

# Weekly Market Update

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# Cryptocurrency Movements

## Top 10 Cryptocurrencies By Market Cap

Rank	Coins	Circulating Mkt Cap (USD bn)				Price (USD)				7 Day Average Volume (USD mn)				Price Graph (1M)
		Apr 14	7D Δ	1M Δ	12M Δ	Apr 14	7D Δ	1M Δ	12M Δ	Apr 14	7D Δ	1M Δ	12M Δ	
1	Bitcoin BTC	\$133.7	↑ 19%	↓ 0.9x	↑ 7.0x	\$7,986	↑ 16%	↓ 1.0x	↑ 6.8x	\$5,618	↑ 20%	↓ 0.8x	↑ 22.1x	
2	Ethereum ETH	\$48.7	↑ 33%	↓ 0.7x	↑ 10.7x	\$501	↑ 30%	↓ 0.8x	↑ 10.5x	\$1,646	↑ 42%	↓ 0.9x	↑ 21.0x	
3	Ripple XRP	\$24.9	↑ 34%	↓ 0.8x	↑ 19.4x	\$0.6	↑ 30%	↓ 0.9x	↑ 18.7x	\$589	↑ 76%	↑ 1.2x	↑ 44.8x	
4	Bitcoin Cash BCH	\$12.6	↑ 21%	↓ 0.7x	N/A	\$739	↑ 15%	↓ 0.8x	N/A	\$286	↑ 6%	↓ 0.6x	N/A	
5	Litecoin LTC	\$7.0	↑ 11%	↓ 0.7x	↑ 13.7x	\$126	↑ 9%	↓ 0.8x	↑ 12.2x	\$313	↑ 1.1x	↓ 0.5x	↑ 3.9x	
6	Cardano ADA	\$5.2	↑ 37%	↓ 0.9x	N/A	\$0.2	↑ 35%	↑ 1.0x	N/A	\$161	↑ 54%	↓ 1.0x	N/A	
7	Stellar XLM	\$4.6	↑ 27%	↓ 0.8x	↑ 158.9x	\$0.3	↑ 24%	↑ 1.0x	↑ 80.1x	\$55	↑ 9%	↑ 1.5x	↑ 50.8x	
8	NEO NEO	\$4.0	↑ 39%	↑ 0.7x	↑ 422.2x	\$63.9	↑ 38%	↑ 0.9x	↑ 331.0x	\$160.4	↑ 147%	↑ 1.1x	↑ 1058x	
9	IOTA MIOTA	\$3.6	↑ 40%	↑ 1.0x	N/A	\$1.4	↑ 45%	↑ 1.3x	N/A	\$45	↑ 95%	↑ 1.2x	N/A	
10	Monero XMR	\$3.0	↑ 16%	↓ 0.8x	↑ 9.8x	\$190	↑ 12%	↓ 0.9x	↑ 9.2x	\$40	↑ 14%	↓ 0.4x	↑ 6.3x	

# Token Movements

## Top 10 Tokens By Market Cap

Rank	Token Icon	Token Name	Symbol	Circulating Mkt Cap (USD mn)				Price (USD)				7 Day Average Volume (USD mn)				Price Graph (1M)
				Apr 14	7D Δ	1M Δ	12M Δ	Apr 14	7D Δ	1M Δ	12M Δ	Apr 14	7D Δ	1M Δ	12M Δ	
1		EOS	EOS	\$6,916	↑ 52%	↑ 1.6x	N/A	\$8.6	↑ 46%	↑ 1.6x	N/A	\$843.3	↑ 136%	↑ 3.1x	N/A	
2		TRON	TRX	\$2,543	↑ 5%	↑ 1.1x	N/A	\$0.0	↑ 8%	↑ 1.3x	N/A	\$332.0	↓ -29%	↑ 1.4x	N/M	
3		Tether	USDT	\$2,291	↑ 0%	↑ 1.0x	↑ 45.2x	\$1.0	↑ 0%	↓ 1.0x	↑ 1.0x	\$2,097.3	↑ 32%	↓ 0.9x	↑ 125.0x	
4		VeChain	VEN	\$1,725	↑ 40%	↓ 0.8x	N/A	\$3.3	↑ 32%	↓ 0.9x	N/A	\$69.9	↑ 8%	↓ 0.8x	N/M	
5		Binance Coin	BNB	\$1,564	↑ 10%	↑ 1.6x	N/A	\$13.2	↑ 6%	↑ 1.5x	N/A	\$102.4	↓ -3%	↑ 1.2x	N/A	
6		OmiseGO	OMG	\$1,325	↑ 40%	↓ 1.0x	N/A	\$13.7	↑ 45%	↑ 1.2x	N/A	\$99.5	↑ 116%	↑ 2.7x	N/A	
7		Ontology	ONT	\$1,015	↑ 37%	N/A	N/A	\$4.3	↑ 15%	↑ 3.0x	N/A	\$108.6	↑ 62%	↓ 0.9x	N/A	
8		ICON	ICX	\$956	↑ 30%	↓ 0.9x	N/A	\$2.5	↑ 23%	↑ 1.1x	N/A	\$56.6	↑ 29%	↑ 2.3x	N/M	
9		Bytom	BTM	\$926	↑ 91%	↑ 2.5x	N/A	\$0.9	↑ 67%	↑ 2.6x	N/A	\$63.6	↑ 273%	↑ 3.8x	N/A	
10		Populous	PPT	\$561	↑ 32%	↓ 0.8x	N/A	\$16.1	↑ 33%	↑ 1.0x	N/A	\$1.6	↑ 52%	↓ 0.5x	N/A	

# Developments in the Cryptocurrency World

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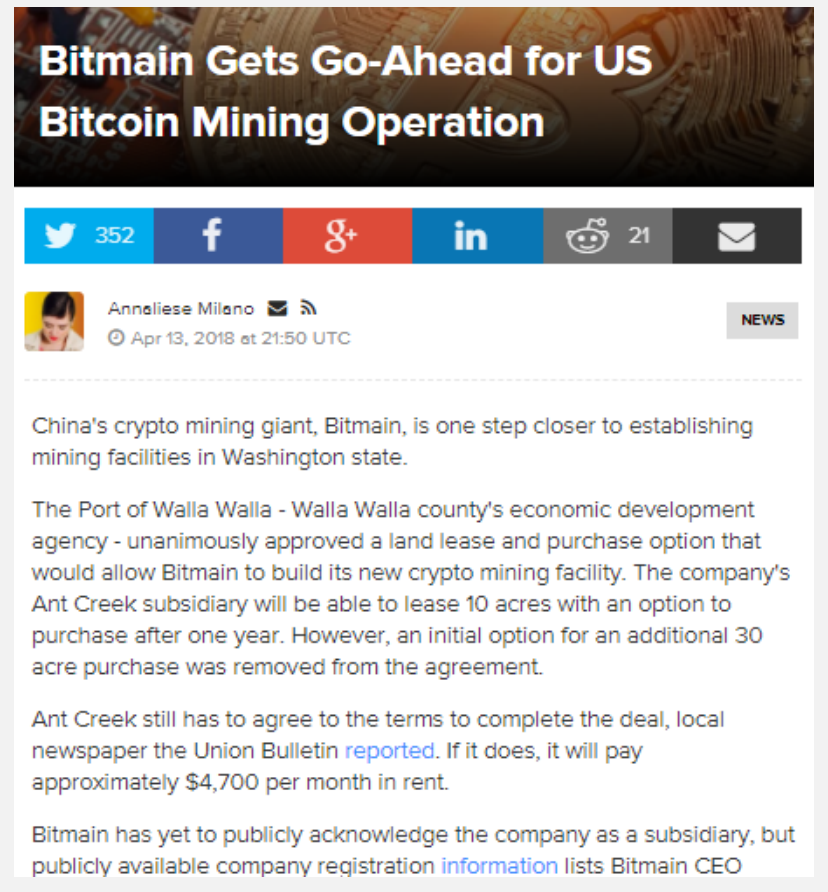
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- "Seoul-based multinational conglomerate Samsung has confirmed that it is providing ASIC chips to mine bitcoin, ether and assorted cryptocurrencies for hardware manufacturer Halong Mining."
- "Its partnership with Halong is expected to bring heavy competition to the ASIC industry, primarily to China's Bitmain, which, up to this point, has largely dominated the chip-development arena. Both companies work with Taiwanese giant TSMC, which has seen quarterly revenue increases of \$350 to \$400 million, thanks to ongoing developments in cryptocurrency."



Nick Marinoff. "Samsung Is Building ASIC Chips for Halong Mining." *Bitcoin Magazine*. n.d. Web. 15 Apr. 2018.  
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**Bitmain Gets Go-Ahead for US Bitcoin Mining Operation**

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China's crypto mining giant, Bitmain, is one step closer to establishing mining facilities in Washington state.

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Ant Creek still has to agree to the terms to complete the deal, local newspaper the Union Bulletin [reported](#). If it does, it will pay approximately \$4,700 per month in rent.

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- "According to a news report in the Economic Times of India, police have since seized the company's servers to investigate the extent of the system breach. They are checking to see if more wallets have been compromised and are calling in the company's senior security officials for questioning."

Amy Castor. "\$3.5 Million in Bitcoin Missing From India's Coinsecure Exchange." *Bitcoin Magazine*. n.d. Web. 15 Apr. 2018. <<https://bitcoinmagazine.com/articles/35-million-bitcoin-missing-indias-coinsecure-exchange/>>

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## Others news:

- "Coinbase Acquires Ethereum Wallet Startup Cipher Browser" - <https://www.coindesk.com/coinbase-acquires-ethereum-wallet-startup-cipher-browser/>
- "Bitcoin market opens to 1.6 billion muslims as cryptocurrency declared halal under Islamic law" - <https://www.independent.co.uk/life-style/gadgets-and-tech/news/bitcoin-islamic-law-muslims-cryptocurrency-market-permissible-sharia-news-price-surge-a8302761.html>
- "Vietnam Investigates Alleged \$660 Million ICO Fraud of Pincoin, Ifan" - <https://www.ccn.com/vietnam-investigates-alleged-660-million-ico-fraud-of-pincoin-ifan/>
- "Germany's No. 2 Stock Exchange Unveils Crypto Trading App" - <https://www.coindesk.com/germanys-no-2-stock-exchange-unveils-crypto-trading-app/>



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