

Bitcoin (Assignment 1)

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Bitcoinj

- library for communicating with Bitcoin protocol
- implemented in Java
- I did not succeed with connecting to regtest daemon

Bitcoin RPC

Full list

Required arguments are denoted inside < and > Optional arguments are inside [and].

Command	Parameters	Description	Requires unlocked wallet? (v0.4.0+)
<code>addmultisigaddress</code>	<nrequired> <["key","key"]> [account]	Add a nrequired-to-sign multisignature address to the wallet. Each key is a bitcoin address or hex-encoded public key. If [account] is specified, assign address to [account]. Returns a string containing the address.	N
<code>addnode</code>	<node> <add/remove/onetry>	version 0.8 Attempts add or remove <node> from the addnode list or try a connection to <node> once.	N
<code>backupwallet</code>	<destination>	Safely copies wallet.dat to destination, which can be a directory or a path with filename.	N
<code>createmultisig</code>	<nrequired> <["key","key"]>	Creates a multi-signature address and returns a json object	
<code>createrawtransaction</code>	[{"txid":txid,"vout":n},...] {address:amount,...}	version 0.7 Creates a raw transaction spending given inputs.	N
<code>decoderawtransaction</code>	<hex string>	version 0.7 Produces a human-readable JSON object for a raw transaction .	N
<code>dumpprivkey</code>	<bitcoinaddress>	Reveals the private key corresponding to <bitcoinaddress>	Y
<code>dumpwallet</code>	<filename>	version 0.13.0 Exports all wallet private keys to file	Y
<code>encryptwallet</code>	<passphrase>	Encrypts the wallet with <passphrase>.	N
<code>getaccount</code>	<bitcoinaddress>	Returns the account associated with the given address.	N
<code>getaccountaddress</code>	<account>	Returns the current bitcoin address for receiving payments to this account. If <account> does not exist, it will be created along with an associated new address that will be returned.	N

Checking balance

```
public void checkBalance() throws org.json.simple.parser.ParseException, IOException {  
    JSONObject json = createJSONObject();  
    json.put("method", "getbalance");  
  
    JSONObject responseJsonObj = getResponse(json);  
  
    System.out.println("Your balance is: " + responseJsonObj.get("result"));  
}
```

Sending to specific address

```
public void sendToAddress(List<String> params) throws org.json.simple.parser.ParseException, IOException {  
    JSONObject json = createJSONObject();  
    json.put("method", "sendtoaddress");  
  
    JSONArray paramsArray = new JSONArray();  
    paramsArray.addAll(params);  
    json.put("params", paramsArray);  
  
    JSONObject responseJsonObj = getResponse(json);  
  
    System.out.println("Your transaction ID is : " + responseJsonObj.get("result"));  
}
```

```
switch (words[0]) {
    case "balance":
        client.checkBalance();
        break;
    case "newaddress":
        client.createNewAddress();
        break;
    case "listunspent":
        client.listUnspentTransactions();
        break;
    case "sendto":
        if(words.length != 3){
            System.err.println("You need to specify a recipients address and ammont of bitcoin to be send");
        }else{
            List<String> params = new ArrayList<>();
            params.add(words[1]);
            params.add(words[2]);
            client.sendToAdress(params);
        }
        break;
    default:
        System.err.println("Unknown command");
}
```