Presto Research Daily Market Brief

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BCH Jumps After Halving - Precursor to Upcoming BTC Halving?

BTC	\$68,496.52	S&P500	5,147.21	US 10Y	4.3074%	WTI	\$87.01
	+3.8%		-1.2%		-0.0438PPT		+1.8%
ETH	\$3,327.45	Nasdaq	16,049.08	DXY	104.23	Gold	\$2,307.60
	+0.5%		-1.4%		+0.0%		-0.3%

- \$BTC climbed to \$68,300, with most of the improvement occurring after Asian hours, despite initially reporting a loss during that period. In TradFi, all three major indexes recorded losses as investors digested hawkish comments from the Fed.
- ETF flows are picking up, with \$GBTC outflows reported at \$79M on 4/4. \$FBTC saw strong inflows on 4/3, and reports suggest a \$141.2M inflow into \$IBIT on 4/4, indicating a potential net inflow for the day.
- In the altcoin sector, \$XRP is +6% following the Ripple's USD-backed stablecoin announcement.

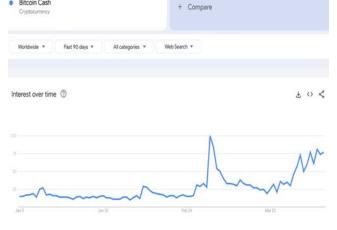
 Additionally, Jupiter's first launchpad project, \$ZEUS, was listed, and Binance introduced \$SAGA on its Binance Launchpool.
- Yesterday's top three gainers were \$BCH, which halving occurred yesterday, \$MNT, and \$ETC and top three losers were \$LEO, \$WIF, \$ARB.

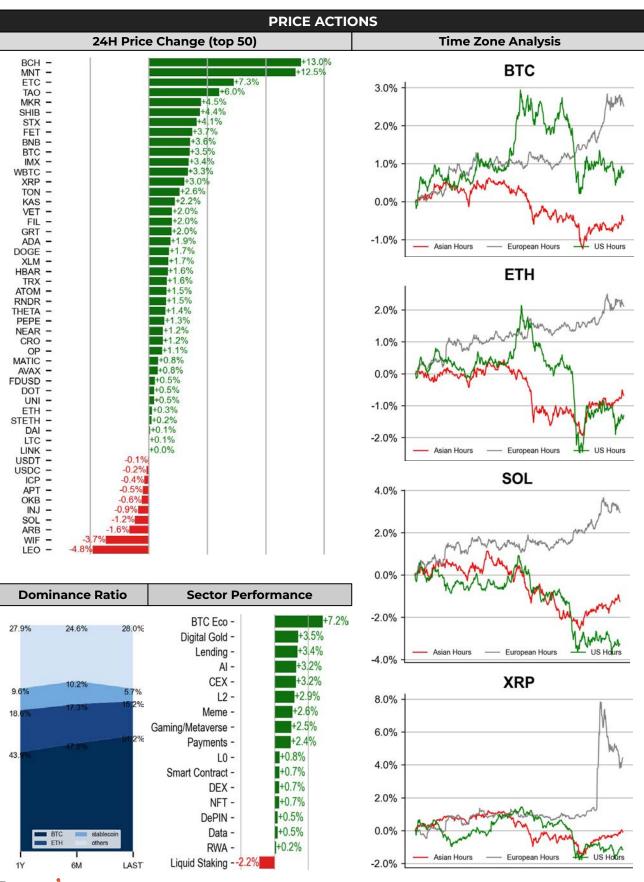
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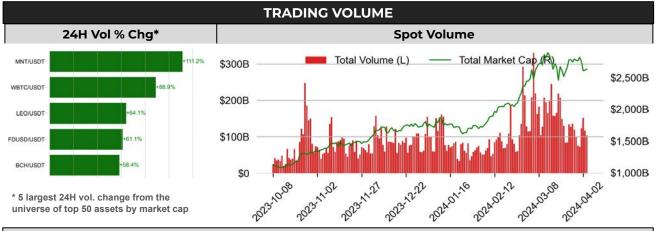
Bitcoin Cash's (BCH) recent halving (roughly 28 hours ago) and its subsequent price action (peaking at +18%) is viewed by some as a precursor to the upcoming Bitcoin(BTC) halving, expected on April 21st.

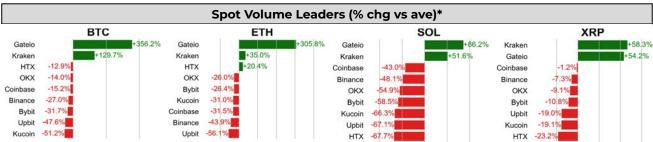
In reality, there is little reason to believe BCH's halving should have predictive power over BTC's own halving event. Yes, both networks use PoW with the SHA-256 hashing algorithm (implying miners can move in/out between the two, chasing better incentives), and mining rewards are cut in half every 4 years, but that's about where the similarity ends. Blockchain or not, the success of any network is critically driven by demand, while halving is primarily (but not entirely) about supply. Yes, hash rate and price often move in tandem,

but correlation does not imply causation. With the advent of the BTC spot ETF, BTC's status as an institutional asset is unparalleled. That said, it may be premature to entirely write-off the demand prospect for BCH, esp. given the rising interest in the broader Bitcoin ecosystem among dapp builders recently.

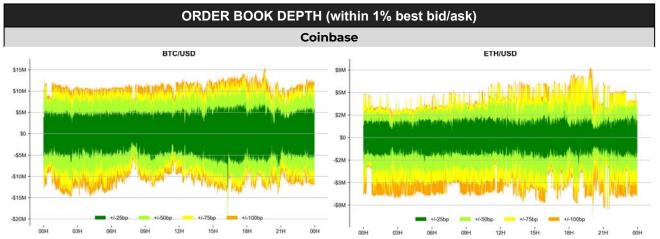


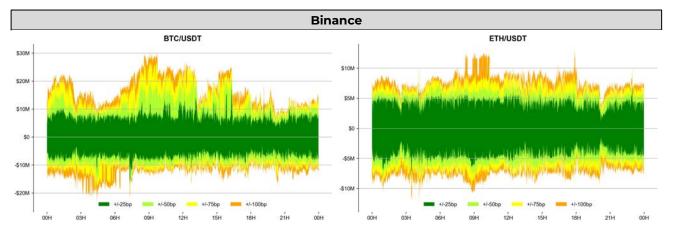




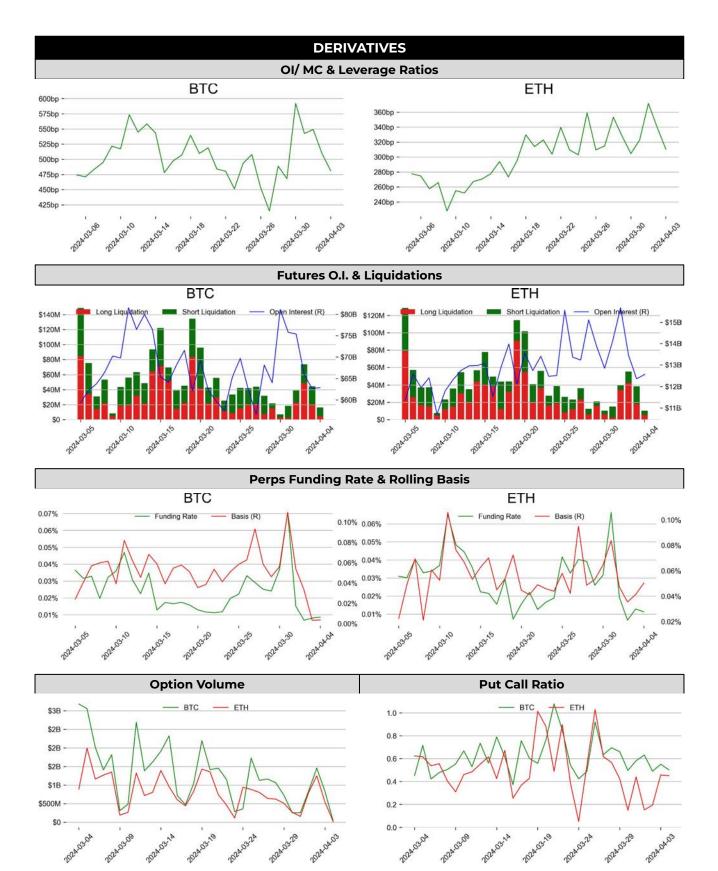


* Ranked by the % difference between the 24H volume vs. the 30-day average



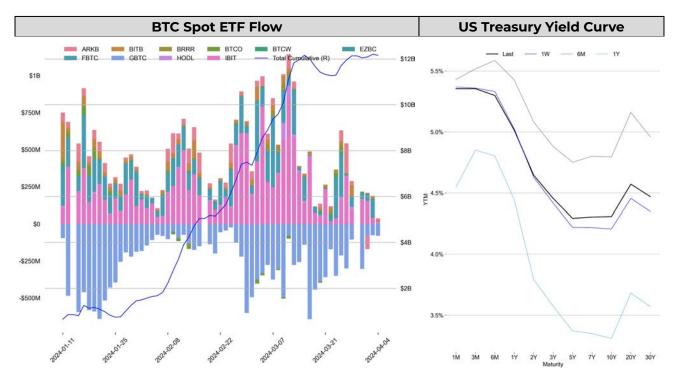


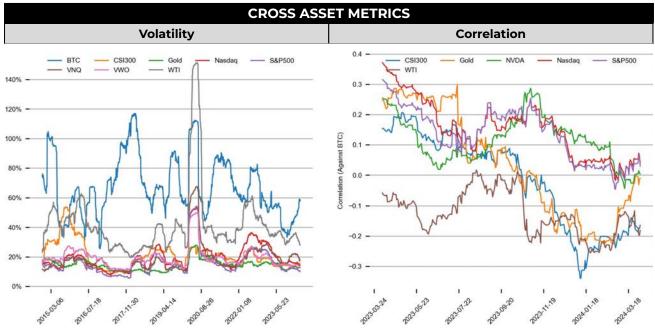






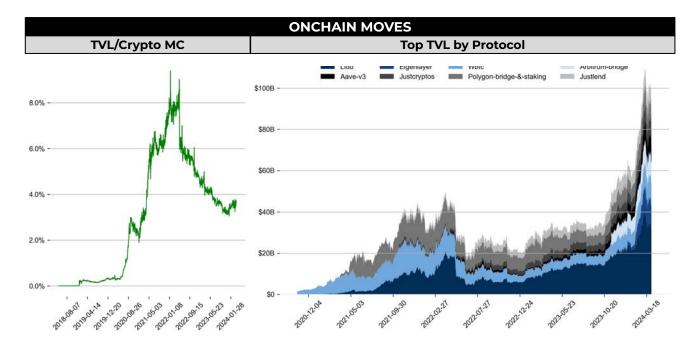
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	Stocks				FX			Commodity		Crypto Equity					
	S&P500	Nasdaq	EuroStoxx50	HSI	CSI300	USD/EUR	USD/JPY	USD/CNY	DXY	WTI	Gold	COIN	MSTR	MARA	RIOT
Last	5147.21	16049.08	5070.55	16725.10	3567.83	0.9227	151.29	7.2330	104.23	87.01	2307.60	249.56	1615.42	18.47	10.20
1D	-1.2%	-1.4%	0.0%	-1.2%	-0.3%	-0.0%	-0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	1.8%	-0.3%	-0.8%	0.6%	-4.9%	-0.9%
1M	1.3%	0.7%	3.6%	0.8%	0.8%	0.2%	0.8%	0.5%	0.4%	11.3%	7.7%	15.1%	53.7%	-17.0%	-16.7%
1Y	25.8%	33.8%	18.0%	-17.5%	-13.0%	0.6%	15.2%	5.2%	2.3%	7.9%	14.2%	310.6%	455.4%	132.9%	11.5%

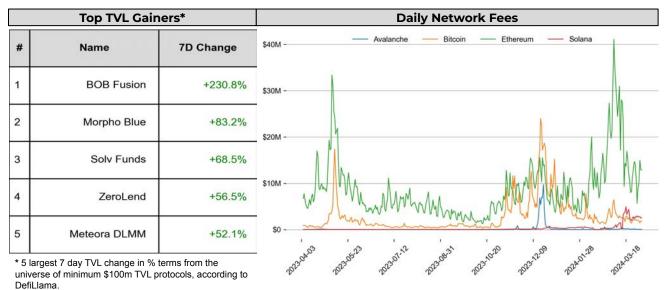






STABLECOIN							
	Supply Change	;		USDT Prem/Disc			
	Market Cap (\$mn)	Share	7D Change	\$1.0010			
USDT_Tron	53,624	35.0%	+2.9%	\$1.0008 -			
USDT_Ethereum	43,128	28.2%	+0.7%	\$1.0006-			
USDT_Omni	137	0.1%	0.0%	\$1.0004 And June of the state o			
USDC	32,338	21.1%	+1.7%	\$1.0002			
DAI	4,916	3.2%	+3.5%	\$1.0000			
FDUSD	2,523	1.6%	+15.1%	\$0.998			
Others	16,493	10.8%	+5.4%	\$0.9996			
Total	153,159	100.0%	+2.5%	aras aras aras			







EVENTS CALENDAR Upcoming Token Unlocks (next 7 days)

4/7/24

4/9/24

4/11/24

4/11/24

Entity	Unlock Date (UTC)	Unlock Units	Unlock Value	% of Avg Trading Vol	Supply Locked			
Team	4/5/24	3.54M	\$6.3M	12.4%	46.0%			
Ecosystem, R&D	4/6/24	3.72M	\$20.8M	39.2%	85.4%			
Community Programs	4/7/24	7.49M	\$13.3M	26.2%	46.0%			

\$4.6M

\$8.7M

\$14.9M

\$13.4M

9.1%

9.5%

9.3%

8.4%

46.0%

44.9%

22.8%

22.8%

2.6M

2.83M

40.8M

36.7M

	Other Events (next 7 days)						
Date Title Coins							
Apr 5, 2024	Truinflation IDO	\$POLS					
Apr 5, 2024	"Meme coin Rush" Campaign Ends	\$AVAX, \$JOE					
Apr 8, 2024	Restaked Rollup Day	\$ALT					
Apr 8, 2024	Web3 Game House 2024	\$COMBO					
Apr 9, 2024	Hong Kong Web3 Festival						
Apr 9, 2024	Chapter 1 NFT Claim Ends \$WOM						
Apr 10, 2024	US CPI						
Apr 10, 2024	"Sui basecamp" Conference \$SUI						
Apr 10, 2024	Token Swap	\$ZBC					
Apr 10, 2024	Pawnee Hard Fork	\$BNB					
Apr 10, 2024	"Influence Game Pre-Release	\$STRK					
Apr 11, 2024	Block Reward Halving \$XEC						
Apr 11, 2024	Bybit Launchpool End \$ARPS						
Apr 11, 2024	Mainnet (Avalanche Subnet)	\$PDA					



Asset

AXL

DYM

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DYDX

CFX

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Type

Allocation

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Emissions

Allocation

Allocation

Operations

User Trading Rewards

Ecosystem Fund

Team

		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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