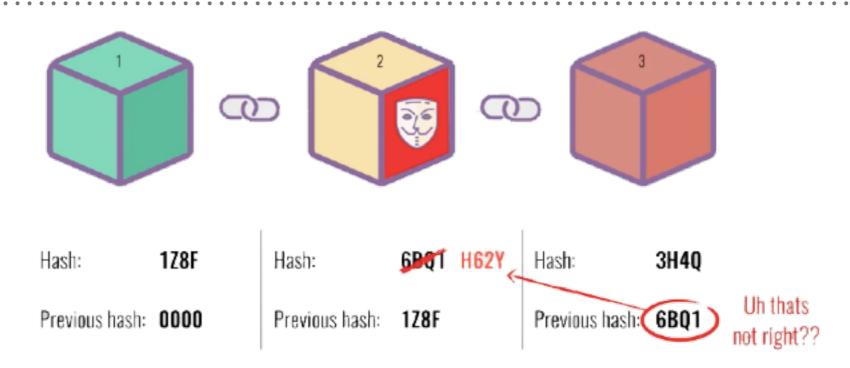
BLOCK CHAIN AND SECURITY:



So, What if someone tamper with a block?

This results in the change of the hash of the block so the following block will not point to the previous. So changing a single block will make all following blocks invalid

To make a block permanent you need to tamper all the blocks present in the chain

Case: It takes around 10 min* to calculate and verify hash of a single transaction in case of bitcoin so time to tamper a block and make it valid will take $10 \times Number$ of blocks present in the chain

REMEDY FOR TAMPING:

These days computer are highly efficient in calculating hash values so to mitigate Tamping of the data blockchain have something called as **proof-of-work**.

Proof-of-work: A mechanism which slows down the creating of new blocks. So this makes it difficult to tamper a block



Slow and steady...

So, the Security of the block chain comes form its creative use of hashing and proof-of-work