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Distributed Systems & Blockchain in the News

- 06.09.2025: Confirmed: A series of subsea cable outages in the Red Sea has degraded internet connectivity in multiple countries including Pakistan and India [\[link\]](#)
 - Azure affected [\[link\]](#)
- 02.09.2025: Apertus: A fully open, transparent, multilingual language model [\[link\]](#)
 - Open source [\[link\]](#), not yet in llama.cpp [\[link\]](#)
 - 70/8B parameters models
- 04.09.2025: Stripe and Paradigm Unveil Permissionless Layer 1 Blockchain, Tempo [\[link\]](#)
 - Layer 1 blockchain
 - Ethereum-Virtual Machine (EVM)-compatible
 - Permissionless blockchain, validators initially being curated
- 05.09.2025: Justin Sun urges Trump-linked WLF1 to unlock 'unreasonably' frozen tokens [\[link\]](#)