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# **Import an account in Anchor**

**Guide for Anchor on Desktop**



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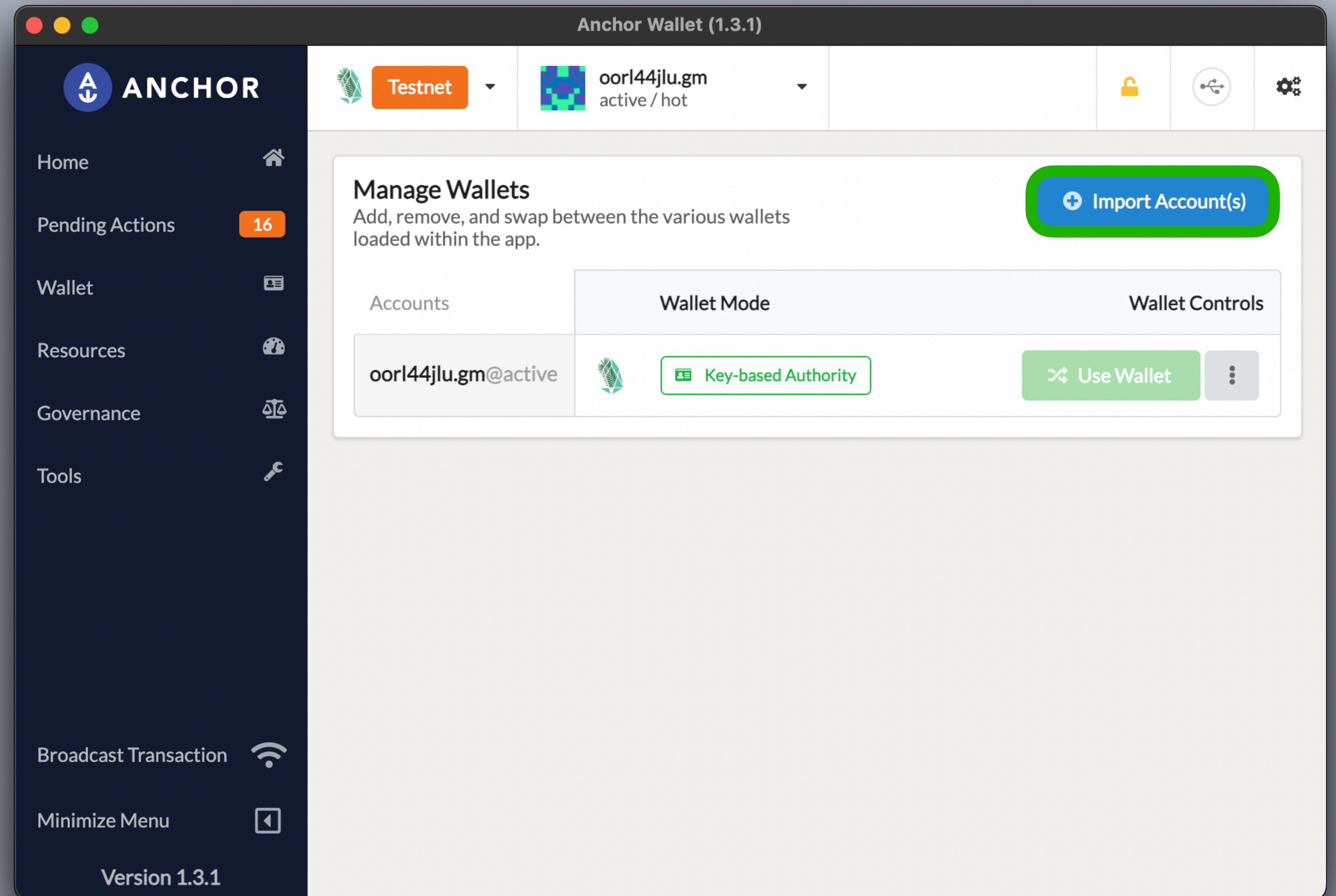
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## Step 1 - Add Account

As an alternate method of recovery, Anchor allows to import account details from an account created outside of Anchor.

This process differs from “Account Recovery” as it does not use the Owner Key Certificate, but it does require existing access to the account to view the Private Key

To begin the account import process, select “Manage Wallets” and then “Import Account(s)”







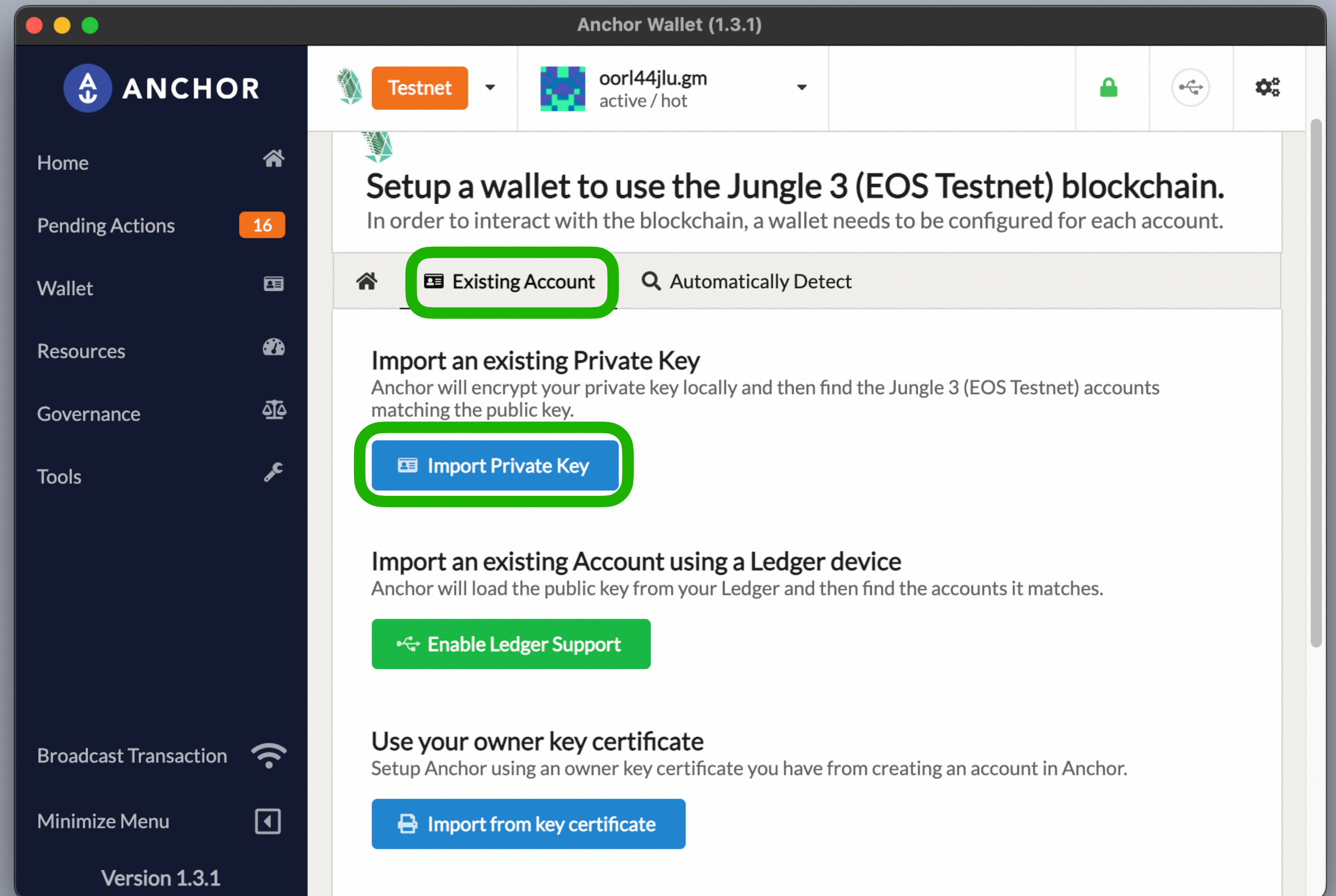
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## Step 2 - Import Private Key

In order to utilize this method, you will need to have an existing account and access to that account's private key. Make sure you have that key at the ready, as it will be needed in the following step.

To continue, select "Existing Account" then "Import Private Key"







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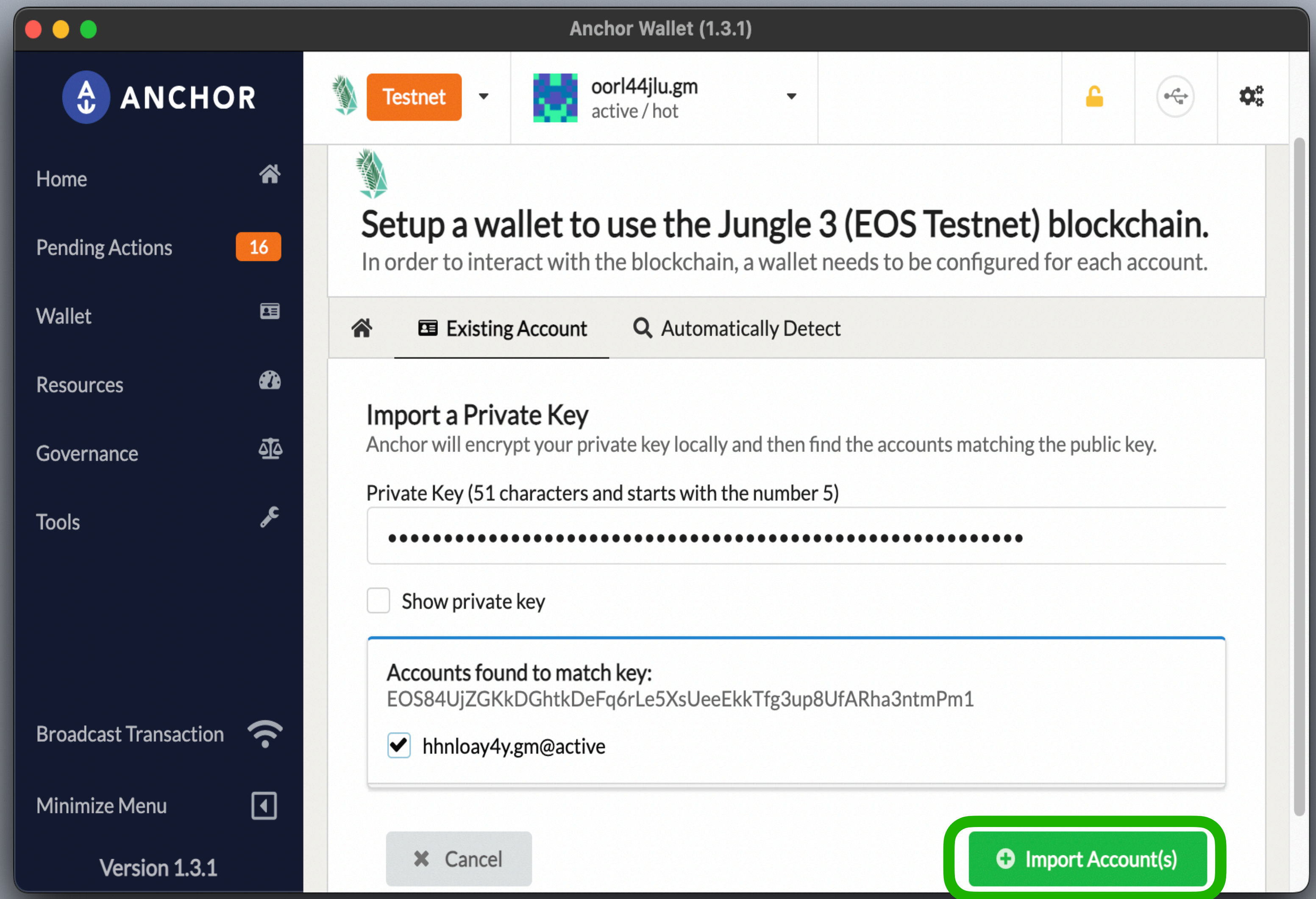
## Step 3 - Enter Private Key

On this page, you'll enter your private key into the provided field.

The private key that your wallet provides you with should be 51 characters long and begin with the number "5". If it isn't, please double check to make sure you're exporting the actual private key and not a different one.

For example, in Anchor, you'll be presented with several warning screens to make sure you're aware that the key is for your eyes only.

Once you've entered your private key and checked the box next to your account name, you should see the "Import Account(s)" button light up. Click it to continue.







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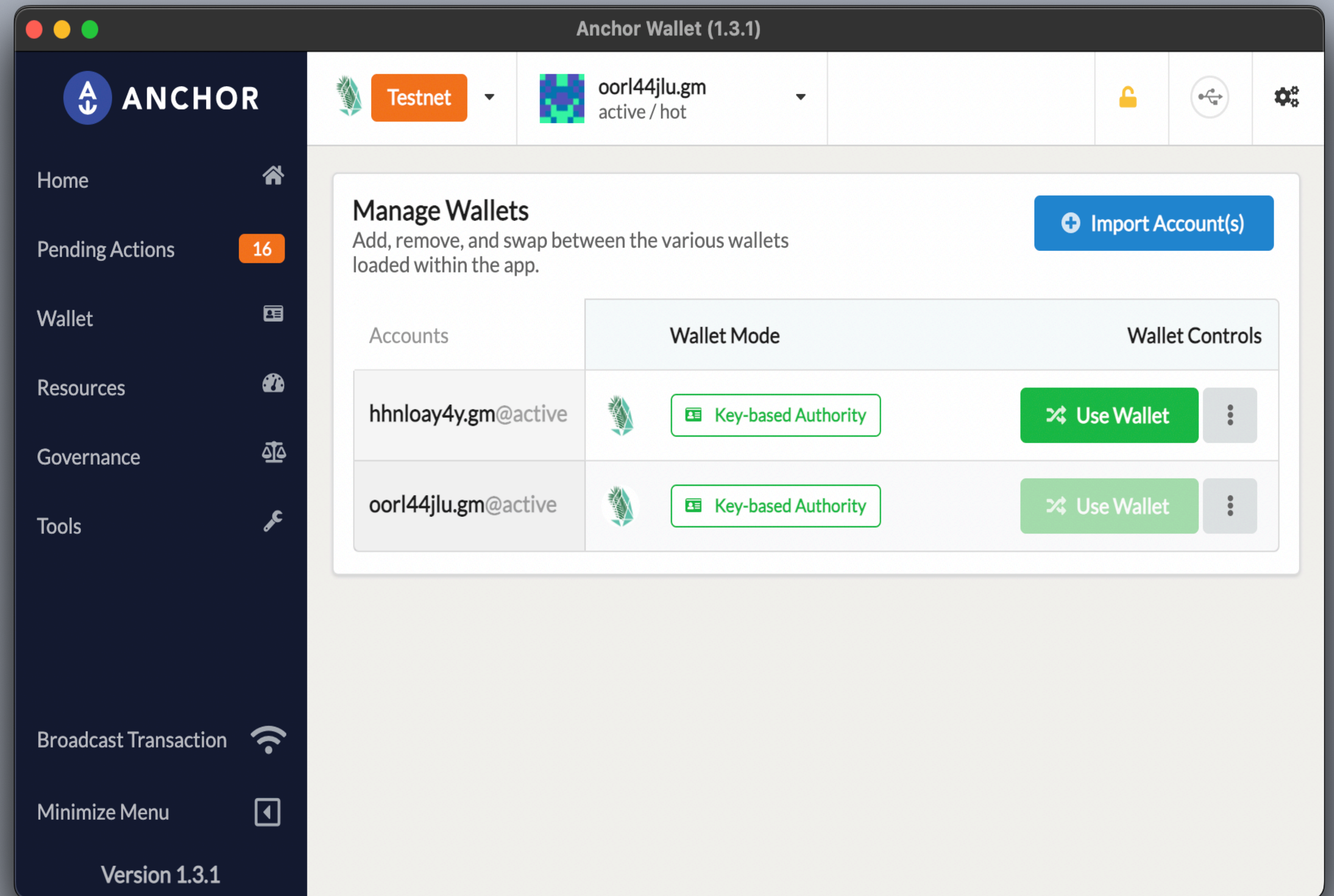
## Step 4 - Authorize

Enter your Anchor password to authorize adding this account into Anchor and click “Authorize”

At this point, you’ll be returned to the Home Dashboard where you’ll see your account added to the wallet and fully accessible.

For more info on what you can do with your account in Anchor, keep an eye on our support portal for more guides for Desktop coming soon.

If you have any additional questions, please reach out via our [Support Portal](#) or at [support@greymass.com](mailto:support@greymass.com).





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