

Decentralized Public and Private Ledger Technology and Its Applications

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Introduction

- Blockchain is the technology behind all of these cryptocurrencies. Blockchain helps to build **trusted, powerful and transparent** with the potential to disrupt intermediaries, third party expensive process.
- Blockchain is one kind of linked list. Blockchain is a cryptographed, secure, decentralized database. Shared, trusted, public ledger of transactions, that everyone can inspect but which **no single user controls** or can change. Once you put something into it, it will stay there forever.
- **Applications of Blockchain:** Cryptocurrency, Smart Contracts, Government body, Digital Identity, Registry, IoT, compliance, Financial Service, Health care, Insurance

- A **block** refers to a **set of transactions that are bundled together** and added to the chain at the same time. In the Bitcoin blockchain, the miner nodes bundle unconfirmed and valid transactions into a block. Each block contains a given number of transactions.
- A blockchain can be both **permissionless or public** (like Bitcoin or Ethereum) and **permissioned or private** (like the different Hyperledger blockchain frameworks).
- In the Bitcoin network, **miners** must solve a cryptographic challenge to propose the next block. This process is known as '**proof of work**', and requires significant computing power.
- These **smart contracts** are a piece of code running on top of a blockchain network, where digital assets are controlled by that piece of code implementing arbitrary rules.

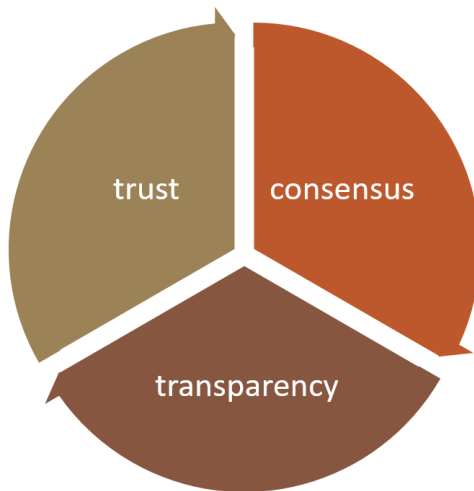


Figure: Blockchain Pillar

Blockchain Technology Types

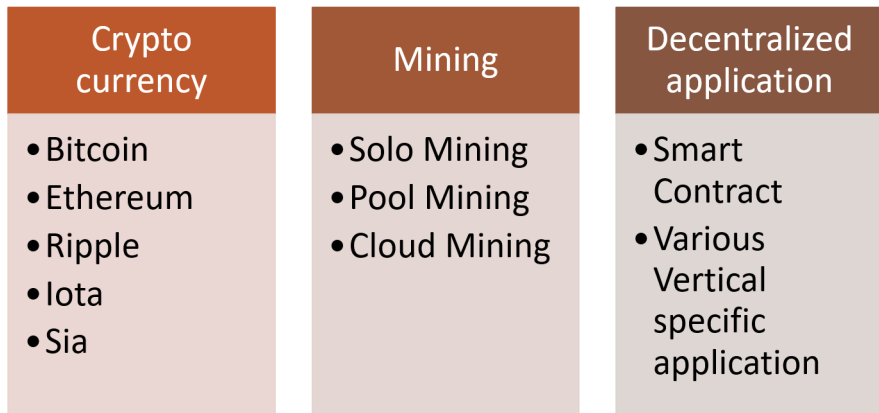
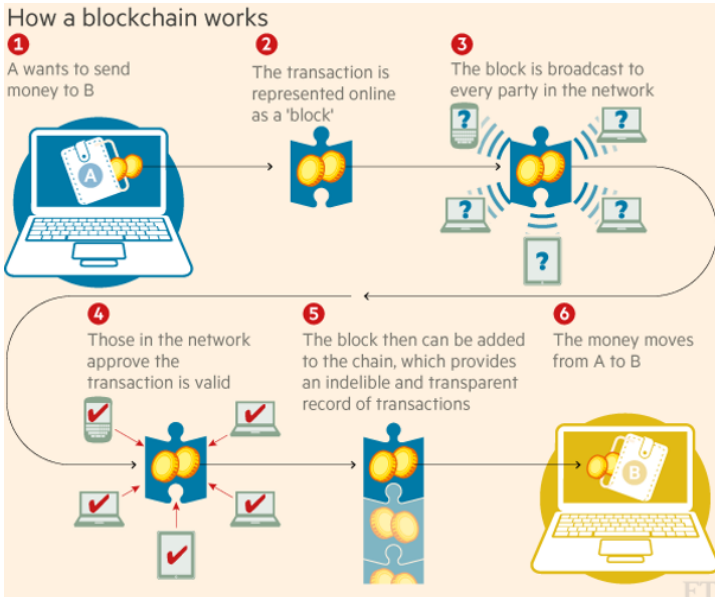




































Figure: One can divide the use cases of the blockchain technology in major 3 categories.

- Current System of Money Transfer
 - Send Money from A in USA to B in India
 - Bank verifies A, checks balance, verifies B and gives it to B.
 - Bank takes fees
- Problems
 - Central Authority
 - Slow
 - Costly
- Solution of this is crypto currencies. Benefits of this crypto coins or tokens are:
 - Removal of Central Authority
 - Rewarding Users of the Network
 - Enhanced Data Transparency
 - Better Fault Tolerance
 - Faster
 - Cheaper

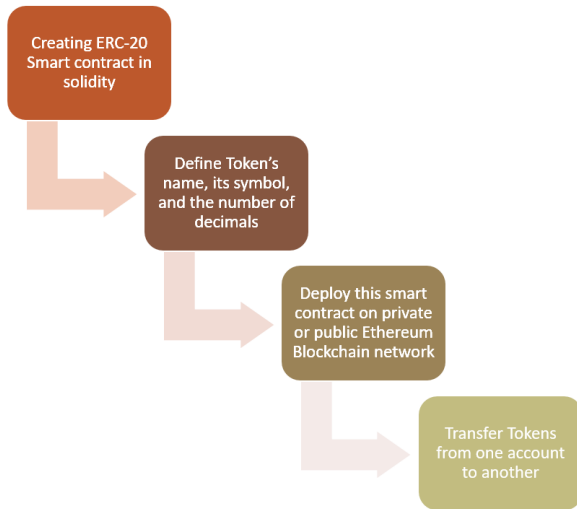
How Blockchain Transaction Works



Top cryptocurrencies

#	Name	Market Cap	Price	Volume (24h)	Circulating Supply	Change (24h)	Price Graph (7d)
1	 Bitcoin	\$153,865,825,210	\$9,051.63	\$12,134,300,000	16,998,687 BTC	-3.62%	
2	 Ethereum	\$62,688,042,836	\$632.93	\$4,412,870,000	99,043,883 ETH	-10.29%	
3	 Ripple	\$32,392,778,680	\$0.827482	\$1,777,120,000	39,146,203,398 XRP *	-11.06%	
4	 Bitcoin Cash	\$22,794,715,967	\$1,333.54	\$2,079,290,000	17,093,388 BCH	-9.84%	
5	 EOS	\$12,149,331,370	\$14.88	\$3,559,120,000	816,575,127 EOS *	0.78%	
6	 Litecoin	\$8,299,359,222	\$147.55	\$648,653,000	56,247,013 LTC	-10.01%	
7	 Cardano	\$7,261,939,114	\$0.280091	\$374,632,000	25,927,070,538 ADA *	-11.26%	
8	 Stellar	\$6,480,072,329	\$0.348945	\$142,647,000	18,570,469,068 XLM *	-12.45%	
9	 IOTA	\$5,235,495,446	\$1.88	\$155,208,000	2,779,530,283 MIOTA *	-13.64%	
10	 NEO	\$4,790,955,000	\$73.71	\$243,753,000	65,000,000 NEO *	-11.62%	
11	 TRON	\$4,736,362,467	\$0.072038	\$2,463,940,000	65,748,111,645 TRX *	4.94%	
12	 Monero	\$4,263,120,298	\$266.99	\$164,276,000	15,967,221 XMR	-9.80%	
13	 Dash	\$3,861,298,932	\$480.86	\$131,990,000	8,029,952 DASH	-10.24%	
14	 NEM	\$3,451,077,000	\$0.383453	\$94,134,200	8,999,999,999 XEM *	-8.18%	
15	 Tether	\$2,417,527,556	\$1.00	\$6,450,010,000	2,417,140,814 USDT *	0.06%	
16	 VeChain	\$1,962,234,031	\$3.73	\$87,407,700	525,779,138 VEN *	-10.19%	
17	 Ethereum Classic	\$1,949,505,032	\$19.23	\$389,002,000	101,366,720 ETC	-13.13%	

Ethereum Token/ERC-20 Smart Contract Creation



ERC-20 Based Tokens

```
97  string public name;                // Token Name
98  uint8 public decimals;             // How many decimals to show. To
99  string public symbol;              // An identifier: eg SBX, XPR et
100 string public version = 'H1.0';
101 uint256 public unitsOneEthCanBuy;   // How many units of your coin c
102 uint256 public totalEthInWei;       // WEI is the smallest unit of E
103 address public fundsWallet;         // Where should the raised ETH g
104
105 // This is a constructor function
106 // which means the following function name has to match the contract n
107 function SEASToken() {
108     balances[msg.sender] = 1000000000000000000000; // Gi
109     totalSupply = 1000000000000000000000; // Up
110     name = "school of engineering and applied science";
111     decimals = 18; // Am
112     symbol = "SEAS-AU"; //
113     unitsOneEthCanBuy = 10; // Se
114     fundsWallet = msg.sender; // Th
115 }
116
117 function() payable{
118     totalEthInWei = totalEthInWei + msg.value;
119     uint256 amount = msg.value * unitsOneEthCanBuy;
120     require(balances[fundsWallet] >= amount);
121 }
122
```

Creating SEAS-AU

ERC-20 Based Token.

Define Token Name,

Symbol, Total Supply

and Price of the Token.

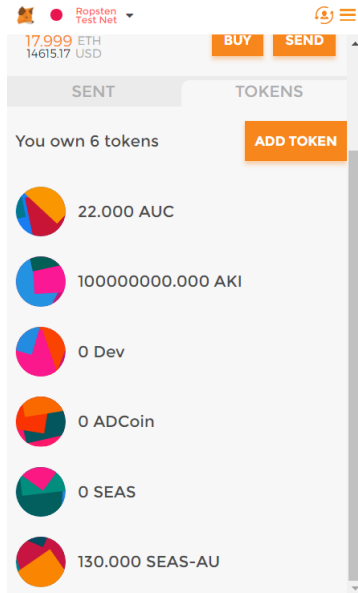
Figure: ERC-20 Based Token Creation (Token Name - "School of Engineering and Applied Science", Token Symbol - "SEAS-AU", Token Price - 1 Ether = 10 SEAS-AU Tokens)

Main Account Tokens

The screenshot displays a mobile application interface for a cryptocurrency wallet. At the top, it shows the network as 'Ropsten Test Net' with a small fox icon and a red circle. Below this, the account balance is listed as 49,844 ETH and 40,472.93 USD. There are 'BUY' and 'SEND' buttons. The main section is titled 'SENT' and 'TOKENS'. Under 'TOKENS', it says 'You own 6 tokens' and has an 'ADD TOKEN' button. A list of tokens is shown, each with a colorful circular icon and a balance:

Token Name	Balance
AUC	978.000
AKI	0
Dev	0
ADCoin	1000.000
SEAS	0.000
SEAS-AU	840.000

Another Account-1 For Transferring the Coin



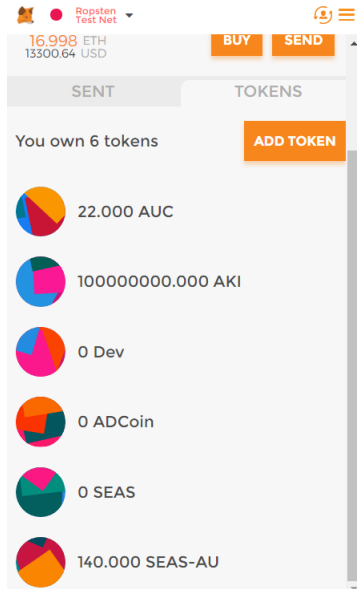
Transferring Token Transaction Pending

Overview

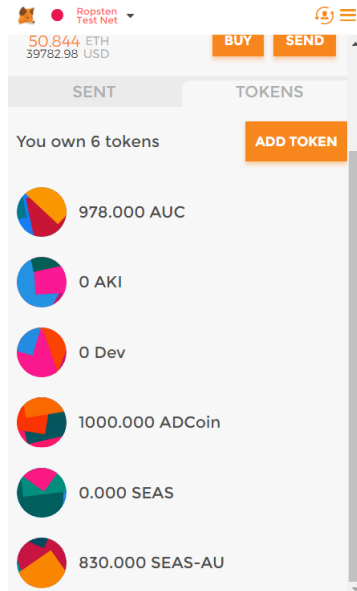
Transaction Information - {Pending Confirmation}

TxHash:	0x3581e86effc2af82c96e927a18416633c5a5f58c461b562ecab0a06a635dae08
Block Height:	<i>(Pending)</i>
Time LastSeen:	🕒 00 hr 00 min 12 secs ago (May-06-2018 05:36:04 AM)
From:	0x714d9b12c89784ac32584e4ff20b9c0ee1bf219a
To:	0x49864f3f2fb523894f1e1b355b80b741f13601d6
Value:	1 Ether (\$0.000000)
Gas Limit:	75567
Gas Used By Txn:	<i>Pending</i>
Gas Price:	0.00000001 Ether (10 Gwei)
Max Txn Cost/Fee:	0.00075567 Ether (\$0.000000)
Nonce:	18
Input Data:	0x

10 Token is Transferred From Main Account To Account-1



10 Token is Deducted from Main Account



Solo Mining

- process of mining alone. This process is mainly done alone without joining a pool.

Pool Mining

- In the context of cryptocurrency mining, a mining pool is the pooling of resources by miners, who share their processing power over a network, to split the reward equally, according to the amount of work they contributed

Cloud Mining

- People just can log in to a website and invest money in the company which already has mining data centers.

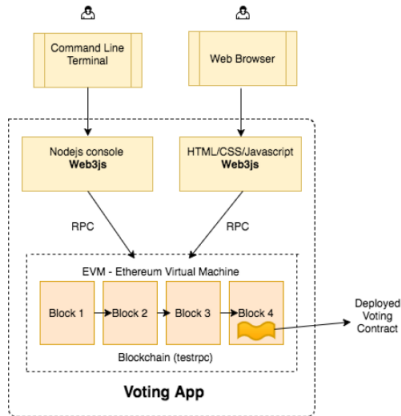
Blockchain For Business



Voting Application

- I have made decentralized voting application. User or voter can vote for their favorite candidate from this application.
- Main functionality of this Dapp is that no one can hack this application and no one can give vote more than one time.
- Since a blockchain is a permanent record of transactions (votes) that are distributed, every vote can irrefutably be traced back to exactly when and where it happened without revealing the voters identity.
- In addition, past votes cannot be changed, while the present cant be hacked, because every transaction is verified by every single node in the network.
- And any outside or inside attacker must have control of 51 percent of the nodes to alter the record.

Voting Application Interaction With Ethereum Blockchain



Election Application




The screenshot displays the Remix IDE interface for an election application. The left pane shows the Solidity source code for `Election_voting.sol`, which defines a contract with two structs: `Candidate` and `Voter`. The `Candidate` struct includes fields for `id`, `name`, `voteCount`, `parcentage`, `marginWL`, and `winloss`. The `Voter` struct includes fields for `id`, `address`, `name`, `gender`, and `voted`. The contract includes mappings for candidates and voters, and functions for adding candidates, adding voters, casting votes, and retrieving candidate information.

The right pane shows the state of the `Election` contract at address `0x692...77b3a` in memory. It displays a list of candidates and voter data. The `addCandidate` function is shown with the candidate name `BJP`. The `addVoterData` function is shown with the voter address `0xca35b7d915458ef540a`. The `vote` function is shown with the voter ID `1` and the candidate ID `1`. The `winner` function is shown with the candidate ID `1`. The `getCandidateById` function is shown with the candidate ID `1`.

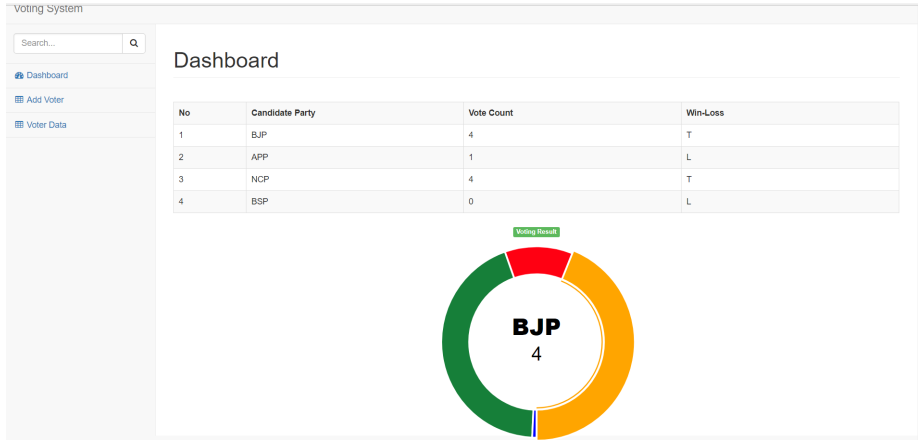
The bottom pane shows the transaction log for a call to `Election.candidates`. The transaction is from `0x14723a09acff6d2a60dcdf7aa4aff308fddc160c` to `Election.candidates` (uint256), with data `347e...00001`. The return value is an array of 5 elements: `0: "uint256: id 1", 1: "string: name BJP", 2: "uint256: voteCount 1", 3: "uint256: parcentage 100", 4: "uint256: marginWL 0", 5: "string: winloss Won"`.

Voting Panel

Election

Name	Symbol	Action
BJP		<input type="button" value="Vote"/>
AAP		<input type="button" value="Vote"/>
Congress		<input type="button" value="Vote"/>

Election Application Dashboard



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