

# Blockchain self-managed implementation on IBM z14 - Infrastructure Deployment Options and Demo

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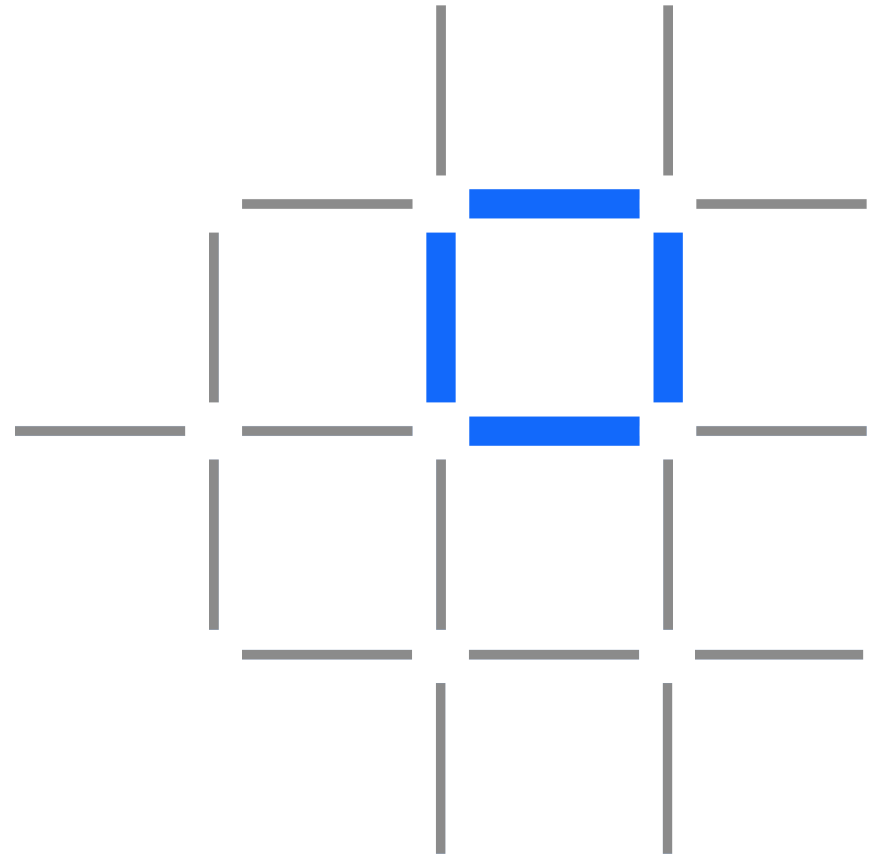
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# Blockchain Deployed

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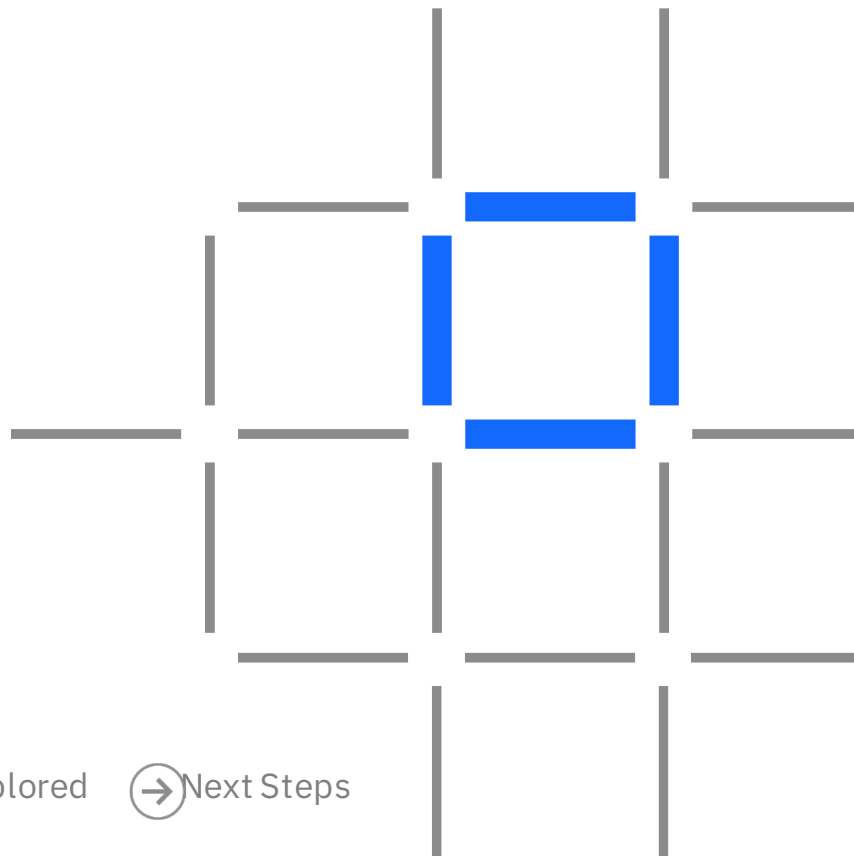
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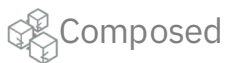
# Blockchain Explained

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## About this session

Blockchain based on Hyperledger Fabric offers a lot of possibilities in term of implementation.

Beyond the IBM Z infrastructure possible topologies (vertical, horizontal, mixed...) each node has an high level possible configuration thanks to side implementation that can bring added value to a Blockchain self-managed implementation.

Speaker will go through possible topologies and will illustrate his arguments thanks to a real demo implementation running on IBM z14.

Wednesday 15:15-16:15 Atlanta

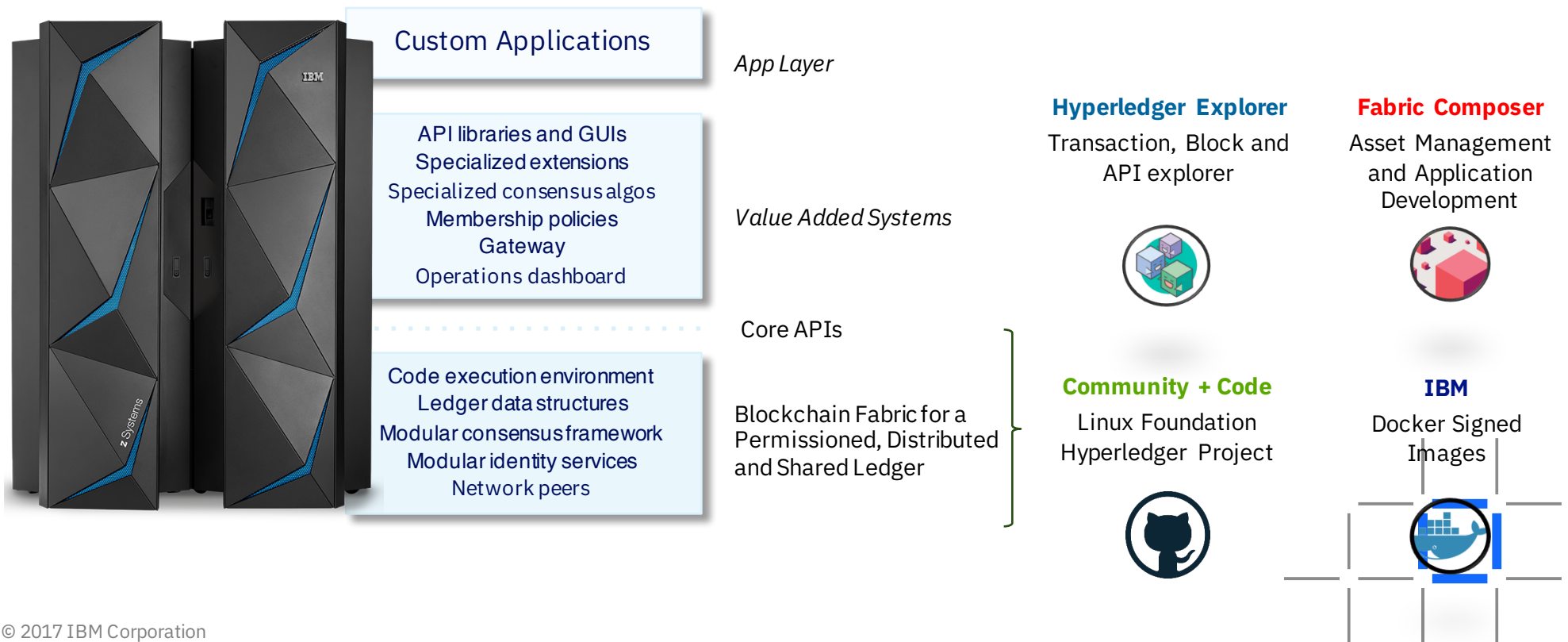
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## Agenda

Deployment options

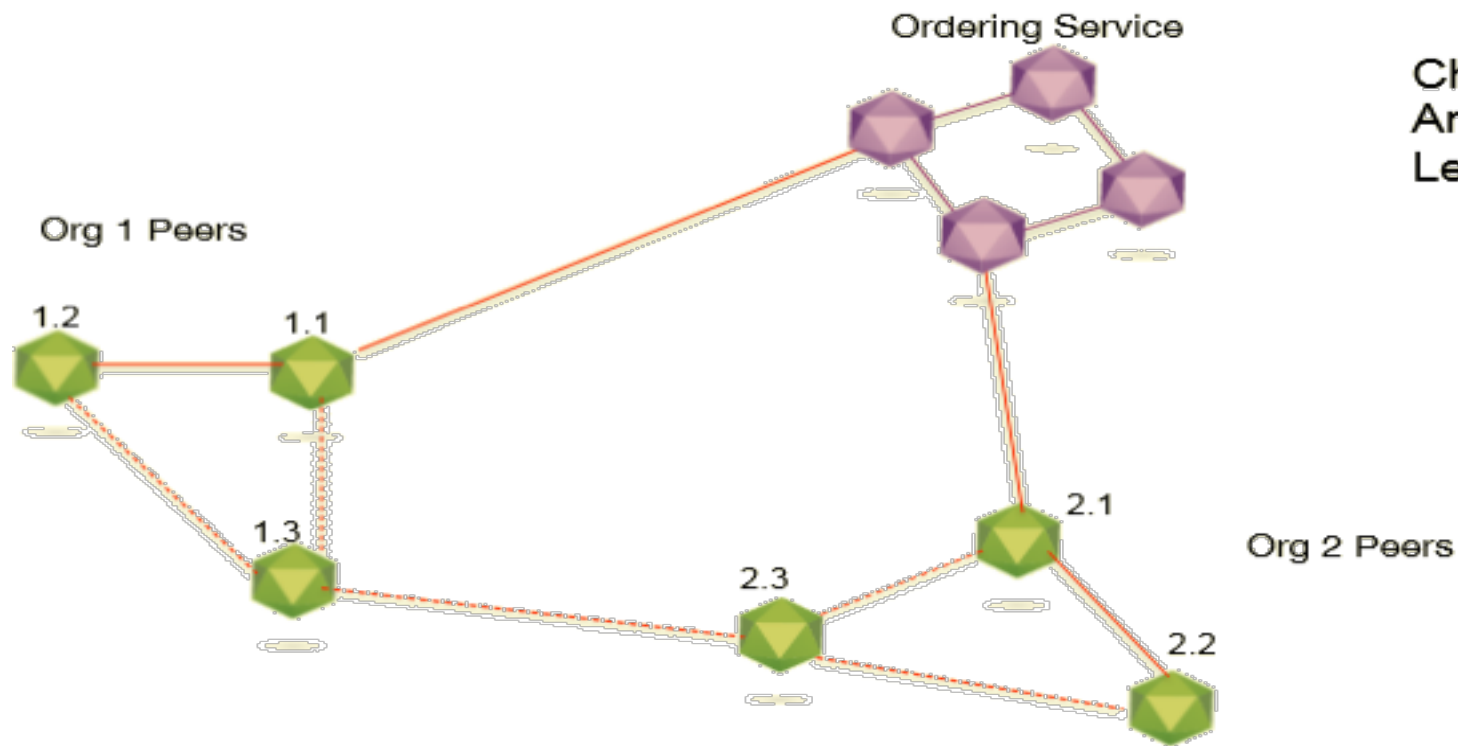
# Hyperledger Fabric

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# Objective: building a business network

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Chain1: 1.1, 1.2, 2.1, 2.2  
Anchors: 1.3, 2,3  
Leaders: 1.1, 2.1

# Infrastructure options

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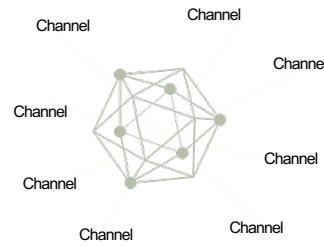
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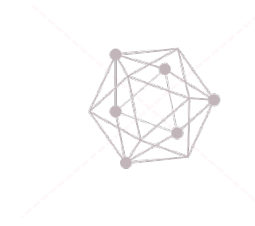
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Images



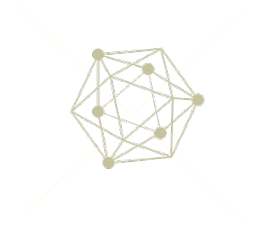
Client



Peer



Orderer



CA

Software Requirements

Programming

Container

Operating System

Linux

Virtualization Technology

Hypervisor

x86\_64, ppc64le, IBM Z



LPAR

KVM

SSC

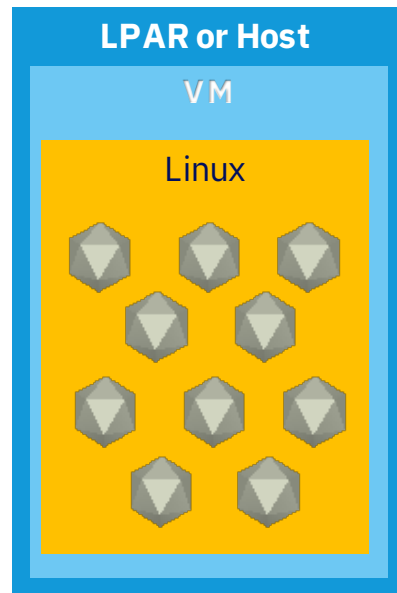
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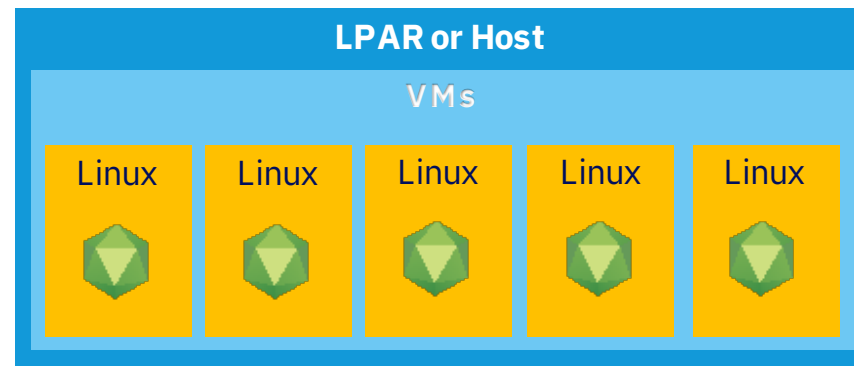


# Hyperledger Fabric topology options

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**Vertical Peer** topology with massive docker containers



**Horizontal Peer** topology with VMs

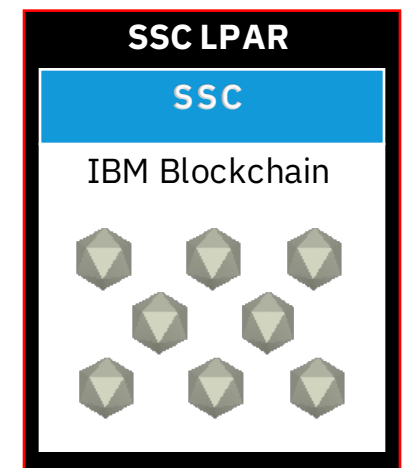


Docker Peer



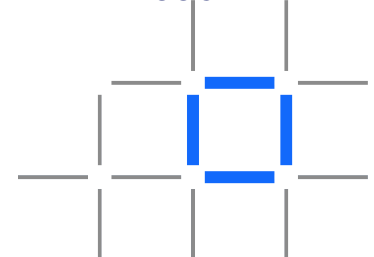
Linux Peer

**A peer is a peer.**  
**100% Compatibility between peers.**  
**Hybrid Topologies are possibles.**










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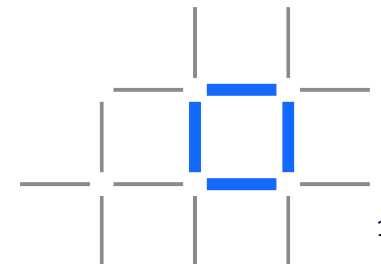
# Docker images

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- Tested



# Hyperledger Fabric components and options

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## Client

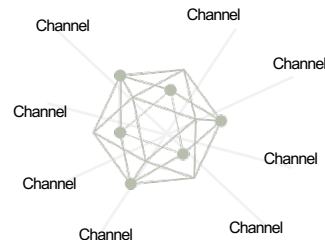


Authenticate users, and propose transactions to peers. Client uses a wallet to store digital identities.

### OPTIONS

- SDKs:
- NodeJS
  - Java
  - Go
  - Python
  - REST
  - ...

## Peer



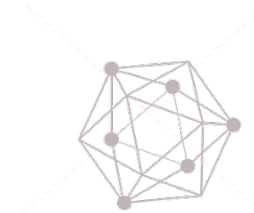
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Peers are connected to Channels.

### OPTIONS

- State Ledger:
- World state ledger (default golddb)
  - Pluggable worldstate ledger (CouchDB)

## Orderer



In charge of ordering transactions in blocks. It is in charge of running the consensus.

### OPTIONS

- Consensus:
- SOLO
  - KAFKA
  - Other alternatives to come (sBFT, PBFT...)

## CA



In charge of issuing digital identities across organizations.

### OPTIONS

- Key Store (Default SQLite3)
- Key Store (Alternative PostgreSQL)
- LDAP Integration
- HA
- ...
- Alternative with CryptoGen or existing PKI and CA

# Hyperledger Fabric Client application - options

## Client



Authenticate users, and propose transactions to peers. Client uses a wallet to store digital identities.

## OPTIONS

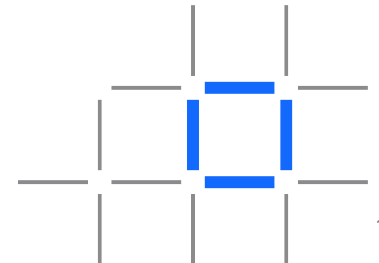
### SDKs:

- NodeJS
- Java
- Go
- Python
- REST
- ...

The screenshot shows the GitHub repository page for `hyperledger/fabric-sdk`. The page lists several SDKs for different languages, each with a star count and a description. The SDKs are:

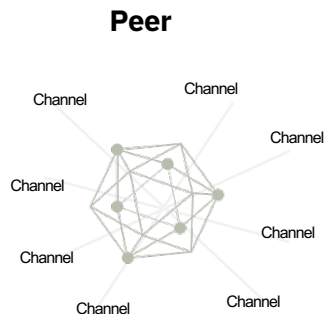
- `hyperledger/fabric-sdk-node` (JavaScript, 164 stars)
- `hyperledger/fabric-sdk-java` (Java, 132 stars)
- `hyperledger/fabric-sdk-go` (Go, 74 stars)
- `hyperledger/fabric-sdk-py` (Python, 49 stars)
- `hyperledger/fabric-sdk-rest` (JavaScript, 5 stars)

Each SDK entry includes a link to the repository, a description, and a list of tags (e.g., `fabric`, `node`, `blockchain`, `hyperledger`). The page also shows the license (Apache-2.0) and the last update date for each SDK.



# Hyperledger Fabric Peer – options

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In charge of running smart contracts and maintaining ledgers.

Peers are connected to Channels.

## OPTIONS

State Ledger:

- World state ledger (default golddb)
- Pluggable worldstate ledger (CouchDB)

```
[guigui@t460 ~]$ docker images | egrep 'peer|couch'
hyperledger/fabric-couchdb latest 2b623819e8a1 12 days ago 1.47GB
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hyperledger/fabric-peer latest 9a79041ee91e 12 days ago 154MB
hyperledger/fabric-peer x86_64-1.0.3 9a79041ee91e 12 days ago 154MB
[guigui@t460 ~]$
```

```
peer0:
  image: hyperledger/fabric-peer
  container_name: peer0
  hostname: peer0
  environment:
    - CORE_PEER_ID=peer0
    - CORE_PEER_ADDRESSAUTODETECT=true
    - CORE_LOGGING_LEVEL=DEBUG
    #- CORE_NEXT=true
    - CORE_PEER_ENDORSER_ENABLED=true
    - CORE_PEER_COMMITTER_ENABLED=true
    - CORE_PEER_PROFILE_ENABLED=false
    - CORE_LEDGER_STATE_STATEDATABASE=CouchDB
    - CORE_LEDGER_STATE_COUCHDBCONFIG_COUCHDBADDRESS=couchdb0:5984
    # The following setting skips the gossip handshake since we are
```

# Hyperledger Fabric Orderer – options

## Orderer



In charge of ordering transactions in blocks. It is in charge of running the consensus.

## OPTIONS

Consensus:

- SOLO
- KAFKA
- Other alternatives to come (sBFT, PBFT...)

```
[guigui@t460 ~]$ docker images | egrep 'orderer|kafka|zookeeper'
hyperledger/fabric-kafka      latest                22e7c6d193d5         12 days ago         1.29GB
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hyperledger/fabric-zookeeper  latest                f6aacbb782e3         12 days ago         1.3GB
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hyperledger/fabric-orderer    latest                3586e4fee7b1         12 days ago         151MB
hyperledger/fabric-orderer    x86_64-1.0.3         3586e4fee7b1         12 days ago         151MB
[guigui@t460 ~]$
```

```
#####
#
# SECTION: Orderer
#
# - This section defines the values to encode into a config transaction or
# genesis block for orderer related parameters
#
#####
Orderer: &OrdererDefaults

# Orderer Type: The orderer implementation to start
# Available types are "solo" and "kafka"
OrdererType: kafka

Addresses:
- orderer0:7050
- orderer1:7050
- orderer2:7050
- orderer3:7050

# Batch Timeout: The amount of time to wait before creating a batch
BatchTimeout: 2s

# Batch Size: Controls the number of messages batched into a block
```

# Hyperledger Fabric – Fabric-CA options

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CA

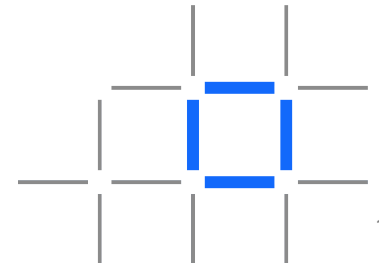
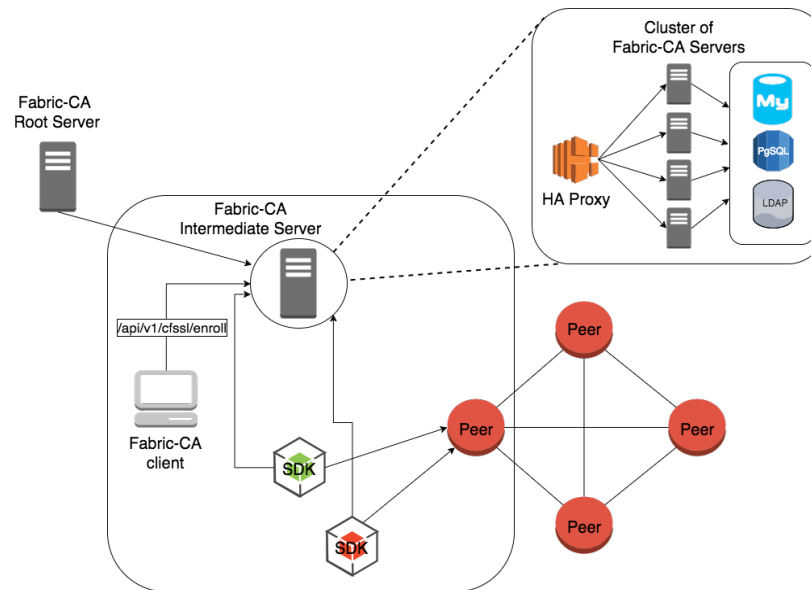


```
[guigui@t460 ~]$ docker images |grep ca
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hyperledger/fabric-ca      x86_64-1.0.3         72aea632bdb7        21 seconds ago      197MB
hyperledger/fabric-baseos  x86_64-0.3.1         4b0cab202084        5 months ago        157MB
[guigui@t460 ~]$
```

In charge of issuing digital identities across organizations.

## OPTIONS

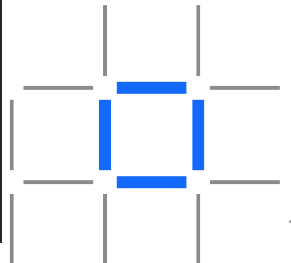
- Key Store (Default SQLite3)
- Key Store (Alternative PostgreSQL)
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- HA
- ...
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# Docker images

Once built, or pulled from the repository, these are the images which will be added to your Docker host.

```
[guigui@t460 kafka]$ docker images
REPOSITORY          TAG                 IMAGE ID            CREATED             SIZE
hyperledger/fabric-ca   latest             72aea632bdb7       About an hour ago  197MB
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hyperledger/fabric-baseos x86_64-0.3.1      4b0cab202084       5 months ago       157MB
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# Composing images to build the network

Tool like docker-compose are a simple way to organize the deployment of containers to build up the Fabric. Samples are provided in the examples subdirectory of the github repo.

```
Version: '2.0'

services:
  orderer0: # There can be multiple orderers
    image: hyperledger/fabric-orderer
    container_name: orderer0
    hostname: orderer0
    environment:
      - ORDERER_GENERAL_LOGLEVEL=debug
      - ORDERER_GENERAL_LISTENADDRESS=0.0.0.0
      - ORDERER_GENERAL_GENESIMETHOD=file
      - ORDERER_GENERAL_GENESISFILE=/var/hyperledger/orderer/orderer.genesis.block
      - ORDERER_GENERAL_LOCALMSPID=OrdererMSP
      - ORDERER_GENERAL_LOCALMSPDIR=/var/hyperledger/orderer/msp
    working_dir: /opt/gopath/src/github.com/hyperledger/fabric
    command: orderer
    volumes:
      - ./orderer.block:/var/hyperledger/orderer/orderer.genesis.block
      - ../ca/fabric-ca-server/cryptography/orderer0/msp:/var/hyperledger/orderer/msp
    ports:
      - "7050:7050"

  peer0:
    image: hyperledger/fabric-peer
    container_name: peer0
    hostname: peer0
    environment:
      - CORE_PEER_ID=peer0
      - CORE_PEER_ADDRESSAUTODETECT=true
      - CORE_LOGGING_LEVEL=DEBUG
      #- CORE_NEXT=true
      - CORE_PEER_ENDORSER_ENABLED=true
      - CORE_PEER_COMMITTER_ENABLED=true
      - CORE_PEER_PROFILE_ENABLED=false
      - CORE_PEER_GOSSIP_ORGLEADER=true # this node is the group leader, default to true
      - CORE_PEER_GOSSIP_USELEADERELECTION=false # automatically run leader election, default to false
      - CORE_PEER_GOSSIP_IGNORESECURITY=true
      # The following setting skips the gossip handshake since we are
      # are not doing mutual TLS
      - CORE_PEER_GOSSIP_SKIPHANDSHAKE=true
      - CORE_PEER_LOCALMSPID=BlockChainCoMSP
      - CORE_PEER_MSPCONFIGPATH=/etc/hyperledger/fabric/msp
      - GOPATH=/opt/gopath
    expose:
      - "7050" # Rest
      - "7051" # Grpc
      - "7052" # Peer CLI
      - "7053" # Peer Event
```

