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CME vs COIN: Not Zero-Sum Game

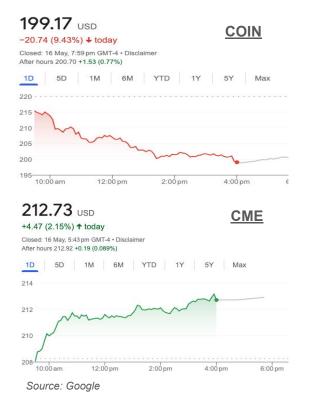
BTC	\$65,231.02	S&P500	5,297.10	US 10Y	4.3672%	WTI	\$79.37
ETH	-1.5% \$2,944.99	Nasdaq	-0.2% 16,698.32	DXY	+0.0311PPT 104.50	Gold	+0.9% \$2,382.15
	-3.0%		-0.3%		+0.3%		-0.5%

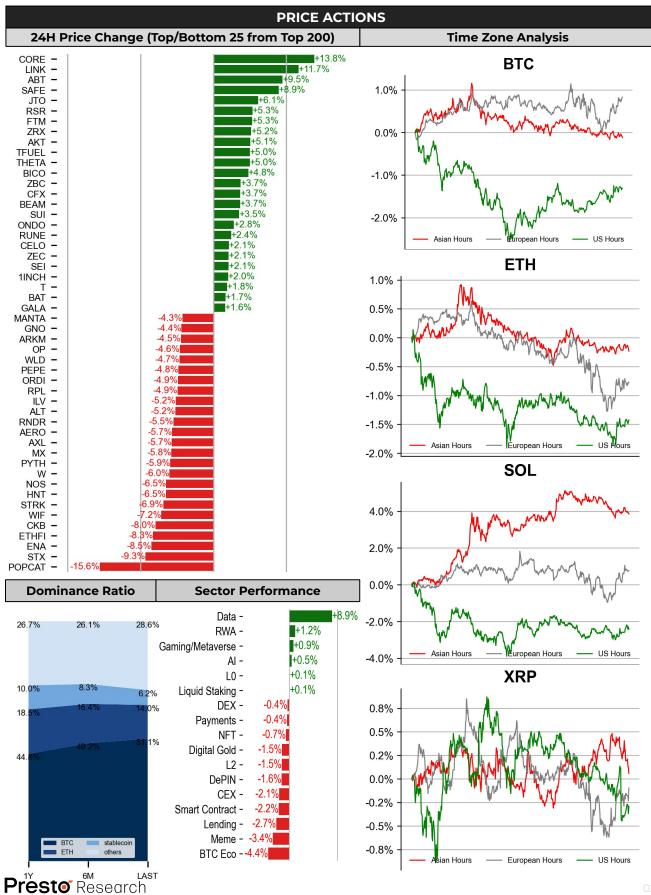
- \$BTC is trading at \$65,231, with most price action occurring during US hours, once briefly dropping to the \$64.5k level. The May 15th ETF data shows a \$303M inflow, primarily driven by \$FBTC and positive \$GBTC inflows. Early reports indicate that \$GBTC also recorded an inflow on May 16th.
- In crypto headlines today, the US Senate voted on a resolution to overturn the SEC's SAB 121, while President Biden maintains his plans to veto the resolution.
- FT reports that CME plans to add spot bitcoin trading, in addition to futures trading.
- A few exploits occurred in the last 24 hours: Alex Lab lost \$4.3M in a hack, and pump.fun was attacked by a former employee.
- During the last 24 hours, the top three gainers were \$CORE, \$LINK, and \$ABT, while the top three losers were \$POPCAT, \$STX, and \$ENA.

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CME's plan to offer spot BTC trading makes strategic sense. Despite its slow start in its early days, CME's BTC futures market is now larger than Binance's in terms of OI. The institutionalization trend, boosted by the spot ETF listing, has also helped. Adding spot trading would be a natural extension of that strategy.

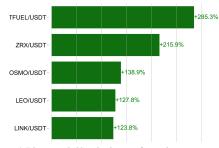
That said, the market's initial reaction (COIN -9%, CME +2%) may turn out to be premature for 2 reasons. First, its peer CBOE's foray into spot BTC trading was a failure, as per the service shutdown notice last month after a short 3-year trial. CME's plan to offer spot trading under EBS, its FX trading arm regulated in Switzerland, may be its attempt at better execution. Second, crypto is still a very nascent asset class, implying the legitimacy CME adds will probably grow the overall pie, benefiting all players. It may not be a zero-sum game after all.

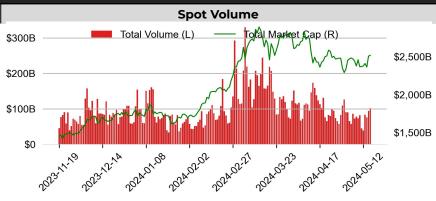


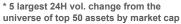


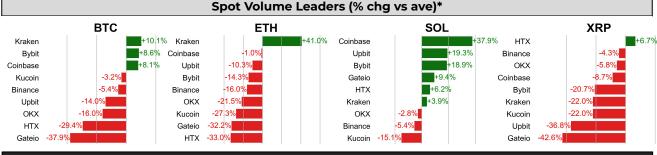
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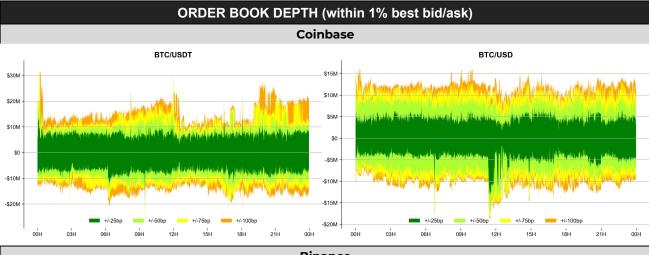
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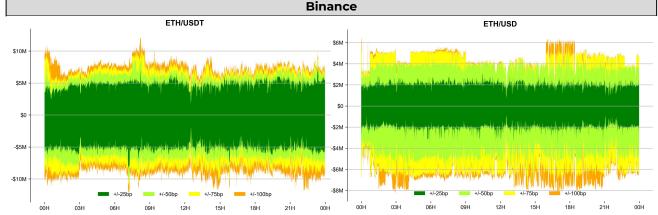








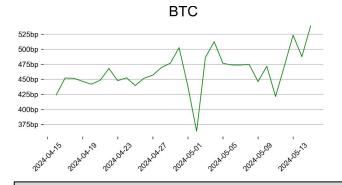


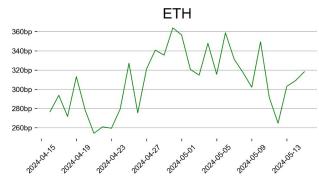


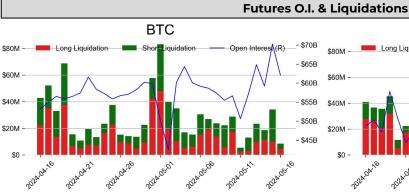
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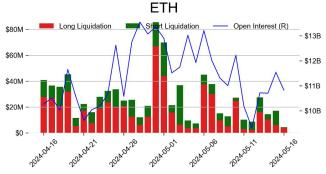
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OI/ MC & Leverage Ratios

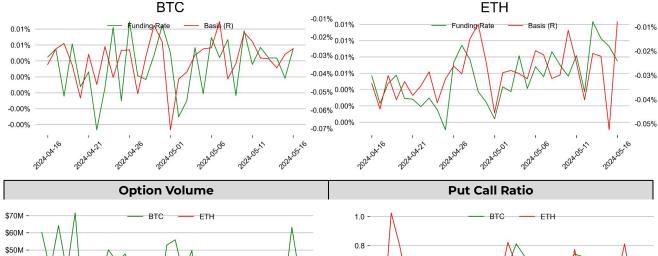


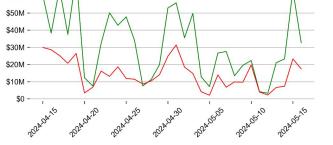


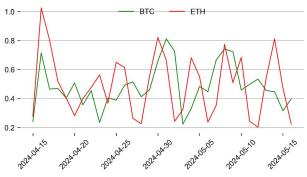




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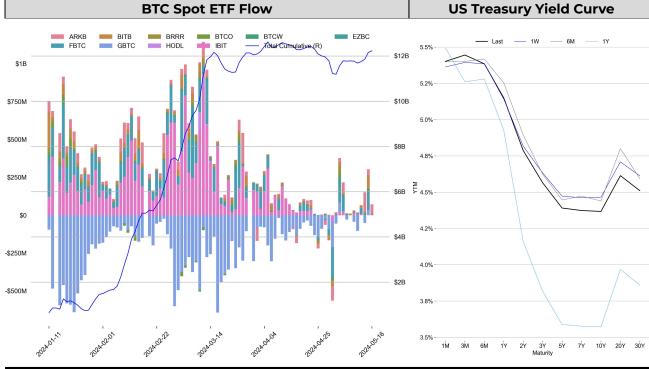






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	Stocks			FX			Commodity		Crypto Equity						
[S&P500	Nasdaq	EuroStoxx50	HSI	CSI300	USD/EUR	USD/JPY	USD/CNY	DXY	WTI	Gold	COIN	MSTR	MARA	RIOT
Last	5297.10	16698.32	5073.55	19376.53	3642.10	0.9201	155.41	7.2191	104.50	79.37	2382.15	199.17	1439.98	19.65	10.00
1D	-0.2%	-0.3%	-0.5%	1.6%	0.5%	0.2%	0.7%	-0.0%	0.3%	0.9%	-0.5%	-9.4%	-4.2%	-2.7%	-3.7%
1M	4.9%	5.3%	3.2%	19.2%	3.7%	-2.3%	0.5%	-0.2%	-1.7%	-7.0%	-0.6%	-9.0%	14.8%	34.6%	24.1%
1Y	27.4%	33.6%	17.4%	-0.9%	-8.0%	-0.2%	12.9%	3.2%	1.6%	9.0%	20.3%	226.3%	395.6%	94.7%	-13.3%



CROSS ASSET METRICS

Volatility Correlation - Gold - WTI - S&P500 CSI300 BTC S&P500 Nasdaq 0.3 CSI300 Gold Nasdar - VNQ wwo WTI 140% 0.2 120% 0.1 Correlation (Against BTC) 100% 0.0 80% 60% -0.1 40% -0.2 20% -0.3 0% I I T L L T I T ī Ĩ н 16.07.18 2017-11-30 201904.14 2020.08.26 Т 2023-05-23 Т 2015-03-06 2022.01.08 01.22 11.00 2024-10-04 0517 r 2 ~ 0 S' 2024

US Treasury Yield Curve

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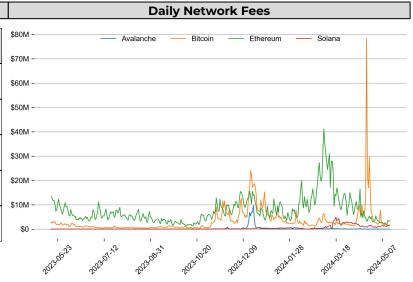
STABLECOIN USDT Prem/Disc **Supply Change** Market Cap (\$mn) Share 7D Change \$1.0008 \$1.0006 34.7% -0.0% USDT Tron 55,430 \$1.0004 USDT_Ethereum 44,390 27.8% +0.2% \$1.0002 USDT_Omni 136 0.1% 0.0% \$1.0000 USDC 32,938 20.6% +0.7% \$0.9998 DAI 5,364 3.4% -0.0% \$0.9996 FDUSD 3,244 2.0% -5.5% \$0.9994 Others 18,154 11.4% +1.7% \$0.9992 0516 0515 0514 159,655 100.0% +0.3% Total

ONCHAIN MOVES TVL/Crypto MC Top TVL by Protocol Arbitrum-bridge Lido Eigenlayer Wbtc Aave-v3 Justcryptos Polygon-bridge-&-staking Justlend \$100B 8.0% \$80B 6.0% \$60B 4.0% \$40B 2.0% \$20B 0.0% \$0 2021.05.03 2023-10-20 2024-03-18 2023-0523 2021-09-30 2022.02.21 2022-01-21 2022-12-24 2020-12:04 2022.09.15 2019:12:20 2020-08-28 2021.05.05 2022.01.08 29230523 201808-01 2019/04/14 T 2024-01-28 1

Top TVL	Gainers*
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#	Name	7D Change
1	LayerBank	+95.3%
2	Sanctum Validator LSTs	+26.3%
3	Superstate	+24.8%
4	Merlins Seal	+21.9%
5	tBTC	+17.4%

* 5 largest 7 day TVL change in % terms from the universe of minimum \$100m TVL protocols, according to DefiLlama.





	EVENTS CALENDAR									
	Upcoming Token Unlocks (next 7 days)									
Asset	Туре	Entity	Unlock Date (UTC)	Unlock Units	Unlock Value	% of Avg Trading Vol	Supply Locked			
APE	Allocation	Yuga Labs	5/18/24	4.2M	\$5.1M	10.2%	39.5%			
ROSE	Allocation	Core Contributors	5/20/24	140M	\$12.1M	57.5%	32.9%			
PYTH	Allocation	Publisher Rewards	5/20/24	538M	\$228.4M	317.9%	85.0%			
PYTH	Investment	Private Investors	5/20/24	250M	\$106.2M	147.8%	85.0%			
PYTH	Allocation	Protocol Development	5/20/24	212.5M	\$90.3M	125.7%	85.0%			
PYTH	Allocation	Publisher Rewards	5/20/24	50M	\$21.3M	29.6%	85.0%			
PYTH	Allocation	Ecosystem Growth	5/20/24	1.1B	\$478.0M	665.3%	85.0%			
GMT	Allocation	Treasury	5/20/24	20.3M	\$4.4M	10.4%	62.4%			
UNI	Investment	Investors	5/21/24	3.8M	\$27.4M	21.5%	40.1%			
ID	Allocation	Foundation	5/22/24	5M	\$3.6M	7.8%	73.3%			
ID	Allocation	Marketing	5/22/24	4.9M	\$3.5M	8.0%	73.3%			
ID	Airdrop	Community Airdrop	5/22/24	5.8M	\$4.2M	9.4%	73.3%			
ARB	Investment	Investors	5/22/24	36.5M	\$36.3M	12.4%	73.5%			
ARB	Allocation	Offchain Labs Team	5/24/24	56.1M	\$54.5M	19.1%	73.5%			
GAL	Allocation	Community Treasury	5/24/24	577.1K	\$2.0M	7.2%	42.2%			

Other Events (next 7 days)						
Date	Title	Coins				
May 17, 2024	Starknet Propulsion Program	\$STRK				
May 20, 2024	Moonrise Release \$GLMR					
May 21, 2024	Migration Snapshot	\$LSK				
May 21, 2024	Dragon8 Hard Fork	\$CHZ				
May 22, 2024	LFG Launchpad Voting	\$JUP				
May 23, 2024	4 ETH ETF Approval VanEck					



		DATA EXPLAINER
Headers	Source	Note
PRICE ACTIONS TRADING VOLUME ORDER BOOK DEPTH DERIVATIVES	Presto Labs	 Time Zone Analysis separates out the asset's price action according to the business hours in Asia, Europe and US region. This is to identify which geography is responsible for price actions of the last 24hrs. The cut-offs are, Asia: UTC 22:00 -1 to UTC 6:00 Europe: UTC 6:00 to 14:00 US: UTC 14:00 to 22:00 Sector constituents are, Al(FET, AGIX, OCEAN), BTC Eco(BCH, BSV, ICP, STX, ORDI), CEX(BNB, CRO, OKB, KCS, BGB), Data(LINK, GRT), DePIN(ICP, FIL, AR, HNT, SIA), DEX(UNI, INJ, RUNE, SNX, DYDX, OSMO, CRV, CAKE, GMX), Digital Gold(BTC), Gaming/Metaverse(IMX, BEAM, SAND, GALA, AXS, WEMIX, RON), L0(AVAX, DOT, TIA), L2(MATIC, OP, MNT, ARB, STRK), Lending(MKR, AAVE, COMP), Liquid Staking(LDO, RPL, JTO), Meme(DOGE, SHIB, FLOKI), NFT(APE, BLUR), Payments(XRP, LTC, XLM, XMR, ZEC), RWA(ONDO, CFG), Smart Contract(ETH, BNB, SOL, ADA, TRX, TON, APT, NEAR, HBAR, VET, ALGO, FTM, SUI, FLOW, MINA). The sector return is market-cap weighted average of the constituents' returns. Exchanges: 24H spot price & volume % changes and dominance ratios are from CoinGecko. Time Zone Analysis is based on data from Binance. Spot volume leaders are based on data from Binance Bybit, Coinbase, Kraken, OKX, KuCoin, HTX, Upbit, Gate.io. Futures data are from Binance OKX, Bybit, KuCoin. Options data are from Deribit.
TRADFI	Investing.com Farside Investors	BTC Spot ETF Flows are based on data shown on farside.co.uk at UTC 03:00. Due to varying data reporting schedules among ETF sponsors, the figures may not encompass data from all 10 ETFs.
STABLECOIN ONCHAIN MOVES	DefiLlama	Stablecoin Supply is a proxy for fiat on/off ramp from TradFi into crypto. USDT Prem/Disc reflects the USDT supply/demand imbalance, approximating the market's risk aversion towards USDT specifically, and/or the crypto market more broadly. The data is from Coinbase. TVL/ Crypto MC Ratio = Total Value Locked / Crypto Market Cap. The ratio neutralizes the TVL changes caused by asset price fluctuations.
EVENTS CALENDAR	The Tie LayerGG	Token Unlocks shows those whose unlock amount is greater than 6% of the average trading volume from the universe of top 200 crypto assets by market cap. Other Events show summary of other major events over the next 30 days.

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