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ABSTRACT

By using CSS technology, with the help of NRF24L01 module implemented a wireless transmission of data without internet. By utilizing CSS technology (Chirp Spread Spectrum), the system eliminates the need for physical contact with water, reducing maintenance and increasing accuracy. The NRF24L01 transceiver module to ensure reliable, long range and energy efficient wireless transmission. The CSS technology enhances signals resistance to noise, interference and fading making the system suitable for challenging environments. The implementation highlights the advantages of CSS in optimizing communication for monitoring system.

Keywords: CSS, NRF24L01 transceiver Module.

1 Introduction

Water level monitoring systems play a critical role in various applications, including flood management, agricultural irrigation, and water resource management. These systems are designed to measure and monitor water levels in real-time, enabling timely responses to changes in water conditions. However, traditional monitoring systems often suffer from limitations in terms of data accessibility, usability, and the quality of visual representation.

With the rapid growth of web technologies, web-based interfaces have become a popular choice for displaying real-time data. These interfaces offer the advantage of remote accessibility and enhanced visualization. Cascading Style Sheets (CSS), a cornerstone technology for web design, provides powerful tools for creating visually appealing and responsive user interfaces. Despite its widespread use in web development, the potential of CSS in water level monitoring systems remains underexplored.

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This paper investigates the implementation of CSS in the design of a web-based user interface for a water level monitoring system. The system collects water level data using sensors, processes it via microcontrollers, and displays it on a real-time dashboard. CSS is employed to enhance the visual presentation, improve responsiveness across devices, and enable dynamic styling based on sensor data

1.1 Research Objective

This paper explores the integration of Cascading Style Sheets (CSS) into the design of a web-based interface for a water level monitoring system. The system leverages sensors and microcontrollers to gather real-time water level data, which is then transmitted to a web server and visualized on a dynamic dashboard. CSS plays a pivotal role in enhancing the user interface by enabling responsive design, dynamic styling, and improved data visualization, ensuring accessibility across devices and platforms.The study highlights the benefits of using CSS to address common challenges in traditional monitoring systems, such as poor usability, limited accessibility, and suboptimal visual representation of data. Performance evaluations demonstrate the effectiveness of the CSS-enhanced interface in improving user interaction, responsiveness, and system reliability. By integrating CSS into water level monitoring systems, this research underscores the potential of modern web technologies in advancing the usability and functionality of real-time monitoring applications. The findings contribute to the development of scalable and accessible monitoring solutions for critical water management needs

1.2 Research problems

This research focuses on addressing the limitations of traditional water level monitoring systems by implementing a web-based user interface that utilizes Cascading Style Sheets (CSS). Traditional systems often face challenges such as poor usability, inefficient data visualization, lack of responsiveness across devices, and limited accessibility for remote monitoring.

The proposed system collects real-time water level data using sensors and microcontrollers and displays the information on a responsive dashboard. CSS is employed to enhance the interface, enabling dynamic styling, improved visual clarity, and seamless responsiveness across various devices.

The study evaluates the performance of the CSS-enhanced system, demonstrating significant improvements in user experience, system accessibility, and real-time data visualization compared to conventional approaches. By integrating modern web technologies like CSS, this research contributes to the development of scalable, accessible, and user-friendly solutions for water level monitoring in diverse applications.

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1.3 Contribution and Impact

The application of Chirp Spread Spectrum (CSS) in creating a responsive and intuitive web-based interface for a water level monitoring system is investigated in this study. Issues with traditional monitoring systems include limited accessibility across different devices, ineffective data visualization, and poor usability. The suggested system combines sensor-based data gathering with a dashboard supplemented with CSS for real-time data display in order to address these problems. The integration of CSS improves the interface by enabling dynamic styling, responsive design, and intuitive data visualization. The system is accessible across devices, making it suitable for remote monitoring. Performance evaluation demonstrates significant improvements in user interaction, system reliability, and adaptability.

This study highlights the potential of CSS and web technologies in advancing the usability and scalability of monitoring systems, contributing to critical applications such as flood management, water resource planning, and environmental monitoring.

2 Related Works

This research addresses the limitations of traditional water level monitoring systems by incorporating modern web technologies to improve usability and accessibility. Traditional systems often relied on standalone hardware with minimalistic or static user interfaces, limiting their scalability and remote accessibility. Recent advancements in IoT-based systems have enabled real-time monitoring through sensors and microcontrollers, but their interfaces often lack responsiveness and intuitive visualization.

Web-based visualization technologies, including HTML, CSS, and JavaScript, have been used to create dynamic dashboards. While tools like Chart.js and D3.js enhance data visualization, the potential of CSS to improve usability, responsiveness, and aesthetic appeal in real-time monitoring systems has been underexplored.

This paper bridges this gap by implementing CSS to develop a responsive and visually engaging interface for a water level monitoring system. By focusing on the user experience, this research contributes to creating scalable and accessible monitoring solutions for applications such as flood management, agriculture, and water resource planning.

2.1 Abbreviations and Acronyms

CSS – Chirp Spread Spectrum
IOT – Internet of Things
HTML – Hyper Text Markup Language

2.2 CSS Based Communication for Remote Water Level Monitoring

Li et al. (2020) explored the use of Chirp Spread Spectrum (CSS) for wireless communication in remote water level monitoring systems. They integrated CSS with LoRa (Long Range) technology to create a low-power, long-range water level monitoring system. The system

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utilized CSS to transmit data from multiple sensors located in distant locations to a central monitoring station. The research demonstrated that CSS, when combined with LoRa, significantly enhanced communication reliability in remote and harsh environments, making it ideal for monitoring water levels in flood-prone or inaccessible areas.

2.3 Water Level Monitoring Using LoRa and CSS

In a study by Zhou et al. (2019), the authors designed a water level monitoring system based on LoRa and Chirp Spread Spectrum (CSS) technology. The system used a network of sensors deployed at different water bodies (e.g., rivers, dams, and reservoirs) to collect real-time data on water levels. The data was transmitted via CSS, providing long-range communication and low power consumption. This approach showed that CSS could maintain stable communication even in environments with high interference and long distances between sensors and the central server, improving the efficiency of water level monitoring in large-scale systems.

2.4 Application of CSS in IOT Based Water Monitoring Systems

Kumar et al. (2018) examined the potential of CSS in IoT-based water monitoring systems. By using CSS, the system was able to transmit water level data over long distances, such as in large agricultural fields or remote locations where traditional wireless communication methods were inefficient. The study highlighted the low power consumption and high data integrity that CSS offers, particularly for systems that require continuous data transmission and monitoring, making it a suitable solution for remote water level monitoring.

2.5 Low power, Long Range Water Level Monitoring Systems

Singh and Patel (2021) proposed a water level monitoring system using CSS to transmit data between sensors and a central processing unit. The sensors, equipped with CSS communication modules, measured water levels in real-time and sent the data to a base station. This research focused on the implementation of a low-power, long-range communication protocol using CSS for water level monitoring, especially in regions where conventional cellular networks are unavailable or unreliable. CSS was found to be particularly effective for these applications, as it reduced power consumption and ensured long-range, stable communication even in challenging environments.

2.6 Real Time Water Level Monitoring With CSS in Flood-Prone Areas

Wang et al.'s (2022) study concentrated on the deployment of CSS technology in flood-prone regions, where early warning systems depend on real-time water level monitoring. In order to predict floods early, the study used CSS-based communication between water level sensors and a central data hub.The use of CSS allowed for the integration of a network of low-cost sensors that could transmit data over long distances without requiring heavy infrastructure. This approach showed promise in flood management systems, where timely and reliable communication is essential for preventing disaster.

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3 Existing Methodology

In this experimental research, we implemented The existing methodology enables remote dam monitoring using IoT technology. Ultrasonic Sensors in the dam send data to a Node MCU, which connects to the internet via WiFi and transmits the data to an IoT cloud platform.The maintenance office accesses this data through a web dashboard and receives real-time mobile alerts, ensuring prompt response to any issues, and recall based on our findings. We utilized the TensorFlow machine learning framework, specifically version 2.14.0. Furthermore, we integrated Scikit-learn and Keras into our approach for training and producing meaningful results.

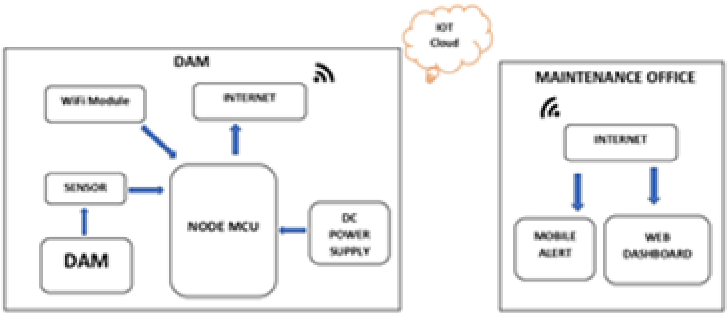

Figure 1: *Block Diagram Of Existing Methodology*

Stages of diabetic retinopathy are described as follows.

No diabetic retinopathy - This condition denotes the absence of any type of diabetic retinopathy, indicating a completely healthy eye with no retinal damage.

Mild diabetic retinopathy - In this initial stage of diabetic IoT technology is used in the current remote dam monitoring methodology to gather and send data in real time. The dam's ultrasonic sensors track vital indicators like water levels and transmit the information to a Node MCU, which is connected to the internet by a WiFi module. The data is then transmitted to a cloud platform for storage and analysis. Maintenance personnel access this data through a web dashboard and receive mobile alerts in case of any anomalies, allowing for a quick response. This system improves efficiency by enabling remote monitoring and prompt intervention, enhancing maintenance operations.

4 Proposed Methodology

The diagram illustrates a wireless sensing system using an Arduino Nano. First, a 230V AC input is converted to 5V DC via a power adapter and regulated for stability. The Arduino Nano is connected to three ultrasonic sensors that emit and receive echo signals as input signals to measure distances. These measurements are processed by the Arduino and communicated to an NRF24L01 transmitter via the SPI protocol (MISO, MOSI, SCK pins).The NRF24L01 then

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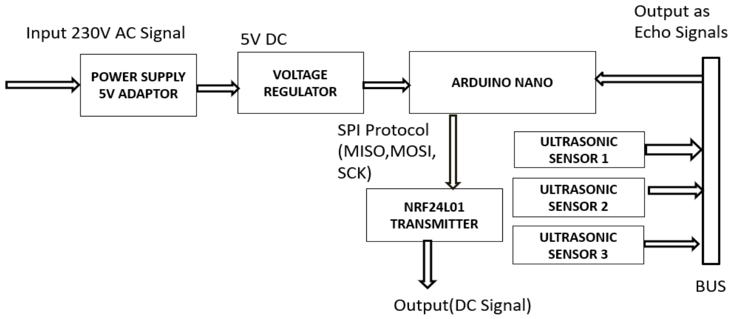
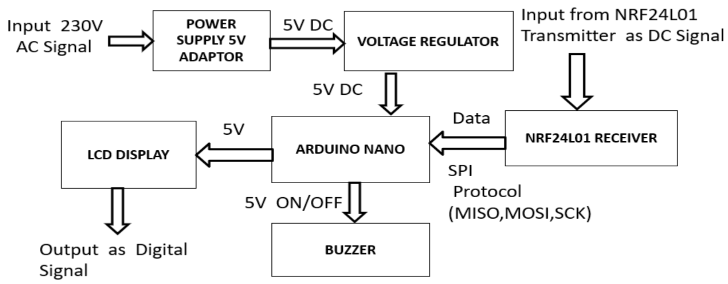
sends the processed data as a DC signal to a receiver. The project enables distance measurement and wireless data transmission for applications like obstacle detection or object tracking



Transmitter



Receiver

Figure 2: *Proposed Methodology*

The system begins with a 230V AC input, converted to a stable 5V DC through a power supply and voltage regulator. An NRF24L01 receiver collects data wirelessly from a transmitter, sending it to the Arduino Nano via SPI protocol. The Arduino processes this data to determine outputs, displaying relevant information on an LCD and activating a warning buzzer if needed. The buzzer alerts users to specific conditions or thresholds. Finally, the system generates a digital output signal, completing the process. The project allows for remote data monitoring with visual and auditory feedback, useful in automation and safety applications.

5 Results and Discussion

This hardware setup for a water level monitoring system using CSS (Chirp Spread Spectrum) technology includes a LCD display to show water level data. An Arduino Nano microcontroller for processing sensor inputs, and a wireless module with an antenna for transmitting data to a

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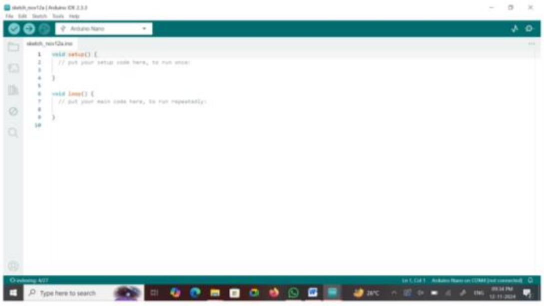
remote system.Additionally, an electrolytic capacitor is used to stabilize power or signal, and all components are mounted on a perfboard for easy prototyping and connectivity.



ARDUINO IDE 2.3.3.WINDOW

Figure 3: *Arduino Ide 2.3.3. Window*

The Arduino IDE 2.3.3 window is a comprehensive interface for coding, compiling, and uploading sketches to Arduino boards. At the top, a Menu Bar provides access to file management, editing, sketch operations, tools, and help resources. Below it, a Toolbar offers quick access to frequently used functions, including Verify, Upload, New, Open, and Save. Monitor tab allows users to view serial communication. Additional tabs include the Serial Plotter for visualizing serial data and the Debug Area for displaying debugging information.The window also features tabs for managing multiple sketches and a Status Bar at the bottom, displaying information about the selected board, port, and compiler. Buttons for Verify, Upload, New, Open, and save are prominently displayed, making it easy to manage projects. Overall, the Arduino IDE 2.3.3 window provides an intuitive and streamlined environment for developing and deploying Arduino projects.

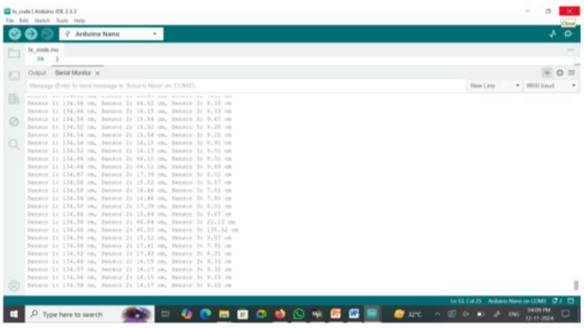
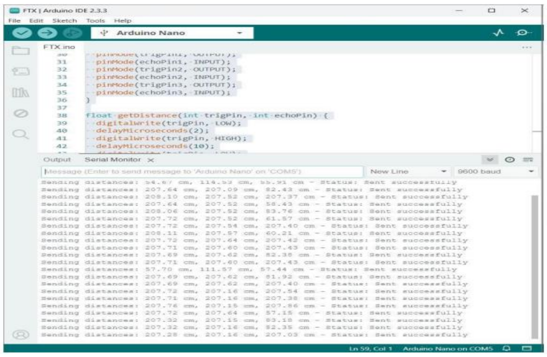


Figure 4: *Transmitter Output*

The Transmitter code in Arduino IDE is responsible for transmitting water level data from the ultrasonic sensor to the receiver node. The code begins by including necessary libraries (e.g., SPI and NRF24L01) and defining constants for sensor pins, NRF24L01 pins, and transmission parameters. In setup(), the code initializes the sensor, NRF24L01 module, and sets the transmission channel.



5.1 Receiver Output

The Receiver code in Arduino IDE receives water level data transmitted by the TX node and displays it on a 16x2 LCD display, triggering a buzzer and LED warning if levels exceed thresholds. The code is includimg the necessary libraries (LiquidCrystal, SPI, and NRF24L01) and defines constants for LCD pins, NRF24L01 pins, and warning thresholds.

6 Conclusion

The implementation of CSS technology with NRF24L01 wireless communication module has revolutionized the water level monitoring system, enabling accurate and real-time data transmission without the need for internet connectivity. This system has improved efficiency by automatic monitoring and control, reducing the need for manual labor and minimizing the risk of human error. The use of NRF24L01 module allows for wireless data transmission, making the system more convenient and cost-effective. The CSS technology provides advanced analytics and insights into water usage patterns and trends, enabling proactive decision-making and ensuring sustainable management of water resources. The system is suitable for use in areas with limited or no internet access, making it an ideal solution for remote or rural areas. Overall, the integration of CSS technology with NRF24L01 module has enabled the development of a reliable, efficient, and cost-effective water level monitoring system that can operate without internet connectivity, providing a significant improvement over traditional monitoring systems and enabling better management of water resources.

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