

# Blockchain Based Secure File Transfer System with Password Protection

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**Abstract:** *The need of secure file transfer systems is higher nowadays. In order to enhance the security and privacy of private information transferred over the internet, our paper presents a blockchain-based secure file transfer system (BSFTS) with password protection. This system takes advantage of the decentralized and immutable properties of blockchain technology to ensure that every file transfer is Safe and Secure, offering verifiable audit trails that can minimize the threats associated with data tampering and unauthorized access.*

*Through forcing people to use strong, unique passwords for decryption as well as encryption, the combination of password protection further secures files by ensuring that only specified people may access the information. In addition to enhancing data confidentiality, this dual-layer strategy increases defences against possible cyberthreats, including phishing and brute force attacks.*

*Research shows that the blockchain-based secure file transfer system with password protection far exceeds standard file transfer techniques in terms of security and user experience. The results illustrate that password protection and blockchain technology work together to build a robust framework for secure file sharing. For companies trying to enhance their data protection plans in the face of changing security threats in the world of technology, this study provides helpful data.*

**Keywords:** Blockchain, Cloud Computing, Data Encryption and Decryption, Tokenisation, Data Security, Password Protection

## I. INTRODUCTION

Secure transferring of data has become a fundamental need in the current digital World for both individuals and Organisations. It is more important than ever to protect sensitive data integrity and security during transfer, as data breaches and cyberattacks become more common and complex. Traditional file transfer techniques frequently depend on centralized systems that are vulnerable to manipulation, unauthorized access, and attack. A strong answer to these issues is a blockchain-based secure file transfer system with password protection.

The distributed, transparent, and immutable features of the blockchain system make it a great choice for secure file transfers. This solution ensures secure information transfers that are unable to modification or unauthorized access by using blockchain technology. Moreover, the provision of password protection Give the High level of safety by giving users control over who mayview the data that is being sent.

This approach provides a reliable and secure Solution For transfer important information by combining encryption and Decryption methods of blockchain technology. Users may feel secure understanding that only authorized users can access the data due to the extra level of security provided by passwords. This technique provides verifiable and unbreakable traceability by recording each data transfer on the blockchain, which not only enhances security but also increases transparency in file Transferring system in today's Digital world.

Using It to the increasing need for safe, effective, and user-controlled data transfer techniques, the Blockchain-Based Secure File Transfer System with Password Protection provide a Valuable solution for current cybersecurity threats.

**II. LITERATURE SURVE**

SR. NO.	TITLE	YEAR	AUTHOR	Discussion
1)	"Blockchain Based, Decentralized Access Control for IPFS"	2018	M. Steichen, B. Fiz, R. Norvill, W. Shbair and R. State	In this paper Discussion on the modified version of the Inter Planetary File system (IPFS) that leverages Ethereum smart contracts to provide access-controlled file sharing
2)	"Trustworthy Electronic Voting Using Adjusted Blockchain Technology"	2019	B. Shahzad and J. Crowcroft	Discuss About Secure Pooling Process using effective hashing techniques of Blockchain Technology.
3)	"Blockchain-Based Secure Storage and Access Scheme for Electronic Medical Records in IPFS"	2020	J. Sun, X. Yao, S. Wang and Y. Wu	combined blockchain technology with the decentralized Interplanetary File System (IPFS) to secure the Electronic medical records.
4)	"Blockchain-Based Address Alias System"	2021	Bodziony, Norbert, Paweł Jemiolo, Krzysztof Kluza, and Marek R. Ogiela	Creating a cryptocurrency wallet with a full on-chain solution for aliasing accounts and tokens to improve user experience and avoid unnecessary errors in the Network.
5)	"Blockchain-Based Decentralized Storage Design for Data Confidence Over Cloud-Native Edge Infrastructure"	2024	HANNIE ZANG AND JONGWONKIM (Graduate Student Member, IEEE), HO KIM (Senior Member, IEEE)	Discuss on decentralized storage system that melds cloud-native concepts with blockchain technology. The proposed design delivers enhanced scalability, data security, and privacy.

**III. METHODOLOGY**

**A. Blockchain Technology**

The blockchain is a decentralized, distributed ledger that Store the data in blocks that are linked together in a chain. Blockchain technology are Popular for their use in cryptocurrency, but they can be used in many other industries or Sectors Now a day.

**Features of blockchain technology**

- Cryptographic hashes
- Consensus mechanisms
- Decentralization
- Immutability

**B. Data Encryption And Decryption**

The Encryption and decryption of data are based on cryptography, it is the science of encoding and decoding the information. It is done by using different types of mathematical models called algorithms, which transfer the data's digital content. The sender and recipient use a secret key to encrypt and decrypt that data.

Encryption of data protects data from being stolen, changed, or compromised. It's important to keep the decryption key secret and protected from unauthorized access or user.

**Types of Encryptions**

1. Symmetric encryption: user Uses the same key for encryption and decryption of data.
2. Asymmetric encryption: sender user Uses a private key for the owner of the data and a public key for the recipient i.e. Receiver User.

**C. Password Protection**

Password protection is an access control technique that helps keep important information safe from hackers and it can only be accessed by using the right credentials.

**D. Tokenisation**

It is the process of creating a digital format of a real thing. Tokenization is used to protect sensitive data or information From Generating the Specific token for it.

**E. Cloud Computing**

Cloud computing is the on-demand availability of computer system and its resources, especially for data storage (cloud storage) and computing power such As data Processing, without direct active management by the user. Large clouds have functionalities to distributed over multiple locations, each of which is a data centre for store the information. Cloud computing relies on sharing of resources to achieve coherence and typically uses a pay-as-you-go model, which can help in reducing cost of time and money but may also lead to unexpected operating expenses for users.

**IV. WORKFLOW OF SYSTEM**

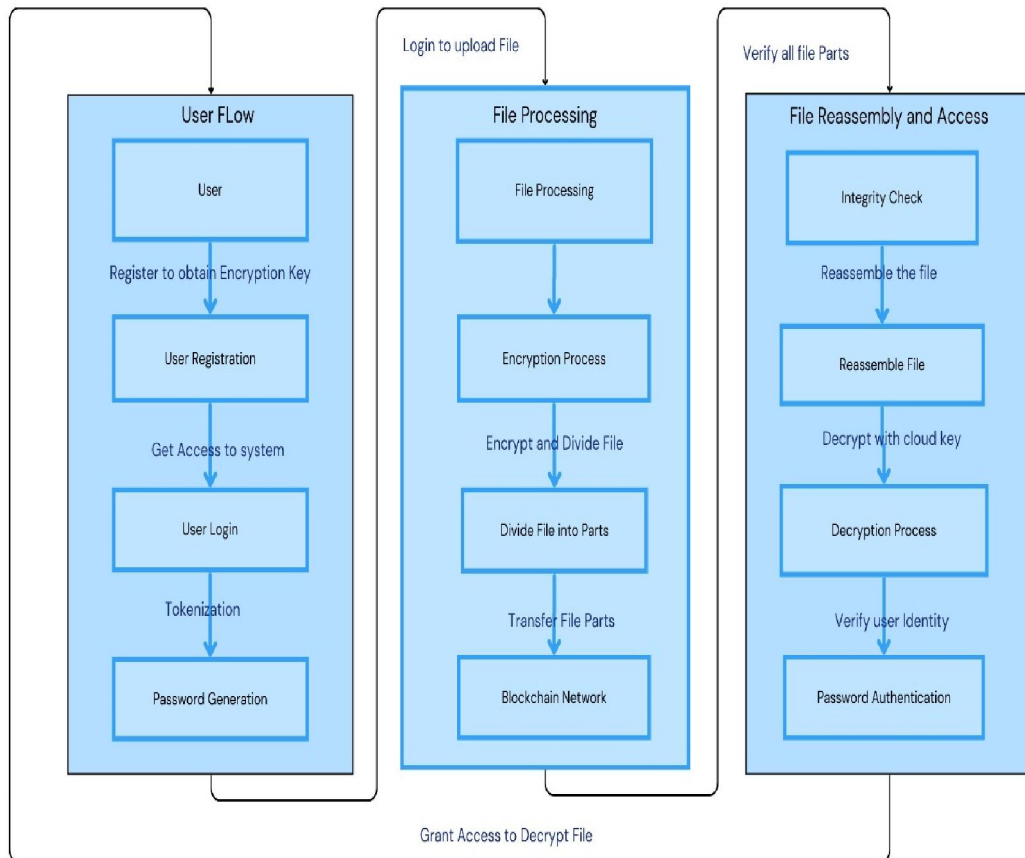


Fig. 1 Workflow Of Blockchain Based Secure File Transfer System With Password Protection System

**V. PROPOSED SYSTEM**

The Blockchain Based Secure File Transfer System with Password Protection is used for the transfer of the file from one user to another without knowing to anyone. For creating this system, the system architecture is described below in Fig. 2

The working of the Blockchain Based Secure File Transfer System with Password Protection are

- User: first user registers to the platform and user gets a permission to login. After login, the system generates a unique ID for each user, i.e., token number.
- File: After that, the user selects the file from the local system that they want to send to another user.
- Encryption: After selecting the file, the system starts to encrypt the given file with the help of the SHA256 Blockchain algorithm and at the last, it converts it into small blocks of the blockchain.
- Password Protection: After encrypting the data and converting it into small blocks, we need to protect or secure it using the password. The system generates the half password from the token number (i.e., unique ID) and passes it to the cloud.

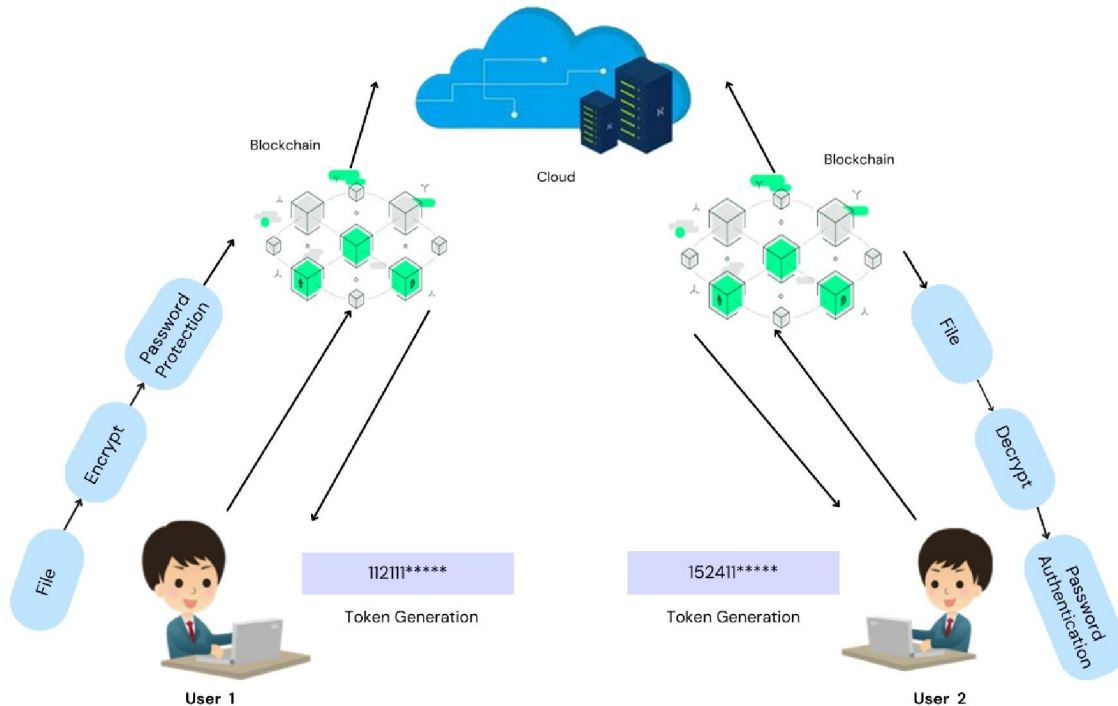


Fig. 2 System Architecture Of Blockchain Based Secure File Transfer System With Password Protection System

- Cloud: In this system, the cloud is responsible to reassemble the password or complete the half password and again break the password into two parts. The first part of the password is attached to the block of the blockchain, and another half part of the password is transferred to the target user in the form of a text attachment and it is transferred to the target user.
- Decryption: When the file reaches the end of the other user, using the SHA256 Blockchain algorithm, the system starts to decrypt the given data within the blockchain network.
- Password Authentication: At the last, when the file reaches the other user's end for access to this file, the user needs to authenticate it using required password credentials.

**VI. CONCLUSION**

The Blockchain-Based secure File Transfer System with Password Protection offers a helpful and cutting-edge solution to the growing challenges related to safe file transfers in the 21st-century. This solution ensures the confidentiality,

accessibility, and integrity of important files during transmission by using strong encryption, decryption and password protection, with the decentralized, immutable nature of blockchain technology.

Blockchain technology provides a complete record of all files, ensuring transparency and traceability of file, which decreases the chance of unauthorized access of file. Passwords offer an important role of user-controlled authorized users to access data by ensuring that may be sure that only their files.

By providing a highly secure, decentralized solution, this technology effectively overcomes the weaknesses of standard, centralized file transfer techniques. It provides the scalable and modular architecture t.e. Ensures that it is easily expanded to meet changing cybersecurity requirements in the future. Some possible improvements include multi-factor authentication, smart contracts, OTP Authentication, Face recognition System and more advanced data Security techniques.

Finally, it should be noted that the Blockchain-Based secure File Transfer System with Password Protection is a Useful and modern method for safe file transferring that is perfect for businesses and all other Sectors That improve security, privacy, and authority over their digital data.

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