

# Security Assessment

# **STYLE Protocol**

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The security assessment was prepared by CertiK, the leader in Web3.0 security.

### **Executive Summary**

TYPES ECOSYSTEM METHODS

DeFi Ethereum (ETH) Manual Review, Static Analysis

LANGUAGE TIMELINE KEY COMPONENTS

Solidity Delivered on 03/27/2023 N/A

CODEBASE COMMITS

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### **Vulnerability Summary**

2 Total Findings	1 Resolved	1 Mitigated	O Partially Resolved	O Acknowledged	O Declined	<b>O</b> Unresolved
■ 0 Critical				Critical risks are those t a platform and must be should not invest in any risks.	addressed before	launch. Users
■ 1 Major	1 Mitigated  Major risks can include centralizatio errors. Under specific circumstance can lead to loss of funds and/or con			ircumstances, thes	e major risks	
0 Medium				Medium risks may not p		
1 Minor	1 Resolved scale. They g integrity of the		scale. They generally d	any of the above, but on a smaller ally do not compromise the overall ect, but they may be less efficient than		
■ 0 Informational				Informational errors are improve the style of the within industry best pra- the overall functioning of	code or certain op	erations to fall



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### Repository

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### **Commit**

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## AUDIT SCOPE | STYLE PROTOCOL

9 files audited • 1 file with Mitigated findings • 8 files without findings

ID	File	SHA256 Checksum
• SOU	Source.sol	be32a577155d99c4bf15092bd2eab9dc86fe0 89a0c1d586f99a8083c1a74f8f2
• ADD	Address.sol	4ee17cf59421e94005916b4ca3ccd7b90af3a9 5298dc4fde0914aa9bdff74c3f
CON	<b>■</b> Context.sol	6ee66d1e4693ec63d29393cc2c83594798475 ad0eeabcb0951a35780ef003113
• ERC	■ ERC777.sol	a9f0ee091108bc2f6e64bb75cc70f047a15946 04bff38e54cd7b8d2e711e2854
• IER	■ IERC1820Registry.sol	4c722d4460537f5b55d35a4d78d50e15c1bdc 6bf1c0af87086bc71ae69eccfbb
• IEC	■ IERC20.sol	9be043cb9394f0fdfd7bfa0ae9201bedb08ce9 30a3da8c2c5cfdae56ae7eb13f
• IRC	■ IERC777.sol	3bdaec860d7c203c3912f602ae615df61e009f 70c109a28f23e6f7f70d4c36fe
• IRR	■ IERC777Recipient.sol	0942ea1b056fb9af87f5f81d7f68249398a6eb4 c7bbf7eaf74aef5f4da8f8652
• IES	■ IERC777Sender.sol	8172fca5a40bdfb550e90f84efeabbd9d70623 5998c881978f7bff5b566fb7b4



### APPROACH & METHODS STYLE PROTOCOL

This report has been prepared for STYLE Protocol to discover issues and vulnerabilities in the source code of the STYLE Protocol project as well as any contract dependencies that were not part of an officially recognized library. A comprehensive examination has been performed, utilizing Manual Review and Static Analysis techniques.

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.
- Cross referencing contract structure and implementation against similar smart contracts produced by industry leaders.
- Thorough line-by-line manual review of the entire codebase by industry experts.

The security assessment resulted in findings that ranged from critical to informational. We recommend addressing these findings to ensure a high level of security standards and industry practices. We suggest recommendations that could better serve the project from the security perspective:

- Testing the smart contracts against both common and uncommon attack vectors;
- Enhance general coding practices for better structures of source codes;
- Add enough unit tests to cover the possible use cases;
- Provide more comments per each function for readability, especially contracts that are verified in public;
- Provide more transparency on privileged activities once the protocol is live.



### REVIEW NOTES STYLE PROTOCOL

The Style Protocol project audited within this report is an ERC777 token contract which has already been launched to Ethereum mainnet (see the codebase link). This project is a fork of OpenZeppelin's ERC777 code, the only notable difference being an initial minting of 920,000,000 STYLE tokens to the msg.sender deploying the contract this address is described on-chain as STYLE Protocol: Deployer. This initial distribution can be seen in transaction hash 0x8d84590a1787c106a593722c5879ca7879700e9fc325a2498058a6ea50efdf7e.



## FINDINGS STYLE PROTOCOL



This report has been prepared to discover issues and vulnerabilities for STYLE Protocol. Through this audit, we have uncovered 2 issues ranging from different severity levels. Utilizing the techniques of Manual Review & Static Analysis to complement rigorous manual code reviews, we discovered the following findings:

ID	Title	Category	Severity	Status
SOU-01	Initial Token Distribution	Centralization / Privilege	Major	<ul><li>Mitigated</li></ul>
SOU-02	Missing Input Validation	Volatile Code	Minor	<ul><li>Resolved</li></ul>



### **SOU-01** INITIAL TOKEN DISTRIBUTION

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Centralization / Privilege	<ul><li>Major</li></ul>	Source.sol: 15	<ul><li>Mitigated</li></ul>

### Description

All STYLE tokens are sent to the contract deployer when deploying the contract. This is a potential centralization risk as the deployer can distribute STYLE tokens without the consensus of the community.

#### Recommendation

We recommend transparency through providing a breakdown of the intended initial token distribution in a public location, such as public medium article, or public project documentation on the project website. We also recommend the team make an effort to restrict the access of the corresponding private key.

#### Alleviation

[CertiK]: 2023/02/22 - 16:43 UTC - blockheight 16684942:

Currently 98.4144% of the total supply is in the gnosis safe at address: <a href="https://oxo93a6b4b812478e9603f5c140e09d0e949f5a7be">oxo93a6b4b812478e9603f5c140e09d0e949f5a7be</a>, there are two owners:

- 1. STYLE Protocol: Deployer which is an externally owned account.
- 2. 0xe1Dd668d7685Ed339d9315110d7e1007c37FE318

Please see the team's whitepaper (Version 1.2.0)  $\underline{\text{here}}$  for an outline of their token distribution plans:

- Protocol ( = 38%)
  - Team = 12% (Linear Vesting over 48 months to ensure slow distribution.)
  - Investors = 22% (Linear Vesting over 36 months to ensure slow distribution.)
  - Advisors = 4% (Linear Vesting over 18 months to ensure slow distribution.)
- Community / Later DAO (=62%)
  - Initial Launch: Given to public via CEX = 42% (Sold publicly at launch for anyone to participate.)
  - Ecosystem Growth = 10% (Long Term) (Locked first and then vested over 36 months to be invested strategically in growth and offered for funding of ecosystem projects.)
  - Community Development = 10% (Long Term) (Initial and then vested over 60 months to be invested in long-term community building and growth of participants.)



### SOU-02 MISSING INPUT VALIDATION

Category	Severity	Location	Status
Volatile Code	<ul><li>Minor</li></ul>	Source.sol: 10	<ul><li>Resolved</li></ul>

### Description

The constructor of the styleToken contract is missing a check that initialSupply > 0.

#### Recommendation

We recommend adding a check the passed-in uint is not zero to prevent unexpected errors.

#### Alleviation

[Certik]: This contract is deployed at address <a href="https://oxa962fc9d092c1e2de00bf600e261cf058b5685b1">oxa962fc9d092c1e2de00bf600e261cf058b5685b1</a> with 920,000,000 STYLE tokens minted as the initial supply at transaction hash

 $\underline{0x8d84590a1787c106a593722c5879ca7879700e9fc325a2498058a6ea50efdf7e}, so this instance has a non-zero amount of tokens.$ 



## APPENDIX STYLE PROTOCOL

### **I** Finding Categories

Categories	Description
Centralization / Privilege	Centralization / Privilege findings refer to either feature logic or implementation of components that act against the nature of decentralization, such as explicit ownership or specialized access roles in combination with a mechanism to relocate funds.
Volatile Code	Volatile Code findings refer to segments of code that behave unexpectedly on certain edge cases that may result in a vulnerability.

#### Checksum Calculation Method

The "Checksum" field in the "Audit Scope" section is calculated as the SHA-256 (Secure Hash Algorithm 2 with digest size of 256 bits) digest of the content of each file hosted in the listed source repository under the specified commit.

The result is hexadecimal encoded and is the same as the output of the Linux "sha256sum" command against the target file.



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