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# Görli Testnet

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# lol, what, a testnet?

- *Olympic (PoW) – retired*
- *Morden (PoW) – retired but adopted by \$ETC*
- *Ropsten (PoW) – launched after "spurious dragon"*
- *Ropsten (PoW) – relaunched after "spam attacks"*
- *Kovan (PoA) – Parity-Ethereum only*
- *Rinkeby (PoA) – Go-Ethereum only*

# what if ... ?

| Network        | Geth     | Parity   | Aleth    | Harmony  | ... |
|----------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----|
| -----          | -----    | -----    | -----    | -----    | -   |
| Olympic        | (x)      | <b>x</b> | (x)      | (x)      |     |
| Morden Classic | (x)      | <b>x</b> | (x)      | (x)      |     |
| <b>Ropsten</b> | <b>x</b> | <b>x</b> | <b>x</b> | <b>x</b> |     |
| Kovan          |          | <b>x</b> |          |          |     |
| Rinkeby        | <b>x</b> |          |          |          |     |
| -----          | -----    | -----    | -----    | -----    | -   |
| ???            | <b>x</b> | <b>x</b> | <b>x</b> | <b>x</b> | ... |

# what if ... ?

- *cross-client, for Geth, Parity, Aleth, etc.*
- *permissioned, Proof-of-Authority (PoA)*
- *Hello, Görli?*

# what *t.f.* is "Görli"?

- *train station in Berlin "Görlitzer Bahnhof"*
- *destroyed in 2nd world war*
- *now a park "Görlitzer Park"*
- *nearby **metro** station "Görlitzer Bahnhof"*
- *a.k.a. "Görli"*
- *... venue of #ETHBerlin at Factory "Görlitzer Park"*





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# Afri, why?

- *Ethereum core developers agreed on hybrid Casper FFG testnet (EIP-1011)*
- *hybrid Casper v1 was implemented by Trinity, Harmony*
- *hybrid Casper v2 was implemented by Parity Ethereum*
- *... and eventually **abandoned!** Shasper!*



# so sad, tell me more!

- *hackers at #ETHBerlin came up with Görli*
- *not only core developers want a cross-client testnet*
- *relevant for contract developers*
- *relevant for d-app developers*

# the görli proposal

- *spec proof-of-authority engines Aura, Clique in ELPs*
- *implement Aura in Geth; Clique in Parity Ethereum*
- *bootstrap a new **testnet** that mimics mainnet conditions*



# more than a testnet

- *or: why not kovan? why not rinkeby?*
- *relieve core developers*
- *build and **maintain** core infrastructure*
  - *open-source faucets, block explorer*
  - *eth-net-stats monitoring server, client*
  - *<your idea here>*

# --chain goerli

- *[gitter.com/goerli](https://github.com/goerli)*
- *[github.com/goerli](https://github.com/goerli)*
- *<https://dev.to/5chdn/the-grli-testnet-proposal---a-call-for-particip>*
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