



# Transact Remotely Through XCM



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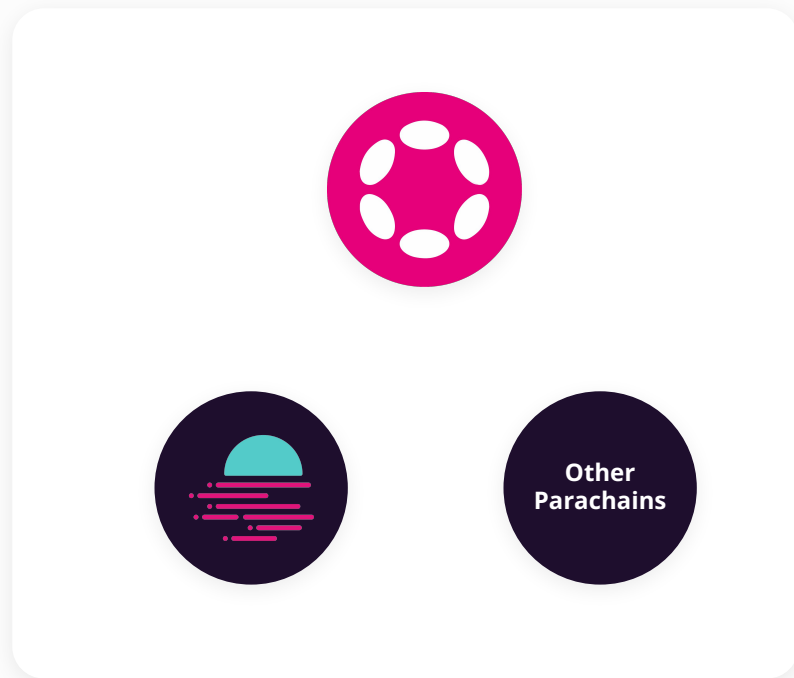
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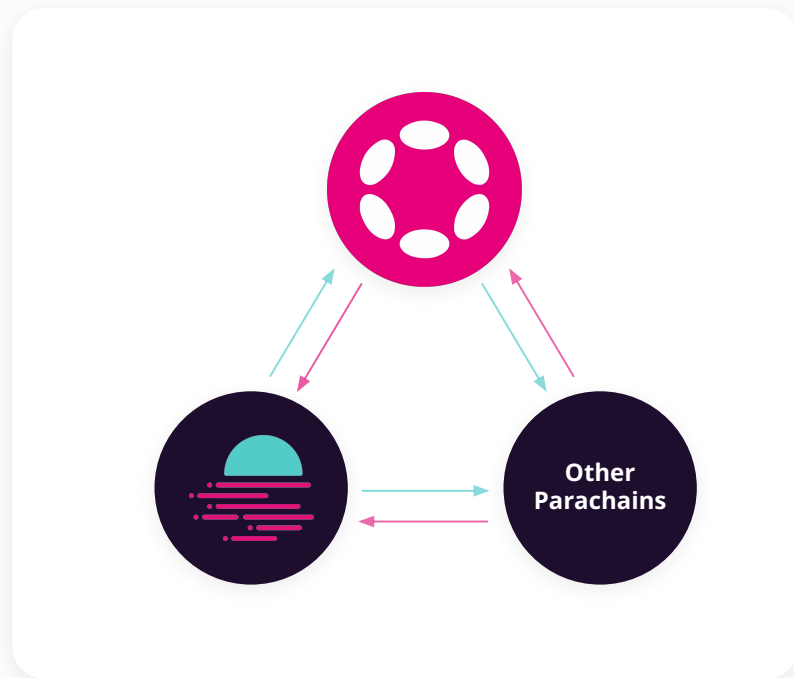
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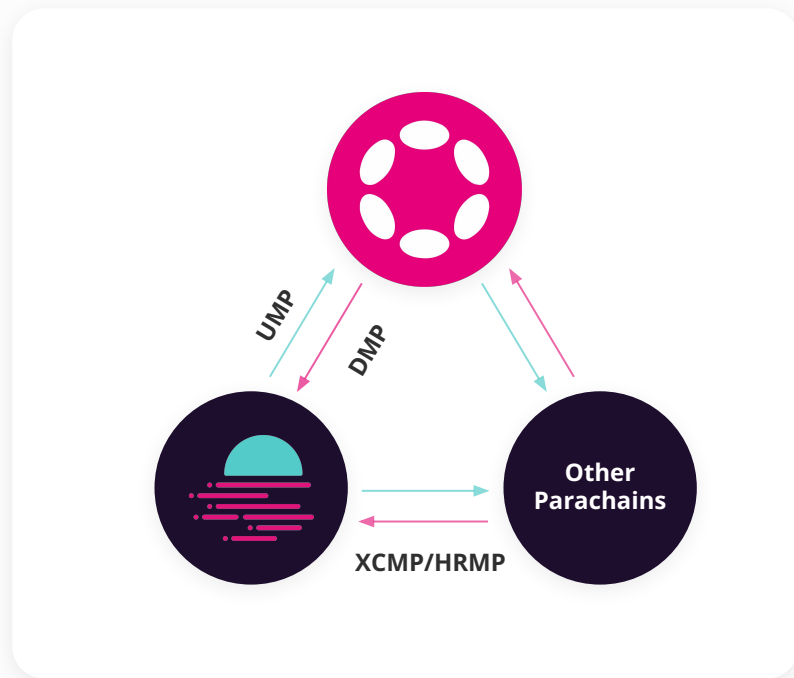
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### UMP/DMP & XCMP

How the message is passed around



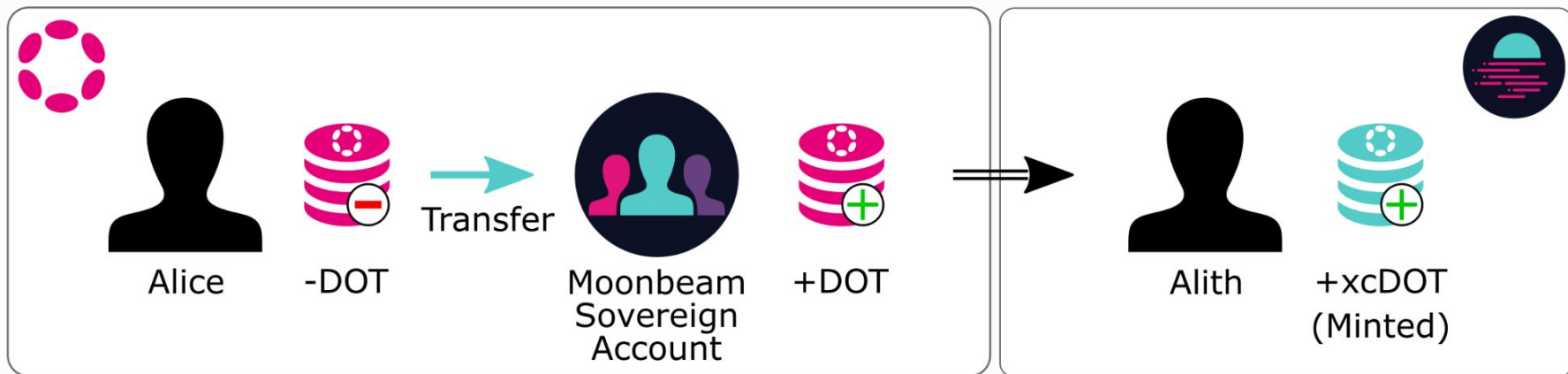


# Remote Token Transfers

# Polkadot & XCM

## XCM Example: Token Transfers

Asset Transfer from Polkadot (Alice) to Moonbeam (Alith)



# Polkadot & XCM

## Sovereign Account?

01

### Account Own by a Chain

Relay Chain/Parachains own(s) an account on other chains

02

### Dispatch Origin & Holds Funds

“Locking smart contract” on Ethereum bridges

03

### Address is Deterministic

For Parachains, is determined by their parachain ID. For Relay Chain, it is encoding “Parent” and trailing zeros

```
const sovAddressRelay = u8aToHex(`
  new Uint8Array([...new TextEncoder().encode('para'),
...targetParaId.toU8a()])
).padEnd(66, '0');

const sovAddressPara = u8aToHex(
  new Uint8Array([...new TextEncoder().encode('sibl'),
...targetParaId.toU8a()])
).padEnd(66, '0');

console.log(`Sovereign Account Address on Relay:
${sovAddressRelay}`);

console.log(`Sovereign Account Address on other
Parachains (Generic): ${sovAddressPara}`);

console.log(`Sovereign Account Address on Moonbase
Alpha: ${sovAddressPara.slice(0, 42)}`);
```

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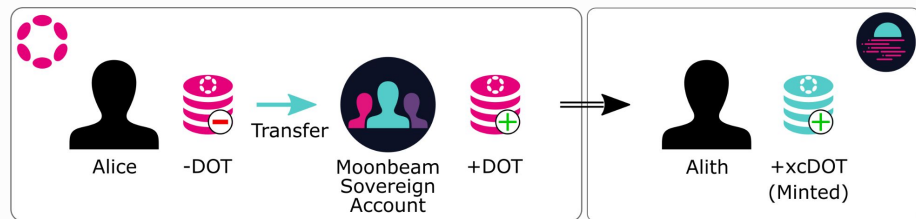
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{
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self.origin.as_ref().ok_or(XcmError::BadOrigin)?;
    for asset in assets.inner() {
        Config::AssetTransactor::transfer_asset(asset,
origin, &dest)?;
    }
    let ancestry =
Config::LocationInverter::ancestry();
    assets.reanchor(&dest, &ancestry).map_err(|()|
XcmError::MultiLocationFull)?;
    let mut message =
vec![ReserveAssetDeposited(assets), ClearOrigin];
    message.extend(xcm.0.into_iter());
    Config::XcmSender::send_xcm(dest,
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### ReserveAssetDeposited ([URL](#))

Mints a representation of the asset (xcDOT) into holding

### ClearOrigin ([URL](#))

Removes the Origin register information

### BuyExecution ([URL](#))

Buys execution time, pays from holding

### DepositAsset ([URL](#))

Takes assets from holding and deposits to Alith





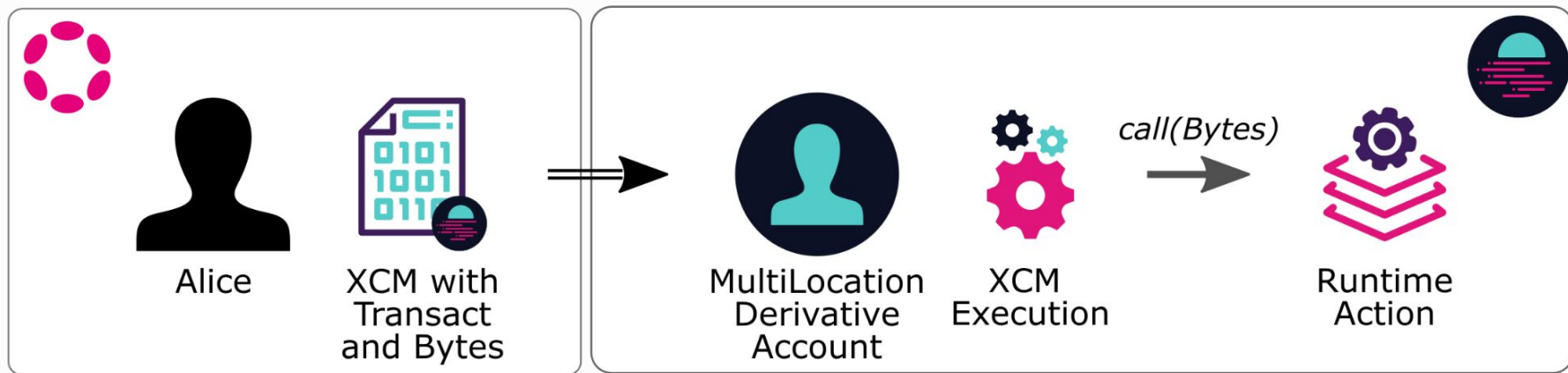
# Remote Transact



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## XCM Example: Remote Transact

Remote Transact from Polkadot to Moonbeam



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### XCM Example: Remote Transact



Other  
Chains

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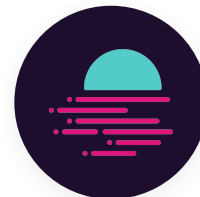
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## XCM Example: Remote Transact



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### DescendOrigin (Optional) ([URL](#))

Transforms the Origin with a given interior

### WithdrawAsset ([URL](#))

Removes assets from an account and put them in holding

### BuyExecution ([URL](#))

Buys execution time, pays from holding

### Transact ([URL](#))

Dispatches an encoded call data



# Remote EVM Calls Through XCM

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01

## Ethereum-XCM Pallet

Middleware between the *Transact* XCM instruction and the Ethereum Pallet

02

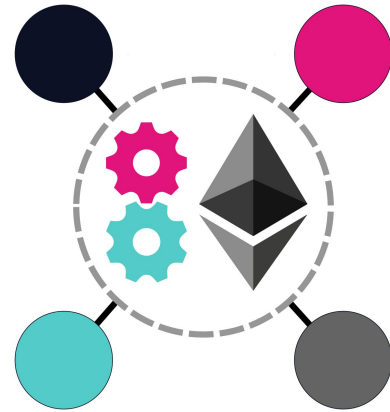
## MultiLocation-Derivative Accs

Keyless account controlled by another account from an external chain. Obtained from a *DescendOrigin* XCM instruction

03

## Proxied Execution

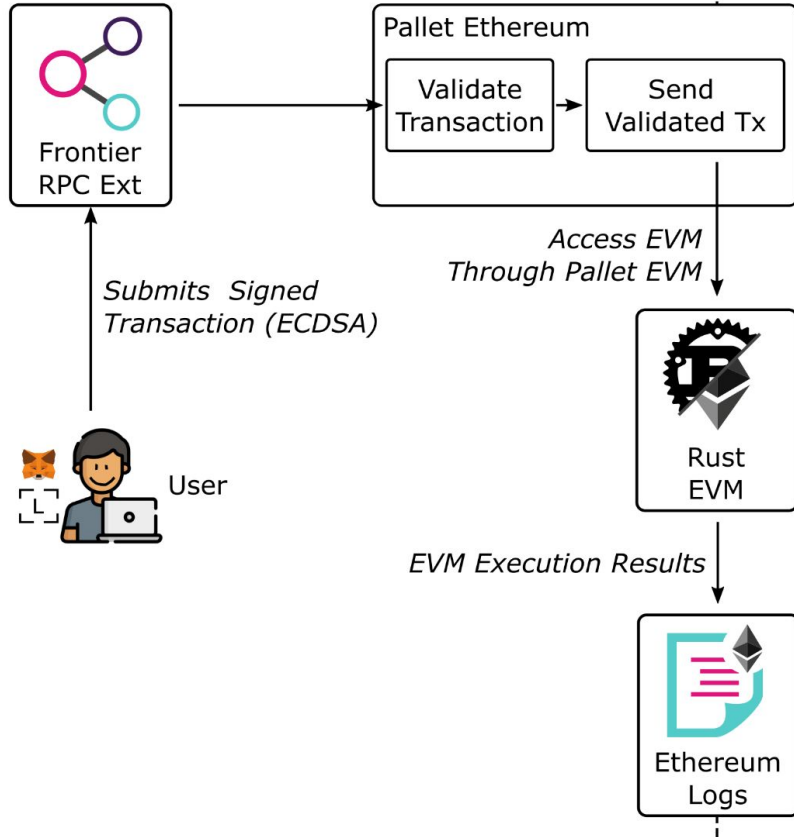
Define the *msg.sender* via a proxy





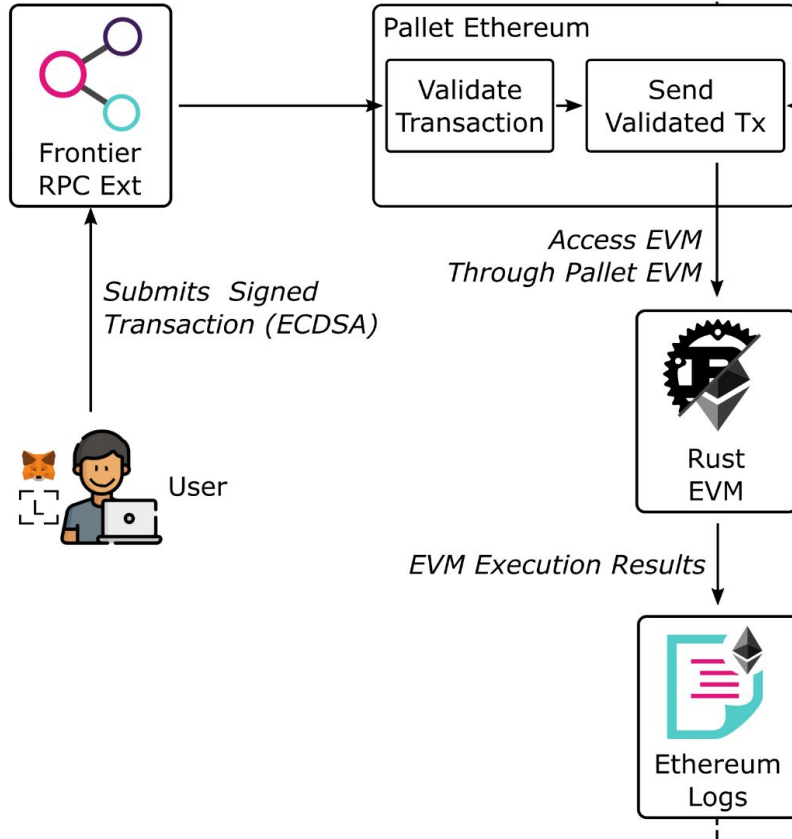
# Regular vs Remote EVM Calls Happy Path Diagram :)

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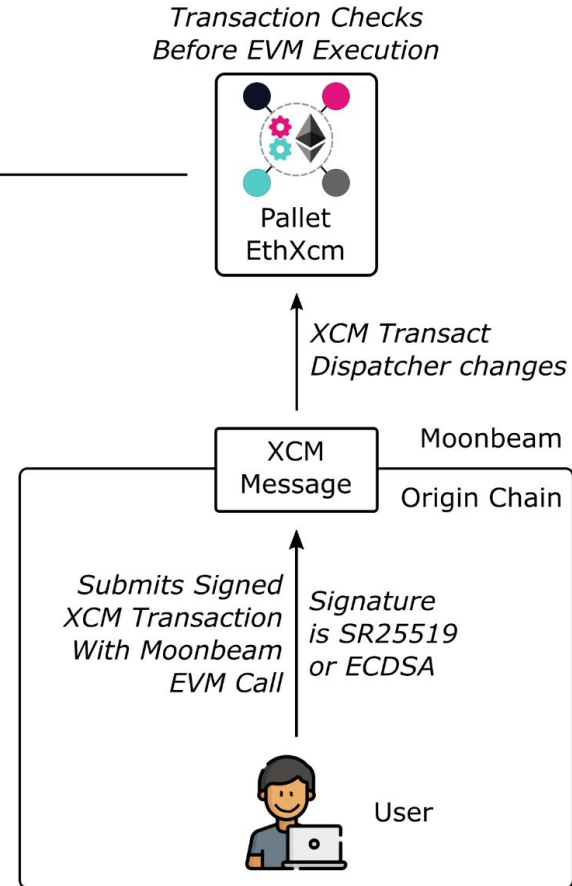




## Regular EVM Calls



## Remote EVM Calls Through XCM



# Remote EVM Calls

## Main Differences

01

### Global Nonce

Transactions with no signature can produce EVM Tx Hash collision

02

### No Signature -> No ECRECOVER

The *from* is still the *msg.sender* and it is included in the transaction receipt and in the transaction by hash (ETH JSON RPC)

03

### Gas Price is Zero

EVM Call is charged at an XCM level, not at an EVM level

```
curl --location --request POST
'https://rpc.api.moonbase.moonbeam.network' \
--header 'Content-Type: application/json' \
--data-raw '{
  "jsonrpc": "2.0",
  "id": 1,
  "method": "eth_getTransactionByHash",
  "params":
  ["0x85735a6be6aa0b3ad5f6ce877d8b9048137876517d9ca5
b309bcd93ae997bf7a"]
}'
```

```
{
  "jsonrpc": "2.0",
  "result": {
    "hash": "0x85735a6be6aa0b3ad5f6ce877d8b9048137876517d9ca5b309bcd93ae997bf7a",
    "nonce": "0x1",
    "blockHash": "0xc4b573da6943cc94e55c2fb429160c5b24d91a9da6798102a28dd611c3b76cc0",
    "blockNumber": "0x2e7cf1",
    "transactionIndex": "0x0",
    "from": "0x4e21340c3465ec0aa91542de3d4c5f4fc1def526",
    "to": "0xa72f549a1a12b9b49f30a7f3aeb1f4e96389c5d8",
    "value": "0x0",
    "gasPrice": "0x0",
    "maxFeePerGas": "0x0",
    "maxPriorityFeePerGas": "0x0",
    "gas": "0x11558",
    "input": "0xd09de08a",
    "creates": null,
    "raw": "...", // Value deleted so that it fits :)
    "publicKey": "...", // Value deleted so that it fits :)
    "chainId": "0x507",
    "standardV": "0x1",
    "v": "0x1",
    "r": "0x1",
    "s": "0x1",
    "accessList": [],
    "type": "0x2"
  },
  "id": 1
}
```



# MultiLocations

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## Represent Locations in the Ecosystem

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### Folder Path

Define a target from an origin

02

### Relative to Origin

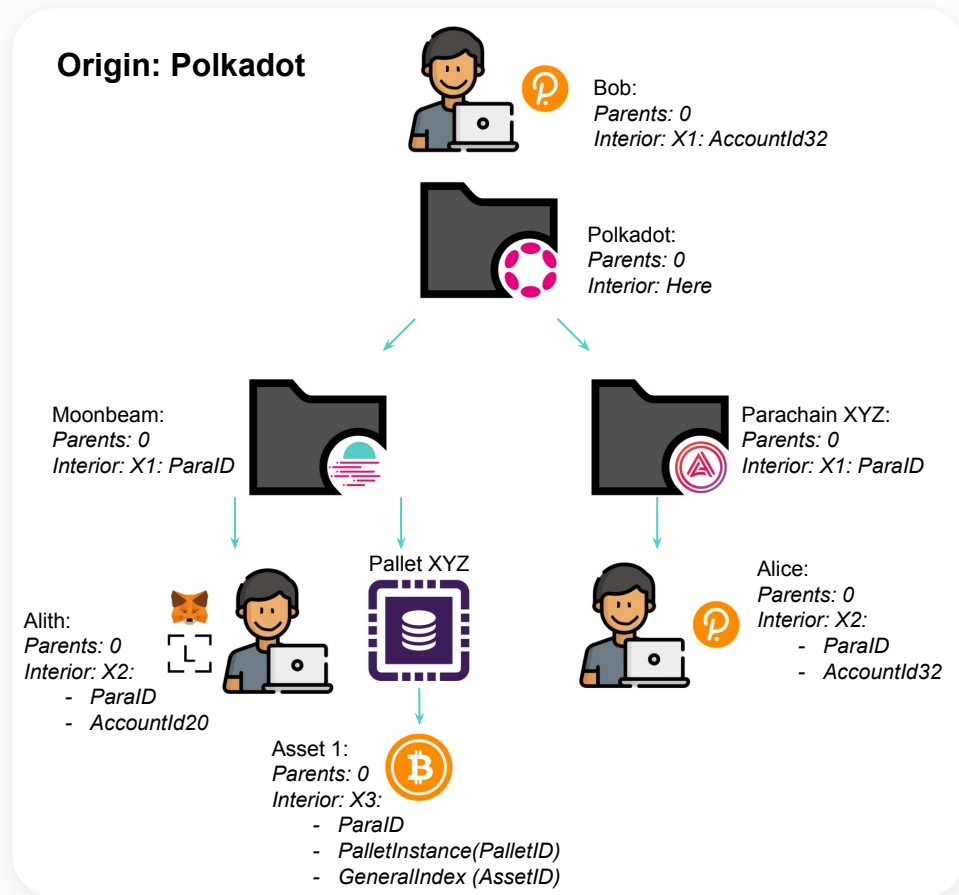
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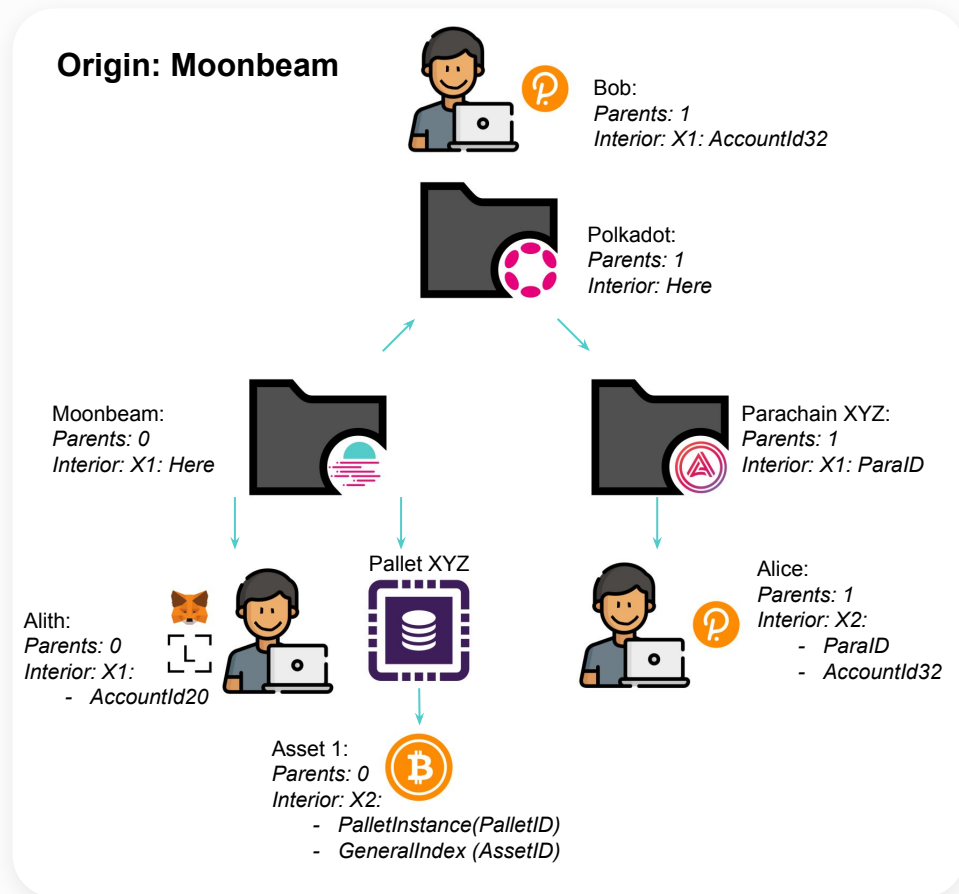
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# XCM Demo: XCM Balance Transfer

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## What you'll need?

01

### Moonbase Alpha Account

Account funded with DEV

02

### MultiLocation Derivative Account

[Calculate the multilocation-derivative account](#) and funded with KMA

03

### Calamari Call Data

SCALE Encoded Call data for a balance transfer

04

### Moonbase Alpha Call Data

XCM-Transactor call data

05

### Check Tools

Moonscan explorer, Polkadot.js Apps explorer, etc.

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### Important Links

- [Polkadot.js Moonbase Alpha](#)
- [Docs on Remote XCM Calls](#)
- [Docs on Remote EVM Calls](#)
- [XCM-tools Github Repo](#)



# XCM Balance Transfer Demo

## Calamari Call Data

01

### Balance Transfer

- Destination Address
- Amount

The screenshot shows the Moonbeam XCM interface for a Calamari Parachain. The top navigation bar includes 'Calamari Parachain Live On Moonbase', 'calamari/3434 #24,696', and dropdown menus for 'Accounts', 'Network', and 'Governance'. The main interface is divided into 'Extrinsics', 'Submission', and 'Decode' tabs. Under 'Submission', it shows the selected account 'XCM TEST DOT (TALISMAN)' and the extrinsic type 'balances' with the function 'transfer(dest, value)'. The configuration fields are: 'dest: MultiAddress (LookupSource)' with 'Id' set to 'Id: AccountId' and 'DEMO ACC (TALISMAN)'; and 'value: Compact<u128> (Balance)' set to '100000000000'. At the bottom, the 'encoded call data' is displayed as '0x0a0000280765e264fc2b6df7a00356eeef0cf6fa7d9c177d41f146b5a5bce72bf69c16070010a5d4e8' and the 'encoded call hash' as '0x72c3e8a9acd3fae6c01f2f1c8d58b3999ae79bb05ec75bcafb88114fa6c797fb'.

Calamari Balance Transfer SCALE Encoded Call Data:

0x0a0000280765e264fc2b6df7a00356eeef0cf6fa7d9c177d41f146b5a5bce72bf69c16070010a5d4e8

```
import { ApiPromise, WsProvider } from '@polkadot/api';
const provider = new WsProvider('WS_URL');
const dest= 'dmuqiUYzYsCZvtQNfAbiXP1xk7drm64Yg5d3zq7bXZnvPuv89';
const amount = 1000000000000;

const main = async () => {
  const api = await ApiPromise.create({ provider: provider });

  // Create a transfer extrinsic
  let tx = api.tx.balances.transfer(dest, amount);

  // Get SCALE Encoded Call Data
  let encodedCall = tx.toHex();
  console.log(`Encoded Call Data: ${encodedCall}`);
};

main();
```

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# XCM Balance Transfer Demo

## Moonbase Alpha Call Data

01

### XCM-Transactor

transactThroughSigned:

- Destination Chain
- Fee Information
- Call
- Weight Information

using the selected account:  
XCM TEST ETH (TALISMAN)

submit the following extrinsic: `xcmTransactor` `transactThroughSigned(dest, fee, call, weightInfo)`

dest: `XcmVersionedMultiLocation`

V1

V1: `XcmV1MultiLocation`

parents: `u8`  
1

interior: `XcmV1MultiLocationJunctions`

X1

X1: `XcmV1Junction`

Parachain

Parachain: `Compact<u32>`  
2084

fee: `PalletXcmTransactorCurrencyPayment`

currency: `PalletXcmTransactorCurrency`

AsCurrencyId

AsCurrencyId: `MoonbaseRuntimeXcmConfigCurrencyId`

ForeignAsset

ForeignAsset: `u128`  
213357169630950964874217107356898319277

feeAmount: `Option<u128>`  
<empty>

call: Bytes  
`0x0a000280765e264fc2b6df7a0035eef0cf6fa7d9c177d41f146b5a5bce72bf69c16070010a5d4e8`

weightInfo: `PalletXcmTransactorTransactWeights`

transactRequiredWeightAtMost: `u64`  
200000000

overallWeight: `u64`  
300000000

encoded call data  
`0x21060101010091200001ad5b2b2c881eae41b14006879f1883a000a40a0000280765e264fc2b6df7a0035eef0cf6fa7d9c177d41f146b5a5bce72bf69c16070010a5d4e8009435770000000001005ed0b200000000`

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```

import { ApiPromise, WsProvider } from '@polkadot/api';
const provider = new WsProvider('wss://wss.api.moonbase.moonbeam.network');
const dest = { V1: { parents: 1, interior: { X1: { Parachain: 2084 } } } };
const fee = {
  currency: { AsCurrencyId: { ForeignAsset: '213357169630950964874127107356898319277' } },
  feeAmount: null,
};
const call = '0x0a0000280765e264fc2b6df7a00356eeef0cf6fa7d9c177d41f146b5a5bce72bf69c16070010a5d4e8';
const weightInfo = { transactRequiredWeightAtMost: 2000000000, overallWeight: 3000000000 };
const main = async () => {
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  let tx = api.tx.xcmTransactor.transactThroughSigned(dest, fee, call, weightInfo);
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Moonbase XCM-Transactor Transact Through Signed SCALE Encoded Call Data:

```

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```

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