

LOW-COST INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGY FOR WATER QUALITY MONITORING AND WATER RESOURCES MANAGEMENT FOR URBAN AND RURAL WATER SYSTEMS IN INDIA

ABOUT LOTUS

- Start date: 1st February 2019
- **Duration:** 48 months
- **Budget:** 3,69 million €
- Aim: Co-creation of innovative low-cost technology for India's water quality challenges

THE BACKGROUND

India faces challenges regarding water quality:

- Only 30% of the Indian population has access to treated drinking water
- 37.7 million Indians are affected by waterborne diseases each year, including a large number of children

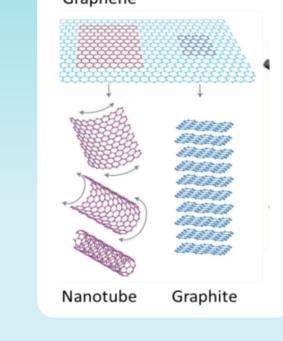
THE OBJECTIVE

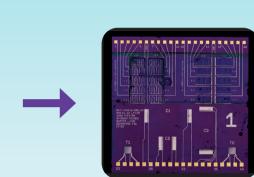
- The LOTUS project aims at co-creating, co-designing and co-developing:
- An innovative multi-parameter sensor
- Tailor-made decision support tools for water management

LOTUS SOLUTIONS

Core technology of the LOTUS sensor

An electronic tongue based on functionalised carbon nanotubes.











The LOTUS sensor is unique!



It is less expensive



It consumes less energy



It is 10 times smaller

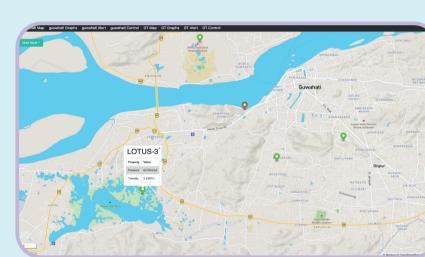


Core parameters: temperature, electrical conductivity, active chlorine and pH

Secundary parameters (research in progress): arsenic, magnesium, fluoride, iron, glyphosate and nitrate

The Cloud solution/software





Example of data visualisation

LOTUS develops software tools that:

- Are based on open standards and interfaces
- Collect and process measurements and data
- Offer high quality visualisation
- Include relevant tools (e.g. EPANET) for smart water management
- Can be used for strategic and operational purposes



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