Title:

Noise pollution monitoring

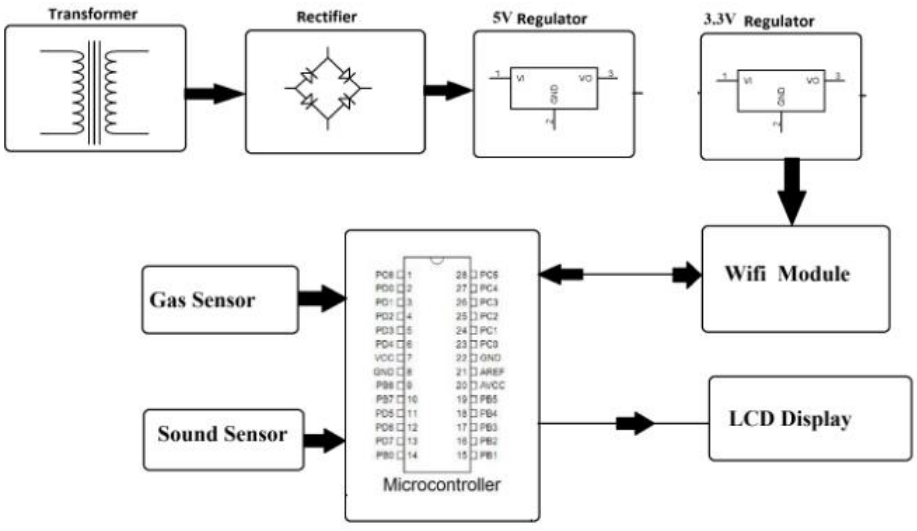
Problem statement:

Problems related to noise include stress related illnesses, high blood pressure, speech interference, hearing loss, sleep disruption, and lost productivity.

Problem Definition:

The solution focuses on traffic junctions throughout the city and plans to deploy a noise monitoring node at every junction. As a part of the solution to this project, we have implemented a "**Punishing Signal**" to create awareness about noise pollution among commuters. The implementation includes a noise pollution monitoring node that reads the noise levels at a given traffic junction and also the prototype of a traffic light controller which controls the flow of traffic at a junction. The idea is to discourage commuters from honking unnecessarily at a traffic light.

The connections are pretty simple, we just have to connect the sound sensor to one of the Analog pin and the LCD to the I2C pins



we propose an air quality as well as sound pollution monitoring system that allows us to monitor and check live air quality as well as sound pollution in a

particular areas through IOT. System uses air sensors to sense presence of harmful gases/compounds in the air and constantly transmit this data to microcontroller. Also system keeps measuring sound level and reports it to the online server over IOT. The sensors interact with microcontroller which processes this data and transmits it over internet. This allows authorities to monitor air pollution in different areas and take action against it. Also authorities can keep a watch on the noise pollution near schools, hospitals and no honking areas, and if system detects air quality and noise issues it alerts authorities so they can take measures to control the issue.

An IoT-based air and sound pollution monitoring system is implemented using a network of sensors, connectivity technologies, and data analytics platforms. Air quality sensors are deployed in strategic locations to measure pollutant levels such as particulate matter, gases, and volatile organic compounds (VOCs).

Design thinking:

Empathize: Start by understanding the stakeholders involved, including residents, local authorities, and environmental agencies.

Conduct interviews, surveys, and observations to gather insights into their experiences with noise pollution and their needs.

Define: Clearly define the problem by creating a problem statement, such as "How might we effectively monitor and mitigate noise pollution in urban areas?"

Identify specific pain points and challenges faced by different stakeholders.

Ideate:

Brainstorm solutions collaboratively with a diverse team. Encourage creativity and think beyond traditional monitoring methods.

Use techniques like mind mapping, brainstorming sessions, or the "How Might We" method to generate a wide range of ideas.

Prototype:

Select a few promising ideas and create low-fidelity prototypes to visualize how they might work.

For noise pollution monitoring, this could involve designing physical prototypes, software interfaces, or conceptual models.

Test:

Collect feedback on your prototypes from stakeholders, including residents, experts, and policymakers.

Refine your prototypes based on the feedback and iterate on your designs.

Develop:

Once you have a well-refined prototype, start developing a functional version of your noise pollution monitoring solution.

This may involve designing hardware (e.g., noise sensors), software (e.g., data analysis and visualization tools), and user interfaces.

Implement:

Deploy your noise pollution monitoring system in a real-world setting, such as a pilot project in a specific urban area.

Collaborate with local authorities and communities to ensure a successful implementation.

Evaluate:

Continuously monitor and evaluate the effectiveness of your solution.

Gather data on noise levels, community satisfaction, and any improvements in noise pollution mitigation.

Iterate:

Based on ongoing evaluation and feedback, make necessary adjustments and improvements to your noise pollution monitoring system.

Continue to iterate and evolve the solution to better meet the needs of the community and stakeholders.

Scale:

Once you have a proven and effective solution, consider scaling it to other urban areas or regions facing similar noise pollution challenges.

Seek partnerships and funding opportunities to support expansion.

Prerequisites:

- Arduino IDE 1.8.5 or later (To compile and upload code on sensor nodes)
- JAVA 1.8 (To run the OneM2m platform)
- Eclipse OM2M v1.4.1 (implementation of the standard used in the project)
- NodeJS v14
- Postman
- Grafana v9.2 or later

Sensor design:

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Conclusion:

conclusion, implementing noise pollution monitoring using the Internet of Things (IoT) offers a promising and effective solution to address the

growing problem of noise pollution in urban environments. IoT-based noise monitoring systems leverage the power of connected sensors, data analytics, and real-time communication to provide numerous benefits and improve our understanding and management of noise pollution.