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## Groundwater level fluctuation Of Alluvial Aquifer Of Tamanrasset Southern Algeria

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## I. INTRODUCTION

La région de Tamanrasset est située au sud de l'Algérie. La rareté des ressources en eau dans cette région amène les utilisateurs à optimiser l'exploitation de cette ressource en recherchant les formations susceptibles de fournir les moindres débits a même de satisfaire un tant soit peu les différents besoins de la population. Les formations géologiques en présence sont caractérisées par de larges affleurements de roches métamorphiques, qui en mode de gisement normal non tectonisé, sont réputées imperméables.

Par contre, les formations alluvionnaires déposées le long des lits des oueds de la région forment des réservoirs non négligeables d'eau souterraine.

L'objectif de ce travail est la détermination des caractéristiques du fonctionnement hydrogéologiques des aquifères d'inféroflux du bassin versant de Tamanrasset à travers une étude piézométrique basée sur des données provenant des travaux antérieurs et des archives de la direction de l'hydraulique de la Wilaya de Tamanrasset et les travaux réalisés dans le cadre du projet Tassili 16MDU961 agrée en 2016, intitulé : «étude des relations entre les eaux de surface intermitentes (oueds) et les aquifères alluviaux en régions arides du Sahara algérien : approche hydrodynamiques et géochimiques et gestion de la ressources»

## II. CONTEXT OF THE STUDY AREA

The wilaya of Tamanrasset represents the capital of Hoggar and represents a vast territory located in the extreme south of Algeria and limited by the parallels 22  $^{\circ}$  30 and 23  $^{\circ}$  of latitude North and by the meridians 4  $^{\circ}$  30 and 6  $^{\circ}$  30 of East longitude (Fig. 1). It covers an area of 557,906 square kilometers with an estimated population of 205,220 inhabitants residing in 10 municipalities [3]. In the study area, the geological formations are crystallophylic and volcanic. The northern part of the watershed of Tamanrasset consists of basaltic materials covering most of the Assekrem at 2000 m altitude, which are themselves crossed by trachytic points (Adouada, Akar Akar) and phonolitic effusions of Neogene age [4]. The south consists of the alternation of granitic formations attributed to the Pharusien [5], [6] found on about twenty kilometers along Tamanrasset wadi and a set of schistose gneiss of Suggarian age covering most of the study area. Gneiss and shale have a variable weathered zone thickness of up to 10 to 20 m in depressions [7]. The alluvial surface becomes important only downstream the watershed (13 km2 upstream and 4 km2 downstream the town of Tamanrasset) where the minor bed is several hundred meters wide. The



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city of Tamanrasset, capital of the wilaya, is located at an altitude of 1400 m and has an arid climate influenced by two different rainfall patterns: The South Sudan Saharan monsoon rains and the northern Mediterranean rains. The arid character is confirmed by the annual rainfall average calculated over a period of 40 years (from 1976 to 2015) which does not exceed 55 mm at Tamanrasset station and a more than 140 mm at the Askerem station. The rainfall pattern is characterized by the frequency of summer storms that cause heavy floods of wadis including Oued Tamanrasset and Oued Outoul which take their sources from the southern flank of the Attakor.

## III. PIÉZOMÉTRIE

Les données piézométriques sont notamment requises pour définir les directions et la vitesse d'écoulement des eaux souterraines tant en condition naturelle, que durant le pompage et d'identifier les zones de recharge et d'émergence. L'inventaire des points d'eau (sources, puits, forages, piézomètres) est basé sur l'exploitation des données fournies par la direction de l'hydraulique de Tamanrasset, et aussi par les points recensés campagnes lors des piézométriques. Dans le bassin versant de l'oued Tamanrasset les points de mesure du niveau statique de la nappe comprennent les forages recoupant les deux unités hydrogéologiques (les dépôts meubles et la formation de socle) qui sont hydrauliquement liées et forment un seul système hydrogéologique.

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$$\cdot \int_{0}^{\infty} \exp(-\} |z_{j} - z_{i}| \}^{-1} J_{1}(\} r_{2}) J_{0}(\} r_{i}) d\}.$$
(1)

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