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MULTI-SIGNATURE WALLET USING BLOCKCHAIN

ABSTRACT

This project aims to build a secure and decentralized **Multi-Signature Wallet (MultiSig Wallet)** on the Ethereum blockchain. A MultiSig Wallet increases the security of digital fund management by requiring multiple approvals before executing any transaction.

It eliminates the risk of a single point of failure or misuse of funds by ensuring that no single owner can move funds without the consent of others. The smart contract is written in **Solidity**, deployed using **Hardhat**, and connected to a user-friendly **React.js** frontend integrated with **MetaMask**. The entire decentralized application (DApp) is deployed on **AWS** for scalability and real-world accessibility.

INTRODUCTION

In traditional financial systems, a single person often has complete control over transactions. This poses security risks, especially in organizations or partnerships.

A **Multi-Signature Wallet** provides a decentralized way to manage shared funds where multiple signatures (approvals) are required for a transaction to be executed.

This project demonstrates how blockchain technology can be used to achieve collective financial decision-making using smart contracts.

Objectives

- To design and implement a secure MultiSig Wallet on Ethereum.
- To ensure multiple owners approve transactions before execution.
- To create a simple, responsive web interface using React.js.

- To deploy the system on the cloud using AWS infrastructure.

SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE

The MultiSig Wallet system consists of three major components:

1. **Smart Contract Layer (Ethereum + Solidity)**
 - Manages wallet ownership, transactions, and approvals.
 - Ensures immutable and transparent transaction rules.
2. **Application Layer (React + Ethers.js)**
 - Provides the user interface for interacting with the smart contract.
 - Allows users to connect via MetaMask, submit, and approve transactions.
3. **Deployment Layer (AWS Hosting)**
 - Hosts the frontend using AWS EC2 or S3 + CloudFront.
 - Ensures public accessibility and scalability of the DApp.

SYSTEM DESIGN

Architecture Diagram

User → MetaMask → Smart Contract (on Sepolia Testnet) → Blockchain Storage → React Frontend (on AWS)

Modules

1. **Owner Management Module** – Registers and verifies wallet owners.
2. **Transaction Module** – Handles submission, approval, and execution of transactions.
3. **Approval Logic Module** – Ensures transactions execute only after required approvals.

4. **Frontend Interface** – Connects to MetaMask and displays wallet details and transaction history.

IMPLEMENTATION DETAILS

1. Smart Contract

- Written in **Solidity (v0.8.x)**.
- The contract accepts a list of owner addresses and a required approval count during deployment.
- Functions include:
 - `submit(address to, uint value, bytes data)` – to propose a transaction.
 - `approve(uint txId)` – to approve a pending transaction.
 - `revoke(uint txId)` – to withdraw approval.
 - `execute(uint txId)` – to finalize and execute once approvals meet the threshold.

2. Backend Deployment (Hardhat)

- Used **Hardhat** framework for compiling, deploying, and testing.
- The contract was deployed on the **Sepolia Test Network** using Infura or Alchemy RPC endpoints.
- Environment variables like private key and RPC URL were stored securely in a `.env` file.

Example deployment command:

```
npx hardhat run scripts/deploy.js --network sepolia
```

3. Frontend Implementation

- Built using **React.js**.
- Integrated **Ethers.js** to interact with the deployed smart contract.
- Used MetaMask for wallet connection and signing.
- The UI displays:
 - Connected wallet address
 - ETH balance
 - Submitted transactions
 - Buttons for “Submit”, “Approve”, and “Execute” actions

4. AWS Deployment

The React application is deployed on **AWS** to make it accessible publicly.

Deployment Steps:

Build React app using

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npm run build
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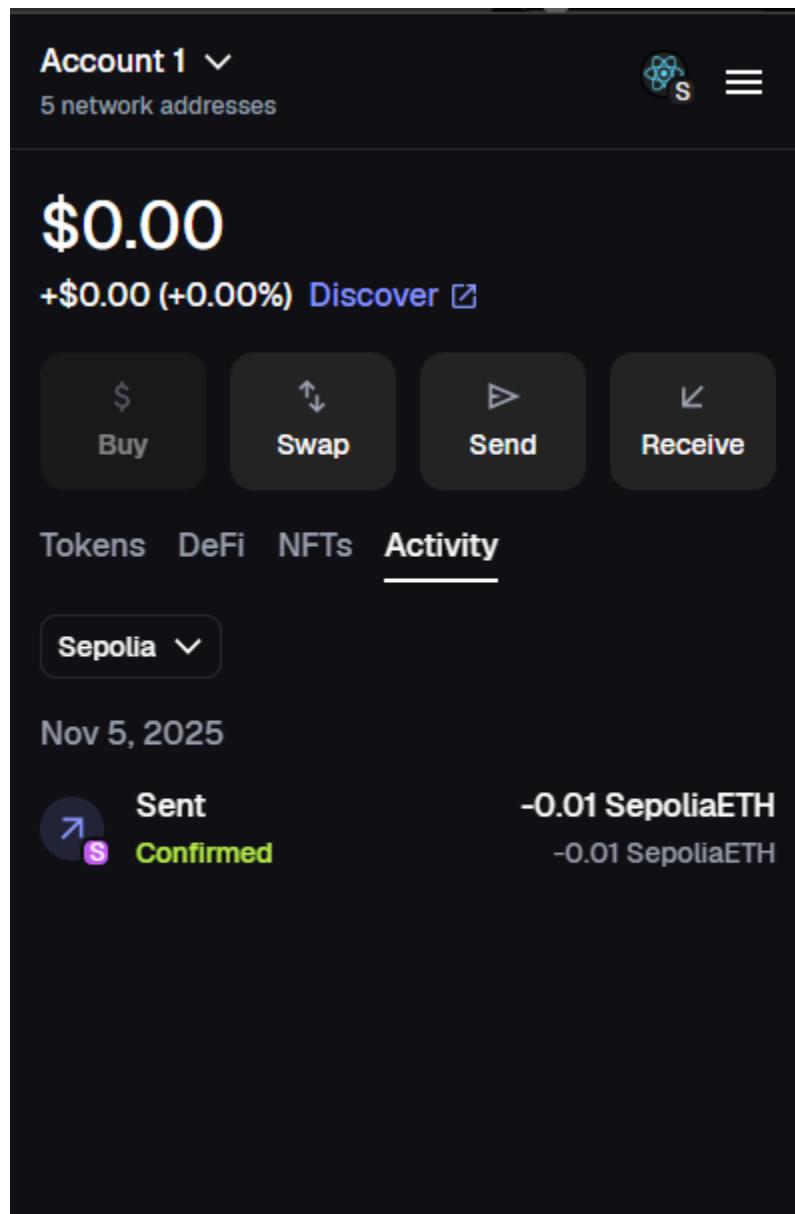
1. Deploy build folder to AWS S3 or host using EC2.
2. Use **AWS CloudFront** for HTTPS support and caching.
3. Link custom domain if needed.

RESULTS

- The MultiSig Wallet was successfully deployed on the **Sepolia testnet**.
- The contract correctly handled multiple owners and required approvals before transaction execution.

- The React interface connected smoothly with MetaMask.
- Transactions could be submitted, approved, revoked, and executed transparently.
- The DApp hosted on AWS performed reliably and was accessible globally.

SCREENSHOTS



The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "React App" at "localhost:3000". On the left, the application displays a "MultiSig Wallet - Sepolia" interface. It shows the wallet is connected to the Sepolia network with address 0xd7e975fba8e361093ce9d63832c585f471b12803 and a balance of 0.026898269395288712 ETH. It requires 2 confirmations. Below this are three sections: "Submit New Transaction", "Approve Transaction", and "Execute Transaction", each with input fields and a "Submit", "Approve", or "Execute" button. On the right, the MetaMask extension is open, showing "Account 2" with "No changes". It displays the network as "Sepolia", the request from "localhost:3000", and the transaction ID "0x04717..855D8". It also shows the network fee as 0.0001 SepoliaETH and a speed of ~12 sec. At the bottom, there are "Cancel" and "Confirm" buttons.

MultiSig Wallet - Sepolia

Connected: 0xd7e975fba8e361093ce9d63832c585f471b12803

Balance: 0.039966903653444012 ETH

Submit New Transaction

Recipient address	Amount (ETH)	Submit
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Approve Transaction

Transaction ID	Approve
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Transactions

Show Transactions

No transactions found.

ADVANTAGES

- Enhanced security and transparency
- No central authority control
- Easy integration with MetaMask
- Fully decentralized and verifiable logic

LIMITATIONS

- Dependent on gas fees on the Ethereum network
- Requires all owners to be active for approvals
- Limited UI simplicity for large-scale use

FUTURE ENHANCEMENTS

- Add WalletConnect for mobile wallet support.
- Implement transaction history filtering and pagination.
- Deploy on **Layer 2 chains** like Polygon to reduce fees.
- Integrate email/notification alerts for pending approvals.
- Implement multi-network support with backend analytics.

CONCLUSION

The MultiSig Wallet project demonstrates how blockchain technology can be used to create secure, shared, and decentralized financial systems.

By combining **Solidity**, **Hardhat**, **React**, and **AWS**, the project achieves complete decentralization from contract logic to cloud deployment.

This system provides a real-world example of how organizations or groups can manage shared funds safely without depending on third parties.

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