

# SHERLOCK SECURITY REVIEW FOR



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# Introduction

Democratizing access to DeFi with simple UI/UX and a suite of amazing products. More than a #DEX. On a mission to make centralized exchanges obsolete.

# Scope

Repository: Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit

Branch: main

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For the detailed scope, see the contest details.

# **Findings**

Each issue has an assigned severity:

- Medium issues are security vulnerabilities that may not be directly exploitable or may require certain conditions in order to be exploited. All major issues should be addressed.
- High issues are directly exploitable security vulnerabilities that need to be fixed.

## **Issues found**

Medium	High
9	8

# Issues not fixed or acknowledged

Medium	High
0	0

# **Security experts who found valid issues**

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# Issue H-1: Wrong accounting of the storage balances results for the protocol to be in debt even when the bad debt is repaid.

Source:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/68

### Found by

Yuki

# **Summary**

Wrong accounting of the storage balances results for the protocol to be in debt even when the bad debt is repaid.

# **Vulnerability Detail**

When a position is fully closed, it can result to accruing bad debt or being in profit and repaying the borrowed liquidity which all depends on the amount\_out\_received from the swap.

In a bad debt scenario the function calculates the bad debt and accrues it based on the difference between the position debt and the amount out received from the swap. And after that repays the liquidity providers with the same received amount from the swap.

The mapping total\_debt\_amount holds all debt borrowed from users, and this amount accrues interest with the time.

Prior to closing a position, the bad debt is calculated and accrued to the mapping bad\_debt, but it isn't subtracted from the mapping total\_debt\_amount which holds all the debt even the bad one accrued through the time.

As the bad debt isn't subtracted from the total\_debt\_amount when closing a position, even after repaying the bad debt. It will still be in the total\_debt\_amount, which will prevent the full withdrawing of the liquidity funds.

# **Impact**

The issue leads to liquidity providers unable to withdraw their full amount of funds, as even after repaying the bad debt it will still be in the total\_debt\_amount mapping.



# **Code Snippet**

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L233

#### Tool used

Manual Review

#### Recommendation

The only way to fix this problem is to repay the position debt amount prior to closing a position and not only the received amount from the swap. Because total\_debt\_amount holds the bad debt as well.

#### **Discussion**

#### CodingNameKiki

**Escalate** 

This issue should be high, as it results to permanent loss of funds for liquidity providers.

What the issue leads to:

- 1. Double counting of the bad debt in the system, as it isn't subtracted from the mapping total\_debt\_amount.
- 2. When the bad debt is repaid, the system will still be in debt.
- 3. Liquidity providers will not be able to withdraw their full amount of funds, as a result the funds will be stuck in the system.

The referred issue describes the outcome of the issue well, but I am still going to provide an additional explanation in this escalation.

# **Detailed explanation**

# Part 1 - Showing how bad debt accrues.

The internal function \_close\_position is called when a position is fully closed.

There could be two scenarios when the function is called.

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# Part 2 - Liquidity providers not able to withdraw their full amount of funds

So far we've explained the main part of the issue, but lets see the impact on the liquidity providers.

• When the function withdraw\_liquidity is called, it checks that the system has the available amount of liquidity in order to perform the withdraw.

#### What we know so far:

When the system accrues bad debt, it forgets to remove the particular amount
of bad debt from the mapping total\_debt\_amount, which holds all the debt
accrued through the time in terms of interest (debt + extra debt), as a result
after bad debt is accrued the same amount of bad debt persist both in the
mappings bad\_debt and total\_debt\_amount.

What happens when calculating the available liquidity:

- 1. First we can see that the total liquidity amount is calculated based on the provided liquidity from the liquidity providers. Then the bad debt which the system holds is subtracted from it.
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#### sherlock-admin2

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#### **SilentYuki**

The escalation is correct, the issue should be high severity.

#### 141345

Recommendation: change the original judging, to high severity.

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The missed updated total debt will:

- continuing accruing interest
- reduce the available liquidity to use, so reduce income from normal operation
- gradually lock LP's fund

Based on the above, the long term impact could be deemed as "material loss of funds", high is appropriate.

#### hrishibhat

Result: High Unique Agree with Lead judge's comment. Considering this issue a high

#### sherlock-admin2

Escalations have been resolved successfully!

#### **Escalation status:**

CodingNameKiki: accepted

#### **Unstoppable-DeFi**

https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/19

#### maarcweiss

Fixed by moving the repay() position logic to before the position is closed



# Issue H-2: reduce\_margin\_by\_amount in Vault.reduce\_position is wrongly calculated

Source:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/85

# Found by

**GimelSec** 

# **Summary**

In Vault.reduce\_position, some position tokens are sold and debt and margin are reduced. The remaining amount of debt and margin should maintain the same leverage as before. However, the reduced amount is wrongly calculated and as a result, the leverage is changed.

# **Vulnerability Detail**

The calculation of reduced amount is implemented in Vault.reduce\_position. https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L314 https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L322 https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L324

Suppose that the debt amount is 9000 USDC and the margin amount is also 9000 USDC. And the amount\_out\_received is 9000 USDC. Let's take a look of the calculation:

We can find out that the reduced amount of margin is 9000 and the reduced amount of debt is 0. The leverage is changed.

I also wrote a test to demonstrate the issue. (The test case is different from the previous case)

```
def test_reduce_position(vault, owner, weth, usdc, mock_router, eth_usd_oracle):
    eth_usd_oracle.set_answer(9000_00000000)
    assert vault.swap_router() == mock_router.address

uid, amount_bought = vault.open_position(
    owner, # account
    weth, # position_token
    2 * 10**18, # min_position_amount_out
    usdc, # debt_token
    9000 * 10**6, # debt_amount
    9000 * 10**6, # margin_amount
```



```
position_before = vault.positions(uid)
position_amount_before = position_before[6]
assert position_amount_before == 2 * 10**18
margin_amount_before = position_before[3]
assert margin_amount_before == 9000 * 10**6
debt_amount_before = vault.debt(uid)
assert debt_amount_before == 9000 * 10**6
vault.reduce_position(uid, int(position_amount_before/3), 6000 * 10**6)
position_after = vault.positions(uid)
debt_amount_after = vault.debt_shares_to_amount(usdc.address,
→ position_after[4])
print(debt_amount_after)
assert debt_amount_after == pytest.approx(6000 * 10**6, abs = 10000000) //
→ @audit it would fail since debt_amount_after is 9000 * 10**6
margin_amount_after = position_after[3]
print(margin_amount_after)
assert margin_amount_after == pytest.approx(6000 * 10**6, abs = 1000000)
position_amount_after = position_after[6]
```

Besides, I want to mention that the usage of pytest.approx is incorrect in test\_reduce\_position. <a href="https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/bl">https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/bl</a> ob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/tests/vault/test\_reduce\_position.py#L56

```
assert debt_amount_after == pytest.approx(6000 * 10**6, 10000000)
```

If the approximation means 6000 \* 10 \*\* 6 ± 10000000, it should be pytest.approx(6000 \* 10\*\*6, abs=10000000). On the other hand, pytest.approx(6000 \* 10\*\*6, 10000000) considers numbers within a relative tolerance of the expected value. The approximation 6000 \* 10 \*\* 6 ± (6000 \* 10\*\*6 \* 10000000) has too large of a range of values.

# **Impact**

The reduced amounts of debt and margin are wrongly calculated. The leverage is changed after reduce\_position.



# **Code Snippet**

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#### Tool used

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#### Recommendation

The correct calculation should be:

```
def reduce_position(
    _position_uid: bytes32, _reduce_by_amount: uint256, _min_amount_out: uint256
) -> uint256:
    margin_debt_ratio: uint256 = position.margin_amount * PRECISION / debt_amount
   margin_debt_ratio: uint256 = position.margin_amount * PRECISION / (
→ debt_amount + position.margin_amount)
    amount_out_received: uint256 = self._swap(
        position.position_token, position.debt_token, _reduce_by_amount,
\hookrightarrow min_amount_out
    # reduce margin and debt, keep leverage as before
    reduce_margin_by_amount: uint256 = (
        amount_out_received * margin_debt_ratio / PRECISION
    reduce_debt_by_amount: uint256 = amount_out_received -

    reduce_margin_by_amount

    position.margin_amount -= reduce_margin_by_amount
    burnt_debt_shares: uint256 = self._repay(position.debt_token,

    reduce_debt_by_amount)

    position.debt_shares -= burnt_debt_shares
    position.position_amount -= _reduce_by_amount
    self.positions[_position_uid] = position
    log PositionReduced(position.account, _position_uid, position,

→ amount_out_received)
```



# **Discussion**

## **Unstoppable-DeFi**

https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/3

#### maarcweiss

Fixed by using debt\_amount + position.margin\_amount instead of debt\_amount



# Issue H-3: Vault: The attacker can sandwich attack himself on swaps in open\_position, close\_position and reduce\_position to make a bad debt

Source:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/140

# Found by

OxyPhilic, Tricko, n33k, ontheway, pengun, stopthecap, whiteh4t9527

# **Summary**

The attacker could call MarginDex to open/close postions in Vault. The swap slippage is controlled by the attacker. He can set the slippage to infinite to steal from swaps and leave a bad postion/debt.

# **Vulnerability Detail**

In open\_position of Vault, max\_leverage is first checked to ensure the position that is about to open will be healthy. Then token is borrowed and swapped into postion token. The attacker can set slippage to infinite and sandwich attack the swap to steal almost all of the swapped token. Then the amount swapped out is recorded in postion and the postion will be undercollateralized.

Swaps in close\_position and reduce\_position are also vulnerable to this sandwich attack. The attacker can attack to steal from swap and make a bad debt.

# **Impact**

The protocol could be drained because of this sandwich attack.

# **Code Snippet**

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L182-L184

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L252-L257

#### Tool used

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#### Recommendation

Call \_is\_liquidatable in the end of open\_position and reduce\_position.

Check pool price deviation to oracle price inside close\_position.

#### **Discussion**

#### twicek

Escalate for 10 USDC The pools used in the margin dex are whitelisted and therefore highly liquid. Using a flashloan in such a pool to manipulate the reserves would not be economically viable since the flashloans are attached with a fee. It would not even be possible to repay the loan in the scenario described in the report (it would revert).

This issue should be at most medium.

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Recommendation: keep the original judging.

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Whitelisted pool can not guarantee liquidity all the time. With flashloan, the liquidity could be manipulated. The profit is the loss from the LP here, which can cover the flashloan fee.

This vector is suitable for self sandwich, the attack is by design, abusing the delayed isLiquidatable() check.

#### **Unstoppable-DeFi**

https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/13

#### hrishibhat

Result: High Has duplicates After further discussions with the Lead judge, Agree that this could be on the border with respect to severity. Based on the points raised in issues #140, and #106, and duplicates such as #54. With all the information presented, considering this issue a valid high.

#### sherlock-admin2

Escalations have been resolved successfully!

**Escalation status:** 

twicek: rejected



# maarcweiss

Fixed by calling self.\_is\_liquidatable(position\_uid) after opening and reducing a position.



# **Issue H-4:** reduce\_position doesn't update margin mapping correctly

Source:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/143

# Found by

Oxbepresent, Dug, GimelSec, Yuki, n33k, twicek

# **Summary**

reduce\_position function decrease the margin amount of the position but doesn't add it back to the user's margin mapping, making it impossible to withdraw the margin.

# **Vulnerability Detail**

After selling some position tokens back against debt tokens using reduce\_position function, debt\_shares and margin\_amount are reduced proportionally to keep leverage the same as before:

### Vault.vy#L313-L330



```
burnt_debt_shares: uint256 = self._repay(position.debt_token,
    reduce_debt_by_amount)
    position.debt_shares -= burnt_debt_shares
    position.position_amount -= _reduce_by_amount
```

However, even though some of the margin have been paid back (position.margin\_amount has been reduced), self.margin[position.account][position.debt\_token] mapping hasn't been updated by adding reduce\_margin\_by\_amount which would allow the user to withdraw his margin.

# **Impact**

Users will lose their margin tokens.

# **Code Snippet**

Vault.vy#L313-L330

#### **Tool used**

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# Recommendation

Consider modifying the code like this:

```
reduce_debt_by_amount: uint256 = amount_out_received -
reduce_margin_by_amount

position.margin_amount -= reduce_margin_by_amount

+ self.margin[position.account][position.debt_token] += reduce_margin_by_amount

burnt_debt_shares: uint256 = self._repay(position.debt_token,
reduce_debt_by_amount)
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position.position_amount -= _reduce_by_amount
```

#### **Discussion**

#### **Unstoppable-DeFi**

https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/6

#### maarcweiss



Fixed by adding back margin to the user's margin mapping while reducing the position



# Issue H-5: Leverage calculation is wrong

Source:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/150

# **Found by**

0xDjango, n33k, twicek

# **Summary**

Leverage calculation is wrong which will lead to unfair liquidations or over leveraged positions depending on price movements.

# **Vulnerability Detail**

\_calculate\_leverage miscalculate the leverage by using \_debt\_value + \_margin\_value as numerator instead of \_position\_value :

#### Vault.vy#L465-L477

```
def _calculate_leverage(
    _position_value: uint256, _debt_value: uint256, _margin_value: uint256
) -> uint256:
    if _position_value <= _debt_value:
        # bad debt
        return max_value(uint256)

return (
        PRECISION
        * (_debt_value + _margin_value)
        / (_position_value - _debt_value)
        / PRECISION
    )
</pre>
```

The three inputs of the function <code>\_position\_value</code>, <code>\_debt\_value</code> and <code>\_margin\_value</code> are all determined by a chainlink oracle price feed. <code>\_debt\_value</code> represents the value of the position's debt share converted to debt amount in USD. <code>\_margin\_value</code> represents the current value of the position's initial margin amount in USD. <code>\_position\_value</code> represents the current value of the position's initial position amount in USD.

The problem with the above calculation is that \_debt\_value + \_margin\_value does not represent the value of the position. The leverage is the ratio between the current value of the position and the current margin value. \_position\_value - \_debt\_value is correct and is the current margin value, but \_debt\_value +



\_margin\_value doesn't represent the current value of the position since there is no guarantee that the debt token and the position token have correlated price movements.

Example: debt token: ETH, position token: BTC.

- Alice uses 1 ETH of margin to borrow 14 ETH (2k USD/ETH) and get 1 BTC (30k USD/BTC) of position token. Leverage is 14.
- The next day, the price of ETH in USD is still 2k USD/ETH but BTC price in USD went down from 30k to 29k USD/BTC. Leverage is now (\_position\_value == 29k) / (\_position\_value == 29k \_debt\_value == 28k) = 29, instead of what is calculated in the contract: (\_debt\_value == 28k + \_margin\_value == 2k) / (\_position\_value == 29k \_debt\_value == 28k) = 30.

# **Impact**

Leverage calculation is wrong which will lead to unfair liquidations or over leveraged positions depending on price movements.

# **Code Snippet**

Vault.vy#L465-L477

# **Tool used**

Manual Review

#### Recommendation

Consider modifying the code like this:



#### **Discussion**

#### **Unstoppable-DeFi**

While our implementation uses a slightly different definition of leverage and the initial margin + debt as base, we agree that the above implementation is cleaner and more intuitive for users. Both formulas would work similarly though and liquidate positions timely to protect the protocol.

#### 141345

agree, maybe medium is more appropriate

#### 141345

The dup https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/1 00 gives an example why the current formula could lead to unexpected result.

#### twicek

Escalate for 10 USDC. My report shows why the current used formula is wrong as it does not take into account that debt tokens and position tokens are not necessarily tokens with correlated prices. The duplicate #100 shows in another way that the formula fail to calculate the leverage of a position correctly. The impact is the same, but my report highlight \_debt\_value + \_margin\_value != \_position\_value, the same way that the debt against a house is not equal to the market value of this house (also described in another way in #156). The definition of leverage used in the code is not correct and will lead to unfair liquidations or over leveraged positions, which is definitely high severity.

#### sherlock-admin2

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#### fatherGoose1



The duplicate report #100 shows how adding margin makes a position less healthy, and removing margin makes a position healthier. This is simply a backwards implementation that will lead to unfair liquidations or higher leverage than should be possible. The impact is clear loss of funds.

#### 141345

Recommendation: change the original judging, to high severity.

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Unexpected and unfair liquidation could cause loss to users. Since the issue roots from the formula, the loss could be long term, result in accumulated fund loss for users, can can be deemed as "material loss of funds".

Based on the above, high severity might be appropriate.

#### **Unstoppable-DeFi**

https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/14

#### hrishibhat

@Unstoppable-DeFi based on the above escalation it seems to be a high issue. Is there any other reason this should not be a high-severity issue?

#### hrishibhat

Result: High Has duplicates Considering this issue a valid high

#### sherlock-admin2

Escalations have been resolved successfully!

**Escalation status:** 

twicek: accepted

#### maarcweiss

Fixed by changing the leverage calculation formula from using \* (\_debt\_value + \_margin\_value) to using \* (\_position\_value) instead



# Issue H-6: Vault: \_update\_debt does not accrue interest

Source:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/167

# Found by

0x00ffDa, 0xDjango, 0xStalin, 0xpinky, Bauer, BugBusters, Dug, GimelSec, kutugu, n33k, pengun

# Summary

\_update\_debt call \_debt\_interest\_since\_last\_update to accrue interest but \_debt\_interest\_since\_last\_update always return 0 in \_update\_debt.

# **Vulnerability Detail**

\_update\_debt sets self.last\_debt\_update[\_debt\_token] to block.timestamp and then calls \_debt\_interest\_since\_last\_update.

\_debt\_interest\_since\_last\_update always returns 0. because block.timestamp - self.last\_debt\_update[\_debt\_token] is always 0.

```
def _debt_interest_since_last_update(_debt_token: address) -> uint256:
    return (
          (block.timestamp - self.last_debt_update[_debt_token])
          * self._current_interest_per_second(_debt_token)
          * self.total_debt_amount[_debt_token]
          / PERCENTAGE_BASE
          / PRECISION
)
```

# **Impact**

Debt fee is not accrued.



# **Code Snippet**

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L1050-L1076

#### Tool used

Manual Review

#### Recommendation

Call \_debt\_interest\_since\_last\_update then update last\_debt\_update.

#### **Discussion**

#### **Unstoppable-DeFi**

https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/7

#### 0x00ffDa

Escalate for 10 USDC.

I believe this should be high severity. This flaw results in definite loss of funds for the protocol and LP providers: zero revenue from all debts, no special circumstances needed.

#### sherlock-admin2

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#### 141345

Recommendation: keep the original judging.

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The loss is on interest, not big loss in principal, the amount might not be considered "material loss of funds".

I think medium is appropriate.

#### Nabeel-javaid

IMO, high is appropriate is it is bricking the core functionality of interest. There is no point of lending when there is no interest on it.

#### **Oxpinky**

interest is core concept in lend and borrow, flawed interest updates would brick one of the core functions. when we look at this over a period of time, the loss would have incurred is huge.. High is appropriate.

#### hrishibhat

Result: High Has duplicates Considering this issue a valid high for two reasons:

- It breaks the core functionality of accruing interest on debt.
- Leading loss of revenue for protocol and LP.

#### sherlock-admin2

Escalations have been resolved successfully!

**Escalation status:** 

• 0x00ffDa: accepted

#### maarcweiss

Fixed by calling last\_debt\_update after \_debt\_interest\_since\_last\_update



# Issue H-7: Adversary manipulate the middle path when calling execute\_dca\_order, resulting user loss, benefiting the attacker

#### Source:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/182

# Found by

OxDjango, OxyPhilic, BugBusters, Lalanda, chainNue, pengun

# **Summary**

Adversary manipulate the middle path when calling execute\_dca\_order, resulting user loss, benefiting the attacker

# **Vulnerability Detail**

Allowing anyone to call the <code>execute\_dca\_order</code> function with a custom <code>\_uni\_hop\_path</code> introduce security issue. If an attacker constructs a malicious path with their own token in the middle, they could manipulate the liquidity and perform an exploit. The <code>\_uni\_hop\_path</code> parameter in <code>execute\_dca\_order</code> is really dangerous input which can be manipulated by attacker.

For example a user want to Dca USDC -> WETH by posting post\_dca\_order with \_token\_in is USDC, and \_token\_out is WETH, and with the min\_amount\_out generated from \_calc\_min\_amount\_out which is based on twap and slippage percentage (in contrary, LimitOrders.vy use input min\_amount\_out for token out from the post\_limit\_order function, thus will not facing same effect like this issue)

When attacker see this Dca order, they can create a new ERC20 MYTOKEN (and will provide liquidity in uniswap) and plan to attack the Dca by selecting his own token as the middle path, so execute\_dca\_order will be executed using USDC -> MYTOKEN -> WETH path.

Since attacker can manipulate the liquidity of MYTOKEN in Uniswap, resulting user will get bad swap amount due to the custom path provided by attacker.

Slippage and twap length as protection are not enough, because the middle token path is the problem here. Moreover, using twap with twap\_length can also be manipulated by preparing / pre-attack pool since the last\_execution and seconds\_between\_executions is known, also the order's twap\_length is visible, so attack scenario can prepared beforehand.

File: Dca.vy
163: @external



```
164: @nonreentrant('lock')
165: def execute_dca_order(_uid: bytes32, _uni_hop_path: DynArray[address, 3],
→ _uni_pool_fees: DynArray[uint24, 2], _share_profit: bool):
         # ensure path is valid
174:
175:
         assert len(_uni_hop_path) in [2, 3], "[path] invlid path"
176:
         assert len(_uni_pool_fees) == len(_uni_hop_path)-1, "[path] invalid
→ fees"
177:
         assert _uni_hop_path[0] == order.token_in, "[path] invalid token_in"
         assert _uni_hop_path[len(_uni_hop_path)-1] == order.token_out, "[path]
178:

    invalid token_out"

206:
         # Vyper way to accommodate abi.encode_packed
207:
         path: Bytes[66] = empty(Bytes[66])
         if(len(_uni_hop_path) == 2):
208:
209:
             path = concat(convert(_uni_hop_path[0], bytes20),
convert(_uni_pool_fees[0], bytes3), convert(_uni_hop_path[1], bytes20))
         elif(len(_uni_hop_path) == 3):
210:
211:
             path = concat(convert(_uni_hop_path[0], bytes20),
convert(_uni_pool_fees[0], bytes3), convert(_uni_hop_path[1], bytes20),

    convert(_uni_pool_fees[1], bytes3), convert(_uni_hop_path[2], bytes20))

212:
213:
         min_amount_out: uint256 =
→ self._calc_min_amount_out(order.amount_in_per_execution, _uni_hop_path,
→ _uni_pool_fees, order.twap_length, order.max_slippage)
214:
215:
         uni_params: ExactInputParams = ExactInputParams({
216:
             path: path,
217:
             recipient: self,
218:
             deadline: block.timestamp,
219:
             amountIn: order.amount_in_per_execution,
220:
             amountOutMinimum: min_amount_out
221:
         })
222:
         amount_out: uint256 =
→ UniswapV3SwapRouter(UNISWAP_ROUTER).exactInput(uni_params)
238:
```

#### Steps:

- 1. A malicious user creates a custom token called "MYTOKEN" and provides liquidity for it on Uniswap v3. They allocate liquidity to create extreme price ranges for MYTOKEN.
- 2. A regular user intends to swap USDC to WETH.
- 3. The malicious user intercepts the transaction and modifies the path by adding intermediate token with MYTOKEN. The new path becomes USDC ->



MYTOKEN -> WETH.

- 4. Uniswap v3 receives the modified path and attempts to execute the swap based on the provided path.
- 5. Uniswap v3 calculates the best available price based on the modified path, which includes MYTOKEN.
- 6. Due to the manipulated liquidity pool of MYTOKEN, the price of MYTOKEN is significantly skewed, leading to an unfair price for the regular user executing the multi-hop swap.
- 7. The malicious user takes advantage of the distorted liquidity pool by executing multi-hop swaps involving MYTOKEN at highly advantageous prices.
- 8. Innocent users who unknowingly interact with the manipulated liquidity pool may receive unfavorable prices for their USDC to WETH swaps, leading to financial losses.

In this scenario, the malicious user modifies the path of the multi-hop swap by replacing the intended intermediate token with MYTOKEN. As a result, the malicious user exploits the manipulated liquidity pool and executes trades at favorable prices, while causing losses for other traders and disrupting the market equilibrium

# **Impact**

User will get a bad rate (far from the normal rate) due to middle token rate is manipulated, thus losing his asset.

# **Code Snippet**

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/spot-dex/Dca.vy#L163-L237

#### **Tool used**

Manual Review

#### Recommendation

Might need to have a minimal desired output amount of range (for the output token), or remove the option to input manual path with anyone can call the <code>execute\_dca\_order</code> then replace it with the Oracle price rate. Other way, consider implement a whitelist token for swap path.

#### **Discussion**

**Unstoppable-DeFi** 



# https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/18

#### maarcweiss

Fixed by adding a whitelist of tokens that users can swap from. Although fixed, I see that tokens have been hardcoded in the contract. It would be better to not hardcode them and add a setter function for the whitelisting of those tokens.



# Issue H-8: Interested calculated is ampliefied by multiple of 1000 in \_debt\_interest\_since\_last\_update

Source:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/191

# Found by

BugBusters, twicek

# **Summary**

Interest calculated in the \_debt\_interest\_since\_last\_update function is amplified by multiple of 1000, hence can completely brick the system and debt calculation. Because we divide by PERCENTAGE\_BASE instead of PERCENTAGE\_BASE\_HIGH which has more precision and which is used in utilization calculation.

# **Vulnerability Detail**

Following function calculated the interest accured over a certain interval:

But the results from the above function are amplified by factor of 1000 due to the reason that the intrest per second as per test file is calculated as following:

```
# accordingly the current interest per year should be 3% so 3_00_000
# per second that is (300000*10^18)/(365*24*60*60)
expected_interest_per_second = 9512937595129375

assert (
    expected_interest_per_second
    == vault_configured.internal._current_interest_per_second(usdc.address)
)
```



So yearly interest has the precision of 5 as it is calculated using utilization rate and PERCENTAGE\_BASE\_HIGH\_PRECISION is used which has precision of 5 .and per second has the precision of 18, so final value has the precision of 23.

Interest per second has precision = 23.

But if we look at the code:

We divide by PERCENTAGE\_BASE that is = 100\_00 = precision of => 2 And than by PRECISION = 1e18 => precision of 18. So accumulated precision of 20, where as we should have divided by value precises to 23 to match the nominator.

Where is we should have divided by PERCENTAGE\_BASE\_HIGH instead of PERCENTAGE\_BASE

Hence the results are amplified by enormous multiple of thousand.

### **Impact**

Interest are too much amplified, that impacts the total debt calculation and brick whole leverage, liquidation and share mechanism.

Note: Dev confirmed that the values being used in the tests are the values that will be used in production.

# **Code Snippet**

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/94a68e49971bc694 2c75da76720f7170d46c0150/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault. vy#L1069-L1076 https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/94 a68e49971bc6942c75da76720f7170d46c0150/unstoppable-dex-audit/tests/vault/test\_variable\_interest\_rate.py#L314-L333

#### Tool used

Manual Review

#### Recommendation

Use PERCENTAGE\_BASE\_HIGH in division instead of PERCENTAGE\_BASE.



#### **Discussion**

#### **Unstoppable-DeFi**

https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/8

#### Nabeel-javaid

Escalate for 10 USDC

This should be high as described impact in the given submission and the duplicate too.

#### sherlock-admin2

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#### twicek

Escalate for 10 USDC The wrong calculation of interest rates will cause a direct loss of funds to users. This should definitely be high severity.

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#### 141345

Recommendation: change the original judging, to high severity.

Escalate for 10 USDC

This should be high as described impact in the given submission and the duplicate too.

A magnitude of 1000 times of interest can be deemed as "material loss of funds".

#### 141345



Escalate for 10 USDC The wrong calculation of interest rates will cause a direct loss of funds to users. This should definitely be high severity.

Same as above

### hrishibhat

Result: High Has duplicates Considering this a valid high

## sherlock-admin2

Escalations have been resolved successfully!

Escalation status:

• Nabeel-javaid: accepted

• twicek: accepted

### maarcweiss

Fixed by calling PERCENTAGE\_BASE\_HIGH instead of PERCENTAGE\_BASE for the interest calculation



# Issue M-1: Debt is not updated when removing margin from a position

Source: https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/9

# Found by

stopthecap

## **Summary**

Debt is not updated when removing margin from a position

# **Vulnerability Detail**

Traders are allowed to remove margin/collateral from their positions: https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/94a68e49971bc6942c75da76720f7170d46c0150/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L528-L546

as you can see, the position can only have collateral removed if it is not liquidable: https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/94a68e49971bc6942c75da76720f7170d46c0150/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L487

The problem is that the total total\_debt\_shares[\_debt\_token] is not updated when checking whether the position is liquidable neither when calling remove\_margin You can see on the following links the progression of the function calls to calculate whether a position is liquidable or not:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/94a68e49971bc694 2c75da76720f7170d46c0150/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault. vy#L444

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/94a68e49971bc694 2c75da76720f7170d46c0150/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault. vy#L1142

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/94a68e49971bc694 2c75da76720f7170d46c0150/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault. vy#L1099

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/94a68e49971bc694 2c75da76720f7170d46c0150/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault. vy#L1111



https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/94a68e49971bc694 2c75da76720f7170d46c0150/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault. vy#L1117C16-L1117C16

As seen, total\_debt\_shares[\_debt\_token] is not updated to the current total\_debt\_shares[\_debt\_token] by calling \_update\_debt and therefore a stale total\_debt\_shares[\_debt\_token] is used to calculate whether a position is liquidable. Allowing positions that are in fact liquidable remove margin because the debt is not updated.

## **Impact**

Not updating the debt before removing collateral (margin) from your position does allow a trader to remove collateral from a liquidable position

# **Code Snippet**

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/94a68e49971bc694 2c75da76720f7170d46c0150/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault. vy#L528-L546

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/94a68e49971bc694 2c75da76720f7170d46c0150/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault. vy#L1117C16-L1117C16

#### Tool used

Manual Review

#### Recommendation

Call \_update\_debt at the beginning of the remove margin function

### **Discussion**

### **Unstoppable-DeFi**

https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/1

#### maarcweiss

Fixed by calling update debt when removing margin from positions



# Issue M-2: \_account\_for\_withdraw\_liquidity rounding in the wrong direction will run out of the vault

Source:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/37

## Found by

kutugu

## **Summary**

Vault implementers should be aware of the need for specific, opposing rounding directions across the different mutable and view methods, as it is considered most secure to favor the Vault itself during calculations over its users If (1) it's calculating how many shares to issue to a user for a certain amount of the underlying tokens they provide or (2) it's determining the amount of the underlying tokens to transfer to them for returning a certain amount of shares, it should round down. If (1) it's calculating the amount of shares a user has to supply to receive a given amount of the underlying tokens or (2) it's calculating the amount of underlying tokens a user has to provide to receive a certain amount of shares, it should round up.

When the user extracts liquidity, due to the existence of share, the calculation has precision errors, should pay special attention to the rounding direction. Users withdraw a specific amount of liquidity, user shares should be rounded up, subtract 1 more shares, to avoid spending more than they earn, resulting in the eventual run out of the vault.

# **Vulnerability Detail**

\_amount\_to\_lp\_shares calculates the amount of share to be subtracted, which should round up, otherwise the user account share will be 1 more than it actually is, and the difference will gradually become larger as users interact with vault over time, eventually run out of the vault.

# **Impact**

Rounding in the wrong direction, when users withdraw liquidity, the shares are greater than actual value, and gradually accumulate as interactions, eventually causing the vault to be run out of and unable to repay all the liquidity.

# **Code Snippet**

• https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/94a68e49971b c6942c75da76720f7170d46c0150/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-



## dex/Vault.vy#L893-L912

## **Tool used**

Manual Review

## Recommendation

Round up in \_amount\_to\_lp\_shares

## **Discussion**

## **Unstoppable-DeFi**

https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/17

#### maarcweiss

Fixed by subtracting a share from the calculation of self.\_amount\_to\_lp\_shares to account for the exposed rounding error



# Issue M-3: Spot dex cant handle fee-on-transfer tokens

Source:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/40

# **Found by**

0x4non, 0xStalin, kutugu, twicek

## **Summary**

Dca.vy, LimitOrder.vy and TrailingStopDex.vy does not properly support tokens that implement a fee on transfer. These types of tokens deduct a fee from any transfer of tokens, resulting in the recipient receiving less than the original amount sent.

# **Vulnerability Detail**

The specific issue lies in the ERC20 token transfer.

Lests analyze the method <code>execute\_limit\_order</code> focus on lines <code>LimitOrders.vy#L160 \_-L161</code>, this code assumes that the full <code>order.amount\_in</code> will be transferred to <code>self</code>. This assumption is incorrect when the token in question implements a fee on transfer. When a fee is deducted, <code>self</code> will receive less tokens than <code>order.amount\_in</code>. The subsequent call to <code>approve</code> and <code>ExactInputSingleParams</code> could therefore potentially fail as they rely on <code>self</code> having a balance of <code>order.amount\_in</code>.

# **Impact**

This vulnerability could potentially halt token swaps midway if the token involved deducts a transfer fee. This can result in an unsuccessful token swap, which in turn could lock funds and possibly lead to financial loss for the user.

# **Code Snippet**

- Dca.vy#L200-L201
- LimitOrders.vy#L160-L161
- TrailingStopDex.vy#L170-L171

## Tool used

Manual Review



### Recommendation

To rectify this vulnerability, it's recommended to replace order.amount\_in with the account of balance of ERC20(order.token\_in) after the swap minus before the transferFrom call. This ensures that the correct balance (after any potential fees) is used for the approve call and the ExactInputSingleParams. It's also advised to add error handling for unsuccessful transfers and approvals.

Example:

## **Discussion**

## dot-pengun

Escalate

The contest page states that only tokens supported by uniswap v3 can be used, as shown below.

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#### twicek

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The Spot contracts need to be able to interact with any pool/token, we don't want to have a centralized whitelist, we want it to work with any Uniswap v3 pool (and later others but this is probably out of scope).

The sponsor didn't know that fee-on-transfer tokens couldn't be used in UniswapV3 when writing the README in which fee-on-transfer token related issues are explicitly in scope for the spot dex:

Q: Are there any FEE-ON-TRANSFER tokens interacting with the smart contracts? Margin: no Spot: possibly

Information acquired after the beginning of the contest and not explicitly mentioned in the README shouldn't supersede the README information.

#### sherlock-admin2

Escalate for 10 USDC This sentence implies that any token could be interacted with in the spot contracts:

The Spot contracts need to be able to interact with any pool/token, we don't want to have a centralized whitelist, we want it to work with any Uniswap v3 pool (and later others but this is probably out of scope).

The sponsor didn't know that fee-on-transfer tokens couldn't be used in UniswapV3 when writing the README in which fee-on-transfer token related issues are explicitly in scope for the spot dex:

Q: Are there any FEE-ON-TRANSFER tokens interacting with the smart contracts? Margin: no Spot: possibly

Information acquired after the beginning of the contest and not explicitly mentioned in the README shouldn't supersede the README information.

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#### 141345

Recommendation: keep the original judging.

#### Escalate

The contest page states that only tokens supported by uniswap v3 can be used, as shown below.

The Spot contracts need to be able to interact with any pool/token, we don't want to have a centralized whitelist, we



want it to work with any Uniswap v3 pool (and later others but this is probably out of scope).

According to the uniswap V3 docs, uniswap do not support fee-on-transfer tokens, so I believe this issue is invalid.

The README is a little ambiguous.

The designed behavior seems to be compatible with fee on transfer token. And the POC demonstrates that the current codebase needs improvement for this purpose.

#### 141345

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same as above

## **Unstoppable-DeFi**

https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/10

#### hrishibhat

Result: Medium Has duplicates Agree with the Lead judge's comment below:

The README is a little ambiguous. The designed behavior seems to be compatible with fee on transfer token. And the POC demonstrates that the current codebase needs improvement for this purpose.

Accepting the escalation because it is understandable that it could be confusing, but will keep the issue valid medium.

#### sherlock-admin2

Escalations have been resolved successfully!

**Escalation status:** 

dot-pengun: accepted

twicek: accepted

#### maarcweiss

Fixed by using the common pattern of checking balances before and after the transfers and calculating the real amount in spot dex



Issue M-4: Vault.\_amount\_per\_base\_lp\_share should also
consider bad debt when safety\_module\_lp\_total\_amount is
not enough

Source:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/92

## Found by

**GimelSec** 

## **Summary**

Unstoppable's vault consists of two types of pools. The safety module pool is designed to bear the first loss risk. So the bad debt is first covered by the safety module liquidity. <a href="https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-sces601">https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-sces601</a> 07/tree/main/unstoppable-dex-audit#margin

Liquidity Providers have the choice to provide liquidity in the "Base LP" pool or the "Safety Module" pool. The Safety Module pool takes a first loss risk protecting the Base LP in exchange for a higher share of the trading and accruing interest.

However, if the safety module liquidity is insufficient, the base liquidity is also used to cover the bad debt. But Vault.\_amount\_per\_base\_lp\_share never take bad debt into consideration, leading to loss of funds.

# **Vulnerability Detail**

When calling Vault.withdraw\_liquidity, it uses Vault.\_account\_for\_withdraw\_liquidity to calculate the withdraw share. https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L884

If the base pool is chosen, it calls <code>self.\_amount\_per\_base\_lp\_share</code>. And it directly uses <code>self.base\_lp\_total\_amount</code> to calculate the shares without considering the bad debt. <a href="https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L910">https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L946</a>

Suppose that base\_lp\_total\_amount is 100 and safety\_module\_lp\_total\_amount is 100. The bad\_debt is now 150 and total\_debt\_amount is 0. The available liquidity is 50. https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L989



Consider the following situations.

- The total share of base liquidity is 100 shares, with Alice and Bob each having 50 shares.
- Alice calls withdraw\_liquidity to withdraw 50 tokens from the base pool.
- Bob also wants to withdraw the liquidity but he fails since the available liquidity is 0 now. <a href="https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/bl">https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/bl</a> ob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L863

## **Impact**

If the amount of bad debt is more than safe module liquidity, the withdrawal of base liquidity becomes unfair. Early liquidity providers have the advantage of being able to withdraw the full amount, while other liquidity providers are unable to withdraw any liquidity, resulting in a loss of funds for them.

# **Code Snippet**

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L946 https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L957 https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L967 https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L884 https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L910 https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L863 https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L989

### Tool used

Manual Review

### Recommendation

If the bad debt exceeds the available safety module liquidity, \_amount\_per\_base\_lp\_share should take bad debt into consideration.



```
/ self.base_lp_total_shares[_token]
)

+@internal
+@view
+def _base_total_amount(_token: address) -> uint256:
+ if self.bad_debt[_token] > self.safety_module_lp_total_amount[_token] +

→ self.base_lp_total_amount[_token]:
+ return 0
+ if self.bad_debt[_token] <= self.safety_module_lp_total_amount[_token]:
+ return self.base_lp_total_amount[_token]
+ return self.safety_module_lp_total_amount[_token] +

→ self.base_lp_total_amount[_token] - self.bad_debt[_token]
```

## **Discussion**

## **Unstoppable-DeFi**

https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/16

#### maarcweiss

Introduced a new view function to account for when the bad debt surpasses the amount covered by safety\_module. Missing

from watsons recommendation though. Seems good to me but I would like @Unstoppable-DeFi to re-check if letting this check out was intended

## **Unstoppable-DeFi**

Yes, intended.

The definition of bad debt is the amount of liquidity that was borrowed to open a position and not recovered when closing the position (offset by the traders provided margin). Therefore the maximum amount of bad debt that could theoretically be accrued is the total amount of liquidity available (self.safety\_module\_lp\_total\_amount[\_token] + self.base\_lp\_total\_amount[\_token]). There is no scenario where bad debt could be greater than this since closing a position cannot end in a negative return (i.e. is clamped to 0).

#### maarcweiss

Introduced a new view function to account for when the bad debt surpasses the amount covered by safety\_module. Missing



from watsons recommendation though. Seems good to me but I would like @Unstoppable-DeFi to re-check if letting this check out was intended

Following the sign-off, the previously explained snippet was not included because bad debt can't actually surpass: self.safety\_module\_lp\_total\_amount[\_token] + self.base\_lp\_total\_amount[\_token] therefore the case is not accounted for in the contracts



Issue M-5: The Vault.\_update\_debt() function should be
executed before admin sets new interest rate via Vault.set\_variable\_interest\_parameters()

#### Source:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/103

## Found by

**Oxbepresent** 

## **Summary**

The <u>Vault.\_update\_debt()</u> should be executed before the interests rate are modified by the Vault.set\_variable\_interest\_parameters() function.

# **Vulnerability Detail**

The <u>Vault.\_update\_debt()</u> function helps to accrue interest since the last update. The execution path:

- 1. It calls the function <u>Vault.\_debt\_interest\_since\_last\_update(\_debt\_token)</u> in order to calculate the token debt interest.
- 2. The Vault.\_debt\_interest\_since\_last\_update() function uses the <u>Vault.\_curr</u> ent\_interest\_per\_second() function in order to get the interest per second.
- 3. The <a href="Vault.\_current\_interest\_per\_second">Vault.\_current\_interest\_per\_second</a>() calls <a href="Vault.\_interest\_rate\_by\_utilization">Vault.\_interest\_rate\_by\_utilization</a>() in order to get the interest rate.
- 4. The <u>Vault.\_interest\_rate\_by\_utilization()</u> function calls the <u>Vault.\_dynamic\_interest\_rate\_low\_utilization()</u> or <u>Vault.\_dynamic\_interest\_rate\_high\_utilization</u> depending on the <u>switch\_utilization</u>.
- 5. The <u>Vault.\_dynamic\_interest\_rate\_low\_utilization()</u> is executed and it calls the <u>Vault.\_min\_interest\_rate()</u>.
- 6. Then, the <u>Vault.\_min\_interest\_rate()</u> function gets the value from the [self.interest\_configuration\_address][0]

So in the step 6, it gets the interest from the interest\_configuration, then the interests are used in order to calculate the token debt. The Vault.\_update\_debt() accrue interest since the last update, the function should be executed before the admin change the interest configuration via <a href="Vault.set\_variable\_interest\_parameters(">Vault.set\_variable\_interest\_parameters(")</a> function. The reason is that the time that has already passed must be taken with the previous interest before the admin changes to the new interests rate.



## **Impact**

The protocol should accrue interest since the last update before change the interest rate configuration. If the admin change the interest rate, the new interest rate should be applied to the future time not to the time that has already passed. The time that has already passed should use the previous interest.

It is unfair for the users because users expects interests changes to be applied after they were changed not to the past time the \_update\_debt has not been executed.

## **Code Snippet**

- The Vault.\_update\_debt() function.
- The Vault.\_debt\_interest\_since\_last\_update function.
- The Vault.\_current\_interest\_per\_second() function.
- The Vault.\_interest\_rate\_by\_utilization() function.
- The Vault.\_dynamic\_interest\_rate\_low\_utilization() function.
- The Vault.\_dynamic\_interest\_rate\_high\_utilization() function.
- The Vault.\_interest\_configuration() function.
- The Vault.set\_variable\_interest\_parameters() function.

#### Tool used

Manual review

## Recommendation

Execute self.\_update\_debt(address) before the interests are modified:

```
@external
def set_variable_interest_parameters(
    _address: address,
    _min_interest_rate: uint256,
    _mid_interest_rate: uint256,
    _max_interest_rate: uint256,
    _rate_switch_utilization: uint256,
):
    assert msg.sender == self.admin, "unauthorized"
++ self._update_debt(address)
    self.interest_configuration[_address] = [
        _min_interest_rate,
        _mid_interest_rate,
        _max_interest_rate,
```



\_rate\_switch\_utilization,

# **Discussion**

]

## **Unstoppable-DeFi**

https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/4

## maarcweiss

Fixed by calling update\_debt before setting new interest params in the set\_variable\_interest\_parameters function



Issue M-6: The Vault.\_to\_usd\_oracle\_price() function uses the same ORACLE\_FRESHNESS\_THRESHOLD for all token prices feeds which is incorrect

#### Source:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/104

# Found by

Oxbepresent, Oxpinky, TheNaubit, n33k, pengun, stopthecap, twicek

## **Summary**

The same <code>ORACLE\_FRESHNESS\_THRESHOLD</code> is used for all the token prices feeds which can be dangerous because different pairs of tokens have different freshness intervals.

# **Vulnerability Detail**

The ORACLE\_FRESHNESS\_THRESHOLD is 24 hours constant. It is used to check if the Oracle price is fresh in the 580 code line.

The problem is that different pairs have diferrent heartbeats. For example the <u>LINK/USD</u> has a heartbeat of 3600 seconds so since the <code>ORACLE\_FRESHNESS\_THRESHOLD</code> is set to 24 hours, the check for <code>LINK/USD</code> is useless since the its hearbeat is 3600 seconds. The same behaviour in CRV/USD which has a heartbeat of 3600 seconds.

# **Impact**

Using the same <code>ORACLE\_FRESHNESS\_THRESHOLD</code> (heartbeat) for all the price feeds is not correct because the freshness validation would be useless for some pairs



which can return stale data.

# **Code Snippet**

The Vault.\_to\_usd\_oracle\_price() function:

```
File: Vault.vy
562: def _to_usd_oracle_price(_token: address) -> uint256:
563:
564:
        @notice
565:
            Retrieves the latest Chainlink oracle price for _token.
566:
            Ensures that the Arbitrum sequencer is up and running and
567:
            that the Chainlink feed is fresh.
568:
569:
        assert self._sequencer_up(), "sequencer down"
570:
571:
572:
      answer: int256 = 0
      started_at: uint256 = 0
573:
574:
      updated_at: uint256 = 0
575:
        answered_in_round: uint80 = 0
576:
        round_id, answer, started_at, updated_at, answered_in_round =
self.to_usd_oracle[_token]
577:
        ).latestRoundData()
578:
579:
580:
        assert (block.timestamp - updated_at) < ORACLE_FRESHNESS_THRESHOLD,</pre>
581:
582:
        usd_price: uint256 = convert(answer, uint256) # 8 dec
583:
        return usd_price
```

#### Tool used

Manual review

## Recommendation

Use the corresponding heartbeat ORACLE\_FRESHNESS\_THRESHOLD for each token in the Vault.\_to\_usd\_oracle\_price() function.

## **Discussion**

### **Unstoppable-DeFi**

https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/11



## maarcweiss

Fixed by introducing a mapping that has an individual <code>ORACLE\_FRESHNESS\_THRESHOLD</code> for each token, instead of using the same one for all of them.



# Issue M-7: Vault multihop swaps for any token pair will fail in one direction

Source:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/108

## Found by

0x00ffDa

## **Summary**

The <u>Unstoppable SwapRouter's add\_path()</u> function stores the same swap path for swapping from "token1" to "token2" and from "token2" to "token1". If the swap path starts with the token1 address, swaps from token2 to token1 will fail, and vice versa.

## **Vulnerability Detail**

The administrator must call SwapRouter add\_path() to add support for swaps that use multiple Uniswap pools (multihop swaps). The path provided is a sequence of token addresses and pool fee amounts. The path is stored in the self.paths hashmap using the provided token1 and token2 addresses as the keys. The path is stored twice, once for each ordering of those keys such that the stored path can be accessed easily without sorting the keys.

When a path stored in the Unstoppable Vault is used for a swap, it is obtained by indexing the hashmap first with the address of the input token for the swap:

```
path: Bytes[66] = self.paths[_token_in][_token_out]
```

But, because of the logic in add\_path() described above, the first address in the obtained path could be either \_token\_in or \_token\_out. In the case that it is \_token\_out, the swap will fail as described below.

The stored path is passed along for use by the Uniswap V3 SwapRouter which assumes that the first 2 addresses in the path define the first pool to use. The SwapRouter uses Path.decodeFirstPool() to extract the first address, and it is the first return value thus interpreted as tokenIn for the swap:

```
(address tokenIn, address tokenOut, uint24 fee) = data.path.decodeFirstPool();
```

In the case that the first token address in the path is actually the intended output token for this swap, the Uniswap V3 SwapRouter will attempt to transfer the input amount of the output token and fail because it does not have any allowance to access the Unstoppable SwapRouter contract's balance of the output token.



## **Impact**

The planned margin trading functionality will not work as intended when multihop swaps are required between the margin/debt token and the position token. Since such swaps will work in one direction but fail in the other, traders would either be unable to obtain the desired position or, in the worst case, be unable to exit the position and recover their margin funds. Note that in the latter case, liquidators will also be unable to force exit of over-leveraged positions.

# **Code Snippet**

SwapRouter.add\_path() at <a href="https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/blob/4153c3e67ccc080032ba0bbaffd9a0c56a573070/contracts/margin-dex/SwapRouter.vy#L130-L134">https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/blob/4153c3e67ccc080032ba0bbaffd9a0c56a573070/contracts/margin-dex/SwapRouter.vy#L130-L134</a>

```
@external
def add_path(_token1: address, _token2: address, _path: Bytes[66]):
    assert msg.sender == self.admin, "unauthorized"
    self.paths[_token1][_token2] = _path
    self.paths[_token2][_token1] = _path
```

## **Tool used**

Manual Review

### Recommendation

Modify the SwapRouter add\_path() function: remove the \_token1 and \_token2 parameters and instead infer them from the contents of \_path. Make a reversed copy of the \_path and store both versions in the paths hashmap with key ordering that matches the path being stored. Add Vault tests for multihop swaps.

### **Discussion**

#### 141345

This one will inevitably result in user loss, high severity might be more appropriate.

#### twicek

Escalate for 10 USDC. Assuming this is true: transfer the input amount of the output token. There is no allowance given for the output token, it will always revert as said in the report. If someone can find an example where it leads to loss of funds I agree that it should be high severity, otherwise it should be medium severity.

#### sherlock-admin2



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#### 141345

Recommendation: change the original judging, to medium

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The mentioned case is only 1 scenario. The possible impactful scenario is, token1 is transferred in. But when close the position, the reverse process will revert, causing user fund locked.

Then the admin can use add\_path to rescue the funds by changing the path.

Based on the above, I think medium is appropriate.

### **Unstoppable-DeFi**

https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/12

#### hrishibhat

Result: Medium Unique

Considering this a valid medium based on the above comments

#### sherlock-admin2

Escalations have been resolved successfully!

**Escalation status:** 

twicek: accepted

#### maarcweiss

Fixed by storing both paths from token 1 to token 2 and from token 2 to token 1. Lacking test coverage for this PR though



# Issue M-8: MarginDex::execute\_limit\_order will always revert

Source:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/111

## Found by

Duq

## **Summary**

All calls to the MarginDex's execute\_limit\_order will always revert due the limit order being cleared in storage ahead of a call to remove\_limit\_order.

# **Vulnerability Detail**

The execute\_limit\_order function includes the following logic...

The limit order is being set to empty(LimitOrder) in storage. Then a call to self.\_remove\_limit\_order is called for the same \_uid.

\_remove\_limit\_order has the following logic...

The newly-empty order is read from storage, and it's associated account is used fetch the limit\_order\_uids.

The issue is that this account is the zero address, which is the default value after the order was cleared in the preceding function. This will cause the uids array to be empty, and the loop will revert when i == len(uids) - 1.

# **Impact**

This means that all calls to execute\_limit\_order will revert, and no limit orders can be executed, which is a major piece of functionality for the protocol.

# **Code Snippet**

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/MarginDex.vy#L568-L597

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/MarginDex.vy#L619-L632

## Tool used

Manual Review



## Recommendation

execute\_limit\_order should not clear the limit order in storage before calling remove\_limit\_order. This will allow the limit\_order\_uids to be fetched correctly.

## **Discussion**

## **Unstoppable-DeFi**

https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/15

### maarcweiss

Fixed by removing the code where the limit order was deleted: self.limit\_orders[\_uid] = empty(LimitOrder)



# Issue M-9: Users trying to reduce their positions with market orders will always revert

Source:

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable-judging/issues/120

## **Found by**

The Naubit, Yuki, stopthecap

## **Summary**

Reducing the users' positions with market orders will always revert due to a wrong value assigned to the min\_amount\_out variable when swapping part of the funds out.

## **Vulnerability Detail**

In the Vault contract, there is the reduce\_position function, which is called by the users to reduce their positions. When the function is called, the min\_amount\_out variable used by UniswapV3 as a slippage protection is calculated with the following code:

When the function receives a min\_amount\_out equal to 0, it means the user wants to reduce the position with a market order (for example, to reduce it right now). But in that case, some slippage is calculated to bring some protection to the swap. That protection is calculated with the function \_market\_order\_min\_amount\_out which basically does the following:

The important part (for us) in that code is the call to \_quote\_token\_to\_token, which basically queries the price relation of both tokens and multiply it by the \_amount\_in var. But... if we check the original function (the one I wrote at the beginning of this section), the value passed as \_amount\_in to \_market\_order\_min\_amount\_out is the position\_amount value instead of the amount of the position to be reduced (contained in the var \_reduce\_by\_amount).

And since in the \_swap function we are swapping only the \_reduce\_by\_amount amount and position\_amount is always greater than \_reduce\_by\_amount, the \_min\_amount\_out value that we send in the \_swap function will be always greater than the greatest amount out we could receive, making the \_swap function to always revert thus making the reduce\_position to revert also.

# **Impact**

Users won't be able to reduce their positions using market orders, potentially making them to lose funds due to not being able to reduce their positions in the



right moment (since they should use non-market orders, which may not be right thing for their situation).

# **Code Snippet**

https://github.com/sherlock-audit/2023-06-unstoppable/blob/main/unstoppable-dex-audit/contracts/margin-dex/Vault.vy#L309-L311

## Tool used

Manual Review

## Recommendation

Change the code like this:

## **Discussion**

## **Unstoppable-DeFi**

https://github.com/Unstoppable-DeFi/unstoppable-dex-audit/pull/5

#### maarcweiss

Fixed by shifting the calculation from using the whole position position.position\_amount to the actual amount the user is trying to reduce \_reduce\_by\_amount

