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**T:**read request to smart contract without ABI

**Q:**I'm creating a collection of NFTs and I want to allow owners of NFTs from a contract that I don't own (e.g cryptokitties contract) to have special access to a page.According to the documents, it's impossible to read from a contract without having the contract's ABI, but I don't have access to it.  
  
Is there a workaround for reading data from the contract same as I would do directly from etherscan?

1 **Answer**

**A1:**cryptokitties is just an NFT, so it is an ERC721, and so you can find the ABI online (for example from openzeppelin)  
  
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Just as a note, the ABI is just the interface, you don't need the implementation

**C1:**They use the openzepplin as a base contract, but they did add multiple read functions that do not exist in the ERC721 implementation, so if I use the openzeppelin contract I should be able to only get access to the functions that were used in the CK contract?

**C2:**@Soragim yes, you are able to access only to ERC721 methods... for the others, you can extend ERC721 methods with the other, but you will have to manually add them