

Smart Contract Security Assessment

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1 Overview

This report has been prepared for PolyWhale V2. Paladin provides a user-centred examination of the smart contracts to look for vulnerabilities, logic errors or other issues from both an internal and external perspective.

1.1 Summary

| Project Name | PolyWhale Vaults |
|--------------|---------------------------|
| URL | https://polywhale.finance |
| Platform | Polygon |
| Language | Solidity |

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1.2 Contracts Assessed

| Name | Contract | Live Code Match |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|
| KrillVault | KrillVault.sol | |
| KrillRewardPool | KrillRewardPool.sol | |
| StratManager | StratManager.sol | |
| FeeManager | FeeManager.sol | |
| StrategySushiswapLP | StrategySushiswapLP.sol | |
| StrategyQuickswapLP | StrategyQuickswapLP.sol | |
| StrategyJetswapLP | StrategyJetswapLP.sol | |
| StrategyDynfLP | StrategyDynfLP.sol | |
| StrategyWaultLP | StrategyWaultLP.sol | |
| StrategyApeswapLP | StrategyApeswapLP.sol | |
| StakingRewards | StakingRewards.sol | |
| StakingRewardsFactory | StakingRewardsFactory.sol | |
| KrillFeeBatch | KrillFeeBatch.sol | |
| KrillTreasury | KrillTreasury.sol | |

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1.3 Findings Summary

| Severity | Found | Resolved | Partially Resolved | Acknowledged or Unresolved |
|---------------|-------|----------|--------------------|----------------------------|
| High | 9 | 6 | - | 3 |
| Medium | 3 | 3 | - | - |
| Low | 26 | 16 | - | 10 |
| Informational | 28 | 24 | - | 4 |
| Total | 66 | 49 | - | 17 |

Classification of Issues

| Severity | Description |
|---------------|--|
| High | Exploits, vulnerabilities or errors that will certainly or probabilistically lead towards loss of funds, control, or impairment of the contract and its functions. Issues under this classification are recommended to be fixed with utmost urgency. |
| Medium | Bugs or issues with that may be subject to exploit, though their impact is somewhat limited. Issues under this classification are recommended to be fixed as soon as possible. |
| Low | Effects are minimal in isolation and do not pose a significant danger to the project or its users. Issues under this classification are recommended to be fixed nonetheless. |
| Informational | Consistency, syntax or style best practices. Generally pose a negligible level of risk, if any. |

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1.3.1 KrillVault

| ID Severity | Summary | Status |
|-------------|---|--------------|
| 01 HIGH | Upgrades to a malicious strategy allow the dev to withdraw all staked funds after the timelock delay of proposing this malicious upgrade has expired | RESOLVED |
| 02 HIGH | Lack of validation for old and new want token when migrating strategies | RESOLVED |
| 03 нідн | In case the underlying Masterchef has deposit fees, governance could burn all funds by emergency withdrawing and calling earn() over and over again | RESOLVED |
| 04 MEDIUM | Lack of lower limit validation for strategy's approvalDelay | RESOLVED |
| 05 Low | In case there are deposit fees or transfer taxes, deposits can be prevented through an expensive attack by sending tokens to the vault | RESOLVED |
| 06 Low | Lack of validation that the investor received sufficient shares | ACKNOWLEDGED |
| 07 INFO | Lack of validation that the earn function actually increases the vault value | RESOLVED |
| 08 INFO | Tokenomics: Deposits are inefficient for tokens with transfer taxes | ACKNOWLEDGED |
| 09 INFO | Lack of events for deposit, withdraw and inCaseTokensGetStuck | RESOLVED |
| 10 INFO | Lack of check for receipt token if destination is vault address | RESOLVED |
| 11 INFO | Gas optimization: withdraw function could be simplified | RESOLVED |

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1.3.2 KrillRewardPool

| ID | Severity | Summary | Status |
|----|----------|--|------------|
| 12 | HIGH | Lack of emergencyWithdraw function could lead to funds being stuck | RESOLVED |
| 13 | LOW | LPTokenWrapper only works with tokens that have no transfer taxes | RESOLVED |
| 14 | LOW | Lack of constructor safety guards | RESOLVED |
| 15 | Low | Calling notifyRewardAmount with an excessive amount could potentially block deposits and withdrawals | UNRESOLVED |
| 16 | Low | notifyRewardAmount can be called by the owner without actually transferring in reward funds, potentially blocking deposits and withdrawals | RESOLVED |
| 17 | Low | stakedToken and rewardToken can be made immutable and public | RESOLVED |
| 18 | INFO | getReward will fail if there are insufficient tokens in the pool, potentially blocking exit as well | RESOLVED |
| 19 | INFO | Lack of event for inCaseTokensGetStuck | RESOLVED |

1.3.3 StratManager

| ID | Severity | Summary | Status |
|----|----------|--|----------|
| 20 | HIGH | Governance privilege: Governance can change the vault linked to the strategy | RESOLVED |
| 21 | MEDIUM | Governance privilege: Swap router can be changed to steal rewards and dust LP tokens | RESOLVED |
| 22 | LOW | Setting krillFeeRecipient or strategist to the zero address will break harvest functionality | RESOLVED |
| 23 | INFO | Lack of events for setKeeper, setStrategist, setUnirouter, setVault and setFeeRecipient | RESOLVED |

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1.3.4 FeeManager

| ID Severity | Summary | Status |
|-------------|--|----------|
| 24 INFO | Lack of events for setCallFee and setWithdrawalFee | RESOLVED |

1.3.5 StrategyLP Contracts (General Issues)

The issues below apply to all StrategyLP contracts included in this audit: StrategySushiswapLP, StrategyQuickswapLP, StrategyJetswapLP, StrategyDynfLP, StrategyWaultLP and StrategyApeswapLP.

| ID | Severity | Summary | Status |
|----|----------|---|----------|
| 25 | LOW | Dust tokens will accumulate over time | RESOLVED |
| 26 | INFO | retireStrat can be removed if upgradeability is removed | RESOLVED |
| 27 | INFO | Lack of events for panic and retireStrat | RESOLVED |
| 28 | INFO | panic can be made external | RESOLVED |

1.3.6 StrategySushiswapLP

| ID | Severity | Summary | Status |
|----|----------|---|----------|
| 29 | Low | Lack of constructor parameter validation could lead to loss of funds if misconfigured | RESOLVED |
| 30 | INFO | want, chef and poolId can be made immutable | RESOLVED |

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1.3.7 StrategyQuickswapLP

| ID | Severity | Summary | Status |
|----|----------|---|----------|
| 31 | Low | Lack of constructor parameter validation could lead to loss of funds if misconfigured | RESOLVED |
| 32 | INFO | want and rewardPool can be made immutable | RESOLVED |

1.3.8 StrategyJetswapLP

| ID | Severity | Summary | Status |
|----|----------|---|-------------------|
| 33 | Low | Lack of constructor parameter validation could lead to loss of funds if misconfigured | RESOLVED |
| 34 | INFO | want, chef and poolId can be made immutable | ₩ RESOLVED |

1.3.9 StrategyDynfLP

| ID Severity | Summary | Status |
|-------------|--|--------------|
| 35 нідн | Currently strategyDynfLP is configured to use Polycat farms which no longer has rewards | ACKNOWLEDGED |
| 36 HIGH | deposit function does not validate deposit fees | ACKNOWLEDGED |
| 37 нідн | Governance privilege: Calling emergencyWithdraw and deposit iteratively will result in all funds being sent to the Masterchef deposit feeAddress | ACKNOWLEDGED |
| 38 Low | Lack of constructor parameter validation could lead to loss of funds if misconfigured | ACKNOWLEDGED |
| 39 Low | Usage of wMaticDfyn as a middle token might cause high slippage due to illiquid pairs | ACKNOWLEDGED |
| 40 Low | Typo: Dynf should be Dfyn | ACKNOWLEDGED |
| 41 INFO | want, chef and poolId can be made immutable | ACKNOWLEDGED |

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1.3.10 StrategyWaultLP

| ID | Severity | Summary | Status |
|----|----------|---|----------|
| 42 | Low | Lack of constructor parameter validation could lead to loss of funds if misconfigured | RESOLVED |
| 43 | INFO | want and rewardPool can be made immutable | RESOLVED |

1.3.11 StrategyApeswapLP

| ID Severity | Summary | Status |
|-------------|---|----------|
| 44 Low | Lack of constructor parameter validation could lead to loss of funds if misconfigured | RESOLVED |
| 45 INFO | want, chef and poolId can be made immutable | RESOLVED |

1.3.12 StrategyAave

| ID Se | everity | Summary | Status |
|-------|---------|---|--------------|
| 46 6 | ow | Inefficient withdrawal method could lead to funds getting stuck temporarily if the vault has a large holding and all funds are loaned out on Aave | ACKNOWLEDGED |
| 47 Lo | ow | Inefficient withdrawal method could lead to funds getting lost if Aave ever incorporates deposit fees | ACKNOWLEDGED |
| 48 60 | ow | Lack of constructor parameter validation could lead to loss of funds if misconfigured | RESOLVED |
| 49 Lo | ow | Fees are unnecessarily routed through WETH causing unnecessary slippage | ACKNOWLEDGED |
| 50 IN | NFO | want, aToken, varDebtToken, borrowRateMax and minLeverage can be made immutable | RESOLVED |
| 51 IN | NFO | panic and userAccountData can be made external | RESOLVED |

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1.3.13 StakingRewards

| ID Severity | Summary | Status |
|-------------|--|--------------|
| 52 нідн | Lack of emergencyWithdraw function could lead to funds being stuck | RESOLVED |
| 53 Low | stake only works with non transfer-tax tokens | RESOLVED |
| 54 Low | Lack of constructor safety guards | RESOLVED |
| 55 INFO | Calling notifyRewardAmount with an excessive amount could potentially block deposits and withdrawals | ACKNOWLEDGED |
| 56 INFO | stakedToken and rewardToken can be made immutable | RESOLVED |
| 57 INFO | getReward will fail if there are insufficient tokens in the pool, potentially blocking exit as well | RESOLVED |
| 58 INFO | permit can be frontrun and cause denial of service | ACKNOWLEDGED |
| 59 INFO | Lack of event for inCaseTokensGetStuck | RESOLVED |

1.3.14 StakingRewardsFactory

| ID Severity | Summary | Status |
|-------------|--|--------------|
| 60 Low | update can be frontrun to distribute a reward twice | ACKNOWLEDGED |
| 61 INFO | Wrong amount notified if the rewardsToken has a transfer tax | RESOLVED |

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1.3.15 KrillFeeBatch

| ID Severity | Summary | Status |
|-------------|--|--------------|
| 62 MEDIUM | Governance privilege: Contract is highly reconfigurable by the owner, allowing the owner to adjust the parameter so the owner receives all WMATIC fees in the contract | RESOLVED |
| 63 Low | wNativeToKrillRoute is not initialized in the constructor | RESOLVED |
| 64 Low | harvest is vulnerable to frontrunning | ACKNOWLEDGED |

1.3.16 KrillTreasury

| ID Severity | Summary | Status |
|-------------|---|----------|
| 65 INFO | call is preferred over transfer | RESOLVED |
| 66 INFO | The owner can withdraw tokens at any time | RESOLVED |

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2 Findings

2.1 KrillVault

2.1.1 Privileged Roles

The following functions can be called by the owner of the contract:

- proposeStrat
- upgradeStrat
- inCaseTokensGetStuck

2.1.2 Issues & Recommendations

| Issue #01 | Upgrades to a malicious strategy allow the dev to withdraw all staked funds after the timelock delay of proposing this malicious upgrade has expired |
|-------------|--|
| Severity | HIGH SEVERITY |
| Location | <pre>Line 1043 function upgradeStrat() public onlyOwner {</pre> |
| Description | As the PolyWhale vaults are forked from Beefy Finance, it contains the same upgradeability code as Beefy has. The idea is that when the vault |

developers can simply upgrade the code to a new strategy. If the governance chooses a malicious contract to upgrade to, the governance can steal all staked funds.

For some vaults, however, this might be seen as an excessive privilege. For one, it is very unlikely that the QuickSwap staking contract is going to change or break for example. For these simple strategies, we

strategy changes over time, users do not need to restake; instead the

recommend removing this governance privilege in favour of promoting decentralisation and investor confidence that PolyWhale cannot steal their investors' funds. Furthermore, for simple strategies like PancakeSwap compounding, third-party reviewers like RugDoc may view this as an excessive privilege and either mark the vault as *High Risk* or *Not Eligible*.

The main risk in our experience with simple staking contracts is that the withdraw function could break due to the reward mechanism. However, this issue is already taken care of in the panic() method in the strategies, which emergency withdraws all funds without interacting with the reward mechanism.

It should be noted that this is exactly the same upgradeability code as Beefy has and Beefy has similar governance privileges. It should also be noted that larger investors can protect themselves by actively listening to NewStratCandidate events emitted by the vault. These events announce that an upgrade can happen after the approval delay expires. Investors can then review the new strategy and decide to unstake if it is malicious.

Recommendation

Consider whether upgradeability is a necessary requirement. The client could consider conducting a poll with their users to see which option they prefer.

If the client is comfortable with asking investors to restake in a new vault when a strategy adjustment has to be made, they could consider removing the upgradeStrat, proposeStrat and StratCandidate functions.

Resolution



upgradeStrat, proposeStrat and StratCandidate have been removed.

Lack of validation for old and new want token when migrating strategies Severity HIGH SEVERITY

Location

```
Line 1027
function proposeStrat(address _implementation
) public onlyOwner {
```

Description

While there is a validation of the new strategy in proposeStrat to ensure that the vault address of it is the same as the vault itself, there is no guarantee that the old and new strategy's want token is the same.

If the want is different (e.g Token A for old strategy, B for new strategy), and a migration goes through, the old want tokens (A) would be transferred from the old strategy into the vault, and the new want token (B) would be deposited to the new strategy. In such a case, users will be unable to withdraw their original deposited tokens as the want token has changed.

Also, since the want token has now changed, the original want tokens can be withdrawn by the owner using inCaseTokensGetStuck.

Recommendation

Consider adding a check in proposeStrategy that ensures that the want token hasn't changed compared to the current strategy.

```
Lines 1027-1031
function proposeStrat(address _implementation) public onlyOwner {
    require(address(this) == IStrategy(_implementation).vault(),
"Proposal not valid for this Vault");
    require(want() == IStrategy(_implementation).want(),
"Different want");
    stratCandidate = StratCandidate({
        implementation: _implementation,
        proposedTime: block.timestamp
    });
    emit NewStratCandidate(_implementation);
}
```

Resolution



upgradeStrat, proposeStrat and StratCandidate have been removed.

| Issue #03 | In case the underlying Masterchef has deposit fees, governance could burn all funds by emergency withdrawing and calling earn() over and over again |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | HIGH SEVERITY |
| Description | A lot of the common Masterchefs have or allow for deposit fees on their pools. If the governance of this vault ever turns truly malicious, they could repeatedly call the panic and earn methods over and over again until all funds are lost to the deposit fees (or transfer taxes). |
| Recommendation | Consider allowing emergency withdrawal functions (panic and retireStrat) to only be called once on all underlying strategies, closing the strategy permanently. |
| Resolution | ▼RESOLVED retireStrat() has been removed and panic() can be only called once. |

| Issue #04 | Lack of lower limit validation for strategy's approvalDelay |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | MEDIUM SEVERITY |
| Description | Although the approvalDelay cannot be modified after initialization in the constructor, it is possible to set a value of 0, or a low value. This can allow instant or almost instant changes to the underlying strategy. The severity for this is adjusted as it is set in the constructor, so users can verify the state variable which cannot be modified before depositing into the vault. |
| Recommendation | Consider adding a lower limit check for approvalDelay in the constructor. For example, if the lower limit is 7 days, the value should be >= 7 days. require(_approvalDelay >= 7 days, "Insufficient approval delay"); |
| Resolution | ✓ RESOLVED _approvalDelay has been removed. |

Issue #05

In case there are deposit fees or transfer taxes, deposits can be prevented through an expensive attack by sending tokens to the vault

Severity

```
LOW SEVERITY
```

Location

```
Lines 966-981
function deposit(uint _amount) public nonReentrant {
    strategy.beforeDeposit();
    uint256 _pool = balance();
...
    earn();
    uint256 after = balance();
    _amount = _after.sub(_pool); // Additional check for
deflationary tokens
...
}
```

Description

To allow deposits to be made in Masterchefs with deposit fees, the vault checks the balance of the vault before and after the deposit and adds the incrementation to the user.

However, a malicious actor could transfer in tokens in the vaults which would then be staked as well in the earn() call. Since these tokens are already added to balance(), the only impact they have on the final _amount is a negative one, since the vault value decreases as they are staked.

Exploit specification:

- A user wishes to deposit 1 BUSD in a vault that deposits this in a 4% deposit fee masterchef
- Before the user does this, a malicious attacker transfers in 30 BUSD to the vault (using a simple ERC20 transfer)
- When the user deposits, the vault actually deposits 31 BUSD in the Masterchef resulting in a 1.24 BUSD fee
- 4. Since the vault value after the deposit is larger than before, the subtraction is negative and reverts the deposit.

Recommendation

In case the underlying strategies do not have any deposit fees, no changes need to be made, except for the case that transfer tax tokens will ever be added. In case strategies with deposit fees are added, this potential vector needs to be considered.

Should the client wish to resolve this issue, an amount parameter could be added to the internalized earn() function to only deposit the deposited amount.

```
function earn(uint256 amount) internal {
    want().safeTransfer(address(strategy), amount);
    strategy.deposit();
}
```



| Issue #06 | Lack of validation that the investor received sufficient shares |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | There is currently no validation in the deposit function to verify that the user received sufficient shares. An example where this could be problematic is if the underlying strategy deposits in Masterchef with deposit fees and the fees are set to 100%. In this case, the user receives zero shares but their funds will still be deposited. |
| Recommendation | Consider adding a check in the deposit or earn function to ensure that a fraction (eg. 90%) of the balance/deposit amount has been added to the balance(). |
| Resolution | ■ ACKNOWLEDGED |

Issue #07

Lack of validation that the earn function actually increases the vault value

Severity



Description

The earn function is used to compound the vault; however, in case this compound actually leads to a loss in the underlying strategy (for example due to transfer-tax tokens after an emergencyWithdraw is called), this could lead to all depositors having a reduced value per share.

Recommendation

Consider reverting harvest calls that reduce the share value. However, since earn() is used to deposit transfer-tax and deposit in Masterchefs with a deposit-fee, this will prevent all deposits. Thus the client should consider making the current earn() implementation internal and only adding the requirement to a new external harvest() function.

```
function harvest() external {
   uint256 _prevBal = balance();
   earn();
   require(balance() >= _prevBal, "not profitable");
}

function earn() internal {
   uint256 _bal = available();
   want().safeTransfer(address(strategy), _bal);
   strategy.deposit();
}
```

A similar check could be added to the deposit function to ensure that the value of shares is not reduced there either, but in that case, the balance/share should be verified since both numbers will usually increase.

Note that this harvest() functionality now suffers from a similar denial of service vector as the deposit() function. This could be prevented by adding an explicit amount parameter to harvest.

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| Issue #08 | Tokenomics: Deposits are inefficient for tokens with transfer taxes |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Since deposits first transfer the funds into the vault, then to the strategy and finally into the actual underlying protocol, this might cause significant loss of funds compared to direct staking. |
| Recommendation | Consider the implications of this if the vault is ever considered for tokens with transfer taxes. |
| Resolution | ■ ACKNOWLEDGED The client has stated that the vault does not use tokens with transfer taxes. |

| Issue #09 | Lack of events for deposit, withdraw and inCaseTokensGetStuck |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | deposit, withdraw and inCaseTokensGetStuck functions do not emit any events, even though such functions change the state of the contract. |
| Recommendation | Add events for the above functions. |
| Resolution | ₹ RESOLVED |

Issue #10 Lack of check for receipt token if destination is vault address

Severity



Description

Users might mistakenly send the receipt token to the vault thinking that it would allow them to redeem their underlying funds and lose funds in the process. In such a case, the vault owner would be able to recover those tokens using the inCaseTokensGetStuck function, but there is no use case where the receipt token is required to be sent to the vault.

Note that although this strictly speaking is not compliant with the ERC-20 specification, many users have sent Moo tokens to Beefy vaults directly, losing them permanently.

Recommendation

Consider modifying the transfer function to revert if the destination address is the vault contract address.

```
function transfer(address recipient, uint256 amount) public
override returns (bool) {
    require(recipient != address(this), "!Use deposit function");
    return super.transfer();
}
```



Issue #11

Gas optimization: withdraw function could be simplified

Severity



Description

In the withdraw function, a before-after pattern is done to calculate how much tokens are withdrawn from the strategy. Then r, the amount to be sent to the user, is set to b.add(_diff). This could be simplified to save gas.

Recommendation

The following code in withdraw can be simplified as such:

As is:

```
if (b < r) {
    uint _withdraw = r.sub(b);
    strategy.withdraw(_withdraw);
    uint _after = want().balanceOf(address(this));
    uint _diff = _after.sub(b);

    if (_diff < _withdraw) {
        r = b.add(_diff);
    }
}

Recommended:

if (b < r) {
    uint _withdraw = r.sub(b);
    strategy.withdraw(_withdraw);
    uint _after = want().balanceOf(address(this));
    r = _after;</pre>
```



2.2 KrillRewardPool

The KrillRewardPool is a staking pool based on the <u>Synthetix reward pool</u>. It allows users to stake a staking token and receive reward tokens over time.

2.2.1 Privileged Roles

The following functions can be called by the owner of the contract:

- notifyRewardAmount
- inCaseTokensGetStuck

2.2.2 Issues & Recommendations

| Issue #12 | Lack of emergencyWithdraw function could lead to funds being stuck |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | HIGH SEVERITY |
| Description | During certain misconfigurations like sending insufficient tokens to the reward pool or setting an extremely high rewardRate, the reward mechanism will malfunction and revert. Currently there's no emergencyWithdraw function that bypasses the reward mechanism for this case. |
| Recommendation | Consider adding an emergency withdraw function like the following one: function emergencyWithdraw() external { userRewardPerTokenPaid[msg.sender] = 0 rewards[msg.sender] = 0; super.withdraw(balanceOf(msg.sender)); } |
| Resolution | ₹ RESOLVED |

| Issue #13 | LPTokenWrapper only works with tokens that have no transfer taxes |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Location | <pre>Lines 545-546 _balances[msg.sender] = _balances[msg.sender].add(amount); stakedToken.safeTransferFrom(msg.sender, address(this), amount);</pre> |
| Description | The LPTokenWrapper and by extension the KrillRewardPool will only work for standard tokens without a transfer tax. This is because the stake function adds the transferred amount to the balance instead of the potentially lower received amount. This information is marked as low severity since the name LPTokenWrapper indicates these pools will only ever be used for LP tokens. |
| Recommendation | Consider updating the logic in the stake function to do a before-after pattern deposit like that of Uniswap. This however requires reentrancy guards to ensure this is not abused. |
| Resolution | ₹ RESOLVED |

| Issue #14 | Lack of constructor safety guards |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | The constructor currently lacks validation checks. This could lead to the code being deployed with the stakedToken address being equal to the rewardToken address. This specific setup could result in loss of stakes since the stakes could be given out as rewards to users. |
| Recommendation | Consider validating that the constructor tokens are not equal to each other. require(_stakedToken != _rewardToken, "same tokens"); |
| Resolution | ₹ RESOLVED |

| Issue #15 | Calling notifyRewardAmount with an excessive amount could potentially block deposits and withdrawals |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | If this function is called with too high a reward amount (such as one that exceeds the reward token balance in this contract), this may cause notifyRewardAmount to revert. |
| Recommendation | Consider adding a maximum amount to the reward which can be notified: require(reward <= MAX_REWARD_INCREMENT); |
| Resolution | UNRESOLVED |

| Issue #16 | notifyRewardAmount can be called by the owner without actually transferring in reward funds, potentially blocking deposits and withdrawals |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | The notifyRewardAmount function currently does not validate that funds are actually transferred in. This could lead to the contract having insufficient funds. |
| Recommendation | Consider validating that the balance is sufficiently high at the end of the notifyRewardAmount function: |
| | <pre>uint balance = rewardsToken.balanceOf(address(this)); require(rewardRate <= balance.div(DURATION), "Provided reward too high");</pre> |
| | Source: Synthetix PR #617 |
| Resolution | ₩ RESOLVED |

| Issue #17 | stakedToken and rewardToken can be made immutable and public |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | Variables that are only set in the constructor but never modified can be indicated as such with the immutable keyword. This is considered best practice since it makes the code more accessible for third-party reviewers and saves gas. |
| | Furthermore, important state variables should be marked as public in light of making the code more accessible to third-party reviewers. The stakedToken variable is currently private. |
| Recommendation | Consider making stakedToken and rewardToken explicitly immutable and public. |
| Resolution | ₩ RESOLVED |

| Issue #18 | getReward will fail if there are insufficient tokens in the pool, potentially blocking exit as well |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Currently the getReward function tries to transfer out the reward and will simply revert if there are insufficient reward tokens. Within the Masterchef, this issue is avoided through a safeRewardTransfer function that transfers the contract balance out if the amount exceeds the balance. This way the function can never revert due to there being insufficient reward tokens. |
| Recommendation | Consider whether its desirable to have a fallback like the Masterchef has or to actually continue to revert these transactions so users do not lose their accumulated reward balance in this edge case scenario. |
| Resolution | ₹ RESOLVED |

| Issue #19 | Lack of event for inCaseTokensGetStuck |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Functions that affect the status of sensitive variables should emit events as notifications. |
| Recommendation | Add event for inCaseTokensGetStuck. |
| Resolution | ▼RESOLVED The function has been removed. |

2.3 StratManager

The StratManager is a dependency implemented by the various strategies. It stores some important governance-related variables.

2.3.1 Privileged Roles

The following functions can be called by the owner of the contract:

- setKeeper
- setStrategist
- setUnirouter
- setVault
- setKrillFeeRecipient

2.3.2 Issues & Recommendations

| Issue #20 | Governance privilege: Governance can change the vault linked to the strategy |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | HIGH SEVERITY |
| Description | The Owner is able to call setVault which can change the vault contract that calls key privileged functions in the strategy contract such as withdraw and retireStrat. |
| Recommendation | Consider removing setVault since there is no obvious use case for it. |
| Resolution | Resolved in all strategies except StrategyDyfnLP, but the client has mentioned that they would not be using StrategyDyfnLP. |

| Issue #21 | Governance privilege: Swap router can be changed to steal rewards and dust LP tokens |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | MEDIUM SEVERITY |
| Location | <pre>Line 1327 function setUnirouter(address _unirouter) external onlyOwner {</pre> |
| Description | The owner can change the router which is used to convert rewards into LP tokens, and setting this router to a malicious one can be abused to leach the rewards. |
| Recommendation | Consider whether the uniRouter ever needs to be changed and whether it would not be easier to simply redeploy. If there is a need for the uniRouter to be changed, consider putting the strategies behind a sufficiently long timelock. |
| Resolution | Resolved in all strategies except StrategyDyfnLP, but the client has mentioned that they would not be using StrategyDyfnLP. |

| Issue #22 | Setting krillFeeRecipient or strategist to the zero address will break harvest functionality |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Location | Transferring tokens to the zero address will revert transactions. Thus, it is good practice to hardcode non-zero checks of addresses involved with token transfers. |
| Description | To prevent this from ever happening by accident and to limit governance risks, consider adding a requirement like the following: require(_krillFeeRecipient != address(0), "!nonzero"); require(_strategist != address(0), "!nonzero"); to the setKrillFeeRecipient and setStrategist function. It is desireable to add non-zero checks to the other setters as well. |
| Recommendation | Setting krillFeeRecipient or strategist to the zero address will break harvest functionality. |
| Resolution | Resolved in all strategies except StrategyDyfnLP, but the client has mentioned that they would not be using StrategyDyfnLP. |

| Issue #23 | Lack of events for setKeeper, setStrategist, setUnirouter, setVault and setFeeRecipient |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Functions that affect the status of sensitive variables should emit events as notifications. |
| Recommendation | Add events for the above functions. |
| Resolution | Resolved in all strategies except StrategyDyfnLP, but the client has mentioned that they would not be using StrategyDyfnLP. |

2.4 FeeManager

The FeeManager is a dependency implemented by the various strategies. It allows the manager (owner or keeper) to update the fee distribution between:

- Call fee (up to 11.1% of the total fee) used to incentivize the harvester
- Strategist fee (fixed 11.2% of the total fee), presumably a governance fee
- Krill fee (up to 77.7% of the total fee), presumably used for burning krill

Performance fees are usually hardcoded to 4.5% of the harvest rewards and are converted to Krill, creating buying pressure. A withdrawal fee of up to 0.5% can also be set.

2.4.1 Privileged Roles

- setCallFee
- setWithdrawalFee

2.4.2 Issues & Recommendations

| Issue #24 | Lack of events for setCallFee and setWithdrawalFee |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Functions that affect the status of sensitive variables should emit events as notifications. |
| Recommendation | Add events for the above functions. |
| Resolution | Resolved in all strategies except StrategyDyfnLP, but the client has mentioned that they would not be using StrategyDyfnLP. |

2.5 StrategyLP Contracts (General)

The issues below apply to all StrategyLP contracts included in this audit: StrategySushiswapLP, StrategyQuickswapLP, StrategyJetswapLP, StrategyDynfLP, StrategyWaultLP, StrategyApeswapLP and StrategyAave.

2.5.1 Privileged Roles

The following privileges apply to the owner of the StrategySushiswapLP, StrategyQuickswapLP, StrategyJetswapLP, StrategyDynfLP, StrategyWaultLP, StrategyApeswapLP and StrategyAave contracts:

- panic
- pause
- unpause
- setKeeper
- setStrategist
- setUnirouter
- setVault
- setKrillFeeRecipient
- setCallFee
- setWithdrawalFee

The vault has the following privilege in the StrategySushiswapLP, StrategyQuickswapLP, StrategyJetswapLP, StrategyDynfLP, StrategyWaultLP, StrategyApeswapLP and StrategyAave contracts:

- withdraw
- retireStrat

2.5.1 Issues & Recommendations

| Issue #25 | Dust tokens will accumulate over time |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | Over time, due to imbalances in the swaps, either 1pToken0 or 1pToken1 will slowly accumulate in the strategy. This will always only be a fraction of the value so is not that severe. |
| Recommendation | Consider adding a function that converts lpToken0 and lpToken1 back to the want token. |
| Resolution | Resolved in all strategies except StrategyDyfnLP, but the client has mentioned that they would not be using StrategyDyfnLP. |

| Issue #26 | retireStrat can be removed if upgradeability is removed |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | In case the client decides to remove upgradeability, retireStrat can be removed since it can only be called by the vault. |
| Recommendation | Consider removing retireStrat in case upgradeability is removed. |
| Resolution | Resolved in all strategies except StrategyDyfnLP, but the client has mentioned that they would not be using StrategyDyfnLP. |

| Issue #27 | Lack of events for panic and retireStrat |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Functions that affect the status of sensitive variables should emit events as notifications. |
| Recommendation | Add events for panic and retireStrat. |
| Resolution | Resolved in all strategies except StrategyDyfnLP, but the client has mentioned that they would not be using StrategyDyfnLP. |

| Issue #28 | panic can be made external |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | The panic function can be changed from public to external. Apart from being a best practice when the function is not used within the contract, this can lead to a <u>lower gas usage in certain cases</u> . |
| Recommendation | Consider making these functions external. |
| Resolution | Resolved in all strategies except StrategyDyfnLP, but the client has mentioned that they would not be using StrategyDyfnLP. |

2.6 StrategySushiswapLP

The StrategySushiswapLP stakes LP tokens in the Sushiswap Masterchef. Earned rewards are sold and compounded for more LP tokens.

2.6.1 Issues & Recommendations

| Issue #29 | Lack of constructor parameter validation could lead to loss of funds if misconfigured |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | Under certain circumstances, the Uniswap operations might remove want tokens since there is an overlap between the configured tokens. |
| Recommendation | Consider adding validation to the constructor to ensure that the want token is not equal to the native token or output. Also consider verifying that krillFeeRecipient and strategist are non-zero. The project team should also take care to validate that all parameters, especially the underlying chef parameter, are set correctly. |
| Resolution | ₹ RESOLVED |

| Issue #30 | want, chef and poolId can be made immutable |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Variables that are only set in the constructor but never modified can be indicated as such with the immutable keyword. This is considered best practice since it makes the code more accessible for third-party reviewers and saves gas. |
| Recommendation | Consider making the above parameters explicitly immutable. |
| Resolution | ₩ RESOLVED |

2.7 StrategyQuickswapLP

The StrategyQuickswapLP stakes LP tokens in the Quickswap staking addresses. Earned rewards are sold and compounded for more LP tokens.

2.7.1 Issues & Recommendations

| Issue #31 | Lack of constructor parameter validation could lead to loss of funds if misconfigured |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | Under certain circumstances, the Uniswap operations might remove want tokens since there is an overlap between the configured tokens. |
| Recommendation | Consider adding validation to the constructor to ensure that the want token is not equal to output. Also consider verifying that krillFeeRecipient and strategist are non-zero. The project team should also take care to validate that all parameters, |
| | especially the underlying chef parameter, are set correctly. Consider also including the constructor validation from the more rich StrategySushiswapLP constructor. |
| Resolution | ₹ RESOLVED |

| Issue #32 | want and rewardPool can be made immutable |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Variables that are only set in the constructor but never modified can be indicated as such with the immutable keyword. This is considered best practice since it makes the code more accessible for third-party reviewers and saves gas. |
| Recommendation | Consider making the above parameters explicitly immutable. |
| Resolution | ₩ RESOLVED |

2.8 StrategyJetswapLP

The StrategyJetswapLP stakes LP tokens in the Jetswap Masterchef. Earned rewards are sold and compounded for more LP tokens.

2.8.1 Issues & Recommendations

| Issue #33 | Lack of constructor parameter validation could lead to loss of funds if misconfigured |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | Under certain circumstances, the Uniswap operations might remove want tokens since there is an overlap between the configured tokens. |
| Recommendation | Consider adding validation to the constructor to ensure that the want token is not equal to output. Also consider verifying that krillFeeRecipient and strategist are non-zero. |
| | The project team should also take care to validate that all parameters, especially the underlying chef parameter, are set correctly. |
| | Consider also including the constructor validation from the more rich StrategySushiswapLP constructor. |
| Resolution | ₩ RESOLVED |

| Issue #34 | want, chef and poolID can be made immutable |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Variables that are only set in the constructor but never modified can be indicated as such with the immutable keyword. This is considered best practice since it makes the code more accessible for third-party reviewers and saves gas. |
| Recommendation | Consider making the above parameters explicitly immutable. |
| Resolution | ₩ RESOLVED |

2.9 StrategyDynfLP

The StrategyDynfLP stakes LP tokens in the Polycat Masterchef. Earned rewards are sold and compounded for more LP tokens.

2.9.1 Issues & Recommendations

| Issue #35 | Currently strategyDynfLP is configured to use Polycat farms which no longer has rewards |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | HIGH SEVERITY |
| Description | The StrategyDynfLP contract seems to be configured to stake funds in the Polycat Masterchef. |
| Recommendation | Consider explaining whether this contract is supposed to stake in Dfyn or in generic deposit-fee Masterchefs. |
| Resolution | ■ ACKNOWLEDGED The client will not be using this contract. |

| Issue #36 | deposit function does not validate deposit fees |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | HIGH SEVERITY |
| Description | If the underlying Masterchef ever decides to set deposit fees to 100%, this is not caught in the deposit function and the deposited funds are lost permanently. |
| Recommendation | Consider checking how much funds are actually deposited in the masterchef and requiring that the fee taken is not excessive. The following code requires the fee to never exceed 10% for example. function deposit() public whenNotPaused { uint256 wantBal = IERC20(want).balanceOf(address(this)); uint256 balBefore = balanceOfPool(); if (wantBal > 0) { IMasterChef(masterchef).deposit(poolId, wantBal, referrer); } uint256 balAfter = balanceOfPool(); require(balAfter.sub(balBefore) >= wantBal.mul(9).div(10)); } |
| Resolution | The client will not be using this contract. |

| Issue #37 | Governance privilege: Calling emergencyWithdraw and deposit iteratively will result in all funds being sent to the Masterchef deposit feeAddress |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | HIGH SEVERITY |
| Description | If there is a deposit fee, iteratively unstaking and staking in the vault will result in the vault value declining over time. A malicious governance could use this to drain the vault to the Masterchef feeAddress. |
| Recommendation | Consider removing retireStrat (or making it non-upgradeable) and only making panic callable once through a panicked boolean state variable. |
| Resolution | ■ ACKNOWLEDGED The client will not be using this contract. |

| Issue #38 | Lack of constructor parameter validation could lead to loss of funds if misconfigured |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | Under certain circumstances, the Uniswap operations might remove want tokens since there is an overlap between the configured tokens. It is extremely important that this strategy is not used with ETH or WMATIC as the want token. |
| Recommendation | Consider adding validation to the constructor to ensure that the want token is not equal to ETH, WMATIC or output. Consider also verifying that krillFeeRecipient and strategist are non-zero. |
| Resolution | ■ ACKNOWLEDGED The client will not be using this contract. |

| Issue #39 | Usage of wMaticDfyn as a middle token might cause high slippage due to illiquid pairs |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | The StrategyDynfLP contract automatically uses wrapped MATIC by Dfyn as the middle token in the swap route – this could cause high slippage since these pairs are likely illiquid on Quickswap. |
| Recommendation | Consider not using this route or explaining why this route is desirable. |
| Resolution | The client will not be using this contract. |

| Issue #40 | Typo: Dynf should be Dfyn |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | The contract is called StrategyDynfLP while the underlying protocol is actually called Dfyn. |
| Recommendation | Consider renaming the contract. |
| Resolution | ■ ACKNOWLEDGED The client will not be using this contract. |

| Issue #41 | want, chef and poolID can be made immutable |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Variables that are only set in the constructor but never modified can be indicated as such with the immutable keyword. This is considered best practice since it makes the code more accessible for third-party reviewers and saves gas. |
| Recommendation | Consider making the above parameters explicitly immutable. |
| Resolution | ■ ACKNOWLEDGED The client will not be using this contract. |

2.10 StrategyWaultLP

The StrategyWaultLP stakes LP tokens in the Wault Finance Masterchef. Earned rewards are sold and compounded for more LP tokens.

2.10.1 Issues & Recommendations

| Issue #42 | Lack of constructor parameter validation could lead to loss of funds if misconfigured |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | Under certain circumstances, the Uniswap operations might remove want tokens since there is an overlap between the configured tokens. |
| Recommendation | Consider adding validation to the constructor to ensure that the want token is not equal to output. Also consider verifying that krillFeeRecipient and strategist are non-zero. The project team should also take care to validate that all parameters, especially the underlying chef parameter, are set correctly. Consider also including the constructor validation from the more rich StrategySushiswapLP constructor. |
| Resolution | ₹ RESOLVED |

| Issue #43 | want and rewardPool can be made immutable |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Variables that are only set in the constructor but never modified can be indicated as such with the immutable keyword. This is considered best practice since it makes the code more accessible for third-party reviewers and saves gas. |
| Recommendation | Consider making the above parameters explicitly immutable. |
| Resolution | ₩ RESOLVED |

2.11 StrategyApeswapLP

The StrategyApeswapLP stakes LP tokens in the ApeSwap Masterchef. Earned rewards are sold and compounded for more LP tokens.

2.11.1 Issues & Recommendations

| Issue #44 | Lack of constructor parameter validation could lead to loss of funds if misconfigured |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | Under certain circumstances, the Uniswap operations might remove want tokens since there is an overlap between the configured tokens. |
| Recommendation | Consider adding validation to the constructor to ensure that the want token is not equal to output. Also consider verifying that krillFeeRecipient and strategist are non-zero. The project team should also take care to validate that all parameters, especially the underlying chef parameter, are set correctly. |
| Resolution | ₹ RESOLVED |

| Issue #45 | want, chef and poolID can be made immutable |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Variables that are only set in the constructor but never modified can be indicated as such with the immutable keyword. This is considered best practice since it makes the code more accessible for third-party reviewers and saves gas. |
| Recommendation | Consider making the above parameters explicitly immutable. |
| Resolution | ₩ RESOLVED |

2.12 StrategyAave

The StrategyAaveLP stakes tokens in the Aave lending protocol. Earned rewards are sold and compounded for more LP tokens.

2.12.1 Issues & Recommendations

| Issue #46 | Inefficient withdrawal method could lead to funds getting stuck temporarily if the vault has a large holding and all funds are loaned out on Aave |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | During the withdrawal, all funds are temporarily unstaked from Aave. If there are not enough funds in the Aave pool to meet the pool TVL, this will block withdrawals until funds become available again. |
| | This issue has famously presented itself on Autofarm with their Venus vaults. Since the Autofarm stablecoin pools had tens of millions of dollars staked, they became non-withdrawable for days when Venus reached their full lending capacity. |
| Recommendation | Consider the likelihood of this scenario on the more liquid Aave protocol. If the likelihood is high enough, consider rethinking the withdrawal method to only deleverage what is necessary. |
| Resolution | ACKNOWLEDGED |
| | The client has mentioned that their TVL will likely not be high enough for this to be happen. |

Issue #47

Inefficient withdrawal method could lead to funds getting lost if Aave ever incorporates deposit fees

Severity



Description

During the withdrawal, all funds are temporarily unstaked from Aave. If Aave ever upgrades their protocol to introduce deposit fees (they have proxy contracts), this could lead to significant inefficiencies.

This issue has famously presented itself on Autofarm with their Venus vaults. At some point after a governance vote, Venus introduced a tiny deposit fee. Since the whole pool is unstaked and restaked on every withdrawal, this led to significant losses for the pool participants after this upgrade was done. Venus pools were permanently closed afterwards.

Recommendation

Consider monitoring the Aave governance closely for upgrades to react to these sorts of changes proactively. In case the likelihood of this scenario is deemed high enough, consider a more efficient withdrawal method as discussed in the previous issue.

Resolution



The client stated that they will follow Aave's developments closely to ensure they do not adopt new policies which might add fees.

| Issue #48 | Lack of constructor parameter validation could lead to loss of funds if misconfigured |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | Under certain circumstances, the Uniswap operations might remove want tokens since there is an overlap between the configured tokens. |
| Recommendation | Consider adding validation to the constructor parameters: want should never equal WMATIC (otherwise its taken out). krillFeeRecipient and strategist should be non-zero. borrowRate and borrowRateMax should be set under 100 and borrowRate should be smaller than borrowRateMax. borrowDepth should be smaller than BORROW_DEPTH_MAX |
| Resolution | ₩ RESOLVED |

| Issue #49 | Fees are unnecessarily routed through WETH causing unnecessary slippage |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | The StrategyAave rewards are routed from WMATIC to WETH to the staking token. This extra step through WETH could result in higher slippage and fees since most of these pairs are less liquid (and there is the extra base fee of using an extra step). |
| Recommendation | Consider removing WETH from the swap routes and instead using a 2-asset based route [wmatic, want]. |
| Resolution | • ACKNOWLEDGED |

| Issue #50 | want, aToken, varDebtToken, borrowRateMax and minLeverage can be made immutable |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Variables that are only set in the constructor but never modified can be indicated as such with the immutable keyword. This is considered best practice since it makes the code more accessible for third-party reviewers and saves gas. |
| Recommendation | Consider these variables explicitly immutable. |
| Resolution | ₩ RESOLVED |

| Issue #51 | panic and userAccountData can be made external |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | The panic and userAccountData functions can be changed from public to external. Apart from being a best practice when the function is not used within the contract, this can lead to a lower gas usage in certain cases. |
| Recommendation | Consider making these functions external. |
| Resolution | ₩ RESOLVED |

2.13 StakingRewards

The StakingRewards is a staking pool based on the <u>Synthetix reward pool</u>. It allows users to stake a staking token and receive reward tokens over time.

2.13.1 Privileged Roles

The following functions can be called by the owner of the contract:

notifyRewardAmount

2.13.2 Issues & Recommendations

| Issue #52 | Lack of emergencyWithdraw function could lead to funds being stuck |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | HIGH SEVERITY |
| Description | During certain misconfigurations like sending insufficient tokens to the reward pool or setting an extremely high rewardRate, the reward mechanism will malfunction and revert. Currently there's no emergencyWithdraw function that bypasses the reward mechanism for this case. |
| Recommendation | Consider adding an emergency withdraw function like the following one: function emergencyWithdraw() external { userRewardPerTokenPaid[msg.sender] = 0 rewards[msg.sender] = 0; super.withdraw(balanceOf(msg.sender)); } |
| Resolution | ₩ RESOLVED |

Issue #53 stake only works with non transfer-tax tokens

Severity



Location

```
Lines 506-512
function stake(uint256 amount) external nonReentrant
updateReward(msg.sender) {
    require(amount > 0, "Cannot stake 0");
    _totalSupply = _totalSupply.add(amount);
    _balances[msg.sender] = _balances[msg.sender].add(amount);
    stakingToken.safeTransferFrom(msg.sender, address(this),
amount);
    emit Staked(msg.sender, amount);
}
```

Description

The StakingRewards contract will only work for standard tokens without a transfer tax. This is because the stake function adds the transferred amount to the balance instead of the potentially lower amount that may be received.

This information is marked as low severity since the name LPTokenWrapper indicates these pools will only ever be used for LP tokens.

Recommendation

Consider updating the logic in the stake function to do a before-after pattern deposit like how it is done in Uniswap. This solution however requires reentrancy guards to ensure this is not abused.

Resolution



| Issue #54 | Lack of constructor safety guards |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | The constructor currently lacks validation checks. This could lead to the code being deployed with the stakedToken address being equal to the rewardToken address. This specific setup could result in loss of stakes since the stakes could be given out as rewards to users. |
| Recommendation | Consider validating that the constructor tokens are not equal to each other. require(_stakingToken != _rewardToken, "same token"); |
| Resolution | ₩ RESOLVED |

| Issue #55 | Calling notifyRewardAmount with an excessive amount could potentially block deposits and withdrawals |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | If this function is called with too high a reward amount (such as one that exceeds the reward token balance in this contract), notifyRewardAmount may revert. |
| Recommendation | Consider adding a maximum amount to the reward which can be notified: require(reward <= MAX_REWARD_INCREMENT); |
| Resolution | ■ ACKNOWLEDGED |

| Issue #56 | stakedToken and rewardToken can be made immutable |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Variables that are only set in the constructor but never modified can be indicated as such with the immutable keyword. This is considered best practice since it makes the code more accessible for third-party reviewers and saves gas. |
| Recommendation | Consider making stakedToken and rewardToken explicitly immutable. |
| Resolution | ₩ RESOLVED |

| Issue #57 | getReward will fail if there are insufficient tokens in the pool, potentially blocking exit as well |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Currently the getReward function tries to transfer out the reward and will simply revert if there are insufficient reward tokens. |
| | Within the Masterchef, this issue is avoided through a safeRewardTransfer function that transfers the contract balance out if the amount exceeds the balance. This way, the function can never revert due to there being insufficient reward tokens. |
| Recommendation | Consider whether its desirable to have a fallback like the Masterchef has or to actually continue to revert these transactions so users do not lose their accumulated reward balance in this edge case scenario. |
| Resolution | ▼ RESOLVED The balance of the pool is given if the amount is less that the reward. |

| Issue #58 | permit can be frontrun and cause denial of service |
|----------------|---|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Currently if permit is executed twice, the second execution will be reverted. It is thus in theory possible for a bot to pick up stakeWithPermit transactions in the mempool and execute the permit call before stakeWithPermit is executed. Due to the mechanics of permit, the second call reverts and thus stakeWithPermit reverts as well. |
| Recommendation | Consider wrapping the stakeWithPermit in a try-catch clause . This way, the rest of the code is still attempted even if the permit does not work out. |
| Resolution | ■ ACKNOWLEDGED |

| Issue #59 | Lack of event for inCaseTokensGetStuck |
|----------------|--|
| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Functions that affect the status of sensitive variables should emit events as notifications. |
| Recommendation | Add event for inCaseTokensGetStuck. |
| Resolution | The function has been removed. |

2.14 StakingRewardsFactory

The StakingRewardsFactory is a utility contract that can be used by the governance to create a StakingRewards pool and manage administrative tasks like sending batches of rewards to the pools.

It should be noted that we've audited this contract with less focus on governance risks since we believe it is mainly used for administrative tasks. Of course, any rewards in the contract can be taken out again through the pullExtraTokens method (or by adding a special pool) and investors should not see this contract as a locked rewards contract.

2.14.1 Privileged Roles

The following functions can be called by the owner of the project:

- deploy
- update
- pullExtraTokens

2.14.2 Issues & Recommendations

| Issue #60 | update can be frontrun to distribute a reward twice |
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| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | The update function schedules an update with the rewardAmount and duration of a pool. Similar to the approve method, it is vulnerable to frontrunning if the variables are already set. This can be explained this through an example. |
| | The owner accidentally calls update with rewardAmount set to 10 tokens when they wanted to set it to 15 tokens. |
| | The owner calls update again and sets the rewardAmount to 15 tokens. |
| | A malicious party has seen the second update and calls notifyReward amount before and after it, giving the pool 25 reward tokens. |
| Recommendation | We are unsure why notifyRewardAmount should have the ability to transfer rewardsToken. Each StakingRewards contract already has the ability to transfer those reward tokens via the getReward function. Consider removing the following line in this contract, or letting us know the purpose of this transfer function. IERC20(rewardsToken).transfer(info.stakingRewards, rewardAmount), |
| Resolution | 'StakingRewardsFactory::notifyRewardAmount: transfer failed'); • ACKNOWLEDGED |

| Issue #61 | Wrong amount notified if the rewardsToken has a transfer tax | |
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| Severity | INFORMATIONAL | |
| Description | In case the rewardsToken has a transfer tax, the factory will notify the StakingRewards contract with the tokens sent, and not with the tokens the StakingContract received. This could result in a notification of a higher value when a transfer-tax token is used. This issue is marked as informational since we believe the StakingRewards contracts are not meant to be used with transfer-tax tokens. | |
| Recommendation | In case this factory will be used for transfer-tax reward tokens, consider adding the recommended before-after pattern (this should always be combined with a reentrancy guard): | |
| IERC20(rewardsTok | <pre>uint256 balBefore = IERC20(rewardsToken).balanceOf(info.stakingRewards); IERC20(rewardsToken).transfer(info.stakingRewards, rewardAmount), '') rewardAmount = IERC20(rewardsToken).balanceOf(info.stakingRewards).sub(balBefore);</pre> | |
| Resolution | ₩ RESOLVED | |

2.15 KrillFeeBatch

The KrillFeeBatch contract manages the WMATIC tokens sent to it. Whenever anyone calls harvest, it will send half of the tokens to the configured rewardPool and the other half is split in two: half of this (or one-fourth of the total rewards) is converted to Krill and sent to the treasury while the other half is sent directly to the treasury.

2.15.1 Privileged Roles

The following functions can be called by the owner of the project:

- setRewardPool
- setTreasury
- setUnirouter
- setNativeToKrillRoute
- inCaseTokensGetStuck

2.15.2 Issues & Recommendations

Issue #62 Governance privilege: Contract is highly reconfigurable by the owner, allowing the owner to adjust the parameter so the owner receives all WMATIC fees in the contract MEDIUM SEVERITY Severity **Description** Currently the contract has many configuration functions: setRewardPool, setTreasury, setUniroute and setNativeToKrillRoute. Each of these functions could be called by a malicious owner to redirect fees from their desired use-case to a new malicious use-case (e.g. transferring tokens to the owner's wallet). It would increase investor confidence to address and potentially reduce this privilege. Recommendation Consider whether any of these variables need to be upgraded and if so, consider putting the KrillFeeBatch contract behind a sufficiently long timelock so all users are informed well in advance about any potential updates to the parameters. Resolution RESOLVED

| Issue #63 | wNativeToKrillRoute is not initialized in the constructor |
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| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Location | <pre>Line 1027 address[] public wNativeToKrillRoute = [wNative, krill];</pre> |
| Description | The wNativeToKrillRoute is currently initialized with the zero variables wNative and krill. This requires another setNativeToKrillRoute call after contract deployment which could be accidentally forgotten. Until this call is made, no harvests are possible |
| Recommendation | Consider updating the wNativeToKrillRoute within the constructor itself. For example: wNativeToKrillRoute[0] = _wNative; wNativeToKrillRoute[1] = _krill; |
| Resolution | ₹ RESOLVED |

| Issue #64 | harvest is vulnerable to frontrunning |
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| Severity | LOW SEVERITY |
| Description | The harvest function swaps a fourth of the WMATIC in the contract to Krill. An arbitrage bot will sandwich this call in a buy and sell transaction around it to profit slightly from the price impact created. This results in a higher purchase price for the contract and a tokenomical loss. If the price impact is minimal, this loss will be minimal as well. |
| Recommendation | Consider calling harvest sufficiently frequently to limit the impact. Since frontrun attacks are less profitable the smaller the purchase amount, frequent harvests will significantly reduce the value lost to them. |
| Resolution | ■ ACKNOWLEDGED |

2.16 KrillTreasury

The KrillTreasury is a simple token custodian contract. Tokens and matic can be sent to it and the contract owner can withdraw them at any time.

2.16.1 Privileged Roles

The following functions can be called by the owner of the project:

- withdrawTokens
- withdrawMatic

2.16.2 Issues & Recommendations

| Issue #65 | call is preferred over transfer |
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| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | Solidity best practices recommend using call over transfer. This is because transfer has a small gas limit which could (but highly unlikely) revert if operation gas prices are ever adjusted. |
| Recommendation | Consider using call instead of transfer. Note that when call is used, the success result needs to be handled. |
| Resolution | ₩ RESOLVED |

| Issue #66 | The owner can withdraw tokens at any time |
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| Severity | INFORMATIONAL |
| Description | The KrillTreasury contract does not contain any inherent locking functionality. In case the use-case of the treasury is for example token-vesting, this could mislead users into thinking that the treasury itself takes care of this. Instead, it should be put behind a timelock to achieve vesting purposes. |
| Recommendation | Consider whether the treasury will be used for vesting/locking purposes and if so, consider placing it behind a sufficiently long timelock. |
| Resolution | ₹ RESOLVED |

