

SATORI SPORTS

Satori Sports Token Royalties Smart Contract Security Review

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Introduction

Sigma Prime was commercially engaged to perform a time-boxed security review of a set of Satori Sports smart contracts. The review focused solely on the security aspects of the Solidity implementation of the contracts, though general recommendations and informational comments are also provided.

Disclaimer

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Document Structure

The first section provides an overview of the functionality of the Satori Sports smart contracts contained within the scope of the security review. A summary followed by a detailed review of the discovered vulnerabilities is then given which assigns each vulnerability a severity rating (see Vulnerability Severity Classification), an <code>open/closed/resolved</code> status and a recommendation. Additionally, findings which do not have direct security implications (but are potentially of interest) are marked as <code>informational</code>.

Outputs of automated testing that were developed during this assessment are also included for reference (in the Appendix: Test Suite).

The appendix provides additional documentation, including the severity matrix used to classify vulnerabilities within the Satori Sports smart contracts.

Overview

Satori Sports is a blockchain-based solution to allow monetisation of athletes' images in the form of Non-Fungible Tokens (NFTs). By using NFTs, fans are given opportunities to own digital collectibles of their favourite athletes. At the same time, Satori maintains an on-chain record of NFT sales' royalty distribution to specified parties, each with their own portions.

Satori utilises ERC-721 and ERC-1155 to generate NFTs. Royalties are stored separately in a Royalties contract, while configuration on how the royalty is distributed is stored in RoyaltiesConfig contract.

Satori handles off-chain payments separately from the on-chain components. The royalties owed to related entities are stored on-chain and are cleared once payments are made. Most of the smart contract operations are handled by Satori as the contract owner.



Security Assessment Summary

This review was conducted on the files hosted on the Satori Sports repository and were assessed at commit a5022db.

Specifically, the files in scope are as follows:

- Token1155.sol
- TokenCollectibles721.sol
- TokenFactory721.sol
- TokenFactory1155.sol

- TokenRoyalties.sol
- TokenRoyaltiesHandler.sol
- Royalties.sol
- RoyaltiesConfig.sol

Note: the OpenZeppelin libraries and dependencies were excluded from the scope of this assessment.

The manual code review section of the report is focused on identifying any and all issues/vulnerabilities associated with the business logic implementation of the contracts. This includes their internal interactions, intended functionality and correct implementation with respect to the underlying functionality of the Ethereum Virtual Machine (for example, verifying correct storage/memory layout). Additionally, the manual review process focused on all known Solidity anti-patterns and attack vectors. These include, but are not limited to, the following vectors: re-entrancy, front-running, integer overflow/underflow and correct visibility specifiers. For a more thorough, but non-exhaustive list of examined vectors, see [?, ?].

To support this review, the testing team used the following automated testing tools:

- Mythril: https://github.com/ConsenSys/mythril
- Slither: https://github.com/trailofbits/slither
- Surya: https://github.com/ConsenSys/surya

Output for these automated tools is available upon request.

Findings Summary

The testing team identified a total of 7 issues during this assessment. Categorised by their severity:

- Critical: 1 issue.
- High: 1 issue.
- Low: 1 issue.
- Informational: 4 issues.



Detailed Findings

This section provides a detailed description of the vulnerabilities identified within the Satori Sports smart contracts. Each vulnerability has a severity classification which is determined from the likelihood and impact of each issue by the matrix given in the Appendix: Vulnerability Severity Classification.

A number of additional properties of the contracts, including gas optimisations, are also described in this section and are labelled as "informational".

Each vulnerability is also assigned a status:

- Open: the issue has not been addressed by the project team.
- **Resolved:** the issue was acknowledged by the project team and updates to the affected contract(s) have been made to mitigate the related risk.
- Closed: the issue was acknowledged by the project team but no further actions have been taken.



Summary of Findings

ID	Description	Severity	Status
SAT-01	Strict Equality Causes Token Purchase Failure	Critical	Open
SAT-02	Abritrary Users Can Manipulate Profit Calculations	High	Open
SAT-03	Large Entities Array May Revert During purchaseToken()	Low	Open
SAT-04	Token Purchase Behaviour Subject to Single Point of Failure	Informational	Open
SAT-05	Owner's Excessive Access Control on Royalties Contract	Informational	Open
SAT-06	Inefficient Operation of Tokens with Pending Payment	Informational	Open
SAT-07	Miscellaneous General Comments	Informational	Open

SAT-01	Strict Equality Causes Token Purchase Failure		
Asset	TokenRoyaltiesHandler.sol		
Status	Open		
Rating	Severity: Critical	Impact: High	Likelihood: High

The purchased() function in TokenRoyaltiesHandler.sol splits the payment made from an NFT sale and divides it amongst the entities according to the percentages allocated in royaltiesBPS. Under certain circumstances, it is possible for users to submit an order with Satori, and have the payment correctly processed, but the delivery of the NFT fail due to strict equality checks.

As can be seen on line [22] in the code block below, the external royalties contract is updated to reflect the share of NFT purchaseCost. The following require statement on line [26] then checks that this calculation has been performed correctly and that the calculated totalPaid sums to the purchaseCost.

This require statement acts as an invariant check. However, the strict equality (using operator ==) will fail under certain circumstances due to the calculation performed on line [20]. If the cfg.getRoyaltiesConfiguration().royaltiesBPS[i] * purchaseCost is not a direct multiple of 10000 the resultant owned will be rounded down. Any rounding errors will cause the require(totalPaid == purchaseCost) to fail, effectively preventing any calls to Token._transferPendingToOwner() from finalising. This stops the user from actually becoming the owner of the purchased tokens.

Recommendations

The testing team recommends avoiding strict equalities in this instance. If the require statement is aimed at ensuring the amount of funds paid for the purchaseToken() does not exceed the amount paid to individual entities, then it may be worth considering the following assertion instead:

```
require(purchaseCost >= totalPaid, "Royalties payment not calculated correctly");
```

Additionally, most tests are written as follows: expect(event.args[1]).equal(ethers.utils.parseEther("1")); which only validate royalties payment for very simple purchases. The testing team recommends writing more complex scenarios to ensure that edge cases such as the one discussed here are well accounted for.

SAT-02	Abritrary Users Can Manipulate Profit Calculations		
Asset	TokenFactory1155.sol, TokenFactory721.sol, Royalties.sol		
Status	Open		
Rating	Severity: High	Impact: High	Likelihood: Medium

The Royalties contract tracks royalties earned by stakeholders during the sale of an athlete's collectibles. This calculation is based on a set RoyaltiesConfig which requires a set of addresses corresponding to entities that take a share by percentage (royaltiesBPS) of the NFT sale in Token1155.purchaseToken() and TokenCollectibles721.purchaseToken().

The protocol makes several critical assumptions with regards to access control, some of which can be bypassed to impact profit calculations, as follows:

- 1. Satori System Administrator is the only user who can mint new athlete tokens and complete token purchases. Therefore, the System Administrator is the only user who can directly impact the royalties calculation of an entity.
- 2. Royalties are calculated upon successful purchase (credit card payments) and notification by Satori (indicated by the onlyOwner modifier in function purchaseToken() of Token1155 and TokenCollectibles721 contracts).
- 3. Satori will hold the custody of these tokens and manage the users' credit card transactions and purchases of these tokens.

These assumptions have several unaccounted edge cases:

TokenFactory1155.createToken(IRoyalties _royalties) accepts any Royalties contract input parameter. As the TokenFactory1155 contract has the permissions needed to execute _royalties.grantRoyaltiesTo(address(proxy)), anyone who creates a token has the role type ROYALTIES_ROLE. Anyone who holds this role has the ability to impact the profit calculation of all deployments of the Royalties contract. As there is no access control on the createToken() function, any arbitrary user is capable of impacting any royalties calculated by the Satori smart contracts.

Token owners are able to settle payment transactions off-chain and declare the purchase has been completed via the purchaseToken() function. Since anyone can create a token, anyone can make claims that payments have been settled. A malicious user could make these claims even when assets have not been successfully purchased and paid for.

Satori may act as the custodian for some tokens and manage users transactions, but this custodianship is not all-encompassing as some tokens can be created without any vetting from Satori.

Proof of Concept

1. TokenA is created and then minted, with a normal pricePerToken that reflects 1 USDC per token by a vetted athlete or their custodian (ie Satori may do this on behalf of an athlete). The royalties of TokenA is tracked using RoyaltiesA

- 2. An attacker (arbitrary user) creates an unvetted and unapproved TokenB through TokenFactory.createToken(). This TokenB points back to the royalties contract that tracks royalties for TokenA, namely RoyaltiesA. The attacker that is the owner of TokenB then mints tokens that have an arbitrarily high value 1M USDC.
- 3. The attacker purchases their own token, namely TokenB, by calling TokenB.purchaseToken() with _pendingPayment=false. Through this transaction, the attacker manipulates the RoyaltiesA and increases royaltiesOwed.rollupTotal of all related parties in the royalties configuration.

Note: As long as they are part of the entities in the original royalties contract they will earn a share of this fake sale. This is not a requirement however, malicious users who are not entities can use the same attack vector just to manipulate profit calculations.

Recommendations

If arbitrary users are not supposed to impact the royalties calculation of any Royalties contract, they should not be able to create and mint tokens. The testing team recommends providing stricter access control for the TokenFactory.createToken(), for example, by using the OwnableUpgradeable library on the factory contract and adding the modifier onlyOwner on createToken(). Likewise, tokens owned by separate users should not impact royalty calculations unexpectedly for another user.



SAT-03	Large Entities Array May Revert During purchaseToken()		
Asset	RoyaltiesConfig.sol, TokenRoyaltiesHandler.sol		
Status	Open		
Rating	Severity: Low	Impact: Low	Likelihood: Low

The RoyaltiesConfig.sol contract manages the configuration of payment allocation to each entity during an NFT sale. The TokenRoyalties.sol library then validates that the amount of royalties matches the expected configured amount from RoyaltiesConfig.sol.

Due to a discrepancy in gas usage between these two contracts, it is possible to initialise a Token1155 or TokenCollectibles721 contract and facilitate the purchase of tokens where payment finalisation is still pending. When payment finalisation occurs, the increased gas cost usage in TokenRoyaltiesHandler.purchased() will cause the transaction to revert. This effectively prevents any finalisation of purchased tokens, when the entity array exceeds a certain value (this was determined to be roughly 20-40 entities depending on gas usage limits).

We illustrate the discrepancy below:

The following snippet is extracted from RoyaltiesConfig.sol, here we can see a simple calculation which checks that the percentage of allocated shares given to each entity is exactly 100%.

```
for (uint256 i = 0; i < _royalties.royaltiesBPS.length; ++i) {
    bps += _royalties.royaltiesBPS[i];
}
require(bps == 10000, "Royalties config must add up to 10000 (100.00\%)");</pre>
```

Below we see the code snippet from TokenRoyaltiesHandler.sol. Here we notice several additional calculations, along with external calls which all result in considerably larger gas usage.

Recommendations

The testing team recommends setting an upper bound for the number of entities. This should prevent inconsistent states where the system appears to be functional but cannot process token purchases successfully.

SAT-04	Token Purchase Behaviour Subject to Single Point of Failure	
Asset	Token1155.sol, TokenCollectibles721.sol	
Status	Open	
Rating	Informational	

Currently there are no access control restrictions on token creation, therefore any user can be the owner of a Token1155 or TokenCollectibles721 contract. The expectation from the testing team based on information provided from the development team, is that regular usage of the Satori smart contracts would typically have Satori as the custodian of the smart contracts. However, in both situations, errors can occur during token purchasing that may render the Token1155 and TokenCollectibles721 irretrievable.

Token purchasing is handled in two parts and managed by the <code>onlyOwner</code> role (the same user who created the token initially). The first part of the process is managed by <code>purchaseToken()</code> where the <code>onlyOwner</code> designates whether the payment has been finalised. If payment has been finalised, then no the tokens are transferred straight from the owner to the purchaser. However, if the payment is marked as <code>_pendingPayment = true</code>, then the amount is allocated to the <code>Token1155</code> or <code>TokenCollectibles721</code> contract.

Once the payment has been completed, the owner can then use the transferPendingToOwner() function to specify whether to transfer the withheld tokens back to the contract owner, or whether to transfer them user who purchased the token. The assumption is that failed payment transfers will be refunded back to the contract owner, and successfully finalised payments will be forwarded to the relevant user.

This process has several drawbacks:

- 1. The owner can recall token purchases that have been successfully paid off chain, whilst claiming they have not been paid.
- 2. The owner is able to ignore valid token purchases.

Recommendations

At this stage anyone is able to use the TokenFactory.createToken() function, therefore some users might mistakenly create their own tokens. This may increase the likelihood that token sales are mismanaged or errors are introduced. Make sure this behaviour is understood and risks are minimised (e.g. through adding access control mechanisms to token creation).

SAT-05	Owner's Excessive Access Control on Royalties Contract	
Asset	Royalties.sol	
Status	Open	
Rating	Informational	

The Royalties contract's main function is to record royalties owed to entities regarding the sales of collectibles. The role of recording royalties data is performed by entities assigned with ROYALTIES_ROLE. In normal circumstances, the entities with this role are Token1155 and TokenCollectibles721 contracts. These contracts are granted ROYALTIES_ROLE by their respective factory contracts.

However, the owner of the Royalties contract also has ROYALTIES_ROLE by default. This is a potential centralisation concern, since the owner can directly update the royalties owed to entities by calling the recordRoyalties() function.

Recommendations

To improve the system's accountability and transparency, the testing team recommends that the owner of the contract should not have access to function recordRoyalties(). This means removing ROYALTIES_ROLE from the permissions granted to the owner. The role is assigned to the owner on line [67].

The case described above is just one example of what the owner can do on Royalties contract. The owner can also revoke or grant the ROYALTIES_ROLE from or to any entities. Not only that, the owner can also grant and revoke any roles to any entities of their preference.

The testing team understands that without the owner's role-granting power (using the grantRole() function derived from AccessControlUpgradeable library), there would be a circular reference between the Royalties contract and the factory contracts. This is because Royalties contract must grant OPERATOR_ROLE to factory contracts (in order to grant ROYALTIES_ROLE to the created contracts), while the factory contracts take Royalties as an input when creating tokens.

The development team may also want to reserve the role to address potential future security issues.

The testing team recommends exercising caution over the private key management of the owner account to prevent unauthorised access.



SAT-06	Inefficient Operation of Tokens with Pending Payment	
Asset	TokenRoyalties.sol, TokenCollectibles721.sol, Token1155.sol	
Status	Open	
Rating	Informational	

The system allows for a purchaser to acquire a token with a pending payment. In this case, the system potentially conducts two transactions to finalise the purchase:

- 1. When the purchase order is received (and while the payment is still *pending*), the owner transfers the token ownership to the contract.
- 2. When the payment is cleared, the owner transfers the token to the purchaser. Otherwise, the token is reclaimed to the owner.

This method may be inefficient because it requires two transactions as described above. The owner (Satori) risks wasting transaction fees if payment is never cleared, because the token needs to be reclaimed to re-sell. Satori may also suffer potential loss if the purchase is cancelled because other buyers might be interested in acquiring the collectibles while the tokens are temporarily held by the contract.

Recommendations

Make sure this behaviour is understood. The testing team recommends not transferring tokens before payment is finalised.

SAT-07	Miscellaneous General Comments	
Asset	contracts/*	
Status	Open	
Rating	Informational	

This section details miscellaneous findings discovered by the testing team that do not have direct security implications:

1. Token1155.sol

1a) _tokenIdTracker increments unnecessarily during initialisation

line [48] increments _tokenIdTracker unnecessarily. Instead of incrementing, the contract should directly assign a default value of 1.

1b) Does not implement transfer-accept-ownership pattern.

The current transfer of ownership pattern calls the function transferOwnership(address newOwner) (inherited from OpenZeppelin's OwnableUpgradeable contract), which instantly changes the owner to the newOwner. This allows the current owner of the contracts to set an arbitrary address (excluding the O address). If the address is entered incorrectly or set to an unowned address, the owner role of the contract is lost forever.

This issue can be mitigated by implementing a two-step process transferOwnership, whereby a new owner address is selected, then the selected address must call a claimOwnership() before the owner is changed.

1c) Unused variable _target

The _transferPendingToOwner() function overrides the parent TokenRoyalties._transferPendingToOwner() virtual function. However the _target variable appears to be unused and unnecessary.

1d) Important functions do not fire events

For convenience, it is recommended to add events to all important, state-changing functions such as mintToken() and _transferPendingToOwner().

1e) Possible Redundant RoyaltiesConfig.isValid()

There is a possible redundant check on the isValid() function which is called in Token1155.sol on line [147-148]:

```
_royaltiesConfig.isValid() 88
!_royaltiesConfig.isEmpty(),
```

This function checks royaltiesCfg.entities.length == royaltiesCfg.royaltiesBPS.length . However, the same check is already done in function initialize() in RoyaltiesConfig.sol. Assuming that RoyaltiesConfig contract is initialized, then this redundant check can be safely removed. Also, since the snippet above is inside the function mintToken() with the onlyOwner modifier, mistakes in RoyaltiesConfig are unlikely unless the owner behaves maliciously.

2. TokenRoyaltiesHandler.sol

Event emitted during for-loop

The code on line [23] emits an event inside a for-loop. As the emission of events costs substantial gas, the testing team recommends moving the event outside the for loop and providing a more meaningful event for the overall execution of the function itself (not the individual for loop events). With a simple use case of three entities, the gas savings in Token1155.purchaseToken() is estimated to be 44403 units.

Royalties.sol

3a) Redundant RoyaltiesObj.entity

The structure RoyaltiesObj is used in mapping(address => RoyaltiesObj) public royaltiesOwed; (line [30]). The mapping royaltiesOwed already contains the entity address as a key. The same information is stored in the RoyaltiesObj structure (line [109]), namely RoyaltiesObj.entity. Since the RoyaltiesObj.entity structure is not used anywhere else, it can be safely removed.

3b) Keyword totalUSDCPaid might be misleading

The notes received by the testing team as quoted below indicates that USDC is not used in the system: We are no longer using USDC in the platform (no treasury). All royalty payments are made off-chain based on the royalty calculations recorded on-chain

However, USDC is still mentioned in the Royalties contract on at least five occurences. For example, line [35] specifies the use of the totalUSDCPaid variable in event RoyaltiesRecorded, variable totalUSDC in the recordRoyalties() function, and an in-line comment in line [94]. This might confuse royalty receivers if the royalty is not in USDC or equivalent.

3c) Royalties ownership management

The Royalties contract relies on the owner to update royalties owed to specific entities after payments are made to the entities through the <code>claimRoyalties()</code> function. However, the owner can renounce ownership by calling the <code>renounceOwnership()</code> function, either by mistake or intentionally. If this occurs, the contract loses the capability of updating royalties information on the contract permanently.

The testing team recommends disabling the renounceOwnership() function to avoid such scenario.

4. TokenRoyalties.sol

Improving variable type on pendingPayments

Variable pendingPayments is a two-dimensional mapping of address to uint256 to uint256 as specified in line [16]:

```
mapping(address => mapping(uint256 => uint256)) public pendingPayments;
```

This variable stores pending payments of a purchaser to a token. Based on the current implementation, each record in pendingPayments will only have a value of either zero or one. In this case, the mapping pendingPayments can be modified to store bool which becomes the following:

```
mapping(address => mapping(uint256 => bool)) public pendingPayments;
```

Our test shows 97 gas saving when using bool instead of uint256. Not only for gas efficiency, this modification can also simplify the contract logic, for example on line [32] and line [41] of TokenRoyalties.sol or on line [71-72] of TokenCollectibles.sol.

TokenCollectibles721.sol, Token1155.sol

Potentially confusing balanceOf()

Naturally, the balanceOf() function returns the number of tokens owned by an account. However, in TokenCollectibles721 and Token1155 contracts, the function balanceOf() also takes into account purchased tokens with a pending payment. This is a potentially confusing behaviour, because there is no guarantee that the payment is cleared which allows the purchasers to have full control over the tokens. In the current implementation, tokens with pending payment are held by the token contract and not the purchasers' account.

RoyaltiesConfig.sol

Unmodifiable RoyaltiesBPS

Contract RoyaltiesConfig stores information about how NFT sales royalties are distributed among related entities, namely the addresses and percentages. The contract does not support changes or modifications to the configuration, such that TokenCollectibles721 or Token1155 contracts created through their respective factory contracts have permanent royalty distribution configuration. On the other hand, athletes' circumstances may change, which affect the royalty distribution of their NFTs.

Make sure this behaviour is intended.

Recommendations

Ensure that the comments are understood and acknowledged, and consider implementing the suggestions above.



Appendix A Test Suite

A non-exhaustive list of tests were constructed to aid this security review and are provided alongside this document. The brownie framework was used to perform these tests and the output is given below.

```
test_init
                                                                PASSED
                                                                              [3%]
test_grantRoyaltiesTo
                                                                PASSED [6%]
test_recordRoyalties_claimRoyalties PASSED [10%]
                                         PASSED [17%]
test_renounceOwnership
test_access_control
test_royalties_gas_exhaustion SKIPPED [20%] test_invalid_royalties PASSED [24%]
                                                            PASSED [27%]
test mintToken
test_purchaseToken PASSED [27%]
test_purchaseToken PASSED [31%]
test_token_transfers PASSED [34%]
test_batch_transfer PASSED [37%]
test_token_implementation_upgrade PASSED [41%]
test_token_purchase_failure XFAIL (Royal
test_token_transfer_attack PASSED [48%]
test_token_royalty_attack PASSED [51%]
test_initialize PASSED [55%]
                                                                               (Royaltie...)[
                                                            PASSED
PASSED
{\tt test\_upgradeTo}
                                                                               [58%]
test_upgradeToAndCall PASSED [62%]
test_upgradeToAndCall PASSED [62%]
test_renounceOwnership PASSED [65%]
test_purchaseToken_royalties PASSED [68%]
test_721_mintMultipleTokens PASSED [72%]
test_721_mintMultipleTokens_multi PASSED [75%]
test_721_purchaseToken
                                                                PASSED
                                                                               [79%]
test_721_token_implementation_upgrade PASSED
                                                                               [82%]
test_init
                                                                PASSED
                                                                              [86%]
test_721_purchaseToken_pending_multi PASSED
                                                                               [89%]
                                                               PASSED
test createToken
                                                                               [93%]
test_token_implementation_initialize PASSED [96%]
test_createToken_check
                                                               PASSED [100%]
```



Appendix B Vulnerability Severity Classification

This security review classifies vulnerabilities based on their potential impact and likelihood of occurance. The total severity of a vulnerability is derived from these two metrics based on the following matrix.



Table 1: Severity Matrix - How the severity of a vulnerability is given based on the *impact* and the *likelihood* of a vulnerability.



