# Analytical review

## Work performed

I conducted an analytical review of the financial strategy associated with the ETH address 0x7d6149ad9a573a6e2ca6ebf7d4897c1b766841b4 using the following tools:

- A Google search, revealing the address as a prominent whale.
- The Etherscan.io API for transaction data (please refer to git repo).
- Google Sheets for data analysis and insights (<u>link</u>).

## **Findings**

For clarity, I have divided the transactions into two time periods:

I) 19/11/2019 - 16/03/2020 - "Maker cycle"

Goals: Boost ETH exposure while obtaining additional liquidity in stable coins.

Throughout this period, the address holder completed several iterations of the following:

- 1. Transferred ETH from other accounts (referred to as Related Parties and Unknown accounts in my analysis, but for simplicity, I'll denote all of them as Related Parties in this review).
- 2. Deposited this ETH to the Maker protocol.
- 3. Minted DAI using the deposited ETH as collateral. More details about the protocol can be found here.
- 4. Exchanged DAI for wETH on DEX platforms like Eth2DAI and OasisDEX.
- 5. Converted (unwrap) wETH back to ETH.
- 6. Re-deposited this ETH to Maker.

Financial activities summary for this period:

	From Related Parties	Deposit to Maker	Mint DAI	DEX	ETH Unwrap	Withdraw from Maker	To Related Parties <sup>1</sup>	Closing Balance
ETH	586,451	-580,010			45,213	130,000	-135,001	46,653
wETH				45,213	-45,213			0
Stable coins	95,806		16,602,00 0	-7,340,21 0			-9,351,99 8	5,598

II) 17/03/2020 - Now - "More DeFi"

During this period address holder started to use additional DeFi tools - Compound protocol, AAVE protocol for lending and borrowing assets and at the end of the period - Lido. They also start using different methods to exchange assets alongside with OasisDex - Uniswap, 1inch and Curve.fi protocols.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Eventually there was a need to return return ETH to other addresses, and also some stables

#### **Compound** protocol

Goals: Earn interest on different assets.

Compound lend	Deposited	Withdraw	Profit	Period
ETH	-100	100	0	< 1 minute
DAI	-360,105,275	361,357,457	1,252,183	Multiple operations 10/07/2020 - 19/10/2021
USDT	-96,078,109	96,625,001	546,892	Multiple operations 01/08/2020 - 19/10/2021
USDC	-67,187,875	68,186,572	998,697	Multiple operations 16/04/2021 - 19/10/2021
TUSD	-9,999,050	10,079,791	80,741	Multiple operations 28/06/2021 - 15/01/2022
ZRX	70,995,588	0	n/a	Not yet redeemed

Compound borrow	Borrowed	Returned	Interest	Period
DAI	47,300,000	-47,435,037	-135,037	Multiple operations 15/08/2020 - 26/11/2022

Additional earnings: Acquired 6,603 COMP tokens (current rate \$46) ~ 304kUSD (indicative value)

### **AAVE** liquidity protocol

Goals: Earn interest on different assets.

AAVE protocol	Deposited	Withdraw	Profit	Period
DAI 1	-97,774,285.93	97,933,139.07	158,853.14	08/10/2021 - 29/10/2021
DAI 2	-70,000,000.00	70,430,496.82	430,496.82	05/11/2022 - 21/01/2023
USDC	-159,061,303	160,296,235	1,234,932	Multiple operations 08/10/2021- 15/08/2022
USDT	-102,428,590	103,856,459	1,427,870	Multiple operations 08/10/2021- 26/05/2022
TUSD	-20,167,349	20,209,432	42,083	Multiple operations 19/10/2021- 15/01/2022

#### Lido

Goals: Allocate incoming stETH/wstETH to Maker.

	Inflow	From DEX	ETH submit LIDO	To Maker	Eth Wrap	Balance
stETH	30,167	20,224	10,000		-60,523	-132²
wstETH	157,543			-212,360	54,817	0

## Conclusion

This review provides an overview of the address's financial strategies over two distinct periods. The address owner exhibited adaptability, adopting newer DeFi tools and strategies as the ecosystem evolved.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Couldn't explain this negative balance, but consider it non significant to assets turnover.