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# Weekly Cryptocurrency Market Analysis

The Cryptocurrency market has dropped significantly last week, and we have seen a lot of weakness in the market. The overall cryptocurrency Market Cap decreased by \$37 Billion to \$174 Billion. Bitcoin's price currently is \$4,783 overall decreasing by 25%, and Ethereum's price also decreased by 27.5% to \$145. The current market cap for Bitcoin is \$85 Billion and for altcoins the current market cap is \$76 Billion.

## Percentage of Total Market Capitalization (Dominance)

|              |        |
|--------------|--------|
| Bitcoin      | 53.44% |
| Ethereum     | 9.42%  |
| Bitcoin Cash | 3.65%  |
| Litecoin     | 1.31%  |
| Ripple       | 11.25% |
| Dash         | 0.58%  |
| NEM          | 0.45%  |
| Monero       | 0.76%  |
| IOTA         | 0.59%  |
| NEO          | 0.41%  |
| Other        | 18.14% |

For the past two months, the crypto markets were trading in a tight range. The market participants were waiting for a trigger to breakout or breakdown of the range. Last week, the ugly spat between two warring factions of Bitcoin Cash hurt sentiments that resulted in a sharp drop in crypto prices. Bitcoin plunged to a new year-to-date low and its market capitalization dropped below **\$100 billion** for the first time in more than a year. Several altcoins followed Bitcoin lower.

After the recent fall, several analysts have come out with their projections. A few analysts believe that the current drop can extend to **\$1,500**, reported Bloomberg Intelligence. On the other hand, Fundstrat co-founder and Head of Research Tom Lee believes that Bitcoin will rally to \$15,000 by the end of the year. Though he has cut his target from \$25,000 to \$15,000, it is still significantly higher from the current levels.

Bitcoin Cash **forked** on November 15 into Bitcoin Cash ABC (BCHABC) and Bitcoin Cash SV (BCHSV). Since then, an intense **tussle** is in progress between the two new digital currencies to prove their supremacy.

Another other notable event was that Ripple **overtook** Ethereum as the top altcoin in terms of market capitalization. Similarly, Stellar made an entry into the top five, dethroning EOS. Let's analyze the top 5 cryptocurrencies and see what is in store in the next few days. We haven't included Bitcoin Cash in today's analysis due to the fork and a small trading history of the new coins.

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**Bitcoin**  
BTC

▲ **Price** \$5,388.32    
 ▬ **Volume (24hr)** \$4,767,504,965    
 ▬ **Market Cap** \$93,669,425,984    
 # **Vol/MCap** 5.09%    
 ↻ **Circulating** 17,383,800

24 HR HIGH \$5,686.79    
 24 HR LOW \$5,307.08    
 24 HR RANGE 6.68%    
 ALL TIME HIGH \$20,236.69    
 FROM MATH -73.39%

|         | 1 Hr     | 24 Hrs   | 7 Days    | 30 Days   |
|---------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| vs Fiat | ▲ 0.49%  | ▼ -3.36% | ▼ -16.36% | ▼ -18.01% |
| vs BTC  | ▲ 0.00%  | ▲ 0.00%  | ▲ 0.00%   | ▲ 0.00%   |
| vs ETH  | ▼ -0.41% | ▲ 6.89%  | ▲ 10.83%  | ▲ 6.97%   |

BTC  ⇄



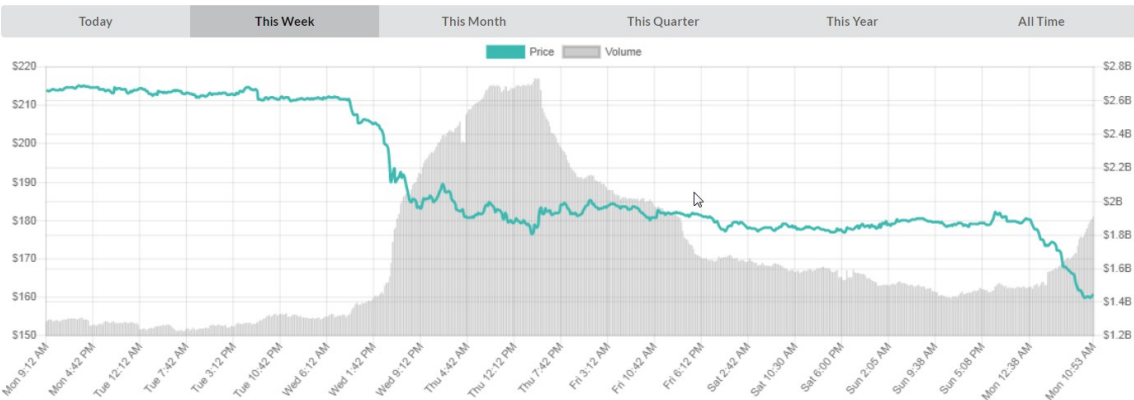
**Ethereum**  
ETH

▲ **Price** \$161.3149    
 ▬ **Volume (24hr)** \$1,921,465,979    
 ▬ **Market Cap** \$16,587,259,815    
 # **Vol/MCap** 11.57%    
 ↻ **Circulating** 102,825,320

24 HR HIGH \$182.56    
 24 HR LOW \$158.03    
 24 HR RANGE 13.44%    
 ALL TIME HIGH \$1,538.13    
 FROM MATH -89.51%

|         | 1 Hr    | 24 Hrs   | 7 Days    | 30 Days   |
|---------|---------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| vs Fiat | ▲ 0.90% | ▼ -9.60% | ▼ -24.59% | ▼ -23.40% |
| vs BTC  | ▲ 0.41% | ▼ -6.44% | ▼ -9.79%  | ▼ -6.53%  |
| vs ETH  | ▲ 0.00% | ▲ 0.00%  | ▲ 0.00%   | ▲ 0.00%   |

ETH  ⇄





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Price  
\$0.48926310

Volume (24hr)  
\$912,836,075

Market Cap  
\$19,703,480,866

# Vol/MCap  
4.63%

Circulating  
40,271,748,947

24 HR HIGH  
\$0.5187

24 HR LOW  
\$0.4738

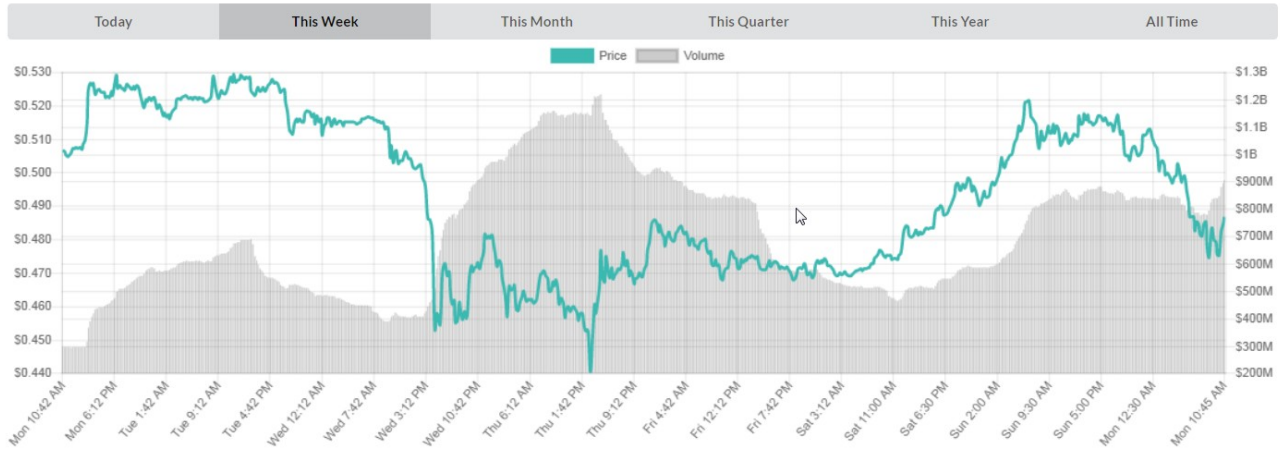
24 HR RANGE  
8.64%

ALL TIME HIGH  
\$3.92

FROMATH  
-87.51%











|         | 1 Hr    | 24 Hrs   | 7 Days   | 30 Days  |
|---------|---------|----------|----------|----------|
| vs Fiat | ▲ 1.41% | ▼ -3.76% | ▼ -3.14% | ▲ 4.97%  |
| vs BTC  | ▲ 0.82% | ▼ -0.47% | ▲ 15.76% | ▲ 27.99% |
| vs ETH  | ▲ 0.36% | ▲ 6.32%  | ▲ 28.27% | ▲ 36.87% |

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# Top 10 Coins

## Top 10 Coins by Percentage Gain (Past 7 Days)
















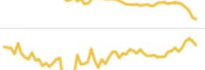




| #  | Name  | Symbol | Volume (24h) | Price      | % 7d    |
|----|---|--------|--------------|------------|---------|
| 1  |  Nasdacoin             | NSD    | \$342,818    | \$2.79     | 230.00% |
| 2  |  Animation Vision Cash | AVH    | \$640,360    | \$0.001277 | 122.15% |
| 3  |  Factom                | FCT    | \$6,448,051  | \$8.19     | 86.70%  |
| 4  |  Birake                | BIR    | \$473,501    | \$0.141328 | 67.65%  |
| 5  |  DATx                  | DATX   | \$1,462,767  | \$0.003825 | 47.49%  |
| 6  |  QYNO                  | QNO    | \$54,508     | \$0.295590 | 45.99%  |
| 7  |  SmartCash           | SMART  | \$502,704    | \$0.024957 | 39.34%  |
| 8  |  On.Live             | ONL    | \$88,428     | \$0.095068 | 38.59%  |
| 9  |  Fox Trading         | FOXT   | \$417,663    | \$0.206731 | 36.32%  |
| 10 |  Cryptosolartech     | CST    | \$110,964    | \$0.015710 | 33.18%  |

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

| Name  | Symbol | Added       | Market Cap   | Price      | Circulating Supply | Volume (24h) | % 24h   |
|---|--------|-------------|--------------|------------|--------------------|--------------|---------|
|  Optimal Shelf Availabi... | OSA    | 12 days ago | \$23,986,675 | \$0.086289 | 277,979,328 *      | \$5,693,526  | 4.32%   |
|  Fantom                    | FTM    | 21 days ago | \$15,136,809 | \$0.011919 | 1,270,000,000 *    | \$5,919,328  | -25.17% |
|  TV-TWO                    | TTV    | 18 days ago | \$6,254,745  | \$0.029371 | 212,956,962 *      | \$3,928      | 114.47% |
|  Liquidity Network         | LQD    | 25 days ago | \$5,097,157  | \$0.120973 | 42,134,645 *       | \$566,109    | -25.31% |
|  Breezecoin                | BRZC   | 21 days ago | \$3,775,805  | \$0.368073 | 10,258,316 *       | \$8,954      | -10.48% |
|  Vetri                     | VLD    | 27 days ago | \$3,411,978  | \$0.015810 | 215,812,716 *      | \$196        | 18.66%  |
|  Howdoo                    | UDOO   | 4 days ago  | \$3,278,257  | \$0.036550 | 89,691,366 *       | \$141,340    | 0.12%   |
|  SUQA                      | SUQA   | 21 days ago | \$3,088,730  | \$0.009465 | 326,346,305        | \$135,302    | 0.44%   |
|  Pedity                    | PEDI   | 27 days ago | \$2,982,298  | \$0.002179 | 1,368,610,817 *    | \$5,122      | -7.16%  |
|  Molecule                  | MOL    | 25 days ago | \$2,566,787  | \$0.000201 | 12,782,432,251 *   | \$468,434    | -14.95% |



## Top 10 Coins by Total Market Capitalisation

| #  | Name   | Market Cap       | Price      | Volume (24h)    | Circulating Supply   | Change (24h) | Price Graph (7d)  |
|----|--|------------------|------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------|---|
| 1  |  Bitcoin      | \$92,919,535,447 | \$5,345.18 | \$5,143,196,350 | 17,383,787 BTC       | -4.41%       |    |
| 2  |  XRP          | \$19,579,093,487 | \$0.486174 | \$960,244,873   | 40,271,748,947 XRP * | -4.73%       |    |
| 3  |  Ethereum     | \$16,332,815,701 | \$158.12   | \$2,177,175,452 | 103,294,275 ETH      | -9.95%       |    |
| 4  |  Bitcoin Cash | \$6,316,927,591  | \$361.67   | \$280,822,295   | 17,466,225 BCH       | -5.31%       |    |
| 5  |  Stellar     | \$4,492,096,323  | \$0.233181 | \$108,071,704   | 19,264,393,214 XLM * | -7.17%       |   |
| 6  |  EOS        | \$3,789,945,829  | \$4.18     | \$936,208,157   | 906,245,118 EOS *    | -8.72%       |  |
| 7  |  Litecoin   | \$2,287,310,250  | \$38.62    | \$423,197,994   | 59,223,413 LTC       | -8.76%       |  |
| 8  |  Tether     | \$1,744,424,876  | \$0.993170 | \$3,848,262,831 | 1,756,421,736 USDT * | 0.37%        |  |
| 9  |  Cardano    | \$1,427,518,547  | \$0.055059 | \$33,843,372    | 25,927,070,538 ADA * | -10.72%      |  |
| 10 |  Monero     | \$1,331,309,613  | \$80.29    | \$21,131,126    | 16,581,428 XMR       | -9.75%       |  |

# Crypto Trade Opportunities

## Bitcoin - BTC/USD



Bitcoin had been forming a series of lower lows throughout of the year. In doing so, it formed a large descending triangle, which is a bearish pattern. However, on the downside, the zone between \$5,873-\$5,777 had been acting as a strong support. Prices had bounced off these levels on three occasions, hence, this was a major support level.

Since early-September, the digital currency had been trading in a tight range of \$6823-\$6116. The range shrunk further from mid-October. This showed that the spring was coiling and a breakout or breakdown was imminent.

The large range day on November 14 was a decisive move that broke down of the tight range and the descending triangle. Post the fall, the trend has turned negative. However, an interesting aspect has been that the candles on both November 14 and 15 have large tails, which shows buying at lower levels. Ideally, after such a major breakdown, we expect the bears to close the prices near the intraday lows. As this is not happening, it increases the probability of a pullback to the breakdown level.

If the bears defend the zone between \$5,777-\$5,873, the virtual currency will turn down and a fall to the next support at \$5,000 increases. On the other hand, if the bulls push prices above \$5,873, it will invalidate the current breakdown and increase the likelihood of a move to the 20-day EMA and above it to the 50-day SMA.

The trend on Bitcoin will change on a breakout of \$6,850. This should result in a rally to \$8,400 with minor resistance at \$7,400. The next few days are critical and will provide us a better insight on what to expect. At the current levels, as there is no clarity, hence, it is best to remain on the sidelines.



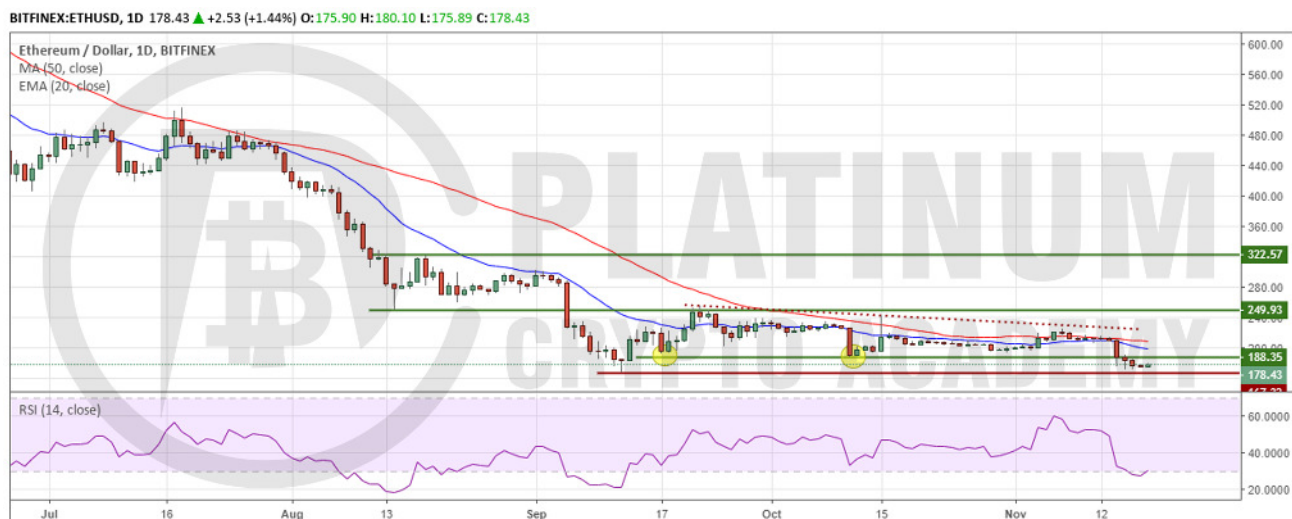
## Ripple - XRP/USD



Ripple has been an outperformer in this fall. It is one of the rare top currencies where the moving averages are sloping up and the RSI is also in the positive territory. It is quoting well above its year-to-date lows. This shows that the owners of the digital currency are buying on dips and are not selling on rallies.

The fall on November 14 and 15 was used by the bulls to buy at lower levels. For the past two days, the price has resumed its up move. It can now move up to \$0.627, above which, a rally to \$0.79132 is probable. The path of the least resistance is to the upside. On the downside, any break of the support zone of \$0.41530-\$0.37763 will be a negative development that can plunge the virtual currency towards the recent lows of \$0.26648.

## Ethereum - ETH/USD



Ethereum is looking weak, as it has been trading close to the bottom of the range \$249.93-\$167.32 for the past three days. Though the support has held, the bulls have failed to achieve a strong rebound.

This shows a lack of buying at these levels. The 20-day EMA has started to slope down and the RSI is close to the oversold territory. This shows that the bears have an upper hand.

If the price fails to scale \$188 levels within the next 2-3 days, we are likely to witness the next round of selling that can plunge the digital currency to new yearly lows. The next support on the downside is \$136 and \$110.

If the bulls scale both the moving averages, a rally to \$249.93 is possible. A breakout and close (UTC time frame) above \$250 will signal a trend reversal and the start of a new trend. Traders should wait for a new buy setup to form before initiating any fresh positions.

## Stellar - XLM/USD

BITTREX:XLMUSD, 1D 0.25611042 ▲ +0.00801496 (+3.23%) O:0.24808120 H:0.25876532 L:0.24782548 C:0.25611042



Stellar is another such cryptocurrency that is showing strength. It has broken out of the downtrend line of the descending triangle, thereby, invalidating the bearish pattern. Failure of a bearish setup is a bullish sign. It is currently trading inside an ascending channel, which is a positive sign. A breakout above the \$0.305 levels, is likely to attract strong buying, pushing prices to the next higher level of \$0.36.

## EOS - EOS/USD

BITFINEX:EOSUSD, 1D 4.6313 ▲ +0.0060 (+0.13%) O:4.6275 H:4.7196 L:4.5799 C:4.6313





EOS has declined to the critical support at \$4.493. This is a crucial support, as it has held up until now. The 20-day EMA is sloping down and the RSI is in the oversold territory, which shows that the sellers are in command. The digital currency has struggled to bounce off the support at \$4.493, which shows a lack of buying support even at these levels. We believe that unless the bulls quickly scale prices above the moving averages, a fall to \$4.1778, followed by a drop to \$3.8723 is likely.

If the bulls succeed in holding the support levels, the bounce can carry prices to the moving averages and above it to the downtrend line. If price breaks out of the downtrend line, the probability of a rally to \$6.8299 increase. Above this level, the next resistance is at \$9. Traders should wait for buyers to return and the price to some upward traction, before loading up on the virtual currency.

## RightMesh - RMESH/USD



RMESH performed expertly in the previous week, hitting our entry level and quickly reversing back upward to complete our trade and secure some profits. This week we want to repeat this action, looking for it to once again hit the \$0.050 mark and swiftly climb back up to \$0.070 once more. This is a quick and simple trade, and it has a decent ROI of around 40%.

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# Advancements in the Cryptocurrency World

## Another 'Satoshi Message' Attempts to Sway Public Opinion, But Fails

<https://news.bitcoin.com/another-satoshi-message-attempts-to-sway-public-opinion-but-fails/>



It's been a crazy week in cryptocurrency land as a large portion of the community watched the Bitcoin Cash (BCH) network split into two chains on Nov. 15. Following the 24 hours of the BCH hash war, an interesting message was found stemming from block height 9 that claims there is an "issue with Segwit." Of course, a few cryptocurrency developers have once again deemed the latest Satoshi signature as "fake" and have explained that the new message was likely another fluke attempt by Craig Wright.

During the second day of the BCH hash war, a few cryptocurrency enthusiasts came across a message that appeared to be a valid signature for Satoshi's key in block 9. The address contained a message which warned of some issues with the Segwit protocol on the BTC chain. Furthermore, the owner of Coingeek, Calvin Ayre, tweeted out to his followers a small statement in regard to the block 9 key signature and stated that "Satoshi Lives." Ayre also retweeted the message from a Twitter account called "@Satoshi" which led to a few other tweets about the message.

"I do not want to be public, but, there is an issue with Segwit," explains the signed message and the tweet from the now deleted, but archived Satoshi handle. "If it is not fixed, there will be nothing and I would have failed — There is only one way that Bitcoin survives and it is important to me that it works. Important enough, that I may be known openly."



## SEC Cryptocurrency Crackdown: Two More ICOs Penalized

<https://cryptoslate.com/sec-cryptocurrency-crackdown-two-more-icos-penalized/>



The SEC appears to be finished watching. Two ICOs, CarrierEQ and Paragon Coin were punished for conducting illegal securities offerings. Both ICOs were conducted in 2017 after the SEC warned that ICOs might be securities offerings based on its ruling on the DAO.

CarrierEQ Inc. (Airfox) is a Boston startup that raised \$15 million to develop a mobile application that would allow users to interact with advertisements for tokens. Paragon Coin Inc. raised \$12 million to develop a blockchain supply-chain management system for the cannabis industry.

According to the Commission, both ICOs had failed to register their tokens as financial securities. Neither of the ICOs would have qualified for exemptions (such as Reg D), either.

Stephanie Avakian, Co-Director of the SEC Enforcement Division had this to say: "We have made it clear that companies that issue securities through ICOs are required to comply with existing statutes and rules governing the registration of securities."

In addition to a \$250,000 penalty, both companies are required to return funds to harmed investors, register the tokens as securities (pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934), and file regular reports with the SEC.

## 7 Facebook, Amazon, Apple, Netflix and Google Staffers That Went Full Crypto

<https://www.coindesk.com/7-facebook-amazon-apple-netflix-and-google-staffers-that-went-full-crypto>



“Follow the talent.”

It’s a maxim investor Chris Burniske tweeted recently to underscore another tweet from AngelList co-founder Naval Ravikant when he wrote back in March: “Blockchains are now sucking in top-tier Silicon Valley tech talent faster than any boom since the Internet.”

Yet, as the first flurries of crypto winter blow, this narrative has hardly cooled.

We heard it echoed again most recently in October when we spoke to Tinder exec and venture investor, Jeff Morris, Jr., who started Chapter One Ventures to back crypto projects he finds exciting. But, who are these professionals leaving good companies to take a chance on the world of crypto?

CoinDesk found seven examples of people who left jobs not just at notable tech companies but at the most notable ones. We found examples of staff from five giants of Web 2.0, the so-called FANGs: Facebook, Amazon, Apple, Netflix and Google.

Each of the people on this list turned their back on the secure life at a tech giant, the most powerful companies in today’s economy, to take a chance on a new sector built on money native to the internet and decentralized data structures.

## 50% Favor Bitcoin as Long-Term Investment in Former US Rep Ron Paul's Twitter Survey

<https://cointelegraph.com/news/50-favor-bitcoin-as-long-term-investment-in-former-us-rep-ron-pauls-twitter-survey>



Former U.S. Congressman Ron Paul has asked Twitter users Nov. 15 how they would prefer to receive \$10,000 if they had to keep it in this form for a decade, with the majority picking Bitcoin (BTC) .

Of the respondents, 50 percent answered that they would prefer to receive their \$10,000 in Bitcoin, the second most chosen asset was gold (37 percent), the third U.S. 10 year treasury bonds (11 percent), and the last was the U.S. dollar at only 2 percent.

Bitcoin's price had recently been stable for a long time, until it had lost over 10 percent in 24 hours the day before the survey started. An analyst at Fundstrat, an advisory firm, has predicted that Bitcoin will take "weeks, if not months" to recover, and analysts at Bloomberg Intelligence say that the coin's price could be on its way to \$1,500.

Former Texas representative Paul already conducted an identical survey on Dec. 5 2017, with relatively similar results: the U.S. dollars scored the same, and Bitcoin received just 4% more than in the most recent poll.

Bitcoin's price at the time of the December 2017 survey was around \$11,500, and was about to hit its all-time-high of \$20,000 on Dec. 17 2017.

A similar but more cryptocurrency-centric survey has been conducted on Twitter by Ran NeuNer — founder and CEO of crypto investment and advisory business Onchain Capital. In his version of the poll, the possible answers to the same question were Bitcoin, Ripple (XRP), Bitcoin Cash Satoshi's Vision, and American Airline Miles.



## Emerging Cloud Server Cryptocurrency Mining Service Splitt Attracts Ten Thousand Investors in Less than Three Months

<https://ethereumworldnews.com/emerging-cloud-server-cryptocurrency-mining-service-splitt-experiences-rapid-growth-attracts-ten-thousand-investors-in-less-than-three-months/>



Recently launched cloud server cryptocurrency mining service, Splitt is now making the heads turn in the global crypto community. Designed to make cryptocurrency mining user-friendly and safe for all, Splitt has secured an investment of well over \$5 million from more than ten thousand investors over the last three months.

November 10, 2018

Splitt, a recently launched cryptocurrency mining service equipped with a cloud server, is now taking giant strides towards becoming a highly preferred choice amongst the crypt mining enthusiasts around the world. Following its mega launch in August, Splitt has done well to secure close to one hundred thousand users and ten thousand investors in less than three months. Official sources have revealed that the company has already received an investment of more than five million for further development of the business.

As a result of drastic increase in the number of miners, bitcoin mining has become extremely competitive these days. Along with this growing competition, the bitcoin network has increased the difficulty level of solving the puzzles. As a result, it has become necessary now for the miners to up their game to stay in the race.

The crypto cloud of Splitt meets these challenges by offering mining services with ASIC integrated chips. This is considered to be the latest breakthrough in crypto mining because it is faster compared to the traditional GPU and CPU mining, and consumes less power. Splitt cloud mining requires no specialized hardware as it utilizes shared processing power from data centres.

## The Daily: US Bank to Issue Crypto Cards, Coinbase Updates Wallet

<https://news.bitcoin.com/the-daily-us-bank-to-issue-crypto-cards-coinbase-updates-wallet/>



New York-based Metropolitan Commercial Bank and Foris Inc., a Jacksonville, Florida-headquartered affiliate of digital asset wallet provider Crypto.com, are preparing to issue Visa crypto debit cards in the United States. The announcement comes after Crypto.com, a Hong Kong-based company formerly known as Monaco, recently launched its Mco Visa card program in Singapore.

The prepaid cards, which have no annual, monthly and ATM withdrawal fees, can be ordered from the wallet and card app of the cryptocurrency payment platform. The application allows users to purchase, sell, store, send and track cryptocurrencies. Customers can also use it to spend their digital coins in stores accepting Visa through conversion to fiat money without being charged exchange fees.

Reservations for the Mco Visa cards can be made after users pass an onboarding process which includes ID verification. According to a press release, over 100,000 cards have already been reserved globally. With the wallet app, cardholders will be able to manage the card usage and their crypto and fiat transactions. They can also freeze and unfreeze their cards with a single tap at any moment.

Cryptocurrency exchange Coinbase has updated its Ethereum-based wallet to improve its looks and add new functionalities. According to an announcement on Twitter, all supported ERC20 tokens will now show up automatically, along with available values in local fiat currency. That means users will no longer need to manually add the tokens to their portfolios.

The California-based digital asset trading platform has also introduced a new crypto collectibles gallery integrated with OpenSea and Rarebits to support hundreds of collectibles. Other changes include improved stability, security, and better gas price estimation. The wallet app has already been updated for iPhone users. The new version for Android phones is expected within the next few days.

## Jihan Wu May Sell 1 Million Bitcoin Cash SV

<https://cryptoslate.com/jihan-wu-may-sell-1-million-bitcoin-cash-sv-triggering-a-carnage/>



Bitmain's billionaire co-founder Jihan Wu may sell over 1 million Bitcoin Cash SV (BCHSV), following the successful completion of a scheduled Bitcoin Cash hard fork on Nov. 15.

A contentious hard fork of Bitcoin Cash was triggered by a camp led by Craig Wright, Coingeek, and Calvin Ayre, which mined an invalid block almost immediately after the hard fork was completed by Bitcoin Cash ABC, the original blockchain of BCH.

As of Nov. 19, Bitcoin Cash ABC remains 42.7 percent ahead of BCHSV on proof of work and nine blocks ahead. The majority of BCH blocks are being mined by Bitcoin.com, BTC.TOP, and ViaBTC, without the intervention of Bitmain.

With major exchanges like Coinbase and Kraken in support of the original BCH roadmap set forth by bitcoincash.org, and the supposed "stress test" threatened by Craig Wright after the hard fork amounting to a non-event, BCH has secured a clean win over BCHSV in the hash power war.

Prior to the fork, Craig Wright threatened to sue developers and miners in support of BCH and at one point claimed he will rearrange the blockchain of BCH to double spend transactions.

Ultimately, no developer or miner was sued, the hash war came to an end within 30 minutes in favor of BCH, and the stress test threatened by CSW turned out to be false. The last resort plan of the SV camp, to 51 percent attack the BCH network with overwhelming hashpower, was also stopped by the BCH community through the integration of checkpoints.

On Nov. 16, the BCH developer community integrate a checkpoint in every block mined after the hard fork to prevent blockchain reorganization, as a response to the 51 percent attack threat by SV.



## Huobi Exchange's Plans for Russia Go Well Beyond Crypto Trading

<https://www.coindesk.com/huobi-exchanges-plans-for-russia-go-well-beyond-crypto-trading>



Huobi, the third-largest crypto exchange by trading volumes, is seeking to fill a void in Russia's cryptocurrency community.

This month, the exchange opened an office in Moscow, the first major crypto trading platform to have a physical presence in the country, notably with a Russian-language call center. But Singapore-based Huobi's ambitions go further, into lending and renting space for Russian miners, shaping the country's regulations and training local blockchain talent.

The call center alone may be a significant differentiator, however. Even though leading crypto exchanges like Binance, OKEx and Bitfinex now have Russian-language interfaces, getting real-time support in case of tech problems have been a headache for many users in Russia who don't speak English, Chinese or Korean.

"None of the big exchanges would answer your request in Russian," a Russian trader named Anton, who didn't want to disclose his full name, told CoinDesk.

For several years, the void was filled by the now-defunct exchange BTC-e, which had not only a Russian support staff but a network of local over-the-counter (OTC) dealers who had been facilitating the purchases of cryptocurrencies in absence of regulated fiat on-ramps in the country.

But BTC-e was shut down by the U.S. FBI in July 2017. Subsequently, a new platform named WEX picked up its job until July, when fiat and crypto withdrawals were frozen.

Since then, there has been no mainstream platform offering comprehensive support for users in Russia. So now Huobi is stepping in aggressively.

## Chinese Blockchain-Related Company Xunlei Reports \$45.3 Million Q3 Revenue

<https://cointelegraph.com/news/chinese-blockchain-related-company-xunlei-reports-453-million-q3-revenue>



Chinese desktop software and blockchain-related company Xunlei has published its Q3 report Wednesday, Nov. 14. According to the report, the firm's revenue increased in 2018 after the introduction of blockchain services.

The report notes that the company's Q3 revenue reached \$45.3 million, representing an increase of 1.1% year-over-year. The firm attributed \$19.8 million of that revenue to its cloud and Internet value-added services sectors, which is an increase of 8.3 percent over the same period last year.

Lei Chen, CEO of Xunlei group, stated that blockchain remains one of the key investment areas for the company, noting:

"We believe that blockchain is a technology that can change our lives, and we will strive to make it available in different areas in a simpler and more cost-effective way."

The company specifically mentioned its blockchain platform ThunderChain, which has been launched this year, and lists recent blockchain-related partnerships, including a deal with the largest media group in China, People's Daily, which is also the official newspaper of the Communist Party of China.

Xunlei, known for its P2P software and BitTorrent client and especially popular in China, re-oriented towards blockchain technology development in October 2017.

Back then, following a sustained downturn over two years, the company announced its first blockchain-driven initiative: the Link Token, which could be used to pay for some of Xunlei's services. Shortly after, Xunlei became the best performing stock on Nasdaq, seeing up to 75 percent increase in shares, according to Bloomberg.

## XRP Price Recovers from November 14 Cryptocurrency Market Slump

<https://ethereumworldnews.com/xrp-price-recovers-from-november-14-cryptocurrency-market-slump/>



XRP is currently back to its price level before the sudden market slump that occurred last Wednesday. The second-ranked cryptocurrency leads a positive trading day for the broader cryptocurrency market after a difficult last few days.

After Wednesday's crash which saw prices slide by an average of 12 percent, XRP is back above \$0.50. At its lowest point during the price drop, XRP fell to \$0.43. However, Sunday's trading second-ranked cryptocurrency up by more than seven percent. As at press time, the token trade at \$0.51.

This swift recovery is yet another reason for Ripple enthusiasts to tout the merits of the token. Recently, both Ripple and the token appear to a major topic across the virtual currency and blockchain technology spectrum with multiple adoption use cases.

With XRP upstaging Ethereum to claim the second spot based on market capitalization, it becomes the top-ranked altcoin in the market. The big question now is whether the top altcoin can challenge Bitcoin for the title of the most dominant cryptocurrency in the market. Presently, Bitcoin maintains a 52.5 percent dominance of the market despite its recent price crash.

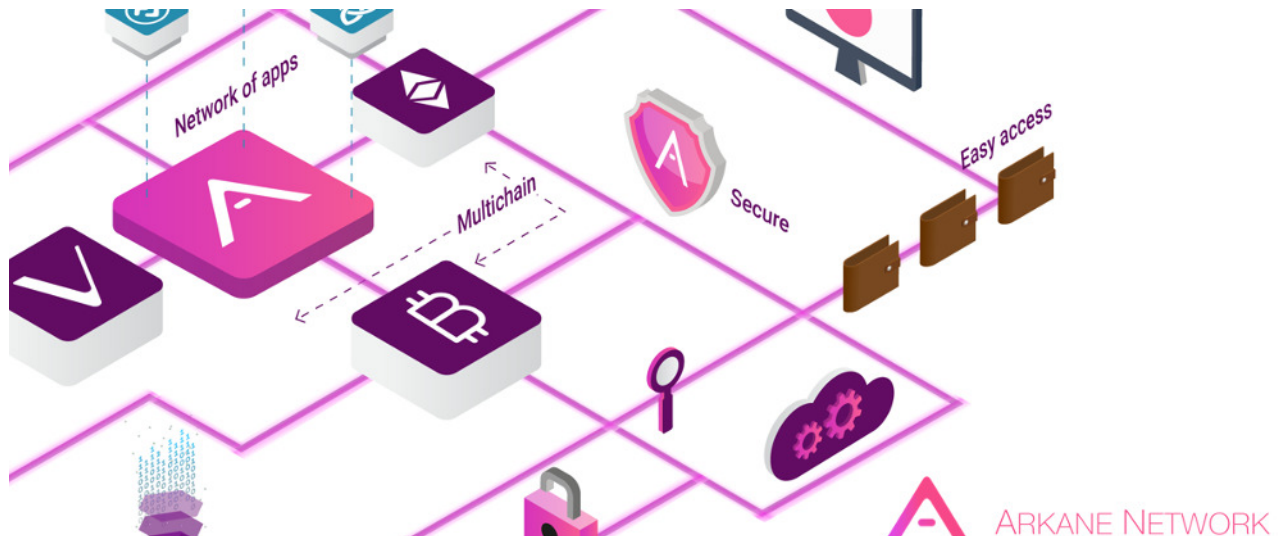
Apart from winning on the price charts, there is a sense of XRP being one of the more dominant cryptocurrency talking points on social media. In a tweet posted on Sunday, Binance CEO, Changpeng Zhao referred the strong "XRP base skill."

This tweet was in response to vociferous calls made by XRP enthusiasts to have the token as the base currency on Binance. Zhao's tweet encouraged all such supporters to "put all their skills under one tweet.'



# Platinum Crypto Information

## FundRequest



Open source software has never been as popular and widely adopted by enterprises as it is today. With the rise of Ethereum and blockchain technology the landscape has changed yet again. At **FundRequest**, they are moving one step further by supporting open source development with enhanced decentralized funding.

### Project Details:

#### What is FundRequest

FundRequest is a decentralized marketplace for software development. They have a unique integration model which differentiates from any stand-alone ticketing platform. The first platform we've successfully integrated with is **GitHub**, the leading online Git repository hosting service, **with more than 24 million developers and 10.7 million active issues**. FundRequest allows GitHub users to add funds to issues and to communicate them directly to the development community active on the GitHub platform.

Projects currently on FundRequest Platform with funded and solved issues include **Zilliqa**, **Exchange Union**, **Cindercloud**, **poanetwork** and **Brave**.

#### Blockchain hype vs. Dot-com bubble

They agree with Steve Wozniak when he **compares the growth of the blockchain industry to the dot-com mania**. Blockchain tech is not yet ready for mainstream adoption and is experiencing a **trough of disillusionment**.

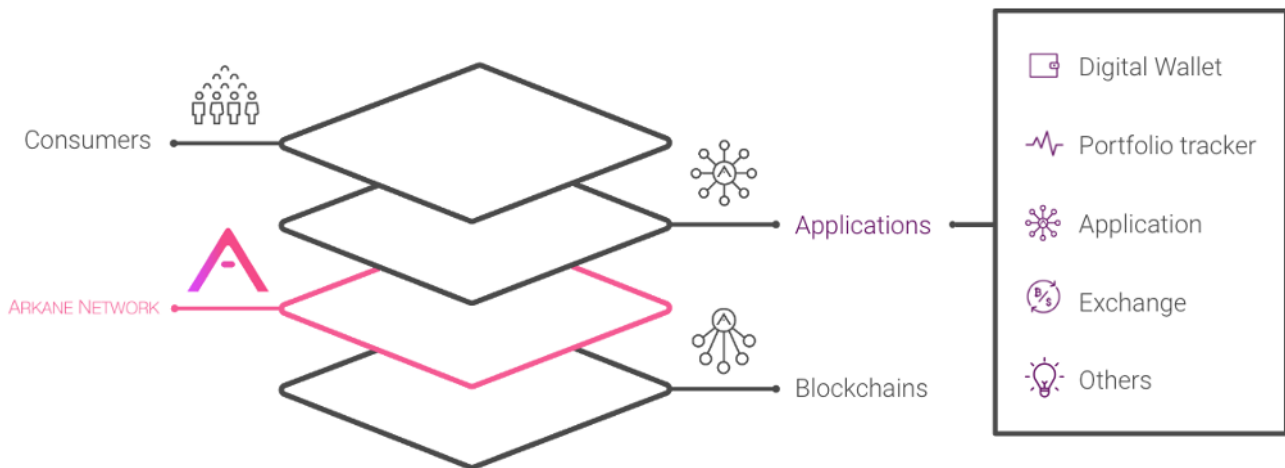
The disparity between working blockchain applications and the amount of blockchain start-ups is appalling. Only a handful of developers know how to build blockchain products. This is even more obvious when reading [Invest In Blockchain's research stating that only 36 out of the top 100 cryptocurrencies have a working product.](#)

With FundRequest, they have seen strong interest from enterprise companies looking to tap into the market for developers. The FundRequest Marketplace is operational but it is still missing key features for businesses to embrace FundRequest as the go-to marketplace for software development.

### Making life easy

Key features for FundRequest include generating a blockchain wallet for its users and becoming blockchain agnostic. Every FundRequest user should be able to use crypto and fiat currencies within their platform despite his or her crypto experience or blockchain preference. They haven't seen an appropriate solution available on the market so they decided to build the service, called [Arkane Network](#), themselves.

Arkane serves as a translation layer between Blockchain and Applications.



For consumers, Arkane can be seen as a digital wallet. For developers and businesses, Arkane is a building block and makes blockchain accessible for all.

FundRequest will use Arkane to onboard developers into crypto while other projects are exploring Arkane as a building block for their existing business applications.



"Arkane solves a real problem and gives me fresh insights to build more useful features on top of Coin Stats."

Narek, Founder Coin Stats

"Thanks to Arkane we were able to build [ThorBlock](#) and make it a user-friendly pooling service with a built-in VeChain Wallet."

Jurgen, Founder [SafeHaven](#)



"With Arkane we can build blockchain applications for our enterprise clients without becoming blockchain experts ourselves."

Jan, Director In The Pocket

Arkane launched in October 2018 and currently supports Ethereum and VeChain. Additional blockchain infrastructures will be supported by Arkane in upcoming releases which will give App developers and businesses more choices to develop blockchain into their business applications.

Arkane will not launch an ICO but they are exploring various models to include [FND](#) as utility token for both [FundRequest](#) and [Arkane Network](#).

### The Team:



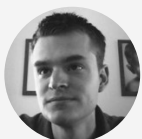
[Karel Striegel](#) has a strong background in software development, particularly in DevOps. His experience includes being the CEO and founder of Striegel BVBA, and working as a systems engineer at International Post Corporation.



[Tim Dierckxsens](#) is co-founder whose strength lies in business analysis and strategy. He has also worked at International Post Corporation as a consultant and project manager, before which he worked as a business analyst.



[Gerbert Vandenberghe](#) is a third co-founder, who's also the company's COO. His experience is also concentrated on business and domain modeling, and worked with other firms in that capacity.



[Davy Van Roy](#) is CTO and the last co-founder of FundRequest and Arkane. Next to being technically outstanding, self-organising, solution driven and pragmatic, his expertise, passion and enthusiasm for technology allows him to envision and develop high quality products.



**Official Video:** <https://youtu.be/Jnd5W7h3igQ>



For more information about FundRequest and Arkane check

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