# **Tornado Blast** Interim - Smart Contract Audit Report DATE: 28 February 2024 | PREPARED BY: Entersoft Pte Ltd



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# **Revision History & Version Control**

Version	Date	Author(s)	Description
1.0	28 February 2024	R. Dixit G. Singh	Interim report

Entersoft was commissioned by Tornado Blast to perform Smart contract code review on their product. The review was conducted from 27 February 2024 to 28 February 2024, to ensure overall code quality, security, and correctness, and ensure that the code will work as intended.

The report is structured into two main sections:

- Executive Summary which provides a high-level overview of the audit findings.
- Technical Analysis which offers a detailed analysis of the smart contract code.

Please note that the analysis is static and entirely limited to the smart contract code. The information provided in this report should be used to understand the security and quality of the code, as well as its expected behavior.

#### Scope included:

- BaseBlastBotSwapAndFeesHandler.sol
- HandlerWithAdminEthFees.sol

#### Standards followed include:

- OWASP (partially, for instance, role validations, input validations, etc.)
- Solidity best security practices



## 1.0 Disclaimer

This is a limited audit report on our findings based on our analysis, in accordance with good industry practice as at the date of this report, in relation to (i) smart contract best coding practices and issues in the framework and algorithms based on white paper, code, the details of which are set out in this report, (Smart Contract audit). To get a full view of our analysis, you must read the full report. While we have done our best in conducting our analysis and producing this report, it is important to note that you should not rely on this report and cannot claim against us based on what it says or does not say, or how we produced it, and it is important for you to conduct your own independent investigations before making any decisions. We go into more detail on this in the disclaimer below – please make sure to read it in full.

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# 2.0 Overview

## 2.1 Project Overview

Entersoft has meticulously audited the smart contract project from 27th February 2024 to 28th February 2024, with a primary focus on Solidity code files integral to blockchain functionality, emphasizing vulnerabilities in associated gas claiming and Burn functionalities. The working of basic functionalities was also tested during the review.

## 2.2 Scope

The audit scope covers the Tornado Blast smart contracts available in the GitHub private repository. The audit focused on the checklist provided for the smart contract code audit.

- 1. BaseBlastBotSwapAndFeesHandler.sol
- 2. HandlerWithAdminEthFees.sol

## 2.3 Project Summary

Name	Verified	Audited	Vulnerabilities
Tornado Blast	Yes	Yes	Please review Section 4

## 2.4 Audit Summary

Delivery Date	Method of Audit	Consultants Engaged
28 January 2024	Static Analysis: The static part of a smart contract audit refers to the process of reviewing the code of a smart contract to identify security vulnerabilities, coding errors, and adherence to best practices without executing the code and without interacting with it in a live environment. The smart contract is reviewed as is. In this we will cover logic vulnerabilities, dependency security flaws and more.	3



# 2.5 Security Level References

Every vulnerability in this report was assigned a severity level from the following classification table:



## 2.6 Vulnerability Summary

<ul><li>Critical</li></ul>	<ul><li>High</li></ul>	Medium	• Low	<ul><li>Informational</li></ul>
0	0	0	4	2



# 3.0 Executive Summary

Entersoft has conducted a comprehensive technical audit of the Tornado Blast project through a comprehensive smart contract audit. The primary objective was to identify potential vulnerabilities and risks within the codebase, ensuring adherence to industry-leading standards while prioritizing security, reliability, and performance. Our focus was on prompt and efficient identification and resolution of vulnerabilities to enhance the overall robustness of the solidity smart contract.

#### **Testing Methodology:**

Our testing methodology in Solidity adhered to industry standards and best practices, integrating partially implemented OWASP and NIST SP 800 standards for encryption and signatures.

We have performed a detailed manual analysis, adherence to industry standards, and the use of a comprehensive toolset. Our approach ensured a thorough evaluation of Swap-related functionalities and specific Mint and Burn operations within the designated Solidity code files.

#### **Findings and Security Posture:**

Our primary focus was on Access Control Policies, Transaction Signature Validations, Reentrancy, Time Manipulation, Default Visibility, Outdated Compiler Version, Input Validation, Deprecated Solidity Functions, Shadowing State Variables, Presence of Unused Variables, Overflow and Underflow Conditions, Assets Integrity, Errors and Exception.

Importantly, our audit process intentionally avoided reliance solely on automated tools, emphasizing a more in-depth and nuanced approach to security analysis. Conducted from February 27, 2023, to February 28, 2024, our team diligently assessed and validated the security posture of the solidity smart contract, ultimately classifying it as "Secure," reflecting the absence of identified vulnerabilities and the robustness of the codebase against potential threats.



#### Result

The following table provides an overall summary of the findings and security posture of the smart contract code in scope.

- V No Security vulnerabilities were identified
- X Security vulnerabilities were identified

#	Tornado Blast Audit Attack Vectors	Result	
1	Access Control Policies	V	
2	Transaction Signature Validations	V	
3	Default Visibility	V	
4	Address Validation	V	
5	Reentrancy attacks	V	
6	Presence of unused variables	V	
7	Overflow and Underflow Conditions	V	
8	Assets Integrity	V	
10	Program Validation		
11	DOS	V	
12	Time Manipulation Vulnerability	х	
13	ERC20 token issues	х	
Ove	Overall Security Posture NOT SECURE		



# 4.0 Technical Analysis

The following results are the efforts of static analysis.

Note: The following values for "Result" mean:

- PASS indicates that there is no security risk.
- FAIL indicates that there is a security risk that needs to be remediated.
- Informational findings should be followed as a best practice, and they are not visible from the solidity smart
- Not Applicable means the attack vector is Not applicable or Not available

## 4.1 Reliance on block.timestamp in uniV2Buy Function

Result	FAIL
Severity	Low
Description	The uniV2Buy function within the smart contract utilizes block.timestamp as the deadline parameter when making a transaction via Uniswap V2. This practice introduces a potential security vulnerability due to reliance on block.timestamp, which is susceptible to manipulation by miners. Adversaries can exploit this vulnerability by front-running transactions or manipulating block timestamps to bypass intended transaction deadlines, potentially leading to undesirable outcomes such as failed transactions or unexpected token purchases.
Location / Source File	BaseBlastBotSwapAndFeesHandler.sol
Observation	Reliance on block.timestamp in uniV2Buy function exposes vulnerability to transaction manipulation, risking failed transactions or unintended token purchases.
Remediation	Replace block.timestamp with a more secure and tamper-resistant time source, such as block.number or an external timestamp oracle, to mitigate potential exploits and ensure transaction integrity.
Reference	NA

## 4.2 Reliance on block.timestamp in swapRouter01Params Function

Result	FAIL
Severity	Low
Description	The uniV2Buy function within the smart contract utilizes block.timestamp as the deadline parameter when making a transaction via Uniswap V2. This practice introduces a potential security vulnerability due to reliance on block.timestamp, which is susceptible to manipulation by miners. Adversaries can exploit this vulnerability by front-running transactions or manipulating block timestamps to bypass intended transaction deadlines, potentially leading to undesirable outcomes such as failed transactions or unexpected token purchases.
Location / Source File	BaseBlastBotSwapAndFeesHandler.sol
Observation	Reliance on block.timestamp in uniV2Buy function exposes vulnerability to transaction manipulation, risking failed transactions or unintended token purchases.
Remediation	Replace block.timestamp with a more secure and tamper-resistant time source, such as block.number or an external timestamp oracle, to mitigate potential exploits and ensure transaction integrity.
Reference	NA



# 4.3 Use of Unsafe ERC20 Operations in getTokenReadyToBeSold Function

Result	FAIL
Severity	Low
Description	The smart contract BaseBlastBotSwapAndFeesHandler.sol at line 143 employs unsafe ERC20 operations, specifically the approve function, without incorporating additional safety measures. Direct usage of ERC20 functions without proper safety checks may result in unexpected behavior, such as unreliable return values. It is recommended to utilize established libraries like OpenZeppelin's SafeERC20 to mitigate these risks and ensure secure interactions with ERC20 tokens.
Location / Source File	BaseBlastBotSwapAndFeesHandler.sol
Observation	The use of unprotected ERC20 operations, like the approve function, in BaseBlastBotSwapAndFeesHandler.sol at line 143 raises concerns regarding potential vulnerabilities and unreliable return values due to lack of safety measures.
Remediation	Implement best practices for interacting with ERC20 tokens by utilizing reliable libraries like OpenZeppelin's SafeERC20. This ensures that token operations are conducted securely, with appropriate checks and safeguards in place to mitigate potential risks associated with ERC20 functions.
Reference	NA

# 4.4 Use of Unsafe ERC20 Operations in prepareWethForBuySwap Function

Result	FAIL
Severity	Low
Description	The smart contract BaseBlastBotSwapAndFeesHandler.sol at line 143 employs unsafe ERC20 operations, specifically the approve function, without incorporating additional safety measures. Direct usage of ERC20 functions without proper safety checks may result in unexpected behavior, such as unreliable return values. It is recommended to utilize established libraries like OpenZeppelin's SafeERC20 to mitigate these risks and ensure secure interactions with ERC20 tokens.
Location / Source File	BaseBlastBotSwapAndFeesHandler.sol
Observation	The use of unprotected ERC20 operations, like the approve function, in BaseBlastBotSwapAndFeesHandler.sol at line 143 raises concerns regarding potential vulnerabilities and unreliable return values due to lack of safety measures.
Remediation	Implement best practices for interacting with ERC20 tokens by utilizing reliable libraries like OpenZeppelin's SafeERC20. This ensures that token operations are conducted securely, with appropriate checks and safeguards in place to mitigate potential risks associated with ERC20 functions.
Reference	NA



# 4.5 Optimization of Inequalities in require() Statements in checkAmountOutMin() function

Result	Informational
The smart contract contains a require() statement utilizing a non-strict inequality (>=) to compare amountOut against amountOutMin. In Solidity, non-strict inequalities are typically more expensive terms of gas consumption compared to strict inequalities (>, <) due to additional bytecode oper required for evaluation. This inefficient usage of inequalities inside require() statements can lead unnecessary gas costs, impacting the overall efficiency of contract execution.	
Location / Source File	BaseBlastBotSwapAndFeesHandler.sol
Observation	The contract employs a non-strict inequality (>=) in the require() statement, which may lead to unnecessary gas costs due to additional bytecode operations.
Remediation	Optimize gas efficiency by utilizing strict inequalities (>, <) instead of non-strict inequalities (>=, <=) inside require() statements wherever possible. In the context of the provided code snippet, consider modifying the checkAmountOutMin function to use a strict inequality (>) if applicable to the contract's logic without compromising security requirements.
Reference	NA

# 4.6 Solidity pragma should be specific, not wide

Result	Informational
Description	Consider using a specific version of Solidity in your contracts instead of a wide version. For example, instead of pragma solidity ^0.8.0;, use pragma solidity 0.8.0;
Location / Source File	BaseBlastBotSwapAndFeesHandler.sol
Observation	Contracts should use a specific version of Solidity in pragma directives to ensure deterministic compilation and minimize risks associated with unintended behavior or vulnerabilities stemming from compiler upgrades.
Remediation	Specify an exact version of Solidity in the pragma directive to ensure deterministic compilation and minimize the risk of unintended behavior or vulnerabilities resulting from compiler upgrades.
Reference	NA



# 5.0 Auditing Approach and Methodologies Applied

The solidity smart contract was audited in a comprehensive approach to ensure the highest level of security and reliability. Careful attention was given to the following key areas to ensure the overall quality of code:

- Code quality and structure: We conducted a detailed review of the codebase to identify any potential issues related to code structure, readability, and maintainability. This included analyzing the overall architecture of the solidity smart contract and reviewing the code to ensure it follows best practices and coding standards.
- Security vulnerabilities: Our team used manual techniques to identify any potential security vulnerabilities that could be exploited by attackers. This involved a thorough analysis of the code to identify any potential weaknesses, such as buffer overflows, injection vulnerabilities, Signatures, and deprecated functions.
- Documentation and comments: Our team reviewed the code documentation and comments to ensure they accurately describe the code's intended behavior and logic. This helps developers to better understand the codebase and make modifications without introducing new issues.
- Compliance with best practices: We checked that the code follows best practices and coding standards that are recommended by the solidity community and industry experts. This ensures that the solidity smart contract is secure, reliable, and efficient.

Our audit team followed OWASP and Ethereum(Solidity) community security guidelines for this audit. As a result, we were able to identify potential issues and provide recommendations to improve the smart contract security and performance.

Throughout the audit of the smart contracts, our team placed great emphasis on ensuring the overall quality of the code and the use of industry best practices. We meticulously reviewed the codebase to ensure that it was thoroughly documented and that all comments and logic aligned with the intended behavior. Our approach to the audit was comprehensive, methodical, and aimed at ensuring that the smart contract was secure, reliable, and optimized for performance.

## 5.1 Code Review / Manual Analysis

Our team conducted a manual analysis of the Solidity smart contracts to identify new vulnerabilities or to verify vulnerabilities found during static and manual analysis. We carefully analyzed every line of code and made sure that all instructions provided during the onboarding phase were followed. Through our manual analysis, we were able to identify potential vulnerabilities that may have been missed by automated tools and ensure that the smart contract was secure and reliable.

### 5.2 Tools Used for Audit

In the course of our audit, we leveraged a suite of tools to bolster the security and performance of our program. While our team drew on their expertise and industry best practices, we also integrated various tools into our development environment. Noteworthy among them are Adreyn, Solidity Scan. This holistic approach ensures a thorough analysis, uncovering potential issues that automated tools alone might overlook. Entersoft takes pride in utilizing these tools, which significantly contribute to the quality, security, and maintainability of our codebase.



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