Daily Market Brief

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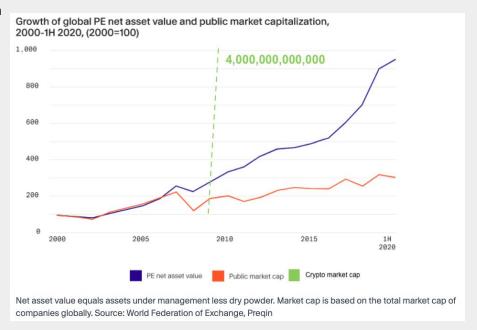
| BTC | \$117,480.46 | S&P500 | 6,340.00 | US 10Y | 4.2450% | WTI | \$63.82 |
|-----|--------------|--------|-----------|---------------|------------|------|------------|
| | +2.2% | | -0.1% | | +0.0270PPT | | -0.8% |
| ETH | \$3,909.96 | Nasdaq | 21,242.70 | DXY | 97.98 | Gold | \$3,496.15 |
| | +6.2% | | +0.3% | | -0.2% | | +1.8% |

- The market is up, with \$ETH notably outperforming. As of now, \$BTC is trading at \$117,480 and \$ETH at \$3,909. Bitcoin dominance stands at 60.97%.
- Trump signed an executive order directing the U.S. Department of Labor, the Treasury, and the SEC to revise guidance under ERISA. The change would enable 401(k) retirement plans to include alternative assets—such as private equity, real estate, and digital assets—in investment options.
- A few other headlines include: the SEC and Ripple jointly agreeing to drop their appeals in the Second Circuit court case, Trump selecting crypto-friendly economist Stephen Miran for a Federal Reserve board seat, and Fundamental Global Inc. filing an S-3 registration statement with plans to use the majority of net proceeds from a common stock offering to acquire Ethereum.
- Over the past 24 hours, the top three gainers were \$PENDLE, \$MNT, and \$KTA, while the top three losers were \$M, \$ZBCN, and \$HASH.

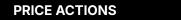
New Directives Boost 401(k) Access to Digital Assets

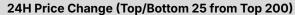
The idea that the traditional 60/40 stock-bond portfolio allocation is dead has been discussed by asset management industry elites for some time. It has recently gained mainstream attention, with prominent figures such as Larry Fink (BlackRock) and Rick Edelman (Edelman Financial Engines) explicitly advocating a different approach. Against this backdrop, Trump last night signed directives to open the \$9 trillion US retirement market to alternative investments, such as private equity, real estate, and digital assets. The directives instruct relevant agencies to clarify regulations to encourage these

investments' inclusion in 401(k) retirement plans. Over the last 20 years, wealth creation in the US has largely occurred in private markets, but access has been exclusive to so-called "accredited investors" (i.e., the rich). Trump's order aims to allow retirees to participate in these markets, as well as in digital assets, whose wealth creation has been literally off-the-chart.

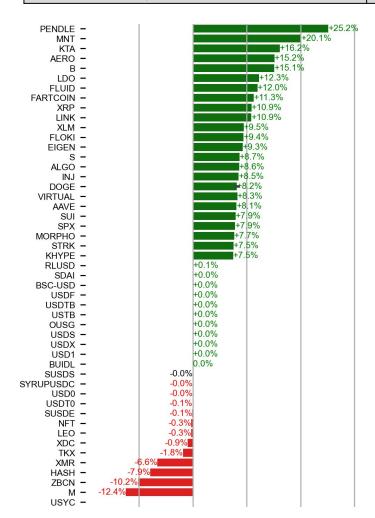


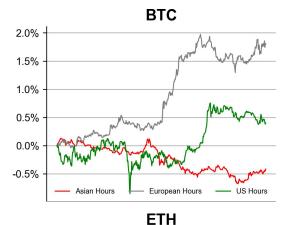
Source: Moonfare





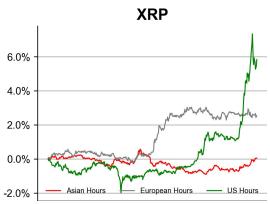
Time Zone Analysis

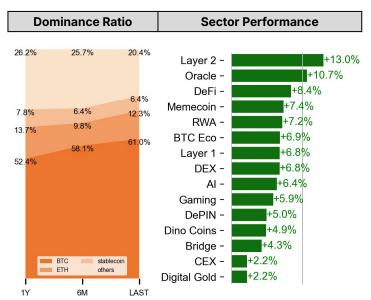


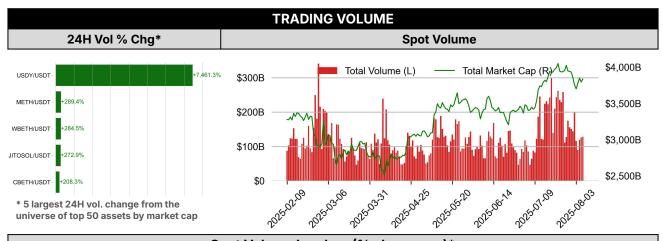


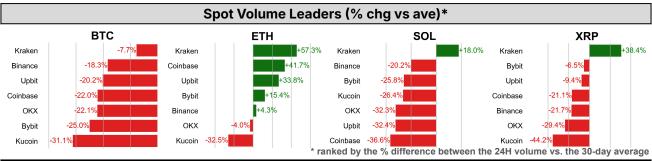




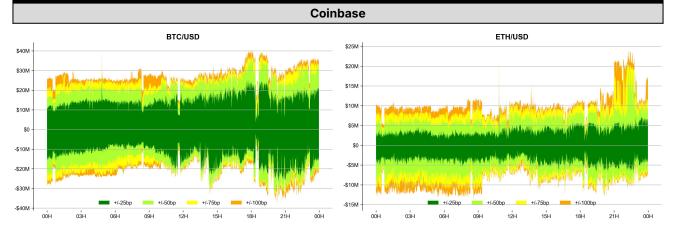


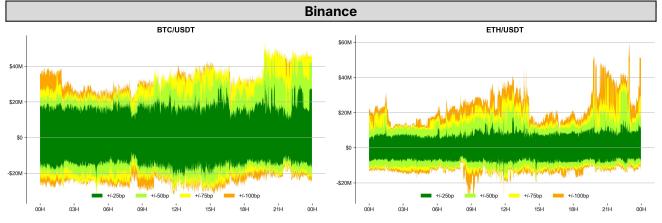






ORDER BOOK DEPTH (within 1% best bid/ask)





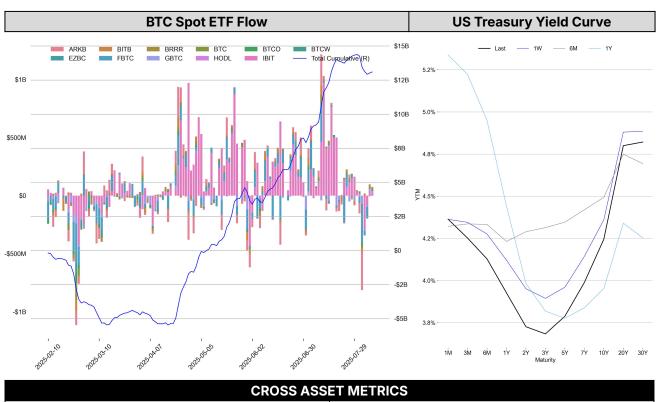


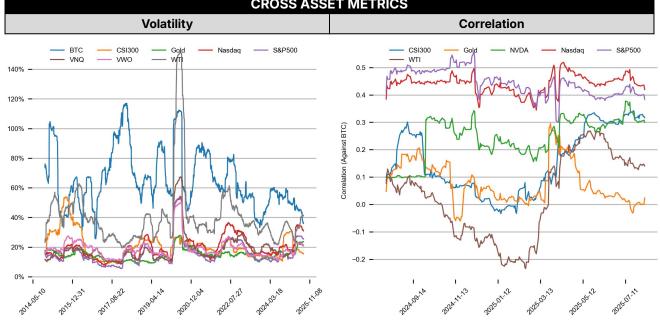
DERIVATIVES Open Interest / Market Cap BTC ETH 560bp 370bp 540bp 360bp 520bp 350bp 500bp 480bp 340bp 460bp 330bp 440bp 320bp 202501:31 **Futures O.I. & Liquidations BTC ETH** - \$130B \$100M \$140M Long Liquidation Open Interest (R) - \$16B \$120M \$125B \$15B \$120B \$100M \$80M \$115B \$60M \$14B \$60M \$110B \$13B \$105B \$40M \$100B \$20M \$95B **Perps Funding Rate & Rolling Basis BTC** ETH 0.01% 0.01% Funding Rate Basis (R) 0.01% 0.04% 0.00% 0.01% 0.01% 0.02% 0.01% -0.01% 0.01% -0.02% 0.00% 0.00% 0.01% -0.03% -0.02% 0.00% 0.00% -0.04% -0.04% 0.00% -0.05% -0.06% -0.00% 0.00% **Put Call Ratio Option Volume** 1.2 BTC ETH втс \$150M 1.0 \$125M 0.8 \$100M \$75M 0.6 \$50M \$25M 0.2 \$0



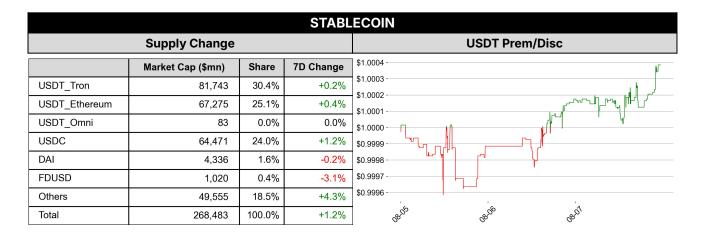
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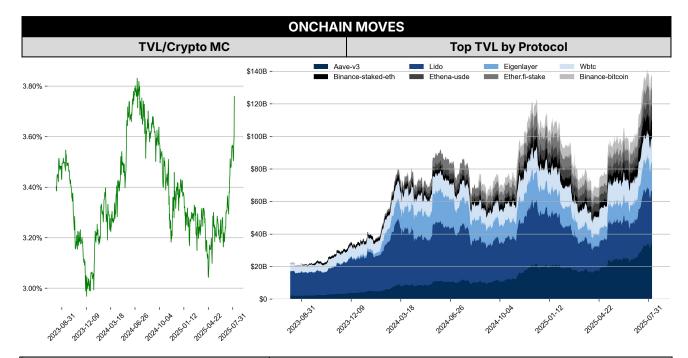
| | Stocks | | | | FX | | | Commodity | | Crypto Equity | | | | | |
|------|---------|----------|-------------|----------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|-------|---------------|---------|--------|--------|-------|-------|
| | S&P500 | Nasdaq | EuroStoxx50 | HSI | CSI300 | USD/EUR | USD/JPY | USD/CNY | DXY | WTI | Gold | COIN | MSTR | MARA | RIOT |
| Last | 6340.00 | 21242.70 | 5335.80 | 25081.63 | 4114.67 | 0.8564 | 146.81 | 7.1815 | 97.98 | 63.82 | 3496.15 | 310.79 | 402.01 | 15.96 | 11.60 |
| 1D | -0.1% | 0.3% | 1.4% | 0.7% | 0.0% | -0.1% | -0.4% | -0.0% | -0.2% | -0.8% | 1.8% | 2.4% | 4.9% | 0.4% | -0.5% |
| 1M | 1.8% | 4.0% | -0.7% | 3.9% | 2.9% | 0.4% | 0.2% | 0.1% | 0.5% | -6.6% | 5.4% | -12.4% | 1.3% | -8.9% | 0.3% |
| 1Y | 21.9% | 31.2% | 14.3% | 48.6% | 23.1% | -6.5% | 0.1% | 0.1% | -5.1% | -15.2% | 43.7% | 73.7% | 222.4% | 0.8% | 51.8% |

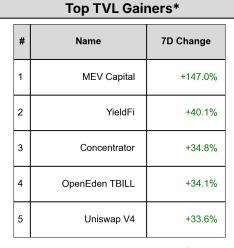




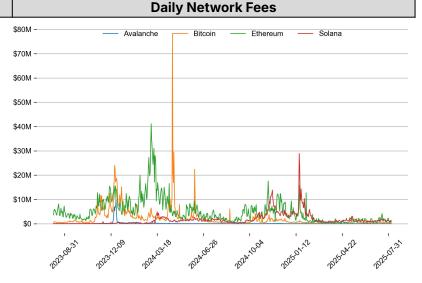








^{* 5} largest 7 day TVL change in % terms from the universe of minimum \$100m TVL protocols, according to DefiLlama.





| EVENTS CALENDAR | | | | | |
|-----------------|---|---------------|--|--|--|
| Date | Title | Coins / Hosts | | | |
| Aug 1, 2025 | US Nonfarm Payrolls | | | | |
| Aug 1, 2025 | \$162M Unlock | \$SUI | | | |
| Aug 5, 2025 | Binance Alpha | \$TOWNS | | | |
| Aug 6, 2025 | S2 Airdrop | \$ME | | | |
| Aug 7, 2025 | US Reciprocal Tariffs Effective Date | | | | |
| Aug 8, 2025 | Launchpad | \$ORCA | | | |
| Aug 12, 2025 | US CPI | | | | |
| Aug 12, 2025 | \$17M Unlock | \$LAYER | | | |
| Aug 14, 2025 | US PPI | | | | |
| Aug 15, 2025 | Earnings Call | \$SBET | | | |
| Aug 15, 2025 | \$38.9M Unlock | \$AVAX | | | |
| Aug 20, 2025 | \$28.4M Unlock | \$KAITO | | | |
| Aug 21, 2025 | Fee Switch | \$RESOLV | | | |
| Aug 21, 2025 | Jackson Hole | | | | |
| Aug 26, 2025 | \$13M Unlock | \$HUMA | | | |
| Aug 27, 2025 | Earnings Call \$NVDA | | | | |
| Aug 29, 2025 | Aug 29, 2025 Iran Nuclear Deal Deadline | | | | |



| 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, AI(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), LO(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 | CoinMarketCap Layer GG | Events Calendar provides a summary of major events happening throughout the month. | | | | | |

^{*} The Daily Market Brief is published every business day, following the Singapore calendar, excluding public holidays



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