2.3.3.1.2.2 Staking Node

return to Archival Node

A **Staking Node** is usually a Lightweight Node (Wallet). It allows for the aggregation of individual stakeholders stakes in proof_of_stake_pos a Node Network. The collection of tokens (i.e., coins) has a higher weight [1] and improves the chances of receiving more rewards for validating a block of transactions. [2]

Characteristics of Staking Nodes[3]

- Ease of setup (basically a Lightweight Node (Wallet))
- No initial startup costs
- No payout delay
- No penalty for being off-line
- No minimum balance
- No guarantee of returns
- Usually smaller returns that a 4_master

1)
See weight_of_network
2)
"Blockchain Nodes: An In-Depth Guide", https://nodes.com/
3)
"Masternode vs Staking", Solaris Support Center, 26 June 2019, https://solaris.helpsite.com/articles/24861-masternode-vs-staking