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Teacher Manual

PRACTICAL NO 5

AIM: Create a simple BlockChain

S/W REQUIRED: Python

Block Chain

A block chain is a distributed database or ledger that is shared among the nodes of a computer network. As a database, a block chain stores information electronically in digital format. Block chains are best known for their crucial role in cryptocurrency systems, such as Bitcoin, for maintaining a secure and decentralized record of transactions. The innovation with a block chain is that it guarantees the fidelity and security of a record of data and generates trust without the need for a trusted third party.

Implementation:

```
from hashlib import sha256
import time
```

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class block:
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```
    def __init__(self, timestamp, data, previousHash = ' '):
        self.timestamp = timestamp
        self.data = data
        self.previousHash = previousHash
        self.hash = self.calculateHash()
```

```
    def calculateHash(self):
```

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        return sha256((str(self.timestamp) + str(self.data) +
str(self.previousHash)).encode()).hexdigest()
```

```
class blockchain:
```

```
    def __init__(self):
        self.chain = [self.createGenesis()]
```

```
    def createGenesis(self):
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        return block(time.ctime(), "genesisBlock", "00000")
```

```
    def mineBlock(self, data):
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        node = block(time.ctime(), data, self.chain[-1].hash)
        # mining a new block to the blockchain
        self.chain.append(node)
```

```
    def printBlockchain(self):
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        for i in range(len(self.chain)):
            print("\n----Block ", i, "-----\n timestamp = "\
, self.chain[i].timestamp, "\n data = ", \
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```
self.chain[i].data, "\n previousHash = ", \
self.chain[i].previousHash, "\n hash = ", \
self.chain[i].hash)
```

```
CEVcoin = blockchain()
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```
data = input()
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```
# sending data to get mined
print("\n\n ----> Mining New Block -->")
CEVcoin.mineBlock(data)
```

```
print("\n\n ----> New Block mined successfully --> ")
```

```
CEVcoin.printBlockchain()
```

Output:

```
----> New Block mined successfully -->

----Block 0 -----
timestamp = Thu Aug 18 13:42:34 2022
data = genesisBlock
previousHash = 00000
hash = d35695bf15937b88e66f362bff9ba94ea329cce7a1b2b690127e38fd18b766d9

----Block 1 -----
timestamp = Thu Aug 18 13:44:22 2022
data =
previousHash = d35695bf15937b88e66f362bff9ba94ea329cce7a1b2b690127e38fd18b766d9
hash = 546e3f89d05247109797e377309fedf1b5e89c2917a769e07eff8fe544a949cd
S C:\Users\PC-1059\hello>
S C:\Users\PC-1059\hello> █
```

CONCLUSION: Thus we have created a block chain .