## **Hierarchical OLSR**

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- Editorial changes:
  - Terminology additions, text clarifications, references, acknowledgments, appendix and updated message layout
- Novelty changes:

(Comments from manet mailing-list duly noted)

- Cluster Decommission
  - To increase robustness and avoid possible network partitions, cluster heads are permitted, in specific cases, to abandon their "head" status



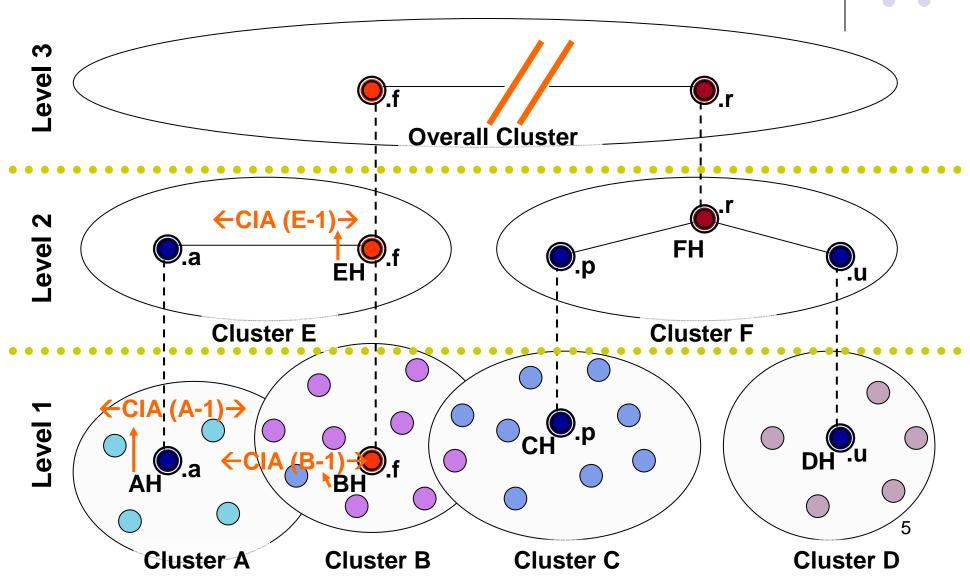


- Requirements for a cluster head to decommission:
  - (i) Parameter C\_CRITICAL\_PATH set to 'true' on one level/interface, AND
  - (ii) Lose all connections/links on that interface
- Reviving cluster "head" status
  - When the interface C\_CRITICAL\_PATH has at least one link successfully reinstated

#### **Basic Decommission Example** 1) Lost link on critical path – level 3 link lost Level 3 **Overall Cluster** Level 2 FH EH 1 **—**.p Cluster E **Cluster F** Level 1 DH .u BH **Cluster B Cluster C Cluster D** Cluster A

# **Decommission Example Cont'd**

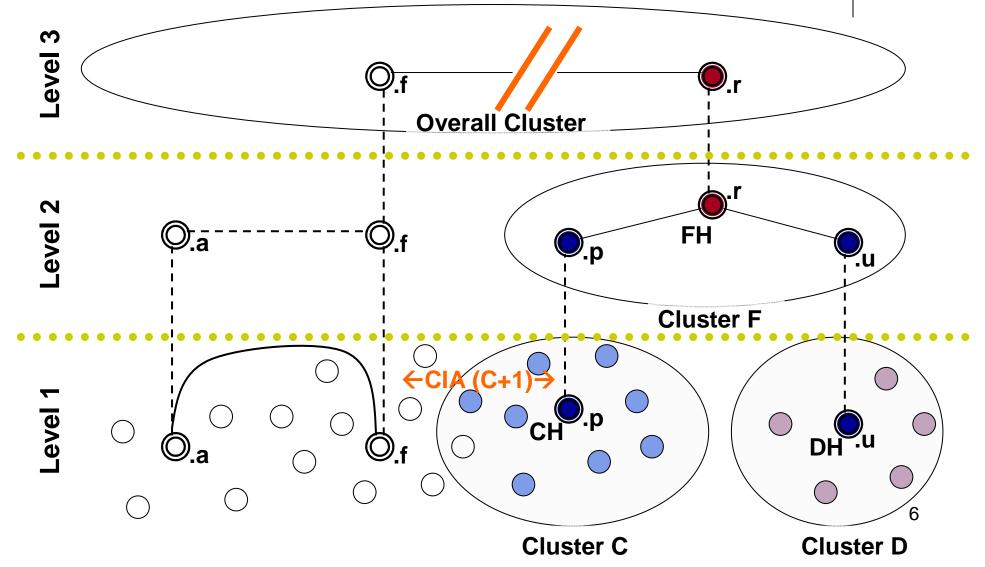
2) CIA Decommission messages (-1) are triggered



### **Decommission Example Cont'd**

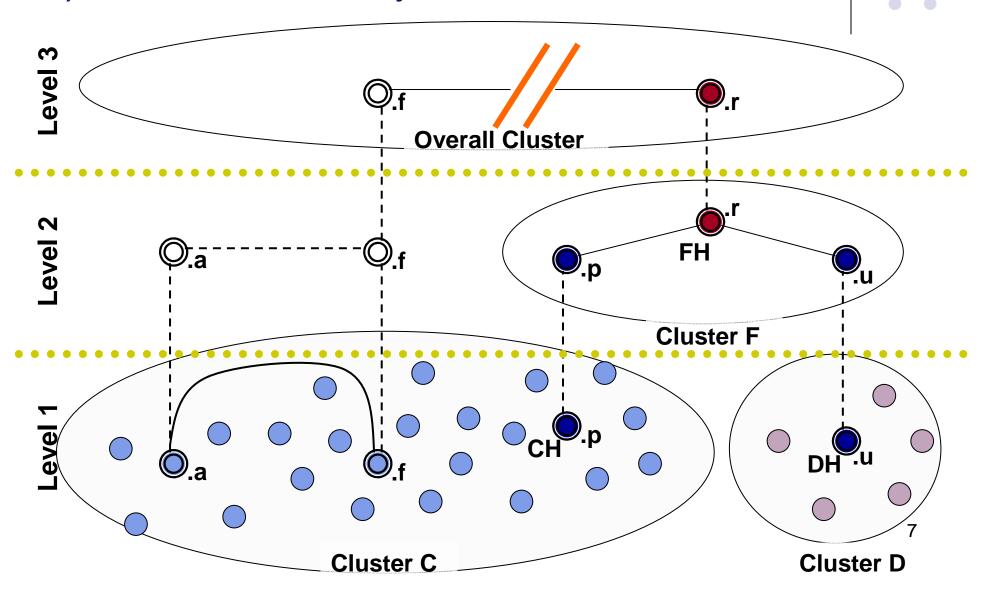
3) Nodes are free to select closest available cluster head (+1)





# **Decommission Example Cont'd**

4) Decommissioned nodes join cluster C



## **Discussion / Questions**

