

Restrict a Snap's RPC API methods

If the dapp's caveat of the [endowment:rpc](#) permission is set to true, any dapp can call the Snap's RPC API by default. You can [restrict the whole API](#) to specific dapp origins or [restrict the API by method and origin](#).

Restrict the whole API

The `endowment:rpc` permission has an optional [allowedOrigins](#) caveat. You can use this to restrict the domains that are allowed to make calls to the Snap's RPC API.

Restrict by method and origin

Sometimes a more granular control is required, such as filtering by method and caller origin.

You can restrict by method and origin using the `origin` parameter of the [onRpcRequest](#) entry point. For example:

```
index.ts import
```

```
type
```

```
{ OnRpcRequestHandler , UnauthorizedError }
```

```
from
```

```
"@metamask/snaps-sdk" ;
```

```
type
```

```
MethodPermission
```

```
=
```

```
"""
```

```
|
```

```
string [ ] ;
```

```
const
```

```
RPC_PERMISSIONS : Record < string , MethodPermission
```

```
=
```

```
{ hello :
```

```
""" , secureMethod :
```

```
[ "https://metamask.io" , "https://www.mydomain.com" , ] } ;
```

```
const
```

```
isAllowed
```

```
=
```

```
( method :
```

```
string , origin :
```

```
string )
```

```
=>
```

```
{ return
```

```
RPC_PERMISSIONS [ method ]
```

```
===
```

```
"""
```

```
||
RPC_PERMISSIONS [ method ] . includes ( origin ) ; } ;

export
const onRpcRequest :
OnRpcRequestHandler
=
async
( { origin , request , } )
=>
{ // Check permissions. if
( ! isAllowed ( request . method , origin ) )
{ throw
new
UnauthorizedError ( Method { request . method } not authorized for origin { origin } . ) ; }

switch
( request . method )
{ case
"hello" : return
"world!" ;

case
"secureMethod" : return
"The secret is: 42" ;

default : throw
new
Error ( "Method not found." ) ; } } ; You can construct more powerful filtering methods using regular expressions or any other
logic of your choice.
```

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