

DeFi Micro■LLM — MVP / Fallback / Aspirational Decision Tree

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Start
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v
[Milestones folded + tests green?]
|-- No --> [Keep hardening Tier 0 rails] --loop--> Start
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Yes
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v
[Run MVP Gate for Tier 1]
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|-- Fail (major blocker) --> [Fallback to Tier 0 for demo/ship]
|                               |
|                               v
|                               [Continue Tier 1 fixes in parallel]
|
|-- Pass
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v
[Ship MVP: Tier 1 (micro-LLM over WDD traces)]
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v
[Shadow/Hybrid Evaluation]
|
|-- Unstable/Safety drift? --> [Tighten gates or revert to Tier 0]
|
|-- Stable
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v
[Optional R&D: Tier 2 (LLM tap priors)]
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|-- Hallucination ↑ or variance ↑ ? --> [Disable priors; remain at Tier 1]
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|-- Hallucination ≤ Tier 1 && Omission ↓
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v
[Enable Tier 2 behind a flag for demos]
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