

# LayerBank Audit Report





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## **1 Executive Summary**

## 1.1 Project Information

Description	A universal permissionless on-chain bank
Туре	DeFi
Auditors	MoveBit
Timeline	Mon Nov 11 2024 - Wed Jan 22 2025
Languages	Move
Platform	Movement
Methods	Architecture Review, Unit Testing, Manual Review
Source Code	https://github.com/layerbank/aptos-contracts
Commits	<u>fe7748f197b9c9d6bd77540bbd409980b0889dd4</u> <u>193f55cb6327d7215462c725a91ba38b2d287e0c</u> <u>46c8ee737ba8e96707d043fe9edb792000d91538</u>

## 1.2 Files in Scope

The following are the SHA1 hashes of the original reviewed files.

ID	File	SHA-1 Hash
MOV1	aave-core/aave-config/Move.toml	eb5ec6b482f1a36d99ebed5b1de0 21f655243d08
HEL	aave-core/aave-config/sources/hel per.move	e577bd18d945c8fdd0d75cde25db e6043b28d032
STO	aave-core/sources/aave-tokens/sta ndard_token.move	eb0ae06e1d5a8847ca98b0dab732 ad212dc4a1e7
CWR	aave-core/sources/aave-periphery/ coin_wrapper.move	3090c43e7523c8cb0345640ea757 340a9d35bfe6
STR	aave-core/sources/aave-periphery/ stream.move	2d91c37fdbc7b4e9ae620e165c855 879133dfc86
MOV1	aave-core/aave-oracle/Move.toml	0ef4122f9fe86e4d3afef05741e446 a9bd2f7e4e
ORA	aave-core/aave-oracle/sources/ora cle.move	a637ef6aaac33c088a8721560c906 9779c18c216
RCO	aave-core/aave-config/sources/res erve_config.move	d39ead6ae5249c8f32efd5cd266e5 d8cd0dec0bf
UCO	aave-core/aave-config/sources/use r_config.move	67a6e7eebcb401a1d7a3aee57175 dd6510178679
ECO	aave-core/aave-config/sources/err or_config.move	ebd324765a4982d59880bce2dea7 8d70d7a7caa2
MOV5	aave-core/aave-math/Move.toml	2466400930ebcf00df0e950c4068f4 6730f6c5ec

MUT	aave-core/aave-math/sources/mat h_utils.move	f402f4243f3aeb0f8fc302b0196b2e c9a976e277
WRM	aave-core/aave-math/sources/wad _ray_math.move	f36dd5a86d48dc9273f9ec21b91b9 f2f116bdf14
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LPA	aave-core/aave-large-packages/sou rces/large_packages.move	0d181b21707f2ee7384fccf9392323 37985e820c
MOV8	aave-core/aave-acl/Move.toml	ed2bdbd23d44ac5e995e6fb73bc6 8fbfb9f2ab68
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ATF	aave-core/sources/aave-tokens/a_t oken_factory.move	32083cbe870ab7142b8ce0210930 851f07ca81ff
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VLO	aave-core/sources/aave-logic/valid ation_logic.move	60f7c4eae61ec8fe46a035c813394 7fbedfd8780
ULO	aave-core/sources/aave-logic/user_ logic.move	0dde64c2628b5ff2070774a4c5ed1 42df0ca45f1
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ELO	aave-core/sources/aave-logic/emo de_logic.move	ca015f4061cdc7871e167f1f6eafb8f 1d1a9fad8
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РСО	aave-core/sources/aave-pool/pool_ configurator.move	5d36e3b8c134c6a5c4fd57a106db a2dd6a2b87ac
POO	aave-core/sources/aave-pool/pool. move	f74ef4405aa71b04dc7686ee6d13b f7e6057bbc8
STO2	aave-core/sources/aave-periphery/ staked_token.move	b061a80e9c30819b22b5cc1e1c44 b21d7cf9d3da
EMA	aave-core/sources/aave-periphery/ emission_manager.move	3a5f8be65d99fd341a0fe08480bb8 bc19a42c6fa
UPDPV3	aave-core/sources/aave-periphery/ ui_pool_data_provider_v3.move	2ec929f8d75f6fc277476947b1c508 6cb64d7745

EAP	aave-core/sources/aave-periphery/ eac_aggregator_proxy.move	670d11097c35b8244be7db1763d9 f250c517240e
COL	aave-core/sources/aave-periphery/ collector.move	75aea06f548615f9ac44aa098028a 117a24d7f02
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PMA	aave-core/sources/aave-periphery/ package-manager.move	4aef563a07e5d4e6750ff23893515 7cfa5de1e02
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RCO1	aave-core/sources/aave-periphery/ rewards_controller.move	3c409e9bd4714bc156ebd3f99105 eafb03364c31
ERV2	aave-core/sources/aave-periphery/ ecosystem_reserve_v2.move	7f318a80f285a3930cebf49e03aee7 0cd7f0164e
СМІ	aave-core/sources/aave-periphery/ coin_migrator.move	6ce3f30f34415c6bc2fe10a5002f27 bf5e0b33f7
TST	aave-core/sources/aave-periphery/ transfer_strategy.move	c2cac0eefbd27e4b6e97300cc2924 6bfddba9c07

## 1.3 Issue Statistic

ltem	Count	Fixed	Acknowledged
Total	19	19	0
Informational	1	1	0
Minor	6	6	0
Medium	3	3	0
Major	5	5	0
Critical	4	4	0

## 1.4 MoveBit Audit Breakdown

MoveBit aims to assess repositories for security-related issues, code quality, and compliance with specifications and best practices. Possible issues our team looked for included (but are not limited to):

- Transaction-ordering dependence
- Timestamp dependence
- Integer overflow/underflow by bit operations
- Number of rounding errors
- Denial of service / logical oversights
- Access control
- Centralization of power
- Business logic contradicting the specification
- Code clones, functionality duplication
- Gas usage
- Arbitrary token minting
- Unchecked CALL Return Values
- The flow of capability
- Witness Type

## 1.5 Methodology

The security team adopted the **"Testing and Automated Analysis"**, **"Code Review"** and **"Formal Verification"** strategy to perform a complete security test on the code in a way that is closest to the real attack. The main entrance and scope of security testing are stated in the conventions in the "Audit Objective", which can expand to contexts beyond the scope according to the actual testing needs. The main types of this security audit include:

## (1) Testing and Automated Analysis

Items to check: state consistency / failure rollback / unit testing / value overflows / parameter verification / unhandled errors / boundary checking / coding specifications.

## (2) Code Review

The code scope is illustrated in section 1.2.

## (3) Formal Verification(Optional)

Perform formal verification for key functions with the Move Prover.

## (4) Audit Process

- Carry out relevant security tests on the testnet or the mainnet;
- If there are any questions during the audit process, communicate with the code owner in time. The code owners should actively cooperate (this might include providing the latest stable source code, relevant deployment scripts or methods, transaction signature scripts, exchange docking schemes, etc.);
- The necessary information during the audit process will be well documented for both the audit team and the code owner in a timely manner.

## 2 Summary

This report has been commissioned by LayerBank to identify any potential issues and vulnerabilities in the source code of the LayerBank smart contract, as well as any contract dependencies that were not part of an officially recognized library. In this audit, we have utilized various techniques, including manual code review and static analysis, to identify potential vulnerabilities and security issues.

During the audit, we identified 19 issues of varying severity, listed below.

ID	Title	Severity	Status
COL-1	Lack of Explicit Error Handling in withdraw Function	Minor	Fixed
ERV-1	Incorrect Implementation of withdraw_from_stream	Critical	Fixed
ERV-2	Incorrect Permission Verification Logic in is_recipient Function	Minor	Fixed
FLO-1	Mock Contracts Should Not Be Used	Minor	Fixed
GLO-1	The Token Price Used during Liquidation is not Up-to-date	Medium	Fixed
MUT-1	Optimize pow Function with Fast Exponent	Minor	Fixed
ORA-1	The Price Validity Period is Too Long	Critical	Fixed
ORA-2	Different Tokens Should Have Different Validity Periods	Major	Fixed
ORA-3	The Price Calculation is Incorrect	Major	Fixed

ORA-4	aave_oracle Lacks Support for Asset Removal	Minor	Fixed
ORA-5	Unnecessary use of borrow_global_mut	Informational	Fixed
POO-1	The Calculation of total_debt_accrued is Incorrect	Major	Fixed
POO-2	There is an extra Comma in the Parameters when Calculating curr_total_variable_debt	Minor	Fixed
RCO-1	Logical Error in Branch Conditions of claim_rewards_internal Function	Critical	Fixed
SLO-1	Incorrect Borrowing Status Update After Full Repayment	Major	Fixed
TBA-1	transfer Transfers an Incorrect Amount	Critical	Fixed
TBA-2	The implementation of token_base is incorrect	Major	Fixed
TBA-3	The set_frozen_flag() Function Call is Missing in the transfer() Function	Medium	Fixed
TBA-4	Evading Debt	Medium	Fixed

## **3 Participant Process**

Here are the relevant actors with their respective abilities within the LayerBank Smart Contract :

#### Owner

- The owner can initialize interest rate strategy through init\_interest\_rate\_strategy()
- The owner can set the reserve interest rate strategy through set\_reserve\_interest\_rate\_strategy()
- The owner can initialize reserves through init\_reserves()
- The owner can drop a reserve through drop\_reserve()
- The owner can enable or disable borrowing on a reserve through set\_reserve\_borrowing()
- The owner can configure a reserve as collateral through configure\_reserve\_as\_collateral()
- The owner can enable or disable flash loan on a reserve through set\_reserve\_flash\_loaning()
- The owner can activate or deactivate a reserve through set\_reserve\_active()
- The owner can freeze or unfreeze a reserve through set\_reserve\_freeze()
- The owner can set a reserve as borrowable in isolation through set\_borrowable\_in\_isolation()
- The owner can pause or unpause a reserve through set\_reserve\_pause()
- The owner can change the reserve factor of a reserve through set\_reserve\_factor()
- The owner can set a debt ceiling on a reserve through set\_debt\_ceiling()
- The owner can set siloed borrowing state on a reserve through set\_siloed\_borrowing()
- The owner can set a borrow cap on a reserve through set\_borrow\_cap()
- The owner can set a supply cap on a reserve through set\_supply\_cap()
- The owner can set a liquidation protocol fee on a reserve through set\_liquidation\_protocol\_fee()

- The owner can set an e-mode category configuration through set\_emode\_category()
- The owner can set an asset's e-mode category through set\_asset\_emode\_category()
- The owner can set an unbacked mint cap on a reserve through set\_unbacked\_mint\_cap()
- The owner can pause the entire pool through set\_pool\_pause()
- The owner can update the bridge protocol fee through update\_bridge\_protocol\_fee()
- The owner can update the total premium for a flashloan through update\_flashloan\_premium\_total()
- The owner can update the protocol's share of the flashloan premium through update\_flashloan\_premium\_to\_protocol()
- The owner can configure multiple reserves in one function call through configure\_reserves()
- The owner can initialize the pool through init\_pool()
- The owner can initialize a reserve through init\_reserve()
- The owner can drop a reserve through drop\_reserve()
- The owner can set the accrued treasury amount for a reserve through set\_reserve\_accrued\_to\_treasury()
- The owner can update reserve interest rates through update\_interest\_rates()
- The owner can set the unbacked value for a particular reserve through set\_reserve\_unbacked()
- The owner can set the isolation mode total debt for a particular reserve through set\_reserve\_isolation\_mode\_total\_debt()
- The owner can set the reserve's configuration through set\_reserve\_configuration()
- The owner can set the bridge protocol fee through set\_bridge\_protocol\_fee()
- The owner can set the flash loan premiums through set\_flashloan\_premiums()
- The owner can mint to the treasury for specified asset addresses through mint\_to\_treasury()

- The owner can cumulate additional amounts to the liquidity index of a given reserve through cumulate\_to\_liquidity\_index()
- The owner can reset the total isolation mode debt to zero for a given reserve through reset\_isolation\_mode\_total\_debt()
- The owner can transfer tokens for rescue or redistribution purposes through rescue\_tokens()
- The owner can set user configurations through set\_user\_configuration()
- The owner can issue a token cap through issue\_cap()

## User

- The user can set user-specific Enhanced Mode (EMode) settings through set\_user\_emode()
- The user can check if two EModes are the same through is\_in\_emode\_category()
- The user can get the price source address for a specific EMode category through get\_emode\_e\_mode\_price\_source()
- The user can retrieve EMode configuration details such as Loan-To-Value (LTV), liquidation threshold, and asset price through get\_emode\_configuration()
- The user can get the label of a specific EMode category through get\_emode\_e\_mode\_label()
- The user can get the liquidation bonus for a specific EMode category through get\_emode\_e\_mode\_liquidation\_bonus()
- The user can calculate their account data related to collateral, debt, LTV, and health factor through calculate\_user\_account\_data()
- The user can calculate how much they can still borrow based on their total collateral, existing debt, and LTV through calculate\_available\_borrows()
- The user can validate health factor and loan-to-value through validate\_hf\_and\_ltv()
- The user can check automatic collateral usability validation through validate\_automatic\_use\_as\_collateral()
- The user can validate use as collateral through validate\_use\_as\_collateral()
- The user can validate health factor through validate\_health\_factor()

- The user can validate setting of user economic mode through validate\_set\_user\_emode()
- The user can borrow assets through borrow()
- The user can repay borrowed assets through repay()
- The user can repay with A-tokens through repay\_with\_a\_tokens()
- The user can liquidate a debt through liquidation\_call()
- The user can supply assets to the pool through supply()
- The user can withdraw assets from the pool through withdraw()
- The user can finalize asset transfers between users within the pool through finalize\_transfer()
- The user can set whether a reserve should be used as collateral by a user through set\_user\_use\_reserve\_as\_collateral()
- The user can deposit assets to the pool on behalf of another user through deposit()
- The user can initiate a complex flash loan through flashloan()
- The user can initiate a simple flash loan through flash\_loan\_simple()
- The user can repay a complex flash loan through pay\_flash\_loan\_complex()
- The user can repay a simple flash loan through pay\_flash\_loan\_simple()

## 4 Findings

## COL-1 Lack of Explicit Error Handling in withdraw Function

Severity: Minor

Status: Fixed

Code Location:

aave-core/sources/aave-periphery/collector.move#132

**Descriptions:** 

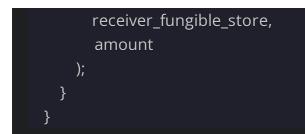
public fun withdraw( sender: &signer, asset\_metadata: Object<Metadata>, receiver: address, amount: u64 ) acquires CollectorData { // check sender is the fund admin is\_funds\_admin(signer::address\_of(sender));

// borrow the global collector data
let collector\_data = borrow\_global\_mut<CollectorData>(collector\_address());

// check if we have a secondary fungible store for the asset, if now, throw an error
if (smart\_table::contains(&collector\_data.fungible\_assets, asset\_metadata)) {
 let collector\_fungible\_store =
 smart\_table::borrow(&collector\_data.fungible\_assets, asset\_metadata);
 let collector\_fungible\_store\_signer =
 object::generate\_signer\_for\_extending(&collector\_data.extend\_ref);
 let receiver\_fungible\_store =
 primary\_fungible\_store::ensure\_primary\_store\_exists(
 receiver, asset\_metadata
 );
 }
}

// transfer the amount from the collector's sec store to the receiver's store using the collectors signer which is also the owner of the sec.store

fungible\_asset::transfer(
 &collector\_fungible\_store\_signer,
 \*collector\_fungible\_store,



In the withdraw function of aave\_pool::collector , the condition smart\_table::contains(&collector\_data.fungible\_assets, asset\_metadata) is checked to validate whether the asset metadata exists. However, if this condition is not satisfied, there is no explicit error handling or meaningful response to address the failed check.

#### Suggestion:

Implement explicit error handling to address cases where the condition smart\_table::contains(&collector\_data.fungible\_assets, asset\_metadata) is not satisfied.

#### Resolution:

## ERV-1 Incorrect Implementation of <a href="withdraw\_from\_stream">withdraw\_from\_stream</a>

Severity: Critical

Status: Fixed

## Code Location:

aave-core/sources/aave-periphery/ecosystem\_reserve\_v2.move#270

## **Descriptions:**

The withdraw\_from\_stream function contains several critical issues:

## 1. Visibility Scope:

The function should be declared as public . If it remains private, it cannot be called externally, defeating its intended purpose. The create\_stream function should also be public.

## 2. Missing Funds Transfer:

The function does not include the essential operation of transferring funds to the recipient. This omission makes the implementation incomplete and non-functional for its intended use.

## Suggestion:

## 1. Change Visibility to Public:

Update the function's visibility to ensure it is accessible when needed.

## 2. Implement Funds Transfer:

Add logic to transfer the specified amount from the contract to the recipient . This step is critical for meeting the function's requirements.

## 3. Reference for Implementation:

Review the implementation in Aave's <u>AaveEcosystemReserveV2.sol</u> for guidance.

## Resolution:

# ERV-2 Incorrect Permission Verification Logic in is\_recipient Function

```
Severity: Minor
```

Status: Fixed

```
Code Location:
```

aave-core/sources/aave-periphery/ecosystem\_reserve\_v2.move#84

**Descriptions:** 

```
fun is_recipient(account: address, stream_id: u256): bool acquires
EcosystemReserveV2Data {
    let ecosystem_reserve_v2_data =
        borrow_global<EcosystemReserveV2Data>
(ecosystem_reserve_v2_data_address());
    if (!smart_table::contains(&ecosystem_reserve_v2_data.streams, stream_id)) {
        return false
      };
      let stream_item =
        smart_table::borrow(&ecosystem_reserve_v2_data.streams, stream_id);
      let recipient = stream::recipient(stream_item);
      recipient != account
    }
```

the function contains a logical error in its return condition:

## recipient != account

This condition incorrectly returns false when the account matches the recipient, and true otherwise.

## Suggestion:

Correct the return condition in the is\_recipient function to ensure accurate permission verification:

recipient == account

#### **Resolution:**

This issue has been fixed. The client has adopted our suggestions.

Since the current function is not utilized in the present repository, the severity is categorized as minor.

## FLO-1 Mock Contracts Should Not Be Used

Severity: Minor

Status: Fixed

Code Location:

aave-core/sources/aave-flash-loan/flash\_loan.move#525

**Descriptions:** 

Frequent use of mock contracts in smart contract development can introduce security risks, inconsistencies, maintainability issues, performance problems, and insufficient test coverage.

mock\_underlying\_token\_factory::transfer\_from(
 repayment\_params.receiver\_address,
 a\_token\_account\_address,
 (amount\_plus\_premium as u64),
 repayment\_params.asset,
);

## Suggestion:

It is recommended that mock contracts are not used.

**Resolution:** 

## GLO-1 The Token Price Used during Liquidation is not Up-todate

Severity: Medium

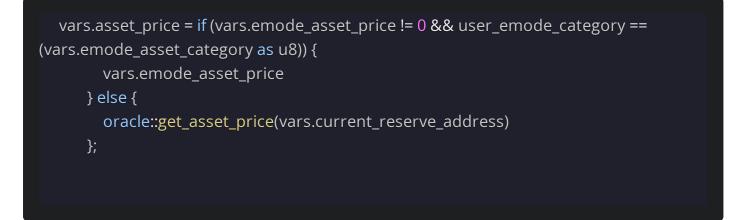
Status: Fixed

Code Location:

aave-core/sources/aave-pool/generic\_logic.move#122-127

**Descriptions:** 

In the calculate\_user\_account\_data() function, the protocol calls oracle::get\_asset\_price() to obtain the asset\_price , which is then used to calculate user\_balance\_in\_base\_currency and user\_debt\_in\_base\_currency .



However, in the get\_asset\_price() function, the protocol directly calls get\_pyth\_price() to retrieve the price.

```
public fun get_asset_price(asset: address): u256 acquires PythAssetPriceList {
    let asset_price_list = borrow_global<PythAssetPriceList>(@echo_oracle);
    if (!simple_map::contains_key(&asset_price_list.value, &asset)) {
        return 0
    };
    get_pyth_price(simple_map::borrow(&asset_price_list.value, &asset))
}
```

The issue here is that the protocol does not update the Pyth oracle's price before retrieving it, so there is a possibility of returning an outdated price.

While the protocol has a function, set\_asset\_price(), to update the price, this function can only be called by the admin.

```
public entry fun set_asset_price(
    account: &signer, asset: address, pyth_price_update: vector<vector<u8>>
) acquires PythAssetPriceList {
    // ensure only admins can call this method
    check_is_asset_listing_or_pool_admin(signer::address_of(account));
    let asset_price_list = borrow_global_mut<PythAssetPriceList>(@echo_oracle);
    assert!(simple_map::contains_key(&asset_price_list.value, &asset),
E_ASSET_NOT_EXISTS);
```

In the EVM ecosystem, such as in Aave V3, we observed that the protocol calls Chainlink's

latestAnswer() to get the most recent price.

```
function getAssetPrice(address asset) public view override returns (uint256) {
   AggregatorInterface source = assetsSources[asset];

if (asset == BASE_CURRENCY) {
   return BASE_CURRENCY_UNIT;
   } else if (address(source) == address(0)) {
    return _fallbackOracle.getAssetPrice(asset);
   } else {
    int256 price = source.latestAnswer();
    if (price > 0) {
      return uint256(price);
    } else {
      return _fallbackOracle.getAssetPrice(asset);
   }
}
```

To resolve this, we recommend calling pyth.get\_price\_no\_older\_than() to ensure the latest price is used, or updating the price before using it.

#### Suggestion:

It is recommended to call pyth.get\_price\_no\_older\_than() to ensure the latest price is used, or updating the price before using it.

#### **Resolution:**

## MUT-1 Optimize pow Function with Fast Exponent

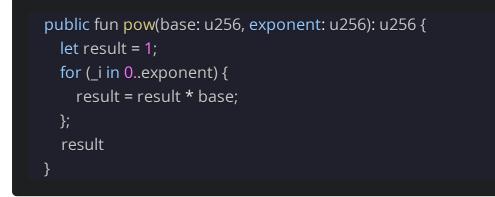
Severity: Minor

Status: Fixed

Code Location:

aave-core/aave-math/sources/math\_utils.move#134-140

**Descriptions:** 



The current pow function uses a loop with O(n) complexity to compute the power by iterating exponent times. This linear approach results in high gas costs for large exponents due to the repeated multiplications.

## Suggestion:

Refactor the pow function to use <u>fast exponentiation</u> (exponentiation by squaring), which reduces the time complexity from O(n) to O(logn).

This optimization will decrease the number of operations required, effectively reducing gas consumption and making the function more efficient for larger exponents.

## **Resolution:**

## ORA-1 The Price Validity Period is Too Long

Severity: Critical

Status: Fixed

Code Location:

aave-core/aave-oracle/sources/oracle.move#34

#### **Descriptions:**

The contract uses the Pyth Oracle, but the price validity period is set too long. For example, with highly volatile token prices, this provides attackers with significant arbitrage opportunities.

## **Current setting:**

## const PYTH\_MAX\_SECONDS\_OLD: u64 = 7200;

#### Suggestion:

Reduce the price validity period.

## Resolution:

## ORA-2 Different Tokens Should Have Different Validity Periods

Severity: Major

Status: Fixed

Code Location:

aave-core/aave-oracle/sources/oracle.move#34

## Descriptions:

Currently, the contract applies the same validity period to all tokens. However, different tokens have varying levels of price volatility. For tokens with higher volatility, the validity period should be shorter, while for tokens with lower volatility, a longer validity period is acceptable. This approach helps ensure more accurate and timely price data.

## **Current Setting:**

## const PYTH\_MAX\_SECONDS\_OLD: u64 = 7200;

#### Suggestion:

Use Different Validity Periods for Different Tokens Based on Their Volatility.

## **Resolution:**

## ORA-3 The Price Calculation is Incorrect

Severity: Major

Status: Fixed

Code Location:

aave-core/aave-oracle/sources/oracle.move#217-234

**Descriptions:** 

In the oracle.get\_price() function, the protocol first retrieves price\_positive , then

expo\_magnitude , and finally returns price\_positive \* pow(10, expo\_magnitude) . This is

incorrect.

// construct the price
let price_positive =
if (i64::get_is_negative(&price::get_price(&price))) {
i64::get_magnitude_if_negative(&price::get_price(&price))
} else {
i64::get_magnitude_if_positive(&price::get_price(&price))
};
let expo_magnitude =
if (i64::get_is_negative(&price::get_expo(&price))) {
i64::get_magnitude_if_negative(&price::get_expo(&price))
} else {
i64::get_magnitude_if_positive(&price::get_expo(&price))
};
(price_positive <b>* pow</b> (10, expo_magnitude),
price::get_conf(&price),
price::get_timestamp(&price))

On the Aptos chain, price::get\_expo(&price) is generally negative.

https://pyth.network/price-feeds/crypto-apt-usd

If it's negative, the final price should be price = price\_positive / pow(10, expo\_magnitude) . If it's positive, multiplication should be used.

## Suggestion:

It is recommended to account for scenarios where the expo value is either positive or negative.

## Resolution:

This issue has been fixed, and the client has correctly calculated the price.

## ORA-4 aave\_oracle Lacks Support for Asset Removal

## Severity: Minor

Status: Fixed

#### Code Location:

aave-core/aave-oracle/sources/oracle.move#147

#### **Descriptions:**

The aave\_oracle::add\_asset module currently provides the capability to add new assets to the oracle but does not support the removal of assets. This absence of functionality could result in difficulties when managing scenarios where an asset needs to be deprecated or removed from the supported list.

#### Suggestion:

Introduce a **remove\_asset** function . This would enhance the flexibility and robustness of the oracle by allowing dynamic updates to the list of supported assets.

#### Resolution:

## ORA-5 Unnecessary use of borrow\_global\_mut

Severity: Informational

Status: Fixed

Code Location:

aave-core/aave-oracle/sources/oracle.move#137,208;

aave-core/sources/aave-pool/pool.move#875

## Descriptions:

fun get\_oracle\_base\_currency(): Option<BaseCurrency> acquires OracleData {
 // get the oracle data
 let oracle\_data = borrow\_global\_mut<OracleData>(@aave\_oracle);
}

fun get\_asset\_identifier(asset: <u>String</u>): Option<vector<u8>> acquires OracleData {
 // check the asset is not the base currency

let oracle\_data = borrow\_global\_mut<OracleData>(@aave\_oracle);

!smart\_table::contains(&mut reserve\_address\_list.value, index)

In cases where **borrow\_global\_mut** is used without any actual data modification, it can create confusion by implying intent to alter data, leading to reduced code clarity and unnecessary mutable borrowing.

## Suggestion:

}

Replace borrow\_global\_mut with borrow\_global in such scenarios to enhance readability and avoid unnecessary mutable borrowing.

## Resolution:

## POO-1 The Calculation of total\_debt\_accrued is Incorrect

Severity: Major

Status: Fixed

Code Location:

aave-core/sources/aave-pool/pool.move#804-816

**Descriptions:** 

In the accrue\_to\_treasury() function, the protocol first calculates prev\_total\_variable\_debt , then curr\_total\_variable\_debt , and afterwards calculates total\_debt\_accrued = curr\_total\_variable\_debt - prev\_total\_variable\_debt .

let total\_debt\_accrued = curr\_total\_variable\_debt - prev\_total\_variable\_debt;

We found that when calculating both prev\_total\_variable\_debt and

curr\_total\_variable\_debt , the protocol uses curr\_scaled\_variable\_debt \*

reserve\_data.variable\_borrow\_index for both. This causes total\_debt\_accrued to always be

zero. <u>https://github.com/aave/aave-v3-</u>

core/blob/master/contracts/protocol/libraries/logic/ReserveLogic.sol#L243-L250

## Suggestion:

It is recommended to use the next variableBorrowIndex to calculate the current total debt.

## **Resolution:**

## POO-2 There is an extra Comma in the Parameters when Calculating curr\_total\_variable\_debt

Severity: Minor

Status: Fixed

Code Location:

aave-core/sources/aave-pool/pool.move#810-814

**Descriptions:** 

In the accrue\_to\_treasury() function, the protocol calculates curr\_total\_variable\_debt in this way.

We found that there is an extra comma in the parameters of wad\_ray\_math::ray\_mul().

## Suggestion:

It is recommended to remove this comma.

#### **Resolution:**

## RCO-1 Logical Error in Branch Conditions of claim\_rewards\_internal Function

Severity: Critical

Status: Fixed

```
Code Location:
```

aave-core/sources/aave-periphery/rewards\_controller.move#537-539

## Descriptions:

In the claim\_rewards\_internal function of aave\_pool::rewards\_controller , the branch conditions for two mutually exclusive actions are identical. Specifically:

```
if (smart_table::contains(
  &rewards_controller_data.pull_rewards_transfer_strategy_table, reward
)) {
  transfer_pull_rewards_transfer_strategy_rewards(
    caller,
    to,
    reward,
    total_rewards,
    rewards_controller_data
} else if (smart_table::contains(
  &rewards_controller_data.pull_rewards_transfer_strategy_table, reward
)) {
  transfer_staked_token_transfer_strategy_rewards(
    caller,
    to,
    reward,
    total_rewards,
    rewards_controller_data
};
```

This causes the second branch to never execute, as the condition for the first branch will always match when the second would.

The same issue also exists in the claim\_all\_rewards\_internal function.

```
if (smart_table::contains(
        &rewards_controller_data.pull_rewards_transfer_strategy_table,
        *vector::borrow(&rewards_list, i)
      )) {
        transfer_pull_rewards_transfer_strategy_rewards(
          caller,
          to,
          *vector::borrow(&rewards_list, i),
          *vector::borrow(&claimed amounts, i),
           rewards_controller_data
      } else if (smart_table::contains(
        &rewards_controller_data.pull_rewards_transfer_strategy_table,
        *vector::borrow(&rewards_list, i)
      )) {
        transfer_staked_token_transfer_strategy_rewards(
          caller,
          to,
          *vector::borrow(&rewards_list, i),
          *vector::borrow(&claimed_amounts, i),
           rewards_controller_data
      };
```

## Suggestion:

Adjust the conditional logic to ensure each branch corresponds to a distinct scenario.

#### **Resolution:**

## SLO-1 Incorrect Borrowing Status Update After Full Repayment

Severity: Major

Status: Fixed

#### Code Location:

aave-core/sources/aave-supply-borrow/supply\_logic.move#325

#### **Descriptions:**

In the internal\_repay function, after a user fully repays their debt, the code incorrectly sets the user's borrowing status to true using the set\_borrowing function. This indicates that the user is still considered to have an outstanding loan, even though the variable\_debt has been fully repaid. The correct logic should set the borrowing status to false, reflecting that the user has no remaining debt. This error could lead to issues such as incorrect interest calculations, inaccurate debt tracking, and other logic errors that depend on the user's borrowing status.

```
if (variable_debt - payback_amount == 0) {
    user_config::set_borrowing(&mut user_config_map,
    (pool::get_reserve_id(&reserve_data) as u256), true);
    pool::set_user_configuration(on_behalf_of, user_config_map);
    };
```

## Suggestion:

It is recommended to modify the code to set the user's borrowing status to false when the variable\_debt is fully repaid.

## Resolution:

## TBA-1 transfer Transfers an Incorrect Amount

Severity: Critical

Status: Fixed

Code Location:

aave-core/sources/aave-tokens/token\_base.move#478

**Descriptions:** 

In the transfer function of the token\_base contract, the wrong amount is being transferred:

```
fungible_asset::transfer_with_ref(
transfer_ref,
from_wallet,
to_wallet,
(amount as u64)
);
```

The correct amount to transfer should be amount\_ray\_div. Using the incorrect amount causes transfer failures, leading to issues such as failed liquidations when accepting AToken, among others.

## Suggestion:

Update the code to transfer amount\_ray\_div instead of amount .

## **Resolution:**

## TBA-2 The implementation of token\_base is incorrect

Severity: Major

Status: Fixed

## Code Location:

aave-core/sources/aave-tokens/token\_base.move#311; aave-core/sources/aave-tokens/token\_base.move#368

## Descriptions:

In the token\_base contract, the mint\_scaled and burn\_scaled functions calculate the mint and burn amounts based on amount instead of amount\_scaled . This can often cause repayment failures. During repayment, the interest charged can result in more FA being burned than minted, leading to transaction failures.

let fa = fungible\_asset::mint(&managed\_fungible\_asset.mint\_ref, (amount as u64));

fungible\_asset::burn\_from(burn\_ref, from\_wallet, (amount as u64));

## Suggestion:

Update the mint\_scaled and burn\_scaled functions to calculate the mint and burn amounts based on amount\_scaled .

## Resolution:

# TBA-3 The set\_frozen\_flag() Function Call is Missing in the transfer() Function

Severity: Medium

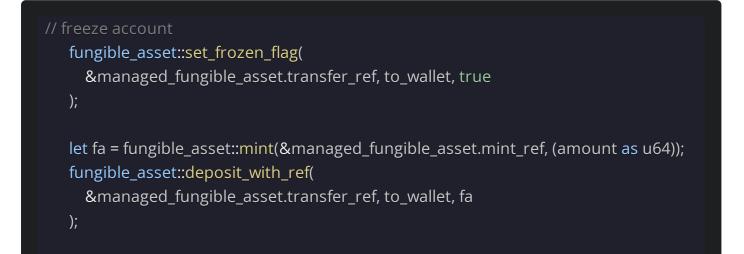
Status: Fixed

Code Location:

aave-core/sources/aave-tokens/token\_base.move#397-473

#### **Descriptions:**

In the mint\_scaled() function, the protocol calls fungible\_asset::set\_frozen\_flag() to disable the store's ability to perform direct transfers of the fungible asset. After that, the asset is minted to the to\_wallet .



However, in the transfer() function, the protocol does not call set\_frozen\_flag() to disable the recipient wallet's store's ability to perform direct transfers of the fungible asset. This creates a potential inconsistency, where the asset's transfer to the recipient is not accompanied by the same restriction as applied to the sender's wallet, allowing the recipient to transfer the asset without the intended limitations.

```
// transfer fungible asset
  let asset = get_metadata(metadata_address);
  let transfer_ref = &obtain_managed_asset_refs(asset).transfer_ref;
  let from_wallet = primary_fungible_store::primary_store(sender, asset);
  let to_wallet =
    primary_fungible_store::ensure_primary_store_exists(recipient, asset);
  fungible_asset::transfer_with_ref(
```

## Suggestion:

It is recommended to call the set\_frozen\_flag() function in the transfer() function before transferring the asset to the to\_wallet .

#### **Resolution:**

## TBA-4 Evading Debt

#### Severity: Medium

Status: Fixed

#### Code Location:

aave-core/sources/aave-tokens/token\_base.move#307-309

#### **Descriptions:**

In the protocol, the function mint\_scaled utilizes fungible\_asset::set\_frozen\_flag to restrict accounts from transferring funds within the FungibleStore. The function set\_frozen\_flag intended to enable or disable a store's ability to perform direct transfers of the fungible asset. However, despite this restriction being enforced on the primary FungibleStore by default, it doesn't adequately address the transfer capabilities of secondary stores. This loophole allows the potential circumvention of the controls by transferring a token and variable token through secondary stores, thus creating a possible avenue for users to evade liabilities.

A more robust approach to addressing this vulnerability is to utilize the set\_untransferable function when creating a token. By doing so, all stores of the fungible asset are set to be untransferable, effectively preventing any transfers from one account to another, and thus precluding the possibility of bypassing the frozen flag. Here's how the corrected code would implement this solution:

// Set ALL stores for the fungible asset to untransferable.

// This preemptively blocks the ability of any store to be transferred between accounts,// ensuring the effective utilization of the frozen flag to restrict unauthorized fund transfers.

fungible\_asset::set\_untransferable(constructor\_ref);

This approach ensures that the susceptibility concerning fund transfers within secondary stores is properly mitigated, thereby enhancing the security of the protocol against potential evasion of debt obligations.

## Suggestion:

## Resolution:

The issue has not been fixed in the create\_variable\_token function.

## Appendix 1

## Issue Level

- **Informational** issues are often recommendations to improve the style of the code or to optimize code that does not affect the overall functionality.
- **Minor** issues are general suggestions relevant to best practices and readability. They don't post any direct risk. Developers are encouraged to fix them.
- **Medium** issues are non-exploitable problems and not security vulnerabilities. They should be fixed unless there is a specific reason not to.
- **Major** issues are security vulnerabilities. They put a portion of users' sensitive information at risk, and often are not directly exploitable. All major issues should be fixed.
- **Critical** issues are directly exploitable security vulnerabilities. They put users' sensitive information at risk. All critical issues should be fixed.

## Issue Status

- **Fixed:** The issue has been resolved.
- **Partially Fixed:** The issue has been partially resolved.
- **Acknowledged:** The issue has been acknowledged by the code owner, and the code owner confirms it's as designed, and decides to keep it.

## Appendix 2

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