ABSTRACT

Nowadays a lot of things can happen in the world of telecommunications because of

its rapid technology developments, as well as in the network for a moving vehicle.

Technology has evolved so the entire network is based on ip, hence a network that can do

communication between vehicles in the streets is produced. The network was made in order

to be able to avoid and reduce the number of accidents whichusually still happen. The

performance of a network is strongly influenced by the shape of the network topology. In

VANET, topology is a vehicles mobility model that make up the network of VANET. The

vehicle requires a certain transmission range to be able to communicate with each other.

On this final assignment will be discussed regarding the effect of transmission range

considering the difference of speed and node densityon a VANET specification network in

highway scenarios. The routing protocol used in this study is AODV.

Design of a simulation system is divided into two subsystems which are subsystem

mobility and network subsystems. The design of the subsystem mobility is done by using

ONESimulator software. While the network subsystem design using the Network Simulator 2

(NS2) software. The density and speed of the node is formed in such a way so as to describe a

model of mobility that close to the exact condition in reality. In the end, the performance of

the VANET network will be observed. Performance is evaluated with end to end delay,

throughput, and packet delivery ratio.

It can be concluded that the changes on the transmission range will affect the

performance of AODV routing protocol. The higher the transmission range used, the QoS

will have a tendency to improve. Node density also affect the performance of AODV routing

protocol. It also can be seen that the value of the QoS parameters on the network at higher

nodes speed is worse compared to QoS parameter value on network at lower nodes speed.

Key words: VANET, AODV, Transmission Range, Speed, Node density, QoS