
Blockchain Fundamentals

Intro to Web3

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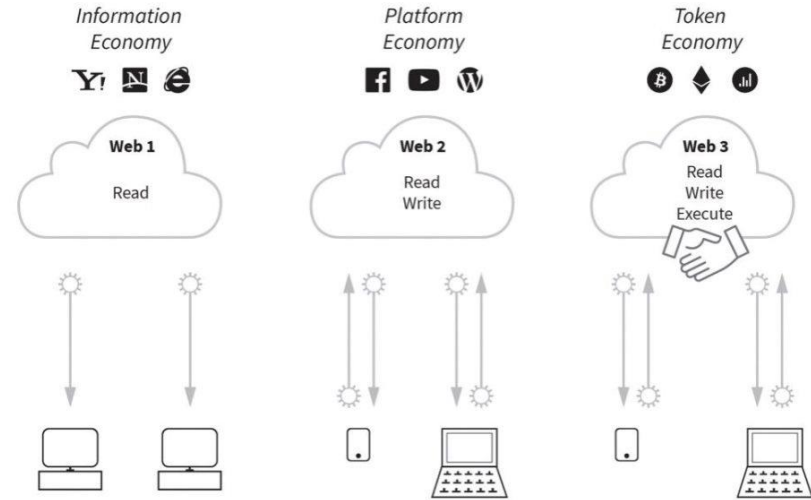
What is?

- Web
- Database
- P2P(Torrent)

Web3

Web3 is an idea for a new iteration of the **World Wide Web** which incorporates concepts such as **decentralization, blockchain technologies, and token-based economics**.

History of the Web



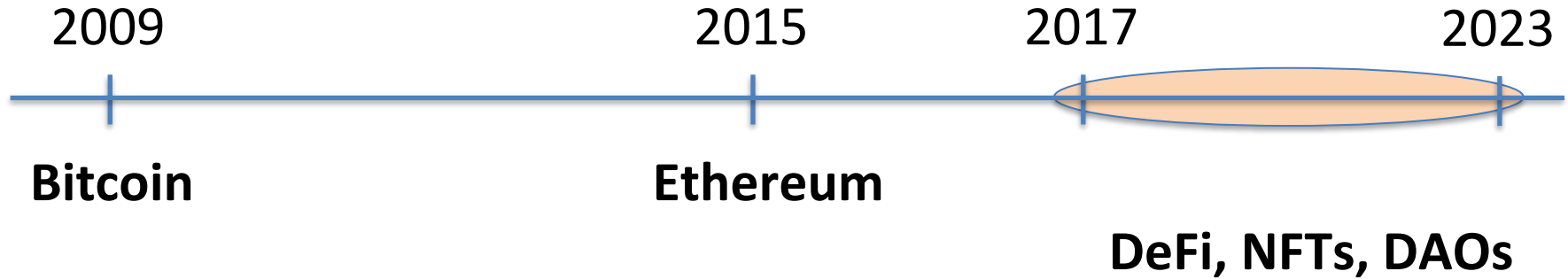
Meme Review



The history of blockchain and Bitcoin



First computing/hosting platform to deploy Apps



Database allows Append only ...
Protected by **Replication** and **consensus**
algorithm.

Blockchain Story

In 2008, a groundbreaking paper entitled Bitcoin: A Peer-to-Peer Electronic Cash System was written on the topic of peer-to-peer electronic cash under the pseudonym Satoshi Nakamoto. It introduced the term chain of blocks. No one knows the actual identity of Satoshi Nakamoto. After introducing Bitcoin in 2009, he remained active in the Bitcoin developer community until 2011. He then handed over Bitcoin development to its core developers and simply disappeared. Since then, there has been no communication from him whatsoever, and his existence and identity are shrouded in mystery. The term chain of blocks evolved over the years into the word blockchain.

Bank Problems (Ledgers)



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1) Name of the Business:						
2) Name of the document - General Ledger						
Date	Particulars	DR or CR	Account No.	Post ref	Debit \$	Credit \$
1/1/2014	Owner contributes \$100					
	Bank	Dr			100	
	Capital	Cr				100
31/3/14	The Ship buys Pall Mall for \$200					
	Bank	Decreasing - Cr				200
	Property	Increasing - Dr			200	
1/4/2014	The boat lands on Pall Mall and pays \$10 rent to the ship (we are the ship)					
	Bank	increasing - Dr			10	
	Revenue - rent	increasing - Cr				10

What happen when you open your Spearbank App?

"I should go out for lunch today"

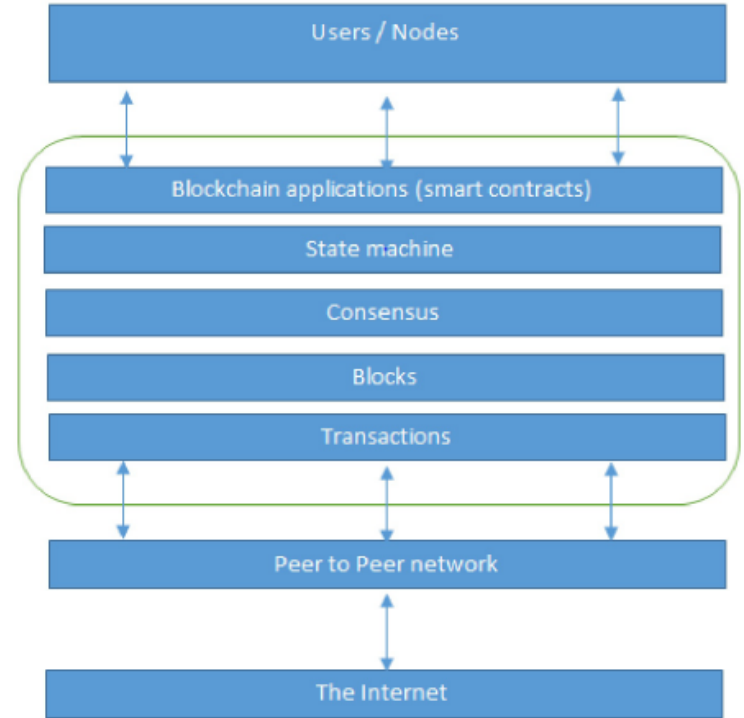
opens the mobile banking app

Account balance:

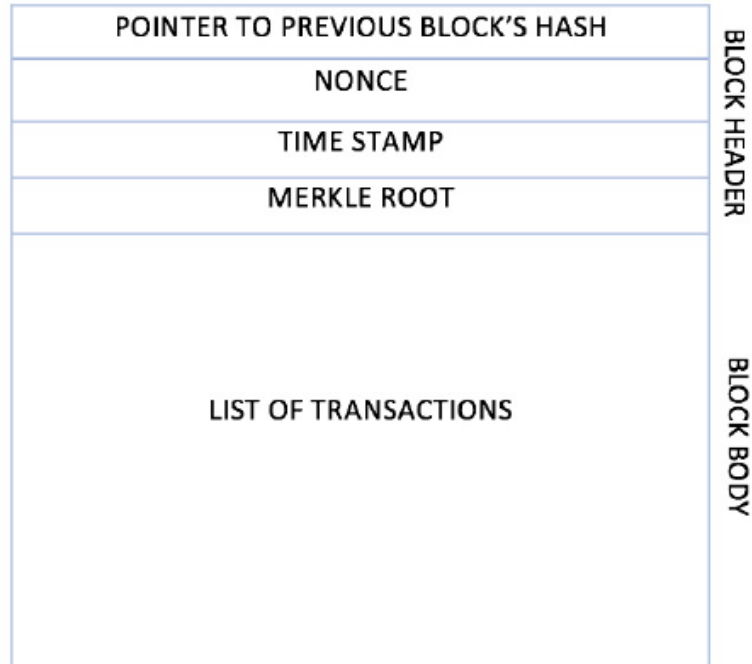


Terminology

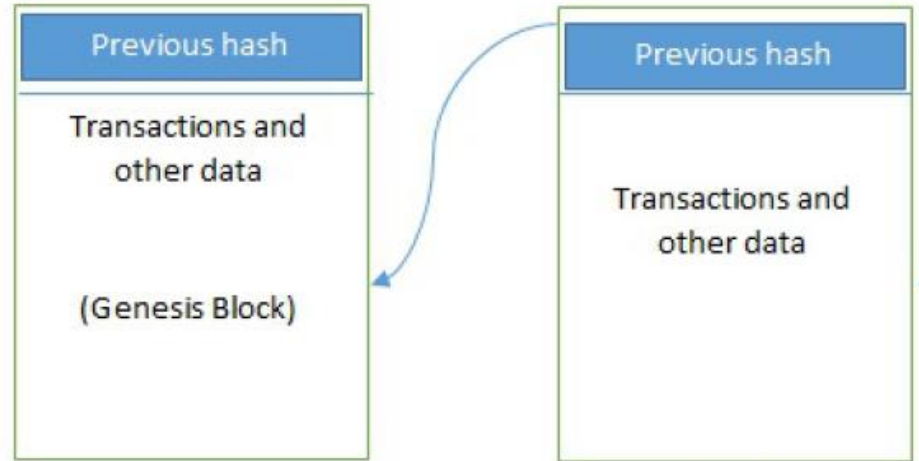
- Peer-to-peer
- Distributed ledger
- Cryptographically-secure
- Append-only/time-ordered sequential order
- Updateable via consensus



Blocks Architecture



The generic structure of a block.

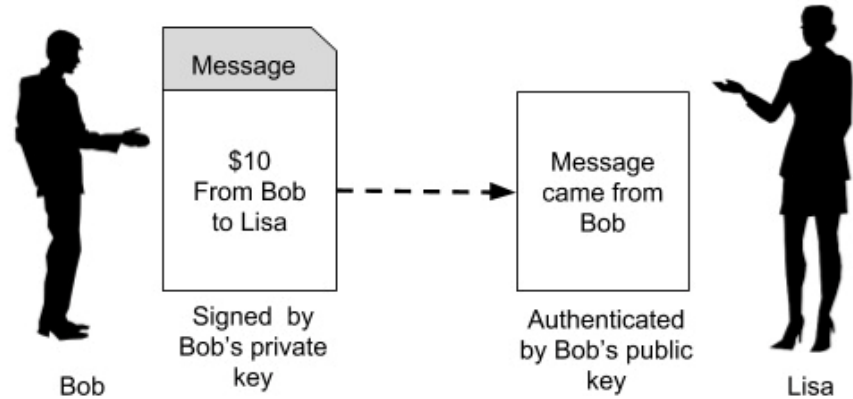


Generic structure of a blockchain

Public-key cryptography in Bitcoin

Bitcoin uses a type of public-key cryptography called **Elliptic Curve Cryptography (ECC)** to generate and manage its digital signatures. Public-key cryptography uses a pair of mathematically related keys - a public key and a private key - to encrypt and decrypt data.

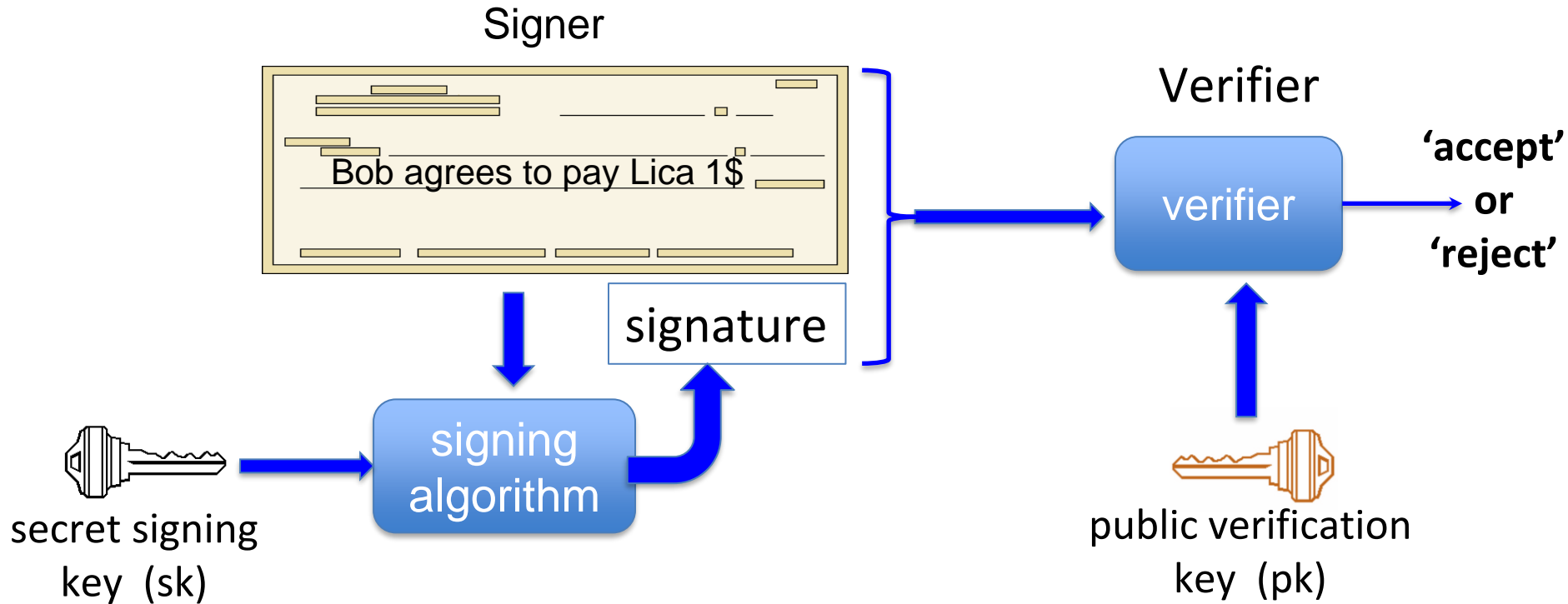
In Bitcoin, the private key is kept secret by the owner, while the public key is shared with the network.



Digital signature

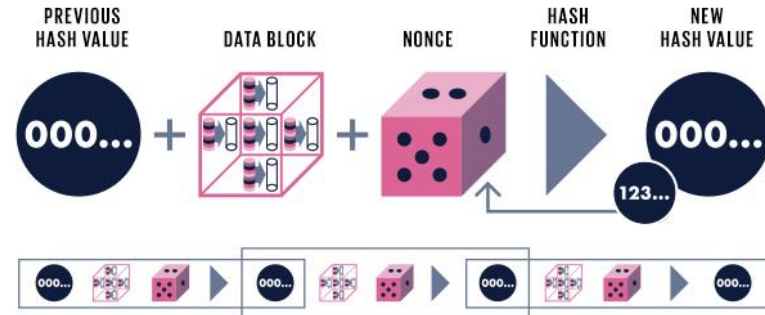
Def: a signature scheme is a triple of algorithms:

- **Gen()**: outputs a key pair (pk, sk)
- **Sign**(sk, msg) outputs sig. σ
- **Verify**(pk, msg, σ) outputs 'accept' or 'reject'



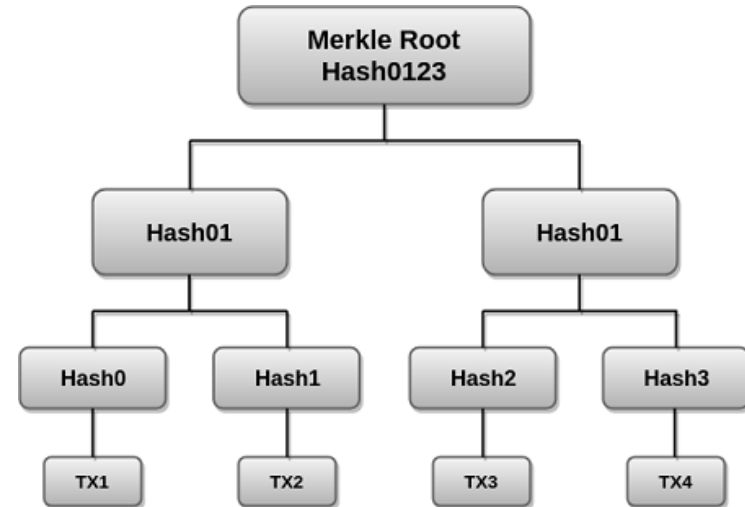
Hash functions in Bitcoin

Bitcoin uses a type of hash function called SHA-256 (Secure Hash Algorithm 256-bit) to secure its transactions and to create new blocks in the blockchain. A hash function takes input data of any size and produces a fixed-size output (called a hash) that is unique to the input data. In Bitcoin, each block in the blockchain contains a hash of the previous block, which creates a chain of blocks that are linked and secured by cryptography.



Merkle trees in Bitcoin

Bitcoin also uses a type of data structure called a Merkle tree to efficiently store and verify the integrity of large amounts of transaction data. A Merkle tree is a hierarchical structure of hashes that allows nodes in the network to verify that a particular transaction is included in a block without having to download and verify the entire block.



Tiers of blockchain technology

- **Blockchain 1.0:** This tier was introduced with the invention of Bitcoin.
- **Blockchain 2.0:** This second blockchain generation is used by financial services and smart contracts.
- **Blockchain 3.0:** This third blockchain generation is used to implement applications beyond the financial services industry and is used in government, health, media, the arts, and justice.
- **Blockchain X.0:** This generation represents a vision of blockchain singularity where one day there will be a public blockchain service available that anyone can use just like the Google search engine

Features of a blockchain

- Distributed consensus
- Transaction verification
- Platform for smart contracts
- Transferring value between peers
- Generation of cryptocurrency
- Smart property
- Provider of security
- Immutability
- Uniqueness

Terminology

- Distributed Ledger Technology (DLT)
- Public blockchains
- Private blockchains
- Semi Private blockchains
- Permissioned ledger
- Shared ledger
- Tokenized blockchains
- Tokenless blockchains
- Consensus mechanism

Consensus Algorithms in blockchain

- Proof of Work (PoW)
- Proof of Stake (PoS)
- Delegated Proof of Stake (DPoS)
- Proof of Elapsed Time (PoET)
- Proof of Deposit (PoD)
- Proof of Importance (Pol)

....etc



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Trump: Bitcoin is not money and is
based on thin air.

Federal Reserve:

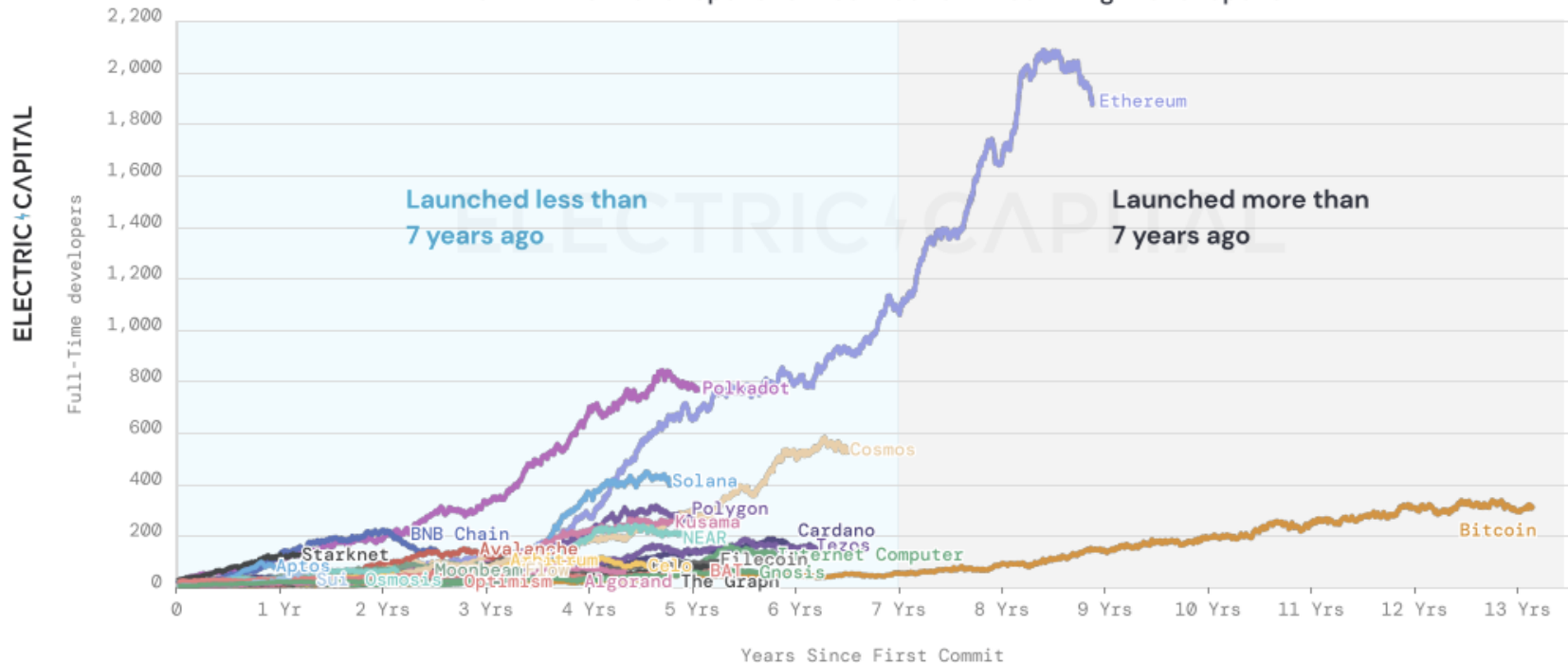


Transaction Volume

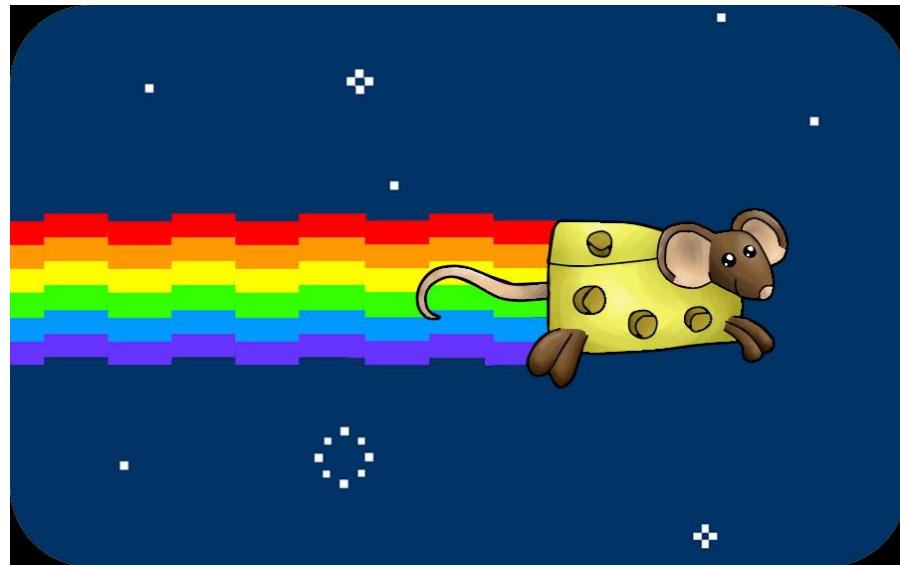
#	Name	Price	1h %	24h %	7d %	Market Cap 	Volume(24h) 	Circulating Supply 	Last 7 Days	
 1	 Bitcoin BTC	\$27,852.54	▼0.36%	▼0.23%	▲0.41%	\$538,651,839,892	\$13,113,464,195 471,087 BTC	19,339,418 BTC		
 2	 Ethereum ETH	\$1,851.51	▼0.78%	▼1.48%	▲3.15%	\$223,029,057,188	\$9,603,253,730 5,179,912 ETH	120,457,776 ETH		
 3	 Tether USDT	\$1.00	▲0.05%	▲0.05%	▲0.04%	\$80,245,820,240	\$22,927,859,085 22,922,892,673 USDT	80,195,385,809 USDT		
 4	 BNB BNB	\$310.29	▼0.36%	▼0.63%	▼1.48%	\$48,991,524,406	\$505,533,074 1,628,155 BNB	157,887,127 BNB		
 5	 USD Coin USDC	\$1.00	▼0.04%	▲0.03%	▲0.01%	\$32,763,001,936	\$3,661,672,569 3,663,321,498 USDC	32,762,839,295 USDC		

EXCLUDING BTC & ETH, ALL TOP 200 ECOSYSTEMS WITH 50+ FULL-TIME DEVS LAUNCHED UNDER 7 YEARS AGO

Full-Time Developers Since Launch | 50+ Avg Developers



https://github.com/electric-capital/developer-reports/blob/master/dev_report_2022.pdf

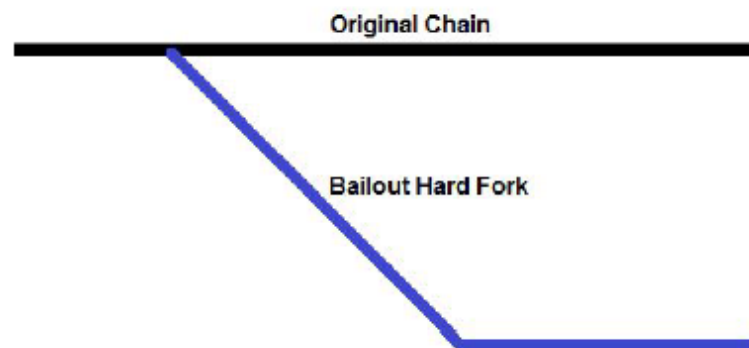








The story of ethereum



“ Theft of \$50 million worth of Ether the Ethereum network split into two separate blockchains – the altered history was named Ethereum and the unaltered history was named Ethereum Classic “



"You are not original ! Scam!"

Blockchain Demo

<https://andersbrownworth.com/blockchain/block>

Web3 Dapp Demo

<https://Cpptokens.com>

The 2nd-generation blockchain (Ethereum)

Ethereum


- **Ethereum** is an open source, globally decentralized **computing infrastructure** that **executes programs called smart contracts**. It uses a blockchain to synchronize and store the system's state changes, along with a cryptocurrency called Ether (ETH) to meter and constrain execution resource costs.
- The Ethereum platform enables developers to **build powerful decentralized applications** with built-in economic functions. While providing high availability, auditability, transparency, and neutrality, it also reduces or eliminates censorship and reduces certain counterparty risks. Ethereum's language is Turing complete, meaning that Ethereum can straightforwardly function as a general-purpose computer



Smart Contract


- **Smart contract** : refer to **immutable computer programs that run deterministically in the context of an Ethereum Virtual Machine (EVM)** as part of the Ethereum network protocol — i.e., on the decentralized Ethereum world computer.
- Life cycle for smart contract :
 - **Write** smart contract in some high-level language.
 - **Compile** to the low-level EVM bytecode.
 - **Deploy** on the Ethereum platform using a special contract creation transaction.
 - **Execution..**


Solidity Smart Contract example

```
pragma solidity ^0.5.1;
contract Inbox{
  string public message;
  constructor (string memory initialMessage) public {
    message= initialMessage;
  }
  function setMessage(string memory newMessage)public{
    message=newMessage;
  }
  function getMessage()public view returns(string memory){
    return message;
  }
}
```


Deployed Contracts 

▼ INBOX.AT 0XD91...39138 (MEMORY)  


 hello from inside ▼




0: string: hello from inside



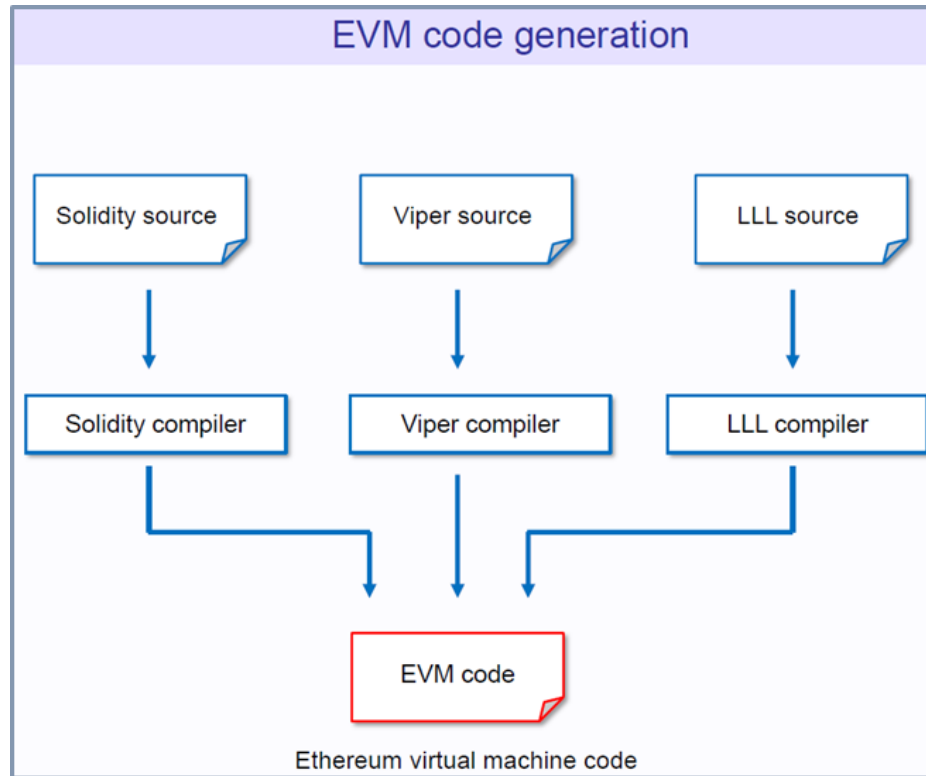
0: string: hello from inside

Low level interactions 

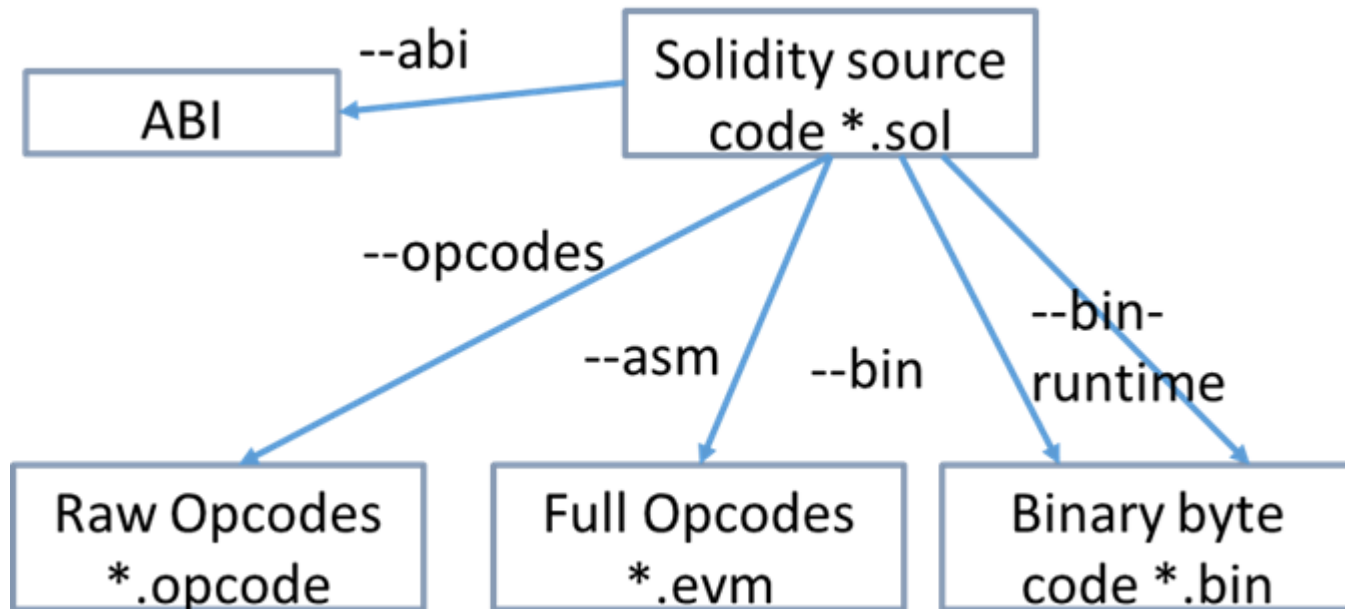
CALLDATA



EVM



Compile



<https://remix.ethereum.org/>

Demo