

Week 1: Introduction to Blockchain

Mentor Session Plan

Learning objectives

- Introduction to Cryptography
- Code Walkthrough: Hashing and Basic asymmetric cryptography

Session Structure

Time Distribution of 3 hours	Topic	Detail
First 10 min	Explain the session structure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain the agenda and learning objectives of the session • It is the first week of the module hence we have an introduction session between learners and mentors.
2 hr 30 min	Walkthrough the content in the Notebooks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain the concept of Blockchain, Cryptography, Hashing and Asymmetric Cryptography • Explain Code Walkthrough: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Hashing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Creation of message digest ○ Basic asymmetric cryptography <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Private and Public Key creation ■ Encryption and Decryption ■ Serialization and Deserialization ○ Digital Signature <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Public and Private Key Creation ■ Creation and Verification of Signature • Add your own example(if possible) based on your experience in the same context.

20 min	Interactive Q & A	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Doubt clearing and discussions with participants and summarizing the session
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