Proposer/Builder Separation material

This document aims at aggregating all the various research notes and material regarding PBS as well as various surrounding concepts

Research / discussion

- Proposer/block builder separation-friendly fee market designs June 2021
- Censorship resistance under PBS Vitalik, January 2022
- Why enshrine Proposer-Builder Separation? Mike Neuder, May 2023

Implementation research

- Two-slot PBS October 2021
- Single-slot PBS using attesters as distributed availability oracle January 2022
- Current crList proposal April 2022
- Possible censorship with PBS + EIP1559 July 2022
- PBS censorship-resistance notes Francesco, ongoing
- · Block vs Slot auctions

Alternatives

Protocol-Enforced Proposer Commitments (PEPC) - Barnabé Monnot, October 2022

Talks

- MEV on ETH2: MEV-boost, PBS, Danksharding Vitalik Buterin, May 2022
- A study of the transaction supply chain from CryptoKitties to MEV-Boost to PBS(slides) Barnabé Monnot, May 2022
- In-protocol PBS (slides) Vitalik Buterin, July 2022
- Decentralizing the Builder Role (slides) Vitalik Buterin, September 2022

Implementations out of protocol

- MEV Boost
- Builder specs repository
- · Flashbot's consideration of crLists

Further applications of PBS

- Committee-driven MEV smoothing: notes, ethresearch August 2021
- Multidimensional EIP 1559 Janaury 2022
- PBS for Data Availability Sampling August 2022
- Sharding design with tight beacon and shard block integration (also known as danksharding)
- <u>EIP-4844: Shard Blob Transaction</u> (proto-danksharding) and related <u>FAQ</u>
- <u>Danksharding workshop</u> (PBS+crList overview at <u>12:25</u>)
- · Mathematical Theory of Danksharding