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# 1 Executive Summary

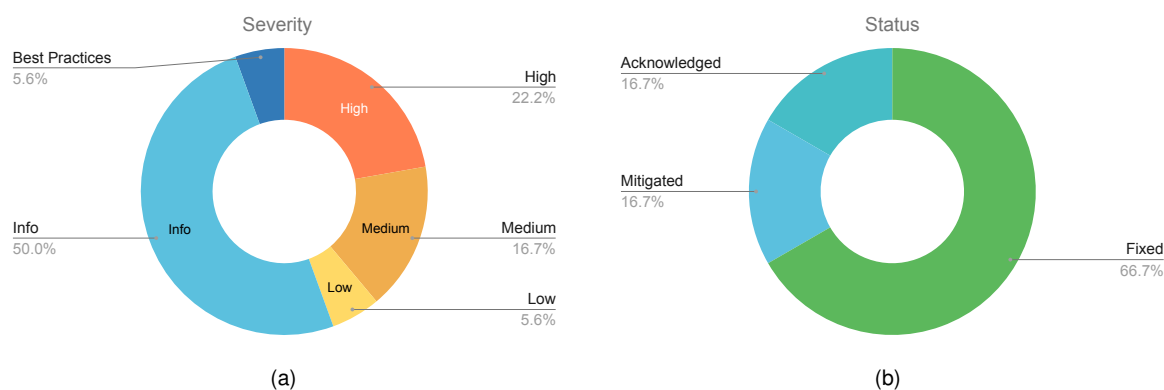
This document presents the results of a security review conducted by [Nethermind Security](#) for [Regeneration Credit](#) protocol. It establishes a funding system that directly rewards those engaged in the restoration of ecosystems.

Basically, the Regeneration Credit enables regenerators to earn additional income by transforming measurable ecological impact into digital credits while contributing to the recovery of biodiversity and natural resources. These credits can be converted into tokens that can be exchanged in the open market.

**The audit comprises 3286 lines of Solidity code. The audit was performed using** (a) manual analysis of the codebase, and (b) automated analysis tools.

**Along this document, we report 18 points of attention** where four are classified as High, three are classified as Medium, one as Low and ten are classified as Informational or Best Practices. classified as Informational severity. The issues are summarized in Fig. 1.

**This document is organized as follows.** Section 2 presents the files in the scope. Section 3 summarizes the issues. Section 4 presents the system overview. Section 5 discusses the risk rating methodology. Section 6 details the issues. Section 7 discusses the documentation provided by the client for this audit. Section 8 presents the test suite evaluation and automated tools used. Section 9 concludes the document.



**Fig. 1: Distribution of issues: Critical (0), High (4), Medium (3), Low (1), Undetermined (0), Informational (9), Best Practices (1). Distribution of status: Fixed (12), Acknowledged (3), Mitigated (3), Unresolved (0)**

## Summary of the Audit

<b>Audit Type</b>	Security Review
<b>Initial Report</b>	September 18, 2025
<b>Final Report</b>	October 04, 2025
<b>Initial Commit</b>	<a href="#">05ce1f8e4bea8508719e7f195be55b8bf4dfe36d</a>
<b>Final Commit</b>	<a href="#">6111f9efe576544efbb93c8a1dc08854b698a325</a>
<b>Documentation Assessment</b>	High
<b>Test Suite Assessment</b>	High

## 2 Audited Files

	Contract	LoC	Comments	Ratio	Blank	Total
1	DeveloperPool.sol	64	71	110%	26	161
2	InspectorPool.sol	64	70	109%	25	159
3	RegeneratorRules.sol	274	262	95%	108	638
4	ActivistPool.sol	64	70	109%	26	160
5	InspectionRules.sol	260	224	86%	103	587
6	RegenerationCredit.sol	56	103	183%	33	192
7	DeveloperRules.sol	183	276	150%	99	558
8	ValidationRules.sol	119	113	95%	57	289
9	CommunityRules.sol	192	190	99%	71	453
10	RegenerationIndexRules.sol	113	47	41%	23	183
11	InspectorRules.sol	148	208	140%	75	431
12	ContributorPool.sol	64	70	109%	26	160
13	ActivistRules.sol	122	165	135%	64	351
14	InvitationRules.sol	106	92	86%	39	237
15	ResearcherRules.sol	233	239	102%	104	576
16	RegeneratorPool.sol	65	71	109%	26	162
17	ResearcherPool.sol	64	70	109%	25	159
18	RegenerationCreditImpact.sol	57	89	156%	27	173
19	SupporterRules.sol	121	110	90%	54	285
20	VoteRules.sol	75	63	84%	25	163
21	ContributorRules.sol	202	275	136%	99	576
22	PoolTypes.sol	6	7	116%	1	14
23	SupporterTypes.sol	18	21	116%	2	41
24	ContributorTypes.sol	35	31	88%	5	71
25	IndexTypes.sol	14	13	92%	3	30
26	ResearcherTypes.sol	56	62	110%	7	125
27	ActivistTypes.sol	13	15	115%	2	30
28	ValidationTypes.sol	11	4	36%	1	16
29	DeveloperTypes.sol	36	26	72%	6	68
30	CommunityTypes.sol	34	60	176%	4	98
31	InspectorTypes.sol	21	22	104%	3	46
32	RegeneratorTypes.sol	27	30	111%	4	61
33	InspectionTypes.sol	33	23	69%	3	59
34	Callable.sol	21	38	181%	10	69
35	Poolable.sol	69	97	140%	32	198
36	Invitable.sol	13	27	207%	4	44
37	Blockable.sol	46	82	178%	24	152
38	IActivistPool.sol	8	30	375%	5	43
39	IInspectionRules.sol	6	20	333%	3	29
40	IContributorRules.sol	11	40	363%	8	59
41	IInspectorRules.sol	15	61	406%	12	88
42	IRegenerationIndexRules.sol	4	14	350%	1	19
43	IValidationRules.sol	10	19	190%	4	33
44	ICommunityRules.sol	20	79	395%	15	114
45	IDeveloperPool.sol	9	35	388%	6	50
46	IDeveloperRules.sol	11	40	363%	8	59
47	IInspectorPool.sol	8	30	375%	5	43
48	IResearcherRules.sol	12	45	375%	9	66
49	IRegeneratorPool.sol	9	36	400%	6	51
50	IVoteRules.sol	4	11	275%	1	16
51	IRegenerationCredit.sol	12	18	150%	9	39
52	IResearcherPool.sol	9	35	388%	6	50
53	IContributorPool.sol	9	35	388%	6	50
54	IRegeneratorRules.sol	19	56	294%	12	87
55	IActivistRules.sol	11	43	390%	8	62
	<b>Total</b>	<b>3286</b>	<b>4083</b>	<b>124.3%</b>	<b>1370</b>	<b>8733</b>

### 3 Summary of Issues

	Finding	Severity	Update
1	<a href="#">Fraud Reporting Mechanism Fails to Protect Protocol Integrity</a>	High	Fixed
2	<a href="#">Inspectors Are Unfairly Penalized When Detecting Invalid Regenerators</a>	High	Fixed
3	<a href="#">Inspectors Can Inflate Ecological Value to Profit from Token Sales</a>	High	Fixed
4	<a href="#">Insufficient validation of coordinates can lead to double registration of a regeneration area</a>	High	Mitigated
5	<a href="#">Any type of user can accept invitation from denied users</a>	Medium	Fixed
6	<a href="#">Risk of Fake Delations Undermining User Reputation System</a>	Medium	Fixed
7	<a href="#">Unexecuted Inspections may Block Regenerator Rewards</a>	Medium	Fixed
8	<a href="#">The average level decreases when denied users are included in the vote power computation</a>	Low	Fixed
9	<a href="#">Accumulation of Residual Tokens in Pools</a>	Info	Acknowledged
10	<a href="#">Imbalanced Token Distribution in Inspector Pool Reduces Incentives</a>	Info	Mitigated
11	<a href="#">Inspectors are deactivated in their three give-ups</a>	Info	Fixed
12	<a href="#">Lack of Incentives for Inspection Invalidation</a>	Info	Fixed
13	<a href="#">Permanent Pool Misconfiguration Risk After Ownership Renouncement</a>	Info	Mitigated
14	<a href="#">Unallocated tokens in Eras and Epochs will be completely locked in the contract</a>	Info	Acknowledged
15	<a href="#">Unclaimed Rewards Across Multiple Eras May Become Unrecoverable</a>	Info	Acknowledged
16	<a href="#">_canVoteRules function returns true when totalUsers is zero</a>	Info	Fixed
17	<a href="#">canInvite function returns true when totalUsers is zero</a>	Info	Fixed
18	<a href="#">Event in _denyUser is never emitted</a>	Best Practices	Fixed

## 4 Protocol Overview

The Regeneration Credit Protocol is a modular set of smart contracts designed to issue, distribute, and retire a fixed supply of Regeneration Credit (RC) tokens as a reward for ecosystem regeneration. The system coordinates multiple user roles Regenerators, Inspectors, Activists, Researchers, Contributors, Developers, Supporters through a combination of Rules contracts, Pool contracts, and Shared modules.

In the Regeneration Credit Protocol, each class of participant (actor) is managed by a **Rules contract** that enforces role-specific constraints (e.g., registration, validation, eligibility). These Rules contracts are tightly coupled with corresponding **Pool contracts**, which handle reward distribution based on **levels, inspections, or contributions**. The Pools themselves inherit from a `sharedPoolable` abstraction that applies era/epoch logic and halving schedules. Finally, every actor (Supporter, Regenerator, Inspector, Activist, Researcher, Contributor, Developer) interacts with its own Rules contract as the primary entry point. The Rules contracts then forward state updates to the Pool contracts for reward accrual, while also interacting with `CommunityRules` for global registration, invitations, and denial mechanics.

This three-layer pattern is:

- **Actor ↔ Rules Contract:** users register, submit work (contributions, inspections, offsets), or withdraw rewards.
- **Rules ↔ Pool Contract:** Rules contracts add/remove pool levels or trigger withdrawals on behalf of actors.
- **Rules ↔ CommunityRules:** ensures proportionality, invitation validity, penalties, and role assignment system-wide.

### 4.1 Actors and Their Roles

- **Supporters:** They buy RC tokens and burn them to generate Impact Certificates.
- **Regenerators:** They are the primary value creators who register and regenerate land areas.
- **Inspectors:** Validate regenerators' projects with evidence (photos, counts, reports)
- **Activists:** Drive protocol growth by inviting new Regenerators and Inspectors.
- **Researchers:** Provide scientific methodologies and impact metrics
- **Contributors:** Provide general contributions (education, documentation, awareness campaigns).
- **Developers:** Provide technical infrastructure.

### 4.2 Structure of the Contracts and Interaction with Users

Figure 2 presents a flow diagram illustrating the core processes of the protocol and the interaction with the respective user roles.

**Initialization:** The protocol starts with the *owner*, who adds the pool contracts and transfers the predefined fixed amount of tokens to each pool.

**User Onboarding:** All users, with the exception of *Supporters*, must be invited to join the protocol. Invited users accept the invitation by calling the respective contract function to register themselves. For example, a *Regenerator* calls the `addRegenerator` function and subsequently the `requestInspection` function to register and request an inspection.

**Inspection Workflow:** Once an inspection request is opened by a Regenerator:

- a. An *Inspector* must call the `acceptInspection` function to be assigned to the inspection.
- b. After visiting the area and completing the inspection, the Inspector calls the `realizeInspection` function to register the ecological data (number of trees and biodiversity).
- c. Each Inspector may inspect a given Regenerator only once.

**Inspection Validation:** In cases where an inspection is suspected to be invalid:

- a. Users with voting rights call the `addInspectionValidation` function to challenge the inspection.
- b. An inspection is invalidated only when the required minimum number of votes is reached.
- c. Once invalidated, the Inspector who submitted the inspection is penalized.

**Penalties and Restrictions:** If an Inspector accumulates the maximum number of allowed penalties, their status is set to denied. A denied user cannot perform any further operations in the system, such as:

- i) Accepting inspections,
- ii) Withdrawing rewards,
- iii) Inviting new users,
- iv) Voting.

Similar penalty mechanisms apply to other user roles, except for *Supporters*, who are exempted from such restrictions.

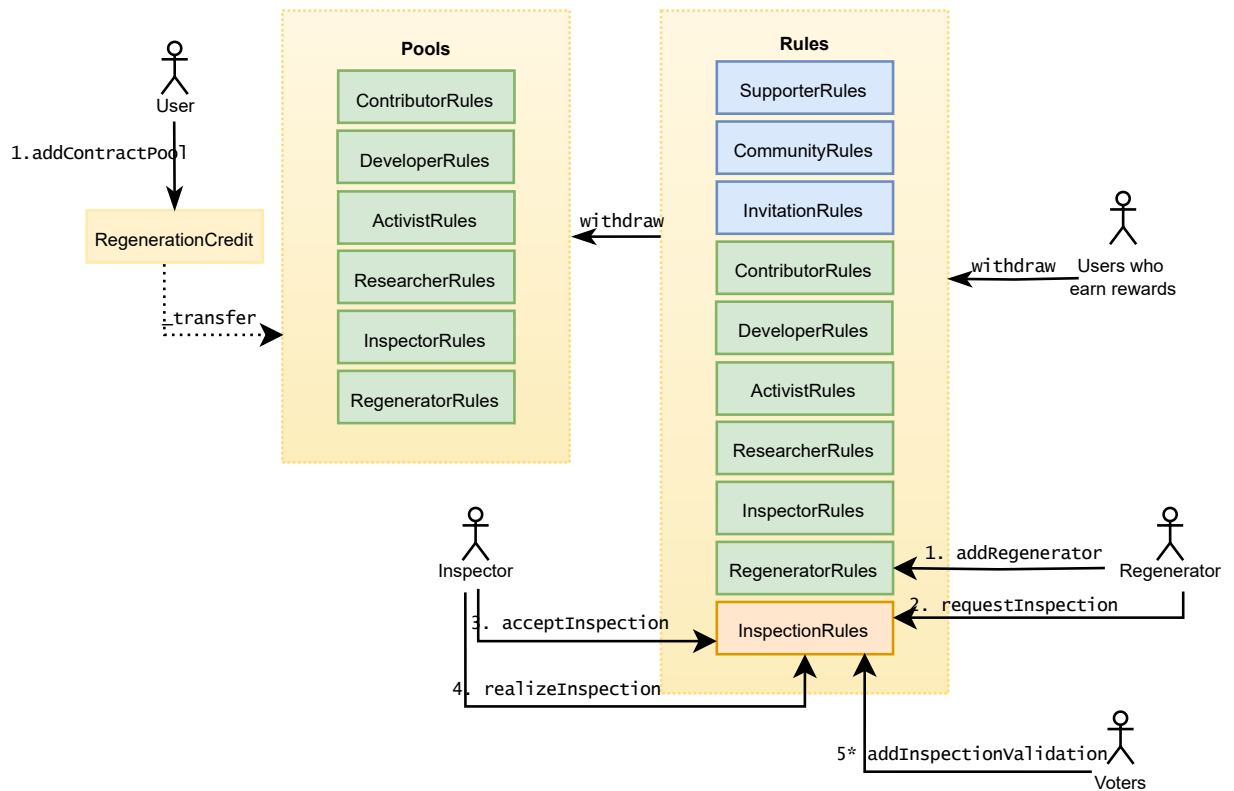


Fig. 2: Flow diagram for the core calls

## 5 Risk Rating Methodology

The risk rating methodology used by [Nethermind Security](#) follows the principles established by the [OWASP Foundation](#). The severity of each finding is determined by two factors: **Likelihood** and **Impact**.

**Likelihood** measures how likely the finding is to be uncovered and exploited by an attacker. This factor will be one of the following values:

- a) **High**: The issue is trivial to exploit and has no specific conditions that need to be met;
- b) **Medium**: The issue is moderately complex and may have some conditions that need to be met;
- c) **Low**: The issue is very complex and requires very specific conditions to be met.

When defining the likelihood of a finding, other factors are also considered. These can include but are not limited to motive, opportunity, exploit accessibility, ease of discovery, and ease of exploit.

**Impact** is a measure of the damage that may be caused if an attacker exploits the finding. This factor will be one of the following values:

- a) **High**: The issue can cause significant damage, such as loss of funds or the protocol entering an unrecoverable state;
- b) **Medium**: The issue can cause moderate damage, such as impacts that only affect a small group of users or only a particular part of the protocol;
- c) **Low**: The issue can cause little to no damage, such as bugs that are easily recoverable or cause unexpected interactions that cause minor inconveniences.

When defining the impact of a finding, other factors are also considered. These can include but are not limited to Data/state integrity, loss of availability, financial loss, and reputation damage. After defining the likelihood and impact of an issue, the severity can be determined according to the table below.

		Severity Risk		
Impact	High	Medium	High	Critical
	Medium	Low	Medium	High
	Low	Info/Best Practices	Low	Medium
	Undetermined	Undetermined	Undetermined	Undetermined
		Low	Medium	High
		Likelihood		

To address issues that do not fit a High/Medium/Low severity, [Nethermind Security](#) also uses three more finding severities: **Informational**, **Best Practices**, and **Undetermined**.

- a) **Informational** findings do not pose any risk to the application, but they carry some information that the audit team intends to pass to the client formally;
- b) **Best Practice** findings are used when some piece of code does not conform with smart contract development best practices;
- c) **Undetermined** findings are used when we cannot predict the impact or likelihood of the issue.



## 6 Issues

### 6.1 [High] Fraud Reporting Mechanism Fails to Protect Protocol Integrity

**File(s):** [RegeneratorRules.sol](#), [CommunityRules.sol](#)

**Description:** The system currently allows a user to become a regenerator only via invitation from an activist. There is no implementation to avoid that an area is used by another regenerator. While this mechanism restricts entry, it introduces vulnerabilities:

a - *Self-Invitation Abuse*: A user with an activist account can invite their own secondary accounts to join as regenerators, enabling them to register the same area multiple times.

b - *Area Misappropriation*: An activist can invite another account as regenerator but assign an area that belongs to a different regenerator, effectively diverting rewards to themselves across both activist and regenerator roles.

This can lead to duplicated or fraudulent area registrations. To mitigate the issue, the protocol introduces a denunciation mechanism that allows active users to flag irregularities.

However, the system does not effectively incentivize users to do so. For example, if an inspector invests time and money to visit an area and realizes they have already inspected it before for another regenerator, they may choose not to report the irregularity.

**Recommendation(s):** Reevaluate the denunciation mechanism to better incentivize users to report fraud and preserve the integrity of the protocol.

**Status:** Fixed

**Update from the client:** [PR #664](#). The problem pointed at this issue is that the system does not block or calculate the regenerators area on chain. The reason for that is that it is complicated to put on chain real world assets without a centralized solution, in this case an area being regenerated. It is not possible, as far as I know, to solve this problem only with the on chain registration function. So the solution is the validation mechanism, which was updated to solve this problem.

The attack pointed here is the "malicious activist" attack, where a user with this role tries to obtain rewards for fake or duplicated regenerators area. First, it is not that the user will make an instant profit out of it, to be successful new regenerators and inspectors need to conclude 3 valid inspections each one. And to do this without being discovered will be a challenge. A basic protection mechanism is the on chain reputation of the user, so the attacker will risk loose his account, what can return rewards/profit if acting honestly, when registering fake or duplicated areas.

One implementation to reduce the problem was to set activist as a non voter user, to avoid conflict of interest and to reduce this user type power. So now the voting rights and the inspections operations are separated. Activist, regenerators and inspectors are the operation base. And developers, researches and contributors are the voting layer, users that will have the validation as their function to the system. Another implementation was the reduction to only 5 allowed inviterPenalties for the Activist. So now, if 5 invited users gets denied, the activist is blocked from sending new invitations. So the risk is higher for the attacker.

```

1  constructor(
2      uint8 inspectorProportionality,
3      uint8 activistProportionality,
4      uint8 researcherProportionality,
5      uint8 developerProportionality,
6      uint8 contributorProportionality
7  ) {
8      // ..
9      userTypeSettings[CommunityTypes.UserType.ACTIVIST] = CommunityTypes.UserTypeSetting(
10         activistProportionality,
11         false,
12         true,
13         VOTER_INVITATION_DELAY_BLOCKS,
14         false
15     );

```

Another implementation was the ValidationPool, a token reward mechanism for hunters and voters. This implementation added a mechanism where hunters, or the users that start the voting for another user, receives one level of this validation pool if the user gets denied. The intention is to be a small pool, to reward a bonus or a tip for this service. So users can open voting, make "campaign" to invalidate a particular malicious user and get rewarded for that.

```

1  /**
2   * @notice Allows users to attempt to vote to invalidate an user.
3   * @dev Votes to invalidate users with unwanted behavior.
4   *
5   * Requirements:
6   * - The caller must be a registered voter user (verified by VoteRules).
7   * - Caller level must be above average (verified by VoteRules.canVote implicitly).
8   * - Caller must have waited `timeBetweenVotes` since their last vote.
9   * - Caller must vote only once per user per era.

```

```

10  * - The target user must be registered and not already denied.
11  * - If the target user is a Regenerator, they must have fewer than 4 completed inspections to be eligible for
    → invalidation.
12  *
13  * @param userAddress Invalidation user address.
14  * @param justification Invalidation justification (Max characters).
15  */
16  function addUserValidation(address userAddress, string memory justification) external nonReentrant {
17      require(bytes(justification).length <= MAX_JUSTIFICATION_LENGTH, "Max characters");
18      require(voteRules.canVote(msg.sender), "Not a voter");
19      require(!communityRules.userTypeIs(CommunityTypes.UserType.UNDEFINED, userAddress), "User not registered");
20      require(
21          !communityRules.userTypeIs(CommunityTypes.UserType.SUPPORTER, userAddress),
22          "Supporter validation not allowed"
23      );
24      require(!communityRules.isDenied(userAddress), "User already denied");
25      require(!_canBeValidated(userAddress), "Regenerator has reached validation immunity");
26
27      uint256 currentEra = _userCurrentEra(userAddress);
28
29      require(!validatorUsersValidations[msg.sender][userAddress][currentEra], "Already voted");
30      require(waitedTimeBetweenVotes(msg.sender), "Wait timeBetweenVotes");
31
32      if (hunterPools[msg.sender].currentEra == 0) {
33          hunterPools[msg.sender].currentEra = validationPool.currentContractEra();
34      }
35
36      if (userValidations[userAddress][currentEra] == 0) {
37          hunterVoter[userAddress][currentEra] = msg.sender;
38      }
39
40      validatorUsersValidations[msg.sender][userAddress][currentEra] = true;
41      validatorLastVoteAt[msg.sender] = block.number;
42      userValidations[userAddress][currentEra]++;
43      validationPoints[msg.sender]++;
44
45      uint256 validationsCount = userValidations[userAddress][currentEra];
46      uint256 _votesToInvalidate = votesToInvalidate();
47
48      if (validationsCount >= _votesToInvalidate) {
49          _denyUser(userAddress);
50          address hunter = hunterVoter[userAddress][currentEra];
51          totalValidationLevels[hunter]++;
52          validationPool.addLevel(hunter, userAddress);
53      }
54
55      emit UserValidation(msg.sender, userAddress, justification, currentEra);
56  }
57
58  /**
59   * @dev Allows a validator to initiate a withdrawal of Regeneration Credits
60   * for the malicious/fake users hunt service. Rewards will be based on their hunting level and current era.
61   * @notice Validators can claim tokens for their hunt and investigation service.
62   */
63  function withdraw() external nonReentrant {
64      // Only registered voters can call this function.
65      require(communityRules.isVoter(msg.sender), "Pool only to voters");
66      require(validatorLastVoteAt[msg.sender] > 0, "Not eligible to withdraw");
67
68      Pool storage hunterPool = hunterPools[msg.sender];
69      uint256 currentEra = hunterPool.currentEra;
70
71      // Check if the validator is eligible to withdraw for the current era through DeveloperPool.
72      require(validationPool.canWithdraw(currentEra), "Not eligible to withdraw for this era");
73
74      // Increment the validator's era in their local pool data.
75      hunterPool.currentEra++;
76
77      // Call the DeveloperPool contract to perform the actual token withdrawal.
78      validationPool.withdraw(msg.sender, currentEra);
79  }
80

```

The other voters, they do have the incentive to vote to keep the system clean and increase their past and future rewards by having a community without the fraudulent actors. But to improve their incentive, a validationPoints mechanism was added to all vote functions, and

with 50 validationPoints, the user can exchange his points for one validationPool level and receive a token tip for this service.

```

1  /// @notice Validation points required for one pool level.
2  uint256 public constant POINTS_PER_LEVEL = 50;
3
4  /// @notice Tracks the accumulated, unspent validation points for each voter.
5  mapping(address => uint256) public validationPoints;
6
7  /// @notice Tracks the total number of validation levels a user has ever earned.
8  mapping(address => uint256) public totalValidationLevels;
9
10 /**
11  * @notice Grants a single validation point to a voter for a voting action.
12  * @dev This is a function intended to be called by the resources contracts after a validation vote.
13  * @param voter The address of the voter who is earning the point.
14  */
15 function addValidationPoint(address voter) external mustBeAllowedCaller {
16     validationPoints[voter]++;
17 }
18
19 /**
20  * @notice Allows a voter to exchange their accumulated validation points for a single level.
21  * @dev This function implements a fixed exchange rate where a voter can trade a specific
22  * amount of points (POINTS_PER_LEVEL) for one level, which contributes to their
23  * standing and potential rewards in the Validation Pool.
24  *
25  * Requirements:
26  * - The caller (`msg.sender`) must be a registered voter (e.g., Researcher, Developer, Contributor).
27  * - The caller must have accumulated at least `POINTS_PER_LEVEL` points to be eligible for the exchange.
28  */
29 function exchangePointsForLevel() external nonReentrant {
30     require(commUNITYRules.isVoter(msg.sender), "Pool only to voters");
31
32     uint256 userPoints = validationPoints[msg.sender];
33     require(userPoints >= POINTS_PER_LEVEL, "Not enough points");
34
35     if (hunterPools[msg.sender].currentEra == 0) {
36         hunterPools[msg.sender].currentEra = validationPool.currentContractEra();
37     }
38
39     validationPoints[msg.sender] = userPoints - POINTS_PER_LEVEL;
40     totalValidationLevels[msg.sender]++;
41
42     validationPool.addPointsLevel(msg.sender);
43 }

```

Also, some events had the indexed tag added to facilitate lookup.

## 6.2 [High] Inspectors Are Unfairly Penalized When Detecting Invalid Regenerators

**File(s):** `CommunityRules.sol`, `InspectionRules.sol`

**Description:** The protocol provides mechanisms to invalidate inspections and to report other users or resources. However, when an inspector accepts an inspection and later realizes that the area belongs to a regenerator they have already audited (which is not allowed), the current design leaves the inspector with only two unfavorable outcomes:

1. **Abandon the inspection** — The inspector does not submit, but is penalized for giving up, which may eventually lead to exclusion from the system;
2. **Submit with denunciation** — The inspector calls the `InspectionRules.realizeInspection` function to complete the inspection. Report the regenerator calling `CommunityRules.addDelation` indicating the regenerator's address. The inspection is then subject to voting and invalidation, which also penalizes the inspector when the inspection is invalidated. If the inspector does not report the regenerator, they also may be penalized if users invalidate the inspection.

Inspectors are punished in both cases, even when acting honestly.

**Recommendation(s):** Revise the invalidation and denunciation logic to ensure that inspectors acting correctly are not penalized.

**Status:** Fixed

**Update from the client:** Fixed at [PR #662](#). This problem was solved by introducing a check to only count as a realized inspection and increment the ecological counters if the regeneration score is positive. Also, was added a check to only add pool level and increment inspections count to both regenerators and inspectors if score is not zero.

We will encourage inspectors to realize the inspection passing 0 as value and with his description/delation of the problem faced on the report. So with this update, 0 score inspection will not affect the token ecological backing, will not increase level and inspections count, will not increase the inspector giveUp count and may not be penalized if well justified at the report.

This way, the inspector don't even need to create a delation, the the zero inspection with the justification for the invalid regenerator. No giveUps, no penalty, if validators agree with the justification.

Impact update:

```

1  /**
2   * @dev Allow a inspector realize a inspection and mark as INSPECTED.
3   * @notice Inspectors must evaluate the amount of trees and species of the regeneration area.
4   * How many trees, palm trees and other plants over 1m high and 3cm in diameter there is in the regenerating area?
5   *   ↳ Justify your answer in the report.
6   * How many different species of those plants/trees were found? Each different species is equivalent to one unity and
7   *   ↳ only trees and plants managed or planted by the regenerator should be counted. Justify your answer in the report.
8   * Zero score means invalid inspection.
9   * NOTE: If the inspector finds something suspicious about the inspected regenerator, such as invalid area, suspicious
10  *   ↳ of fake account, or if the Regenerator is not
11  *   ↳ findable, inspectors are encourage to realize passing 0 as values with his justification at the report to avoid
12  *   ↳ being penalized.
13  * @param inspectionId The id of the inspection to be realized.
14  * @param proofPhotos The string of a photo with the regenerator or the string of a document with the proofPhoto with
15  *   ↳ the regenerator and other area photos.
16  * @param justificationReport The justification and report of the result found.
17  * @param treesResult The number of trees, palm trees and other plants over 1m high and 3cm in diameter found in the
18  *   ↳ regeneration area. Only plants managed or planted by the regenerator must be counted.
19  * @param biodiversityResult The number of different species of trees, palm trees and other plants over 1m high and 3cm
20  *   ↳ in diameter found in the regeneration area. Only plants managed or planted by the regenerator must be counted.
21  */
22  function realizeInspection(
23      uint64 inspectionId,
24      string memory proofPhotos,
25      string memory justificationReport,
26      uint32 treesResult,
27      uint32 biodiversityResult
28  ) external nonReentrant {
29      // ...
30
31      // Only count inspections that have a positive impact towards the global metrics.
32      if (inspection.regenerationScore > 0) {
33          impactPerEra[inspection.inspectedAtEra].trees += treesResult;
34          impactPerEra[inspection.inspectedAtEra].biodiversity += biodiversityResult;
35          realizedInspectionsCount++;
36          impactPerEra[era].realizedInspections++;
37      }
38      // ...
39  }

```

To solve the problem that inspections not carried out were still counting to the totalInspections, a new logic to only count as realized inspection was introduced. Now, a zero score inspection will not be counted as an inspection or a level for users.

This was implemented at the afterRealizeFunction for both inspectors and regenerators:

```
1  function afterRealizeInspection(  
2      address addr,  
3      uint32 score,  
4      uint64 inspectionId  
5  ) external mustBeAllowedCaller mustBeContractCall(inspectionRulesAddress) nonReentrant returns (uint256) {  
6      require(score <= MAX_SCORE, "Maximum score");  
7      require(!processedInspections[inspectionId], "Inspection results already submitted");  
8      // ...  
9      if (score > 0) {  
10         totalInspections = _incrementInspections(addr);  
11     } else {  
12         totalInspections = regenerators[addr].totalInspections;  
13     }  
14     // ...  
15 }
```

## 6.3 [High] Inspectors Can Inflate Ecological Value to Profit from Token Sales

**File(s):** `RegenerationCreditImpact.sol`

**Description:** The functions `treesPerToken`, `carbonPerToken`, and `biodiversityPerToken` compute the per-token ecological impact (trees, carbon, and biodiversity, respectively). Each of these functions ultimately depends on the number of trees recorded in the system:

```

1  function treesPerToken() external view returns (uint256) {
2      uint256 effectiveSupply = _getEffectiveSupply();
3      if (effectiveSupply == 0) return 0;
4
5      return (totalTreesImpact() * PRECISION_FACTOR) / effectiveSupply;
6  }
7
8  function carbonPerToken() external view returns (uint256) {
9      uint256 effectiveSupply = _getEffectiveSupply();
10     if (effectiveSupply == 0) return 0;
11
12     return (totalCarbonImpact() * PRECISION_FACTOR) / effectiveSupply;
13 }

```

The values of `totalTreesImpact` and `totalCarbonImpact` are derived from `inspectionsTreesImpact`, which accumulates the number of trees reported across all inspections:

```

1  function totalTreesImpact() public view returns (uint256) {
2      if (inspectionRules.realizedInspectionsCount() == 0) return 0;
3
4      return
5          (inspectionRules.inspectionsTreesImpact() * regeneratorRules.totalImpactRegenerators()) /
6          inspectionRules.realizedInspectionsCount();
7  }
8
9  function totalCarbonImpact() public view returns (uint256) {
10     return totalTreesImpact() * CARBON_PER_TREE;
11 }

```

Each inspection contributes to `inspectionsTreesImpact`, capped at four trees per square meter and a maximum inspected area of 500,000 sqm. If an inspection is later invalidated by voters, both `inspectionsTreesImpact` and `realizedInspectionsCount` are decremented accordingly.

The problem arises when a malicious user operates multiple accounts as inspectors or independent inspectors observe that the Regeneration Credit (RC) value is connected to the number of trees. Since inspectors can take on new inspections roughly every 24 hours, they can repeatedly submit manipulated inspections to artificially inflate the ecological value of the RC token and then sell tokens earned in previous eras (e.g., Era n-1, n-2, etc.).

This vulnerability allows attackers to artificially manipulate the ecological value per RC token, enabling unfair profit extraction and undermining the credibility and stability of the system.

**Recommendation(s):** Review the design of the per-token ecological impact calculation to ensure inspectors cannot manipulate token value. One possible mitigation is to base the computation solely on validated data from the previous era.

**Status:** Fixed

**Update from the client:** A struct `ImpactEra` and a mapping from `era` to `ImpactEra` was introduced. Now the impact calculation is realized by era. A `setEraImpact` function was added at the request inspection function to add the past era impact to the global metrics. So now the impact will be increased at the first `requestInspection` of each era, summing only the past impact to avoid the manipulation issue. Fixed at [PR #663](#).

```

1  /**
2   * @notice Tracks the inspection impact of an Era.
3   * @dev This struct is used to register the impact of all inspection of an Era.
4   * @param trees Trees count.
5   * @param biodiversity Biodiversity count.
6   * @param realizedInspections Era realizedInspections count.
7   */
8  struct ImpactEra {
9      uint256 trees;
10     uint256 biodiversity;
11     uint256 realizedInspections;
12 }
13
14
15 function realizeInspection(
16     uint64 inspectionId,
17     string memory proofPhotos,
18     string memory justificationReport,

```

```

19     uint32 treesResult,
20     uint32 biodiversityResult
21 ) external nonReentrant {
22     // ..
23     if (inspection.regenerationScore > 0) {
24         uint256 era = inspection.inspectedAtEra;
25         impactPerEra[era].trees += treesResult;
26         impactPerEra[era].biodiversity += biodiversityResult;
27         impactPerEra[era].realizedInspections++;
28     }
29     // ..
30 }
31
32 function requestInspection() external nonReentrant {
33     // ..
34
35     // Update era impact.
36     _setEraImpact();
37 }
38
39 function _setEraImpact() private {
40     uint256 nextEraToSet = lastSettledEra + 1;
41
42     if (nextEraToSet < regeneratorRules.poolCurrentEra()) {
43         EraImpact storage eraImpact = impactPerEra[nextEraToSet];
44
45         inspectionsTreesImpact += eraImpact.trees;
46         inspectionsBiodiversityImpact += eraImpact.biodiversity;
47         realizedInspectionsCount += eraImpact.realizedInspections;
48         totalImpactRegenerators += regeneratorRules.newCertificationRegenerators(nextEraToSet);
49         // Update the lastSettledEra to the era just settled.
50         lastSettledEra = nextEraToSet;
51     }
52 }

```

To avoid variables conflict, the logic to calculate the impact regenerators, users that are on the certification process was changed and now a mapping registers how many new impact regenerators started at each era.

```

1     /// @notice The number of regenerators that have started the certification process on each era,
2     /// and have reached the minimum of one inspection.
3     mapping(uint256 => uint256) public newCertificationRegenerators;
4
5     function decrementInspections(address addr) external
6     // ..
7     if (totalInspections == 1) {
8         uint256 era = poolCurrentEra();
9         if (newCertificationRegenerators[era] > 0) {
10             newCertificationRegenerators[era]--;
11         }
12         impactRegenerators[addr] = false;
13     }
14     // ..
15 }
16
17 function _incrementInspections(address addr) private returns (uint256) {
18     // ..
19     if (!impactRegenerators[addr]) {
20         impactRegenerators[addr] = true;
21         uint256 era = poolCurrentEra();
22         newCertificationRegenerators[era]++;
23     }
24     // ..
25 }

```

## 6.4 [High] Insufficient validation of coordinates can lead to double registration of a regeneration area

**File(s):** `RenegatorRules.sol`

**Description:** When adding a regenerator the `addRegeneration` function validates the provided coordinates via the `_validateCoordinates` function presented below:

```

1  function _validateCoordinates(Coordinates[] calldata _coords) private pure {
2      // Loop through each coordinate
3      for (uint256 i = 0; i < _coords.length; i++) {
4          // --- 1. Check for Duplicates ---
5          // Compare the current coordinate with all subsequent coordinates
6          for (uint256 j = i + 1; j < _coords.length; j++) {
7              // We use keccak256 to compare the structs efficiently
8              require(
9                  keccak256(abi.encode(_coords[i])) != keccak256(abi.encode(_coords[j])), //@audit can represent same area ie
10                 ↳ 13.23 is the same as 13.230000.
11                 "Duplicate coordinates are not allowed"
12             );
13         }
14         // ....
15         // ....
16     }
17 }
18

```

In validating the coordinates structs the function does `keccak256(abi.encode(_coords[i])) != keccak256(abi.encode(_coords[j]))` operation. Now given this is a keccak256 hash operation then any variability in the coordinates data will not match and the check will pass. For example a latitude of 13.2 will produce a different hash from 13.2000 and in coordinates the value 13.2000 is basically the same area but with a higher precision.

**Recommendation(s):** Consider improving validation of provided coordinates. For example the difference between coordinates 12.3456 and 12.3457 is only 11 meters and this might represent the same regeneration area.

**Status:** Mitigated

**Update from the client:** Mitigated at [PR #659](#). The problem about on-chain coordinates storage is that it is technically complicated to compare these points with a solidity function to, for example, block duplicate registration or polygon crossings areas. We could develop a way to check duplicate coordinates points, but if the user walks 1m on any direction than it is already a different point that could be stored instead. So the system needs to rely on the community to perform the cleaning actions to check the area. The challenge for a governance system is that it requires user interaction and participation. Hunters will need to review every single registration and voters will need to proactively vote for maintenance of the system.

The question about this function problem, is a mathematical problem that allows 13.2 and 13.2000 to be registered as if it was different points. The function was updated to solve this problem and block now the regenerator to add the same coordinates at registration, solving the mathematical problem. The issue about the duplicated coordinates or crossing area polygons still exists and perhaps is unsolvable in solidity. We could have developed a way to store all coordinate points and then check at registration. It would be necessary 2 fors going from 3-10 coordinates to make this check, adding a good amount of gas to the function. Since even with this check it would still need the validation process, we decided to keep the function cleaner without the `seenPoints` logic. Here is the new `validateCoordinates` function:

```

1  function _validateCoordinates(Coordinates[] calldata _coords) private pure {
2      uint256 len = _coords.length;
3      int256 precision = 10 ** 6;
4
5      for (uint256 i = 0; i < len; i++) {
6          // --- 1. Convert and Validate Range ---
7          int256 lat_i = _stringCoordToInt(_coords[i].latitude);
8          int256 lon_i = _stringCoordToInt(_coords[i].longitude);
9
10         require(lat_i >= -90 * precision && lat_i <= 90 * precision, "Invalid latitude");
11         require(lon_i >= -180 * precision && lon_i <= 180 * precision, "Invalid longitude");
12
13         // --- 2. Check for Duplicates ---
14         for (uint256 j = i + 1; j < len; j++) {
15             int256 lat_j = _stringCoordToInt(_coords[j].latitude);
16             int256 lon_j = _stringCoordToInt(_coords[j].longitude);
17
18             require(lat_i != lat_j || lon_i != lon_j, "Duplicate coordinates are not allowed");
19         }
20     }
21 }

```



## 6.5 [Medium] Any type of user can accept invitation from denied users

**File(s):** [ActivistRules.sol](#), [DeveloperRoles.sol](#), [ContributorRules.sol](#), [RegeneratorRules.sol](#), [ResearcherRules.sol](#),

**Description:** The system defines different user types: activist, researcher, developer, and contributor. Each of which requires an invitation to join the community. Only users without the denied status are permitted to send invitations.

However, after an invitation is sent and before the invitee completes their registration, the inviter may subsequently be blocked from performing any actions, including sending new invitations. Despite this, there is no verification at the time of registration to ensure that the inviter remains eligible.

This allows invitees to successfully register using invitations from inviters who have since been blocked, undermining the restriction mechanism and enabling indirect circumvention of access controls. This issue impacts all the rule contracts implemented for the mentioned user type above.

**Recommendation:** Validate the inviter's status at the time of invitee registration to ensure that invitations from blocked users cannot be used. The `addUser` function in the `CommunityRules` contract is invoked by all user registration flows. For better modularity and to reduce the risk of errors, the necessary validation should be implemented directly within this function.

```

1  function addUser(address addr, CommunityTypes.UserType userType) external mustBeAllowedCaller {
2      require(addr != address(0), "User address cannot be zero");
3      require(users[addr] == CommunityTypes.UserType.UNDEFINED, "User already exists");
4      require(userType != CommunityTypes.UserType.UNDEFINED, "Invalid user type");
5      require(_registrationProportionalityAllowed(userType), "Proportionality invalid");
6      require(_invitedTypeOnRegister(addr, userType), "Invalid invitation");
7      // @audit insert the checking if the inviter is not denied
8
9      users[addr] = userType;
10     usersCount++;
11     userTypesCount[userType]++;
12     userTypesTotalCount[userType]++;
13
14     emit UserRegistered(addr, userType);
15 }

```

**Status:** Fixed

**Update from the client:** A require check was added to the `addUser` function at `CommunityRules.sol` to block registration of invited wallets by a denied inviter. Now, if a inviter gets denied, all invitations previously made from that user are not valid anymore.

To increase security, besides the `isDenied` check, another require was added at `addUser` function to block registration from inviters that have exceeded the max inviter penalties. It is the same issue, just a different penalty that should also block invitation. Fixed at [PR #658](#)

```

1  function addUser(address addr, CommunityTypes.UserType userType) external mustBeAllowedCaller {
2      // ..
3      require(!isDenied(invitations[addr].inviter), "Inviter denied"); // Inviter cannot be denied
4      require(inviterPenalties[invitations[addr].inviter] < MAX_INVITER_PENALTIES, "Inviter with too many penalties");
5      // ..
6  }

```

## 6.6 [Medium] Risk of Fake Denunciation Undermining User Reputation System

**File(s):** CommunityRules.sol

**Description:** Currently, users can file a report alleging malicious behavior on the protocol by other users. These denunciations are stored on the reported user's profile and are visible to everyone, effectively marking the profile as "dirty" when misbehavior is recorded.

The addDelation function can be called by any user, except for supporters. As shown, each denunciation is stored in the delations mapping. Currently, there is no function available to update or change the status of a denunciation; once created, it is automatically assumed to be valid.

```

1  function addDelation(address addr, string memory title, string memory testimony) external {
2      require(
3          bytes(title).length <= MAX_TITLE_LENGTH && bytes(testimony).length <= MAX_TESTIMONY_LENGTH,
4          "Max characters reached"
5      );
6      require(hasWaitedRequiredTime(msg.sender), "Wait delay blocks");
7      require(users[msg.sender] != CommunityTypes.UserType.UNDEFINED, "Caller must be registered");
8      require(users[msg.sender] != CommunityTypes.UserType.SUPPORTER, "Not allowed to supporters");
9      require(users[addr] != CommunityTypes.UserType.UNDEFINED, "User must be registered");
10     require(addr != address(0), "Cannot delate zero address");
11     require(addr != msg.sender, "Self-denunciation not allowed");
12
13     lastDelationBlock[msg.sender] = block.number;
14
15     delationsCount++;
16     uint64 newDelationId = delationsCount;
17
18     CommunityTypes.Delation memory newDelation = CommunityTypes.Delation(
19         newDelationId,
20         msg.sender,
21         addr,
22         title,
23         testimony,
24         block.number
25     );
26
27     delations[addr].push(newDelation);
28     delationsById[newDelationId] = newDelation;
29
30     emit DelationAdded(msg.sender, addr, newDelationId);
31 }

```

However, this mechanism introduces a critical risk: a malicious actor could deliberately create false denunciation to harm another user's reputation. Over time, as fake reports accumulate alongside legitimate ones, the overall value and credibility of this feature may diminish.

**Recommendation(s):** Implement a validation layer for denunciations. One possible approach is a voting mechanism, where other users (or a designated group) can validate or invalidate each denunciation. This would reduce the risk of abuse, increase the accuracy of reputation tracking, and help maintain trust in the system over time.

**Status:** Fixed

**Update from the client:** The problem was significantly reduced after the implementation of a check to only allow one delation per user. A user can still add a fake delation, risking his own credibility, but only one. More than one delation per wallet per user is not allowed anymore.

The second mitigation action of this issue is a voting mechanism where users can vote true or false for a delation. With this logic, users can add a social proof and vote to unmask fake delations or support true delations. This way, even a fake delation with the intention to harm a user's reputation can be largely voted as false, not compromising the user reputation.

With this change, the delation data structure was updated to split functions between mappings and leave the work to the front-end. One to store the ids and another with the relationship between delation id and its data. Fixed at [PR #657](#)

New mappings structure:

```

1  /// @dev Index of delation IDs for each reported user.
2  mapping(address => uint64[]) private _delationIdsForUser;
3
4  /// @dev mapping: delationId => voterAddress => hasVoted (bool)
5  mapping(uint64 => mapping(address => bool)) private _hasVotedOnDelation;
6

```

New voteOnDelation function:

```

1  /**
2   * @notice Allows users to vote (thumbs up/down) on an existing delation.

```

```
3  * @dev This creates a social validation layer. Voters cannot be the informer or the reported user.
4  * @param _delationId The ID of the delation to vote on.
5  * @param _supportsDelation True for a "thumbs up" (agrees), false for "thumbs down" (disagrees).
6  */
7  function voteOnDelation(uint64 _delationId, bool _supportsDelation) external {
8      // 1. Check if the delation exists by accessing it. It will revert if the ID is invalid.
9      CommunityTypes.Delation storage delation = delationsById[_delationId];
10     require(delation.id != 0, "Delation does not exist");
11
12     // 2. Check if the voter is eligible.
13     require(users[msg.sender] != CommunityTypes.UserType.UNDEFINED, "Caller must be registered");
14     require(users[msg.sender] != CommunityTypes.UserType.SUPPORTER, "Not allowed to supporters");
15     require(!isDenied(msg.sender), "User denied");
16
17     // 3. The informer and the reported user cannot vote on their own delation.
18     require(msg.sender != delation.informer, "Informer cannot vote");
19     require(msg.sender != delation.reported, "Reported user cannot vote");
20
21     // 4. Check to prevent double voting.
22     require(!_hasVotedOnDelation[_delationId][msg.sender], "Already voted");
23
24     // --- State Changes ---
25
26     // Mark that this user has now voted.
27     _hasVotedOnDelation[_delationId][msg.sender] = true;
28
29     // Increment the appropriate counter.
30     if (_supportsDelation) {
31         delation.thumbsUp++;
32     } else {
33         delation.thumbsDown++;
34     }
35
36     emit DelationVoted(_delationId, msg.sender, _supportsDelation, delation.thumbsUp, delation.thumbsDown);
37 }
38
```

## 6.7 [Medium] Unexecuted Inspections may Block Regenerator Rewards

**File(s):** `InspectionRules.sol`

**Description:** Inspectors accept inspection requests through the `acceptInspection` function, which updates the inspection status from `InspectionStatus.OPEN` to `InspectionStatus.ACCEPTED` and records the block number at which it was accepted:

```

1  function acceptInspection(uint64 inspectionId) external nonReentrant {
2      // ...
3      require(inspection.status == InspectionStatus.OPEN, "Inspection must be OPEN");
4      // ...
5
6      inspection.status = InspectionStatus.ACCEPTED;
7      inspection.acceptedAt = block.number;
8      inspection.inspector = msg.sender;
9
10     // ...
11 }

```

When the assigned inspector later calls `realizeInspection` to submit results, the contract checks that the inspection has not expired:

```

1  function realizeInspection(
2      uint64 inspectionId,
3      string memory proofPhotos,
4      string memory justificationReport,
5      uint32 treesResult,
6      uint32 biodiversityResult
7  ) external nonReentrant {
8      // ...
9      require(inspection.status == InspectionStatus.ACCEPTED, "Accept before");
10     require(inspection.inspector == msg.sender, "Not your inspection");
11     require(!(block.number > inspection.acceptedAt + blocksToExpireAcceptedInspection), "Inspection Expired");
12     // ...
13 }

```

As presented in the code above, once the `block.number` exceeds `acceptedAt + blocksToExpireAcceptedInspection`, the inspector can no longer submit results.

While the protocol penalizes inspectors for failing to deliver, it also indirectly penalizes regenerators. If an inspection is created near the end of an era and the assigned inspector does not complete it in time, the regenerator may be unable to create a new inspection and have it realized before the era ends. As a result, the regenerator's rewards are delayed until the next era (around six months). In addition, each regenerator can request up to 11 inspections and earn rewards, and even those not carried out would still be counted within this limit.

**Recommendation(s):** This problem can be mitigated by allowing inspections with status `ACCEPTED` but already expired to be reassigned to another inspector. This can be achieved by adapting the `acceptInspection` function to include an additional condition that permits reassignment when an inspection has expired:

```

1  function acceptInspection(uint64 inspectionId) external nonReentrant {
2      require(communitRules.isUserIs(CommunityTypes.UserType.INSPECTOR, msg.sender), "Only inspectors");
3      require(inspectorRules.isInspectorValid(msg.sender), "Only 3 giveUps allowed");
4
5      Inspection storage inspection = inspections[inspectionId];
6
7      require(inspection.id >= 1, "Inspection do not exist");
8      require(alreadyHaveInspectionAccepted(), "Already accepted");
9      require(!inspectorInspected[msg.sender][inspection.regenerator], "Already inspected");
10     // @audit Adapt the restriction to also allow inspections with status ACCEPTED that have already expired.
11     require(inspection.status == InspectionStatus.OPEN, "Inspection must be OPEN");
12     require(acceptInspectionDelayBlocksPassed(inspection), "Wait delay blocks");
13     require(beforeAcceptHaveSecurityBlocksToVote(), "Wait until next era");
14     // ...
15 }

```

**Status:** Fixed

**Update from the client:** A new function `isInspectionExpired()` was introduced to check if an existing inspection was expired. Then, the `require inspection.STATUS == OPEN` was incremented with the logic to check and allow other inspectors to accept the same inspection again, solving the reported issue.

The problem that inspections not carried out were still counting to the `totalInspections` was fixed at issue number #2. Fixed at [PR #660](#)

```

1  /**
2   * @dev Checks if a previously accepted inspection has expired.
3   * @param inspection The inspection to check.

```

```
4      * @return bool True if the inspection is expired, false otherwise.
5      */
6      function isInspectionExpired(Inspection memory inspection) public view returns (bool) {
7          return inspection.acceptedAt > 0 && (block.number > inspection.acceptedAt + blocksToExpireAcceptedInspection);
8      }
9
10     function acceptInspection(uint64 inspectionId) external nonReentrant {
11         // ..
12         require(
13             inspection.status == InspectionStatus.OPEN ||
14             (inspection.status == InspectionStatus.ACCEPTED && isInspectionExpired(inspection)),
15             "Inspection must be OPEN or EXPIRED"
16         );
17         // ..
18     }
```

## 6.8 [Low] The average level decreases when denied users are included in the vote power computation

**File(s):** `VoteRules.sol`, `ValidationRules.sol`

**Description** The `canVote` function determines whether a user is eligible to vote based on a global user counter. However, the value in `userTypesTotalCount` includes both **active** and **denied** users. As a result, `totalUsers` is equal to `userTypesTotalCount`.

```

1 function canVote(address addr) public view returns (bool) {
2     require(communityRules.isVoter(addr), "Not a voter user");
3
4     CommunityTypes.UserType userType = communityRules.getUser(addr);
5     uint256 totalUsers = communityRules.userTypesTotalCount(userType);
6
7     // @audit The function should use only the number of active users to determine voting eligibility
8     return _canVoteRules(_totalLevels(userType), totalUsers, _totalUserLevels(addr, userType));
9 }

```

Because the average level is calculated using this global counter, it becomes lower than intended, allowing users with fewer levels to pass the voting threshold.

```

1 function _canVoteRules(uint256 totalTypeLevels, uint256 totalUsers, uint256 userLevels) private pure returns (bool) {
2     // @audit The average is skewed when the global counter includes denied users
3     // Rule 2: Check if the user's level is strictly greater than the average
4     return userLevels * totalUsers > totalTypeLevels;
5 }

```

In addition, there is an inconsistency with how voting power is computed. The `votesToInvalidate` function, which defines the threshold for invalidating an inspection, relies only on the count of **active users**:

```

1 function votesToInvalidate() public view returns (uint256) {
2     uint256 voters = communityRules.votersCount();
3
4     if (voters < VOTERS_THRESHOLD_LEVEL_1) {
5         return VOTES_TO_INVALIDATE_LEVEL_1;
6     }
7
8     if (voters < VOTERS_THRESHOLD_LEVEL_2) {
9         return VOTES_TO_INVALIDATE_LEVEL_2;
10    }
11
12    uint256 invalidationVotes = (voters * DYNAMIC_INVALIDATION_PERCENTAGE) / 100;
13    return invalidationVotes + 1;
14 }

```

This discrepancy leads to inconsistent logic between **eligibility to vote** and **the number of votes required to invalidate**, although the practical severity of the issue is low since `votesToInvalidate` uses only active voters.

**Recommendation** Update the `canVote` logic to rely exclusively on **active users** when computing voting power. This ensures consistency with the `votesToInvalidate` function and prevents unintended lowering of the voting threshold.

**Status:** Fixed

**Update from the client:** A variable named 'activeLevelsCount' was added to each of the voters contract, adding a level when a resource is created and removing a level when the resource is invalidated. When the user is denied, all levels from that user is removed from the 'activeLevelsCount'. To solve this issue, it was necessary this implementation because if the function was simply updated to `userTypesCount` instead of `userTypesTotalCount` and `resourcesCount` instead of `resourcesTotalCount` it would lead to data inconsistency because a user can be invalidated with past eras valid resources. For example a researcher that was denied at era 2 with valid researches at era 1. Now, the average to calculate if the user canVote, and the same was applied also to the `canInvite` function, is processed counting only valid users and their resources. A 'clean' average was implemented instead of the old 'dirty' average. Fixed at [PR #653](#)

New variable implementation:

```

1 /// @notice The sum of all active levels from valid reports by non-denied developers.
2 uint256 public totalActiveLevels;

```

The `totalActiveLevel` is being incremented at the functions that add level to the user. For example, the `addContribution` function for contributors:

```

1 function addContribution(string memory description, string memory report) external nonReentrant {
2     // ..
3     contributionsCount++;
4     contributionsTotalCount++;

```

```
5     totalActiveLevels++;
6     // ..
7 }
```

And the same variable is being decremented by one level when a resource is invalidated or is removing all levels when the user is denied:

```
1  function _invalidateContribution(Contribution memory contribution) private {
2      contributionsCount--;
3      contribution.valid = false;
4      contribution.invalidatedAt = block.number;
5      contributions[contribution.id] = contribution;
6      contributors[contribution.user].pool.level -= RESOURCE_LEVEL;
7      totalActiveLevels--;
8
9      contributorPool.removePoolLevels(contribution.user, false);
10 }
```

```
1  function _denyContributor(address userAddress) private {
2      if (communityRules.isDenied(userAddress)) return; // Already denied, nothing to do
3
4      totalActiveLevels -= contributors[userAddress].pool.level;
5
6      communityRules.setToDenied(userAddress);
7      // ..
8  }
```

And now the logic of the canVote and also canInvite are using this variable instead of the old dirty total count:

```
1  function canSendInvite(address addr) public view returns (bool) {
2      Developer memory developer = developers[addr];
3
4      // Return false if the address is not a registered developer (id is 0).
5      if (developer.id <= 0) return false;
6
7      // Calls the inherited `canInvite` function from `Invitable` to calculate eligibility.
8      // This depends on total reports count, total developer count, and the developer's pool level.
9      return canInvite(totalActiveLevels, communityRules.userTypesCount(USER_TYPE), developer.pool.level);
10 }
```

## 6.9 [Info] Accumulation of Residual Tokens in Pools

**File(s):** [RegeneratorPool.sol](#), [ActivistPool.sol](#), [ResearcherPool.sol](#), [InspectorPool.sol](#),

**Description:** After users withdraw from pools for a given era, small amounts of tokens often remain stuck. Over time, these residual tokens accumulate across multiple eras and epochs. In the current protocol design, any leftover tokens from past eras are effectively treated as lost and remain unusable.

**Recommendation(s):** Consider carrying over residual tokens to subsequent eras.

**Status:** Acknowledged

**Update from the client:** The design is to keep the leftover as lost and remain unusable.

## 6.10 [Info] Imbalanced Token Distribution in Inspector Pool Reduces Incentives

**File(s):** [RegeneratorPool.sol](#), [InspectorPool.sol](#)

**Description:** According to the white paper and the code, fixed amounts of tokens are allocated to each user type's pool. While Researchers, Developers, Contributors, and Activists each receive 3.20% of the total supply, Regenerators and Inspectors receive significantly higher allocations of 60% and 14.40% respectively, as they are considered the core roles of the protocol.

- Regenerators register their areas in the system;
- Inspectors physically audit those areas, reporting biodiversity and tree counts;

However, this distribution introduces a structural imbalance. The number of Regenerators is expected to be substantially smaller than the number of Inspectors. Each Regenerator can request 11 inspections and one Inspector can only audit each Regenerator once. As a result:

- The Inspector pool will be spread across a much larger group of users, reducing individual rewards;
- Inspectors, who are crucial for validating Regenerators' submissions, may lack sufficient incentives to remain active;

Without multiple Inspectors available per Regenerator, the protocol risks failing to operate as intended.

**Recommendation(s):** Reevaluate the token distribution, particularly in the Inspector and Regenerator pools, to ensure adequate incentives that support sustainable participation and maintain protocol integrity.

**Status:** Mitigated

**Update from the client:** The reason the regenerator pool is much bigger is that they are the ecological foundation of the protocol. The onchain service of the inspector is much harder and costly than the simple requestInspection call for the regenerator. But the real service of the regenerators is on the ground, planting and managing the trees and the ecosystem of the registered area.

The act of realizing inspections is the foundation of the system, it will set the ecological base and growth speed. In a scenario with more inspections then inspectors interested on realizing then, the system growth will be limited by this operation. And at the scenario where more inspectors want participate, this will drive competition for accepting the inspections. The natural process is that overtime this balance will change. More inspectors, means more competition, what will reduce the token reward per inspector, what can discourage inspectors. When it happens, less active inspectors will participate so more inspections will be available, what will decrease competition and increase token reward per inspector, what can bring back the interest of old or new inspectors, what can increase competition again and the cycle continues.

Even if it was a free or voluntary service, without the token earnings, there would probably have some people that would do it for free. They could do it by helping the system purpose/mission or to learn. Every test inspection I did over the last years testing the system I learned something new about agroforestry systems. I good path I see for the inspections is to attract people that want to learn about syntropic/agroforestry systems, people that want to become a farmer or students that can use this process to learn about ecology and reforestation. And earn some tokens in exchange for the service.

The proportionality was changed from 1:5 regenerator:inspector to 1:20. So now more inspectors vacancies are allowed.

To improve the pool balance, it was added 50 million tokens to the inspector pool. Also, the maximum amount of allowed inspections was reduced from 12 to 6. It is a trade between methodology precision to an easier operation. So the relation token/inspection will increase and inspectors will need to realize less of the work to get the same reward. [PR #656](#)

## 6.11 [Info] Inspectors are deactivated in their three give-ups

**File(s):** [InspectorRules.sol](#)

**Description:** The `isInspectorValid` function checks whether a given inspector address is still valid. It does this by comparing the number of `giveUps` associated with the inspector against the `MAX_GIVEUPS`. The function is stricter than intended, while the documentation states that an inspector can have three `giveUps`, the code allows only two before deactivation.

```
1 function isInspectorValid(address addr) public view returns (bool) {
2     return inspectors[addr].giveUps < MAX_GIVEUPS;
3 }
```

**Recommendation(s):** Consider allowing inspectors keep active with up to three `giveUps`.

**Status:** Fixed

**Update from the client:** The function `isInspectorValid` was updated to `<=` instead of only `<` to maintain the semantics of the text and allow 3 `giveUps`. Fixed at [PR #655](#)

```
1 function isInspectorValid(address addr) public view returns (bool) {
2     return inspectors[addr].giveUps <= MAX_GIVEUPS;
3 }
```



## 6.12 [Info] Lack of Incentives for Inspection Invalidation

**File(s):** `InspectionRules.sol`

**Description:** Inspectors submit their inspections by calling the `realizeInspection` function.

```

1  function realizeInspection(
2      uint64 inspectionId,
3      string memory proofPhotos,
4      string memory justificationReport,
5      uint32 treesResult,
6      uint32 biodiversityResult
7  ) external nonReentrant {
8      // ...
9      uint256 maxTreesForThisArea = uint256(regenerator.totalArea) * MAX_TREES_PER_SQM;
10     require(treesResult <= maxTreesForThisArea, "Tree count exceeds density limit for this area");
11     require(biodiversityResult <= MAX_BIODIVERSITY_RESULT, "Max result limit");
12
13     // ...
14     // @audit treesResult and biodiversityResult contributes to compute the ecological token value
15     inspectionsTreesImpact += treesResult;
16     inspectionsBiodiversityImpact += biodiversityResult;
17     inspectorInspected[msg.sender][inspection.regenerator] = true;
18     realizedInspectionsCount++;
19
20     // ...
21 }

```

Users with voting rights can then call the function `addInspectionValidation` to invalidate a specific inspection. Once the required number of votes is reached, the inspection is invalidated. This mechanism is essential for preserving the integrity of the protocol, since inspection results directly impact the ecological value of the token.

```

1  function addInspectionValidation(uint64 id, string memory justification) external nonReentrant {
2      require(!communityRules.isDenied(msg.sender), "User denied");
3      require(bytes(justification).length <= MAX_TEXT_LENGTH, "Max characters reached");
4      require(voteRules.canVote(msg.sender), "Not a voter");
5      // ...
6      inspection.validationsCount += 1;
7
8      uint256 _votesToInvalidate = validationRules.votesToInvalidate();
9      require(_votesToInvalidate >= 2, "Validation threshold cannot be less than 2");
10
11     if (inspection.validationsCount >= _votesToInvalidate) {
12         inspectionPenalized[id] = true;
13
14         _invalidateInspection(inspection);
15
16         //...
17         // ...
18     }

```

However, as the community grows, both the number of votes required to invalidate an inspection and the overall number of inspections will increase. Currently, the protocol does not provide any incentives for users to participate in this invalidation process.

As a result, fraudulent inspections may remain as **valid** and continue to be used in the computation of the number of trees and biodiversity per token.

**Recommendation(s):** Introduce incentive mechanisms for users who vote to invalidate fraudulent inspections.

**Status:** Fixed

**Update from the client:** We solved the incentive problem at issue #1 with the creation of the `ValidationPool`. At this issue, we will focus on the solution for the problem described of the community unlimited growth and validation difficulty.

The system relies on the invalidation mechanism to clean wrong/fake inspections. The problem was that the validation mechanism, as pointed here, would keep increasing its difficulty as community grows with more resources/users and more votes, potentially leading to break the validation system. So we need to set a limit to solve it.

To mitigate the problem, we set a cap with a maximum number of active regenerators, to intentionally put a break on the system growth to solve this unlimited difficulty problem. So when the system reaches this maximum point, new regenerators registration will only be allowed when the old ones conclude the inspections lifecycle.

To make the calculations, a new mapping and variable was added. Now the system is registering how many regenerators have conclude the certification process.

```

1  /// @notice The maximum number of active 'Regenerator' type users permitted in the system.

```

```

2  uint256 public constant MAX_ACTIVE_REGENERATORS = 500000;
3
4  /// @notice The total count of regenerators who have completed the certification process.
5  uint256 public totalCertifiedRegenerators;
6
7  /// @notice A mapping to track if a regenerator is a "certified regenerator", a user that has successfully
8  /// completed the maximum inspections number, concluding system participation.
9  mapping(address => bool) public certifiedRegenerators;

```

```

1  function addRegenerator(
2      uint32 totalArea,
3      string memory name,
4      string memory proofPhoto,
5      string memory projectDescription,
6      Coordinates[] calldata _coordinates
7  ) external {
8      // ..
9      require(isRegistrationAllowed(), "Wait for vacancy: Max regenerators limit");
10     // ..
11 }

```

```

1  /**
2   * @notice Checks if new Regenerator registrations are allowed based on the dynamic count of active users.
3   * @dev The number of active users is calculated as the total number of created Regenerators
4   * minus the number of those who have completed their lifecycle.
5   * @return bool True if registration is allowed, false otherwise.
6   */
7  function isRegistrationAllowed() public view returns (bool) {
8      return communityRules.userTypesCount(USER_TYPE) - totalCertifiedRegenerators < MAX_ACTIVE_REGENERATORS;
9  }
10 }

```

The certification variable is changed at the incrementInspection and decrementInspection functions. It is interesting to have this on the system, now we have a "bool" to show at the regenerators profile if they have completed or not.

```

1  function decrementInspections(address addr) external mustBeAllowedCaller mustBeContractCall(inspectionRulesAddress) {
2      // ..
3      if (totalInspections == MAXIMUM_INSPECTIONS) {
4          totalCertifiedRegenerators--;
5          certifiedRegenerators[addr] = false;
6      }
7
8      regenerators[addr].totalInspections--;
9  }

```

```

1  function _incrementInspections(address addr) private returns (uint256) {
2      // ..
3      if (regenerator.totalInspections == MAXIMUM_INSPECTIONS) {
4          certifiedRegenerators[addr] = true;
5          totalCertifiedRegenerators++;
6
7          emit RegeneratorCertified(addr);
8      }
9
10     return regenerator.totalInspections;
11 }

```

A maximum number of required votes was also introduced to limit the percentage growth and create a mechanism that will drop the invalidation difficulty after reaching the point with 12k voters. Also, the timeBetweenVotes was reduced to approximately 2 hours. These changes were necessary to increase the number of users/resources the system will be able to process. Of course the mechanism will depend on the users participation on the governance mechanism to invalidate the inspections, at the end they need to call the functions. But now, with this cap mechanism and vote limit, it is mathematically possible for the validators to keep the integrity of the protocol.

```

1  uint32 private constant VOTES_TO_INVALIDATE_LEVEL_3 = 360;
2
3
4  /**
5   * @notice Get how many validations is necessary to invalidate a user or resource.
6   * @dev Calculates the required number of votes for invalidation based on the total number of registered voters in the
7   * ↪ system.
8   * Calculation is based on the `votersCount` which includes researchers, developers, and contributors.
9   * @return count Number of votes required for invalidation.

```

```
9      */
10     function votesToInvalidate() public view returns (uint256) {
11         uint256 voters = communityRules.votersCount();
12         // Threshold 1: Very early stage, requires a fixed number of 2 votes.
13         if (voters < VOTERS_THRESHOLD_LEVEL_1) {
14             return VOTES_TO_INVALIDATE_LEVEL_1;
15         }
16         // Threshold 2: Early stage, requires a fixed number of 5 votes.
17         if (voters < VOTERS_THRESHOLD_LEVEL_2) {
18             return VOTES_TO_INVALIDATE_LEVEL_2;
19         }
20
21         // Threshold 3: Mature stage, calculates votes based on a percentage of active voters.
22         uint256 invalidationVotes = (voters * DYNAMIC_INVALIDATION_PERCENTAGE) / 100;
23         uint256 requiredVotes = invalidationVotes + 1;
24
25         // Threshold 4: Capped stage, returns a maximum votes level.
26         if (requiredVotes > VOTES_TO_INVALIDATE_LEVEL_3) {
27             return VOTES_TO_INVALIDATE_LEVEL_3;
28         }
29
30         return requiredVotes;
31     }
```

Fixed at [PR #661](#)

## 6.13 [Info] Permanent Pool Misconfiguration Risk After Ownership Renouncement

**File(s):** [RegenerationCredit.sol](#)

**Description:** Each pool is expected to be initialized with a fixed amount defined in TOTAL\_POOL\_TOKENS. The addContractPool function currently allows the owner to deposit any arbitrary \_numTokens value. The protocol is designed in the white paper that the owner will renounce ownership once it is deployed and initializations are applied. There is no way to correct the pool balances. If a pool is initialized with an incorrect deposit amount, it will not function properly, and the error becomes permanent.

```

1  function addContractPool(address _fundAddress, uint256 _numTokens) external onlyOwner returns (bool) {
2      contractsPools[_fundAddress] = true;
3      // @audit: Missing validation for _numTokens
4      _transfer(msg.sender, _fundAddress, _numTokens);
5
6      totalLocked_ += _numTokens;
7      return true;
8  }
```

**Recommendation:** Ensure that \_numTokens matches the required TOTAL\_POOL\_TOKENS for the specific pool when creating a new pool.

**Status:** Mitigated

**Update from the client:** This problem will be mitigated with a manual review of the contracts settings and balance after mainnet deploy. The same applies to other configurations such as allowedCallers and calls interfaces. For the review, it was missing to set the interfaces public so it can be easily checked. All interfaces were set to public to help.

```

1  /// @notice The interface of the `CommunityRules` contract, used to interact with
2  /// community-wide rules, user types, and invitation data.
3  ICommunityRules public communityRules;
4
5  /// @notice The interface of the `ContributorPool` contract, responsible for managing
6  /// and distributing token rewards to contributors.
7  IContributorPool public contributorPool;
8
9  /// @notice The interface of the `ValidationRules` contract, which defines the rules
10 /// and processes for validating or invalidating contributions.
11 IValidationRules public validationRules;
```

[PR #654](#)

## 6.14 [Info] Unallocated tokens in Eras and Epochs will be completely locked in the contract

**File(s):** [shared/Poolable.sol](#)

**Description:** Tokens in a given pool for a given Epoch are calculated as :

```

1  function tokensPerEpoch(uint256 currentEpoch) public view returns (uint256) { //@audit there could be dust totalTokens
2      ↳ remaining in the contract after certain epochs, rounding down.
3      return totalTokens / (2 ** currentEpoch);
```

Subsequently, tokens per Era are calculated as :

```

1  function tokensPerEra(uint256 currentEpoch, uint256 halvingFactor) public view returns (uint256) {
2      return tokensPerEpoch(currentEpoch) / halvingFactor; //@audit-note after every epoch per era tokens halves.
3  }
```

Therefore, each epoch and era have a predetermined amount of tokens based on the total tokens allocated to a given pool. Per era and per epoch tokens are not carried forward. As a result, in the event there was no token allocation in a given era or epoch then those tokens will be stuck in the contract forever given there is no mechanism to withdraw them.

**Recommendation(s):** Consider implementing a logic to remove unallocated tokens from the pool contracts.

**Status:** Acknowledged.

**Update from the client:** This is the design choice and if tokens are unallocated they should remain locked in the contract.

## 6.15 [Info] Unclaimed Rewards Across Multiple Eras May Become Unrecoverable

**File(s):** [contracts/\\*Pool.sol](#)

**Description:** After each era ends, users can withdraw their rewards at any time. The system assumes that users will withdraw rewards from the previous era once a new era begins. However, the current design allows users to accumulate rewards across multiple eras and withdraw them later.

**\_Missed Withdrawals Across Eras:** A user may unintentionally skip withdrawals for some eras. If the user is later denied (e.g., an activist being penalized due to invitee misbehavior), they permanently lose access to all unclaimed rewards from previous eras.

On the other hand, if a user withdraws rewards after each era ends and is denied, they lose access only to the rewards from the current era.

**Recommendation(s):** Encourage users to withdraw rewards after each era ends to prevent future loss of their rewards.

**Status:** Acknowledged

**Update from the client:** Design choice. Users will be encouraged to withdraw the rewards after each era. We could have developed a mechanism to set a limit amount of blocks to impose the need for withdraw in, or a way to send these tokens to the validationPool but for simplicity the design was maintained.

## 6.16 [Info] \_canVoteRules function returns true when totalUsers is zero

**File(s):** VoteRules.sol

**Description:** The \_canVoteRules function serves to check a user's eligibility to vote. However, in the specific case where totalUsers==0, it always returns true. As a result, the intended edge case that should prevent voting is never triggered.

```

1  function _canVoteRules(uint256 totalTypeLevels, uint256 totalUsers, uint256 userLevels) private pure returns (bool) {
2
3      // @audit When totalUsers == 0, the function returns true
4      // Rule 1: Allow anyone to vote if the user type has few members.
5      if (totalUsers <= INITIAL_USER_COUNT_THRESHOLD) return true;
6
7      // @audit this edge case is never true
8      // Edge case: If there are no users, no one can vote.
9      if (totalUsers == 0) {
10         return false;
11     }
12
13     // Rule 2: Check if the user's level is strictly greater than the average
14     return userLevels * totalUsers > totalTypeLevels;
15 }

```

However, \_canVoteRules is only invoked by the canVote function. As shown in the code, it is impossible for totalUsers == 0, since verifying that addr is a voter and retrieving its userType ensures at least one user. The caller's own addr contributes to the count. Therefore, the logic mistake does not add risks for the current implementation.

```

1  function canVote(address addr) public view returns (bool) {
2      require(communityRules.isVoter(addr), "Not a voter user");
3
4      CommunityTypes.UserType userType = communityRules.getUser(addr);
5      uint256 totalUsers = communityRules.userTypesTotalCount(userType);
6
7      return _canVoteRules(_totalLevels(userType), totalUsers, _totalUserLevels(addr, userType));
8  }

```

**Recommendation(s):** For reuse of the private function in future improvements of the contract, consider only moving the edge case before the Rule 1 condition.

**Status:** Fixed

**Update from the client:** The \_canVoteRules function was reorganized to check the edge case before rule 1.

```

1  function _canVoteRules(uint256 totalTypeLevels, uint256 totalUsers, uint256 userLevels) private pure returns (bool) {
2      // Edge case: If there are no users, no one can vote.
3      if (totalUsers == 0) {
4         return false;
5     }
6
7     // Rule 1: Allow anyone to vote if the user type has few members.
8     if (totalUsers <= INITIAL_USER_COUNT_THRESHOLD) return true;
9
10     // Rule 2: Check if the user's level is strictly greater than the average
11     return userLevels * totalUsers > totalTypeLevels;
12 }

```

Fixed at [PR #650](#)

## 6.17 [Info] canInvite function returns true when totalUsers is zero

**File(s):** [Invitable.sol](#)

**Description:** The canInvite function serves to check a user's eligibility to invite others. However, in the specific case where totalUsers == 0, it always returns true. As a result, the intended edge case that should prevent invites is never triggered.

```

1  function canInvite(uint256 totalLevels, uint256 totalUsers, uint256 userLevels) public pure returns (bool) {
2      // Rule 1: Allow anyone to invite if the system has few users.
3      if (totalUsers <= INITIAL_USER_COUNT_THRESHOLD) {
4          return true;
5      }
6
7      @audit this condition will never be satisfied
8      // If there are no users, no one can invite. This also prevents totalUsers from being zero in the calculation.
9      if (totalUsers == 0) {
10         return false;
11     }
12
13     // Rule 2: Check if the user's level is strictly greater than the average.
14     return userLevels * totalUsers > totalLevels; // @audit review it again
15 }

```

As shown in the code, it is not possible for totalUsers == 0, since verifying that addr is an inviter and retrieving its userType ensures at least one user. The caller's own addr contributes to the count. Therefore, the logic mistake does not add risks for the current implementation. The canSendInvite function is implemented in all roles contracts where users can send invites.

```

1  function canSendInvite(address addr) public view returns (bool) {
2      Activist memory activist = activists[addr];
3
4      // Return false if it is not an activist
5      if (activist.id <= 0) return false; // @audit it is impossible negative
6
7      // Calls the inherited `canInvite` function from `Invitable` to calculate eligibility.
8      // This depends on total approved invites, total activist count, and the activist's pool level.
9      return canInvite(approvedInvites, communityRules.userTypesTotalCount(USER_TYPE), activist.pool.level);
10 }

```

**Recommendation(s):** For reuse of the private function in future improvements of the contract, consider only moving the edge case before the Rule 1 condition.

**Recommendation(s):**

**Status:** Fixed

**Update from the client:** The edge case was moved before the rule 1 at canInvite and canVote functions to check the zero value first.

```

1  function canInvite(uint256 totalLevels, uint256 totalUsers, uint256 userLevels) public pure returns (bool) {
2      // If there are no users, no one can invite. This also prevents totalUsers from being zero in the calculation.
3      if (totalUsers == 0) {
4          return false;
5      }
6
7      // Rule 1: Allow anyone to invite if the system has few users.
8      if (totalUsers <= INITIAL_USER_COUNT_THRESHOLD) {
9          return true;
10     }
11
12     // Rule 2: Check if the user's level is strictly greater than the average.
13     return userLevels * totalUsers > totalLevels;
14 }

```

Fixed at [PR #651](#)

## 6.18 [Best Practice] Event in \_denyUser is never emitted

**File(s):** [ValidationRules.sol](#)

**Description:** The \_denyUser function sets a user to DENIED in CommunityRules and removes their levels from the respective pools. The function below shows that when the userType matches with a type, it returns empty and the remaining code of the function is not executed.

```
1  function _denyUser(address userAddress) private {
2      CommunityTypes.UserType userType = communityRules.getUser(userAddress);
3      // ..
4      communityRules.setToDenied(userAddress);
5      // ..
6      // Check for each user type and call their respective removePoolLevels function.
7      if (userType == CommunityTypes.UserType.REGENERATOR) return regeneratorRules.removePoolLevels(userAddress);
8      if (userType == CommunityTypes.UserType.INSPECTOR) return inspectorRules.removePoolLevels(userAddress, true);
9      if (userType == CommunityTypes.UserType.DEVELOPER) return developerRules.removePoolLevels(userAddress);
10     if (userType == CommunityTypes.UserType.RESEARCHER) return researcherRules.removePoolLevels(userAddress);
11     if (userType == CommunityTypes.UserType.CONTRIBUTOR) return contributorRules.removePoolLevels(userAddress);
12     if (userType == CommunityTypes.UserType.ACTIVIST) return activistRules.removePoolLevels(userAddress);
13
14     // @audit this event is never emitted
15     emit UserDenied(userAddress);
16 }
```

However, this event is duplicated because in setToDenied function, an event is emitted with the denied user address.

**Recommendation(s):** Remove this event, the returns and replace the if for elseif.

**Status:** Fixed

**Update from the client:** This event was removed since the communityRules.setToDenied() already emits a deny event. Fixed [PR #652](#)



## 7 Documentation Evaluation

Software documentation refers to the written or visual information that describes the functionality, architecture, design, and implementation of software. It provides a comprehensive overview of the software system and helps users, developers, and stakeholders understand how the software works, how to use it, and how to maintain it. Software documentation can take different forms, such as user manuals, system manuals, technical specifications, requirements documents, design documents, and code comments. Software documentation is critical in software development, enabling effective communication between developers, testers, users, and other stakeholders. It helps to ensure that everyone involved in the development process has a shared understanding of the software system and its functionality. Moreover, software documentation can improve software maintenance by providing a clear and complete understanding of the software system, making it easier for developers to maintain, modify, and update the software over time. Smart contracts can use various types of software documentation. Some of the most common types include:

- Technical whitepaper: A technical whitepaper is a comprehensive document describing the smart contract's design and technical details. It includes information about the purpose of the contract, its architecture, its components, and how they interact with each other;
- User manual: A user manual is a document that provides information about how to use the smart contract. It includes step-by-step instructions on how to perform various tasks and explains the different features and functionalities of the contract;
- Code documentation: Code documentation is a document that provides details about the code of the smart contract. It includes information about the functions, variables, and classes used in the code, as well as explanations of how they work;
- API documentation: API documentation is a document that provides information about the API (Application Programming Interface) of the smart contract. It includes details about the methods, parameters, and responses that can be used to interact with the contract;
- Testing documentation: Testing documentation is a document that provides information about how the smart contract was tested. It includes details about the test cases that were used, the results of the tests, and any issues that were identified during testing;
- Audit documentation: Audit documentation includes reports, notes, and other materials related to the security audit of the smart contract. This type of documentation is critical in ensuring that the smart contract is secure and free from vulnerabilities.

These types of documentation are essential for smart contract development and maintenance. They help ensure that the contract is properly designed, implemented, and tested, and they provide a reference for developers who need to modify or maintain the contract in the future.

### Remarks about Sintrop documentation

Sintrop provided well-structured and comprehensive documentation on the functionality of its smart contracts. In addition, the team shared further clarifications through our communication channels and made themselves available for sync calls. This greatly facilitated the review process and offered valuable insights that enhanced our technical understanding of the project.

## 8 Test Suite Evaluation

## 8.1 Tests Output

[illegible]

[illegible]

```

        when max limit is not reached
            should create activist
            should increment activistCount
            should add created activist in userType contract as a ACTIVIST
        when max limit is reached
            should return error message
    #getActivist
        when activist is registered
            should return a activist
        when activist is not registered
            should do not return a activist
    #addLevel
        with allowed caller
            when activist is registered
                when is not a valid user
                    should return error when addRegeneratorLevel from other types
                    should return error when addInspectorLevel from other types
                when current era of pool is 1
                    add level to activist.pool.level
                    add level to activisPool
                    must increment approvedInvites
                when current era of pool is 2
                    add level to activist.pool.level
                    add level to era 2 activisPool
                    must increment approvedInvites
            when activist is not registered
                do not add level to activist.pool.level
                do not add level to activisPool
        without allowed caller
            should return error message
    #withdraw
        when is a activist
            when is era 1
                when activist have levels
                    should return error message
            when is era 2
                when activist have levels
                    when have one activist
                        activist to era 2
                        activist balance must be
                    when have two activist
                        activist1 to era 2
                        activist1 balance must be
                        activist3 to era 2
                        activist3 balance must be
                    when activist do not have levels
                        when have one activist
                            activist to era 2
                            activist balance must be
            when is not a activist
                should return error message
    #removePoolLevels
        when user is denied
            remove user levels from pool
            should keep user levels

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#### Blockable

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    #currentContractEra
        when don't have passed eras
            should return that be in era 1
        when have passed 1x the blocksPerEra
            should return that be in era 2
        when have passed 5x the blocksPerEra
            should return that be in era 6
    #currentEpoch
        when is era 1
            return currentEpoch equal 1
        when is era 6
            return currentEpoch equal 1
        when is era 12
            return currentEpoch equal 1
        when is era 13
            return currentEpoch equal 2
        when is era 24
            return currentEpoch equal 2

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when is era 25
    return currentEpoch equal 2
when is era 36
    return currentEpoch equal 2
when is era 37
    return currentEpoch equal 2
#canWithdrawTimes
when currentContractEra is equal currentUserEra
    with currentContractEra = 1 and currentUserEra = 1
        should can approve zero times
    with currentContractEra = 5 and currentUserEra = 5
        should can approve zero times
when currentContractEra is bigger in one than currentUserEra
    with currentContractEra = 2 and currentUserEra = 1
        should can approve one times
    with currentContractEra = 5 and currentUserEra = 4
        should can approve one times
when currentContractEra is bigger in two than currentUserEra
    with currentContractEra = 3 and currentUserEra = 1
        should can approve 2 times
    with currentContractEra = 10 and currentUserEra = 8
        should can approve 2 times
when currentContractEra is bigger in five than currentUserEra
    with currentContractEra = 6 and currentUserEra = 1
        should can approve 4 times
#nextEraIn
when user can approve
    should return negative blocks number
when user can't approve
    should return positive blocks number
#canWithdraw
when currentUserEra is less than currentContractEra and currentUserEra don't have passed eraMax
    should return true
when currentUserEra is equal currentContractEra
    should return false

Callable
should return error when .newAllowedCaller and is not owner
should add .newAllowedCaller when is owner
should be able to add many callers .newAllowedCaller when is owner

CommunityRules
#addUser
with allowed caller
    when the user don't exist
        should add a user
        should increment usersCount
        should increment userTypesCount to regenerator
        should increment userTypesTotalCount to regenerator
        must emit UserRegistered
    when the user exists
        should return error message
    with UNDEFINED user type
        should return error message
    when enum correctly
        to Regenerator
            should add correct enum to regenerator
        to Inspector
            should add correct enum to inspector
        to researcher
            should add correct enum to researcher
        to developer
            should add correct enum to developer
        to contributor
            should add correct enum to contributor
        to activist
            should add correct enum to activist
        to supporter
            should add correct enum to supporter
    with proportionality invalid
        to inspector with proportionality 2
            should return error message
        to activist with proportionality 1
            should return error message
        to researcher with proportionality 1

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        should return error message
    to developer with proportionality 1
        should return error message
    to contributor with proportionality 1
        should return error message
    when user was invited
        when try register as same user type of invitation
            should add a user
        when try register as another user type of invitation
            should return error message
    when user was not invited
        should return error message
    without allowed caller
        should return error message
#addInvitation
    with allowed caller
        when already invited
            should return error message
        when dont invited yet
            should invite
            must emit InvitationAdded
#getInvitation
    returns invitation
#usersCount
    without users
        should usersCount be zero
    with 1 user
        should usersCount be one
#newAllowedCaller
    with owner
        should add new allowed caller with success
    without owner
        should return error message
#addDelation
    when user1 and user2 is registered on system
        when user1 receive delation
            should add delation to user1
            should refer informer as user2
            should add have fields
            must emit DelationAdded
    when user1 (reported) is not registered on system
        should return error message
    when user2 (informer) is not registered on system
        should return error message
    when user2 (informer) is a supporter
        should return error message
    when a user tries to make multiple delations in a short period
        when a user tries to make multiple delations in a short period
            should revert if the cooldown period has not passed
            should succeed if the cooldown period has passed
#getUserDelations
    when user1 have 2 delations
        should return 2 delations
    when user1 have 0 delations
        should return 0 delations
#getUserTypeSettings
    when get to regenerator

    when get to contributor
        returns settings
    when get to inspector
        returns settings
    when get to activist
        returns settings
    when get to reseacher
        returns settings
    when get to developer
        returns settings
#votersCount
    when have 4 voters
        when all voters is not denied
            must returns 4 voters
        when some voters is denied
            must return only valid voters
#isVoter

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when is regenerator
  must returns false
when is activist
  must returns true
when is developer
  must returns true
when is contributor
  must returns true
when is researcher
  must returns true
when is denied
  must returns false
#setToDenied
with allowed user
  set denied to true
  user type must be the same
with not allowed user
  should add contributor to era 2
  should withdraw all tokens from era
when has two contrs in the era
  with same levels
    when Contributors is in era 1 and contract is in era 2
      should add contributor1 to era 2
      should add contributor2 to era 2
      contributor1 balance must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
      contributor2 balance must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
    when can withdraw only to one era and try withdraw again
      should return error message
    when can withdraw to two eras and try withdraw again
      should can withdraw in two eras
  when can't withdraw tokens
    should return error message
when is not contributor
  should return error message
addContributionValidation
when trying to vote on an already invalidated contribution
  should revert because the contribution is no longer valid
with developer
  with valid contribution
    when contribution must be invalidated
      set valid field to false
      populate invalidatedAt field
      set maxPenalties to researcher
      user type must be RESEARCHER yet
      must remove one pool level from current era
      must decrement contributionsCount in one
      should set contributionPenalized to true to prevent double penalties
    when contribution must not be invalidated
      valid field is true
      invalidatedAt is equal 0
      contributor totalPenalties is 0
      researcher pool level is 1
      should keep contributionPenalized to false
  when contributor reach max maxPenalties
    user type must be DENIED
    should apply a penalty to the contributor's inviter
    should remove all pool levels for the denied contributor
    Remove invalidated contribution level from contributor
  with invalid contribution
    when current era is different from contribution created era
      should return error message
    when contribution is invalidated
      should return error message
    when contribution do not exists
      should return error message
  with researcher
    with valid contribution
      when contribution must be invalidated
        set valid field to false
        populate invalidatedAt field
        set maxPenalties to contributor
        user type must be CONTRIBUTOR yet
        must remove one pool level from current era
        do not must decrement contributionsTotalCount
        must decrement contributionsCount in one

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        when contribution must not be invalidated
            valid field is true
            invalidatedAt is equal 0
            contributor totalPenalties is 0
            contributor pool level is 1
        when contributor reach max maxPenalties
            user type must be DENIED
        with invalid contribution
            when current era is different from contribution created era
                should return error message
            when contribution is invalidated
                should return error message
            when contribution do not exists
                should return error message
        with contributor
            with valid contribution
                when contribution must be invalidated
                    set valid field to false
                    populate invalidatedAt field
                    set maxPenalties to contributor
                    user type must be CONTRIBUTOR yet
                    must remove one pool level from current era
                    do not must decrement contributionsTotalCount
                    must decrement contributionsCount in one
                when contribution must not be invalidated
                    valid field is true
                    invalidatedAt is equal 0
                    contributor totalPenalties is 0
                    contributor pool level is 1
            when contributor reach max maxPenalties
                user type must be DENIED
            with invalid contribution
                when current era is different from contribution created era
                    should return error message
                when contribution is invalidated
                    should return error message
                when contribution do not exists
                    should return error message
        with activist
            with valid contribution
                when contribution must be invalidated
                    set valid field to false
                    populate invalidatedAt field
                    set maxPenalties to reseacher
                    user type must be CONTRIBUTOR yet
                    must remove one pool level from current era
                    must decrement contributionsCount in one
                when contribution must not be invalidated
                    valid field is true
                    invalidatedAt is equal 0
                    contributioner totalPenalties is 0
                    reseacher pool level is 1
            when contributioner reach max maxPenalties
                user type must be DENIED
            with invalid contribution
                when current era is different from contribution created era
                    should return error message
                when contribution is invalidated
                    should return error message
                when contribution do not exists
                    should return error message
        without validator
            should return error message

DeveloperPool
    when deploy contract
        should initial be era equal one
    #getEra
        when access fields
            should have fields
    when check time to next approve
        when cant approve
            should return integer > zero
        when can approve
            should return integer < zero
    
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when is era 1
  when total of levels in era is 6
    when dev1 have 3 levels in era 1
      must withdraw 83333333333333333333333333333333 tokens
      must update get era
    when dev1 have 6 levels in era 1
      should withdraw 16666666666666666666666666666666 tokens
      should withdraw 0 tokens to dev2
    when dev2 have 3 levels in era 1
      should withdraw 83333333333333333333333333333333 tokens
  when is era 2
    when dont have withdraw from era 1
      when dev1 withdraw from era 1 and era 2
        dev pool balance must be 36666666666666666666666666666668
        dev1 balance must be 16666666666666666666666666666666
        dev1 balance in era 1 must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
        dev1 balance in era 2 must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
        must update eras
      when dev2 withdraw from era 1 and era 2
        dev2 balance must be 16666666666666666666666666666666
        dev2 balance in era 1 must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
        dev2 balance in era 2 must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
  when is epoch 1
    when is era 1
      when total of levels in era is 6
        when dev1 have 3 levels in era 1
          must withdraw 83333333333333333333333333333333 tokens
        when dev1 have 6 levels in era 1
          should withdraw 16666666666666666666666666666666 tokens
          should withdraw 0 tokens to dev2
        when dev2 have 3 levels in era 1
          should withdraw 83333333333333333333333333333333 tokens
    when is era 2
      when dont have withdraw from era 1
        when dev1 withdraw from era 1 and era 2
          dev pool balance must be 36666666666666666666666666666668
          dev1 balance must be 16666666666666666666666666666666
          dev1 balance in era 1 must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
          dev1 balance in era 2 must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
        when dev2 withdraw from era 1 and era 2
          dev2 balance must be 16666666666666666666666666666666
          dev2 balance in era 1 must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
          dev2 balance in era 2 must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
  when cant withdraw
    should return error message
  without allowed caller
    should return error message

DeveloperRules
  .fields
    should have fields
  #addDeveloper
  when is not invited
    should return error message
  when is invited
    when developer exists
      should return error message
    when developer does not exist
      when max limit is not reached
        should add developer
        should increment developersCount after create developer
        should add created developer in userType contract as a DEVELOPER
        should add created developer with initial level equal 0
        should add created developer with initial currentEra equal currentContractEra
      when max limit is reached
        should return error message
  addReport
    with developer
      when have not waited time between works
        should return error message
      when have waited time between works
        should add report
      when don't have report
        add report
        increment reportsCount

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    add level to developer
    add level to era
    when do not have security blocks to validator analysis
        should return error message
    when adding report to eras
        eras 1 must have 1 level
        eras 2 must have 1 level
    without developer
        should return error message
#getReport
    should have fields
#getReportsIds
    should have id associated
addReportValidation
    when trying to vote on an already invalidated report
        should revert because the report is no longer valid
    with developer
        with valid report
            when report must be invalidated
                set valid field to false
                populate invalidatedAt field
                set one penalty to developer
                should set reportPenalized to true to prevent double penalties
                user type must be DEVELOPER yet
                must remove one pool level from current era
                remove developer level report from developerRules
                must decrement reportsCount in one
            when report must not be invalidated
                valid field is true
                invalidatedAt is equal 0
                developer totalPenalties is 0
                developer pool level is 1
        when developer reach maxPenalties
            user type must be DENIED
            should apply a penalty to the developer's inviter
            should remove all pool levels for the denied developer
            Remove invalidated report level from developer
    with invalid report
        when current era is different from report created era
            should return error message
        when report is invalidated
            should return error message
        when do not wait waitedTimeBetweenVotes
            should return error message
        when wait waitedTimeBetweenVotes
            should return error message
        when report do not exists
            should return error message
    with contributor
        with valid report
            when report must be invalidated
                set valid field to false
                populate invalidatedAt field
                set maxPenalties to contributor
                user type must be DEVELOPER yet
                user type must be DEVELOPER yet
                must remove one pool level from current era
                must decrement reportsCount in one
            when report must not be invalidated
                valid field is true
                invalidatedAt is equal 0
                contributor totalPenalties is 0
                contributor pool level is 1
        when developer reach maxPenalties
            user type must be DENIED
    with invalid report
        when current era is different from report created era
            should return error message
        when report is invalidated
            should return error message
        when report do not exists
            should return error message
    with researcher
        with valid report
            when report must be invalidated

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    set valid field to false
    populate invalidatedAt field
    set maxPenalties to developer
    user type must be DEVELOPER yet
    must remove one pool level from current era
    do not must decrement reportsTotalCount
    must decrement reportsCount in one
  when report must not be invalidated
    valid field is true
    invalidatedAt is equal 0
    contributor totalPenalties is 0
    contributor pool level is 1
  when developer reach max maxPenalties
    user type must be DENIED
  with invalid report
    when current era is different from report created era
      should return error message
    when report is invalidated
      should return error message
    when report do not exists
      should return error message
  with activist
    with valid report
      when report must be invalidated
        set valid field to false
        populate invalidatedAt field
        set maxPenalties to developer
        user type must be DEVELOPER yet
        must remove one pool level from current era
        do not must decrement reportsTotalCount
        must decrement reportsCount in one
      when report must not be invalidated
        valid field is true
        invalidatedAt is equal 0
        contributor totalPenalties is 0
        contributor pool level is 1
    when contributor reach max maxPenalties
      user type must be DENIED
  with invalid report
    when current era is different from report created era
      should return error message
    when report is invalidated
      should return error message
    when report do not exists
      should return error message
  without validator
    should return error message
#getDeveloper
  should return a developer
#withdraw
  when is developer
    when can withdraw tokens
      when is unique developer in era with 1 level
        when Developer is in era 1 and contract is in era 2
          should add developer to era 2
          should withdraw all tokens from era
        when has two devs in the era
          with same levels
            when Developers is in era 1 and contract is in era 2
              should add developer1 to era 2
              should add developer2 to era 2
              developer1 balance must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
              developer2 balance must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
            when can withdraw only to one era and try withdraw again
              should return error message
            when can withdraw to two eras and try withdraw again
              should can withdraw in two eras
          when can't withdraw tokens
            should return error message
        when is not developer
          should return error message
#removePoolLevels
  when user is denied
    remove user levels from pool
    should not remove user levels from developer local level

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InspectionRules
#getInspection
  when inspection exists
    should return inspection
#requestInspection
  with regenerator
    when have less than ALLOWED_INITIAL_REQUESTS
      should request inspection
    when have more than ALLOWED_INITIAL_REQUESTS
      when has request OPEN or ACCEPTED
        should return error message
      when don't have request OPEN or ACCEPTED
        when last request is recent
          should return error message
        when last request is not recent
          should request inspection
    when reached maximum inspections
      should return error
#_afterRequestInspection
  initial status should be equal OPEN
  must set regenerator as regenerator address
  must set inspector as zero address
  initial regenerationScore should be equal zero
  should increment total of inspections
  should set to true regenerator pendingInspection
  with non regenerator
    when is not regenerator and try request inspection
      should return message error
#acceptInspection
  with inspector
    when inspection exists
      when have not waited inspection delay time
        should return error message
      when do not have security blocks to validator analysis
        when nextEraIn is less than blocksToExpireAcceptedInspection
          should return error message
        when nextEraIn is bigger than blocksToExpireAcceptedInspection
          should return error message
      when have waited inspection delay time
        should accept with success
      when inspector has less than 3 giveups
        should accept with success
      when inspector has more than 3 giveups
        should return error message
      when never realized inspection from regenerator
        when inspection is OPEN
          accept inspection with success
          inspector must be inspectorAddress
          should increment inspector giveUps by 1
          Set last inspectionId to accepted inspection 1
        when inspection is not OPEN
          should return error message
      when have accepted other inspection
        when last inspection is not expired
          should return error message
        when last inspection is expired
          should accept inspection with success after blocksToExpireAcceptedInspection
      when have finished last inspection
        should return error when try to accept another inspection before wait blocks
        should accept inspection with success after finishing previous one
      when dont finished last inspection
        should return error message
      when already realized inspection from regenerator
        should return error message
    when inspection dont exists
      should return error message
    when regenerator is not valid
      should return error message
  with non inspector
    should return error message
#realizeInspection
  with inspector
    when inspection exists
      when inspection is accepted

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when is accepted by inspector
  when inspection is expired
    should return error message
  when inspection is not expired
    when pass regenerationInspection equal 4 regenerationIndex size
      _setActivistLevel
      when regenerator do not win minimum inspection
        Activist must do not win levels
        Activist pool win 0 level to activist
      when inspector do not win minimum inspection
        Activist must do not win levels
        Activist pool win 0 level to activist
      when regenerator win minimum inspection
        Activist must win 1 level
        Activist pool win 1 level to activist
      when inspector win minimum inspection
        Activist must win 1 level
        Activist pool win 1 level to activist
      when regenerator and inspector win minimum inspection
        Activist must win 1 level
        Activist pool win 1 level to activist
    when check inspection
      should change inspection status to INSPECTED
      should set inspectionsTreesImpact
      should set inspectionsBiodiversityImpact
      populate inspection inspectedAt
      should decrease inspector giveUps by 1
      should add regenerationScore in regenerator
      should set regenerator pendingInspection to false
      should increment regenerator totalInspections
      should increment inspector totalInspections
      should increment realizedInspectionsCount
    when check inspection regenerationIndex
      when tree result exceeds the dynamic density limit
        should return error message
      when biodiversity result exceeds the max limit
        should return error message
      when select REGENERATIVE_6
        should add 64 regenerationScore to inspection
      when select REGENERATIVE_5
        should add 32 regenerationScore to inspection
      when select REGENERATIVE_4
        should add 16 regenerationScore to inspection
      when select REGENERATIVE_3
        should add 8 regenerationScore to inspection
      when select REGENERATIVE_2
        should add 4 regenerationScore to inspection
      when select REGENERATIVE_1
        should add 2 regenerationScore to inspection
      when select NEUTRO
        should add 0 regenerationScore to inspection
    when is accepted by other inspector
      should return error message
  when inspection is not accepted
    should return error message
  when inspection dont exists
    should return error message
  with non inspector
    should return error message
#addInspectionValidation
when trying to vote on an already invalidated inspection
  should revert because the inspection status is no longer INSPECTED
with developer
  with valid inspection
    when receive 1 validation
      add validation
      should keep inspectionPenalized to false
    when have 2 validations (half of the validators)
      when inspection score is positive
        add validations
        decrement inspectionsTreesImpact
        decrement inspectionsTreesImpact
        inspection status INVALIDATED
        inspector receive 1 penalty
        should set inspectionPenalized to true to prevent double penalties

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        remove regenerator regenerationScore
        decrement regenerator totalInspections
        decrement inspector totalInspections
        zero regeneratorPool era level score
        should decrement realizedInspectionsCount
    when inspector receive max penalties allowed
        inspector type to DENIED
    when already voted in this inspection
        should return error message
    when inspection inspectedAtEra is passed
        should return error message
    when inspection is not inspected
        should return error message
with contributor
    with valid inspection
        when receive 1 validation
            add validation
        when have 2 validations (half of the validators)
            when inspection score is positive
                add validations
                decrement inspectionsTreesImpact
                decrement inspectionsTreesImpact
                inspection status INVALIDATED
                inspector receive 1 penalty
                remove regenerator regenerationScore
                decrement regenerator totalInspections
                decrement inspector totalInspections
                zero regeneratorPool era level score
                should decrement realizedInspectionsCount
            when inspector receive max penalties allowed
                inspector type to DENIED
                should apply a penalty to the inspector\'s inviter
                should remove all pool levels for the denied inspector
            when already voted in this inspection
                should return error message
        when inspection inspectedAtEra is passed
            should return error message
        when inspection is not inspected
            should return error message
with activist
    with valid inspection
        when receive 1 validation
            add validation
        when have 2 validations (half of the validators)
            when inspection score is positive
                add validations
                decrement inspectionsTreesImpact
                decrement inspectionsTreesImpact
                inspection status INVALIDATED
                inspector receive 1 penalty
                remove regenerator regenerationScore
                decrement regenerator totalInspections
                decrement inspector totalInspections
                zero regeneratorPool era level score
                should decrement realizedInspectionsCount
            when inspector receive max penalties allowed
                inspector type to DENIED
            when already voted in this inspection
                should return error message
        when inspection inspectedAtEra is passed
            should return error message
        when inspection is not inspected
            should return error message
with researcher
    with valid inspection
        when receive 1 validation
            add validation
        when have 2 validations (votesToInvalidate)
            when inspection score is positive
                add validations
                decrement inspectionsTreesImpact
                decrement inspectionsTreesImpact
                inspection status INVALIDATED
                inspector receive 1 penalty
                remove regenerator regenerationScore
    
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must return 171661376953125000000
#tokensPerEra
when is epoch 1
  must return 750000000000000000000000
when is epoch 2
  must return 375000000000000000000000
when is epoch 3
  must return 187500000000000000000000
when is epoch 4
  must return 937500000000000000000000
when is epoch 5
  must return 468750000000000000000000
when is epoch 6
  must return 234375000000000000000000
when is epoch 7
  must return 117187500000000000000000
when is epoch 8
  must return 585937500000000000000000
when is epoch 9
  must return 292968750000000000000000
when is epoch 10
  must return 146484375000000000000000
#withdraw
with allowed caller
  when can withdraw
    when is epoch 1
      when is era 1
        when total of levels in era is 6
          when inspector1 have 3 levels in era 1
            must withdraw 375000000000000000000000 tokens
          when inspector1 have 6 levels in era 1
            should withdraw 120000000000000000000000 tokens
            should withdraw 0 tokens to inspector2
          when inspector2 have 3 levels in era 1
            should withdraw 375000000000000000000000 tokens
        when is era 2
          when dont have withdraw from era 1
            when inspector1 withdraw from era 1 and era 2
              inspector pool balance must be 2760000000000000000000000000
              inspector1 balance must be 1200000000000000000000000000
              inspector1 balance in era 1 must be 3750000000000000000000000000
              inspector1 balance in era 2 must be 3750000000000000000000000000
              must update eras
            when inspector2 withdraw from era 1 and era 2
              inspector2 balance must be 1200000000000000000000000000
              inspector2 balance in era 1 must be 3750000000000000000000000000
              inspector2 balance in era 2 must be 3750000000000000000000000000
          when is epoch 2
            when is era 1
              when total of levels in era is 6
                when inspector1 have 3 levels in era 1
                  must withdraw 3750000000000000000000000000 tokens
                when inspector1 have 6 levels in era 1
                  should withdraw 1200000000000000000000000000 tokens
                  should withdraw 0 tokens to inspector2
                when inspector2 have 3 levels in era 1
                  should withdraw 3750000000000000000000000000 tokens
              when is era 2
                when dont have withdraw from era 1
                  when inspector1 withdraw from era 1 and era 2
                    inspector pool balance must be 1650000000000000000000000000
                    inspector1 balance must be 1200000000000000000000000000
                    inspector1 balance in era 1 must be 3750000000000000000000000000
                    inspector1 balance in era 2 must be 3750000000000000000000000000
                  when inspector2 withdraw from era 1 and era 2
                    inspector2 balance must be 7500000000000000000000000000
                    inspector2 balance in era 1 must be 3750000000000000000000000000
                    inspector2 balance in era 2 must be 3750000000000000000000000000
                when cant withdraw
                  should return error message
            without allowed caller
              should return error message
      when is era 2
        when dont have withdraw from era 1
          when inspector1 withdraw from era 1 and era 2
            inspector pool balance must be 1650000000000000000000000000
            inspector1 balance must be 1200000000000000000000000000
            inspector1 balance in era 1 must be 3750000000000000000000000000
            inspector1 balance in era 2 must be 3750000000000000000000000000
          when inspector2 withdraw from era 1 and era 2
            inspector2 balance must be 7500000000000000000000000000
            inspector2 balance in era 1 must be 3750000000000000000000000000
            inspector2 balance in era 2 must be 3750000000000000000000000000
        when cant withdraw
          should return error message
      without allowed caller
        should return error message

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    should have fields
when will create new inspector (.addInspector)
    when is allowed
        when inspector exists
            should return error
        when inspector don't exist
            should create inspector
            should be created with totalInspections equal zero
            should be created with giveUps equal zero
            should increment inspectorsCount after create inspector
            should add created inspector in userType contract as a INSPECTOR
when will get inspector (.getInspector)
    should return a inspector
#afterRealizeInspection
    with allowed caller
        .decreaseGiveUps
            must decreaseGiveUps
            should increment
        .incrementInspections
            when do not reached minimum inspections
                should increment
                should do not add level to pool
            when reached minimum inspections
                should add 1 level to pool
            should increment
    without allowed caller
        should return error when
#afterAcceptInspection
    with allowed caller
        .incrementGiveUps
            must decreaseGiveUps
            should increment
        .markLastInspection
            must set lastAcceptedAt
            must set lastInspection
    without allowed caller
        should return error when
#withdraw
    when is a inspector
        when have less then 3 inspections
            should return error
        when inspector is in era 1 and current era is 1
            should return error
        when inspector is in era 1 and current era is 2
            with one inspection
                withdraw 750000000000000000000000000000n tokens
            with two inspection
                withdraw 375000000000000000000000000000n tokens
    when is not a inspector
        should return error
#addPenalty
    with allowed caller
        add penalty with success
    without allowed caller
        return erro message
#totalPenalties
    return penalties

InvitationRules
#invite
    when user already invited
        revert
    when user not registered and not invited
        when activist send invite
            when can invite
                when send to activist
                    when have a previous invitation
                        when is not recent
                            invite with success
                        when is recent
                            revert
                    when do not have a previous invitation
                        invite with success
            when activist uses the generic invite function for restricted types
                should REVERT when trying to invite a Regenerator

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        should REVERT when trying to invite an Inspector
        should PASS when trying to invite another Activist
    when send to inspector
        when have a previous invitation
            when is recent
                revert
            when do not have a previous invitation
                invite with success
    when send to regenerator
        when have a previous invitation
            when is recent
                revert
            when do not have a previous invitation
                invite with success
    cannot send invite
        returns message error
    when developer send invite
    when can invite
        when send to developer
            when have a previous invitation
                when is not recent
                    invite with success
                when is recent
                    revert
            when do not have a previous invitation
                invite with success
    can not send invite
        returns message error
    when contributor send invite
    when can invite
        when send to contributor
            when have a previous invitation
                when is not recent
                    invite with success
                when is recent
                    revert
            when do not have a previous invitation
                invite with success
    can not send invite
        returns message error
    when researcher send invite
    when can invite
        when send to researcher
            when have a previous invitation
                when is not recent
                    invite with success
                when is recent
                    revert
            when do not have a previous invitation
                invite with success
    can not send invite
        returns message error
    when supporter send invite
    when send to supporter
        when have a previous invitation
            when is not recent
                invite with success
            when is recent
                invite with success
        when do not have a previous invitation
            invite with success
#inviteRegeneratorInspector
    when invite regenerator or inspector
        with activist
            should invite regenerator with success
            should invite inspector with success
        without activist
            revert
    when invite other types
        should revert
    when is recent
        should revert
#onlyOwnerInvite
    when invite
        with owner

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#approve
  it should transfer when user has tokens
#transferFrom
  when user is approved to transfer from other address
    when tokenOwner is sufficient to transfer
      user2Address must receive 1000000000000000000 tokens
      owner tokens must be decremented to 1499999999000000000000000000
    when tokenOwner is not sufficient to transfer
      must return error message
  when user is not approved to transfer from other address
    must return error message
#burnTokens
  when user have tokens
    when burn 1000000000000000000000000000 tokens
      should burn when has tokens
      should add 1000000000000000000000000000 to user certificate mapping
      should add 1000000000000000000000000000 to totalCertified
    when burn another 1000000000000000000000000000 tokens
      should burn when has tokens
      should increase 1000000000000000000000000000 tokens to certificate mapping
      should increase totalCertified in 1000000000000000000000000000
  when user does not have tokens
    must return error message
#totalLocked
  when add contract pool
    it should set totalLocked to 75000000000000000000000000000000

RegenerationCreditImpact
totalTreesImpact
  when do not have inspections
    totalTreesImpact must be 0
  when have inspections
    when inspectionsTreesImpact is 0
      totalTreesImpact must be 0
    when inspectionsTreesImpact is not 0
      when have 1 inspection
        when inspection trees impact is 10
          must returntotalTreesImpact equal 10
        when inspection trees impact is 25
          must returntotalTreesImpact equal 32
      when have 5 inspections valid
        must returntotalTreesImpact equal 174
      when have 3 inspections valids and two are of same regenerator
        must returntotalTreesImpact equal 88
totalCarbonImpact
  when do not have inspections
    totalCarbonImpact must be 0
  when have inspections
    when inspectionsTreesImpact is 0
      totalCarbonImpact must be 0
    when inspectionsTreesImpact is not 0
      when have 1 inspection
        when inspection trees impact is 10
          must returntotalCarbonImpact equal 1000000
        when inspection trees impact is 25
          must returntotalCarbonImpact equal 3200000
      when have 5 inspections valid
        must returntotalCarbonImpact equal 17400000
      when have 3 inspections valids and two are of same regenerator
        must returntotalCarbonImpact equal 8800000
totalBiodiversityImpact
  when do not have inspections
    totalBiodiversityImpact must be 0
  when have inspections
    when inspectionsBiodiversityImpact is 0
      totalBiodiversityImpact must be 0
    when inspectionsBiodiversityImpact is not 0
      when have 1 inspection
        when inspection biodiversity impact is 10
          must returns totalBiodiversityImpact equal 10
        when inspection biodiversity impact is 25
          must returns totalBiodiversityImpact equal 32
      when have 5 inspections valid
        must returns totalBiodiversityImpact equal 174
      when have 3 inspections valids and two are of same regenerator
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        must returns totalBiodiversityImpact equal 88
totalAreaImpact
    when have two regenerators
        when all regenerators are valids
            totalAreaImpact must be 2000
        when only one regenerator is valid
            totalAreaImpact must be 1000
treesPerToken
    when do not have inspections
        treesPerToken must be 0
    when have inspections
        when inspectionsTreesImpact is 0
            treesPerToken must be 0
        when inspectionsTreesImpact is not 0
            when have 1 inspection
                when inspection trees impact is 10
                    when do not have tokens totalLocked_
                        must returns treesPerToken equal 6666666666
                    when have token totalLocked_
                        must returns treesPerToken equal 1111111111
                when inspection trees impact is 25
                    must returnstotalTreesImpact equal 2133333333
            when have 5 inspections valid
                must returns treesPerToken equal 11600000000
            when have 3 inspections valids and two are of same regenerator
                must returns treesPerToken equal 5866666666
carbonPerToken
    when do not have inspections
        carbonPerToken must be 0
    when have inspections
        when inspectionsTreesImpact is 0
            carbonPerToken must be 0
        when inspectionsTreesImpact is not 0
            when have 1 inspection
                when inspection trees impact is 10
                    when do not have tokens totalLocked_
                        must returns carbonPerToken equal 66666666666666
                    when have token totalLocked_
                        must returns carbonPerToken equal 11111111111111
                when inspection trees impact is 25
                    must returnstotalTreesImpact equal 21333333333333
            when have 5 inspections valid
                must returns carbonPerToken equal 1160000000000000
            when have 3 inspections valids and two are of same regenerator
                must returns carbonPerToken equal 5866666666666666
biodiversityPerToken
    when do not have inspections
        biodiversityPerToken must be 0
    when have inspections
        when inspectionsBiodiversityImpact is 0
            biodiversityPerToken must be 0
        when inspectionsBiodiversityImpact is not 0
            when have 1 inspection
                when inspection biodiversity impact is 10
                    when do not have tokens totalLocked_
                        must returns biodiversityPerToken equal 6666666666
                    when have tokens totalLocked_
                        must returns biodiversityPerToken equal 1111111111
                when inspection biodiversity impact is 25
                    must returns biodiversityPerToken equal 2133333333
            when have 5 inspections valid
                must returns biodiversityPerToken equal 11600000000
            when have 3 inspections valids and two are of same regenerator
                must returns biodiversityPerToken equal 5866666666
areaPerToken
    when have two regenerators
        when all regenerators are valids
            when do not have tokens totalLocked_
                areaPerToken must be 133333333333
            when have tokens totalLocked_
                areaPerToken must be 222222222222
    when only one regenerator is valid
        areaPerToken must be 666666666666

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RegenerationIndexRules



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    balanceOf must be 0
    when totalScores is 64
        when regenerator1 have 64 regenerationScore
            must withdraw 3125000000000000000000000000 of tokens
            total locked must be 750000000000000000000000000 - 3125000000000000000000000000
        when totalScores is 125
            when regenerator1 have 64 isaScore
                must withdraw 200000000000000000000000000 of tokens
            when regenerator2 have 45 isaScore
                must withdraw 112500000000000000000000000 tokens
    when can't approve
        must return error message
    with not allowed caller
        must return error message
#addLevel
    with allowed caller
        when add level in era 1
            when regenerator have 0 levels in era 1
                when add level
                    era 1 must have 2 level
                    era 2 must have 0 level
                    eraLevels must have 1 level to regenerator1
                    eraLevels must have 1 level to regenerator2
            when regenerators have levels in era 1
                when add level
                    era 1 must have 7 level
                    era 2 must have 0 level
                    eraLevels must have 82 level to regenerator1
                    eraLevels must have 4 level to regenerator2
        when add level in era 2
            when regenerators have levels in era 1
                when add level
                    era 1 must have 80 level
                    era 2 must have 40 level
                    eraLevels must have 80 level to regenerator1
                    eraLevels must have 4 level to regenerator2
        when the same inspection ID is processed twice
            should revert the second transaction with the same inspection ID
            should have added the levels only once
    without allowed caller
        should return error message

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RegeneratorRules

```

when access regenerator fields
  should have fields

when will create a regenerator (.addRegenerator)
  should create regenerator
  should be created with totalRequest equal zero
  should be created with regenerationScore equal zero
  should be created with lastRequestAt equal zero
  should add coordinates to regenerator mapping
  should increment regeneratorsCount after create regenerator
  should add created regenerator in userType contract as a REGENERATOR
  should add totalArea to regenerationArea

when coordinate points is invalid
  when coordinates is below 3
    should return error when try create regenerator without valid coordinates
  when coordinates is bigger than 10
    should return error when try create regenerator without valid coordinates

when coordinate values are invalid
  should revert if coordinates contain duplicates
  should revert if latitude is out of range (> 90)
  should revert if longitude is out of range (> 180)
  should revert if a coordinate string contains invalid characters
  should revert if a coordinate string contains multiple dots

when totalArea is below 500
  should return error

when totalArea is over 500.000
  should return error

when regenerator already exists
  should return error when try create same regenerator

#afterRequestInspection
  with allowed caller
    set pendingInspection to true
    set lastRequestAt

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with not allowed caller
    return message error
#afterRealizeInspection
    with allowed user
        .setRegenerationScore
            when dont have regenerators sustainable
                when have 1 regenerator
                    when new score + regenerator score is smaller than limit score
                        regenerator regeneration score must be 96
                when have more than one regenerator
                    when new score + regenerator A score is smaller than limit score
                        regenerator regeneration score must be 67
            when regenerator have reached minimum inspections
                when is era 1
                    when already have 50 levels in regenerator contract
                        when receives more 25 levels
                            when is not in the pool yet
                                set 75 levels to era 1 pool
                                regenerator regenerationScore must be 75
                            when already in the pool
                                set 100 levels to era 1 pool
                                regenerator regenerationScore must be 100
                    when is era 2
                        when already have 50 levels in regenerator contract
                            when receives more 50 levels
                                set 50 levels to era 2 pool
                                regenerator regenerationScore must be 100
            .incrementInspections
            incrementInspections
        with not allowed user
            should return error message
#withdraw
    with regenerator
        when can approve #blockable
            when regenerator have minimum inspections
                when levels in era is 100
                    when regenerator have regenerationScore 50
                        regenerator A must withdraw 375000000000000000000000000n tokens
                        regenerator B must withdraw 375000000000000000000000000n tokens
                        regenerator A current era must be incremented
                        regenerator B current era must be incremented
                    when regenerator have regenerationScore 50
                        must withdraw 750000000000000000000000000n tokens
                        regenerator current era must be increment
                when regenerator dont have minimum inspections
                    should return error message
            when cant approve #blockable
                should return error message
        with not regenerator
            should return error message
#regeneratorPoolEra
    when pool is in era 1
        return era equal 1
    when pool is in era 2
        return era equal 1
#updateAreaPhoto
    without regenerator
        should return error
    with regenerator
        should update photo
#getCoordinates
    without regenerator
        should return coordinates arrayList

ResearcherPool
    after deploy
        must initial era equal one
#getEra
    when access fields
        should have fields
#nextEraIn
    when cant approve
        should return integer > zero
    when can approve
        should return integer < zero

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```
#addLevel
with allowed caller
  when add level in era 1
    when researcher have 0 levels in era 1
      when add level
        era 1 must have 2 level
        era 2 must have 0 level
        eraLevels must have 1 level to researcher1
        eraLevels must have 1 level to researcher2
    when researchers have levels in era 1
      when add level
        era 1 must have 7 level
        era 2 must have 0 level
        eraLevels must have 3 level to researcher1
        eraLevels must have 4 level to researcher2
  when the same resource ID is processed twice
    should revert the second transaction with the same resource ID
    should have added the level only once
without allowed caller
  should return error message

#canWithdrawTimes
when cant approve
  should return zero times
when can approve 2 times
  should return two times

#tokensPerEpoch
when is epoch 1
  must return 20000000000000000000000000000000
when is epoch 2
  must return 10000000000000000000000000000000
when is epoch 3
  must return 50000000000000000000000000000000
when is epoch 4
  must return 25000000000000000000000000000000
when is epoch 5
  must return 12500000000000000000000000000000
when is epoch 6
  must return 62500000000000000000000000000000
when is epoch 7
  must return 31250000000000000000000000000000
when is epoch 8
  must return 15625000000000000000000000000000
when is epoch 9
  must return 78125000000000000000000000000000
when is epoch 10
  must return 39062500000000000000000000000000
when is epoch 15
  must return 12207031250000000000000000000000
when is epoch 20
  must return 38146972656250000000000000000000

#tokensPerEra
when is epoch 1
  must return 16666666666666666666666666666666
when is epoch 2
  must return 83333333333333333333333333333333
when is epoch 3
  must return 41666666666666666666666666666666
when is epoch 4
  must return 20833333333333333333333333333333
when is epoch 5
  must return 10416666666666666666666666666666
when is epoch 6
  must return 52083333333333333333333333333333
when is epoch 7
  must return 26041666666666666666666666666666
when is epoch 8
  must return 13020833333333333333333333333333
when is epoch 9
  must return 65104166666666666666666666666666
when is epoch 10
  must return 32552083333333333333333333333333

#withdraw
with allowed caller
  when can withdraw
    when is epoch 1
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when is era 1
  when total of levels in era is 6
    when researcher1 have 3 levels in era 1
      must withdraw 83333333333333333333333333333333 tokens
    when researcher1 have 6 levels in era 1
      should withdraw 16666666666666666666666666666666 tokens
      should withdraw 0 tokens to researcher2
    when researcher2 have 3 levels in era 1
      should withdraw 83333333333333333333333333333333 tokens
  when is era 2
    when dont have withdraw from era 1
    when researcher1 withdraw from era 1 and era 2
      researcher pool balance must be 36666666666666666666666666666666
      researcher1 balance must be 16666666666666666666666666666666
      researcher1 balance in era 1 must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
      researcher1 balance in era 2 must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
      must update eras
    when researcher2 withdraw from era 1 and era 2
      researcher2 balance must be 16666666666666666666666666666666
      researcher2 balance in era 1 must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
      researcher2 balance in era 2 must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
  when is epoch 2
    when is era 1
      when total of levels in era is 6
        when researcher1 have 3 levels in era 1
          must withdraw 83333333333333333333333333333333 tokens
        when researcher1 have 6 levels in era 1
          should withdraw 16666666666666666666666666666666 tokens
          should withdraw 0 tokens to researcher2
        when researcher2 have 3 levels in era 1
          should withdraw 83333333333333333333333333333333 tokens
    when is era 2
      when dont have withdraw from era 1
      when researcher1 withdraw from era 1 and era 2
        researcher pool balance must be 36666666666666666666666666666666
        researcher1 balance must be 16666666666666666666666666666666
        researcher1 balance in era 1 must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
        researcher1 balance in era 2 must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
      when researcher2 withdraw from era 1 and era 2
        researcher2 balance must be 16666666666666666666666666666666
        researcher2 balance in era 1 must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
        researcher2 balance in era 2 must be 83333333333333333333333333333333
  when cant withdraw
    should return error message
  without allowed caller
    should return error message

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#### ResearcherRules

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#addResearcher
  when is not an allowed user
    should return error message
  when is an allowed user
    when researcher already exists
      should return error
    when researcher don't exist
      when max limit is not reached
        create researcher
        increment researcherCount after create researcher
        add created researcher in userType contract as a RESEARCHER
        add created researcher with 0 published researches
        add created researcher with 0 published items
        add created researcher with publishedMethod = true
      when max limit is reached
        should return error message
#getResearcher
  return a researcher
#getResearcher
  when researcher exists
    return true
  when researcher don't exist
    return false
#withdraw
  when is a researcher
    when researcher is in era 1 and current era is 1
      should return error

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when researcher is in era 1 and current era is 2  
    with one researches  
        withdraw 16666666666666666666666666 tokens  
    with one researches  
        withdraw 83333333333333333333333333 tokens  
when is not a researcher  
    should return error  
#addResearch  
when is not a researcher  
    should return error  
when is a researcher  
    when have time to validator analysis  
        when have waited time between researches  
            add a research  
            add 1 to researcher publishedResearches  
            add 1 to researcher pool level  
            add 1 to researcher pool eraLeves  
            dont add to researcher pool eraLeves of other era  
        when is next era  
            add +1 to researcher pool eraLeves of era 2  
            add +1 to researcher pool level  
            dont add to researcher pool eraLeves of other era  
        when have not waited time between works  
            should return error message  
        when do not have time to validator analysis  
            should return error message  
#getResearch  
should have fields  
addResearchValidation  
    when trying to vote on an already invalidated research  
        should revert because the research is no longer valid  
with researcher  
    with valid contribution  
        when research must be invalidated  
            set valid field to false  
            populate invalidatedAt field  
            set maxPenalties to reseacher  
            user type must be RESEARCHER yet  
            must remove one pool level from current era  
            must decrement researchesCount in one  
        when research must not be invalidated  
            valid field is true  
            invalidatedAt is equal 0  
            researcher totalPenalties is 0  
            reseacher pool level is 1  
    when researcher reach max maxPenalties  
        user type must be DENIED  
        Remove invalidated research level from researcher  
with invalid research  
    when current era is different from contribution created era  
        should return error message  
    when contribution is invalidated  
        should return error message  
wwhen do not wait waitedTimeBetweenVotes  
    should return error message  
wwhen wait waitedTimeBetweenVotes  
    should return error message  
    when contribution do not exists  
        should return error message  
with developer  
    with valid contribution  
        when research must be invalidated  
            set valid field to false  
            populate invalidatedAt field  
            set maxPenalties to reseacher  
            user type must be RESEARCHER yet  
            must remove one pool level from current era  
            must decrement researchesCount in one  
            should set researchPenalized to true to prevent double penalties  
        when research must not be invalidated  
            valid field is true  
            invalidatedAt is equal 0  
            researcher totalPenalties is 0  
            reseacher pool level is 1  
            should keep researchPenalized to false
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when researcher reach max maxPenalties
  user type must be DENIED
  should apply a penalty to the researcher\'s inviter
  should remove all pool levels for the denied researcher
  Remove invalidated research level from researcher
with invalid research
  when current era is different from research created era
    should return error message
  when research is invalidated
    should return error message
  when research do not exists
    should return error message
with contributor
  with valid contribution
    when research must be invalidated
      set valid field to false
      populate invalidatedAt field
      set maxPenalties to reseacher
      user type must be RESEARCHER yet
      must remove one pool level from current era
      must decrement researchesCount in one
    when research must not be invalidated
      valid field is true
      invalidatedAt is equal 0
      researcher totalPenalties is 0
      reseacher pool level is 1
  when researcher reach maxPenalties
    user type must be DENIED
    Remove invalidated research level from researcher
  with invalid research
    when current era is different from contribution created era
      should return error message
    when contribution is invalidated
      should return error message
    when contribution do not exists
      should return error message
with activist
  with valid contribution
    when research must be invalidated
      set valid field to false
      populate invalidatedAt field
      set maxPenalties to reseacher
      user type must be RESEARCHER yet
      must remove one pool level from current era
      must decrement researchesCount in one
    when research must not be invalidated
      valid field is true
      invalidatedAt is equal 0
      researcher totalPenalties is 0
      reseacher pool level is 1
  when researcher reach max maxPenalties
    user type must be DENIED
    Remove invalidated research level from researcher
  with invalid research
    when current era is different from contribution created era
      should return error message
    when contribution is invalidated
      should return error message
    when contribution do not exists
      should return error message
without validator
  should return error message
#removePoolLevels
  when user is to denied
    remove user levels from pool
    remove user levels from researcher
#addCalculatorItem
  when is not a researcher
    should return error
  when is a researcher
    when have waited time between calculatorItems
      add an calculatorItem
      should add researcher publishedItems
    when have not waited time between calculatorItems
      should return error message

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    when carbon is out of range
      should return error message when set to zero
      should return error message when set over 1 ton
#addEvaluationMethod
  when is not a researcher
    should return error
  when is a researcher
    when did not publish a method before
      add an evaluationMethod
      must set researcher bool to false
    when publish second method
      should return error message

SupporterRules
#addSupporter
  when supporter exists
    should return error
  when supporter don't exist
    create supporter
    increment supporterCount
    add created supporter in userType contract as a SUPPORTER
#updateProfilePhoto
  without supporter
    should return error
  with supporter
    should update photo
#getSupporter
  return a supporter
#offset
  when msg.sender is SUPPORTER
    when amount is valid
      when calculatorItemId exists
        when SUPPORTER was invited
          when burn 10000000000000000 tokens
            calculatorItemCertificates to item 1 must be 95000000000000000
            must add offset amount
            must add offset total count
            must add offset supporter count
            must pay comission
          when SUPPORTER wasn't invited
            when burn 10000000000000000 tokens
              calculatorItemCertificates to item 1 must be 100000000000000000
            when burn 50000000000000000 tokens
              calculatorItemCertificates to item 1 must be 500000000000000000
            when burn multiple times
              calculatorItemCertificates must sum all offsets
        when calculatorItemId does not exists
          when burn 100000000000000000 tokens
            calculatorItemCertificates to item 10 must be 0
      when amount is invalid
        without allowance
          should return error
        without minimum amount
          should return error
#declareReductionCommitment
  when is supporter
    when calculatorItem exists
      return a supporter
      must add reduction item supporter count
    when try to declared the same item twice
      should return error
    when calculatorItem does not exists
      should return error
  when is not a supporter
    return a supporter

ValidationRules
#addUserValidation
  when caller is validator
    when user already is denied
      should return error
    when user is not denied
      when user validations count is less than votesToInvalidate
        with developer
          when total users is less than 5

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```
        should add validation
        user type must be the same
        inviter must not get penalty
    when total users is bigger than 5
        when user levels is less than total users levels avg
            should return error
        when user levels is bigger than total users levels avg
            should add validation
            user type must be the same
    with contributor
        when total users is less than 5
            should add validation
            user type must be the same
            inviter must not get penalty
        when total users is bigger than 5
            when user levels is less than total users levels avg
                should return error
            when user levels is bigger than total users levels avg
                should add validation
                user type must be the same
    with researcher
        when total users is less than 5
            should add validation
            user type must be the same
            inviter must not get penalty
        when total users is bigger than 5
            when user levels is less than total users levels avg
                should return error
            when user levels is bigger than total users levels avg
                should add validation
                user type must be the same
    with activist
        when total users is less than 5
            should add validation
            user type must be the same
            inviter must not get penalty
        when total users is bigger than 5
            when user levels is less than total users levels avg
                should return error
            when user levels is bigger than total users levels avg
                should add validation
                user type must be the same
    when user validations count is equal or bigger than votesToInvalidate
        when current era is 1
            with regenerator
                should add validation
                user type must be denied
                inviter must get 1 penalty
                remove user levels from pool
                remove user regenerationScore from regenerator
                userTypesCount must be decremented
                regenerationArea should be decremented
                must emit DeniedUserEvent
            with inspector
                should add validation
                user must be denied
                remove user levels from pool
                do not remove user levels from inspector
                userTypesCount must be decremented
            with contributor
                should add validation
                user must be denied
                remove user levels from pool
                do not remove user levels from contributor
                userTypesCount must be decremented
            with developer
                should add validation
                user must be denied
                remove user levels from pool
                do not remove user levels from developer
                userTypesCount must be decremented
            with researcher
                should add validation
                user must be denied
                remove user levels from pool
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        do not remove user levels from researcher
        userTypesCount must be decremented
    with activist
        should add validation
        user must be denied
        remove user levels from pool
        do not remove user levels from activist
        userTypesCount must be decremented
    when current era is 2
        when add validation
            should add validation
            user type must be denied
    when caller is not validator
        should return error
    when validator already voted to user
        should return error
    when do not wait waitedTimeBetweenVotes
        should return error
    when do not wait waitedTimeBetweenVotes
        should return error
    when is not a registered user
        should return error
    when regenerator _canBeValidated
        when reached REGENERATOR_VALIDATION_IMMUNITY_THRESHOLD
            must returns error message
        when do not reached REGENERATOR_VALIDATION_IMMUNITY_THRESHOLD
            should add validation
            user type must be the same
#votesToInvalidate
    when voters is less then 10
        returns 2
    when voters is 20
        returns 2
    when votersCount is less than 166
        returns 5
    when votersCount is 168
        returns 6
    when votersCount is 249
        returns 8
    when votersCount is 255
        returns 8
    when votersCount is 600
        returns 19
    when votersCount is 1200
        returns 37
    when votersCount is 2500
        returns 76
    when votersCount is 5000
        returns 151
    when votersCount is 10000
        returns 301
    when votersCount is 20000
        returns 601
    when votersCount is 35000
        returns 1051
    when votersCounts is 64000
        returns 1921

VoteRules
#canVote
    when is a voter
        with activist
            when totalLevels is 4, totalUsers is 4 and userLevels is 1
                returns true
            when totalLevels is 10, totalUsers is 10 and userLevels is 1
                returns false
            when totalLevels is 60, totalUsers is 30 and userLevels is 1
                returns false
            when totalLevels is 60, totalUsers is 30 and userLevels is 3
                returns true
            when totalLevels is 6000, totalUsers is 600 and userLevels is 50
                returns true
            when totalLevels is 0, totalUsers is 10 and userLevels is 0
                returns false
            when totalLevels is 50000, totalUsers is 5000 and userLevels is 10

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    returns false
  when totalLevels is 50000, totalUsers is 5000 and userLevels is 20
    returns true
with contributor
  when totalLevels is 4, totalUsers is 4 and userLevels is 1
    returns true
  when totalLevels is 10, totalUsers is 10 and userLevels is 1
    returns false
  when totalLevels is 60, totalUsers is 30 and userLevels is 1
    returns false
  when totalLevels is 60, totalUsers is 30 and userLevels is 3
    returns true
  when totalLevels is 6000, totalUsers is 600 and userLevels is 50
    returns true
  when totalLevels is 0, totalUsers is 10 and userLevels is 0
    returns false
  when totalLevels is 50000, totalUsers is 5000 and userLevels is 10
    returns false
  when totalLevels is 50000, totalUsers is 5000 and userLevels is 20
    returns true
with developer
  when totalLevels is 4, totalUsers is 4 and userLevels is 1
    returns true
  when totalLevels is 10, totalUsers is 10 and userLevels is 1
    returns false
  when totalLevels is 60, totalUsers is 30 and userLevels is 1
    returns false
  when totalLevels is 60, totalUsers is 30 and userLevels is 3
    returns true
  when totalLevels is 6000, totalUsers is 600 and userLevels is 50
    returns true
  when totalLevels is 0, totalUsers is 10 and userLevels is 0
    returns false
  when totalLevels is 50000, totalUsers is 5000 and userLevels is 10
    returns false
  when totalLevels is 50000, totalUsers is 5000 and userLevels is 20
    returns true
with researcher
  when totalLevels is 4, totalUsers is 4 and userLevels is 1
    returns true
  when totalLevels is 10, totalUsers is 10 and userLevels is 1
    returns false
  when totalLevels is 60, totalUsers is 30 and userLevels is 1
    returns false
  when totalLevels is 60, totalUsers is 30 and userLevels is 3
    returns true
  when totalLevels is 6000, totalUsers is 600 and userLevels is 50
    returns true
  when totalLevels is 0, totalUsers is 10 and userLevels is 0
    returns false
  when totalLevels is 50000, totalUsers is 5000 and userLevels is 10
    returns false
  when totalLevels is 50000, totalUsers is 5000 and userLevels is 20
    returns true
when is not a voter
  should return error message
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## 9 About Nethermind

**Nethermind** is a Blockchain Research and Software Engineering company. Our work touches every part of the web3 ecosystem - from layer 1 and layer 2 engineering, cryptography research, and security to application-layer protocol development. We offer strategic support to our institutional and enterprise partners across the blockchain, digital assets, and DeFi sectors, guiding them through all stages of the research and development process, from initial concepts to successful implementation.

We offer security audits of projects built on EVM-compatible chains and Starknet. We are active builders of the Starknet ecosystem, delivering a node implementation, a block explorer, a Solidity-to-Cairo transpiler, and formal verification tooling. Nethermind also provides strategic support to our institutional and enterprise partners in blockchain, digital assets, and decentralized finance (DeFi). In the next paragraphs, we introduce the company in more detail.

**Blockchain Security:** At Nethermind, we believe security is vital to the health and longevity of the entire Web3 ecosystem. We provide security services related to Smart Contract Audits, Formal Verification, and Real-Time Monitoring. Our Security Team comprises blockchain security experts in each field, often collaborating to produce comprehensive and robust security solutions. The team has a strong academic background, can apply state-of-the-art techniques, and is experienced in analyzing cutting-edge Solidity and Cairo smart contracts, such as ArgentX and StarkGate (the bridge connecting Ethereum and StarkNet). Most team members hold a Ph.D. degree and actively participate in the research community, accounting for 240+ articles published and 1,450+ citations in Google Scholar. The security team adopts customer-oriented and interactive processes where clients are involved in all stages of the work.

**Blockchain Core Development:** Our core engineering team, consisting of over 20 developers, maintains, improves, and upgrades our flagship product - the Nethermind Ethereum Execution Client. The client has been successfully operating for several years, supporting both the Ethereum Mainnet and its testnets, and now accounts for nearly a quarter of all synced Mainnet nodes. Our unwavering commitment to Ethereum's growth and stability extends to sidechains and layer 2 solutions. Notably, we were the sole execution layer client to facilitate Gnosis Chain's Merge, transitioning from Aura to Proof of Stake (PoS), and we are actively developing a full-node client to bolster Starknet's decentralization efforts. Our core team equips partners with tools for seamless node set-up, using generated docker-compose scripts tailored to their chosen execution client and preferred configurations for various network types.

**DevOps and Infrastructure Management:** Our infrastructure team ensures our partners' systems operate securely, reliably, and efficiently. We provide infrastructure design, deployment, monitoring, maintenance, and troubleshooting support, allowing you to focus on your core business operations. Boasting extensive expertise in Blockchain as a Service, private blockchain implementations, and node management, our infrastructure and DevOps engineers are proficient with major cloud solution providers and can host applications in-house or on clients' premises. Our global in-house SRE teams offer 24/7 monitoring and alerts for both infrastructure and application levels. We manage over 5,000 public and private validators and maintain nodes on major public blockchains such as Polygon, Gnosis, Solana, Cosmos, Near, Avalanche, Polkadot, Aptos, and StarkWare L2. Sedge is an open-source tool developed by our infrastructure experts, designed to simplify the complex process of setting up a proof-of-stake (PoS) network or chain validator. Sedge generates docker-compose scripts for the entire validator set-up based on the chosen client, making the process easier and quicker while following best practices to avoid downtime and being slashed.

**Cryptography Research:** At Nethermind, our cryptography Research team conducts cutting-edge internal research and collaborates closely with external partners on cryptographic protocols, consensus design, succinct arguments and folding schemes, elliptic curve-based STARK protocols, post-quantum security and zero-knowledge proofs (ZKPs). Our research has led to influential contributions, including Zinc (Crypto '25), Mova, FLI (Asiacrypt '24), and foundational results in Fiat-Shamir security and STARK proof batching. Complementing this theoretical work, our engineering expertise is demonstrated through implementations such as the Latticefold aggregation scheme, the Labrador proof system, zkvm-benchmarks, and Plonk Verifier in Cairo. This combined strength in theory and engineering enables us to deliver cutting-edge cryptographic solutions to partners and clients.

**Smart Contract Development & DeFi Research:** Our smart contract development and DeFi research team comprises 40+ world-class engineers who collaborate closely with partners to identify needs and work on value-adding projects. The team specializes in Solidity and Cairo development, architecture design, and DeFi solutions, including DEXs, AMMs, structured products, derivatives, and money market protocols, as well as ERC20, 721, and 1155 token design. Our research and data analytics focuses on three key areas: technical due diligence, market research, and DeFi research. Utilizing a data-driven approach, we offer in-depth insights and outlooks on various industry themes.

**Our suite of L2 tooling:** Warp is Starknet's approach to EVM compatibility. It allows developers to take their Solidity smart contracts and transpile them to Cairo, Starknet's smart contract language. In the short time since its inception, the project has accomplished many achievements, including successfully transpiling Uniswap v3 onto Starknet using Warp.

- **Voyager** is a user-friendly Starknet block explorer that offers comprehensive insights into the Starknet network. With its intuitive interface and powerful features, Voyager allows users to easily search for and examine transactions, addresses, and contract details. As an essential tool for navigating the Starknet ecosystem, Voyager is the go-to solution for users seeking in-depth information and analysis;
- **Horus** is an open-source formal verification tool for StarkNet smart contracts. It simplifies the process of formally verifying Starknet smart contracts, allowing developers to express various assertions about the behavior of their code using a simple assertion language;
- **Juno** is a full-node client implementation for Starknet, drawing on the expertise gained from developing the Nethermind Client. Written in Golang and open-sourced from the outset, Juno verifies the validity of the data received from Starknet by comparing it to proofs retrieved from Ethereum, thus maintaining the integrity and security of the entire ecosystem.

### General Advisory to Clients

As auditors, we recommend that any changes or updates made to the audited codebase undergo a re-audit or security review to address potential vulnerabilities or risks introduced by the modifications. By conducting a re-audit or security review of the modified codebase, you can significantly enhance the overall security of your system and reduce the likelihood of exploitation. However, we do not possess the authority or right to impose obligations or restrictions on our clients regarding codebase updates, modifications, or subsequent audits. Accordingly, the decision to seek a re-audit or security review lies solely with you.

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