

# **SECURITY AUDIT REPORT FOR**

# QUAIL FINANCE

June 24, 2024

## **Executive Summary**

This smart contract audit report is prepared for *QuailFinance.sol*, *IBlast.sol*, *IBlastPoints.sol*, *IERC20Rebasing.sol*, *proxy.sol*, smart contracts of *Quail Finance*, after a successful functionality testing, source code review and black box application security penetration exercise.

Туре	Languages
Smart Contract	Solidity

Timeline Methodology

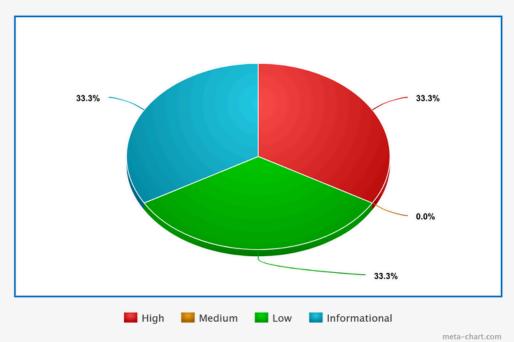
June 19, 2024 to June 24, 2024 White Box Testing

#### Change log

**June 07, 2024 -** Requirement received via github - commit history - ec7a5986c94801e7912791dd064312d33f77cc66

June 19, 2024 - Beginning of first phase of audit.

June 24, 2024 - Completion of first phase of audit, report submission.





# **Summary of Findings**

Vulnerability	Risk	Status
1. Pot participant can remove other participants from the pot	High	Open
2. Use of floating pragma	Low	Open
3. Missing Natspec and Incorrect comments uses	Informational	Open

# **Objective**

The objective of the security audit of smart contract of *Quail Finance* was to assess the state of security and uncover vulnerabilities in the smart contract and provide with a detail report comprising remediation strategy and recommendations to help mitigate the identified vulnerabilities and risks during the activity.

The assessment was conducted using two methods; source code review and black box testing.

# **Scope & Requirements**

The technical scope for the conducted application security testing activity was restricted to:

- QuailFinance.sol
- IBlast.sol
- IBlastpoints.sol
- IERC20Rebasing.sol
- QuailFinance.sol
- proxy.sol

#### Files url

https://github.com/Quail-Finance/QuailContracts/tree/master/contracts Git commit hash - ec7a5986c94801e7912791dd064312d33f77cc66

#### Provided Date

June 07, 2024; Email Access given via Github.

## Methodology

## White Box Testing/Source Code Review

#### **Understand Program Specification**

Understanding programming language used and coding practices followed is a key in performing efficient source code review solution. Our security researchers begin source code review by first understanding the program specification.

#### **Obtain and Review Source Code**

Our security researchers then co-ordinate with the development team to obtain the source code and start reviewing the codes line by line to identify flaws.

#### **Indentify Flaws**

We apply a rigorous approach to identify flaws. That is we adhere to strict standard practices and retest major functions again to make sure we don't miss a single loophole.

#### Reporting

A documentation of where the flaws has been found and how the patches can be done will be submitted to the development team for a fix.

# Findings from the assessment

We found the following findings after performing the security audit of the smart contracts of *Quail Finance* through source code review and black box testing.

## **Findings from Manual Testing**

## 1. Pot participant can remove other participants from the pot

#### Description

In QuailFinance.withdrawFromPot(), there is no access checks implemented to verify whether a given participant (represented by the index in ether pot.winners or pot.participants array) can be removed by other participants without their consent.

#### **Impact**

High

Risk Status

High Open

#### **Proof of Concept**

contracts/QuailFinance.sol:L#238-L#255

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Pot storage pot = pots[_potid];
require(hasJoinedPot[_potid][pot.currentRound][msg.sender], "You have not joined this pot");
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                    require((_iskinner && _index < pot.winners.length) || (|_iskinner && _index < pot.participants.length), "Invalid index for participants");
                   if (_isWinner) {
   if (_index |= pot.winners.length - 1) {
                            pot.winners[_index] = pot.winners[pot.winners.length - 1];
                        pot.winners.pop();
                        if (_index |= pot.participants.length - 1) {
                            pot.participants[_index] = pot.participants[pot.participants.length - 1];
                        pot.participants.pop();
                        ire(usdbToken.transfer(msg.sender, pot.amount), "Transfer failed");
                   hasJoinedPot[_potId][pot.currentRound][msg.sender] = false;
                    emit ParticipantRemoved( potId, msg.sender);
               function claimReward(uint256 _potId) external {
                   Pot storage pot = pots[_potId];
require(pot.amountWon[msg.sender] > 0, "No reward to claim");
                   // Transfer the amount won to the winner
                   uint256 amountToClaim = pot.amountWon[msg.sender];
                   pot.amountWon[msg.sender] = 0;
                   require(usdbToken.transfer(msg.sender, amountToClaim), "Transfer failed");
                    emit RewardClaimed(_potId,msg.sender,amountToClaim);
```

## Remediation

Adding a check to verify if the Index of the participant to be removed belongs to msg.sender can be a fix of this issue.

For Example:

require (msg.sender == pot.participants[\_index] || msg.sender == pot.winners[\_index], "Not authorized")

#### 2. Use of floating pragma

## Description

All the contracts in scope use floating pragma. The use of floating pragma implies that the compiler will not use a specified version which brings inconsistency and unexpected behaviour in the future.

## **Impact**

Brings inconsistency

Risk Status

Low Fixed

### **Proof of Concept**

Line#2 of the following:

- QuailFinance.sol
- IBlast.sol
- IBlastpoints.sol
- IERC20Rebasing.sol
- QuailFinance.sol
- proxy.sol

#### Remediation

Remove Caret (^) from pragma and specify solidity version.

pragma solidity 0.8.23;

#### 3. Missing NatSpec and Incorrect comments uses

## Description

It is identified that NatSpec format is not followed for comments in the contract. Furthermore, it is identified that the comments are incomplete and not present for all the functions in the contract.

#### **Impact**

Reduces code readability and maintanability. Lack of proper documentation via code comments also reduces user trust in the contract.

Risk Status
Informational Fixed

#### Remediation

It is recommended that Solidity contracts are fully annotated using NatSpec for all public interfaces (everything in the ABI).

#### **Conclusion**

We found a total of 4 vulnerabilities in *QuailFinance.sol*, *IBlast.sol*, *IBlastPoints.sol*, *IERC20Rebasing.sol*, *proxy.sol*, out of which 1 possessed high risk, 1 possessed low risk and 1 possessed informational risk.

In addition to this audit, we encourage the team to organize a public vulnerability disclosure program and adopt other necessary measures to minimize cyber risks associated with smart contracts.

#### **Disclaimer**

Considering the evolving nature of risks and vulnerabilities associated with solidity language, smart contracts and Etherium network, ReconwithMe cannot wholly guarantee that the contract will be free of vulnerabilities after the audit. We encourage the team to organize a public vulnerability disclosure program and adopt other necessary measures to minimize cyber risks associated with smart contracts.

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