Intrusion Detection System in Manets

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Abstract: One of the most challenging issue nowadays is providing security on MANET architecture. The key issue in MANET is the design of intrusion detection system, that is able to detect attacks in a rapid manner. Traditional methods like genetic algorithms, fuzzy logic, game theory techniques are helpful in designing of IDs. However, these techniques have a limitation on the effects of prevention techniques in general and they are designed for a set of known attacks. These techniques are also tends to increase the false positive ratio, detection rate is low and values of ROC characteristics due to training of feature set of attack patterns. The techniques also failed to detect any new type of attacks by any existing methods. This paper focuses on designing of intrusion detection system based on hybrid approach that effectively able to detect any type of attacks using Evolutionary algorithm techniques.

Key words: Intrusion Detection System, Attacks, Evolutionary Algorithms, Machine Learning Algorithms.

I. INTRODUCTION

Mobile Ad-hoc Networks (MANETs) are infrastructure less networks with autonomous node are going to take part in communication. At any time the nodes in the MANET is free to enter or leave the network. All nodes in the MANET are self-configured and follow multi-hop routing nature. The nodes in the MANET have less battery power, small amount of computing capability. There is no central routing mechanism followed in MANETs. Due to the characteristics of MANET having limited bandwidth, low battery power, computational power, and security etc; security is an important aspect to be monitored. Due to the nature of MANETs, it is very evident that it leads to various attacks due to communication links between nodes, non-cooperation among nodes, and dynamic topology [1].

Intrusion detection seems to be any violating policies or abnormal activity take place in the network. There will be a great danger in the modern digital era due to security breaches in the network due to various attacks. The prime motive of intrusion detection system is to deploy as a defensive parameter across any networks. It is able to detect any type of attacks that will able to compromise any nodes in network. Several types of preventive mechanisms are deployed among networks to monitor any suspicious activity found in the network. Intrusion detection system can be classified in to signature based , specification based or anomaly detection[2]. Hybrid IDS combines both the feature of anomaly and signature based intrusion detection techniques. These techniques are useful in intrusion detection systems since an intrusion activity is different from the normal activity of the system.

Paper organization: We have a brief introduction about MANETs and Intrusion detection system. Section 2 describes security challenges related to Mobile Adhoc-Networks. Section 3 discusses the papers related to various types of intrusion detection system. Section 4 discuss existing design methodologies. Section 5 discusses the future work and conclusion work in design of intrusion detection system.

II. SECURITY CHALLENGES

Intrusion can be caused by unwanted users in the network attempt to gather additional requirements which are not actually authorized for them to use. Intrusion can be able to affect confidentiality, integrity , availability or to bypass the network structure. Due to the nature of mobile adhoc-network characteristics several nodes can be breached in the network due to several attacks attempt to invade the node in the network. The preventive mechanism is broadly classified into the following types (i) Anomaly Based (ii) Signature-based (iii) Hybrid. The anomaly based intrusion detection system is bale to detect attacks based on the abnormal activity of the node while signature based matches any type of attack based on their pre-stored attack characteristics. Hybrid intrusion detection system is the combination of both anomaly and signature based. The following figure shows the typical arrangement of Intrusion detection system architecture where agents are deployed across the nodes for detection of any abnormal activity in the network.

Fig 1: Architecture of Intrusion Detection System Architecture

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### III. RELATED WORKS

The existing intrusion detection techniques are designed with traditional algorithms that will suffer from high false positive ratio, less detection rate and failed to detect multi stage attacks. The various techniques used in design of Intrusion detection system are discussed below. However, fuzzy rules are mainly based on expert knowledge from learning engines that are lack of adaptation [4]. The various techniques used in the intrusion detection system are discussed below,

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### IV. EXISTING SYSTEM

The traditional system based design is not effective to detect any type of malicious activity when the attacker type is inside. All methods are focusing on the detection rate measures and attack prevention mechanisms while they fail to address false positive ratio, how they are able to address zero day attacks and future attacks also.

Current issues in intrusion detection system
1. Feature Extraction algorithms based on dataset are not efficient to detect attacks in effective manner.
2. Training of dataset using traditional algorithms is a time consuming process and it leads to increase in false positive ratio.
3. Overall intrusion detection performance like TP.FP.ROC characteristics will lead to significant decrease.
V. FUTURE WORK AND CONCLUSION

The intrusion detection system should be designed in such a way that is capable of detecting attacks based on a self-learning mechanism using evolutionary algorithms that having less false positive ratio and fast detection rate. Intrusion design techniques have to be specifically designed for Tactical MANET scenario’s where these networks have unique characteristics features that lead to capable of handling zero day attacks.

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