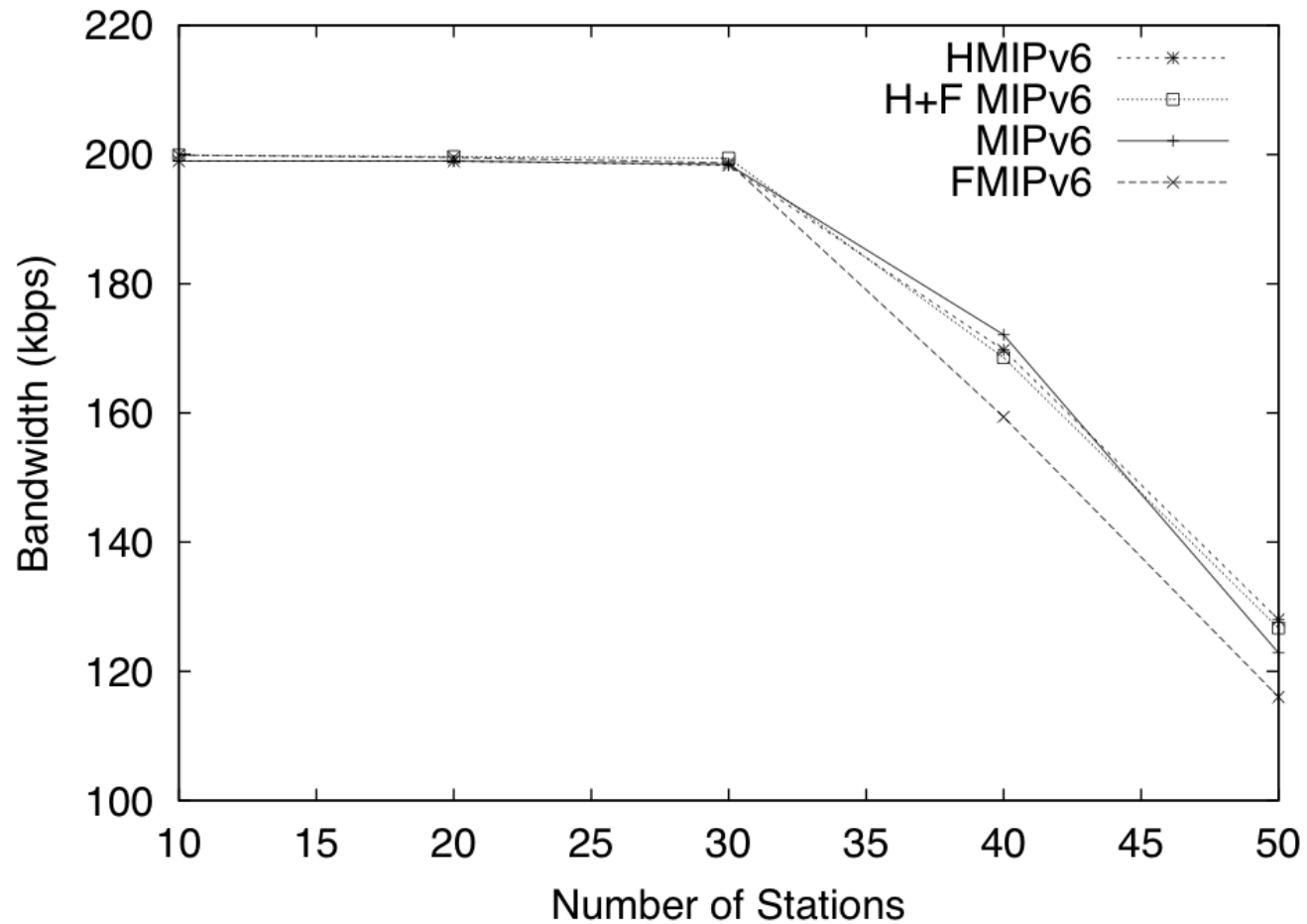


Impact of number of stations on packet Loss at the HA



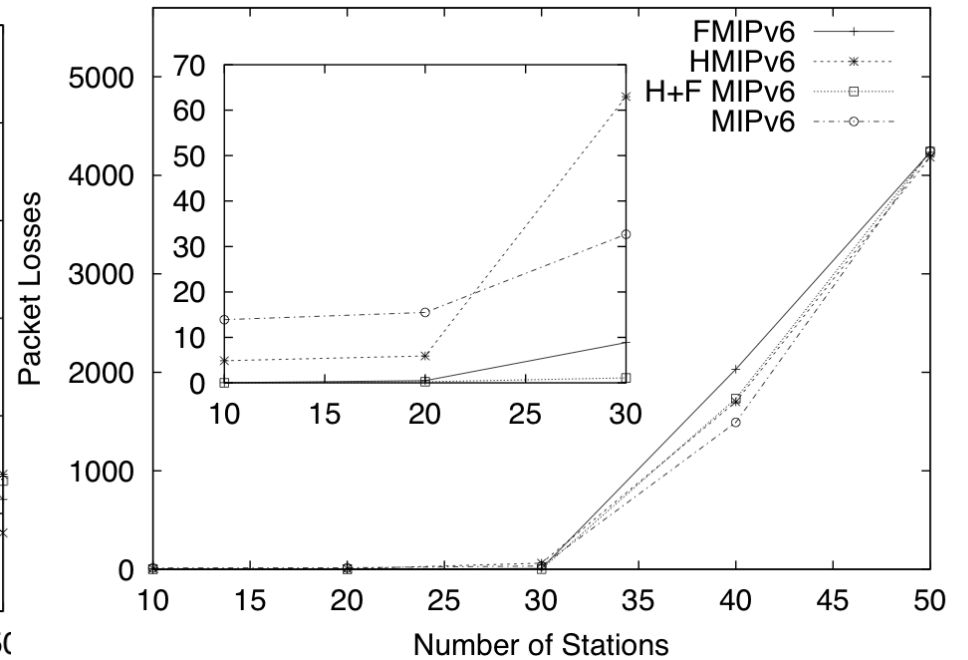
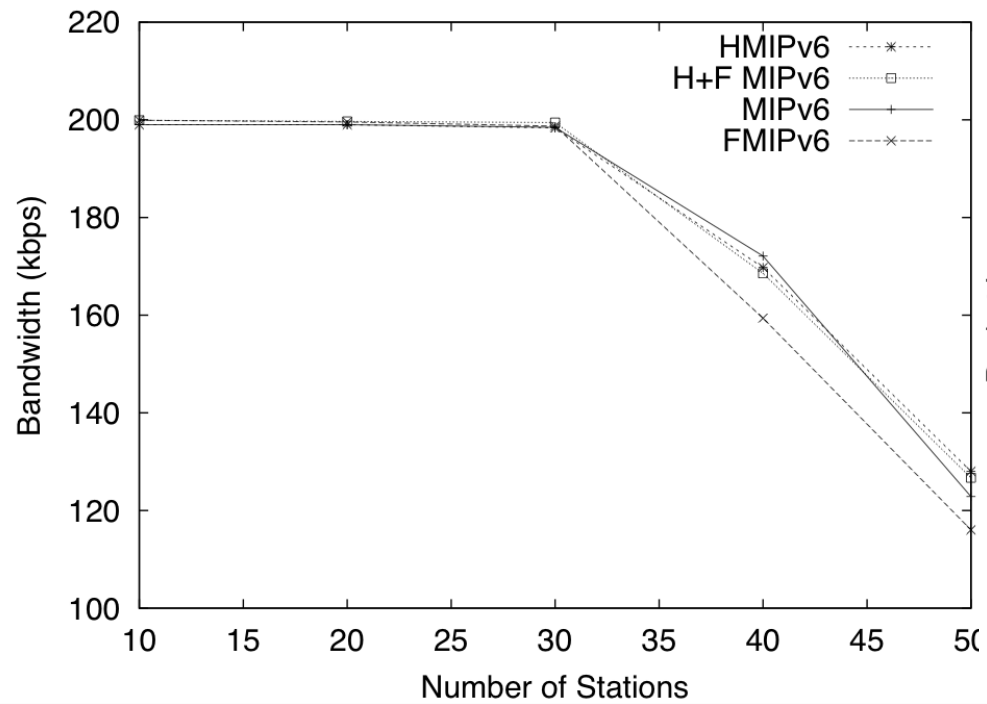
Impact of number of stations on packet Loss in the Neighbor Discovery resolution Queue,

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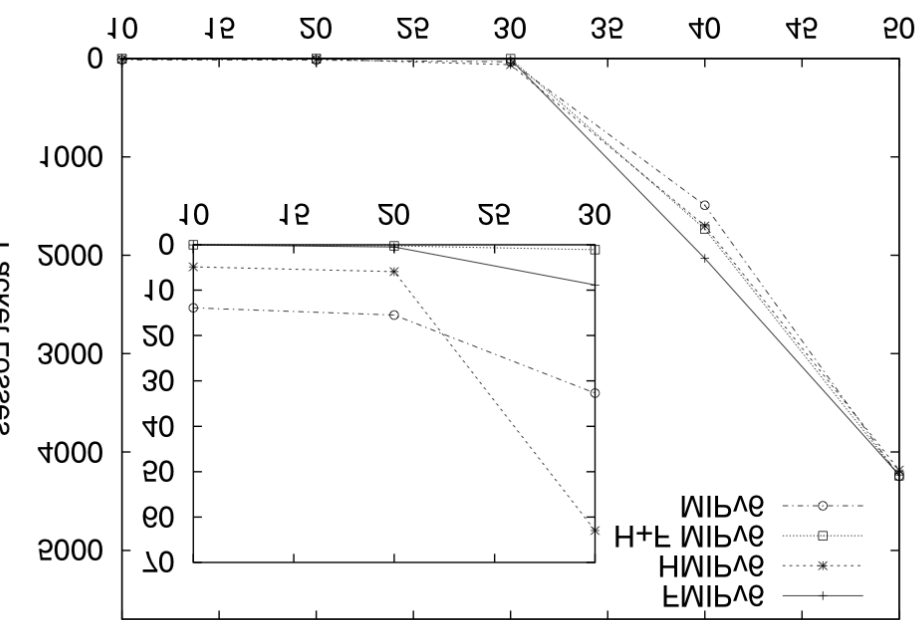
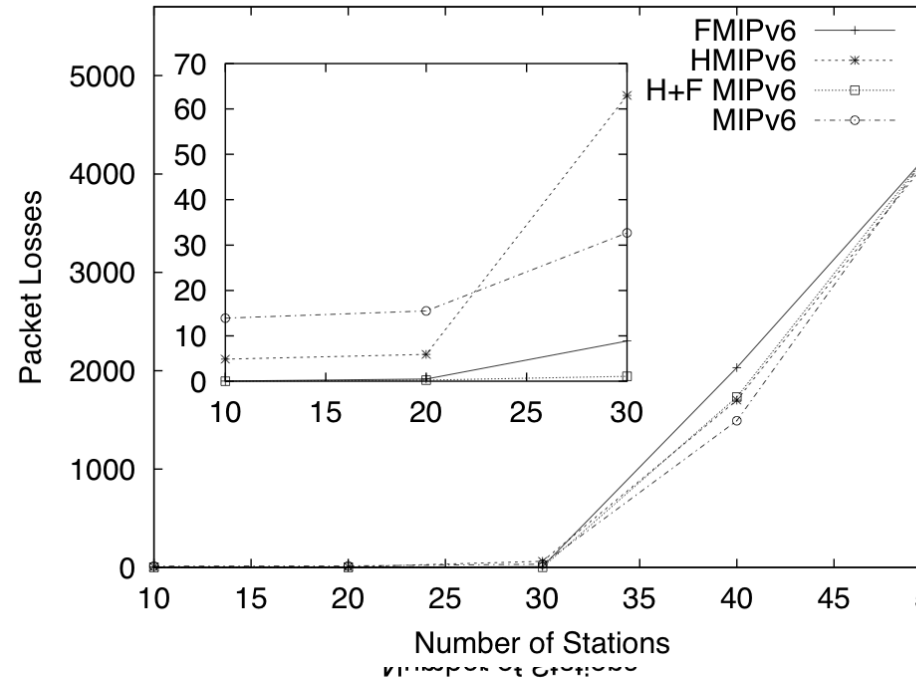
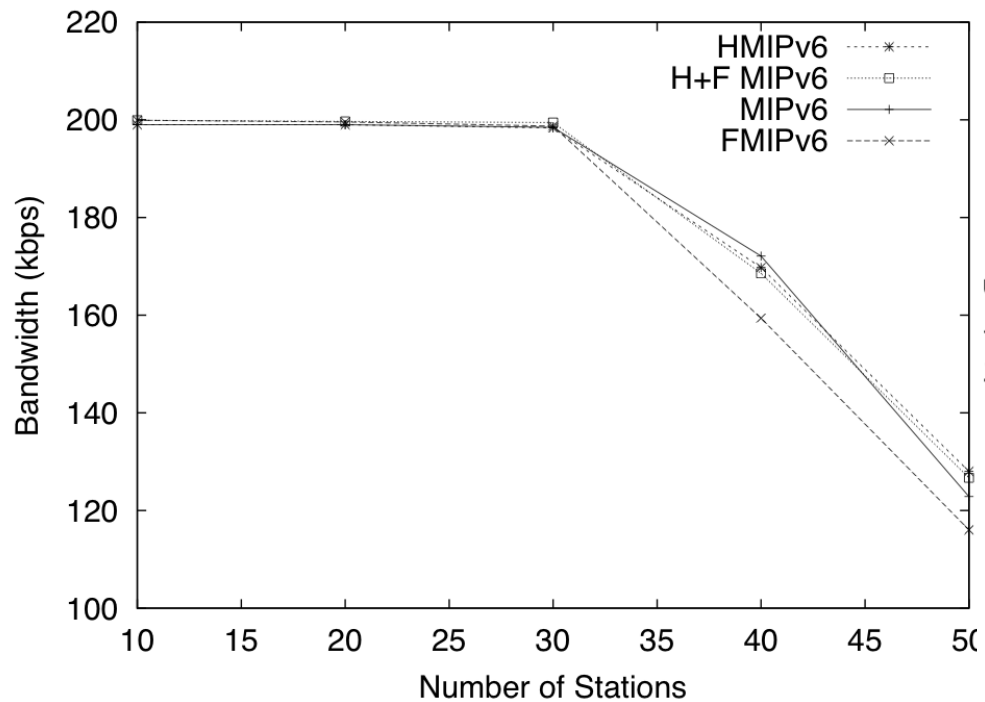
BW obtained by the different nodes

# Simulation 1





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# Conclusion simulation 1

- Touching the highlights:
- HMIPv6 has the lowest latency
- Mobile IPv6 has the least packet loss
- Fast Mobile IPv6 obtained more bandwidth

# Simulation 2

- Scenario: WLAN -> WiMax
- Long lived FTP-stream
- WLAN->WiMax->WLAN->WiMax
- 2m/s -> WiMAX

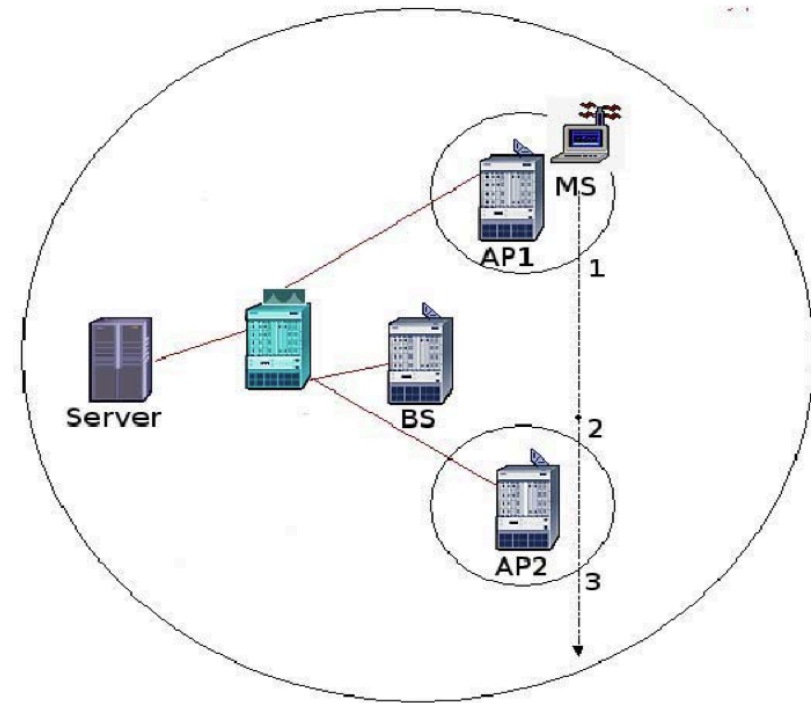


Fig. 2. Handover validation scenario

# Simulation 2

- Two triggers
  - Wireless connectivity trigger (Signal to interference plus noise) = SINR
  - Performance trigger
    - Data rate and network load

# Simulation 2

- 1 and 2:  
- Throughput trigger
- 3 wireless con. trigger

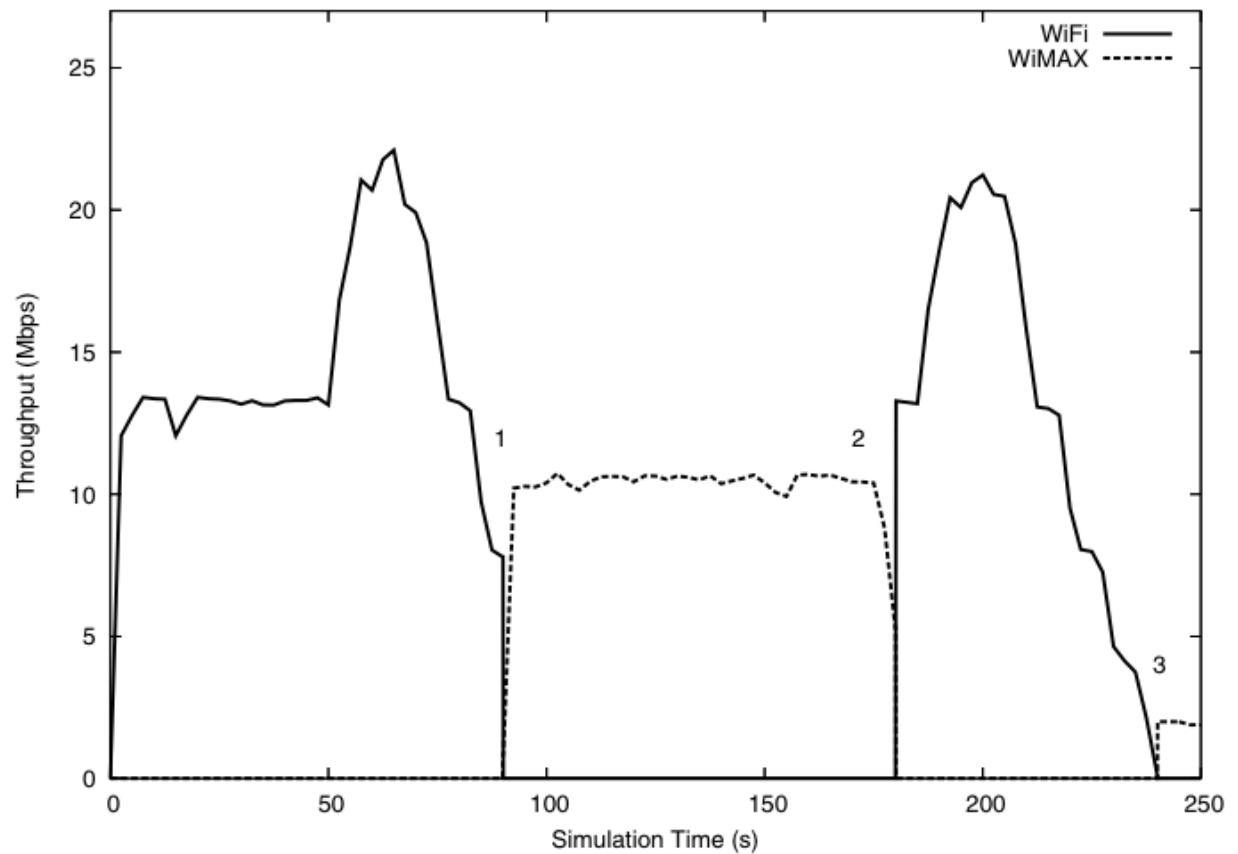


Fig. 3. Handover validation simulation results

# Simulation 2

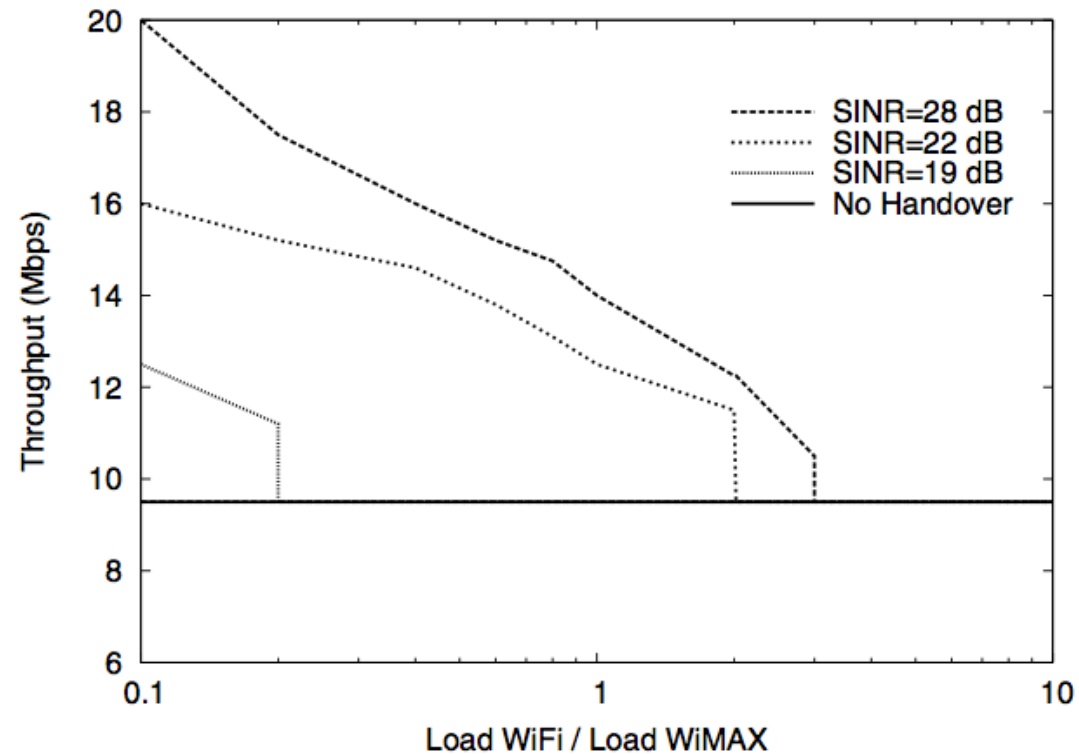


Fig. 4. Average throughput of the MS as a function of the ratio between WiFi and WiMAX load for different WiFi SINR

Higher SINR = more load on WLAN

- video conference (640kbps)
- Every 10s = new user
- Covered by WiMax and WiFi
- Start at WLAN, free to choose

- No handover = pure wimax
- Data rate = choose interface by Estimated higher data rate
- Load = choose interface by lowest load
- Throughput = chooses interface By best hroughout combining load and Datarate

Max wlan 8Mbps  
 Max WiMax 4Mbps

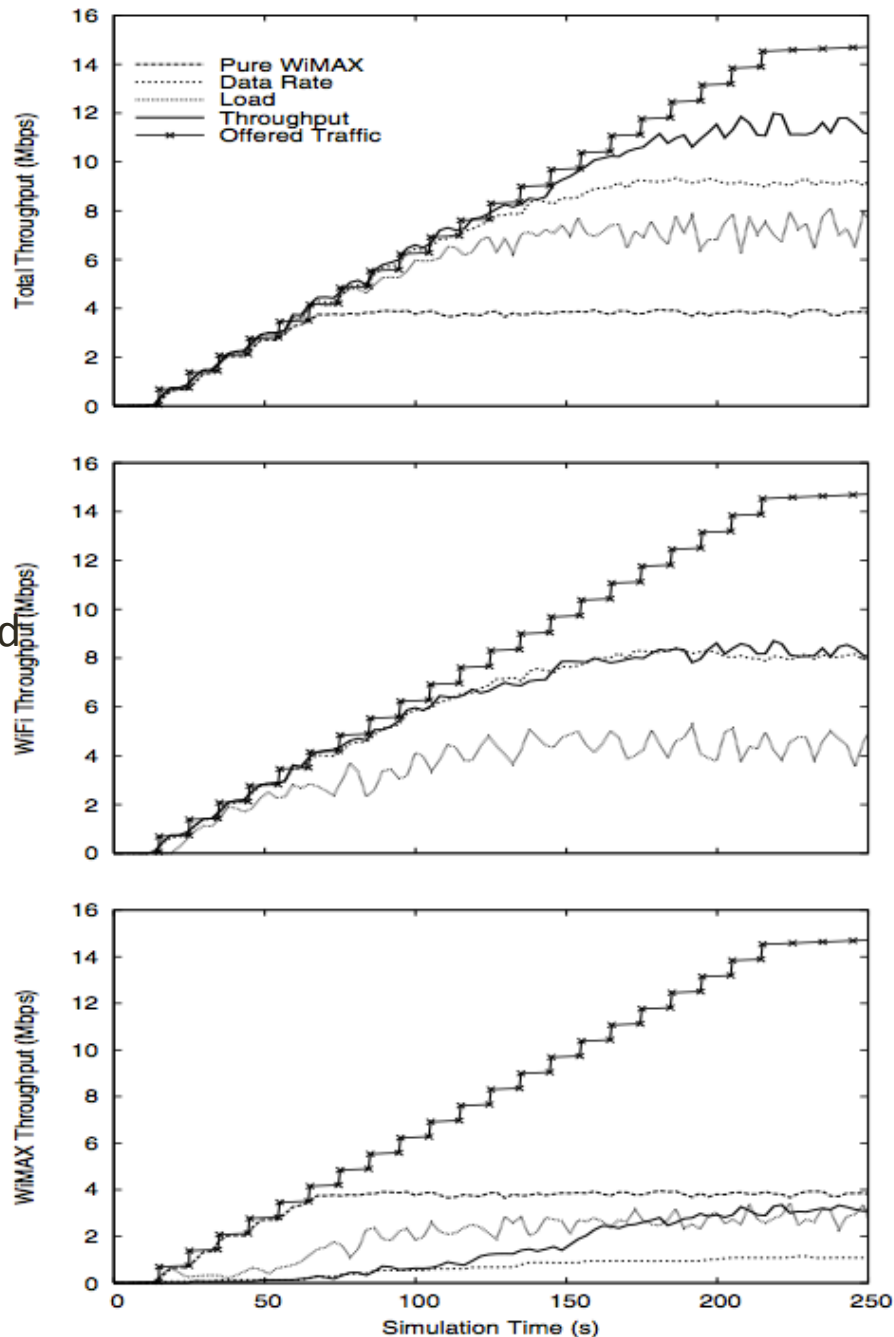


Fig. 5. Handover criterion influence on the achieved throughput

# Simulation 2

- Touching the highlights
- Data rate as trigger = more WiMax users (higher freq)
- Load as trigger = more WLAN users
- All combined gives the most balanced user distribution= more total throughput

**TABLE II**  
**AVERAGE USER THROUGHPUT (KBPS)**

|       | Pure WiMAX | Data Rate | Load | Throughput |
|-------|------------|-----------|------|------------|
| WiFi  | 0          | 440       | 640  | 568        |
| WiMAX | 190        | 640       | 195  | 502        |



# Simulation 3(G <-WLAN..)

- Scenario
- Indoor with several overlapping
- WLAN cells, full 3G coverage
- Speed 10m/s generated random
- Downstream audio 83 kbps
- Mobile IPv6

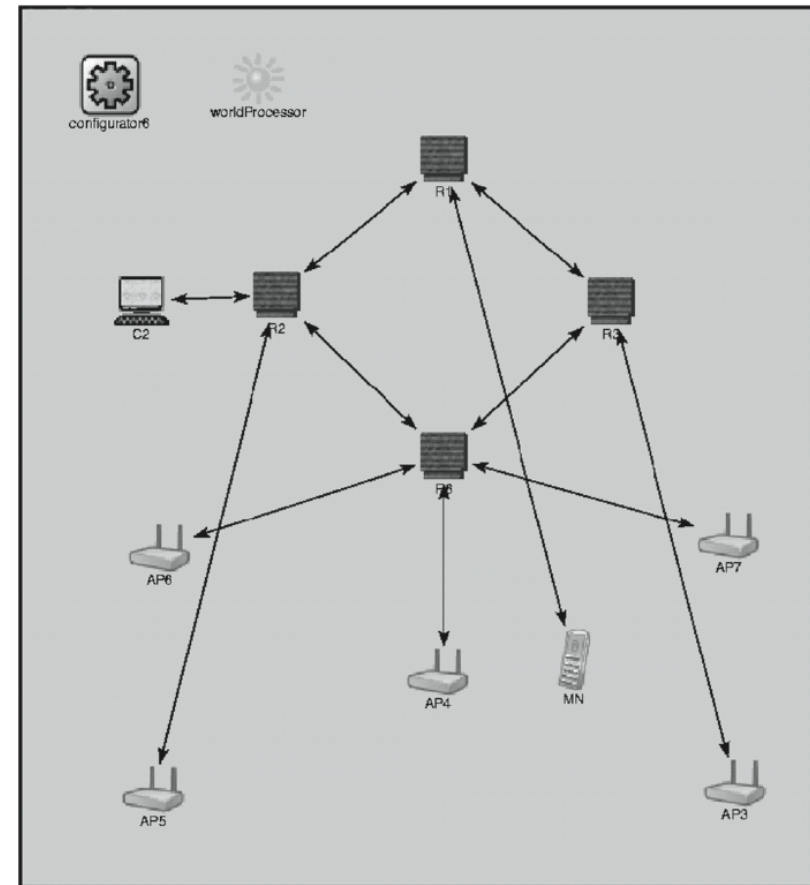


Figure 4: Simulated Scenario

# Simultaion 3

- Time WLAN is used per HO
- 3G->WLAN inc, HO decreases
- High enough threshold skips useless HO
- Only HO that allow MN to stay longer i WLAN performs HO
- Better WLAN user-experience

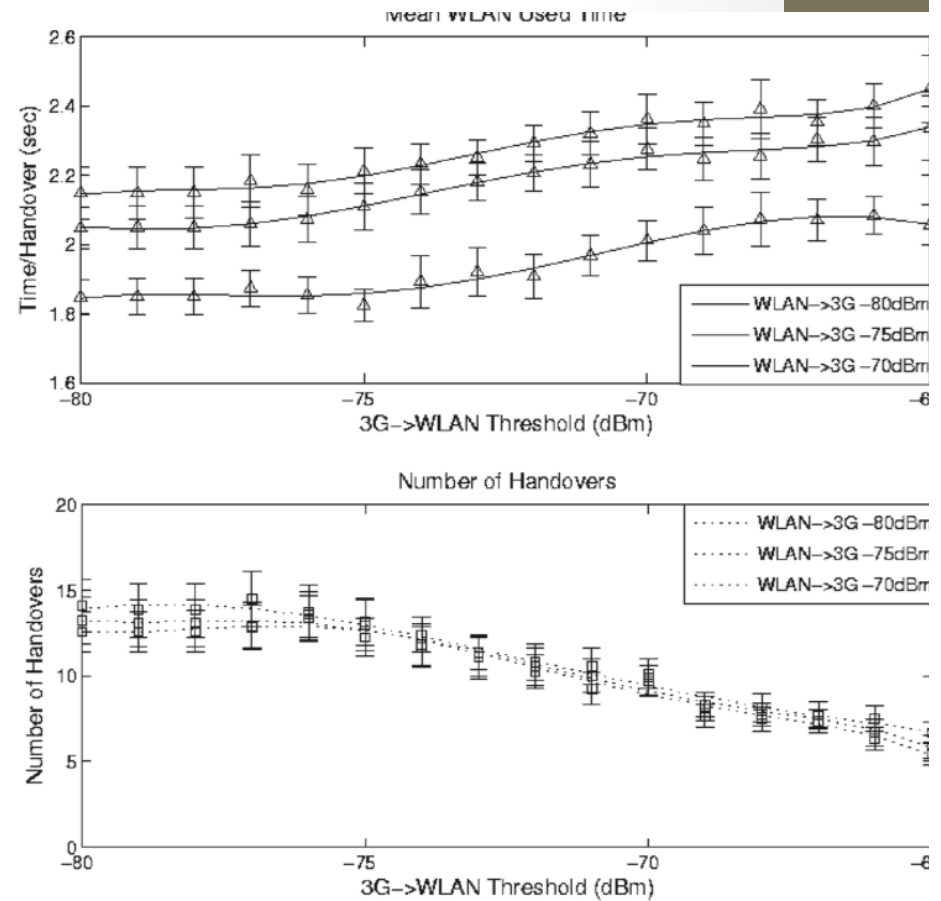
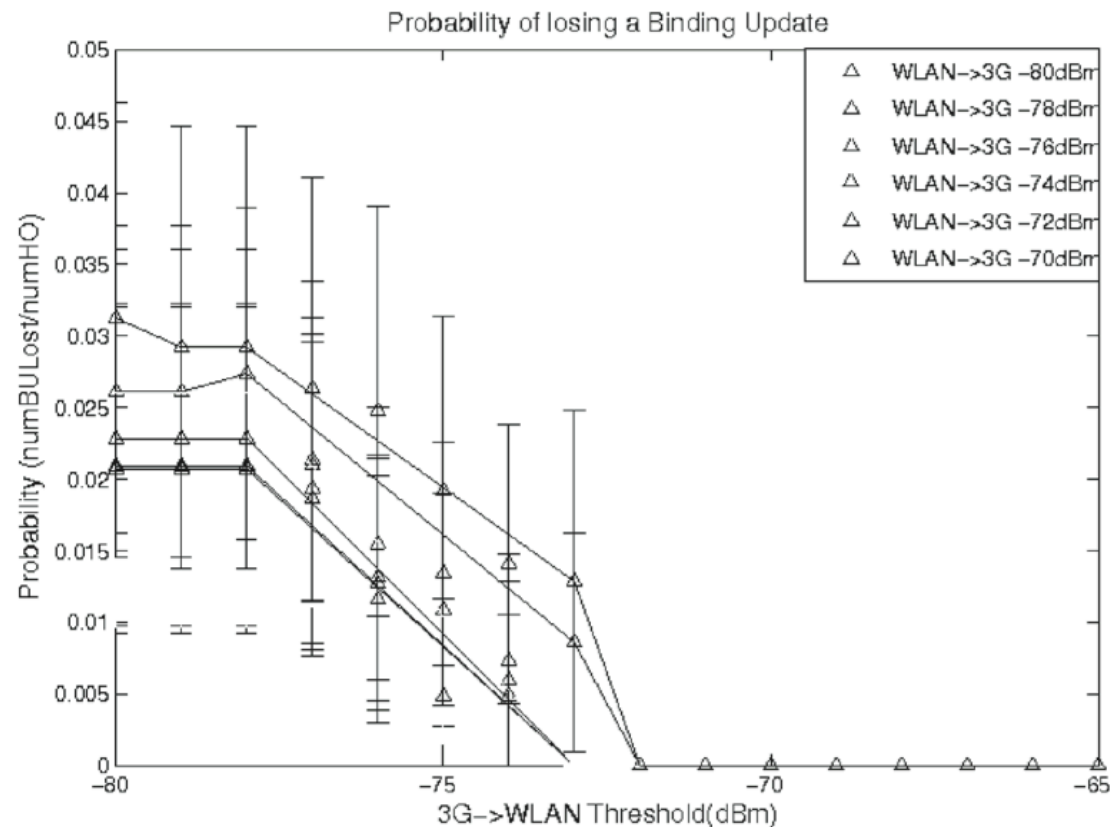


Figure 5: Wireless LAN Time usage and number handovers

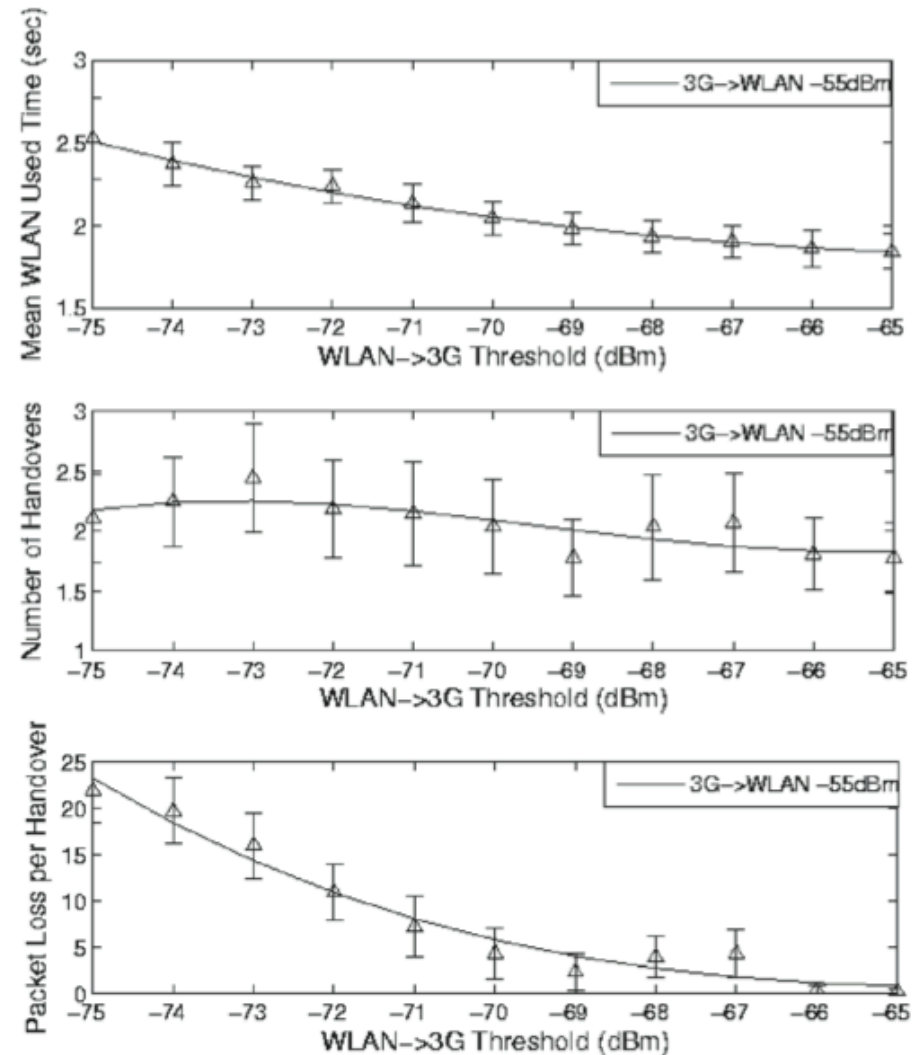
# Simulation 3

- Binding updates are dropped when the Mobile Node tries to perform a handover when the signal is not good enough
- HA cant send data
- -74dBm



# Simulation 3

- Zero packet loss performance
- 3G-> WLAN -55dBm to
  - make sure the BU is rescived
- High threshold = fewer HO



# Simulation3

- Summary
- Ping-pong effekt
  - 3G->WLAN  $\geq$  WLAN->3G
- WLAN -> 3G -66dBm for seamless handovers
- 3G -> WLAN -55dBm

# Super Summary

- Simulation 1
  - HMIPv6 has the lowest latency (good for VoIP)
  - Mobile IPv6 has the least packet loss
  - Fast Mobile IPv6 obtained more bandwidth
- Simulation 2
  - Combination of signal, estimated load and estimated data rate gives highest throughput
- Simulation 3
  - 3G->WLAN  $\geq$  WLAN->3G
  - WLAN -> 3G  $>$  -66dBm for seamless handovers
  - 3G -> WLAN -55dBm

The End...