

## SMART CONTRACT AUDIT REPORT

for

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# 1 Introduction

Given the opportunity to review the design document and related smart contract source code of the Sui Native Oracle Adapter in DragonSwap, we outline in the report our systematic approach to evaluate potential security issues in the smart contract implementation, expose possible semantic inconsistencies between smart contract code and design document, and provide additional suggestions or recommendations for improvement. Our results show that the given version of smart contracts can be further improved due to the presence of several issues related to current implementation. This document outlines our audit results.

### 1.1 About DragonSwap

DragonSwap is the first native DEX on Sei network, marking a significant evolution with its launch. The audited contract is a library that enables an out-of-the-box utilization of the Sei Native Oracle though the Solidity smart-contracts. The Sei Native Oracle returns 18 decimal fixed point numbers in a string format (which is usually not directly usable), and this library helps you easily retrieve exchange rates in uint256 format with a manageable amount decimals. The basic information of the audited contract is as follows:

Item Description
Protocol Name DragonSwap
Type Ethereum Smart Contract
Platform Solidity
Audit Method Whitebox
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Table 1.1: Basic Information of SeiNativeOracleAdapter

In the following, we show the Git repositories of reviewed files and the commit hash value used in this audit.

• https://github.com/dragonswap-app/sei-native-oracle-adapter.git (19b525d)

And here is the commit ID after all fixes for the issues found in the audit have been checked in:

https://github.com/dragonswap-app/sei-native-oracle-adapter.git (TBD)

#### 1.2 About PeckShield

PeckShield Inc. [6] is a leading blockchain security company with the goal of elevating the security, privacy, and usability of current blockchain ecosystems by offering top-notch, industry-leading services and products (including the service of smart contract auditing). We are reachable at Telegram (https://t.me/peckshield), Twitter (http://twitter.com/peckshield), or Email (contact@peckshield.com).



Table 1.2: Vulnerability Severity Classification

### 1.3 Methodology

To standardize the evaluation, we define the following terminology based on the OWASP Risk Rating Methodology [5]:

- <u>Likelihood</u> represents how likely a particular vulnerability is to be uncovered and exploited in the wild:
- Impact measures the technical loss and business damage of a successful attack;
- Severity demonstrates the overall criticality of the risk.

Likelihood and impact are categorized into three ratings: *H*, *M* and *L*, i.e., *high*, *medium* and *low* respectively. Severity is determined by likelihood and impact and can be classified into four categories accordingly, i.e., *Critical*, *High*, *Medium*, *Low* shown in Table 1.2.

To evaluate the risk, we go through a checklist of items and each would be labeled with a severity category. For one check item, if our tool or analysis does not identify any issue, the contract

Table 1.3: The Full Audit Checklist

Category	Checklist Items		
	Constructor Mismatch		
	Ownership Takeover		
	Redundant Fallback Function		
	Overflows & Underflows		
	Reentrancy		
	Money-Giving Bug		
	Blackhole		
	Unauthorized Self-Destruct		
Basic Coding Bugs	Revert DoS		
Dasic Couling Dugs	Unchecked External Call		
	Gasless Send		
	Send Instead Of Transfer		
	Costly Loop		
	(Unsafe) Use Of Untrusted Libraries		
	(Unsafe) Use Of Predictable Variables		
	Transaction Ordering Dependence		
	Deprecated Uses		
Semantic Consistency Checks	Semantic Consistency Checks		
	Business Logics Review		
	Functionality Checks		
	Authentication Management		
	Access Control & Authorization		
	Oracle Security		
Advanced DeFi Scrutiny	Digital Asset Escrow		
rataneed Der i Geraemi,	Kill-Switch Mechanism		
	Operation Trails & Event Generation		
	ERC20 Idiosyncrasies Handling		
	Frontend-Contract Integration		
	Deployment Consistency		
	Holistic Risk Management		
	Avoiding Use of Variadic Byte Array		
	Using Fixed Compiler Version		
Additional Recommendations	Making Visibility Level Explicit		
	Making Type Inference Explicit		
	Adhering To Function Declaration Strictly		
	Following Other Best Practices		

is considered safe regarding the check item. For any discovered issue, we might further deploy contracts on our private testnet and run tests to confirm the findings. If necessary, we would additionally build a PoC to demonstrate the possibility of exploitation. The concrete list of check items is shown in Table 1.3.

In particular, we perform the audit according to the following procedure:

- <u>Basic Coding Bugs</u>: We first statically analyze given smart contracts with our proprietary static code analyzer for known coding bugs, and then manually verify (reject or confirm) all the issues found by our tool.
- <u>Semantic Consistency Checks</u>: We then manually check the logic of implemented smart contracts and compare with the description in the white paper.
- Advanced DeFi Scrutiny: We further review business logics, examine system operations, and place DeFi-related aspects under scrutiny to uncover possible pitfalls and/or bugs.
- Additional Recommendations: We also provide additional suggestions regarding the coding and development of smart contracts from the perspective of proven programming practices.

To better describe each issue we identified, we categorize the findings with Common Weakness Enumeration (CWE-699) [4], which is a community-developed list of software weakness types to better delineate and organize weaknesses around concepts frequently encountered in software development. Though some categories used in CWE-699 may not be relevant in smart contracts, we use the CWE categories in Table 1.4 to classify our findings. Moreover, in case there is an issue that may affect an active protocol that has been deployed, the public version of this report may omit such issue, but will be amended with full details right after the affected protocol is upgraded with respective fixes.

Table 1.4: Common Weakness Enumeration (CWE) Classifications Used in This Audit

Category	Summary		
Configuration	Weaknesses in this category are typically introduced during		
	the configuration of the software.		
Data Processing Issues	Weaknesses in this category are typically found in functional-		
	ity that processes data.		
Numeric Errors	Weaknesses in this category are related to improper calcula-		
	tion or conversion of numbers.		
Security Features	Weaknesses in this category are concerned with topics like		
	authentication, access control, confidentiality, cryptography,		
	and privilege management. (Software security is not security		
	software.)		
Time and State	Weaknesses in this category are related to the improper man-		
	agement of time and state in an environment that supports		
	simultaneous or near-simultaneous computation by multiple		
	systems, processes, or threads.		
Error Conditions,	Weaknesses in this category include weaknesses that occur if		
Return Values,	a function does not generate the correct return/status code,		
Status Codes	or if the application does not handle all possible return/status		
	codes that could be generated by a function.		
Resource Management	Weaknesses in this category are related to improper manage-		
	ment of system resources.		
Behavioral Issues	Weaknesses in this category are related to unexpected behav-		
	iors from code that an application uses.		
Business Logic	Weaknesses in this category identify some of the underlying		
	problems that commonly allow attackers to manipulate the		
	business logic of an application. Errors in business logic can		
	be devastating to an entire application.		
Initialization and Cleanup	Weaknesses in this category occur in behaviors that are used		
A	for initialization and breakdown.		
Arguments and Parameters	Weaknesses in this category are related to improper use of		
Evenuesian legues	arguments or parameters within function calls.		
Expression Issues	Weaknesses in this category are related to incorrectly written		
Cadina Duantia	expressions within code.		
Coding Practices	Weaknesses in this category are related to coding practices that are deemed unsafe and increase the chances that an ex-		
	ploitable vulnerability will be present in the application. They		
	may not directly introduce a vulnerability, but indicate the		
	product has not been carefully developed or maintained.		

### 1.4 Disclaimer

Note that this security audit is not designed to replace functional tests required before any software release, and does not give any warranties on finding all possible security issues of the given smart contract(s) or blockchain software, i.e., the evaluation result does not guarantee the nonexistence of any further findings of security issues. As one audit-based assessment cannot be considered comprehensive, we always recommend proceeding with several independent audits and a public bug bounty program to ensure the security of smart contract(s). Last but not least, this security audit should not be used as investment advice.



# 2 | Findings

### 2.1 Summary

Here is a summary of our findings after analyzing the implementation of the Sui Native Oracle Adapter in DragonSwap. During the first phase of our audit, we study the smart contract source code and run our in-house static code analyzer through the codebase. The purpose here is to statically identify known coding bugs, and then manually verify (reject or confirm) issues reported by our tool. We further manually review business logic, examine system operations, and place DeFi-related aspects under scrutiny to uncover possible pitfalls and/or bugs.

Severity	# of Findings		
Critical	0		
High	0		
Medium	0		
Low	1		
Informational	1		
Total	2		

We have so far identified a list of potential issues: some of them involve subtle corner cases that might not be previously thought of, while others refer to unusual interactions among multiple contracts. For each uncovered issue, we have therefore developed test cases for reasoning, reproduction, and/or verification. After further analysis and internal discussion, we determined a few issues of varying severities need to be brought up and paid more attention to, which are categorized in the above table. More information can be found in the next subsection, and the detailed discussions of each of them are in Section 3.

### 2.2 Key Findings

Overall, these smart contracts are well-designed and engineered, though the implementation can be improved by resolving the identified issues (shown in Table 2.1), including 1 low-severity vulnerability and 1 informational recommendation.

Table 2.1: Key SeiNativeOracleAdapter Audit Findings

ID	Severity	Title	Category	Status
PVE-001	Low	Early Exit in Rate/TWAP Calculation	Coding Practices	
		Logic		
PVE-002	Informational	Redundant Code/State Removal	Coding Practices	

Beside the identified issues, we emphasize that for any user-facing applications and services, it is always important to develop necessary risk-control mechanisms and make contingency plans, which may need to be exercised before the mainnet deployment. The risk-control mechanisms should kick in at the very moment when the contracts are being deployed on mainnet. Please refer to Section 3 for details.



# 3 Detailed Results

### 3.1 Early Exit in Rate/TWAP Calculation Logic

• ID: PVE-001

• Severity: Low

• Likelihood: Low

• Impact: Low

• Target: SeiNativeOracleAdapter

• Category: Coding Practices [3]

• CWE subcategory: CWE-1126 [1]

#### Description

As mentioned earlier, the audited SeiNativeOracleAdapter contract is designed to wrap the Sei Native Oracle to retrieve exchange rates in uint256 format with a manageable amount decimals instead of the original string format. While reviewing the related logic, we notice current implementation can be improved.

To elaborate, we show below the implementation of the related setReserveInterestRateStrategyAddress () routine. As the name indicates, it is used to retrieve the time weighed average price for the given token and time period. It comes to our attention that current implementation iterates the full returned price list from the native oracle. An optimization can be placed to make an early exit once there is a match on the denom string hashes. The same optimization can be applied to another similar function named getExchangeRate().

```
64
       function getOracleTwap(string memory denom, uint64 lookbackSeconds) internal view
            returns (uint256 twap) {
65
            // Retrieve twap values in the default/string format from the native oracle.
            ISeiNativeOracle.OracleTwap[] memory data = NATIVE_ORACLE.getOracleTwaps(
66
               lookbackSeconds);
67
            // Gas opt.
68
            uint256 length = data.length;
69
            for (uint256 i; i < length; ++i) {</pre>
70
                // Compare string hashes and proceed once the matching occurs.
71
                if (keccak256(bytes(data[i].denom)) == keccak256(bytes(denom))) {
72
                    // Return converted twap value.
                    twap = convertStringNumberToUint256(data[i].twap);
```

```
74 }
75 }
76 }
```

Listing 3.1: SeiNativeOracleAdapter::getOracleTwap()

**Recommendation** Revise the above-mentioned routines to make an early exit optimization once the intended rate or TWAP is retrieved.

**Status** 

### 3.2 Redundant Code/State Removal

• ID: PVE-002

• Severity: Informational

Likelihood: N/A

• Impact: N/A

• Target: SeiNativeOracleAdapter

• Category: Coding Practices [3]

• CWE subcategory: CWE-563 [2]

### Description

To facilitate the implementation, the SeiNativeOracleAdapter contract has a number of helper routines. While reviewing these helper routines, we notice a specific one (that is used to change the decimals), which is currently not used and can be safely removed.

In particular, we show below the implementation of this specific function, i.e., changeDecimals(). It has a rather straightforward logic in trimming or extending the decimals for the conversion of retrieved exchange rates. Since it is no longer used, we can safely remove it from current contract.

```
164
         function changeDecimals(uint256 number, uint256 fromDecimals, uint256 toDecimals)
             internal pure returns (uint256) {
165
             // Compare decimals.
166
             if (toDecimals > fromDecimals) {
167
                 // Append zeros.
168
                 number *= 10 ** (toDecimals - fromDecimals);
169
             } else if (fromDecimals > toDecimals) {
170
                 // Trim decimals.
171
                 number /= 10 ** (fromDecimals - toDecimals);
172
173
             return number;
174
```

Listing 3.2: SeiNativeOracleAdapter::changeDecimals()

**Recommendation** Consider the removal of the redundant state (or code) with a simplified, consistent implementation.

Status



# 4 Conclusion

In this audit, we have analyzed the design and implementation of the Sui Native Oracle Adapter in DragonSwap, which is the first native DEX on Sei network, marking a significant evolution with its launch. The audited contract is a library that enables an out-of-the-box utilization of the Sei Native Oracle though the Solidity smart-contracts. The Sei Native Oracle returns 18 decimal fixed point numbers in a string format (which is usually not directly usable), and this library helps you easily retrieve exchange rates in uint256 format with a manageable amount decimals. The current code base is well structured and neatly organized. Those identified issues are promptly confirmed and fixed.

Moreover, we need to emphasize that Solidity-based smart contracts as a whole are still in an early, but exciting stage of development. To improve this report, we greatly appreciate any constructive feedbacks or suggestions, on our methodology, audit findings, or potential gaps in scope/coverage.

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