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# storj documentation

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## Installation

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This section covers the [Storj](#) installation.

### 1.1 pip

```
$ pip install storj
```

### 1.2 source

The code is available at [github](#).

There are several alternatives for this installation method.

Here we only describe two possibilities:

- you can clone the repository:

```
$ git clone git@github.com:Storj/storj-python-sdk.git
```

- you can go to the [releases](#) tab and pick a [tarball](#) or [zip](#).

For example:

```
$ curl -OL https://github.com/Storj/storj-python-sdk/archive/1.0.0.tar.gz
```

Once you have a copy of the source and have extracted its files, you can install it using:

```
$ python setup.py install
```



### command-line

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To install the command-line tool do:

```
$ pip install storj[cli]
```



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## API documentation

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This section contains information on a specific function, class, or method.

### 3.1 storj package

#### 3.1.1 Subpackages

##### **storj.cli package**

###### **Module contents**

Storj command-line interface package.

#### 3.1.2 Submodules

##### **storj.api module**

Storj API module.

###### **ecdsa\_to\_hex (ecdsa\_key)**

Return hexadecimal string representation of the ECDSA key.

**Parameters** `ecdsa_key` (`bytes`) – ECDSA key.

**Raises** `TypeError` – if the ECDSA key is not an array of bytes.

**Returns** hexadecimal string representation of the ECDSA key.

**Return type** str

##### **storj.configuration module**

###### **APP\_NAME = ‘storj’**

(`str`) – the application name.

###### **CFG\_EMAIL = ‘email’**

(`str`) – configuration parameter that holds the Storj account email address.

###### **CFG\_PASSWORD = ‘password’**

(`str`) – configuration parameter that holds the Storj account password.

**read\_config()**

Reads configuration storj client configuration.

**Mac OS X (POSIX):** `~/.foo-bar`

**Unix (POSIX):** `~/.foo-bar`

**Win XP (not roaming):** `C:\Documents and Settings\<user>\Application Data\storj`

**Win 7 (not roaming):** `C:\Users\<user>\AppData\Local\storj`

**Returns** storj account credentials (email, password).

**Return type** (tuple[str, str])

## storj.exception module

Storj exception module.

### exception **StorjBridgeApiError**

Bases: `exceptions.Exception`

Generic Storj exception.

## storj.http module

Storj HTTP module.

### class **Client** (*email, password*)

Bases: `object`

#### **api\_url**

*str* – the Storj API endpoint.

#### **session**

#### **email**

*str* – user email address.

#### **password**

*str* – user password.

#### **private\_key**

#### **public\_key**

#### **public\_key\_hex**

#### **authenticate** (*ecdsa\_private\_key=None*)

#### **bucket\_create** (*name, storage=None, transfer=None*)

Create storage bucket.

See [API buckets: POST /buckets](#)

#### Parameters

- **name** (*str*) – name.
- **storage** (*int*) – storage limit (in GB).
- **transfer** (*int*) – transfer limit (in GB).

**Returns** bucket.

**Return type** (model.Bucket)

**bucket\_delete** (*bucket\_id*)

Destroy a storage bucket.

See API buckets: DELETE /buckets/{id}

**Parameters** **bucket\_id** (*string*) – unique identifier.

**bucket\_files** (*bucket\_id*)

List all the file metadata stored in the bucket.

See API buckets: GET /buckets/{id}/files

**Parameters** **bucket\_id** (*string*) – unique identifier.

**Returns** to be changed to model in the future.

**Return type** (dict)

**bucket\_get** (*bucket\_id*)

Return the bucket object.

See API buckets: GET /buckets

**Parameters** **bucket\_id** (*str*) – bucket unique identifier.

**Returns** bucket.

**Return type** (model.Bucket)

**bucket\_list** ()

List all of the buckets belonging to the user.

See API buckets: GET /buckets

**Returns** buckets.

**Return type** (generator[model.Bucket])

**bucket\_set\_keys** (*bucket\_id*, *bucket\_name*, *keys*)

Update the bucket with the given public keys.

See API buckets: PATCH /buckets/{bucket\_id}

**Parameters**

- **bucket\_id** (*str*) – bucket unique identifier.
- **bucket\_name** (*str*) – bucket name.
- **keys** (*list[str]*) – public keys.

**Returns** updated bucket information.

**Return type** (storj.model.Bucket)

**bucket\_set\_mirrors** (*bucket\_id*, *file\_id*, *redundancy*)

Establishes a series of mirrors for the given file.

See API buckets: POST /buckets/{id}/mirrors

**Parameters**

- **bucket\_id** (*str*) – bucket unique identifier.
- **file\_id** (*str*) – file unique identifier.
- **redundancy** (*int*) – number of replicas.

**Returns** the mirror settings.

**Return type** (*storj.model.Mirror*)

**contact\_list** (*page=1, address=None, protocol=None, user\_agent=None, connected=None*)

Lists contacts.

See API contacts: GET /contacts

#### Parameters

- **page** (*str*) – pagination indicator.
- **address** (*str*) – hostname or IP address.
- **protocol** (*str*) – SemVer protocol tag.
- **user\_agent** (*str*) – Storj user agent string for farming client.
- **connected** (*bool*) – filter results by connection status.

**Returns** list of contacts.

**Return type** (*list[storj.model.Contact]*)

**contact\_lookup** (*node\_id*)

Lookup for contact information of a node.

See API contacts: GET /contacts/{nodeID}

**Parameters** **node\_id** (*str*) – node unique identifier.

**Returns** contact information

**Return type** (*storj.model.Contact*)

**file\_download** (*bucket\_id, file\_id*)

**file\_metadata** (*bucket\_id, file\_id*)

Get file metadata.

See API buckets: GET /buckets/{id}/files/{file\_id}/info

#### Parameters

- **bucket\_id** (*str*) – bucket unique identifier.
- **file\_id** (*str*) – file unique identifier.

**Returns** file metadata.

**Return type** (*storj.model.File*)

**file\_pointers** (*bucket\_id, file\_id, skip=None, limit=None*)

Get list of pointers associated with a file.

See API buckets: GET /buckets/{id}/files/{file\_id}

#### Parameters

- **bucket\_id** (*str*) – bucket unique identifier.
- **file\_id** (*str*) – file unique identifier.
- **skip** (*str*) – pointer index to start the file slice.
- **limit** (*str*) – number of pointers to resolve tokens for.

**Returns** file pointers.

**Return type** (generator[*storj.model.FilePointer*])

**file\_remove** (*bucket\_id*, *file\_id*)  
Delete a file pointer from a specified bucket.

See API buckets: DELETE /buckets/{id}/files/{file\_id}

**Parameters**

- **bucket\_id** (*str*) – bucket unique identifier.
- **file\_id** (*str*) – file unique identifier.

**file\_upload** (*bucket\_id*, *file*, *frame*)  
Upload file.

See API buckets: POST /buckets/{id}/files

**Parameters**

- **bucket\_id** (*str*) – bucket unique identifier.
- **file** (*storj.model.File*) – file to be uploaded.
- **frame** (*storj.model.Frame*) – frame used to stage file.

**frame\_add\_shard** (*shard*, *frame\_id*)  
Adds a shard item to the staging frame and negotiates a storage contract.

See API frames: PUT /frames/{frame\_id}

**Parameters**

- **shard** (*storj.models.Shard*) – the shard.
- **frame\_id** (*str*) – the frame unique identifier.

**frame\_create** ()  
Creates a file staging frame.

See API frames: POST /frames

**Returns** the frame.

**Return type** (*storj.model.Frame*)

**frame\_delete** (*frame\_id*)  
Destroys the file staging frame by it's unique ID.

See API frames: DELETE /frames/{frame\_id}

**Parameters** **frame\_id** (*str*) – unique identifier.

**frame\_get** (*frame\_id*)  
Fetches the file staging frame by it's unique ID.

See API frame: GET /frames/{frame\_id}

**Parameters** **frame\_id** (*str*) – unique identifier.

**Returns** a frame.

**Return type** (*storj.model.Frame*)

**frame\_list** ()  
Returns all open file staging frames.

See ‘API frame: GET /frames <[https://storj.github.io/bridge/#!/frames/get\\_frames](https://storj.github.io/bridge/#!/frames/get_frames)>‘

**Returns** all open file staging frames.

**Return type** (generator[*storj.model.Frame*])

**key\_delete** (*public\_key*)

Removes a public ECDSA keys.

See API keys: DELETE /keys/{pubkey}

**Parameters** **public\_key** (*str*) – key to be removed.

**key\_dump** ()

**key\_export** ()

**key\_generate** ()

**key\_import** (*private\_keyfile\_path*, *public\_keyfile\_path*)

**key\_list** ()

Lists the public ECDSA keys associated with the user.

See API keys: GET /keys

**Returns** public keys.

**Return type** (list[*str*])

**key\_register** (*public\_key*)

Register an ECDSA public key.

See API keys: POST /keys

**Returns** public keys.

**Return type** (list[*storj.model.Key*])

**logger** = <*logging.Logger object*>

**password**

(*str*) – user password

**token\_create** (*bucket\_id*, *operation*)

Creates a token for the specified operation.

See API buckets: POST /buckets/{id}/tokens

**Parameters**

- **bucket\_id** (*str*) – bucket unique identifier.
- **operation** (*str*) – operation.

**Returns**

...

**Return type** (dict)

**user\_activate** (*token*)

Activate user.

See API users: GET /activations/{token}

**Parameters** **token** (*str*) – activation token.

**user\_activation\_email** (*email, token*)

Send user activation email.

See API users: POST /activations/{token}

**Parameters**

- **email** (*str*) – user's email address.
- **token** (*str*) – activation token.

**user\_create** (*email, password*)

Create a new user with Storj bridge.

See API users: POST /users

**Parameters**

- **email** (*str*) – user's email address.
- **password** (*str*) – user's password.

**user\_deactivate** (*token*)

Discard activation token.

See API users: GET /activations/{token}

**Parameters** **token** (*str*) – activation token.**user\_delete** (*email*)

Delete user account.

See API users: DELETE /users/{email}

**Parameters** **email** (*str*) – user's email address.**user\_reset\_password** (*email*)

Request a password reset.

See API users: PATCH /users/{email}

**Parameters** **email** (*str*) – user's email address.**user\_reset\_password\_confirmation** (*token*)

Confirm a password reset request.

See API users: GET /resets/{token}

**Parameters** **token** (*str*) – password reset token.

## storj.metadata module

Storj metadata module.

## storj.model module

Storj model module.

**class Bucket** (*id=None, name=None, status=None, user=None, created=None, storage=None, transfer=None, pubkeys=None, publicPermissions=None, encryptionKey=None*)  
Bases: steenzout.object.Object

Storage bucket.

A bucket is a logical grouping of files which the user can assign permissions and limits to.

**id**  
*str* – unique identifier.

**name**  
*str* – name.

**status**  
*str* – bucket status (Active, ...).

**user**  
*str* – user email address.

**created**  
*datetime.datetime* – time when the bucket was created.

**storage**  
*int* – storage limit (in GB).

**transfer**  
*int* – transfer limit (in GB).

**pubkeys**

**delete()**

**class Contact** (*address=None*, *port=None*, *nodeID=None*, *lastSeen=None*, *protocol=None*, *userAgent=None*)  
Bases: `steenzout.object.Object`  
Contact.

**address**  
*str* – hostname or IP address.

**port**  
*str* – .

**nodeID**  
*str* – node unique identifier.

**lastSeen**  
*str* – .

**protocol**  
*str* – SemVer protocol tag.

**userAgent**  
*str*

**lastSeen**

**class File** (*bucket=None*, *hash=None*, *mimetype=None*, *filename=None*, *size=None*, *id=None*, *frame=None*)  
Bases: `steenzout.object.Object`

**bucket**  
bucket unique identifier.

**hash**

**mimetype**

**filename**

**frame**  
`storj.model.Frame` – file frame.

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size
shard_manager
content_type
delete()
download()
name

class FilePointer (hash=None, token=None, operation=None, channel=None)
    Bases: steenzout.object.Object

    File pointer.

    Parameters
        • hash (str) –
        • token (str) – token unique identifier.
        • operation (str) –
        • channel (str) –

    hash
        str

    token
        storj.model.Token – token.

    operation
        str

    channel
        str

class Frame (id=None, created=None, shards=None)
    Bases: steenzout.object.Object

    File staging frame.

    id
        str – unique identifier.

    created
        datetime.datetime – time when the bucket was created.

    shards
        list[Shard] – shards that compose this frame.

class Keyring
    Bases: steenzout.object.Object

    export_keyring (password, salt, user_pass)
    generate()
    import_keyring (filepath)

class MerkleTree (leaves, prehashed=True)
    Bases: steenzout.object.Object

    Simple merkle hash tree. Nodes are stored as strings in rows. Row 0 is the root node, row 1 is its children, row 2 is their children, etc

```

## Arguments

**leaves** (`list[str]/types.generator[str]`): leaves of the tree, as hex digests

**leaves**

*list[str]* – leaves of the tree, as hex digests

**depth**

*int* – the number of levels in the tree

**count**

*int* – the number of nodes in the tree

**rows**

*list[list[str]]* – the levels of the tree

**depth**

Calculates the depth of the tree.

**Returns** tree depth.

**Return type** (`int`)

**get\_level** (`depth`)

Returns the tree row at the specified depth

**get\_root** ()

Return the root of the tree

**leaves**

*(list[str]/types.generator[str])* – leaves of the tree.

**class Mirror** (`hash=None, mirrors=None, status=None`)

Bases: `steenzout.object.Object`

Mirror or file replica settings.

**hash**

*str*

**mirrors**

*int* – number of file replicas.

**status**

*str* – current file replica status.

**class Shard** (`id=None, hash=None, size=None, index=None, challenges=None, tree=None, exclude=None`)

Bases: `steenzout.object.Object`

Shard.

**id**

*str* – unique identifier.

**hash**

*str* – hash of the data.

**size**

*long* – size of the shard in bytes.

**index**

*int* – numeric index of the shard in the frame.

**challenges**

*list[str]* – list of challenge numbers

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**tree**  
`list[str]` – audit merkle tree

**exclude**  
`list[str]` – list of farmer nodeIDs to exclude

**add\_challenge** (`challenge`)  
Append challenge.

**Parameters** `challenge(str)` – .

**add\_tree** (`tree`)  
Append tree.

**all()**

**get\_private\_record()**

**get\_public\_record()**

**class ShardManager** (`filepath, shard_size, nchallenges=12`)  
Bases: `steenzout.object.Object`

File shard manager.

**filepath**  
`str` – path to the file.

**index**  
`int` – number of shards for the given file.

**nchallenges**  
`int` – number of challenges to be generated.

**shard\_size**  
`int/long` – split file in chunks of this size.

**shards**  
`list[Shard]` – list of shards

**filepath**  
`(str)` – path to the file.

**static hash** (`data`)  
Returns ripemd160 of sha256 of a string as a string of hex.

**Parameters** `data(str)` – content to be digested.

**Returns** the ripemd160 of sha256 digest.

**Return type** (str)

**class Token** (`token=None, bucket=None, operation=None, expires=None, encryptionKey=None`)  
Bases: `steenzout.object.Object`

Token.

**Parameters**

- **token** (`str`) – token unique identifier.
- **bucket** (`str`) – bucket unique identifier.
- **() (operation)** –
- **expires** (`str`) – expiration date, in the RFC3339 format.

- **encryptionKey** (*str*) –

**id**  
*str* – token unique identifier.

**bucket**  
*storj.model.Bucket* – bucket.

**operation**  
*str*

**expires**  
*datetime.datetime* – expiration date, in UTC.

**encryptionKey**  
*str*

## storj.web\_socket module

Storj web socket module.

**class Client** (*pointer, file\_contents*)  
Bases: `ws4py.client.threadedclient.WebSocketClient`

Web socket client.

**json**  
generator[*storj.model.FilePointer*] – file pointers.

**closed** (*code, reason=None*)

**opened()**

**received\_message** (*m*)

### 3.1.3 Module contents

Storj package.

**class BucketKeyManager** (*bucket, authorized\_public\_keys*)

**bucket**

**add** (*key*)

**all** ()

**clear** ()

**remove** (*key*)

**class BucketManager**  
Bases: `abc.ABCMeta`

Class to manage buckets.

**static all** ()

**static create** (*name, storage\_limit=None, transfer\_limit=None*)  
Create bucket.

#### Parameters

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- **name** (*str*) – .
- **()** (*transfer\_limit*) – .
- **()** – .

**static delete** (*bucket\_id*)  
Remove bucket.

**Parameters** **bucket\_id** (*int*) – bucket unique identifier.

**static get** (*bucket\_id*)

**class FileManager** (*bucket\_id*)

```

all()
delete (bucket_id, file_id)
download (file_id)
upload (file, frame)

```

**class TokenManager** (*bucket\_id*)  
Bucket token manager.

**bucket\_id**  
*int* – bucket unique identifier.

**create** (*operation*)  
Creates a token.

**Parameters** **operation** (*str*) – operation (PUSH or PULL).

**class UserKeyManager**  
Bases: abc.ABCMeta

```

static add (key)
static all()
static clear()
static remove (key)

```

**generate\_new\_key\_pair()**  
Generate a new key pair.

**Returns**

**tuple**(**ecdsa.keys.SigningKey**, **ecdsa.keys.VerifyingKey**):  
key pair (private, public).

**get\_client()**  
Returns a pre-configured Storj HTTP client.

**Returns** Storj HTTP client.

**Return type** (*storj.http.Client*)



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