Atomic Swap

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Abstract

Atomic swaps are pratical for exchanging different cryptocurrencies in avoiding any trusted third-parties. This project show a swap between Bitcoin and Ethereum blockchain using payment channels tools like hashlock or timelock. When the protocol is followed by the both participants, it guarantees the swap without any risk. In the opposite, there is no scenario where someone can control both coins. **Keywords**: Bitcoin, Ethereum, Atomic Swap

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Introduction

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Ethereum

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Glossary

Web3 often refers to web3js, the Javascript implementation of the Ethereum JSON-RPC. It may also refer to other implementation in different languages. Overall it is the technology aiming to build the next and more decentralised version of the web 2.0 we know today. 5

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