

# H1: Users Can Withdraw Full Stake Despite Slashing

## Description

The Grass protocol's staking mechanism enables slashing of stake pool tokens, transferring a portion to a designated destination. This is handled by the `slashing_handler` function:

```
1  pub fn slashing_handler<'info>(
2      ctx: Context<Slashing>,
3      amount: u64,
4      router: u8,
5      is_locked: u8
6  ) -> Result<()> {
7      let stake_pool = &mut ctx.accounts.stake_pool.load_mut()?;
8      let pool = &mut stake_pool.reward_pools[usize::from(router)];
9      pool.is_locked = is_locked;
10
11     let cpi_ctx = CpiContext {
12         program: ctx.accounts.token_program.to_account_info(),
13         accounts: Transfer {
14             from: ctx.accounts.vault.to_account_info(),
15             to: ctx.accounts.vault.to_account_info(),
16             authority: ctx.accounts.stake_pool.to_account_info(),
17         },
18         remaining_accounts: Vec::new(),
19         signer_seeds: &[stake_pool_signer_seeds!(stake_pool)],
20     };
21     token::transfer(cpi_ctx, amount)?;
22     Ok(())
23 }
```

The function intends to deduct tokens proportionally from users staking with a delegate. However, the `withdraw_handler` function does not adjust for slashed amounts, allowing users to withdraw their entire original deposit:

```

1  pub fn withdraw_handler<'info>(ctx: Context<'_, '_, 'info, 'info,
    Withdraw<'info>>) -> Result<()> {
2      ctx.accounts.validate_stake_pool_and_owner()?;
3      ctx.accounts.claim_base.stake_deposit_receipt.validate_unlocked()?;
4      {
5          let mut stake_pool =
6          ctx.accounts.claim_base.stake_pool.load_mut()?;
7          let total_staked = stake_pool
8              .total_weighted_stake_u128()
9              .checked_sub(
10                 ctx.accounts.claim_base.stake_deposit_receipt.effective_stake_u128(),
11                 )
12                 .unwrap();
13         stake_pool.total_weighted_stake =
14         u128(total_staked.to_le_bytes());
15     }
16     ctx.accounts.transfer_staked_tokens_to_owner()?;
17     ctx.accounts.close_stake_deposit_receipt()?;
18     Ok(())
19 }

```

This flaw allows users to bypass slashing penalties, claiming their full stake regardless of deductions.

## Impact

This vulnerability undermines the staking pool's fairness, enabling users to withdraw unpenalized amounts, potentially depleting the pool. Later withdrawers may face shortages, disrupting the protocol's slashing enforcement.

## Recommendation

Revise the `withdraw_handler` function to account for slashed tokens, ensuring withdrawals reflect proportional deductions based on pool penalties.

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## H2: Unrestricted Access to TokenAirdrop Critical Functions

### Description

The `TokenAirdrop` program includes `set_admin` and `lock_claims` functions for critical operations: updating the admin and toggling airdrop claim status. These should be restricted to an admin account, but the functions lack caller verification:

```
1  #[allow(clippy::result_large_err)]
2  pub fn set_admin(ctx: Context<SetAdmin>) -> Result<()> {
3      handle_set_admin(ctx)
4  }
5
6  #[allow(clippy::result_large_err)]
7  pub fn lock_claims(ctx: Context<LockClaims>, is_locked: bool) ->
8      Result<()> {
9      handle_lock_claims(ctx, is_locked)
10 }
```

This oversight allows any user to invoke these functions, enabling unauthorized changes to the admin or claim lock status.

### Impact

Lack of access controls risks unauthorized admin changes or claim disruptions, potentially leading to mismanagement, fund loss, or denial of service for legitimate airdrop participants.

### Recommendation

Add caller verification to `set_admin` and `lock_claims`, ensuring only the admin account can execute these sensitive operations.

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## H3: Insufficient Constraints in ClaimBase Structure

### Description

The `ClaimBase` structure, used in staking operations, includes `stake_pool` and `stake_deposit_receipt` accounts, which should be Program Derived Addresses (PDAs) owned by the Staking program. However, the structure lacks ownership validation:

```

1  #[derive(Accounts)]
2  pub struct ClaimBase<'info> {
3      /// Owner of the StakeDepositReceipt
4      #[account(mut)]
5      pub owner: Signer<'info>,
6
7      // StakePool the StakeDepositReceipt belongs to
8      #[account(mut)]
9      pub stake_pool: AccountLoader<'info, StakePool>,
10
11     /// StakeDepositReceipt of the owner that will be used to claim
    respective rewards
12     #[account(
13         mut,
14         has_one = owner @ ErrorCode::InvalidOwner,
15         has_one = stake_pool @ ErrorCode::InvalidStakePool,
16     )]
17     pub stake_deposit_receipt: Account<'info, StakeDepositReceipt>,
18 }

```

The constraints verify only that `stake_deposit_receipt` references the `owner` and `stake_pool`, without ensuring these accounts are owned by the Staking program, allowing attackers to use crafted accounts.

## Impact

This vulnerability enables attackers to supply malicious `stake_pool` and `stake_deposit_receipt` accounts, manipulating the claim process to siphon funds, which could lead to significant financial losses for the protocol.

## Recommendation

Add ownership checks to the `ClaimBase` structure, ensuring `stake_pool` and `stake_deposit_receipt` are owned by the Staking program, using Anchor's ownership validation `ID` to enforce correct account types and discriminators.

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## H4: Missing Authority Check in Slashing Function

### Description

The `slashing_handler` function, responsible for slashing stake pool tokens, defines an `authority` field as a signer in the `Slashing` struct but fails to verify that this signer matches the authorized stake pool authority:

```
1  #[derive(Accounts)]
2  pub struct Slashing<'info> {
3      // ...
4      #[account(
5          mut,
6          has_one = vault @ ErrorCode::InvalidStakePoolVault,
7          has_one = stake_mint @ ErrorCode::InvalidAuthority,
8      )]
9      pub stake_pool: AccountLoader<'info, StakePool>,
10     // ...
11 }
```

This omission allows any user with a valid signer account to invoke `slashing_handler` and perform unauthorized slashing operations on the stake pool.

### Impact

Unauthorized slashing could lead to improper token deductions from the stake pool, causing financial losses for stakers and disrupting the protocol's penalty mechanism, potentially undermining trust and functionality.

### Recommendation

Add a constraint to the `Slashing` struct to verify that the signer matches the stake pool's authority, such as `has_one = authority @ ErrorCode::InvalidAuthority`, and ensure the `ErrorCode` enum includes an `InvalidAuthority` variant to reject unauthorized callers.

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## H5: Rewards Claimable Despite Locked Reward Pool

### Description

The Grass protocol's `slashing_handler` function sets an `is_locked` flag on a reward pool to restrict actions, such as reward claims:

```
1  pub fn slashing_handler<'info>(  
2      ctx: Context<Slashing>,  
3      amount: u64,  
4      router: u8,  
5      is_locked: u8  
6  ) -> Result<()> {  
7      let stake_pool = &mut ctx.accounts.stake_pool.load_mut()?;  
8      let pool = &mut stake_pool.reward_pools[usize::from(router)];  
9      pool.is_locked = is_locked;  
10  
11     let cpi_ctx = CpiContext {  
12         program: ctx.accounts.token_program.to_account_info(),  
13         accounts: Transfer {  
14             from: ctx.accounts.vault.to_account_info(),  
15             to: ctx.accounts.vault.to_account_info(),  
16             authority: ctx.accounts.stake_pool.to_account_info(),  
17         },  
18         remaining_accounts: Vec::new(),  
19         signer_seeds: &[stake_pool_signer_seeds!(stake_pool)],  
20     };  
21     token::transfer(cpi_ctx, amount)?;  
22     Ok(())  
23 }
```

However, the `transfer_all_claimable_rewards` function in `ClaimBase` does not check the `is_locked` flag, allowing rewards to be claimed from a locked pool:

```

1  pub fn transfer_all_claimable_rewards(
2      &self,
3      remaining_accounts: &[AccountInfo<'info>],
4  ) -> Result<[u64; MAX_REWARD_POOLS]> {
5      for (index, reward_pool) in
6          stake_pool.reward_pools.iter().enumerate() {
7          if reward_pool.is_empty() {
8              continue;
9          }
10         // ... (reward transfer logic)
11     }

```

This bypasses the intended lock mechanism, permitting unauthorized reward claims.

## Impact

This vulnerability allows users to claim rewards from locked pools, undermining the protocol's control mechanisms and potentially leading to unauthorized fund withdrawals, which could destabilize the reward distribution system.

## Recommendation

Modify the `transfer_all_claimable_rewards` and `update_reward_pools_last_amount` functions to skip locked reward pools (e.g., check `reward_pool.is_locked != 0`) and add error handling to notify users when claims are blocked due to a locked pool.

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## M1: StakeWeightTokens Not Burned on Unstaking

### Description

The Grass protocol mints `StakeWeightTokens` to users upon staking, intended to represent their stake for withdrawal purposes, as implemented in the `mint_staked_token_to_user` function:

```

1  pub fn mint_staked_token_to_user(&self, effective_amount: u64) ->
    Result<> {
2      let stake_pool = self.stake_pool.load()?;
3      let signer_seeds: &[&[u8]] = &[stake_pool_signer_seeds!
(stake_pool)];
4      let cpi_ctx = CpiContext::new_with_signer(
5          self.token_program.to_account_info(),
6          MintTo {
7              mint: self.stake_mint.to_account_info(),
8              to: self.destination.to_account_info(),
9              authority: self.stake_pool.to_account_info(),
10         },
11         signer_seeds,
12     );
13     token::mint_to(cpi_ctx, effective_amount)
14 }

```

However, the withdrawal function does not burn these tokens, as the burning logic is commented out:

```

1  //ctx.accounts.burn_stake_weight_tokens_from_owner()?;

```

This allows users to retain `StakeWeightTokens` after unstaking, violating the intended token lifecycle.

## Impact

Retaining `StakeWeightTokens` after unstaking could enable users to misuse these tokens, potentially disrupting the protocol's staking accounting or allowing unauthorized claims, which may lead to economic inconsistencies or exploits.

## Recommendation

Reinstate the burning logic in the withdrawal function (e.g., uncomment `burn_stake_weight_tokens_from_owner`) to ensure `StakeWeightTokens` are burned upon unstaking, maintaining the protocol's token integrity.



## M2: Attacker Can Block Deposits with Minimal or Zero Amount

### Description

The Grass protocol's deposit instruction creates a `StakeDepositReceipt` account, a PDA derived from a user-specified `nonce`, `owner`, `stake_pool`, and a string. The `owner` is not required to be a signer:

```
1  #[account(  
2    init,  
3    seeds = [  
4      &nonce.to_le_bytes(),  
5      owner.key().as_ref(),  
6      stake_pool.key().as_ref(),  
7      b"stakeDepositReceipt",  
8    ],  
9    bump,  
10   payer = payer,  
11   space = 8 + StakeDepositReceipt::LEN,  
12  )]  
13  pub stake_deposit_receipt: Account<'info, StakeDepositReceipt>,
```

This allows an attacker to front-run a user's deposit transaction by creating a `StakeDepositReceipt` with the same `nonce` and `owner` but a zero or minimal amount, causing the legitimate transaction to fail due to an existing PDA.

### Impact

This vulnerability enables attackers to censor user deposits by front-running with low-cost transactions, disrupting user participation and potentially deterring engagement with the staking protocol.

### Recommendation

Require the `owner` to be a signer of the deposit transaction or replace the `nonce` with an incremental counter or random value to prevent attackers from preemptively initializing the `StakeDepositReceipt` PDA.