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Applied and Action Learning

(Learning by Doing and Discovery)

Name of the Experiment : Store with IPFS – Decentralized File Upload

*Coding Phase: Pseudo Code/ Flow Chart/ Algorithm:

Algorithm:

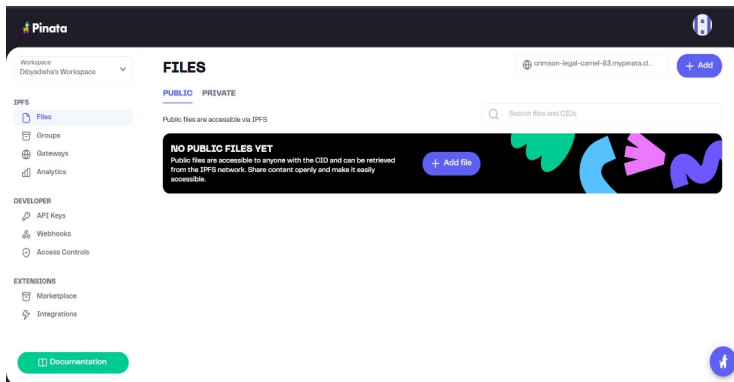
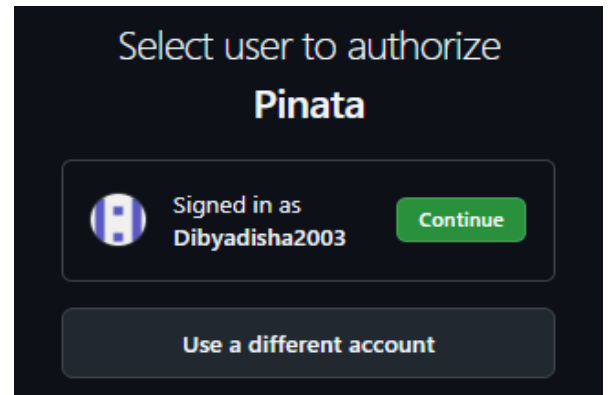
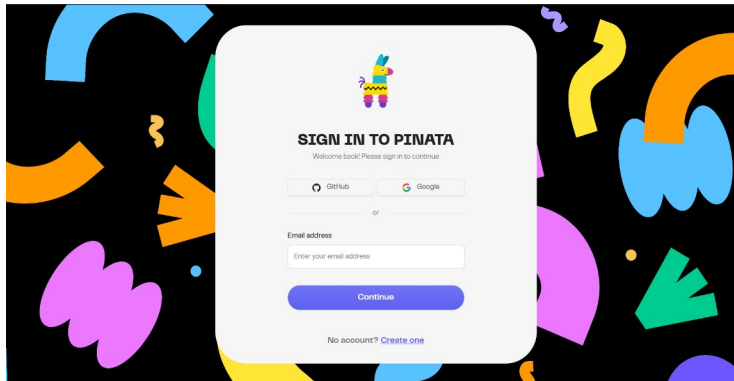
- 1.Start
- 2.Create an account in pinata or you can use infura,
- 3.After creating upload one file in either public or private,
4. After uploading you will get a cid.
- 5.Now create a key in pinata which will give you an api key, secret api key and jwt token copy all of them and save it somewhere.
- 5.Now create a folder in your c drive.
- 6.Open that same file in your vs code.
- 7.Create a .env file in that very same folder.
8. Write the api key, secret key and jwt token copied in step 5 in the .env file.
9. Create a file named as addFile.js and write code on it.
- 10.Now create a file named sample.txt on that folder.
- 11.After creating the above files run the code in the terminal.
- 12.It will give a hash copy that link
- 13.Open a new tab in the browser and paste the link it will open the uploaded file.
- 14.End

*Software Used:

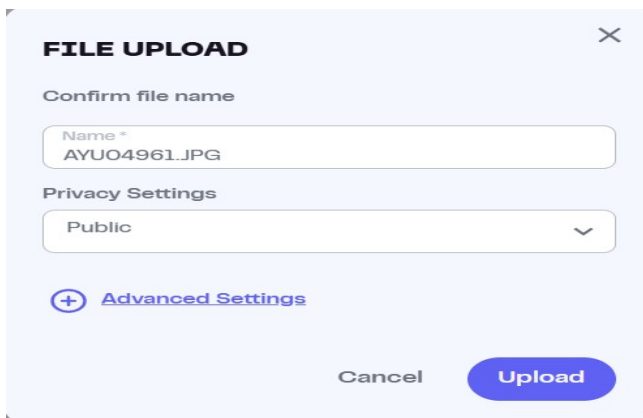
1. Pinata account
2. Command Prompt
3. Brave Browser
4. VS Code

*Testing/Implementation Phase:

Create a pinata account



Uploading file



FILES

PUBLIC PRIVATE

Public files are accessible via IPFS

	NAME	CID	SIZE	CREATION DATE	FILE ID
<input type="checkbox"/>	AYU04961.JPG	bafyb...tombq	13.24 MB	7/31/2025	

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CREATE API KEY

OPTIONAL BUT NOT OF CUSTOMIZED PERMISSIONS.

Key name

project

☒ Admin

CUSTOMIZE PERMISSIONS

^ V3 RESOURCES

RESOURCE NAME	PERMISSIONS
Files	<div>None</div> <div>Read</div> <div>Write</div>
Groups	<div>None</div> <div>Read</div> <div>Write</div>
Restaurants	<div>None</div> <div>Read</div> <div>Write</div>

Cancel

Create

API KEY INFORMATION

This info will only be shown once. Make sure you store it somewhere safe.

API Key

9accd3acf331a1eda3ad

API Secret

JWT (secret access token)

Done

Copy All

```

1  require("dotenv").config();
2  const axios = require("axios");
3  const FormData = require("form-data");
4  const fs = require("fs");
5
6  async function uploadToIPFS(filePath) {
7    const form = new FormData();
8    form.append("file", fs.createReadStream(filePath));
9
10   const res= await axios.post("https://api.pinata.cloud/pinning/pinFileToIPFS", form, {
11     maxLength: Infinity,
12     headers: {
13       ...form.getHeaders(),
14       pinata_api_key: process.env.PINATA_API_KEY,
15       pinata_secret_api_key: process.env.PINATA_SECRET_API_KEY,
16     },
17   });
18   console.log("📁 File pinned to IPFS:");
19   console.log("Hash:", res.data.IpfsHash);
20 }
21 uploadToIPFS("sample.txt");

```

[illegible]

* Implementation Phase: Final Output (no error)

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Run some commands in the terminal to get the hash

```
PS C:\Web3 Projects\lab4-ipfs-basic\temp> cd "C:\Web3 Projects\lab4-ipfs-basic"
PS C:\Web3 Projects\lab4-ipfs-basic> node addFile.js
📁File pinned to IPFS:
Hash: QmeBzCRkoepM4doG8TayTa6cZw9PctCJrGDJBpvdaMpLw7
PS C:\Web3 Projects\lab4-ipfs-basic>
```

Uploaded file will be shown after copying the link and opening it in a new tab in the browser

This is a demo IPFS project

*Observation:

- 1.Implemented a decentralized file upload system using IPFS and Pinata.
- 2.Enabled multiple file uploads with preview thumbnails and live IPFS links.
- 3.Displayed already uploaded files using Pinata's API for better file management.

ASSESSMENT

Rubrics	Full Mark	Marks Obtained	Remarks
Concept	10		
Planning and Execution/ Practical Simulation/ Programming	10		
Result and Interpretation	10		
Record of Applied and Action Learning	10		
Viva	10		
Total	50		

Signature of the Student:

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*As applicable according to the experiment.
Two sheets per experiment (10-20) to be used.