

Title: Looking for articles / discussion on NFTs. Pros + Cons, plus rebuttals to each

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I'm sure you've all noticed the general sentiment towards NFTs, particularly on this site, is extremely negative, to say the least. Any post regarding a game publisher adding NFTs to their game is met with thousands of comments, overwhelmingly opposed to the addition.

NFTs have a serious image problem that will need to be addressed or their widespread adoption will take many years if it doesn't fizzle out.

Most info regarding NFTs is related to two main use categories:

1. Digital art - largely slammed as useless, because at the end of the day one can still just right-click -> save a digital art piece
2. DLC / in-game items - largely seen as a cash grab from publishers by artificially creating scarcity on the items in question

Right now there is a big OOTL post that has many comments shitting on the concept of NFTs, mostly focused on the above 2 use cases.

However, I am having trouble finding articles discussing NFTs beyond those two use applications.

For example

1. NFT Games themselves - could a publisher in theory put a game itself for sale on GME NFT marketplace. Say I buy Elden Ring NFT on Gamestop. I in theory have 'true ownership' of this game. Could i then play the game, own it for a year or two, then sell it 'used' to another person? New buyer gets access to the game, and I lose access to the game. Maybe the publisher can set it up that they get a 10% commission every time the NFT changes ownership.

To me, if NFT games work like this it could be a game changer, and an objective advantage over other digital marketplaces like Steam / Epic Store. But, I don't actually know if NFTs even COULD work like that.

2. NFTs in finance - we've obviously seen 'NFT dividends' thrown around a lot, and NFT stock market, the toppling of the fiat stock exchanges we're all accustomed to and forced to partake in.

So just wondering if there is any in depth info on these use-cases beyond NFT-art and micro transactions, and any other info that directly addresses the concerns NFT skeptics have.