

Lesson 19 - Upgradeability patterns

Patterns overview

- Upgrading the immutable
- The simple Interface Pattern
- The problem with migrating storage
- The problem with logic changes
- Flexible and storage efficient solutions
 - Proxy contracts
 - Unstructured and transparent proxies
 - Storage patterns
 - Diamond patterns
 - Metamorphic contracts

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OpenZeppelin plugins and contracts

- Upgrade Plugin
- Upgradeable variants
- Building upgradeable contracts with OpenZeppelin
- Constructor and Initializers
- Upgradeable Libraries
- Creating contracts
- Unsafe operations
- Restrictions

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Implementing a simple contract upgrade

- Running upgrades with hardhat
- Implementing a proxy pattern
- (Review) Delegate calls
- Extending storage
- Changing logic
- Understanding the risks
- Calling updates

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Homework

- Read the references
- Try out other upgrade patterns