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1 Introduction

Given the opportunity to review the HurricaneSwap design document and related smart contract source code, we outline in the report our systematic approach to evaluate potential security issues in the smart contract implementation, expose possible semantic inconsistencies between smart contract code and design document, and provide additional suggestions or recommendations for improvement. Our results show that the given branch of HurricaneSwap can be further improved due to the presence of several issues related to either security or performance. This document outlines our audit results.

1.1 About HurricaneSwap

HurricaneSwap is the first cross-chain trading protocol based on Avalanche. The proprietary LP-bridge mechanism (Roke Protocol) enables Avalanche users to trade valuable assets from other public chains without leaving Avalanche. HurricaneSwap provides users with a high-performance and low-fees as well as unparalleled, seamless cross-chain trading experience.

The basic information of HurricaneSwap is as follows:

Table 1.1: Basic Information of HurricaneSwap

ltem	Description
Target	HurricaneSwap
Туре	Ethereum Smart Contract
Platform	Solidity
Audit Method	Whitebox
Latest Audit Report	July 23, 2021

In the following, we show the Git repository of reviewed files and the commit hash value used in this audit.

• https://github.com/Caijiawen/HurricaneSwap-contract.git (6cc5b77)

And this is the commit ID after all fixes for the issues found in the audit have been checked in:

https://github.com/Caijiawen/HurricaneSwap-contract.git (7242a99)

1.2 About PeckShield

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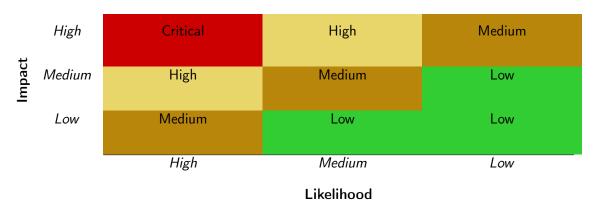


Table 1.2: Vulnerability Severity Classification

1.3 Methodology

To standardize the evaluation, we define the following terminology based on OWASP Risk Rating Methodology [13]:

- <u>Likelihood</u> represents how likely a particular vulnerability is to be uncovered and exploited in the wild:
- Impact measures the technical loss and business damage of a successful attack;
- Severity demonstrates the overall criticality of the risk.

Likelihood and impact are categorized into three ratings: *H*, *M* and *L*, i.e., *high*, *medium* and *low* respectively. Severity is determined by likelihood and impact and can be classified into four categories accordingly, i.e., *Critical*, *High*, *Medium*, *Low* shown in Table 1.2.

To evaluate the risk, we go through a list of check items and each would be labeled with a severity category. For one check item, if our tool or analysis does not identify any issue, the contract is considered safe regarding the check item. For any discovered issue, we might further deploy contracts on our private testnet and run tests to confirm the findings. If necessary, we would

Table 1.3: The Full List of Check Items

Category	Check Item	
	Constructor Mismatch	
	Ownership Takeover	
	Redundant Fallback Function	
	Overflows & Underflows	
	Reentrancy	
	Money-Giving Bug	
	Blackhole	
	Unauthorized Self-Destruct	
Basic Coding Bugs	Revert DoS	
Dasic Coung Dugs	Unchecked External Call	
	Gasless Send	
	Send Instead Of Transfer	
	Costly Loop	
	(Unsafe) Use Of Untrusted Libraries	
	(Unsafe) Use Of Predictable Variables	
	Transaction Ordering Dependence	
	Deprecated Uses	
Semantic Consistency Checks	Semantic Consistency Checks	
	Business Logics Review	
	Functionality Checks	
	Authentication Management	
	Access Control & Authorization	
	Oracle Security	
Advanced DeFi Scrutiny	Digital Asset Escrow	
Advanced Berr Scrating	Kill-Switch Mechanism	
	Operation Trails & Event Generation	
	ERC20 Idiosyncrasies Handling	
	Frontend-Contract Integration	
	Deployment Consistency	
	Holistic Risk Management	
	Avoiding Use of Variadic Byte Array	
	Using Fixed Compiler Version	
Additional Recommendations	Making Visibility Level Explicit	
	Making Type Inference Explicit	
	Adhering To Function Declaration Strictly	
	Following Other Best Practices	

additionally build a PoC to demonstrate the possibility of exploitation. The concrete list of check items is shown in Table 1.3.

In particular, we perform the audit according to the following procedure:

- Basic Coding Bugs: We first statically analyze given smart contracts with our proprietary static code analyzer for known coding bugs, and then manually verify (reject or confirm) all the issues found by our tool.
- <u>Semantic Consistency Checks</u>: We then manually check the logic of implemented smart contracts and compare with the description in the white paper.
- Advanced DeFi Scrutiny: We further review business logics, examine system operations, and place DeFi-related aspects under scrutiny to uncover possible pitfalls and/or bugs.
- Additional Recommendations: We also provide additional suggestions regarding the coding and development of smart contracts from the perspective of proven programming practices.

To better describe each issue we identified, we categorize the findings with Common Weakness Enumeration (CWE-699) [12], which is a community-developed list of software weakness types to better delineate and organize weaknesses around concepts frequently encountered in software development. Though some categories used in CWE-699 may not be relevant in smart contracts, we use the CWE categories in Table 1.4 to classify our findings.

1.4 Disclaimer

Note that this security audit is not designed to replace functional tests required before any software release, and does not give any warranties on finding all possible security issues of the given smart contract(s) or blockchain software, i.e., the evaluation result does not guarantee the nonexistence of any further findings of security issues. As one audit-based assessment cannot be considered comprehensive, we always recommend proceeding with several independent audits and a public bug bounty program to ensure the security of smart contract(s). Last but not least, this security audit should not be used as investment advice.

Table 1.4: Common Weakness Enumeration (CWE) Classifications Used in This Audit

Category	Summary
Configuration	Weaknesses in this category are typically introduced during
	the configuration of the software.
Data Processing Issues	Weaknesses in this category are typically found in functional-
	ity that processes data.
Numeric Errors	Weaknesses in this category are related to improper calcula-
	tion or conversion of numbers.
Security Features	Weaknesses in this category are concerned with topics like
	authentication, access control, confidentiality, cryptography,
	and privilege management. (Software security is not security
	software.)
Time and State	Weaknesses in this category are related to the improper man-
	agement of time and state in an environment that supports
	simultaneous or near-simultaneous computation by multiple
Forman Canadiai ana	systems, processes, or threads.
Error Conditions,	Weaknesses in this category include weaknesses that occur if
Return Values, Status Codes	a function does not generate the correct return/status code, or if the application does not handle all possible return/status
Status Codes	codes that could be generated by a function.
Resource Management	Weaknesses in this category are related to improper manage-
Resource Management	ment of system resources.
Behavioral Issues	Weaknesses in this category are related to unexpected behav-
Deliavioral issues	iors from code that an application uses.
Business Logics	Weaknesses in this category identify some of the underlying
Dusiness Togics	problems that commonly allow attackers to manipulate the
	business logic of an application. Errors in business logic can
	be devastating to an entire application.
Initialization and Cleanup	Weaknesses in this category occur in behaviors that are used
	for initialization and breakdown.
Arguments and Parameters	Weaknesses in this category are related to improper use of
	arguments or parameters within function calls.
Expression Issues	Weaknesses in this category are related to incorrectly written
	expressions within code.
Coding Practices	Weaknesses in this category are related to coding practices
	that are deemed unsafe and increase the chances that an ex-
	ploitable vulnerability will be present in the application. They
	may not directly introduce a vulnerability, but indicate the
	product has not been carefully developed or maintained.

2 | Findings

2.1 Summary

Here is a summary of our findings after analyzing the HurricaneSwap implementation. During the first phase of our audit, we study the smart contract source code and run our in-house static code analyzer through the codebase. The purpose here is to statically identify known coding bugs, and then manually verify (reject or confirm) issues reported by our tool. We further manually review business logic, examine system operations, and place DeFi-related aspects under scrutiny to uncover possible pitfalls and/or bugs.

Severity		# of Findings
Critical	0	
High	1	
Medium	3	
Low	3	
Informational	3	
Undetermined	0	
Total	10	

We have so far identified a list of potential issues: some of them involve subtle corner cases that might not be previously thought of, while others refer to unusual interactions among multiple contracts. For each uncovered issue, we have therefore developed test cases for reasoning, reproduction, and/or verification. After further analysis and internal discussion, we determined a few issues of varying severities that need to be brought up and paid more attention to, which are categorized in the above table. More information can be found in the next subsection, and the detailed discussions of each of them are in Section 3.

2.2 Key Findings

Overall, these smart contracts are well-designed and engineered, though the implementation can be improved by resolving the identified issues (shown in Table 2.1), including 1 high-severity vulnerability, 3 medium-severity vulnerabilities, 3 low-severity vulnerabilities, and 3 informational recommendations.

Title ID Severity Category Status PVE-001 Medium Timely massUpdatePools During Pool **Business Logics** Confirmed Weight Changes PVE-002 Time and State Confirmed Medium Potential Reentrancy Risk in AvaxPool::deposit()/withdraw() **PVE-003** Low Of **Coding Practices** Confirmed Accommodation Non-ERC20-Compliant Tokens **PVE-004** Informational Recommended Explicit Pool Validity Security Features Fixed Checks PVE-005 Medium Confirmed Logic Error Of addLiquidityAVAX() Business Logics **PVE-006** Informational Redundant State/Code Removal Coding Practices Fixed **PVE-007** Trust Issue Of Admin Keys Confirmed Low Security Features **PVE-008** Low Proper Event Usage In HurricaneSwap **Coding Practices** Fixed **Implementation Coding Practices PVE-009** Informational Improper Logic Of compareAmounts() Fixed **PVE-010** Fixed High Logic Error Of Swaps For Deflationary **Business Logics**

Table 2.1: Key HurricaneSwap Audit Findings

Beside the identified issues, we emphasize that for any user-facing applications and services, it is always important to develop necessary risk-control mechanisms and make contingency plans, which may need to be exercised before the mainnet deployment. The risk-control mechanisms should kick in at the very moment when the contracts are being deployed on mainnet. Please refer to Section 3 for details.

Tokens

3 Detailed Results

3.1 Timely massUpdatePools During Pool Weight Changes

• ID: PVE-001

Severity: MediumLikelihood: Low

• Impact: High

• Target: AvaxPool

Category: Business Logic [10]CWE subcategory: CWE-841 [7]

Description

The HurricaneSwap protocol provides an incentive mechanism that rewards the staking of supported assets with the governance token. The rewards are carried out by designating a number of staking pools into which supported assets can be staked. And staking users are rewarded in proportional to their share of LP tokens in the reward pool.

The reward pools can be dynamically added via add() and the weights of supported pools can be adjusted via set(). When analyzing the pool weight update routine set(), we notice the need of timely invoking massUpdatePools() to update the reward distribution before the new pool weight becomes effective.

```
// Update the given pool's hrn allocation point. Can only be called by the owner.

function set(uint256 _pid, uint256 _allocPoint, bool _withUpdate) public onlyOwner {
   if (_withUpdate) {
      massUpdatePools();
   }

totalAllocPoint = totalAllocPoint.sub(poolInfo[_pid].allocPoint).add(_allocPoint);

poolInfo[_pid].allocPoint = _allocPoint;
}
```

Listing 3.1: AvaxPool::set()

If the call to massUpdatePools() is not immediately invoked before updating the pool weights, certain situations may be crafted to create an unfair reward distribution. Moreover, a hidden pool

without any weight can suddenly surface to claim unreasonable share of rewarded tokens. Fortunately, this interface is restricted to the owner (via the onlyOwner modifier), which greatly alleviates the concern.

Recommendation Timely invoke massUpdatePools() when any pool's weight has been updated. In fact, the third parameter (_withUpdate) to the set() routine can be simply ignored or removed.

Status The issue has been confirmed by the team. The team decides to leave it and the third _withUpdate parameter will always be true.

3.2 Potential Reentrancy Risk in AvaxPool::deposit()/withdraw()

• ID: PVE-002

Severity: MediumLikelihood: Medium

• Impact:Medium

• Target: AvaxPool

Category: Time and State [11]CWE subcategory: CWE-682 [6]

Description

A common coding best practice in Solidity is the adherence of checks-effects-interactions principle. This principle is effective in mitigating a serious attack vector known as re-entrancy. Via this particular attack vector, a malicious contract can be reentering a vulnerable contract in a nested manner. Specifically, it first calls a function in the vulnerable contract, but before the first instance of the function call is finished, second call can be arranged to re-enter the vulnerable contract by invoking functions that should only be executed once. This attack was part of several most prominent hacks in Ethereum history, including the DAO [16] exploit, and the recent Uniswap/Lendf.Me hack [15].

In the AvaxPool contract, we notice both of the deposit() and withdraw() functions have potential reentrancy risk. In the following, we use the deposit() routine as an example. To elaborate, we show below the code snippet of the deposit() routine in AvaxPool. In the depositHrnAndToken() function, we notice IERC20(multLpToken).safeTransfer(_user, tokenPending) (line 325) will be called to transfer the accumulated rewards to the user before depositing new underlying assets into the AvaxPool and pool.lpToken.safeTransferFrom(_user, address(this), _amount) (line 329) will be called to transfer the underlying assets into the AvaxPool. If the multLpToken or pool.lpToken faithfully implements the ERC777-like standard, then the deposit() routine is vulnerable to reentrancy and this risk needs to be properly mitigated.

Specifically, the ERC777 standard normalizes the ways to interact with a token contract while remaining backward compatible with ERC20. Among various features, it supports send/receive hooks

to offer token holders more control over their tokens. Specifically, when transfer() or transferFrom () actions happen, the owner can be notified to make a judgment call so that she can control (or even reject) which token they send or receive by correspondingly registering tokensToSend() and tokensReceived() hooks. Consequently, any transfer() or transferFrom() of ERC777-based tokens might introduce the chance for reentrancy or hook execution for unintended purposes (e.g., mining GasTokens).

In our case, the above hook can be planted in IERC20(multLpToken).safeTransfer(_user, tokenPending) (line 325) or pool.lpToken.safeTransferFrom(_user, address(this), _amount) (line 329) before the actual transfer of the underlying assets occurs. By doing so, we can effectively keep user. rewardDebt and user.multLpRewardDebt intact (used for the calculation of pending rewards at line 315 and line 323). With a lower user.rewardDebt and user.multLpRewardDebt, the re-entered deposit() is able to obtain more rewards. It can be repeated to exploit this vulnerability for gains, just like earlier Uniswap/imBTC hack [15].

```
300
        // Deposit LP tokens to AvaxPool for HRN allocation.
301
        function deposit(uint256 _pid, uint256 _amount) public notPause {
302
             PoolInfo storage pool = poolInfo[_pid];
303
             if (isMultLP(address(pool.lpToken))) {
304
                 depositHrnAndToken(_pid, _amount, msg.sender);
305
            } else {
306
                 depositHrn(_pid, _amount, msg.sender);
307
308
        }
309
310
        function depositHrnAndToken(uint256 _pid, uint256 _amount, address _user) private {
311
             PoolInfo storage pool = poolInfo[_pid];
312
             UserInfo storage user = userInfo[_pid][_user];
313
             updatePool(_pid);
314
             if (user.amount > 0) {
315
                 uint256 pendingAmount = user.amount.mul(pool.accHrnPerShare).div(1e12).sub(
                     user.rewardDebt);
316
                 if (pendingAmount > 0) {
317
                     safeHrnTransfer(_user, pendingAmount);
318
                 }
319
                 uint256 beforeToken = IERC20(multLpToken).balanceOf(address(this));
320
                 IMasterChefAvax(multLpChef).deposit(poolCorrespond[_pid], 0);
321
                 uint256 afterToken = IERC20(multLpToken).balanceOf(address(this));
322
                 pool.accMultLpPerShare = pool.accMultLpPerShare.add(afterToken.sub(
                     beforeToken).mul(1e12).div(pool.totalAmount));
323
                 uint256 tokenPending = user.amount.mul(pool.accMultLpPerShare).div(1e12).sub
                     (user.multLpRewardDebt);
324
                 if (tokenPending > 0) {
325
                     IERC20(multLpToken).safeTransfer(_user, tokenPending);
326
                 }
327
            }
328
             if (_amount > 0) {
329
                 pool.lpToken.safeTransferFrom(_user, address(this), _amount);
330
                 if (pool.totalAmount == 0) {
```

```
331
                     IMasterChefAvax(multLpChef).deposit(poolCorrespond[_pid], _amount);
332
                     user.amount = user.amount.add(_amount);
333
                     pool.totalAmount = pool.totalAmount.add(_amount);
334
                } else {
335
                     uint256 beforeToken = IERC20(multLpToken).balanceOf(address(this));
336
                     IMasterChefAvax(multLpChef).deposit(poolCorrespond[_pid], _amount);
337
                     uint256 afterToken = IERC20(multLpToken).balanceOf(address(this));
338
                     pool.accMultLpPerShare = pool.accMultLpPerShare.add(afterToken.sub(
                         beforeToken).mul(1e12).div(pool.totalAmount));
339
                     user.amount = user.amount.add(_amount);
340
                     pool.totalAmount = pool.totalAmount.add(_amount);
341
                }
342
            }
343
            user.rewardDebt = user.amount.mul(pool.accHrnPerShare).div(1e12);
344
            user.multLpRewardDebt = user.amount.mul(pool.accMultLpPerShare).div(1e12);
345
            emit Deposit(_user, _pid, _amount);
346
```

Listing 3.2: AvaxPool::deposit()

Note the withdraw() routine in the same contract shares the same issue.

Recommendation Add necessary reentrancy guards to prevent unwanted reentrancy risks.

Status The issue has been confirmed by the team. The team decides to leave it as ERC777 tokens will not be used in the HurricaneSwap protocol.

3.3 Accommodation of Non-ERC20-Compliant Tokens

• ID: PVE-003

• Severity: Low

• Likelihood: Low

Impact: Low

• Target: AvaxPool

Category: Coding Practices [9]

• CWE subcategory: CWE-1126 [2]

Description

Though there is a standardized ERC-20 specification, many token contracts may not strictly follow the specification or have additional functionalities beyond the specification. In this section, we examine the approve() routine and analyze possible idiosyncrasies from current widely-used token contracts.

In particular, we use the popular stablecoin, i.e., USDT, as our example. We show the related code snippet below. On its entry of approve(), there is a requirement, i.e., require(!((_value != 0) && (allowed[msg.sender][_spender] != 0))). This specific requirement essentially indicates the need of reducing the allowance to 0 first (by calling approve(_spender, 0)) if it is not, and then calling a

second one to set the proper allowance. This requirement is in place to mitigate the known approve()/transferFrom() race condition (https://github.com/ethereum/EIPs/issues/20#issuecomment-263524729).

```
194
195
         * @dev Approve the passed address to spend the specified amount of tokens on behalf
             of msg.sender.
196
         st Oparam _spender The address which will spend the funds.
197
         * @param _value The amount of tokens to be spent.
198
         */
199
         function approve(address spender, uint value) public onlyPayloadSize(2 * 32) {
201
             // To change the approve amount you first have to reduce the addresses '
202
             // allowance to zero by calling 'approve(_spender, 0)' if it is not
203
             // already 0 to mitigate the race condition described here:
204
             // https://github.com/ethereum/EIPs/issues/20#issuecomment-263524729
205
             require(!(( value != 0) && (allowed[msg.sender][ spender] != 0)));
207
             {\sf allowed} \, [\, {\sf msg.sender} \, ] \, [\, \_{\sf spender} \, ] \, = \, \_{\sf value} \, ;
208
             Approval (msg. sender, _spender, _value);
209
```

Listing 3.3: USDT Token Contract

Because of that, a normal call to approve() with a currently non-zero allowance may fail. In the following, we use the AvaxPool::addMultLP() routine as an example. This routine is designed to approve a specific token for multLpChef contract. To accommodate the specific idiosyncrasy, there is a need to approve() twice (line 100): the first one reduces the allowance to 0; and the second one sets the new allowance.

```
function addMultLP(address _addLP) public onlyOwner returns (bool) {
    require(_addLP != address(0), "LP is the zero address");
    IERC20(_addLP).approve(multLpChef, uint256(- 1));
    return EnumerableSet.add(_multLP, _addLP);
}
```

Listing 3.4: AvaxPool::addMultLP()

Moreover, it is important to note that for certain non-compliant ERC20 tokens (e.g., USDT), the transfer() function does not have a return value. However, the IERC20 interface has defined the transfer() interface with a bool return value. As a result, the call to transfer() may expect a return value. With the lack of return value of USDT's transfer(), the call will be unfortunately reverted.

Because of that, a normal call to transfer() is suggested to use the safe version, i.e., safeTransfer (), In essence, it is a wrapper around ERC20 operations that may either throw on failure or return false without reverts. Moreover, the safe version also supports tokens that return no value (and instead revert or throw on failure). Note that non-reverting calls are assumed to be successful. Similarly, there is a safe version of approve()/transferFrom() as well, i.e., safeApprove()/safeTransferFrom().

In the following, we show the AvaxPool::safeHrnTransfer() routine in the AvaxPool contract. If the USDT token is supported as hrn, the unsafe version of hrn.transfer(_to, hrnBal) (line 461) and hrn.

transfer(_to, _amount) (line 463) may revert as there is no return value in the USDT token contract's transfer() implementation (but the IERC20 interface expects a return value). We may intend to replace transfer() with safeTransfer().

```
457
        // Safe HRN transfer function, just in case if rounding error causes pool to not
            have enough HRNs.
458
        function safeHrnTransfer(address _to, uint256 _amount) internal {
459
             uint256 hrnBal = hrn.balanceOf(address(this));
460
             if (_amount > hrnBal) {
461
                 hrn.transfer(_to, hrnBal);
462
            } else {
463
                hrn.transfer(_to, _amount);
464
465
```

Listing 3.5: AvaxPool::safeHrnTransfer()

Recommendation Accommodate the above-mentioned idiosyncrasy about ERC20-related approve()/transfer().

Status The issue has been confirmed by the team. The team decides to leave it as non-compliant ERC20 tokens will not be used in the HurricaneSwap protocol.

3.4 Recommended Explicit Pool Validity Checks

• ID: PVE-004

• Severity: Informational

Likelihood: N/A

Impact: N/A

• Target: AvaxPool

• Category: Security Features [8]

• CWE subcategory: CWE-287 [3]

Description

The reward mechanism in HurricaneSwap has a central contract, i.e.,AvaxPool, that has been tasked with the reward distribution to various pools and stakers. In the following, we show the key pool data structure. Note all added pools are maintained in an array poolInfo.

```
35
       // Info of each pool.
       struct PoolInfo {
36
37
           IERC20 lpToken;
                                      // Address of LP token contract.
38
                                      // How many allocation points assigned to this pool.
           uint256 allocPoint;
               Hurricanes to distribute per block.
39
           uint256 lastRewardBlock; // Last block number that Hurricanes distribution
40
           uint256 accHrnPerShare; // Accumulated Hurricanes per share, times 1e12.
41
           uint256 accMultLpPerShare; //Accumulated multLp per share
```

```
42
            uint256 totalAmount; // Total amount of current pool deposit.
43
       }
44
45
        // The hrn Token!
46
        IHRN public hrn;
47
        // hrn tokens created per block.
48
        uint256 public hrnPerBlock;
49
        // Info of each pool.
50
        PoolInfo[] public poolInfo;
```

Listing 3.6: AvaxPool.sol

When there is a need to add a new pool, set a new allocPoint for an existing pool, stake (by depositing the supported assets), unstake (by redeeming previously deposited assets), query pending rewards, there is a constant need to perform sanity checks on the pool validity. The current implementation simply relies on the implicit, compiler-generated bound-checks of arrays to ensure the pool index stays within the array range [0, poolInfo.length-1]. However, considering the importance of validating given pools and their numerous occasions, a better alternative is to make explicit the sanity checks by introducing a new modifier, say validatePool. This new modifier essentially ensures the given _pool_id or _pid indeed points to a valid, live pool, and additionally give semantically meaningful information when it is not.

```
301
         function deposit(uint256 _pid, uint256 _amount) public notPause {
302
             PoolInfo storage pool = poolInfo[_pid];
303
             if (isMultLP(address(pool.lpToken))) {
304
                 depositHrnAndToken(_pid, _amount, msg.sender);
305
306
                 depositHrn(_pid, _amount, msg.sender);
307
             }
308
        }
309
         function depositHrnAndToken(uint256 _pid, uint256 _amount, address _user) private {
310
311
             PoolInfo storage pool = poolInfo[_pid];
312
             UserInfo storage user = userInfo[_pid][_user];
313
             updatePool(_pid);
314
315
        }
316
317
         function depositHrn(uint256 _pid, uint256 _amount, address _user) private {
318
             PoolInfo storage pool = poolInfo[_pid];
319
             UserInfo storage user = userInfo[_pid][_user];
320
             updatePool(_pid);
321
322
```

Listing 3.7: AvaxPool::deposit()&&depositHrnAndToken()&&depositHrn()

We highlight that there are a number of functions that can be benefited from the new pool-validating modifier, including set(), deposit(), withdraw(), emergencyWithdraw(), pending() and updatePool

().

Recommendation Apply necessary sanity checks to ensure the given _pid is legitimate. Accordingly, a new modifier validatePool can be developed and appended to each function in the above list.

```
301
         modifier validatePool(uint256 _pid) {
302
             require( pid < poolInfo.length, "chef: pool exists?");</pre>
303
304
         }
305
306
         function deposit (uint 256 _ pid, uint 256 _ amount) public validate Pool (_pid) not Pause {
307
             PoolInfo storage pool = poolInfo[ pid];
308
             if (isMultLP(address(pool.lpToken))) {
309
                  depositHrnAndToken( pid, amount, msg.sender);
310
             } else {
311
                  depositHrn( pid, amount, msg.sender);
312
             }
313
```

Listing 3.8: AvaxPool::deposit()

Status The issue has been addressed in this commit: 99def47.

3.5 Logic Error Of addLiquidityAVAX()

• ID: PVE-005

Severity: Medium

Likelihood: Medium

Impact: Medium

• Target: AvaxHurricaneRouter

• Category: Business Logics [10]

CWE subcategory: CWE-841 [7]

Description

HurricaneSwap on Avalanche is designed as an evolutional improvement of UniswapV2, which is a major decentralized exchange (DEX) running on top of the Ethereum blockchain. HurricaneSwap follows UniswapV2's core design, but extends with restricted tokens feature. If both of the tokens in the pool are restricted, only the privileged owner account can continue to add or remove liquidity for the pool.

To elaborate, we show below the related code snippet of the AVAXHURTICANEROUTER CONTRACT. Both of the addLiquidity() and addLiquidityAVAX() functions are used by liquidity providers to add liquidity for the pool. If one of the underlying assets that the user provides is AVAX, the addLiquidityAVAX() function will be used, otherwise the addLiquidity() function will be used. In the addLiquidity() function, we notice that only the privileged owner account can continue to add liquidity for the pool if both of the tokens in the pool are restricted (line 69 - line 77). However, it comes to our

attention that the addLiquidityAVAX() function does not have the same logic. We may intend to keep consistency between the addLiquidity() and addLiquidityAVAX() functions.

```
59
       function addLiquidity(
60
            address tokenA,
61
            address tokenB,
62
            uint amountADesired,
63
           uint amountBDesired,
64
           uint amountAMin,
65
           uint amountBMin,
66
            address to,
67
            uint deadline
68
       ) external ensure(deadline) returns (uint amountA, uint amountB, uint liquidity) {
69
70
                bool hasA = IHurricaneFactory(factory).restrictedTokens(tokenA);
71
                bool hasB = IHurricaneFactory(factory).restrictedTokens(tokenB);
72
                if (hasA && hasB) {
73
                    (bool lpSwitch, bool swapSwitch) = IHurricaneFactory(factory).getSwitch
74
                    require(lpSwitch && !swapSwitch, 'Hurricane: liquidity closed or swap
75
                    require(msg.sender == IHurricaneFactory(factory).getOwner(), 'Hurricane:
                         not allowed');
76
                }
77
           }
79
            (amountA, amountB) = _addLiquidity(tokenA, tokenB, amountADesired,
                amountBDesired, amountAMin, amountBMin);
R۸
            address pair = AvaxHurricaneLibrary.pairFor(factory, tokenA, tokenB);
81
            TransferHelper.safeTransferFrom(tokenA, msg.sender, pair, amountA);
82
            TransferHelper.safeTransferFrom(tokenB, msg.sender, pair, amountB);
83
            liquidity = IHurricanePair(pair).mint(to);
85
            // \verb|AddLiquidity(address pair, address tokenA, address tokenB, uint tokenADesired,
                 uint tokenBDesired, uint tokenAmin, uint tokenBmin, uint lpAmount, string
                method);
86
            emit AddLiquidity(pair, tokenA, tokenB, amountADesired, amountBDesired,
                amountAMin, amountBMin, liquidity, 'addLiquidity');
87
            //emit Method('addLiquidity');
88
```

Listing 3.9: AvaxHurricaneRouter::addLiquidity()

```
90
        function addLiquidityAVAX(
91
            address token,
92
            uint amountTokenDesired,
93
            uint amountTokenMin,
            uint amountAVAXMin,
94
95
            address to,
96
            uint deadline
97
        ) external payable returns (uint amountToken, uint amountAVAX, uint liquidity) {
99
```

```
100
                 require(deadline >= block.timestamp, 'HurricaneRouter: EXPIRED');
101
             }
103
             (amountToken, amountAVAX) = _addLiquidity(
104
                 token.
105
                 WAVAX,
106
                 amountTokenDesired,
107
                 msg.value,
108
                 amountTokenMin,
109
                 amountAVAXMin
110
             );
111
             address pair = AvaxHurricaneLibrary.pairFor(factory, token, WAVAX);
112
             TransferHelper.safeTransferFrom(token, msg.sender, pair, amountToken);
113
             IWAVAX(WAVAX).deposit{value : amountAVAX}();
114
             assert(IWAVAX(WAVAX).transfer(pair, amountAVAX));
115
             liquidity = IHurricanePair(pair).mint(to);
116
             // refund dust AVAX, if any
117
             if (msg.value > amountAVAX) TransferHelper.safeTransferAVAX(msg.sender, msg.
                 value - amountAVAX);
119
             emit AddLiquidity(pair, token, WAVAX, amountTokenDesired, msg.value,
                 amountTokenMin, amountAVAXMin, liquidity, 'addLiquidityAVAX');
120
             //emit Method('addLiquidityAVAX');
121
```

Listing 3.10: AvaxHurricaneRouter::addLiquidityAVAX()

Recommendation Validate whether both of the tokens in the pool are restricted at the beginning of the addLiquidityAVAX() function. If so, only the privileged owner account can continue to add liquidity for the pool.

Status The issue has been confirmed by the team. The team decides to leave it as AVAX will never be restricted in the HurricaneSwap protocol.

3.6 Redundant State/Code Removal

• ID: PVE-006

Severity: Informational

• Likelihood: Low

Impact: N/A

• Target: AvaxHurricaneRouter/HecoHurricaneRouter

• Category: Coding Practices [9]

• CWE subcategory: CWE-1041 [1]

In the AvaxHurricaneRouter contract, we observe the inclusion of certain unused code or the presence of unnecessary redundancies that can be safely removed. To elaborate, we show below the related code snippet of the contract. The removeLiquidity() function is used by the liquidity providers to remove liquidity from the pool. We notice the AvaxHurricaneLibrary::pairFor() is called at line 184 to calculate the pool address. However, the local pair variable storing the pool address is not used throughout the removeLiquidity() function. For better gas efficiency, we may intend to remove the redundant code.

```
156
         function removeLiquidity(
157
             address tokenA,
158
             address tokenB,
159
             uint liquidity,
160
             uint amountAMin,
161
             uint amountBMin,
162
             address to,
163
             uint deadline
164
        ) public ensure(deadline) returns (uint amountA, uint amountB) {
165
166
             address pair = AvaxHurricaneLibrary.pairFor(factory, tokenA, tokenB);
             (amountA, amountB) = _removeLiquidity(tokenA, tokenB, liquidity, amountAMin,
167
                 amountBMin, to);
168
             emit RemoveLiquidity(tokenA, tokenB, amountAMin, amountBMin, liquidity, '
                 removeLiquidity');
169
             //emit Method('removeLiquidity');
171
```

Listing 3.11: AvaxHurricaneRouter::removeLiquidity()

Note a number of routines can be similarly improved, including AvaxHurricaneRouter::remove-LiquidityAVAX(), HecoHurricaneRouter::removeLiquidity() and HecoHurricaneRouter::removeLiquidity-AVAX().

Recommendation Remove the redundant code from the above-mentioned functions.

Status The issue has been addressed by the following commit: e6a5e9b.

3.7 Trust Issue Of Admin Keys

• ID: PVE-007

Severity: Low

Likelihood: Low

• Impact: Low

• Target: Multiple Contracts

• Category: Security Features [8]

• CWE subcategory: CWE-287 [3]

In the HurricaneSwap protocol, there is a privileged owner account that plays a critical role in governing and regulating the protocol-wide operations (e.g., configuring various system parameters). In the following, we show the representative functions potentially affected by the privilege of the owner account.

```
241
         function transferToken(
242
             address token.
243
             address to,
244
             uint256 amount
245
        ) external {
246
             {
247
                 require(msg.sender == IHurricaneFactory(factory).getOwner(), '
                     HurricaneRouter: only owner');
248
249
             if (token == token1 token == token0) {
250
             _safeTransfer(token, to, amount);
251
             }
252
```

Listing 3.12: AvaxHurricanePair::transferToken()

We emphasize that the privilege assignment may be necessary and consistent with the protocol design. However, it is worrisome if the owner is not governed by a DAO-like structure. Note that a compromised owner account would allow the attacker to modify a number of sensitive system parameters, which directly undermines the assumption of the HurricaneSwap design.

Recommendation Promptly transfer the privileged account to the intended DAO-like governance contract. All changed to privileged operations may need to be mediated with necessary timelocks. Eventually, activate the normal on-chain community-based governance life-cycle and ensure the intended trustless nature and high-quality distributed governance.

Status This issue has been confirmed by the team.

3.8 Proper Event Usage In HurricaneSwap Implementation

• ID: PVE-008

Severity: Low

Likelihood: Low

Impact: Low

• Target: Multiple Contracts

• Category: Coding Practices [9]

• CWE subcategory: CWE-563 [4]

In Ethereum, the event is an indispensable part of a contract and is mainly used to record a variety of runtime dynamics. In particular, when an event is emitted, it stores the arguments passed in transaction logs and these logs are made accessible to external analytics and reporting tools. Events can be emitted in a number of scenarios. One particular case is when system-wide parameters or settings are being changed. Another case is when tokens are being minted, transferred, or burned.

While examining the events that reflect the dynamics of the ERC20Factory contract that is designed to act as a factory to create and manage ERC20 tokens for the HurricaneSwap protocol. we notice the emitted ERC20ChangeUser event (line 48) contains incorrect information.

To elaborate, we show below the related code snippet of the contract. Specifically, the event is defined as event ERC20ChangeUser(address tokenAddress, address oldPauser, address newPauser, address oldOperator, address newOperator), we notice the second oldPauser parameter and the fourth oldOperator parameter indicate the old _pauser and _operator of the ERC20 token. However, in the changeTokenUser() function, it comes to our attention that address old_pauser = token._pauser () (line 46) and address old_operator = token._operator() (line 47) are behind token.changeUser(new_operator, new_pauser) (line 45). In essence, the local old_pauser and old_operator variables save the new _pauser and _operator of the ERC20 token, which results that the emitted ERC20ChangeUser event (line 48) contains incorrect information.

Listing 3.13: ERC20Factory::changeTokenUser()

Moreover, while examining the events that reflect the AvaxHurricaneFactory dynamics, we notice there is a lack of emitting an event to reflect owner changes. To elaborate, we show below the related code snippet of the contract.

```
function setOwner(address _owner) external {
    require(msg.sender == owner, 'Hurricane: FORBIDDEN');
    owner = _owner;
}
```

Listing 3.14: AvaxHurricaneFactory::setOwner()

With that, we suggest to add a new event NewOwner whenever the new owner is changed. Also, the new owner information is better indexed. Note each emitted event is represented as a topic that

usually consists of the signature (from a keccak256 hash) of the event name and the types (uint256, string, etc.) of its parameters. Each indexed type will be treated like an additional topic. If an argument is not indexed, it will be attached as data (instead of a separate topic). Considering that the owner information is typically queried, it is better treated as a topic, hence the need of being indexed.

Note the setOwner() function in the HecoHurricaneFactory contract can be improved similarly.

Recommendation Properly emit the above-mentioned events with accurate information to timely reflect state changes. This is very helpful for external analytics and reporting tools.

Status The issue has been addressed in this commit: ba98e85.

3.9 Improper Logic Of compareAmounts()

• ID: PVE-009

• Severity: Informational

Likelihood: N/A

Impact: N/A

• Target: HecoHurricaneRouterPart

Category: Coding Practices [9]

• CWE subcategory: CWE-628 [5]

Description

In the HecoHurricaneRouterPart contract, we observe the internal _compareAmounts() function is used by various functions in the contract. In the following, we use the swapExactTokensForTokens() routine as an example. To elaborate, we show below the related code snippet of the contract. In the swapExactTokensForTokens() function, the internal _compareAmounts() function is called (line 58) to validate whether the fifth input realAmounts array parameter of the function is equal to the local amounts array variable calculated by HecoHurricaneLibrary.getAmountsOut(factory, amountIn, path) (line 56), which saves the actual amounts of all the tokens specified by the third input path parameter over the period of this transaction.

In the _compareAmounts() function, if the length of the two input arrays are different, the function should return false immediately. However, we notice that the function will continue forward even though the length of the two input arrays are different (line 16 - line 18).

```
function swapExactTokensForTokens(
    uint amountIn,
    uint amountOutMin,
    address[] calldata path,
    address to,
    uint[] calldata realAmounts,
    uint deadline
) external ensure(deadline) returns (uint[] memory amounts) {
```

```
50
           {
51
                require(msg.sender == IHurricaneFactory(factory).getOwner(), '
                    HurricaneRouter: EXPIRED');
52
                (bool lpSwitch, bool swapSwitch) = IHurricaneFactory(factory).getSwitch();
53
                require(!lpSwitch && swapSwitch, 'Hurricane: not allowed');
54
           }
56
            amounts = HecoHurricaneLibrary.getAmountsOut(factory, amountIn, path);
57
            require(amounts[amounts.length - 1] >= amountOutMin, 'HurricaneRouter:
                INSUFFICIENT_OUTPUT_AMOUNT');
58
            require(_compareAmounts(realAmounts, amounts), 'HurricaneRouter: swap wrong
               order');
59
60
```

Listing 3.15: HecoHurricaneRouterPart::swapExactTokensForTokens()

```
14
        function _compareAmounts(uint[] memory amountsIn, uint[] memory amountsOut) internal
             virtual pure returns (bool result) {
15
            result = true;
16
            if (amountsIn.length != amountsOut.length) {
17
                result = false;
            }
18
            for (uint i; i < amountsIn.length - 1; i++) {</pre>
19
20
                if (amountsIn[i] != amountsOut[i]) {
21
                    result = false;
22
                    break;
23
                }
24
25
```

Listing 3.16: HecoHurricaneRouterPart::_compareAmounts()

Recommendation The _compareAmounts() function should return false immediately if the length of the two input arrays are different.

Status The issue has been addressed in this commit: 99def47.

3.10 Logic Error Of Swaps For Deflationary Tokens

- ID: PVE-010
- Severity: High
- Likelihood: High
- Impact: Medium

- Target: HecoHurricaneRouterPart
- Category: Business Logics [10]
- CWE subcategory: CWE-841 [7]

In the HecoHurricaneRouterPart contract, we observe both of the swapExactTokensForTokens() and swapExactTokensForTokensSupportingFeeOnTransferTokens() functions are used to swap the exact amount of one token to another specified by the third input path parameter. Compared with the swapExactTokens -ForTokens() function, the swapExactTokensForTokensSupportingFeeOnTransferTokens() function supports the swap of deflationary tokens. While examining the logic of them, we observe an incorrect logic in the swapExactTokensForTokensSupportingFeeOnTransferTokens() function.

To elaborate, we show below the related code snippet of the contract. In the swapExactTokens-ForTokens() function, assume the third input path parameter is [tokenA, tokenB, tokenC], the amounts variable calculated by HecoHurricaneLibrary.getAmountsOut(factory, amountIn, path) (line 56) will save the actual amount of tokenA, tokenB and tokenC. Only when the fifth input realAmounts parameter includes the actual amount of tokenA, tokenB and tokenC, the swapExactTokensForTokens() function will work well. Therefore, the fifth input realAmounts parameter will include the actual amount of all the tokens in the path in the real scenarios.

However, in the swapExactTokensForTokensSupportingFeeOnTransferTokens() function, if we assume the third input path parameter is [tokenA, tokenB, tokenC], the amounts variable calculated by _swapSupport-ingFeeOnTransferTokens(path, to) (line 228) will only save the actual amount of tokenA and tokenB without tokenC. If the fifth input realAmounts parameter includes the actual amount of tokenA, tokenB and tokenC as the swapExactTokensForTokens() function, the swapExactTokensForTokens-SupportingFeeOnTransferTokens() function will always be reverted.

```
41
        function swapExactTokensForTokens(
42
            uint amountIn,
43
            uint amountOutMin,
44
            address[] calldata path,
45
            address to,
46
            uint[] calldata realAmounts,
47
            uint deadline
        ) external ensure(deadline) returns (uint[] memory amounts) {
48
50
51
                require(msg.sender == IHurricaneFactory(factory).getOwner(), '
                    HurricaneRouter: EXPIRED');
52
                (bool lpSwitch, bool swapSwitch) = IHurricaneFactory(factory).getSwitch();
53
                require(!lpSwitch && swapSwitch, 'Hurricane: not allowed');
54
            }
56
            amounts = HecoHurricaneLibrary.getAmountsOut(factory, amountIn, path);
57
            require(amounts[amounts.length - 1] >= amountOutMin, 'HurricaneRouter:
                INSUFFICIENT_OUTPUT_AMOUNT');
58
            require(_compareAmounts(realAmounts, amounts), 'HurricaneRouter: swap wrong
                order');
59
            {\tt Transfer Helper.safe Transfer From\,(}
60
                path[0], msg.sender, HecoHurricaneLibrary.pairFor(factory, path[0], path[1])
```

Listing 3.17: HecoHurricaneRouterPart::swapExactTokensForTokens()

```
209
         {\color{blue} \textbf{function}} \hspace{0.2cm} \textbf{swapExactTokensForTokensSupportingFeeOnTransferTokens()}
210
             uint amountIn,
211
             uint amountOutMin,
212
             address[] calldata path,
213
             address to,
214
             uint[] calldata realAmounts,
215
             uint deadline
216
         ) external ensure(deadline) {
218
219
                 require(msg.sender == IHurricaneFactory(factory).getOwner(), '
                      HurricaneRouter: EXPIRED');
220
                 (bool lpSwitch, bool swapSwitch) = IHurricaneFactory(factory).getSwitch();
                 require(!lpSwitch && swapSwitch, 'Hurricane: liquidity open or swap closed')
221
222
             }
224
             TransferHelper.safeTransferFrom(
225
                 path[0], msg.sender, HecoHurricaneLibrary.pairFor(factory, path[0], path[1])
                      , amountIn
226
             );
227
             uint balanceBefore = IERC20(path[path.length - 1]).balanceOf(to);
228
             uint[] memory amounts = _swapSupportingFeeOnTransferTokens(path, to);
229
             require(
230
                 IERC20(path[path.length - 1]).balanceOf(to).sub(balanceBefore) >=
                      amountOutMin,
231
                 'HurricaneRouter: INSUFFICIENT_OUTPUT_AMOUNT'
232
             );
233
             require(_compareAmounts(realAmounts, amounts), 'HurricaneRouter: swap wrong
                 order');
234
             //emit SwapPath(amounts, path, to, '
                 swapExactTokensForTokensSupportingFeeOnTransferTokens');
235
             emit SwapPath(amounts, amountIn, amountOutMin, path, to,'
                 swapExactTokensForTokensSupportingFeeOnTransferTokens');
236
             //emit Method("swapExactTokensForTokensSupportingFeeOnTransferTokens");
237
```

Listing 3.18: HecoHurricaneRouterPart::swapExactTokensForTokensSupportingFeeOnTransferTokens()

Note a number of functions can be similarly improved, including AvaxHurricaneRouterPart::swapExactTokensForTokensSupportingFeeOnTransferTokens() and AvaxHurricaneRouterPart::swapExact-

 ${\tt AVAXForTokensSupportingFeeOnTransferTokens().}$

Recommendation There is no need to use require(_compareAmounts(realAmounts, amounts), 'HurricaneRouter: swap wrong order') (line 58) to keep the swap order. It becomes optional to remove the related codes.

Status The issue has been addressed in this commit: ba98e85.



4 Conclusion

In this audit, we have analyzed the HurricaneSwap design and implementation. HurricaneSwap is the first cross-chain trading protocol based on Avalanche. The proprietary LP-bridge mechanism (Roke Protocol) enables Avalanche users to trade valuable assets from other public chains without leaving Avalanche. HurricaneSwap provides users with a high-performance and low-fees as well as unparalleled, seamless cross-chain trading experience. The current code base is well organized and those identified issues are promptly confirmed and fixed.

Meanwhile, we need to emphasize that smart contracts as a whole are still in an early, but exciting stage of development. To improve this report, we greatly appreciate any constructive feedbacks or suggestions, on our methodology, audit findings, or potential gaps in scope/coverage.



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