



Secret Keys



“I’ve solved it! I figured out the key we can use to start Pintcoin,” said Bob. “Look:”

X	E					
X	E	H	B	E		E
R	G	X	X	X	H	X
L	E	T		T	H	E
R	E		B	E		L
I	G	H	T			

“That’s no good,” said Alice. “You can’t just *drop a quote* in there and expect it to make a good key.”
 “Alright, what do you suggest then?” asked Bob.

“Well,” explained Alice, “most accounts are *based on 16* key principles – but the most important is a super secure secret key. I’ll bet if we can get that right, we can drop the other ones. What should our secret key be?”

	0	0	0	0	0			0			
	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	
0	X	3	5	2	5	5	1	4	3	1	3
X	B	3	8	F	9	6	4	5	9	2	5
1	4	0	8	0	5			1	3	0	5
	0	3	1	2	0	5	1	4			
0	B	0	5	1	9			0	9	1	3
	0	3	0	F	1	6	0	5	1	2	
14 08 05	13 05 03	12 05 14	0B 05 19				1	4			
T	H	E	S	E	C	R	E	T	K	E	Y
09 13	03 04	16 05	12 14								
I	S	C	O	V	E	R	T				

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