DeFi Milestones — Revised Tier Plan

This document outlines the updated tier structure for DeFi micro■LLM development. It redefines Tier 1 as a trained LLM + mapper, and shifts WDD integration into Tier 2.

Tier 0 — Baseline (Locked■In)

- Stock matched filter + parser only.
- Deterministic rails.
- Fully operational and benchmarked.

Tier 1 — Mapper + Full Benchmark

- Introduce trained mapper (LLM■based or small model).
- Replace hashmap lookups with learned prompt → synthetic latent mapping.
- Full benchmark on 2–5K samples.
- Still uses synthetic latents.

Tier 2 — WDD Integration

- Tier 1 + Warp → Detect → Denoise (WDD) pipeline.
- Continues using synthetic latents.
- Adds noise management + denoiser modules.

Tier 3 — Real Latents Integration

- Swap synthetic latents for real latents from GPT■2 sidecar (or other source).
- Full sidecar integration.
- High■risk, higher■payoff stretch goal.

This tier plan provides a clear path from deterministic baseline (Tier 0) through mapper training (Tier 1), noise■aware WDD integration (Tier 2), and finally real latent sidecar integration (Tier 3).