

Marlowe CLI

Overview and Tutorial

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Purpose

The `marlowe-cli` tool enables developers to submit transactions and interact from the command line with Marlowe contracts on the Cardano blockchain, just as the `cardano-cli` tool has enabled them to do so for plain transactions, simple scripts, and Plutus scripts.

Use Cases

1. Facilitation of internal development and testing of Marlowe contracts.
 - a. Measuring transaction size.
 - b. Submitting transactions.
 - c. Testing wallet integrations.
 - d. Debugging validators.
2. Early access to Marlowe capabilities on testnet and mainnet.
3. Integration with external developer's workflows and toolsets for Marlowe contracts, similar to how the Cardano development community has heavily integrated `cardano-cli` into various services (libraries, faucets, token minting, marketplaces, etc.).
4. Incorporation into training for use of Marlowe.

Three Levels of Interaction with Marlowe on the Blockchain

High Level

- Supports a straightforward workflow for users that just want to run contracts from the command line.
- Hides details of input and state of Marlowe contracts.
- Hides and automates many aspects of Plutus and interaction with the Cardano node.
- Focuses on the Marlowe contract.

Plutus Application Backend (PAB)

- Supports direct interaction with the PAB contracts and endpoints for running Marlowe from the command line.
- Hides details of UTxO management by interacting with a Cardano Wallet or Daedalus.
- Mimics the workflow for using Marlowe Run.

Low Level

- Supports developer workflows for debugging and fine-grained control of each atomic operation involved in running Marlowe contracts.
- Controls modification of Marlowe state and construction of Marlowe input.
- Controls construction and submission of validators, datums, and redeemers.
- Focus on the mechanics of Marlowe on Plutus and Cardano.

Simple Installation

Install using Nix and Cabal

```
git clone https://github.com/input-output-hk/marlowe-cardano.git  
nix-shell  
cabal install exe:marlowe-cli
```

Or install just using Cabal, if Cabal and GHC are already installed:

```
git clone https://github.com/input-output-hk/marlowe-cardano.git  
cabal install exe:marlowe-cli
```

Available Commands

```
$ marlowe-cli --help
```

```
Usage: marlowe-cli [--version] COMMAND
  Utilities for Marlowe.
```

```
marlowe-cli : a command-line tool for Marlowe contracts
```

```
Usage: marlowe-cli [--version] (COMMAND | COMMAND)
  Utilities for Marlowe.
```

Available options:

| | |
|-----------|---------------------|
| -h,--help | Show this help text |
| --version | Show version. |

High-level commands:

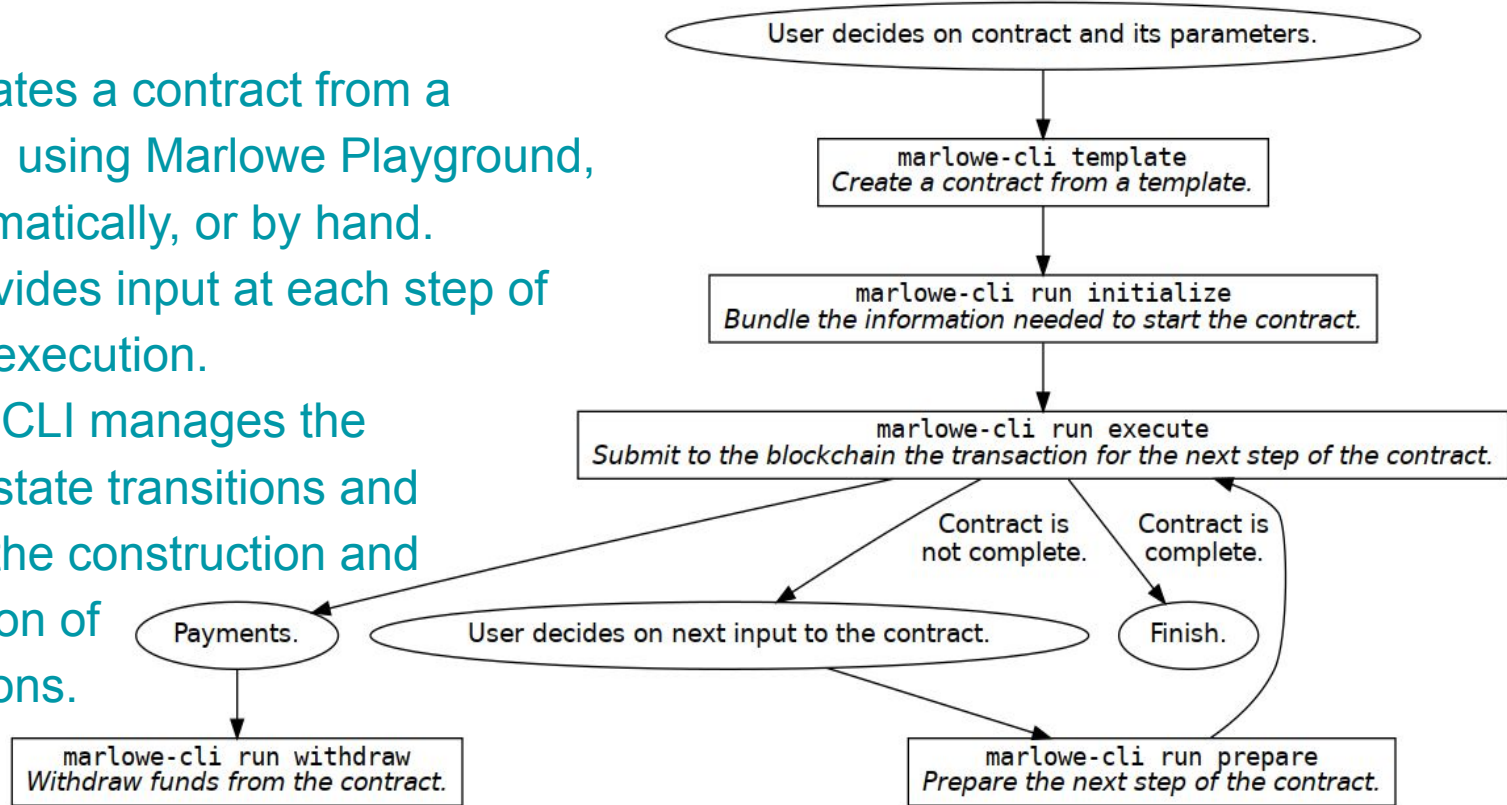
| | |
|----------|--|
| run | Run a contract. |
| pab | Run a contract via the Plutus Application Backend (PAB). |
| template | Create a contract from a template. |

Low-level commands:

| | |
|-------------|---|
| contract | Export contract address, validator, datum, or redeemer. |
| input | Create inputs to a contract. |
| role | Export role address, validator, datum, or redeemer. |
| transaction | Create and submit transactions. |
| util | Miscellaneous utilities. |

High-Level Workflow

1. User creates a contract from a template, using Marlowe Playground, programmatically, or by hand.
2. User provides input at each step of contract execution.
3. Marlowe CLI manages the contract state transitions and handles the construction and submission of transactions.



Templates for Marlowe Contracts

```
$ marlowe-cli template --help
```

Usage: marlowe-cli template COMMAND
Create a contract from a template.

Available options:

| | |
|------------|---------------------|
| -h, --help | Show this help text |
|------------|---------------------|

Commands for creating Marlowe contracts from templates:

| | |
|--------|-----------------------------------|
| escrow | Create an escrow contract. |
| simple | Create a simple example contract. |
| swap | Create a swap contract. |
| zcb | Create a zero-coupon bond. |

High-Level Commands for Running Contracts

```
$ marlowe-cli run --help
```

```
Usage: marlowe-cli run COMMAND
  Run a contract.
```

```
Available options:
```

```
  -h, --help          Show this help text
```

```
Commands for running contracts:
```

| | |
|------------|---|
| execute | Run a Marlowe transaction. |
| initialize | Initialize the first transaction of a Marlowe contract and write output to a JSON file. |
| prepare | Prepare the next step of a Marlowe contract and write the output to a JSON file. |
| withdraw | Withdraw funds from the Marlowe role address. |

Low-Level Capabilities

Creating Marlowe

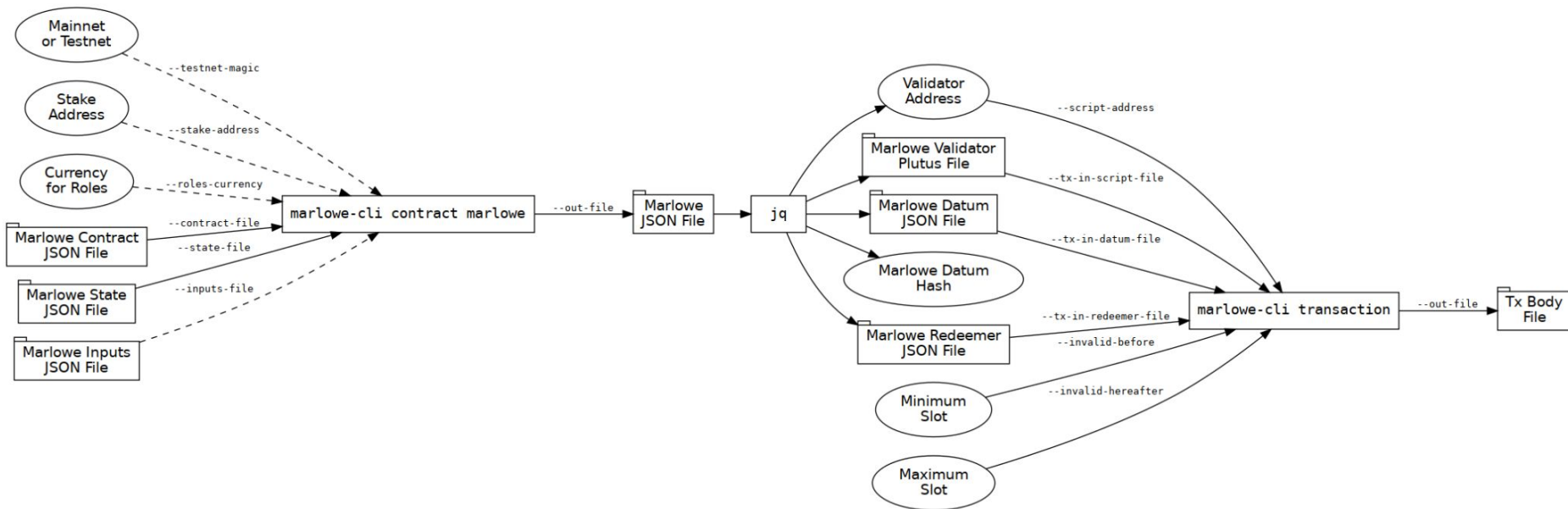
- Script address
- Validator hash
- Datum hash
- CBOR for Plutus script
- JSON and CBOR for datum.
- JSON and CBOR for redeemer.
- Size of the above CBOR in bytes
- Execution cost and memory

Running Marlowe

- Build transaction
- Submit transaction

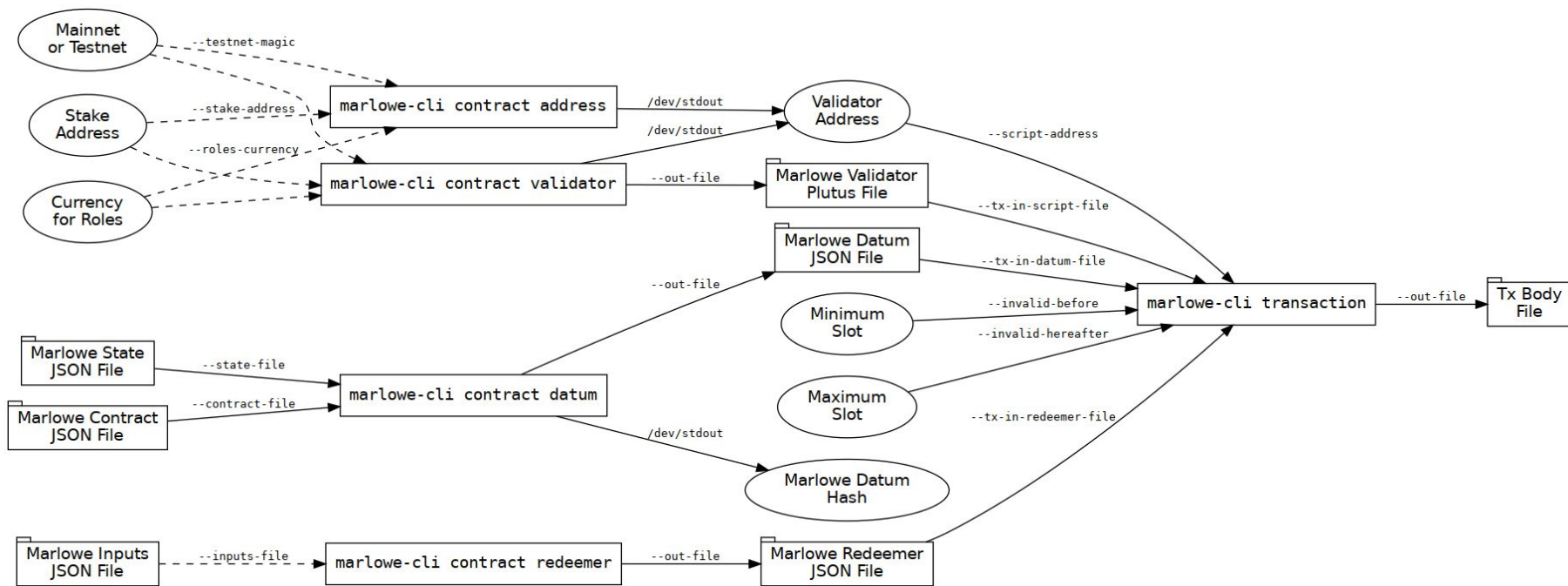
Monolithic Low-Level Workflow

This workflow provides access to scripts, datums, and redeemers, all bundled in a single JSON file that can be queried with tools like `jq`.



Granular Low-Level Workflow

This workflow provides access to scripts, datums, and redeemers as individual JSON files.



Marlowe on Plutus in Cardano

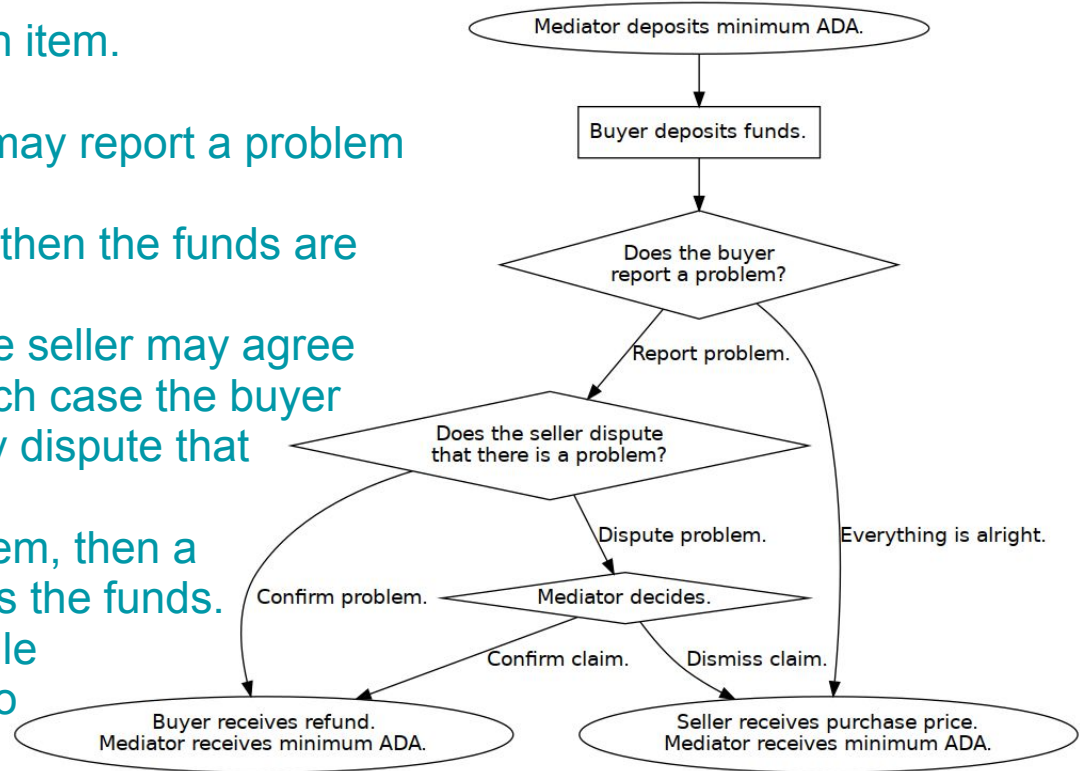
- The Plutus Script
 - There is a generic Plutus validator script for all Marlowe contracts.
 - When a contract is created, this script is specialized to the particular network (via the slot-time parameters) and to the roles for the script (via the role currency symbol).
- The Datum
 - The datum contains the remaining parts of the contract that still haven't been executed.
 - The datum also contains the state of the contract, which includes the balances for accounts of the contract, a record of past inputs to the contract, and the values of parameters in the contract.
- The Redeemer
 - The redeemer contains the input to the next step of the contract, such as deposits, choices, or notifications.

Roles: Currency, Tokens, and Payout Scripts

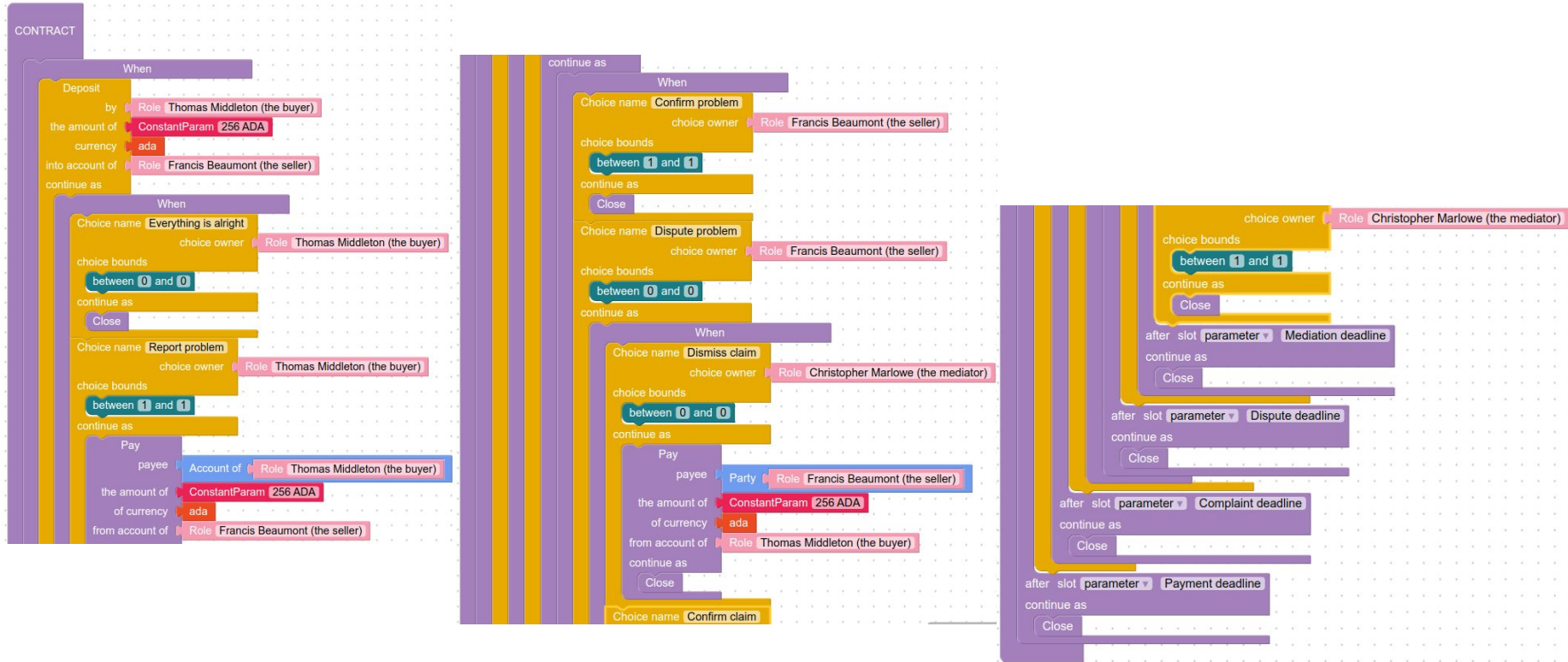
- Each Marlowe contract has a *currency symbol* for its roles and a *payout validator script* for receiving and disbursing payments to participants.
- Participants typically interact with Marlowe contracts by including a *role token* in transactions that the participant authorizes.
 - Role tokens are a concatenation of the currency symbol and the *token name*.
- Participants withdraw funds from a special *payout script* using their role token.
 - The payout Plutus script is unique to each role currency symbol.
 - The datum at the payout address is simply the token name for the participant that is allowed to spend that UTxO.
 - The redeemer for spending from the payout script is empty.
- Roles provide a flexible and secure way for participants to interact with Marlowe.

Escrow Example Using High-Level Workflow

- A *buyer* wishes to purchase an item.
- They deposit funds.
- After they deposit funds they may report a problem with the purchase.
- If they don't report a problem, then the funds are released to the *seller*.
- If they do report a problem, the seller may agree that there is a problem (in which case the buyer receives a refund) or they may dispute that there is a problem.
- If the seller disputes the problem, then a *mediator* decides who receives the funds.
- The contract has logic to handle situations where a party fails to act in a timely manner.



Escrow Contract in Blockly

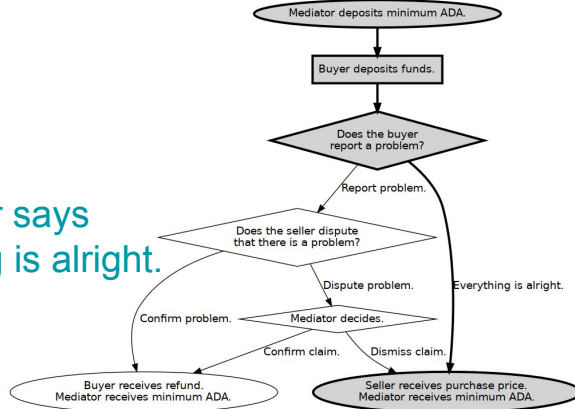


Escrow Contract in Marlowe Format

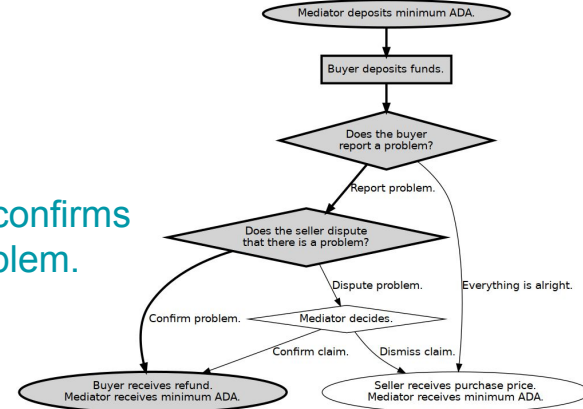
```
When
[
  Case (Deposit (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") ada 256)
    ( When
      [
        Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Everything is alright" (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") [Bound 0 0])
          Close
        , Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Report problem" (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") [Bound 1 1])
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                  Close
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                  ( When
                    [
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                          Close
                        , Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Confirm claim" (Role "Christopher Marlowe (the mediator)") [Bound 1 1])
                          Close
                    ]
                    (SlotParam "Mediation deadline")
                    Close
                  )
                ]
                (SlotParam "Dispute deadline")
              ) Close
            ]
            (SlotParam "Complaint deadline")
            Close
          )
        ]
        (SlotParam "Payment deadline")
        Close
      )
    ]
  )
)
```

Four of the Eight Possible Outcomes

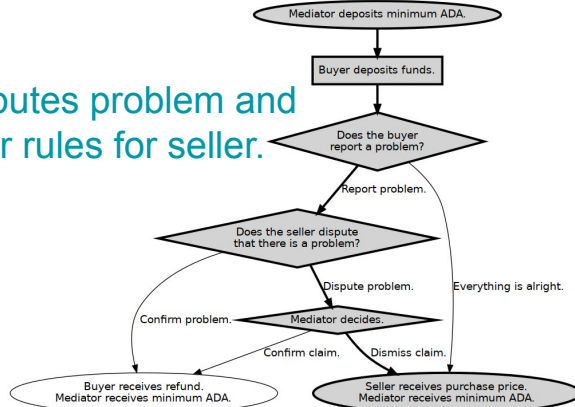
Buyer says everything is alright.



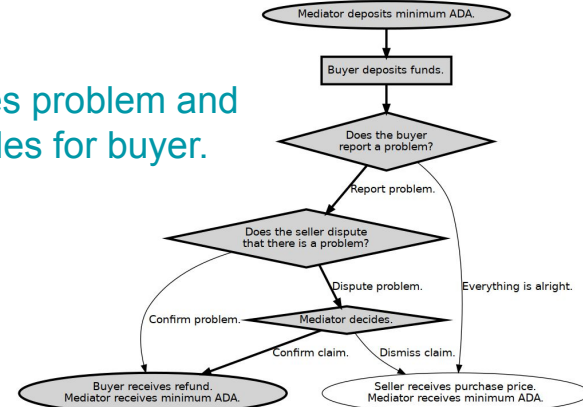
Seller confirms problem.



Seller disputes problem and mediator rules for seller.



Seller disputes problem and mediator rules for buyer.



Detailed Example

Dramatis Personae



Francis Beaumont,
the seller



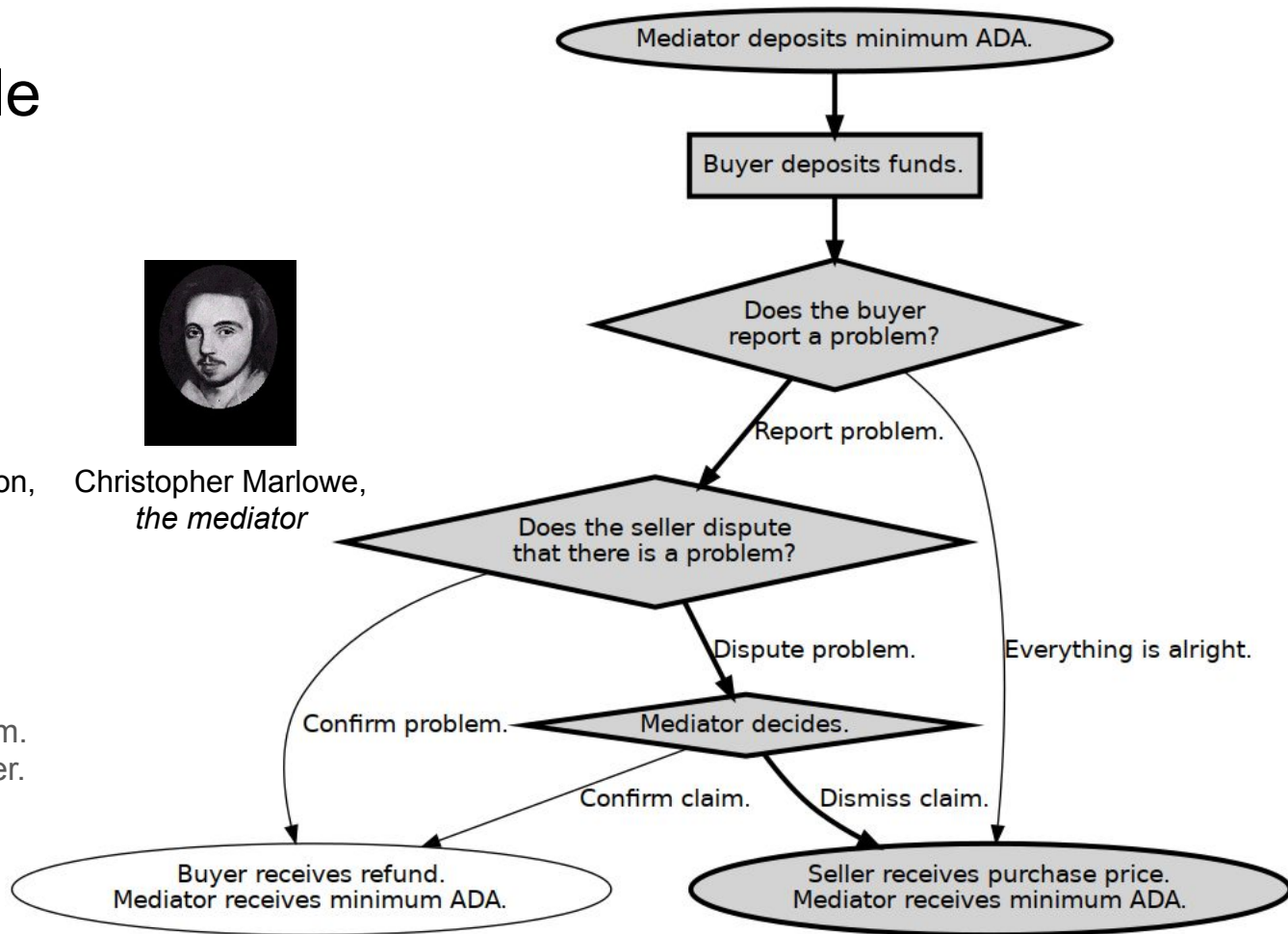
Thomas Middleton,
the buyer



Christopher Marlowe,
the mediator

The Plot

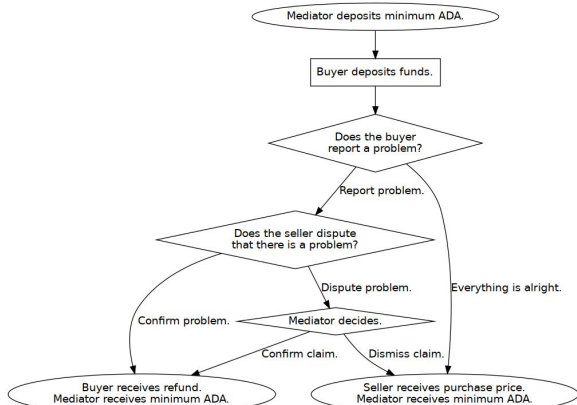
1. Buyer deposits funds.
2. Buyer reports a problem.
3. Seller disputes the problem.
4. Mediator rules for the seller.
5. Seller receives the funds.



0. Construct the Contract

Input

- Token names for parties
- Deadlines
- Price of the item
- Minimum ADA



| Party | In Contract | At Payout |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| <i>Francis Beaumont, seller</i> | 0 ADA | 0 ADA |
| <i>Thomas Middleton, buyer</i> | 0 ADA | 0 ADA |
| <i>Christopher Marlowe, mediator</i> | 0 ADA | 0 ADA |

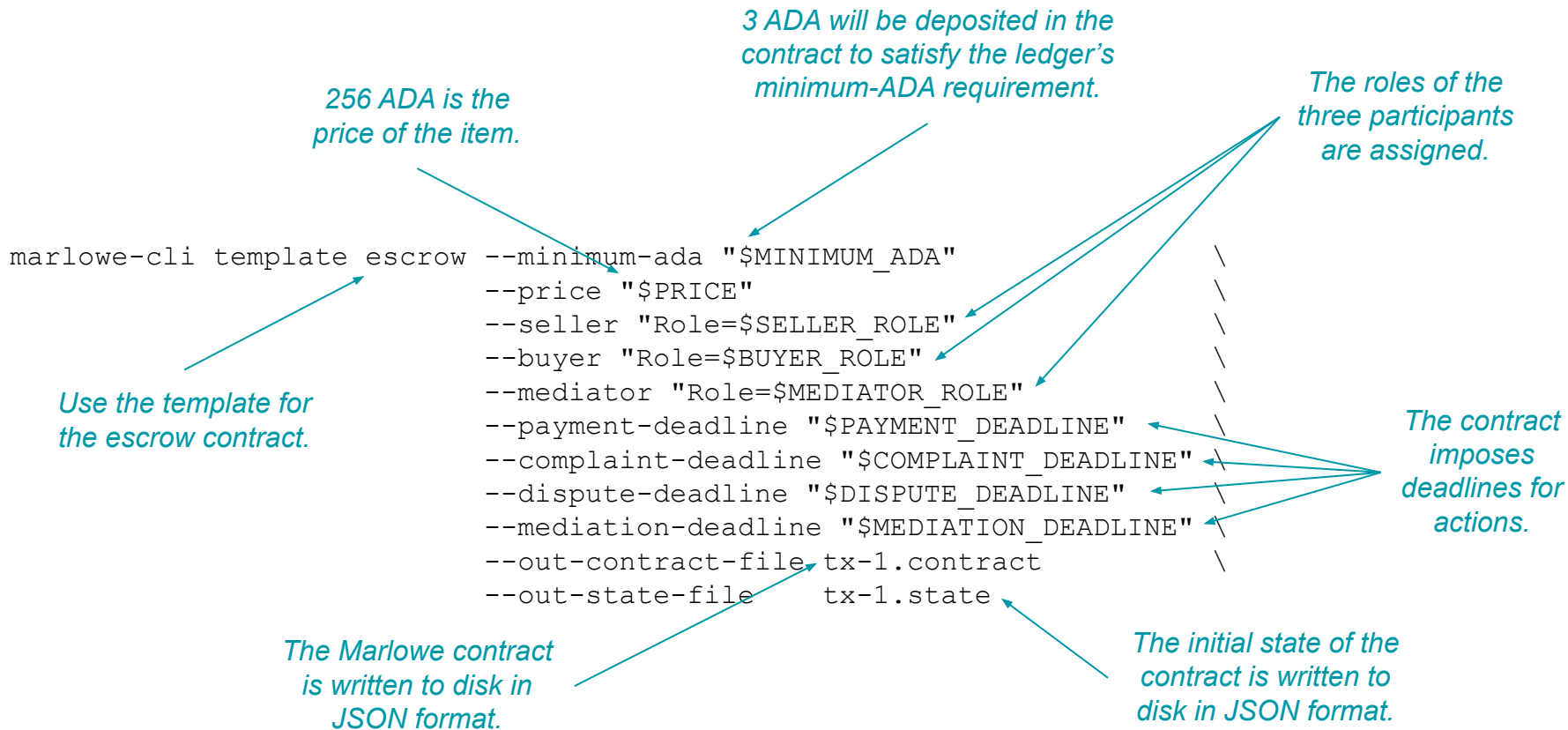
Remaining Contract

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      {
        Close
      }
      , Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Report problem" (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") [Bound 1 1])
      {
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        {
          When
          {
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            {
              Close
            }
            , Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Dispute problem" (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") [Bound 0 0])
            {
              When
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                {
                  Close
                }
              }
              (SlotParam "Mediation deadline")
              Close
            }
          }
          (SlotParam "Dispute deadline")
          Close
        }
        (SlotParam "Complaint deadline")
        Close
      }
    }
  }
  (SlotParam "Payment deadline")
  Close
}
```

Key to Parameters in the Following Examples

```
CARDANO_NODE_SOCKET_PATH=node.socket
ROLE_CURRENCY=8bb3b343d8e404472337966a722150048c768d0a92a9813596c5338d
SELLER_ROLE=FB
SELLER_ADDRESS=addr_test1vrtntkszteptml4e9ce913fsmgavvw4ywunvdnhxv6nw5ksq6737a
SELLER_TOKEN=8bb3b343d8e404472337966a722150048c768d0a92a9813596c5338d.FB
SELLER_PAYMENT_SKEY=francis-beaumont.skey
TX_0_SELLER_ADA=56c38f8941152570a4420a40a9ad99132e794d1e2806d2adaaa6d85d13e9e694#0
TX_0_SELLER_TOKEN=56c38f8941152570a4420a40a9ad99132e794d1e2806d2adaaa6d85d13e9e694#1
BUYER_ROLE=TM
BUYER_ADDRESS=addr_test1vzgrqnlp6elmettvuelx5vkn0uxhtu2ewgdhx297ukgjmjgpps5k0
BUYER_TOKEN=8bb3b343d8e404472337966a722150048c768d0a92a9813596c5338d.TM
BUYER_PAYMENT_SKEY=thomas-middleton.skey
TX_0_BUYER_ADA=92d52f47f45aad93ebf247403e416892ed3e7b6b7a5f239dc98f143c406d977#0
TX_0_BUYER_TOKEN=92d52f47f45aad93ebf247403e416892ed3e7b6b7a5f239dc98f143c406d977#1
MEDIATOR_ROLE=CM
MEDIATOR_ADDRESS=addr_test1vqhqudxwtwqcpjgesns79hqqgq2q0xx5q0hnzz5es9492yaqpxltpy
MEDIATOR_TOKEN=8bb3b343d8e404472337966a722150048c768d0a92a9813596c5338d.CM
TX_0_MEDIATOR_ADA=6bacba798627179750ae5d6f947adfc6c62a7d899bf264c4fa1660ce5c4ef73#0
TX_0_MEDIATOR_TOKEN=6bacba798627179750ae5d6f947adfc6c62a7d899bf264c4fa1660ce5c4ef73#1
MINIMUM_ADA=3000000
PRICE=256000000
TIP=46873317
PAYMENT_DEADLINE=46959717
COMPLAINT_DEADLINE=47046117
DISPUTE_DEADLINE=47132517
MEDIATION_DEADLINE=47218917
CONTRACT_ADDRESS=addr_test1wrne597ectcpfjrl3azk4ag9adc47wy8ft4ccxat0q2zurq2fsdjf
ROLE_ADDRESS=addr_test1wpt3m3hnfzstz6x3n5v4q0jsj5hca4z5drs30us07pe8sslxxqd
TX_1=b1a63c3258e3710ef93795153df253f6d4b34862f258696cb8950f64499607b4
TX_2=3f2cc8ec9b98ea4dbaebab7d1bf37915812de0d1193e7553cf18c8f91a15daf7
TX_3=038159fcd6db522d042968e9d393b255f9660bb93430af49f23f4d49447976e1
TX_4=62a7e1e4ddd43e99085849183036488cee1376e470f1402aad55f58c6dcf950f
TX_5=f8f580caladb1cc5dea7687f603c7685c46846e996c8e579a7daa734549d169e
TX_6=5ffc43e74f86c2e63847557288410f662ca5a1a971a34f61b4af7723e748f146
TX_7=b93b551188448223a12c51389b8946a511297ba7d787277d92760073b4a5642
```

0. Construct the Contract



1. Create the Contract by Providing the Minimum ADA

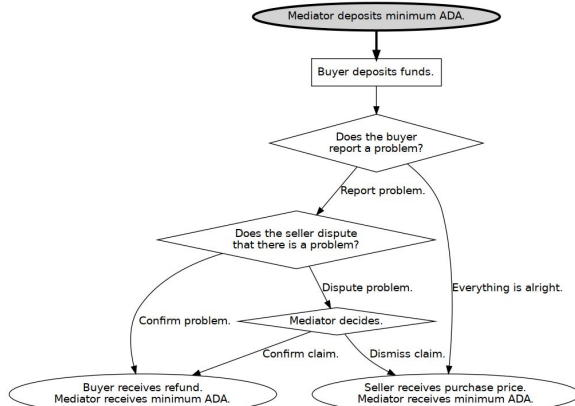
Input

- The mediator Christopher Marlowe sends 3 ADA to the script address to create the contract.

| Party | In Contract | At Payout |
|-------------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| Francis Beaumont, seller | 0 ADA | 0 ADA |
| Thomas Middleton, buyer | 0 ADA | 0 ADA |
| Christopher Marlowe, mediator | → 3 ADA | 0 ADA |

Remaining Contract

```
When
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                  {
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                }
                (SlotParam "Dispute deadline")
                Close
              }
            }
            (SlotParam "Complaint deadline")
            Close
          }
        }
      }
    }
  }
  (SlotParam "Payment deadline")
  Close
}
```



1. Create the Contract by Providing the Minimum ADA

```
marlowe-cli run initialize --testnet 1097911063
```

*Select the
Cardano network.*

```
--slot-length "$SLOT_LENGTH"
```

*Supply network-specific
slot-to-time data to the contract.*

```
--slot-offset "$SLOT_OFFSET"
```

```
--roles-currency "$ROLE_CURRENCY"
```

*Specify the currency symbol for
the role tokens in the contract.*

```
--contract-file tx-1.contract
```

```
--state-file tx-1.state
```

```
--out-file tx-1.marlowe
```

*Read the JSON file
containing the contract.*

```
--print-stats
```

*Write comprehensive
information about the
contract, state, and
transaction to a JSON file.*

*Read the JSON file
containing the contract state.*

```
marlowe-cli run execute --testnet 1097911063
```

*Provide the location
of the Cardano node.*

*Read comprehensive
information defining
the transaction.*

```
--socket-path "$CARDANO_NODE_SOCKET_PATH"
```

*Choose the UTxO the
mediator will spend to
initiate the contract.*

```
--tx-in "$TX_0_MEDIATOR_ADA"
```

```
--change-address "$MEDIATOR_ADDRESS"
```

```
--required-signer "$MEDIATOR_PAYMENT_SKEY"
```

```
--marlowe-out-file tx-1.marlowe
```

*Send the remaining ADA
back to the mediator.*

```
--out-file tx-1.raw
```

```
--print-stats
```

```
--submit=600
```

*Submit the transaction
and wait up to 600
seconds for confirmation.*

*The mediator signs
the transaction.*

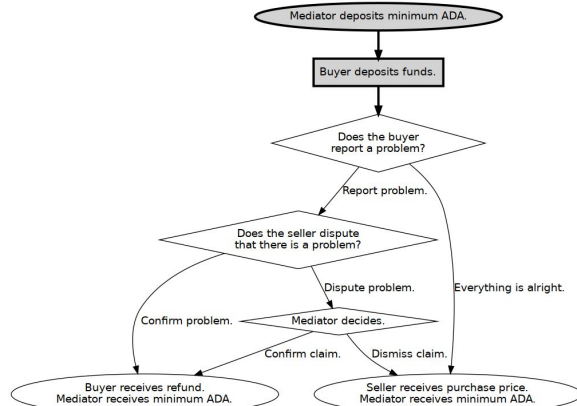
Write the transaction to a file.

*Print information about
the transaction.*

2. Buyer Deposits Funds into Seller's Account

Input

- The buyer Francis Middleton uses their role token to deposit 256 ADA into account of the seller Francis Beaumont.

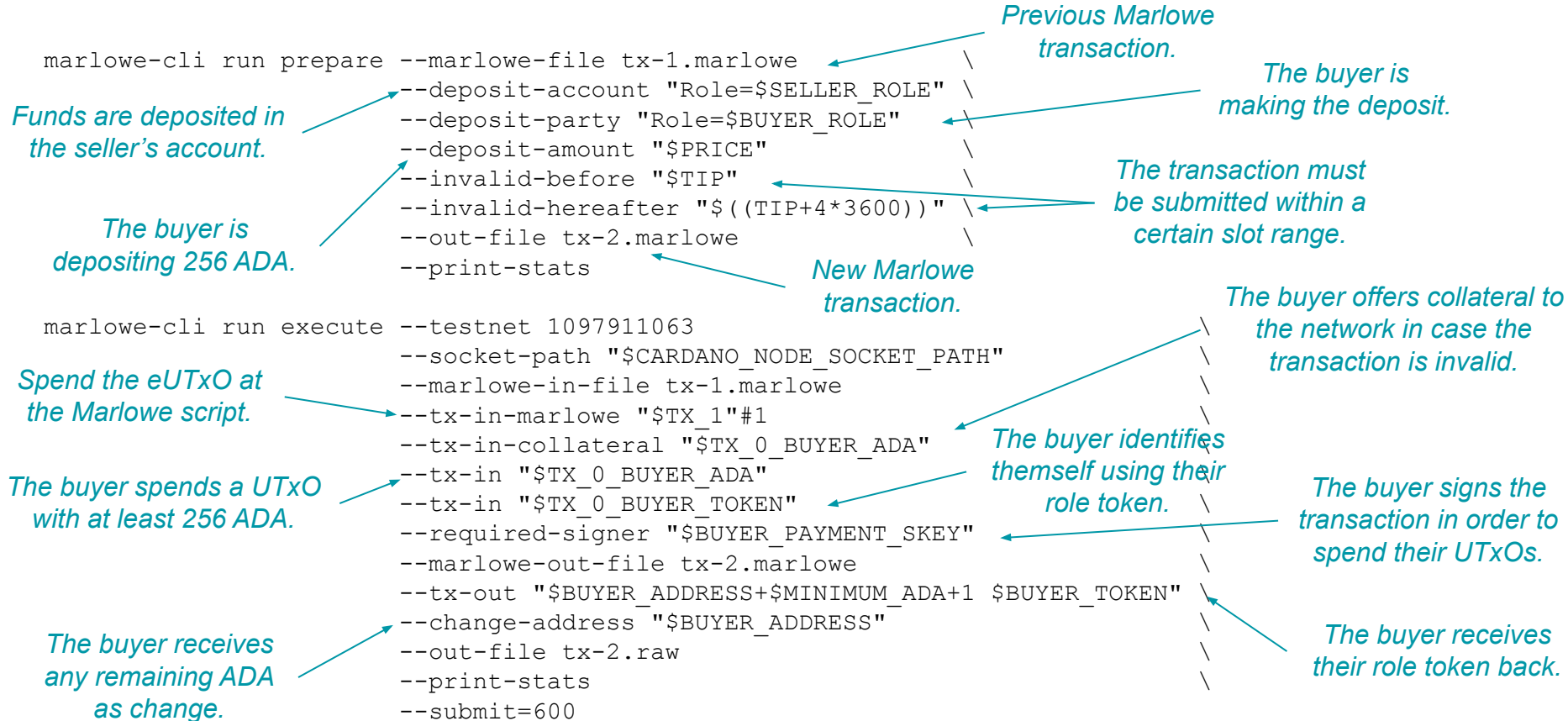


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| Thomas Middleton, buyer | 0 ADA | 0 ADA |
| Christopher Marlowe, mediator | 3 ADA | 0 ADA |

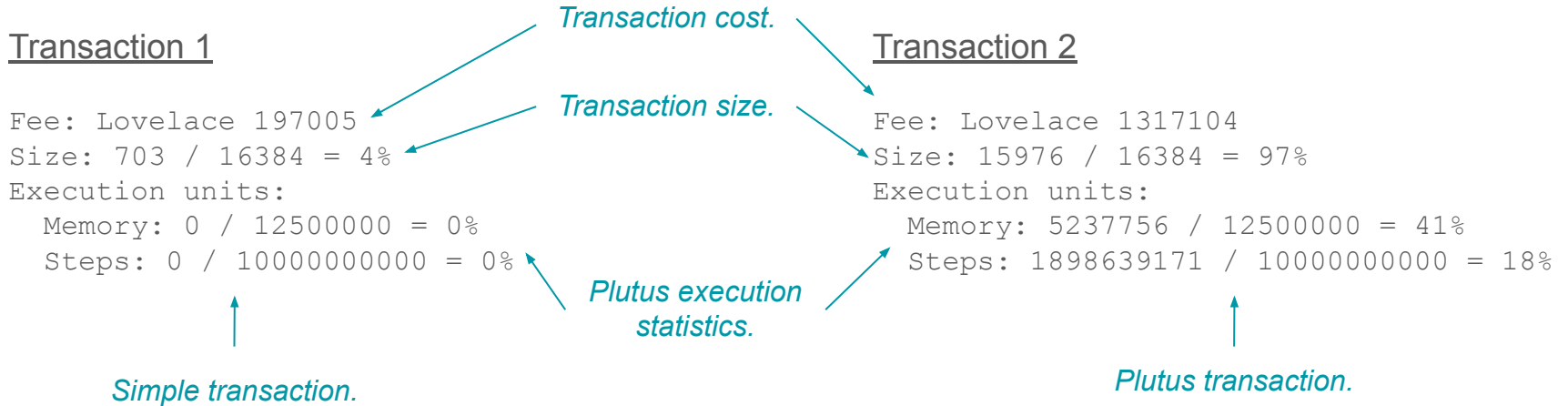
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                  {
                    Close
                  }
                  , Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Confirm claim" (Role "Christopher Marlowe (the mediator)") [Bound 1 1])
                  {
                    { SlotParam "Mediation deadline"
                    {
                      Close
                    }
                  }
                }
              ) Close
            }
          { SlotParam "Dispute deadline"
          {
            Close
          }
        }
      { SlotParam "Complaint deadline"
      {
        Close
      }
    }
  { SlotParam "Payment deadline"
  {
    Close
  }
}
```

2. Buyer Deposits Funds into Seller's Account






Example Output of Transaction Command



Percentages relative to the maximum allowed by the protocol parameters are shown.

Transaction Details

| | |
|------------------|--|
| Transaction Hash | 3f2cc8ec9e98ea4dbaebab7d1bf37915812de0d1193e7553cf18c8f91a15daf7  |
| Block | 3207639 |
| Assurance | <div>High</div> 35342 Confirmations |
| Epoch/Slot | 178 / 346957 |
| Timestamp | 01/03/2022 1:42:53 PM 13 days ago |
| Total Fees | 1.317104  |
| Certificates | 0 |
| Total Output | 2,958.038060  |

| | | |
|-------|---------------|----------------|
| UTXOs | Contracts (1) | Collateral (1) |
|-------|---------------|----------------|

Contract

addr_test1wrne597ectcpfjrl3azk4ag9adc47wy8ft4ccxat0q2zurq2fsdj

Redeemer

Tag SP

Data 9fd8799fd8799fd87a9fd424642ffd87a9fd42544dfffd8799fd4040ff1a0fd424000ffffff Mem 5237756

Steps 1898639171

| | |
|------------|--|
| Datum Hash | bbec0127a601e5b1735a59fb50d058bf84617ec1a3a49514717f17a1b107d364 |
|------------|--|

Datum

[illegible]

Contract Bytecode

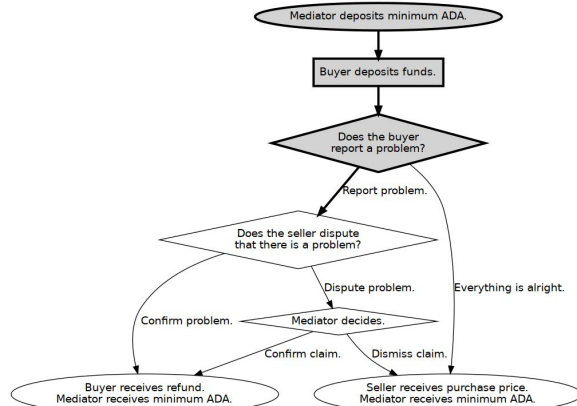
Datum Hash

[illegible]

3. The Buyer Reports That There is a Problem

Input

- The buyer Thomas Middleton uses their role token to make choice #1 of “Report problem”.



| Party | In Contract | At Payout |
|-------------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| Francis Beaumont, seller | 0 ADA ↓ | 0 ADA |
| Thomas Middleton, buyer | 256 ADA | 0 ADA |
| Christopher Marlowe, mediator | 3 ADA | 0 ADA |

Remaining Contract

```
When
{
  Case (Deposit (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") ada 256)
  {
    When
    {
      Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Everything is alright" (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") [Bound 0 0]))
      Close
      , Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Report problem" (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") [Bound 1 1]))
      {
        Pay (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") (Account (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") ada 256 )
        {
          When
          {
            Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Confirm problem" (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") [Bound 1 1]))
            Close
            , Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Dispute problem" (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") [Bound 0 0]))
            {
              When
              {
                Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Dismiss claim" (Role "Christopher Marlowe (the mediator)") [Bound 0 0]))
                {
                  Pay (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") (Account (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") ada 256 )
                  Close
                }
                , Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Confirm claim" (Role "Christopher Marlowe (the mediator)") [Bound 1 1]))
                Close
              }
              (SlotParam "Mediation deadline")
              Close
            }
          }
          (SlotParam "Dispute deadline")
          Close
        }
      }
      (SlotParam "Complaint deadline")
      Close
    }
  }
  (SlotParam "Payment deadline")
  Close
}
```

3. The Buyer Reports That There is a Problem

```
marlowe-cli run prepare --marlowe-file tx-2.marlowe
                        --choice-name "Report problem"
                        --choice-party "Role=$BUYER_ROLE"
                        --choice-number 1
                        --invalid-before "$TIP"
                        --invalid-hereafter "$((TIP+4*3600))"
                        --out-file tx-3.marlowe
                        --print-stats
```

*The buyer's choice is
numbered 1.*

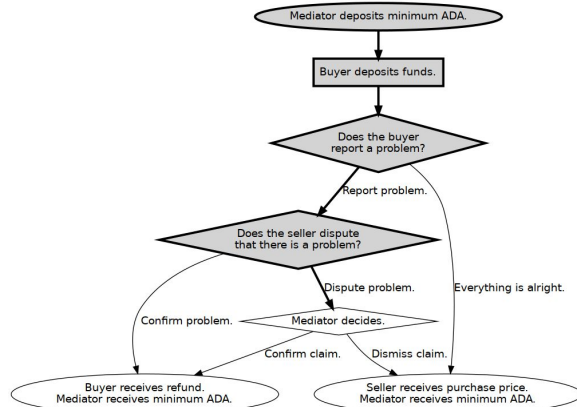
*The buyer makes the
choice named
"Report problem".*

```
marlowe-cli run execute --testnet 1097911063
                        --socket-path "$CARDANO_NODE_SOCKET_PATH"
                        --marlowe-in-file tx-2.marlowe
                        --tx-in-marlowe "$TX_2"#1
                        --tx-in-collateral "$TX_2"#0
                        --tx-in "$TX_2"#0
                        --tx-in "$TX_2"#2
                        --required-signer "$BUYER_PAYMENT_SKEY"
                        --marlowe-out-file tx-3.marlowe
                        --tx-out "$BUYER_ADDRESS+$MINIMUM_ADA+1 $BUYER_TOKEN"
                        --change-address "$BUYER_ADDRESS"
                        --out-file tx-3.raw
                        --print-stats
                        --submit=600
```

4. The Seller Disputes that There is a Problem

Input

- The seller Francis Beaumont uses their role token to make choice #0 of “Dispute problem”.



| Party | In Contract | At Payout |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| <i>Francis Beaumont, seller</i> | 0 ADA | 0 ADA |
| <i>Thomas Middleton, buyer</i> | 256 ADA | 0 ADA |
| <i>Christopher Marlowe, mediator</i> | 3 ADA | 0 ADA |

Remaining Contract

```
When
{
  Case (Deposit (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") ada 256)
  {
    When
    {
      Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Everything is alright" (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") [Bound 0 0])
      {
        Close
      }
      , Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Report problem" (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") [Bound 1 1])
      {
        { Pay (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") (Account (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") ada 256 )
        {
          When
          {
            Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Confirm problem" (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") [Bound 1 1])
            {
              Close
            }
            , Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Dispute problem" (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") [Bound 0 0])
            {
              When
              {
                Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Dismiss claim" (Role "Christopher Marlowe (the mediator)") [Bound 0 0])
                {
                  { Pay (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") (Account (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") ada 256 )
                  {
                    Close
                  }
                  , Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Confirm claim" (Role "Christopher Marlowe (the mediator)") [Bound 1 1])
                  {
                    {SlotParam "Mediation deadline")
                    Close
                  }
                }
              }
            }
          }
        }
      }
    }
  }
  {SlotParam "Dispute deadline")
  Close
}
{SlotParam "Complaint deadline")
Close
}
}
{SlotParam "Payment deadline")
Close
}
```

4. The Seller Disputes that There is a Problem

```
marlowe-cli run prepare --marlowe-file tx-3.marlowe \
--choice-name "Dispute problem" \
--choice-party "Role=$SELLER_ROLE" \
--choice-number 0 \
--invalid-before "$TIP" \
--invalid-hereafter "$((TIP+4*3600))" \
--out-file tx-4.marlowe \
--print-stats
```

*The seller's choice is
numbered 0.*

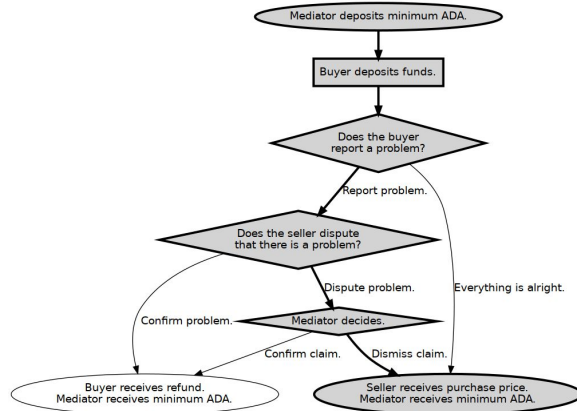
*The seller makes the
choice named
"Dispute problem".*

```
marlowe-cli run execute --testnet 1097911063 \
--socket-path "$CARDANO_NODE_SOCKET_PATH" \
--marlowe-in-file tx-3.marlowe \
--tx-in-marlowe "$TX 3"#1 \
--tx-in-collateral "$TX 0 SELLER_ADA" \
--tx-in "$TX 0 SELLER_ADA" \
--tx-in "$TX 0 SELLER_TOKEN" \
--required-signer "$SELLER_PAYMENT_SKEY" \
--marlowe-out-file tx-4.marlowe \
--tx-out "$SELLER_ADDRESS+$MINIMUM_ADA+1 $SELLER_TOKEN" \
--change-address "$SELLER_ADDRESS" \
--out-file tx-4.raw \
--print-stats \
--submit=600
```


5. The Mediator Dismisses the Claim

Input

- The mediator Christopher Marlowe uses their role token to make choice #0 of “Dismiss claim”.



| Party | In Contract | At Payout |
|-------------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| Francis Beaumont, seller | 0 ADA | 256 ADA |
| Thomas Middleton, buyer | 0 ADA | 0 ADA |
| Christopher Marlowe, mediator | 0 ADA | 3 ADA |

Remaining Contract

```
When
{
  Case (Deposit (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") ada 256)
  {
    When
    {
      Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Everything is alright" (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") [Bound 0 0])
      {
        Close
      }
      , Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Report problem" (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") [Bound 1 1])
      {
        { Pay (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") (Account (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") ada 256 )
        {
          When
          {
            Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Confirm problem" (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") [Bound 1 1])
            {
              Close
            }
            , Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Dispute problem" (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") [Bound 0 0])
            {
              When
              {
                Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Dismiss claim" (Role "Christopher Marlowe (the mediator)") [Bound 0 0])
                {
                  { Pay (Role "Thomas Middleton (the buyer)") (Account (Role "Francis Beaumont (the seller)") ada 256 )
                  {
                    Close
                  }
                  , Case (Choice (ChoiceId "Confirm claim" (Role "Christopher Marlowe (the mediator)") [Bound 1 1])
                  {
                    Close
                  }
                }
                (SlotParam "Mediation deadline")
                Close
              }
            }
          }
          (SlotParam "Dispute deadline")
          Close
        }
      }
      (SlotParam "Complaint deadline")
      Close
    }
  }
  (SlotParam "Payment deadline")
  Close
}
```

5. The Mediator Dismisses the Claim

```
marlowe-cli run prepare --marlowe-file tx-4.marlowe
                        --choice-name "Dismiss claim"
                        --choice-party "Role=$MEDIATOR_ROLE"
                        --choice-number 0
                        --invalid-before "$TIP"
                        --invalid-hereafter "$((TIP+4*3600))"
                        --out-file tx-5.marlowe
                        --print-stats
```

*The mediator's choice
is numbered 0.*

*The mediator makes
the choice named
"Dismiss claim".*

```
marlowe-cli run execute --testnet 1097911063
                        --socket-path "$CARDANO_NODE_SOCKET_PATH"
                        --marlowe-in-file tx-4.marlowe
                        --tx-in-marlowe "$TX_4"#1
                        --tx-in-collateral "$TX_1"#0
                        --tx-in "$TX_1"#0
                        --tx-in "$TX_0_MEDIATOR_TOKEN"
                        --required-signer "$MEDIATOR_PAYMENT_SKEY"
                        --marlowe-out-file tx-5.marlowe
                        --tx-out "$MEDIATOR_ADDRESS+$MINIMUM_ADA+1 $MEDIATOR_TOKEN"
                        --change-address "$MEDIATOR_ADDRESS"
                        --out-file tx-5.raw
                        --print-stats
                        --submit=600
```

6. The Seller Withdraws Their Funds

Input

- The seller Francis Beaumont uses their role token to withdraw 256 ADA from the payout script.

| Party | In Contract | At Payout |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| <i>Francis Beaumont, seller</i> ← | 0 ADA | 0 ADA |
| <i>Thomas Middleton, buyer</i> | 0 ADA | 0 ADA |
| <i>Christopher Marlowe, mediator</i> | 0 ADA | 3 ADA |

6. The Seller Withdraws Their Funds

```
marlowe-cli run withdraw --testnet 1097911063 \
--socket-path "$CARDANO_NODE_SOCKET_PATH" \
--marlowe-file tx-5.marlowe \
--role-name "$SELLER_ROLE" \
--tx-in "$TX_4"#0 \
--tx-in "$TX_4"#2 \
--tx-in-collateral "$TX_4"#0 \
--required-signer "$SELLER_PAYMENT_SKEY" \
--tx-out "$SELLER_ADDRESS+$MINIMUM_ADA+1 $SELLER_TOKEN" \
--change-address "$SELLER_ADDRESS" \
--out-file tx-6.raw \
--print-stats \
--submit=600
```

The seller is making the withdrawal.

The seller identifies themselves using their role token.

The seller receives all of the funds belonging to them.

The seller receives their role token back.

7. The Mediator Withdraws Their Funds

Input

- The mediator Christopher Marlowe uses their role token to withdraw their 3 ADA from the payout script.

| Party | In Contract | At Payout |
|--|-------------|-----------|
| <i>Francis Beaumont, seller</i> | 0 ADA | 0 ADA |
| <i>Thomas Middleton, buyer</i> | 0 ADA | 0 ADA |
| <i>Christopher Marlowe, mediator</i> ← | 0 ADA | 0 ADA |

7. The Mediator Withdraws Their Funds

```
marlowe-cli run withdraw --testnet 1097911063
--socket-path "$CARDANO_NODE_SOCKET_PATH"
--marlowe-file tx-5.marlowe
--role-name "$MEDIATOR_ROLE"
--tx-in "$TX_5"#0
--tx-in "$TX_5"#3
--tx-in-collateral "$TX_5"#0
--required-signer "$MEDIATOR_PAYMENT_SKEY"
--tx-out "$MEDIATOR_ADDRESS+$MINIMUM_ADA+1 $MEDIATOR_TOKEN"
--change-address "$MEDIATOR_ADDRESS"
--out-file tx-7.raw
--print-stats
--submit=600
```

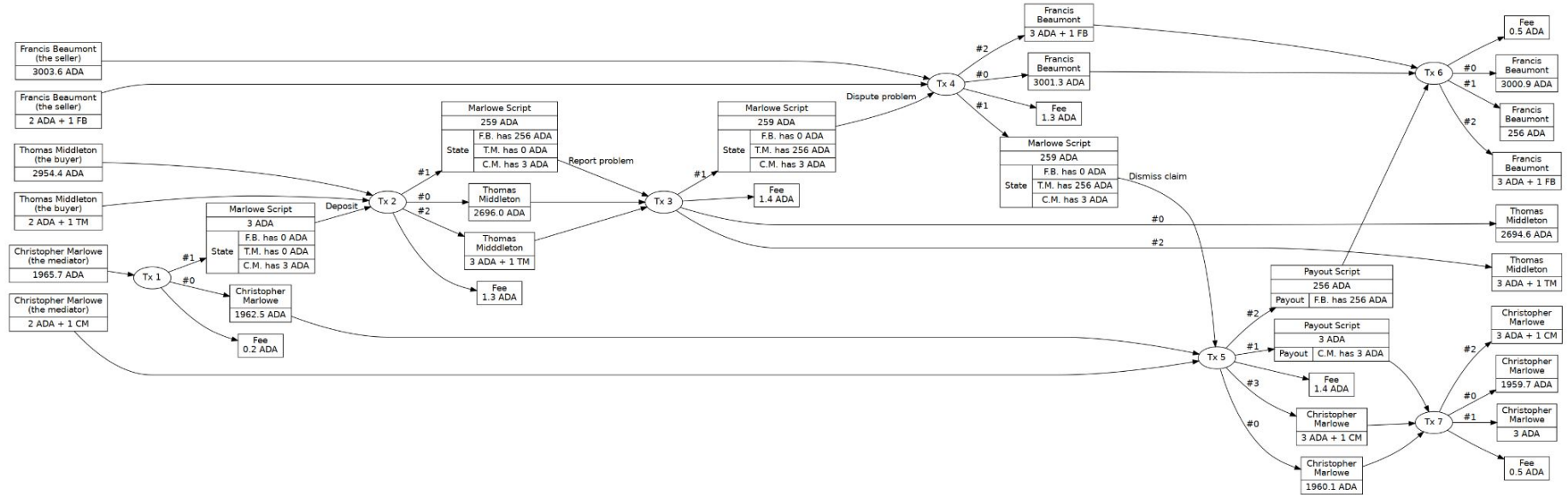
*The mediator is making
the withdrawal.*

*The mediator identifies
themselves using their role token.*

*The mediator receives
all of the funds
belonging to them.*

*The mediator receives
their role token back.*

Summary of Transactions



Boxes are UTXOs.
Ovals are transactions.
ADA values are rounded to one decimal place.

Prospects

- Marlowe CLI provides high- and low-level commands for running Marlowe contracts from the command line.
 - The high-level workflow hides details for scripts, datums, redeemers, and contracts.
 - The PAB (Plutus Application Backend) workflow mimics the operation of Marlowe Run.
 - The low-level workflow explicitly manipulates scripts, datums, redeemers, contracts, contract state, and inputs.
- This tool can be used for applications, testing, or debugging.
- Future work may include:
 - Merkleization of contracts to reduce contract size.
 - Querying contract history.
 - Management of role tokens.
 - More extensive tutorials.
- Further documentation and examples:
<https://github.com/input-output-hk/marlowe-cardano/blob/main/marlowe-cli/ReadMe.md>