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| Name of the | Barccoin |
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| coin: | The second of th |
| | I have named my coin according a football club Barcelona. |
| Denomination | lamasia |
| of coin: | masia |
| | The denominators are named after the youth academy of Barcelona Football Club. |
| Magic Number: | To identify "Barccoin", we have to use 4 identifying bytes which is known as Magic Number. These bytes identify clients in your network as belonging to a protocol. As an example, Litecoin uses 0xfb, 0xc0, 0xb6, 0xdb; while Bitcoin uses0xf9, 0xbe, 0xb4, and 0xd9 to identify itself in network messages. |
| | I have used 0x62, 0x61, 0x72, 0x63. Here, |
| | 0x62 -> b |
| | 0x61 -> a |
| | 0x72 -> r |
| | 0x63 -> c |
| | Which represent barc as Barccoin. |
| Base58Prefix | Base58 encoded prefixes are used as prefixes for public, private, and stealth |
| Basesorrenx | addresses (addresses which can receive but not spend). |
| | base58Prefixes[PUBKEY_ADDRESS] is chosen in such a way that the public address will |
| | always start with "b". |
| | I have used the base58prefix as following: |
| | base58Prefixes[PUBKEY ADDRESS] = 85 -> b (leading symbol) |
| | base58Prefixes[SCRIPT ADDRESS] = 35 -> F (leading symbol) |
| | base58Prefixes[PUBKEY_ADDRESS2] = 28 -> C (leading symbol) |
| | base58Prefixes[SECRET KEY] = 25 -> B (leading symbol) |
| | buseson remacs[seeker_ker] = 25 × b (ledding symbol) |
| | This value is chosen according to the name of the coin. The name of the coin starts |
| | with the letter b, so the public address and the secret key are also start with b or B. |
| | With the fetter s, so the public dual ess and the secret key are also start with a or B. |
| | base58Prefixes[EXT_PUBLIC_KEY] = {0x67, 0x6f, 0x61, 0x74} -> g,o,a,t |
| | base58Prefixes[EXT_SECRET_KEY] = {0x47, 0x4f, 0x41, 0x54} -> G,O,A,T |
| Genesis Block | Genesis block is the first block of blockchain network. |
| and Markel root | |
| | I have used GenesisH0 script to generate the genesis block. I have used the following |
| | parameter to generate genesis block: |
| | News text: The Guardian 1 May 2019 Best Male Footballer |
| | This news text verifies that my chain did not pre-exist before a given date. This is |
| | important as users will want to rest assured that your chain was not pre-mined for |
| | coins at low difficulty when the chain was started. |
| | comb at low anneaty when the chain was started. |
| | As public key, I have used the public key of Litecoin. |
| | Timestamp: I have used the unix timestamp, when I was generating the genesis block. |
| | |

| | I have generated three nonce for three different network such as, Main Network, TestNet Network and RegTest Network. For generating three nonce, I have used the same news text but different unix timestamp. |
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| Ports | Nodes communicate with each other over P2P using a designated port. To reduce unwanted traffic to our nodes it is advised to use a unique value. |
| | I have changed the default port as 10018. |
| Working Procedure: | |
| Run script and creating docker container | 1. I have run RunMe1st.sh script to generate two docker images such as coin01 and coin02. 2. In order to have a working P2P network for your cryptocurrency, you will need to deploy a minimum of 2 nodes. I have created two nodes running the following commands: # docker run -P -ditname node01 -v "\$PWD/data:/root/.barccoin/" -w /root coin02 barccoind Here node01 container is created and mount the container in local machine and start my node as a daemon which will run in the background and attempt to restart itself if needed. # docker run -P -itname node02 -w /root coin02 Here node02 container is created. Check the configuration file of both the nodes and add the IP address of the each |
| | # cat .barccoin/barccoin.conf # Use as many addnode= settings as you like to connect to specific peers |
| Generating public address | The following command generate the public address of users. We can run it multiple times to generate different public address for the same user or different user. All the public addresses are bound to the same node and share wallet information. Each node has its own wallet which is shared by all the users. |

barccoin-cli getnewaddress "User_Name"

```
root@f9267ed30604:~# barccoin-cli getaddressesbyaccount arnab
[
   "bDpj1uiYkgSDZxDwiWZb5wzW73eEaxG6DB",
   "bQE457oQ3kdqBvnQpdwgNLdFQAiJLNETEV"
]
```

Mining coins

To mine coins to a particular address I have run the following command: # barccoin-cli generatetoaddress 10 PUBLIC ADDRESS

Here, formula of generatetoaddress command: # coinname-cli generatetoaddress N PUBLIC_ADDESS I

N = How many blocks are generated immediately PUBLIC_ADDRESS = The address to send the newly generated bitcoin to I = How many iterations to try (default = 1000000)

```
root@f9267ed30604:~# barccoin-cli generatetoaddress 10 bDpj1uiYkgSDZxDwiWZb5wzW73eEaxG6DB
[
   "e96bdb618f1561d41b0bca65ba6594bbf934559ce18bc6c8883e87a0d7dc3b03"
]
```

Each block mining will reward 50 barccoins but the coins are immature to transfer. To make the barccoins mature at least 100 blocks need to be mined. To clarify the issue, if we have 120 blocks then 20*50 = 1000 coins are matured and ready for transfer.

Mining Information

We can get mining information by the following commands:

barccoin-cli getmininginfo

```
root@f9267ed30604:~# barccoin-cli getmininginfo
{
    "blocks": 139,
    "currentblockweight": 4000,
    "currentblocktx": 0,
    "difficulty": 0.000244140625,
    "errors": "",
    "networkhashps": 142.1439004469989,
    "pooledtx": 0,
    "chain": "main"
}
```

This is the state of one of the nodes wallets.

Transaction

I have created one node (node01) which has an account named "arnab". I have also created another node (node02) which has an account named "zabir". The public addresses of both the account is given below:

barccoin-cli getaddressesbyaccount account name

Account: arnab

```
root@f9267ed30604:~# barccoin-cli listaccounts
{
    "": -130.02578600,
    "arnab": 2150.00000000,
    "rahman": 0.00000000
```

```
root@f9267ed30604:~# barccoin-cli getaddressesbyaccount arnab
[
   "bDpj1uiYkgSDZxDwiWZb5wzW73eEaxG6DB",
   "bQE457oQ3kdqBvnQpdwgNLdFQAiJLNETEV"
]
```

Account: zabir

```
root@c053c70a5ff2:~# barccoin-cli listaccounts
{
    "": 0.00000000,
    "zabir": 20.00000000
}
```

```
root@c053c70a5ff2:~# barccoin-cli getaddressesbyaccount zabir

[
"bbt5vvs54a4gQHurVRTTdRgLLGqj4m6sYp"
]
```

The balance of the account "arnab" is given below: # barccoin-cli getbalance arnab

```
root@c1e4ea808829:~# barccoin-cli getbalance arnab
1050.00000000
```

Now, I will transfer 10 coins to an account (zabir) in another node (node02).

```
root@f9267ed30604:~# barccoin-cli sendtoaddress bbt5vvs54a4gQHurVRTTdRgLLGqj4m6sYp 10
a7fe769a7893f3370f69c84672cd44dea1092dac8a263b8c14ab7dc6f28e4cac
```

The transaction status is given below:

node01:

node02:

```
root@c053c70a5ff2:~# barccoin-cli gettransaction a7fe769a7893f3370f69c84672cd44dea1092dac8a263b8c14ab7dc6f28e4cac

{
    "amount": 10.00000000,
    "confirmations": 0,
    "trusted": false,
    "txid": "a7fe769a7893f3370f69c84672cd44dea1092dac8a263b8c14ab7dc6f28e4cac",
    "walletconflicts": [
    ],
    "time": 1559215677,
    "timerecived": 1559215677,
    "bip125-replaceable": "no",
    "details": [
    {
        "account": "zabir",
        "address": "bbt5vvs54a4g0HurVRTTdRgLLGqj4m6sYp",
        "category": "receive",
        "amount": 10.00000000,
        "label": "zabir",
        "vout": 0
    }
    ],
    hex": "02000000018201ac6db436449e58208b6a7372c184d3e0452240b135863a894f37b16ab377010000006a4730440220391a1a21cf650
308d2fc1e4b91f27ab14fa4fc71682177b41e9b885be533d0a20220efa1671c61b9a5bdda7d763ee5baa6015edcdc8b6e193b017fb4e56ee270e6
f4012102ff491626a9f5eaeaf0f471d281e2c7a0914658eb0ec1b79a644dd6781259fa78feffffff0200ca9a3b000000001976a914fdf5a6c8e5a
30e56f3a2efbfc99e81e939b1190388ac78a68c3b000000001976a9148187d4adf8fd34f0b329b397042303527035910f88ac8f0000000"
}
}
```

Another command to send coins:

barccoin-cli sendfrom <sender_account_name> <recipient_address> <amount>
<minimum confirmation> <comment>

After transferring some coins, the coins are listed as unconfirmed balance in the recipient's account. After successfully mining one block, the coins are added as balance in recipient's wallet.

Unconfirmed amount in node02:

```
root@c053c70a5ff2:~# barccoin-cli getwalletinfo
{
    "walletname": "wallet.dat",
    "walletversion": 139900,
    "balance": 20.000000000,
    "unconfirmed_balance": 10.000000000,
    "immature_balance": 0.000000000,
    "txcount": 2,
    "keypoololdest": 1559176469,
    "keypoolsize": 1000,
    "keypoolsize_hd_internal": 1000,
    "paytxfee": 0.00100000,
    "hdmasterkeyid": "7c70542a08e3771af5fda5e8f42ed87701138e6e"
}
```

Mining block:

```
root@c053c70a5ff2:~# barccoin-cli generatetoaddress 10 bbt5vvs54a4gQHurVRTTdRgLLGqj4m6sYp

[
    "c3c3a9f5473b77cf478f43e621f9262e239b79b802fab81e832b166a10e287c8"

]
```

Current state of wallet in node02:

```
root@c053c70a5ff2:~# barccoin-cli getwalletinfo
{
    "walletname": "wallet.dat",
    "walletversion": 139900,
    "balance": 30.000000000,
    "unconfirmed_balance": 0.00000000,
    "immature_balance": 50.00022600,
    "txcount": 3,
    "keypoololdest": 1559176469,
    "keypoolsize": 1000,
    "keypoolsize_hd_internal": 1000,
    "paytxfee": 0.00100000,
    "hdmasterkeyid": "7c70542a08e3771af5fda5e8f42ed87701138e6e"
}
```

Balance has been added to the wallet.

Mined block information:

The transaction id of the previous transaction is added in the block.

Block information

Here I have listed some command to get the information about block.

1. Get block hash:

barccoin-cli getblockhash <index>

```
root@c1e4ea808829:~# barccoin-cli getblockhash 1
653d6e5528af113b01f9eeac77115235f36472d96e64fdcaaafef882cbe26024
```

2. Block information

3. block count:

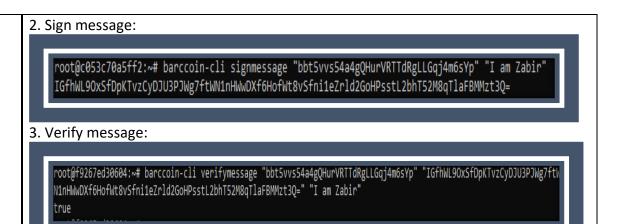
```
root@f9267ed30604:~# barccoin-cli getblockcount
144
```

- 4. Get all transactions in blocks since block
- # barccoin-cli listsinceblock blockhash

Additional commands

1. Validating address:

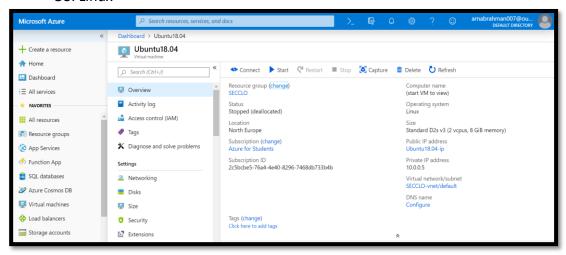
```
root@c053c70a5ff2:~# barccoin-cli validateaddress bbt5vvs54a4gQHurVRTTdRgLLGqj4m6sYp
{
    "isvalid": true,
    "address": "bbt5vvs54a4gQHurVRTTdRgLLGqj4m6sYp",
    "scriptPubKey": "76a914fdf5a6c8e5a69e56f3a2efbfc99e81e939b1190388ac",
    "ismine": true,
    "iswatchonly": false,
    "isscript": false,
    "pubkey": "021418945b8b538a763cca588fb317eab659ede1e0cf0bb1ab89ec0595e06e60da",
    "iscompressed": true,
    "account": "zabir",
    "timestamp": 1559176469,
    "hdkeypath": "m/0'/0'/1'",
    "hdmasterkeyid": "7c70542a08e3771af5fda5e8f42ed87701138e6e"
}
```



Local altcoin implementation

I have used Microsoft Azure to create by barccoin. I have created virtual machine using the following requirement:

- Size: Standard D2s v3 (2 vcpus, 8 GiB memory)
- OS: Linux



I have created two nodes to run the peer-to-peer network and transactions. To keep backup of my coins, I have uploaded the coins in my docker hub account. So, when ever I need to build a container to any machine, I can pull the images from my docker repository.



I have also backed up my data folder where I have mounted my barccoin. mylocalmachin# scp -r arnab@40.112.92.5:/home/arnab/data/* \$PWD/data

- 40.112.92.5 is the IP address of the Azure machine.

I have also save the image as tar file according to the instruction. # docker tag coin02 coin02:Arnab # docker image save -o ./coin02-arnab.tar coin02:Arnab

| | To import the image from tar, I have used docker load command. # docker loadinput coin02-arnab.tar I have tried with docker import command but after running this command, the image is created but the repository and tag is not assigned to my image. |
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| Reference | |
| | https://www.hackster.io/pjdecarlo/how-to-make-a-cryptocurrency-using-litecoin-v0-15-source-fb5e82 https://en.bitcoin.it/wiki/Original Bitcoin client/API calls list https://medium.com/@karthikmargabandu7/public-keys-private-keys-and-bitcoin-address-bf26125addf7 https://www.mycryptopedia.com/genesis-block-explained/ https://lifehacker.com/how-to-create-your-own-cryptocurrency-1825337462 https://masterthecrypto.com/verifying-cryptocurrency-transactions/ https://cryptocurrencyfacts.com/what-is-a-cryptocurrency-wallet/ https://coinguides.org/immature-confirmed-cleared/ https://www.quora.com/How-many-transactions-are-included-in-a-block-chain https://bitcoin.stackexchange.com/questions/43189/what-is-the-magic-number-used-in-the-block-structure |