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Introduction

<u>SolidProof.io</u> is a brand of the officially registered company Future Visions Deutschland. We're mainly focused on Blockchain Security, such as Smart Contract Audits and KYC verification for project teams.

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Project Overview

Summary

| Project Name | Dephaser |
|-------------------|---|
| Website | https://dephaser.com/ |
| About the project | DePhaser is a leading DeFi platform allowing users to exchange USDT for JPYT- a stablecoin pegged 1:1 to the Japanese Yen (¥) using a reliable external oracle. JPYT is fully backed by USDT deposits, ensuring transparency and stability, supported by USDT's strong reputation. |
| Chain | Optimism |
| Language | Solidity |
| Codebase Link | DephaserJPY Token: https://optimistic.etherscan.io/address/ oxc47da4cb96ce65a96844a01bfae509f9d5454534#code USDT Deposit Manager Proxy: https://optimistic.etherscan.io/address/ Oxb46aaeeb63aa3c41728f348e06d8c4db7c5ee9f5#code |
| Commit | N/A |
| Unit Tests | Not Provided |

Social Medias

| Telegram | https://t.me/DePhaser |
|-----------|---------------------------------------|
| Twitter | https://x.com/DePhaser_JPYT |
| Facebook | N/A |
| Instagram | N/A |
| Github | N/A |
| Reddit | N/A |
| Medium | N/A |
| Discord | https://discord.com/invite/vfbced9PjN |
| Youtube | N/A |
| TikTok | N/A |
| LinkedIn | N/A |

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Audit Summary

| Version | Delivery Date | Changelog |
|---------|------------------|--|
| v1.0 | 09. October 2024 | Layout ProjectAutomated- /Manual-Security TestingSummary |
| v1.1 | 16. October 2024 | Reaudit |

Note - The following audit report presents a comprehensive security analysis of the smart contract utilized in the project that includes malicious outside manipulation of the contract's functions. This analysis did not include functional testing (or unit testing) of the contracts logic. We cannot guarantee 100% logical correctness of the contract as we did not functionally test it. This includes internal calculations in the formulae used in the contract.



File Overview

The Team provided us with the files that should be tested in the security assessment. This audit covered the following files listed below with an SHA-1 Hash.

| File Name | SHA-1 Hash |
|------------------------|--|
| UsdtDepositManager.sol | 9gd67bb406cf04a22bghfty625fcb0732ghf6789 |
| DephaserJPY.sol | 78ba2f017de71b9d5b7082c91e30986df28bb394 |

Please note: Files with a different hash value than in this table have been modified after the security check, either intentionally or unintentionally. A different hash value may (but need not) indicate a changed state or potential vulnerability that was not the subject of this scan.



Imported packages

Used code from other Frameworks/Smart Contracts (direct imports).

| Dependency / Import Path | Count |
|--|-------|
| @openzeppelin/contracts-upgradeable/access/AccessControlUpgradeable.sol | 1 |
| @openzeppelin/contracts-upgradeable/proxy/utils/Initializable.sol | 1 |
| @openzeppelin/contracts-upgradeable/proxy/utils/UUPSUpgradeable.sol | 1 |
| @openzeppelin/contracts-upgradeable/utils/ReentrancyGuardUpgradeable.sol | 1 |
| @openzeppelin/contracts/access/AccessControl.sol | 1 |
| @openzeppelin/contracts/access/extensions/AccessControlEnumerable.sol | 1 |
| @openzeppelin/contracts/token/ERC20/ERC20.sol | 1 |
| @openzeppelin/contracts/token/ERC20/extensions/ERC20Permit.sol | 1 |
| @openzeppelin/contracts/token/ERC20/utils/SafeERC20.sol | 1 |
| @openzeppelin/contracts/utils/math/Math.sol | 1 |
| @src/constants/NumericConstants.sol | 1 |
| @src/constants/RoleConstants.sol | 1 |
| @src/interfaces/external/IAggregatorV3.sol | 1 |
| @src/interfaces/external/IERC20MintableBurnable.sol | 1 |
| @src/interfaces/external/IERC20PermitMinimal.sol | 1 |
| @src/interfaces/external/IPool.sol | 1 |
| @src/interfaces/internal/IDepositManager.sol | 1 |

Note for Investors: We only audited contracts mentioned in the scope above. All contracts related to the project apart from that are not a part of the audit, and we cannot comment on its security and are not responsible for it in any way



Audit Information

Vulnerability & Risk Level

Risk represents the probability that a certain source threat will exploit vulnerability and the impact of that event on the organization or system. The risk Level is computed based on CVSS version 3.0.

| Level | Value | Vulnerability | Risk (Required Action) |
|---------------|---------|---|---|
| Critical | 9 - 10 | A vulnerability that can disrupt the contract functioning in a number of scenarios, or creates a risk that the contract may be broken. | Immediate action to reduce risk level. |
| High | 7 – 8.9 | A vulnerability that affects the desired outcome when using a contract, or provides the opportunity to use a contract in an unintended way. | Implementation of corrective actions as soon aspossible. |
| Medium | 4 – 6.9 | A vulnerability that could affect the desired outcome of executing the contract in a specific scenario. | Implementation of corrective actions in a certain period. |
| Low | 2 – 3.9 | A vulnerability that does not have a significant impact on possible scenarios for the use of the contract and is probably subjective. | Implementation of certain corrective actions or accepting the risk. |
| Informational | 0 – 1.9 | A vulnerability that have informational character but is not effecting any of the code. | An observation that does not determine a level of risk |



Auditing Strategy and Techniques Applied

Throughout the review process, care was taken to check the repository for security-related issues, code quality, and compliance with specifications and best practices. To this end, our team of experienced pen-testers and smart contract developers reviewed the code line by line and documented any issues discovered.

We check every file manually. We use automated tools only so that they help us achieve faster and better results.

Methodology

The auditing process follows a routine series of steps:

- 1. Code review that includes the following:
 - a. Review the specifications, sources, and instructions provided to SolidProof to ensure we understand the smart contract's size, scope, and functionality.
 - b. Manual review of the code, i.e., reading the source code line by line to identify potential vulnerabilities.
 - c. Comparison to the specification, i.e., verifying that the code does what is described in the specifications, sources, and instructions provided to SolidProof.
- 2. Testing and automated analysis that includes the following:
 - a. Test coverage analysis determines whether test cases cover code and how much code is executed when those test cases are executed.
 - b. Symbolic execution is analysing a program to determine what inputs cause each part of a program to execute.
- 3. Review best practices, i.e., smart contracts to improve efficiency, effectiveness, clarity, maintainability, security, and control based on best practices, recommendations, and research from industry and academia.
- 4. Concrete, itemized and actionable recommendations to help you secure your smart contracts.



Overall Security

Upgradeability

| The contract is upgradeable | ★ The deployer can update the contract with new functionalities |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Description | The deployer can replace the old contract with a new one with new features. Be aware of this, because the owner can add new features that may have a negative impact on your investments. |
| Example | We assume that you have funds in the contract and it has been audited by any security audit firm. Now the audit has passed. After that, the deployer can upgrade the contract to allow him to transfer the funds you purchased without any approval from you. This has the consequence that your funds can be taken by the creator. |
| Comment | The deployer of the contract can upgrade and deploy a new version of the contract. |

File/Line(s): L89-118

Codebase: UsdtDepositManager.sol

```
unction initialize(
   address defaultAdmin↑,
   address pausert,
   address operator 1,
   address aavePoolAddress 1,
   address depositTokenAddress↑,
   address depositTokenUsdPriceFeedAddress1,
   address jpyTokenAddress↑,
  address jpyUsdPriceFeedAddress 1, uint256 initialCooldownBlocks 1
   initializer
  __AccessControl_init();
__UUPSUpgradeable_init();
   __ReentrancyGuard_init();
   __Pausable_init();
  _grantRole(DEFAULT_ADMIN_ROLE, defaultAdmin 1);
  _grantRole(PAUSER_ROLE, pauser1);
  _grantRole(OPERATOR_ROLE, operator 1);
_grantRole(UNPAUSER_ROLE, defaultAdmin 1);
  _setCooldownBlocks(initialCooldownBlocks 1);
  _setPriceFeed(jpyTokenAddress1, jpyUsdPriceFeedAddress1);
_setPriceFeed(depositTokenAddress1, depositTokenUsdPriceFeedAddress1);
   // these variables must be immutable
   aavePool = IPool(aavePoolAddress1);
   depositToken = IERC20(depositTokenAddress1);
   jpyToken = IERC20MintableBurnable(jpyTokenAddress↑);
   aaveWrappedDepositToken = IERC20(IPool(aavePoolAddress†).getReserveData(depositTokenAddress†).aTokenAddress);
```



Ownership

| The ownership is not renounced | The owner has not renounced ownership |
|--------------------------------|--|
| Description | The owner has not renounced the ownership that means that the owner retains control over the contract's operations, including the ability to execute functions that may impact the contract's users or stakeholders. This can lead to several potential issues, including: • Centralizations • The owner has significant control over contract's operations |
| Example | We assume that you have funds in the contract and it has been audited by any security audit firm. Now the audit has passed. After that, the deployer can upgrade the contract to allow him to transfer the funds you purchased without any approval from you. This has the consequence that your funds can be taken by the creator. |
| Comment | N/A |

Note - If the contract is not deployed then we would consider the ownership to be not renounced. Moreover, if there are no ownership functionalities then the ownership is automatically considered renounced.



Ownership Privileges

These functions can be dangerous. Please note that abuse can lead to financial loss. We have a guide where you can learn more about these Functions.

Minting tokens

Minting tokens refers to the process of creating new tokens in a cryptocurrency or blockchain network. This process is typically performed by the project's owner or designated authority, who can add new tokens to the network's total supply.

| The contract owner can mint new tokens | X The owner can mint new tokens |
|--|--|
| Description | Owners who have the ability to mint new tokens can reward themselves or other stakeholders, who can then sell the newly minted tokens on a cryptocurrency exchange to raise funds. However, there is a risk that the owner may abuse this power, leading to a decrease in trust and credibility in the project or platform. If stakeholders perceive that the owner is using their power to mint new tokens unfairly or without transparency, it can result in decreased demand for the token and a reduction in its value. |
| Example | If investors drive up the token price, the owner may choose to mint new tokens and sell them on a cryptocurrency exchange to raise funds. If the owner is not transparent and honest about their actions, they may be attempting a rugpull, where they suddenly abandon the project after raising funds, leaving investors with worthless tokens. This can lead to a decrease in the value of existing tokens, potentially rendering them worthless, and causing investors to suffer losses. It is essential for investors to carefully research the project and its developers and exercise caution before investing in any cryptocurrency or DeFi project. |
| Comment | The minter of the contract. Can mint an unlimited amount of tokens after the initial deployment which is not recommended as there must be a fixed supply present in the contract so that the supply of the tokens cannot be manipulated in the contract. |

File, Line/s: L46-48

Codebase: DephaserJPY.sol

```
function mint(address to 1, uint256 amount 1) external onlyRole(MINTER_ROLE) {
    _mint(to 1, amount 1);
}
```



Burning Tokens without Allowance

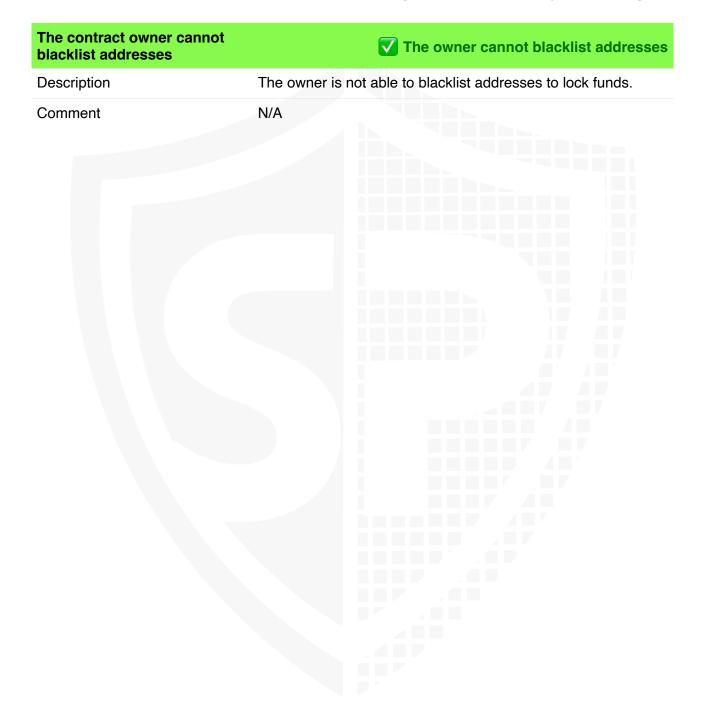
Burning tokens is the process of permanently destroying a certain number of tokens, reducing the total supply of a cryptocurrency or token. This is usually done to increase the value of the remaining tokens, as the reduced supply can create scarcity and potentially drive up demand.

| The contract owner cannot burn tokens | The owner cannot burn tokens |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| Description | The owner is not able burn tokens without any allowances. |
| Comment | N/A |



Blacklist addresses

Blacklisting addresses in smart contracts is the process of adding a certain address to a blacklist, effectively preventing them from accessing or participating in certain functionalities or transactions within the contract. This can be useful in preventing fraudulent or malicious activities, such as hacking attempts or money laundering.





Fees and Tax

In some smart contracts, the owner or creator of the contract can set fees for certain actions or operations within the contract. These fees can be used to cover the contract's cost, such as paying for gas fees or compensating the contract's owner for their time and effort in developing and maintaining the contract.

| The contract owner cannot levy high taxes. | The owner cannot levy unfair taxes |
|--|---|
| Description | The owner of the contract cannot levy high taxes in the contract. |
| Comment | The operator of the contract can update the fees up to 1%. |



Lock User Funds

In a smart contract, locking refers to the process of restricting access to certain tokens or assets for a specified period of time. When tokens or assets are locked in a smart contract, they cannot be transferred or used until the lock-up period has expired or certain conditions have been met.

| The contract owner cannot lock the contract | The owner cannot lock the contract | |
|---|---|--|
| Description | The owner is not able to lock the contract by any functions or by updating any variables. | |
| Comment | N/A N/A | |
| | | |



External/Public functions

External/public functions are functions that can be called from outside of a contract, i.e., they can be accessed by other contracts or external accounts on the blockchain. These functions are specified using the function declaration's external or public visibility modifier.

State variables

State variables are variables that are stored on the blockchain as part of the contract's state. They are declared at the contract level and can be accessed and modified by any function within the contract. State variables can be defined with a visibility modifier, such as public, private, or internal, which determines the access level of the variable.

Components

| Contracts | E Libraries | Unterfaces | Abstract |
|-----------|--------------------|-------------------|----------|
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Exposed Functions

This section lists functions that are explicitly declared public or payable. Please note that getter methods for public stateVars are not included.

| Public | S Payable |
|---------------|-----------|
| 22 | 0 |

| External | Internal | Private | Pure | View |
|----------|----------|---------|------|------|
| 15 | 34 | 0 | 1 | 7 |

StateVariables

| Total | Public |
|-------|---------------|
| 13 | 13 |



Capabilities

| Solidity Versions observed | | Trans ETH | fers | S Can Receive Funds | _ | Uses ssembl | HasDestroyableContracts |
|----------------------------------|----|-------------------|--------------|---------------------|---|----------------|---|
| 0.8.27 | | | | | | | |
| Transf ers | Le | w- vel Ills | Deleg ateCal | Uses Hash Functio | | ECRe cover | New/Create/Create2 |
| | | | | yes | | | |



Inheritance Graph

An inheritance graph is a graphical representation of the inheritance hierarchy among contracts. In object-oriented programming, inheritance is a mechanism that allows one class (or contract, in the case of Solidity) to inherit properties and methods from another class. It shows the relationships between different contracts and how they are related to each other through inheritance.





Centralization Privileges

Centralization can arise when one or more parties have privileged access or control over the contract's functionality, data, or decision-making. This can occur, for example, if a single entity controls the contract or if certain participants have special permissions or abilities that others do not.

In the project, some authorities have access to the following functions:

| File | Privileges | |
|------------------------|--|--|
| JPYTToken.sol | The minter can mint an unlimited amount of tokens after the initial deployment of token. The burner role can burn his tokens. The burner role can burn tokens from other wallet with allowance. | |
| UsdtDepositManager.sol | The operator can update the price feed address. The operator can update the cooldown blocks between 1 to 100. The operator can update the protocol fees upto 1%. The operator can withdraw the fee amount from the contract. The operator can withdraw the profit from the contract. | |

Recommendations

To avoid potential hacking risks, the client should manage the private key of the privileged account with care. Additionally, we recommend enhancing the security practices of centralized privileges or roles in the protocol through a decentralized mechanism or smart-contract-based accounts, such as multi-signature wallets.

Here are some suggestions of what the client can do:

- Consider using multi-signature wallets: Multi-signature wallets require multiple parties to sign off on a transaction before it can be executed, providing an extra layer of security, e.g. Gnosis Safe
- Use of a timelock at least with a latency of, e.g. 48-72 hours for awareness of privileged operations
- Introduce a DAO/Governance/Voting module to increase transparency and user involvement
- Consider Renouncing the ownership so that the owner can no longer modify any state variables of the contract. Make sure to set up everything before renouncing.



Audit Results

Critical issues

No critical issues

High issues

No high issues

Medium issues

#1 | The operator can lock claim.

| File | Severity | Location | Status |
|----------------------------|----------|----------|--------|
| UsdtDepositManager .sol | Medium | L357-368 | Fixed |

Description - The pause role can pause the withdrawal functionality from the contract for an indefinite period of time which is not recommended as this can lock the user funds and user will not be able to withdraw their tokens from the contract.

Alleviation - The functionality is removed from the contract. Hence, marking the issues to fixed.

Low issues

#1 | Missing Zero Address Validation

| File | Severity | Location | Status |
|----------------------------|----------|----------|--------|
| UsdtDepositManager .sol | Low | L307-309 | Fixed |

Description - Make sure to validate that the address passed in the function parameters is "non-zero".

Informational issues

No informational issues



Legend for the Issue Status

| Attribute or Symbol | Meaning |
|---------------------|--|
| Open | The issue is not fixed by the project team. |
| Fixed | The issue is fixed by the project team. |
| Acknowledged(ACK) | The issue has been acknowledged or declared as part of business logic. |





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