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Protocol Summary

PasswordStore is a protocol dedicated to the storage and retrieval of a user's passwords. The protocol is designed to be used by a single user, and is not designed to be used by multiple users. Only the owner should be able to set and access this password. # Disclaimer

The Anthony E team makes all effort to find as many vulnerabilities in the code in the given time period, but holds no responsibilities for the findings provided in this document. A security audit by the team is not an endorsement of the underlying business or product. The audit was time-boxed and the review of the code was solely on the security aspects of the Solidity implementation of the contracts.

Risk Classification

		Impact		
		High	Medium	Low
Likelihood	High	H	H/M	M
	Medium	H/M	M	M/L
	Low	M	M/L	L

We use the CodeHawks severity matrix to determine severity. See the documentation for more details.

Audit Details

Commit Hash:

```
1 7d55682ddc4301a7b13ae9413095feffd9924566
```

Scope

```
1 ./src/  
2 #__ PasswordStore.sol
```

Roles

-Owner: The user who can set the password and read the password. -Outsiders: No one else should be able to set or read password

Executive Summary

Issues found

Severity	Number of issues found
High	2
Medium	0
Low	0
Info	1
Total	3

Findings

High

[H-1] Storing the password on-chain makes it visible to anyone, and no longer private

Description: All data stored on-chain is visible to anyone, and can be read directly from the blockchain. The `PasswordStore::s_password` variable is intended to be a private variable and only accessed through the `PasswordStore::getPassword` function which is intended to only be called by the owner

Impact: Anyone can read the private password, severely breaking function of the protocol

Proof of Concept: (Proof of Code)

The below testcase shows how anyone can read the PW directly from the blockchain

create local running chain

```
1 make anvil
```

deploy the contract to the chain

```
1 make deploy
```

run storage tool

use1 because thats the storage slot of `s_password` in the contract we get `0xd7950617373776f726400000000`

Recommended Mitigation: Please rethink this whole contract as the encryption of passwords are null and void if you choose to store the pw on the blockchain

[H-2] PasswordStore::setPassword has no access controls, meaning non owner could change PW

Description: The `PasswordStore::setPassword` function is set to be an `external` function however, this brings the overall function of the smart contract contract invalid This function only allows owner to set new PW

```
1 function setPassword(string memory newPassword) external{
2 >>    //@audit there are no access controls
3     s_password = newPassword;
4     emit SetNetPassword();
5 }
```

Impact: Anyone can set/change the password of the contract, severely breaking the contract intended functionality

Proof of Concept: Add the following to the `PasswordStore.t.sol` test file

Code

```
1     function test_anyone_can_set_password(address randomAddress) public
2     {
3         vm.assume(randomAddress != owner);
4         vm.prank(randomAddress);
5         string memory expectedPassword = "myNewPassword";
6         passwordStore.setPassword(expectedPassword);
7
8         vm.prank(owner);
9         string memory actualPassword = passwordStore.getPassword();
10        assertEq(actualPassword, expectedPassword);
11    }
```

Recommended Mitigation: Add an access control conditional to the `setPassword` function

```
1 if(msg.sender != s_owner){
2     revert PasswordStore_NotOwner()
3 }
```

Likelihood & Impact -Impact: HIGH -Likelihood: HIGH -Severity: HIGH

Informational

[I-1] The PasswordStore::getPassword natspec indicates a parameter that does not exist, causing the natespec to be incorrect

Impact: The natspec is incorrect

Recommended Mitigation: Remove incorrect natspec line

```
1 -      *@param newPassword The new password to set.
```