Contract Secured Revenue (CSR)

Canto implements a fee split model called Contract Secured Revenue, or CSR, by means of the CSR module. CSR allows you to claim a percentage of all transaction fees paid by users when interacting with your smart contracts.

CSR was added in the Canto v5.0.0 chain upgrade with an initial fee split of 20%, following a successful overnance proposal.

Overview

To earn CSR fees, you must register your contracts with the CSRTurnstile smart contract deployed on Canto mainnet at0xEcf044C5B4b867CFda001101c617eCd347095B44 . The source code for Turnstile can be foundhere .

Upon registering a contract, a transferrable NFT representing the right to claim that contract's revenue is minted to an address of your choice. Alternatively, you can assign a contract's revenue to an existing CSR NFT.

CSR fees for all registered contracts accrue in the Turnstile contract. To withdraw fees from the Turnstile contract, you must specify the token ID of a CSR NFT you hold.

Registering a Contract

Calling theregister method from an EOA does not revert and will mint a CSR NFT. However, no fees will be distributed to this NFT when the EOA transacts. Additionally, any contracts later assigned to this NFT will *not* **generate CSR fees.** To register a smart contract for CSR, call theregister method on the <u>Turnstile contract</u> from the contract you wish to register.

This method takes one parameter: theaddress to which the CSR NFT should be minted. This can be an address that does not exist (i.e. an address that has never transacted before).

You can register a contract in the constructor or otherwise; however, CSR fees will only begin accruing once the contract is registered.

Copy interfaceTurnstile{ functionregister(address)externalreturns(uint256); }
contractExample{ Turnstile turnstile=Turnstile(0xabc...);
constructor() { //Registers the smart contract with Turnstile //Mints the CSR NFT to the contract creator

turnstile.register(tx.origin); } }

Theregister method returns the token ID of the CSR NFT that was minted.

Assignment

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You can register a smart contract for CSR while assigning its fees to an existing CSR NFT by calling theassign method on the <u>Turnstile contract</u>. This method also takes one parameter: theuint256 token ID of the CSR NFT to which fees should be assigned.

The same constraints apply:

- · You must call this method from the contract you wish to register.
- CSR fees will only begin accruing once the contract is registered.

Copy interfaceTurnstile{ functionassign(uint256)externalreturns(uint256); }

contractExample{ Turnstile turnstile=Turnstile(0xabc...);

constructor() { //Registers the smart contract with Turnstile //Assigns this contract's fee revenue to CSR NFT #1 turnstile.assign(1); } }

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Theassign method returns the token ID of the CSR NFT that was passed to it.

Withdrawing Fees

You can check the amount of fees that have accrued for a CSR NFT by reading the value stored in thebalances mapping for the NFT's token ID.

To withdraw CSR fees, call thewithdraw method on the Turnstile contractfrom the address that holds the CSR NFT. This method takes three parameters: the token ID of the CSR NFT, the address that should receive the fees, and the amount of fees to withdraw.

Factory Contracts

You can implement theregister and ssign methods in factory contracts, such that child contracts are automatically registered for CSR when they are created.

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