

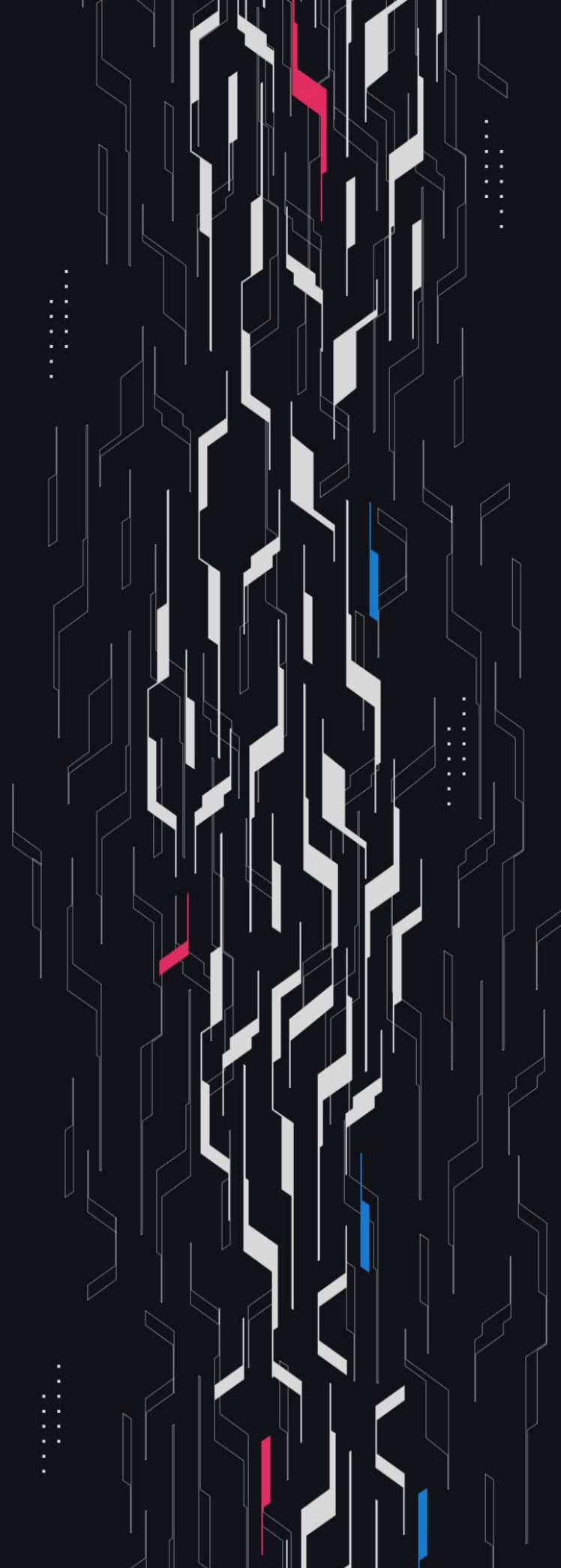
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Summary

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Audit Summary

USDT0 engaged Guardian to review the security of their USDT0 multihop contract. From the 6th of February to the 10th of February, a team of 2 auditors reviewed the source code in scope. All findings have been recorded in the following report.

For a detailed understanding of risk severity, source code vulnerability, and potential attack vectors, refer to the complete audit report below.

 Blockchain network: N/A

 Verify the authenticity of this report on Guardian's GitHub: <https://github.com/guardianaudits>


 Code coverage & PoC test suite: N/A

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Project Overview

Project Summary

Project Name	USDT0
Language	Solidity
Codebase	https://github.com/Everdawn-Labs/usdt0-oft-contracts/pull/47
Commit(s)	fa631552d85c9974fdc7b4c5873ec92a77966194

Audit Summary

Delivery Date	February 14, 2025
Audit Methodology	Static Analysis, Manual Review, Test Suite, Contract Fuzzing

Vulnerability Summary

Vulnerability Level	Total	Pending	Declined	Acknowledged	Partially Resolved	Resolved
● Critical	0	0	0	0	0	0
● High	0	0	0	0	0	0
● Medium	1	0	0	0	0	1
● Low	8	0	0	6	0	2
● Info	16	0	0	8	1	7

Audit Scope & Methodology

Vulnerability Classifications

Severity	Impact: <i>High</i>	Impact: <i>Medium</i>	Impact: <i>Low</i>
Likelihood: <i>High</i>	● Critical	● High	● Medium
Likelihood: <i>Medium</i>	● High	● Medium	● Low
Likelihood: <i>Low</i>	● Medium	● Low	● Low

Impact

- High**

Significant loss of assets in the protocol, significant harm to a group of users, or a core functionality of the protocol is disrupted.
- Medium**

A small amount of funds can be lost or ancillary functionality of the protocol is affected. The user or protocol may experience reduced or delayed receipt of intended funds.
- Low**

Can lead to any unexpected behavior with some of the protocol's functionalities that is notable but does not meet the criteria for a higher severity.

Likelihood

- High**

The attack is possible with reasonable assumptions that mimic on-chain conditions, and the cost of the attack is relatively low compared to the amount gained or the disruption to the protocol.
- Medium**

An attack vector that is only possible in uncommon cases or requires a large amount of capital to exercise relative to the amount gained or the disruption to the protocol.
- Low**

Unlikely to ever occur in production.

Audit Scope & Methodology

Methodology

Guardian is the ultimate standard for Smart Contract security. An engagement with Guardian entails the following:

- Two competing teams of Guardian security researchers performing an independent review.
- A dedicated fuzzing engineer to construct a comprehensive stateful fuzzing suite for the project.
- An engagement lead security researcher coordinating the 2 teams, performing their own analysis, relaying findings to the client, and orchestrating the testing/verification efforts.

The auditing process pays special attention to the following considerations:

- Testing the smart contracts against both common and uncommon attack vectors.
- Assessing the codebase to ensure compliance with current best practices and industry standards.
- Ensuring contract logic meets the specifications and intentions of the client.
- Cross-referencing contract structure and implementation against similar smart contracts produced by industry leaders.
- Thorough line-by-line manual review of the entire codebase by industry experts.
Comprehensive written tests as a part of a code coverage testing suite.
- Contract fuzzing for increased attack resilience.

Findings & Resolutions

ID	Title	Category	Severity	Status
M-01	Funds Trapped On Ethereum	DoS	● Medium	Resolved
L-01	retrySend Is Unusable For Users With Multiple Failures	Unexpected Behavior	● Low	Acknowledged
L-02	Excess Ether Cannot Be Easily Retrieved	Unexpected Behavior	● Low	Resolved
L-03	Force Retry With Insufficient Message Value	Censoring	● Low	Acknowledged
L-04	Force Retry With Insufficient Gas	Censoring	● Low	Acknowledged
L-05	Blacklisted Addresses May Retrieve Funds	Unexpected Behavior	● Low	Acknowledged
L-06	Reentrancy Checks Abused For Censoring	Censoring	● Low	Acknowledged
L-07	Unexpected Zero Amount Oft Sends	Validation	● Low	Acknowledged
L-08	Insufficient Reserved Gas	Warning	● Low	Resolved
I-01	Unused Import	Imports	● Info	Resolved
I-02	Missing Event	Events	● Info	Resolved
I-03	Unused Events	Superfluous Code	● Info	Resolved

Findings & Resolutions

ID	Title	Category	Severity	Status
I-04	Lacking Zero Address Checks	Validation	● Info	Resolved
I-05	Outdated Documentation	Documentation	● Info	Partially Resolved
I-06	Zero Transfer Attempted	Superfluous Code	● Info	Acknowledged
I-07	Arbitrary Oft Address	Best Practices	● Info	Acknowledged
I-08	Malformed Composed Messages Trap USDT	Trapped Funds	● Info	Acknowledged
I-09	Arbitrary Oapp Deployed Through Factory	Warning	● Info	Partially Resolved
I-10	SendParam Can Differ From Initial IzCompose	Warning	● Info	Acknowledged
I-11	Stargate Only Allows Same-Asset Transfers	Documentation	● Info	Acknowledged
I-12	Refunds Are Not Supplied	Documentation	● Info	Acknowledged
I-13	Arguments Can Be Calldata	Optimization	● Info	Acknowledged
I-14	Lacking setReservedGas Validation	Validation	● Info	Acknowledged
I-15	retrySend DoS	DoS	● Info	Resolved

Findings & Resolutions

ID	Title	Category	Severity	Status
I-16	Smart Contract Claimers Incompatibility	Compatibility	● Info	Resolved

M-01 | Funds Trapped On Ethereum

Category	Severity	Location	Status
DoS	● Medium	MultiHopCompserV1.sol	Resolved

Description

The MultiHopComposerV1 contract uses an interface which returns a boolean value for the approve function, however USDT on Ethereum does not return a boolean from the approve function.

This results in a revert upon approval which will cause the compose message to be un-executable, thereby trapping the USDT in the MultiHopComposerV1 contract.

Recommendation

For MultiHopComposerV1 deployment on Ethereum mainnet use an IERC20 interface which does not include a boolean return value for the approve function.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Resolved.

L-01 | retrySend Is Unusable For Users With Multiple Failures

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Unexpected Behavior	● Low	MultiHopComposerV1.sol: 126	Acknowledged

Description

The `retrySend` function forces the user to send their entire `amountOwed` balances in a single `oft.send` call.

However the user may have had multiple failed hops, in which case the `amountNative` would be too large for a single `oft.send` call and the `amountToken` amount could be larger than the total amount the user wishes to send to any single receiving address.

For example:

- Bob initiates a composed hop A which is to be sent to Alice on Chain 1
- Bob initiates a composed hop B which is to be sent to Carol on Chain 2
- Both hop A and B fail and are stored within the `amountOwed` mapping
- It is impossible for Bob to retry both of these hops individually since they are grouped into the same `amountOwed` entry

Recommendation

Consider allowing users to specify what amount of both tokens they would like to use from their `amountOwed` mapping entry for the `retrySend` call.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Acknowledged.

L-02 | Excess Ether Cannot Be Easily Retrieved

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Unexpected Behavior	● Low	MultiHopComposerV1.sol: 103	Resolved

Description

In the `lzCompose` function the refund address in the `oft.send` call is assigned as the `MultiHopComposerV1` contract. As a result excess `msg.value` sent to the `lzCompose` function remains in the `MultiHopComposerV1` contract.

There is a function for the owner to reclaim native assets from the `MultiHopComposerV1` contract, however this function only allows sweeping the entire native balance which includes refunds for failed OFT transfers which should be claimable by those users.

As a result it is unwieldy for the owner to claim this excess Ether.

Recommendation

Consider sending the excess value to a dedicated refund receiver address, or implement logic to track the totality of pending user native refunds and implement a function which allows the owner to withdraw only the excess native tokens which were refunded from the `oft.send` call.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Resolved.

L-03 | Force Retry With Insufficient Message Value

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Censoring	● Low	MultiHopComposerV1.sol: 77	Acknowledged

Description

The `IzCompose` function in the `LayerZero EndpointV2` contract can be called by anyone and simply validates that the message contents are the same as those which were sent by the `OApp`.

Therefore any arbitrary address can force a retry by executing the compose message with a value less than the `MessagingFee` specifies, causing a `NotEnoughNative` revert and `_handleError` to be triggered.

A malicious actor can observe that a composed message to the `MultiHopComposerV1` contract has been posted, or force it to be posted themselves by executing the parent `IzReceive` message, and then use their own malicious `IzCompose` invocation to force the `Oft.send` call to fail.

Recommendation

Ensure the `msg.value` matches the fee.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Acknowledged.

L-04 | Force Retry With Insufficient Gas

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Censoring	● Low	MultiHopComposerV1.sol: 77	Acknowledged

Description

The `IzCompose` function in the `LayerZero EndpointV2` contract can be called by anyone and simply validates that the message contents are the same as those which were sent by the `OApp`.

Therefore any arbitrary address may invoke the `IzCompose` function for a `MultiHopComposerV1` compose call with an amount of gas such that the `oft.send` function reverts with out of gas, but the rest of the execution completes due to the `reservedGas`.

A malicious actor can observe that a composed message to the `MultiHopComposerV1` contract has been posted, or force it to be posted themselves by executing the parent `IzReceive` message, and then use their own malicious `IzCompose` invocation to force the `Oft.send` call to fail.

Recommendation

Consider adding validation to the `IzCompose` function that requires that a sufficient amount of gas has been provided by the caller to successfully execute the `oft.send` call.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Acknowledged.

L-05 | Blacklisted Addresses May Retrieve Funds

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Unexpected Behavior	● Low	MultiHopComposerV1.sol	Acknowledged

Description

Through the `IzCompose` function USDT tokens may be credited to an arbitrary `evmRefundAddress` with funds in the `amountOwed`. The `evmRefundAddress` may be blacklisted at the time of the `IzCompose` execution or may be blacklisted in the future.

In either case, the blacklisted address is able to reclaim their funds through either the `retrieveFunds` or `retrySend` functions.

Recommendation

Consider adding validation to require that the user is not blacklisted in the `retrieveFunds` and `retrySend` functions.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Acknowledged.

L-06 | Reentrancy Checks Abused For Censoring

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Censoring	● Low	Global	Acknowledged

Description

The `send` function in the `StarGatePool` contract invokes the `sendToken` function which uses the `nonReentrantAndNotPaused` modifier.

If any functions in the `StarGatePool` contract with the `nonReentrantAndNotPaused` modifier have been entered into then any subsequent calls to `send` will revert due to the reentrancy check.

This behavior can be leveraged to censor composed hops by causing them to fail on the `Oft.send` function.

A malicious actor can observe that a composed message to the `MultiHopComposerV1` contract has been posted, or force it to be posted themselves by executing the parent `IzReceive` message, and then use their own malicious `IzCompose` invocation to force the `Oft.send` call to fail.

The malicious actor can first invoke their own dummy `StarGatePool.send` invocation to trigger the reentrancy guard, and then inside of that function call, during the native refund callback to their address.

The malicious actor can invoke the `IzCompose` function on the `EndpointV2` contract to trigger the `MultiHopComposerV1.IzCompose` function which will then make a call to the `StarGatePool.send` function that fails due to a reentrant call.

The user's `send` is then censored and they are forced to retry their `send` with the `retrySend` function.

Recommendation

If the target `oft` address is the `StarGatePool`, consider checking if the public `status` value is `ENTERED`, and if so reverting the `IzCompose` transaction rather than censoring the transaction for the user. Otherwise the `IzCompose` function can validate that the executor is a trusted executor.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Acknowledged.

L-07 | Unexpected Zero Amount Oft Sends

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Validation	● Low	MultiHopComposerV1.sol: 126	Acknowledged

Description

The `retrySend` function does not validate that the sender has a nonzero token balance in the `amountOwed` mapping before triggering the OFT send. As a result any user may call the `retrySend` function and trigger an OFT send from the `MultiHopComposerV1` contract with a zero token amount.

This may be unexpected, particularly since the user can send composed messages from the `MultiHopComposerV1` along with this zero token amount.

Recommendation

Consider validating that the user has a nonzero `amountToken` in the `retrySend` function.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Acknowledged.

L-08 | Insufficient Reserved Gas

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Warning	● Low	MultiHopComposerV1.sol	Resolved

Description

With additional logic inside of the `forceApprove` function and the added gas for an external token approval call, the `reservedGas` is not sufficient for the `_handleError` function and forced approval to occur in the event that the OFT send runs out of gas.

Recommendation

Consider increasing the `reservedGas` by a minor amount to 42,000.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Resolved.

I-01 | Unused Import

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Imports	● Info	MultiHopComposerV1.sol	Resolved

Description

In the MultiHopComposerV1 the IOAppCore interface is imported but not used in the contract code.

Recommendation

Remove the extraneous IOAppCore interface import.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Resolved.

I-02 | Missing Event

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Events	● Info	MultiHopComposerV1.sol: 121	Resolved

Description

In the retrieveFunds function there is an event to indicate the retrieval of the underlying token with the LogRetrieveFunds event, but no event nor data entry in the LogRetrieveFunds event to indicate that native value was retrieved from the contract.

Similarly there is no indication of native value retrieved in the retrySend function.

Recommendation

Consider either adding a native value field to the LogRetrieveFunds event or introducing an event to indicate the retrieval of native funds in the retrieveFunds and retrySend function.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Resolved.

I-03 | Unused Events

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Superfluous Code	● Info	MultiHopComposerV1.sol	Resolved

Description

The MultiHopComposerV1 contract contains the LogTooHighSendAmount and Swapped events which are declared but never used in the contract.

Recommendation

Implement the use case for the LogTooHighSendAmount or Swapped events or remove them from the contract.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Resolved.

I-04 | Lacking Zero Address Checks

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Validation	<div><div></div>Info</div>	MultiHopFactoryV1.sol: 17	Resolved

Description

The constructor for the MultiHopFactoryV1 contract performs no zero address validation on the _endPoint address.

Recommendation

Consider performing validation on the _endPoint parameter to ensure it is not the zero address.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Resolved.

I-05 | Outdated Documentation

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Documentation	● Info	MultiHopComposerV1.sol	Partially Resolved

Description

The documentation for the constructor of the MultiHopComposerV1 contract references the StableComposer contract as the contract which it constructs. However the MultiHopComposerV1 is the contract which is constructed.

Additionally, the documentation for the contract indicates that The contract is intended to unwrap USDT0 into native gas tokens. However this is not the current functionality of the contract.

Recommendation

Update the comment for the constructor to reflect that it is the MultiHopComposerV1 contract which is being constructed. And update the documentation for the contract to reflect its current intended behavior.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Partially Resolved.

I-06 | Zero Transfer Attempted

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Superfluous Code	● Info	MultiHopComposerV1.sol: 117	Acknowledged

Description

Within the `retrieveFunds` function, if `retrieveNative` is set to true but the `amountToken` has already been retrieved, the function will still attempt to transfer `amountToken` even if it is a zero amount.

For USDT and USDT0 implementations this is not a large concern as they do not revert on zero amount transfers, however if the `MultiHopComposerV1` contract were to be used with a token that reverts on zero transfers this would prevent claiming of native funds.

Recommendation

Consider only executing the token transfer if the `amountToken` is larger than zero as an optimization.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Acknowledged.

I-07 | Arbitrary Oft Address

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Best Practices	• Info	MultiHopComposerV1.sol: 126	Acknowledged

Description

The MultiHopComposerV1 contract accepts an arbitrary oft address as a part of the composed _message in the lzCompose and retrySend functions.

While no exploit has been identified with the call to an arbitrary oft address, out of an abundance of caution it may be best to limit the attack surface by requiring that the provided oft address is explicitly whitelisted.

It may be noteworthy that an untrusted oft contract can:

- Remove the approved amount of USDT from the MultiHopComposerV1 contract
- Revert on purpose, causing a _handleError invocation
- Consume an unexpected amount of gas
- Return malformed returndata, causing a revert of the lzCompose function
- Re-enter into MultiHopComposerV1 functions as well as other related OFT/LayerZero systems.

Recommendation

Consider introducing a whitelistedOfts mapping and validating the oft addresses used against this.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Acknowledged.

I-08 | Malformed Composed Messages Trap USDT

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Trapped Funds	● Info	MultiHopComposerV1.sol	Acknowledged

Description

In the `IzCompose` function in the event that the `Oft.send` function reverts a refund is stored for users with the `_handleError` function. However in the event that a revert occurs outside of the `Oft.send` function the user will not be able to retrieve their funds from the `MultiHopComposerV1` contract.

Specifically, if the composed `_message` is malformed and does not contain the expected `evmRefundAddress`, `oft`, `sendParam`, and `messageingFee` types with no dirty upper bits then the `IzCompose` will chronically revert and the composed action can never be executed.

Recommendation

Be aware of this risk and warn users and integrators to verify the correctness of their composed message structure.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Acknowledged.

I-09 | Arbitrary Oapp Deployed Through Factory

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Warning	● Info	MultiHopComposerFactoryV1.sol	Partially Resolved

Description

Function `MultiHopComposerFactoryV1.createMultiHopComposer` takes an arbitrary oApp address. Therefore, users can populate the `composers` mapping with a composer that uses a malicious Oapp and lead to user interaction with an undesired contract and token within the `MultiHopComposer`.

There is also risk with a block reorg that a user may believe they are interacting with a composer with a safe Oapp, but within the context of the reorg a composer with a malicious OApp is deployed to that address first leading to users interacting with a malicious contract unexpectedly.

This is because the CREATE opcode relies solely on the sender address and nonce. Consider the following example:

- (1) Alice deploys a composer with a safe Oapp A to address A.
- (2) Bob deploys a composer with a malicious Oapp B to address B.
- (3) A reorg occurs, such that Bob’s tx is included first and the malicious composer is now deployed to address A, since the sender address and nonce are the same as when Alice created a composer initially.
- (4) Users who thought they were interacting with Alice’s safe composer at address A now interact with Bob’s malicious composer.

Recommendation

Consider enforcing a whitelist for the oApp or document this risk.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Partially resolved by using CREATE2 to mitigate re-org risk.

Guardian Team: Arbitrary addresses are still allowed to create arbitrary multihop contracts with arbitrary OApps, this is acknowledged by the team.

I-10 | SendParam Can Differ From Initial IzCompose

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Warning	● Info	MultiHopComposerV1.sol	Acknowledged

Description

The SendParam initially used for the IzCompose can differ from the one passed by users during retrySend.

Recommendation

Be aware of this behavior.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Acknowledged.

I-11 | Stargate Only Allows Same-Asset Transfers

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Documentation	● Info	Global	Acknowledged

Description

Stargate currently does not support Bera/INK USDT0 to be transferred to USDT that is on other chains such as Polygon. Therefore, users should be aware that for most USDT0 transfers Arbitrum will be the intermediate step.

Recommendation

Make users aware that these pathways must be implemented on StarGate and cannot immediately be supported.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Acknowledged.

I-12 | Refunds Are Not Supplied

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Documentation	● Info	MultiHopComposerV1.sol	Acknowledged

Description

When invoking the `oft.send` function through `IzCompose` the refund address is the `MultiHopComposer`. In contrast, when sending through `retrySend` the refund address is the `msg.sender`.

This asymmetry makes it preferable for a user to attempt a retry to ensure unused native fee is returned to them rather than donated to the `MultiHopComposer` to be swept by the owner at a later time.

Recommendation

It may be unpreferred to allow the user to specify a refund address for the `oft.send` invocation given the address can make arbitrary actions, expend an unexpected amount of gas, or simply revert.

Instead, the USDT0 team may consider implementing `amountOwed` logic in the receive function to credit the `from` address of the current compose message, but only when an `IzCompose` invocation is in progress.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Acknowledged.

I-13 | Arguments Can Be Calldata

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Optimization	● Info	MultiHopComposerV1.sol: 126	Acknowledged

Description

The `messagingFee` function of the `retrySend` function is not modified and can therefore be declared as `calldata`.

Recommendation

Consider declaring the `messagingFee` parameter as `calldata` instead of `memory`.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Acknowledged.

I-14 | Lacking setReservedGas Validation

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Validation	<div><div></div> Info</div>	MultiHopComposerV1.sol: 64	Acknowledged

Description

The `setReservedGas` function does not implement any validation which prevents the owner from assigning the `reservedGas` value to an errantly high amount.

If the `reservedGas` is assigned too high it will cause underflow reverts and can potentially trap USDT funds in the `MultiHopComposerV1` contract.

Recommendation

Consider adding maximum configurable value validation for the `setReservedGas` function.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Acknowledged.

I-15 | retrySend DoS

Category	Severity	Location	Status
DoS	● Info	MultiHopComposerV1.sol: 126	Resolved

Description

The `oft.send` function requires that the provided `msg.value` is exactly the same as the `nativeFee` specified by the `MessagingFee` parameter.

Since the value sent to the `oft.send` function is based upon `amountNative` stored in the `amountOwed` mapping, it is possible for a malicious actor to frontrun an attempt to `retrySend` and increase the `amountNative` entry to DoS the `retrySend` invocation.

The malicious actor can achieve this with a composed message waiting in the `EndpointV2` which uses the target victim address as the `evmRefundAddress` and sends to an invalid eid to force a send revert.

The malicious actor can then frontrun the `retrySend` invocation to execute their own compose message and increment the `amountNative` by even just 1 wei.

Recommendation

Be aware of this frontrunning DoS vector and document it for users and integrators of the `MultiHopComposerV1`.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Resolved.

I-16 | Smart Contract Claimers Incompatibility

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Compatibility	● Info	MultiHopComposerV1.sol: 139	Resolved

Description

In the `retrySend` function the `refundReceiver` is hardcoded as the `msg.sender`. As a result smart contract addresses which do not implement a `receive` function cannot accept the refund and therefore cause a revert when additional native fees are provided.

Users may provide an `evmRefundAddress` which can accept native funds to avoid this, however if the provided `evmRefundAddress` is not compatible then the user will be forced to redeem their funds with the `retrieveFunds` function to a `recipient` address.

Recommendation

Consider allowing the user to specify a `refundRecipient` address in the `retrySend` function.

Resolution

USDT0 Team: Resolved.

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