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- Set Transfer: to transfer asset

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Payment Transactions

```
"txn": {
 "amt": 5000000,
 "fee": 1000,
 "fy": 6000000.
 "gen": "mainnet-v1.0",
  "gh": "wGHE2Pwdvd7S12BL5Fa0P20EGYesN73ktiC1gzkkit8=",
  "lv": 6001000.
  "note": "SGVsbG8gV29ybG0=",
  "rcv": "GD64YIY3TWGDMCNPP553DZPPR6LDUSFQ0IJVFDPPXWEG3FV0JCCDBBHU5A",
  "snd": "EW64GC6F24M7NDSC5R3ES4YUVE3ZXXNMARJHDCCCLIHZU6TBEOC7XRSBG4",
  "type": "pay"
```

Payment Transactions: Fields

- type: pay
- amt: the total amount to be sent in microAlgos.
- fee: paid by the sender to the FeeSink to prevent denial-of-service. Minimum fee: 1000 microAlgos.
- snd: the address of the account that pays the fee and amount.
- rcv: the address of the account that receives the amount.
- fv, lv: the first and last round for when the transaction is valid. If the transaction is sent prior to fv or after lv, it will be rejected by the network.
- gen, gh: the genesis block name and hash.

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Closing an account

```
"txn": {
    "close": "EW64GC6F24M7NDSC5R3ES4YUVE3ZXXNMARJHDCCCLIHZU6TBEOC7XRSBG4",
    "fee": 1000,
    "fv": 4695599,
    "gen": "testnet-v1.0",
    "gh": "SG01GKSzyE7IEPItTxCByw9x8FmnrCDexi9/c0UJ0iI=",
    "lv": 4696599,
    "rcv": "EW64GC6F24M7NDSC5R3ES4YUVE3ZXXNMARJHDCCCLIHZU6TBEOC7XRSBG4",
    "snd": "SYGHTA2DR5DYFWJE6D4T34P4AWGCG7JTNMY4VI6EDUVRMX7NG4KTA2WMDA",
    "type": "pay"
}
```

Pay amt to snd and the remaining balance of rcv is transferred to close.

Step 1

Create the transaction

unsignedTx=PaymentTxn(sAddr,params,rAddr,amount,None,note)

```
"txn": {
    "amt": 1000000,
    "fee": 1000,
    "fv: 17274399,
    "gen": "testnet-v1.0",
    "gh": "SG016KSzyE7IEPITTxCByw9x8FmnrCDexi9/cOUJ0iI=",
    "lv": 17275399,
    "note": "02LhbyBQaW5vISEh",
    "rcv": "CHCJJ00LATSUEEILZF5NGAGFS3JCUXG4I6EWTMTWVRLTJDGA6DKG5NKPA4",
    "snd": "DF20ZX26LUCB0GLQWAXJT560JFHSZ2V4UFD3SEXXASEVZAIZV6FZSJ2HPM",
    "type": "pay"
}
```

Signing a transaction

A transaction must be signed.

- single-account signature
- 2 multi-account signature
- smart signature

Step 2

• Sign the transaction

```
signedTx=unsignedTx.sign(sKey)
```

```
{
    "sig": "6GCon/O1EDTJUvZMJL+NydF+9Spl9kDoJ5UXJhQKHZnwFsBeSYyZ/NSZDdAkcvSeqKv0phJch9mL/Yp16/9tAw==",
    "txn": {
        "amt": 1000000,
        "fee": 1000,
        "fee": 1000,
        "fe": 17274399,
        "gen": "testnet-v1.0",
        "gh": "SG016KSzyE71EPITTXCByw9x8FmnrCDexi9/c0UJ0iI=",
        "lv": 17275399,
        "note": "021hby80aW5vISEh",
        "rcv": "CHCJJ0OLATSUEEILZF5NGAGFS3JCUXG4I6EWTMTWVRLTJDGA6DKG5NKPA4",
        "snd": "DF2QZX2GLUCB0GLQWAXJT560JFHSZ2V4UFD3SEXXASEVZAIZV6FZSJ2HPM",
        "type": "pay"
}
```

single-account signing

Step 3

Send the transaction to a node

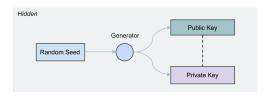
```
txid=algodClient.send_transaction(signedTx)
```

What is missing?

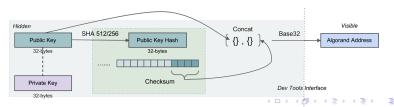
- the sender address: sAddr
- the receiver address: rAddr
- the sender key: sKey
- the node object: algodClient

Algorand keys and addresses

- signature algorithm EdDSA based on elliptic curve ▶ Ed25519
- the key generation algorithm generates a pair of public (verification) and private (signing) keys from a random seed.

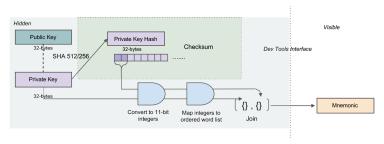


• from a public key (32 bytes) to an human readable address (58 bytes)



Algorand keys and addresses

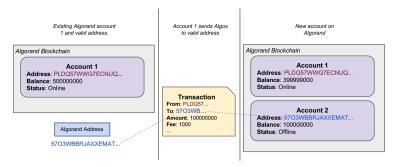
 Private keys are a sequence of 32 bytes and are stored in human readable from using a sequence of 25 English words called the mnemonic.



Algorand Accounts

An address generated from a public key can identify an account on the blockchain.

Giving an account a balance



- minimum balance of 100000 microAlgos
- online if it participates in consensus (see later)
- offline if it does not participate in consensus

Source: https://developer.algorand.org/docs/get-details/accounts/

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Generating an account using the python SDK

```
from algosdk import account, mnemonic
private_key,address = account.generate_account()
mnemonic.from_private_key(private_key)
```

Generating an account using algokey

- algokey generate
- the output looks like this:

Private key mnemonic: patrol waste artist tumble thrive vessel because swallow g ather weasel ability license right limit frown cloud tip pepper connect annual b lame also such above brother
Public key: EJEBSM655RFBHSXS6PWUUMXHVXAPYISU3ANQNZDP23JCYDTDA7056K5ZBA

Algorand Multisignature Accounts

- an ordered set of addresses Addr with a threshold thr and version
- like a regular address: send transactions and participating in consensus
- to sign a transaction with a multisignature account as a sender, at least thr signature from set Addr are needed.

Creating a Multisignature Account

- msig = Multisig(version, threshold, accounts)
 - version : the multisig version current value: 1
 - threshold : how many signatures are necessary
 - accounts: a list of addresses

the sender is a multisignature account

• Step 1: Create the transaction

unsignedTx=PaymentTxn(sAddr,params,rAddr,amount,None,note)
same as before but sAddr is a multisig address

```
"txn": {
   "amt": 1000000,
   "fee": 1000,
   "fv": 17279990,
   "gen": "testnet-v1.0",
   "gh": "$G016KSzyE7IEPItTxCByw9x8FmnrCDexi9/c0UJ0iI=",
   "lv": 17280990,
   "note": "Q2LhbyBNdWx0aVBpbm8hISE=",
   "rcv": "J6N2FN6E4M5IPNIGLVVWSLNSQNXGLY4I4RT3R5MALDKHAQS4XGG42DN07A",
   "snd": "KWTRU5DRUAJNEX3LQKFG5KWQDQN06INUBGJHZERXHB5SIS3YYHHQWLCL6E",
   "type": "pay"
}
```

Step 2: Add the addresses and the threshold

mTx=MultisigTransaction(unsignedTx,mSig)

```
"msig": {
  "subsig": [
            "40PE5LAWA3JH20362ZJREY2GT6P0VCK2SVWKGU0MUWYIXPK200JW307SX0"
            "C77B24TFYYD5LL5RBHPH6FMXHS7FVW66ASN32H7KTCWHNCTRB0SHMRXT3LI"
   },
            "J6N2FN6E4M5IPNIGLVVWSLNSONXGLY4I4RT3R5MALDKHA0S4XGG42DN07A"
 "thr": 2,
 "amt": 1000000.
 "fee": 1000.
 "fv": 17279990.
 "gen": "testnet-v1.0",
 "gh": "SG01GKSzyE7IEPItTxCByw9x8FmnrCDexi9/c0UJ0iI=",
 "lv": 17280990.
 "note": "Q2lhbyBNdWx0aVBpbm8hISE=",
 "rcv": "J6N2FN6E4M5IPNIGLVVWSLNSQNXGLY4I4RT3R5MALDKHAQS4XGG42DN07A",
 "snd": "KWTRU5DRUAJNEX3LOKFG5KWODONO6INUBGJHZERXHB5SIS3YYHHOWLCL6E".
  "type": "pay"
```

Step 3: Add threshold signatures

mTx.sign(privateKey)

```
"msig": {
 "subsig": [
      "pk": "40PE5LAWA3JH2Q362ZJREY2GT6P0VCK2SVWKGU0MUWYIXPK20QJW3Q7SXQ",
      "s": "ZZDoib0TxPf30Uhp08hMwiEHhe60M9pPRa4avw5mduxiw7eCmY0+0WoMFig2GG+v+p8c5FpNfGLuKsP082oTAw=="
      "pk": "CZZB24IFYYD5LL5RBHPH6EMXHS7EVW66ASN32HZKICWHNCIRB0SHMRXT3U".
      "s": "GcrY/ZNHR4f44aefPCcYfouTcbJiviZ1kvCCWFxDU5+HAR+AdvNKEXLhZA/aBwypvHmFnkOt9iv1i+vpP71ZCq=="
            "J6N2FN6E4M5IPNIGLVVWSLNSONXGLY4I4RT3R5MALDKHAOS4XGG42DN07A"
 "thr": 2,
  "amt": 1000000.
 "fee": 1000.
 "fv": 17279990.
 "gen": "testnet-v1.0",
 "ah": "SG01GKSzvE7IEPItTxCBvw9x8FmnrCDexi9/c0UJ0iI=".
 "1v": 17280990.
 "note": "02lhbvBNdWx0aVBpbm8hISE=".
 "rcv": "J6N2FN6E4M5IPNIGLVVWSLNSQNXGLY4I4RT3R5MALDKHAQS4XGG42DN07A",
 "snd": "KWTRU5DRUAJNEX3LOKFG5KWODONO6INUBGJHZERXHB5SIS3YYHHOWLCL6E".
  "type": "pay"
```

• Step 4: Send the transaction to a node

txid=algodClient.send_transaction(mTx)

Smart signatures I

A transaction can be signed by a TEAL program:

Transaction Execution and Approval Language

- a TEAL program
- arguments to the TEAL program

such that

- the TEAL program on the arguments provided terminates the execution with one single non-zero element in the stack
- the hash of the TEAL program is equal to the address of the sender of the transaction

▶ Source: https://developer.algorand.org/docs/get-details/dapps/smart-contracts/frontend/smartsigs/

Signing with a program

- Write the TEAL program
- Load the Program Bytes into the SDK.
- Create a Logic Signature based on the program.
- Create the Transaction.
- Set the sender of the transaction to the TEAL program address
- Sign the Transaction with the Logic Signature.
- Send the Transaction to the network.

A simple TEAL program

```
byte "34"
arg 0
==
txn CloseRemainderTo
txn Receiver
==
&&
```

It runs with success iff

- The first argument is "34"
- The rcv address and the close address are the same

Signing a transaction with a TEAL program

Step 1: create the logic

```
# Read TEAL program
data=open(myprogram, 'r').read()
# Compile TEAL program
response=algodClient.compile(data)
print("Response Hash = ", response['hash'])
# Create logic sig
programstr=response['result']
t=programstr.encode()
program=base64.decodebytes(t)
arg str = "34"
arg1=arg str.encode()
lsig=transaction.LogicSig(program, args=[arg1])
```

Signing a transaction with a TEAL program

Step 2: create the transaction

The sender address is the hash of the TEAL program as output by algodClient.compile

Signing a transaction with a TEAL program

Step 3: add the logic to the transaction

```
# Create the LogicSigTransaction with contract account LogicSig
lstx = transaction.LogicSigTransaction(txn, lsig)
transaction.write_to_file([lstx], "simple.stxn")

## Send raw LogicSigTransaction to network
txid = algodClient.send_transaction(lstx)
```

A transaction signed by a Program

```
"lsig": {
    "arg": [
     "MzU="
    "ĺ": "#pragma version 1\nbytecblock 0x3334\nbytec 0 // \"34\"\narg 0\n==\ntxn CloseRemainderTo\ntxn Receiv
n==n&&n"
 "txn": {
   "amt": 30000.
   "close": "IOYH24KGB6FMWWXDN3TUW35G6TUK45I0E0VKZKR6Z6M0LXUR0DKFCXX640".
   "fee": 1000.
   "fv": 17361459.
   "gen": "testnet-v1.0",
   "ah": "SG01GKSzvE7IEPItTxCBvw9x8FmnrCDexi9/c0UJ0iI=".
   "lv": 17362459,
   "note": "jnFqu7AbJLE=",
    "rcv": "IOYH24KGB6FMWWXDN3TUW35G6TUK45I0E0VKZKR6Z6M0LXUR0DKFCXX640".
   "snd": "J7KCCCMV2EE3KZS2DH7FFFMHGC4YLSAOVRSC4CMYPSP3IG62YD44MFAM04".
    "type": "pay"
```

The hash of the field lsig.l is equal to the sender field

Smart signatures II

A transaction can be signed by a TEAL program Transaction Execution and Approval Language

- a TEAL program
- arguments to the TEAL program

such that

- the TEAL program on the arguments provided terminates the execution with one single non-zero element in the stack
- the **sender** signs the program

Source: https://developer.algorand.org/docs/get-details/dapps/smart-contracts/frontend/smartsigs/

Delegated Signatures

Smart Signatures

- Write the TEAL program
- Load the Program Bytes into the SDK.
- Create a Logic Signature
- Create the Transaction.
- Set the sender of the transaction to the TEAL program address
- Sign the Transaction with the Logic Signature.
- Send the Transaction to the network.

Delegated Signatures

Delegated Signatures

- Write the TEAL program
- Load the Program Bytes into the SDK.
- Create a Logic Signature
- Sign the Logic Signature with a specific account.
- Create the Transaction.
- Set the sender of the transaction to the address that signed the logic.
- Sign the Transaction with the Logic Signature.
- Send the Transaction to the network.

• The sender S creat	es a logic, signs it and give	ves it to the delegator D .
 The program check sender's account. 	s the conditions under wh	nich algos will leave the
• The delegator <i>D</i> caraccount without <i>S</i>	an create a transaction to s intervention.	receiver Algos from S's
The payment trans	action is signed by D by ι	using the signed logic
received from S		(□ > (Ē > (Ē > (Ē > (□ > (□ > (□ > (□ >
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Step 1 (modified): create the logic and sign it

```
# Read TEAL program
data = open(myprogram, 'r').read()
# Compile TEAL program
response=algodClient.compile(data)
programAddr=response['hash']
programstr=response['result']
print("Response Result = ".programstr)
print("Response Hash = ",programAddr)
# Create logic sig
t = programstr.encode()
program = base64.decodebytes(t)
# Create arg to pass if TEAL program requires an arg,
# if not, omit args param
# string parameter
arg str = "34"
argl=arg str.encode()
lsig=transaction.LogicSig(program, args=[arg1])
passphrase=open(senderMNEMFile,'r').read()
senderKey=mnemonic.to private key(passphrase)
senderAddr=account.address from private key(senderKey)
print("Address of Sender/Delegator: " + senderAddr)
lsig.sign(senderKey)
```

Algorand Standard Assets (ASAs)

- Coins living on top of the Algorand blockchain
- Many instance of the same type. AKA fungible assets

Parameters:

- Creator (required)
- AssetName (optional, but recommended)
- UnitName (optional, but recommended)
- Total (required)
- Decimals (required)
- DefaultFrozen (required)
- URL (optional)
- MetaDataHash (optional)

Source https://developer.algorand.org/docs/get-details/asa/



Algorand Standard Assets (ASAs)

Four different types of users associated with an ASA

- Manager: can re-configure or destroy an asset
- Reserve: all non-minted assets will reside in this account. Purely informational.
- Freeze: can freeze and unfreeze the asset for a specific account
- Clawback: account that is allowed to transfer assets from and to any asset holder

ASA Creation

Restrictions

- A single account can create up to 1000 assets
- For each asset the account creates or owns the minimum balance is increased by .1 Algos
- An account can receive only assets for which it has opted-in

ASA Creation – Python SDK

```
txn=AssetConfigTxn(
    sender=creatorAddr,
    sp=params,
    total=1000,
    default frozen=False,
    unit name="OctoT",
    asset name="OctoAsset",
    manager=managerAddr,
    reserve=reserveAddr,
    freeze=freezeAddr,
    clawback=clawbackAddr,
    url="https://giuper.github.io",
    decimals=0)
```

Then the transaction is signed and sent to a client.

ASA Creation – TX

```
"txn": {
  "apar": {
    "am": "gXHjtDdtVpY7IKwJYsJWdCSrnUvRsX4jr3ihz02U9C0=",
    "an": "My New Coin".
    "au": "developer.algorand.org",
    "c": "EW64GC6F24M7NDSC5R3ES4YUVE3ZXXNMARJHDCCCLTHZU6TBEOC7XRSBG4".
    "dc": 2.
    "f": "EW64GC6F24M7NDSC5R3ES4YUVE3ZXXNMARJHDCCCLIHZU6TBE0C7XRSBG4",
    "m": "EW64GC6F24M7NDSC5R3ES4YUVE3ZXXNMARJHDCCCLIHZU6TBEOC7XRSBG4".
    "r": "EW64GC6F24M7NDSC5R3ES4YUVE3ZXXNMARJHDCCCLIHZU6TBEOC7XRSBG4",
    "t": 50000000,
    "un": "MNC"
  "fee": 1000.
  "fv": 6000000.
  "gh": "SG01GKSzyE7IEPItTxCByw9x8FmnrCDexi9/c0UJ0iI=",
  "lv": 6001000.
  "snd": "EW64GC6F24M7NDSC5R3ES4YUVE3ZXXNMARJHDCCCLIHZU6TBE0C7XRSBG4".
  "type": "acfg"
```

Type acfg stands for asset configuration

The missing caid and the presence of apar field distinguish the TX as an asset creation transaction

Opting in an ASA - Python SDK

- Before an account can receive a specific asset it must opt-in to receive it.
- An opt-in transaction places an asset holding of 0 into the account and increases its minimum balance by 100,000 microAlgos.
- An opt-in transaction is simply an asset transfer with an amount of 0, both to and from the account opting in.

Opting in an ASA – TX

```
"txn": {
   "arcv": "QC7XT7QU7X6IHNRJZBR67RBMKCAPH67PCSX4LYH4QKVSQ7DQZ32PG5HSVQ",
   "fee": 1000,
   "fv": 6631154,
   "gh": "S601GKSZyE7IEPItTxCByw9x8FmnrCDexi9/c0UJ0iI=",
   "lv": 6632154,
   "snd": "QC7XT7QU7X6IHNRJZBR67RBMKCAPH67PCSX4LYH4QKVSQ7DQZ32PG5HSVQ",
   "type": "axfer",
   "xaid": 168103
   }
}
```

- The axfer distinguishes this as an asset transfer transaction with asset id specified by xaid
- an optin TX:
 - Same address for sender and receiver
 - No amount specified

Transfer of an ASA

```
txn=AssetTransferTxn(sender=senderAddr,sp=params,
              receiver=receiverAddr.amt=10.index=assetID)
                                                                   "txn": {
   "aamt": 1000000,
   "arcv": "OC7XT70U7X6IHNRJZBR67RBMKCAPH67PCSX4LYH40KVS07D0Z32PG5HSV0",
   "fee": 3000,
   "fy": 7631196.
   "gh": "SG01GKSzyE7IEPItTxCByw9x8FmnrCDexi9/c0UJ0iI=",
   "lv": 7632196,
   "snd": "EW64GC6F24M7NDSC5R3ES4YUVE3ZXXNMARJHDCCCLIHZU6TBEOC7XRSBG4".
   "type": "axfer",
   "xaid": 168103
```

The transaction must be signed by the sender.

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Revoking asset

- Revoking an asset for an account removes a specific number of the asset from the revoke target account.
- Revoking an asset from an account requires specifying sender (the revoke target account) and an asset receiver (the account to transfer the funds back to).
- It must be signed by the clawback address
- AssetTransferTxn
 - sender (the clawback address)
 - sp (the parameters)
 - receiver (the receiving address)
 - amt (amount of assets)
 - ▶ index
 - revocation_target (the address that will lose the asset)

Revoking an ASA – TX

```
{
"txn": {
    "aamt": 500000,
    "arcv": "EW64GC6F24M7NDSC5R3ES4YUVE3ZXXNMARJHDCCCLIHZU6TBEOC7XRSBG4",
    "asnd": "QC7XT7QU7X6IHNRJZBR67RBMKCAPH67PCSX4LYH4QKVSQ7DQZ32PG5HSVQ",
    "fee": 1000,
    "fv": 7687457,
    "gh": "S601GKSzyE7IEPItTxCByw9x8FmnrCDexi9/cOUJOII=",
    "lv": 7688457,
    "snd": "EW64GC6F24M7NDSC5R3ES4YUVE3ZXXNMARJHDCCCLIHZU6TBEOC7XRSBG4",
    "type": "axfer",
    "xaid": 168103
}
```

- type is asset transfer axfer
- asnd is the address from which the assets will be revoked and identifies this as a revoke transaction
- snd is the clawback address

Other operations

- The manager, freeze, clawback, reserve addresses can be modified.
 - ► Must be signed by the Manager address
 - An asset creation transaction with a specified asset id
- An asset can be frozen/unfrozen with an AssetFreezeTxn.
 - Must be signed by the Freeze address
 - new_freeze_state=True/False
- The asset held by an account can be revoked by the Clawback
- An asset can be destroyed by the Manager.
 - ▶ The creator must hold all the assets.
 - ► Asset configuration transaction with asset ID (unlike the creation transaction) and no asset parameter (unlike a reconfiguration)