#### What a contract looks like

#### **Example Aztec.nr Contract**

In keeping with the origins of blockchain, here's an example of a simple private token contract. Everyone's balances are private.

## [aztec(private)]

## [aztec(initializer)]

```
fn
constructor ( initial_supply :
u64 , owner :
AztecAddress )
{ let balances = storage . balances ;
balances . at ( owner ) . add ( initial_supply , owner ) ; }
// Mints amount of tokens to owner.
```

# [aztec(private)]

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fn
mint ( amount :
u64 , owner :
AztecAddress )
{ let balances = storage . balances ;
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balances . at ( owner ) . add ( amount , owner ) ; }
// Transfers amount of tokens from sender to a recipient.
```

#### [aztec(private)]

```
fn
transfer (amount:
u64, sender:
AztecAddress, recipient:
AztecAddress )
{ let balances = storage . balances ;
balances . at ( sender ) . sub ( amount , sender ) ; balances . at ( recipient ) . add ( amount , recipient ) ; }
// Helper function to get the balance of a user ("unconstrained" is a Noir alternative of Solidity's "view" function).
unconstrained fn
getBalance (owner:
AztecAddress)
pub
Field
{ let balances = storage . balances ;
// Return the sum of all notes in the set. balance_utils :: get_balance ( balances . at ( owner ) . set ) | Source code: noir-
projects/noir-contracts/contracts/easy_private_token_contract/src/main.nr#L1-L47 The prelude consists of more commonly
imported aztec types that are needed for development. Here is what the prelude includes:
prelude use
dep :: protocol_types :: { address :: { AztecAddress ,
EthAddress },
abis :: function selector :: FunctionSelector } ; use
crate :: { state vars :: { map :: Map ,
private immutable :: PrivateImmutable,
private mutable :: PrivateMutable , public immutable :: PublicImmutable ,
public mutable :: PublicMutable,
private set:: PrivateSet, shared immutable:: SharedImmutable }, log:: { emit_unencrypted_log, emit_encrypted_log} },
context :: PrivateContext , note :: { note header :: NoteHeader ,
note_interface :: NoteInterface ,
note_getter_options :: NoteGetterOptions , note_viewer_options :: NoteViewerOptions , utils ::
compute_note_hash_and_nullifier as utils_compute_note_hash_and_nullifier } } ; Source code: noir-projects/aztec-
nr/aztec/src/prelude.nr#L1-L16 Disclaimer Please note that any example contract set out herein is provided solely for
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