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I spoke with both Kurt and Jeff about Jim's paper on Dai, which Huma has. Both were very impressed but had a number of substantive thoughts.

They would cast the point in a different way, which they are thinking through.

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Kurt says that he will talk to Jim and then perhaps provide his own thoughts in a paper to you.

Meanwhile, I have asked Derek to do something resembling "debate on a page," to distill the key points and objectives into a single short document that can serve as a crib sheet and help you avoid the crushing burden of the paper in the binder.

We are prepared to keep refining and improving the paper thru the weekend.