# 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
- · , orfinalized
- . See thedefault block parameter
- .
- warning
- safe
- · isn't supported. Usefinalized
- · instead.

### 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
- WSS

curl https://scroll-mainnet.infura.io/v3/ \ -X POST \ -H "Content-Type: application/json" \ -d '{"jsonrpc": "2.0", "method": "eth\_getBalance", "params": ["0xc94770007dda54cF92009BFF0dE90c06F603a09f", "latest"], "id": 1}' wscat -c wss://scroll-mainnet.infura.io/ws/v3/ -x '{"jsonrpc": "2.0", "method": "eth\_getBalance", "params": ["0xc94770007dda54cF92009BFF0dE90c06F603a09f", "latest"], "id": 1}'

### Response

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JSON{ "jsonrpc" :"2.0" , "id" :1 , "result" :"0x7c2562030800" }
```

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