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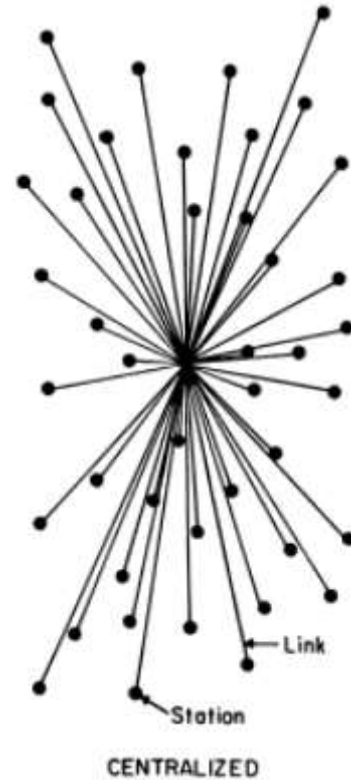
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InterPlanetary File System

- **IPFS** is a protocol designed to create a permanent and decentralized method of storing and sharing files
- Faster, safer and more open web
- IPFS aims to replace HTTP and build a better web for all of us

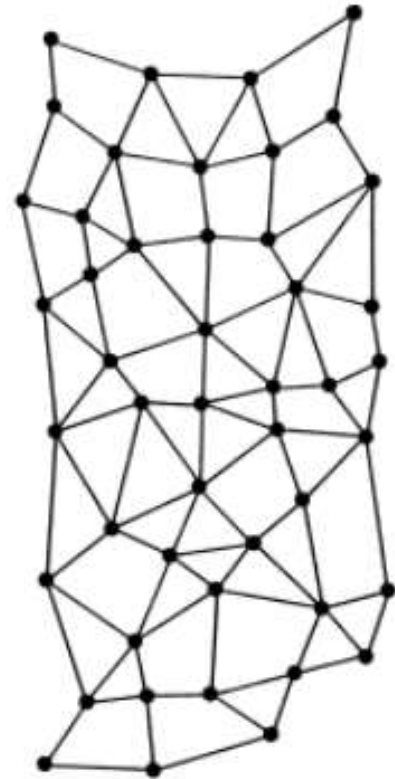
Network Topology

- Centralised
 - Single server
 - Difficult to scale
 - Single point of failure
- Decentralised
 - Multiple servers
 - Demand and failures better handled
 - Expensive



IPFS Topology

- Fully distributed network
- Acts both server and client



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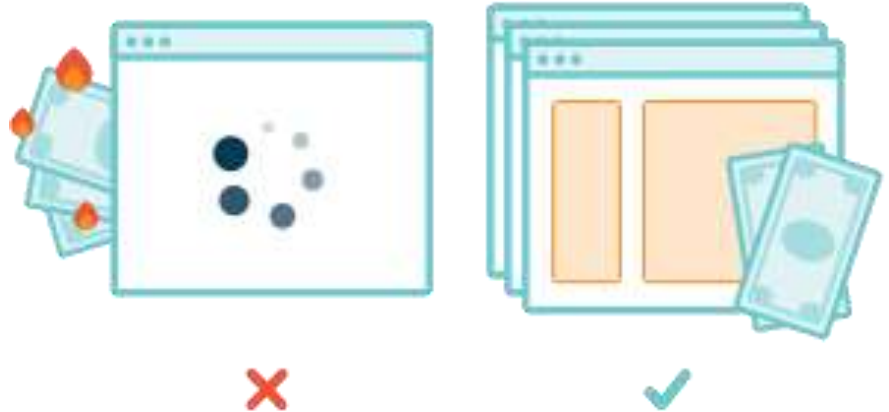


The web of tomorrow needs IPFS today



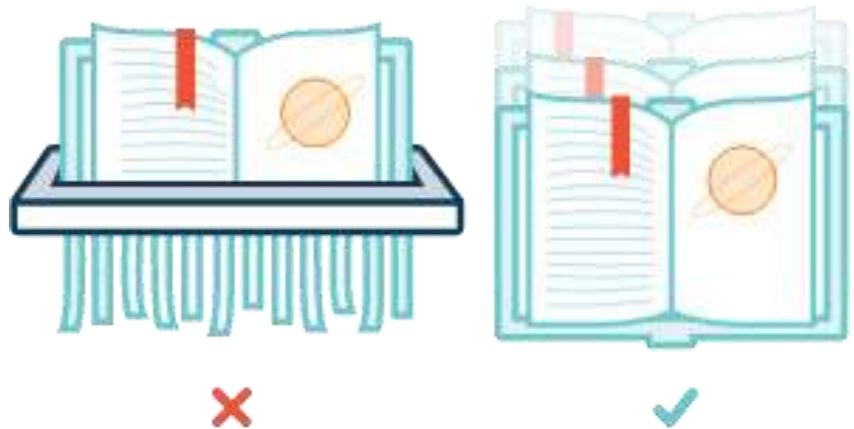
HTTP is inefficient and expensive

- HTTP downloads a file from a single computer at a time, instead of getting pieces from multiple computers simultaneously.
- IPFS makes it possible to distribute high volumes of data with high efficiency



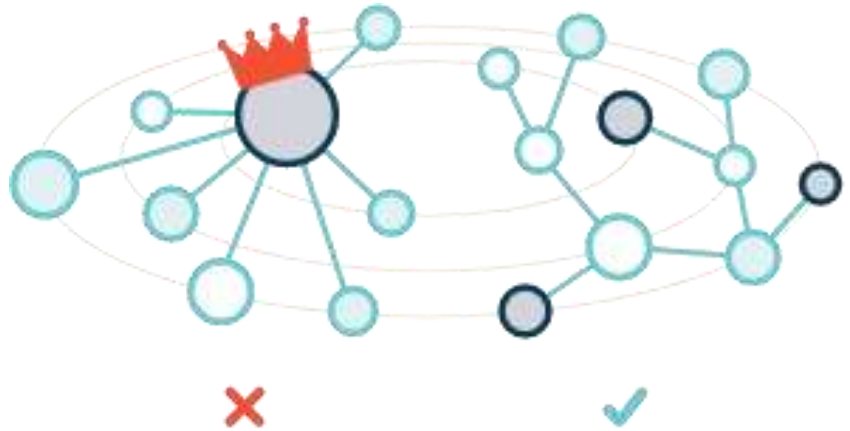
Humanity's history is deleted daily

- The average lifespan of a web page is 100 days.
- IPFS provides historic versioning (like git) and makes it simple to set up resilient networks for mirroring of data.



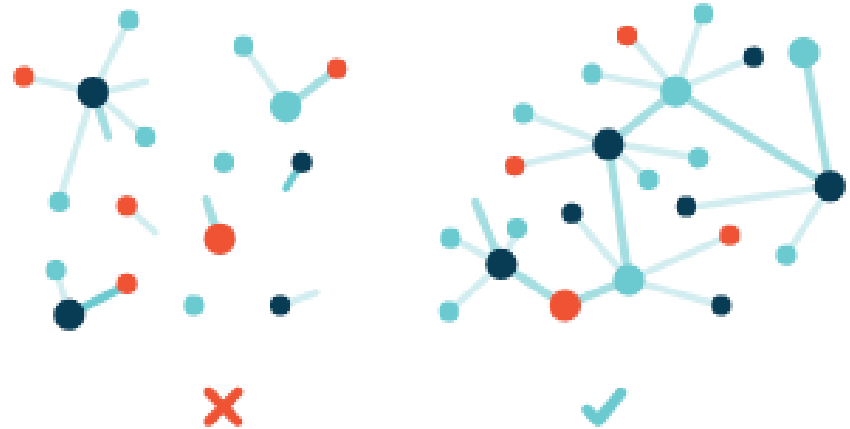
The web's centralization limits opportunity

- The Internet is a real accelerator of innovation. But the increasing consolidation of control is a threat to that.
- IPFS remains true to the original vision of the open and flat web.



Our apps are addicted to the backbone

- All trivial compared to interplanetary networking.
 - ☐ Developing world
 - ☐ Offline
 - ☐ Natural disasters
 - ☐ Intermittent connections
- IPFS powers the creation of diversely resilient networks.



How IPFS works?

Application
Naming
MerkleDAG
Exchange
Routing
Network



Web



SFS



Git



BitTorrent



DHT

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Stack

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Using the Data



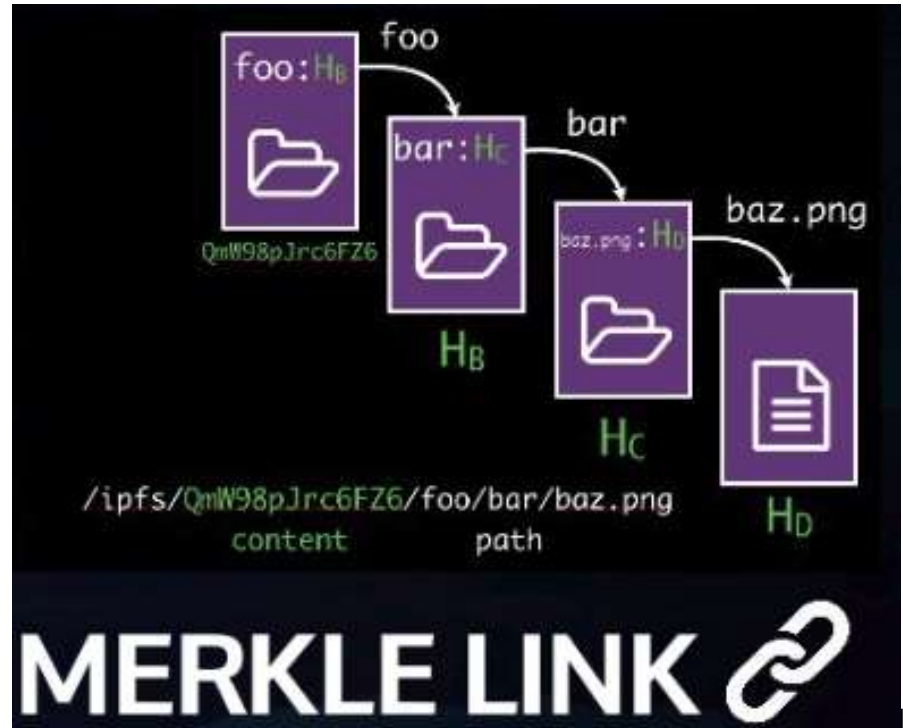
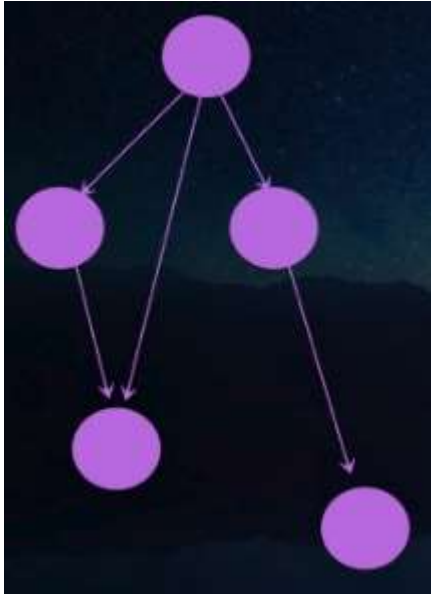
Defining the Data



Moving the Data

IPLD: InterPlanetary Linked Data

- Any data structure can be represented as a **DAG**



Merkle DAG

test_dir

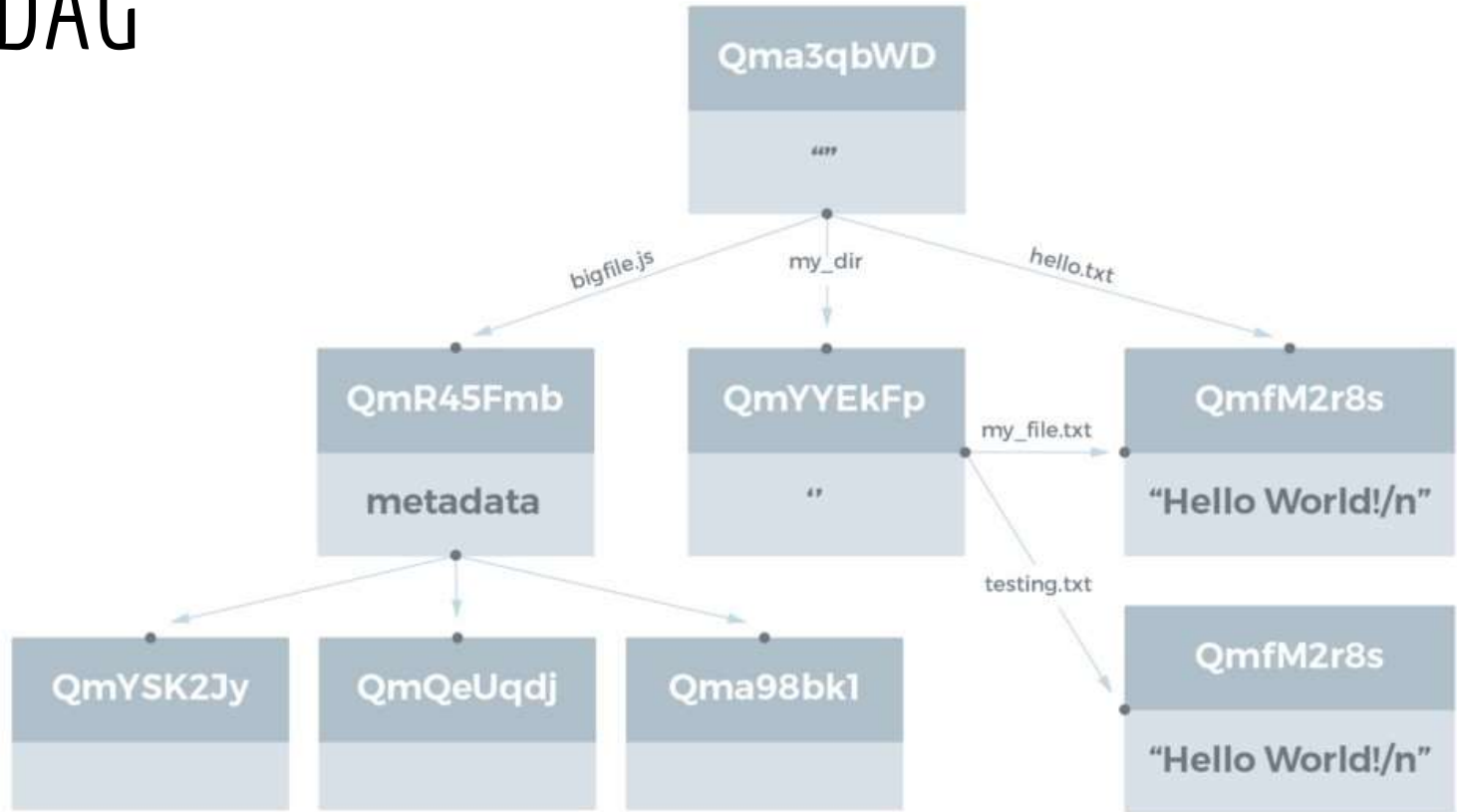
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└─ hello.txt

└─ my_dir

 └─ my_file.txt

 └─ testing.txt



Versioned file systems

test_dir

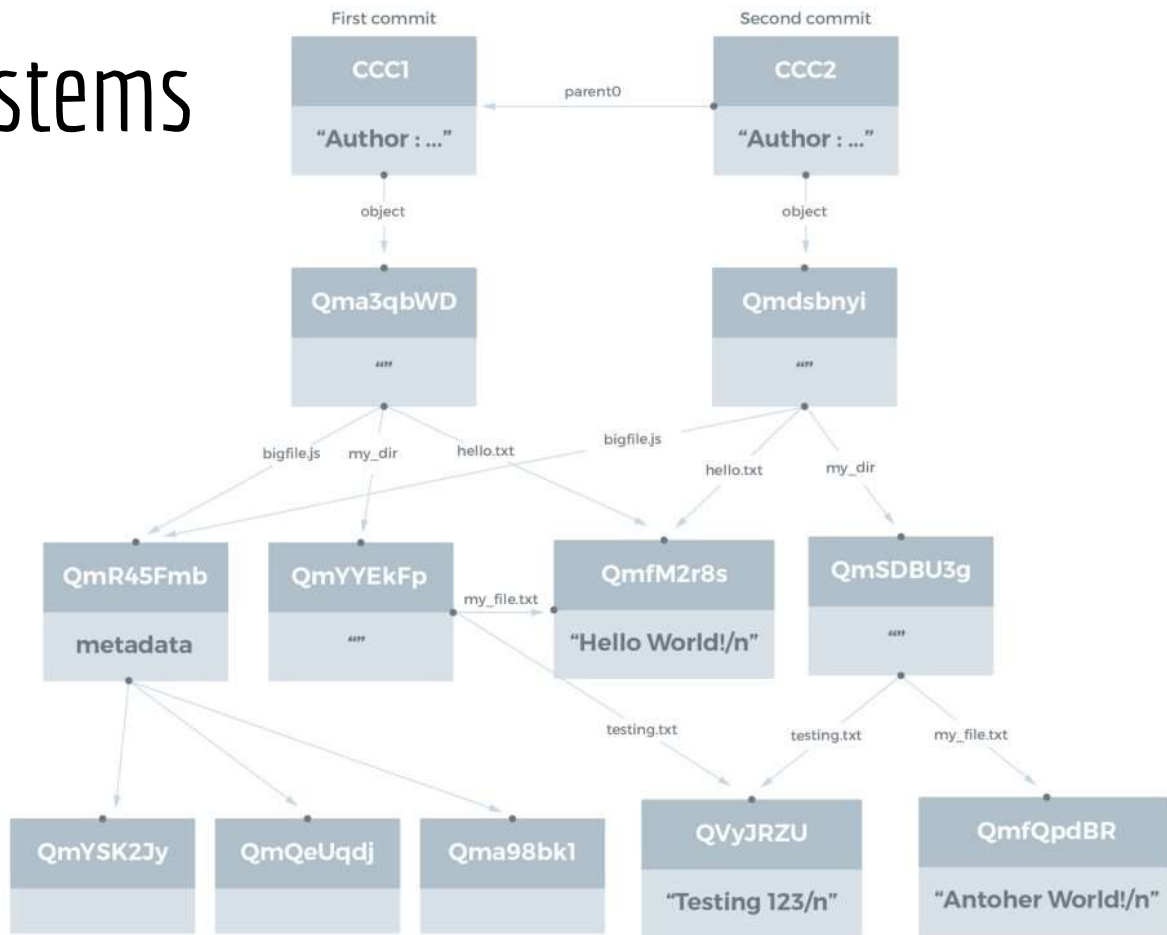
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IPNS: InterPlanetary Name System

- **IPNS** is a way to add a small amount of mutability to the permanent immutability that is ipfs.
- Store a reference to an ipfs hash under the namespace of peerID (public key hash)

/ipns/Qmaaaaaaaaaaaaaa



/ipfs/Qmbbbbbbbbbbbbbbb/website_hash



Demo



Demo: Add / Cat / List files

add / download single file

```
> ipfs add/get <FILE_PATH>
```

cat file

```
> ipfs cat <FILE_HASH>
```

add / download folder

```
> ipfs add/get -r <FOLDER_PATH>
```

list folder

```
> ipfs ls -v <FOLDER_HASH>
```

Demo: Large file (> 256 KB)

```
# add / download large file
```

```
> ipfs add/get <FILE_PATH>
```

```
# get links of large file
```

```
> ipfs object get <FILE_HASH>
```

Demo: Pinning

```
# 1. add file  
# 2. pin operating  
> ipfs pin ls --type=all
```

```
# 3. remove cache  
> ipfs pin rm -r <FILE_HASH>
```

```
# 4. remove cache  
> ipfs repo gc
```

Demo: Playing videos

```
# add mp4 file
```

```
> ipfs add test.mp4
```

```
# playing video using browser
```

```
https://ipfs.io/ipfs/<VIDEO\_HASH>
```

```
http://localhost:8080/ipfs/<VIDEO\_HASH>
```

Demo: Git, even more distributed

```
# git clone (ex: bitmarklib)
> git clone --bare https://github.com/bitmark-inc/go-bitmarklib.git
> cd go-bitmarklib
> git update-server-info

# add git repo to IPFS
> ipfs add -r .

# try it
> git clone https://ipfs.io/ipfs/<GIT_HASH>
```

Demo: Inter-Planetary Naming System (IPNS)

```
# add file
# publish to the network
> ipfs name publish <FILE_HASH>

Published to <your peer ID>: <that hash>

# resolve
> ipfs name resolve <PEER_ID>

# try it
https://ipfs.io/ipns/<PEER_ID>
```

Demo: IPFS for websites

1. add website

```
> ipfs add -r <WEBSITE_FOLDER>
```

2. publish to the network

```
> ipfs name publish <WEBSITE_HASH>
```

3. try it

```
https://ipfs.io/ipns/<PEER_ID>
```

```
https://gateway.ipfs.io/ipns/<PEER_ID>
```


Appendix

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- Large file — 3.77 TB
 - <https://gateway.ipfsstore.it:8443/ipfs/QmXd2t4WbhpDf643ija6byLE4q3L8GBQ3u773wWh5zVRT4>
- Filecoin
 - \$200 Million In 60 Minutes (257 million raised)



Thanks!
Any Questions?