Low Power Wireless Mesh Network over the TDMA Link for Connecting Things

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Abstract—In this paper, a low power wireless mesh network over channel hopped TDMA links is introduced as an area network for connecting things. The links and virtual links over the IEEE 802.15.4e DSME MAC are established and unbalanced cluster-tree based network formation provides routed link paths for the things to have deterministic-latency and scalable wireless mesh connectivity

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