Security Audit Report for Deal Contract

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Client	Deal.Art
Target	Deal Contract

Version History

Version	Date	Description
1.0	December 26, 2022	First Release
1.1	January 07, 2022	Second audit for new commits

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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 audit target is the *Deal contract* [1]. The auditing process is iterative. Specifically, we would 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 table. Our audit report is responsible for the code in the initial version (`Version 1`), as well as new code (in the following versions) to fix issues in the audit report. Note that, `Version 3` is the target of the second audit, while there exist some commits between `Version 2` and `Version 3`. For the sake of simplicity, the issues introduced before `Version 3` are aggregated to `Version 3` in this report.

Project	Version	Commit Hash
Deal Contract	`Version 1`	`8dec93b25ffc0eb6769998cdab063e73c1d26da8`
	`Version 2`	`250e1962531e72612ac89ccaf85d4a7c1304e781`
	`Version 3`	`c52d36eb5cd576c673ece50d7f7f9d65e15a140b`
	`Version 4`	`79e21afc5da045724b48999096dc5fb61e7ab71b`

1.2 Disclaimer

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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/deal-art/Swap-Contract

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
* Permission management
* 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 [2] and Common Weakness Enumeration [3]. 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 \ Likelihood	*High*	*Low*
High	High	Medium
Low	Medium	Low

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.

[2] https://owasp.org/www-community/OWASP_Risk_Rating_Methodology

[3] https://cwe.mitre.org/

Chapter 2 Findings

In total, we find **two** potential issues. We also have **two** recommendations.

- High Risk: 2
- Medium Risk: 0
- Low Risk: 0
- Recommendation: 2

ID	Severity	Description	Category	Status
1	High	Reentrancy in the `swap` function	Software Security	Fixed
2	High	Lack of sanity checks for ERC721 and ERC1155 token addresses	Software Security	Fixed
3	-	Consider the offer has duplicated ERC20 tokens	Recommendation	Fixed
4	-	Add approval checks before invoking the `_swap` function	Recommendation	Acknowledged

The details are provided in the following sections.

2.1 Software Security

2.1.1 Reentrancy in the `swap` function

Severity High

Status Fixed in `Version 2`

Introduced by `Version 1`

Description There is a reentrancy in ERC721's safeTransferFrom function so that the attacker can use this issue to exit and rejoin a room with a different offer, which makes the room owner lose accepts a different offer.

Here is how the attack works. Suppose the host makes an offer using 10 ERC20 token A and 1 ERC721 token B. And the attacker joins the room by submitting the offer with 1 ERC 721 token C. The host thinks the deal is great and invokes `swap(roomID, attacker)` to finish the trade.

When invoking `_swtapTokens(roomid, host, attacker)`, the ERC721 token will be transferred to the attacker using `safeTransferFrom`. The `safeTransferFrom` of ERC721 has an external call back to `to` (in this case is the attacker) (line 219). Then the attacker will invoke `exitRoom` and then `joinRoom` (or directly invoke `updateOffer`) with another offer (with useless ERC721 tokens) that is different from the original offer. After that, when the `_swapTokens(roomID, counterparty, rooms[roomId].host)` is invoked (line 197), the offer fetched from `room.offers[attacker]` is a different offer, which may make the host lose the money.

```
195    function _swap(bytes32 roomId, address counterparty) internal {
196        _swapTokens(roomId, rooms[roomId].host, counterparty);
197        _swapTokens(roomId, counterparty, rooms[roomId].host);
198        _saveDealRecords(roomId, counterparty);
199        _closeRoom(roomId);
200    }
201
```

```
202    function _swapTokens(
203    bytes32 roomId,
204    address from,
205    address to
206    ) internal {
207        Room storage room = rooms[roomId];
208        Offer memory offer = room.offers[from];
209        if (room.nonce != offer.offerNonce) revert EOfferExpired();
210        for (uint256 i = 0; i < offer.erc20Tokens.length; i++) {
211            offer.erc20Tokens[i].transferFrom(
212            from,
213            address(this),
214            offer.erc20TokenAmounts[i]
215            );
216            offer.erc20Tokens[i].transfer(to, offer.erc20TokenAmounts[i]);
217        }
218        for (uint256 i = 0; i < offer.erc721Tokens.length; i++) {
219            offer.erc721Tokens[i].safeTransferFrom(
220            from,
221            to,
222            offer.erc721TokenIds[i]
223            );
224        }
225        for (uint256 i = 0; i < offer.erc1155Tokens.length; i++) {
226            offer.erc1155Tokens[i].safeBatchTransferFrom(
227            from,
228            to,
229            offer.erc1155TokenIds[i],
230            offer.erc1155TokenAmounts[i],
231            ""
232            );
233        }
234    }
```

Listing 2.1: Deal.sol

Impact The counterpart's offer can be changed during the execution.

Suggestion Use reentrancy guard and add nonReentrant before external functions.

2.1.2 Lack of sanity checks for ERC721 and ERC1155 token addresses

Severity High

Status Fixed in `Version 4`

Introduced by `Version 3`

Description In the `_checkIfOfferMatchesIdealOffer` function, there is a new feature to support auto-swapping for any token from the collection (line 324 - 370). However, there does not exist the sanity checks for ERC721 and ERC1155 token addresses, which allows the attackers to use fake tokens to perform the swapping.

```
317    function _checkIfOfferMatchesIdealOffer(bytes32 roomId, Offer memory offer)
318        internal
```

```
319         view
320         returns (bool)
321     {
322         Offer memory idealOffer = rooms[roomId].idealOffer;
323         if (cannotUseKeccakComparison[roomId]) {
324             if (
325                 keccak256(
326                     abi.encode(
327                         idealOffer.erc20Tokens,
328                         idealOffer.erc20TokenAmounts
329                     )
330                 ) !=
331                 keccak256(
332                     abi.encode(offer.erc20Tokens, offer.erc20TokenAmounts)
333                 ) ||
334                 idealOffer.erc721Tokens.length != offer.erc721Tokens.length ||
335                 idealOffer.erc1155Tokens.length != offer.erc1155Tokens.length
336             ) {
337                 return false;
338             }
339             for (uint256 i = 0; i < idealOffer.erc721Tokens.length; i++) {
340                 if (idealOffer.erc721TokenIds[i] == MAX_UINT256) {
341                     continue;
342                 }
343                 if (idealOffer.erc721TokenIds[i] != offer.erc721TokenIds[i]) {
344                     return false;
345                 }
346             }
347             for (uint256 i = 0; i < idealOffer.erc1155Tokens.length; i++) {
348                 for (
349                     uint256 j = 0;
350                     j < idealOffer.erc1155TokenIds[i].length;
351                     j++
352                 ) {
353                     if (
354                         idealOffer.erc1155TokenAmounts[i][j] !=
355                         offer.erc1155TokenAmounts[i][j]
356                     ) {
357                         return false;
358                     }
359                     if (idealOffer.erc1155TokenIds[i][j] == MAX_UINT256) {
360                         continue;
361                     }
362                     if (
363                         idealOffer.erc1155TokenIds[i][j] !=
364                         offer.erc1155TokenIds[i][j]
365                     ) {
366                         return false;
367                     }
368                 }
369             }
370             return true;
371         } else {
```

```
372             idealOffer.offerNonce = offer.offerNonce;
373             return
374                 keccak256(abi.encode(offer)) ==
375                 keccak256(abi.encode(idealOffer));
376         }
377     }
```

Listing 2.2: Deal.sol

Impact The attackers could use fake tokens to swap valuable ones.

Suggestion Add sanity checks accordingly.

2.2 Additional Recommendation

2.2.1 Consider the offer has duplicated ERC20 tokens

Status Fixed in `Version 3`

Introduced by `Version 1`

Description If the ERC20 tokens can be duplicated, then the allowance checked here (line 285 - 286) is not correct.

```
278     function _checkIfAllTokensApproved(Offer memory offer, address from)
279         internal
280         view
281         returns (bool)
282     {
283         for (uint256 i = 0; i < offer.erc20Tokens.length; i++) {
284             if (
285                 offer.erc20Tokens[i].allowance(from, address(this)) !=
286                 offer.erc20TokenAmounts[i]
287             ) return false;
288         }
289         for (uint256 i = 0; i < offer.erc721Tokens.length; i++) {
290             if (
291                 offer.erc721Tokens[i].getApproved(offer.erc721TokenIds[i]) !=
292                 address(this) &&
293                 !offer.erc721Tokens[i].isApprovedForAll(from, address(this))
294             ) return false;
295         }
296         for (uint256 i = 0; i < offer.erc1155Tokens.length; i++) {
297             if (!offer.erc1155Tokens[i].isApprovedForAll(from, address(this)))
298                 return false;
299         }
300         return true;
301     }
```

Listing 2.3: Deal.sol

Impact N/A

Suggestion Check duplicated tokens.

Feedback from the project For this one, we are relying on our frontend to send the correct data. Checking for duplicates on-chain in an array could become costly and using an OpenZeppelin Set is also expensive. Since circumventing our frontend and forcing a duplicate value doesn't accomplish anything for anyone, it's in everyone's interest to input proper data.

2.2.2 Add approval checks before invoking the `_swap` function

Status Acknowledged

Introduced by `Version 1`

Description In the `_updateOffer` function, there exists the approval checks before invoking the `_swap` function.

```
257    function _updateOffer(bytes32 roomId, Offer calldata offer) internal {
258        rooms[roomId].offers[_msgSender()] = offer;
259        emit OfferUpdated(roomId, _msgSender());
260        if (_checkIfOfferMatchesIdealOffer(roomId, offer)) {
261            if (
262                _checkIfAllTokensApproved(offer, _msgSender()) &&
263                _checkIfAllTokensApproved(
264                    rooms[roomId].offers[rooms[roomId].host],
265                    rooms[roomId].host
266                )
267            ) {
268                _swap(roomId, _msgSender());
269            }
270        }
271    }
272}
```

Listing 2.4: Deal.sol

To keep consistency, it is recommended to add the similar checks in the `swap` function.

```
161    function swap(bytes32 roomId, address counterparty)
162        external
163        whenNotPaused
164        hostOnly(roomId)
165    {
166        _swap(roomId, counterparty);
167    }
```

Listing 2.5: Deal.sol

Impact N/A

Suggestion Add the approval checks.

Feedback from the project I think it doesn't matter because if the check is added, then ideally we should revert if not everything is approved. But, as the code currently works, if not everything is approved the call will revert as well.