

CAPA Token Contracts Audit Report

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Introduction

SCV was engaged by Capapult to assist in identifying security threats and vulnerabilities that have the potential to affect their security posture. Additionally, SCV will assist the team in understanding the risks and identifying potential mitigations.

Scope

SCV performed the security assessment on the following codebase:

- https://github.com/capapult-finance/capa-token
- Code Freeze: f3ac9c2648a5a7afe7538619c073bd8be8f9b9f8

Remediations were applied by the Capapult team up to the following commit hash:

• Code Freeze: 45cccd907fabc78261ff0759f3de4b1f9ef22c21



Methodologies

SCV performs a combination of automated and manual security testing based on the scope of testing. The testing performed is based on the extensive experience and knowledge of the auditor to provide the greatest coverage and value to Capapult. Testing includes, but is not limited to, the following:

- Understanding the application and its code base purpose;
- Deploying SCV in-house tooling to automate dependency analysis and static code review;
- Analyse each line of the code base and inspect application security perimeter;
- Review underlying infrastructure technologies and supply chain security posture;

Code Criteria and Test Coverage

This section below represents how *SUFFICIENT* or *NOT SUFFICIENT* each code criteria was during the assessment

Criteria	Status	Notes
Provided Documentation	SUFFICIENT	N/A
Code Coverage Test	SUFFICIENT	N/A
Code Readability	SUFFICIENT	N/A
Code Complexity	SUFFICIENT	N/A



Vulnerabilities Summary

#	Summary Title	Risk Impact	Status
1	execute_poll_messages can be exploited to execute malicious messages	Medium	Resolved
2	Incorrect vesting schedule calculation	Medium	Resolved
3	New vesting schedule will overwrite existing vesting schedule	Low	Resolved
4	Contracts should use two-step ownership transfer	Low	Acknowledged
5	Additional funds sent to lockdrop are lost	Low	Resolved
6	Replace magic numbers	Low	Resolved
7	quorum and threshold can be set to 0	Low	Resolved
8	quorum and threshold are not validated during update_config	Low	Resolved
9	Lockdrop missing time validations	Low	Resolved
10	Distribute function is permissionless Low		Resolved
11	Genesis time should not be an updatable value	Low	Resolved
12	stake_voting_tokens emitting incorrect attributes	Informational	Resolved
13	Update misleading comment	Informational	Resolved
14	Incorrect error type used	Informational	Resolved
15	Missing address validation for recipient address	Informational	Resolved
16	Remove deprecated parameter	Informational	Resolved



Detailed Vulnerabilities

1 - execute_poll_messages can be exploited to execute
malicious messages

Risk Impact: Medium - **Status**: Resolved

Description

The execute_poll_messages function in contracts/gov/src/contract.rs:528 can be exploited by a malicious poll to execute the messages for another poll. While execute_poll_messages restricts the caller to be the contract, this condition could be met if the call is happening in the context of another poll's message execution. The function does not check that the poll_id passed by the caller is Passed.

For example, an attacker could create a benign looking Poll A, that has a legitimate proposal and in the execute messages which could include a ExecutePollMsgs message and specify the id of a malicious Poll B. When Poll A passes, the ExecutePollMsgs message will be passed and Poll B's messages will also be executed without the poll having to be Passed. This could have a catastrophic effect.

In addition, a poll can also call its own messages multiple times because there is no check being performed to ensure the poll's messages have not already been executed.

Recommendations

We recommend ensuring that execute_poll_messages can only be executed once for a specific poll.



2 - Incorrect vesting schedule calculation

Risk Impact: Medium - Status: Resolved

Description

In the register_vesting_accounts function in contracts/vesting/src/contract.rs:117 the vesting info's last_claim_time is set to config.genesis_time. This will result in an incorrect first claim as the account will be able claim for a time period in which they did not have an active vesting account.

Recommendations

We recommend setting last_claim_time to the time at which the vesting account is registered in register_vesting_accounts.



3 – New vesting schedule will overwrite existing vesting schedule

Risk Impact: Low - Status: Resolved

Description

In the register_vesting_accounts function in contracts/vesting/src/contract.rs:104, there is no validation to check that a vesting schedule does not exist for an address. If there is an existing vesting schedule for an address, it will simply be overwritten silently.

Recommendations

We recommend raising an error if a vesting schedule is provided for an address with an existing vesting schedule.



4 - Contracts should use two-step ownership transfer

Risk Impact: Low - Status: Acknowledged

Description

The current ownership transfer for each of the contracts is executed in one step, which imposes a risk that if the new owner is incorrect, then the admin privileges of the contract are effectively transferred and lost. A two-step ownership transfer is best practice because it requires the new admin to accept ownership before the transfer and config changes occur.

- contracts/gov/src/contract.rs:230
- contracts/vesting/src/contract.rs:75
- contracts/lockdrop/src/contract.rs:528

Recommendations

We recommend implementing a two-step ownership transfer where the current owner proposes a new owner address, and then that new owner address must call the contract to accept ownership within a finite time frame.



5 - Additional funds sent to lockdrop are lost

Risk Impact: Low - Status: Resolved

Description

The deposit function in contracts/lockdrop/src/contract.rs:178 does not check to ensure that additional funds are not sent with the deposit message. This will result in any funds that are not luna to become lost.

Recommendations

We recommend validating that no additional funds are sent with the deposit message.



6 - Replace magic numbers

Risk Impact: Low - Status: Resolved

Description

Throughout the codebase, magic numbers are used. Magic numbers are hard-coded numbers without context. The use of magic numbers reduces the readability and maintainability of the codebase

Instances of magic numbers are listed below:

- contracts/vesting/src/contract.rs:127
- contracts/lockdrop/src/contract.rs:373
- contracts/lockdrop/src/contract.rs:241
- contracts/lockdrop/src/contract.rs:437

Recommendations

We recommend replacing the magic numbers mentioned above with a constant that is descriptive of its value and use case.



7 - quorum and threshold can be set to 0

Risk Impact: Low - Status: Resolved

Description

The validate_quorum and validate_threshold functions in contracts/gov/src/contract.rs:302-312 do not validate that the values are not 0. These variables should represent meaningful parameters to ensure that substantial votes and participation are required to pass a poll.

Recommendations

We recommend adding a condition to ensure that the validate_quorum and validate_threshold are not 0.



8 - quorum and threshold are not validated during update_config

Risk Impact: Low - Status: Resolved

Description

In the update_config function in contracts/gov/src/contract.rs:212 the values of quorum and threshold are not properly validated in the same manner that they are validated during the contract's instantiation.

Recommendations

We recommend validating these values with the validate_quorum and validate_threshold functions.



9 – Lockdrop missing time validations

Risk Impact: Low - Status: Resolved

Description

In the update_config function in contracts/lockdrop/src/contract.rs:549 and 553, the new values set to end_deposits_at and start_withdraws_from have no logic validations with each other. For example, when updating end_deposits_at, the final value should be validated to be lower or equal to start_withdraws_from. Without this validation, funds submitted by users after a lockdrop starts would be not retrievable.

In the instantiate function in contracts/lockdrop/src/contract.rs:40-42, the values of start_deposits_at, end_deposits_at and start_withdraws_from are also missing the same time validations as mentioned above.

Recommendations

We recommended adding validation checks to parameters that require this logical validation. For example, the value of start_deposits_at should be validated to be lower than the value of end_deposits_at that is set and vice versa. The same applies to the values of end_deposits_at and start_withdraws_from.



10 - Distribute function is permissionless

Risk Impact: Low - Status: Resolved

Description

The distribute function in contracts/collector/src/contract.rs:78 does not check the caller address. This would mean that anyone can execute the distribute function in the collector contract, albeit the comments mentioning that only the contract itself can execute the distribute function.

Recommendations

We recommend validating the caller address to only allow privilege addresses to execute the function. If this is intended, we recommend updating the comments to reflect this.



11 - Genesis time should not be an updatable value

Risk Impact: Low - Status: Resolved

Description

In the update_config function in contracts/vesting/src/contract.rs:84, the value of genesis_time can be updated after the contract's instantiation. Changing the genesis_time could introduce unintended consequences for existing vesting accounts.

Recommendations

We recommend removing the ability to update the value of genesis_time to prevent unintended behaviours from occurring unless there is a specific reason for allowing the genesis to be updatable, in this case we recommend documenting the specific circumstances that require the parameter to be updatable.



12 - stake_voting_tokens emitting incorrect attributes

Risk Impact: Informational - Status: Resolved

Description

The stake_voting_tokens function in contracts/gov/src/staking.rs:65 is incorrectly emitting the amount value as the share attribute. This may cause issues when the attributes are indexed by block explorers or other tools.

Recommendations

We recommend updating the share attribute in contracts/gov/src/staking.rs:65.



13 – Update misleading comment

Risk Impact: Informational - Status: Resolved

Description

The update_config function in contracts/vesting/src/contract.rs:68 contains a comment that specifies "everyone can execute update config", which is incorrect. This function is only able to be executed by the contract's owner.

In addition, the spend function in contracts/community/src/contract.rs:68 contains a comment mentioning "ANC token" when it should be "CAPA token" instead.

Recommendations

We recommend updating the comment to better reflect the function's functionality.



14 - Incorrect error type used

Risk Impact: Informational - Status: Resolved

Description

The withdraw function in contracts/lockdrop/src/contract.rs:278 and 282 returns an incorrect error message. The errors are currently returning a InvalidWithdrawTime error.

Recommendations

We recommend updating the error message to better reflect the specific specific error being raised



15 – Missing address validation for recipient address

Risk Impact: Informational - Status: Resolved

Description

In the spend function in contracts/community/src/contract.rs:90 there are no checks to ensure that the recipient address is a valid address before executing the funds transfer.

Recommendations

We recommend adding a check to ensure that the recipient is a valid address before executing the transfer.



16 - Remove deprecated parameter

Risk Impact: Informational - Status: Resolved

Description

In the instantiate function in contracts/gov/src/contract.rs:55 and in contracts/gov/src/state.rs:31 there is an unused deprecated parameter expiration_period. It is best practice to remove deprecated code.

Recommendations

We recommend removing these deprecated parameters.



Document control

Version	Date	Approved by	Changes	
0.1	12/01/2023	Vinicius Marino	Document Pre-Release	
0.2	16/01/2023	SCV Team	Remediation Revisions	
1.0	17/01/2023	Vinicius Marino	Document Release	



Appendices

A. Appendix - Risk assessment methodology

A qualitative risk assessment is performed on each vulnerability to determine the impact and likelihood of each.

Risk rate will be calculated on a scale. As per criteria Likelihood vs Impact table below:

	Rare	Unlikely	Possible	Likely
Critical	Medium	Severe	Critical	Critical
Severe	Low	Medium	Severe	Severe
Moderate	Low	Medium	Medium	Severe
Low	Low	Low	Low	Medium
Informational	Informational	Informational	Informational	Informational

LIKELIHOOD

- Likely: likely a security incident will occur;
- Possible: It is possible a security incident can occur;
- Unlikely: Low probability a security incident will occur;
- Rare: In rare situations, a security incident can occur;

IMPACT

- Critical: May cause a significant and critical impact;
- Severe: May cause a severe impact;
- Moderate: May cause a moderated impact;
- Low: May cause low or none impact;
- Informational: May cause very low impact or none.



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