ATMChain Whitepaper

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1. Introduction

ATMChain is an intelligent, trustable and open digital media ecology, which is a creative application of the blockchain technology in the digital media industry.

ATMChain uses ATM (Attention Token of Media) as the token to achieve value quantification and value circulation in the ecology.

ATMChain encapsulates the underlying blockchain technology to provide access for media platforms. It also provides services like smart contract setting, smart contract trigger, automatic dividend transfer, data onchain, data query, etc.

The value proposition of ATMChain for the digital media industry is as follows:

1) Users: rewarded with tokens when they pay attention to view digital media information, with their personal privacy and data being protected.
2) Media operators: improved profit, improved accuracy of advertising delivery, and reduced fraud.
3) Media clients: high quality user reports, better spread effect at a lower cost, and higher conversion rate.

More information is shown in Fig. 1-1:

![Fig. 1-1 Value proposition of ATMChain](image)

ATMChain is an ecosystem, including ticketing, cinema, entertainment, social media, We media and other industries of large-scale ecosystem. It supports subsequent big data analysis and artificial intelligence analysis through gradually improved and enriched data collection at media screen ports, and expands the media screen and interactive experience scene. It aims
2. Current Situation and Problems

2.1 Advertising Market Background

"It is difficult for enterprises to choose media which to reach their customers. A large amount of advertising budget is carelessly expended on non-target audience members. I know that half of my advertising expenses have been wasted, but I can’t figure out the exact part."

Breaking Up America: Advertisers and the New Media World - Joseph Turow

With the arrival of the attention economy globalization era, under the current rapid economic development, the mere widely-advertised or content-oriented age has ended. Audience segmentation and accurate delivery have become the main focus of advertising development.

"The material and information in the information society are not scarce, in which the limitation is attention of people in the infinite information world. This phenomenon leads to the shift of attention into wealth, so he believes that attention is more important than money."

Attention Shoppers! - Michael Goldehaber

The current business model of advertising has existed for more than 100 years, which is collecting a large amount of users’ cheap or even free attention and selling it at a high price.
In the age of information explosion, information and data have become more and more abundant, while people’s attention is becoming scarce. Attention resource has been scarce economic resource. More and more people have realized the value of attention. Everyone holds an equal wealth, namely their own attention. When people pay attention, they should be rewarded.

As such, more efficient, accurate and quantifiable advertising delivery model, and new value distribution model which reflects the principle of the attention economy, will become the issue to be dealt with in the future development of the advertising industry.

2.2 Current Situation and Disadvantages of Digital Media

2.2.1 Current Situation of Digital Media Market

According to WARC, as the world’s second largest advertising market, the market size of China has reached up to USD 80 billion. It is also estimated that advertising market size of China will keep growing rapidly over the next 3 years, eventually reaching USD 120 billion. In the market, the share of internet advertising, cinema and outdoor media advertising will continue to increase, and the digital advertising market will maintain growing rapidly.

![Market share of each media channel and Rate of change](image)

Fig. 2-1 Market share of each media channel and Rate of change

Digital advertising has gradually achieved the effect of traditional TV advertising on the consumer arrival rate index.
2.2.2 Traditional Digital Media Business Model Drawbacks

At present, the advertising media ecology mainly consists of three parties: media clients, media operators and users. In the existing business models, all three parties face many issues. As the funding source of the media ecology, media clients focus mainly on the effects of advertising delivery and expect to receive high quality reports for analysis. However, it is currently difficult to carry out personalized advertisement for media operators, resulting in an unsatisfactory delivery effect and vague feedback. At the same time, the over-complicated advertising ecology consumes a large amount of advertising funds due to the many intermediate links during advertising promotion.

The media operator is the media executive of the entire media ecology. The main problems of mainstream digital advertising delivery are as follows: 1) The single form of advertisement lacks interaction with users and has a poor effect. 2) It is difficult for media operator to update their advertising content, causes poor real-time performance. 3) Redundant advertising resources are ubiquitous in people’s daily life that caused a serious waste of resources, attracting low attention.

The user is the audience the advertising ecosystem, but the media mode is currently dull with non-personalized content, and user privacy cannot be guaranteed. Any advertising mode that lacks an incentive mechanism will not take effect at times, or may even have adverse effect.
2.2.3 The Application of Digital Media Technology Lag Behind

Since the emergence of digital media advertising, its technology has not been promptly updated, the effectiveness of digital media gradually weakened.

Because of limitation in location of outdoor advertising screens, it is impossible to update content dynamically. In addition, advertising screens located in public places are prohibited from being equipped with camera, making them unable to collect multi-dimensional user data effectively. Thus, it is difficult to implement big data analysis and artificial intelligence analysis in the subsequent work.

The big screens in cinemas have a good display effect, but the advertising delivery at present is mainly a one-way information flow, making it unsuitable for interacting with users. This leads to decreased length of viewing time and loose user stickiness, let alone any richer human-computer interaction scenarios.

The current internet advertising push is the most popular form of advertising media at present, but it faces the problems of user privacy disclosure and malvertising.

In short, there are many problems regarding the installation location, data collection, content display, privacy protection and attractiveness of human-computer interaction regardless of traditional LCD screens, cinema screens or internet advertising. These issues are also the pain points restricting the development of digital media today.

3. Solutions

In order to deal with the many issues in media industry, ATMChain introduces blockchain technology and other advanced technologies such as big data, the Internet of Things, artificial intelligence and so on, in order to reshape the digital media field. Its specific solutions are shown in Fig. 3-1.
3.1 Valuing the Attention Economy and Realizing Value Redistribution

ATMChain ecosystem brings in attention economy principle. ATMChain pays user’s attention by mean of blockchain technology to achieve value, so that attention can be the value of circulation, cash. It is fair to say this is a developed incentive mechanism that better encourages users in subjective initiative and motivation. In addition, it makes use of the smart contracting decentralization of blockchain and the open and transparent character of the data to solve value trust issues, form a reliable closed data loop.

ATMChain create a new business environment and business relations, changing the concept of the market and completely overwhelm the value distribution existing in the traditional advertising media industry, as well as reshaping the advertising media model.

3.2 Open and Transparent Data Information

Once commited, blockchain is characterized by open & transparent and tamper-resistant data, ensuring the credibility of data.

ATMChain will keep four kinds of information in the blockchain: information on the media operators, location provider and user account; information on the ATM reward sharing strategy; status information when users browse advertisements and status information of media screen; and media operators, location provider and transaction information of the ATM.
rewards received by the user. The status information is uploaded to the blockchain on which the data cannot be changed, thus fundamentally eliminating the problem of data fraud and malicious brush single trace most worried by the digital media operators and media customers.

In addition, the user’s key information and the operator’s data information is also through the privacy desensitization treatment, and encryption in the blockchain security layer to protect the privacy of the user and customer.

3.3 Resource Integration of Platform Ecosystem

3.3.1 Integration of Resources in the Field of Advertising Media

For the traditional advertising media mode, there are currently diversified media operators on the market. As cities, sections, and targeted audiences covered by different media operators varies, when media clients have specific advertising demands, it is difficult to integrate the channel resources of different media operators properly or achieve more effective delivery. As shown in Fig. 3-1:

![Diagram](image)

Fig. 3-2 The problem in traditional mode

The emergence of ATMChain has created a large media ecology which can access various media operators. The delivery effect of each media operator will generate accurate, reliable and quantifiable data indexes with the help of blockchain technology, thereby providing more authoritative and reliable delivery guidance. With the continuous development of the ATMChain ecology, the number of the accessed media operators has been increasing. When advertisers have business needs, ATMChain can be adjusted dynamically according to the evaluation data of each media operator’s delivery effect on the blockchain, push to the most
appropriate media operators and improve the operation efficiency of media operators. As shown in Fig. 3-3:

![ATMChain advertising mode](image)

**Fig. 3-3** ATMChain advertising mode

### 3.3.2 Resource Integration of Cross-domain Media Ecology

ATMChain is the large media ecology, which includes ticketing, cinema, entertainment, social media, We media and other industries, and provides ATM tokens to be circulated in the ecology.

With the continuous improvement of the ATMChain ecology and increasingly rich accessing industries, the specific role of any accessed industry can interact directly with other specific roles in an effective and trustworthy way through the reliable platform interface provided by the ATMChain ecology. This will greatly enrich and promote the development of the media industry while also achieving the more efficient integration and utilization of resources. As shown in Fig. 3-4:
3.4 Intelligent Data Analytics

As the development of technology, media screens, acting as data terminals, has ability to provide multi-dimensional information in terms of users’ watching time, age and gender, etc. through facial recognition technology, enabling data collection abilities at screen terminals, and providing a basis for the follow-up intelligent data analytics and processing.

Data islands exist in the traditional media field, and such low data credibility leads to the low efficiency of data analysis. Serving cross-advertising publishers and the cross-business “blockchain + big data” media ecology, ATMChain is also a large data analytics platform, and its advantages in high credibility and transparent data far outstrip those of traditional advertising companies.

ATMChain not only has abilities in data input, user report analysis and delivery effect analysis, and it also has the ability to process data and achieve directional output. As the media ecology connects a large number of terminals, inflow data can be directed as output to terminal screens via artificial intelligence analysis and processing, thereby providing more accurate human-machine interaction to suit each user, and promoting the subsequent expansion of the scene. As shown in Fig. 3-5:
4. Business Structure

ATMChain consists of the blockchain network and open platform. The entire business ecosystem includes mobile APP / WeChat APP, advertising platform, media screen, IoT sensor and other facilities, as well as advertiser, advertising media operator, User, Place provider, ATMChain operating team, Exchange and other roles. Business structure shown in Fig. 4-1:

Fig. 4-1 Business Schematic Diagram of ATMChain
4.1 Roles

1) Advertiser
ATMChain does not change the habits of advertisers, they will still buy advertising services from advertising media operator.

2) Advertising media operators and advertising platforms
The advertising media operators will have their own advertising platforms, on which they can sell advertisements and display reports. These platforms gain access to ATMChain through API provided by the ATMChain open platform, thereby developing new advertising mode.

3) Media screens and place providers
Media screens are assets of the advertising media operators. They are distributed in different places (malls, residential Area, etc.) and maintained by the place provider (business, properties).

Media screens interconnect with advertising platform and accept advertising content delivery, and is established on the basis of the policy parameters, enabling it to display appropriate advertising according to the surrounding conditions and parameters, facing crowd characteristics. When advertising content is broadcast, a QR code including screen identification, advertisement identification, time information and other necessary information is generated simultaneously, which is superimposed on the playing video provided for users to scan during their watching. With the development of technology, the media screens can be integrated with cameras and other devices, enable them to intelligently analyze the gender, age, behavioral preferences and other user information, thereby enriching the user data.

4) Internet of things sensors
Both user-aware and environment-aware internet of things sensors can be applied, and the data they gather will enrich the user data.

5) User and ATMChain APP/ WeChat APP
Users can scan advertisements QR code through ATMChain APP/ WeChat APP to receive incentives int the form of ATM tokens.

6) Exchange
Providing ATM token transactions and offering an open interface for obtaining the real-time exchange rate between ATM token and legal currency.

7) ATMChain open platform and its operation team
The ATMChain open platform is operated and maintained by its operation team. The early promotion of ATMChain and customer education requires well operation from the ATMChain operation team in order to make more users realize their attention value and become involved in the ATMChain ecology. Accurate user profiles and behavior models, forecasting models through continuous business operations so as to improve the precision and effectiveness of advertising.
The Open Platform is the central hub of ATMChain, served as the highly reliable network services.

8) ATMChain network

ATMChain network provides distributing value automatically by smart contract, key data into blockchain and data enquiry abilities, as well as blockchain accounts management and transfer transactions.

4.2 ATMChain Open Platform

As the nerve center of ATMChain, the open platform has following capabilities:

1) Providing access and services to different advertising platforms through the open gateway, to further integrate resources from advertising media operators, which helps to build a win-win outcome and a more competitive media industry ecology.

2) Providing access to ATMChain APP and WeChat APP through the open gateway, to upload advertising scanning data and user data, and deliver advertisement.

3) Providing access to ticketing and cinema platforms through the open gateway, to build a more complete media ecology.

4) Delivering smart contract release via ATMChain network, realizing distributing value automatically via trigger contract, the data into blockchain and enquiry of advertising information, sharing strategy, and key business data, and transfer of ATM tokens via blockchain agent, in order to achieve open and transparent financial management, information management, as well as enhancing the credibility of the media industry.
5) Providing account management, wallet subsystem and other basic functions, to manage user’s information, and help users to manage and transfer tokens.

6) Supporting advertising, information, ticketing, social media and other business scenarios through the advertising subsystem, information subsystem, ticketing subsystem and social subsystem in order to expand the ATMChain business ecology and improve user stickiness.

7) Accepting direct access and data into blockchain of the media screen/IoT Sensors via the open gateway. Supporting non-invasive interactions with users, and collecting more accurate data for AI-based big data analysis, more accurate advertising so as to enhance their experiences.

8) Providing thorough data collection and AI-based big data analysis through the data analytics system, and generating accurate user reports, business reports, user portraits, environmental portraits and business models which are used to evaluate the delivery effect for advertisers, improve business through media operators and realize more accurate delivery on the ATMChain open platform.

4.3 Typical Process Introduction

![Fig. 4-3 Schematic diagram of advertising process](image)

As shown in Fig. 4-3 the process of the typical scenario of advertising through ATMChain is described as follows:
1) Through the advertising platform, the advertiser pays legal tender to the advertising media operator to purchase advertising time/duration.

2) The advertising media operator purchases ATM tokens from the exchange for spare use.

3) Advertising platform follows the specific advertising information to transfer the ATM tokens of corresponding legal tender expense to the corresponding advertisement account.

4) The Advertising platform publishes advertisements to the ATMChain, puts division strategy information on the chain and improve its bargaining credibility.

5) The ATMChain publishes the corresponding smart contract.

6) The advertising platform delivers advertisements to eligible media screens. The media screens generate QR codes with information as the advertisement identification, screen identification, screen position, and playing time, which are displayed synchronously when playing video advertisements.

7) The users use the ATMChain APP to scan the QR code on the media screens.

8) The ATMChain APP analyzes the QR code information and reports to the ATMChain.

9) According to the received advertisement identification, screen identification, screen position, playing time, user information, place provider information, etc., the ATMChain triggers the smart contract to perform distributing value automatically and follows the advertisement account to issue ATM tokens of the corresponding amount to the ATMChain platform blockchain address, advertising operator blockchain address, code scanning user blockchain address, the site provider blockchain address according to the preset division strategy.

10) The ATMChain generates user reports and business statements for the advertising platform.

11) The advertising platform provides user reports to advertisers to evaluate advertising serving.

4.4 Schema Description

4.4.1 Value Distribution
The ATMChain introduces the attention economy to conduct revolutionary reform of the value of media industry.

1) Advertisers

Value contribution: Advertisers use the advertising platform to inject value into the ATMChain.

Income: Advertiser can receive detailed user reports for advertisement performance evaluation. The cost-effective user diversion from the precision advertising of the ATMChain will also generate more transactions for advertisers.

2) Advertising media operators

Value contribution: Advertising media operators can provide accurate user reports to advertisers and more effectively help advertisers to improve advertisement effect and drive their performance.

Income: Users scan the ad QR code through the ATMChain APP / WeChat APP to trigger the smart contract’s execution of distributing value automatically and advertising media operator account can then receive the corresponding proportion of ATM tokens.

3) Users

Value contribution: Users participate in the ATMChain ecology, contribute attention and user data

Income: Gain ATM tokens reward for watching ads.

4) Place providers

Value contribution: They are responsible for maintaining the media screens. After obtaining ATM tokens, they will use ATM tokens or withdraw cash from the account, which contributes to the promotion and application of the ATM tokens.
Income: The more times and longer length of time media screen advertisements are viewed by users, the more ATM tokens place providers will be rewarded.

5) ATMChain open platform

Value contribution: With the continuous operation of the ATMChain, the ATMChain open platform will gain more and more user data, thereby obtaining more accurate and valuable user profiles, environment profiles and business models, this will serve to further improve the precise advertising and user experience of the ATMChain system and lay a firm data foundation for more ecological applications built by ATMChain provider.

Income: Each time the user uses the ATMChain APP / WeChat APP to scan the ads QR code and triggers the smart contract to distribute values automatically, the Open Platform of ATMChain will receive a corresponding proportion of the incentive, according to the operation strategy, the proportion can be changed or set as low as zero.

4.4.2 Accurate Advertisement Distribution

![Diagram of Data Collection & Analytics Platform]

**Fig. 4-5 Data collection & Analytics platform**

Based on the quick evolution of mobile internet and IoT technology, ATMChain can collect and analyze various information of users and locations, which includes - audio/video around the media screens, information about geolocation, environment, and scanning data from users, etc.
Under the principle of user privacy, all collected data will be pre-analyzed and desensitized before being sent to the big data analytics platform. On the big data platform -

1) We can retrieve information about audience’s gender, age, occupational characteristics, and density of population by face recognition and feature match of video.

2) Retrieve the characteristics of large-scaled crowd around the media screen by analyzing the video, audio and geolocation information.

3) By analyzing the information from IoT sensors, it is possible to response to the environmental changes in real time.

The scanning data from users will be saved on the blockchain, which will be used to generate reliable user reports about the user’s characteristics.

With the multi-dimensional data collection and analytics system, we can get the profile of audiences and environment around the media screens, which will be used for making more accurate advertising decision. Analysed data from user scanning and environment profile will be used as parameters for the advertising media operator’s pricing policies. The detailed user’s report will be used for advertiser’s evaluation.

4.4.3 Integration of Industry Resources

![Diagram](image)

**Fig. 4-6 Trustful data flow on ATMChain**

Advertising information, smart contracts, profit sharing policies, part of the business data and transfer transaction information of ATMChain will be uploaded to the blockchain. As the
blockchain itself is open, transparent and tamper-resistant, these data on chain will be transparent and credible.

Sensitive data that are unsuitable to open for public will be encrypted for privacy protection.

ATMChain, based on the trustable data circulation, provides an opportunity for media companies to integrate their business resources. Small and medium media companies can join in ATMChain to build a media alliance, and get benefit from two aspects:

1) They can receive a wider range of advertiser resources
2) They can undertake advertising business that could not be reached or matched before
All of the media companies that joined to ATMChain, as a whole in the market, will get more market share through the construction of industry and the complementary advantages of each other.

4.4.4 Competitive Ecology

![ATMChain ecosystem](image)

**Fig. 4-8 ATMChian ecology**

Of course, the scan advertisement + reward mode can be used as an entrance for attracting users. However, from the perspective of user stickiness and necessity, the scanning reward alone is not enough.

ATMChain provides a complete application ecosystem, in which users use ATMChain App to gain access to the fascinating news, theater tickets, music, entertainment and other information, reward the article author with ATM tokens, vote for the product, exchange merchant coupons, etc.

ATMChain App relies on its content advantages to build a boutique ecosystem.

The integration of the ecosystem modules will expand the commercial closed-loop scenarios, and promote long tail income.

4.5 Economic Model

4.5.1 Tokens Flow

Like other public chain systems, ATMChain has its own token mechanism. Having ATM tokens means having the right to use the ATMChain system.

1) The implementation of ATM tokens is similar to that of other encrypted currencies, with typical encryption currency characteristics: ATM tokens associate with a corresponding wallet address, wallet management and account-related public and
private keys. It is similar to BTC and ETH in the sense that having a private purse key represents the right to the control and ownership of the token.

2) ATM tokens can be put into circulation, which is similar to transfer:
Through a signature transaction, ATM tokens can be transferred from one address to another. The multi-signature mechanism is supported by the smart media chain to accommodate more realistic scenes and bring more flexibility into play.
The advertiser needs to pay the equivalent amount of ATM tokens for advertising, and the advertising media operator displays the ad on the media screen while transferring the ATM tokens to the blockchain for the follow-up issuance of tokens.
3) ATM tokens can be traded on the exchange and converted into the currency of the country.

4.5.2 Attention Measurement
The ATMChain measures the attention of users. More attention is equal to more ATM tokens.
Attention pricing formula: price=f(User Profiles, Environment Profiles, Ads. Strategy). Attention prices are determined by user profiles, environmental profiles, and advertising strategies. For example,
Advertisers inject 10,000 RMB which is convertible 10,000 ATM tokens for advertising service, this can buy a total of 10,000 times of clicks, assume that the user proportion is 1% when scanning the advertising QR code, then finally the attention price for each scanning is: 0.01ATM tokens.
The user successful scanning of the QR code can be deemed as a valid advertising browsing behavior for the receipt of the corresponding ATM tokens reward.
With the continuous upgrading of the ATMChain system, more measurement strategies will be taken into account, such as:
1) The longer the browsing time is, the more ATM tokens are rewarded.
2) Different ATM tokens awards are received in different time depending on the time period of the advertisement browsing.
3) Different ATM tokens awards are received in different phase like user browses the ads, user is guided to business, user concludes a transaction, user feeds back. this can help to facilitate more transactions.
4.5.3 Economic Incentive Model

ATMChain uses incentives to ensure the perfect operation of the entire system:

All incentive transactions and strategies are recorded in the blockchain in an open, transparent and traceable manner. The incentive model ensures that each participant of each system takes only what is required. The advertisers receive the attention they want and the advertising media operators, location providers and users receive the financial benefits they want.
4.5.4 Integrity Model

Based on the advertising system of incentive model, to operate successfully, we must consider the integrity of stakeholders to prevent the problem of cheating.

1) Avoid the fake data of advertising platform and the depletion of advertisers funds.

Different from the advertising system of old Internet era, the advertising system built by block chain is verifiable with multi-node, making it naturally exerts strong supervision over the advertising platform. Any fake data attempts of the advertising platform will be immediately identified by other nodes in the blockchain.

2) Concerning malicious scanning on the users’ end and multiple scanning fraud problem.

Similar with the traditional click-based browser ads, many technical method can be applied to solve the scanning fraud. Typically, binding the proceeds of scanning with user’s ATM wallet, and authenticated the wallet by real-name/id card, and coupled with statistical data analysis is sufficient to prevent multiple scanning fraud.

3) The problem of scanning only for rewards.

Strictly speaking, this kind of cheating, like “bonus hunter”, will still expose the user to advertising, which is not an entirely negative consequence.

On the one hand, we can conduct accurate advertising through the algorithm, provide more interesting content, so that we can get better advertising result.

On the other hand, some scanning reward can be retained and issued after the consumption of customers. The ATM tokens issuance proportion before and after consumption can be adjusted to achieve the best incentive effect.

In addition, bid data analysis also helps detect cheating account and then limits the incentive parameters.

For the behavior of mutual cheating, such as sharing QR code through internet, we can control the total amount of rewards tokens to make the profit share decline, thereby reducing the driving force of cheating. The platform itself can benefit from the sharing behavior, that is, it can achieve a wider range of advertising effect without increasing the overall cost of the case.

In short, building a model of integrity is just as much of an offensive battle as it is a defensive battle. ATMChain team, together with top security experts in market and technical aspects will maintain the system for best performance and high stability.

5. Technical Architecture

In order to support next generation of media business, we plan to build a complete system architecture including blockchain, artificial intelligence, big data, IoT and virtual reality in technical aspect. The user terminal is connected to the platform through the Internet, and the media display device supports the IoT access and obtains the information of each
dimension in the environment in real time through sensors such as location, image, sound and infrared. With IoT, the collection of data can be free from geographical location and environmental constraints.

Big data, AI analytics platform using distributed architecture design can carry a large amount of business data storage and build up accurate delivery model in accordance with deep learning. Data storage and block chain network cooperate to ensure that the data is true and credible without being tampered.

The smart contract mechanism ensures that the multi-party collaboration in the network and can be run autonomously. Considering the diversity of the system terminal, the media content will be displayed flexibly and the system is fully capable of combining user preferences and presenting in the way of virtual reality and create a first-class user experience. Besides, ATMChain provides a unified API interface to enable third-party access.

From the design level, we propose the following general technical architecture:

![ATMChain Architecture Diagram](image)

**Fig. 5-1 The overall structure of ATMChain**

Next, we will describe in detail the implementation strategy of each subsystem.

### 5.1 Blockchain

The ATMChain system takes the blockchain technology as the core and realizes the open point-to-point cooperation mode with mutual trust. The existing blockchain platform supports
smart contract technology, which satisfies the requirements of autonomous operation of multi-party cooperation contract signing and automatic transaction execution. However, the current blockchain network performance can not meet under heavy traffic scenarios and we need to rely on raiden network to transfer a lot of small payments to the off-chain processing, taking into account the performance and credibility. In addition, the blockchain network is weak in the privacy protection and the zero knowledge proof algorithm zkSNARKs is the most effective privacy solution.

Generally, ATMChain can be divided into three parts: user, business server and blockchain network. Media display device could be treated as an extension part and managed by business server. Logically, we see different parts interact with each other on application layer, security layer, data layer and network layer.

Fig. 5-2 Structure of blockchain subsystem

Transaction data in business server will be merged by raiden network and further to be exchanged with blockchain on data layer, in order to reach a consensus and finalize it on the blockchain. Transaction detail will not be revealed to ordinary participants after being processed using zkSNARKs on security layer. Business server could be accessed by third party devices and applications using API, the transaction data retrieved is also encrypted. Therefore, the customer privacy is protected.
5.1.1 Smart Contract

In the smart contract of ATMChain, it not only realizes the standard ATM token management, but also realizes the core process of the allocation and distribution of the ATM revenue after the user watched the advertisement. In the smart contract, the publisher has a wallet account that holds the ATM tokens, which is used to hold the ATM tokens that are redeemed when the ad is served. The ATM token is issued by the publisher and is commissioned to ATMChain operating platform for revenue distribution.
The smart contract receives the parameterized data of the distribution model, transfers the payment to each participant and records the address of each account; broadcasts the consensus on the blockchain according to the digital signatures recognized by the various stakeholders and finally writes into blocks.

Fig. 5-5 Multi Party Contract Execution

The contract receives advertising payment and conducts benefits distribution to publisher, the venue provider, ATMChain platform and end users from the advertiser account address according to the distribution model in the contract.

5.1.2 Zero Knowledge Proof

In order to prevent the user sensitive data leakage, ATMChain introduces the technical solution of zero knowledge proof.
The zkSNARK algorithm is an implementation of zero-knowledge proof. It can meet the following under the premise of transaction details is not disclosed:

1) There is no prover could convince the verifier to accept a false transaction.
2) The prover can convince the verifier to accept a real transaction.

SNARK is called "Succinct non-interactive arguments of knowledge". Succinct refers to the message is very small compared to the actual data calculation; Non-interactive represents almost no interaction and the establishment process is completed only through the message sent by prover to the verifier; Arguments refers to the verifying party can only prevent the accounting party with limited computing capacity, and call it "computational security" rather than "complete security". In order to integrate zkSNARK, we need to take into account: the elliptic curve matching algorithm after zkSNARK transformation will be more complex and privacy protection is not limited to the transaction, but to include smart contract encryption.

5.1.3 Raiden Network

The use of raiden network to achieve heavy traffic, low-cost blockchain applications. When a "hot" ad, such as a highly rewarded or a very attractive content, can cause a large number of users to watch the ad in one second, causing the transaction (ATM reward) traffic congestion. Users can not see how many ATM received instantly, the user experience is not good, raiden network is based on the low-latency low-cost tokens transfer technology, through the raiden network ATM payment into the chain, to achieve fast handling of ATM transfer transactions. More importantly, for the platform can also save a lot of transaction fees.
Raiden network is inspired by the idea of lightning network in bitcoin and realizes the low latency and low cost token transfer technology in Ethereum. The use of a off-chain payment channel network (raiden network) to achieve multiple token transfers between any two participants. Since the token transfer is done off-chain, the transaction throughput can reach 1,000,000+/sec except the last closed channel operation. Compared to the existing mainstream blockchain network, ATMChain in a combination of raiden network improves a lot in transaction per second (TPS):

### Table 5-1 Blockchain Performance

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5.1.4 Open Platform API

As a technology interface of the ATMChain open platform, the API layer has the following characteristics:
• Openness, create open and fair access standards for third-parties.
• Completeness, provide the corresponding API support for all subsystems.
• Orthogonality, minimize the coupling dependencies among the subsystems.
• Compatibility, consider how to access the legacy equipments and the overall principle is no need to change the inventory advertising equipment.

Public platform API functions include:
• For the QR code scanning needs of advertising screen, provide ATMChain QR code management, publishing, billing API.
• For the statistics of scanning number / advertising effects needs, provide QR code statistics of the media chain and data mining API.
• For the client access, usually the user's mobile phone or website, provide a complete Restful API and SDK.

5.2 AI and Big Data

ATMChain provides a safe, trustable, open and transparent data sharing and collaboration environment to advertisers, advertising media operators and shops. They can obtain a large number of true and effective advertising content data, media channel data, scenario data, and feedback data, etc. to solve the problems of data isolation, low quality data and data leakage, etc. Thus we will achieve a cross-advertising-media-operator and cross-business “blockchain + big data” analytics platform, so that data can be fully used to provide added values to advertisers, advertising media operators and users.

The figure below is the architecture of ATMChain data analytics platform. The data access layer has access to both blockchain data and third party data to provide more information for follow-up analysis. The platform uses big data analysis and machine learning technologies to fully exploit the data and build effective prediction model, and provides Ad hoc query system, BI application and API interfaces, etc.
We can obtain more precise prediction model and advertisement analysis report based on trustable data, to provide a scientific basis for accurate advertisement delivery and data-driven advertising marketing, as shown in the figure below.

**Fig. 5-8 Design of AI and Big Data Subsystem**

![Design of AI and Big Data Subsystem](image)

**Fig. 5-9 Data Analytics Process**

Based on ATMChain data, APP data and third party data, the data analytics platform uses advanced AI engine and machine learning algorithm to build high-credibility user portrait and
media screen portrait, and build many analysis prediction models to provide decision-making data for advertisers and advertising media operators, and information for users.

1) User portrait: includes natural features, consumption characteristics and other labels.
2) Media screen portrait: includes physical information of the media screen itself, environment information and extended characteristics analyzed in accordance with all account information.
3) Prediction model: includes advertising effectiveness model, user scan prediction model, advertising scan rate prediction model, advertising effect prediction model.

In addition to the above portrait information and prediction model, it also provides ad hoc data querying, expert reporting system and so on, to provide multi-dimensional data support for advertisers and advertising media operators’ decision-making. At the same time, it enables users to get their favorable advertisement at the right time, and make their attention more valuable.

The business logic to achieve the goals above is shown below:
1) When the media screen is able to perceive users, it can present the right advertisement to users at different times, which improves the quality of the media screen and the benefits of relevant parties.
2) The multi-channel real-time collection of analysis information allows stakeholders to receive feedback in a timely manner and remain informed of the advertising effects; and the timely update of the prediction model can further improve the prediction results so as to provide better services to relevant parties.

To sum up, the ATMChain data analytics platform, as a specific application of “blockchain + big data”, can collect sustained data to make the machine learning algorithm and prediction model more accurate. And the ATMChain operation platform will become more intelligent, to provide more added value to advertisers, advertising media operators and users.

5.3 Internet of Things

The Internet of Things has become the future trend for intelligent terminals. The underlying intelligent media screen of ATMChain is a terminal for displaying advertisements, and also a source to collect user’s consumption data. The thriving IoT technologies provides a solid technical guarantee for the interconnection of large numbers intelligent media screens.

The NB-IOT technology and the future 5G technology provide physical network of different scenarios of IOT. The ATMChain will mainly collect screen ID, geographical coordinates, and user customization data after collection by the intelligent camera in NB-IOT network. And in high-bandwidth IoT, it will collect all the details of the full transmission intelligent camera on the channel to generate user data and advertising media resources. The immersive VR advertising experience will also become a reality.
5.4 Virtual Reality

Virtual reality is defined as a technology, which integrates computer graphics system and different kinds of interface equipments to provide a sense of immersion in a computer-generated interactive 3D environment. By using VR technology, ATMChain provides virtual and immersive advertising experience in new models like tourism, real estate show rooms and new car test drives, to get more user’s attention.

6. Outlook on Applications of ATMChain

6.1 Outlook on Application Ecology of ATMChain

We have a good reason to make the following inferences about our application ecology for the introduction of various technologies: Smart contract technology brings real-time settlement to us, build a trusted environment of the underlying foundation. Zero-knowledge proof technology provides an umbrella for our user data privacy. Raiden Network technology provides us a solid technical backing for building a large ecology which achieves high concurrent, low-cost blockchain hot applications. At the same time, as an open ecological technology, we will open various APIs for our follow-up community application technology developers.

As a builder who actively embraces high-tech ecology, hopes to harness the technology that can serve the community's ecology, such as artificial intelligence, large data analysis, Internet of Things, and virtual reality. It can be seen that artificial intelligence in the application of
ATM ecology, could give us considerable support in decision-making and collaboration. Besides, large data can give us a deeper dimension of information data mining, Internet of Things can enhance our human-computer interaction, and we can bring more valuable details for ATM. VR / AR can not only broaden our view of the media industry, but also increase the number of ecological application types. Based on the integration of many technologies in the ATMChain ecology, we have enough technical strength to introduce the following ecological application set.

Fig. 6-1 Ecology prospects of ATMChain

The application ecology of ATMChain is mainly focused on media while also covering news, cinema, social media, entertainment, We Media and other industries. It makes fully use of the latest technology including blockchain, Internet of Things, big data, artificial intelligence and etc. to build up a first-rate digital media ecology integrating cultural creation and dissemination, promoting the upgrading of media consumption services and finally radiating over the larger offline customer industry, shopping centers and other industries.

6.2 Example of Outlook and Applications of ATMChain

Take the cinema and ticketing information service application of ATMChain as an example. Generally speaking, we can divide cinema and ticketing services into several categories:
I. Cinema and ticketing information is traceable and transparent, thereby solving the problem of ticket touts;

II. Ticketing information is promoted precisely to serve the information demands of recreation enthusiasts;

III. Ticket information is presented through a variety of media which is not limited to dynamic screens, static advertisement or ticket information, encouraging users to use ATM tokens to pay for tickets in the ATMChain ecology;

IV. It is used to motivate the distribution of cinema ticketing coupons, to enrich the ATMChain ecology;

V. As VR and AR are put into use, the operation data is stored to blockchain for big data analysis to dig up more valuable information.

We use the existing ATMChain ecology to integrate media news, information service, and transferrable value and other factors to eventually build an ecology serving the media industry based on the blockchain technology.

7. ATMChain Ecology Planning and Governance

7.1 Blueprint of ATMChain Ecology

As an open organization, we hold inclusive attitude and the principle of sharing to enrich our ATMChain ecology in order to achieve a win-win situation. Now, we are trying our best to create a global community ecology in the help of the resource from home and abroad. The management of the ATMChain ecology is coordinated by the ATMChain Foundation. Besides, in order to makes full use of the vigor of science and technology innovation, motivate users and attract shops, we invite experienced community managers to co-build our ATMChain ecology. Our ultimate goal is to build an international top-ranking media ecology under the guidance of the supervisory departments.

The vision of ATMChain is to build an international digital media alliance which integrates advanced technologies with innovative models in order to build an international top-ranking media ecology which bears comparison with traditional Internet media giant like Google and News Corporation.

7.2 Main Business Logic of ATMChain Ecology

The main business logic for the development of the ATMChain ecology has the following two key components. On one hand, it starts from the DApp application gallery, in order to make full use of the subjective initiative of the DApp application itself and provide new technology innovation for the community. On the other hand, making full use of resources integration, for Industry-wide information exchange and analysis, we will integrate online resource with offline resources. At the same time, it combines with the overall characteristics
of the DApp application gallery to bring a variety of professional and subjective exchange activities and resource connections to the entire community, thereby enriching the internal information of our community culture.

![Diagram](image)

**Fig. 7-1 Logic diagram of ATMChain ecology and community**

### 7.3 Foundation Governance

#### 7.3.1 Overview of the Foundation

World Technology Crypto Organization (WTCO) (hereinafter referred to as the ‘Foundation’) is a non-profit organization which has established a corresponding institution in the form of an association in China. The Foundation is committed to the development and construction of ATMChain, and the advocacy and promotion of transparent governance, so as to promote the sound and harmonious development of the open source ecological society. The Foundation will help to manage the general issues and privileged matters concerning open source community projects by developing a good governance structure. The main design goal of the Foundation’s governance structure is to take the sustainability of open source community projects, management effectiveness and security of raising funds into account.
7.3.2 Governance Structure of the ATMChain Foundation

The governance structure of the Foundation is mainly composed of four parts; namely, the executing agency, technical agency, operating agency and comprehensive service agency in communities. The principals of the executing, technical and operating agencies are separately assumed by senior experienced personnel at home and abroad. With regard to the comprehensive service agency in communities, the principals are separately assumed by domestic and foreign community leaders, of which the Foundation Governance Committee provides unified management and decision-making for the following four agencies:

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![Fig. 7-2 Governance structure of ATMChain Foundation](image)

8. Product Roadmap
The product development uses methods of agile development and version iterations. As shown in Fig. 8-1, the overall product development roadmap is divided into four milestones:

1) **Milestone 1**, Implement the closed-loop of token transfer by scanning QR code.
2) **Milestone 2**, Implement the closed-loop of integrating media screens, and start pre-research on technology.
3) **Milestone 3**, Support Raiden network, news subsystem, and IoT sensors.
4) **Milestone 4**, Release self-developed public blockchain, based on which, more applications will be developed.
9. ICO Strategy

9.1 ATM Token Distribution
- Total amount: 10 billion
- Token available to public: 4.2 billion
- Early investor: 800 million
- Foundation: 5 billion

9.2 ICO Rules
- Duration: 7 days
- Token accepted: Ethereum (ETH)
- Minimum investment amount: 0.01 ETH
- Direct offering: 4 billion, 4 billion ATM tokens dividing all the ETH raised in 7 days is the exchange ratio between ATM and ETH(ATM/ETH).
- Early bird bonus: 200 million, in accordance with the actual amount of ETH gathered in the first 3 days. The reward rule is, 120 million for the first day, 50 million for the second day, 30 million for the third day.
- The ETHs gathered during the ICO will be transferred to the account of the ATM foundation.
- The ATM offered to the public will be unfrozen gradually. 1/6 ATMs will be unfrozen every 30 days.
- The ATM held by the foundation will be unfrozen gradually too. 1/60 ATMs will be unfrozen every 30 days.

9.3 Budget Allocation
- Development: 30%
- Community: 15%
- Marketing: 10%
- Law & Compliance: 2%
- Reserved: 43%

10. Conclusion
With the digital media industry as the entry point and blockchain as the underlying technology, ATMChain introduces the concept of the attention economy with regard to the prominent problems in the media industry, and encourages users to participate in the ecology of ATMChain through the value distribution mode of paying for users’ attention, thereby
obtaining more high-quality users and data. It enriches user data through facial recognition, Internet of Things sensors and other technology. It analyzes and generates precise user reports, user portraits, environmental portraits and service data models through big data and AI technology, accurately evaluates the advertising effect, enhances advertising accuracy and improves the user experience to solve the problems in the digital media industry. In addition, it builds an industry-wide ecology embracing digital media, ticketing, cinema and news based on users and data, thereby achieving the in-depth integration of industry resources and improving industry operation efficiency and ecology competitiveness.

As a vivid case of the integration of blockchain technology and digital media industry, ATMChain sets an example in promoting the sound development of the blockchain industry. In addition, ATMChain will have a subversive impact on the digital media industry and bring about revolutionary changes.

Reference


FAQ

Q: How to benefit from investing ATMChain?
A: The ETHs gathered from investors will be used to build the community and ecology of ATMChain, not just a DApp. The value will be reflected in the rising price of ATM token, which gives a financial feedback to investors.

Q: How to participate in the ICO?
A: Please pay attention to our website (www.atmchain.io), we will publish ICO information on our website first. You can also pay attention to ICO information published by major cryptocurrency exchanges. Our partners will also publish relevant information.

Q: How does ATMChain achieve its value proposition?
A: ATMChain as a platform can be applied to many fields in the “Internet of Value” powered by blockchain. For example, ATMChain can be applied to industry big data analysis, entertainment digital copyright protection, media accurate delivery, etc. All parties on the ATMChain platform will benefit from it.

Q: Can ATMChain be understood as a blockchain system dedicated to advertising?
A: Advertising is a very important part of ATMChain, from which we also expect to obtain sustained benefits. It can be said that the advertising system is one of the priorities of the initial work of ATMChain. However, the application of ATMChain is not limited to the advertising system, and advertising is only one subsystem of ATMChain. In addition, ATMChain also support news subsystem, ATM token wallet, ticketing subsystem and more extensive applications in the media industry, which creates a very broad application space.

Although there are many applications, the project shall have highlights and focus, and shall be carried out in stages from the perspective of project management. Excessively decentralized work priorities are not conductive to product development, and this is why this whitepaper goes to great lengths to describe the advertising subsystem of ATMChain.

Q: Which exchanges will support ATM tokens?
A: Major domestic and foreign exchanges are under negotiation. We seek to make an open-standard and open-source blockchain system to secure support from a wide range of investment platforms for our investors.

Q: What are the earnings prospects of ATMChain, and are costly long-term investments required?
A: ATMChain has a self-hematopoietic function. With the gradual introduction of media companies, media companies will get attentions from ATMChain, and at the same time media companies will also feed ATMChain back. For example, in the advertising business, ATMChain provides advertising media operators more accurate user attentions. At the same time, advertising media operators will also feed back to ATMChain while using ATM tokens as incentives. ATMChain and advertising media operators will cooperate with each other and achieve win-win situations in order to make the market share bigger. As such, ATMChain has very good profit prospects, and it involves no such problems that require splashing out the cash now while the profit model is at a far distant date.
Q: How to participate in ecological construction of ATMChain?

A: First of all, if you are a financial investor, we are very welcome to your financial investment, used to support our entire intellectual chain of ecological construction. Secondly, if you are an advertiser, we welcome you to our first DApp in the media program, you can lower the market price to advertise, to get our tens of thousands of propaganda dynamic screen publicity channels. If you are a barber or home business owners, we also welcome you to contact us, to get the opportunity to stay on the screen and then get the corresponding sharing incentives. Finally, if you are an ordinary user who would like to be the first look at the innovative economic model of attention, then please pay attention to our official website (www.atmchain.io), we will announce the latest progress of this project in real time.

Glossary

Blockchain network: ATMChain uses Ethereum as its underlying blockchain network. We will develop an independent public blockchain in the future.

ATMChain open platform: The center of ATMChain, which provides services to other parties.

ATMChain operation team: The team which is responsible for the promotion and business operation of ATMChain.

Advertiser: The company which pays for the advertisement, e.g. McDonald’s.

Advertising media operator: The company which has media resource, and provides advertising service to its clients.

Advertising platform: The business platform for the advertising media operator.

User: The person who installs and uses ATMChain application.

ATMChain application: The mobile application which provides users services of QR code scanning, wallet, information, and ticketing service.

Media screen: The screen which is owned by the advertising media operator to display advertisement.

Place provider: The shop or property which provides place for media screen to gain benefits.

Shop: The business which provides commodities or services to users.

ATM token: The token which is circulated in the ATMChain.

APP scan code: The QR code which is scanned by the user using the ATMChain application to gain ATM tokens.

WeChat scan code: The QR code which is scanned by the user using WeChat to gain ATM tokens.

User report: The user analysis report provided to the advertisers regarding the advertising effect.

Business report: The business revenue analysis report provided to the advertising media operators.
Advertisement purchase: Advertisers purchase advertising service from advertising media operators to promote their products or services.

Advertisement publishing: Advertising media operators publish advertisements to the ATMChain.

Dividend policy: The policy of profit sharing among the parties in the ATMChain for the advertisements published.

Smart contract: The digital contract on the blockchain which is automatically executed when conditions meet.

Transfer transaction: The transaction on the blockchain which transfers token from one account address to another account address.

Reward: The act that users transfer tokens to content publishers for their contents.

Automatic dividend transfer: The smart contract for the dividend policy will automatically transfer tokens to relevant account addresses when conditions meet.

Recharge: The act which transfers tokens to some specific account addresses.

Wallet: The application which has the user’s private key to provide query and transfer services.