Hash Function

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- 1. **manual_hash(data):** This defines our custom hashing function that takes a string (data) as input.
- 2. hash value = 0 Initializes the hash value to 0.
- 3. **for char in data:** Loops through every character in the string.
- 4. ord(char) Converts the character to its ASCII value.
- 5. (hash_value + ord(char)) % 256 Adds the ASCII value to the hash and keeps it within a range of 256.
- 6. **hex(hash_value)[2:]** Converts the hash value into a hexadecimal string (removing the "0x" prefix).

Block Class

```
class Block:
    def __init__(self, data, previous_hash):
        self.timestamp = datetime.datetime.now()
        self.data = data
        self.previous_hash = previous_hash
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- 7. class Block: Defines the blueprint for a block in our blockchain.
- 8. __init__ Initializes the block with data, a timestamp, and links to the previous block.
- 9. **self.timestamp = datetime.datetime.now()** Captures the current date and time.
- 10. **self.data = data** Stores the dummy data in the block.
- 11. self.previous_hash = previous_hash Saves the hash of the previous block.

12. **self.hash = self.calculate_hash()** Calls the calculate_hash method to compute the block's unique hash.

```
def calculate_hash(self):
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    return manual_hash(block_data)

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- 13. calculate_hash() Combines the block's data into a single string.
- 14. **manual_hash(block_data)** Uses our custom hash function to calculate the block's unique hash.

Blockchain Class

```
class Blockchain:
    def __init__(self):
        self.chain = [self.create genesis block()]
```

```
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class Blockchain: 1usage
    def __init__(self):
        self.chain = [self.create_genesis_block()]
```

- 15. class Blockchain: Defines the structure of our blockchain.
- 16. **self.chain = [self.create_genesis_block()]** Initializes the blockchain with a single "genesis block."

```
def create_genesis_block(self):
    return Block(\"Genesis Block\", \"0\")
```

```
def create_genesis_block(self): 1usage
    return Block( data: "Genesis Block", previous_hash: "0")
```

17. **create_genesis_block()** Creates the very first block with the label "Genesis Block" and no previous hash ("0").

```
def add_block(self, data):
    previous block = self.chain[-1]
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```
new_block = Block(data, previous_block.hash)
self.chain.append(new block)
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    previous_block = self.chain[-1]
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- 18. add_block(data) Adds a new block to the chain.
- 19. previous_block = self.chain[-1] Fetches the last block in the chain.
- 20. **Block(data, previous_block.hash)** Creates a new block, linking it to the last block's hash.
- 21. **self.chain.append(new_block)** Appends the new block to the chain.

```
def is_chain_valid(self):
    for i in range(1, len(self.chain)):
        current_block = self.chain[i]
        previous_block = self.chain[i - 1]

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- 22. is chain valid() Checks if the blockchain is valid.
- 23. range(1, len(self.chain)) Loops through all blocks, skipping the genesis block.

```
if current_block.hash != current_block.calculate_hash():
    return False

# Validate block hash
if current_block.hash != current_block.calculate_hash():
    return False
```

24. Validates each block's hash by recalculating it and comparing with the stored value.

```
if current_block.previous_hash != previous_block.hash:
    return False
```

```
# Validate previous hash link

if current_block.previous_hash != previous_block.hash:

return False
```

25. Checks if the previous_hash matches the hash of the previous block.

Blockchain Explorer GUI

```
class BlockchainExplorer:
    def __init__(self, blockchain):
        self.blockchain = blockchain
        self.root = tk.Tk()
        self.root.title(\"Blockchain Explorer\")
        self.create gui()

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- 26. **class BlockchainExplorer:** Creates a graphical interface for viewing the blockchain.
- 27. **self.blockchain = blockchain** Links the blockchain to the explorer.
- 28. tk.Tk() Initializes a new window.
- 29. self.root.title(\"Blockchain Explorer\") Sets the window title.
- 30. **self.create_gui()** Sets up the interface layout.

```
def create_gui(self):
    self.tree = ttk.Treeview(self.root, columns=(\"#1\", \"#2\",
\"#3\", \"#4\"), show=\"headings\")

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    self.tree = ttk.Treeview(self.root, columns=("#1", "#2", "#3", "#4"), show="headings")
```

- 31. ttk. Treeview Creates a table-like widget for displaying the blocks.
- 32. **columns=(\"#1\", \"#2\", \"#3\", \"#4\")** Specifies 4 columns: block address, timestamp, data, and validation status.

```
self.tree.heading(\"#1\", text=\"Block Address\")
self.tree.heading(\"#2\", text=\"Timestamp\")
self.tree.heading(\"#3\", text=\"Data\")
self.tree.heading(\"#4\", text=\"Validation Status\")
```

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self.tree.pack(fill=tk.BOTH, expand=True)
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self.tree.heading("#1", text="Block Address")
self.tree.heading("#2", text="Timestamp")
self.tree.heading("#3", text="Data")
self.tree.heading("#4", text="Validation Status")
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33. Sets column headers and arranges the table to expand and fill the window.

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self.update_tree_view()
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block.timestamp,
block.data,

validation_status,

34. Calls update_tree_view() to populate the table with block data.

```
def update_tree_view(self):
    for block in self.blockchain.chain:
        validation_status = \"Valid\" if
self.blockchain.is_chain_valid() else \"Invalid\"

def update_tree_view(self): 1usage
    for block in self.blockchain.chain:
        validation_status = "Valid" if self.blockchain.is_chain_valid() else "Invalid"
        self.tree.insert( parent: "", index: "end", values=(
```

35. Loops through the blocks and checks their validation status.

36. Inserts each block's information into the table.

```
'``python
  def run(self):
      self.root.mainloop()

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37. run() Starts the GUI application.

Main Script

```
# Main script
if __name__ == "__main__":
    blockchain = Blockchain()
    blockchain.add_block("Block 1 Data")
    blockchain.add_block("Block 2 Data")
    blockchain.add_block("Block 3 Data")

explorer = BlockchainExplorer(blockchain)
    explorer.run()
```

- 38. blockchain = Blockchain() Creates a new blockchain.
- 39. add_block() Adds dummy data to the blockchain.
- 40. **BlockchainExplorer(blockchain)** Initializes the GUI with our blockchain.
- 41. explorer.run() Launches the blockchain explorer.

23	Timestamp	Data		Validation	Status	
	2025-01-25 10:48:08.733236	Genesis Block	Valid			
59	2025-01-25 10:48:08.733267	Block 1 Data	Valid			
64	2025-01-25 10:48:08.733277	Block 2 Data	Valid			
5d	2025-01-25 10:48:08.733282	Block 3 Data	Valid			