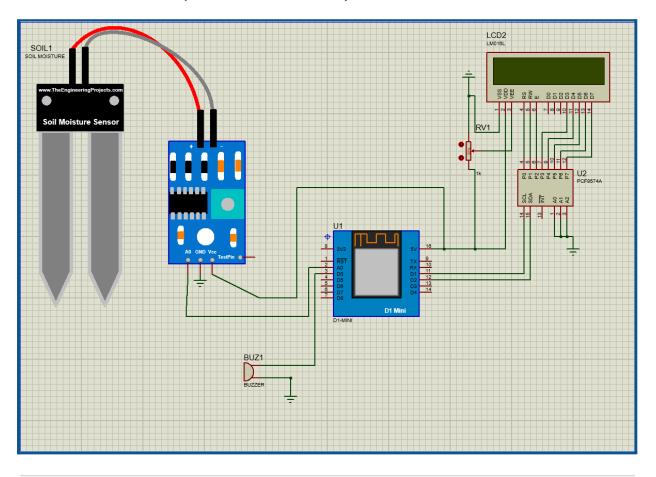
Introduction:

- There are still villages in India, where there is only one source of water or no sources of water at all.
- In these scenarios, the government needs to send water tankers to these remote places.
- Villages in India are facing an acute shortage of water for households and agriculture activities with farmers bearing the brunt during cropping season.
- The agriculture sector, which consumes 80% of India's water resources and accounts for 90% of the groundwater withdrawals, uses water inefficiently.
- India's dominant portfolio of water intensive crops coupled with low water use efficiency and unregulated groundwater are key reasons that account for agriculture water demand.
- The country has low irrigation efficiency of 30% and 55% for surface and groundwater respectively because of the extensive use of flood irrigation methods and inappropriate selection of crops.
- The other driver of unsustainable supply of water is the level of pollution increasing in water bodies due to flow of untreated sewage and effluents.
- These challenges have major consequences with regard to water and might worsen issues related to climate change, rising population and industrialization.

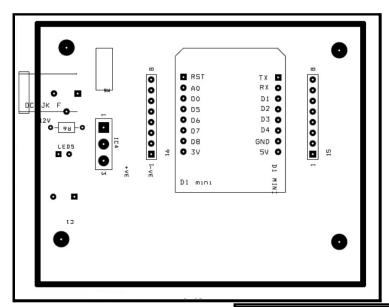
1. Schematic (Proteus Circuit):

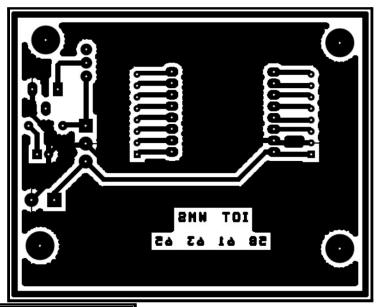


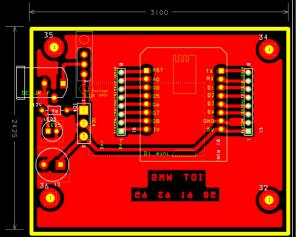
2. Working of Circuit:

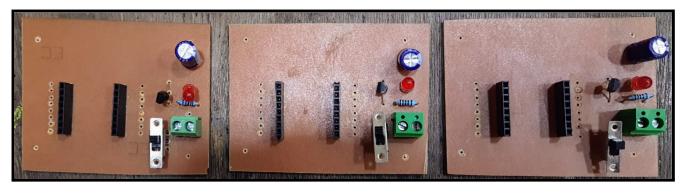
- DC power supply of 9v is supplied to the circuit.
- A Red LED is connected and a switch is placed for ON/OFF.
- A 10 K-ohm resistor is connected in series with the LED along with the voltage regulator IC, further connected to the capacitor.
- As a result, the 9v power supply is stepped down to 5v and the terminal of the capacitor is connected to the 5v VCC pin of Wemos D1-Mini.
- An LCD is interfaced with the Wemos D1-Mini via IIC (I2C module) for 16x2 LCD.
- The SCL and SDA pins of IIC are connected to the D1 and D2 pins of D1-Mini respectively.
- The Ao and Do pins of the soil moisture sensor are connected to respective Ao and Do pins of D1-Mini.
- The Buzzer is connected to D3 pins of D1-Mini.
- The Buzzer is activated if the value of Water Level is $\sim 30\%$.
- Simultaneously water level is also displayed on the LCD.
- After the code is dumped in Wemos D1-Mini, it is connected to UBIDOTS Dashboard, on which respective values are reflected.

3. PCB Design:

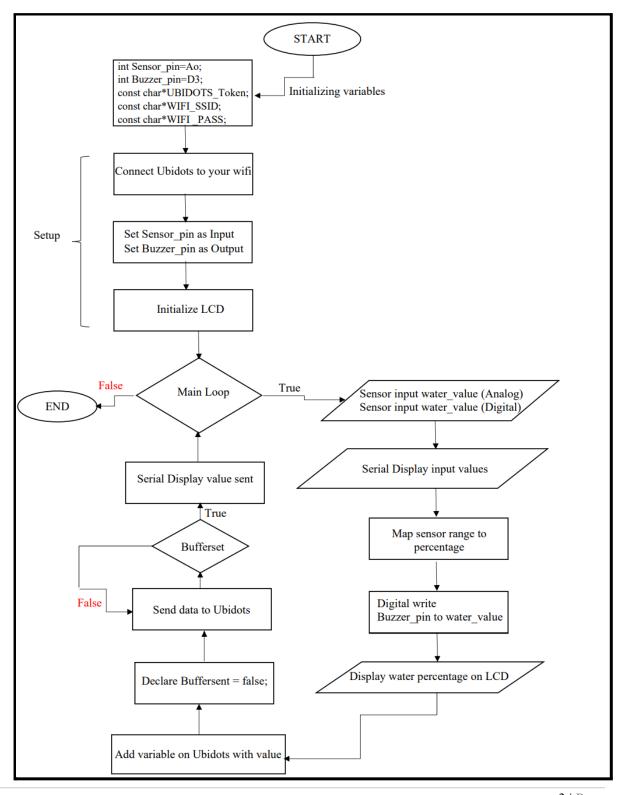








3. Code Implementation:



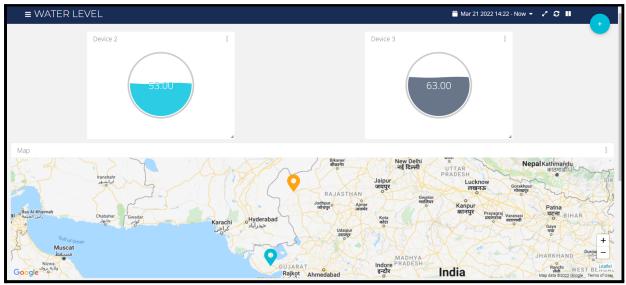
4. IoT Dashboard Implementation:

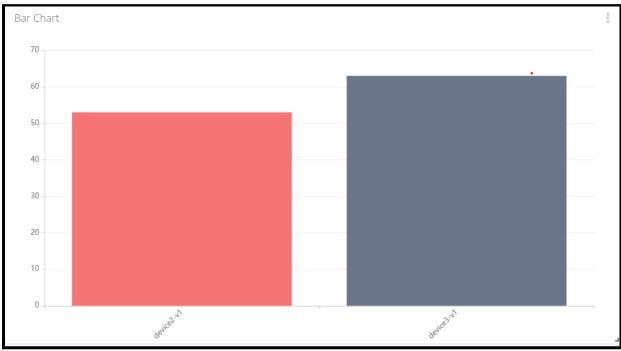
- We are using UBIDOTS as our IOT Platform.
- All the readings and important values are sent to the dashboard created on ubidots.
- Our dashboard includes 3 tank widgets, selected to indicate the water level, value of which is sent via calibration done by soil moisture sensor.
- Next, we have also added a maps widget in our dashboard, in order to locate where my device is actually located.
- However, we are not using any kind of GSM module in our project.
- In the maps widget, we are manually fixing a constant location of the IOT devices and as no motion/movement is taking place, the location will always be fixed and the same is done in the maps widget on UBIDOTS.
- Next we have also added a graph widget in our dashboard.
- Through this graph, we can monitor at what time & date, what percentage of water value was present. Such kind of information is very useful for further data analysis.
- Lastly, we have also added a Bar chart, which simultaneously shows the percentage level of water calibrated in all the three devices at the very present moment. Such type of data visualization is necessary and useful.
- If the water level is quite low then the email notification will be sent by the UBIDOTS system, to send an alert message.
- Similarly, if the water overflows from the tank/system, then the email notification will be sent by the UBIDOTS system, to send an alert message.

5. Future Scope:

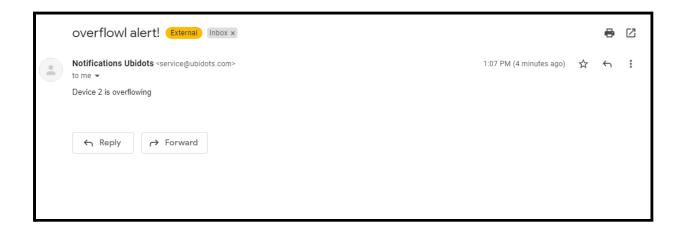
- Sensor upgradation and accuracy can be improved by either improving the quality of Moisture Sensor or replacing the sensor with the Ultrasonic sensor.
- This implementation is applicable for a smaller depth range, for larger depths we can use an arrangement similar to an array of sensors to cover the complete depth.
- In an array of sensors instead of covering complete depth, the sensors can be calibrated at particular intervals by leaving regular gaps.

6. Results:











Snap-Shots of Alert Email Notifications

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