

Read map:

Bitcoin Protocol  
(blockchain networks)

Q. Introduction

- technology and design = decentralized digital currency
- something about economics, but not crypto stock market.
- history
  - 1997 hashcash by Chaum } centralized
  - 1998 B-money by Dai }
  - 2008 Bitcoin by group of people - decentralized

1. Network model - Byzantine environment

2. from centralized DC to decentralized DC.

3. Blockchain network

4. Blockchain (data structure)

5. Proof of Work

6. Incentives and economics

① Byzantine Generals Problem  $\rightarrow$  Byzantine Environment  
In distributed system nodes deviate from their expected behavior.

○ - honest nodes

⊗ - faulty: power problem, bug in software, ...

☹ - malicious nodes toward gain

☹☹ - malicious nodes toward disturbing

⚡ - fail to deliver, duplicate, delay, out of order

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Practical Byzantine Fault Tolerance Consensus Algorithm

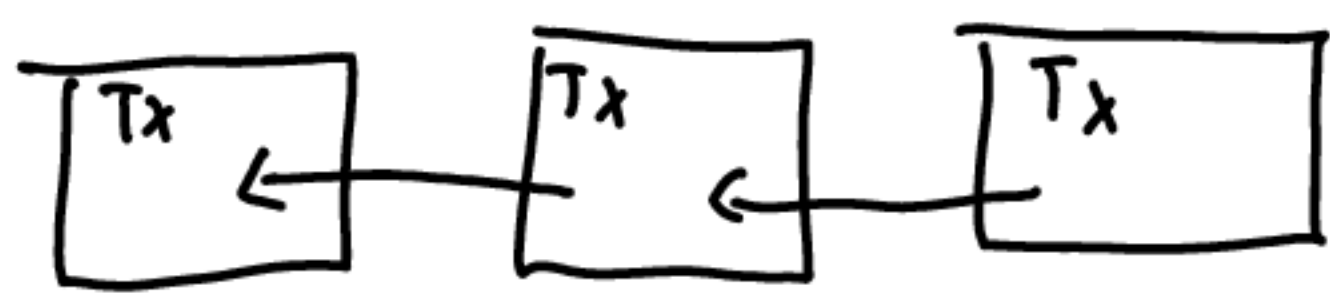
$$t < \left\lfloor \frac{n-1}{3} \right\rfloor$$

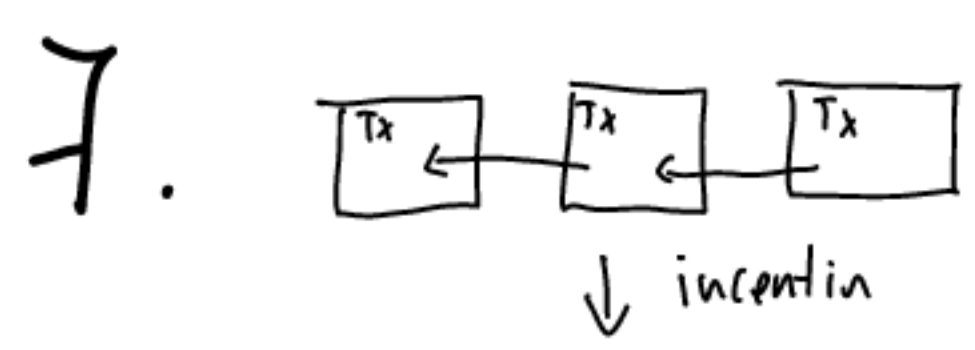
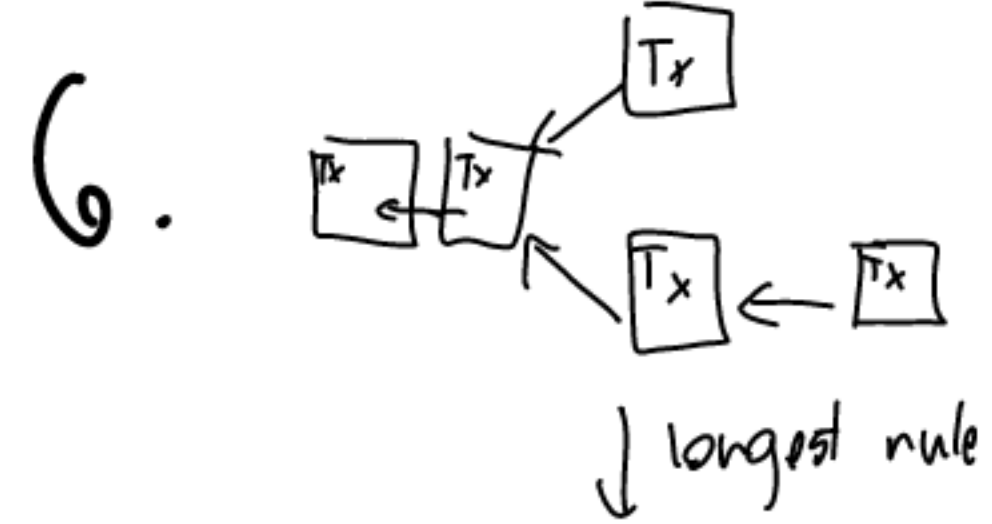
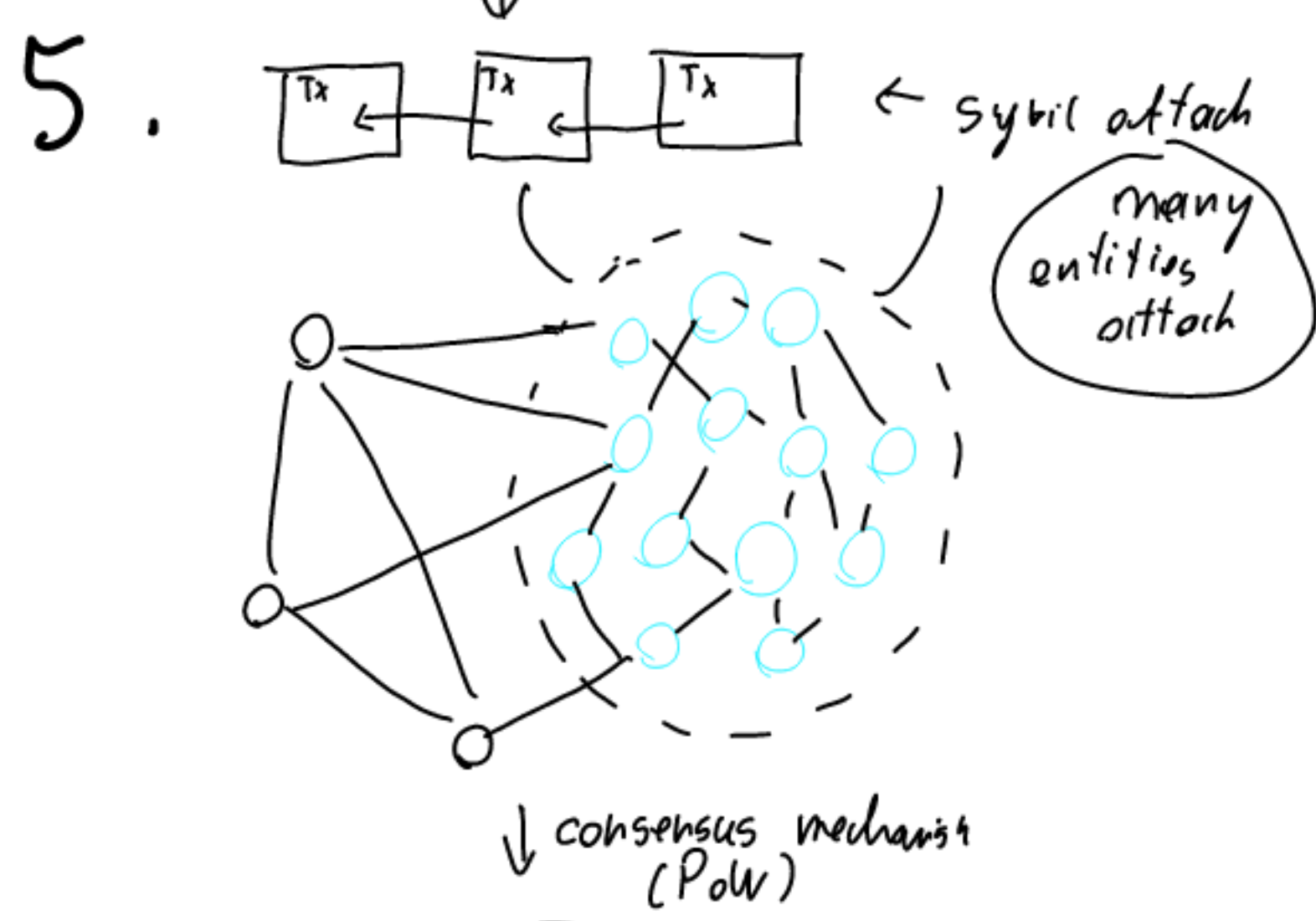
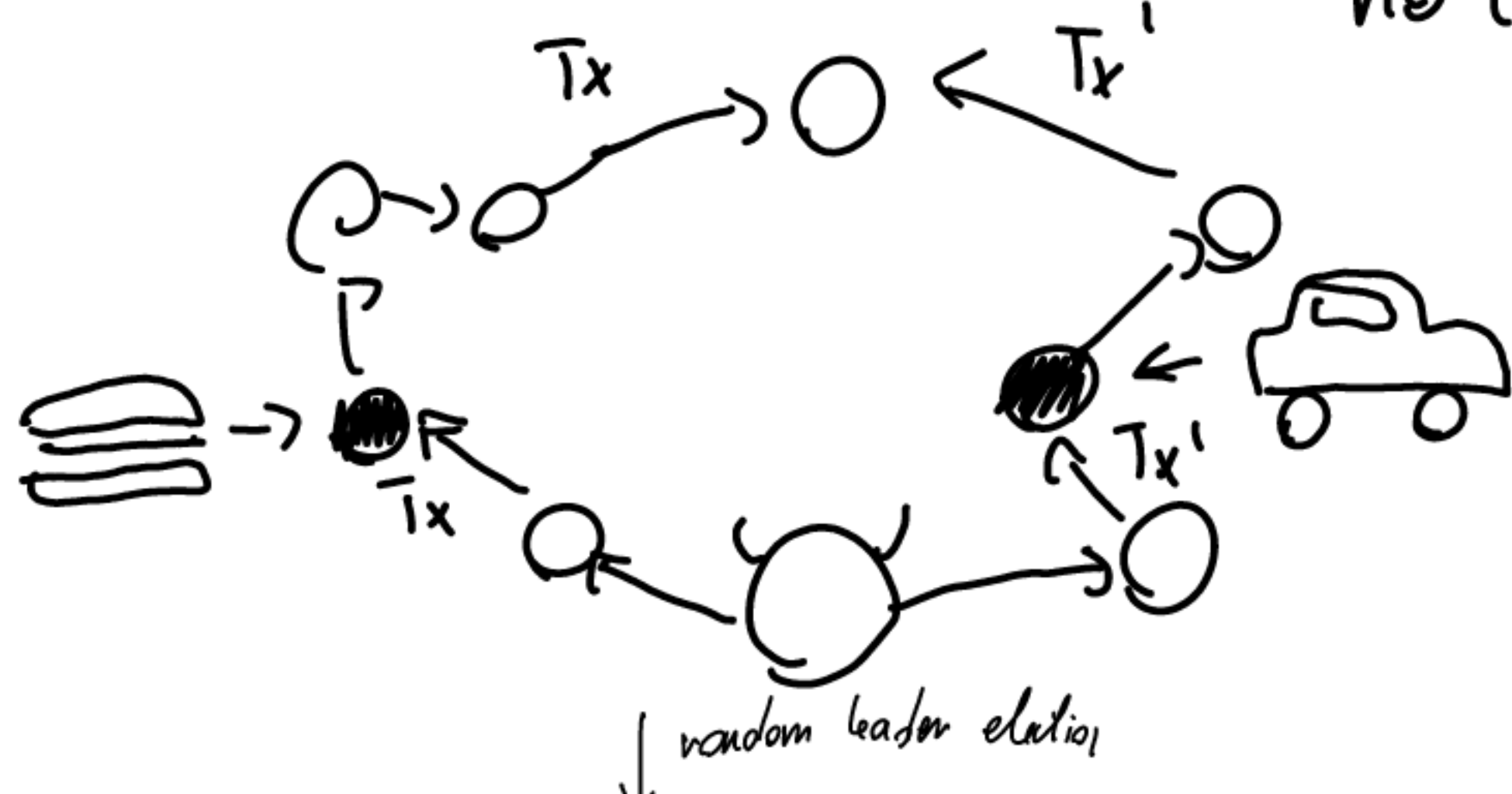
$n$  - total nodes  
 $t$  - byzantine nodes

only for permissioned systems

②

- Centralized:
1. "Alice sends a coin to Bob" - all attacks  
↓ PKI, DSA
  2. ("PK<sub>A</sub> sends a coin to PK<sub>B</sub>", G<sub>A</sub>) - replay  
↓ id coins  
we need id on coins
  3. ("PK<sub>A</sub> sends ID<sub>coin</sub> to PK<sub>B</sub>", G<sub>A</sub>)

Decentralized: 4.  - double spending  
no central authority



8. Bitcoin

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## Blockchain network architecture;

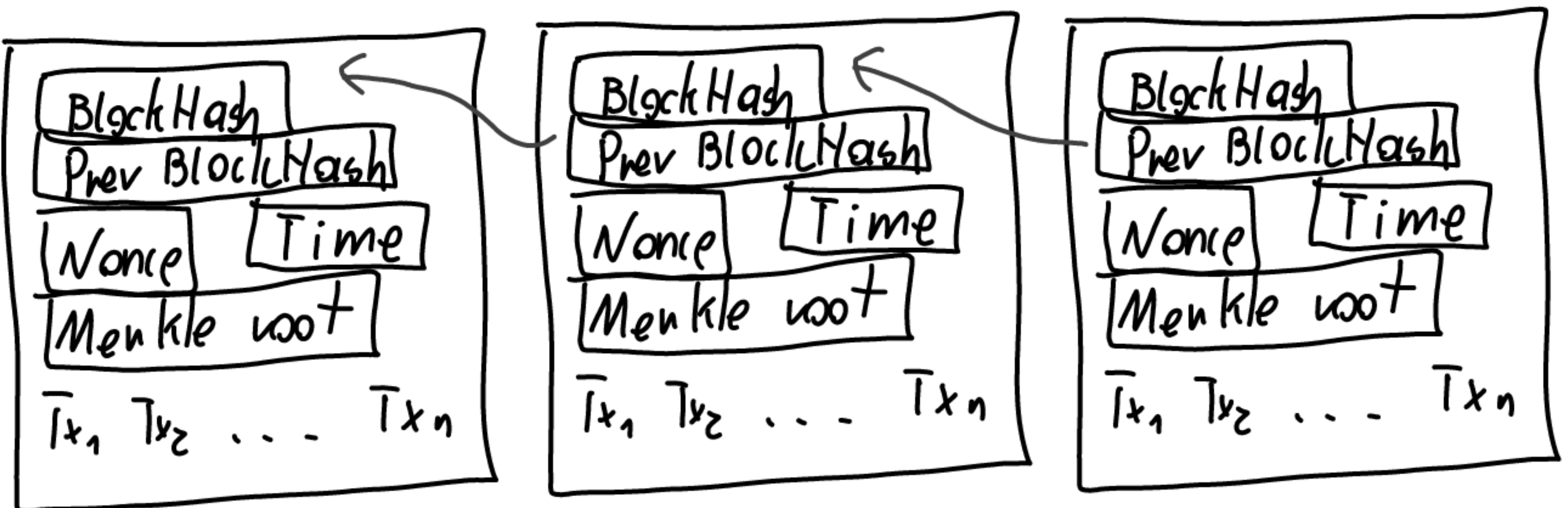
- Application layer - Cryptocurrencies, distributed Apps (Ethereum)
- Global State Machine layer - Services provided by distributed nodes (VMs)
- Consensus Mechanism Layer - Byzantine Fault Tolerant Protocols
- Data and Network Organization Layer - Storage for Ledger Replica (Blockchain) and P2P Network protocols.



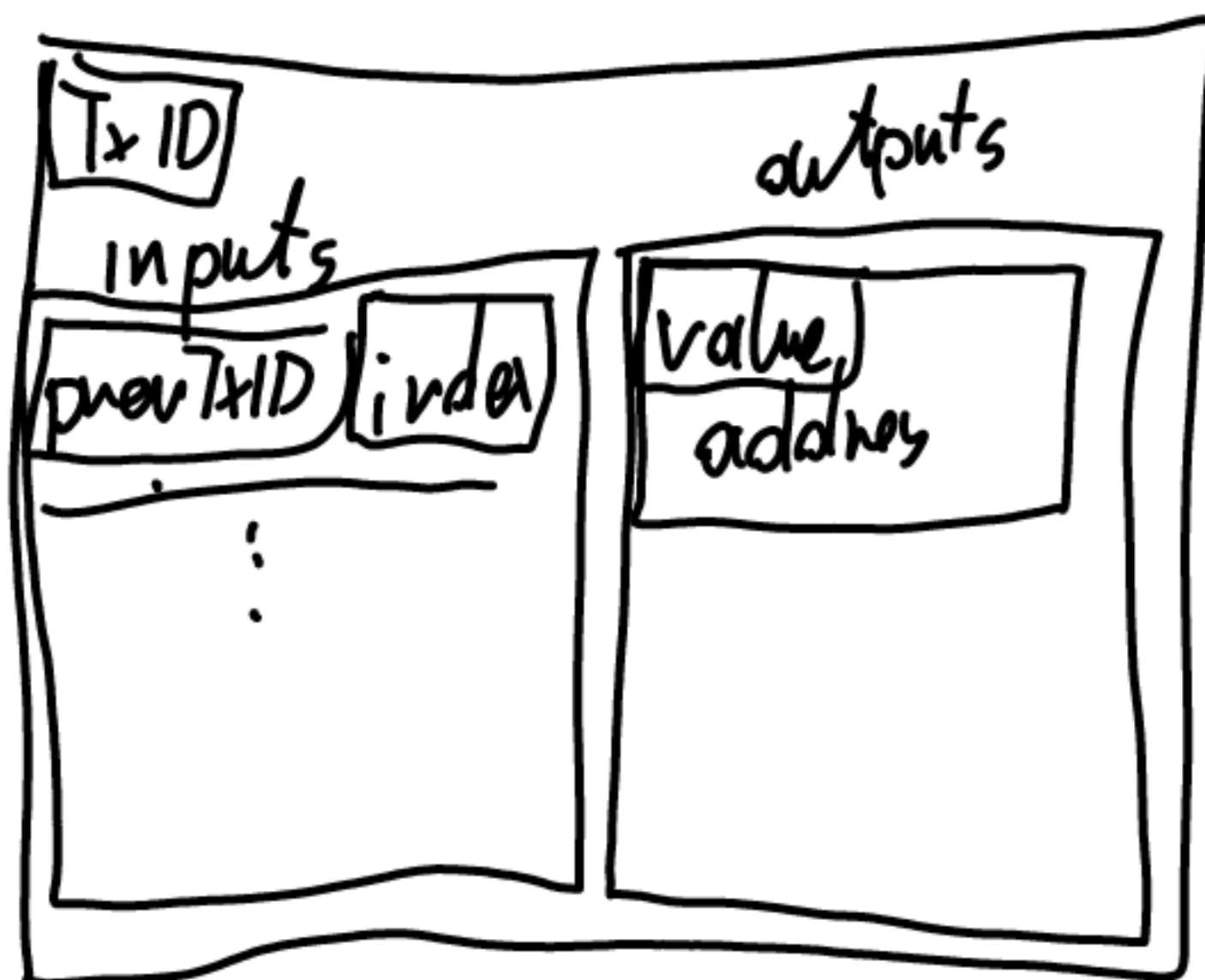
## ④ Blockchain data - structure

- linked-list
- order persistent
- + timestamping

### Block:



### Transaction:



- Unspent Transaction Output
- Spent Transaction Output
- change by making transaction to self

⑤ PoW

having resource is proof of existing.

consensus mechanism as weighted leader election

$$P_h[L=i] = \frac{w_i}{\sum_{j \in N} w_j}$$

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$$x = \text{str}(\text{block})$$

artificially increasing cost

$z = \text{difficulty level}$

$$D(n) = 2^{l-z}$$

, where  $l$  is hash length

then hash inverse problem is finding such  $r$  that

$$H(r || x) \leq D(z)$$

$z$  number of zeroes at hash

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$$T(\text{solution search}) = N$$

$$T(\text{validation}) = 1$$

$$\text{achieves } f \leq \left\lfloor \frac{n-1}{z} \right\rfloor$$

- ⑥ Incentive
- block reward
  - transaction fees.