

Review of: "Blockchain EV Payment Systems: A Systematic Literature Review in Retail Energy Trading"

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The topic of the paper is very acute and the methodology used (the combination of a SLR based on manual / machine-based selection of literature) makes it very interesting and novel.

However, I would suggest some adjustments to make the paper more robust, because the methodology that was applied to this SLR seems to be precise enough to generate stronger findings and discussion. First of all, the introduction of the paper does not make it very clear what are the current challenges in EV payment system and why BT is a promising solution for it. For the methodology part, I strongly suggest to build a figure summarizing all the levels of procedures that were conducted to get the final selection of studies for the SLR. Right now the methodology section is a bit difficult to follow as the SLR article selection was done on multiple levels with different approaches, so the figure might make it more clear to the reader. Last but not least, the discussion section seems a bit poor and is more descriptive rather than analytical. I believe that based on the final selection of articles a more comprehensive roadmap of BT implementation to EV payment systems (including potential improvements and challenges that it may bring) could be discussed.

It was a pleasure to review this study and I hope that abovementioned comments will help in further improvement of your article.