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OUR BLOG ARTICLES FOR THIS SPECIAL ISSUE ARE THE RISE AND POPULARITY OF THE DIGITAL EXCHANGE & COINBASE REVIEW 2021

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Lastly please check out the advancement's happening in the cryptocurrency world.

Enjoy the issue!

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WEEKLY CRYPTOCURRENCY MARKET ANALYSIS

Hello, crypto traders welcome to this week's 168th edition of Cryptonaire Weekly. The overall Cryptocurrency Market Cap stands at \$1.4 Trillion. We have seen a \$380 Billion increase in the Market Cap since the last week. Bitcoin price is currently around \$48,100 from \$34,200 since last week and has increased by 40.64% and Ether price is now at \$1,760 from \$1,405 since last week and has increased by 25.27%. The current market cap for bitcoin is \$900 Billion, and for Altcoins, the current market cap is \$500 Billion.

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Mohamed El-Erian, chief economic advisor at Allianz said: "What did Tesla tell you? Two things. One is that this (Bitcoin) will be a form of payment. And two is that this is an investment vehicle."

Royal Bank of Canada Dominion Securities analyst Paul Steves, said in a market report that if Apple joins the Bitcoin bandwagon, it may create \$40 billion in annual revenues. Steves based his projection on the effect Bitcoin's integration had on Square Inc.'s revenues.

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Percentage of Total Market Capitalization (Dominance)

Bitcoin	63.70%
Ethereum	14.45%
Tether	2.14%
XRP	1.54%
Cardano	1.52%
Polkadot	1.52%
Binance Coin	1.05%
Litecoin	0.82%
Chainlink	0.74%
Dogecoin	0.73%
Others	11.78%

TOP 10 COINS

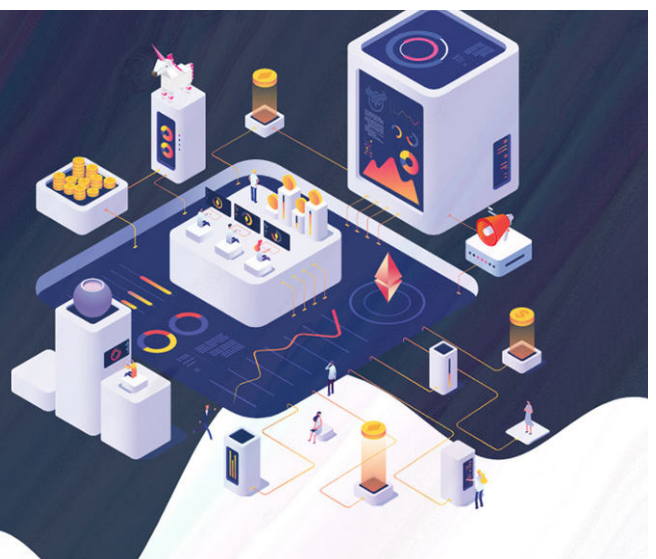
Top 10 Coins by Total Market Capitalisation

Name	Price	24h	7d	Market Cap	Volume	Circulating Supply	Last 7 Days
MODEL3 TESLA	\$37,990.00	▲ 0.00%	▲ 0.00%	\$24,846,486,000	\$69,082,704 1,818 TESLA	902,895 TESLA	
Bitcoin BTC	\$46,412.02	▲ 18.67%	▲ 30.90%	\$858,490,040,469	\$123,899,830,782 2,687,864 BTC	18,623,950 BTC	
Ethereum ETH	\$1,744.24	▲ 6.66%	▲ 21.95%	\$200,231,049,559	\$56,949,126,627 32,593,722 ETH	114,598,336 ETH	
Tether USDT	\$0.9967	▼ 0.39%	▼ 0.05%	\$29,776,163,244	\$182,726,078,038 182,593,574,853 USDT	29,754,571,162 USDT	
Cardano ADA	\$0.6761	▲ 1.58%	▲ 60.07%	\$21,018,579,475	\$8,118,819,944 12,017,779,849 ADA	31,112,484,646 ADA	
Polkadot DOT	\$23.19	▲ 9.77%	▲ 36.50%	\$20,983,385,083	\$4,853,245,890 210,078,460 DOT	908,290,519 DOT	
XRP XRP	\$0.4601	▲ 8.73%	▲ 22.12%	\$20,823,888,702	\$10,563,680,013 23,032,856,002 XRP	45,404,028,640 XRP	
Binance Coin BNB	\$94.14	▲ 30.96%	▲ 80.22%	\$14,422,078,508	\$2,748,837,786 29,453,838 BNB	154,532,785 BNB	
Litecoin LTC	\$167.96	▲ 10.81%	▲ 18.66%	\$11,139,297,967	\$10,894,092,690 64,985,052 LTC	66,447,742 LTC	
Chainlink LINK	\$25.56	▲ 1.70%	▲ 9.51%	\$10,378,371,561	\$3,597,752,380 140,573,399 LINK	405,509,556 LINK	



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Top 10 Coins by Percentage Gain (Past 7 Days)

Name	Price	7d	Volume(24h)
Litecoin SV LSV	\$8.67	▲ 4836.32%	\$52,215
Hey Bitcoin HYBN	\$0.1535	▲ 2640.98%	\$146,402
Culture Ticket Chain CTC	\$0.01717	▲ 1811.18%	\$317,318
Cross Finance CRP	\$0.003418	▲ 1515.05%	\$223,100
JulSwap JULD	\$0.2715	▲ 1004.00%	\$4,549,906
ASKO ASKO	\$0.07111	▲ 898.82%	\$779,422
Unistake UNISTAKE	\$0.1937	▲ 787.10%	\$7,034,204
Scifi Finance SPICE	\$2.26	▲ 777.81%	\$1,621,524
Keep3r BSC Network KP3RB	\$7.79	▲ 669.50%	\$206,605
Opacity OPCT	\$0.08209	▲ 594.18%	\$472,435
CheeseSwap CHS	\$0.2673	▲ 537.24%	\$80,220

#	Name	Price	7d	Volume(24h)
1	3X Short Dogecoin Token DOGBEAR	\$0.000003930	▼ 98.09%	\$356,651
2	3X Short BNB Token BNBBEAR	\$0.002107	▼ 88.51%	\$72,686
3	SXPDOWN SXPDOWN	\$0.0002022	▼ 87.72%	\$836,853
4	7Finance SVN	\$0.1598	▼ 86.66%	\$195,626
5	AAVEDOWN AAVEDOWN	\$0.0008707	▼ 86.52%	\$1,760,342
6	Libfx LIBFX	\$0.3070	▼ 84.59%	\$85,252
7	3X Short Cardano Token ADABEAR	\$0.00005192	▼ 82.86%	\$390,347
8	DMM: Governance DMG	\$0.05708	▼ 81.94%	\$1,513,203
9	3X Short Algorand Token ALGOBEAR	\$0.00003242	▼ 80.22%	\$127,475

Top 10 Coins added to Exchanges with the Highest Market Capitalisation (Past 30 Days)

Name	Price	1h	24h	Market Cap	Volume	Blockchain	Added
NFTX Hashmasks Index MASK	\$1,258.03	▼ 3.59%	▼ 8.52%	\$378,667	\$75,328	Own Blockchain	2 days ago
Finxflo FXF	\$0.4688	▼ 10.90%	▲ 0.00%	--	\$46,419,100	Ethereum	Today
CryptoTask CTASK	\$1.54	▼ 9.44%	▲ 0.00%	--	\$2,251,112	Ethereum	Today
Sugarchain SUGAR	\$0.002931	▲ 0.83%	▲ 0.00%	--	--	Own Blockchain	1 day ago
HappinessToken HPS	\$2.81	▼ 1.76%	▲ 0.00%	--	\$26,703	Binance Coin	1 day ago
MP3 MP3	\$0.1045	▲ 0.89%	▲ 4.19%	--	\$2,104,311	Ethereum	1 day ago
Rug Proof RPT	\$1.14	▼ 2.59%	▼ 22.53%	--	\$287,347	Ethereum	1 day ago
Razor Network RAZOR	\$0.3919	▼ 6.86%	▼ 18.06%	--	\$293,386	Ethereum	3 days ago
Option Token OT	\$2.46	▼ 0.29%	▲ 1.69%	--	--	Own Blockchain	4 days ago

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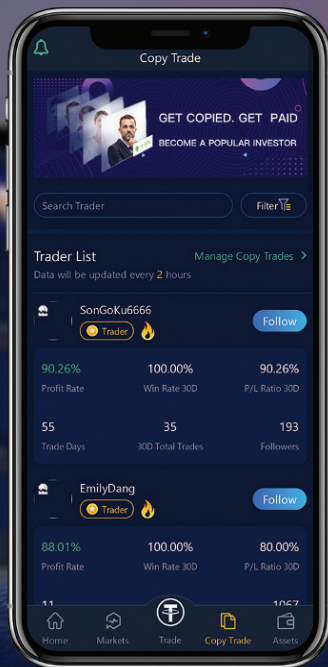
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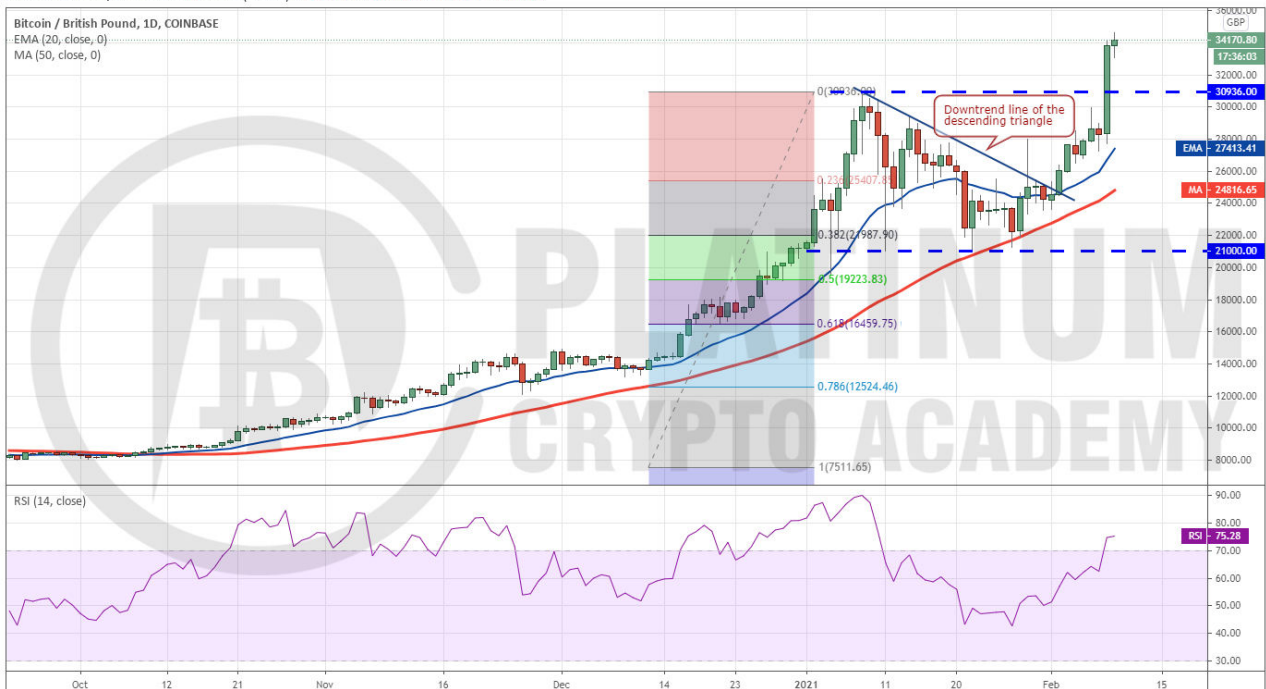
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BITCOIN - BTC/GBP

COINBASE:BTCGBP, 1D 34170.80 ▲ +340.82 (+1.01%) O:33807.23 H:34652.00 L:33093.62 C:34170.80



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ETHEREUM - ETH/GBP

COINBASE:ETHGBP, 1D 1269.32 ▼ -6.33 (-0.5%) O:1276.32 H:1288.77 L:1245.00 C:1269.32



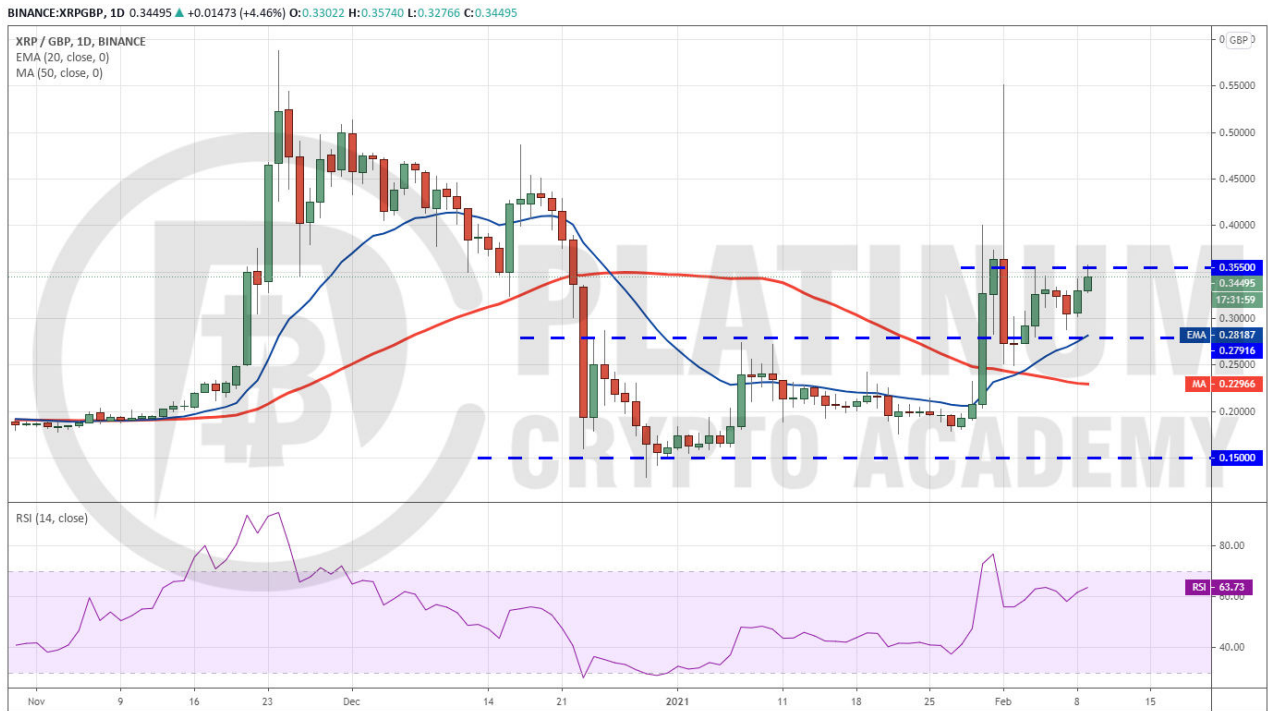
Traders who had purchased on the breakout of the ascending triangle on February 2, according to our recommendation in the previous analysis are in the money.

The bears pulled the price down to the breakout level at £1,052 on February 7 but the long tail on the day's candlestick showed aggressive buying by the bulls. The bulls are currently facing resistance near £1,300.

If the buyers can drive the price above £1,300, the ETH/GBP pair could rally to the pattern target at £1,352. If this level is also crossed, the uptrend could extend to £1,500.

Traders can consider booking partial profits at the current levels and trail the remaining position with a suitable stop-loss. As the price moves up, the stops can be trailed higher to protect the paper profits.

RIPPLE - XRP/GBP



The bulls defended the moving averages on February 2 and pushed the price above £0.27916 on February 3. Since then, XRP has been trading between £0.355 and £0.27916.

If the bulls can push and sustain the price above £0.355, the XRP/GBP pair could rally to £0.40 and then to £0.45. Traders could buy if the price breaks and sustains above £0.355 for a few hours. The stop-loss for this trade could be kept just below £0.279.

The upsloping 20-day EMA and the RSI above 63 suggest bulls are attempting to make a comeback.

Contrary to this assumption, if the pair turns down from £0.355, the price may correct to £0.27916 and stay range-bound between these two levels for a few days. A break and close below £0.27916 could pull the price down to the 50-day SMA.

LITECOIN - LTC/GBP

COINBASE:LTCGBP, 1D 124.02 ▲ +1.64 (+1.34%) O:122.38 H:125.55 L:119.81 C:124.02



Litecoin broke out and closed above the downtrend line on February 2. The bears tried to stall the up-move at the £115 overhead resistance but bulls did not allow the price to dip below the 20-day EMA.

This tight range trading resolved to the upside on Feb. 8 as the bulls pushed the price above £115. The LTC/GBP pair could now rally to £137. This level is likely to act as a stiff resistance.

If the price turns down from the overhead resistance, the pair may consolidate between £137 and £115 for a few days.

However, if the bulls can thrust the price above £137, the pair may resume its up-move and reach £161.

This bullish view will invalidate if the pair turns down from the current levels and plummets below the moving averages. Such a move could drag the price down to £90.

Traders could buy if the price dips and rebounds sharply off £115. Such a move will suggest that the bulls are aggressively buying on dips. The stop-loss can be kept at £100. Traders may use 50% of the desired allocation as the risk to reward ratio is not very attractive.

BITCOIN CASH - BCH/GBP



Bitcoin Cash rose above the 20-day EMA on February 3 and the bulls held off an attempt by the bears to pull the price below the 50-day SMA on February 4. This suggested the bulls are buying on dips to this support.

The price has now risen close to the £380 to £400 resistance zone where the bears are likely to mount a stiff resistance. If the price turns down from the zone, a drop to the 50-day SMA is possible.

If the price again rebounds off the 50-day SMA, the bulls will make one more attempt to push the altcoin above the resistance zone. If they succeed, the BCH/GBP pair may rally to £495.

The 20-day EMA is gradually sloping up and the RSI has moved into the positive territory, indicating advantage to the bulls.

Contrary to this assumption, if the bears sink the price below the 50-day SMA, the pair may drop to £275.

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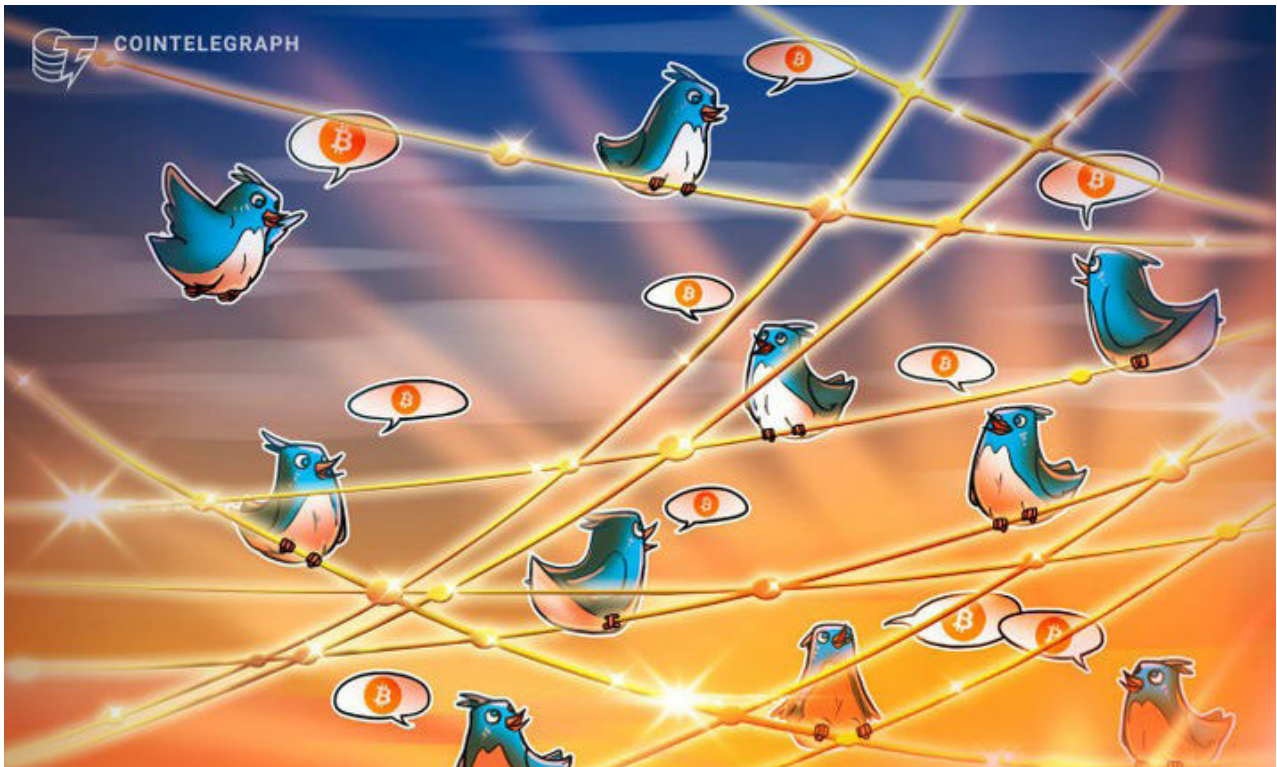
The announcement that much of the crypto world has been hoping for is here: Tesla has invested in bitcoin.

The electric vehicle maker said Monday in an annual report filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission that it has put an aggregate \$1.5 billion into bitcoin under a new investment policy and that the company may “acquire and hold digital assets from time to time or long term.”

The announcement caps a history going back to at least 2018 of Tesla founder and CEO Elon Musk tweeting and commenting on bitcoin and other cryptocurrencies including dogecoin.

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Bitcoin's Twitter-volume spikes to new all-time highs on Elon pump



Elon Musk has pushed Bitcoin's social sentiment into new highs on Twitter.

Social media activity for Bitcoin is at an all-time high following a massive endorsement from Tesla CEO, Elon Musk.

Speaking to Cointelegraph, co-founder and CEO of crypto data provider The TIE, Joshua Frank, noted there have been 143,000 tweets over the last 24 hours from "non-bot accounts."

The new record beats out the previous high of 140,000 from Jan. 3, 2021.

On Feb. 8, news that electric vehicle maker Tesla had added Bitcoin to its balance sheet sent prices and market sentiment to record highs. BTC prices hit an all-time high of \$47,500 in early Asian trading on Feb. 9.

Frank described the surge in social engagement as evidencing bullish sentiment among retail traders:

"I think that it's definitely clear that retail is here. We are seeing absolutely massive surges across the board in twitter activity, trading activity, and price movement for altcoins which institutions are not touching. Today's movement can absolutely be attributed to Elon Musk, but BTC social activity has been on a tear all year."

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Grayscale's Crypto Assets Under Management Soar Past \$30 Billion — 'Institutions Are Here'



Grayscale Investments has surpassed the milestone of \$30 billion in net crypto assets under management (AUM). The company says the tremendous growth is due to institutional investors, particularly hedge funds.

Grayscale revealed Friday that its net total crypto assets under management now stands at \$30.4 billion. In the lead is Grayscale Bitcoin Trust, which currently has over \$24 billion in AUM, followed by the Ethereum trust with more than \$5 billion in AUM.

Last year, Grayscale started off with just \$2 billion in assets under management and ended the year with more than \$20 billion, representing a 900% increase.

Grayscale attributed the massive growth to investments from institutional investors, particularly hedge funds. CEO Michael Sonnenshein says: "There's no longer professional risk of investing in the digital currency asset class — there's probably more career risk in not paying attention to it."

In its Q4 2020 report, the company wrote that "*Institutions are here,*" adding that in the fourth quarter institutions accounted for 93% of all the capital inflows during the period, or approximately \$3 billion. "The average commitment among institutions is also growing at a significant pace," Grayscale detailed, noting that "*The average commitment from institutions was \$6.8 million, up from an average of \$2.9 million in 3Q20.*"

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Elon Musk gets “congratulated” by Michael Saylor after Tesla’s \$1.5 billion Bitcoin splurge



The electric carmaker purchased over 37,000 Bitcoin, filings from today showed. And the firm’s CEO is getting congratulated by an institutional Bitcoin bull.

Congrats, Musk!

MicroStrategy CEO Michael Saylor is a happy man. The Bitcoin convert has picked up over a billion dollars worth of the asset last year, majorly through his company’s treasury and a minor portion for personal accounts.

He’s been preaching the Bitcoin cause strongly in the past week. Saylor considers it to be the ultimate hedge against global inflation, a bleak economy, and falling yields across traditional asset classes such as bonds and equities.

Today, Saylor extended his regards to Elon Musk, minutes after the latter almost broke the internet today after a recent development amidst relentless tweeting of meme coin Dogecoin in the past week.

As CryptoSlate reported this morning, electric carmaker Tesla, the firm chaired by Musk, was found to have purchased over \$1.5 billion worth of Bitcoin in the past months, a filing made to the US Securities and Exchange Commission showed.

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Here's How Much a Fully Loaded Tesla Model S Will Cost You in Bitcoin



Tesla bought \$1.5 billion in Bitcoin.

It plans to allow people to purchase cars in Bitcoin.

Depending on the model, a Tesla costs somewhere between 1 and 3.33 BTC.

Lamborghinis have been the traditional status symbol for Bitcoin millionaires. After today, expect to see more crypto influencers rolling up in Teslas.

When Tesla reported its \$1.5 billion purchase of Bitcoin to the US Securities and Exchange Commission, the electric automaker mentioned an important detail in the filing: It wasn't just buying thousands of Bitcoins—it was going to start accepting them for its products, too.

While that's still a little ways off, it might behoove Elon Musk-loving Bitcoiners to start the car-buying process. At today's rate of roughly \$45,000 per BTC, they should be able to get a decked out Model S, Tesla's premier vehicle, for about 3.33 Bitcoin (\$149,990).

For the Tesla aficionado, who demands ludicrous precision, that's the Model S Plaid+, which comes with self-driving capability (knock 0.25 BTC off the price if you want your hands on the wheel at all times.) Tesla asks for skin in the game, so to place an order, you'd have to put \$1,000 down, which is nothing—just 0.025 BTC!

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Indian Crypto Industry Reacts as Government Presents Bill to Ban Digital Assets



The Indian government has presented new draft legislation that could shut down the crypto sector in the country. While some industry players are preaching calm, the market hasn't taken the news so well.

Cryptocurrency enthusiasts in India were filled with hope last year as the country seemed to be on the pathway towards accepting digital assets once more.

Sadly, this year has come with a jolt of reality, showing that all the progress of 2020 was essentially fruitless.

Yes to a CBDC, No to Private Cryptos

Earlier this year, the Lok Sabha Bulletin confirmed that the Indian government had introduced a new draft regulation that will see the country ban all private cryptocurrencies in the country. The legislation titled the "Cryptocurrency and Regulation of Official Digital Currency Bill" is set to move to India's parliament's lower house in its next session.

The bulletin shows that the Indian government's approach will be two-pronged. It plans to develop a framework for the creation of a Central Bank Digital Currency (CBDC).

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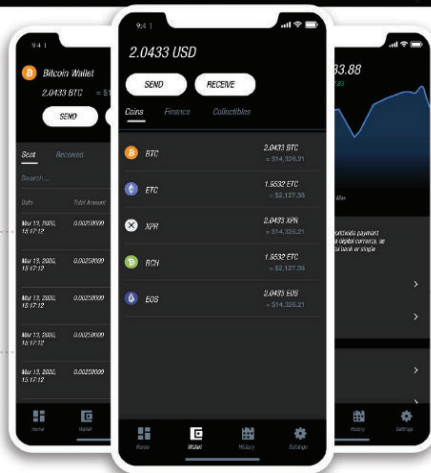
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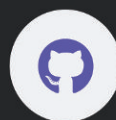
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Global Market Cap Passes \$1.2 Trillion As Doge Breaks Back into Top 10



Global crypto markets continue record breaking run.

Surges in Bitcoin and Ethereum prices underpinned the market surge.

Futures markets are also up after Joe Biden's stimulus package is approved.

The weekend saw crypto's global market cap continue to surge to new highs as a raft of new investors, and investment tools gear up to start offering more ways of dabbling in digital money.

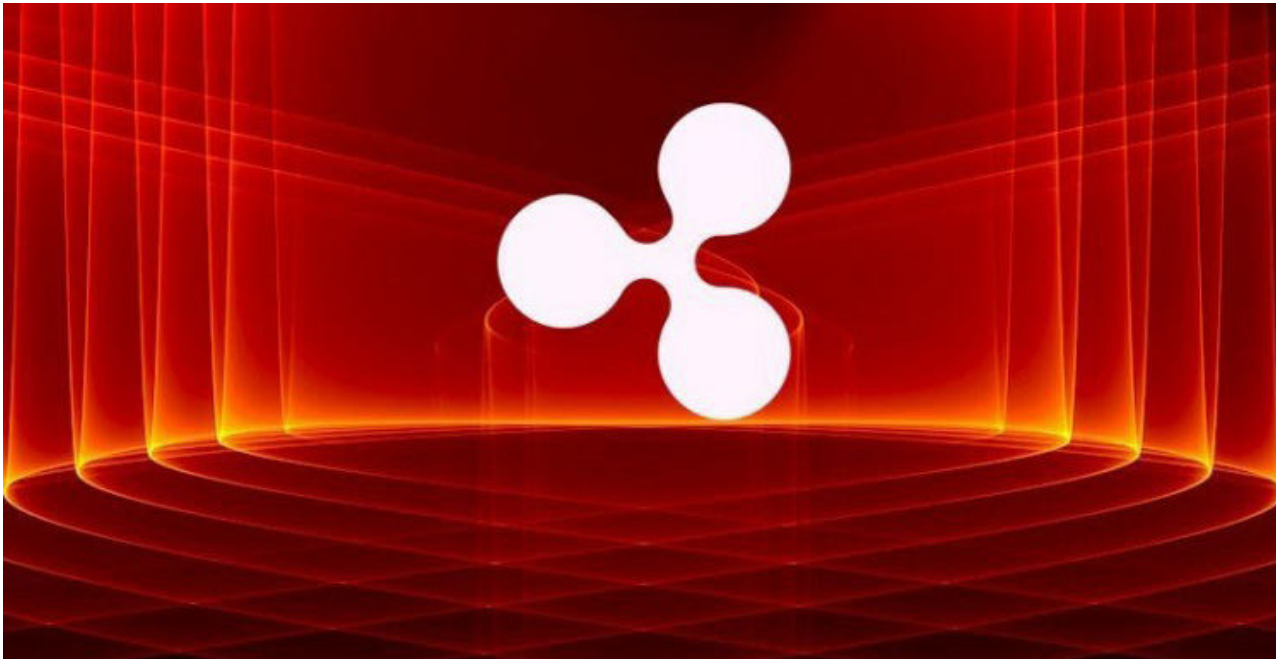
In just three days, markets added \$500 million to their coffers to a total market cap of \$1.23 trillion, according to data company Nomics.

The overwhelming majority of that growth came from Bitcoin, which flirted with \$40,000 before pulling back to the \$38,000s. At the time of writing Bitcoin is down 2% over the last 24 hours, but is still within touching distance of January 8's all time high of \$40,771. Side note: different exchanges will have recorded different prices, and therefore different reporters report different numbers but the overall trend is: Bitcoin go up.

Ethereum meanwhile continued its price rally north of \$1,500 over the weekend. The currency has spent six days above that mark despite a flash crash that sank the price by 10% over the weekend.

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Top Crypto Lawyer Predicts Ripple Will Settle With SEC, Free Trading of XRP May Resume in the US



Stephen Palley is sounding off on the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission's (SEC) lawsuit against Ripple and predicts the payments firm will settle with the regulatory body.

In a new tweetstorm, the blockchain and virtual currency lawyer at Anderson Kill believes that Ripple's quick answer to SEC's complaint indicates that the payments startup wants the legal battle to end swiftly.

"I wouldn't have been surprised if they'd asked for another 30 days and then filed a nearly guaranteed to be denied motion to dismiss. But they didn't. They answered within about a month. What does this mean? Unlike most defendants, they actually want a fast resolution."

Palley also says he believes the SEC has already fully laid out its case at this early stage.

"Typically in civil litigation, you don't get the other side's documents until the case has progressed for a while. Here, SEC has presumably gotten all of the documents during the enforcement action, which is why the original complaint is so compliant."

In other words, SEC probably has all of the 'bad' documents, 'smoking guns' already, and has included them in the lawsuit."

The blockchain lawyer adds that Ripple may have a tough time arguing that its sales of XRP should not be seen as an "offering."

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G7 to discuss CBDC and digital taxation this week



The G7 will begin its Feb. 12 meeting on the subject of central bank digital currencies, before moving to digital taxation and accelerating global debt.

Japanese Finance Minister Taro Aso has revealed the G7's financial leaders will discuss central bank digital currencies during a meeting on Feb. 12.

The meeting will be chaired by Britain, with representatives from the world's largest economies set to discuss strategies for navigating their way out of the global economic crisis caused by the coronavirus pandemic.

Friday's meeting will commence on the topic of CBDCs, but the minister noted the G7 will also discuss the implementation of digital taxation and emerging debt problems.

The G7, or Group of Seven, is an intergovernmental organization consisting of the United States, Canada, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, and the United Kingdom.

The G7 has recently pushed to prioritize the regulation of digital currencies, with the organization reiterating its October statement calling for robust legislation to govern the digital payments sector during a meeting last month.

The October statement also noted CBDC's could realize significant efficiency savings and reduce friction in the payments sectors of G7 member states.

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Apple Should Buy Bitcoin, Turn Wallet App Into Crypto Exchange: RBC



Investment bank RBC Capital Markets believes Apple should buy Bitcoin and launch a crypto exchange.

The remarks come following Tesla's \$1.5 billion Bitcoin purchase earlier today.

RBC suggests that getting into crypto would be less risky than Apple's rumored electric car project.

Apple is one of the most valuable companies in the world thanks to the success of its iPhones, Mac computers, and software products. Long-simmering rumors about its work on an electric car project have heated up again recently, but at least one bank believes the company should turn its attention to something else: Bitcoin.

RBC Capital Markets, an investment bank which is part of the Royal Bank of Canada, told clients in a note today that it believes Apple is poised to take advantage of rising interest in cryptocurrency. RBC suggests that the tech giant should build a crypto exchange within its existing Wallet service for the iPhone, and that getting into crypto would be less risky and costly than making electric cars.

"The wallet initiative appears to be a clear multi-billion dollar opportunity for the firm (potential for well over \$40 billion in annual revenue with limited R&D)," wrote RBC analyst Mitch Steves, according to Bloomberg.

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THE RISE AND POPULARITY OF THE DIGITAL EXCHANGE



With the emergence of cryptocurrencies and a host of other crypto-assets crypto exchanges have also grown in number and size. Today anyone can easily open their accounts to trade different cryptocurrencies, both against the fiat currencies, as well as each other, through a digital exchange. In this article, learn more about the rise and popularity of the digital exchange and how Bityard has emerged as one of the popular digital exchanges in the world.

THE RISE OF THE DIGITAL EXCHANGE

After the invention of Bitcoin, its price rose sharply in 2017, and it further attracted hundreds and thousands of investors across the globe. Thus, the fast-growing crypto market resulted in the emergence of numerous digital currencies that have become significant to every other individual.

Recently, after Bitcoin surpassed \$20,000 to reach all-time high pricing and with PayPal agreeing to provide crypto trading services to its users, crypto assets are gaining way more prominence than before. It was one of the major reasons behind the growth of digital or crypto exchanges.

Digital exchanges can conduct business in the same manner as the forex trading companies. It implies that one digital currency can be exchanged with another digital currency. For instance, how people exchange one USD for INR, similarly Bitcoin can be easily exchanged for Ethereum, Ripple, and other cryptos, as well as vice-versa. These platforms can sustain themselves through the levying of a small amount of fee for every single transaction.

Almost every digital exchange (crypto exchange) offers both crypto pricing and trading related information today. The emergence and popularity of these digital exchanges, including the likes of Bityard, has led to the formation of an ecosystem of participants and services that further offer liquidity. These exchanges also exploit any discrepancies in price for profits and accept investments by professional and retail investors.

THE EMERGENCE OF CENTRALIZED AND DECENTRALIZED EXCHANGES

More than 7000 cryptos are being circulated today, and when compared to other financial trading instruments, crypto regulations and the digital exchanges used for trading them have just started to emerge. These exchanges vary according to the country they have been established in, and at present, there are over four hundred digital exchanges.

However, after the development of crypto exchanges, they were further divided based on their underlying architecture. Thus, they were put into two groups known as CEX (Centralized Exchanges), as well as DEX, or (Decentralized Exchange). The CEX is run by 3rd party operators who ensure coordination of exchanges between the sellers and buyers. On the other hand, DEX follows the principles listed by Bitcoin's founder Satoshi Nakamoto and thus does not feature 3rd party operators.

There are some popular centralized exchanges such as Bitfinex, GDAX, Gemini, Kraken, and Coinbase, and some decentralized exchanges like Bityard, Altcoin, AirSwap, Bancor Protocol, and Barterdex in the global market. In fact, Bityard is one of the most popular and fast-growing trading platforms among many crypto exchanges, while offering its users with safe, simple, and fast crypto derivative trading services.

Also, while centralized exchange platforms enable fast exchange and high liquidity, the DEX platforms preserve anonymity and are also hack-proof. But there are a few decentralized exchanges that don't require any intermediary to function as the wallet provider, like dYdX.13. However, they haven't yet managed to acquire the same amount of liquidity as those of the prominent centralized exchanges. Despite these advantages, DEXs are right now in their early stages, and a whole lot of development is still needed. Some of the cons include poor user experiences, little customer support, crypto to cryptocurrency trading, and scalability.

What needs to be understood here is that Defi (Decentralized Finance) is a shift from the traditional, centralized financial system to P2P finance, carried out using decentralized technologies, built atop Ethereum blockchain. Right from borrowing and lending platforms to tokenized BTC and stablecoins, the Decentralized Finance ecosystem has introduced a strong network of well-integrated protocols, as well as financial instruments. Today, the decentralized financial ecosystem has become one of the most active sectors within the blockchain segment and is used and accessed by individuals, institutions, and developers globally.

However, both these exchanges have struggled as a result of their own set of issues. While the CEX not only levied high transaction fees, it also exercised full control over the customers' funds. Also, the centralized exchanges store their user's assets on hot digital wallets, which can be easily hacked. Similarly, DEX has the reputation of processing all transactions at a slow pace. It proves unfavorable for individuals looking to leverage on crypto's price volatility. Also, decentralized exchanges don't adhere to regulations like that of KYC and AML.

But, the limitations of these two exchanges gave rise to another improved and advanced platform called the Hybrid crypto exchange. The hybrid exchange offers the best of both DEX and CEX exchanges as it focuses on the main aspects like user anonymity and fund liquidation.

OTHER ADVANTAGES OF HYBRID EXCHANGES INCLUDE:

- Despite being managed by a 3rd party operator, users enjoy increased control over the funds when they conduct transactions through hybrid exchanges.
- The hybrid digital exchanges safeguard the anonymity of the users and also comply with multiple crypto regulations.
- Funds never get stored on the hot digital wallets, and thus launching hack attacks is difficult on the hybrid exchanges.
- The speed of transactions is quick, while transparency is fully maintained. It makes the hybrid exchanges an exciting option for carrying out trading.
- The hybrid exchange's architecture is scalable that makes them an ideal crypto trading platform for the future.

With the applications and awareness of cryptos increasing with every passing day, many view them as the best investment option. As a result, the global crypto trading volume now stands in billions. Hence, with the launch of hybrid digital exchanges, traders are shifting to a much more formalized and responsible platform for carrying out transactions.

Currently, several leading crypto and blockchain development firms are excelling at building hybrid exchanges that are both feature-rich and user-friendly. These exchanges offer different payment gateway options for hassle-free liquidation of crypto funds. They offer customized and white label solutions, thus providing traders with full control over their platform.

REASONS BEHIND THE EMERGENCE OF THE EXCHANGES

Before the emergence of crypto exchanges, people could get Bitcoin only via mining or through arranging transactions in online forums. Earlier traders used to transfer fiat currencies for exchanging Bitcoin, either through PayPal or bank transfer. Bitcoin was later deposited within their private cryptocurrency wallets.

At present, exchanges like Bityard and Binance have gained a great deal of popularity. Other popular digital exchanges include Coinbase Prop, Kraken as well as Huobi Global. Apart from the volume of trading, the total number of crypto coins, as well as the coin pairs being offered, vary for different exchanges. Less than 20 digital exchanges are currently offering over 200 coins. Also, as many as 15 exchanges provide over 400 coin pairs. Most of the crypto exchanges are too small and offer fewer coins, as well as coin pairs.

HOW DOES AN EXCHANGE BECOME A KEY PROVIDER?

BITYARD FEATURES



THE WORLD'S LEADING CRYPTOCURRENCY CONTRACT EXCHANGE

01 LEVERAGE

Traders get leverage of up to 100 times

02 FEES

Commission of 0.05% on entering and exiting

03 COPY TRADE

Users can automatically mimic or copy the contracts/trades

04 DEPOSITS AND WITHDRAWALS

Transfer funds into their account using any cryptocurrency

05 SECURITY AND PRIVACY

High-level privacy and security

06 SMS AUTHENTICATION

Make the necessary withdrawals or reset their passwords

07 LOGIN RECORDS

Review their logins, tighten the security settings

08 MANAGING WITHDRAWAL ADDRESS

Include withdrawal address to withdraw cryptocurrencies

09 KYC VERIFICATION

Allows users to withdraw fiat currency

Trade Anytime Anywhere

A NUMBER OF FACTORS DETERMINE HOW A DIGITAL EXCHANGE BECOMES A KEY PROVIDER. BELOW ARE SOME OF THEM:

Liquidity: This implies being liquid in the number of coins as well as coin pairs. A liquid crypto market enables traders to buy as well as sell cryptos in reasonable volume at the same price instead of impacting the prevailing market price. Thus, as the total number of individuals trading an asset on a crypto exchange increase, the opportunities for others to trade cryptos also increases. As a result, digital exchange gains huge popularity. Apart from this, liquidity in a specific crypto asset also has a positive impact on the liquidity in the other cryptocurrencies. Most mainstream and popular crypto assets including Bitcoin, Ethereum, Bitcoin Cash, Ethereum Classic, Cardano, Cosmos are available on Bityard.

Trust and Security: Security is extremely important for crypto exchanges as it allows traders to safeguard the crypto coins held within the digital exchange's wallets. Currently, there is limited protection being offered by regulation, but a few big exchanges like Bityard, have successfully introduced measures for securing traders' coins. It is actions like these that create a level of trust and confidence among traders. Bityard is compliant with financial regulations and have received multiple licenses issued by MSB, ACRA, AUSTRAC, and MTR, which makes it one of the safest crypto exchanges in the world.

CONCLUSION

To sum up, globally crypto exchanges have witnessed impressive momentum, especially in the last few years. Many of these exchanges have been evolving, thereby adding fresh services, as well as building a new base of users that can support the future of cryptocurrency mass adoption. Digital exchanges have flourished despite COVID-19. Also, with more than 90 percent of the blockchain activities happening on digital exchanges, they have become a massive part of the cryptocurrency market.

Remember, digital exchanges have become central to the growth and success of the cryptocurrency market. They witness growth, market trends, user behavior, trading volumes, etc. directly, and on the micro as well as macro level. Thus, it won't be incorrect to say that digital crypto exchanges will continue to rise in the years to come.

Given such a scenario, big exchanges such as Coinbase need to adapt to the fast-emerging market, aside from adjusting to their development strategy to remain the mainstream crypto exchange. On the other hand, upcoming digital exchanges, such as Bityard, need to quickly develop their unique competitiveness and innovativeness to survive in the market. Bityard has already managed to grab the attention of traders by providing them with a smooth, fast, and efficient crypto trading platform, as well as a host of features.

The platform also offers low or minimal entry levels, innovative complex contract offerings, and a simple user interface that make it an ideal platform for new entrants in the market.



COINBASE REVIEW 2021



Coinbase Review

Coinbase review articles are probably one of the most widely written about content pieces in the crypto space in 2021, that being said Platinum Crypto Academy wanted to bring a direct review to our clients as most of us have been using the platform for over 5 years and so thought we are in a great position to provide our own detailed review to our clients, subscribers and audience. Coinbase was founded in June 2012 and the platform enables merchants and users to trade on digital currencies such as BTC, ETH, BSV and BCH.

Coinbase Review – Where they Started

The platform currently supports over twenty cryptocurrencies. Coinbase has the backing of top investors and VC funds across the world such as Andreessen Horowitz, BBVA, IDG Ventures and Garry Tan and raised over USD 200 Million from these investors. The company is based in the US and currently has over 30 Million users across the world. It is also supported in over 100 countries.

Since its inception, the platform has traded over USD 150 Billion. It has an exchange, called Coinbase Pro, where users can trade in cryptocurrency. Users can trade on a desktop version or download a mobile version from the apple store or Google play.

The exchange is on top of its game as it offers an opportunity to integrate trading bots through its API. It also offers insurance protection in all the crypto assets traded on the platform. This insurance is up to a maximum of USD 250,000 for each customer. It also has a flexible fee structure that reduces as your order size increases.

There is also a desk that caters for institutional clients who may have bulk orders. Coinbase merchant services allow businesses to accept crypto within minutes. It is free, fast to integrate and accepts over five cryptocurrencies.



IS COINBASE SAFE TO USE

Coinbase has employed state of the art technology to run its platform. The company employs top brains across multiple disciplines to make sure that services offered observe the highest levels of professionalism. During this Coinbase review research we found that the Team members in the company hail from notable backgrounds in top investment and technology companies, the SEC, and even the CFTC ensuring the highest level of care is given to funds while complying with all legal, security and technological issues.

CRYPTOCURRENCY WALLETS

HOT TO COLD



ONLINE

Online cryptocurrency wallets are online digital wallets which can be accessed online through your internet browser.

PROS:

- Easy to set up
- Easy to access
- Free

CONS:

- Fake websites are endlessly trying to phish your private key

DESKTOP

A desktop cryptocurrency wallet is a software which you download to your desktop and can access offline.

PROS:

- Easy to set up
- Easy to access
- Safer for online purchase

CONS:

- Regular updates
- Not practical to carry - around



MOBILE

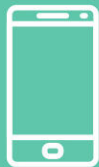
A Cryptocurrency Mobile Wallet is a digital wallet installed on your smartphone.

PROS:

- Easy to set up
- Easy to access
- Easy to carry
- Easy to make physical purchases

CONS:

- Private keys get lost very
- App can get deleted accidentally



HARDWARE

A cryptocurrency hardware wallet is a pendrive like wallet which stores your private and public key. The hardware wallet extremely versatile because they are easy to carry.

PROS:

- Offline
- Easy to carry
- Multipurpose

CONS:

- More expensive
- Not all models are user friendly



PAPER

A Cryptocurrency paper wallet is the private key and public key written or printed on paper.

PROS:

- Offline
- A great back up system from your wallets other wallets

CONS:

- Get damaged over time
- Easy to lose



Client funds are stored in a cold wallet that is the state of the art. 98% of customer deposits are maintained in the cold wallet. The remaining 2% is left online, enough to cater for users who may want to trade from time to time. The hot wallet on the platform has been insured. An active insurance package is maintained by the company whose total amount is more than the amount of crypto assets in the hot wallets.

The platform has insured the hot wallets against theft of the cryptocurrencies that may result from a hack, theft by employees, security breach or from fraudulent transfers.

Cash balances on the platform are held in custodial accounts. These accounts are held separate from other accounts used for corporate purposes by Coinbase. These funds will not be touched by anyone for company engagements. These funds are also FDIC insured (US Clients) up to a maximum of \$250,000.

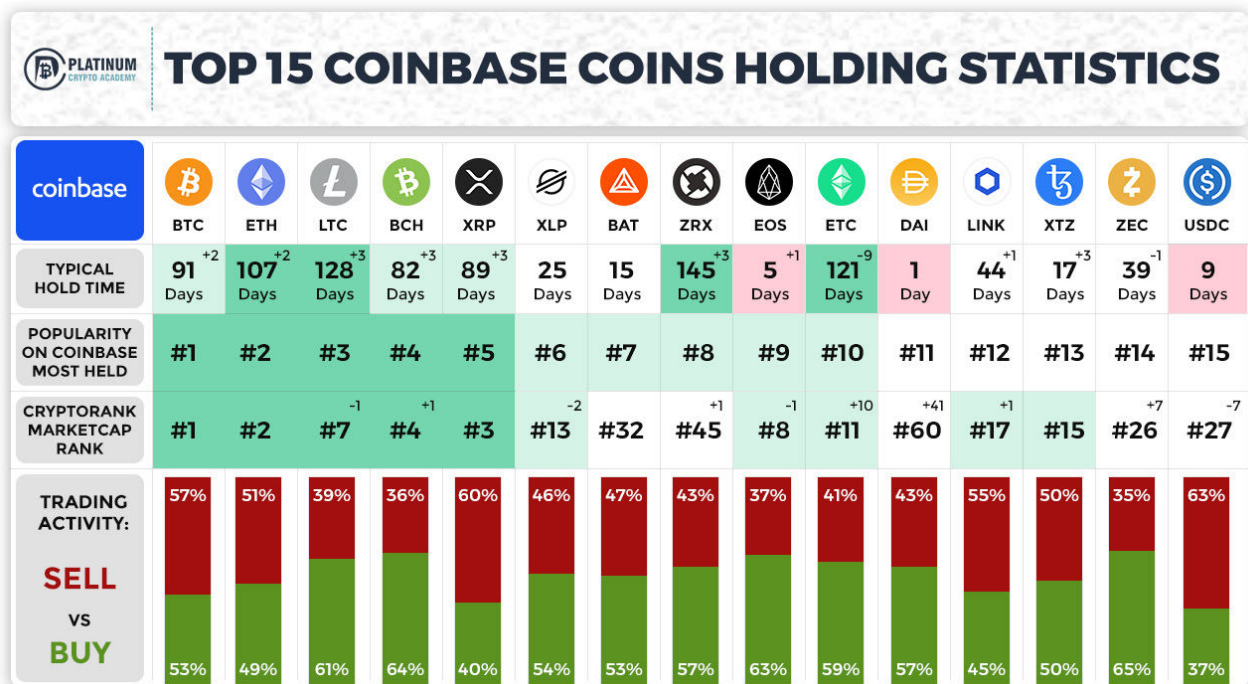
Review of Coinbase – How Does Coinbase work?

You'll need to open an account with Coinbase to access their services. The platform has support in over 100 countries. You can log in to your account on the platform once you verify your email. On the accounts dashboard, there is a section for you to look at the portfolio of cryptocurrencies that you have. There is also a section to check the prices on different cryptocurrencies in the market.

The account can also be used as a wallet for the various cryptocurrencies listed. So basically, you can send or receive cryptocurrencies from one account when you click on each cryptocurrency. It leads you to the dashboard where you can get access to your wallet details and the amount of crypto you have on each wallet. You can receive or send cryptocurrencies from this section.

There are over twenty-five cryptocurrencies currently supported on this platform. You'll have access to over 25 wallets. You do not need to open a new wallet every time you want to access your crypto portfolio.

Once you verify your identity you can also trade directly from this account. Alternatively, you can open an account with Coinbase Pro. This will involve sending an SMS to your phone number so as to secure your account. Once you log in, you can start trading in digital assets from this platform.



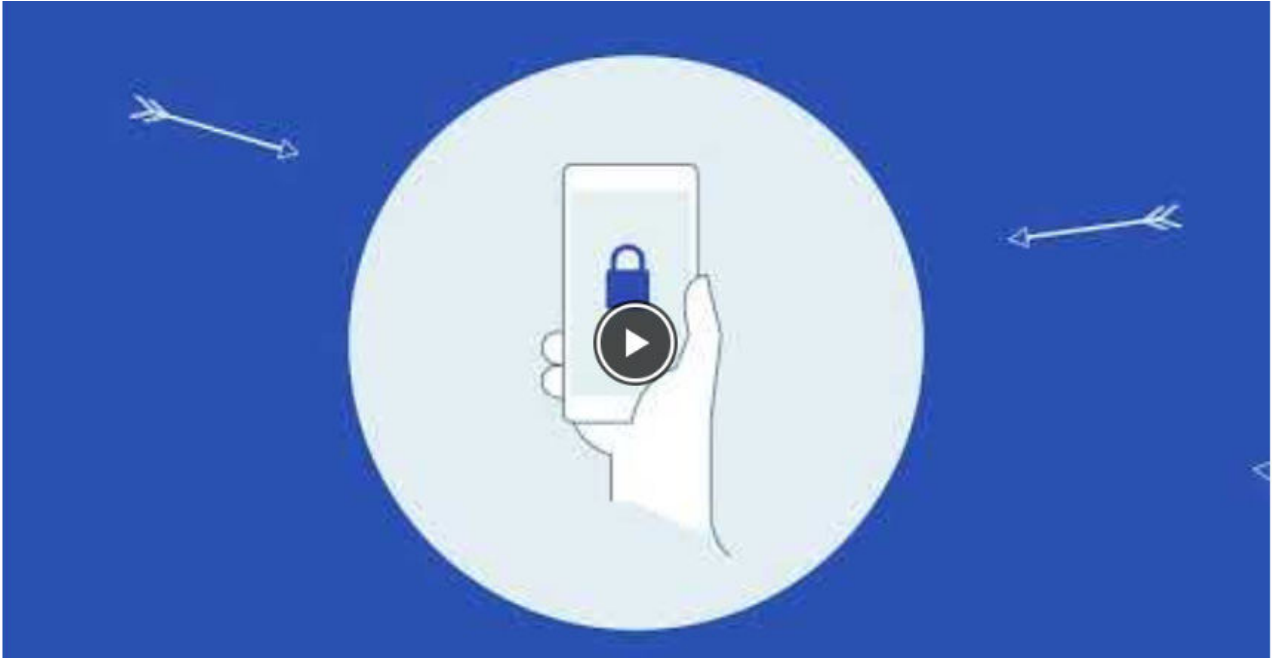
COINBASE REVIEW FOR 2021 – WHO ARE THEIR MAIN COMPETITORS?

BLOCKCHAIN.COM



Blockchain.com is crypto asset wallet and explorer that serves over 30 Million clients across the world. Some of the crypto assets that are supported on this platform are BTC, ETH and BCH. The company provides a crypto wallet, an exchange and markets sections that provide users with unrivaled news coverage in the crypto space and also offer crypto custody for institutional clients for its users. Blockchain.com was established in 2011 and offers 24/7 support

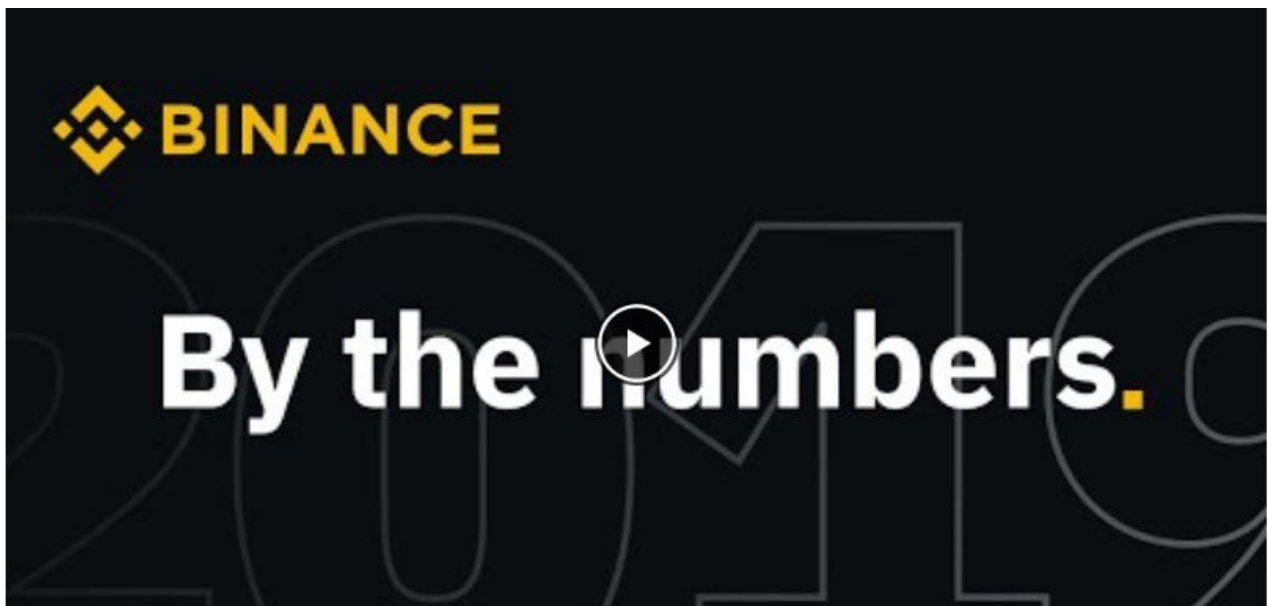
to its users. It also has operations in over 150 countries across the world and has carried out over 100 million transactions since inception. It raised over USD 70 Million in funding and is backed by top investors such as Virgin and Mosaic Ventures.



BINANCE.COM



Binance is an exchange that enables you to trade in crypto assets while it also acts as a wallet for your crypto assets. The platform has its native token called BNB that is used to power various transactions within the platform. It is one of the largest exchanges in the world with a daily volume of over USD 2 Billion. Binance was founded in China in 2017 but moved its headquarters from China to Japan after there was a crypto ban in China. It also has offices in Taiwan and Malta. Recently, the company allowed for crypto purchases on its platform using Visa and Master Cards. We have also written an extensive review on Binance for more information [click here](#)



BITTREX.COM



Bittrex is a cryptocurrency trading platform that can be accessed on the web and on mobile devices. The company has its headquarters in Las Vegas and it was founded in 2014. It accepts customers from around the world. It offers one of the largest online exchanges where you can trade multiple crypto assets with BTC, ETH, USD, EUR and USDT as the base currencies. The exchange continues to introduce new tokens on its trading platform from time to time. Bittrex recently made it possible for users to trade on cryptocurrencies using their local fiat currencies. All a user needs is to get verified, come from an eligible location and have an account that is activated for local fiat trading.



BITFINEX.COM



Bitfinex is a crypto asset trading platform that also allows for margin trading. The company was founded in 2012. It is currently privately held and has its offices in Taipei and Paris. It currently has an employee base of about 200 and made revenue of about USD 300 Million in 2018. Traders can either use the web platform or download mobile apps that they can use for trading. Other services that are offered by the platform are Peer to Peer Lending and an OTC market for clients. It also periodically carries out token sales on some projects in the Blockchain field. The platform has its native utility token called UNUS SED LEO.

BITFINEX APP



OST.COM

OST is a Blockchain project that enables communities to build their own tokens on this platform. It helps platforms develop their own Ethereum based in-App currencies in minutes and launch them on their platforms. Users have full access to their funds and control their private keys. It's also friendly to people with little Blockchain experience and can be integrated into existing apps. The Apps can be both Apple and Android apps and no additional licenses are required. OST is privately held and was established in the year 2017. Headquarters are located in Hong Kong but also has offices in Berlin. It currently has a total employee base of 274.



REVIEW FOR COINBASE- HOW TO EARN CRYPTO

You can also trade and earn crypto from the trading profits on the platform. If you are a merchant, you can accept crypto payments on your account through the Coinbase commerce platform and integrate this with Presta Shop, Woo-commerce and Shopify.

Finally, it is possible to earn crypto on this platform as an affiliate. You can promote Coinbase and earn commission once a client joins Coinbase through your link or utilise the earn feature on coinbase and learn about cryptocurrencies.



Is Your Privacy Kept While Using Coinbase?

The company may require information about the identity of a user and may also have financial information about users. This information is usually collected because it is required by law. Coinbase does not sell user data to any third party without the consent of the users. Users can request Coinbase to delete some of all data collected on their accounts.

It is important to note that if some data is deleted, then this would mean closure of the account. However, there are other data that may be deleted without interfering with the account. Some of these are Marketing and communication data, survey responses, referrals and connected applications.

Coinbase Review 2021 – Coinbase Services

COINBASE BROKERAGE



Coinbase Brokerage allows users to buy, sell and use cryptocurrency. This service gives clients a chance to get access to most of the dominant crypto assets in the digital world. Some of the notable cryptocurrencies that you can purchase from the platform are BTC, ETH, USDC and BSV. There are over 25 crypto assets that you can buy and sell on this platform. Liquidity on this platform is high as there are over 30 million users across the world who use this platform. The platform is also available in over 100 countries. The platform charges a fee of 1.49%. If the cryptocurrencies are bought using a credit card, then this fee is about 2.9%.



COINBASE PRO

Coinbase Pro is an advanced cryptocurrency trading exchange for traders. The company continues to add more digital assets and trading pairs that can be traded on this platform. Some digital assets that have been recently added on the platform are COMP, Horizen, Livepeer, Origin Protocol and VeChain. Before a digital asset is listed, it has to undergo a rigorous technical review. Some digital assets may be prohibited in certain jurisdictions. Traders can use the platform as a web-based platform or download it on their mobile phones- Android or Apple phones. Traders also have the opportunity to use trading bots on the platform. Digital assets on this platform have also been insured. The fee structure on the platform is also quite competitive and reduces as the order sizes increase.

COINBASE WALLET

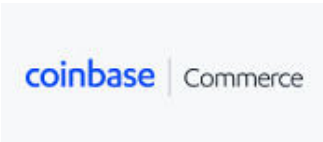


Coinbase wallet allows you to store all your digital assets in one wallet. Downloading the wallet app allows you to store all your crypto assets as a standalone wallet. You do not need to have an account with the main Coinbase account to access this wallet. You also manage your own private keys and store your assets directly on your device using this app. This app also allows you to store ERC-20 tokens. You can also import other wallets like MyEther Wallet and Metamask on this wallet. All you need to do is to access your private key in your current wallet and use your 12 word mnemonic phrase on your Coinbase wallet.



COINBASE DEBIT CARD

This is a Visa Debit card that is funded by your balance on Coinbase. This card enables you to spend crypto as easily as you would have funds in your bank. The card can be used across the globe on all Visa branded merchants. You can also withdraw as cash from ATMs. You also get to decide which crypto you will use on the card. You can easily switch from one crypto to another. Making this switch is fast and only takes a couple of seconds. Two-step verification has been added on the card to enhance security. You can also block your card in the event that you lose it or suspect a breach. Users also get instant notifications on transactions and summaries of all the transactions they have been engaged in.



COINBASE COMMERCE SOLUTIONS

Coinbase enables merchants to accept over five cryptocurrencies in their stores. Integrating this solution into your store is free and fast. It takes only a few minutes to go live. You can include stable cryptocurrencies into your list of accepted crypto assets. This helps avoid the volatility experienced with other cryptocurrencies. This solution can be integrated into e-commerce shops that have been set up using the following CMS: Woocommerce, Shopify and Presta Shop. There are over 8000 merchants across the globe who have already onboarded this solution. This enables them to accept payments from anyone across the globe and access these payments immediately. This solution is also highly secure and gives the merchant access to customised payment buttons.



USD COIN (USDC)

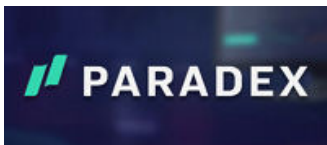
This is a stable currency. You can redeem 1 USD Coin for USD 1.00. Currently, there is over 931 Million USDC in circulation. If you have a US dollar-based bank account, you can always redeem the USDC into fiat currency and send it to your dollar account. Each USDC is backed by fiat currency (USD) of corresponding value. This is stored safely in bank accounts and constantly monitored. USDC is an Ethereum based token. This basically means it can be stored in an Ethereum based wallet. This token is also divisible and you can access as little as 0.000001 USDC.

COINBASE CUSTODIAN SERVICES



This service allows Coinbase to provide crypto-custodial services for its clients. This service is regulated by the New York State Federal Banking laws. The Crypto assets are stored in secured cold storage facilities.

They are also fully insured and undergo regular financial and security audits by top external agencies.



COINBASE PARADEX

This platform allows Coinbase clients to directly trade tokens from their wallets. It was first allowed to residents from out of the US before launching in the US. The platform offers hundreds of digital tokens that can be traded directly. There are no trading fees, no custodianship and no signups when you use this platform.

COINBASE VENTURES



This service provides funding to early-stage companies that seek to grow in the crypto industry. They have already invested in a number of companies. Some of these are Blockfi, Dharma, Etherscan Reserve and Rarebits.

Coinbase Review – How Coinbase Makes Money

Coinbase makes money by charging fees on its platform and exchange. When buying cryptocurrencies the platform also charges fees from 1.49%. If you are purchasing crypto using credit cards, then the fees charged are about 3.99%. The exchange of the platform charges fees that reduce as volume of orders increases. These fees on the exchange start from 0.50%. On VISA transactions, the platform charges a fee of 2.49%. When you place an order that gets partially matched immediately, you pay a taker fee for that portion. The remainder of the order is placed on the order book and, when matched, is considered a maker order. You pay a maker fee for this remaining portion of the total order.

Pricing Tier	Taker Fee	Maker Fee
Up to \$10k	0.50%	0.50%
\$10k - \$50k	0.35%	0.35%
\$50k - \$100k	0.25%	0.15%
\$100k - \$1m	0.20%	0.10%
\$1m - \$10m	0.18%	0.08%
\$10m - \$50m	0.15%	0.05%
\$50m - \$100m	0.10%	0.00%
\$100m - \$300m	0.07%	0.00%
\$300m - \$500m	0.06%	0.00%
\$500m - \$1b	0.05%	0.00%
\$1b+	0.04%	0.00%

Coinbase Fees For Deposits and Withdrawals Review

	Deposit Fee	Withdrawal Fee
Digital Assets	Free	Free
ACH	Free	Free
Wire (USD)	\$10 USD	\$25 USD
SEPA (EUR)	€0.15 EUR	€0.15 EUR
Swift (GBP)	Free	£5 GBP

Coinbase vs. Other Exchanges

Coinbase is definitely at the top with its multiple offerings and its focus to deepen the crypto ecosystem. We see in Coinbase a desire to take the crypto landscape to the next level through various products that are being offered. The company can be considered an all service crypto solutions provider. This is unlike other exchanges that may focus on just one or two products.

Coinbase In Recent News Headlines

Coinbase is undoubtedly a global leader in the cryptocurrency space, although people can argue about the fees, storage safety and other aspects one thing is very clear people look to Coinbase for information and ease of access to the crypto market. There are many recent developments at Coinbase one major development is the possibility of the company going public, here are some of the recent news headlines currently in the market.

Crypto exchange Coinbase could go public later this year

According to several Crypto News websites, Coinbase Inc has begun procedures for a stock market listing which could take to the market this year. In a landmark occasion being the first major U.S. cryptocurrency exchange to go public, according to three people familiar with the matter. It would, however, require the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission's (SEC) blessing which is not an easy thing to accomplish given the industry.

Paul Grewal, Former US Magistrate Judge, Joins Coinbase as Chief Legal Officer

The stars seem to be aligning with the recent release of the concept of Coinbase becoming and publicly listed company. Coinbase has also announced that Paul Grewal is joining Coinbase as their Chief Legal Officer. With Coinbase striving to achieve greatness in the crypto space on numerous fronts it's not surprising such a figurehead has joined the team. to be a world-class company you need a world-class team Paul Grewal is from Facebook, where he served as Vice President and Deputy General Counsel.

Compound (COMP) is now available on Coinbase Earn

Coinbase Earn which we have mentioned earlier in this article is a valued place for crypto users/traders/ investors can educate themselves about new developments in crypto and earn assets as rewards.

Coinbase has announced on 26th June that Compound (COMP) can be earned by watching lessons and completing quizzes for rewards.

Compound (COMP) is an Ethereum token that governs the autonomous Compound protocol. This is part of the new wave of Ethereum based tokens which are focused on Decentralised finance, COMP enables anyone to borrow and lend Ethereum tokens through a decentralized market. Lenders can earn interest on the crypto they supply to the protocol and borrowers pay interest to borrow it.

Review of Coinbase Conclusion

Coinbase is definitely at the forefront of all its peers in the crypto space. As it continues to roll out more products in the crypto landscape, we expect to see more users interacting with their products. The platform is definitely redefining the crypto landscape and setting the pace for other peers in the industry.

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