# **Blockchain**

# **Exam CBDE**

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PoS:

- A. would be better, because it can reduce the amount of energy needed for mining.
- **B.** would be worse, because it would increase the amount of energy needed for mining.

**Answer: A** 

# **Question No: 2**

Proof of Work (PoW) vs. Proof of Stake.

- **A.** PoW is computationally intensive which requires lots of energy. On the other hand, miners earn straightforward a reward for mining a block and incorporating transactions.
- **B.** PoW is better than PoS, because with PoS we increase the amount of energy spent on the network.
- **C.** PoS is mining with specialized new hardware that has to be purchased with a stack of Ether in the network. Hence the Name: Proof of Stake, which derives from Stack.

Answer: A

# **Question No: 3**

All low-level functions on the address, so address.send(), address.call.valueQQ, address.callcode and address.delegatecall:

- **A.** are interrupting execution on error, because they throw an exception.
- **B.** continuing execution on error silently, which is the reason why they are so dangerous.
- **C.** returning Booleans to indicate an error during execution.
- **D.** .send() throws an exception, while the other functions are returning Booleans during execution to indicate an error.

Answer: C

Unit-Testing on a local chain is important, because it helps you:

- **A.** to run tests quickly and especially for free, compared to continuous deployment on the MainNetwork. This way you save a lot of fees, time and costs.
- **B.** to run tests in an environment where logging is activated. On the Main-Net you have no access to transaction logs and this is ultimately the information you need to debug your contracts.
- **C.** to avoid regression bugs with contracts that are updated constantly on the main-net. Once you update a contract on the main-net, the address stays the same, but the code changes and this can have disastrous side-effects.

**Answer: A** 

# **Question No:5**

Inheritance is useful, because a contract that is derived from another contract can make use of:

- A. all public state variables and properties, public and internal functions and modifiers.
- **B.** all public and private state variables, public, internal and external functions, but not modifiers
- **C.** all public state variables and properties, public functions and modifiers, but not internal, external or private ones.

**Answer: A** 

# **Question No: 6**

Externally Owned Accounts (EoA):

- **A.** are changing their address every time a Transaction is sent because of the nonce.
- **B.** are keeping their address, but on the blockchain a nonce is increased every time they send a transaction to avoid replay attacks.

Checking the balance of an address inside a loop of a smart contract constantly:

- A. doesn't cost any gas.
- **B.** cost gas every time we check the balance.

**Answer: B** 

# **Question No:8**

It's easy to write clean-room unit-tests with truffle:

- A. for Java, JavaScript, and C++
- B. for JavaScript using Web3.js
- C. for Solidity and JavaScript
- **D.** for any language, as long as it adheres to the open Testing-Interface from Truffle

**Answer: C** 

# **Question No:9**

To generate a random number:

- **A.** it's good to use the block timestamp, as this is always different.
- **B.** it's good to use the block hash as this is clearly always very different.
- **C.** it's good to use the RANDAO smart contract.
- **D.** it's not possible to have a random number in a deterministic environment such as the Ethereum blockchain.

**Answer: C** 

#### A Private Network is:

- A. a side Channel to the Ethereum Main Net which costs less gas to run smart contracts.
- **B.** an exact clone of the Rinkeby Test-Network which can be started as virtual machine in the Azure Cloud.
- C. a Network running only in a private area, where people cannot join freely and openly.

#### **Answer: C**

#### **Question No: 11**

Finish the sentence: The Library Web3.js is ...:

- **A.** useful when developing distributed applications with HTML and JavaScript, because it already implements the abstraction of the JSON-RPC interface of Ethereum Nodes.
- **B.** necessary when developing distributed applications with HTML and JavaScript, because the proprietary JSON-RPC interface of Ethereum Nodes is a closed source.

# **Answer: A**

# **Question No: 12**

What's the difference between Ethereum Request for Comments (ERC) and Ethereum Improvement Proposals (EIP)?

- **A.** ERC are here to define standards for the usage of Ethereum. EIP are here to improve the Ethereum Protocol itself.
- **B.** ERC are here to propose new distributed applications on top of the Ethereum layer, while EIP are here to improve existing mining software.
- **C.** ERC are an open platform to discuss continuous forking of the Ethereum platform. Successful forks are then incorporated in the EIP for further voting by the Ethereum Consortium.

#### The Fallback function:

- A. cannot receive Ether, not even by adding the payable modifier.
- **B.** can contain as much logic as you want, but it's better to keep it short and not exceed the gas stipend of 2300 gas.
- **C.** can be used to avoid receiving ether.

#### **Answer: B**

# **Question No: 14**

#### **Smart Contracts:**

- **A.** are always living on the same address, because the blockchain is deterministic. So, one account can always have one smart contract.
- **B.** are having the same address as the EOA.
- **C.** are sitting on their own address. The Address is created from the nonce and the EOA address and could be known in advance before deploying the smart contract.
- **D.** the address of the smart contract is a random address which gets generated by the miner who mines the contract-creation transaction.

#### **Answer: C**

# **Question No: 15**

A Hashing Algorithm is deterministic. What does it mean?

- **A.** it always produces the same output given the same input.
- **B.** it uses equally distributed data to produce the output given a long input.
- **C.** it shouldn't be possible to re-generate the input given the output.

#### Consensus is reached:

- A. by the miner nodes which make sure that a transaction is valid.
- **B.** by every single node in the blockchain network executing the same transaction.
- **C.** by a cryptographic secure signature algorithm called ECDSA which makes sure that cheating is impossible.

#### **Answer: B**

# **Question No: 17**

# **Block Timestamp:**

- **A.** the timestamp is based on the time zone of the miner, that is why it changes the difficulty continuously to reflect network latency.
- **B.** the timestamp can't be influenced by a miner and is generally considered safe to be used for randomness on the blockchain.
- **C.** the timestamp can be influenced by a miner to a certain degree but it's always independent from the time-zone.

#### Answer: C

# **Question No: 18**

A version pragma is a great way to make it clear:

- **A.** for which compiler version a smart contract was developed for. It helps to avoid breaking changes.
- **B.** for which blockchain a smart contract was developed for. It helps to avoid confusion with beta-customers.
- **C.** for which blockchain node a smart contract was developed for. It helps to avoid mixing up different versions of go-ethereum.

What is the difference between ERC20 and ERC721 Tokens in simple terms?

- **A.** The tokens of a certain ERC20 symbol are all the same, the tokens of an ERC721 symbol are all different. So, ERC20 tokens are fungible, while ERC721 tokens are non-fungible.
- **B.** The tokens of a certain ERC20 symbol are all different, the tokens of an ERC721 symbol are all the same. So, ERC20 tokens are non-fungible while ERC721 tokens are fungible.

**Answer: A** 

# **Question No: 20**

Single line comments in Solidity are:

- **A.** working with either // or ///
- B. working with /\* comment \*/ or /\*\* @.. natspec style \*/
- C. not possible, all comments must be multi-line.

**Answer: A** 

# **Question No: 21**

Truffle:

- **A.** is a framework that helps developers with Testing, Deployment and Management of Smart Contracts and Distributed Applications.
- **B.** is a library that helps developers to connect to Ethereum nodes, because it abstracts the JSONRPC interface.
- **C.** is a framework for Java, similar to Web3.js for JavaScript. It's a great way to develop distributed Java enterprise applications.

Why is it important to follow the same Interfaces?

- **A.** Websites that try to interface with the Token would have to know the exact ABI. It is upfront clear how the interaction has to be with the standard Interfaces.
- **B.** The Ethereum Foundation can easily validate the Tokens and approve any audits by following the standard interface.

**Answer: A** 

# **Question No: 23**

For Rapid Development Cycles it's good:

- **A.** to deploy to the main-network as quickly as possible.
- **B.** to use in-memory blockchain simulations, because mining works instantaneously.
- **C.** to use a private network at all times, because this is the closest you get to the real network.

Answer: B

# **Question No: 24**

The nonce-field in a transaction is used:

- **A.** to protect against replay attacks.
- **B.** to have an additional checksum for transactions.
- **C.** to sum up all ethers sent from that address.

**Answer: A** 

**Question No: 25** 

Public Keys vs. Private Keys. Which statement is true?

- **A.** The Public Key is for Signing Transactions, the Private Key must be given out to verify the signature.
- **B.** The Private Key signs transactions, the Public Key can verify the signature.
- **C.** The Private Key is to generate a Public Key. The Public Key can sign transactions, the address is here to verify the transactions.

**Answer: B** 

# **Question No: 26**

Files can be imported:

- **A.** using relative and absolute paths, where the "." And the ".." depict that it's a relative path.
- **B.** only via GitHub using the Repository and Username.
- **C.** using the special requirefile(...) statement, which looks in a specific library path to import files.

**Answer: A** 

# **Question No: 27**

Truffle boxes are a great way:

- **A.** to contribute to the box community which is the distributed file system for truffle.
- **B.** to start with a pre-configured environment for most web-development needs.
- **C.** to use tools that makes boxing of Dapps for different platforms very easy.

**Answer: B** 

# **Question No: 28**

Variables of the type address store: