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# "PATROL FISH TO COLLECT AND CHECK THE CONTAMINATION OF A WATER BODY"

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#### **ABSTRACT**

Robotic fish is a biomimicking of a real-world fish being developed with a view to enable surface level cleaning of water bodies. The fish monitors the pH levels of the water that it is currently in. The fish has to perform the above two tasks yet exhibit a good stabilization. To establish a stabilized structure of the fish the right buoyancy and a low center of volume and mass has to be ensured. To bring in locomotion against the currents of the water and to enable enough propulsion to push forward the garbage collected requires the fish to produce adequate thrust. To transfer commands to the fish from the operator a suitable communication mechanism, a web socket accompanied by a web application on the transmitter side and a ESP32 on the receiving side enables one to send control signals which would in turn enable locomotion and surface level cleaning. To avoid any damage to the circuitry a suitable water proofing mechanism is adopted.

This project proposes a system that will help to use the Robotic Fish which is affordable, simple to use and is not a burden in terms of aesthetics. Using simple design tweaks, the number of components used in the Robotic Fish design can be significantly reduced. This reduction in the number of components drastically brings down the price of the Robot which is very affordable to place in the water to grasp the waste from the water bodies. The reduction of components also reduces the weight and thus giving a natural feel of Real Fish while using the Robotic device. The device is also 3D printed thus increasing the adaptability and weighs less thus increasing the portability of the device. A portable power supply is also used thus increasing the portability of the Robot furthermore.