

0 Introduction

0.a. Purpose of the Smart Contracts

0.a.1 Sponsorships

Sponsoring users is a way for [BrightID](#) to have a continuous stream of funding while allowing BrightID to remain a public good. It spreads the burden of funding BrightID to many participants.

To use BrightID's [verification system](#), a user must be sponsored--which happens just once per user per lifetime. In the most common scenario, an application purchases a sponsorship on behalf of a user. Purchasing sponsorships is recorded on Ethereum, while assigning a sponsorship to a BrightID user is recorded on BrightID nodes.

0.a.2 Sponsorship Contexts

Every sponsorship has at most one [context](#), which indicates which application controls it.

When a sponsorship is newly created, it has no context assigned to it. The purchaser of the sponsorship can call a function on the smart contract to assign it a context. To prevent abuse, the context can only be assigned once.

0.a.3 Subscriptions

In addition to direct sales of sponsorships, a limited number of *subscriptions* will be available to early supporters. A subscription produces new sponsorships [every month for nearly six years](#).

0.b Auditing Priorities

By far the most important contract to consider is the [Sponsorships contract](#). It is designed to provide income for a long time. By contrast, subscriptions have a fixed lifetime and a cap. The [Subscriptions contract](#) is easier to fix if needed since the balances shouldn't change much--especially after the cap is reached.

The minter contracts ([SponsorshipsMinter](#) and [SubscriptionsMinter](#)) can be [replaced](#) using the functions of the [MinterRole](#) if issues are found after they have been deployed.

See also [Handling Upgrades and Exploits to the Sponsorships Contract](#).

1 Sponsorships

1.a Name and Symbol

We will use the name **Sponsorships** to describe the asset ([code](#)). The symbol will be **Sp** ([code](#)).

1.b Transferability

Sponsorships are non-transferable ([code](#), [code](#)).

1.c Balances

Sponsorships can be accumulated through purchase ([code](#)), but never depleted (because they inherit the [NonTransferable module](#)). [The total balance should be visible from a wallet](#). The balance of how many sponsorships have been assigned to a [context](#) is visible from a [web application we provide](#).

1.d Purchase

Purchases are handled using the [SponsorshipsMinter contract](#) ([code](#)).

Sponsorships are purchased for 1 DAI each ([code](#), [deployment script constants](#)). Tokens used to purchase sponsorships are immediately [sent to BMAIN DAO](#) ([code](#), [code](#), [code](#), [code](#), [code](#), [code](#), [deployment script constants](#)).

Newly purchased sponsorships are not assigned a context ([code](#)).

1.d.1 Refunds

The number of sponsorships purchased is rounded down to the nearest unit and any payment left over is refunded ([code](#)).

[Where possible, other tokens and ether sent to the smart contract are reclaimable.](#)

1.d.2 Changing Purchase Token and Price

The [contract owner](#) of the SponsorshipsMinter can change the purchase token ([code](#)) (for example, from DAI to multi-collateral DAI) and price ([code](#)).

1.e Contexts

An address that holds sponsorships can have some that are assigned a context, and some that are unassigned ([code](#)).

An address can assign some number of their sponsorships to a given context ([code](#)).

1.f Balance Query Functions

There are functions to query the unassigned balance for an address ([code](#)), query the balance of any given context for any given address ([code](#)), and get the entire balance of a context across all addresses ([code](#)).

2 Subscriptions

2.a Name and Symbol

We will use the name **subscriptions** to describe the asset ([code](#)). The symbol will be **Subs** ([code](#)).

2.b Transferability

Subscriptions are non-transferable ([code](#), [code](#), [code](#)).

2.c Balances

Subscriptions can be accumulated through purchase ([code](#)), but never depleted (because they inherit the [NonTransferable module](#)). [The total balance should be visible from MetaMask.](#)

2.d Purchase

Purchases are handled using the [SubscriptionsMinter contract](#) ([code](#)).

2.d.1 Price Steps

The price increases in steps according to the following schedule. ([code](#), [code](#))

Step	Subscriptions	Price
1	400,000	1 DAI
2	500,000	2 DAI

2.d.2 Purchases spanning two steps

If a purchase would span two steps, only the subscriptions from the earlier step are purchased and the rest of the payment is refunded ([code](#)).

2.d.3 Refunds

The number of subscriptions purchased is rounded down to the nearest unit and any payment left over is refunded ([code](#)).

If a purchase is attempted after the sale has ended, the payment is refunded ([code](#), [code](#), [code](#), [code](#)).

[Where possible, other tokens and ether sent to the smart contract are reclaimable.](#)

2.d.4 Direction of funds

Tokens used to purchase subscriptions are immediately [sent to BMAIN DAO](#) ([code](#), [code](#), [code](#), [code](#), [code](#), [code](#), [deployment script constants](#)).

2.d.5 Batches

Subscriptions can be purchased in batches, not just singly ([code](#)). For example, a batch of 1000 subscriptions could be purchased at the same time.

The starting timestamp¹ for each batch purchased must be recorded separately ([code](#)) and will be needed when sponsorships are claimed ([code](#)).

2.d.6 Claiming Sponsorships

New sponsorships are available from a subscription every month (starting with month zero--one sponsorship is claimable immediately), following this pattern:

Month (inclusive)	Sponsorships per month
0-11	1
12-23	2
24-35	3

¹ The timestamp doesn't have to be very precise. It could be months since October 1, 2019.

36-47	4
48-59	5
60-71	6

Months are actually thirty day periods. The final sponsorships can be claimed after $71 * 30 = 2130$ days. One subscription produces 252 sponsorships in total. ([Code](#).)

The SubscriptionsMinter claim function [calls](#) the corresponding [claim function on the Subscriptions contract](#) which returns the number of sponsorships which should be added to the balance for the calling address ([code](#), [code](#)).

The SubscriptionsMinter contract then [calls](#) the [Sponsorships contract's mint function](#) which increments the addresses balance with new sponsorships accordingly ([code](#)).

When an address claims sponsorships, it claims all available sponsorships from all eligible [batches](#) ([code](#)).

3 Wallet Support (Asset Visibility)

3.a MetaMask

The total balance for both assets should be visible through MetaMask. This means the assets need to support the following:

balanceOf function ABI:

```
[{'constant': true, 'inputs': [{'name': '_owner', 'type': 'address'}], 'name': 'balanceOf', 'outputs': [{'name': 'balance', 'type': 'uint256'}], 'payable': false, 'type': 'function'}]
```

Public constants

```
string public constant symbol
uint8 public constant decimals
```

[Applicable metamask code.](#)

This is supported by Sponsorships ([code](#), [code](#)) and Subscriptions ([code](#), [code](#), [code](#)). The [NonTransferable](#) contract from which they both inherit provides [the balanceOf\(\) function](#).

3.b Other Wallets

To be visible in certain other wallets also requires the presence of a

```
function totalSupply() public view returns (uint256) {  
    return _totalSupply;  
}
```

function that returns a value greater than zero. This relates to the [internal _mint function](#) and is supported by the [NonTransferable](#) contract ([code](#)) from which both Sponsorships ([code](#)) and Subscriptions ([code](#), [code](#)) inherit.

4 Sending Tokens to BMAIN DAO

The Sponsorships ([code](#)), Subscriptions ([code](#)), SponsorshipsMinter ([code](#)), and SubscriptionsMinter ([code](#)) contracts all inherit from [FinanceManager](#) which allows tokens to be sent to a finance app using [Aragon's deposit function definition](#). When used with an Aragon DAO, it records the transaction and deposits tokens in the vault. Transactions can have a reference telling what the transaction is for. [Underlying _deposit function](#).

The [SponsorshipsMinter](#) and [SubscriptionsMinter](#) deposit tokens used for purchase, while all four contracts inheriting from FinanceManager allow any [ERC20 tokens sent by mistake to be deposited](#).

The address of the finance app used by a contract can be changed by the owner ([code](#)).

5 Minters

The Sponsorships ([code](#), [code](#)) and Subscriptions ([code](#), [code](#), [code](#)) contracts inherit OpenZeppelin's [MinterRole](#). This means that the contract creator is designated as a Minter and Minters can add and remove other Minters. BMAIN DAO's Agent App should be the creator of both contracts so that it acquires the ability to [replace minters](#). See [deployment script](#).

5.a Minters for the Sponsorships contract

The SponsorshipsMinter, SubscriptionsMinter, and BMAIN DAO's Agent App are Minters for the Sponsorships contract. (See [Initial Deployment](#).)

The SponsorshipsMinter needs to have the MinterRole to call the mint ([code](#)) function on the Sponsorships contract when someone wants to purchase sponsorships ([code](#)).

The SubscriptionsMinter needs to have the MinterRole to call the mint ([code](#)) function on the Sponsorships contract when someone wants to claim sponsorships from their subscriptions ([code](#)).

BMAIN DAO's Agent App needs to have the MinterRole to [replace the SponsorshipsMinter or SubscriptionsMinter contracts](#) if needed. This also means that BMAIN DAO's Agent App can mint sponsorships on behalf of any address ([code](#)).

5.b Minters for the Subscriptions contract

The SubscriptionsMinter and BMAIN DAO's Agent App are Minters for the Subscriptions contract. (See [Initial Deployment](#).)

The SubscriptionsMinter needs to have the minter role to call the mint ([code](#)) or claim ([code](#)) functions on the Subscriptions contract when someone wants to purchase Subscriptions ([code](#)) or claim Sponsorships ([code](#)), respectively.

BMAIN DAO's Agent App needs to have the MinterRole to [replace the SubscriptionsMinter contract if needed](#). This also means that BMAIN DAO's Agent App can mint subscriptions on behalf of any address ([code](#)). It can also mark sponsorships from subscriptions as claimed (without actually minting them) for any address by calling [Subscriptions.claim\(\)](#) directly.

5.c Replacing Minters

[SponsorshipsMinter](#) and [SubscriptionsMinter](#) can be replaced if issues are found after they have been deployed.

5.c.1 Detaching the SponsorshipsMinter contract

From the SponsorshipsMinter contract, disable purchases ([code](#)).

5.c.2 Detaching the SubscriptionsMinter contract

From the SubscriptionsMinter contract, disable purchases ([code](#)) and claims ([code](#)).

5.c.3 Adding New Minters

A new SponsorshipsMinter or SubscriptionsMinter can be added following the example of the [deployment script](#).

6 Pausing Certain Functions

Pausing purchases, claims and context assignments can be useful in order to freeze balances so contracts can be replaced. See also [replacing minters](#) and [upgrading the Sponsorships contract](#).

6.a Pauser Role

Because they inherit from [NonTransferable](#), the creator of the Sponsorship ([code](#)) and Subscriptions ([code](#), [code](#)) contracts acquires the [Pauser role](#) for the contracts ([code](#), [code](#)) and can call the functions of the [OpenZeppelin's Pausable module](#) on them. See [initial deployment](#).

6.b Pausing Functions in the Sponsorships contract

If the Sponsorships contract is paused, the mint ([code](#)) and assignContext ([code](#)) functions will be disabled ([code](#), [code](#)).

6.c Pausing Functions in the Subscriptions contract

If the Subscriptions contract is paused, the mint ([code](#)) and claim ([code](#)) functions will be disabled ([code](#), [code](#), [code](#)).

7 Tokens Sent to Contracts by Mistake

The Sponsorships ([code](#)), Subscriptions ([code](#)), SponsorshipsMinter ([code](#)) and SubscriptionsMinter ([code](#)) contracts all inherit from [FinanceManager](#) which allows them transfer ERC20 tokens sent to them by mistake [to the BMAIN DAO](#). ([code](#), [code](#), [code](#), [code](#)).

8 Contract Ownership

Because the Sponsorships, Subscriptions, SponsorshipsMinter and SubscriptionsMinter contracts all [inherit from FinanceManager](#), they also all inherit [OpenZeppelin's Ownable](#) ([code](#)). [The initial owner will be the BMAIN DAO's Agent App](#).

8.a Functionality provided only to the Owner

- [Collecting ERC20 tokens sent by mistake](#) ([code](#)).
- [Setting the token and price used for purchasing Sponsorships](#) ([code](#), [code](#)).

9 Initial Deployment

9.a [Deployment Script](#)

The script will be executed by BMAIN DAO's Agent app, making it the creator and [owner](#) of the Sponsorships ([code](#)), Subscriptions ([code](#)), SponsorshipsMinter ([code](#)), and SubscriptionsMinter ([code](#)) contracts.

9.b Constants

- Subscriptions are capped at 900,000 ([code](#)).
- The finance address for Sponsorships ([code](#)), Subscriptions ([code](#)), SponsorshipsMinter ([code](#)) and SubscriptionsMinter ([code](#)) contracts are set to [BMAIN DAO's finance address](#) ([code](#)).
- The initial token used for purchasing Sponsorships ([code](#)) and Subscriptions ([code](#)) is [DAI](#) ([code](#)).

9.c Minters

As [the creator of the Sponsorships and Subscriptions contracts](#), [BMAIN DAO's Agent App](#) [acquires the MinterRole for those contracts](#), which allows it to add minters to them.

The SponsorshipsMinter contract is added as a [Minter](#) for sponsorships ([code](#)). The SubscriptionsMinter contract is added as a [Minter](#) for both Subscriptions ([code](#)) and Sponsorships ([code](#)).

9.d Pausers

[The creator of the Sponsorships and Subscriptions contracts](#) (i.e. BMAIN DAO's Agent app) acquires the [Pauser role](#) and can call the functions of [OpenZeppelin's Pausable module](#) on those contracts.

10 Contracts/Libraries Used

10.a Sponsorships

- [./contracts/Finance.sol:Finance](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)
- [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)

- Used by [Sending Tokens to BMAIN DAO](#)
- [./contracts/NonTransferable.sol:NonTransferable](#)
 - Inherited by [./contracts/Sponsorships.sol:Sponsorships](#)
- [./contracts/Sponsorships.sol:Sponsorships](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/access/Roles.sol:Roles](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/access/roles/MinterRole.sol:MinterRole](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/access/roles/PauserRole.sol:PauserRole](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/access/roles/MinterRole.sol:MinterRole](#)
 - Used by [Minters for the Sponsorships contract](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/access/roles/PauserRole.sol:PauserRole](#)
 - Used by [Pausing Functions in the Sponsorships contract](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/lifecycle/Pausable.sol:Pausable](#)
 - Used by [Pausing Functions in the Sponsorships contract](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/math/SafeMath.sol:SafeMath](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/ownership/Ownable.sol:Ownable](#)
 - Inherited by [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/token/ERC20/ERC20.sol:ERC20](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/token/ERC20/IERC20.sol:IERC20](#)
 - Implemented by [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/token/ERC20/ERC20.sol:ERC20](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/utils/Address.sol:Address.isContract\(\)](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)

10.b Subscriptions

- [./contracts/Finance.sol:Finance](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)
- [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)
 - Used by [Sending Tokens to BMAIN DAO](#)
- [./contracts/NonTransferable.sol:NonTransferable](#)
 - Inherited by [./contracts/NonTransferableCapped.sol:NonTransferableCapped](#)
- [./contracts/NonTransferableCapped.sol:NonTransferableCapped](#)
 - Inherited by [./contracts/Subscriptions.sol:Subscriptions](#)
- [./contracts/Subscriptions.sol:Subscriptions](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/access/Roles.sol:Roles](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/access/roles/MinterRole.sol:MinterRole](#)

- Used by [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/access/roles/PauserRole.sol:PauserRole](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/access/roles/MinterRole.sol:MinterRole](#)
 - Used by [Minters for the Subscriptions contract](#)
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 - Used by [Pausing Functions in the Subscriptions contract](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/lifecycle/Pausable.sol:Pausable](#)
 - Used by [Pausing Functions in the Subscriptions contract](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/math/SafeMath.sol:SafeMath](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/ownership/Ownable.sol:Ownable](#)
 - Inherited by [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/token/ERC20/ERC20.sol:ERC20](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/token/ERC20/IERC20.sol:IERC20](#)
 - Implemented by [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/token/ERC20/ERC20.sol:ERC20](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/Utils/Address.sol:Address.isContract\(\)](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)

10.c SponsorshipsMinter

- [./contracts/Finance.sol:Finance](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)
- [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)
 - Used by [Sending Tokens to BMAIN DAO](#)
- [./contracts/NonTransferable.sol:NonTransferable](#)
 - Inherited by [./contracts/Sponsorships.sol:Sponsorships](#)
- [./contracts/Sponsorships.sol:Sponsorships](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/SponsorshipsMinter.sol:SponsorshipsMinter](#)
- [./contracts/SponsorshipsMinter.sol:SponsorshipsMinter](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/access/Roles.sol:Roles](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/access/roles/MinterRole.sol:MinterRole](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/access/roles/PauserRole.sol:PauserRole](#)
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- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/lifecycle/Pausable.sol:Pausable](#)

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- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/math/SafeMath.sol:SafeMath](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/ownership/Ownable.sol:Ownable](#)
 - Inherited by [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/token/ERC20/ERC20.sol:ERC20](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/token/ERC20/IERC20.sol:IERC20](#)
 - Implemented by [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/token/ERC20/ERC20.sol:ERC20](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/Utils/Address.sol:Address.isContract\(\)](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/SponsorshipsMinter.sol:SponsorshipsMinter.setPurchaseToken\(\)](#)

10.d SubscriptionsMinter

- [./contracts/Finance.sol:Finance](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)
- [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)
 - Used by [Sending Tokens to BMAIN DAO](#)
- [./contracts/NonTransferable.sol:NonTransferable](#)
 - Inherited by [./contracts/NonTransferableCapped.sol:NonTransferableCapped](#)
 - Inherited by [./contracts/Sponsorships.sol:Sponsorships](#)
- [./contracts/NonTransferableCapped.sol:NonTransferableCapped](#)
 - Inherited by [./contracts/Subscriptions.sol:Subscriptions](#)
- [./contracts/Sponsorships.sol:Sponsorships](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/SubscriptionsMinter.sol:SubscriptionsMinter](#)
- [./contracts/Subscriptions.sol:Subscriptions](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/SubscriptionsMinter.sol:SubscriptionsMinter](#)
- [./contracts/SubscriptionsMinter.sol:SubscriptionsMinter](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/access/Roles.sol:Roles](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/access/roles/MinterRole.sol:MinterRole](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/access/roles/PauserRole.sol:PauserRole](#)
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 - Implemented by [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/token/ERC20/ERC20.sol:ERC20](#)
- [./contracts/openzeppelin-solidity/contracts/utils/Address.sol:Address.isContract\(\)](#)
 - Used by [./contracts/FinanceManager.sol:FinanceManager](#)

11 Other Considerations

11.a Handling Upgrades and Exploits to the Sponsorships Contract

After [pausing functions in the Sponsorships contract](#), a contract similar to OpenZeppelin's [ERC20 Migrator](#) could be used to migrate balances if the Sponsorships contract needed to be upgraded.

12 [Github repo](#)