



# Water Quality Early Warning System

in a pilot demonstration on transboundary watercourses

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## About us: VRIC Innovation Centre of Veszprém

- **VRIC** is an NGO with the mission
  - $\checkmark$  to enhance research and innovation, and
  - ✓ to function as a bridge between different stakeholders, like universities and companies.
- VRIC has participated in several **R&D PROJECTS**, where
  - ✓ elements of on-line water quality monitoring systems have been developed.
- EUSDR presence:
  - ✓ MACRO-REGIONAL CONFERENCE, 2013
  - ✓ **FEASIBILITY STUDY** third year's progress report, 2014

VRIC & Environmental Institute s.r.o (2014): INITIAL STUDY Chapter 1-4, 2014

"Water Quality Early Warning System on Transboundary watercourses of the Tisza River Basin"

### Our project: idea and objectives



#### Adapt a SUSTAINABLE AND LOW-COST ONLINE water

quality alert monitoring system (EWS) to a

**PILOT DEMONSTRATION** cross-border area.

EWS is essential for

#### WARNING AND FORECASTING

of exceptional events and helping timely reactions.

A cross-border
LOW-COST PILOT SYSTEM
with continuously
operating monitoring stations.

 Obtain the ability to **DETECT SIGNIFICANT CHANGES** in water quality.

 Evaluation of result data, providing SIGNALS FOR possible pollution EVENTS

DISSEMINATE information to stakeholders



- LOCAL KNOWLEDGE, EXPERTISE, info on their water system and hazard sources and pricing issue will be involved and reflect special requirements and conditions
- Taking into consideration the ACCIDENT RISK SITES and their relations to the water system
- Proposal of installation sites and measurement parameters
- Evaluation of measurement **METHODS**, specification of **MONITORING DEVICES**, STATIONS, sampling systems
- Calculation of investment and operational COSTS
- Implementation of an EWS extendable, CONFIGURABLE AND SPECIALIZEABLE automatic monitoring system (which includes installation, infrastructural and ICT elements)
- Demonstration of operation.

### We are looking for: possible partners

- STAKEHOLDERS on the Tisza water basin, who would be interested in establishing and operating an online water quality monitoring system in their area.
- Our partners should have extensive knowledge of LOCAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS, as laws can be different from country to country.
- We are also interested in partners, whom would like to enter into a cooperation with us based on long term **DATA EXCHANGE** and comparative evaluation of their respective data.





# Thank you for your attention!

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