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Report Manifest

Item	Description
Client	Magpie
Target	Eigenpie Contracts

Version History

Version	Date	Description
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Chapter 1 Introduction

1.1 About Target Contracts

Information	Description
Type	Smart Contract
Language	Solidity
Approach	Semi-automatic and manual verification

The target of this audit is the code repository ¹ for the Eigenpie Contracts. Eigenpie is a sophisticated SubDAO crafted by Magpie ², designed to offer Liquid Restaking Services through the framework of EigenLayer.

The auditing process is iterative. Specifically, we will audit the commits that fix the discovered issues. If there are new issues, we will continue this process. The commit SHA values during the audit are shown in the following. Our audit report is responsible for the only initial version (i.e., [Version 1](#)), as well as new codes (in the following versions) to fix issues in the audit report.

Project		Commit SHA
Eigenpie Contracts	Version 1	ea28ff1d62c134e95d13bc064ecb71995a394033
	Version 2	ba43688f44f0a5498d690817bf503f9e1efd314e
	Version 3	7ca7638a2da93ab828b0cf91d1ab592612dda148

1.2 Disclaimer

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This audit report is not an endorsement of any particular project or team, and the report does not guarantee the security of any particular project. This audit does not give any warranties on discovering all security issues of the smart contracts, i.e., the evaluation result does not guarantee the nonexistence of any further findings of security issues. As one audit cannot be considered comprehensive, we always recommend proceeding with independent audits and a public bug bounty program to ensure the security of smart contracts.

The scope of this audit is limited to the code mentioned in Section 1.1. Unless explicitly specified, the security of the language itself (e.g., the solidity language), the underlying compiling toolchain and the computing infrastructure are out of the scope.

¹<https://github.com/magpiexyz/eigenpie>

²<https://www.magpiexyz.io/>

1.3 Procedure of Auditing

We perform the audit according to the following procedure.

- **Vulnerability Detection** We first scan smart contracts with automatic code analyzers, and then manually verify (reject or confirm) the issues reported by them.
- **Semantic Analysis** We study the business logic of smart contracts and conduct further investigation on the possible vulnerabilities using an automatic fuzzing tool (developed by our research team). We also manually analyze possible attack scenarios with independent auditors to cross-check the result.
- **Recommendation** We provide some useful advice to developers from the perspective of good programming practice, including gas optimization, code style, and etc.

We show the main concrete checkpoints in the following.

1.3.1 Software Security

- * Reentrancy
- * DoS
- * Access control
- * Data handling and data flow
- * Exception handling
- * Untrusted external call and control flow
- * Initialization consistency
- * Events operation
- * Error-prone randomness
- * Improper use of the proxy system

1.3.2 DeFi Security

- * Semantic consistency
- * Functionality consistency
- * Access control
- * Business logic
- * Token operation
- * Emergency mechanism
- * Oracle security
- * Whitelist and blacklist
- * Economic impact
- * Batch transfer

1.3.3 NFT Security

- * Duplicated item
- * Verification of the token receiver
- * Off-chain metadata security

1.3.4 Additional Recommendation

- * Gas optimization
- * Code quality and style



Note The previous checkpoints are the main ones. We may use more checkpoints during the auditing process according to the functionality of the project.

1.4 Security Model

To evaluate the risk, we follow the standards or suggestions that are widely adopted by both industry and academy, including OWASP Risk Rating Methodology ³ and Common Weakness Enumeration ⁴. The overall *severity* of the risk is determined by *likelihood* and *impact*. Specifically, likelihood is used to estimate how likely a particular vulnerability can be uncovered and exploited by an attacker, while impact is used to measure the consequences of a successful exploit.

In this report, both likelihood and impact are categorized into two ratings, i.e., *high* and *low* respectively, and their combinations are shown in Table 1.1.

Table 1.1: Vulnerability Severity Classification

Impact	High	High	Medium
	Low	Medium	Low
		High	Low
		Likelihood	

Accordingly, the severity measured in this report are classified into three categories: **High**, **Medium**, **Low**. For the sake of completeness, **Undetermined** is also used to cover circumstances when the risk cannot be well determined.

Furthermore, the status of a discovered item will fall into one of the following four categories:

- **Undetermined** No response yet.
- **Acknowledged** The item has been received by the client, but not confirmed yet.
- **Confirmed** The item has been recognized by the client, but not fixed yet.
- **Fixed** The item has been confirmed and fixed by the client.

³https://owasp.org/www-community/OWASP_Risk_Rating_Methodology

⁴<https://cwe.mitre.org/>

Chapter 2 Findings

In total, we find **two** potential issues. Besides, we also have **three** notes.

- Low Risk: 2
- Note: 3

ID	Severity	Description	Category	Status
1	Low	Potential failure to handle transfers of non-compliant ERC-20 tokens	Software Security	Fixed
2	Low	Potential grieving attack by donating to node delegator	Software Security	Acknowledged
4	-	Potential centralization risk	Note	-
5	-	Potential front-running risk	Note	-
6	-	Non-withdrawable shares are a feature by design	Note	-

The details are provided in the following sections.

2.1 Software Security

2.1.1 Potential failure to handle transfers of non-compliant ERC-20 tokens

Severity Low

Status Fixed in [Version 3](#)

Introduced by [Version 1](#)

Description In the current implementation, the [EigenpieStaking](#) and the [NodeDelegator](#) contracts directly call the [transfer](#) and [transferFrom](#) functions of ERC-20 tokens. However, if a token does not strictly follow the ERC-20 standard (for example, the USDT token), the check on the return value may fail. It is recommended to use the [SafeERC20](#) library provided by OpenZeppelin.

```
78  function transferBackToEigenpieStaking(  
79      address asset,  
80      uint256 amount  
81  )  
82      external  
83      whenNotPaused  
84      nonReentrant  
85      onlySupportedAsset(asset)  
86      onlyLRTManager  
87  {  
88      address eigenpieStaking = eigenpieConfig.getContract(EigenpieConstants.EIGENPIE_STAKING);  
89  
90      if (!IERC20(asset).transfer(eigenpieStaking, amount)) {  
91          revert TokenTransferFailed();  
92      }  
93  }
```

Listing 2.1: NodeDelegator.sol

```
193     function transferAssetToNodeDelegator(  
194         uint256 ndcIndex,  
195         address asset,  
196         uint256 amount  
197     )  
198     external  
199     nonReentrant  
200     onlyLRTManager  
201     onlySupportedAsset(asset)  
202     {  
203         address nodeDelegator = nodeDelegatorQueue[ndcIndex];  
204         if (!IERC20(asset).transfer(nodeDelegator, amount)) {  
205             revert TokenTransferFailed();  
206         }  
207     }
```

Listing 2.2: EigenpieStaking.sol

Impact Token transfers may fail due to tokens that do not strictly follow the ERC-20 standard.

Suggestion Use the [SafeERC20](#) library provided by OpenZeppelin.

2.1.2 Potential griefing attack by donating to node delegator

Severity Low

Status Acknowledged

Introduced by [Version 2](#)

Description In the [EigenpieStaking](#) contract, the amount of minted shares is determined by the deposit amount and the current exchange rate of the [receipt](#) token.

```
105     function getMLRTAmountToMint(  
106         address asset,  
107         uint256 amount  
108     )  
109     public  
110     view  
111     returns (uint256 mLRTEAmountToMint, address mLRTRceipt)  
112     {  
113         address receipt = eigenpieConfig.mLRTRceiptByAsset(asset);  
114  
115         uint256 rate = IMLRT(receipt).exchangeRateToLST();  
116  
117         return (amount * 1 ether / rate, receipt);  
118     }
```

Listing 2.3: EigenpieStaking.sol

However, this exchange rate is derived from the ratio of total deposits to the total supply of the [receipt](#) token within the [EigenpieStaking](#) contract.

```
57     function updateMLRTPrice(address asset) external {  
58         address mLRTRceipt = eigenpieConfig.mLRTRceiptByAsset(asset);
```



```
59     uint256 receiptSupply = IMLRT(mLRTReceipt).totalSupply();
60
61     if (receiptSupply == 0) {
62         IMLRT(mLRTReceipt).updateExchangeRateToLST(1 ether);
63         return;
64     }
65
66     address eigenStakingAddr = eigenpieConfig.getContract(EigenpieConstants.EIGENPIE_STAKING);
67     uint256 totalLST = IEigenpieStaking(eigenStakingAddr).getTotalAssetDeposits(asset);
68
69     uint256 exchangeRate = totalLST / receiptSupply;
70
71     _checkNewRate(mLRTReceipt, exchangeRate);
72
73     IMLRT(mLRTReceipt).updateExchangeRateToLST(exchangeRate);
74 }
```

Listing 2.4: PriceProvider.sol

```
53 function getTotalAssetDeposits(address asset) public view override returns (uint256
    totalAssetDeposit) {
54     (uint256 assetLyingInDepositPool, uint256 assetLyingInNDCs, uint256 assetStakedInEigenLayer
    ) =
55         getAssetDistributionData(asset);
56     return (assetLyingInDepositPool + assetLyingInNDCs + assetStakedInEigenLayer);
57 }
```

Listing 2.5: EigenpieStaking.sol

```
81 function getAssetDistributionData(address asset)
82     public
83     view
84     override
85     onlySupportedAsset(asset)
86     returns (uint256 assetLyingInDepositPool, uint256 assetLyingInNDCs, uint256
    assetStakedInEigenLayer)
87 {
88     assetLyingInDepositPool = IERC20(asset).balanceOf(address(this));
89
90     uint256 ndcsCount = nodeDelegatorQueue.length;
91     for (uint256 i; i < ndcsCount;) {
92         assetLyingInNDCs += IERC20(asset).balanceOf(nodeDelegatorQueue[i]);
93         assetStakedInEigenLayer += INodeDelegator(nodeDelegatorQueue[i]).getAssetBalance(asset)
    ;
94         unchecked {
95             ++i;
96         }
97     }
98 }
```

Listing 2.6: EigenpieStaking.sol

Consequently, a malicious user could potentially donate tokens to manipulate the exchange rate and carry out a *griefing attack*. In a worst-case scenario, users might be required to deposit an excessive

number of tokens to receive a mere 1 wei of shares. This could severely impair the contract's functionality and result in substantial losses for users.

Impact The design of the current share minting logic is subject to griefing attacks.

Suggestion Revise the share minting logic.

Feedback from the Project This issue can be avoided if the team seed some initial liquidity.

2.2 Notes

2.2.1 Potential centralization risk

Introduced by [Version 1](#)

Description There are some potential centralization risks in the project. Specifically, the manager of the [EigenpieStaking](#) contract is able to withdraw arbitrary assets and manage funds in permitted node delegators. Additionally, the node delegator array can be arbitrarily configured by the manager.

```
171     function transferAssetToNodeDelegator(  
172         uint256 ndcIndex,  
173         address asset,  
174         uint256 amount  
175     )  
176     external  
177     nonReentrant  
178     onlyLRTManager  
179     onlySupportedAsset(asset)  
180     {  
181         address nodeDelegator = nodeDelegatorQueue[ndcIndex];  
182         if (!IERC20(asset).transfer(nodeDelegator, amount)) {  
183             revert TokenTransferFailed();  
184         }  
185     }
```

Listing 2.7: EigenpieStaking.sol

```
51     function depositAssetIntoStrategy(address asset)  
52     external  
53     override  
54     whenNotPaused  
55     nonReentrant  
56     onlySupportedAsset(asset)  
57     onlyLRTManager  
58     {  
59         address strategy = eigenpieConfig.assetStrategy(asset);  
60         if (strategy == address(0)) {  
61             revert StrategyIsNotSetForAsset();  
62         }  
63  
64         IERC20 token = IERC20(asset);  
65         address eigenlayerStrategyManagerAddress = eigenpieConfig.getContract(EigenpieConstants.  
66             EIGEN_STRATEGY_MANAGER);
```

```
67     uint256 balance = token.balanceOf(address(this));
68
69     emit AssetDepositIntoStrategy(asset, strategy, balance);
70
71     IEigenStrategyManager(eigenlayerStrategyManagerAddress).depositIntoStrategy(IStrategy(
72         strategy), token, balance);
73 }
```

Listing 2.8: NodeDelegator.sol

Feedback from the Project All administration roles and owners for all the contracts will be governed by Multisig wallets.

2.2.2 Potential front-running risk

Introduced by [Version 2](#)

Description The `exchangeRateToLST` variable of a `receipt` token is updated periodically, which introduces the risk of front-running. If the exchange rates are updated to front-run user deposits, users are at risk of receiving fewer `receipt` tokens, potentially resulting in losses.

```
106 function updateExchangeRateToLST(uint256 _newRate) external onlyPriceProvider {
107     exchangeRateToLST = _newRate;
108
109     emit LSTExchangeRateUpdated(msg.sender, _newRate);
110 }
```

Listing 2.9: EigenpieStaking.sol

Feedback from the Project The team will use private rpc to avoid this kind of risk. Besides, the `minRec` parameter of the `depositAsset` function mitigates the problem.

2.2.3 Non-withdrawable shares are a feature by design

Introduced by [Version 1](#)

Description The `EigenpieStaking` contract mints shares for user deposits. The current implementation has no withdrawal mechanism to redeem the shares. This is an expected behavior.