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BLOCKCHAIN IN THE PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY

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Objective

Blockchain is an emerging technology to revolutionize various industries by providing transparency, security, and increased efficiency. In the pharmaceutical industry, where product safety and quality are critical for patient health, blockchain presents a transformative opportunity. By leveraging blockchain, pharmaceutical companies can establish a transparent and tamper-proof supply chain, ensuring the authenticity of medications from production to consumption. Moreover, blockchain enables seamless tracking and tracing of pharmaceutical products in production and logistics, mitigating the risks of counterfeit drugs and enhancing regulatory compliance. This master's thesis will involve an extensive literature study as well as the development of concepts for the application scenarios with blockchain in the pharmaceutical industry.

Key tasks are to:

- Explore the role of blockchain technology in ensuring transparency and trust within the pharmaceutical supply chain.
- Investigate the potential of blockchain-based solutions in pharmaceutical industry with a special focus on improving drug traceability, combating counterfeit medications and advanced logistics.
- Analyze the challenges and opportunities associated with integrating blockchain into existing pharmaceutical systems and processes.

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