## **Simple Summary**

A proposal to adjust:

- 1. Twenty-five (25) total risk parameters, including Supply Cap and Borrow Cap, across thirteen (13) stablecoins on Aave V3 Polygon, Arbitrum, Avalanche, and Optimism assets.
- 2. Four (4) supply caps across four (4) assets on Aave V3 Polygon and Avalanche

## Motivation

The objective of this proposal is to recommend updated supply and borrow caps for:

- 1. V3 stablecoins that have excessive supply caps set and/or have no set borrow cap.
- 2. The caps are intended to allow for substantial growth compared to the current supply while not set too excessively.
- 3. The recommendations for the supply caps are set to up to 40% of the circulating supply for most assets and no more than 60%. You can find the exact number for each asset in the tables below. Borrow caps are set to ~65% of the supply cap.
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- 6. V3 assets that have reached over 75% utilization of either cap.
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There following assets are at >75%. However, we do not recommend increasing their caps at this time due to current liquidity levels:

- 1. GHST (V3 Polygon)
- 2. SUSHI (V3 Polygon)
- 3. BAL (V3 Polygon)
- 4. AAVE (V3 Arbitrum)

## **Polygon**

We propose updating the supply caps for WETH and AAVE. The new proposed caps are set to allow growth on V3 and room for the migration of positions from V2. The image below shows the total value in borrows for the said assets.

**WETH** 

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Given the calculation below, we recommend increasing the supply cap of WETH to 50,000, nearly doubling the current supply cap (rounded down from 53,800).

We do not recommend a change to the borrow cap at this time.

**Current Supply** 

**Extreme Liquidation Amount** 

Max Amount Liquidated
R
Recommended Supply Cap
WETH
22,310
\$350,000
\$8,500,000
2.00
50,000
AAVE
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Given the calculation below, we recommend increasing the supply cap of AAVE to 70,000 nearly doubling the current supply cap (rounded down from 73,640).
Current Supply
Extreme Liquidation Amount
Max Amount Liquidated
R
Recommended Supply Cap
AAVE
34,360
\$70,250
\$280,000
2.00
70,000
Avalanche
We propose updating the supply caps for LINK and AAVE. The new proposed caps are set to allow growth on V3 and room for the migration of positions from V2. The image below shows the total value in borrows for the said assets.
AAVE
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Given the calculation below, we recommend increasing the supply cap of AAVE to 5,800.
Current Supply

Extreme Liquidation Amount
Max Amount Liquidated
R
Recommended Supply Cap
AAVE
3,860
\$11,100
\$15,000
1.50
5,800
LINK
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Given the calculation below, we recommend increasing the supply cap of LINK to 440,000.
We do not recommend a change to the borrow cap at this time.
Current Supply
Extreme Liquidation Amount
Max Amount Liquidated
R
Recommended Supply Cap
LINK
294,910
\$121,770
\$166,000
1.50
440,000
Recommendations
Arbitrum
Updated Caps for Stables
Asset
Current Supply
Current Supply Cap

**Current Borrow** 

Recommended Supply Cap

Current Borrow Cap
Recommended Borrow Cap
Notes
DAI
3,530,000
2,000,000,000
50,000,000
1,940,000
N/A
30,000,000
38% of the circulating supply
EURS
36,590
N/A
60,000
24,242
N/A
45,000
60% of the circulating supply
USDC
34,700,000
2,000,000,000
150,000,000
17,410,000
N/A
100,000,000
16% of the circulating supply
USDT
3,720,000
2,000,000,000
50,000,000
3,060,000
N/A
35,000,000
20% of the circulating supply
Optimism

Updated Caps for Stables

Asset
Current Supply
Current Supply Cap
Recommended Supply Cap
Current Borrow
Current Borrow Cap
Recommended Borrow Cap
Notes
DAI
2,620,000
2,000,000,000
25,000,000
1,210,000
N/A
16,000,000
35% of the circulating supply
sUSD
1,510,000
20,000,000
No Change
783,150
N/A
13,000,000
25% of the circulating supply
USDC
48,510,000
2,000,000,000
150,000,000
15,870,000
N/A
100,000,000
43% of the circulating supply
USDT
3,880,000
2,000,000,000
25,000,000
3,100,000

N/A
16,000,000
47% of the circulating supply
Avalanche
Updated Caps for Stables
Asset
Current Supply
Current Supply Cap
Recommended Supply Cap
Current Borrow
Current Borrow Cap
Recommended Borrow Cap
Notes
DAI
12,260,000
2,000,000,000
30,000,000
6,480,000
N/A
20,000,000
52% of the circulating supply
FRAX
16,260
50,000,000
1,500,000
15,281
2,000,000
1,000,000
38% of the circulating supply
MAI
113,620
50,000,000
700,000
103,660
2,000,000
460,000
42% of the circulating supply

USDC
156,940,000
4,000,000,000
250,000,000
97,960,000
N/A
175,000,000
45% of the circulating supply
USDT
52,450,000
2,000,000,000
200,000,000
35,930,000
N/A
140,000,000
30% of the circulating supply
High Utilization
Asset
Current Supply
Current Supply Cap
Recommended Supply Cap
Current Borrow
Current Borrow Cap
Recommended Borrow Cap
AAVE
3,860
4,500
5,800
N/A
N/A
N/A
LINK
294,870
353,000
440,000
5,750
220,000

No Change
Polygon
High Utilization
Asset
Current Supply
Current Supply Cap
Recommended Supply Cap
Current Borrow
Current Borrow Cap
Recommended Borrow Cap
WETH
22,250
26,900
50,000
2,695
14,795
No Change
AAVE
34,300
36,820
70,000
N/A
N/A
N/A
Next Steps

We invite a community discussion around the proposed parameter updates and utilizing the <u>Aave V3 Caps Framework</u>, are targeting an AIP for Monday, February 27th.