

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

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The paper presents a comprehensive literature review pertaining to the application of Blockchain in the electric vehicle industry. The authors clearly explain their research methodology and discuss the data they collected. The comments on the paper are as follows:

1. In the methodology (paragraph 4), the authors refer to "researchers." Can the authors clarify who these researchers are referring to? If they are referring to themselves, they can use "the authors" or "we" instead of "researchers."
2. The authors presented a very brief methodology. However, if they had a pictorial representation of the methodology, it would help the readers to understand it quickly and efficiently.
3. The discussion section can be organised into subsections, so that each subsection can discuss potential sub-themes.
4. The authors presented research deficits of the collected papers. They could also include the research problem addressed in each of the works in the same table.
5. The authors presented privacy and security as a future research direction. However, they could provide more future research directions that would be helpful for people starting in "Blockchain in EV."