

# Enhance the Security for Internet of Things Information Using Block Chain

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## ABSTRACT

In recent decades, the Internet of Things (IoT) is transforming into an attractive system to drive a substantive hop on stock and enterprises through physical, computerized, and social spaces. For enhancing the security level of IoT multimedia data, a block-based security model is proposed. After forming the clusters, a hash function with blockchain technique is utilized to secure the IoT information. Initially, the data is changed over into a number of blocks then applies a hash function to each block for an end to end blockchain model. Based on this function the information's are encrypted and decrypted stored in the cloud by an authenticated person. From the implementation results of data security, the execution time and security levels are analyzed.

**Keywords:** Internet of things, security, optimization, clustering and blockchain

## I. INTRODUCTION

Internet of Things (IoT) is a type of network that is being utilized by wireless sensor associations and radio frequency identification (RFID) via network topology [1] to accomplish high reliability in transmission as well as intelligent processing [2-10]. IOT comprises three layers: the sensing layer, transport layer, and application layer. IOT has made a tremendous change in different areas such as business, agriculture, pharmacy, also in nuclear reactors [11-16]. To receive the IoT innovation it is important to assemble the certainty among the clients about its security and privacy that it won't make any risk to their data integrity and authority [17-20]. In secure systems, the secrecy of the information is kept up and it is ensured that at the processing of message exchange the information holds its inventiveness and no modification by the system [21-23]. In spite of the fact that, the IoT can encourage the digitization of the data itself, the dependability of such data is as yet a key challenge by Bitcoin [6]. It's upheld by a protocol that points of interest the infrastructure responsible for guaranteeing that the data remains unchanging after some time [24-26]. Benefiting from blockchains power and versatility, in this work, propose an effective decentralized verification system [27-30]. The principle motivation behind network security data insurance is to accomplish secrecy as well as integrity. Security issues are of extraordinary significance in amplifying the size of network and gadgets [31-35]. Different cryptographic algorithms have been produced that tends to the said issue, however, their use in IoT is questionable as the equipment we deal in the IoT is not appropriate for

the execution of computationally costly encryption algorithms [36-38].

## II. LITERATURE REVIEW

A blockchain is a database that stores every processed transaction – or information – in the sequential request, in an arrangement of PC recollections that are carefully designed to foes. These exchanges are then shared by all users by DanielMinoli et al in 2018 [39]. More significantly, we talk about, how blockchain, which is the basic innovation for bitcoin, can be a key empowering agent to tackle numerous IoT security issues by Minhaj Ahmad Khan and Khaled Salah in 2018 [40]. It's additionally distinguished open research issues and difficulties for IoT security. One of the real issues of a clustering protocol is choosing an optimal group of sensor nodes as the group heads to isolate the network by Khalil Bennani et al. 2012 [41-42]. In any case, optimum clustering is an NP-Hard issue and solving it includes searches through tremendous spaces of conceivable solutions. Two fundamental periods of optimization, exploration, and exploitation,, are structured by the social interaction of dragonflies in exploring, hunting foods, and keeping away from foes while swarming powerfully or factually by Seyedali Mirjalili in 2015[43-45]. In Emanuel Ferreira Jesus et al in 2018 [46] the ideas about the structure and task of Blockchain and, mostly, investigate how the utilization of this innovation can be utilized to give security and privacy in IoT.

### III. SECURITY ISSUES IN IOT MULTIMEDIA INFORMATION

Security approaches that depend greatly on encryption are not a solid match for these constrained gadgets since they are not equipped for performing complex encryption and decryption rapidly enough to have the capacity to transmit information safely in a progressive manner. Some security challenges in IoT security are tag attack, Sybil attack, wormhole attack and, etc. Regardless, with traditional encryption procedures, before dealing with some sensitive data from customers, the third party administration (cloud) would decrypt this information and after that find that data [47]. Data that is very sensitive to bank account details, usernames, passwords need to encrypt with at least two-factor authentication procedures to guarantee security. For enhancing the security in IoT data, BC is utilized. Now, the header turns out to be a piece of a cryptographic riddle which must be comprehended by the block chain's network of clients via a trial and error procedure, from trillions of opportunities – before it is included to the block chain [48–52].

### IV. METHODOLOGY FOR IOT INFORMATION SECURITY

The IoT visualizes a completely associated world, where things can convey estimated information and connect with one another. For enhancing the security dimension of the multimedia data's in IoT, optimal Block Chain (BC) security model is utilized, Its behinds the bit coin concept a permanent open record of data secured by a network of distributed members, its strategy that to enables exchanges to be confirmed by a gathering of untrustworthy on-screen characters. The fundamental of this proposed strategy is, enhance the secrecy as well as the reliability of the IoT data, Moreover, this BC, every block contains the number of transactions. CH has coordinate proof about CH in the event that it confirmed a block created by different squares of data [53-56]

#### 4.1 Security and privacy Analysis in IoT

Security in IoT is difficult because of low asset abilities of the vast majority of devices, huge scale, heterogeneity among the gadgets, and absence of standardization. Besides, a considerable lot of these IoT gadgets gather and offer a lot of information from our own spaces, in this way opening up noteworthy privacy concerns. Security and privacy risk analysis for a commonplace shrewd home engineering that depends on existing and promptly accessible market IoT gadgets and stages. As opposed to existing security and threat

investigation of IoT situations, we focus on a genuine IoT smart home condition sent in our tested concentrating on the interactions among the diverse IoT parts.

#### 4.2 IoT information Generation

The new invention of IoT and multimedia data applications is necessary to address explicit business solutions which require needs, for example, predictive maintenance, loss prevention, asset utilization, inventory tracking, disaster planning, and recovery, downtime minimization, energy usage optimization, device performance effectiveness. These datasets are particular in information structures, volume, get to procedures, and some extraordinary perspectives; they can scarcely be stored and gotten as well, its shows in figure 1. IoT applications have quite certain qualities; they produce extensive volumes of data and require network and power for significant time periods [57].

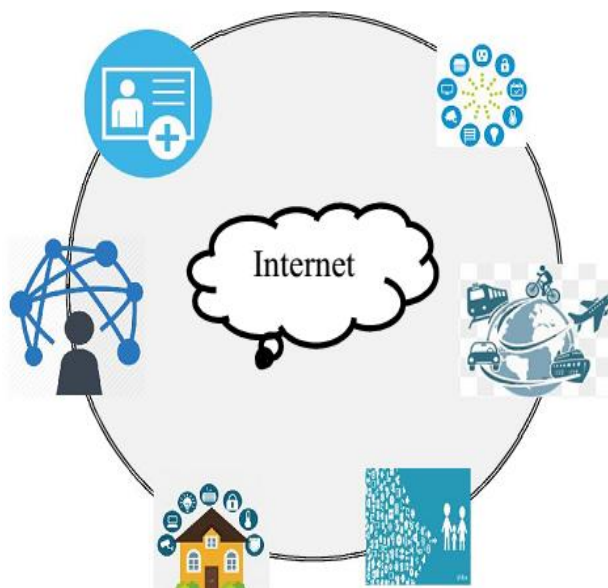


Fig 1: IoT Components

#### Pre-processing

This underlying preprocessing IoT data are separated to choose the sensitive or quality information for security, the purpose behind preprocessing is diminishing the computational time. Moreover, the goal is to ensure successful security and improve the performance of the model, we secure sensitive data only. IoT data clustering using optimization Information is clustered by utilizing irregular clustering model with optimization. Each data is assessed by the weights of its cluster associations. Finally, among various nodes and as indicated by their weights a node is elected as the cluster head, for optimal cluster head selection dragonfly optimization is proposed. Finally, among

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individuals to that of different individuals in the area and  $a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4$  and  $a_5$  coefficient parameters.

After the alignment procedure of individuals among the dragonflies, cohesion process is performed which implies the inclination of individuals towards the focal point of the mass of the area. The new position refreshed by utilizing the following condition

$$C_{t+1} = C_t + Levy(dis\ tan\ ce) * C_t \quad (1)$$

Food source and the enemy is selected over best and the most exceedingly terrible solutions obtained in the whole swarm at any minute. In light of above process select optimal cluster head for IoT data clustering model. After that, the clustered data are secured by utilizing the BC technique.

File size	Encryption size	Decryption size	Memory (byte)	Execution Time (ms)
10	23	10	1242488	94523
20	34	20	374528	105481
30	44	30	312458	98450
40	49	40	412141	112345
50	56	50	423412	112482

#### 4.2 Security model: A Block chain Model

In a BC, each transaction in the set that contains a block is hashed to produce a hash value. Hashes are combined into a Merkle Tree. Generally, the BC indicates a consistently maintained and controlled database considering developing variables and gathered information test sets. The key components of BC are a member made transactions and the recorder blocks of such exchanges. Here, the block checks whether transaction details were sustained in the correct grouping or not. This does not permit any altering of the data accessible.

##### Bitcoin

Bitcoin is cryptographic money and a digital payment system, in view of a public BC, each block of the Bitcoin blockchain. In Bitcoin, transactions are processed to check their integrity, authenticity, and

accuracy by a gathering of creative network nodes called "Miners". Specifically, rather than mining a single transaction, the miners package various transactions that are waiting for the network to get processed in a single unit called "block".

#### Encryption

Encryption system function as given a message and a key, it creates a ciphered message to be transmitted over unprotected channels, without any risk being comprehended by other people who don't have the decryption key. For the security purpose, the key generation dependent on the two sets, one public and one private. The first to encrypt and the second to decrypt and the vice versa; this is conceivable because of the utilization of some numerical functions that have the property of being irreversible.

For encrypted and decrypted information

$$Enc = hash(\inf o\ group, hash, publickey, IP)$$

(2)

Each block of data encrypted by

$$E \Rightarrow m^k \mid \text{mod} \inf o \mid \quad (3)$$

## V. RESULTS AND ANALYSIS

Our proposed IoT information security model is executed in the Java programming language with the JDK 1.7.0 in a windows machine enclosing the configurations such as the Intel (R) Core i3 processor, 1.6 GHz, 4 GB RAM, and the operating system platform is Microsoft Window7 Professional. This proposed security analysis is compared with other techniques.

Table 1: Proposed (blockchain) Security analysis results

Table 1 shows the result of proposed parameters which obtains in the study. Depends on file size, we find encryption size, decryption size, memory and execution time. The result depicts that encryption size and decryption increases if the file size increased, the execution time also increased. But compared to other techniques proposed model secure the IoT data in a high manner.

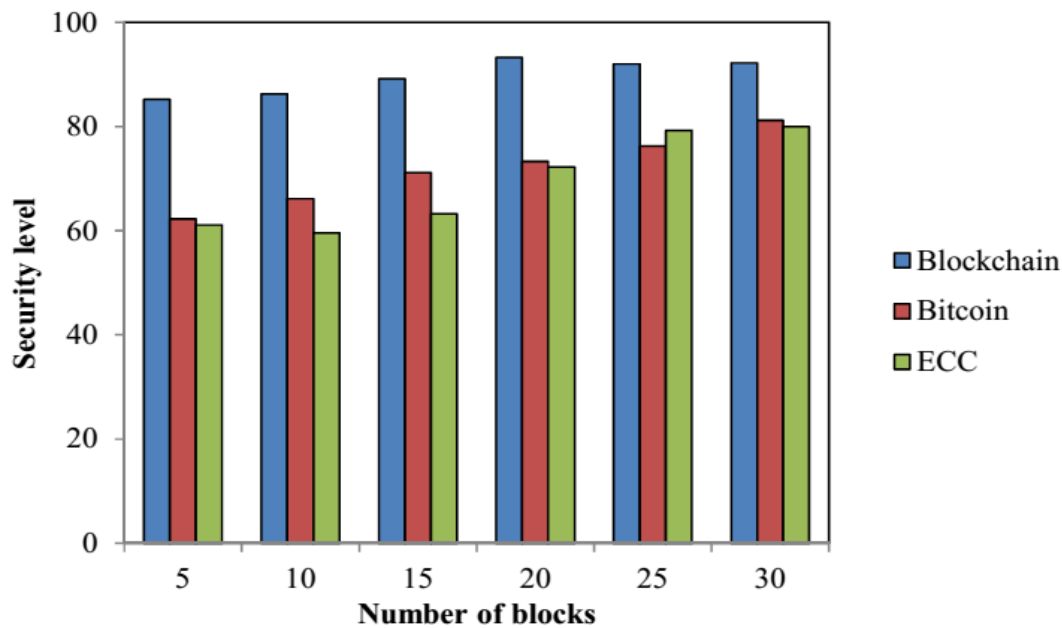


Fig 4: Number of blocks Vs hash value

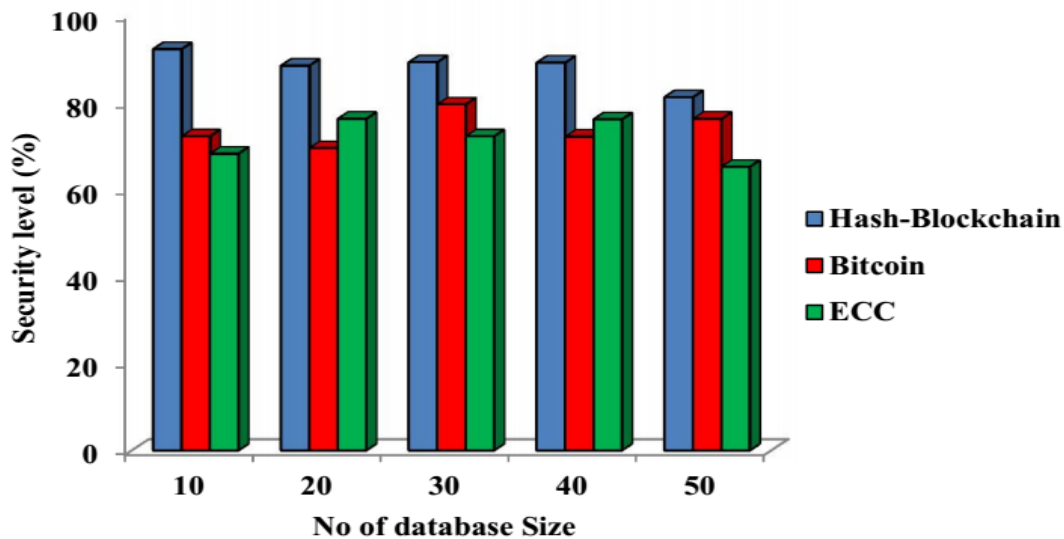


Fig 5: Security Level comparative analysis

Figure 4 shows the graph of security level based on a number of blocks. Here, we compare the security result with the proposed method to existing techniques such as bitcoin and ECC. The graph depicts that block chain reaches optimal security in the range of 82 to 91.23% compared to the other two. Figure 5 shows the security level based on the database size. The hash blockchain performs an optimal security level for every database size. The security level reaches a maximum at 90% in hash block chain function.

## VI. CONCLUSION

In this chapter, the IoT multimedia information's security model with help hash function based blockchain was discussed. Thusly, the advantages of applying BC to the IoT ought to be examined precisely and taken with caution. Also, this chapter provided an analysis of the main difficulties that blockchain and IoT must address in order for them to effectively cooperate. This blockchain technology can help to improve IoT applications and also this

data clustering cluster head selection by DOA, its give better accuracy. However, it is still in the beginning periods of creating block chains, and these obstructions will be defeated, opening the best approach to numerous potential outcomes. One of the principle concerns about blockchain, and especially crypto currencies, resides in its volatility which has also been exploited by individuals to take unfair advantage of this situation. The incorporation of the IoT and blockchain will extraordinarily increase the security level.

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