#### FOR INDIAN OCEAN PROJECTS pIOT & IOT **BIOLOGICAL ISSUES TECHNOLOGICAL CHALLENGES** THE CONSERVATION OF MARINE TURTLES IN THE SOUTHWESTERN INDIAN OCEAN

#### Satellite tags used for marine turtles monitoring are expensive (limits the number of deployments), cumbersome and of low accuracy

DEVELOP A NEW GENERATION OF INNOVATIVE, LOW COST AND OPEN SOURCE TAGS AND STATIONS

USE OF A NEW LORA TRANSMISSION SYSTEM, BASED ON CONNECTED OBJECT TECHNOLOGY





**ENERGY SELF-SUFFICIENT** 



FINER

**PRECISION** 

### SEA TURTLES



# Indian Oceán sea Turtles

LACK OF

SCIENTIFIC KNOWLEDGE

ON THE YOUNG STAGES

OF THESE 2 SPECIES

### PROJECT IOT PROJECT FOR INDIAN OCEAN SEA TURTLES

#### DEVELOP THE FIRST REGIONAL OBSERVATION NETWORK OF MARINE TURTLE MOVEMENTS

DEPLOY 10 TAGS AND 5 RECEIVING STATIONS ON 4 SITES IN THE SOUTHWESTERN BASIN OF THE INDIAN OCEAN

- Deploy the first regional observation network
  - Lead the technological developments and launch the pre-indistrialisation of a new generation of innovative tags

**ACQUISITION OF** 

**ESSENTIAL DATA FOR THE** 

**IMPLEMENTATION OF** 

CONSERVATION MEASURES

IOT - Project co-funded by the European Union with the framework of the PO INTERREG V Indian Ocean



REGION REUNION



The western Indian Ocean is one of the main

breeding and spawing grounds for green(Chelonia mydas)

and hawksbill turtles (Eretmochelys imbricata)

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2 SPECIES RED LIST

THE NATIONAL ACTION PLAN FOR MARINE TURTLES IN

THE SOUTHWESTERN INDIAN OCEAN IDENTIFIES

THE USE OF FUNCTIONAL MARINE TURTLES HABITATS

AS A RESEARCH PRIORITY









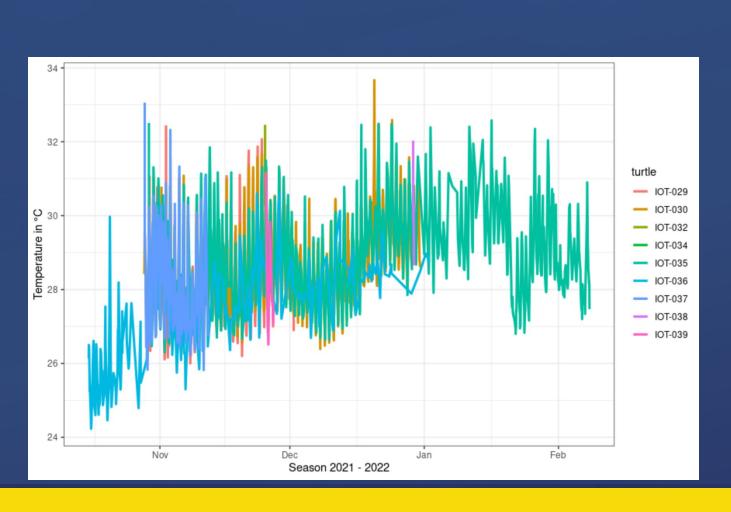
**STUDY PERIOD** 2019 - 2022

#### RESULTS IN ALDABRA

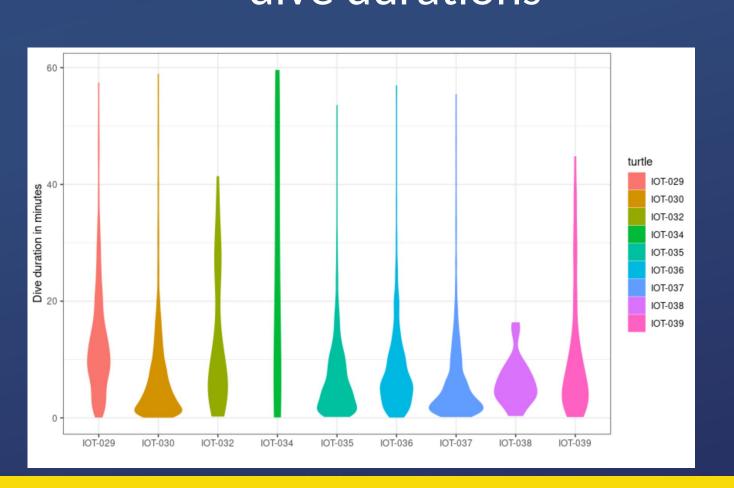
10 tags deployed between October 2021 and April 2022 with up to 3.5 months of data transmission



recording temperature and depth



to get biological information such as dive durations



more information and development to come!

The network is operational and could be used a variety of environmental application

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