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1.1 `block.py`

Defines the Block structure

```
class block.Block(index, minerID, transactions, transaction_counter, timestamp, previous_hash,  
                  proof_of_work=0)  
    Class that handles the functions and defines the structure of Blocks in the Blockchain  
  
    compute_hash()  
        Computes Hash of the Block  
  
    get_transactions()  
        Returns list of transactions within this Block
```

1.2 `blockchain.py`

Module that handles the blockchain

```
class blockchain.Blockchain  
    Class that maintains the functions and structure of the Blockchain  
  
    add_transaction(transaction)  
        Adds a transaction to the list of pending transactions (mempool)  
  
    append_block(block, proof)  
        Appends a block to the chain after verifying it's validity  
  
    classmethod check_validity(chain)  
        Checks whether the current chain is valid or not  
  
    create_naked_block(_minerID)  
        Create a block without valid nonce  
  
    create_origin_block()  
        The block has empty list of transactions The block has 0 as a value for index, previous_hash,  
        proof_of_work
```

difficultyPattern = '000'
difficulty level of the Proof of Work shows the pattern with which each hash has to start with

find_image (*imageId*)
Checks whether the blockchain contains image with imageId if exists, returns image's decoded ascii value, otherwise -1

classmethod is_proof_valid (*block, block_hash*)
Checks whether the hash value of a block is valid and satisfies the difficulty pattern or not

pending_transactions ()
Checks whether there are pending transactions or not

previous_block ()
Returns the previous block of the chain

static proof_of_work (*block*)
Finds a value for proof_of_work which produces a hash that satisfies the difficulty pattern

blockchain.consensus_mechanism (*_chain, _connected_nodes*)
Consensus mechanism to make sure that the nodes in the network always have the longest (valid) chain

A basic algorithm which sends /get_chain requests to all other connected nodes in the network. If a longer chain is found, current node's chain is replaced in order to keep the blockchain up-to-date

blockchain.construct_chain_again (*json_chain*)
A function which builds chain and transactions structure from the json data

1.3 validation.py

Module that validates block transactions

exception validation.BlockException (*transactionExceptions=[]*)
Exception that is raised when TransactionExceptions occur when validating a Block

exception validation.MemeFormatHasPendingSaleOfferException (*memeFormatID, transactionID*)
Exception raised when a node tries to add an Ownership Sale offer when their previous offer for the same MemeFormat is still pending, and has no buyer.

exception validation.MemeFormatNotFoundException (*memeFormatID, transactionID*)
Exception raised when the specified MemeFormat is not found in node_state

exception validation.MemeFormatNotOwnedByNodeException (*nodeID, memeFormatID, transactionID*)
Exception raised when a node attempts to sell ownership to a MemeFormat that it does not own

exception validation.MemeNotFoundException (*memeID, transactionID*)
Exception raised when the specified Meme is not found in node_state

exception validation.NodeNotFoundException (*nodeID, transactionID*)
Exception raised when the specified Node is not found in node_state

exception validation.OwnershipPurchaseFailedNoCreditsException (*nodeID, memeFormatID, transactionID, message*)
Exception raised when OwnershipPurchase fails due to the buyer not having enough credits

exception `validation.OwnershipSaleAmountNotPositiveException` (*ownershipSaleOfferID*,
saleAmount, *trans-*
actionID)

Exception raised when OwnershipSaleOffer amount is non-positive

exception `validation.OwnershipSaleOfferAlreadyAcceptedException` (*ownershipSaleOfferID*,
nodeID,
blockID, *trans-*
actionID)

Exception raised when node attempts to buy ownership based on a ownership sale offer that was already accepted

exception `validation.OwnershipSaleOfferNotFoundException` (*ownershipSaleOfferID*,
transactionID)

Exception raised when Ownership Sale Offer is not found in node_state

exception `validation.TransactionException` (*transactionID*, *message*)

Exception raised when an exception occurs validating a transaction

exception `validation.UpvoteFailedNoCreditsException` (*nodeID*, *transactionID*, *mes-*
sage)

Exception raised when Upvote transaction fails to proceed due to the upvoter not having enough credits.

`validation.apply_block` (*block*, *commit=False*)

Try to update node_state based on all the transactions in the block. If commit is False, then it will revert node_state, else it will commit node_state

`validation.apply_memeFormat_transaction` (*transaction_data*, *block_ID*, *miner_ID*,
just_validate=True)

Update node_state based on a memeFormat transaction

`validation.apply_meme_transaction` (*transaction_data*, *block_ID*, *miner_ID*,
just_validate=False)

Update node_state based on a meme transaction

`validation.apply_ownership_purchase_transaction` (*transaction_data*, *block_ID*, *miner_ID*,
just_validate=False)

Update node_state based on a ownership purchase transaction

`validation.apply_ownership_sale_offer_transaction` (*transaction_data*, *block_ID*,
miner_ID, *just_validate=False*)

Update node_state based on a ownership sale offer transaction

`validation.apply_transaction` (*transaction_data*, *block_ID*, *miner_ID*, *just_validate=False*)

Update node_state based on transaction_data

`validation.apply_upvote_transaction` (*transaction_data*, *block_ID*, *miner_ID*,
just_validate=False)

Update node_state based on a memeFormat transaction

1.4 node_state.py

Module that keeps track of state such as wallet amounts of Nodes for making validation of transactions easy

`node_state.BUY_TRANSACTION_MINER_REWARD = Decimal('0.05')`

Percentage, (in the form of a fraction) of the successful sale of ownership credited to the miner of the Buy transaction

`node_state.MEME_FORMAT_MINER_REWARD = Decimal('0.10')`

Percentage, (in the form of a fraction) of upvote credits rewarded to the miner who mined to MemeFormat.

```
node_state.MEME_FORMAT_OWNER_PORTION = Decimal('0.30')
    Percentage, (in the form of a fraction) of upvote credits claimed by meme owner.

node_state.MEME_MINER_PORTION = Decimal('0.10')
    Percentage, (in the form of a fraction) of upvote credits claimed by node that mined the meme.

node_state.MEME_POSTER_PORTION = Decimal('0.60')
    Percentage, (in the form of a fraction) of upvote credits claimed by node that posted meme.

class node_state.Meme(ID, title, meme_format, binary, poster_ID, block_ID, miner_ID, extension='jpg')
    Class that handles all functions pertaining to maintaining state of a Meme.

    __init__ (ID, title, meme_format, binary, poster_ID, block_ID, miner_ID, extension='jpg')
        ID : Uniquely identifiable ID for the Meme

        title : Some string Title for the Meme

        meme_format : ID of the meme_format

        binary : binary bits of the meme

        poster_ID : ID of node that posted meme

        block_ID : ID of block which contains the transaction posting the meme

        miner_ID : ID of miner node who created the block with block_ID

    __repr__ ()
        Return repr(self).

    add_upvote (upvote_ID)
        Add upvote to the Meme

    reward_upvoters (block_ID)
        Reward upvoters who upvoted before block block_ID. All upvotes in the block should already be added
        using Meme.add_upvote

class node_state.MemeFormat (ID, name, description, binary, owner, miner)
    Class that handles all functions pertaining to maintaining state of a MemeFormat.

    __init__ (ID, name, description, binary, owner, miner)
        ID : Uniquely Identifiable ID for the MemeFormat

        name : Any Display Name for the MemeFormat

        description : Some textual description of the MemeFormat

        binary : binary data of a meme example, possible related to the description

        owner : ID(s) of the node(s) that own the MemeFormat

        miner : ID(s) of the node that mined the MemeFormat

    __repr__ ()
        Return repr(self).

    add_meme (meme_ID)
        Add meme to MemeFormat

    add_ownership_sale_offer (ownershipSaleOfferID)
        Add Ownership Sale Offer to MemeFormat

class node_state.Node (ID, credits)
    Class that handles all functions pertaining to maintaining state of a Node.
```



```

__init__(ID, credits)
    Initialize self. See help(type(self)) for accurate signature.

__repr__()
    Return repr(self).

add_meme(meme_ID)
    Add a meme to the node

add_meme_format(meme_format_ID)
    Add a Meme format to the Node ownership : percentage of ownership of meme_format

add_upvote(upvote_ID)
    Add an upvote to the node

class node_state.OwnershipSaleOffer(ownershipSaleOfferID, sellerID, memeFormatID, sell-
                                   BlockID, sellBlockMinerID, amount=0)
    Class that handles methods pertaining to OwnershipSaleOffer

    __init__(ownershipSaleOfferID, sellerID, memeFormatID, sellBlockID, sellBlockMinerID,
              amount=0)
        Initialize self. See help(type(self)) for accurate signature.

    __repr__()
        Return repr(self).

    buy(buyerID, buyBlockID, buyBlockMinerID, discredit_only=False)
        Method that handles the buying of Ownership based on the ownership Sale offer

node_state.SELL_TRANSACTION_MINER_REWARD = Decimal('0.05')
    Percentage, (in the form of a fraction) of the successful sale of ownership credited to the miner of the Sell
    transaction

node_state.UPVOTE_MINER_REWARD = Decimal('0.10')
    Percentage, (in the form of a fraction) of upvote credits rewarded to miner who mined the upvote.

node_state.UPVOTE_REWARD = Decimal('0.10')
    Percentage, (in the form of a fraction) of upvote credits rewarded to upvoters from previous block.

class node_state.Upvote(ID, meme_ID, upvoter_ID, block_ID, miner_ID, credits=1, dis-
                        credit_only=False)
    Class that handles all the functions pertaining to maintaining state of an Upvote

    __init__(ID, meme_ID, upvoter_ID, block_ID, miner_ID, credits=1, discredit_only=False)
        Initializes the upvote and transfers appropriate credits to meme poster, MemeFormat owner. Also rewards
        the UpvoteMiner, MemeMiner, MemeFormatMiner

    __repr__()
        Return repr(self).

node_state.backup_state()
    Create backup of node_state

node_state.commit_state()
    Commit node_state

node_state.fresh_state()
    Create a fresh empty node_state

node_state.revert_state()
    Revert node_state to backup

```

1.5 wallet.py

Module that handles operations relating to a node's wallet

exception `wallet.NotEnoughCreditsException (wallet_ID, current_amount, dis-credit_amount)`

Exception raised when a wallet does not have enough credits for discredit operation.

class `wallet.Wallet (ID, credits=0)`

Class that handles all functions pertaining to a node's crypto wallet. Objects of this class are never transmitted, but stored locally for ease of validating transactions and blocks.

credit_amount (*credits*)

Use this function to credit the wallet with a certain amount of credits

discredit_amount (*credits*)

Use this function to discredit the wallet with a certain amount of credits

1.6 atomic.py

Module that makes allows for changing the instance variables of multiple objects in one psuedo *atomic* operation.

class `atomic.Atomic`

Class that implements the psuedo 'atomic' operations of objects

commit ()

Commit state of object's instance variables into the `__var_backup__`

revert ()

Revert state of object's instance variables to values stored in the `__var_backup__`

`atomic.commit` ()

Commit all objects currently tracked by the `__initialized_objects__` list

`atomic.revert` ()

Revert all objects currently tracked by the `__initialized_objects__` list

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