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Smart Contract Audit Report



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Executive Summary

Overview

Valix conducted a smart contract audit to evaluate potential security issues of the **NFTMarketplace feature**. This audit report was published on *11 Jan 2022*. The audit scope is limited to the **NFTMarketplace feature**. Our security best practices strongly recommend that the **PlayToEarn team** conduct a full security audit for both on-chain and off-chain components of its infrastructure and their interaction. A comprehensive examination has been performed during the audit process utilizing Valix's Formal Verification, Static Analysis, and Manual Review techniques.

About NFTMarketplace

PlayToEarn Marketplace is where gamers can easily trade NFTs from beloved games and support the game developers. Users can easily search through the entire marketplace to find what they want. The platform provides a detailed description of each NFT as well as market conditions for the most informed decision. These NFTs can be redeemed in our partners' ecosystem to put those items in use. Game creators can earn market fees from listing their game NFTs on our marketplace with high customization capabilities to provide the most smooth experience for gamers.

Scope of Work

The security audit conducted does not replace the full security audit of the overall PlayToEarn protocol. The scope is limited to the **NFTMarketplace feature** and their related smart contracts.

The security audit covered the components at this specific state:

Item	Description
Components	 NFTMarketplace smart contract Imported associated smart contracts and libraries
GitHub Repository	 https://github.com/playtoearndev/playtoearn-nft-marketplace-contracts
Commit	 c5f93fbfa90791e4772f74f2cb423735f914c098
Reassessment Commit	 871b45d44067c84a4495af2cdc1dc313c975c48e
Audited Files	 contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol



Excluded Files/Contracts	-

Remark: Our security best practices strongly recommend that the PlayToEarn team conduct a full security audit for both on-chain and off-chain components of its infrastructure and the interaction between them.



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Disclaimer

Our smart contract audit was conducted over a limited period and was performed on the smart contract at a single point in time. As such, the scope was limited to current known risks during the work period. The review does not indicate that the smart contract and blockchain software has no vulnerability exposure.

We reviewed the security of the smart contracts with our best effort, and we do not guarantee a hundred percent coverage of the underlying risk existing in the ecosystem. The audit was scoped only in the provided code repository. The on-chain code is not in the scope of auditing.

This audit report does not provide any warranty or guarantee, nor should it be considered an "approval" or "endorsement" of any particular project. This audit report should also not be used as investment advice nor provide any legal compliance.



Audit Result Summary

From the audit results and the remediation and response from the developer, Valix trusts that the **NFTMarketplace feature** has sufficient security protections to be safe for use.



Initially, Valix was able to identify **18 issues** that were categorized from the "Critical" to "Informational" risk level in the given timeframe of the assessment. For the reassessment, the PlayToEarn team fully fixed 17 issues and partially fixed 1 medium issue. Below is the breakdown of the vulnerabilities found and their associated risk rating for each assessment conducted.

Torgot	Assessment Result			Reassessment Result						
Target	С	Н	М	L	1	С	Н	М	L	1
NFTMarketplace	1	3	7	3	4	0	0	1	0	0
Note: Risk Rating C Cr	itical,	H F	ligh,	M	Medium,	L	Low,	1	Inform	national



Methodology

The smart contract security audit methodology is based on Smart Contract Weakness Classification and Test Cases (SWC Registry), CWE, well-known best practices, and smart contract hacking case studies. Manual and automated review approaches can be mixed and matched, including business logic analysis in terms of the malicious doer's perspective. Using automated scanning tools to navigate or find offending software patterns in the codebase along with a purely manual or semi-automated approach, where the analyst primarily relies on one's knowledge, is performed to eliminate the false-positive results.



Planning and Understanding

- Determine the scope of testing and understanding the application's purposes and workflows.
- Identify key risk areas, including technical and business risks.
- Determine which sections to review within the resource constraints and review method automated, manual or mixed.

Automated Review

- Adjust automated source code review tools to inspect the code for known unsafe coding patterns.
- Verify the tool's output to eliminate false-positive results, and adjust and re-run the code review tool if necessary.

Manual Review

- Analyzing the business logic flaws requires thinking in unconventional methods.
- Identify unsafe coding behavior via static code analysis.

Reporting

- Analyze the root cause of the flaws.
- Recommend improvements for secure source code.



Audit Items

We perform the audit according to the following categories and test names.

Category	ID	Test Name		
	SEC01	Authorization Through tx.origin		
	SEC02	Business Logic Flaw		
	SEC03	Delegatecall to Untrusted Callee		
	SEC04	DoS With Block Gas Limit		
	SEC05	DoS with Failed Call		
	SEC06	Function Default Visibility		
	SEC07	Hash Collisions With Multiple Variable Length Arguments		
	SEC08	Incorrect Constructor Name		
	SEC09	Improper Access Control or Authorization		
	SEC10	Improper Emergency Response Mechanism		
	SEC11	Insufficient Validation of Address Length		
Security Issue	SEC12	Integer Overflow and Underflow		
	SEC13	Outdated Compiler Version		
	SEC14	Outdated Library Version		
	SEC15	Private Data On-Chain		
	SEC16	Reentrancy		
	SEC17	Transaction Order Dependence		
	SEC18	Unchecked Call Return Value		
	SEC19	Unexpected Token Balance		
	SEC20	Unprotected Assignment of Ownership		
	SEC21	Unprotected SELFDESTRUCT Instruction		
	SEC22	Unprotected Token Withdrawal		
	SEC23	Unsafe Type Inference		
	SEC24	Use of Deprecated Solidity Functions		
	SEC25	Use of Untrusted Code or Libraries		
	SEC26	Weak Sources of Randomness from Chain Attributes		
	SEC27	Write to Arbitrary Storage Location		



Category	ID	Test Name		
	FNC01	Arithmetic Precision		
Functional Issue	FNC02	Permanently Locked Fund		
	FNC03	Redundant Fallback Function		
	FNC04	Timestamp Dependence		
	OPT01	Code With No Effects		
	OPT02	Message Call with Hardcoded Gas Amount		
Operational Issue	OPT03	The Implementation Contract Flow or Value and the Document is Aismatched		
	OPT04	The Usage of Excessive Byte Array		
	OPT05	Unenforced Timelock on An Upgradeable Proxy Contract		
	DEV01	Assert Violation		
	DEV02	Other Compilation Warnings		
	DEV03	Presence of Unused Variables		
Developmental Issue	DEV04	Shadowing State Variables		
	DEV05	State Variable Default Visibility		
	DEV06	Typographical Error		
	DEV07	Uninitialized Storage Pointer		
	DEV08	Violation of Solidity Coding Convention		
	DEV09	Violation of Token (ERC20) Standard API		



Risk Rating

To prioritize the vulnerabilities, we have adopted the scheme of five distinct levels of risk: **Critical**, **High**, **Medium**, **Low**, and **Informational**, based on OWASP Risk Rating Methodology. The risk level definitions are presented in the table.

Risk Level	Definition
Critical	The code implementation does not match the specification, and it could disrupt the platform.
High	The code implementation does not match the specification, or it could result in the loss of funds for contract owners or users.
Medium	The code implementation does not match the specification under certain conditions, or it could affect the security standard by losing access control.
Low	The code implementation does not follow best practices or use suboptimal design patterns, which may lead to security vulnerabilities further down the line.
Informational	Findings in this category are informational and may be further improved by following best practices and guidelines.

The **risk value** of each issue was calculated from the product of the **impact** and **likelihood values**, as illustrated in a two-dimensional matrix below.

- Likelihood represents how likely a particular vulnerability is exposed and exploited in the wild.
- Impact measures the technical loss and business damage of a successful attack.
- **Risk** demonstrates the overall criticality of the risk.

Likelihood Impact	High	Medium	Low
High	Critical	High	Medium
Medium	High	Medium	Low
Low	Medium	Low	Informational

The shading of the matrix visualizes the different risk levels. Based on the acceptance criteria, the risk levels "Critical" and "High" are unacceptable. Any issue obtaining the above levels must be resolved to lower the risk to an acceptable level.



Findings

Review Findings Summary

The table below shows the summary of our assessments.

No.	Issue	Risk	Status	Functionality is in use
1	Potential Theft Of All NFT Assets	Critical	Fixed	In use
2	Selling NFT Assets Without Updating Remaining Amount	High	Fixed	In use
3	Contract Parameters Can Be Adjusted Without Time Delay	High	Fixed	In use
4	Existence Of Risky Function	High	Fixed	In use
5	Invalid Struct Design	Medium	Fixed	In use
6	Possible Denial Of Service On NFT Data Querying	Medium	Fixed	In use
7	Unsafe Function Use	Medium	Fixed	In use
8	Setting Fee Without Limit	Medium	Fixed	In use
9	Possibly Permanent Ownership Removal	Medium	Fixed	In use
10	Unsafe Ownership Transfer	Medium	Fixed	In use
11	Improper NFT Data Querying	Medium	Partially Fixed	In use
12	No Input Sanitization Checks	Low	Fixed	In use
13	The Compiler Is Not Locked To A Specific Version	Low	Fixed	In use
14	The Compiler May Be Susceptible To The Publicly Disclosed Bugs	Low	Fixed	In use
15	Recommended Gas Optimization	Informational	Fixed	In use
16	Misleading Struct Field	Informational	Fixed	In use
17	Misleading State Variable	Informational	Fixed	In use
18	Inconsistent Comment With The Code	Informational	Fixed	In use

The statuses of the issues are defined as follows:

Fixed: The issue has been completely resolved and has no further complications.

Partially Fixed: The issue has been partially resolved.

Acknowledged: The issue's risk has been reported and acknowledged.



Detailed Result

No. 1	Potential Theft Of All NFT Assets			
Biak	Oritical	Likelihood	High	
Risk	Critical	Impact	High	
Functionality is in use	In use Status Fixed		Fixed	
Associated Files	contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol			
Locations	NFTMarketplace.sol L: 161 - 214 and 216 - 250			

This section provides all issues that we found in detail.

Detailed Issue

We found the critical vulnerability on the *buyMarketItem* (L161 - 214) and *unlistMarketItem* (L216 - 250) functions that enable an attacker to steal all NFT assets on the marketplace. For brevity's sake, we will explain this issue by describing the case of the *buyMarketItem* function since the vulnerability on the *unlistMarketItem* function is almost identical.

Consider the following attack scenario.

- Bob places his NFT assets for trading by executing the function *createMarketItem(nftContract:* 0xabc..012, tokenId: 1, price: 500, amount: 10). As an execution result, the function generates a sequent id itemId: 1 for Bob's NFT assets.
- 2. The attacker sees Bob's NFT assets on the marketplace. The attacker then creates the forged NFT assets by calling the function createMarketItem(nftContract: 0xdef..666, tokenId: 1, price: 1, amount: 10). Note that 0xdef..666 is the NFT contract address imitated for stealing Bob's NFT assets created in Step 1. The function generates the next id itemId: 2 for the attacker's NFT assets as an execution result.
- 3. The attacker manages to steal Bob's NFT assets by invoking the function buyMarketItem(nftContract: 0xabc..012, itemId: 2, amount: 10). Consequently, the attacker can steal Bob's NFT assets (itemId: 1) by manipulating the nftContract parameter.

The root cause of this issue is that the attacker can manipulate the *nftContract* parameter (L162 in the code snippet below) by specifying an address of Bob's NFT contract (*0xabc..012*) whereas specifying the forged NFT assets (*itemId: 2*) to bypass the computation from L166 to L182.

Eventually, the *buyMarketItem* function will transfer the managed NFT assets from the *NFTMarketpLace* contract to the attacker address (L184 - 190).



```
NFTMarketplace.sol
161
     function buyMarketItem(
162
         address nftContract,
163
         uint256 itemId,
164
         uint256 amount
165
     ) public nonReentrant {
166
         uint256 price = idToMarketItem[itemId].price;
167
         uint256 tokenId = idToMarketItem[itemId].tokenId;
168
         uint256 fee = calculateFee(amount, price);
169
170
         require(amount > 0, "Amount must > 0");
171
         require(
172
             idToMarketItem[itemId].amount >= amount,
173
             "Insufficient market item amount"
174
         );
         require(idToMarketItem[itemId].isSold != true, "This item is sold");
175
176
         require(idToMarketItem[itemId].isUnlisted != true, "This item is unlisted");
177
178
         uint256 cost = idToMarketItem[itemId].price.mul(amount).sub(fee);
179
         require(_currency.balanceOf(msg.sender) >= cost, "Insufficient currency");
180
181
         // Transfer currency to contract owner
182
         _currency.transferFrom(msg.sender, idToMarketItem[itemId].seller, cost);
183
184
         IERC1155(nftContract).safeTransferFrom(
185
             address(this),
186
             msg.sender,
187
             tokenId,
188
             amount,
189
              "0x0"
190
         );
191
192
         idToMarketItem[itemId].owner = msg.sender;
193
194
         // Transfer fee to contract owner
195
         _currency.transferFrom(msg.sender, owner(), fee);
196
197
         bool sold = idToMarketItem[itemId].amount == amount;
198
         if (sold) {
199
             idToMarketItem[itemId].isSold = true;
200
             itemsSold.increment();
201
         }
202
203
         emit MarketItemSold(
204
             itemId,
205
             nftContract,
206
             idToMarketItem[itemId].tokenId,
207
             idToMarketItem[itemId].seller,
208
             idToMarketItem[itemId].owner,
209
             idToMarketItem[itemId].price,
```



amount,				
sold,				
false				
);				
	amount, sold, false);	amount, sold, false);	amount, sold, false);	amount, sold, false);

Listing 1.1 The *buyMarketItem* function that is vulnerable to NFT theft

Recommendations

We recommend updating both the *buyMarketItem* (L161 - 214) and *unListMarketItem* (L216 - 250) functions by employing the *idToMarketItem[itemId].nftContract* instead of the manipulatable parameter *nftContract* (L183) and removing the parameter *nftContract* from the functions like the code snippet below.

NFTMarketplace.sol

161	function buyMarketItem(
162	uint256 itemId,
163	uint256 amount
164) <pre>public nonReentrant {</pre>
165	<pre>uint256 price = idToMarketItem[itemId].price;</pre>
166	<pre>uint256 tokenId = idToMarketItem[itemId].tokenId;</pre>
167	<pre>uint256 fee = calculateFee(amount, price);</pre>
168	
169	<pre>require(amount > 0, "Amount must > 0");</pre>
170	require(
171	idToMarketItem[itemId].amount >= amount,
172	"Insufficient market item amount"
173);
174	<pre>require(idToMarketItem[itemId].isSold != true, "This item is sold");</pre>
175	<pre>require(idToMarketItem[itemId].isUnlisted != true, "This item is unlisted");</pre>
176	
177	<pre>uint256 cost = idToMarketItem[itemId].price.mul(amount).sub(fee);</pre>
178	<pre>require(_currency.balanceOf(msg.sender) >= cost, "Insufficient currency");</pre>
179	
180	// Iranster currency to contract owner
181	_currency.transferFrom(msg.sender, idioMarketitem[itemid].seller, cost);
102	
107 107	addmoss(this)
104	mcg conden
186	tokenId
187	
188	
189_):
190	
191	idToMarketItem[itemId].owner = msg.sender:
192	



193	// Transfer fee to contract owner
194	_currency.transferFrom(msg.sender, owner(), fee);
195	
196	<pre>bool sold = idToMarketItem[itemId].amount == amount;</pre>
197	<pre>if (sold) {</pre>
198	idToMarketItem[itemId].isSold = true;
199	_itemsSold.increment();
200	}
201	
202	emit MarketItemSold(
203	itemId,
204	nftContract,
205	idToMarketItem[itemId].tokenId,
206	idToMarketItem[itemId].seller,
207	idToMarketItem[itemId].owner,
208	idToMarketItem[itemId].price,
209	amount,
210	sold,
211	false
212);
213	}

Listing 1.2 The improved *buyMarketItem* function

Reassessment

The PlayToEarn team fixed this issue by employing the *idToMarketItem[itemId].nftContract* instead of the manipulatable parameter *nftContract* and removing the parameter *nftContract* from the associated functions according to our recommendation.



No. 2	Selling NFT Assets Without Updating Remaining Amount		
Diak	High	Likelihood	High
RISK		Impact	Medium
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Fixed
Associated Files	contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol		
Locations	NFTMarketplace.sol L: 161 - 214		

As shown in the code snippet below, we found that the *buyMarketItem* function sells NFT assets without updating the remaining amount. This inconsistent record may lead to unexpected errors or even denial-of-service issues to the platform.

```
NFTMarketplace.sol
161
     function buyMarketItem(
162
         address nftContract,
163
         uint256 itemId,
164
         uint256 amount
165
     ) public nonReentrant {
166
         uint256 price = idToMarketItem[itemId].price;
167
         uint256 tokenId = idToMarketItem[itemId].tokenId;
168
         uint256 fee = calculateFee(amount, price);
169
170
         require(amount > 0, "Amount must > 0");
171
         require(
172
             idToMarketItem[itemId].amount >= amount,
173
             "Insufficient market item amount"
174
         );
175
         require(idToMarketItem[itemId].isSold != true, "This item is sold");
176
         require(idToMarketItem[itemId].isUnlisted != true, "This item is unlisted");
177
178
         uint256 cost = idToMarketItem[itemId].price.mul(amount).sub(fee);
179
         require(_currency.balanceOf(msg.sender) >= cost, "Insufficient currency");
180
181
         // Transfer currency to contract owner
182
         _currency.transferFrom(msg.sender, idToMarketItem[itemId].seller, cost);
183
184
         IERC1155(nftContract).safeTransferFrom(
185
             address(this),
186
             msg.sender,
187
             tokenId,
```



```
188
             amount,
189
             "0x0"
190
         );
191
192
         idToMarketItem[itemId].owner = msg.sender;
193
         // Transfer fee to contract owner
194
195
         _currency.transferFrom(msg.sender, owner(), fee);
196
197
         bool sold = idToMarketItem[itemId].amount == amount;
198
         if (sold) {
199
             idToMarketItem[itemId].isSold = true;
200
             _itemsSold.increment();
201
         }
202
203
         emit MarketItemSold(
204
             itemId,
205
             nftContract,
206
             idToMarketItem[itemId].tokenId,
207
             idToMarketItem[itemId].seller,
208
             idToMarketItem[itemId].owner,
209
             idToMarketItem[itemId].price,
210
             amount,
211
             sold,
             false
212
213
         );
214
     }
```

Listing 2.1 The *buyMarketItem* function sells NFT assets without updating the remaining amount

Recommendations

We recommend updating the remaining amount after NFT assets are purchased, like the example code snippet below (L197 - 198).

```
NFTMarketplace.sol
```

```
161
     function buyMarketItem(
162
         address nftContract,
163
         uint256 itemId,
164
         uint256 amount
165
     ) public nonReentrant {
166
         uint256 price = idToMarketItem[itemId].price;
167
         uint256 tokenId = idToMarketItem[itemId].tokenId;
168
         uint256 fee = calculateFee(amount, price);
169
170
         require(amount > 0, "Amount must > 0");
171
         require(
172
           idToMarketItem[itemId].amount >= amount,
```



```
173
           "Insufficient market item amount"
174
         );
175
         require(idToMarketItem[itemId].isSold != true, "This item is sold");
176
         require(idToMarketItem[itemId].isUnlisted != true, "This item is unlisted");
177
178
         uint256 cost = idToMarketItem[itemId].price.mul(amount).sub(fee);
179
         require(_currency.balanceOf(msg.sender) >= cost, "Insufficient currency");
180
181
         // Transfer currency to contract owner
182
         currency.transferFrom(msg.sender, idToMarketItem[itemId].seller, cost);
183
184
         IERC1155(nftContract).safeTransferFrom(
185
           address(this),
186
           msg.sender,
187
           tokenId,
188
           amount,
           "0x0"
189
190
         );
191
192
         idToMarketItem[itemId].owner = msg.sender;
193
194
         // Transfer fee to contract owner
195
         _currency.transferFrom(msg.sender, owner(), fee);
196
         idToMarketItem[itemId].amount = idToMarketItem[itemId].amount.sub(amount);
197
198
         if (idToMarketItem[itemId].amount == 0) {
199
           idToMarketItem[itemId].isSold = true;
200
           _itemsSold.increment();
201
         }
202
203
         emit MarketItemSold(
204
           itemId,
205
           nftContract,
206
           idToMarketItem[itemId].tokenId,
207
           idToMarketItem[itemId].seller,
208
           idToMarketItem[itemId].owner,
209
           idToMarketItem[itemId].price,
210
           amount,
211
           sold,
           false
212
213
         );
214
     }
```

Listing 2.2 The improved *buyMarketItem* function

Reassessment

The PlayToEarn team fixed this issue according to our recommendation.



No. 3 Contract Parameters Can Be Adjusted Without		Adjusted Without Time I	Delay
Diak	High	Likelihood	Medium
RISK		Impact	High
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Fixed
Associated Files	contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol		
Locations	NFTMarketplace.sol L: 103 - 106 and 112 - 115		

The developer can adjust the contract parameters immediately, affecting the platform's trustworthiness and raising concerns to users.

The code snippet below shows the *setFee* and *setCurrency* functions that allow the developer to adjust the *fee* and *currency token* freely. We consider that changing the *fee* or *currency token* can affect the value of users' NFT assets in the marketplace.

```
NFTMarketplace.sol
103
     function setFee(uint256 fee) public onlyOwner {
104
         fee = fee;
105
         emit SetFee(fee);
106
     }
     (...SNIP...)
112
     function setCurrency(address currency) public onlyOwner {
113
         _currency = IERC20(currency);
114
         emit SetCurrency(currency);
115
     }
```

Listing 3.1 The *setFee* and *setCurrency* functions enable the developer to adjust the *fee* and *currency token* freely



We recommend applying the *TimeLock* contract to the *NFTMarketpLace* contract. The relationship between each entity should be as follows:

Developer address -> Timelock -> NFTMarketplace

Every time a developer adjusts any contract parameters, the *TimeLock* will defer the transaction for some waiting period (e.g., 48 hours) configured. This enables users to examine what parameters the developer wants to adjust before effective, providing transparency.

Reassessment

The PlayToEarn team would fix this issue by employing the *OpenZeppeLin Defender* to deploy the *TimeLock* for the *NFTMarketpLace* contract.



No. 4	Existence Of Risky Function		
Diala	High	Likelihood	Medium
RISK		Impact	High
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Fixed
Associated Files	contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol		
Locations	NFTMarketplace.sol L: 112 - 115		

The developer can change a *currency token* used as the medium of exchange for NFT trading through the *setCurrency* function (L112), as shown in the code snippet below.

NFTMarketplace.sol			
112	<pre>function setCurrency(address currency) public onlyOwner { currency = TEPC20(currency);</pre>		
114	<pre>emit SetCurrency(currency);</pre>		
115	}		

Listing 4.1 The setCurrency function allows the developer to change the currency token

We found that the *change of currency token* via the *setCurrency* function can affect the value of users' NFT assets on the marketplace. Let's consider the following scenario to understand this issue.

- 1. The developer deploys the *NFTMarketplace* contract and sets the *BNB* token (via a contract constructor) as the medium of exchange.
- 2. Bob places his NFT asset and sets its price at *1 BNB* (assuming that *1 BNB* equals *\$600*) for sale on the marketplace.
- 3. The developer changes the currency token from *BNB* to *USDT* token via the *setCurrency* function.
- 4. Bob's NFT asset value is lowered from \$600 to \$1 immediately.
- 5. Alice sells Bob's NFT with 1 USDT.

We consider changing the *currency token* while there are NFT assets open for sale on the marketplace dangerous. In other words, the marketplace should use the fixed currency token.



We consider the *setCurrency* function risky for the platform and recommend removing it from the *NFTMarketplace* contract. The contract should use the fixed currency token.

Reassessment

According to our recommendation, the PlayToEarn team fixed this issue by removing the *setCurrency* function from the *NFTMarketplace* contract.



No. 5	Invalid Struct Design		
Diak	Medium	Likelihood	High
RISK		Impact	Low
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Fixed
Associated Files	contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol		
Locations	NFTMarketplace.sol L: 32 - 42, 161 - 214, 287 - 302 and 312 - 333		

Since the *NFTMarketpLace* contract supports multi-asset trading on the same item id, multiple users can own assets on the same item id. However, our investigation found that the *MarketItem* struct (L32 - 42 in the code snippet 5.1) used to track NFT assets of each token id has an invalid design.

The *MarketItem* struct supports only a single owner tracking at a time (L37 in the code snippet 5.1). Let's consider the *buyMarketItem* function (L192 in the code snippet 5.2). The *buyMarketItem* function will overwrite the NFT owner every time the remaining assets are purchased.

This invalid struct design may lead to incorrect querying results of the following functions.

- 1. *getMarketItems* function (L287 302)
- 2. fetchPurchasedNFTs function (L312 333)

The code snippet 5.3 shows one of the affected functions, *fetchPurchasedNFTs*, that may return incorrect querying results because of the invalid struct design.

NFTMarketplace.sol		
32	<pre>struct MarketItem {</pre>	
33	<pre>uint256 itemId;</pre>	
34	address nftContract;	
35	<pre>uint256 tokenId;</pre>	
36	address seller;	
37	address owner;	
38	uint256 price;	
39	uint256 amount;	
40	bool isSold;	
41	<pre>bool isUnlisted;</pre>	
42	}	

Listing 5.1 The MarketItem struct supporting only a single owner



```
NFTMarketplace.sol
161
     function buyMarketItem(
162
         address nftContract,
163
         uint256 itemId,
164
         uint256 amount
165
     ) public nonReentrant {
         uint256 price = idToMarketItem[itemId].price;
166
167
         uint256 tokenId = idToMarketItem[itemId].tokenId;
168
         uint256 fee = calculateFee(amount, price);
169
170
         require(amount > 0, "Amount must > 0");
171
         require(
172
             idToMarketItem[itemId].amount >= amount,
             "Insufficient market item amount"
173
174
         );
175
         require(idToMarketItem[itemId].isSold != true, "This item is sold");
176
         require(idToMarketItem[itemId].isUnlisted != true, "This item is unlisted");
177
178
         uint256 cost = idToMarketItem[itemId].price.mul(amount).sub(fee);
179
         require(_currency.balanceOf(msg.sender) >= cost, "Insufficient currency");
180
181
         // Transfer currency to contract owner
182
         currency.transferFrom(msg.sender, idToMarketItem[itemId].seller, cost);
183
184
         IERC1155(nftContract).safeTransferFrom(
185
             address(this),
186
             msg.sender,
187
             tokenId,
188
             amount,
189
              "0x0"
190
         );
191
192
         idToMarketItem[itemId].owner = msg.sender;
193
194
         // Transfer fee to contract owner
195
         _currency.transferFrom(msg.sender, owner(), fee);
196
197
         bool sold = idToMarketItem[itemId].amount == amount;
198
         if (sold) {
199
             idToMarketItem[itemId].isSold = true;
200
             _itemsSold.increment();
201
         }
202
203
         emit MarketItemSold(
204
             itemId,
205
             nftContract,
206
             idToMarketItem[itemId].tokenId,
207
             idToMarketItem[itemId].seller,
             idToMarketItem[itemId].owner,
208
```



209	idToMarketItem[itemId].price,
210	amount,
211	sold,
212	false
213);
214	}
211 212 213 214	<pre>sold, false }</pre>

Listing 5.2 The *buyMarketItem* function will overwrite the NFT owner every time the remaining assets are purchased

NFTM	/arketplace.sol
312	<pre>function fetchPurchasedNFTs() public view returns (MarketItem[] memory) {</pre>
313	<pre>uint256 totalItemCount = _itemIds.current();</pre>
314	<pre>uint256 itemCount = 0;</pre>
315	<pre>uint256 currentIndex = 0;</pre>
316	
317	<pre>for (uint256 i = 0; i < totalItemCount; i++) {</pre>
318	<pre>if (idToMarketItem[i + 1].owner == msg.sender) {</pre>
319	<pre>itemCount += 1;</pre>
320	}
321	}
322	
323	MarketItem[] memory marketItems = new MarketItem[](itemCount);
324 225	for $(1117256 \ 1 = 0; \ 1 < totalitemcount; \ 1++) $
325 226	<pre>IT (IdToMarketItem[1 + I].owner == msg.sender) { uint256 currentId = idToMarketItem[i + 1] itemId;</pre>
220 227	MankotItom stopage cuppontItom = idTeMankotItom[cuppontId]:
327	<pre>marketItems[currentIndex] = currentItem;</pre>
329	currentIndex += 1.
330	}
331	}
332	return marketItems;
333	}

Listing 5.3 The fetchPurchasedNFTs function may return incorrect querying results



We recommend re-designing/implementing the *MarketItem* struct to support multiple owners tracking. The code snippet below shows an example solution to multi-owner tracking.

NFTMarketplace.sol		
32	<pre>struct OwnerInfo {</pre>	
33	address owner;	
34	uint256 amount;	
35	}	
36		
37	<pre>struct MarketItem {</pre>	
38	uint256 itemId;	
39	address nftContract;	
40	uint256 tokenId;	
41	address seller;	
42	OwnerInfo[] ownerInfo;	
43	uint256 price;	
44	uint256 amount;	
45	bool isSold;	
46	<pre>bool isUnlisted;</pre>	
47	}	

Listing 5.4 The MarketItem struct that supports multiple owners tracking

Reassessment

The PlayToEarn team fixed this issue by tracking multiple owners under the same item id as the code snippet below.

NFTMarketplace.sol			
36	<pre>struct OwnerInfo {</pre>		
37	address owner;		
38	uint256 amount;		
39	uint256 atBlock;		
40	<u>}</u>		
41			
42	<pre>struct MarketItem {</pre>		
43	uint256 itemId;		
44	address nftContract;		
45	uint256 tokenId;		
46	address seller;		
47	<pre>mapping(uint256 => OwnerInfo) ownerInfo;</pre>		
48	Counters.Counter ownerInfoCount;		
49	uint256 price;		
50	uint256 amount;		
51	bool isSold;		
52	bool isUnlisted;		



Listing 5.5 The fixed MarketItem struct





No. 6	Possible Denial Of Service On NFT Data Querying		
Diak	Medium	Likelihood	Low
RISK		Impact	High
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Fixed
Associated Files	contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol		
Locations	NFTMarketplace.sol L: 287 - 302, 312 - 333, and 335 - 356		

On the NFTMarketplace platform, the number of NFT assets placed for trading might grow over time. With this assumption, we found that the following *view* functions might confront a denial-of-service issue if the number of NFT assets on the marketplace is too large.

The affected functions include:

- 1. getMarketItems function (L287 302)
- 2. *fetchPurchasedNFTs* function (L312 333)
- 3. *fetchCreateNFTs* function (L335 356)

The root cause of this issue is that the affected functions have to iterate over all NFT assets (L293, L317, L324, L340, and L347 in the code snippet below), which might take too long for querying on the EVM node, leading to the rejection of querying request.



NFTMarketplace.sol

```
287
     function getMarketItems() public view returns (MarketItem[] memory) {
288
         uint256 itemCount = itemIds.current();
289
         uint256 unsoldItemCount = _itemIds.current() - _itemsSold.current();
290
         uint256 currentIndex = 0;
291
292
         MarketItem[] memory marketItems = new MarketItem[](unsoldItemCount);
293
         for (uint256 i = 0; i < itemCount; i++) {</pre>
294
           if (idToMarketItem[i + 1].owner == address(0)) {
295
             uint256 currentId = idToMarketItem[i + 1].itemId;
296
             MarketItem storage currentItem = idToMarketItem[currentId];
297
             marketItems[currentIndex] = currentItem;
298
             currentIndex += 1;
           }
299
300
         }
301
         return marketItems;
302
     }
     (....SNIP....)
312
     function fetchPurchasedNFTs() public view returns (MarketItem[] memory) {
313
         uint256 totalItemCount = _itemIds.current();
314
         uint256 itemCount = 0;
315
         uint256 currentIndex = 0;
316
         for (uint256 i = 0; i < totalItemCount; i++) {</pre>
317
318
           if (idToMarketItem[i + 1].owner == msg.sender) {
319
             itemCount += 1;
320
           }
321
         }
322
323
         MarketItem[] memory marketItems = new MarketItem[](itemCount);
324
         for (uint256 i = 0; i < totalItemCount; i++) {</pre>
325
           if (idToMarketItem[i + 1].owner == msg.sender) {
326
             uint256 currentId = idToMarketItem[i + 1].itemId;
327
             MarketItem storage currentItem = idToMarketItem[currentId];
328
             marketItems[currentIndex] = currentItem;
329
             currentIndex += 1;
330
           }
331
         }
332
         return marketItems;
333
     }
334
335
     function fetchCreateNFTs() public view returns (MarketItem[] memory) {
336
         uint256 totalItemCount = _itemIds.current();
337
         uint256 itemCount = 0;
338
         uint256 currentIndex = 0;
339
340
         for (uint256 i = 0; i < totalItemCount; i++) {</pre>
341
           if (idToMarketItem[i + 1].seller == msg.sender) {
```



342	<pre>itemCount += 1; // No dynamic length. Predefined length has to be made</pre>
343	}
344	}
345	
346	MarketItem[] memory marketItems = new MarketItem[](itemCount);
347	<mark>for (uint256 i = 0; i < totalItemCount; i++)</mark> {
348	<pre>if (idToMarketItem[i + 1].seller == msg.sender) {</pre>
349	<pre>uint256 currentId = idToMarketItem[i + 1].itemId;</pre>
350	MarketItem <pre>storage</pre> currentItem = idToMarketItem[currentId];
351	<pre>marketItems[currentIndex] = currentItem;</pre>
352	currentIndex += 1;
353	}
354	}
355	return marketItems;
356	}

Listing 6.1 The *getMarketItems*, *fetchPurchasedNFTs*, and *fetchCreateNFTs* functions that are prone to the denial-of-service issue

We recommend two possible solutions. The first solution is to apply pagination for data querying, in which the large querying data are divided into smaller discrete pages.

The second solution is to employ different arrays for tracking different NFT assets of interest. For example, using different arrays to track assets available for sale, purchased assets, and assets created by a specific seller.

Reassessment

According to our suggestion, the PlayToEarn team fixed this issue by applying pagination for data querying. Our further recommendation is to make query calls at the same block number for consistent querying results.

Unfortunately, we found a further issue with the improved functions during the reassessment of this issue. Please refer to issue no. 11 for more details.



No. 7	Unsafe Function Use		
Diak	Medium	Likelihood	Low
RISK		Impact	High
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Fixed
Associated Files	contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol		
Locations	NFTMarketplace.sol L: 182 and 195		

The *buyMarketItem* function uses an unsafe ERC-20 *transferFrom* function (L182 and L195 in the code snippet below) that can lead to unexpected ERC-20 transfer errors.

```
NFTMarketplace.sol
161
     function buyMarketItem(
162
         address nftContract,
163
         uint256 itemId,
164
         uint256 amount
165
     ) public nonReentrant {
166
         uint256 price = idToMarketItem[itemId].price;
167
         uint256 tokenId = idToMarketItem[itemId].tokenId;
168
         uint256 fee = calculateFee(amount, price);
169
170
         require(amount > 0, "Amount must > 0");
171
         require(
172
           idToMarketItem[itemId].amount >= amount,
173
           "Insufficient market item amount"
174
         );
175
         require(idToMarketItem[itemId].isSold != true, "This item is sold");
176
         require(idToMarketItem[itemId].isUnlisted != true, "This item is unlisted");
177
178
         uint256 cost = idToMarketItem[itemId].price.mul(amount).sub(fee);
179
         require(_currency.balanceOf(msg.sender) >= cost, "Insufficient currency");
180
181
         // Transfer currency to contract owner
182
         _currency.transferFrom(msg.sender, idToMarketItem[itemId].seller, cost);
183
184
         IERC1155(nftContract).safeTransferFrom(
185
           address(this),
186
           msg.sender,
187
           tokenId,
188
           amount,
```



```
189
           "0x0"
190
         );
191
192
         idToMarketItem[itemId].owner = msg.sender;
193
194
         // Transfer fee to contract owner
195
         _currency.transferFrom(msg.sender, owner(), fee);
196
197
         bool sold = idToMarketItem[itemId].amount == amount;
198
         if (sold) {
199
           idToMarketItem[itemId].isSold = true;
           _itemsSold.increment();
200
201
         }
202
203
         emit MarketItemSold(
204
           itemId,
205
           nftContract,
206
           idToMarketItem[itemId].tokenId,
207
           idToMarketItem[itemId].seller,
208
           idToMarketItem[itemId].owner,
209
           idToMarketItem[itemId].price,
210
           amount,
211
           sold,
212
           false
213
         );
214
    }
```

Listing 7.1 The *buyMarketItem* function uses an unsafe *transferFrom* function

Recommendations

We recommend applying the *safeTransferFrom* function of the *SafeERC20* library instead for safe ERC-20 transfer, as shown in L182 and L195 in the code snippet below.

```
NFTMarketplace.sol
```

```
161
     function buyMarketItem(
162
         address nftContract,
163
         uint256 itemId,
164
         uint256 amount
165
     ) public nonReentrant {
166
         uint256 price = idToMarketItem[itemId].price;
167
         uint256 tokenId = idToMarketItem[itemId].tokenId;
168
         uint256 fee = calculateFee(amount, price);
169
170
         require(amount > 0, "Amount must > 0");
171
         require(
172
           idToMarketItem[itemId].amount >= amount,
173
           "Insufficient market item amount"
```



```
174
         );
175
         require(idToMarketItem[itemId].isSold != true, "This item is sold");
176
         require(idToMarketItem[itemId].isUnlisted != true, "This item is unlisted");
177
178
         uint256 cost = idToMarketItem[itemId].price.mul(amount).sub(fee);
179
         require(_currency.balanceOf(msg.sender) >= cost, "Insufficient currency");
180
181
         // Transfer currency to contract owner
182
         _currency.safeTransferFrom(msg.sender, idToMarketItem[itemId].seller, cost);
183
184
         IERC1155(nftContract).safeTransferFrom(
185
           address(this),
186
           msg.sender,
187
           tokenId,
188
           amount,
189
           "0x0"
190
         );
191
192
         idToMarketItem[itemId].owner = msg.sender;
193
194
         // Transfer fee to contract owner
195
         _currency.safeTransferFrom(msg.sender, owner(), fee);
196
197
         bool sold = idToMarketItem[itemId].amount == amount;
198
         if (sold) {
199
           idToMarketItem[itemId].isSold = true;
           _itemsSold.increment();
200
201
         }
202
203
         emit MarketItemSold(
204
           itemId,
205
           nftContract,
206
           idToMarketItem[itemId].tokenId,
207
           idToMarketItem[itemId].seller,
208
           idToMarketItem[itemId].owner,
209
           idToMarketItem[itemId].price,
210
           amount,
211
           sold,
212
           false
213
         );
214
     }
```

Listing 7.2 The improved *buyMarketItem* function that uses the *safeTransferFrom* function

Reassessment

The PlayToEarn team fixed this issue as per our recommendation.



No. 8	Setting Fee Without Limit		
Diak	Medium	Likelihood	Medium
RISK		Impact	Medium
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Fixed
Associated Files	contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol		
Locations	NFTMarketplace.sol L: 27 - 30 and 103 - 106		

The change of *pLatform fee* affects the income of users directly. However, the developer can set the *pLatform fee* without limit through the *constructor* (L27 - 30) and *setFee* (L103 - 106) function, as shown in the code snippet below.

```
NFTMarketplace.sol
 27
     constructor(IERC20 currency, uint256 listingFee) {
         _currency = currency;
 28
 29
         _fee = listingFee;
 30
     }
     (....SNIP....)
103
     function setFee(uint256 fee) public onlyOwner {
104
         _fee = fee;
105
         emit SetFee(fee);
106
     }
```

Listing 8.1 The *constructor* and *setFee* function allowing the developer to set the *pLatform* fee without limit



We recommend limiting the scope of *pLatform* fee in the *constructor* (L27 - 30) and *setFee* function (L103 - 106) so that the developer cannot set the *fee* too high.

For example, we can scope the fee range in between 0 > *fee* <= 100 range as the following code snippet.

NFTMarketplace.sol		
103	<pre>function setFee(uint256 fee) public onlyOwner {</pre>	
104	<pre>require(fee > 0, "Fee must be more than 0");</pre>	
105	<pre>require(fee <= 100, "Fee must be less than or equal to 100");</pre>	
106	_fee = fee;	
107	<pre>emit SetFee(fee);</pre>	
108	}	

Listing 8.2 Example of the setFee function with fee scope checks

Reassessment

The PlayToEarn team fixed this issue by limiting the scope of the *platform fee* as the below code snippet.

```
NFTMarketplace.sol
154 function setFee(uint256 _fee) external onlyOwner {
155 uint256 listingFee = _fee.mul(100).div(FEE_DENOMINATOR);
156 require(listingFee >= 0, "Fee must not be less than 0");
157 require(listingFee <= 100, "Fee must not be more than 100");
158 fee = _fee;
159 emit SetFee(listingFee);
160 }</pre>
```

Listing 8.3 The fixed setFee function



No. 9	Possibly Permanent Ownership Removal		
Diala	Medium	Likelihood	Low
RISK		Impact	High
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Fixed
Associated Files	@openzeppelin/contracts/access/Ownable.sol		
Locations	Ownable.sol L: 53 - 55		

The *NFTMarketpLace* contract inherits from the *OwnabLe* abstract contract. The *OwnabLe* contract implements the *renounceOwnership* function, which can remove the ownership of the contract permanently.

If the contract owner mistakenly invokes the *renounceOwnership* function, they will immediately lose ownership of the contract, and this action cannot be undone.

The code snippet below shows the *renounceOwnership* function of the *OwnabLe* contract.

Owna	Ownable.sol		
53	<pre>function renounceOwnership() public virtual onlyOwner {</pre>		
54	<pre>_setOwner(address(0));</pre>		
55	}		
	(SNIP)		
66	<pre>function _setOwner(address newOwner) private {</pre>		
67	<pre>address oldOwner = _owner;</pre>		
68	_owner = newOwner;		
69	<pre>emit OwnershipTransferred(oldOwner, newOwner);</pre>		
70	}		

Listing 9.1 The renounceOwnership function that can remove the ownership of the contract permanently

Recommendations

We consider the *renounceOwnership* function risky, and the contract owner should use this function with extra care.

If possible, we recommend removing or disabling this function from the contract.



Reassessment

The PlayToEarn team fixed this issue by disabling the *renounceOwnership* function.

NFTMarketplace.sol		
128	<pre>function renounceOwnership() public view override onlyOwner {</pre>	
129	<pre>revert("Renounce ownership not allowed");</pre>	
130	}	

Listing 9.2 The disabled renounceOwnership function



No. 10	Unsafe Ownership Transfer		
Diala	Medium	Likelihood	Low
RISK		Impact	High
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Fixed
Associated Files	@openzeppelin/contracts/access/Ownable.sol		
Locations	Ownable.sol L: 61 - 64		

The *NFTMarketpLace* contract inherits from the *OwnabLe* abstract contract. The *OwnabLe* contract implements the *transferOwnership* function, which can transfer the ownership of the contract from the current owner to another owner.

The code snippet below shows the *transferOwnership* function of the *OwnabLe* contract.

Ownable.sol		
61	<pre>function transferOwnership(address newOwner) public virtual onlyOwner {</pre>	
62	<pre>require(newOwner != address(0), "Ownable: new owner is the zero address");</pre>	
63	<pre>_setOwner(newOwner);</pre>	
64	}	
65		
66	<pre>function _setOwner(address newOwner) private {</pre>	
67	address oldOwner = _owner;	
68	_owner = newOwner;	
69	<pre>emit OwnershipTransferred(oldOwner, newOwner);</pre>	
70	}	

Listing 10.1 The transferOwnership function that has an unsafe ownership transfer

From the code snippet above, the address variable *newOwner* (L61) may be incorrectly specified by the current owner by mistake; for example, an address that a new owner does not own was inputted. Consequently, the new owner loses ownership of the contract immediately, and this action is unrecoverable.



We recommend applying the two-step ownership transfer mechanism as shown in the code snippet below.

NFTM	larketplace.sol
358	<pre>function transferOwnership(address _candidateOwner) external override onlyOwner</pre>
	{
359	<pre>require(_candidateOwner != address(0), "Ownable: candidate owner is the zero</pre>
	address");
360	<pre>candidateOwner = _candidateOwner;</pre>
361	<pre>emit NewCandidateOwner(_candidateOwner);</pre>
362	}
363	
364	<pre>function claimOwnership() external {</pre>
365	<pre>require(candidateOwner == msg.sender, "Ownable: transaction submitter is not</pre>
	the candidate owner");
366	
367	address oldOwner = owner;
368	<mark>owner = candidateOwner;</mark>
369	<pre>candidateOwner = address(0);</pre>
370	<pre>emit OwnershipTransferred(oldOwner, owner);</pre>
371	}

Listing 10.2 The two-step ownership transfer mechanism

This mechanism works as follows.

- 1. The current owner invokes the *transferOwnership* function by specifying the candidate owner address *_candidateOwner* (L358).
- 2. The candidate owner proves access to his account and claims the ownership transfer by invoking the *cLaimOwnership* function (L364).

The recommended mechanism ensures that the ownership of the contract would be transferred to another owner who can access his account only.

Reassessment

The PlayToEarn team fixed this issue by applying the two-step ownership transfer mechanism as our recommendation.



No. 11	Improper NFT Data Querying		
Diak	Medium	Likelihood	Medium
RISK		Impact	Medium
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Partially Fixed
Associated Files	(at commit: 6695f55e42a70dc50e7694bbb6ff42de43b7bbf8) contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol		
Locations	NFTMarketplace.sol L: 361 - 396, 416 - 467, and 469 - 506		

This issue was raised during the reassessment of the issue no. 6 at the commit: 6695f55 e42a70dc50e7694bbb6ff42de43b7bbf8.

The affected functions include:

- 1. getMarketItems function (L361 396)
- 2. *fetchPurchasedNFTs* function (L416 467)
- 3. *fetchCreateNFTs* function (L469 506)

We found some querying bugs in the affected functions as follows.

Bug #1: Overabundant array allocation

This bug affects only the *getMarketItems* function. We found that the function might allocate memory (L371 - 373 in the code snippet 11.1) for the return variable beyond necessity. The *marketItems* variable allocates memory based on the current number of items selling on the platform (L372) which could be more than the maximum return array elements only limited to 100 (L368).

Subsequently, the function caller (e.g., client) would receive the return data polluted with the empty array elements. In the worst case, moreover, if the number of selling items is too big, the EVM node may refuse to process the query.

Bug #2: Incorrect paging calculation

This bug affects all three functions: *getMarketItems*, *fetchPurchasedNFTs*, and *fetchCreateNFTs*. Like the following, the affected functions iterate over items (L374, L428, L443, L481, and L488).

```
for (uint256 i = limit.mul(page).sub(limit); i < limit.mul(page); i++) {</pre>
```

}

. . .



Consider the following scenario to understand why the paging calculation may be incorrect.

- **1st call**: getMarketItems(page = 1, Limit = 5) would return marketItems[0, 1, 2, 3, 4] (correct item sequence)
- **2nd call:** getMarketItems(page = 2, Limit = 5) would return marketItems[5, 6, 7, 8, 9] (correct item sequence)
- **3rd call:** getMarketItems(page = 3, Limit = 6) would return marketItems[12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17] (incorrect item sequence)

As you can see, when we change the *Limit* from 5 to 6, the function returns the incorrect item sequence.

Bug #3: Empty return elements

This bug affects only the *getMarketItems* function. The function iterates over items based on the inputted variables *page* and *Limit* as follows.

```
for (uint256 i = limit.mul(page).sub(limit); i < limit.mul(page); i++) {
    if (
        !idToMarketItem[i + 1].isSold &&
        !idToMarketItem[i + 1].isUnlisted &&
        idToMarketItem[i + 1].itemId > 0
        ) {
            ...
        }
}
```

We found that the function would skip the sold-out or unlisted items (L376 - 378), resulting in returning some empty elements to the function caller.

NFTMarketplace.sol

```
361
     function getMarketItems(uint256 page, uint256 limit)
362
         public
363
         view
364
         returns (MarketItemView[] memory)
365
     {
366
         require(page > 0, "Page must be more than 0");
367
         require(limit > 0, "Limit must be more than 0");
368
         require(limit <= 100, "Max limit reached");</pre>
369
         uint256 currentIndex = 0;
370
         MarketItemView[] memory marketItems = new MarketItemView[](
371
372
             itemsSelling.current()
373
         );
374
         for (uint256 i = limit.mul(page).sub(limit); i < limit.mul(page); i++) {</pre>
375
             if (
                  !idToMarketItem[i + 1].isSold &&
376
377
                 !idToMarketItem[i + 1].isUnlisted &&
378
                 idToMarketItem[i + 1].itemId > 0
```



379) {
380	<pre>uint256 currentId = idToMarketItem[i + 1].itemId;</pre>
381	MarketItemView memory currentItem = MarketItemView({
382	<pre>itemId: idToMarketItem[currentId].itemId,</pre>
383	<pre>nftContract: idToMarketItem[currentId].nftContract,</pre>
384	<pre>tokenId: idToMarketItem[currentId].tokenId,</pre>
385	<pre>seller: idToMarketItem[currentId].seller,</pre>
386	<pre>price: idToMarketItem[currentId].price,</pre>
387	amount: idToMarketItem[currentId].amount,
388	isSoldOut: idToMarketItem[currentId].isSold,
389	isUnlisted: idToMarketItem[currentId].isUnlisted
390	});
391	<pre>marketItems[currentIndex] = currentItem;</pre>
392	currentIndex += 1;
393	}
394	}
395	return marketItems;
396	}

Listing 11.1 One of the affected functions, getMarketItems

Recommendations

We recommend re-designing/implementing all the affected functions. In addition, we recommend performing unit testing on the functions against all possible edge cases to make sure that the functions return the correct data.

Reassessment

The PlayToEarn team fixed bugs #1 (*Overabundant array allocation*) and #3 (*Empty return elements*), but bug #2 (*Incorrect paging calculation*) is still effective on the *getMarketItems*, *fetchPurchasedNFTs*, and *fetchCreateNFTs* functions.

The team acknowledged bug #2 and guaranteed not to change the *Limit* function parameter when querying data from the front-end.



No. 12	No Input Sanitization Checks		
Risk	Low	Likelihood	Low
		Impact	Medium
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Fixed
Associated Files	contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol		
Locations	NFTMarketplace.sol L: 27 - 30, 103 - 106, and 112 - 115		

It is the recommended practice to validate all input parameters before processing them. As shown in the code snippet below, we found the following functions changing state variables without validating input parameters.

- 1. constructor (L27 30)
- 2. setFee function (L103 106)
- 3. *setCurrency* function (L112 115)

```
NFTMarketplace.sol
```

```
27
     constructor(IERC20 currency, uint256 listingFee) {
         _currency = currency;
 28
 29
         _fee = listingFee;
     }
 30
     (....SNIP....)
103
     function setFee(uint256 fee) public onlyOwner {
104
         _fee = fee;
105
         emit SetFee(fee);
106
     }
     (....SNIP....)
112
     function setCurrency(address currency) public onlyOwner {
113
         _currency = IERC20(currency);
114
         emit SetCurrency(currency);
115
     }
```

Listing 12.1 Functions that change state variables without validating input parameters



We recommend updating the associated functions to validate all input parameters before processing them.

For example, if the zero address (0) is inputted in the *setCurrency* function, the zero address may lead to unexpected behaviors such as denial of service. Therefore, we recommend validating the zero address in the *setCurrency* function like the below code snippet.

NFTMarketplace.sol			
112	<pre>function setCurrency(address currency) public onlyOwner {</pre>		
113	<pre>require(currency != address(0), "Currency must not be the zero address");</pre>		
114	<pre>_currency = IERC20(currency);</pre>		
115	<pre>emit SetCurrency(currency);</pre>		
116	}		

Listing 12.2 Example of the improved setCurrency function with zero address validation check

Reassessment

The PlayToEarn team fixed this issue by validating all input parameters of the associated functions.



No. 13	The Compiler Is Not Locked To A Specific Version		
Risk	Low	Likelihood	Low
		Impact	Medium
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Fixed
Associated Files	contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol		
Locations	NFTMarketplace.sol L: 2		

The NFTMarketplace smart contract should be deployed with the compiler version used in the development and testing process.

The compiler version that is not strictly locked via the *pragma* statement may make the contract incompatible against unforeseen circumstances.

The code that is not locked to a specific version (e.g., using \geq or $^{\wedge}$ directive) is shown below.



Listing 13.1 The code that is not locked to a specific version

Recommendations

We recommend locking the pragma version like the example code snippet below.

```
pragma solidity 0.8.0;
// or
pragma solidity =0.8.0;
contract SemVerFLoatingPragmaFixed {
}
```

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

Reassessment

The PlayToEarn team fixed this issue by locking the *pragma* version to v0.8.10.



No. 14	The Compiler May Be Susceptible To The Publicly Disclosed Bugs		
Risk	Low	Likelihood	Low
		Impact	Medium
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Fixed
Associated Files	contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol		
Locations	NFTMarketplace.sol L: 2		

The NFTMarketplace smart contract uses an outdated Solidity compiler version which may be susceptible to publicly disclosed vulnerabilities. The compiler version currently used is 0.8.4, which contains the list of known bugs as the following links:

https://docs.soliditylang.org/en/v0.8.10/bugs.html

The known bugs may not directly lead to the vulnerability, but it may increase an opportunity to trigger some attacks further.

The smart contract that does not use the latest patch version is shown below.



Listing 14.1 The smart contract that does not use the latest patch version (v0.8.10)

Recommendations

We recommend using the latest patch version, v0.8.10, that fixes all known bugs.

Reassessment

The PlayToEarn team fixed this issue by applying the latest Solidity patch version, v0.8.10.



No. 15	Recommended Gas Optimization		
Risk	Informational	Likelihood	Low
		Impact	Low
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Fixed
Associated Files	contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol		
Locations	NFTMarketplace.sol L: 103 - 106, 112 - 115, 117 - 159, 161 - 214, 216 - 250, and 252 - 277		

The following functions can be optimized for saving gas usage by changing their access visibility from *public* to *external*.

- 1. setFee function (L103 160)
- 2. setCurrency function (L112 115)
- 3. createMarketItem function (L117 159)
- 4. *buyMarketItem* function (L161 214)
- 5. *unlistMarketItem* function (L216 250)
- 6. setMarketItemPrice function (L252 277)

The code snippet below shows one of the *public* functions that can be optimized for saving gas.

NFTM	NFTMarketplace.sol	
117 118 119 120 121	<pre>function createMarketItem(address nftContract, uint256 tokenId, uint256 price, uint256 amount</pre>	
122) public nonReentrant { (SNIP)	
159	}	

Listing 15.1 One of the *public* functions that can be optimized for saving gas



We recommend changing the access visibility of the associated functions as *external* for gas-saving like the following code snippet.

NFTN	NFTMarketplace.sol	
117	<pre>function createMarketItem(</pre>	
118 119	address nftContract, uint256 tokenId,	
120	uint256 price,	
121 122	uint256 amount) external nonReentrant {	
	(SNIP)	
159	}	

Listing 15.2 The optimized function for saving gas

Reassessment

The PlayToEarn team fixed this issue by changing the access visibility of the associated functions as *external* for gas-saving.



No. 16	Misleading Struct Field		
Risk	Informational	Likelihood	Low
		Impact	Low
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Fixed
Associated Files	contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol		
Locations	NFTMarketplace.sol L: 40		

We found that the *MarketItem* struct has the misleading field *isSold* (L40 in the code snippet below). The *isSold* variable is used to track whether NFT assets under a specific *itemId* are sold out. In other words, the *isSold* variable will be marked as *true* when all NFT assets (under a particular *itemId*) are sold out.

NFTM	NFTMarketplace.sol	
32	<pre>struct MarketItem {</pre>	
33	<pre>uint256 itemId;</pre>	
34	address nftContract;	
35	<pre>uint256 tokenId;</pre>	
36	address seller;	
37	address owner;	
38	uint256 price;	
39	uint256 amount;	
40	bool isSold;	
41	<pre>bool isUnlisted;</pre>	
42	}	

Listing 16.1 The MarketItem struct with the misleading field isSold



We recommend renaming the associated struct field for clarity, as shown in the code snippet below (L40).

NFTN	NFTMarketplace.sol	
32	<pre>struct MarketItem {</pre>	
33	<pre>uint256 itemId;</pre>	
34	address nftContract;	
35	uint256 tokenId;	
36	address seller;	
37	address owner;	
38	uint256 price;	
39	uint256 amount;	
40	<mark>bool isSoldOut;</mark>	
41	<pre>bool isUnlisted;</pre>	
42	}	

Listing 16.2 The improved MarketItem struct

Reassessment

The PlayToEarn team fixed this issue according to our recommendation.



No. 17	Misleading State Variable		
Risk	Informational	Likelihood	Low
		Impact	Low
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Fixed
Associated Files	contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol		
Locations	NFTMarketplace.sol L: 19		

The state variable _*itemsSold* is misleading (L19 in the code snippet below). The _*itemsSold* variable is used to track the number of NFT items already sold out (each NFT item can have multiple assets under).

However, the *NFTMarketpLace* contract supports buying a partial number of assets (under a specific *itemId*). Therefore, not every purchase transaction will buy all NFT assets.

NFTM	NFTMarketplace.sol		
13	<pre>contract NFTMarketplace is ReentrancyGuard, Ownable, ERC1155Holder {</pre>		
14	using Counters for Counters.Counter;		
15	using SafeERC20 for IERC20;		
16	using SafeMath for uint256;		
17			
18	Counters.Counter private _itemIds; // Id for each individual item		
19	<pre>Counters.Counter private _itemsSold; // Number of items sold</pre>		
20	Counters.Counter private _itemsUnlist; // Number of items delisted		

Listing 17.1 The _itemsSold state variable is misleading



We recommend renaming the associated state variable for clarity, as shown in the code snippet below (L19).

NFTMarketplace.sol					
13	<pre>contract NFTMarketplace is ReentrancyGuard, Ownable, ERC1155Holder {</pre>				
14	using Counters for Counters.Counter;				
15	using SafeERC20 for IERC20;				
16	using SafeMath for uint256;				
17					
18	Counters.Counter private _itemIds; // Id for each individual item				
19	Counters.Counter private _itemsSoldOut; // Number of items sold out				
20	Counters.Counter private _itemsUnlist; // Number of items delisted				

Listing 17.2 The improved state variable

Reassessment

The PlayToEarn team fixed this issue by renaming the associated state variable as follows.

NFTMarketplace.sol					
15	contract NFTMarketplace is				
16	Initializable,				
17	Ownable,				
18	ReentrancyGuard,				
19	ERC1155Holder				
20	{				
21	using Counters for Counters.Counter;				
22	using SafeERC20 for IERC20;				
23	using SafeMath for uint256;				
24					
25	Counters.Counter private itemIds; // ID for each individual item				
26	Counters.Counter private itemsSelling; // ID for each individual item				

Listing 17.3 The renamed state variable



No. 18	Inconsistent Comment With The Code			
Diak	Informational	Likelihood	Low	
RISK		Impact	Low	
Functionality is in use	In use	Status	Fixed	
Associated Files	contracts/NFTMarketplace.sol			
Locations NFTMarketplace.sol L: 22				

In L22 of the code snippet below, the state variable *_fee* is used for calculating the commission for the platform owner that is inconsistent with the comment that tells that the commission would be for NFT owners or sellers.

NFTMarketplace.sol					
13	<pre>contract NFTMarketplace is ReentrancyGuard, Ownable, ERC1155Holder {</pre>				
14	using Counters for Counters.Counter;				
15	using SafeERC20 for IERC20;				
16	using SafeMath for uint256;				
17					
18	Counters.Counter private _itemIds; // Id for each individual item				
19	Counters.Counter private _itemsSold; // Number of items sold				
20	Counters.Counter private _itemsUnlist; // Number of items delisted				
21					
22	<pre>uint256 private _fee; // This is made for owner of the file to be</pre>				
	<pre>comissioned (percent)</pre>				
23					
24	IERC20 private _currency;				
25	uint256 private constant FEE_DENOMINATOR = 10**10;				
26					
27	constructor(IERC20 currency, uint256 listingFee) {				
28	_currency = currency;				
-29	_tee = listingree;				
30	}				

Listing 18.1 The inconsistent comment with the source code



We recommend updating the associated comment to reflect the source code's transparency.

Reassessment

The PlayToEarn team fixed this issue by updating the associated comment below.

NFTMarketplace.sol

```
15
    contract NFTMarketplace is
16
      Initializable,
17
      Ownable,
18
      ReentrancyGuard,
      ERC1155Holder
19
20
   {
21
        using Counters for Counters.Counter;
22
        using SafeERC20 for IERC20;
23
        using SafeMath for uint256;
24
25
        Counters.Counter private itemIds; // ID for each individual item
26
        Counters.Counter private itemsSelling; // ID for each individual item
27
28
        IERC20 private currency;
29
        uint256 private fee; // The percentage that game creator will get from each
30
    <mark>sale</mark>
```

Listing 18.2 The improved comment



Appendix

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Founded in 2020, Valix Consulting is a blockchain and smart contract security firm offering a wide range of cybersecurity consulting services such as blockchain and smart contract security consulting, smart contract security review, and smart contract security audit.

Our team members are passionate cybersecurity professionals and researchers in areas of private and public blockchain technology, smart contract, and decentralized application (DApp).

We provide a service for assessing and certifying the security of smart contracts. Our service also includes recommendations on smart contracts' security and gas optimization to bring the most benefit to users and platform creators.

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