

Open Deep Water — OEM WetEnd Integration Program

Open Science Platform Concept on Raspberry Pi with OEM-WetEnd Support

1. Introduction

Open Deep Water is a concept for a future open platform for collecting, analyzing, and publishing oceanographic, climate, and environmental data.

The platform is based on **Raspberry Pi** with a hardware **HAT** (Hardware Attached on Top) module and software **NAT** (Native Adapter Translator) adapters to support OEM-WetEnd from any manufacturers.

2. Proposal for Manufacturers

- Based on your specifications, we design an individual **Raspberry Pi HAT** to connect your OEM-WetEnd
- We develop a software **NAT** — a driver that translates your protocol into a unified open format
- Integration into an open scientific ecosystem where your devices can be used by universities, research centers, and citizen science projects

✓ 3. What the Manufacturer Gets

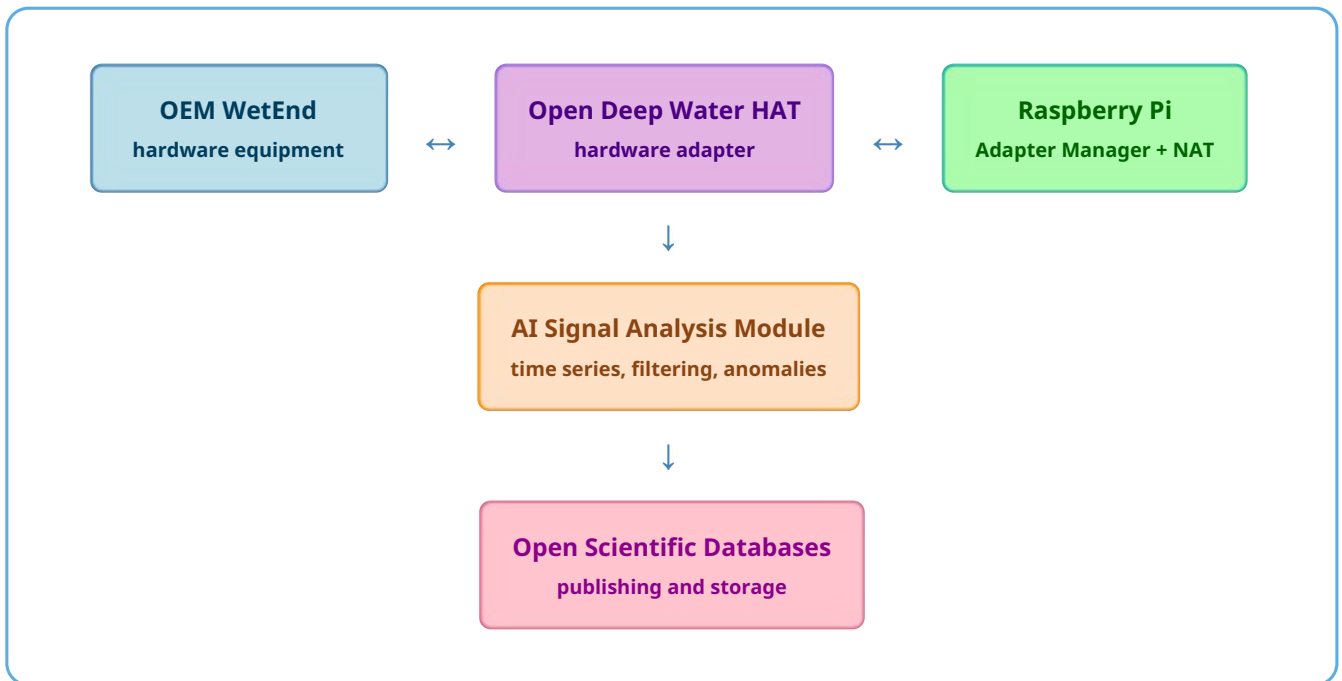
Advantage	Description
HAT Adapter Prototype	For integration with your OEM-WetEnd
💰 Commercial Opportunities	License sales of HAT adapters
💻 Software Interface	Ready-made solution for Raspberry Pi
AI Compatibility	Integration with signal analysis modules
Branding	Mentions in publications and demo projects

📋 4. Requirements from Manufacturer


Technical Specification for OEM-WetEnd:

- **Power Supply** (voltage, current)
- **Protocol** for WetEnd operation
- **(Optional)** providing a test sample

5. Architecture Concept



6. Participation Advantages

Advantage	Description
Minimal Changes	To current equipment
 International Audience	Access to global market
Standardization	Raspberry Pi HAT compatibility
Scientific Positioning	Brand in open science sphere

7. Strategic Roadmap

Stage 0: Concept and Partnerships (0–6 months)

- Forming initiative group
- Attracting first manufacturers for pilot integration
- Defining HAT architecture and data format

Stage 1: Pilot Prototype (6–12 months)

- Developing and testing first universal HAT
- Creating 1–2 NAT plugins for OEM-WetEnd
- Demonstrating prototype operation in laboratory conditions

Stage 2: Ecosystem Expansion (12–24 months)

- Adding new manufacturers and sensors
- Launching web portal and open data repository
- Implementing AI modules for signal analysis

8. Licensing

Component	License
Code	Apache 2.0 / GPLv3
Hardware	CERN Open Hardware License v2
Data	Creative Commons CC-BY 4.0

9. Funding Sources

9.1 Crowdfunding and Community

- **Kickstarter/Indiegogo** campaign (\$50,000-100,000)
- **GitHub Sponsors** for open source development
- **Open Collective** for fund management
- **Donations** from research institutions

9.2 Scientific Grants

- **NSF** (National Science Foundation)
- **EU Horizon Europe** — "Climate, Energy and Mobility" cluster
- **Educational Institution Grants**
- **Regional Environmental Funds**

9.3 Corporate Funding

- **Partnership Agreements** with OEM-WetEnd manufacturers
- **Licensing Royalties** from HAT adapter sales
- **Sponsorship** from technology companies (Raspberry Pi Foundation, Intel, ARM)
- **Venture Capital Investment** in CleanTech

9.4 Budget by Stages

Stage	Budget	Main Expenses
Stage 0 (Concept)	\$25,000-50,000	MVP creation, technical documentation, first contacts
Stage 1 (Prototype)	\$100,000-200,000	HAT development, NAT programming, laboratory tests
Stage 2 (Ecosystem)	\$300,000-500,000	Scaling, web platform, AI modules, marketing

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Project is at the concept stage, organization is being formed