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The security audit is not meant to replace functional testing done before a software release. As one audit-based assessment cannot be considered comprehensive, we always recommend proceeding with several independent manual audits and a public bug bounty program to ensure the security of the smart contracts.

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Industry-leading comprehensive and transparent smart contract auditing on all public and private blockchains.

Vulnerability checking

A crucial manual inspection carried out to eliminate any code flaws and security loopholes. This is vital to avoid vulnerabilities and exposures incurring costly errors at a later stage.

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A thorough and comprehensive review in order to verify the safety of a smart contract and ensure it is ready for launch and built to protect the end-user.

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Analyse the architecture of the blockchain system to evaluate, assess and eliminate probable security breaches. This includes a full assessment of risk and a list of expert suggestions.

In-depth reporting

A truly custom exhaustive report that is transparent and depicts details of any identified threats and vulnerabilities and classifies those by severity.

Fast turnaround

We know that your time is valuable and therefore provide you with the fastest turnaround times in the industry to ensure that both your project and community are at ease.

Best-of-class blockchain engineers

Our engineers combine both experience and knowledge stemming from a large pool of developers at our disposal. We work with some of the brightest minds that have audited countless smart contracts over the last 4 years.

PROJECT SUMMARY

PROJECT INTRODUCTION

Base Protocol are building the front page of Cube Network, utilizing the chain's unique characteristics to create an ultra-fast AMM dex, an innovative launchpad with SAFT derivatives, an order-book based dex, and more.

The core of any DeFi ecosystem is the AMM Dex. Having taken off in Summer 2020, Base recognize that this is the first place that any DeFi participant will go, whether it's to swap, pool, or farm. As such, the AMM is the first product that Base will ship, becoming the cornerstone application on Cube Network for investors, traders, and speculators. The high scalability of Cube Network, combined with the built-in ZK-Rollups, will allow for the fastest swaps on any EVM chain.

Project Name *Base Protocol*

Contract Name *BASE Token*

Contract Address -

Contract Chain *Not Yet Deployed on Mainnet*

Contract Type *Smart Contract*

Platform *EVM*

Language *Solidity*

Codebase *GitHub Repository*

INFO & SOCIALS

Network *CUBE Network (CRC20)*

Total Supply *300,000,000*

Website *<https://baseprotocol.io/>*

Twitter *<https://twitter.com/baseprotocolIO>*

Telegram Chat *<https://t.me/baseprotocolio>*

Telegram Ann -

Medium *<https://medium.com/@BaseProtocolIO>*

CubeScan -



Issues	1
◆ Critical	0
◆ Major	0
◆ Medium	0
◆ Minor	1
◆ Informational	0
◆ Discussion	0

All issues are described in further detail on the following pages.

AUDIT SCOPE

FILE

IUniswapV2Factory.sol

IUniswapV2Router01.sol

LOCATION

Private GitHub Repository

Private GitHub Repository

REVIEW METHODOLOGY

TECHNIQUES

This report has been prepared for Base Protocol to discover issues and vulnerabilities in the source code of the Base Protocol project as well as any contract dependencies that were not part of an officially recognized library.

Project Engagement - On 19th of August 2022, Base Protocol team engaged MH Audits to audit the smart contracts that they created, as described in this report's audit scope. The engagement was technical in nature and focused on identifying the security flaws in the design and specifically implementation of the interfaces. They provided MH Audits access to their GitHub repository.

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We have concluded that the interfaces were defined correctly.

The auditing process pays special attention to the following considerations:

- Testing the smart contracts against both common and uncommon attack vectors.
- Assessing the codebase to ensure compliance with current best practices and industry standards.
- Ensuring contract logic meets the specifications and intentions of the client.
- Thorough line-by-line manual review of the entire codebase by industry experts.

TIMESTAMP

Version	v1.0
Date	2022/08/25
Description	Layout project Automated / Manual review / Interfaces check Summary

KEY FINDINGS

TITLE	SEVERITY	STATUS
Floating Pragma	◆ Minor	<i>Pending</i>

IN-DEPTH VULNERABILITIES

Description: Locking the pragma helps ensure that the contracts do not accidentally get deployed using an older version of the Solidity compiler affected by vulnerabilities.

The contracts found in the repository were allowing floating or unlocked pragma to be used, i.e., `^0.8.0`. This allows the contracts to be compiled with all the solidity compiler versions above 0.8.0. The following contracts were found to be affected:

Location: `IUniswapV2Router01.sol` - L03
`IUniswapV2Factory.sol` - L03

Impacts: If the smart contract gets compiled and deployed with an older or too recent version of the solidity compiler, there's a chance that it may get compromised due to the bugs present in the older versions or unidentified exploits in the new versions.

Incompatibility issues may also arise if the contract code does not support features in other compiler versions, therefore, breaking the logic.

The likelihood of exploitation is really low therefore this is only informational.

Issue: Floating Pragma

Type: Floating Pragma (SWC-103)

Level: Minor

Recommendation: Keep the compiler versions consistent in all the smart contract files. Do not allow floating pragmas anywhere. It is suggested to use 0.8.7 pragma version

Reference: <https://swcregistry.io/docs/SWC-103>

Alleviation:

Private GitHub Repository

FINDING CATEGORIES

The assessment process will utilize a mixture of static analysis, dynamic analysis, in-depth manual review and/or other security techniques.

This report has been prepared for Base Protocol project using the above techniques to examine and discover vulnerabilities and safe coding practices in Base Protocol's smart contract including the libraries used by the contract that are not officially recognized.

A comprehensive static and dynamic analysis has been performed on the solidity code in order to find vulnerabilities ranging from minor gas optimizations to major vulnerabilities leading to the loss of funds.

Various common and uncommon attack vectors will be investigated to ensure that the smart contracts are secure from malicious actors. The testing methods find and flag issues related to gas optimizations that help in reducing the overall gas cost. It scans and evaluates the codebase against industry best practices and standards to ensure compliance. It makes sure that the officially recognized libraries used in the code are secure and up to date.

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