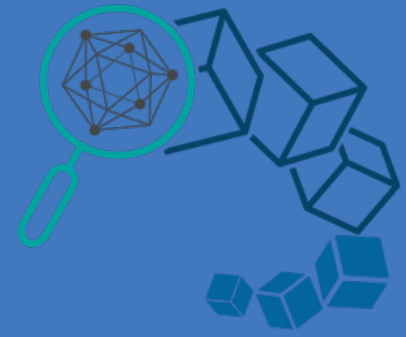




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Hyperledger Fabric Architecture and Design

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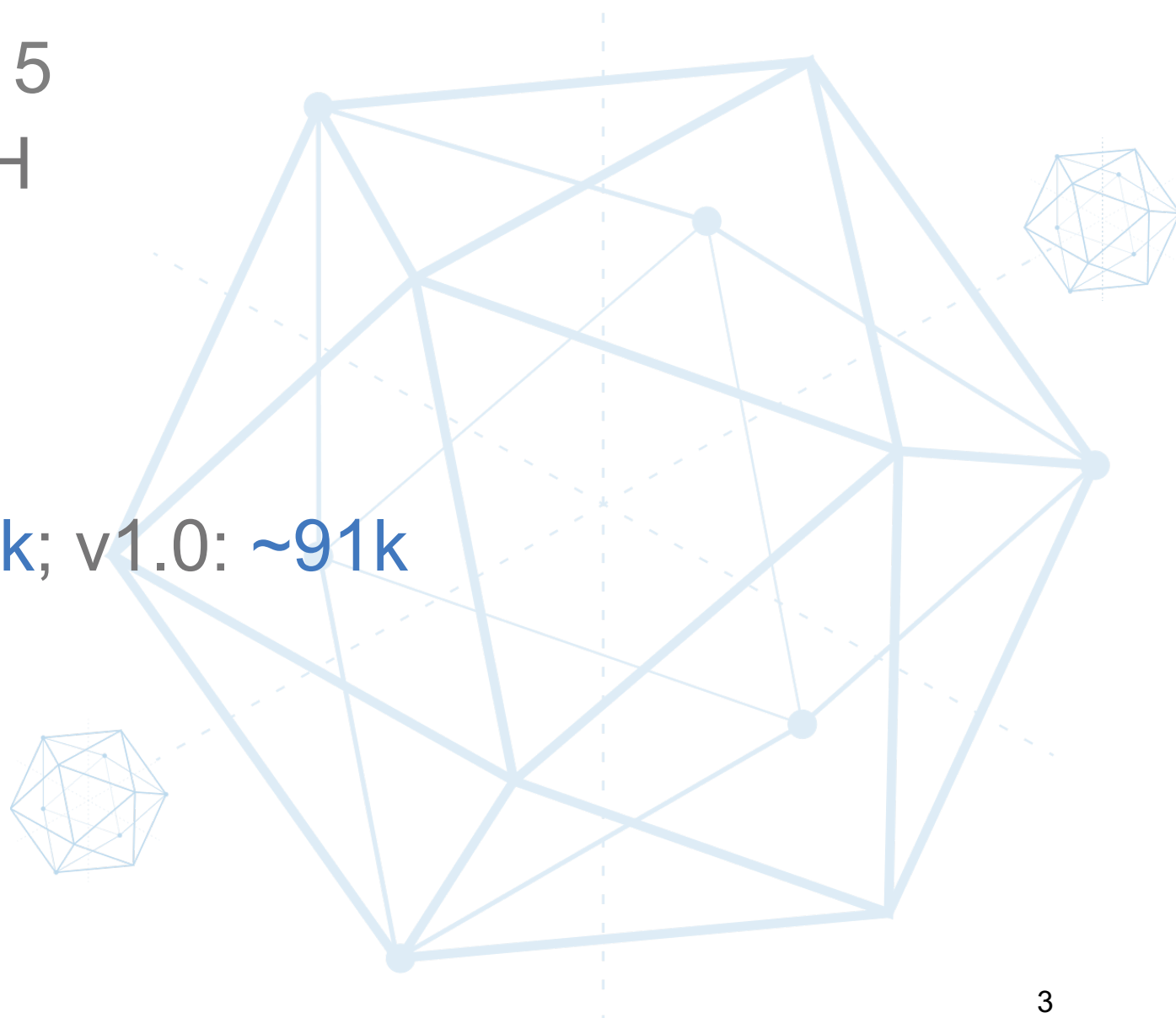
About Me

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 - PTL of [Cello](#) project and [fabric-sdk-py](#) project
 - Chair of [Hyperledger Technical Working Group China](#)



Hyperledger Fabric

- Open-sourced at Dec, 2015
- Proposed by IBM and DASH
- Written in Golang
- 90+ contributors
- 5000+ commits
- Core code (loc): v0.6: ~49k; v1.0: ~91k
- Active now, in 1.0 rc1



Existing Blockchain Technologies

- Limited Throughput
- Slow Transaction Confirmation
- Designed for Cryptocurrency
- Poor Governance
- No Privacy
- No Settlement Finality
- Anonymous Processors
- ...



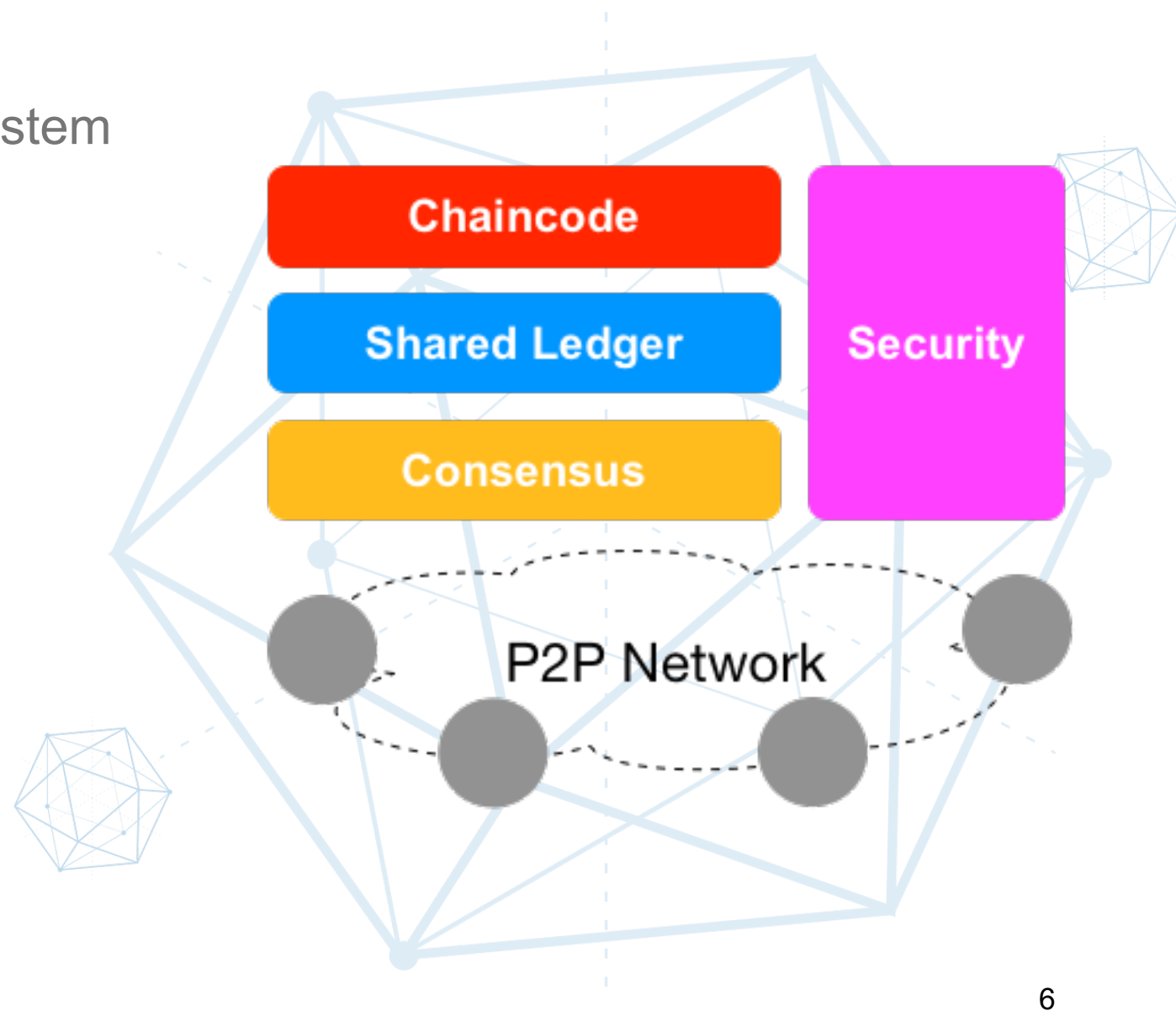
Hyperledger Fabric: Ledger for Enterprise

- Privacy, Confidentiality, Auditability, Performance and Scalability
- Permissioned with better trust among members, while enable optimized consensus
- Open protocol/standard with open-source code



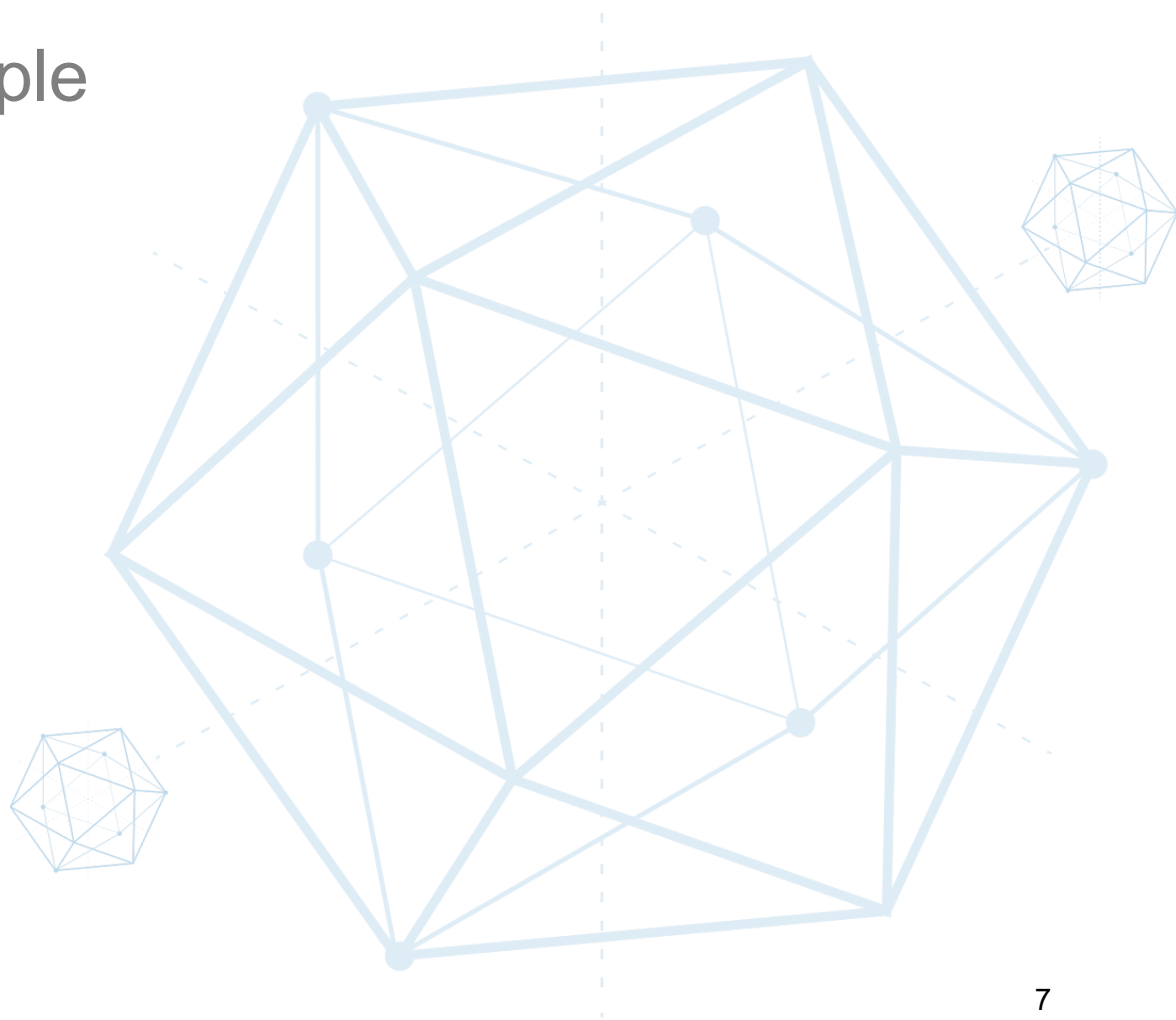
Fabric Main Components

- Shared Ledger
 - Append-only distributed record system
 - Blocks + States
- Smart Contract (Chaincode)
 - Business logics with transactions
 - Stateless and deterministic
- Consensus
 - Verified and ordered transactions
- Security
 - Access control
 - Privacy protection
 - Verification
 - CA



Fabric 1.0 Key Design

- Node Functionality Decouple
- Multi-Channel/Chain
- Consensus
- Permission and Privacy
- System Chaincode
- Pluggable Components



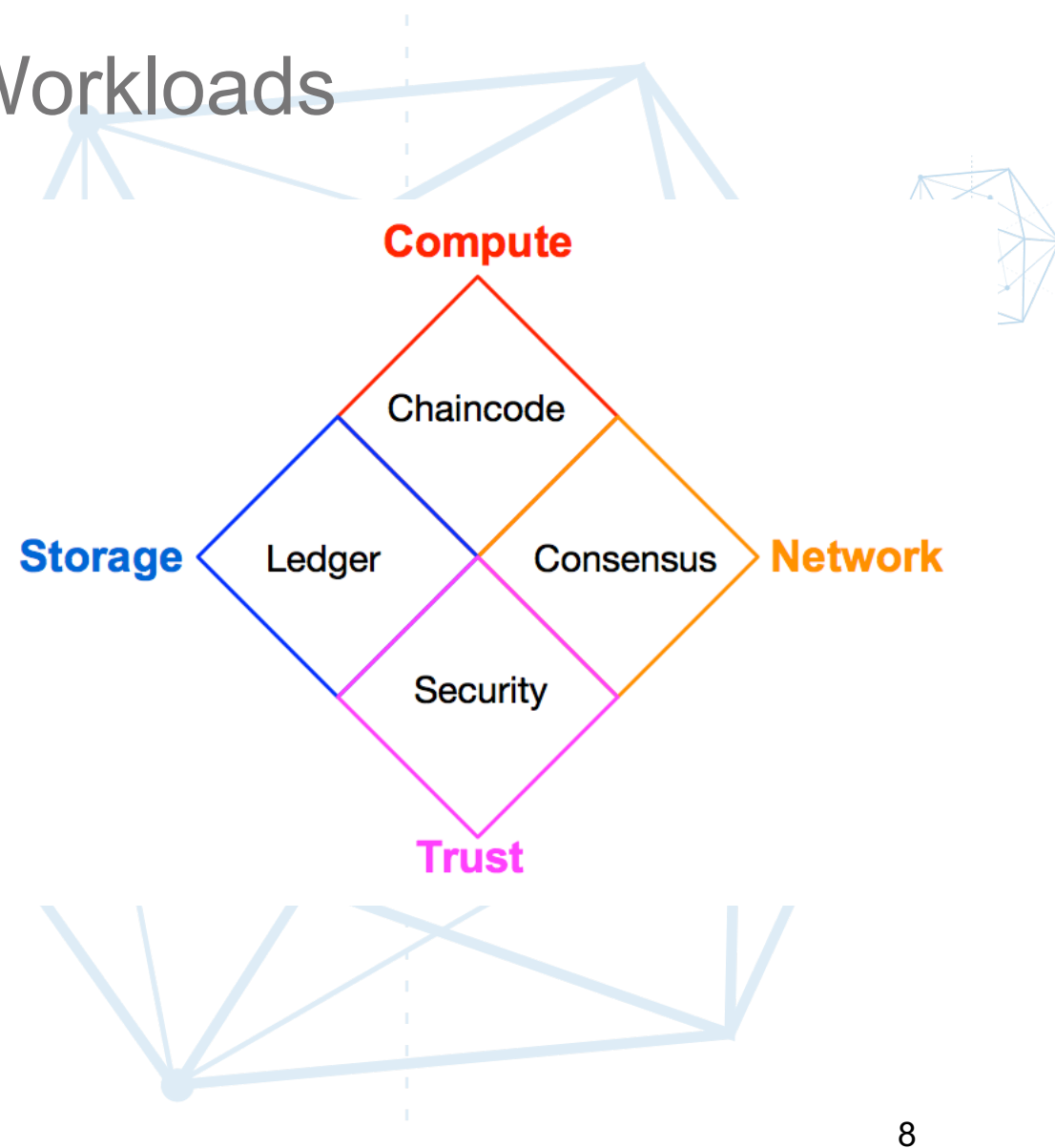
Node Functionality Decouple

- Various Intensive Requirements/Workloads

- Chaincode: **Compute** intensive
- Shared Ledger: **Storage** intensive
- Consensus: **Network** intensive
- Security: **Trust** intensive

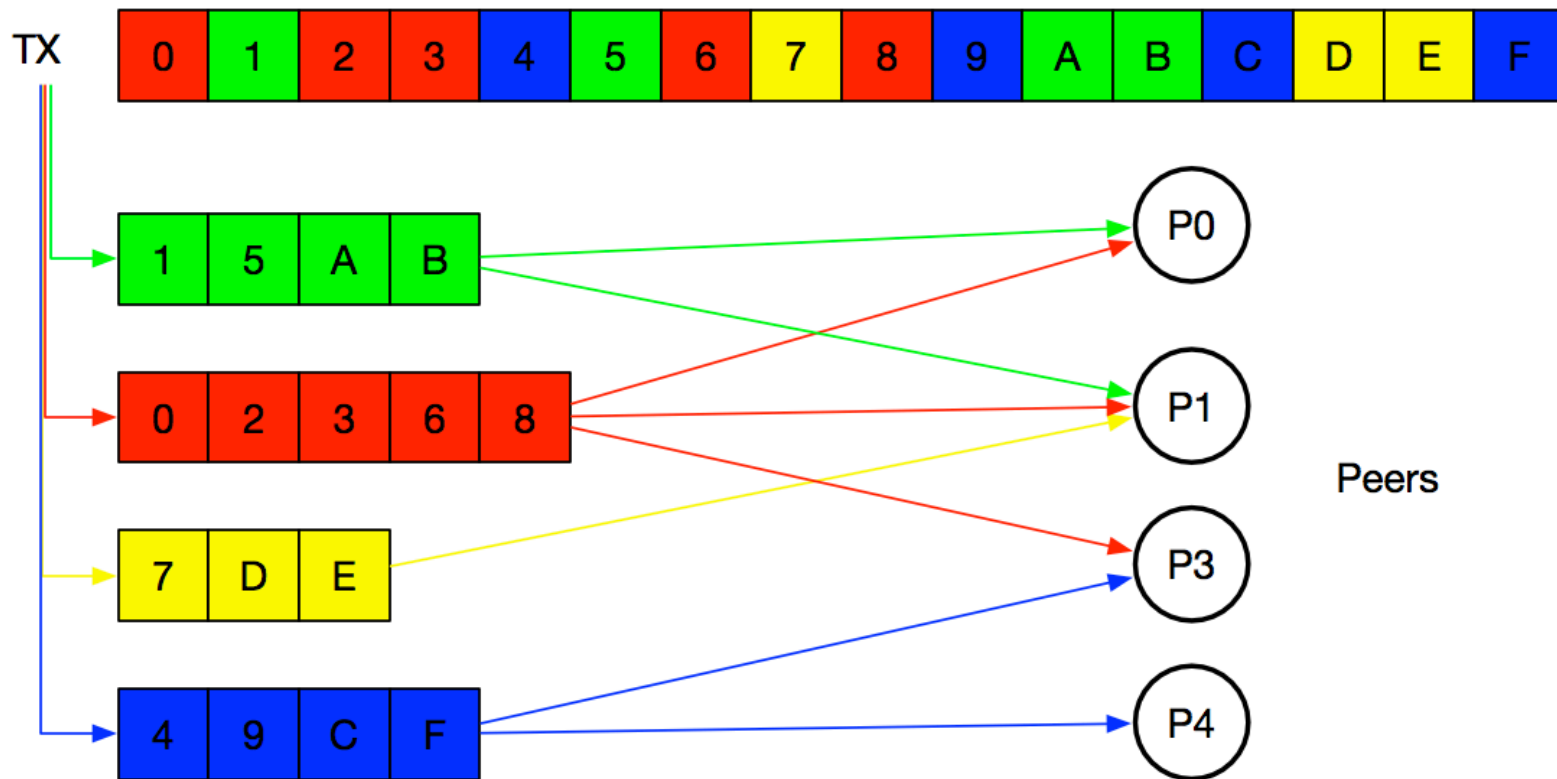
- Decouple Full-functional Nodes

- **Endorser**: Endorse TX proposal
- **Committer**: Write down block
- **Orderer**: Only order, no TX aware
- **CA**: Certificate management



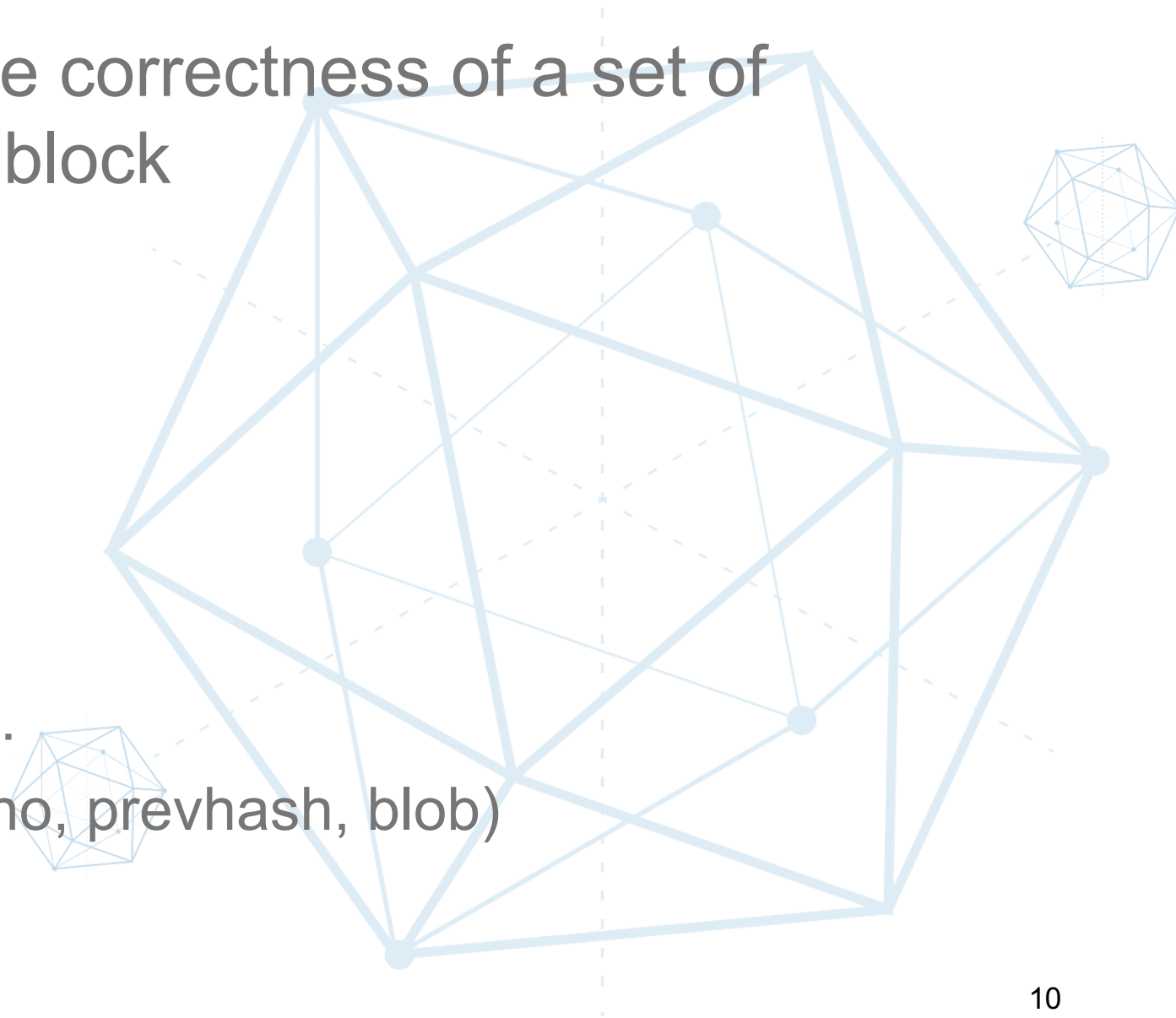
Multi-Channel/Chain

- Isolate the transactions, ledgers between organizations – Overlay Network
- Peer can join channels accordingly



Consensus

- Full-circle verification of the correctness of a set of transactions comprising a block
 - Endorsement policy
 - MVCC validation on RW sets
 - Ordering
 - ACL
- Orderer
 - Solo, Kafka, BFT, and more...
 - Broadcast(blob), Deliver(seqno, prevhash, blob)



Permission and Privacy

- Permission at Various Levels

- Network, channel, transaction

- Privacy for Business

- Anonymity

- Un-linkability

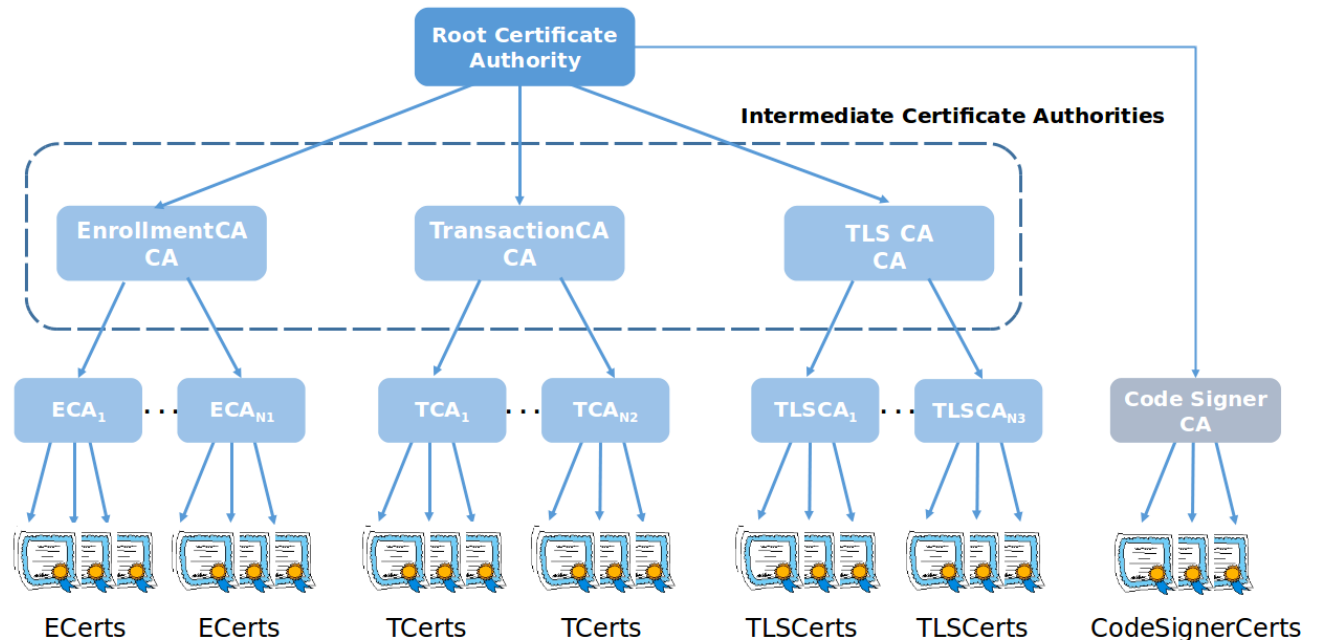
- Auditability and Accountability

- Fabric CA (PKI)

- Identity Registration Management

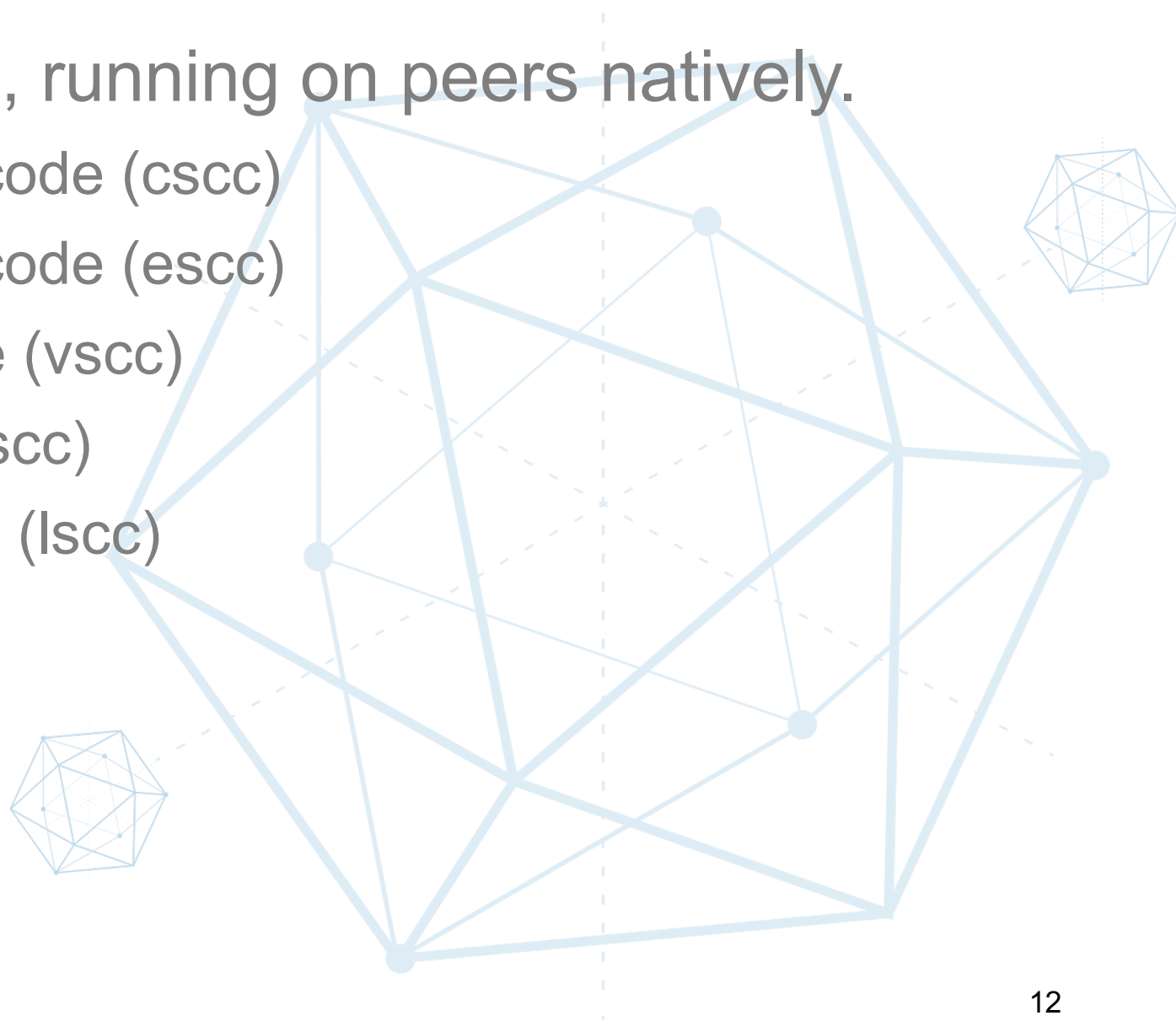
- Enrollment Cert (Ecert) and Transaction Cert (Tcert)

Public Key Infrastructure - Hierarchy



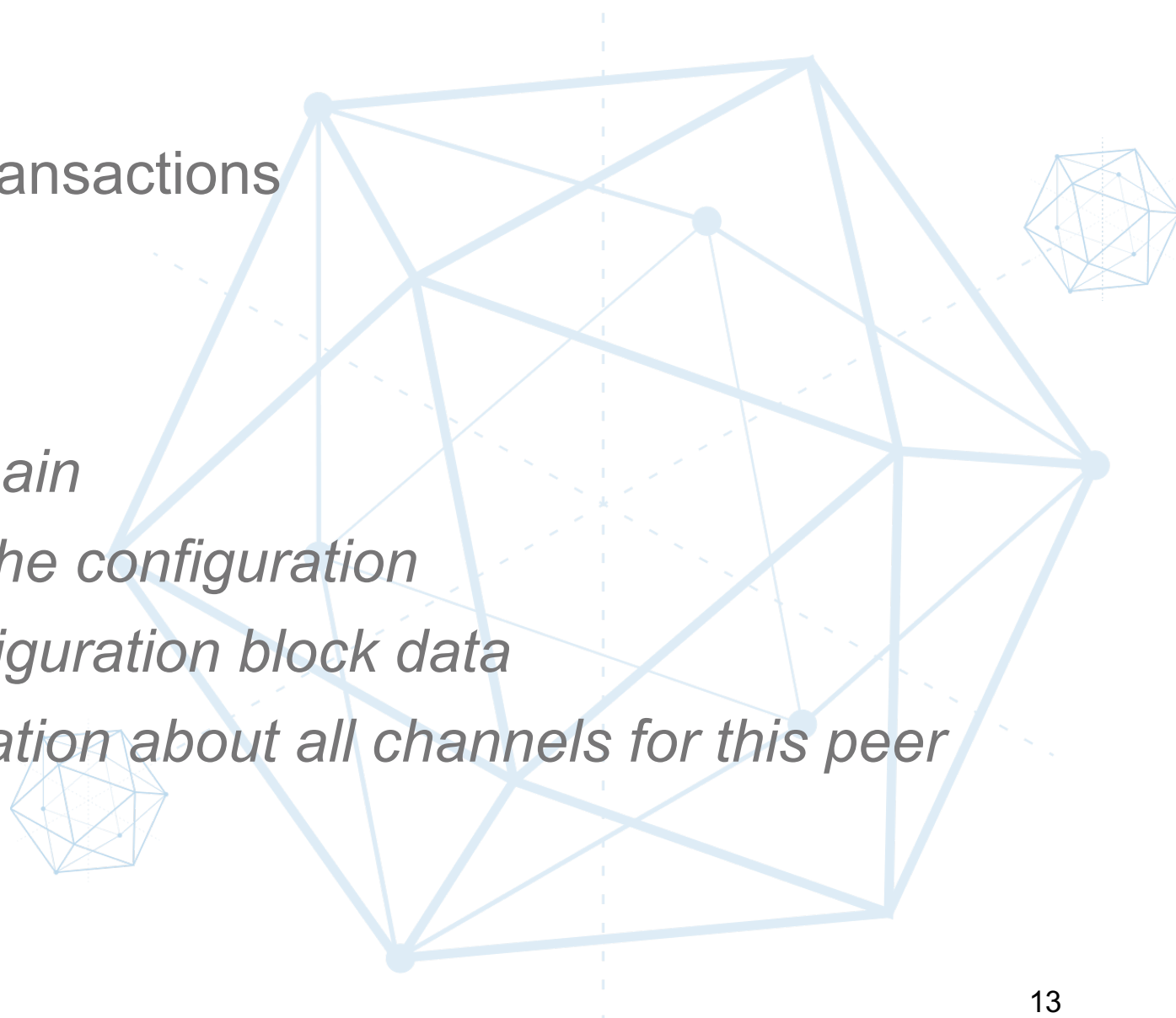
System Chaincode

- Handle system operations, running on peers natively.
 - Configuration System Chaincode (csc)
 - Endorsement System Chaincode (esc)
 - Validation System Chaincode (vsc)
 - Query System Chaincode (qsc)
 - Life-cycle System Chaincode (lsc)



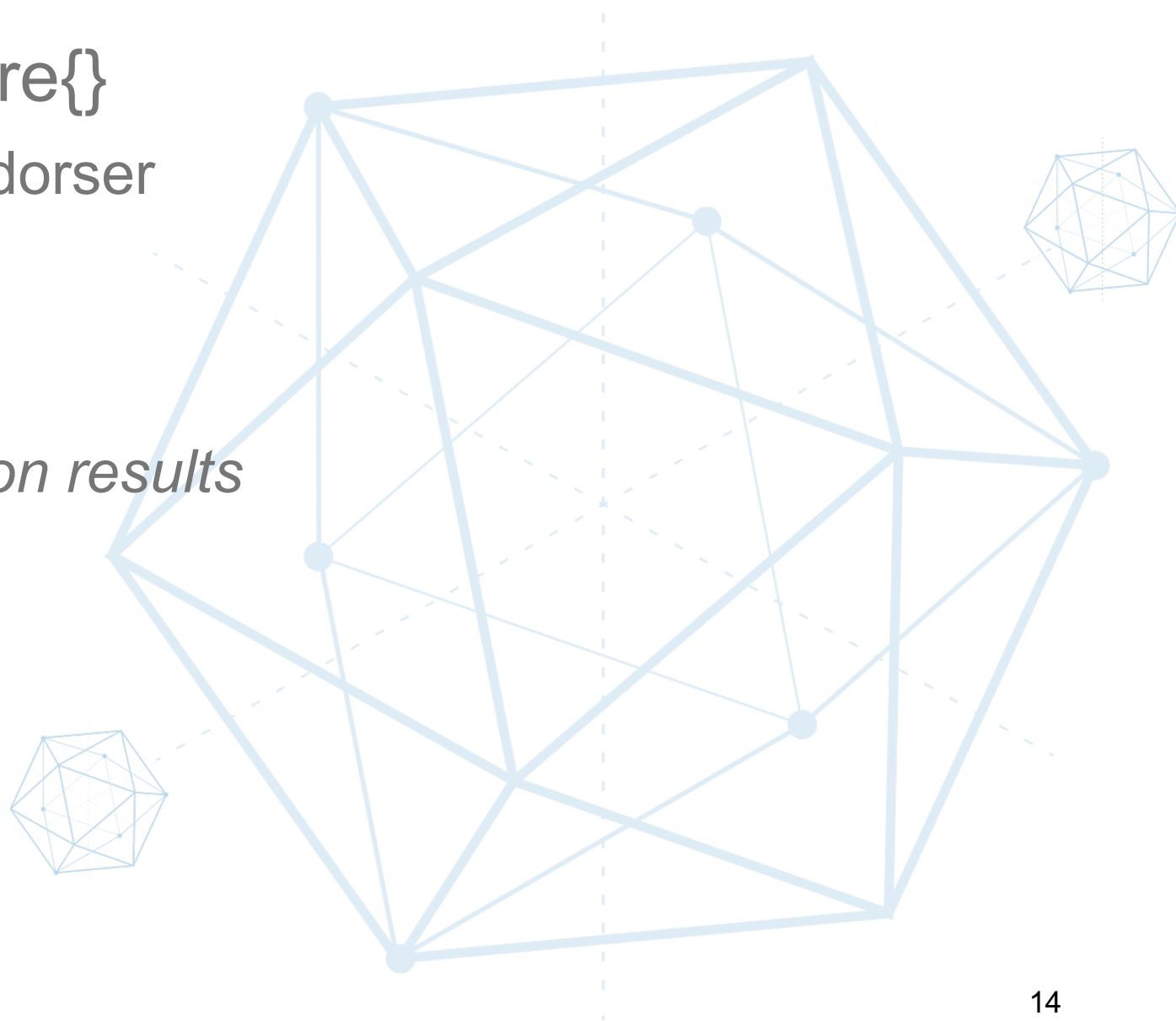
Configuration System ChainCode

- PeerConfiger{}
 - Handle those configuration transactions
- Init()
- Invoke()
 - JoinChain: *peer join into a chain*
 - UpdateConfigBlock: *update the configuration*
 - GetConfigBlock: *get the configuration block data*
 - GetChannels: *returns information about all channels for this peer*



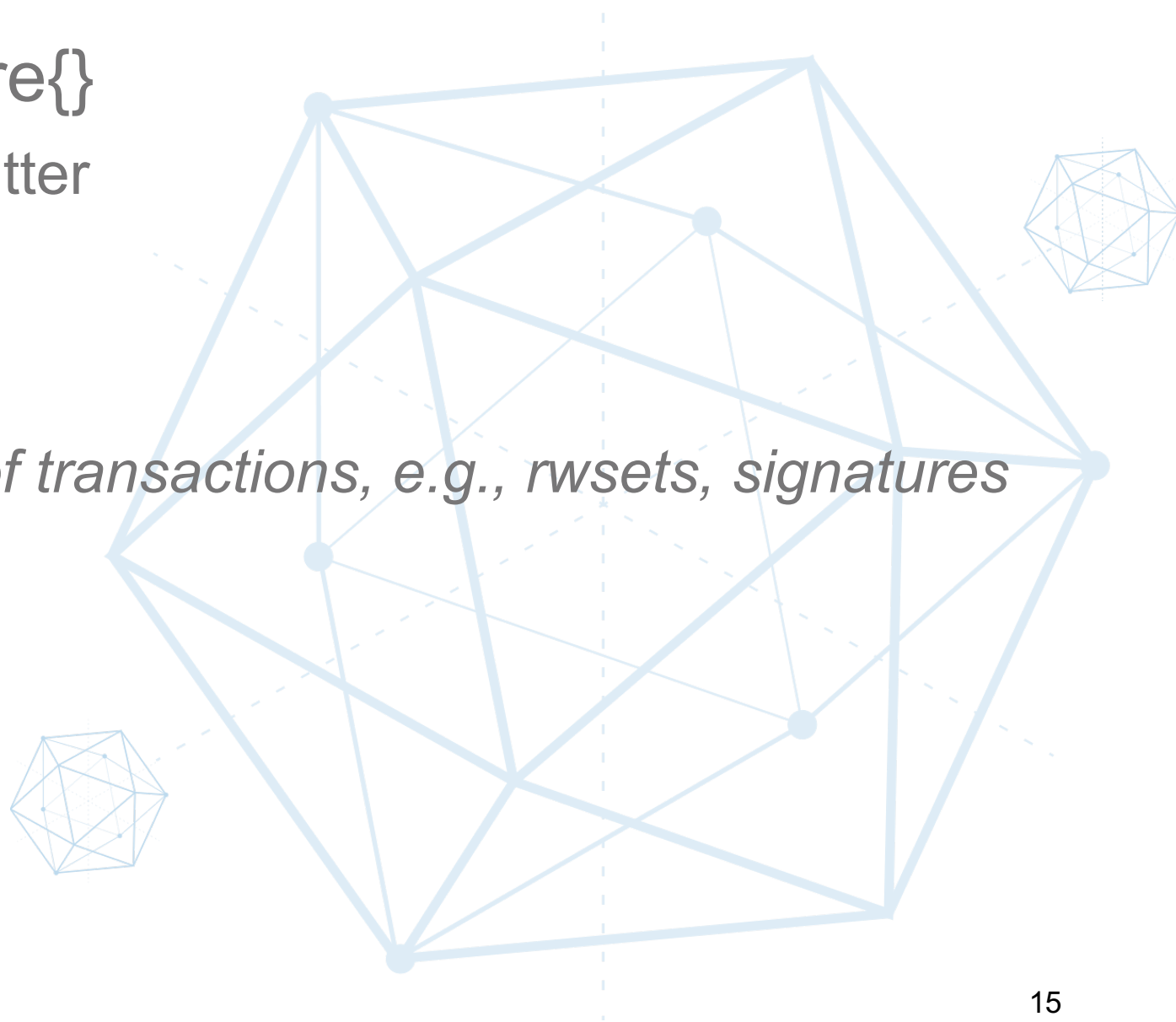
Endorsement System ChainCode

- EndorserOneValidSignature{
 - Endorsement process on Endorser
- Init()
- Invoke()
 - *Sign on chaincode's simulation results*
 - *More explicit rules (TBD)*



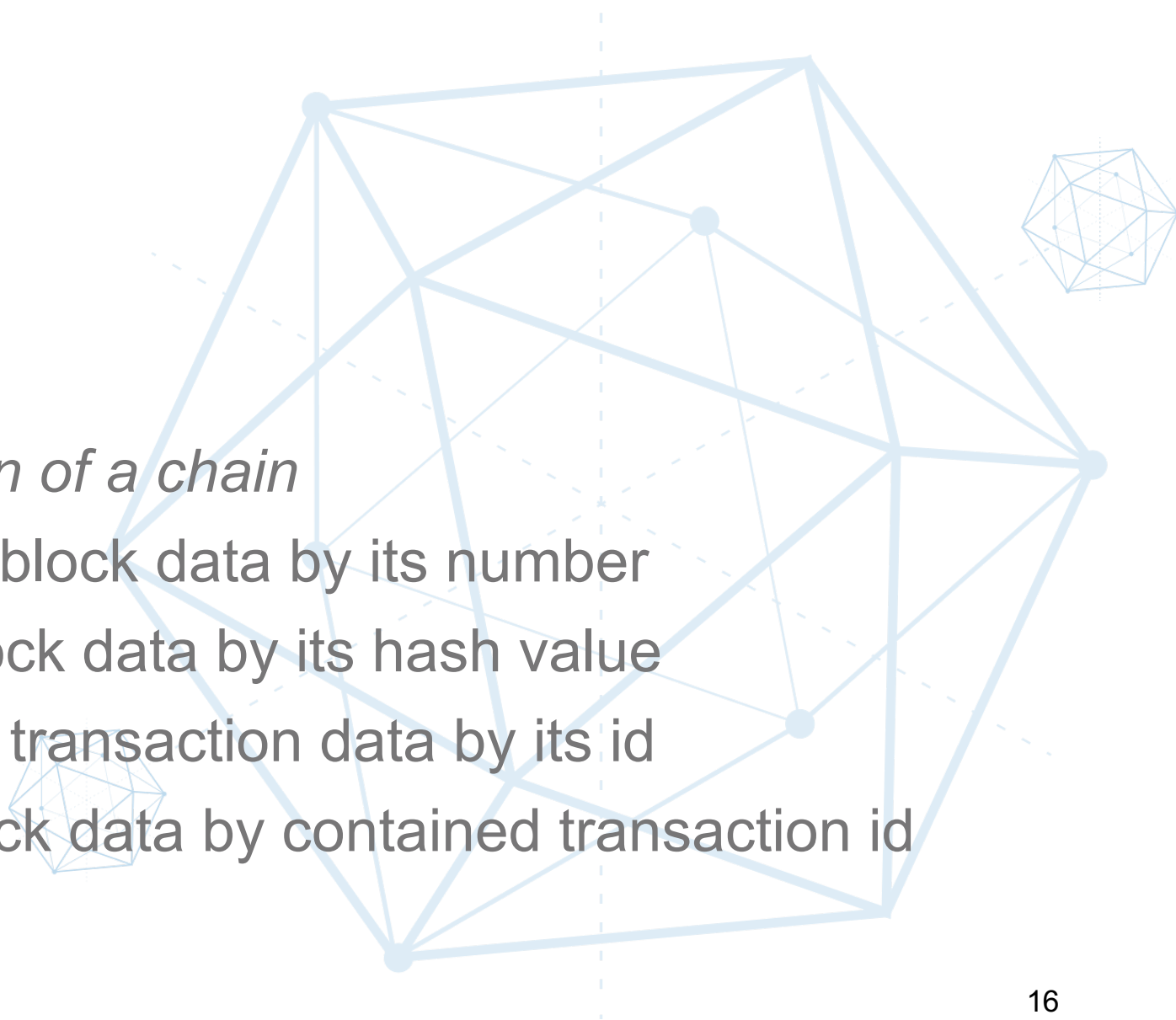
Validation System ChainCode

- ValidatorOneValidSignature{
 - Validation process on Committer
- Init()
- Invoke()
 - *Validate the specified block of transactions, e.g., rwsets, signatures*



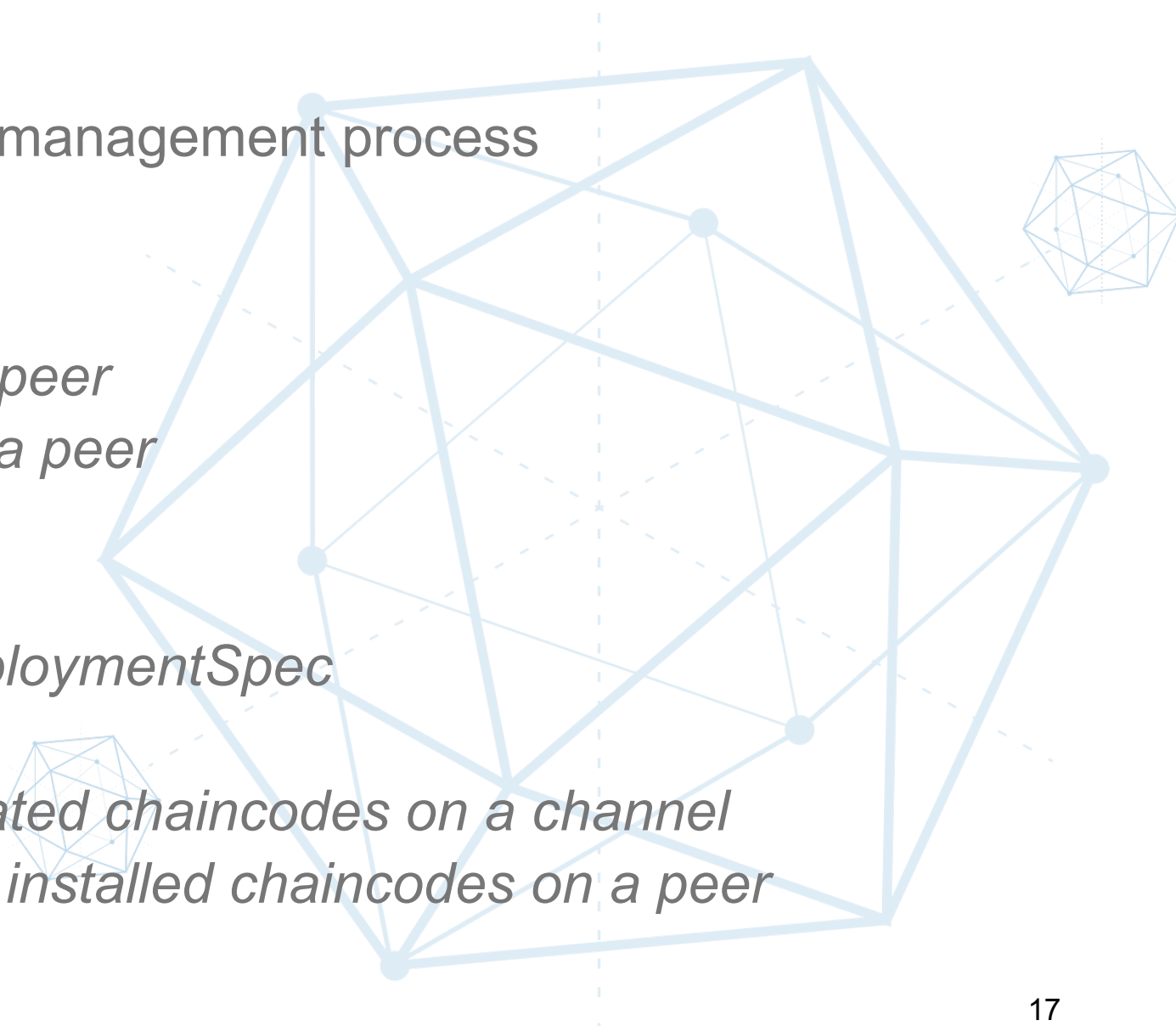
Query System ChainCode

- LedgerQuerier{}
 - Ledger query functions
- Init()
- Invoke()
 - *GetChainInfo*: Get information of a chain
 - *GetBlockByNumber*: Get the block data by its number
 - *GetBlockByHash*: Get the block data by its hash value
 - *GetTransactionByID*: Get the transaction data by its id
 - *GetBlockByTxID*: Get the block data by contained transaction id



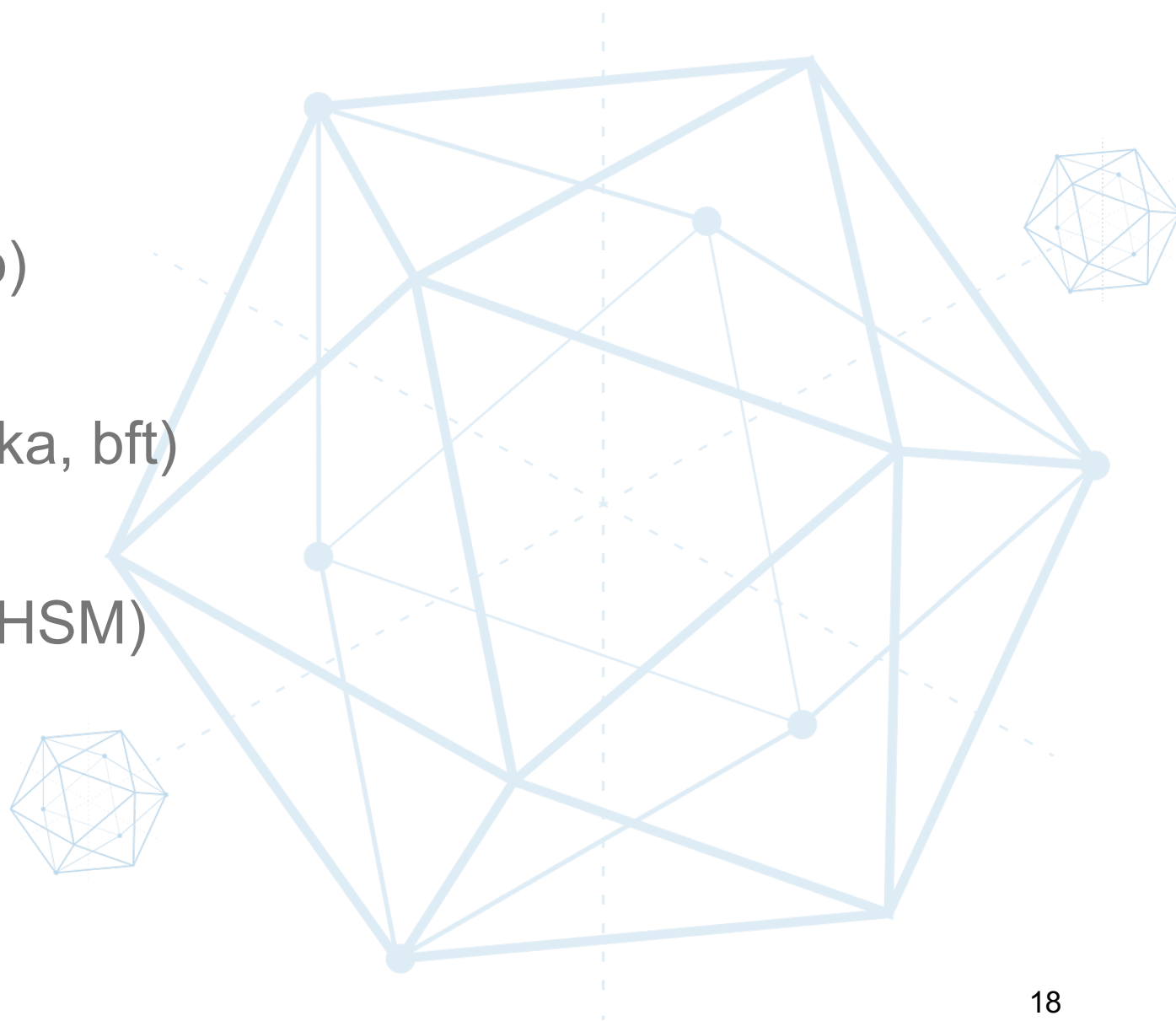
Life-cycle System ChainCode

- LifecycleSysCC{
 - Application chaincode lifecycle management process
- Init()
- Invoke()
 - install: *install a chaincode on a peer*
 - deploy: *deploy a chaincode on a peer*
 - upgrade: *upgrade a chaincode*
 - getid: *get chaincode info*
 - getdepspec: *get ChaincodeDeploymentSpec*
 - getccdata: *get ChaincodeData*
 - getchaincodes: *get the instantiated chaincodes on a channel*
 - getinstalledchaincodes: *get the installed chaincodes on a peer*

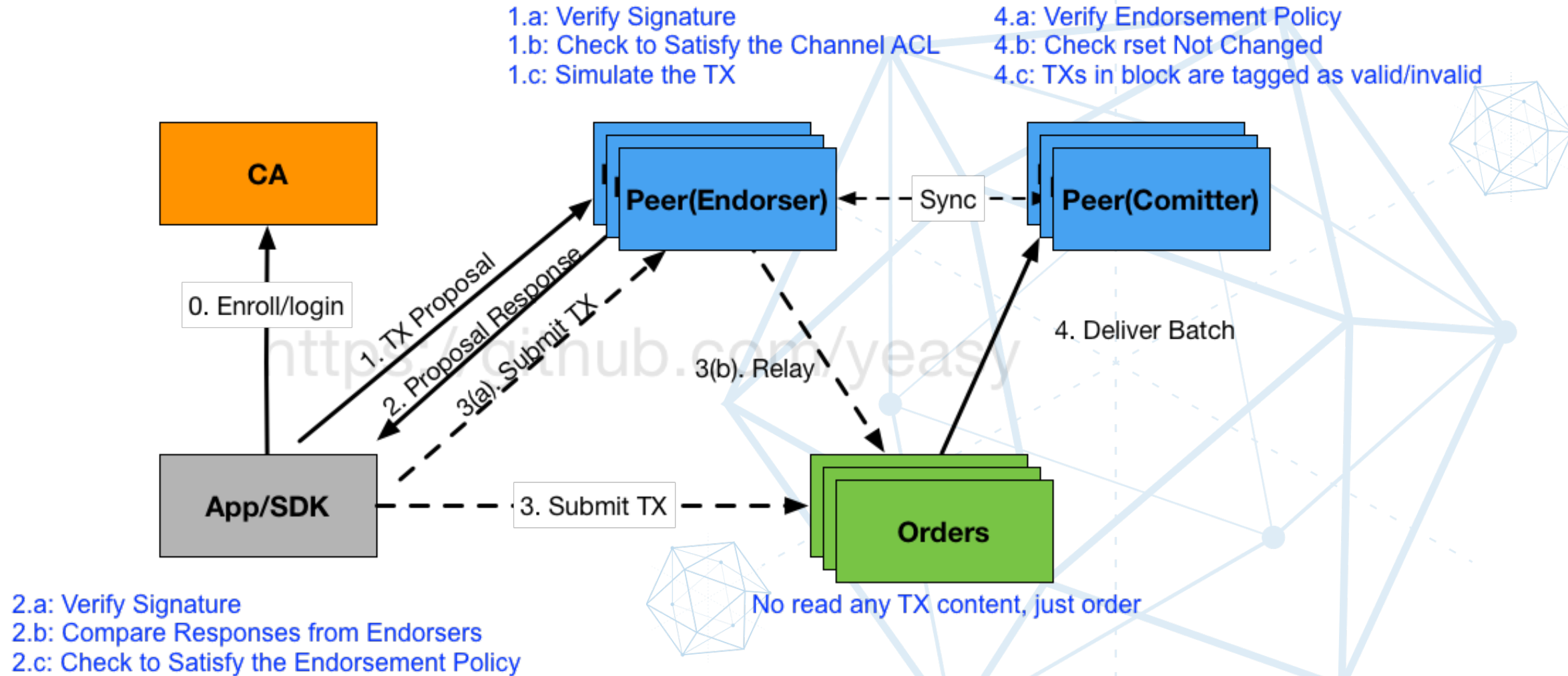


Pluggable Components

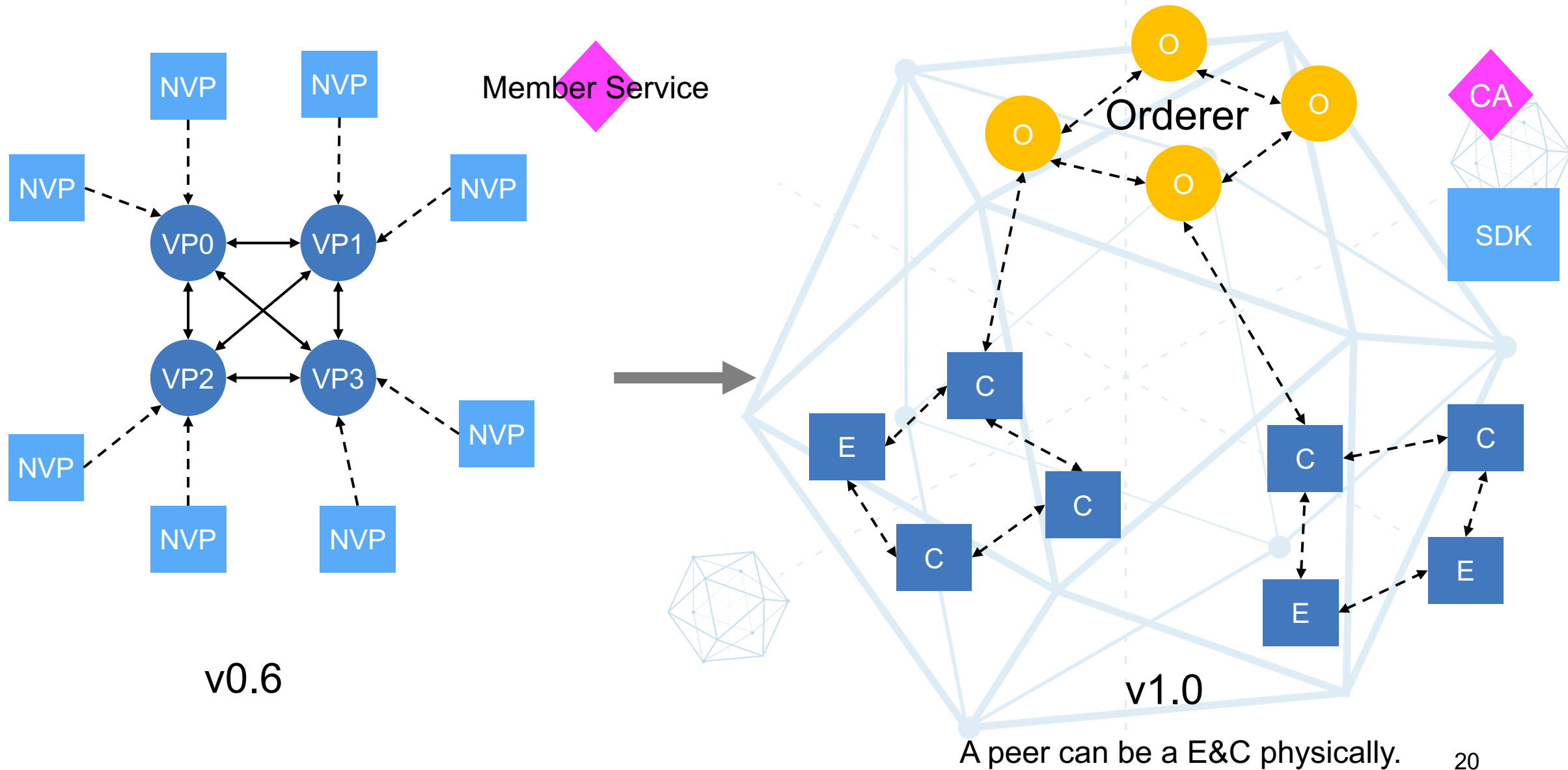
- Modular and Pluggable
 - Membership Services (CA)
 - SDKs (node, python, java, go)
 - Endorsement/Verification
 - Consensus service (solo, kafka, bft)
 - Ledger
 - Crypto algorithms (software, HSM)



Fabric 1.0 Workflow



Fabric 1.0 Deployment Scenarios



Hyperledger Fabric Roadmap

Hack Fest docker images

- 60 participates tested
- Basic v1 architecture in place
- Add / Remove Peers
- Channels
- Node SDK
- Go Chaincode
- Ordering Solo
- Fabric CA

V1 Alpha *

- Docker images
- Tooling to bootstrap network
- Fabric CA or bring your own
- Java and Node SDKs
- Ordering Services - Solo and Kafka
- Endorsement policy
- Level DB and Couch DB
- Block dissemination across peers via Gossip

V1 GA *

- Hardening, usability, serviceability, load, operability and stress test
- Java Chaincode
- Chaincode ACL
- Chaincode packaging & LCI
- Pluggable crypto
- HSM support
- Consumability of configuration
- Next gen bootstrap tool (config update)
- Config transaction lifecycle
- Eventing security
- Cross Channel Query
- Peer management APIs
- Documentation

V Next *

- SBFT
- Archive and pruning
- System Chaincode extensions
- Side DB for private data
- Application crypto library
- Dynamic service discovery
- REST wrapper
- Python SDK
- Identity Mixer (Stretch)
- Tcerts

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Future

Connect-a-thon

- 11 companies in Australia, Hungary, UK, US East Coast, US West Coast, Canada dynamically added peers and traded assets

Connect-a-cloud

- Dynamically connecting OEM hosted cloud environments to trade assets



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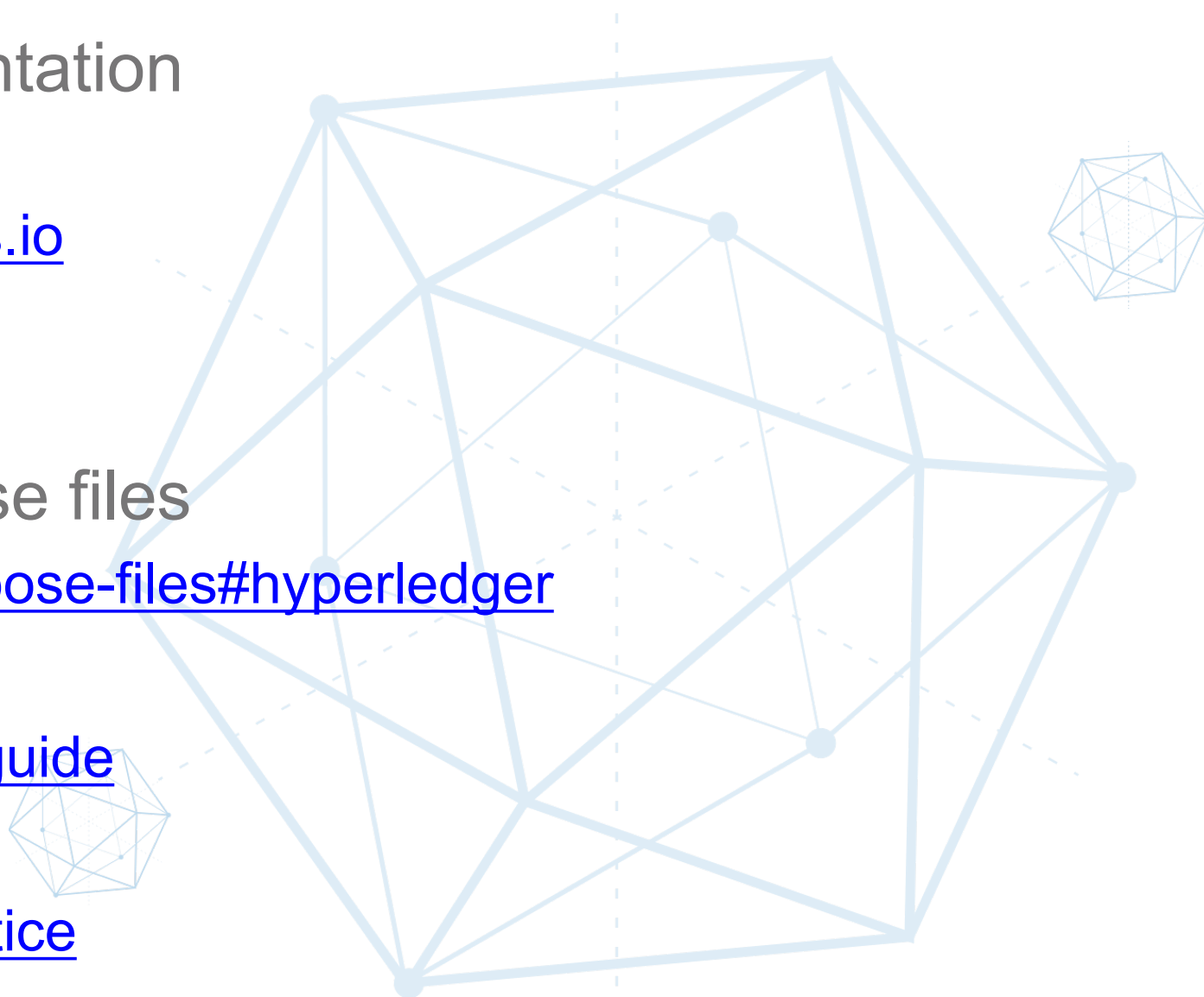
* Dates for Alpha, Beta, and GA are determined by Hyperledger community and are currently proposals.

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Questions?

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