# eth\_getBalance

Returns the balance of the account of a given address.

### **Parameters**

- · address
- · : [Required
- ] A string representing the address (20 bytes) to check for balance.
- · block parameter
- : [Required
- ] A hexadecimal block number, or one of the string tagslatest
- earliest
- · ,pending
- ,safe
- · , orfinalized
- . See the default block parameter

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### Returns

A hexadecimal of the current balance in the account at the given address. The balance is in wei.

## **Example**

ReplaceYOUR-API-KEY with an API key from your Infura dashboard .

### Request

• cURL

### Response

• JSON

{ "jsonrpc" :

"2.0" , "id" :

1 , "result" :

"0x7c2562030800" }

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