title: Usage

When connecting to different networks using mev-boost, specify the desired network using its dedicated flag. Here are the available Network Flags:

| Network | Flag | | ------ | ------ | Mainnet | -mainnet | Goerli Testnet | -goerli | Sepolia Testnet | -sepolia | Kiln | -kiln | -kiln | Ropsten | -ropsten |

You can add multiple relays comma-separated to the-relays flag, like this:-relays RELAY_URL_1, RELAY_URL_2. Refer to ETH staker Relay List for a list of available relays.

Mainnet Relay

Run mev-boost pointed at our Mainnet Relay:

bash ./mev-boost -mainnet -relay-check -relays https://0xac6e77dfe25ecd6110b8e780608cce0dab71fdd5ebea22a16c0205200f2f8e2e3ad3b71d3499c54ad14d6c21b41a37ae@boost-relay.flashbots.net

Goerli testnet

Run mev-boost pointed at our Goerli Relay:

bash ./mev-boost -goerli -relay-check -relays https://0xafa4c6985aa049fb79dd37010438cfebeb0f2bd42b115b89dd678dab0670c1de38da0c4e9138c9290a398ecd9a0b3110@builder-relay-goerli,flashbots.net

Sepolia testnet

Run mev-boost pointed at our Sepolia Relay:

bash ./mev-boost -sepolia -relay-check -relays https://0x845bd072b7cd566f02faeb0a4033ce9399e42839ced64e8b2adcfc859ed1e8e1a5a293336a49feac6d9a5edb779be53a@builder-relay-sepolia.flashbots.net

mev-boost CLI arguments

bash \$./mev-boost -help Usage of ./mev-boost: -addr string listen-address for mev-boost server (default "localhost:18550") -debug shorthand for '-loglevel debug' -genesis-fork-version string use a custom genesis fork version -goerli use Goerli -json log in JSON format instead of text -loglevel string minimum loglevel: trace, debug, info, warn/warning, error, fatal, panic (default "info") -mainnet use Mainnet -relay-check check relay status on startup and on the status API call -relay-innoitor string relay monitor urfs - single entry or comma-separated list (scheme://pubkey@host) -request-timeout-getheader int timeout for getHeader requests to the relay [ms] (default 950) -request-timeout-getpayload int timeout for getPayload requests to the relay [ms] (default 4000) -request-timeout-regval int timeout for registerValidator requests [ms] (default 900) -sepolia use Sepolia -version only print version

Verifying Your Setup

You can check if you setup works by looking up the validator registration of your proposer using the Relay Data API.

For example, let's suppose that your validator's public key isoxb606e206c2bf3b78f53ebff8be8e8d4af2f0da68646b5642c4d511b15ab5ddb122ae57b48eab614f8ca5bafbe75a5999. You can check if your validator is registered by querying the following endpoint:

url https://boost-relay.flashbots.net/relay/v1/data/validator_registration?pubkey=0xb606e206c2bf3b78f53ebff8be8e8d4af2f0da68646b5642c4d511b15ab5dbb122ae57b48eab614f8ca5bafbe75a5999

Below is the response:

json { "message": { "fee_recipient": "0x6db5c947ba388f0e708c03339d534af9fae5679c", "gas_limit": "30000000", "timestamp": "1663063595", "pubkey":
"0xb606e206c2bf3b78f53ebff8be8e8d4af2f0da68646b5642c4d511b15ab5ddb122ae57b48eab614f8ca5bafbe75a5999" }, "signature":
"0x94f1f635336f8c38909842f06550026bbc198f892c6a79c22a3365e547e87665e31feccfacda3533ef3cf8e2c965e03d1594cf8e981dfc75011b4d237552386377bcea714bcfb78d303fe5624625e1bbb8b23f3a6d1b7c9efb3d76cad4ca01a5"

The fee recipient field should match the address you provided when registering your validator. If it does, then your setup is working correctly.