

# TROUBLESHOOTING

MIST and Mac/Linux

# GETH STANDARD DIRECTORY

- Geth.ipc file is produced at start
  - OS X: ~/Library/Ethereum/
  - Linux: ~/.ethereum/
- Geth (from Mist) will look for a geth.ipc file there
- If it can't find any, it will start its own network

# HOW TO CONNECT

- „geth attach“ and MIST have the same problem
  - Need to connect to the IPC file
  - On Linux/Mac it's always printed during startup of geth
- I0219 09:45:48.128503 node/node.go:290] IPC endpoint opened:  
/Users/username/Library/Ethereum/geth.ipc
- For GETH:
  - `geth attach ipc:/path/to/the/file/geth.ipc`
- For MIST:
  - `/Applications/Mist.app/Contents/MacOS/Mist --rpc <path to chaindata>/geth.ipc`

# WHERE TO FIND FURTHER INFORMATION?

- Checkout the repository
- Or ask us in the Q&A
- Because it changes quite regularly!
  - But we try to keep everything updated.