



BlockApex

SMART CONTRACT SECURITY ANALYSIS REPORT

```
pragma solidity 0.7.0;
contract Contract {

    function hello() public returns (string) {
        return "Hello World!";
    }

    function findVulnerability() public returns (string) {
        return "Finding Vulnerability";
    }

    function solveVulnerability() public returns (string) {
        return "Solve Vulnerability";
    }
}
```



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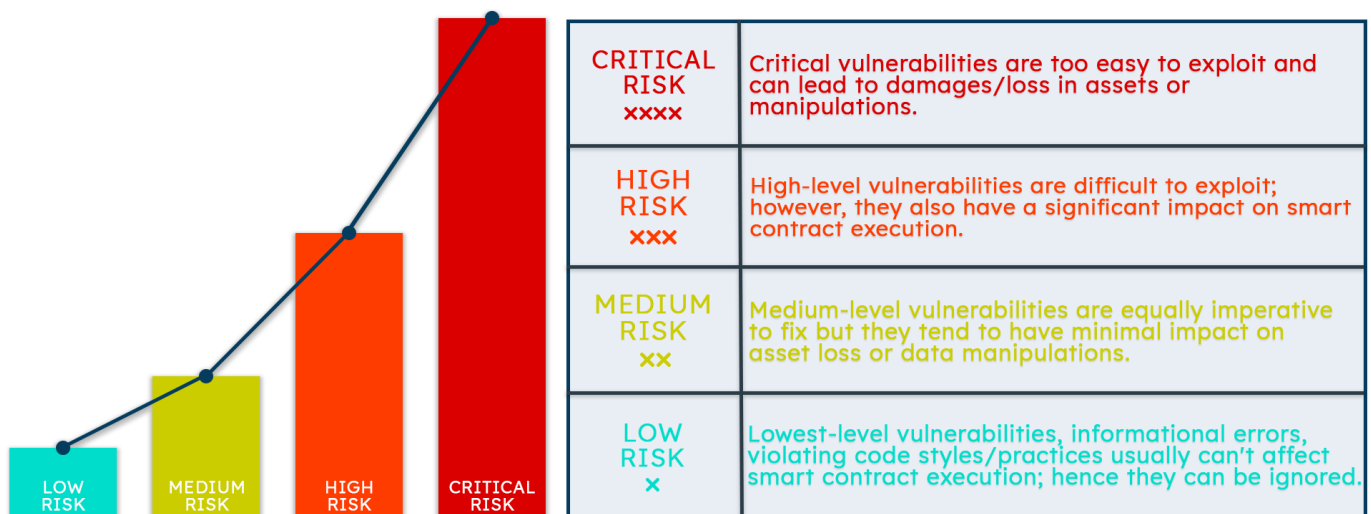
PREFACE

Objectives

The purpose of this document is to highlight the identified bugs/issues in the provided codebase. This audit has been conducted in a closed and secure environment, free from influence or bias of any sort. This document may contain confidential information about IT systems/architecture and intellectual property of the client. It also contains information about potential risks and the processes involved in mitigating/exploiting the risks mentioned below.

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Key Understandings





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INTRODUCTION

BlockApex (Auditor) was contracted by PhoenixDao (Client) for the purpose of conducting a Smart Contract Audit/Code Review. This document presents the findings of our analysis which took place on 15th June 2021.

Project Details

Name
PhoenixDAO (Initial Audit)
Auditor
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Platform
Ethereum/Solidity
Type of review
Dao
Methods
Architecture Review, Functional Testing, Computer-Aided Verification, Manual Review
Git Repository
https://github.com/PhoenixDAO/DAO-contracts/blob/hardhat-version/contracts/DaoSmartContract.sol
Document log
Day 1: Initial Audit (15-06-2021)
Day 2: (Final Audit pending)



Scope

The git-repository shared was checked for common code violations along with vulnerability-specific probing to detect major issues/vulnerabilities. Some specific checks are as follows:

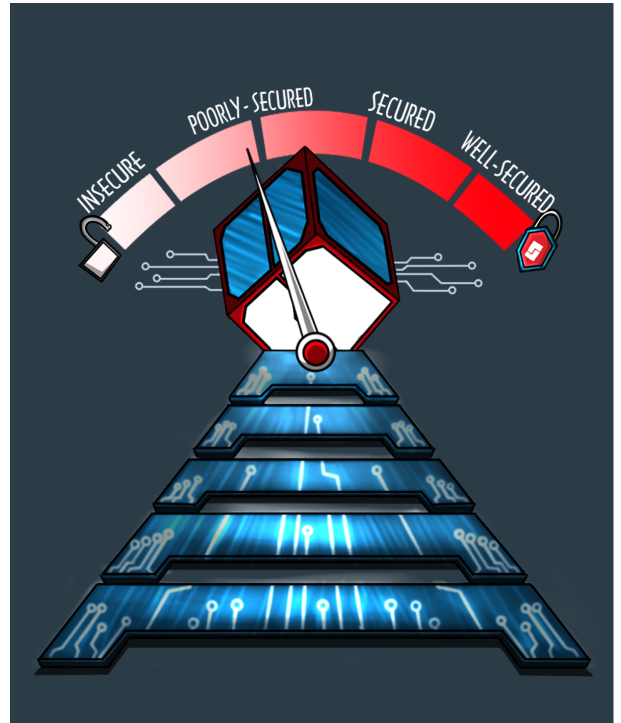
Code review		Functional review
Reentrancy	Unchecked external call	Business Logics Review
Ownership Takeover	ERC20 API violation	Functionality Checks
Timestamp Dependence	Unchecked math	Access Control & Authorization
Gas Limit and Loops	Unsafe type inference	Escrow manipulation
DoS with (Unexpected) Throw	Implicit visibility level	Token Supply manipulation
DoS with Block Gas Limit	Deployment Consistency	Asset's integrity
Transaction-Ordering Dependence	Repository Consistency	User Balances manipulation
Style guide violation	Data Consistency	Kill-Switch Mechanism
Costly Loop		Operation Trails & Event Generation

AUDIT REPORT

Executive Summary

The analysis indicates that the contract audited is **not secure**. It has a critical bug. We suggest that it should be fixed, before going to mainnet.

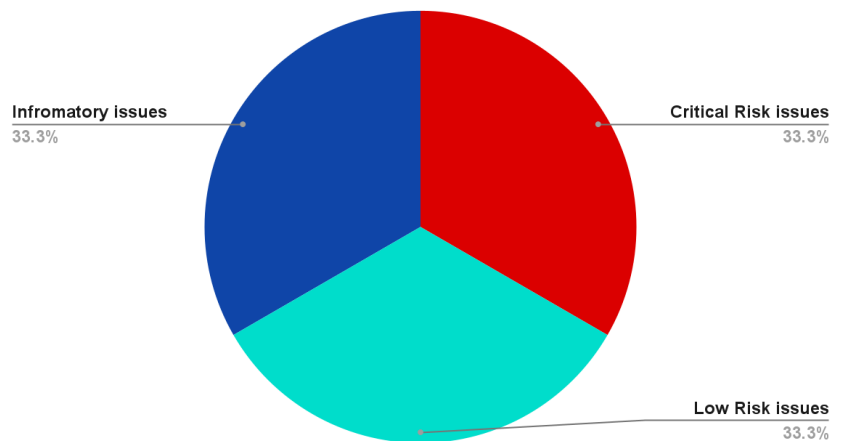
Our team performed a technique called “Filtered Audit”, where the contract was separately audited by two individuals. After their thorough and rigorous process of manual testing, an automated review was carried out using Mythril, MythX and Slither. All the flags raised were manually reviewed and re-tested.



Our team found:

# of issues	Severity of the risk
1	Critical Risk issue
0	High Risk issue
0	Medium Risk issue
1	Low Risk issue
1	Informator issues

Proportion of Vulnerabilities



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Findings

Critical-risk issues

1. Transaction Replay

```
function withdrawCollateral(string calldata proposalId)
```

Can be replayed and it transfers the phoenix token, because there is no check that the proposer has withdrawn the collateral. There is

```
require(  
    proposalList[proposalId].status == uint256(Status.COMPLETED),  
    "Project status not completed"  
);
```

But, it's not changed to any other status once processed. And

```
collateralAmount=collateralAmount.sub(proposalList[proposalId].collateralAmount);
```

It's subtracting from the collateralAmount, but not from

```
proposalList[proposalId].collateralAmount
```

Remedy:

Introduce another status, e.g. Status.PROCESSED_WITHDRAW, or make the

```
proposalList[proposalId].collateralAmount = 0;
```



High-risk issues

No issues found

Medium-risk issues

No issues were found .

Low-risk issues

1. Unchecked External calls while Transferring Phoenix Token.

Remedy:

Always check the external calls with “require”

Informatory Issues

1. Pragma version should be locked to specific version e.g pragma version = 0.6.0

DISCLAIMER

The smart contracts provided by the client for audit purposes have been thoroughly analyzed in compliance with the global best practices till date w.r.t cybersecurity vulnerabilities and issues in smart contract code, the details of which are enclosed in this report.

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Smart contracts are deployed and executed on a blockchain. The platform, its programming language, and other software related to the smart contract can have its vulnerabilities that can lead to hacks. The scope of our review is limited to a review of the Solidity code and only the Solidity code we note as being within the scope of our



review within this report. The Solidity language itself remains under development and is subject to unknown risks and flaws. The review does not extend to the compiler layer, or any other areas beyond Solidity that could present security risks.

This audit cannot be considered as a sufficient assessment regarding the utility and safety of the code, bug-free status or any other statements of the contract. While we have done our best in conducting the analysis and producing this report, it is important to note that you should not rely on this report only - we recommend proceeding with several independent audits and a public bug bounty program to ensure security of smart contracts.