

Last year [I got an Avado machine by accident](#), while requesting funding for a mainnet validator.

The project was messy, I never got the keys to join the [ether.fi](#) distributed validators cluster in mainnet, and I never got any rewards. After paying the monthly fee for some months, I complained and they stopped charging me.

I will open the machine, see what's in there and see if I can repurpose it to run something interesting. I will share my journey here.