

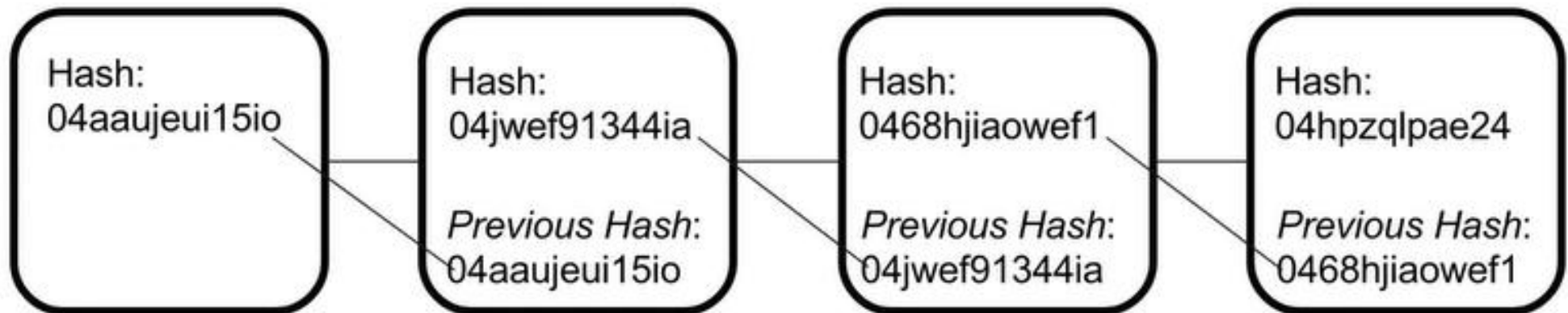


Block

- Timestamp in milliseconds.
- lastHash - the hash of the block before it.
- hash - based on its own data.
- The data to store.



Genesis Block





Block Hashes and SHA-256

- The hash is generated from the timestamp, lastHash, and stored data.
- We'll use an algorithm called SHA-256.
 - Produces a unique 32-byte (256 bit) hash value for unique data inputs.
 - One-way hash.
- Useful for block validation.