HOW TO DEPLOY ON OTHER TESTNETS (Part 2)

This guide will walk you through on how to deploy a smart contract on non-Ethereum, EVM compatible test networks.

You will learn how to deploy via *Remix IDE*, a web-based smart contract creation tool, and *Hardhat*, a local Ethereum development network.

You do not have to do both, but it may be helpful to try both to see what suits your deployment better.

From my personal experience, I have found Remix IDE to be a simpler deployment process, but Hardhat produced faster results and cheaper costs.

The test networks that will be used are:

- Matic Mumbai (Ethereum Sidechain)
 - https://mumbai.polygonscan.com/
- Arbitrum Rinkeby (Ethereum Layer 2)
 - https://rinkeby-explorer.arbitrum.io/
- IOTA 2.0 Beta (Ethereum Virtual Machine)
 - https://explorer.wasp.sc.iota.org/

In order to complete this tutorial, you must have completed Part 1 of this tutorial series, or have your own deployment-ready smart contract. If you would simply like to test and deploy you may use the code provided in the github repository.

Add test networks to your Metamask

Matic Mumbai

Go to Add Network on your Metamask browser extension wallet.

Input the following:

Network Name: Mumbai Testnet

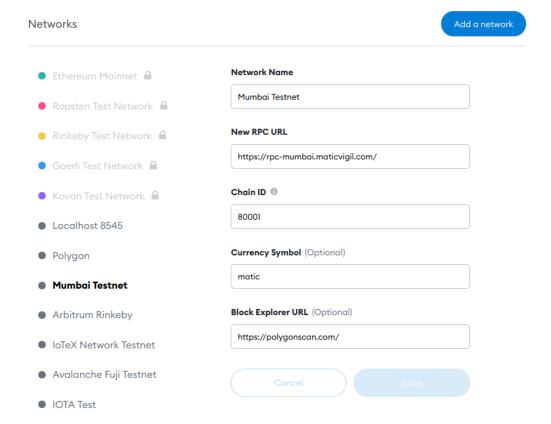
New RPC URL: https://rpc-mumbai.maticvigil.com/

Chain IDL 80001

Currency Symbol: MATIC

Block Explorer URL: https://polygonscan.com/

Your page should look like the following screenshot.



Request MATIC test funds from the polygon faucet.

https://faucet.polygon.technology/

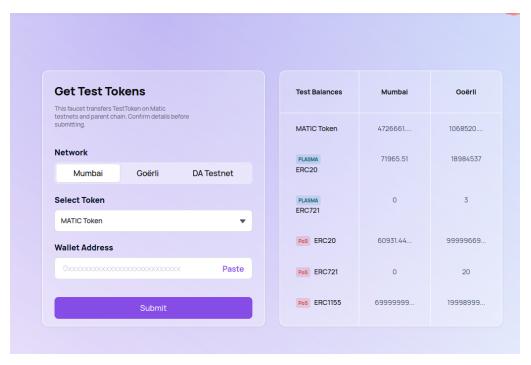
The settings to use are:

Network: MumbaiToken: MATIC Token

- Copy and paste your wallet address

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Arbitrum Rinkeby

Input the following.

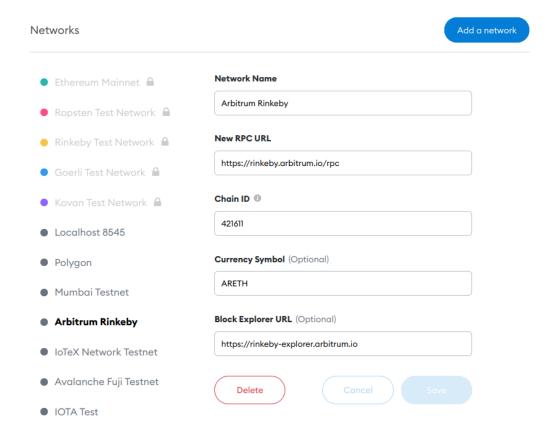
Network Name: Arbitrum Rinkeby

New RPC URL: https://rinkeby.arbitrum.io/rpc

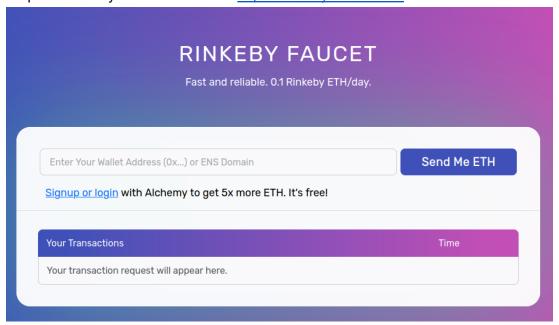
Chain IDL 421611

Currency Symbol: ARETH

Block Explorer URL: https://rinkeby-explorer.arbitrum.io

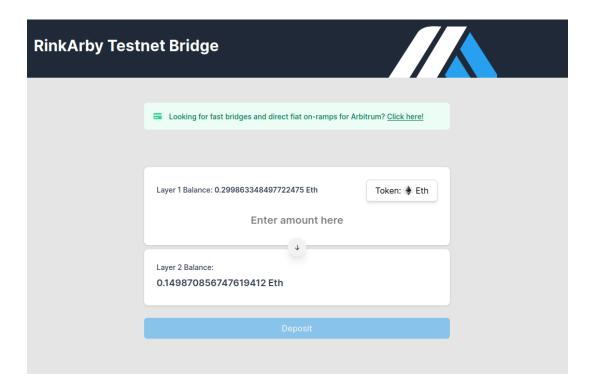


Request Rinkeby faucet funds from https://rinkebyfaucet.com/



Arbitrum Rinkeby testnet requires another step where you must bridge the faucet funded ETH to Arbitrum via https://bridge.arbitrum.io/

Connect your metamask wallet, change your network to Arbitrum Rinkeby, then deposit your Layer 1 ETH to Layer 2.



IOTA 2.0 EVM

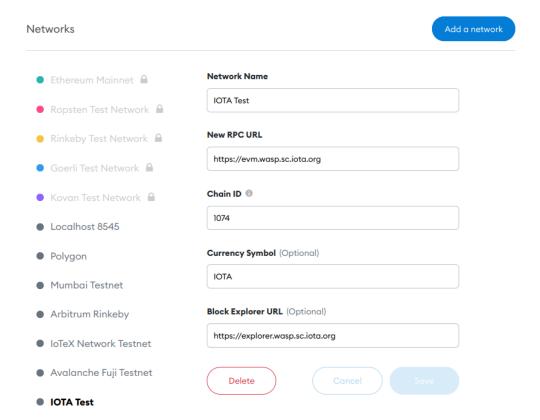
Network Name: IOTA EVM (optional)

New RPC URL: https://evm.wasp.sc.iota.org

Chain IDL 1074

Currency Symbol: IOTA

Block Explorer URL: https://explorer.wasp.sc.iota.org



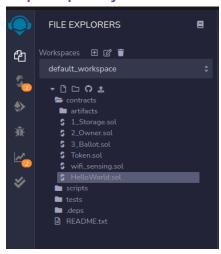
IOTA EVM is currently in Beta access (as of March 2022), so transaction fees are set to 0. You do not need faucet funds to deploy at this time.

Remix IDE

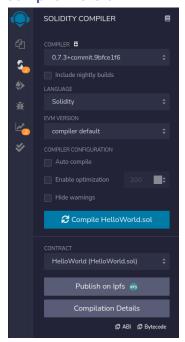
https://remix.ethereum.org/

Testing different networks with Remix IDE is simple.

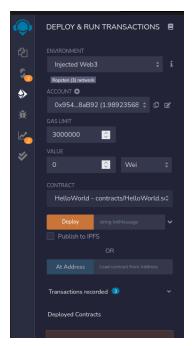
Step 1: Upload your contract code to the File Explorer workspace.

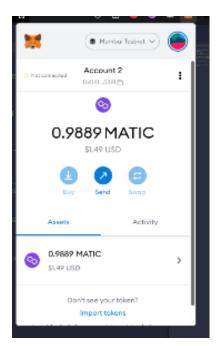


Step 2: Compile your contract. Remix will automatically detect the necessary Solidity compiler version.



Step 3: Change the network in your Metamask wallet, and set your deploy environment to Injected Web3.





Remix will automatically detect the network in your Metamask wallet and deploy to the corresponding wallet using the required test funds.

If you do not have any faucet funds in your wallet, your transaction will not be processed due to not meeting the gas requirement.

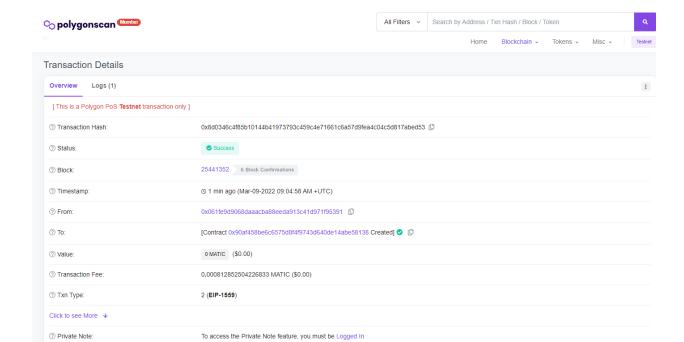
Step 4: View your deployed contract in the output terminal.

You can copy your transaction hash and direct it to the respective block explorer to view it deployed on the test network.



This example deployed on the Matic Mumbai testnet.

The successful deployment can be verified on the Mumbai Polygon Scan site.



Hardhat

Hardhat deployment on different testnets is simple.

Go to your *hardhat.config.js* file and modify the *RPC URL* of your *module.exports* configuration.

Matic Mumbai:

Arbitrum Rinkeby:

```
/* Arbitrum Deplpy */
module.exports = {
    solidity: "0.7.3",
    defaultNetwork: "arbitrum",
    networks: {
        arbitrum: {
            url: 'https://rinkeby.arbitrum.io/rpc',
            accounts: [`0x${PRIVATE_KEY}`]
        },
    },
}
```

IOTA EVM:

```
/* IOTA Deploy */
module.exports = {
    defaultNetwork: "iota",
    solidity: "0.7.3",
    networks: {
        iota: {
            url: "https://evm.wasp.sc.iota.org",
            accounts: [`0x${PRIVATE_KEY}`]
        },
    },
}
```

In your project terminal window,

```
npx hardhat run scripts/deploy.js
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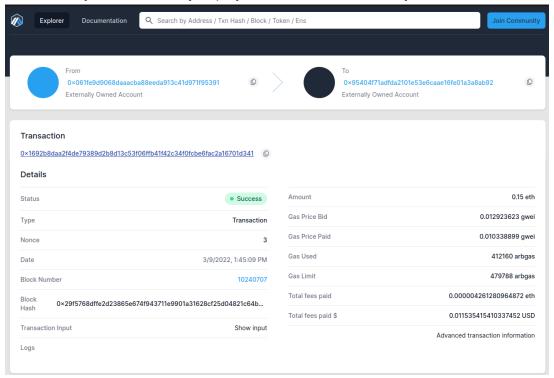
Hardhat will automatically detect the new RPC URL and deploy your contract to the detected test network.

Your terminal will output an address of where your contract is deployed.

```
tchoi@tchoi-Ubuntu:~/Desktop/ResearchCode/TestDeploy$ npx hardhat run scripts/deploy.js
Compiling 1 file with 0.7.3
Solidity compilation finished successfully
Contract deployed to address: 0x242D01601eEE40166C73eb7390f1184a50AF247E
```

Go to the respective Block Explorer URL pages and paste your address.

You will see your successfully deployed contract and the fees your transaction incurred.



Congratulations!

You have successfully done the following:

- Added Matic, Arbitrum, IOTA test networks to Metamask
- Received faucet funds of the different testnets
- Deployed your contract on the web via Remix IDE
- Deployed your contract via Hardhat
- Viewed and verified your deployed contract on the respective blockchains.