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Introduction

<u>SolidProof.io</u> is a brand of the officially registered company MAKE Network GmbH, based in Germany. We're mainly focused on Blockchain Security such as Smart Contract Audits and KYC verification for project teams. Solidproof.io assess potential security issues in the smart contracts implementations, review for potential inconsistencies between the code base and the whitepaper/documentation, and provide suggestions for improvement.

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Project Overview

Summary

Project Name	Stella Swap
Website	https://stellaswap.com/
About the project	N/A
Chain	Moonbeam
Language	Solidity
Codebase Link	Provided as Files (From Private Repo)
Commit	N/A
Unit Tests	Provided
Forked Status	The contracts for this audit are forked from LIDO Staking protocol. Original contracts can be found at: https://github.com/mixbytes/lido-dot-ksm/tree/main

Social Medias

Telegram	https://t.me/stellaswap
Twitter	https://twitter.com/StellaSwap
Facebook	N/A
Instagram	N/A
Github	N/A
Reddit	https://www.reddit.com/r/stellaswap
Medium	https://stellaswap.medium.com/
Discord	https://discord.stellaswap.com/
Youtube	N/A
TikTok	N/A
LinkedIn	N/A



Audit Summary

Version	Delivery Date	Changelog
v1.0	24. October 2023	Layout ProjectAutomated-/Manual-Security TestingSummary

Note - The following audit report presents a comprehensive security analysis of the smart contract utilised in the project. This analysis did not include functional testing (or unit testing) of the contract/s logic. We cannot guarantee 100% logical correctness of the contract as we did not functionally test it.



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
contracts/Ledger.sol	d95919fdce20171252e1d0b770bc72102aa274bd
contracts/OracleMaster.sol	2f9f17c3a94deb96a534c6c11e31da73ce1fcb20
contracts/Nimbus.sol	bcca7f92a285c5419230abfc5d4d2c41569222ad
contracts/AuthManager.sol	c44c88a24d544013483d297b5659caf50d7bfc85
contracts/Oracle.sol	095c4f7ea343d3eb7439ec16a14c289d9c723771
contracts/Withdrawal.sol	eb25b073e93119ed71b3d3aeaa3617c3eea48214
contracts/nTOKEN.sol	d8a3c3cf16c0693a98ade6caleb7b1278ff9eefd
contracts/Controller.sol	fbf699a39603d4ef9461224efc3edb8464da4940
contracts/LedgerFactory.sol	c944250e6fa151b1ae0e31557b0d9b682e85021e

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/proxy/Clones.sol	1
@openzeppelin/contracts/proxy/utils/Initializable.sol	4
@openzeppelin/contracts/security/Pausable.sol	2
@openzeppelin/contracts/token/ERC20/IERC20.sol	5
@openzeppelin/contracts/utils/math/SafeCast.sol	2

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. Reviewing the specifications, sources, and instructions provided to
 - SolidProof to ensure we understand the size, scope, and functionality of the smart contract.
 - 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, which is analysing a program to determine what inputs cause each part of a program to execute.
- 3. Review best practices, i.e., review 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

Contract is an upgradeable	★ 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	N/A



Ownership

The ownership is not renounced	X The owner is not renounce
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
Comment	N/A

Note - If the contract is not deployed, we would consider the ownership not renounced. Moreover, if there are no ownership functionalities, 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 refer 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 has the ability to add new tokens to the network's total supply.

Contract owner cannot mint new tokens	The owner cannot mint new token				
Description	The owner is not able to mint new tokens once the contract is deployed.				
Comment	N/A				



Burning tokens

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.

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Blacklist addresses

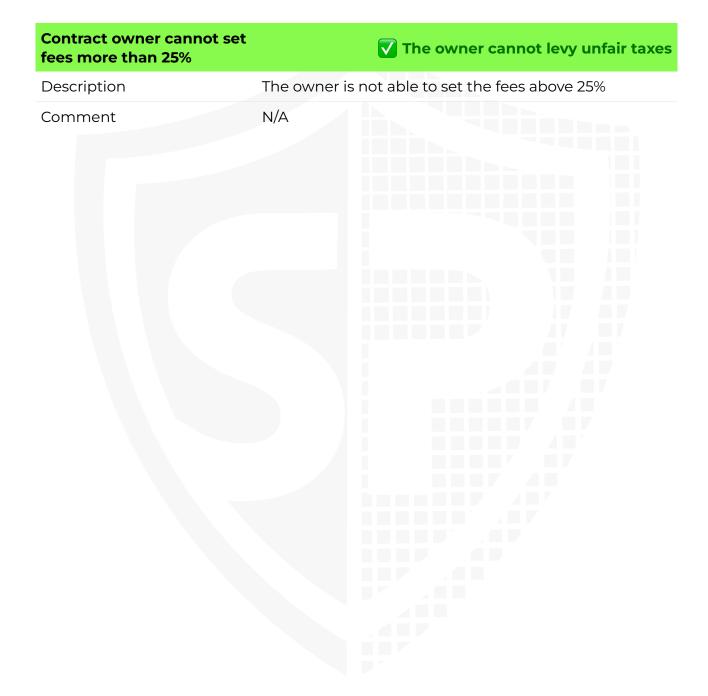
Blacklisting addresses in smart contracts is the process of adding a certain address to a blacklist, effectively preventing them from accessing or participating in certain functionalities or transactions within the contract. This can be useful in preventing fraudulent or malicious activities, such as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





Lock Functions

In a smart contract, locking refers to restricting access to certain functions or assets for a specified period. 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.

Contract owner can pause the pools	X The owner is able to pause the contract
Description	Locking the contract means that the owner is able to lock any funds or functionality of the contract.
Example	An example of locking is by pausing the contract. That causes that some or all functionalities of the contract are not useable anymore.
Comment	The pause manager address can pause the redeem and claim Unbonded functionality in the Nimbus contract



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	\Q Interfaces	Abstract
8	0	0	1

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	Begin block in the second of the second
108	0

External	Internal	Private	Pure	View
88	135	0	0	38

StateVariables

Total	Public
115	61



Capabilities

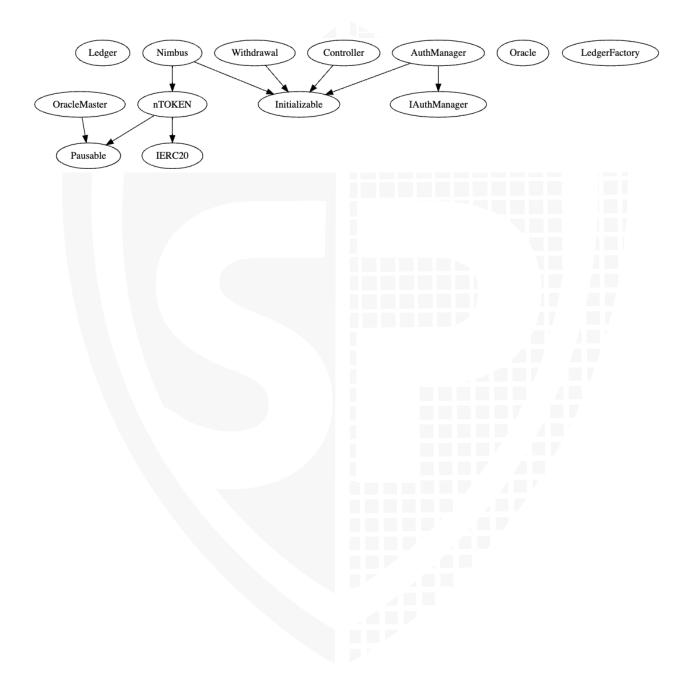
Solidity Versions observed	Transfers ETH	Can Receive Funds	Uses Assembl y	Has Destroyable Contracts
^0.8.0	Yes	Yes		





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.





Centralisation Privileges

Centralisation 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
1. Controller.sol	 ROLE_CONTROLLER_MANAGER Set max weight, Reverse Transfer Fee, and Transfer fee to an arbitrary value Set Hex parameters for encode Transfer onlyAdmin Set max root derivative index Set Nimbus Token Address only once
2. Nimbus.sol	 Ledger Manager Role Add a new ledger Disable or Remove a ledger Pause/Resume the functionality of a ledger Pause Manager address can pause/unpause the contract and set Deposit Cap (maximum deposit value) Fee Manager address can set treasury and developer fee value Spec Manager address can set Relay Chain Specification Beacon Manger address can set ledger beacon address and the max allowable difference for the oracle reports to an arbitrary value Treasure Role Address can update the treasury and developer addresses for fee receiving purpose The stake manager role address can nominate validators and target stash accounts
3. Oracle.sol	 Only Oracle Master Change Quorum Threshold Clear data about curent reporting

Recommendations

To avoid potential hacking risks, it is advisable for the client to manage the private key of the privileged account with care. Additionally, we



recommend enhancing the security practices of centralised privileges or roles in the protocol through a decentralized mechanism or smartcontract-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

No medium issues



Low issues

#1 | Missing Events

File	Severity	Location	Status
Controller	Low	L235—336	Open
Nimbus	Low	L294—326	Open

Description - Make sure to emit events for all the critical parameter changes in the contract to ensure the transparency and trackability of all the state variable changes.

Informational issues

#1 | Disable initializing

File	Severity	Location	Status
All	Informational	N/A	Open

Description

If the owner updates the contract, a disableInitializer call in the constructor must be implemented. This prevents calling the initialize function again to set the state variables in the contract. This should be implemented only if the contract was deployed before. Otherwise, the owner cannot call the initialize function to set the variables.

Recommendation

If the contract hasn't been deployed, remove the disableInitializer in the constructor. Otherwise, you are not able to initialize the contract. When the contract has a deployed version already, leave it as it is.

#2 | Floating Pragma

File	Severity	Location	Status
All	Informational	N/A	Open

Description - The contracts should be deployed with the same compiler version and flag that they have been tested thoroughly. Locking the pragma helps to ensure that contracts do not accidentally get deployed using other versions.

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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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