

# **Complete Water Quality Monitoring Solution for Surface Water**

- Real-time water quality monitoring buoy
- ✓ Vertical profiler to monitor the entire water column
- Real-time phosphate monitoring at different depths
- **Digital twin for effective water resource management**
- Automated trace metals monitoring



# **Water Quality Monitoring Technologies**

At LG Sonic, we offer an extensive range of water quality monitoring technologies designed to provide you with a comprehensive and in-depth overview of your water quality.

#### **LG Sonic Monitoring Buoy**

The LG Sonic Monitoring Buoy features advanced sensors and a durable design, ensuring precise data collection for thorough water quality analysis.

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#### **Vertical Profiler**

The most precise and cost-effective approach for continuously monitoring water quality at various depths, encompassing depths of up to 100m throughout the water column.

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#### **Phosphate Sensor**

Real-time phosphate (PO4) monitoring tailored for surface water applications, providing timely and accurate data through completely autonomous operation.

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#### **Digital Twin of Surface Water**

Enhance water management by leveraging a digital representation of a physical water body to improve operations, decision-making, and overall efficiency.

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#### **Trace Metals**

Trace metal analyzer for continuous real-time monitoring of drinking water reservoirs and industrial processes, delivering precision and compliance assurance.

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#### **Remote Sensing**

Enhance monitoring of algae levels and water quality by utilizing remote sensing for improved spatial and temporal coverage accuracy.

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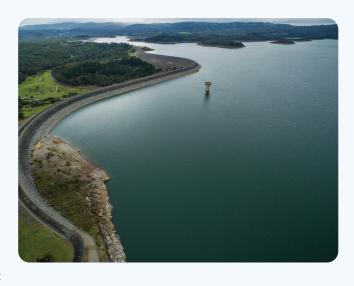
#### **MPC-View Water Quality Software**

Web-based software for streamlined viewing, analysis, and reporting of algae and water quality data, integrating all monitoring solutions into a single cloud platform.

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#### For applications worldwide

- Drinking water reservoirs
- Hydroelectric dams
- Lakes
- Cooling ponds
- Wastewater reservoirs



# **LG Sonic Monitoring Buoy**

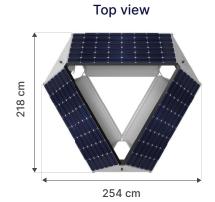
This high-tech solution is a combination of real time water quality monitoring and user-friendly cloud software that stores and analyses received water quality data. Water quality data embodies essential evidence to support decision-making in water resource management. This information is used to verify compliance with regulations and policies, to alert managers to current and emerging problems, and to define new strategies to protect water quality, public health and the environment.

- ♥ Upgradable with ultrasonic algae control





Weight: 200 kg (excl. anchor)



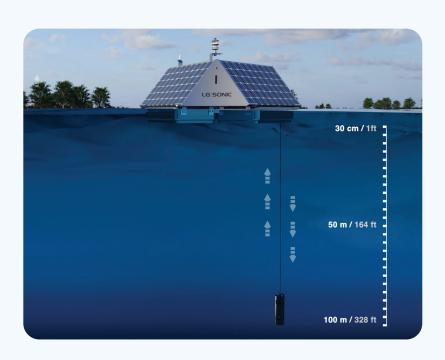
#### Water quality sensor package

Chlorophyll a, phycocyanin, turbidity	Dissolved Oxygen	рН
<ul> <li>470nm – Chlorophyll a</li> </ul>	Optical measure by luminescence	Combined electrode
610nm - Phycocyanin	Measure ranges:	<ul> <li>special glass, Ag/AgCl ref.</li> </ul>
685nm Turbidity	• 0.00 to 20.00 mg/L	Gelled electrolyte (KCI)
	• 0.00 to 20.00 ppm	• Range 0 – 14 pH
	• 0-200%	Resolution 0,01 pH
		• Accuracy +/- 0,1 pH
Temperature		
Technology CTN		
• Range 32°F to 122°F		
Resolution 0,01 °C		It is possible to add additional sensors
• Accuracy ± 0,5 °C		to the water quality sensor package.
• Response time < 5 s		to the trater quanty solloof package.

### **LG Sonic Vertical Profiler**

Vertical profiling is a cost-effective solution to measure water quality throughout the entire water column with a maximum depth of 100m / 328ft. The LG Sonic Vertical Profiler can be pre-set to take samples from a wide range of depths within a water body and measure key algae and water parameters in real-time.

- Early detection of harmful algae bloom events
- Evaluate differences throughout the water column
- Identify both point and non-point source pollutants
- Base your decisions on informed water quality assessments





Profile direction	Up / down
Weight (Winch system)	12 kg
Operating temperature	0° to 50°C
Operating humidity	0 to 95% RH
Data transmission	4G / Satellite
Warranty	2 years

#### High quality profiler

The LG Sonic Vertical Profiler has a rugged design, built to work in the long term for effective and reliable water resource management.

#### **Easy maintenance**

There is no need to bring the profiler back to shore or step onto it.

#### Modular design

Upgradable with a weather station or ultrasonic algae control.

#### **Cost-effective**

Auto-cleaning system for accurate readings and low maintenance.

#### Software suite

Data is delivered in realtime to the web-based MPC-View software.

#### **Parameters**

- Chlorophyll α (green algae)
- Phycocyanin (blue-green algae)
- Turbidity
- Dissolved oxygen
- Temperature

Additional sensors can be purchased seperately

# LG Sonic Phosphate Sensor

LG Sonic Phosphate (PO4) Sensor monitors phosphate levels in real-time at different water depths. Through the implementation of the Yellow Method, the sensor provides highly accurate readings over a larger measurement range. Its robust design and durable materials ensure stability at high temperature ranges. The LG Sonic Phosphate Sensor automatically calibrates and cleans for ease of use and minimal maintenance.



Better algae bloom understanding



Operates completely autonomous



High durability of reagents



Easy installation and maintenance

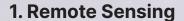


Technology	Lab-on-a-Chip (LOC) technology	
Method	Molybdate-Vanadate method (Yellow method)	
Detection limit	0.01 mg/L PO₄-P	
Number of runs per reagent set	≥ 300	
Cleaning	Automatic cleaning and flushing step	
Calibration	2-POINT calibration before each measurement. Remote calibration possible	
Reagent life	Up to 6 months self life	
Protection	Installed in sensor housing for protection against debris	
Operational temperature	5 - 40 °C (41 - 104 °F)	
Filter pore size	0.1 μm (0.1 micron)	

#### **Understanding Phosphorus**

Nutrients, such as nitrogen and phosphorus, are essential in any aquatic ecosystem. However, their overabundance can cause several adverse health and ecological effects. The source of PO4 in a water body can vary. It's important to know exactly where it comes from and in what quantity, as PO4 released from the sediments may require different solutions than PO4 flowing in from a stream. Harmful algae blooms are fueled by PO4.

Knowing the source of PO4 helps you understand the problem you're dealing with, so that you can apply targeted solutions and more effective treatment – saving time and costs. The LG Sonic PO4 Sensor provides PO4 information in real-time, taking away the chore of frequent field trips and manual measurements, while ensuring reliable and accurate readings.



LG Sonic uses NASA and ESA satellite data to map algal blooms from space. Allowing to see and compare historic algae growth, turbidity, and Dissolved Oxygen levels.

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# The Digital Twin



#### 2. Trace Metals Monitoring

The automated onshore trace metals monitoring system tracks 23 various metals, such as As, Cd, Cr, Cu, Hg, Ni, Pb, Se, Tl, Zn, and more, with measurements taken every 30 minutes.

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#### 3. Vertical Profiling

Reliable, and fully-automated water quality measuring at multiple depths throughout the entire water column. Monitor Chlorophyll  $\alpha$ , Phycocyanin, Turbidity, Dissolved Oxygen, Temperature.

#### 4. Control Room

Enter our advanced control room, where LG Sonic's cutting-edge monitoring solutions offer real-time insights into your water body's health, quality, quantity, and environmental conditions.



# of Surface Water

#### 5. Weather Monitoring

Enhance algal bloom predictions with local weather data collected by the LG Sonic Weather Station.

#### 6. In-situ Monitoring

Provides real-time, comprehensive water quality data, including key parameters such as chlorophyll  $\alpha$ , turbidity, and phosphate.

#### 7. Bathymetric Data

Satellite-derived bathymetric (SDB) and/or drone data provides information about the depths and shapes of underwater terrain.

#### 8. Algae treatment

Optionally, the Monitoring Buoy can be upgraded with ultrasonic algae control transmitters to control algal blooms.

# **Trace Metals Monitoring**

Regulations for heavy metal effluent limits are becoming stricter as regulatory agencies and industry realize their potential environmental and health impact. Monitoring is essential for detecting and mitigating their presence, preventing adverse environmental effects. Our systems utilize solid-state electrodes to conduct voltammetry for metal analysis in solutions. This system enables continuous 24-hour monitoring at a high frequency, capable of identifying and isolating events that daily average sampling may overlook, with data updates provided every 30 minutes.

- Reduce legal and financial risks by adhering to environmental regulations
- Respond effectively to unexpected events with proactive monitoring
- Substitution Enhance treatment efficiency and reduce operating costs

#### TMO (Trace Metals Online)

The TMO system offers monitoring capabilities for 23 different metals, including As, Cd, Cr, Cu, Hg, Ni, Pb, Se, Tl, Zn. This fully automated and modular system is designed to facilitate continuous metal monitoring across various applications.

- Can monitor 23 different metals
- $\bigcirc$  Low detection levels (down to 0.1  $\mu$ g/L\*)
- High accuracy and repeatability

#### **TMP (Trace Metals Portable)**

TMP is a versatile instrument suitable for both on-site monitoring and laboratory applications. It features an extended measurement range and comes with a software for real-time visualization of analytical data.

- Portable for monitoring in remote locations
- Multiple metal analysis
- Solid-state robust electrodes



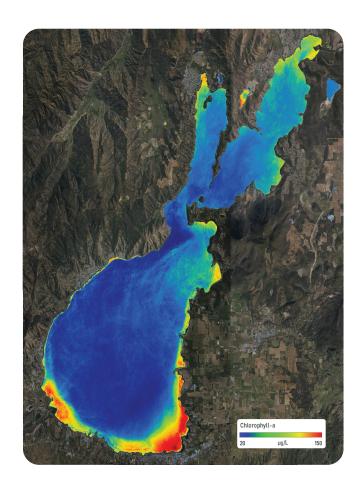


# **Remote sensing**

# Map algal blooms and water quality from space

LG Sonic Remote Sensing leverages satellite imagery to extract data on key algae and water quality parameters. Utilizing AI and in combination with in-situ water quality data, our technology allows for the detection and monitoring of algae levels and water quality at higher spatial and temporal coverages

- ✓ NASA and ESA satellite imagery
- Access historical and present images
- ✓ Improve decision-making and processes



#### **LG Sonic Water Quality Index**

The LG Sonic Water Quality Index considers key parameters such as temperature, phycocyanin, dissolved oxygen and turbidity, giving you a clear understanding of your water quality on a scale of 0 to 100%.



#### High-res satellite imagery

LG Sonic supplies high-resolution images allowing you to make informed decisions for all your water bodies. Our cutting-edge data analysis utilizes multiple sources like Sentinel 2, Landsat 5, 8, MODIS and more to offer a comprehensive view of the earth's surface.

With over 30 years of data dating back to 1984, our team of experts and our partnership with Google allows us to deliver unparalleled insights into water quality.

#### **Artificial Intelligence**

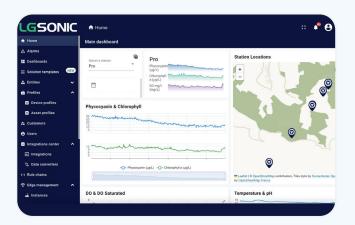
Our innovative Al-driven approach analyses satellite data to provide comprehensive water quality insights. By seamlessly integrating satellite and in-situ sensor data from LG Sonic Monitoring Buoys, we offer customers reliable and relevant information, empowering informed water resource management

## Web-based water quality software

#### **MPC-View**

MPC-View is an advanced web-based software. It provides a complete water quality overview of one or more water bodies.

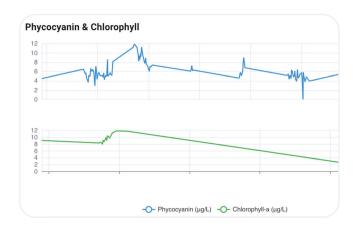
- Real-time insights into your water quality
- ( Integrated data visualization and reporting
- Create specific rules that will trigger an email alert



#### **MPC-View software features**



- Comply with water quality regulations and standards by delivering precise data and reports
- Analyse historical data trends to identify patterns and potential issues.



- Integrate with other systems and databases for a comprehensive view of water quality across various sources
- Generate detailed reports and visualisations to offer insights into water quality over time

Set up alerts for specific water quality thresholds, triggering notifications when levels are outside acceptable limits

### **About LG Sonic**

LG Sonic is a leader in ultrasonic algae control with a mission to restore aquatic ecosystems without the use of chemicals or other harmful pollutants. Leading the way by producing cuttingedge technologies that manage algae blooms sustainably, LG Sonic's solutions are present in over 55 countries, serving 12 industries.

For over 10 years, we've invested in research and development. Today, while striving to provide smart strategies against water pollution, LG Sonic expands its expertise to offer comprehensive solutions for surface water management, including vertical profiling, phosphate sensor, remote sensing, trace metal monitoring, and digital twin.

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**55**<sup>+</sup>

**12**<sup>+</sup>

Countries

Industries served



#### **LG Sonic Headquarters**

Opened in 2011, this European venue is where we established our corporate headquarters and our R&D department. At this location we continue to improve our features and technologies in our inhouse water laboratory.

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