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# UX REVIEW DAEDALUS

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**/CREATE A NEW WALLET** 

#### A DIGITAL PRODUCT ASSESSMENT

### **UX REVIEW**

#### **INTENT**

A systematic approach to UX review that can be done by external experts or digital product teams.

#### **PURPOSE**

Levelling up the quality of your UX by standardizing your problem-sensing using a pain & gain template.

#### **MEANING**

Doing continuous UX reviews will humanize your software design, as the pain & gain format forces you to choose the human perspective over the product perspective.



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### CREATE WALLET

**FIRST REVIEW** 

# DW- 1A - CREATE WALLET /SETUP

Use of headings and crumbpath help users undestand where they are and what they can expect.

Strange us of a model (overlay), the basic functions should be on level0.

### CREATE A NEW WALLET × Wallet name 16/40 Conversational Wallet Spending password Keep your wallet secure by setting a spending password Enter password ® Repeat password • • • • • • • • • • • • • ........... The password needs to be at least 10 characters and at most 255 characters long. Create Shelley wallet New users to Cardano don't know about the different releases, makes the

experience confusing. Shelley?

Separate Input requirements / explanation in contextual sidepanel?

- Inconsistant use of field requirements in text and (i).
- Explanation in the interface area's feels confusing.

# DW- 1B - CREATE WALLET /RECOVERY PHRASE EXPLANATION

#### RECOVERY PHRASE

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On the following screen, you will be given a list of 24 words to write down on paper and keep in a safe place. This list of words is the wallet recovery phrase for the wallet you are creating.

The simplest way to keep your wallet recovery phrase secure is to never store it digitally or online. If you decide to use an online service, such as a password manager with an encrypted database, it is your responsibility to make sure that you use it correctly.

Using your recovery phrase is the only way to recover your wallet if your computer is lost, broken, stolen, or stops working.

I confirm that nobody can see my screen, because anyone who knows my recovery phrase will be able to spend the ada in my new wallet.

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- Crumb path enables users to visit previous steps.
- People learn better if text is accompanied with visuals.
- Is a timer in the CTA button the best way to let people read important communication?
- This important message has the same look and feel (weight) as the term as service or onboarding text.
- Use of Visuals adviced.
- Use onboarding logic.
- feels like a legal-text (skip skip skip)

# DW- 1C - CREATE WALLET /RECOVERY PHRASE WRITE DOWN

#### **RECOVERY PHRASE**

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Please make sure you write down the 24 words of your wallet recovery phrase on a piece of paper in the exact order shown here.

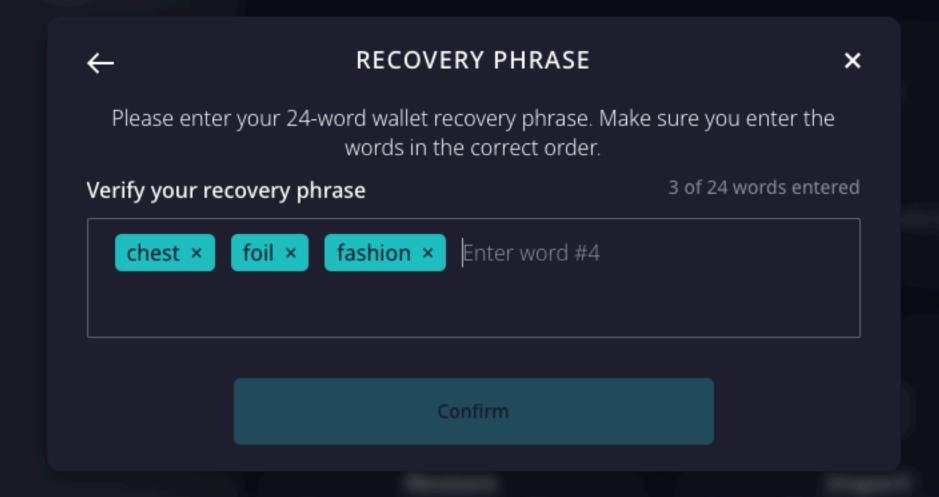
24 words

Yes, I have written down my wallet recovery phrase.

- If the exact order is important the visual design must reflect this.
- Hard to distinguish normal text and recovery phrase keywords; use proper font-scaling.
- Thought direction: showing word groups at a time could help writing down the words and could be more secure.

# DW- 1D - CREATE WALLET /RECOVERY PHRASE VERIFICATION

- Inconsistent use of back functionality
- Use a consistant steps-indication.
- Close does not give any warning, lost my creation process trying :(
- Consistant use of close warning adviced.



- Window has confirm button but jumps to next screen on completion.. (Might be fixed in 4.9, need to check)

# DW- 1E - CREATE WALLET /RECOVERY PHRASE CONFIRMATION

Daedalus Mainnet (4.8.0#20689)

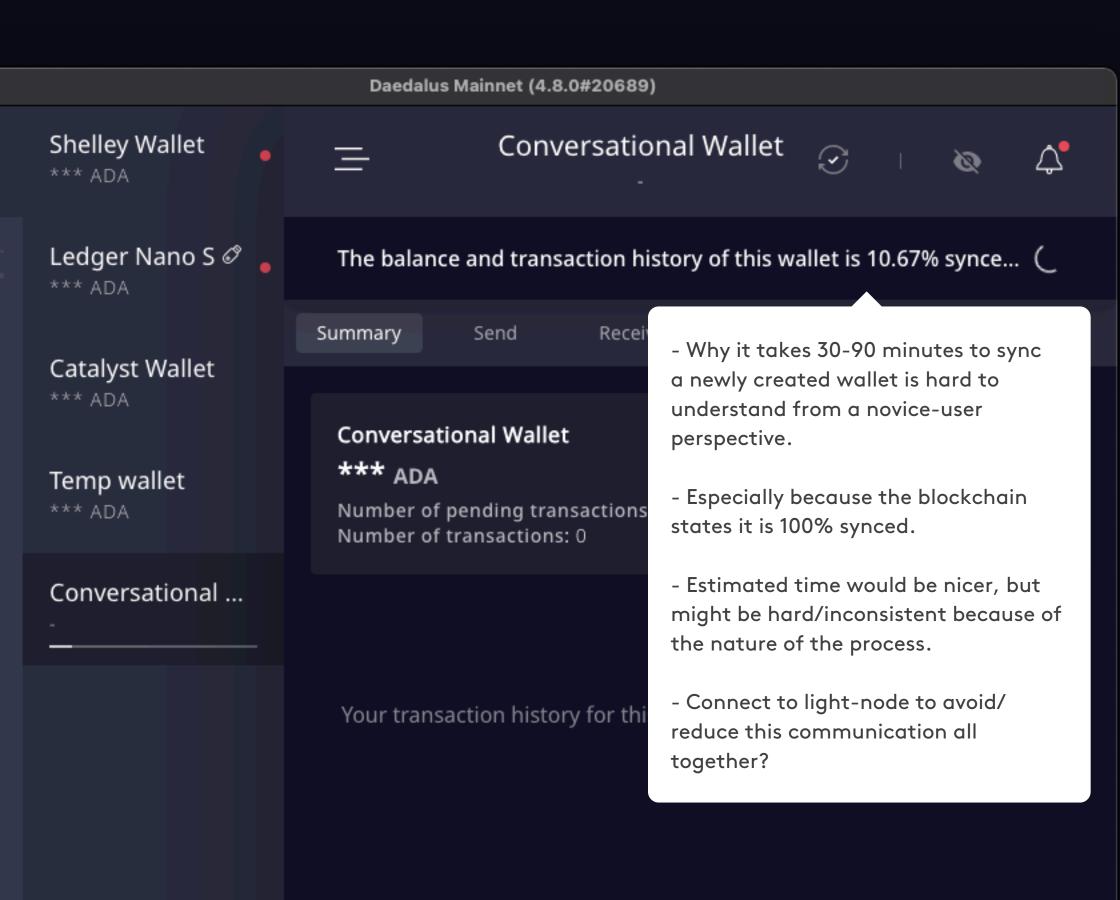
#### **RECOVERY PHRASE**

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#### 24 words

- I understand that the simplest way to keep my wallet recovery phrase secure is to never store it digitally or online. If I decide to use an online service, such as a password manager with an encrypted database, it is my responsibility to make sure that I use it correctly.
- I understand that the only way to recover my wallet if my computer is lost, broken, stolen, or stops working is to use my wallet recovery phrase.
- Can't uncheck checkboxes, expect confirm button to disable again.
  (Might be fixed in 4.9, need to check)

# DW-1F- CREATE WALLET /NEW WALLET SYNCING...



### **UX Review: Create new wallet**

#### **Functional Intent**

Create a new wallet on the Cardano mainnet, so users can receive and send funds. Provide user with a wallet passphrase for offline storage.

#### Pain

- Expectation management is non-existent. First blockchain sync upto 9 hours. 8-15min writing, 60-90min wallet synching.
- What is means to be custodian your own crypto (bank) account is missing. How do you safely store your keys? How passphrases link to wallets is unclear?
- Warning / Notice highlights cover up tab states while using tab to toggle through the interface.
- Unclear how many steps I need to take or how much effort it takes.
- Unclear what prerequisites are needed (piece of paper, pen, cq. safe offline storage solution)
- Visual distinction between text and keywords is low.
- A passphrase has no link to the use cases of the wallet. How passphrase and wallet are linked is unclear as no meta-data is stored/retrieved.
- All effort is lost on abanding flow.
- Re-engagement is non-existent

#### **Experience Outcome**

For non-technical users Daedalus is too daunting. The software is very assumptive & harsh, has no onboarding, nor expectation management. The result is an environment which is not ready for family and friends, as too much Cardano pre-knowledge is required.

#### Gain

- Slow step by step onboarding, connect to litenode first, grow with the user.
- Not only indicate passwords does not match, also communicate when passwords do match.
- Recovery phrase explainers would benefit from visual learning support.
- A numbered passphrase word-list, makes it easier to write down words.
- Seperation of word-order and actual words could be a nice way to store your keys on paper in a more secure way. (Use simple offset?)
- Linking Assistant to lite-node would speeds up the process of giving people a Cardano wallet, move over to full with user experience level.
- Give clear warning when flow is abandoned and data will be lost.
- Consider Conversational Interaction Design would make re-engagement and user-levels possible. Making feature-bloat a thing of the past, and the interface personalized.

#### **Advice**

Power-users know how important wallet management is, novice users do not. Telling once is not enough to learn. Create a new wallet is more tasking on the user than restoring a wallet. Sending a new user a prepared wallet which the user only has to restore and write down, might speed up this process. Give tips how to safely store you private key. Make absolutely clear that if you loose your keys, you loose your crypto.

Make use of proper numbering of keywords, show 6 words at a time is more fault tolerant and more secure. Learning by heart would be nice for 12 words. Share best practises how to differentiate your wallets/ passphrase combinations. Ask the user to write in block letters could also aid in readablity. Use block letters in the interface. Manage expectations. Designing conversations instead of pages advised.

### Conversational Interaction Design

Conversational Interaction Design is the next generation of transitional interface design that combines utility, education and hospitality in digital conversations instead of pages.

Let's make Cardano ready for family and friends.

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