

Smart Contract Source Code Audit ANTv2

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2. Executive Summary

In October 2020, Aragon engaged Coinspect to perform a source code review of ANTv2, the second version of the Aragon Network Token contract. The objective of the audit was to evaluate the security of the smart contract and verify that the deployed contract matches the reviewed source code.

The assessment covered the packages/v2 directory of the repository at https://github.com/aragon/aragon-network-token as of commit cbeacf115734b4203dcc4fb6de3bca41620e7162 (tag audit-v2) of **October 15th**.

No issues were identified during the assessment.

The ANTv2 and ANTv2Migrator instances deployed in mainnet were verified to match the reviewed source code and to be correctly setup and ready for the migration.

3. Introduction

ANTv2 is a new lightweight ERC-20 token supporting ERC-2612, ERC-3009, minting and burning. It is modeled after Uniswap's UNI-LP with minimal changes.

The audit started on October 12th and was conducted on the packages/v2 directory of the repository at https://github.com/aragon/aragon-network-token as of commit cbeacf115734b4203dcc4fb6de3bca41620e7162 (tag audit-v2) of October 15th.

The scope of the audit was limited to the following Solidity source files, shown here with their sha256sum hash:

c102cd659ef322495c8207313f678f8ed0f044380c4c7c9ca6c010531d8323d5 ANTv2Migrator.sol b03f3675ae0e1f930499ec2acb47097278515d01c9cc0f5c2d4a092d27560ee4 ANTv2.sol

4. Assessment

The ANTv2 contract is a new lightweight token intended to replace ANT. In addition to ERC-20, the ANTv2 token supports ERC-2612, ERC-3009, minting (with a minting role) and burning. It is modeled after Uniswap's UNI-LP with minimal changes. The repository includes also two contracts for migration of ANTv1 to ANTv2: ANTv2Migrator and EscrowANTv2Migrator.

The contracts are compiled with Solidity 0.5.17. This is the latest maintenance release of the 0.5.x series.

The repository contains 60 unit tests for the smart contracts, and all pass without problems. Besides unit tests, the repository also includes 9 E2E tests that are run against a fork of mainnet in pre-deployment and post-deployment scenarios.

The ANTv2 contract implements both ERC-3009 and ERC-2612 to enable interaction with the contract via signed messages instead of direct Ethereum transactions. In order to support ERC-3009 the contract implements the transferWithAuthorization function, and for ERC-2612 it implements the permit function.

The transferWithAuthorization function can be called by anyone with a signed message authorizing a *transfer* (for a given amount, from a given account to another account, within a specified validity period). The signed message also contains a random nonce to prevent replay attacks.

The function permit can be called by anyone with a signed message authorizing an *allowance* (for a given amount, from a given account to another account, and before a specified deadline). The message contains a sequential nonce that prevents replay attacks.

There are advantages of ERC-3009 over ERC-2612:

- ERC-2612 uses sequential nonces, and this has the problem that the function permit can revert if it is not called in order, while ERC-3009 uses random 32-bit nonces and order is not a problem;
- ERC-2612 relies on the ERC-20 allowance mechanism (approve/transferFrom), and it is susceptible to front running and multiple-withdrawal attacks, while ERC-3009 doesn't have this problem.

It is worth mentioning that ANTv2 has two other improvements over the Uniswap UNI-LP contract it's based on:

- ANTv2 solves a possible replay attack on hardforks (see issue #23) by retrieving the chain id each time it is needed instead of precomputing the ERC-712 domain in the constructor:
- And ANTv2 disallows transfers to the 0 address in order to disambiguate transfers from burning (see issue #25).

The ANTv2Migrator contract is used for migration of ANTv1 tokens to ANTv2. The migration is enabled when the owner (the Community Multisig) calls the function initiate, that mints a supply of ANTv2 equal to the total supply of ANTv1 and transfers the minting role to the owner (the Community Multisig). After this point, any holder of ANTv1 can migrate to ANTv2 by calling approveAndCall in the ANTv1 instance with the migrator address and the desired amount as arguments (with amount = -1 for migrating all). The migration consists of burning the ANTv1 tokens (by transferring to

As an alternative, the user can choose to use the EscrowANTv2Migrator contract for migrating the user's ANTv1 balance to ANTv2. This involves first instantiating an EscrowANTv2Migrator for a given *recipient* and *initiator* addresses and transferring the user's ANTv1 balance to the escrow. Then, at any time, the *initiator* (and only the *initiator*) can finalize the migration by calling the function migrate in EscrowANTv2Migrator, which in turn uses the deployed ANTv2Migrator to perform the migration, the user's ANTv1 tokens are burned and equal amount of ANTv2 tokens are transferred to the *recipient*. The mainnet addresses of the deployed ANTv1, ANTv2 and ANTv2Migrator are hardcoded in EscrowANTv2Migrator source code.

5. Post-Deployment Verification

The contracts' source code is verified in Etherscan. Coinspect independently verified that the deployed bytecode matches the source code reviewed. To do this, Coinspect compiled the contract using exactly the same Solidity version and parameters that were used in the deployed version, and compared the bytecode resulting from the compilation with the deployed contracts.

The deployed contracts are compiled with Solidity version 0.5.17+commit.d19bba13, optimizer enabled, 999999 runs.

The ANTv2 contract was deployed at address

0xa117000000f279D81A1D3cc75430fAA017FA5A2e by transaction
0xe14b82231bcc35f3182c73d02e494b79f15df9570307ea1815bb4a2140c44d91 in
block #11060110 (Oct-15-2020 11:38:40 AM +UTC), and ANTv2Migrator was deployed at
address **0x078BEbC744B819657e1927bF41aB8C74cBBF912D** by transaction
0xd76222e0ea0b7ee61422829fc86774f93c03ef28f8e25bd59757c1789de8f964 in block
#11060132 (Oct-15-2020 11:41:50 AM +UTC).

The ANTv2 constructor (address initialMinter) was called with the following parameter: 0x078BEbC744B819657e1927bF41aB8C74cBBF912D (ANTv2Migrator). The minter role was set to the ANTv2Migrator address, and the corresponding ChangeMinter event was emitted.

The ANTv2Migrator constructor (address _owner, IERC20 _antv1, ANTv2 _antv2) was called with the following parameters:

0xbeefbeef03c7e5a1c29e0aa675f8e16aee0a5fad (the Community Multisig),

0x960b236a07cf122663c4303350609a66a7b288c0 (ANTv1),

0xa117000000f279D81A1D3cc75430fAA017FA5A2e (ANTv2).

The following properties have been verified on the deployed instances of ANTv2 and ANTv2Migrator:

- The migration can only be initiated by the Community Multisig wallet, and until it is initiated, no one is able to migrate;
- Following the migration's initiation, ANTv2 minting role will be held by the Community Multisig;
- The migration is a 1:1 ANTv1 to ANTv2 conversion, such that a user holding ANTv1 is able to receive the exact same balance of ANTv2 post-migration;

migrate all of the sender's ANTv1 balance into ANTv2 (this is an approveAndCall(0x078BEbC744B819657e1927bF41aB8C74cBBF912D,-1,0x)).

6. Disclaimer

The present security audit does not cover the endpoint systems and wallets that communicate with the contracts, nor the general operational security of the company whose contracts have been audited. This document should not be read as investment advice or an offering of tokens.