

# Security Assessment & Formal Verification Report v3



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## Project Summary

## **Project Scope**

Project Name	Repository (link)	Audited Commits	Platform
SafeMigration	https://github.com/safe-global/safe -smart-account/blob/main/contrac ts/libraries/SafeMigration.sol	O7d4fc7 - initial B541cd7 - latest including fixes	EVM/Solidity 0.7
SafeToL2Setup	https://github.com/safe-global/safe -smart-account/blob/main/contrac ts/libraries/SafeToL2Setup.sol	O7d4fc7 - initial B541cd7 - latest including fixes	EVM/Solidity 0.7
SafeToL2Migration	https://github.com/safe-global/safe -smart-account/blob/main/contrac ts/libraries/SafeToL2Migration.sol	O7d4fc7 - initial B541cd7 - latest including fixes	EVM/Solidity 0.7

## **Project Overview**

This document describes the specification and verification of **Safe's Migration and Setup Contract** using the Certora Prover and manual code review findings. The work was undertaken from **Aug 18, 2024** to **Aug 23, 2024**.

The following contract list is included in our scope:

contracts/libraries/SafeMigration.sol
contracts/libraries/SafeToL2Setup.sol
contracts/libraries/SafeToL2Migration.sol

The Certora Prover demonstrated that the implementation of the **Solidity** contracts above is correct with respect to the formal rules written by the Certora team. In addition, the team performed a manual audit of all the Solidity contracts. During the verification process and the manual audit, the Certora team discovered bugs in the Solidity contracts code, as listed on the following page.



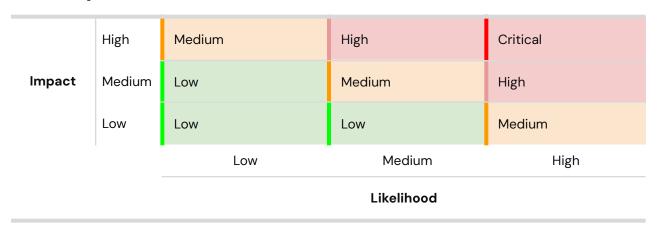


## **Findings Summary**

The table below summarizes the findings of the review, including type and severity details.

Severity	Discovered	Confirmed	Fixed
Critical	0	0	0
High	0	0	0
Medium	0	0	0
Low	1	1	0
Informational	6	6	4
Total	7	7	4

## **Severity Matrix**







## **Detailed Findings**

ID	Title	Severity	Status
L-01	The Solidity version used (0.7.6) contains known severe issues	Low	Acknowledged
I-O1	Some compiler versions will throw the "Invalid implicit conversion from address to address payable requested" error	Informational	Fixed
I-02	Usage of floating pragma is not recommended on top level contracts	Informational	Acknowledged
I-O3	Typos	Informational	Fixed
I-04	Clarify some comments	Informational	Fixed
I-05	Unnecessary casting	Informational	Fixed
I-06	Internal and private variables and functions names should begin with an underscore	Informational	Acknowledged





## **Low Severity Issues**

## L-01. The Solidity version used (0.7.6) contains known severe issues

Description: The hardhat.config.ts file declares that 0.7.6 would be the default Solidity version:

```
File: hardhat.config.ts
44: const primarySolidityVersion = SOLIDITY_VERSION || "0.7.6";
```

However, several known issues exist in this version:

https://github.com/ethereum/solidity/blob/develop/docs/bugs\_by\_version.json#L1702-L1714

- FullInlinerNonExpressionSplitArgumentEvaluationOrder
- MissingSideEffectsOnSelectorAccess
- AbiReencodingHeadOverflowWithStaticArrayCleanup
- DirtyBytesArrayToStorage
- DataLocationChangeInInternalOverride
- NestedCalldataArrayAbiReencodingSizeValidation
- SignedImmutables
- ABIDecodeTwoDimensionalArrayMemory
- KeccakCaching

Their details can be read here: https://docs.soliditylang.org/en/latest/bugs.htm I

**Customer's response:** This is the standard version we use across safe-smart-account, but based on the known vulnerabilities, we don't see any concerns in terms of the migration contracts.





## **Informational Severity Issues**

## I-01. Some compiler versions will throw the "Invalid implicit conversion from address to address payable requested" error

Description: The following event has the line address payable refundReceiver:

```
File: SafeToL2Migration.sol
45:
        event SafeMultiSigTransaction(
46:
            address to,
47:
            uint256 value,
            bytes data,
48:
            Enum. Operation operation,
49:
            uint256 safeTxGas,
50:
            uint256 baseGas,
51:
52:
            uint256 gasPrice,
53:
            address gasToken,
54:
            address payable refundReceiver,
55:
            bytes signatures,
            // We combine nonce, sender and threshold into one to avoid stack too deep
56:
57:
            // Dev note: additionalInfo should not contain `bytes`, as this complicates decoding
58:
            bytes additionalInfo
59:
        );
```

### However, the incorrect type is used in the emit statement

```
File: SafeToL2Migration.sol
         function migrate(address 12Singleton, bytes memory functionData) private {
083:
. . .
             // Simulate a L2 transaction so Safe Tx Service indexer picks up the Safe
089:
             emit SafeMultiSigTransaction(
090:
091:
                 MIGRATION_SINGLETON,
092:
                 0,
                 functionData,
093:
                  Enum.Operation.DelegateCall,
094:
095:
                 0,
096:
                 0,
097:
098:
                  address(0),
                    address(0),
- 099:
                    payable(address(0)),
+ 099:
                  "", // We cannot detect signatures
100:
                 additionalInfo
101:
102:
             );
```





Customer's response: Fixed in commit <u>b541cd7</u> and already present in the main branch.





## I-02. Usage of floating pragma is not recommended on top-level contracts

Description: Non-library/interface files should use fixed compiler versions, not floating ones:

```
File: SafeMigration.sol
2: pragma solidity >=0.7.0 <0.9.0;
File: SafeToL2Migration.sol
3: pragma solidity >=0.7.0 <0.9.0;
File: SafeToL2Setup.sol
2: pragma solidity >=0.7.0 <0.9.0;</pre>
```

Customer's response: Acknowledged.





## I-03. Typos

File: SafeMigration.sol

- 31: \* @notice Addresss of the Fallback Handler

+ 31: \* @notice Address of the Fallback Handler

File: SafeToL2Migration.sol

- 134: \* A valid and compatible fallbackHandler needs to be provided, only existance will be checked.

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Customer's response: Fixed in commit <u>b541cd7</u>.





## I-04. Clarify some comments

Customer's response: Fixed in commit <u>b541cd7</u>.





## I-05. Unnecessary casting

Description: singleton is a storage variable of address type:

```
File: SafeStorage.sol
09: contract SafeStorage {
10:     // From /common/Singleton.sol
11:     address internal singleton;
```

Therefore it's unnecessary to cast it to the address type here:

```
File: SafeToL2Migration.sol

112:     function migrateToL2(address l2Singleton) public onlyDelegateCall onlyNonceZero {
         require(address(singleton) != l2Singleton, "Safe is already using the singleton");
         require(singleton != l2Singleton, "Safe is already using the singleton");
```

Customer's response: Fixed in commit <u>b541cd7</u>.





## I-06. Internal and private variables and functions names should begin with an underscore

Description: According to the Solidity Style Guide, Non-external variable and function names should begin with an <u>underscore</u>.

### Affected code:

**Customer's response:** Acknowledged. As we don't use that particular style format in the repo, we won't make the change.





## **Gas Optimization Recommendations**

## G-01. Caching storage variables to save gas

Description: Reading from storage is expensive and 1 SLOAD can be saved here:

```
File: SafeToL2Migration.sol

112:     function migrateToL2(address l2Singleton) public onlyDelegateCall onlyNonceZero {
          require(address(singleton) != l2Singleton, "Safe is already using the singleton");
          address _singleton = singleton; // Caching singleton
          require(address(_singleton) != l2Singleton, "Safe is already using the singleton");
          require(address(_singleton) != l2Singleton, "Safe is already using the singleton");
          bytes32 oldSingletonVersion = keccak256(abi.encodePacked(ISafe(singleton).VERSION()));
          bytes32 oldSingletonVersion = keccak256(abi.encodePacked(ISafe(_singleton).VERSION()));
```

## G-02. Emit the existing memory variable instead of reading from storage

Description: Here, at line 84, the state variable singleton is set to the input parameter 12Singleton. Those variables are never changed afterwards and are equal. Consider using 12Singleton to save 1 SLOAD worth of gas:

```
File: SafeToL2Migration.sol
083:     function migrate(address 12Singleton, bytes memory functionData) private {
084:          singleton = 12Singleton;
...
- 103:          emit ChangedMasterCopy(singleton);
+ 103:          emit ChangedMasterCopy(12Singleton);
104:     }
```





## G-03. Unnecessary external calls

Description: The following line is using external calls to fetch owners and threshold but internal calls are enough (and less expensive) thanks to the delegateCall making the 2 STATICCALL-s unnecessary:

```
File: SafeToL2Migration.sol
        function migrateFromV111(address l2Singleton, address fallbackHandler) public onlyDelegateCall
onlyNonceZero {
             require(isContract(fallbackHandler), "fallbackHandler is not a contract");
137:
138:
139:
             bytes32 oldSingletonVersion = keccak256(abi.encodePacked(ISafe(singleton).VERSION()));
140:
             require(oldSingletonVersion == keccak256(abi.encodePacked("1.1.1")), "Provided singleton version
is not supported");
141:
             bytes32 newSingletonVersion = keccak256(abi.encodePacked(ISafe(l2Singleton).VERSION()));
142:
143:
             require(
                 newSingletonVersion == keccak256(abi.encodePacked("1.3.0")) || newSingletonVersion ==
144:
keccak256(abi.encodePacked("1.4.1")),
145:
                 "Provided singleton version is not supported"
146:
             );
147:
             ISafe safe = ISafe(address(this));
148:
             safe.setFallbackHandler(fallbackHandler);
149:
150:
             // Safes < 1.3.0 did not emit SafeSetup, so Safe Tx Service backend needs the event to index the
151:
Safe
               emit SafeSetup(MIGRATION_SINGLETON, safe.getOwners(), safe.getThreshold(), address(0),
- 152:
fallbackHandler);
               emit SafeSetup(MIGRATION SINGLETON, owners, threshold, address(0), fallbackHandler);
+ 152:
```

## G-04. Functions can be marked payable to save 24 gas

Description: Given the nature of the migration functions: making them payable would save 24 gas. This is because non-payable functions get more opcodes to check that ETH was not sent.





## **Formal Verification**

## **Verification Notations**

Formally Verified	The rule is verified for every state of the contract(s), under the assumptions of the scope/requirements in the rule.
Formally Verified After Fix	The rule was violated due to an issue in the code and was successfully verified after fixing the issue
Violated	A counter-example exists that violates one of the assertions of the rule.





## **Formal Verification Properties**

## SafeMigration.sol

## **Module General Assumptions**

- Loop iterations: Any loop was unrolled at most 3 times (iterations)

## **Contract Properties**

P-01. Immutability of MIGRATION_SINGLETON address.			
Status: Verified			
Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report
MIGRATION_SI NGLETONISAIW aysCurrentCont ract	Verified	This invariant verifies that the MIGRATION_SINGLETON address can't be overridden or replaced.	Report





P-02. All non-view functions should revert if called directly.				
Status: Verified  Assumptions required to pass the rule: The invariant P-01 is required				
Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report	
allNonViewFun ctionRevert	Verified	All the non-view functions will revert when called directly since those functions should only be delegateCall-ed	Report	





## P-03. All migration functions update correctly the Safe's singleton address.

Assumptions required to pass the rule:

We are using a mock contract to represent a Safe contract by inheriting from the Status: Verified

SafeStorage contract

We are implementing a simplified function that delegateCalls the migration contract to perform the singleton update

Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report
singletonMigrat ionIntegrityPar ametric	Verified	All the four migration functions update correctly the Safe's singleton address to the relevant value that is expected from each function:  • migrateSingleton() -> SAFE_SINGLETON  • migrateWithFallbackHandler() -> SAFE_SINGLETON  • migrateL2Singleton() -> SAFE_L2_SINGLETON  • migrateL2WithFallbackHandler() -> SAFE_L2_SINGLETON	Report





## P-04. Relevant migration functions update correctly the Safe's fallbackHandler address.

Status: Verified	Assumptions required to pass the rule: We are using a mock contract to represent a Safe contract by inheriting from the SafeStorage contract We are implementing a simplified function that delegateCalls the migration contract to perform the singleton update We assume the Safe's setFallbackHandler() behaves as expected by using a simplified mock version of it

Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report
fallbackHandler MigrationIntegri tyParametric	Verified	All the four migration functions update correctly the Safe's fallbackHandler address to the relevant value that is expected from each function:  • migrateSingleton() -> no change  • migrateWithFallbackHandler() -> SAFE_FALLBACK_HANDLER  • migrateL2Singleton() -> no change  • migrateL2WithFallbackHandler() -> SAFE_FALLBACK_HANDLER	Report





## SafeToL2Setup.sol

## **Module General Assumptions**

- Loop iterations: Any loop was unrolled at most 3 times (iterations).

### **Contract Properties**

P-01. Immutability of _SELF address.			
Status: Verified			
Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report
_SELFisAlways CurrentContrac t	Verified	This invariant verifies that the _SELF address can't be overridden or replaced and it is always the address of the verified SafeToL2Setup contract	<u>Report</u>





P-02. All non-view functions should revert if called directly.				
Status: Verified			tions required to pass the rule: riant P-01 is required	
Rule Name	Status		Description	Link to rule report
allNonViewFun ctionRevert	Verified		All the non-view functions will revert when called directly since those functions should only be delegateCall-ed. In this case, there is only the setupToL2() function that is public and non view, and it must be delegateCall-ed.	Report



Status: Verified



## P-03. The setup function setupToL2() updates correctly the Safe's singleton address.

Assumptions required to pass the rule:

We are using a mock contract to represent a Safe contract by inheriting from the

SafeStorage contract

We are using a mock contract to represent a safe contract by inneriting from the

We are implementing a simplified function that delegateCalls the setup contract to perform the singleton update

Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report
theSingletonCo ntractIsUpdate dCorrectIy	Verified	The setupToL2() function updates correctly the Safe's singleton address to the relevant value that is passed to the function. Also, for the update to succeed the chainld must be correct.	<u>Report</u>





## P-04. delegateCall to setupToL2() can succeed only if Safe's nonce is zero

Assumptions required to pass the rule:

We are using a mock contract to represent a Safe contract by inheriting from the Status: Verified SafeStorage contract

We are implementing a simplified function that delegateCalls the setup contract to perform the singleton update

Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report
nonceMustBeZ ero	Verified	If the nonce is not zero, the call to the setupToL2() function will always revert.	<u>Report</u>





## SafeToL2Migration.sol

### **Module General Assumptions**

- Loop iterations: Any loop was unrolled at most 3 times (iterations).

## **Contract Properties**

P-01. Immutability of MIGRATION_SINGLETON address.			
Status: Verified			
Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report
MIGRATION_SI NGLETONISAIW aysCurrentCont ract	Verified	This invariant verifies that the MIGRATION_SINGLETON address can't be overridden or replaced and it is always the address of the verified SafeToL2Migration contract	Report





P-02. All non-view functions should revert if called directly.				
Status: Verified		Assumptions required to pass the rule: The invariant P-01 is required		
Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report	
allNonViewFun ctionRevert	Verified	All the non-view functions will revert when called directly since those functions should only be delegateCall-ed.		





## P-03. The migration function migrateFromV111() updates correctly the Safe's singleton and fallbackHandler addresses

Assumptions required to pass the rule:
We are using a mock contract to represent a Safe contract by inheriting from the SafeStorage contract

Status: Verified

We are implementing a simplified function that delegateCalls the migration contract to perform the singleton update
We assume the Safe's setFallbackHandler() behaves as expected by using a simplified mock version of it

Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report
singletonMigrat eFromV111Inte grity	Verified	The migrateFromV111() function updates correctly the Safe's singleton and fallbackHandler addresses to the relevant values that are passed to the function.	Report





## P-04. The migration function migrateToL2() updates correctly the Safe's singleton address

Assumptions required to pass the rule:

We are using a mock contract to represent a Safe contract by inheriting from the Status: Verified SafeStorage contract

We are implementing a simplified function that delegateCalls the migration contract to perform the singleton update

Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report
singletonMigrat eToL2Integrity	Verified	The migrateToL2() function updates correctly the Safe's singleton address to the relevant value that is passed to the function.	Report





## P-05. delegateCall to migrateToL2() or migrateFromV111() can succeed only if Safe's nonce is correct

Assumptions required to pass the rule:

We are using a mock contract to represent a Safe contract by inheriting from the Status: Verified SafeStorage contract

We are implementing a simplified function that delegateCalls the migration contract to perform the singleton update

Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report
nonceMustBeC orrect	Verified	If the nonce is not one, any of the calls to both migration functions {migrateToL2() and migrateFromV111()} will always revert.	Report





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