

## Security Assessment & Formal Verification Final Report



## Silo Vault

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# Project Summary

#### **Project Scope**

Project Name	Repository (link)	Latest Commit Hash	Platform
silo-vaults	https://github.com/silo-financ e/silo-contracts-v2/tree/devel op/silo-vaults/contracts	<u>2a93015</u>	EVM

#### **Project Overview**

This document describes the specification and verification of **silo-vaults** using the Certora Prover and manual code review findings. The work was undertaken from **27.1.25** to **10.2.25**.

The following contract list was included in our scope:

```
contracts/SiloVault.sol
contracts/SiloVaultsFactory.sol
contracts/PublicAllocator.sol
contracts/IdleVault.sol
contracts/libraries/ConstantsLib.sol
contracts/libraries/ErrorsLib.sol
contracts/libraries/EventsLib.sol
contracts/libraries/PendingLib.sol
contracts/libraries/VaultIncentivesModule.sol
contracts/incentives/Claiming-logics/SiloIncentivesControllerCL.sol
contracts/incentives/claiming-logics/SiloIncentivesControllerCLFactory.sol
```

The Certora Prover demonstrated that the implementation of the **Solidity** contracts above is correct with respect to the formal rules written by the Certora team. In addition, the team performed a manual audit of all the Solidity contracts. During the verification process and the manual audit, the Certora team discovered bugs in the Solidity contracts code, as listed on the following page.





#### **Protocol Overview**

Silo Vault is an ERC4626 Vault which allows users to deposit an underlying ERC20 asset. The Vault would then invest those underlying asset tokens into other yield-generating and reward-earning ERC4626 vaults called Markets. The Vault allows for privileged roles to add and remove Markets, and for unprivileged users to move funds in between different markets, for a fee.

#### **Findings Summary**

The table below summarizes the findings of the review, including type and severity details.

Severity	Discovered	Confirmed	Fixed
Critical	1	1	1
High	1	1	1
Medium	3	3	2
Low	8	8	7
Informational	2	2	0
Total	15	15	11

#### **Severity Matrix**

	High	Medium	High	Critical
Impact	Medium	Low	Medium	High
	Low	Low	Low	Medium
		Low	Medium	High
	Likelihood			





## **Detailed Findings**

ID	Title	Severity	Status
<u>C-01</u>	Funds could be permanently lost due to a share price inflation attack in ERC4626 markets	Critical	Fixed
<u>H-01</u>	Permissionless skim() function allows draining market tokens	High	Fixed
<u>M-01</u>	Missing VaultIncentivesModule initialization by SiloVaultsFactory	Medium	Fixed
<u>M-02</u>	The Incentive Module's owner can execute arbitrary code on behalf of the Vault	Medium	Fixed
<u>M-03</u>	Public Allocator could be DoS	Medium	Acknowledged
<u>L-01</u>	Factories using CREATE opcode create contracts vulnerable to reorgs	Low	Fixed
<u>L-02</u>	Vault does not revoke its infinite approval from removed markets	Low	Fixed
<u>L-03</u>	Vault's transfer and transferFrom are not protected for reentrancy	Low	Fixed





<u>L-04</u>	Insufficient gas for PublicAllocator's native fee collection	Low	Fixed
<u>L-05</u>	Fee Recipient could lose rewards for newly generated fees	Low	Fixed
<u>L-06</u>	Vault could be vulnerable to an inflation attack	Low	Fixed
<u>L-07</u>	Faulty or malicious markets could drain the Vault	Low	Partially fixed
<u>L-08</u>	Removing an active Notification Receiver could drain the incentive program	Low	Acknowledged
<u>I-01</u>	Rewards distribution consumes a lot of gas	Info	Acknowledged
<u>I-02</u>	Redundant setting of withdrawn variable to O	Info	Acknowledged





#### **Critical Severity Issues**

C-01 Funds could be permanently lost due to a share price inflation attack in
ERC4626 markets

Severity: Critical	Impact: <b>High</b>	Likelihood: <b>High</b>
Files: <u>SiloVault.sol</u> IdleVault.sol	Status: Fixed in <u>9f6a931</u>	

**Description:** As the markets themselves are ERC4626, a share inflation attack (first depositor) in any of them may result in the vault being drained, as users can call the reallocateTo() or the deposit() functions to constantly deposit into the vulnerable ERC4626 and lose funds.

The way the standard implementation of ERC4626 deals with a first depositor attack is by making such an attack unprofitable for an attacker, which will discourage anyone from actually inflating the share price. An attacker would need to invest a certain amount of funds in order to inflate the price, and that amount must be greater than any loss caused due to rounding to any future depositor.

The implied assumption is that the victim must be front-runned and will not repeat this deposit more than once. This assumption does not actually hold true in our case because the attacker has some control over the Silo Vault. He can control how many times the vault deposits into the ERC4626 market, repeating this action as many times as he wants via the reallocateTo() function in the PublicAllocator.sol contract which would cost the attacker some fees, or via the deposit() function if the vulnerable market is the next market in the supplyQueue (This could be forced by taking a large flashloan and filling up the caps of the markets ahead of it in the queue), and controlling the amount that is being deposited (making it such that the rounding errors would be most impactful).

While it would be best for an attacker if he would be able to inflate the share price in any regular market (as he would be able to be a shareholder in that market and gain the funds that the Silo Vault will lose), there's no guarantee that it would be possible. However, the Idle Vault should





always be vulnerable to a share price inflation attack. It inherits from the standard ERC4626 implementation and it restricts anyone who isn't the Silo Vault from being a shareholder. In that case, the attacker can forcibly make the Silo Vault withdraw the funds from there (if caps allow it) and inflate the share price through a donation. After the inflation, the attacker can force the Silo Vault to deposit funds into the Idle Vault that will be lost due to rounding, causing a permanent loss of funds, as they will be owned by the "virtual user" in the Idle Vault.

**Recommendations:** Firstly, we would recommend adding a sanity check that whenever the Silo Vault deposits funds into an ERC4626 market, the difference in Silo Vault-owned assets reported by the market is not too different from the amount that was actually deposited. Secondly, we would recommend setting the \_decimalsOffset() in the Idle Vault to be very large (say, 18). This would make the amount that the user would need to "gift" the market in order to significantly inflate the share price very large and impractical.

Lastly, we would also recommend making a design change and cap the amounts that could be deposited (decrease back when funds are withdrawn) into each market (and not just the amount that it currently **holds** on the Silo Vault's behalf). This could limit any damage to the Silo Vault that could occur as a result of a faulty market.

Customer's response: Fixed in <u>9f6a931</u>.

**Fix Review:** Issue fixed. Note that an inflation of a market's share price beyond the threshold may result in the entire transaction reverting rather than just skipping the market.





#### **High Severity Issues**

H–01 Permissionless skim() function allows draining market tokens		
Severity: High	Impact: <b>High</b>	Likelihood: Medium
Files: <u>SiloVault.sol</u>	Status: Fixed in <u>64f76ca</u>	Violated property: <u>P-08</u>

**Description:** The skim() function in SiloVault can be used to transfer ERC-20 assets held by the SiloVault contract to a predefined skimRecipient. While it's true that SiloVault doesn't directly hold any assets because all deposits are immediately routed to the markets, the market shares minted in exchange for these deposits can be seen as ERC-20 assets, because ERC-4626 markets have an ERC-20 sub-interface.

```
JavaScript
File: SiloVault.sol
         /// @inheritdoc ISiloVaultBase
492·
         function skim(address _token) external virtual {
493:
494:
             if (skimRecipient == address(0)) revert ErrorsLib.ZeroAddress();
495:
             uint256 amount = _ERC20BalanceOf(_token, address(this));
496:
497:
498:
             IERC20(_token).safeTransfer(skimRecipient, amount);
499:
             emit EventsLib.Skim(_msgSender(), _token, amount);
500:
501:
         }
```

**Exploit Scenario:** It is possible for anyone to use the skim() function to move market share balance away from the Vault with the effect of deflating the Vault's asset supply, which would deflate the Vault's share price and allow anyone to mint a very large amount of shares at a discount, practically nullifying the value of the pre-existing shares. If the skimRecipient sends the markets' shares back to Vault, the attacker would then be able to withdraw his over-minted shares and drain the returned assets from the Vault. Even if the skimRecipient doesn't send the





funds back, the attacker could permanently DoS the Vault by deflating the share price. When all the assets have been removed from the Vault, new deposits would mint more shares than the previous totalSupply() of shares. By repeating this process, the attacker could further deflate the share price, making it such that type(uint256).max shares would be worth 1 asset, at which point the Vault will be permanently bricked.

**Recommendations:** Make the skim() function permissioned and/or prevent its call with any \_token that is present in the Vault's supplyQueue or withdrawQueue.

Customer's response: Fixed in <u>64f76ca</u>.





#### **Medium Severity Issues**

M-01 Missing VaultIncentivesModule initialization by SiloVaultsFactory		
Severity: Medium	Impact: <b>Low</b>	Likelihood: <b>High</b>
Files: <u>SiloVaultsFactory.sol</u>	Status: Fixed in <u>b0cb7a8</u>	

**Description:** When creating a SiloVault, SiloVaultsFactory also creates a VaultIncentivesModule by cloning a pre-existing instance used as implementation. The newly created VaultIncentivesModule is a proxy that was not initialized, in particular on its owner storage slot.

```
JavaScript
File: SiloVaultsFactory.sol
34
       /// @inheritdoc ISiloVaultsFactory
35:
        function createSiloVault(
36:
            address initialOwner,
37:
            uint256 initialTimelock,
38:
            address asset,
            string memory name,
39:
40:
            string memory symbol
        ) external virtual returns (ISiloVault siloVault) {
41:
42:
            VaultIncentivesModule vaultIncentivesModule = VaultIncentivesModule(
43:
                Clones.clone(VAULT_INCENTIVES_MODULE_IMPLEMENTATION)
44:
            );
45:
            siloVault = ISiloVault(address(
46:
47:
                new SiloVault(initialOwner, initialTimelock, vaultIncentivesModule, asset,
name, symbol))
48:
            );
49:
50:
            isSiloVault[address(siloVault)] = true;
51:
            emit EventsLib.CreateSiloVault(
52:
```





```
53: address(siloVault), msg.sender, initialOwner, initialTimelock, asset, name,
symbol
54: );
55: }
```

**Exploit Scenario:** VaultIncentivesModule instances created through the SiloVaults factory are unusable because they come with no owner.

**Recommendations:** Add an initializer function to VaultIncentivesModule that could be called after cloning.

Customer's response: Fixed in <u>bOcb7a8</u>.





### M-O2 The Incentive Module's owner can execute arbitrary code on behalf of the Vault

Severity: <b>Medium</b>	Impact: <b>High</b>	Likelihood: <b>Low</b>
Files: <u>SiloVault.sol</u> <u>VaultIncentivesModule</u> <u>.sol</u>	Status: Fixed in <u>e1052c3</u>	

**Description:** When the function \_claimRewards() is being called, the Vault delegatecalls the addresses in the logics[] array:

```
JavaScript
function _claimRewards() internal virtual {
    address[] memory logics = INCENTIVES_MODULE.getAllIncentivesClaimingLogics();
    bytes memory data =
    abi.encodeWithSelector(IIncentivesClaimingLogic.claimRewardsAndDistribute.selector);
    for (uint256 i; i < logics.length; i++) {
        (bool success,) = logics[i].delegatecall(data);
        if (!success) revert ErrorsLib.ClaimRewardsFailed();
    }
}</pre>
```

However, those addresses come from the Incentive Module and are controlled by the Incentive Module's owner (which is presumably the same one as the Vault's owner) via the addIncentivesClaimingLogic() function in VaultIncentivesModule.sol.

According to the design of the protocol, the Owner should not have unlimited power, and he should be restricted both by the code itself and by the Vault's guardian, which is supposed to have the power to restrict the Owner from performing certain actions.





**Exploit Scenario:** A malicious Owner of the Incentive Module can deploy a contract that features the claimRewardsAndDistribute() function with arbitrary logic, add that contract as one of the addresses in the logics[] array and execute whatever he wants unopposed.

**Recommendations:** Change the Incentive Module to be more consistent with the design of the Vault and add a Guardian and a timelock. That way, there would be at least some restriction on the power of the owner.

Customer's response: Fixed in e1052c3.





M-03 Public Allocator could be DoS			
Severity: <b>Medium</b>	Impact: <b>Medium</b>	Likelihood: <b>Medium</b>	
Files: <u>SiloVault.sol</u> <u>PublicAllocator.sol</u>	Status: Acknowledged		

**Description:** Users can move funds between markets through two different mechanisms. One is by depositing and withdrawing from the Vault, and the other is through the public allocator (an action which costs fees). The existence of both of these mechanisms simultaneously enables all sorts of DoS and griefing attacks. For example, a user could pay the required fee and call the public allocator in order to move funds from one market to another. A different user could then immediately ruin this allocation by either calling the Public Allocator again (and also paying fees), or by depositing and withdrawing a large amount (for example by taking a flashloan), which would change the allocation according to the Supply and the Withdraw queues.

Similarly, a user could DoS the allocation to certain markets using the Public Allocator by filling the flowCaps. For example, a user could target a certain market and transfer the maximal possible amount to it. After the flowCap has been reached, the user can move those funds out (again, by depositing and withdrawing a large amount, which would move the funds back to the "natural" allocation), which would DoS any future attempt to move those funds back again into that market using the Public allocator.

**Recommendations:** The existence of two separate mechanisms to move funds in between markets could result in them interfering with each other. Assess whether or not this is an acceptable risk and consider making a design change.

In the context of the Public Allocator, we would also recommend allowing users to specify withdrawal.amount = type(uint256).max as a convention to move the maximum amount, which might prevent some unintended DoS occurring as a result of several users interacting with the protocol simultaneously.





**Customer's response:** We can remove the public allocator at any point and we can change the fee at any point without a timelock. Risk accepted.





#### Low Severity Issues

L-01 Factories using CREATE opcode create contracts vulnerable to reorgs			
Severity: <b>Low</b>	Impact: <b>Medium</b>	Likelihood: <b>Low</b>	
Files: <u>SiloVaultsFactory.sol</u> <u>SiloIncentivesControlle</u> <u>rCLFactory.sol</u>	Status: Fixed in <u>aadcad1</u>		

**Description:** Both factories in scope SiloIncentivesControllerCLFactory and SiloVaultFactory, create contracts using the CREATE opcode. This is an opcode that is especially insecure for factories that permissionlessly create contracts that hold assets, because frontrunning attacks and/or reorgs can divert funds to contracts other than the intended ones.

```
JavaScript
File: SiloVaultsFactory.sol
            VaultIncentivesModule vaultIncentivesModule = VaultIncentivesModule(
42 :
43:
                Clones.clone(VAULT_INCENTIVES_MODULE_IMPLEMENTATION)
44 :
            );
45:
46:
            siloVault = ISiloVault(address(
47:
                new SiloVault(initialOwner, initialTimelock, vaultIncentivesModule, asset,
name, symbol))
            );
48:
File: SiloIncentivesControllerCLFactory.sol
            logic = new SiloIncentivesControllerCL(_vaultIncentivesController,
16:
_siloIncentivesController);
```

**Exploit Scenario:** Alice sends two transactions to the mempool, one to create a vault, and another one to fund it with its own assets at its expected address A. Bob observes these two transactions and frontruns Alice's creation transaction. Bob's SiloVault will be created at address





A, Alice's will be created at address B, but Alice's second transaction will fund Bob's vault instead of hers.

**Recommendations:** Consider using CREATE2 with a deterministic salt ideally dependent on the Vault's owner.

Customer's response: Fixed in <u>aadcad1</u>.





L-02 Vault does not revoke its infinite approval from removed markets					
Severity: <b>Low</b>	Impact: Low Likelihood: Low				
Files: <u>SiloVault.sol</u>	Status: Fixed in <u>5bca45d</u>	Violated property: <u>P-08</u>			

**Description:** When ERC4626 markets are registered on the Vault, an approval of an infinite amount of the asset token is granted to the added markets. This approval is however not revoked when markets are removed.

```
JavaScript
File: SiloVault.sol
338:
                 if (!seen[i]) {
339:
                     IERC4626 market = withdrawQueue[i];
340:
341:
                     if (config[market].cap != 0) revert
ErrorsLib.InvalidMarketRemovalNonZeroCap(market);
                     if (pendingCap[market].validAt != 0) revert
342:
ErrorsLib.PendingCap(market);
343:
344:
                     if (_ERC20BalanceOf(address(market), address(this)) != 0) {
345:
                         if (config[market].removableAt == 0) revert
ErrorsLib.InvalidMarketRemovalNonZeroSupply(market);
346:
347:
                         if (block.timestamp < config[market].removableAt) {</pre>
                              revert ErrorsLib.InvalidMarketRemovalTimelockNotElapsed(market);
348:
349:
                         }
                     }
350:
351:
352:
                     delete config[market];
_ _ _
File: SiloVault.sol
808:
             // one time approval, so market can pull any amount of tokens from SiloVault in
a future
809:
             IERC20(asset()).forceApprove(address(_market), type(uint256).max);
```





Exploit Scenario: We don't foresee any likely exploit scenario for this finding.

**Recommendations:** Revoke asset approvals to markets when they are removed.

Customer's response: Fixed in <u>5bca45d</u>.





L-03 Vault's transfer and transferFrom are not protected for reentrancy		
Severity: <b>Low</b>	Impact: <b>Medium</b>	Likelihood: <b>Low</b>
Files: <u>SiloVault.sol</u>	Status: Fixed in <u>d4a72f4</u>	

**Description:** The Vault's \_update() function overridden implementation performs several external calls within the \_claimRewards() and \_afterTokenTransfer() internal calls.

```
JavaScript
File: SiloVault.sol
        function _update(address _from, address _to, uint256 _value) internal virtual
922 :
override {
_ _ _
             _claimRewards();
931:
933:
             super._update(_from, _to, _value);
             if (_value == 0) return;
935:
937:
             _afterTokenTransfer(_from, _to, _value);
938:
         }
```

Among the external entry points that trigger an \_update() internal call, we have transfer() and transferFrom() that aren't overridden from the contract's ERC4626/ERC20 parents, and therefore aren't protected from reentrancy like mint(), deposit(), redeem(), withdraw() are.

**Exploit Scenario:** While an exploit scenario is somewhat unlikely due to the controlled nature of the called contracts, we believe that there is a potential for using reentrancy to change the order in which external calls to the downstream incentive claiming logic and INotificationReceiver contracts are made.

**Recommendations:** Protect the transfer() and transferFrom() functions with reentrancy guards.

Customer's response: Fixed in <u>d4a72f4</u>.









L-04 Insufficient gas for PublicAllocator's native fee collection		
Severity: <b>Low</b>	Impact: <b>Medium</b>	Likelihood: <b>Low</b>
Files: <u>PublicAllocator.sol</u>	Status: Fixed in <u>a7af71d</u>	

**Description:** The PublicAllocator contract allows withdrawing fees collected in native tokens via the transferFee() function. This function sends the tokens to a provided feeRecipient however using an unnecessarily strict transfer() call which limits the transfer gas to 2300. This gas amount can be insufficient if feeRecipient is a contract.

```
JavaScript
File: PublicAllocator.sol
88:
       /// @inheritdoc IPublicAllocatorBase
       function transferFee(ISiloVault vault, address payable feeRecipient) external virtual
89:
onlyAdminOrVaultOwner(vault) {
          uint256 claimed = accruedFee[vault];
90:
           accruedFee[vault] = 0;
91:
92:
           feeRecipient.transfer(claimed);
            emit EventsLib.TransferFee(msg.sender, vault, claimed, feeRecipient);
93:
94:
       }
```

**Exploit Scenario:** The Gnosis multisig is a popular example for which the provided gas would not suffice to complete the reception of native tokens.

**Recommendations:** Forward all available gas, for example via the call keyword:

```
JavaScript
feeRecipient.call{value: claimed}("")
```

Customer's response: Fixed in <u>a7af71d</u>.









L-05 Fee Recipient could lose rewards for newly generated fees		
Severity: <b>Low</b>	Impact: <b>Low</b>	Likelihood: <b>Medium</b>
Files: <u>SiloVault.sol</u>	Status: Fixed in <u>6a5f76a</u>	

**Description:** There is an inconsistency in the way the Vault treats the rewards that were generated since the last time the Vault was updated.

If a user mints, redeems or transfers shares, the \_accrueFee() function is being called before \_claimRewards(). As \_accrueFee()mints some amount of shares for the Fee Recipient, this means that Fee Recipient will receive a larger share of the newly generated rewards than he would if fees were not accrued first.

However, rewards generated since the last update could also be claimed by calling the claimRewards() function, but this function does not accrue fees and therefore does not mint new shares to the Fee Recipient before the generated rewards are distributed.

```
JavaScript
function claimRewards() public virtual {
    _nonReentrantOn();
    _claimRewards();
    _nonReentrantOff();
}
```

The implication is that whenever claimRewards() would be called, the Fee Recipient would earn slightly less rewards.





**Recommendations:** The claimRewards() function could be modified to accrue fees before the rewards are being distributed.

JavaScript	
	<pre>function claimRewards() public virtual {   _nonReentrantOn();</pre>
	_updateLastTotalAssets(_accrueFee());
	_claimRewards();
1	_nonReentrantOff();
}	

Customer's response: Fixed in <u>6a5f76a</u>.





L-06 Vault could be vulnerable to an inflation attack		
Severity: <b>Low</b>	Impact: <b>Medium</b>	Likelihood: <b>Low</b>
Files: <u>SiloVault.sol</u>	Status: Fixed in <u>5d9a39e</u>	

**Description:** Silo Vault inherits from the standard Open-Zeppelin implementation of ERC4626, which uses the \_decimalsOffset() to determine the initial shares to assets ratio of the vault.

As stated before, the standard implementation deals with an inflation attack (first depositor attack) by disincentivizing users from inflating the share price, as this would cost the attacker more than what any one victim would lose in a single deposit due to rounding.

However, if \_decimalsOffset() is set to 0, this would be a tight bound, meaning that this attack could be profitable for an attacker even if there would be only two later deposits that will lose funds due to rounding.

In the case of the Silo Vault, the \_decimalsOffset() would be 0 for any asset that has at least 18 decimals.

```
JavaScript
DECIMALS_OFFSET = uint8(UtilsLib.zeroFloorSub(18, IERC20Metadata(_asset).decimals()));
```

**Recommendations:** Increase \_decimalsOffset() for all assets, which would exponentially increase the ratio between the amount that an attacker would need to invest to inflate the share price and the maximal amount that any victim would lose in a single deposit.

Customer's response: Fixed in <u>5d9a39e</u>.





L-07 Faulty or malicious markets could drain the Vault			
Severity: <b>Low</b>	Impact: <b>Medium</b>	Likelihood: <b>Low</b>	
Files: <u>SiloVault.sol</u>	Status: Fixed in <u>08a3bf3</u>		

**Description:** Markets report the amount of assets they currently hold on behalf of the Vault. As the Vault imposes the market's cap on the amount that the market currently holds (and not on the amount that was actually deposited), it means that any faulty market could lead to the vault being drained, as there would not be any limitations on moving more funds into the market. A malicious market could also falsely report that it holds a large amount of assets, which would lead to an inflation of the vault's share price and to the possible draining of vault's funds invested in other markets.

**Recommendations:** Be aware of the dangers of adding a faulty or a malicious market. Consider capping the amounts that could be deposited into each market to deal with a faulty market, and perhaps even capping the markets' maximal reported revenue for a period of time to deal with a malicious market that attempts to inflate the vault's share price, if that's a concern.

#### Customer's response: Fixed in <u>O8a3bf3</u>.

**Fix Review:** Issue partially fixed. A malicious market can still report an incorrect amount to reduce balanceTracker[] if the priviliged syncBalanceTracker() function is being called without the override flag, and can still report a very large amount in previewRedeem() to manipulate totalAssets() and withdraw more than his fair share in Silo Vault. That risk was accepted by the client.





L-08 Removing an active Notification Receiver could drain the incentive program			
Severity: <b>Low</b>	Impact: <b>Medium</b>	Likelihood: <b>Low</b>	
Files: <u>VaultIncentivesModule</u> <u>.sol</u> <u>SiloVault.sol</u>	Status: Acknowledged		

**Description:** Removing a Notification Receiver from the Incentive Module would allow users to transfer their shareToken without updating the state of the incentive program. As the accrued rewards are proportional to the amount of shareToken held by the users, it would be possible to transfer a large amount of shareToken from one address to the other without updating the state, claiming a large amount of rewards on behalf of a different address each time.

**Recommendations:** Be careful when you remove a Notification Receiver from the Incentive Module.

Customer's response: Risk accepted.





#### **Informational Severity Issues**

#### I-01. Rewards distribution consumes a lot of gas

**Description:** The \_claimRewards() function is being called frequently (every time the \_update() function is being called) and it may consume a lot of gas. It iterates over all the claiming logics of every market, claiming rewards from those markets and distributing them back to the users through the Vault's own incentive program.

**Recommendation:** Consider adding a \_lastUpdated variable in the Vault to keep track of the last time rewards were distributed. If rewards have already been distributed in the current block, no new rewards should be distributed and therefore the rewards distribution code could be skipped.

Another improvement that could be considered is to optimize the amount of times that immediateDistribution() is being called. Currently, the same rewardToken could be distributed many times in the same transaction, once for each claiming logic. If instead the distribution process would only happen after all the rewards from all the markets have been claimed, it would be possible to only distribute the rewards once for each rewardToken.

Customer's response: Risk accepted.





#### I-02. Redundant setting of withdrawn variable to 0

**Description:** The withdrawn variable in SiloVault.sol line 383 is being set to 0, but this appears to be redundant. The new value of withdrawn is only being used if the supplyShares variable is 0, but then the supplyAssets variable should also be 0 and therefore the withdrawn variable should be set to 0 in line 374.

**Recommendation:** Consider removing this line.

Customer's response: Risk accepted.





## **Formal Verification**

#### **Verification Notations**

Formally Verified	The rule is verified for every state of the contract(s), under the assumptions of the scope/requirements in the rule.
Formally Verified After Fix	The rule was violated due to an issue in the code and was successfully verified after fixing the issue
Violated	A counter-example exists that violates one of the assertions of the rule.

#### **General Assumptions and Simplifications**

- 1. We work with objects inherited from the original contracts that we call harnesses. In the inherited objects we add more view methods, flags, etc. In cases where it was not possible to collect the required information via the inherited object.
- 2. We replaced some functions with equivalent CVL implementations. Notably *mulDiv*, *safeTransfer and safeTransferFrom*. This speeds up the verification process and doesn't affect the results.
- 3. We assume that loops are not iterated through more than two times.





#### **Formal Verification Properties**

#### **Module General Assumptions**

We introduced two more mappings to the SiloVault contract:

- mapping(address => uint256) public withdrawRank
- mapping(address => uint256) public deletedAt

We also modify some of its methods to correctly maintain these. These changes don't affect the original functionality of the contract and help us to verify rules about the withdrawQueue.

#### **Module Properties**

#### P-01. Reachable states are consistent Status: Verified **Rule Name** Status Description Link to rule report noFeeToUnsetFeeRe Verified If feeRecepient is not set then fee() returns zero. Run link cipient Run link supplyCapIsEnabled Verified If the market has a cap greater than 0 then it is enabled. Verified If the market has a pending cap then its token is the Run link pendingSupplyCapH asConsistentAsset same as the asset of the vault. If the market is enabled then its token is the same as enabledHasConsiste Verified Run link ntAsset the asset of the vault. Verified If the market has a non-zero supply cap then it's not Run link supplyCapIsNotMark edForRemoval marked for removal. (I.e., removableAt == 0} notEnabledIsNotMark Verified If the market is enabled then it's not marked for Run link edForRemoval removal. (I.e., removableAt == 0}



gthInRange

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pendingCaplsNotMar kedForRemoval	Verified	<i>If the market has a pending cap then it's not marked for removal. (I.e., removableAt == 0}</i>	<u>Run link</u>
newSupplyQueueEns uresPositiveCap	Verified	<i>Method SetSupplyQueue can only add markets with non-zero caps.</i>	<u>Run link</u>

P-02. Contract variables stay within allowed ranges				
Status: Verified				
Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report	
pendingTimelockl nRange	Verified	pendingTimelock_ is within minTimelock and maxTimelock at all times.	<u>Run link</u>	
timelockInRange	Verified	timelock is within minTimelock and maxTimelock at all times.	<u>Run link</u>	
feeInRange	Verified	fee is less than maxFee at all times.	<u>Run link</u>	
supplyQueueLen	Verified	The length of SupplyQueue is less than	<u>Run link</u>	

maxQueueLength at all times.

maxQueueLength at all times.

The length of WithdrawQueue is less than

pendingCap.value is never larger than 2^184.

<u>Run link</u>

<u>Run link</u>





P-03. Pending values are consistent				
Status: Verified				
Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report	
noBadPending Timelock	Verified	pendingTimelock.validAt is zero if and only if the pendingTimelock value is zero.	<u>Run link</u>	
smallerPending Timelock	Verified	The pending timelock value is always strictly smaller than the current timelock value.	<u>Run link</u>	
noBadPending Cap	Verified	pendingCap.validAt is zero if and only if the pendingCap value is zero.	<u>Run link</u>	
greaterPending Cap	Verified	The pending cap value is either 0 or strictly greater than the current cap value.	<u>Run link</u>	
noBadPending Guardian	Verified	lf pendingGuardian.validAt is zero then pendingGuardian value is the zero address.	<u>Run link</u>	
differentPendin gGuardian	Verified	The pending guardian is either the zero address or it is different from the current guardian.	<u>Run link</u>	





#### P-04. Roles hierarchy

Status: Verified			
Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report
ownerlsGuardian	Verified	If the Guardian can perform an action then the Owner can also perform it.	<u>Run link</u>
ownerlsCurator	Verified	<i>If the Curator can perform an action then the Owner can also perform it.</i>	<u>Run link</u>
curatorIsAllocator	Verified	If the Allocator can perform an action then the Curator can also perform it.	<u>Run link</u>

### P-05. Methods update balances correctly

Status: Verified			
Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report
depositTokenChange	Verified	Depositing correctly updates balances of all involved parties.	<u>Run link</u>
withdrawTokenChange	Verified	Withdrawing correctly updates balances of all involved parties.	<u>Run link</u>
reallocateTokenChange	Verified	Calling reallocate doesn't affect balances of SiloVault, msg.sender or any market.	<u>Run link</u>





P-06. Timelocks work correctly					
Status: Verified					
Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report		
guardianUpdateTime	Verified	No change of guardian can happen before the timelock.	<u>Run link</u>		
capIncreaseTime	Verified	No increase of cap can happen before the timelock.	<u>Run link</u>		
timelockDecreaseTime	Verified	No decrease of timelock can happen before the timelock.	<u>Run link</u>		

### P-07. Consistency of Supply and Withdraw queues

Status: Verified

Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report
enabledIsInWithdrawal Queue	Verified	<i>If the market is enabled then it's in the WithdrawQueue.</i>	<u>Run link</u>
inWithdrawQueuelsEna bled	Verified	If the market is in the WithdrawQueue then it is enabled.	<u>Run link</u>
nonZeroCapHasPositiv eRank	Verified	lf the market has a non-zero cap then it's in the WithdrawQueue.	<u>Run link</u>
distinctIdentifiers	Verified	There are no duplicate markets in the withdrawQueue.	<u>Run link</u>





addedToSupplyQThenI sInWithdrawQ	Verified	If a market is added to the supplyQueue then it is present in the withdrawQueue.	<u>Run link</u>

#### P-08. Risk assessment

Status:	Verified	after	fix
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Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report
canPauseSupply	Verified	The allocator is able to pause supply by setting an empty supplyQueue. After the pause, all deposits and mints revert.	<u>Run link</u>
noDelegateCalls	Verified	No delegateCall happens, i.e. the contract is truly immutable.	<u>Run link</u>
reentrancySafe	Verified	There are no untrusted external calls, ensuring notably reentrancy safety.	<u>Run link</u>
noCapThenNoApproval	Verified after fix	If a market has zero cap then SiloVault does not have approval of the asset token for it.	<u>Run link</u>
notInWithdrawQThenNo Approval	Verified after fix	<i>If a market is not in the withdraw queue, then SiloVault does not have approval of the asset token for it. Reported issue <u>L-02</u>.</i>	<u>Run link</u>
onlySpecicifiedMethods CanDecreaseMarketBala nce	Verified after fix	SiloVault's balance of market tokens can decrease only via withdraw, redeem or reallocate calls. Reported issue <u>H-01</u> .	<u>Run link</u>





P-09. Methods revert on incorrect inputs and don't revert otherwise				
Status: Verified				
Rule Name	Status	Description	Link to rule report	
setCuratorRevertCondition	Verified	setCurator reverts if and only if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>	
setIsAllocatorRevertConditi on	Verified	setAllocator reverts if and only if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>	
setSkimRecipientRevertCon dition	Verified	setSkimRecipient reverts if and only if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>	
setFeeInputValidation	Verified	setFee reverts if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>	
setFeeRecipientInputValidat ion	Verified	setFeeRecipient reverts if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>	
submitGuardianRevertCond ition	Verified	submitGuardian reverts if and only if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>	
submitCapRevertCondition	Verified	submitCap reverts if and only if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>	
submitMarketRemovalRever tCondition	Verified	submitMarketRemoval reverts if and only if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>	
setSupplyQueueInputValida tion	Verified	setSupplyQueue reverts if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>	
updateWithdrawQueueInput Validation	Verified	updateWithdrawQueue reverts if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>	





reallocateInputValidation	Verified	reallocate reverts if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>
revokePendingTimelockRev ertCondition	Verified	revokePendingTimelock reverts if and only if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>
revokePendingGuardianRev ertCondition	Verified	revokePendingGuardian reverts if and only if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>
revokePendingCapRevertC ondition	Verified	revokePendingCap reverts if and only if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>
revokePendingCapRevertC ondition	Verified	revokePendingCap reverts if and only if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>
revokePendingMarketRemo valRevertCondition	Verified	revokePendingMarketRemoval reverts if and only if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>
acceptTimelockRevertCondi tion	Verified	acceptTimelock reverts if and only if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>
acceptGuardianRevertCond ition	Verified	acceptGuardian reverts if and only if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>
acceptCapInputValidation	Verified	acceptCap reverts if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>
skimRevertCondition	Verified	skim reverts if and only if the specified conditions occur.	<u>Run link</u>





# **Mitigation Review**

### **Project Scope**

Project Name	Repository (link)	Latest Commit Hash	Platform
silo-vaults	https://github.com/silo-financ e/silo-contracts-v2/tree/devel op/silo-vaults/contracts	<u>2a93015</u>	EVM

#### **Project Overview**

This section describes issues that were discovered by the Certora team during the mitigation review of **silo-vaults** following the changes that were made by the Silo team to address issues that were found by the Certora team and other auditors. The work was undertaken from **5.3.25** to **22.4.25**.

The following contract list was included in our scope:

```
contracts/SiloVault.sol
contracts/SiloVaultsFactory.sol
contracts/PublicAllocator.sol
contracts/IdleVault.sol
contracts/IdleVaultsFactory.sol
contracts/libraries/ConstantsLib.sol
contracts/libraries/ErrorsLib.sol
contracts/libraries/EventsLib.sol
contracts/libraries/PendingLib.sol
contracts/libraries/SiloVaultActionsLib.sol
contracts/incentives/VaultIncentivesModule.sol
contracts/incentives/claiming-logics/SiloIncentivesControllerCL.sol
contracts/incentives/claiming-logics/SiloIncentivesControllerCLFactory.sol
```





# **Findings Summary**

The table below summarizes the findings of the review, including type and severity details.

Severity	Discovered	Confirmed	Fixed
Critical	0	0	0
High	0	0	0
Medium	2	2	2
Low	1	1	0
Informational	3	3	0
Total	6	6	2

# **Severity Matrix**

	High	Medium	High	Critical	
Impact	Medium	Low	Medium	High	
	Low	Low	Low	Medium	
		Low	Medium	High	
		Likelihood			





# **Detailed Findings**

ID	Title	Severity	Status
<u>M-01</u>	Guardian can perform active operations	Medium	Fixed
<u>M-02</u>	Legitimate deposits into markets could be skipped	Medium	Fixed
<u>L-01</u>	First depositor could still deflate the share price using calls to reallocate	Low	Acknowledged
<u>I-01</u>	Unnecessary assignment inside of loop	Info	Acknowledged
<u>I-02</u>	Off-by-one discrepancy with validAt	Info	Acknowledged
<u>I-03</u>	Residual unused code	Info	Acknowledged





# **Medium Severity Issues**

M-01 Guardian can perform active operations				
Severity: Medium	Impact: <b>High</b>	Likelihood: <b>Low</b>		
Files: <u>VaultIncentivesModule</u> .sol	Status: Fixed in <u>e1052c3</u>			

Description:FunctionslikesubmitIncentivesClaimingLogic()andremoveIncentivesClaimingLogic()were set with a onlyGuardianRole modifier.This contradicts the general permission scheme which allows the Guardian to only revoke active

actions taken by the Owner and other privileged users.

```
JavaScript
File: SiloVaultsFactory.sol
53:
       function submitIncentivesClaimingLogic(
           IERC4626 _market,
54:
55:
           IIncentivesClaimingLogic _logic
       ) external virtual onlyGuardianRole {
56:
57:
           require(address(_logic) != address(0), AddressZero());
           require(!_claimingLogics[_market].contains(address(_logic)), LogicAlreadyAdded());
58:
           require(pendingClaimingLogics[_market][_logic] == 0, LogicAlreadyPending());
59:
60:
          uint256 timelock = vault.timelock();
61:
62:
          unchecked { pendingClaimingLogics[_market][_logic] = block.timestamp + timelock; }
63:
64:
           emit SubmitIncentivesClaimingLogic(_market, _logic);
65:
66:
      }
_ _ _
88:
       function removeIncentivesClaimingLogic(IERC4626 _market, IIncentivesClaimingLogic
_logic)
89:
           external
```





```
90:
           virtual
91:
           onlyGuardianRole
92 :
       {
93 :
           require(_claimingLogics[_market].contains(address(_logic)), LogicNotFound());
94:
           _claimingLogics[_market].remove(address(_logic));
95:
96:
97:
           if (_claimingLogics[_market].length() == 0) {
98:
               _markets.remove(address(_market));
           }
99:
100:
101:
           emit IncentivesClaimingLogicRemoved(_market, _logic);
102:
       }
```

**Recommendations:** Change the modifier of these functions to OnlyOwner.

Customer's response: Fixed in e1052c3.

Fix Review: Issue fixed.





#### M-02 Legitimate deposits into markets could be skipped

Severity: <b>Medium</b>	Impact: <b>Low</b>	Likelihood: <b>High</b>
Files: <u>SiloVault.sol</u>	Status: Fixed in <u>39f1d3c</u>	

**Description:** In the realistic scenario where balanceTracker[market] is greater than supplyAssets and the cap is large enough, the following holds:

```
newBalance = balanceTracker[market] + toSupply = supplyCap +
balanceTracker[market] - supplyAssets > supplyCap
```

Which means that nothing would be deposited into the market, and it will be skipped.

```
JavaScript
    function _supplyERC4626(uint256 _assets) internal virtual {
        uint256 length = supplyQueue.length;
        for (uint256 i; i < length; ++i) {</pre>
            IERC4626 market = supplyQueue[i];
            uint256 supplyCap = config[market].cap;
            if (supplyCap == 0) continue;
            // Update internal balance for market to include interest if any.
            // `supplyAssets` needs to be rounded up for `toSupply` to be rounded down.
            uint256 supplyAssets = _updateInternalBalanceForMarket(market);
            uint256 toSupply = UtilsLib.min(UtilsLib.zeroFloorSub(supplyCap, supplyAssets),
_assets);
            if (toSupply != 0) {
                uint256 newBalance = balanceTracker[market] + toSupply;
                // As `_supplyBalance` reads the balance directly from the market,
                // we have additional check to ensure that the market did not report wrong
supply.
```





```
if (newBalance <= supplyCap) {
    // Using try/catch to skip markets that revert.
    try market.deposit(toSupply, address(this)) {
        _assets -= toSupply;
        balanceTracker[market] = newBalance;
        } catch {}
    }
    if (_assets == 0) return;
}

if (_assets != 0) revert ErrorsLib.AllCapsReached();
}</pre>
```

**Recommendations:** Change the way toSupply is calculated in a way that it will not be greater from either UtilsLib.zeroFloorSub(supplyCap, balanceTracker[market]) or \_assets.

Customer's response: Fixed in <u>39f1d3c</u>.

Fix Review: Issue fixed.





### **Low Severity Issues**

L-01 First depositor could still deflate the share price using calls to reallocate				
Severity: <b>Low</b>	Impact: <b>Medium</b>	Likelihood: <b>Low</b>		
Files: <u>SiloVault.sol</u>	Status: Acknowledged			

**Description:** This issue was originally <u>discovered by Code4rena</u>. The idea is that if a user is the first depositor into an empty Silo Vault, that user can carefully deflate the share price by repeatedly depositing 1 Wei of assets, which will be lost to rounding errors when the Silo Vault will consequentially deposit that amount into the markets (O shares will be minted to the Silo Vault). This issue was addressed in <u>PR#1173</u> by eliminating the possibility of any deposit into a Market that results in O shares being minted to Silo Vault.

After a reevaluation, it was discovered that this fix may not mitigate the issue completely as it might still be possible for the Silo Vault to "lose" some assets to roundings even when some shares are being minted, and then to get rid of those shares by taking advantage of the market.redeem() function call inside reallocate().

**Recommendations:** Implement a more robust solution than simply preventing O shares from being minted or accept the risk, which appears to be mostly theoretical as there is no economical incentive for an attacker.

Customer's response: Risk accepted.





# **Informational Severity Issues**

#### I-01. Unnecessary assignment inside of loop

**Description:** the following assignments could be made outside of the loop for SLOAD gas efficiency:

```
JavaScript
File: SiloVault.sol
339: address asset = asset();
```

```
JavaScript
File: SiloVault.sol
876: address asset = asset();
```

Recommendation: Perform these assignments outside of the loops.

Customer's response: Issue acknowledged.





#### I-02. Off-by-one discrepancy with validAt

Description: There is a discrepancy in the way validAt is being used:

```
JavaScript

File: VaultIncentivesModule.sol

118: require(validAt != 0 && validAt <= block.timestamp, CantAcceptLogic());

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167: require(validAt != 0 && validAt < block.timestamp, CantAcceptFactory());
```

**Recommendation:** Consider changing line 167 to allow timestamps that are exactly equal to validAt.

Customer's response: Issue acknowledged.





#### I-03. Residual unused code

Description: the following function appears to not be used:

```
JavaScript
File: SiloVaultActionsLib.sol
154: function expectedSupplyAssets(IERC4626 _market, address _user) internal view returns
(uint256 assets) {
155: assets = previewRedeem(_market, ERC20BalanceOf(address(_market), _user));
156: }
```

**Recommendation:** Consider changing line 167 to allow timestamps that are exactly equal to validAt.

Customer's response: Issue acknowledged.





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