

## BLOG 13 — The Dendrites Protocol: A High-Level Summary of Every Feature

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### Dendrites Is Fixing the One Thing Crypto Never Solved: Trust.

Blockchains gave us decentralization.

But they never gave us **safety, predictability, refunds, confirmation flows, or commercial structure.**

This is why crypto payments still break:

- random fees
- irreversible mistakes
- no workflow logic
- no merchant protections
- poor UX
- no dispute safety
- no stable settlement layers

Dendrites introduces **Safe Commerce** — the trust layer digital money always needed.

This blog gives you a high-level summary of **every major feature**, how they work, and why they matter.

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#### 1 Predictable Gas™ — Ending Fee Anxiety

Crypto fees aren't expensive — they're *unpredictable*.

A transaction quoted at \$0.30 can suddenly cost \$5.40.

Predictable Gas™ solves this through:

##### ✓ Stable fee bands

Users get a pre-quoted upper and lower bound.

##### ✓ Variance limits

Fees cannot exceed the upper band.

### ✓ SLA Credits

If fees spike unexpectedly, users get reimbursed.

### ✓ Infrastructure-grade predictability

Fees become **trustworthy**, like card networks.

This is the world's first attempt to make blockchain fees behave like modern infrastructure.

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## 2 SafetySend (UNDO) — Reversible Payments

Billions are lost every year due to:

- wrong addresses
- scam links
- incorrect amounts
- wrong-chain deposits

SafetySend introduces a simple but revolutionary idea:

### ✓ A 3-minute UNDO window

Payments sit in a temporary vault and finalize only after the window ends.

### ✓ Instant reversal if needed

Sender can undo for any reason.

### ✓ Protects humans from human mistakes

Crypto becomes safer than mobile banking.

This is the single most requested feature in the history of blockchain UX — and now it exists.

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## 3 AckPay — Confirmation-Based Settlements

Traditional commerce requires confirmation:

- did the merchant accept the payment?

- did the customer receive the service?

Crypto never had this. Now it does.

### ✓ Payment remains in pending state

Funds don't finalize until the **receiver accepts**.

### ✓ Auto-refund if no acknowledgment

Prevents ghosted merchants, fake sellers, or non-delivery scams.

### ✓ Perfect for e-commerce, services, subscriptions

This adds accountability to payments — without confusing users.

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## 4 APP Escrow — The First Programmable Commerce Workflow

Every major commerce system uses workflow logic:

- Uber: deliver → complete → release
- Fiverr: milestones → approval → payout
- Amazon: ship → receive → settle

Crypto payments follow no such structure.

APP Escrow fixes this with:

### ✓ Milestones

Break payments into deliverables.

### ✓ Release conditions

Automatic or confirmed approval.

### ✓ Auto-refunds

If conditions or deadlines fail.

### ✓ State machine logic

INIT → FUNDED → RELEASED → REFUNDED.

Dendrites brings Web2-grade commercial logic directly into Web3 rails.

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## 5 PayCodes — EIP-681, Reinvented for Safe Commerce

EIP-681 allowed wallet payment links.

Dendrites upgrades it into a commercial-grade instruction format:

PayCodes bundle:

- amount
- asset
- chain
- metadata
- UNDO setting
- AckPay
- Escrow
- fee tier
- expiry

### ✓ One code triggers full Safe Commerce flows

Perfect for:

- merchants
- invoices
- online checkout
- recurring payments
- retail QR flows
- subscriber billing

This makes payments **smart**, not just simple.

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## 6 QuickPay — One-Tap Safe Payments

This is the cleanest payment experience:

- generates a PayCode
- applies Predictable Gas™
- embeds safety logic
- handles settlement
- ensures confirmation
- enforces protection

**1 link or 1 QR → safe payment every time.**

Wallets can integrate QuickPay and instantly offer:

- UNDO
- AckPay
- Fee protection
- Escrow logic

No contracts needed. No complexity.

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## 7 The Dendrites SDK — The Developer Glue

This is where everything becomes usable.

Developers can:

```
await dendrites.safetySend.sendWithUndo();
await dendrites.ackPay.create();
await dendrites.escrow.create();
await dendrites.fees.getQuote();
await dendrites.paycodes.generate();
```

**✓ No Solidity required**

**✓ Production-ready flows**

**✓ Wallet-friendly**

✓ **Business-ready**

✓ **Future-proof**

The SDK is the bridge between apps and Safe Commerce primitives.

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### **8 SLA Credits — Reliability Guarantees**

If fee spikes violate Predictable Gas™ bands,  
Dendrites compensates users.

This makes blockchain behavior predictable and fair — a completely new concept in crypto infrastructure.

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### **9 The Larger Vision — Safe Commerce as a Global Standard**

Every Dendrites feature builds toward one outcome:

**Make digital money safe enough for the world.**

Safe Commerce is not a module.  
It's a new category of blockchain design.

A global standard for:

- wallets
- merchants
- marketplaces
- gig platforms
- remittance apps
- fintech companies
- Layer 2s

Dendrites is building the layer that makes crypto usable — not just powerful.

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**Closing**

Whether you're a developer, merchant, founder, or early user,  
this is the easiest explanation of what Dendrites actually offers:

**Predictability, protection, and trust — built directly into digital money.**

This is the future of payments.

This is Safe Commerce.

This is Dendrites.