

REVIEWER'S REPORT

Manuscript No.: JNCS -073

Title: BLOCKCHAIN-BASED CYBERSECURITY FRAMEWORK FOR INTERNET OF 2 THINGS NETWORKS: CHALLENGES, APPLICATIONS AND FUTURE 3 DIRECTIONS

Recommendation:

Accept as it is
Accept after minor revision.....
 Accept after major revision
 Do not accept (*Reasons below*)

Rating	Excel.	Good	Fair	Poor
Originality	✓			
Techn. Quality		✓		
Clarity	✓			
Significance	✓			

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Reviewer's Comment for Publication.

The manuscript presents a relevant and comprehensive discussion of blockchain-based cybersecurity for Internet of Things networks. It covers important aspects including IoT security threats, blockchain technology, authentication, data privacy, smart contracts, AI integration, and practical applications. The proposed conceptual framework provides a structured overview of the relationship between IoT devices, gateways, blockchain infrastructure, and cloud services. The discussion of challenges and future research directions adds further academic relevance to the manuscript. Overall, the manuscript is suitable for publication after minor revision.