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Practical 3

Aim: To perform thorough study and installation of Anaconda 5 0 1 and Python 3 6 and perform proof of work ( consensus mechanism Also, notice the changes in mining rewards and nonce requirement

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1 import datetime # To get the time and date
2 import hashlib # To hash the data
3 import random # To generate a random value
4
5 def computeHash(data):
6     ....'''Returns the hash value of the given data.'''
7     return hashlib.sha256(data.encode('utf-8')).hexdigest()
8
9 def ProofOfWork(block):
10     nonce = 1
11     difficulty = 4
12     s=''
13     print('Difficulty: ', difficulty)
14     for i in range(difficulty):
15         s+='0'
16     while True:
17         data = str(block.index) + str(block.timestamp) + str(block.data) + str(block.pr
18         h = computeHash(data)
19         # print(h)
20         if h[:difficulty]==s:
21             break
22         nonce+=1
23     return [h, nonce]
24
25
26 class Block:
27     def __init__(self, index, timestamp, data, previousHash):
28         '''Block Constructor initiating the Block attribute values.'''
29         self.index=index # Index of the Block
30         self.timestamp=timestamp # Timestamp of the block
31         self.data=data # Data of th block
32         self.previousHash=previousHash # Hash value of the previous block
33         self.nonce=1
34
35         difficulty = 4
36         s=''
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37     for i in range(difficulty):
38         s+='0'
39     while True:
40         data = str(self.index) + str(self.timestamp) + str(self.data) + str(self.pr
41         h = computeHash(data)
42         # print(h)
43         if h[:difficulty]==s:
44             break
45         self.nonce+=1
46
47     self.currentHash=computeHash(data) # Hash value of the current block
48     if self.index==0:
49         self.previousHash=''
50         for i in range(len(self.currentHash)):
51             self.previousHash+='0'
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55     def printBlock(self):
56         '''Prints the values of the block.'''
57         print()
58         print('Index:\t\t ', self.index)
59         print('TimeStamp:\t ', self.timestamp[:-7])
60         print('Data:\t\t ', self.data)
61         print('Previous Hash:\t ', self.previousHash)
62         print('Current Hash:\t ', self.currentHash)
63         print('Nonce:\t\t ', self.nonce)
64
65
66 class Blockchain:
67     def __init__(self):
68         '''Blockchain Constructor initiating the blockchain with a genesis block.'''
69         genesis = Block(0, str(datetime.datetime.now()), 'This is Genesis block', 0) #
70         self.chain = [genesis] # Blockchain initiated
71         self.total_reward = random.randint(100, 100000) # Total initial reward
72         self.balance = self.total_reward # Balance of the reward
73
74     def addBlock(self, data, reward):
75         '''This function adds a new block to the blockchain.'''
76         if reward>self.balance: # Check if there is sufficient balance to add a new blo
77             print('No more blocks can be added')
78             return -1
79         index = len(self.chain)
80         timestamp = str(datetime.datetime.now())
81         previousHash = self.chain[-1].currentHash
82         a = Block(index, timestamp, data, previousHash) # New block is created
83         self.chain.append(a) # New block is appended
84         self.balance -= reward # Reward is subtracted from the balance
85         input('Press ENTER to start Mining... ')
86         b = ProofOfWork(a)
87         a.currentHash = b[0]
88         a.nonce = b[1]
89         return reward
90
91     def printBlockChain(self):

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92         '''This function prints the complete blockchain.'''
93         for block in self.chain:
94             block.printBlock()
95
96
97 # Initiating Blockchain
98 blockchain = Blockchain()
99 print()
100 print('Initiating Blockchain...')
101 reward = 0.1
102
103
104 while True:
105     # Menu-driven
106     print()
107     print('1.    Add Block')
108     print('2.    Print Blockchain')
109     print('3.    Print specific Block')
110     print('4.    Print Total Reward')
111     print('0.    Exit')
112     print()
113
114     # Input from the user
115     a = int(input('Enter your choice: '))
116     if a==0:
117         # Exit
118         break
119     elif a==1:
120         # Adding a new block
121         val = input('Enter the data: ')
122         reward = blockchain.addBlock(val, reward)
123         if reward>0:
124             print('Block Added Successfully...')
125             print('Reward: ', reward)
126             reward*=2
127     elif a==2:
128         # Printing the complete Blockchain's blocks
129         blockchain.printBlockchain()
130     elif a==3:
131         # Printing the specific indexed block
132         val=int(input('Enter index number: '))
133         if val>=len(blockchain.chain) or val<=0:
134             print('Wrong index')
135             continue
136         blockchain.chain[val].printBlock()
137     elif a==4:
138         # Printing Blockchain balance
139         print('Blockchain Initial Balance: {:.2f}'.format(blockchain.total_reward))
140         print('Blockchain Balance: {:.2f}'.format(blockchain.balance))
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Initiating Blockchain...

1. Add Block





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