

Chains

Sei operates three distinct chains, each serving different purposes: mainnet, testnet, and devnet. Below is an overview of each chain, including their purposes and chain IDs.

- **Mainnet**

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Thepacific-1 chain is the mainnet of the Sei blockchain. It is the live, production environment where actual transactions and smart contract deployments occur. This chain is used for all real-world applications and activities involving Sei tokens.

- Purpose
 - : Production environment for live applications.
- Chain ID
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- **Testnet**

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Theatlantic-2 chain is the testnet of the Sei blockchain. It is used for testing and development purposes. Developers can deploy and test their dApps and smart contracts in a controlled environment that simulates the mainnet conditions. This chain is crucial for ensuring that applications work as expected before going live.

- Purpose
 - : Testing and development environment.
- Chain ID
 - :atlantic-2

- **Devnet**

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Thearctic-1 chain is the devnet of the Sei blockchain. It serves as a development network for early-stage testing and experimentation. This chain is typically used by developers to test new features, perform integration testing, and develop prototypes in an isolated environment.

- Purpose
 - : Early-stage development and experimentation.
- Chain ID
 - :arctic-1

- **Local Chains**

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Please read the[Nodes Introduction](#) section for more information on how to set up and run a local chain.

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