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1 | Introduction

Given the opportunity to review the design document and related smart contract source code of the BabySwap protocol, 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 either security or performance. This document outlines our audit results.

1.1 About BabySwap

BabySwap is a decentralized automated market making (AMM) protocol for newborn projects on `Binance Smart Chain (BSC)`. It emphasizes the concept of "Baby is the Future". The trader could find potential baby projects on BabySwap early and accompany them to grow up to 'rock stars' through trading, farming and bottling. The project could get the best support on BabySwap, including growth funds, arbitrage supports, entertaining activities, resource connections, friendly displays, etc.

The basic information of the BabySwap protocol is as follows:

Table 1.1: Basic Information of The BabySwap Protocol

Item	Description
Name	BabySwap
Website	https://home.babyswap.finance/
Type	Smart Contract
Platform	Solidity
Audit Method	Whitebox
Latest Audit Report	November 30, 2021

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

- <https://github.com/babyswap/baby-swap-contract> (cac289b)

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

- <https://github.com/babyswap/baby-swap-contract> (92fb1e0)

Note the following files are NOT included in this audit scope: `ReBuy.sol`, `VBabyToken.sol`, `LotteryRewardPool.sol`, `SousChef.sol`, `BabyRouter01.sol`, `BabyRouter02.sol`, `DecimalMath.sol` and `BabyLibrary.sol`.

1.2 About PeckShield

PeckShield Inc. [13] 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

Impact	High	Critical	High	Medium
	Medium	High	Medium	Low
	Low	Medium	Low	Low
		High	Medium	Low
		Likelihood		

1.3 Methodology

To standardize the evaluation, we define the following terminology based on OWASP Risk Rating Methodology [12]:

- Likelihood 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 list of check 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 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:

- Basic Coding Bugs: 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.
- Semantic Consistency Checks: 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) [11], 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.

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.

Table 1.3: The Full List of Check Items

Category	Check Item
Basic Coding Bugs	Constructor Mismatch
	Ownership Takeover
	Redundant Fallback Function
	Overflows & Underflows
	Reentrancy
	Money-Giving Bug
	Blackhole
	Unauthorized Self-Destruct
	Revert DoS
	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
Advanced DeFi Scrutiny	Business Logics Review
	Functionality Checks
	Authentication Management
	Access Control & Authorization
	Oracle Security
	Digital Asset Escrow
	Kill-Switch Mechanism
	Operation Trails & Event Generation
	ERC20 Idiosyncrasies Handling
	Frontend-Contract Integration
	Deployment Consistency
	Holistic Risk Management
Additional Recommendations	Avoiding Use of Variadic Byte Array
	Using Fixed Compiler Version
	Making Visibility Level Explicit
	Making Type Inference Explicit
	Adhering To Function Declaration Strictly
	Following Other Best Practices

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 functionality that processes data.
Numeric Errors	Weaknesses in this category are related to improper calculation 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 management of time and state in an environment that supports simultaneous or near-simultaneous computation by multiple systems, processes, or threads.
Error Conditions, Return Values, Status Codes	Weaknesses in this category include weaknesses that occur if a function does not generate the correct return/status code, 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 management of system resources.
Behavioral Issues	Weaknesses in this category are related to unexpected behaviors from code that an application uses.
Business Logics	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 for initialization and breakdown.
Arguments and Parameters	Weaknesses in this category are related to improper use of arguments or parameters within function calls.
Expression Issues	Weaknesses in this category are related to incorrectly written expressions within code.
Coding Practices	Weaknesses in this category are related to coding practices that are deemed unsafe and increase the chances that an exploitable 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.

2 | Findings

2.1 Summary

Here is a summary of our findings after analyzing the `BabySwap` implementation. 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 logics, examine system operations, and place DeFi-related aspects under scrutiny to uncover possible pitfalls and/or bugs.

Severity	# of Findings	
Critical	0	
High	1	■
Medium	4	■ ■ ■ ■
Low	6	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
Informational	0	
Total	11	

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 that 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 high-severity vulnerabilities, 4 medium-severity vulnerabilities, and 6 low-severity vulnerabilities.

Table 2.1: Key BabySwap Audit Findings

ID	Severity	Title	Category	Status
PVE-001	Medium	Trust Issue of Admin Keys	Security Features	Mitigated
PVE-002	High	Voting Amplification With Sybil Attacks	Business Logics	Confirmed
PVE-003	Low	Possible Sandwich/MEV Attacks For Reduced Returns	Time and State	Confirmed
PVE-004	Low	Timely massUpdatePools During Pool Weight Changes	Business Logic	Confirmed
PVE-005	Medium	Improved Reward Calculation In SwapMining::takerWithdraw()	Time and State	Confirmed
PVE-006	Low	Suggested Adherence of Checks-Effects-Interactions Pattern	Time and State	Confirmed
PVE-007	Low	Possible Costly LPs From Improper AutoBabyPool Initialization	Time and State	Confirmed
PVE-008	Low	Incompatibility with Deflationary Tokens	Business Logics	Confirmed
PVE-009	Low	Duplicate Pool Detection and Prevention	Business Logic	Confirmed
PVE-010	Medium	Improved Deletion Logic In Bottle::withdraw()	Business Logic	Confirmed
PVE-011	Medium	Improved Logic For Same Transaction Deposit() And Withdraw() Handling In AutoBabyPool	Time And State	Confirmed

Besides recommending specific countermeasures to mitigate these issues, we also emphasize that 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 need to kick in at the very moment when the contracts are being deployed in mainnet. Please refer to Section 3 for details.

3 | Detailed Results

3.1 Trust Issue of Admin Keys

- ID: PVE-001
- Severity: Medium
- Likelihood: Medium
- Impact: Medium
- Target: Multiple Contracts
- Category: Security Features [6]
- CWE subcategory: CWE-287 [1]

Description

In the BabySwap protocol, there is a special administrative account, i.e., `owner`. This `owner` account plays a critical role in governing and regulating the system-wide operations (e.g., minting tokens, setting various parameters, and migrating current liquidity). It also has the privilege to control or govern the flow of assets managed by this protocol. Our analysis shows that the privileged account needs to be scrutinized. In the following, we examine the privileged account and their related privileged accesses in current contracts.

To elaborate, we show below the `transferBabyTokenOwnership()` and `transferSyrupOwnership()` routines in the `MasterChefTimelock` contract. These two routines transfer the privileged accounts to `newOwner_`, which could mint any amount of tokens to anyone, as long as the `totalSupply()` is smaller than the `maxSupply`. What's more, these two functions are bypassing the delay of `Timelock`, which means the ownership transaction process would be faster than expected and pose counter-party risk to the users.

```
90     function transferBabyTokenOwnership(address newOwner_) external onlyAdmin {
91         masterChef.transferBabyTokenOwnership(newOwner_);
92     }
```

Listing 3.1: `MasterChefTimelock::transferBabyTokenOwnership()`

```
94     function transferSyrupOwnership(address newOwner_) external onlyAdmin {
95         masterChef.transferSyrupOwnership(newOwner_);
```

96 }

Listing 3.2: MasterChefTimelock::transferSyrupOwnership()

```
12     function mintFor(address _to, uint256 _amount) public onlyOwner {
13         _mint(_to, _amount);
14         require(totalSupply() <= maxSupply, "reach max supply");
15         _moveDelegates(address(0), _delegates[_to], _amount);
16     }
```

Listing 3.3: BabyToken::mintFor()

```
13     function mint(address _to, uint256 _amount) public onlyOwner {
14         _mint(_to, _amount);
15         _moveDelegates(address(0), _delegates[_to], _amount);
16     }
```

Listing 3.4: SyrupBar::mint()

It is worrisome if the privileged `owner` account is a plain EOA account. Note that a multi-sig account could greatly alleviate this concern, though it is still far from perfect. Specifically, a better approach is to eliminate the administration key concern by transferring the role to a community-governed DAO.

Recommendation Promptly transfer the privileged account to the intended DAO-like governance contract. All changed to privileged operations may need to be mediated with necessary timelocks. Eventually, activate the normal on-chain community-based governance life-cycle and ensure the intended trustless nature and high-quality distributed governance.

Status This issue has been mitigated by the following changeset: 92fb1e0.

3.2 Voting Amplification With Sybil Attacks

- ID: PVE-002
- Severity: High
- Likelihood: Medium
- Impact: High
- Target: Multiple Contracts
- Category: Business Logics [8]
- CWE subcategory: CWE-841 [5]

Description

The `BABY` tokens can be used for governance in allowing for users to cast and record the votes. Moreover, the `BABY` contract allows for dynamic delegation of a voter to another, though the delegation is not transitive. When a submitted proposal is being tallied, the number of votes are counted via `getPriorVotes()`.

Our analysis shows that the current governance functionality is vulnerable to a new type of so-called Sybil attacks. For elaboration, let's assume at the very beginning there is a malicious actor named Malice, who owns 100 BABY tokens. Malice has an accomplice named Trudy who currently has 0 balance of BABYs. This Sybil attack can be launched as follows:

```

189     function _delegate(address delegator, address delegatee)
190     internal
191     {
192         address currentDelegate = _delegates[delegator];
193         uint256 delegatorBalance = balanceOf(delegator); // balance of underlying CAKEs
194         (not scaled);
195         _delegates[delegator] = delegatee;
196
197         emit DelegateChanged(delegator, currentDelegate, delegatee);
198
199         _moveDelegates(currentDelegate, delegatee, delegatorBalance);
200     }
201
202     function _moveDelegates(address srcRep, address dstRep, uint256 amount) internal {
203         if (srcRep != dstRep && amount > 0) {
204             if (srcRep != address(0)) {
205                 // decrease old representative
206                 uint32 srcRepNum = numCheckpoints[srcRep];
207                 uint256 srcRepOld = srcRepNum > 0 ? checkpoints[srcRep][srcRepNum - 1].
208                     votes : 0;
209                 uint256 srcRepNew = srcRepOld.sub(amount);
210                 _writeCheckpoint(srcRep, srcRepNum, srcRepOld, srcRepNew);
211             }
212
213             if (dstRep != address(0)) {
214                 // increase new representative
215                 uint32 dstRepNum = numCheckpoints[dstRep];
216                 uint256 dstRepOld = dstRepNum > 0 ? checkpoints[dstRep][dstRepNum - 1].
217                     votes : 0;
218                 uint256 dstRepNew = dstRepOld.add(amount);
219                 _writeCheckpoint(dstRep, dstRepNum, dstRepOld, dstRepNew);
220             }
221         }
222     }

```

Listing 3.5: BabyToken.sol

1. Malice initially delegates the voting to Trudy. Right after the initial delegation, Trudy can have 100 votes if he chooses to cast the vote.
2. Malice transfers the full 100 balance to M_1 who also delegates the voting to Trudy. Right after this delegation, Trudy can have 200 votes if he chooses to cast the vote. The reason is that the BABY contract's `transfer()` does NOT `_moveDelegates()` together. In other words, even now Malice has 0 balance, the initial delegation (of Malice) to Trudy will not be affected, therefore

Trudy still retains the voting power of 100 BABYs. When M_1 delegates to Trudy, since M_1 now has 100 BABYs, Trudy will get additional 100 votes, totaling 200 votes.

3. We can repeat by transferring M_i 's 100 BABY balance to M_{i+1} who also delegates the votes to Trudy. Every iteration will essentially add 100 voting power to Trudy. In other words, we can effectively amplify the voting powers of Trudy arbitrarily with new accounts created and iterated! Note the same issue also exists on SYRUP.

Recommendation To mitigate, it is necessary to accompany every single `transfer()` and `transferFrom()` with the `_moveDelegates()` so that the voting power of the sender's delegate will be moved to the destination's delegate. By doing so, we can effectively mitigate the above Sybil attacks. Since the contract is already deployed, it is safe and acceptable to deploy another contract for governance, and use the current one for other ERC-20 functions only. A cleaner solution would be to migrate the current contract to a new one with the suggested fix, but the migration effort may be costly.

Status The issue has been confirmed by the team. The team clarifies that the voting feature is currently not used.

3.3 Possible Sandwich/MEV Attacks For Reduced Returns

- ID: PVE-006
- Severity: Low
- Likelihood: Low
- Impact: Low
- Target: Multiple Contracts
- Category: Time and State [10]
- CWE subcategory: CWE-682 [4]

Description

The BabySwapFee contract has a helper routine, i.e., `doHardwork()`, that is designed to split the fees to different components. It has a rather straightforward logic in removing liquidity and allowing router to transfer the funds by calling `swapExactTokensForTokensSupportingFeeOnTransferTokens()` to actually perform the intended token swap.

```

60     function doHardwork(address[] calldata pairs, uint minAmount) external {
61         require(msg.sender == caller, "illegal caller");
62         for (uint i = 0; i < pairs.length; i++) {
63             IBabyPair pair = IBabyPair(pairs[i]);
64             if (pair.token0() != USDT && pair.token1() != USDT) {
65                 continue;
66             }

```

```

67         uint balance = pair.balanceOf(address(this));
68         if (balance == 0) {
69             continue;
70         }
71         if (balance < minAmount) {
72             continue;
73         }
74         balance = transferToVault(pair, balance);
75         address token = pair.token0() != USDT ? pair.token0() : pair.token1();
76         pair.approve(address(router), balance);
77         router.removeLiquidity(
78             token,
79             USDT,
80             balance,
81             0,
82             0,
83             address(this),
84             block.timestamp
85         );
86         address[] memory path = new address[](2);
87         path[0] = token; path[1] = USDT;
88         balance = IBEP20(token).balanceOf(address(this));
89         IBEP20(token).approve(address(router), balance);
90         router.swapExactTokensForTokensSupportingFeeOnTransferTokens(
91             balance,
92             0,
93             path,
94             address(this),
95             block.timestamp
96         );
97     }
98 }

```

Listing 3.6: BabySwapFee::doHardwork()

To elaborate, we show above the `doHardwork()` routine. We notice the remove liquidity and token swap are routed to router and the actual removal or swap operation via `removeLiquidity()` or `swapExactTokensForTokensSupportingFeeOnTransferTokens()` essentially do not specify any restriction (with `amountOutMin=0`) on possible slippage and is therefore vulnerable to possible front-running attacks, resulting in a smaller gain for this round of yielding.

Note that this is a common issue plaguing current AMM-based DEX solutions. Specifically, a large trade may be sandwiched by a preceding sell to reduce the market price, and a tailgating buy-back of the same amount plus the trade amount. Such sandwiching behavior unfortunately causes a loss and brings a smaller return as expected to the trading user because the swap rate is lowered by the preceding sell. As a mitigation, we may consider specifying the restriction on possible slippage caused by the trade or referencing the TWAP or time-weighted average price of UniswapV2. Nevertheless, we need to acknowledge that this is largely inherent to current blockchain infrastructure and there is still a need to continue the search efforts for an effective defense.

Recommendation Develop an effective mitigation to the above front-running attack to better protect the interests of farming users.

Status The issue has been confirmed by the team. And the team clarifies that since there won't be large amount of trading, so it won't trigger the sandwich attack.

3.4 Timely massUpdatePools During Pool Weight Changes

- ID: PVE-007
- Severity: Low
- Likelihood: Low
- Impact: Medium
- Target: MasterChef
- Category: Business Logic [8]
- CWE subcategory: CWE-841 [5]

Description

The BabySwap protocol has a MasterChef contract that provides incentive mechanisms that reward the staking of supported assets. The rewards are carried out by designating a number of staking pools into which supported assets can be staked. And staking users are rewarded in proportional to their share of LP tokens in the reward pool.

The reward pools can be dynamically added via `add()` and the weights of supported pools can be adjusted via `set()`. When analyzing the pool weight update routine `set()`, we notice the need of timely invoking `massUpdatePools()` to update the reward distribution before the new pool weight becomes effective.

```

137 // Update the given pool's CAKE allocation point. Can only be called by the owner.
138 function set(uint256 _pid, uint256 _allocPoint, bool _withUpdate) public onlyOwner {
139     if (_withUpdate) {
140         massUpdatePools();
141     }
142     uint256 prevAllocPoint = poolInfo[_pid].allocPoint;
143     poolInfo[_pid].allocPoint = _allocPoint;
144     if (prevAllocPoint != _allocPoint) {
145         totalAllocPoint = totalAllocPoint.sub(prevAllocPoint).add(_allocPoint);
146         updateStakingPool();
147     }
148 }

```

Listing 3.7: MasterChef::set()

If the call to `massUpdatePools()` is not immediately invoked before updating the pool weights, certain situations may be crafted to create an unfair reward distribution. Moreover, a hidden pool without any weight can suddenly surface to claim unreasonable share of rewarded tokens. Fortunately,

this interface is restricted to the owner (via the `onlyOwner` modifier), which greatly alleviates the concern. Note other routine `SwapMining::setPair()` shares the same issue.

Recommendation Timely invoke `massUpdatePools()` when any pool's weight has been updated. In fact, the third parameter (`_withUpdate`) to the `set()` routine can be simply ignored or removed.

```

137 // Update the given pool's CAKE allocation point. Can only be called by the owner.
138 function set(uint256 _pid, uint256 _allocPoint, bool _withUpdate) public onlyOwner {
139     massUpdatePools();
140     uint256 prevAllocPoint = poolInfo[_pid].allocPoint;
141     poolInfo[_pid].allocPoint = _allocPoint;
142     if (prevAllocPoint != _allocPoint) {
143         totalAllocPoint = totalAllocPoint.sub(prevAllocPoint).add(_allocPoint);
144         updateStakingPool();
145     }
146 }
```

Listing 3.8: `MasterChef::set()`

Status The issue has been confirmed by the team. And the team clarifies that if there is an error in the configuration of the pool, the forced update will cause the related operation fail also.

3.5 Sandwich Attacks For SwapMining Rewards

- ID: PVE-008
- Severity: Medium
- Likelihood: Medium
- Impact: Medium
- Target: SwapMining
- Category: Time and State [10]
- CWE subcategory: CWE-682 [4]

Description

The `SwapMining` protocol is forked from `MDX` and provides incentives when users make a swap. The protocol provides rewards based on the swapping amount for the supported assets. While examining the reward calculation with the given swap amount, we notice the `takerWithdraw()` may be sandwiched by two swaps with reversed paths. To elaborate, we show the `SwapMining::takerWithdraw()` routine.

```

292 // The user withdraws all the transaction rewards of the pool
293 function takerWithdraw() public {
294     uint256 userSub;
295     uint256 length = poolInfo.length;
296     for (uint256 pid = 0; pid < length; ++pid) {
297         PoolInfo storage pool = poolInfo[pid];
298         UserInfo storage user = userInfo[pid][msg.sender];
299         if (user.quantity > 0) {
300             mint(pid);

```

```

301         // The reward held by the user in this pool
302         uint256 userReward = pool.allocMdxAmount.mul(user.quantity).div(pool.
            quantity);
303         pool.quantity = pool.quantity.sub(user.quantity);
304         pool.allocMdxAmount = pool.allocMdxAmount.sub(userReward);
305         user.quantity = 0;
306         user.blockNumber = block.number;
307         userSub = userSub.add(userReward);
308     }
309 }
310 if (userSub <= 0) {
311     return;
312 }
313 console.log(userSub);
314 babyToken.transfer(msg.sender, userSub);
315 }

```

Listing 3.9: SwapMining::takerWithdraw()

Our analysis shows that the given SwapMining contract may be exploited by flashloans. Specifically, a bad actor could accumulate the `user.quantity` by making a flashloans of swapping token A to token B. After taking the rewards from the `takerWithdraw()` routine, the bad actor could take a reversed swap and make profits again. The bad actor could repeat the above steps to make profits as long as the value of the reward is larger than swap fees.

```

236 // swapMining only router
237 function swap(address account, address input, address output, uint256 amount) public
    onlyRouter returns (bool) {
238     require(account != address(0), "SwapMining: taker swap account is the zero
        address");
239     require(input != address(0), "SwapMining: taker swap input is the zero address")
        ;
240     require(output != address(0), "SwapMining: taker swap output is the zero address
        ");
241
242     if (poolLength() <= 0) {
243         return false;
244     }
245
246     if (!isWhitelist(input) || !isWhitelist(output)) {
247         return false;
248     }
249
250     address pair = BabyLibrary.pairFor(address(factory), input, output);
251     PoolInfo storage pool = poolInfo[pairOfPid[pair]];
252     // If it does not exist or the allocPoint is 0 then return
253     if (pool.pair != pair || pool.allocPoint <= 0) {
254         return false;
255     }
256
257     uint256 quantity = getQuantity(output, amount, targetToken);
258     if (quantity <= 0) {

```

```

259         return false;
260     }
261
262     mint(pairOfPid[pair]);
263
264     pool.quantity = pool.quantity.add(quantity);
265     pool.totalQuantity = pool.totalQuantity.add(quantity);
266     UserInfo storage user = userInfo[pairOfPid[pair]][account];
267     user.quantity = user.quantity.add(quantity);
268     user.blockNumber = block.number;
269     return true;
270 }

```

Listing 3.10: SwapMining::swap()

Recommendation Develop an effective mitigation to the above sandwich attack to ensure the proper computation and dissemination of `swapMining` reward.

Status The issue has been confirmed by the team. And the team clarifies that they want to keep the `SwapMining` part as a free market. It will give users who provide LP more rewards, and won't be harmful for the project.

3.6 Suggested Adherence of Checks-Effects-Interactions Pattern

- ID: PVE-006
- Severity: Low
- Likelihood: Low
- Impact: Low
- Target: MasterChef
- Category: Time and State [9]
- CWE subcategory: CWE-663 [3]

Description

A common coding best practice in Solidity is the adherence of `checks-effects-interactions` principle. This principle is effective in mitigating a serious attack vector known as `re-entrancy`. Via this particular attack vector, a malicious contract can be reentering a vulnerable contract in a nested manner. Specifically, it first calls a function in the vulnerable contract, but before the first instance of the function call is finished, second call can be arranged to re-enter the vulnerable contract by invoking functions that should only be executed once. This attack was part of several most prominent hacks in Ethereum history, including the `DAO` [15] exploit, and the recent `Uniswap/Lendf.Me` hack [14].

We notice there are several occasions the `checks-effects-interactions` principle is violated. Using the `MasterChef` as an example, the `withdraw()` function (see the code snippet below) is provided to withdraw funds from the pool. However, the invocation of an external contract to transfer token requires extra care in avoiding the above `re-entrancy`.

Apparently, the interaction with the external contract (line 258) starts before effecting the update on internal states (lines 264), hence violating the principle. In this particular case, if the external contract has certain hidden logic that may be capable of launching re-entrancy via the very same `withdraw()` function.

```

248     function withdraw(uint256 _pid, uint256 _amount) public {
250         require (_pid != 0, 'withdraw CAKE by unstaking');
251         PoolInfo storage pool = poolInfo[_pid];
252         UserInfo storage user = userInfo[_pid][msg.sender];
253         require(user.amount >= _amount, "withdraw: not good");

255         updatePool(_pid);
256         uint256 pending = user.amount.mul(pool.accCakePerShare).div(1e12).sub(user.
            rewardDebt);
257         if(pending > 0) {
258             safeCakeTransfer(msg.sender, pending);
259         }
260         if(_amount > 0) {
261             user.amount = user.amount.sub(_amount);
262             pool.lpToken.safeTransfer(address(msg.sender), _amount);
263         }
264         user.rewardDebt = user.amount.mul(pool.accCakePerShare).div(1e12);
265         emit Withdraw(msg.sender, _pid, _amount);
266     }

```

Listing 3.11: `MasterChef::withdraw()`

Note other routines `BnbStaking::deposit()` and `BnbStaking::withdraw()` and `MasterChef::deposit()` share the same issue.

Recommendation Apply necessary reentrancy prevention by utilizing the `nonReentrant` modifier to block possible re-entrancy.

Status The issue has been confirmed by the team.

3.7 Possible Costly LPs From Improper AutoBabyPool Initialization

- ID: PVE-007
- Severity: Low
- Likelihood: Low
- Impact: Medium
- Target: AutoBabyPool
- Category: Time and State [7]
- CWE subcategory: CWE-362 [2]

Description

The AutoBabyPool contract aims to provide incentives so that users can stake and lock their funds in a stake pool. The staking users will get their pro-rata share based on their staked amount. While examining the share calculation with the given deposits, we notice an issue that may unnecessarily make the share extremely expensive and bring hurdles (or even causes loss) for later depositors.

To elaborate, we show below the `deposit()` routine. This `deposit()` routine is used for participating users to deposit the supported asset (e.g., BABY) and get respective rewards in return. The issue occurs when the pool is being initialized under the assumption that the current pool is empty.

```

143     function deposit(uint256 _amount)
144         external
145         whenNotPaused
146         notContract
147         nonReentrant("deposit")
148     {
149         require(_amount > 0, "Nothing to deposit");
150
151         uint256 pool = balanceOf();
152         token.safeTransferFrom(msg.sender, address(this), _amount);
153         uint256 currentShares = 0;
154         if (totalShares != 0) {
155             currentShares = (_amount.mul(totalShares)).div(pool);
156         } else {
157             currentShares = _amount;
158         }
159         UserInfo storage user = userInfo[msg.sender];
160
161         user.shares = user.shares.add(currentShares);
162         user.lastDepositedTime = block.timestamp;
163
164         totalShares = totalShares.add(currentShares);
165
166         user.cakeAtLastUserAction = user.shares.mul(balanceOf()).div(
167             totalShares
168         );
169         user.lastUserActionTime = block.timestamp;

```

```

170
171     _earn();
172
173     emit Deposit(msg.sender, _amount, currentShares, block.timestamp);
174 }

```

Listing 3.12: AutoBabyPool::deposit()

Specifically, when the pool is being initialized, the share value directly takes the value of `currentShares = _amount` (line 157), which is manipulatable by the malicious actor. As this is the first deposit, the current total supply equals the calculated `currentShares = 1 WEI`. With that, the actor can further deposit a huge amount of BABY with the goal of making the share extremely expensive.

An extremely expensive share can be very inconvenient to use as a small number of 1 Wei may denote a large value. Furthermore, it can lead to precision issue in truncating the computed pool tokens for deposited assets. If truncated to be zero, the deposited assets are essentially considered dust and kept by the pool without returning any pool tokens.

This is a known issue that has been mitigated in popular `uniswap`. When providing the initial liquidity to the contract (i.e. when `totalSupply` is 0), the liquidity provider must sacrifice 1000 LP tokens (by sending them to `address(0)`). By doing so, we can ensure the granularity of the LP tokens is always at least 1000 and the malicious actor is not the sole holder. This approach may bring an additional cost for the initial liquidity provider, but this cost is expected to be low and acceptable.

Recommendation Revise current execution logic of share calculation to defensively calculate the share amount when the pool is being initialized. An alternative solution is to ensure guarded launch that safeguards the first deposit to avoid being manipulated.

Status The issue has been confirmed by the team. And the team clarifies that the related contract has been deployed and initialized.

3.8 Incompatibility with Deflationary Tokens

- ID: PVE-008
- Severity: Low
- Likelihood: Low
- Impact: Low
- Target: Multiple Contracts
- Category: Business Logics [8]
- CWE subcategory: CWE-841 [5]

Description

In the BabySwap protocol, the `Masterchef` contract is designed to take users' assets and deliver rewards depending on their share. In particular, one interface, i.e., `deposit()`, accepts asset transfer-in and

records the depositor's balance. Another interface, i.e., `withdraw()`, allows the user to withdraw the asset with necessary bookkeeping under the hood. For the above two operations, i.e., `deposit()` and `withdraw()`, the contract using the `safeTransferFrom()` or `safeTransfer()` routine to transfer assets into or out of its pool. This routine works as expected with standard ERC20 tokens: namely the pool's internal asset balances are always consistent with actual token balances maintained in individual ERC20 token contract.

```

225 // Deposit LP tokens to MasterChef for CAKE allocation.
226 function deposit(uint256 _pid, uint256 _amount) public {

228     require (_pid != 0, 'deposit CAKE by staking');

230     PoolInfo storage pool = poolInfo[_pid];
231     UserInfo storage user = userInfo[_pid][msg.sender];
232     updatePool(_pid);
233     if (user.amount > 0) {
234         uint256 pending = user.amount.mul(pool.accCakePerShare).div(1e12).sub(user.
            rewardDebt);
235         if(pending > 0) {
236             safeCakeTransfer(msg.sender, pending);
237         }
238     }
239     if (_amount > 0) {
240         pool.lpToken.safeTransferFrom(address(msg.sender), address(this), _amount);
241         user.amount = user.amount.add(_amount);
242     }
243     user.rewardDebt = user.amount.mul(pool.accCakePerShare).div(1e12);
244     emit Deposit(msg.sender, _pid, _amount);
245 }

247 // Withdraw LP tokens from MasterChef.
248 function withdraw(uint256 _pid, uint256 _amount) public {

250     require (_pid != 0, 'withdraw CAKE by unstaking');
251     PoolInfo storage pool = poolInfo[_pid];
252     UserInfo storage user = userInfo[_pid][msg.sender];
253     require(user.amount >= _amount, "withdraw: not good");

255     updatePool(_pid);
256     uint256 pending = user.amount.mul(pool.accCakePerShare).div(1e12).sub(user.
        rewardDebt);
257     if(pending > 0) {
258         safeCakeTransfer(msg.sender, pending);
259     }
260     if(_amount > 0) {
261         user.amount = user.amount.sub(_amount);
262         pool.lpToken.safeTransfer(address(msg.sender), _amount);
263     }
264     user.rewardDebt = user.amount.mul(pool.accCakePerShare).div(1e12);
265     emit Withdraw(msg.sender, _pid, _amount);

```

266

}

Listing 3.13: MasterChef::deposit() and MasterChef::withdraw()

However, there exist other ERC20 tokens that may make certain customization to their ERC20 contracts. One type of these tokens is deflationary tokens that charge certain fee for every `transfer()` or `transferFrom()`. As a result, this may not meet the assumption behind asset-transferring routines. In other words, the above operations, such as `deposit()` and `withdraw()`, may introduce unexpected balance inconsistencies when comparing internal asset records with external ERC20 token contracts. Apparently, these balance inconsistencies are damaging to accurate and precise portfolio management of the pool and affects protocol-wide operation and maintenance.

Specially, if we take a look at the `updatePool()` routine. This routine calculates `pool.accTokenPerShare` via dividing `cakeReward` by `lpSupply`, where the `lpSupply` is derived from `balanceOf(address(this))` (line 213). Because the balance inconsistencies of the pool, the `lpSupply` could be 1 Wei and thus may give a big `pool.accTokenPerShare` as the final result, which dramatically inflates the pool's reward.

```

207 // Update reward variables of the given pool to be up-to-date.
208 function updatePool(uint256 _pid) public {
209     PoolInfo storage pool = poolInfo[_pid];
210     if (block.number <= pool.lastRewardBlock) {
211         return;
212     }
213     uint256 lpSupply = pool.lpToken.balanceOf(address(this));
214     if (lpSupply == 0) {
215         pool.lastRewardBlock = block.number;
216         return;
217     }
218     uint256 multiplier = getMultiplier(pool.lastRewardBlock, block.number);
219     uint256 cakeReward = multiplier.mul(cakePerBlock).mul(pool.allocPoint).div(
        totalAllocPoint);
220     cake.mintFor(address(syrup), cakeReward);
221     pool.accCakePerShare = pool.accCakePerShare.add(cakeReward.mul(1e12).div(
        lpSupply));
222     pool.lastRewardBlock = block.number;
223 }
```

Listing 3.14: Masterchef::updatePool()

One mitigation is to measure the asset change right before and after the asset-transferring routines. In other words, instead of bluntly assuming the amount parameter in `safeTransfer()` or `safeTransferFrom()` will always result in full transfer, we need to ensure the increased or decreased amount in the pool before and after the `safeTransfer()` or `safeTransferFrom()` is expected and aligned well with our operation. Though these additional checks cost additional gas usage, we consider they are necessary to deal with deflationary tokens or other customized ones if their support is deemed necessary.

Another mitigation is to regulate the set of ERC20 tokens that are permitted into BabySwap for

support. However, certain existing stable coins may exhibit control switches that can be dynamically exercised to convert into deflationary. Note other contracts including `PoolFactory`, `Holdstake` and `IDO` share the same issue.

Recommendation Check the balance before and after the `safeTransfer()` or `safeTransferFrom()` call to ensure the book-keeping amount is accurate.

Status The issue has been confirmed by the team. And the team clarifies that the project party should ensure that the token is a standard ERC20 token. If the token would be a deflationary one, the project should add the pool contract to the whitelist to avoid the additional charges.

3.9 Duplicate Pool Detection and Prevention

- ID: PVE-009
- Severity: Low
- Likelihood: Low
- Impact: Medium
- Target: Multiple Contracts
- Category: Business Logic [8]
- CWE subcategory: CWE-841 [5]

Description

The `MasterChef` protocol provides incentive mechanisms that reward the staking of supported assets with certain reward tokens. The rewards are carried out by designating a number of staking pools into which supported assets can be staked. Each pool has its `allocPoint*100%/totalAllocPoint` share of scheduled rewards and the rewards for stakers are proportional to their share of LP tokens in the pool.

In current implementation, there are a number of concurrent pools that share the rewarded tokens and more can be scheduled for addition (via a privileged function). To accommodate these new pools, the design has the necessary mechanism in place that allows for dynamic additions of new staking pools that can participate in being incentivized as well.

The addition of a new pool is implemented in `add()`, whose code logic is shown below. It turns out it did not perform necessary sanity checks in preventing a new pool but with a duplicate token from being added. Though it is a privileged interface (protected with the modifier `onlyOwner`), it is still desirable to enforce it at the smart contract code level, eliminating the concern of wrong pool introduction from human omissions.

```

119 // Add a new lp to the pool. Can only be called by the owner.
120 // XXX DO NOT add the same LP token more than once. Rewards will be messed up if you
    do.
121 function add(uint256 _allocPoint, IBEP20 _lpToken, bool _withUpdate) public
    onlyOwner {

```

```

122     if (_withUpdate) {
123         massUpdatePools();
124     }
125     uint256 lastRewardBlock = block.number > startBlock ? block.number : startBlock;
126     totalAllocPoint = totalAllocPoint.add(_allocPoint);
127     poolInfo.push(PoolInfo({
128         lpToken: _lpToken,
129         allocPoint: _allocPoint,
130         lastRewardBlock: lastRewardBlock,
131         accCakePerShare: 0
132     }));
133     updateStakingPool();
134 }

```

Listing 3.15: MasterChef::add()

Recommendation Detect whether the given pool for addition is a duplicate of an existing pool. The pool addition is only successful when there is no duplicate. Note the Holdstake, NFTFarm, ILO ,SwapMining contracts share the same issue.

```

119     function checkPoolDuplicate(IERC20 _lpToken) public {
120         uint256 length = poolInfo.length;
121         for (uint256 pid = 0; pid < length; ++pid) {
122             require(poolInfo[_pid].lpToken != _lpToken, "add: existing pool?");
123         }
124     }
125
126     // Add a new lp to the pool. Can only be called by the owner.
127     // XXX DO NOT add the same LP token more than once. Rewards will be messed up if you
128     // do.
129
130     function add(uint256 _allocPoint, IBEP20 _lpToken, bool _withUpdate) public
131         onlyOwner {
132         if (_withUpdate) {
133             massUpdatePools();
134         }
135         checkPoolDuplicate(_lpToken);
136         uint256 lastRewardBlock = block.number > startBlock ? block.number : startBlock;
137         totalAllocPoint = totalAllocPoint.add(_allocPoint);
138         poolInfo.push(PoolInfo({
139             lpToken: _lpToken,
140             allocPoint: _allocPoint,
141             lastRewardBlock: lastRewardBlock,
142             accCakePerShare: 0
143         }));
144         updateStakingPool();
145     }

```

Listing 3.16: Revised MasterChef::add()

We point out that if a new pool with a duplicate LP token can be added, it will likely cause a havoc in the distribution of rewards to the pools and the stakers.

Status The issue has been confirmed by the team.

3.10 Improved Deletion Logic In `Bottle::withdraw()`

- ID: PVE-010
- Severity: Medium
- Likelihood: Medium
- Impact: Medium
- Target: Bottle
- Category: Business Logic [8]
- CWE subcategory: CWE-841 [5]

Description

In the BabySwap protocol, the `Bottle` contract provides incentive mechanisms that reward the voting of supported `_voteId` with certain reward tokens. It allows the user to start a pool and vote for the supporting `_voteId` by adding funds during the pool's voting schedule. While reviewing the implementation of the pool deletion logic, we notice the new pool may fail to be created because of the wrongly deleted old pool. To elaborate, we show below the `withdraw()` function in the `Bottle` contract.

```

157 function withdraw(uint256 _voteId, address _for) external nonReentrant {
158     createPool();
159     //require(currentVoteId <= 4 _voteId >= currentVoteId - 4, "illegal voteId");
160     PoolInfo memory _pool = poolInfo[_voteId];
161     require(_pool.avaliable, "illegal voteId");
162     require(block.timestamp > _pool.unlockAt, "not the right time");
163     UserInfo memory _userInfo = userInfo[_voteId][msg.sender][_for];
164     require (_userInfo.amount > 0, "illegal amount");
165
166     //uint _pending = masterChef.pendingCake(0, address(this));
167     uint256 balanceBefore = babyToken.balanceOf(address(this));
168     masterChef.leaveStaking(0);
169     uint256 balanceAfter = babyToken.balanceOf(address(this));
170     uint256 _pending = balanceAfter.sub(balanceBefore);
171     uint _totalShares = totalShares;
172     if (_pending > 0 && _totalShares > 0) {
173         accBabyPerShare = accBabyPerShare.add(_pending.mul(RATIO).div(_totalShares));
174     }
175
176     uint _userPending = _userInfo.pending.add(_userInfo.amount.mul(accBabyPerShare).div(
        RATIO).sub(_userInfo.rewardDebt));
177     uint _totalPending = _userPending.add(_userInfo.amount);
178
179     if (_totalPending >= _pending) {
180         masterChef.leaveStaking(_totalPending.sub(_pending));
181     } else {
182         //masterChef.leaveStaking(0);
183         babyToken.approve(address(masterChef), _pending.sub(_totalPending));

```

```

184     masterChef.enterStaking(_pending.sub(_totalPending));
185 }
186
187 //if (_totalPending > 0) {
188     SafeBEP20.safeTransfer(babyToken, msg.sender, _totalPending);
189 //}
190
191 if (_userPending > 0) {
192     emit Claim(_voteId, msg.sender, _for, _userPending);
193 }
194
195 totalShares = _totalShares.sub(_userInfo.amount);
196 poolInfo[_voteId].totalAmount = _pool.totalAmount.sub(_userInfo.amount);
197
198 delete userInfo[_voteId][msg.sender][_for];
199 if (poolInfo[_voteId].totalAmount == 0) {
200     delete poolInfo[_voteId];
201     emit DeleteVote(_voteId);
202 }
203 emit Withdraw(_voteId, msg.sender, _for, _userInfo.amount);
204 }

```

Listing 3.17: Bottle::withdraw()

The deletion of the current pool, i.e., `delete userInfo[_voteId][msg.sender][_for]` (line 198), may be performed when `block.timestamp < _currentPool.finishAt`. In other words, the old pool may be deleted before a new pool created. In this case, `_currentPool.finishAt` will give a 0 value and the new created pool's voting schedule is invalid.

Recommendation Improve the pool deletion logic in `Bottle::withdraw()`.

Status The issue has been confirmed by the team.

3.11 Improved Logic For Same Transaction Deposit() And Withdraw() Handling In AutoBabyPool

- ID: PVE-011
- Severity: Medium
- Likelihood: Medium
- Impact: Medium
- Target: AutoBabyPool
- Category: Business Logic [8]
- CWE subcategory: CWE-841 [5]

Description

As mentioned in Section 3.10, the AutoBabyPool contract aims to provide incentives so that users can stake and lock their funds in a stake pool. If we compare with other staking contracts, the BABY staked into this snack pool will be automatically compounded (or reinvested). An unstaking fee applies when the user unstakes within 3 days of staking.

While examining the logic, we notice an exploiter could `deposit()` and `withdraw()` in one transaction and earn BABYs as long as `_earn()` delivers enough rewards. To elaborate, we show below the `deposit()` and `withdraw()` routines from AutoBabyPool.

```

143     function deposit(uint256 _amount)
144         external
145         whenNotPaused
146         notContract
147         nonReentrant("deposit")
148     {
149         require(_amount > 0, "Nothing to deposit");

151         uint256 pool = balanceOf();
152         token.safeTransferFrom(msg.sender, address(this), _amount);
153         uint256 currentShares = 0;
154         if (totalShares != 0) {
155             currentShares = (_amount.mul(totalShares)).div(pool);
156         } else {
157             currentShares = _amount;
158         }
159         UserInfo storage user = userInfo[msg.sender];

161         user.shares = user.shares.add(currentShares);
162         user.lastDepositedTime = block.timestamp;

164         totalShares = totalShares.add(currentShares);

166         user.cakeAtLastUserAction = user.shares.mul(balanceOf()).div(
167             totalShares
168         );
169         user.lastUserActionTime = block.timestamp;

```

```

171     _earn();
173     emit Deposit(msg.sender, _amount, currentShares, block.timestamp);
174 }

```

Listing 3.18: AutoBabyPool::deposit()

```

359     function withdraw(uint256 _shares)
360     public
361     notContract
362     nonReentrant("withdraw")
363     {
364         UserInfo storage user = userInfo[msg.sender];
365         require(_shares > 0, "Nothing to withdraw");
366         require(_shares <= user.shares, "Withdraw amount exceeds balance");

368         uint256 currentAmount = (balanceOf().mul(_shares)).div(totalShares);
369         user.shares = user.shares.sub(_shares);
370         totalShares = totalShares.sub(_shares);

372         uint256 bal = available();
373         if (bal < currentAmount) {
374             uint256 balWithdraw = currentAmount.sub(bal);
375             IMasterChef(masterchef).leaveStaking(balWithdraw);
376             uint256 balAfter = available();
377             uint256 diff = balAfter.sub(bal);
378             if (diff < balWithdraw) {
379                 currentAmount = bal.add(diff);
380             }
381         }

383         if (block.timestamp < user.lastDepositedTime.add(withdrawFeePeriod)) {
384             uint256 currentWithdrawFee = currentAmount.mul(withdrawFee).div(
385                 10000
386             );
387             token.safeTransfer(treasury, currentWithdrawFee);
388             currentAmount = currentAmount.sub(currentWithdrawFee);
389         }

391         if (user.shares > 0) {
392             user.cakeAtLastUserAction = user.shares.mul(balanceOf()).div(
393                 totalShares
394             );
395         } else {
396             user.cakeAtLastUserAction = 0;
397         }

399         user.lastUserActionTime = block.timestamp;

401         token.safeTransfer(msg.sender, currentAmount);

403         emit Withdraw(msg.sender, currentAmount, _shares);

```

404

}

Listing 3.19: `AutoBabyPool::withdraw()`

Our analysis shows that a bad actor makes a profit as long as there is enough reward accumulated from `MasterChef` (e.g. being idle for a long time without `harvest()` or other actions). The calling of `_earn()` (line 171) from `deposit()` could give more rewards than the `currentWithdrawFee` (line 384), thus covering the cost for the one transaction `deposit()` and `withdraw()`.

Recommendation Improve the logic for same transaction `deposit()` and `withdraw()` handling in the `AutoBabyPool` contract.

Status The issue has been confirmed by the team.



4 | Conclusion

In this audit, we have analyzed the BabySwap protocol design and implementation. The BabySwap protocol is a decentralized AMM on Binance Smart Chain (BSC) with the emphasized concept of "Baby is the Future" where providing better support for newborn projects. During the audit, we notice that the current code base is well organized and those identified issues are promptly confirmed and fixed.

Meanwhile, we need to emphasize that 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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